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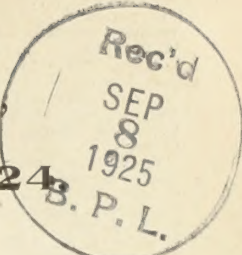
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BOSTON NOW HAS LARGEST AS WELL AS MOST DISTINCTIVE BATH HOUSE IN COUNTRY—LOCATED ON DORCHESTER BAY.

NEW STRUCTURE AT COLUMBUS PARK, INSPECTED BY MAYOR ON WEDNESDAY, WILL ACCOMMODATE 4,000 BATHERS AT ONCE WITHOUT CONFUSION. ADDS TO STRANDWAY ATTRACTIVENESS.



BOSTON'S LARGEST AND NEWEST HOME FOR BATHERS, ERECTED AT COLUMBUS PARK, SOUTH BOSTON, AT COST OF \$215,000—MANY NEW CONVENIENCES EMBODIED IN STRUCTURE. [Photo by Boston Transcript.]

Boston may now boast it has a public bath house the most distinctive in the country as well as the largest. It is located at Columbus Park, South Boston, and is a feature of the extensive Strandway improvements which were started in Mayor Curley's first administration. Dedication ceremonies were held Wednesday afternoon and afforded the first opportunity for public inspection.

The bath house, which is thoroughly fireproof, was constructed by the Alco Contracting Company, at a cost of \$215,000. The architect was Harrison H. Atwood and his work was completed after years of planning. First sketches were made nearly eight years ago when the Strandway project was conceived.

Since that time the only building of the kind which seemingly afforded ideas for incorporation in the proposed building was in Chicago, and Chicago ideas have been improved upon for Boston.

The South Boston building is in three sections, including an administration

building in the center, a section for men and boys at the left and a section for women and girls at the right. The length is 370 feet and width 90 feet. For many years the L Street Bath House was considered ample for all needs, with the exception of a few warm days in midsummer. But the L street building, a mile or so away, accommodates only 2,000 bathers at one time. The new building will accommodate 4,000 bathers at once, and it has such facilities that the largest crowds can be handled without confusion.

The architect had a difficult task because of the location on newly-made land. Columbus Park was reclaimed from the Old Harbor. It is a tract of forty-seven acres. The administration desired a building, absolutely fireproof, and it was necessary to construct 300 concrete piles. The exterior is of brick, with trimmings of granite, while the interior is of concrete. This type of construction is particularly noticeable in the closets and will prove effective in keeping the interior clean.

The Chicago bath house construction gave Boston its idea for closet arrange-

ments, but Mr. Atwood has succeeded in adding several features which are intended to provide greater convenience. Likewise, the architect has improved upon all known systems of securing privacy and the easiest method of giving out and returning the bathing material.

There is a centralization of the plans, so that all bathers must go through the middle building for their bathing material, for their keys and for the giving up of keys. The L street structure was often in confusion during days of rush. The Columbus Park building contains two large receiving and distributing counters, at each of which lines may form and be quickly cared for.

The administration believes that Columbus Park will prove to be Boston's most popular center for sports, and to that end the bath house has been provided with facilities for the care of football, baseball and other athletic teams. At the top of the administration building there is a shower bathroom, as well as plenty of lockers. In winter, the two wings of the building will be closed by shutters, leaving the administration building free for what use may be made of it by cold-water bathers.

The Park Commission, under whose direction the building was constructed, is highly pleased with the results.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, January 7, at 2 p. m.

Regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston, in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, on Monday, January 7, at 6.30 o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or tem-

porary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marqueses, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for informa-

PUBLIC LIBRARY EXHIBITION OF NEWTONIANA.

For the occasion of the anniversary of Newton's birthday there is an exhibition now in the Barton Room of the Boston Public Library from the works of this great genius—one of the greatest geniuses that humanity has ever known. There is, however, some difficulty in fixing the date of this anniversary. Newton was born on the 25th of December, 1642, but the cyclopedias add in haste that this is the "Old Style reckoning." For though in Catholic countries the Gregorian calendar was introduced more than a half-century before his birth, English public opinion, as is commonly known, succeeded in resisting it up till the Calendar Act of 1750. And even today the old style date is often adhered to as Newton's birthday.

The Boston Public Library is rich in first and contemporary editions of Newton's works. Few people know that our Public Library is the happy possessor of a volume which was not only the personal property of Newton himself, but which served him as the basic text for the subsequent Latin edition. This volume is the first edition (1704) of the "Opticks." The book contains all the autograph corrections and addenda of Newton. Pasted in the volume are sixteen pages of Newton's manuscript, a first draft of his latest optical researches. This invaluable book and manuscript belonged to Theodore Parker; the Boston Public Library came into possession of it in 1873.

The first Latin edition of the "Opticks" (1706) is on exhibition also. A comparison of the first manuscript with the printed text is especially interesting, as it shows Newton just in the middle of his researches.

Of the "Principia"—undoubtedly the masterpiece of Newton—the library possesses several fine copies. Among

them, the second Cambridge edition (1713), the Amsterdam edition (1714), the Geneva edition (1739-1742), the latter in four volumes with the voluminous commentaries of Le Seur and Jacquier. And then the collective edition, "Isaac Newtoni Opera," known as the Horsley edition (1779-1785). All these volumes, printed on large quarto, belonged to Nathaniel Bowditch; they bear his inscription and the date when he acquired them.

Another fine edition of the "Principia" (Amsterdam, 1723), together with a copy of "The Method of Fluxions" (London, 1736), was the property of President John Adams.

The French translation of the "Principia" (Paris, 1759), by Marquis de Chatelet—the first French expounder of Newton's theories—is also on exhibition. Voltaire says in his "Preface Historique" to the work: "The world saw two miracles: The first, that Newton wrote the book,—the second, that a woman translated and elucidated it." In the latter part of which phrase, of course, there is some gentle and courtly exaggeration.

Newton's "Optical Lectures" read at Cambridge, Anno 1669, while he was "Lucasian Professor of the Mathematics," his "Arithmetica Universalis" and his geometrical "Treatises" are also represented in the exhibition, to which Newton's own copy of the "Opticks" with his manuscript lends exceptional interest.

PERMIT TO SELL.

The Mayor has approved the request of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn for permission to sell to Henry C. Shiels, 1079 Columbus avenue, one old steam fire engine for the sum of \$200.

The sale is recommended by District Chief William H. McCorkle, Bureau of Supplies and Repairs.

MAYOR CURLEY CALLS ON CITIZENS TO REDEDICATE BOSTON AND THEMSELVES TO A LIFE OF GOOD DEEDS AND SERVICE FOR 1924.

DELIVERS NEW YEAR'S GREETING BY RADIO FROM SHEPARD STORES WHILE WISHING ALL A "HAPPY NEW YEAR"—MESSAGE OF GOOD CHEER BROADCASTED ALL OVER STATE.

Mayor Curley delivered the following address by radio at the Shepard Stores on the evening of December 31:

As Mayor of Boston it becomes my very great privilege to extend in behalf of the people the wish for "A Happy New Year."

Through the courtesy of the Shepard Stores it is possible through the radio to include in the circle of good wishes thousands of persons never previously privileged to attend a municipal New Year's observance.

A Happy New Year connotes, health, and happiness, both possible of attainment and enjoyment through faith in God and a life lived in accordance with His Divine teachings.

The old year will shortly end and the ledger balanced will determine definitely whether we have lived worthily or otherwise. It is too late for us to change the record which we have made and God has recorded, but it is not too late to so shape our lives that we may avoid in future the mistakes and misdeeds of the past.

Let each mistake or misdeed of the year that is passing serve as a warning for the year that is about to begin.

Good resolutions are necessary, and even though we lack the power to keep them through the entire year, we should not hesitate to make them since through them is character molded, right resolution strengthened, self-reliance fostered, and faith promoted.

Habits of a lifetime are not easily broken and evil habits are most difficult to break so that the fact that the same length of time one has been a victim of one evil habit might be reasonably necessary to rid ourselves of it and the time to begin is now.

Admiral Cochrane, commander of the French Navy, told a most interesting story upon the occasion of the visit of the French Mission to Boston in 1917 when the success of the armies of the Central Empire seemed assured. He stated that the guns and munitions of the navy had been transferred to the land at the River Marne.

As the battle was about to begin he approached Marshall Joffre and asked if everything had been done; and was in-

formed that all had been done, men, munitions, hospital supplies, everything that mortal men could do, and that success or death awaited the outcome.

"I knew," said the Admiral, "that he had been estranged from his religion for twelve years and asked if he had said a prayer to God for success." "No," said he, "but I will" and kneeling in the mud almost knee deep prayed devoutly for ten minutes in the presence of the armies, then arose and issued the order for the battle to commence.

"God," said the Admiral, "heard his prayer," the answer to which was victory for the Allies.

As it was in the case of Joffre, so it was in the case of John Sobieski, the Polish saviour of Christianity, who in the Seventeenth century in 1683, with 70,000 men defeated 700,000 Mohammedans and ended the siege of Vienna with the rallying cry "Not for our glory Oh Lord but for thine."

The answer to General Washington's prayer at Valley Forge was the arrival of the French fleet and the later establishment of the American republic.

A little of the simple faith of these great world leaders is needed to end the evils which today beset humanity.

Their's was the faith ever present in the hour of adversity and the shadow of death, but unfortunately seldom considered in the hours of peace and prosperity.

If God is the source of inspiration and hope in the hour of trial why should we neglect him at other times?

It has been truly said every good deed has its reward, every evil deed its punishment; and the most evil deed of all is the loss of faith in God without which we can have no faith in our fellowman.

Shakespeare says "To thine ownself be true and as night follows day thou canst be false to no man."

Let us then highly resolve during 1924 to thank God for the blessings with which he has so richly endowed our country, America, and with faith in God and love of our fellowman in our hearts so live that life here will be freighted with deeds of kindness and service, which will rise like incense to the throne on high preparing for us the reward which comes alone from a life well spent.

Boston Consolidated Gas Company to reduce the price of gas to consumers, and I desire to inform you that the directors have voted to reduce the price 5 cents per thousand, effective on bills rendered on and after February 1, 1924.

This reduction means an annual saving to the consumers of approximately \$425,000.

Very truly yours,

D. D. BARNUM,
President.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting wire fence at the Arnold Arboretum. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids for the work, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 17.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for the privilege of placing vending and weighing machines in the four headhouses of the Ferry Division. Bidders will furnish their own proposals and submit price for each machine and the number to be placed in each headhouse to Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. A certified check in the amount of \$100 to be filed at the same time and place.

Bids close Tuesday, January 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for teaming coal from coal pockets at the North and South Ferries, East Boston side and delivering same to North and South Ferries, East Boston side. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 15, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Advertises for proposals for collecting and removing ashes, store dirt, house dirt, refuse and garbage in East Boston, Brighton, West Roxbury, Dorchester and Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of 5 per cent of the contract price for each district. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, January 7, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing double and single teams and auto trucks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount equivalent to 5 per cent of the amount bid for each of the eleven districts. Duplicate bids, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 8, at 12 m.

MAYOR WINS REDUCTION IN GAS PRICE TO PUBLIC.

The Mayor has received the following letter from the Boston Consolidated Gas Company.:

BOSTON, December 28, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I received your letter of December 26, in which you request the

Advertises for proposals for removing manure from the various stables and yards in the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$200. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, January 16, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Charles Summer District School, Poplar street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 15, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing iron castings, 150,000 pounds more or less. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service, 250,000 pounds gate and hydrant castings. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bids, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service, 100,000 pounds of frames and covers. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service, 70,000 pounds, more or less, iron castings, flanged frames. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price.

Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department with water meters. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, January 18, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, January 3:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Neal J. Holland has been chosen to serve as acting chairman during the absence of the chairman.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

Anna J. Mulhern, medical record clerk, has been given an extension of leave of absence with pay.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Anna Rosenberg, temporarily employed as clerk, has ceased employment, and Elizabeth Kagan has replaced her at \$3 a day, for a period not exceeding ten days.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

William M. Campbell has been appointed bacteriologist at \$1,800 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons were employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, December 27:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—John Rafferty, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Walter Bishop, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Timothy McManus, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Florence Allen, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Lila Brady, ward helper, \$11 a week; Bridget Lanigan, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Arthur Connolly, telephone operator (re-employed), \$20 a week; Anna Welsh, telephone operator, \$20 a week.

Temporary.—Harry Griffin, kitchenman, \$15 a week; James J. Norton, kitchenman, \$17 a week; Walter U. Frank, kitchenman, \$17 a week; H. Josephine Shepherd, head nurse, \$18.67 a week.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, January 3:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—D. Bragden, nurse, no pay; C. Fraser, nurse, no pay; Edith Goodwin, nurse, no pay; Lillian Kirk, nurse, no pay; Lillian Kearney, nurse, no pay; Catherine Loftus, nurse, no pay; Eleanor Leary, nurse, no pay; H. MacGarvie,

nurse, no pay; Anna Murphy, nurse, no pay; M. Morton, nurse, no pay; Nora Morrissey, nurse, no pay; Mildred O'Brien, nurse, no pay; Helen Smith, nurse, no pay; Marion Spillar, nurse, no pay; Doris True, nurse, no pay; Winifred Greeno, head nurse (re-employed), \$75 a month; Leo Coshullion, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Thomas Gibbons, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Viola Gunderway, elevatorwoman, \$11 a week; Rama Holmes, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Catherine O'Brien, ward helper, \$11 a week; Mary Cullinane, ward helper, \$11 a week; M. Gardner, ward helper, \$11 a week; Sarah Halpin, ward helper, \$11 a week; Redmond Welch, house cleaner, \$12 a week; James Ford, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Thomas Sullivan, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Isabelle Kepanham, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

Temporary.—Hilda Nelson, affiliated nurse, \$6 a month; Elfreda Nelson, affiliated nurse, \$8 a month; Ruth J. Levy, affiliated nurse, \$10 a month; Medora Therrian, affiliated nurse, \$8 a month; Dorothy Heagney, affiliated nurse, \$12 a month; Katherine Kerr, special nurse, \$35 a week; Mildred Ferguson, special nurse, \$35 a week; Harry Nissen, assistant director of massage, \$11.67 a week; Ralph Craft, assistant cook, \$18 a month.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Lena Ambrose, nurse at \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Virginia Christian nurse at \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Wanda Prsygodski, nurse at \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Henrietta Underhill, nurse at \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Josephine Colon, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Helen Clarke, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Mary G. Lane, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Dorothy McManus, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Margaret Taylor, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Esther Bandura, head nurse at \$75 to \$80 a month; Mabel Bates, nurse at \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Redmond Welch, house cleaner at \$12 to porter at \$13 a week; Margaret Glynn, ward helper at \$11 to cleaner at \$11.50 a week.

Error.—Elizabeth Pressy, nurse, employed October 16 at \$16.67 a month, should have been \$12.50.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments were made for the week ending Thursday, December 27:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

James Dolan, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed George Everett.

Barbara Flaherty, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Chester W. Lovell.

Edith Grant, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Leonard Gregory.

Ethel F. Leadbetter, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Mary McLean.

Joseph M. McCarthy, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed George Hubert.

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

Patrick H. Connors, fireman, at a salary of \$920 a year, temporary.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Mary A. O'Donnell has been promoted from matron at two days a week at \$3 a day to matron at six days a week at \$3 a day.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

David J. Barry has been appointed permanent janitor in the Public Buildings Department (County Buildings) at \$1 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Peter V. Fernandez, fireman at \$5 a day in the Water Service, has been transferred to the Ferry Service as fireman at \$5.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Bartholomew A. Clements, Fergus J. Caulfield and Edward R. Casey have been appointed temporary teamsters at \$4 a day each for a period of three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Augustus S. Quinn has been transferred from subforeman at \$5.50 a day in the Bridge Service to house inspector at \$1,700 a year in the Sewer Service.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Wednesday, December 26:

Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6; William Jennings, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6; John Carroll, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6; Daniel Sweeney, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; Dennis O'Connell, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; Michael Dolan, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; James Lee, coal passer, 1 day, \$4.67.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, December 27:

Main Department.

Walter Shea, laundryman, 10½ hours, \$7.88; A. Imbrato, J. Lorden, 10½ hours, \$6.35 each; J. Scaduto, laundryman, 10½ hours, \$5.47; F. Polasek, laundryman, 10½ hours, \$5.04; A. Howard, laundryman, 10½ hours, \$4.62; P. Connors, laundryman, 10½ hours, \$4.41; M. Saunders, gauze sorter, 6½ hours, \$2.84; J. Kelley, porter, 10½ hours, \$3.06; L. Lindlof, porter, 6½ hours, \$1.97; L. Micznikoski, porter, 10½ hours, \$3.06; M. Lifuinski, porter, 9½ hours, \$2.84; M. Davis, laundry assistant, 7½ hours, \$2.81; M. Keating, laundry assistant, 7½ hours, \$2.59; C. Stepien, laundress, ¾ hour, \$0.23; C. Barry, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.59; A. Taura, laundress, ¾ hour, \$0.23; A. Cederstrom, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; G. Baker, L. Brickley, M. Cotter, A. Cushman, laundresses, 7½ hours, \$2.19 each; C. Desmond, M. Devlin, laundresses, 5½ hours, \$1.53 each; M. Falvey, C. Farren, laundresses, 7½ hours, \$2.19 each; M. Farrell, A. Fetter, laundresses, ¾ hour, \$0.22 each; E. Fieberg, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; M. Gannon, laundress, 7½ hours, \$2.19; M. Ham, laundress, 4½ hours, \$1.31; C. Harkins, L. Kaphs, laundresses, 5½ hours, \$1.53 each; M. Keegan, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; Mary Keegan, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; N. Keegan, S. Koldys, laundresses, 7½ hours, \$2.19 each; M. Langey, laundress, 4½ hours, \$1.31; M. Medane, A. Miller,

laundresses, 5½ hours, \$1.53 each; L. Murphy, laundress, ¾ hour, \$0.22; M. Schwolman, laundress, 7½ hours, \$2.19; H. Reardon, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; L. Schwolman, A. Sienkiewicz, B. Sparrow, A. Stanulys, N. Tapert, laundresses, 7½ hours, \$2.19 each; M. Wall, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; M. Witte, 7½ hours, \$2.19; K. Zilyte, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; V. Ziemba, laundress, 7½ hours, \$2.19; A. Lynch, cleaner, ¾ hour, \$0.18; E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 7½ hours, \$6.25; H. F. Brown, N. MacPherson, R. W. Jaeger, J. Deery, M. F. Crosson, T. J. McNally, ambulance drivers, 8 hours, \$6.67 each; M. Kelly, D. Bransfield, J. McDonough, R. S. Johnson, Ed. Darcy, H. O'Donnell, J. Norton, firemen, 8 hours, \$5.50 each; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 6 hours, \$2; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 14 hours, \$4.08; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 8 hours, \$5.04; J. McKenzie, jobber, 2 days, \$4.58; G. Roach, ambulance driver, 20½ hours, \$11.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; W. Sommerville, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$6.75; F. Woodward, elevator woman, 16 hours, \$3.68.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

R. Keith, laundryman, ¾ hours, \$0.45; A. McGonagle, laundress, 7½ hours, \$2.19; T. McKenna, laundress, ¾ hour, \$0.22; E. Gardiner, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; W. Nolan, porter and tending furnace, 20 hours, \$11.25; P. Joyce, porter and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50; J. Corcoran, porter and tending furnace, 20 hours, \$11.25.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Harkins, J. Keohane, laundresses, 7½ hours, \$2.19 each; N. McKenzie, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; M. Kane, F. Ruggiero, M. Fitzgerald, porters and tending furnace, 20 hours, \$11.25 each. Total, \$336.71.

For the week ending Thursday, January 3, 1924:

Main Department.

H. J. Brown, N. MacPherson, R. W. Jaeger, J. Deery, M. F. Crosson, T. J. McNally, assistant engineers, 8 hours, \$6.67 each; E. Darcy, J. McDonough, H. O'Donnell, J. Norton, D. Bransfield, V. Pepe, firemen, 8 hours, \$5.50 each; J. French, coal passer, 8 hours, \$4.67; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 12 hours, \$7.56; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 8 hours, \$5.04; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 8 hours, \$2.67; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$3.50; J. McKenzie, jobber, 2 days, \$4.58; G. Roach, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 28½ hours, \$16.63.

South Department.

M. Sinclair, head laundress, 3¾ hours, \$1.41; M. Rattray, J. Sullivan, M. Dwyer, C. Hughes, M. Zuskwiss, K. Harkins, O. Olsen, A. Brett, A. McDonough, laundresses, 3¾ hours, \$1.09 each.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

J. Corcoran, porter and tending furnace, 32 hours, \$18; W. Nolan, porter and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50; P. Joyce, porter and tending furnace, 20 hours, \$11.25.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Kane, M. Fitzgerald, porter and tending furnace, 20 hours, \$11.25 each; F. Ruggiero, porter and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50.

Total, \$192.17.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending, Thursday, December 27:

House of Correction.

Substitute Work.—Neil Grant and Bernard Feeney, firemen, 1½ days, \$8.25 each. Total, \$16.50.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Emergency Work.—Joseph Cox and John Melley, engineers, 1½ days, \$9 each. Total, \$18.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, December 27:

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

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Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

Aquarium Building.

Patrick J. Gorman, chief engineer, 1 day, \$6.50; John Finn, Thomas J. Lynch, Patrick McCann, Patrick J. McDermott, engineers, 1 day, \$5.83 each; Thomas F. Lomasney, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50. Total, \$35.32.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, December 27:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Austin Kelly and Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph T. Harrington, Peter Kean and Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Fairview Cemetery.

Russell L. Grant, Thomas Kilduff, James Kingston, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, December 27:

F. C. Twitchell, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; J. Conlon, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; J. Campbell, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; N. McSheffrey, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; T. J. Swift, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, December 25:

Assistant Drawtenders.—P. J. McGonagle, J. J. Skaphan, J. Cosgrove, W. L. Waterman, 1 day, \$4.11 each. Total, \$16.44.

For the week ending Monday, December 31:

Assistant Drawtenders.—P. J. McGonagle, E. W. Francis, D. J. Manning, F. E. Kaveney, P. J. Crowley, E. F. Cotter, 1 day, \$4.11 each; D. J. Flynn, W. F. Hanlon, T. F. Reilly, T. McGovern, J. J. Powers, 2 days, \$8.22 each.

Machinist.—P. F. Murphy, 2½ days, \$13.75.

Watchmen.—E. F. Sullivan, J. Clabby, 1 day, \$4 each; J. McManus, 3 days, \$12.

Total, \$99.51.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 24:

Deckhand.—John J. Pugh, 1 day, \$4.25.

For the week ending Monday, December 31:

Captains.—Andrew A. Greer, William J. Ivers, Edward R. Gray, Richard L. Searle, Adin C. Small, 1 day, \$7.67 each.

Quartermasters.—Joseph B. Nealon, Patrick F. Kirley, Charles Stafford, Henry J. Scaife, Edward C. Crouse, 1 day, \$5.43 each.

Deckhands.—Peter Milano, John J. Driscoll, John J. Pugh, William Lamie, John J. Cooper, James H. Dirscoll, George M. Nagle, Henry J. Ferguson, Rufus W. Scott, 1 day, \$4.25 each; John Sweeney, 2½ days, \$10.63.

Laborers.—Alfred N. Wesberg, Edward J. Wilkie, Jeremiah Donahue, John J. Forrest, Edward J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Tollmen.—William G. Greenall, William J. Timmins, Henry H. McCarthy, John D. Mahoney, Thomas F. Lynch, Frederick L. Heffron, Lendall P. Rollins, 1 day, \$5.12½ each.

Gatemen.—William C. McMullen, John E. Nagle, Joseph A. Browne, John R. Duggan, Jeremiah McCarthy, James E. Green, James A. Quinn, Walter H. Noyes, Walter L. Brown, Edward L. Bonner, 1 day, \$4.80 each; Christopher T. Leonard, 3 days, \$14.40.

Engineers.—Michael J. Kennedy, John J. Reardon, John H. Sullivan, John T. Quinn, George F. Keating, 1 day, \$7.50 each.

Firemen.—John A. Harrison Michael D. Hurley, James Porter, Timothy F. Tierney, Henry W. McCusker, Henry T. McConnell, Owen Moore, John Gannon, Christobal Fradau, Charles Doherty, Nathan McConnell, George B. Roddy, Simon Collins, August J. Sommers, John P. Vallen, Theodore P. Panapoulos, James Gallagher, Dennis Hannigan, James H. Carlin, John Kelly, Morgan J. Sullivan, James Kelly, Thomas Murphy, William Lally, Frank Keenan, Joseph E. Brown, Dennis T. Horgan, Philip F. Gallagher, James P. Connors, James Reilly, Jeremiah J. McCarthy, Francis M. Donahue, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Total, \$446.19.

Net cost for the week ending Monday, December 31, \$432.34.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 31:

Laborers.—Elmer Kendall, James E. Flynn, William Hurley, Richard Howard, Timothy Donovan, Michael Sweeney, Dennis Donovan, Daniel McCormack, Patrick Dolan, George McCormack, Frank Haley, Daniel Higgins, John Devlin, Charles Bleiler, George Currie, John Doherty, William Doyle, Michael Caine, Arthur Connor, Andrew Foley, William Graham, John Dacey, Patrick Flaherty, Henry Minard, Garrett Sullivan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Stablemen.—Vincent Fallon, 2 days, \$8; Maurice Fitzgerald, Alexander McCarthy, John J. Carroll, Michael Doyle, Charles Jacobs, John Ring, James Fitzgerald, Martin Norton, John Cronin, Thomas Conboy, Thomas Clark, Michael Barry, William Corrigan, Bartholomew Dunn, 1 day, \$4 each.

Watchmen.—Timothy Callahan, James Noonan, Thomas O'Keefe, 1 day, \$4 each.

Carpenter's Helper.—John T. Kelly, 1 day, \$4.

Yardmen.—Charles Hennrikus, Daniel Crowley, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—Thomas Walsh, Charles Devine, 1 day, \$4 each.

Cement Finishers.—Cornelius O'Connor, Nicangelo Farella, ½ day, \$4.12 each.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 24:

Teamsters.—P. H. Sexton, P. F. McCormick, K. F. Kenney, R. J. Nugent, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—J. F. O'Brien, F. Ruggiero, ½ day, \$2 each.

Total, \$32.25.

For the week ending Monday, December 31:

Stablemen.—P. A. Eagan, P. Lane, J. J. O'Connor, T. J. Lane, P. Coffey, J. H. Carey, J. Donnelly, O. Kelly, T. J. Berrane, F. J. Downey, 2d, F. Calbag, J. Curran, J. Keyes, W. Knightley, W. Magee, J. McCaffrey, J. O'Halloran, T. J. Shea, J. J. Sullivan, F. W. Annis, C. J. Haley, F. J. Kane, M. Quirk, J. L. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—W. J. McCarthy, J. A. McNutt, J. F. Cosgrove, J. F. Maloney, M. J. Connolly, J. J. Corrigan, W. F. Costello, N. J. Dunn, J. Fahey, P. F. McCormack, J. J. Quigley, J. Wilmouth, J. J. Spillane, J. J. Dwyer, J. F. Cavinaro, F. Cunningham, R. J. Hughes, L. W. Lawler, L. Powers, M. F. McGrath, M. Shaller, 1 day, \$4 each.

Wharfinger.—G. A. Ham, 1 day, \$4.

Watchmen.—W. F. Ryan, P. J. Downey, 1st, J. Moore, J. Fay, M. J. Gately, J. Manning, T. Riley, P. J. Griffin, 1 day, \$4 each.

Stablemen.—D. F. O'Brien, J. Canney, T. J. Lewis, 2 days, \$8 each.

Laborers.—E. Collins, A. R. Gaffey, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeders.—J. E. Burns, J. Gallagher, W. F. Shaughnessey, W. Cassell, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Blacksmith.—M. F. Sullivan, 1 day, \$5 each.

Blacksmith's Assistant.—P. J. Brickley, C. J. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 2 days, \$8.50.

Teamsters.—M. J. Coakley, J. J. Dowdall, J. J. Landrigan, L. A. Medus, G. W. McGuinness, 1½ days, \$4 each.

Wharfmen.—J. L. Burke, J. F. Fay, John Fleming, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—J. J. Fleming, 2 days, \$8.

Total, \$339.50.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 24:

Sewer Cleaners.—Richard Connolly, Daniel Coleman, 1½ days, \$5.63 each; Stephen Manning, Jeremiah O'Brien, Michael Neary, ½ day, \$2.81 each; James Clancy, Michael Foley, James McNabb, ½ day, \$2.25 each.

Laborers.—Edward Flaherty, Patrick McDonough, 1½ days, \$6 each; James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4; Dennis Collins, ¾ day, \$3.

Mason.—James Duffy, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Total, \$53.44.

For the week ending Monday, December 31:

Sewer Cleaners.—James Clancy, Michael Foley, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Stephen Manning, Jeremiah O'Brien, Michael Neary, ¾ day, \$3.38 each; Thomas Byrne, ¾ day, \$3.19; Frank Graham, ½ day, \$2.13.

Laborers, Watchmen.—Patrick McDonough, 2½ days, \$10; James McCarthy, 2 days, \$8; Timothy Kennedy, 1½ days, \$6; Patrick Barry, John English, John O'Neil, John Connor, Thomas Coughlin, Andrew Flaherty, Edward Flaherty, James McNabb, John Keenan, Antonio Arrachiello, Joseph Clougherty, Robert Sullivan, Patrick Egan, John Delaney, Bernard Brady, John Keelan, Edward Francis, John Henshon, Patrick Lombard, James Schofield, Timothy Driscoll, John Crowley, Thomas Kelly, 1 day, \$4 each; Benjamin Gorman, ¾ day, \$3; William Ryan, ½ day, \$2.

Steam Engineer.—Michael Duffy, 1 day, \$5.

Assistant Engineers.—John Mahoney, 1 day, \$6.08; Thomas Maher, John McCarthy, 1 day, \$6.67 each.

Oilers, Firemen, Filth Hoist and Gatemen.—Timothy Scully, Thomas McLaughlin, Michael Rielly, Andrew Callan, Martin Mullen, John Powell, Philip Lamb, John Jordan, Joseph Sullivan, Joseph Doherty, Joseph Quilty, Patrick Powell, John McGowan, Patrick Curley, John Doherty, John Francis, James Fitzgerald, John Hennessey, Christopher Kenney, William Mullin, Patrick Thornton, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Machinists.—Michael Hughes, Thomas McDermott, ½ day, \$2.75 each.

Total, \$290.88.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 24:

Teamsters.—R. Coughlin, J. J. McHugh, M. Cashman, M. Cardello, P. Costello, E. J. Kelley, R. Marsey, T. J. Maston, W. F. Gillen, P. F. McGinley, M. H. Walsh, H. Riley, M. T. Clougherty, J. Donahoe, M. Bourdon, H. H. Gordon, T. J. Kilroy, J. A. White, J. F. Brown, D. J. Callahan, G. Cappozza, L. Davis, J. Dolan, W. P. Donnelly, J. Driscoll, T. J. Flanagan, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each. Total, \$112.

For the week ending Monday, December 31:

Chaufeurs.—T. F. McDonald, 1½ days, \$9.38; W. G. Earley, 2½ days, \$11.81; M. J. Giovenella, J. A. McCabe, T. J. Murphy, 1½ days, \$7.31 each.

Teamsters.—R. Jennings, 2½ days, \$10.50; J. Wark, 2½ days, \$10; C. Sullivan, J. F. Brown, E. F. Brickley, J. Considine, J. J. Daley, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, 2 days, \$8 each; M. Cashman, P. Costello, D. Minnehan, 1½ days, \$6 each; M. J. Hurley, J. McGrath, J. Dahill, P. Scanlon, M. J. O'Connell, T. Ormand, J. O'Donnell, G. McColgan, W. O'Brien, D. Powers, R. J. Leonard, C. McGonagle, P. McManus, J. De Coursey, P. Mullen, T. Downey, M. S. Healey, G. Keegan, W. Batts, W. Dwyer, W. Gorman, W. Hartnett, M. McCormack, J. McHugh, J. Monahan, J. Whelton, G. Riley, J. Holland, N. Cesso, E. J. Kelly, M. J. Lyons, T. J. Maston, F. Corvino, M. T. Clougherty, G. Galuccio, T. Iverson, E. F. Riley, M. Donlin, J. Donahue, P. Moran, P. Canny,

C. Hart, H. J. McCarron, M. H. Gordon, H. A. Bourdon, J. A. Doherty, J. J. Clancy, N. Albano, D. F. Callahan, L. Davis, D. Donovan, P. Dunn, M. Fallon, M. Finn, T. J. Flanagan, J. A. Hartigan, P. Hogan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeders.—J. J. Shea, P. Sweeney, L. McGahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Total, \$378.37.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 24:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; F. Bonang, 2½ days, \$9.84; R. Fitzgerald, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Emergency men.—W. Lonergan, 1 day, \$4; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Repairers.—J. Moran, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Dolan, ½ day, \$2.53; M. Hogarty, M. O'Fay, ½ day, \$1.27 each; C. Driscoll, 1½ days, \$6.72; E. Hasenfus, ½ day, \$1.41; P. Casey, ½ day, \$0.94; D. Kirby, 2 days, \$9; R. Kelley, ½ day, \$2.39; G. Cunningham, ½ day, \$1.13; T. O'Brien, ½ day, \$1.59; F. Petrocelli, ½ day, \$2.39; F. Ware, 1½ days, \$5.71; P. Coleman, 1½ days, \$6.38; W. Shields, ½ day, \$1.27; M. Rizzo, ½ day, \$3.98; M. Matthews, ½ day, \$4.22; T. Magee, ½ day, \$1.88; C. Kane, ½ day, \$1.59; J. McLean, ½ day, \$3.19; W. Behan, ½ day, \$1.50; F. Schena, ½ day, \$3.56.

Laborers.—P. Clougherty, H. McCauley, P. Mulkern, W. Rice, J. McCaffrey, S. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4 each; J. Burns, ½ day, \$2.25; A. LoPilato, ½ day, \$2.79; G. Waters, ½ day, \$1.13; B. McManus, ½ day, \$1.50; J. O'Brien, ½ day, \$1.50; G. Cataldo, ½ day, \$1.50.

Transit Job.—J. Cummings, 4½ days, \$21.25; M. Matthews, J. Gallagher, T. Rose, 4½ days, \$19.13 each; M. Rizzo, 4½ days, \$18.06; G. Cataldo, N. DeEso, P. Green, J. Fenton, J. McLaughlin, W. Corbett, 4½ days, \$17 each.

Total, \$351.88; paid by Transit Department, \$206.70; net total, \$145.18.

For the week ending Monday, December 31:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 2 days, \$9 each.

Emergency men.—J. Doherty, D. Curley, 1 day, \$5 each; M. Donohue, 1 day, \$4.50; W. Lonergan, 2 days, \$8; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 2 days, \$8.50 each; A. Christie, 1 day, \$4.25; R. Curcio, W. Fitzimmons, J. Kelley, J. Mahan, M. McCue, 1 day, \$4 each.

Repairers.—J. Moran, 1 day, \$5; A. Iula, ½ day, \$0.80; E. Rafferty, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Leonard, 1 day, \$4.50; D. Burke, ½ day, \$3.75; P. O'Hare, ½ day, \$3.56; G. Cozza, ½ day, \$1.69; B. Dello-russo, ½ day, \$1.27; E. Hasenfus, ½ day, \$1.41; J. Ryan, ½ day, \$3.75; P. Casey, 1½ days, \$7.50; R. Kelley, ½ day, \$1.59; L. Morgan, 1½ days, \$7.44; J. McLean, 1½ days, \$8.23; W. Behan, ½ day, \$1.50; M. McGrail, ½ day, \$2.25; F. Auciello, ½ day, \$0.80; M. Adley, ½ day, \$0.84; C. Kane, ½ day, \$0.80; F. Schena, 1½ days, \$8.31; F. Ware, 1 day, \$4.25.

Laborers.—J. McCauley, T. Toolin, J. Cunningham, G. Waters, P. Cassidy, T. Mulrey, T. Donovan, P. Gorman, D. Shea, P. McCarthy, D. Hagerty, E. Kelley, T. Klein, E. Sullivan, D. Murphy, P. McLaughlin, 1 day, \$4 each; L. De Metro, ½ day, \$1.50; J. Burns, 1½ days, \$6; M. Barron, ½ day, \$3; J. H.

Phipps, ½ day, \$1.13; N. McPhee, ½ day, \$0.84; P. Waters, 1½ days, \$6; J. Feeley, ½ day, \$0.75; B. McManus, ½ day, \$1.50; J. O'Brien, ½ day, \$1.50; J. Blessington, 1½ days, \$6.19; M. Matthews, 1½ days, \$6.19; M. Rizzo, ½ day, \$2.66; M. Reilly, P. Conley, P. Walsh, ½ day, \$0.75.

Transit Job.—J. McCaffrey, W. Rice, T. Clougherty, H. McCauley, S. LoPilato, 2 days, \$8 each; J. Cummings, 1½ days, \$7.50; W. Gallagher, ½ day, \$1.50.

Total, \$326; paid by Transit Department, \$25; net total, \$301.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 29, the Mayor approved a contract with Leo Heller, the highest bidder, for old junk in the fire alarm shop. Bids for the material were as follows:

Lead.—Leo Heller, 6½ cents a pound; Boston Junk Company, 6 cents a pound; Samuel Franklin, 5½ cents a pound.

Lead Covered Cable.—Leo Heller, 5½ cents a pound; Boston Junk Company, 5½ cents a pound; Samuel Franklin, 4½ cents a pound.

Insulated Wire.—Leo Heller, 3 cents a pound; Boston Junk Company, 3 cents a pound; Samuel Franklin, 2 cents a pound.

Old Iron.—Leo Heller, 55 cents a hundredweight; Boston Junk Company, 55 cents a hundredweight; Samuel Franklin, 55 cents a hundredweight.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 28 the Mayor approved a contract with George Coleman Company for binding 100,000 spelling books for the School Department of the City of Boston. Bids for the work were as follows:

George Coleman Company, 8½ cents per book; total, \$8,500; Union Book-binding Company, 10 cents per book; total, \$10,000; Blake & Rebhan, 10½ cents per book; total, \$10,500; Stanhope Binding, Inc., 11 cents per book; total, \$11,000.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon December 28 the Mayor approved a contract with John Williams & Co. for laying and relaying water pipes in Richmond road and Randolph road, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened December 26, were as follows:

John Guarino & Co., \$776.50; J. Williams & Co., \$962.50; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$994; M. DeSisto Company, \$1,125; C. Russo, \$1,267.50; Vozzella & Caponi, \$1,325.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 28 the Mayor approved a contract with the Connor Electric Company for installing electric wiring and apparatus in the Trade School for Girls. Bids for the work, opened December 21, were as follows:

Connor Electric Company, \$4,458; Carlisle Electric Company, \$4,480; T. E. McCarthy, \$4,680; Stanton Electric Company, \$4,700.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for supplying meats to the various departments of the city. A communication from Frank P. Rock, of the Supply Department was as follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Attached please find list of bids on meats, received by this department on Friday, December 28, 1923, for furnishing meats to the various institutions of the city.

I respectfully recommend permission be given me to award contract for furnishing these meats to the Mohawk Packing Company, the highest bidders, at prices indicated on the attached sheet.

This department, in the past, has awarded its monthly meat contracts to the low bidders, and there has been difficulty in securing the grade of meat called for in our specifications.

When bids were received for the meat supplies to be furnished during the month of November, 1923, permission was granted by you to award this contract to other than the low bidder, and the city secured meats which have given satisfaction to the institutions supplied by this department.

The prices quoted by the Mohawk Packing Company are more consistent with the prevailing wholesale market prices of today, on the quality of goods purchased by the city than those submitted by any other bidder, and I feel that the best interests of the city will be served if this permission is granted.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Bids for meats, opened December 29, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Two Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—The Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 17 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 15 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 14.5 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Veal.—The Merchants Provision Company, 12.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 14 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 12.5 cents per pound.

Thirty-five Hundred Pounds Hinds.—The Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 18 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 18.75 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Chucks.—The Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 8 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 9 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 10.5 cents per pound.

Thirteen Hundred Pounds Lamb.—The Merchants Provision Company, 23.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound;

Munro-Sexton Company, 22 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 22 cents per pound.

Fifty Pounds Bacon.—The Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16.5 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 16 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 16 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 16 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Hams.—The Merchants Provision Company, 19.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 18 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 19.5 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Fowl.—The Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 30 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 26 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 26 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 30 cents per pound.

Twenty-five Pounds Salt Pork.—The Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 10 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 12 cents per pound.

Total.—The Merchants Provision Company, \$1,574.25; Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,673; William A. Doe Company, \$1,499.20; Munro-Sexton Company, \$1,517.10; Thomas J. Kelly, \$1,617.70.

Institutions Department. Deer Island.

Three Hundred Seventy-five Pounds Frankfurts.—The Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 13 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 12.5 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Stickers.—The Merchants Provision Company, 8.75 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10.5 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 11 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 9 cents per pound.

Nine Hundred Pounds Undercuts.—The Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 17 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 18 cents per pound.

Five Hundred Sixty Pounds Saddle Lamb.—The Merchants Provision Company, 25 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 23 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 26 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 26 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Pounds Fowl.—The Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 30 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 27 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 26 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 30 cents per pound.

Five Hundred Sixty Pounds Short Ribs.—The Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per

pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 16 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 17.5 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Pounds Hinds.—The Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 18 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 18.75 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Pounds Forequarters.—The Merchants Provision Company, 11.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 12 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9.5 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 10 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 11 cents per pound.

Total.—The Merchants Provision Company, \$861.05; Mohawk Packing Company, \$970.55; William A. Doe Company, \$851.75; Munro-Sexton Company, \$898.95; Thomas J. Kelly, \$901.73.

Long Island Hospital.

Three Thousand Pounds Corned Beef Stickers.—The Merchants Provision Company, 8.75 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10.5 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 11 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 9 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Corned Beef Brisket.—The Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 16 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 14 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 14 cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Rib Cuts.—The Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 20 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 20 cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Hams.—The Merchants Provision Company, 19.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 17 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 19.5 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Hinds.—The Merchants Provision Company, 18.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 29 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 19.25 cents per pound.

One Thousand Pounds Fowl.—The Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 25 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 26 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 29 cents per pound.

Twenty-seven Hundred Pounds Lamb.—The Merchants Provision Company, 23.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 22 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 22 cents per pound.

Five Hundred Ten Pounds Lamb Fores.—The Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 15 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 14 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Frankfurts.—The Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 13 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 12.5 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Twenty Pounds Pork Sausage.—The Merchants Provision Company, 29 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 25 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 28 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 25 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 25 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Fifty Pounds Pork Loins.—The Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 17 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 15 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 14.5 cents per pound.

One Hundred Fifty Pounds Bacon.—The Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16.5 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 16 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 16 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 16 cents per pound.

Total.—The Merchants Provision Company, \$2,270.60; Mohawk Packing Company, \$2,390.65; William A. Doe Company, \$2,223; Munro-Sexton Company, \$2,275.50; Thomas J. Kelly, \$2,252.40.

Park Department.

Two Thousand Pounds Chucks.—The Merchants Provision Company, 9.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10.5 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 8.9 cents per pound; Munro-Sexton Company, 8.42 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 11.5 cents per pound.

Total.—The Merchants Provision Company, \$190; Mohawk Packing Company, \$210; William A. Doe Company, \$178; Munro-Sexton Company, \$169; Thomas J. Kelly, \$230.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$245, on contract with the Alco Contracting Company for bituminous macadam pavement in Boardman street, East Boston, on account of shifting edge-stone as directed and hauling second-hand paving blocks from East Boston Paving Yard. Original contract, \$26,543.50; total addition, \$245; contract as standing, \$26,788.50.

An addition, amounting to \$95, on contract with Samuel J. Tomasello for sheet asphalt pavement in Park street, Dorchester, on account of excavating poor material below subgrade where necessary. Original contract, \$17,339.25; total addition, \$95; contract as standing, \$17,434.25.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$35, on contract with M. De Sisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Prospect street and Williams avenue, Hyde Park, on account of furnishing labor due to reconnecting service pipes out-

side trench limits and relocating drain. Original contract, \$3,855; total addition, \$35; contract as standing, \$3,890.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

A. Piotti Company have been allowed for omitting twenty tables, 2 feet by 4 feet, in woodworking shop of the Charles Sumner District School, \$1,056; omitting two tiers of 10-inch by 10-inch gymnasium locker boxes, \$577.50; total deduction, \$1,633.50. Contract price, \$239,708; total additions, \$8,442.78; total deductions, \$16,233.50; amount of contract, \$231,917.28.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Petroleum Heat and Power Company have been granted an extension of thirty days for the completion of the contract for the installation of oil-burning equipment at the quarters of Engine Company 25, Fort Hill square.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The John Bowen Company have been granted a further extension of time of completion of the contract for erection and completion of the Thorndike Memorial Building from December 1, 1923, to February 1, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The Highland Contracting Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying artificial stone sidewalks in Holton street, Sachem street, Hayden street, Schiller street, Woodcliff street, Dacia street, Blakeville street, Bullard street and West Milton street, from December 15, 1923, to July 1, 1924. All the streets under this contract are completed with the exception of Holton street, and this extension is requested for the reason that it is inadvisable to prosecute the work on Holton street any further this winter.

M. DeSisto Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Bismarck street, Floyd street, Verrill street, Dorchester; Ferndale road, Northbourne road, Pheasant street, West Roxbury, and Wade street, Brighton, from January 1, 1924, to February 1, 1924.

John Guarino & Co. have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Corinne road, Brighton; Canaan street and Colorado street, Dorchester, and Wilmot street, West Roxbury, from December 15, 1923, to January 31, 1924.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Joseph A. Singarella has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under contract for laying artificial stone sidewalks in Old road, from Ellington street to Glenway street. Items ordered: Omit the edgestone and gutters on the westerly side, from Glenway street about 180 feet northerly, and substitute edgestone and gutters on the easterly side, from Ellington street to Michigan avenue; prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of substituted work, \$372; estimated cost of omitted work, \$165; estimated increase in cost, \$207.

LIST OF PETITIONS FOR HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.

MONDAY, JANUARY 7.

NAME.	Location.	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Helen E. Finigan.....	104 West Selden street.....	21	Two cars.
Mary L. Kelley.....	37 Goldsmith street.....	22	Two cars.
Maud C. MacDonald.....	140 Church street.....	23	Two cars.
Hugh V. Marston.....	30 Fairmount street.....	21	Two cars.
Nathan Post.....	209 Quincy street.....	17	Two cars.
James Serric.....	41 Morris street.....	2	Two cars.
Jennie M. Whitehead, Sp. Ad.....	9 Griggs place.....	25	Two garages, two cars each.
The John J. Williams Building Association.....	4192 Washington street.....	23	Repair garage.
Alice L. Ryan.....	296 Marginal street.....	2	Group garage, nine units.
Nancy Solomon.....	40 Brinton street.....	15	Group garage, forty units.
Albany Carpet Cleaning Company..	18-24 Penniman road.....	25	500 gallons gasolene.
Emerson Garage.....	420 Third street.....	9	1,000 additional gallons gasolene.
Edward A. Reynolds.....	41 Beech Glen street.....	15	500 gallons gasolene, etc.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

V. Barletta has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in East Cottage street, Humphreys street, Groon street and Norfolk avenue. Items ordered: Remove old brick sewer and boulders from trench and cut out sheeting; furnish and place extra blocking to block up 12-inch water pipe on new concrete sewer. Estimated cost of extra work, \$325.

John McCourt Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying bitulithic pavement in Ashland street, from Hyde Park avenue to Wilmot street. Items

ordered: Remove additional tree and remove tree limbs as directed. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$15.

John McCourt Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying bitulithic pavement in Ashland street, from Hyde Park avenue to Wilmot street. Items ordered: (1) Furnish additional concrete on parapet walls and south wing wall of bridge as directed. Price to be paid, for each cubic yard of additional concrete furnished, the sum of \$11.50. (2) Point joints of old parapet walls as directed. To be paid for by force account. (3) Haul edgestone from storage in lot. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$550.

LOANS DURING YEAR 1922-23.

Total amount borrowed \$8,122,500 or \$2,653,000 more than in 1921-22. Objects and amount for each: Rapid Transit, \$1,662,000 (mostly for East Boston Tunnel alterations); Stuart St. Construction, \$1,600,000; Sewerage Works, \$800,000; Public Latin School, \$750,000; Making of Highways, \$500,000; Chelsea Bridge South, \$450,000; Columbus Park Improvements, \$400,000; City Hospital Improvements, \$300,000; Province St. Building Line, \$250,000; Police Station 2 Building, \$200,000; Beacon St. Bridge, Rebuilding, \$175,000; Cambridge St. Bridge Rebuilding, \$160,000; Thorndike Memorial Building, City Hospital, \$150,000; Municipal Building, old Ward 12, \$143,000; Court House, Forest Hills, \$110,000; Playgrounds, etc., \$345,000; other objects, \$127,500.

Every loan negotiated at 4 per cent rate; premium realized, \$39,727. Outside debt limit, \$3,342,000 (Rapid Transit, Stuart St. construction, etc.); all others, serial loans inside debt limit. [Statistics

RECEIPTS OF THE FISCAL YEAR 1922-23.

Total ordinary and extraordinary (less refunds of \$128,841), \$66,640,914 or \$4,132,879 more than in 1921-22, of which excess \$2,653,000 was due to increased loans. Balance on hand from previous year, i. e., cash not appropriated, \$2,294-

030. Total available for expenditure, \$68,934,944. Net general income (including school revenue, \$437,903), \$52,172,608 of which \$42,356,046 was from property and poll taxes (including City bank tax, \$433,128); \$3,244,867 from income tax (from State) and \$2,881,414 (less by \$2,104,107 than in 1921) corporation and other taxes from State, street railways, etc., or \$48,482,328 total net tax receipts, which exceeds 1921 total by \$357,607; repayment by Boston Elevated of assessment in part, \$372,035; miscellaneous income of departments, etc., \$3,318,246. Total income of Water Service, \$3,775,948; other income credited to appropriations (including \$386,688 to Printing Dept.) \$523,456; Parkman Fund income transferred to Park Dept. for special appropriations, \$211,330.

Total ordinary income, \$56,683,342 or \$1,368,766 more than in 1921-22.

Net general income (\$52,172,608) plus unexpended appropriations, etc. (\$748,405) amounted to \$52,921,013 or \$625,724 short of total estimated income, including school revenue.

At close of year, there were accounts receivable, or uncollected taxes of 1922 and prior years, amounting to \$7,068,753.

Extraordinary receipts: From loans \$8,122,500; Rapid Transit revenue, \$1,703,937; miscellaneous, \$131,135. Total, \$9,957,572. Balance of unexpended appropriations from preceding year, \$3,085,041. Total available for extraordinary purposes, \$13,042,613. [Statistics Dept's revision.]

1923 WAS BANNER YEAR FOR CONSTRUCTION WORK IN BOSTON.

APPLICATIONS FILED WITH THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT REACHED TOTAL OF \$40,675,558 WITH MUCH OF THIS FOR DWELLING PLACES. HOUSING SITUATION EASING. CITY FORTUNATE TO HAVE HAD LABOR DISPUTE SETTLED BY MAYOR CURLEY.

Building construction of all kinds, in the City of Boston for the year 1923 amounted to \$40,675,558, according to figures compiled by the Building Department from the list of applications filed with them.

First-class construction work amounted to \$14,240,470; second-class to \$9,369,170; third class to \$7,383,447; special to \$138,941; and alterations to \$9,543,530. Of this amount the new work amounted to \$31,132,208.

Of the construction work for which applications were filed 228 were for either new or alterations to 228 apartment houses; 114 apartment houses and stores; 34 churches; 4,813 dwellings and 261 dwellings and stores. There were applications for 1,751 garages of various sizes at a total cost of \$2,929,479. The dwelling construction work amounted to \$9,068,512.

Applications were received for the erection of 60 lodging houses or lodging houses and stores. There were 130 new mercantile buildings erected or applied for and alterations to 688; 29 new mercantile buildings and alterations to 169; 24 new office buildings and alterations to 169.

The notable feature of the year's work in construction was the amount of dwelling house or apartment construction work done, showing that the housing problem has been or is on a fair way to solution and that the year 1924 holds out great hope for the family man that rents will drop and houses will be plentiful.

The building program for the year just begun, according to construction authorities, also indicates that 1924 will have a record that will exceed that of 1923. The citizens of Boston are to be congratulated that Mayor Curley was enabled to settle the dispute between the building trades workers and the employers at the beginning of last spring for the entire city has been benefited both to the extent of relief in the housing situation and the continuance in employment of thousands who would otherwise have been made to suffer for lack of work.

The agreement signed last spring between the employers and the building trades has another year to run which makes cheering news for the resident of the city.

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending December 29, 1923: Population estimated, July, 1923, United States Census Bureau, 770,400.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 183; nonresidents, 27; total, 210.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.21; nonresidents deducted, 12.39.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: Last week, 15.36; corresponding week last year, 17.13.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 24; one year to five years, inclusive, 6; sixty years and over, 81; total deaths, male, 99; female, 111; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 94; deaths of colored, 5.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 29, 1923.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 30, 1922.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	74	2	71	7
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	1	—
Influenza.....	—	1	35	1
Measles.....	57	—	70	2
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	22	11	56	19
Scarlet fever.....	111	2	53	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	16	9	33	13
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	7	1	7	—
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	—	—
Whooping cough.....	13	—	90	3

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR CALLS CONFERENCE TO AVERT TEAMSTERS' STRIKE.

Mayor Curley sent the following letter on January 4 to all master teamsters' and employees' associations in Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I beg to advise that the members of the City Council under date of December 31, 1923, adopted a resolution earnestly requesting that every possible step may be taken to avert a strike upon the part of truck drivers, chauffeurs and teamsters in the City of Boston actively engaged in both teaming and trucking, and of the serious commercial and industrial loss to the City of Boston in the event of a cessation of their important labors.

The resolution of the members of the City Council reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the City Council deplores the possibility of the failure of negotiations between the employers and the truck drivers, chauffeurs and teamsters, which may result in the suspension of a large part of the automobile and horse-drawn trucking in this city, if a strike takes place, and demands that every possible effort be exerted by the two forces to the end that there shall be no interruption in the present conditions as they apply to teaming and trucking, and that the parties to the controversy, both employers and employees, while they are protecting their own interest, do not lose sight of the public interests, which are paramount to the interests of either or both of them; and be it further

"Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be requested, unless he has already done so, to call in both the master teamsters and the employees and use his endeavors toward a settlement of the controversy and the preventing of any strike.

"Adopted.

Attest: W. J. DOYLE,
Assistant City Clerk."

In harmony with the resolution of the members of the City Council I beg to advise that I shall be pleased to confer with both the master teamsters and their employees at the Mayor's office, City Hall, upon Saturday, January 5, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

BOSTON GETS \$5,000 FROM MAINE MAN'S WILL.

Mayor Curley received the following communication January 3 from Governor Baxter of Maine:

DEAR MAYOR CURLEY,—I remember with pleasure my recent call upon you and extend to you and those associated with you my best wishes for the coming year.

Inclosed I hand you a check for \$5,000 payable to the "City of Boston, trustee under will of James Phinney Baxter, late of Portland, Me." This check is Boston's acceptance of the provisions of the terms of the late Mr. Baxter's will, and I shall appreciate your courtesy if you will send me proper receipt so that I can file it with my papers as trustee of the estate.

Believe me,

Faithfully yours,

PERCIVAL P. BAXTER,
Governor of Maine.

BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT REORGANIZED ON TWO-PLATOON SYSTEM FEBRUARY 1.

PROMOTION AND INCLUSION OF 210 NEW MEN WILL BE ORDERED, TO CONFORM WITH PLAN.

The prospective reorganization of the Boston Fire Department, due to introduction of the two-platoon system, will become operative at 9 o'clock on Friday morning, February 1, and the executive personnel of the department will be changed.

Some of the changes proposed are: Albert J. Caulfield, now district chief of the hotel, theater and high valued district, with headquarters on Mason street; John A. Dolan, with headquarters at Hyde Park, and Frank A. Sweeney of the Back Bay and South End districts, with headquarters on Warren avenue, promoted to the rank of deputy chief.

Captains to be promoted to the rank of district chiefs: Michael Teehan, Engine 24; Charles H. Long, Engine 31; John J. Kelley, Ladder 12; Thomas F. Downey, Engine 22; Philip A. Tague, Engine 50; Victor H. Richer, Engine 43; Dennis Driscoll, Engine 37; William Quigley, Engine 42; Henry Krake, Engine 7; James W. Mahoney, Engine 38-39; John F. Watson, Ladder 17; Edward McDonough, Engine 6; Hamilton A. McCaly, Ladder 8; Patrick J. Kelley, Engine 23; James J. Ryan, Ladder 18; Thomas N. Muldoon, Engine 46; Thomas E. Conroy, Engine 13, and Thomas H. Androli, Engine 34.

Lieutenants slated to put on the two trumpets of a captain: Michael Sullivan, Engine 8; Charles Thompson, Ladder 7; Joseph Shea, Rescue 1; John Loughlin, Engine 10; Edward J. Locke, Engines 26-35; Timothy Donovan, Ladder 17; George Darragh, Engine 11; William Sheppard, Engine 29; Thomas Roache, Engine 50; John Leary, Ladder 12; James H. Stout, Engine 1; John McDonough, Engines 26-35; Samuel Dwight, Engine 48; Anthony Burns, Engine 19; Patrick Ryan, Ladder 24; M. F. Connolly, Ladder 5; William Drinan, Engine 52, and John F. Donovan, Ladder 16.

One trumpet and white shirts will be worn by the following privates, advanced to the rank of lieutenant: Daniel Martell, Rescue 1; Carl F. Bode, Ladder 30; Edward McNamara, Engine 48; John J. Glynn, Engine 3; Roger T. White, Ladder 12; John Goode, Ladder 12; Patrick Ryan, Engine 2; Thomas F. Ward, Engine 22; Edward F. McCarthy, Engine 43; Daniel J. Leary, Ladder 18; James J. Harrington, Engine 26-35; William A. S. Hughes, Ladder 30; Edward Montgomery, Rescue 1; David F. Sheehan, Engine 21; John Lawson, Engine 15; William J. Marshall, Ladder 21; Thomas M. Neary, Engine 29; John J. Sheehan, Engine 33, and John F. Lawler, Engine 22.

After conference with Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn and Chief John O. Taber, Mayor Curley made requisition upon the civil service list for the 210 additional men required to augment the department to full two-platoon strength.

Most of the men on this certified list are veterans of the World War. Some of them are now out of employment. All

will gratefully hail the \$1,400 steady jobs which are henceforth to be theirs, carrying, as the Fire Department does, every open chance to rise high from the ranks.

The appended table issued by Chief Taber tells in a nutshell the story of the impending rearrangement, which means so much individually to the personnel of the department:

TWO-PLATOON COST.

It will be necessary to add to our present fire-fighting force the following officers and privates:

3 deputy chiefs	at \$4,000 per year....	\$12,000
15 district chiefs	at 3,500 per year....	52,500
7 captains	at 2,500 per year....	17,500
8 lieutenants	at 2,300 per year....	18,400
177 privates	at 1,400 per year....	247,800

210		\$348,200
Less difference of 33 men between \$1,400 and \$1,800.....		13,200

Total cost additional the first year, exclusive of uniform equipment.....	\$335,000
Equipping 210 men with overcoat, blouse, trousers, fire coat, cap, fire hat and devices, at \$69.75 per man....	14,647

Total additional outlay the first year....\$349,647

PRESENT FORCE.

1,055 privates, engineers and assistant engineers.	
1 chief of department.	
4 deputy chiefs.	
16 district chiefs.	
67 captains.	
100 lieutenants.	

1,243 Present total1,243

FORCE WITH TWO-PLATOON SYSTEM.

1,232 privates, engineers and assistant engineers.	
1 chief of department.	
7 deputy chiefs.	
31 district chiefs.	
74 captains.	
108 lieutenants.	

1,453 Two-platoon total1,453

TWO-PLATOON SYSTEM IN FORCE.

Additional men required.....	210
Total number under two-platoon system.....	1,453
Number of privates, engineers, etc.....	1,232
Number of officers.....	221
	1,453

NEW BUILDING FOR SCHOOL STREET.

Plans are being drawn for a \$1,000,000 office building on School street, to occupy the site of the several old buildings between Province street and Chapman place and stretching back more than 100 feet, according to announcement made to Mayor Curley, Thursday, January 3. The project is in the hands of the School Street Trust, which owns the property.

The plans, as outlined before Mayor Curley, are seriously disturbed by a weakness in the present height-of-building law. This law would imply that the only thing to consider in the erection of a building is that of two streets on which it was to be erected. In the present case there are three streets to consider, and therefore the point must be settled, before operations may begin, how far the present law is applicable.

Commissioner Mahony of the Building Department, who was in conference with Mayor Curley, Corporation Counsel Sullivan and the promoters of the suggested building, declared that the question would be placed before the Board of Appeal. If that body does not care to pass on the matter it must be presented to the Legislature.

The present plans call for a building of twelve stories and of a height of 125 feet.

Mayor Curley expressed confidence that there would be no difficulty in smoothing out the tangle.

The lot on which this building would be erected comprises 6,193 square feet. It has a frontage of 84 feet on School street, 102 feet on Chapman place and 57 feet on Province street.

BUILDING TRADES BACK MAYOR IN PLAN TO GET FORD PLANT HERE.

Mayor Curley received the following communication Wednesday, January 2, from the Secretary of the United Building Trades Council, E. A. Johnson:

DEAR MR. MAYOR,—The inclosed resolution was adopted by vote of United Building Trades Council, December 28, 1923.

Yours sincerely,

UNITED BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL,
E. A. JOHNSON, *Secretary*.

UNITED BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL IN MEETING ASSEMBLED.

Whereas, The Mayor of the City of Boston, in an endeavor to further the industrial prestige of the municipality, is negotiating with the Henry Ford interests, for the purpose of having a Ford plant situated in Boston, to be erected at an approximate cost of \$1,500,000 and to employ in operation of the plant some 2,500 workers, and

Whereas, The cities of Philadelphia, Chicago and Minneapolis have been favored with plants similar to one that it is contemplated erecting in Boston, the sites in the aforementioned cities making available the same facilities possessed by the City of Boston and which have been in need of development by industrial betterments, thereby benefiting the community at large, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the United Building Trades Council of Boston and vicinity do indorse the efforts of the Mayor of Boston and do offer their assistance to make possible the establishing of a Ford plant in Boston.

Adopted by unanimous vote.

E. A. JOHNSON, *Secretary*.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Public Works Department for authority to have the Richard T. Green Company take out broken tail shaft on ferryboat "Governor Russell" and replace it with a new one, at a price of \$2,200, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$2,200. This is emergency work, the shaft having broken while the boat was in service, and it should be repaired as soon as possible. The Richard T. Green plant is well equipped and has experienced men in this line of work.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending December 29, 1923.

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Bay State Wrecking Company...	1 and 2 Dexter court (2)...	11	Dwellings.....	Unsafe.
City Building Wrecking Co....	100 and 102 Poplar st. (2)...	23	Dwellings.....	New building.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 27, 1923, TO JANUARY 2, 1924.

DECEMBER 27.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Alexander B. Courtney.....	60 Howard street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$250
James J. Sweeney.....	50 Claymoss road.....	25	New fixtures.....	600
A. Yorks.....	93 Chelsea street.....	2	New fixtures.....	175
Richard P. Slattery Com- pany.	52 Brimmer street.....	8	New fixtures.....	100
John J. Murphy.....	8 Brimmer street.....	8	New fixtures.....	150
John Donlan.....	346 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	600

DECEMBER 28.

William Dustan.....	10 Westland avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	\$50
Joseph P. Vogel & Son.....	645 Tremont street.....	7	New fixtures.....	75
Leo Charles Levy.....	5 Feneno terrace.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
E. J. Fennessey.....	17 and 19 Taber street.....	12	New fixtures.....	15
Arthur L. Mann.....	16 Shawmut street.....	8	New fixtures.....	250
Abraham Shleman.....	27 Howland street.....	16	New fixtures.....	200
B. J. Toomey.....	132 Halleck street.....	14	New fixtures.....	700

DECEMBER 29.

Bruce A. MacDonald.....	20 Harmon street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$550
Pagington Brothers.....	28B Garfield avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	100
Pagington Brothers.....	28C Garfield avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	200
James A. Dickerson.....	101 Kennebec street.....	24	New fixtures.....	550
Walter Westwood.....	7 Vershire street.....	23	New fixtures.....	425
John Y. Gillespie.....	9 Pond View avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,275
Morse Brothers Company.....	11 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
James H. Woods.....	730 Dudley street.....	11	New fixtures.....	500
F. D. Kirby.....	80 Dorchester avenue.....	9	New fixtures.....	3,000
H. L. Scotton Company.....	61 Crescent circuit.....	25	New fixtures.....	800
H. L. Scotton Company.....	65 Crescent circuit.....	25	New fixtures.....	800
Massachusetts Sprinkler, Plumbing and Heating Co.	8 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	43,000
F. B. Woods.....	47 Beaumont street.....	20	New fixtures.....	400

DECEMBER 31.

John Y. Gillespie.....	2 Nevada street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$950
T. J. Clifford.....	2 Hudson street.....	5	New fixtures.....	125
John Y. Gillespie.....	63 Fairmount street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
John Y. Gillespie.....	67 Fairmount street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
S. P. Williams.....	16 Eldredge street.....	23	New fixtures.....	375
John Edgerton.....	775 Centre street.....	22	New fixtures.....	35
John J. Vogel.....	772 Canterbury street.....	24	New fixtures.....	215
Abraham Kellem.....	1030 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	85
John J. Vogel.....	227 Bellevue street.....	23	New fixtures.....	850
Henry T. Moulton.....	410 Washington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	500
Florence D. McCarthy.....	86 Turner street.....	26	New fixtures.....	850
I. W. Crozier.....	55 Dearborn street.....	12	New fixtures.....	850
T. B. McKeagney.....	37 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	500
M. W. Nelligan.....	172 West Ninth street.....	11	New fixtures.....	175

JANUARY 2.

William T. Harney.....	93 Village street.....	6	New fixtures.....	\$450
J. A. Finley.....	1410 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	75
Philip Ligums.....	121 Liverpool street.....	2	New fixtures.....	275
Philip Ligums.....	151 Maverick street.....	2	New fixtures.....	250
Philip Ligums.....	153 Maverick street.....	2	New fixtures.....	250
Massachusetts Sprinkler, Plumbing and Heating Company.	251 Neponset avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	3,000
John C. Kelly.....	24 Pearl street.....	11	New fixtures.....	500
John J. Walters.....	11 Kendall street.....	13	New fixtures.....	60
Capital Plumbing and Heat- ing Company.	238-262 St. Botolph street.....	7	New fixtures.....	1,000
Harry C. Greenlaw.....	653 Shawmut avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	785
Charles E. Baldwin.....	167 Warren avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	50
G. A. Renshaw.....	241 West Newton street.....	7	New fixtures.....	85
Alexander Campbell.....	154 Eustis street.....	12	New fixtures.....	150
Denis Grady.....	14 Oxford street.....	5	New fixtures.....	175

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 447.

The resignation of Patrolman George A. Chalmers of Division 18 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Thursday, December 27, 1923, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 448.

The resignation of Patrolman Frederick G. Higgins of Division 9 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Tuesday, January 1, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock, a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 449.

The commanding officers of the several divisions who have in their divisions, hotels, cafes and restaurants, will carefully observe or cause to be observed the conditions in such hotels, cafes and restaurants, on the night of December 31, New Year's Eve, and especially in regard to the sale or dispensing of intoxicating liquor and in regard to disorders.

Commanding officers will bear in mind the distinctions between the federal and the state law in regard to the sale of intoxicating liquor. They will carefully observe and make detailed report, taking names of witnesses and securing evidence, if possible, as to the occurrence in the hotels, cafes and restaurants in their division, and if sufficient evidence can be obtained of illegal sale of intoxicating liquor, prosecutions for same will be made in court.

If intoxicating liquor is in evidence, they will observe and report as to the manner and by whom the intoxicating liquor is brought to the table and served. They will handle all cases of drunkenness or disorder according to law.

They will particularly observe whether liquor is served or dispensed by the management or any of their servants or agents, reporting the manner of serving or dispensing, and will ascertain whether or not, if the liquor is claimed to be property of the person to whom it is served, a charge is made by the management for the service.

All reports must be specific and in careful detail, and forwarded forthwith to the Superintendent's office.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 450.

During the past three months I have been gratified to learn from various commanding officers of the successful application by members of the force of the Schaefer or prone method of resuscitation.

On October 7 a woman was found in bed at her home on Harrison avenue

in an unconscious condition with gas escaping from a ceiling bracket. She was removed to the Boston City Hospital in the auto patrol of Division 5, and on the way the prone method of resuscitation was applied by Patrolman Fredrick G. Kahler of that division, with the result that she recovered consciousness before arriving at the hospital.

On November 14, Patrolman Ephraim W. Pitman of Division 5 was called into a house on Acton street, where he found a man in bed unconscious, with the gas flowing from a wall bracket. Patrolman John C. Blake, who was present, opened the windows while Patrolman Pitman, after carrying the man to the street and placing him in the patrol wagon, immediately applied the prone method of resuscitation with such success that he was conscious on his arrival at the City Hospital and was discharged next day, fully recovered.

On September 26, a fireman on a steamship lying at the Simpson's Dry Dock fell overboard and was brought ashore unconscious. Although first aid was given him by the clerk of the dock, he was still unconscious on the arrival of the police with the ambulance.

He was taken to the hospital in the ambulance by Patrolmen Daniel K. Eldridge, Wilfred F. Boudreau and Joseph E. Conlan, all of Division 7. While on the way the last two named officers applied the prone method of resuscitation with such excellent results that the man recovered consciousness before arriving at the hospital and the doctor who received him stated that the work of the officers was of great assistance.

On October 4, a fireman on the police steamer "Guardian" fell overboard as he was boarding the steamer to go to work, and was rescued in an unconscious condition by Sergt. Lawrence H. Dunn and Patrolmen Timothy F. Kellard, Aubrey B. Cayting, all of Division 8, and Leslie M. Chubbuck, now of Division 9, with the assistance of James Thornton and Edward H. Valente, firemen attached to the police steamers.

The officers named immediately applied the prone method of resuscitation and endeavored to restore the fireman to consciousness. He was taken to the hospital, at which place he regained consciousness. While on the way in the ambulance, Patrolman Cayting continued the effort of resuscitation.

On November 9, a woman, a young man and two boys were removed in an unconscious condition from a burning dwelling house in Cornwall street, Jamaica Plain, and by the prompt application of the prone method of resuscitation to them by Patrolmen Henry T. Browne, James A. Howes, John J. Kilduff and Charles E. Packard, all of Division 13, and Private John J. Hanley of Engine Company 28, Boston Fire Department, were so far revived as to respond to the treatment given them at the hospital from which place the young man and the boys were shortly discharged as recovered, while the woman was held for further treatment.

On November 29, a young married woman, residing in St. Germain street, was found on the floor of her home in an unconscious condition with gas flowing from two open burners of a gas stove and from a wall bracket. Patrolmen Joseph M. McCue and Cyril V. Considine, both of Division 16, responded with the ambulance and immediately applied the prone method of resusci-

tation, restoring the woman to consciousness before she arrived at the City Hospital, at which place her name was placed upon the dangerous list.

It is a great pleasure to know that the officers herein named, have so evidently profited by the instruction given them by the department in this method of resuscitation, and I warmly commend them for the intelligence and efficiency shown in meeting such emergencies.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 451.

The following transfers are hereby ordered, to take effect Friday, January 4, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.:

Patrolman Leo R. Lombard, from Division 2 to Division 11.

Patrolman George P. Milan, from Division 2 to Division 10.

Patrolman George R. Mitchell, from Division 2 to Division 13.

Patrolman Michael J. Breen, from Division 3 to Division 13.

Patrolman Edward N. Baker, from Division 5 to Division 19.

Patrolman Francis M. Harrington, from Division 5 to Division 20.

Patrolman Bernard P. Keough, from Division 5 to Division 7.

Patrolman William B. F. Lee, from Division 5 to Division 6.

Patrolman David Priestly, from Division 5 to Division 17.

Patrolman Frederick J. Wright, from Division 5 to Division 18.

Patrolman John F. Kelley, from Division 6 to Division 14.

Patrolman Benjamin Goodman, from Division 7 to Division 5.

Patrolman Thomas E. Griffin, from Division 7 to Division 12.

Patrolman Robert Lucy, from Division 7 to Division 15.

Patrolman Robert M. Adams, from Division 9 to Division 6.

Patrolman Edward J. Carroll, from Division 9 to Division 7.

Patrolman James W. Fleming, from Division 9 to Division 16.

Patrolman Bernard F. Wermers, from Division 10 to Division 2.

Patrolman John T. Clifford, Jr., from Division 11 to Division 4.

Patrolman John F. Dolan, from Division 11 to Division 2.

Patrolman Albert R. Elwood, from Division 11 to Division 16.

Patrolman James P. Molloy, from Division 11 to Division 15.

Patrolman Daniel F. Caselden, from Division 12 to Division 2.

Patrolman Carl V. Wedell, from Division 12 to Division 16.

Patrolman Gaetano G. DiGiacomo, from Division 13 to Division 5.

Patrolman Athanasius McGillivray, from Division 13 to Division 7.

Patrolman Roy Clifford, from Division 14 to Division 12.

Patrolman Quentin L. Dever, from Division 14 to Division 15.

Patrolman Roland W. Garrison, from Division 14 to Division 5.

Patrolman Maurice J. McElroy, from Division 14 to Division 9.

Patrolman Richard B. Callahan, from Division 15 to Division 18.

Patrolman Leo G. Costello, from Division 15 to Division 14.

Patrolman Herbert B. Dwyer, from Division 15 to Division 2.

Patrolman Jeremiah Pitts, from Division 15 to Division 19.

Patrolman John P. Scannell, from Division 15 to Division 16.

Patrolman Charles L. Dunaford, from Division 16 to Division 9.

Patrolman Ina P. Peterson, from Division 16 to Division 6.

Patrolman Francis R. Sullivan, from Division 16 to Division 5.

Patrolman Lawrence J. Higgins, from Division 17 to Division 4.

Patrolman John Laidlaw, Jr., from Division 17 to Division 5.

Patrolman Walter P. Murphy, from Division 17 to Division 4.

Patrolman John E. Striplin, from Division 17 to Division 3.

Patrolman Phillip J. Aschoff, from Division 19 to Division 2.

Patrolman Daniel B. Spear, from Division 19 to Division 16.

Patrolman Louis R. Murray, from Division 20 to Division 5.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 452.

The following promotion is hereby ordered, to take effect Friday, January 4, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock, a. m.:

To the grade of captain: Lieut. James Laffey, Division 21, assigned to Division 21.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

TRANSFERS IN APPROPRIATIONS.

City Auditor Rupert S. Carven announces the following transfers in appropriations in departments of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk, indorsed by Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox and approved by his Honor the Mayor:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 27, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—We respectfully ask for the transfer of \$118 within our appropriation from the following items:

From A-1, Permanent Employees, 2 Clerks at \$1,500-\$1,600, \$21.50, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$21.50.

From B-28, Expert and Architect, \$96.50, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$96.50.

Total, \$118.

The amount required for A-2, Temporary Employees, is for assistance in connection with copying real estate valuations.

Respectfully,

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

by JOSEPH G. O'MALLEY,
Secretary.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 28, 1923.

BOSTON CONSERVATION BUREAU.

BOSTON, December 24, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR,—Will you kindly authorize the transfer of \$35 to B-2 from

B-37 to cover a bill for postage incurred in November, 1922, and for which the City Printing Department has only now sent us a bill?

Yours very truly,

M. DOUGLAS FLATTERY,
Chairman.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 26, 1923.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 28, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request the following transfers within the appropriation for the Collecting Department, Water Division, to provide for five (5) clerks at \$1,000 per annum:

From A-1, 2 Clerks at \$1,400, \$123.30, to A-1, 3 (8) Clerks at \$1,000, \$123.30.

Very truly yours,

WM. M. McMORROW,
City Collector.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 28, 1923.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 26, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—In order to provide funds to care for increases in salaries as named below, the following transfers in the budget item of this department are requested:

From the appropriation for Chief Assistant Registrar, 1 at \$2,200, \$211.04; Assistant Registrars, 19 at \$1,800, \$19.11, to the appropriation for Chief Assistant Registrar, 1 at \$2,200 to \$2,400, \$230.15.

From Executive Assistant Registrar, 1 at \$2,200, \$211.04; Assistant Registrars, 19 at \$1,800, \$19.11, to Executive Clerk and Assistant Registrar, 1 at \$2,200 to \$2,400, \$230.15.

From Deputy Chief Assistant Registrar, 1 at \$1,800, \$172.63; Assistant Registrars, 19 at \$1,800, \$19.20, to Deputy Chief Assistant Registrar, 1 at \$1,800 to \$2,000, \$191.83.

Respectfully,

BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS,
M. W. BURLIN,
Chairman.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 26, 1923.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 27, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—On behalf of the Trustees of the Boston City Hospital I hereby request the following transfers:

From A-1, Permanent Employees, 1 Physician at \$77.77 a week, \$544.39, to A-1, Permanent Employees, 9 Hospital Employees, at \$28 a week, \$126; A-1, Class D, 318 Hospital Employees, not exceeding \$12 a week, \$418.39—\$544.39.

From A-1, 1 Physician at \$106.94 a week, \$0.01; A-1, 6 Physicians at \$68.05 a week, \$304.05—\$304.06, to A-1, Class D, 318 Hospital Employees, not exceeding \$12 a week, \$304.06.

From A-1, 6 Physicians at \$68.05 a week, \$172.30; A-1, 4 Physicians at \$48.61

a week, \$502.70—\$675, to A-1, 50 Head Nurses at \$75-\$80 a month, \$675.

From A-1, 4 Physicians at \$48.61 a week, \$177.84; A-1, 4 Physicians at \$38.89 a week, \$447.16—\$625, to A-1, 190 Undergraduate Nurses at \$8.33-\$16.67 a month, \$625.

From A-1, 4 Physicians at \$38.89 a week, \$97.30; 6 Physicians at \$29.17 a week, \$137.53; 3 Physicians at \$23.33 a week, \$56.66; 3 Physicians at \$19.44 a week, \$77.76; 4 Physicians at \$9.72 a week, \$69.23; 2 Clerks at \$25 a week, \$35.27; 2 Clerks at \$23.33 a week, \$163.31; 3 Clerks at \$21-\$22 a week, \$11; 1 Clerk at \$20-\$22 a week, \$58.67; 3 Clerks at \$20-\$21, \$3.50; 4 Clerks at \$19-\$20, \$112; 2 Clerks at \$16-\$16 a week, \$84; 6 Clerks at \$14-\$15 a week, \$6; 3 Clerks at \$14 a week, \$2.33; 7 Technicians at \$25 a week, \$357; 3 Technicians at \$20 a week, \$210; 3 Technicians at \$19-\$20 a week, \$139.99; 3 Technicians at \$14-\$15 a week, \$16.50; 1 Hospital Employee at \$47.51 a week, \$0.01; 1 Hospital Employee at \$46.27-\$48.27 a week, \$1.10; 1 Hospital Employee at \$35-\$40 a week, \$0.01; 4 Hospital Employees at \$14 a week, \$32.67; 16 Hospital Employees at \$27 a week, \$193.50; 8 Hospital Employees at \$25-\$27 a week, \$198; 3 Hospital Employees at \$25 a week, \$25; 1 Hospital Employee at \$22 a week, \$28.29; 1 Hospital Employee at \$19.83-\$26.25 a week, \$0.01; 2 Hospital Employees at \$19.83-\$22 a week, \$132; 1 Hospital Employee at \$19.83-\$21.83 a week, \$0.01; 16 Carpenters, Painters, Plumbers at \$5 a day, \$120.50; 8 Social Service Assistants at \$21.39-\$23.33 a week, \$0.46; 1 Social Service Assistant at \$19.44 a week, \$0.39—\$2,370, to A-3, Unassigned, \$2,370.

From D-16, General Plant, \$70, to B-2, Postage, \$70.

Transfer is requested from accumulated slack to provide for deficiency of appropriation under certain classes of employees, particularly those unassigned, due in large measure to required expenditure for overtime and for outside room rent due to reconstruction of Out-Patient Building.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH P. MANNING,
President, Board of Trustees.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 29, 1923.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Division).

BOSTON, December 26, 1923.

To the Honorable the Mayor of Boston:

Approval is respectfully requested for the following transfer in the appropriation for the Water Division:

From the appropriation for A-1, 1 Foreman at \$5, \$900, to the appropriation for F-2, Damages, \$900.

From A-1, 2 Inspectors at \$1,400, \$1,000, to F-2, Damages, \$1,000.

From A-1, 27 Mechanics at \$4.50 a day, \$1,000, to F-2, Damages, \$1,000.

From A-1, 9 Meter Readers at \$1,400-\$1,500, \$1,000, to F-2, Damages, \$1,000.

From A-1, 6 Yardmen at \$1,300-\$1,400, \$1,300, to F-2, Damages, \$1,300.

Very respectfully,

C. J. CARVEN,
Division Engineer.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 26, 1923.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 27, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to make the following transfers:

From the appropriation for A-1, Stenographer at \$1,200, \$273.24, to the appropriation for A-1, Errand Boy at \$540 and Office Boy at \$740, \$23.24; B-27, Testing Materials, \$250.

From B-2, Postage, \$340; B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$275; D-1, Office Supplies, \$200, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs, \$570; C-4, Motor Vehicle Equipment, \$65; D-11, Motor Vehicle Supplies, \$175; B-13, Communication, \$5.

The transfer of \$23.24 to the appropriation for office boy was made in order to provide for the increase in salary from \$540 to \$740 per year.

The transfer to B-13 is made necessary owing to the fact that telegraphic communication with contractors was more frequent than was anticipated.

The transfer to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs is due to the fact that the Supply Department automobile has been in constant use by this department for over a year without overhauling, and it was found when said overhauling was made that the cost of putting it in proper shape, painting same and supplying new parts would be approximately \$500.

The transfer to B-27, Testing Materials, is made necessary owing to the increased cost of testing oil, used in the oil-burning apparatus recently installed by the city, over the expense of testing coal upon which the estimate for 1923-24 was based.

The transfer to C-4, Motor Vehicle Equipment, is due to the fact that the extremely hard going during the past winter lowered the mileage that was estimated and made necessary the purchase of two extra tires and tubes.

The transfer to D-11, Motor Vehicle Supplies, is made necessary because of the great increase in the number of inspections made by this department of materials purchased.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

These transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 27, 1923.

ASSOCIATE MEDICAL EXAMINER.

BOSTON, December 27, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR SIR,—I hereby request permission to have the following transfers in my appropriation, as some of the present items are exhausted. All the transfers to be within the budget total.

From B-5, \$23, to A-2; D-1, \$19.26, to A-2; D-5, \$9, to A-2; B-28, \$50, to A-2; B-37, \$20, to B-35; B-37, \$5, to B-13.

Yours respectfully,

WILLIAM J. BRICKLEY, M. D.,
Associate Medical Examiner.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 29, 1923.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.

SOUTH BOSTON, December 26, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—The following transfers of the appropriations for the above-named court are requested:

From A-1, Court Officers \$160, to B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$110; D-1, Office Supplies, \$50.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. DAY,
Special Justice, Presiding.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 27, 1923.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Georgette J. Colwell, 43 Aldrich street, Ward 23, one car.

Lars Larson, 117 Templeton street, Ward 20, one car.

Ercole D'Allesandro 235 Chelsea street, Ward 2, two cars.

Gerald P. Gavin, 250 Pond street, Ward 22, two cars.

John S. Goodway, 1 and 2 Goodway road, etc., Ward 23, five garages, two cars each.

P. McCann, 14 Walnut park, Ward 15, two cars.

Rubin Shapiro, 43 McLellan street, Ward 21, two cars.

Rose A. Sheehy, 16 Colonial road, Ward 25, two cars.

Pauline L. Whelan, 30 and 32 Archdale road, Ward 22, two cars.

Sam Able, 76 Deering road, Ward 21, three cars.

Frank Sher, 152 Callender street, Ward 21, three cars.

Frank Cricus, 15 and 17 Lincoln street, Ward 26, four cars.

Leighton & Barrie, 80 Chapman street, Ward 3, group garage, eight units, eight cars.

Boston Chamber of Commerce, Federal street and Franklin street, Ward 5, 15,000 gallons fuel oil.

Blake Electrical Manufacturing Company, 1 Rowe's Wharf, Ward 5, acetylene and oxygen.

Henshaw Motor Company, 12-16 Griggs street, Ward 25, acetylene and oxygen.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Columbus avenue, Ward 15, remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Oakland street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Pacific street, Ward 10, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Kane street, Ward 18, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Raven street, Ward 11, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Millet street, Ward 19, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Princeton street, Ward 1, erect one pole.

Northeastern Oil Company, 314 Dorchester avenue, Ward 11, 1,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Herbert D. Gilman, 17 Ramsey street, etc., Ward 11, stretch radio wire.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 27, 1923, TO JANUARY 2, 1924

DECEMBER 27.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Feishovoyt...	Rear of 23 Floyd street...	21	Second-class garage.....	\$1,000
Louis A. Bartols...	43 Braden street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
George W. Blakeney...	25 Fairview street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
G. LaMara.....	18 Delmont street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	1,000
J. Wall.....	296-302 Harrison avenue...	6	Alterations, manufacturing...	400
Elizabeth A. Brady...	33 Commonwealth avenue...	8	Alterations, apartments.....	10,000
Factory Building Trust	249-259 A street.....	9	Alterations, mercantile.....	900
Samuel Leavitt.....	880-897 Dorchester avenue...	11	Alterations, stores.....	5,000
Chung Dong Ying.....	138 Newbury street.....	8	Alterations, rooming house...	1,000
Arthur Lucas.....	82 and 84 Dartmouth street...	7	Alterations, bakery and restaurant.	1,000
Anna Soracco.....	16 Wales street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Abraham Lurensky.....	21-22 Blackstone street...	5	Erect permanent awning.....	500

DECEMBER 28.

J. H. Woods.....	Rear of 101 and 103 Lanark road.	25	First-class garage.....	\$800
J. H. Woods.....	Rear of 105 and 107 Lanark road.	25	First-class garage.....	800
J. H. Woods.....	Rear of 113 and 115A Lanark road.	25	First-class garage.....	400
J. H. Woods.....	Rear of 113 and 115A Lanark road.	25	First-class garage.....	400
J. H. Woods.....	Rear of 117 and 119 Lanark road.	25	First-class garage.....	800
Whiting Milk Company.....	Rear of 19 Wales place.....	18	First-class lantern and forge room.	5,000
Morse Real Estate Trust....	190 and 192 High street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	500
Peter J. McGuire.....	27 Dunreath street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	275
Josephine Petinsky.....	62 Silver street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
Raphael Brown.....	68 Fowler street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Catherine Curley.....	11 Robeson street.....	22	Alterations, garage.....	2,000
Ralph Mataizza.....	138 Chelsea street.....	2	Alterations, store and tenements.	300
E. P. Benjamin <i>et al.</i>	217 and 219 Eustis street...	12	Erect fire escape.....	100
City Building Wrecking Company.	100 Poplar street.....	23	Take-down, dwelling.....	200
City Building Wrecking Company.	162 Poplar street.....	23	Take-down, dwelling.....	200

DECEMBER 29.

Pauline L. Whelan.....	30 and 32 Archdale road....	22	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Rose A. Leonard.....	Rear of 8 Verona street.....	22	First-class garage.....	2,500
R. H. White Company.....	538-662 Washington street...	5	Alterations, store.....	800
B. W. Davis.....	872 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, store and lodging.	350
Commonwealth Ice and Cold Storage Company.	220 Northern avenue.....	9	Erect two canopies.....	1,451
Central Building Wrecking Company.	1233 Dorchester avenue....	17	Take-down, dwelling.....	25
Central Building Wrecking Company.	1243 and 1245 Dorchester ave.	17	Take-down, repair shop.....	200

DECEMBER 31.

Max Stoneberg....	Rear of 55 Lithgow street...	20	Second-class garage.....	\$1,000
Owen F. Oakes....	325 Belgrade avenue.....	23	Second-class light manufacturing.	25,000
David B. Ross <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 87 and 89 Homes avenue.	18	Special garage.....	600
M. M. B. Peterson.....	Rear of 81 Willowood st....	21	Third-class garage.....	600
Mrs. Lillian Griffin.....	Rear of 45 Loring street....	24	Third-class garage.....	200
Alfred M. Penfield.....	Rear of 34 Brookdale street.	23	Third-class garage.....	700
Sam Pasquale.....	Rear of 9 and 11 Stedman st	22	Third-class storage.....	400
L. J. Murphy.....	Rear of 53 Stockton street...	21	Third-class garage.....	600
Charles J. Maguire.....	3 Boylston street.....	15	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Lucy E. Choate.....	37 Commonwealth avenue....	8	Alterations, lodging house...	25
H. M. Routh.....	653 Shawmut avenue.....	13	Alterations, dwelling and store	550
Robert H. Barham.....	123 Cabot street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Robert H. Barham.....	125 Cabot street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling and store	1,000
Louis Libman.....	633 Washington street.....	21	Alterations, store and halls...	2,000
Sherwin Wool Company....	190 and 192 High street....	5	Alterations, storage.....	200
Jennie Roch <i>et al.</i>	227 and 229 D street.....	9	Alterations, tenements.....	300
Slocum Trust.....	288-294 Devonshire street...	5	Alterations, stores and printing.	6,000
James J. Lannon.....	158 West Second street....	9	Alterations, light manufacturing.	2,500
S. Weston & Bond.....	18 and 20 Concord square...	7	Erect fire escape.....	300
D. J. Brown.....	220 and 222 Hemenway st....	7	Erect fire escape.....	125
Mrs. M. H. Butters.....	224 and 226 Hemenway st....	7	Erect fire escape.....	190
Hawes estate.....	1909-1919 Washington st....	13	Erect fire escape.....	900
E. P. Faunce.....	10 Westland avenue.....	8	Erect sign.....	500
Morcan Furniture Company.	757 Washington street.....	5	Erect sign.....	1,000
M. Robinson.....	72 Stanhope street.....	7	Install elevator.....	3,300
R. Shulman.....	1293 Washington street....	6	Install elevator.....	3,200
Uphams Corner Market....	600-616 Columbia road....	11	Install two dumb waiters....	2,200

JANUARY 2.

Tomasso Renrucci <i>et al.</i>	44 and 46 Champney street...	11	First-class garage.....	\$2,000
Carrie M. Faulkner.....	Rear of 45 and 47 Bellevue street.	18	First-class garage.....	1,000
William J. McCurdy <i>et al.</i> ...	11 Paul Gore street.....	15	Alterations, garage.....	50
Richard Lunda <i>et al.</i>	2735 Washington street....	15	Alterations, garage.....	250
Charles Day.....	5 Way place.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,700

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

ASSISTANT BACTERIOLOGIST (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, DIVISION OF BIOLOGIC LABORATORIES, JANUARY 10, 1924.

The salary is \$1,800 per year. The duties of this position will consist in planning and carrying out the immunization of horses for the production of diphtheria antitoxin, anti-meningococcic and anti-pneumococcic serums, carrying on original investigate work in immunity, and in addition the supervision of a stable of thirty horses and the employees of the stable. The duties also include the selection and care of the horses, including physical examinations, mallein tests, and post mortem examinations of all horses and calves, and the actual injecting and bleeding of horses and carrying out actual potency and safety tests on various biologic products.

It is desirable that applicants have a college education or its equivalent and be experienced in modern bacteriology, serology and pathology and be familiar with modern methods for the production and testing of immune serums. They should also have a thorough knowledge of veterinary medicine and in addition be familiar with the handling of small animals. Applicants must be registered veterinarians under the State Board of Registration in Veterinary Medicine.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and at least 50 per cent in practical questions in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

INDUSTRIAL INSPECTOR (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES, DIVISION OF INDUSTRIAL SAFETY, JANUARY 10, 1924.

The entrance salary is \$1,680 per year and ranges to \$2,160 per year. Applicants should be familiar with the statute law relative to making work places safe for employees. This would include the safeguarding of machinery and the installation of local exhaust systems for the removal of dust, fumes and gases likely to cause occupational disease. Practical experience in sanitation, ventilation and factory lighting is essential. Applicants should be familiar with the labor laws of Massachusetts and the rules and regulations adopted by the Department of Labor and Industries.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

CLERICAL SERVICE, STATE AND CITIES, JANUARY 12 AND JANUARY 26, 1924.

This is the regular examination for the clerical service of the state and of all cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. On January 12 the examination will be held in Boston, and all persons who reside within commuting distance will be notified for examination on this day. On January 26 the examination will be held in various centrally located cities. Certification may be made from the eligible lists established by this examination for office, institutional, or other positions of a similar nature at the discretion of the Commissioner of Civil Service. Special qualifications in bookkeeping, stenography, typewriting, cataloguing, filing, etc., and in foreign languages may be recognized by the commissioner in certifying persons for positions demanding such qualifications. Persons qualifying in the examination may have their names placed on the state list as well as on the list for the city or town in which they reside.

This examination will be given to fill positions in all grades of the clerical service except Grade V (chief clerk, secretary). All applicants will be given the same examination, and will be placed on the list in the order of marks received, and will be certified for any and all clerical positions in the order of standing on the list unless in the opinion of the Commissioner of Civil Service the mark attained is lower than is proper for the particular position to be filled.

All applicants will be marked on each subject of the examination, and will be given a general average on such marks according to the following schedule: Training and experience, 5 points; spelling, 2; letter writing, 2; arithmetic (multiplication, division and decimals, 1; arithmetic (problems), 1; word knowledge, 1; sentence meaning, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15.

Each applicant will be sent an "experience sheet" with proper instructions for stating his education, training, and experience.

The passing mark for clerical examinations will be 65 per cent in general average.

The usual entrance salary for clerks ranges from \$720 to \$1,200 per year. For positions paying \$1,200 or more, only clerks who receive a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience will be certified.

Sample questions for clerks available.

IMPORTANT LEGISLATIVE ACTS AND RESOLVES OF THE PAST YEAR WITH SYNOPSIS OF THOSE PERTAINING TO BOSTON.

The 143d General Court of Massachusetts completed its work in 161 days. Number of bills passed, 546; resolves passed, 55; total, 601 or 43 more than in 1921.

Chapter 245 (emergency law) authorizing the Boston and Maine Railroad to acquire the franchises and property of certain railroad corporations; Chap. 331, increasing the constabulary force in Dept. of Public Safety from 50 men to 140, not more than 60 appointments to be made in current year; Chap. 392, authorizing cities and towns to license the sale of certain non-intoxicating bev-

crages; Chap. 404 (emergency law) providing for the construction by the Dept. of Public Works of an aircraft landing field on State property in East Boston and the lease of same to U. S. Gov't; Chap. 427, to carry into effect the 18th Federal amendment, i. e., national prohibition (subject to referendum on Nov. 7, 1922); Chap. 485, regulating the sale and carrying of firearms; Chap. 486, making uniform the laws relating to partnerships by adding a new chapter thereon, viz., 108A to General Laws; Chap. 488, providing for the enforcement of the liabilities of stockholders of trust companies; Chap. 534, regulating and licensing the operation of aircraft; Chap. 535, concerning penalties for violation of laws as to narcotic drugs, also commitments of drug addicts.

The Resolves passed which are of unusual interest include these: Chap. 39, establishing a special commission of nine, to be known as the Commission on Municipal Expenditure and Taxation, its report to be filed by Jan. 10, 1923; Chap. 41, providing for an investigation, by a special commission of five, in order to devise a more efficient and convenient system of motor vehicle registration and licensing, with particular attention to branch registration agencies in all the counties or principal cities; Chap. 43, establishing a commission of nine to investigate problems concerning unemployment, its prevention and relief, also as to minimum wage law; Chap. 55, providing for an investigation by Dept. of Public Utilities of plans for improving the transportation service in Dorchester, also between West Roxbury and Hyde Park, etc.

Acts of importance relating to Boston only (in numerical order) are: Chap. 126, authorizing the conversion of 3d class single or two-family dwellings into three-family dwellings, anywhere outside building limits, during the period of three years from April 1, 1922; Chap. 205, authorizing the raising of the tax limit for City purposes to \$12.25 on each \$1,000 of valuation in financial year ending Jan. 31, 1923; Chap. 390, as to assessing the taxes on City buildings and land leased for business purposes and collecting same from the lessees; Chap. 521, Boston Retirement Act, providing contributory pension for City and County employees, in effect on Feb. 1, 1923, subject to acceptance of Mayor and City Council prior to Sept. 1, 1922. Accepted by City Council (voting 6 to 3) on Aug. 7; by Mayor on Aug. 22.

Among the important bills and resolves that failed of passage by the 1922 Legislature were these:—To amend Boston's charter; to provide for election of judges instead of their appointment by Governor; to change direct primary laws and restore party conventions; to change legislative sessions from annual to biennial; to change back from biennial to annual elections; to change daylight-saving law; to abolish Boston's tax limit; to authorize new metropolitan water reservoir; to change administration of county institutions to State control; to provide for removal of dishonest mayors; to enact new fire-prevention law; to investigate telephone rates; to authorize new State Prison in place of old one; to change Elevated Railway control law; to increase motor truck fees; to compel automobile liability insurance; to levy tax on gasoline; to permit capitalization of premiums.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Dec. 17, 1923.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:45 o'clock p. m., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. Lane, O'Hare and Scannell.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

Oct. 15, 1923, on page 171, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Florence A. McCarthy as assistant, sixth year, Lewis Intermediate District, shall read to take effect Dec. 10, 1923, instead of "Nov. 6, 1923."

Nov. 5, 1923, on page 185, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Katherine B. Feely as assistant, Shurtleff District, shall read to take effect Dec. 10, 1923, instead of "Nov. 20, 1923."

Dec. 3, 1923, on page 203, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of M. Winnifred Reilly as assistant, Julia Ward Howe District, to take effect Jan. 2, 1924, shall read "seventh year."

Dec. 3, 1923, on page 208, to provide that the appointment by promotion of Mary K. Austin as assistant (from assistant instructor, commercial branches) in the Roxbury High School, shall read to take effect Jan. 1, 1924, instead of "Jan. 4, 1924."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

DEATH

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teacher:

Ulysses S. Grant District—Nellie M. Forter, first assistant, grammar, Dec. 11, 1923.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

Bennett District—Margaret T. McCabe, first assistant, kindergarten, Nov. 28, 1923.

Department of Medical Inspection—Dorothy E. Ripley, school nurse, Dec. 15, 1923.

Accepted.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

High School of Practical Arts—Lydia Kipp, industrial department, Dec. 17, 1923.

Dearborn District—Louise F. Fine, Nov. 12 to 23, 1923.

Everett District—Mary W. Tierney, Nov. 15, 1923.

Gilbert Stuart District—Dorothy Caswell, Dec. 4, 1923.

Henry L. Pierce District—Margaret Nutley, Dec. 4, 1923.

Jefferson-Comins District—Carolyn A. Shea, Dec. 10, 1923.

John A. Andrew District—Dorothea L. O'Shea, Nov. 5, 1923.

Phillips Brooks District—Katherine M. Keliher, Dec. 12, 1923.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Hazle Crane, special class, Nov. 12, 1923; Edmund A. Higgins, Nov. 7 to 9, 1923 (three days).

Washington-Allston District—L. Mae Holland, Dec. 10, 1923.

Day School for Immigrants—Florence N. Creed, Isabel M. Sullivan, Dec. 3, 1923.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS

High School of Commerce—William J. Murphy, junior master, Nov. 1, 1923.

Hyde Park High School—Mary J. Connors, assistant, Dec. 3, 1923.

Department of Manual Arts—Everett J. McIntosh, emergency assistant instructor, Nov. 23, 1923; Frank A. Hurley, emergency shop instructor, Nov. 26, 1923; George G. Larsson, emergency assistant instructor, Nov. 28, 1923.

Placed on file.

REAPPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY TEACHERS

East Boston High School—John D. Shore, co-operative instructor, Nov. 26, 1923.

English High School—Julius G. Finn, junior master, Dec. 3, 1923.

Department of Manual Arts—Paul L. Hartnett, shop instructor, Dec. 10, 1923; Patrick I. McQuillan, shop instructor, Dec. 10, 1923.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Helen W. Currier, teacher of cookery, Dec. 3, 1923.

Approved.

APPOINTMENTS

(From the Eligible List.)

Hyde Park High School—William P. Grady, instructor, manual arts (from shop instructor, Department of Manual Arts), Jan. 2, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Edytha M. Wormelle, assistant, Jan. 2, 1924.

Christopher Gibson District—Alice L. Kenney, assistant, Jan. 2, 1924.

Prince District—Mary C. McLaughlin, assistant, Jan. 2, 1924.

Laid over.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1923-24.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Mildred R. Sargent as assistant in the Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School from Dec. 3 to 13, 1923 (six evenings), is hereby authorized and that she be paid for her services at the rate of three dollars (\$3) per evening.

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School—Frances E. Kenealy, assistant, Dec. 4, 1923.

Bigelow Evening School—Mary A. Kelley, assistant, Dec. 3, 1923.

Bowdoin Evening School—Helen A. Murphy, assistant, Dec. 3, 1923.

Comins Evening School—Cecelia F. Doherty, assistant, Dec. 10 to 13, 1923 (three evenings); Mary G. McCaffrey, assistant, Dec. 6, 1923.

Charles Sumner Evening School—Margaret M. Moore, assistant, Dec. 6, 1923 (one evening).

Dearborn Evening School—Mary J. Carroll, assistant, Dec. 3, 1923;

Katherine O'Brien, assistant, Dec. 6, 1923 (one evening); Julia E. Sullivan, assistant, Dec. 3, 1923.

Hyde Park Evening School—Evelyn L. Alley, assistant, Dec. 3, 1923.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Geraldine I. Donoghue, assistant, Dec. 3, 4, 1923 (two evenings).

Phillips Brooks Evening School—Anna E. Scully, assistant, Dec. 6, 1923.

Boston Trade School (Evening Classes)—Harold P. Johnson, Winthrop E. Luke, assistants, Dec. 4, 1923.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Inez H. Aston, Selma E. Berthold, William A. Bettencourt, Raoul J. Burke, John J. Connors, Margaret Crotty, Edna Delahanty, Maryalice Devoe, Lillian L. Doren, Margaret W. Dove, Elizabeth A. Foley, Jane Pratt Hawes, Clare C. Hendrick, Frank A. Hurley, Muriel A. Johnson, John S. Kane, Ruth N. Kenney, Mary H. Lyons, Edward J. Markham, Lillian McDermott, Alice M. Nolan, Marcella O'Neil, John W. Ryan, J. Warren Sheridan, Mary E. Slaterry, Alberta Thomas, Martha Volk, Elsie L. Waddle, Grace G. Webster, Frederick S. Whelton.

Approved.

TRANSFERS.

Christopher Gibson District—Mabel A. C. Anderson, assistant, to the same position in the Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District, Jan. 2, 1924.

Jefferson-Comins District—Judith Prendergast, assistant, to the same position in the Prince District, Jan. 2, 1924.

Washington District—Florence E. Johnson, assistant kindergarten, to the same position in the Washington Allston District, Jan. 2, 1924.

Central Evening High School—Henry P. McLaughlin, assistant, to the same position in the East Boston Evening Commercial High School, Dec. 4, 6, 1923 (two evenings).

Approved.

ATTENDANTS, OPEN-AIR CLASSES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of the following named attendants, open-air classes, is hereby authorized in the schools, and on the dates specified, compensation in each case to be at the rate of two dollars (\$2.00) per day of service:

Dwight District—Joshua Bates School—Nora Fitzpatrick, Sept. 5 to 14, 1923 (eight days).

Frederic W. Lincoln District (Frederic W. Lincoln School)—Sarah Belier, Sept. 5 to 21, 1923 (thirteen days).

Lowell District—(Lowell School)—Ida B. Washburn, Sept. 5, 6, 1923 (two days).

Norcross District—(George Frible Hoar School)—Mary A. Collins, Sept. 5, 6, 7, 1923 (three days).

Quincy District—(Andrews School)—Carmella R. Sololacqua, Sept. 5 to 11, 1923 (five days).

Wendell Phillips District—(Peter Faneuil School)—Catherine Leaney, Sept. 5 to 24, 1923 (fourteen days).

ATTENDANT, SCHOOL LUNCHEES.

John A. Andrew District—(John A. Andrew School)—Pelagia Hepke, Dec. 10, 1923.

Approved.

ATTENDANT, DAY SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS.

Elizabeth McManus, Dec. 6, 1923.
Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion, the leave of absence granted to Harold C. Spencer, master, head of department, Jamaica Plain High School, for Oct. 26, 1923, one-half day, without pay, at the meeting of Nov. 5, 1923 (p. 188), is hereby rescinded.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Charlestown High School—Mary F. Toland, assistant, Dec. 7, 1923, one day, without pay.

Bigelow District—Francis M. Morrissey, sub-master, Dec. 3, 1923, one-half day, without pay.

Phillips Brooks District—Rose V. Collier, assistant, Dec. 15, 1923, one day, funeral; Nelly G. Fannon, assistant, Dec. 14, 1923, one day, funeral.

Prince District—Mabel G. Finlay, first assistant, kindergarten, from Dec. 18, 1923, to Mar. 17, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Margarita E. Burns, assistant, Dec. 7, 1923, one-half day, funeral.

Wells District—Mary A. Strachan, assistant, Dec. 13, 1923, one-half day, without pay.

Wendell Phillips District—Gertrude M. Dimick, assistant, Dec. 3, 1923, one-half day, without pay.

Speech Improvement Classes—Helen M. Baker, assistant, Dec. 7, 1923, one-half day, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence for study, travel or rest, was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Thomas N. Hart District—Lura M. Power, assistant, from Dec. 17, 1923, to Aug. 31, 1924, for rest.

ASSIGNMENT OF A TEACHER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 17, 1923, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned the following-named teacher to a class attended exclusively by boys in a grade above the third in the district herein stated:

Eliot District—Louise F. Carangelo, assistant, Nov. 28, 1921.

Placed on file.

RETIREMENT ON PENSION.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the following-named teacher be retired on pension in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908, as amended by Chapter 617 of the Acts of 1910, Chapter 569 of the Acts of 1912, and Chapter 304 of the Special Acts of 1915, the date of retirement and rate of pension to be as herein-after specified:

Hugh O'Brien District—Elinore G. Lynch, length of service 44 years, Nov. 30, 1923, \$600.

Passed, a majority of the Board voting in the affirmative.

REQUEST FOR RETIREMENT OF MEMBER OF BOSTON RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That this Board finds that the following-named member of the Retirement System is physically

incapacitated for the performance of duty and ought to be retired, and hereby requests the Boston Retirement Board to retire her from active service on account of physical disability:

Corinna Barry, prevocational assistant, Prescott District.

EMPLOYMENT OF SUBSTITUTE TEACHER, COURSE IN VOCATIONAL DRAWING, MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Justin A. Pardi as substitute teacher in the course of Vocational Drawing for high school pupils conducted at the Museum of Fine Arts, is hereby authorized for a period of twenty-two (22) days from Oct. 1 to Oct. 31, 1923, inclusive, compensation for said service to be established at the rate of four dollars (\$4) per day.

ESTABLISHMENT OF BRANCH OF BOSTON TRADE SCHOOL, EVENING CLASSES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That a branch of the Boston Trade School, Evening Classes, is hereby established in the Dorchester High Schoolhouse for the current term, to take effect Jan. 3, 1924.

COMPENSATION OF TEMPORARY INSTRUCTORS OF DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS AND SIGNALING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That compensation be allowed and paid the following-named persons for services rendered as temporary instructors of drum and bugle corps and signalling during the months of October and November, upon certification by the Director of Physical Training to the Superintendent that the services covered by said amounts have been rendered:

John J. O'Neil—October and November—twelve and one-half days—\$100.00.

Joseph E. Barney—November—three and one-half days—\$28.00.

REPORT ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 17, 1923, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 274, Acts of 1914, a brief report from Assistant Superintendent John C. Brodhead upon his attendance at the annual meeting of the National Society for Vocational Education, held in Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 6 to 8, 1923.

Placed on file.

AMENDMENT TO REGULATIONS.

The following was offered:
ORDERED, That the regulations be amended as follows:—

Section 188, paragraph 7—strike out the paragraph and substitute the following:—

7. All advance payments received by principals of evening high schools and evening elementary schools shall be regularly remitted by them to the business agent each week and all such payments received by the principal of the Boston Trade School

Evening Classes shall be regularly remitted by him to the business agent each month in such form as he may require; provided, that each principal of an evening high school may retain in his possession a sum not exceeding twenty dollars (\$20); each principal of an evening elementary school may retain in his possession a sum not exceeding ten dollars (\$10); and the principal of the Boston Trade School, Evening Classes may retain in his possession a sum not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50) of such advance payments for the purpose of making refunds to pupils as hereinbefore provided.

Laid over.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO DEC. 1, 1923.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Nov. 30, 1923, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, expenditures, and the balance for the first ten drafts of the current financial year, the expenditures for the corresponding ten drafts of the financial year 1922-23, with the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

REQUISITION FOR CUSTODIANS TO FILL VACANCIES.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Dec. 17, 1923, recommending that requisition be made upon the Division of Civil Service for the names of candidates eligible to fill eight vacancies in the custodianships of school-houses.

Placed on file, and the Secretary authorized to make requisition upon the Division of Civil Service accordingly.

AMENDMENT TO SCHEDULE OF EXTRA COMPENSATION FOR CUSTODIAN SERVICE.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Dec. 17, 1923, recommending that the Schedule of Extra Compensation for Custodian Service be amended.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Schedule of Extra Compensation for Custodian Service is hereby amended as follows:

Section 1, paragraph 10. Strike out the item referring to the Trade School for Girls, and insert the following:

Trade School for Girls: 618 Massachusetts Ave.	Sun. and Sat.	Mon. and Thurs.	Assts. and authorized
Assembly Hall	.54	.18	1
Gymnasium, bath and locker rooms	.54	.18	.
Luncheon room	.54	.18	.
Trade School for Girls: 56 The Fenway.			
Assembly Hall	1.43	.48	1
Theodore Roosevelt School:			
Assembly Hall	1.31	.44	.
William Lloyd Garrison School:			
Assembly Hall	.81	.27	.

PETITIONS OF ATTENDANCE OFFICERS AND OF SCHOOL CUSTODIANS FOR INCREASES IN SALARIES.

A petition, signed by various attendance officers, for an increase in their compensation to a maximum of \$2,600, and setting forth various reasons for this request, was presented.

Laid over.

A petition was received from Frank J. Leonard, Secretary, Custodians' Association, under date of Dec. 8, 1923, requesting, on behalf of the custodians, a minimum wage of \$30 per week, and an adjustment of the compensation allowed for certain kinds of work which they are required to perform.

Laid over.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

THORNTON D. APOLLONIO,
Secretary.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, December 17, 1923.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President LANE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Gilbody.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court First Session, January Sitting, to appear January 7, 1924:

James E. Crotty, Ward 1; Thomas S. D. Smith, Ward 1; William J. Doren, Ward 2; Hyman S. Levine, Ward 2; Robert L. Donovan, Ward 3; Thomas T. McNamara, Ward 3; David Griffiths, Ward 4; Frank L. Zunio, Ward 5; John J. Halcy, Ward 6; Ralph F. Varney, Ward 7; Theodore Frothingham, Jr., Ward 8; Arthur M. Jones, Ward 8; William Murray, Ward 8; Dana Somes, Ward 8; Edward S. Steinbach, Ward 8; Joseph A. Blake, Ward 9; Frederick F. Carroll, Ward 9; Peter Dewar, Jr., Ward 9; Charles J. Devine, Ward 10; James L. Hughes, Ward 10; William E. Curley, Ward 13; Denis F. O'Donnell, Ward 13; Harry Turner, Ward 13; Charles P. Spellman, Ward 14; Peter McGovern, Ward 17; Albert F. Rollins, Ward 17; Thomas J. Whitton, Ward 17; Lawrence C. Hall, Ward 18; Joseph P. Flaherty, Ward 19; Arthur E. Tucker, Ward 19; Henry A. Blasser, Ward 20; Joshua B. Perkins, Ward 21; Walter H. Reed, Ward 21; Owen F. Onkes, Ward 22; George W. Lynch, Ward 22; Frank A. Davenport, Ward 23; Chauncey G. Shaw, Ward 23; Fred R. Barker, Ward 24; William F. Dobbrow, Jr., Ward 24; Arthur S. French, Ward 24.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Third Session, January Sitting, to appear January 7, 1924:

Edwin G. Butler, Ward 3; George H. Lynch, Ward 3; Edmund E. Smith, Ward 3; Frederick J. Zellen, Ward 4; Daniel B. Osgood, Ward 6; Harry M. Atwood, Ward 7; Martin L. Gillis, Ward 7; Edwin V. B. Parke, Ward 8; Edward W. Wheeler, Ward 8; Ellis Levitan, Ward 9; John Cashman, Ward 10; Michael J. Foley, Ward 10; Thomas F. Manning, Ward 10; Edmund Murphy, Ward 12; Frank S. Wilson, Ward 12; John B. Hickey, Ward 14; Charles H. Morse, Ward 14; Richard J. Cole, Ward 15; George L. Hurd, Ward 15; Edward F. York, Ward 15; William H. Lennon, Ward 16; William F. Cummings, Ward 17; Peter F. Degnan, Ward 17; Charles Keenan, Ward 17; Michael J. Fallon, Ward 18; William E. Farrell, Ward 18; Thomas J. Mahoney, Ward 18; Francis B. Nicholas, Ward 18; Patrick J. Stanley, Ward 18; Henry W. Carter, Ward 19; Joseph M. Manning, Ward 19; William C. DeMott, Ward 23; William G. Fitzpatrick, Ward 23; Daniel F. Foley, Ward 23; Chester N. Rogers, Ward 23; Rudolph A. Rose, Ward 23; Edwin W. Barrett, Ward 24; John B. Bullman, Ward 24; Edwin W. Fyler, Ward 24; Andrew J. Stack, Ward 24.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fifth Session, January Sitting, to appear January 7, 1924:

Patrick J. Kennedy, Ward 1; Paul E. Kincaid, Ward 1; Ernest A. Mudge, Ward 3; Cornelius J. Murphy, Ward 3; Andrew Ruggerio, Ward 5; Edgar S. Harrington, Ward 6; Alexander D. Chisholm, Ward 7; Frank H. Mansell, Ward 7; James William Rodgers, Ward 7; Clifford J. Arthur, Ward 8; Cosmos Drammis, Ward 8; Benjamin Gebb, Ward 8; William H. Hunter, Ward 8; Walter H. Rice, Ward 8; William F. Foley, Ward 10; Joseph Rosenberg, Ward 10; James P. Thornton, Ward 10; James R. O'Connor, Jr., Ward 11; Eliazar L. Bletz, Ward 12; Peter Wilfred Doyle, Ward 13; Arthur S. Collins, Ward 14; John Tiews, Ward 14; James E. Monahan, Ward 15; Herbert C. Robinson, Ward 16; Erving E. Stevens, Ward 16; John Cunningham, Ward 17; Patrick L. Donahue, Ward 18; Charles

W. Jacquith, Ward 18; Alson W. Josselyn, Ward 18; Frederick H. Castle, Ward 20; Elijah A. Small, Ward 20; Albert C. Smallman, Ward 20; John J. Call, Ward 21; Hugh F. Slater, Ward 21; Herman G. Curtis, Ward 22; Axel E. Rockstrom, Ward 23; William W. McAfee, Ward 24; Jerome H. French, Ward 26; William F. Monahan, Ward 26; Thomas F. Russell, Ward 26.

Thirty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, First Session, January Sitting, to appear January 7, 1924:

Charles V. Moore, Ward 1; John T. Quinn, Ward 3; Edward Burns, Ward 4; Patrick J. Doherty, Ward 4; Fred Cavagnaro, Ward 5; William T. Cassidy, Jr., Ward 7; John A. Driscoll, Ward 7; Patrick J. Shields, Ward 9; John Baybutt, Ward 10; Peter F. MacNeil, Ward 12; Peter McGill, Ward 13; George H. Connelly, Ward 14; Leon G. Stephens, Ward 14; John P. Fitzgerald, Ward 15; Nathan Kopelman, Ward 15; Thomas A. Pelrine, Ward 17; William Birrell, Ward 18; Henry Leonard, Ward 18; Dexter S. Averill, Ward 20; Fred E. Fletcher, Ward 20; Charles A. Howland, Ward 20; Francis J. McCool, Ward 20; Charles L. LaFarge, Ward 21; Archibald McInnes, Ward 21; Charles D. Faulkner, Ward 23; Francis W. Robinson, Ward 23; Charles I. Alden, Jr., Ward 24; John M. Boyle, Ward 24; John P. Dooley, Ward 24; John R. Gunnardson, Ward 24; Edwin M. Neill, Ward 24; Davis S. Boyden, Ward 25; Stephen A. Belton, Ward 26; George N. Meserve, Ward 26.

Thirty-five traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Second Session, January Sitting, to appear January 7, 1924:

Joseph W. Bergin, Ward 1; Edward J. O'Brien, Ward 1; William E. Norton, Ward 3; George S. Fraser, Ward 6; William A. Healey, Ward 6; William J. Boyle, Ward 7; James H. Barry, Ward 8; Michael J. Downey, Ward 8; Frank W. Geer, Ward 8; Harry M. Hodge, Ward 8; John J. Mollen, Ward 8; Jeremiah H. O'Brien, Ward 8; Moses Victorson, Ward 8; James T. Grant, Ward 9; Herbert Halliwell, Ward 9; Henry M. MacLeod, Ward 9; Peter J. Connelly, Ward 10; John A. Gardner, Ward 10; Joseph F. Hodges, Ward 10; James F. Farrell, Ward 11; Joseph W. Greaney, Ward 11; John J. Casey, Ward 16; John Edward Finnegan, Ward 17; James J. Merrick, Ward 17; James J. Orth, Ward 17; Edmond G. L'Ecuier, Ward 18; Fred M. Blake, Ward 19; Neil M. Alexander, Ward 21; Peter J. Reinhardt, Ward 23; Anthony D. Weber, Ward 23; Edward J. Riley, Ward 24; Milton W. Chadbourne, Ward 25; Herbert W. Smith, Ward 25; William F. Quinlan, Ward 26; Robert E. Thompson, Ward 26.

Thirty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Third Session, January Sitting, to appear January 7, 1924:

Stephen A. Mack, Ward 1; Patrick J. Egan, Ward 2; F. Russell Hoch, Ward 6; James F. Benson, Ward 7; Charles F. Hyde, Ward 7; George Smith, Ward 7; Jesse Koshland, Ward 8; Charles Rothman, Ward 8; William Byrne, Ward 10; Harry F. Landers, Ward 11; Frank T. Bowen, Ward 12; Frank C. Brophy, Ward 12; Nelson K. Duplesis, Ward 12; Henry J. Neier, Ward 12; Michael D. Coakley, Ward 14; Charles L. Duplain, Ward 14; Herbert J. Salter, Ward 15; Joseph Koerber, Ward 17; Joseph A. McDonald, Ward 17; Joseph N. Fish, Ward 20; John Kilduff, Ward 20; William Morris McCormick, Ward 20; Philip Abrahams, Ward 21; Frank C. Goldberg, Ward 21; Herbert F. Ryan, Ward 21; Howard E. Savage, Ward 21; Joseph VanDam, Ward 21; Daniel Schreck, Ward 22; Henry G. Bartols, Ward 23; James P. Dwyer, Ward 23; Frank J. Gaffney, Ward 23; Charles W. Stephenson, Ward 23; William Anderson, Ward 24; John J. McGillicuddy, Ward 25.

Twenty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fourth Session, January Sitting, to appear January 7, 1924:

John S. Adams, Ward 2; John Barry, Ward 2; Herbert A. Powell, Ward 6; Francis L. Duggan, Ward 7; John B. Kenney, Ward 7; Burton L. Longley, Ward 7; David McNay, Ward 7; Albert W. Peterson, Ward 7; Lawrence A. Moar, Ward 8; Albert F. Atwood, Ward 9; John Coyne, Jr., Ward 10; Daniel L. Daly, Ward 10; William A. Minton, Ward 11; Chesley E. Jones, Ward 12; Michael J. McGovern, Ward 17; Edson H. Fletcher, Ward 19; Timothy Shea, Ward 19; Michael J. Tully, Ward 20; Ralph E. DuMoulin, Ward 21; Henry W. Lawler, Ward 21; Charles L. Claus, Ward 22; Ernest J. Mellin, Ward 23; David J. Parker, Ward 25; Bernard F. King, Ward 26.

Twenty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fifth Session, January Sitting, to appear January 7, 1924:

William E. O'Brien, Ward 3; Thomas F. Fitzgerald, Ward 6; Joseph G. M. York, Ward 6; Andrew P. Atkinson, Ward 7; Carl Lichter, Ward 7; James E. Grady, Ward 9; Daniel J. Mahoney, Ward 10; Charles A. Stratton, Ward 10; Patrick H. Keefe, Ward 12; John E. Walton, Ward 13; Ernest J. Babcock, Ward 15; Charles F. Hanson, Ward 16; Louis J. Strauss, Ward 16; Charles A. Nickerson, Ward 17; Hugh Crowne, Ward 18; Alexander J. Farquharson, Ward 18; Andrew H. Lindsey, Jr., Ward 18; Dennis C. Loney, Jr., Ward 20; Hans R. Nielson, Ward 21; Michael O'Brien, Ward 21; John D. Rollins, Ward 21; Ernest L. Tracey, Ward 21; Campbell S. Higgins, Ward 22; James F.

Burns, Ward 24; Frank R. Norton, Ward 24; Clark Waters, Ward 24; John P. Cobb, Ward 25; John J. DeCoursey, Ward 26; Henry M. Filmore, Ward 26.

Thirty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Sixth Session, January Sitting, to appear January 7, 1924:

Joseph M. Barretto, Ward 2; William H. Fitzpatrick, Ward 3; Frank D. Hupfer, Ward 4; Nathan Stern, Ward 5; Louis Gilman, Ward 6; William F. B. Kelley, Ward 6; James Norwood, Ward 6; John S. Genter, Ward 7; Thomas M. Mackay, Ward 7; William J. Davis, Ward 8; Lawrence Higgins, Ward 8; Maurice W. Clancy, Ward 9; Edward A. Hooson, Ward 9; James M. King, Ward 9; Laurence A. Thibbitts, Ward 10; Frank W. Whitty, Ward 10; James C. White, Ward 11; Dennis J. Connelly, Ward 12; John T. Murphy, Ward 12; Harry C. Mathews, Ward 13; Thomas Walsh, Ward 13; John J. Buckley, Ward 14; Joseph N. Lucas, Ward 15; Abraham Furst, Ward 16; Edward J. O'Neill, Ward 16; A. George Shaw, Ward 16; Louis K. Bass, Ward 18; Walter P. Moulton, Ward 19; Edward Ober, Ward 19; Francis J. Graham, Ward 21; Frank A. Russell, Ward 21; Michael Sullivan, Ward 21; Patrick T. Lennon, Ward 22; Philip Walsh, Ward 23; Marshall L. Worcester, Ward 23; Robert Scott, Ward 24; John C. Kiley, Ward 25; William J. McGaffee, Jr., Ward 25.

Thirty-three traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Seventh Session, January Sitting, to appear January 7, 1924:

James F. Fiamingo, Ward 1; James G. Nagle, Ward 2; John Harty, Ward 4; Thomas N. Conley, Ward 5; Charles P. McGregor, Ward 6; Elmer M. Sawyer, Ward 6; William C. White, Ward 7; George D. Elder, Ward 8; Harold A. Jardine, Ward 8; Francis H. Vann, Ward 9; Frank A. Barnes, Ward 10; William Benson, Jr., Ward 10; Albert W. Bradeen, Ward 10; George S. Lockhart, Ward 10; Andrew D. Mirey, Ward 13; Patrick Sheehy, Ward 13; John W. Curran, Ward 14; Patrick J. B. Hines, Ward 14; Joseph McCarthy, Ward 14; Ralph J. Young, Ward 14; Albert A. Allendorff, Ward 15; William H. Lavin, Ward 15; Philip F. Smith, Ward 15; Walter E. Davis, Ward 16; Michael J. Killion, Ward 17; Michael Thornton, Ward 19; James H. Nicholson, Ward 20; Edward F. Ochs, Ward 20; John A. Peterson, Ward 21; James J. Henaghan, Ward 22; James Collins, Ward 23; Jeremiah P. McKinney, Ward 26; Thomas J. Tuohy, Ward 26.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following were received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 17, 1923.

To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Louis Budd, 32 Wildwood street, Mattapan, to the position of Constable of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 17, 1923.

To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons Weighers of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1924:

Robert G. Campbell, Jr., 20 Oak street, Mattapan; Walter G. Nickerson, 100 Glendale street, Everett; Millard F. Dowell, 185 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown; Walter A. Boyle, 23 Arcadia street, Dorchester; Daniel J. Kelly, 90 Bremen street, East Boston.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Severally laid over under the law.

SALE OF CITY LAND, BRIGHTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 3, 1923.

To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I transit herewith communications from the municipal real estate expert and the secretary of the Park Commission, relative to a small portion of land owned by the City of Boston on Wade street, Brighton, and which, in their opinion, cannot be utilized to advantage by the municipality.

I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$112, a parcel of land on Wade street, Brighton district, containing 247.5 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

PLAYGROUND, READVILLE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 17, 1923.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith data relative to the establishment of a playground in the Readville section of Boston. The site here recommended has received the approval of the residents of Readville and also the Boston City Planning Board.

Negotiations have been conducted with reference to this site for nearly a year and a most satisfactory offer has at last been received from the owners, which is the present actual assessed value, namely, \$13,200.

In my opinion this is an exceptional trade for the city and represents a site desired by the people of Readville. Consequently, it is an exceeding pleasure to recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$20,000 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Park Commissioners for the establishment of a playground, Readville district, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

PLAYGROUND DEVELOPMENT, CHERRY STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 5, 1923.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the accompanying report of the Park Commissioner, same constituting reply to the interrogatories adopted by the Council under date of October 15, 1923, and would suggest that consideration of the recommendation as submitted by the Park Commission be postponed until after the beginning of the fiscal year 1924-25.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Park Department, December 3, 1923.
Daniel J. Gillen, Secretary, Mayor's Office, City Hall, Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—Your letter of October 17, relative to the order passed by the City Council as to the proper development for playground purposes of the recent site taken for the Cherry Street Playground, Ward 6, is at hand.

There is at the present time approximately \$8,000 for development of this playground. This will allow only a partial development and the Board wishes to go ahead with the work, but it cannot be done with this amount of money. A careful estimate of the cost is as follows:

Pergola.....	\$5,000
Field house, containing showers and sanitaries, etc.....	25,000
Concrete surfacing.....	5,400
Flag pole.....	1,000
Planting.....	800
Grading, drainage and water supply.....	3,000
Brick and concrete exterior walls with concrete seats.....	10,000
Playground equipment.....	2,000
Total.....	\$52,200

Very truly yours,
JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman.

Placed on file.

PARK IMPROVEMENTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 17, 1923.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the attached communication from the Board of Park Commissioners requesting that the income now available in the Parkman Fund be transferred for improvements in the Back Bay Fens and Arnold Arboretum and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Park Department, December 14, 1923.
Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:
Dear Sir,—By vote of the Board of Park Commissioners, you are respectfully asked to request the City Council to appropriate from the income of the Parkman Fund the sum of \$25,793.85, which is the final balance available this year, to be expended as follows:

Arnold Arboretum: Construction of wire fence.....	\$6,000 00
Masonry wall construction, stone gateway, etc.....	1,793 85
	<u>\$7,793 85</u>

Back Bay Fens: Granolithic walks.....	<u>\$18,000 00</u>
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Very truly yours,
DANIEL J. BYRNE, Secretary.

Ordered, That the sum of \$25,793.85 be and hereby is appropriated from the income of the Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners, for the maintenance and improvements of the Common and parks in existence of January 12, 1887, as follows:

Arnold Arboretum, improvements.....	\$7,793 85
Fens, improvements.....	<u>18,000 00</u>

Referred to the Committee on Parkman Fund.

BRIDGE EMPLOYEES, BOSTON AND CAMBRIDGE.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 7, 1923.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith report of the Commissioner of Public Works, the same constituting an answer to interrogatories contained in the order adopted by the City Council under date of November 19, 1923.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
December 1, 1923.

To the Honorable the Mayor:
In reply to your letter of November 28, with attached order in City Council of Councillor Donoghue requesting "why it is that the City of Boston, paying half the expenses of the Boston and Cambridge Bridges, is not entitled to employ one half of the employees working on these bridges," the following is submitted:

The preponderance of Cambridge employees on these bridges has been true for a long period of years, and a slight improvement in the comparative number of Boston men has been noted from 1906 where the percentage was 15.8 to 1921, 1922 and 1923 when it was and is 27.3. It has been the custom when a vacancy occurs on these bridges to fill the position from the city where the previous incumbent lived; hence the original apportionment has changed but very little.

Appointments on these bridges are jointly controlled by the Commissioner of Public Works of Boston and a representative of the mayor of Cambridge, and as far as the writer knows, in case of a difference of opinion or a clash between these two officials as to an appointment there is no third party to whom to appeal.

I have been told that frequently in the past when Cambridge residents might be supplanted by Boston residents on these bridges such offers were refused by men eligible to appointment on the Boston bridges, because the opportunities for promotion were less and the bridges were less desirable, and they awaited a chance for appointment on the Boston bridges.

Positions on the Boston and Cambridge Bridges are at present considered undesirable on account of the employees on these bridges not being included in any pension scheme and in case of disability or incapacity through length of service there is no way to retire them.

Yours respectfully,
J. A. ROHRKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

VETO—GASOLINE LICENSE, DORCHESTER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 10, 1923.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I return herewith, without my approval, the order of your honorable body disapproving the granting of a gasoline license at 222 and 224 Quincy street.

I am disapproving the order for the reason that the Board of Street Commissioners have rejected the application for the license referred to.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

VETO—RESERVOIR PLAYGROUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 5, 1923.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith without my approval the order adopted by the City Council under date of November 3, 1923.

The Park Commission report that they are conducting an investigation with a view to determining what amount is necessary and it is desirable that when an appropriation is made for the Reservoir Playground that sufficient money be made available for the adoption of the same. The Park officials are not in possession of sufficient information at the present time to determine the amount required. Consequently I cannot sanction the order adopted by your Board and return the same without my approval.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

USE OF "ONE-MAN" CARS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 7, 1923.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Under date of November 19, 1923, the City Council adopted an order reading as follows:

"Resolved, That the City Council of Boston hereby places itself on record as being opposed to the use of 'one-man' cars in the City of Boston, believing the same to be dangerous to passengers and a cause of blocking traffic."

Ordered, That a copy of this resolve be sent to the Board of Public Utilities with the hope that said Board will take prompt action in ordering the removal of cars of this type from the streets of Boston."

In conformity with this resolve I conferred with the chairman of the Board of Public Control Trustees of the Boston Elevated Railway Company and was informed by him that it was necessary to operate one-man cars in order to offset the increased cost of general operation due in large measure to the recent wage increase. Consequently, under the circumstances it was not only inadvisable but impossible to comply with the request of the City Council greatly as he regretted the same.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, this communication from the Mayor is in answer to an order that was introduced by me (quoting the above message from his Honor the Mayor).

I am surprised at this late date to get any such answer as that. The one-man cars have been on the tracks of the Boston Elevated Railroad for better than a year. The arbitration committee less than two months ago handed down their decision, and the payment of wages did not start until last Friday. I am surprised at the answer given, that the added expense is on account of the increase in wages of the men employed upon the Elevated Railway. Notwithstanding the added expense, I still think that the cars are dangerous, and at the next meeting of the Council I will introduce an order asking the Mayor to have the legislative agent hand the Corporation Counsel labor legislation which will come before the incoming body to abolish the one-man cars in Boston.

The communication was placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

James A. Allan, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus at St. Paul and Beacon streets.

Louis Bloom, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 164 Court street.

Lillian M. Brady, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect on Vassar street.

Maurice G. Brodie, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at N and Third streets.

Edna Burns, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect corner of Congress and High streets.

Salvatore Ciancolo, for compensation for damage to motor boat by collision with fireboat.

Peter P. Coleman, for compensation for damage to property at 301 Tremont street by break in water main.

Commonwealth Hardware Company, for compensation for damage to property 899-903 Washington street by break in water main.

George H. Corliss, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Park street, Dorchester.

David E. Crawford, for compensation for damage to property at 805 Tremont street by stoppage of sewer.

Charles E. Crofoot, for compensation for damages and injuries caused by an alleged defect in Spring street.

Joseph G. Cronin, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in Huntington avenue.

Toney A. Dainte, for compensation for damage to car by being run into by hospital ambulance.

Beverly B. Dickerson, for compensation for damage to property caused by an alleged defect in Centre street.

William J. Donahoe, for compensation for property lost while a patient at the Relief Hospital.

Elsie Eastman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Dartmouth Street Bridge.

Edward W. Egan, for compensation for damage to property at 311 Tremont street by break in water main.

Howard H. Fisher, for compensation for damage to truck on the East Boston Ferry.

W. J. Galley, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Northern avenue.

M. Gasparello, for compensation for damage to car by a team of the city.

Irene Glaser, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Corinth street.

Thomas J. Guthro, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Dover Street Bridge.

Mrs. John J. Harrington, for compensation for damages caused by taking down barn by the city at 74 Kimball street.

Harry Kaplan, for compensation for damage to car on Salem street by city team.

Daniel J. Keane, for compensation for damage to truck caused by an alleged defect at 43 Dudley street.

Charles F. Keefe, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Audubon road.

Fannie Latinsky, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 6 Barton court.

F. Lazzarino & Sons, for compensation for damage to truck on the East Boston Ferry.

Bessie Levin, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1352 Blue Hill avenue.

Johanna C. Lyons, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect corner of Camden street and Shawmut avenue.

John F. McCarthy, to be paid wages alleged to be due him from the Hospital Department.

Hugh McLaughlin, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Northampton street.

Anthony Mirra, for compensation for damage to property at 211 Saratoga street by overflow of sewer.

Jennie Morris, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 61 Greenwood street.

Mary L. Murphy, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 422 Tremont street.

Dennis F. O'Connell, to be paid for team employed by the city in 1901.

Daniel P. O'Neill, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Norfolk street.

James O'Neill, for compensation for damage to property at 16 Union park, caused by break in water main.

Park Square Battery Company, for compensation for damage to property at 121 Broadway caused by break in water main.

Archibald W. Parquette, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Chauncy street.

Aline L. Pasco, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 418 Bowdoin street.

F. W. Phisterer, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Solomon Robinson, for compensation for damage to property 295 Tremont street by two breaks in water main.

Harry M. Rosenblatt, for compensation for damage to car by team of the city.

Rose Rosenbloom, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 12 Woodrow avenue.

Anna Shuluk, for compensation for damage to property at 6 Florence street by overflow of sewer.

Sophy Stearns, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 273 Walnut avenue.

Samuel Steren, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 105 Leverett street.

Francis Stone, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by oil on street.

Margaret M. Stone, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect corner of London and Porter streets.

Rosario Toscano, for compensation for injuries caused by being run into by city team on Battery street.

Concetta Tuccio, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Bulfinch street.

Mary G. Tuohy, for compensation for damage to car by being run into by city truck.

Louise Wassmuss, for compensation for injuries received while attending the Henry L. Pierce School.

Executive.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.: Amelia Burnham, Symphony Hall, December 20. J. M. McNamara, Magnet Theatre, December 9.

Emma G. Tunncliffe, Huntington Chambers Hall, December 22.

Unclaimed Baggage.

Boston & Maine Railroad, for sale of unclaimed baggage.

REMOVAL OF CONSTABLES.

Notices were received from the Mayor of removal of the following constables, viz.: William H. Collins, Thomas E. McKenna.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATION OF CONSTABLE.

Notice was received from the Mayor of resignation of Daniel W. Donahoe as constable. Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Board of Street Commissioners of hearings on petition for storage and sale of gasoline at various locations on December 17, December 24 and December 31.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

INTEREST IN CONTRACTS.

Notice was received, in accordance with law, of interest in contracts, viz.:

William Stanley Parker, City Planning Board, school house construction.

Joseph P. Manning, City Hospital Trustee, sale of tobacco, Infirmary Division, Long Island.

J. Waldo Pond, Finance Commissioner, building contracts.

Placed on file.

RAILWAY LOCATIONS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners, with copies of orders, for 32d and 33d locations to the Boston Elevated Railway Company.

Placed on file.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constable's bond of John J. King, Jr.

Approved by the City Council.

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

Notices were received from the Election Commissioners as follows:

Certifying that at the city election held in the City of Boston, December 11, 1923, for choice of three members of the City Council for the term of three years, the following were elected:

Daniel W. Lane, James T. Purcell, James T. Moriarty.

Certifying for choice of two members of the School Committee for the term of three years, the following were elected:

Edward M. Sullivan, David D. Scannell.

Certifying that the following "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this city: Yes, 47,919; No, 28,754."

Certifying on the following: Shall "An Act providing that school teachers in the City of Boston shall receive equal pay for the same kind and grade of service, irrespective of sex" be accepted: Yes, 29,212; No, 51,751.

Placed on file.

MINORS' LICENSES.

President LANE submitted reports on petitions for minors licenses for forty-three newsboys and five vendors—that licenses be granted.

Reports accepted; licenses granted on the usual conditions.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of John F. Masters as a trustee of the Boston Sanatorium, a certified copy of the same having been sent to the Civil Service Commission.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT ASSESSOR.

Notice was received from the Assessing Department of the appointment of Frank A. Gafney as second assistant assessor.

Placed on file.

PAYMENT OF COUNTY EXPENSES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Law Department, December 7, 1923.
Wilfred J. Doyle, Esq., Assistant City Clerk, City Hall, Boston:

Dear Sir,—I am replying to your communication of November 26, 1923, wherein you submit for my opinion in behalf of the City Council the following:

"Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to inform the City Council whether or not the City Auditor has the right to use money raised by taxation for city purposes for the payment of county expenses."

Since the enactment of chapter 109, Statute 1821, the City of Boston has been required by legislative provision to pay the expenses of the County of Suffolk. By section 3 of chapter 34 of the General Laws the City of Boston is required to provide all the necessary public buildings for Suffolk County. There are numerous other statutory provision requiring the City of Boston to pay the expenses

incurred by other officers of Suffolk County. These statutes are not permissive; they are mandatory and the City of Boston must pay these obligations.

The City of Boston at the beginning of each fiscal year established a segregated budget based upon the estimated requirements of the city and the county for the ensuing year. The taxes assessed are appropriated to meet these expenses, together with the state tax and school requirements. The amount which the city may expend for purely municipal purposes is limited by the Legislature. See chapter 223 of the Acts of 1923, establishing the tax limit for the year 1923 for municipal purposes. There is no limitation by law, however, as to the amount of money which may be appropriated for county purposes. All the bills of the county must be paid by the city and if the provisions of the budget are inadequate to meet these expenses the appropriations must be increased from any other available funds in the city treasury. It is immaterial that the money is raised in the first instance for city purposes. The obligations of the county are the obligations of the city. Any judgment against the County of Suffolk would be satisfied in the same way as a judgment against the city. See *Boston v. Chelsea* 212 Mass. 127; *Hibbard v. County of Suffolk*, 163 Mass. 34, 39. In the latter case the Court intimated that a suit against the County of Suffolk for the salary of the steward of Suffolk County Jail should have been against the City of Boston rather than against the County of Suffolk. See also *Wheelock v. Auditor of Suffolk County*, 130 Mass. 486, in which the Court held that in a suit by a justice of the municipal court for services rendered the county, if such suit was well founded, he may recover judgment against the city and levy his execution upon the property of any inhabitant.

Very truly yours,

E. MARK SULLIVAN,
Corporation Counsel.

The communication, without being read in full was declared placed on file.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I move that that be referred to the Executive Committee. I think we ought to have a chance to read this communication carefully and to discuss it. If a communication of this sort is sent in here by the Mayor, and without being read is placed on file, how is a member of the Council to know what it is, unless he is given an opportunity privately to read it? I don't think that is the way to do business, and I make that motion.

The Clerk read the opinion in full.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I have listened as attentively as I could to the reading of the communication, which includes, of course, very many references to chapters of existing statutes and to decisions, which nobody could know about unless he is a human encyclopedia, and which we cannot carry in our minds. It does not seem to me, however, that the question I asked was answered intelligently. I asked whether or not the money which was appropriated for city expenses could be used for county expenses. I know enough about the law myself to know that these bills must be paid, owing to the mandatory nature of the legislation which affects these particular transactions. I am not questioning whether bills must be paid or not. My point is, how taxes are raised by the assessors. Do they levy the taxes in a lump sum, or do they segregate the tax question and raise so much for city expenses and so much for county expenses; and if they do that, my point, it seems to me, is well taken because I have been informed since the order was introduced that the auditor has refused to make payments out of that particular money. These payments have been made out of available funds, so called, but they have not been made out of the particular amount of money which was supposed to have been transferred from the Reserve Fund to the payment of county expenses. Evidently the auditor feels as I feel on the matter. Behind this all, I realize, of course, that it is practically a hopeless fight to try to get those in authority to refuse to pay these bills unless there is some concrete action taken by those who want them paid. But I firmly feel that that is the only way in which we are ever going to get a fair adjustment of the County of Suffolk expenses, as relating to the City of Boston, and until such time as we get some one who is going to refuse to pay these expenses, unless the attitude of the Legislature in the meantime changes so that they may give Boston a half square deal, we are always going to do as we have done in the past, and these bills are going to be paid. Of course, I know that any sort of opinion can come down from the Law Department—opinions which, to say the least, will be confusing to the lay mind. I realize there is really nothing further that I am able to do in this matter, but I was in hope that I might get some information as to whether or not they have the right to pay out of money appropriated for city purposes county expenses, and that question, to my mind, has not been answered. The Corporation Counsel says that that question is immaterial. In his mind it may be immaterial; in mine it is not. I realize that it is only through a so called legal technicality that we might be able to prevent them from raiding the treasury as they have for years and years, until today it is a crying outrage, the City of Boston being compelled to pay the expenses of the entire County of Suffolk; and, further than that, we find that a great deal of the income, so called, which, if it were applied to the City of

Boston, would go a long way toward cutting down expenses of the City of Boston, is taken over by the state, and the city gets but a small share of it. I think, as I said before, that there is really nothing that I can do. It requires the action of some one in either the City Auditor's or the City Treasurer's office, or in the office of the Mayor, to refuse to pay these bills, and make them go to court in order to get the money. If they do go to court and the money has to be paid out in such way, regardless of the act passed by the Legislature, it is going to call vividly to the minds of the people of the entire state the fact that Boston is making a contest to get that which belongs to her, a square deal from the Legislature; and until we find some one who will make them go that far, we are never going to get any relief.

The communication was placed on file.

CLERK HIRE.

The Register of Deeds, in accordance with law, submitted a report certifying that certain people were employed in his office from November 19 to December 15, and that work had been performed to the amount of \$9,605.07.

Approved and ordered paid.

ANNUITY FOR MRS. T. J. QUINAN.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That an annuity of \$600 be allowed and paid to the widow of Thomas J. Quinan, late a member of the Police Department, who died from injuries received in the performance of his duty; said annuity to continue so long as said widow remains unmarried, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

PAYMENT OF MONTHLY SALARIES.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the salaries of all city and county employees on monthly pay rolls be allowed and paid on or before December 22, 1923, and the heads of departments are hereby requested to submit their pay rolls to the City Auditor in season to permit such payment.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

FIGURES FOR POLICE WAGE SCALE.

Coun. HAGAN offered an order—That the Police Commissioner, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to submit to the City Council the figures which he has obtained of the wage scale as paid to members of the police force in the various large centers, with the opinion of the Police Commissioner as formed from an analysis of the figures obtained.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. BRICKLEY, for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, submitted a report recommending the passage of an order for the payment of soldiers' relief to soldiers and sailors and their families in the City of Boston for the month of December, 1923.

Report accepted; order passed.

ALBERT F. HABEL SQUARE.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That the space at the junction of Spring street and Baker street, West Roxbury, be named Albert F. Habel square, in memory of said Habel, who lost his life in the United States service, and that suitable signs be placed there.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

ANNUITY FOR MRS. PETER F. McDONOUGH.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That an annuity of \$600 be allowed and paid to Mrs. Peter F. McDonough, widow of the former fire chief Peter F. McDonough, who died from injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pension and Annuities.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 3.20 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. HAGAN, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.12 o'clock p. m.

FINANCE.

Coun. BRICKLEY, for the Committee on Finance, submitted a report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred December 17) that the sum of \$20,000 be appropriated for Playground, Readville District—that the order ought to pass. The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. HAGAN, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Reports on petitions (referred today) for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement—that permits be granted, viz.:

Emma G. Tunncliffe, Huntington Chambers Hall, December 22.

Amelia Burnham, Symphony Hall, December 20.

J. W. McNamee, Magnet Theater, December 9. Reports accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions.

2. Reports on communications from the Street Commissioners concerning notices of hearings for permits to store and keep for sale gasoline at various locations—that the same be placed on file, viz.:

Communication (referred December 3), hearings on December 10.

Communication (referred today), hearings on December 17.

Reports accepted; communications placed on file.

PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. HAGAN, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on message of Mayor, communications and orders (referred November 26) relative to sale of various properties owned by the City of Boston—recommending the passage of orders with the exception of sale of property at Massachusetts avenue and East Cottage street, and property at junction of Commonwealth avenue and Chestnut Hill avenue.

The report was accepted and the orders were given their first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0. The orders will take their final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

Later in the session Coun. MORIARTY said: Mr. President, I am going to move reconsideration of the vote whereby we voted to sell the land on Broadway, C and Athens streets, South Boston. The motion to reconsider was carried.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I want to say that I am not prepared to vote on that item today.

President LANE—It will not come up for final action until two weeks from today.

Coun. MORIARTY—Of course, I don't like to vote "no," and I do not feel that I can vote "yes" today. I want to say that I was partly responsible for the purchase of that land for the purpose of building a gymnasium. You men will all remember that I did get an appropriation for a gymnasium, but because circumstances changed the appropriation was transferred to many different sections. Of course, I don't like to take up time here. There was a gymnasium in that district for many, many years. Now, while I do not feel that we are going to get a gymnasium there next year or the year after, I do think that the selling of this property will put the thing farther and farther away from a possibility of our getting it. I feel that the land should be held, that the city owns other land that is not in use and has owned it for many more years than it has held title to this land, land that it could sell to better advantage than it could sell this piece of property in South Boston. If there is no objection here I would like to have this item laid over to the next meeting, and I will then be prepared to vote upon it.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I have no objection to having the matter lie over to the next meeting, but I have in mind the fact that for almost nine years, nearly ten years, a lot of this sort of property, not referring particularly to this piece, but also to other property around the city has been lying idle and has not been earning a cent for the people, whereas if such property was sold the money would at least earn some interest in the bank. I think we ought to congratulate the powers that be for attempting to dispose of a lot of land and property that is absolutely valueless so far as income to the city is concerned. At the next meeting I trust that the councilor opposite will agree to the sale of the property, in order that we may get some money into the treasury and earn some income from the money when it goes into the bank.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I am not going to make any promise that I will vote at the next meeting to dispose of the property. I will be prepared to vote upon it, either "yes," or "no," but I will make no promise that I will vote any particular way. If my mind was made up, I would be prepared to vote today.

Coun. WATSON—I didn't ask you to vote today. Coun. MORIARTY—No, but you suggested that you would like to have me vote for this item today, that you hoped I might see my way to do so.

Coun. WATSON—And I still hope so.

Coun. MORIARTY—Of course, I feel keenly interested in this one section. With the assistance of the other members of the Council, we were able to get the money. Again with the assistance of other members of the Council, I sat here and saw the money appropriated, carried away, and some of it squandered. If I remember right, there was \$75,000 that went to Eagle Hill in East Boston, and then the next year Eagle Hill was taken away from us as a playground. The money that had been spent there had been squandered, in my estimation. Of course, if this was prior to election they might say that I take the position I do for election purposes, in protesting against the sale of this land, but this is after election now, and I don't need to take any such position as a matter of electioneering. I again say that there is land in the city that has been owned by the city longer than this parcel of land, that could be sold to better advantage. Taking the property I refer to, as I understand it, a building is on the site and the building is let. All of the stores in the building are let, and in my estimation it is bringing in a revenue to the city. I believe it is a good investment for the city, in so far as investment is concerned. Of course, with the site there, I believe that at some time in the future we may be able to get a gymnasium in the district in return for the one that was put out of commission. I would like to go through the district and see what the feeling is there, and if I find out that the people of the district are opposed to the sale of the land I will be opposed to the sale of the land here at our next meeting. I will be prepared at that time to vote.

Reconsideration prevailed, and the item in question was referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

2. Report on message of Mayor, preambles and preamble and order (referred November 26) for sale of land on Seaver street, near Harold street—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 7, nays 1. Coun. Donoghue voting nay.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

PARKMAN FUND.

Coun. BRICKLEY, for the Committee on Parkman Fund, submitted a report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for appropriation of \$25,793.85 from income of Parkman Fund for park improvements—that the order ought to pass.

Later in the session, on motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, the order, which had been laid on the table in executive session, was taken from the committee, and the question came on its passage.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I want at this time to withdraw my objection to this particular proposition, because I have been informed that unless this money is appropriated before the first of the year it will go back into the city treasury unexpended. I do not want to be in the position of holding up a small amount of money like this at any one particular time, but I do feel, and this is the particular thing I am interested in, that this money should be appropriated at the beginning of the year on the basis of the estimated income from the Parkman Fund for the entire year, and that some comprehensive program should be arranged setting forth how the moneys are to be spent during the year. This being the end of the present fiscal year, however, it would probably be unfair to hold up this particular appropriation at this time. I have been assured that during the coming year a program will be laid out by the chairman of the Park Board, showing just what projects will be taken care of from the income from the Parkman Fund during the fiscal year of 1924. That is the principle that I have stood for from the beginning, and that is the way the matter should be handled, instead of taking each individual amount which accumulates from time to time and disposing of it. We should have a comprehensive system and plan for the expenditure of these moneys. I have been assured that that will be done during the coming year. For that reason, I withdraw any objection I might have to the passage of this item at this time.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I think I ought to say that a great fight was made earlier against spending the Parkman Fund money unless it was already earned. The laying out of a program at the beginning of the year I think would be feasible, but two, three or five years ago, perhaps, there was a long controversy in the Council in regard to the matter, and they reached the conclusion that the money would not be appropriated until the Parkman Fund trustees said that it was earned. I think the decision reached some years ago might very properly be returned to.

Coun. WATSON—It has already been violated one hundred times.

The order was passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Councilors Brickley, Donoghue, Hagan, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Walsh, Watson—8. Nays—0.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

Coun. BRICKLEY called up unfinished business, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, December 3, 1923, viz.:

1. Leopold Lepore, to be a Constable.
2. Shirley R. Caplin, to be a Weigher of Coal.
3. Charles G. Hough, William I. Marlor, Horton I. Marlor and James G. Murphy, to be Weighers of Goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Watson and Brickley. Whole number of ballots cast 6, yeas 5, nays 1, and the appointments were confirmed.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. MORIARTY moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 4.29 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. HEALEY to meet on Monday, December 31, at two o'clock p. m.

Thursday, December 27, 1923.

Special meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of drawing jurors, President LANE in the chair and a quorum present.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

James J. Donovan, Ward 1; Thomas A. Murphy, Ward 2; Frederick A. Hood, Ward 3; Arthur Helliwell, Ward 6; Charles P. McCaffrey, Ward 6; David G. Laney, Ward 7; Albert R. Thayer, Ward 8; William L. Cotter, Ward 10; John F. Keely, Ward 11; Thomas Dowling, Ward 14; Frederick Schmidt, Ward 14; Oliver F. Dore, Ward 17; William E. Parker, Ward 18; Arthur W. Grosse, Ward 20; Royden Loring, Ward 21; Henry A. Talbot, Ward 23; H. Lockwood Brown, Ward 24; Thomas Jones, Ward 24; George E. Richardson, Ward 24; Samuel Bernhardt, Ward 25; Howard C. Lantz, Ward 25; John Strachan, Ward 26.

Adjourned at 1.55 o'clock p. m.

PUBLIC RECREATION IN BOSTON.

Number of large parks, 24; separate playgrounds, 44, with total of 324.5 acres, also 13 playgrounds in parks, with area of 155 acres; small parks and squares, 728; total area, 2,686.79 acres. Cost of Main Park System, *i. e.*, 1,386 acres (including Common and Public Garden, 72.65 acres) land and construction (since 1877 when begun), \$12,204,876; of Marine Park System, *i. e.*, 457.9 acres (since 1883), \$4,601,045; of all other parks and public grounds, \$2,537,898; of separate playgrounds, \$4,458,331. Total cost, \$23,802,150, of which \$9,789,096 is for land alone.

The leading attraction of the Main Park System is Franklin Park (named for Benjamin Franklin), acquired in 1883-84, and containing 527 acres, about 80 of which are occupied by the Zoological Garden, 15 miles of walks, 8 miles of driveways, etc., the entire cost up to 1921 being \$4,496,801. There are also within the City limits 964 acres of Metropolitan parks and parkways under State control, chief of which is Stony Brook Reservation in West Roxbury, containing 464 acres of wild forested hill and dale with many rocky knolls and an extensive view of the Charles River valley and beyond.

Number of public indoor baths open all the year, 14; 9 beach baths and 7 floating baths open during summer; indoor gymnasia, 11; total number of indoor baths taken in year 1921, 1,527,171, of which 74.3 per cent were by men and boys.

Park Department maintenance for 1921-22 (including Cemetery Division), \$1,366,048 or \$63,260 less than in 1920. Outlay for playground improvements, \$72,885; for park improvements, \$394,748, of which \$254,575 was from Parkman Fund income. Gross debt for parks,

public grounds, etc., outstanding February 1, 1922, \$9,681,050; for playgrounds, \$2,224,300; total, \$11,905,350 or \$794,250 less than in 1921. By Chap. 13, Ord. 1920, the Cemetery Department was merged with the Park Dept., the latter title being substituted for Park and Recreation Department.

Including the State assessments of \$948,310 for Metropolitan parks, boulevards, etc., and \$238,073 for Charles River Basin improvements, the total expended for public recreation purposes in 1921 was \$2,903,689 or \$82,782 more in 1920.

Total valuation of City properties devoted to recreation \$69,306,900 (including \$55,112,400 for Boston Common and Public Garden), which far exceeds that of any other American city except New York.

CITY OF BOSTON.

REGISTRY DEPARTMENT,
103 CITY HALL ANNEX.

NOTICE TO PHYSICIANS, REGISTERED HOSPITAL MEDICAL OFFICERS AND HOUSEHOLDERS.

Physicians and registered hospital medical officers and householders can obtain blanks for return of births on application at this office or they will be mailed on request.

NOTICE TO PARENTS.

Parents can obtain blanks for return of births on application at this office, or they will be mailed on request.

GENERAL LAWS, CHAPTER 46.

(Extract from Section 6.)

SECT. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the city or town in which such child is born.

The parent who neglects to give notice of a birth for ten days after the time limited therefor shall forfeit not more than five dollars for each offence.

BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

SUPERINTENDENT'S CIRCULAR No. 31.

"Pupils admitted for the first time must present a birth certificate, baptismal record, official governmental passport, containing proof of age, or evidence satisfactory to the principal that none of these is obtainable."

The importance of a birth record is shown in the above regulation

E. W. MCGLENEN, Registrar,
December 24, 1923. (Jan. 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING WATER METERS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service, 710 Albany street, with:

6,500	½-inch meters.
200	¾-inch meters.
150	1-inch meters.
100	1½-inch meters.
75	2-inch meters.
50	3-inch meters.

Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read on Friday, January 18, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(Jan. 5.)

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING IRON CASTINGS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service:

100,000 pounds frames and covers.

Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor, prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Thursday, January 17, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Jan. 5.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING MANURE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one-half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for removing manure from the stables and yards in the various divisions of the Public Works Department, between February 1, 1924, and January 31, 1925, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200), to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Removing Manure," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, January 16, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100), payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price bid appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, January 3, 1924. (Jan. 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, December 26, 1923.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and buildings on the southwesterly side of Berkeley street, Boston proper, between Stuart street and Stanhope street, containing 17,254 square feet more or less, for police headquarters building purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of January 14, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(Jan. 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING IRON CASTINGS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service:

150,000 pounds, more or less, service pipe castings.

Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at 12 m., Thursday, January 17, 1924, at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Jan. 5.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING IRON CASTINGS,
FLANGED FRAMES, 9 BY 9.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service, 70,000 pounds, more or less; iron castings, consisting of flanged frames. Blank proposals to be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at 12 m., Thursday, January 17, 1924, at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Jan. 5.) Superintendent of Supplies.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WIRE FENCE AT ARNOLD ARBORETUM.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for wire fence at Arnold Arboretum. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Wire Fence at Arnold Arboretum," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, January 17, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,500 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(Jan. 5-12.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR TEAMING COAL TO FERRYBOATS.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for teaming coal from coal pockets at the North or South Ferry, East Boston side, and delivering same to ferryboats at North and South Ferry, East Boston side, between February 1, 1924, and January 31, 1925, when ordered to do so by the Commissioner, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Teaming Coal to Ferryboats," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, January 15, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out, the proposal will at said hour and place be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price bid appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, January 3, 1924. (Jan. 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO MANUFACTURERS OF STEEL LOCKERS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Charles Sumner District School, Poplar street, West Roxbury, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, January 15, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(Jan. 5.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

AUCTION SALE.

By order of the Schoolhouse Commission, I shall sell at public auction, upon the premises, Wednesday, January 9, 1924, at eleven o'clock a. m., two frame three-family houses to be demolished and removed from the lots on which they stand, at 4 and 5 Arcadia terrace, Dorchester, on or before February 1, 1924. The successful bidder must furnish a bond satisfactory to the Schoolhouse Commission for the full completion of the work and to protect the City of Boston against all damages, also remove all dirt caused by removing buildings, and erect a temporary fence along Arcadia terrace street line of property. The city reserves the right to confirm bids. Terms, cash at time of sale.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
(Jan. 5.) 28 School Street, Boston.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WEIGHING AND VENDING
MACHINES IN FERRYHOUSES.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for the privilege of placing weighing and vending machines in the four headhouses of the Ferry Division, between February 1, 1924, and January 31, 1925, and giving a bond approved by the Commissioner. The bidder will furnish his own proposal and submit a price for each machine and the number to be placed in each headhouse, and leave the same at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, January 15, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100), payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will at said hour and place be publicly opened and read. The proposals should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Weighing and Vending Machines." Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price bid appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, January 3, 1924. (Jan. 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING IRON CASTINGS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service, 350,000 pounds, more or less, iron castings as follows:

350,000 pounds gate and hydrant castings.

Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, on Thursday, January 17, 1924, at 12 noon. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Jan. 5.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.
STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE
CITY OF BOSTON, January 3, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening and construction of School street, Boston proper, as a highway, on the southwesterly side, between Province street and Chapman place, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of January 15, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(Jan. 5-12.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

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BOSTON'S SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM GETS AN ADDITION BY NEW MATTAPAN BUILDING.

STRUCTURE IN TILESTON DISTRICT SOON TO BE CONTRACTED FOR, AND WORK STARTED IN SPRING. FOUR-ROOM UNIT OF TWELVE-ROOM EDIFICE.



NEW SCHOOL BUILDING TO BE ERECTED IN TILESTON DISTRICT, MATTAPAN, BY SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Boston, under the direction of the Mayor, through the Schoolhouse Commission, is fast completing the program of providing plenty of school room for the city's pupils and the policy of doing away with portable houses.

The latest addition to the number to be completed or under way is that of the Tileston District, on Walk Hill street, Mattapan. The building is a four-room unit of a possible twelve-room school and is of second-class con-

struction. The outer walls are of Barrington brick. The cost of the building when completed will be \$100,000.

The basement will contain the boiler rooms, a janitor's quarters, boys' and girls' toilets, a playroom and a store-room. On the first floor there will be four class rooms. The plans have been prepared by Mulhall & Holmes, architects, and construction will be started early in the spring, according to present plans.

MAYOR CURLEY WINS FOR EVERETT MAN OVER IMMIGRATION LAWS.

An immigration case, establishing a most important precedent, and which gave Mayor Curley especial gratification, was reported on Thursday, January 3.

It appears that Robert J. Mitchinson emigrated to the United States from England, November 25, 1922, and located in Everett, where he now resides at 25 Carlson street.

Mr. Mitchinson obtained employment as a structural steel worker and immediately filed first naturalization papers

By reason of frugal living he was able to secure a furnished home in Everett, send for his family in England, which consisted of Annie Mitchinson, thirty-two years, wife; Annie Mitchinson, eleven years, daughter; Wilfred Mitchinson, four years, son; Ronald Mitchinson, one year, son. The family have been temporarily residing at 59 Osborne avenue, Montreal.

Mrs. Mitchinson and her children landed at Halifax, Nova Scotia, upon the S. S. "Regina," and applied for admission to the United States on November 25, 1923. Commissioner John H. Clark, Montreal, held that as the quota of persons eligible for admission from the

United Kingdom was exhausted, upon the date of application, it was impossible to allow the admission of Mrs. Mitchinson or any member of her family, although no charges were made against the admission of the immigrants other than that the quota from the United Kingdom was exhausted. Mayor Curley was advised of the case and immediately took an appeal to Hon. W. W. Husband, Commissioner General, Bureau of Immigration, Washington, D. C., and for a second time the appeal in behalf of the Mitchinson family was denied, under date of December 14, 1923.

Mayor Curley, notwithstanding the unfavorable reports, immediately contended that whatever may be the intention of the Dillingham-Burnett immigration law, the policy of separating husbands, wives and children presents an intolerable situation and one providing of great cruelty and outrage. The Mayor further held that in the event that the exclusion was made permanent it was extremely doubtful that the officials of the Dominion of Canada would demand the deportation of Mrs. Mitchinson and her family, and in consequence it would be necessary for the husband to maintain two homes, one in the United States and one in Canada.

Mayor Curley further took steps to advise the British Government that an intolerant cruelty in the separation of husband, wife and children was taking place, in which the interests of British subjects were seriously affected. The case was also reported to Hon. Edward F. Gray, the British Consul in Boston. A special ruling has now admitted Mrs. Mitchinson and family.

There appears to be no well defined provision of law relative to the enforced separation of husband and family under the present law, and it is hoped that measures now pending in Washington will provide for the enactment of a new immigration law, or for amendments for new legislation devising ways and means to prevent such hardships as were instanced in the Mitchinson case.

CITY WINS \$300,000 BY CIRCUIT COURT DECISION.

The City of Boston again wins a victory in the McGovern case, in the Circuit Court of Appeals of the United States, relative to the construction of the Dorchester Tunnel. The Circuit Court decided in favor of the city some months ago and ruled it need not pay the several hundred thousand dollars awarded the McGovern Company by the District Court. The McGovern Company asked for a re-hearing before the Circuit Court of Appeals, and this request was opposed by Hon. E. Mark Sullivan, Corporation Counsel, who again is returned victor. The city saves approximately \$300,000 by this victory.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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A rate of \$2 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the *City Record*. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by Thursday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, January 14, at 2 p. m.

Regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston, in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, on Monday, January 21, at 6.30 o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information

regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

LIST OF PETITIONS FOR HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.

MONDAY, JANUARY 14.

NAME.	Location.	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Edward F. Eldredge & Co., agents..	728 Washington street.....	5	Marquee.
Max Annis.....	10 and 12 Michigan avenue.....	19	Maintaining one car.
C. DeGregorio.....	159 Princeton street.....	2	One car additional.
Rubin Handel.....	21 Vesta road.....	19	One car.
Margaret L. Williams.....	175 Cambridge street.....	26	One car.
Mary A. Burns.....	1658 Columbia road.....	10	Two cars.
Bridget Connolly.....	152 Neponset avenue.....	20	Two cars.
John H. Graham.....	118 Tonawanda street.....	19	Two cars.
Michal Kostecki.....	124 Wood avenue.....	24	Two cars.
Isaac Sheinberg.....	50 Harwood street.....	21	Two cars.
Jessie Todd.....	Crestwood park.....	16	Two cars.
Roman J. Vasil.....	17 Jenkins street.....	11	Two cars.
Bronislaw T. Yurkanis.....	1654 Columbia road.....	10	Two cars.
Bella Lewis.....	37 Clifford street.....	16	Maintaining three cars.
Otto Buchwald.....	217 and 219 Lamartine street.....	22	Group garage, three units, three cars.
Charles Marrotta.....	238 Webster street.....	2	Group garage, four units, four cars.
W. P. Murray.....	37 Kempton street.....	14	Group garage, twenty units, twenty cars.
Thomas H. Connolly.....	996 Columbus avenue.....	13	Public garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.
James A. Dorsey, and heirs and devisees of James Dorsey.	20 Dacia street.....	17	Public garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.
Aleck Aronofsky.....	20 Kemble street.....	12	500 gallons gasoline.
Stetson Coal Company.....	496 First street.....	9	500 additional gallons gasoline.
L. W. Howard.....	88 Commercial wharf.....	5	1,000 barrels lubricating oils, etc.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for dredging dock and repairing wharf of Engine 31, North End paving yard. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, after Tuesday January 15. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 24, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting wire fence at the Arnold Arboretum. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids for the work, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for repairs to the Paris Street Gymnasium, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 24, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for the privilege of placing vending and weighing machines in the four headhouses of the Ferry Division. Bidders will furnish their own proposals and submit price for each machine and the number to be placed in each headhouse to Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. A certified check in the amount of \$100 to be filed at the same time and place.

Bids close Tuesday, January 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for teaming coal from coal pockets at the North and South Ferries, East Boston side and delivering same to North and South Ferries, East Boston side. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 15, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Advertises for proposals for removing manure from the various stables and yards in the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$200. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, January 16, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for cleaning 10,500 catch-basins in seven city districts. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in an amount equivalent to 5 per cent of the contract price, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 22, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Charles Sumner District School, Poplar street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 15, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing iron castings, 150,000 pounds more or less. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service, 250,000 pounds gate and hydrant castings. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bids, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water

Service, 100,000 pounds of frames and covers. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service, 70,000 pounds, more or less, iron castings, flanged frames. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department with water meters. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, January 18, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, January 10:

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

The following men have been appointed clerks in the Water Division, at \$1,000 a year: John F. Travers, James P. Kelly, Charles W. Mahoney, Fred J. McCarthy, Philip A. Grant.

The Mayor has approved the following payment for services as acting teller, during the month of December: Francis J. O'Connell, 25 days at \$3, \$75.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Elizabeth Kagan has ceased employment, and Bessie Olansky has been employed in her stead at \$3 a day.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Kathleen E. Dolan has been appointed clerk with knowledge of typewriting at \$840 a year.

Sarah G. Finn has been appointed clerk, with knowledge of typewriting, at \$840 a year.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments were made for the week ending January 3:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Katherine Reureau, institution employee, at a salary of \$580 a year, to succeed Annice L. Wile.

Helen Carroll, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Mildred Hunt.

James A. Crowley, porter, at a salary of \$500 a year, to succeed John R. Dolan.

Helen Dane, institution employee, at a salary of \$520 a year, to succeed Marie Boisvert.

Margaret M. Downey, pupil nurse, at a salary of \$300 a year, to succeed Dorothy M. O'Keefe.

George F. Grace, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Oscar Nutting.

Joseph E. Harkins, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Nellie T. Ahearn.

Mildred Hunt, transferred from attendant at \$600 to institution employee, at a salary of \$520 a year, to succeed Katherine Buoreau.

Margaret M. Meeley, pupil nurse, at a salary of \$300 a year, to succeed Gertrude B. Minnehan.

Oscar Nutting, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed George Raftery.

Josephine O'Connor, pupil nurse, at a salary of \$300 a year, to succeed Bertha F. Whitney.

Aaron Thurman, M. D., assistant resident physician, at a salary of \$1,100 a year, to succeed John D. Sheehan, M. D.

Margaret E. Wallace, head nurse, at a salary of \$1,080 a year, to succeed Helen Watson.

Nella K. Wallace, head nurse, at a salary of \$1,080 a year, to succeed Annie O'Keefe.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

John J. Bench and Isaiah L. Hinckley have been appointed visitors in the department at \$1,600 a year each, two new districts having been made.

Josephine M. Foley has been given further temporary appointment as clerk for ten days from January 2, 1924, at \$15 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Edward F. Murphy, division engineer of the Sewer and Sanitary Division, has been designated as Acting Commissioner of Public Works and Acting Commissioner for Boston and the Boston and Cambridge Bridges during the absence of the commissioner from January 13 to January 20 to attend the American Road Builders' Convention at Chicago and to visit the incinerator plant at Charleston, W. Va.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Central Office).

Daniel R. Murray has been promoted from civil service clerk at \$2,300 a year to civil service clerk at \$2,500 a year, and John J. Connelly from clerk at \$2,100 a year to clerk at \$2,300 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Andrew P. Malloy has been promoted from teamster-laborer at \$4 a day to blacksmith's helper at \$4.25 a day, effective January 4.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

The following promotions in the engineering branch have been approved:

William A. Johnson, first assistant engineer at \$2,300 a year to district engineer at \$2,900 a year.

Frank J. Gately, assistant engineer at \$2,000 a year to first assistant engineer at \$2,300 a year.

James B. Doherty has been granted an extension of temporary employment as laborer at \$4 a day.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

Leo James Hill, John H. Sullivan and Joseph F. Daly have been appointed clerks with knowledge of stenography and typewriting at \$1,200 a year each for sixty days.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Katherine H. Flynn, clerk, has been granted an increase in pay from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, January 3:

Edgar B. Coombs, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 3 days, \$18; John Carroll, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6; John Carroll, assistant engineer, 2½ days, \$15; Thomas Melley, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; Daniel Sweeney, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; Dennis O'Connell fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; Michael Dolan, fireman, 3 days, \$16.50; James Lee, coal passer, 1 day, \$4.67.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, January 3:

Aquarium Building.

Patrick J. Gorman, chief engineer, 1 day, \$6.50; John Finn, Thomas J. Lynch, Patrick McCann, Patrick J. McDermott, engineers, 1 day, \$5.83 each; Thomas F. Lomasney, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50. Total, \$35.32.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, January 3:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, laborer, 2 days, \$8; Edward F. Curley, laborer, 1 day, \$4; John J. Desmond, Austin Kelly, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 2 days, \$8 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 2 days, \$9.

Dorchester South Grounds.

Joseph A. Barrett, James Hagerty, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Fairview Cemetery.

Russell L. Grant, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Thomas Kilduff, laborer, 1 day, \$4; James Kingston, laborer, 2 days, \$8; Dennis Sullivan, laborer, 1 day, \$4.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 7:

First Assistant Drawtender.—J. A. Lynch, 1 day, \$438.

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. J. Skayhan, 3 days, \$12.33; D. J. Flynn, T. F. Reilly, 2 days, \$8.22 each; J. P. Collins, W. C. Fein, F. B. Rogers, P. J. McGonagle, J. J. Powers, J. J. Delay, F. E. Kaveney, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Subforeman.—P. J. Henebury, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Carpenters.—F. McConn, P. O'Toole, J. J. O'Hearn, J. J. McInnis, J. T. Mahan, B. A. McChane, J. J. Murphy, C. Conley, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Chauffeurs.—J. J. Green, T. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$5.78 each.

Laborers and Watchmen.—H. M. McLaughlin, P. H. Boyle, 1½ days, \$6 each; J. McManus, J. Clabby, E. F. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Total, \$165.73.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 7:

Captains.—Owen Shields, Edward R. Gray, Adin C. Small, William J. Ivers, John J. Belton, 1 day, \$7.67 each.

Quartermasters.—Thomas F. Carter, Charles Stafford, Edward C. Crouse, Patrick F. Kirley, Francis B. Morrison, 1 day, \$5.43 each.

Deckhands.—William A. Joyce, William F. Hollander, Thomas Doyle, John J. Cooper, Rufus W. Scott, Louis F. Gray, John Sweeney, William Lamie, John J. Driscoll, John J. Pilcher, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Tollmen.—Thomas F. Lynch, Henry H. McCarthy, William Greenall, John D. Mahoney, Frederick L. Heffron, William J. Timmins, Fred C. Horner, Michael F. Powers, Lendall P. Rollins, Michael F. O'Brien, John E. Brown, 1 day, \$5.13 each.

Gatemen.—John R. Dugan, John E. Nagle, Joseph A. Browne, Jeremiah F. McCarthy, William C. McMullen, James A. Quinn, John T. Callahan, Walter H. Noyes, James E. Green, Walter L. Brown, 1 day, \$4.80 each; Christopher T. Leonard, 2 days, \$9.60; James D. Collins, Thomas A. O'Hare, 1½ days, \$7.20 each.

Laborers.—Alfred N. Wesberg, Joseph O. White, Jeremiah Donahue, James L. O'Neil, Edward J. Wilkie, John J. Forrest, Edward J. O'Brien, James Kaerney, 1 day, \$4 each.

Engineers.—George F. Keating, John J. Reardon, James M. Walsh, Jeremiah P. Casey, John T. Quinn, 1 day, \$7.50 each.

Firemen.—George B. Roddy, Simon Collins, Michael D. Hurley, James Porter, James Kelly, John J. Ranahan, James Dearie, John P. Vallen, Charles Doherty, Nathan McConn, John J. McDonough, Henry T. McConnell, Owen Moore, Frank A. Keenan, Joseph E. Brown, Peter V. Fernandes, Dennis T. Horgan, Philip F. Gallagher, James P. Connors, Thomas Murphy, Christobal Fradau, Richard O'Brien, John Kelly, Owen F. Cox, Morgan J. Sullivan, Dennis Hannigan, August J. Sommers, James Gallagher, John Turvanen, James H. Carlin, Jeremiah J. McCarthy, Francis M. Donahue, Daniel H. Marliave, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Total, \$494.93.

Net cost for the week ending January 7, 1924, \$485.33.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 7:

Laborers.—Arthur Connor, Patrick Dolan, James Flynn, Elmer Kendall, Timothy Donovan, Michael Sweeney, Daniel J. McCormack, Daniel Higgins, James Noonan, Michael Caine, James Hall, Andrew Foley, Thomas O'Keefe,

William Graham, Thomas Conboy, Thomas Clark, Patrick Flaherty, Charles Devine, William Corrigan, Michael Barry and Bartholomew Dunn, 1 day, \$4 each; Patrick Connolly, Thomas McDonough, John Woods, Michael J. King, John Joyce, Owen Lynch, Timothy Hayes, Edward J. Lane, James J. McGuire, James J. Stewart, James Feeley, John Hickey, Edward Maher, John Skehan, Christopher Sullivan, John Wilkinson, Martin Gill, Patrick McGee, John St. John, Antonio Buono, Donato Vincenzo, Michael Hughes, Hubert May, James Murphy, John J. Dolan, John A. McDonough, Michael Cody, William Mulvey, Martin Gately, John Mullen, William Huber, Patrick Flaherty, Dennis Doyle, William McLaughlin, Edmund Lynch, Thomas Reynolds, William Beattie, Cornelius O'Neil, James A. Welch, Timothy Reardon, Patrick J. Owens, Daniel Murphy, Patrick Tierney, Edward Breen, Patrick Cain, Richard Cameron, Thomas Connolly, Daniel Dolan, Arthur Hickey, Edward Hines, James Healey, James Maroney, Joseph McDonald, Brian McGowan, Simon Nolan, Bernard Norton, Daniel Shea, William Chuff, John Mullin, Richard McGrath, Thomas Hogan, Michael Fitzgerald, Louis Johnson, Luke Kilduff, William McLaughlin, William C. McGee, James Henneberry, John Cassano, Thomas Laughlin, Daniel Liddy, John Rogers, Nicholas Walsh, Mark Moran, William Neville, James Moran, 1½ days, \$6 each; James McKenna, 1½ days, \$4.50; Vincent Fallon, 2 days, \$8; George McCormack, Thomas Walsh, 2½ days, \$10 each; Patrick Carroll, 3½ days, \$14; Patrick McLaughlin, Thomas King, ¾ day, \$3 each.

Stablemen.—Alexander McCarthy, Richard Howard, John J. Carroll, Michael Doyle, Charles Jacobs, James McKenney, James Fitzgerald, Martin Norton, 1 day, \$4 each; Maurice Fitzgerald, 2½ days, \$10.

Teamsters.—Dennis Donovan, Charles Bleiler, George Currie, John Doherty, William Doyle, Frank Haley, 1 day, \$4 each; James Brennan, 1½ days, \$6; William Hurley, John Devlin, 2½ days, \$10 each.

Pavers.—Edward Barry, Edward Doherty, ¾ day, \$3.75 each; Stephen Donahue, John O'Donnell, John O'Toole, Patrick S. McCarthy, Patrick J. Fitzpatrick, John T. McCarthy, James Donovan, Patrick Keeley, Cornelius Collins, James O'Malley, William Carson, Edward O'Malley, Coleman Durane, Dennis O'Neil Patrick Ridge, John Fallon, John O'Brien, Patrick Mulcahy, Coleman McDonough, William McCartney, John Claney, William Donahue, Coleman Feeley, Philip McGinn, Timothy O'Sullivan, John Mahoney and George Doherty, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Carpenters.—Peter Mooney, Robert Wilcox, Lawrence Clinton, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Carpenter's Helpers.—John T. Kelly, 1 day, \$4; Michael Maguire, 2½ days, \$10.

Chauffeur.—Thomas Ring, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Stonecutters.—William Noonan, Patrick Costello, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Watchman.—Timothy Callahan, 1 day, \$4.

Yardmen.—Charles Hennrikus, 1 day, \$4; Daniel Crowley, 2½ days, \$10.

Engineer.—John Mahoney, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 7:

Stablemen.—P. Lane, J. J. O'Connor, J. Campbell, J. Canney, P. Coffey, J. H. Carey, J. Donnelly, O. Kelley, F. Calbag, J. Curran, J. H. Kelly, J. Keyes, W. Knightley, W. Magee, J. McCaffrey, J. O'Halloran, T. J. Shea, J. J. Sullivan, F. W. Annis, C. J. Haley, F. J. Kane, M. Quirk, J. L. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—W. J. McCarthy, G. Stapleton, T. J. Lane, J. A. McNutt, D. Donovan, F. M. Williams, T. J. Berane, P. J. Downey, 2d, R. G. Purcell, W. H. Cadigan, P. Cassino, J. J. Curran, J. C. Donovan, J. Dumphy, N. J. Dunn, J. Fahey, A. Holbrook, W. J. Martin, T. H. Nugent, P. O'Hea, J. Wilmouth, N. J. Donegan, J. J. Spillane, J. F. Cavinaro, F. Cunningham, R. J. Hughes, K. F. Kenney, L. W. Lawler, L. Powers, John O'Brien, M. F. McGrath, M. Shaller, 1 day, \$4 each.

Wharfinger.—G. A. Ham, 1 day, \$4.

Watchmen.—T. M. Croake, P. J. Downey, 1st, J. Moore, J. Fay, M. J. Gately, J. Manning, M. Moran, T. Riley, P. J. Griffin, 1 day, \$4 each.

Laborer.—E. Collins, 1 day, \$4.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, W. F. Shaughnessy, W. Cassell, J. E. Burns, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Wharfman.—P. J. Kellard, 1 day, \$4.50.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 2 days, \$8.50.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 2 days, \$8 each.

Teamsters.—J. J. Barrett, ¾ day, \$3; J. J. Dowdall, 2½ days, \$8.50; G. F. Harrington, P. Norton, W. A. Crawford, ½ day, \$2 each; C. J. Hourihan, L. A. Medus, P. J. Nee, G. W. McGuinness, J. J. Fleming, 1½ days, \$7 each; J. F. Maloney, 2 days, \$8.

Blacksmiths.—W. J. O'Brien, M. F. Sullivan, 2 days, \$10 each.

Blacksmith's Assistants.—P. J. Buckley, C. J. Sullivan, 2 days, \$8.50 each.

Laborer.—A. R. Gaffey, 2 days, \$8.

Wharfmen.—J. L. Burke, J. F. Fay, J. Fleming, 1 day, \$4 each.

Total, \$427.50.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 7:

Stablemen.—Patrick J. Barry, John Delaney, Bernard Brady, 1 day, \$4 each.

Watchmen.—John English, John O'Neil, John H. O'Connor, Thomas W. Coughlin, Andrew T. Flaherty, Patrick Egan, James P. Keelan, Robert W. Sullivan, Edward J. Francis, John Henshon, Patrick Lombard, John Crowley, Timothy Driscoll, Thomas H. Kelley, 1 day, \$4 each; Malachi Hanley, 2½ days, \$10.

Laborers.—Peter King, Timothy Kennedy, Thomas Kirby, 1 day, \$4 each; Edward Flaherty, 2½ days, \$10; Peter Connolly, 2 days, \$8; Peter King, Patrick McDonough, Stephen Connolly, Timothy Kennedy, 3½ days, \$15 each; Edgar V. Sargent, ¾ day, \$3.50; James F. McCarthy, 2 days, \$8; Daniel McKenna, ¾ day, \$3.

Teamsters.—Cornelius J. Sullivan, 2½ days, \$9; Benjamin F. Gorman, ¾ day, \$3.50.

Sewer Cleaners.—Michael Foley, 3½ days, \$16.88; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2½ days, \$10.13 each; George H. Caswell, 3½ days, \$15.94; Stephen Manning, Jeremiah O'Brien, Michael

Neary, ¾ day, \$3.94 each; Thomas Byrne, ¾ day, \$3.72.

Chauffeur.—James McCarthy, 3½ days, \$16.88.

Steam Engineers.—Michael Duffy, 1 day, \$5; John H. Mahoney, 1 day, \$6.08; Thomas F. Maher, John McCarthy, 1 day, \$6.67 each.

Oilers.—Timothy Scully, Thomas McLaughlin, Michael J. Reilly, John F. Powell, Martin P. Mullin, Andrew Callan, John J. Jordan, Philip Lamb, Joseph Sullivan, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Firemen.—Joseph Quilty, Joseph Doherty, Patrick Powell, John McGowan, Patrick Curley, John Doherty, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Fifth Hoist Men.—John Francis, James Fitzgerald, John Hennessey, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Gatemen.—Richard J. Tobin, Christopher Kenney, William Mullin, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 7:

Chauffeurs.—Hugh Barry, 1½ days, \$5.06; T. J. McDonald, 4½ days, \$20.63; J. J. Connors, 1½ days, \$7.50; M. J. Givonella, F. Murphy, 3½ days, \$16.25 each; J. A. McCabe, W. G. Earley, 1½ days, \$8.75 each; T. J. Murphy, 2 days, \$10.

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, J. McGrath, T. O'Malley, P. F. Scanlon, P. J. Connolly, M. J. O'Connell, T. Ormand, P. Callahan, G. McGolgan, J. O'Donnell, W. O'Brien, D. Powers, C. J. Crowley, J. DeCoursey, P. McManus, M. Mullen, T. Downey, M. S. Healy, G. F. Keegan, W. Dwyer, W. Gorman, W. L. Hartnett, M. J. McCormack, J. J. McHugh, J. Monahan, C. Sullivan, J. Whelton, C. Riley, G. Campo, W. Gilen, J. Gilligan, W. H. Haugh, J. McDonough, G. Marcantino, H. A. Bourdon, C. D. Canty, R. Diccilio, J. F. Doherty, J. J. Clancy, A. Mercurio, P. Moran, V. Piscetelli, J. A. Reddington, P. Canny, J. B. Sullivan, H. J. McCarron, Certosimo, F. J. Considine, G. H. Corcoran, L. Davis, J. H. Doherty, W. P. Donnelly, J. Dowdall, C. Gallagher, P. Hogan, J. M. Kramer, B. Maraghy, J. J. Daley, W. Batts, J. Holand, M. T. Clougherty, J. Donahue, J. F. Brown, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, C. Noon, J. J. Carroll, J. Moriarty, G. Regele, 1½ days, \$6 each; P. Costello, D. P. Minihan, J. Wark, M. Cashman, 2½ days, \$10 each; R. M. Jennings, 1½ days, \$7; L. J. O'Neill, ¾ day, \$3.

Feeders.—L. J. McGahan, 3 days, \$12.75; P. Sweeney, J. J. Shea, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 7:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 2 days, \$9 each; T. Norton, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Emergencymen.—D. Curley, J. Doherty, 1 day, \$5 each; M. Donohue, 1 day, \$4.50; M. Carney, T. Kinaha, 2 days, \$8.50 each; A. Christie, 1 day, \$4.25; W. Lonergan, R. Curcio, W. Fitzsimmons, J. Kelley, J. Mahan, M. McCue, 1 day, \$4 each.

Repairers.—D. Burke, 1 day, \$5; J. Hourihan, 3½ day, \$4.22; D. Hanlon, 1 day, \$5; P. Flynn, 3½ day, \$3.59; J. Picardi, 1½ days, \$6.38; J. Leonard, ¾

day, \$3.80; C. Sullivan, B. Dellorusso, J. Dolan, 1 day, \$4.50 each; E. Hasenfus, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.75; S. Mariani, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.80; D. Kirby, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.25; R. Kelley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.59; W. Shields, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.36; H. Cauley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.84; J. Morrissey, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.41; J. Blessington, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.88; T. Byrnes, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.78; A. McDougall, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.59; T. Rose, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.69; J. Cummings, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.75; M. Matthews, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53; J. McLean, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.59; M. Adley, 1 day, \$4.50; F. Schena, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.53; F. Petrocchi, 1 day, \$4.25.

Laborers.—J. McCaffrey, S. LoPilato, P. Clougherty, H. McCauley, W. Rice, 2 days, \$8 each; P. Mulkearn, E. Pyne, T. Toolin, J. Sullivan, J. Cunningham, P. Cassidy, T. Mulrey, D. Shea, P. Gorman, T. Donovan, P. McCarthy, D. Ring, D. Hegarty, E. Kelley, E. Sullivan, I. Klein, P. McLaughlin, P. Conley, P. Walsh, 1 day, \$4 each; A. Jenness, J. McGuire, F. Kaskey, J. McGee, J. Lonergan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3 each; P. Linehan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.38; T. McGuinness, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.50; W. Whelton, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6; J. T. O'Brien, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.59; S. LoPilato, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; W. Whelton, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6; J.

Feeley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; P. Coleman, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.20; G. Condon, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.13; M. McGrail, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; G. Waters, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.13.

Transit Job.—J. Cummings, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.69; M. Matthews, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.72; M. Rizzo, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.23; J. Gallagher, 1 day, \$4.50; G. Cataldo, N. DeEso, P. Green, J. Fenton, J. McLaughlin, W. Corbett, 1 day, \$4 each.

Total, \$433.41; paid by Transit Department, \$71.14; net total, \$362.27.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 5 the Mayor approved contracts with lowest bidders as indicated below for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during January, 1924. Bids for the supply, opened December 28, were as follows:

DISTRICTS	No. 2 Hay.	No. 3 Hay.	Straw.	No. 2 Oats.	Shorts.	Corn.
SOUTH BOSTON.						
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.	*\$25 25	\$24 00				
The Whittemore Company			*\$27 50	*\$0 58 $\frac{1}{2}$	\$38 00	*\$1 20
John J. White Company	27 40	26 90	29 75	62 $\frac{1}{2}$	†39 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company	26 95	26 45	28 00	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	40 00	
Lord & Webster Company	28 00		30 50	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	39 50	1 48
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.				59	*37 00	
EAST BOSTON.						
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.	*25 50	24 00				
William Culkeen & Sons Company	26 95	26 45	*28 00	*59	40 00	
Lord & Webster Company	28 00		30 50	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	*39 50	*1 48
CHARLESTOWN.						
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.	*25 00	24 00				
The Whittemore Company				59	38 50	*1 20
John J. White Company	27 65	27 15	29 75	63	39 50	
William Culkeen & Sons Company	26 95	26 45	28 00	59	40 00	
Lord & Webster Company	28 00		*27 75	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	39 50	†1 45
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.				*59	*37 00	
CITY PROPER.						
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.	*25 00	24 00	*27 00			
The Whittemore Company			27 50	*58 $\frac{1}{2}$	38 00	*1 20
John J. White Company	26 90	26 40	29 50	61 $\frac{1}{2}$	38 50	
William Culkeen & Sons Company	26 95	26 45	28 00	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	40 00	
Lord & Webster Company	28 00		27 25	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	39 00	1 45
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.				59	37 00	
ROXBURY.						
Landy Brothers	*26 75	26 50	28 50	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	39 00	
The Whittemore Company	26 90	26 65	*27 25	*58 $\frac{1}{2}$	38 00	*1 20
Lord & Webster Company	28 00		28 25	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	39 50	1 48
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.				59	*37 00	
DORCHESTER.						
Landy Brothers	*27 00	26 75	26 50	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	39 00	
The Whittemore Company	27 25	27 00	*27 25	*58 $\frac{1}{2}$	38 00	*1 20
Lord & Webster Company	28 00		28 25	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	39 50	1 45
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.				59	37 00	
WEST ROXBURY.						
Landy Brothers	*27 00	26 75	28 50	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	39 00	
The Whittemore Company	27 00	26 75	*27 25	*58 $\frac{1}{2}$	*38 00	*1 20
BRIGHTON.						
Ogden & Thompson	28 25		28 50	60 $\frac{1}{2}$	39 00	*1 10
The Whittemore Company	*27 75	27 50	*28 50	*59 $\frac{1}{2}$	38 00	1 20
HYDE PARK.						
The Whittemore Company	*28 00	27 75	*28 50	*60	*38 00	*1 20

* Lowest bidder. † \$1.48 on Supply Department copy. ‡ \$39.50 on Supply Department copy.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

John Bowen Company have been ordered to add to contract for the erection of the Thorndike Memorial Building at Boston City Hospital the sum of \$24,517.85 for the following:

Item 1, change in hood in chemical laboratory, third floor, \$94.90; Item 2, changes and additions in laboratories on the third and fourth floors, \$18,934.54; Item 3, changes in lecture hall according to plans and specifications, enlarging back of hall on first floor, installing new doors in basement and installing sheet steel on side wall, \$2,963.19; Item 4, work in connection with the installation of water still in the chemical laboratory, third floor, \$185; Item 5, moving

gas meters to location as required by inspector, \$351.70; Item 6, cutting off top of empty pipes, \$5.58; Item 7, changes in projection machine curtains in lecture hall, \$213.25; Item 8, furnishing and installing two steel tanks for air and vacuum pumps, \$320.44; Item 9, changing location of stereopticon plug to rear of lecture hall and installing five floor plugs in front of lecture hall and omitting Frink reflector, \$301.45; Item 10, furnishing and installing siphon tank for cooling water jacket of air pump, \$175; Item 11, furnishing and installing new type of reflectors in plate illumination cases, \$1,000.38; Item 12, for 122 chairs at \$6.15 each, \$750.30; allowance for 150 chairs at \$2.50, \$375; (included in original contract, \$375.30; cost, \$375; plus 10 per cent commission, \$37.50; plus $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent bond, \$6.19; net cost, \$419.02; total additions \$24,964.45; Item 13, deduction for using Hixon's special cardiograph box instead of a three-way polarized receptacle, etc., \$416.60; net addition, \$24,517.85.

The above addition makes the contract stand as follows: Amount at signing, \$313,000; deduction, No. 1, \$2,500; deduction, No. 2, \$5,763.80; addition, No. 3, \$4,950; deduction, No. 4, \$766; addition, No. 5, \$24,910.77; addition No. 6, \$8,808.82; addition, No. 7, \$20,580.48; addition, No. 8, \$3,310.42; addition, No. 9, \$2,119.42; addition, as above, \$24,517.85; contract to date, \$393,167.96.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$220, on contract with the B. E. Grant Company for recut granite block and wood block pavement in Chauncy and Essex streets and Harrison avenue, city proper, on account of relaying wood block pavement and furnishing new wood blocks where necessary. Original contract, \$35,284.90; total additions, \$4,220; contract as standing, \$39,504.90.

An addition, amounting to \$207, on contract with J. A. Singarella for laying artificial stone sidewalks in East Fourth, I and East Fifth streets, South Boston; Magazine and Sunnyside streets, Roxbury; Robin Hood and Hartford streets, Old road and Roslin street, Dorchester; Oriole and Wren streets, West Roxbury, on account of omitting the edgestone and gutters on the westerly side and substituting edgestone and gutters on the easterly side. Original contract, \$8,630.15; total additions, \$2,957; contract as standing, \$11,587.15.

Additions, amounting to \$565, on contract with John McCourt Company for laying bitulithic pavement in Ashland street, West Roxbury, on account of removing additional tree; removing tree limbs; furnishing additional concrete on parapet walls and pointing joints of old parapet walls as directed. Original contract, \$27,957.20; total additions, \$565; contract as standing, \$28,522.20.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$255, on contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for laying high service water pipes in South, High, Oliver and Milk streets and McKinley square, city proper, on account of furnishing labor and materials used in cutting out and relocating 12-inch high service and 12-inch low service mains. Original contract, \$47,621.75; total additions, \$2,680; contract as standing, \$50,301.75.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

R. J. Connolly has been allowed the following additions to contracts for eight moving portables, Group 111, School: For installing plumbing in Portable No. 164, \$3,219.97; eight coal boxes, \$385; changing location, No. 61, \$45; elevated runway and plank walk, Nos. 124 and 125, \$345.36; plank walk for six portables, Roxbury High School, \$432.40; two new firepots Nos. 124 and 125, \$65; portable 64, new sills and extra repairs, \$341; total addition, \$4,834.73. Contract price, \$8,560; total additions, \$4,834.73; amount of contract, \$13,394.73.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed the following additions to contract for alterations at the English High School: 1, changing lunch counter and changing location of metal covered closet and making slate platform back of counters, \$94; 2, connecting and setting up soapstone sinks and repairing slate top on demonstration table in physics room and changing over drains from steam table in lunch rooms, \$240; 3, miscellaneous painting of lettering as per instructions of Head Master Downey, \$400; 4, for furnishing and installing rubber ring sprinkler and hose, one white duck shower curtain with snaps, one curtain rod and brackets for shower, \$27.78; 5, cutting partitions in toilet room, third floor, for motor and repairing cabinet and trap door in classroom, first floor, \$22; 6, for reinforcing framing and trussing up class room partition, third floor, English High side, \$183.60; total addition, \$967.38. Deductions: 1, omitting I beams, third floor corridor framing, \$105.60; 2, omitting hard pine floor joists over physical laboratory, \$48; 3, omitting lath and plaster over section of physical laboratory, \$105; total deduction, \$258.60; additions, \$967.38; deductions, \$258.60; net addition, \$708.78. Contract price, \$27,900; total additions, \$2,104.28; amount of contract, \$30,004.28.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURES.

"What women have done for music in America," is the subject which Mrs. William Arms Fisher will discuss in the Public Library Lecture Hall Sunday afternoon, January 13. Mrs. Fisher approaches her subject from the angle of woman's great contribution in the development of audiences throughout the United States, their service in providing concert experiences to young talent, their extension of territory for the concert attractions which now play so large a part in every community's winter season, their tremendous influence in bringing about children's symphony concerts, and the support they have rendered in the development of symphony and band units in the public schools. Mrs. Fisher will touch upon the rapid growth of settlement schools, and the present trend of city-wide endeavors to provide more and better music to the masses, and greater participation in music and less exploitation of personalities.

Mrs. Fisher has long been identified with musical organization work as vice president of the National Federation of Music Clubs, and as a promoter of civic music associations.

Miss Grace Gordon Pierce, soprano, director of music in the Arlington public schools, will contribute a group of American songs by women composers, with Mrs. M. L. Felton at the piano.

TRANSFERS IN APPROPRIATIONS.

City Auditor Rupert S. Carven announces the following transfers in appropriations in departments of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk, indorsed by Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox and approved by his Honor the Mayor:

BOARD OF EXAMINERS (Building Department).

Boston, December 27, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request that the following transfer be made in the appropriation for the Board of Examiners:

From the appropriation for B-2, Postage, \$15.90, to the appropriation for D-1, Office Supplies.

This change is occasioned by a revised estimate.

Very truly yours,

JOHN F. HICKEY,
Chairman.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor, January 2, 1924.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Boston, December 31, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I desire a transfer in the appropriation of this department as follows:

From the appropriation for A-1, Clerk at \$1,800-\$1,900 a year \$161.38, to appropriation for A-1, Tenement House Inspector at \$1,900 a year, \$161.38.

Yours very truly,

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Building Commissioner.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor, January 2, 1924.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Boston, December 29, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request the following transfer within the appropriation of the Public Buildings Department: From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$80, to appropriation for A-3, unassigned, \$80.

Respectfully yours,

FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor, January 2, 1924.

OFFICE OF THE MEDICAL EXAMINER.

Boston, December 26, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

Your Honor,—I respectfully request that the following sums be transferred within the appropriation for the Medical Examiner Service, Southern Division, for the reasons given below:

From D-1 to B-2, Postage, \$2.50.

From B-28 to B-5, Freight of Bodies, \$180.

This service will have handled at the end of the year well over 1,000 cases, in contract to 864 handled in 1922. More cases mean more transportation.

It is impossible to foretell with accuracy the number of cases which will arise in this service in a given time.

From B-28 to B-13, Telephone, \$25.

In handling an increased number of cases telephone calls have increased and we have had several telegrams with reference to deaths, ordinarily sent collect, which have been returned undelivered with payment required at this end.

From C-9 to B-14, Auto Storage and Repairs, \$35.

Through an error \$25 was transferred from B-14 to C-4 in July, 1923, at the time of purchase of the automobile now used. Two unfortunate though minor accidents to the car have required additional money for repairs.

From C-9 to B-35, Fees, \$40.

The increase in the number of cases has occasioned increased investigation including autopsies and therefore fees.

From C-9 to B-37, Photographs, \$5.

An increase in the number of unknown persons coming into our hands has necessitated an increase in the number of photographs required.

Respectfully yours,

TIMOTHY LEARY,
Medical Examiner Suffolk County.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor, January 2, 1924.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

John Bowen Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the erection and completion of the Thorndike Memorial Building, East Concord street, Boston, by striking out, in the eighth paragraph of Section one, on page 12, the numerals "90," and substituting therefor the numerals "95," so that said eighth paragraph of said Section one shall read "ninety-five per cent" instead of "ninety per cent" wherever "ninety per cent" occurs in said paragraph.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Lynch & Woodward have been granted an extension of the time for completion of the contract for the installation of a ventilating fan in the Lecture Hall of the Central Library building, dated September 22, 1923, from November 22, 1923, to January 10, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Casey & Darcy Company have been granted an extension of time of completion of the contract for partition wall and stairway in old coal house, Calf Pasture pumping station, Dorchester, from December 14, 1923, to January 14, 1924, thirty-one days.

A. M. Smith Iron Works have been granted an extension of time of completion of the contract for new iron floors and appurtenance for filth hoisting building, Calf Pasture pumping station, Dorchester, from December 22, 1923, to January 15, 1924, twenty-four days.

The Petroleum Heat and Power Company have been granted an extension of time of completion of the contract for complete oil-burning installation for sewerage pumping station at Calf Pasture, Dorchester, from June 30, 1923, to December 22, 1923, 175 days.

CITY TO OBSERVE TWO HOLIDAYS IN ONE.

The City of Boston will officially observe Washington's Birthday and Lincoln Day this year for the first time with a public meeting to be held on the Sunday midway between the two anniversaries. The meeting will be on Sunday evening, February 17 in a suitable public auditorium.

The Public Celebration Association, co-operating as usual with the Mayor and Director of Public Celebrations on such holiday events, has organized a special committee to make the plans and a program is being devised. Only general plans have yet been considered. The committee at a meeting the coming week will begin to formulate a definite program which will be duly announced as soon as ready.

The Washington-Lincoln Committee consists of Edward L. Curran, chairman; E. B. Mero, secretary; Merle R. Griffith, Frederic G. Bauer, William Carroll Hill, John J. Keenan, James H. Phelan, Henry J. D. Small, Louis Watson, Harry N. Guterman, George W. Tupper, William H. Keene, Addison L. Winship, John B. Archibald, Frank Leveroni, Frank Chouteau Brown, Wilfred F. Kelley and Joseph A. F. O'Neil.

TEAMSTERS' STRIKE DELAYED AFTER MAYOR'S CONFERENCE.

Mayor Curley on January 5 sent the following letter to the secretary of the order adopted at the meeting of the Team Drivers' and Team Owners' Associations.

DEAR SIR,—In accordance with the order adopted at the meeting of the Boston City Council held on Monday last, a conference was arranged at the office of the Mayor, City Hall, School street, upon Saturday, January 5, at eleven o'clock a. m.

At the time that the order in question was adopted by the City Council no action had been taken by the State Board of Arbitration and Conciliation on the question at issue between the Team Drivers' and Team Owners' Associations.

It was learned at the meeting that representatives of both organizations had appeared at hearings held by the Board of Arbitration and Conciliation, that the case was presented by both sides and the State Board of Arbitration and Conciliation had requested at least one week in which to investigate and analyze the matters in controversy submitted to them.

In my opinion this request is a perfectly proper one and should be accepted by both organizations. The probability is that the State Board will be in a position to render a decision within ten days and in the event that the said decision is not acceptable to either side, I am particularly desirous, as Mayor of Boston, that before rejections of such recommendation as may be made by the State Board of Arbitration and Conciliation takes place that the findings be considered at a conference at this office representing the Team Owners' Association and the Team Drivers', since both sides would suffer in the event of a strike and neither would benefit immediately.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Those present at Saturday's meeting included: Edwin T. Frost, president, Team Owners' Association; George F. Stebbins, secretary and treasurer, Team Owners' Association; Joseph J. Hunt, secretary and treasurer, International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs and Stablemen, Local No. 25; John J. Clary, vice president; Harry Eisner, vice president; Arthur C. Sawyer, president; A. C. Smith, recording secretary; David J. Dwyer, financial secretary; Cornelius J. Bailey, treasurer (all of Massachusetts Automobile Operators' Association); P. Harry Jennings, secretary, Boston Central Labor Union; Martin T. Joyce, secretary and treasurer Massachusetts Federation of Labor; A. M. Titus, secretary, Massachusetts Warehousemen's Association; E. A. Johnson, secretary, United Building Trades Council; Eugene Mehegan, secretary, Local 631, Teamsters; Michael O'Donnell, business agent, Local 25; John M. Gillespie, International Organizer, Teamsters' Union.

MAYOR APPROVES WORK.

The Mayor has approved additional work on ferry landings as requested in the following letter:

Boston, December 29, 1923.

To the Mayor of Boston:

On June 6, 1923, your Honor approved a contract with Rendle-Stoddard Construction Company for rebuilding piers at the Boston landings of the East Boston ferries. The contract was completed on November 23.

It was thought that large parts of the existing structures could be utilized. As the work progressed, however, it became apparent that this would not be so and that the quantities estimated in the contract would be exceeded. This is particularly true of the piles. About 350 additional piles were required.

The amount of work done by the Rendle-Stoddard Construction Company has increased the contract price to \$64,000, for which the approval of your Honor is requested.

A detailed statement from Division Engineer Carty in connection with this matter is attached.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

GASFITTING RULES CHANGED.

By a vote of the Board of Gasfitters the "Revised Regulations of Gasfitting," section 10, is hereby amended by adding the words "and an automatic, fire-acting, gas shut-off on the inlet pipe, close to the meter, said shut-off to be of a type approved by the Board of Gasfitting Examiners," after the word "meter" in the third line, so as to read as follows:

SECTION 10. There shall be a main cock on the service pipe close to the foundation wall, one cock at the inlet side of each meter and an automatic, fire-acting, gas shut-off on the inlet pipe, close to the meter, said shut-off to be of a type approved by the Board of Gasfitting Examiners. When service pipes are over two inches, brass or composition, seated valves shall be used.

Adopted by the Board of Gasfitting Examiners January 9, 1924.

NOTE.—The time at which these amendments are to become effective is on and after March 1, 1924.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 457.

The resignation of Patrolman John J. Foley of Division 17 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Wednesday, January 9, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

CLAIMS.

The Mayor upon recommendation of the Law Department, has approved the following claims:

Lucy Dykens, in the sum of \$175, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk on Cliff street, Roxbury, March 30, 1923.

Patrick J. Mahoney, 11 Clifford place, Roxbury, in the sum of \$300, as compensation for personal injuries caused by falling on crosswalk at Washington and Groton streets (ice), February 23, 1923.

Harriet A. Kelley, in the sum of \$500, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk at 39 Lucas street, February 24, 1922.

ASSESSMENTS ABATED.

The Mayor has approved the action of the board of Street Commissioners in the matter of the applications for revision of assessments levied on account of the construction of sewerage works in ordering that the amounts hereinafter specified, being the annual apportionments of said assessments for the year specified below, be and the same are hereby abated.

Mary B. Curran, lot 60, 1923 apportionment, Plan 1, 1921, Itasca street, November 27, 1922.....	\$3 35
Mary B. Curran, lot 61, 1923 apportionment, Plan 1, 1921, Itasca street, November 27, 1922.....	3 35
Delia L. Haney (Louis Thorp), lot 17, 1923 apportionment, Plan 49, 1917, Grover street, September 26, 1919.....	10 24
Cornelius H. Casey, lot 3, 1923 apportionment, Plan 32, 1911, Perthshire road, May 9, 1913.....	7 80

POPULATION OF COUNTIES, 1920, WITH INCREASE OVER 1915 (RANKED FROM LARGEST).

(1) Suffolk (3 cities and 1 town) 835,522 or 8,721 over 1915; (2) Middlesex (11 cities and 43 towns) 778,352 or + 44,728; (3) Essex (9 cities and 25 towns) 482,156 or + 18,494; (4) Worcester (3 cities and 57 towns) 455,135 or + 24,432; (5) Bristol (4 cities and 16 towns) 359,005 or + 12,041; (6) Hampden (3 cities and 20 towns) 300,305 or + 37,361; (7) Norfolk (1 city and 27 towns) 219,081 or + 17,174; seven other counties (4 cities and 127 towns) 422,800 or — 3,905. Total for the 14 counties (38 cities and 316 towns) 3,852,556 or 159,046 (*i. e.*, 4.3 per cent) over 1915. Of said total, 2,741,599 (*i. e.*, 71.17 per cent) were in the cities and 1,110,757 (*i. e.*, 28.83 per cent) in the towns. The four counties, Suffolk, Middlesex, Essex and Bristol contain 63.73 per cent of the State's inhabitants.

If the municipalities having a population of 5,000 or over are properly called urban, then the percentage of urban population in the entire State reaches the notable figure of 90, while the rural shows but 40 per cent.

MAYOR PROVIDES INCREASES IN SALARY FOR CITY WORKERS GETTING LESS THAN \$1,800 A YEAR.

REMEMBERS LOWEST PAID IN SERVICE IN CONSIDERING BUDGET FOR 1924-25 — POLICE AND FIREMEN TO BENEFIT IN NEXT YEAR'S PLANNING.

Mayor Curley on Saturday, January 5, addressed the following communication to Charles J. Fox, Budget Commissioner of the City of Boston:

In the compilation of the budget for the year 1924-25, it will happily be possible to discharge every obligation anticipated or met during the year 1923. This result has been achieved as a consequence of careful planning and efficient, businesslike conduct of municipal activities in every department of the city.

The obligations confronting us are greater than have been previously faced by any administration in the history of Boston. The adoption of the two-platoon system, which becomes operative on February 1, will represent an increase in the wages paid men in the fire service of approximately \$350,000. The value of the saving wage resulting from the World War is evidenced in the reports of the Health Department and the charity department of the city, and justifies the granting of an increased wage to the lowest paid workers in the employ of the city.

Included among those to whom the increase of \$156 annually is to be granted are all laborers, mechanics, elevator men, janitors and other employees, representing in all an increased annual appropriation of \$750,000. The pension system adopted last year and which is resulting in such great benefit to all employees of the city coming within the scope of its provisions can only be safeguarded by the setting up of a sufficient reserve to provide the necessary measure of protection both for the present and the future. This protection will entail an expenditure this year of about \$1,000,000.

The sliding scale providing for annual increase until the maximum has been reached, restored last year, should be continued this year, and this I estimate will represent an additional \$250,000. The demand for increases from employees receiving salaries in excess of \$1,800 is in most cases justifiable, but in my opinion it is more equitable to provide for the needs of persons receiving less than \$1,800 per annum before further consideration is given to those receiving salaries in excess of \$1,800 per annum.

You are accordingly directed to notify all department heads that no salary increases will be considered except on sliding scale in the case of any person receiving over \$1,800 per annum. You are further directed to make provision for an increase of \$100 in the salary of all persons on the annual salary schedule receiving less than \$1,800. This expenditure will represent an increase in the maintenance cost of conducting the city's activities of about \$200,000 additional, but in my opinion it is a proper expenditure.

This program, representing as it does a total of \$2,550,000 in the annual maintenance charges of the city, will I trust be possible without an increase in the

tax rate for next year, but only possible through careful planning and efficient conduct of the city's activities during the year. The question of salary increases for members of the Police and Fire Departments is deserving of consideration, and you are hereby directed to make a study during the year 1924 as to the probable cost of increase both in the minimum and maximum salaries paid men in the Police and Fire Departments. It is my purpose to make provision during 1924 that will permit of an increase in the minimum and maximum for men in these departments in the budget for 1925-26.

It would be a source of great pleasure to comply with all recommendations made by the department heads in the matter of salary increases, but it must be remembered that the adoption of salary increase programs as recommended in any year would necessarily result in an increased tax rate, as it is usually necessary to prune estimates \$1,500,000 annually. It is a simple matter for a department head to recommend increases, but it is quite another proposition to put those schedules in operation without entailing hardship to every individual in the community with the exception of the immediate beneficiaries.

An increase of even as small an amount as 50 cents on each thousand of valuation invariably serves as a pretext for an advance of not less than \$1 per week in the rental paid by every householder in the entire city. The policy in operation last year under which no increases in valuation were made in single, two-family or three-family houses, and maintaining the tax rate at the level of 1922, rendered impossible the rack-renting system in Boston which obtains so generally throughout the country, and so far as it lies within my power I propose that this policy shall be adhered to in 1924.

DECEMBER LABOR REPORT.

There was a decided slump in business during December, according to the figures of the Massachusetts Public Employment Office, when compared with the previous month and with December of last year.

During the month employers called for 1,061 persons, which was 238, or 18 per cent less than in November, and 192, or 15 per cent, less than in December, 1922. The number of positions reported filled was 846, a decrease of 270, or 24 per cent, from the previous month, also a decrease of 133, or 14 per cent, from last December.

The attendance of applicants for employment was 19,097, a decrease of 1,245, or 6 per cent, from last month, but an increase of 2,360, or 14 per cent, over the attendance of December, 1922.

In the month of December 1,847 service men (1,230 soldiers, 617 sailors) visited the office in search of employ-

ment. Of this number, 166 (117 soldiers, 49 sailors) were given introduction cards to employers and 113 (85 soldiers, 28 sailors) secured employment.

In the men's skilled department there were calls for bench, floor and machine molders during the early part of the month, and the last two weeks showed a slight increase in the demand for machinists. The building trades were very quiet with a few orders for carpenters and painters which were easily filled. The printing trades also were quiet with only a few calls for pressfeeders and compositors. The shipyards showed a little activity with calls for coppersmiths and painters. The general trades were very quiet with a big supply of applicants for nearly every branch of industry.

The demand in the men's unskilled department was the smallest in many months. The positions open were for general work, most of which were of a temporary nature. Hundreds of applicants seeking inside work have applied at the office but there has been practically no demand for their services.

Business in the women's departments was quiet with an occasional call for factory work. In the unskilled department the demand for day workers and cleaners was fair. Housework girls are in good demand but the prices offered are not attractive to the applicants for employment in that line. There has been a fair business throughout the month in culinary workers in the hotels and restaurants which was easily taken care of.

The number of people called for by employers was 1,061 as compared with 1,253 in 1922; 887 in 1921; 1,022 in 1920; 2,558 in 1919; 2,371 in 1918.

The number of positions reported filled was 846 as compared with 979 in 1922; 738 in 1921; 837 in 1920; 1,596 in 1919; 1,552 in 1918.

ASSESSMENTS BY THE STREET COMMISSIONERS FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS.

CHESTERTON STREET.

John C. Cobb and Laurence Minot, trustees of the City Land Company...	\$1 625 36
Maria Fragala, trustee for Lisardo Pena	107 68
Louis Petruzzelli	107 24
Joseph Carbone	106 81
Nicolo Franco	106 37
Nicolina Giglio	105 94
Nicolina Giglio	105 43
Angelo Giglio	105 00
John C. Cobb and Laurence Minot, trustees of the City Land Company...	388 81
John C. Cobb and Laurence Minot, trustees of the City Land Company...	1,417 58
Raffaella Antonelli, ux. Eugene.....	108 62
Evelyn Lamprey	108 62
Giuseppe La Fauci.....	108 62
John Pennio, Angela Pennio.....	108 62
William Manganiello	108 62
William Manganiello	108 62
John C. Cobb and Laurence Minot, trustees of the City Land Company...	181 03
John C. Cobb and Laurence Minot, trustees of the City Land Company...	54 31
John C. Cobb and Laurence Minot, trustees of the City Land Company...	36 20
Total	\$5,099 48

MARIE STREET.

Katherine J. Crehan.....	\$121 20
Mary A. Flynn.....	276 96
Helen F. Gately.....	276 32
John J. Foley and Catherine Foley.....	282 56
Dennis J. O'Grady.....	281 92
Winifred M. O'Grady.....	274 40
Richard and Delia O'Brien.....	163 90
City of Boston (Ronan Park).....	1,600 00
Total	\$3,277 26

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 3 TO JANUARY 9.

JANUARY 3.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Edward Uminsky.....	Rear of 24 Calder street....	21	Second-class garage.....	\$1,000
William H. Hardy.....	27 Verdun street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
William H. Hardy.....	23 Verdun street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
Hamilton Associates.....	217-231 Friend street.....	5	Alterations, stores and manufacturing.....	1,500
W. S. Allan.....	10 and 12 Piedmont street..	8	Alterations, off ces.....	2,900
Mrs. Ada M. Emerson.....	99 Pinckney street.....	8	Alterations, rooming house..	4,000
E. Sobier Welch.....	25 Tremont row.....	5	Alterations, restaurant and off ces.....	2,400
Thomas E. Proctor estate,	209 and 211 State street....	5	Alterations, light manufacturing.....	35,000
Dr. W. G. McGauley.....	406 Marlborough street....	8	Install elevator.....	3,200
DeBlois & Maddison.....	257 A street.....	9	Install elevator.....	3,400
Insurance Building Trust..	36 Broad street.....	5	Install seven elevators.....	74,500
John J. Sullivan.....	85 Broadway.....	8	Take-down, junk shop.....	200
John J. Sullivan.....	2 Whitten street.....	20	Take-down, garage.....	50
Leighton & Barrie.....	103 Washington street.....	3	Take-down, dwelling.....	600
Leighton & Barrie.....	77-81 Austin street.....	3	Take-down, stable.....	400
Robert R. McNutt Corporation.	Rear of 1247 Hyde Park avenue.	24	Take-down, shed.....	100
Robert R. McNutt Corporation.	1247 Hyde Park avenue....	24	Take-down, fire station.....	500

JANUARY 4.

Suffolk Stations Trust.....	1235 Dorchester avenue....	17	Second-class gas station....	\$12,000
P. S. Thorsen & Co.....	Rear of 43 1/2 L street.....	9	Second-class storage.....	10,000
Joseph S. McKinnon.....	27 Blenford road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. W. Palmer.....	136 Arlington street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
M. W. Palmer.....	138 Arlington street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
M. W. Palmer.....	142 Arlington street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
M. W. Palmer.....	158 Arlington street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
M. W. Palmer.....	162 Arlington street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
John J. Kelliher.....	5330 Washington street....	23	Third-class store.....	760
John Morgan.....	Rear of 12 Oakwood street..	24	Third-class garage.....	600
M. Boardman.....	188 Northampton street....	13	Alterations, lodging.....	500
A. M. Thatcher.....	28 Vershire street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	175
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company.	2307 Washington street....	13	Alterations, mercantile.....	800
David Stulin.....	145 Glenway street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Homestead Garage Company,	215 Humboldt avenue.....	16	Alterations, garage.....	400
M. Doyle Company.....	Rear of 85 Centre street....	15	Alterations, storage.....	1,000
George Younis et al.....	4897 Washington street....	23	Alterations, gas station.....	25
Thomas Proctor estate.....	110 High street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	800
Jennie Rock et al.....	312 West Fourth street....	9	Alterations, tenement.....	600
Mattapan Theater.....	Rear of 500-510 River street,	21	Alterations, store.....	250
Alpha Lunch Company.....	64 Sumner street.....	5	Alterations, restaurant.....	32,000
Robert B. Farrington et al.	530 and 532 Beacon street..	8	Erect fire escape.....	140
Massachusetts General Hospital.	Rear of 265 Charles street..	5	Take-down, ash hopper.....	300

JANUARY 5.

Thomas J. Lynch.....	247 Cornell street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	\$10,000
Colon McPherson.....	32 Spring street.....	23	Alterations, carpenter shop..	400
John P. Langenfeld.....	757 Dudley street.....	17	Alterations, store.....	500
A. C. Brady.....	1916 Hyde Park avenue....	24	Alterations, blacksmith shop,	500
P. J. Greene estate.....	342 Hanover street.....	5	Alterations, stores and apartments.....	2,500
Auffia Rahwan.....	104 and 106 Hudson street,	5	Alterations, stores and dwelling.....	1,000

JANUARY 7.

George A. Fuller Company..	100 Kemble street.....	12	Second-class storage.....	\$9,000
Amanda S. Nelson.....	37 Haydn street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
The Stafford Company.....	Rear of 1687 Hyde Park Av.,	24	Third-class storage.....	2,500
I. Sheinberg.....	63 Wildwood street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Lewis Granath.....	70 Hallowell street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
M. Dichter.....	1089 and 1091 Washington st.	6	Alterations, commercial.....	750
M. Dichter.....	1089 and 1091 Washington st.	6	Alterations, commercial.....	2,000
Levine & Trachenburg.....	115 Devon street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	475
Joseph Ventola.....	11 Dana avenue.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
Good Realty Company.....	437 Shawmut avenue.....	6	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
The Stafford Company.....	1697-1715 Hyde Park ave.,	24	Alterations, machine shop....	20,000
Reba Paoff.....	9 Joy street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	7,000

JANUARY 8.

Peter Valukonis.....	27 Stillman road.....	23	First-class garage.....	\$1,200
Leighton-Mitchell Company,	15 Capital street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Meyer Dana.....	1257-1269 River street....	24	Alterations, stores and dwelling.....	3,000
Carmine Nappa.....	150 London street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	450

JANUARY 9.

Owen F. Oakes.....	317-325B Belgrade avenue..	23	Second-class stores.....	\$18,000
L. Bernson estate.....	11 Williams street.....	13	Second-class storage.....	4,000
S. N. Schlesinger.....	16 Wellington Hill street..	21	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
E. Flynn.....	1 Thatcher street.....	24	Third-class storage.....	400
A. Sacks.....	48 Waumbeck street.....	16	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. E. McPherson.....	78 Forest Hills street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Mildred Braman.....	197 W. Canton street.....	7	Alterations, store and dwelling.....	1,000
Kingston Realty Company..	1446 Dorchester avenue....	18	Alterations, store and dwelling.....	425

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 1.

I. NEW FIRE ALARM BOX.

A new fire alarm box will shortly be established as follows:

Box 7126: South Boston Dry Dock. The box will be connected into circuit No. 32 and the assignment of apparatus will be the same as for Box 7125.

II. CHANGES IN ASSIGNMENT FOR DEPUTY CHIEF, THIRD DIVISION.

The following changes in the assignment card of the deputy chief, Third Division, are hereby announced to take effect at once:

Boxes 2445, 2446, 2454, add deputy chief, Third Division, on first alarm.

III. CHANGES IN ASSIGNMENT FOR FUEL WAGONS 1 AND 2.

The following running card for the fuel wagons Nos. 1 and 2 is hereby established, to take effect at once, and supercedes all previous orders on the subject:

Fuel Wagon No. 1.—Located at Water Tower 2, and operated by members of the Motor Squad:

Second Alarms: To all boxes in territory south of a line from Atlantic avenue, through Essex, Boylston, Charles and River streets to the Charles River Basin; south and west of a line through the aforesaid streets, including District No. 6.

Third Alarms: To all boxes north of said line, except those in Charlestown and East Boston.

Special call to all boxes not included, when needed.

Fuel Wagon No. 2.—Located at the quarters of Engine Company 38-39, and operated by members of said companies:

Second Alarms: To all boxes in territory north of a line through Atlantic avenue, Essex, Boylston, Charles and River streets, to Charles River Basin.

In all cases where boxes are located on streets of dividing line, fuel wagon No. 2 will respond.

In the event of one fuel wagon being at a fire the other wagon shall take its running card.

Upon return to quarters the fuel wagon shall be reported to the Fire Alarm Office, loaded, and made ready for service.

By order of the Fire Commissioner.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 2.

I. THE FIRE COLLEGE.

A session of the Fire College will open on Monday, January 7, 1924, at 10.30 a. m., under the direction of Capt. Daniel W. Baker, drillmaster of the department and executive officer of the Fire College.

The following lecturers will officiate at the Fire College:

Monday, January 7, Capt. Daniel W. Baker.

Tuesday, January 8, District Chief Charles A. Donohoe.

Wednesday, January 9, Capt. John Williams.

Thursday, January 10, Edward J. Tierney, chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention and Intelligence.

Friday, January 11, Deputy Chief Henry A. Fox.

Saturday, January 12, Deputy Chief Daniel F. Sennott.

Monday, January 14, Superintendent George L. Fickett, Fire Alarm Branch.

Tuesday, January 15, District Chief Albert J. Caulfield.

Wednesday, January 16, Deputy Chief Edward J. Shallow.

Thursday, January 17, Deputy Chief Walter L. McLean.

Friday, January 18, Edward E. Williamson, supervisor of motor apparatus.

Saturday, January 19, District Chief Frank A. Sweeney.

Monday, January 21, Walter I. Wedger, state chemist.

These lecturers will continue with their former topics, making such changes as they deem necessary for the benefit of the members of the department.

Assignments to attend the Fire College will be made by the chief of department.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

TO STUDY GAS LIGHTING PLANS.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner, contained in the following letters:

Boston, December 31, 1923.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

The ten-year contract for gas lighting in the city streets, etc., with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company expires April 1, 1924. Under the terms of the contract a six months' extension from this date is possible, if the company is notified to that effect previous to January 1, 1924.

In order that a thorough investigation may be made previous to entering into another ten-year contract it is thought advisable to request an extension of the present contract for another six months, and your approval is respectfully requested for the attached letter to be forwarded to the Boston Consolidated Gas Company.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, December 31, 1923.

BOSTON CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY, 149 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.:

GENTLEMEN,—You are hereby notified, in the name and behalf of the City of Boston, that it hereby exercises its option contained within Article 12 of the contract between the Boston Consolidated Gas Company and the City of Boston for the supplying of materials, labor and equipment, as contained in Article 1 of said contract, which contract was approved by his Honor the Mayor June 12, 1914, and was the first of the contracts with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for lighting with gas a portion of the public streets, etc., made by the Commissioner of Public Works and approved by the City Council June 11, 1914, and by his Honor the Mayor June 12, 1914, to extend the term for the continuance of said contract for a period not exceeding six months from the first day of April, 1924.

CITY OF BOSTON,
by JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 3 TO JANUARY 9.

JANUARY 9 — *Concluded.*

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Edward Anderson.....	200 St. Botolph street.....	7	Alterations, stores and dwelling.	\$200
H. Karmazine.....	62 Edgewood street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
Hirchfield and Mayer Com- pany.....	24 Denton road.....	25	Alterations, storage.....	20,000
Sarah Levine.....	48 Brookledge street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Morss Real Estate Trust.....	190 High street.....	5	Erect fireescape.....	990
Manning, Maxwell & Moore.....	27 Watson street.....	2	Install elevator.....	1,650
Chamber of Commerce.....	141-163 Franklin street.....	5	Install two dumbwaiters.....	12,000
S. & R. J. Lombard.....	281 Rutherford avenue.....	3	Take-down, stable.....	250

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 3 TO JANUARY 9.

JANUARY 3.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
John J. Vogel.....	498 Weld street.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$390
P. J. Maguire.....	557 East Fourth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	50
M. W. Nelligan.....	352 and 354 West Third st.,	9	New fixtures.....	100
R. Hoffman.....	107 Stratton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	800
James J. Kelly.....	352 Massachusetts avenue ..	7	New fixtures.....	20
Stanley G. Crawford.....	41 Dale street.....	16	New fixtures.....	600
Abraham Shleman.....	1 Carlisle street.....	16	New fixtures.....	400
Joseph Seigel.....	1614-1620 Blue Hill avenue,	21	New fixtures.....	300
W. G. Cornell Company.....	90 Berkeley street.....	7	New fixtures.....	2,200
Harry Kingsberg.....	28 Abbot street.....	19	New fixtures.....	600

JANUARY 4.

Edward H. Marchant.....	10 Putnam street.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$800
Richard A. Tobin.....	243 West Canton street.....	7	New fixtures.....	100
Harry Kingsberg.....	380 Columbus avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	175
John E. Heath.....	54 Austin street.....	4	New fixtures.....	450
James J. Sweeney.....	24 Ashford street.....	25	New fixtures.....	750
T. B. McKeagney.....	19 Lotus street.....	22	New fixtures.....	200
C. J. Bowen.....	100 Jamaica street.....	22	New fixtures.....	275
C. J. Bowen.....	Rear of 100 Jamaica street,	22	New fixtures.....	300

JANUARY 5.

J. P. Perry & Co.....	142 Boylston street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$600
William Dustan.....	1003 Tremont street.....	13	New fixtures.....	1,000
Edward Bevalander.....	53 Sorrento street.....	26	New fixtures.....	125
A. I. Weiss.....	90 Erie street.....	19	New fixtures.....	75
E. H. Marchant.....	1446 Dorchester avenue ..	18	New fixtures.....	700
F. F. Russo.....	25 Wilton street.....	24	New fixtures.....	200
C. E. Tucker.....	1235 Dorchester avenue ..	17	New fixtures.....	600
A. L. Mann.....	11 Field street.....	7	New fixtures.....	300
A. I. Weiss.....	68 Fowler street.....	19	New fixtures.....	350
Louis B. Jenkins.....	42 Highland avenue.....	15	New fixtures.....	200
Frank C. Lewis.....	305 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	200
William O'Brien.....	25 Isabella street.....	7	New fixtures.....	250
James J. Logan.....	9 Island street.....	12	New fixtures.....	450
James J. McCarthy.....	122 Parker Hill avenue.....	14	New fixtures.....	500
Samuel Barron.....	171 Quincy street.....	17	New fixtures.....	150
John A. Power.....	6A Tremont street.....	26	New fixtures.....	40
Joseph P. Vogel & Son.....	Rear of 19 Wales place.....	18	New fixtures.....	200
Samuel Gilman.....	1060 Washington street.....	6	New fixtures.....	50

JANUARY 7.

Frank C. Goldberg.....	90 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	\$600
John J. Vogel.....	687 Centre street.....	22	New fixtures.....	250
Charles Lang.....	52 Bradeen street.....	23	New fixtures.....	850
John J. Murphy.....	28 Vershire street.....	23	New fixtures.....	400
John J. Vogel.....	49 Hewlett street.....	23	New fixtures.....	850
J. B. Farnsworth Company,	Rear of 286 Adams street...	20	New fixtures.....	1,700
Daniel M. Murphy.....	852 Adams street.....	20	New fixtures.....	300
Louis Rubinovitch.....	104 Essex street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
Charles Lang.....	26 Vershire street.....	23	New fixtures.....	125
W. L. Ambrose.....	898 East Second street.....	9	New fixtures.....	300

JANUARY 8.

Abraham Kellein.....	66 B street.....	9	New fixtures.....	\$350
Edward H. Marchant.....	822 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	750
Charles Rosenwald.....	105 Brighton street.....	5	New fixtures.....	300
Lorenzo E. Young.....	1197 Morton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	200
Albert R. Houghton.....	19 Rockview street.....	22	New fixtures.....	350
Edward J. Roach.....	30 Stillman road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
Rowen Brothers.....	45 Walk Hill street.....	22	New fixtures.....	250
M. H. Myers.....	63 Wildwood street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,200
George H. Cox.....	242 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	480
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	1283 Commonwealth avenue,	25	New fixtures.....	70

JANUARY 9.

Charles Rosenwald.....	437 Shawmut avenue.....	6	New fixtures.....	\$800
Edward J. McGrath.....	79 Claymoss road.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,100
John R. Barrett.....	20B Clarendon street.....	7	New fixtures.....	30
W. S. Emerson & Co.....	18 Blackstone street.....	5	New fixtures.....	125
J. P. Perry & Co., Inc.....	120 Tremont street.....	5	New fixtures.....	50
John S. Todd.....	41 Pierce avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	175
Louis H. Jacobs.....	963 Parker street.....	15	New fixtures.....	250

TABLE SHOWING APPLICATIONS, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FILED IN DECEMBER, 1923.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT HOUSES AND STORES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		GARAGES.		HOTELS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....									25	\$41,725		
Second Class.....	2	\$200,000							14	16,885		
Third Class.....					50	\$160,300			30	14,253		
Special Class.....									11	4,755		
Total New Work.....	2	\$200,000			50	\$160,300			80	77,618		
Alterations.....	6	2,150	10	\$9,250	258	102,160	15	\$9,625	15	10,345	3	\$1,750
Grand Totals.....	8	\$202,150	10	\$9,250	308	\$562,460	15	\$9,625	95	\$87,963	3	\$1,750

CHARACTER.	HOSPITALS.		LODGING HOUSES.		LODGING HOUSES AND STORES.		MOVING PICTURE HOUSES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....											2	\$31,000
Second Class.....									5	\$51,800	4	74,000
Third Class.....									2	1,733		
Special Class.....												
Total New Work.....									7	\$53,533	6	\$105,000
Alterations.....	1	\$200	2	\$1,500	1	\$5,000	2	\$1,200	65	177,860	14	24,295
Grand Totals.....	1	\$200	2	\$1,500	1	\$5,000	2	\$1,200	72	\$231,393	20	\$129,295

CHARACTER.	OFFICE BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC HALLS.		STABLES.		THEATERS.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....							1	\$2,500,000			28	\$2,572,725
Second Class.....									4	\$26,000	29	368,685
Third Class.....	1	\$400							19	3,783	102	480,469
Special Class.....									3	2,250	14	7,005
Total New Work.....	1	\$400					1	\$2,500,000	26	\$32,933	173	\$3,428,884
Alterations.....	9	37,650	1	\$5	10	\$1,850			27	11,866	439	396,795
Grand Totals.....	10	\$38,050	1	\$5	10	\$1,850	1	\$2,500,000	53	\$43,999	612	\$3,825,590

WAY CLEARED FOR WIDENING OF PROVINCE STREET BY RULING.

Mayor Curley issued the following statement on Monday, January 7:

I have conferred with Acting Corporation Counsel Samuel Silverman and with the chairman of the Street Commission, John H. L. Noyes, relative to the decision of the Supreme Judicial Court in the matter of the establishment of building line on Province street.

Both the Acting Corporation Counsel and the chairman of the Street Commission are of the opinion that the de-

cision of the court clarifies the situation, and disposes of what has for years been a moot question. The decisions of the court releases the sum of \$250,000 which was originally appropriated for the establishment of a building line on Province street, and I shall at the meeting of the Council on Monday next recommend the passage of an order transferring this sum to the Street Commission for "Highways, Making of," which sum will be available for such purposes as the Street Commission may deem necessary in connection with the conduct of the activities of the Street Laying-Out Department.

The decision of the court in no way retards the project for the widening of Province street, and this work will proceed immediately. The purpose of establishing a building line in connection with the widening of Province street was to protect the city from the creation of realty values on the portion of Province street that it was proposed should be widened, and was, as has been set forth in the decision of the court, made in good faith, and with ample funds to cover all demands that might be made in connection with the establishment of the said building lines.

TABLE SHOWING THE PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED DURING THE YEAR 1923.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT HOUSES		APARTMENT HOUSES AND STORES		BANKS		CHURCHES		DWELLINGS		DWELLINGS AND STORES		FOUNDRIES		GARAGES	
	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.
First Class	1	\$270,000					1	\$175,000							615	\$1,906,510
Second Class	75	4,866,500	5	\$415,000			7	481,060	13	\$217,000	3	\$19,500	1	\$150,000	356	445,185
Third Class	4	65,000							712	6,810,660	1	7,000			492	246,831
Special Class															143	67,871
Total New Work	80	\$5,201,500	5	\$415,000			8	\$656,060	725	\$7,057,660	4	\$26,500	1	\$150,000	1,606	\$2,666,397
Alterations	148	250,101	109	131,875	8	\$1,171,400	26	112,695	4,088	2,010,852	257	207,801	3	4,900	145	263,082
Grand Totals	228	\$5,451,601	114	\$546,875	8	\$1,171,400	34	\$768,755	4,813	\$9,068,512	261	\$234,301	4	\$154,900	1,751	\$2,929,479

CHARACTER.	HOTELS		HOSPITALS		LODGING HOUSES		LODGING HOUSES AND STORES		MOVING PICTURE HOUSES		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS		OFFICE BUILDINGS	
	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.
First Class	4	\$2,063,000	3	\$770,000							6	\$1,078,000	11	\$886,000	2	\$2,150,000
Second Class			5	340,000	1	\$100,000					101	1,429,275	17	199,000	14	397,700
Third Class			1	28,000							14	25,383			7	7,300
Special Class											6	9,625	1	5,000	1	150
Total New Work	4	\$2,060,000	9	\$1,138,000	1	\$100,000					130	\$2,542,283	29	\$1,090,000	24	\$2,555,150
Alterations	29	69,682	11	28,260	51	56,041	8	\$22,530	2	\$1,200	688	1,742,498	169	1,283,390	169	1,099,239
Grand Totals	33	\$2,132,682	23	\$1,166,260	52	\$156,041	8	\$22,530	2	\$1,200	818	\$4,284,781	198	\$2,373,390	193	\$3,654,389

CHARACTER.	PUBLIC BUILDINGS		PUBLIC HALLS		SCHOOL HOUSES		STABLES		THEATERS		MISCELLANEOUS		TOTALS	
	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.	Number	Estimated Cost.
First Class	2	\$697,949			4	\$1,146,911*			2	\$2,620,000	21	\$477,100	675	\$14,240,470
Second Class	1	65,600			1	50,000	3	\$39,000			37	154,356	640	9,369,170
Third Class					2	46,040	2	1,500			243	115,733	1,478	7,383,447
Special Class											29	56,295	180	138,941
Total New Work	3	\$763,549			7	\$1,242,951	5	\$40,500	2	\$2,620,000	330	\$803,478	2,973	\$31,132,028
Alterations	14	286,442	10	\$23,535	18	249,575	92	113,391	7	39,721	269	375,320	6,324	9,543,530
Grand Totals	17	\$1,049,991	10	\$23,535	25	\$1,492,526	97	\$153,891	9	\$2,659,721	599	\$1,178,798	9,297	\$40,675,558

LAND-TAKING IN BOSTON PROPER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement consisting of the discontinuance of Lucas street, Boston proper, southeasterly from Shawmut avenue for a distance of approximately 180 feet, as a highway bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Lucas street is hereby discontinued, easterly from Shaw-

mut avenue, for a distance of approximately one hundred and sixty-two feet.

Said highway as hereby discontinued is bounded:

Northwesterly by Shawmut avenue, ten and 88-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeast line of said Lucas street, as it existed previous to this discontinuance, one hundred sixty-one and 15-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwest line of said Lucas street, as hereby established, ten and 97-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwest line of said Lucas street, as it existed previous to this discontinuance, by two measurements, twenty-one and 27-100 feet and one hundred

thirty-nine and 57-100 feet; containing seventeen hundred and forty-five square feet more or less.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the discontinuance, as a highway, of Lucas street, Boston proper, easterly from Shawmut avenue, for a distance of approximately one hundred and sixty-two feet, under the order of the Board of even date herewith, and awards no damages therefor.

RULES, REGULATIONS AND GROUP SCHEDULES OF TWO-PLATOON SYSTEM, STARTING FEBRUARY 1.

The District Chief will arrange as far as possible to have each company in his district begin with a different group off 24 hours on February 1, the other groups to follow in rotation as per chart. Avoid if possible a Captain being off duty 24 hours the same day as the District Chief.

(Illustration.) If a company has Group No. 4 assigned for 24 hours off duty on February 1, Group No. 5 will be off duty 24 hours on February 2, Group No. 6 on February 3, Group No. 1 on February 4, Group No. 2 on February 5 and Group No. 3 on February 6.

When a group is off duty 24 hours, it shall be from 8 a. m. to 8 a. m. the following day, then on duty as stated on chart.

The second chauffeur on a company

shall be off duty 24 hours three days before or three days after the first chauffeur, so that when one is off duty the other will be on duty; the same applies to first and second tillermen.

The District Chief will arrange the days off for the Acting Engineers, so as not to have too many Engineers, Assistant Engineers and Acting Engineers off at the same time; he shall also arrange the days off for Telegraphers, if there are more than two on the same company.

On a company where there are no Engineers, Assistant Engineers or Telegraphers Nos. 3-4-5-6 may be assigned to any member of the company other than Captain or Lieutenant. A company having two Lieutenants and no Captains, one of the Lieutenants shall be known as No. 1.

One of the men assigned to drive the District Chief to be known as No. 5, and Group No. 2 of the company where he is stationed, shall be on a day off the same day as the District Chief to whom he is assigned. The driver of the other District Chief, to be known as No. 6 in Group No. 5; in this way the chief's drivers will be on duty and off duty the same time as the chiefs which they are assigned to drive.

The time on duty for members of the Fire Boats to be arranged separate from the other companies in their respective districts, so as to have the least number of Officers, Marine Engineers and Pilots off at the same time.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.
JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

CHART OF TWO PLATOON SYSTEM.
12 MAN COMPANY.

	First Day.	Second Day.	Third Day.	Fourth Day.	Fifth Day.	Sixth Day.
Group No. 1 1-8	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.
Group No. 2. 3-5	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.
Group No. 3. 9-10	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.
Group No. 4. 2-12	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.
Group No. 5. 4-6	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.
Group No. 6. 7-11	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.

Day shift, 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Night shift, 6 p. m. to 8 a. m.

NUMBER OF MEN ON DUTY.

FIRST DAY.		SECOND DAY.		THIRD DAY.		FOURTH DAY.		FIFTH DAY.		SIXTH DAY.	
Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.
2-4	2-3	1-4	2-4	1-3	2-4	1-3	1-4	2-3	1-3	2-4	1-3
6-7	5-9	6-7	6-9	5-7	6-7	5-8	6-7	5-9	5-7	6-9	5-8
11-12	10-12	8-11	10-12	8-11	11-12	9-10	8-11	10-12	8-11	10-12	9-10
6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6

KEY TO SCHEDULE.

1. Captain.
2. Lieutenant.
3. Engineer.
4. Assistant Engineer.
5. Telegrapher.
6. Telegrapher.
- 7-12. Chauffeurs.
Hosemen.
Laddermen.
Tillermen.

Sample for Company with Group No. 1, Off Duty 24 Hours, February 1, 1924.

CHART OF TWO PLATOON SYSTEM.

14 MAN COMPANY.

	First Day.	Second Day.	Third Day.	Fourth Day.	Fifth Day.	Sixth Day.
Group No. 1. 1-8	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.
Group No. 2. 3-5-11	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.
Group No. 3. 9-10	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.
Group No. 4. 2-12	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.
Group No. 5. 4-6-14	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.
Group No. 6. 7-13	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.

Day Shift, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Night Shift, 6 P. M. to 8 A. M.

NUMBER OF MEN ON DUTY.

FIRST DAY.		SECOND DAY.		THIRD DAY.		FOURTH DAY.		FIFTH DAY.		SIXTH DAY.	
Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.
2-4	2-3	1-4	2-4	1-3	2-4	1-3	1-4	2-3	1-3	2-4	1-3
6-7	5-9	6-7	6-9	5-7	6-7	5-8	6-7	5-9	5-7	6-9	5-8
12-13	10-11	8-13	10-12	8-11	12-13	9-10	8-13	10-11	8-11	10-12	9-10
14	12	14	14	13	14	11	14	12	13	11	11
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7

KEY TO SCHEDULE.

1. Captain.
2. Lieutenant.
3. Engineer.
4. Assistant Engineer.
5. Telegrapher.
6. Telegrapher.
- 7-14. Chauffeurs.
Hosemen.
Laddermen.
Tillermen.

CHART OF TWO PLATOON SYSTEM.

16 MAN COMPANY.

	First Day.	Second Day.	Third Day.	Fourth Day.	Fifth Day.	Sixth Day.
Group No. 1. 1-8	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.
Group No. 2. 3-5-11	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.
Group No. 3. 9-10-15	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.
Group No. 4. 2-12	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.
Group No. 5. 4-6-14	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.
Group No. 6. 7-13-16	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.

Day Shift, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Night Shift, 6 P. M. to 8 A. M.

NUMBER OF MEN ON DUTY.

FIRST DAY.		SECOND DAY.		THIRD DAY.		FOURTH DAY.		FIFTH DAY.		SIXTH DAY.	
Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.
2-4	2-3	1-4	2-4	1-3	2-4	1-3	1-4	2-3	1-3	2-4	1-3
6-7	5-9	6-7	6-9	5-7	6-7	5-8	6-7	5-9	5-7	6-9	5-8
12-13	10-11	8-13	10-12	8-11	12-13	9-10	8-13	10-11	8-11	10-12	9-10
14-16	12-15	14-16	14-15	13-16	14-16	11-15	14-16	12-15	13-16	14-15	11-15
8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8

KEY TO SCHEDULE.

1. Captain.
2. Lieutenant.
3. Engineer.
4. Assistant Engineer.
5. Telegraphers.
6. Telegraphers.
- 7-16. Chauffeurs.
Hosemen.
Laddermen.
Tillermen.

Sample for Company with Group No. 1, Off Duty 24 Hours, February 1, 1924.
CHART OF TWO PLATOON SYSTEM.

18 MAN COMPANY.

	First Day.	Second Day.	Third Day.	Fourth Day.	Fifth Day.	Sixth Day.
Group No. 1. 1-8-11	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.
Group No. 2. 3-5-14	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.
Group No. 3. 9-10-13	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.
Group No. 4. 2-7-12	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.
Group No. 5. 4-6-15	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.
Group No. 6. 16-17-18	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.
Day Shift, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.			Night Shift, 6 P. M. to 8 A. M.			

NUMBER OF MEN ON DUTY.

FIRST DAY.		SECOND DAY.		THIRD DAY.		FOURTH DAY.		FIFTH DAY.		SIXTH DAY.	
Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.
2-4	2-3	1-4	2-4	1-3	2-4	1-3	1-4	2-3	1-3	2-4	1-3
6-7	5-7	6-8	6-7	5-8	6-7	5-8	6-8	5-7	5-8	6-7	5-8
12-15	9-10	11-15	9-10	11-14	12-15	9-10	11-15	9-10	11-14	9-10	9-10
16-17	12-13	16-17	12-13	16-17	16-17	11-13	16-17	12-13	16-17	12-13	11-13
18	14	18	15	18	18	14	18	14	18	15	14
9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9

- KEY TO SCHEDULE.
- 1. Captain.
 - 2. Lieutenant.
 - 3. Engineer.
 - 4. Assistant Engineer.
 - 5. Telegraphers.
 - 6. Telegraphers.
 - 7-18. Chauffeurs.
Hosemen.
Laddersmen.
Tillermen.

CHART OF TWO PLATOON SYSTEM.
20 MAN COMPANY.

	First Day.	Second Day.	Third Day.	Fourth Day.	Fifth Day.	Sixth Day.
Group No. 1. 1-8-10	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.
Group No. 2. 3-5-11-15	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.
Group No. 3. 7-9-13	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.
Group No. 4. 2-12-14	On Duty, Day and Night	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.
Group No. 5. 4-6-16-17	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.	On Duty, Day.
Group No. 6. 18-19-20	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day.	On Duty, Day and Night.	On Duty, Night.	On Duty, Night.	Off Duty, 24 Hours.
Day Shift, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.			Night Shift, 6 P. M. to 8 A. M.			

NUMBER OF MEN ON DUTY.

FIRST DAY.		SECOND DAY.		THIRD DAY.		FOURTH DAY.		FIFTH DAY.		SIXTH DAY.	
Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.
2-4	2-3	1-4	2-4	1-3	2-4	1-3	1-4	2-3	1-3	2-4	1-3
6-12	5-7	6-8	6-7	5-8	6-12	5-7	6-8	5-7	5-8	6-7	5-7
14-16	9-11	10-16	9-12	10-11	14-16	8-9	10-16	9-11	10-11	9-12	8-9
17-18	12-13	17-18	13-14	15-18	17-18	10-11	17-18	12-13	15-18	13-14	10-11
19-20	14-15	19-20	16-17	19-20	19-20	13-15	19-20	14-15	19-20	16-17	13-15
10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10

- KEY TO SCHEDULE.
- 1. Captain.
 - 2. Lieutenant.
 - 3. Engineer.
 - 4. Assistant Engineer.
 - 5. Telegrapher.
 - 6. Telegrapher.
 - 7-20. Chauffeurs.
Hosemen.
Laddersmen.
Tillermen.

MAYOR ASKS ADDITIONAL LEGISLATION.

H. Murray Pakulski, Acting Corporation Counsel, has filed, through Representative John J. Heffernan, the following bills on petition of his Honor the Mayor:

1. Bill relative to fire and police apparatus. This bill provides that police buildings and fire houses in which automobiles are kept shall not be classified as garages.

2. Bill relative to trustee process. This bill provides that where wages are trusted for necessities of life \$15 shall be exempt from said attachment.

3. Bill to amend the building law. This bill clears up some ambiguities in the present law.

4. Bill relative to the venue of legal actions. This bill provides that where an action is brought in the wrong county that the court shall on its own motion either dismiss said action or order it transferred to the county in which the case should have been brought.

5. A bill further extending aid to mothers with dependent children under certain circumstances. This bill provides that the fact that a dependent mother has real estate not exceeding \$3,000 or cash on hand or in banks not exceeding \$1,000 shall not be a bar to receiving the customary mother's aid.

7. Bill providing for construction of a refuse disposal station in the City of Boston. This bill provides for a change in the harbor line at Fort Point channel, the building of a sea wall on the harbor line, the filling in of the harbor so taken and the construction of a refuse disposal station.

CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

John B. Dolan has been directed to make the following changes in contract dated July, 1923, for building municipal garage, Albany street. Items ordered: Build ramp on side of building as shown on architect's drawing No. 27, the price to be \$850.

John B. Dolan has been ordered to make the following changes in contract dated July, 1923, for building municipal garage, Albany street. Items ordered: Add 4 feet to length of building as shown on architect's drawing No. 26, the price to be \$2,650.

John B. Dolan, contractor for municipal garage, Albany street, has been ordered to make the following changes in contract dated July, 1923. Items ordered: Install boiler 48-11-S rating, 10,400 square feet, in place of the boiler mentioned on the contract specifications, the additional cost to be \$924. In place of Peelle door "E" shown on drawing No. 3, build up 12-inch brick wall to fill in the entire opening. Peelle door "E" to be stored on job, as directed by the commissioner.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

The Phoenix Bridge Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for rebuilding Beacon Street Bridge, over Boston & Albany Railroad. Item ordered: Extend steel sidewalk brackets. Agreed price, \$128.14.

TWO PLATOON SCHEDULES.

12 MAN COMPANY.

[illegible]

14 MAN COMPANY.

[illegible]

16 MAN COMPANY.

[illegible]

TWO PLATOON SCHEDULES.
18 MAN COMPANY.

GROUP NO. 1.		GROUP NO. 2.		GROUP NO. 3.		GROUP NO. 4.		GROUP NO. 5.		GROUP NO. 6.	
Off Duty, 24 Hours. 1-8-11.		Off Duty, 24 Hours. 3-5-14		Off Duty, 24 Hours. 2-10-13		Off Duty, 24 Hours. 2-7-12		Off Duty, 24 Hours. 4-6-15		Off Duty, 24 Hours. 16-17-18	
On Duty.		On Duty.		On Duty.		On Duty.		On Duty.		On Duty.	
Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.
2-4	2-3	1-4	2-4	1-3	2-4	1-3	1-4	2-3	1-3	2-4	1-3
6-7	5-7	6-8	6-7	5-8	6-7	5-8	6-8	5-7	5-8	6-7	5-8
12-15	9-10	11-15	9-10	11-14	12-15	9-10	11-15	9-10	11-14	9-10	9-10
16-17	12-13	16-17	12-13	16-17	16-17	11-13	16-17	12-13	16-17	12-13	11-13
18	14	18	15	18	18	14	18	14	18	15	14
9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9

20 MAN COMPANY.

GROUP NO. 1.		GROUP NO. 2.		GROUP NO. 3.		GROUP NO. 4.		GROUP NO. 5.		GROUP NO. 6.	
Off Duty, 24 Hours. 1-8-10		Off Duty, 24 Hours. 3-5-11-15		Off Duty, 24 Hours. 7-9-13		Off Duty, 24 Hours. 2-12-14		Off Duty, 24 Hours. 4-6-16-17		Off Duty, 24 Hours. 18-19-20	
On Duty.		On Duty.		On Duty.		On Duty.		On Duty.		On Duty.	
Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.	Day.	Night.
2-4	2-3	1-4	2-4	1-3	2-4	1-3	1-4	2-3	1-3	2-4	1-3
6-12	5-7	6-8	6-7	5-8	6-12	5-7	6-8	5-7	5-8	6-7	5-7
14-16	9-11	10-16	9-12	10-11	14-16	8-9	10-16	9-11	10-11	9-12	8-9
17-18	12-13	17-18	13-14	15-18	17-18	10-11	17-18	12-13	15-18	13-14	10-11
19-20	14-15	19-40	16-17	19-20	19-20	13-15	19-20	14-15	19-20	16-17	13-15
10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 25 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, i. e., adjacent to Boston, are these, viz., Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and

45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has 44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water Dis-

trict, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, viz., the Fire Prevention District, was organized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston," but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or \$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921, and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$846,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products; (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

ASSESSED VALUATION AND TAX RATE.

Valuation April 1, 1922, \$1,677,861,774, or increase over 1921 of \$82,114,831; of real estate alone, \$1,501,615,100, or \$80,635,500 more than in 1921; of personalty, \$176,246,674, or increase of \$1,479,331 over 1921. Tax rate for 1922 same as for 1921, viz., \$24.70 per \$1,000 of valuation, divided thus; City tax, \$20.37; County tax, \$1.49; State tax, \$2.84.

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending January 5, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
United States Census Bureau, 776,783.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 226; nonresidents, 34; total,
260.
Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 15.13; nonresidents deducted,
17.41.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 14.21; corresponding week
last year, 17.21.
Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 32; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 9; sixty years and over, 103;
total deaths, male, 133; female, 127;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 111;
deaths of colored, 13.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 5, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 6, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	1	1
Diphtheria.....	75	7	66	4
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	2	—	—
Influenza.....	5	—	17	1
Measles.....	118	1	63	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	34	13	49	32
Scarlet fever.....	114	2	56	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	33	15	18	15
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	2	2	2	—
Typhoid fever.....	2	1	1	—
Whooping cough.....	4	—	95	4

* Residents and nonresidents included.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending January 5, 1924.

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Central Building Wrecking Com- pany.	1233 Dorchester avenue....	18	Tenement.....	New gas station.
Central Building Wrecking Com- pany.	1243-45 Dorchester avenue,	18	Repair shop.....	New gas station.
John J. Sullivan.....	2 Whitten street.....	20	Shed garage.....	Unsafe.
John J. Sullivan.....	85 Broadway, corner 1-7 Winchester street.	8	Junk shop.....	New building.
Robert R. McNutt Corporation,	Rear of and 1247 Hyde Park avenue.	24	Engine house.....	New police station.
Leighton & Bance.....	77-81 Austin street and 103 Washington street.	3	Stable.....	New building.
Massachusetts General Hospital,	Rear of 265 Charles street..	5	Ash shed.....	No use.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 453.

The following excellent police work has been brought to my attention by the commanding officers of Divisions 10 and 11, respectively:

1. Early in the morning of October 28, 1923, Patrolman Martin J. Coakley and Thomas H. Soutter, both of Division 10, discovered a fire on the first floor of the five-story building in John Eliot square, occupied by the American Legion Post No. 44, on the first floor, and on other floors by residents and for sleeping quarters of nurses. While Patrolman Coakley sounded the alarm from the nearest box, Patrolman Soutter notified the station of the location of the fire. The two officers then went to the front door of the building but were unable to enter. Thereupon they went to the rear of the building and obtaining entrance, went to every floor, awoke all of the occupants and escorted them to safety.

I am highly gratified to learn of this admirable police work on the part of these patrolmen, and I warmly commend them for the alertness, intelligence and courage which they exhibited.

II. At about 10.45 p. m. on October 6, 1923, Patrolman John Condon of Division 11, who was on vacation and in citizen's clothes, was standing at the corner of Warren and Bower streets, when he saw and gave chase to a runaway horse. Patrolman Condon overtook and climbed onto the rear of the team, narrowly escaping injury from an electric car, and from the seat stepped on the whiffletree and grasped the reins. A short distance away on Warren street the team struck the curb, throwing the horse and flinging Patrolman Condon from the wagon, as a result of which he was injured in several parts of his body.

This is a most excellent piece of work on the part of Patrolman Condon, and I take pleasure in commending him not only for his alertness and courage but

for his evident realization of the fact that a police officer should at all times be ready for duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 454.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Dailey and Murphy having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Matthew J. Sullivan of Division 15, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect of duty, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Matthew J. Sullivan was on December 26, 1923, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in writing on December 26, 1923, to the said Matthew J. Sullivan.

On the twenty-eighth day of December, 1923, the said Matthew J. Sullivan requested in writing a public hearing as provided by the General Laws, and the Police Commissioner set down Friday, January 4, 1924, at eleven o'clock a. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Matthew J. Sullivan.

The said Matthew J. Sullivan was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner found the said Matthew J. Sullivan guilty as charged, and further found that the said Matthew J. Sullivan should stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 455.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Dailey and McDevitt having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman John W. O'Brien of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman John W. O'Brien perform one hundred and forty hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 456.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Dailey and McDevitt having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Stephen J. Murphy of Division, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Stephen J. Murphy be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 o'clock p. m. Mayor James M. Curley is to be one of the January speakers.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.
1924.

- Jan. 17. "Boston of the Next Twenty-Five Years." (Motion pictures.) Speaker: His Honor the Mayor, James M. Curley. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Jan. 24. A Trip to Palestine. Anton Hanania.
- Jan. 31. The Wonders of the Heavens. Rev. Manly Bacon Townsend.
- Feb. 7. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 14. The Appalachian Mountain Club Huts and Their Relations with the Trampers. Milton E. MacGregor, Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 21. A Program for Washington's Birthday. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Charles F. Read, Clerk of the Bostonian Society. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Feb. 28. The World in its True Colors: A Travel-Talk. Helen Messinger Murdoch, F.R.P.S., illustrated with autochromes taken by the lecturer.
- Mar. 6. Italian Gardens. Robert N. Cram.
- Mar. 13. The Call of the Mountains. Le Roy Jeffers, Secretary, Associated Mountaineering Clubs of North America; Librarian, American Alpine Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 20. Our Guardians of Life and Property. (Motion pictures.) Speakers from the Boston Fire and Police Departments. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Mar. 27. Browning and Ruskin: Prophets of the Twentieth Century. Agnes Knox Black (Mrs. E. Charlton Black).
- Apr. 3. Gothic Grandeur: how Rheims Cathedral was built. Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J.
- Apr. 10. The Revelation of Spain. Ralph Adams Cram, Litt.D., LL.D.
- Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.
1924.

- Jan. 13. What Women are doing for Music. Mrs. William Arms Fisher.
- Jan. 20. The Contemporary Movement in the French Theatre from Antoine to Copeau. Samuel M. Waxman, Ph.D., Professor of Romance Languages, Boston University. (Drama League Course.)
- Jan. 27. Adventures of a Sage Brush Tourist in Wyoming. W. Lyman Underwood, lecturer on Industrial Biology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. With lantern illustrations.
- Feb. 3. Pirandello and the Modern Italian Theatre. Robert E. Rogers, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. (Drama League Course.)
- Feb. 10. Abraham Lincoln. Guy Richardson. With lantern illustrations.
- Feb. 17. Organs and Choirs of Greater Boston. Henry C. Lahee. With lantern illustrations.
- Feb. 24. Shakespeare's Response to "What the Public Wants." John Livingston Lowes, Ph.D., Professor of English, Harvard University.
- Mar. 2. Expressionism in the Theatre. Albert H. Gilmer, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 9. Books and Life. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt.D.
- Mar. 16. Master Music for Young People. Malcolm Lang. With musical illustrations.

* The programs arranged by the Conservation Bureau of the City of Boston will consist of motion pictures, silent informational screen talks, singing by the audience, and a brief address.

- Mar. 23. Fundamentals in the Theatre, Old and New. F. W. C. Hersey, A.M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 30. The Bible in Stained Glass. Joseph G. Reynolds, Jr. With lantern illustrations.
- Apr. 6. Recreational Opportunities of Boston. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Mrs. Eva W. White, General Director, Community Service of Boston. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations.
- Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A Program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

1924

- Jan. 14. What's What in Books. John Clair Minot.
- Jan. 28. Ruskin in the Life of To-Day. Rev. Joseph P. MacCarthy, Ph.D.
- Feb. 8. 105th Anniversary of the Birth of John Ruskin. Speakers: Dr. Payson Smith, Commissioner of Education, Hon. E. C. R. Bagley, Deputy-Commissioner of Corrections; Rt. Rev. Msgr. Arthur T. Connolly; Mr. Charles F. D. Belden; Mr. Harley Perkins, and Mr. Le Barron Cooke.
- Feb. 11. The Causes of the American Civil War: Lincoln and Webster. Joseph Whipple.
- Feb. 25. Twenty-third Anniversary of the Boston Ruskin Club. Bonnie Scotland: The Land of Broom and Heather. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Mar. 10. Around the Bay of Naples. Miss Ellen C. Page. Illustrated.
- Mar. 24. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry Austin Higgins, Secretary, Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.
- Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)
- May 12. Annual Meeting.

THE NEW ENGLAND POETRY CLUB.

The following free talks in the Lecture Hall on the second Wednesdays of the month at 4.30 o'clock, with illustrative readings, are announced:

Some Influences in Modern American Poetry.

1924.

- Feb. 13. Sarah Teasdale, "H. D." (Hilda Doolittle Aldington) and Edna St. Vincent Millay: Their Treatment of the Theme of Love. Joseph Auslander, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University.
- Mar. 12. Carl Sandburg. Amy Lowell.
- Apr. 9. Robert Frost. Norreys Jephson O'Connor, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Mt. Holyoke College.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

DIRECTOR OF AQUARIUM, BOSTON PARK DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 23, 1924.

The salary is \$1,700 per year.

The duties of this position are to act as executive head of the Aquarium at South Boston; to see that the tanks are filled with desirable specimens, and that

they are kept in good physical condition; to see that the building is kept in good order; to keep records of the work accomplished, and be familiar with the performance of every detail of the operation of the Aquarium. Applicants must have a general knowledge of fish and aquatic life, such as aquatic mammals, invertebrates, batrachians, plants, etc.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

CLERICAL SERVICE, STATE AND CITIES, JANUARY 12 AND JANUARY 26, 1924.

This is the regular examination for the clerical service of the state and of all cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. On January 12 the examination will be held in Boston, and all persons who reside within commuting distance will be notified for examination on this day. On January 26 the examination will be held in various centrally located cities. Certification may be made from the eligible lists established by this examination for office, institutional, or other positions of a similar nature at the discretion of the Commissioner of Civil Service. Special qualifications in bookkeeping, stenography, typewriting, cataloguing, filing, etc., and in foreign languages may be recognized by the commissioner in certifying persons for positions demanding such qualifications. Persons qualifying in the examination may have their names placed on the state list as well as on the list for the city or town in which they reside.

This examination will be given to fill positions in all grades of the clerical service except Grade V (chief clerk, secretary). All applicants will be given the same examination, and will be placed on the list in the order of marks received, and will be certified for any and all clerical positions in the order of standing on the list unless in the opinion of the Commissioner of Civil Service the mark attained is lower than is proper for the particular position to be filled.

All applicants will be marked on each subject of the examination, and will be given a general average on such marks according to the following schedule: Training and experience, 5 points; spelling, 2; letter writing, 2; arithmetic (multiplication, division and decimals, 1; arithmetic (problems), 1; word knowledge, 1; sentence meaning, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15.

Each applicant will be sent an "experience sheet" with proper instructions for stating his education, training, and experience.

The passing mark for clerical examinations will be 65 per cent in general average.

The usual entrance salary for clerks ranges from \$720 to \$1,200 per year. For positions paying \$1,200 or more, only clerks who receive a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience will be certified.

Sample questions for clerks available.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, December 31, 1923.

Meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock, p. m., President LANE in the chair and all the members present.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 31, 1923.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Timothy J. McLaughlin, 16 Railroad Avenue, West Roxbury, a Weigher of Goods and Samuel A. Levine, 61 Norwell street, Dorchester, a Weigher of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Laid over under the law.

DISPOSITION OF A. SHUMAN MEMORIAL FUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 17, 1923.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Under a provision of the will of the late Abraham Shuman, who for many years rendered exceptional service to the people of Boston as chairman of the Boston City Hospital Trustees, the sum of \$100,000 was provided for the erection of a building to be known as "The A. Shuman Memorial Building For Convalescent Men."

In the opinion of the present hospital trustees it would be unwise to expend the money for the purpose as set forth in the will.

The Corporation Counsel in conjunction with the trustees of the Boston City Hospital has drafted an order which will make available the money in question, provided the said order is approved by the Council and favorable action is later taken by the court.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Whereas, On October 22, 1919, the City of Boston did accept a bequest of one hundred thousand dollars as made to the City of Boston by the twenty-fourth clause of the will of the late Abraham Shuman, for the erection of a building to be known as "The A. Shuman Memorial Building for Convalescent Men"; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of the Board of Trustees of the Boston City Hospital that the sum bequeathed is not sufficient for the erection of a convalescent home for men as directed; and

Whereas, The trustees under the will of the late Abraham Shuman have refused to pay to the City of Boston the aforementioned bequest for any purpose other than that specified in the will of the late Abraham Shuman and are about to petition to the Probate Court in and for the County of Suffolk for instructions regarding the administration of this fund;

Ordered, That the City of Boston hereby amends its unconditional acceptance of October 22, 1919, so as to read as follows:

"That the bequest under the twenty-fourth clause of the will of the late Abraham Shuman, by which the sum of one hundred thousand dollars is bequeathed to the City of Boston, be and hereby is accepted subject to the issue of an order of the Probate Court in and for the County of Suffolk permitting the fund bequeathed to be used for any of the following purposes:

1. For the erection of a building to be used as a maternity hospital as a department of the Boston City Hospital, this building to be known as "The A. Shuman Maternity House."

2. For the erection on the grounds of the City Hospital of a dormitory for house officers, interns and orderlies engaged in the service of the Boston City Hospital, said building to be known as "The A. Shuman Memorial."

3. For the erection on the grounds of the City Hospital of a dormitory for female nurses engaged in service at the Boston City Hospital, said building to be known as "The A. Shuman Memorial."

4. For the establishment of a fund out of which financial assistance may be rendered to men patients convalescing from acute diseases following treatment in the Boston City Hospital, except those convalescing from alcoholism, who have been discharged from the hospital and who are in need of financial assistance; this fund to be administered by the trustees of the Boston City Hospital and to be known as the "A. Shuman Memorial Fund for Convalescent Men."

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SANITARY CONDITION OF FIRE HOUSES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 19, 1923.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith report of the Fire Commissioner, the same constituting a reply to the order adopted by your honorable body on November 26, 1923, relative to the sanitary condition of the present quarters of Ladder 7 and Engine 17.

I beg to add that I have conferred with the Fire Commissioner and chief of the department, and we are endeavoring to work out a program whereby it may be possible to use a portion of the property in the custody of the Public Works Department on Hancock street, Dorchester, as a site for a new fire station.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Fire Department, December 10, 1923.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—I am in receipt of your letter of November 28, 1923, inclosing the following order passed by the City Council on November 26, 1923:

"Ordered, That the Fire Commissioner, through his Honor the Mayor be requested to report to the Mayor and City Council as to the sanitary condition of the present quarters of Ladder 7 and Engine 17, as the Dorchester Board of Trade insist that suitable quarters be provided at the earliest possible moment."

These companies are stationed on Meeting House Hill, and there are two buildings here; the engine house of brick, which needs remodeling, and the ladder house of wood, which is old, diminutive, unsanitary, dilapidated and a disgrace to the city. The whole plant should be rebuilt.

The engine house has a cellar under but a small portion of its area. The ladder house has no cellar at all, the reason for this undoubtedly being the presence of a ledge under the whole plant, making excavating a very expensive proposition and therefore avoided at the time of construction.

Some months ago the conditions at this location were thoroughly investigated, and it was decided at that time that a new site was needed for quarters for these two companies. This decision was based on the following conclusions:

1. The physical make-up of the present location, on account of the ledge, prohibits a cellar under the whole plant, a very necessary adjunct to a well-designed fire station.

2. The location is such that it is not central to the greatest number of boxes to which this apparatus responds.

3. The present buildings are adjacent to the Mather School, an immense grammar school, and while we have never had an accident, yet there is the possibility of one at some future time.

Therefore I would recommend that a new site in the best possible location in this vicinity be purchased and that a new up-to-date double fire station be erected thereon. To erect this new building will require an appropriation of at least eighty thousand (80,000) dollars, exclusive of the purchase of a new site.

Yours very truly,
THEODORE A. GYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

Placed on file.

ABATEMENT OF SMOKE NUISANCE, SOUTH BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 18, 1923.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to present herewith report of the Health Commissioner and the Superintendent of the Special Service Department of the Boston Edison Company, the same constituting replies to interrogatories contained in order of the City Council adopted under date of November 19, 1923.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Health Department, December 8, 1923.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—I am in receipt of a copy of the order passed on November 19, 1923, by the City Council of Boston, relative to the abatement of the smoke nuisance emanating from the Edison plant in South Boston, transmitted by you under date of November 28.

On December 1, 1923, the following report of inspection was submitted: "There are six smoke stacks in use and five of them were smoking continually during this time. The smoke stack on this building at First and L streets smoked continually from 11 a. m. to 12 m., emitting a dense, dark smoke which blew directly on to the residences on Broadway, opposite Independence square, and the front door steps of these houses were covered with coal dust and fine cinders. Between 12 m. and 1 p. m., the stack was smoking, but the volume of smoke was not so heavy. The third, fourth and fifth stacks smoked continually during

this time, sometimes for a five-minute duration, giving off a heavy, dark smoke, and at other times the volume of smoke was lighter.

As a result of the above inspection report, a regular "Notice to Abate a Nuisance" order was served upon the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston, 70 State street, Boston, relative to property at First and L streets, South Boston. Subsequent to the service of this notice, John Campbell, superintendent, Special Service Department of the Edison Company, called upon the Health Commissioner, and confirmed, in writing, his explanation of conditions. I am inclosing copies of the letter received, and will keep the premises under observation for further report.

Respectfully,

F. X. MAHONEY,
Health Commissioner.

The Edison Electric Illuminating Company,
General Offices, 39 Boylston Street.

Boston, December 7, 1923.

Dr. F. X. Mahoney, Health Commissioner, 1109 City Hall Annex, Boston:

My dear Doctor,—Confirming our conversation relative to your complaint of smoke at L street, South Boston, as I explained to you, what trouble there has been in that way is not due to normal operating conditions, but to the fact that the contractors installing new apparatus have been obliged to do a certain amount of experimenting and when the complete apparatus is installed, there will be no reason whatever for complaint.

The daily operation with absence of smoke will then be on the basis upon which Albert Scott, chief smoke inspector of Louisville, Ky., commended so favorably.

Trusting that this letter will clear up the matter for the present, and assuring you that I shall be only too pleased to give you any further information or assistance you may require, I am

Very truly yours,

JOHN CAMPBELL,
Superintendent Special Service Department.
Placed on file.

SALE OF CITY LAND, BERRY STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 31, 1923.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith communication from the municipal real estate expert relative to a small plot of land owned by the City of Boston on Berry street, West Roxbury, southwest corner of Manning street, and which, in his opinion, cannot be utilized to advantage by the municipality.

I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

John Beck,
30 State Street, Boston,
December 31, 1923.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—The lot of land at the southwest corner of Manning and Berry streets, West Roxbury, opposite the cemetery, is stone ledge and gravel. It contains 5,262 square feet, assessed for \$600.

There is practically no demand for the land and it should be offered at public auction at an upset price of \$200 or \$300.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN BECK.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$600, a parcel of land on Berry street, West Roxbury, southwest corner of Manning street, containing 5,262 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

DISPOSAL OF CITY PROPERTY, MATTAPAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 31, 1923.

To the Honorable City Council:

Gentlemen,—Under an indenture between Amor Hollingsworth, Sumner A. Burt and Amor L. Hollingsworth, all of Milton, and John H. McKendry of Boston, entered into on the sixth day of August, 1870, a building was erected to provide for and promote the general social and moral well-being of the community known as Mattapan, situated partly in the City of Boston and partly in the town of Milton. This building was used for hall and entertainment purposes and the trustees concluded that the purposes of the founder and donors could no longer be carried out and petitioned the Probate Court for instructions as to what disposition should be made of the property held under the trust. Being a public charitable trust, the Attorney General was

made a party and a petition filed in the Probate Court for the County of Suffolk, and the court ordered the disposition of the property and the payment of all expenses connected with the trust, and that half the balance of the proceeds should be paid to the City of Boston and half to the town of Milton. If either municipality refused to accept the proceeds on the conditions contained within the decree or order the amount to be paid to that municipality should be paid to the other. The half to be paid to the City of Boston is to be held by the city in trust in perpetuity and the principal thereof to be kept intact and invested and the income therefrom be devoted from time to time by the trustees of the Public Library of said City of Boston, or their successors, to the maintenance of the Mattapan Branch, so called, of the said Boston Public Library, in such way and manner as the trustees of said library shall deem best and fitting to promote the interest and well-being of said Mattapan Branch of said library.

The trustees of the Boston Public Library desire that the city should accept this fund and they will gladly use it for the purpose stipulated in the decree.

I therefore recommend the acceptance of the amount as decreed by the Probate Court upon the conditions contained within the decree.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Whereas, By an interlocutory decree of the Probate Court for the County of Suffolk, entered in the action numbered 200924, Equity, brought by Robert D. Mossman, G. Edward Burt and Morris A. Duffy, petitioners, against the Attorney General of the Commonwealth, provision was made for the disposition of certain property held by said petitioners as trustees under an indenture between Amor Hollingsworth, Sumner A. Burt and Amor L. Hollingsworth, all of Milton, Mass., and John H. McKendry, of Boston, Mass., entered into the sixth day of August, 1870, and

Whereas, Said property has been disposed of in accordance with said decree and one half of the balance realized from the disposition of said property after the payment of all expenses of the trust, amounts to \$11,781.44; and

Whereas, Provision is also made in said decree that half of the balance realized from the disposition of said property shall be paid in cash to the City of Boston in said Commonwealth to be by said city held in trust in perpetuity, and the principal thereof kept forever intact and be invested, and the income therefrom be from time to time devoted by the trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston and their successors to the maintenance of the Mattapan Branch, so called, of the said Boston Public Library in such way and manner as the trustees of said library shall deem best and fitting to promote the interest and well-being of said Mattapan Branch of said library;

Ordered, That said amount of \$11,781.44 be and the same is hereby accepted by the City of Boston upon the terms and conditions set out in said decree. Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Agulia Brothers, for compensation for injury to horse by being run into by city team on Commercial street.

James H. Albee, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 36 Melbourne street.

Armstrong Transfer Express Company, for compensation for damage to car by a car of the city.

John T. Cook, for compensation for damage to clothing by sand barrel at corner of Franklin and Washington streets.

Sara M. Crosby, to be reimbursed for expense caused by an incorrect lien certificate on property on Adams terrace.

Thomas F. Darey, for compensation for damage to car on the East Boston Ferry.

Downey Brothers, for compensation for damage to truck caused by an alleged defect in Albany street.

Norman R. Doyle, for compensation for property stolen from him while employed at Long Island.

Mrs. H. A. Farrar, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Washington street.

Patrick Gegan heirs, for compensation for damage to property, 18 Spring street by construction of sidewalk.

Hyman Glaser, for compensation for damage to property by city team collecting ashes.

Grace C. Glynn, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Seaver street.

Samuel Gordon, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 220 Harvard street.

Herman F. Greenberg, for compensation for damage to car by a city truck.

John F. Hanson, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Stockton street.

Herlihy Brothers, for compensation for injuries to horse caused by an alleged defect in Lamson street.

Fannie Herman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Oswego street.

James B. Keiran, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Massachusetts avenue.

Esther Krupnick, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 58 Spring street.

Anthony Kupstis, for compensation for damage to property at 111 N street by stoppage of sewer.

J. F. Long, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Commonwealth avenue.

Annie A. McCarron for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Palmer street.

William McDonald, for compensation for injuries received on the East Boston Ferry.

Nathaniel Nevins, for compensation for back wages due while employed on the police boat in 1918 and 1919.

Mrs. James O'Neil, for compensation for damage to property at 170 Colorado street by blasting.

Powers & Corea Company, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Samuel Shapiro, for compensation for damage to wagon on the East Boston Ferry.

Natalie Strazulla, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Seneca street.

Mae Taisner, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Callender street.

A. W. Warren, for compensation for damage to clothing by paint on post at the corner of Essex street and Harrison avenue.

Executive.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.:

Mary Swan, South Boston Municipal Hall, January 11, 1924.

Caroline T. Fries, Greenwood Hall, January 14, 1924.

Maybelle Lyman, Horticultural Hall, December 31, 1923.

Ordinances.

Daniel J. Kiley, for hearing on sale of land on Commonwealth and Chestnut Hill avenues, and as to restrictions on Commonwealth avenue.

Jitneys.

Oakdale Community Garage, for jitney permit, Hyde Park.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constable's bond of Morris Berkman.

Approved by the City Council.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Civil Service Commission of approval of appointment of John F. Masters as Boston Sanatorium Trustee.

Placed on file.

WITHDRAWAL OF BONDSMAN.

Notice was received from the Globe Indemnity Company of withdrawal as bondsman on the jitney licenses of the Norfolk & Bristol Bus Company.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearing on Monday, January 7, on petition of Emerson Garage to store and sell gasoline.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PRICE OF CITY LAND, BRIGHTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Finance Commission, December 22, 1923.
To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen,—The Finance Commission has procured an appraisal by a real estate expert of the parcel of real estate owned by the city, at the junction of Commonwealth and Chestnut Hill avenues, Brighton district, containing 66,672 square feet of land. It appears from this appraisal that the fair value of this parcel of land is not less than \$1.25 per square foot.

The commission therefore recommends that the upset price of \$50,100 (73 cents per square foot), placed upon this property in the communication of the Mayor to the City Council on November 26, 1923, be given further consideration before this property is offered for sale at public auction.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,

MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

Placed on file.

TEAMING NEGOTIATIONS.

Coun. WATSON offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council deplore the possibility of the failure of negotiations between

the employers and the truck drivers, chauffeurs and teamsters which may result in the suspension of a large part of the automobile and horse-drawn trucking in this city, if a strike takes place, and demands that every possible effort be exerted by the two forces to the end that there shall be no interruption in the present conditions as they apply to teaming and trucking and that the parties to the controversy, both employers and employees, while they are protecting their own interests, do not lose sight of the public interests which are paramount to the interests of either or both of them. Be it further

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be requested (unless he has already done so) to call in both the master teamsters and the employees and use his endeavors towards a settlement of the controversy and the preventing of any strike.

Ordered, That a copy of this resolve be forwarded to the leaders of the employers and the employees.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I realize fully that this resolution may amount to but very little. I also appreciate our lack of influence, in view of the fact that we have nothing to do with the controversy, nor are we in any way called upon to assist in trying to bring about the settlement of a possible strike by the teamsters and drivers or employees of the trucking interests. I know nothing of the merits of the controversy. I do know, however, that today \$30 per week is not a living wage for the ordinary man of family. I don't know the salaries that the teamsters, truckmen, drivers get, but if they get less than \$30 a week, in my opinion they are getting too little money for the labor they perform. However, there is a great mass who are interested in this controversy, who will perhaps be more affected than either of the immediate parties to the controversy. If this strike should take place, either through the fault of the master teamsters or the employees, the great public is going to suffer. They are going to suffer not only because industry will be hampered and handicapped, but their homes will be affected in a general way, because foodstuffs will not be delivered to the middlemen or to the cold storage plants, and consequently will not reach the consumers. I have no interest in either of the parties in the controversy, but I do have a great interest, and a selfish interest, in the public. After all, the teamsters as well as the truck owners are not the only ones to be considered, because the hardship and the cost will fall on the ultimate consumer. It is an economic fact that whenever any increase of wages or anything of the sort takes place, whenever a greater expense is placed on the shoulders of the manufacturer or the head of an industry, in a very short time it lands squarely on the shoulders of the consumer, you, I and the average man and woman in the community. Therefore, whether the demands of the teamsters are just or not just matters not, if an additional wage scale is granted, the team owners are not going to take the loss. They will pass it along. So I do think that both sides to this controversy should consider, and, if necessary, should be compelled to consider, the great general public. After all, the general public takes in the families of the workers on these teams as well as the team owners' families, and those who depend upon them for existence. I sincerely trust that the resolution will pass, realizing, as I said in opening, that it may be of very little importance and have very little influence in its bearing on a strike. The councilor opposite (Coun. Moriarty), who is very closely affiliated with organized labor, was not here when I started to speak, and I want to reiterate that I know nothing about the merits of the controversy. I do know that if the men are getting less than \$30 a week they are not getting what I consider a living wage. I also said, and I speak for his benefit, that I think there are interests paramount to either those of the employers or employees—that is, the interests of the public—and that their interest should be first considered. I sincerely trust that the resolution will be passed under a suspension of the rule.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I would like to see the resolution amended. If the councilor opposite will allow the resolution to be amended, I shall be glad to vote for it. I would say that I will have to vote against it if it is left in the condition in which it appears now. I realize that the general public may be vitally interested in so far as a possible strike taking place is concerned, but I still realize that the only way in which the men working as teamsters and chauffeurs for the public interests of this city seem to be able to increase their wages so that they may be given a living wage is to exert their right as American citizens and refuse to work for anybody who does not want to pay the wages that they desire. I cannot vote for a resolution which would expect them to give up their right to protect their immediate families, who are practically starving at the wages that are being paid by the master teamsters of the City of Boston. If the resolution can be amended so as to request the Mayor to call both sides into his office and see if it is not possible to avert a strike, by coming to a common understanding, I will vote for it. Otherwise, I will have to vote against the resolution.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I am satisfied that his Honor the Mayor has undoubtedly made a move in the direction suggested by the councilor opposite. I should have very little respect for his intelligence, wisdom or interest in the public if he had not done it already. There is no doubt but

what he has already started the machinery moving to bring about such a conference. I am not a party to it. My resolution does not take sides either way. But I will be frank in saying that I sympathize strongly with the employees, believing that they are not getting the wage they should get. The resolution merely asks that they exert every effort to bring about such a situation that a strike will not result. That is all. We merely express an opinion. Is there a member of the body who is not wishing and hoping that the controversy will end with no strike? Of course, that is the hope of all of us, and that is all that the resolution asks. It does not ask for anything else. It merely asks for a settlement of the controversy in the interests of the great multitude. I will be frank, that as between the team owners and employees, I am personally more interested in the general public and my dear ones, as well as they are interested in their dear ones. I don't desire to enter into any controversy with the gentleman opposite (Coun. Moriarty), and because he and I are of one mind in regard to the matter of a living wage. The resolution merely asks that everything possible be done, and that we are standing back of such efforts, to avert a strike, calling to their attention the fact that while they have a right to protect their interests, and we applaud them for it, they must not lose sight of the interests of the general public. The gentleman has an amendment to suggest. He suggests that this resolution be amended so as to bring the Mayor into it, with a view to a conference between both sides. I would suggest that he present a new order to that effect, asking his Honor the Mayor to take such a step. I am, however, perfectly willing to add to the resolution the words that "His Honor the Mayor be requested to call upon the interested parties to meet in his office and talk the matter over," although I am satisfied that that has already been done. I don't think the gentleman is taking the proper stand when he says that if such an amendment is not adopted he will vote against the resolution. I don't think he would take that position if he considered the matter in a careful way, because the resolution does not mean anything detrimental to the interests so dear to him, not a thing. The gentleman opposite knows that I am in entire sympathy with the attitude he takes in regard to labor, but I do know also that the public are entitled to our support to the extent of doing everything possible to avert a strike that will be a calamity from a financial and economic standpoint, as well as from the standpoint of injury to the public. The merely financial standpoint does not interest me a particle, but I am thinking of possible suffering to the public. Coal might not be delivered to the homes of worthy people who need it; foodstuffs might not be taken from the cars to the storage warehouses, and meat men, grocers, and so forth, would be handicapped, with resulting great suffering to the consuming public. They are the ones to be affected, and, whoever is responsible for bringing about a strike, it is the public who will ultimately suffer. I am hopeful that there will be no strike. I don't think my resolutions will stop a strike or bring one on, but at least we are showing ourselves to be an important cog in the wheels of the government of Boston. We cannot sit here without attempting in some way to avert such a calamity, if possible, preventing the possibility or probability of a strike. I do believe that if the gentleman would take the position I am taking in this matter, he would be doing the very best possible thing for his organization. I believe that each and every man in his organization feels as I feel about the matter, and as I have expressed it in the resolution I have introduced, that in some ways both parties should get together; that the public should not suffer because of any misstep or selfish act on the part of either side. I sincerely trust that the resolution I have offered will be adopted as I have offered it, although I am willing to add the words that we trust the Mayor will do all he can to bring about a termination of the controversy between the interested parties, and thereby end the possibility of a strike.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I agree with Coun. Watson in a part of his resolution. I agree, in so far as the resolution itself is concerned that it does not mean a thing. I did not know that the resolution had been introduced until I came in here and heard the councilor talking upon it. I do not assume to be a mind reader. I don't know whether the Mayor has done anything or has not done anything. I am not going to assume that he has or has not done anything. That is his business. But the resolution is here now, and it is our business, and if we are going to do anything with the resolution, and if the resolution is going to be of any benefit to the public, let us make it read as it should read. I suppose that 75 per cent of the master teamsters of Boston do not live in Boston, and in so far as their receiving from us a copy of the resolution is concerned, it does not mean a thing. I do feel that most of the men who drive trucks and teams in Boston, drivers and chauffeurs, are residents of Boston, and I want to say that I have more interest in them than I have in the master teamsters. But let us not confuse the situation. There is no fear of the coal teamsters going out on strike. The coal teamsters already have an agreement signed up, and they are not included in the teamsters who are now in controversy with the master teamsters of Boston. It is the truck drivers and also the market teamsters who are interested. But the situation is this. I suppose that they have had conferences and I suppose that the master

teamsters have said to those representing the drivers of Boston, "Absolutely nothing doing on any more money; nothing doing on the shortening of hours." I want to say that I am against the master teamsters when they take such a position, and I am against anybody else who would stand in the way of the thing being properly straightened out, whether the general public or somebody else. I am in favor of shorter hours, I am in favor of more money for these men, no matter what others may think about it. That is the position I have taken from the first, that was the position I took before I became a member of this government, and I am going to be in that position right along after being a member of the government—that I am in favor of shorter hours for all men, women and children who work, and that I am in favor of higher wages for everybody who is unfortunate enough to have to work, no matter what their position in life may be. I don't want to take away any credit from the member on the other side. I am satisfied to give him all the credit. If he does not want to amend the order, so as to have the Mayor call a conference, let the Council have a conference with representatives of both sides. Let us get into it. If we are so much interested in the public, let us call both parties in here and tell them that we are the representatives of the people, and ask them to sit down with us and see if we cannot avert a strike in the City of Boston. But as the resolution now stands, I cannot see that it amounts to anything. I don't want to take away any credit from the councilor on the other side. I do think that he is trying to do everything in his power to bring about a settlement. I don't want to belittle his effort. But, so far as the resolution at the present moment is concerned, it does not mean a thing. I suggest that it be amended, either asking the Mayor to call both sides into conference, or making the suggestion that this Council, if we can be of service to the public, invite both parties to come in and take the matter up with us. We might be able to bring about some results. I want to say in conclusion that there is nobody, no matter what the Boston papers may say from time to time, who will go farther to avert a strike than will. I don't want strikes, but I do want to preserve the right we are entitled to. I don't want to have the right we have in the last resort taken away from us, the right that is given to each and every American citizen to work for whom he may see fit at any time, or not to work, if he does not care to do so. Now, if the resolution can be amended in either of the respects I suggest, I will vote for it; otherwise I will vote against the resolution as suggested.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, the suggestion made by the gentleman opposite is perfectly satisfactory to me. I don't know how far we could go in the matter of averting a strike. I think perhaps we could go as far towards a settlement that would be satisfactory to both sides as anybody. But I do want to say that the first step in this direction should be an absolutely neutral resolution. I trust that the gentleman has not misunderstood my position in regard to the workers. The gentleman opposite does not for a moment suggest that I do not favor shorter hours and better pay for the workers? Of course, I do. Any man not a banker or broker could not take any other stand and satisfy his conscience. But is there any member of this body who cannot support the language of this resolution? (Reading the resolution.) Of course we deplore the threatened situation and of course we have a right to demand that both parties to the controversy exert every possible effort to avert a strike in the trucking business in Boston. Is there anybody in this body who will not subscribe to those statements? Who will take exception to the fact that the paramount ones to be affected in the event of a strike are the great public? And the great public in Boston all vote in Boston. The great public that I speak for and that he speaks for has elected me to membership in this body, and they have just re-elected him for three years more as a member of the body. I am perfectly willing to accept the suggestion made by the gentleman opposite that an acceptable amendment be made to the resolution, and I feel that in executive session he and I can frame a resolution along the lines suggested. I don't think we ought to touch the Mayor's end of it, because I think I am guessing pretty well and that I am a pretty good mind reader when I guess that up to the present time the Mayor has been actively attempting to settle the controversy. I don't know about it, but that is my guess. I am in the Mayor's office less than he is. But I will be frank with you—I don't know when or how a conference may have been had, but I am satisfied, with the almost human intelligence I possess, that his Honor the Mayor is at this time in close touch with the interested parties, and that if he is not in close touch with them the interested parties are trying to get in close touch with him. There is no doubt about that. Of course, this resolution means nothing to me politically. I shall be a member of this body for two years more, unless Senator Francis and his colleagues legislate us out of office. So there is no politics in this matter on my part. I am merely trying to do what I think is right by the public. I had no opportunity to talk to members concerning the resolution. It would be better if I had had such an opportunity, perhaps. But it is a mild resolution. I did not want to slop over, but I did want to put the matter before the body for action. This is a body that always tries to do what it can in the public interest. It is a sadly maligned body. It is the legislative branch of the city government, and it is never given the

credit it should be given for things that it does and tries to do. It is a much abused body and at times may make human mistakes. We all do that. I am interested in this resolution simply because I think it is in the interest of the public. I do want it to pass. My interest is not a selfish interest. But I do think, when there is a possibility or probability of a strike of this sort, we should do all in our power to try to avert it before the die is cast. I assume that the master teamsters have already told the men that there will be no increase of wages or shortening of hours, I will assume, on the strength of the gentleman's second sight, that that is true. Nevertheless, we can go ahead favoring further efforts along the line of settlement; and if the member will reconsider his statement about voting against the resolution as presented, I shall be glad to co-operate with him in any way to draw a resolution that will cover the ground he wants. I will try to follow any suggestion he may make with a view to bringing about a settlement and to avoid the possibility of a strike. I sincerely trust, in view of the fact that the resolution is here—a resolution which speaks for itself, which attacks nobody—that we will take some action upon it today. The gentleman knows that I am just as good a friend to organized labor as any member of the Council. That was my record in the old Common Council, in the Legislature, and in the nine years I have been here. Every proposed pay increase here I have voted for; every opportunity to shorten the hours of workers I have voted for. I have been a slave here to those who desired my services for nine years. I never dodged a vote or an opportunity to help one who desired my services, if it were in my power to do something. I am a friend of the worker, and the member opposite knows it. I sincerely trust, now that the resolution is here, that the gentleman will take a step backward upon his announced position upon it, because it will mean a step forward in the interest of the public. As I have said, there is no politics in this. I have still a large part of my three-year term to serve, and the gentleman is just fresh from the people for three years more. This simply represents an honest desire to give our humble aid towards a possible settlement or averting of a strike by the teamsters or a lockout on the part of the master teamsters. I trust that the gentleman will reconsider his position and will vote for the resolution, making it unanimous, and then in executive session I will be glad to frame an order in consultation with him, or have him frame an order, looking to what he wishes, and he cannot go too far to satisfy me. I sincerely trust that the resolution will be passed at this time.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I am not going to change my mind. I don't want any credit for any resolution. I am not criticizing the member who has introduced the resolution; I am not saying that he is not a friend of labor. I am not criticizing anybody, but I say that the resolution as written is not worth the paper it is written on, in so far as doing anything for the public is concerned. If we want to do something for the public, why not put it into the resolution and have it over with? Otherwise, the resolution as presented will amount to nothing. It will simply be printed in the papers tomorrow and, no matter what the councilor on the other side says, the general public will say, "Playing politics." I will agree that the gentleman is not doing so; I will agree that he is not a candidate, because he has two more years to serve—

Coun. WATSON—If I am lucky.

Coun. MORIARTY—But I have you beaten by a year and a month. I have three years and a month to serve, unless the Legislature shortens our term. But I am not worrying about that so much as I am worrying about kidding myself, and if I vote for the resolution as presented, I am simply kidding myself, and I think all the other members who vote for it will be kidding themselves. If we want to do something, if we want to accomplish something, let us—and I am willing that the councilor on the other side should get all the credit—pass an order or resolution requesting the Mayor to call a conference of the parties, or looking to this body calling a conference of the parties, and trying to do something in that way. If either of those suggestions are not put into the resolution, I will take my chance in voting against it. I am not going to say that I have always been a friend of labor. The best proof of that lies in the fact. I am an employee of labor, and I am getting paid every week, and the Saturday before the city election there was an election for my office and I was elected again for the thirteenth year, even beating the councilor's record. I am not going to try to take the teamsters' business away from them. I have not been in conference with the teamsters. I don't know how close the master teamsters and the men are, whether they are getting together or not. Because an organization takes a vote on the question of whether it will go on strike does not mean that it will go on strike. That is the only weapon that they have to use, and I feel that I would rather sit down and have the thing talked over here between the master teamsters and the men with us as the Boston city government, or have it done through the Mayor's office, than to have the resolution pass in this form. If the councilor has made up his mind that he is not going to amend his resolution, I am going to do what I said, vote against it. Everybody else here has the same right that I have, to use his own judgment. Sometimes my judgment is good, and other times it is bad. So I suppose, taking twelve

months together, I make a fifty-fifty break. I am willing to take my chance in voting against it, because in my judgment it does not mean a thing. If we want to be constructive, want to be of some help, let us call the master teamsters and the drivers' committee in here and have the case placed before us. But if the situation is that we are going to have an open break here, we might just as well have it. I want to say that I am a member in good standing of the American Federation of Labor, the only bona fide labor organization in existence in this country, and that they have done more for the men and women who work than all other organizations in existence. I am going to stay inside of that organization, and I am not going outside of the organization. Now, if we are going to have a labor fight here, we might just as well have it. I have heard the councilor on the other side criticize some of the members here for not taking resolutions up with other members of the Council before they were introduced. I am not going to criticize the member today. But in his first remarks he referred to me as being a member of organized labor, and if he had come to me prior to introducing the resolution I would have suggested to him the two things I have already suggested. Of course, there is going to be a show-down here in so far as what labor wants and what labor does not want is concerned. I am willing to go to the mat with anybody here, barring nobody. So if we are going to have that open break we might as well have it today, starting in and having it out. Of course, if anybody wants to try to put me in bad, he has that right, but I want to say here that I am going to protect myself against any and all of you. I send that as a challenge to any and all of you, as members of the Council, for the remainder of this year and during my term of office here. If anybody desires to pick up the gauntlet, he can do so at any time. I still say that if either one of the propositions that I have put up is not accepted I will vote against the resolution and talk against it in open council.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, the gentleman opposite knows full well that he and I are not going to wrestle or go to the mat together. He knows that we are too good friends for that. I said in my opening remarks that I might have and perhaps should have consulted with other members in regard to this matter. I am human, and I make errors which perhaps might be avoided. But the resolution is here now, and I am not issuing challenges. I am not going to the mat with anybody. This is a harmless resolution, one that does not mean anything, and I am satisfied that if the gentleman should interview ten of his associates in organized labor, perhaps ten who are teamsters, asking them what they want us to do, they would say that this resolution is all right. I am willing to gamble on that. But he is so jealous of their interests and so watchful to protect them—and I don't blame him a bit for that—that he is possibly afraid that there is something in the resolution detrimental to labor. If I thought there was, I would withdraw it in a moment. But with what mind I have I cannot see that there is anything here to reflect on labor. If so, I want to say here publicly that it is not my intention—wasn't, isn't and never will be my intention—to put the gentleman opposite in wrong, and I don't think I could do so if I desired to. His position with organized labor is so secure and his work for them has been so earnest that nobody could injure him in any way, shape or manner with his organization or those affiliated with his organization, the American Federation of Labor. It would be ridiculous for any one to attempt or even suggest doing it, and I would be the last one to attempt it. Labor is well protected by having him here, and he is fortified in his efforts by having us with him, because we are all interested for labor as well as he, although not so vitally perhaps. I certainly would regret it if the resolution would put him in wrong. I would do almost anything in connection with this resolution to avoid injuring him. But I cannot do it at the expense of my own conscience or what I consider the interest of the public, and I know he would not ask me to do so. He thinks as much of me as I do of him, and he would not ask me to stultify myself, more than I would ask him to stultify himself.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I would like to ask the gentleman a question. I understand that the councilor is willing to amend the resolution so that the Mayor would be asked to call in both sides to the controversy in conference.

Coun. WATSON—Yes, I am perfectly willing to accept that, provided that it does not riddle the resolution to pieces. I would like to have the thing that I have in mind embodied in the resolution as offered here. I would be perfectly willing to have another order or resolution offered, or to have something such as is proposed go along with this as a rider, at the same time, if desired. But I won't want to go to work and tear the resolution to pieces, because my conscience, my desires and my duties are just as important to me as they are to any member of the body. I would like to know what suggestion might be made in that respect.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Why not refer the thing, Mr. President, to the Executive Committee? I think that would be a proper place to thresh it out, instead of taking up the time here in open Council, if there is no objection to it.

Coun. WATSON—I am perfectly willing to do anything that the gentleman who represents the American Federation of Labor in the Council wishes.

Coun. MORIARTY—I don't represent the Federation of Labor here. I represent James T. Moriarty here, and that is all.

Coun. WATSON—Well, I am willing to withdraw my motion to suspend the rule, but I don't want to withdraw the resolution. I withdraw my motion to suspend the rule, and am willing to have it referred to the Executive Committee, to be reported back this afternoon.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I want to say that I don't want the councilor opposite to do anything he does not want to do.

Coun. WATSON—Well, I do want to do it.

Coun. MORIARTY—I made only two requests, and we have been here talking about the thing for half an hour, and he did not seem to want to take them up. If he is afraid of the resolution being rattled to pieces, I don't want to touch a word in his resolution.

The resolution was declared referred to the Executive Committee.

President LANE—The matter has been referred to the Executive Committee.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I would ask unanimous consent to withdraw the reference to the Executive Committee.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I object. I think that is where it belongs. I move that we now take up the calendar.

POLICE PAY IN LARGE CENTERS.

Coun. HAGAN offered an order—That the Police Commissioner, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to submit to the City Council the figures which he has obtained of the wage scale as paid to members of the police force in the various large centers, with the opinion of the Police Commissioner as formed from an analysis of the figures obtained.

Coun. HAGAN—Mr. President, this order as just read by the Clerk is a duplicate of an order I presented here some two weeks ago asking the Police Commissioner to submit to the Mayor and City Council figures that he had obtained and which he knew for a positive certainty had been obtained of the wage scale as paid to the patrolmen in other large centers in the country. The figures were available two weeks ago, and I know of no reason why they shouldn't have reached this body today. I have no positive information that the Police Commissioner has sent these figures to the Mayor, but I have a very strong suspicion that such is the case, and the Mayor has not had the courtesy to submit the figures to this body. The City Council is a co-ordinate body with the Mayor, sent here as such by the citizens of Boston, and we ought to have available and at our command all information upon this subject and upon any other subject that interests us. I am anxious to see these figures. I am convinced, with the knowledge which I have personally obtained, that when the figures are sent in here they will show that others of the large cities of the country are more liberal, generous, just and humane in the matter of salaries which they are paying to their policemen than is Boston. I have read in the daily press within the last few weeks of smaller cities adjoining us, like Everett and Quincy, advancing their policemen's wages beyond the amount paid in Boston today. I listened to the argument between Coun. Watson and Coun. Moriarty upon the teamsters' wage scale, and I heard the councilor on my right (Coun. Watson) make the statement that today men cannot live and support their families upon \$30 a week. Thirty dollars a week is \$1,560 a year, and I am firmly convinced and firmly agree with him in his conclusion. Boston, big and generous as we ought to be, is paying the patrolmen for the first year of service, \$1,400 per annum, or \$40 a day; for the third year, \$1,600 per annum, or \$43.33 a day; for the fourth year, \$1,700 per annum, or \$46.65 a day; and for the fifth year \$1,800, per annum, or \$49.33 a day. They have to labor and do apprentice work for a period of five years before they reach the maximum. I have an order, Mr. President, which I offered here under date of October 15, that the City Council respectfully request his Honor the Mayor and the Police Commissioner to include in the budget appropriation for the next fiscal year a sum sufficient to pay first year patrolmen and traffic officers a wage of \$5 a day; second year men to be paid a wage of \$5.50 a day; and third year men to be paid a maximum of \$6 a day, reducing the period of apprenticeship for the present scale from five years to three years, and going from \$5 a day the first year to \$5.50 a day the second year, and \$6 a day the third year. That is not too much; it is not enough. It does not compare favorably with what other large cities of the country are doing today. The people of New York city have voted on the subject by referendum and are paying a larger amount to the patrolmen of New York city than we are asking for here today. I think it is a modest request, I think it is an act of justice on the part of the citizens of Boston to see that the men who are pursuing the hazardous career of

policemen in this community should receive a proper and at least a living wage. There might have been a time when I would be accused of playing politics in arguing this way, but I hope that that feeling does not exist today. I am convinced, Mr. President, that the figures, which I believe now to be in the office of the Mayor, are being withheld from this body for purposes which are unfair and unjust to the patrolmen and the policemen of Boston, and I am calling upon the Mayor and the Police Commissioner again, making this second request that the figures be submitted to us, as I would like to receive those figures and pass upon them during the few brief days that I have left as a member of this body. The argument has gone forth from the Mayor's office that he is opposed to this, because the money is not available. I do not agree with that conclusion, and I think every member of this body who cares to do so will find sufficient savings in the budget for next year available for this meritorious purpose. It may be that this will have to be left here as a legacy for the consideration of the Council of next year. If so, I feel as though I am leaving it in safe and proper hands, where these men are going to be dealt with justly and are going to receive a fair degree of consideration from you men who have been elected by the people to serve them. I hope, Mr. President, that those figures, which were available three or four weeks ago, will now be submitted to this legislative branch of the city government for proper and just consideration, in advance of the budget coming in here for the next fiscal year. I think this is the time for these matters to receive such consideration, and I am in hopes that something will develop from this order today.

The order was passed under a suspension of the rule.

HOUSING ACCOMMODATIONS, BOSTON.

Coun. HAGAN offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be respectfully requested to confer with the Corporation Counsel as to the advisability of petitioning the Legislature to amend the present statute which permits municipalities to provide housing accommodations in time of emergency, and strike out from the present law the word "temporary," as in the opinion of the Corporation Counsel the law is now worded so that it prevents the city from taking any action that would be helpful to the people.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

MILWAUKEE HOUSING.

Coun. HAGAN offered an order—That the City Planning Board, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to investigate what the city of Milwaukee has done to provide homes for those of modest means and report to the Mayor and the City Council whether some such plan as in effect in Milwaukee might not be used in Boston.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

Coun. HAGAN—Mr. President, both of these orders are duplicates of orders that were presented here by me some weeks ago. Some months ago a special committee was appointed by the City Council, of which I was made chairman, to make an investigation into the housing conditions here and see if anything could be done which would be helpful to the community. I have had consultations with the Corporation Counsel or his officials; I have personally sought all the information I could obtain from other cities, feeling that this was a matter which might be dealt with in some way next year. It is a thing which can now be left to the members who will be here next year for their consideration, and as we are on the eve of the beginning of the legislative session, it seems to me that the request here made is reasonable, that the Corporation Counsel be requested to have the present statute amended to conform to the Corporation Counsel's own idea of how the statute should read. The Corporation Counsel has pointed out that Boston today is permitted only to help its people by temporary places of abode, and that the word "temporary" is the joker in the present statute. I have asked that the Legislature through the Mayor be petitioned to amend the present statute so that the objection that the Corporation Counsel points out may be overcome and that there may be some possibility of Boston doing something which will compare with what is being done in other cities. The city of Milwaukee has accomplished a great deal. I have the literature, and it is well worth your serious consideration. I will see that it is turned over to whoever serves on the special committee dealing with the subject for your consideration here. What Milwaukee has done Boston can do. Perhaps Boston can even do more if the laws are amended so as to permit her to do something. The housing situation for those of modest means, as we all know, long ago reached an acute stage, and yet everybody seems to be ducking the responsibility. The Legislature does nothing. We hear talk, but no definite action is taken, and in the meantime the great public, those whom we are supposed to serve, are suffering because nothing is being done to relieve the situation, and for their benefit I am in hopes that this matter will be

treated with the consideration that it deserves. One of the most important things that this City Council can do next year is to try to relieve this situation. I am representing these orders again in the hope that some action will be taken, if only in the way of emphasizing the necessity for such action.

The order was passed under suspension of the rule.

PLAYGROUND, CHARLESTOWN HEIGHTS.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Park Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to submit to the City Council an estimate of the cost of placing the playground on Charlestown Heights in a proper condition.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CHESTNUT HILL PLAYGROUND.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Park Commissioners, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to give the City Council an estimate of the cost of putting the Chestnut Hill Playground, Brighton, in proper condition.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

DISAPPROVAL OF GASOLINE LICENSE.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the City Council hereby disapproves the petition of the Colonial Filling Station, Inc., for license to store and keep for sale 5,000 gallons of gasoline at 558-562 Commonwealth avenue and 680 and 682 Beacon street, Ward 8.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SALE OF COAL IN BOSTON.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to instruct the Corporation Counsel to draft regulations concerning the matter of the sale of coal in this city in accordance with the recent report of the special Coal Commission of the Legislature.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I am going to ask a suspension of the rule for the passage of this resolution, and at the same time call the Council's attention to the fact that the recent report of this commission gave to cities and towns of the Commonwealth the absolute power to regulate the cost in the sale of coal in the respective cities and towns. I do not propose to take the time of the honorable body to elaborate on the matter, but I think the best way for us to adjust the situation is to have the Corporation Counsel investigate the report of the commission and adjust the prices of coal, as we find from the report of the state commission that absolute authority is vested in cities and towns so to do. I think the measure is worthy of considerable consideration from members of the Council, for we find that we are the authority in the matter, that we are the body that can give the people of this city cheaper and better coal, and that we are the body that has the entire jurisdiction over the sale of coal in the city. I ask a suspension of the rule, Mr. President.

The resolution was passed under suspension of the rule.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

Coun. BRICKLEY called up unfinished business, Nos. 1 and 2.

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, December 17, 1923, viz.:

1. Louis Budd, to be a Constable.
2. Robert G. Campbell, Jr., Walter G. Nickerson, Millard F. Dowdell, Walter A. Boyle and Daniel J. Kelly, to be Weighers of Goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Brickley and Walsh. Whole number of ballots cast 9, yeas 8, nays 1, and the appointments were confirmed.

President LANE called up unfinished business, No. 3, viz.:

3. Ordered, That the sum of \$20,000 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Park Commissioners for the establishment of a playground, Readville district, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

On December 17, 1923, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

SALE OF CITY LAND.

President LANE called up unfinished business Nos. 4 to 10, inclusive, the vote being taken on each number separately, viz.:

4. Whereas, The Board of Park Commissioners has notified the City Council that certain land on Seaver street, near the corner of Harold street, is no longer required by the Park Department for public purposes and recommends that the same be placed on sale.

Ordered, That the Board of Park Commissioners, with the approval of the Mayor and in a manner and upon conditions satisfactory to the Law Department, be and it hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, to convey to Anna Rivitz for the sum of \$500 a parcel of land on the northeasterly side of Seaver street, containing about 1,500 square feet, the southerly line of said parcel being about 84 feet, be the same more or less, distant from the corner of Seaver street and Harold street, and said parcel being indicated upon a certain plan, dated July 30, 1896, signed by William Jackson, City Engineer, and on file in the office of the Board of Street Commissioners of said city.

On December 17, 1923, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 1.

The question came on the second reading and passage of the order.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I would like to find out if in the Executive Committee documents there is a request from Anna Rivitz to the effect that she desires to buy the property. I do not find that she has requested the City Council to sell the property.

President LANE—There is no request with the papers filed here.

Coun. HEALEY—I desire to say, in view of the fact that no request is here from Anna Rivitz, and because of the fact that it is an unusual thing to sell property without public auction, while I voted in favor of this two weeks ago, I am going to be recorded as voting "no" today.

The order failed of passage on the second reading, yeas 3, nays 5 (Coun. Brickley reserving his vote):

Yeas—Coun. Hagan, Lane, Watson—3.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Walsh—5.

Later in the session, on motion of Coun. Watson, the rejection of the order was reconsidered, and it was laid on the table.

5. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$20,300 a parcel of land on Alford street, Charlestown district, corner Dexter street, containing 67,671 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On December 17, 1923, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The question came on the final passage of the order.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, due to the fact that there is a controversy in Charlestown over new playgrounds, and evidently this is in Charlestown, I would move that the matter be postponed for several weeks, pending a settlement of the Charlestown Playground question. If a playground over there in Charlestown is sold, this 67,000 feet might be used as a playground for the young people.

The Council voted to lay No. 5 on the table.

6. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$160,000 a parcel of land and the building thereon at 41-45 Arch street, Boston proper, containing 3,862 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On December 17, 1923, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed yeas 8, nays 1, Coun. Donoghue voting nay.

7. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$10,000 a parcel of land and the building thereon located on Broadway, South Boston district, known as the Police Station 6 property, containing 4,250 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On December 17, 1923, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 1, Coun. Moriarty voting nay.

8. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$3,000 a parcel of land located in Woburn and Wilmington, known as the rifle range, containing 110.3 acres, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On December 17, 1923, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

9. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$1,600 a parcel of land on Seaver street, Roxbury district, near Hutchings street, containing 1,643 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On December 17, 1923, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

10. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$2,000 a parcel of land on East Ninth street, South Boston district, containing 6,671 square feet,

more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On December 17, 1923, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

REMOVAL OF ONE-MAN CARS.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to instruct the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston to frame legislation for the removal of all one-man cars from the streets of Boston.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. BRICKLEY, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted a report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred November 26) for sale of land at Commonwealth and Chestnut Hill avenues—that the order ought not to pass.

The report was accepted, and the question came on the rejection of the order.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I shall vote to accept the committee's report, but I think there should be something spread on the record showing why we are refusing to pass the order. I think Coun. Walsh can tell us something regarding it.

Coun. WALSH—Mr. President, the reason why I ask that this parcel of land be not sold is that the residents of the Brighton district, which I represent, want to have it used as a memorial park in honor of the late John H. Lee.

The order was rejected.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 3.53 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.40 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. HAGAN, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Reports on petitions (referred today) for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement—that permits be granted, viz.:

Mary Swan, South Boston Municipal Hall, January 11, 1924.

Caroline T. Fries, Greenwood Hall, January 14, 1924.

Maybelle Lyman, Horticultural Hall, December 31, 1923.

Reports severally accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on order (referred December 17) for payment of annuity of \$600 to widow of Peter F. McDonough, formerly in the Fire Department—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

3. Report on order (referred December 17) for payment of annuity of \$600 for widow of Thomas J. Quinan, formerly in the Police Department—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

4. Report on order (referred today) disapproving of petition of Colonial Filling Station for storage and sale of gasoline—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

5. Report on order (referred today) for legislation concerning one-man cars—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

6. Report on message of Mayor, preambles and order (referred today) concerning bequest of \$100,000 by the late A. Shuman to the City Hospital—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

7. Report on message of Mayor, preambles and order (referred today) concerning disposition of community building situated partly in Mattapan and partly in Milton—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

8. Report on order (referred today) as to negotiations between drivers and employers—recommending passage in the following new draft viz.:

Resolved, That the City Council deplore the possibility of the failure of negotiations between the employers and the truck drivers, chauffeurs and teamsters which may result in the suspension of a large part of the automobile and horse-drawn trucking in this city, if a strike takes place, and demands that every possible effort be exerted by the two forces to the end that there shall be no interruption in the present conditions as they apply to teaming and trucking and that the parties to the controversy, both employers and employees, while they are protecting their own interests, do not lose sight of the public interests which are paramount to the interests of either or both of them; and be it further

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be requested (unless he has already done so) to call

in both the master teamsters and the employees and use his endeavors toward a settlement of the controversy and the preventing of any strike.

Ordered, That a copy of this resolve be forwarded to the leaders of the employers and employees.

Report accepted; preambles and order passed unanimously.

JOHN H. LEE MEMORIAL PARK.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Park Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the park situated at the junction of Commonwealth avenue and Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton, "John H. Lee Memorial Park."

Coun. WALSH—Mr. President and members of the Council: I move that the rule be suspended on this order and that it go on its passage. It is the least one can do in honor and respect of the memory of the late John H. Lee. I have received numerous letters from residents of Brighton asking that this action be taken, and it is only just and proper that we should perpetuate the memory of a man who worked early and late for the district. If the Park Commissioners name the location, as suggested in the order, a move is on foot among the residents of Brighton to erect a suitable memorial in the park. I trust that the order will go upon its passage now.

The rule was suspended and the order was passed.

CONDITION OF MOTHERS' REST, WARD 26

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Park Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to give the City Council an estimate of the cost of putting "Mothers' Rest," at the junction of Cambridge, Lincoln and Mansfield streets, Ward 26, in proper condition.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SALE OF UNCLAIMED BAGGAGE.

Coun. HEALEY for Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Unclaimed Baggage, submitted a report on petition of Boston & Maine Railroad (referred December 17) for leave to sell unclaimed baggage—recommending the passage of the following, viz.:

Ordered, That the Boston & Maine Railroad be hereby authorized to sell at public auction on or before January 31, 1924, and after publication of the time and place of the sale, according to law, the articles left remaining unclaimed in the possession of said railroad in the city of Boston.

Report accepted; order passed.

PARK FRONTAGE RESTRICTIONS.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:

City of Boston,
In the year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-three,
An Ordinance Concerning Park Frontages.
Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Chapter five of the Ordinances of 1922, as amended by chapters two and eight of the Ordinances of 1923, is hereby further amended in section one by inserting after the words "Commonwealth avenue, from Arlington street to Kenmore street," the words "and from Washington street to the Newton line."

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. HEALEY moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 4.46 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WATSON, to meet on Monday, January 7, at two o'clock p. m.

Monday, January 7, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President LANE in the chair and all the members present.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following were received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 7, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Samuel Smith, 37 Columbia road, Dorchester, to the position of Constable of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 7, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint John M. Carroll, 137 Pond avenue, Brookline, a Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 7, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Eva Rabinovitz, 8 Whittier street, Roxbury, a Weigher of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 7, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint William F. Dunphy, 16 Martin street, Whitman, a Weigher of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Severally laid over under the law.

CITY LAND VALUATION, BRIGHTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 7, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—On November 26, 1923, I submitted to your honorable body orders for the sale of various parcels of land belonging to the city which according to the departments in charge were no longer required for public purposes. In each case an upset price was fixed based on the assessed valuation, that being in my opinion the fairest way at arriving at a minimum price.

My attention was called by the Finance Commission to the fact that the assessed value of the parcel at the junction of Commonwealth and Chestnut Hill avenues did not reasonably represent the actual value of the land and their contention was borne out by the estimate of the real estate expert.

At my request the assessors have made a revaluation of the property and report that the old figures were carried on the books for a number of years without change and that in their opinion the present value of the land is about \$1.25 a square foot.

It was my intention to recommend an amendment to the order for the sale of this land, fixing the upset price at \$1.25 a square foot, the present assessed value, but this action having been rendered unnecessary by your rejection of the order, I am submitting this message in order to complete the record.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Placed on file.

GRADING, WORLD WAR MEMORIAL PARK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 4, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The Park Commissioners inform me that \$12,000 additional is required to complete the grading at World War Memorial Park and the completion of the Field House located there, in accordance with plans.

I am desirous that this work be completed before the baseball season opens and respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Park Department, January 3, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—You are respectfully asked to request the approval of the City Council to a transfer of the sum of \$12,000 from the special loan appropriation for Improvements, etc., William Eustis, William E. Carter and John J. Connolly Playgrounds to the special appropriation, World War Memorial Park, East Boston, Bath House, etc.

The reason for this request is that the \$12,000 included in the appropriation for Improvements, etc., William Eustis, William E. Carter and John J. Connolly Playgrounds, cannot be expended for the reason that the balance now in that appropriation is insufficient to do the work required and will have to lay unused until next summer when an additional sum to this appropriation must be asked for.

At the present time we are unable to award a contract for the reconstruction of the gymnasium building at World War Memorial Park for which the additional sum of \$12,000 is needed. The Board believes that it would expedite matters if we obtained the transfer of this sum of \$12,000

and thus start work on the gymnasium building which should be done as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,
JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman.

Ordered, That the sum of \$12,000 provided for in appropriations for improvements at William Eustis, William E. Carter and John J. Connolly Playgrounds be and the same is hereby transferred to be expended under the direction of the Park Commission under special appropriation for completion of World War Memorial Park, East Boston. Referred to the Executive Committee.

PLAYGROUND, ROXBURY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 3, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Some six months ago a petition was received signed by 4,000 residents of the Roxbury section in favor of a playground in the vicinity of the Jefferson School, Roxbury district. This petition was later forwarded to the City Planning Board, who reported under date of September 21 in favor of acquiring land surrounding the Jefferson School, with a total area of 343,600 square feet.

The City Planning Board further recommended that the complete development of the proposed park, which would be about equal distance from the John J. Connolly Park and the Phillips Street Playground, be delayed until a later time.

A tract of eight acres within the city limits, the valuation of which is as low as the tract in question, should be taken at this time as it might be impossible to even seriously consider such a course after development has been made on any portion of the area and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$85,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the Park Commission for a playground adjoining the Jefferson School, Roxbury, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount for said purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, in view of the fact that we are coming near to the close of the municipal year would it not be well to refer the message and order to the Executive Committee? I make that motion.

The reference to the Finance Committee was reconsidered and the message and order were referred to the Executive Committee.

MONEY FOR MUNICIPAL GARAGE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 7, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I have been informed by the Commissioner of Public Works that the sum appropriated for the construction of a municipal garage at the Albany street yard is insufficient and that an additional amount in the sum of \$25,000 will be necessary.

I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department, December 31, 1923.
To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully recommend that the sum of \$25,000 be provided, to be added to the appropriation for the construction of garage for the Public Works Department on Albany street.

Yours respectfully,
J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Ordered, That an additional sum of \$25,000 be and hereby is appropriated for garage, Albany street, and that to meet said appropriation, the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Adams & Leland, for compensation for damage to property at 285-297 Summer street by break in water main.

David N. Blakely, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus on West Newton street.

Childs Dining Hall Company, for compensation for damage to property 605 Washington street by city team.

Leo J. Conway, for compensation for damage to property at 14 Walk Hill street by fire apparatus.

William H. Day, for compensation for damage to property at 44 Alpha road by employees of the city.

James W. Driscoll, for compensation for damage to car by patrol wagon on Sudbury street.

Max Franklin, for compensation for damage to car by city team at the corner of Tremont and La Grange streets.

Harry J. Goldberg, for compensation for damage to car which was taken from garage by police officer.

Mrs. Guertha H. Howland, for compensation for damage to property 12 and 14 Glendale street by breaking of water hydrant.

Mary A. Mulford, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus on Dudley street.

Pratt Coal Company, for compensation for damage to truck caused by an alleged defect at 10 Mather street.

Elizabeth A. Roach, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Broadway.

Benjamin Tamkin, for compensation for damage to property 55 Bickford street by backing up of sewer.

Maxwell Weinberg, for compensation for damage to car by an ambulance on Hanover street.

Elizabeth G. White, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Woodville street.

Mary Winters, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect corner of Everett street and Western avenue.

Jitneys.

Abraham S. Caplan, for jitney license from Park square to Franklin Park Zoo.

ACCEPTANCE OF ACT.

Notice was received from the Boston Elevated Railway Company of acceptance of chapter 480, Acts of 1923.

Placed on file.

LEGISLATION FOR MICHAEL BIRMINGHAM.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby approves the enactment of legislation to increase the pension of Michael Birmingham, formerly a member of the Fire Alarm and Police Signal Service of said city.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

LEGISLATION FOR MRS. MCGONAGLE.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby approves the enactment of legislation authorizing the payment to the widow of Philip J. McGonagle of the balance of the salary to which he would have been entitled had he lived and served until January 31, 1924.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SIDEWALK, OLD ROAD.

Coun. HEALEY, for Coun. GILBODY, offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Old road, from Ellington street to Michigan avenue, Ward 19, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of gravel, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SALE OF CITY LAND, SEAVER STREET.

Coun. WATSON called from the table No. 2, viz.:

Whereas, The Board of Park Commissioners has notified the City Council that certain land on Seaver street, near the corner of Harold street, is no longer required by the Park Department for public purposes and recommends that the same be placed on sale.

Ordered, That the Board of Park Commissioners, with the approval of the Mayor and in a manner and upon conditions satisfactory to the Law Department, be and it hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, to convey to Anna Rivitz for the sum of \$500 a parcel of land on the northeasterly side of Seaver street, containing about 1,500 square feet, the southerly line of said parcel being about 84 feet, be the same more or less, distant from the corner of Seaver street and Harold street, and said parcel being indicated upon a certain plan, dated July 30, 1896, signed by William Jackson, city engineer, and on file in the office of the Board of Street Commissioners of said city.

On December 17, 1923, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 1.

Referred to the Executive Committee on motion of Coun. WATSON.

PAY FOR POLICEMEN.

Coun. HAGAN offered an order—That the City Council respectfully petition his Honor the Mayor to honor the budget appropriation as made by the Police Commissioner so that all patrolmen in the Police Department will receive a minimum wage of \$1,600 per annum, for their first year of service, and \$1,800 per annum for their second year of service and \$2,000 per annum as a maximum amount for their third and further years of service.

Coun. HAGAN—Mr. President, I have been endeavoring for some weeks to obtain from the Police Commissioner figures which I believe he has submitted to the Mayor showing the wage scale of men in the police departments of other large cities of the country. Up to the present time those figures have been denied to the City Council, although two formal requests have been made for them. I gather from the newspaper reports that the Police Commissioner has finally become aware of the fact that Boston is not doing its duty by the members of the Police Department, or paying them an adequate salary; and therefore he has notified the Mayor that he is going to include in the budget appropriation for the coming fiscal year a sum sufficient to make the minimum wage \$1,600 and the maximum wage \$2,000, with a graduated scale of three years before the maximum wage is reached, rather than five years, the present period. The object of the order is to carry out the desire, will and wishes of the Police Commissioner. While it is not a sufficient wage and not what I had hoped would be obtainable by the men in the department, and not an amount proportionate, I think, to the services which they are rendering to the city, yet it is a step in the right direction, and I am very glad indeed to have an opportunity to co-operate with the Police Commissioner and agree to his wishes in the matter. Therefore, I ask the Council to pass this order under a suspension of the rule, if there is no objection, so that it may go to the Mayor without any delay; and let us hope, as we have reason to believe, that there is a real desire, not only on the part of the Police Commissioner, but on the part of the citizens of Boston, to see that the policemen shall receive an adequate salary for the services rendered by them.

The question came on suspension of the rule for the passage of the order.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I move that the order be laid on the table for the present.

Coun. HAGAN—Mr. President, if there is any reason advanced showing why this should be laid on the table, a good and sufficient reason, I might be glad to agree to it. No reason has been advanced, however, beyond making the motion to lay it on the table. Does the gentleman have any objection to giving the gentlemen a reason for laying it on the table?

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I have the same reason for laying it on the table that the introducer of the order has for introducing it. I don't want to increase anybody's pay if we have not got the money; and so far as increasing the pay of these men is concerned, no matter what this Council does, it will go out of existence on the thirty-first day of January. The thirty-first day of January is the ending of our fiscal year. The time to take up increases is when the budget comes before us. It is about time we stopped trying to kid people on the outside. This order has come in here in three different forms. No matter what the vote of the members of this Council may be, there is no assurance that the policemen are going to get an increase. We might pass order upon order, not only to give the men the wages that are specified in this resolution, but even more wages, and no vote of ours would do them any good unless we are in a position to do something for them during the budget session. The resolution is of no benefit to anybody. It does not amount to the paper it is written on, in so far as giving the policemen an increase in wages is concerned, because the police act very specifically says that when the Police Commissioner and the Mayor of Boston agree upon an increase in wages they can get it, and they can get it just the same as the courts get it, without our indorsement or even without our vote. So I feel that we are only foisting something upon ourselves and giving the newspapers again a chance to say that some members here voted in favor of an increase and some others voted in opposition to an increase, when none of our votes do the men any good or any harm.

The motion to lay on the table was declared lost.

The order was passed under a suspension of the rule.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I desire to be recorded as voting "no" on the order.

POWER STATION, PARKER HILL.

Coun. DONOGHUE offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to ask the Fire Commissioner to report to the City Council as to the advisability of establishing a power station in the vicinity of Parker Hill for the purpose of increasing the water pressure on Parker Hill.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I merely want to say in connection with this order that it was called to my attention by a Mr. McLaughlin, who is the commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in the Roxbury district, I think the Roxbury Post. He informed me that it had been called to

his attention that the water pressure on top of Parker Hill is less than five pounds, whereas the average water pressure is about fifty to sixty pounds. Of course, we all realize that on the top of Parker Hill there are located a lot of hospitals and dwelling houses, and that conditions might very well be such that our means of coping with a conflagration there would be absolutely inadequate, that it might be absolutely impossible for the Fire Department to cope with any substantial sort of a blaze. For that reason I am introducing this order at this time. The idea of the people in that district seems to be that if there were a sort of boosting station for the increase of pressure located at the top of the hill, it would be possible to build up that water pressure so that it might obtain its maximum strength even on the top of the hill.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I have no objection to the order, although I don't think it is necessary. The trouble on Parker Hill is not with the pressure. The difficulty of the Fire Department is getting apparatus there at certain times of the year, when there is snow or ice on the ground. A five-pound pressure, I understand, is a pretty low pressure, but it is not too low to enable the department to cope with a fire, because the question of pressure does not enter into it with the engines working. They do the pressure work. There is plenty of flow of water, but without the engines there would not be any great amount of pressure from the hydrants. That is true. But using the fire engines, there is no trouble about pressure. However, it may be that Mr. McLaughlin knows the difficulties in Roxbury better than I do, and, of course, I am willing to vote for the order.

The order was passed under suspension of the rule.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted, at 2.36 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. HAGAN, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 3.24 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. HAGAN, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for appropriation of \$12,000 for World War Memorial Park—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

2. Report on message of Mayor, communications, preambles and order (referred today) for sale of land on Seaver street, near Harold street—that the preambles and order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

JAMES J. TIERNEY SQUARE.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That the open space at the junction of Chelsea, Bunker Hill and Ferrin streets, Charlestown, be named James J. Tierney square, in memory of said Tierney, who lost his life in the service of the United States during the World War, and that said space be suitably designated by signs.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

President LANE called up unfinished business, No. 1, viz.:

1. Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, December 31, 1923, of Timothy J. McLaughlin to be a Weigher of Goods, and Samuel A. Levine to be a Weigher of Coal.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Walsh and Moriarty.

Whole number of ballots cast 9, yeas 9, nays 0, and the appointments were confirmed.

SALE OF CITY LAND, ALFORD STREET.

President LANE called from the table No. 3, viz.:

3. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$20,300 a parcel of land on Alford street, Charlestown district, corner of Dexter street, containing 67,671 square feet; more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On December 17, 1923, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The question came on the second and final reading and passage of the order.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, the two representatives from Charlestown, although this matter does not refer directly to the Charlestown Playground, have asked that action upon the order be postponed until some definite move has been made with regard to the sale of the playground in Charlestown over there. I would therefore ask the Council to postpone action until we hear definitely in regard to the proposed sale of the playground.

Coun. MORIARTY—Where is this?
Coun. HEALEY—Opposite the playground, but on the other side, in Everett. I don't know that it has any particular bearing on the Charlestown matter, but people over there feel that it has.
President LANE—If there is no objection, the order will remain on the calendar.
The order was allowed to continue on the table.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. MORIARTY moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 3.30 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WATSON, to meet on Monday, January 14, at two o'clock p. m.

ADULT RESIDENTS OF BOSTON LISTED BY POLICE.

In accordance with Chap. 114, Acts. of 1921, the listing of residents, citizens and aliens alike, as of April 1, 1922, by name, age, occupation and place of residence included all women 20 years of age or over, as well as men. The number of each, by wards, follows:—Ward 1, 7,547 men and 7,565 women, 15,112 total; Wd. 2, 10,325 and 9,108 or 19,433 total; Wd. 3, 5,685 and 5,356 or 11,041 total; Wd. 4, 5,095 and 4,661 or 9,756 total; Wd. 5, 20,185 and 14,215 or 34,400 total; Wd. 6, 13,619 and 10,976 or 24,595 total; Wd. 7, 15,272 and 14,656 or 29,928 total; Wd. 8, 11,969 and 16,550 or 28,519 total; Wd. 9, 8,498 and 7,918 or 16,416 total; Wd. 10, 7,884 and 8,206 or 16,090 total; Wd. 11, 8,590 and 8,413 or 17,003 total; Wd. 12, 8,559 and 8,889 or 17,448 total; Wd. 13, 9,071 and 9,625 or 18,696 total; Wd. 14, 7,683 and 9,384 or 17,067 total; Wd. 15, 8,142 and 9,064 or 17,206 total; Wd. 16, 8,827 and 10,428 or 19,255 total; Wd. 17, 8,256 and 9,396 or 17,652 total; Wd. 18, 8,293 and 9,339 or 17,632 total; Wd. 19, 7,952 and 9,321 or 17,273 total; Wd. 20, 8,162 and 9,074 or 17,236 total; Wd. 21, 9,452 and 10,389 or 19,841 total; Wd. 22, 7,945 and 9,537 or 17,482 total; Wd. 23, 8,089 and 9,182 or 17,271 total; Wd. 24, 7,128 and 7,388 or 14,516 total; Wd. 25, 7,507 and 9,674 or 17,181 total; Wd. 26, 5,878 and 6,179 or 12,057 total.

Total men, 235,613; total women, 244,493; total listed in April, 480,106 or 677 less than on April 1, 1921.

The supplementary list is likely to add 4,000 to 5,000 to said total.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS TO PARIS STREET GYMNASIUM, EAST BOSTON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for repairs to Paris Street Gymnasium, East Boston. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Repairs to Paris Street Gymnasium, East Boston," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, January 24, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(Jan. 12-19.) *Commissioners.*

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WIRE FENCE AT ARNOLD ARBORETUM.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for wire fence at Arnold Arboretum. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Wire Fence at Arnold Arboretum," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, January 17, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,500 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(Jan. 12.) *Commissioners.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, January 3, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening and construction of School street, Boston proper, as a highway, on the southwesterly side, between Province street and Chapman place, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of January 15, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(Jan. 12.)

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR DREDGING DOCK AND REPAIRING WHARF OF ENGINE 31, NORTH END PAVING YARD.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, office 60 Bristol street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for dredging dock and repairing wharf of Engine 31, North End paving yard, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, after Tuesday, January 15, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Dock for Engine 31" and left at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, before 12 o'clock m. on Thursday, January 24, 1924, with a certified check for one thousand (1,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

Boston, January 8, 1924. (Jan. 12-19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR CLEANING CATCH-BASINS.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for taking out and removing about 39,100 cubic yards of material from about 10,500 catch-basins in Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, all work to be completed by January 31, 1925, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 50 per cent of the total amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal, accompanied by a statement clearly setting forth the equipment of which the bidder is possessed for the proper and speedy carrying out of such contract (such equipment to be considered as an essential consideration in the awarding of the contract), should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Cleaning Catch-basins," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, January 22, 1924, with a certified check for 5 per cent of the total amount of the contract, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price bid on any district appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low it may lead to the rejection of the proposal for said district. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, January 10, 1924. (Jan. 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

DISCONTINUANCE OF HIGHWAY.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, January 10, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the discontinuance, as a highway, of the southwesterly branch of Robert street, West Roxbury district, between Robert street and South Walter street, containing 1,526 square feet, more or less, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of January 23, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(Jan. 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, January 10, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and building situated on Gardner and Dunwell streets, West Roxbury district, adjoining the Henry Vane School, supposed to belong to heirs of Thomas F. Welch, containing approximately 8,000 square feet, for school purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of January 29, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(Jan. 12-19.)

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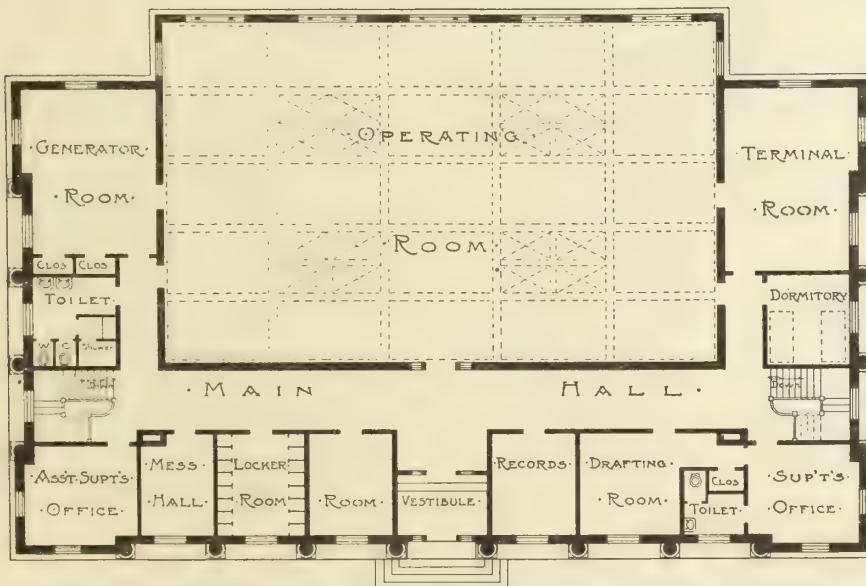
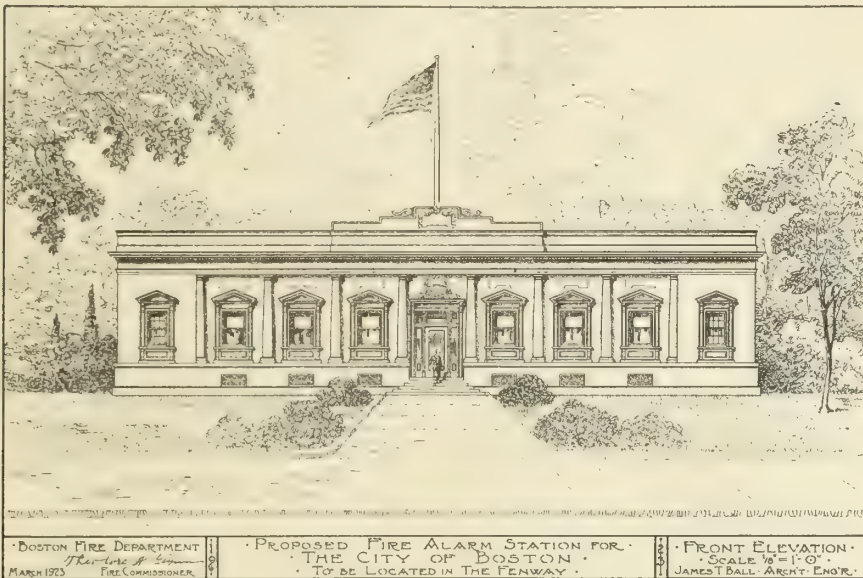
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BOSTON'S NEW FIRE ALARM SYSTEM TO BE BEST EQUIPPED IN THE WORLD.

WORK ON FENWAY HOME FOR SIGNAL STATION TO BE BEGUN SOON AND TO BE FINISHED IN EIGHT MONTHS. WILL COST \$500,000 COMPLETED AND EQUIPPED.



BOSTON'S NEW FIRE ALARM SIGNAL STATION AND GROUND FLOOR PLAN—SOON TO BE ERECTED IN FENWAY AT COST OF \$500,000.

Within the year Boston's new fire alarm station in the Fenway will be a fact and an artistic solace to its citizens. Bids for the construction of what Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn boasts

of as the most up-to-date and finest fire alarm system in the world and the model of its kind, will be awarded within a month and construction start with the opening of spring,

The building which will house the signal apparatus and be the heart of the fire protection system will be erected in the Fenway at Westland avenue and will cost, it is estimated, \$500,000. Of this amount \$220,000 will be on the building, and the remainder on equipment, cables and conduit.

The building will be a single story affair 35 feet high, and about 125 feet by 75. It will be ready in eight months at most. It is to be constructed of Indiana limestone and will be finished with Vermont blue marble. In the structure will be every improvement in fire alarm signalling that the world produces. The placing of the heart of the fire alarm system in the Fenway is with the idea of preventing any complications by menaces from fire such as the erection of the building in any other portion of the city would have entailed.

Shaw and O'Connell are the architects.

MAYOR ACTS AGAINST PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION.

Mayor Curley, on Saturday filed the following bill in the Legislature:

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE ELECTION OF THE MEMBERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Section 2 of chapter 25 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out in said section everything after the first sentence, and substituting therefor the following: The members of the said department shall, commencing with the biennial election next hereafter to be held, be elected at large throughout the Commonwealth biennially, the member receiving the largest number of ballots at any election shall during the term for which he is elected serve as chairman of said commission. The chairman shall receive an annual salary of \$8,000, and each of the other commissioners shall receive an annual salary of \$7,000, so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

SECTION 2. The department shall be under the supervision and control of a commission of five members, in this chapter called the commission. The members of the said department shall, commencing with the biennial election next hereafter to be held, be elected at large throughout the Commonwealth biennially, the member receiving the largest number of ballots at any election shall during the term for which he is elected serve as chairman of said commission. The chairman shall receive an annual salary of \$8,000, and each of the other commissioners shall receive an annual salary of \$7,000.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, January 21, at 2 p. m.
Regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston, in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, on Monday, January 21, at 6.30 o'clock p. m.
Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or tem-

porary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marqueses, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for informa-

SCOLLAY SQUARE SUBWAY STATION TO BE REMOVED ON RECOMMENDATION OF FINANCE COMMISSION AFTER CONFERENCE.

Following the conference held Monday, January 14 at the office of the Mayor, participated in by the Transit Commission, the Public Control Board of the Boston Elevated Railway System, the Finance Commission, the Street Commission of Boston, the City Planning Board, Deputy Public Works Commissioner, and Corporation Counsel, and called for the purpose of considering problems incidental to the laying out and construction of Cambridge street, in session for about two hours this announcement was made.

"As a result of the conference, it was determined to eliminate the incline of the tunnel on Cambridge street; to make a study with a view to the removal of the Scollay Square Station in the center of Scollay square, which now obstructs the street, and so rearrange the system as to permit the handling of passengers at other points. The recommendations as submitted by the Finance Commission in their recent report were taken under consideration by the Engineering Division of the Street Laying-Out Department.

The proposed elimination of the Scollay Square Station, if it can be effected, will result in the settlement of an engineering problem at a very low cost, that in the opinion of competent engineers heretofore would represent a cost of approximately three millions of dollars."

The Finance Commission, in a report to Mayor Curley, had recommended:

That Cambridge street be widened in accordance with the obvious intent of

tion regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

the statute at the location where the East Boston Tunnel comes to the surface, so that the aggregate width of the roadways at this location, including sidewalks, will be at least 100 feet, exclusive of the subway opening, unless the subway opening is removed from the street.

That a further effort be made to have the subway exit now maintained between Tremont row and Court street, nearly opposite Brattle street, removed to locations in the sidewalks of Tremont row and Court street.

That a further effort be made to have the subway structure in Scollay square removed and entrance to and exit from the subway established in the sidewalks or private land adjacent.

That the proposed taking of land along both Cambridge and Court streets be made so as to avoid, wherever possible, the taking of narrow frontages.

That the proposed taking of land for the widening of Cambridge and Court streets be made in such a way as to avoid leaving a narrow strip in any parcel.

That the question whether Court street in the language of the act includes Tremont row, as the Street Commissioners assume, be judicially determined or an amendment to the act be procured, before any property is taken on the easterly side of Court street between Sudbury and Brattle streets.

MAYOR DECLINES HONOR.

Mayor Curley has declined to become a "Grand Officer" of the kingdom of Montenegro. It was learned that Premier Jovan Plamenatz, who is in this country seeking to float a \$3,000,000 loan, had tendered the decoration to his Honor and that the latter refused.

FOREIGN MARKETS AND A MERCHANT MARINE TO TAKE U. S. PRODUCTS INTO THOSE MARKETS SOLUTION OF AMERICA'S HAPPINESS.

MAYOR CURLEY TELLS OF IMPORTANCE OF DISPOSING OF SURPLUS PRODUCTS OF THIS COUNTRY, BEFORE MEMBERS OF WALTHAM CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WHERE HE IS CHIEF GUEST.

Mayor Curley, speaking before the Waltham Chamber of Commerce on the evening of January 15, said in part:

The fundamental necessity of every economic community in Massachusetts, and in every productive region of the world for that matter, is efficient transportation by land or water or both, to carry its product to market and distribute it. All commerce is an exchange of products, bringing the raw products of field, forest and mine to the manufacturer and the finished products of the manufacturer to his customer and consumer; and the more cheaply, safely and expeditiously this function is performed the greater the volume of commerce developed, the greater the activity of industry stimulated, and naturally, the greater the constancy of work and wages for those employed in the many activities that go to make this commerce.

Commerce is like a great river flowing through a land; every industry, every form of laborious activity performed by man, is a tributary brook and stream flowing into and swelling the volume of the river; and as long as the contributory flow is regular and constant traffic on the river is safe, the cities and homes it serves are free from danger, and the people living in them are busy, happy and contented.

Three things enter into commerce; the producer, the carrier and distributor, and the consumer; and as they work into each other's hands efficiently and continuously it is well with commerce. These three—production, transportation and markets—constitute commerce, the great river that flows from man's activities; and when any one of them fails, when any one becomes inconstant, casual and merely seasonal, then the river of commerce is made dangerous by freshets in the rush season and disastrous by drying up in the lean season; and the industry and work and wages, and homes and happiness dependent upon the constant, smooth and steady flow of the river of commerce vanish and the days of danger and disaster are at hand.

Here in Waltham and in Massachusetts we have the industries and workers; here we have transportation facilities that can and must be made smoother, more efficient and better adjusted to serve our purposes; and what is true of us is true of the whole United States. What of the markets to take care of the tremendous American production of all kinds?

That is the most momentous question before America today, and upon the way it is answered depends the safety and prosperity of the nation in the days to come.

These facts stand out significantly. America is the richest country on earth in natural resources, industrial produc-

tion and commercial possibilities. We have the greatest coal, oil and iron deposits in the world; our forests and fisheries are unsurpassed; our country is one of earth's granaries; our wonderful pastures produce great stocks of meat, hides and fleeces; we have a practical monopoly of raw cotton; we produce about eighty-seven out of every hundred automobiles, auto trucks and agricultural machines made in the world. With our vast wealth of raw materials we still find it necessary to import tremendous quantities from abroad to supply the needs and capacities of our enormous productive industry; and the continuance of that production and the prosperity growing out of it depend upon our ability to seek that production, to find markets and customers for it. Practically the American domestic market is ours; tariffs, laws and self-interest compel us to keep the American market for Americans; but the productive capacity of American industry is such that in seven months it is able to supply all that America can consume in a year.

Here comes our dangerous and significant problem—what of the other five months? If industry produces twelve months in the year, and seven months will supply America, what of the other five months and the surplus they turn out? If we can find markets to absorb the surplus we are safe. If we can't or won't or don't, disaster is ahead, for industry is not philanthropy; it won't function unless it can market what it makes; when the wheels cease to turn, the worker ceases to work; when work stops wages stop; and workers without work and wages five months out of twelve are a danger to the peace, security and happiness of the country.

Here is a condition not a theory, a dark and dangerous problem that can only be solved in one way—by securing foreign markets to consume our surplus products.

This is not a matter of partisan politics; this is not a question upon which Democrats and Republicans can take sides; it is a question that calls for the united effort of all parties, for it is a matter of concern to our homes and happiness, our bread and butter, the future of our children, the peace and stability of the republic. It is your problem and mine and the problem of every man, woman and child in America.

Foreign markets is the answer and solution and those markets must be found, conquered and kept by Americans. All markets follow the flag that serves its commerce and the flag must fly on the ships of the people seeking the market. It is fatal to American commerce to carry it in foreign ships, for it will always have to take second place to the commerce of the carrier; and American foreign commerce has dropped

and dried because we permitted foreign ships to carry our goods abroad. The fatal folly of this course drove our ships from the seas and our goods from the markets of the world and we paid them American money for killing American business.

We must stand back of our merchant marine today and make it possible for our ships to compete with any and every ship on the sea. Every merchant marine competing with our—European and Asiatic—is heavily subsidized to carry its national commerce, so that the national goods may be sold in the foreign market and the workers at home assured of work and wages.

We must subsidize our merchant marine and enable it to compete on equal terms with every rival.

Is there anything new or novel in this idea?

Not any! Industry is subsidized by a protective tariff; agriculture is subsidized in a dozen ways, by colleges, schools, farm laboratories and reclamation schemes; education is subsidized; transportation on land is subsidized; and every national activity is subsidized except the most vital one—our merchant marine.

Read the legislation Congress enacts: study it, and learn what it means and what it does. Whether you call it a subsidy or an appropriation, it accomplished exactly what is needed for our merchant marine—sustains it.

Don't be afraid of names. By sustaining our merchant marine and making it possible to carry American goods to the foreign consumer we accomplish several things.

1. We capture foreign markets for our surplus products.

2. We keep our workers busy twelve months in the year.

3. We show the American flag and advertise the nation all round the world.

4. We build up a naval reserve of men and ships for defence in days of danger. It is cheaper and more productive of peace to subsidize a merchant marine to help our commerce and industry than to construct and organize a navy when war comes and leave ourselves at the mercy of trained and organized competitors. If we save our industry and protect our workers by extending our commerce, our wealth and strength will preserve and compel peace and ensure our national security, prosperity and contentment.

The merchant marine, subsidized, strengthened and sustained means the foreign market, a prosperous American industry, constant work and wages, and a happy, contented people.

WANT SHOWER BATHS IN OLD STATION 6 BUILDING.

A delegation from South Boston, consisting of Representative William P. Hickey, Ex-Representative Robert E. Bigney, Frank Scott and Al Moran and Fred Watt of the South Boston Citizens' Association, were in conference with Mayor James M. Curley this week, to urge the importance of installing shower baths in the old Station 6 building on West Broadway. This property is to be disposed of by the city unless some use may be found for it. The Mayor took the matter under consideration and will report in the near future.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for dredging dock and repairing wharf of Engine 31, North End paving yard. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, after Tuesday January 15. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the construction and completion of signal apparatus building in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$75,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 6, at 12 m.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for electric lighting system for two additional tiers of steel bracket stacks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the architects, Fox and Gale, 3 Hamilton place, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the office of the trustees, Central Library, Copley Square, Boston. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close, Wednesday, January 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for heating system for two additional tiers of steel bracket stacks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the architects, Fox and Gale, 3 Hamilton place, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the office of the trustees, Central Library, Copley square, Boston. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close, Wednesday, January 30, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for repairs to the Paris Street Gymnasium, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Dupli-

cate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for new piping for salt water system at the Aquarium, Marine Park, South Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 31, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for cleaning 10,500 catch-basins in seven city districts. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in an amount equivalent to 5 per cent of the contract price, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 22, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for hardware, oil, shellac, stains, etc., for the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, Business Agent, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, January 28, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required or necessary to complete the equipment of the elementary school, Francis Parkman District, Northbourne road and Nathan street, Forest Hills. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required for the complete equipment of the elementary school, in the Bennett District, Fan-euil and Oakland streets, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, with-

out check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 29, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing composition castings. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, January 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing X-ray films. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, January 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the various city departments, gauze, bellevue rolls, absorbent cotton, bandages and absorbent waste. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without certified check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 29, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, January 17:

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

John J. McCarthy has been designated as Acting City Collector at such times as the City Collector may be absent during the four weeks commencing January 17.

Daniel J. Kinnaly, clerk of Water Division, has been granted leave of absence for one month without pay. William L. Roberts, Jr., has been appointed to serve during his absence at the same salary, \$1,000 a year.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Wilbur F. Goodrich who was employed for two half days at \$8 a day to do certain investigating work, left January 5.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Margaret L. McDonough has been placed on the pension roll at \$600 a year.

John S. Dowling has been appointed provisionally as an interior wire inspector at \$1,600 a year.

Allan H. MacDonald has been appointed lineman at \$5 a day.

John E. Downey has been appointed permanent inside wireman at \$5.60 a day.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

James J. Murphy has been given provisional appointment as food inspector at \$1,400 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, January 10:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—E. F. Cronin, refrigerator man, \$15 a week; F. Clark, male nurse, \$8.17 a week; Dr. H. Blumgart, assistant resident physician, \$9.72 a week; William H. Murphy, elevatorman, \$11 a week; Elizabeth Jeloe, ward helper, \$11 a week; Mary Boyle, ward helper, \$11 a week; Margaret McNaught, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Margaret Morris, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Mary Whittemore, ward helper, \$11 a week; Ella O'Shea, ward helper, \$11 a week; Catherine St. Peter, table girl, \$11 a week; Ruth Mann, table girl (re-employed), \$9.50 a week; Anna Pall, table girl, \$11 a week; Jennie Gallant, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Minnie Kanaskisky, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Mary Valley, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Blanche Waites, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; M. A. Devlin, cleaner (re-employed), \$11.50 a week; Eva Gilbert, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; E. Friedenburg, laundress, \$14 a week; Paul Marlow, general orderly, \$8 a week; W. Divine, general orderly (re-employed), \$8 a week; William J. Conley, house cleaner (re-employed), \$12 a week; H. C. Whitehouse, house cleaner, \$12 a week; A. Brozda, night lodge attendant, \$6.25 a week; A. Flannigan, floor polisher, \$12 a week; T. Sullivan, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Anna Pierre, wardmaid, \$10 a week.

Temporary.—N. Worthington, porter, \$14 a week; T. Barry, porter, \$14 a week; Margaret Cass, assistant seamstress, \$9 a week.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during week ending Thursday, January 17:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Katherine Keegan, table girl (re-employed), \$9.50 a week; Mary V. Shultz, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Catherine Keating, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Anna Grundman, laundress, \$14 a week; Mary Reid, cleaner (re-employed), \$11.50 a week; Helen Vincent, cleaner (re-employed), \$11.50 a week; Margaret Magee, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Thomas Watson, porter (re-employed), \$14 a week; Catherine Lyons, telephone operator, \$20 a week; Mary Hafferty, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Mary Tierney, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Della Cormican, ward helper, \$11 a week; Alfred Russell, elevatorman, \$11 a week; Martin Woods, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Nellie Prescott, wardmaid, \$9.50 a week; Mary McLaughlin, wardmaid, \$10 a week; Agnes McEachen, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Harry B. Maxey, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Walter B. Kenney, transfer porter, \$11 a week.

Temporary.—William J. Fitzgerald, out patient orderly, \$9.50 a week; Leo F. Bruinelle, apothecary assistant (re-employed), \$22 a week; Grace Burrows, special nurse, \$35 a week; Mary Daly, special nurse, \$35 a week; Margaret Mc-

Arthur, special nurse, \$35 a week; Rose Sico, special nurse, \$35 a week; Joseph L. Murphy, kitchenman, \$17 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Bridget Lanigan, cleaner at \$11.50 to table girl at \$11 a week; Edward Kelleher, transfer porter at \$11 to out-patient orderly at \$9.50 a week; Thomas Sullivan, house cleaner at \$12 to temporary laundryman at \$18 a week; Margaret Whalen, chambermaid at \$9.50 to temporary laundress at \$14 a week; Thomas Sullivan, temporary laundryman at \$18 to house cleaner at \$12 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, January 3:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

John J. Adams, fireman, at a salary of \$27 a week, temporary.

William Kenney, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Edward McHale.

Caroline Lampro, head nurse, at a salary of \$1,080 a year, to succeed Mary J. Steele.

Francis J. Lewis, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Joseph E. Harkins.

Edward McHale, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Thomas J. Philbin.

Cornelius F. O'Brien, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Daniel J. McDermott.

John T. Toohy, porter, at a salary of \$500 a year, temporary.

Bertha F. Whitney, head nurse, at a salary of \$1,080 a year, to succeed Anna E. Frederick.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Josephine M. Foley, clerk, has been granted a further temporary appointment of two weeks at \$15 a week.

James D. Regan has been given a change of rating from night steward to assistant superintendent at the lodge and welfare worker.

Rita M. McLaughlin has been given a change of rating from clerk with a knowledge of stenography to notice clerk to towns and confidential clerk to the secretary.

Emma W. Bumstead has been given a change of rating from clerk to notice clerk to state.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

James A. Dinneen, Jr., has been granted an extension of employment for a period of two days, as a temporary laborer at \$4 a day.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

William J. Cooney, now employed as a hoseman on Engine 49, Boston Fire Department, at \$1,700 a year, has been appointed janitor in the Public Buildings Department at \$4 a day.

Nora V. Curry has been granted leave of absence for a period of six months, without pay.

George B. Nee has been appointed permanent janitor at \$4 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Thomas F. Reilly has been continued as assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week. Arthur W. Clancy and Allen J. Mc-

Cormack have been appointed to fill permanent vacancies as carpenters at \$5 a day each.

John D. O'Brien has been promoted from carpenter at \$5 a day, to working subforeman of carpenters at \$5.50 a day.

Andrew J. Cannata has been employed as assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week for a period of thirty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Theodore P. Panopoulos has been granted an extension of temporary employment as fireman at \$5.50 a day for three months.

Harry T. Eldridge has been continued in temporary employment as inspector of construction of new ferry piers and drops with wages at \$6 a day.

Patrick J. A. Conway has been appointed permanent deckhand at \$4.25 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Angelo Mandile has been granted extension of temporary employment as rodman at \$1,000 a year for sixty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

The following citizens have been given appointment as temporary teamsters at \$4 a day each for three months: Daniel J. Dolan, John Dillon, Daniel J. Mahoney, Timothy J. Cronin, Charles R. Beals, John J. Desmond, Joseph F. Riley, Lewis C. Timmins, John F. Donoghue, Thomas F. Cady, John J. Haggerty, Charles C. Farrell and William D. Watson.

Herbert Mullen, Patrick J. Burke, Patrick Killoran and Michael M. Fay have been appointed temporary teamsters at \$4 a day for three months.

William T. Courtney has been appointed temporary teamster at \$4 a day for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

James F. Carter has been continued in temporary employment as rodman at \$15 a week.

Michael J. Donovan has been transferred from rigger at \$4.50 a day to filth hoistman at \$5.50 a day at the Calf Pasture pumping station.

John F. J. McKay, Daniel L. Connolly and James A. Santosuosso have been granted extension of temporary employment as sewer inspectors at \$1,400 a year for a period of three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

Joseph Magennis has been continued in temporary employment as clerk at \$1,000 a year.

John H. Lane has been granted a transfer from laborer in the Park Department to the Street Cleaning Service as teamster-laborer at \$4 a day, to fill a permanent vacancy.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Joseph W. Collins has been granted extension of temporary employment as clerk at \$1,000 a year for thirty days.

Thomas H. Leonard has been promoted from meter tester and repairer at \$4.50 a day to meter inspector at \$1,300 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Henry J. Jennings has been appointed temporary rodman for a period of three months at \$1,100 a year.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Edwin A. Wall has been designated to act as Acting City Treasurer at such times as the City Treasurer may be absent during the four weeks commencing January 17.

The following increases in salary have been granted in the Treasury Department: Maurice F. Brodie, paymaster, from \$2,000 to \$2,300 a year; Arthur F. Swan, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,600 a year; Charles F. Daly, paymaster, from \$2,300 to \$2,400 a year; James W. Gibbons, paymaster, from \$2,500 to \$2,600 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, January 10:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 3 hours, \$2.50; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 12 hours, \$7.56; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$4; G. Roach, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; J. McKenzie, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; J. Wood, J. Huber, J. Ward, jobbers, 18 hours, \$6 each.

South Department.

M. Sinclair, head laundress, 7½ hours, \$2.81; A. Brett, laundress, 7½ hours, \$2.19; M. Roberts, laundress, 4½ hours, \$1.31; J. Sullivan, K. Harkins, A. McDonough, M. Zuskwiiss, laundresses, 7½ hours, \$2.19 each; M. Raltray, laundress, 4½ hours, \$1.31; M. Olsen, laundress, 7½ hours, \$2.19; M. Dwyer, laundress, 3 hours, \$0.88; J. Daly, laundryman, 7½ hours, \$4.53; T. Atkinson, laundryman, 7½ hours, \$2.81.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

W. Nolan, J. Corcoran, P. Joyce, M. J. Kane, M. Fitzgerald, porters and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75 each; F. Ruggiero, porter and tending furnace, 24 hours, \$13.50.

Total, \$119.93.

For the week ending Thursday, January 17:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 24 hours, \$1.88; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; G. Roach, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Haley, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$5.91; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; J. McKenzie, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; W. H. Murphy, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$1.38; W. Shea, laundryman, 324 hours, \$24.19; A. Imbrato, laundryman, 324 hours, \$19.51; J. Lorden, laundryman, 324 hours, \$19.51; J. Scaduto, laundryman, 25½ hours, \$13.28; F. Polasek, laundryman, 324 hours, \$15.48; A. Howard, laundryman, 30 hours, \$13.20; P. Connors, laundryman, 324 hours, \$13.58; W. Appleton, laundryman, 6 hours, \$1.75; M. Saunders, gauze sorter, 24 hours, \$10.08; J. Kelley, por-

ter, 32½ hours, \$9.41; L. Lindlof, porter, 24 hours, \$7; L. Micznikoski, porter, 13½ hours, \$3.94; M. Lippinsky, porter, 6 hours, \$1.75; P. Sheppelle, porter, 28½ hours, \$8.31; Mary Davis, laundry assistant, 30½ hours, \$11.53; M. Keating, laundry assistant, 25½ hours, \$8.80; C. Stepien, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.76; C. Barry, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.76; A. Taura, laundress, 18 hours, \$5.45; G. Baker, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; L. Brickley, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; M. Cotter, laundress, 25½ hours, \$7.44; A. Cushman, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; C. Desmond, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; M. Devlin, laundress, 19½ hours, \$5.69; C. Farren, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; M. Falvey, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; A. Cederstrom, laundress, 25½ hours, \$7.44; E. Frieberg, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; M. Gannon, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; M. Ham, laundress, 25½ hours, \$7.44; C. Harkins, laundress, 25½ hours, \$7.44; M. Haynes, laundress, 25½ hours, \$7.44; L. Kaphs, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; M. Keegan, laundress, 19½ hours, \$5.69; Mary Keegan, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; N. Keegan, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; S. Koldys, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; M. Langev, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; M. Medane, laundress, 19½ hours, \$5.69; A. Miller, laundress, 25½ hours, \$7.44; L. Murphy, laundress, 9½ hours, \$2.84; M. Schwolman, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; H. Reardon, laundress, 4½ hours, \$1.31; L. Schwolmann, laundress, 25½ hours, \$7.44; A. Sienkiewicz, laundress, 27½ hours, \$8.09; B. Sparrow, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; A. Stanulys, laundress, 27½ hours, \$8.09; N. Tapert, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; M. Wall, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; M. Witte, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; K. Zilyte, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; V. Ziembra, laundress, 27 hours, \$7.88; A. Lynch, cleaner, 4½ hours, \$1.08.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

W. Nolan, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75; J. Corcoran, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75; P. Joyce, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75; R. Keith, laundryman, 15 hours, \$9.08; A. McGonagle, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; T. McKenna, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; E. Gardner, laundress, 25½ hours, \$7.44.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Kane, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75; M. Fitzgerald, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75; F. Ruggiero, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75; M. Harkins, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; J. Keohane, laundress, 30½ hours, \$8.97; N. McKenzie, laundress, 25½ hours, \$7.44.

Total, \$552.09.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, January 10:

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

Matthew L. Kelly, captain, 1½ days, \$7.39; Rufus J. Clark, mate, 1½ days, \$5.85; John Putwain, second mate, 1½ days, \$4.32; Charles Russell, chief engineer, 1½ days, \$8.44; David J. Lamie, assistant engineer, 1½ days, \$6.19; Patrick J. Lawler, fireman, 1½ days, \$6.19; John Doherty, fireman, 1½ days, \$6.19; John Londrigan, deckhand, 1½ days, \$4.78; John Thornton, deckhand, 1½ days, \$4.78; John J. Coleman, deckhand, 1½ days, \$4.78; William Silinsky, oiler, 1½ days, \$6.19; Katherine Dale, matron, 1½ days, \$2.46. Total, \$67.50.

Substitute Work.—John Thornton, deckhand, 10½ days, \$45.95; Charles W. Russell, chief engineer, (as watchman), 3 days, \$12.75. Total, \$68.70.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

William G. Feeney, John Melley, William S. Robinson, Walter J. West, engineers, 1 day, \$6 each; Richard A. Bishop, Francis J. Berg, Eugene A. Leonard, Andrew Para, firemen, 1 day, \$5.50 each; William G. Feeney, John Melley, William S. Robinson, Walter J. West, engineers, 1 day, \$6 each; Richard A. Bishop, Francis J. Berg, Patrick J. Gleason, Andrew Para, firemen, 1 day, \$5.50 each. Total, \$92.

Substitute Work.—Joseph Cox, Walter West, engineer, 4½ hours, \$3.38 each.

House of Correction.

December 25: Ernest Rousseau, John Fay, Walter Purdy, Patrick Shea, engineers, 1 day, \$6 each; Bernard Feeney, David Tobin, Frederick Morse, Neil Grant, James Ryan, firemen, 1 day, \$5.50 each. Total, \$51.50.

January 1: Ernest Rousseau, John Fay, Patrick Shea, William O'Melia, engineers, 1 day, \$6 each; Bernard Feeney, James Ryan, Frederick Morse, David J. Tobin, Neil Grant, firemen, 1 day, \$5.50 each. Total, \$51.50.

Park Department.

For the month ending Thursday, January 10:

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66; Patrick Glennon, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; Daniel Hourihan, gardener, 1 day, \$5. Total, \$14.16.

For the week ending Thursday, January 10:

Henry Blackwell, tree climber, 1 day, \$4; Frederick Brown, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; William Burns, Carmine Cataldo, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Joseph Collins, William F. Driscoll, gardeners, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Frank Jefferson, Frank Kenefick, Edward McLaughlin, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Denis Daley, Thomas Foley, chauffeurs, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Louis Corbett, laborers, 1 day, \$4; Thomas Dolan, 2d, teamster, 1 day, \$4; James Dunn, carpenter, 1 day, \$5; Michael Flaherty, George Quigley, Carmine Mastrogiovanni, John P. Nagle, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Peter Powers, rigger, 1 day, \$5; John J. Walsh, subforeman, 1 day, \$4.38; John J. Carlin, plumber, 1 day, \$5; John Bowen, Thomas Carley, John Doyle, Joseph Doyle, Joseph Fallon, Michael Flanino, John Heffernan, Matthew Horgan, Michael Murphy, William Mahoney, Cornelius Shields, Patrick Sheehan, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Stephen McCarthy, gardener, 1 day, \$5; Dennis Cronin, Thomas Dooley, Michael Lynch, Giuseppe Tesi, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Patrick Leonard, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; Hugh Bagley, William Cullinan, John S. Callahan, Daniel Donovan, Martin Finigan, Christopher Bird, Michael Hurley, John T. Hanson, William McCormick, James J. Melynn, Michael Mullin, John Morrissey, James Morrissey, Thomas F. Standon, Antonio Ventura, Thomas Terry, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; John T. Conboy, gardener, 1 day, \$5; Ignatius Sheerin, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; Jeremiah Collins, James H. Haynes, Patrick H. Long, Generoso Matarrazzo, Aaron G. Parker, John Murphy, John Toland, 2d, John Supple, Frank A. Tully, Michael J. Murphy, Thomas Kelley, Adolph I.

Racz, Dominic Dagosta, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each. Total, \$288.88.

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, January 10:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Edward F. Curley, John J. Desmond, John Gormley, Joseph Horgan, Austin Kelly, Bernard McCabe, Henry J. Moykan, Arthur J. Moore, Joseph P. Mulrey, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

For the week ending Thursday, January 17:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, George J. Duffy, Austin Kelly, Bernard McCabe, Arthur Moore, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph T. Harrington, Peter Kean, Michael Morris, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, January 10:

F. C. Twitchell, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; J. Conlon, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; J. Campbell, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; N. McSheffrey, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; T. J. Swift, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 14:

First Assistant Drawtenders.—J. J. Graham, D. J. Shea, 1 day, \$4.38 each.

Assistant Drawtenders.—D. J. Manning, J. F. Murphy, T. McGovern, J. J. Powers, P. J. Fitzgerald, C. J. McFeeley, T. F. Reilly, D. J. Donovan, 1 day, \$4.11 each; E. W. Cotter, J. A. Hayes, J. Doran, 2 days, \$8.22 each.

Carpenters.—J. D. O'Brien, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Total, \$73.80.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 14:

Gateman.—James A. Quinn 1 day, \$4.80.

Fireman.—Theodore P. Panopoulos, 1 day, \$5.50.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 1½ days, \$6.25.

Total, \$16.55.

Net cost for the week ending January 14, \$6.25.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 14:

Laborer.—V. X. Fallon 1 day, \$4.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 14:

Teamsters.—T. F. Whalen, M. S. Ryan, T. F. McGregor, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, W. Magee, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.

Teamster-Chauffeur.—J. J. Landirgan, 1½ days, \$8.75.

Total, \$37.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, January 15:

Sewer Cleaners.—Michael Foley, 3½ days, \$15.75; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2½ days, \$10.13 each; James Clancy, 1 day, \$4.50; Michael Neary, ¾ day, \$3.38; Dennis Burke, ¾ day, \$1.69; Thomas Byrne, ¾ day, \$3.19.

Laborers.—Timothy Kennedy, 3½ days, \$15; Stephen Connolly, Peter King, Patrick McDonough, Cornelius Sullivan, 2½ days, \$9 each; Edward Flaherty, Michael McMahon, Patrick Fitzgerald, 1½ days, \$6 each; James McNabb, 1½ days, \$5; John Dolan, Dennis Collins, Joseph O'Brien, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4 each.

Total, \$139.90.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 14:

Chauffeur.—J. A. McCabe, ¼ day, \$4.50.

Teamsters.—J. D. Ferguson, J. J. Moynihan, J. Monahan, J. Holland, G. Campo, D. P. Minihan, D. Partinello, W. T. Gillen, M. H. Gordon, T. C. Kilroy, J. A. Bourdon, M. T. Clougherty, R. Della Russo, F. DiMatteo, A. Mercurio, J. J. Meyers, J. F. Brown, F. D'Ambrosio, J. T. Delaney, T. W. Fitzmorris, C. F. Flaherty, J. B. Foley, M. Gately, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—L. Pace, 2 days, \$8.

Total, \$109.13.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 14:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, B. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Emergency men.—W. Lonergan, 2 days, \$8; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Repairers.—J. Linehan, ⅞ day, \$0.89; H. Campbell, 1⅞ days, \$6.56; J. Hourihan, 1½ days, \$7.50; W. Scanlon, 3⅞ days, \$17.19; D. Sullivan, 1⅞ days, \$5.91; P. O'Hare, 1⅞ days, \$6.23; M. Daly, 1⅞ days, \$6.23; D. Flynn, 1½ days, \$6.75; J. Dolan, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$6.75; C. Sullivan, 1⅞ days, \$5.91; M. O'Day, 1½ days, \$6.75; C. Driscoll, 1⅞ days, \$6.56; D. Kirby, 1⅞ days, \$5.91; J. Casey, 1⅞ days, \$5.58; P. Coleman, 2½ days, \$10.63; H. Cauley, 2½ days, \$11.81; J. Glennon, ⅞ day, \$0.80; W. Shields, 2½ days, \$11.81; T. Byrnes, ¾ day, \$1.78; J. Blessington, 1½ days, \$5.06; M. Matthews, 1½ days, \$5.06; M. Rizzo, 1½ days, \$4.78; J. McLaughlin, 1½ days, \$4.50; C. Kane, ⅞ day, \$2.39; F. Schena, ¾ day, \$1.78.

Laborers.—P. Clougherty, H. McCauley, W. Rice, J. McCaffrey, S. Lopilato, 1 day, \$4 each; J. Burke, 1⅞ days, \$5.25; P. McGuinness, 1½ days, \$6; F. Ware, ⅞ day, \$2.39; J. O'Toole, 1½ days, \$6; M. Barron, 1⅞ days, \$5.25; J. Feeley, ⅞ day, \$0.75; F. Stenson, 1⅞ days, \$5.25; G. Condon, ⅞ days, \$0.75; J. Williamson, ⅞ day, \$0.80; D. Shea, ¾ day, \$1.50; F. Laskey, J. McGee, ¾ day, \$3.

Transit Job.—J. Cummings, 6½ days, \$31.88; M. Rizzo, 4½ days, \$19.13; M. Matthews, J. Gallagher, T. Rose, 4½ days, \$20.25 each; G. Cataldo, N. De Eso, P. Green, J. McLaughlin, W. Corbett, 4½ days, \$18 each; J. Fenton, 2½ days, \$10.

Total, \$465.82; paid by Joint Department, \$219.76; net total, \$246.06.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Michael Seretto has been ordered to make a change in contract for erecting and completing Police Station No. 2 building as follows: Substitute brass as specified for all galvanized-iron cold water piping and fittings called for, of respective sizes as noted and required. Extra, \$2,428.80. Contract price, \$530,000; total additions, \$4,330; amount of contract, \$534,330.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

An addition, amounting to \$128.14, on contract with the Phoenix Bridge Company for rebuilding Beacon Street Bridge, on account of extending steel sidewalk brackets. Original contract, \$93,404; total addition, \$128.14; contract as standing, \$93,532.14.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$425, on contract with A. G. Tomasello & Sons for sewerage works in Chelsea street, Charlestown, on account of rebuilding two manholes; hauling old manholes, frames, covers and Bradley heads to city yard, Medford street. Original contract, \$1,500; total addition, \$425; contract as standing, \$1,925.

An addition, amounting to \$56, on contract with the A. L. Smith Iron Works for new iron floors and appurtenances for filth hoist building, Calf Pasture pumping station, Dorchester, on account of furnishing and erecting one pair of clamps, rods and turnbuckles for pipe support under flooring. Original contract, \$3,401; total addition, \$56; contract as standing, \$3,457.

An addition, amounting to \$850, on contract with J. P. Dwyer Company for piping and other equipment for new boilers at Calf Pasture pumping station, on account of changing location of 2-inch safety valves on superheaters; changing type of injector; installing tank with float valve for the same; installing new 3-inch feed water line from old boiler room; revising steam connections and air chambers on feed pump; and performing miscellaneous machine work on rear door of boilers, damper levers and on water glass blow-offs. Original contract, \$31,500; total additions, \$7,062; contract as standing, \$38,562.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$325, on contract with V. Barletta for laying and relaying water pipes in East Cottage, Humphreys and Groom streets and Norfolk avenue, Dorchester, on account of removing old brick sewer and boulders from trench; cutting out sheeting; furnishing and placing extra blocking to block up 12-inch water pipe on new concrete sewer. Original contract, \$2,200; total addition, \$325; contract as standing, \$2,525.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

The General Construction and Repair Company have been allowed for omitting the damper regulator in smoke flue of the Washington Allston school the sum of \$70, as per inspector's letter of December

31, 1923. Contract price, \$9,285; total deductions, \$70; amount of contract \$9,215.

John J. Lane has been allowed for grading addition to Oak square, laying granolithic sidewalk, \$732.80; excavating below subgrade unsuitable material and replacing with approved filling, \$312; total, \$1,044.80, as per engineer's letter of December 19, 1923. Contract price, \$3,850; total additions, \$1,044.80; amount of contract, \$4,894.80.

The Stanton Electric Company have been allowed the following additions to Girls' High Colony School as per engineer's letter of December 11, 1923: Install three (3) receptacles in sewing room and increase size of cabinet in corridor for two circuits for above. Install electric clock and telephone in teachers' room. Run separate clock circuit for gymnasium and study room program and connect to program machine. Furnish and install gas stoves in teachers' room and nurses' room and do all necessary work and furnish all necessary material for complete installation from gas meter in basement to stoves. Also team stoves from 100 Beacon street, Brighton High and George Putnam School to be installed in place of condemned stoves. For the above work you will add to your contract the sum of \$464. Contract price, \$5,280; total additions, \$464; amount of contract, \$5,744.

Walter Curley has been allowed the following addition to Girls' Trade School, 620 Massachusetts avenue, as per Supervisor of Alterations and Repairs' letter dated December 15, 1923. Plumbing addition, 616 Massachusetts avenue. Basement, two new hose bibbs. First floor: Replace broken bowl with new 24-inch by 20-inch enamel iron lavatory fitted with new Perry cocks, bubbler, trap, wastes, vents, supplies for same. Old toilets above basement: Replace defective ball cocks, basin cocks, tank valves with new ones, and new washes, and repack miscellaneous ball cocks, faucets, etc. Bath room, top floor: Replace broken water-closet and tank with new syphon water-closet fitted with Low-downs china tank, new seat, etc., complete. Replace defective bath cock with new cock, new basin cock, etc.

618 Massachusetts avenue. Basement: Repair soapstone trays and put in soap dishes. Above basement: Repair defective basin cocks, ball cocks, tank valves, etc., with new ones as noted for 616 Massachusetts avenue.

620 Massachusetts avenue. Second floor: Replace broken marble wash bowl with new 24-inch by 20-inch enameled iron lavatory with new Perry cock, brass trap, rearrange supplies and wastes. Replace defective basin cocks, ball cocks, tank valves, etc., throughout the old toilets with new ones. Furnish and install new galvanized iron cages for all old water-closet tanks through the building. Put in two new sill cocks and stop and waste cock, one front, and one rear. Furnish and install new 4-inch extra heavy cast-iron conductor pipe on outside of 618 Massachusetts avenue. Total cost of same to be as per estimated bill of November 20, 1923, \$755; plus 10 per cent general contractor's commission, \$75.50; total, \$830.50.

616, 618, 620 Massachusetts avenue. Provide 10 new 24-inch by 20-inch Plate

3845 enamelled iron lavatories fitted with plug and chain waste 1½-inch one half-S brass traps, Perry basin cocks, cold water only, with five of the lavatories to have bubblers, all to have new wastes. Vents and supplies, all as per estimated bill of November 9, 1923, \$1,090; plus 10 per cent general contractor's commission, \$109; total, \$1,199.

General Additions: 1, cutting for plumber, \$124; 2, three new toilet doors and fittings, \$74.20; 3, removing lockers, 3 days at \$11.20, \$33.60; 4, extending platforms, fourth floor, \$42.40; 5, laying new floors and patching old ones, \$1,600; 6, removing sheathing and furring walls, fourth floor, \$22.40; cutting timbers, 1st floor for changes in steel construction, \$32.40; 7, 600 running feet of blackboard molding and chalk rails, etc., \$600; 8, furnishing and hanging doors between 616 and 618, \$200; 9, one pair of fly doors in 618, \$50; 10, setting old cabinets in master's office, \$9.60; 11, remodeling lunch tables, \$47.80; 12, runways in Rooms 23 and 24, \$24.70; 13, changing runway in domestic science room, \$28.60; 14, changing swing of door, second floor, \$7.60; 15, dressing floors, \$282; 16, thirty-eight door stops attached, \$52.50; 17, two lights of glass in door, \$4; 18, changing steel from 12-inch I beams to 15-inch channels and labor, \$92; 19, extra painting, \$167; 20, plus 10 per cent general contractor's commission, \$16.70; 21, new steam main under floors in basement changing returns and drips and seven new steam valves, \$196; 22, plus 10 per cent general contractor's commission, \$19.60; 23, reinforcing gymnasium floor in basement, \$157; 24, excavating and cutting floor in basement for steam pipes, \$65; 25, extra work on plastering, \$500; 26, plus 10 per cent general contractor's commission, \$50; 27, removing sheathing and setting new basement base, \$32.20; all as per bill rendered December 13, 1923, \$4,531.30. Total addition, \$6,560.80. Contract price, \$31,258; total additions, \$6,560.80; amount of contract, \$37,818.80.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

C. H. Cronin, Inc., have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for installing a sprinkler system in the building No. 11 Wareham street, to January 19, 1924.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

John Bowen Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for erecting and completing additions and alterations to Out-Patient Building, City Hospital, from January 1, 1924, to March 1, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Holbrook, Cabot & Rollins have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for erecting and completing Chelsea Bridge South, from December 31, 1923, to May 1, 1924. This extension is requested for the reason that there was some delay in the delivery of machinery and in finishing the counterweights of the draw span. The delay in the delivery of machinery was due to causes beyond the power of the contractors to avoid. The extension to May 1 is necessary in order to tear out old temporary span after the new span is in service.

M. D. Russo has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the

contract for building sewerage works in Border street, from Sumner street to Central square, East Boston, from December 29, 1923, to January 5, 1924, seven days.

John F. Shea, Jr., has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Columbia park, from December 31, 1923, to March 1, 1924.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

The Ligerwood Manufacturing Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for furnishing 550,000 pounds of two-part gate boxes for delivery to the Water Service, from January 15, 1924, to May 1, 1924.

John Bowen Company have been allowed to add to their contract for the erection and completion of additions and alterations to the out-patient building, ambulance entrance and drive, and sub-way to surgical building, at the Boston City Hospital, the sum of \$373.75 for the following: Four special brackets, outlets and fixtures, two each in rooms Nos. 507 and 508, \$246.75; two F. S. L. collars and balls on top of posts at ambulance entrance, \$70; additional electric light fixtures and changes in others: Outlet No. 625, one bracket, special; No. 608, one F.I.B., extra; No. 526, three F.I.B., change from ceiling to pendant; No. 458, two F.I.B., change from ceiling to pendant; No. 444, one F.I.B., change from ceiling to pendant; No. M30, one F.I.B., change from ceiling to pendant; No. 115, one F.I.B., change from ceiling to pendant; No. 431A, one F.I.B., S.27, extra; No. 119, one F.37, S.30A, extra, \$57; total, \$373.75. The foregoing statement makes the contract stand as follows: Amount of contract at signing, \$493,000; order No. 1, addition, \$54,245.95; order No. 2, addition, \$10,108.57; order No. 4, addition, \$4,210; order No. 6, addition, \$1,775; order No. 7, addition, \$1,283; order No. 8, addition, \$3,716.83; order No. 9, addition, \$373.75; total addition, \$568,713.10. Order No. 3, deduction, \$8,236; order No. 5, deduction, \$619.69; total deduction, \$8,855.69; amount of contract to date, \$559,857.41.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

The A. L. Smith Iron Works have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for new iron floors and appurtenances for filth hoist building, Calf Pasture pumping station, Dorchester. Items ordered: Furnish and erect one pair of clamps, rods and turnbuckles for pipe support under flooring. Estimated cost of extra work, \$56.

J. Edgar Ogden Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for two sets of ferry bridge galleys frame and accompanying machinery for the South Ferry. Items ordered: Furnish and install mooring hooks and necessary appurtenances and do the necessary strengthening to hold the mooring hooks in place on the ferryboats "Ralph J. Palumbo," "Lieutenant Flaherty" and "John H. Sullivan." Estimated cost of extra work, \$1,000.

A. G. Tomasello & Sons have been directed to perform the following extra

work under contract for building sewerage works in Chelsea street, between Adams street and Bunker Hill street, Charlestown. Items ordered: Rebuild two manholes in Chelsea street; haul old manholes, frames and covers, and Bradley heads to city yard, Medford street. Estimated cost of extra work, \$425.

J. P. Dwyer Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for piping and other equipment for new boilers at Calf Pasture pumping station. Items ordered: Change location of 2-inch safety valves on superheaters; change type of injector and install tank with float valve for same; install new three (3) inch feed water line from old boiler room; revise steam connections and air chambers on feed pump; miscellaneous machine work on rear door of boilers, on damper levers and on water glass blowoff. Estimated cost of extra work, \$850. Extra work previously ordered, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, \$6,212.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

J. P. Dwyer Company have been allowed to amend their contract for heating and ventilating an intermediate school in the George Putnam District, School and Dixwell streets, Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "April 16, 1923," on page 21, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "January 12, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 21 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about January 16, 1922, and is to be completed on or before January 12, 1924."

Pierce & Cox have been allowed to amend their contract for plumbing work at an intermediate school in the Charles Sumner District, Poplar street, Roslindale, by striking out the words and figures, "May 23, 1923," on page 25, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "January 15, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 25 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about June 23, 1922, and is to be completed on or before January 15, 1924."

A. Piotti Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the erection and completion of an intermediate school in the Charles Sumner District, Poplar and Hawthorne streets, Roslindale, by striking out the words and figures, "May 15, 1923," on page 24, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "February 23, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 24 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about May 15, 1922, and is to be completed on or before February 23, 1924."

HOUSING COMMISSION TO SERVE UNTIL MAY 1.

Boston's Rent and Housing Commission will continue to function as long as the corresponding state body continues in existence. Mayor Curley, who had announced that he would abolish the board on February 1, finally yielded to the pleas of various groups of persons who insisted that the rent body was still serving a useful purpose.

The Mayor has provided in the budget for its continuance at least until May 1.

WANTS NATION OF HOME OWNERS.

Mayor Curley, speaking Wednesday afternoon in Young's Hotel, at the annual meeting of the Boston Building Congress, said that, after business men have made all the money that they and succeeding generations of fools can use, he would like to see them give some thought to the creative course of their wealth by assisting their employees to become home owners.

Mr. Curley referred to the loyalty created in the minds and the hearts of the employees of the Jordan Marsh Company, by the character of justice given the employee by the employer, and declared that he would like to see encouraged a program of the character followed by William Wood, which, he added, makes for a more healthy and patriotic people.

He declared that the real blight of the American people was to find a beautifully appointed and elaborate manufacturing plant and then find its workers living like cattle in old houses in cities and towns of our state where land could be bought cheaply.

The Mayor spoke of the public development along the Strandway in South Boston and said that he would like to see some of the big industries buy up a strip of land along the ocean front in South Boston on which to build homes for employees. He said that these big concerns by buying on a huge scale could lower costs so that the dwellings could be erected at about 60 per cent of the cost to the individual.

Mr. Curley asserted that following out a program of this character houses could be built for \$9,000 that would cost the individual anywhere from \$12,000 to \$14,000, and these could be transferred to the worker for rent or paid for out of their salary. He said he would like to see some public-spirited business man consider such a project.

"I would like to see a nation of home owners," said his Honor.

Mr. Curley, dwelling on reasonable unemployment, said it must be regulated and that this can be done by concentrated intelligent thought of the American people. He said that there is no other problem that approaches in importance that of reasonable unemployment.

"Seasonable unemployment," continued the Mayor, "saps the foundation of our citizenship; it makes a savage beast out of a usually mild and even tempered head of a household; it makes a criminal out of a man who perhaps never before has had an evil impulse. It is the one really outstanding problem the proper solution of which means more to the health and happiness of the people than anything else."

BILL TO PROVIDE ZONE SYSTEM FOR BOSTON.

A zoning bill, dividing Boston into single residence, general residence, local business, general business, industrial and unrestricted districts, was presented to the Legislature late Saturday afternoon, January 12, by Mayor Curley.

It is a voluminous document, running to thirty typewritten pages, and was drafted by the City Planning Board after eighteen months' intensive study by the Zoning Advisory Commission appointed by the Mayor.

The commission was presided over by Frederic H. Fay, chairman of the Planning Board, and consisted of Theodore W. Little, Associated Industries of Massachusetts; P. Harry Jennings, Boston Central Labor Union; Robert A. Woods, Boston Chamber of Commerce; Elbridge R. Anderson, Boston Real Estate Exchange; Dana Somes, Boston Society of Architects; Warren H. Manning, Boston Society of Landscape Architects; C. Frank Allen, Boston Society of Civil Engineers; William H. Sayward, Master Builders' Association; Luther C. Greenleaf, Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange; George F. Stebbins, Team Owners' Association, and Walter R. Meins, United Improvement Association.

The Mayor held a conference with the Zoning Board, Building Commissioner Mahony, Health Commissioner Mahoney, Fire Commissioner Glynn, City Auditor Carven, Assessor O'Malley, Street Commissioners Noyes, Harding and O'Callaghan and Corporation Counsel Sullivan, in which the details of the bill were discussed.

The proposed measure is not retroactive and will not affect existing buildings. It also provides that a Board of Appeal may alter any decision made and that appeal to the Supreme Court is allowable.

MAYOR SPEAKS FOR BILL.

Mayor Curley spoke before the Legislative Committee on Municipal Finance at the State House in favor of his bill to abolish the tax limit placed by the Legislature on the expenditures of the City of Boston. The Mayor referred to his appearance before the committee in behalf of the bill as "an annual pilgrimage which the City of Boston is compelled to make."

"I wonder if the time has not arrived," said the Mayor, "to put Boston on the same basis as other cities in the state in the matter of the tax limit. Boston is one of the few cities to put through a program of school and street construction out of the tax levy, and it has not increased its bonded indebtedness in seven years. I feel that in view of the financial achievements made we are entitled to the same privilege enjoyed by all other cities in the Commonwealth."

Mayor Curley asked postponement of consideration of another bill, in which the tax limit on appropriations is fixed by the Legislature, until the committee has disposed of the bill to repeal the tax limit. The Mayor referred to his appearance in connection with the second bill as "the annual pilgrimage which the City of Boston is compelled to make to the Legislature for the purpose of obtaining the necessary money to run its affairs."

After his brief speech the Mayor announced that he was ready to answer any questions, but none of the members of the committee had any questions to ask and the hearing was over quickly.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works to renew sidewalks and stringers, where necessary, at Boylston Street Bridge, with Bridge Service force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$2,400.

MAYOR CURLEY LAUDS BENJAMIN FRANKLIN AS NEW ENGLAND'S MOST FAMOUS SON.

BEFORE THE MEMBERS OF THE FRANKLIN TYPOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY AT THE COPLEY-PLAZA HOTEL, THURSDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 17. CALLS ATTENTION TO QUALITIES OF STURDINESS IN BOSTON'S MOST EMINENT CITIZEN DURING ADDRESS.

The world of the eighteenth century gave to history a long roll of great names, of men famous for their achievements in the arts of peace and war, in letters and philosophy, in science and invention, in diplomacy and statesmanship, varying in accomplishment and celebrity and in merit and acclaim.

Many of these great ones, like Swift, Defoe, Addison, Pope, Johnson and Goldsmith have achieved permanence of fame and become classics in letters; Continental Europe gave a galaxy to fame; and Washington and his companions in the struggle for American liberty and independence have passed into the reverent consciousness of the race all round the earth; yet it is a mere commonplace to say that not one of that long roll of eighteenth century celebrities established a more enduring reputation of genius and greatness, or stamped his name and influence more universally on that and the succeeding ages, than Benjamin Franklin, the son of a humble tallow chandler, born in the town of Boston on the sixth day of January, 217 years ago.

Benjamin Franklin was indisputably the greatest man, the most famous son, New England has given to history; he owed nothing to the adventitious aids of wealth and ancestry; America has no name in her annals more justly famous than his, and he shares with the friend who honored his achievements and revered his talents, George Washington, an eminence in the history of his country and a love in the hearts of his countrymen that increase with the passage of years.

The service that Franklin gave to his country during the Revolutionary struggle for independence and self-government and in the framing of the Constitution and the formation of the Government of the United States were the rounding out and completion of a career of honor and achievement, famous in both the old and new worlds before the shots were fired at Lexington.

He has well been termed "the many-sided Franklin"—his human interests appeared to be as universal as his activities were useful and practical. He was a printer, journalist, author, philosopher, scientist, inventor, statesman, diplomat, democrat and humanitarian. He conquered sophisticated Paris as completely as he dominated provincial Philadelphia; his genius was a species of sublimated common sense; he owed nothing to schools and colleges. Nothing in man or nature was too trivial to escape his inquisitive intelligence; and when we recall the many and various manifestations of his remarkable talents, his serene wisdom, his shrewd simplicity, his unerring "gumption," as New England calls it, we know no man who served his age, his country and his fellow man so wisely, so usefully, so constantly, so successfully.

His versatility touched so many

points, his variety and universality were so infinite that they served to illustrate and emphasize the extraordinary range of his genius.

This man who discovered electricity and formulated the theory upon which modern electrical science and invention are based, who founded the University of Pennsylvania, who unveiled the mystery of the Gulf Stream, found time to add to the domestic safety and comfort of his neighbors by inventing the lightning rod, a mangle to iron clothes, a practical wood stove, a method of abating smoky chimneys, a copying press for letters, and a dozen other inventions and innovations, making the first pair of bifocal spectacles and establishing the first fire insurance company in America.

Naturally in the darkest hour of the Revolution this man, who had helped to organize the Continental Congress, who had counseled the expedition to Quebec under Montgomery, who was the companion and adviser of Washington, who had signed the Declaration of Independence which he had aided Jefferson to write, and whose name and talents were as well known in Europe as in America, was selected to go to France to solicit her aid and alliance. Franklin made a profound impression on Paris by his shrewdness, simplicity and democratic philosophy, and in the face of the opposition of a clever and harassed finance minister secured a treaty of alliance, funds, arms, munitions and an army and navy for the Revolutionary cause that saved it from defeat and made independence possible. He crowned his European service by helping to secure the peace treaty that ended the war and gave birth to the United States.

He returned to his country full of honors to complete his patriotic services and serve in the convention that framed the Constitution of the United States, where his good sense and diplomatic shrewdness accomplished wonders. When the jealous states could not agree upon the form of government and came to a deadlock it was Franklin who abandoned his own idea of a single chamber and brought forward the plan adopted—a Senate with equal representation for each state and a Congress for the people in which representation was based on population, a scheme the historian Parson calls the "happiest political expedient ever devised."

Franklin the philanthropist was engaged in many schemes for the help of other men; he was a constant preacher of thrift as an aid to personal independence, and frugality as a foundation for health and happiness; and he avoided all that smacked of mere charity, being a thorough believer in the value of work, self-independence and self-respect.

Boston, the city of his birth, and Philadelphia, the city of his love and labor, where he sleeps in peace and honor, unvexed by the restlessness of this age, have both benefited by the

benevolence of Franklin, through gifts wisely devised and planned, and splendidly directed and conserved. His is the benevolence that grows increasingly useful with the years, beneficences whose purposes are practical and helpful and which constitute monuments to his wisdom and humanity and promise to be preservative of the fame he so justly earned.

With Washington he shares the affection of his countrymen; and, like the Father of Our Country, his fame, increasing with the years, is limited by no frontier, or race or creed.

Boston does well to honor her great son, since his name represents the highest point the reputation and greatness of New England have touched; and she should learn from the life and achievements of the tallow chandler's son, Benjamin Franklin, that much of the fabric of his achievement lay in his splendid vision, his breadth of activity, his recognition of the oneness and worth of humanity, his love of honesty and justice, his fine democracy and good humored contempt for hypocrisy, intolerance and provincialism.

It is true that he left Boston, the city of his birth, while yet a boy to find a broader and better field for the talents he possessed, and in leaving the narrow and provincial Boston of the middle eighteenth century with its intolerances and restrictions, and carrying his slender fortunes to Philadelphia, he was obeying that gift of vision which possessed him, for the capital of the Colony of Pennsylvania was in that age the biggest and busiest town in Colonial America—had a more cosmopolitan atmosphere, a larger mixture of nationalities and religions, a broader spirit of tolerance and a more intense commercial and maritime activity than Boston. Franklin, who would have been cramped, obstructed and discouraged in Puritan Boston, grew and expanded in Philadelphia, meeting all manner of men there, coming in contact with the freedom of thought and action that were hampered at home and training himself for the broader fields of a wider world beyond the colonies.

Boston may well be proud of producing such a son as Benjamin Franklin; Philadelphia helped to stimulate his growth and mold his character and can have equal pride in him; and America can supplement the pride of his cradle and his training school with the gratitude and reverence she holds for this great American she owes so much to, for Benjamin Franklin was one of the glories of our land as he is one of the greatest figures in the annals of humanity.

MAYOR ENTERTAINS HERO.

Sergt. Samuel Woodfill, "outstanding hero of the world war," was Mayor Curley's guest at luncheon Saturday at the Parker House. Other guests were Col. R. M. Gulick, commanding the marine corps; Gen. Malvern Hill Barnum, Gen. John H. Dunn, State Commander George W. Pratt, G. A. R.; Col. William J. Keville, United States marshal; Capt. Gustave Villaret, Senior Vice-commander Eugene P. Carver, Jr., V. F. W.; Col. George A. Hosley, national chief of staff, G. A. R. President Daniel W. Lane of the City Council was also present, as were members of that body and officers of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

FIRE DEPARTMENT GETS MANY NEW OFFICERS AS INAUGURATION OF TWO-PLATOON SYSTEM GETS UNDER WAY.

MAYOR CURLEY APPROVES OF NUMEROUS APPOINTMENTS MADE BY FIRE COMMISSIONER IN ANTICIPATION OF CHANGES.

Mayor Curley Tuesday, January 15, approved the appointment of the following firemen taken from the head of the civil service list:

TO DEPUTY CHIEF.

Albert J. Caulfield, 18 Mason street, Boston.

Joseph A. Dolan, 16 Tyndale street, Roslindale.

Frank A. Sweeney, 15 Washington street, Dorchester.

TO DISTRICT CHIEF.

Michael J. Teehan, 67 Ceylon street, Dorchester.

Charles H. Long, 3 Longfellow street, Dorchester.

John J. Kelley, 34 Fox street, Dorchester.

Philip A. Tague, 310 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown.

Thomas H. Downey, 22 Chambers street, Boston.

Victor H. Richer, 19 Leroy street, Dorchester.

Patrick J. V. Kelley, 1458 Tremont street, Boston.

William F. Quigley, 2049 Columbus avenue, Roxbury.

Henry Krake, 29 Wrentham street, Dorchester.

Dennis Driscoll, 352 Longwood avenue, Boston.

James Mahoney, 2 Harold park, Boston.

Thomas H. Andreoli, Engine Company 34, Western avenue, Brighton.

Hamilton A. McClay, 201 High street, Boston.

Edward McDonough, 37 Soley street, Charlestown.

Thomas J. Muldoon, 81 Temple street, Dorchester.

James F. Ryan, 107 Adams street, Dorchester.

John F. Watson, Ladder Company 17, 157 Harrison avenue, Boston.

Thomas E. Conroy, 420 Centre street, Jamaica Plain.

PROMOTIONS TO CAPTAINS.

Michael D. Sullivan, Engine Company 8, 133 Salem street, Boston.

Charles A. Thompson, 18 Auburn street, Roxbury.

Joseph W. Shea, 240 Washington street, Brighton.

John H. McLaughlin, 52 Green street, Charlestown.

Edward J. Locke, 60 Tolman street, Dorchester.

Timothy F. Donovan, Ladder Company 17, 157 Harrison avenue, Boston.

George E. Darragh, Engine 11, Byron street, East Boston.

William J. Shepard, Engine Company 29, Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton.

Thomas E. Roach, 23 Monument square, Charlestown.

John H. Leary, 4 Charles street, Boston.

James H. Stout, 53 Pleasant street, Boston.

John F. McDonough, 6 North Mead street, Charlestown.

Samuel A. Dwight, 73 Tampa street, Mattapan.

Anthony J. Burns, 25 Tokio street, Boston.

Patrick J. Ryan, 323 Columbia road, Boston.

Martin F. Conley, 25 Harbor View street, Dorchester.

William A. J. Drinan, 50 Houghton street, Dorchester.

John M. Donovan, 30 Oakview terrace, Jamaica Plain.

James F. O'Connell, 5 King street, Dorchester.

Charles Ingersoll, 45 Adams street, Dorchester.

Napeen Boutilier, 7 Ashburton place, Boston.

Ernest B. Chittick, 933 East Broadway, South Boston.

Dennis J. Bailey, 24 Fenwood road, Boston.

Frank G. Avery, 34 Roseclair street, Boston.

Charles A. Wolfe, Ladder Company 11, Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton.

PROMOTIONS TO LIEUTENANT.

Daniel Martell, 11 Ivory street, West Roxbury.

Carl F. Bode, 23 Codman park, Roxbury.

Edward McNamara, 101 Central avenue, Hyde Park.

John L. Glynn, 21 Kittridge street, Roslindale.

Roger T. White, 8 Akron street, Roxbury.

John F. Good, 45 Linden Park street, Boston.

Patrick Ryan, 269 Sumner street, East Boston.

Thomas F. Ward, 47A Creighton street, Roxbury.

Edward F. McCarthy, 135 Boston street, South Boston.

Daniel J. Leary, 45 Pleasant street, Dorchester.

James J. Harrington, 19 Rowell street, Boston.

William A. S. Hughes, 90 Wyman street, Jamaica Plain.

Edward N. Montgomery, 25 Church street, Boston.

David F. Sheehan, 138 Draper street, Dorchester.

John Lawson, 12 Maple Park, Boston.

William J. Marshall, 4 Short street, East Boston.

Thomas M. Nary, 7 Josephine street, Dorchester.

John J. Sheehan, 98 Etna street, Brighton.

John F. Lawler, 95 McBride street, Jamaica Plain.

John J. Murphy, 18 Sudan street, Dorchester.

Jacob G. Berninger, 38 Neptune road, East Boston.

Thomas P. Lohan, 27 Newcastle road, Brighton.

Peter J. Dunn, 33 Condor street, East Boston.

Dennis J. Coughlin, 834 Dorchester avenue, Boston.

George L. Evanson, Fire Headquarters, Bristol street, Tower 2.

Edward F. Cunniff, 801 East Fifth street, South Boston.

Bartholomew J. Dowd, 15 Johnswood road, Boston.

Thomas F. McGowan, 22 Ellingwood street, Roxbury.

Allen J. Jarvis, 31 Elgin street, West Roxbury.

John J. Rowean, 527 Geneva avenue, Dorchester.

John L. Crimlisk, 33 Champney street, Brighton.

Tracy O. Littlehale, 134 Franklin street, Allston.

Thomas P. Rossiter, 7 Rollins court, Roxbury.

Walter H. Greene, Engine Company 31, East Boston.

Arthur L. Johnson, 12 Winslow street, Hyde Park.

Richard A. Dinin, Jr., 3 Haynes park, Roxbury.

Daniel Crowley, 20 Faxon street, East Boston.

Charles J. Greeley, 9 Hillside street, Roxbury.

Daniel E. Murphy, 51 Baldwin street, Charlestown.

James F. Shea, 1 Highland street, Dorchester.

TRANSFERS IN APPROPRIATIONS.

City Auditor Rupert S. Carven announces the following transfers in appropriations in departments of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk, indorsed by Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox and approved by his Honor the Mayor:

ART COMMISSION.

BOSTON, January 3, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—For the purpose of bringing the salary of the clerk of this commission up to January 31, 1924, I desire to transfer from B-39, \$41.66, to A-1, \$41.66.

Yours respectfully,

THOMAS ALLEN,
Chairman.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 14, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

BOSTON, January 4, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully request that the following transfers be made in the appropriation for the Public Works Department, Central Office:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerks, 4 at \$1,500 to \$1,600 per year, \$33.67, to the appropriation for Civil Service Clerk, 1 at \$2,000-\$2,300 (\$2,500), \$16.67; Clerk, 1 at \$2,100 per year (\$2,300), \$17—\$33.67.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 9, 1924.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request that the following transfer be made in the appropriation of the Fire Department, Wire Division:

From A-1, Personal Service, 6 Inspectors, \$1,700-\$1,800 a year, to A-1, Personal Service, 1 Inspector, \$1,700, \$144.37.

This transfer is necessary in order to provide for the permanent appointment of John S. Dowling, who has been employed in this department as a temporary inspector for about six months. An additional inspector is needed on account of the increased amount of work in this division and Mr. Dowling is well equipped for the work.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 9, 1924.

MARKET DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I most respectfully desire your approval to transfer from A-3, Unassigned, to B-8, Light and Power, \$350.

Respectfully yours,

PATRICK H. GRAHAM,
Superintendent of Markets.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 14, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Division.

BOSTON, January 7, 1924.

To the City Auditor:

Approval is respectfully requested for the following transfers in the appropriation for the Water Division:

From the appropriation for A-1, 2 Clerks at \$1,500-\$1,600 a year, \$290, to the appropriation for B-28, Expert and Architect, \$290.

From A-1, 6 Clerks at \$1,500 a year, \$690, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$690.

From A-1, 1 Clerk at \$1,200 a year, \$100, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$100.

From A-1, 3 Inspectors at \$1,800 a year, \$300, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$300.

From A-1, 4 Inspectors at \$1,600 a year, \$1,000, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$1,000.

From A-1, 4 Inspectors at \$1,500-\$1,600 a year, \$200, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$200.

From A-1, 2 Clerks at \$1,800 a year, \$100, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$100.

From A-1, 1 Constable at \$1,400 a year, \$185, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$185.

From A-1, 4 Emergency men at \$4.25 a day, \$115, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$115.

From A-1, 8 Emergency men at \$4 a day, \$190, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$190.

From A-1, 2 Firemen at \$5 a day, \$200, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$200.

From A-1, 1 Inspector at \$1,600-\$1,800 a year, \$165, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$165.

From A-1, 1 Master Machinist's As-

sistant at \$5.50 a day, \$120, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$120.

From A-1, 29 Mechanics at \$5 a day, \$550, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$550.

From A-1, 15 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$4.75 a day, \$450, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$450.

From A-1, 27 Mechanics at \$4.50 a day, \$1,250, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$1,250.

From A-1, 21 Mechanics at \$4.25-\$4.50 a day, \$200, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$200.

From A-1, 50 Mechanics at \$4.25 a day, \$500, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$500.

From A-1, 1 Messenger at \$1,100 a year, \$500, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$500.

From A-1, 1 Messenger at \$1,000 a year, \$450, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$450.

From A-1, 14 Meter Readers at \$1,500 a year, \$475, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$475.

From A-1, 3 Meter Readers at \$1,300-\$1,400 a year, \$275, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$275.

From A-1, 3 Meter Readers at \$1,300 a year, \$775, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$775.

From A-1, 134 Laborers at \$4 a day, \$1,500, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$1,500.

From A-1, 3 Transitmen at \$1,600-\$1,700 a year, \$100, to Service Mains and Relaying, \$100.

From B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs, \$5, to B-10, Rent and Taxes, \$5.

From F-7, Pensions, \$75, to F-2, Damages, \$75.

Very respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 9, 1924.

REGISTRY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 9, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Please transfer the sum of \$2.25 from Item A-1, 1 Clerk at \$1,200, to Item C-9, Equipment; also the sum of \$9.75 from Item A-1, 1 Clerk at \$1,200, to Item B-39, General Plant.

Yours respectfully,

EDWARD W. MCGLENEN,
City Registrar.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 14, 1924.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 8, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Street Commissioners respectfully requests that the following transfers be made within the maintenance appropriation of the Street Laying-Out Department for the current year:

From B-39, General Plant, to B-3, Advertising, \$100.

From B-39, General Plant, to B-4, Transportation, \$250.

From B-39, General Plant, to D-1, Office Supplies, \$100.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. L. NOYES,
Chairman.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 14, 1924.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 7, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—I respectfully request that the following transfers be made on the budget of this department:

From A-1, 8 Deputy Sealers at \$1,900, to A-1, 2 Deputy Sealers at \$1,600-\$1,800, \$47.17.

This money is needed because of an increase in salary during the year to Deputy Sealer J. J. Martin from \$1,800 to \$1,900.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$18; B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$5.50, to B-39, General Plant Repairs, \$23.50.

This money is to be used to pay outstanding bill for repairs made on sealing instruments used by deputy sealers.

From C-4, Motor Vehicle Equipment, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$200.

Our original estimate for this item was \$3,100 and was cut to \$2,700. The current bills for care and repairs for the month will amount to approximately \$200, and we have but a small balance at present on this item.

From B-4, Transportation of Persons, to B-35, Fees, etc., \$6.

This sum is needed for new registrations for three of the cars for the new year. The original sum of \$44 was necessarily over-expended because of new cars, necessitating a re-registration during the year.

From D-1, Office Supplies, to B-2, Postage, \$2.

This postage item was for postage cars needed in our taxicab work, which was not figured in on our original estimate.

Respectfully yours,

CHARLES B. WOOLLEY, *Sealer.*

These transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 9, 1924.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 458.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Dailey and McDevitt having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Harold F. Alexander of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty on the charge and third specification thereunder and not guilty on the first and second specifications thereunder. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Harold F. Alexander perform one hundred and forty hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 460.

The resignation of Patrolman Gerald W. Garten of Division 9 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, January 14, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

LIST OF PETITIONS FOR HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.

MONDAY, JANUARY 21.

NAME	Location	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Alice C. Crafley.....	810 Parker street.....	14	Two cars.
Mrs. Frederica Drago.....	124 Peters street.....	24	Two cars.
Salvatore Grasso.....	28 Northampton street.....	12	Two cars.
Frank W. Gustafson.....	6 Hopestill street.....	19	Two cars.
John W. Hudson.....	79 Beacon street.....	24	Maintaining two cars.
Arthur F. McIntosh.....	6 Monson street.....	21	Two cars.
Joseph Silk.....	168 Humboldt avenue.....	16	Two cars.
John F. Shaw.....	108 Allston street.....	25	Garage, six units, six cars.
Albert Wittenauer.....	41 Danforth street.....	15	Group garage, nine units, nine cars.
Bernard M. Mullen.....	319-327 Chelsea street, etc.....	2	Public garage and 12,000 gallons gasoline.
William F. Goode.....	264 Huntington avenue.....	7	2,000 gallons gasoline.
Fensgate Realty Company.....	534-538 Beacon street.....	8	3,000 gallons fuel oil.
Goodwin & Harrington.....	971-973 Bennington street.....	1	Acetylene and oxygen.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 459.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Dailey and McDevitt having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Chris Hammerslough of Division 2, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Chris Hammerslough perform thirty-five hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 461.

On October 15, 1923, a band of loft robbers which had come to this city to make a general clean-up was apprehended in the Allen Building, 67 Chauncy street.

The credit for this excellent and clever capture is due to the united and self-sacrificing efforts of officers attached to the Bureau of Criminal Investigation and Division 4. After eleven weary nights of watch their efforts were rewarded by the capture of this clever and dangerous gang of thieves. These men now are serving substantial sentences in State Prison.

I take great pleasure in commending to this department the men who participated in this capture, both because of the intelligence and courage evinced by them and also because of their persistency in seeing through to a successful conclusion a nerve-wracking job; the successful outcome of which at times seemed very discouraging. As an expression of appreciation not only for the cleverness with which this particular piece of police work was completed but also for the additional time given voluntarily by the officers who participated in the capture of these criminals, I grant one week's leave of absence with full pay to the following officers who took part in this arduous and dangerous detail, namely:

Station 4.—Sergt. Andrew J. Hurley, Patrolman William Hartigan, Patrolman Francis I. Mullen, Patrolman Joseph L. Murphy, Patrolman Joseph D. Sullivan.

Bureau of Criminal Investigation.—Inspector Michael J. Burke, Inspector Edward T. Conway, Inspector John A. Dorsey, Inspector Frederick M. Finn, Inspector Stephen J. Flaherty, Inspector Francis P. Haggerty, Inspector Thomas F. Mulrey, Patrolman George V. Augusta, Patrolman Cornelius Ring, Patrolman Joseph E. Rollins.

I also commend Patrolman Joseph S. Desmond of Division No. 20 for thoroughness in the performance of his duty in seeing that information brought to his attention that suspicious persons were hiring offices in the Allen Building was properly received by the officers of Division 4 for investigation, and to said Patrolman Joseph S. Desmond of Division No. 20 I hereby award two days' leave of absence with full pay.

I wish to thank also the superintendent, the chief inspector and Captain Goodwin of Division 4 for the assistance rendered by them in this matter.

The time and order in which the various leaves of absence granted by this order shall be taken will be arranged by the commanding officers of the respective divisions affected.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 462.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman Dailey and Laffey, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Tjeerd J. Jongsma of Division 19, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the Commissioner a finding of guilty with a recommendation that Patrolman Jongsma perform one hundred and thirty-five hours' punishment duty.

The evidence in the trial of the case disclosed that the officer left his route without permission, went on an adjoining route and there entered a closed automobile where he was later discovered by a sergeant.

The offence of neglect of duty in its various phases is to my mind a very serious one; just how serious, I believe some members of the force do not realize. Numerous complaints have come from citizens stating that they have difficulty in finding a police officer when

needed, and the number of complaints coming from commanding officers against patrolmen for failure to pull their "on duty calls" may be taken as indicative of the fact that some of the members of the force are not properly patrolling their routes. Police officers are hired and paid by the citizens of this city to protect persons and property and to prevent crime. It is the duty of police officers to properly patrol their routes, and if they leave them without permission to enter buildings or for other unnecessary causes, not on police business, citizens are not getting the service to which they are justly entitled.

This is the second time that Patrolman Jongsma has been found guilty of this offence. I am of the belief that the punishment duty of one hundred and thirty-five hours, as recommended by the trial board, is not commensurate with the seriousness of the offence charged, and it is, therefore, hereby ordered that Patrolman Tjeerd J. Jongsma perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

I have gone into the question of neglect of duty at some length with the hope that it will serve as a warning to those members of this department who seem to regard this offence lightly. This is not the first time that I have called the attention of the members of the force to this particular offence. Future disregard for this rule, unless some extenuating circumstances are presented in the trial of the case will be cause for dismissal, because I, as Police Commissioner, do not approve of police officers indulging in any such practices.

Division commanders will read in conjunction with this General Order Rule 27, Section 10, and Rule 36, Section 27 of the Rules and Regulations.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

ASSESSMENTS BY THE STREET COMMISSIONERS FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS.

COMMONWEALTH TERRACE.

	Amount.
Bennet Bloomberg	\$132 33
Margaret M. Agnew	162 00
Sarah Finch, ux. Henry.....	192 00
William L. Stone	259 20
Margaret M Ford	220 80
Margaret M. Ford	120 00
Anna E. Coburn	240 00
Alvina C. Wiens	120 00
Alvina C. Wiens	120 00
Clarence W. Bell	120 00
Clarence W. Bell	160 00
Julius Rosen	220 89
Julius Rosen	172 80
Mary E. Mahan	240 00
Anna Walker	240 00
Anna Walker	192 00
Minnie E. Smith, ux. George L.....	240 00
Minnie E. Smith, ux. George L.....	240 00
Arthur R. Baker, Dessa R. Baker.....	192 00
Total	\$3,584 02

GERTRUDE ROAD, WEST ROXBURY.

	Amount.
Jane F. Jacobs.....	\$209 76
Jane F. Jacobs.....	280 14
Jane F. Jacobs.....	279 90
Jane F. Jacobs.....	279 72
Jane F. Jacobs.....	278 34
Marie A. St. Laurent.....	337 20
Jane F. Jacobs.....	165 24
Jane F. Jacobs.....	218 58
Jane F. Jacobs.....	219 12
Jane F. Jacobs.....	220 08
Jane F. Jacobs.....	98 10
Hazen T. Colton, Mary E. Colton.....	194 80
Total	\$2,780 98

ALDORTH STREET.

	Amount.
Emma R. Sprague	\$64 02
Helen W. Colpitts, <i>uz.</i> Guilford W. and Wendell H. Colpitts	309 65
Laura E. Harvey	314 55
Delos J. Bristol, Jr.	226 70
Bert E. Holland, Helen C. Holland.....	226 55
John P. Whitecross	229 95
Emile W. Hurd	228 25
Catherine A. Gillooly, <i>uz.</i> Peter.....	235 25
Maxima R. de Caracashian	242 25
Fred H. and Lena P. Cowan.....	249 25
Mary J. Kelly	250 00
William J. Edward	250 00
Elizabeth O'Sullivan	250 00
Annie Cotter, <i>uz.</i> Cornelius.....	186 66
Margaret Dillaby	123 90
Joseph and Cyrilla R. Green	206 25
Sarah F. Wilson	216 25
Alice F. Godfrey, <i>uz.</i> Benjamin F.....	220 00
Frank F. Whitecross	223 30
Harry M. Gordon, Eugenia M. Gordon, Helene V. Kearney, <i>uz.</i> Walter.....	228 35
Mary J. O'Brien	235 10
Mary H. J. Gilboy	241 85
Edward H. Atherton	249 60
Albert W. Robinson heirs	250 00
Ethelbert V. Grabill, Elizabeth Z. Grabill	250 00
Mary E. Flynn, <i>uz.</i> Jack.....	244 25
Joseph Harriman	180 00
Total	\$6,355 53

CHELSEA STREET, FROM FOSS STREET TO
ADAMS STREET, CHARLESTOWN.

	Amount.
Katherine E. O'Hearn.....	\$374 22
Thomas B. Malley	108 48
Thomas B. Malley	356 16
Francis Raynes heirs.....	180 00
Harry Novick	121 80
Jacob Foss heirs.....	86 59
Jacob Foss heirs.....	253 60
David Mead, Nina Mead.....	74 40
Zenas G. Howland heirs.....	46 17
John Neville	35 49
Addie English	26 70
Harry P. Dodge.....	20 00
Harry P. Dodge.....	30 80
Garrett J. O'Riorden.....	800 00
George F. Mullett.....	153 60
Clara E. Haley	230 00
Clara E. Haley	133 70
Kate E. Crogan heirs.....	348 90
Ellen McArdle	469 44
Patrick J. McArdle.....	603 48
Total	\$4,463 53

PATTERSON STREET, DORCHESTER.

	Amount.
John Henderson	\$227 12
Thomas P. Lockney.....	318 00
Isabella Nicholson	318 00
Patrick Flaherty, Mary Flaherty.....	260 40
Joseph Nicholson	243 68
Isabella Nicholson, <i>uz.</i> John.....	137 04
Isabella Nicholson, <i>uz.</i> John.....	109 59
Thomas Scully	120 90
James McHugh, Ellen McHugh.....	140 52
Catherine F. Kelley.....	150 54
John Roper, Nellie Roper.....	168 06
James McHugh, Ellen McHugh.....	114 00
Total	\$2,307 85

BOULEVARD TERRACE.

	Amount.
Virginia R. Meany	\$139 44
Mary E. Palmer	168 06
Fannie Ruby	280 86
Ray Sudhalter	347 34
Bessie L. McKinney	201 60
Mary B. Edson, <i>uz.</i> Herbert R.....	201 60
Lucielle P. Ballard, <i>uz.</i> Alfred L.....	201 60
Charles G. Andrews	201 60
Harry H. Bedigan	201 60
Charlotte E. Freigang, <i>uz.</i> Edward.....	201 60
George Corodemas	153 60
Florence Kaplan	178 12
Rosie Goldman, Esther Epstein.....	268 80
Emma L. Woodbury, <i>uz.</i> Harlow T.....	240 00
Dennie J. Driscoll	201 60
Joseph M. Druker	201 60
L. Ernest MacKinnon	201 60
Mary E. Hogan	201 60
Mary McNamara	201 60
Lucy A. Nickels	201 60
Lena A. Hawkes, <i>uz.</i> Joseph A.....	153 60
Total	\$4,349 02

AINSWORTH STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

	Amount.
Ellen S. Nelson.....	\$135 00
Ellen E. Kelly.....	131 70
Etta C. Ames.....	151 89
Jessie F. Ames, Mary E. Ames.....	137 13
Total	\$555 72

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved, upon request of the Commissioner of Public Works, the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Dalkeith street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Howard avenue to northwest of Balfour street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway, named Dalkeith street, is hereby laid out, from Howard avenue to northwest of Balfour street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

East by Howard avenue, by two measurements, seven and 94-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and twenty feet radius, and forty-two and 5-100 feet; southwest by the southwesterly line of Dalkeith street, by two measurements, one hundred sixty-one and 44-100 feet and one hundred thirty and 22-100 feet; northwest by the northwesterly line of Dalkeith street as hereby laid out, forty and 7-100 feet; northeast by the northeasterly line of Dalkeith street as hereby laid out, one hundred sixty-five and 17-100 feet; northwest by the northwesterly line of Dalkeith street as hereby laid out, one and 24-100 feet; and northeast by the northeasterly line of Dalkeith street as hereby laid out, one hundred feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Dalkeith street and at the northwesterly end of Dalkeith street will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Dalkeith Street, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, October 11, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Raffaele Frichione	\$160 00
2. Antonette Cuneo	160 00
3. Thomas J. O'Grady.....	223 56
4. Thomas J. O'Grady.....	147 48
5. Sadie Cohen	249 30
6. Samuel Rubin, Sarah Rubin.....	210 54
7. Annie Levin	180 00
8. Dominikas Shaulis, Tafle Shaulis.....	159 84
9. Abraham Sharon	238 14
10. Isidor Lotto	321 36
11. Boston Missionary and Church Extension Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, T.T.	5 16
12. Goldie Novanitsky	131 80
Total	\$2,187 18

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Dalkeith street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Howard avenue to northwest of Balfour street, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

PROCLAMATION BY MAYOR ON
FRANKLIN DAY.

The Mayor issued the following proclamation relative to the celebration of Franklin Day.

Benjamin Franklin, born 218 years ago, on January 17, 1706, in this city, was the greatest, wisest, most useful and most famous man Massachusetts has given to the world and the one to whom, next to Washington and Lincoln, the American people owe the deepest debt of gratitude.

Boston was the cradle of his birth; Philadelphia his training school; two worlds the field of his activities and triumphs. In his day he was a typefounder, inkmaker, bookbinder, engraver, printer, stationer, merchant, bookseller, author, editor, publisher, inventor, scientist, philosopher, philanthropist, diplomat and statesman.

Everything he touched he bettered. No phase of human life and living was deemed unworthy of his thought and action; and the betterment of man and the increase of human good were his constant aims.

Constancy, devotion and sacrifice of self marked the service he gave to man and country, liberty, and good government. He helped to formulate the Declaration of Independence; he aided in securing the Treaty of Alliance with France that made independence possible and the Treaty of Peace with England that made the republic a fact; and he was one of the makers of the Constitution of the United States; and he was the only man in American annals who signed all four of these imperishable historic documents. No man served America better.

Washington, writing to Franklin, said: "If to be venerated for benevolence, if to be admired for talents, if to be esteemed for patriotism, if to be beloved for philanthropy, can gratify the human mind you must know that you have not lived in vain."

Not the least of the sources of pride of this ancient City of Boston is the honor that accrues to her in the name and fame of her incomparably greatest son, Benjamin Franklin.

Therefore as Mayor of Boston I ask my fellow citizens to remember the name and honor the birthday of Franklin by a display of flags from homes and houses; I request the schools of the city to make January 17 a Franklin Day; and I direct that the state and national colors be raised over every public building and schoolhouse on that day; and so testify on the 218th anniversary of his birth our reverence, gratitude and admiration for the character and achievement of Benjamin Franklin.

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

PUTS BLAME FOR PROLIFIC BUSINESS OF BOOT- LEGGING AT DOOR OF REPUBLICAN PARTY.

MAYOR CURLEY REPLIES TO CRITICISM OF POLICE COM- MISSIONER'S COMPLAINT OF LACK OF POLICE AND CALLS LICENSING BOARD REAL SORE SPOT IN THE SITUATION.

I have read the statement given the press by Police Commissioner Herbert A. Wilson, and regret exceedingly that he considered the suggestion for the appointment of an officer of the United States Marine Corps, to take charge of the city's police, as a personal affront to him, or a reflection on his administration of the Police Department. It was intended in a general sense and was a simple statement of fact that is understood and appreciated by every citizen, and more particularly by every man in public life, namely, that a civilian police commissioner whose appointment rests with a political party in power cannot avoid being amenable to conditions political.

It is as true of Boston as it is of New York, San Francisco, or any other city in the country. On the other hand an officer of the Marine Corps granted leave of absence to clean up a city has an absolutely free hand to proceed in such manner as he may deem necessary, without fear of consequences, and an absolute certainty that at the completion of his term of service as police commissioner he can be restored to his former status in the Marine Corps.

Police Commissioner Wilson complains that the courts and the District Attorney hamper his work. Co-operation between the Police Commissioner, the judges of our courts and the District Attorney should be a simple matter to obtain. The majority of the judges now sitting are Republican appointees; the District Attorney originally was a Republican appointee, and surely it should not be a difficult matter to develop that degree of harmony within the Republican party as would make possible the creation of a constructive program through which civic virtue might be enhanced and the onward march of the bootlegger be in a measure retarded.

The Police Commissioner bemoans the fact that he requires 100 additional police officers to harass the bootleggers. Last year provision was made to grant fifty additional police officers for traffic purposes; at that time no mention was made that their services might be required for any purpose other than the handling of traffic. I fear that even though we might add five hundred additional men to the Police Department it would not be productive of the right character of results unless the judges and the District Attorney can be induced to co-operate with the Police Commissioner, as he so well points out.

The real sore spot of the entire situation has been apparently overlooked by the Police Commissioner, and I am curious to ascertain if his failure to refer to the same was due to its political complexion. The Licensing Board, appointed by his Excellency the Governor, and created by the commissioner's political party, the Republican party, expends annually slightly in excess of \$35,000 in the performance of a function that would be unnecessary since the adoption of the Volstead Act, provided the Police Department were as efficient as the Police Commissioner would have the public believe. A recommendation by the Police Commissioner for the abolition of the Licensing Board, and the purchase of about one thousand Yale locks to be placed on the soft drink establishments to which licenses are issued by the lame duck Republican Licensing Board; a better spirit of co-operation between the Republican agencies in control of the enforcement of the Volstead Act in Democratic Boston would in a measure solve the bootlegging problem in our city. Bootlegging in Boston is a Republican proposition and the odium for its continued existence rests with the dominant party in the state.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Carmine Musto, 26 Taft's place, Ward 23, one car additional.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Beech Glen street, Ward 15, three poles (time expired).

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Eustis street, Ward 12, transfer twelve poles.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Wrentham street, Ward 20, remove ten poles.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Englewood avenue, Ward 25, remove ten poles.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Washington street, Ward 21, remove one pole.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, East Fourth street, Ward 10, remove one pole.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Washington street, Ward 23, remove nine poles.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Washington street, Ward 23, remove twenty-one poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Evans road, Ward 25, remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Washington street, Ward 24, remove two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Snow street, Ward 25, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Granger street, Ward 18, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Tebroc street, Ward 18, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Westford street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Baker street, Ward 23, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Pope street, Ward 1, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Havre street, Ward 2, erect six poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Paris street, Ward 2, erect eight poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Burrell street, Ward 12, erect seven poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Washington street, Ward 21, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Metcalf street, Ward 23, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Freeport street, Ward 20, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Canterbury street, etc., Ward 23, erect and remove five poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Conley street, Ward 20, erect two poles, remove three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Redfield street, Ward 20, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, East Fourth street, Ward 10, erect and remove one pole.

Max Annis, 10 and 12 Michigan avenue, Ward 19, maintain one car.

Rubin Handel, 21 Vesta road, Ward 19, one car.

Margaret L. Williams, 175 Cambridge street, Ward 26, one car.

Mary A. Burns, 1658 Columbia road, Ward 10, two cars.

Eunice I. Campbell, 90 Butler street, Ward 21, two cars.

Bridget Connolly, 152 Neponset avenue, Ward 20, two cars.

John H. Graham, 118 Tonawanda street, Ward 19, two cars.

Michal Kostocki, 124 Wood avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

Isaac Sheinberg, 50 Harwood street, Ward 21, two cars.

Bronislaw T. Yurkanis, 1654 Columbia road, Ward 10, two cars.

Otto Buchwald, 217 and 219 Lamartine street, Ward 22, group garage, three units, three cars.

Bella Lewis, 37 Clifford street, Ward 16, maintain three cars.

Charles Marretta, 238 Webster street, Ward 2, group garage, three units, three cars.

Aleck Arenofsky, 20 Kemble street, Ward 12, 500 gallons gasoline.

The Stetson Coal Company, 496 West First street, Ward 9, 500 gallons additional gasoline.

Edward A. Reynolds, 41 Beech Glen street, Ward 15, 500 gallons gasoline, acetylene and oxygen.

H. Aronofsky & Sons, 601 Commercial street, Ward 5, acetylene and oxygen.

L. W. Howard, 88 Commercial wharf, Ward 5, 1,000 barrels lubricating oil, etc.

Caroline B. T. Hastings, 84 Revere street, Ward 8, three bay windows.

Pasquale DeChristoforo, 38 Glendower road, Ward 23, one car.

Chris Fuglesang, 30 Shafter street, Ward 19, one car.

One Hundred Associates, 368 and 370 Fourth street, Ward 10, one car additional.

Joseph Veetso, 141 Beaver street, Ward 24, one car.

Annie Blond, 203 Brunswick street, Ward 20, two cars.

Estate of George E. Brock, 39 Lanark road, Ward 25, two cars.

Annie Dvylinsky, 8 Maple street, Ward 16, two cars.

John T. Kane, 115 H street, Ward 10, two cars.

Hannah Magee, 9 Pond View avenue, Ward 22, two cars.

Frida S. Trolsaas, 31 Shafter street, Ward 19, two cars.

Patrick J. Tuffy, 84 Hamilton street, Ward 18, two cars.

Anthony Yonis *et al.*, 109 Glenway street, Ward 19, two cars.

Margaret L. Spellman, 11 Tafts place, Ward 23, five cars.

Robert T. Paine, 41-55 Beach street, Ward 5, 3,000 gallons fuel oil.

J. W. Greenhalgh Company, 122-126 West First street, Ward 9, 20,000 gallons lubricating oils, etc.

Joseph Hutchinson, 12 Anson street, Ward 22, two cars.

Margaret Harrington, 60 Washington street, Ward 3, group garage, eight units.

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY FRANKLIN EXHIBITION.

The Boston Public Library is commemorating the 218th anniversary of Franklin's birth and the 100th anniversary of the foundation of the Boston Typographical Society by placing on exhibition in the Central Library Building a selection from the unique collection of Frankliniana in the possession of the library. The exhibition includes many rare first editions of Franklin's works, translations into European and Oriental languages, manuscript letters, portraits and prints.

ARMY AND NAVY CO-OPERATION PROMISED FOR G. A. R. CONVENTION IN AUGUST.

Mayor Curley was especially gratified on the evening of January 17 to receive letters from United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Congressman William P. Connery, Jr., and Congressman A. Piatt Andrew, relative to a detail of troops of the United States Army, and the presence of battleships and other vessels of the United States Navy in honor of the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in Boston beginning August 10, 1924.

Senator Lodge advises that he has received a communication from Maj. Gen. A. W. Brewster, U. S. A., Headquarters First Corps Area, at Boston, advising that he will do everything in his power to co-operate with those in charge of the ceremonies, and that he will turn out every available man, gun and band.

Congressman Connery's letter was of similar import.

Congressman A. Piatt Andrew advised Mayor Curley that he had had personal conference with Secretary Edwin Denby of the Navy Department, and was assured that every vessel that the navy has available will be sent to Boston next summer, since he feels that there is no tribute too great that the navy can render to the surviving members of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Senator Lodge, Congressman Connery, and Congressman Andrew have inclosed communications from Hon. John W. Weeks, Secretary of War, relative to the detail of a large complement of troops of the United States Army which will be made by General Brewster.

CITY COLLECTOR BREAKS RECORD FOR TAX COLLECTING.

City Collector McMorrow, due to the tremendous rush upon the part of taxpayers who have failed to properly understand the requirements of the recently enacted law which requires the collection of all taxes levied in the year in which they are levied, found it necessary to extend the time of closing his office until 5 p. m., January 15.

Under the new law any taxes unpaid in excess of \$200 will be subject to 8 per cent interest, if unpaid at five o'clock January 15, and this interest charge dates back ninety days.

That the public realizes the value of saving the interest charge was demonstrated Monday when more than one third of a million dollars was collected.

"I desire," said City Collector McMorrow, "to express my sincere thanks to the press of Boston, not only for the publicity that they have given to the work of my department in the collection of taxes, but also for the protection they have afforded the public in notifying them from time to time with reference to the opportunity for avoiding interest charges."

In addition Collector McMorrow further announced that any payments made by mail, which include the proper amount of interest up to Tuesday, mailed that day and bearing Tuesday's postmark, up to midnight would be accepted without the additional 2 per cent interest.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Grace W. Conant has agreed to accept the sum of \$350 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in and all damages occasioned to her estate on Scott's court by the taking made for playground purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of June 16, 1923.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3:30 o'clock p. m. Mayor James M. Curley is to be one of the January speakers.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

1924.
Jan. 24. A Trip to Palestine. Anton Hanania.
Jan. 31. The Wonders of the Heavens. Rev. Manly Bacon Townsend.
Feb. 7. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
Feb. 14. The Appalachian Mountain Club Huts and Their Relations with the Trampers. Milton E. MacGregor, Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
Feb. 21. A Program for Washington's Birthday. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Charles F. Read, Clerk of the Bostonian Society. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
Feb. 28. The World in its True Colors: A Travel-Talk. Helen Messinger Murdoch, F.R.P.S., illustrated with autochromes taken by the lecturer.
Mar. 6. Italian Gardens. Robert N. Cram.
Mar. 13. The Call of the Mountains. Le Roy Jeffers, Secretary, Associated Mountaineering Clubs of North America; Librarian, American Alpine Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
Mar. 20. Our Guardians of Life and Property. (Motion pictures.) Speakers from the Boston Fire and Police Departments. Boston Conservation Bureau.*

*The programs arranged by the Conservation Bureau of the City of Boston will consist of motion pictures, silent informational screen talks, singing by the audience, and a brief address.

Mar. 27. Browning and Ruskin: Prophets of the Twentieth Century. Agnes Knox Black (Mrs. E. Charlton Black).

Apr. 3. Gothic Grandeur: how Rheims Cathedral was built. Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J.

Apr. 10. The Revelation of Spain. Ralph Adams Cram, Litt.D., LL.D.

Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3:30 O'Clock.

1924.
Jan. 20. The Contemporary Movement in the French Theatre from Antoine to Copeau. Samuel M. Waxman, Ph.D., Professor of Romance Languages, Boston University. (Drama League Course.)
Jan. 27. Adventures of a Sage Brush Tourist in Wyoming. W. Lyman Underwood, lecturer on Industrial Biology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. With lantern illustrations.
Feb. 3. Pirandello and the Modern Italian Theatre. Robert E. Rogers, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. (Drama League Course.)
Feb. 10. Abraham Lincoln. Guy Richardson. With lantern illustrations.
Feb. 17. Organs and Choirs of Greater Boston. Henry C. Lahee. With lantern illustrations.
Feb. 24. Shakespeare's Response to "What the Public Wants." John Livingston Lowes, Ph.L., Professor of English, Harvard University.
Mar. 2. Expressionism in the Theatre. Albert H. Gilmer, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
Mar. 9. Books and Life. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt.D.
Mar. 16. Master Music for Young People. Malcolm Lang. With musical illustrations.
Mar. 23. Fundamentals in the Theatre, Old and New. F. W. C. Hersey, A.M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. (Drama League Course.)
Mar. 30. The Bible in Stained Glass. Joseph G. Reynolds, Jr. With lantern illustrations.
Apr. 6. Recreational Opportunities of Boston. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Mrs. Eva W. White, General Director, Community Service of Boston, Boston Conservation Bureau.*
Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations.
Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A Program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

1924

- Jan. 28. Ruskin in the Life of To-Day. Rev. Joseph P. MacCarthy, Ph.D.
Feb. 8. 105th Anniversary of the Birth of John Ruskin. Speakers: Dr. Payson Smith, Commissioner of Education, Hon. E. C. R. Bagley, Deputy-Commissioner of Corrections; Rt. Rev. Msgr. Arthur T. Connolly; Mr. Charles F. D. Belden; Mr. Harley Perkins, and Mr. Le Barron Cooke.
Feb. 11. The Causes of the American Civil War: Lincoln and Webster. Joseph Whipple.
Feb. 25. Twenty-third Anniversary of the Boston Ruskin Club. Bonnie Scotland: The Land of Broom and Heather. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
Mar. 10. Around the Bay of Naples. Miss Ellen C. Page. Illustrated.
Mar. 24. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry Austin Higgins, Secretary, Massachusetts Prison Association.
Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.
Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)
May 12. Annual Meeting.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Cataumet street, bounded:

Southeast by Pond street, ten and 60-100 feet on a curve of seventy-nine and 75-100 feet radius; southwest by another part of Cataumet street, two hundred sixty-six and 10-100 feet; northwest by the northwesterly line of Cataumet street, ten feet; and northwest by another part of Cataumet street, two hundred sixty-two and 50-100 feet; containing twenty-six hundred and forty-three square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

Two hundred eighty linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 300 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Cataumet street, leading northwesterly from Pond street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of said easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the said improvements.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the easterly, westerly and northerly sides of Cataumet street, excluding the lot at the westerly corner of Cataumet and Pond streets, will receive benefit or advantage other than the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement ordered herein; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 541, Sewerage Works, Cataumet Street, West Roxbury, November 15, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Helen H. Farrington	\$60 00
2. Anna E. Fallon	130 00
3. Joseph Barron	130 00
4. Joseph Barron	200 00
5. Helen H. Farrington	126 00
6. Helen H. Farrington	126 00
7. Helen H. Farrington	108 00
	\$880 00

The Commissioner of Public Works is hereby designated to build the above sewerage works.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 10 TO JANUARY 16.

JANUARY 10.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Max Hurvitz	Rear of 45 Corona street...	18	First-class garage.....	\$800
M. Rotner	27 Goodale road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
M. Rotner	31 Goodale road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
M. Rotner	35 Goodale road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
M. Rotner	39 Goodale road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
Alvina Druwin	24 Walker street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Gerald F. Gavin	Rear of 250 Pond street.....	22	Third-class garage.....	600
David L. Rand	127 Francis street.....	14	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
J. F. Kehoe et al.	80 Neponset avenue.....	20	Alterations, garage.....	35,000
Lancaster Amusement Company.	37 Lancaster street.....	5	Alterations, theatre.....	1,000
Joseph Doherty	73 and 75 Causeway street..	5	Alterations, light manufacturing.	150
Henry L. Abbott	1744 Centre street.....	23	Alterations, office.....	500
Trustees South Street Trust	181-193 Essex street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	400
Harris Poorvu	155 Massachusetts avenue..	7	Alterations, stores and apartments.	100
Evelyn McEnany	Rear of 134 Hancock street.	17	Alterations, assembly hall..	4,000
Dora Brass	67 Pierce street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
Parish of the Advent	30 Brimmer street.....	8	Alterations, church.....	475
Mrs. Alice Leoard	Rear of 33 John A. Andrew street.	22	Alterations, garage.....	150
New Boston Arena.....	238-262 St. Botolph street..	7	Alterations, hall and police station.	1,000
Upham's Corner Market....	600-608 Columbia road....	11	Alterations, market.....	3,450
M. Finkovitch.....	138 Lincoln street.....	5	Erect fire escape.....	500

JANUARY 11.

Knut Blomgren.....	Rear of 33 Rutledge road...	21	Third-class garage.....	\$100
Annie L. Chase.....	125 and 127 Tonawanda st..	19	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Annie L. Chase.....	129 and 131 Tonawanda st..	19	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Annie L. Chase.....	133 and 135 Tonawanda st..	19	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Nathan Goldman	15 School street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	5,000
Julius Goldstein	200 Lincoln street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	30
Andrew Lagamosio	74 Leyden street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Marie Trulsaas	31 Shafter street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	100
Solomon Eiseman	132 Harvard avenue.....	25	Alterations, store.....	250
Hermine Szathmary.....	11 Lincoln street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling and store.	500
L. D. Mason et al.	8 and 10 Greenwich park..	7	Erect fire escape.....	150
M. J. Goode.....	12 and 14 Greenwich park..	7	Erect fire escape.....	150
Meyer Dana.....	16 and 18 Greenwich park..	7	Erect fire escape.....	150
Morris Rudnick.....	1179-1185 Boylston street..	8	Erect fire escape.....	400

JANUARY 12.

Viggo D. Peterson.....	247 Beech street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	\$10,000
Boston & Maine Railroad.	482 Rutherford avenue.....	3	Third-class storage.....	12,500
W. H. Pitkin et al.	284 and 286 Devonshire st..	5	Alterations, store.....	300
Frank Gusino	13 Lincoln street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Mass. Historical Society...	1154 Boylston street.....	8	Alterations, library.....	7,000
E. A. Gillet & Sons.....	286 Rutherford avenue.....	3	Alterations, storage.....	75
Pay estate	55 Purchase street.....	5	Install elevator.....	2,220
Boston Gl. Co.	4 Charles River avenue.....	4	Install elevator.....	2,900
Hungerford Brass Company	411-429 D street.....	9	Install elevator.....	2,600
Trostel Leather Company..	57 South street.....	5	Alterations, elevator.....	1,100

JANUARY 14.

George F. Stebbins, trustee..	591 Albany street.....	6	Alterations, garage.....	\$450
Hutchins & Demmon, trustees.	1 Ashburton place.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	5,000
Gilette Safety Razor Company.	39 and 41 West First street..	9	Alterations, manufacturing..	7,000
R. R. McNutt Corporation..	65-85 Kneeland street.....	5	Take-down, stores and dwellings; six buildings.	1,200
R. R. McNutt Corporation..	32 and 34 Tyler street.....	5	Take-down, stores and dwellings; two buildings.	400
R. R. McNutt Corporation..	33 1/2-43 Hudson street.....	5	Take-down, stores and dwellings; four buildings.	800

JANUARY 15.

David Finkle.....	Rear of 568 Norfolk street..	21	Second-class garage.....	\$1,000
David Finkle.....	Rear of 566 Norfolk street..	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
R. H. Booth Sales Company,	43 and 45 Lansdowne street.	8	Second-class light manufacturing.	30,000
Rose Hoffman	39 Deering road.....	21	Second-class garage.....	2,000
M. A. Christiens	151 Willow street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
John R. Whelan	6 and 8 Walden road.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Theodore Lenz, Jr.	Rear of 21 Sutton street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	100
Stella Flashman	252 Townsend street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
N. Nazzaro.....	129 Eutaw street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling and store.	150
Henry Dakin.....	262 D street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Michael Lucash.....	126 Elm street.....	3	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Henry London.....	25-28 Guild row.....	13	Alterations, stores.....	100
Edward F. Cassell.....	555-561 Talbot avenue.....	20	Alterations, stores.....	200
Miss Lillian K. Walsh	4 Dabney place.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Harry Rubin.....	28 Abbot street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Jacob Albert.....	428 and 430 Massachusetts avenue.	7	Alterations, dwelling and stores.	150
Arthur Wallace.....	160 Tremont street.....	5	Alterations, store and offices.	35,000
Boston Production Company.	80 Summer street.....	5	Install eight dumb waiters...	8,000
W. H. Ballard	104 Hanover street.....	5	Alterations, elevator.....	100
Barry Building Wrecking Company.	63 Alger street.....	9	Take-down, stable.....	125
Barry Building Wrecking Company.	16 Gold street.....	9	Take-down, dwelling.....	250

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 10 TO JANUARY 16.

JANUARY 16.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Manning, Maxwell & Moore,	25 Watson street.....	7	Special smokestack.....	\$1,960
Judson O. Rogers.....	Rear of 22 Westbourne street.	23	Third-class garage.....	450
Rose Sheehy.....	97 Nottingham road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Katherine Crawford.....	Rear of 59 Providence street.	24	Third-class shed.....	500
Kazemar J. Waskkis.....	Rear of 78 Wexford street..	26	Third-class garage.....	250
F. H. Roberts Company.....	128 Cross street.....	5	Alterations, light manufactur- ing.	3,000
Sarah A. Hersey.....	315 Walnut avenue.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,650
H. H. Chamberlain.....	223 and 225 Norwell street..	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Somerset Club.....	42 and 43 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, clubhouse.....	7,000
John J. Conroy.....	120 Parker Hill avenue.....	14	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Harry L. Slobins.....	235 Callender street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Annie Slotnick.....	639 Morton street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	275
Truly Warner.....	137 Summer street.....	5	Erect sign.....	100
Boston Arena.....	238-264 St. Botolph street..	7	Erect fire escape.....	500
M. A. Hann.....	110 Water street.....	4	Erect fire escape.....	450
Frederick Jones.....	115 and 117 Warwick street,	13	Erect fire escape.....	147

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending January 12, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
United States Census Bureau, 776,783.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 185; nonresidents, 40; total,
225.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 15.11; nonresidents deducted,
12.08.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 15.13; corresponding week
last year, 17.88.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 35; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 14; sixty years and over, 84;
total deaths, male, 111; female, 114;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 102;
deaths of colored, 9.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 12, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 13, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	1	—
Diphtheria.....	57	4	75	7
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	—	—
Influenza.....	2	3	35	9
Measles.....	90	—	53	1
Meningitis epidemio.....	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	39	19	58	30
Scarlet fever.....	124	2	56	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	34	12	38	10
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	7	3	3	1
Typhoid fever.....	—	—	—	—
Whooping cough.....	10	1	76	2

* Residents and nonresidents included.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of
the Board of Street Commissioners for
the taking of land for sewerage works
the lands, rights and easements herein-
after described.

The right and easement is taken to
lay and maintain sewerage works in the
following described lands exclusive of
any interest in trees, buildings or other
structures standing thereon, reserving to
the owners thereof the right to use the
lands for any purpose except such as
may injure or obstruct said works, and
except for placing or maintaining any
structure on said lands not authorized in
writing by the Mayor of said city; trees,
buildings or other structures standing
upon or affixed to the land in which an
easement is hereby taken are to be re-

moved therefrom within sixty days fol-
lowing a notice of the city's intention to
enter upon said taking for the purpose of
constructing said sewerage works. Said
lands are in that part of Boston former-
ly Dorchester and are bounded as
follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown,
being part of the private way known as
Lenoxdale avenue, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinafter de-
scribed as taken from owners unknown
(Milton street), six feet; northeast by
another part of Lenoxdale avenue, one
hundred thirty-two and 99-100 feet;
southeast by the same, six feet; and
southwest by the same, one hundred
thirty-three feet, containing seven hun-
dred and ninety-eight square feet, more
or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, be-
ing part of the private way known as
Milton street, bounded:

Southeast by land hereinbefore de-
scribed as taken from owners unknown
(Lenoxdale avenue), six feet; south by
another part of Milton street, twenty-
seven and 10-100 feet; northwest by
taking made for sewerage purposes in
Milton street by the City of Boston
July 10, 1907, nine and 57-100 feet; north
by another part of Milton street,
twenty-two and 51-100 feet; and north-
east by the same, two and 87-100 feet;
containing one hundred and fifty-seven
square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed
are as follows: 160 linear feet of 10-inch
pipe sanitary sewer, in the above de-
scribed premises, being part of the pri-
vate way known as Lenoxdale avenue,
leading southeasterly from Milton street
for a distance of about 133 feet, and
part of the private way known as Milton
street, adjoining Lenoxdale avenue.

Betterments are to be assessed for the
making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person
sustains damages in his estate by the
taking of the aforesaid easement and
construction of said sewerage works and
awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates
that the lots of abutting land on the
northeasterly side of Lenoxdale avenue,
near the corner of Milton street, now or
formerly owned by Jennie F. Gallagher
and Sarah C. Munier, and the lot of
abutting land on the southwesterly side
of Lenoxdale avenue, near the corner of
Milton street, now or formerly owned
by Percy and Catherine Kenney, will
receive benefit or advantage, other than
the general advantage to the community
from the improvement herein ordered,
each of the particular lots to the amount
respectively set against it herein; said
lots and the supposed owners thereof
being shown on a plan marked "City of
Boston, Plan No. 542, Sewerage Works,
Lenoxdale Avenue, Dorchester, Decem-
ber 8, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engi-
neer, Street Laying-Out Department,"
and on file in the office of said depart-
ment.

Lot.	Amount.
2. Jennie F. Gallagher.....	\$80 86
3. Sarah G. Manier.....	80 00
5. Percy and Catherine Kenney.....	89 62
	<u>\$250 48</u>

The Commissioner of Public Works is
hereby designated to build the above
sewerage works.

TAKE LAND FOR SCHOOL.

The Mayor has approved the vote of
the Schoolhouse Department to request
the Board of Street Commissioners to
take, for an addition to the yard of
the Henry Vane School, a certain piece
or parcel of land in the Robert G. Shaw
District, bounded and described as fol-
lows:

Beginning at a point on Gardner street
at the southwesterly corner of land of
the City of Boston occupied by the
Henry Vane School, thence westerly by
line of Gardner street 50 feet; thence
northerly by land of Welch 150 feet to
Dunwell street; thence easterly by
line of said street 50 feet to land of City
of Boston; thence southerly by land of
city 150 feet to the point of beginning;
and contains 7,500 square feet of land.
Be all said measurements, more or less.

REMARKS OF E. MARK SULLIVAN, CORPORATION COUNSEL, CITY OF BOSTON, BEFORE INTER-STATE COMMERCE COMMISSION, WASHINGTON, D. C., JANUARY 8, 1924, ON THE CONSOLIDATION OF NEW ENGLAND RAILROADS.

GENTLEMEN OF THE COMMISSION.—In this hearing I appear in the capacity of Corporation Counsel for the City of Boston, and with the approval of his Honor the Mayor of that city, James M. Curley. Your commission has before it the report of the Joint New England Railroad Committee to the governors of the New England states. In it you will find invaluable assistance. I am frank to say that upon it is premised what I shall say. That report is, of necessity, so voluminous, inclusive of so many, many matters of strictly railroad technique, financing and management, and contains so many recommendations in alternative form for the solution of our railroad situation in New England, that I may not say that Mayor Curley of Boston has given it his unqualified approval.

No man who has given to this complicated question less study than have the members of that New England Railroad Committee and who is admittedly not a railroad man, can hope to lend force to this committee's recommendations, either before this Honorable Commission or the public of the New England states, by the bald assertion that he accepts without reservation their every conclusion of fact and every recommendation. Such a compliment is so indiscriminating, so unintelligent, as to savor of flattery rather than of effective commendation. Much, therefore, that I shall say here will represent only the conclusions of my own mind; yet my authorized presence here clearly indicates the confidence and esteem in which the members of the New England committee are held by the Mayor of Boston.

We come before your commission with a full appreciation of its jurisdiction and power. What you shall conclude within the strict exercise of your authority will be more than recommendatory and permissive in form; coming from this high commission with all its discretionary powers over the rates and operations of the railroads of this land, your conclusions will, in force and effect, be directive, if, indeed, not compelling. For this reason, we of New England are greatly concerned how this commission shall resolve the immediate issue before it.

What is this immediate issue? It is: Shall there be any further consolidation of the New England railroads with outside trunk lines? I appear here in support of the negative of this issue. In a matter so fundamental, so vital to the interests of my city, my state, our New England, one need not be a railroad man to speak with sense and weight upon this question.

New England, by reason of its geographical position and the rate strictures imposed upon it, is not trunk-line territory; it is terminal territory. It originates and receives freight. Thanks to the preferential differential enjoyed by the ports of Philadelphia and Baltimore, no great trunk lines are clamoring for a seaboard gateway on New England's well-

indented coast line that projects itself two and three hundred miles farther out into the Atlantic than any other American ports, with arms outstretched, ready to receive that share of the world's commerce that God and nature intended for it, but which, by the more potent mandates of arbitrary governmental interference, at the peril to even safe navigation, must go to the very head of tide waters to deliver its cargo to some inland city.

We have one trunk line connection now, the Boston & Albany with the New York Central. The Boston & Albany Railroad is self-sustaining and might well exist independent of its trunk line connection with the New York Central. It gets nothing from this trunk line connection it might not well expect to receive under different circumstances. To be sure the New York Central wishes this New England connection to prosper; but it is its secondary concern only. It is quite apparent that the chief concern of the New York Central is to siphon as much of the western traffic into New York as possible. The Port of Boston is fast growing lean and poor in the role of supernumerary to this trunk line and its principal port.

From the tenacity with which the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroads hold onto the discriminatory freight differentials to their several port terminals, we of New England have no right to expect that by trunk line connection of our roads with either or both of these lines, will New England become anything more than branch line territory.

The two principal railroad systems of New England are at present badly in need of financing, it is true. Because they have been robbed and sandbagged by outside manipulators, the self-respecting people of New England are not going to permit the legitimate offspring of their genius, industry and enterprise, to become orphaned by some cold and calculating stepmother. These children of our genius have inherited estates of vast amplitude and wealth. This inheritance must be preserved to them. It shall not be bartered for a mere mess of pottage.

With, or without local consolidation, the New England roads are now of but little value and profit either to themselves or to other roads. They must first be rehabilitated. And I have faith that they will be. The billion and one half dollars of wealth of municipal Boston will be organized behind them; so even will be the three billions of dollars of metropolitan Boston and the ten billions of dollars of entire New England.

It will not be done with the prodigality and injustice to the public that characterized the rehabilitation of the Boston Elevated system, but it will be done, and done with equal effectiveness. The cities of metropolitan Boston have, by direct taxation of themselves and by increased rates, put into their Elevated Railroad system, within the last four years, over twenty millions of dollars. So that to-

day we have the best and soundest street railway in this country, paying the highest wages and giving the best quality of service.

The great City of Boston, which I have the honor to represent, has alone invested in its subways, available for its street car transportation, over \$41,000,000; and through the enterprise of its Mayor is now about to extend its rapid transit lines of the Elevated system over or parallel with suburban railroad lines at an additional cost to the city of over eight million dollars. The great Commonwealth of Massachusetts under its then governor, the honored President of these United States, helped to rehabilitate the finances of the Boston Elevated Railroad by taking over its Cambridge tunnel at any expense to itself of eight million dollars.

Do you commissioners despair of the future of the New England railroads, in the light of what that section of our country has achieved? The New England railroads are not to be offered for sale to outside customers as damaged goods. They are to be retained by New England for service to New England and to the country.

With the assent and approval of this commission, we in New England shall retain the ownership of our railroads. Not that we may be independent of the trunk lines, but rather, not being groveling dependent, we may the better co-operate with them and co-ordinate our service with theirs. We of New England envy not, nor with suspicion regard, the zeal with which other cities and sections of the country seek to advance their local interests. We of New England admire it; we emulate it; in very truth this enterprise and industry is born of the loins of the adventurous pioneers and of the capital of New England by which these great trunk line railroads were built. It behooves every community to trim its own vineyards. New England is prepared to do no less for itself.

LAND-TAKING IN ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Mark street, Roxbury district, as a highway, from Day street southeasterly, bounded and described as follows:

A highway, named Mark street, is hereby laid out from Day street southeasterly, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

West by Day street, by two measurements, three and 51-100 feet and thirty-six and 49-100 feet; north by the northerly line of said Mark street as hereby laid out, two hundred two and 74-100 feet; east by the easterly line of said Mark street as hereby laid out, forty and 4-100 feet; and south by the southerly line of said Mark street as hereby laid out, two hundred four and 38-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Mark street and the lot of abutting land at the easterly end of Mark street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Mark Street, Roxbury, Assessment Plan, October 11, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Martha Sperber	\$87 96
2. Martha Sperber	156 80
3. Mary Burke	156 96
4. Jennie Apolon	156 96
5. Catherine Bohen	156 96
6. George J. Becker.....	156 96
7. Catherine Coyle	145 92
8. Nishan C. Arabian.....	91 26
9. David O. Herne.....	108 32
10. Shelton Barry	105 12
11. August Reis, Charlotte Reis.....	247 20
12. William Conry	250 80
13. Ida F. Brigham.....	200 00
	\$2,021 22

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Mark street, Roxbury district, as a highway, from Day street, southeasterly, under the order of the Board and awards no damages therefor.

LAND-TAKING IN BOSTON PROPER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land and buildings on the southwesterly side of Berkeley street, Boston proper, between Stuart street and Stanhope street, containing 17,254 square feet, more or less, for police headquarters building purposes, as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Park Square Real Estate Trust, bounded:

Northeast by Berkeley street, one hundred twenty-one and 75-100 feet; southeast by Stanhope street and by common passageway, by two measurements, sixty-one and 16-100 feet and sixty-five and 76-100 feet; southwest by land supposed to belong to Edison Electric Illuminating Company, one hundred and fifty feet; and northwest by Stuart street, one hundred and twenty feet; containing seventeen thousand two hundred and thirty-four square feet, more or less.

Said parcel is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Stuart Street, Berkeley Street, Stanhope Street, Boston Proper, December 26, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned estate sustains damages by the taking made for police headquarters building purposes on the southwesterly side of Berkeley street, Boston proper, between Stuart street and Stanhope street, under the order of the Board, in the amount hereinafter set against it, and awards said amount therefor.

Park Square Real Estate Trust,
17,234 square feet and building.....\$387,765 00

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 10 TO JANUARY 16.

JANUARY 10.				
PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. I. Weiss.....	34 Wolcott street.....	19	New fixtures.....	\$350
David B. Karger.....	13 Westcott street.....	19	New fixtures.....	200
W. J. Cronin.....	1089 Tremont street.....	13	New fixtures.....	45
William B. Johnson.....	446 Tremont street.....	6	New fixtures.....	250
Arthur H. Smith.....	7 Thornley street.....	11	New fixtures.....	900
George C. Torngren.....	14 Lane park.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
J. W. Foster.....	24 Wade street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
M. T. Kelly.....	11 Tileston street.....	5	New fixtures.....	300
Andrew J. Callahan.....	209 State street.....	5	New fixtures.....	400
Robert A. Matthews.....	1 Silva place.....	16	New fixtures.....	600
Samuel Segel.....	379A Harrison avenue.....	6	New fixtures.....	50
William N. McKenna.....	68 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	330
Max H. Cohen.....	424 Seaver street.....	19	New fixtures.....	2,000
JANUARY 11.				
Robert A. LaCentra.....	7 Otis street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$100
John J. Vogel.....	558 Lj Grange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	850
Alexander Campbell.....	24 Helena road.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,400
F. H. Densmore.....	509 East First street.....	9	New fixtures.....	837
John J. Vogel.....	1581 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	850
Edward J. Piotti.....	19 Boston street.....	11	New fixtures.....	100
JANUARY 12.				
William E. Maynard.....	84 State street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$1,000
D. J. Rull.....	45 L street.....	9	New fixtures.....	650
M. T. Kelley.....	215 Gladstone street.....	1	New fixtures.....	1,000
John J. Vogel.....	6 Corinth street.....	23	New fixtures.....	70
H. S. Trethewey.....	19 and 21 Corinth street.....	23	New fixtures.....	75
JANUARY 14.				
Edward J. Roach.....	82 Hewlett street.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$800
Edward J. Roach.....	82 Forest Hills street.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,100
P. M. Donoghue.....	175 Adams street.....	18	New fixtures.....	2,000
K. W. McManus.....	102 Tonawanda street.....	19	New fixtures.....	200
JANUARY 15.				
A. I. Weiss.....	24 Warren avenue.....	4	New fixtures.....	\$125
P. J. Finnerty.....	5 Richfield street.....	18	New fixtures.....	430
Cornelius Mahoney.....	455 and 457 Main street.....	3	New fixtures.....	900
Harry J. Bimbach.....	889-899 Dorchester avenue.....	11	New fixtures.....	300
C. J. Murphy.....	226 Bunker Hill street.....	3	New fixtures.....	75
P. H. McCormack.....	56 Belmont street.....	3	New fixtures.....	350
Joseph Adams.....	3 Ardmore road.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
Joseph Adams.....	5 Ardmore road.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
JANUARY 16.				
William G. Newman.....	Rear of 3600 Washington st.....	22	New fixtures.....	\$300
William J. O'Brien.....	257 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	400
Arthur Stein.....	165 Perham street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
Rudolph O. Madri.....	130 Roslindale avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	900
John R. Barrett.....	170 Shawmut avenue.....	6	New fixtures.....	50
H. H. Rice.....	565 Tremont street.....	7	New fixtures.....	250
B. A. MacDonald.....	20 Gilman street.....	24	New fixtures.....	750
R. Hoffman.....	106 Floyd street.....	21	New fixtures.....	800
Bernard T. Clancy.....	28 Carver street.....	8	New fixtures.....	100
Arthur Stein.....	261 Belgrade avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
Arthur Stein.....	263 Belgrade avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
John C. Kelly.....	42 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	800
John J. Vogel.....	539 La Grange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	485
William F. McAuliffe.....	336 K street.....	10	New fixtures.....	440
Samuel Gilman.....	171 Glenway street.....	19	New fixtures.....	900
David H. Lane.....	20 Lawrence avenue.....	18	New fixtures.....	140
Samuel Gilman.....	1 Gloucester place.....	6	New fixtures.....	900
Abraham Kellein.....	683 Tremont street.....	7	New fixtures.....	300
A. J. Cooper & Son Company.....	1326 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	385

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending January 12, 1924.

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
S. & R. J. Lombard.....	281 Rutherford avenue.....	3	Stable.	

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

DIRECTOR OF AQUARIUM, BOSTON PARK DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 23, 1924.

The salary is \$1,700 per year.

The duties of this position are to act as executive head of the Aquarium at South Boston; to see that the tanks are filled with desirable specimens, and that they are kept in good physical condition; to see that the building is kept in good order; to keep records of the work accomplished, and be familiar with the performance of every detail of the operation of the Aquarium. Applicants must have a general knowledge of fish and aquatic life, such as aquatic mammals, invertebrates, batrachians, plants, etc.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

CLERICAL SERVICE, STATE AND CITIES, JANUARY 26, 1924.

This is the regular examination for the clerical service of the state and of all cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. On January 12 the examination will be held in Boston, and all persons who reside within commuting distance will be notified for examination on this day. On January 26 the examination will be held in various centrally located cities. Certification may be made from the eligible lists established by this examination for office, institutional, or other positions of a similar nature at the discretion of the Commissioner of Civil Service. Special qualifications in bookkeeping, stenography, typewriting, cataloguing, filing, etc., and in foreign languages may be recognized by the commissioner in certifying persons for positions demanding such qualifications. Persons qualifying in the examination may have their names placed on the state list as well as on the list for the city or town in which they reside.

This examination will be given to fill positions in all grades of the clerical service except Grade V (chief clerk, secretary). All applicants will be given the same examination, and will be placed on the list in the order of marks received, and will be certified for any and all clerical positions in the order of standing on the list unless in the opinion of the Commissioner of Civil Service the mark attained is lower than is proper for the particular position to be filled.

All applicants will be marked on each subject of the examination, and will be given a general average on such marks according to the following schedule: Training and experience, 5 points; spelling, 2; letter writing, 2; arithmetic (multiplication, division and decimals, 1; arithmetic (problems), 1; word knowl-

edge, 1; sentence meaning, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15.

Each applicant will be sent an "experience sheet" with proper instructions for stating his education, training, and experience.

The passing mark for clerical examinations will be 65 per cent in general average.

The usual entrance salary for clerks ranges from \$720 to \$1,200 per year. For positions paying \$1,200 or more, only clerks who receive a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience will be certified.

Sample questions for clerks available.

FIRST ASSISTANT APOTHECARY (MALE), BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, FEBRUARY 1, 1924.

The salary is \$22 a week and maintenance. This examination is open to men and women, but the present vacancy is for a man.

Applicants must be not less than twenty nor over forty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application. Applicants must be registered assistant pharmacists under the State Board of Registration in Pharmacy.

Applicants must have three years' experience in the drug business and some experience in prescription work. They should have a knowledge of apothecary weights and measures, the metric system of weights and measures, and a general knowledge of percentage in making solutions.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cents in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 26 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, i. e., adjacent to Boston, are these, viz., Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston

shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and 45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has 44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water District, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, viz., the Fire Prevention District, was organized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston" but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates, the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or

\$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921, and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$846,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products; (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

STATE DEPARTMENTS AS REORGANIZED.

By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the executive and administrative functions of the State, except those pertaining to the Governor and the Council and others performed by officials serving under them, were redistributed so as to be comprised in twenty principal departments, viz.: Dept. of the Secretary, of Treasurer and Receiver-General, Auditor, Attorney-General, and the following new departments: Of Agriculture, Conservation, Banking and Insurance, Corporations and Taxation, Education, Civil Service and Registration, Industrial Accidents, Labor and Industries, Mental Diseases, Correction, Public Welfare, Public Health, Public Safety, Public Works, Public Utilities and Metropolitan Commission.

The work of the decennial census, formerly done by Bureau of Statistics, was placed in charge of Dept. of the Secretary; that of forestry, fisheries and game and animal industry went to Dept. of Conservation; of Board of Conciliation and Arbitration, Minimum Wage Commission, the divisions of Bureau of Statistics concerned with labor and manufacturers, also public employment offices, etc., to Dept. of Labor and Industries; of State Board of Charity, Homestead Commission, trustees of State Infirmary and State Farm, etc., to Dept. of Public Welfare; of District Police, with building and boiler inspection, etc., also Fire Prevention Commissioner, to Dept. of Public Safety; of Mass. Highway Commission, with registration and regulation of motor vehicles, also Commission on Waterways and Public Lands, to Dept. of Public Works; of Public Service Commission, with regulation of steam railroads, electric railways and telephone service, also Gas and Electric Light Commission, to Dept. of Public Utilities; of Metropolitan Park Board and Water and Sewerage Board to a single Metropolitan Commission. This reorganization went into effect Dec. 1, 1919, the appointment of the 64 new officials required having been made by the Governor in November. Many of these appointees held similar positions prior to the consolidation. Most of the new departments are under the control of a single head called Commissioner.

GOLD MONEY IN UNITED STATES AND OTHER COUNTRIES.

Reported by Director United States Mint as follows: (1) United States, \$2,-

901,252,000 or 35.18 per cent of total for 48 countries, viz., \$8,245,826,000; (2) Great Britain, \$804,232,000 or 9.75 per cent; (3) France, \$685,517,000 or 8.31 per cent; (4) Japan, \$645,486,000 or 7.83 per cent; (5) Argentina, \$494,438,000 or 6.00 per cent; (6) Spain, \$473,762,000 or 5.75 per cent; (7) Russia, \$300,000,000 or 3.64 per cent; (8) Germany, \$260,028,000 or 3.15 per cent; (9) Holland, \$255,729,000 or 3.10 per cent.

CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COMMITTEES.

CITY HALL, January 15, 1924.

The Committee on Jitney Licenses will give a public hearing on Monday, January 21, at 3.30, at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on the petition of Abraham S. Caplan for license to operate motor vehicles from Park square to Franklin Park and return.

By order of the Committee.

JOHN E. BALDWIN,

(Jan. 19.) Clerk of Committees.

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HEATING SYSTEM FOR TWO ADDITIONAL TIERS OF STEEL BRACKET STACKS.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for a complete heating system for the two additional tiers of steel bracket stacks for the Central Library Building, Copley square, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company therefor in a sum not less than 25 per cent of the contract price. Only proposals in form obtained at the office of the architects, Fox & Gale, 3 Hamilton place, Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, January 30, 1924, at the office of the Trustees, Central Library Building, Copley square, with a certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100), payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all proposals, and to accept any proposal, if it shall be deemed for the interest of the city so to do. Specifications and drawings (with forms of proposal and contract) may be obtained of the architects as above on and after Monday, January 21, 1924.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,

by ARTHUR T. CONNOLLY, President.

(Jan. 19-26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING COMPOSITION CASTINGS

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, for 13,000 pounds, more or less, No. 1 composition castings; 25,000 pounds, more or less, No. 2 composition castings; 8,500 pounds, more or less, No. 3 composition castings. Blank proposals to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above-named office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Monday, January 28, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of his bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(Jan. 19.)

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR NEW PIPING FOR SALT WATER SYSTEM AT THE AQUARIUM, MARINE PARK, SOUTH BOSTON.

Proposals on blanks to be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, for new piping for salt water system at the Aquarium, Marine Park, South Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 m. on Thursday, January 31, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of \$3,000, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(Jan. 19-26.)

Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR DREDGING DOCK AND REPAIRING WHARF OF ENGINE 31, NORTH END PAVING YARD.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, office 60 Bristol street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for dredging dock and repairing wharf of Engine 31, North End paving yard, and giving bond thereof of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, after Tuesday, January 15, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Dock for Engine 31" and left at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, before 12 o'clock m. on Thursday, January 24, 1924, with a certified check for one thousand (1,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

Boston, January 8, 1924.

(Jan. 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, January 10, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and building situated on Gardner and Dunwell streets, West Roxbury district, adjoining the Henry Vane School, supposed to belong to heirs of Thomas F. Welch, containing approximately 8,000 square feet, for school purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of January 29, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Jan. 19.)

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

WIRE DIVISION—FIRE DEPARTMENT.
(60 Bristol Street.)

NOTICE.

By authority vested by chapter 196 of the Acts of 1921, the streets, avenues or parts thereof in the City of Boston prescribed for the calendar year, namely, 1924, within which any pole or structure used in streets for the support of wires, cables, conductors, etc., and all wires, cables, conductors, other than those exempted by chapter 347 of the Acts of 1908, shall be removed or placed underground, are as follows:

Roxbury—Massachusetts avenue, from Southampton street to New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Midland Division).

Dorchester—Standard street, from River street, a distance of 900 feet, Talbot avenue, from Washington street to Dorchester avenue. Park street from Washington street to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Midland Division).

South Boston—I street, from East First street to Broadway. West First street, from Dorchester avenue to New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

East Boston—Porter street, from Bennington street to Bremen street. Maverick street, from Maverick square to Lamson street.

Charlestown—Medford street, from Cook street to Main street. Chapman street, from Main street to Austin street. Prospect street, from Chelsea street to Tremont street. Bunker Hill street, from Monument street to a point 175 feet beyond Short street.

Making a total distance of four miles, as provided by law.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.
Boston, January 8, 1924. (Jan. 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS TO PARIS STREET GYMNASIUM, EAST BOSTON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for repairs to Paris Street Gymnasium, East Boston. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Repairs to Paris Street Gymnasium, East Boston," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, January 24, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman,*
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(Jan. 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING X-RAY FILMS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the various city departments X-ray films as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bid will be publicly opened and read Monday, January 28, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(Jan. 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GAUZE, BELLEVUE ROLLS AND ABSORBENT COTTON.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the various city departments:

Gauze,
Bellevue rolls,
Absorbent cotton,
Bandages,
Absorbent waste,

as per specifications to be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the above-mentioned office, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$300, will be received at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Tuesday, January 29, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(Jan. 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CONTRACTORS FOR HARDWARE.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required or necessary for the complete equipment of the elementary school, Francis Parkman District, Northbourne road and Nathan street, Forest Hills, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m., of Tuesday, January 29, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$510, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Multilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(Jan. 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR HARDWARE—OIL, SHEET, STAINS, ETC., FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the supply room materials as per schedule. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, January 28, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$50, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for not less than 25 per cent of the amount of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept such as may be deemed best for the interests of the city, and bids are to be made on these conditions. All bids are received and accepted subject to the making of sufficient appropriation by the School Committee to meet the cost of this material.

WILLIAM T. KROUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(Jan. 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CONTRACTORS FOR HARDWARE.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required or necessary for the complete equipment of the elementary school, Bennett District, Faneuil and Oakland streets, Brighton, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, January 29, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Multilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(Jan. 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for the construction and completion of a signal apparatus building in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue, Ward 7, Boston, according to plans and specifications, and giving a bond of a surety company therefore, satisfactory to the Commissioner, in the sum of \$75,000. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon, on February 6, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$2,500, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, and marked "Proposal for Signal Apparatus Building in the Fenway, Ward 7." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above; the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time of the opening of the bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest. A deposit of \$10 will be required for a set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

(Jan. 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRIC LIGHTING SYSTEM FOR TWO ADDITIONAL TIERS OF STEEL BRACKET STACKS.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for a complete lighting system for the two additional tiers of steel bracket stacks for the Central Library Building, Copley square, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company therefor in a sum not less than 25 per cent of the contract price. Only proposals in form obtained at the office of the architects, Fox & Gale, 3 Hamilton place, Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, January 30, 1924, at the office of the Trustees, Central Library Building, Copley square, with a certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100), payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all proposals, and to accept any proposal, if it shall be deemed for the interest of the city so to do. Specifications and drawings (with forms of proposal and contract) may be obtained of the architects as above on and after Monday, January 21, 1924.

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(Jan. 19-26.)

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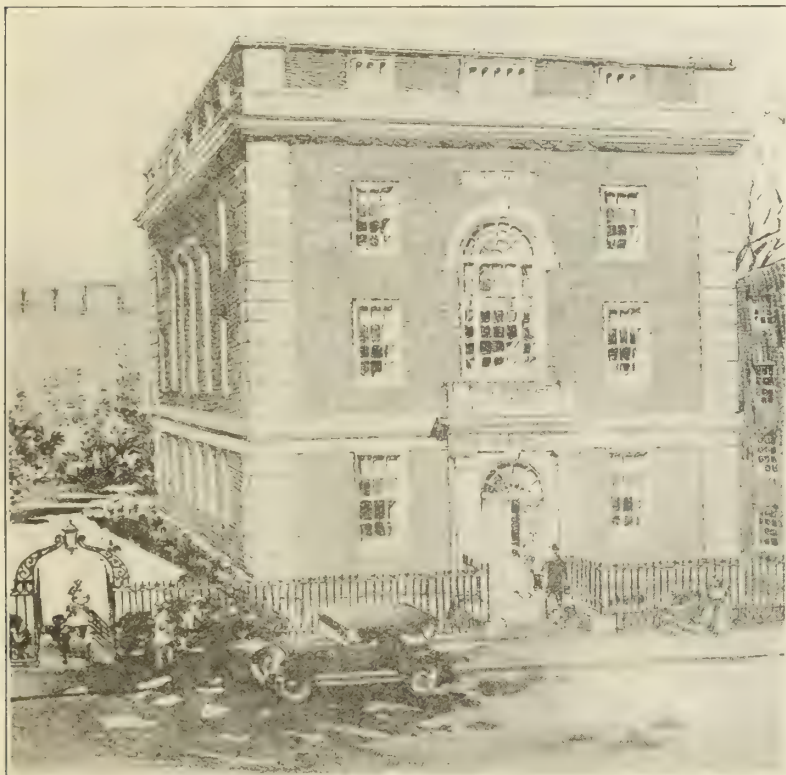
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CORNER STONE OF NEW HEALTH UNIT IN NORTH END TO BE LAID THURSDAY, JANUARY 31.

ELABORATE CEREMONIES PLANNED TO COMMEMORATE CELEBRATION OF EVENT, WITH DISTINGUISHED MEN TAKING PART—BUILDING RESULT OF GENEROSITY OF ONE OF BOSTON'S EMINENT CITIZENS, THE LATE GEORGE R. WHITE.



BOSTON'S FIRST HEALTH UNIT IN NORTH END, CORNER STONE OF WHICH IS TO BE LAID THURSDAY, JANUARY 31.

With elaborate ceremonies the corner stone of Boston's first health unit in the North End is to be laid on Thursday, January 31. Those who will take a leading part in the ceremonies will be former Mayor Thomas N. Hart, Mayor James M. Curley, Dr. Francis X. Mahoney and George Cheever Shattuck of the Boston Health League. The erection of this building, one of a number by which it is planned to make Boston the healthiest city in the world in its congested districts, has been a source of great pride to Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, and the trustees of the George R. White Fund.

The trustees of the George Robert White Fund awarded contracts for the construction of the first health unit at the North End on February 8 last, and it was then expected that the demolition of

Police Station No. 8 and the erection of the new building on its site would be immediately commenced. However, protests were made by various residents and welfare workers of the North End as to the inadvisability of locating the health unit at the corner of Commercial and Battery streets as planned, they claiming that the location selected was on the edge of the district and that the site occupied by the Beth Israel Synagogue on Baldwin place would be more central and far better meet the requirements of the district.

After much careful consideration, including conferences with the various welfare societies working at the North End, the trustees on June 12 voted to approve the site of the synagogue mentioned, together with estates 41-45 North Margin street, as a desirable site for the establish-

ment of the first health unit, in place of the one previously selected, provided proper titles might be obtained of the same.

Invitations have been sent to members of the City Council, various prominent leaders in civic and political affairs of the city, representatives of the Boston Health League, the clergy, institution physicians, heads of settlement houses, heads of dispensaries, members of the press and relatives of the late George R. White because of whose beneficence and philanthropy the work of health has been possible.

In the corner stone when laid are to be placed the trowel, the will of the man who provided for the building of the unit, coins and currency of the day, copies of all the city papers, health journals, health statistics, a golden key to the city, a photograph of Mayor Curley and the donor of the fund, as well as a history of the city and a program of the exercises.

MAYOR PLANS TO RAISE PAY OF 8,000 CITY WORKERS.

Mayor Curley, Monday, January 21, declared his determination to increase the salaries of 8,000 city employees, at an excess expenditure of \$1,100,000.

He stated that he thereby hoped to "stabilize the saving wage." He will present his plans in his inaugural address, having given the first announcement of the general increase in an address before the Knights of Columbus in Lawrence, Sunday night.

As a matter of fact the figure 8,000—about half the city employees—includes those who receive the so-called "step rate" increase of \$100 a year until the maximum in their classification is reached. The number who receive this automatic increase is estimated at around 3,000. However, those who have already reached their maximum will receive \$100 extra.

Those affected are in two groups: Those who receive the "step rate" and laborers and mechanics. The former would receive the increase anyway so the Mayor's announcement has really no bearing upon them.

On the other hand, laborers and mechanics, of whom there are about 3,000, will get increases of \$3 a week. At present they are receiving \$1 or \$4.25 a day. Those whose salaries are \$1,800 or less will receive \$100 extra. The people in the "step rate" class are chiefly members of the Fire and Police Departments. Telephone operators will be given an extra dollar a week, and library employees also will benefit.

"The saving wage is the most important thing that there is in the world today," declares the Mayor. "Its stabilization at present levels means a tendency toward better housings, a healthier city, a more enlightened city and a more progressive Boston."

In regard to the city tax rate, the Mayor said that he hoped the Legislature would be "very fair" to the city.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, January 28, at 2 p. m.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston will be held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, on Monday, January 28, 1924, at 6.30 o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or tem-

porary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for informa-

MAYOR CURLEY WOULD HAVE ELEVATED TAKE OVER PORTION OF BAY STATE LINES FOR CHELSEA AND REVERE.

Mayor Curley sent the following letter on January 22:

COL. THOMAS F. SULLIVAN, *Chairman, Transit Commission*, Boston, Mass.:

DEAR SIR,—A conference committee consisting of the following officials: Mayor Quigley, of Chelsea; Mayor Noone, of Revere; Mayor Kimball, of Malden; Mr. Newton, representing Mayor Chisholm, of Everett; Representative Ritchards, of Malden; Mr. Harriman, chairman of the Metropolitan Planning Commission, and Mr. Ratchesky of the Metropolitan Planning Board, discussed at the office of the Mayor on January 21 the proposition for the purchase by the Boston Elevated Street Railway System of the Eastern Massachusetts Railway lines to Chelsea, Revere, and a portion of Malden, Everett and Maplewood.

I am very desirous that your commission confer with Mr. Henry I. Harriman, chairman of the Metropolitan Planning Board, secure the necessary data and have an investigation made by your Board as to the advisability of considering the project as presented. It has been estimated by the committee submitting the project that the annual cost to the City of Boston would not be in excess of \$10,000 and that in the event of this section of the Eastern Massachusetts Railway lines being taken over by the Boston Elevated System, the entire district of metropolitan Boston would then be served by the Boston Elevated Street Railway System.

Provided that the price that the Boston Elevated Street Railway System has to pay for the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway lines in the territory outlined is not exorbitant, and provided further that the amount to be borne by the City of Boston is not in the opinion of your commission excessive, I personally would not be averse to looking with favor on the pro-

ject, the adoption of which would result in a single fare for Chelsea and Revere.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

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Respectfully yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

ASSESSMENTS BY THE STREET COMMISSIONERS FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS.

PUBLIC ALLEY No. 539, CITY PROPER.

	Amount.
Isabel Dunbar.....	\$55 12
Edward B. DeMond.....	51 30
Edward P. Faunce.....	150 00
Mary D. Horr.....	150 00
Barney D. and Kristo D. Kirka.....	114 00
Augusta F. Arnold.....	114 00
Augusta F. Arnold.....	134 80
Augusta F. Arnold.....	477 76
Total.....	\$1,309 98

PUBLIC ALLEY No. 543, CITY PROPER.

Catherine and Alice Rodgers.....	\$52 87
George J. Berretzes.....	204 70
Nancy C. Farwell heirs.....	101 20
Israel J. Rothenberg.....	101 20
Fannie Feldman.....	98 90
Julius Dangel.....	100 05
Mary L. Gallen.....	101 20
Max Blase and Myers Poll, trustees.....	101 20
Benjamin and Hyman W. Star.....	101 20
Henry G. Frost <i>et al.</i>	103 50
Agnes J. and Sarah M. Hallahan and Annie L. C. Clark.....	53 87
Total.....	\$1,120 89

PUBLIC ALLEY No. 542, CITY PROPER.

Frank E. Alexander, trustee.....	\$56 50
William D. Foster.....	67 65
Myron F. Styles.....	106 55
Reuben Shulman.....	106 55
Reuben Shulman.....	106 55
John F. Sullivan.....	431 28
Harriet Thomas.....	56 50
Total.....	\$931 58

WREN STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

Jane F. Jacobs.....	\$155 10
Jane F. Jacobs.....	209 76
Jane F. Jacobs.....	165 24
Margaret F. Tinker, 2-6; Helen N., 1-6; Marion K., 1-6; Henry G., 1-6; Dorothy G., 1-6.....	218 88
Agnes M. Fineran, <i>uz.</i> Thomas A.....	405 00
Maria J. Watt.....	316 80
Maria J. Watt.....	316 80
Total.....	\$1,787 58

PAINTED BOSTON AS WONDER CITY OF WORLD BEFORE CROWDED HALL AT LIBRARY.

MAYOR CURLEY UNFOLDS TO CITIZENS, IN ADDRESS ON "A VISION OF 1950," HIS IDEAL OF PLANS ALONG WHICH THE MUNICIPALITY HE LOVES AND TOILS FOR SHOULD EXPAND AND GROW AND TOWARD WHICH IT IS BEING SHAPED NOW.

Being neither a prophet, nor the son of a prophet, I do not intend to indulge in idle prophecies; yet when I am asked to speak about the Boston of 1950 I may be permitted to make a prediction and paint a picture of the possibilities and probabilities of the Boston of that date, because a prediction is a forecast based on past experiences, present activities and prospective future developments.

The Scriptures say "A city that is set upon a hill cannot be hid," and a great playwright has written "What is a city but the people." Boston is set upon the hills, and if the city be the people, what the people are the city will be, and as we know our city and our citizens in this day and understand their aims and ambitions, their plans and projects, we may safely forecast the Boston of 1950, the work of each generation expanding and perfecting that of its predecessor, illustrating and fulfilling the law that says "Men may rise on stepping stones of their dead selves to higher things."

The Boston of 1950 will be a city beautiful sitting among her hills traversed by broad thoroughfares that will bring the stranger from all places to engage in the trade and pleasure of the city, and departing, leave Boston with the assurance of safety, satisfaction and comfort. The Boston of that day will be a busy mart of commerce and industry; the waters which ebb and flow at its feet will carry the fleets of all nations and our own to splendidly equipped docks and piers, to load and unload the products of our port. In that day we will have banished and exterminated the cancers of the cities, the slums, where wealth accumulates and men decay, where motherhood withers and childhood rots; and where now these pests persist there then will be open spaces made wholesome and beautiful by the breezes blowing in from the sea, and the genius and labor of the gardener and horticulturist, and there too we will have raised the glory of God, the betterment of humanity and the memory of Boston's benefactor, George R. White; the health units that are to mean so much to every department of our civil welfare. "The city is but the people," and not the least of the factors that will enter into the city beautiful of 1950 will be the happiness and contentment of Boston's people, whose health, vigor and ability to work are made certain and secure by the number and vigilance of the health agencies established and maintained to guard and preserve our workers from the dangers of dirt and disease and the incidence of industry.

The marvelous growth of the motor vehicle industry and the increase in their number for business, pleasure and public convenience, constitute one of the gravest problems in modern municipal administration. It is not insoluble; and in twenty-seven years it must be solved, and solved with measurable finality, if public convenience is to be served and

human life safeguarded; 1950 will see this vexatious problem placed among the dangers that are passed, the usefulness it connotes expanded, and its hazards eliminated. Scientific regulation of vehicles of all characters, with reasonable and equitable restrictions as to streets and regions for business and pleasure traffic, a broadening and reconstruction of streets and highways to secure fluidity, mobility and continuity of movement, and the essential complement of such traffic, ample and convenient parking spaces, will be the solution.

The railroad systems that have their termini in Boston will have seen a radical readjustment of their physical facilities in this city by 1950. Passenger and freight traffic will be separated; a great central union station for the reception and distribution of passengers serving the various railroads will be erected. It will be spacious, convenient, architecturally beautiful, its commodious interior fitted with offices for administration and shops, restaurants, waiting rooms, and the various helpful activities that the convenience, comfort and safety of the patrons of the road demand. This union station will receive and deliver its passengers on several levels, each level serving a separate railroad system and all connected with the local municipal roads and the guiding principle and definite purpose of the administration of its manifold activities will be safety, protection and distribution, in a service that will be marked by simplicity, expedition in movement, avoidance of congestion and delay, and the elimination of the hazard, confusions and stupidities that too frequently mar the railroad terminal management of this age. Nor will the note of decorative beauty be forgotten in the construction of this utility. The world is beginning to understand and appreciate the value of visual beauty in the elements that go to make business profitable; and the genius of architect, builder and decorator will combine to transform the prosaic business of going and coming into a joy for the traveler who finds himself waiting and resting inside Boston's temple of transportation in 1950.

The freight business of this city, whether for delivery here or for markets at home and abroad, will probably be conducted in the present passenger stations, radically reconstructed, so as to secure simplicity of administration, speed in reception, in classification, in shipment outward, and a general marked quickening and certainty of functions helpful to Boston's local business and the efficiency of the port. The handling of freight and express matter will be separated and simplified and co-ordinated with a well-regulated delivery system to store and factory, whose purpose at all times will be a service that will be prompt and dependable through streets free from congestion and delay in which traffic will move swiftly and efficiently.

The very fact that the present-day

problems and vexations of trade and traffic will have been wiped out and that business in the city will be unhampered and leg-free, means that by 1950 Boston will have expanded in business and building to a city of two millions, that her harbor will be populous with the flags and ships of the commercial world, that from Charlestown to Fore river the water front of Boston will be equipped with piers and docks, her waters dredged, her flats redeemed and crowded with factories and storehouses and that Boston will have entered into her birthright, her dreams materialized.

Socially 1950 will see a Boston that has freed itself from many of the handicaps and evils of this age. The value of the human equation and our duty to the humanity all about us will not only be better understood, but the city will be moved by the higher sense of duty it owes to those whom sickness, ill-fortune, and the inescapable misfortune of life have made helpless and dependent.

The islands intended by God and nature to adorn and beautify Boston and now given over to institutions for the poor, the unfortunate and the derelict, where the conditions of life make for isolation, loneliness and separation from kith and kin, and for circumstances pathetically repellent to age and decrepitude, these islands and their institutions will have been abandoned by 1950; the islands being restored to the natural functions of beautifying and refreshing Boston; the institutions being replaced on the mainland by structures that are human, home-like and hospitable, where the declining days of the public dependents will be made brighter and happier by a closer contact with the world about them and a more frequent opportunity to meet and mingle with those near and dear to them, whose standing in the community and whose lot in life have been cast in a more pleasant place.

One of the saddest and most pathetic features of the life of the dependent poor is their separation from kin and kind in institutions; but in the recasting of our philanthropic theories and our methods of official charity, the institution will be replaced by the home. By 1950 Boston will have learned that sane humane effort and sound economies can work together, and understand the great truth that poverty has been an incident of life and living from the beginning which the fortunate and successful, impatient of human failure, have coldly and cruelly transformed into pauperizing. Pauperizing is the crime of civilization. It is the application of the *lex talionis*, the law of claw and talon, the law of the jungles, to the unfortunate of humanity.

All the tendencies of this age under the law and through the best thought of America, despite the apparent hardness and needlessness of the times, point to a growing saner consideration of humanity and its weakness and frailty. We are realizing more and more our duty to our fellow man; realizing that whether we will or not we are our brother's keeper; that social cruelty and neglect are sins against the law and threats to civilization's stability; that every injury to our neighbor, conscious or otherwise, is an injury to organized society; that the folly and unwisdom that transforms poverty into pauperism is an offence that cries to Heaven; and, even as He who made two blades of grass grow where only one was, is a benefactor to His race, so he who increases the sum total of human happiness, who makes two men happy where

only one was happy heretofore, stands well in the sight of God and man.

This return to higher standards of conduct, to nobler concepts of human duty, will have reached their fruition in 1950, and by the impulse they give to our better and wiser treatment of them who fall by the wayside, they will do their part in making the Boston of 1950 not only materially, but spiritually the city beautiful.

The splendid unshackled philanthropy of George R. White, and the benefaction and uplifting it has brought to the city he believed in and trusted, and the generosity of Francis Parkman which made possible the formulation and development of a playground and park system, will have demonstrated the vision and value of these two great sons of a great city to the Boston they loved. Their names will have grown in worth and honor in the intervening years; they will have erected to themselves monuments less perishable than the stone and bronze that eventually yield to the gnawing tooth of time; for their names and their benefactions will have been written into the hearts and minds of the generations that have come after them.

Wherever the people of Boston turn in 1950 they can look upon the healing and fruitful evidence of the generosity of these two sons of Boston, who in the moral and social duties of great riches and recognizing its obligations to organized society, gave an accounting of their stewardship that has made life and living better for humanity in Boston. Francis Parkman and George Robert White have chosen the wiser part; their actions smell sweet and blossom in the dust; their name and fame will endure in honor as long as Boston sits among her hills by the sea, and will be an example and a stimulus to others in the passing years to emulate their wisdom, catch something of their vision, and like them, write their names in the Book of Gold.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the construction and completion of signal apparatus building in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$75,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the complete installation of a heating and ventilating system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$7,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office.

Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the complete installation of a plumbing system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 6, at 12 m.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for electric lighting system for two additional tiers of steel bracket stacks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the architects, Fox and Gale, 3 Hamilton place, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the office of the trustees, Central Library, Copley Square, Boston. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for heating system for two additional tiers of steel bracket stacks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the architects, Fox and Gale, 3 Hamilton place, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the office of the trustees, Central Library, Copley square, Boston. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, January 30, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for new piping for salt water system at the Aquarium, Marine Park, South Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 31, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Readvertises for proposals for collecting and removing ashes, store dirt, house dirt, refuse and garbage in Brighton. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in an amount equivalent to 5 per cent of the contract price, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 31, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for hardware, oil, shellac, stains, etc., for the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, Business Agent, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, January 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering, in the shops and stock rooms of the various schools, lumber as per schedule. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, February 8, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required or necessary to complete the equipment of the elementary school, Francis Parkman District, Northbourne road and Nathan street, Forest Hills. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required for the complete equipment of the elementary school, in the Bennett District, Fanueil and Oakland streets, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering and setting up pupils' school furniture in various schoolhouses for the period of one year. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, February 12, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing composition castings. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, January 28, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing X-ray films. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, January 28, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing to the various city departments, gauze, Bellevue rolls, absorbent cotton, bandages and absorbent waste. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without certified check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 29, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 31, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 31, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service, cast-iron special castings, to the amount of 150 tons. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certi-

fied check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 6, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, January 24:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Francis J. McBarron has been appointed second assistant assessor at \$1,200 a year.

The following increases in salary have been approved by the Mayor:

Lawrence D. Riley, promoted to a vacancy as special clerk and tax examiner at \$2,100 a year.

Charles F. Morrison, promoted to a vacancy as special assessment clerk at \$2,000.

Thomas A. Ryan, promoted to a vacancy as special clerk and tax examiner at \$1,900 a year.

John P. Donovan, promoted to clerk and tax examiner at \$1,800 a year.

Edward L. Doyle, promoted to a vacancy as clerk at \$1,700 a year.

William F. Morrissey, promoted to a vacancy as clerk at \$1,600 a year.

Francis J. Turcotte, promoted to a vacancy as clerk at \$1,600 a year.

Frank J. Williams, promoted to a vacancy as clerk at \$1,500 a year.

William J. Nash, promoted to a vacancy as clerk at \$1,500 a year.

Philip E. Conroy, promoted to a vacancy as clerk at \$1,400 a year.

Thomas O. Scottron, promoted to a vacancy as clerk at \$1,400 a year.

Joseph V. Mahan, promoted to a vacancy as clerk at \$1,300 a year.

The above promotions are caused by the appointment of Edmund G. White as first assistant assessor, and by a vacancy existing in the class of two clerks at \$1,500 to \$1,600.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Gateley has been designated to act as City Auditor at such times as the auditor may be absent during the four weeks beginning Monday, January 21, 1924.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

The following is the list of expert temporary employees engaged on zoning and street plan work for the month ending January 15: Arthur C. Comey, 18 days at \$20, \$360; G. Hall, 4½ weeks at \$40, \$171.33; Bert Poole, 4½ weeks at \$40, \$171.33; David Hansen, 4½ weeks at \$35, \$151.67; A. E. Howard, 4½ weeks at \$35, \$151.67; L. E. Oberwarth, 4½ weeks at \$35, \$151.67; G. Tomb, 4½ weeks at \$35, \$151.67; C. T. Grant, 4½ weeks at \$30, \$130; G. L. Meade, 4½ weeks at \$30, \$130; E. F. Delaney, 92 hours at 90 cents, \$82.80; W. C. Eberhard, 86½ hours at 75 cents, \$64.87; A. Rosenbaugh, 51½ hours at 75 cents, \$38.62; J. E. Crane, 49½ hours at 75 cents, \$37.12.

Norman P. Randlett, who was appointed on November 19, 1923, to the position of temporary draughtsman in this office for a period of ten weeks resigned on Saturday, January 5.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John J. O'Brien has been appointed steamfitter's helper at \$4.25 a day.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Dr. Charles F. Wilinsky, director of the Health Unit, has been granted permission to go to New York to study the routine medical examination service in the New York Health Department, which it is planned to install in the Blossom Street Health Unit. The estimated expense of this trip is \$40, and is to be charged to the City of Boston.

Alice P. Mayers has been appointed permanent visitor at \$85 a month.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the past week:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Bessie Fallon (re-employed), Minnie Clarke, Elizabeth Boland, Katherine Cullen (re-employed), Annie McGuire, ward helpers, \$11 a week; Rosamond Welch, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Edith L. Sumpter, tablegirl, \$9.50 a week; Mary E. McDougall, table girl, \$11 a week; Edward Readigan, Samuel Haller, Hugh Brugman, transfer porters, \$11 a week; Helen Anton, Olive Hutchins, Annie McDougall (re-employed), Catherine Motherville (re-employed), cleaners, \$11.50 a week; James Carlton (re-employed), Daniel McDonald (re-employed), Frank Casertano, housecleaners, \$12 a week; Anna Welch (re-employed), telephone operator, \$20 a week; John P. Corbett, elevator man, \$11 a week; Catherine Peterson (re-employed), laundress, \$14 a week; Joseph Doran (re-employed), male nurse, \$17.50 a week.

Temporary.—Helen Nunes, Marguerite DeWolfe, Helena Meeley, Magdalene McKinnon, Sadie Murray, Dorothy Pressey, special nurses, \$35 a month; Emil Kubli, transfer porter, \$11 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Sliding Scale.—Francis Mulqueen, male nurse, \$7 to \$8.17 a week.

Change in Position.—Henry Kerwin, transfer porter at \$11 to acting night supervisor at \$18 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending January 17:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Benjamin F. Sullivan, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, temporary.

George Everett, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Joseph McCarthy.

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

John F. Callahan, deckhand, at a salary of \$18 a week, temporary.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Alice M. Shea has been transferred from the Boston Sanatorium to the Overseers of the Public Welfare at \$1,050 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

George Quigley has been promoted from laborer at \$4 a day to carpenter's assistant at \$4.50 a day.

James Dunn has been promoted from carpenter at \$5 a day to wheelwright and wagonmaker at \$1,700 a year.

William J. Flatley has been promoted from gardener at \$4.50 a day to gardener at \$5 a day.

John J. Carley has been promoted from gardener-laborer at \$4 a day to gardener at \$4.50 a day.

REGISTRY DEPARTMENT.

Gertrude Ego, employed temporarily as clerk and typist for a period of thirty days, has been granted an extension of twelve days.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

James D. Hart has been appointed temporary clerk with knowledge of stenography and typewriting for a period of sixty days at \$1,200 a year.

Dr. Frederick W. Watkeys has been designated to act as Acting Soldiers' Relief Commissioner at such times as the commissioner may be absent during the four weeks commencing January 21, 1924.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Collecting Department.

The following overtime payment is the balance due for cross checking the 1923 poll and property tax manuscripts: James J. McNamee, \$126.53; Daniel J. McLaughlin, \$115.04; James F. Daley, \$90.75; William J. Sheehan, \$69.10; John J. Leahy, \$243.69; Timothy J. O'Connell, \$134.55; Frederick R. Mulloney, \$176.94; Edward J. Dixon, \$194.94; Martin J. Mulroy, \$111.04; Francis J. Doherty, \$118.27; John P. O'Connor, \$131.13; Franklin H. Cochran, \$115.49; William H. Spain, \$103.94; Thomas F. Horan, \$106.70; Joseph J. Callahan, \$129.76; Daniel A. Grant, \$141.85; Timothy J. Brinnin, \$139.56; Francis J. O'Connell, \$133.94; Louis Needel, \$149.14; William T. Gartland, \$168.13; John H. McElroy, \$192.01; Aaron Pinkofsky, \$153.40; James J. Maloney, \$271.91; L. A. Hall, Jr., \$189.38; James E. Moore, \$137.36; William H. Sullivan, \$117.08. Total, \$3,761.63.

For the week ending Thursday, January 24:

John W. Barry, 69 hours, \$69; Michael Cillo, 116 hours, \$116; John J. Connors, 27 hours, \$27; Edward T. Croke, 27 hours, \$27; Wm. E. Cunningham, 25 hours, \$25; Edward J. Dixon, 18 hours, \$18; Michael S. Drew, 10 hours, \$10; Francis M. Ducey, 27 hours, \$27; M. Irene Ennis, 22 hours, \$22; Lillian L. Fournado, 8 hours, \$8; Joseph F. Fitzgerald, 30 hours, \$30; Daniel A. Grant, 33 hours, \$33; L. A. Hall, Jr., 48 hours, \$48; Tomas P. Horan, 6 hours, \$6; Stewart E. Hoyt, 6 hours, \$6; Thomas J. Killion, 6 hours, \$6; Abraham Levy, 56 hours, \$56; John J. Lordan, 6 hours, \$6; John H. McElroy, 27 hours, \$27; James J. McNamee, 39 hours, \$39; James J. Maloney, 36 hours, \$36; Patrick J. Monahan, 18 hours, \$18; James E. Moore, 48 hours, \$48; Edward A. Morrissey, 27 hours, \$27; Louis Needel, 57 hours, \$57; Francis J. O'Connell, 30 hours, \$30; John P. O'Connor, 72 hours, \$72; Joseph J. O'Mara, 34 hours, \$34; Philip A. Petrocelli, 30 hours, \$30; Aaron Pinkofsky, 45 hours, \$45; John F. Quinn, 39 hours, \$39; Peter H. Rogers, 27 hours, \$27; Thomas E. Shea, Jr., 30 hours, \$30; William J. Sheehan, 30 hours, \$30; John F. Travers, 30 hours, \$30. Total, \$1,159.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, January 24:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 4½ hours, \$3.75; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 12 hours, \$7.56; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$3.50; W. A. Woodworth, carpenter, 6 hours, \$3.96; G. Roach, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; J. McKenzie, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

J. Corcoran, P. Joyce, W. Nolan, porters and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75 each.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Fitzgerald, M. J. Kane, F. Rugiero, porters and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75.

Total, \$67.10.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, January 24:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Substitute Work.—Francis J. McLaughlin, Andrew Para, John J. Adams (temporary), firemen, 1½ days, \$8.25 each.

Emergency Work.—Joseph Cox, John Melley, engineers, 3½ hours, \$2.63 each.

House of Correction.

Substitute Work.—Bernard Feeney, fireman, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Steamers—"Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

Emergency Work.—John Londrigan, deckhand, 3 days, \$12.75.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending January 24:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Austin Kelly, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, tree-man, 1 day, \$4.50.

Fairview Cemetery.

James Kingston, laborer, 1 day, \$4.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph Harrington, Peter Kean, Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Michael J. Kerins, Philip J. Donovan, gardeners, 1 day, \$4.50.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending January 24:

J. McDonough, elevatorman, 8½ hours, \$5.06; J. Reynolds, fireman, 6½ hours, \$4.64; T. Jennings, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 21:

Drawtender.—J. E. Murray, 1 day, \$4.93.

First Assistant Drawtender.—R. E. Burrill, 1 day, \$4.38.

Assistant Drawtenders.—D. J. Donovan, J. F. Murphy, B. J. Haggerty, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

* Total, \$21.64.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, January 22:

Quartermaster.—Rufus W. Scott, 1 day, \$5.43.

Deckhand.—John J. Pilcher, ½ day, \$2.13.

Total, \$7.56.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 21:

Teamster.—J. J. Maloney, 1 day, \$4.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Stablemen.—J. J. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$7.

Total, \$23.25.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, January 22:

Mason.—James Duffy, 1 day, \$6.60.

Sewer Cleaners.—James Clancy, Michael Foley, Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, Thomas Flaherty, John Sweeney, Richard Connolly, 1 day, \$4.50 each; George Caswell, 1 day, \$4.25.

Laborers.—Patrick Fitzgerald, Michael McMahon, John Crowley, 1½ days, \$6 each; James McNabb, Cornelius Sullivan, Michael Mullen, 1 day, \$4 each; Daniel McKenna, ¾ days, \$3.

Total, \$75.35.

Chauffeurs.—J. O'Brien, J. Broderick, T. Kelleher, 1 day, \$4.50 each; F. Bonang, 1½ days, \$5.63; J. Conlon, 1½ days, \$7.31.

Emergency men.—W. Lonergan, 1 day, \$4; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Repairers.—D. Hanlon, 1 day, \$5; B. Dellorusso, ¾ day, \$0.84; J. Leonard, 1 day, \$4.50; C. Driscoll, ½ day, \$2.34; S. Mariani, 1 day, \$4.50; R. Kelley, ¾ day, \$1.20; P. Coleman, ¾ day, \$0.53; W. Shields, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Feeley, ¾ day, \$1.50; S. Mickewicz, ¾ day, \$2.53; J. Lonergan, ¾ day, \$2.25; J. McLean, ¾ day, \$1.59; F. Schena, ¾ day, \$1.78; P. Murphy, 3¾ days, \$17.58; G. Carroll, 3¾ days, \$16.92; T. Dolan, ¾ day, \$2.81; T. Regan, ¾ day, \$0.94; M. Hart, ¾ day, \$0.84; J. Cummings, 2 days, \$10.

Laborers.—J. McLaughlin, 2 days, \$8; J. McCaffrey, S. LoPilato, P. Clougherty, P. Loftus, P. Linehan, J. McCauley, H. McCauley, W. Rice, 1 day, \$4 each; G. Waters, 1½ days, \$6; M. Mulqueeney, J. Phipps, ¾ days, \$0.75; J. O'Toole, 1¾ days, \$7.38. Total, \$173.41; paid by Transit Department, \$26; net total, \$147.41.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 21:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, T. Dahill, P. Keefe, P. L. Moynihan, G. Riley, M. Cardello, N. Cesso, W. T. Gillen, E. Kelley, F. Corvino, T. J. Maston, P. McGinley, M. Allen, M. T. Clougherty, H. A. Bourdon, J. Donahue, J. J. Meyers, T. Iverson, J. A. White, J. F. Brown, G. H. Corcoran, W. G. Curley, J. Daley, L. Davis, T. J. Flanagan, J. Hartigan, P. F. Joyce, D. Mahoney, V. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each.

Total, \$116.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Grace M. Little has agreed to accept the sum of \$900 as full payment for land taken from, all rights acquired and all damages occasioned to her estate on Breck avenue by the laying out said avenue under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of July 14, 1923.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 19 the Mayor approved a contract with P. J. Dinn & Co. for wire fence at Arnold Arboretum, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened January 17, were as follows:

P. J. Dinn & Co., \$4,245.40; W. A. Snow Iron Works, Inc., \$4,528.10; American Spring Bed Company, \$4,609.20; C. A. Gates & Co., \$4,731.50; Rowe Contracting Company \$6,312.

Upon January 19 the Mayor approved a contract with R. A. Bossi Company for alterations and additions to sanitary and locker building at World War Memorial Park. Bids for the work, opened September 6, 1923, were as follows:

R. A. Bossi Company, \$60,400; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$64,775; Casey & Darcy Company, \$66,500.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Upon January 21 the Mayor approved a contract for the privilege of placing weighing and vending machines in ferry headhouses to the Autosales Corporation, the only bidder, for the sum of \$400 a year, paid to the city.

North Ferry, East Boston Side.—Two weighing machines at \$40 each, \$80; three vending machines at \$20 each, \$60.

North Ferry, Boston Side.—Two weighing machines, at \$40 each, \$80; three vending machines at \$20 each, \$60.

South Ferry, East Boston Side.—One weighing machine at \$40, \$40; one vending machine at \$30, \$30.

South Ferry, Boston Side.—One weighing machine at \$30, \$30; one vending machine at \$20, \$20.

Total, 14 vending machines, \$400.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Upon January 21 the Mayor approved a contract for removing manure from the stables and yards in the various divisions of the department to Joseph A. Kelley, the highest bidder, at the rate of \$7.51 per horse per year.

Bids for the work, opened January 16, were as follows:

Joseph A. Kelley, \$7.51 per horse per year; J. N. Smith Company, \$6.55 per horse per year.

Upon January 21 the Mayor approved the following contracts for collecting and removing ashes, store dirt, house dirt, refuse and garbage: East Boston, E. J. McHugh & Son, \$4,732 per month; Dorchester, J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$16,100 per month; and Hyde Park, Thomas E. Bryan, \$925 per month. All bids in the Brighton district have been rejected and new proposals are to be invited.

Bids for the work, opened January 7 were as follows:

District No. 1, East Boston.—E. J. McHugh & Son, \$4,732 per month; A. De Stefano Company, \$4,833.25 per month; M. H. Loonie, \$5,000 per month; C. & R. Construction Company, \$5,050 per month.

District No. 2, Brighton.—Thomas J. McCue, \$6,000 per month; Joseph P. McCabe, \$6,300 per month; John J. Loonie, \$6,500 per month; P. F. Dono-

van, \$7,400 per month; John J. Lane, \$10,000 per month.

District No. 3, West Roxbury.—John A. Janse, \$2,435 per month; John J. Moore, \$2,500 per month; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2,533 per month; M. McGinnis & Co., \$2,940 per month; Highland Contracting Company, \$3,100 per month; M. Doyle & Co., Inc., \$4,000 per month; M. De Matteo, \$3,500 per month.

District No. 4, Dorchester.—John D. Lyons, \$15,750 per month; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$16,100 per month; M. H. Loonie, \$16,350 per month; Joseph P. McCabe, \$16,500 per month.

District No. 5, Hyde Park.—Thomas E. Bryan, \$925 per month; M. J. Leonard, \$999 per month; Highland Contracting Company, \$1,175 per month; T. H. Corrigan & Sons, \$1,300 per month; M. McGinnis & Co., \$1,340 per month.

Upon January 21 the Mayor approved contracts for furnishing double and single teams and auto trucks in the various districts at the following rates per day: East Boston and Breed's Island, E. J. McHugh & Son, doubles, \$7; singles, \$4.48; trucks, \$23; South Boston and Dorchester North, T. F. Meaney, doubles, \$6.95; singles, \$4.55; trucks, \$23; Charlestown, E. J. McHugh & Son, doubles, \$6.75; singles, \$4.75; trucks, \$23; West Roxbury, M. McGinnis & Co., doubles, \$6.40; singles, \$4; trucks, \$23; Dorchester and Ashmont, M. H. Loonie, doubles, \$8; singles, \$4.50; trucks, \$23; South End and Roxbury North, Highland Contracting Company, doubles, \$7.70; singles, \$6; trucks, \$23; North and West Ends and Back Bay, B. E. Grant Company, doubles, \$7; singles, \$6.25; trucks, \$23; Hyde Park, T. H. Corrigan & Sons, doubles, \$8; singles, \$5; trucks, \$23; Roxbury South and Jamaica Plain, M. Doyle & Co., Inc., doubles, \$5.89; singles, \$4; trucks, \$23.

Bids for the work, opened January 8, were as follows:

District No. 1, South Boston and Dorchester North.

T. F. Meaney, doubles, \$6.95; singles, \$4.55; trucks, \$23; Gerard V. Hannon, doubles, \$6.90; singles, \$4.70; trucks, \$23; E. J. Byrne, doubles, \$8; singles, \$6; trucks, \$23.

District No. 2, East Boston and Breed's Island.

E. J. McHugh & Son, doubles, \$7; singles, \$4.48; trucks, \$23.

District No. 3, Charlestown.

E. J. McHugh & Son, doubles, \$6.75; singles, \$4.75; trucks, \$23.

District No. 5, West Roxbury.

M. McGinnis & Co., doubles, \$6.40; singles, \$4; trucks, \$23; John J. Moore, doubles, \$6.90; singles, \$3.50; trucks, \$23; Highland Contracting Company, doubles, \$7.50; singles, \$5.50; trucks, \$23; M. De Matteo, doubles, \$7.95; singles, \$4.95; trucks, \$23.

Districts Nos. 6-9, Dorchester and Ashmont.

M. H. Loonie, doubles, \$8; singles, \$4.50; trucks, \$23; John D. Lyons, doubles, \$7.90; singles, \$5.75; trucks, \$23.

District No. 7, Roxbury South and Jamaica Plain.

M. Doyle & Co., Inc., doubles, \$5.89; singles, \$4; trucks, \$23; M. McGinnis & Co., doubles, \$6.40; singles, \$4; trucks, \$23; John J. Moore, doubles, \$7; singles, \$3.50; trucks, \$23; M. H. Loonie, doubles, \$7.50; singles, \$4; trucks, \$23.

District No. 8, South End and Roxbury North.

B. E. Grant Company, doubles, \$7.50; singles, \$6.25; trucks, \$23; Highland Contracting Company, doubles, \$7.70; singles, \$6; trucks, \$23.

District No. 10, North and West Ends and Back Bay.

B. E. Grant Company, doubles, \$7; singles, \$6.25; trucks, \$23.

District No. 11, Hyde Park.

M. De Matteo, doubles, \$7.95; singles, \$3.95; trucks, \$23; T. H. Corrigan & Sons, doubles, \$8; singles, \$5; trucks, \$23.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 21 the Mayor approved a contract with the Hart & Hutchinson Company for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Charles Sumner District School. There was but one bid in the sum of \$2,960.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 24 the Mayor approved a contract with E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company for furnishing 100,000 pounds D castings, frames, covers and bonnets, to the Water Service, Public Works Department. Bids for the work, opened January 17, were as follows:

E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company, 2.95 cents per pound; Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 4 cents per pound; Foran Foundry and Manufacturing Company, 3.87 cents per pound; Davis Foundry Company, 3½ cents per pound.

Upon January 24 the Mayor approved a contract with the Davis Foundry Company for furnishing 70,000 pounds of E castings (9 by 9 flanged frames) to the Water Service, Public Works Department. Bids for the work, opened January 17, were as follows:

E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company, 3.86 cents per pound; Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 5 cents per pound; Foran Foundry and Manufacturing Company, 5.47 cents per pound; Davis Foundry Company, 3.55 cents per pound.

Upon January 24 the Mayor approved a contract with E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company for furnishing 150,000 pounds C castings (service pipe, castings, etc.) to the Water Service, Public Works Department. Bids for the work, opened January 17, were as follows:

Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 9 cents per pound; Foran Foundry and Manufacturing Company, 8.73 cents per pound; E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company, 5½ cents per pound.

Upon January 24 the Mayor approved a contract with the Davis Foundry Company for furnishing 350,000 pounds B castings (gate and hydrant stock) to the Water Service, Public Works Department. Bids for the work, opened January 17, were as follows:

Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 7½ cents per pound; Foran Foundry and Manufacturing Company, 5.73 cents per pound; Davis Foundry Company, 5½ cents per pound; Gibby Foundry Company, 6.95 cents per pound.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 12 the Mayor approved a contract with the J. J. Walsh Company for making over eleven hose wagons. A communication from Theodore A. Glynn, Fire Commissioner, was as follows:

BOSTON, January 8, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is hereby requested to enter into contract, without advertising, with the J. J. Walsh Company, 1540 Columbus avenue, to make over eleven (11) hose wagons into hose pungs at a cost of two hundred ten (210) dollars each, or a total of \$2,310. The J. J. Walsh Company are to give credit for eleven (11) running gears, amounting to \$110, which is to be applied to the bill, making the total contract twenty-two hundred (2,200) dollars.

I desire to make this contract without advertising for the following reasons:

We have standardized on a certain type of pungs for use in this department, and the J. J. Walsh Company have made these pungs over for us in previous years in a very satisfactory manner. The pungs are equipped with a particular type of runner, known as the Travers runner, and the J. J. Walsh Company are equipped to supply and attach this runner. The price offered is reasonable and in my opinion this is a good proposition for the city to accept.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 12 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Buick Company for furnishing to the Paving Service, Public Works Department one five-passenger touring car. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, January 10, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract without publicly advertising for same, to the Boston Buick Company for furnishing to the Paving Service, Public Works Department, for chief inspector: One 1924, Model 45, Buick, six-cylinder, five passenger touring car, equipped with winter top, \$1,725; less allowance on 1922 Ford sedan, \$275; net amount of contract, \$1,450.

As this type of cars best suits the needs of the department, I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon January 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the Ingersoll Rand Company for furnishing one portable compressor on Ford truck. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, January 14, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award contract to the Ingersoll Rand Company of New England for furnishing one Ingersoll Rand portable compressor mounted on Ford truck for the sum of \$2,949.50 complete and delivered to the Public Works Department, Water Division, 710 Albany street.

This department has previously purchased this type of compressor for the Public Works Department, and they have been found to be very satisfactory. Various large corporations in and around Boston are also using this type of compressor with great success. As the manufacturer of this machine is the Ingersoll Rand Company of New England no advantage would be obtained by publicly advertising same.

Trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am,

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon January 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Buick Company for furnishing the Water Division Public Works Department, one five passenger car. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows.

BOSTON, January 15, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising same, to the Boston Buick Company for furnishing to the Water Division, Public Works Department, for engineer of Income Branch, one 1924 Buick five passenger touring car at \$1,425; less allowance on Buick roadster, \$140; net amount of contract, \$1,285.

As this type of machine best meets the needs of the department, I trust the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon January 17 the Mayor approved a contract with the Postindex Company for furnishing to the Fire Department one inventory system complete. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, January 15, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising for same, to the Post index Company for furnishing to the Fire Department: one inventory system complete with forms and printed rules, \$1,695.39. Several systems were investigated by the Fire Department and while the system of the Postindex Company was found to be more satisfactory than others, the price was also found to be less than quoted by other concerns, and for that reason I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

John Bowen Company have been ordered to deduct from contract for the erection and completion of additions and alterations to the out-patient building, ambulance entrance and drive, and subway to surgical building, at the Boston City Hospital, the sum of \$202.80 for the difference in cost of plain oak settees as

furnished and quartered oak settees as specified. Statement of contract to date: Amount of contract at signing, \$493,000; order No. 1 (addition), \$54,245.95; order No. 2 (addition), \$10,108.57; order No. 4 (addition), \$4,210; order No. 6 (addition), \$1,775; order No. 7 (addition), \$1,283; order No. 8 (addition), \$3,716.83; order No. 9 (addition), \$373.75. Total, \$568,713.10. Order No. 3 (deduction), \$8,236. Order No. 5 (deduction), \$619.69; order No. 10 (deduction), \$202.80; total, \$9,058.49. Amount of contract to date, \$559,654.61.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

R. J. Connolly has been allowed the following additions to contract for John Marshall School Building, as per supervisor of alterations and repairs letter dated January 2, 1924. Addition: Changing the rear wall of boiler room and coal room from stone to 16-inch brick wall: 3,300 selected bricks at \$47, \$155.10; 9,600 common bricks at \$30, \$288; 162 hours, bricklayer, at \$1.50, \$243; 100 hours, helper, at \$0.90, \$90; 69 bags cement, at \$1, \$69; 2 barrels lime, at \$4, \$8; 9 yards sand, at \$3, \$27—\$880.10. Concrete forms and foundation in boiler room: 300 feet matched spruce, at \$10, \$30; 136 feet 2 by 4 spruce, at \$10, \$13.60; 8 hours, laborer, at \$0.90, \$7.20; 38 hours, carpenter, at \$1.50, \$57; 6 cubic yards, at \$25, \$150—\$257.80. New drain in boiler room outside stair area: New drainer and extending cast-iron drain, \$67.62; contractor's 10 per cent commission, \$6.76—\$74.38. Miscellaneous on blackboards, two new top lights in hall, changing location of bookcases, new standard lock on rear door: 2 top light frames, at \$3, \$6; 2 top lights, 3 feet by 3 feet by 1½ inches to detail, \$20; 1 exterior lock set, \$16; 1 cabinet lock, \$2.40; 24-foot casing, at \$0.10, \$2.40; 135 hours, carpenter, at \$1.50, \$202.50—\$249.30. New hardware for toilet partitions: 13 brass knees and machine screws, at \$0.20, \$2.60; 26 polished brass traps, at \$1.07, \$27.82—\$30.42. Changing ventilator on roof as ordered by heating division; J. J. Hurley's bill, plus 10 per cent contractor's commission, \$121.75; 12 hours, carpenter, at \$1.50, \$18; 24 feet spruce, at \$0.10, \$2.40—\$142.15. Oiling classroom floors and painting boiler room: M. L. McDonald's bill, \$188, contractor's 10 per cent, \$18.80—\$206.80. New grille boiler room window, \$12. Total addition, \$1,852.95. Deduction: Labor, 32½ Perch stone, at \$5, \$162.50. Net addition, \$1,690.45. Contract price, \$43,240; total additions, \$4,119.58; amount of contract, \$47,359.58.

Roxbury Construction Company have been allowed the following changes in the School Administration Building as per supervisor of alterations and repairs letter dated January 5, 1924. Additions: Provide and install twenty oak doors and frames for bookcases on the fourth floor with all necessary hardware, painting, etc., \$250; make over bookcase on first floor into a cabinet, furnishing one new oak door and frame with all hardwood painting, etc., \$30. Relocate and make the necessary changes of the bookcases on first floor, furnishing five new sections as shown on revised plan, \$120; total addition, \$400. Contract price, \$2,997; total addition, \$400; amount of contract, \$3,397.

Huey Brothers Company have been allowed the following changes in the Charles Sumner District school, as per architect's letter of December 20, 1923:

Change risers in gymnasium to make clearance for window sash rods; shorten radiator in girls' toilet, reconnecting piping, valves, etc. Do all patching for same; relocate radiator in corridor to allow for new doors; relocate steam main and branches girls' shower room to allow for larger shower partitions. Contract price, \$24,595; total addition, \$225.40; amount of contract, \$24,820.40.

Petroleum Heat and Power Company have been allowed the following changes in contracts for the various schools as per inspector's letter of January 12, 1924: For making miscellaneous changes to electrical apparatus, furnishing new safety switches instead of the one specified, you will add to your contract the sum \$326.28 subdivided as follows: Dudley School, \$55.88; Dearborn School, \$50.74; Girls' High School, \$62.06; Everett School, \$37.89; Franklin School, \$38.62; Hyde Park High School, \$49.33; Old Mather School, \$31.76; total addition, \$326.28. Contract price, \$35,385.50; total additions, \$621.28; amount of contract, \$36,006.78.

BOSTON CHARTER BILL POSTPONED UNTIL TUESDAY.

When the bill amending the Boston city charter was reached in the Senate Thursday afternoon, the question being on concurring with the House in its action in referring the bill to the Committee on Metropolitan Affairs, Senator Haigis of the Franklin-Hampshire Counties, Senate chairman of the Committee on Cities, moved that the Senate nonconcur and that the matter be referred to his committee instead of the Metropolitan Affairs Committee.

He said in substance that his committee had the handling of all the matters relating to other city charters and he did not see why it should not handle the Boston city charter bill.

Out of courtesy to Senator Clark, Senate chairman of the Committee on Metropolitan Affairs, who was absent, Senator Haigis consented to have the further consideration of the matter postponed to next Tuesday.

Hon. E. Mark Sullivan, Corporation Counsel, presented the argument for Mayor Curley.

"We should not make light of the communal psychology when we are permitted to speak of ourselves as a city embracing 1,500,000 persons, instead of a city of 840,000," Mr. Sullivan said. "I notice that the newspapers often carry advertisements announcing that they reach 1,500,000 persons, and as I travel about I almost invariably find that people doing business in Boston, though living outside, register as Bostonians."

Mr. Sullivan said he thought of Greater Boston as a single community by every standard by which it can be measured. It had been determined by the statistical department of Boston that more than a third of the wage-earners living in suburban Boston work in the city, and there was no doubt but the sources of the wealth of the Greater Boston center in the city.

Boston's finances are in remarkably fine shape, Mr. Sullivan continued. Milton and Brookline might be better but slightly off by consolidation with Boston, and the reason why is because they make themselves exclusive. Consolidation would help Revere and Chelsea. Boston is rapidly reaching its saturation point in population and it is time we "trimmed our own vineyards."

MAYOR URGES UNION STATION, ALSO ELECTRIFICATION, IN BOYLSTON STREET ASSOCIATION ADDRESS.

The importance of erecting a union railroad station at some centrally located point in the city and electrifying the steam roads within a fifteen-mile radius of Boston was stressed Monday night by Mayor Curley, speaking at the monthly meeting of the Boylston Street Association, Inc., at the Hotel Brunswick.

The Mayor declared that the business men must look twenty-five or fifty years ahead and not plan from day to day. He said that more could be done toward developing Boston by establishing a union station and electrifying the roads than in any other conceivable manner.

"The business men need the courage to visualize the station," continued the Mayor. "It would probably cost \$15,000,000," he said, but he expressed the opinion that that sum could be secured as easily as the money for the Province street widening.

The Mayor declared that the station should be erected at the Exeter street yards of the Boston & Albany Railroad, which he called an "eyesore." He said that if a modern station were constructed there the whole city would be benefited, especially the Huntington avenue and Bolyston street sections. He said the station could be so built that the trains could come into it, going around in a circle, thus eliminating the backing in and out.

The Mayor told the members of the association that the proposed police headquarters in Park square would aid their business, as the erection of other large buildings would follow.

He recommended that the association oppose any lifting of restrictions on land in the Back Bay unless it is to provide opportunity for the widening of streets.

Discussing the possibility of the building of a Ford plant at the Sullivan Square Playground, the Mayor said that he entertained no doubt about the matter. He told the association that several other factories would follow, if the way was opened by Ford.

He said that arrangements have already been made with two other organizations, the International Harvester Company and the Mack Motors, for export plants in Allston.

NEED \$100,000 MORE FOR FANEUIL HALL RESTORATION.

It will cost \$315,000 to restore Faneuil Hall. Mayor Curley announced Thursday, January 24, that he would ask for an additional appropriation of \$100,000 in order that the work now in progress may be completed. The project started during Curley's first administration. In 1916 he attempted to get a loan through but failed. In 1917 a loan of \$120,000 was passed, of which sum about \$68,000 was for the hall, \$50,000 for the Quincy Market and \$2,000 for the Old State House.

Last year \$150,000 was appropriated, making a total available for the hall at that time of about \$215,000. So far the city has paid on account \$38,316.

According to the Mayor, who had a conference on the subject, the engineers found that the foundation of the hall is not sufficiently strong to bear the added weight of a concrete floor. Making the foundation stronger will cost \$25,000. In addition, it is now proposed to renovate the entire hall as well as the headquarters of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery

Company. A complete telephone service will also be installed, while the most modern fireproofing will be put in.

It was originally decided to surround the hall with a canopy. This is being done although at a greater cost than estimated. The paint on the outside is to be blasted away. The building will then resemble the Old South Meeting House in color, red bricks with white concrete.

The engineers state that some of the "footings," or piles, were laid in loose stones or else in mud. The piles are in fairly good condition, however. Cram & Ferguson are the architects.

TREES ON COMMON HEALTHIER THAN FOR YEARS.

Trees on Boston Common are in a better condition now than they have been for many years according to Deputy Park Commissioner William P. Long before the tree wardens of the state, Thursday, Jan. 24. The tree wardens and foresters were holding the annual meeting of their association. He recalled the period a few years ago when so much concern was felt for the trees on the Common because they appeared to be dying and it was found that they were infested by the leopard moth and, besides that, were starving from lack of nutrition in the soil.

As a result of that outbreak and the prevalence of the tussock moth at the same time a campaign was mapped out to determine what kind of trees might be planted that would resist these moths, and by the year 1910 it was generally agreed that the European linden and the true English elm were the best kinds to plant in Boston.

They are gradually being substituted for the other species. About one half of the beautiful American elms in the city have since been removed. Fertilization of the soil on the Common was found to be necessary, the excavation around all the trees and the building over of the soil all over the Common, with the result that the trees which had been dying have shown vigorous growth since. When the ground was opened last year in some places it was found that there had been a fibrous growth of 19 inches, and the trees are in a better state of health today than they have been for years. There are about 75,000 shade trees in Boston.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 463.

The resignation of Patrolman Roy E. Varnum of Division 18 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, January 21, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

General Order No. 464.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Dailey and McDevitt, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Bernard P. Keough of Division 7, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty on the charge and on the second specification and not guilty on the first specification. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Bernard P. Keough perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

MAYOR REPLIES TO THE FINANCE COMMISSION REPORT ON CAMBRIDGE STREET WIDENING LANDS.

CALLS COMMISSION'S ATTENTION TO ITS PATENT OVER-EAGERNESS TO CRITICISE SALES, PARTICULARLY SINCE BODY HAS ABSOLUTE SUPERVISION OVER AWARDS—ALSO SUGGESTS CONFERENCE WITH BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS MIGHT HAVE SERVED BETTER PURPOSE.

Mayor Curley sent the following answer to the Finance Commission Monday, January 21:

HON. MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN, *Chairman Boston Finance Commission:*

MY DEAR JUDGE,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of report of your commission relative to the widening and construction of Cambridge and Court streets in the City of Boston and am at a loss to understand the occasion for the same.

Under the provisions of section 2 of chapter 489 of the Acts of 1923, no final confirmation or action can be taken by the Street Commission in the matter of an award or an assessment until all facts relative thereto shall have been submitted to the Boston Finance Commission and have been in their possession for a period of ten days prior to final action. I beg to quote this particular section of the statutes:

"provided, however, that no award or settlement of damages for any taking hereunder, and no assessment or settlement of betterments, except pursuant to judgment rendered in eminent domain proceedings or proceedings for the adjudication of betterments, shall be made unless the terms of such award, assessment or settlement and all pertinent facts shall have been submitted to the Boston Finance Commission not less than ten days before such award, assessment or settlement is made."

In view of the power to exercise absolute supervision in the matter of awards for damages or betterment assessments that are contained in the act, and contained for the first time in any similar street widening act, it would appear that the interests of the city might be better served provided a conference had been requested by you as chairman of the Finance Commission with the Board of Street Commissioners.

I cannot in view of your great mental attainments and splendid experience believe that you ever dictated or wrote the communication or at least that portion of it which criticises real estate operators for purchasing property on Cambridge street. It is obvious that a man could not succeed either in the real estate or any other business unless he kept himself informed as to the activities taking place in his particular field of operation. You point out that some thirty parcels have changed hands since the news of the street widening became public property. I know no reason why this should occasion surprise, as for myself I am greatly surprised that the number is not many times greater as in all probability if the street widening had not been proposed it is not unreasonable to assume that every property owner on the street would have disposed of his holdings even at a loss. The prospect of turning property that has been dormant for many years into cash

and at an advanced price is the character of transaction that would naturally appeal to an intelligent real estate operator and if men have seen fit to invest their money in this section of the city their zeal and their good judgment should be commended rather than serve as a subject for criticism and I personally believe that on reflection you will agree with me as to these details.

For the good name of the city and in view of the safeguards that in your opinion were necessary and that upon your recommendation were adopted by the Legislature of 1923, it might be advisable in the matter of future consideration of this project by the Finance Commission to adopt some more dignified method than that which has been followed in this particular case.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor.

FINANCE COMMISSION REPLIES TO MAYOR.

The Finance Commission replied to Mayor Curley for his defense of the real estate operators whose activities in the zone of the proposed Cambridge street widening were the subject of a report to the Mayor by the commission.

"The attitude which your Honor takes in defending the persons who have purchased within the zone of the taking of land for this great public improvement, thereby making themselves possible litigants against the City of Boston, is indeed surprising," retorted Judge Michael H. Sullivan, chairman of the Finance Commission. "While there may be no legal objection to any one purchasing land after knowledge that it is about to be taken for a public improvement, there is, in the opinion of the Finance Commission, a moral consideration that ought to restrain any person seeking to enrich himself at the expense of the public.

"It seems unfortunate that your Honor whose approval is necessary before the widening is made and whose approval of the award for damages is afterwards necessary, should defend such purchases."

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 3.

I. TWO-PLATOON SYSTEM.

The two-platoon system will be put into operation in this department commencing at 8 a. m., Friday, February 1, 1924.

Attached hereto is a printed pamphlet containing charts showing just how the various companies will be divided up between the two shifts. Listed below is a statement showing the number of men which will be allowed to the different companies, so that company commanders will simply have to refer to the chart for

the twelve, fourteen or sixteen men company, whatever their strength may be, and distribute their men accordingly:

Engine Companies.

Twelve-Men Group.—2, 11, 16, 19, 20, 30, 32, 49, 51, 52, 53.

Fourteen-Men Group.—14.

Sixteen-Men Group.—3, 5, 9, 13, 15, 17, 21, 24, 27, 28, 29, 33, 34, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43.

Eighteen-Men Group.—1, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 18, 22, 23, 25, 45, 46, 48, 50.

Twenty-Men Group.—4, 26, 31, 35, 44, 47.

Ladder Companies.

Twelve-Men Group.—3, 11, 19, 25, 26, 28, 29.

Fourteen-Men Group.—7, 10, 16, 20, 21, 22, 24, 27, 30.

Sixteen-Men Group.—3, 9, 14, 23.

Eighteen-Men Group.—1, 2, 4, 5, 12, 15, 17, 18.

Twenty-Men Group.—8, 13

*Miscellaneous.**

Six-Men Group.—Tower 1, Tower 3.

Eight-Men Group.—Chemical 7.

Twelve-Men Group.—Rescue 1.

Fourteen-Men Group.—Tower 2.

The deputy and district chiefs will be on duty as follows, the letter "a" in each case referring to the junior officer:

February 1, 7, 13, 19, 25: Day—Deputy Chiefs 1, 2, 3; District Chiefs 1, 2, 3, 4a, 5a, 6, 7, 8a, 9, 10, 11a, 12, 13a, 14a, 15a. Night—Deputy Chiefs 1, 2a, 3a; District Chiefs 1a, 2a, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7a, 8a, 9, 10a, 11, 12a, 13a, 14, 15.

February 2, 8, 14, 20, 26: Day—Deputy Chiefs 1a, 2, 3; District Chiefs 1, 2, 3a, 4a, 5a, 6a, 7, 8, 9a, 10, 11a, 12, 13, 14a, 15a. Night—Deputy Chiefs 1, 2, 3a; District Chiefs 1, 2a, 3, 4a, 5, 6, 7a, 8a, 9, 10, 11, 12a, 13a, 14a, 15.

February 3, 9, 15, 21, 27: Day—Deputy Chiefs 1a, 2a, 3; District Chiefs 1a, 2, 3a, 4, 5a, 6a, 7, 8, 9a, 10a, 11a, 12, 13, 14, 15a. Night—Deputy Chiefs 1, 2, 3; District Chiefs 1, 2, 3, 4a, 5a, 6, 7, 8a, 9, 10, 11a, 12, 13a, 14a, 15a.

February 4, 10, 16, 22, 28: Day—Deputy Chiefs 1a, 2a, 3a; District Chiefs 1a, 2a, 3a, 4, 5, 6a, 7a, 8, 9a, 10a, 11, 12a, 13, 14, 15. Night—Deputy Chiefs 1a, 2, 3; District Chiefs 1, 2, 3a, 4a, 5a, 6a, 7, 8, 9a, 10, 11a, 12, 13, 14a, 15a.

February 5, 11, 17, 23, 29: Day—Deputy Chiefs 1, 2a, 3a; District Chiefs 1a, 2a, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7a, 8a, 9, 10a, 11, 12a, 13a, 14, 15. Night—Deputy Chiefs 1a, 2a, 3; District Chiefs 1a, 2, 3a, 4, 5a, 6a, 7, 8, 9a, 10a, 11a, 12, 13, 14, 15a.

February 6, 12, 18, 24: Day—Deputy Chiefs 1, 2, 3a; District Chiefs 1, 2a, 3, 4a, 5, 6, 7a, 8a, 9, 10, 11, 12a, 13a, 14a, 15; Night—Deputy Chiefs 1a, 2a, 3a; District Chiefs 1a, 2a, 3a, 4, 5, 6a, 7a, 8, 9a, 10a, 11, 12a, 13, 14, 15.

NOTE.—Deputy Chiefs 1 and 1a, Division 1; Deputy Chiefs 2 and 2a, Division 2; Deputy Chiefs 3 and 3a, Division 3. One of the district chiefs in each district designated by the number of the district, and the other designated by the number of the district, with the letter "a" added.

The first deputy chief, Daniel F. Sennot, will be on duty as follows:

February 1, 7, 13, 19, 25, nights; February 3, 9, 15, 21, 27, days; February 4, 10, 16, 22, 28, days; February

*Included in the miscellaneous companies is company such as Tower 2, for example, which will have a great many men, many of whom are permanently disabled and will be advantageously detailed where they can function successfully in the service of the department.

5, 11, 17, 23, 29, days and nights; February 6, 12, 18, 24, nights.

The hours of duty as prescribed by city ordinance will be from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. for the day shift, and from 6 p. m. to 8 a. m. for the night shift.

Members of a group going off duty will be relieved by the members of another group coming on duty, and if any member of the coming-on-duty group be late, report of same shall be made and forwarded to headquarters. For the time that the member is late a man from the off-duty shift will be selected by the commanding officer to remain until the late member reports. The men who are to remain overtime in this case must have this time made up to them by the men whom they are covering, and should it be a chauffeur, pump operator, telegrapher or any specially qualified man, he shall be covered by a man having similar qualifications. The main thing that must be impressed upon members is that they must be on time.

When two officers of equal rank are assigned to the same command, as two district chiefs in the same district, the senior shall be the commanding officer, and the relations between him and the junior officer shall be just the same as that between a captain and lieutenant of a company. The senior officer shall determine all questions of general department policy and the junior officer shall not depart from the other practices. The junior officer, while in command, shall determine only matters which would not permit of postponement for the senior's consideration.

An emergency call will be established for concentrating the entire force, if necessary, for fire or other emergencies. On the other hand, if needed, during abnormal conditions, the entire force will remain on duty until dismissed.

Members on leaves of absence and off-duty periods must not leave the city, with the exception of days-off and vacation periods, so that they may be within call if needed. Permission to depart from this rule must be obtained through the Fire Commissioner, except for a short space of time such as two or three hours, in which case, permission may be granted by district chiefs.

Members shall not be allowed to be employed by any firm, corporation or individual, for pay, in any capacity on their time off duty, with the exception of fraternal organizations with the approval of the Fire Commissioner. For the violation of this rule members shall be liable to discharge from the department.

The attention of the department is called to Rule 349 of the Rules and Regulations, which requires that all members shall reside within the city limits. This rule must be strictly complied with, and the telephone numbers of all members, including new members, must be forwarded to headquarters. In the event of a member not having a telephone in his home, the nearest telephone number by which he can be reached will be given.

In all cases the efficiency of a company must be equally divided, without bias, and deputy and district chiefs will see that this is done effectively.

The attention of all members of the department is called to the fact that members who are on day-off on January 31 must report back to their company quarters at 8 a. m., February 1.

All meetings held by members who are affiliated with associations or clubs must be attended to while off duty, and, for

that matter, all outside activities shall be so conducted as not to lessen the numerical strength of the department.

Company commanders shall call the roll of the company twice daily, at 8 a. m. and 6 p. m.

Deputy chiefs will see to it that the various district chiefs in their respective divisions thoroughly understand the above instructions, and the district chiefs in turn will also see that the various company commanders under their command fully understand same.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the taking of land by the Board of Street Commissioners for sewerage works, the lands, rights and easements hereinafter described.

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Lawrence J. O'Sullivan, bounded:

Northwest by Armandine street, three feet; northeast by other land of said O'Sullivan, one hundred and fifty feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Norwood, three feet; and southwest by other land of said O'Sullivan, one hundred and fifty feet; containing four hundred and fifty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Roxie Norwood, bounded:

Southeast by Rockwell street, three feet; southwest by other land of said Norwood, one hundred and fifty feet; northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from O'Sullivan, three feet; and northeast by other land of said Norwood, one hundred and fifty feet; containing four hundred and fifty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to George L. Parker, bounded:

Northwest by Rockwell street, three feet; northeast by other land of said Parker, by two measurements, one hundred twenty-nine and 19-100 feet and twelve and 60-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Sweeney *et al.* and by other land of said Sweeney *et al.*, eleven and 93-100 feet; southwest by other land of said Parker, one hundred thirty-seven and 55-100 feet; containing four hundred and fifty-one square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Mabel E. Buck, bounded:

Northeast by other land of said Buck, by two measurements, four and 16-100 feet and eighty-four and 94-100 feet; southeast by Stockton street, three feet; southwest by land hereinafter described

as taken from Sweeney *et al.*, eighty-seven and 82-100 feet; containing two hundred and fifty-nine square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Margaret T. Sweeney and Francis W. Sweeney, bounded:

Southeast by Stockton street, three feet; southwest by other land of said Sweeney *et al.*, by two measurements, eighty-two and 38-100 feet and seventeen and 84-100 feet; northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Parker, eighty and 90-100 feet; northeast by other land of said Sweeney *et al.* and by land hereinafter described as taken from Buck, by two measurements, nine and 69-100 feet and eighty-seven and 82-100 feet; containing three hundred thirty-eight square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 300 linear feet of 1 foot 8-inch by 2 foot 3-inch "U" shaped concrete surface drain and 240 linear feet of 1 foot 3-inch by 1 foot 10-inch "U" shaped concrete surface drain, in the above described premises, being private land between Armandine street and Rockwell street, and between Rockwell street and Stockton street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of said easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

The Commissioner of Public Works is hereby designated to build the above sewerage works.

TRANSFERS IN APPROPRIATIONS.

City Auditor Rupert S. Carven announces the following transfers in appropriations in departments of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk, indorsed by Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox and approved by his Honor the Mayor:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Boston, January 10, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested that the following transfer be made in the appropriation for the Boston Retirement Board:

From the appropriation for A-1, Personal Service, 1 Clerk and Stenographer at \$900, \$15, to the appropriation for A-1, Personal Service, 1 Clerk (part-time) at \$30 a month, \$45.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD,

by W. J. DOYLE, Chairman.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 15, 1924.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Boston, January 16, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—In order to provide funds for the payment of bills not anticipated when the budget was made up and to provide for deficits in salaries the following transfers in the budget items for this department are respectfully requested:

From the appropriation for A-1, Assistant Registrars, 19 at \$1,800, to the appropriation for Commissioners, 2 at \$3,500-\$4,000, \$2.76; Janitor-Carpenter, 1 at \$4-\$4.50, \$12—\$14.76.

From the appropriation for C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$143.92, to the appropriation for B-2, Postage, \$54.03; B-6,

Hire of Teams, \$15.50; B-8, Light and Power, \$70.55; C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$3.84—\$143.92.

Respectfully,

BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS,
M. W. BURLIN, *Chairman*.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 16, 1924.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 14, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request your approval of the following transfers in the appropriation of 1923-24 of the Health Department:

Group A-1, Permanent Employees, to Item 79 Inspectors, \$1,400-\$2,000, \$4,000; to Item 1 Chief of Bureau of Milk Inspection, \$3,300-\$3,500, \$49.33; to Item 26 Nurses, \$1,400-\$1,500, \$2,500, from Item 5 Inspectors, \$2,000, \$6,549.33.

To B-1, Printing and Binding, \$800; B-2, Postage, \$25; B-13, Communication, \$350; B-18, Cleaning, \$325; C-12, Medical, Surgical and Laboratory, \$800, from B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$2,300.

To C-9, Office, \$75, from C-10, Library, \$75.

To D-3, Fuel, \$775, from D-5, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$775.

To E-1, Building, \$50, from E-10, Electrical, \$50.

Respectfully,

F. X. MAHONEY,
Health Commissioner.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 16, 1924.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

BOSTON, January 16, 1924.

CHARLES J. FOX, Esq.,
Budget Commissioner:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request that the following transfers be made in the segregated budget of the Overseeing of the Public Welfare Department:

From Central Office, B-18, Cleaning, \$0.85, to Central Office, B-1, Printing, \$0.85; B-18, Cleaning \$34.81, to B-39, General Plant, \$34.81; B-18, Cleaning, \$3.55, to D-15, General Plant, \$3.55. Total, \$39.21.

From Temporary Home, B-22, Medical, \$6.84, to Temporary Home, B-39, General Plant, \$6.84; D-3, Fuel, \$13.61, to B-39, General Plant, \$13.61; D-3, Fuel, \$11.15, to C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$11.15; D-3, Fuel, \$3.09, to C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$3.09; D-3, Fuel, \$2.33, to D-16, General Plant, \$2.33. Total, \$37.02.

From Wayfarers' Lodge, B-18, Cleaning, \$1.70, to Wayfarers' Lodge, B-39, General Plant, \$1.70; B-18, Cleaning, \$27.97, to D-1, Office, \$27.97; B-8, Light and Power, \$83.54, to D-3, Fuel, \$83.54. Total, \$113.21.

These transfers are requested in order to make available moneys for payment of bills for services and materials furnished in excess of what was anticipated at the first of the year.

Yours respectfully,

SIMON E. HECHT,
Chairman.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 16, 1924.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 16, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request the following transfers within the appropriation of the Public Buildings Department, Suffolk County Courthouse, County Buildings:

From the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$2,000, to the appropriation for B-8, Light and Power, \$1,500; D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, etc., \$250; E-10, Electrical Material, \$250—\$2,000.

Respectfully yours,

FRED J. KNEELAND,

Superintendent of Public Buildings.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 16, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Division.

BOSTON, January 15, 1924.

To the City Auditor:

I respectfully recommend the transfers in the following item in the budget for the Water Division:

From the appropriation for A-1, Addressograph Operators at \$1,050-\$1,100, \$60, to the appropriation for A-1, 1 (2) Clerks at \$1,200, \$60.

Very respectfully,

E. F. MURPHY,

Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 16, 1924.

BOSTON, January 14, 1924.

To the City Auditor:

I respectfully recommend transfer of the following items in the budget for 1923-24:

From the appropriation for A-1, Division Engineer at \$5,000, \$80.25, to the appropriation for A-1, 12 Chauffeurs at \$27, \$80.25.

From A-1, 2 Clerks at \$1,800, \$15, to 11 Clerks at \$2,000, \$15.

From A-1, 3 Clerks at \$1,800, \$130, to 1 Clerk at \$1,700-\$1,900, \$130.

From A-1, 3 Clerks at \$1,800, \$130, to 3 Clerks at \$1,700, \$130.

From A-1, 1 Engineer in Charge at \$3,500, \$291.67, to 1 Engineer in Charge of Meters, \$3,500, \$291.67.

From A-1, 3 Senior Engineers at \$3,500, \$233.30, to District Engineer at \$3,500, \$233.30.

From A-1, 3 Pavers at \$5, \$144, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$144.

From A-1, 3 Sealers at \$4.50, \$144, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$144.

From A-1, 184 Laborers at \$4, \$1,600, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$1,500.

From A-3, Overtime, \$1,500, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$1,500.

From A-3, Temporary, \$1,025, to A-3, Other Departments, \$1,025.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$185, to B-3, Light and Power, \$185.

From B-3, Advertising and Postage, \$40, to B-10, Rent, Taxes, Water, \$40.

From B-3, Advertising and Postage, \$20, to B-13, Communication, \$20.

From C-3, Electrical, \$35, to B-37, Photographing, \$35.

From C-3, Electrical, \$20, to Motorless Vehicles, \$20.

From C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$400, to B-1, Office, \$400.

From C-17, General Plant, \$30, to D-8, Laundry, \$30.

From D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$1,000, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$1,000.

From E-6, Water, \$110,000, to High Pressure Fire System Extension, \$110,000.

From E-6, Water, \$600, to D-1, Office, \$600.

From E-16, Electrical, \$5, to F-1, Buildings, \$5.

From F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$65, to F-8, Damages, \$65.

The transfers in A-1 are to balance salaries.

Transfers to B-42, Repairing of Streets, are to settle all bills outstanding contracted during the year in repairing openings made by the Water Division. Incidentally it might be mentioned that while the total expenditure under Item B-42 appears to be large, the greater percentage of this amount is actually paid by the petitioners.

The transfers from E-6, Water, of \$110,000 to High Pressure Fire System Extension is a renewal of the request of the Commissioner of Public Works dated October 10, 1923, to transfer money from E-6 to High Pressure Fire System Extension. On account of the fact that E-6 is a current year item it was not possible to contract for water pipe and materials which, owing to manufacturing conditions, could not under any consideration be delivered during the fiscal year 1923-24, consequently the appropriation should more properly come under standing accounts.

Very respectfully,

E. F. MURPHY,

Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 16, 1924.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

BOSTON, January 8, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR MR. MAYOR,—Some additional supplies and printing are required for this department, and I therefore request that you arrange to have transfers made as follows:

From A-1, 21 Copyists, Piece-work, to B-1, Printing and Binding, \$250.

From A-1, 21 Copyists, Piece-work, to D-1, Supplies, \$250.

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM T. A. FITZGERALD,
Register.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 14, 1924.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

BOSTON, January 18, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Our appropriation for budget item D-1 is exhausted and we need, to meet our bills, the sum of \$83.78, and I respectfully request that this amount be transferred from budget item A-1, 5 Court Officers at \$1,956 (the appropriation for Court Officers), to meet this amount.

Yours very truly,

JOHN F. CRONIN, *Clerk.*

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 20, 1924.

THE FINANCE COMMISSION REPORT ON OVERSEERS OF PUBLIC WELFARE PROPERTY.

The Finance Commission has made the following report as requested by the Mayor, on replacing the property of the Overseers of the Public Welfare:

Boston, January 23, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

SIR.—In response to your Honor's request for a report on the advisability of replacing the property occupied by the Overseers of the Public Welfare on Chardon street with a new structure, the commission submits the following report:

I. THE PRESENT PLANT.

(a.) *The Location.*—The buildings are in a district of high fire hazard, largely second-class construction, warehouses and shops; otherwise it is a good location for the work.

(b.) *The Land.*—The lot of land on which these buildings stand contains 19,962 square feet, with a frontage of 143 feet on Chardon street, 105 feet on Hawkins street, and 173 feet on Bowker street. The buildings cover but 13,000 square feet or about three quarters of the entire area.

(c.) *The Buildings.*—There are three buildings, viz., administration, three stories; women's lodging house, four stories; and a one story brick building, which contains the boiler house and a storehouse, now unused. The buildings were erected in the sixties. The two larger ones are of substantial construction; brick bearing walls, wood framed floors and partitions, mansard slated roofs. The stories are high stud. 14 feet and 15 feet high, the windows adequate for ordinary domestic use if light from outside is unobstructed, but inadequate for clerical work. The boiler plant, which furnishes steam for heating and domestic purposes, is in the one-story building, entirely separated from the other buildings. There are two tubular boilers twenty-five years old, low pressure. They are adequate for their purpose and should give satisfactory service for several years. The plumbing is old and unsatisfactory.

II. OCCUPATION.

1. Administration Building.

(a.) *The Overseers.*—The Board room is of ample size and otherwise fairly satisfactory.

The secretary and his force occupy a space that is adequate in size, but ill-arranged and ill-lighted for clerical work.

The treasurer and bookkeepers, who are in charge of the daily payments, are in similar quarters. Neither these quarters nor the vault are convenient or entirely safe for handling payments averaging \$3,000 a day.

The space at present occupied by the force of visitors is not as large as is desirable, and it is necessary for two or more of these officials to occupy the same room for their interviews and clerical work. Above the ground floor there are several unoccupied rooms.

Repairs are needed, including removal of partitions, rearrangement of rooms, new plumbing and lighting fixtures, ventilating equipment, new floors, and painting.

(b.) *Other Organizations in the Building.*—At present the Boston Provident Association, the Family Welfare Society, the St. Vincent de Paul Society, the German Aid Society, the Co-operative Work Rooms, the Industrial Aid Society and the Exchange Index have quarters in the building.

The Family Welfare Society is in the old hall on the top floor, which is subdivided and the floor space increased by a gallery. The co-operative work rooms have increased the floor capacity in three rooms by putting in a second floor.

(c.) *Other Organizations not in the Building.*—The value of having the city's various charities, public and private, closely related is generally acknowledged. There are many private charities which are not in this building. The Jewish Welfare Society and the Children's Aid Society both have been in the building and left because the working conditions were not adequate.

2. Temporary Home for Women.

The building is four stories high with wooden stairs, and various fire exits and fire escapes. It provides sleeping accommodations for fifty people. Ordinarily the daily average number of applicants does not exceed twenty-five. The plumbing is wholly out of date. Repairs to the walls and ceilings are needed, some new floors and also painting and improved lighting.

3. Boiler House and Store.

The boiler house has somewhat inadequate coal bins, but is otherwise a satisfactory building.

The storehouse was used as a grocery store, but now orders are given on chain stores and no supplies are kept at the headquarters.

It is not practicable to make the administration building and the women's lodging house fireproof, or to alter the height of the stories. It is practicable to improve conditions by installing new ventilating and lighting facilities, putting in new plumbing, repairing floors, roofs, walls and ceilings and painting.

III. NEW BUILDINGS.

From the estimates of the cost of a new building or buildings on the present location which the Finance Commission has secured, it is clear that the cost would not be less than \$600,000. The demand upon the Temporary Home for Women at present is considerably below the accommodation. This home is not as up to date as a new building, but it could be made serviceable for many years by new plumbing and interior repairs. A new structure ought not to be built in these times of high tax rates and top prices in building construction simply to secure greater convenience. While it is true that a modern administration building would be more convenient to carry on the business of the department, conditions in the present buildings are far from intolerable. By the expenditure of a comparatively small amount of money the buildings can be made adequate and comfortable for the next five years at any rate and possibly longer.

The widening of Cambridge and Court streets is very likely to make a change in the character of that section of the city, particularly in the part where these city buildings are located. This change may occur within the next five years and the question of putting a new building on the present location or moving to some other location can be more definitely determined at that time than it possibly can be today.

IV. RECOMMENDATIONS.

The Finance Commission recommends:

1. That the building on Chardon street occupied by the central office of the overseers be repaired as to plumbing and

ventilation, and that such other and further repairs as are necessary for bettering the facilities and comfort in the occupation of the building be made.

2. That modern plumbing and sanitary appliances be installed in the Temporary Home for Women, and that the interior of this building be repaired and repainted where necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION.

by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,

Chairman.

LAND-TAKING IN BOSTON PROPER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land and buildings located on the passageway running southerly from Garden street arch, in the rear of the Grant School property on Phillips street, Boston proper, containing approximately 1,777 square feet, for school purposes the following described parcel of land, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Hannah Greenwood, bounded:

West by land of the City of Boston fifty and 34-100 feet; north by land supposed to belong to Frederick M. Smith, two and 38-100 feet; west by the same, 33-100 feet; north by the same, and by land supposed to belong to heirs of James E. West, thirty-three and 5-100 feet; east by land supposed to belong to Benjamin Florence *et al.*, and to Max Cohen *et al.*, thirty-seven and 12-100 feet; south by land supposed to belong to Max Cohen *et al.*, two feet; east by the same, thirteen feet; and south by common passageway and by land supposed to belong to Harry B. Friedberg, thirty-four and 16-100 feet; containing seventeen hundred and seventy-seven square feet, more or less. This estate is taken with the reservation to the owners, their heirs and assigns, of the estate adjoining the parcel taken hereunder, on the northerly side, of the right to use the northerly wall of the said Greenwood estate in accordance with their legal rights. This estate is taken subject to such rights, if any there be, in the owners of the estates adjoining on the easterly side of the estate taken hereunder and supposed to belong to Benjamin Florence *et al.* and to Max Cohen *et al.*, in a strip of land shown and designated on the plan hereinafter referred to as "Common Passageway 4 feet wide," and said Greenwood estate is taken with the reservation to said owners, their heirs and assigns, of the right to use said common passageway in accordance with their legal rights.

Said parcel is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Garden Street Arch, Garden Street, Phillips Street, Boston Proper, September 21, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned estate sustains damages by the taking made for school purposes in the rear of the Grant School property on Phillips street, Boston proper, under the order of the Board, in the amount hereinafter set against it, and awards said amount therefor.

	Amount.
Hannah Greenwood, 1,777 square feet and building.....	\$2,900

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during week ending January 19:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Robert McNutt Corporation...	31-43 Hudson street (5)....	5		Dilapidated.
Robert McNutt Corporation...	65-85 Kneeland street (5)...	5	Stores, dwellings..	New Building.
Robert McNutt Corporation...	30-34 Tyler street (2).....	5	Stores, dwellings...	New building.
Barry Building Wrecking Co...	63 Alger street.....	11	Stable.....	Unsafe.
Barry Building Wrecking Co...	16 Gold street.....	9	Dwelling	Unsafe.
Carmine Russo.....	Rear of 499 Beech street...	23	Stable.	

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

Henry C. Sheils has been granted an extension of the date of completion of the contract for the erection of refrigerating machinery room, to January 28, 1924. This extension is made necessary because owing to various delays, the contract was not completed on January 1, 1924, as called for, and now an extension to January 28, 1924, is granted because it is found that the concrete walls were not sufficiently waterproofed, and the walls and floor of a pit in which is the iron brine tank must be made absolutely waterproof before the tank can be put in.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Walter Curley has been granted an extension of the time of completion of contract for alterations at Engine House No. 19, until January 10, 1924. The delay was caused by the conditions under which the work had to be done. The present dormitory could not be touched until all the work on the new dormitory had been completed.

Petroleum Heat and Power Company have been granted an extension of contract for the installation of oil-burning equipment at the quarters of Engine Company 25, Fort Hill square. The contractor was unavoidably held up on the completion of the concrete tank and this delay necessitates asking for extension.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The C. & R. Construction Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in Grove street, between Washington street and Centre street, West Roxbury, from January 1, 1924, to January 31, 1924, thirty days.

The J. Edward Ogden Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for two sets of ferry bridge galleys frame and accompanying machinery for the South Ferry, from December 14, 1923, to March 14, 1924. This extension covers only the work to be done on the Boston side and is requested on account of the difficulties encountered in securing competent erection men.

William Barrett & Co. have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Florence street, between Harrison avenue and Washington street, city proper, from December 22, 1923, to January 3, 1924. Twelve days.

V. Barlotta has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works for Dorchester Brook sewer, East Fork, in

East Cottage street and Humphreys street, from Norfolk avenue to Holden street, Dorchester, from December 29, 1923, to June 1, 1924, 154 days.

This extension of time is in addition to a previous extension dated November 3, 1923, making a total of 180 days, and is occasioned by the fact that on account of freezing weather the relaying of pavements cannot be done until the spring months.

MAYOR WANTS INCREASE IN CORPORATE EXCESS TAXES.

Because of the failure of corporation taxes to keep pace with the cost of government Boston and other cities of the Commonwealth have been hard hit according to Rupert S. Carven, City Auditor of Boston, who appeared before the Committee on Taxation, Tuesday, January 22, in support of a bill of Mayor Curley's to provide that the present rate of \$5 per \$1,000 on the value of corporate excess shall be increased to \$10, while the rate of two and one half per cent on the net income shall remain the same.

Mr. Carven said that the cost of government has gone up 50 to 75 per cent, and real estate is suffering because it is compelled to bear the larger part of the increased burden of providing the additional money required by cities and towns.

The city received from the state treasury as its share of taxes collected from corporation in the year ending January 31, 1922, Mr. Carven, said, the sum of \$4,838,000. "Last year," he said, "the city received only \$2,655,000, and this year, for eleven months, the figure is \$2,681,000. This includes business corporations, public service corporations, savings banks and all other corporations, both foreign and domestic."

Another fault according to Mr. Carven, with the present law is that by reason of the fact that the income from the tax of 2½ per cent on profits fluctuates, the city never knows in advance what it is to receive, and the city officials are largely in the dark in making estimates of revenue. If the \$5 rate were increased to \$10, he said, the city would have a fairly fixed sum which would produce a tax which while it would be fair to the corporations, would provide a fair income from this source for the city.

Corporation Counsel E. Mark Sullivan also spoke for the bill. He said that the radical changes made in the tax laws in the past five or six years have been extremely disappointing in results. Mr. Sullivan pointed out that the present tax on corporations—\$5 per \$1,000 on the corporate excess contrasts strangely with the old property tax levied in the same way that all real estate taxes are levied, and which today would be about \$27 per \$1,000 under the old system.

CITY COLLECTOR TO SELL DELINQUENT TAX PROPERTY.

City Collector William M. McMorro announces that of the total warrant of \$43,558,012.48, the collections to January 19, inclusive, amounted to \$38,886,662.59, which leaves a balance of \$4,416,517.27. Interest at 8 per cent now being charged is on all taxes in excess of \$200, from and including October 16. Estates where the taxes remain unpaid after January 31 will be advertised for immediate sale. Under the new law the collector is obliged to sell all property, at once, where the taxes are not paid in the year they are levied.

CASH BALANCE FOR CITY AT END OF YEAR.

Boston will have a cash balance on hand at the end of the fiscal year, February 1, for the first time in the city's history, Mayor Curley predicted after spending the entire day preparing his address to the new City Council which comes in on February 4.

He based his conclusion on numerous conferences with department heads in obtaining material for the report of his year's stewardship. All bills contracted during the year, furthermore, will have been paid within the year, as provided by a recently enacted law.

The Mayor deserted his office and went into hiding in a part of City Hall where he obtained seclusion. Within the next few days he plans again to elude official and other visitors for as much time as he can spare to round his address into proper shape.

One of the things which he will recommend is an appropriation of \$15,000 for establishment of a women's employment bureau in the Archbishop John J. Williams Memorial Building, Brookline street and Shawmut avenue.

The bureau is in the basement of City Hall. The Mayor objects to this location as unsuitable because of the large number of men, seeking employment at the men's division of the bureau, who fill the corridors and stairways. His proposal is to relieve the women of this embarrassment.

Another recommendation will be the spending of \$150,000 for completing improvements on Columbus Park, South Boston, part of the Strandway project. The Mayor would have 500 trees planted there as a memorial to Boston men who lost their lives in the world war. Each tree would bear a permanent marker inscribed with the name of one of the heroes.

MAYOR STARTS PROBE OF WATER SUPPLY SOLD TO CITY.

Mayor Curley has written a letter to Christopher J. Carven, division engineer of the Water Service, asking him to investigate the quality of water being supplied and also to report on the increase in charges under the present rate system as contrasted with the system in operation prior to the adoption of the new method. He also suggested that Mr. Carven look into the possibilities of developing water power and storage facilities.

The Mayor said that he had had no complaints regarding the water. He hopes to lessen the cost of supplying water to Boston. In 1917 the city paid \$1,700,000 and for next year the price is estimated at \$1,900,000. If the system of charges, instead of being one third on the valuation of the section served and two thirds on consumption, might be based entirely on consumption the yearly saving would be \$150,000, according to the Mayor.

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending January 19, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
United States Census Bureau, 776,783.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 192; nonresidents, 28; total,
220.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 14.77; nonresidents deducted,
12.89.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 15.11; corresponding week
last year, 20.57.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 38; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 7; sixty years and over, 74;
total deaths, male, 113; female, 107;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 111;
deaths of colored, 8.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 19, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 20, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	1	—
Diphtheria.....	73	4	64	4
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	1	1	—
Influenza.....	1	1	41	8
Measles.....	117	—	86	2
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	1	3	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	37	16	61	37
Scarlet fever.....	146	2	49	3
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	51	9	32	8
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	8	2	7	3
Typhoid fever.....	4	1	1	—
Whooping cough.....	22	—	82	6

* Residents and nonresidents included.

WANTS CAMBRIDGE STREET TAK-
INGS ON PURCHASE PRICE
BASIS.

The Finance Commission has addressed the following communication to the Mayor relative to property figuring in the widening of Cambridge street.

Boston, January 19, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—In chapter 489 of the Acts of 1923, entitled "An Act to provide for the Widening and Construction of Cambridge street and Court street in the City of Boston," the following provision appears in section 2.

"provided, however, that no awarding of damages for any taking hereunder and no assessment or settlement of betterments except pursuant to judgment rendered in eminent domain proceedings, or proceedings for the adjudication of betterments shall be made, unless the terms of such award, assessment, or settlement and all pertinent facts shall have been submitted to the Boston Finance Commission not less than ten days before such award, assessment, or settlement is made."

The Street Commissioners, on request, have furnished the Finance Commission with a plan showing the proposed widening of Cambridge and Court streets and giving the names of the owners of record of the land to be taken as of October 1, 1923.

It appears from the investigation made by the commission that there have been 30 sales of property involved in the proposed widening of Cambridge street, since May 1, 1922. Although there had been little or no real estate activity on Cambridge and Court streets for a number of years previously, since the proposed

widening began to be discussed in 1922 a few persons have purchased properties on Cambridge and Court streets and the streets adjoining which the city would be obliged to take, in whole or in part, under the proposed widening, or which after the widening would front upon or be adjacent to the new thoroughfare. The dates of the purchases, the record ownership where it differs from the actual ownership, and the location of the properties are as follows:

Nos. 193 and 195 Cambridge street were purchased on May 3, 1922, by Melvin F. Hill and Harold G. King, taking title in the name of Mary F. Harnedy, secretary to Mr. Hill. Mr. Hill is a real estate operator.

Nos. 140-144 Cambridge street were purchased in August, 1922, by Hannah Greenwood, who took title in her own name. She purchased the property following the foreclosure of a mortgage.

Nos. 152 and 154 Cambridge street were purchased on December 1, 1922, by W. F. Scott, trustee of the Franklin Realty Trust, from Eugene B. Hamilton and John McIntosh, who bought the property from the Porter estate on September 21, 1922. The title of the Franklin Realty Trust is recorded in the name of Arthur J. Phalen, who has no interest in the property. The trust is a realty company, the business of which is buying and selling real estate.

Nos. 118-122 Cambridge street were purchased by John C. Kiley & Co. from Jeremiah Green, on December 30, 1922, title being taken on February 1, 1923. On April 4, 1923, John C. Kiley & Co. sold this property to Dr. Walter G. McGauley.

Nos. 201 and 203 Cambridge street were purchased by Rosie Jacobowitz and

Carrie Levinson on January 24, 1923, from the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company.

Nos. 30 and 32 Cambridge street were purchased in March, 1923, at a foreclosure sale. The title of the property stands of record in the name of William J. Stober. The actual owner is G. Augustus Holzman, who is a real estate operator.

Nos. 298-304 Cambridge street had been owned by Walter Nash for about twenty years. A few years ago he sold them, taking a mortgage back. Mr. Nash foreclosed this mortgage by public sale in March, 1923, buying the property in himself.

Nos. 162-184 Cambridge street were purchased by Joseph Rittenberg and Samuel Waldmann, trustees of the Irving Realty Trust, on May 9, 1923. This trust owns a garage in the rear of this property.

Nos. 109 and 111 Court street were purchased by the Sudbury Amusement Company, Adolphus M. Burroughs, treasurer, on November 9, 1923, from the trustees under the will of Stephen Minot Pitman. The purchaser had been lessee of this property for some years.

Nos. 317 and 319 and 327-333 Cambridge street; the Edison Electric Illuminating Company took an option on Nos. 327-333 on August 14, 1923, and about the same time took an option on the adjoining parcel, 317 and 319. Title to Nos. 327-333 was taken for the company in the name of William T. Fleming on September 14, 1923. In order to get title to the second parcel, Nos. 317 and 319, it was necessary to have a mortgage foreclosed by public sale, which was done in October, 1923. At the auction sale John C. Kiley, Henry F. Wood and Frederick L. McGowan purchased the property in their own behalf, and on November 6 sold it to the Edison Company. On the same date a deed to the Edison Company from William T. Fleming of the adjoining property was recorded. The purpose of this purchase by the Edison Company was to procure a site in this locality to establish a distributing station.

Nos. 301 and 303 Cambridge street were purchased by Fannie H. Stone on June 1, 1923. Her husband had been in business at that location for eight years.

No. 7 Bowdoin street was purchased by John C. Kiley on March 6, 1923, and title was taken in the name of Thomas A. Ryan, the actual owners being John C. Kiley and Edward F. Cassell.

Nos. 173-177 Cambridge street were purchased on March 23, 1923, by John C. Kiley and title taken in the name of Charles H. Connelly, but the property is actually owned by John C. Kiley and Edward F. Cassell.

In addition to the last two purchases, John C. Kiley purchased properties from seventeen other owners on Cambridge and Court streets and adjoining streets. The dates of purchase are as follows:

November 8, 1922, 283-298 Cambridge street.

November 16, 1922, 102 and 104 West Cedar street.

November 16, 1922, 9 Gilson court.

November 18, 1922, 243-249 Cambridge street.

November 21, 1922, 223-233 Cambridge street; 1-7 North Anderson street; 3 Lawrence place.

November 22, 1924, 308-312 Cambridge street.

November 22, 1922, 214-228 Cambridge street; 4-8 Anderson street; 1, 2, 3 Brooks place.

November 24, 1922, 171 and 173 Cambridge street.

November 25, 1922, 50 Howard street.

November 27, 1922, 52-62 Cambridge street; 5 Temple street.

December 4, 1922, 213-221 Cambridge street; 6, 7, 8 Lawrence place.

December 15, 1922, 106 West Cedar street.

January 2, 1923, 205-209 Cambridge street.

January 19, 1923, 1 Lindall place.

January 25, 1923, 3 Adams place.

June 29, 1923, 130-136 Cambridge street.

July 20, 1923, 7 Temple street.

All these properties were purchased and recorded in the names of persons other than Mr. Kiley. Deeds were taken from these different title holders to the Northern Realty Trust, which to January 1, 1924, have not been recorded.

The Northern Realty Trust was created on December 11, 1922. This trust is owned by John C. Kiley of John C. Kiley & Co. and Guy W. Currier, an attorney with offices at 6 Mt. Vernon place. Messrs. Kiley and Currier do not, however, appear as owners in the trust instrument. The trust was formed "as a vehicle" to hold the properties which Mr. Kiley was purchasing on Cambridge and Court streets and vicinity.

Messrs. Kiley and Currier were before the Finance Commission on the afternoon of December 31, 1923. That evening—according to testimony given by Mr. Kiley on January 3, 1924, when he was again called before the Commission—he and Mr. Currier "talked together" and Mr. Currier, who "was more or less put out that I (Mr. Kiley) had bought things that were going to be totally taken," requested Mr. Kiley to sell any property which they had on Cambridge or Court streets that was to be totally taken by the city, or where the taking by the city was to exceed 50 per cent of their ownership. On the same day, January 3, Mr. Kiley presented a letter to the Finance Commission which Mr. Currier had written to him, confirming their talk on the evening of December 31.

Mr. Kiley further testified on January 3 that he sold the property numbered 308-312 Cambridge street—which was wholly included in the widening on that very day, January 3, without loss, but was unwilling to give the name of the purchaser.

The Finance Commission recommends that the damages awarded for the taking by the City of Boston of the whole or any part of the thirty properties mentioned in this report be based upon the purchase prices, which have been sent to your Honor in a report of the Finance Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

PAYMENT OF BILL FOR PUMPING STATION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the payment of the bill of the Murray Engineering Company for repairs to the suction chamber of engine No. 5 at the Calf Pasture pumping station, following an emergency order. Advertising for bids was not possible, on account of the urgency of the repairs. The work was completed in a satisfactory manner on December 31, and the cost of the work, as approved by the Public Works Department, amounted to \$2,332.72.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 17 TO JANUARY 23.

JANUARY 17.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Leighton & Barrie.....	Rear of 80 Champney street.	3	First-class garage.....	\$8,000
Frank Sher.....	Rear of 152 Callender street.	21	Second-class garage.....	1,500
Emil Shogren.....	243 Beech street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
D. Puopolo.....	60 Endicott street.....	5	Erect fire escape.....	450
Isaac Popkin.....	1502 and 1504 Washington street.	6	Erect fire escape.....	300
J. S. Leiter.....	2 and 4 Dighton place.....	25	Erect fire escape.....	200
Tileston-Hollingsworth Company.....	Rear of 892 River street.....	24	Alterations, manufacturing..	2,000
Barnet Lesser.....	114 and 116 Porter street...	2	Alterations, stores and garage	1,000
William Cheng.....	10 Tyler street.....	5	Alterations, store and dwelling.	600
R. P. Slattery & Co.....	159 Harrison avenue.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	1,200
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, lessee.	163 Dorchester avenue.....	9	Alterations, store rooms.....	8,000

JANUARY 18.

W. J. Gould.....	Rear of 66 Perthshire road..	26	First-class garage.....	\$1,200
Matilda Millen.....	1208 Dorchester avenue.....	17	Special chimney foundation..	650
Anthony Cibotti.....	46 Water street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	500
Asa Owen Sewall.....	10 Landseer street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,500
James H. Scrufutis.....	532 Tremont street.....	6	Alteration, offices and tenements.	1,500
Elmer H. Bright & Co.....	74-88 State street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	10,000
Trustees David Sears Real Estate Trust.	630 Washington street....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	600
City of Boston.....	1243 Hyde Park avenue....	24	Alterations, police station...	1,000
Carmine Russo.....	Rear of 499 Beech street....	23	Take-down, stable.....	100

JANUARY 19.

Thomas Carey.....	Rear of 42 Pleasant street..	11	Second-class garage.....	\$1,000
Maude C. MacDonald.....	Rear of 140 Church street..	23	Third-class garage.....	650
Berish & Beirman.....	3 Greendale road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Berish & Beirman.....	5 Greendale road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Philip Rubin.....	171 Glenway street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
Tremont Realty Company..	244-248 Tremont street....	5	Alterations, theatre.....	3,000
Blanch V. Smith.....	73 Brent street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
S. A. Woods Machine Company.	456 Dorchester avenue....	11	Take-down, factory.....	200

JANUARY 21.

Croce Verrachi.....	50 Wales place.....	18	First-class garage.....	\$1,400
Boston Insurance Company.	87 Kilby street.....	5	Special smokestack.....	650
M. J. Lang.....	Rear of 168 Wood avenue..	24	Third-class milk room.....	200
M. J. Lang.....	Rear of 168 Wood avenue..	24	Third-class stable.....	500
Max Schitsky.....	24 Seaver street.....	16	Alterations, apartment.....	200
John Volini.....	1054 Washington street....	6	Alterations, dwelling.....	75
James E. Alexander.....	1003 Tremont street.....	13	Alterations, store and apartments.	600
M. F. Cahill.....	847 Summer street.....	9	Alterations, machine shop...	500
Vartouhy Kayikjian.....	52 School street.....	15	Alterations, apartment house,	70
Vartouhy Kayikjian.....	54 School street.....	15	Alterations, apartment house,	70
Vartouhy Kayikjian.....	56 School street.....	15	Alterations, apartment house,	70
Ralph H. White estate.....	136 Purchase street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	3,000
Albert Brown heirs.....	28 and 30 Pitts street.....	5	Alterations, dwelling and storage.	200
William Main.....	34 Neponset avenue.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
A. Ekberg.....	8 Mill street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
P. Meehan estate.....	162 and 164 Green street..	22	Alterations, stores.....	1,600
J. C. Nichols.....	259-263 Emerson street....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
B. L. Gale.....	53 Charlotte street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
G. H. Alexander.....	83 Beacon street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Mrs. E. Page.....	339 Massachusetts avenue..	7	Alterations, restaurant.....	900
John Cogswell.....	312 Border street.....	1	Alterations, manufacturing..	25
Tileston estate.....	590-600 Atlantic avenue....	5	Install two elevators.....	8,700
City of Boston.....	209-229 Milk street.....	5	Install two elevators.....	10,000
Gillette Safety Razor Company.	80 Dorchester avenue.....	9	Install one elevator.....	6,865
Wetmore-Savage Company..	76 Pearl street.....	5	Install three dumb-waiters...	1,953
A. H. Rudman.....	394 Massachusetts avenue..	7	Alterations, elevator.....	2,000

JANUARY 22.

Joseph and Sabina Hutchinson.	12 Anson street.....	22	Second-class garage.....	\$1,000
William London.....	1140 Commonwealth ave....	25	Second-class tenement.....	100,000
William London.....	1144 Commonwealth ave....	25	Second-class tenement.....	100,000
King Terminal.....	19 Elkins street.....	9	Second-class office and pump room and one store.	10,000
R. C. Wells.....	305 Kittredge street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
Artemus G. Boyce.....	66 Stockton street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Edmund Zubrzenski.....	220 Wood avenue.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
C. W. Whittier & Brothers.	276, 282-286 Friend street and 109 and 111 Causeway street.	5	Alterations, stores.....	500
Boston Elevated Railway..	94 Alford street.....	3	Alterations, steel shop.....	4,000
Boston Parlor Furniture Co.	53, 55, 59 Wareham street..	6	Alterations, manufacturing..	200
Mrs. Lena Fletcher.....	85 Fairview avenue.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
Joseph Dzugalski.....	85-92 Claybourne street....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
A. W. Perry.....	32-38 Bromfield street....	5	Alterations, store and offices.	700
Henry H. Rogers et al.....	299 and 301 Blue Hill ave..	16	Alterations, stores and dwelling.	700
Young Women's Christian Association.	40 Berkeley street.....	7	Alterations, Y. W. C. A. building.	450
Workmen's Co-operative Bank.	59-73 Cornhill.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	870
Pettingell-Andrews.....	134 and 136 Purchase street,	5	Install elevator.....	6,725
Strand Amusement Co.....	656 Centre street.....	22	Erect sign.....	400

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 17 TO JANUARY 23.

JANUARY 23.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Elizabeth McKean	5 Hosston terrace	17	First-class garage	\$1,000
Frank L. Churchill	73 Stockton street	21	Third-class dwelling	9,500
Walter P. Whittemore	820 South street	23	Alterations, dwelling	4,000
William Kaufman	23 and 25 South Huntington avenue.	15	Alterations, dwelling	309
Thornelyke Whittemore	234 240 Boylston street	8	Alterations, store and offices	1,700
David M. Black	38 Greenock street	21	Alterations, garage	550
David M. Black	36 Greenock street	21	Alterations, dwelling	200
New England Iron Works Company	365 Summer street	9	Alterations, boiler shop	4,000
W. T. Van Nostrand	Rear of 26 Alford street	3	Alterations, shop	200
Ermanno Guariseello	129 Endicott street	5	Alterations, tenements	40
John C. Haynes estate	133-137 Federal street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	30,000
New England Baptist Hospital.	85 Parker Hill avenue	14	Install two elevators	6,650
Goggin and Ripley, Incorporated.	301 Berkeley street	8	Install two elevators	10,125

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 17 TO JANUARY 23.

JANUARY 17.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. S. Cassidy	51 Elmira street	26	New fixtures	\$900
Robert A. Matthews	963-979 Dorchester avenue	11	New fixtures	600
John J. O'Toole	3 Denton terrace	23	New fixtures	900
P. F. Russo	25 Weybosset street	24	New fixtures	900
Frank H. Densmore	184 Rutherford avenue	3	New fixtures	468
L. R. Gibson & Son	24 River street	21	New fixtures	300
B. A. MacDonald	1 Grew avenue	23	New fixtures	425

JANUARY 18.

Samuel Gilman	1089 and 1091 Washington street	6	New fixtures	\$350
H. S. Trethewey	19 Tappan street	23	New fixtures	775
Eli Parod	30 Nazing street	16	New fixtures	1,125
A. I. Russell	408 Market street	26	New fixtures	30
I. W. Crozier	20 Lawrence street	7	New fixtures	35
John W. Slane	146 Lasell street	23	New fixtures	400
John C. Kelly	18 East Brookline street	6	New fixtures	250
George A. Renshaw	725 Dudley street	17	New fixtures	50
H. S. Trethewey	6 Cataumet street	22	New fixtures	650
Joseph H. McCarthy	94 Blue Hill avenue	12	New fixtures	150
H. S. Trethewey	12 Burwell road	23	New fixtures	775
Joseph Locke	2052 Centre street	23	New fixtures	50

JANUARY 19.

Arthur L. Mann	12 Piedmont street	8	New fixtures	\$300
E. W. Palmer	88 and 90 Bennett street	26	New fixtures	800
J. O'Connell	80 Oakland street	26	New fixtures	175
Abraham Kellem	27 East Springfield street	12	New fixtures	200
Pagington Brothers	69 Readville street	24	New fixtures	150
Pagington Brothers	85 Readville street	24	New fixtures	400
Harry D. Pollard	1 Waldorf street	21	New fixtures	475
Browning & Riley	174 Federal street	5	New fixtures	200
Lorenzo E. Young	75 Hillsdale street	20	New fixtures	400
J. P. Perry & Co.	59 Minot street	20	New fixtures	75

JANUARY 21.

Edward P. Lang	57 Broad street	5	New fixtures	\$300
M. T. Kelly	318 North street	5	New fixtures	225
Abraham I. Weiss	88 Kingston street	5	New fixtures	350
Nicholas J. Kelley	Rear of 45 West Fourth st.	9	New fixtures	1,050
John J. Vogel	10 Crawford street	16	New fixtures	200
K. W. McManus	528 Washington street	19	New fixtures	300
John I. Henderson	37 Haydn street	23	New fixtures	900

JANUARY 22.

L. R. Freedman	317 West Third street	9	New fixtures	\$50
H. W. Driscoll	99 Pinckney street	8	New fixtures	1,700
F. H. Densmore	24 Mallet street	20	New fixtures	197
D. J. Rull	514 East Sixth street	10	New fixtures	300
Wilford H. Gray	68 Chester street	24	New fixtures	825
Willis E. Hunt	40 Alford street	3	New fixtures	300
Capital Plumbing and Heating Company	72 Midway street	9	New fixtures	150
Michael Fonseca	33 Kerwin street	19	New fixtures	200
Charles King	234-240 Boylston street	8	New fixtures	600
R. W. Crediford	7 Arcadia place	18	New fixtures	300

JANUARY 23.

James E. Fleming	12 Cleveland avenue	25	New fixtures	\$350
W. F. Arkinson Company	133 Newbury street	8	New fixtures	300
G. C. Watts & Co.	247 Newbury street	8	New fixtures	125
Edward P. Lang	209 Maverick street	2	New fixtures	200
Vincent Prezioso	29 London street	2	New fixtures	650
Charles Lang	11 Cottage avenue	23	New fixtures	900
J. B. Farnsworth Company	629 Columbia road	11	New fixtures	400
Louis W. Mulkern	81 Wallingford road	25	New fixtures	1,200

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE WILL BE GUEST OF CITY FOR G. A. R. PARADE IF CAPITAL DUTIES PERMIT.

Mayor Curley sent the following communication on January 2, 1924:

HIS EXCELLENCY, HON. CALVIN COOLIDGE,
President of the United States, The
White House, Washington, D. C.:

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: I beg to advise that the survivors of the Grand Army of the Republic will hold their national encampment in Boston beginning Sunday, August 10, 1924.

The Executive Committee have determined, notwithstanding the age of the veterans, to assemble for parade on Tuesday, August 12, 1924. I have been named as chairman by the Executive Committee in behalf of the national encampment, and have the honor to extend you a very cordial invitation, with Mrs. Coolidge, to review the parade early in the afternoon of August 12. Gen. Gaylord M. Saltzgeber, of Van Wert, Ohio, National Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, was a visitor in Boston upon the 20th ultimo, and declared his conviction that the coming encampment would bring together the largest and most representative number of Grand Army of the Republic veterans who have assembled in recent years.

The City of Boston is making most elaborate preparations for the entertainment of the veterans, and your presence here, with that of Mrs. Coolidge, would very greatly augment the success of the ceremonies in honor of those who preserved our nation. I sincerely trust that I may be honored by the mutual and early acceptance of both Mrs. Coolidge and yourself.

With many renewed assurances of my highest consideration and regard, and every good and sincere wish for the New Year,

Faithfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

The following reply was received Monday, January 21 from the President:

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR,—Permit me to express my pleasure in receiving your invitation to participate in the reception in Boston, next August, to the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. I am not able at this time to indicate a definite acceptance, for public reasons which of course relate to the demands of duties here in Washington. I shall hope to be able to come to Boston at the time of the encampment, if arrangements to that end can be made. I am compelled, meantime, to beg that you will allow the matter to be left open.

Again thanking you, and extending assurance that the occasion is one which presents peculiar attractions, I am,

Most sincerely yours,

CALVIN COOLIDGE.

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Alice G. Strain, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by being knocked down while crossing Albany street at Northampton street by a horse and buggy owned by the City of Boston, October 21, 1922.

EMPLOYMENT SITUATION IS ALARMING, SAYS BUREAU HEAD IN REPORT TO MAYOR.

There are more than 60,000 men and women unemployed in the City of Boston, according to Luke E. Shields, director of the city's Free Employment Bureau. And the limit has been by no means reached. On Tuesday, January 22, there were 700 men and 150 women at the Bureau.

From December 1, 1922, to December 1, 1923, there were registered 14,000 men, and of this number 11,798 were out of work. This last figure, however, includes men for whom jobs have been found over and over again and therefore it does not mean that more than half have been "placed." For example, a man registers and in the course of the year he may be given six different jobs. The registration counts but once, while the jobs count "six."

At present only one man out of ten is being "placed." Mr. Shields declares that even the skilled trades, such as bricklayers and plasterers, are seriously affected. The construction work being done in the city "fools" the public. In Lynn, for instance, there are more than 1,000,000 square feet of leather industry vacant. Even the most standard firms have cut down.

The cost of placement per man during the past year figures \$1.36, which Mr. Shields contends is probably the lowest cost of placement in the state. A year ago this placement cost was \$1.52.

The Bureau was established by Mayor Curley in March, 1922, at a time when Boston was rated as "the worst city in the United States" so far as the unemployment situation was concerned. Since then the suffering has been alleviated and at present although Boston has been going "down hill" since the sporadic boom of last April and May it has not gone down quite so rapidly as other cities.

In April and May, Mr. Shields states, work was obtained for half the men who applied. In June, July and August only one man out of every three or four was supplied with work. At present the office is crowded with men. They spend practically the entire day sitting on the steps or leaning against the walls hoping that there may be a sudden call for men. All such calls are announced on a blackboard.

Mr. Shields says that there are many pathetic cases. Men frequently kneel at his desk begging for jobs, while recently one man came to him declaring that he was a father of five children who were unable to go to school for lack of clothing.

"Other things being equal," continued Mr. Shields, "we give the former service men preference. If, however, it is a question of a former service man without dependents and a man with dependents the latter gets the work."

CLAIMS DISAPPROVED.

The Law Department has disapproved forty-eight claims against the city, amounting to \$17,229.55, and they are classified as follows:

Against the Assessing Department, one, amounting to \$12; against the Fire Department, three, amounting to \$4,738.50; against the Hospital Department, one, amounting to \$500; against the Park and Recreation Department, three, amounting to \$639.75; against the Police Department, two, amounting to \$235; against the Public Works Department, thirty-seven, amounting to \$11,081.55.

BOYS ASK MAYOR FOR FLYING SCHOOL.

That interest in aviation has constantly grown since the opening of the airport at East Boston, was indicated by a petition to Mayor Curley from East Boston boys that a flying school be started for instruction of would-be pilots. The letter was turned over to Porter H. Adams, chairman of the Flying Board. The boys signing the petition were: Guy R. Telles, Percy W. Cheveril, Arthur Telles and Frank Panziale.

NAVY TO HONOR G. A. R.

The Atlantic scouting fleet will assist in the navy's activities during the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic next summer, according to a letter received by Mayor Curley from Acting Secretary of the Navy Theodore Roosevelt. The fleet includes the aircraft squadron and the entire fleet of airplanes may come to Boston from Newport, R. I., as they did at the opening of the Boston airport last fall.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing granite block pavement in Chelsea street, Charlestown, from Adams street to Bunker Hill street. Items ordered: Cut guttermouths in edgestone where directed; to be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$65.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

FIRST ASSISTANT APOTHECARY (MALE),
BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, FEBRUARY 1, 1924.

The salary is \$22 a week and maintenance. This examination is open to men and women, but the present vacancy is for a man.

Applicants must be not less than twenty nor over forty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application. Applicants must be registered assistant pharmacists under the State Board of Registration in Pharmacy.

Applicants must have three years' experience in the drug business and some experience in prescription work. They should have a knowledge of apothecary weights and measures, the metric system of weights and measures, and a general knowledge of percentage in making solutions.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cents in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required

to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

HEATING AND VENTILATING DRAUGHTSMAN, BOSTON SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT, FEBRUARY 5, 1924.

The salary is \$1,500 a year. Applicants should have had experience in the designing of heating and ventilating systems, with special qualifications pertaining to the designing of systems installed in schools. They should be able to give necessary information to the architect and work in conjunction with him from the time the sketches are submitted to the Schoolhouse Commission until the contract is put on the market for figures. The work includes the laying out of the ventilating apparatus, the designing of the steam piping systems and the preparation of specifications.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, and a general average of at least 65 per cent in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

FOREST AND TYPE SURVEYOR (MALE),
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION, DIVISION OF FORESTRY, FEBRUARY 13, 1924.

The salary is \$1,620 a year. The duties of this position require a knowledge of compass and transit surveys as applied to old farms and woodlands, making of all necessary calculations of surveys from field notes, plotting of same and making of finished plans, a knowledge of deeds and of looking up records of land at registries of deeds, a knowledge of the several species of New England trees and their relative values as timber trees, a knowledge of how to gather data for type plans and the making of same.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

TELEPHONE OPERATORS, FEBRUARY 13, 1924.

This examination is open to men and women and will be held for the service of the state, of Boston, and of the various cities of the Commonwealth, and of such towns as are classified under civil service.

Persons who pass the examination are entitled to have their names placed upon the eligible lists for the service of the state and of the city in which they reside and any two other cities for which they may indicate a preference.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 10; memory tests, 3; questions on telephone operation, 7; total, 20.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.
1924.

- Jan. 31. The Wonders of the Heavens. Rev. Manly Bacon Townsend.
- Feb. 7. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 14. The Appalachian Mountain Club Huts and Their Relations with the Trampers. Milton E. MacGregor, Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 21. A Program for Washington's Birthday. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Charles F. Read, Clerk of the Bostonian Society, Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Feb. 28. The World in its True Colors: A Travel-Talk. Helen Messenger Murdoch, F.R.P.S., illustrated with autochromes taken by the lecturer.
- Mar. 6. Italian Gardens. Robert N. Cram.
- Mar. 13. The Call of the Mountains. Le Roy Jeffers, Secretary, Associated Mountaineering Clubs of North America; Librarian, American Alpine Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 20. Our Guardians of Life and Property. (Motion pictures.) Speakers from the Boston Fire and Police Departments. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Mar. 27. Browning and Ruskin: Prophets of the Twentieth Century. Agnes Knox Black (Mrs. E. Charlton Black).
- Apr. 3. Gothic Grandeur: how Rheims Cathedral was built. Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J.
- Apr. 10. The Revelation of Spain. Ralph Adams Cram, Litt.D., LL.D.
- Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.
1924.

- Jan. 27. Adventures of a Sage Brush Tourist in Wyoming. W. Lyman Underwood, lecturer on Industrial Biology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. With lantern illustrations.
- Feb. 3. Pirandello and the Modern Italian Theatre. Robert E. Rogers, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. (Drama League Course.)
- Feb. 10. Abraham Lincoln. Guy Richardson. With lantern illustrations.
- Feb. 17. Organs and Choirs of Greater Boston. Henry C. Lahee. With lantern illustrations.
- Feb. 24. Shakespeare's Response to "What the Public Wants." John Livingston Lowes, Ph.D., Professor of English, Harvard University.
- Mar. 2. Expressionism in the Theatre. Albert H. Gilmer, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 9. Books and Life. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt.D.
- Mar. 16. Master Music for Young People. Malcolm Lang. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 23. Fundamentals in the Theatre, Old and New. F. W. C. Hersey, A.M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 30. The Bible in Stained Glass. Joseph G. Reynolds, Jr. With lantern illustrations.
- Apr. 6. Recreational Opportunities of Boston. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Mrs. Eva W. White, General Director, Community Service of Boston. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations.

*The programs arranged by the Conservation Bureau of the City of Boston will consist of motion pictures, silent informational screen talks, singing by the audience, and a brief address.

Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A Program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

1924

- Jan. 28. Ruskin in the Life of To-Day. Rev. Joseph P. MacCarthy, Ph.D.
- Feb. 8. 105th Anniversary of the Birth of John Ruskin. Speakers: Dr. Payson Smith, Commissioner of Education. Hon. E. C. R. Bagley, Deputy-Commissioner of Corrections; Rt. Rev. Msgr. Arthur T. Connolly; Mr. Charles F. D. Belden; Mr. Harley Perkins, and Mr. Le Barron Cooke.
- Feb. 11. The Causes of the American Civil War: Lincoln and Webster. Joseph Whipple.
- Feb. 25. Twenty-third Anniversary of the Boston Ruskin Club. Bonnie Scotland: The Land of Broom and Heather. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Mar. 10. Around the Bay of Naples. Miss Ellen C. Page. Illustrated.
- Mar. 24. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry Austin Higgins, Secretary, Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.
- Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)
- May 12. Annual Meeting.

THE NEW ENGLAND POETRY CLUB.

The following free talks in the Lecture Hall on the second Wednesdays of the month at 4.30 o'clock, with illustrative readings, are announced:

Some Influences in Modern American Poetry.
1924.

- Feb. 13. Sarah Teasdale, "H. D." (Hilda Doolittle Aldington) and Edna St Vincent Millay: Their Treatment of the Theme of Love. Joseph Auslander, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University.
- Mar. 12. Carl Sandburg. Amy Lowell.
- Apr. 9. Robert Frost. Norreys Jephson O'Connor, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Mt. Holyoke College.

PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS FOR DEPENDENTS AND DELINQUENTS.

Total number of cases of aid in 1921, 31,432, viz., 2,039 Children; 1,590 in Infirmary; 6,995 by Soldiers' Relief Dept. (3,087 more than in 1920); 20,808 by Overseers of Public Welfare (714 more than in 1920), including 5,036 in Wayfarers' Lodge, 1,951 in Temporary Home, also 4,607 families, of which 1,391 were widows with dependent children, receiving regular allowances under Mothers' Aid Law. 1,508 persons confined in House of Correction (*i. e.*, 572 more than in 1920); 6,403 in Suffolk County Jail (*i. e.*, 1,245 more than in 1920). Expenditures for maintenance in 1921: Institutions Dept. (exclusive of Penal Div.), \$668,836 (\$57,136 less than in 1920); Soldiers' Relief Dept., \$1,061,797 (\$614,157 increase); Overseeing of the Public Welfare Department, \$1,216,807 (\$259,881 increase); County Jail and Penal Div. Institutions Dept. in charge of House of Correction, \$336,049 (\$21,095 decrease). Gross total of institutions for dependents, etc., \$3,283,489 or \$1,193,217 (*i. e.*, 57 per cent) more than in 1920, an increase without precedent.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Jan. 7, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, at 6:35 o'clock p. m., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. Lane, O'Hare and Scannell.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

July 2, 1923, on page 117, to provide that the appointment of the following-named clerical assistants by transfer from the Office of the Superintendent and Business Agent shall read to take effect Sept. 1, 1923, instead of "Sept. 4, 1923."

Bigelow and Shurtleff Districts—Helen J. Meehan.

Gaston and Norcross Districts—Genevieve M. Boice.

George Putnam Intermediate and John Winthrop Districts—Margaret M. O'Hare.

Lewis Intermediate District—Mary E. Fitzgerald.

Oliver Wendell Holmes and Frank V. Thompson Intermediate Districts—Anna M. Barry.

Washington District—Margaret M. Morrissey.

Sept. 10, 1923, on page 136, as amended Oct. 1, 1923, on page 151, to provide that the leave of absence for study and travel granted Rina M. Greene, assistant, East Boston High School, shall read from Jan. 30 to Aug. 31, 1924, instead of "from Feb. 4, 1924."

Oct. 1, 1923, on page 155, as amended Nov. 19, 1923, page 195, to further provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Bertha M. Wright as assistant, Phillips Brooks District, to take effect Nov. 12, 1923, shall read "fifth year."

Nov. 5, 1923, on page 185, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Sarah M. Everett, assistant, Bigelow District, to take effect Nov. 20, 1923, shall read "Nov. 21, 1923, fourth year."

Nov. 19, 1923, on page 197, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Louise A. Forrest, assistant, Roxbury High School, to take effect Dec. 4, 1923, shall read "fifth year."

Dec. 17, 1923, on page 219, to provide that the leave of absence granted Rose V. Collier, assistant, Phillips Brooks District, shall read Dec. 14, 1923, one-half day, funeral, instead of "Dec. 15, 1923, one day, funeral."

Dec. 17, 1923, on page 219, to provide that the leave of absence granted Nelly G. Fannon, assistant, Phillips Brooks District, shall read Dec. 13, 1923, one-half day, funeral, instead of "Dec. 14, 1923, one day, funeral."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed, as amended.

APPOINTMENT OF TEACHERS

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments

of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the deaths of the following-named teachers:

Hancock District—Mary E. O'Hare, assistant, Dec. 21, 1923.

Lewis Intermediate District—Allan L. Sedley, submaster, Dec. 20, 1923.

Horace Mann School for the Deaf—Sally B. Tripp, assistant, Dec. 31, 1923.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

Continuation School—Austina B. Raymond, assistant, Oct. 31, 1923.

Mather District—Frances B. Damon, assistant, kindergarten, Dec. 31, 1923.

Quincy District—Sara E. L'Orange, first assistant, kindergarten, Dec. 31, 1923.

Samuel Adams District—Margaret M. F. Conley, assistant, Dec. 31, 1923.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Elizabeth M. McLaughlin, assistant, Dec. 31, 1923.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Mary E. King, instructor, special class, Aug. 31, 1923.

William E. Endicott District—James F. Rockett, sub-master, Dec. 31, 1923.

Accepted.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, reporting that at the request of the Civil Service Commission, the services of the following-named toolkeepers, Boston Trade School, Evening Classes, were discontinued, said discontinuance to take effect Dec. 7, 1923:

Louis Bodio,
John A. Connell,
Charles H. Hunter,
Laughlin MacDonald,
Anthony J. Vasconcellos.

Placed on file.

RETIREMENT

The Superintendent reported the retirement from active service of the following named member of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect Dec. 31, 1923, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board under date of Dec. 31, 1923:

Prescott District—Corinna Barry, prevocational assistant.

Placed on file.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS

Abraham Lincoln District—Mary E. A. Lynch, Dec. 4, 1923 (one day).

Bennett District—Lillian L. Doren, kindergarten, Dec. 3, 1923; Maryalice Devoe, Dec. 17, 1923 (one day); Agnes M. Russell, Dec. 18, 1923; Charlotte Adams, Dec. 20, 1923 (one day).

Bigelow District—Doris M. Kirby, Dec. 18, 1923.

Charles Sumner District—Mary B. Curl, Jan. 2, 1924.

Christopher Gibson District—Mildred R. Smith, Jan. 7, 1924.

Dearborn District—Elizabeth A. Foley, Dec. 3, 1923; Mary C. Norris, kindergarten, Dec. 3 to 7, 1923.

Dillaway District—Mary G. Lyons, Dec. 17, 1923 (one-half day).

Franklin District—Theresa C. Curtin, Jan. 2, 1924.

Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District—Marjorie P. Pratt, Dec. 20, 1923 (one day); Daniel A. Loug, Dec. 21, 1923.

Harvard-Frothingham District—John B. Kelley, Jan. 2, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Ruth H. Grout, Dec. 7, 1923 (one day).

John Winthrop District—Theodora Donovan, Dec. 17, 1923.

Julia Ward Howe District—L. Mae Holland, Dec. 3, 1923 (one day).

Lewis Intermediate District—Edwin M. Shannon, Dec. 6 to 7, 1923 (two days).

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Mary G. Nissen, Dec. 7, 1923 (one-half day); Margaret Crotty, Dec. 12, 1923 (one-half day); Winifred C. Allen, Dec. 17, 1923 (one day); Mary G. Nissen, Dec. 18, 1923 (one day).

Phillips Brooks District—Mabel R. Nathanson, Dec. 3, 1923.

Samuel Adams District—Sadie N. Ginsburg, Dec. 5, 1923; Camilla D. Nicastro, Dec. 5 to 7, 1923 (three days); Alice L. Dooley, Dec. 10 to 17, 1923; Helen M. MacDonald, Jan. 2, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Emma F. Fitzgerald, Dec. 10, 1923 (one day); John Cody, Dec. 12, 1923 (one day); Camilla D. Nicastro, Dec. 12, 1923 (one day).

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Edna Delahanty, Jan. 2, 1924.

Washington-Allston District—Eugenie Maguire, kindergarten, Dec. 10, 1923.

Wells District—Mary E. Thompson, Dec. 3, 1923.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Dorchester High School—Frank E. Morrissey, assistant, Dec. 19, 1923 (one day).

English High School—Cyril D. Norton, assistant, Dec. 6 to 7, 1923 (two days); John J. Connors, assistant, Dec. 17, 1923 (one day).

High School of Commerce—John J. Connors, junior master, Dec. 20, 1923 (one day).

Roxbury High School—Frank E. Morrissey, assistant, Dec. 20, 1923.

Lewis Intermediate District—Francis J. Dillon, sub-master, Dec. 21, 1923.

Thomas Gardner District—George A. Reardon, sub-master, Jan. 3, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Daniel J. Jameson, shop instructor, Dec. 3, 1923; Raoul J. Burke, emergency assistant instructor, Dec. 6, 1923.

Placed on file.

SUBSTITUTE NURSE.

Department of Medical Inspection—Rose A. Murphy, school nurse, Jan. 2, 1924.

Approved.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Roxbury High School—William E. O'Connor, junior master, Feb. 4, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Dorothy R. Wilson, assistant, Jan. 22, 1924.
Samuel Adams District—Helen M. MacDonald, assistant, Jan. 22, 1924.
Laid over.

(By Promotion)

High School of Practical Arts—Jessie Moore, first assistant, head of department (from assistant), Jan. 22, 1924.

Laid over.

EVENING SCHOOLS

Term 1923-24.

(Principal)

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Stanley A. Starratt, Jan. 3, 1924.

Approved.

Edward Everett Evening School—Viola W. Hume, assistant, Jan. 3, 1924; Mary D. Morse, assistant, Jan. 7, 1924.

Eliot Evening School—Bereneice E. Reardon, assistant, Jan. 3, 1924 (one evening).

Franklin Evening School—Marie M. Raftery, assistant, Jan. 3, 1924.

Hyde Park Evening School—Marion L. Scannell, assistant, Jan. 3, 1924.

Boston Trade School, (Evening Classes)—Esaias F. Stadig, assistant, Dec. 11, 1923; John A. Connell, Laughlin MacDonald, Anthony J. Vasconcellos, toolkeepers, Dec. 10, 1923.

Approved.

EXTENDED USE OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Term 1923-24.

General Helper—Fred Pigeon, Jan. 7, 1924.

Helpers—Norman Cawley, Jan. 7, 1924; Otto Krafft, Jan. 7, 1924; Daniel O'Keefe Jan. 7, 1924; Elsie Reay, Jan. 7, 1924; Thomas McCarthy, Jan. 7, 1924.

Gymnasium Leader—Charles Featherstone, Jan. 7, 1924.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST

Frank L. Alciere, Constance Bartholomew, Nina C. Blood, Elizabeth Conley, Edwin L. Crowley, Hope Davison, Francis J. Dillon, Eva Eastman, Elizabeth M. Forman, Roberta J. Golden, Theresa G. Leary, Helen Lougee, Mary S. Mallahan, Mildred McIsaacs, Frank E. Morrissey, Rodney F. Paschal, Phoebe Pinzur, Sylvia L. Sedley, Bessie J. Smith, Mildred R. Smith, Lewette Spence, Gertrude E. Sullivan.

Approved.

TRANSFER.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Francis M. Morrissey, principal, to the same position in the Bigelow Evening School, Jan. 3, 1924.

Approved.

ATTENDANTS, SCHOOL LUNCHES

Shurtleff District—(Shurtleff School)—Elizabeth McManus, Jan. 2, 1924.

Approved.

ATTENDANT, DAY SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS

Norah Connelly, Jan. 2, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On the report of the Superintendent leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

High School of Practical Arts—Agnes L. Callaghan, assistant, Jan. 3, 1924, one day, without pay.

Trade School for Girls—Lily W. Jewett, trade assistant, Dec. 20, 21, 1923, two days, without pay.

Continuation School—Edward C. Keller, instructor, Dec. 19, 1923, one-half day, funeral.

Abraham Lincoln District—Helen L. Hilton, master's assistant, from Jan. 2 to April 1, 1924.

Bennett District—Elizabeth R. Bradbury, assistant, Dec. 11, 1923, one-half day, without pay.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Marjory T. Doherty, assistant, Dec. 6, 1923, one-half day, without pay.

Chapman District—Irene K. M. Crowley, assistant, from Dec. 3 to 21, 1923.

Charles Sumner District—Joseph I. Waalen, sub-master, Dec. 13, 1923, one-half day, funeral.

Eliot District—Mary E. Hughes, assistant, Dec. 17, 1923, one-half day, funeral.

Emerson District—Phyllis L. Macpherson, assistant kindergarten, Dec. 20, 21, 1923, two days, without pay.

John A. Andrew District—Alice L. Littlefield, assistant, Dec. 4, 1923, one-half day, funeral.

John Winthrop District—Mary E. McCarthy, assistant, Dec. 11, 1923, one day, without pay.

Julia Ward Howe District—Anna F. Bayley, assistant, from Jan. 2 to Feb. 29, 1924; Eleanor F. Morris, assistant, Dec. 5, 1923, one-half day, without pay.

Lowell District—Mary G. Lyons, assistant, Dec. 4, 1923, one-half day, funeral.

Prescott District—Mary R. FitzGerald, assistant, Dec. 3, 1923, one-half day, funeral.

Quincy District—Theresa A. Mullen, first assistant in charge, Dec. 17, 1923, one-half day, funeral; Winifred S. O'Brien, assistant kindergarten, Dec. 5, to 21, 1923.

Theodore Lyman District—Veronica R. Grant, assistant, Dec. 12, 1923, one-half day, funeral.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Ellen M. Ford, assistant, from Nov. 2 to 25, 1923.

Thomas N. Hart District—Mary E. Farrell, assistant, Dec. 19, 1923, one day, funeral.

Wendell Phillips District—Ellen J. MacMahon, assistant, from Jan. 2 to Apr. 2, 1924; Susan A. McKenna, assistant, Dec. 3, 1923, one day, funeral.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Margaret M. Casey, teacher of sewing, Dec. 14, 1923, one-half day, funeral; Mary C. Mitchell, teacher of cookery, Dec. 12, 1923, one-half day, funeral.

Department of Manual Arts—Carl E. Janson, shop instructor, Dec. 17, 18, 1923, one and one-half days, court summons.

Department of Medical Inspection—Blanche Wildes, school nurse, Dec. 20, 1923, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Susan J. Ginn, director, Dec. 24 to 31, 1923, five days, without loss of pay (vacation).

DESIGNATION OF A TEACHER.
A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date

Jan. 7, 1924, reporting the following designation of a teacher to serve in the position indicated, until such time as it shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations:

Theodore Lyman District—Catherine Cohen, assistant kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten, Jan. 2, 1924.
Placed on file.

ASSIGNMENTS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned the following-named teachers to classes attended exclusively by boys in grades above the third in the districts herein stated:

Dudley District—Sabina M. Ryan, assistant, Jan. 2, 1922.

Dwight District—Anna V. Curran, assistant, Nov. 28, 1921.

Quincy District—Lillian P. Silvestri, assistant, Jan. 17, 1922.

Wendell Phillips District—Henrietta Herthel, assistant, Jan. 16, 1922.

Placed on file.

EMPLOYMENT OF SUBSTITUTE
TEACHER IN AFTERNOON
CLASS IN LIP-READING, HOR-
ACE MANN SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Victoria C. Jesseman as substitute teacher in the afternoon class in lip-reading, Horace Mann School, is hereby authorized for one day, Dec. 5, 1923, compensation for said service to be at the rate of three dollars (\$3).

ELIGIBLE LIST.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, reporting the amendment of School Document No. 15, 1923—List of Candidates Eligible for Appointment as Teachers—as follows:

Page 24 — Elementary School, Class B Certificate (Examined Candidates). 776 Catherine W. O'Connor. Name temporarily removed by request.
Placed on file.

PAYMENT TO TEMPORARY IN-
STRUCTOR OF DRUM AND
BUGLE CORPS AND SIGNAL
LING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be paid the sum of eighty-two dollars (\$82) to John J. O'Neill for services rendered as temporary instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling during the month of December, 1923, upon certification by the Director of Physical Training to the Superintendent that the services covered by said amount have been rendered.

INSTRUCTION OF CHILDREN AT
TEMPORARY HOME MAIN-
TAINED BY SOCIETY FOR THE
PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO
CHILDREN.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the school year ending June 30, 1924, the

Superintendent is hereby authorized to make provision for the instruction of children at the Temporary Home maintained by the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children at 43 Mt. Vernon Street, said class to be attached to the Bowdoin District; provided, that the expense of said class to the city shall be limited to the compensation of the teacher assigned to said class.

CERTIFICATION OF SCHOOL
CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Dec. 24, 1923, reporting that pursuant to the action of the Board at its meeting on Dec. 17, 1923, the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible to fill eight vacancies in the custodianships of various school-houses:

Walter L. Crowley, Maurice J. Goggin, John E. Murphy, Frederick Parker, Jr., John F. Mahoney, Charles T. Norton, Eugene P. Corey, Edward M. Sullivan, William J. Maskill, Joseph L. Clougherty, Martin P. Breen, and William J. Gallagher.

Placed on file.

COMPENSATION OF SUBSTI-
TUTE TELEPHONE OPERATOR.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Dec. 20, 1923, recommending that the salary of the substitute telephone operator be established on an hourly basis.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of the substitute telephone operator be fixed at the sum of fifty cents (50c) per hour of actual service exclusive of the period between 12 noon and 2 P. M.

PAYMENT OF SALARIES DUE
DECEASED TEACHERS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due the late Mary E. O'Hare, formerly an assistant in the Hancock District, be paid to her brother, William G. O'Hare.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due Nellie M. Porter, late assistant in the Ulysses S. Grant District, be paid to her sister, Elizabeth R. Porter.

RETIREMENT OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, reporting the retirement from active duty of the following-named members of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect Dec. 31, 1923:

John Murphy, Custodian, Girls' High School-house.

Charles J. Carlson, Custodian, Christopher Gibson School-house.

Walter I. Sprague, Custodian, Harvard School-house.

Placed on file.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO A CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, recommending that Nellie A. Phelan, custodian of the Harbor View Street School-house, be granted leave of absence on one-half net compensation for the period Dec. 12 to 29, 1923, inclusive, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

CERTIFICATION OF AREAS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, submitting certifications of the areas of the Andrew Jackson, Theodore Parker, Theodore Roosevelt and William McKinley School-houses, and re-certification of the areas of the John Lothrop Motley School-house, to take effect Aug. 31, 1923.

Placed on file, and the Chairman authorized to approve such certifications and re-certifications to take effect on the date stated.

TRANSFERS OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Mayhew School-house, and recommending that William J. Mahoney, custodian of the Philip M. Sheridan School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Jan. 4, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of William J. Mahoney approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Joshua Bates School-house and Portable No. 43, and recommending that James P. Doyle, regular substitute custodian, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Jan. 1, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of James P. Doyle approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Albert Palmer School-house and Portable No. 62, and recommending that Neil J. Doherty, custodian of the Margaret Fuller School-house, be appointed to the position, to take effect Jan. 4, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Neil J. Doherty approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Elbridge Smith School-house, and recommending that Edward F. O'Donnell, custodian of the Choate Burnham School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Jan. 20, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Edward F. O'Donnell approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian,

under date of Jan. 7, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the William E. Russell School-house, and recommending that James J. Bulman, custodian of the Frothingham School-house and Annex, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 1, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of James J. Bulman approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Bigelow School-house, and recommending that Cornelius Sullivan, custodian of the Bowdoin School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 1, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Cornelius Sullivan approved, to take effect on the date stated.

INJURY TO BOILER IN A SCHOOL BUILDING

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, reporting injury to a boiler in a school building, which occurred on Friday, Jan. 4, 1924, and recommending that the matter be referred to the Trial Board.

Referred to the Trial Board for investigation and report.

DAMAGE CAUSED BY DEFECTIVE FAUCET, ENGLISH HIGH SCHOOL-HOUSE.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 7, 1924, reporting an accident in the English High School-house which was caused by a defective faucet, resulting in an overflow of water causing considerable damage, the amount of which cannot at present be estimated, and further reporting that in his opinion the custodian was not to blame for the condition and that the accident was unavoidable.

Placed on file.

RETIREMENT OF AN ATTENDANCE OFFICER.

A communication was received from the Acting Chief Attendance Officer, under date of Dec. 17, 1923, reporting the retirement from active duty of the following-named member of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect Dec. 31, 1923:

George W. Bean, attendance officer.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF ATTENDANCE OFFICER.

On motion, Edwin F. Dooley, part-time attendance officer, was appointed full-time attendance officer, to take effect Jan. 8, 1924.

EMPLOYMENT OF TEMPORARY ATTENDANCE OFFICERS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the provisional employment of John W. Curley as temporary attendance officer for service on Saturdays in the market district, at a compensation of five dollars (\$5) per day, is hereby approved for the further period Jan. 1,

1924, to and including Mar. 31, 1924, subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service.

On motion, the temporary appointment of Joseph Gaughan as attendance officer for a period of two months from Dec. 11, 1923, was approved.

LEGISLATION TO CHANGE NAME OF BOSTON NORMAL SCHOOL TO THE TEACHERS COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Chairman is hereby authorized, for and in behalf of this Board, to petition the General Court for authority to change the name of the Boston Normal School to that of The Teachers College of the City of Boston, and to authorize this Board to continue to exercise the same authority to grant degrees to graduates of said college that it now has to grant degrees to graduates of the Boston Normal School, and to have the same power to maintain and conduct such college that it now has to maintain and conduct the Boston Normal School.

AMENDMENT TO SCHEDULE OF EXTRA COMPENSATION FOR CUSTODIAN SERVICE.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the schedule of extra compensation for custodian service, Section 1, Paragraph 10, be amended as follows:

Normal School, Number of Assistants Authorized—strike out 1 and substitute 2.

ABATEMENT OF CHARGES FOR OCCUPANCY OF GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the charge for light, heat, custodian and other service in connection with the occupancy of accommodations in the Girls' High School-house on Oct. 26, 1923, for a meeting of the Samuel Eliot Memorial Branch of the Girls' High School Association, is hereby abated, and the cost thereof is assumed by this Board.

OPINION OF MEDICAL LIBERTY LEAGUE RELATIVE TO COM-PULSORY VACCINATION.

A communication was received from the Medical Liberty League, Inc., under date of Jan. 2, 1924, setting forth in some detail its views relative to the compulsory vaccination of school children and stating that the League would be glad to learn the views of the Committee on this matter.

Placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The order laid over at the meeting of Dec. 17, 1923 (see p. 220) amending section 188, paragraph 7 of the regulations relative to advance payments in evening schools, was taken up and passed.

ADJOURNMENT

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

THORNTON D. APOLLONIO.
Secretary.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, January 14, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President LANE in the chair and all the members present.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Thirty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, First Session, to appear February 4, 1924:

Frederick R. Ippolito, Ward 1; John A. Kane, Ward 1; Felix A. LaVoix, Ward 1; Thomas Daly, Ward 2; John F. Murray, Ward 3; David J. Connor, Ward 4; Philip J. McColgan, Ward 4; Michael J. Buckley, Ward 5; Charles H. Bradbury, Ward 6; George J. Jones, Ward 6; James A. McLean, Ward 7; Leo W. Pickert, Ward 8; George Richardson, Ward 8; George L. Wehrle, Ward 8; William J. Barrett, Ward 9; John J. Casey, Ward 9; Paul V. Cogan, Ward 9; William A. Leary, Ward 9; Thomas J. O'Connor, Ward 9; George D. Bigney, Ward 10; John D. Diggin, Ward 11; William B. Kennedy, Ward 10; Timothy Ready, Ward 10; Edward L. Knesell, Ward 11; Clemens J. Wellbrock, Ward 11; Vincent J. Graham, Ward 12; Frank P. Sheehan, Ward 12; Sidney S. Rankin, Ward 16; Emanuel H. Sulkis, Ward 16; Arthur B. Smith, Ward 19; Walter Wilson, Ward 19; William T. Dowling, Ward 22; George J. F. Helfrich, Ward 23; Michael Fonseca, Ward 25.

Thirty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Second Session, to appear February 4, 1924:

Dennis Finnigan, Ward 3; Joseph H. Neal, Ward 4; John M. Barnard, Ward 5; Willis I. Curtis, Ward 7; Joseph P. Gormley, Ward 7; Augustus Ford, Ward 8; William L. McKee, Ward 8; John H. Stewart, Ward 8; Bernard C. Weld, Ward 8; Bernard C. Lewis, Ward 10; Albert G. Clifton, Ward 11; James J. Foley, Ward 11; Richard R. Joslyn, Ward 11; John J. Mullane, Ward 11; Charles M. Bennett, Ward 16; David W. Gorman, Ward 16; William C. Boback, Jr., Ward 18; James P. Goodhue, Ward 18; John J. Fitzgerald, Ward 19; John Williams, Ward 19; David Craig, Ward 21; John W. Davenport, Ward 21; William T. Fouhy, Ward 21; George Moore, Ward 21; Joseph B. Spinoza, Ward 21; Charles F. R. Foss, Ward 22; Maurice H. Bridges, Ward 23; Frederic A. Dakin, Ward 23; Frank P. Estabrook, Ward 23; John F. O'Brien, Ward 23; George Byron May, Jr., Ward 24; Harold L. Brett, Ward 25; Julius K. Wine, Ward 25; Thomas J. McInerney, Jr., Ward 26.

Thirty-three traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Third Session, to appear February 4, 1924:

Ralph L. Kierstead, Ward 1; Charles W. S. Rumney, Ward 2; Cornelius F. Fitzpatrick, Ward 5; Joseph Lookner, Ward 5; Harry D. Priest, Ward 5; Fred C. Chadbourne, Ward 6; Warren S. Shields, Ward 6; Frederick R. Galvin, Ward 7; James J. Lafferty, Ward 8; Emile J. Weber, Ward 8; Daniel Collins, Ward 9; Martin M. O'Donnell, Ward 9; Edward F. O'Kane, Ward 9; William J. Ahern, Ward 10; Andrew Ney, Ward 12; John C. Wickes, Ward 12; George A. Snell, Jr., Ward 14; John F. Creig, Ward 15; Gaffney F. Howard, Ward 15; Clyde T. Renwick, Ward 16; George A. Boodro, Ward 18; David B. Chase, Ward 18; Duncan John Chisholm, Ward 18; John F. McCarthy, Ward 18; John J. Dowling, Ward 21; Clarence L. Fish, Ward 21; Meyer Odenice, Ward 21; George P. Coehl, Ward 23; Paul M. Muckensturn, Ward 23; Fred H. Trethewey, Ward 23; Robert S. Calpin, Ward 24; Paul S. Crooker, Ward 25; Porter B. Smith, Ward 25.

Thirty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fourth Session, to appear February 4, 1924:

John W. Waugh, Ward 2; Harry L. Cronan, Ward 3; James O. Driscoll, Ward 4; John J. Fox, Ward 4; James W. Gargan, Ward 5; Jacob Wirth, Ward 5; Simeon H. Baker, Ward 7; Edgar C. Bross, Ward 7; Axel F. Johnson, Ward 8; John Shortell, Jr., Ward 9; James A. Cowhig, Ward 10; Joseph F. Luther, Jr., Ward 10; James A. Martin, Jr., Ward 10; John H. Toland, Ward 10; Charles J. Connata, Ward 11; Thomas C. Lynch, Ward 12; Richard S. Holden, Ward 13; Daniel

Lucas, Ward 13; William M. Miller, Ward 13; Bernard F. Travers, Ward 14; Frank N. Chamberlain, Ward 15; William J. Dittmar, Ward 15; Edward W. Coyle, Ward 16; Charles E. Bennett, Ward 17; George W. Dinsmore, Ward 17; James M. Green, Jr., Ward 17; Carl L. Petterson, Ward 19; Carlton H. Parsons, Ward 20; Fred E. Clish, Ward 21; John G. Karle, Ward 21; William G. Roemer, Ward 22; William A. Crocker, Ward 25; Ephraim W. Chapman, Ward 26; Timothy J. Ring, Ward 26.

Thirty-three traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fifth Session, to appear February 4, 1924:

George W. Barker, Ward 2; Thomas J. Reddy, Ward 2; William J. Donovan, Ward 5; James Pilato, Ward 5; Frank B. Brown, Ward 6; Frank P. Glynn, Ward 6; James J. Murphy, Ward 6; William P. Scott, Ward 6; George Gilboy, Ward 8; Alexander J. Matheson, Ward 8; Arthur A. Shurtleff, Ward 8; George A. Kelley, Ward 11; Arthur J. Connelly, Ward 12; John F. Fee, Ward 12; Fred H. Livingston, Ward 12; John H. Mackle, Ward 12; John J. Murphy, Ward 13; Israel Balson, Ward 16; Charles M. Elashowich, Ward 16; Abraham Zimon, Ward 16; William H. Flaherty, Ward 17; Leonard L. Street, Ward 17; Timothy F. Bowen, Ward 18; James W. Doherty, Ward 18; Edward F. McNally, Ward 18; William A. Morris, Ward 21; Frederick Dooring, Ward 23; Miller, Ward 21; Frederick Dooring, Ward 23; Joseph M. Hennessy, Ward 23; William S. Lodge, Ward 23; John A. Holland, Ward 25; William Butler, Ward 26.

Thirty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Sixth Session, to appear February 4, 1924:

Leopold A. Goodman, Ward 1; Dominick A. Keating, Ward 1; James E. Heffron, Ward 2; John P. Hayes, Ward 2; James F. McCashion, Ward 2; William L. Rich, Ward 2; Crescenzo Bennardo, Ward 5; Timothy J. Dacy, Ward 5; Manus W. Eyges, Ward 5; George Seigal, Ward 5; Daniel Callahan, Ward 7; James P. Sharkey, Ward 7; Edmund B. Frye, Jr., Ward 8; Edward Lawrence Sliney, Ward 8; Edward A. Trowbridge, Ward 8; Berkeley D. Updike, Ward 8; Patrick W. Coughlin, Ward 8; Daniel J. Donovan, Ward 9; James J. Gunn, Ward 9; Thomas Sherlock, Ward 12; Eugene F. Dannenhoffer, Ward 13; John R. Hall, Ward 13; Stephen Prunty, Ward 13; Patrick F. Mulcahy, Ward 14; Stephen M. McDonald, Ward 15; George Moore, Ward 15; William J. Morgan, Ward 15; Vincent F. Norton, Ward 16; Ashley W. Perry, Ward 17; Otis C. Kelley, Ward 18; Albert A. Cook, Ward 19; John A. McAuliffe, Ward 19; Preston K. Hickey, Ward 21; Benjamin K. Gorham, Ward 25.

Thirty-three traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Seventh Session, to appear February 4, 1924:

Henry J. Loring, Ward 3; Michael C. McKeigne, Ward 3; William H. Porter, Ward 4; Maurice Selickovitz, Ward 5; Albert E. Grant, Ward 7; Ross W. Hall, Ward 7; William A. Holmes, Ward 7; John J. Cronin, Ward 8; Benjamin Roberts, Ward 8; Thomas J. Collins, Ward 9; Manuel Saphir, Ward 9; Daniel J. McCarthy, Ward 11; Frank H. Colter, Ward 12; John M. Fitzgerald, Ward 14; Joseph R. Hurley, Ward 14; John W. Connor, Ward 15; William E. Dolan, Ward 16; Jacob Springer, Ward 16; John Leo Horigan, Ward 18; Charles C. Wright, Ward 18; Frederick B. Forbes, Ward 19; William Martin, Ward 19; William A. Farr, Ward 19; Walter S. Berry, Ward 20; Daniel M. Driscoll, Ward 20; James Fox, Ward 20; Adolph Faller, Ward 23; Joseph Maginot, Ward 23; Harry W. Waite, Ward 23; Frank N. Wiley, Ward 23; John T. Dillon, Ward 24; Charles B. McCormack, Ward 25; Charles M. Waddell, Ward 26.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following were received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 14, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons to the position of Constable of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1924:

Powhatan Bagnall, 32 Whiting street, Roxbury; William Castaldo, 56 Prince street, Boston; Eugene F. Del Bianco, 262 Maverick street, East Boston; Abraham S. Singer, 238 Bremen street, East Boston; John M. Leonard, 9 Newburn street, Jamaica Plain.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 14, 1924.

To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Francis A. Moran, 159 Boston street, Dorchester, a Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Severally laid over under the law.

TRANSFER FOR HIGHWAYS, MAKING OF.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 14, 1924.

To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—The Supreme Judicial Court having declared the temporary building line established on Province street illegal, I respectfully recommend that the sum appropriated for the establishment of a building line on Province street, namely, \$248,250, be transferred to Street Laying-Out Department, Highways, Making of.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Province Street Building Line, \$248,250, to the appropriation for Highways, Making of, \$248,250.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I request that the Corporation Counsel be sent for so that we may obtain his opinion as to the legality of the transfer, because if the first order was illegal I am wondering if the transfer will be illegal. To save time I think the Corporation Counsel should be sent for, to come here in executive session.

President LANE—The Corporation Counsel will be sent for.

TRANSFER, FERRY IMPROVEMENTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor January 14, 1924.

To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—A request has been received from the Commissioner of Public Works for the transfer of items totaling \$22,293.34 to East Boston Ferry Improvements, and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Boston, January 10, 1924.
To the Mayor of Boston:

To provide for additional work required at the ferry slips and drops it will be necessary to add to the appropriation for East Boston Ferry Improvements, etc. I respectfully recommend that transfers, as follows, be made from the appropriations indicated:

From the appropriation for Ashland Street Bridge, Reconstruction, \$7,293.43; Beacon Street Bridge, Rebuilding, \$10,000; Hyde Park Avenue Bridge, \$5,000—\$22,293.43, to the appropriation for East Boston Ferry Improvements, etc., \$22,293.43.

Yours respectfully,
J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Ashland Street Bridge, Reconstruction, \$7,293.43; Beacon Street Bridge, Rebuilding, \$10,000; Hyde Park Avenue Bridge, \$5,000, to the appropriation for East Boston Ferry, Improvements, etc., \$22,293.43.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Michael J. Broderick, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Atlantic avenue.

Barnard Capen, for compensation for damage to property 534 East Fourth street by shutting off water without notice.

Minnie H. Carr, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 74 Harvard avenue.

E. J. Coan, to be paid for unused refuse tickets.

Mary R. DeShon, for compensation for damage to property at 77 and 79 Florence street by stoppage of sewer.

J. Henry Dion, Jr., for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Faneuil Chambers court.

Grace Domenico, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Eaton street.

Bridget Faulkner, for compensation for injuries caused by a collision with fire apparatus.

Mary Faulkner, for compensation for injuries caused by a collision with fire apparatus.

J. W. Ferris, for compensation for damage to car by an automobile belonging to the city.

Charles Goldsmith, to be paid for unused refuse tickets.

Solomon Heller, for compensation for damage to property at 1435 Columbus avenue by break in water pipe.

Sidney Hoffman, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

S. W. Kramer, to be paid for unused refuse tickets.

Mary I. Maguire, for compensation for damage to property at 5 Mt. Vernon place by break in water main.

Philip J. Malloy, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Marginal street.

Bernard A. Maraghy for compensation for injuries caused by a collision with fire apparatus.

Matthew A. Maraghy for compensation for injuries caused by a collision with fire apparatus.

Elizabeth McDonald, for compensation for damage to property at 544 Saratoga street caused by leak in water main.

William L. McKee, for compensation for damage to property at 284 Commonwealth avenue by city employees.

John S. McKenney, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in Northern avenue.

Jennie Morris, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 61 Greenwood street

Alice G. Norris, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus

Frank Perry, for compensation for damage to property at 6 Sea View terrace by employees of the city.

David G. F. Schromm, to be paid wages alleged to be due from the Library Department.

Mrs. Sime Gougorian, for compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk on Harrison avenue.

Executive.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.:

Rev. Charles J. White, St. Columbkille's Hall, January 13.

Grace M. Marden, Winslow Hall, January 28.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constable's bond of Louis Budd.

Approved by the City Council.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointments of John H. L. Noyes as Street Commissioner, a certified copy of the same having been sent to the Civil Service Commissioners.

Placed on file.

PROBATION OFFICERS' SALARIES.

A communication was received from the justice of the Chelsea District Court fixing the salaries of probation officers.

Referred to the Committee on County Accounts.

JITNEY BOND.

A bond was received for the Norfolk & Bristol Bus Company for jitney license.

Placed on file.

SALARY AND WAGE SCHEDULE REPORT BASED ON BUDGET FOR 1923-24.

I. ORDER OF CITY COUNCIL REQUESTING REPORT.

Ordered, That the Budget Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to submit to the City Council on or before the second Monday of January, 1924, two reports on salaries and wages received respectively by the city and county employees, the School Department excluded, said reports to include charts and tables indicating the number of employees receiving uniform wages in various departments and other information on the following subjects:

First.—Wages and salaries paid by the Commonwealth.

Second.—Wages and salaries paid by New York, Chicago and Philadelphia.

Third.—Conclusions reached by recent commission considering the question of wages as affected by the cost of living.

II. NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES BY TITLE OF POSITION.

City.	
Janitors, laborers, teamsters, stablemen*...	2,306
Sergeants and patrolmen...	1,872
Privates and engineers (Fire Department)...	1,053
Hospital employees...	862
Mechanics, etc.	660
Library employees...	530
Clerks...	480
Nurses...	471
Inspectors...	439
Matrons, etc.	207
Drawtenders and assistant drawtenders...	151
Lieutenants...	145
Firemen...	132
Janitresses and women cleaners...	122
Captains (Fire and Police Departments)...	109
Chauffeurs...	100
Engineers (stationary and marine)...	87
Transitmen and rodmen...	87
Custodians and chief janitors...	80
Stenographers...	75
Foremen...	71
Gardeners...	65
Visitors and investigators...	64
Engineers (civil and mechanical)...	60
Assessors...	56
Assistant registrars...	42
Assistant foremen...	42
Constables...	29
Telephone operators...	28
District chiefs, deputy chiefs and chief...	24
Physical directors and instructors...	22
Architects and draughtsmen...	22
Deputy collectors...	22
Chief inspectors...	22
Superintendents, supervisors, general...	22
Signal men and operators...	21
Tellers, paymasters and cashiers...	17
Clerks, chief and assistant chiefs...	17
Mates and quartermasters...	15
Zoo attendants...	15
Laboratory workers...	14
Deputy superintendents or commissioners...	13
Messengers...	12
Deputy sealers...	12
Secretaries...	10
Master mechanics...	10
Assistant corporation counsels...	9
Conveyancers...	7
Executive clerks...	7
Chief engineers...	5
Medical inspectors, examiners...	3
Hospital superintendents...	3
Veterinarians...	2
Assistant city auditor...	1
Total...	10,758

County.	
Clerks...	169
Court officers...	81
Institution officers...	76
Janitors, laborers, etc.	66
Probation officers...	58
Court clerks...	57
Justices...	40
Women cleaners...	26
Firemen...	24
Copyists...	22
Stenographers...	19
Institution employees...	14
Matrons, etc.	13
Engineers (stationary)...	11
Mechanics...	8
Interpreters...	7
Messengers...	6
Chief clerks...	5
Custodians...	5
Chief probation officers...	4
Masters and chief officers...	4
Telephone operators...	3
Drawtenders...	3
Chief engineers...	3
Van drivers and chauffeurs...	3
Superintendents...	2
Assistant registrars...	2
Chief court officers...	2
Medical directors...	2
Total...	735

* Watchmen, etc. † Foremen. ‡ Directors.

III. NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES BY SALARIES AND WAGES.

Weekly.	Annual.	City.	
\$20	\$1,000		50
	1,050		37
21	1,100		43
22	1,150		16
23	1,200		86
24	1,250		2,156
25	1,300		198
26	1,350		19
27	1,400		617
28	1,450		46
29	1,500		621
30	1,550		482
31	1,600		485
32	1,700		1,171
33	1,750		36
34	1,800		1,171
35	1,900		179
36	2,000		195
40	2,100		104
42	2,200		50
	2,300		278
45	2,350		39
	2,400		10
	2,500		182
	2,600		9
	2,700		29
	2,800		3
	2,900		5
	3,000		28
	3,100		1
	3,200		1
	3,300		21
	3,500		24
	3,700		61
	3,800		1
	4,000		22
	4,300		1
	4,500		1
	5,000		2
	5,500		4
	6,500		2
	7,000		1
	7,500		1

NOTE.—See County chart.

III. NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES BY SALARIES AND WAGES.

Weekly.	Annual.	County.	
\$20	\$1,000		14
	1,050		4
	1,100		5
	1,150		1
23	1,200		25
24	1,250		48
	1,300		65
	1,350		2
	1,400		23
28	1,450		38
	1,500		44
30	1,550		11
	1,600		39
33	1,700		57
	1,750		6
	1,800		31
36	1,900		25
	1,950		9
	2,000		15
40	2,100		9
	2,150		12
	2,200		4
	2,300		4
45	2,350		1
	2,400		17
	2,500		71
	2,600		21
	2,700		4
	2,800		2
	2,850		5
	2,900		8
	3,000		5
	3,300		2
	3,350		1
	3,500		23
	3,600		4
	3,700		1
	3,800		3
	3,900		2
	4,000		23
	4,300		2
	4,500		1
	4,600		3
	4,800		3
	5,000		4
	8,000		12
	8,500		1

NOTE.—In both charts under this section only positions above \$1,000 are listed. Below this amount the hospital and institution employees, who receive in some cases board, in other cases lodging, and in still other cases both board and lodging in addition to their wages. To separate these groups and compute the equivalent of their wages would require a great amount of time and labor. Owing to the accumulation of work on the 1924-25 budget, this office could devote but a limited amount of time to this report, hence the use of \$1,000 as a starting point.

IV. COMPARATIVE SALARY AND WAGE SCHEDULE.

TITLE OF POSITION.	Boston.	New York.	Philadelphia.	Chicago.	Massachusetts.
Assistant registrars and clerks.....	\$1,500 to \$1,800 yr.	\$1,800-\$2,850 yr.		\$1,440-\$1,920 yr.	
Cashiers, tellers and paymasters....	\$1,700 to \$4,000 "	\$2,160-\$2,896 "	\$1,650-\$2,500 yr.	\$2,580-\$3,300 "	\$2,580-\$3,000 yr.
Chauffeurs.....	\$27 wk.	\$1,500-\$1,700 "	\$1,200 yr.	\$6.50 dy.	\$4.75 dy.
Clerks.....	\$900 to \$2,100 yr.	\$800-\$2,500 "	\$1,200-\$2,000 yr.	\$1,260-\$2,580 yr.	\$720-\$1,980 yr.
Court clerks.....	\$1,500 to \$3,500 "	\$1,200-\$3,700 "	\$900-\$3,000 "	\$1,740-\$2,400 "	
Court officers.....	\$2,484 yr.	\$1,560-\$2,500 "	\$2,500 yr.	\$1,650-\$2,000 "	
Custodians or caretakers.....	\$1,500 "	\$1,260-\$1,560 "	\$900 "	\$1,800 yr.	
Deckhands.....	\$4.25 dy.	\$1,600 yr.			
Deputy sealers.....	\$1,600 to \$1,900 yr.	\$1,464-\$1,944 yr.	\$1,500 yr.	\$1,660-\$2,000 yr.	\$1,560-\$2,160 yr.
Draughtsmen.....	\$1,600 to \$2,000 "	\$2,160-\$2,520 "	\$1,200-\$2,070 yr.	\$1,800-\$2,400 "	\$1,440-\$1,980 "
Drawtenders, etc.....	\$1,400 to \$1,800 "	\$1,560-\$1,823 "	\$1,080-\$1,440 "	\$1,560-\$1,800 "	\$5.00 dy.
Elevator operators.....	\$4.00 dy.	\$1,478-\$1,586 "	\$3.50 dy.	\$1,620 yr.	\$1,600 yr.
Engineers:					
Stationary.....	\$36 wk.	\$8.00 dy.*	\$1,500 yr.	\$2,400 "	\$34-\$36 wk.
Civil and mechanical.....	\$2,000 to \$3,000 yr.	\$2,520-\$3,300 yr.	\$1,800-\$2,500 yr.	\$2,280-\$3,100 yr.	\$1,980-\$3,600 yr.
Marine.....	\$45 wk.	\$2,400 yr.			
Firemen:					
Stationary.....	\$33 "	\$6.50 dy.	\$1,200 yr.	\$2,240 yr.	\$28.50-\$30 wk.
Fire Department.....	\$1,400 to \$1,800 yr.	\$1,769-\$2,280 yr.	\$5.00 dy.	\$1,640-\$2,000 yr.	
Foremen.....	\$2,100 yr.	\$2,061-\$2,232 "	\$135 mon.*	\$2,100-\$3,000 "	\$23.35 wk.
Gardeners.....	\$5.00 dy.	\$1,317-\$1,817 "	\$900 yr.	\$5.20 dy.	
Inspectors:					
Building.....	\$2,200 yr.	\$1,756-\$2,160 "	\$1,100-\$2,000 yr.	\$1,980-\$2,160 yr.	\$1,920-\$2,400 yr.
Health.....	\$1,400 to \$2,000 yr.	\$1,944-\$2,304 "	\$1,200-\$1,400 "	\$2,000-\$2,220 "	\$1,560-\$2,160 "
Public Works Department.....	\$1,700 yr.	\$1,944-\$2,160 "	\$1,100-\$1,400 "	\$1,740-\$2,100 "	
Janitors, etc.....	\$4.00 dy.	\$1,488-\$1,944 "	\$1,200 yr.	\$1,284-\$1,500 "	\$1,200-\$1,380 yr.
Laborers, etc.....	\$1.00 "	\$5.00 dy.*	\$2.50-\$3.00 dy.	\$4.85-\$5.45 dy.*	\$4.25 dy.
Linemen, wiremen and cable splicer.....	\$30 to \$34.50 wk.	\$1,800-\$2,400 yr.	\$1,300-\$1,400 yr.	\$8.80 dy.	
Mates.....	\$1,900 yr.	\$1,800 yr.			
Matrons.....	\$18 wk.	\$1,071 "	\$3.00 dy.	\$1,380-\$1,560 yr.	\$3.00 dy.
Mechanics, etc.....	\$5.00 dy.	\$9.00 dy.*	\$3.50-\$7.00 dy.†	\$8.80 dy.*	\$4.75-\$5.50 dy.
Messengers.....	\$1,000 to \$1,600 yr.	\$1,244-\$1,823 yr.	\$1,000-\$1,500 yr.	\$840-\$1,020 yr.	\$540-\$720 yr.
Meter readers.....	\$1,300 to \$1,500 "	\$1,426-\$1,944 "	\$1,560 yr.	\$1,740-\$2,400 "	
Nurses:					
Field.....	\$1,500 yr.	\$1,400-\$1,683 "	\$1,000-\$1,500 yr.	\$1,560-\$1,800 "	\$1,380 yr.
Hospital.....	\$900 to \$1,080 yr.	\$600-\$1,200 "	\$900 yr.	\$1,000-\$1,200 "	\$900-\$1,020 yr.
Operators:					
Fire Alarm.....	\$1,400 to \$3,300 yr.	\$1,708-\$2,544 "	\$1,400-\$1,800 yr.	\$2,040-\$3,240 "	
Police signal.....	\$1,900 yr.	\$1,708-\$2,544 "	\$1,400-\$1,800 "	\$1,800 yr.	
Pilots.....	\$46 wk.	\$3,000 yr.			
Policemen.....	\$1,400 to \$1,800 yr.	\$1,769-\$2,280 yr.	\$5.00 dy.	\$1,640-\$2,000 yr.	\$1,400-\$1,800 yr.
Probation officers.....	\$1,600 to \$3,300 "	\$1,647-\$2,376 "	\$1,000-\$2,500 yr.	\$2,000 yr.	
Quartermasters.....	\$32.50 wk.	\$2,280 yr.			
Rodmen.....	\$1,300 yr.	\$1,560-\$2,088 yr.	\$840-\$1,200 yr.	\$1,800-\$2,040 yr.	\$900-\$1,400 yr.
Scrubwomen and women cleaners.....	\$10 to \$16 wk.	\$600-\$800 yr.	\$600 yr.	\$950 yr.	\$0.45 hr.
Stenographers.....	\$800 to \$2,000 yr.	\$1,100-\$1,944 "	\$1,200-\$2,000 yr.	\$1,740-\$2,140 yr.	\$720-\$1,980 yr.
Telephone operators.....	\$20 wk.	\$920-\$1,537 "	\$720-\$1,000 "	\$1,620 yr.	\$780-\$1,100 "
Transitmen.....	\$1,300 to \$1,760 yr.	\$2,160-\$2,528 "	\$1,250-\$1,350 "		\$1,440-\$1,980 "
Visitors and investigators.....	\$1,400 to \$2,000 "	\$1,464-\$2,448 "	\$1,100 yr.		\$1,560-\$1,980 "

* As needed.

† \$4 full time.

NOTE.— All schedules and comparisons in this report are based on the budget for 1923-24. No attempt has been made to list employees paid from loans or special appropriations.

V. COST OF LIVING DATA.

The tables listed below have been prepared from statistics furnished by the United States Bureau of Labor.

In the first table the several important items of expenditure are apportioned according to "per cent of total expenditure" in December, 1914. This data is chosen because it marks the beginning of the World War, to which all subsequent changes in cost of living may be attributed. It will be noted that "total expenditure" as at this date is assigned the value of 100 per cent.

The second table indicates the per cent of increase in these several items which occurred between December, 1914, and September, 1923, the most recent date for which figures are obtainable.

In the third table the several items are arranged according to "per cent of total expenditure" in September, 1923. It will be noted that total expenditure in this table is the total of 100 per cent (the basis used in 1914) and the average increase in all items up to September, 1923.

Cost of Living, December, 1914.

ITEM OF EXPENDITURE.	Boston.	New York.	Chicago.	Philadelphia.	Average, 32 Cities.
Food.....	44.5	42.8	37.8	40.2	38.3
Clothing.....	15.5	16.6	16.3	16.3	16.6
Housing.....	12.8	14.3	14.9	13.2	13.4
Fuel and light.....	5.6	4.3	6.0	5.1	5.3
Furniture — furnishing.....	3.3	3.3	4.4	4.4	5.1
Miscellaneous.....	18.3	18.7	20.6	20.8	21.3
Total.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Per Cent of Increase in Living Costs, December, 1914, to September, 1923.

ITEM OF EXPENDITURE.	Boston.	New York.	Chicago.	Philadelphia.	Average, 32 Cities.
Food.....	47.9	48.2	57.2	46.3	49.3
Clothing.....	93.4	102.5	76.0	88.4	76.5
Housing.....	44.3	60.8	92.1	62.4	64.4
Fuel and light.....	92.8	94.6	57.1	95.0	81.3
Furniture — furnishings.....	148.7	131.7	133.8	110.8	122.4
Miscellaneous.....	89.2	112.9	88.1	112.0	101.1
Average.....	67.9	75.4	74.9	74.2	72.1

Cost of Living, September, 1923.

ITEM OF EXPENDITURE.	Boston.	New York.	Chicago.	Philadelphia.	Average, 32 Cities.
Food.....	65.8	63.0	59.4	58.8	57.10
Clothing.....	30.0	33.6	28.5	30.7	29.3
Housing.....	18.5	23.0	28.6	21.4	22.0
Fuel and light.....	10.8	8.4	9.4	9.9	9.6
Furniture — furnishings.....	8.2	7.6	10.3	9.3	11.3
Miscellaneous.....	34.6	39.8	38.7	44.1	42.8
Total.....	167.9	175.4	174.9	174.2	172.1

On motion of Coun. HEALEY it was voted that the matter be printed as a public document.

Later in the session Coun. HEALEY said: Mr. President, in addition to the printing of the matter referred to as a city document I move that it be printed in full in the records of the City Council, because I think it would be one of the best things that could be done to have this information printed so that we may have it before us for use within a reasonable time. There will be controversy over the subject of wages, income, etc., upon which this will have a very important bearing. Public documents at times are not printed so as to be available until five or six months; but if this appears in the records of the Council we will have it available very shortly. Therefore I think it would be well to have it in the records of the Council.

The Council voted to have the communication printed in its records.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearings on January 21 on petitions for storage and sale of gasoline at various locations.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

REPORT ON SALARIES AND WAGES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 14, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith report of the Budget Commissioner, same constituting a reply to interrogatories contained in order adopted under date of November 19, 1923, by the City Council.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Budget Department, January 14, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—I am submitting herewith a salary and wage schedule report, prepared in accordance with an order of the City Council, under date of November 19, 1923.

Respectfully,
CHARLES J. FOX,
Budget Commissioner.

ELECTION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION.

Coun. WATSON offered the following:
Resolved, That the City Council indorses

the petition of his Honor the Mayor to the General Court for legislation that will provide for the election of the members of the Public Utilities Commission by a direct vote of the people, and that the Committees on Legislation is hereby directed to appear before the committee of the Legislature before which this petition will be heard and urge the passage of legislation which will change the present method of the appointment of the members of the Public Utilities Commission by the Governor to the direct election of the members of such commission by the people.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I am going to ask for a suspension of the rule in order that the order may go upon its passage at this time. The action of the Public Utilities Commission in granting the plea of the railroads of the Commonwealth for an increase in rates of fare, in particular on the twelve-ride tickets, is very well known to all. We all know that the members of the commission are appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Governor's Council, that they serve for a term of years, that they are responsive only to the Governor, and I am informed that in many cases they are not responsive to him except when their reappointment is about to be made. I know many of the members of this commission, and as individuals and gentlemen I have a high regard for them, socially and personally. My opinion of them politically and as public servants would not sound well, and certainly would not read well in public print. I am going to discuss their action on this matter, together with their action on another matter, and I shall try to control myself in referring to them as members of the commission, speaking of them in a kindly way as I know them as individuals and socially. The plea by the steam railroads of the Commonwealth for higher rates was made recently. There was a plea made by the people almost two years ago for a reduction in the price of electricity to consumers of the same in the City of Boston. The commission has dillydallied on that proposition until now without a decision, but that plea for reduction in rates was made by the people, to whom this commission is irresponsible. The plea made for higher rates for the railroads was made by the corporations, and I might say that it may be that the commission as a whole, at least a majority of them, have shown themselves responsive to the plea of representatives of the corporations and have neglected to respond to the plea of the people, to whom their first duty is owed. Today, with the housing situation as it is, and as it has been for a few years past, many citizens of this community have been driven to seek homes in the suburbs. While they were able to get homes outside of the City of Boston at a reasonable rental, they did have to pay a little more in the way of transportation, but I understand that the two things balanced themselves, one against the other. But this increase of 20 per cent in fares will add a burden to the shoulders of the average man and woman who lives in the suburbs and uses the steam railroads, placing an additional burden upon them when they are already overtaxed. The result will be that they will be compelled to curtail on many necessities and give up some of the things that they now have. I would like in all seriousness, Mr. President, to ask of the powers that be in railroad matters on Beacon Hill, the Public Utilities Commission and the Legislature, why there should be any relief given to the railroad corporations or to those who invest in the securities of such corporations, using their own knowledge and wisdom in making their investment, in order to rescue them and protect and guarantee to them a return on the investment, where there is no such protection or guaranty to the man who operates a small grocery store or other establishment in the community, or who is connected with any other industry? If he fails, he is simply allowed to go to pieces, to go into bankruptcy, but we are told that they should be protection and guaranty for these others. I see no reason why the Legislature should come to the rescue of the public service corporations any more than it should come to the rescue of any business industry or any individual man or woman who may be running a business in this Commonwealth. But perhaps that expression of my idea may seem to come close to what is considered socialistic. That is my opinion, and may be taken as such, with whatever brand it may be labeled. The Public Service Commission are absolutely irresponsible to the pleas of the people on anything, except when it comes to protecting dealers in stocks and bonds, people who are influential. They will not allow stocks and bonds that are not sound to be sold in the Commonwealth, and they are very vigilant in denying the right of some one else to sell stocks and bonds, under the blue sky act, unless they are influential. That body should

be abolished. If we cannot have it elected by the people it should be abolished and a brand new outfit placed there, because it has grown dry and musty on the job. The members of that commission speak and act more automatically than any judge in the land. They are arbitrary beyond expression and they are supreme in their decisions, being in many cases protected by statute from interference of the judiciary. Mr. President, no other body in this Commonwealth, either individually or collectively, has the power that that board has; no outfit, no individual in the Commonwealth, elected or appointed, is more autocratic; no individual, no corporation, no board or commission, is more independent and arrogant and less responsive to the rights, privileges and interests of the people. In view of their failure to properly represent and protect the people's interest, we have a most important argument, the most important argument that can be presented, in the direction of the people selecting such officers, the same as other officers. The election of public officials is now recognized as sound doctrine. Originally it was considered socialistic. I can remember back to a time when I was sitting in this room as a member of the old Common Council, that just prior to my nomination and election we were subject to the caucus system. My friend the City Clerk remembers that very well. In those days a few controlled things. I don't say that they did not control them properly or legally, but they controlled them. It was the old machine control. Then came along the direct nomination act for small offices, which continued until finally the Governor was nominated and elected by a direct vote. The next step was the nomination and election of United States Senators. There is not a reasonable man in this community who would take a step backward in the matter of the direct nomination of public officials. Therefore, following that great, broad principle of direct nominations and election, I believe that the present statute, which provides for the appointment of members of the Public Utilities Commission, should be abandoned, repealed, and that a new act should be passed providing that members of that Board shall be nominated and elected by the people. I don't think there is a handful in the community who would disagree with me in that matter, unless they are influenced by some unworthy financial interest or except to make some financial gain through the continuance of this autocratic, arbitrary and undemocratic commission, who have lost all touch with the great body of the people in this Commonwealth. This action of theirs to my mind bears the odor of a nice little stock jobbing proposition. I am not a financier, and know very little about financial transactions, but I understand that the interests, so called, were able to get hold of a lot of New Haven and Boston & Maine stock at a low price, and that when the word came that there was to be this 20 per cent increase granted the stock made a tremendous jump, enabling these people who were handling large blocks of stock of the Boston & Maine and the New Haven to get rich overnight because of their wonderful guesswork, plus information. I don't think the members of this body will disagree with me in commending his Honor the Mayor for his vigilance and speed in attempting to bring about a change in the Legislature which will do away with that autocratic commission. There should be no time wasted in considering such a measure. If we adopt in this case the principle of direct nominations and selection it cannot fail of good results, for the reason that the Public Utilities Commission has become a body that is of no particular value to the people of the Commonwealth. They have branded themselves as the absolute protectors and representatives, not of the people of the Commonwealth but of the interests, those who hold large blocks of stock. It is true that here and there savings banks hold some of the New Haven stock, but they probably were not let into the scheme or they might have had more of it on their hands. But the great financial interests did have control and were well paid for it. I think I have covered about all the ground necessary in my remarks upon this order, and I believe the facts sufficiently warrant a unanimous vote by my colleagues to pass the order under suspension of the rule. In conclusion, I want simply to say that I have remained in this body practically silent for over a year in the matter of the attempted reduction of electric light rates of consumers in Boston. I have been, however, collecting data, and I have been getting information that I consider very valuable, which later on I will give in this body, concerning the action of this same commission in juggling the question of the reduction of rates to the Edison Company. They know as well as I do that the delay is unnecessary. I will say now that I anticipate their decision. They are

going to permit the Edison Company to charge 9½ cents per kilowatt hour for electricity to the consumers of Boston. The Edison Company is building a ten million dollar plant in Weymouth, which inside of five years will control every public lighting plant in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and which, if the people are not careful, will gobble up the few municipal plants operating in this Commonwealth. They are already interfering and trying to break down that magnificent public lighting plant in Holyoke. They are arranging with a private corporation to sell juice for commercial purposes, generated by private individuals at the canal in Holyoke, at a price which means a loss, in order to undersell or nearly equal the price charged by the municipal plant. That is what they are doing, and this Public Utilities Commission is going to render a decision maintaining the objection of the Edison Company to any reduction to the cost of electricity in Boston. That is because those with the power to regulate rates and service in the Commonwealth are irresponsible to the demands and pleas of the public who pay the bills. Mr. President, I trust that the order will pass under a suspension of the rule.

The motion to suspend the rules and adopt the resolution was declared not carried.

Later in the session Coun. WATSON said: Mr. President, I move a reconsideration of the vote whereby the Chair declared my motion for suspension of the rules and the passage of the order relative to indorsing the Mayor's petition for the election of the members of the Public Utility Commission by the voters not carried. I have just ascertained that the Chair, to use the vernacular, pulled one on me and declared my motion not carried. I therefore move a reconsideration, and if the reconsideration prevails, then a vote by yeas and nays on the motion in order that the Chair may have an opportunity to vote "no."

President LANE—All in favor of reconsideration say "aye," those opposed "no." It is a vote, and reconsideration is granted. Now Coun. Watson moves suspension of the rules and passage of the resolution. All in favor of the suspension of the rule signify by saying "yes." The rules are suspended.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I would like to suggest that I anticipate the vote will be on party lines.

President LANE—Coun. Watson moves the passage of the resolution.

The resolution was adopted, the vote being as follows:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Walsh, Watson—6.

Nays—President Lane—1.

ADVERTISING, HARVARD BRIDGE.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to petition the present General Court for legislation that will permit the City of Boston to advertise in other publications outside the *City Record* for a second-hand bridge to replace the present Harvard Bridge, provided, however, the officials of the City of Cambridge join in the spirit of this order and are not satisfied with the condition of the present structure.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, the purpose of this order is to give me an opportunity to try to ridicule the action of the commission appointed by the Governor relative to the Harvard Bridge. Under the present charter, advertisements for bids involving anything over a thousand dollars must be advertised and printed in the *City Record*, with a circulation of thirty-seven or thirty-eight. The only time when that *City Record* gets into the hands of any one outside of a few who may want to see who gets an increase of pay in the city service, is when somebody accidentally drops it in the street and it is picked up by some one who possibly may come from another city or state and who thereby upon examining it may see what a joke the Boston *City Record* is. That commission, appointed by the Governor, was made up of several individuals, some academic, some serious, others perhaps technical experts, some who perhaps knew something about building bridges, and probably somebody who thought he could get a chance to obtain inside information on the rebuilding of that bridge. Any man or woman who may walk across Harvard Bridge or who may go across in a team, carriage, street car, truck or automobile, knows the condition of the bridge. The counselor next to me (Coun. Walsh) says that people who go across in airplanes do not complain about the bridge. That is correct. We all know that that bridge is in a deplorable condition, that it is a dis-

grace to the community. Dr. Vincent Y. Bowditch has christened it "the artillery bridge," because when the woodwork contracts it rattles like a discharge of artillery. Doctor Bowditch says that when you go underneath the bridge you get even more of the effect of artillery. But it is certainly a rickety bridge. Of course, the first part of that word might particularly appeal to some members, who will recall a well known beverage called a "ricky." I may have to repeat that for some, but I see that it got recognition from our President! He recognized the reference to the "ricky." Now, that bridge cannot be rebuilt. I am told by scientific, actual bridge builders. The commission recommends rebuilding it at a cost of about two million dollars, suggesting the narrowing of the Charles river in order that the span will not be quite so extensive. Very good—two million dollars. It will—we are told that it will—cost \$500,000 to repair the bridge and put it into a condition that will permit of its use for about five or six years. Five hundred thousand dollars will take care of a good many things. But I think there is one thing that we should understand, and that is the need there is of building a first-class bridge. That bridge is dangerous. You cannot go across there in a vehicle without danger of being hit by flying timber. From 85 to 90 per cent of the timbers in the flooring of the bridge are loose, and yet this commission suggests rebuilding that bridge! When we were in Columbus, Ohio, a few years ago we saw a few bridges dismantled and ruined by a great flood. They were somewhat bent, it is true. They were lying there in parts by the side of the river, or they were a few years ago, when we were there. I think we could buy one of those bridges for a reasonable price! I think the commission might recommend our buying a bridge there for less than \$100,000, straightening out and putting it here, with the idea that anything would be good enough for the City of Boston! Mr. President, the bridge there should be a new bridge. A commission appointed by his Honor Mayor Peters recommended what is considered by architects, military men, business men and others an ideal plan for a memorial to those who fought in the late war and who gave their lives in that great cause. It is indorsed by the greatest architects in this part of the country. It will cost probably about three times the amount that these individuals say a second-hand, rebuilt bridge would cost—about \$6,000,000. The city of Cambridge would undoubtedly welcome an opportunity to bear its share of the burden of a decent bridge between here and Cambridge. The life of a bridge, Mr. President, is about thirty years. That bridge was built under an act of the Legislature in 1887, being commenced then and completed in 1891, and today I had an interview with the City Clerk, who at one time was head of the Street Department in this city, who told me that he had a conversation with William Jackson, our city engineer years ago, relative to the repair of the bridge on Shawmut avenue over the Albany Railroad tracks, and at that time raised the question about the advisability of doing anything there in the way of repairs. Mr. Jackson's answer was that the life of a bridge was thirty years. Therefore, this bridge is three years beyond its death. It has been for thirty-three years in operation or partly in operation. The information given by Mr. Jackson to Mr. Donovan, our City Clerk, was indorsed by the new engineer; and Mr. Whitney says that a bridge built in 1891, having been built to take care of the traffic of those days—horse cars, light vehicles, both pleasure and truck—is put under a much greater strain since the advent of the automobile and heavy trucks and cars, and he repeats that thirty years, in his opinion, is the life of a bridge built like Harvard Bridge. I don't know how much my ridicule will interfere with the proposed plans of that commission, but I do hope that the Legislature through its commission will permit Boston to advance rather than to be stultified and handicapped on every hand. We have got to do things in Boston or else we are doomed as a commercial city. We have an opportunity, for instance, to bring Mr. Ford here with his plan, but when the opportunity arises agitation is immediately started against it, and the thing for the time being is off. Let us seize such opportunities; let us, if possible, have Mr. Ford come here with a two million dollar plant which will provide employment for perhaps 2,500 men and women, adding in many ways to the revenue of this city. Mr. President, if any words of mine on this subject will awaken the public and the Legislature to the necessity of a genuine, real bridge between here and Cambridge, I will feel well rewarded for my efforts and, Mr. President, I now ask unanimous consent to withdraw my order.

The order was withdrawn.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. BRICKLEY, for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, submitted a report recommending the passage of an order for the payment of aid to soldiers and sailors, and their families in the City of Boston for the month of January, 1924.

Report accepted; order passed.

MONEY FOR SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That there be allowed and paid to the Soldiers' Relief Commissioner, and charged to the appropriation for Soldiers' Relief Department, the sum of \$300, said sum to be expended, subject to the approval of the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, by said commissioner, in affording immediate relief to persons entitled to relief, under the provisions of chapter 79 of the Revised Laws and acts in amendment thereof and addition thereto.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

LEGISLATION CONCERNING
LEARD REMSEN.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors the enactment of legislation to authorize the city to settle the claims in connection with the contract of Leard Remsen with the city.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

LEGISLATION CONCERNING
MICHAEL J. CURRAN.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston favors legislation for the payment of a pension to Michael J. Curran, a policeman of the City of Boston, on account of injuries received while in the performance of his duty.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

LEGISLATION CONCERNING
EDWARD J. SULLIVAN.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby approves the enactment of legislation to establish the retirement allowance of Edward J. Sullivan, former employee in the office of the City Treasurer, at the rate of \$1,500 per annum.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

LEGISLATION CONCERNING PARENTS
OF PETER F. OGINSKIS.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby approves the enactment of legislation to pay a sum of money to the parents of Peter F. Oginskis, a police officer of the City of Boston, who was killed while in the performance of his duty.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

LEGISLATION CONCERNING
THOMAS J. O'BRIEN.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors the enactment of legislation to authorize the reinstatement of Thomas J. O'Brien in the Fire Department of said city.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

LEGISLATION CONCERNING
PATRICK J. FLAHERTY.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors the enactment of legislation to authorize the reinstatement of Patrick J. Flaherty in the Fire Department of said city.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

Coun. BRICKLEY called up unfinished business, No. 1, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, January 7, 1924, viz.:

1. Samuel Smith, to be a Constable.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Brickley and Walsh. Whole number of ballots cast, 9, yeas 8, nays 1, and the appointment was confirmed.

Coun. BRICKLEY called up unfinished business Nos. 2 and 3, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, January 7, 1924, viz.:

1. Samuel Smith, to be a Constable.

2. William F. Dunphy and Eva Rabinovitz, to be Weighers of Coal.

3. John M. Carroll, to be a Weigher of Goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Brickley and Walsh. Whole number of ballots cast 9, yeas 9, nays 0, and the appointments were confirmed.

RECESS TAKEN.

Coun. WALSH moved at 3.14 o'clock p. m. to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.54 o'clock p. m.

FINANCE.

Coun. BRICKLEY, for the Committee on Finance, submitted a report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred January 7) for loan of \$25,000 for garage, Albany street—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. HAGAN, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Reports on petitions (referred today) for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement—that permits be granted, viz.:

Rev. Charles J. White, St. Columbkille's Hall, January 13.

Grace M. Marden, Winslow Hall, January 28. Reports accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for transfer of \$22,293.34 to East Boston Ferry, Improvements—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 9.

3. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of \$248,250 from Province Street Building to Highways, Making of—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the question came on the passage of the order.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I want to get in the record the statement I made before the Executive Committee that I think the Street Commissioners more or less deceived the City Council in the action on the half million dollars voted six months ago. But this \$248,250 will remain idle and the city will have to pay interest on the money. I am willing to accept the statement of the Street Commissioners that it is going to spend the same amount of money on the outlying sections.

President LANE—The Chair will vote "yes" for the same reason.

The order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 1, Coun. Hagan voting nay.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

ORDINANCES.

Coun. HEALEY, for the Committee on Ordinances, submitted a report on message and ordinance (referred November 26) concerning the Statistics Department—that the ordinance ought to pass.

Coun. HEALEY—I would like to say personally, Mr. President, to those members that bask in the sunshine of the smile of the chief executive, that one of the best things they could do would be to combine the Sta-

tistics with the Budget Commissioner's office, and then we would have a real department for the City of Boston.

The report was accepted and the ordinance was passed.

PLAYGROUND, VICINITY OF JEFFERSON
SCHOOL.

The Council voted, on motion of Councilor BRICKLEY, to recall from the Executive Committee the message, communications and order (referred January 7) for \$85,000 for playground in the vicinity of the Jefferson School, Roxbury.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I made a motion in the Executive Committee to report back "ought to pass" on the order. We voted to lay the matter on the table. I want to be frank with you. I have not had one single person, not one person, approach me for or against the playground proposition, and it is in my immediate locality. That is a strange condition of affairs. Notwithstanding that I was perfectly willing to vote for it. Coun. Walsh desired further time and, therefore, out of courtesy to him, I voted to have the matter laid on the table. I do not even know the location or the extent of the taking. I do not know whether or not the people in that vicinity favor it, excepting in so far as I have heard from somebody that has petitioned here. Not one gentleman has approached me on the proposition. It is a peculiar condition of affairs, if there is a crying need for the playground in that locality. One of two things is certain. Either they are ignorant or they have no desire for my co-operation. It does not disturb me which of the reasons is the cause of my not having been approached. Now, I do not think any harm can come from leaving this matter in the Executive Committee. The matter can pass at a later date just as well as now. Therefore I am opposed to recalling it at this time unless Coun. Walsh desires to withdraw his request to me to lay the matter on the table until a later time. If he withdraws his request then I will vote favorably.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I feel not quite in the same condition as the previous speaker but in a difficult situation. We all appreciate playground conditions are tender questions, not only to the children but to the older people as well. I think we should give the people in the different sections of the city consideration also. Some few months ago I put an order in this council for a playground in the vicinity of St. John's Church in Roxbury, where there is and always has been a cry for playgrounds. So far as I am aware the order went to the Planning Board and certain recommendations were made but have never been followed by the administration. I believe if we are going to improve certain sections of the city we ought to consider those sections that demand it. The councilor for that section of Roxbury certainly advances a good argument when he says he lives in the vicinity and has never heard of this demand for the playground. A glance at the map will show a great deal of vacant territory in the section where this is proposed. I think the matter should be laid on the table until a further investigation of the entire matter.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I will say that I was satisfied with Coun. Walsh's motion until I read the letter that accompanied the order and then I changed. It says:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, January 3, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Some six months ago a petition was received signed by 4,000 residents of the Roxbury section in favor of a playground in the vicinity of the Jefferson School, Roxbury district. This petition was later forwarded to the City Planning Board, who reported under date of September 21 in favor of acquiring land surrounding the Jefferson School, with a total area of 343,600 square feet.

The City Planning Board further recommended that the complete development of the proposed park, which would be about equal distance from the John J. Connolly Park and the Phillips Street Playground, be delayed until a later time.

A tract of eight acres within the city limits, the valuation of which is as low as the tract in question, should be taken at this time as it might be impossible to even seriously consider such a cause after development has been made on any portion of the area, and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

I have a further communication here:

Citizens' Improvement Association of
Roxbury, Mass., June 14, 1923.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Honorable Sir,—Attached herewith you will find a petition signed by 4,000 residents of Roxbury for a playground surrounding the Jefferson School on Heath street.

The clergymen, doctors and school teachers of the district have willingly signed this petition and have also voiced their hearty support. The Rt. Rev. Arthur T. Connolly, pastor of the Blessed Sacrament Church, obtained 1,100 signatures from children in the Cheverus Parochial School, and also stated that he was most desirous of having a playground for the children that would be safely and centrally located.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS S. KENNEDY,
President.

I would say that there is a map here. There is also one petition with about twenty-five names. I have here another communication from the Planning Board:

"The City Planning Board has given careful consideration to the location of a playground in the vicinity of Jefferson School, Roxbury, as requested in petitions containing approximately 4,000 signatures of residents of the district, and begs to submit to you herewith a report and recommendation based upon its own investigations and conclusions in the matter. In these investigations the Board has had the benefit of conferences with the chairman of the Park Department, together with copies of plans and report submitted by their consultant, and estimates of the cost of grading and construction as prepared by the Park Department engineer."

There are two other sheets that I do not think necessary to read. It is signed by Frederick H. Fay, chairman. If the members desire it I will read it. I see that they refer to a petition, and I am going to assume that there was a petition, not only signed under the name of Thomas S. Kennedy, and I do not know who he is, and also by the Mayor stating 4,000, and also by the chairman of the Planning Board. I realize and am in sympathy with Coun. Gilbody in regard to a playground in the section of Roxbury that he desired. I will also vote to appropriate that money if he is able to get his Honor to send it here. But there is no question here. We have only got one playground here.

Coun. WATSON—I would like to ask the counselor a question if he will yield.

Coun. MORIARTY—Certainly.

Coun. WATSON—I would like to ask through you, Mr. President, of the counselor opposite, if there was a playground proposed within three quarters of a mile of his home, wouldn't he think it strange that not one single individual in the entire locality had approached him verbally or otherwise on the proposition?

President LANE—Coun. Moriarty.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, why, I will say that I don't think that it is strange at all.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, well, all right. If you don't that answers it. It is perfectly satisfactory.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, and I mean that with no slight. I mean that with no slight to the counselor on the other side. I feel that everybody in Roxbury has the confidence of the counselor from the other side, and feels that there was no need to get in touch with him in regard to a playground in any part of Roxbury.

Coun. WATSON—The oil don't go, James.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I was fair in answering the question that the counselor on the other side asked and I want to say that there was no sarcasm in my remark to him, neither in the answer nor in my statement. Of course, if you want to be ribbed by the counselor who is sitting back of you, then, of course, you can be ribbed, but he has only got a short time to continue to rib you. I want to say, Mr. Chairman, that I agreed to the delay until I found that the people in the district to the number—and I am going to take the number as authentic—that did sign that petition, that there are 4,000 people in that part of Roxbury that desire a playground in that near vicinity. For that reason I am going to vote for it, but not only for that district. If Coun. Gilbody, I was about to say, is able to get his Honor the Mayor to send in another one for the part of Roxbury that he desires, for \$60,000 or \$65,000. I will also vote for that one. But I am not going to play one against the other. Some time ago we had an order in

here for a playground at Forest Hills. If I remember correctly, accompanying the order there was a transfer for \$25,000 that had been a loan order that had been pending since 1913, for a playground in the Mattapan district. Of course the members of this Council saw fit not to transfer that money and Forest Hills is without a playground today. And so is Mattapan. So, if we are going to play one part of Roxbury against another part of Roxbury, both sections of Roxbury are going to be left without a playground. Now, the Mayor has seen fit to send this in here, he says, because he has been petitioned by 4,000 people. Whether that is the reason or not it makes no material difference to me. The playground is here and I am going to vote to appropriate, and what good deed may be done today for the people of Roxbury we will not have to do tomorrow for that section. This is here and has been here for a couple of weeks, or a week, at least. We have no information. It was laid on the table for one week, and there is no reasonable request or statement made why it should be held further. The counselor who requested the matter to be laid on the table has said to me that he has no objection to allowing it to go upon its passage.

Coun. WALSH—Mr. President, I withdraw my objections and will vote "yes."

President LANE—The question comes on taking from the Executive Committee the matter of the playground adjoining the Jefferson School.

The motion was carried.

President LANE—What is the pleasure of the Council in the matter?

Coun. HEALEY—I move to amend, Mr. President, by striking out the words "for a playground adjoining the Jefferson School, Roxbury District," and inserting the words "for a playground in the neighborhood of the Jefferson School, Roxbury District." The reason of that is, Mr. President, that I do not care to be tied up with any land and I do not think the Council ought to vote for an order that specifies the land. I think it is more reasonable to vote for an order that gives a playground in the neighborhood of the Jefferson School, so that if there are various lots to be placed before the City of Boston, the City of Boston could accept the best lot. It may be that there is no other available land in the vicinity of the Jefferson School, but my amendment allows the Park Department and the Street Commissioners to take any land in the vicinity of the school.

President LANE—Coun. Healey moves an amendment, striking out the word "adjoining" and inserting the words "in the vicinity of."

The amendment was adopted, and the order, as amended, was given its first reading and passed, yeas 9.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. WALSH moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 5.21 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, to meet on Monday, January 21, at two o'clock p. m.

INCOME TAX (STATE) ON INTANGIBLE PROPERTY.

In accordance with Chap. 269, ss. 2 and 11, General Acts of 1916, intangible personal property (except bank stock) ceased to be subject to assessment and taxation in 1917 and thereafter. In place of that tax an income tax was established, amounting to six per cent per year on income derived from such intangibles, subject to various specified exemptions.

Owing to the exemption from tax of intangible personal property, the total valuation of personalty in Boston decreased from \$328,929,679 in 1916 to \$162,545,343 in 1917, a loss representing \$2,945,000 in taxes. By sec. 23 of said Chapter 269, it was provided that the

State Treasurer should pay to each city or town an amount equal to the difference between the personal property levy in 1915 and that of 1917 computed at the 1915 tax rate. If the income tax collections exceeded the amount required for such distribution, the excess was also to be distributed, this in proportion to the State tax imposed on each city or town in 1917. The amount of income taxes paid by the State to the City of Boston under said statute for 1917 was \$3,704,855; for 1918, \$4,085,175; for 1919, \$3,017,133 and \$620,735 for Schools; for 1920, \$3,754,237 and \$644,703 for Schools; for 1921, \$3,182,205 and \$660,122 for Schools. Total for the five years, 1917 to 1921, inclusive, \$19,669,165. In 1917 the total distribution in Metropolitan District outside Boston was \$3,198,281 or \$506,574 less than in Boston alone. Total for whole District (incl. Boston) \$6,903,136 or 61.64 per cent of total for State, and \$1,423,401 in excess of the total shrinkage in taxes on personalty from 1916 to 1917 in the District due to the new law exempting intangible property.

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HEATING SYSTEM FOR TWO ADDITIONAL TIERS OF STEEL BRACKET STACKS.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for a complete heating system for the two additional tiers of steel bracket stacks for the Central Library Building, Copley square, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company therefor in a sum not less than 25 per cent of the contract price. Only proposals in form obtained at the office of the architects, Fox & Gale, 3 Hamilton place, Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, January 30, 1924, at the office of the Trustees, Central Library Building, Copley square, with a certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100), payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all proposals, and to accept any proposal, if it shall be deemed for the interest of the city so to do. Specifications and drawings (with forms of proposal and contract) may be obtained of the architects as above on and after Monday, January 21, 1924.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY
OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by ARTHUR T. CONNOLLY, President.
(Jan. 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for the complete installation of a plumbing system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue, Ward 7, Boston, according to plans and specifications, and giving a bond of a surety company therefor, satisfactory to the Commissioner, in the sum of \$3,000. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, February 6, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, and marked "Proposal for Plumbing System in the Signal Apparatus Building in the Fenway, Ward 7." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above; the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time of the opening of the bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest. A deposit of \$10 will be required for a set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings.

(Jan. 26.)

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CAST IRON SPECIAL CASTINGS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service:

150 tons of cast-iron special castings for the High Pressure Fire Service.

Blank proposals may be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$400, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Wednesday, February 6, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(Jan. 26.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.
FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for the complete installation of a heating and ventilating system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway, opposite Westland Avenue, Ward 7, Boston, according to plans and specifications, and giving a bond of a surety company therefor, satisfactory to the Commissioner, in the sum of \$7,500. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, February 6, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, and marked "Proposal for Signal Apparatus Building in the Fenway, Ward 7." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above; the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time of the opening of the bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest. A deposit of \$10 will be required for a set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings.

(Jan. 26.) THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

CITY OF BOSTON.
LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRIC LIGHTING SYSTEM FOR TWO ADDITIONAL TIERS OF STEEL BRACKET STACKS.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for a complete lighting system for the two additional tiers of steel bracket stacks for the Central Library Building, Copley square, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company therefor in a sum not less than 25 per cent of the contract price. Only proposals in form obtained at the office of the architects, Fox & Gale, 3 Hamilton place, Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, January 30, 1924, at the office of the Trustees, Central Library Building, Copley square, with a certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100), payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all proposals, and to accept any proposal, if it shall be deemed for the interest of the city so to do. Specifications and drawings (with forms of proposal and contract) may be obtained of the architects as above on and after Monday, January 21, 1924.

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CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT

TO FURNITURE CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing, delivering and setting up pupils' school furniture in various schoolhouses throughout the city for a period of one year, beginning March 1, 1924, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of \$20,000. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, February 12, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$3,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(Jan. 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR LUMBER FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering in the shops or stock rooms of the various schools lumber as per schedule. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Friday, February 8, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$50, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Each proposal should be plainly marked "Proposal for Lumber." The bid must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, and the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for not less than 25 per cent of the amount of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept such bid or bids as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. All bids are received and accepted subject to the making of sufficient appropriation by the School Committee to meet the cost of this material.

WILLIAM T. KEORGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(Jan. 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HAY, GRAIN AND STRAW.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Thursday, January 31, 1924, when they will be publicly opened and read for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments for the month of February, 1924. The bidder must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on United States No. 2 and No. 3 timothy hay, United States No. 2 and No. 3 light grass mixed, and United States No. 2 and No. 3 light clover mixed, the straw to be rye straw in good condition. The grade of hay must comply with the Federal hay grades and straw must comply with the National Hay Association and shall be weighed and inspected by the Federal Hay Inspector. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, clipped to test 36 to 38 pounds, graded under the Federal standards. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. No reservations or stipulations submitted by the various bidders will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

(Jan. 26.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

READVERTISEMENT
CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COLLECTING AND REMOVING ASHES, STORE DIRT, HOUSE DIRT, REFUSE AND GARBAGE IN BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for collecting and removing ashes, store dirt, house dirt, refuse and garbage, between February 11, 1924, and January 31, 1925, including the removal of all household refuse, during the spring cleaning period between April 1, 1924, and May 15, 1924, and shall also remove grass, garden refuse and leaves during the entire term of the contract in the following district: Brighton, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 50 per cent of this amount of the contract to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Collecting and Removing Ashes," etc., and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, January 31, 1924, with a certified check for 5 per cent of the total amount of the contract, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price bid on any district appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal for said district. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, January 24, 1924. (Jan. 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEATS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to various city departments during February, 1924, as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200 payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 noon, Thursday, January 31, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(Jan. 26.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR NEW PIPING FOR SALT WATER SYSTEM AT THE AQUARIUM, MARINE PARK, SOUTH BOSTON.

Proposals on blanks to be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, for new piping for salt water system at the Aquarium, Marine Park, South Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 m. on Thursday, January 31, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of \$3,000, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(Jan. 26.)

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen, in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being abolished. For these was substituted a single City Council of nine members to

be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, *i. e.*, whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, *i. e.*, establishing a single term of four years, but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (*i. e.*, the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor which licensees claimed the right to sell was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on June 7, 1920. The result of this decision was that former applicants for liquor

licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (*i. e.*, prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topeka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

SETTLEMENT OF BOSTON.

Boston was settled in the latter part of August, 1630, by Puritan colonists under Governor John Winthrop. The name of the original settlement was changed to Boston from Trimountaine by order of the Court of Assistants on September 7 (O. S.), 1630. This date was moved forward by the New Style calendar in 1752 to Sept. 17, the recognized date of the founding of Boston. The name, Trimountaine, had been given because of the three peaks of the most prominent hill, afterward called Beacon Hill, much higher then than now. By the Indians the place was called Shawmut. The name, Boston, was derived from the English town of Boston in Lincolnshire, the home of some of the leading colonists and promoters of the enterprise.

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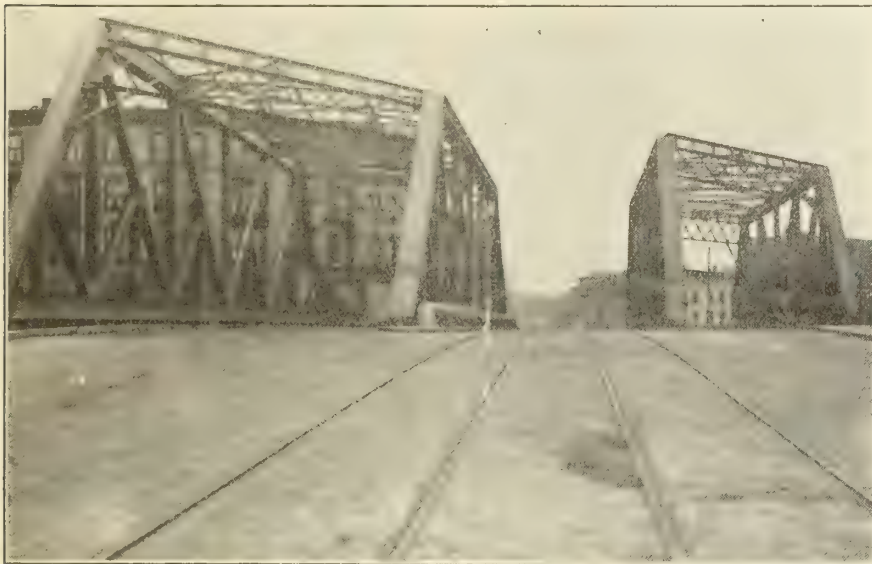
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COMPLETION OF CAMBRIDGE STREET BRIDGE ADDS ATTRACTIVE APPROACH TO CITY.

NEW STRUCTURE REPLACING ONE BUILT IN 1893 MAKES
PROVISION FOR ALL TRAFFIC POSSIBLE AND ALSO
FOR FUTURE CONTINGENCY OF ELECTRIFICATION OF
RAILROADS.



NEW CAMBRIDGE STREET, ALLSTON, BRIDGE ADDS TO BOSTON'S
ATTRACTIVE APPROACHES AND AESTHETIC BEAUTY OF DISTRICT.

[Photo by Kelly of Roxbury.]

With the completion of the Cambridge Street Bridge in Allston, Boston has added another attraction to her approaches to the center of the city, this bridge being one of the finest bits of construction work of the kind in this section.

The structure replaces the bridge built in 1893, of a much lighter type than is the present structure and rendered so dangerous on account of corrosion from locomotive gases as to necessitate a new one. For some time before decision was made to replace the structure with the new one it had been found too dangerous to allow electric cars to pass over it.

The new bridge is about 150 feet long and 85 feet wide. It provides three roadways and two sidewalks. The middle roadway contains two surface car tracks. All the steel below the floor is encased in concrete to protect it from locomotive gases.

The floor is of concrete, with wood block paving and with granolithic on the sidewalks. There are about 650 tons of steel in the structure, which was designed to carry electric cars weighing fifty tons each and to carry a twenty-ton motor truck. Each of the roadways is wide enough to accommodate two lines of travel.

A foot more clearance was established over the railroad tracks so that if in the future the railroad is electrified it will not be necessary to destroy the bridge. This extra clearance also gives the bridge a little more protection from the action of the locomotive gases.

MAYOR CURLEY ORDERS DRAS- TIC CUT IN BUDGET ESTI- MATES BY DEPARTMENTS.

The Budget Commissioner, Charles J. Fox, on January 28 submitted estimates received by him from the various departments for the fiscal year 1924-25. The estimates as submitted, if allowed, would add \$4,225,680 to the cost of conducting the activities of the city over and above the amount actually allowed in 1923-24, the estimate of the Police Department being \$658,000 greater than last year,

the Fire Department \$462,000, the Hospital Department \$455,000, the Public Works Department \$850,000, and the Park Department \$288,000, or a total in five departments of the city in excess of \$2,700,000.

His Honor informed the Budget Commissioner that to grant these allowances would add approximately \$3 to the tax rate and any increase in the tax rate would be seized upon by certain owners of property as an excuse for increasing rentals.

The Budget Commissioner was instructed to submit a revision of the estimates, eliminating at least two and a quarter millions from the total of departmental estimates as submitted. "I fully realize," said the Mayor, "that the city is experiencing a growth but I fail to find any evidence that it is abnormal in character. Consequently, it is advisable to observe decent limitations in the matter of increased costs of administration."

"Personally, I am in favor of a most liberal policy in the matter of appropriations covering charities and hospitalization work but believe so far as possible it is advisable to postpone luxuries until such time at least as the wages of the worker enjoy an advance corresponding to that which has taken place in the cost of living."

BOSTON BEATS RECORD IN TAX COLLECTIONS WITH 91 PER CENT PAID IN.

Boston ended its fiscal year January 31 with the highest percentage of tax collection in the history of the city. Of the total amount of taxes levied, 91.0827 per cent was collected, including \$137,825 which was paid in during the last day. As a result the city will have a substantial surplus to show for 1923-24 and prospects of no jump in the tax rate.

Collector McMorroo beat by 4 per cent his figure for last year, which at that time set a record for twenty-five years. The nearest approach to this year's mark was under Mayor Matthews in 1893 when the collections reached 90.11 per cent.

The figures include real, personal and poll taxes. The amount assessed in the warrant was \$43,558,012.49, and the amount collected, \$39,673,791.20, leaving \$3,884,221.29 to be collected. This amount will be reduced further by abatements. The abatement figure to date is \$140,000.

The high percentage of collections assures a surplus of at least \$500,000 for the year, Mayor Curley said, with all bills paid. He said he would use the money during the coming year to meet the increasing costs of running the city and thereby to keep the tax rate from going up, if possible. The tax rate is now \$24.70.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, February 4, at 10.30 a. m.

A regular meeting for organization of the School Committee of the City of Boston will be held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, on Monday, February 4, 1924, at 4.30 o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To the BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

PROGRAM FOR INAUGURATION OF NEW CITY COUNCIL MON- DAY, FEBRUARY 4.

The members and members-elect of the City Council will assemble in the Council Chamber at 10.30 a. m.

Senior Member Watson takes the chair and calls the members to order.

Councilor Gilbody moves that a committee of two be appointed by the Chair to escort his Honor the Mayor to the Council Chamber.

The Chair declares the motion carried and appoints Councilors Gilbody and Brickley.

The committee, accompanied by the City Messenger, retire, and return with the Mayor and chaplain and suite.

The Mayor then takes the chair, raps to order, and says: "The audience will now give their attention while the chaplain leads us in prayer."

Prayer by the chaplain, Rev. Mortimer E. Twomey, St. Eulalia's Church, South Boston.

At the conclusion of the prayer the Mayor says: "The City Clerk will read the communication from the Election Commissioners certifying as to the new members elected to the City Council, and will call the roll."

City Clerk reads certificate.

City Clerk calls roll of members-elect.

The Mayor then says: "Councilors-elect Lane, Moriarty and Purcell will please step forward, hold up their right hands, and repeat after me the oaths of office."

After taking the oath the members return to their seats, the Mayor raps for order, and delivers his address.

At the conclusion of the address Councilor Watson raps for the audience to rise while the Mayor and suite retire.

Councilor Watson then calls the Council to order, and directs the clerk to call the roll.

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To the WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

PETITIONS APPROVED.

The Mayor has allowed the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Walnut avenue, Ward 24, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Brookfield street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Saybrook street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Putnam street, Ward 2, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Stratton street, Ward 21, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Sanford street, Ward 21, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Fort avenue, Ward 15, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Eldon street, Ward 14, erect three poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Faneuil street, Ward 26, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Cliffmont street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Cliffmont street, Ward 23, erect seven poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Peverell street, Ward 17, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Norfolk street, Ward 15, erect four poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Brackett street, Ward 26, erect five poles.

CORNERSTONE OF FIRST HEALTH UNIT IN NORTH END LAID WITH IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY.

FORMER MAYOR HART, MAYOR CURLEY AND OTHER PROMINENT CITIZENS OF BOSTON TAKE PART IN EXERCISES MADE POSSIBLE BY \$5,000,000 GIFT TO CITY OF LATE GEORGE R. WHITE.

With ceremony that was deeply impressive a scene was enacted in the crowded congested district of the North End which marks another advance in the conception of municipal responsibility with the laying of the cornerstone of the first of the George Robert White health units, made possible by a bequest to the city, two years ago, of more than \$5,000,000.

Mrs. Harriet J. Bradbury, sister of Boston's benefactor, and former mayor Thomas N. Hart were interested participants in the exercises.

Owing to the dampness, the congestion and the duration of the exercises, it was considered best that former Mayor Hart, the honorary presiding officer, now in his ninety-sixth year, should sit in the limousine with Mrs. Bradbury. His place as actual presiding officer was taken by George E. Phelan, manager of the George Robert White fund, on the part of the trustees.

In opening the exercises Mr. Phelan spoke of the pleasure everybody must feel in having Mr. Hart, whom he called "the city's most honored citizen," as the presiding officer. He introduced Rev. Augustine J. Duart, of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, nearby, to pronounce the invocation, adding that the health unit would supplement the work of the church, "that fortress of good that has dominated the life of the parish for so many years." Following the invocation, Mr. Phelan spoke of the provisions of the will which places the fund in the hands of a board of trustees, of which the Mayor, the City Auditor, the president of the City Council, the president of the Boston Bar Association and the president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, are members. He introduced George R. Nutter, president of the Bar Association, to represent the trustees.

Mr. Nutter referred to the habit of Americans to be boastful, which was not so bad if one has anything to boast about. In many ways Americans were justified in having a good opinion of themselves, but there were some things, as the World War pointed out, which should excite deepest consideration.

"It was found," Mr. Nutter said, "that in preparing for that struggle, the flower of American youth were found lacking in health and Massachusetts played a sorry part with over 25 per cent of her youth rejected for war duty. Only three states had a worse record, and they were in New England."

He spoke of health as one of the greatest assets of a country, and, in these days of strictest competition, such a force is an absolute necessity. The trustees of the White Fund had done their part in a movement to improve the health of the North End and it remained for the health experts to carry on the work, as Mr. Nutter was certain they would. In conclusion, he remarked that "George Robert White bids fair to

take his place among the noted benefactors of mankind."

Health Commissioner Francis X. Mahoney referred to the occasion as marking another milestone in progressive health matters and praised the foresight of the Mayor and his associates in providing that the White Fund should be spent in so important a cause. He said that preventive medical and health work means preventing disease, and any efforts along that line are efforts in a noble cause.

He spoke of the location, on the site of the old Beth Isreal Synagogue, as a perfect place for an institution of that kind and he wanted to assure the trustees of the fund that everything would be done to make the unit successful. He warned the public, however, that unless the department secures the earnest co-operation of all agencies working for the betterment of the district, it will make the work of the Health Department harder.

These remarks were supplemented by those of Dr. George Cheever Shattuck of the Boston Health League, who spoke of the difference between a health unit and a dispensary or the family physician. A health unit exists to prevent disease and to raise the standard of health and it should unify the program of all agencies for civic betterment. He spoke of the unit in the West End as well established under the management of Dr. Charles F. Wilinsky.

In introducing Mayor Curley, the presiding officer impressively related the circumstances concerning the announcement of the White bequest about two years ago. The next day, Mr. Curley, who was not then mayor, called on him and reported that he had passed a wakeful night. He had been thinking of possible plans for the benefit of the city under that bequest Mr. Phelan asked what should be done, and Mr. Curley replied "to better the living conditions of the less fortunate." Later, in conversation with Mrs. Bradbury, Mr. Phelan said that she felt the Mayor must have been inspired, for the thought that he expressed was the thought that Mr. White had many times expressed to her. The result was that the trustees finally adopted the plan of health units, one in each of the five great tenement districts of Boston.

Mayor Curley, who was received with laughter and applause as he bowed to Mrs. Curley and named her in his salutory with the remark that it was one of the few opportunities that he had of talking to her in public, spoke of George Robert White as "a truly great product of this land of opportunity."

"The unit," he said, "would perpetuate the passing of a great American who came to Boston as a poor boy, and who, in the amassing of great wealth, never lost the memory for his fellow citizens, or the human touch. Mr. White had brought into the life of Boston the spirit of kindness and of brotherhood."

"The three greatest evils today," the Mayor said, "are poverty, disease and crime. Through the White bequest it will be possible to combat disease and thereby help in the general betterment of conditions among the poor. Who can conjure the possibilities that may result from our duty here today? The importance of this bequest may stimulate others just as well able as Mr. White was to make a contribution to the city along these lines."

Referring to the confidence of Mr. White in the integrity of city officials, which was indicated by the way he left his money, the Mayor said it was an emphatic object lesson in the days when the public is led to believe that crime and underhandedness are rampant in the conduct of their public business.

"No matter how venal any reform administrations may be," the Mayor remarked, "the trustees had so buttressed the funds with safeguards that they would be powerless to dissipate it."

When the Mayor had concluded, Charles A. Coolidge, one of the trustees of the Park Department and the architect who designed the building, presented the Mayor with a silver trowel, suitably engraved. The Mayor, rather than use the spotless instrument, called upon a workman to present an old trowel. This he manipulated, spreading the mortar about the granite block. The copper box containing city documents, a copy of the White will and other papers, was then placed in position and the upper block was lowered.

Then, stepping over to the neighboring car, Mayor Curley presented the unused trowel to Mrs. Bradbury, who kindly consented to step on the platform and have her picture taken with the Mayor and Mrs. Curley. The exercises were concluded with the singing of the "Star-Spangled Banner."

ACCEPTS SUM ON GARBAGE CONTRACT.

President Charles Cranford of the Boston Development and Sanitary Company has decided to accept from the City of Boston \$2,500 of the approximately \$3,000 due him as final payment on that concern's contract for operation of the garbage incinerating plant at Spectacle Island.

Corporation Counsel Mark Sullivan has so announced, adding that the corporation has expressed its wish that the remaining \$500 shall be withheld by the city, as the basis of the corporation's suit for \$350,000 against the city, now pending in the courts.

This suit was instituted nearly two years ago, upon expiration of the ten-year \$2,500,000 contract the corporation had with the city. Coleman Brothers, Inc., has since been operating the plant on a contract calling for payments over the ten-year period aggregating \$3,789,000.

President Cranford claims the \$350,000 is the extent of the damage sustained by the corporation because of the city's neglect to abide by the provision of the contract which, it is contended, bound it to separate solid materials from the garbage which was incinerated.

Plant operators during the Cranford contract were continually complaining that paving stones, sidewalk bricks, tin cans and other solid materials impervious to the incinerating process were coming to the island in the garbage scows and working havoc to the incinerating machinery.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for laundering the linen of the Boston Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, February 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the construction and completion of signal apparatus building in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$75,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the complete installation of a heating and ventilating system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$7,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 13, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the complete installation of a plumbing system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 13, at 12 m.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for electric lighting system for two additional tiers of steel bracket stacks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the architects, Fox and Gale, 3 Hamilton place, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the office of the trustees, Central Library, Copley Square, Boston. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 6, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering, in the shops and stock rooms of the various schools, lumber as per schedule. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, February 8, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering and setting up pupils' school furniture in various schoolhouses for the period of one year. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, February 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the hardware for the complete equipment of the elementary school, Bennett District, Strathmore road and Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check, in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, February 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the erection and completion of the Edmund P. Tileston District School, Walk Hill street, Mattapan. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$7,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, February 15, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service, cast-iron special castings, to the amount of 150 tons. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for cast-iron water pipe and special castings to the amount of 200 tons. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, February 12, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, January 31:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Catherine J. Moore has been continued in employment as temporary clerk for a period not exceeding thirty days at \$4 a day.

Maurice M. Hurley and John B. Buckley have been appointed as permanent clerks at \$1,200 a year each.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Edwin A. Wall, cashier for the City Treasury Department, has been granted compensation at the rate of \$30 a month on the monthly roll of the Boston Retirement Board with the rating clerk, part-time.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

John P. O'Connor has been awarded the following payment for services as acting teller from January 21 to January 29, inclusive, 8 days at \$3, \$24.

Francis J. O'Connell has been awarded the following payment for services as acting teller during the month of January: 26 days at \$3, \$78.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Assistant Engineer Edward H. Kilday, of Engine Company 26-35, has been promoted to engineer and his salary increased from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Eugene M. Byington, superintendent and supervisor of engines in the Bureau of Supplies and Repairs, has been granted an increase in pay from \$3,500 to \$3,800 a year.

Thomas W. O'Connell, stenographer at headquarters, has been appointed stenographer to the chief of department at an increased salary from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Josephine M. Foley, employed as a temporary clerk at \$15 a week, ceased work January 26.

Helen M. O'Connell has been appointed permanent clerk with a knowledge of stenography at \$800 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Cornelius Sullivan has been transferred from laborer at \$4 a day in the Public Works Department, Street Cleaning Service, to laborer at \$4 a day in the Park Department.

Thomas J. Eaton has been transferred from laborer at \$4 a day in the Public Works Department, Sanitary Service, to laborer at \$4 a day in the Park Department.

Patrick J. Splaine has been granted

the provisional appointment, as a Zoo attendant at \$4 a day.

Louis Miano has been granted a further extension of employment for a period of three months as temporary laborer at \$4 a day.

Annie E. Kelley has been appointed matron and plant cleaner at \$18 a week.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Charles T. Norton has been granted leave of absence from his work in the County Buildings at \$4 a day for a period beginning January 28 and ending May 5, 1924, with loss of pay.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

William J. Brown has been employed as assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week for four weeks.

John J. O'Neil has been promoted from clerk at \$1,900 a year to executive clerk at \$2,100 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

John T. Blye, laborer at \$4 a day, has been transferred from the Transit Department to the West Roxbury paving district in a similar position.

John F. Fallon has been granted a continuance of temporary employment as rodman at \$1,000 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Matthew Donovan has been granted a continuance of temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year.

Ernest E. Cummings has been promoted from inspector at \$1,800 a year to foreman at \$2,000 a year.

Russell E. Gately has been granted a continuance of temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year.

James B. Doherty has been continued in temporary employment as laborer at \$4 a day up to February 28.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Thomas H. Leonard, who was promoted from meter tester and repairer at \$4.50 a day to meter inspector at \$1,300 a year, has been granted a change in salary to \$1,400 a year.

Permission has been granted to sell, at public auction, one old water tank, the property of the Public Works Department, located on Milton avenue, Hyde Park, having an estimated value of \$200.

Catherine Farrell has been promoted from address printer and clerk at \$1,100 a year to clerk at \$1,200 a year.

Michael A. Horigan has been promoted from clerk at \$2,100 a year to executive clerk at \$2,300 a year.

RENT AND HOUSING COMMITTEE.

The following employees have been granted an extension of provisional temporary employment as adjusters, at their present rate of compensation: Herbert E. Ellis, \$75 a week; Harry E. Casey, \$50 a week; Henry A. Doherty, \$25 a week.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Daniel J. Heffernan, chauffeur, has been granted six months' leave of absence, with loss of pay.

Michael J. Conlin has been appointed clerk of works at \$1,900 a year.

Daniel J. Heffernan has been appointed provisionally as a clerk of works at \$1,900 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Henry Finke has been appointed draughtsman for a period of three months at \$1,500 a year.

John M. Leonard has been appointed draughtsman for a period of three months at \$1,500 a year.

William J. Sullivan, senior engineer, has been promoted to chief engineer, with an increase in salary from \$2,300 to \$3,500 a year.

William L. Austin, senior engineer at \$2,000 a year, has been appointed senior engineer at \$2,300 a year.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

James A. McCaffrey has been transferred from the Public Works Department as laborer at \$4 a day to the Transit Department as skilled laborer at \$5.25 a day.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, January 24:

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, one day, \$4.66.

John Carlin, working subforeman of mechanics, 1 day, \$4.66; Wilfred Fitzgerald, plumber, 1 day, \$5; Joseph Klaus, plumber, 1 day, \$5; Michael Donelan, machinist, 1 day, \$5; John J. Driscoll, pipe fitter, 1 day, \$4.50. Total, \$24.16.

For the week ending Thursday, January 31:

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, one day, \$4.66.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, January 31:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Austin Kelly, Bernard McCabe, Henry J. Moylan, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

Fairview Cemetery.

Russell Grant, James Aingston, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, January 31:

J. Reynolds, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13. T. Jennings, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3. J. McDonough, elevatorman, 3 hours, \$1.50.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 28:

Drawtenders.—M. J. Doyle, Jr., T. J. Shea, 1 day, \$4.93 each; D. J. O'Connor, 2 days, \$9.86.

Assistant Drawtender.—J. J. Fitzgerald, 1 day, \$4.11.

Total, \$23.83.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 28:

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 3 day, \$3.75.

Gatemen.—Christopher T. Leonard, Thomas A. O'Hare, 1 day, \$4.80 each. Total, \$13.35.

Net cost for the week ending Monday, January 28, \$3.75.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 28:

Teamsters.—W. J. Burke, J. J. Walsh, J. F. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each; J. Ballam, J. P. Belisle, A. W. Blankenburg, W. H. Colbert, M. J. Curley, E. Davis, J. W. DeRocher, O. Doherty, E. T. Duffy, M. D. Ferrente, H. T. Furey, J. J. Hegarty, S. Hegarty, R. W. Lanahan, B. F. Lyons, P. J. McCormack, J. McGrath, J. F. Nagle, J. O'Brien, F. L. Perkins, P. W. Sheehan, J. F. Sweeney, P. R. Tully, J. J. Hurley, J. J. McLaughlin, 1 day, \$2 each.

Stableman.—J. Canney, T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, J. Curran, 1 day, \$4 each.

Blacksmiths.—W. J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$2.50; M. F. Sullivan, 1 day, \$5; P. J. Brickley, 1 day, \$2.13.

Blacksmith's Assistants.—C. J. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.25; A. R. Gaffey, 1 day, \$4.

Horseshoers.—P. J. Carroll, M. F. Dahihi, J. F. Duddy, J. P. O'Leary, 2 days, \$10 each.

Feeder.—J. E. Burns, 1 day, \$3.19.

Stableman.—C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$3.

Teamsters.—J. P. W. Callahan, C. B. Capillo, J. M. Casserly, J. Ciaccio, M. J. Connolly, P. J. Connolly, M. J. Connors, M. Cronin, C. J. Crowley, D. J. Dalton, T. Donovan, T. Dwyer, J. A. Foley, H. F. Furey, D. Gallagher, J. E. Galvin, J. J. Gavin, W. J. H. Green, G. Guifredo, H. J. Holmes, P. C. Kanairy, K. F. Kenney, J. J. Lannon, J. P. Leonard, E. S. Lucas, B. McCool, J. McGaffigan, W. McGahey, D. F. McLaughlin, E. L. McLaughlin, P. J. McLaughlin, R. J. Nugent, J. O'Brien, J. Roche, F. Ruggiero, D. Shea, W. F. Shea, J. E. Southern, J. F. O'Brien, J. P. Sullivan, E. J. Tighe, C. E. Vilello, F. Zirpollo, J. Yankousky, J. Salemi, J. J. Dowdall, L. A. Medus, P. J. Nee, 1 day, \$3 each. Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25. Chauffeur.—J. J. Landrigan, 1 day, \$3.75.

Total, \$294.07.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 28:

Steam Engineers.—Michael Duffy, 1 day, \$5; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 1½ days, \$5.06 each.

Laborers.—James Schofield, 2½ days, \$9; Patrick Fitzgerald, Michael McMahon, John Crowley, Timothy Driscoll, 1½ days, \$6 each; Peter Keenan, 1½ days, \$4.50; James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4; Daniel McKenna, 1 day, \$1.50.

Total, \$58.12.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 28:

Teamsters.—M. J. O'Connell, H. S. Lawrence, T. Ormand, C. E. Anderson, M. Barry, B. Callahan, H. Conroy, J. F. Cosgrove, F. Diaz, R. F. Doherty, J. Donovan, J. Egan, W. J. Foley, D. Hamilton, J. H. Jeffery, J. Kennedy, A. McDonald, E. J. Murphy, J. Murray, A. Poirier, P. Quigley, J. Riley, G. Meola, R. C. Burke, G. Regele, C. Noon, S. A. Sawyer, J. J. Carroll, G. Linsky, J. Considine, R. M. Jennings, 1 day, \$3 each.

Teamsters.—B. Coyne, C. F. Bell, T. Conway, L. Divita, J. L. Gould, J. C. Hourihan, H. J. Kane, J. Z. Lamothe, R. Mulcahy, L. Paglia, J. P. Quinlan, M. F. Shea, D. Stack, J. F. Travis, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2 each.

Teamsters.—J. J. McHugh, R. Marsey, M. J. Lyons, J. F. Brown, D. J. Callahan, G. H. Corcoran, J. J. Curtin, Jr., J. A. Hartigan, J. J. Hines, M. Hughes, P. F. Joyce, L. V. Kilduff, B. Maraghy, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—M. Cashman, M. T. Cougherty, 3 days, \$12.

Teamsters.—M. Cardello, W. Gillen, M. H. Gordon, P. F. McGinley, M. H. Walsh, G. Marcantino, H. A. Bourdon, J. J. Glancy, T. Iverson, L. Pace, $\frac{2}{3}$ days, \$8.50 each.

Teamsters.—N. Cesso, D. Conlin, F. Corvino, M. Donlin, R. J. Elvert, E. Grant, E. Kelley, T. J. Maston, D. Martinello, J. F. Doherty, J. Donahue, F. DiMatteo, G. Galluccio, M. McCarthy, A. Mercurio, P. Moran, V. Piscitelli, J. A. Reddington, E. F. Riley, J. A. White, P. Canney, C. Murray, J. B. Sullivan, $\frac{1}{3}$ days, \$4.50.

Teamsters.—W. H. Haugh, D. F. Minehan, J. J. Wark, M. Allen, 2 days, \$8 each.

Feeder.—L. McGahan, 2 days, \$8.50.

Chauffeurs.—T. McDonald, J. J. Connors, M. J. Givonella, J. A. McCabe, F. Murphy, T. J. Murphy, W. G. Earley, N. Schaaf, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.75.

Total, \$510.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, January 28:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; F. Bonang, $\frac{2}{3}$ days, \$11.25; M. Walsh, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75.

Emergency men.—W. Lonergan, 1 day, \$4; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Fireman.—W. Abbott, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50.

Repairers.—G. Cozza, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.69; J. Dolan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25; R. Doyle, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; P. Casey, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.69; J. Curley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.22; T. Byrnes, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; T. Rose, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.69; A. McDougall, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.19; J. Blessington, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.69; W. Shields, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.44; G. Waters, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; M. Matthews, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.06; J. Cummings, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; S. Mickewicz, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.69; E. DeAngelis, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.59; F. Skaynor, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.45.

Laborers.—P. Clougherty, H. McCauley, W. Rice, 1 day, \$4 each; J. Phipps, 3 days, \$12; D. De Meto, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; P. Lynch, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.59; W. Traynor, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3; Joseph Phipps, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3; B. McManus, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; W. Corbett, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3; J. O'Brien, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; J. Lonergan, J. McGee, F. Laskey, A. Citrone, F. Giammito, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50 each; M. McGrail, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25; J. McLean, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.39.

Total, \$160.87.

Transit Job.—J. Murphy, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.38; T. Thureson, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; J. Cummings, $9\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$49.06; M. Matthews, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$23.06; M. Rizzo, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$20.98; G. Cataldo, N. De Eso, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$19.75 each; J. Fenton, P. Green, W. Corbett, 4 days, \$16 each; J. McLaughlin, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$19; J. Gallagher, 2 days, \$9; T. Rose, 4 days, \$18; J. McCaffrey, S. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4 each. Total, \$243.48.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Upon January 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Delia Carter for teaming coal to ferryboats. Bids for the work, opened January 15, were as follows:

E. J. McHugh & Son, \$0.26 $\frac{1}{2}$ per ton; Delia Carter, \$0.27 $\frac{1}{2}$ per ton; Thomas R. Rawson, \$0.29 $\frac{1}{2}$ per ton.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Upon January 25 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Moore for collecting and removing ashes, store dirt, house dirt, refuse and garbage in the West Roxbury district, at \$2,500 a month. Bids for the work, opened January 7, were as follows:

J. A. Janse, \$2,435; John J. Moore, \$2,500; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2,553; M. McGinnis & Co., \$2,940; Highland Contracting Company, \$3,100; M. Doyle & Co., Inc., \$4,000; M. DeMatteo, \$3,500.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon January 25 the Mayor approved a contract with the below-named contractors for cleaning catch-basins in the various districts as follows: District No. 1, C. & R. Construction Company, \$2.35 per cubic yard; District No. 2, M. H. Kelley, \$1.78 per cubic yard; District No. 3, John J. Loonie, \$1.64 per cubic yard; District No. 4, David W. Norton, \$1.94 per cubic yard; District No. 5, J. A. Sprissler, \$2.14 per cubic yard; District No. 6, M. H. Loonie, \$1.90 per cubic yard, and District No. 7, John J. Loonie, \$1.80 per cubic yard. Bids for the work, opened January 22, were as follows:

District No. 1, City Proper.—C. & R. Construction Company, \$2.35 per cubic yard*; J. A. Singarella, \$2.40 per cubic yard; V. Barletta, \$2.50 per cubic yard; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2.60 per cubic yard.

District No. 2, Back Bay.—C. & R. Construction Company, \$2.35 per cubic yard; M. H. Kelley, \$1.78 per cubic yard*; M. H. Loonie, \$1.95 per cubic yard.

District No. 3, South Boston.—John J. Loonie, \$1.64 per cubic yard*; David W. Norton, \$1.68 per cubic yard; J. A. Singarella, \$2.50 per cubic yard; Thomas F. Meaney, \$1.73 per cubic yard.

District No. 4, Charlestown and East Boston.—John J. Loonie, \$2.40 per cubic yard; David W. Norton, \$1.94 per cubic yard*; John Carter Company, \$2.38 per cubic yard; Ralph Buonopani, \$2.39 per cubic yard.

District No. 5, Brighton.—C. & R. Construction Company, \$2.70 per cubic yard; M. H. Kelley, \$2.38 per cubic yard; John J. Loonie, \$2.40 per cubic yard; J. A. Sprissler, \$2.14 per cubic yard*; J. A. Singarella, \$2.60 per cubic yard; V. Barletta, \$2.65 per cubic yard; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2.50 per cubic yard; Thomas F. Meaney, \$2.15 per cubic yard.

District No. 6, West Roxbury.—C. & R. Construction Company, \$2.40 per cubic yard; David W. Norton, \$1.83 per cubic yard; M. H. Loonie, \$1.90 per cubic yard*; V. Barletta, \$2.35 per cubic

yard; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2.29.

District No. 7, Dorchester and Hyde Park.—C. & R. Construction Company, \$2.52 per cubic yard; John J. Loonie, \$1.80 per cubic yard*; V. Barletta, \$2.50 per cubic yard; John D. Lyons, \$1.95 per cubic yard.

*Successful bidders.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Upon November 16 the School Committee approved a contract with the Boston Paper Board Company for furnishing newspaper and blocks for the public schools. Bids for the work, opened November 13, were as follows:

Boston Paper Board Company, Inc., \$4,450*; Milton Bradley Company, \$4,930; Kenney Brothers & Wolkins, \$5,050; J. L. Hammett Company, \$5,224; Old Dominion Paper Company, \$5,489.74.

The School Committee has awarded the contract for removing ashes from certain of the Boston public schoolhouses to M. Doyle & Co., Inc. Bids for the work, opened December 10, were as follows:

M. Doyle & Co., Inc., \$1,600; J. J. McCarthy & Co., \$1,700; Zito Brothers, \$1,745; Edward McHugh & Son, \$1,774; J. J. Bird, \$1,799; M. McGuiness & Co., \$1,985.

* Contract awarded.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 26 the Mayor approved a contract with the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Highway Division, Paving Service, two Reo speed wagons with vestibule cabs. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, January 26, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Highway Division, Paving Service, two Reo speed wagons with vestibule cab, dump body and wood hydraulic hoist also painted and lettered according to our specifications and fitted with sideboards at a price of \$2,115 each delivered, making total amount of contract, \$4,230.

This department has standardized on Reo trucks and as the Linscott Motor Company are the Boston agents for this truck no advantage would be obtained by publicly advertising for same.

Trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am,

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon January 29 the Mayor approved a contract with the Bear Tractors, Inc., for furnishing one bear tractor and one snow plow to the Public Works Department, Paving Service. A communica-

tion from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, January 23, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising same, to the Bear Tractors, Inc., for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Paving Service: one Bear tractor, as per specifications, \$4,300; one "V" type Walsh snow plow, \$900; total amount of contract, \$5,200. The City of Boston has purchased one Best tractor and the Commissioner of Public Works has seen a Bear tractor in operation, and is very desirous of purchasing one of these tractors in order that he may determine which tractor is best suited to the needs of the City of Boston.

In view of the above I trust that the permission requested, will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

Henry C. Sheils has been granted an addition to the contract amounting to \$310 for waterproofing pit in the new refrigerating room. It was found that the waterproofing originally called for was not sufficient. The land about the building seems to be full of springs. If the pit is not perfectly water tight, the brine tank and the cork insulation about it would be ruined in time. The tank contains expensive ammonia pipe coils, etc. Amount of contract, dated December 7, 1923, \$11,395; addition to contract, \$310; total, \$11,705.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Walter Curley has been allowed the following additions to his contract for the Girls' High Colony School: Reinforcing stairs with steel, \$278; reinforcing gymnasium floor, \$256; lettering all rooms, \$85; total, \$619, as per supervisor of alterations and repairs, dated January 17, 1924. Contract price, \$31,258; total additions, \$7,179.80; amount of contract, \$38,437.80.

M. F. Gaddis has been allowed the following on his contract for grading the yard of the Winchell School: Addition, for laying additional cork asphalt paving, \$320; deduction, for omitting concrete wall and fence, \$105. net addition, \$215; as per letter of civil engineer of January 15, 1924. Contract price, \$2,485; total addition, \$215; amount of contract, \$2,700.

Thomas O'Connor & Company have been allowed the following additions to the contract for the Hugh O'Brien District School: Basement—Manual training room, change location of closet and bookcase; build new brick wall. First floor—Relocate partitions of storeroom and toilets at kindergarten entrance; omit bookcases, closet and toilet room in principal's office. All of the above changes shown on architect's drawing No. 32. The cost of \$816 to be added to the contract price. Contract price, \$179,470; total additions, \$45,563; amount of contract, \$225,033.

J. W. O'Connell has been allowed the following additions for repaving yards of Hancock-Cushman Schools: Lower catch-basin cover to grade, \$17; fill up openings around windows, \$62.31; remove old granite post and replace present post, extra concrete and earth excavation, cutting of gate box, arching over Edison pipe and water main, \$473.50; furnish and set new granite curb, \$90; furnish and erect new iron fence, \$81; total addition, \$723.81. Contract price, \$8,700; total additions, \$723.81; amount of contract, \$9,423.81.

OLD EMPLOYEES RETIRE.

Several of the oldest employees in the service of the city will not be seen at their accustomed posts after March 1, at which time they will retire on pensions, one half their present salary. Among the number are Frank O. Whitney, chief engineer of the Street Laying-out Department, and two of the assistant engineers, Irwin C. Cromack and Frank M. Miner. Mr. Whitney will be succeeded by William J. Sullivan, a senior engineer of the department, who has been connected with it thirty years.

Another pensioner is William H. Hardy, secretary of the Overseers of the Public Welfare, who entered the city service in 1887. He will be succeeded by Walter V. McCarthy, chief clerk, at the same salary, \$3,500.

Joseph O'Kane, clerk and messenger in the Institutions Department, and for many years a clerk of the old Common Council, has spent one more year in the city service than Frederick H. Spring, clerk in the Bridge Division of the Public Works Department. O'Kane went to City Hall in 1865 and Spring in the following year.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

George J. Regan has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Floyd street from existing sewer about 450 feet southeast of Lucerne street to Callender street, Dorchester, from January 12, 1924, to May 1, 1924, 109 days.

C. & R. Construction Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Post Office square and Bath street, city proper, from September 15, 1923, to February 12, 1924, 150 days.

Authority has been granted to continue the contract of P. F. Donovan for collecting and removing ashes, etc., in the Brighton district, from February 1, 1924, until further notice, at the same unit price, or at the unit price to be paid the contractor for the year 1924 if the latter exceeds the unit price for 1923, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being more than \$1,000.

Proposals have been received and rejected for doing this work for the year ending January 31, 1925, and new bids are to be invited January 31, 1924, but a new contract cannot be executed until some time in February, after the beginning of the new fiscal year. This extension is to cover the interim.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Donahue and Reardon have been granted an extension of the time of

completion of the contract for uniforms for the Fire Department, from February 1, 1924, to March 1, 1924, because of the additions to the force made necessary by the two-platoon system.

The Foran Foundry and Manufacturing Company have been granted an extension of the time of competition of the contract for furnishing iron castings, branches, etc., to the Public Works Department, Water Division, from January 31, 1924, to February 29, 1924.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John Guarino & Co. have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Corrine road, Brighton, Canaan street and Colorado street, Dorchester, and Wilmot street, West Roxbury. Items ordered: Extra labor and materials on account of quicksand trench bottom, sheeting and extra blocking ordered left in place. Estimated cost of extra work, \$150.

Anthony Baruffaldi has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works, Glendale road outlet, Section 1 and North avenue, West Roxbury. Items ordered: Leave in place 3 M. feet 2-inch sheeting between station 9 plus 20 and 16 plus 96 (additional to order dated July 10, 1922) at agreed price of \$45 per M. feet. Remove old 14-inch galvanized-iron water pipe in trench between station 18 plus 19 and station 24 plus 87, Glendale road outlet, and between station 0 plus 0 and station 7 plus 45, North Avenue, at agreed price of \$0.25 per linear foot; reinforce with steel three manholes in marsh ground at agreed price of \$25 each. Estimated cost of extra work, \$563.25.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Amory Eliot, Edgar R. Champlin, Charles F. Adams, George S. Smith and Frederick J. Bradlee, trustees of Park Square Real Estate Trust, but not individually, have agreed to accept the sum of \$377,765 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to its estate on Berkeley, Stuart and Stanhope streets by the taking of said estate for police headquarters building, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of January 14, 1924. In consideration of this further reduction in the price, this acceptance is made upon condition that any assessments made upon the aforesaid premises for the improvement of Stuart street shall be assumed by the City of Boston.

TUNNEL OPENING APRIL 21.

Announcement is made by the Boston Transit Commission that the new terminal station of the East Boston Tunnel at Maverick square will be opened to the public on Monday, April 21, and trains such as are used in the Washington Street Tunnel and the Cambridge Subway will be used in the tunnel.

Chairman Thomas F. Sullivan of the Transit Commission says that in order to make certain changes in the work before opening the new station it will be necessary to close the tunnel to the public from midnight, April 18, to early morning of April 21.

MAYOR CURLEY FIGHTS INIMICAL MOVE BY GAS COMPANY AGAINST BOSTON'S CITIZENS.

Mayor Curley has resented the attitude of the gas company in the matter of a new contract with the city for street lighting. His letter is as follows:

D. D. BARNUM, *President, Boston Consolidated Gas Company*, 149 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.:

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of a copy of communication forwarded by you this day to the Commissioner of Public Works in which you set forth that your interpretation of the street gas lighting contract does not obligate your company to comply with the very proper request made by the Commissioner of Public Works for a six months' extension on the existing contract.

The request for this extension was made in order that opportunity might be provided for such investigation as might be necessary to protect the city in the matter of a new contract.

I regret exceedingly that you have apparently seen fit to take advantage of a provision which, to say the least, savors of sharp practice.

I have instructed the Commissioner of Public Works to take the necessary steps for the making of a new contract, and have also instructed him, with a view to developing a competition which may prove beneficial to the city, to advertise for bids for electric lighting at the same time.

I sincerely trust that competition may develop which will make it unnecessary to utilize gas as an illuminant in the City of Boston.

With kindest regards, I am,

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

The company's letter to which Mayor Curley referred follows:

WELSBACH STREET LIGHTING COMPANY OF AMERICA, 334 NEWBURY STREET, BOSTON, January 25, 1924.

BOSTON CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY, Boston, Mass.:

GENTLEMEN,—As heretofore stated, we do not believe that we are bound to continue our contract to light the city lamps beyond the 31st of March, 1924. Clause 12 of your contract with the city dated March 19, 1914, states your obligation to the city, and fixes as well our obligation to you. This clause, in our opinion, gives the city no right to an extension of this contract, except "in case the city enters into a new contract involving other parties or different equipment, or both."

The clause was carefully drawn and was obviously intended to cover the case which might well occur where the city had entered into a contract with some other person or for some other equipment which could not be in operation on April 1, 1924.

We do not wish to appear arbitrary about the matter, but this contract has been a losing one, and we do not care to continue it on its present basis. It is almost needless to add that we shall, in case of necessity, perform the work even after April 1, 1924, because we do not wish to inconvenience the public or embarrass the city in any way. On the other hand, we see no reason why proper steps should not be taken to provide for the making of a new contract and we are certain that both you and the city will agree that we are not acting unfairly in asking that this step be taken.

Very truly yours,

ARTHUR E. SHAW, *President*.

TRANSFERS IN APPROPRIATIONS.

City Auditor Rupert S. Carven announces the following transfers in appropriations in departments of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk, indorsed by Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox and approved by his Honor the Mayor:

BUDGET DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 26, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request the following transfer within the appropriation for this department:

From the appropriation for B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$75, to the appropriation for B-37, Photographic and Blueprinting, \$75.

This transfer is requested to cover expenditures incurred in the preparation of the salary and wage schedule report recently submitted to the City Council.

Yours respectfully,

CHARLES J. FOX,
Budget Commissioner.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 28, 1924.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 17, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—I desire a transfer in the appropriation of this department as follows:

From the appropriation for B-1, Office Supplies, \$10.14, to the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$10.14.

Yours very truly,

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Building Commissioner.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 23, 1924.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 24, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request the following transfers within the Collecting Department for the purpose of correcting the present distribution of employees and placing them in accordance with their duties; to become effective at the close of business January 31, 1924. The purpose of this transfer is to charge the water appropriation with the employees actually working on the water desk. No transfer of money is necessary.

From Collecting Department, Clerks, 3 (2) at \$1,800-\$1,900; Clerks, 4 (3) at \$1,400; Clerk, 1 at \$1,400-\$1,500, to Water Division, Clerk, 1 at \$1,900; Clerk, 2 (3) at \$1,400; Clerks, 1 (2) at \$1,400-\$1,500.

From Water Division, Clerks, 6 (4) at \$1,700-\$1,800; Clerks, 2 (1) at \$1,600, to Collecting Department, Clerks, 5 (7) at \$1,700-\$1,800; Clerks, 2 (3) at \$1,600.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM M. McMORROW,
City Collector.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 24, 1924.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

BOSTON, January 16, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—In order to close its accounts for the fiscal year 1923-24 the Finance Commission requests the following transfers:

From B-28, \$1,221.85; B-29, \$1,885.88; B-35, \$25-\$3,132.73, to C-2, \$3,107.73; C-10, \$25-\$3,132.75.

Very truly yours,

MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 23, 1924.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 21, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request that the following transfer be made in the appropriation of the Fire Department.

From A-1, Personal Service, Cable Splicers, to 1 Machinist, \$5 per day—\$50.

This transfer is necessary in order to provide for the appointment of a machinist in this department who has had experience in radio construction work. The department needs a man with these qualifications and I therefore recommend that this transfer be allowed.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 23, 1924.

BOSTON, January 22, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is hereby requested to make the following transfers in the appropriation for the Fire Department for the year 1923-24:

From B-8, Light and Power, to B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$400.

From B-13, Communication, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$200.

From B-23, Veterinary, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$150.

From B-28, Expert and Architect, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$100.

From B-36, Boiler Inspection, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$50.

From C-10, Library, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$50.

From C-11, Marine, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$140.

From D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$100.

From D-4, Forage and Animal, to C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$500.

From D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, to C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$500.

From B-4, Transportation of Persons, to D-1, Office, \$250.

From B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs, to D-1, Office, \$275.

From B-37, Photographic and Blueprinting, to D-1, Office, \$250.

From C-9, Office, to D-1, Office, \$300.

From B-18, Cleaning, to D-3, Fuel, \$1,450.

From B-41, Horseshoeing and Clipping, to D-3, Fuel, \$1,600.

From C-6, Stable, to D-3, Fuel, \$700.

From C-17, General Plant, to D-3, Fuel, \$300.

From D-11, Motor Vehicle, to D-3, Fuel, \$2,000.

From E-13, General Plant, to D-3, Fuel, \$1,500.

From C-5, Motorless Vehicles, to E-1, Building, \$500.

From D-16, General Plant, to E-1, Building, \$500.

From F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, to E-1, Building, \$600.

The reasons for requesting these transfers are as follows:

The transfer of \$400 to B-10 is requested because of the fact that \$400 was charged to B-10 under a misunderstanding as a fixed charge and this transfer is asked to correct the matter.

The overhauling of some Christie tractors at a cost of \$7,000 considerably lessened the amount available for ordinary repairs under B-14, and \$790 is needed under this item.

The transfer of \$1,000 to C-4 is made necessary by the equipping of apparatus with a cellular tire which has proven most economical and satisfactory.

The transfer of \$1,075 to D-1 is necessary to pay for new forms and a more extensive system of accounts.

The transfer of \$7,550 to D-3 is necessary to pay for the coal and fuel oil for this year, which appears to be a normal consumption.

One thousand six hundred dollars is needed in E-1 to pay for stock necessary to complete house repairs. A very much larger amount of this kind of work was done this year than ordinarily.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 23, 1924.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 21, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request your Honor's approval of the following transfer within the appropriation of this department for 1923-24:

From A-1, Permanent Employees, 1 Investigator at \$1,200, \$46.21, to 1 Visitor, at \$1,200, \$46.21.

This transfer is requested in view of the fact that the position of special investigator is being abolished, and the position of visitor is being created in its place.

Yours very truly,

F. X. MAHONEY, M. D.,
Health Commissioner.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 23, 1924.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 17, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

On behalf of the trustees of the Boston City Hospital, I hereby request the following transfers:

From A-1, Permanent Employees, 1 Physician at \$77.77 a week, \$338, to A-1, Permanent Employees, 16 Hospital Employees at \$27 a week, \$38; 50 Head Nurses at \$75-\$80 a month, \$175; 190 Undergraduate Nurses at \$8.33-\$16.67 a month, \$125-\$338.

From 1 Physician at \$77.77 a week, \$128.62; 6 Physicians at \$68.05 a week, \$408.30; 4 Physicians at \$48.61 a week, \$583.32; 4 Physicians at \$38.89 a week, \$466.68; 6 Physicians at \$29.17 a week, \$35.04; 4 Physicians at \$9.72 a week, \$23.61; 2 Clerks at \$23.33 a week, \$139.98; 1 Clerk at \$20-\$22 a week, \$132; 4 Clerks at \$19-\$20 a week, \$120; 2 Clerks at \$15-\$16 a week, \$32; 6 Clerks at \$14-\$15 a week, \$6; 7 Technicians at \$25 a week, \$306; 3 Technicians at \$20 a week, \$144; 3 Technicians at \$19-\$20 a week, \$120; 1 Technician at \$15-\$16 a week, \$16; 9 Hospital Employees at \$28 a week, \$144.67; 8 Hospital Employees at \$25-\$27 a week, \$157.50; 2 Hospital Employees at \$22 a week, \$132; 25 Class A, not exceeding \$21 a week, \$368.41; 33 Class B, not exceeding \$18 a week, \$101.48; 129 Class C, not exceeding \$15 a week, \$305.23; 2 Head Nurses at \$80-\$90 a month, \$177; 15 Carpenters, Painters, Plumbers at \$5 a day, \$55; A-2, Temporary Employees, \$3,295.41; A-3, Unassigned, \$300-\$7,698.25, to 318 Class D, not exceeding \$12 a week, \$7,698.25.

The reason for the transfers requested are as follows:

Transfers from in salaries and wages are made from slack arising from sickness and absence of employees and delay in filling vacant positions. The transfers to are needed owing to deficiency of appropriation under the headings mentioned.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH P. MANNING,
President Board of Trustees.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 23, 1924.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 18, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—To provide against a deficiency under a certain item in the budget schedule appropriations for the Library Department, a transfer is respectfully requested from an item under which there is a surplus, as follows:

From A-1 and A-2, Personal Service, \$59.87, to F-7, Pension, \$59.87.

This transfer covers the charges under F7, Pension, through January 31, 1924.

Very respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY
OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
MICHAEL J. MURRAY,
for President.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor, January 23, 1924.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

BOSTON, January 16, 1924.

CHARLES J. FOX, Esq., Budget Commissioner, City Hall Annex, Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request your approval of the following transfers and changes in the segregated budget of the Overseeing of the Public Welfare Department:

From Central Office, A-1, Settlement Visitor, 1 at \$1,500-\$1,600 a year, \$61.36, to Central Office, A-1, Visitors, 2 at \$1,600 a year, \$61.36.

From Central Office, A-1, Clerks, 2 at \$1,500-\$1,600 a year, \$61.36, to Central Office, A-1, Visitors, 2 at \$1,600 a year, \$61.36.

These transfers are requested to provide for Mr. Bench and Mr. Hinckley, who have been appointed visitors with no change in salary, with the approval of his Honor the Mayor and the Civil Service Commission.

From Central Office, A-1, Visitors, 2 at \$1,400 a year, \$40.28, to Central Office, A-1, Clerk, 1 at \$1,050 a year, \$40.28.

From Central Office, A-1, Visitors, 2 at \$1,400 a year, \$61.36, to Central Office, A-1, Clerks, 3 at \$800 a year, \$61.36.

These changes are requested to provide for clerks and stenographers for increased visiting force and to take places of employees promoted to visitors.

From Wayfarers' Lodge, A-1, Night Steward, 1 at \$1,500 a year, \$57.54, to Wayfarers' Lodge, A-1, Assistant Superintendent, 1 at \$1,500 a year, \$57.54.

This change is requested to provide for change in rating for Mr. Regan, which has been approved by his Honor the Mayor and the Civil Service Commission.

Yours respectfully,

SIMON E. HECHT,
Chairman.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 24, 1924.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 24, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request that the following transfers be made within the appropriation of the Public Buildings Department:

From the appropriation for D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$203, to the appropriation for B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs, \$150; B-36, Boiler Inspection, \$3; C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$50-\$203.

Very truly yours,

FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 28, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Division).

BOSTON, January 21, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor of Boston: Approval is respectfully requested for the following transfer in the appropriation for the Water Division:

From Water Revenue, \$35,000, to service mains and relaying, \$35,000.

Receipts from Water Revenue, etc., to January 19 were \$3,652,527, and there is actually in the collector's office checks to the amount of \$95,463, awaiting tabulation, so that the total receipts to date are \$3,747,990.

The total appropriation to date, authorized by the City Council, is \$3,715,294.64, making a balance over and above the year's obligations of \$32,700, with the collections of ten more days yet to be received.

The obligations charged against "Service Mains and Relaying" aggregate the \$365,000 appropriated to this item. In order to take care of petitions which are being received for main pipe from builders who are getting ready to do winter work, which petitions should be attended to in order to keep labor moving this winter, and the advertising for 200 tons of 3-inch and 4-inch water pipe which is needed and which, under present conditions of delivery will take six months before reaching our yard, makes the above request for transfer necessary.

This is a repetition of a letter addressed to his Honor the Mayor dated December 11, 1923.

Very respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 23, 1924.

STATISTICS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The following transfer is hereby requested:

From the appropriation for A-1, Editorial Clerk, to A-1, Secretary, \$194.64.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES P. BALFE,
Chairman.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 28, 1924.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 21, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to make the following transfer:

From the appropriation for A-1, Stenographer at \$1,200, \$200, to the appropriation for B27, Testing Materials, \$200.

This transfer is made necessary owing to the fact that a considerable part of our original appropriation was used for the purchase of testing apparatus for the Public Works Department laboratory, which made a shortage in the amount that we would ordinarily use for making the routine tests of this department.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor, January 23, 1924.

DISTRICT COURT OF CHELSEA.

CHELSEA, January 19, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully ask for the transfer of \$102.84 from A-2, Special Justices, to A-1; \$125 from A-2, Special Justices, to B-33; \$150 from A-2, Special

Justices, to B-35; and \$175 from A-2, Special Justices, to D-1.

Yours truly,

JOSEPH M. CURLEY, *Clerk.*

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 23, 1924.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON, January 18, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I recommend that the sum of \$193.33 be transferred from item on salary sheet of this court, "Clerical Assistants," to item "8th Assistant, Criminal Clerk;" also that the sum of \$100 be transferred from item on general sheet, "B-1, Printing and Binding," to item "B-2, Postage."

Very truly yours,

WILFRED BOLSTER,
Chief Justice.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 23, 1924.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 23, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Your approval is respectfully asked for the following internal transfers in the appropriation for the Park Department, Cemetery Division:

From the appropriation for A-1, 40 laborers, etc., at \$4, \$200, to the appropriation for B-22, Medical, \$200.

From A-1, 40 Laborers, etc., at \$4, \$800, to B-39, General Plant, \$800.

From A-1, 40 Laborers, etc., at \$4, \$50, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$50.

From A-1, 40 Laborers, etc., at \$4, \$50, to C-17, General Plant, \$50.

From B-8, Light and Power, \$55, to E-13, General Plant, \$55.

From B-18, Cleaning, \$55, to E-13, General Plant, \$55.

From B-23, Veterinary, \$10, to D-8, Laundry and Cleaning, \$10.

The request for transfer to B-22, Medical, of \$200 is caused by doctors' bills submitted from the Industrial Accident Board.

The request for \$800 for B-39, General Plant, is needed to pay for work which must be done in the single grave section of Mt. Hope Cemetery, for which no appropriation was provided.

The other items are caused by an excess demand over the amounts appropriated which should be made in order that the division work may be done properly.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES B. SHEA,
Chairman.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 30, 1924.

PAYMENT OF BILL FOR USE OF INLAND DUMPS.

The Mayor has approved for payment the bill of the Boston Development and Sanitary Company, amounting to \$2,430.80, for ashes and rubbish deposited by the department on inland dumps during the years 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922.

MAYOR DRAFTS RESOLUTION FOR CITY COUNCIL ADOPTION, SEVERELY SCORING IMMIGRATION BILL AMENDMENT.

Mayor Curley sent the following communication to the City Council Monday, January 25:

The adoption of the amendment presented by Congressman Johnson to the immigration bill now pending before Congress is so thoroughly un-American and would work such great hardship to so many people, that for the best interests of the present population in America and posterity it should be rejected.

Conditions obtaining in Southern Europe prior to 1890 made it more desirable for the inhabitants to remain in the land of their birth. As a consequence of this condition the immigration from Italy, Greece, Portugal and other countries in that part of Europe has been so limited that an amendment to the immigration law basing the admission quota on the 1890 census, would constitute an absolute prohibition on immigration from these countries.

The tremendous immigration that has taken place since 1890 has been largely based on the natural desire for improvement in condition in life. It represents not only a laudable but a most commendatory course of action on the part of these people. They have contributed to the life of America all the splendid traditions and attainments of their home lands, and a restriction such as is proposed in the Johnson immigration bill would result in an immeasurable hardship to a great element of liberty loving and law-abiding women and men.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution:

Whereas, The Congress of the United States has under consideration the adoption of amendments to the immigration law, and

Whereas, It is proposed in one of the said amendments presented by Congressman Johnson that the census of 1890 be adopted as the basis for computing immigration quotas, and

Whereas, The adoption of this basis would tend to the development of racial prejudices and stigmatize as inferiors immigrants from Southern Europe, be it and it is hereby

Resolved, That in the opinion of the City Council of Boston that any amendment adopted to existing immigration laws should have as its basis a due and proper consideration for all people seeking a home in the United States; and be it further

Resolved, That the people of Boston through the City Council of Boston hereby record its disapproval by Congress of the Johnson immigration bill and be it further

Resolved, That in the opinion of the City Council of Boston the best interests of America warrant the rejection of this measure by Congress, and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this order be sent by the City Clerk to the Massachusetts senators and representatives in the National House of Congress.

OVER 200 FIREMEN ARE APPROVED FOR DEPARTMENT TO START TWO-PLATOON SYSTEM.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn, has approved the following appointments to the Fire Department:

John P. Buckley, 6 Bowman street; John J. Kelley, 4 Gore street; Robert C. Bonang, 8 Powell street; John F. Donovan, 1326 Columbia road; Edward J. Russell, 503 Main street; Francis J. Maloney, 5 Gloucester place; John V. Stapleton, 845 East Fifth street; Charles E. McCluskey, 72 Palmer street; Henry J. Hogan, 55 Russell street; Hubert S. Norman, 49 Monmouth street; Malachi F. Reddington, 14 Dunster road; Thomas L. Kane, 58 St. James street; John E. Dwyer, 58 Bower street; John J. McHugh, 24 Hooker street; William C. Wesson, 22 Cunningham street; John J. McGowan, 173 Western avenue; Thomas J. Shea, 4 Howe street; John F. Cunnally, 1349 Dorchester avenue; Laurence P. Burke, 64 Bennington street; Harold L. Dolan, 143 Boston street; David J. Keller, 24 Blaine avenue; Thomas R. Canavan, 6 Conrad street; Michael F. Hurley, 38 Union park; Thomas F. Ford, 61 Telegraph street; George J. Phalan, 33 Cross street; Joseph W. Dorney, 82 South Huntington avenue; Daniel J. Crowley, 7 Wadsworth street; Joseph H. Schiller, 112 Central avenue; Raymond T. Vessey, 578 Washington street; John E. Halpin, 7 Mechanic street; Allan R. McIntyre, 116 Falcon street; William Gottwald, 570 East Second street; Walter B. Werner, 253 Princeton street.

Patrick F. Spellman, 39 Ballard street; Dennis Sullivan, 167 Roxbury street; Joseph L. Quinn, 3 Presby place; Martin A. Kenealy, Jr., 8 Ashford street; George R. McLaughlin, Jr., 32 Albion place; Charles M. Flynn, 114 Wrentham street; Peter A. McCauley, 8 Supple street; George W. McGuinness, 1250 Tremont street; Richard J. Sughrue, 6 Holden row; Henry C. McCarthy, 345 Neponset avenue; James G. Boles, 130 Homes avenue; John F. Gilbrook, 130 Marion street; William O. Hawkins, 51 Vernon street; Coleman G. Clougherty, 39 Taylor street; James J. Sullivan, 12 Dewey street; Frank H. Daly, 66 Garfield avenue; Dennis J. McLaughlin, 961 Canterbury street; John F. Daly, 13 Longfellow street; Walter J. Thompson, 1 Fountain square; Cyril H. Malone, 671 East Broadway; Frederick V. Kippenhan, 149 Eighth street; George R. Driscoll, 1 Buchanan place; John J. Burke, Jr., 24 Kenton road; Maurice J. Reardon, 39 Cushing avenue; Joseph A. Campbell, 49 Monmouth street; Jacob Spitz, 39 Buttonwood street; Alexander W. Wilson, 327 Paris street; Clarence R. Ritchie, 94 Welles avenue; Raymond F. Garrity, 11 Bradstreet avenue; Arthur S. Frazier, 278 Sumner street; Eugene F. O'Neil, 11 Leon street; John P. Knox, 19 Catawba street; John P. Driscoll, 100 Wyman street; Harley C. Thomas, 142 West street; Ralph M. Dean, 188 London street; Augustus J. Beaupre, 45 Webster street; Frederick L. Waggett, 38 Harbor View street; Anthony T. McDonald, 974 Saratoga street; Daniel J. Crowley, 508 Broadway; John P. Hanagan, 2 Wister place; Raymond B. LaCasse, 8 Tufts street;

Frank J. Burke, 300 Hyde Park avenue; George D. Hellen, 374 Athens street; William C. McCarthy, 452 Third street; Louis Ferrari, 9 Bartlett street; Robert J. McGonagle, 3 Alton place; Carroll S. Murphy, 14 Monument court; John T. Galvin, 90 Washington street; Horace E. Wood, 34 the Fenway; Frank A. Fitzgerald, 16 Edson street; Francis J. McNamara, 2 Pine terrace.

Thomas F. Mellyn, 10 Elmore street; Frank E. Fraser, 451 Meridian street; Edward D. Rooney, 8 Supple street; Edward F. Berigan, 23 Barry street; Peter F. McMorrow, 46 Reading street; Herbert C. Collins, 39 Bailey street; Benedict J. Phillips, 361 Second street; John E. Pomeroy, 10 Boston street; Arthur E. Hudgins, 570 Columbus avenue; Michael J. Egan, 16 National street; Stephen T. Connolly, 364 E street; John B. McKenney, 10 Chickatawbet street; John E. Twohig, rear 314 Bunker Hill street; Cornelius A. Durgin, 2 Gore street; Michael Donovan, 285 K street; George J. Griffin, 28 Leon street; Peter R. Stephens, 61 Elm street; John J. Butler, 345 K street; William H. Tobin, 14 Austin street; Thomas S. Pelegrine, 149 Everett street; Joseph Heil, 535 Sumner street; Walter O. Bannon, 8 Circuit street; Joseph G. Doyle, 23 Roseclair street; Alfred V. Hayhurst, 656 East Second street; Charles L. McEachern, 56 Tremont street; James T. Donohoe, 136 Pleasant street; Russell C. DeDoming, 140 Carolina avenue; William F. McDonald, 670 Parker street; James F. McMahon, 130 Kittredge street; William J. Barrett, 107 Lonsdale street; Charles J. Heirty, 189 Ninth street; John J. Riordan, 6 Lafield street; Edward R. Lynn, 591 West Park street; George E. Dunphy, 281 Dudley street; Michael Kelly, 8 Trenton street; Daniel F. Kelley, 6 Davitt street; George A. Boodro, 1312 Dorchester avenue; William A. Kelley, 8 Dewey street; Cornelius J. Murphy, 137 Hamilton street; Albert J. Vincent, 151 East Cottage street; John A. Donahue, 43 Randall street; Edward J. Feeley, 28 Maverick street; Terance McGowan, 173 Western avenue; James F. Riley, 18 Byron court; William H. Bell, 10 Posen street; Henry G. Boudreau, 484 Massachusetts avenue; James J. Corboy, 29 George street; William F. Cogan, 10 Dillaway street; Daniel E. McGuire, 15 Trenton street.

John A. Connerty, 18 Seminary street; John J. M. Breslin, 25 Marion street; Thomas F. Gaffney, 61 Putnam street; Herbert F. Ryan, 215 Hancock street; Joseph J. McGovern, 30 Church street; William O. Hanson, 35 Sherwood street; Edwin L. Lawson, 18 Pond street; Thomas J. Powers, 144 George street; Arthur L. Jackson, 11 Marble street; Edward C. Donovan, 508 East Broadway; Richard C. Foley, 94 Albano street; James F. Moynihan, 9 Sumner terrace; George A. Stewart, 567 South street; Michael A. Donnelly, 317 Norfolk avenue; William J. Aylward, 16 Belmont street; Patrick M. Griffin, 12 Dorset street; Leon S. Cefail, 25 Woodward street; Joseph W. O'Brien, 24 Elder street; Egbert T. Haley, 1839 Dorchester avenue; Leo F. Murphy, 32 Saratoga street; James F. McGonagle, 37 Cooper street; Daniel J. Sullivan, 385

Adams street; Henry M. Welch, 665 Seventh street; John J. Grant, 789 Columbia road; Albert Graham, 42 Troy street; Charles Chinetti, 3 Batchelder street; Martin A. Lombard, rear 34 North Bennet street; John T. McNamara, 14 Nelson street; Gerald L. Cremin, 36 Harvard avenue; Francis J. Doyle, 104½ Main street; James M. Collins, 8 Lothrop street; James H. Mandeville, 10 Waverly place; Albert F. Kelley, 619 Adams street; William T. Pero, 27 Liverpool street; David M. Cleary, 29 Auburn street; Frederick S. Currier, 372 Lovell street; Harold F. Bishop, 4 Hayden terrace; Harold W. Berry, 42 Rockview street; Joseph J. Shea, 8 Ambrose street; Patrick J. O'Connor, 16 Faxon street; George T. Scott, 88 Vernon street; William P. McMorrow, 16 Bayswater street; John J. McDonough, 8 Adams street; William T. Fothergill, 79 Brooks street; Gerard T. Cusick, 104 Calumet street; Frank J. Gruttner, 50 Circuit street; Charles E. Myers, 173 Eustis street.

John J. Kearney, 21 Leyland street; Walter J. Dillon, 9 Cufflin street; Albert R. Ford, 36 Bremen street; Thomas C. Murphy, 303 Hyde Park avenue; John M. Shugrue, 266 Shawmut avenue; Edward W. Cherry, 18 Grant street; Edmund Sharp, 372 Bunker Hill street; Richard J. Mahoney, 580 Broadway; William H. Malloy, 1 Forest place; James P. McCarthy, 32 East Dedham street; William J. Buckley, 123 Zeigler street; Henry J. Byrnes, 144 Rose street; Joseph L. Madden, 33 Brackett street; John W. O'Brien, 266 Dorchester street; Joseph G. Daunt, 103 Lamartine street; James F. Mahoney, 39 Auburn street; Jeremiah J. McKenna, 25 Whitney street; Michael J. Connors, 163 Devon street; Joseph M. Coughlin, 34 Sever street; John J. Murphy, 25 Edison green; Charles H. Orton, 539 Adams street; Edward F. Brickley, 164 Cabot street; Albert F. Donahue, 777 East Sixth street; Eugene W. Carroll, 375 Hanover street; William J. Magnier, 38 Allston street; Daniel P. Hegarty, 41 Mead street; Charles E. Gibbs, 84 Mountain avenue; Daniel E. Shaughnessy, 1213 Dorchester avenue; Stanley J. Caulfield, 380 Park street; William F. Dewan, 23 Clifton street; John B. Parkes, 826 Parker street; Harold B. Goff, 132 Hyde Park avenue; Stephen F. Gunn, 43 West Seventh street; Walter L. Cronin, 10 Mill street; John J. Fenlon, 96 Chelsea street; Daniel J. Waldron, 202 Bowdoin street; Carl H. Foss, 16 Darling street; Edward F. Leonard, 117 Winthrop street; David W. Regan, 9 Howard avenue; George D. Marsh, rear 561 East Fifth street; Charles A. O'Dowd, 147 Bunker Hill street; William J. Dennett, 1 Fourth Street place.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

The Roxbury Construction Company have been allowed to amend their contract for alterations in the School Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, Boston, by striking out the words and figures, "December 17, 1923," on page 2, Section 4, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "January 14, 1924," so that the paragraph of said completion on page 1 of the specifications shall read: "The work is to be commenced immediately on the award of the contract and is to be completed on or before January 14, 1924."

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.
1924.

- Feb. 7. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 14. The Appalachian Mountain Club Huts and Their Relations with the Trampers. Milton E. MacGregor, Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 21. A Program for Washington's Birthday. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Charles F. Read, Clerk of the Bostonian Society. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Feb. 28. The World in its True Colors: A Travel-Talk. Helen Messenger Murdoch, F.R.P.S., illustrated with autochromes taken by the lecturer.
- Mar. 6. Italian Gardens. Robert N. Cram.
- Mar. 13. The Call of the Mountains. Le Roy Jeffers, Secretary, Associated Mountaineering Clubs of North America; Librarian, American Alpine Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 20. Our Guardians of Life and Property. (Motion pictures.) Speakers from the Boston Fire and Police Departments. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Mar. 27. Browning and Ruskin: Prophets of the Twentieth Century. Agnes Knox Black (Mrs. E. Charlton Black).
- Apr. 3. Gothic Grandeur: how Rheims Cathedral was built. Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J.
- Apr. 10. The Revelation of Spain. Ralph Adams Cram, Litt.D., LL.D.
- Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- 1924.
- Feb. 3. Pirandello and the Modern Italian Theatre. Robert E. Rogers, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. (Drama League Course.)
- Feb. 10. Abraham Lincoln. Guy Richardson. With lantern illustrations.
- Feb. 17. Organs and Choirs of Greater Boston. Henry C. Lahee. With lantern illustrations.
- Feb. 24. Shakespeare's Response to "What the Public Wants." John Livingston Lowes, Ph.L., Professor of English, Harvard University.
- Mar. 2. Expressionism in the Theatre. Albert H. Gilmer, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 9. Books and Life. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt.D.
- Mar. 16. Master Music for Young People. Malcolm Lang. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 23. Fundamentals in the Theatre, Old and New. F. W. C. Hersey, A.M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 30. The Bible in Stained Glass. Joseph G. Reynolds, Jr. With lantern illustrations.
- Apr. 6. Recreational Opportunities of Boston. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Mrs. Eva W. White, General Director, Community Service of Boston. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations.
- Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A Program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

*The programs arranged by the Conservation Bureau of the City of Boston will consist of motion pictures, silent informational screen talks, singing by the audience, and a brief address.

- 1924.
- Feb. 8. 105th Anniversary of the Birth of John Ruskin. Speakers: Dr. Payson Smith, Commissioner of Education, Hon. E. C. R. Bagley, Deputy-Commissioner of Corrections; Rt. Rev. Msgr. Arthur T. Connolly; Mr. Charles F. D. Belden; Mr. Harley Perkins, and Mr. Le Barron Cooke.
- Feb. 11. The Causes of the American Civil War: Lincoln and Webster. Joseph Whipple.
- Feb. 25. Twenty-third Anniversary of the Boston Ruskin Club. Bonnie Scotland: The Land of Broom and Heather. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Mar. 10. Around the Bay of Naples. Miss Ellen C. Page. Illustrated.
- Mar. 24. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry Austin Higgins, Secretary, Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.
- Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)
- May 12. Annual Meeting.

THE NEW ENGLAND POETRY CLUB.

The following free talks in the Lecture Hall on the second Wednesdays of the month at 4.30 o'clock, with illustrative readings, are announced:

Some Influences in Modern American Poetry.

- 1924.
- Feb. 13. Sarah Teasdale, "H. D." (Hilda Doolittle Aldington) and Edna St Vincent Millay: Their Treatment of the Theme of Love. Joseph Auslander, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University.
- Mar. 12. Carl Sandburg. Amy Lowell.
- Apr. 9. Robert Frost. Norreys Jephson O'Connor, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Mt. Holyoke College.

CITY CLOSES DEAL FOR POLICE HEADQUARTERS' SITE IN PARK SQUARE.

The City of Boston has closed the deal with the Park Square Real Estate Trust by which it acquires title to the site at the corner of Berkeley and Stuart streets, where the new police headquarters building will be erected.

City Treasurer Curley turned over \$378,000 and the trust immediately deposited with City Collector McMorro \$154,468.67 as taxes for 1922 and as a part of the 1923 assessment.

Plans are being drawn for the new building and it is expected that within a few weeks specifications will be advertised. Police Commissioner Wilson is anxious to proceed without the slightest delay and he will look for progress, once the operations begin, similar to that which has attended the erection of the Milk street building for the City Hall avenue police. The police headquarters will cost \$1,000,000, including the land.

BUILDINGS RAZED.

Upon request of the Building Commissioner the Mayor has approved the razing of the following buildings as constituting fire menaces and nuisances:

To take down building on premises 9 Medford street, Ward 5. The owner, Hartley E. Atwood of 53 State street, Boston, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 7 Medford street, Ward 5. The owner, Hartley E. Atwood of 53 State street, Ward 5, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 11 Medford street and 120 Washington Street North, Ward 5. The owner, Margaret M. Kenney of 24 Millmont street, Roxbury, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

MAYOR EXTENDS CONGRATULATIONS TO GOMPERS ON HIS BIRTHDAY.

Mayor Curley addressed the following telegram to President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor upon the 27th ultimo:

SAMUEL GOMPERS, President, American Federation of Labor, Washington, D. C.:

Pray accept my hearty congratulation upon the reaching of your seventy-fourth birthday anniversary. No man of our generation has accomplished a greater mission for the welfare of the American people or more zealously served every good and righteous cause in our nation. The gratitude of our citizens is a rich and imperishable tribute. May every joy and happiness be yours upon this eventful day.

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

BOXER NAMED ZOO CARETAKER.

"Eddie Murphy," lightweight boxer in South Boston, signed up with Mayor Curley to spar with the monkeys at the Franklin Park Zoo. His purse will be \$4 a round, timed at one day. "Eddie," when out of the ring, is Patrick J. Spillane. The official designation of his appointment is "zoo attendant."

The Mayor also announced the appointment of Michael J. Conlon of Roxbury and of Daniel J. Heffernan of Dorchester as clerks of works in the Schoolhouse Department at \$1,900 each a year. He approved orders of the City Council favoring legislation to pay a pension to Michael J. Curran, a police officer who was wounded in performance of his duty, and to pay a lump sum of money to the parents of Peter F. Oginskis, a motorcycle policeman, who was killed in the performance of duty.

LOANS DURING YEAR 1922-23.

Total amount borrowed \$8,122,500 or \$2,653,000 more than in 1921-22. Objects and amount for each: Rapid Transit, \$1,662,000 (mostly for East Boston Tunnel alterations); Stuart St. Construction, \$1,600,000; Sewerage Works, \$800,000; Public Latin School, \$750,000; Making of Highways, \$500,000; Chelsea Bridge South, \$450,000; Columbus Park Improvements, \$400,000; City Hospital Improvements, \$300,000; Province St. Building Line, \$250,000; Police Station 2 Building, \$200,000; Beacon St. Bridge, Rebuilding, \$175,000; Cambridge St. Bridge Rebuilding, \$160,000; Thorndike Memorial Building, City Hospital, \$150,000; Municipal Building, old Ward 12, \$143,000; Court House, Forest Hills, \$110,000; Playgrounds, etc., \$345,000; other objects, \$127,500.

Every loan negotiated at 4 per cent rate; premium realized, \$39,727. Outside debt limit, \$3,342,000 (Rapid Transit, Stuart St. construction, etc.); all others, serial loans inside debt limit. [Statistics Dept's revision.]

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 24 TO JANUARY 30.

JANUARY 24.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Carmine Musto	Rear of 26 Taft's place.	23	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Herman B. Barron	82 Canterbury street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Herman B. Barron	84 Canterbury street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Herman B. Barron	86 Canterbury street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Berson & Berish	7 Greendale road.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Berson & Berish	9 Greendale road.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Berson & Berish	11 Greendale road.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Berson & Berish	13 Greendale road.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Charles Struzziery	89 Lasell street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Angelo Baldini	222 Ashland street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Samuel F. Rockwell, trustee.	284 Dartmouth street.	8	Alterations, stores and offices.	12,000
J. J. Fallon.	161 West Canton street.	7	Alterations, rooming house.	187
Thomas Proctor estate.	212-218 Essex street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	500
Max Slutsky	Rear of 24 Seaver street.	16	Alterations, tenements.	350
H. B. Barron.	38-48 Astor street.	7	Alterations, stores.	15
Samuel Robinson.	70-74 Stanhope street.	7	Alterations, garage.	1,000
L. E. Parsons et al.	4 and 5 Bulfinch place.	5	Erect fire escape.	3,000

JANUARY 25.

Margaret Harrington.	67 Washington street.	4	First-class garage.	\$3,600
M. J. Mader.	Rear of 93 Lonsdale street.	20	Second-class garage.	600
Patrick J. Tuffy.	Rear of 84 Hamilton street.	18	Second-class garage.	1,000
George H. Boyd.	862 Washington street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	14,000
W. A. Huenener.	Rear of 161 Granite avenue.	20	Third-class gas station.	600
Mrs. B. H. Huyghe.	80 Russett road.	23	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank.	24-32 School street.	5	Alterations, bank.	1,600
Estate, Joseph B. Thomas.	781 and 783 Tremont street.	7	Alterations, store.	1,200
S. Levinson.	25 Wolcott street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	350

JANUARY 26.

M. R. Thomas.	43 Stillman road.	23	Third-class dwelling.	\$10,000
M. R. Thomas.	45 Stillman road.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
M. R. Thomas.	47 Stillman road.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Dudley N. Hart et al.	371 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Alterations, apartments.	8,000
Nicola Nazzari.	212 East Eagle street.	1	Alterations, dwelling and store.	450
Nicola Nazzari.	210 East Eagle street.	1	Alterations, dwelling and store.	450
Horace Nichols.	1612-1620 Blue Hill avenue.	24	Alterations, stores.	400

JANUARY 28.

Thomas M. Glynn.	Rear of 63 Wenham street.	22	First-class garage.	\$800
Henry J. Schmitz.	Rear of 46 Atherton street.	15	First-class garage.	1,600
Margaret L. Williams.	Rear of 175 Cambridge street.	26	Special garage.	275
Gilbert O. Goudey.	112 Fairmount street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	9,500
A. H. Rudman.	394 Massachusetts avenue.	7	Alterations, tenements.	500
Henry Armstrong.	177 Washington street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
W. F. Schrafft & Sons Corporation.	529 Main street.	3	Alterations, coal storage.	215
Jacob Goodman.	167 West Broadway.	9	Alterations, store and dwelling.	800
Joseph M. Gordon.	2059 Washington street.	12	Alterations, store.	400
M. B. Mallett.	1 Cottage street.	11	Alterations, tenements.	100
J. Delrossi.	197 Marion street.	2	Alterations, dwelling.	930
W. A. Gaston et al., trustees.	300 Boylston street.	7	Alterations, store.	4,000

JANUARY 29.

James Cicco.	Rear of 105 Ashley street.	1	Third-class tool shed.	\$50
A. C. Morrison et al.	3 Brewer street.	22	Alterations, dwelling.	100
Anna C. Clauson.	43 Robinwood avenue.	22	Alterations, dwelling.	1,500
George H. Kasabian.	66 Harvard avenue.	25	Alterations, dwelling and stores.	100
F. M. Hayne.	74 Beacon street.	24	Alterations, garage.	200
William Green Construction Company.	25 and 27 Woodrow avenue.	21	Take-down, dwelling and store.	75

JANUARY 30.

Joseph Zanella.	96 Washington Street North	5	First-class gas station.	\$1,000
John Kirshkahn.	Rear of 190 Amory street.	15	Second-class garage.	900
Matthew Maunus.	145 Cambridge street.	26	Second-class store.	3,000
Arthur F. McIntosh.	Rear of 6 Monson street.	21	Third-class garage.	375
H. E. Finigan.	Rear of 104 West Selden st.	21	Third-class garage.	600
Wendell H. Fraser.	Rear of 17 Doane avenue.	21	Third-class garage.	500
John Foley.	644 Whitney street.	14	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Vincenzo Del Signore.	473 Fremont street.	21	Alterations, laundry.	150
Boston Art Club.	150 and 152 Newbury st.	8	Alterations, club.	300
M. Berkowitz.	1090 and 1092 Washington street.	6	Alterations, store and tenements.	140
R. Carmen.	818 and 820 Washington st.	5	Alterations, stores.	300
David Rogers.	136-146 Harold street.	16	Alterations, stores.	600
Louise Rittler.	20-22A Portland street.	5	Alterations, stores and storage.	250
Louise Rittler.	24 Portland street.	5	Alterations, stores and storage.	250
Richard Jackson.	126 Dana avenue.	24	Alterations, dwelling.	150
Robert T. Paine.	49 Peach street.	5	Alterations, stores and shops.	400
Perkins Institute for the Blind.	133 Newbury street.	8	Alterations, show rooms and off. ce.	6,000
Kearney Realty estate.	1031 and 1033 Dorchester avenue.	11	Alterations, stores.	95
Frank E. Bacon.	220 Harvard street.	19	Alterations, garage.	50
Merchants' Terminal Co.	465 Medford street.	3	Install three elevators.	11,512
R. Elmer Townsend.	4 and 6 Concord square.	13	Erect fire escape.	135
Nathan Matthews.	37 and 39 Greenwich park.	7	Erect fire escape.	200

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works hereinafter described, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Columbia Park, bounded:

Northeast by Lawrence avenue, six feet; southeast by another part of Columbia Park, one hundred and seventy feet; southwest by the same, six feet; and northwest by the same, one hundred and seventy feet; containing ten hundred and twenty square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: One hundred sixty-two linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Columbia Park, leading southwesterly from Lawrence avenue for a distance of about one hundred and seventy feet.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of said easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northwesterly side of Columbia Park, between Lawrence avenue and Hamilton terrace and the lots of abutting land on the southeasterly side of Columbia Park, for a distance of about two hundred and twenty-five feet, excluding the lots at the corners of Columbia Park and Lawrence avenue, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 543, Sewerage Works, Columbia Park, Dorchester, December 31, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Morris Segel, Thomas Kahn.	\$137 98
2. Morris Segel, Thomas Kahn.	100 00
4. Max Uroff.	150 00
5. Max Uroff.	78 00
	<u>\$465 98</u>

The Commissioner of Public Works has been designated to build the above sewerage works.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 24 TO JANUARY 30.

JANUARY 24.				
PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Samuel Segal.....	1785 Washington street.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$500
William H. Mitchell & Son Company.....	163 Dorchester avenue.....	9	New fixtures.....	1,200
W. J. Cook Company.....	497 East Broadway.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,600
A. I. Weiss.....	61 Erie street.....	10	New fixtures.....	500
Samuel Segal.....	17 Garden street.....	23	New fixtures.....	800
George M. Bruce.....	116 North street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,000
E. J. Farley.....	257 Warren street.....	16	New fixtures.....	450
R. Hoffman.....	107 Stratton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	800
John J. Sullivan, Jr.....	1 Cottage street.....	11	New fixtures.....	250
W. K. Ambrose.....	775 East Broadway.....	10	New fixtures.....	200
JANUARY 25.				
Lewis Callum.....	52 Pratt street.....	25	New fixtures.....	\$100
John J. Vogel.....	595 La Grange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	485
Daniel E. Walsh.....	5 La Grange place.....	12	New fixtures.....	500
John J. Vogel.....	1446 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	900
Henry J. Gurl.....	225 Brooks street.....	1	New fixtures.....	375
Frank C. Goldberg.....	29 Angell street.....	21	New fixtures.....	200
John J. Vogel.....	4 Wilnot street.....	24	New fixtures.....	560
Edward I. Silberstein.....	11 Wales street.....	19	New fixtures.....	2,600
Edward I. Silberstein.....	11A Wales street.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,300
P. F. Russo.....	60 Sunnyside street.....	24	New fixtures.....	270
John J. Vogel.....	3 South Fairview street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,400
JANUARY 26.				
Joseph Seigel.....	1672 Commonwealth ave.....	25	New fixtures.....	\$40
Joseph Seigel.....	1438 Commonwealth ave.....	25	New fixtures.....	40
D. H. Nettles.....	44 Charles street.....	8	New fixtures.....	350
F. D. Kirby.....	101 Summer street.....	5	New fixtures.....	3,000
F. D. Kirby.....	313-335 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,000
JANUARY 28.				
Frank C. Lewis.....	83 Forest Hills street.....	22	New fixtures.....	\$600
K. W. McManus.....	427 South Huntington ave.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,250
JANUARY 29.				
Edward H. Marchant.....	64 Summer street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$3,371
William N. McKenna.....	343 Congress street.....	9	New fixtures.....	175
Edward H. Marchant.....	596-600 Atlantic avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	4,000
Edward J. Roach.....	32 Stillman road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
Edward J. Roach.....	34 Stillman road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
R. J. Rodday Company.....	32 and 34 LaGrange street.....	5	New fixtures.....	85
Leo Charles Levy.....	7 Feneo terrace.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
John A. Doherty.....	132 Federal street.....	5	New fixtures.....	300
Louis W. Mulkern.....	228 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
H. S. Trothewey.....	34 Brookdale street.....	23	New fixtures.....	600
D. J. Rull.....	654 East Seventh street.....	10	New fixtures.....	636
JANUARY 30.				
M. W. Palmer.....	136 Arlington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$800
M. W. Palmer.....	142 Arlington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
Powers & McEgan.....	207 M street.....	10	New fixtures.....	150
James H. Woods.....	14 Monadnock street.....	17	New fixtures.....	800
James H. Woods.....	14A Monadnock street.....	17	New fixtures.....	800
B. A. MacDonald.....	4357 Washington street.....	23	New fixtures.....	150
Harry F. Nation.....	22 Mountain avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	150

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits was issued by the Building Department during week ending January 26:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
S. A. Woods Machine Company,	456-460 Dorchester avenue,	11	Factory.....	Unsafe.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 4.

I. INVENTORY.

Schedules of property are being sent out to the department, and company commanders will fill out the schedule for their respective companies, as of January 31, 1924, using the next column. They will then sign and return same to headquarters.

II. REQUISITIONS.

All requisitions for coal, wood and kerosene should be made on Form 5 and

sent to headquarters on the twenty-eighth day of each month, and not at intervals during the following month.

III. LABOR CHARGES.

Labor charges of 50 cents a ton on coal delivered should not be approved when a driver steps down cellar and just eases up the scuttle hole so the coal will flow smoothly. Labor means when a laborer is sent along to assist in putting in the coal.

IV. ADDITIONAL FIRE ALARM BOXES.

The following new fire alarm boxes will shortly be established:

Box 64: Brooks and Morris Streets, East Boston. This box will be connected into circuit No. 6, and the assignments will be the same as for box 642.

Box 3484: Milton street and Cushing Hill road. This box will be connected into circuit No. 39, and the assignments will be the same as for box 3641.

V. ASSIGNMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in apparatus assignment are hereby announced to take effect at once:

Box 1481: First alarm, add Water Tower 2.

Box 1515: First alarm, add deputy chief, Second Division; third alarm, drop deputy chief, Second Division.

By order of Fire Commssioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 5.

I. PROMOTIONS.

The following promotions which will take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, February 1, 1924, are hereby announced:

District Chief Albert J. Caulfield, District No. 5, to be deputy chief.

District Chief Joseph A. Dolan, District No. 15, to be deputy chief.

District Chief Frank A. Sweeney, District No. 7, to be deputy chief.

Capt. Michael J. Teehan, Engine 24, to be district chief.

Capt. Charles H. Long, Engine 31, to be district chief.

Capt. Thomas H. Downey, Engine 22, to be district chief.

Capt. John J. Kelley, Ladder 12, to be district chief.

Capt. Philip L. Tague, Engine 50, to be district chief.

Capt. Victor H. Richer, Engine 43, to be district chief.

Capt. Patrick J. V. Kelley, Engine 23, to be district chief.

Capt. William F. Quigley, Engine 42, to be district chief.

Capt. Henry Krake, Engine 7, to be district chief.

Capt. Dennis Driscoll, Engine 37, to be district chief.

Capt. James Mahoney, Engine 38-39, to be district chief.

Capt. Thomas H. Andreoli, Engine 34, to be district chief.

Capt. Hamilton A. McClay, Ladder 8, to be district chief.

Capt. Edward McDonough, Engine 6, to be district chief.

Capt. Thomas J. Muldoon, Engine 46, to be district chief.

Capt. James F. Ryan, Ladder 18, to be district chief.

Capt. John F. Watson, Ladder 17, to be district chief.

Capt. Thomas E. Conroy, Engine 13, to be district chief.

Lieut. Michael D. Sullivan, Engine 8, to be captain.

Lieut. Charles L. Thompson, Ladder 7, to be captain.

Lieut. Joseph W. Shea, Rescue 1, to be captain.

Lieut. John H. Laughlin, Engine 10, to be captain.

Lieut. Edward J. Locke, Engine 26-35, to be captain.

Lieut. Timothy F. Donovan, Ladder 17, to be captain.

Lieut. George E. Darragh, Engine 11, to be captain.

Lieut. William J. Shepard, Engine 29, to be captain.
 Lieut. Thomas E. Roach, Engine 50, to be captain.
 Lieut. John H. Leary, Ladder 12, to be captain.
 Lieut. James H. Stout, Engine 1, to be captain.
 Lieut. John F. McDonough, Engine 26-35, to be captain.
 Lieut. Samuel A. Dwight, Ladder 28, to be captain.
 Lieut. Anthony J. Burns, Engine 19, to be captain.
 Lieut. Patrick J. Ryan, Ladder 24, to be captain.
 Lieut. Martin F. Conley, Ladder 5, to be captain.
 Lieut. William A. J. Drinan, Ladder 29, to be captain.
 Lieut. John M. Donovan, Engine 45, to be captain.
 Lieut. James F. O'Connell, Ladder 27, to be captain.
 Lieut. Charles Ingersoll, Ladder 20, to be captain.
 Lieut. Napeen Boutilier, Engine 6, to be captain.
 Lieut. Ernest B. Chittick, Ladder 19, to be captain.
 Lieut. Dennis J. Bailey, Ladder 26, to be captain.
 Lieut. Frank G. Avery, Engine 21, to be captain.
 Lieut. Charles A. Wolfe, Ladder 11, to be captain.
 Hoseman Daniel Martell, Rescue 1, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman Carl F. Bode, Ladder 30, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman Edward J. McNamara, Ladder 28, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman John L. Glynn, Engine 3, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman Roger T. White, Ladder 2, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman John F. Good, Ladder 12, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Patrick Ryan, Engine 2, to be lieutenant.
 Engineer Thomas F. Ward, Engine 22, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman Edward F. McCarthy, Ladder 20, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman Daniel J. Leary, Ladder 8, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman James J. Harrington, Engine 26-35, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman William A. S. Hughes, Ladder 30, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Edward N. Montgomery, Rescue 1, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman David F. Sheehan, Engine 1, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman John Lawson, Engine 15, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman William J. Marshall, Ladder 21, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman Thomas M. Nary, Ladder 3, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman John J. Sheehan, Engine 33, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman John F. Lawler, Ladder 3, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman John J. Murphy, Engine 43, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Jacob G. Berninger, Engine 2, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Thomas P. Lohan, Engine 26-35, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Peter J. Dunn, Engine 40, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Dennis J. Coughlin, Rescue 1, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman George L. Evanson, Tower 1, to be lieutenant.

Ladderman Edward F. Cunniff, Ladder 5, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Bartholomew J. Dowd, Engine 45, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Thomas F. McGowan, Engine 3, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Allen J. Jarvis, Engine 22, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman John J. Rowean, Ladder 13, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman John L. Crimlisk, Engine 29, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman Thomas P. Rossiter, Ladder 17, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Walter H. Green, Engine 31, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Arthur L. Johnson, Engine 52, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman Richard A. Dinin, Jr., Ladder 12, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Daniel Crowley, Tower 1, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Tracy O. Littlehale, Engine 37, to be lieutenant.
 Ladderman Charles J. Greeley, Ladder 8, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman Daniel E. Murphy, Engine 4, to be lieutenant.
 Hoseman James F. Shea, Engine 26-35, to be lieutenant and aide-to-chief.
 Assistant Engineer Edward H. Kilday, Engine 26-35, to be engineer.

II. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers which will take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, February 1, 1924, are hereby announced:
 Deputy Chief Albert J. Caulfield, from District 5 to Division 1.
 Deputy Chief Frank A. Sweeney, from District 7 to Division 2.
 Deputy Chief Joseph A. Dolan, from District 15 to Division 3.
 District Chief Thomas E. Conroy, from Engine 13 to District 1.
 District Chief Philip A. Tague, from Engine 50 to District 2.
 District Chief Hamilton A. McClay, from Ladder 8 to District 2.
 District Chief James Mahoney, from Engine 38-39 to District 3.
 District Chief Edward McDonough, from Engine 6 to District 4.
 District Chief John F. Watson, from Ladder 17 to District 4.
 District Chief Charles A. Donohoe, from District 4 to District 5.
 District Chief Victor F. Richer, from Engine 43 to District 5.
 District Chief Michael J. Teehan, from Engine 24 to District 6.
 District Chief Thomas H. Downey, from Engine 22 to District 7.
 District Chief John J. Kelley, from Ladder 12 to District 7.
 District Chief Dennis Driscoll, from Engine 37 to District 8.
 District Chief Patrick J. V. Kelley, from Engine 23 to District 9.
 District Chief Charles H. Long, from Engine 31 to District 10.
 District Chief Thomas H. Andreoli, from Engine 34 to District 11.
 District Chief Thomas J. Muldoon, from Engine 46 to District 12.
 District Chief William F. Quigley, from Engine 42 to District 13.
 District Chief James F. Ryan, from Ladder 18 to District 14.
 District Chief John P. Murray, from District 2 to District 15.
 District Chief Henry Krake, from Engine 7 to District 15.
 Capt. Charles A. Thompson, from Ladder 7 to Engine 24.

Capt. Joseph W. Shea, from Rescue 1 to Engine 41.
 Capt. George E. Darragh, from Engine 11 to Ladder 24.
 Capt. Ernest B. Chittick, from Ladder 19 to Engine 38-39.
 Capt. John M. Donovan, from Engine 45 to Engine 23.
 Capt. Patrick J. Ryan, from Ladder 24 to Ladder 2.
 Capt. Edward J. Locke, from Engine 26-35 to Engine 7.
 Capt. James H. Stout, from Engine 1 to Engine 32.
 Capt. John J. Laughlin, from Engine 10 to Engine 27.
 Capt. Anthony J. Burns, from Engine 19 to Ladder 30.
 Capt. John F. McDonough, from Engine 26-35 to Ladder 8.
 Capt. William A. J. Drinan, from Ladder 29 to Engine 37.
 Capt. Michael D. Sullivan, from Engine 8 to Engine 6.
 Capt. Samuel A. Dwight, from Ladder 28 to Engine 30.
 Capt. Charles A. Wolfe, from Ladder 11 to Engine 22.
 Capt. Charles Ingersoll, from Ladder 20 to Ladder 22.
 Capt. Napeen Boutilier, from Engine 6 to Engine 8.
 Capt. Martin F. Conley, from Ladder 5 to Engine 43.
 Capt. Dennis J. Bailey, from Ladder 26 to Engine 13.
 Capt. Frank G. Avery, from Engine 21 to Engine 53.
 Capt. William J. Shepard, from Engine 29 to Ladder 13.
 Capt. William Hart, from Engine 25 to Engine 46.
 Capt. William F. Heldt, from Engine 30 to Engine 25.
 Capt. Joseph M. Ferreira, from Engine 8 to Ladder 34.
 Capt. Daniel I. Bell, from Engine 41 to Ladder 7.
 Capt. Maurice J. Prendergast, from Engine 32 to Ladder 18.
 Capt. John McCarthy, from Engine 27 to Ladder 20.
 Capt. Michael F. Minehan, from Engine 53 to Engine 42.
 Capt. John P. Walsh, from Ladder 2 to Engine 47.
 Capt. John Williams, from Engine 47 to Engine 31.
 Lieut. Roger T. White, from Ladder 12 to Engine 4.
 Lieut. Carl F. Bode, from Ladder 30 to Ladder 25.
 Lieut. Edward J. McNamara, from Ladder 28 to Engine 38-39.
 Lieut. John F. Good, from Ladder 12 to Engine 13.
 Lieut. Patrick Ryan, from Engine 2 to Engine 11.
 Lieut. Thomas F. Ward, from Engine 22 to Ladder 6.
 Lieut. Edward F. McCarthy, from Ladder 20 to Engine 38-39.
 Lieut. Daniel J. Leary, from Ladder 18 to Ladder 4.
 Lieut. William A. S. Hughes, from Ladder 30 to Engine 26-35.
 Lieut. Edward N. Montgomery, from Rescue 1 to Ladder 27.
 Lieut. David F. Sheehan, from Engine 21 to Engine 48.
 Lieut. John Lawson, from Engine 15 to Engine 1.
 Lieut. Thomas Nary, from Ladder 7 to Ladder 23.
 Lieut. John J. Sheehan, from Engine 33 to Engine 51.

Lieut. John J. Murphy, from Engine 43 to Engine 6.

Lieut. Thomas P. Lohan, from Engine 26-35 to Ladder 11.

Lieut. Peter J. Dunn, from Engine 40 to Engine 5.

Lieut. Dennis J. Coughlin, from Rescue 1 to Tower 3.

Lieut. Edward F. Cunniff, from Ladder 5 to Ladder 19.

Lieut. Bartholomew J. Dowd, from Engine 45 to Ladder 16.

Lieut. Jacob G. Berninger, from Engine 5 to Engine 50.

Lieut. John J. Rowean, from Ladder 13 to Engine 10.

Lieut. John L. Crimlisk, from Engine 29 to Ladder 11.

Lieut. Tracy B. Littlehale, from Engine 37 to Ladder 19.

Lieut. Thomas F. McGowan, from Engine 3 to Ladder 29.

Lieut. Allen J. Jarvis, from Engine 22 to Ladder 28.

Lieut. John F. Lawler, from Ladder 13 to Ladder 15.

Lieut. Thomas P. Rossiter, from Ladder 17 to Engine 21.

Lieut. Walter H. Greene, from Engine 31 to Tower 1.

Lieut. Arthur L. Johnson, from Engine 52 to Tower 3.

Lieut. Richard A. Dinin, Jr., from Ladder 12 to Ladder 29.

Lieut. Daniel Crowley, from Tower 1 to Ladder 2.

Lieut. Charles J. Greeley, from Ladder 8 to Ladder 26.

Lieut. Daniel E. Murphy, from Engine 4 to Engine 29.

Lieut. James F. Shea, from Engine 26-35 to headquarters.

Lieut. William F. Donovan, from Ladder 15 to Ladder 10.

Lieut. James J. Kelliher, from Ladder 13 to Ladder 17.

Lieut. Dennis M. Condon, from Engine 5 to Engine 8.

Lieut. John Hogan, from Ladder 30 to Ladder 28.

Lieut. Thomas F. Lynch, from Engine 4 to Engine 19.

Lieut. Fred S. Young, from Tower 1 to Engine 4.

Lieut. John J. Cremin, from Engine 13 to Ladder 12.

Lieut. Francis C. Shannon, from Engine 48 to Tower 1.

Lieut. Ivon P. Mahoney, from Ladder 4 to Ladder 5.

Lieut. Henry J. Kelley, from Engine 32 to Engine 34.

Lieut. Cornelius J. Crowley, from Engine 34 to Ladder 9.

Lieut. Timothy J. Heffron, from Ladder 9 to Engine 32.

Lieut. Edward G. Chamberlain, from Engine 38-39 to Rescue 1.

Lieut. James Gavagan, from Ladder 2 to Ladder 5.

Engineer Edward H. Kilday, from Engine 26-35 to Engine 22.

Engineer Francis H. Boudreau, from Engine 9 to high pressure service.

Assistant Engineer T. J. Mullen, from Engine 26-35 to Engine 18.

Ladderman Patrick T. Burke, from Ladder 18 to Tower 2.

Hoseman Aaron A. Tapp, from Engine 26-35 to Fire Alarm Branch.

Hoseman James Callahan, from Tower 3 to Fire Alarm Branch.

Hoseman Patrick Dunn, from Engine 30 to Fire Alarm Branch.

Hoseman Thomas Kilduff, from Engine 26-35 to Engine 14.

Ladderman Daniel O'Leary, from Ladder 25 to Engine 3.

Hoseman John H. Corcoran, from Engine 25 to Engine 52.

Hoseman George D. Ryan, from Engine 52 to Engine 25.

Ladderman John T. Savage, from Ladder 30 to Ladder 12.

Hoseman Henry M. Ducey, from Engine 16 to Engine 38-39.

Hoseman George W. Jones, from Engine 16 to Engine 4.

Ladderman William H. McAndrew, from Ladder 29 to Engine 26-35.

Hoseman John J. Brown, from Engine 8 to Ladder 8.

Ladderman Maurice F. Foley, from Ladder 8 to Ladder 9.

Hoseman Alfred E. J. Snow, from Engine 49 to Engine 23.

Hoseman John T. Lynch, from Engine 47 to Engine 5.

Ladderman Patrick F. Mullane, from Ladder 18 to Ladder 20.

Ladderman John J. Hanley, from Ladder 25 to Engine 3.

Hoseman Walter Kormann, from Engine 53 to Ladder 10.

Hoseman John C. Langan, from Engine 6 to Engine 12.

Ladderman Frank B. Dunbar, from Ladder 21 to Engine 25.

Ladderman John O. Allen, from Ladder 28 to Engine 19.

Hoseman Michael J. Goggin, from Engine 24 to Ladder 5.

Hoseman James H. Curran, from Engine 47 to Engine 8.

Hoseman Timothy J. Guinee, from Engine 32 to Engine 38-39.

Ladderman Charles Vogel, from Ladder 14 to Ladder 20.

Hoseman Edward J. Murphy, from Engine 31 to Engine 15.

Ladderman Timothy J. Donovan, from Ladder 14 to Engine 34.

Hoseman Hugh A. Shute, from Engine 34 to Ladder 14.

Hoseman George Leo Lyons, from Motor Squad to Ladder 19.

Hoseman Arthur V. Molway, from Engine 41 to Engine 48.

Hoseman Daniel J. Looney, from Engine 7 to Tower 2.

Ladderman Coleman C. Curran, from Ladder 4 to Tower 2.

Ladderman Thomas J. Riley, from Ladder 18 to Ladder 6.

Ladderman James F. Callahan, from Ladder 6 to Ladder 18.

Hoseman William Loughlin, from Engine 38-39 to Engine 1.

Hoseman John V. Ney, from Engine 18 to Engine 46.

Hoseman John J. O'Brien, from Engine 5 to Rescue 1.

Ladderman David J. Curran, from Ladder 16 to Engine 45.

Hoseman Cornelius Noonan, from Engine 37 to Engine 33.

Hoseman John J. Simpson, from Engine 28 to Engine 26-35.

Hoseman Robert Quilty, from Ladder 6 to Ladder 19.

Hoseman William E. Kenealy, from Engine 29 to Engine 26-35.

Hoseman Ralph A. MacKinnon, from Engine 48 to Engine 26-35.

III. CHANGE IN QUOTA.

Engine Company 3 and Ladder Company 23 will be included in the eighteen-men group under the two-platoon system instead of sixteen-men group as shown in General Order No. 3, c. s.

IV. LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

The attention of all officers and members of the department is called to the fact that with the installation of the two-platoon system the day starts at 8 a. m., instead of 9 a. m., as at present, so that in submitting requests for leaves of absence on Form 3 this should be borne in mind.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 465.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, McDevitt and Laffey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Harold B. O'Brien of Division 20, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Harold B. O'Brien perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 466.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, McDevitt and Laffey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Preston T. Hogan of Division 1, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Preston T. Hogan be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

\$350,000 FOR NEW HOME FOR THE OVERSEERS OF PUBLIC WELFARE.

A conference was held at the office of the Mayor January 28 to consider the recommendation of the Finance Commission as submitted under date of January 23 in which the said Finance Commission recommended that temporary expedients be considered in the settlement of the problems confronting the Overseers of Public Welfare in the matter of temporary home for women and office quarters for the overseers.

The Overseers of Public Welfare were unanimous in the opinion that the present accommodations were inadequate and that new accommodations should be provided at once. They further contended that the matter had been the subject of consideration for a period of six years and believed the time had arrived for action.

As a result of the conference his Honor the Mayor agreed to recommend to the incoming City Council a loan in the sum of \$350,000 to provide office accommodations and suitable meeting places for the various organizations co-operating with the Overseers of Public Welfare and also for the purpose of providing a new temporary home for women and children.

POLICE NOT CALLED ON TO INVESTIGATE CITY HALL.

Boston's City Hall is as clean and as orderly as any large office building, according to Mayor Curley and Fred J. Kneeland, Superintendent of Public Buildings. These officials were emphatic in their denial of the truth of an article printed concerning the conduct of the buildings after hours, and Capt. Perley Skillings of the City Hall avenue Police Station stated that he had never heard a complaint, and, furthermore, had entire confidence in his four patrolmen who are night watchmen there and obliged to visit every floor hourly.

"I have no knowledge of any such sensational goings-on as those outlined in the article," Mayor Curley said. "No complaints on this score have ever reached me. The only women in City Hall after regular hours are those who come to regular meetings of women's auxiliaries of military organizations having quarters in the building. These include the Suffolk County groups of the American Legion and Spanish War Veterans, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and other veteran organizations. The story was a mean one in so far as it impugns the good name of these women. Excepting women cleaners regularly employed in both the hall and the annex, these are the only women admitted to the buildings after the regular five o'clock closing hour.

Superintendent Kneeland's latest order, similar to the one issued during Mayor Peter's administration, that all persons must be out of the Hall and the Annex at five o'clock, was issued merely in order to lighten the task of the women cleaners. Some of them had complained that there was much delay at night caused by workers remaining after hours.

MAYOR URGES PURCHASE OF AMERICAN TREES.

Mayor Curley sent the following communication to the Park Department on January 31:

MR. JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman Park Commission*, Boston, Mass.:

MY DEAR MR. SHEA,—The position taken by the New England Nurserymen's Association with reference to the purchase of trees abroad is sound, and a further search should be made of American nurseries for the trees which the Boston Park Department requires. It is our duty wherever possible to encourage American enterprise, and in the event that you are unable to secure all of the trees which may be necessary, it would, in my opinion, be advisable to purchase such as you can secure in America and wait for the remainder until such time as they have attained the required growth.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

THANKS MAYOR FOR FELICITATION.

Mayor Curley, January 31, received the following letter from Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor:

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 28, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Thank you most cordially for your telegraph message upon the anniversary of my seventy-fourth birthday. I am, indeed, grateful to you for your

good wishes and your kind expressions regarding the service which it has been my life's endeavor to render to my fellowmen.

No one can tell when the summons will come for him but my most earnest hope is that whether it be soon or whether it be in the distant future, that so long as life is vouchsafed me that I may be given health and strength of mind and body and opportunity for continued service to my fellows.

Sincerely yours,

SAMUEL GOMPERS, *President*,
American Federation of Labor.

JAMES P. BALFE NAMED STATISTICS DEPARTMENT HEAD.

James P. Balfe, a trustee of the city's Statistics Department, was appointed chairman of that body by Mayor Curley. He will receive a salary of \$3,500 a year as a result of an order of the City Council passed last week. Hitherto the position was unsalaried.

In 1922 Balfe was named as a trustee without salary. He has been acting chairman since last fall, when he succeeded John Koren, who committed suicide by jumping from a steamer while returning home from England. Mr. Koren had been in ill health and depressed for some time.

Balfe, who lives at 1302 Commonwealth avenue, is a statistician by profession. He first entered the city's employ in 1901. He worked for a considerable time in the Health Department.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

HEATING AND VENTILATING DRAUGHTSMAN, BOSTON SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT, FEBRUARY 5, 1924.

The salary is \$1,500 a year. Applicants should have had experience in the designing of heating and ventilating systems, with special qualifications pertaining to the designing of systems installed in schools. They should be able to give necessary information to the architect and work in conjunction with him from the time the sketches are submitted to the Schoolhouse Commission until the contract is put on the market for figures. The work includes the laying out of the ventilating apparatus, the designing of the steam piping systems and the preparation of specifications.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, and a general average of at least 65 per cent in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

BACTERIOLOGIST, BOSTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT, FEBRUARY 11, 1924.

The salary is \$1,800 a year.

This examination is open to men and women, but the present vacancy is for a man.

Applicants must be able to examine bacteriologically and serologically all specimens sent in by physicians or dentists to determine the etiology of the disease from which the patient is suffering. They must be well equipped theoretically and practically to make bacteriological milk examinations, also examinations of diphtheria, typhoid fever, malaria, tuberculosis, rabies, and all other specimens that may be forwarded for bacteriological or serological examinations of any kind and interpret their findings properly. In addition they must be able to prepare or direct the method of preparation of all kinds of media essential for such work. Applicants must have had a medical or scientific school education and practical training in a private or public bacteriological or health laboratory for at least two years, or have had equivalent training and experience.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; laboratory test, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the laboratory test, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

NURSING CONSULTANT (FEMALE), STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, FEBRUARY 14, 1924.

The salary is \$1,680 a year. At the present time there is one vacancy in the Division of Hygiene and two vacancies in the Division of Tuberculosis.

Applicants must be not less than twenty-five nor over forty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

This examination is open to registered nurses only. A high school education or its equivalent is required. Preference will be given to applicants who show training and experience in public health work.

It is desirable that applicants for the position in the Division of Hygiene have at least one year's experience in school nursing and credit will be given for such experience.

The duties of the position in the Division of Hygiene are to make surveys of child hygiene activities throughout the state, to advise communities wishing to start new forms of child health activity, to assist new nurses to develop child health programs, and to assist in the development of school nursing.

The duties of the position in the Division of Tuberculosis are to organize and arrange programs for school examination clinics and general field tuberculosis work, to check board of health and dispensary tuberculosis records, to make tuberculosis surveys of cities and towns, and to submit reports.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being abolished. For these was substituted a single City Council of nine members to

be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, *i. e.*, whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, *i. e.*, establishing a single term of four years, but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (*i. e.*, the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor which licensees claimed the right to sell was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on June 7, 1920. The result of this decision was that former applicants for liquor

licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (*i. e.*, prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topeka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

SETTLEMENT OF BOSTON.

Boston was settled in the latter part of August, 1630, by Puritan colonists under Governor John Winthrop. The name of the original settlement was changed to Boston from Trimountaine by order of the Court of Assistants on September 7 (O. S.), 1630. This date was moved forward by the New Style calendar in 1752 to Sept. 17, the recognized date of the founding of Boston. The name, Trimountaine, had been given because of the three peaks of the most prominent hill, afterward called Beacon Hill, much higher then than now. By the Indians the place was called Shawmut. The name, Boston, was derived from the English town of Boston in Lincolnshire, the home of some of the leading colonists and promoters of the enterprise.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, January 21, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President LANE in the chair and all the members present.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Four grand jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear February 4, viz.:

Cornelius J. Buckley, Ward 5; Harry A. Bixby, Ward 7; Cornelius M. Ahern, Ward 9; Joseph F. Lynch, Ward 24.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, first Session, to appear February 4, viz.:

James J. Owens, Ward 3; Michael J. Glavin, Ward 4; Frank Cunningham, Ward 6; Lawrence Brown, Ward 6; Henry S. Wright, Ward 6; Frederick V. Carner, Ward 8; John R. Elliott, Ward 8; James E. King, Ward 8; Samuel A. Lewart, Ward 8; Joseph M. Halloran, Ward 9; George H. Simmons, Ward 13; Charles Allgaier, Ward 14; Neil J. Conway, Ward 14; Michael H. Ward, Ward 14; Joseph V. Baier, Ward 15; Arthur J. Lavalle, Ward 15; Edward A. Wilbert, Ward 15; George H. Archules, Ward 16; Joseph A. Hogan, Ward 16; William C. Buckingham, Ward 17; Frank L. LaPlante, Ward 17; James M. McCormack, Ward 17; Francis J. Haley, Ward 19; George W. Lazzaro, Ward 19; Abner Silverman, Ward 19; Frank M. Freier, Ward 20; Isaac Brown, Ward 21; Mathew F. Galvin, Ward 22; Charles F. McMorro, Ward 22; Henry W. Turrell, Ward 22; Thomas S. Burns, Ward 23; Harold E. Fish, Ward 23; Ralph M. Henderson, Ward 23; George J. Wippold, Ward 23; Robert Robinette, Ward 23; Frederick W. Spear, Ward 23; Julius Stueck, Ward 3; Everett S. Wood, Ward 24; Edward C. Jansfield, Ward 25; John F. Mullanaphy, Ward 25.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, third Session, to appear February 4, viz.:

Peter Biggi, Ward 1; Percy A. Chandler, Ward 1; Fred H. Fitzgerald, Ward 4; William F. Wempecker, Ward 4; H. Herbert Robbins, Ward 5; Lonzo C. Cartwright, Ward 7; John F. Smith, Ward 8; John B. Clifford, Ward 9; Patrick Gavin, Ward 9; Harry E. Grafton, Ward 9; James J. Brien, Ward 9; James P. Coffey, Ward 10; Michael A. Keenan, Ward 11; William Thompson, Ward 11; Michael Welby, Ward 12; John S. Rannan, Ward 13; Thomas Day, Ward 13; Joseph G. Gallagher, Ward 14; T. Alton Davis, Ward 15; Frank F. Kuchenmeister, Ward 15; Jeremiah J. Caddigan, Ward 16; Wilbert G. Luntley, Ward 16; Charles L. Peck, Ward 16; Joseph Aleta, Ward 18; Daniel A. McLeod, Ward 18; Stephen F. Johnson, Ward 19; Albert H. Curtis, Ward 20; George W. Harbour, Ward 20; John Harvey, Ward 20; Frederick J. Jones, Ward 20; Charles J. Morton, Ward 20; Adolph Henry Oederberg, Ward 20; Harold F. Ganter, Ward 21; Joseph M. Duggan, Ward 22; Sidney A. Vinton, Ward 22; Gustav F. Holl, Ward 23; Ernest M. Robinson, Ward 23; Nishan Gulesan, Ward 24; John A. Doherty, Ward 25; Carl F. Lawton, Ward 25.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, fourth Session, to appear February 4, viz.:

Joseph J. McCaffrey, Ward 1; William A. Thivierge, Ward 1; Thomas F. Bradshaw, Ward 2; Bernard J. Farley, Ward 2; William F. Kelly, Ward 2; Oliver A. Darcy, Ward 3; William Guinalli, Ward 5; William Scott, Ward 6; Wilfred M. Robinson, Ward 7; Ferdinand S. Bloom, Ward 8; James P. Munroe, Ward 8; Thomas W. Nason, Ward 8; John B. Potter, Ward 8; William F. Stewart, Ward 8; John J. Carlton, Jr., Ward 9; Thomas H. Cooper, Jr., Ward 9; Patrick Scanlan, Ward 9; Walter Adler, Ward 10; James F. Lynch, Ward 10; Thomas Francis Major, Ward 10; Jacob Schneider, Ward 10; Patrick C. Desmond, Ward 11; James Robert Robertson, Ward 13; Eugene Sullivan, Ward 13; Howard Whitecomb, Ward 14; Edward K. Brown, Ward 15; Maurice Dunay, Ward 16; Edward H. Smith, Ward 16; John W. Knowles, Ward 17; George H. Mathieson, Ward 17; Thomas L. Saltmarsh, Ward 17; David V. Edwards, Jr., Ward 19; James T. Houghton, Ward 21; Joseph F. Watson, Ward 21; Edward H. White, Ward 21; Timothy J. McLaughlin, Ward 3; Charles H. Warren, Ward 23; Frederick S. Smith, Ward 24; Robert Alexander Noonan, Ward 5; Michael J. O'Brien, Ward 25.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, fifth Session, to appear February 4, viz.:

Frederick D. Hyland, Ward 1; Frederick Kearney, Ward 2; Herbert S. Scott, Ward 2; Charles F. Day, Ward 5; Timothy F. Manley, Ward 5; Joseph F. Murphy, Ward 5; Edward L. Edwards, Jr., Ward 6; Joseph W. McConnell, Ward 7; Harmon C. Skinner, Ward 7; Arthur C. Wood, Ward 7; W. Lee Campbell, Ward 8; John C. Knight, Ward 8; Philip G. Bird, Ward 10; Edwin P. Babb, Ward 11; Patrick J. Griffin, Ward 11; Cornelius D. Hurley, Ward 11; Mark

Barrett, Ward 12; William D. Mahoney, Ward 12; James McGill, Ward 12; Frank Allen, Ward 14; Frank Huber, Ward 14; James H. Norton, Ward 14; James Fuller, Ward 15; Patrick J. Cawley, Ward 16; Thomas J. Francis, Ward 16; William Hall, Ward 16; Louis Nichols, Ward 16; Hugh McGourty, Ward 17; William J. Ahern, Ward 18; Cornelius Cronin, Ward 18; Ivers S. Adams, Ward 19; Elijah L. Nickerson, Ward 20; James A. Parsons, Ward 20; Edward F. Corbett, Ward 21; Elmer L. Lang, Ward 23; Edmund L. Morris, Ward 23; John E. Leonard, Ward 24; Bernard Malone, Ward 25.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Sixth Session, to appear February 4, viz.:

Walter B. Kelley, Ward 1; William H. Levill, Ward 2; Thomas Macdonnell, Ward 2; Isaac C. Pound, Ward 2; William J. Sullivan, Ward 3; George D. Green, Ward 5; John J. McLaughlin, Ward 5; Giacomo Palumbo, Ward 5; Charles G. Bliss, Ward 7; Joseph E. Dargin, Ward 7; James F. McAloon, Ward 7; Charles E. Barlow, Ward 8; Charles W. Steele, Ward 8; Oliver E. Williams, Ward 8; Daniel Crowley, Ward 9; Charles T. Sheehan, Ward 9; Joseph F. Duffy, Ward 10; Joseph T. Ryan, Ward 10; George A. Bishop, Ward 11; Paul Levering, Ward 11; Daniel J. Sullivan, Ward 11; James T. McQuaide, Ward 12; William A. Warren, Ward 12; Thomas W. Raftery, Ward 13; Edward Callahan, Ward 14; Robert Haeberle, Ward 14; Michael McShane, Ward 14; Albert R. Clark, Ward 16; Robert Tudor, Ward 17; James Stevenson, Ward 18; Justin H. Sturtevant, Ward 19; William H. Daley, Ward 20; Joseph J. Maloney, Ward 21; John J. Kennedy, Ward 22; Henry S. O'Gorman, Ward 22; Herman J. Schorle, Ward 22; William P. Walsh, Ward 24; John C. Burke, Ward 25; John H. McGovern, Ward 26; Arthur D. Ritchie, Ward 26.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following were received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, January 19, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Edward F. Murphy, 11 Albion street, Roxbury, to the position of Constable of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, January 21, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Albert E. Chadbourne, 38 Monadnock street, Dorchester, a Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, January 19, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons Weighers of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1924:

Edward W. Pierce, 2d, 410 Commonwealth avenue; Boston, Alice A. Smith, 55 Hall street, Jamaica Plain; Theodore H. Tufts, 87 West Emerson street, Melrose.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Severally laid over under the law.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Joseph Berkowitch, for compensation for damage to property at 16 and 18 Beach street, Charlestown, by break in water main.

Anna L. Connors, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Chestnut Hill avenue.

Louise De Luca, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Endicott street.

Mary De Luca, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Endicott street.

Florence Dugan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect, corner of Kingston and Summer streets.

Mary C. Glynn, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Blue Hill avenue.

Libby & Libby Company, for compensation for damage to property caused by an alleged defect in North street.

Robert M. MacDonell, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect, corner of Beaumont and Adams streets.

Angus McDonald, for compensation for damage to car at the corner of Huntington and Massachusetts avenues, by a patrol wagon.

Paul Raggi, for compensation for damage to property at 305-309 Norfolk avenue by defective sewer.

Theresa Scalia, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in South Margin street.

Charles Mallaney, for compensation for property lost at City Hospital.

Executive.

Maybelle Lyman, for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Fritz-Carleton Hall, January 23.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Assessing Department of the appointment of Francis J. McBaron as second assistant assessor.

Placed on file.

ELECTRIFICATION OF STEAM RAILROADS.

A communication was received from the United Improvement Association relative to the electrification of steam railroads.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of petitions for storage and sale of gasoline at various locations giving notice that hearings will be held on same Monday, January 28.

Placed on file.

RESOLUTIONS APPROVING LEGISLATION.

Coun. BRICKLEY, for Coun. MORIARTY, offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston favors legislation for the payment of a sum of money to John M. Chmielinski on account of damage to property.

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors the enactment of legislation to authorize the city to pay a pension to Joseph F. McGiveran.

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston approves of legislation for the reinstatement of Michael N. O'Meara in the Fire Department of the City of Boston.

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors the enactment of legislation to authorize the city to pay a sum of money to Rose DeLuca.

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors legislation authorizing the payment of a sum of money to Daniel R. Milliken.

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors the enactment of legislation authorizing the reinstatement of Patrick Driscoll as a member of the Fire Department.

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors the enactment of legislation authorizing the city to pension Mary Walsh.

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors the enactment of legislation authorizing the city to pension the widow of Christopher Melia.

The several resolutions were passed under a suspension of the rule.

REPLY FROM HEALTH COMMISSIONER, CEMETERIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, January 18, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to forward herewith report submitted by the Health Commissioner, same constituting a reply to certain interrogatories submitted by your Board.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Health Department, January 15, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—The appended report of a survey made by the Health Department, by questionnaire, by personal visit, and by telephone, of the various cemeteries in Boston, is respectfully submitted in accordance with the order recently passed by the City Council.

The report is not complete in all details, as the report itself will show; but in view of repeated unsuccessful efforts to elicit the information which is missing, I am sending the report in its present form rather than delay report further. I believe there is sufficient information contained in the report to make it of service.

Respectfully,

F. X. MAHONEY,
Health Commissioner.

NAME.	Location. (Ward.)	Area in Acres.	Denomination.	Active or Inactive.	Public or Private.	GRAVES.		Distance from Other Cemeteries.	NEIGHBORHOOD.		How Fenced In.	Gro Care
						Used.	Unused.		Elevation.	Character.		
Mt. Benedict's.....	23	112.0	Catholic.	Active.	Private.	3,440	18,120	4 miles.	Higher.	Residential.	Stone.	Y
St. Michael's.....	23	110.0	Catholic.	Active.	Private.	6,000	500	Adjoining.	Same.	Residential.	Stone-Wood.	Y
St. Joseph's.....	23	90.0	Catholic.	Active.	Private.	23,000	102,000	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Same.	Residential.	None.	Y
St. Mary's.....	23	5.1	Catholic.	Active.	Private.				Higher.			Y
United Hand in Hand...	23	11.0	Jewish.	Active.	Private.	325	875	Adjoining.	Same.	Residential.	Stone.	Y
Gethsemane.....	23	30.0	Lutheran.	Active.	Private.	1,210	1,840	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Lower.	Residential.	Iron.	Y
Tsfereth Israel Corp....	23		Jewish.		Private.	405			Same.	Residential.	Stone-Wood-Iron.	Y
Congregation Adas Yisroel.	23	2.6	Hebrew.	Active.	Private.	500	400	Adjoining.	Same.	Residential.	Stone.	Y
Charey Zadic.....	23		Jewish.		Private.	718		Adjoining.	Same.	Residential.	Stone-Wood.	Y
Boston First Austria- Hungary.	23		Jewish.		Private.	157		Adjoining.	Same.	Residential.	Stone-Wood.	Y
Adath Jerusun.....	23		Hebrew.		Private.	500	1,000	Adjoining.	Same.	Residential.	Stone-Wood.	Y
Beth Israel.....	23	1.5	Jewish.		Private.	600	400	Adjoining.	Higher.	Residential.	Wood.	Y
Beth Abraham.....	23	0.5	Jewish.	Active.	Private.	640	60	Adjoining.	Same.	Residential.	Wood.	Y
Sons of Benjamin.....	23	0.5	Jewish.	Active.	Private.	590	250	Adjoining.	Same.	Residential.	Iron-Wood.	Y
Hebrew Prosseve.....	23	0.5	Jewish.	Active.	Private.	60	140	Adjoining.	Same.	Residential.	Iron.	Y
New Calvary.....	24	55.0	Catholic.	Active.	Private.	19,048	7,957	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Same.	Residential.	Stone-Wood.	Y
Old Calvary.....	24	50.0	Catholic.	Active.	Private.	29,302	7,325	500 feet.	Higher.	Residential.	Stone-Wood-Iron.	Y
Forest Hills.....	22	256.0		Active.	Private.			Adjoining.	Same.	Residential.	Iron.	Y
St. Mary's.....	20	12.0	Catholic.	Active.	Private.	9,330	400	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Same.	Residential.	Stone-Iron.	Y
St. Joseph's.....	13	.25	Catholic.	Inactive.	Private.	100	None.	1 mile.	Higher.	Residential.	Stone.	Y
St. Augustine's.....	10	1.0	Catholic.	Inactive.	Private.	4	496	1 mile.	Same.	Residential.	Stone-Iron.	Y
Union.....	10	0.1	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Private.			Adjoining.	Same.	Thickly Populated.	Wood.	Y
Cedar Grove.....	20	250-260	Non-Sectarian.	Active.	Private.	60,000	Unknown.	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Higher.	Residential.	Wood.	Y
Evergreen.....	26	14.0	Non-Sectarian.	Active.	Public.	8,000	200 a year.	$\frac{3}{4}$ mile.	Same.	Residential.	Iron.	Y
Market Street.....	26	0.4	Non-Sectarian.	Active.	Public.	None.	None.	$\frac{3}{4}$ mile.	Same.	Business.	Stone-Wood.	Y
Fairview.....	24	50.0	Non-Sectarian.	Active.	Public.	10,000	20 acre.	None.	Higher.	Business.	Wire.	Y
Walter Street*.....	23	0.9	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.							Y
Westerly†.....	23	0.9	Non-Sectarian.	Active.	Public.			None.	Same.	Residential.	Stone-Wood.	Y
Mt. Hope.....	23	117.8	Non-Sectarian.	Active.	Public.	16,000	4,000	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Same.	Residential.	Iron.	Y
Dorchester South.....	21	2.2	Non-Sectarian.	Active.	Public.		6 a year.	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Higher.	Residential.	Iron.	Y
Eliot†.....	12	0.8	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.			$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Higher.	Business.	Iron.	Y
Warren‡.....	12	1.4	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.							Y
Dorchester North†.....	11	3.3	Non-Sectarian.	Active.	Public.		12 a year.	None.	Same.	Residential.	Stone.	Y
Hawes†.....	10	0.3	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.			Adjoining.	Same.	Residential.	Wood.	Y
South End†.....	6	1.5	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.			1 mile.	Same.	Residential.	Stone.	Y
King's Chapel§.....	5	0.4	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.			300 feet.	Same.	Business.	Iron.	Y
Copp's Hill.....	5	2.0	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.	10 a year.		1 mile.	Higher.	Thickly Populated.	Iron.	Y
Granary†.....	5	1.9	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.			300 feet.	Higher.	Business.	Iron.	Y
Central†.....	5	1.4	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.			$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Same.	Business.	Iron.	Y
Phipps Street†.....	3	1.8	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.			$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Higher.	Thickly Populated.		Y
Bunker Hill†.....	3	1.1	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.			$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Lower.	Thickly Populated.	Iron.	Y
Rainsford Island||.....	2	1.0	Non-Sectarian.	Inactive.	Public.							Y
Bennington Street†.....	1	3.6	Non-Sectarian.	Active.	Public.			$\frac{1}{2}$ mile.	Same.	Thickly Populated.	Iron.	Y

* Ground turned over to Arnold Arboretum.

† Historical.

‡ Ground turned over to Roxbury Latin School.

§No burials.

||Many soldiers buried there, but no records turned over to Cemetery Department.

Placed on file.

USE OF GOLF LINK RECEIPTS.

Coun. BRICKLEY, for Coun. MORIARTY, ordered an order—That the Budget Commissioner, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to inform the City Council whether or not it is feasible to use the receipts for the use of the public golf links at Franklin Park for the improvement of said links.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SIDEWALK, CHESTNUT HILL AVENUE.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Chestnut Hill avenue, from South Street to Commonwealth avenue, both sides, Ward 25, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of flagstone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

Coun. BRICKLEY called up unfinished business, Nos. 1 and 2, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, January 14, 1924, viz.:

1. Powhatan Bagnall, William Castaldo, Eugene F. Del Bianco, Abraham S. Singer and John Leonard, to be Constables.

2. Francis A. Moran, to be a Weigher of Goods. The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Brickley and Walsh. Whole number of ballots cast 5, yeas 5, and the appointments were confirmed.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 2.37 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WATSON, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President 6.04 o'clock p.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. BRICKLEY, for Coun. HAGAN, for the Executive Committee, submitted a report on the petition of Maybelle Lyman (referred today) for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Fritz-Carleton Hall, January 23—that a permit be granted.

Report accepted; permit granted on the usual conditions.

SALARIES OF PROBATION OFFICERS.

Coun. HAGAN, for the Committee on County Accounts, submitted a report on communication from the justice of the Chelsea District Court referred January 14) relative to salaries of probation officers—recommending the passage of the following, viz.:

Ordered, That the salaries of Frederick W. Doctor, Jr., and Ned F. Hoyt, probation officer and juvenile probation officer, respectively, in the Chelsea District Court, be fixed at the rate of \$400 and \$1,700 per annum, respectively, in accordance with the request of the justice of said court, said salaries to date from February 1, 1924.

The question came on the acceptance of the report and passage of the order.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I hope this order will be rejected. It appears to me that provides an increase in salary for two probation officers of the Chelsea District Court, one receiving an increase of \$450 and the other an increase of \$750. I think our City of Boston is paying enough salaries in other cities and towns of the Commonwealth today, and I feel that the bill which has been presented by his Honor the Mayor to compel the city of Chelsea and the town of Winthrop, which are included in Suffolk County, to pay their proportionate expense, should pass. If at this time we are going to vote for increases in salaries of probation officers or anyone else who is paid by the City of Boston money, I think we are putting ourselves in a ridiculous position before the Legislature. I think it is absolutely out of the question for us at this time, with the budget practically about to be considered by the Council and with an order issued by his Honor the Mayor to the heads of departments that no salaries be increased more than \$100 per annum, with the respective laborers' increase of 50 cents per day, to pass an order increasing the salaries of two men in the district court in Chelsea, working as probation officers, \$450 and \$750, respectively. I think to such increase should be voted by this Council. I believe if the citizens of Boston have any money to spend they should spend it to increase salaries of citizens of Boston, those who live in Boston, rather than those who live in Chelsea or some other place, simply because the City of Boston is compelled to pay the expenses of Suffolk County.

I hope this bill will be defeated and that we will register our vote against it. It is not sound business policy. When we are confronted by the fact that there is not a sufficient amount of money to take care of just increases for citizens of Boston, why should we be asked to increase the salaries of these two men in Chelsea in this manner? I think the order should positively be defeated and that we should show the people of Beacon Hill that this City Council refuses further to pay increased salaries to citizens of Chelsea or other parts of Suffolk County other than citizens of Boston. If we have \$1,200 to spend, let us spend it to increase the salaries of our own citizens, whether in the Police or Fire Departments or some other department of the city. Let us spend it to increase their salaries, to give them a decent living wage, rather than to increase the salaries of those who do not live in our city. We should be primarily interested in the citizens of Boston and should take care of their needs first. Then, if there is anything we are compelled to do by law afterwards, let us do it. But don't let us vote to increase the salaries of these men outside \$450 and \$750 a year, when we are increasing the amount paid to our own citizens but \$100 a year. I hope the matter will fail of passage.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I desire to go on record as voting in favor of this, because the law requires it, that is all. I think Boston ought to look after its own, but under the law Boston pays the bill. I regret that Chelsea, Revere and Winthrop do not pay their part of the county expenses, and I think Coun. Donoghue is right in his contention. But the trouble is that we are face to face with the bill, and Boston must pay the bill. Even though I would like to look after our own people first, because I think that is right, just and equitable, the law is the law, and we cannot sidestep it. If in some way Chelsea, Revere and Winthrop can be made to pay, as I believe is proposed, their proper, proportionate part of the expenses of Suffolk County, I think they should be so made to pay. I agree with Coun. Donoghue absolutely that it is not right that Boston should be saddled unduly with the county expenses, and that our duty should first lie to our own citizens. I certainly hope that the Legislature will soon compel Chelsea, Revere and Winthrop to pay a part of the county expenses. In the meantime we are confronted by the law and, therefore, I shall for that reason alone vote for the order.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, while the law may say that the City of Boston shall pay the expenses of Suffolk County, it does not say, in my opinion, that we shall increase the salaries of any of the present employees of Suffolk County. If we were compelled by law to pay these increases in salaries there would be no need of the bill being presented here to the City Council for acceptance. Therefore I feel that we are not compelled to vote for these increases. I know the law says that we must pay the salaries of officials in Suffolk County and the expenses of Suffolk County, but it does not say in any law that we must pay these increases. I am contending against the increase of the present salaries, drawing that distinction. We are not compelled to increase their rate of wage; we are not compelled to give them \$450 more and \$750 more at the expense of the citizens of Boston. Irrespective of what anybody may consider to be our position under the law in other respects, we are not compelled to vote for this act, increasing these particular salaries, on the face of it. Otherwise it would not be in here.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 5, nays 1.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Walsh—5.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue—1.

RADIOTONE PHOTOGRAPHS, PRESIDING OFFICERS.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to provide an appropriation for the purpose of obtaining radiotone photographs of the past and present presiding officers of the City Council and Board of Aldermen.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CLAIMS.

Coun. HEALEY, for the Committee on Claims, submitted a report on various petitions for compensation for personal injuries, damage to property, etc.—recommending that the petitioners be given leave to withdraw (the same action being recommended by the Law Department), viz.:

Augusta Abrams, repair of fence, rear 233 West Canton street.

Armstrong Transfer Express Company, damage to taxicab by police officer's motorcycle.

Armstrong Transfer Express Company, damage to taxicab by street sweeper.

American Oil Company, damage to truck by city truck.

Jacob Arenstein, for basement window at 10 Kirkland street broken by city ash team.

Erling Andersen, damage to automobile by city ashcart No. 1013.

Fred Afssa, for damage to car by collision with city car.

Basil G. Anifantis, for refund of fee paid for luncheon license at 39 Main street, Charlestown.

Adams Trust of Everett, for fence in rear of 44 East Brookline street broken by city ash team.

M. Aronson & Son, for damage to autocar by defect in Clinton street.

Walter A. Abbth, for damage to automobile by defect in Washington street, near No. 5036.

Samuel Barca, for damage to team by team No. 5 of Public Works Department.

Bilodeau Ball Bearing Works, Inc., for damage to auto by team of Sanitary Service.

Morris Bernstein, for garbage container at 34 Columbia road broken by city employees.

Arthur J. Benkert, for clothing taken from locker at Smith Street Playground.

William F. Braman, for injuries from a fall on crosswalk at Court and Alden streets.

Charles E. Bean, for damage to wagon by city tipcart No. 1102 on Hudson street.

Israel N. Binder, for injuries caused by negligent operation of city automobile.

Martha J. Boles, for damages at 30 Westville street caused by blasting.

Samuel J. Beckwith, for damage to merchandise at 170 Washington street by a broken hydrant.

Ethel H. Barron, for injuries caused by a fall due to water shut-off in front of 89 Hancock street, Ward 17.

Fannie Beggeleman, for injuries caused by a fall at 94 Porter street.

E. E. Bowen, for damages caused by caving in of sidewalk at 290 Sumner street, East Boston.

John Britt, for injuries caused by fall on icy sidewalk at 227 Washington street.

Frances M. Birtwell, for injuries caused by fall at corner of Beacon and Park streets.

John M. Bighams, for injuries caused by a fall in front of public library on Millmont street, Roxbury.

Rose Berkovitz, for damages at 1272 Blue Hill avenue by overflow of hydrant.

Arbham Black, for collapse of boiler and other damages at 199 Woodrow avenue, caused by shutting off of water.

Eleanor M. Bates, for damage to car by ball-playing on Gilson Playground.

John E. Brewer, for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Boston Lightning Rod Company, for damage to car by city team.

Natalie Beane, for damage to clothing by city watering cart.

Maurice Bergman, for damage to automobile by Ladder Truck No. 4.

Malcolm C. Banks, for damage to fence at 215 West Springfield street, caused by firemen.

Roland M. Baker, Postmaster, Boston, for damage to letter box located in front of 392 Chelsea street, East Boston.

Roland M. Baker, Postmaster, Boston, for government owned truck No. 1828, damaged by fire apparatus of City of Boston.

Oscar Bern, 408 Harrison avenue, for injuries caused by a fall on Harrison avenue.

Boston Baking Company, for damage to truck by team of Public Works Department.

Evelyn L. Birkenmeyer, for damage to clothing by street cleaning barrel on sidewalk on East street.

Bertha L. Belyea, for injuries caused by fall on School street in front of City Hall.

Edward C. Burns, for damage to car by a city wagon of Public Works Department.

Beacon Creamery Company, for damage to truck by collision with city car on Charlestown Bridge.

F. G. Collins Shoe Company, for damages at 95 Summer street by a city team.

Edmund J. Connolly, for loss of business at Colonial Filling Station on account of closing of portion of Commonwealth avenue for repairs.

Tony Corso, for loss due to broken water meter at 17 Norman street.

William Cox, for injuries caused by a fence out of repair on Dorchester avenue, near Kemp street.

Isabelle R. Carroll, for damage to coat by tar spattered from a city wheelbarrow.

Samuel Campbell, for injuries caused by defective sidewalk on Chambers street.

Carter, Rice & Co. Corporation, for damage to horse caused by a defective manhole cover in Milk street at Federal street.

Edward M. Clancy, for damage to automobile when commandeered by a policeman.

Caro F. Colburn, for injuries caused by a fall on bridge on Massachusetts avenue, between Boylston and Newbury streets.

W. H. Cunningham, for injuries and for damage to clothing caused by fall on ferry slip.

Winifred L. Conroy, for loss of pay and for expenses incurred on account of infection while a nurse at City Hospital.

John Connors, Jr., for injuries caused by defect in sidewalk at 40 Monument square.

Grace F. Corbett, for injuries and for damage to clothing caused by fall at Hanover and Friend streets.

Connors & Stack, for damage to automobile by hole in Centre street, opposite Willow street, West Roxbury.

Julia Mary Cronin, for damage at 30 Corning street caused by caving in of sidewalk.

Prince Nunzio Carbone, for damages at 1273 and 1275 Tremont street by turning off of water.

Leonard Carapezza, for damages at 11 and 13 Charter street caused by excavations in street.

Angelina Campagna, for injuries caused by being struck by city truck No. 111832.

G. M. Creamer, for damage to fence at 113 Stoughton street by garbage wagon.

Edward C. Calnan, for damage to car by fire apparatus at Washington and Kneeland streets.

O. J. Cullington, for damage to automobile by city wagon No. 906 of the Sanitary Service.

Edwin R. Clarke, for two ash barrels at 88 Radcliffe street, Dorchester, broken by ashmen.

John J. Clancy, for ash barrel at 514 East Sixth street, broken by ashmen.

Sumner J. Cooper, 40 South Russell street, for damage to automobile by city team.

William Humphrey Coolidge, for damage to automobile by city cart on Tremont row.

Rose DeLuca, for damages at 19 Hale street by a fire engine.

John J. Duemmling, for show window at 622 Dudley street, broken by stone thrown from wheel of a heavy truck.

Mrs. Josephine DeSalvo, for injuries caused by fall on Causeway street.

Mildred Donnaruma, for injuries caused by fall on sidewalk at 216 Chelsea street.

Charles Driver, for damage caused by leak in water pipe and stoppage of sewer.

A. DiLucci Company, for damage and extra expense incurred on contract for sewerage works in Mt. Vernon street.

Harry Druker, for damage to automobile by city garbage cart.

Helen L. Doyle, for damage to dress by varnish on chair at Roxbury High School.

J. J. Day, for bale of wool alleged to have been damaged by negligence of police of Station 15.

Lydia B. Donnelly, for damage to clothing by street sprinkler.

John and Ciriaco DeVirgilio, for damages caused by city team delivering coal on premises.

Michael Damiano, for injuries received at South Ferry.

Joseph E. Dolan, for injuries and for damage to clothing caused by fall on Toll Gate Bridge connecting Washington street and Hyde Park avenue.

Mary E. Doherty, for damages on account of defect in highway on Tremont street.

Mary C. Donahue, for injuries caused by fall on Haverhill street side of North Station entrance to Elevated.

Timothy Doherty, for injuries caused by fall on icy sidewalk at 17 Green street.

Agnes A. Driscoll, for injuries caused by fall on crossing at Washington and La Grange streets.

Mrs. M. T. Donlon, for damages at 46 and 48 Carolina avenue by ball playing on Carolina Avenue Playground.

Gladys M. Darling, for damage to coat by watering cart on Columbus avenue.

Domnick DePola, for damage to automobile by fire apparatus in front of 181 Court street.

Salvatore Eosco, for damage to property by stoppage in sewer.

Estabrook & Sibley Company, for damage to goods at 543 Atlantic avenue caused by bursting of water main.

Ida Epps, for damages as a result of alleged neglect by City Hospital employees.

James W. Evans, for damage to car by unguarded trench in Washington street, near Oak square.

Report accepted; petitioners given leave to withdraw.

ORDINANCES.

Coun. HEALEY, for the Committee on Ordinances, submitted a report on ordinance (referred December 31) relative to park frontages on Commonwealth avenue—that the ordinance ought to pass.

Report accepted; ordinance passed.

LAW ON TAX ASSESSMENTS.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That the Assessing Department, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to inform the City Council as to the law on abatements of real estate tax assessments; also its policy and custom; real estate held by religious, educational and charitable institutions or associations, and real estate held by dependents and veterans designated by law to be not subject to this order.

Referred to the Executive Committee, on motion of Coun. HEALEY.

MONEY FOR WORLD MEMORIAL PARK.

President LANE called up unfinished business, No. 3, viz.:

3. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer from the appropriation for William Eustis, William E. Carter and John J. Connolly Playgrounds, Improvements, \$12,000, to the appropriation for World War Memorial Park, East Boston, Bath House, etc.

On January 7, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 6, nays 0, the vote being as follows:

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Walsh—6.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. WALSH moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 6.17½ o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to meet on Monday, January 28, at two o'clock p. m.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Jan. 21, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:50 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Miss Curtis, Messrs. Lane, O'Hare and Scannell.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

Nov. 5, 1923, on page 185, as amended at the meeting of Dec. 17, 1923, on page 217, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Katherine B. Feely as assistant, Shurtleff District, to take effect Dec. 10, 1923, shall read "sixth year."

Nov. 19, 1923, on page 197, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Mary R. Desmond, assistant kindergarten, Dearborn District, shall read to take effect Dec. 10, 1923, instead of "Dec. 4, 1923."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

ACCEPTANCE OF WASHINGTON IRVING SCHOOL.

A communication was received from the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners, under date of Jan. 17, 1924, reporting that that Board has taken over for occupancy the Washington Irving School, Poplar, Florence and Hawthorne Streets, in the Charles Sumner District.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS.

On motion, the Board rescinded its action of December 18, 1922, accepting the resignation of Louise H. Billings, assistant instructor in manual training, Department of Manual Arts, as of December 11, 1922.

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent to take effect on the dates stated were presented:

English High School—Guy A. Senesac, junior master, Jan. 25, 1924.

Dwight District—Esther P. Thumim, instructor, special class, Jan. 18, 1924.

Gilbert Stuart District—Eileen E. Kennally, assistant, Jan. 25, 1924.

Henry Grew District—Blanche L. Donohoe, assistant, Dec. 31, 1923.

Martin District—Gertrude L. Sullivan, assistant, kindergarten, Jan. 29, 1924.

Wendell Phillips District—Marjorie E. Jacobs, assistant, Dec. 3, 1923.

William E. Endicott District—Frances Krinsky, assistant, Dec. 31, 1923.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Edith M. Gushee, assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1923.

Accepted.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS

High School of Practical Arts—Mary O'Connor, industrial department, Jan. 21, 1924.

Franklin District—Evelyn H. Greene, Jan. 17, 1924 (one day).

Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District—Catherine Mahoney, Jan. 8, 1924.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Charlotte Adams, Jan. 21, 1924; Edwin L. Crowley, Jan. 21, 1924.

Horace Mann School—Marjorie M. Norton, Oct. 23, 1923.

Jefferson-Comins District—Mary M. Sullivan, Jan. 7, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Henrietta D. Hickey, Jan. 10, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Annie B. Elms, kindergarten, Jan. 7, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Mechanics Arts High School—Joseph J. Assmus, emergency shop instructor, Jan. 14, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—John S. Kane, sub-master, Jan. 2, 1924.

Placed on file.

Trade School for Girls—Louise C. Warren, student aid, Jan. 2, 1924.

Approved.

REAPPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Charlestown High School—Chesster B. Sevrens, co-operative instructor, Jan. 7, 1924.

English High School—Karl Bell, junior master, Jan. 2, 1924.

High School of Commerce—William J. Murphy, junior master, Jan. 2, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Everett J. McIntosh, emergency assistant instructor, Jan. 23, 1924; Frank A. Hurley, emergency shop instructor, Jan. 26, 1924; George C. Larsson, emergency assistant instructor, Jan. 28, 1924.

Sewing—Anna Magrath, teacher, Jan. 2, 1924; Laura H. Johnston, teacher, Jan. 21, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY NURSE

Department of Medical Inspection—Anna A. Ramsey, school nurse, (vice Alice B. Felton, assigned), Jan. 9, 1924.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Brighton High School—Winifred A. Dowd, assistant (from junior assistant, Charlestown High School) Feb. 5, 1924.

Girls' High School—Helen E. Murphy, assistant (from junior assistant), Feb. 5, 1924.

High School of Practical Arts—Grace F. Johnson, assistant instructor, physical training (from instructor in personal and shop hygiene, Trade School for Girls), Jan. 23, 1924.
Dearborn District—Francis E. Winch, assistant, Feb. 5, 1924.
Laid over.

(By Promotion)

(Principal of an Intermediate District)

Washington Irving Intermediate District—William T. Miller, master (from submaster, Elihu Greenwood District), Jan. 23, 1924.
Laid over.

Director of Modern Foreign Languages (also first assistant, head of department modern foreign languages, Normal School)—Marie A. Solano, Feb. 5, 1924.
Laid over.

High School of Commerce—Charles A. Ranlett, junior master, military drill (from instructor, military drill), Feb. 5, 1924.

Mechanics Arts High School—George M. Morris, master, head of department (from junior master, Dorchester High School), Feb. 5, 1924.

Wells District—Linna E. Clark, first assistant, grammar (from assistant, Dillaway District), Feb. 5, 1924.

Laid over.

(Re-entry into Service.)

Henry Grew District—Margaret B. Beatley, assistant kindergarten (retired from George Putnam District, Mar. 31, 1919), Jan. 2, 1924.

Quincy District—Elizabeth M. Daley, assistant kindergarten (reassigned from Bennett District, Sept. 12, 1919), Jan. 2, 1924.

Laid over.

EVENING SCHOOLS

Term 1923-24

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Blanche M. Baker as assistant lip reading in the Franklin Evening School on Jan. 15 and 17, 1924, (two evenings), is hereby authorized and that she be paid for her services at the rate of four dollars (\$4) per evening.

South Boston Evening Commercial High School—Charles E. Hart, assistant, Jan. 21, 1924.

Rigelow Evening School—Helen F. Cummings, assistant, Jan. 10, 1924, (one evening).

Charles Sumner Evening School—Margaret M. Moore, assistant, Jan. 15, 17, 1924, (two evenings).

Comins Evening School—Cecelia F. Doherty, assistant, Jan. 10, 1924; Marjorie T. Doherty, assistant, Jan. 14, 1924 (one evening); Mary F. Finan, assistant, Jan. 17, 1924 (one evening); Matilda J. Graumann, assistant, Jan. 15, 1924 (one evening); Agnes M. Leavey, assistant, Jan. 14, 1924; Agnes K. Mallard, assistant, Jan. 10, 1924; Mary M. Tierney, assistant, Jan. 17, 1924 (one evening).

Dearborn Evening School—Helen R. Campbell, assistant, Jan. 17, 1924 (one evening); Eileen V. Driscoll, assistant, Jan. 10, 1924; Katherine O'Brien, assistant, Jan. 14, 15, 1924 (two evenings).

Franklin Evening School—Helen F. Cummings, assistant, Jan. 14, 17, 1924 (two evenings).

Frederic W. Lincoln Evening

School—Katherine G. Whyte, assistant, Jan. 7, 10, 1924 (two evenings).

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—W. Francis Mahoney, first assistant, Jan. 3, 1924; Susan L. Fitz, assistant, Jan. 7, 1924; Rose M. McDonough, assistant, Jan. 3, 1924.

Phillips Brooks Evening School—Madeline F. Goodale, assistant, Jan. 14, 1924.

Theodore Lyman Evening School—M. Elizabeth Gay, assistant, Jan. 7, 1924.

Boston Trade School (Evening Classes)—Arlon O. Bacon, assistant, Jan. 3, 1924; Garrett J. P. Flanagan, assistant, Jan. 10, 1924; William J. O'Neil, assistant, Dec. 3, 1923.

Approved.

EXTENDED USE OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Term 1923-24.

Operator—John Merrill, Jan. 21, 1924.

Leaders—Thomas J. Kelly, Frank Kelliher, Margaret O'Reilly, Edith FitzGerald, Jan. 21, 1924.

Gymnasium leader—Albert Kelley, Jan. 21, 1924.

General pianist—Robert Livesey, Jan. 21, 1924.

Helper—Anna Hurley, Feb. 1, 1924.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Isabel Connelly, Mary E. Cyr, Romaine G. Danskin, Alice M. Douse, Florence Fitz, Julia I. Foster, Agnes O'Neil, Agnes V. Peirce, Ellen G. Phillimore, Alliene Robinson, Helen R. Shaughnessy, Mary Shay, Louise Sullivan, Francis P. White.

Approved.

TRANSFERS.

Bigelow District—Edna D. Taylor, assistant, to the same position in the Wendell Phillips District, Feb. 4, 1924.

Charles Sumner District—Joseph I. Whalen, submaster; Bertha L. Palmer, Margaret M. Sullivan, Lillian M. Connors, Mary T. Gallagher, assistants, to the same position in the Washington Irving Intermediate District, Jan. 28, 1924.

Dearborn District—Jessie A. M. Smith, assistant, to the same position in the Elihu Greenwood District, Jan. 23, 1924.

Henry Grew District—Constance McBride, assistant, to the same position in the Gilbert Stuart District, Jan. 28, 1924.

Longfellow District—Elizabeth M. Mann, master's assistant; Katharine M. Copthorne, Mary J. Leonard, Elnora F. Standish, Margaret F. Murphy, assistants, to the same positions in the Washington Irving Intermediate District, Jan. 28, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Mary L. Carey, first assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Lewis Intermediate District, Sept. 1, 1923.

Eliot Evening School—Josephine A. Power, assistant, to the same position in the Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School, Jan. 3, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each

of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Harry Brooks, sub-master in charge, Jan. 3, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Eliot District—Annie E. Regan, assistant, Jan. 14, 1924, one day, wedding.

Hancock District—Marion E. Hines, assistant, Jan. 3, 1924, one day, without pay.

Horace Mann School—Adeline R. Cropper, assistant, Jan. 4, 1924, one day, court summons; Mary C. Gourley, assistant, Jan. 4, 1924, one day, court summons.

Hugh O'Brien District—Clare S. English, first assistant kindergarten, from Jan. 2 to March 31, 1924.

Jefferson-Comins District—Francis A. O'Brien, sub-master, Jan. 7, 1924, one day, court summons.

Martin District—Julia L. Frank, assistant, from Jan. 2 to March 31, 1924.

Mather District—Winifred M. Doyle, assistant, Jan. 18, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Elizabeth F. Sarjeant, assistant, Jan. 14, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Edward J. Carroll, sub-master, Jan. 15, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Phillips Brooks District—Helen M. C. Mullen, assistant, Jan. 18, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Helen A. Murphy, assistant, Jan. 18, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Sarah G. Stowers, assistant, Jan. 9, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

William E. Russell District—Katherine G. Garrity, assistant, Jan. 7, 1924, one day, funeral.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Florence Herbsman, assistant, Jan. 7, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Alice C. Kapples, assistant, Jan. 16, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Ethel S. Fletcher, vocational assistant, Dec. 24 to 31, 1923, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Thomas D. Ginn, vocational instructor, Dec. 24 to 31, 1923, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Bessie MacBride, vocational assistant, Dec. 24 and 26, 1923, two days, without loss of pay (vacation); Eleanor J. O'Brien, vocational assistant, Dec. 24 to 31, 1923, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Mercedes E. O'Brien, vocational assistant, Dec. 24 to 31, 1923, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Margaret M. Sallaway, vocational assistant, Dec. 5, 1923, one-half day, without loss of pay (vacation); Irving O. Scott, vocational instructor, Dec. 17 to 21, 1923, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Abigail D. Steere, vocational assistant, Dec. 24 to 31, 1923, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Henry Wisansky, vocational instructor, Dec. 24 to 31, 1923, five days, without loss of pay (vacation).

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence under a suspension of the rules was granted Louise H. Billings, assistant instructor in manual training, Department of Manual Arts, from Dec. 12, 1922, to Aug. 31, 1923, without pay.

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, reporting the following designations of teachers to serve in the positions indicated, until such time as they shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated:

Hyde District—Ellen J. Brosnahan, assistant, as acting master's assistant, (vice Arvilla T. Harvey, absent on leave), to take effect Jan. 9, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Leone C. Sheen, assistant kindergarten, as acting first assistant kindergarten, (vice Leila A. Flagg, absent on leave), to take effect Jan. 2, 1924.

Placed on file.

ASSIGNMENTS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has reassigned Frederick L. Eames, shop foreman, Department of Manual Arts, to the Hyde Park High School, without change of rank or salary, said reassignment to take effect Sept. 1, 1923, and to continue until Dec. 31, 1923.

Placed on file, and the reassignment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has reassigned Dorothy M. Ellis, junior assistant in the South Boston High School, to teach a foreign language in the Thomas N. Hart District, without change of rank or salary, said reassignment to take effect on Sept. 1, 1923, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1924, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file, and reassignment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has discontinued the assignment of Marie A. Solano, first assistant, head of department, Normal School, to the supervision of foreign language work in intermediate schools and classes and for lectures and instruction to the teachers of foreign languages in intermediate schools and classes, as reported at the meeting of Sept. 27, and Oct. 11, 1917, said discontinuance to take effect Feb. 5, 1924.

Placed on file, and the assignment discontinued from the date stated.

ESTABLISHMENT OF WASHINGTON IRVING INTERMEDIATE DISTRICT.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Washington Irving School be established as the Washington Irving Intermediate District, to take effect Jan. 22, 1924.

AMENDMENTS TO REGULATIONS.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 300. Insert the following as new paragraph 7, and renumber paragraphs 7 to 21 as paragraphs 8 to 22:

7. A director of modern foreign languages, who shall be first assistant, head of department modern foreign languages Normal School.

Laid over.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows.

Section 35), paragraph 1. Insert in the fifth line to immediately precede the word "instructors" the words—senior instructors—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

1. Teachers and other employees shall consist of a principal; heads of divisions; division foremen; shop foremen; shop instructors; trade assistants; helpers; senior instructors; instructors, boys' classes; instructors; assistants; vocational assistants; special instructors; special assistants; clerical assistants and toolkeepers.

Laid over.

SALARY OF SENIOR INSTRUCTOR. CONTINUATION SCHOOL

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the year ending Aug. 31, 1924, the salary of the rank of senior instructor, Continuation School, is hereby established as follows:

Minimum, \$2,124; annual increment, \$120; maximum, \$2,964.

SALARY OF DIRECTOR OF MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Marie A. Solano, director of modern foreign languages (and first assistant, head of department modern foreign languages in the Normal School), is hereby established for the year ending Aug. 31, 1924, as follows:

As first assistant, head of department modern foreign languages in the Normal School, at the rate of \$3132 per annum.

As director of modern foreign languages, at the rate of \$504 per annum.

ESTABLISHMENT OF KINDERGARTENS ON TWO-SESSION BASIS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized in his discretion to establish kindergartens on a two-session basis, the hours of session to conform to the hours of the respective elementary districts.

SALARIES OF TEACHERS OF KINDERGARTENS ESTABLISHED ON TWO-SESSION BASIS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1924, the salaries of kindergarten teachers in two-session kindergartens are hereby established as follows:

First Assistant—Minimum, \$1,728; annual increment, \$96; maximum, \$2,016.

Assistant—Minimum, \$1,176; annual increment, \$96; maximum, \$1,752.

GRANTING OF IV. HIGH SCHOOL CERTIFICATE TO INSTRUCTORS OF MILITARY DRILL WHO ARE COLLEGE GRADUATES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Board of Superintendents is hereby authorized to grant the certificate of qualification IV. High School, limited to service as junior master, military drill, to permanent instructors of military drill now in the service who are college graduates.

SALE OF OLD HEATH STREET SCHOOL ESTATE.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That it is advisable to sell the following-named school property, which is not now required for school purposes, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 259 of the Acts of 1906:

Old Heath Street School-house, Roxbury, land and building.

ANNUAL REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That this Board hereby adopts as its Annual Report for the year 1923-24, the Annual Report of the Superintendent as contained in School Document No. 20, 1923.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO JAN. 1, 1924.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Dec. 31, 1923, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, expenditures and balance for the first eleven drafts of the current financial year, and the expenditures for the corresponding eleven drafts of the financial year 1922-23, with the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

ATTENDANCE OF BUSINESS AGENT AT COMMITTEE MEETING IN TRENTON, N. J.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Business Agent is hereby authorized to attend a conference of the Committee on Uniform Accounting and Terminology of the National Association of Public School Business Officials and a representative of the office of the United States Commissioner of Education at Trenton, New Jersey, during the week ending Jan. 26, 1924, at the expense of the City, not to exceed sixty-five dollars (\$65).

EMPLOYMENT OF TEMPORARY ATTENDANCE OFFICER.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the temporary employment of Austin L. Cannon as temporary attendance officer for service on Saturdays in the market district, at a compensation of five dollars (\$5) per day, is hereby approved, to take effect Jan. 26, 1924, subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service.

REBATE OF CHARGES FOR BOY SCOUT MEETINGS

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the charge for light, heat and custodian service in connection with the occupancy of one room and one corridor in the Christopher Gibson School-house by

boy scout's on Oct. 2, 1923, is hereby abated and the cost thereof is assumed by this Board.

On motion, it was
ORDERED, That the charge for light, heat and custodian service in connection with the occupancy of the assembly hall in the Thomas N. Hart School-house by boy scout's on Oct. 1, 1923, is hereby abated and the cost thereof is assumed by this Board.

RETIREMENT OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, reporting the retirement from active duty of the following-named members of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect Jan. 31, 1924:

John P. Swift, custodian, Oliver Holden School-house.
 William L. Lovejoy, custodian, Charles Sumner School-house.
 Albion Elwell, custodian, William E. Russell School-house.
 Asa C. Hawes, custodian, Gilbert Stuart and Stoughton School-houses.
 Augustus Robinson, custodian, Frederic A. Whitney School-house.
 William P. Griffin, custodian, Bigelow School-house.
 Frank P. Bartlett, custodian, Ellen H. Richards School-house.
 Ewen C. Cameron, custodian, Prescott School-house.
 Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, recommending, with the approval of the Division of Civil Service, the appointment of the following-named persons to the custodianships of the school-houses mentioned, to take effect Jan. 1, 1924:

Walter L. Crowley, Stephen M. Weld School-house.
 John E. Murphy, Austin School-house.
 John F. Mahoney, Sharp School-house.
 Eugene P. Corey, Samuel Dexter School-house.
 Edward M. Sullivan, Winthrop Street School-house and Portables Nos. 55, 211 and 212.
 William J. Maskill, Walnut Street School-house.
 Martin P. Breen, Lowell Mason School-house.
 William J. Gallagher, Oak Square School-house and Portable No. 133.
 Placed on file, and the appointments approved, to take effect on the date stated.

APPOINTMENT TO A PORTABLE.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, recommending that John McCloskey, custodian of the Damon School-house, be also appointed custodian of Portable No. 5, located in the yard of that school, to take effect Dec. 17, 1923.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

TRANSFERS OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer

to the custodianship of the Ellen H. Richards School-house, and recommending that Thomas J. Gibbons, custodian of the Oak Square School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Jan. 18, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Thomas J. Gibbons approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Prescott School-house, and recommending that James J. Tansey, custodian of the Aaron Davis School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 3, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of James J. Tansey approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Commodore Barry School-house, and recommending that Lawrence J. McGovern, custodian of the B. F. Tweed School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 3, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Lawrence J. McGovern approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Christopher Gibson School-house, and recommending that James A. Hanlon, custodian of the Rice School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Jan. 18, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of James A. Hanlon approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Joseph Tuckerman School-house, and recommending that Walter F. Conley, custodian of the Elizabeth Peabody School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 3, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Walter F. Conley approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Charles Sumner School-house, and recommending that William P. Toland, custodian of the Hull School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 3, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of William P. Toland approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Gil-

bert Stuart and Stoughton School-houses and recommending that James E. Norris, custodian of the Ulysses S. Grant School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 3, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of James E. Norris approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 21, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Girls' High School-house, and recommending that Jacob Mayer, custodian of the Roger Wolcott School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 3, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Jacob Mayer approved, to take effect on the date stated.

PETITIONS FOR ADJUSTMENT OF RANKS AND SALARIES.

A communication was received from the Boston Trade School Teachers Association, under date of Jan. 17, 1924, requesting a readjustment of the ranks and salaries of the teachers in the Boston Trade School, and setting forth in detail the reasons for these requests.

Laid over.

A petition was received from a Committee of Intermediate School Teachers requesting an elimination of the pronounced gap between the salaries of teachers in high schools and those in the intermediate schools, and setting forth in detail the reasons for this request.

Laid over.

INCLUSION OF PAINTING AND DECORATING AMONG TRADES TAUGHT IN THE SCHOOLS.

A communication was received from the Society of Master House Painters and Decorators of Massachusetts, under date of Jan. 11, 1924, reporting that at the annual convention of the Society it was voted to call attention to the urgent need of more trade instruction in the building trades in the schools of the state, especially in the trade of painting and decorating.

Referred to the Board of Superintendents for consideration and report.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

THORNTON D. APOLLONIO,
 Secretary.

INCORPORATION OF BOSTON.

Boston was incorporated as a city February 23, 1822, this being the date when the Act of incorporation was passed by the Legislature. On March 4 following, the voters of Boston accepted said Act, viz., Chap. 110, 1821-22, as its first City Charter by a majority of 1916 in a total vote of 4,678. Ten futile attempts had previously been made to incorporate as a city, viz., in 1650, 1659, 1667, 1708, 1744, 1762, 1784, 1791, 1804 and 1815. Revised charter adopted in 1854. Charter again revised in 1885 and amended in 1909.

ABSENTEE VOTING AT STATE ELECTIONS.

By Chapter 289, General Acts of 1919, any registered voter absent from home at election time may vote by mailing an "official absent voting ballot" previously applied for and obtained from the Election Commissioners, to the latter so as to be received before the polls close. Said ballot must be marked by the voter privately but within the observation of an official authorized to administer oaths, and of no other person, in a municipality which is separated by at least two municipalities from that in which he is registered. The voter must make affidavit before said official, enclose ballot in official envelope and mail same on or before day of election.

Of 868 Absentee ballots mailed to Election Dept., on or before Nov. 2, 1920, 570 were counted, 10 were rejected and 288 were uncounted because not received until after closing of polls.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals to erect and complete an elementary school, Edmund P. Tileston District, Walk Hill street, Mattapan, Boston, giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Board therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, 1007 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, February 15, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$7,500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(Feb. 2.)

READVERTISEMENT

TIME EXTENDED ONE WEEK FROM
FEBRUARY 6 TO FEBRUARY 13.

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for the complete installation of a plumbing system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue, Ward 7, Boston, according to plans and specifications, and giving a bond of a surety company therefore, satisfactory to the Commissioner, in the sum of \$3,000. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, February 13, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, and marked "Proposal for Plumbing System in the Signal Apparatus Building in the Fenway, Ward 7." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above; the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time of the opening of the bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest. A deposit of \$10 will be required for a set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

(Feb. 2.)

READVERTISEMENT.

TIME EXTENDED ONE WEEK FROM
FEBRUARY 6 TO FEBRUARY 13.

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for the complete installation of a heating and ventilating system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue, Ward 7, Boston, according to plans and specifications, and giving a bond of a surety company therefore, satisfactory to the Commissioner, in the sum of \$7,500. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, February 13, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, and marked "Proposal for Signal Apparatus Building in the Fenway, Ward 7." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above; the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time of the opening of the bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest. A deposit of \$10 will be required for a set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

(Feb. 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

AUCTION SALE.

By order of the Commissioner of Public Works and approved by his Honor the Mayor, I will sell upon the premises at Milton avenue, Hyde Park, near Milton line, on Thursday, February 7, 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, one storage tank of 500,000 gallons' capacity. Terms, cash at time of sale.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
28 School Street, Boston.

(Feb. 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAUNDRY WORK.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites proposals for the laundering of the linen of the Boston Fire Department, consisting of sheets, pillow slips, towels, bed spreads, etc., commonly known as "flat work," and blankets, both single and double. The linen, blankets, etc., to be called for and delivered one day each week at the various fire stations of the Boston Fire Department. Samples of the linen, etc., may be seen at Fire Department headquarters, Bristol street, Boston. The amount of work to be done amounts to approximately eleven thousand five hundred (11,500) pieces each month. Proposals will be received at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston, until 12 m., February 5, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be sealed and marked "Proposals for Laundry Work," and must be made in duplicate, one to be deposited with the City Auditor at City Hall previous to the time stated for the opening of the bids; the other, containing a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, made payable to the City of Boston, is to be deposited at the office of the Fire Commissioner; said check is to be the property of the city if the accepted proposal is not carried out. A bond of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts will be required for the faithful performance of the contract by the successful bidder in the sum of \$1,500. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as he deems best.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

(Feb. 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE
CITY OF BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Broadway, Boston proper, as a highway, between Albany street and Lehigh street, southeasterly side, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of February 12, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(Feb. 2-9.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CONTRACTORS FOR HARDWARE.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required or necessary for the complete equipment of the elementary school, Bennett District, Strathmore road and Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, February 12, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(Feb. 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR CAST-IRON WATER PIPE AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing:

100 tons 3-inch pipe,
100 tons 4-inch pipe,
in 6 foot lengths,

according to the specifications and contract, a copy of which may be seen at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, 801 City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The bid, with a certified check for \$400, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before Tuesday, February 12, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(Feb. 2.)

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, January 28, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President LANE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Hagan.

DANIEL WEBSTER SQUARE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 28, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith for your consideration an order naming the open space at the junction of Summer, High and South streets, Daniel Webster square.

The house of Daniel Webster stood at the corner of Summer and High streets and is designated by a tablet, and it would seem appropriate that the square should bear his name.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the open space at the junction of Summer, High and South streets be named and hereafter known as Daniel Webster square.
Referred to the Executive Committee.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN SQUARE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 22, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith order providing for a change in the name of a portion of Park square and trust as a fitting tribute to America's greatest citizen, whose memory has been there perpetuated in enduring bronze with an emancipation statue, that the square be named Abraham Lincoln square.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That that portion of the open space, known as Park square, included within the northerly line of Eliot street extended and the southerly line of Providence street extended, and containing the emancipation statue, be named and hereafter known as Abraham Lincoln square.
Referred to the Executive Committee.

PAYMENT FOR ICE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 28, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, requesting an additional appropriation of \$210.63 to provide for the payment of outstanding bills for furnishing ice for drinking fountains, and respectfully recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
January 7, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:
I respectfully recommend that the sum of \$210.63 be transferred from the Reserve Fund to the appropriation for furnishing ice for drinking fountains.

The original appropriation for this work was \$5,000, which will be exceeded by \$210.63 when certain outstanding bills are paid.

Yours respectfully,
J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be authorized to expend an additional sum, not exceeding \$210.63, for the purpose of furnishing ice for the public drinking fountains during the present season, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

HOMES, CITY OF MILWAUKEE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 28, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith communication from City Planning Board, with data, in reply to the order passed by your honorable body requesting an investigation as to what the city of Milwaukee has done in the matter of providing homes for persons of modest means, which is self explanatory.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
City Planning Board, January 25, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:
Dear Sir,—The City Planning Board returns herewith order passed by the City Council under date of December 31, 1923, i. e.:

"Ordered, That the City Planning Board, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to investigate what the city of Milwaukee has done to provide homes for those of modest means and report to the Mayor and the City Council whether some such plan as in effect in Milwaukee might not be used in Boston,"

and begs leave to submit at the same time a statement of its findings in the matter.

The Wisconsin Legislature in 1919 enacted a law permitting cities and counties of that state to purchase preferred stock in copartnership housing companies. The Garden Homes Company was accordingly organized in 1920, and the Common Council of the city of Milwaukee and the appropriate authorities of the county each voted to invest \$50,000 in the enterprise. Upwards of one hundred houses have been built at the present time, each house containing five or six rooms, representing an approximate total cost, land and buildings, of from \$4,300 to \$4,700 and involving a monthly payment on the part of the occupants of from \$44.50 to \$51 per month.

A statement in some detail with regard to the procedure and the method of financing the Milwaukee project is attached to this report. (Appendix A.)

In an opinion handed down by the Corporation Counsel in this matter (a copy of it is herewith submitted, Appendix B) certain facts are clearly established, i. e.:

I. That present constitutional provisions confer upon the Commonwealth specifically the privilege of "providing homes for citizens" (Article 43) except "during times of war, public exigency, emergency or distress" when the providing of shelter is declared to be a public function and therefore capable of being exercised by the cities and towns throughout the Commonwealth. (Article 47.)

II. That the City of Boston could not be authorized under the present constitutional provisions to appropriate money raised by taxation to be invested in such a project as the Milwaukee plan of providing homes for those of modest means.

The City Planning Board has no means of passing upon the ultimate success or failure of the Milwaukee project, but so far as the City of Boston is concerned, the further consideration of any scheme which cannot be granted the necessary legal authority under the provisions of the constitution of the Commonwealth would appear to be fruitless.

Respectfully submitted,
THE CITY PLANNING BOARD,
FREDERIC H. FAY,
Chairman.

Placed on file.

POWER STATION, PARKER HILL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 26, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith report of the Fire Commissioner, the same being an answer to interrogatories contained in the order of the City Council adopted under date of January 7, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Fire Department, January 21, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—In accordance with the attached order, namely:

"That the Fire Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to report to the City Council as to the advisability of establishing a power station in the vicinity of Parker Hill for the purpose of increasing the water pressure on Parker Hill.

In City Council, January 7, 1924. Passed."

I submit the following report:

I have had tests made on the various hydrants at the highest grades of approach on the top of the hill, namely, opposite the Elks' Hospital on Parker Hill with the following results:

	Pounds.
Huntington avenue and Parker Hill avenue,	
foot of Parker Hill avenue.....	65
Parker Hill avenue and Hillside street.....	82
Parker Hill avenue and Parker Hill terrace.....	65
Parker Hill avenue, opposite Brigham Hospital,	20
Parker Hill avenue, opposite Elks' Hospital....	15
Sachem street, opposite No. 66, which is about	
a 7 per cent grade, hydrant being about 200	
feet from the corner of Parker Hill avenue....	48

It may be readily seen that there is an adequate flow of water on the hill under normal conditions, as these pressures were taken between ten and twelve a. m., which would mean that there would be an increased pressure on all the hydrants in that vicinity during the night.

As to the advisability of establishing a pumping station on this hill, it would appear to me to be quite an unnecessary and costly scheme, would require constant maintenance, employing at least four men for a twenty-four hour day.

In response to an alarm of fire on this hill we send three pumps having a test capacity of 750 gallons, each of these being sufficient to work at least two lines of ordinary length, 300 feet of 250 gallons each.

To solve this problem I would suggest that an equalizer be installed, such as we have on the Bellevue section, and which answers all purposes for this hill, and would provide at all times water in sufficient quantities for fire and domestic purposes. It could be very easily operated from the pumping stations that we have now in service through a line of mains which would be connected up for the supply as against the demand.

The fact that the test shows fifteen pounds on one hydrant means nothing to be alarmed over as we develop the pressure from that fifteen pounds, with sufficient quantity, to any desired pressure, within the scope of the pump, meaning that we can get three hundred pounds from the pump and it will show only fifteen pounds at the hydrant.

Yours very truly,
THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Robert Bowser, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect corner of Deerfield street and Bay State road.

Abraham Broad, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 124 Bedford street.
Joseph M. Burrows, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Columbus avenue.

Michael Ceveney, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Linden Park street.
Anna L. Connors, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Chestnut Hill avenue.

C. Stephen Delaney, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Norfolk street.

Dorchester Coal Company, for compensation for injury to horse caused by an alleged defect in Dorchester avenue.

Simon S. Duff, for compensation for damage to car by team of the Sanitary Division.

William B. James et al., trustees, for compensation for damage to property, 779 Dudley street while police officer was making an arrest.

Charles Kile, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 972 Tremont street.

Chester W. Kingsley, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Columbus avenue.

William Levine, to be repaid taxes alleged to have been paid by mistake on property at 115 Bolton street.

Patrick Mahoney, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Washington street.

Edward A. Malone, for compensation for damage to property at 12 Brewer street in putting in water meter.

Teodoro Muollo, for compensation for damage to property 9 and 11 Stillman street by use of adjoining playground.

Audrey E. Murphy, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Blackmore Street Bridge.

Margaret E. Shea, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Broadway at F street.

COUNTY ACCOUNTS.

Communications were received, viz.:

Chief Justice of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston for salary increases for probation officers.

Justice of the Brighton Municipal Court for increase for probation officer.

Referred to the Committee on County Accounts.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Civil Service Commission of approval of appointment of John H. L. Noyes as Street Commissioner.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearing on February 4 on petition of John H. McDonald for storage and sale of gasoline at 319 Stuart street, Ward 7.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CLERK HIRE.

The Register of Deeds, in accordance with law, submitted a pay roll certifying that certain persons had been employed in his office and that

work had been performed from December 15, 1923, to January 1, 1924, to the amount of \$11,539.11.

Approved and ordered paid.

CLAIMS.

Coun. HEALEY, for the Committee on Claims, submitted a report on various petitions for compensation for personal injuries, damage to property, etc.—recommending that the petitioners be given leave to withdraw (the same action being recommended by the Law Department), viz.:

Giusseppe Giovino, property damage, 9 Chelsea street, East Boston.

C. T. Guething, damage to automobile by truck of Public Works Department.

Goldstein & Cooperstein, damage to truck by cart of Street Cleaning Service.

Abraham Gillman, for damage to truck by city team of Sanitary Service.

Claire Keeley, 73 Baxter street, for injuries caused by a fall at 97 Baxter street.

Kramer & Co., for fender damaged by a city team.

Nathan Kroll, for damage to touring car by city truck No. B47340 on Green street, Jamaica Plain.

Thomas T. Killen, for damage to car by City of Boston truck No. B46999.

Daniel P. Kelley, for damage to automobile by cart of Street Cleaning Service.

Minnie Krutter, for injuries caused by fall on railroad bridge on Harrison avenue, near Motte street.

Arthur W. Kallom, for damage to automobile by collision with city cart of the Paving Service.

Mrs. Edward T. Kimball, for damage to automobile by city team on Green street, near Lynde street.

Isaac Krasnick, for cover of ash barrel broken by city employee at 6 Acton street.

Nathan Kroll, for damage to car by city truck No. 47340 of the Paving Service.

Daniel Lordan, for damage to fence at 9 Hendry street broken by firemen.

Nathaniel W. Ladd, for coal hole cover broken by alleged negligence of city employees.

Joseph J. Leonard, for damages at 3 Goldsmith place by team of Sanitary Service.

Lamont Brothers, for plate glass window at 418 Adams street broken by city ashcart.

Mrs. W. Lightbown, for damage to coat torn on street-cleaner's pushcart at corner Washington and State streets.

Ethel Laws, for damage to shoes and injuries caused by hole in sidewalk at 765 Washington street.

J. P. Landers, for damage to automobile by city team from Hancock street yard, on Adams street.

A. Levine, for damage to property by city wagon at 96 Leverett street.

Adele Libertio, for injuries caused by a fall at 37 and 39 Merchants row.

Nellie Long, for injuries caused by falling on ice in yard of Blackstone School.

Abraham P. Leven, for damage to house at 4 Southwood street.

Gertrude Lotto, for injuries caused by defect in highway at 2750 Washington street.

Gertrude A. Levy, for injuries caused by a fall on Munroe street.

Louis Levine, to be guaranteed against expense on account of alleged error in statement of municipal liens.

J. S. Lovering, for damage to vehicle by fire apparatus.

Joseph LaRosa, for injuries from a water cart owned by city.

Mrs. A. Largey, for injuries caused by a fall on Dorchester street.

Caroline J. Little, for injuries received from a fall on Paul Gore street, near Beecher street.

Milton Lewenberg, for damage to automobile by wagon No. 1041 of Public Works Department.

John Logue, for damage to overcoat torn on wire projecting from automobile of Public Works Department.

Nettie LaCourt, for damages at 323 Maverick street caused by a defective sewer.

Charles M. Lyons, for damage to his car by sanitary wagon No. 805, on Atlantic avenue.

John J. Lucas, for metal ash can at 35 Langdon street broken by city ash collector.

Massachusetts Plate Glass Insurance Company, for window at 265 Purchase street broken by paving truck No. 14.

John S. Mitchell, for injuries received at Dorchester High School.

Mrs. Bertha Maguire, for damages by a city team at 74 Montgomery street.

Hugh W. J. McLaughlin, for window at 401 Charles street broken by ball batted from Charlesbank Gymnasium.

Charles M. Merritt, for damage to automobile by city sanitary wagon No. 1004.

James A. MacRae, to be paid \$74 claimed to be due him while employed in the Transit Department from April 1 to June 2, 1922.

Mellen's Food Company, for injury to horse caused by open manhole at 41 Central Wharf.

A. N. Maddison, assistant treasurer, to be paid for Hyatt light on sidewalk on Kilby street side of Exchange Building broken by street watering cart.

M. Mendelsohn, for damage to automobile by city team No. 1023.

Lawrence McGovern, for injuries caused by defective plank in sidewalk at 34 and 36 Cherokee street.

Manning, Maxwell & Moore, for damage to truck by city car.

Edward C. Mailloux, for injuries and for damage to truck due to defect in Brookline avenue.

Mary E. McGillicuddy, for injuries caused by defect in highway in front of Station 14.

Joseph Mazzarie, for damages caused by a defective sewer.

Mary E. Macdonough, for damage to house at 6 North Mead street by men collecting ashes.

Margaret A. Maher, for light of glass to basement door at 76 Dunster road broken by city ash collector.

James T. Maguire, for damage to automobile by city team at corner of North Bennet and Hanover streets.

Giuseppe Marino, for refund of fee for license at 29 and 31 Green street which he has never used.

Mrs. Mary E. McGuire, for damages at 226 Bowen street during the police strike.

Mahoney Trucking Company, for refund of amount paid for water bills at 229 Milk street.

Dr. E. C. Merchant, for refund of bill for water at 129 Warwick street.

Edward F. Mitchell, for suit of clothes ruined while working in Sewer Service.

H. D. Morris, for damage to automobile by team No. 1034 of Public Works Department.

J. C. Murphy, for damages at 27 and 29 M street caused by ballplaying at playground at First and M streets.

Margaret E. Mulligan, for damages on account of defect in highway at 668 Centre street.

D. H. Miner, for damage to property at 6 Gannett street by overflow of water.

Ida F. Melvin, for damage to car by patrol wagon.

William F. Mack, for property lost at Franklin Park check room.

Mary C. Menes, for damage by surface water at 4 Otisfield street.

Prospero Marino, for barber sign at 212 Atlantic avenue damaged by cart of Sanitary Service.

A. F. Kennedy, for damage to car by team No. 704 of Street Cleaning Service.

Michael J. Jannini, for damage to automobile by city dump cart.

Elof G. Johnson, for money taken from him while a patient at City Hospital.

Arthur S. Johnson, for damage to automobile by city team No. 358.

Johns-Manville, Inc., for damage to a plate glass window.

W. Jackson, for two panes of glass at 839 Washington street, broken by city garbage team.

Lena Hanlon, for damages on account of shutting off water at 68 Carver street.

Frances Hayes for damages at 11 Eaton street by fire apparatus running into fence.

Haymarket Tire Company, for damage to property at 4 Canal street.

Robert Hottelmann, for injuries caused by ill treatment by a policeman.

Eva A. Haynes, for suit case containing fresh eggs taken from 30 Brook avenue by ashmen.

Anna Hendrickson, for shoes damaged by wire in sidewalk on Buttonwood street.

Esther O. Hedberg, for damage to coat by a pushcart parked on sidewalk on East street.

Arthur T. Hughes, for damage to automobile by city cart No. 827.

Julius Herzberg, for injuries due to a fall on icy sidewalk at 142 Blackstone street.

T. J. Gayer, for damage to truck by city ash cart No. 870.

Mary L. Garvey, for injuries caused by fall on sidewalk at Orient Heights Station.

Charles Georgaklis, for window at 422 Adams street broken by city ash cart.

Abraham Gross, for damage to truck by city ash team.

Carmelo Guarnera and Vincenzo Visconti for damages to their estates caused by poor drainage.

George Gilboy, for damage to car by a city team on West Canton street.

Joseph J. Galvin, for damage to automobile by city team No. 21.

William and Augusta Flock, for fire damage due to defective hydrant at 224 Smith street.

Johanna Fowler, for injuries caused by defect in sidewalk at corner Washington and Madison streets.

Catherine Finn, for injuries caused by fall on icy sidewalk on Allston street.

F. & W. Lighting Company for damages at 60 Merrimac street caused by a broken hydrant in Bowdoin street.

Frank Forziati, for damages at 107 Bennington street by a defective water pipe.

Mary J. Towle, for amount paid for repairs on drain damaged by roots of tree at 15 Conway street.

Samuel Fudim, for damage to automobile by city garbage team on Church street.

Joseph Fulgoni, for injuries caused by being bitten by city horse on Mt. Vernon street.

Simon Fruman, for damage to wagon and harness by fire apparatus on passageway off Hanover street.

Edward C. Felton, for damage to automobile by team of Paving Service.

George Fleming for damage to automobile by baseball thrown from Gibson Street Playground.

Samuel Gordon, for damage to property at 134 Brighton street by defective sewer.

Sarah Gallagher, for injuries caused by a fall due to hole in sidewalk on Carson street.

Mrs. Flora Geller, for injuries caused by defect at corner of Washington and School streets.

Charlotte Gormley, for claim on account of defect in highway at 526A Dudley street.

F. H. Grady, for damage to automobile by city team No. 1018.

Julia Gorham, for garbage can at 15 Sumner street broken by garbage collector.

William A. Gaston, for collapse of boilers at 11 Estrella street caused by shutting off water.

Report accepted; petitioners given leave to withdraw.

NATIONAL BANK TAX CASE.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to ask Attorney John A. Sullivan to prepare for the City Council of Boston a report on the history of the National Bank tax case, and if reasonably convenient, a comparison with the results arrived at by the city of New York in a similar case.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CITY OF BOSTON INCOME.

Coun. HEALY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to ask the City Auditor to prepare for the City Council a brief on the corporation tax of Massachusetts law as it affects the income of the City of Boston with such suggestions as will tend to stabilize the estimated annual returns to the city from the state.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

REDUCTION OF ELECTRICITY PRICE.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That the Law Department, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to furnish the Council in writing a statement of the present status of the city's petition for a reduction in the present price of electricity.

The question came on the second reading of the order.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I have waited almost two years for something tangible in the way of a reduction in the price of electricity by the Edison Company, asked for in a petition presented by the City of Boston to the Public Utilities Commission, as I said a moment ago, almost two years back. The City of Boston has contributed, through his Honor the Mayor and this body, a sum rising \$100,000 to prosecute the petition, and today we are in about the same condition that we were, so far as I know, when we first started the petition here for a reduction in rates. It is true that the Edison Company has reduced the price of electricity for lighting purposes half a cent per kilowatt, voluntarily, that reduction taking place during the first part of the hearing before that Board. They did it, I presume, in their clever way, to attempt to discount the city's attempt to have lower rates. But the city did not fall for their scheme, and then Mayor Peters and later Mayor Curley, together with the Councils of those years, continued to keep the matter alive. In fact, I spoke, I believe, at every meeting for eight or nine weeks, attempting to focus the public mind upon the conduct of this gigantic monopoly, and I think that worried them. I have remained silent on this subject for nearly two years, having no desire to bring down possible failure upon those who are representing the city before the Public Utilities Commission because of anything I might say. I judge now that by omission I have not helped the cause any, because we have spent \$100,000 and we will have to spend more. That cannot stop now. The Edison Company's plan always is, and it is true of all great, powerful, public utilities and other great corporations which enjoy rights granted them by the Legislature or by city governments in the nature of a monopoly, to procrastinate, delay, and put every obstacle in the way of those who are prosecuting anything that will benefit the taxpayers. They hire the highest priced experts. They buy up experts who are possibly going to be retained by the city or state, and in every way attempt to interfere with the prosecution by those who attempt to get a reduction in the price of the commodity that they have a monopoly in selling. I don't know whether all of the blame can be placed on the shoulders of the Public Utilities Commission at the State House or on the Edison Company and its employees. It may be that there is blame which should be placed in other localities. I exempt the Mayor of Boston absolutely from my suggestion that others may be responsible, and I know that this body is immune from any such criticism. But it may be properly applied in other places. I will be told, I presume, later that Arthur Dehon Hill, for whom I have great respect, who was Corporation Counsel of the city under Mayor Peters and who through my intercession in part was continued as the city's law representative in the prosecution of the attempt to get lower rates from the Edison Company when he left the office of Corporation Counsel, has been busy in other directions. I interceded for him, not that he asked me to do so, but I believed he had the matter in hand and that he should continue the work, and Mayor Curley in his magnanimous way agreed to continue with Mr. Hill and has agreed to let him have all the money he wishes in reason to conduct the case in a proper way. You may say perhaps that Mr. Hill is delayed in outside

matters. Undoubtedly at present he is so delayed. But this petition looking for lower rates interests every individual in Boston, not only those who use electricity for commercial purposes, but those who use it for lighting purposes and those who do not use it, the reason why those who do not use it are directly interested being that they do have this interest, that where they purchase something from a manufacturing plant or a store, or where they ride on trolley cars where juice enters into the carrying on of the business, the price of electricity does enter into the price of the article or of the service they get. It enters into every item of fuel, food, raiment, housing, electric lighting, electric heating and electric power, and therefore interests every individual in Boston. Everyone desires a reduction except those who are getting great profits from this monopoly. We are helpless. The Legislature makes it a point to take away home rule from cities and towns, to take it away from the great City of Boston, the capital city of New England, and place it in the hands of those who have the right to control this great monopoly, permitting them to so arrange their business under license from the Public Utilities Commission as to extend their lines into other states, thereby prohibiting us in Boston from in any way having any say concerning this great commodity. They are now going to interchange all power with a New York lighting corporation. When the Edison Company and the New England Power Company—and they are all one—have a surplus of juice, and there is not enough juice in New York, the interchange will go that way, under agreement, whereby they will be supplied from here, and *vice versa* another time, taking it to New England from there. There is such an absolute monopoly that I doubt even though the people of Massachusetts arose as one man and demanded public regulation of this great monopoly, they could accomplish much. They would be handicapped because of connections with Rhode Island and New York. There is already a great connection, I believe, or a plan for a great connection through Fall River, with Rhode Island. And so I am anxious, as the public are anxious, to see something tangible in the way of the making of progress in our effort to reduce the rates. There is no hope from a plea on Beacon Hill, not a particle. There is some hope from this body here and similar bodies in other cities and towns in New England. But they are helpless, absolutely helpless. I do want to say, as one member of this body, that I am willing to go the limit in the matter of appropriating money, so far as the City Council may do so, for our Law Department to prosecute this case to the end, provided I am satisfied that there is a genuine attempt made to bring about a successful contest. I won't say that I have my doubts about it now, but I might say, in my usual way, that I am suspicious, which I presume carries with it the implication that I am in doubt about it. But I do want some information, and not oral information of which no record is made. I want some information in writing from the Law Department, and they in turn should get something in writing from the special counsel and from others who are prosecuting this case for us. Mr. Hill is now engaged in a criminal prosecution, stirring up the filth and mud that the people are heartily sick of. It has been polluting the minds of the youth, as a result of the cases they are prosecuting. I have no interest in the matter, I don't care what they do; I simply want justice to prevail. If there are guilty men on trial, they should suffer, regardless of their influence, whether in Washington, where they are stealing oil franchises, or in Boston, where they have perhaps done things equally bad but on a minor scale. I sincerely trust that these words of mine, rather lengthy but spoken without heat, in all seriousness, will bring about some activity in the matter of giving to Boston citizens a reduction in the price of a product that enters into our very existence, Mr. President, I ask for a suspension of the rule in order that the order may go upon its passage at this time.

The rule was suspended and the order was given its second reading and passed.

GAS AND ELECTRICITY CONTRACT.

Coun. WATSON offered and order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to furnish the Council such data as he may have, or will have, later, relative to the contemplated contract for gas and electricity.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I realize that we are rather early in the matter of the electric lighting contracts here, but the gas contract, I believe, is being considered or will be considered shortly, and I think the earlier we get data on these things the better. I was present when the last contract was signed, and I had the wool pulled over my eyes. This is a matter upon which I would like a little more light.

The order was passed.

PAYMENT TO MATTHEW C. REGAN.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following: Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors the enactment of legislation to authorize the city to pay a sum of money to Matthew C. Regan for injuries received while employed in the Park Department.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

LEGISLATION FAVORING JOHN CURRAN.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors the enactment of legislation to authorize the city to pay a sum of money to John Curran, a former employee of the city, who was injured in the course of his employment.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

JOHNSON IMMIGRATION BILL.

Coun. HEALEY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston, Mass., views with disfavor the provisions contained in the Johnson immigration bill, so called, now pending before Congress, relative to the adoption of the figures of the 1890 census, as the basis for the computation of the newly proposed quota for immigrants.

Whatever policy is to be adopted with reference to immigration must be one which should equitably affect all of our American citizenship as it is constituted today.

This provision tends to give official sanction to national and racial prejudices, as well as to put the stigma of inferiority upon many elements of our American citizenship, whose loyalty has been tested in the furnace of war, and who have always contributed their full share towards the maintenance and preservation of our American democracy; and

Ordered, That copies of this order be sent by the City Clerk to the Massachusetts senators and representatives in Congress.

Later in the session, the resolution was withdrawn, on motion of Coun. HEALEY, as the Mayor had sent a message and resolution to the Council on the subject.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

President LANE called up unfinished business, No. 1, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, January 21, 1924, viz.:

1. Edward F. Murphy, to be a Constable. The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Moriarty and Watson. Whole number of ballots cast 7, yeas 5, nays 2, and the appointment was confirmed.

President LANE called up unfinished business, Nos. 2 and 3, viz.:

2. Edward W. Pierce, Jr., Alice A. Smith and Theodore H. Tufts, to be Weighers of Coal.

3. Albert E. Chadbourne, to be a Weigher of Goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Moriarty and Watson. Whole number of ballots cast 5, yeas 5, nays 0, and the appointments were confirmed.

TRANSFER FOR FERRY IMPROVEMENTS.

President LANE called up unfinished business, No. 4, viz.:

4. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Ashfield Street Bridge, Reconstruction, \$7,293.34; Beacon Street Bridge, Rebuilding, \$10,000; Hyde Park Avenue Bridge, \$5,000, to the appropriation for East Boston Ferry, Improvements, etc., \$22,293.34.

On January 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

TRANSFER FOR HIGHWAYS, MAKING OF.

President LANE called up unfinished business, No. 5, viz.:

5. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Province Street Building Line, \$248,250, to the appropriation for Highways, Making of, \$248,250.

On January 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

APPROPRIATION FOR CITY GARAGE.

President LANE called up unfinished business, No. 6, viz.:

6. Ordered, That an additional sum of \$25,000 be and hereby is appropriated for garage, Albany street, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On January 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

PLAYGROUND NEAR JEFFERSON SCHOOL.

President LANE called up unfinished business, No. 7, viz.:

7. Ordered, That the sum of \$85,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the Park Commission for a playground adjoining the Jefferson School, Roxbury, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount for said purposes.

On January 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The order was referred to the Executive Committee, on motion of Coun. MORIARTY.

SALE OF CITY LAND, CHARLESTOWN.

The Council voted, on motion of President LANE, to take No. 8 from the table, viz.:

8. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$20,300 a parcel of land on Alford street, Charlestown district, corner of Dexter street, containing 67,671 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On December 17, 1923, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The question came on the second and final passage of the order.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I desire to say that I had this matter held up pending the solution of the Ford matter in Charlestown. But the people of Charlestown feel that that has gone by the board now, and in talking with representatives and public men over there they say that are perfectly satisfied to have No. 8 go through.

The order was given its second and final reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 2.51 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 5.50 o'clock p. m.

ACTION CONCERNING IMMIGRATION BILL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, January 23, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The adoption of the amendment presented by Congressman Johnson to the immigration bill now pending before Congress is so thoroughly un-American and would work such great hardship to so many people, that for the best interests of the present population in America and posterity it should be rejected.

Conditions obtaining in Southern Europe prior to 1890 made it more desirable for the inhabitants to remain in the land of their birth. As a consequence of this condition the immigration from Italy, Greece, Portugal and other countries in that part of Europe has been so limited that an amendment to the immigration law basing the admission quota on the 1890 census, would constitute an absolute prohibition on immigration from these countries. The tremendous immigration that has taken place since 1890 has been largely based on the natural desire for improvement in condition in life. It represents not only a laudable but a most commendatory course of action on the part of these people. They have contributed to the life of America all the splendid traditions and attainments of their home lands, and a restriction such as is proposed in the Johnson immigration bill would result in an immeasurable hardship to a great element of liberty-loving and law-abiding women and men.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Whereas, The Congress of the United States has under consideration the adoption of amendments to the immigration law, and

Whereas, It is proposed in one of the said amendments presented by Congressman Johnson that the census of 1890 be adopted as the basis for computing immigration quotas, and

Whereas, The adoption of this basis would tend to the development of racial prejudices and stigmatize as inferiors immigrants from southern Europe, be it and it is hereby

Resolved, That in the opinion of the City Council of Boston that any amendment adopted to existing immigration laws should have as its basis a due and proper consideration for all people seeking a home in the United States, and, be it further

Resolved, That the people of Boston through the City Council of Boston hereby records its

disapproval by Congress of the Johnson Immigration Bill and, be it further

Resolved, That in the opinion of the City Council of Boston the best interests of America warrant the rejection of this measure by Congress, and, be it further

Resolved, That copies of this order be sent by the City Clerk to the Massachusetts senators and representatives in the National House of Congress. The preambles and resolves were passed.

COUNTY ACCOUNTS.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on County Accounts, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on communication from the chief justice of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston (referred today) concerning salaries of probation officers—recommending the passage of the following:

Ordered, That the salaries of the first assistant chief probation officer, determined by the chief justice of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston, be and the same is hereby approved at the rate of \$3,000 per year; and that the first assistant chief female probation officer, at the rate of \$2,600 per year; second deputy probation officers (two) at the rate of \$2,300 per year; seven probation officers, female, at the rate of \$2,300 per year.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 6, nays 1, the vote being as follows:

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Walsh, Watson—6.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue—1.

2. Report on communication from justice of the Brighton Municipal Court (referred today) concerning salary of probation officer—recommending the passage of the following:

Ordered, That the salary of Edward J. Drummond, probation officer of the Brighton Municipal Court, determined by the justice of said court at the rate of \$2,200 per year, be and the same is hereby approved, to date from February 1, 1924.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 5, nays 1, the vote being as follows:

Yeas—Coun. Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Walsh, Watson—5.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue—1.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WATSON, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on communication from Street Commissioners (referred today) for hearing on petition of John M. McDonald for storage and sale of gasoline—that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; communication placed on file.

2. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) naming the junction of Summer, High and South streets Daniel Webster square—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

3. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) naming a portion of Park square Abraham Lincoln square—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

4. Report on order (referred January 21) asking for information from the Assessing Department as to abatements, etc.—that no further action is necessary.

Report accepted;

5. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for transfer of \$210.63 for public drinking fountains—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 6, nays.

TAKING OF LAND, POLICE HEADQUARTERS.

Coun. HEALEY offered the following:

Whereas, the City of Boston has added to the unearned increment on certain land held by the Park Square Real Estate Trust by the widening and extension of Stuart street at an expense of \$2,600,000; by the extension of Arlington street at an expense of \$636,000; by the construction of exits and entrances at Arlington and Boylston streets for Boston Elevated Railway service at an expense of \$1,200,000; and

Whereas, said certain land was assessed at \$15 a square foot in 1922, and was reduced to \$13 a square foot in 1923 at the request of the Park Square Real Estate Trust; and

Whereas, said land was taken by the Street Commissioners at \$22 a square foot for a police headquarters, its real estate expert having advised said commissioners that the value of the land was at least \$30 a square foot; be it

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston is of the opinion that the request of the Park Square Real Estate Trust for an abatement of taxes on said land was not justified and did not reflect a high standard of citizenship, and be it further

Resolved, That the City Council is of the opinion that a closer co-ordination of the Assessing and Street Laying-Out Department should have taken place in the taking of said land for a Police Headquarters.

Coun. WATSON offered the following as a substitute:

Resolved, That the City Council feels that the Finance Commission is properly subject to criticism for failure to investigate the facts surrounding the selection of the proposed Park square site for a Police Headquarters, and the price agreed to be paid therefor.

The question came on the adoption of the substitute offered by Coun. Watson.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I think any words of mine are unnecessary as to the value of such a substitute. I do want to say one word on the resolutions presented by Coun. Healey, for which I have offered a substitute. He makes reference to figures, sums and facts in his possession which I have had no opportunity to check up. I presume they are correct, but he is human, like others, and I think the resolutions he offers are a little too far fetched and a little too extended for me to vote upon offhand. If they were a little briefer I might have been able to follow them better. Some of them I believe in. But the whole blame, in my opinion, can be placed on the shoulders of the Finance Commission, who should have inquired into the matter, who should have obtained the facts, although they have failed to do it. I am certain that if the matter had to deal with some smaller people it would have been pretty well investigated. I think the Finance Commission can show themselves lax in this matter, at least, it may be because Amory Eliot and his colleagues are in favor with or at least on speaking terms with the Finance Commission.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, while I think what the member states is true, nevertheless I think the proper procedure would be to allow my resolutions to go through and then to introduce what the gentleman has offered as a separate resolution, if he so desired. I would state to the gentleman, if he thinks perhaps I may not have been correct in the figures, that I received the figures today from the auditor's department, compiled by Mr. Keenan down there at the request of the City Auditor. So I think the proper thing to do would be for the gentleman to allow the resolutions I have presented to go through, and then present his resolutions independently.

President LANE—The Chair thinks that this is not really a substitute, but that the resolutions offered by Coun. Healey would go upon their passage or defeat, as the members may elect, and that then Coun. Watson's resolution should still be in order, to be acted on upon its merits. If there is no objection, the Chair will put the motion of Coun. Healey's resolutions first.

Coun. WATSON—I would ask the Chair if he presents that statement, based on parliamentary rule?

President LANE—No.

Coun. WATSON—On his own personal views?

President LANE—My own personal views. I think the paper offered by Coun. Watson is not properly a substitute for the paper offered by Coun. Healey, and I think the best thing to do would be to act upon both resolutions.

Coun. WATSON—How about the propriety of it, Mr. President? I suppose a substitute is in order.

President LANE—A substitute is in order always.

Coun. WATSON—Well, we are both wrong, I guess.

President LANE—Coun. Healey moves a suspension of the rule and the passage of his resolutions.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I would rather go one step farther in the matter of the Finance Commission and ask the Finance Commission if it has not been brought out very plainly, taking the facts as they have come to us from the Law Department and from the assessors' office, and having in mind this abatement in April, that if the investigators for the Finance Commission were on the job they would have petitioned the court to enjoin the City of Boston from making this purchase. I think we ought to ask the Finance Commission directly for a report or send for the chairman and have him come in here and ask him why they allowed this sale to get by. Perhaps they will tell us, if they know. Of course, they play politics. They rob Peter to pay Paul. The chairman of the Finance Commission did not, of course, contribute to my campaign, but I do know people to whose campaign he did contribute. Perhaps we might find out that he had contributed to both sides. I know that he did contribute to one of the mayoralty candidates in the last campaign, \$250. I don't know whether he got it from the holier-than-thou crowd, the men who are trustees of the Park Square Real Estate Trust, written up by the Boston newspapers as men prominent in safeguarding the interests of the city, men who advertise in the Boston press for money with which to run a campaign for clean government, asking contributions to the Good Government Association for the purpose of electing men to their liking. There is perhaps a question as to whether we should pass either of these resolutions. We have heard from the Law Department and have heard from the assessors. I think, in order to get the whole truth, we ought now to send for the chairman of the Finance Commission, for the chairman of the Street Commission, and ought to find out why the city was jobbed by these holier-than-thou men, who have taken unfair advantage of the city. If we pass these today, of course the sale has gone through and, as the Corporation Counsel has told us, it cannot be stopped. We have perhaps been lax in our duty. Of course, the Supreme Court

says that we have nothing to do with the selection of sites, that all we have to do is to hand out the money when they ask us to do it, and perhaps may enjoin us or compel us to vote even against the oath we took when we were inducted into office. But I think both Coun. Watson's order and Coun. Healey's order should lie upon the table and be taken up by the new government. Then we can start the new year by bringing them in here and having a hearing that may result in saving money to the citizens of Boston in the future.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I am satisfied with that solution of the affair. If you desire to have the Finance Commission, the chairman of the Board of Street Commissioners, the assessors and the Law Department before us, to go into the matter more fully, more fully even than you did today, it is very satisfactory to me.

Coun. MORIARTY—I so move, Mr. President, that both resolutions be laid on the table and that—

President LANE—One thing at a time. Coun. Moriarty moves that Coun. Healey's resolutions lie on the table.

The resolutions offered by Coun. Healey were laid on the table.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, may I ask unanimous consent to withdraw my resolutions?

With unanimous consent Coun. Watson's resolution was withdrawn.

Coun. MORIARTY—I would like to make a suggestion, Mr. President. I feel that Coun. Watson's resolution, so far as the Finance Commission is concerned, is really the meat of the coconut. I think he should also allow his order to lie over, to lie in the committee, so that it can be taken up later.

Coun. WATSON—All right, Mr. President. I reintroduce it.

Coun. WATSON reintroduced the resolution offered above as a substitute for Coun. Healey's resolutions.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I now move that it lie on the table.

President LANE—The Chair suggests that both resolutions be referred to the Executive Committee, or they will both die on Saturday when this Council goes out of existence. If they are in the Executive Committee, however, they will go over till next year.

Coun. HEALEY—What is the sense of the proposed action, Mr. President, if we do not then request the Finance Commission and others to appear here? We have made a statement, and yet we do not follow it up by a request or order that they appear. If there is no request or order introduced for the appearance of the chairman of the Finance Commission and others, I cannot see the necessity of deferring this matter.

President LANE—That can be done, counselor, by the Executive Committee.

Coun. HEALEY—I suppose it can be done. Officially, I think, however, that the Council should go on record as desiring to have it done, if we really mean business.

Coun. WATSON—Why not notify them now, Mr. President?

President LANE—We are not meeting in Executive Committee now.

Coun. WATSON—Well, we have a right to have another meeting of the Executive Committee and then to request them to appear at such time as we may wish.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I think the Council can instruct the Clerk to notify them to come here.

President LANE—On what day? At what time?

Coun. MORIARTY—Well, that is the situation.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I don't see why the passage of these resolutions affects the matter at all, and I see no reason why the pseudo investigation we had today affects it. You may, of course, take the matter up when the new government comes in. I say frankly that when I presented my resolutions as a substitute I did so with the feeling that the city's interests should have been better protected, in co-operation with the Assessing Department and the Street Commissioners, in this matter, that all should have co-ordinated more closely before the land was taken by the Street Commissioners. Having that in mind, I desired to have certain questions asked of the officials who appeared here today, and I believe in taking that position, I had the correct point of view. But that does not prevent the city government from investigating further, if it desires to, on Saturday next or in the next city government. That is a common course of procedure in any legislative assembly. I do not mean to say, of course, that this government may not take the matter up from the same or from another angle.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, let me say this. In so far as the spirit of Coun. Healey's first order was concerned, it called upon the Mayor, to get his information, and the order was misleading, because when we went into executive session, before giving the party to whom the communication was directed an opportunity to give us that information through the sources desired, we took the step of seeking that information without giving the Mayor an opportunity to furnish it to us. That was my reason for moving that we report back "Ought to pass," so that I could talk upon it. But Coun. Healey said he had got the information and was going to withdraw. Now, of course, I am not a mind reader. I did not know what Coun. Healey's intentions were. I did not know that he had a

substitute resolution in his pocket which, after he got that information, he was going to introduce. I took the order that was first introduced on its face value. Maybe if we had waited and allowed Coun. Healey's order to have gone on its way, we might have gotten more information, or we might not. I feel, however, as Coun. Healey's substitute resolutions were the resolutions that followed the bringing in here of representatives of the Law Department and also representatives of the Assessing Department, while the whole matter is before us, Coun. Healey's resolutions likewise should lie on the table, as well as Coun. Watson's, so that we may have them both before us at the time when the chairman of the Finance Commission comes in here, if he does, to show the reasons why we have gone into the entire matter.

President LANE—Coun. Healey's resolutions are referred to the Executive Committee, and Coun. Watson's resolutions, which he has reintroduced, will also be referred to the Executive Committee.

Coun. HEALEY—And is there a request or order before the Council that the chairman of the Finance Commission appear here at a certain specified time on this matter?

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I will say that I will make that request when the Executive Committee goes into session on Monday morning, a week from today. I will introduce an order requesting him to be here a week from today.

Coun. HEALEY—And that the business before the Executive Committee be transferred to the new government?

Coun. MORIARTY—Yes.

Both Coun. Healey's and Coun. Watson's substitute resolutions were referred to the Executive Committee.

LEGISLATION FOR BRIDGET FLAHERTY.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston favors legislation authorizing the City of Boston to pay a sum of money, not exceeding \$2,500, to Bridget Flaherty, mother of Agnes Flaherty, for injuries sustained as a result of an accident while attending the public schools of said city.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. WATSON moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 6.17 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. HEALEY, to meet on Saturday, February 2, at 12 o'clock noon.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

TELEPHONE OPERATORS, FEBRUARY 13, 1924.

This examination is open to men and women and will be held for the service of the state, of Boston, and of the various cities of the Commonwealth, and of such towns as are classified under civil service.

Persons who pass the examination are entitled to have their names placed upon the eligible lists for the service of the state and of the city in which they reside and any two other cities for which they may indicate a preference.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 10; memory tests, 3; questions on telephone operation, 7; total, 20.

ASSISTANT IN HEALTH EDUCATION (FEMALE), STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, FEBRUARY 14, 1924.

The salary is \$1,440 a year. The duties of this position are to help in the preparation of new health exhibits, to promote and prepare programs for health days and health weeks in local communities, and to lecture to lay groups of the public. It is desirable that applicants have a college degree or the equivalent, and some training in public health work.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 2; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 4; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

FOREST AND TYPE SURVEYOR (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION, DIVISION OF FORESTRY, FEBRUARY 13, 1924.

The salary is \$1,620 a year. The duties of this position require a knowledge of compass and transit surveys as applied to old farms and woodlands, making of all necessary calculations of surveys from field notes, plotting of same and making of finished plans, a knowledge of deeds and of looking up records of land at registries of deeds, a knowledge of the several species of New England trees and their relative values as timber trees, a knowledge of how to gather data for type plans and the making of same.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS, BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY, FEBRUARY 21, 1924.

The salary is from \$3,000 to \$4,000 a year.

Applicants must be not less than thirty-five nor over fifty-five years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The superintendent will have supervision and direction of the engineers, firemen, electricians and others who run the engines and boilers, both steam and electric, dynamos which furnish light for the building, plumbing throughout the library, the electric fans connected with the ventilating system, the pneumatic tube service and the book railway system. Applicants should also have a knowledge of general repair work, and should be able to advise and make suggestions regarding repairs in the library and in those that are either owned by the city or are rented by the library authorities.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

INTERIOR WIRE INSPECTOR, BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT, FEBRUARY 20, 1924.

The salary is \$1,600 a year.

Applicants should have had at least five years' experience as a practical journeyman electrician, and should be familiar with the rules and regulations of the Wire Division of the Boston Fire Department.

Applicants must be not less than twenty-five years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; practical questions, 1; total, 2.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination which includes a strength test.

CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES.

Total number (receiving pay) on June 1, 1921, 16,256 (about 5,300 being women), or 482 more than in 1920, of which increase 63.5 per cent was in two departments not under control of Mayor, viz., Police Dept. and School Committee. Largest number in School Dept. (4,805); (2) Public Works Dept. (3,189); (3) Police Dept. (2,036); (4) Fire Dept. (1,373); (5) Hospital Dept. (875); (6) Park Dept. (844); (7) County of Suffolk (763); (8) Library Dept. (599); (9) Boston Sanatorium (242); (10) Institutions Dept. (240); 29 other departments (1,290). Notable changes since 1920:—Increase of 190 in Dept. of School Committee; 116 in Police Dept.; 12 in Public Works Dept.; 77 in Hospital Dept.; 22 in Boston Sanatorium; 37 in Library Dept.; 6 in Transit Dept.; 8 in Election Dept.; 15 in Institutions Dept.; 14 in Overseeing of Public Welfare Dept. Decrease of 16 in Assessing Dept.; 7 in Printing Dept.; 7 in Street Laying-Out Dept. Total increase 1920 to 1921, 525; total decrease, 43. Total net increase in 5 years, 1916-1921, 1,312, of which 396 were in departments under Mayor's control and 916 in departments of School Committee and Police.

Total pay-roll disbursements in fiscal year 1921-22, \$27,361,735 or 75.84 per cent of gross expenditures for maintenance of departments (after deducting pay-roll items of loan appropriations). Per cent of salaries and pensions to total maintenance cost in Police Dept. in 1921 was 87.42; Fire Dept., 82.72; Park Dept., 72.12; Dept. of School Committee, 88.30; Public Works Dept., 55.67; Hospital Dept., 48.10; Institutions Dept., 50.03. In addition to those mentioned above there were 76 officials who served on various municipal boards and commissions without pay.

Total paid for pensions to retired employees, etc., in year 1921-22, was \$743,323 (\$44,760 more than in 1920-21) or \$234,636 by Fire Dept.; \$195,740 by Police Dept.; \$142,040 by School Committee; \$111,679 by Public Works Dept.; \$31,297 by Suffolk County; \$27,931 by other departments. Total number of pensioners, Sept. 1, 1922, 1,305, divided as follows: Teachers, 353; firemen, 314; police, 261; laborers, 236; war veterans, 98; county officers, 43. Of the laborers 198 were from the Public Works Dept. and 38 from the Park and several other departments.

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COMPLETE ZONING SYSTEM WORKED OUT BY CITY PLANNING BOARD.

BOSTON GETS BENEFIT OF INTENSIVE STUDY OF PROBLEMS OF BUILDING, TRAFFIC AND LIVING THAT CITIZENS ARE LIKELY TO FACE IN THE NEXT TWO GENERATIONS.

To acquaint the people of Boston more fully with the zoning scheme which was proposed in a bill recently sent up to the Legislature by Mayor Curley on the recommendation of the City Planning Board the *City Record* is publishing a zoning map showing the boundaries of the use districts. There are six classes of use districts: Unrestricted, industrial, general business, local business, general residence and single residence. A map showing the bulk districts, which are designated by the maximum building heights for each district and include regulations for open spaces around buildings, will be published later.

The proposed zoning law has been carefully drawn after eighteen months' intensive investigation and study by the City Planning Board and its zoning Advisory Commission, and the Board now invites suggestions and constructive criticism on the plan from all citizens. Committees from different organizations are going over the details of the scheme almost daily at the City Planning Board offices. A series of public hearings are being arranged which will be held on February 15, 19 and 26 in the City Council Chamber, when the plan will be further explained. It is expected that colored zoning maps will be available for distribution by that time.

One of the big problems which Boston faces today as one of the leading cities of the United States is the adjustment of its business and industry to the physical layout of the city. The street system mainly follows the windings of the early streets and cowpaths. Up to twenty-five years ago the streets were generally adequate to take care of the horse-drawn vehicular traffic of that time, although conditions were far from satisfactory then. Since the coming of the automobiles, traffic troubles have increased every year with the annual increase of thousands of motor vehicles. Zoning would help to relieve traffic congestion, which has become almost unbearable at times in downtown Boston, by making it possible to provide the proper thoroughfares for each different type of district.

With a zoning plan in operation all over the city it would be possible to tell with reasonable certainty whether the various districts would develop along business, industrial or residential lines.

The general appropriate use of land would be defined, which should tend to stabilize real estate values and prevent "blighted districts" where buildings become run down and values decline. By knowing definitely just which areas of the city will be devoted to business, industry and residences would mean a saving of money to the city and to property owners in that streets, water, gas, electric lights and other utilities would be constructed particularly for each different district.

The zoning plan provides ten times more room for industries than is now being utilized. Large areas of land that are not suitable for any other purposes along the waterfront in East Boston, Charlestown, South End and Dorchester are classed as industrial. Plants, manufacturing food products, milk distributing stations and others likely to be affected by smoke, odor, noise or dust of such industries as blast furnaces, fertilizer factories, gas works, boiler works or cement mills would be protected from such injurious uses by their exclusion from industrial districts. Ample room is provided in the unrestricted districts for very heavy industries that might be noxious or injurious elsewhere.

The continued development of Boston as the main business and distributing center for New England would be encouraged by the zoning system which places the downtown shopping, financial and office sections in a general business district which means that the business environment will be protected from the intrusion of detrimental manufacturing. However, light manufacturing, garages and storage buildings are permitted. The general business districts extend out along the main thoroughfares, such as Boylston street, Columbus avenue and Washington street and also include such centers of business as Heath square, Roxbury, Andrew square, South Boston or Roslindale center.

Under zoning neighborhood stores will be conveniently located near residential sections in local business districts which are shown on the map in long black strips along car line streets in the outlying sections and close-in districts, such as the mixed dwelling and store sections of the West End and North End.

The general residence districts, shown in white on the map cover the larger part of the area of the city. The zoning

scheme will protect Boston's historical Beacon Hill district and other close-in residential sections such as the old bow-front brick houses on Cross streets in narrow strips between Columbus avenue and Tremont street and Tremont and Washington streets north of Massachusetts avenue and parts of South Boston, East Boston and Charlestown.

Only a small part of the total area of Boston is classed as single residence, from which all business and industrial uses, two-family houses, three deckers and apartment houses are excluded. These districts are in the outlying parts of Jamaica Plain, Roslindale, West Roxbury and Hyde Park where the tendency is at present toward detached houses with large yards. Zoning will protect the present single residence sections and will provide additional room for suburban development within the borders of municipal Boston, which will be an inducement for many people who want single-family houses to build in Boston instead of going farther out to the Newtons, Dedham or Milton.

Gasoline filling stations and public repair garages may under the proposed zoning law locate in unrestricted, industrial and general business districts without restriction and in local business districts by securing a license from the Board of Street Commissioners. The provisions for the location of garages and filling stations will not be a hardship on either the dealers or the consumers on account of the fact that either general or local business districts are conveniently located near all the residential districts in Boston, but the promiscuous location of a filling station or public garages in a residential neighborhood, which often lowers property values, will be prevented. Small garages for not more than two automobiles, only one of which may be a commercial vehicle, may locate in all residential districts without use restrictions. Storage or community garages may locate in residential districts by a license from the Board of Street Commissioners, provided such garages are not detrimental or injurious to the residential character of the neighborhood.

The zoning scheme is not retroactive. It does not affect existing buildings or uses. Considerable leeway is allowed for projects under way which would be affected by the new law. Any lawful use may be continued, although it does not conform to the provisions of the district in which it is located, provided no structural addition or alterations are made and that such extension or enlargement of use is not objectionable or detrimental to the neighborhood.

The City Planning Board points out that it will not cost anything to put the zoning plan into operation as it will operate in the same manner as the present building law. A Board of Appeals

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, February 11, at 10.30 a. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation,, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in

under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal

TO Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for informa-

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 467.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Hickey and McDevitt having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Robert Wallis of Division 20, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Robert Wallis be placed on file.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 468.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Hickey and McDevitt having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Martin A. Keeley of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Martin A. Keeley perform seventy hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 469.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Hickey and Dailey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman James A. Quinn of Division 17, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby or-

tion regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

dered that the said Patrolman James A. Quinn perform fifty-six hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 470.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Hickey and McDevitt having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Harold F. Alexander of Division 9, charging him with untruthfulness, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Harold F. Alexander be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 471.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Dailey and McDevitt having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Timothy A. Denehy of Division 7, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty on charge one and specification thereunder and not guilty on charge two and specification thereunder. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Timothy A. Denehy perform seventy hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BOSTON IN FOR ANOTHER BANNER YEAR, SAYS MAYOR JAMES M. CURLEY IN HIS ANNUAL ADDRESS BEFORE NEW CITY COUNCIL IN INAUGURAL.

MUNICIPAL YEAR BEGINS WITH PROMISE OF COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY, CAPITAL AND LABOR CO-OPERATING, AND PROSPECTS FOR GENERAL HAPPINESS ARE VERY BRIGHT. MAYOR ALSO RECOUNTS BRILLIANT ACHIEVEMENTS OF PAST YEAR BEFORE ASSEMBLAGE THAT CROWDS COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Gentlemen of the Council:

The municipal year which today begins, is replete with promise of commercial and industrial activity, so essential to the happiness of the people and the future of our city.

Capital and labor are co-operating and both are reaping the benefits resulting from harmonious relations and a realization that an advantage secured by either at the expense of the other must ultimately prove injurious to both. The spirit of pessimism so general during the period subsequent to the war has happily disappeared and an optimism based on faith in God, in country and our fellow man is once more in evidence.

The World War taught America the true value of a patriotic and sturdy womanhood and manhood and the necessity for economic justice in the matter of a saving wage to guarantee its conservation and perpetuation.

The saving wage means more and better food and clothing for the family, more and better books in the home, added opportunities for higher education and a more healthful and enlightened womanhood and manhood.

The saving wage is a milestone in the long weary journey from serfdom, misery and poverty to partial economic independence; and it is our imperative duty to conserve its blessings for posterity.

The benefits resulting to the present generation and to posterity from a more generous and just distribution of the values created by the brains and hands of them who toil must ultimately serve to solve the greatest present-day evil, seasonal unemployment.

With a view to meeting all equitable requests submitted in the matter of salaries and hours of labor for persons in the employ of the city, my every effort was directed during the year 1923 to the consideration of those cases which appeared the most meritorious, namely, employees receiving less than the maximum of \$1,800 per annum.

That the saving wage may be stabilized I propose to include in this year's budget a sum sufficient to provide an increase of \$150 in the wages of all laborers and mechanics and an increase of \$100 in the salaries of all persons receiving less than \$1,800 per annum.

The Police Commissioner, the Fire Commissioner and the Budget Commissioner have, during the past two months, made studies and compiled statistics relative to salaries paid men in the Fire and Police Departments of the principal cities of America. As a result of these studies, I find that the maximum for the Metropolitan Police is but \$1,800, which is on a par with

the maximum salary paid in the City of Boston. I find, however, that in all the larger cities the maximum for police and firemen, with the exception of Philadelphia, where the wage paid is \$5 per day, is \$2,000 per annum.

The adoption of the two-platoon system, increasing as it does the Fire Department by 222 men, and the increase in the number of traffic officers by 50, adopted in 1923, will make the total number of patrolmen and firemen in the service of the City of Boston, 2,839.

I am interested in maintaining a tax rate equal or lower than the present tax rate and shall endeavor to effect such budget economies as will render it possible for me to provide the funds necessary to grant an increase in this year's budget to the guardians of public safety, the firemen and patrolmen. This recommendation shall provide for an increase in salaries of firemen and patrolmen from the present maximum of \$1,800 to \$2,000, this maximum to be reached in accordance with the established sliding scale policy, namely, \$100 per annum.

These wage increases will apply to approximately 9,000 employees in addition to the adoption of the humane two-platoon system for men in the Fire Department, who will this year for the first time be permitted to enjoy a humane privilege long denied and to which they are justly entitled.

The extension of the Pension System to all employees of the city coupled with an increase in the minimum, represents a permanent safeguard against the terror of old age with its ever present threat of pauperism.

It has been my observation that the service rendered by the individual is invariably in proportion to the benefits enjoyed, and the program of economic justice upon which we this day embark should result in a higher order of efficiency upon the part of every person in the employ of the city.

Our employers, the public, and their sentinels, the Press, have dealt with us most generously during the year that has closed; to our virtues they have been most kind, to our faults a little blind. Let us make a special effort to justify this confidence and render the charity of blindness to our faults unnecessary.

Lack of housing accommodations for workers at a reasonable rental is still a serious problem; and while theoretically it would be an ideal situation to have the city erect homes to be sold at cost to the people, as a practical proposition it is neither feasible nor good business. Through experience with such properties as the city owns and which

come largely into possession as a consequence of taking for school and other municipal purposes, it has been found that as a collector of rents the city is an absolute failure. Consequently it is necessary to seek some other method of solving a most distressing and difficult problem. The beautiful village of Shawsheen is a splendid example of sound business judgment and philanthropy combined.

There homes have been erected on a major scale at a minimum of cost; and arrangements made for sale to the employees of the mills located in that section of the Commonwealth, on a monthly rental plan.

Despite the increased wage so necessary and desirable for the toiler in America it is difficult if not impossible for the individual with a family to erect a home today because of the cost of materials and the interest and bonus necessary to secure the required money for building operations. It is to be sincerely hoped, and I believe the hope will be ultimately realized, that larger dividends in industry and stock dividends from time to time, will give way to humanizing dividends in the form of homes for the workers at cost, erected in surroundings that are conducive to the contentment, the health and the happiness of the creative source of all wealth, they who labor with hands and brains.

The results possible through a continuance of the spirit of co-operation so generally manifested by every agency in the municipality and which have been such a contributing factor in the harmonious relations between the administration and the public are reflected by the spirit of optimism that at present obtains.

Self-reliance, which is but another definition of optimism, was the corner stone of the greatness and prosperity of early New England. Through it was developed the lover of liberty that made possible the American Republic. Through the same self-reliance was developed the merchant shipping that carried the flag of the new republic to every quarter of the world. Through that spirit of self-reliance, despite the rigors of a climate and soil sufficiently changeable to test the patience and try the soul of any individual, great industries were established and a world leadership developed in many industrial lines. The inspirational lesson of the past is once more happily receiving attention and it is not unreasonable to believe that as a consequence of the redevelopment of self-reliance and optimism our harbor may again be busy as in days that are gone, not only with the flag of our nation representing a re-established American commerce, but with flags representing every nation in the world.

I want to say in passing that it is gratifying to read a report appearing in the morning papers to the effect that Boston today stands fifth in exports and imports, where in 1921 Boston stood fourteenth. We are moving forward towards the light!

It is an old but trite saying that adversity and necessity are the best teachers, and it is not beyond the range of possibility that as a consequence of the Western radicalism that has developed the Farm Bloc whose demand for a governmental guaranty of \$2 a bushel on wheat, coupled with the imposition of an exorbitant price for fuel and the gradual saturation of the markets of the

United States with manufactured products, the reflex of which conditions are bankruptcy for the Western and Northwestern farmers, suffering and hardship for the Northern States because of fuel shortage and excessive prices and the shutting down of mills or part-time employment—we may force a speedy adoption by Congress of a Ship Subsidy Bill through which distribution of American products may be possible.

The United States represents but 6 per cent of the world area and 7.5-12 per cent of the population; and it must be apparent to every thoughtful man that a continuance of the policy of depending upon competing nations to deliver goods which are produced in America and sold in competition in the open markets of the world must end.

With increased production not only of farm products but of manufactured products which today represents sufficient in seven months to provide for the needs of America for a full twelve month period, either the excess must be sold and distributed outside of America, or through lack of vision and courageous action and an intelligent, constructive program, depression and unemployment, in whose shadow lurks the agencies which necessity creates, namely, criminality and Bolshevism, will be found.

Out of the World War came a great merchant shipping sufficient to handle 70 per cent of America's export trade and through lack of either an intelligent domestic, or a constructive foreign policy, we have been deprived of the benefits that would have accrued from a commercial program possible through the agencies for distribution of our goods which the necessities of war created.

The movement for a consolidation of New England railroads, for the repeal of the discriminatory differential and the gradual crystallization of American sentiment favorable to a Ship Subsidy Bill, justifies the belief that a new era of commercial activity and prosperity is dawning for New England, in which Boston will enjoy a larger measure than any other section.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The Law Department in July of 1923 gained a notable victory in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals by securing a reversal of the decree rendered in the District Court of the United States in favor of Patrick McGovern on account of claims arising out of the contract for the construction of the Dorchester Tunnel, thereby saving for the city several hundred thousand dollars. This case had been in litigation since 1916 and was successfully concluded by the present Corporation Counsel.

During the year the city was able to adjust the national bank tax situation. Fifty-six suits were brought in the State and Federal Courts against the city by fourteen banks to recover back taxes paid to the city from 1917 to 1923, approximately ten millions of dollars. By chapter 487 of the Acts of 1923 the Legislature provided a method whereby the Commonwealth agreed to assume liability of one third of the taxes sued for by the banks for the years 1921 and 1922, the banks to waive the remainder. The suits for the years 1921 and 1922 were thereupon ended. There now remain but seventeen suits for the recovery of the taxes paid for the years 1917 to 1920, inclusive, and in these cases the city pleaded in defense that the suits

were barred by the statutory limitation requiring the suits to be brought within three months after payment of the taxes, and it is confidently expected that these cases will be decided in the city's favor.

By the 1923 legislation national banks were given the choice of being taxed either upon the valuation of their shares at the local city rate or upon their net income at 12½ per cent. This alternate plan was established to avoid the complaint of discrimination against national banks in favor of private bankers. Under this act the city has not fared as well as was expected and new legislation will be sought from the present Legislature.

COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

While the growth in the commerce of the port of Boston in the past year has not been commensurate with the maritime advantages it possesses in its geographical location, its superior contiguity to foreign markets, its safe and spacious harbor, its modern docks, piers, and utilities, its unsurpassed position and opportunities for over-seas passenger service, and the three railroad systems serving it, nevertheless it has been far from discouraging, when the needless and arbitrary obstacles to its expansion are understood.

Despite the fact that Massachusetts is officially represented in the highest and most influential offices of the Nation, and that industry and commerce are not matters of partisan politics, her interests are persistently ignored and neglected by the National administration; they are not accorded the aid and consideration the Commonwealth has the right to expect; and the growth and expansion of the most favorably situated seaport on the North Atlantic Coast are retarded. Massachusetts appears to be fat and full of Federal honors, and lean and empty of Federal influence; persistent and aggressive "bloes" compel attention to the demands of their constituents while Massachusetts in the seats of the mighty is sterile and productive only of Dead Sea fruit. We have a right to expect a different character of treatment, and one that will write its results in industry and commerce.

Boston for the upkeep of its harbor and its subsidiary waters hardly receives as much in ten years as Philadelphia, an inland river port, receives in one; and much of the export trade of the Middle and Northwestern States, whose natural flow is through Boston, is deflected to less desirable ports by the discriminatory railroad rates of a hostile Interstate Commerce Commission. Public opinion both in the East and Middle West is waking up to the flagrant injustice of this policy which is injurious to the industrial and commercial interests of both; and in December, 1923, the Farmers-Manufacturers Foreign Trade Alliance, at a conference held in Omaha, Nebraska, demanded an equalization of all import and export rail rates to all Atlantic ports.

I want to say in passing that there is a flat rate today from Chicago to all ports on the entire Pacific Coast. The time is rapidly approaching to settle the question of whether Massachusetts is a part of the Union or whether she is to be permanently a subject for discrimination.

With an equality of economic opportunity Boston can grow and prosper, Massachusetts industry expand, and the

causes of industrial unemployment disappear. The current depression and slowing down in our great Massachusetts industries bear an intimate relation to these conditions, and the lack of foreign markets, that absorb surplus products and stimulate work and wages, are traceable to the same Congressional indifference to our industrial life.

It would appear to be the duty of our citizens, regardless of all personal political predilections, to insist that our representatives in Congress devote more of their time and talent to the "bread and butter" interests of the Commonwealth, and less to fantastic political theories and alien concerns.

The Army Base, a maritime instrumentality of the very first importance, one of the most modern and best equipped on the Atlantic seaboard and one that Boston had hoped to have added to her public utilities, has been leased by a strong, wide-awake Philadelphia concern, which has faith in the industrial and commercial future of Boston and will do much to stimulate the sea-going trade of the port.

New and varied industries are coming to Boston; the industrial tide has set this way; the stranger outside our gates appears to see opportunities and advantages here that our people are blind to; and the West is coming back here to use its capital in construction and enterprise; and it is time our own people realized that the fields of Massachusetts are as green, fertile and profitable as those on the other side of the horizon. Our attitude towards those seeking the industrial and commercial opportunities we have to offer should be one of hospitality and encouragement; for only thus can the former prestige and prosperity of our city be restored and constancy of work and wages be assured our workers. To this end every member of this administration should unite in effort and action to serve the common good.

Transportation by sea and land, by ship and rail, at equitable rates, of an efficient and smooth-working character, with modernized terminal facilities, giving the best type of passenger and freight service, is Boston's most urgent need; and this question has been given much consideration in the past year and calls for materialization at the earliest date. It has occupied the best minds of men trained and capacitated to solve such problems, and calls for the aid and sympathetic action of the state government. The city government in its official activities can help along this general scheme of transportation facilities by so improving our streets and thoroughfares that the traffic that serves our local business may be freed from congestion and delays, and by speeding up, be made a useful and efficient adjunct to our railroad and sea-going utilities. We can help to solve the general transportation problem by solving the local and municipal one; and by speeding up, the machinery for the distribution and delivery of the commodities of our local trade and safeguarding the coming and going of the patrons of Boston's business we can do our share in making this city a Mecca for New England. In proportion as this municipal government serves the industrial and commercial life of Boston, the strength of its position in demanding the Federal Administration to do its full duty by the Commonwealth and Port

of Boston will grow more logical and the appeal to public opinion more popular and potent.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

The building operations in the City of Boston for the year ending December 31, 1923, represented a grand total of \$40,675,558, as contrasted with the year 1918 when the low point of \$9,733,852 was established.

The department anticipates an active building year, and, as near as we can judge, an amount in excess of fifty million dollars will be expended.

The average amount spent for alterations during the past five years has been eight and one half million of dollars; we expect an equal amount to be expended in 1924. The remainder, namely forty-one million, five hundred thousand dollars, will represent the expenditure for new office buildings, mercantile and manufacturing buildings, hotels, theater buildings, apartment houses of the first and second class, dwellings of the first, second and third class, together with a large number of public and private garages, etc.

The following is a list of major building operations now under construction to be completed some time in 1924:

The Fourth National Bank Post Office square	\$3,000,000
Lawyers' Building, Beacon street.....	1,000,000
First National Bank	3,500,000
Chamber of Commerce	3,000,000
67 Broad street	2,000,000
New Police Station No. 2	500,000
Addition to Old Colony Trust Company Building	1,000,000
Remodeling of Faneuil Hall.....	250,000
Bay State road apartment house	500,000
Apartment house on Commonwealth avenue	500,000
Apartment house on Berkeley street	300,000
Apartment house at 20 Charles street	400,000
Apartment house at 26 Waverly street	330,000

The following is a list of major building operations contemplated for 1924:

New Statler Hotel, Park square	\$8,000,000 to \$10,000,000
Tremont and Hollis streets, theater and office buildings	3,000,000
New Insurance Building, Liberty square	3,000,000
Chauncy street office building	1,000,000
Ford Plant, Charlestown (no cost given)	
Five Cents Savings Bank, School street	3,000,000
New office building, corner School and Province streets (approximately)	1,000,000
Remodeling of Seigel Building for theater purposes	1,000,000
New Elks' Home, Tremont street	2,000,000
Police Headquarters, Berkeley street	1,000,000
City Hospital activities.....	3,000,000
New school buildings	3,500,000
Fire Department activities	100,000
West Roxbury Court building.....	100,000
Hyde Park Station	200,000

in addition to an expenditure of from two and one half millions to three millions of dollars for new Back Bay apartment buildings.

The activity in building construction has not been confined solely to office, bank or hotel buildings and theaters. Applications have been received during the year for the erection of 814 apartment buildings, which represent an enormous increase over any of the five preceding years.

The stabilizing of the labor market due to the agreement existing between the building trades employers and the building trades employees has developed a confidence which is reflected by architects' plans in excess of fifty million dollars of construction.

During the year 1923 a contract

was awarded for the restoration of Faneuil Hall to original colonial lines and for complete fireproofing so that the "Cradle of Liberty" might be preserved and protected for all time. It was anticipated that the sum of \$215,000 would cover the entire cost of restoration but an investigation disclosed the fact that the underpinning was not sufficiently strong enough to bear the increased weight resulting from the substitution of concrete for wood floors and other changes necessary in consequence of restoration. Hence it has been necessary to make available \$100,000 additional, so that the restoration of Faneuil Hall on completion will represent an expenditure of \$315,000.

As a permanent memorial to a great church leader, the Municipal Building at Brookline street and Shawmut avenue, representing an expenditure of \$500,000, was dedicated as the John J. Williams Municipal Building and the main hall in recognition of the generous contribution to music by a patriotic Boston citizen was dedicated as the Henry L. Higginson Memorial Auditorium.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAUS.

On March 1, 1922, the Municipal Employment Bureau was established in Room 305, City Hall Annex. At the time of opening, by applying the general law of percentage deduction based on figures obtained from fifty industrial plants in and around Boston, 65,000 unemployed was a conservative figure.

Until the opening of the Municipal Employment Bureau, there had been many sporadic efforts more emotional than practical to relieve the unemployment situation, which was steadily growing worse as the result of the closing down of war-time industries and the influx of new workers discharged from the United States Army and Navy.

Previous to my administration, there was in existence an unemployment committee which had more members on its working committee and among its advisors than they had jobs for men during its entire existence.

At the close of the war 33,000 men were discharged from service in Boston. These men suffered more than any other class of unemployed, since on discharge their capital with which to meet existing business depression amounted to \$60 from the government and \$100 from the state.

I do not intend to draw any emotional picture of the suffering of these ex-service men. However, I will emphasize this point to give statistical force to my statement. At the time of the opening of the Municipal Employment Bureau the distress among the ex-service men had increased to such an extent that it was anticipated by the Soldiers' Relief Department that a disbursement of at least \$1,500,000 would be necessary to care for the unemployed ex-service men.

One of the greatest aids to the Employment Bureau in obtaining work for the unemployed ex-service men was the privilege of having men listed on the Soldiers' Relief rolls granted preference over all others on the civil service list for any position that might be opened in the city.

Comparative figures obtained from the United States Bureau of Labor found the Municipal Employment Bureau at the end of its first fiscal year (nine

months) functioning as well as any employment bureau of longer establishment under the jurisdiction of the United States Department of Labor. The cost of placement for the first year was lower than elsewhere in Massachusetts. Six thousand two hundred eighty-five men were placed at work at a cost of \$1.52 each.

The Employment Bureau increased in scope with an enlarged personnel and December 1, 1923, found an increase in registration of 14,000 men filed with this office. Of this number of registrants the Bureau was able to place 11,798 men at a cost of only \$1.36 each.

During the present year, from December 1, 1922, to December 1, 1923, anticipating the disbursements of Soldiers' Relief Department at approximately \$30 per month to the individual, notwithstanding the fact that many men employed through this Bureau from the Soldiers' Relief Department were married and had dependents, which would necessarily increase the amount, the conservative figure that I am presenting as a saving to the Soldiers' Relief Department is \$216,000, and to the Overseers of the Public Welfare at least \$5,000 through the efforts of this office.

It is impossible to estimate the injury resulting from the failure to stabilize employment and the solution of the problem of seasonal employment and the saturation point in industrial production are questions that are today taxing the best minds in America. The Employment Bureau was created in March, 1922, to meet the abnormal conditions obtaining in industry and threatening, unless checked, to sap the self-reliance of otherwise upstanding American breadwinners, and has not only justified its existence, but merits the extension of its field of usefulness to womankind, its scope of service is not limited merely to procuring employment but serves in a larger sense a more equal and worthy purpose, namely, as an aid to the individual who, because of mental depression due to the misery of his position, is devoid both of hope and direction. Through the friendly suggestion of experienced and intelligent officials in charge of the Employment Bureau it is possible to furnish the character of encouragement and advice that will fortify his resolution to follow the path of good citizenship, even when the same is beset by difficulties and obscured with doubt and uncertainty as to his own future.

The crime wave which is ever the accompaniment of industrial depression has been less in evidence in Boston than any other large American city during the past two years and this condition may in large measure be traced to the sympathetic, earnest and helpful labors of the Employment Bureau.

The increasing number of female applications in quarters that are continually clogged with men seeking employment presents a condition that should be remedied at the earliest possible opportunity and I accordingly propose recommending to the City Council the establishment of a branch Employment Bureau exclusively for women, to be located in the Archbishop John J. Williams Building at Brookline street and Shawmut avenue.

The report of the Employment Bureau for the term that it has been in existence and the results achieved both from the standpoint of benefit to the citizens

and financial gain to the city are exceedingly illuminating and I commend them to you for your study.

It must be evident to every member of the Council that whether measured in the standard that it is customary to use, namely, the financial, or measured in the larger and more important one, that of value to the municipality, and the nation, in the preservation of the happiness of the household and self-reliance of the individual, that the Municipal Employment Bureau not only merits retention but extension.

I note and I welcome among us, the presence of Colonel Guthrie. Welcome Colonel! We recall your visit to us in 1917, when you needed some Americans to win the war.

Colonel GUTHRIE—And your Honor helped more than any other man in New England at that time, and through the help that we got here and in other parts of the country we did win the war.

Mayor CURLEY—Thank you, sir. [Continuing to read the message.]

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

The depression in 1922 which reached the high point in March of that year would, had the ratio been maintained through the year, rendered necessary an appropriation in excess of one million five hundred thousand dollars to provide the proper measure of relief for those entitled to assistance.

The total expenditures of the department from February 1, 1922, to January 31, 1923, were \$1,049,631.09. The appropriation for the year 1923-24 was \$562,362.40. The expenditures were approximately \$330,000, leaving an unexpended balance of approximately \$230,000, of which \$90,000 was transferred to other departments.

On February 1, 1923, there were 1,882 cases on the pay rolls of the Soldiers' Relief Department of which 802 were World War veterans; but largely through the Employment Bureau this number was so reduced during the year that despite existing depression in industry, the total number of World War veterans upon the department pay rolls at the present time is but 419.

The expenditure for World War veterans from February 1, 1923, to January 1, 1924, was \$112,428.28. This amount, while considerable, may be traced in part to the large numbers who have forfeited their employment as a consequence of the completion of the East Boston Tunnel operations at Maverick square. The construction of the Dorchester Tunnel and the addition of 200 World War veterans to the Fire Department, may in some measure minimize the increasing cost of conducting the Soldiers' Relief Department.

It is my purpose, however, and I trust the Council shares my view, that every case requiring aid be given most generous consideration. (Applause).

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

During the year 1923 new streets were established with a total length of 24,664 feet and land-takings made representing approximately 1,500,000 feet for school and playground purposes.

The year 1923 witnessed the completion of the Stuart street improvement for which an original appropriation of \$3,100,000 was provided and which I am most pleased to report has been com-

pleted for \$2,950,000, leaving an unexpended balance of \$150,000. The betterment assessments levied upon properties as a result of Stuart street improvement has been determined at \$2,369,000 which represents a return to the city of a considerable portion of the cost. Unquestionably the saving would have been many times greater were it not for the precedent established in the matter of settlement of the first claim filed, prior to my assuming office.

Plans are in process of completion for the widening and construction of Cambridge and Court streets, for which improvement the Legislature of 1923 authorized an expenditure in the sum of \$3,500,000.

The completion of this great northern artery will not only relieve congestion in downtown Boston, but should result in a tremendous increase in property values, in a section of the city where stagnation in realty has been general for many years.

It is gratifying to note that plans have already been submitted providing for the erection of two new buildings at Province and School streets, the annual tax receipts from which will be more than sufficient to amortize the original loan for the widening of Province street. The widening of Province street not only provides an opportunity for the development of a high grade shopping street in downtown Boston, but ends what has long been regarded as the greatest fire menace in the city.

RAPID TRANSIT.

Maverick Square Underground Station.

The construction of the alterations and the extension of the East Boston tunnel at Maverick square, to provide a convenient interchange of passengers between the tunnel and surface lines has been practically completed, the work to be done consisting of relatively small items of station finish.

Upon the opening of this structure to public travel, surface car operation in the tunnel will give way to train operation. Surface cars from the north will enter the tunnel by the incline at Maverick square, discharge their passengers at the unloading platform of this new station, pass around a loop and take on passengers at the opposite side of the platform and leave the tunnel.

Trains of specially designed steel cars will operate in the tunnel between Maverick and Bowdoin squares, a loop being provided at the end of each station. This method of operation will permit of a decided reduction in the congestion and overcrowding now existing in the tunnel stations, and of an increase of over 100 per cent in its carrying capacity which will take care of the growing traffic for a number of years.

The construction of this station and the method of operation to be employed have made necessary the following changes in the existing tunnel stations:

Enlargement of the Devonshire Station. This work has been completed, with the exception of the wall and ceiling finish.

Construction of new concrete platforms at a higher level at Devonshire, Bowdoin and Scollay Under Stations. This work is in progress.

Raising platforms in Bowdoin Station, necessitating changes at the stairways. Excavating and removing concrete over the stairways leading to the platform for westbound cars, and grading of the ramp to the eastbound cars is progressing.

Park Street Station.

An important step designed to reduce congestion at Park Street Under Station of the Cambridge connection is in progress. The stairway from the westbound Cambridge Subway platform leading to the southbound Tremont Street Subway platform is being widened from five to ten feet.

Dorchester Tunnel Extension.

Chapter 480 providing for the extension of rapid transit facilities in the Dorchester district of the city, was enacted by the Legislature the past year.

The act provides that the facilities shall consist of an extension of the Dorchester Tunnel from its terminus at Andrew square under Boston street, Power street and Dorchester avenue, coming to the surface by an incline south of Dorchester avenue and parallel and adjacent to the tracks operated by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, known as the Boston Division, at a point between Dorchester avenue and Columbia road; a line of surface railway connecting with this extension at the incline and running substantially parallel to, along, or westerly of the location of the Boston Division tracks to the junction of those tracks near Harrison Square Station with the Shawmut Branch of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company; from this point to Mattapan service will be furnished over the tracks of the Shawmut Branch, this branch being taken over by the city for such purpose.

The act was accepted by the City Council on September 10, 1923, and approved by me on September 12 and accepted by the Board of Directors of the Boston Elevated Railway Company on December 31.

Before construction work can be begun, the act must be complied with as follows:

Agreement on the part of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company and the Old Colony Railroad Company as to the price to be paid for the Shawmut Branch after determination of such price by the Department of Public Utilities of the Commonwealth.

Deposit with the Commissioner of Public Works of the city of a filing plan showing proposed route and the location thereof, and the general form and method of construction.

Execution of lease of premises by the city and the Boston Elevated Railway Company.

Approval of filing plan, in so far as it covers work affecting the operation of the main line tracks between Andrew square and Harrison square, by the New Haven and the Old Colony Railroad companies, or by the Department of Public Utilities.

Approval by the Department of Public Utilities of plan under which reasonably frequent and adequate rapid transit passenger trains or cars can be safely operated from Welles avenue to Mattapan.

The Transit Department has been engaged in preliminary investigations, surveys and plans, as provided in the act, and is prepared to proceed with construction upon the completion of the remaining requirements of the act as indicated above.

The need for improved street railway transportation for the Dorchester district is not a recent discovery. The subject has been investigated for years and numerous reports and plans filed with

the Legislature. Boston conducted a most vigorous and insistent campaign during the past year and was successful. It is now equally anxious that this long-needed improvement be undertaken without delay in order that the great Dorchester district may enjoy a more comfortable, convenient and speedy form of transportation, at no additional cost.

Another important factor of this extension will be the relief afforded the existing intolerable congestion at Andrew Square Terminal.

In providing this extension Boston has continued the policy in effect on all its subways and tunnels. It will loan its credit for the construction of the extension, build and own it, and in turn lease it to the operating company at a rental rate sufficient to provide for interest charges on the bonds issued for construction and for a surplus for sinking fund purposes.

I might say in this connection, in reference to Dorchester Tunnel, that we have been doing just a little more than has been set forth by the Transit Commission. We are securing a worthwhile improvement and avoiding what might become a menace to public safety or the life and limb of persons having occasion to pass over the various grade crossings that now obtain on this railroad. The Transit Commission are making plans so that rapid transit will be possible in Dorchester without dangerous grade crossings.

A bill has been presented to the Legislature seeking authorization for additional transit facilities on Cambridge street to provide for future requirement of what gives promise of being one of the most important intersecting arteries. The establishment of a station in the vicinity of Charles and Cambridge streets on the Cambridge-Dorchester line, in addition to providing for the needs of this section of the city, should serve the increasing demand resulting from persons seeking treatment or visiting, either at the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary or the Massachusetts General Hospital, and should be a contributing factor in the minimizing of congestion at Park street. The necessity for providing added accommodations not only for present needs but in anticipation of future requirements in the growing section of Allston and Brighton will make necessary during the year the development of plans for the extension of the Boylston Street Subway beyond the intersection at Governor square of the Kenmore Station.

This improvement should result in the use of the Boylston Street Subway for the purpose for which it was designed and should practically double the capacity of the existing system in this section.

Hyde Park Ten-Cent Fare.

Chapter 405, providing for the acquisition by the City of Boston of street railway lines in the Hyde Park district and the operation thereof by the Boston Elevated Railway Company was enacted during the past year. Under authority of this act, the property of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company was taken over by the city and a portion thereof leased to the Boston Elevated Railway Company.

The passage of this bill brought to a successful close a struggle extending over a period of twenty years for a single fare to Hyde Park. The Boston Elevated Railway Company took over the opera-

tion on September 1 and Hyde Park is now on a three-minute service to Cleary square from Forest Hills, with a ten-cent fare to any part of the Elevated system.

The latest type of motor busses has been put in operation between Mattapan square and Wolcott square, Readville. Under this plan passengers arriving at Cleary square may transfer to busses going to Readville without any additional fare. Passengers arriving at Mattapan may transfer to busses at that point operating over East River street through Cleary square to Readville. Passengers from Readville have the option of transferring at Cleary square, without additional charge, to the city proper via Hyde Park avenue and Forest Hills, or may continue on busses to Mattapan and transfer at that point to any part of the system via Blue Hill avenue or Ashland street.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

That the public are at last awakened to the necessity for terminating a haphazard method of conducting the affairs of the city and substituting therefor a program representing intelligent planning is evidenced by the manner in which the recommendations of the Boston City Planning Board have been received.

Public opinion in America is gradually crystallizing in favor of co-operation and co-ordination and constructive action in the conduct of the business of government, national, state and city, and Boston has been exceptionally fortunate in that it has been among the pioneers in the matter of the creation of a City Planning Board. To the City Planning Board in the last two years we have given a friendly hearing and a generous appropriation and in return have received service of a high order and a program for the future conduct of the business of the city, the adoption of which, will not only in large measure solve present perplexing problems, but will be conducive to the happiness and prosperity not only of the present generation but of posterity.

The City Planning Board, as at present constituted, embraces the best thought in engineering, architecture and other fields of useful activity. Its energies and talents have been devoted for an entire year to the solution of the traffic congestion problem and the adoption of the program submitted will not only serve to overcome the errors of the past but will provide for future needs. We have been so long accustomed to thinking in terms of pennies that it is exceedingly difficult for us to think in terms of millions, yet, apparently, our only alternative is either think in present day terms or be confronted with a congestion that represents stagnation which, if permitted, will result in losses many times in excess of the sum recommended for the creation of Boston's new artery, namely, thirty-two million dollars.

The draughting of a zoning law represents an additional forward step and its acceptance by the Legislature will mark the beginning of the end of a ruinous program long in vogue, and which if permitted to continue permanently, would render impossible either a healthy or an attractive city.

The adoption of these two major recommendations of the City Planning Board should be supplemented by an investigation as to ways and means of

electrification and co-ordination of railroad facilities within the metropolitan district.

The Division of Metropolitan Planning has been appointed by his Excellency the Governor for the purpose of studying various phases of the transportation problem, but in my opinion the best interests of Boston require that an agency whose primary interest is our own city, shall participate in this important work.

A new departure in the matter of co-ordination of outdoor recreational facilities has resulted in consequence of the work of the City Planning Board and the policy of the past year of refusing to recommend the acquiring of land for park purposes, unless approved by the Board, is a precedent that may be accepted with safety to the city and with benefit to the people.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

The efficiency of the Health Department is invariably determined by the death rate from typhoid fever, and it is gratifying to know that a lower rate was established by the City of Boston during 1923 than any large city in the United States, in addition to being the lowest rate ever recorded in the history of the city.

The reduction in the number of deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis, which this year is 677 as against 1,148 in 1917, representing as it does a reduction of nearly 50 per cent in a period of six years, indicates that the time is rapidly approaching when tuberculosis will cease to be a menace in any community where proper regard is had for sanitation, proper health laws, and their enforcement, and a due consideration for the human equation in industry. It would be unfair to contend that the results achieved in the matter of tuberculosis control are due wholly to the activities of the Health Department. My personal opinion is that the increased wage to the worker, which in the home is represented by better and more food, better and more clothing, with added opportunities for better living conditions and educational and recreational advantages, has been a material factor in the combatting of this economic disease. The trustees of the Boston Sanatorium propose to establish heliotherapy treatment during 1924, which should prove of tremendous value in nonpulmonary cases of tuberculosis. This work, supplementing that of the new out-patient building, for which \$150,000 was appropriated during 1923 and which will be completed in 1924, will place Boston as a leader among American cities in the matter of conservation of public health.

The report of the Building Commissioner for the year 1923 sets forth that more than 150 dilapidated and unhealthy, disease-breeding tenement properties have been razed.

The report of the Park Department indicates that a larger number of persons are either participating in games in the open air, or as a result of the comfort and convenience possible through the establishment of seating accommodations upon the playgrounds, contributing to their health through spending more time in the open.

The value of health units is emphasized by a study of the childbirth records for the year 1923; the deaths of mothers from causes incident to pregnancy being the lowest ever recorded in Boston.

The second lowest death rate in the

history of the city of infants under one year of age was recorded during the year 1923, and it is not unreasonable to assume that upon the completion of the five George Robert White Fund Health Units, infant mortality may be further reduced by one third. The first of the George Robert White Fund Health Units is now in process of construction in the North End section of Boston, and sufficient funds will shortly be available to commence construction of the second unit.

Through these civic center clearing houses, co-ordination and co-operation will be possible for all agencies interested in the conservation of public health.

The dedication of the first health unit during 1924 will provide an opportunity which I trust will be embraced by municipal authorities to pay fitting tribute to a truly great citizen of Boston, George Robert White, through whose generosity and vision the ills and pains of humankind will be minimized and a more healthful and sturdy womanhood and manhood made possible for the Nation. The establishment of a Dental Clinic at the health unit on Blossom street has been such a pronounced success as to justify provisions for the establishment of a similar clinic at the George Robert White Health Unit in the North End, and in addition, a department of conservation of vision, for the care of the eyes of children, a new but unquestionably a necessary and valued departure.

I would say in this connection that we are profoundly grateful for the splendid service rendered by the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, but the system of charging has so increased in the last two years as to make it prohibitive to furnish service for children of the poor that they need. Consequently, we must do it.

In the opinion of health authorities the same results that have been secured through vaccine in the treatment of smallpox will be possible through the administration of the Schick toxin-antitoxin treatment as a safeguard against diphtheria. The Health Department has been extremely active during 1923 in combatting diphtheria through the administration of the Schick toxin-antitoxin treatment, nearly 19,000 children having been immunized by this treatment against this disease in 1923; it is desirable that this work be conducted with increased vigor during the year 1924. It is noteworthy that in 1923, 23,000 children were found to have a natural immunity against diphtheria.

Research and experimental methods are being carried on in the treatment of whooping cough and measles, also with a view to perfecting a reliable preventive process of control.

The public are entitled to protection in the matter of milk supply, and it is the purpose of the Health Commissioner to adopt a regulation prohibiting the distribution or sale of milk in the City of Boston, unless the same has been pasteurized or comes from tested certified herds.

The increase of more than 100 per cent in deaths from alcoholism is an interesting commentary on the non-enforcement of the Volstead Act. The number recorded, which probably does not represent more than one half of all who died as a result of poisonous substitutes for pure liquor, namely, 169 persons in 1923, represents an average of nearly one every second day during the entire year.

The Boston Health Show held during 1923 presented in various forms of demonstration the aspects of various illnesses and diseases, methods of control in operation, and health conservation generally, bringing home to the people of Boston in an understandable way the efforts put forth for their health and protection. The Better Baby Contest conducted as part of this show was so popular that the Health Department subsequently conducted a conference upon a similar scale of standards with such success, that baby welfare stations are to be conducted as a regular feature of health work in 1924.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The failure during the period of the World War to conduct a building program in anticipation of hospital requirements due to increase in population has resulted during the past year in a congestion which if permitted to continue will result in great injury to persons seeking treatment at the Boston City Hospital.

The completion of the Thorndike Memorial Building, while it provides in Boston the most modern municipal institution in the world for research and X-ray work, will not in any degree minimize the congestion which is general in the institution. It is the only building of its kind within a municipal hospital group in the United States, and due to the fact that it can draw on 1,200 patients for intensive study, the opportunities for accomplishing the work for which it is intended, that is, intensive medicine, are tremendous.

The new Out-Patient Department, which will shortly be dedicated, should provide for the needs of this character of service for the next half century. In the past male and female patients have been indecently crowded together in the waiting rooms of the old Out-Patient Department. This condition will now be obviated. The trustees anticipate, in the development of their program, to run the Out-Patient Department throughout the day; in the morning caring for the patients resorting there for treatment, and any patient requiring intensive study will be given an appointment for a particular afternoon, when he will be carefully examined by a group of specialists, and such X-ray and laboratory tests be performed as may be necessary to establish a diagnosis.

The increase, however, in the number of patients, at the City Hospital which now represents 1,200 daily, coupled with the corresponding increase of physicians, surgeons, internes, orderlies, et ceteras, presents a condition deserving of immediate consideration. During the year 1923 the sum of \$180,000 was provided for architects' fees, the purpose of which was to make a survey of the hospital needs, anticipating the requirements of the next quarter of a century, and providing within the next two years accommodations for 680 additional patients.

A bill has been presented to the Legislature seeking authority to borrow this money outside of the debt limit, and I trust this legislation will have the hearty support of every member of the city government. This program is necessary because of the accumulated neglect and failure of the past which it is our duty, as custodians of the public weal, to correct. In the event that the Legislature approves the recommendation of the hospital authorities it is proposed to

provide buildings sufficient to accommodate 680 additional patients, including an obstetrical ward building, the estimated cost of which, with equipment, will approximate three quarters of a million dollars, and which on completion will provide sufficient accommodations for 75 maternity cases at all times.

I want to say on this, in passing, that in 1917 we made provision for the free treatment of women about to become mothers, providing eighteen beds in the City Hospital. In the four succeeding years the number of beds was increased by only four. In those twenty-two beds during 1921 540 children were born. That shows that there has been an indecent, inhuman and disgraceful neglect of an obligation which we should observe, and I look forward with keen pleasure to the fulfillment of the duty we owe mothers of men and of women which will be fulfilled upon the completion of this maternity building. (Applause.)

The maternity building will contain every modern convenience and appliance needed to care for mothers and babies. It will be made up of small units, to provide the greatest amount of privacy consistent with the care of such cases, and will contain operating rooms and nurseries for well, sick and premature babies.

Provision is made for an isolation building, representing a cost of one third of a million dollars. This isolation building will be constructed along the most modern lines, with many single rooms and small ward units, so that it will be possible to care for any type of contagious disease without danger of cross infection.

Provision is also made for an additional medical pavilion costing \$400,000; surgical building, \$229,000; a pavilion for special cases, \$584,000; quarters for house officers and internes, \$305,000; addition to Burnham Building, \$211,000; nurses' home, \$290,000; kitchen and laundry, \$251,000; pathological building, \$91,000; enlargement of engine room with installation of generators and accessories, tunnels, animal house and enlargement of existing surgical building, \$78,000; addition to power plant and necessary extension of piping, \$209,000.

An addition of three stories will be made to the present surgical wards, W and X, to provide for the tremendous increase in surgical cases. At the present time there are seventy-five house officers caring for patients in the City Hospital. They are housed in various places throughout the hospital, some rooms that were originally intended to house one person now housing two, and in some instances three and four. It is absolutely necessary that new quarters be provided for them. It is proposed to add to the Burnham Building, as already stated, at a cost of \$211,000, in which to care for medical cases; and to care for patients it is absolutely essential that more nurses be employed. At the present moment every available bed is taken; at least 125 more nurses will be necessary to care for the additional number of patients, and therefore it becomes necessary to build a new wing to connect with the present nurses' home.

The probability is that in the event of the Legislature approving this major program it will require at least two years in which to complete construction, but on completion the city will be in a position to fulfill its obligation to all in need of medical or surgical treatment, a position which it has not been in during the past five years.

PUBLIC WELFARE.

During the year 1923 under the provisions of the Mothers' Aid Act 1,406 cases were directed to the attention of the Overseers of Public Welfare, and as a consequence of the aid extended it was possible to maintain family ties without resorting to the inhuman practice which obtained prior to 1913, of dividing families and distributing the children on the death of the head of the household.

During the year 1923, 2,522 cases of dependents were considered and aided, the increase during the year being 132 cases. Lodgings were provided during the year to 5,514 women and children and 11,811 men in addition to 18,612 meals.

An investigation conducted during the year by the Finance Commission resulted in certain recommendations, a majority of which were accepted by the Overseers of Public Welfare.

The generous policy which the city has ever maintained toward the needy and dependent will, I trust, be followed during the present year.

With a view to ending the custom of penalizing thrift, a bill has been presented seeking authority to aid dependent families through a change in the present regulations which obtain in the Commonwealth and under which it is unlawful to extend aid where equity in property exceeds \$500 or valuation \$2,500 or where the cash in possession of the family is in excess of \$200.

The average population at Long Island during the past year has been 860; of this number 343 being hospital cases. The injustice of sending the chronic sick of Boston to Long Island for treatment must be apparent to every thoughtful citizen. It is an injustice to require that physicians and surgeons make the sacrifice of time that is necessary to visit patients at Long Island; and it is an injustice to quarter the chronic sick with the unfortunate poor and to classify under one head the chronic sick, the unfortunate poor, the dependent child and the criminal. I have endeavored for many years to change this condition and am hopeful that during the present year it will be possible to transfer the chronic sick from the hospital at Long Island to the buildings erected by the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at Parker Hill. The establishment of the hospital for the chronic sick at Parker Hill would not only prove of inestimable benefit to the patients but of tremendous value to the medical schools located in this section of our city, the visiting staffs of which embrace men of the highest standing in medicine and surgery. It is anticipated that hospital accommodations will be provided by the Federal Government at Northampton sufficient to permit the cancellation of the lease of municipal buildings located at West Roxbury in use by the United States Veterans' Bureau.

In the event that these buildings become available at any time during the year it is my purpose to transfer the unfortunate poor at Long Island to the property located at West Roxbury and to install there a cottage system of housing for aged poor couples who under present conditions are separated upon commitment to Long Island. The commission appointed by his Excellency the Governor to consider the location for a new State Prison have reported in favor of the purchase by the state of the municipal prison at Deer Island. It is my purpose in the event that the sale is

consummated, to transfer the prisoners at present on Deer Island to Long Island when the poor and the chronic sick have been transferred to the mainland. The acreage at Long Island is not only considerable, but sufficiently productive to permit of cultivation to such an extent as to make possible the raising of enough produce to provide for the requirements of the inmates of all municipal institutions, while the outdoor work should prove beneficial to the prisoners.

THE RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

After a year of operation the pension system established by the Legislature and accepted by the City Council and myself, has proven a complete success. An amendment providing for a minimum retirement allowance of \$480 a year after fifteen years of service was obtained last year, and the system, with this provision is undoubtedly the best example of public pension legislation enacted up to the present time. It provides for retirement at the age of sixty at the request of the employee, and for compulsory retirement at age seventy. The amount of the retirement allowance is calculated on the length of service, the salary, and the age of the employee at retirement. The employee by accepting a reduced pension may elect that the pension may continue after his death to his wife or other relative for life, or that the balance remaining unexpended may be paid to his estate. In case of death from injury received in the course of employment the widow or children or dependent father or mother receive a pension of one half salary. For permanent disability caused by an accident occurring in the performance of duty the employee receives a pension of three quarters salary. For disability from any other cause a pension is paid equal to ninety per cent of the pension to which the employee would have received at the age of sixty. These provisions are very favorable to the employee and I have no doubt will serve as a model for other municipal and government systems.

Approximately eight thousand of the present employees have joined the system, and all new employees become members as part of their contract of employment. Over three hundred retirements have been made this year, and a much larger number will be made in the year to come. While in an occasional instance a very valuable employee may be lost to the city by the compulsory retirement at seventy years of age, as a rule the service is improved not only in efficiency but also in the morale of the younger employees who as a result of the pension system are afforded opportunity for promotion.

RENT AND HOUSING.

The building of homes, which could be leased at a rental possible for a working man with family to occupy has not been undertaken by any individual or agency during the past year. This situation has resulted in the development of a condition deserving of serious consideration by every individual in the city. The erection of apartment blocks has been conducted on a larger scale than ever previously known and in these blocks every conceivable provision has been made for the comfort and convenience of adults without provision or accommodation of any character for children.

As a consequence of lack of housing accommodations for persons in moderate

circumstances who have children it will in my opinion be necessary to continue the Rent and Housing Commission for the protection of the people from property owners who seek to profit as a consequence of a condition beyond the power of the man of moderate means to overcome.

The Rent and Housing Commission reports that during the past year 12,048 cases were disposed of and that in the case of demands for increased rentals 95 per cent of the claims were found to be unwarranted and unreasonable and that on notices to vacate, in but 4 per cent of the cases was it impossible to secure extension of time.

The fact that complaints on rent increases are received almost wholly from persons paying less than \$50 per month and that 55 per cent of the complaints now received constitute notices to vacate premises, and 35 per cent relate to increased rentals, in my opinion, makes it advisable that the tenure of the commission be extended.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

During the year 1923 the Printing Department has executed printing orders exceeding in volume any previous year since its establishment; and although many of our accounts are still open, the present outlook indicates that the department will have earned a profit as large as the previous year, \$50,000, and thereby add to its unexpended balance, which should reach approximately one quarter million dollars at the end of the current year. These profits have not been earned by inflating prices; but on the contrary, the cost of printing and stationery has been considerably below prices charged by private concerns for similar supplies. This year the department executed the police list, one of the largest jobs of printing done in the city, at a lower price than any private concern in Boston bid for the work.

The department is equipped especially for the needs and requirements of the city, and it will be seen from the above statement that the City of Boston is not only operating a plant for its own convenience, but also gets the profits from that operation which under a contract system would go to private parties.

Much of the typesetting machinery and many of the presses have been in operation for over fifteen years. During the year we have partly rehabilitated the type casting department by turning in some of the old machines at a liberal allowance in exchange for new ones, also, three new presses have been installed in exchange for old ones which have been in service for fifteen years. Approximately, twenty-one thousand dollars has been spent during the year for this much needed purpose, which has added very materially to the efficiency of the department.

It is proposed gradually to rehabilitate the plant with modern and up-to-date equipment, thereby gradually bringing the plant up to the highest standard of efficiency.

The city's printing is growing in volume, gradually, year by year, and an idea of this growth may be ascertained from the fact that the police list and the voting list and all printing in connection with listing and elections have increased more than one hundred per cent over former years, because of women being added to the lists.

The Printing Plant is badly in need of permanent quarters, being at present located at 286 Congress street, occupying

about 20,000 feet of space for which the city pays an annual rental of \$13,000. Under present laws we can only obtain a year's lease and are practically tenants at will. The department since its establishment has moved three times, twice by order to vacate; and these changes aggregate an expense of approximately \$50,000. Under the present lease system it would not be advisable for the city to make provisions for future growth of the department as the city has not sufficient protection to warrant any great expenditures.

In my opinion, it would be good business judgment and in the interest of economy, for the city to establish the printing plant in permanent quarters, which can be purchased from accumulated profits.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

The amendment to the ordinances adopted in 1914 has resulted not only in the standardization of purchases of materials and supplies through a central agency, but in the saving of a vast sum of money through wholesale purchasing and cash discounts.

Prior to 1914, but fifteen departments of the city placed requisitions representing their requirements with the Supply Department. At the present time thirty-eight departments are operating through the Supply Department and the total purchases during the year 1923 represent a total of four million dollars.

A laboratory has been established for the testing of materials and supplies and this coupled with the rigid system of inspection of materials, provides a protection which has never been possible heretofore.

A bill has been introduced in the Legislature requesting authority to advertise in publications other than the *City Record* in all cases where the expenditure is in excess of \$25,000. The adoption of this legislation should widen the field of competition and result in increased savings to the city.

EDUCATION.

The School Committee during the year 1923 adopted the recommendation made last year for the development of the reading habit and have made provision for the establishment of a circulating library in at least one school building in each ward of the city. The probability is that the completion of this program will represent a considerable period of time, but it is gratifying to know that a beginning has been made.

The standardization of school buildings containing eight rooms or less as recommended last year has been approved and the necessary plans drawn. The adoption of this program as applied to the school construction program of the Schoolhouse Commission should represent a considerable annual saving to the city, both in money and time necessary for the completion of school buildings.

The program for "a seat for every pupil in a permanent public school building" will shortly be consummated providing the same zeal and activity with which the work has been conducted the past year is maintained for the future. During the year 1923 accommodations were provided in school buildings for 2,120 additional pupils, while new buildings in course of construction represent an expenditure during the year of \$3,000,000, in addition to repairs to buildings totaling \$1,461,983.98.

The program for 1924-25 if adopted

will represent an expenditure for new buildings of \$5,372,000 and alterations, repair and maintenance, \$1,500,000.

A gratifying feature of the school program lies in the fact that the adoption of the "pay as you go policy" on school lands and buildings inaugurated during my previous administration has not only made possible a major school building construction program paid entirely out of tax levy, but in addition will shortly result in the total extinguishment of the entire school indebtedness, placing Boston in a most enviable and yet unique position among American cities in that it will be the only city without a bonded indebtedness for educational purposes.

I might say in passing that in addition to working towards the extinguishment of our educational indebtedness, since the adoption of this provision we have expended from money raised by taxation direct, and without bond issues, some \$15,000,000 for educational purposes, which prior to 1916 would have been raised by bond issues to be borne by those coming after us.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

The policy inaugurated in 1914 of establishing permanent smooth highways throughout the park system was originally commenced with a view to reducing the annual maintenance cost for upkeep to provide thoroughfares that might be traveled with some degree of comfort. At that time the total yardage of permanent paving in the Boston park system was about 16,000 yards.

During the year 1923, 119,281 yards were laid, or an amount almost six times as great as the total yardage laid in the 92 years prior to 1914. The year 1924 will not only witness the completion of permanent paving of park roads, but in addition the construction of a new permanent automobile highway through Franklin Park to connect with Columbia road, thereby making available for public enjoyment the entire park system with a road surface that will represent practically no expense for maintenance in the next quarter of a century.

The sum of \$25,000 is made available this year for granolithic walks in the park system. This is but the beginning, yet a most essential one. Large sums of money have been expended upon our park system to provide permanent smooth thoroughfares for pleasure vehicles and bridle paths for equestrians; while no funds have ever previously been made available for walks that were useful for more than a portion of each year. The establishment of granolithic walks upon the Strandway and Columbia road is sufficient to prove that the public would take advantage in larger numbers of the opportunities to view the park system, provided it were possible to do so with comfort; it is our duty to provide during the coming year sufficient funds to make the precedent which was established in 1923 a fixed policy until such time as granolithic walks are provided throughout the entire park system.

The Columbus Park improvement at the Strandway, South Boston, started in 1916 under my previous administration as Mayor of Boston, is now rapidly approaching completion. During 1923 the public bath house located at the Dorchester end of the Strandway, and which is the largest institution of its kind in America with the exception of one central bath house at Coney Island, was dedicated.

The roadways and walks have been

completed and the bridge at the Columbia road entrance to the Strandway over the Old Colony Railroad has been rebuilt at an expenditure of \$20,000, in addition to the quarter of a million dollars expended upon the Columbus Park Bath House.

It will be necessary during the year 1924 to provide approximately \$150,000 in addition to what has already been expended for the completion of Columbus Park. This money will be utilized for the sodding, grading and planting of the ground, and the construction of permanent bleachers. Columbus Park on completion will represent an addition to the park area at this section of Boston at about two and a quarter million square feet of land at a total cost of \$1,649,244, reclaimed from what formerly was an unsightly and unhealthy marsh and transformed into the finest waterfront park to be found on the entire Atlantic coast.

It is my purpose in connection with the completion of Columbus Park to establish a soldiers' memorial of trees. The number necessary will probably be 500, each tree to be suitably inscribed with a permanent marker bearing the name and regiment of Boston men who died while in the service of country during the World War.

The erection of permanent bleachers for the convenience of persons attending the Twilight Baseball League games or other outdoor sports has been such during the past year as to justify a continuance of the program during 1924. During the past year accommodations were provided for approximately 15,000 persons and in a large measure were responsible for an attendance at least twenty times greater than ever previously known in the history of Boston playgrounds.

The policy of improving existing playgrounds and developing a higher order of efficiency in the use of the same will, I trust, be maintained during the year 1924.

The Parkman Fund income has made possible notable improvements in the park system that without this great benefaction might be long retarded, if ever considered; the most notable addition to the park system through this medium being the Rose Garden at Franklin Park, which gives promise of attracting nation-wide attention.

During the year 1923 the golf links at Franklin Park have not only proven a desirable investment from the health standpoint but from the financial as well; the total revenue during the year 1923 being \$21,000 which is considerably in excess of the actual expenditure for maintenance of the golf links.

The completion of Columbus Park during the year 1924 should provide opportunity for a similar development on a major scale at the World War Memorial Park, East Boston, and Savin Hill and Tenean Beaches in Dorchester, and to these important projects I beg to direct your earnest thought.

The William J. Barry Playground at Charlestown has been enlarged at an expenditure of \$200,000, in order that suitable playground facilities for children may be available in the event that the Ford plant is located on the Sullivan Square Playground. In the event that the Ford project for Boston is consummated, it will be necessary to either enlarge one of the existing playgrounds centrally located in Charlestown or to provide a new one, and in either event,

it is my desire that the same program as was adopted in the case of the William J. Barry Playground be followed, namely, that where a park or playground is created, unsightly and unwholesome property be razed, as in this way alone will it be possible to solve the question of early removal of unhealthful tenement property.

I want to say in passing that I have in no measure lost hope that the City of Boston will ultimately secure a Ford assembling and exporting plant, and in the event of a site being determined upon which represents a city property used for playground or other helpful purposes, I shall follow the program outlined as presented here, had the plant been located in Charlestown, and shall request your co-operation for the consummation of whatever program may be determined.

I had sincerely hoped that North End Park improvements might be sufficiently advanced to permit of a report of progress upon plans. It is gratifying however to know that the architect, landscape adviser and engineers have finally agreed upon a program which will be undertaken shortly in this congested center of our city.

The total addition to the park area in the past two years has been 821,680 square feet at a cost of \$415,000.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The year 1923 marked the passing of horse-drawn fire apparatus in the City of Boston and the complete motorization of the Boston Fire Department.

The two-platoon system authorized in 1923 was put in operation February first of this year. It represents an additional expenditure of approximately \$350,000 and an addition to the fire-fighting force of Boston of 222 men. The adoption of this humane system should result in a higher efficiency in the Fire Department, with a reduction in the losses of life and property. The city for many years has been menaced with a possible loss of the Fire Alarm Headquarters located in the heart of the danger zone of the lumber yard district.

An appropriation has been made and the contract will shortly be awarded for the construction in Boston of the most complete and best fire alarm station to be found in the entire world.

The extension of the High Pressure System, a vital adjunct in fighting fires, must be continued and the same generous character of appropriation provided during the last two years must be maintained until the entire fire hazard section of Boston has been grid-ironed with High Pressure Fire Service Water Mains.

The necessity for a centrally located fire headquarters to replace the present Mason street headquarters is apparent to every citizen and I sincerely trust it may be possible during the year 1924 to provide the necessary money for the construction of the same.

The advances made in fire-fighting facilities during the past two years should result in a considerable reduction in the annual fire losses and in a considerable reducing in the fire insurance rates. The officials in charge of fire companies and insurance companies throughout the country are unanimous in the belief that 80 per cent of fire losses may be traced to carelessness and I urge the adoption of such program as may commend itself to the City Council. A brief statement read

to the pupils in public and private schools each month setting forth the loss sustained by fire both in the city and throughout the country might serve as an excellent means of developing habits of carefulness, dividends from which would be represented by a reduction in loss of life and property to the people of the city.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The condition of many police stations in Boston has for a number of years been a disgrace to the municipality and a menace to the health of the police officers. To remodel and reconstruct and provide new houses would make necessary an expenditure of at least four million dollars.

During the year 1923 the sum of \$2,400,000 was provided for a Police Department building program and this huge sum represents an expenditure greater than the total expenditure for police buildings in the last quarter of a century.

During the year 1923, under the direction of the Public Buildings Department, Police Station No. 8 was completed and a contract awarded for Police Station No. 2 at Milk and Sears streets, Boston, to house Police Division No. 2, Traffic Division No. 20, and the Property Clerk's Department. This building, ten stories in height, costing approximately one million dollars, on completion will be the largest police building in the United States.

Land has been taken and plans have been drawn for a Police Department Headquarters to replace the present ancient and inadequate headquarters, which will represent an additional expenditure of one million dollars for land and building.

The completion of the West Roxbury Courthouse during the year made available for Police Departmental purposes the property adjoining the police station and formerly used as a courthouse; and \$100,000 was appropriated to remodel it so as to provide for an enlarged and modern police station in this section of the city.

In the Hyde Park section, the unsanitary quarters occupied and known as Police Station No. 18 will, on completion of the contract which has been awarded in the sum of \$200,000, be discontinued and a modern police station constructed in the Hyde Park section.

It is my purpose during the year, provided that finances will permit, to locate a new courthouse in the Dorchester district which will permit the Police Department taking over the present Dorchester Courthouse on Adams street for police business.

It is absolutely necessary in the immediate future to provide either enlarged quarters or new quarters for Station No. 3 on Joy street, Station No. 4 on La Grange street and Station No. 5 on East Dedham street, and as financial conditions permit I trust these matters will receive the friendly consideration of the City Council.

The Traffic Division of the Police Department has been aided during the year through an appropriation in the sum of \$25,000 for 80 spotlights which not only served as an aid to traffic but also as a protection to the traffic officers, the lives of some having been taken and the remainder menaced through lack of this protection in the past.

In the budget of 1923-24 provision was made for the appointment of 50 additional traffic officers whose value to the

improvement of traffic conditions in the city has been so well demonstrated during the past year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The problems confronting the Public Works Department during the year 1922-23 were similar in many respects to those which generally obtained throughout the country. The commandeering of materials by the government during the period of the war and the uncertainties in the three years subsequent to the close of the war resulted in a condition so far as bridge and building construction were concerned such as had never previously been experienced in the history of the country. Practically no replacement work as represented by new construction had taken place during the period of the war on the bridges of Boston, the result being, that large sums of money were necessary not only for replacements but for maintenance until such time as money might be available for replacement. The most important work completed during 1923 was the Chelsea Bridge, the principal northern artery of the city, at a cost of \$650,000. This bridge will be opened to public travel within thirty days, replacing the temporary structure, a menace to pedestrians and vehicles for three years beyond what is estimated as the life of a temporary structure of that character, namely eight years.

A steel and concrete bridge was constructed over the Boston & Albany tracks at Beacon street of the most approved type and which should prove serviceable for at least a half century; also a modern type of bridge on Cambridge street. The construction of these two bridges not only provides added protection for water mains previously located thereon, but in addition the road area for vehicles was materially increased.

During the year 1923 with a view to minimizing the annual maintenance cost for bridge decking which makes necessary the replacing of deck planking every seven weeks, a bituminous treatment was applied which has demonstrated that it is possible by the new system to triple the life of the road surface with a material saving in the maintenance cost.

During the year 1924 it will be necessary to replace the Congress Street Bridge provided the funds are available and which will represent an expenditure of about \$700,000. Preliminary work has been conducted during 1923, and in the event that the City Council looks with favor upon this improvement and appropriation for the same is made, the work will be completed within two years.

The condition of the Dartmouth Street Bridge has been a source of grave concern to the engineers of the Public Works Department for several years and apparently the time has arrived to either discontinue the use of the bridge or to provide the money for replacement. I shall during the year make a recommendation to the City Council for an appropriation in the sum of \$150,000 for a new bridge in which provision will be made for the elimination of the center trusses, thus permitting increased road space for vehicles.

The possibility of serious accident owing to the condition of the East Boston Ferry drops both on the Boston and East Boston sides have been imminent for many years and due perhaps in large measure to the tremendous cost

of installing a modern system of ferry drops, postponement from year to year has taken place. During the year 1923 the sum of \$250,000 was made available for two new double teaming ferry drops at the South Ferry of most modern type to facilitate the loading and unloading of boats. This work will I anticipate be completed within sixty days and in order to complete this work on the South Ferry two additional drops should be provided. I shall recommend during the year to the City Council an appropriation in the sum of \$275,000 for two additional drops of similar type to be installed, which will complete this work at the South Ferry. These installations should show greatly increased capacity for the handling of teaming traffic at the ferries.

The increased cost of sewerage construction which has practically doubled since the adoption of the statute provision limiting sewerage expenditures to \$1,000,000, has prompted presentation of an amendment to the statutes which, if approved by the Legislature, will permit of an increase of 50 per cent in the amount annually expended for sewerage construction. The necessity for sewerage works as a means of conserving the health is too well known to require comment.

In the West Roxbury section of Boston, commonly known as Germantown, the old privy system still obtains and it is necessary for the protection of public health, since communicable diseases know no barriers, to at least make a respectable start upon the construction of sewerage works to connect with the Dedham metropolitan intersecting sewer in this section of the city.

The policy of discontinuing open brook sewers has been followed during the year 1923 and should be continued until the completion of the work. The Dorchester brook sewer has been extended during the year 1923 at a cost of \$65,000, and Grove street at West Roxbury at a cost of \$80,000. In the event that the Legislature approves the amendment to the law which has been submitted, it will be necessary to proceed at once with the completion of the Stony brook conduit. During the year 1923 in addition to the installation of new boilers at the Calf Pasture pumping station a complete oil burning equipment was installed.

In the Paving Service during the year 1923 there was more work going on at one time than ever before in the history of the department, there being a total of 110 contracts awarded for street work in all parts of the city, including, for paving, 175,200 square yards of bituminous material and 80,000 square yards of granite blocks.

Stuart street was completed and opened for travel.

Chelsea street, Charlestown, was widened and paved.

A start was made towards the Ashland street, West Roxbury, improvement, by the widening and paving from Hyde Park avenue to Wilmot street.

For snow removal, arrangements have been made whereby forty-five Champion blade plows have been allotted to contractors for attachment to their five-ton trucks, so as to start plowing with the storm, day or night, and keep the roadways open for travel regardless of snow fall.

A snow loader has been provided, with side delivery and two large "V"

plows attached to tractors have been provided for use on some of the through streets on which it is not contemplated to use blade plows.

The two story garage is nearing completion in the Albany street yard and is capable of housing about 120 trucks and cars.

Previous to last year a large part of the Paving Service pay roll was spent in construction work. This was changed in the last budget so that the personal service item carried for the entire year all the personnel of the Paving Service and they can be utilized either for maintenance or construction work as required.

The inadequacy of the million dollars for reconstruction and repair of streets in each year's budget, as we have on hand practically continuously necessary paving involving the expenditure of at least ten million dollars, must be apparent. The only immediate hope for prosecuting this work more quickly, is the imposition of the gasoline tax, a part of which will be distributed to the cities and towns of the Commonwealth.

The substitution of trucks for horse-drawn vehicles has brought about increased efficiency in the service and the consolidation of yard activities and the elimination of excess stable facilities will be continued.

In the Water Division the new policy of awarding contracts in December for materials to be used during the next season's construction has resulted in the elimination of delays previously encountered due to the non-delivery of materials for underground work; and in addition, a considerable money saving through lower prices has resulted.

The customary extension of mains and relaying of pipes, totalling 11.5 miles, was included in the year's program and 11.8 miles of old pipe were cleaned, thus providing increased service without replacement.

The pitometer waste survey was completed, the entire system having been covered, and it is thought that the department forces can keep in touch with conditions through appurtenances installed under the direction of the pitometer company, so that we will have continuing observance, and prevent waste through leakages.

Two miles of high pressure piping were laid in the business district, making the total mileage in the system 13.7, with 373 hydrants.

During 1924 we can properly lay about two miles of high pressure pipe, the materials for which have been contracted for or are on hand.

To improve and reinforce the main supply lines to Boston by replacing the 3-inch and 36-inch pipes in Tremont street, between Dover and Boylston streets, with a 48-inch main, is absolutely necessary. The situation as regards the two mains is decidedly dangerous; during the past five months the 30-inch main has broken twice with heavy damage resulting, and while the last break has been repaired, the main has not been placed in service on account of the attendant risk. The laying of this pipe will strengthen the pressure and supply, on the low service area in the city proper and lessen the danger to said area in case the old 40-inch pipe in Beacon street (laid in 1860) breaks or is out of service and which is to be replaced with a 48-inch pipe to be laid in Commonwealth avenue, from Massachu-

setts avenue to Boston Common, following the laying of the 48-inch main mentioned above.

I commend to your consideration some thought of this subject of water mains. A water main that has been in continuous use for sixty-four years, carrying a main supply sufficient in case of a break on Commonwealth avenue to flood a tremendous area before it could be shut off, is a pretty serious proposition. I am afraid we have passed it by too long.

It has been the custom for many years to turn back into the City Treasury surplus from water income instead of providing for proper reinforcement of the general system by the construction of new mains which now renders it necessary to seek a loan of \$800,000 outside of the debt limit for the purpose of laying this 48-inch main.

The high service area in Brighton, now dependent on a single 16-inch main, must be reinforced this year. It is intended to lay about 2,000 feet of 24-inch pipe from the metropolitan mains at Cleveland circle through Sutherland road, Commonwealth avenue, and other streets, to furnish an ample supply of water and to maintain the pressure in this rapidly growing section of Brighton.

The increased cost of the removal and disposal of ashes, garbage and combustible waste in accordance with the provisions of the ten-year contract made in 1921 and which has some eight additional years to run, presents a financial problem deserving of immediate study. The scarcity of inland dumps and the expense attendant upon the present long haul system will each year increase the cost to the city. During the year 1923 an investigation and survey of existing methods and conditions was made under orders of the Public Works Commissioner by one of the most eminent sanitary engineers in America, and a copy of this report is on file at the office of the City Clerk, and a study of the same should prove beneficial in the draughting of a program dealing with this perplexing and expensive problem.

Improvements have been developed in recent years through which the disposal of ashes, garbage and combustible waste is possible in properly equipped plants without creating a nuisance in the section where they may be located. Despite this fact a contract was entered into in the name of the city binding the municipality for a period of ten years to a system inadequate, unhealthful and increasingly costly. It will be impossible either to give a proper measure of service to the public in the matter of the removal of ashes, garbage and combustible waste or provide a disposal system that will be either economical or efficient until a change is made from the existing system and I respectfully commend for the study and consideration of the City Council ways and means of aiding the Public Works Commissioner and myself in the settlement of this question.

While it is true that the contract has eight years to run, it means so much in comfort and convenience to householders and in the way of improvement to the health of the community that it is worthy of study even five, six, seven or eight years in advance.

FINANCIAL SITUATION.

The Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds, as a consequence of change of personnel and policy, have

been enabled to effect an increase in the revenue of this important department. The principal, as a result of exchanges of securities held many years by the Sinking Funds Commissioners, has been increased in the amount of \$107,564, in addition to an annual increase in interest on securities now held over those exchanged amounting to \$6,522.50. An estimate made on a basis of 4 per cent interest rates covering the term of securities now held, compounded semi-annually, plus the addition to the principal, will ultimately represent a gain to the city of \$450,000 which is most gratifying.

The City Treasurer reports that the income and outgo of his department have doubled in a period of twenty years, the total sum covering the year 1922-23 being \$172,988,852.87.

We have some conception from a study of these figures of the importance of the business of government, sometimes called the business of politics. It represents the largest turnover of any concern in the entire city or the entire state, and it is gratifying to know that this turnover was accomplished without a finger of suspicion being pointed at any person in the employ of the city. I wish as much might be said for private business, big business.

The necessity for the establishment of a higher interest charge upon transit loans is emphasized in the case of the Arlington Street Subway operations

where it was necessary to borrow money at 5 per cent as against a rental rate for the use of the subway of 4½ per cent. This is a matter deserving of immediate consideration representing as it does a considerable excess expenditure by the city without adequate return.

An increase in interest on Sinking Funds deposits of the city from 3 per cent to 3½ per cent has been secured by the City Treasurer.

The Collecting Department reports that the adoption of legislation providing that unpaid water accounts shall constitute a lien on real estate has resulted in increased collection on water accounts. Under a recent legislative enactment the Collecting Department is required to collect outstanding taxes within one year from date of levy and as a consequence of public co-operation and zeal upon the part of the Collecting Department it is gratifying to report that the returns for the fiscal year ending January 31, 1924, have reached the highest ever attained in the history of the city, namely 91.08 per cent.

The City Auditor reports that as a result of the new custom of paying invoices twice a month, department heads now have a more effective control over their appropriations, and notwithstanding the large transfers required for adequate hospital care and the relief of the poor, the city will close its books for the year with every known liability paid and a substantial cash surplus. (Applause.)

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Adolph H. Deichert and Barbara Deichert have agreed to accept the sum of \$300 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estates on Ashland street by the construction of Ashland street under the order of the Board of November 16, 1922.

Joseph L. Burns, Attorney for John W. Horne heirs, has agreed to accept the sum of \$1,788.50 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate on Harvard street by the taking of said estate for school purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 24, 1923.

Joseph L. Burns, Attorney for John W. Horne heirs, has agreed to accept the sum of \$1,776.25 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate on Harvard street by the taking of said estate for school purposes under the order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 29, 1922.

Charlotte A. Young and Archibald Young have agreed to accept the sum of \$10,000 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate on Poplar street by the taking made for school purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of July 24, 1923.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Wiggin street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Beech street southwesterly, with the name of Winton street or some other distinctive name, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Winton street is hereby laid out, from Beech street southwesterly for a distance of about six hundred and forty feet, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

The land, owners unknown, running southwesterly from Beech street, now known as Wiggin street.

A parcel of land, situated at the southwesterly end of Wiggin street, now or formerly owned by People's Park Association, containing twenty-eight hundred square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, situated at the southwesterly end of Wiggin street, now or formerly owned by Edwin J. and Elsie Soderlund, containing twenty-eight hundred square feet, more or less.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said highway is bounded and described as follows:

Northeast by Beech street, thirty-five feet; southeast by the southeasterly line of said Winton street as hereby laid out, six hundred thirty-nine and 30-100 feet; southwest by the southwesterly line of said Winton street as hereby laid out, thirty-five feet; and northwest by the northwesterly line of said Winton

APPENDICES.

CITY AND COUNTY FUNDED DEBT.

Gross funded debt January 31, 1923.....			* \$126,576,800 99
Add funded debt issued in 1923-24:			
City debt.....	\$5,155,000 00		
Rapid Transit Debt.....	2,010,000 00		
		7,165,000 00	
			\$133,741,800 99
Deduct funded debt paid in 1923-24:			
City debt.....	\$4,966,050 00		
County debt.....	135,500 01		
Hyde Park Water debt.....	16,000 00		
Hyde Park Town debt.....	10,500 00		
Cochituate Water debt.....	5,350 00		
Rapid Transit debt.....	6,000 00		
		5,139,400 01	
Gross funded debt January 31, 1924....			* \$128,602,400 98
Sinking Funds January 31, 1923.....	\$41,898,891 76		
Receipts during 1923-24.....	3,000,708 53		
	\$44,899,600 29		
Payments during 1923-24.....	2,937,288 45		
	\$41,962,311 84		
Betterments, etc., the payment of which are pledged to the payment of debt:			
Betterments, etc.....	\$397,580 86		
Blue Hill and other avenues, assessments.....	48,313 05		
Highways, Making of, assessments.....	710,018 83		
		1,155,912 74	
Premium on loan.....		7,003 50	
Total redemption means January 31, 1924....			43,125,228 08
Net funded debt January 31, 1924.....			\$85,477,172 90
	Gross Debt.	Sinking Funds, etc.	Net Debt.
City debt.....	\$85,045,701 00	\$34,966,303 80	\$50,079,397 20
County debt.....	1,712,999 98	453,608 92	1,259,391 06
Water debt.....	625,000 00	359,000 00	266,000 00
	\$87,383,700 98	\$35,778,912 72	\$51,604,788 26
Rapid Transit debt.....	41,218,700 00	7,346,315 36	33,872,384 64
	\$128,602,400 98	\$43,125,228 08	\$85,477,172 00

* Includes \$209,999.98 issued by the Commonwealth under chapter 534 of the Acts of 1906.

street as hereby laid out, six hundred thirty-nine and 40-100 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Winton street as laid out will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Winton Street, West Roxbury, Assessment Plan, November 2, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. People's Park Association.....	\$960 00
2. People's Park Association.....	300 00
3. Jacob F. and Bertha Zwecker.....	300 00
4. Jacob F. and Bertha Zwecker.....	300 00
5. John M. and Therese Single.....	300 00
6. John M. and Therese Single.....	300 00
7. John J. Fee.....	300 00
8. Annie Swenson	300 00
9. Ella M. Long.....	190 48
10. Edwin J. and Elise Soderlund.....	960 00
11. Kasper Homer	300 00
12. Kasper Homer	300 00
13. Kasper Homer	300 00
14. Mary A. Kenney.....	300 00
15. Mary A. Kenney.....	300 00
16. Christina S. McDonald.....	300 00
17. Helen A. Fuller.....	300 00
18. Catherine Rothfuchs	241 12
	\$6,551 60

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Wiggan street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Beech street southwesterly for a distance of about six hundred and forty feet, with the name of Winton street, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

PAYMENT APPROVED.

The Mayor has approved for payment the requested allowance of \$2,070 to Martin F. Gaddis under his contract dated August 30, 1923, for constructing Stuart and Eliot streets. This amount is to compensate the contractor for the delay and interference to which he was subjected by the installation and relocation of underground structures and by the nondelivery of paving blocks.

The new line of the edgestone on the northerly side of the street as widened came over an Edison duct which had to be relocated. The relocation of the Edison structures caused a corresponding relocation in gas and water mains, with the result that a large number of corporation employees were working at the same time the contractor was trying to push his work along.

The prices submitted are for the extra cost to the contractor, as there is no doubt that the work would have been completed a couple of weeks earlier if he was not impeded.

This compensation is made up as follows:

Eight hundred linear feet edgestone reset at \$0.15, \$120; 2,500 square yards concrete base at \$0.30, \$750; 1,500 square yards blocks hauled at \$0.30, \$450; 5,000 square yards blocks laid at \$0.15, \$750. Total, \$2,070.

BILL APPROVED.

The Mayor has approved the bill of the C. & R. Construction Company, amounting to \$1,576.20 for ashes and rubbish deposited on the inland dumps of this company during the year 1923.

APPENDICES TO THE MAYOR'S ADDRESS.

GROSS FUNDED DEBT.

	City Debt.	County Debt.	Water Debt	Rapid Transit Debt.	Total.
January 31, 1923....	\$84,867,251 00	\$1,848,499 99	\$646,350 00	\$39,214,700 00	\$126,576,800 99
January 31, 1924....	85,045,701 00	1,712,999 98	625,000 00	41,218,700 00	128,602,400 98
Increase.....	\$178,450 00	* \$135,500 01	* \$21,350 00	\$2,004,000 00	\$2,025,599 99

NET FUNDED DEBT.

	City Debt.	County Debt.	Water Debt.	Rapid Transit Debt.	Total.
January 31, 1923....	\$49,471,830 76	\$1,351,787 23	\$282,000 00	\$32,424,969 18	\$83,530,587 17
January 31, 1924....	50,079,397 20	1,259,391 06	266,000 00	33,872,384 64	85,477,172 90
Increase.....	\$607,566 44	* \$92,396 17	* \$16,000 00	\$1,447,415 46	\$1,946,585 73

* Decrease.

CITY AND COUNTY FUNDED DEBT.

January 31, 1924.

Total Funded Debt, City and County	\$128,602,400 98				
Funded debts outside the debt limit (debts exempted from the operation of the law limiting municipal indebtedness):					
City debt	\$33,026,800 00				
Water debt	625,000 00				
County debt	1,199,999 98				
Rapid Transit debt	41,218,700 00				
	76,070,499 98				
Funded debt within the debt limit	\$52,531,901 00				
Offsets to funded debt:					
Sinking funds	\$41,962,311 84				
Less Sinking Funds for debt outside the debt limit:					
City Sinking Funds	\$19,611,718 18				
Water Sinking Fund	359,000 00				
County Sinking Fund	453,608 92				
Rapid Transit Sinking Funds.....	7,346,315 36				
	27,770,642 46				
	\$14,191,669 38				
Premiums on loans.....	\$7,003 50				
Less on loans outside debt limit.....	2,070 00				
	4,933 50				
Offsets to funded debt within the debt limit.....	14,196,602 88				
Net indebtedness within the debt limit.....	\$38,335,298 12				

* Includes \$299,999.98 issued by the Commonwealth under chapter 534 of the Acts of 1906.

DEBT-INCURRING POWER.

Estimate (unofficial) of the amount that may be incurred during the year.....	\$4,360,120 68
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APPROPRIATIONS FOR NEW SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND SITES.

The practice of borrowing for new school buildings was discontinued in 1916. The following amounts have been appropriated from taxes each year since:

1916.....	\$922,812 00
1917.....	940,974 00
1918.....	711,931 00
1919.....	987,310 31
1920.....	2,667,714 22
1921.....	2,793,249 69
1922.....	2,746,749 37
1923.....	3,498,804 45
Total from taxes.....	\$15,269,545 04

BOSTON'S SHARE OF STATE TAX AND ASSESSMENTS PAID TO STATE TREASURER FOR YEAR 1923.

State warrant.....	\$3,302,400 00
Metropolitan sewers (South).....	343,171 03
Metropolitan sewers (North).....	113,783 61
Metropolitan parks.....	999,996 57
Charles River Basin.....	233,200 66
Highways.....	1,297 05
Smoke abatement.....	6,854 50
Fire prevention.....	12,924 39
Neponset River Bridge.....	10,505 05
Highways (county expenses).....	14,001 85
State Guard duty.....	36,450 00
Dorchester Rapid Transit.....	3,741 28
	\$5,078,325 99

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during week ending February 2:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Mary Deraney.....	Rear of 1490 Washington street.	6	Shed.	
Central Building Wrecking Com-pany.	109 and 111 West Fourth street.	9	Tenements.	
City Building Wrecking Com-pany.	90-96 (4) Hichborn street.	26	Dwellings.....	New building.
American Building Wrecking Company.	132-138 Northampton street.	13	Stores and dwellings.	New building.

COMPLETE ZONING SYSTEM.

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is provided which may vary the provision of the act in special cases where there are practical difficulties or unnecessary hardships, in such manner as to carry out its intent. The act will not interfere with private restrictions or other regulations. However, where the zoning law gives greater protection to the appropriate use of buildings or their suitable height or provides larger open spaces it will control.

A Board of Zoning Adjustment, of five city department heads, is provided, with the power to change or adjust the

boundaries of districts after public notice and hearing. The zoning plan, as adopted, will be mainly permanent and changes will only be made after careful investigation and reasonable consideration of such factors as the character of a district, appropriate use of land and the conservation of property values.

Boston will not be attempting something entirely new in establishing zoning, for it was the first city in the country to adopt any regulations of a zoning nature by dividing the city's area into two heights districts in 1904. Five years later Los Angeles established various use district. It was not until 1916

that comprehensive zoning—use, height and area regulations—was adopted, when the New York zoning ordinance was passed. Almost 200 cities and towns in the United States are now zoned. Of the sixty-eight cities in the country over 100,000 population thirty-seven have zoning ordinances in effect. Among large cities that have adopted zoning during the past year are Chicago, Pittsburgh, Baltimore, Providence, Indianapolis, Kansas City, Mo., and Seattle, Wash. Eleven cities and towns in Massachusetts are now zoned, including such near neighbors of Boston as Cambridge, Brookline, Milton and Winthrop.



MAP PREPARED BY PLANNING BOARD TO ILLUSTRATE ZONING SCHEME EMBODIED IN BILL PRESENTED TO LEGISLATURE BY MAYOR CURLEY. (Cut by Courtesy of Christian Science Monitor).

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the complete installation of a heating and ventilating system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$7,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 13, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the complete installation of a plumbing system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 13, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the complete installation of electric wiring and conduit system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, February 25, at 12 m.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the purchase of trimmings, bones and grease. Bond of a satisfactory nature assuring the fulfillment of the contract will be required. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston. The price offered is to be per pound.

Bids close Tuesday, February 19, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering and setting up pupils' school furniture in various schoolhouses for the period of one year. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, February 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the hardware for the complete equipment of the elementary school, Bennett District, Strathmore road and Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton. Surety bond will

be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check, in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, February 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the erection and completion of the Edmund P. Tileston District School, Walk Hill street, Mattapan. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$7,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, February 15, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for cast-iron water pipe and special castings to the amount of 200 tons. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, February 12, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, February 7:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following appointments have been made at the Boston Sanatorium.

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Edward J. Reynolds, assistant resident medical officer, \$1,200 a year; Therese McNeany, Ellen O'Connell, Margaret Morrison, Mary Church, Mary McDonald, Annie Leary, laundresses, \$420 a year; Mary Larkin, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Nellie Fitz, maid, \$468 a year; Loretta Angland, organist, \$460 a year; Mary Harrington, medical recording clerk, \$1,120 a year; Mary Cavanaugh, laundress, \$420 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed: Mary Cavanaugh, Annie Sullivan, Ellen O'Connell, Elizabeth Donnelly, Margaret Morrison, Emma Franch, laundresses, \$420 a year; Minnie Driscoll, nurse, \$900 a year; Nellie Fitz, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Caroline McLaughlin, maid, \$468 a year; Richard Walsh, temporary maid, \$260 a year.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

List of expert temporary employees who have been engaged on zoning and street plan work:

Arthur C. Comey, 9 days at \$20, \$180; G. Hall, 2½ weeks at \$40; January 25, 1½ hours' overtime on zoning map for reproduction purposes on basis of time

and one half at \$1 per hour, \$95.58; Bert Poole, 2½ weeks at \$40, \$93.33; L. E. Oberwarth, 2½ weeks at \$35; January 31, 7 hours' overtime completing zoning map for publicity use on basis of time and one half at 90 cents an hour, \$91.12; G. Tomb, 2½ weeks at \$35; January 31, 7 hours' overtime completing zoning map for publicity use on basis of time and one half at 90 cents an hour, \$91.12; D. Hansen, 2½ weeks, at \$35, \$81.67; A. E. Howard, 2½ weeks at \$35, \$81.67; C. T. Grant, 2½ weeks at \$30, \$70; G. L. Meade, 2½ weeks at \$30, \$70; E. F. Delaney 59½ hours at 90 cents, \$53.55; W. C. Eberhard, 23½ hours at 75 cents, \$17.62; J. E. Crane, 23 hours at 75 cents, \$17.25; A. Rosenbaugh, 19½ hours at 75 cents, \$14.62.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, January 31:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Laura Scherer, ward assistant, \$11 a week; May V. Stanton, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Gertrude Wood, ward assistant, \$11 a week; John Burke, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Edward Duggan, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Mathew Crawford, transfer porter, \$11 a week; John Cole, transfer porter, \$11 a week; John Frevold, transfer porter (re-employed), \$11 a week; John Lydon, male nurse (re-employed), \$17.50 a week; Winifred Hawley, laundress, \$14 a week; Letitia McBride, cleaner (re-employed), \$11.50 a week; Emilie Okunewicz, laundress, \$14 a week; Catherine St. Peter, table girl (re-employed), \$9.50 a week; Hannah Murphy, ward helper, \$11 a week; Nellie Forest, ward helper, \$11 a week; Ella Sealey, elevatorwoman (re-employed), \$11 a week; Winifred Green, head nurse, \$75 a month; Dorothy Bragdon, Christina Fraser, Edith Goodwin, Lillian Kieh, Lillian Kearney, Catherine Loftus, Eleanor Leary, Hazel MacGarvie, Anna Murphy, Margaret Morton, Nora Morrissey, Mildred O'Brien, Bessie Smith, Marion Spillar, Doris True, nurses, no pay.

Temporary.—Charles Kelley, telephone operator, \$20 a week; Fred Baker, watchman, \$12 a week; Josephine Holloway, superintendent nurses, \$22 a week; Katherine Meegan, laundress, \$14 a week; Alice Smith, special nurse, \$35 a week; Stella Schrich, special nurse, \$35 a week; Blanche Matheson, special nurse, \$35 a week; Jennie Richardson, special nurse, \$35 a week; Ruth Levy, affiliated nurse, \$10 a month; Elfreda Nelson, affiliated nurse, \$8 a month; Hilda Nelson, affiliated nurse, \$6 a month; Mary Weldon, affiliated nurse, \$6 a month; Ann Doherty, affiliated nurse, no pay; Florence Tufts, affiliated nurse, no pay; Margaret Campbell, affiliated nurse, \$12 a month.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Mildred Ashton, nurse, at \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Evangeline Gonyer, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Mary Meagher, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; May Cross, nurse, at \$16.67 to head nurse at \$75 a month.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments were made for the week ending Thursday, January 31:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

James Cooney, fireman, at a salary of \$27 a week and board, temporary.

Michael F. Hurney, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Beatrice Tarbox.

Catherine M. Matthews, institution employee, at a salary of \$520 a year, to succeed Helen Dane.

Mary Welch, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Ethel Leadbetter.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

John H. Bockelman has been granted temporary employment as inspector at \$1,600 a year for a period of three months.

Francis E. Kaveney has been promoted from assistant drawtender at \$1,500 a year to first assistant drawtender at \$1,600 a year.

James H. Driscoll has been appointed assistant drawtender at \$1,500 a year.

James J. Griffin, watchman, has been transferred from the Institutions Department to the Bridge Service in a similar position at \$4 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

William J. Kinsman has been appointed permanent deckhand at \$4.25 a day.

John J. McDonough has been granted an extension of temporary employment as fireman at \$5.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

John H. McGrath and Harry Hitchcock have been continued in temporary employment as plumbers at \$4.50 a day.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, January 31:

Main Department.

W. J. Robbins, plumber, 12 hours, \$7.56; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 3½ hours, \$2.44; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 17½ hours \$11.21; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$4; J. McKenzie, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; W. Camrell, elevatorman 12 hours, \$3; Rose Camrel, elevatorwoman, 12 hours, \$2.76; C. Glasgow, elevatorwoman, 12 hours, \$2.76; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Murphy, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$6.75; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63.

South Department.

J. J. Bean, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$6.75.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

J. Corcoran, porter and tending furnace, 24 hours, \$13.50; P. Joyce, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75; W. Nolan, porter and tending furnace, 24 hours, \$13.50.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Kane, M. Fitzgerald, porters and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75 each. Total, \$109.06.

For the week ending Thursday, February 7:

Main Department.

D. Bransfield, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; V. Pepe, fireman, 24 hours, \$16.50; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; P. Curran, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; J. Wood, jobber, 12 hours, \$4, and 1 day, \$2.67; J. Ward, jobber, 12 hours, \$4; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 15 hours, \$8.75; E. McNealey, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$5.91; C. Doran, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$5.91; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; A. Londen, elevator woman, 12 hours, \$2.76; W. Shea, laundryman, 13½ hours, \$10.13; A. Imbrato, laundryman, 13½ hours, \$8.17; J. Lorden, laundryman, 12 hours, \$7.26; J. Scaduto, laundryman, 13½ hours, \$7.03; F. Polasek, laundryman, 11½ hours, \$5.40; A. Howard, laundryman, 15½ hours, \$6.93; P. Connors, laundryman, 13½ hours, \$5.67; J. Kelley, porter, 11½ hours, \$3.28; P. Sheppelle, porter, 11½ hours, \$3.28; M. Davis, laundry assistant, 15½ hours, \$5.91; M. Keating, laundry assistant, 5½ hours, \$1.81; C. Stepien, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.59; C. Barry, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.59; A. Taura, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.76; A. Cederstrom, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; G. Baker, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; L. Brickley, laundress, 13½ hours, \$3.94; M. Cotter, laundress, 9½ hours, \$2.84; C. Devlin, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; M. Devlin, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; M. Falvey, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; C. Farren, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; E. Okinowicz, laundress, 2½ hours, \$0.66; W. Hawley, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; E. Frieberg, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; M. Gannon, laundress, 7½ hours, \$2.19; M. Ham, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; C. Harkins, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; M. Haynes, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; L. Kaphs, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; M. Keegan, laundress, 9½ hours, \$2.84; Mary Keegan, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; N. Keegan, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; S. Koldys, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; M. Lange, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; M. Medane, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; M. Schwolman, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; H. Reardon, laundress, 7½ hours, \$2.19; L. Schwolmann, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; A. Seinkeiwicz, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; B. Sparrow, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; A. Stanulys, laundress, 12½ hours, \$3.72; N. Tapert, laundress, 2½ hours, \$0.66; M. Wall, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; M. Witte, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; K. Zylite, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; V. Ziembra, laundress, 12½ hours, \$3.72; A. Grundman, laundress, 4½ hours, \$1.31; C. Peterson, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; E. Freidburg, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

J. Corcoran, P. Joyce, J. McKenzie, W. Nolan, porters and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75 each; R. Keith, laundryman, 13½ hours, \$8.17; A. McGonagle, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; T. McKenna, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53; E. Gardner, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. J. Kane, F. Ruggiero, porters and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75 each; M. Harkins, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; J. Keohane, laundress, 15½ hours, \$4.59; N. McKenzie, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, February 7:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Engineers.—John Melley, Walter J. West, William G. Feeney, 1½ days, \$9 each.

Fireman.—Francis J. Berg, 1½ days, \$8.25.

House of Correction.

Engineers.—William O'Melia, Ernest Rousseau, John Fay, Walter Purdy, Patrick Shea, 1 day, \$6 each.

Firemen.—Timothy Hurley, Neil Grant, David J. Tobin, Thomas Finn, 1 day \$5 each.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, January 31:

Dennis Daly, chauffeur, 1 day, \$4.50; Thomas Foley, chauffeur, 1 day, \$4.50; Peter Powers, rigger, 1 day, \$5; John Smith, laborer, 1 day, \$4; John J. Walsh, working foreman, 1 day, \$4.38; total, \$22.38.

For the week ending Thursday, February 7:

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, February 7:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, George J. Duffy, Austin Kelly, Bernard McCabe, Henry J. Moylan, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

John Gormley, Joseph Mulrey, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Eustis Street Ground.

Michael Kerins, fireman-gardener, 1 day, \$4.50.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 4:

Drawtenders.—M. F. Doyle, Jr., 1 day, \$4.93.

First Assistant Drawtender.—J. F. O'Neil, 1 day, \$4.38.

Assistant Drawtenders.—W. E. Osborne, 2 days, \$8.22; S. J. Broderick, T. J. Dwyer, D. M. Clifford, J. F. Barrett, F. J. Sherry, J. F. O'Neil, B. J. Hagerty, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Subforemen.—J. D. O'Brien, P. J. Henebury, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Carpenters.—F. McConn, A. W. Clancy, M. J. Donahue, J. T. Mahan, R. E. Dooley, P. J. Jacobs, B. A. McShane, J. J. O'Hearn, J. J. McInnis, 1 day, \$5 each; P. O'Toole, 1½ days, \$6.25; C. Conley, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Chauffeurs.—J. J. Green, T. Sullivan, 1 day, \$3.86 each.

Laborers.—H. M. McLaughlin, J. Manus, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Total, \$135.77.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 4:

Quartermaster.—Thomas A. O'Hare, ½ day, \$2.72.

Gateman.—Christopher T. Leonard, 2 days, \$9.60.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, ¾ day, \$3.75.

Deckhand.—Thomas Barry, ½ day, \$2.66.

Total, \$18.73.

Net cost for the week ending February 4, 1924, \$3.75.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 4:

Teamsters.—J. F. Maloney, 2 days, \$8.
Blacksmiths.—M. McGovern, W. J. O'Brien, M. F. Sullivan, 2 days, \$10 each.

Blacksmith's Assistant.—C. J. Sullivan, 2 days, \$8.50.

Laborer.—A. R. Gaffey, 2 days, \$8.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablenen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Yard Laborer.—J. J. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.

Teamsters.—L. A. Medus, P. J. Nee, J. J. McKenna, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3 each.

Chauffeurs.—M. J. Coakley, J. J. Landirgan, $\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$6.25 each.

Chauffeur.—F. G. McDonald, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.75.

Teamster.—J. J. Fleming, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.50.

Total, \$108.50.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 4:

Street Engineer.—Michael Duffy, 1 day, \$5.

Sewer Cleaners.—Michael Foley, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.38; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers.—Stephen Connolly, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$17; John Crowley, Timothy Driscoll, James Schofield, 3 days, \$12 each; Patrick McDonough, John Lomasney, Timothy Kennedy, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11 each; Patrick Fitzgerald, James McFarland, Thomas McDonough, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each; Peter Keenan, John Waters, Daniel Sullivan, Daniel Donovan, Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4 each; Daniel McKenna, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3; Lawrence Hillary, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50.

Total, \$154.88.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 4:

Chauffeurs.—T. J. McDonald, $3\frac{3}{4}$ days, \$18.13; T. J. Murphy, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$14.38; M. F. Givonella, $1\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$8.75; J. A. McCabe, William G. Earley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.75 each; J. J. Connors, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.38; H. Barry, 1 day, \$5.

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, J. Zuccola, M. J. O'Connell, B. J. Doherty, G. F. Keegan, M. Cashman, N. Cesso, M. Donlin, W. F. Gillen, W. H. Haugh, T. F. Kilroy, D. P. Minihan, H. Riley, J. Wark, M. Allen, M. T. Clougherty, H. A. Bourdon, R. Dicillio, J. Donahue, F. DiMatteo, G. Galluccio, J. J. Glancy, V. Piscitelli, J. F. Brown, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each; R. C. Burke, C. Noon, S. A. Sawyer, J. J. Carroll, J. F. Eaton, G. F. Linsky, J. Considine, R. M. Jennings, W. C. Curley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4 each.

Feeder.—L. McGahan, 1 day, \$4.25.

Total, \$198.39.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 4:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. Conlon, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.84; M. Walsh, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.17.

Repairers.—J. Moran, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; G. Cozza, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.11; M. O'Day, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.59; S. Mariani, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.84;

J. Leonard, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.59; R. Doyle, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$26.72; C. Driscoll, $4\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$21.56; E. Hasenfus, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.41; P. Ippolito, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.09; P. Clougherty, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.80; P. Coleman, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.38; W. Shields, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.06; G. Waters, $1\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$6.38; T. Joyce, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.75; J. Blessington, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.59; T. Rose, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$4.22; T. Byrnes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.91; J. O'Brien, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.00; T. Noonan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; J. Gallagher, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.59; S. Mickewicz, $1\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$5.91; M. Matthews, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$10.97; S. McKenna, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3; J. McLean, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.59; F. Shena, $1\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$6.23; P. Murphy, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.86; M. Hart, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$16.45; G. Carroll, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.02; J. Tierney, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.69; J. Callahan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.22.

Transit Job.—J. Cummings, $3\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$16.56; M. Matthews, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$9.28; M. Rizzo, $4\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$17.27; G. Cataldon, N. De Eso, J. Fenton, P. Green, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.25 each; J. McLaughlin, 2 days, \$8; S. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4; T. Thureson, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.50; J. Murphy, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.13.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.38; G. Cunningham, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.13; A. Delaney, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.75; J. Burns, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.38; J. Dillon, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; A. LoPilato, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.20; M. Brown, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.75; P. Lynch, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$22.71; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4; P. Mulkern, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6; W. Kravets, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; A. Rolfe, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.25; T. O'Brien, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.20; F. Petrocelli, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.96; J. Phipps, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; F. Ware, $4\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$18.33; J. O'Toole, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6; G. Greer, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.38; J. Feeley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; H. Cauley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.38; E. Keefe, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.25; F. Laskey, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.75; P. McManus, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; J. McGee, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.75; J. Lonergan, $1\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$5.25; M. Brown, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.75.

Total, \$430.97; paid by Transit Department, \$80.74; net total, \$350.23.

THANKS MAYOR FOR ATTITUDE ON MEMORIAL TREES.

Mayor Curley on Saturday, February 2, received the following letter from John Kirkegaard of the New England Nurseries Company, Bedford, Mass.

As it was through my suggestion that a delegation from the New England Nurserymen's Association called on you, to protest against the use of foreign trees to commemorate American heroes, allow me to hasten to express my appreciation of the position, which you, according to this morning's *Herald*, have taken in the matter.

The members of the association, while naturally jealous of their business, were however chiefly prompted in their actions by reason of their patriotism, and the fact that your views coincide with ours, is very gratifying.

The matter of which American nursery should supply the trees, is with the members of the association, a very secondary consideration, but if it is decided to use European elms and lindens, I personally am satisfied that such can be procured in American grown stock of the required size, and in far superior quality, than such as may be imported from Europe, where climatic conditions are so much different from those of ours. I am sure that all members of the association will join me in thanking you for the stand you have taken in the matter.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN KIRKEGAARD.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Bay State Dredging and Contracting Company for dredging dock and repairing wharf for Engine Company 31, fireboat. Bids for the work, opened January 24, were as follows:

Bay State Dredging and Contracting Company, \$4,572.50; W. S. Rendle & Son, \$5,053; Rendle, Stoddard Construction Company, \$5,567.50; W. A. Norton Company, \$5,580.50; W. H. Ellis & Son, \$6,173.50; C. & R. Construction Company, \$6,652.50; William L. Miller Company, \$7,373.50.

Bay State Dredging and Contracting Company.—Item 1, \$5; Item 2, \$0.70; Item 3, \$35.40; Item 4, \$130; Item 5, \$190; Item 6, \$15; Item 7, \$2; Item 8, \$5.70; Item 9, \$0.20.

W. S. Rendle & Son.—Item 1, \$10; Item 2, \$0.80; Item 3, \$48; Item 4, \$170; Item 5, \$183; Item 6, \$10; Item 7, \$1; Item 8, \$3; Item 9, \$0.15.

Rendle, Stoddard Construction Company.—Item 1, \$15; Item 2, \$1; Item 3, \$50; Item 4, \$150; Item 5, \$150; Item 6, \$50; Item 7, \$1.50; Item 8, \$2; Item 9, \$0.40.

W. A. Norton Company.—Item 1, \$10; Item 2, \$1; Item 3, \$53; Item 4, \$138; Item 5, \$148; Item 6, \$25; Item 7, \$1; Item 8, \$2.50; Item 9, \$0.50.

W. H. Ellis & Son.—Item 1, \$19; Item 2, \$1.13; Item 3, \$55; Item 4, \$147; Item 5, \$159; Item 6, \$50; Item 7, \$1; Item 8, \$3; Item 9, \$0.50.

C. & R. Construction Company.—Item 1, \$10; Item 2, \$1.50; Item 3, \$48; Item 4, \$120; Item 5, \$140; Item 6, \$10; Item 7, \$0.50; Item 8, \$2; Item 9, \$0.15.

William L. Miller Company.—Item 1, \$10; Item 2, \$1.69; Item 3, \$48; Item 4, \$130; Item 5, \$130; Item 6, \$60; Item 7, \$1.50; Item 8, \$4; Item 9, \$0.30.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon February 2 the Mayor approved a contract for repairs to the Paris Street Gymnasium, East Boston. Bids for the work, opened January 24, were as follows:

Casey & Darcy, \$4,444; John McDonald Construction Company, \$4,318; Walter Curley & Son, \$3,177; M. S. Kelliher & Co., \$2,988.50; John P. Curley, \$2,895; R. A. Bossi Company, \$2,620.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

The Mayor has approved a contract with P. F. Donovan, after readvertisement, for collecting and removing ashes, etc., in the Brighton district. Bids for the work, opened January 31, were as follows:

P. F. Donovan, \$6,425 per month; Thomas J. McCue, \$5,599 per month; Thomas F. Meaney, \$5,795 per month; M. H. Loonie, \$6,650 per month; A. De Stefano, Jr., \$6,666.67 per month; John J. Lane, \$7,400 per month.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 31 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as shown below for furnishing gauze, Bellevue

rolls, etc., to various city departments. Bids for the supplies, opened January 29, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Five Thousand Yards 36-inch Double Gauze.—Lewis Manufacturing Company, 3.65 cents per yard (20 by 12); 3.74 cents per yard (20 by 14); New Hartford Cotton Manufacturing Company, 3.74 cents per yard; Joseph A. Flynn, 3.745 cents per yard; Johnson & Johnson, 3.94 cents per yard; Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, 3.72 cents per yard.*

Bandages.—Twelve dozen 1½-inch: Lewis Manufacturing Company, 69 cents per dozen; New Hartford Cotton Manufacturing Company, 54 cents per dozen*; Joseph A. Flynn, 68 cents per dozen; Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, 58 cents per dozen; J. G. Bowden & Sons, 68 cents per dozen.

Forty dozen 2-inch: Lewis Manufacturing Company, 86 cents per dozen; New Hartford Cotton Manufacturing Company, 70 cents per dozen*; Joseph A. Flynn, 86 cents per dozen; Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, 72 cents per dozen; J. G. Bowden & Sons, 90 cents per dozen.

Twelve dozen 2½-inch: Lewis Manufacturing Company, \$1.02 per dozen; New Hartford Cotton Manufacturing Company, 80 cents per dozen*; Joseph A. Flynn, 95 cents per dozen; Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, 97 cents per dozen; J. G. Bowden & Sons, \$1 per dozen.

Twenty-five dozen 3-inch: Lewis Manufacturing Company, \$1.18 per dozen; New Hartford Cotton Manufacturing Company, 94 cents per dozen*; Joseph A. Flynn, \$1.15 per dozen; Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, \$1.12 per dozen; J. G. Bowden & Sons, \$1.20 per dozen.

Ten dozen 4-inch: Lewis Manufacturing Company, \$1.56 per dozen; New Hartford Cotton Manufacturing Company, \$1.18 per dozen*; Joseph A. Flynn, \$1.56 per dozen; Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, \$1.47 per dozen; J. G. Bowden & Sons, \$1.48 per dozen.

One Hundred Fifty Pounds Waste Cotton.—Joseph A. Flynn, 35 cents per pound*; Johnson & Johnson, 37 cents per pound; J. G. Bowden & Sons, 35 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Absorbent Cotton.—Lewis Manufacturing Company, 45 cents per pound*; Joseph A. Flynn, 46 cents per pound; Johnson & Johnson, 58 cents per pound.

Discount 10 Days.—Lewis Manufacturing Company, 1 per cent (balance not taken June 1, 1924, to be canceled); New Hartford Cotton Manufacturing Company, 1 per cent; Johnson & Johnson, 1 per cent; J. G. Bowden & Sons, 2 per cent.

City Hospital.

Five Hundred Thousand Yards Absorbent Gauze, 20 by 14.—Lewis Manufacturing Company, 3.65 cents per yard (20 by 12); 3.74 cents per yard (20 by 14); New Hartford Cotton Manufacturing Company, 3.74 cents per yard; Joseph A. Flynn, 3.745 cents per yard; Johnson & Johnson, 3.94 cents per yard; Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, 3.72 cents per yard.*

Fifteen Thousand Yards Bellevue Colls.—Lewis Manufacturing Company, 9 cents per yard*; New Hartford Cotton Manufacturing Company, 6 cents per yard; Joseph A. Flynn, 5.95 cents per yard; Johnson & Johnson, 6.6 cents

per yard; Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, 5.95 cents per yard.

Six Thousand Pounds Absorbent Cotton.—Lewis Manufacturing Company, 45 cents per pound*; Joseph A. Flynn, 46 cents per pound; Johnson & Johnson, 58 cents per pound.

Eighty Bales Sheet Wadding.—Joseph A. Flynn, \$24.50 per bale; J. G. Bowden & Sons, 51 cents per pound; \$20.40 per bale.*

Long Island.

Sixty-five Thousand Yards Absorbent Gauze, 20 by 14.—Lewis Manufacturing Company, 3.65 cents per yard (20 by 12); 3.74 cents per yard (20 by 14); New Hartford Cotton Manufacturing Company, 3.74 cents per yard; Joseph A. Flynn, 3.745 cents per yard; Johnson & Johnson, 3.94 cents per yard; Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, 3.72 cents per yard.*

Six Hundred Pounds Absorbent Cotton.—Lewis Manufacturing Company, 45 cents per pound; Joseph A. Flynn, 46 cents per pound; Johnson & Johnson, 58 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Forty Pounds Wadding.—Joseph A. Flynn, \$24.50 per bale; J. G. Bowden & Sons, \$20.40 per bale; 51 cents per pound.

Fifteen Hundred Pounds Waste.—Lewis Manufacturing Company, 34 cents per pound*; Joseph A. Flynn, 25 cents per pound; Johnson & Johnson, 37 cents per pound; J. G. Bowden & Sons, 35 cents per pound.*

Upon January 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the J. H. McCafferty Company for furnishing composition castings to the Water Service, Public Works Department. Bids for the supplies, opened January 28, were as follows:

Thirteen Thousand Pounds No. 1 Castings.—J. H. McCafferty Company, 23 cents per pound; Gibby Foundry Company, 27 cents per pound.

Twenty-five Thousand Pounds No. 2 Castings.—J. H. McCafferty Company, 20 cents per pound; Gibby Foundry Company, 24 cents per pound.

Eight Thousand Five Hundred Pounds No. 3 Castings.—J. H. McCafferty Company, 17 cents per pound; Gibby Foundry Company, 18 cents per pound.

Total.—J. H. McCafferty Company, \$9,435; Gibby Foundry Company, \$11,040.

Upon February 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the Gamon Meter Company for furnishing water meters to the Public Works Department, Water Service. Bids for the supply, opened January 19, were as follows:

Six Thousand Five Hundred Five Eighths Inch.—Federal Meter Company, Inc., \$9.40 each; Gamon Meter Company, \$6.80 each; Worthington Pump and Machinery Corporation, \$6.90 each; Hersey Manufacturing Company, \$9.45 each; Union Water Meter Company, \$7.10 each; Buffalo Meter Company, \$8.48 each.

Two Hundred Three Fourths Inch.—Federal Meter Company, Inc., \$14 each; Gamon Meter Company, \$10.20 each; Worthington Pump and Machinery Corporation, \$10.50 each; Hersey Manufacturing Company, \$14.17½ each; Union Water Meter Company, \$10.25 each; Buffalo Meter Company, \$12.68 each.

*Awarded contracts or orders.

One Hundred Fifty One Inch.—Federal Meter Company, Inc., \$20 each; Gamon Meter Company, \$15 each; Worthington Pump and Machinery Corporation, \$14 each; Hersey Manufacturing Company, \$20.79 each; Union Water Meter Company, \$14.20 each; Buffalo Meter Company, \$18.61 each.

One Hundred One and One Half Inch.—Federal Meter Company, Inc., \$35 each; Gamon Meter Company, \$28 each; Worthington Pump and Machinery Corporation, \$30 each; Hersey Manufacturing Company, \$36 each; Union Water Meter Company, \$33 each; Buffalo Meter Company, \$32 each.

Seventy Five Two Inch.—Federal Meter Company, Inc., \$54 each; Gamon Meter Company, \$48 each; Worthington Pump and Machinery Corporation, \$46 each; Hersey Manufacturing Company, \$54 each; Union Water Meter Company, \$50 each; Buffalo Meter Company, \$48 each.

Fifty Three Inch.—Federal Meter Company, Inc., \$108 each; Gamon Meter Company, \$100 each; Worthington Pump and Machinery Corporation, \$98 each; Hersey Manufacturing Company, \$108 each; Union Water Meter Company, \$110 each; \$187.20 (compound all bronze case with flanges); Buffalo Meter Company, \$96 each.

Total.—Federal Meter Company, Inc., \$79,850; Gamon Meter Company, \$59,890; Worthington Pump and Machinery Corporation, \$60,400; Hersey Manufacturing Company, \$80,428.50; Union Water Meter Company, \$62,880; Buffalo Meter Company, \$72,047.

Upon February 2 the Mayor approved a contract with E. M. Parker for furnishing X-ray films and materials for the various city departments. Bids for the supply, opened January 28, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Eighteen Packages No. 4 Fix. Powder.—Robey-French Company, \$1.88 per package; E. M. Parker, \$2.25 per package; Knickerbocker Supply Company, \$1.24 per package; James Picker, Inc., \$1.86 per package.

Ten Packages Barium Sulphate.—Robey-French Company, \$1.92 per package; Knickerbocker Supply Company, 79 cents per package; James Picker, Inc., 72 cents per package.

Duplitzed X-ray Films.—Thirty-six dozen 8 by 10: Robey-French Company, \$2.37 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$2.35 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$2.38 per dozen.

Thirty-six dozen 10 by 12: Robey-French Company, \$3.72 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$3.71 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$3.74 per dozen.

Thirty-six dozen 11 by 14: Robey-French Company, \$4.74 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$4.73 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$4.77 per dozen.

One hundred forty-four dozen 14 by 17: Robey-French Company, \$7.20 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$7.19 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$7.24 per dozen.

Total.—Robey-French Company, \$18,871; E. M. Parker, \$18,713.91 (barium sulphate not on bid); James Picker, Inc., \$18,786.99.

Discount, 10 Days.—Knickerbocker Supply Company, 1 per cent.

City Hospital.

Duplitzed X-ray Films.—One thousand dozen 14 by 17: Robey-French

Company, \$7.20 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$7.19 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$7.24 per dozen.

Two hundred dozen 11 by 14: Robey-French Company, \$4.74 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$4.73 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$4.77 per dozen.

Eleven hundred dozen 10 by 12: Robey-French Company, \$3.72 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$3.71 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$3.74 per dozen.

Twelve hundred dozen 8 by 10: Robey-French Company, \$2.37 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$2.35 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$2.38 per dozen.

Four Hundred Dozen Dental X-ray Films.—Robey-French Company, 54 cents per dozen; E. M. Parker, 52 cents per dozen; James Picker, Inc., 51 cents per dozen.

Twenty Dozen Nose X-ray Films.—E. M. Parker, \$1.63 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$1.83 per dozen.

Six Hundred Pounds Barium Sulphate.—Robey-French Company, 39 cents per pound; E. M. Parker, 17 cents per pound; Knickerbocker Supply Company, 16 cents per pound; James Picker, Inc., 14.4 cents per pound.

Twenty-six Hundred Pounds Sodium Hypsulphite.—Robey-French Company, 4.10 cents per 100 pounds; E. M. Parker, 5 cents per pound; Knickerbocker Supply Company, 4 cents per pound; James Picker, Inc., 4.75 cents per 100 pounds.

Ten Pounds Potassium Sulphate.—E. M. Parker, 67 cents per pound; James Picker, Inc., 60 cents per pound.

Ninety Pounds Sodium Sulphate.—Robey-French Company, 19 cents per pound; E. M. Parker, 20 cents per pound; Knickerbocker Supply Company, 17 cents per pound; James Picker, Inc., 18 cents per pound.

Seventy Pounds Meta Bisulphide.—Robey-French Company, 50 cents per pound; E. M. Parker, 52 cents per pound; Knickerbocker Supply Company, 25 cents per pound; James Picker, Inc., 30 cents per pound.

Thirty Pounds Sulphuric Acid.—Robey-French Company, 68 cents per pound; E. M. Parker, 45 cents per pound; James Picker, Inc., 42 cents per pound.

Five Pounds Potassium Ferricyanid.—Robey-French Company, \$1.70 per pound; E. M. Parker, \$1.60 per pound; Knickerbocker Supply Company, \$1.09 per pound; James Picker, Inc., 73 cents per pound.

Fifteen Pounds Chrome Alum.—Robey-French Company, 25 cents per pound; E. M. Parker, 22 cents per pound; Knickerbocker Supply Company, 19 cents per pound; James Picker, Inc., 19 cents per pound.

One Hundred Seventy-five Cans Developing Powder.—Robey-French Company, \$2.62 per can; E. M. Parker, \$2.62 per can; Knickerbocker Supply Company, \$1.75 per can; James Picker, Inc., \$2.61 per can.

Thirty Dozen Lantern Slides.—Robey-French Company, 43 cents per dozen; E. M. Parker, 45 cents per dozen; Knickerbocker Supply Company, 34 cents per dozen; James Picker, Inc., 37 cents per dozen.

Thirty Dozen W. Plates, 5 by 7.—Robey-French Company, \$1.53 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$1.65 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$1.77 per dozen.

Fifty Dozen Printing Paper.—Robey-French Company, 22.5 cents per dozen; E. M. Parker, 21 cents per dozen; James Picker, Inc., 19 cents per dozen.

Six Dozen Hangers, 10 by 12.—Robey-

French Company, \$15.36 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$14.40 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$13.56 per dozen.

Six Dozen Hangers, 14 by 17.—Robey-French Company, \$20.40 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$19.20 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$18 per dozen.

Six Dozen Hangers, 8 by 10.—Robey-French Company, \$12.75 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$12 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$11.28 per dozen.

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Duplitzed X-ray Films.—Seventy dozen 14 by 17: Robey-French Company, \$7.20 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$7.19 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$7.24 per dozen.

Twenty-five dozen 11 by 14: Robey-French Company, \$4.74 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$4.73 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$4.77 per dozen.

Thirty-six dozen 10 by 12: Robey-French Company, \$3.72 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$3.71 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$3.74 per dozen.

Eighteen dozen 8 by 10: Robey-French Company, \$2.37 per dozen; E. M. Parker, \$2.35 per dozen; James Picker, Inc., \$2.38 per dozen.

Twelve Dozen Dental Films.—Robey-French Company, 54 cents per dozen; E. M. Parker, 52 cents per dozen; James Picker, Inc., 51 cents per dozen.

Nine Packages No. 4 Developing Powder.—Robey-French Company, \$2.62 per package; E. M. Parker, \$2.62 per package; Knickerbocker Supply Company, \$1.75 per package; James Picker, Inc., \$2.61 per package.

Twenty-seven Packages No. 3 Developing Powder.—Robey-French Company, 64 cents per package; E. M. Parker, 64 cents per package; Knickerbocker Supply Company, 42.5 cents per package; James Picker, Inc., 63 cents per package.

Upon February 4 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for furnishing meats to various city departments during February, 1924. Bids for the supplies, opened January 31, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Two Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—Munro-Sexton Company, 14 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 17 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Veal.—Munro-Sexton Company, 16 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 15 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound.

Thirty-five Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Munro-Sexton Company, 19.5 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19.5 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Chucks.—Munro-Sexton Company, 8 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 10.5 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 11 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound.

Thirteen Hundred Pounds Lamb.—Munro-Sexton Company, 22 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 23 cents per

pound; Merchants Provision Company, 23 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 21.75 cents per pound.

Fifty Pounds Bacon.—Munro-Sexton Company, 14 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 16.5 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Eighty Pounds Ham.—Munro-Sexton Company, 20 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Fowl.—Munro-Sexton Company, 32 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 35 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 31 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 32 cents per pound.

Twenty-five Pounds Salt Pork.—Munro-Sexton Company, 12 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 12.5 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 12 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound.

Total.—Munro-Sexton Company, \$1,681.70; Thomas J. Kelly, \$1,797; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,785.40; Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,698.50; William A. Doe Company, \$1,681.50.

Institutions Department.

Long Island Hospital.

Three Thousand Pounds Corned Beef Stickers.—Munro-Sexton Company, 9 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Corned Beef Brisket.—Munro-Sexton Company, 18 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 18 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18.5 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Pounds Rib Cuts.—Munro-Sexton Company, 19 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe, 19 cents per pound.

One Hundred Twenty Pounds Ham.—Munro-Sexton Company, 20 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound.

One Thousand Pounds Fowl.—Munro-Sexton Company, 30 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 33 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 31 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 30 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 30 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Munro-Sexton Company, 19 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19.5 cents per pound.

Twenty-two Hundred Pounds Lamb.—Munro-Sexton Company, 22 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 23 cents per

pound; Merchants Provision Company, 23 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 21.75 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Frankfurts.—Munro-Sexton Company, 12 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Twenty Pounds Pork Sausage.—Munro-Sexton Company, 30 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 30 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 30 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 25 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 25 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Fifty Pounds Pork Loins.—Munro-Sexton Company, 14 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 17 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16.5 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound.

One Hundred Fifty Pounds Bacon.—Munro-Sexton Company, 14 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 16.5 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Lamb Fores.—Munro-Sexton Company, 15 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 18 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 16 cents per pound.

Total.—Munro-Sexton Company, \$2,143; Thomas J. Kelly, \$2,363.95; Merchants Provision Company, \$2,300.95; Mohawk Packing Company, \$2,268.70*; William A. Doe Company, \$2,213.40.

Deer Island.
Eighteen Hundred Pounds Corned Beef Stickers.—Munro-Sexton Company, 9 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 10.5 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound.

Nine Hundred Pounds Undercuts.—Munro-Sexton Company, 16 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 18 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Pounds Saddle Lamb.—Munro-Sexton Company, 28 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 28 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 27 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Pounds Fowl.—Munro-Sexton Company, 32 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 35 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 31 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 32 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Frankfurts.—Munro-Sexton Company, 12 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Pounds Short Ribs.—

Munro-Sexton Company, 20 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Steer Hinds.—Munro-Sexton Company, 11 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19.5 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Pounds Fore Quarters.—Munro-Sexton Company, 11 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 12 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 11 cents per pound.

Total.—Munro-Sexton Company, \$987;

Thomas J. Kelly, \$1,067; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,046; Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,042*; William A. Doe Company, \$1,009.

Park Department.
Two Thousand Pounds Chucks.—Munro-Sexton Company, 8.49 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10.5 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound.

Total.—Munro-Sexton Company, \$169.80; Thomas J. Kelly, \$200; Merchants Provision Company, \$200; Mohawk Packing Company, \$210*; William A. Doe Company, \$200.

*Awarded contract.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon February 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the lowest bidders as shown below for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during February, 1924. Bids for the supplies, opened January 31, were as follows:

DISTRICTS.	No. 2 Hay.	No. 3 Hay.	Straw.	No. 2 Oats.	Shorts.	Corn.
SOUTH BOSTON.						
The Whittemore Company.....				\$0 63	\$37 00	* \$1 20
Lord & Webster Company.....	† \$27 25		\$31 00	6475	41 00	1 37
	‡ 27 75					
	* 24 75	\$24 25				
Hosmer-Robinson & Co.....						
Sumner-Crosby & Sons, Inc.....				* 62	* 37 00	
John J. White Company.....	26 00	25 25	* 29 50	6575	39 50	
EAST BOSTON.						
Lord & Webster Company.....	† 27 25		31 00	6475	41 07	* 1 37
	‡ 27 75					
	25 00	24 50				
Holmer-Robinson & Co.....	* 24 95	24 45	* 26 90	* 63	* 38 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....						
CHARLESTOWN.						
The Whittemore Company.....				63	37 00	* 1 20
Lord & Webster Company.....	† 27 25		29 75	6475	40 00	1 37
	‡ 27 75					
	* 24 50	24 00				
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....						
Sumner-Crosby & Son, Inc.....				* 62	* 37 00	
John J. White Company.....	26 00	25 25	29 50	64	40 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	24 95	24 45	* 26 90	62	38 00	
Gordon Dawson Company.....	24 90	24 50				
CITY PROPER.						
The Whittemore Company.....				63	37 00	* 1 20
Lord & Webster Company.....	† 27 25		27 25	6475	39 75	1 37
	‡ 27 75					
	* 24 50	24 00	27 00			
Hosmer-Robinson & Co.....						
Sumner-Crosby & Son, Inc.....				* 62	* 37 00	
John J. White Company.....	25 50	24 75	28 50	6325	39 50	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....			* 26 90			
Gordon Dawson Company.....	24 90	24 50				
ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	26 40	26 15	28 00	63	37 00	1 20
Lord & Webster Company.....	† 27 25		29 75	6475	41 00	1 37
	‡ 27 75					
Sumner-Crosby & Sons, Inc.....				* 62	* 37 00	
John J. White Company.....	26 00	25 25	28 50	635	40 00	
Landy Brothers.....	* 25 75		* 27 00	65	39 00	* 1 20
DORCHESTER.						
The Whittemore Company.....	26 40	26 15	28 00	* 63	* 37 00	1 20
Lord & Webster Company.....	† 27 25		29 25	6475	41 00	1 27
	‡ 27 75					
	* 25 75		* 27 00	65	39 00	* 1 20
Landy Brothers.....						
WEST ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	26 40	26 15	28 00	* 63	* 37 00	1 20
Landy Brothers.....	* 23 75		* 27 00	65	39 00	* 1 20
BRIGHTON.						
The Whittemore Company.....	28 00	27 75	28 50	645	* 39 00	1 20
Ogden & Thompson.....	* 28 00	26 50	* 27 50	* 645	40 00	* 1 15
HYDE PARK.						
The Whittemore Company.....	* 28 00	27 75	* 28 50	* 645	* 39 00	* 1 20

* Awarded contracts. † Grassy. ‡ Timothy.

TRANSFERS IN APPROPRIATIONS.
City Auditor Rupert S. Carven announces the following transfers in appropriations in departments of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk, indorsed by Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox and approved by his Honor the Mayor:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, January 31, 1924.
HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:
DEAR SIR,—We respectfully ask for the transfer of \$439.71, within the department appropriation, from the following items on page 162:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerks, 2 at \$1,500-\$1,600, \$180.17, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, 7 Second Assistant Assessors at \$1,200, \$33.33; 1 Sales Clerk at \$2,400, \$0.14; 9 Special Clerks and Tax Examiners at \$2,100, \$40.27; 1 Clerk at \$1,700, \$6.50; 2 Clerks at \$1,400, \$26.32; 1 Executive Clerk at \$2,400, \$0.86; 1 Clerk and Stenographer at \$1,600-\$1,700, \$0.35; 1 Clerk at \$1,400-\$1,500, \$0.62; A-2, Temporary Employees, \$7.40; B-28, Expert and Architect, \$64.38—\$180.17.

From A-1, 2 Clerks at \$1,200, \$34.84, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$34.84.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$75, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$75.

From B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$35.89, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$35.89.

From A-1, 46 First Assistant Assessors at \$1,500-\$1,600, \$0.84; 1 Civil Engineer at \$2,500, \$1.10; 1 Special Assessment Clerk at \$2,000, \$12.68; 1 Special Clerk and Tax Examiner at \$2,000, \$2.63; 1 Special Clerk and Tax Examiner at \$1,900, \$0.50; 2 Special Clerks and Tax Examiners at \$1,800, \$3.03; 5 Clerks at \$1,900, \$15.32; 1 Chauffeur at \$1,600, \$1.26; 29 Clerks (piece-work), \$1.33; B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$6.16; B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, \$10; B-39, General Plant, \$3.75; C-4, Motor Vehicle Equipment, \$6.47; C-9, Office Equipment, \$0.72; C-10, Library, \$18.25; D-11, Motor Vehicle Supplies, \$28.83; F-14, Special Items (Listing), \$0.94—\$113.81, to D-1, Office Supplies, \$113.81.

The amounts requested for transfer in the A Personal Service group are due to adjustments necessary to balance the accounts for the fiscal year.

The amount requested for D-1 is for payment of outstanding accounts for 1923.

The amount required for B-28, Expert and Architect, is in payment of outstanding accounts for 1923, due to increased requirements for new plans.

Respectfully,

BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
by NEAL J. HOLLAND,
Acting Chairman.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 31, 1924.

CITY CLERK DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

MR. RUPERT S. CARVEN, *City Auditor*:

DEAR SIR,—You are respectfully requested to make the following transfer in the appropriation for City Clerk Department for the year 1923-24:

From A-1, Permanent Employees, 1 Clerk at \$1,600 per year, to A-3, Unassigned, \$200.

Yours very truly,

W. J. DOYLE,
Assistant City Clerk.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 31, 1924.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

BOSTON, January 11, 1924.

RUPERT CARVEN, Esq., *City Auditor*:

DEAR SIR,—In order to provide for a new position of stenographer in this office, you are hereby requested to make the following transfer:

From the appropriation for A-1, Assistant Secretaries, 3 at \$2,500 per year, \$153.44, to the appropriation for A-1, 1 Stenographer at \$2,000, \$153.44.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 11, 1924.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 30, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request that the following transfers be made within the appropriation of the Public Buildings Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Personal Service, 1 Janitor at \$15 a week, \$263.32, to the appropriation for A-1, Personal Service, 1 Clerk and Stenographer at \$1,400-\$1,500 a year, \$0.01; 1 Inspector of Metal Work at \$2,000-\$2,100 a year, \$0.07; 1 Chief Elevator Operator at \$1,400-\$1,500 a year, \$0.01; 80 Women Cleaning at \$15-\$16 a week, \$262.49; 1 Woman Cleaning at \$11-\$12 a week, \$0.01; 4 Women Washing Towels at \$11-\$12 a week, \$0.03; A-3, Unassigned, \$0.70—\$263.32.

Respectfully yours,

FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 31, 1924.

BOSTON, January 30, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request that the following transfer be made within the appropriation of the Public Buildings Department (County Buildings):

From the appropriation for A-1, Personal Service, 1 Assistant Janitress at \$16, \$0.49, to the appropriation for A-1, Personal Service, 5 Women Cleaning at \$13-\$14 a week, \$0.49.

Respectfully yours,

FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 31, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Service.

BOSTON, January 24, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully request that the following transfer be made in the appropriations for the Bridge Service, Bridge and Ferry Division, Public Works Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Assistant Engineer, 1 at \$2,700 per year, \$40.27, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Executive Clerk, 1 at \$2,100 per year, \$40.27.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 24, 1924.

Water Division.

BOSTON, January 24, 1924.

To the City Auditor:

Approval is respectfully requested for the following transfer in the appropriation for the Water Division:

From the appropriation for A-1, 1 Clerk at \$2,100 per year, \$40, to the appropriation for A-1 1 (2) Executive Clerk at \$2,300, \$40.

Very respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 24, 1924.

DENIES INTEREST IN CHARTER CHANGES.

His Honor the Mayor, on January 4, forwarded the following letter to Hon. John W. Haigis, state senator and chairman of the Committee on Cities:

HON. JOHN W. HAIGIS, Massachusetts State Senate, Boston, Mass.:

DEAR SIR,—My attention has been directed to the fact that there is an impression among the members of your committee, and the Legislature generally, that I am personally interested in the proposed amendments to the city charter, and I take this occasion to inform you relative to my position upon the question of amendments to the Boston City Charter of 1909.

The Boston City Charter of 1909, in my opinion, has proven as effective an instrument for constructive, intelligent administration of the affairs of a municipality as any that man has ever devised.

Under the revised charter the legislative arrangement of the city government was changed from a bicameral system under which seventy-five men consisting of three from each of the twenty-five wards of the city, and a Board of Aldermen, consisting of thirteen members, elected by districts, were replaced by the single chamber system, consisting of nine city councilors elected at large. During the operation of the present charter the debt of Boston, exclusive of rapid transit, has been reduced approximately five millions of dollars, the construction of schoolhouses and the purchase of school lands direct from the tax levy to the extent of fifteen millions of dollars, rather than by bond issue, has been made possible, and a constructive program in the interests of the city as a whole rather than subdivisions of the city has resulted from the change.

I realize that it is within the power of the Legislature to adopt such changes as it may see fit, regardless of the wishes of either the Mayor or any person connected with the administration of the City of Boston. So far as I am personally concerned it is immaterial to me what changes the Legislature may make; my personal view, however, is that a change in the present legislative system of the Boston city government would be a step backward and a distinct injury to the entire public of Boston.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 31 TO FEBRUARY 6.

JANUARY 31.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
John E. Holden.....	204 and 206 West Seventh st.	9	Alterations, garage.....	\$4,500
J. B. Sheerer.....	86 Pinckney street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Congregational Church Union.....	33 Romsey street.....	11	Alterations, church.....	6,500
Marie Deraney.....	1490 Washington street.....	6	Take-down, shed.....	200
H. L. Bogah.....	2160 Centre street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
M. Larkin.....	100 Hammond street.....	13	Repair fire escapes.....	75

FEBRUARY 1.

Mack Motor Truck Company.....	75-95 North Beacon street.....	26	First-class service station.....	\$200,000
Anthony Yonis.....	Rear of 109 Glenway street.....	19	First-class garage.....	1,000
George McGeogh.....	10 Ivy street.....	8	Second-class tenements.....	50,000
George McGeogh.....	14 Ivy street.....	8	Second-class tenements.....	25,000
George McGeogh.....	18 Ivy street.....	8	Second-class tenements.....	50,000
Joseph Rugo.....	127 Homes avenue.....	18	Second-class storage.....	2,000
Kanter & Steinberg.....	220 Warren street.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	65,000
Kanter & Steinberg.....	224 Warren street.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	65,000
Kanter & Steinberg.....	228 Warren street.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	65,000
Standard Oil Company of New York.....	175 Market street.....	26	Second-class service station.....	10,000
S. Hurvitz.....	187 Vernon street.....	13	Second-class laundry.....	8,000
Josephine Cassoletto.....	129 Chiswick road.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	50,000
Mary Violante.....	891 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	Third-class tool shed.....	300
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.....	Rear of 371 West Fourth street.....	9	Third-class storage.....	800
A. J. Feenan.....	72 Turner street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
William H. Hardy.....	23 Verdun street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
William H. Hardy.....	769 Columbia road.....	11	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
Boston Cenacle Society.....	200 Lake street.....	25	Alterations, convent.....	5,000
Frederick A. Thayer.....	595 and 597 Washington st.	19	Alterations, store.....	8,000
Washington-Essex Real Estate Trust.....	588-622 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	5,000
Selden Truck Sales Rooms.....	1117-1123 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	Alterations, garage.....	150
Cushing & Pearce.....	90 Fenway.....	7	Alterations, tenements.....	300
DeBlois & Maddison.....	83 and 85 Cornhill.....	5	Alterations, tailor shop.....	1,200
G. A. Lind.....	43 Warner street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Frank Ray.....	71 Walworth street.....	23	Alterations, garage and stable.....	200
Khalil G. Laham.....	712 Harrison avenue.....	6	Alterations, tenements.....	200
Joseph Taurinsky.....	72 Summer street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	5,000
Grant Gear Works.....	165-171 B street.....	9	Alterations, elevator.....	450
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank.....	313-335 Washington street.....	5	Install temporary hoist.....	1,300
H. F. Shattuck Company.....	11 Summer street.....	5	Repair fire escapes.....	100
American Building Wrecking Company.....	132-138 Northampton st.	13	Take-down, stores and dwelling.....	150
City Building Company.....	92 Hichborn street.....	26	Take-down, dwelling.....	100
City Building Company.....	90 Hichborn street.....	26	Take-down, dwelling.....	100
City Building Company.....	94 Hichborn street.....	26	Take-down, dwelling.....	100
City Building Company.....	96 Hichborn street.....	26	Take-down, dwelling.....	100

FEBRUARY 2.

F. C. H. Miller.....	60 Metropolitan avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	\$9,000
F. C. H. Miller.....	58 Metropolitan avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
F. C. H. Miller.....	56 Metropolitan avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
A. Tartocce.....	124 St. Botolph street.....	7	Alterations, lodging and store.....	1,000
Henry U. Holzer et al.....	Rear of 214 Huntington avenue.....	24	Alterations, shop.....	4,000
Y. W. C. A. Association.....	68-72 Warren street.....	8	Alterations, lodging house.....	650
George E. & Doris Whitehouse.....	15 Montrose street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000

FEBRUARY 4.

Lincolnshire Realty Corporation.....	20 Charles street.....	8	First-class hotel.....	\$400,000
V. R. Orelowitz.....	Rear of 60 Lucerne street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	800
George M. Wethern Company.....	33-37 West street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	30,000
Effie C. Young.....	90 Tremont street.....	4	Alterations, tenements.....	100
Commercial Brewing Company.....	40-46 Roland street.....	3	Alterations, brewing.....	800
Henry Parkman et al.....	39 and 41 West street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	300
J. J. Williams, Incorporated.....	4192 Washington street.....	23	Alterations, repair shop.....	50
Joseph Taurinsky.....	Rear of 72 Summer street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Jeanette Hollander.....	29 Leverett street.....	5	Alterations, store and pool room.....	400
M. J. Teehan.....	67 Ceylon street.....	18	Alterations, sleeping porch.....	315
Joseph Ivanowski.....	Rear of 32 Waverly street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Dwight Baldwin.....	176 Harvard avenue.....	25	Alterations, stores.....	480
Moris Lipson.....	11 Lark street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Moris Lipson.....	13 Lark street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Eliza J. Hamilton.....	9 Atherton street.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
D. K. & L. H. Phillips.....	170-182 Purchase street.....	5	Repair fire escapes.....	100
Cabot, Cabot & Forbes.....	687 Boylston street.....	8	Erect fire escapes.....	400
Quincy & Co., agents.....	221 and 223 West Newton st.	7	Erect fire escapes.....	200
Mrs. Mary Hill, agent.....	221 Eustis street.....	12	Erect fire escapes.....	200
B. Rudnick.....	94 Portland street.....	5	Install two elevators.....	5,600
Swift-McNutt Company.....	80 Pond street.....	22	Take-down, dwelling.....	1,000
New York Building Wrecking Company.....	201-207 Causeway street.....	5	Take-down, storage.....	100
New York Building Wrecking Company.....	103 and 105 Beverly street.....	5	Take-down, stable.....	150
New York Building Wrecking Company.....	101 Beverly street.....	5	Take-down, factory.....	100

EMPLOYMENT SERVICE REPORT FOR JANUARY.

The records for January show a decrease in the number of persons called for by employers from the December figures, while the number of positions reported filled shows a decided increase. In comparison with the figures of January last year, there is a marked decrease in the number of people called for by employers also in the number of positions reported filled.

During the month the number of people called for by employers was 1,013, a decrease of 48, or 5 per cent, from December, also a decrease of 432, or 30 per cent, from January a year ago. The number of positions reported filled was 920, an increase of 74, or 9 per cent, over December, but when compared with January, 1923, a decrease of 266, or 22 per cent, is found.

The attendance of applicants for employment was 23,231, an increase of 4,134, or 20 per cent, over last month and an increase of 2,838, or 14 per cent, over January, 1923.

There were 2,546 service men (1,681 soldiers and 865 sailors) who visited the office during the month. Of this number 226 (162 soldiers and 64 sailors) were given introduction cards to employers and 140 (105 soldiers and 35 sailors) secured employment.

Very little improvement was noticed in the men's unskilled department. The orders received were of a varied nature, principally for casual workers, and were quickly filled.

A large number of boys of all ages are, and have been visiting the office every day for work, but the prices offered are only accepted by boys of fourteen to sixteen years.

Business in the women's department was slow throughout the month. All other branches of industry were very quiet.

The number of people called for by employers was 1,013, as compared with 1,445 in 1923; 928 in 1922; 1,080 in 1921; 2,436 in 1920 and 2,249 in 1919.

The number of positions reported filled was 920 as compared with 1,186 in 1923; 734 in 1922; 812 in 1921; 1,320 in 1920 and 1,445 in 1919.

ABATEMENT OF ASSESSMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners that in the matter of the applications for revision of assessments levied on account of the construction of sewerage works the amounts hereinafter specified, being the annual apportionments for the year specified be, and the same are hereby abated.

Hannah M. Gately, 1923 apportionment, Plan 13, 1915, lot 13, Randolph road, March 1, 1917.....	\$11 28
Lucy E. Davis, 1923 apportionment, Plan 16, 1914, lot 7, Puritan avenue, April 18, 1916.....	14 55
Lucy E. Davis, 1923 apportionment, Plan 16, 1914, lot 8, Puritan avenue, April 18, 1916.....	6 96
Domenico Iovino, 1923 apportionment, Plan 25, 1911, lot 8, Emmet street, February 12, 1913.....	3 12
Edith L. Holmes, 1923 apportionment, Plan 26, 1919, lot 51, Charles street, October 24, 1921.....	5 44
Olive M. and Ernest A. Browne (Clara M. Browne), 1923 apportionment, Plan 65, 1913; lot 3, Spring street, April 30, 1915.....	7 00
Olive M. and Ernest A. Browne (Clara M. Browne), 1923 apportionment, Plan 65, 1923, lot 4, Spring street, April 30, 1915.....	7 00

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 31 TO FEBRUARY 6.

FEBRUARY 5.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company.	45 West Fourth street.	9	Special locker room.	\$1,300
L. Lavango.	6 Adams street.	24	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
C. Cotter, Jr.	339 Columbia road.	18	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
C. Cotter, Jr.	341 Columbia road.	18	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Catherine A. White.	232 River street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	8,000
Abraham Yenketivitz.	15 Woodbury street.	13	Alterations, dwelling.	400
M. F. Driscoll.	208 and 210 Milk street.	5	Alterations, light storage.	5,000
Theresa V. Mulford.	4 Kane street.	18	Alterations, dwelling.	175
Bertha L. James.	291 Tremont street.	8	Alterations, stores.	150
Ida Barr.	1339A, B, C Blue Hill ave.	21	Alterations, stores.	500
Sarah Kagur.	135 Harrishof street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	6,000
Altenheim trustees.	2212 Centre street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	4,000
General Baking Company.	52-62 Bunker Hill Street.	4	Erect sign.	300
Lawrence Broderick.	Rear of 12 Arcadia street.	18	Alterations, dwelling.	4,000
Lawrence Broderick.	12 Arcadia street.	18	Alterations, storage.	200
City of Boston.	108 Oakland street.	26	Install elevator.	1,051
Samuel Altman.	475 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Install two elevators.	11,500

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W. C. Canniff & Sons.	365 Oakland street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	\$8,000
W. T. Handy.	14 Brahms street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Joseph J. Dooley.	48 Hillsdale street.	20	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Leo A. Reardon.	136 Milton avenue.	21	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.	26-30 Waverly street.	16	Alterations, telephone exchange.	330,000
Mary F. Kearney.	872 East Broadway.	9	Alterations, dwelling.	1,900
Walter J. Murphy.	24 Vershire street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	125
John C. Dillon.	153 Falcon street.	1	Alterations, dwelling.	325
Patrick Loughney.	101 Calumet street.	14	Alterations, dwelling.	300
George Carpenter.	501-509 Washington street.	5	Alterations, store and office.	5,000
Peter L. Treska.	11 Waumbeck street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Temple Theater Company.	2200 Washington street.	13	Alterations, theater.	25,000
Boston Advertiser.	100 Summer street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	2,000
S. Altman.	475 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Temporary, builders hoist.	200

LIST OF PETITIONS FOR HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11.

NAME.	Location.	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Edith M. Beaumont.	65 Ballou avenue.	21	One car.
Mrs. Daisy J. Wheelock.	25 Helena road.	20	One car.
John Auskelis.	298 K street.	10	Two cars.
Dominika Budwitis.	16 Wilton street.	24	Two cars.
Providenzia M. Comella.	1333 Dorchester avenue.	18	Two cars.
Harry S. Liner.	63 Crawford street.	16	Two cars.
Margaret J. Malone.	137 Milton avenue.	21	Two cars.
Nathen Miller.	824 Dorchester avenue.	11	Two cars.
Maurice Murphy.	21 Welles avenue.	21	Two cars.
Margaret G. O'Donnell.	16 Pond View avenue.	22	Two cars.
Daniel M. Walsh.	18 Rodman street.	22	Two cars.
Philip Adams.	15 Christopher street.	20	Group garage, three units.
Morris Jacobs.	631 Morton street.	21	Three cars.
Francesco Mazzarella.	210 Leyden street.	1	Two garages, three cars each.
John McCormack.	73 Falcon street.	1	Three cars.
Carmine Nappa.	150 London street.	2	Three cars.
Antonio Pepe.	28 Ellington street.	9	Three cars.
T. N. Stevens.	101 Dakota street.	19	Group garage, four units, eight cars.
Alice Van Koert.	17 Pearl street.	17	Additional group garage, six units, six cars.
Daniel Perussi.	12-20 Piigrim road.	14	Group garage, twenty-seven units.
Estate Martin M. Kelly.	3 Brinton street.	15	Group garage, thirty-one units, thirty-one cars.
Anna Zager.	75 Brainerd road.	25	Public garage, ninety cars and 2,000 gallons gasoline.
Alice T. McMorrover et al.	326 Adams street.	20	1,000 gallons gasoline.
Julius Smith.	259 Albany street.	6	1,000 gallons gasoline.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Mary J. Hynes, 16 Folsom street, Ward 17, one car.

Ida Bornstein et al., 14 York street, Ward 19, two cars.

Mary Guidara et al., 124 Spring street, Ward 23, two cars.

Henry M. Hambro, 34 Fairmount street, Ward 21, two cars.

Sadie Kagno, 135-139 Harrishof street, Ward 16, two cars.

Leo A. Reardon, 133 Milton avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Phillip Basile, 4355 Washington street, Ward 23, group garage, four units, four cars.

Gertrude Levowich, 69 McLellan street, Ward 19, two cars.

Isaac Sheinberg, 55-71 Wildwood street, Ward 21, five garages, three cars each.

Marion A. Tolman, 6 Crowell street, Ward 21, group garage, two units, three cars.

Boston Consolidated Gas Company 444 Chelsea street, Ward 1, 2,000 gallons gasoline.

Florence Graustrom, 76 Zeigler street, Ward 12, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Martin McClymont, 142 Pleasant street, Ward 17, 500 gallons gasoline additional.

Boston Elevated Railway Company 439 Albany street, Ward 6, 10,000 gallons lubricating oils.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, 357 Commercial street, Ward 5, 10,000 gallons lubricating oils.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, 696 First street, Ward 9, 10,000 gallons lubricating oils.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, George and Hamblin streets, Ward 3, 10,000 gallons lubricating oils.

Antoni Ankuowicz, 145 West street, Ward 24, acetylene and oxygen.

Oxweld Acetylene Company, 178 High street, Ward 5, acetylene and oxygen.

BOSTON SPENDS MOST ON SCHOOLS.

Boston spends more per capita for public schools than any of twelve cities with a population of more than a half million, according to 1922 figures made public by the Department of Commerce in Washington.

For the fiscal year ending January 31, 1923, the total expense was \$12,373,000, or \$16.18 per capita, an increase of 99 per cent over the 1917 figures, which were \$6,226,000.

In 1922 public school expenditures were 30 per cent of the total of all city departments, exclusive of public service enterprises such as water works and light plants. In 1917 schools got only 26 per cent.

With all this Boston is only eighth in total expenditures for school buildings, permanent improvements, etc. In 1922 outlays for such purposes totaled \$2,572,000, or \$3.26 per capita. In five other cities the per capita expenditures exceeded Boston's.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JANUARY 31 TO FEBRUARY 6.

JANUARY 31.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Jacob Pilym	615 Washington street	5	New fixtures	\$100
William H. Gallivan	27 South Russell street	8	New fixtures	200
P. H. McCormack	37 Polk street	3	New fixtures	600
R. J. Rodday Company	56 Kneeland street	5	New fixtures	150
Albert R. Houghton	743 Centre street	22	New fixtures	100

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George H. Pentz	508 Shawmut avenue	6	New fixtures	\$150
Philip Ligums	41 Saratoga street	2	New fixtures	625
V. J. Cronin	54 Queensberry street	8	New fixtures	75
Abraham Sileman	168 Humboldt avenue	16	New fixtures	650
Hatch Plumbing Company	Rear of 71 Henshaw street	26	New fixtures	500
Kelley & Gaffey	67 Cheney street	16	New fixtures	100
John W. Slane	335 Centre street	14	New fixtures	1,400
K. W. McManus	1616 Blue Hill avenue	21	New fixtures	150
Charles Rosenwald	1214 Blue Hill avenue	21	New fixtures	75
D. J. S. MacCurdy	560 Blue Hill avenue	19	New fixtures	500
Charles Shields	25 Bontley street	26	New fixtures	850
J. Fleming	11 Waumbek street	16	New fixtures	800
ensen Plumbing Company	23 Chambers street	5	New fixtures	200
David Weinstein	80 Selden street	21	New fixtures	500

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C. H. Cronin	244-248 Tremont street	5	New fixtures	\$1,000
Powers & McEgan Company	84 Tonaawanda street	19	New fixtures	1,000
F. Murphy	16 Macallen street	9	New fixtures	700
A. Finley	66 Harvard avenue	25	New fixtures	700
Joseph Seigel	1692 Commonwealth avenue	25	New fixtures	100

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A. Gordon & Co.	39 Spring street	5	New fixtures	\$150
I. W. Driscoll	15 Orkney road	25	New fixtures	1,400
Joseph J. Levin	339 Massachusetts avenue	7	New fixtures	500
Samuel Barron	822 Dorchester avenue	11	New fixtures	850
Samuel Barron	824 Dorchester avenue	11	New fixtures	350
D. J. Nolan	31 Cambridge street	5	New fixtures	100

FEBRUARY 5.

Frank E. Carlson	84 Massachusetts avenue	8	New fixtures	\$50
J. J. Finnegan	55 Hopedale street	26	New fixtures	75
J. J. Finnegan	153 Brighton avenue	26	New fixtures	75
Oscar F. Metcalf	484 Rutherford avenue	4	New fixtures	150
C. H. Densmore	34 West Selden street	21	New fixtures	572
Frank C. Lewis	59 South Market street	5	New fixtures	150
John Simpson	314 Harvard street	21	New fixtures	100
Samuel Barron	119 Quincy street	17	New fixtures	100
Joseph E. Smith	126 Chelsea street	2	New fixtures	100
V. S. Emerson & Co.	18 Blackstone street	5	New fixtures	100
William H. Gallivan	306 Atlantic avenue	5	New fixtures	250
George A. Renshaw	1977 Columbus avenue	15	New fixtures	60

FEBRUARY 6.

William N. McKenna	206 State street	5	New fixtures	\$150
Matto & Rosen	265 North street	5	New fixtures	560
P. Perry & Co.	25 Dock square	5	New fixtures	150

MAYOR CURLEY AT WILSON FUNERAL.

Mayor Curley attended the funeral of Woodrow Wilson late this week in Washington, as representative of all the people of Boston.

His Honor and Mrs. Curley left the city Wednesday for the South, and stopped over in Washington Thursday for the funeral. Afterward they proceeded to Miami, Fla., for a month's rest.

City Clerk James Donovan read a resolution drafted by Mayor Curley, expressive of the city's sorrow at Mr. Wilson's passing, which the City Council, after standing in silence for one minute, unanimously passed. It was worded as follows:

"Whereas, Almighty God in His divine wisdom has seen fit to take from our midst former President of the United States Hon. Woodrow Wilson; and

"Whereas, Through the exceptional quality of his leadership it was possible

to develop in America a spiritual idealism and a national unity through which in large measure was made possible the perpetuation of free government and the winning of the World War; and

"Whereas, His death is more than a national loss because of his leadership in the movement for a permanent world peace; and

"Whereas, His long uncomplaining and patient suffering has merited universal sympathy and his death universal sorrow; be it and it is hereby

"Resolved, That the sincere sympathy of the people of Boston be conveyed to the grief-stricken companion who has shared with him suffering and sorrow, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, and to his family; and be it and it is further

"Resolved, That as a mark of respect the flag be placed at half-staff on all municipal buildings for a period of thirty days, and on the day of the funeral of this truly great advocate, lover and leader in the cause of human liberty, all municipal activities shall be suspended."

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION ON DEATH OF FORMER PRESIDENT WILSON.

Mayor Curley issued the following proclamation February 4:

To the Citizens of Boston:

The American Republic, in the death of former President Woodrow Wilson, has lost a great citizen and the world a leader through whose courage and vision a spiritual idealism has been evolved that will one day be accepted.

Time alone is necessary to establish a true measure of his greatness. His teachings and achievements, glorious in the annals of America, will ultimately give him rank beside George Washington, the father of free government, and Abraham Lincoln, the preserver of free government.

To a world sodden with materialism, greed and hatred, he presented a program for brotherhood, justice and peace, and the program, once rejected, may yet like the stone of Scripture become the key in the arch.

In this hour of supreme grief our sincere sympathy goes out in her bereavement to the patient and good woman, his wife, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, who has in the long trial of his incurable illness furnished the world an example of patience and heroism rarely equalled.

As a mark of respect to the memory of former President Wilson I hereby direct that the flags be placed at half-mast on all public buildings and respectfully request similar action on the homes of Boston citizens for a period of thirty days.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

The Mayor issued the following order to department heads:

The occasion of the burial of former President Woodrow Wilson is one that should be marked by sacred and solemn observance.

Boston, the birthplace of human liberty, mourns in him the loss of a truly great leader in the establishment of world peace and a statesman whose death represents supreme sacrifice for free government.

It is accordingly hereby ordered that the City Hall and other city buildings and the county offices, except where otherwise provided by law, be closed during the hour of the funeral, Wednesday, February 6, between the hours of 3 p. m. and 4 p. m. and you are hereby directed to grant leave of absence, without loss of pay, to all municipal employees whose services can be dispensed with.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

GOLD MONEY IN UNITED STATES AND OTHER COUNTRIES.

Reported by Director United States Mint as follows: (1) United States, \$2,901,252,000 or 35.18 per cent of total for 48 countries, viz., \$8,245,826,000; (2) Great Britain, \$804,232,000 or 9.75 per cent; (3) France, \$685,517,000 or 8.31 per cent; (4) Japan, \$645,486,000 or 7.83 per cent; (5) Argentina, \$494,438,000 or 6.00 per cent; (6) Spain, \$473,762,000 or 5.75 per cent; (7) Russia, \$300,000,000 or 3.64 per cent; (8) Germany, \$260,028,000 or 3.15 per cent; (9) Holland, \$255,729,000 or 3.10 per cent.

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending January 26, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
United States Census Bureau, 776,783.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 177; nonresidents, 37; total,
214.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 14.37; nonresidents deducted,
11.94.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 14.77; corresponding week
last year, 19.96.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 28; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 14; sixty years and over, 70;
total deaths, male, 106; female, 108;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 113;
deaths of colored, 8.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 26, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 27, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	1	—
Diphtheria.....	79	6	64	7
Encephalitis lethargica.....	4	—	2	1
Influenza.....	2	1	39	1
Measles.....	105	1	52	1
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	1	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	37	9	56	33
Scarlet fever.....	141	1	72	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	35	9	23	8
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	11	—	3	1
Typhoid fever.....	—	—	—	—
Whooping cough.....	7	—	113	8

* Residents and nonresidents included.

ASSESSMENTS BY THE STREET
COMMISSIONERS FOR THE
IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS.

STUART STREET, CITY PROPER.

	Amount.
New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company.....	\$6,560 00
Heirs of Amos H. Whipple.....	5,526 50
Sherman L. Whipple.....	1,076 00
Sherman L. Whipple.....	1,000 00
Nathan Matthews, trustee.....	25,532 00
Nathan Matthews, trustee.....	3,030 00
Nathan Matthews, trustee.....	4,824 00
M. Douglass Flattery <i>et al.</i> , trustees Dartmouth-Stuart Realty Trust,	17,193 00
M. Douglass Flattery <i>et al.</i> , trustees Dartmouth-Stuart Realty Trust,	16,593 00
M. Douglass Flattery <i>et al.</i> , trustees Dartmouth-Stuart Realty Trust,	11,517 00
Cornelia Channing, <i>uz.</i> Walter J.....	5,624 00
Frank W. Hunt and Sarah H. Hunt.....	5,000 00
Frank W. Hunt and Sarah H. Hunt.....	3,750 00
Heirs of Herbert L. Burrell.....	3,750 00
Walton Lunch Company.....	2,500 00
Walton Lunch Company.....	2,500 00
Caroline C. Tazen.....	2,500 00
S. S. Pierce Company.....	2,500 00
Moses Williams <i>et al.</i> , trustees Copley Square Trust.....	60,180 00
Moses Williams <i>et al.</i> , trustees Copley Square Trust.....	23,600 00
Amory Eliot <i>et al.</i> , trustees of Park Square Real Estate Trust,	86,784 00
Edgar R. Champlin and George E. Leighton, trustees of Hotel Westminster Trust.....	8,146 50
Denman W. Ross.....	5,500 00
Amory Eliot <i>et al.</i> , trustees of Park Square Real Estate Trust,	100,893 00
Charles W. Rowell.....	79,221 00
M. Douglass Flattery <i>et al.</i> , trustees Dartmouth-Stuart Realty Trust,	3,348 00
Ernest H. Hurd.....	26,295 00
M. Douglass Flattery.....	6,962 00
M. Douglass Flattery.....	3,006 00
M. Douglass Flattery.....	1,289 00
John Hanecek Mutual Life In- surance Company.....	243,261 75
James C. Ayer <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	1,000 00
James C. Ayer <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	1,040 00
William J. Stober.....	960 00
John L. Bryant devisees.....	960 00
Susan D. Reynolds heirs.....	840 00
Edwin Wright, devisees.....	900 00

Herbert G. Priest <i>et al.</i>	900 00
Trinity Church of Boston.....	960 00
Julia D. Swasey.....	960 00
N. Winthrop Robinson <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	900 00
Mary A. Holland.....	900 00
Georgianna M. Nowell <i>et al.</i>	1,000 00
Boston Academy of Notre Dame.....	10,600 00
Amory Eliot <i>et al.</i> , trustees of Park Square Real Estate Trust,	163,950 75
The Park Square Building Com- pany.....	11,472 40
New York, New Haven & Hart- ford Railroad Company.....	29,417 25
William L. Shearer <i>et al.</i> , trustees, The Park Square Building Com- pany.....	30,448 50
New York, New Haven & Hart- ford Railroad Company.....	3,662 00
The Park Square Building Com- pany.....	8,387 25
William E. Murdock.....	3,000 00
William E. Marcorda.....	3,596 00
Henry S. Rowe <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	5,636 00
Mary E. Shute, devisees.....	7,166 00
Frank B. Fay <i>et al.</i> , trustees under will of Franklin S. Fay.....	9,116 00
Trustees of Methodist Religious Society.....	14,520 00
Salada Tea Company.....	19,685 00
Salada Tea Company.....	14,988 00
Salada Tea Company.....	22,005 00
Amory Eliot <i>et al.</i> , trustees of Park Square Real Estate Trust,	39,940 50
Edison Electric Illuminating Com- pany.....	13,500 00
Amory Eliot <i>et al.</i> , trustees of Park Square Real Estate Trust,	95,412 75
Arthur H. Brooks <i>et al.</i> , trustees of Massachusetts Automobile Club Trust.....	40,500 00
Veteran Association of the Inde- pendent Corps of Cadets.....	42,000 00
New York, New Haven & Hart- ford Railroad Company.....	2,654 81
Hotels Statler Company, Inc.....	76,988 25
Hotels Statler Company, Inc.....	3,345 19
Inter-City Theater Company.....	7,889 25
New York, New Haven & Hart- ford Railroad Company.....	5,058 00
William Hoag <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	10,956 00
Charles Wood.....	1,796 00
Lloyd G. Taylor.....	1,640 00
Lloyd G. Taylor.....	1,464 00
Lloyd G. Taylor.....	1,200 00
Lloyd G. Taylor.....	988 00
Lloyd G. Taylor.....	836 00
Lloyd G. Taylor.....	884 00
Eben D. Jordan, heirs or devisees, Lloyd G. Taylor.....	96,288 75
Lloyd G. Taylor.....	1,296 00

William J. Stober.....	4,468 00
Amelia Greenbaum, <i>uz.</i> Robert.....	4,032 00
William J. Stober.....	5,365 50
William J. Stober.....	4,566 00
Harry L. Rice <i>et al.</i> , trustees under will of William B. Rice.....	4,587 00
William B. Rice heirs or devisees.....	5,110 00
Marcus Masse heirs or devisees.....	784 00
William D. Murphy <i>et al.</i>	4,833 00
E. Herbert Botsford.....	1,842 00
Lucinda E. Shaw, <i>uz.</i> Charles H.....	2,786 00
William B. Rice heirs or devisees.....	16,755 00
Harry L. Rice <i>et al.</i> , trustees under will of William B. Rice.....	3,335 50
Mrs. Cornelius O'Brien, 2/3, Mary Maitland, 1/6, Dennis Sweeney, 1/6.....	9,300 00
Mary Maitland and Dennis Sweeney 1/2 each, undivided.....	1,312 00
Bartholmew Connor.....	2,648 00
Abby O'Brien heirs or devisees.....	2,528 00
Johannah O'Connor.....	1,748 00
John W. McDonald heirs or devi- sees.....	4,276 00
William L. Richardson <i>et al.</i> , trust- ees of the Boston Young Men's Christian Union.....	33,790 00
William B. Rice heirs or devisees.....	2,409 00
Henry A. Welch.....	2,391 00
Lundin Turkish Bath Company.....	5,781 00
Augustus L. Thorndike heirs or devisees, 1/2 <i>et al.</i>	4,650 00
Augustus L. Thorndike heirs or devisees, 1/2 <i>et al.</i>	4,650 00
Eliot Street Garage Company.....	15,162 00
Eliot Street Garage Company.....	43,545 00
Amory Eliot and Charles F. Ayer, trustees of Eliot Street Trust.....	6,951 00
Amory Eliot and Charles F. Ayer, trustees of Eliot Street Trust.....	3,702 00
Amory Eliot and Charles F. Ayer, trustees of Eliot Street Trust.....	5,373 00
Amory Eliot and Charles F. Ayer, trustees of Eliot Street Trust.....	15,000 00
Moses Williams <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	12,636 00
Max E. Wyzanski <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	4,818 00
Carl A. Weitz.....	2,799 00
Grace B. Richards <i>et al.</i>	2,028 00
Grace B. Richards <i>et al.</i>	1,352 00
Max E. Wyzanski <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	2,625 00
Eben D. Jordan heirs or devisees.....	3,250 00
Harry S. Fowler <i>et al.</i>	996 00
Frances A. Fowler.....	429 50
Emeline A. Fowler.....	7,225 00
Charles F. Ayer and Samuel Lebowich.....	8,622 00
Cecelia C. Gaertner.....	1,218 00
Charles F. Ayer and Samuel Lebowich.....	1,760 00
Charles F. Ayer and Samuel Lebowich.....	8,720 00
Charles F. Ayer and Samuel Lebowich.....	5,852 00
Charles F. Ayer and Samuel Lebowich.....	3,030 00
Charles F. Ayer and Samuel Lebowich.....	511 00
Charles F. Ayer and Samuel Lebowich.....	509 50
Charles F. Ayer and Samuel Lebowich.....	5,456 00
Clarence H. Blackall.....	9,364 00
Agnes T. Ross.....	5,265 00
Dennis A. Bresnahan.....	5,952 00
Lewis L. Jones.....	3,660 00
Edward C. Donnelly.....	3,945 00
Shubert Holding Company.....	3,750 00
William J. Stober.....	14,036 00
Frank H. Locke, John H. Stevens and Herbert R. Kay.....	12,504 00
Thomas E. Folger <i>et al.</i> , trustees under will of James G. Haynes.....	2,244 00
George E. Garon.....	1,189 50
Joseph W. Phelan <i>et al.</i> , trustees of Atlantic Investment.....	457 00
Lena Hanlon, <i>uz.</i> James.....	422 00
Frances Stiller.....	789 75
Adolfo Bertolli <i>et al.</i>	880 50
Mary Brown heirs or devisees.....	2,425 00
Mary A. Murphy.....	1,873 50
Ellen F. Griffin <i>et al.</i>	2,578 00
Mary E. Gallagher.....	3,325 00
John W. McDonald heirs or devi- sees.....	4,110 00
Abby O'Brien heirs or devisees.....	4,128 00
Martha C. Codman.....	20 00
Animal Rescue League.....	7,752 00
Annie Stoll.....	3,441 00
Leopold Pastorelli.....	2,268 00
David L. Pastorelli.....	1,701 00
Albert Besse.....	850 50
Marcellus Corgan.....	540 00
Katherine Hearn.....	549 00
John W. McDonald heirs or devi- sees.....	864 50
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	1,800 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	1,380 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	7,605 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	4,970 00

nimal Rescue League.....	2,580 00
nimal Rescue League.....	1,720 00
nimal Rescue League.....	16,360 00
nimal Rescue League.....	2,322 00
loyd G. Taylor.....	5,164 00
arry L. Rice <i>et al.</i> , trustees under will of William B. Rice....	23,216 00
erbert MacWilliam.....	124 00
he Ginter Company.....	10,752 00
he Harenik Publishing Company (Owns Equity), City of Boston,	
T. T.....	12,732 00
Francis I. Amory.....	4,324 00
Francis I. Amory.....	5,536 00
Amuel W. Holt <i>et al.</i>	2,792 00
Heirs of Cyrus Sargent.....	2,796 00
Donora E. Quealey <i>et al.</i>	2,808 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	1,780 00
Margaret E. Sullivan.....	402 00
Mattie A. McAdoo.....	850 00
Daniel Goodnow.....	774 00
Lloyd R. U. Walker.....	777 00
Frank C. Warren $\frac{1}{2}$, and Gertrude F. Warren $\frac{1}{2}$, undivided.....	2,213 50
Frank W. Jennings.....	2,138 25
ohn F. Eichorn <i>et al.</i>	760 00
ohn F. Eichorn <i>et al.</i>	1,880 00
William J. Stober.....	719 25
osa C. E. Kessler.....	600 00
osa C. E. Kessler.....	298 50
osa C. E. Kessler.....	297 50
Joseph F. Kessler.....	396 50
Joseph F. Kessler.....	103 20
Joseph F. Kessler.....	88 20
Joseph F. Kessler.....	93 00
James D. Sullivan.....	96 30
Frank W. Jennings.....	570 30
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	267 90
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	272 40
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	1,248 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	1,313 00
ob E. Gaskin.....	2,248 00
ob E. Gaskin.....	684 00
ob E. Gaskin.....	480 00
ob E. Gaskin.....	312 00
George D. Moore.....	144 00
Philip F. Ripley.....	20 00
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustee.....	3,816 00
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustee.....	1,750 00
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustee.....	1,764 00
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustee.....	2,518 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	4,200 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	900 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	896 25
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	736 50
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	724 50
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	619 50
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	618 75
Boston Consolidated Gas Company, Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	41,630 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	3,625 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	3,620 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	3,617 50
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	3,622 50
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	3,625 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	3,625 00
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	3,622 50
Frederick C. Bowditch and Eliza- beth F. Bowditch.....	2,587 50
Susan H. Taylor.....	1,429 00
John M. Ward <i>et al.</i>	2,143 50
Laurence Minot <i>et al.</i> , trustees of the Bay State Associates.....	2,858 00
Clive B. Meredith and Ethel M. Codrington.....	4,221 00
Samuel Benjamin.....	3,669 00
John H. Lyons.....	3,624 00
Edmund I. Leeds.....	9,090 00
Alexander Steinert.....	16,197 50
Jacob Wirth <i>et al.</i>	6,090 00
Jacob Wirth <i>et al.</i>	5,997 50
Bertha E. Sanderson, <i>uz.</i> Henry M., Charles H. Dill 2d, devisees under will of, City of Boston, T. T.....	5,227 50
George A. Dill.....	13,567 50
Fannie A. Tinkham.....	12,542 50
Heirs of Joshua Bennett.....	2,894 00
Charles H. W. Foster <i>et al.</i> , trust- tees under will of William H. Hill.....	4,650 00
	5,877 00

Hiram M. Burton <i>et al.</i> , trustees under will of Robert B. Brigham.....	6,026 50
Arthur D. Hill <i>et al.</i> , trustees of Avery Real Estate Trust.....	336 00
Arthur D. Hill <i>et al.</i> , trustees of Avery Real Estate Trust.....	2,750 00
Joseph B. Thomas heirs or devi- sees.....	4,525 00
Elsie L. Mulvey.....	2,928 00
George Soire.....	2,970 00
William N. Ambler.....	2,922 00
Florence E. Lyons, <i>uz.</i> John H.....	2,640 00
Ellen M. Dennie.....	2,280 00
Annie F. Stack.....	2,034 00
Fifty Associates.....	4,296 00
William and Herman Wolff.....	4,788 00
Bartholomew J. Connelly, Jr.....	1,710 00
James J. Shea <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	1,323 00
James J. Shea <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	3,390 00
Trustees of Tufts College.....	4,808 00
Walton Lunch Company.....	4,378 50
James J. Shea <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	2,637 00
James J. Shea <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	2,613 00
Fifty Associates.....	1,662 00
Fifty Associates.....	1,735 50
Abraham Shuman heirs or devi- sees.....	1,869 00
Abraham Shuman heirs or devi- sees.....	1,960 50
Abraham Shuman heirs or devi- sees.....	396 00
Abraham Shuman heirs or devi- sees.....	590 00
Abraham Shuman heirs or devi- sees.....	590 00
Abraham Shuman heirs or devi- sees.....	3,417 00
Abraham Shuman heirs or devi- sees.....	4,845 00
William C. Codman <i>et al.</i> , trustees for Wilbur Theater Realty Trust.....	10,401 00
Total.....	\$2,369,936 95

LAND-TAKING IN EAST BOSTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Ashley street, East Boston district, as a highway, from Breed street to Boardman street, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Ashley street is hereby laid, from Breed street to Boardman street, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is taken in the following-described land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto.

A strip of land, fifty feet wide, being the private way known as Ashley street, from Breed street to Boardman street.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said highway is bounded and described as follows:

East by Breed street, fifty feet; south by the southerly line of said extension of Ashley street, as hereby laid out, by two measurements, two hundred ten and 21-100 feet and eight hundred twenty-five and 74-100 feet on a curve of twenty hundred thirty-two and 22-100 feet radius; southeast by the southeasterly line of said extension of Ashley street as hereby laid out, twenty-nine and 40-100 feet on a curve of ten and 18-100 feet radius; southwest by Boardman street, two hundred forty-six and 9-100 feet; and north by the northerly line of said extension of Ashley street, as hereby laid out, by two measurements, ten hundred forty and 21-100 feet on a curve of nineteen hundred eighty-two and 22-100 feet radius and two hundred ten and 21-100 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Ashley street, from Breed street to Boardman street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots within said limits to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Ashley Street, East Boston, Assessment Plan, November 2, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer Street Laying-out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Joseph Romeo.....	\$100 00
2. Carmello Capitto.....	112 50
3. Germeio Sacco.....	125 00
4. Amelia Massa.....	137 50
5. Amelia Massa.....	200 00
6. Maria Quirollo.....	200 00
7. Maria Quirollo.....	200 00
8. Maria Bonugli.....	200 00
9. Gaetano Garideo.....	200 00
10. Mary Di Cicco.....	200 00
11. Gennaro Rizzo.....	200 00
12. Rafeale De Angelis, Clementina De Angelis.....	200 00
13. Luigi Labadini heirs.....	200 00
14. Luigi Labadini heirs.....	200 00
15. Luigi Labadini heirs.....	200 00
16. Luigi Labadini heirs.....	200 00
17. Francesco Giuffe.....	200 00
18. Domenico and Rosa De Christo- foro.....	200 00
19. Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.....	600 00
20. Gennaro Colantuono, Carmela Colantuono.....	200 00
21. Maddalena Allegra.....	200 00
22. Giovanni Statuti.....	200 00
23. John W. Hamilton.....	200 00
24. Mary Cicco.....	60 84
25. Geromina and Rose Sacco.....	73 66
26. Michele Sacco.....	75 08
27. John Sacco, Angelina Sacco.....	90 00
28. Giacomo Cuchiarella.....	100 00
29. Pasquale La Vita, Anna La Vita, Sabata and Conzetta S. Sparico.....	146 60
31. Nicola Vitale.....	196 36
32. Jennie Messina.....	150 00
33. Carinino Carideo.....	150 00
34. Pietro Maschi.....	150 00
35. Michele Sacco.....	200 00
36. Celeste Guinzali.....	200 00
37. Celeste Guinzali.....	200 00
38. Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.....	400 00
Total.....	\$6,967 54

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Ashley street, East Boston district, as a highway, from Breed street to Boardman street, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

FRANKLIN UNION EXHIBIT.

An exhibit has been arranged in the lobby of Franklin Union Building, Berkeley and Appleton streets, Boston, of the "Appreciations," and tributes from the New York City Celebration of Franklin's Birthday. These framed testimonials are loaned by the New York Sons of the American Revolution.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

Frank H. Densmore Company have been ordered to make the following change in the contract with the City of Boston: Items added: Replacing part of marble tile floor in men's public lavatory in basement, \$81.07; contract price, \$2,902; amount added by this order, \$81.07; amount of contract to date, \$2,983.07.

CITY AUDITOR CARVEN ANSWERS REPRESENTATIVE SHATTUCK ON BOSTON FINANCES.

DEFENDS MAYOR CURLEY'S STATEMENTS ON MUNICIPAL FINANCES AND PROVES THEM CORRECT—SHOWS THAT SHATTUCK'S ASSERTIONS ARE MISLEADING, MISINFORMING AND WRONG.

The following statement was issued February 7 by City Auditor Rupert S. Carven:

The attack of Representative Henry L. Shattuck upon Mayor Curley, after his departure from Boston, resulted in sensational headlines and double columns in the public press, as well as editorial comment in at least one newspaper. It is unfortunate that Mayor Curley is not here to make forcible and dignified reply to this attack, but there were so many misstatements and half-truths uttered by the representative in his address before the Legislature, that it becomes necessary to make correction as far as possible.

It is well recognized that the financial reputation of Boston is foremost in the cities of the country, and it is my desire to protect that fine reputation, as well as correct, in part, any injustice that may have been done Mayor Curley, based on his administration for the past two years.

After eliminating the light comedy appearing in the representative's statement, delivered in the calm (?) of a Legislative assembly I find he refers to the tax rate which has been maintained for three years at \$21.70 per thousand, but he failed to state that it is the third lowest of the cities in the state. He did not inform his hearers that out of this same tax rate Boston is constructing new school buildings, resurfacing streets and motorizing the Fire Department, when it might follow the example of other municipalities and issue bonds for these purposes.

He fails to call attention in discussing the tax rate to the constantly increasing costs of schools, hospitals, charities, health activities, maintenance of proper police and fire protection, as well as all other activities necessary for the welfare of the people and the protection of their property. He waxes eloquent over the two million dollar reduction in the state tax two years ago. Does he say this was because of reduced expenditures on the part of the state? Oh, no. Privately he might admit that it is due to the staggering amount that is received from income, other than taxes.

Does he mention that notwithstanding the constantly increasing income, the state tax on cities and towns increased from \$5,500,000 in 1910 (the first year of the new charter) to \$14,000,000 in 1920 and 1921? No, he does not. He does claim, however, that the Elevated repayments of \$372,000 in 1922 and \$790,000 in 1923 have "gone into increased municipal expenditure."

The genial representative surely is in error, for in each of these years, as City Auditor, I made available to the assessors, these and other amounts of unestimated revenue for the reduction of the tax levy. But what about the increase in metropolitan assessments since the new charter went into effect? He must have forgotten this. If the representative were a member of the State Committee on Municipal

Finance, and had a fondness for comparable statistics, he might have some comprehension of the increased costs of municipal government, as reflected in the tax rates of cities and towns. Some there are who might question the representative as to why the state tax upon cities and towns should not be many millions less, in view of the excessive cash balances in the state treasury at the end of many financial years. As house chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, the representative might inform us how soon we may expect the abolition of the state tax, in view of the ever-increasing income, and the practice of sound but not parsimonious economy on the part of the state.

Mr. Shattuck attempts to enlighten on the debt situation. He says that during the first year of his present administration, the Mayor borrowed \$4,753,000 within the debt limit. This is a correct statement, as far as it goes, but again it is only a half-truth, as \$1,923,000 of this amount was authorized previous to Mayor Curley assuming office for the second time. In financing authorized municipal loans, the prudent financial officer negotiates only such parts of the loans as may be needed in the near future, or that may be expended before the end of the financial year, and as a result, loans authorized but not issued are carried forward to the new year in all administrations.

He speaks of the amount borrowed during the year just ended as being \$5,155,000 but he fails to state that of this amount \$716,000 was issued outside the limit and that of the amount borrowed within the debt limit, \$269,000 was authorized previous to the advent of Mayor Curley.

With his knowledge of governmental finance, the representative surely appreciates that the changes in debt from year to year are wholly beyond the control of the executive, with the exception of the debt he may authorize during each year. His statement of a \$10,000,000 decrease in the net debt in the preceding thirteen years is not substantiated by the records. If he refers to the net debt January 31, 1909, compared with January 31, 1922, it will be found that the decrease amounted to approximately \$8,000,000; if he refers to January 31, 1910, the beginning of the new charter, it will be found that the decrease is approximately \$7,000,000. But what is the difference of two or three millions between friends?

Continuing the representative finds fault with the city for incurring debt, both inside and outside the limit, for certain permanent improvements. Boston has the same rate inside the limit as the smaller city in the state. Borrowing outside the limit (exclusive of rapid transit) does not occur frequently these days. It is true that the Legislature, after full consideration of the merits of a proposed loan outside the limit, occasionally grants authority, and in my

opinion, wisely. Did not the Legislature share responsibility on the debt authorized for Stuart street, as well as for Cambridge and Court streets, the latter being reported favorably upon by the Ways and Means Committee, of which Representative Shattuck is house chairman? He intimates, in one part of his address, that street paving is included in our loans. This is not a fact, as street paving is a current maintenance expense with the City of Boston, and the only paving paid for through loan issues is that which is necessary upon the laying-out or extending of a highway.

He spoke of the "pay-as-you-go" policy, in connection with permanent improvements. He does not state that Boston adopted the "pay-as-you-go" policy in the matter of new school buildings as far back as 1916. It would be interesting to have the representative expatiate on the application of this policy to the proposed \$33,000,000 to be expended for the so-called new traffic thoroughfare.

After all, who is all wise in determining where borrowing for permanent improvements should begin and end. Same arguments may be advanced by both schools of thought. There is no controversy over the necessity for street widenings and extensions, as indicated by traffic conditions, and proper foresight a generation ago would have saved countless millions to the present and future taxpayers.

Personally I am of the opinion that the taxpayer in Boston is at present doing his fair share under a reasonable tax rate that provides not only for sinking fund requirements and interest on current debt issued, but also for several millions each year for school lands and buildings. Notwithstanding the claim of the representative that the borrowing capacity has been frittered away, there are those of us who have had a long training in municipal finance, who are well satisfied that no city in the country is more conservative in the matter of distinguishing between current maintenance and permanent improvements in the issue of debt.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 6.

1. ASSIGNMENTS.

The following assignments of men on probation are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, February 1, 1924.

It is to be understood that these assignments are not permanent, but are subject to change in accordance with the requirements of the two-platoon system.

Company commanders will give these new men an intensive course in training and instruction in the duties of their positions, and district chiefs are charged with the obligation of seeing that this instruction is given.

John P. Buckley, Engine 8; John J. Kelley, Engine 28; Robert C. Bonang, Engine 4; John F. Donovan, Engine 44; Edward J. Russell, Ladder 9; Francis J. Maloney, Engine 4; John V. Stapleton, Engine 8; Charles E. McCluskey, Ladder 13; Hubert S. Norman, Chemical 7; Malachi F. Reddington, Engine 33; Thomas L. Kane, Engine 24; John E. Dwyer, Engine 31; John J. McHugh, Engine 29; William C. Wesson, Engine 17; John J. McGowan, Ladder 14; Thomas J. Shea, Ladder 27; John F. Cunnally, Ladder 20; Laurence P. Burke, Ladder 21; Harold L. Dolan,

Engine 8; David J. Keller, Ladder 14; Thomas R. Canavan, Engine 44; Michael F. Hurley, Ladder 13; Thomas F. Ford, Engine 4; George J. Phalan, Engine 50; Joseph W. Dorney, Engine 7; Daniel J. Crowley, Engine 9; Joseph H. Schiller, Engine 48; Raymond T. Vessey, Ladder 14; Allan R. McIntyre, Ladder 21; William Gottwald, Ladder 5; Walter B. Werner, Engine 47; Patrick F. Spellman, Ladder 17; Dennis Sullivan, Engine 7; Joseph L. Quinn, Engine 7; Martin A. Kenealy, Jr., Engine 33; George R. McLaughlin, Jr., Engine 10; Charles M. Flynn, Engine 7; Peter A. McCauley, Engine 10; George W. McGuinness, Engine 10; Richard J. Sughrie, Engine 50; Henry C. McCarthy, Engine 26-35; James C. Boles, Engine 26-35; John F. Gilbrook, Engine 47; William G. Hawkins, Engine 28; Coleman C. Clougherty, Ladder 27; James J. Sullivan, Engine 26-35; Frank H. Daly, Ladder 15; Dennis J. McLaughlin, Engine 10; John F. Daly, Ladder 8; Walter J. Thompson, Engine 42; Cyril H. Malone, Engine 29; Frederick V. Kippenhan, Engine 43; George R. Driscoll, Engine 26-35; John J. Burke, Jr., Ladder 16; Maurice A. Reardon, Engine 26-35; Joseph A. Campbell, Engine 47; Jacob Spitz, Engine 26-35; Alexander W. Wilson, Engine 5; Clarence R. Ritchie, Engine 21; Raymond F. Garrity, Engine 31; Arthur S. Frazier, Chemical 7; Eugene F. O'Neil, Engine 34; John P. Knox, Rescue 1; John P. Driscoll, Engine 42; Harley C. Thomas, Engine 49; Ralph M. Dean, Ladder 21; Augustus J. Beaupre, Engine 49; Frederick L. Waggett, Engine 26-35; Anthony T. McDonald, Engine 5; Daniel J. Crowley, Engine 38-39; John P. Hanagan, Ladder 8; Raymond B. LaCasse, Ladder 3; Frank J. Burke, Ladder 8; George D. Hellen, Engine 43; William C. McCarthy, Engine 38-39; Louis Ferrari, Engine 26-35; Robert J. McGonagle, Engine 41; Carroll S. Murphy, Engine 50; John G. Galvin, Engine 27; Horace E. Wood, Engine 41; Frank A. Fitzgerald, Engine 26-35; Francis J. McNamara, Ladder 3; Thomas F. Mellyn, Ladder 8; Frank E. Fraser, Engine 9; Edward D. Rooney, Engine 53; Edward F. Berigan, Engine 21; Peter F. McMorrow, Engine 12; Herbert C. Collins, Engine 18; Benedict J. Phillips, Ladder 8; John E. Pomeroy, Ladder 18; Arthur E. Hudgins, Ladder 30; Michael J. Egan, Ladder 20; Stephen T. Connolly, Engine 38-39; John B. M. McKenney, Engine 46; John E. Twohig, Engine 27; Cornelius A. Durgin, Ladder 17; Michael Donovan, Engine 1; George J. Griffin, Engine 41; Peter R. Stephens, Engine 36; John J. Butler, Engine 1; William H. Tobin, Engine 6; Thomas S. Pelegrine, Ladder 2; Joseph Heil, Ladder 2; Walter O. Bannon, Engine 34; Joseph G. Doyle, Engine 46; Alfred V. Hayhurst, Engine 1; Charles L. McEachern, Ladder 1; James T. Donohoe, Rescue 1; Russell C. DeDoming, Engine 28; William F. McDonald, Engine 42; James F. McMahon, Engine 45; William J. Barrett, Motor Squad; Charles J. Heirty, Engine 38-39; John F. Riordan, Ladder 13; Edward R. Lynn, Engine 18; George E. Dunphy, Ladder 7; Michael Kelly, Engine 31; Daniel F. Kelley, Rescue 1; George A. Boodro, Engine 1; William A. Kelley, Engine 3; Cornelius J. Murphy, Engine 3; Albert F. Vincent, Engine 3; John A. Donahue, Ladder 4; Edward J. Feeley, Ladder 21; Terrence McGowan, Engine 34; James

F. Riley, Engine 3; William H. Bell, Engine 22; Henry G. Boudreau, Ladder 13; James J. Corboy, Ladder 28; William F. Cogan, Engine 48; Daniel E. McGuire, Ladder 2; John A. Connerty, Engine 32; John J. M. Breslin, Ladder 24; Thomas F. Gaffney, Engine 40; Herbert F. Ryan, Engine 22; Joseph J. McGovern, Engine 22; William O. Hanson, Ladder 4; Edwin L. Lawson, Ladder 25; Thomas J. Powers, Engine 37; Arthur L. Jackson, Engine 37; Edward C. Donovan, Ladder 18; Richard C. Foley, Engine 45; James F. Moynihan, Ladder 15; George A. Stewart, Engine 45; Michael A. Donnelly, Ladder 15; William J. Aylward, Ladder 24; Patrick M. Griffin, Ladder 15; Leon S. Cefail, Ladder 18; Joseph W. O'Brien, Engine 18; Egbert T. Haley, Engine 18; Leo F. Murphy, Engine 47; James F. McGonagle, Ladder 1; Daniel J. Sullivan, Engine 52; Henry M. Welch, Engine 15; John J. Grant, Ladder 29; Albert Graham, Ladder 10; Charles Chinetti, Ladder 12; Martin A. Lombard, Engine 31; John T. McNamara, Ladder 10; Gerald L. Cremin, Engine 49; Francis J. Doyle, Engine 6; James M. Collins, Ladder 15; James H. Mandeville, Engine 34; Albert F. Kelley, Engine 48; William T. Pero, Ladder 21; David M. Cleary, Engine 6; Frederick S. Currier, Engine 5; Harold F. Bishop, Engine 37; Harold W. Berry, Ladder 16; Joseph J. Shea, Ladder 12; Patrick J. O'Connor, Ladder 12; George T. Scott, Ladder 12; William P. McMorrow, Engine 5; John J. McDonough, Ladder 26; William T. Fothergill, Engine 47; Gerard T. Cusick, Ladder 30; Frank J. Grutner, Engine 37; Charles E. Myers, Engine 23; John J. Kearney, Engine 26-35; Walter J. Dillon, Engine 29; Albert R. Ford, Engine 5; Thomas C. Murphy, Ladder 16; John M. Shugrue, Ladder 13; Edward W. Cherry, Ladder 6; Edmund Sharp, Engine 40; Richard J. Mahoney, Engine 29; William H. Malloy, Engine 26-35; James P. McCarthy, Engine 24; William J. Buckley, Engine 12; Henry J. Byrnes, Engine 48; Joseph L. Madden, Ladder 14; John W. O'Brien, Engine 15; Joseph G. Daunt, Ladder 16; James F. Mahoney, Engine 8; Jeremiah J. McKenna, Engine 23; Michael J. Connors, Ladder 23; Joseph M. Coughlin, Engine 6; John J. Murphy, Engine 16; Charles H. Orton, Engine 48; Edward F. Brickley, Engine 13; Albert F. Donahue, Engine 26-35; Eugene W. Carroll, Ladder 23; William J. Magner, Ladder 22; Daniel P. Hegarty, Engine 40; Charles E. Gibbs, Ladder 23; Daniel F. Shaughnessy, Engine 26-35; Stanley J. Caulfield, Ladder 25; William F. Dewan, Engine 24; John B. Parkes, Ladder 25; Harold B. Goff, Engine 30; Stephen F. Gunn, Ladder 7; Walter L. Cronin, Engine 36; John J. Fenlon, Ladder 2; Daniel J. Waldron, Ladder 28; Carl H. Foss, Engine 44; Edward F. Leonard, Ladder 30; David W. Regan, Ladder 4; George D. Marsh, Engine 43; Charles A. O'Dowd, Engine 26-35; William J. Dennett, Engine 26-35.

II. NEW FIRE ALARM BOXES.

The following new fire alarm boxes will shortly be established:

Box 2563: Washington Irving School, Poplar street, near Florence street, assignments will be the same as for Box 2561, and the box will be connected into circuit No. 42.

Box 3296: Lucy Stone School, Park

street, near Washington street, assignments will be the same as for Box 3346, and the box will be connected into circuit No. 24.

III. BOSTON FIREMEN'S RELIEF FUND.

The Fire Commissioner is pleased to announce that he has received an anonymous contribution of \$100 in appreciation of the work of the members of this department at the recent fire at 371 Commonwealth avenue. The donation has been turned over to the treasurer of the Boston Firemen's Relief Fund.

IV. FIRE PREVENTION WORK UNDER TWO-PLATOON SYSTEM.

The fire prevention inspection squad, under the two-platoon system, will operate as follows:

The squad will consist of thirty men, divided into two groups, each group to work on platoon shifts, that is, the men, while on the day shift will function as day "inspectors," as at present, and when on the night shift will operate with the fire fighting force on watch and fire duty.

Two inspectors will be selected for this service in each of the fifteen districts by the senior chief, and in so far as is possible the men now assigned to this duty will be continued thereon. All work pertaining to this service must be equally divided between the inspection force.

Inspection of buildings, etc., will be continued by the officers of the department, and mainly by the district chiefs, as it is most essential to efficient direction, for these officers to know their buildings.

This arrangement will be put into effect as soon as possible.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

GENERAL PROPERTY TAX PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES (RANKING FROM HIGHEST).

Boston, \$46.11 (as corrected); Pittsburgh, \$45.67; Los Angeles, \$45.48; New York, \$39.29; San Francisco, \$36.06; Philadelphia, \$35.31; Chicago, \$32.97. (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1920, Preliminary Reports.)

ABSENTEE VOTING AT STATE ELECTIONS.

By Chapter 289, General Acts of 1919, any registered voter absent from home at election time may vote by mailing an "official absent voting ballot" previously applied for and obtained from the Election Commissioners, to the latter so as to be received before the polls close. Said ballot must be marked by the voter privately but within the observation of an official authorized to administer oaths, and of no other person, in a municipality which is separated by at least two municipalities from that in which he is registered. The voter must make affidavit before said official, enclose ballot in official envelope and mail same on or before day of election.

Of 868 Absentee ballots mailed to Election Dept., on or before Nov. 2, 1920, 570 were counted, 10 were rejected and 288 were uncounted because not received until after closing of polls.

TABLE SHOWING NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1924.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT HOUSES AND STORES.		BANKS.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		GARAGES.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....	1	\$375,000											13	\$36,000
Second Class.....	13	750,000							1	\$40,000			12	13,950
Third Class.....									59	584,000			7	3,275
Special Class.....													2	685
Total New Work.....	14	\$1,125,000							60	\$624,000			34	\$53,910
Alterations.....	13	17,125	15	\$23,470	1	\$1,600	2	\$6,975	159	87,091	27	\$15,580	9	3,675
Grand Totals.....	27	\$1,142,125	15	\$23,470	1	\$1,600	2	\$6,975	219	\$711,091	27	\$15,580	43	\$57,585

CHARACTER.	HOTELS.		LODGING HOUSES.		LODGING HOUSES AND STORES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.		OFFICE BUILDINGS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....									2	\$4,000	1	\$550,000
Second Class.....							4	\$51,000			1	10,000
Third Class.....							2	1,160			1	600
Special Class.....												
Total New Work.....							6	\$52,160	2	\$4,000	3	\$560,600
Alterations.....			2	\$7,600	9	\$23,137	4	\$1,660	71	127,845	13	30,400
Grand Totals.....			2	\$7,600	9	\$23,137	4	\$1,660	77	\$180,005	15	\$34,400

CHARACTER.	PUBLIC BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC HALLS.		STABLES.		THEATERS.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....											17	\$965,000
Second Class.....	1	\$182,000							2	\$50,700	34	1,097,650
Third Class.....									22	5,740	91	594,775
Special Class.....									5	7,076	7	7,761
Total New Work.....	1	\$182,000							29	\$63,516	149	\$2,665,186
Alterations.....	1	1,000	2	\$5,000	6	\$1,700	2	\$4,500	23	11,510	373	838,518
Grand Totals.....	2	\$183,000	2	\$5,000	6	\$1,700	2	\$4,500	52	\$75,026	522	\$3,503,704

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for public improvement, consisting of the discontinuance, as a highway, of the southwesterly branch of Robert street, West Roxbury district, between Robert street and South Walter street, containing 1,526 square feet more or less, bounded and described as follows:

The southwesterly branch of Robert street is hereby discontinued as a high-

way, between Robert street and South Walter street.

Said highway as hereby discontinued is bounded:

Northeast by the southwesterly line of Robert street as hereby established, fifty-five and 31-100 feet; southeast by the southeasterly line of Robert street as it existed previous to this discontinuance, sixty-five feet; southwest by South Walter street, thirty-five feet; and northwest by the northwesterly line of Robert street as it existed previous to this discontinuance, twenty-two and

17-100 feet; containing fifteen hundred and twenty-six square feet, more or less.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the discontinuance, as a highway, of the southwesterly branch of Robert street, between Robert street and South Water street, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Saturday, February 2, 1924.

Final meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at twelve o'clock noon, President LANE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Hagan.

WITHDRAWAL OF PLAYGROUND ORDER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 31, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—On January 7, 1924, I submitted to your honorable body, a loan order of \$85,000 for a playground in the vicinity of the Jefferson School. On January 14, 1924, the order was given one reading and in the usual course would have been finally passed at the meeting of the Council on January 28, 1924. This action was not taken, however, and in order to avoid the complications which might arise if the Council should adopt the order at its next meeting or fail to act on it, I hereby withdraw it, and shall again recommend it to the incoming Council.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Boylston Sales Company, for compensation for damage to property 795-799 Boylston street by leak in water main.

Theresa Burns, for compensation for injuries caused by being bitten by city horse.

Cobb, Bates & Yerxa Company, for a rebate on amount paid for sidewalk permit at Faneuil Hall square.

Mrs. Charles L. Davis, for compensation for injuries caused by a city horse.

Howard H. Fisher, for compensation for damage to property 111 Hawthorne street caused by stoppage of sewer.

Ellen L. Griffin, for compensation for injuries caused by alleged defect in Hyde Park avenue.

Minnie Leavitt, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 279 Walnut avenue.

Minnie Margolis, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 54 Garden street.

Joseph Morse, to be refunded real estate tax paid twice.

Roy Somers, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 24 North street.

Annie L. Sullivan, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by city horse.

Mary J. Turner, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Westland avenue.

Marion Unterberg, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Beacon street.

Executive.

Communication from justices of Dorchester Municipal Court concerning assistant probation officers.

Suffolk County Council, American Legion, for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Colonial Theater, February 3, 1924.

REFUSE COLLECTION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
February 1, 1924.

Hon. James Donovan,

City Clerk:

Dear Sir,—I transmit herewith report by George A. Johnson, dated January 10, 1923, on "Refuse Collection and Disposal for the City of Boston, Massachusetts." Will you kindly file this copy in your office with a view to having it available for councilors or others who may be interested in the garbage and refuse collection and disposal problem in this city?

Yours very truly,

J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATION FOR SOCIAL LAW LIBRARY.

President LANE offered the following:

Ordered, That there be allowed and paid to the proprietors of the Social Law Library the sum of \$1,000 for the maintenance and enlargement of said library, said sum to be charged to the 1923-24 appropriation for County of Suffolk, Social Law Library.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LEGISLATION CONCERNING CHARLES P. LEBON.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors legislation authorizing the City of Boston to increase the pension of Charles P. Lebon, formerly an employee of the School Department of said city. Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CLAIMS.

Coun. HEALEY, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on all claims acted upon during the municipal year 1923—recommending that the same be printed as a city document. (Document No. 109.)

(The action on all claims was recommended by the Law Department.)

Report accepted; said document ordered printed.

2. Report on petitions for compensation for personal injuries, damage to property, etc.—that the petitioners be given leave to withdraw (said action being recommended by the Law Department), viz.:

Armstrong Transfer Express Company (referred December 31), damage to car by city car.

Charles Ama (referred January 15), personal injuries by fall at North Bennet Street Bath House.

American Railway Express Company (referred December 3), damage to team by fire apparatus.

Wallace M. Abbott (referred September 10), damage to automobile by fire apparatus.

William Agster (referred September 10), damage to auto by city car.

Mary C. Anderson (referred May 8), personal injuries by fall at corner of Kenneth and Meredith streets, West Roxbury.

Walter F. Allen (referred September 10), damage to auto by city team.

H. Alpert (referred September 10), damage to property caused by spraying of trees at 693 Washington street.

Walter Atherton (referred December 4), damage to property at 186 Franklin street at 41 Pearl street, by water.

William J. Boyle (referred November 26), damage to car by defect in Massachusetts avenue.

Sarah Baker (referred October 29), personal injuries, Hantsborough street.

Malcolm C. Banks (referred October 8), damage to fence by city team.

Louis Beck (referred September 10), damage to auto by city team.

Mary Bussey (referred September 17), personal injuries, 77 Sudbury street.

Mrs. Lillian H. Brown (referred 1922), personal injuries, fall on Bromfield street.

Walter L. Brown (referred September 10), damage to clothing at South Ferry.

Morris Baldofsky (referred September 10), damage to auto at Chelsea Bridge.

Miss M. E. Benjamin (referred September 10), defect in Park place.

Mary F. Vallou (referred October 8), damage to property at 413 Columbus avenue.

William J. Burke (referred October 29), damage to car by city auto.

John Bobinis, Jr. (referred October 29), personal injuries, Billerica street.

Mary F. Bartsch (referred October 29), damage to garbage can by city employees.

Charles H. Cahill (referred October 8), damage to car on Federal street.

Salvatore Ciancolo (referred December 17), damage to motor boat by fire boat.

Edward J. Crawford (referred November 26), for property lost or stolen at Paris Street Gymnasium.

William Calhoun (referred September 17), personal injuries on Dixwell street.

Commonwealth Hardware Company (referred December 17), damage to property at 899-903 Washington street.

Mary E. Crowley (referred November 19), damage to property at 40 Mill street.

William L. Clayton (referred November 19), damage to coat on La Grange street.

Frank M. Cunningham (referred September 17), personal injuries by fall on Boylston street.

Patrick Callon (referred February 12), damage by sewer clogged by roots of trees at 9 Thompson street, Hyde Park.

M. J. Canavan (referred July 30), personal injuries caused by defect in Tremont street.

Calumet Shoe Company (referred September 10), damage to property at 1636 Tremont street.

Peter P. Coleman (referred August 13), damage to property by bursting of water pipe at 301 Tremont street.

Harry Cutler (referred September 10), damage to property at 13 Rochester street.

Codman Square Theater (referred September 10), damage to property by sewer overflow.

Harry A. Crowley (referred July 30), damage to property at 635 Washington street.

Mrs. Daniel F. Coleman (referred October 29), property damage, 17 Gaylord street.

Steven Chapas (referred October 29), damage to car by fire apparatus.

Thomas F. Darcy (referred December 31), damage to car, East Boston Ferry.

Bettina Del Gizzi, personal injuries, Hanover street.

Mrs. Basil R. Deering, personal injuries and damage to clothing, Boylston and Hemenway streets.

Charles De Simone (referred September 10), damage to auto, defect in Audubon road.

Helen J. Doran (referred May 14), personal injuries, defect in Eustis street.

Thomas A. Donlon (referred October 8), damage to car by city team.

Peter Damiano (referred October 15), damage to car by city team.

George N. Embree (referred December 3), personal injuries, Tremont street.

Lester R. Fogg (referred September 10), damage to car by city team.

Margaret Gilmore (referred November 5), personal injuries on Sullivan street.

John J. Gill (referred November 5), personal injuries, Winthrop School yard.

William Gediman (referred November 19), for overcoat stolen from locker at North Grove street yard.

Rose and Joseph Gravelese (referred September 17), personal injuries caused by being struck by patrol wagon.

Independent Coal Company (referred September 10), damage to truck by defect in Seventh street.

John B. Graham (referred July 30), damage to car by oily condition of Blue Hill avenue.

Griffith-Stillings Press (referred September 10), damage to car by fire apparatus.

Sam Gale (referred October 8), personal injuries on Central Avenue Bridge.

Mrs. John J. Harrington (referred December 17), for reimbursement for damage to property at 74 Kimball street, Roxbury.

J. L. Hammett Company (referred November 19), damage to truck by city team.

Hoehle & Johnson Company (referred October 8), damage to car by city team.

Orlando Hugo (referred September 24), for personal injuries at 440 Hanover street.

Sam Hymans (referred October 8), personal injuries on Florence street.

Richard Henry (referred October 15), damage to car by city team.

Lillian A. Holland (referred October 8), personal injuries on Berkeley street.

Theresa Honey (referred October 8), personal injuries at 230 Huntington avenue.

Hub Laundry Company (referred October 29), damage to truck by fire apparatus.

Mary E. Holland (referred October 29), for payment of back wages due her husband while in employ of city.

Annie Ingersoll (referred October 15), personal injuries on Bickford street.

Florence M. Johnson (referred September 10), personal injuries by defect in Huntington avenue.

David Kaufman (referred November 19), personal injuries at 62 Brighton street.

Anna C. King (referred October 29), personal injuries at Warren street, Brighton.

C. M. Kimball Company (referred September 10), damage to truck by defect in Bennington street.

Frances E. Kaplan (referred September 10), damage to property at 55½ Allen street.

William Kimball (referred September 10), damage to property at 1364 Columbus avenue.

Samuel R. Krovitz (referred October 8), personal injuries on Prince street.

John Kennedy (referred October 8), personal injuries on Green street.

Noah Kolodny (referred October 29), damage to property at 41 Endicott street.

William L. Kennedy (referred October 15), damage to car by city team.

Kaseall Koffman (referred August 13), for damage to building at 417 Harrison avenue by leak in sewer.

Arthur Kuper (referred October 15), personal injuries in State street.

Mrs. Arnold Kuper (referred October 15), personal injuries in State street.

M. M. Klinor (referred November 19), damage to car on Leverett street.

Spencer R. Koch (referred October 29), damage to car caused by negligence of policeman.

Carrie E. Langley (referred November 19), death of husband on being struck by hospital ambulance.

M. London (referred November 26), damage to property at 305 Tremont street.

Herman J. Lindner (referred November 19), damage to property at 21 Garfield street.

E. M. Martin (referred March 19), damage to motor truck by sanitary wagon No. 100.

Martin McGarry (referred March 12), damage at 17 Mitchell street, South Boston, by stopping up of hydrant near the house.

William McGaffigan (referred June 4), for injuries caused by auto of patrolman from Station 2.

Martin McCarthy (referred June 25), for cart broken by Health Department team.

Edward J. McCormack (referred June 25), for damage to auto by Sanitary Division wagon.

Motor Supply Company (referred March 26), damage to car by fire apparatus.

Thomas H. E. Monahan (referred February 26), damage to automobile by automobile of Health Department.

Rose A. McKeown (referred April 9), damage to clothing by snow falling from Old State House.

Arthur P. Newhall (referred April 9), damage to auto by city wagon on Union street.

Mary A. Maloney (referred January 22), for injuries caused by defect in Tremont street near Tremont Theater.

Mrs. C. H. McGlashan (referred July 30), fall in Dewey square.

Mary Morrissey (referred October 8), personal injuries at Training Field, Charlestown.

Joseph O. McKenna (referred September 10), damage to auto by city team.

William B. McKay (referred September 10), damage to property at 69 St. James street.

S. Aloh Malmstrom (referred October 15), damage to car by city team.

Myles B. McTernan (referred July 30), for refund of taxes paid twice on property on Mission street.

George S. McIntire (referred October 8), damage to truck by city team.

Dennis L. McCarthy (referred October 15), personal injuries on Tremont street.

Evelyn M. Miller (referred November 26), damage to car by city team.

Edmund F. Moran (referred November 26), damage to car by city team.

Thomas Meehan (referred May 14), injuries caused by a city team collecting ashes.

McAuliffe & Burke Company (referred November 19), for damage to truck by city team.

John Nelson (referred June 4), injuries from fall on Everett street, East Boston.

Mark Norton (referred February 23), injuries caused by being struck by City Hospital ambulance.

New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (referred September 10), for damage to bridge by fire apparatus.

Peter R. Noble (referred September 10), damage to auto by city team.

George W. Nelson (referred September 10), damage to auto by city team.

Anna O'Brien (referred November 19), personal injuries on Warren street.

E. B. O'Neill (referred April 16), damage to truck by street cleaning cart.

Esther Prives (referred June 4), for injuries caused by fall on Glenway street, corner Blue Hill avenue.

Jennie Porter (referred September 10), personal injuries from fall at City Hall Annex.

Mrs. L. M. Pelletier (referred June 4), fall in front of 185 Brighton avenue.

Dr. George A. Porter (referred February 19), for damage to garage by a collector of garbage.

Gaetano Piccadaci (referred April 16), damage to wagon by city cart.

Rosie Partin (referred April 9), injuries caused by snow and ice on sidewalk at 2 Parkman street.

M. H. Prendergast (referred March 5), for damage to automobile by defect in Dorchester avenue, near Andrew square.

Benjamin Pitts (referred January 29), for injuries caused by boy coasting on Parker street at Heath street crossing.

Giovanni Prois (referred January 29), damage to auto by city team on Cambridge street.

Charles W. Pencille (referred September 10), damage to auto by city truck.

Sarah Pofcher (referred June 12), for collapse of boiler at 20 Lynde street, due to Water Division.

Frank G. Page (referred October 8), damage to car by spike on Byron Street Bridge.

Carmelo Pustizzi (referred September 17), personal injuries on Hale street.

Perrine Company (referred November 26), damage to truck by city truck.

Julio Pulo (referred September 10), personal injuries at Charles and Emmons streets.

Quality Provision Company (referred February 12), damage to truck by wagon of Sanitary Division.

Matthew C. Regan (referred May 7), injuries received while in employ of Park Department.

Anthony Ross & Son (referred May 28), payment for extra work on Temple street, West Roxbury, under city contract.

Edwin A. Rogers (referred April 23), damage to ceiling at 14 Brimmer street caused by heavy teaming and trucking on said street.

Hyman Rosenberg (referred November 27), for injuries caused by defect at 47 Poplar street.

Olive M. Reid (referred March 26), payment for cart torn on fence in front of schoolhouse on Baker street.

Harry Ratner (referred January 15), for refund of water bills paid on estate at 417 Cambridge street, Allston.

Mrs. B. Riley (referred July 9), for damage to fence at 234 Calumet street, broken by city horse.

Thomas Rush (referred September 10), damage to property at 122 Milk street by policeman shooting revolver.

George W. Rose (referred June 25), for damage to motor car by fire apparatus.

Emil G. Richter (referred May 28), for damage to auto by city ash wagon.

Harry Rice (referred June 25), for damage to auto by member of the Fire Department.

Reed Motor Car Company (referred March 26), for damage to auto by city team.

Giacomo Ruma (referred March 12), payment for window broken by fire apparatus.

John A. Ryan (referred September 24), damage to car by fire apparatus.

Lillian Raymond (referred September 10), personal injuries by defect in Phillips street.

Luciano Russo (referred October 8), damage to property at 924½ Harrison avenue.

Solomon Robinson (referred December 17), damage to property at 295 Tremont street by break in water main.

John W. Ryan (referred November 26), personal injuries in Park square.

Agnes T. Roche (referred November 26), damage to property at 30 Leyland street.

Timothy Remick (referred November 19), damage to property at 63-75 Warren street by garbage wagon.

Timothy P. Riordan (referred October 8), personal injuries on Hulbert street.

Frank G. Sector (referred September 17), damage to car by city team.

Mary A. Stowell (referred April 9), for damage to water conductor broken by city team.

Morris Schulman (referred April 30), damage to auto by city team on Fulton street.

A. Arthur Shaw Company, Inc. (referred March 26), damage to auto by Paving Service truck.

Charles W. Sheen (referred January 22), for damage to garbage retainer by employee of the Sanitary Service.

William P. Sullivan (referred February 19), payment for ash barrel broken by city ash collector.

Stewart Automobile Corporation (referred January 29), for damage to shrubs at 595-603 Newbury street by runaway city team.

Harris Spear (referred May 7), personal injuries on Bromfield street caused by city automobile.

Ivan B. Shedrick (referred January 8), for damage to truck, etc., caused by defect in Broadway extension.

Shawmut Paper Box Company (referred December 27), for damage to car by defect in Cottage Farm Bridge.

Josephine Spinale (referred February 12), for injuries caused by defect in Lyman street.

Angelina M. Slattery (referred December 18), for injuries caused by defect in highway at Tovar and Bowdoin streets.

Samuel Sachs (referred February 19), for injuries caused by snow and ice falling from roof of Station 2.

Louis Sugarman (referred June 5), for damage to machine on East Boston Ferry.

Rose Sourenski (referred January 29), for injuries caused by fall on South street, corner Charles street, Jamaica Plain.

Mary E. Slavin (referred July 9), damage for dress torn in City Hall Annex elevator.

Elizabeth Sisson (referred July 9), for damage to automobile by automobile of Fire Department.

Lena Shonefsky (referred March 26), for hearing on claim on account of defect in highway at 9 Tremont row.

W. M. Smith & Co. (referred July 30), for damage to car by city car.

Chester E. Sawyer Company (referred 1919), for loss and damage by rioters at 150 Huntington avenue.

Frank J. Sullivan (referred May 28), for damage to car by city team.

Vincent Santora (referred April 2), for injuries caused by defect in Hancock street, Dorchester.

Joseph Schlager (referred April 16), damage to car by truck of Fire Department near 1400-1450 Tremont street.

Jacob Sattin (referred April 2), damage to window broken by employees of Street Cleaning Service.

Joseph A. Simpson (referred September 10), for property lost at City Hospital.

Maurice Stone (referred October 15), for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Annie Spector (referred October 8), for personal injuries at 312 Shawmut avenue.

John R. Sawyer (referred November 5), for damage to car by fire apparatus.

F. J. Sullivan (referred November 26), for personal injuries, etc., on Mt. Vernon street, West Roxbury.

Sophy Stearns (referred December 17), for personal injuries, 273 Walnut avenue.

Sadie Solotar (referred September 10), for injuries caused by defect in Harrison avenue.

Sadie C. Smith (referred November 26), for damage to car on Boylston street, Boston.

Stanley Senkevitz (referred July 9), for hearing on claim of negligence of driver of police ambulance.

Sarah M. Toy (referred October 8), for refund of water rates.

Peter Tolino (referred March 19), for payment for window broken by city team.

Ada H. Tack (referred 1922), for injuries received June 30, caused by hole in sidewalk at 680 and 682 Washington street.

Ralph E. Tibbetts (referred 1922), for damage to car by city truck.

Fannie Tractter (referred March 19), for hearing on claim on account of accident at 134 Harvard street.

Bessie J. Turner (referred March 26), for injuries caused by fall at 119 Kendall street.

R. Elmer Townsend (referred September 10), for expense caused by neglect of Sanitary Service.

Eugenio Testa (referred July 30), for damage to property on North street by defective sewer.

Maurice B. Ulin (referred September 10), for damage to automobile by city team.

Theodore Udelson (referred May 7), for damage to patrol wagon of Division 3.

Rachel Vidro (referred March 5), for injuries caused by fall on sidewalk at 68 Lawrence avenue, Roxbury.

Dr. Wolfson (referred May 14), for damage to car by city truck.

William Wilson (referred February 19), for injuries caused by defect in Brookline avenue.

Arthur Wallace (referred May 28), for damages at 115 Hanover street by police patrol wagon.

Maria A. Woods (referred April 23), for rebate of taxes at 30 Shirley street on account of error in land assessment.

Anna M. Williams (referred 1922), for injuries caused by defect at corner Whitfield street and Wheatland avenue.

Wright Wholesale Drug Company (referred July 9), for damage to automobile by street sweeper on Causeway street.

Fannie Wemicur (referred June 25), for injuries caused by fall at Leverett and Charles streets.

Walter S. Wynter (referred December 27), to be paid for extra work on his contract for the removal of refuse.

William J. Walsh (referred July 30), for injuries received at L Street Bath.

T. J. Walsh (referred May 28), for damage to fence at 228 Calumet street, caused by city garbage wagon.

A. M. Whitaker (referred October 29), for damage to fence by city team.

George S. Winslow (referred July 30), for damage to property at 60 Dover street by team.

Joseph M. Wales (referred September 10), for personal injuries caused by defect in Cornhill street.

Ward Baking Company (referred October 8), for damage to car by patrol wagon.

Mary B. White (referred October 29), for personal injuries by defect in Bedford street.

Elizabeth G. White (referred October 8), for personal injuries caused while working for the city.

Harry H. Watkins (referred October 8), for damage to car by city team.

F. M. Zemeir (referred 1922), for damage to car by team of the Sanitary Service.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PRISONS.

In City Council, February 2, 1924.

This report is made in accordance with the provisions of chapter 223 of the Revised Laws by the Committee on Prisons, which has attended to its duty and submits the following:

The institutions which the committee visited were the Suffolk County Jail and the House of Correction at Deer Island.

For the Committee,
WILLIAM C. S. HEALEY,

Chairman, Committee on Inspection of Prisons.

HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

In accordance with the law, your committee inspected the House of Correction at Deer Island and the County Jail twice during the past year. A new policy was adopted of inviting representatives of the Catholic, Protestant and Jewish religions to accompany your committee on their visits. Letters of invitation were sent to His Eminence William Cardinal O'Connell, Bishop William Lawrence of the Episcopal Church, and the Federated Jewish Charities. Accordingly the following ladies and gentlemen met your committee on their annual and semiannual inspection of the two institutions named: Rev. Michael J. Murphy, Rev. L. Toma, Mrs. Francis E. Slattery, Mrs. Maurice J. Curran, Rev. George Winthrop Sargent, Miss Mary Beard, Rabbi Moses L. Sedar, and Mrs. E. S. Goulston, Sr. The reasons for the invitation, of course, are so obvious that it is hardly necessary to say that the churches more than any other organization are interested in the welfare of the inmates of our correctional institutions, and the churches particularly represent the great mass of the people who are concerned for the welfare of those who are confined at the House of Correction and the County Jail.

We present below certain statistics covering the number of inmates and other data of importance, that should be read very carefully in connection with the present report.

When an inmate is booked at Deer Island a physical examination of his condition is first made, a blood test is taken, and if he needs hospital treatment, is sent at once to Long Island, where he is kept under observation until his physical condition is improved. Up to 1920 such inmates were kept in the hospital at Deer Island, but the old wooden frame building which housed the hospital was condemned by the Fire Department in that year, so that all patients are now sent to Long Island for treatment.

During 1923 there were no cases of pneumonia, scarlet fever, diphtheria, grippe, typhoid or typhus, or any other contagious diseases found among the men (there are no women confined here). Those suffering from tuberculosis were sent to State Sanatoria, and those suffering from social diseases were immediately isolated.

The hospital at Long Island is recognized by the American Medical and Surgical Association as one of high repute. The visiting surgical staff is headed by Dr. John Cunningham of Boston, and those associated with him are of equal prominence.

During the past year four men out of 2,240 inmates at Deer Island died, giving a remarkable bill of health for the institution.

In connection with the subject of health of the inmates at Deer Island, something should be said of the drug addicts, all of whom are now isolated, treated by the hospital physicians, and after being conditioned physically are sent to the farm to work. Isolation is the dominating note in the treatment of these men, who come in as inmates in a weakened condition, due to the use of drugs. The old feeble addicts are sent to Long Island for treatment and are not expected to work. Up to recently the drug addicts were in constant association with the other prisoners, but under the new policy have been kept away from contact with the other men. Sergt. Robert Caverly of the Boston Police Department is charged with the duty of ridding Boston of the drug evil. The Commissioner of Institutions, Doctor Johnson, is working successfully with him and with the courts for the eradication of this drug evil. Under the new system of isolation the general condition of the drug afflicted inmates has noticeably improved. We heartily commend Commissioner Johnson for his humane and intelligent treatment of those men, most of whom have even gained weight under his administration. This group has decreased in number in a year and a half from 56 to 26, and out of the number released during the year, only one addict has returned to Deer Island. It may be too early to predict a permanent cure, but the method of handling this matter is headed in the right direction.

Food.

The following is the menu of the average week during the year:

Breakfast.—Coffee, bread, rice, milk sugar.
Dinner.—Beans, coffee, pork, brown bread, white bread.
Supper.—Cocoa, bread, prunes, sugar.

Breakfast.—Coffee, bread, milk, sugar, hominy.
Dinner.—Coffee, bread, pea soup, pie.
Supper.—Tea, bread, beans, pork.

Breakfast.—Coffee, bread, milk, sugar, Ralston's food.
Dinner.—Coffee, bread, beef stew.
Supper.—Tea, bread, macaroni, cake.

Breakfast.—Coffee, bread, milk, sugar.
Dinner.—Coffee, bread, pork, beans.
Supper.—Tea, bread, corned beef hash.

Breakfast.—Coffee, bread, milk, sugar, rolled oats.
Dinner.—Coffee, bread, beef stew.
Supper.—Tea, bread, pork, beans.

Breakfast.—Coffee, bread, milk, sugar.
Dinner.—Coffee, bread, potatoes, mackerel, pie.
Supper.—Tea, bread, pea soup, cake.

Breakfast.—Coffee, bread, milk, sugar.
Dinner.—Coffee, bread, beef stew.
Supper.—Tea, bread, frankfurters.

This is the general run of institutional food throughout Massachusetts so far as our examination shows. It, of course, is not the robust food of the worker, but it is wholesome. In fact, your committee partook of this food on its visit and recommends it as clean, well cooked and nourishing. In talking directly with some of the inmates we were informed that although the food was good, a change of diet would be welcome. In this connection a comparison of the menus at the House of Correction and the County Jail would be profitable.

We desire to note here that in 1922 a "Suggestion Box" was installed by Commissioner Johnson at the House of Correction, so that complaints could be sent directly to the head of the department by the inmates without interference by any subordinate officer. Thus far the commissioner has received no complaint on the matter of food, so he informed your committee.

Work of Inmates.

The House of Correction differs in one particular from the State Prison, in that the terms of confinement are very short, averaging for the individual about thirty days. As a result it has been found unwise to establish factory or industrial work. At Deer Island there is a small shoe shop, but the enlargement of its functions is not recommended, as skilled mechanics are necessary in this branch of industry. Almost all the inmates of Deer Island work on the farm, in the barn, in the piggery and in the stone shed. The farm, consisting of about thirty-four acres, produces all the vegetables necessary for the institution. The cow barn, of cement, lately built by the inmates, holds a growing herd, which, now numbers fifty-two. The milk yield averages 200 to 400 quarts a day, of which 80 quarts are sent to Long Island. Instead of killing the calves the commissioner has adopted the policy of increasing the number of cows as a direct benefit to the institution under his charge. The piggery, which is as sanitary and clean as such a place can be, contains about five hundred pigs. About fifty thousand pounds of pigs are killed yearly for the use of the officers, employees and inmates of the Island, and a survey of the menu will show how frequently that product is used on the table. A smoke house recently has been established for turning out hams and bacon, which also are used at Deer Island and Long Island. The stone shed has been reopened during the past year and supplies curbing for the Public Works Department. Some criticism has been publicly made of the return of this industry, but it is not justified, as only men serving time for non-support, for wife beating and wife desertion are employed at this work.

In connection with employment your committee desires to state that a Board of Appeal was established this year at Deer Island to consider complaints of the inmates in the matter of work. The Board consists of the master, the clergyman and the doctor at the House of Correction. Any inmate with a grievance may petition for a hearing before this Board, and if his petition fail he may take up the case with the deputy commissioner, and finally the commissioner himself.

On the subject of paying \$1 a day to the families of inmates for work performed dur-

ing confinement, the commissioner hopes that it will be possible to do this. The program is now being considered in all its aspects by the authorities in charge of the correctional institutions throughout the state and we may soon look for a definite statement.

Recreation.

In the words of the commissioner, "the inmates at the House of Correction are, as far as possible, treated as normal men and every effort is made to build up their self respect and their self confidence." Moving picture shows are given weekly, minstrel and vaudeville entertainments are arranged on special occasions, and individuals and organizations also give concerts for the inmates. The great American game of baseball is the principal out-door sport, and contests in this and other sports are viewed by the inmates from bleachers recently constructed.

Whether gymnasium classes should be established, especially for the younger men who are confined, is a problem which your committee hopes the commissioner will work on during the coming year "A sound mind in a sound body" is a world aged adage. May we hope for some pronounced view on this subject soon.

Taken as a whole your committee believes that the administration of the institution at Deer Island is safe and sane. The time given for inspection was too short for a minute investigation, but whatever questions were asked were answered and there was no attempt at concealment. The committee not only interviewed the authorities but also the inmates in their visits to the institutions. We believe that Commissioner Johnson is doing all that is humanely possible to conserve and build up the character of the inmates under his charge, and in doing that he deserves well of the citizens of Boston.

Report of Commitments and Discharges from the House of Correction, Deer Island, from February 1, 1923, to January 29, 1924.

Number remaining February 1, 1923.....	328
Committed from February 1, 1923, to January 29, 1924.....	2,260
Discharged from February 1, 1923, to January 29, 1924.....	2,149
Number remaining January 29, 1924.....	435
Transferred to House of Correction, Deer Island:	
From Charles Street Jail.....	4
From State Farm.....	2
From Concord Reformatory.....	11
Rutland.....	7
From East Cambridge House of Correction.....	3
From Tewksbury.....	3
From New Bedford.....	1
Return from escape.....	1
Permit revoked.....	4

How Discharged:	
Expiration of sentence.....	1,251
Expiration of sentence and fine paid.....	4
Fine paid and permit of commissioner.....	132
Permit of Commissioner of Corrections.....	10
Permit of Commissioner of Institutions.....	546
Payment of fine.....	170
Order of court.....	4
Died.....	4
Escaped.....	2
Transferred to:	
State Farm.....	3
Rutland.....	50
Tewksbury.....	38
State Hospital.....	3
East Cambridge House of Correction.....	11
Charles Street Jail.....	10
State Farm Defective Delinquent.....	1
Dedham.....	3
Plymouth.....	1
Worcester State Hospital.....	1
Salem.....	1

SUFFOLK COUNTY JAIL.

The conditions here, so far as the inmates are concerned, are different in some respects from those prevailing at the House of Correction. At the County Jail men and women are confined as prisoners; at the House of Correction, as already stated, there are men prisoners only. At the County Jail also there are two classes of inmates, some serving sentences imposed by the courts, and others restrained there for lack of bail, awaiting trial on appeal cases. In the House of Correction all the inmates are serving sentences; none are kept there except prisoners. At the County Jail there are no industries to keep the inmates busy, unless continuous cleaning may be termed an industry. As expressed by the sheriff, "they clean, dust and wash the jail, then they go over the work again." Only those serving sentences are required to do this work. Inmates held for lack of bail are not compelled to perform this labor. As a result of this continuous cleaning, the County Jail may

be properly described as "spic and span." Old offenders quite frequently appeal to the judges of our courts for sentences to the jail, lest they be required to work at the House of Correction. The sentences of the inmates at the jail are usually as short as those at Deer Island and therefore the policy of establishing industries at the jail has not been seriously considered. Under the administration of Sheriff Keliher improvements have been made that should be noted, viz., the introduction of running water and a toilet in each cell, the privilege of smoking, and, more recently, the construction of a hospital, upon which we shall later report. The cafeteria service, whereby each inmate walks to the serving board, receives his food and eats it at a common mess table, is especially to be commended. This is the latest innovation of the sheriff. Besides other advantages it has the definite merit of serving the food hot. It is interesting to note that inmates serving sentences and inmates without bail are served from different tables.

Sample Menu for a Week.

Monday.

Breakfast.—Corn meal, hash, bread and coffee.

Dinner.—Hamburg steak, string beans, bread and coffee.

Supper.—Kidney beans, apricots, bread and coffee.

Tuesday.

Breakfast.—Rolled oats, bread and coffee.

Dinner.—Clam chowder, bread and coffee.

Supper.—Stewed prunes, bread and coffee.

Wednesday.

Breakfast.—Boiled rice, bread and coffee.

Dinner.—American chop-suey, bread and coffee.

Supper.—Macaroni, tomato sauce, apple sauce, bread and cocoa.

Thursday.

Breakfast.—Corn meal, hash, bread and coffee.

Dinner.—Corned beef hash, bread and coffee.

Supper.—Sliced peaches, bread and cocoa.

Friday.

Breakfast.—Prunes, bread and coffee.

Dinner.—Baked stuffed cod, mashed potatoes, bread and coffee.

Supper.—Plums, bread and cocoa.

Saturday.

Breakfast.—Rolled oats, bread and coffee.

Dinner.—Frankforts and sauerkraut, bread and coffee.

Supper.—Frankforts and baked beans, preserved pears, bread and cocoa.

Sunday.

Breakfast.—Boiled rice, bread and coffee.

Dinner.—Smoked shoulder, beets, carrots, boiled potatoes, bread and coffee.

Supper.—Sliced peaches, bread and cocoa.

The hospital was particularly interesting to your committee. The establishment of this new branch of the Suffolk County Jail last year created two opposite opinions. Some of our citizens believed that such a hospital was not necessary, while others took a contrary view. As the hospital has been only recently in operation, the future will answer which body of citizens was correct. The sheriff has secured the services of physicians and surgeons of high repute, headed by Dr. David D. Scannell of the Boston School Committee, all of whom will serve without compensation. The hospital is equipped for major and minor surgical operations, has a good laboratory and all other necessary equipment. The dental room attached to the hospital, both sides of the recent controversy doubtless would agree, is well worth while. The medical examination and treatment of the incoming inmate is practically the same as that given at Deer Island. Below is appended a report of the medical cases treated at the Suffolk County Jail during the past year; list furnished by the sheriff. Number of persons committed to the Suffolk County Jail from January 1, 1923, to January 1, 1924.....6,478

"All persons committed to the institution are given a superficial examination on the day of their commitment.

"All persons suffering from the use of narcotic drugs are given a special treatment by the jail physician.

"All persons suffering from alcoholism are given treatment by the jail physician.

"All persons committed to the institution for a term of thirty days or more are given a complete physical examination, and Wasserman and sputum tests are sent to the Board of Health. During the period from January 1, 1923, to January 1, 1924, there were 1,409 of these complete examinations made by the jail physician.

"During the period from January 1, 1923, to January 1, 1924, the jail physician made 3,580 special examinations and treatments. In addition to a very large number of alcohol cases, the following were treated for other ailments."

Cuts and abrasions.....	360
Urinary diseases.....	120
Sprains and fractures.....	32
Drug addicts.....	79
Rheumatism.....	37
Grippe, coughs and colds.....	890
Constipation and bowel trouble.....	720
Skin diseases.....	87
Stomach trouble.....	100
Eye trouble.....	15
Headaches, neuralgia, etc.....	140
Throat trouble, adenoids, bronchitis, etc.....	162
Teeth.....	49
Surgical.....	37
Mental diseases.....	19
Pneumonia.....	15
Ear trouble.....	12
Tuberculosis.....	17
Nose trouble.....	10
Contagious diseases.....	5
Heart trouble.....	8

It is hoped by the sheriff that an appropriation will be allowed in 1924 to build a boiler room outside the jail, as the presence of the heating plant in the main building might some day prove disastrous. Your committee is of the opinion that the sheriff is right in his suggestion. It was furthermore proposed that the brick building facing the jail on Cambridge street should be removed. This subject is worthy of deep consideration, but there is no such present need of the removal of this building as there is for the erection of a new heating plant away from the main building. In general, your committee commends the administration of Sheriff John A. Keliher as a humane and intelligent one.

Suffolk County Jail,
Boston, January 23, 1924.

To the Inspector of Prisons for the County of Suffolk:

Gentlemen,—I respectfully submit the following report of the commitments to and discharges from the Suffolk County Jail from January 1, 1923, to January 16, 1924, inclusive:

Males.	
Remaining January 21, 1923.....	157
Committed January 21, 1923, to January 16, 1924.....	6,117
Discharged January 21, 1923, to January 16, 1924.....	6,030
Remaining January 16, 1924.....	244

Females.	
Remaining January 21, 1923.....	23
Committed January 21, 1923, to January 16, 1924.....	1,006
Discharged, January 21, 1923, to January 16, 1924.....	994
Remaining January 16, 1924.....	35

Debtors remaining October 9, 1923.....	0
Debtors committed October 9, 1923, to January 16, 1924.....	13
Debtors discharged October 9, 1923, to January 16, 1924.....	13
Debtors remaining January 16, 1924.....	0
Escapes.....	1
Recaptured.....	1
Insane.....	10
Deaths.....	2

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. KELIHER, Sheriff.

The report was accepted.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 12:36 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. MORIARTY, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 12:49 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WATSON, for Coun. HAGAN, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Reports on communications from the Board of Street Commissioners on petitions for hearings on licenses to store and sell gasoline at various locations—that the same be placed on file, viz.:

Petition (referred November 19); petition (referred December 17); petition (referred December 31); petition (referred January 14); petition (referred January 21).

Reports severally accepted; petitions placed on file.

2. Report on communication from justice of Dorchester Municipal Court (referred today) concerning assistant probation officer—recommending passage of the following order, viz.:

Ordered, That the salary of Herbert G. Black, assistant probation officer of the Municipal Court for the Dorchester District, determined by the justice of said court at the rate of \$1,500 per year, be and the same hereby is approved, to date from February 1, 1924.

Report accepted; order passed.

3. A report on petition of Suffolk County Council, American Legion (referred today), for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Colonial Theater, February 3—that permit be granted.

Report accepted; permit granted on the usual conditions.

GROUP PICTURE.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the City Messenger be directed to obtain a group picture of the members and officers of the City Council and furnish a copy of same to each of such members and officers, the expense to be charged to the appropriation for City Council, B-37.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

REFERENCE OF UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Coun. DONOGHUE offered an order—That all matters of an unfinished nature in the hands of the committees of this City Council be referred to the City Council of 1924.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CLOSING PROCEEDINGS.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Resolved, That the thanks of the City Council be extended to President Daniel W. Lane for the impartiality and ability he has displayed as presiding officer of this body.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Clerk, At this time I rise to say a few words on the resolution I have introduced, thinking it would not be fitting to allow the President of the Boston City Council for the year 1923 to leave the rostrum without expressing the feeling in the hearts of the members of the City Council. Coun. Lane is leaving the presidency of the Boston City Council with a full recognition on the part of the members of his fairness and impartiality, which has actuated every decision he has had occasion to make in this body. Every member wishes him all the good luck possible during his term starting on February 4. All the rest of us extend to him our best wishes as a newly elected member of the incoming body and as the outgoing President of the Council for 1923.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. Clerk, I desire to add my word of approbation of the President of this Council. Great as the criticism of the Council has been by outsiders, I want to say that our presiding officer, representing the soul and spirit of the Council, has shown that this body occupies a position in the City of Boston equal to that occupied in the state by the Massachusetts Senate or House of Representatives; and I trust that the newspapers in their reports will let the citizens of Boston know that the Boston City Council represents the highest type of citizenship in our city. I think the citizens ought to know that in the election of Daniel W. Lane as President of the Council we elected one of our best members, and that he has ably and properly performed the duties of his office in a manner that must and should meet with the approbation of our citizens.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Clerk, in order to further show the President how the members of the Boston City Council feel toward him, I now present to Coun. Daniel W. Lane this token of our esteem, with the good wishes and the good will of the members and officers of this body. We trust that as he uses it in the future it may bring back to his mind during the remainder of his days thoughts and recollections of his associations with us here during his presidency and during his term of service with us.

(Coun. Moriarty here presented to President Lane a beautiful gold cigarette case.)

The resolutions were passed by a unanimous rising vote.

President LANE said: Fellow members of the City Council of the year 1923, after listening to the beautiful encomiums that have been showered on me by the two councilors who have spoken, I feel that I do not know myself, any more than I was able to recognize myself during the last campaign when one of the newspapers said that I was a very prominent member of the Baptist Union. (Laughter.) But, all joking aside, gentlemen,

I am deeply touched on this occasion by the good will you have shown toward me, and by this beautiful token of your esteem. I have endeavored during the few months that I have had the honor to serve here to be as fair and impartial as preceding presiding officers have been. During the six years that I have been a member of the body I have never seen the time when any member could object to the rulings of the presiding officer, and with such examples to follow I also have endeavored to be fair at all times. It is with feelings that I can hardly describe that I now tell you what an honor I consider it to have been to preside over you during these few months. It is an honor that any man might well aspire to and be proud of. I have served in several legislative bodies—in the old Boston Common Council, in the Massachusetts Senate and in the Constitutional Convention—and I can say truthfully and honestly that I have never enjoyed any associations more than those here with you gentlemen. The last day of a Council session always carries with it a touch of sadness, because after you have been serving with one body of men as small as this for one, two or three years or longer, and even one of the members is going to leave, you cannot help feeling sorry, no matter what your personal relations with the member may have been at times, no matter whether you voted with him or against him. He is still one member of a small family. Coun. Hagan is leaving us today, last year Coun. Ford left us, and the year before that Coun. Collins left us. We did not always vote with those men, but there was always good fellowship among all the members, and we have missed and will miss every one of them. Not only his fellow councilors are going to miss Coun. Hagan, but visitors to this body are going to miss the passages at arms that we have at times had occasion to see between Coun. Hagan and Coun. Watson, and at times between Coun. Hagan and Coun. Moriarty. I know that Coun. Moriarty is going to regret Coun. Hagan's loss, and I am sure that Coun. Watson is. I want to thank all the people who are attached to the Council for their kindness and courtesy to me. My good friend, Jim Donovan, the City Clerk, has always been an inspiration to me. The experience coming from his many years of service for the City of Boston has always been at our command. His assistant, Mr. Wilfred J. Doyle, everyone in City Hall respects. If they want to know what is going on they say, "Let us go and find out from Wilfred Doyle." The City Messenger, Mr. Leary, and his associate, Mr. Glenn, have always been most courteous and obliging; and we all appreciate the services that have been rendered to us by our able and efficient Clerk of Committees, Mr. Baldwin, and his assistant, Mr. Chisholm. Every member appreciates our stenographer, Mr. Harnden. We all know what he has done for us. We all know that he has corrected our mistakes in English when we have got up here more or less excited, not quite realizing what language we were using. When we have read it in the *City Record* or the minutes of the City Council afterwards, however, we have found that we made beautiful speeches, all due to the embellishments of Mr. Harnden. I want to thank the press for their kindness to me during the six years I have been here, and I only trust that I have merited one half the nice things they have said about me. We cannot, either, forget our officer here, Mr. Leahy, who has so carefully guarded us, and the other officer, not now present, who has kept people away when we were too busy to see them. This case which you have given me, gentlemen, I shall always carry with me, and I shall always think, every time that I extract a coffin nail from it, that my confreres in the Council are helping to bury me! (Laughter.) Once more, I wish to thank you all for the kind co-operation I have received at your hands during the year, and I trust that the remaining years I have to serve here will be as happy as the past six. Gentlemen, I thank you.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, it was my intention before you referred to the departing member to say a word concerning that gentleman, myself. I have in mind Coun. Hagan, who today severs his connection with us as a councilor of the City of Boston, leaving this group. I have had many bitter discussions with him. Both he and I have at times had occasion to show some heat regarding subjects for debate in this body. I have said some hard things concerning him and the echo has come back to me from his lips in equally hard things that he has said concerning me. My differences with him, however, have never been other than political. He has his own point of view, and I have mine. I have disagreed with him more times than I have agreed with him, and I think in a great many cases, from my point of view, I was justified.

But I intend to be fair with him and to say that he has disagreed with me more times than he has agreed with me, and as conscientiously from his point of view, and has assured me that he felt confident that he was right. I want to say here frankly, and the words I utter are as true as a man could utter under any circumstances, that in Henry Hagan's departure from this body he has my respect as a man, and I wish him Godspeed in his undertakings. I think the Council has been better for his membership, not because of anything constructive that he might have suggested but because through the orders he has introduced and the discussions that have ensued we have all been able to get light that we would not have otherwise had. I am not speaking for the purpose of getting into the public press, or for any other reason than that today the differences between Henry E. Hagan and myself, politically and otherwise, are behind me. I want him to know that in leaving here he has my friendship, and I wish him success in anything he may undertake.

Adjourned, without day, at 1.04 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. BRICKLEY.

PUBLIC CONTROL OF BOSTON ELEVATED RAILWAY.

By Chapter 159, Special Acts of 1918, a State board of five trustees was created to assume control of the Elevated Railway Co. for the term of 10 years, the need being imperative to improve its unfortunate condition and impaired service in the interest of a very large traveling public. Regular dividends were continued and the raising of \$3,000,000 of new capital was provided for by the issue and sale of preferred stock. It was also provided that if the income should be insufficient to meet the cost of service and the reserve fund proved inadequate, any deficit should be paid by the State and assessed upon the cities and towns in which the railway was operated. The fare was raised from 5 cents to 7, then to 8 and again to 10. The total deficit for year ending June 30, 1919, was \$4,980,152, which was covered by extra taxation, as ordered, Boston paying \$2,905,931 or 71.9 per cent of total levy. According to the said act of 1918, the cities and towns were to be reimbursed for assessments paid by them as soon as the financial condition of the Elevated Co. permitted.

By Chapter 369, General Acts of 1919, the purchase by the State from the Elevated Co. of the Cambridge Subway was ordered as an emergency law, the capital thus made available being needed by the trustees. The property was conveyed to the State May 1, 1920, on payment of \$7,868,000 and 4½ per cent of this cost is payable by the B. E. Co. annually for rental.

The report of the Trustees of B. E. Railway Co. for year 1920 showed a notable financial improvement as compared with 1919, the cost of service exceeding receipts by \$347,167 or only one-seventh of the deficit in 1919.

The Trustees' report for 1921 showed total receipts for that year of \$33,277,026, exceeding the total cost of service, depreciation, debt requirements and dividends by \$1,171,445. This surplus permitted certain reimbursements in 1922, Boston receiving \$372,035 or 12.8 per cent of the assessment paid in 1919. Under the act of 1918, the general 10-cent fare cannot be reduced until all reimbursements are completed. On June 10, 1922, the consolidation of the West End Street Railway Co. with the Boston Elevated Co. went into effect, as provided by Acts of 1911, Chap. 740, the lease to the Elevated not expiring until the said date.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

INAUGURAL EXERCISES

Monday, February 4, 1924.

The first meeting of the City Council of 1924 was held in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., all the members and members-elect for 1924 being present.

Senior Member Coun. WATSON took the chair and called the members to order at 10.52 o'clock a. m.

Coun. GILBODY moved that a committee of two be appointed to wait upon his Honor the Mayor and escort him to the Council Chamber.

The motion was carried, and Coun. Gilbody and Brickley were appointed said committee. They retired at 10.54 o'clock a. m., and presently returned, escorting the Mayor, Hon. James M. Curley, and suite, including the Chaplain and ex-Mayor Thomas N. Hart and Nathan Matthews.

Mayor CURLEY took the chair and said:

The audience will now give their attention while the chaplain, Reverend Father Twomey, leads us in prayer.

The chaplain, Reverend Father Mortimer E. Twomey, prayed:

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost, Amen.

O Boundless Wisdom, that reacheth from end to end mightily and weigheth all things sweetly: O Divine Power, that holdeth in the hollow of Thy hand the destinies of nations and of men; O Supernal Providence, that guideth, guardeth and governeth all the things that thou hast made—impart to those who have been chosen to guard the interests of this city wisdom to see and broadness of vision to follow the ways of truth, the power of honest purpose and endeavor to achieve undertakings great and good. Give them guidance to promote the best interests of all who dwell or who sojourn within our gates and do Thou, our God, remember the days of Thy benefactions and of Thy service upon this earth and give to those who preside over the civic affairs of this city the spirit of noble service.

Almighty God, Thou hast said of Thyself, "Not to be served but to serve," and Thy vicar and representative, the Holy Father of Christendom, loves to style himself the servant of the servants of God.

And so grant to the elected leader, the chief magistrate of this city, and to those who counsel and co-operate with him, to rise to the heights of generous service that shall redound to Thy glory, to the prosperity of the citizens and to the renown of our local city.

To serve Thee, our God, is to reign triumphant over the perversities of human will, and to serve our fellow man is to rise triumphant over selfishness. Do Thou lead those to whom Thou hast intrusted authority along to that fulfillment of the law which, according to Thy word, is the love of our neighbor.

In this spirit we present to Thee our petitions, asking that Thou make them Thine own and bring them to the throne of Him to whom we trust ourselves, in Thy very words:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, Amen.

Chairman WATSON—The first business in order is the reading of the communication from the Election Commissioners certifying the new members elected to the City Council, and the clerk will then call the roll.

The Clerk read the communication from the Board of Election Commissioners, stating that Coun. Daniel W. Lane, James T. Moriarty and James T. Purcell had been elected to the City Council for the term ending February, 1927.

The communication was placed on file.

Chairman WATSON—The Clerk will now call the roll.

The Clerk called the roll of those elected for the term ending February, 1927, and they were all present, as follows:

Coun. Daniel W. Lane, James T. Moriarty and James T. Purcell.

Mayor CURLEY administered the oath of office to the councilors just elected, as follows:

I do solemnly swear that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and support the constitution thereof, so help me God; I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as a member of the City Council of the City of Boston, according to the best of my ability and understanding, agreeably to the rules and regulations of the Constitution and the laws of this Commonwealth, so help me God; I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States so help me God.

Mayor CURLEY—I declare the gentlemen elected members of the City Council. The chaplain is obliged to fulfill another engagement, and will retire at this time. (Reverend Father Twomey retired from the chamber at this point.)

The members-elect took their seats with the other members of the Council; and his Honor Mayor Curley read his message.

(For address of Mayor Curley see page 143 of this week's *City Record*.)

Chairman WATSON—Will Councilors Purcell, Moriarty and Lane step up and meet the Mayor. He wishes to shake hands with you and ask your co-operation.

(The councilors referred to shook hands with the Mayor, amid applause.)

Mayor CURLEY—Just one word, gentlemen. It is this. We are organized for the transaction of the most important business in Massachusetts, a business representing a greater annual outlay and a business representing a greater number of employees than any other industry in the Commonwealth. As president of your Board of Directors, I recognize that success, the best interests of the city, require that we work in harmony. It is a great pleasure to be permitted to welcome you on this occasion and to anticipate during the coming year the same character of co-operation and friendly association that we have enjoyed during the last year. (Applause.)

The Mayor and suite retired at 12.47 p. m.

Chairman WATSON—The Council will come to order. The Clerk will call the roll.

The Clerk called the roll, and all the members were found to be present, as follows:

Councilors Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson.
Chairman WATSON—A quorum is present, and we are ready to proceed to business.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I move that we proceed to the election of a president.

The motion was carried.
Chairman WATSON—The Clerk will call the roll, and the members will answer as their names are called.

The roll was called and the members answered, with the following result:

For John A. Donoghue—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell and Watson—3.
For William J. Walsh—Coun. Gilbody, Moriarty, Walsh—3.
For George F. Gilbody—Coun. Brickley—1.
For Daniel W. Lane—Coun. Healey—1.
For William C. S. Healey—Coun. Lane—1.
And there was no choice.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. Chairman, I move that we take a second ballot.

The motion was carried. The Clerk called the roll, and the members responded, as follows:

For John A. Donoghue—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell and Watson—3.
For James T. Moriarty—Coun. Brickley and Moriarty—2.
For George F. Gilbody—Coun. Gilbody and Walsh—2.
For Daniel W. Lane—Coun. Healey—1.
For William C. S. Healey—Coun. Lane—1.
And there was no choice.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I move that we proceed to another ballot.

The motion was carried.
The Clerk called the roll, with the following result:

For John A. Donoghue—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell and Watson—3.
For David J. Brickley—Coun. Brickley and Moriarty—2.
For Daniel W. Lane—Coun. Healey—1.
For William C. S. Healey—Coun. Lane—1.
For George F. Gilbody—Coun. Walsh—1.
For William J. Walsh—Coun. Gilbody—1.
And there was no choice.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I move that we take a fourth ballot.

The motion was carried, and the Clerk called the roll with the following result:

For John A. Donoghue—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell and Watson—3.
For George F. Gilbody—Coun. Gilbody and Walsh—2.
For James T. Moriarty—Coun. Brickley and Moriarty—2.
For Daniel W. Lane—Coun. Healey—1.
For William C. S. Healey—Coun. Lane—1.
And there was no choice.

RESOLUTIONS ON DEATH OF EX-PRESIDENT WILSON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 4, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Whereas, Almighty God in his Divine wisdom has seen fit to take from our midst former President of the United States, Honorable Woodrow Wilson, and

Whereas, Through the exceptional quality of his leadership it was possible to develop in America a spiritual idealism and a national unity through which in large measure was made possible the perpetuation of free government and the winning of the World War, and

Whereas, His death is more than a national loss because of his leadership in the movement for a permanent world peace, and

Whereas, His long, uncomplaining and patient suffering has merited universal sympathy and his death universal sorrow, be it and it is hereby

Resolved, That the sincere sympathy of the people of Boston be conveyed to the grief-stricken companion who has shared with him suffering and sorrow, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, and to his family, and be it and it is further

Resolved, That as a mark of respect the flag be placed at half mast on all municipal buildings for a period of thirty days and on the day of the funeral of this truly great advocate, lover and leader in the cause of human liberty, all municipal activities shall be suspended.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

The resolutions were adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

Chairman WATSON offered an order—That the City Clerk be directed to transmit to the widow of ex-President Wilson an engrossed copy of the resolutions adopted by the City Council, the expense to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

The order was passed by a unanimous rising vote.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President I move you that we now adjourn until one week from today at two o'clock, out of further respect to the memory of our late president.

The motion was carried, and the Council stood adjourned at 1.04 p. m., to meet on Monday, February 11, at two p. m.

BOSTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Total expenditures in year 1922-23, \$8,531,870 (exclusive of \$3,174,367 for Water Service, maintained by revenue) but including the following special appropriations: \$921,739 (from loan) for sewer construction, \$696,224 (from Tax Levy) for reconstructing and repairing streets by contract, \$175,643 (from Tax Levy) for street improvements, \$117,313 (from Tax Levy) for bridge repairs, etc., \$36,537 (from Tax Levy) for granolithic sidewalks, (\$23,000 from Tax Levy and \$76,046 from loan) for high-pressure fire service, \$24,702 (from loan) for Old Harbor improvement, \$203,090 (from loan) for bridge construction.

For maintenance in 1922 as follows: Paving Service, \$1,225,019 (\$62,894 less than in 1921); Sanitary Service, \$1,831,685 (\$295,052 more); Lighting Service, \$734,059 (\$11,967 more); Street Cleaning and Oiling Service, \$867,608 (\$48,454 less); Sewer Service, \$567,758 (\$39,285 less); Bridge Service, \$410,083 (\$10,506 less); Ferry Service, \$497,092 (\$255 more); Central Office, \$100,457 (\$12,149 more). Total for maintenance, \$6,233,761 or \$158,286 more than in 1921. On February 1, 1923, there were 994.66 miles of common and intercepting sewers and 16,421 catch-basins, all in charge of the Sewer Service of this department. Gross debt outstanding for all sewer construction, February 1, 1923, \$22,831,360 or \$357,000 more than in 1922; for bridge construction, \$4,497,900 or \$708,000 more than in 1922.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Broadway, Boston proper, as a highway, between Albany street and Lehigh street, southeasterly side, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of February 12, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Feb. 9.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR THE PURCHASE OF TRIMMINGS, BONES AND GREASE.

The Trustees of the Boston City Hospital invite sealed proposals for the purchase of the following materials from the hospital proper, South Department, and Haymarket Square Relief Station, between date of execution of contract and February 1, 1925.

Trimnings, 800 pounds per month, more or less.
Bones, 3,550 pounds per month, more or less.
Grease from kitchen, 300 pounds per month, more or less.
Grease from traps, 1,000 pounds per year, more or less.

The price offered is to be price per pound on each of the above items, which is to include removal of grease from traps. The purchaser is to provide proper receptacles and remove these materials from the kitchen daily, except Sunday, before 11 o'clock a. m., and the grease from the grease traps whenever notified by the hospital so to do. Payments for materials taken to be made monthly. A bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals to be addressed "The Boston City Hospital, Proposal for Trimmings, Bones and Grease," and left at the hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, not later than Tuesday, February 19, 1924, at 12 o'clock m., at which time and place said proposals will be publicly opened and read. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

By order of the Trustees.

(Feb. 9.) JOHN J. DOWLING, M. D.,
Superintendent.

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for the complete installation of an electric wiring and conduit system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue, Ward 7, Boston, according to plans and specifications, and giving a bond of a surety company therefor, satisfactory to the Commissioner, in the sum of \$5,000. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, February 25, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, and marked "Proposal for Signal Apparatus Building in the Fenway, Ward 7." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above; the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time of the opening of the bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best for the City's interest. A deposit of \$10 will be required for a set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings.

(Feb. 9.) THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, FEBRUARY 7, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Kneeland street, Boston proper, as a highway, on the southwesterly side, between Tyler and Albany streets substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of February 19, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Feb. 9-16.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

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BOSTON TO GET MORE LIGHT AND AIR BY NEW ZONING PLAN NOW BEING PROPOSED.

BILL PRESENTED TO LEGISLATURE BY MAYOR CURLEY THROUGH PLANNING BOARD WILL PROVIDE MORE OPEN SPACES AS WELL AS MORE ECONOMICAL AND CONSISTENT DEVELOPMENT OF WHOLE CITY—HEARINGS BEGIN.

Provisions for securing more light and air in buildings, larger open spaces between buildings and a more economical and consistent development of the whole city are the main purposes of the bulk zoning regulations which, together with requirements for the appropriate use of property, make up the zoning bill for Boston sent up to the Legislature by Mayor Curley on the recommendation of the City Planning Board.

Boston is more fortunate than most American cities in that buildings have not been built to excessive height. This is due to wisdom and foresight in dividing the city by legislative act into two height districts, A and B, of 125 and 80 feet respectively, in 1904, and to the fact that deep foundations are too costly on account of over half of the city's area being filled tide flats. The two height limits of 80 feet (100 feet allowed on unusually wide streets) in District B and 125 feet in District A have applied in blanket form to all buildings without regard to their use or location except that District A is called business and District B residential.

The proposed law will not change the building heights already established. Last year the height limit in District A was raised from 125 feet to 155 feet. This meant that in addition to downtown Boston all the old brick residential neighborhoods between Columbus avenue and Washington street as far out as Roxbury street and Dudley street and in the residential sections along Columbia road and Dorchester avenue and including Savin Hill and Neponset, could be built to 155 feet. A broad band around the East Boston and Charlestown waterfront is also included in the 155-foot district. All the rest of Boston can now be built to a height of 80 feet, which means seven or eight story buildings. With such flat regulations in force no one could put up a two or three story dwelling in Boston with any reasonable assurance that a higher building, cutting off his light and air, would not be built next to him.

The zoning scheme takes into account the different building height requirements for buildings used for different purposes. By studying existing conditions and prevailing tendencies of growth the Planning Board has evolved

five classes of bulk districts, designated by the normal maximum height of buildings as follows: 35 foot, 40 foot, 65 foot, 80 foot and 155 foot districts. In order to avoid undesirable, low, cramped, ceiling heights all height districts are also restricted by the number of stories, except in the highest districts. Buildings are with certain exceptions limited to two and one half stories high in 35-foot districts; three stories in 40-foot districts, and five stories in 65-foot districts. There are no story restrictions in 80 and 155 foot districts.

BUSINESS AND INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS.

The entire downtown business, financial and industrial sections of the city are still in 55-foot districts, which extend out along such growing business districts as Boylston street, Stuart street and Huntington avenue as far as Massachusetts avenue, also out Columbus avenue and Tremont street to Dartmouth street and Washington street to a half block beyond Dedham street. The 155-foot districts also include large industrial districts around South bay, South End, South Boston, Dorchester, Charlestown and East Boston.

The 80-foot districts 100 feet on unusually wide streets, are intended for sections where the value of the land does not force or justify the erection of higher buildings, which would have to be of fireproof construction. The 80-foot districts include the institutional region out Huntington avenue as far out as Roxbury Crossing and along Dudley street to Uphams Corner; the apartment house section from the Common, out Beacon, Marlborough and Newbury streets, including the automobile sales section on Commonwealth avenue to Brighton; the business centers of Charlestown and East Boston and outlying industrial centers. The 70-foot height restriction now on Commonwealth avenue from the Public Garden to the Fenway will not be affected by the zoning law.

The 65-foot districts are particularly for sections likely to be utilized for five-story apartments as along the Back Bay Fens and in the Brighton section along Commonwealth avenue and Cambridge street, also for the more intensive local

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BUDGET COMMISSIONER FOX DEFENDS MAYOR CURLEY'S WAGE PROPOSAL IN REPLY TO POLICE HEAD.

Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox issued the following statement in response to the reported refusal of Police Commissioner Herbert Wilson to indorse Mayor Curley's proposal to increase the maximum police pay from \$1,800 to \$2,000 by \$100 increments this year and next year:

"The statement of Police Commissioner Wilson concerning the wage schedule of patrolmen, as outlined in the Mayor's annual address to the City Council on the 4th instant, emphasizes the need of being fully informed as to all the facts in a controversy before giving public utterance. For the benefit of the commissioner the following facts are stated:

"1. The budget has not been submitted to the City Council.

"2. The authorities at City Hall are familiar with the statute relating to the manner in which the pay of patrolmen shall be fixed.

"3. Patrolmen are not the only class of city employees who are affected by the present cost of living.

"4. The Mayor's proposed schedule does not seriously conflict with the present five-year regulation concerning promotion to sergeantcy.

"Under the provisions of the city charter the annual appropriation bill must be submitted within thirty days from the beginning of the fiscal year. Since our fiscal year begins February 1, the time limit for submission of the budget will not expire until March 1.

"The authorities at City Hall are aware that section 8 of chapter 53 of the General Laws provides for concurrent action of the Mayor and Police Commissioner before the number and salaries of patrolmen can be increased.

"The fact that the commissioner has received no official communication of the Mayor's intent to raise the salaries of patrolmen is explained by that passage in the Mayor's inaugural which reads: 'I am interested in maintaining a tax rate equal or lower than the present tax rate and shall endeavor to effect

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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IN ADVANCE.

Advertising.

A rate of \$2 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the *City Record*. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by Thursday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, February 18, at two o'clock p. m.
Regular meeting of School Committee Monday, February 18, at 6.30 p. m.
Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for informa-

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 8.

I. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, February 8, 1924:

Probationer James T. Donohoe, from Rescue 1 to Ladder 3.

Probationer Francis J. McNamara, from Ladder 3 to Ladder 28.

Probationer Maurice J. Reardon, from Ladder 18 to Engine 21.

Probationer Edward F. Berigan, from Engine 21 to Ladder 18.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 9.

I. CHANGE IN ASSIGNMENT.

The following change in apparatus assignment is hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m. February 12, 1924:

Box 3484: Second alarm, add Engine 52; drop Engine 5.

II. HOUSE AND STATION RECORDS.

Prior to the installation of the two-platoon system in the department, it was felt that the time had arrived when modern, up-to-date methods should prevail in the keeping of proper house or station records, and towards that end Chief Clerk James P. Maloney was assigned to devise a system, brief in form and simple in design, dealing with the various features of our daily routine.

The arrangement of this plan takes the form of a folder or panel system of the Postindex pattern, whereby some twenty-one forms take care of at least one hundred items listed on wires, with visible

tion regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

index, showing at a glance the item wanted for recording purposes or instantaneous reference.

A printed list of instructions will accompany each house installment, which with a little study will make a write-up of these forms a simple task, and once written up will be an easy matter to keep up.

The care of the company records has been assigned to the company commander, and he is hereby instructed to call upon such members of his command as is necessary to properly assist in the upkeep of same. It is felt that each company will pride itself in the excellence of its work, and where it is possible to type the forms, it should be done; at least the forms should bear typed headings in order to make the visibility feature more pronounced.

Company commanders will closely follow the instruction sheets and especially that part whereby a member's property and membership record will accompany each member in the event of being transferred to another house; said records will be forwarded to headquarters and in turn will be sent to the house or company where the member has been transferred.

Company records will at all times be open for inspection to division and district commanders of their respective assignments, who will from time to time see to it that the records are kept up-to-date.

Each company being provided with its panel and forms, immediate arrangements must be made for the set up of said forms according to the instructions, which will be found inclosed in the panel.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

DANIEL F. SENNOTT,
Acting Chief of Department.

CALLS FOR SOLDIER COMPENSATION TO RELIEVE DISTRESS OF HEROES OF WORLD WAR.

MAYOR CURLEY THRILLS GATHERING OF 5,000 VETERANS AND THEIR FRIENDS IN MECHANICS BUILDING WITH STIRRING ADDRESS ON SOLDIER BONUS—SHOWS THE FALSITY OF STATEMENTS OF REPUBLICANS THAT IT CAN'T BE PAID.

Address of Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, delivered at the "adjusted compensation meeting" held by the American Legion at Mechanics Building, Sunday, February 3, 1924.

Worthy Commander, Mr. Chairman, Honored Guests, Ladies and Gentlemen,—It is a source of extreme pleasure to congratulate the American Legion through its commander, John Quinn, for the character of fight made by the organization for adjusted compensation.

Six weeks ago the American public were startled by a communication submitted to the Congress of the United States in joint convention by the President of the United States, a message so cold, a message so callous, a message so brutal as to shock the entire people of America.

The message was the message always draughted by the tribunal of might. The message was the ultimatum of Wall street, that if he desired the presidency of the United States, which they believed they were in a position to deliver to him, that the soldier must be disregarded and thrown out and that capital alone must be considered.

Six weeks ago it looked like plain sailing. The soldier's friends apparently could not get their message to the American public. The press printed one side. The other side remained for presentation. And then something happened in the halls of the mighty. The Secretary of the Interior was found using the resources of America, that the nation might require in the hour of need, to increase his own bank account and to fatten the treasury of the Republican party and in six short weeks the expose resulting from Tea Pot Dome has made the soldier's case a successful one in America. The soldier won't be dismissed in a sentence of nine words by the President of the United States today. He will receive the consideration that faithful, unselfish, patriotic service entitles him to receive from the most powerful nation in the whole world, America.

Abraham Lincoln once said: "The people can be trusted. The people are always right."

They are going to discover it down in Washington. The question of adjusted compensation has too long been the football of partisan politics. It is a question involving the integrity and the honor of the American flag. It should rise above every political or party consideration.

We had a police strike in Boston once. The present leader of the Republican party, and up to about two weeks ago the prospective nominee for President of the United States, was Governor. He was Governor of the Commonwealth when the boys came back. Seventy thousand did not come back. And this is what he said: "There

is nothing that the Commonwealth can do which will exceed the debt of gratitude owed to the men who have maintained by their service and their sacrifice the ideals on which our institutions are founded."

That was the message in 1919. The message of six weeks ago was the message of a new Coolidge. It is a different one from the one we knew in our state five short years ago. A new code of politics have been evolved in his mind. His viewpoint has changed. After the police strike in Boston, when the State Guard were called out to perform duty, he addressed the Legislature and said: "This emergency has resulted in expense being incurred for which an appropriation must be made. The State Guard called upon to perform its service have responded in a most satisfactory and loyal way and they merit the gratitude and commendation of the people of this Commonwealth. The compensation allowed by law is only \$1.55 per diem with food, quarters and equipment. They have met their obligations. The Commonwealth should meet its just obligations to them. I recommend each member of the State Guard receiving less than \$3 per diem be paid an additional sum so that his compensation shall be \$3 per diem and also an appropriation for state expense."

That was a bonus and was more than the soldiers asked in the Adjusted Compensation Bill. If it was all right to pay the state troopers to patrol the streets of one of the best regulated cities in America, if not the best regulated, then I ask why the change of heart. Mr. Mellon, director and head of sixty-eight banks, trust companies and corporations has talked from the time he assumed the office of Secretary of the Treasury of the possibility of a deficit in the cost of the conduct of the affairs of the American government but like our own city, Boston, every year ends with a surplus and no deficit.

We are submitting a message tomorrow to the City Council, a message carrying with it an increase in pay to 9,300 employees of the city, including an increase in the maximum of policemen and firemen from \$1,800 to \$2,000 a year. A man of the Mellon type would say if you go through with it you will have a deficit. No we won't have a deficit because we will make the people who should pay the taxes pay them and if those who profited by the World War were required to pay an equitable portion of the taxes there would be no deficit and the soldiers would secure justice.

What is a bonus? The soldier is not asking for a bonus. He is asking for adjusted compensation. About all those high in authority have done since the war ended is lie about the American soldier. They said he did not need aid

from the government. Why did the rolls of the Soldiers' Relief Department of our own city jump from thirty thousand dollars a month to one hundred forty thousand dollars a month?

They said he won't work. We constructed with soldiers the extension of the East Boston Tunnel, forty feet underground, with pick and with shovel work. They were unused to picks. No other labor was open. They performed the work and performed it with a saving to the city over the alien who everyone said would work where the soldier would not work. They said we cannot afford to pay adjusted compensation. Have you ever stopped to consider that Great Britain, with a debt of forty-four billions dollars as against our twenty-two billion, only one half as great, paid a bonus to every soldier that served and paid it with money they borrowed from us.

How about France? Every poilu who fought in the war was paid a bonus and France has a debt of forty billions; but she was not worried about the debt, the money of Uncle Sam was borrowed to pay the French soldiers.

How about Italy? Prior to the coming of Mussolini, Italy was faced with the prospect of Sovietism, many industries having been taken over by the people. To save Italy money was needed, so the Italian government appealed to Uncle Sam and said we want funds to pay our soldiers and Uncle Sam gave the money to pay the soldiers.

How about Canada? Out of a population of nine millions nearly four hundred fifty thousand of the brave sons of Canada were either killed or maimed in the World War. Was Canada pessimistic? No, she turned to her old friend Uncle Sam and said, "loan us the money," and we loaned the money and they paid a bonus to the soldiers.

How about Australia and New Zealand? They needed money and we advanced it to them and when we had loaned money to every country to pay a bonus to their soldiers, we turned around and said we must do something in America but not for the soldier for the fellow who remained at home. So we investigated and found there were five hundred thousand men in America who had held down a roll top or flat top desk during the war and we paid them an adjusted compensation of \$240 apiece, but nothing to the soldier who fought. What else did we do? The railroads were on the verge of bankruptcy when the war broke out. Then we took over the operation of the railroads so that the Army might function; and they needed a little money so we paid the railroads five hundred millions of dollars.

How about the contractors? The contractors came in and claimed damages for everything ranging from atmospheric changes to the shortage of able bodied men. But the contractors stood well in Washington. They were of the Tea Pot Dome variety and they did not experience any difficulty in collecting and when the figures were analyzed it was found that the contractors had received three billions of dollars from Uncle Sam, or more than enough to pay the adjusted compensation. And so it has gone.

Now then, my friends, in conclusion, I want to say that there is only one way you are going to get justice and that is by fighting for it as you fought

for victory in France. I think it is exceedingly fortunate for America that National honor is not dead and it is exceedingly fortunate for the soldier that it is a presidential year and that there was such a place on the American continent as the Indian Reservation and there was such a place as Tea Pot Dome. All the arrogance has gone from the leaders nationally, both of my own party and the Republican party. They are taking a little broader view of the Soldier's case. They enjoy today an enlarged perspective and they are beginning to realize that there is merit in his claim. It is only necessary for an American to sit in a hall of this character and witness a war hero carried in from the Chelsea Hospital by two of his comrades, a man who gave his legs for the preservation of the form of government under which we live to awaken to a full sense of duty. They came home to find that no preparation had been made for hospitals. We fortunately were able to aid in Boston, but it was not because of the Federal government's thoughtfulness. It was due to the great heart of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks which established a hospital at Parker Hill.

Bonuses have been given in every war. Even the great Emancipator, Abraham Lincoln, for about forty days' service in the Black Hawk Wars, received a bounty of forty acres of land. This nation, the only solvent nation in the world, this nation, with an indebtedness of but twenty-two billions as against an average indebtedness of other nations of forty billions, this nation, custodian of the liberty of the world, this nation, the richest and most productive in the whole world, has traditions to uphold. The American flag, which bears within its sacred folds everything worth while in the march of human events, is not our sole property. We are simply custodians in our age and generation of all the glorious traditions that nestle within its sacred folds; our flag has never been raised over an army but to right a wrong and destroy injustice and make the world better, that no smirch shall rest upon it in our age our every effort should be to honor and keep faith with the men who made possible the winning of the World War and the perpetuation of free government in the world.

BUDGET COMMISSIONER.

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such budget economies as will render it possible for me to provide the funds necessary to grant an increase in this year's budget to the firemen and patrolmen.

"Before leaving Boston the Mayor in conformity with the above statement directed that certain cuts be made in the departmental estimates. The Budget Department has not yet finished the reductions as outlined by the Mayor, and until this work is accomplished the Police Commissioner will not be officially conferred with. In this respect he is being treated no different than any other department head.

"Under the plan of the Mayor the minimum for policemen and firemen will be raised next year to \$1,500 and the subsequent year to \$1,600. Hence at the end of two years the present five-year step rate plan will be completely restored."

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the complete installation of electric wiring and conduit system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, February 25, at 12 m.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the purchase of trimmings, bones and grease. Bond of a satisfactory nature assuring the fulfillment of the contract will be required. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston. The price offered is to be per pound.

Bids close Tuesday, February 19, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Lighting Service).

Advertises for proposals for furnishing equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the City of Boston, excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park, for a term of ten years, beginning April 1, 1924. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$50,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 6, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing bituminous pavement. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 27, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for manual arts supplies for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, February 26, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering stationary to the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 3, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Park Department 7,500 boxes of soap. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 807, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, February 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing cast-iron special castings to the Public Works Department, Water Service. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 27, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, February 14:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Albert Soosman and John A. Reagan have been continued as temporary clerks for a period of thirty days, at \$4 a day.

John J. Mahoney and John F. O'Dowd have been appointed temporary deed clerks, for a period of thirty days at \$4 a day, and some piece work at \$10 cents a deed.

Catherine M. Carpenter has been employed for a period of thirty days at \$4 a day.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved the following increases:

Richard D. Cleary, clerk, from \$2,700 to \$2,800; Cornelius F. Donovan, clerk, from \$2,700 to \$2,800; Nora O'Callaghan, special examiner, from \$2,700 to \$2,800; Arthur W. Ferreira, clerk, from \$2,500 to \$2,600; John J. Marshall, clerk, from \$2,500 to \$2,600; Edward C. Wade, clerk, from \$2,100 to \$2,200.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Frederick Desmond has been appointed to chauffeur in this department at \$1,400 a year.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Mary F. Downey has been granted a continuance of temporary employment as stenographer.

William W. McLeod, draughtsman, has been continued in employment for an additional period of one month.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Martin Welch has been employed temporarily as a constable at \$4 a day for a period of 60 days.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

James A. Lacey, Dennis F. Driscoll, John H. Lang and Alden G. Drew have been appointed as assistant registrars at \$1,500 a year.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Alice V. Donahue and Mollie Epstein employed by the commission have ended their employment.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, February 7:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Madalina Carcerano, ward assistant, \$11 a week; May E. Simmonds, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Delia Foley, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Minnie Clark, ward helper, \$11 a week; Margaret Barnes, ward helper, \$11 a week; Esther E. Kearney, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Alice Potter, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Celia Guilmette, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Margaret Cutler, cleaner (re-employed), \$11.50 a week; Ellen C. Reardon, supply clerk, temporary, \$18 a week; Thomas Desmond, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Samuel Taylor, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Charles J. Doran, ambulance driver (re-employed), \$27 a week; Patrick Keohane, porter, temporary, \$13 a week; Edward Brady, porter, \$14 a week; Joseph W. Klein, assistant supervisor, \$18 a week.

Temporary.—Hannah Donohue, special nurse, \$35 a week; Mary Leé, special nurse, \$35 a week; Kathryn Bowlby, special nurse, \$35 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Elizabeth G. Nelson, fiscal agent in the Central Office, has been granted leave of absence, with pay, for one month on account of illness.

Catherine F. Burke has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,400 a year to \$1,800 a year.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Mary Donovan has been appointed permanent stenographer at \$1,000 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Henry J. Alexander has been promoted from laborer and fireman at \$4 a day to plumber's helper with experience as a fireman at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Charles E. Melanson has been appointed permanent carpenter at \$5 a day in the Bridge Service.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Walter J. Malloy has been appointed temporary rodman at \$1,000 a year for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

James W. Sheehan, laborer, has been transferred from the Park Department

to the Street Cleaning Service at \$4 a day to fill a permanent vacancy.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Edward P. Garvey and John P. Conley have been appointed permanent plumbers at \$4.25 a day.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Edward A. Cotter employed as a chauffeur in the Building Department at \$1,400 a year, has been granted a transfer to this department, at \$1,750 a year.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

John H. Dunn, Soldiers' Relief Commissioner, has been granted permission to visit Washington, for the purpose of arranging with the United States Veterans' Bureau to co-operate with the Soldiers' Relief Department, with a view towards notifying said department when compensation has been allowed, to ex-service men now on the Soldiers' Relief pay roll, also for the purpose of taking up with the Department of Interior the same question relating to pensions for Civil and Spanish War veterans and their dependents.

Dr. Frederick W. Watkeys has been appointed to act as Acting Soldiers' Relief Commissioner at such times as the Commissioner is absent during the four weeks commencing February 18.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

James J. Murphy has been appointed transitman at \$1,400 a year for a period of three months.

John J. Driscoll has been granted an extension of employment as a temporary rodman at \$1,000 a year for three months.

Frank A. Foster has been granted an extension of employment for one month as conveyancer.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Edwin A. Wall has been appointed to act as Acting City Treasurer at such times as the Treasurer is absent during the four weeks commencing February 14.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DEPARTMENT.

Robert E. Sexton has been granted an extension of temporary provisional employment, as coal inspector for three months.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, February 7:

Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 3 days, \$18; John Carroll, assistant engineer, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, February 7:

Henry Blackwell, tree climber, 1 day, \$4; Fred Brown, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; William Burns, Carmine Cataldo, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Joseph Collins, William Driscoll, gardeners, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Michael DeLorey, Frank Jeff-

son, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Frank Kenefick, John Lyons, tree climbers, 1 day, \$4 each; Edward McLaughlin, laborer, 1 day, \$4; James Murphy, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; Patrick Doherty, Dominic Dagosta, Dennis Cronin, Thomas Dooley, Guiseppe Tesi, James H. Haynes, Aaron G. Parker, Generoso Matterazzo, Michael McGuire, John Toland, 2d, John Smith, Michael Costello, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Dennis Alebord, scytheman, 1 day, \$4; James H. Beattie, John Casey, Patrick Hurley, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Thomas Kelly, scytheman, 1 day, \$4; Michael Murphy, Charles McCarthy, John Toland, 1st, Frank A. Tully, Daniel J. Reagan, Adolph I. Racz, James E. Norton, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Thomas J. Foley, Dennis Daly, chauffeurs, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Peter Powers, rigger, 1 day, \$5; Martin Cosgrove, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50; James Dunne, wheelwright, 1 day, \$4.66; George Quigley, carpenter, 1 day, \$4.50; John P. Nagle, Carmine Mestrogiovanni, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; John J. Walsh, working foreman, 1 day, \$4.38; Stephen H. McCarthy, gardener, 1 day, \$5; Thomas Carley, laborer, 1 day, \$4; John Doyle, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; William Mahoney, Cornelius Shields, Guiseppe Nardone, Michael Murphy, Joseph B. Fallon, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; William Sales, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; John H. Dolan, Patrick Sheehan, John Bowen, Michael Flanina, Michael Kelley, Michael Flaherty, Hugh Bagley, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; John T. Conboy, gardener, 1 day, \$5; William Cullinan, Mark Cunniff, John S. Callahan, Martin Finnigan, James Hardy, Michael Hurley, John Hanson, Andrew Linehan, William McCormack, John Matchett, James Melynn, Michael Mullen, John Morrissey, James Morrissey, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Thomas F. Stanton, teamster, 1 day, \$4; Antonio Ventura, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Ignatius Sheerin, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; Thomas Terry, Christopher Bird, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each. Total, \$333.54.

For the week ending Thursday, February 14:

Dennis Daly, chauffeur, 3 days, \$13.50; Thomas J. Foley, chauffeur, 3 days, \$13.50; Peter Powers, rigger, 3 days, \$15; Martin Cosgrove, laborer, 2 days, \$9; Carmine Mestrogiovanni, laborer, 3 days, \$12; Carmine Cataldo, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Daniel J. McCarthy, blacksmith, 2 days, \$10; Patrick Connolly, 4th, ironworker, 1 day, \$5; George Quigley, assistant carpenter, 3 days, \$13.50; James Dunne, wheelwright, 3 days, \$13.98; John P. Nagle, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Antonio DiBenedetto, scytheman, 1 day, \$4; John J. Walsh, working foreman, 2 days, \$8.76; Thomas Dolan, 1st, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Patrick Melia, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Daniel Sullivan, laborer, 1 day, \$4; John Delaney, laborer, 1 day, \$4. Total, \$142.24.

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, John J. Desmond, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph T. Harrington, Peter Kean, Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Fairview Cemetery.

Thomas Kilduff, James Kingston, Joseph McDonough, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, February 7:

Frederick McCarthy, cylinder pressman, 3½ hours, \$4.76; Thomas Driscoll, press feeder, 3½ hours, \$3.99; John Birch, helper, 3½ hours, \$4.31; John Ward, compositor, 1½ hours, \$1.97; Emanuel J. De-Freitas, compositor, ½ hour, \$0.66; Catherine Crowley, proofreader, 1 hour, \$1.31. Total, \$17.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, February 7:

J. Reynolds, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13; T. Jennings, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3; J. McDonough, elevatorman, ¼ hour, \$0.38.

For the week ending Thursday, February 14:

John McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3; John Reynolds, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 11:

Drawtenders.—M. F. Doyle, Jr., J. J. Galvin, 2 days, \$9.86 each.

First Assistant Drawtenders.—T. C. McCarthy, 2 days, \$8.77; J. F. O'Neil, 1 day, \$4.38.

Assistant Drawtenders.—C. Cussen, W. Higgins, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Carpenter.—J. J. Murphy, 1 day, \$5. Total, \$46.09.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 11:

Deckhands.—Thomas Barry, John McInnis, 5 day, \$2.66 each.

Oiler.—Michael D. Hurley, 5 day, \$3.44. Total, \$8.76.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 11:

Laborers.—Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4; Barnet Bajeches, Patrick Doherty, Michael Fitzgerald, Louis Johnson, Luke Kilduff, William McLaughlin, 1½ day, \$3.75 each; Thomas Loughlin, George Lynch, James Murphy, John McCarthy, Abraham Minsky, Richard McGrath, Nicholas Walsh, Frederick Jenness, George King, Edward Barnes, John Casano, John Mullin, John Cain, Michael McDonald, Samuel Blair, ¾ day, \$3 each; William Carolan, Walter Wenzel, William Jeffers, Thomas King, William McGee, James Henneberry, James Magee, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Pavers.—Daniel Dailey, Cornelius O'Connor, Edward Doherty, Patrick Mulcahy, John O'Brien, John Clancy, ¾ day, \$3.75 each; Arcangelo Faiella, Philip McGinn, 1½ day, \$4.69 each; Timothy O'Sullivan, ¾ day, \$3.38.

Stonecutters.—Patrick Costello, 1½ day, \$4.69; John Barry, ¾ day, \$3.75.

Engineer.—John Mahoney, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 11:

Stablemen.—P. A. Eagan, T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, J. J. Sullivan, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4 each; A. L. Andrews, A. F. Beahn, W. H. Burke, J. Carroll, E. Cur-

rie, D. Donovan, J. W. Dwyer, J. J. Fennessey, P. B. Fisher, S. E. Flanagan, J. Flannery, E. L. Kelley, M. King, R. Lombard, W. Mahoney, J. P. Mullen, A. Murphy, W. McCarthy, W. F. McHale, P. J. McLaughlin, J. J. O'Brien, J. F. O'Keefe, J. J. Reilly, E. T. Roach, J. J. Ryan, T. M. Shea, G. F. Smith, J. J. Slattery, W. D. Donovan, C. T. Sweeney, T. J. Toomey, M. Wallace, T. F. Whalen, D. J. Murphy, L. J. O'Neil, T. F. Cady, W. D. Watson, B. A. Clements, 2 days, \$8 each; D. J. Collins, J. P. Belisle, J. B. Carr, W. H. Colbert, M. J. Curley, E. Davis, J. W. DeRocher, O. Doherty, J. P. Driscoll, E. T. Duffy, M. D. Ferrente, H. T. Furey, S. Hegarty, R. W. Lanan, B. F. Lyons, P. J. McCormack, J. McGrath, J. McLaughlin, J. F. Nagle, J. J. O'Brien, F. L. Perkins, P. W. Shahan, J. F. Sweeney, P. R. Tully, J. J. Hurley, 3 days, \$12 each; J. J. Collins, J. P. Darrick, G. F. Drew, M. J. Duffy, S. J. Flaherty, J. Scully, J. Stapleton, D. Walsh, B. Donoghue, J. P. A. Donahue, D. J. Mahoney, E. J. Barry, A. J. Buckley, J. J. Lyons, E. F. McCullough, G. W. Penson, P. H. Sexton, H. J. Foley, E. J. Brown, J. E. Driscoll, W. J. Gavin, J. J. Welch, D. Shea, E. J. Tighe, 1 day, \$4 each; J. Ballam, W. F. Blake, A. W. Blankenburg, A. P. Charbonnier, J. J. Hegarty, M. Carroll, T. F. Connolly, J. Dunning, J. E. Fay, T. Finneran, J. Gallagher, J. J. Hurley, J. J. Kenney, J. J. Keohane, J. F. Lawler, A. J. McVicar, W. R. Standigl, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Stableman.—J. Canney, ¾ day, \$3.

Teamsters.—M. Brennan, J. P. Brewster, W. H. Cadigan, F. A. Cappozzo, E. T. Cass, P. J. Cronin, J. M. Donlon, J. J. Dowd, W. J. Dumphy, A. Edwards, H. Fallon, J. F. Farrell, T. Ferris, B. Finneran, J. Fitzgibbons, W. Flaherty, D. F. Foley, R. J. Gallagher, T. Grenham, E. J. Hardy, P. J. Haverty, M. Herrity, T. J. Jinks, J. J. Kelley, J. T. Laly, W. J. Lyons, J. J. Maloney, P. J. Martin, W. F. Merrick, F. J. Moore, A. J. Murphy, J. J. Murray, R. McDonnell, J. H. McGann, T. M. McGerrick, A. McLaughlin, W. McManus, W. P. McNulty, M. J. O'Loughlin, W. E. Sutherland, T. Walsh, J. K. Ware, T. J. Watson, Jr., M. E. Dolan, C. F. Davis, T. J. Goodwin, M. Woods, P. W. Collins, J. Lucas, P. W. Walsh, C. R. Beals, E. R. Casey, J. J. Coughlin, W. Courtney, P. J. Cronin, J. Dillon, J. F. Riley, D. J. Bowen, E. A. Connolly, G. W. Currier, T. W. Dargin, M. Doherty, J. J. Dolan, J. J. Donelan, J. J. Fitzgerald, M. J. Foley, E. J. Gallagher, E. F. Greenal, L. Griffin, J. J. Hayes, J. Herbst, S. S. Jacobs, J. T. Jordan, H. L. Kenney, M. Lapsley, S. F. Melia, P. J. Muldoon, P. J. Mulligan, J. J. Mulvey, J. J. Murphy, E. F. McLaughlin, M. O'Meara, E. P. Rowan, J. L. Ryan, I. Sternberg, J. P. Sweeney, F. J. Roach, B. Donnelly, J. J. Dwyer, J. P. W. Callahan, J. M. Casserly, P. Cataldo, M. J. Connolly, P. J. Connolly, M. J. Connors, D. J. Dalton, T. Donovan, T. Dwyer, J. A. Foley, H. F. Furey, D. Gallagher, W. J. H. Green, G. Guiffredo, V. Gulliano, C. F. Hickey, P. C. Kanary, J. J. Lannon, J. P. Leonard, E. L. McLaughlin, P. J. McLaughlin, R. J. Nugent, J. F. O'Brien, J. Roche, F. Ruggiero, J. P. Sullivan, C. E. Vilello, F. Zirpollo, L. Salemi, ¾ day, \$3 each; M. Brooks, L. Cardinal, W. A. Gormley, E. A. Knight, M. S. Ryan,

H. J. Vierkant, T. Caulfield, W. J. Leary, H. Mullen, W. H. Getz, A. Hennessey, J. J. McEnrue, 1½ days, \$7 each; M. McGonagle, W. J. McMakin, J. H. Shea, W. J. Keough, J. F. Donoghue, ¾ day, \$3.50 each; J. F. Maloney, A. R. Gaffey, 3½ days, \$13 each.

Carpenter.—W. C. Hughes, 1½ days, \$6.25.

Blacksmiths.—M. McGovern, 2 days, \$10; W. J. O'Brien, 3 days, \$15; M. F. Sullivan, 3½ days, \$16.25.

Assistant Blacksmiths.—P. J. Brickley, 3 days, \$12.75; C. J. Sullivan, 3½ days, \$13.81.

Horseshoers.—P. J. Carroll, M. F. Danily, J. F. Duddy, J. P. O'Leary, 2 days, \$10 each.

Feeders.—W. Cassell, 2½ days, \$10.63; J. L. Hennessey, J. E. Burns, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Stablemen.—W. Magee, 2½ days, \$11.50.

Teamsters.—H. Applebaum, J. J. Barrett, J. B. Barry, J. M. Blake, D. A. Byrns, T. F. Carroll, T. F. Cashman, J. H. Conry, J. J. Cronin, H. A. Devlin, J. C. Donovan, T. F. Driscoll, P. C. Lenz, J. Lyman, E. O'Connell, J. M. Palma, W. Pickett, J. F. J. Richardson, C. F. Prior, C. C. Farrell, A. E. Jose, J. H. Reardon, 1½ days, \$7.50 each; J. G. Climo, J. J. Cribben, F. H. Donahue, J. J. Feeney, E. F. Gardner, A. A. Gleason, J. J. Gormley, D. F. Hart, F. L. Hayes, R. J. Kelley, J. J. Mahoney, T. P. Mahoney, J. F. McCarthy, P. F. McDonough, P. J. McDonough, J. P. McLaughlin, P. J. Burke, J. McNally, F. J. O'Brien, D. F. O'Neil, J. W. Powers, J. J. Sullivan, T. J. Sullivan, M. Toohey, W. J. Coughlin, B. L. Cunningham, H. P. O'Brien, 1½ days, \$4.50 each; C. J. Hourihan, P. J. Nee, 2½ days, \$10.50 each; J. J. McCabe, 4½ days, \$19; J. F. Dargon, L. A. Medus, 1½ days, \$6 each; M. J. Ridge, ¾ day at \$4 and 1½ days at \$5, \$10.50; D. Cashman, 3½ days, \$15; M. J. Coakley, 1½ days at \$4 and 2½ days at \$5, \$18.50; J. J. Landrigan, 1½ days at \$4 and 4 days at \$5, \$24.50; N. J. Donegan, ¾ day, \$3.50; F. G. McDonald, 1½ days at \$4 and 1 day at \$5, \$9.50; J. J. Barrett, C. B. Capillo, W. A. Crawford, M. Cronin, C. J. Crowley, J. DiPasquale, J. E. Galvin, J. J. Gavin, E. S. Lucas, B. McCool, J. McGaffigan, W. McGahey, W. F. Shea, J. E. Souther, J. Yankowsky, ½ day, \$2 each; J. Ciaccio, J. Deluca, H. J. Holmes, ¼ day, \$1 each; K. F. Kenney, J. O'Brien, J. M. Ryan, 1½ days, \$5 each; J. J. Fleming, 1 day at \$4 and 4½ days at \$5, \$24.63. Total, \$1,943.82.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, February 12:

Masons.—James Dailey, Joseph Timilty, 2½ days, \$18.98 each; John Gibbard, 1½ days, \$7.43.

Steam Engineer.—James Hurley, ¾ days, \$3.75.

Fireman.—Patrick Curley, 2 days, \$11.

Chauffeurs.—James McCarty, Charles McCaffrey, 2½ days, \$12.94 each.

Sewer Cleaners.—Michael Foley, 4½ days, \$19.69; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 3½ days, \$16.31 each; Michael Brady, Richard Connolly, Thomas Flaherty, John Sweeney, 2½ days, \$12.94 each; George Caswell, 2½ days, \$12.22.

Laborers.—Louis Brunetto, Patrick McDonough, 4½ days, \$17.50 each; Thomas Casey, Timothy Kennedy, John McDonald, John Dolan, John Farren,

Thomas McDonough, Stephen Connolly, John Lomasney, James McFarland, Antonio Arrachiello, Joseph Clougherty, Peter King, Thomas Flaherty, Herman Hodapp, James Splaine, James Smith, Michael McMahon, John Donnelly, James Giblin, John Sullivan, 2½ days, \$11.50 each; James Schofield, Timothy Driscoll, John Crowley, 2½ days, \$9 each; Daniel McKenna, 1½ days, \$6; Lawrence Hillary, Patrick White, 1½ days, \$4.50 each; James McCarty, 1 day, \$4; Cornelius Sullivan, ½ day, \$3.
Total, \$516.31.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 11:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, R. Barrett, M. Connell, W. A. Cosgrove, R. Coughlin, J. Dahill, T. Dahill, J. Ferguson, M. Fitzpatrick, J. Hennessey, P. L. Moynihan, P. F. Mulkern, M. J. O'Brien, J. F. O'Toole, J. H. Lane, J. J. Shea, J. Zuccola, 2 days, \$8 each; M. O'Connell, H. S. Lawrence, T. Ormand, J. Donovan, E. J. Murphy, 4½ days, \$18 each; C. E. Anderson, M. Barry, B. Callahan, J. Conroy, J. F. Cosgrove, F. Diaz, R. F. Doherty, J. Egan, W. J. Foley, D. Hamilton, J. H. Jeffrey, J. Kennedy, J. Murray, A. Pourier, P. Quigley, J. Riley, R. T. Wills, G. Meola, E. Skane, J. Bowen, A. P. Brown, H. J. Donagan, H. J. Gallagher, T. F. Hession, M. J. Kennedy, W. Milliken, E. F. Monahan, P. J. O'Callahan, J. O'Neil, J. P. O'Rourke, J. Patterson, J. H. Robishaw, J. Scanlon, J. J. Sweeney, R. C. Bourke, R. J. Burchell, C. Buckley, J. Butler, P. F. Cahill, J. J. Conroy, J. J. Cotter, J. J. Decoursey, F. C. Donahue, J. F. Eaton, J. P. Fallon, J. F. Lane, G. C. Linsky, F. McCarthy, P. F. Moran, J. J. O'Leary, L. J. O'Neill, J. J. O'Neill, E. J. Orann, J. J. Ryan, T. C. Ryan, L. P. Shanney, E. L. Sullivan, C. A. Swanson, F. H. Williams, P. Toohey, L. Mazzetti, J. H. McMenimen, M. Fay, P. Kelloran, 3 days, \$12 each; W. Finn, J. Clancy, W. T. Hinchey, J. J. Jones, J. McCorkle, B. J. Manning, P. F. Murray, P. J. Nolan, M. A. Page, J. L. Hanley, R. Dennehy, J. J. Edwards, E. L. Fitzgerald, D. F. Keating, J. J. Lombard, P. McCarthy, J. H. Nolan, J. J. Rogers, F. Shalley, F. H. Dysart, 1½ days, \$6 each; B. Coyne, C. Bell, T. Conway, L. Divita, J. L. Gould, J. C. Hourihan, H. J. Kane, R. Mulcahy, L. Paglia, M. F. Shea, D. P. Stack, F. J. Travis, D. P. Minihan, J. Wark, M. Allen, 3½ days, \$13.50 each; J. L. Lamothe, 3½ days, \$14.50; J. P. Barnes, J. McDonough, R. Deicillo, T. Iverson, C. Murray, P. Canny, 1½ days, \$4.50 each; J. P. Brady, J. P. Collins, P. Creamer, P. F. Daley, F. R. Deacon, M. F. Doherty, M. Gilmartin, J. D. O'Brien, J. T. O'Leary, E. White, N. Cesso, M. Donlin, E. Grant, T. F. Kilroy, R. Marsy, J. Donahue, G. Galluccio, A. Mercurio, J. J. Meyers, V. Piscitelli, E. F. Riley, P. Moran, J. P. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$7.50 each; P. J. Hannahan, D. McCarthy, J. J. Godvin, J. Ruddy, E. F. Noonan, J. A. White, P. Dunn, J. Rogers, F. Certesimo, ½ day, \$3 each; P. J. Doherty, C. Sullivan, J. F. Brown, J. A. Carr, J. Gallagher, M. Hughes, P. F. Joyce, J. McNiff, W. H. Mahoney, W. T. Maloney, D. F. O'Keefe, F. Taylor, 1 day, \$4 each; T. F. Gordon, C. McColgan, T. Madden, J. J. Schoen, C. J. Sullivan, S. Coughlin, J. F. Kelley, F. Kelley, J. J. Donovan, H. A. Bourdon, P. Barry, J. Cahill, D. J. Callahan, C. T. Christopher, P. Colleran, P. Conlin, G.

H. Corcoran, W. G. Curley, J. J. Curtin, M. Dacey, L. Davis, J. J. Delaney, T. Dolan, J. J. Doherty, W. P. Donnelly, J. Driscoll, M. Finn, T. Fitzmorris, T. Flanagan, C. F. Flaherty, J. B. Foley, C. Gallagher, M. Gately, P. Glynn, A. J. Grimley, F. H. Granville, J. Granville, T. Hart, J. A. Hartigan, R. Higgins, J. Hines, P. Keon, L. Kilduff, D. Kobuleski, J. Kramer, M. Lahey, L. Landrigan, J. B. Lyons, J. McGarry, T. McGuinness, M. Norton, A. Powers, M. Raftery, J. Smith, D. Sullivan, J. Sullivan, J. P. Toohey, M. A. Weidman, J. Winters, 1½ days, \$7.50 each; J. Holland, 4 days, \$16; R. C. Burke, C. Noon, S. A. Sawyer, J. J. Carroll, 3½ days, \$15 each; M. Cashman, 2½ days, \$10.50; G. Campo, M. Cardello, F. Corvino, M. Gordon, E. J. Kelley, M. J. Lyons, M. Partinello, J. Doherty, F. DeMatteo, M. T. McCarthy, L. Pace, 2½ days, \$11.50 each; D. Conlin, H. Riley, J. J. Glancy, 2½ days, \$9 each; W. Haugh, 4½ days, \$17.50; M. T. Clougherty, 4½ days, \$19; J. Considine, R. M. Jennings, 3½ days, \$13 each; J. J. Dailey, T. McClutchey, B. Maraghy, 2½ days, \$11 each.

Chauffeurs.—H. Barry, 4½ days, \$23.75; T. McDonald, 5½ days, \$28.13; W. G. Earley, 1 day, \$4.50; J. J. Connors, 2½ days, \$13.13; M. Givonella, 4½ days, \$20.63; J. A. McCabe, T. Murphy, 3½ days, \$36.26 each; M. Schaaf, 2½ days, \$10.63.

Feeder.—L. McGahan, 3½ days, \$15.94.
Total, \$2,509.97.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 11:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, T. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Emergency men.—M. Donohue, ½ day, \$0.84; W. Lonergan, 2 days, \$8; M. C. Carney, 2 days, \$8.50; R. Curcio, ½ day, \$0.75; T. Kinahan, 2 days, \$8.50; J. Kelley, ½ day, \$0.75; W. Rice, 2 days, \$8; R. Welch, ½ day, \$2.81; P. Clougherty, 2 days, \$8; J. Lenehan, 2½ days, \$11.58; E. Rafferty, ½ day, \$3.38; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$8.44; H. Campbell, ½ day, \$1.41; D. Hanlon, 2½ days, \$12.19; P. O'Hare, ½ day, \$0.89; G. Cozza, ½ day, \$3.38; M. Daly, ½ day, \$2.23; M. O'Day, 2½ days, \$12.66; J. Picardi, ½ day, \$1.88; E. Sullivan, ½ day, \$0.84; A. Brennan, 2½ days, \$10.97; S. Mariani, 1½ days, \$6.75; C. Driscoll, 1½ days, \$9.38; P. Casey, 1½ days, \$8.44; P. Clougherty, 2½ days, \$9.16; H. Cauley, 2½ days, \$12.66; W. Shields, 4½ days, \$18.56; T. Higgins, 2½ days, \$11.25; G. Condon, 2½ days, \$11.25; J. Williamson, 3½ days, \$16.73; J. Horgan, 2½ days, \$11.25; J. Feeley, 3 days, \$12; N. McPhee, 1½ days, \$5.06; P. Coleman, 1½ days, \$5.06; H. Cauley, 1½ days, \$5.06; G. Waters, 2½ days, \$10.50; W. Corbett, ½ day, \$2.25; F. Schena, 1½ days, \$5.34; S. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4; J. McLean, ½ day, \$1.59; P. McCarthy, ½ day, \$2.95; H. Hitchcock, ½ day, \$1.27; F. Golding, ½ day, \$0.80; J. McGrath, ½ day, \$1.27; G. Carroll, ½ day, \$1.78; J. O'Brien, ½ day, \$0.94.

Laborers.—M. Barron, ½ day, \$1.88; J. Burke, ½ day, \$3; J. Dillon, ½ day, \$1.88; J. Kelley, ½ day, \$2.25; P. Loftus, 1½ days, \$7.50; A. LoPilato, ½ day, \$2.39; P. Martello, ½ day, \$1.88; J. Mulhearn, ½ day, \$1.50; P. McGuinness, ½ day, \$1.88; M. Mulqueeny, ½ day, \$1.50; P. Mulkearn, 1½ days, \$7.50; W. Kravets, ½ day, \$3; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4; A. Rolfe, ½ day, \$1.50; J. Phipps, ½ day,

\$1.50; T. O'Brien, ½ day, \$2.39; G. Ryan, ½ day, \$2.25; J. Stenson, ½ day, \$0.75; J. Phipps, 3½ days, \$12.75; F. Ware, 1½ days, \$6.38; W. Whelton, ½ day, \$1.88.

Transit Job.—J. Cummings, 2 days, \$10; M. Matthews, T. Rose, J. Gallagher, 2 days, \$9 each; M. Rizzo, 2 days, \$8.50; G. Cataldo, N. DeEso, J. Fenton, P. Green, J. McLaughlin, W. Corbett, 2 days, \$8 each.

Total, \$472.08; paid by Transit Department, \$97.50; net total, \$374.58.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been allowed to amend their contract for grading of a high school in the Chapman District, White street, East Boston, by striking out the words and figures: "October 1, 1923," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures: "May 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 12 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about August 6, 1923, and is to be completed on or before May 1, 1924."

Thomas O'Connor & Co. have been allowed to amend their contract for the erection and completion of an elementary school in the Hugh O'Brien District, Shirley street, Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "January 1, 1924," on page 25, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "April 21, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 25 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about May 1, 1923, and is to be completed on or before April 21, 1924."

Heywood-Wakefield Company have been allowed to amend their contract for furnishing standard opera chairs at the Normal School, Huntington avenue, Boston, by striking out the words and figures, "January 16, 1924," and substituting therefor the words and figures, "April 1, 1924," so that the last paragraph of the specifications shall read: Chairs must be delivered and set up on or before April 1, 1924.

Eastern Power and Heating Company have been allowed to amend their contract for installing and completing heating and ventilating system in the Washington Allston District School, Armington street and Webster place, Allston district, Boston, by striking out, in each case where it occurs, in paragraph (D) In General and paragraph (E) Guaranty Bond, Section 9, pages 42 and 43 of said contract, the name "Vacuum Specialties Company," and substituting therefor the words "company supplying the vacuum specialties."

Archdeacon and Sullivan have been allowed to amend their contract for erecting and completing elementary school in the Robert Gould Shaw District, Church and Centre streets, West Roxbury district, Boston, by striking out, in each case where it occurs, in paragraph "Consultation," and paragraph "Guaranty Bond," section "Miscellaneous," pages 81 and 82 of said contract, the name "Vacuum Specialties Company," and substituting therefor the words "company supplying the vacuum specialties."

NEW ZONING PLAN.

(Continued from page 177.)

business centers as Fields Corner, Dorchester Center or Roslindale Center, and along main business thoroughfares.

It is expected that placing districts where buildings have depreciated as the section north of Dudley street and east of Tremont street in 65-foot districts will enable them to be converted to more substantial buildings as the fireproofing regulations are very strict after the five-story limit is reached, which would be prohibitive on low value land.

FORTY-FOOT DISTRICTS.

The 40-foot districts which are intended for three-family houses, whether detached or in rows and for outlying local business districts come in as far as a line running east and west, roughly bounded by Heath street, Roxbury street, Eliot square, St. James street, Moreland street, Dudley street and Uphams Corner. These districts extend out as far as the Arnold Arboretum, Walk Hill street beyond Forest Hills Cemetery, out Blue Hill avenue to Mattapan, and out Dorchester avenue to Ashmont. The main residential sections of South Boston, East Boston and Charlestown are also in the 40-foot districts.

The 35-foot districts are chiefly for one and two family houses. Included in this class are Savin Hill and the open residential section beginning at Jamaica pond and extending on out and including Roslindale, Clarendon Hills, West Roxbury, Hyde Park, Mattapan and the lower part of Dorchester around Ashmont and Lower Mills, also outlying parts of Brighton.

In the 35-foot and 40-foot districts, exceptions are made for single-family dwellings and buildings for recreational use, which may be built to a height of three and one half stories and for churches, hospitals, sanitarium and educational and philanthropic institutions, which may be erected to a height of five stories; provided, however, that in each case the building is given a considerable extra setback from every street and lot line.

All dwellings in an industrial or unrestricted district are subject to the same regulations as dwellings in 40-foot districts.

BETTER AIR AND LIGHT.

Regulating the heights of buildings helps to provide light and air but it is not a sufficient remedy for building congestion. To secure an additional amount of light and air for dwellings the proposed zoning law calls for open spaces around buildings by specifying the minimum depth of rear yards; width of side yards; uniform setbacks from the street line and the percentage of a lot that may be occupied by a building. On corner lots and unusually shallow lots, the sizes of yards may be reduced.

REAR YARDS.

For rear yards of typical lots in 35-foot districts, a minimum depth of 25 feet is required behind every building except an accessory building. For typical lots not in a residence district, the depth may be reduced 5 feet. The minimum depth requirement in 40-foot districts is 20 feet; in 65-foot districts and remaining residence districts 12 feet is the minimum. Thirty per cent of the area of a rear yard of one or two family dwellings may be occupied by a one-story private garage or other accessory

building under certain restrictions as to size and location.

SIDE YARDS.

Side yards are to be provided on each side of every building in a residence district.

In 35-foot and 40-foot districts the minimum width of all side yards is 6 feet, which is to be increased somewhat for unusually long buildings. In 40-foot districts, a party wall may be substituted for a side yard. Side yards if provided in 65-foot or other districts must conform to the present building code requirements.

COURTS.

In a 35-foot residence district, no window required by the building law is to open on an outer court with a depth greater than its width or upon an inner court. In a 40-foot residence district no window shall open on an inner court deeper than its width. Otherwise courts must conform to the present building code.

SETBACK REGULATIONS.

In order that occupants of all buildings within a block may enjoy equal privileges and advantages gained by setting buildings back from the street, uniform setback regulations are specified for the different residence districts. In 35-foot and 40-foot districts houses are to be set back 10 feet from the street line.

PERCENTAGE OF LOT OCCUPANCY.

Not more than 35 per cent of the lot area may be occupied by a residence in 35-foot districts. An exception allows buildings not for residence purposes to occupy up to 60 per cent of the area of the lot. In 40-foot districts 60 per cent is the allowable maximum for dwellings and 70 per cent for other buildings. In 65-foot districts, 70 per cent for dwellings and 80 per cent for other buildings. In the 80-foot district 80 per cent for dwellings, and no limitations for other buildings in 80 and 155 foot districts.

(For map illustrating this article see page 185.)

PUBLIC LIBRARY EXHIBITS
GALILEO'S WORKS.

For the 360th anniversary of the birthday of Galileo Galilei—he was born on the 15th of February, 1564, in Pisa—the Boston Public Library has arranged an exhibition of the earliest and rarest editions of the works of the great Italian astronomer. The books are exhibited in the Barton Room of the Library.

The most valuable among the volumes shown is a small booklet, the "Sidereal Messenger." Published in 1610, this little volume contains the first description of the surface of the moon, and the discovery that the Milky Way is an aggregation of myriads of stars. Best known among the books on exhibition is the "Dialogo," which was ordered to be burned in 1633, soon after its publication. The famous saying of "Eppur si muove!" ("It moves nevertheless!"), which Galileo murmured to a friend after the disavowal of his doctrine of the motion of the earth, is attached to this volume.

Ptolemy's "Cosmographia" represents the greatest monetary value among the books on exhibition. This edition of 1482 is one of the most beautiful books printed in Germany during the fifteenth century. Near to it is placed the booklet of Galileo, which gave the deathblow to Ptolemy's system.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Knut E. Blomgren, 23 Rutledge street, Ward 24, one car.

Theodore Lenz, Jr., 21 Sutton street, Ward 24, one car.

Adolph Morse, 125 Hutchings street, Ward 16, group garage, one car additional.

John A. Troope, 56 Mt. Vernon street, Ward 11, one car additional.

Laurence J. Fallon, 70 Richfield street, Ward 18, two units additional.

Mollie Peivishovitz, 23 Floyd street, Ward 21, two cars.

Max Hurwitz, 45 Corona street, Ward 18, two cars.

Edward G. Kennedy, 79 Hewlett street, Ward 23, two cars.

Laurence J. Murphy *et al.*, 53 Stockton street, Ward 21, two cars.

John J. Mogan, 12 Oakwood street, Ward 24, two cars.

Eileen E. O'Meara, 109 Parsons street, Ward 26, two cars.

Estate of Thomas Reynolds, 12 Sunny-side street, Ward 14, two cars.

David B. Ross *et al.*, 87 and 89 Homes avenue, Ward 18, one garage, two cars.

William H. Tucker *et al.*, 47 Fairmount street, Ward 21, two cars.

Kasemer J. Washkis, 78 Wexford street, Ward 26, two cars.

Rose Hoffman, 39 Deering road, Ward 21, three cars.

John E. Holden, 204 and 206 West Seventh street, Ward 10, three cars, additional.

Henry J. Schmitz *et al.*, 46 Atherton street, Ward 15, group garage, three units.

Anna Halperine *et al.*, 91 and 93 Harrihof street, Ward 16, group garage, six units.

Rose A. Leonard, 8 Verona street, Ward 22, group garage, five units, five cars.

Alfred R. Tris, 3859 Washington street, Ward 22, addition to public garage.

Boylston Bottling Company, 1236 Columbus avenue, Ward 15, maintaining business garage and 500 gallons gasoline.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, 1335 Hyde Park avenue, Ward 24, 2,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Colonial Filling Stations, 230 Harvard avenue, Ward 25, 5,000 gallons gasoline.

Neil F. Doherty, 386 Market street, Ward 26, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

William A. Huebener, 161 Granite avenue, Ward 20, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Hyde Park Tire Cottage, 1183-1187 Hyde Park avenue, Ward 24, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

John J. Kelleher, 5330 Washington street, Ward 23, 2,000 gallons gasoline.

Harry I. Schackley, 1186-1190 Commonwealth avenue, Ward 25, 2,000 gallons gasoline.

P. J. Wall, 272 and 274 West Fourth street, Ward 9, 1,000 gallons fuel oil.

Kanter & Steinberg, 232 Warren street, Ward 25, 4,000 gallons fuel oil.

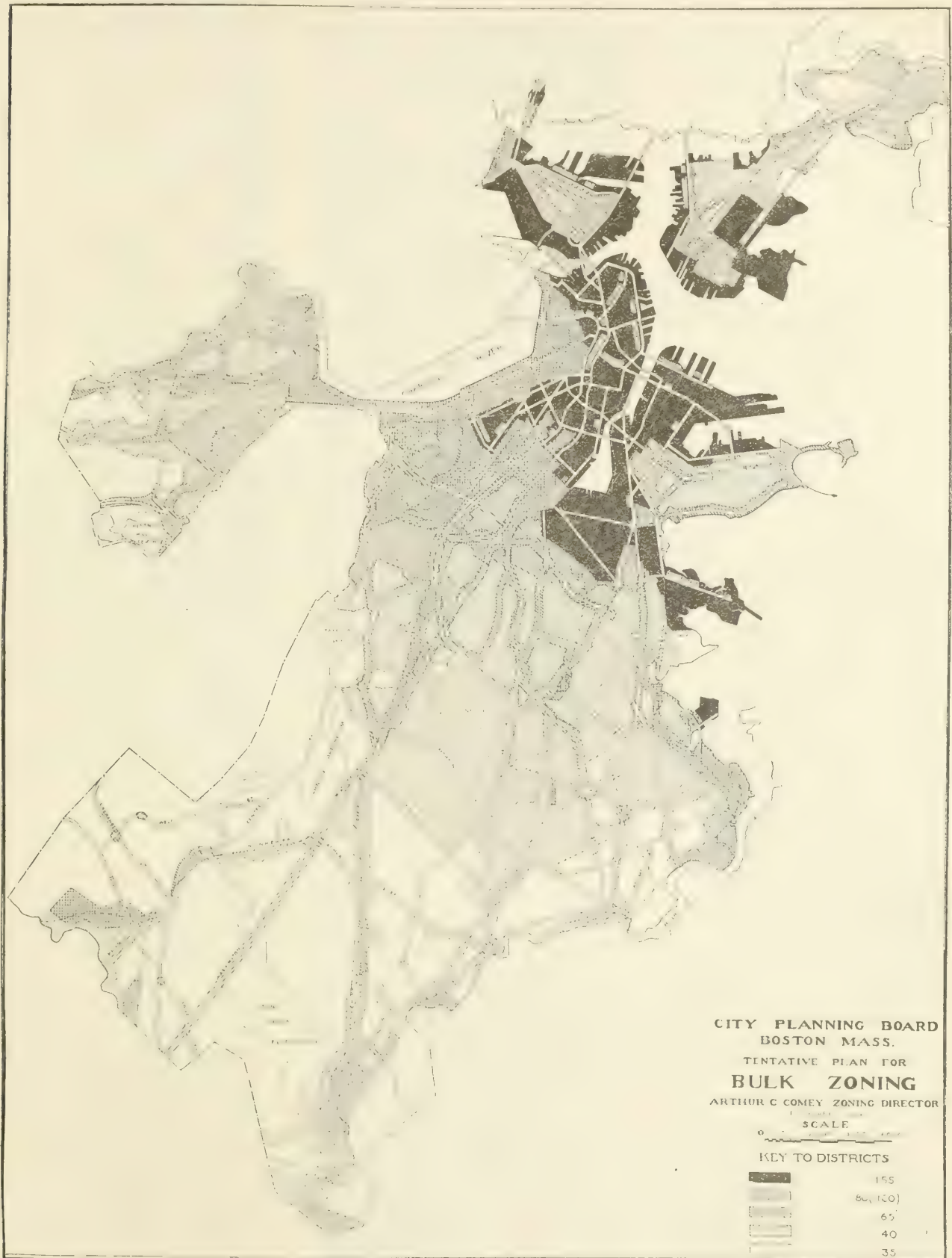
Sun Oil Company, 43 and 44 Commercial wharf, Ward 5, 30,000 gallons lubricating oils.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Erie street, Ward 19, erect and remove one pole.

Mrs. Frederica Drago, 124 Peter street, Ward 24, two cars.

Frank W. Gustafson, 6 Hopestill street, Ward 19, two cars.

ZONING MAP BY PLANNING BOARD SHOWING HOW SPOTS IN CITY WILL BE IMPROVED
AND PRESERVED FOR FUTURE BEAUTY.



FORMER MAYOR HART SIGNALLY HONORED BY MASSACHUSETTS MAYORS' CLUB AT BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

BOSTON'S GRAND OLD MAN PAID SIGNAL HONORS AT CITY CLUB ON EVE OF 95TH BIRTHDAY. MAYOR CURLEY PRESENTS BOUQUET OF ROSES FROM CITIZENS.

Mayor Curley, in introducing ex-Mayor Hart at the dinner of the Mayors' Club, January 19, said in part:

"Eighteen hundred twenty-nine seems a long time ago, when the distinguished guest of the afternoon came into the world. I have some appreciation of his virility because of a story that was told me this afternoon by former Mayor Proctor of Somerville. He said the last time he saw Mayor Hart was thirteen years ago. He was then eighty-two years of age. They were both riding on a street car and a pickpocket boarded the car and stole Mayor Hart's purse. Mayor Hart jumped off the car, chased him for a mile and a half, caught the pickpocket, took his purse back and then walked him to the police station single-handed.

"He is today in full possession of his strength and vigor and he comes to us with a mind enriched by more than the ordinary lifetime that is allotted by Scripture to individuals. He comes to us as a former Mayor of the capital city of New England. He filled that office with such grace, such dignity, such high ideals and, over and above all else, with such kindly grace as to merit and enjoy the love and esteem and affection of every man, woman and child in the entire City of Boston.

"Tomorrow he will celebrate his ninety-fifth birthday. We are anxious that on this ninety-fifth birthday of his he feel not only that the recollection that comes from his association with the members of the Mayors' Club be fragrant with God's harbinger of the seasons, sweet roses, but with sweet memories. It becomes my very great pleasure to present you with this little basket containing as many roses as you have lived useful years in behalf of the people of Boston. To present you with this little card, the inscription which reads, 'Hon. Thomas N. Hart, from the Mayors' Club, upon his ninety-fifth birthday anniversary, with every good wish that Mayor Hart may be with us upon his 150th birthday,' and with this little personal token from the club as well as the gift of the citizens of Boston, who have a profound love and affection for you, and also from the Mayors' Club, who regard you not only as the oldest member but as the best loved member of this organization, Mayor Hart."

Mayor Hart then thanked the members and told them he appreciated their kindness and thoughtfulness in having him as their guest.

Mayor Curley then continued in part as follows: "I had occasion to accept an invitation to deliver an address at the Boston Public Library on Thursday evening last and the light was rather poor and I could not see my manuscript very clearly so I allowed it to remain on my desk and talked without it. On an occasion of this kind it is of especial interest and might perhaps be of interest to our guest of the afternoon.

Its title is 'Boston of 1950' and since he is to be here in 1950 to celebrate with us on that occasion his 120th birthday I am going to take the liberty of reading it to him and I want to say that the outline of Boston might be applicable to any city in the entire Commonwealth, for after all the problems that confront Boston differ only in size from the problems confronting every city in the state. Municipal administration up to the present time at least is an uncharted science. It is the science of political administration and surely we have not quite grooved it. We have not established a single-track system over which we can conduct the activities of every municipal department. Anyone elected to the office of Mayor finds it necessary to work out his own groove.

"It is an interesting proposition, and a little contribution by each and every one makes the road a little easier for his successor and the new development that will be in evidence by 1950 will make the road simple for whoever may be elected Mayor of a New England city, for we are beginning to recognize that the most important business in the entire United States is the business of government. The federal government spends more money annually than any other business in America, employs more persons and upon the success or the failure of the business of government is dependent in large measure the happiness and prosperity or the misery and want of the 122,000,000 of people living under the American flag.

"I think the time will come when we will have a national planning board, when we will have a state planning board and municipal planning boards in every city and the business of government will be conducted along the same lines of economy and efficiency that we found necessary and advisable in every other channel and avenue of business, industry and commercial activity." (Mayor then read "Vision of Boston in 1950.")

"Now, gentlemen," he continued, "prior to assembling for lunch I had the pleasure of talking with men who hold the office of Mayor in many of the great manufacturing sections of Massachusetts and learned from them that depression in industry is becoming a little more general in all of the manufacturing centers of the Commonwealth. That in Lawrence the mills are on part time, that in the shoe industry men are working part time and that in various other industries apparently the saturation point has been reached. I confess that personally I know of nothing that is of greater importance to the future of our New England section of the United States than the development, first, of the spirit of unity on the part of all the men interested officially in the welfare of Massachusetts; and second, the development of the commerce of Massachusetts.

"We have long lagged for some leader who might blaze the way to a return of

the old spirit of self-reliance and a return of that commerce with which you were familiar when you came here as a lad at thirteen years of age. In 1842 Boston ranked second commercially of all the cities of the United States, a position she retained for half a century and a position which she enjoyed for more than a century prior to that time. When we consider that in 1921 we had dropped to fourteenth place in imports and exports and last year, in spite of a good year, we still occupied eleventh place in export and imports, being outstripped, not because of any unnatural advantage because physically we are the best port on the Atlantic Coast, but outstripped because of the unfair and discriminatory differential which drives business away from Boston, because of the failure of an appropriation nationally to improve our harbor, and failure to establish and formulate on the part of all the cities and towns of the Commonwealth a program for the co-ordination of railroad facilities at the point of shipment, Boston, and failure to develop our commercial resources.

"I, personally, rejoice that one man in America has sounded the tocsin for fifteen years to my knowledge, the tocsin that is gradually being accepted as the general solution, that has been taken up within the last two weeks by the *Chicago Examiner*, the establishment of an American manned, controlled and owned Merchant Marine that would leave us independent of foreign shipping competitors and foreign shipping combines. William Randolph Hearst has been more than a pioneer in this movement. He has been an earnest and able and brilliant advocate with limited support for many years.

"If it is true that we are two days nearer on a round trip to Europe than any other city on the Atlantic Coast and nearer to the eastern ports of South America and the Panama Canal then we must take advantage of our commercial facilities or we must have these industrial depressions and stagnation from time to time which spells discontent and unrest among men and misery and suffering and hardship in the home.

"We have only 6 per cent of the population of the world in America and we have only 7 5-12 of the land area of the world but we have 40 per cent of the railroad trackage and we produce more than 60 per cent of all the commodities, 80 per cent of the automobiles, 65 per cent of the iron and steel of the world and if we only have 6 per cent of the population and produce over 60 per cent of the commodities in general we must either find and develop foreign markets or we must be confronted with the saturation point in America and which means unemployment.

"Something must be done to arouse the old-time spirit out of which came commercial independence, the New England spirit out of which emerged the old spirit of self-reliance, the New England spirit that manifested itself by the American flag on quarter ships in every part of the globe and now an agency has come into our community, a representative of the same Hearst, a distinguished and brilliant writer, a distinguished and brilliant newspaper man who has commanded attention internationally and who comes here with a message, who comes here with a mission and his message is a call 'To the Minute Men of 1924,' for the development of the old spirit of self-reliance, for the develop-

ment of unity, for the development of American merchant shipping and how necessary it is for the excess product of America. For as a consequence of the World War we now produce in America enough in seven months to provide for our needs for a full twelve-month period. It is a message to Lynn, Lawrence, Haverhill, Brockton and every other city and town in the Commonwealth and to every one concerned with the welfare of our state. It affords me extreme pleasure to present to this gathering this distinguished citizen of America who is to have charge of the New England development, to have charge of the reawakening of American spirit and industry in New England, Mr. Barrett Andrews."

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ART DEPARTMENT.

Boston, February 1, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—The Board of Art Commissioners respectfully submits the following report for the year ending January 31, 1924:

By law this commission is responsible for the custody and care of all municipal works of art. This commission was accordingly allowed an appropriation for this purpose in its budget for 1923-24, and has completed repairs on the Channing Monument, painting the stonework and gilding the lettering of the inscription at the back, and has cleaned the monuments to Wendell Phillips, Robert Gould Shaw and Abraham Lincoln.

This commission has approved a design for the inscription in memory of Edward M. Cunningham, to be carved on a small stone monument proposed by the Edward M. Cunningham Post, Spanish War Veterans, for a site in the park at the intersection of Cambridge and Murdock streets, Brighton. The commission has approved, for the site designated, a memorial bronze tablet which the John Cleary Post, No. 34, Spanish War Veterans, proposed for placing on a boulder at a site near the main entrance to Fairview Cemetery. The commission has also approved the memorial tablet to William Joseph Barry for a temporary placing in the administration building at the Barry Playground, Charlestown.

This commission, having been asked to approve the placing of a monument to a war veteran on a sidewalk in East Boston, felt it to be its duty to refuse, and to explain this action in the following statement:

"Soon after the close of the late World War the civic authorities of the City of Boston sanctioned the naming of certain intersections of principal streets, calling them squares, in honor and memory of some of those who perished in that war. It was, of course, impossible to foresee what complications might arise from so simple an act.

"In the present instance the approval of the Art Commission is sought by the family of a soldier who has been so commemorated, for the erection of an imposing and permanent memorial in the square which now bears his name, the memorial to take the form of a granite monument placed in the sidewalk curb, there being no other placing possible, and bearing a bronze tablet on which the appropriate explanatory data would be inscribed.

"The commission presumes it is not implied that the square itself, as enti-

tled, is not already an adequate and sufficiently honorable memorial, but that the permanent stone and tablet are designed to perpetuate historic data.

The Art Commission believes it to be its highest function to encourage and actively to assist the memorialization of those who gave their lives to the service of patriotism in the World War; nevertheless, in the most sympathetic exercise of this duty, it is bound to a careful regard for the considerations of artistic proprieties and good taste as to the nature and situation of these memorials. It is obvious that in only a few, if any, of the street intersections which bear the names of our war heroes would an object, such as above contemplated, be other than a cause of obstruction. Therefore, without discussing the merits of this type of monument, the commission is obliged to recognize the probability that should it acquiesce in one instance, others would inevitably follow; and, further, it must record its opinion that such monuments, so placed, would be, even independently of artistic reasons, unsuitable for the purpose intended by the petitioners."

Having approved the design, by Mr. R. Clipston Sturgis, for a wrought-iron fence to protect the Boston Common Tablet, at the corner of Tremont and Park streets on Boston Common, this commission has been glad to approve this protective fence as finally executed. In cordial compliance with popular demand the commission has also been glad to improve the legibility of the inscription on this tablet, by having the lettering gilded.

The commission has approved for positions in the Mayor's office two medallions by Mr. C. S. Paola, one of former Mayor William A. Gaston, the other of his Honor Mayor Curley.

On the invitation of your Honor to consider a contract for radiotones to replace the medallions of Mayors in the Mayor's office, this commission informed your Honor that the radiotone portraits submitted to this commission are interesting and admirable, but being products of photography do not, in this commission's opinion, come within the purview of this commission; this commission would, however, have jurisdiction in any removal or relocation of the existing medallions in the Mayor's office.

The commission subsequently voted that with the approval of his Honor the Mayor the medallions in the Mayor's office be removed and relocated in the City Council Chamber; also to inform your Honor that this relocation will necessitate reframing the medallions.

The City Council voting, however, that the medallions be given to the former Mayors or their next of kin, this commission asked the opinion of the Corporation Counsel on the legality of this vote. The commission received, in response, an opinion to the effect that the vote of the City Council to present these medallions to the ex-Mayors or their next of kin is not in conformity with law. While reframing these works of art the commission, therefore, retains custody of them.

This commission has approved for a position in Bates Hall an admirable marble bust of Henry James by F. Derwent Wood, presented by the sculptor himself to the Boston Public Library.

The commission has also approved a statuette entitled "Echo," by Mr. Larkin Goldsmith Mead, for a position in the West End Branch Library.

This commission has approved for a position in the Mechanic Arts High School a portrait of Mr. Charles W. Parmenter, by Mr. Walter Gilman Page.

This commission has approved the Harleston Parker bronze medal, to be awarded by the Boston Society of Architects, and presented each year by the city, for the best work of architecture done during the year.

Mr. Daniel Chester French, the sculptor, having set up in the Public Garden, near the corner of Arlington and Beacon streets, a model of the memorial figure, this commission has approved the model of the statue for the George R. White Monument and the general place and location.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS ALLEN,
Chairman.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

An addition, amounting to \$11,000 on contract with J. Edward Ogden Company, Inc., for two sets of ferry bridge galleys frame and accompanying machinery for the South Ferry, on account of furnishing and installing mooring hooks and necessary appurtenances and doing the necessary strengthening to hold the mooring hooks in place of the ferryboats "Ralph J. Palumbo," "Lieut. Flaherty" and "John H. Sullivan." Original contract \$210,000; total additions, \$12,837; contract as standing, \$222,837.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$65, on contract with A. G. Tomasello & Son for granite block pavement in Chelsea street, Charlestown, on account of cutting guttermouths in edgestone where directed. Original contract, \$19,962.50; total additions, \$1,665; contract as standing, \$21,627.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$563.25, on contract with Anthony Baruffaldi for sewerage works in Glendale road outlet, Section 1, and North avenue, West Roxbury, on account of leaving in place 3 M. feet of 2-inch sheeting between stations 9 plus 20 and 16 plus 96 at agreed price of \$45 per M. feet; removing old 14-inch galvanized-iron water pipe in trench between station 18 plus 19 and station 24 plus 87, Glendale road outlet, and between station 0 plus 0 and station 7 plus 45, North avenue, at agreed price of 25 cents per linear foot; reinforcing with steel three manholes in marsh ground at agreed price of \$25. Original contract, \$46,554; total additions, \$8,645.25; contract as standing, \$55,199.25.

An addition, amounting to \$150, on contract with John Guarino & Co., for laying and relaying water pipes in Corinne road, Brighton, Canaan and Colorado streets, Dorchester, and Wilmot street, West Roxbury, on account of furnishing extra labor and materials due to quicksand trench bottom; and sheeting and furnishing extra blocking ordered left in place. Original contract, \$3,117.25; total addition, \$150; contract as standing, \$3,267.25.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED FEBRUARY 7 TO FEBRUARY 13.

FEBRUARY 7.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Ava M. Noone.....	Rear of 353 Gardner street.	23	Special storage.....	\$3,000
Gordon Hainsworth.....	69 Lasell street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Edward E. Havey.....	73 Lasell street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
John B. Kenney.....	82 Lasell street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,500
Thomas G. Plant Company,	21 and 23 West street.....	5	Alterations, store and office..	6,000
Joseph Allegra.....	46 Belmont street.....	3	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Trustees Boston Real Estate	520-540 Atlantic avenue.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	10,000
Trust.				
Samuel Cutler.....	33 Kerwin street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
David Oahray.....	191 and 193 Chambers street	5	Alterations, tenements.....	300
M. Boyne.....	6 and 8 Drayton avenue.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
E. V. Earle & Sons, Inc.,	20-24 Sudbury street.....	5	Alterations, stores and tene- ments.....	300
S. Blotnick.....	94 Warren street.....	4	Alterations, store and storage,	800
C. E. Osgood Company.....	744 Washington street...	5	Alterations, store.....	1,000
New York, New Haven &	163 Dorchester avenue.....	9	Alterations, storage and offices	850
Hartford Railroad Com- pany.				
New York, New Haven &	191 Dorchester avenue.....	9	Alterations, machine shop...	500
Hartford Railroad Com- pany.				
J. D. Johnson.....	14 and 16 Concord square...	7	Erect fire escape.....	100

FEBRUARY 8.

Jessie Todd.....	8 Crestwood park.....	16	Second-class garage.....	\$1,500
Barnet Shillman.....	119 Tonawanda street.....	19	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
A. R. Gilliland.....	32 Ripley road.....	19	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
A. R. Gilliland.....	36 Ripley road.....	19	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
A. R. Gilliland.....	40 Ripley road.....	19	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Margaret MacPherson.....	Rear of 52 Rutledge road.....	24	Third-class garage.....	300
J. S. Goodway.....	33 Southbourne road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Abraham Aransky.....	96 Harvard street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	600

FEBRUARY 9.

Michael Kosteki.....	Rear of 124 Wood avenue...	24	Third-class garage.....	\$400
Andrew Apic.....	Rear of 86 Walworth street.	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Gaetano Marino.....	265 North street.....	5	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
A. L. S. Morrison.....	43 Braddock park.....	7	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Sadie Klagman.....	65 Coleman street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Bella Trachtenburg.....	67 Coleman street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
George C. Appleton & Son	21 Essex street.....	5	Alterations, restaurant and lodge.....	2,000
E. L. Estabrook.....	133 Warwick street.....	13	Erect fire escape.....	350

FEBRUARY 11.

B. T. Yurkanis.....	Rear of 1654 Columbia road	10	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Mary A. Burns.....	Rear of 658 Columbia road	10	First-class garage.....	1,000
Mary J. Hynes.....	Rear of 16 Folsom street...	17	First-class garage.....	750
Harry M. Hambro.....	Rear of 34 Fairmount street	21	Second-class garage.....	1,307
E. D. Allesandro.....	Rear of 235 Chelsea street...	2	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Chester Topham <i>et al.</i> ...	14 and 16 Greenwood ave...	24	Third-class dwelling.....	10,500
C. E. Osgood Company.....	744 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, furniture store..	1,500
J. S. Wilner.....	2205-2217 Washington street	13	Alterations, store.....	3,000
Morris Bronstein.....	85 State street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	12,000
Chamber of Commerce	169-181 Congress street.....	5	Erect fire escapes.....	500
Realty Trust.				
Holdsworth & Farrington...	161 Dartmouth street.....	7	Alterations, elevators.....	6,000
Central Building Wrecking	317 and 319 Cambridge st...	5	Take-down, tenements.....	100
Company.				
City Building Wrecking Com- pany.	68 Moreland street.....	12	Take-down, dwelling.....	300

FEBRUARY 12.

Joseph Betty.....	Rear of 44 and 46 Champney street.....	11	First-class garage.....	\$1,100
Frank Grius.....	Rear of 17 Lincoln street...	26	First-class garage.....	2,000
Rubin Shapiro.....	Rear of 43 McLellan street...	19	Second-class garage.....	1,000
M. Axelrod and H. Cooper.	1192-1198A Commonwealth avenue.....	25	Second-class stores.....	20,000
Frank A. Crottendeck.....	Rear of 115 Birch street...	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Rose A. Clancy <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 14 Ashmore road...	22	Third-class garage.....	600
Rose A. Clancy <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 10 Ashmore road...	22	Third-class garage.....	600
Sam Shapiro.....	83 Ellington street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	100
Seigel & Catts.....	84-90 Market street.....	26	Alterations, stores and dwell- ing.....	100
Lucy Von Dotten.....	159 Brighton avenue.....	25	Alterations, stores.....	900
Berch and Cadigan.....	122 St. Stephen street.....	7	Alterations, tenements and store.....	100
Nona Current.....	67 St. Germain street.....	7	Alterations, tenements.....	9,000

FEBRUARY 13.

Charles E. Lauriat Company,	381-387 Washington street,	5	Alterations, stores and offices,	\$4,000
Joseph M. Falla.....	623 Tremont street.....	7	Alterations, dwelling.....	900

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Mary Donlan, No. 7 Ashburton place, Boston, in the sum of \$175, as compensation for personal injuries caused by depression in street at the corner of Washington and Franklin streets, November 13, 1923.

Joseph J. Fitzgerald, 32 Blakeville street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$10.75, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by hole in street at 214 Devonshire street, September 29, 1923.

Frank R. Keith, 96 Bay State road, in the sum of \$40, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a Police Department horse in charge of Patrolman Foley of Division 16 biting a hole in the auto top, October 14, 1923.

Thomas Hanlon, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in walk at 11 Sunset street, March 29, 1922.

Maurice Zeeman, in the sum of \$175, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in walk at 32 Northampton street, March 21, 1922.

May Sennott, in the sum of \$400, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in street, Tremont and Ruggles streets, September 17, 1923.

Maude L. Whitney, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk at 12 Richfield street, Boston, June 16, 1923.

Kasselle Koffman, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for damage to realty and personalty caused by break in sewer opposite 417 Harrison avenue, March April, May, 1923.

Minnie Levitan, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk at 56 Poplar street, November 27, 1920.

Jack Marks, in the sum of \$700, as compensation for personal injuries caused by depression in sidewalk at 69 Canal street, November 1, 1923.

Margaret A. Fay, in the sum of \$225, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk opposite 27 Codman park, August 3, 1920.

E. A. Farrington, 166 Ward street, Boston, in the sum of \$2, as refund of water rates at said address, November 7, 1923.

William Toomey, 121 Chelsea street, East Boston, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for damage to property at 126-130 Porter street, East Boston, caused by fire engine No. 10 running into same October 5, 1923.

Robert M. Garland, Boston Herald, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for damage to automobile on Mason street by fire apparatus, November 9, 1923.

Joseph F. King, 9 Devotion street, Brookline, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for damage to car caused by broken silent policeman at corner Blue Hill avenue and Seaver street, September 23, 1923.

Avid R. Benson, 596 East Seventh street, South Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk at corner of K and East Seventh streets, September 13, 1923.

Emily Outway Boswall, 834 Boylston street, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in pavement near car stop at the corner of Washington and Northampton streets, October 1, 1923.

Mrs. D. V. Ring, 599 East Sixth street, in the sum of \$500, as compensation for

personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk at 619 East Broadway, South Boston, March 23, 1923.

Nellie Brennan, 30 Fenwood road, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by fall on crossing on Tremont street at the Tremont Theatre, April 18, 1923.

Mrs. Anna E. Costello, 21 Kingsdale street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$120, as damage to automobile caused by defect in Massachusetts avenue, about 80 feet from the corner of Boylston street, June 27, 1923.

Angelino Dell Russo, 203 Bow street, Everett, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defective condition of crosswalk at corner of Union and Hanover streets, December 21, 1922.

Mrs. M. J. Fanning, 16 Longwood avenue, Roxbury, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in Conant street, near Phillips street, Roxbury, May 20, 1923.

Freda Gordan, 7 Decatur street, East Boston, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for personal injuries received on account of hole in sidewalk opposite 13 Decatur street, August 23, 1923.

Ellen Haggerty, 105 Smith street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$166.52, as compensation for damage to property at said address, 1923, caused by defective sewer.

Meyer Kaplan, Irma street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for damage to automobile which fell in ditch dug by employees of the Water Division on Floyd street, near Blue Hill avenue, June 26, 1923.

Charles Terravecchia, 133 Saratoga street, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for damage to property at 13 Margaret street caused by leak in street main, 1923.

Alice Vuilleumier, 15 Hamlin street, South Boston, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for personal injuries received while crossing Harvard Bridge, being struck by one of the planks lying on said bridge, April 3, 1923.

William O'Neil, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for injuries and damage to automobile caused by hole in roadway on Harvard Bridge, on Boston side of said bridge, March 26, 1923.

Mrs. John J. McCarthy, 98 High street, Charlestown, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries and damage to clothing caused by fall due to hole in sidewalk on Pearl street Charlestown, March 17, 1923.

Alice E. McVey, 33 Robinson street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by holes in Dorchester avenue at Fields Corner, near the United States Post Office, August 30, 1923.

Catherine Leonardi, 328 Hanover street, Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk at 310 North street, December 15, 1921.

Sarah Mangini, 362 Tremont street, Boston, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for damage to property at said address caused by bursting of water main, July 25, 1923.

William B. Larkin, 264 Washington street, Boston, in the sum of \$65, as compensation for personal injuries received from a defect in St. Botolph street, outside the Boston Arena, September 7, 1923.

Dora Fishman, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk at 37 Spring street, November 5, 1921.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED FEBRUARY 7 TO FEBRUARY 13.

FEBRUARY 7

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
C. F. W. Wagner	530 Atlantic avenue.....	5	New fixtures...	\$250
L. W. Polit...	11 Edinboro street.....	21	New fixtures.....	300
Samuel Barron....	1360 Blue Hill avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	300
John W. Ho an...	330-338 Belgrade avenue...	23	New fixtures.....	700
John C. Kelly	40 Berkeley street.....	7	New fixtures.....	500
C. H. Cronin, Inc.	137 Federal street.....	5	New fixtures.....	500
F. E. Carlson.....	1120 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	300
Daniel M. Murphy	1 and 3 Oakland street....	15	New fixtures.....	300
M. B. Gradone & Co	450 Quincy street.....	17	New fixtures.....	1,500
Vincent A. Bolzet	236 River street.....	21	New fixtures.....	680
Edward E. Berry	35 Winslow street.....	24	New fixtures.....	375
A. I. Weiss.....	75 Woodrow avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	450
M. W. Nelligan...	50 Woodward street.....	11	New fixtures.....	25
Max H. Cohen	58-62 Eric street.....	19	New fixtures.....	600

FEBRUARY 8.

Philip Lagunes...	46 Edgewood street.....	16	New fixtures.....	\$600
A. Kudish.....	352 Blue Hill avenue.....	18	New fixtures.....	100
Joseph Locke	42 Edinboro street.....	5	New fixtures.....	50
K. W. McManus....	10 Euclid street.....	21	New fixtures.....	75
H. F. Fillebrown...	57 Howard avenue.....	17	New fixtures.....	50
George H. Maynard.	32 Walton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	500
Everett L. Magee...	16 Wales street.....	19	New fixtures.....	300
Stephen A. Cleaves.	338 Talbot avenue.....	19	New fixtures.....	60
P. M. Donoghue....	245 State street.....	5	New fixtures.....	5,000
M. Cohen.....	32 Stanford street.....	5	New fixtures.....	235
Wilford H. Gray...	88 Spencer street.....	19	New fixtures.....	285
A. I. Weiss.....	37 Norwell street.....	19	New fixtures.....	200
Joseph Adams.....	42 Mallon road.....	19	New fixtures.....	800
Joseph Adams.....	46 Mallon road.....	19	New fixtures.....	800
George W. Rigby...	343 E street.....	9	New fixtures.....	30
John J. Vogel.....	43 Potomac street.....	23	New fixtures.....	490
Max H. Cohen.....	38 Crawford street.....	16	New fixtures.....	1,400
J. M. Nihon.....	261 Warren street.....	16	New fixtures.....	165
Joseph Edelstein...	37 Holborn street.....	16	New fixtures.....	200

FEBRUARY 9.

R. P. Slattery & Co.....	10 Tyler street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$175
Charles Lang.....	9 Perham street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,110
James H. Woods.....	80 Glendale street.....	17	New fixtures.....	175
Harry D. Pollard...	1968 Dorchester avenue...	20	New fixtures.....	250
John T. Vogel.....	53 Charlotte street.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,400
M. T. Kelly.....	579 Centre street.....	22	New fixtures.....	200
David Craig.....	80 Broad street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,500
J. P. Perry & Co.....	387 Washington street...	5	New fixtures.....	400
David W. Ross.....	44 Dracut street.....	20	New fixtures.....	300
Lewis Callum.....	17 Magnolia square.....	17	New fixtures.....	250

FEBRUARY 11

J. S. Tancred.....	423 West Fourth street....	10	New fixtures.....	\$100
Cox & Johnson.....	160 Tremont street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
John J. Vogel.....	6 Primrose street.....	23	New fixtures.....	200
H. S. Trethewey...	147 Willow street.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
Edward J. Roach...	33 Stillman road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100

FEBRUARY 12.

Joseph P. Vogel & Son....	4 Otis street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$1,500
Edward H. Marchant.	83 Cornhill.....	5	New fixtures.....	250
M. T. Kelly.....	36 Fleet street.....	5	New fixtures.....	115
E. J. Farley.....	330 Market street.....	26	New fixtures.....	7,500
James A. Cotter...	100 Kemble street.....	12	New fixtures.....	300
Charles H. Smith...	2220 Washington street...	12	New fixtures.....	75

FEBRUARY 13.

Cornelius Mahoney....	26 Common street.....	4	New fixtures...	\$200
Edward Moore & Co.	55 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	400
James A. Wright....	74 Chapman street.....	3	New fixtures.....	750
H. E. Blaisdell....	15 Baldwin street.....	24	New fixtures.....	171
George C. Tangren...	8 Mill street.....	20	New fixtures.....	325
Albert N. Hird....	661 Washington street...	21	New fixtures.....	200
W. G. Cornell Company	284 Dartmouth street...	8	New fixtures.....	800
M. W. Nelligan.....	1406 Columbia road.....	4	New fixtures.....	300
Thomas J. Hennigan	41 Mt. Vernon street...	4	New fixtures.....	225
K. W. McManus....	1614 Blue Hill avenue...	21	New fixtures.....	150
J. W. Bateman....	711 East Broadway.....	10	New fixtures.....	150
M. Pass & Co.....	25 South Russell street...	8	New fixtures.....	1,800
B. A. McDonald....	22 Gilman street.....	24	New fixtures...	500

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Petroleum Heat and Power Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the installation of oil-burning equipment at the repair shop of the Boston Fire Department to February 29, 1924.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

The Union Water Meter Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for furnishing water meters to the Public Works Department, from December 31, 1923, to February 1, 1924.

BOSTON CITIZENS TO PAY TRIBUTE TO LATE PRESIDENT WILSON ON FEBRUARY 17.

WILL LINK THREE GREAT AMERICANS IN MEMORABLE CELEBRATION OF LINCOLN'S AND WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAYS. ELABORATE PLANS MADE FOR SYMPHONY HALL MEETING.

A committee of the Public Celebration Association, acting in co-operation with the Director of Public Celebrations, by sanction of the Mayor, have in hand the arrangements for the public meeting of Sunday afternoon, February 17, 1924.

Originally this was to have been the pioneer effort by the city to pay tribute to Washington and Lincoln, but which will now also include a tribute to the late President Wilson, thus linking three great Americans in a manner that some present-day prophets foresee will be the verdict of history.

The original plans for Washington-Lincoln memorial exercises will be carried out, but into the previously arranged program will be placed a special tribute to Wilson. When the suggestion for such a public patriotic gathering was first given serious attention by the Mayor, he decided that one meeting midway between Lincoln Day and Washington's Birthday was the practical plan. This, as it happened, was the same recommendation that had been made on several occasions during the past several years by the Public Celebration Association.

Arrangements were well under way when the death of President Wilson made fitting an official memorial meeting, and the Mayor decided that it should be combined as indicated rather than as a separate gathering, and the director and committee have so arranged their program.

There will be several unusual features about this meeting. It is the first time such a meeting for honors to our first and our Civil War presidents has been held under city auspices. Usually such official gatherings are held in Faneuil Hall, but it was believed that general interest would lead to an attendance far greater than the capacity of that shrine of liberty, which, in view of the newer feature, is still more probable. Heretofore neither Washington nor Lincoln have been given special recognition in any form in which the people of the city might join, as they may on this occasion, subject only to the capacity of the auditorium. And even this will not limit the listeners who have access to radio communication. The hand of death, coming as it did, has added another distinctive feature to the occasion.

As due recognition by the rising generation of and acquaintance with the groundwork upon which the United States has been advanced to its present world status, efforts were started early to insure a satisfactory participation in the events of the day by children of the public schools. With this desire of the director and committee, Superintendent Burke and Assistant Superintendent Rafter were especially in accord.

Consequently the Symphony Hall program of the afternoon of the 17th will include a great chorus of 600 chil-

dren selected from several of the city school districts, who are now in training, together with a school orchestra of 60 pieces. John A. O'Shea, Director of Music for the public schools, besides supervising these musical preparations, will personally render an organ recital which will precede the official program, while the audience is assembling.

Not only will the schools be conspicuous in the observance as indicated, but the color guard and the corps of ushers will be high school cadets; and four individual participants in the program will be boys selected from four city high schools. James M. Curley, Jr., son of the Mayor, from Public Latin School, will read "Washington's Farewell Address," Chandler M. Wright from the English High School will read "Lincoln's Gettysburg Address." John Arnold Brice from the High School of Commerce will read a tribute to Lincoln.

Owing to the absence of Mayor Curley he will not be able to preside as is customary for Mayors to do on such official gatherings under municipal auspices. In his place will serve the veteran ex-Mayor Thomas N. Hart who has accepted the invitation to act as presiding officer for the occasion. This in itself will be a notable feature of the meeting, for Mr. Hart is not so often seen at such public gatherings as he used to be. His continued keen interest in the affairs of city and nation, and his desire to aid in the success of this particular meeting has caused him to depart from his custom. Mayor Hart will be introduced by Hon. E. Mark Sullivan, Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston. The orator will be Hon. David I. Walsh, United States senator from Massachusetts and a former governor of the Commonwealth. The invocation will be pronounced by Rev. Edward A. Horton, chaplain of the State Senate, for so many years the great and venerable citizen whose life has been devoted to civic and spiritual leadership.

The finale of the meeting will be a ceremony of honors to the flag, with salute to the colors, pledge of allegiance by entire audience, and "Star-Spangled Banner" to be sung by the chorus. The entire program will be broadcasted by radio from Station WNAC.

The members of the Washington-Lincoln committee of the Public Celebration Association, co-operating with the Director of Public Celebration, J. Philip O'Connell, as is customary on various holidays observed by the city, is as follows: Edward L. Curran, chairman; E. B. Mero, secretary; James H. Phelan, John J. Keenan, John B. Archibald, Henry J. D. Small, Merle R. Griffith, Harry N. Guterman, George W. Tupper, William H. Keene, Frank Leveroni, Frank Chouteau Brown, Joseph A. F. O'Neil, Wilfred F. Kelley, Louis Watson.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

John W. Hudson, 79 Beacon street, Ward 24, maintenance two cars.

Arthur F. McIntosh, 6 Monson street, Ward 21, two cars.

Kathryn Pearlman, 107 Bynner street, Ward 14, two cars.

Jessie Todd, Crestwood Park, Ward 16, two cars.

John F. Shaw, 108 Allston street, Ward 25, garage, three units, three cars.

James A. Dorsey *et al.*, 20 Dacia street, Ward 17, public garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Fensgate Realty Company, 534-538 Beacon street, Ward 8, 3,000 gallons fuel oil.

Goodwin & Harrington, 971-973 Bennington street, Ward 1, acetylene and oxygen.

Edison Electric Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Frederika street, Ward 20, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Lothrop street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

Edison Company, East Fifth street, Ward 10, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Winthrop street, Ward 24, erect one pole.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, High street, Wards 3-4, erect four poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Walter street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Everett street, Ward 20, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Damrell street, Ward 11, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Wilmot street, Ward 24, erect two poles.

Edison Company & New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Decatur street, Ward 2, erect one pole.

Edison Company & New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Havre street, Ward 2, erect one pole.

Edison Company & New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Paris street, Ward 2, erect one pole.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

The Boston Retirement Board submits the following report of retirements for the month of January:

Boston, February 6, 1924.

To the Auditor:

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board held on January 16, 1924, the retirement from active service of the following named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at close of business Thursday, January 31, 1924:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Lizzie Buchter, chambermaid, salary at time of retirement, \$18 a week.

William A. Woodworth, carpenter, salary at time of retirement, \$5.25 a day.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Martin Finaghty, gardener, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Paving Service.

Cornelius J. Collins, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

John J. Tarpey, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Martin Norton, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Patrick Danehy, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Bridge Service.

Frederic P. Spalding, assistant engineer, salary at time of retirement, \$2,400 a year.

Sanitary Service.

Daniel Gallagher, teamster, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

George A. Ham, captain and wharfinger, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Thomas Crompton, painter and glazier, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

John C. Smith, weigher, salary at time of retirement, \$1,500 a year.

Sewer Service.

Edward McLaughlin, foreman, salary at time of retirement, \$2,000 a year.

Street Cleaning Service.

Charles A. Gould, teamster, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Water Division, Distribution Branch.

Eugene T. Shea, repairer, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

James F. Donovan, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Overseers of the Public Welfare.

Charles A. Stoddard, visitor, salary at time of retirement, \$2,000 a year.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Business Agent.

James Frederic Sayer, assistant, salary at time of retirement, \$41 a week.

Bigelow School.

William F. Griffin, custodian, salary at time of retirement, \$45 a week net; \$65.68 a week gross.

Charles Sumner School.

William L. Lovejoy, custodian, salary at time of retirement, \$35 a week net; \$35.31 a week gross.

Ellen H. Richards School.

Frank P. Bartlett, custodian, salary at time of retirement, \$27.50 a week net; \$28.52 a week gross.

Elihu Greenwood School.

Ewen C. Cameron, custodian, salary at time of retirement, \$35 a week net; \$37.04 a week gross.

Frederick Whitney School.

Augustus Robinson, custodian, salary at time of retirement, \$32.50 a week net; \$32.44 a week gross.

Gilbert Stuart School.

Asa C. Hawes, custodian, salary at time of retirement, \$45 a week net; \$68.91 a week gross.

Oliver Holden School.

John P. Swift, custodian, salary at time of retirement, \$14.50 a week net; \$14.50 a week gross.

William E. Russell School.

Albion Elwell, custodian, salary at time of retirement, \$45 a week net; \$57.86 a week gross.

Attest:

WILFRED J. DOYLE,
Chairman.

LIST OF PETITIONS FOR HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18.

NAME.	Location	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Ida Goldstein et al.....	58 Greenwood street.....	19	One car.
Anna Blake Quigley....	48 Magnolia street.....	17	One car.
Conrad Adams, Jr., et al..	23 Symmes street.....	23	Two cars.
Adolf Bahm.....	108 Southern avenue.....	21	Two cars.
May Bukis.....	345 Baker street.....	23	Two cars.
Cora L. Burbank.....	33 Hobson street.....	26	Two cars.
Elizabeth Fischer.....	28 Sheffield road.....	23	Two cars.
Grace L. Hayward.....	416 Adams street.....	20	Two cars.
Cora B. Hutchins.....	195 West Selden street.....	21	Two cars additional.
Kenneth J. Matheson.....	108 Church street.....	23	Two cars.
Abe Sacks.....	48 Waumbeck street.....	16	Two cars.
Fannie Shulman.....	175 Glenway street.....	19	Two cars.
Groce Verrochi.....	50 Wales place.....	18	One car additional.
Joseph M. Boyle et al.....	165 Highland street.....	15	Three two-car units.
Thomas Martin Broderick.....	30 Linden street.....	23	Three cars.
J. Weisman.....	28 Clarkwood street.....	21	Three cars.
Albert W. Mayers.....	68 Marine road.....	10	Group garage, three units four cars.
Jessie Todd.....	3 Crestwood park.....	16	Five garages, eleven cars.
William T. Condry.....	2009 Centre street.....	23	3,000 gallons gasoline.
Louis Shapiro.....	644 Warren street.....	16	500 gallons gasoline.
Frank Viafora.....	263 Adams street.....	20	1,000 gallons gasoline.
Joseph Rittenberg.....	307-327 Talbot avenue, etc.....	21	3,000 gallons fuel oil.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during week ending February 9:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
New York Building Wrecking Company.....	101-105 Beverly street (2)...	5	Stables, sheds.....	New building.
New York Building Wrecking Company.....	201-207 Causeway street...	5	Storage.....	New building.
Swift, McNutt Company.....	80 Pond street.....	22	Dwelling.....	New building.
New England Contracting Company.....	1524 and 1526 Columbus ave.	15	Dwellings.....	New building.
Aetna Wrecking Company.....	438 and 440 East Third st....	9	Dwellings.....	Unsafe.
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	317 and 319 Cambridge st....	5	Tenements.....	Street widening.
City Building Wrecking Company.....	68 Moreland street.....	12	Dwelling.....	Unsafe.

ASSESSMENTS BY THE STREET COMMISSIONERS FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS.

BOARDMAN STREET, EAST BOSTON.

East Boston Company.....	\$125 00
East Boston Company.....	112 54
East Boston Company.....	64 92
East Boston Company.....	52 12
East Boston Company.....	327 16
East Boston Company.....	156 84
Francisco P. Ricci.....	297 44
Antoinetta Oberli.....	106 00
Pietro Caruso.....	122 04
Mary Bonugli.....	105 60
Francesco DeMarchi.....	40 00
Francesco DeMarchi.....	128 00
Francesco DeMarchi.....	200 00
Francesco DeMarchi.....	200 00
Ralph DeLeo.....	200 00
Michele Solari.....	200 00
Joseph Romeo.....	200 00
Carmello Capitto.....	100 00
Geremio Sacco.....	75 00
Amelia Massa.....	50 00
Mary Cicco.....	60 84
Geromino Sacco.....	73 66
Michele Sacco.....	75 08

John Sacco, Angelina Sacco.....	93 56
Giacomo Cucchiarella.....	100 00
Pasquale LaVita, Anna LaVita.....	100 00
Sabato Sparico.....	170 00
Antonio Puzo.....	180 00
Ciriaco Pucillo.....	180 00
James Cipoletta.....	180 00
Maria Roffo.....	180 00
Geremino Sacco.....	180 00
Manziato Romeo.....	135 00
Domenico Famulari.....	135 00
Julia Perrone.....	135 00
Torina Cataldo.....	135 12
Theresa M. Vesce.....	150 97
East Boston Company.....	1,304 00
Tony Silva.....	200 00
Joseph Silva.....	200 00
Giuseppe Visconte.....	400 00
Harry P. Chadwick, T.T.....	500 00
East Boston Company.....	3,344 00
Orient Heights Playground, City of Boston.....	14,486 68
Angelina Sacco.....	136 00
Michele Sacco.....	136 00
Michele Sacco.....	158 00
Michele Sacco.....	82 24
Theresa M. Frederick.....	151 90
Total.....	\$26,225 71

AUDITOR CARVEN AGAIN REPLIES TO SHATTUCK.

The following communication was sent to the office of Henry L. Shattuck at noon, February 9:

MR. HENRY L. SHATTUCK, 82 Devonshire Street, Boston, Mass.

DEAR SIR,—I thank you for copy of your address received last evening and also acknowledge the receipt of a letter from you presumably in answer to my statement appearing in the public press.

You say that I disputed only one figure in your original statement, namely, the error of \$2,000,000 in the decrease of the net debt from January 31, 1909, to January 31, 1922. This error you gracefully acknowledge, but I am at a loss to understand why you did not acknowledge other errors pointed out to you in my statement, for example, your false charge of the Elevated repayments of \$372,000 and \$790,000 having "gone into increased municipal expenditure," whereas I clearly indicated that these amounts were made available to the assessors for the reduction of the tax levy. Again, you erred in charging Mayor Curley with being responsible for debt issued in both years of his present administration, and a fair reading of my statement, as it appears in the public press, would indicate that \$1,923,000 of the debt issued in 1922-23 and \$269,000 of the debt issued in 1923-24 were for permanent improvements authorized previous to his taking office as Mayor and for which he was absolutely not responsible.

These illustrations are sufficient to indicate that your communication to me was not based on a careful reading of my statement, as I am quite satisfied that your sense of fair play would have prompted you to acknowledge these errors.

Having abandoned your comparison of the decrease in net debt for a period of thirteen years, you attempt a new comparison of seven years, which apparently was conveniently selected by you as indicating a reduction in the net debt of \$8,381,669.02. This decrease is substantial, but you failed to take into account that during part of this seven year period the city curtailed its borrowings upon the urgent request of the federal government to suspend all possible permanent improvements as a result of financial conditions due to the World War, and as a consequence of this curtailment the amount borrowed inside the limit in each of the last three years has been greater than in any year since 1913 with but one exception. You further failed to point out that since the war costs of all permanent improvements have increased tremendously and are, of course, reflected in the increased net debt.

Your reference to what I may think is "light comedy" further convinces me that you did not carefully read my original statement; otherwise you would not have made the suggestion that you did. If "he shakes the plum tree," "There are presents for all," "while the Mayor puts the bait of a lower tax rate in the show window," "he would pick the flowers," and similar quotations are not light comedy then I fail to appreciate comedy.

You point out that a larger borrowing program "would do more to increase rents and to destroy the equities of own-

ers of small homes than any other thing imaginable." If a larger program of permanent improvements is necessary to the development of the city, how can such improvements come about with the least hardship to the house owner other than through long-term borrowing?

To follow your policy of constructing permanent improvements out of the current tax levy would be either to abandon improvements generally or include in the tax levy in each year such amounts as would make the owners of small homes wish they had never purchased them. Would you have the present taxpayer assume his yearly share of the debt obligations for a generation past as well as to assume the total cost of all permanent improvements in the year within which they are authorized? If this is your program then the present taxpayer should be pitied and the taxpayer of the future should be congratulated.

You ask if I am sure in figuring the net debt of the city that it is legal to deduct betterments pledged for the reduction of debt. While I am no lawyer, I have no hesitation in stating that, in my opinion, it is absolutely legal. If you should ask me if it is proper accounting procedure, I unhesitatingly declare it to be sound practice.

Very truly yours,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
City Auditor.

TRANSFERS IN APPROPRIATIONS.

City Auditor Rupert S. Carven announces the following transfers in appropriations in departments of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk, indorsed by Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox and approved by his Honor the Mayor:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

Boston, February 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—At a meeting of the trustees of the Boston Sanatorium held on February 5, 1924, it was voted that the Mayor be asked to make the following transfers within the appropriation of this department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Assistant Resident Medical Officers, 4 at \$1,200 per year, \$383.34; Head Nurses of Wards, 8 at \$900-\$960 per year, \$360; Male Nurses, 13 at \$480-\$540 per year, \$385.34; Choremen, 15 at \$600 per year, \$703.03; Assistant Farmers or Laborers, 7 at \$600 per year, \$480; Maids, 14 at \$360-\$468 per year, \$793.31; B-1, Printing and Binding, \$202.01, to the appropriation for D-3, Fuel, \$3,307.03.

From A-1, Permanent Employees, Coal Passer, 1 at \$28 per week, \$40.22, to Nurses, 28 at \$900 per year, \$40.22.

From Assistant Bookkeepers and Clerks, 2 at \$900 to \$1,000 per year, \$98.67, to Assistant Cooks, 5 at \$480 per year, \$98.67.

From Superintendent of Playgrounds, 1 at \$60 per month, \$6.11, to Baker, 1 at \$1,200 per year, \$6.11.

From Superintendent of Playgrounds, 1 at \$60 per month, \$6.18, to A-3, Unassigned, \$6.18.

From Assistant Physicians, 15 at \$450 per year, \$90.27, to B-8, Light and Power, \$90.27.

From Laundresses, 14 at \$420 per year, \$54.08, to B-13, Communication, \$54.08.
From Laundresses, 14 at \$420 per year, \$81.36, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$81.36.

From Nurses (O. P. D.), 32 at \$1,400 to \$1,500 per year, \$203.32, to D-16, General Plant, \$203.32.

From C-12, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$177.33; D-5, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$570.72; D-8, Laundry Cleaning, Toilet, \$613.17, to D-2, Food and Ice, \$1,361.22.

From E-1, Building, \$226.34, to B-39, General Plant, \$226.34.

Yours truly,

JAMES I. MINOT,
Secretary.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Boston, February 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The following transfers are necessary to provide for items short in the budget of the Collecting Department:

Tax Division.

From A-1, 1 Teller at \$2,800, \$10.50, to A-1, 4 Clerks at \$1,400, \$5.60; 20 Deputy Collectors at \$2,000, \$4.90.

From A-1, 1 Teller at \$2,800, \$44.30; 1 Clerk at \$1,700, \$200.40; 5 Clerks at \$1,700-\$1,800, \$64.11; 2 Clerks at \$1,600, \$27.33; 1 Clerk at \$1,200, \$55.10; 3 Constables at \$1,400, \$364.38; B-39, General Plant, \$415.59; Reserve Fund, \$3,796.01—\$4,967.22, to A-3, Unassigned, Emergency, \$4,967.22.

From B-29, Stenographic, etc., \$5.17, to B-2, Postage, \$5.17.

From B-3, Advertising, etc., \$391; B-4, Transportation, \$117.85; B-12, Premiums on Bonds, \$336.43; Reserve Fund, \$169.02—\$1,014.30, to B-35, Fees, Services of Venires, etc., \$1,014.30.

From B-29, Stenography, Copying, etc., \$245.43; B-39, General Plant, \$129.57—\$375, to C-9, Office Equipment, \$574.

From B-39, General Plant, \$237.78; D-2, Food and Ice, \$136.14; Reserve Fund, \$373.88—\$747.80, to D-1, Office Supplies, \$747.80.

Water Division.

From A-1, 1 Teller and Bookkeeper at \$2,000, \$43.64; 6 Clerks at \$1,700-\$1,800, \$24.66; 2 Clerks at \$1,600, \$37.77—\$106.07, to B-12, Premiums on Bonds, \$106.07.

From A-1, 2 Clerks at \$1,600, \$85.21; 2 Clerks at \$1,400, \$31.99; 3 (8) Clerks at \$1,000, \$13.75; A-2, Temporary Employees, \$0.36; A-3, Unassigned, Emergency, \$54; B-2, Postage, \$0.08; D-2, Food and Ice, \$6.63—\$192.02, to D-1, Office Supplies, \$192.02.

Very truly yours,

WM. M. McMORROW,
City Collector.

These transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 31, 1924.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Wire Division.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—Below please find amount which I desire to have transferred within the Fire Department, Wire Division, appropriation for the year 1923-24, in order

that the bill account for the Wire Division for the year 1923-24 may be closed (deficit, due to increase in amount of work):
From budget item C-4, to budget item D-11, \$31.95.

Yours respectfully,
THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.
The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, February 8, 1924.
HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:
DEAR SIR,—To provide against deficiencies under certain items in the budget schedule appropriations for the Library Department, transfers are respectfully requested from items under which there are surpluses, as follows:
From B-2, Postage, \$28, to B-3, Advertising, \$28.
From D-10, Agricultural Supplies, \$200, to D-1, Office Supplies, \$200.
From B-39, General Plant Repairs, \$100, to E-13, General Material, \$100.

Very respectfully,
THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
ARTHUR T. CONNOLLY,
President.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, February 11, 1924.
HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request that the following transfers be made within the appropriation of the Suffolk County Courthouse, County Buildings, to meet deficits in the bills already in the hands of the City Auditor for the Supplemental Draft of January 31, 1924:
From the appropriation for B-8, Light and Power, \$129.39, to the appropriation for C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$102.20; E-10, Electrical, \$27.19—\$129.39.
From C-3, Electrical Equipment, \$536.93, to B-39, General Plant, \$536.93.

Respectfully yours,
FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
Central Office.
BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:
Please make the following transfers in the appropriation for Public Works Department, Central Office:
From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerks, 4 at \$1,500—\$1,600 per year, \$206.40, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerks, 3 at \$2,000 per year, \$9.28; Clerk, 1 at \$1,800, \$117.08; Blueprinters, 2 at \$1,300—\$1,400 per year, \$80.04.
From B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$66.87, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repair and Care, \$14.87; B-28, Expert and Architect, \$52.
From D-2, Food and Ice, \$246.45, to D-1, Office, \$246.45.

From D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$45.02, to D-1, Office, \$45.02.
These transfers are to cover deficits at the end of the financial year.
Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor, January 31, 1924.
ASSOCIATE MEDICAL EXAMINER SERVICE.
Southern Division.
BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:
DEAR SIR,—The following transfers are requested on the Southern District:
From B-4 to B-5, \$18.
From B-4 to B-35, \$17.
From B-4 to D-1, \$5.90.
Total, \$40.90.
Very sincerely yours,
W. H. WATTERS,
Associate Medical Examiner.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.
MUNICIPAL COURT, SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.
SOUTH BOSTON, February 8, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:
SIR,—The following transfers of the appropriations of the above-named court are necessary to meet bills rendered.
From B-13, Communication, \$12.13, to D-1, Office Supplies, \$4.13; B-4, Trans-perfection of Persons, \$8.
Respectfully,
ADRIAN B. SMITH,
Clerk.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

MUNICIPAL COURT, SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.
SOUTH BOSTON, January 28, 1924.
HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:
DEAR SIR,—In order to take care of increases in salaries, a transfer of the sum of \$74.47 to A-1, in the appropriations for this court is necessary.
From Court Officers, 2 at \$1,800—\$2,000 a year, \$74.47, to Judge, \$3,500 (\$3,900), \$32; Clerk, \$2,640 (\$2,925), \$23.75; Assistant Clerk, \$1,968.75 (\$2,193.75), \$18.72—\$74.47.

Yours respectfully,
ADRIAN B. SMITH,
Clerk.
The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

SUFFOLK COUNTY COURT HOUSE,
BOSTON, February 6, 1924.
To the City Auditor:
DEAR SIR,—To cover a shortage in the budget, Suffolk County Courthouse, for 1923-24, I request transfer as follows:
From B-18 to B-13, Suffolk County, Courthouse Custodian, \$171.83.
Yours very truly,
JOHN A. KELIHER,
Sheriff of Suffolk County.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor, January 31, 1924.

MUNICIPAL COURT, BRIGHTON DISTRICT.
BOSTON, January 11, 1924.
HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Receiving information to the effect that the appropriation of this court under heading A-1, Permanent Employees, would be insufficient to take care of expenses, his Honor, Judge Thomas H. Connelly respectfully requests that \$29.17 be transferred from the appropriation for this court under heading A-2, Temporary Employees, to take care of the said deficit, the appropriation for A-2 being sufficient to stand this withdrawal, and it appearing that the said deficit has been caused by virtue of the passage of chapter 479 of the Acts of 1923 raising the judge's salary from \$2,900 to \$3,100 and the clerk's from \$2,175 to \$2,325, to take effect on January 1, 1924.
Yours very truly,
DANIEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
Clerk.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

MUNICIPAL COURT, DORCHESTER DISTRICT.
BOSTON, January 22, 1924.
MR. RUPERT S. CARVEN,
City Auditor:

DEAR SIR,—Will you kindly have a transfer made in the budget of this court as indicated:
From A-2, Clerical Assistance, \$136, to A-1, Permanent Employees, to meet expenses for the month of January, 1924 (Acts 1923, chapter 479), Salary for Justice, Clerk and Assistant Clerk.
Very truly yours,
ALPHEUS E. SANFORD,
Clerk.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.
BOSTON, February 9, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:
DEAR SIR,—I would respectfully request that the following transfers be made to balance accounts of the budget for the past financial year.
Transfer \$41.16 from B-4 to B-13.
Transfer \$9.44 from C-9 to C-10.
Transfer \$5.43 from D-2 to G-1.
Yours truly,
MAURICE J. O'CONNELL,
Clerk.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor, January 31, 1924.

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY STATISTICS.

In 1920, registered voters, 118,200; total Democratic vote, 9,708; total Republican vote, 11,710. In 1916, Democratic vote, 6,887; Republican vote, 19,371. In 1920 only 18.12 per cent of the registered voters voted; in 1916 the corresponding per cent was 22.84; in 1912 it was 41.90. Comparison shows a notable decline of interest in this experiment.

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending February 9, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States Census Bureau, 776,783.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 186; nonresidents, 28; total, 214.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.37; nonresidents deducted, 12.49.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: Last week, 14.03; corresponding week last year, 17.88.
Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 28; one year to five years, inclusive, 4; sixty years and over, 71; total deaths, male, 106; female, 108; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 90; deaths of colored, 7.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 9, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 10, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	1	1
Diphtheria.....	86	5	43	5
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	1	—
Influenza.....	4	1	29	9
Measles.....	157	—	121	3
Meningitis epidemic.....	2	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	31	9	72	42
Scarlet fever.....	124	1	91	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	38	17	28	10
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	1	—	8	4
Typhoid fever.....	—	—	2	—
Whooping cough.....	2	—	78	6

* Residents and nonresidents included.

FINANCE COMMISSION REPORTS ON PURCHASE OF LAND IN PARK SQUARE FOR NEW POLICE HEADQUARTERS.

BOSTON, February 9, 1924.
To the Honorable the City Council:
GENTLEMEN,—By chapter 289 of the Acts of 1923 the City of Boston was authorized, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the City Council, to borrow outside the debt limit a sum not exceeding \$1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring land in the city and erecting a police headquarters thereon. This act received the approval of the City Council on the thirtieth day of April, and of the Mayor on the first day of May, 1923.
The necessary funds thus being made available, the duty of selecting the general locality in the city where the new building was to be located devolved upon the Police Commissioner. Under the law the Police Commissioner must designate the size of the lot and the neighborhood or district within which it shall be located.
After much consideration the Police Commissioner decided that the new police headquarters should be located in the Park Square section, so called, and in the early autumn of 1923 communicated his decision to the Mayor. He called to the attention of the Mayor the vacant land in the Park Square section and particularly a parcel on Stuart street owned by the trustees of the Park Square Real Estate Trust, lying between the Edison Company's plant and the Massachusetts Automobile Club.
The Park Square trustees offered this parcel which fronted 90 feet on Stuart street and extended 150 feet to a common passageway in the rear, a total of

about 13,500 feet, at \$15 a foot. This location and parcel were acceptable to the Police Commissioner. Prices on other lots in the vicinity were also obtained, viz., 22,000 square feet at the corner of Berkeley street and Columbus avenue, on which there is a building known as the Hoffman House, for \$440,000, or \$20 a square foot; also the land occupied by the Academy of Notre Dame, on the corner of St. James avenue, Berkeley and Providence streets, containing 26,500 square feet, for \$650,000, or about \$24.50 a square foot. The two latter parcels were too large for the purposes of the Police Commissioner, and the owners would not sell less than the whole. To be sure, the city would not have to take any more of this land than it required, but the effect of such taking upon the balance might result in a cost to the city very much in excess of the rate submitted by the owners for the whole parcel. The Police Commissioner was desirous of keeping the cost of the land within such bounds as would leave the largest possible amount of the \$1,000,000 available for constructing the building. The Mayor declined to approve the Stuart street lot suggested by the Police Commissioner, because he believed the police building should be on a prominent corner location.
The Mayor, in the late autumn of 1923, selected the lot belonging to the Park Square trustees, at the southwest corner of Berkeley and Stuart streets, containing 17,254 square feet. This plot contains about 6,000 feet more than is necessary for the proposed building, but as the building is to be set back from the street line of both Stuart and Berkeley streets, the building will not occupy any more of the ground space than was

originally proposed by the Police Commissioner, viz., 11,000 to 12,000 square feet. The excess land to provide for setting the building back from the street not only cost the city \$125,000, but reduced by that sum the amount available for constructing the building.
The representative of the trustees of the Park Square Trust, under date of October 31, 1923, informed the Police Commissioner in writing that the price of the land at the southwest corner of Berkeley and Stuart streets, the one finally selected by the Mayor, was \$25 a square foot, but that the trustees would be willing to sell it to the city for \$22.50 a square foot.
The Police Commissioner testified that he communicated this information to the Mayor before the lot was selected and sent a copy of the letter containing this information to the Street Commissioners before they made a taking of this land.
The Police Commissioner having designated the locality and the size and requirements of the building for his department, and the Mayor having designated the particular land to be taken, the Street Commissioners advertised and held a public hearing on the matter on January 11, 1924. At this meeting no opposition appeared to the proposed taking, and on the same day the Street Commissioners voted to take the land and to award the owners damages at the rate of \$22.50 a square foot. This action of the Street Commissioners was consummated by their filing in the Registry of Deeds on January 14, 1924, a statement of their action, as required by law.
The damages awarded by the Street Commissioners were accepted by the trustees of the Park Square Trust on the fourteenth day of January, 1924, and the sum of \$377,765 paid on January 25, this being the amount of the award—viz., \$387,765—less \$10,000 retained by the city as the probable sum that would be levied by the city as a betterment to the property because of the widening and extension of Stuart street.
In 1917 the trustees of the Park Square Trust purchased certain land in the Park Square section, formerly belonging to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. This land was either vacant at the time of purchase or such buildings as were on it were razed shortly thereafter by the trustees. The parcel of land taken by the Street Commissioners for police headquarters was assessed in the years 1917 to 1921, both inclusive, at \$173,000, or \$10 a square foot.
In 1922 the entire holdings of the Park Square trustees, all vacant land and practically non-income bearing, was increased in valuation for taxation by the assessors from \$2,360,900 to \$3,996,500—that is, an increase of \$1,625,600, or 70 per cent. On the parcel that was taken for police headquarters the assessed value was increased from \$10 to \$15 a foot. Nearly a year after this increased assessment, but within the time for filing a petition for abatement, the chairman of the trustees of the Park Square Trust testified that he appeared before the assessors and stated that the trust was being "taxed out of existence by raising the assessment on vacant land 70 per cent, which we can't sell, which we have been trying to improve, and

struggling to help the city by improving. We can't afford it." He made a sworn statement that the value of the entire property of the trustees was \$2,910,875 and that the value of the lot which the city had taken was \$226,250, or \$13 a foot.

The assessors took the matter under advisement and later modified their increase on the entire holding of the trustees by reducing the increase in assessed valuation from \$1,635,600 to \$798,100. This assessment establishment by the assessors in 1922 remained the same in 1923.

Neal J. Holland, acting chairman of the Board of Assessors, testified before the Finance Commission that the assessors rarely assessed vacant land for its full value when it is non-income bearing. In case of large holders of vacant land, like the trustees of the Park Square Trust, the policy is to assess under the real value; that in 1922, when the assessors increased the assessed value on the holdings of the Park Square Trust in the sum of \$1,625,600, they did it primarily because of the Stuart street improvement, but upon the application of the trustees for an abatement they reduced it by \$800,000 on the ground that the original increase was too much for a single year.

The Street Commissioners employed Mr. John Beck, the real estate expert for the City of Boston, to appraise the location designated by the Mayor as the site for police headquarters. In order to aid the Street Commissioners in determining the damages to be awarded Mr. Beck submitted the following report on the day of the public hearing on the taking of the property:

BOSTON, January 11, 1924.

MR. JOHN H. L. NOYES, *Chairman, Street Commission*, City Hall Annex, Boston Mass.:

DEAR SIR,—In accordance with your request I have examined the lot to be taken for Police Headquarters, containing 17,254 square feet of land, located on the southwesterly side of Berkeley street, between Stuart street and Stanhope street, and consider it worth from \$20 to \$25 a square foot.

The lot, opposite the Salada Tea Company, bounded by three streets, and the Edison fireproof transforming station, practically free from fire risk, and in close proximity to the Park Square office building, the John Hancock Building, and the Statler Hotel site, is centrally located, being in immediate communication with the great arteries of travel, such as Columbus avenue, Huntington avenue and Boylston street. It has a large frontage on Stuart street, the new radial highway to the west that expedites traffic to and from downtown, and which is largely responsible for the development of the Park square section for big building enterprises and the great rise in land values from Washington street to Huntington avenue.

Two lots at Arlington street, Providence street and St. James avenue, aggregating 16,655 square feet of land (now part of the Park Square office building lot which totals 45,336 square feet) were purchased about two years ago for \$31 a square foot. Said office building, when fully rented, should show a gross annual return of approximately \$1,000,000, or \$2.50 a square foot for the 400,000 square feet of rentable space, and net about \$600,000 or 10 per cent on

\$6,000,000, showing a land value of nearly \$50 a square foot after deducting value of building.

The Statler Hotel site was bought about a year ago for \$1,500,000, or \$26 a square foot for the 57,651 square feet of land. The price of \$26 a square foot was due to the large amount of land delivered to one purchaser, as a lot of 1,803 square feet at the corner of Stuart street and Columbus avenue was sold about seven years ago for \$50 a square foot. A lot of 20,000 square feet at the corner of Stuart street and Trinity place is now under agreement of sale to the University Club at \$20 a square foot, and although it is splendidly located for clubhouse or hotel purposes, I consider the proposed Police Headquarters site superior for general development, and believe that the land, due to fronting on Berkeley street, a thoroughfare that is growing in importance, and its proximity to Park square has, in addition to its present worth, great potential value, and that it will show a more material increase each year than land on Stuart street between Clarendon street and Copley square.

Two buildings, one a very old one-story and basement brick repair shop, and the other, a gasoline station, occupy a small part of the proposed site, and add little or no value to the land.

Very truly yours,

JOHN BECK.

Mr. Beck based his report upon his own knowledge of real estate values and sales in that section of the city over a period of twenty years, upon rumors and statements made by other real estate men, and upon information obtained from the representative of the Park Square Trust trustees as to what the trustees had received for sales that they had made in that section.

He testified that he did not know when he appraised the property that it had been offered by the representative of the Park Square Trust trustees to the city at \$22.50 a foot.

Mr. Becker further testified that he did not tell the representative of the Park Square Trust trustees that he was appraising the property for the Street Commissioners. The representative of the Park Square Trust trustees testified that while Mr. Beck did not tell him that he represented the city, he knew that he was the city's real estate expert.

The Finance Commission has no power to change awards that have been made by the Street Commissioners for the taking of land or to change valuations established by the assessors for the purpose of taxation. An award of damages made by the Street Commissioners affects two parties—the City of Boston, which is to pay the award, and the party who is entitled to the award. If the damages awarded are accepted by the party entitled thereto and payment is made by the city, the matter is ended. If, however, the award is not acceptable to the party damaged, he may appeal within one year to the Superior Court and have the damages fixed by a jury. The city in its corporate capacity has a similar right of appeal. The Street Commissioners who make the award are agents for the city and are not the city in its corporate capacity. The city in its corporate capacity is represented by the Mayor and City Council and either may initiate action which may result in an appeal by the city, but an appeal can be taken only on the joint action of

both the Council and the Mayor regardless of which initiates the action. In the present case the Mayor approved the award of the Street Commissioners and approved the payment of the award. In the interval, however, between the award of damages on the 11th day of January and the payment on the 25th of January, it was open to the City Council to initiate appeal proceedings, if it believed the award was excessive. If the Council had voted to appeal from the award of the Street Commissioners its action would have been also in the nature of an official protest to the Mayor of the award made by the Street Commissioners. If unsuccessful, by the nonconcurrence of the Mayor, the Council at least would have performed its duty and placed the responsibility for the amount of damages awarded entirely upon the Mayor, in the face of an official protest.

The foregoing procedure, the commission believes, is the only means by which damages awarded by the Street Commissioners, approved by the Mayor, acceptable to the owner of the land, but not in the interests of the city, can be reviewed by a court and jury.

It is important that the taxpayers understand that the Street Commissioners may award damages for land taken that are excessive, and that such damages, if accepted, will be paid by the city, if approved by the Mayor.

The Finance Commission recommends:

1. That the City Council, acting for the city in its corporate capacity, initiate appeal proceedings from any award of the Street Commissioners for the taking of land that appears to be excessive or not in the interests of the city.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 472.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Dailey and Hickey, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Joseph Schwartz of Division 20, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Joseph Schwartz perform one hundred and seventy hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 473.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Hickey and McDevitt, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Richard E. Keyes of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Richard E. Keyes perform one hundred and forty hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.
1924.

- Feb. 21. A Program for Washington's Birthday. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Charles F. Read, Clerk of the Bostonian Society. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Feb. 28. The World in its True Colors: A Travel-Talk. Helen Messinger Murdoch, F.R.P.S., illustrated with autochromes taken by the lecturer.
- Mar. 6. Italian Gardens. Robert N. Cram.
- Mar. 13. The Call of the Mountains. Le Roy Jeffers, Secretary, Associated Mountaineering Clubs of North America; Librarian, American Alpine Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 20. Our Guardians of Life and Property. (Motion pictures.) Speakers from the Boston Fire and Police Departments. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Mar. 27. Browning and Ruskin: Prophets of the Twentieth Century. Agnes Knox Black (Mrs. E. Charlton Black).
- Apr. 3. Gothic Grandeur: how Rheims Cathedral was built. Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J.
- Apr. 10. The Revelation of Spain. Ralph Adams Cram, Litt.D., LL.D.
- Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.
1924.

- Feb. 17. Organs and Choirs of Greater Boston. Henry C. Lahee. With lantern illustrations.
- Feb. 24. Shakespeare's Response to "What the Public Wants." John Livingston Lowes, Ph.L., Professor of English, Harvard University.
- Mar. 2. Expressionism in the Theatre. Albert H. Gilmer, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 9. Books and Life. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt.D.

* The programs arranged by the Conservation Bureau of the City of Boston will consist of motion pictures, silent informational screen talks, singing by the audience, and a brief address.

- Mar. 16. Master Music for Young People. Malcolm Lang. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 23. Fundamentals in the Theatre, Old and New. F. W. C. Hersey, A.M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 30. The Bible in Stained Glass. Joseph G. Reynolds, Jr. With lantern illustrations.
- Apr. 6. Recreational Opportunities of Boston. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Mrs. Eva W. White, General Director, Community Service of Boston. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations.
- Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A Program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

- 1924
- Feb. 25. Twenty-third Anniversary of the Boston Ruskin Club. Bonnie Scotland: The Land of Broom and Heather. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Mar. 10. Around the Bay of Naples. Miss Ellen C. Page. Illustrated.
- Mar. 24. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry Austin Higgins, Secretary, Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.
- Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)
- May 12. Annual Meeting.

THE NEW ENGLAND POETRY CLUB.

The following free talks in the Lecture Hall on the second Wednesdays of the month at 4.30 o'clock, with illustrative readings, are announced:

Some Influences in Modern American Poetry.

- 1924.
- Mar. 12. Carl Sandburg. Amy Lowell.
- Apr. 9. Robert Frost. Norreys Jephson O'Connor, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Mt. Holyoke College.

REPORT ON ROAD BUILDERS' CONVENTION.

The following is the report of Commissioner Joseph A. Rourke, on his attendance at the American Road Builders' Convention:

Boston, January 24, 1924.
To the Honorable the Mayor:

The writer attended the convention of the American Road Builders' Association at Chicago from January 14 to 18. The outstanding feature was an extensive exhibit of road building and maintenance equipment of all kinds, and an elaborate display recounting the activities of the United States Bureau of Public Roads, with valuable information with respect to road construction and scientific methods utilized for the investigations of that department.

Among the papers read at the convention sessions the writer was particularly interested in "The Outstanding Problems of Highway Bridge Design," "Smoothness as a Factor in Pavement Life" and "Traffic Surveys" by officials of the Bureau of Public Roads. There was also a paper on snow removal by the assistant engineer of the New Jersey State Highway Commission.

An instructive visit was made to the Calumet sewage pumping plant of the Sanitary District of Chicago, located just on the outskirts of the city, where the equipment, in part, comprises four 750 horse power oil engines direct connected to electric generators and centrifugal pumps motor operated and receiving current either from the oil engines or from transmission lines into the station.

The writer intended to visit the garbage incinerating plant in Charleston, W. Va., but on account of the excessive additional train riding required and the possibility of having things in better condition than might normally be expected, it was considered advisable to forego the trip.

Yours respectfully,
JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

INTERIOR WIRE INSPECTOR, BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT, FEBRUARY 20, 1924.

The salary is \$1,600 a year. Applicants should have had at least five years' experience as a practical journeyman electrician, and should be familiar with the rules and regulations of the Wire Division of the Boston Fire Department. Applicants must be not less than twenty-five years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; practical questions, 1; total, 2.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination which includes a strength test.

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending February 2, 1924: Population estimated, July, 1924, 776,783, United States Census estimate.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 177; nonresidents, 32; total, 209.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.03; nonresidents deducted, 11.88.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 14.37; corresponding week last year, 21.19.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 23; one year to five years, 9; sixty years and over, 84; total deaths, male, 112; female, 97; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 93; deaths of colored, 7.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 2, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 3, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
	1	5	1	1
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	86	5	96	6
Diphtheria.....		1	1	
Encephalitis lethargica.....			37	
Influenza.....	150	1	91	2
Measles.....	1		1	
Meningitis epidemic.....				
Pneumonia (lobar).....	22	8	57	31
Scarlet fever.....	161		58	3
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	39	7	35	12
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	8	1	7	1
Typhoid fever.....	4			
Whooping cough.....	13		108	5

* Residents and nonresidents included.

**SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS, BOSTON
PUBLIC LIBRARY, FEBRUARY 21, 1924.**

The salary is from \$3,000 to \$4,000 a year.

Applicants must be not less than thirty-five nor over fifty-five years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The superintendent will have supervision and direction of the engineers, firemen, electricians and others who run the engines and boilers, both steam and electric, dynamos which furnish light for the building, plumbing throughout the library, the electric fans connected with the ventilating system, the pneumatic tube service and the book railway system. Applicants should also have a knowledge of general repair work, and should be able to advise and make suggestions regarding repairs in the library and in those that are either owned by the city or are rented by the library authorities.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

**CLERK OF WORKS, BOSTON SCHOOLHOUSE
DEPARTMENT, FEBRUARY 27, 1924.**

The salary is \$1,900 a year.

It is desirable that applicants have had three years' experience in masonry construction. The duties of this position are in the nature of an observer for the department, resident on the work under construction. Applicants should be qualified to understand and read plans and specifications, be able to report intelligently upon the character of the work and workmanship and have a general knowledge of all construction materials entering into the same.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; arithmetic, 1; report, 1; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

**STENOGRAPHIC SERVICE, MARCH 1 AND
MARCH 15, 1924.**

This examination is for the service of the state and of all cities, and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. On March 15 the examination will be held in Boston and all persons who reside within commuting distance will be notified for that day. Applicants residing in other places will be examined on March 1 at certain centrally located cities throughout the state.

This examination will be given to fill positions in all grades of the Stenographic service. All applicants will be given the same examination and will be placed on the list in the order of marks received, and will be certified for any and all stenographic positions in the order of standing on the list unless in the opinion of the Commissioner of Civil Service the mark attained is lower than is proper for the particular position to be filled.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; stenography, 5; business correspondence, 2; word knowledge, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15. The dictation is given at the following rates of speed: 80, 100 and 120, the dictation at each rate of speed consisting of a letter of about 300 words in length. Each applicant elects any two of the three speed tests for transcription. The transcription is marked for both speed and accuracy. Applicants are obliged to obtain at least 65 per cent in accuracy of transcription of one speed test.

Applicants will be required to obtain a general average in the entire examination of at least 65 per cent. For positions paying \$1,200 or more, only those who receive a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience will be certified.

Specimen examination papers may be obtained at the civil service office.

NURSES, MARCH 7, 1924.

This examination will include school nurses (excluding Boston school nurses), health nurses, visiting nurses, etc., and will be held for the service of all the cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service.

At present there are several vacancies in various cities throughout the state.

The examination for nurses who are registered by the Board of Registration of Nurses, Department of Civil Service and Registration, will consist of the following subjects and weights: Training and experience, 4; the mark on file with the Division of Registration, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

The date given above is not the actual examination date, but the date on or before which application blanks must be filed.

Applicants will be notified later of the oral interview.

The examination for nurses who are not registered will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; written examination, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

Since registered nurses will go on the list ahead of nonregistered nurses, applicants should state in their applications whether or not they are applying as registered nurses.

Applicants who are not registered must be graduates of a hospital or similar institution giving a course of instruction in nursing of at least two years in length or must have equivalent training.

**ASSISTANT TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF
EMPLOYMENT, DEPARTMENT OF EDU-
CATION, DIVISION OF THE BLIND,
MARCH 8, 1924.**

The requisition is for a female but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$15 per week for four days a week.

The duties of this position are to assist in the placement of blind persons in private industries and offices. It is desirable that applicants have had experience in placement of handicapped persons and in social service.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

**INSPECTOR OF CONCRETE MASONRY SEWER
(MALE) METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COM-
MISSION, MARCH 10, 1924.**

The salary is \$1,980 per year.

Applicants should be experienced in building of sewers in quicksands or other bad ground and in the crossing of streams.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Applicants must have had at least three years' experience in masonry construction in accordance with chapter 31, section 41, of the General Laws.

**LABORATORY ASSISTANT, DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC HEALTH, DIVISION OF BIOLOGIC
LABORATORIES, MARCH 10, 1924.**

The requisition is for a female but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$100 per month.

The duties of this position consist in the performance of every detail of the Wassermann reaction, together with the performance of precipitation tests for syphilis, the execution of gonococcus and glanders fixation tests, together with the cultivation of these organisms and the standardization of the reagents used in these tests. It is desirable that applicants should possess a practical knowledge of the work described above, consisting of at least six months of actual training in a recognized laboratory, together with academic training equivalent to that obtained in a four years' college course.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

REPORT ON CONFERENCE.

The School Committee has received the following report from William T. Keough, Business Agent, on his trip to conference at Trenton, N. J.:

January 30, 1924.

To the School Committee:

In compliance with the provisions of section 3 of chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, I submit the following report on my attendance at a conference held at Trenton, N. J., on January 23 and 24, 1924.

The conference was attended by Mr. E. S. Phillips, representing the United States Commissioner of Education, Mr. D. D. Hammelbaugh, Harrisburg, Pa., Mr. William Dick, Philadelphia, Pa., Mr. Herbert N. Morse, Trenton, N. J., Mr. John S. Mount, Trenton, N. J., and the writer, the last five being the members of the Committee on Uniform Accounting and Terminology of the National Association of School Business Officials.

The committee was called together to consider the large number of questions on terminology which had arisen since the new form for reporting financial statistics for cities of over one hundred thousand population had been put into use.

Efforts had been made to meet with the committee representing the inter-city research group; but that group had found itself unable to come east of Detroit, and the members of the committee representing the National Association had not found themselves able to go west of Erie or Buffalo. In consequence, it became necessary to take up the work at this time, with the intention of getting both groups together at Indianapolis a few days ahead of the annual convention of the National Association of Public School Business Officials, with the hope that agreement can be reached at that time.

Three sessions were held on Wednesday the 23d, and two on Thursday the 24th. Substantial progress was made, and it is believed that no difficulty will be encountered in getting into agreement with the United States Commissioner of Education on all points considered.

It is also expected that the proposed conference with the inter-city research group will be equally successful.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

STENOGRAPHER (MALE), BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, MARCH 3, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$2,000 a year.

The duties of this position are to take testimony of persons at hearings of trial boards and before the Bureau of Criminal Investigation, to read this testimony in court if required, and to accompany the officers in order to take testimony in homicide cases.

It is desirable that applicants be familiar with the use of the dictaphone.

The subjects of examination with their

respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; stenography, consisting of dictation at 175 words a minute, 5; business correspondence, 2; word knowledge, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in accuracy of transcription, and in general average, in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

WATER INSPECTORS AND METER READERS,
MARCH 21, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the various cities of the Commonwealth and of such towns as are classified under civil service. From the eligible list established as a result of this examination, names will be certified to fill present vacancies and such other vacancies as may occur.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; report writing, 1; practical questions, 4; total, 10.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Upon filing application, persons will receive a manual of information pertaining to the work of water inspector and meter reader, upon which the practical questions will be based. Applicants are, however, cautioned to inquire personally or by letter should they fail to receive this manual of instruction.

FIRE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS.

Fire-fighting force, 1,217, viz., the Chief, 4 deputy chiefs, 15 district chiefs, 63 captains, 98 lieutenants, 62 engineers, 52 assistant engineers and 922 privates divided into 88 companies or 53 engine (3 marine), 30 ladder and 3 water tower companies, a chemical engine company and a rescue company; the engine companies generally consisting of 14 or 15 men, including a captain and a lieutenant; other employees, 14 at headquarters, 96 men in repair shop, 42 in fire-alarm branch and 4 in veterinary hospital. Fire stations, 62; various engines in service, 53, of which 30 are auto combination gasoline pumping engines, 13 tractor-drawn steamers, 1 steam-propelled and 6 horse-drawn steamers; also 3 marine pumpers or fireboats; auto combination chemical and hose cars, 31; horse-drawn hose wagons, 6; auto ladder trucks, 23 (10 aerial); 7 horse-drawn ladder trucks; 3 auto water towers; 29 officials' cars; 8 auto delivery and 4 emergency trucks; 1 rescue company auto with pulmotors, etc., and 1 auto wrecker; total automobiles in service, 143, of which 101 are apparatus. Leading hose, 141,016 feet and suction hose, 2,137 feet; horses, 62; 2-ton fuel wagons, 29; fire alarm boxes, 1,268. In reserve are 23 engines or 9 auto and 14 horse-drawn; 8 horse-drawn chemicals; 12 hose wagons (6 auto); 13 ladder trucks (8 auto); 1 water tower (auto) and 8 officials' cars.

Total alarms in calendar year 1922, 6,134 or 887 more than in 1921, of which total 646 were needless and 279 were false alarms. Total fires, 5,209 or 801

more than in 1921, of which 2,927 were in buildings, 2,232 outside of buildings and 50 out of City limits. In one case the building was totally destroyed, in 77 cases the damage was considerable and in 1,861 the damage was slight.

The Boston Protective Department (not a City department) reported the total fire losses in 1922 on buildings as \$1,214,435 and on contents as \$2,090,161, or total of \$3,304,596, which is \$703,536 less than in 1921. Of total loss, the amount not covered by insurance was \$129,273. The B. P. D. also reported that of the 2,109 fires involving losses, 518 were caused by carelessness with matches, 256 by smoking, 70 by sparks from combustion, 113 by open lights, 145 by stoves, furnaces, etc., 66 by explosions, 102 by electricity, 61 by petroleum and its products, 51 by overheated or defective flues and chimneys, 51 by spontaneous combustion, 14 by fireworks, etc., 28 by hot ashes.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$3,337,506 (including Wire Division), or \$47,341 more than in 1921. Value of land and buildings, \$2,325,600; of equipment, \$1,800,000.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$7,500; Chief, \$5,000; deputy chiefs, \$4,000; district chiefs, \$3,500; captains, \$2,500; lieutenants, \$2,300; engineers, \$1,900; assistant engineers, \$1,800; 1st-year privates, \$1,400; with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

By Chap. 4, City Ordinances of 1917, the firemen have one day off in three instead of one in five, as before.

By Ordinances of 1919, Chap. 2, the Wire Dept. became the Wire Division of the Fire Dept.

New motor apparatus added and ordered will make the department 90 to 95 per cent motorized. Appropriation of \$283,000 in 1923 budget for this purpose.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

CITIZENSHIP, BOTH SEXES, ALSO FAMILIES.

Native white citizens, 246,816; foreign born whites naturalized, 102,822; Negro citizens, 12,086; total citizens, 361,724. Foreign born whites remaining aliens, 118,214. Only 56.30 per cent of the citizens registered for voting purposes in 1920 (for City Election) and of the 203,666 who did register only 30.53 per cent voted. Coming to the final facts to be remembered, only 17.2 per cent of the citizens of Boston took part in electing the three members of the City Council and two members of the School Committee in 1920, these five candidates taking office at the will of only 8.3 per cent of the citizens, which was more than sufficient to elect. On the question of permitting Sunday Sports and Games, 10.9 per cent of the citizens voted in favor and 4.3 per cent against, 7.7 per cent being more than sufficient for a majority in favor. The City Election of 1920 reveals the most flagrant case of minority rule ever noted in Boston, not more than one-ninth of the women citizens being interested enough to vote.

Total families in 1920, 164,785 or 3,679 more than in 1915. As this shows a larger increase of families than of persons (*i. e.*, 2,621) since 1915, here is another discrepancy that discredits the 1920 Census. As 4.63 represents the average number of persons to a family, 3,679 families would contain 17,034 persons. The U. S. Census of 1920 shows a net increase of only 2,621 persons since 1915.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Jan. 28, 1924.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:47 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. Lane, O'Hare and Scannell.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of Jan. 7, 1924, were amended, on page 226, to provide that the appointment as full-time attendance officer of Edwin F. Dooley, shall read to take effect Jan. 10, 1924, instead of "Jan. 8, 1924."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of a principal, a director, and teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Day School for Immigrants—Edna H. Flanders, Jan. 23, 1924; Elizabeth Fowler, Jan. 24, 1924; Mary M. Perry, Jan. 23, 1924; Dorothy H. Shurtleff, Jan. 22, 1924.

Approved.

EMERGENCY ASSISTANTS.

Evelyn M. Brattin, Mary F. Caning, Marjorie C. Crimmins, Mary E. Daley, Catherine A. Daunt, Ida M. Durkee, Helen F. Hegarty, Gertrude J. Henchey, Catherine L. Keefe, Rebecca D. Kittredge, Mary L. MacDonald, B. Ethel MacKay, Mabel A. T. McCloskey, Mary C. McKay, Edythe M. McNamee, Clara C. Mee, Alice L. Morse, Mary E. Murphy, Helena M. Nolan, Esther M. Rise-man, Frances R. Sullivan, Irene M. Sullivan, Mary R. Sullivan. Anna J. Toomey; Jan. 30, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHER.

Continuation School—Charles A. Bossi, shop instructor, Jan. 7, 1924. Placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS.

(By Promotion)

Dorchester High School—Theresa A. Fitzpatrick, industrial assistant (from industrial instructor), Feb. 5, 1924.

Mechanic Arts High School—James H. Philbrick, junior master (from instructor, mechanical department), Feb. 5, 1924.

Boston Trade School—Bernard F. Donovan, senior instructor (from instructor), Feb. 5, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1923-24.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Helen F. Cummings, assistant, Jan. 22, 1924 (one evening).

Bigelow Evening School—Margaret M. Brennan, assistant, Jan. 3, 1924.

Comins Evening School—Mary F. Finan, assistant, Jan. 22, 1924 (one evening); Mary E. Mulligan, assistant, Jan. 24, 1924 (one evening); Frances E. O'Leary, assistant, Jan. 15, 1924.

Franklin Evening School—Helen F. Cummings, assistant, Jan. 21, 24, 1924 (two evenings).

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Elizabeth J. Moynahan, assistant, Jan. 28, 1924.

Phillips Brooks Evening School—Gertrude Jacobs, assistant, Feb. 4, 1924.

Boston Trade School (Evening Classes)—William Yee, toolkeeper, Jan. 21, 1924.

Approved.

TRANSFERS.

Julia Ward Howe District—Marguerita R. Foley, assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Martin District, Feb. 4, 1924.

Longfellow District—Marion B. Foster, assistant, to the same position in the Washington Irving Intermediate District, Jan. 28, 1924; Helen G. Morgan, assistant, to the same position in the Washington Irving Intermediate District, Jan. 29, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Louise J. Dole, assistant kindergarten, to the same position in the Julia Ward Howe District, Feb. 4, 1924.

Dearborn Evening School—Margaret H. Coughlin, assistant, to the same position in the Theodore Lyman Evening School, Jan. 22, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Bowditch District—Anna C. Shea, assistant, from Dec. 1, 1923 to Feb. 29, 1924.

Eliot District—Anna I. Farrell, assistant, Jan. 18, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Henry Grew District—Anna Kapples, assistant, Jan. 16, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

John Winthrop District—Hannah E. McDonough, assistant, Jan. 9, 1924, one-half day, court summons.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Genevieve M. Conroy, teacher of sewing, Jan. 17, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted the following-named principal for the term specified:

Normal School—Wallace C. Boyden, head master, from Feb. 25 to 29, 1924, five days, without loss of pay (to attend meeting of National Education Association at Chicago).

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence on account of vacations as provided for under Section 154 of the regulations granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Trade School for Girls—Ellen L. Barry, trade assistant, from Jan. 2 to 25, 1924.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 28, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has discontinued from the date specified, the following leaves of absence for study, granted at the meetings of June 19, and July 2, 1923, (p.p. 97, 115) respectively, at the request of the teachers.

Continuation School—Julia R. O'Brien, assistant, Jan. 23, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—LeRoy K. Houghton, sub-master, Jan. 21, 1924.

Placed on file, and the leaves of absence discontinued from dates specified.

ASSIGNMENT OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 28, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Marguerita R. Foley, assistant kindergarten, Martin District to the Model School, said assignment to take effect Feb. 4, 1924. Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF CLERICAL ASSISTANT.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 28, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has appointed Anna L. Madden, clerical assistant in the Robert Gould Shaw and Washington Irving Intermediate Districts, by transfer from the office of the Superintendent, to take effect Feb. 4, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

COURSE OF STUDY IN AGRICULTURE, JAMAICA PLAIN HIGH SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent it was

ORDERED, That the following revised course of study in agriculture for the Jamaica Plain High School is hereby adopted, provided that two-thirds of the cost of instruction in agriculture shall be assumed by the State:

FIRST YEAR.

Subjects	Periods	Points
Required:		
Military Drill	2	2
Hygiene	1	1
English I	5	5
Community Civics	3	3
Agriculture I.		
Kitchen Gardening, Ornamental Planting and Soils, Shopwork (2 periods)	12	10
Farm Mathematics I	5	5
Total	23	26
Elective:		
Mathematics I	5	5

SECOND YEAR.

Required:		
Military Drill	2	2
Choral Practice	1	1
English II	4	4
Agriculture II.		
Poultry Craft, Shopwork (2 periods)	12	10
Farm Mathematics II	4	4
Total	23	21
Electives:*		
Farm Biology	4	3
Biology II	5	4
Mathematics I	5	5
Mathematics II	4	4
French I	5	5

*One required.

THIRD YEAR.

Subjects	Points	Periods
Required:		
Military Drill	2	2
English III	4	4
Chemistry	5	4

Agriculture III:		
Horticulture, Shopwork (2 periods).....	12	10
Farm Accounts.....	4	4
Total.....	27	24
Electives:		
Biology II.....	5	5
Mathematics I.....	5	5
Mathematics II.....	4	4
French I.....	5	5
French II.....	4	4

ESTABLISHMENT OF WASHINGTON IRVING INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL ON ONE-SESSION BASIS.

On motion of the Superintendent it was

ORDERED, That, beginning Monday, Jan. 28, 1924, and until otherwise ordered, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to operate the Washington Irving Intermediate School upon the one-session plan.

AMENDMENT TO REGULATIONS.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 323. Add the following at the close of paragraph 1:

"provided, that the provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to teachers appointed under the IV. High School certificate granted on account of obtaining of the college degree under the provisions of Section 80, Paragraph IV, of the Rules"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Sect. 323. 1. The compensation of a teacher or member of the supervising staff, appointed to a position or to a rank or grade having a greater maximum salary, whether by promotion or by appointment from the eligible list, shall not be reduced, but such person shall be placed upon that year of service in the new rank or grade for which the compensation for the year following the date of such appointment is not less than \$96 higher than that which would have been received during the year following such appointment had such person remained in his old rank during the year following such appointment; provided, that the provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to teachers appointed under the IV. High School certificate granted on account of obtaining of the college degree under the provisions of Section 80, Paragraph IV, of the Rules.

Passed, under a suspension of the rules.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of Jan. 28, 1924, recommending the passage of accompanying orders transferring unexpended balances of various items of the 1923 appropriations for alterations and repairs, in compliance with the request of the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That of the sums appropriated June 4, 1923, and June 25, 1923 (see pages 75 and 110, 1923, respectively) "to provide funds for the alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures

and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection for existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards during the financial year, February 1, 1923, to January 31, 1924," the sum of \$5,293.79 is hereby transferred from items "f," "h," "k" and "b," respectively, as follows:

f. (June 4, 1923) George Putnam Intermediate District: Alterations for accommodation of intermediate manual training and domestic arts classes in main building, and fitting of two wings for class-room purposes.....	\$2,526.90
h. (June 4, 1923) Henry L. Pierce District: Alteration of cooking room to provide domestic science accommodations for intermediate classes.....	1,804.45
k. (June 4, 1923) Warren-Bunker Hill District: Printing room.....	343.44
b. (June 25, 1923) Electrical shop, Lewis School.....	619.00
	\$5,293.79

TO

b. (June 4, 1923) Girls' High School: Remodelling of Trade School Building, Massachusetts Avenue, for Girls' High School Colony.

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. Lane, O'Hare and Scannell

—5.

NAYS—0.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That of the sums appropriated June 4, 1923 (page 75, 1923), "to provide funds for the alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures, and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection for existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards, during the financial year Feb. 1, 1923, to Jan. 31, 1924," the sum of sixty-four dollars and twenty cents (\$64.20) is hereby transferred from item

j. Everett District: Remodelling to secure adequate heating, principal's office

TO

1. Normal School: Alteration of lecture hall for use as classroom, and provision for locker accommodations,.....
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| | \$64.20 |

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. Lane, O'Hare and Scannell

—5.

NAYS—0.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That of the sums appropriated June 4, 1923 and June 25, 1923 (see pages 75 and 110, 1923, respectively), "to provide funds for the alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection for existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards, during the financial year February 1, 1923 to January 31, 1924," the sum of \$5,380.89 is hereby transferred from items "a," "c," "d," "g," "j," "k," "l," "m" and "b" respectively, as follows:

a. (June 4, 1923) Administrative expenses, Schoolhouse Department.....	\$2,000.00
c. (June 4, 1923) English High School: Completion of alterations and improvements due to occupancy of old Public Latin School Building.....	150.77
d. (June 4, 1923) Approved productive work by pupils.....	19.00
g. (June 4, 1923) Theodore Lyman District: Transfer of master's office from third floor to first floor, and making over of old office into classroom.....	1,653.20
j. (June 4, 1923) Everett District: Remodelling to secure adequate heating, principal's office.....	1,108.63

k. (June 4, 1923) Warren-Bunker Hill District: Printing room.....	29.01
l. (June 4, 1923) Eliot District: Electrical room, for intermediate and prevocational class.....	334.50
m. (June 4, 1923) Boston Trade School: Linotype repairs.....	66.26
b. (June 25, 1923). Electrical Shop Lewis School.....	19.50
	\$5380.89

TO

"Unassigned" (Item n, June 4, 1923; item d, June 25, 1923).

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. Lane, O'Hare and Scannell.

NAYS—0.

ESTABLISHMENT OF SALARY OF CUSTODIAN, WASHINGTON IRVING SCHOOL-HOUSE.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Jan. 28, 1924, recommending that the salary of the custodian of the Washington Irving School-house be established at the rate of fifty-three dollars (\$53) per week, to take effect Jan. 24, 1924, and to continue until the areas are certified by the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of the custodian of the Washington Irving School-house is established at the rate of fifty-three dollars (\$53) per week, to take effect Jan. 24, 1924, and to continue until the areas of the building are certified by the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners.

INJURY TO BOILER IN A SCHOOL-HOUSE.

A communication was received from the Trial Board, to whom was referred at the meeting of Jan. 7, 1924 (see p. 266), a communication from the Schoolhouse Custodian that injury had been occasioned to the boiler in the Julia Ward Howe School-house on Friday, Jan. 4, 1924, reporting that a hearing was held by the Trial Board on Friday, Jan. 25, 1924, which was attended by the three members of the Trial Board, including Mr. Dennis J. Lenehan recently elected member of the Board; by the Schoolhouse Custodian; by Schoolhouse Commissioner Mahar; and by John A. Downey, the custodian concerned.

The facts in the case appear to be as follows:

John A. Downey, custodian of the Julia Ward Howe School-house, entered his building on January 4 at 7 o'clock A. M. and started his heating apparatus with a gauge and a half of water in his boiler. He then went to the different portables in his yard, opening the fires, starting the draughts and getting ready for heating the portables. This took him about 15 or 20 minutes. He then came back to his boiler room and found that his boilers still had a gauge and a half of water. He then went upstairs in the building and started to dust and arrange things for the opening of school. About 15 minutes later he came back to his boiler room and on entering the boiler room he observed the water in his boiler had gone—that there was no water in the glass. He immediately covered his fires with wet ashes. After doing this and seeing that the fire was covered he started an investigation as to where the wa-

ter went. Mr. Daley of the Schoolhouse Commission arrived and took charge of the plant, the custodian working under his orders.

The steam fitters who were working in the new building were immediately called into service and started to plug No. 1 boiler, and after this was done the custodian drew off the old fire in No. 1 boiler and immediately made a new one. He then started to get up steam. When this was accomplished Mr. Mahar, Schoolhouse Commissioner, arrived on the scene and took charge of the situation. The steam fitters then plugged the sections in No. 2 boiler, and Mr. Downey was ordered to get up steam in No. 2 boiler, which he did after drawing the old fire very carefully. The boiler held tight and he was able to raise five pounds pressure on the boilers. By careful watching and feeding of the boiler by the custodian and investigation by Mr. Mahar and Mr. Daley, it was discovered that a one and one-half inch return pipe, which was exposed to the weather, had a split in it about nine inches long and that the water, instead of coming back to the boiler as it should, was leaking through the split. This pipe was repaired. After working until 1 o'clock Friday night and returning at 6 o'clock Saturday morning, the custodian continued working until 8 o'clock Saturday night and was able to get the plant in a condition whereby the school was ready for occupancy on Monday morning.

Mr. Mahar, Schoolhouse Commissioner, states that in his opinion no possible fault attaches to the custodian for this damage and commends him for his co-operating in getting the apparatus into condition to permit the opening of school on the following Monday.

FINDING—That this accident was not due to any fault or negligence on the part of the custodian and that he should not be held responsible therefor.

RECOMMENDATION—That the charge against the custodian be dismissed and the matter placed on file.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

PROTEST AGAINST APPARENT INJUSTICE IN PROPOSED DEDUCTIONS FROM SALARIES OF TEACHERS DURING FIRST YEAR OF SERVICE.

A petition, signed by various members of the Class of 1923, Boston Normal School, calling attention to the apparent injustice in the proposed deduction from their salaries during the first year of service, was received.

Laid over.

PETITION FOR INCREASE IN SALARY.

A communication was received from the Intermediate School Principals Association, under date of Jan. 23, 1924, requesting that in the salary schedule for 1924-1925 the salaries of teachers in intermediate schools be established on a scale that will equal that now effective in the high school service, and setting forth in detail various reasons for this request.

Laid over.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The order laid over at the meeting of Jan. 21, 1924, amending section

300, paragraph 7 of the regulations, establishing the rank of director of modern foreign languages, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Jan. 21, 1924, amending section 350, paragraph 1 of the regulations, establishing the rank of senior instructor, Continuation School, was taken up and passed.

On motion, all unfinished business was referred to the next Board.

ADJOURNMENT.

Dr. Scannell, on behalf of the remaining members of the Board, expressed their regret at Mr. Lane's termination of service as a member of the Board and admiration of the fairness which he had exhibited at all times as Chairman of the Board.

The Chairman made a brief and appropriate acknowledgment.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

THORNTON D. APOLLONIO,

Secretary.

HOMICIDE RATE PER ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND INHABITANTS IN AMERICAN CITIES.

Ranking from highest, as follows: Memphis, 63.4; Savannah, 44.0; Atlanta, 40.9; Charleston, S. C., 36.5; New Orleans, 16.9; Nashville, 16.0; St. Louis, 12.6 and Washington, D. C., the same; Cleveland, 12.5; Louisville, Ky., 11.1; Chicago, 10.3 and Pittsburgh, the same; Los Angeles, 9.8; Philadelphia, 6.2; New York, 5.9. Boston's rate, 5.1.

CITY TREASURER'S TRANSACTIONS IN YEAR 1922-23.

Balance, February 1, 1922, \$11,146,777.24. Receipts—from City Collector for City account, \$60,026,426.60 and for County, \$431,315.82; total, \$60,457,742.42 or \$1,806,550.41 more than in 1921-22; temporary loans, \$12,000,000; debt issued, \$8,095,000 for City and \$27,500 for County; from Sinking Fund Commissioners for debt due, \$1,302,915.21; trust funds, \$1,029,360.39; interest on bank deposits, \$238,585.83; other receipts, \$142,872.39. Total receipts for year, \$86,293,976.24 or \$8,076,109.05 more than in 1921-22.

Payments.—City pay-roll drafts, \$27,739,989.81 or \$1,567,708.37 increase over year 1921-22; general drafts (excluding debt redemption), \$8,250,496.80; temporary loans, \$12,000,000; payments to the State, \$8,956,566.36; special drafts (excluding temporary loans, City debt cancelled and interest on debts), \$12,695,200.73; interest on all debts, \$4,943,534.02; debt redemption (including County), \$6,246,650; special account, 1921-22, \$2,173,999.35 in settlement of remaining bills contracted prior to Feb. 1, 1922; trust fund investments, etc., \$564,018.01; County pay-roll drafts, \$1,747,480.23; other County payments (excluding debt and interest), \$1,000,065.24; payments to Sinking Fund Commissioners, \$278,222.82; other payments, \$98,653.26. Total payments for the year, \$86,694,876.63 or \$7,088,718.05 more than in 1921-22. Excess of payments over receipts, \$400,900.39. Balance Jan. 31, 1923, \$10,745,876.85.

[Statistics Dept's revision.]

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Tuesday, February 5, 1924.

Special meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of drawing jurors, Coun. WALSH presiding, and a quorum present.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Forty-five traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fourth Session, January Sitting, to appear February 11, 1924:

Anthony Marks, Ward 1; Jabez C. Beach, Ward 1; John E. Nylen, Ward 2; Solomon J. Fox, Ward 6; Bernard Murray, Ward 6; Thomas A. O'Connor, Ward 6; Albert T. Leatherbee, Ward 7; William R. McDonald, Ward 7; Richard A. Fisher, Ward 8; Joseph Goodman, Ward 8; George Lyon, Ward 8; Stanley H. Sinton, Ward 8; Timothy O'Brien, Ward 8; Dennis F. Hagerty, Ward 9; Patrick J. Connelly, Ward 10; Vincent Fogarty, Ward 10; Frank F. Hayes, Ward 10; Martin J. Hines, Ward 10; Joseph H. Saunders, Ward 11; William G. Gillespie, Ward 14; Michael J. Mehegan, Ward 14; James E. Mullen, Ward 15; Harry W. Pearson, Ward 15; William F. Reddish, Ward 15; Augustus Bacon, Ward 16; Arthur G. Bergheim, Ward 16; Solomon G. Cohen, Ward 16; Charles F. Griffen, Ward 16; Herbert J. Ochs, Ward 17; John H. Mulloy, Ward 18; Warren M. Morse, Ward 19; Charles J. Neil, Ward 19; Charles L. Williams, Ward 19; William C. O. Carlson, Ward 20; Edward M. Costello, Ward 20; Moses H. Hayward, Ward 20; Albert D. Perry, Ward 20; James W. Rose, Ward 20; Henry C. Holdstock, Ward 21; Archie A. Spooner, Ward 21; William E. McArthur, Ward 23; Bartholomew Daly, Ward 24; Charles H. McMorrow, Ward 24; John F. Moynihan, Ward 24; John A. Reardon, Jr., Ward 25.

Adjourned at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

Monday, February 11, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., Coun. WATSON, senior member, in the chair and all the members present.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Thirty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, First Session, to appear March 3, 1924:

Carmine DeChristoforo, Ward 1; T. Francis Winston, Ward 1; Rudolph Lundergreen, Ward 2; John J. McIsaac, Ward 6; Daniel J. O'Neil, Ward 6; Seymour L. Delano, Ward 7; Arno W. Higgins, Ward 7; Paul F. Brown, Ward 8; Robert S. Burgess, Ward 8; Stephen M. Hannon, Ward 8; Lesly A. Johnson, Ward 8; Max Stanga, Ward 8; Ambrose M. Donahue, Ward 10; Edward A. Grant, Ward 10; Frank Huber, Ward 10; John J. Barry, Ward 11; Michael F. Keyes, Ward 11; Edgar S. Burton, Ward 12; Edward J. Deering, Ward 12; James J. Malley, Ward 12; Jeremiah C. O'Brien, Ward 12; Christopher S. Maloney, Ward 14; Thomas J. Holland, Ward 16; Chester F. Penrod, Ward 17; Charles H. Johnson, Ward 18; Patrick Perkins, Ward 20; Ansley Brinton, Ward 21; John M. Curley, Ward 21; William A. Edmonds, Ward 21; Clarendon E. Holman, Ward 21; Thomas C. Donegan, Ward 22; Louis C. Margot, Ward 22; Malcolm C. Rees, Ward 22; Ernest K. Swanson, Ward 22; Frank E. Willis, Ward 23; Douglass S. Neilson, Ward 24; Edward M. Underhill, Ward 24; George A. Richardson, Ward 25; Edmund Green, Ward 26.

Thirty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Second Session, to appear March 3, 1924.

James F. Fitzpatrick, Ward 1; Edward J. McHugh, Jr., Ward 1; Reuben A. Anderson, Ward 2; John H. J. Burke, Ward 3; Robert A. Finlayson, Ward 3; George Linton, Jr., Ward 3; John D. Collins, Ward 4; Jasper Stone, Ward 4; Harry A. Douglass, Ward 5; Lemuel R. Gallagher, Ward 5; William J. McCarthy, Ward 5; Frank Minichello, Ward 5; Charles Pelletier, Ward 5; Michael J. Collins, Ward 6; Harry C. Parker, Ward 6; James Strachan, Ward 6; Josiah Wise, Ward 6; John L. Kammerer, Ward 7; William H. Robinson, Ward 7; Maurice H. Richardson, Ward 8; William H. Matthews, Ward 9; Francis J. McCarthy, Ward 9; Thomas J. McMahon, Ward 9; John Volks, Ward 10;

John Daly, Ward 12; Henry H. O'Neill, Ward 13; George Kuntz, Ward 14; John Thompson, Ward 14; Albert A. Wessling, Ward 15; Harry Houston, Ward 19; Richard E. Ryan, Ward 19; Charles W. Munro, Ward 21; Bostolt T. Berg, Ward 22; Walter C. Blaney, Ward 23; Edwin R. Bucknam, Ward 23; Lawrence E. Clark, Ward 23; Joseph P. Cox, Ward 23; Walter H. Mills, Ward 24; John J. Bohlen, Ward 26.

Thirty-seven traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Third Session, to appear March 3, 1924:

Justin B. Cronin, Ward 1; George O. Harvey, Ward 4; Timothy J. Murphy, Ward 4; John F. Toomey, Ward 4; Malcolm C. Banks, Ward 7; Frank J. Guevin, Ward 7; John J. Sullivan, Ward 7; Leon G. Woodward, Ward 7; Frank A. Clark, Ward 8; Thomas A. Barry, Ward 10; James F. Hopkins, Ward 10; John J. McCarthy, Ward 10; John F. Scroth, Ward 11; Howard L. Sherman, Ward 12; John F. Bergquist, Ward 13; Joseph F. Devlin, Ward 13; Richard C. Domigan, Ward 13; Milton J. Griffin, Ward 13; Daniel N. O'Brien, Ward 14; John E. Scollin, Ward 14; David R. Smith, Ward 15; August Wittenauer, Ward 15; Benjamin Levy, Ward 16; Percy M. Cole, Ward 17; Michael O'Donnell, Ward 17; Clarence W. Rich, Ward 17; George W. Albright, Ward 18; Albert Rae, Ward 18; Timothy J. Flynn, Ward 20; James J. O'Sullivan, Ward 20; Mellin Y. Stewart, Ward 21; Marshall P. MacCurdy, Ward 23; Thomas J. O'Neil, Ward 24; Napoleon Narcisse Raymond, Ward 24; Frederick C. Eaton, Ward 25; Thorndike DeV. Martin, Ward 25; Melvin R. Rodney, Ward 26.

Thirty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fourth Session, to appear March 3, 1924:

Joseph H. Abely, Ward 1; Arthur Smith, Ward 1; John E. Smith, Ward 1; John J. Delehanty, Ward 2; Michael S. Cooney, Ward 4; Harry B. Curtis, Ward 6; Joseph Rosen, Ward 6; Warren Albert Blakely, Ward 7; Fred T. Isburg, Ward 7; John H. Robinson, Ward 7; Joseph F. Moore, Ward 10; William H. A. Barker, Ward 11; Martin C. Heinselman, Ward 12; Thomas J. Hughes, Ward 14; Daniel F. Cotter, Ward 16; William Franklin, Ward 16; Edward J. Shaughnessy, Jr., Ward 16; John W. Allston, Ward 17; Ernest J. Gallagher, Ward 17; John V. Kenney, Ward 17; George M. Paul, Ward 17; Thomas E. Reeve, Ward 17; Terence T. Feely, Ward 18; Edward J. Leonard, Ward 18; James Moran, Ward 18; Franklin O. Marden, Ward 19; Arthur C. Austin, Ward 20; Edward P. Fitzgerald, Ward 21; Joseph E. Hussey, Ward 21; Herman O. Beyer, Ward 22; George H. Marshall, Ward 22; George K. Dennett, Ward 23; William J. Fitzgerald, Ward 23; Walter M. Kingman, Ward 23; Conrad Schuerch, Ward 23; Bela B. Nichols, Ward 24; Alfred Peterson, Ward 25; John L. Appel, Ward 26.

Thirty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fifth Session, to appear March 3, 1924:

William H. Frizzell, Ward 1; Walter A. Laverty, Ward 1; Denis J. Smith, Ward 2; Cornelius J. Cronin, Ward 3; Joseph M. Gasperow, Ward 5; Michael A. Jannini, Ward 5; James E. Byrne, Ward 6; George E. Doncaster, Ward 6; Thomas J. O'Keefe, Ward 6; George A. Long, Ward 7; Andrew Pengeroth, Ward 7; William H. G. Teague, Ward 7; William Carroll, Ward 8; Edward H. Crosby, Ward 8; Samuel H. Mildram, Ward 8; William A. Nye, Ward 8; Howard Watkins, Ward 9; Daniel F. Finnigan, Ward 10; Nicholas J. Harrington, Ward 10; John J. Finn, Ward 12; William P. O'Connor, Ward 12; John M. Smith, Ward 12; Charles J. Ward, Ward 12; Charles P. Reardon, Ward 15; Lewis F. Chase, Ward 17; Bernard Ekberg, Ward 18; Henry A. Glavin, Ward 18; Frederick J. Harrington, Ward 18; William A. Rae, Ward 18; Frank Kenney, Ward 21; William J. Kerins, Ward 21; John C. Duntlin, Ward 22; William J. Phe'non, Ward 22; William List, Ward 23; Carl O. Nilson, Ward 23; Alfred Saunders, Ward 23; Frank Kelley, Ward 24; Horace S. Haley, Ward 25; John F. White, Ward 25.

Thirty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Sixth Session, to appear March 3, 1924:

Thomas McDonald, Ward 1; William F. Wilkie, Ward 2; Matthew Donovan, Ward 4; Charles A. Price, Ward 4; Abram Rosenberg, Ward 5; Morris Sigel, Ward 5; Albert J. Kennedy, Ward 6; Hugh F. Cavanagh, Ward 7; Patrick P. Hickey, Ward 7; Thomas McDermott, Ward 7; George J. Wilson, Ward 7; George Burroughs, Ward 8; John C. McLoughlin, Ward 8; Timothy O'Connor, Ward 8; James D. Porter, Ward 8; Daniel J. Dillon, Jr., Ward 9; Frank H. Volmershausen, Ward 10; Henry W. Brooks, Ward 12; Henry E.

Reid, Ward 13; Joseph F. Daly, Ward 17; Henry F. Lyons, Ward 17; Michael P. Ryder, Ward 17; John A. Mahoney, Ward 18; George H. Foley, Ward 20; Enoch Johnson, Ward 20; R. Boak Williams, Ward 20; Walter F. Johnston, Ward 21; James O. Squier, Ward 21; Fred P. Kinney, Ward 22; William L. Stelzer, Ward 22; Frank Webb, Ward 22; Richard W. Harkness, Ward 23; William A. Killam, Ward 23; Conrad F. Meyer, Ward 23; Thomas F. Brady, Ward 24; James E. Cushing, Ward 24; Charles H. Coogan, Ward 26; James A. Kelly, Ward 26; Thomas S. Smith, Ward 26.

Thirty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Seventh Session, to appear March 3, 1924:

Thomas A. Boyd, Ward 2; Frederick J. Reynolds, Ward 3; John A. J. McGaffigan, Ward 4; Louis Biggi, Ward 5; William F. Daley, Ward 5; Francis J. Henry, Ward 5; John McCarthy, Ward 6; William A. Nichols, Ward 7; Edward A. Palmer, Ward 7; John Conley, Ward 9; Frederick C. Delamaine, Ward 9; James H. Fleming, Ward 10; Thomas F. Meany, Ward 10; Elmer G. Brackett, Ward 11; David W. Burke, Ward 12; William J. Ryan, Ward 12; Frank Bracken, Ward 14; Martin J. Ryan, Ward 14; George A. Toohey, Ward 14; Ernest Blumberg, Ward 15; John A. McGrath, Ward 15; Andrew S. Duncan, Ward 16; Michael P. Boyce, Ward 18; Harris W. Packard, Ward 20; William A. Hayes, Ward 21; George A. Jones, Ward 21; John J. McEttrick, Ward 21; Louis Ziegler, Ward 22; George H. Brauer, Ward 23; James E. Flanagan, Ward 23; Walter H. Keenan, Ward 23; Daniel T. Reilly, Ward 23; Matthew W. Cochran, Ward 24; Frank E. Kenney, Ward 25; Joseph Marcus, Ward 25; Clarence O. Sherman, Ward 25; Charles S. Burke, Ward 26; John J. Mulloy, Ward 26.

CITY COUNCIL RULES.

Coun. LANE offered an order.—That the rules of the City Council of 1923 be hereby adopted as the rules of the City Council of 1924.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following were received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, February 4, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons Constables of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1924: Frank J. Hall, 995 Washington street, Boston; Albert McDonough, 26 Dartmouth street, Boston; Louis Goldberg, 54 Auburn street, Boston; Michael Ober, 9 Crowell street, Dorchester; Barney C. De Luca, 61 Clapp street, Dorchester; Andrew W. Murphy, 7 Annapolis street, Dorchester.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, February 4, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons Weighers of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1924: Philip R. Cook, 11 Lynn street, Chelsea; Ralph F. Baxter, 18 Newton avenue, Wollaston; Philip S. Corbett, 28 Gayland street, Roxbury; Bella Neustadt, 24 Ralston road, Hyde Park.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, February 4, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Harry E. Nelson, 486 Albany street, Boston, a Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1924, also William B. Powers, 305 Congress street, Boston.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Severally laid over under the law.

FUNDS FOR MUNICIPAL EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, February 1, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The Budget Commissioner re-

ports that the funds available for the conduct of the Municipal Employment Bureau have been so depleted that it is necessary to provide additional funds at once, and accordingly I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$2,000 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Municipal Employment Bureau, under the direction of the Mayor, in the prosecution of its duties, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Passed under a suspension of the rule, yeas 9, nays 0.

FUNDS FOR AMERICANIZATION COMMITTEE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, February 1, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The Budget Commissioner reports that the Committee on Americanization are in need of funds with which to conduct the activities of the Bureau during the fiscal year 1924-25, and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$6,000 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Boston Committee for Americanism, under the direction of the Mayor, in the prosecution of its duties, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund when made.

Passed under a suspension of the rule, yeas 9, nays 0.

LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, February 4, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—In accordance with the request of the City Treasurer I am forwarding to you the annual order for temporary loans in anticipation of taxes.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Office of the City Treasurer,

February 4, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—I am submitting herewith customary order for temporary loan in anticipation of taxes, and respectfully request same to be forwarded to the City Council, with recommendation for its adoption.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN J. CURLEY,
City Treasurer.

Ordered, That to provide temporarily money to meet the appropriations for the financial year 1924-25, the City Treasurer issue and sell, at such times and in such amounts as he may deem best, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston not exceeding sixteen million dollars in the total, in anticipation of the revenue of the current municipal year; that all such notes or certificates of indebtedness be dated the day the money for the same is received, be made payable with the interest thereon within one year of their date from the revenue of the year 1924, and bear interest from their date until the same are made payable at such rate as the City Auditor, the City Treasurer and the Mayor may determine.

The order was given its first reading, under a suspension of the rule, and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

FANEUIL HALL RESTORATION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, January 28, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The architects, Messrs. Cram & Ferguson, in charge of the important work of restoration of Faneuil Hall to original Colonial lines have discovered that concrete supporting column foundations are necessary not only because of the age of the building but also because of the additional weight resulting from the substitution of concrete for wood in

the flooring. It is impossible to anticipate on a renovation job of this character what may be required, consequently additional funds will be required in addition to those provided in the original appropriation for restoration of Faneuil Hall.

A list of the items which in the opinion of the architects, the Building Commissioner and the Superintendent of Public Buildings, are necessary, I beg to here submit:

Additional column footings.....	\$25,000 00
Canopy over sidewalk extending entirely around building.....	22,000 00
The painting and renovation of Faneuil Hall and the Ancients quarters	9,317 00
Replacing interior partitions with terra cotta; cement plastering all exposed surfaces; waterproofing basement floor; this work replacing present combustible construction....	8,994 00
Renovation necessary on walls and floors and stalls as a consequence of damage resulting from progress of work in connection with foundation	4,548 00
Additional plastering in upper sections of building.....	1,495 00
Toilets on Auditorium floor.....	5,120 50
Gutters, conductors and snow guards,	2,875 00
Telephone conduits	1,356 00
Meat track hangers.....	1,075 00
Investigation in connection with examination of footings.....	1,207 43
Electric service changes as required by the Wire Commissioner.....	535 00
New vestibule doors on temporary buildings	332 85

The cost of these items represent an expenditure, including the architect's commission of 10 per cent, totalling \$92,186, and to cover possible contingencies that may arise in completion of the building, I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order providing for \$100,000 additional for Faneuil Hall restoration.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That an additional sum of \$100,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings, for the restoration, fireproofing and installation of automatic sprinkler equipment in the Faneuil Hall Building, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

LOAN FOR CHARITIES BUILDING.

The following was received:
City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 4, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The quarters at present in use by the Overseers of Public Welfare were constructed in 1865 and have been in continuous use for fifty-nine years. For the past twenty years they have been inadequate and the housing accommodations, particularly for women, have been disgraceful. The question of new quarters has been one of controversy between the Board of Public Welfare and the Finance Commission. The Finance Commission have recommended repairs but the Overseers of Public Welfare are unanimous in the opinion that new quarters should be provided.

Upon investigation I concur in the view taken by the Overseers of Public Welfare and believe that action should be taken at once.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order providing an expenditure in the sum of \$350,000 for the erection of a temporary home for women and a suitable office building upon the site of the present Overseers of Public Welfare property at Chardon street.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$350,000 be and hereby is appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, for Charities Administration Building and Temporary Home, and that to meet said appropriation the treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

APPROPRIATION FOR SEWERAGE WORKS.

The following was received:
City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 31, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Provided the finances of the city would permit, the sum of at least three million dollars should be expended for the extension and completion of sewerage works in Boston, and of this sum at least \$800,000 should be expended in the West Roxbury section to end the privy system that still obtains there, and a million and a half could be further wisely expended for the completion of Stony brook; and at least a million dollars to complete overflow sewerage conduits throughout the city.

Finances, however, will not permit of an expenditure of this amount, and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order providing for the expenditure of \$800,000 for sewerage works.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 426 of the Acts of 1897, as amended by chapter 204 of the Acts of 1908, the sum of \$800,000 be and hereby is appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works for sewerage works, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

APPROPRIATION FOR FERRIES.

The following was received:
City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 4, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—During the year 1923 double teaming ferry drops were located at the South Ferry, both on the Boston and East Boston sides on one of the slips. It is necessary that the other slip be completed and that similar equipment be installed to facilitate travel and for public safety. I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order providing the sum of \$275,000 for double teaming ferry slips.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That an additional sum of \$275,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended by the Commissioner of Public Works for East Boston Ferry, Improvements, etc., and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

APPROPRIATION FOR DARTMOUTH STREET BRIDGE.

The following was received:
City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 4, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The condition of the Dartmouth Street Bridge is such that in the opinion of the Public Works Commissioner and the bridge engineers it should be immediately replaced in the interest of public safety.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$145,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended by the Commissioner of Public Works for Dartmouth Street Bridge, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

LOAN FOR HIGHWAYS, MAKING OF.

The following was received:
City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 4, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith order providing for an expenditure in the sum of \$800,000 for Street Laying-Out Department,

Highways, Making of, in accordance with provisions of chapter 393 of the Acts of 1906, and respectfully request approval of the same by your honorable body.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$800,000 be and hereby is appropriated for highways, making of, under the provisions of chapter 393 of the Acts of 1905, and that to meet said appropriation the treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

ELECTION OF PRESIDENT.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I move we now proceed to the election of a President. The motion was carried and a vote taken with the following result:

For Coun. Donoghue—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Purcell, Watson—4.

For Coun. Moriarty—Coun. Brickley, Lane, Moriarty, Walsh—4.

For Coun. Lane—Coun. Healey—1.
And there was no choice.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I move we now proceed to the election of a President.

The motion was carried and a vote taken with the following result:

For Coun. Donoghue—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Purcell, Watson—5.

For Coun. Moriarty—Coun. Brickley, Lane, Moriarty, Walsh—4.

And Coun. Donoghue was declared elected as President for the municipal year 1924.

President DONOGHUE, in taking the chair, said:

Fellow members of the Council, I merely want to say that I am grateful to you for selecting me to be your presiding officer for the year 1924. In view of the fact that I have been a candidate for President the last few years, I suppose any speech of acceptance I might make may be considered as "having been left on the seat of the carriage," as Chauncey Depew used to say. The best speeches made by men in public life are those made going to or coming from a banquet. When they are at the table they forget their lines. I intend to try to conduct the office of President of the body as fairly and impartial as is possible for me to do, having in mind always the example of my predecessors in this office.

I want to thank individually each member of the Council for the confidence imposed in me, and I trust that I may prove worthy of it.

CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constables' bonds of William E. Castaldo, Bernard H. Magee and Abraham S. Singer.

Approved by the City Council.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearings on February 18 on petitions for storage and sale of gasoline at various locations.

Referred to the Executive Committee, when appointed.

CHAIRMAN, STATISTICS DEPARTMENT.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of James P. Balfe as chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Statistics Department.

Placed on file.

STREET TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

A certified copy of the Re-enactment and Revision of the Street Traffic Regulations by the Board of Street Commissioners was received and placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, when appointed, viz.:

Claims.
Lawrence T. Amodio, for compensation for damage to property at 185 Broadway caused by break in water pipe.

John Amorosa, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Sumner street.

Back Bay Storage Warehouse Company to be repaid for unused refuse tickets.

James A. Brando, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

P. F. Carey Company, for compensation for damage to property at 416 Broadway, by overflow of water.

Catherine G. Delahanty, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Dorchester avenue.

Mary Doherty, for compensation for damage to property at 16 Parnell street, by firemen.

William C. Dolan, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Columbus avenue.

Carrie A. Fisher, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in State street.

Mrs. Allie Jeffries, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Maverick and Sumner streets.

Doctor Lake, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Frank Long, for compensation for injuries caused by being run into by city team.

Montague C. Muncey, for compensation for damage to property at 20 Chardon street, by break in water main.

William J. O'Connor, for compensation for damage to car by city team.

Mrs. C. J. Quinn, for compensation for damage to property at 9 Thane street, caused by leak in hydrant.

Harry M. Ramsay, to be repaid fee paid for building permit which was refused.

Maria Roccia, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 63 Maverick square.

Annie C. Sagan, for compensation for damage to property at 211 Amory street by city truck.

Charles Speratzia, for compensation for injuries caused by being run into by city car.

Anna Smith, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 7 Brigham street.

Charles Speratzia, for compensation for injuries received on the East Boston Ferry.

Alphonsus W. Taylor, for compensation for damage to car by city team.

Vincenza Torelli, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Orleans street.

Mabel E. Vaughn, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Berkeley street.

Jitneys.

Jacob Bernard Herman, for license to operate jitneys from Uphams Corner to Nantasket.

The Kennedy Company *et al.* for license to the Oakdale Community Garage to operate jitneys between Dedham and Hyde Park.

PERMITS FOR CHILDREN.

The following petitions were received for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.:

Amelia Burnham, Colonial Theater, February 15.

Raymond Gilbert, Municipal Building, February 27.

Miss Lee's School, Fine Arts Theater, March 6.

The rule was suspended, on motion of Coun. WALSH, and permits were granted on the usual conditions.

ERECTION OF POLICE HEADQUARTERS.

The following was received:

Boston, February 9, 1924.

To the Honorable the City Council.

Gentlemen: By chapter 289 of the Acts of 1923, the City of Boston was authorized, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the City Council, to borrow outside the debt limit a sum not exceeding \$1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring land in the city and erecting a police headquarters thereon. This act received the approval of the City Council on the thirtieth day of April, and of the Mayor on the first day of May, 1923.

The necessary funds thus being made available, the duty of selecting the general locality in the city where the new building was to be located devolved upon the Police Commissioner. Under the law, the Police Commissioner must designate the size of the lot and the neighborhood or district within which it shall be located.

After much consideration, the Police Commissioner decided that the new police headquarters should be located in the Park Square section, so-called, and in the early autumn of 1923 communicated his decision to the Mayor. He called to the attention of the Mayor the vacant land in the Park Square section, and particularly a parcel on Stuart street owned by the trustees of the Park Square Real Estate Trust, lying between the Edison Company's plant and the Massachusetts Automobile Club.

The Park Square trustees offered this parcel, which fronted 90 feet on Stuart street and extended 150 feet to a common passageway in the rear, a total of about 13,500 feet, at \$15 a foot. This location and parcel were acceptable to the Police Commissioner. Prices on other lots in the vicinity were also obtained, viz., 22,000 square feet at the corner of Berkeley street and Columbus avenue, on which there is a building known as the Hoffman House, for \$440,000, or \$20 a square foot; also the land occupied by the Academy of Notre Dame, on the corner of St. James avenue, Berkeley and Providence streets, containing 26,500 square feet, for \$650,000, or about \$24.50 a square foot. The two latter parcels were too large for the purposes of the Police Commissioner, and the owners would not sell less than the whole. To be sure, the city would not have to take any more of this land than it required, but the effect of such taking upon the balance might result in a cost to the city very much in excess of the rate submitted by the owners for the whole parcel. The Police Commissioner was desirous of keeping the cost of the land within such bounds as would leave the largest possible amount of the \$1,000,000 available for constructing the building: The Mayor declined to approve the Stuart street lot suggested by the Police Commissioner, because he believed the police building should be on a prominent corner location.

The Mayor, in the late autumn of 1923, selected the lot belonging to the Park Square trustees, at the southwest corner of Berkeley and Stuart streets, containing 17,254 square feet. This plot contains about 6,000 feet more than is necessary for the proposed building, but as the building is to be set back from the street line of both Stuart and Berkeley streets, the building will not occupy any more of the ground space than was originally proposed by the Police Commissioner, viz., 11,000 to 12,000 square feet. The excess land to provide for setting the building back from the street not only cost the city \$125,000, but reduced by the sum the amount available for constructing the building.

The representative of the trustees of the Park Square Trust under date of October 31, 1923, informed the Police Commissioner in writing that the price of the land at the southwest corner of Berkeley and Stuart streets, the one finally selected by the Mayor, was \$25 a square foot, but that the trustees would be willing to sell it to the city for \$22.50 a square foot.

The Police Commissioner testified that he communicated this information to the Mayor before the lot was selected and sent a copy of the letter containing this information to the Street Commissioners before they made a taking of this land.

The Police Commissioner having designated the locality and the size and requirements of the building for his department, and the Mayor having designated the particular land to be taken, the Street Commissioners advertised and held a public hearing on the matter on January 11, 1924. At this meeting no opposition appeared to the proposed taking and on the same day the Street Commissioners voted to take the land and to award the owners damages at the rate of \$22.50 a square foot. This action of the Street Commissioners was consummated by their filing in the Registry of Deeds on January 14, 1924, a statement of their action, as required by law.

The damages awarded by the Street Commissioners were accepted by the trustees of the Park Square Trust on the fourteenth day of January, 1924, and the sum of \$377,765 paid, on January 25, this being the amount of the award, viz., \$387,765 less \$10,000 retained by the city as the probable sum that would be levied by the city as a betterment to the property, because of the widening and extension of Stuart street.

In 1917 the trustees of the Park Square Trust purchased land in the Park Square section, formerly belonging to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. This land was either vacant at the time of purchase, or such buildings as were on it were

razed shortly thereafter by the trustees. The parcel of land taken by the Street Commissioners for police headquarters was assessed in the years 1917 to 1921, both inclusive, at \$173,000, or \$10 a square foot.

In 1922 the entire holdings of the Park Square trustees, all vacant land and practically nonincome bearing, was increased in valuation for taxation by the assessors from \$2360,900 to \$3,996,500, that is, an increase of \$1,625,600, or 70 per cent. On the parcel that was taken for police headquarters the assessed value was increased from \$10 to \$15 a foot. Nearly a year after this increased assessment, but within the time for filing a petition for abatement, the chairman of the trustees of the Park Square Trust testified that he appeared before the assessors and stated that the trust was being "taxed out of existence by raising the assessment on vacant land 70 per cent, which we can't sell, which we have been trying to improve and struggling to help the city by improving. We can't afford it." He made a sworn statement that the value of the entire property of the trustees was \$2,910,875 and that the value of the lot which the city had taken was \$226,250, or \$13 a foot.

The assessors took the matter under advisement and later modified their increase on the entire holding of the trust, by reducing the increase in assessed valuation from \$1,635,600 to \$798,100. This assessment established by the assessors in 1922 remained the same in 1923.

Neal J. Holland, acting chairman of the Board of Assessors, testified before the Finance Commission that the assessors rarely assessed vacant land for its full value when it is nonincome bearing. In case of large holders of vacant land, like the trustees of the Park Square Trust, the policy is to assess under the real value; that in 1922, when the assessors increased the assessed value on the holdings of the Park Square Trust in the sum of 1,625,600, they did it primarily because of the Stuart street improvement, but upon the application of the trustees for an abatement they reduced it by \$800,000 on the ground that the original increase was too much for a single year.

The Street Commissioners employed Mr. John Beck, the real estate expert for the City of Boston, to appraise the location designated by the Mayor as the site for police headquarters. In order to aid the Street Commissioners in determining the damages to be awarded Mr. Beck submitted the following report on the day of the public hearing on the taking of the property:

Boston, January 11, 1924.

Mr. John H. L. Noyes, Chairman, Street Commission, City Hall Annex, Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—In accordance with your request I have examined the lot to be taken for Police Headquarters, containing 17,254 square feet of land, located on the southwesterly side of Berkeley street, between Stuart street and Stanhope street, and consider it worth from \$20 to \$25 a square foot.

The lot, opposite the Salada Tea Company, bounded by three streets, and the Edison fireproof transforming station, practically free from fire risk, and in close proximity to the Park Square office building, the John Hancock building, and the Statler Hotel site, is centrally located, being in immediate communication with the great arteries of travel, such as Columbus avenue, Huntington avenue and Boylston street. It has a large frontage on Stuart street, the new radial highway to the west that expedites traffic to and from downtown, and which is largely responsible for the development of the Park Square section for big building enterprises and the great rise in land values from Washington street to Huntington avenue.

Two lots at Arlington street, Providence street and St. James avenue, aggregating 16,655 square feet of land (now part of the Park Square office building lot which totals 45,336 square feet) were purchased about two years ago for \$31 a square foot. Said office building, when fully rented, should show a gross annual return of approximately \$1,000,000, or \$2.50 a square foot for the 400,000 square feet of rentable space, and net about \$600,000 or 10 per cent on \$6,000,000, showing a land value of nearly \$50 a square foot after deducting value of building.

The Statler Hotel site was bought about a year ago for \$1,500,000 or \$26 a square foot for the 57,651 square feet of land. The price of \$26 a square foot was due to the large amount of land delivered to one purchaser as a lot of 1,803 square feet at the corner of Stuart street and Columbus avenue was sold about seven years ago for \$50 a square foot. A lot of 20,000 square feet at the corner of Stuart

Street and Trinity place is now under agreement of sale to the University Club at \$20 a square foot and although it is splendidly located for club house or hotel purposes, I consider the proposed Police Headquarters site superior for general development, and believe that the land, due to fronting on Berkeley street, a thoroughfare that is growing in importance, and its proximity to Park square has in addition to its present worth, great potential value, and that it will show a more material increase each year than land on Stuart street, between Clarendon street and Copley square.

Two buildings, one a very old one-story and basement brick repair shop, and the other, a gasoline station, occupy a small part of the proposed site, and add little or no value to the land.

Very truly yours,

JOHN BECK.

Mr. Beck based his report upon his own knowledge of real estate values and sales in that section of the city over a period of twenty years, upon rumors and statements made by other real estate men, and upon information obtained from the representative of the Park Square Trust trustees as to what the trustees had received for sales that they had made in that section.

He testified that he did not know when he appraised the property, that it had been offered by the representative of the Park Square Trust trustees to the city at \$22.50 a foot.

Mr. Beck further testified that he did not tell the representative of the Park Square Trust trustees that he was appraising the property for the Street Commissioners. The representatives of the Park Square Trust trustees testified that while Mr. Beck did not tell him that he represented the city, he knew that he was the city's real estate expert.

The Finance Commission has no power to change awards that have been made by the Street Commissioners for the taking of land or to change valuations established by the assessors for the purpose of taxation. An award of damages made by the Street Commissioners affects two parties—the City of Boston which is to pay the award, and the party who is entitled to the award. If the damages awarded are accepted by the party entitled thereto and payment is made by the city, the matter is ended. If, however, the award is not acceptable to the party damaged, he may appeal within one year to the Superior Court and have the damages fixed by a jury. The city in its corporate capacity has a similar right of appeal. The Street Commissioners who make the award are agents for the city and are not the city in its corporate capacity. The city in its corporate capacity is represented by the Mayor and City Council and either may initiate action which may result in an appeal by the city, but an appeal can be taken only on the joint action of both the Council and the Mayor, regardless of which initiates the action. In the present case the Mayor approved the award of the Street Commissioners and approved the payment of the award. In the interval, however, between the award of damages on the eleventh day of January and the payment on the 25th of January, it was open to the City Council to initiate appeal proceedings, if it believed the award was excessive. If the Council had voted to appeal from the award of the Street Commissioners its action would have been also in the nature of an official protest to the Mayor of the award made by the Street Commissioners. If unsuccessful, by the nonconcurrence of the Mayor, the Council at least would have performed its duty and placed the responsibility for the amount of damages awarded entirely upon the Mayor, in the face of an official protest.

The foregoing procedure, the commission believes, is the only means by which damages awarded by the Street Commissioners, approved by the Mayor, acceptable to the owner of the land, but not in the interests of the city, can be reviewed by a court and jury.

It is important that the taxpayers understand that the Street Commissioners may award damages for land taken that are excessive, and that such damages, if accepted, will be paid by the city, if approved by the Mayor.

The Finance Commission recommends:

1. That the City Council, acting for the city in its corporate capacity, initiate appeal proceedings from any award of the Street Commissioners for the taking of land that

appears to be excessive or not in the interests of the city.

Respectfully submitted,
THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I feel at this time that the communication that has come from the Finance Commission does not differ from any other communication I have been sent here by them. After writing four or five pages they suggest in five lines in the last paragraph:

"The Finance Commission recommends that the City Council, acting for the city in its corporate capacity, initiate appeal proceedings from any award of the Street Commissioners for the taking of land that appears to be excessive or not in the interests of the city."

That is the recommendation that they have made to the Council, and I feel at this time, before anything is said upon the question that the chairman of the Finance Commission should be requested to appear here in person. I make that as a motion.

President DONOGHUE—If there is no objection the communication will be referred to the Executive Committee and the chairman of the Finance Commission will be asked to appear before the Council in executive session.

Coun. MORIARTY—This afternoon, if possible.

President DONOGHUE—Yes.

The Council voted that the matter be referred to the Executive Committee and that the chairman of the Finance Commission be required to appear before the committee.

REIMBURSEMENT TO SHERIFF.

Coun. LANE offered an order—That under the provisions of section 2 of chapter 31 of the General Laws the reimbursement by the County Treasurer to the Sheriff of the expense of premium on his surety bond, amounting to \$200, be and the same hereby is approved.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SALARY OF CITY REGISTRAR.

Coun. LANE offered the following:
City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-four. An Ordinance Concerning the Salary of the City Registrar.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section 1. Section five of chapter three of the Revised Ordinances of 1914 is hereby amended in the clause establishing the salary of the city registrar, by striking out the words "four thousand dollars" and inserting in place thereof the words "five thousand dollars."

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect beginning with the first day of February, 1924.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances, when appointed.

MATTERS OF UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That all matters of unfinished business referred from the City Council of 1923 be referred to the appropriate committees of the City Council of 1924, when appointed.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

PRINTING OF MUNICIPAL REGISTER.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Statistics Department be authorized, under the direction of the Committee on Rules, to prepare and have printed the Municipal Register for 1924 and that the Clerk of Committees be authorized to prepare and have printed a pocket edition of the organization of the city government, the expense to be charged to the appropriation for City Documents.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

EXPENSE OF ADVERTISING.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the expense incurred by the City Clerk in advertising the Street Traffic Regulations be charged to the appropriation for Reserve Fund, when made.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

IMPROVEMENT OF SULLIVAN SQUARE PLAYGROUND.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That the sum of \$100,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated for placing the Sullivan Square Playground, Charlestown, in shape, and for the erection of concrete stands on said playground, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

COMMITTEE ON JITNEYS.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That a special committee of five members be appointed to consider and report on all applications for licenses to operate jitneys.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

COMMITTEE ON UNCLAIMED BAGGAGE.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That a special committee of two members be appointed to consider all petitions for leave to sell unclaimed baggage, and said committee is hereby authorized to make in each case the examination required by law.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

IMPROVEMENT OF CHERRY STREET PLAYGROUND.

President DONOGHUE offered an order—That the sum of \$55,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the Park Commission for improving the Cherry Street Playground, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount for said purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

IMPROVEMENT OF RANDOLPH STREET PLAYGROUND.

President DONOGHUE offered an order—That the sum of \$50,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Commission for the purpose of erecting concrete bleachers and otherwise improving the Randolph Street Playground, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount for said purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

COMMITTEE ON RULES.

Coun. PURCELL offered an order—That a special committee of three members be appointed to consider such matters relating to the rules of the City Council as may be referred to such committee from time to time.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN.

President DONOGHUE appointed Coun. Watson to act temporarily as chairman of the Executive Committee.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at three o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. GILBODY, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.56 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WATSON, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz:

1. Report on communication from the Finance Commission (referred today) relative to land taken for Police Headquarters—that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; communication placed on file.

2. Further report on communication from Finance Commission (referred today) relative to land taken for Police Headquarters—recommending the passage of the following, viz.:

Ordered, That the Boston Finance Commission be requested to submit to the City Council the verbatim report of its investigation of the acquisition of the Park square site for a Police Headquarters.

Report accepted; order passed.

LEGISLATION CONCERNING JAMES F. O'MALLEY.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby favors legislation for the payment of a sum of money to the father of James F. O'Malley, who was drowned at the Barry Playground.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. LANE moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail.

Adjourned at 4:58 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. GILBODY, to meet on Monday, February 18, at two o'clock p. m.

EXPENDITURES FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES (RANKING FROM HIGHEST).

Los Angeles, \$20.62; Pittsburgh, \$15.51; Chicago, \$13.92; San Francisco, \$12.14; Philadelphia, \$8.68; New York, \$8.23; Boston, \$7.42 (as corrected according to approx. population). (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1920, Preliminary Reports.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR EQUIPMENT AND THE LIGHTING AND EXTINGUISHING OF GAS LAMPS FOR THE CITY OF BOSTON, EXCLUDING CHARLESTOWN AND HYDE PARK, FOR A TERM OF TEN YEARS BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1924.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the City of Boston, excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park, for a term of ten years beginning April 1, 1924. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Equipment and the Lighting and Extinguishing of Gas Lamps for the City of Boston, Excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park," for a term of ten years, beginning April 1, 1924, and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, March 6, 1924, with a certified check for ten thousand (10,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, February 14, 1924.
(Feb. 16-23-Mar. 1.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing bituminous pavement on any street in Boston not under guaranty, when ordered to do so by the Commissioner, between March 1, 1924, and January 31, 1925, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Repairing Bituminous Pavement," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, February 27, 1924, with a certified check for thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500), payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, February 14, 1924. (Feb. 16.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SOAP.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Park Department 500 boxes of soap, one half ounce molded cakes, 1,000 cakes to the box. Bidders are requested to submit specifications and samples of bid to the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. Blank proposals may be obtained at the above mentioned office. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. Bids will be publicly opened and read on Monday, February 25, 1924, at 12 m., Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(Feb. 16.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, FEBRUARY 7, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Kneeland street, Boston proper, as a highway, on the southwesterly side, between Tyler and Albany streets substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of February 19, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.
(Feb. 16.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON SPECIAL CASTINGS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service:

25,000 pounds, more or less, miscellaneous cast-iron castings for the High Pressure Fire Service.

Blank proposals may be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without cate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read on Wednesday, February 27, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(Feb. 16.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR MANUAL ARTS SUPPLIES FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the several schools and the School Committee supply room, manual arts supplies as per schedule. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, February 26, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$100, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for not less than 25 per cent of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(Feb. 16.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR STATIONERY FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the supply room, stationery as per schedule. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, March 3, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$100, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Each proposal should be plainly marked "Proposal for Stationery." The bid must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for the sum of not less than 25 per cent of the amount of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(Feb. 16.)

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Feb. 4, 1924.

The meeting for the organization of the School Committee of the City of Boston for the current municipal year was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 4:35 o'clock P. M.

All the members of the Board, viz., Dr. Frederick L. Bogan, Miss Frances G. Curtis, Messrs. William G. O'Hare, David D. Scannell and Edward M. Sullivan, were present.

The Board was called to order by Dr. David D. Scannell, the senior member.

MEMBERS-ELECT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The following communication was received:

Board of Election Commissioners
City Hall Annex, Court Square
Boston, Dec. 15, 1923.
Thornon D. Apollonio, Esq.,
Secretary, School Committee,
15 Beacon Street, Boston.

Dear Sir:—

We hereby certify that at the City Election held in the City of Boston, December 11, 1923, for the choice of two members of the School Committee for the term of three years:

Edward M. Sullivan, 41 Moseley street.

David D. Scannell, 489 Walnut avenue.

were duly elected to said office.

Melancthon W. Burlen,
Thomas E. Goggin,
Frank Seiberlich,
James F. Eagan,

Board of Election Commissioners.
Placed on file.

ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN.

The Board proceeded to the election of a chairman, and the Secretary was directed to call the roll.

The members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows:

For DR. SCANNELL—Messrs. Bogan and Curtis—2.

For Dr. BOGAN—Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—2.

NOT VOTING—Dr. Scannell—1.

There being no choice the Board proceeded to a second roll call.

The members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows:

For DR. SCANNELL—Dr. Bogan—1.

For DR. BOGAN—Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—4.

Dr. Frederick L. Bogan was thereupon declared duly elected Chairman of the Board, and assumed the chair.

RULES INVOLVING EXPENDITURE OF MONEY

On motion it was ORDERED, That the Rules of the School Committee and the Regulations of the Public Schools of last year, which involve the expenditure of money, be adopted for the present year until otherwise ordered.

RULES NOT INVOLVING EXPENDITURE OF MONEY.

On motion it was ORDERED, That the Rules of the School Committee and the Regulations of the Public Schools of last year, which do not involve the ex-

penditure of money, be adopted for the present year until otherwise ordered.

ELECTION OF TREASURER

The Board proceeded to the election of a Treasurer of the Corporation.

The Secretary was directed to call the roll, and the members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows:

For MISS CURTIS—Dr. Bogan, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—4.

For MR. O'HARE—Miss Curtis—1.

The Chairman declared Frances G. Curtis duly elected treasurer of the corporation.

AMENDMENTS TO MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of Nov. 5, 1923, page 185, as amended at the meeting of Nov. 19, 1923, page 195, were further amended to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Gertrude A. Flynn, as assistant, Abraham Lincoln District, to take effect Dec. 17, 1923, shall read "fourth year."

WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENT.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 4, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board he has withdrawn the appointment from the eligible list of Madeline Small, assistant, Longfellow District, to take effect Dec. 4, 1923, as reported at the meeting of Nov. 19, 1923 (p. 197).

Placed on file and the appointment withdrawn.

DEATH.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teacher, who had been retired on pension:

Quincy District—Bridget A. Foley, Apr. 30, 1923.

Placed on file.

The following appointments by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Dorchester High School—William A. Collieran, mechanical department, Jan. 2, 1924; Samuel Gerson, mechanical department, Feb. 4, 1924.

Charlestown High School—Richard A. Collins, mechanical department, Jan. 14, 1924.

Abraham Lincoln District—Eva Eastman, Jan. 14, 1924 (one day); Mary G. Telfer, Jan. 16, 1924.

Bennett District—Madeline E. Crosby, kindergarten, Jan. 2, 1924; Gertrude Anderson, Jan. 3, 1924; Hannah I. Cone, Jan. 8 to 18, 1924; Edna S. Peabody, Jan. 28, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—George D. Leavitt, Jan. 10, 1924 (one day); Edwin L. Crowley, Jan. 15, 1924 (one day); Katherine M. Keliher, Jan. 16, 1924.

Bowdoin District—Hannah I. Cone, (Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children) Jan. 21, 1924.

Chapman District—Maryalice Devoe, Jan. 16 to 17, 1924 (two days).

Charles Sumner District—Mary B. Keane, Jan. 28, 1924.

Dillaway District—Mary C. Norris, kindergarten, Jan. 3, 1924.

Dwight District—Grace Rifford, special class, Jan. 21, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Grace E. Penney, Jan. 22, 1924.

Eliot District—James H. McLaughlin, Jan. 15 to 17, 1924 (three days); Edwin M. Shannon, Jan. 23, 1924 (one day).

Francis Parkman District—Mary B. Keane, Jan. 3, 1924 (one day).

Franklin District—Theresa C. Curtin, Jan. 2, 1924.

Frederic W. Lincoln District—G. Marion Frederick, Jan. 3, 1924 (one day).

Harvard-Frothingham District—Louise F. Fine, Jan. 4, 1924; Mary E. Lynch, Jan. 22, 1924 (one day).

Henry Grew District—Catherine R. Smith, Jan. 2, 1924; Annie C. Kirk, Jan. 7, 1924.

Horace Mann District—Elizabeth M. Bishop, Jan. 9 to 18, 1924 (seven days); Louise Sullivan, Jan. 17, 1924.

Jefferson-Comins District—Constance Bartholomew, Jan. 2 to 4, 1924 (three days).

John Marshall District—Clara L. H. Roberts, special class, Jan. 21, 1924; Gertrude R. Trotman, Jan. 30, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Anna F. Lane, Jan. 2 to 3, 1924 (two days); Elizabeth M. Forman, kindergarten, Jan. 3, 1924; Thomas O. Giles, Jan. 28, 1924.

Mather District—Helen J. Quinn, kindergarten, Jan. 3, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Mary G. Nissen, Jan. 30, 1924 (one-half day).

Phillips Brooks District—Mary G. Lambe, Jan. 28, 1924 (one day).

Prince District—Horace B. Dean (one-half time), Jan. 25, 1924.

Quincy District—Pearl A. Larson, kindergarten, Jan. 2 to 11, 1924 (eight days); Priscilla W. Sanderson, kindergarten, Jan. 14, 1924; Roberta J. Golden, kindergarten, Jan. 16, 1924 (one day).

Rice District—Horace B. Dean (one-half time), Jan. 25, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Gertrude E. Maertins, Jan. 2 to 7, 1924 (four days); Constance Kingman, kindergarten, Jan. 3, 1924; Gertrude Carey, Jan. 8, 1924; Mary H. Lyons, Jan. 21, 1924 (one day).

Samuel Adams District—Florence Fitz, Jan. 11 to 16, 1924 (four days); Bessie J. Smith, Jan. 17, 1924 (one day); Mary Shay, Jan. 18, 1924 (one day); Helen E. Conroy, Jan. 21, 1924; Florence Fitz, Jan. 24, 1924 (one day); Virginia E. Sargent, Jan. 25, 1924 (one day); Lucy E. Wright, Jan. 30, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Clare C. Hendrick, kindergarten, Jan. 29, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Josef F. Nelson, Jan. 8, 1924 (one day); Thomas O. Giles, Jan. 14, 1924 (one day); Constance Tenney, Jan. 28 to 29, 1924 (two days).

Thomas Gardner District—Nina C. Blood, Jan. 2, 1924.

Ulysses S. Grant District—M. Gregory Lee, Jan. 2, 1924; Margaret Crotty, Jan. 17, 1924 (one day).

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Louise F. Fine, Jan. 3, 1924 (one day); Jane P. Hawes, kindergarten, Jan. 3, 1924; Clara M. Dorr, Jan. 7 to 11, 1924 (five days); Dorothy Caswell, Jan. 30, 1924; Francis P. Earls, Jan. 30, 1924 (one day).

Wells District—Ella S. Weiss, Jan. 10, 1924 (one-half day).

Wendell Phillips District—Walter L. McSwiney, Jan. 2, 1924.

Day School for Immigrants—Anastasia O. Hynes, Jan. 23, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Public Latin School—Lawrence J. Curtin, junior master, Jan. 2 to 4, 1924 (three days).

Brighton High School—Albert C. Dove, co-operative instructor, Feb. 5, 1924.

Dorchester High School—Margaret Croity, assistant, Jan. 21, 1924 (one day); Gertrude E. Maertins, assistant, Jan. 22, 1924 (one day); Lawrence J. Curtin, assistant, Jan. 28, 1924.

English High School—Charles F. Coveney, junior master, Jan. 2, 1924; Hugo Giduz, junior master, Jan. 28, 1924.

Girls' High School—Julia I. Foster, assistant, Jan. 9 to 11, 1924 (three days).

Elihu Greenwood District—Frank E. Morrissey, sub-master, Jan. 23, 1924.

Prescott District—John J. Norton, prevocational assistant, Jan. 2, 1924; Francis M. McGettrick, prevocational assistant, Jan. 3 to 4, 1924 (two days).

Trade School for Girls—Jennie M. Carlson, helper, Feb. 1, 1924.

Sewing—Elizabeth Conley, teacher, Feb. 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Dorchester High School—Harold P. Johnson, co-operative instructor, (from foreman, shop work, Department of Manual Arts) Feb. 25, 1924.

East Boston High School—Arthur R. Nelson, co-operative instructor, Feb. 25, 1924.

Longfellow District—Madaline Small, assistant, Jan. 21, 1924.

Department of Medical Inspection—Anna E. Donovan, school nurse, Feb. 25, 1924.

Laid over.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1923-1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Daniel J. Falvey as assistant in the Girls' Evening Commercial High School on January 29 and 31, 1924 (two evenings), is hereby authorized and that he be paid for his services at the rate of five dollars (\$5) per evening.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Gertrude A. Anderson as assistant in the Comins Evening School on January 24, 1924 (one evening), is hereby authorized and that she be paid for her services at the rate of three dollars (\$3) per evening.

Girls' Evening Commercial High School—Leonard B. Moulton, assistant, Jan. 15, 1924 (one evening).

Comins Evening School—Mary E. Mulligan, assistant, Jan. 28 to 31, 1924 (three evenings); Pauline A. Prendergast, assistant, Jan. 29, 1924 (one evening).

Franklin Evening School—Lillian E. Goodwin, assistant, Jan. 29, 1924 (one evening).

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Margaret R. Kenneally, assistant, Jan. 29, 1924 (one evening); Rose Labadini, assistant, Jan. 17, 1924 (one evening).

Washington Evening School—Agnes G. Gunning, assistant, Jan. 29, 1924 (one evening).

Boston Trade School (Evening Classes)—James Farrell, second assistant, Jan. 22, 1924.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST

Maud T. Bailey, Ruth V. Belknap, Lillian G. Butler, Philip J. Dwyer, Mabel T. Elder, Beatrice Fickett, Agnes F. Gould, Serena G. Hall, Lilly J. Ireson, Eva L. Jordan, Anna T. Joss, Blanche E. Lavalle, Mary I. McKay, James H. McLaughlin, Mary R. Morse, Evelyn T. Nordstrom, Marjorie M. Norton, Georgia D. O'Day, Alice E. Oliver, Edna S. Peabody, Hazel H. Petersen, Ruth D. Phillips, Virginia E. Sargent, Mary Moran Sullivan, Gertrude E. Trotman, Mary E. Walsh, Florence Williams, Belle Wisansky, Lucy E. Wright.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified

Dorchester High School—Fannie J. Yeaw, assistant from Feb. 1 to 29, 1924.

Hyde Park High School—Maurice J. Murphy, junior master, Jan. 17, 1924, one day, without pay; Emerson Rice, master, head of department, from Feb. 5 to March 31, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—Elizabeth H. Norman, assistant, Jan. 24, 1924, one day wedding.

Trade School for Girls—Lily W. Jewett, trade assistant, from Jan. 2 to 18, 1924 without pay.

Abraham Lincoln District—Joseph F. Gould, master, Dec. 14, 1923, one day without pay.

Bennett District—Alice G. Flynn, assistant, Jan. 15, 1924, one day, wedding; Rose S. Havey, assistant, Jan. 2, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Chapman District—Irene K. M. Crowley, assistant, from Jan. 2 to 31, 1924.

Charles Sumner District—Mary G. Kelley, assistant, Jan. 8, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Mary G. Kelley, assistant, Jan. 29, 1924 one-half day, funeral; Katherine Macdonald, first assistant kindergarten, from Feb. 1 to April 30, 1924; Margaret M. Sullivan, assistant, Jan. 8, 1924, one-half day funeral.

Dillaway District—Annie E. McCormick, assistant, Jan. 15, 1924, one day, wedding.

Edmund P. Tileston District—Margaret C. Donovan, assistant, Jan. 22, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Edward Everett District—Anne C. McCormack, assistant, Jan. 3, 1924, one day, funeral; Gertrude J. Rhilinger, assistant, Jan. 14, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Elliot District—Mary E. Smith, assistant, Jan. 21, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Everett District—Florence A. Perry, assistant, from Dec. 1, 1923, to Feb. 28, 1924.

Franklin District—Anna T. Sennot, assistant, Jan. 21, 1924, one-half day, and Jan. 24, 1924, one-half day, court summonses; Anna Shultz, assistant, Jan. 11, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Margaret M. Stapleton, assistant, Jan. 7, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Hancock District—Anna T. Dinand, assistant, Jan. 29, 1924, one day, funeral.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Abbie C. McAuliffe, assistant, from Dec. 3, 1923, to March 3, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Mary M. Kirby, assistant, Jan. 31, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

John Marshall District—Elizabeth R. Phelan, assistant, Jan. 9, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

John Winthrop District—Grace M. Hart, assistant, Jan. 24 and 25, 1924, two days, without pay.

Julia Ward Howe District—Pauline Vanderhoop, instructor, special class, Jan. 25, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Lewis Intermediate District—Celia V. Leen, first assistant in charge, Jan. 29, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Lowell District—Mary E. Morse, assistant, Jan. 15, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Mary Hemenway District—Melzar H. Jackson, sub-master, Jan. 30, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Mather District—Helen M. French, assistant, Jan. 31, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Norcross District—Mary E. Jago, assistant, Jan. 17, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Oliver Hazard Perry District—M. Claire Cooper, assistant, Jan. 4, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Margaret P. O'Leary, assistant, Jan. 7, 1924, one day, funeral.

Phillips Brooks District—Margaret M. Flaherty, instructor, special class, Jan. 28, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Quincy District—Winifred S. O'Brien, assistant kindergarten, from Jan. 2 to 31, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Eileen V. Driscoll, assistant, Jan. 14, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Roger Wolcott District—Charles N. Bentley, master, Jan. 15, 1924, one-half day, wedding; May Kapples, assistant, Jan. 16, 1924, one-half day, wedding; Irene O. Mulrey, assistant kindergarten, Jan. 3, 1924, one day, without pay; Julia E. Sullivan, master's assistant, Feb. 25 to 29, 1924, five days, attendance at convention of National Education Association, without loss of pay.

Samuel Adams District—Margaret M. Duggan, assistant, Jan. 28, 1924, one day, funeral.

Washington District—M. Edith Moran, assistant, Jan. 9, 1924, one day, wedding; Gertrude F. Sullivan, assistant, Jan. 11, 1924, one-half day, and Jan. 23, 1924, one-half day, funerals.

Washington Allston District—Louise A. Keeler, assistant, from Jan. 2 to 31, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—Mary A. Ford, assistant, Jan. 28 to 30, 1924, three days, without pay.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Katherine M. Mahoney, teacher of sewing, Jan. 21-23, 1924, two and one-half days, without pay; Katherine M. Mahoney, teacher of sewing, Jan. 24, 1924, one day, court summons.

Department of Manual Arts—Helen E. Cleaves, first assistant, manual arts, Jan. 4, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Simon F. Curran, school physician, Jan. 12, 1924, one day, without pay; William H. Devine, director, from Feb. 1, to March 31, 1924; Catherine F. O'Toole, school nurse, Jan. 29, 1924, one day, without pay.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Ethel S. Fletcher, vocational assistant, Jan. 3, 4, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (vacation); Bessie MacBride, vocational assistant, Jan. 25, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (vacation); Margaret M. Sallaway, vocational assistant, Jan. 3, 14, 15, 1924, three days, without loss of pay (vacation); Irving O. Scott, vocational instructor, Jan. 4, 7, 8, 1924, two and one-half days, without loss of pay (vacation).

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following-named teacher, for the term specified:

Quincy District—Winifred S. O'Brien, assistant kindergarten, from Feb. 1 to June 30, 1924, without pay.

ASSIGNMENTS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 4, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Elsie M. Eckman, assistant, Shurtleff District, to the Department of Music, without change of rank or salary, said assignment to take effect Feb. 5, 1924, and to continue until Apr. 11, 1924, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file and the assignment approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 4, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board he has assigned the following named teachers to classes attended exclusively by boys in grades above the third in the districts herein stated:

Bigelow District—Madeline M. Fitzgerald, assistant, Jan. 23, 1922.

Eliot District—Mary M. Monaghan, assistant, Nov. 22, 1921.

Placed on file, and the assignments approved.

DESIGNATION OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 4, 1924, reporting the following designation of a teacher to serve in the position indicated, until such time as it shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations:

Roger Wolcott District—Josephine L. Pickett, assistant, as acting first assistant in charge, vice Louisa W. Burgess, absent on leave, to take effect Jan. 21, 1924.

Placed on file.

RETIREMENT ON PENSION.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the following-named teacher be retired on pension in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908, as amended by Chapter 617 of the Acts of 1910, Chapter 569 of the Acts of 1912, and Chapter 304 of the Special Acts of 1915, the date of retirement and rate of pension to be as hereinafter specified:

Dudley District—Lucy G. M. Card, length of service 36 years, December 31, 1923, \$600.

Passed, a majority of the Board voting in the affirmative.

ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION OF NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent, one assistant superintendent, and one head master, day high schools, are hereby authorized to attend the annual meeting of the Department of Superintendence of the National Education Association, to be held in Chicago, Illinois, from Feb. 25 to 29, 1924, inclusive, at an expense not to exceed four hundred and fifty dollars (\$450.).

TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE, SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to employ such temporary assistance in his office, and at such compensation as he may deem advisable during the current financial year.

TEMPORARY AND EMERGENCY CLERICAL ASSISTANTS IN SCHOOLS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That during the current financial year, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to employ such temporary and emergency clerical assistants in the schools as he may deem advisable.

TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE, SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Secretary is hereby authorized to employ such temporary assistance in his office, and at such compensation as he may deem advisable during the current financial year.

APPROVAL OF PAY ROLLS, BILLS AND CONTRACTS.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the Board authorize any of its members to approve, on behalf of the Board, all pay rolls and bills, both regular and special, and the contracts for the financial year 1924-25.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the School Committee authorize any of its members to approve on behalf of the Board, all pay rolls and bills, both regular and special, and the contracts for the financial year 1924-25.

SERVICES OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the Board acknowledge the assistance of the Sealer of Weights and Measures in checking weights of coal during the past year, and that he be requested to continue to assist in the same manner during the current year.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the School Committee hereby acknowledges the valuable assistance rendered by the Sealer of Weights and Measures in checking the weights of coal delivered by contractors in the several school buildings during the past year.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the School Committee hereby requests the Sealer of Weights and Measures to check the weights of coal to be delivered to the several school buildings during the current year.

ALLOWANCES FOR CASH TRANSACTIONS.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, calling atten-

tion to the order passed at the meeting of Feb. 5, 1923, providing an allowance of \$250 to the Business Agent for the payment of small cash transactions, reporting that the City Auditor now advises that this sum has never been charged against the School Committee, but has been carried as a cash advance by the City Treasurer, and recommending that the passage of such orders, in respect of both the Business Agent and the principals of the Boston Trade School, the Continuation School, and the Trade School for Girls, be discontinued and the sum carried as a permanent cash advance; and recommending further that the unexpended balance for the financial year 1923-24 be not paid to the City Collector, but held for the purposes set forth in the order.

Placed on file, and the recommendations adopted.

EXTENSION OF COAL CONTRACTS.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the contract with the City Fuel Company, dated June 5, 1923, and providing for the delivery of bituminous coal to the East Boston, Brighton, West Roxbury and Hyde Park Districts from June 16, 1923 to Jan. 31, 1924, be extended to June 15, 1924.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the contract for bituminous coal made between the School Committee and the City Fuel Company under date of June 5, 1923, and providing for the delivery of bituminous coal to the East Boston, Brighton, West Roxbury and Hyde Park Districts, from June 16, 1923 to January 31, 1924, is hereby continued to June 15, 1924 as provided for in Section 1 of the contract.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the contract with the Doherty Coal Company, under date of June 11, 1923, and providing for the delivery of bituminous coal to the Roxbury and Dorchester districts from June 16, 1923 to Jan. 31, 1924, be extended to June 15, 1924.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the contract for bituminous coal between the School Committee and the Doherty Coal Company, under date of June 11, 1923, and providing for the delivery of bituminous coal from June 16, 1923 to Jan. 31, 1924, is hereby continued to June 15, 1924 as provided for in Section 1 of the contract.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the contract with the E. S. Morse Company, dated June 5, 1923, and providing for the delivery of bituminous coal to the Charlestown district from June 16, 1923, to Jan. 31, 1924, be extended to June 15, 1924, as provided in section 1 of said contract.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the contract for bituminous coal between the School Committee and the E. S. Morse Company, under date of June 5, 1923, and providing for the delivery of

bituminous coal from June 16, 1923, to January 31, 1924, is hereby continued to June 15, 1924, as provided for in Section 1 of the contract.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the contract with the Stetson Coal Company, dated June 8, 1923, providing for the furnishing of bituminous coal for the city proper and South Boston districts, from June 16, 1923, to Jan. 31, 1924, be continued to June 15, 1924, as provided in Section 1 of said contract.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the contract for furnishing bituminous coal for the city proper and South Boston districts between the School Committee and the Stetson Coal Company, under date of June 8, 1923, and providing for the delivery of bituminous coal from June 16, 1923, to January 31, 1924, is hereby continued to June 15, 1924, as provided for in Section 1 of the contract.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the contract with the City Fuel Company, dated August 1, 1923, providing for the furnishing and storage of bituminous coal to Jan. 31, 1924, be extended to June 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the contract for the furnishing and storage of bituminous coal between the School Committee and the City Fuel Company under date of August 1, 1923, and providing for the delivery and storage of bituminous coal to January 31, 1924, be extended to June 1, 1924, as provided for in Sections 1b, 1c and 1d of the contract.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the contract with the Doherty Coal Company, dated August 1, 1923, for furnishing and storage of coal to Jan. 31, 1924, be extended to June 1, 1924, as provided in the contract.

Placed on file.

On motion it was

ORDERED, That the contract between the School Committee and the Doherty Coal Company under date of August 1, 1923 for furnishing and storage of bituminous coal to January 31, 1924, is hereby continued to June 1, 1924, as provided for in Sections 1b, 1c and 1d of the contract.

PURCHASE OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Feb. 1, 1924, recommending that he be granted authority to purchase anthracite coal for use in the public schools during the current year, under such conditions and at such prices as he may determine to be for the best interests of the city.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Business Agent is hereby authorized to purchase anthracite coal for use in the public schools, under such conditions

and at such prices as he may determine to be for the best interests of the city.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS FOR FUEL OIL.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the contract with the Petroleum Heat and Power Company, dated July 18, 1923, for furnishing heavy fuel oil for the public schools from Sept. 1, 1923, to Jan. 31, 1924, be continued to June 15, 1924, as provided in Section 1 of said contract.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the contract for heavy fuel oil made between the School Committee and the Petroleum Heat and Power Company, under date of July 18, 1923, and providing for the delivery of oil from September 1, 1923, to January 31, 1924, is hereby continued to June 15, 1924, as provided for in Section 1 of the contract.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the contract with the Ballard Fuel Oil Terminal Corporation, dated July 27, 1923, for furnishing light fuel oil for the public schools from Sept. 1, 1923, to Jan. 31, 1924, be continued to June 15, 1924, as provided in Section 1 of said contract.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the contract for light fuel oil made between the School Committee and the Ballard Fuel Oil Terminal Corporation under date of July 27, 1923, and providing for the delivery of oil from September 1, 1923 to January 31, 1924 is hereby continued to June 15, 1924, as provided for in Section 1 of the contract.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACT FOR REMOVING ASHES AND SWEEPINGS.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the contract with M. Doyle and Company, Inc., under date of Dec. 17, 1923, and providing for the removal of ashes and sweepings from certain school buildings from Dec. 17, 1923, to Jan. 31, 1924, be extended to Nov. 30, 1924, as provided in Section 1 of said contract.

Placed on file.

On motion it was

ORDERED, That the contract for removing ashes and sweepings from certain school buildings made between the School Committee and M. Doyle and Company, Inc., under date of December 17, 1923 and providing for the removal of such ashes and sweepings from December 17, 1923 to January 31, 1924, is hereby continued to November 30, 1924, as provided for in Section 1 of the contract.

TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE, BUSINESS AGENT'S OFFICE AND SUPPLY ROOM.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, recommending that the Business Agent be authorized to employ such temporary assistance in his office and at the Supply

Room, at such compensation as he may deem advisable during the current financial year.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Business Agent is hereby authorized to employ such temporary assistance in his office and at the Supply Room at such compensation as he may deem advisable during the current financial year.

ATTENDANCE OF BUSINESS AGENT AT CONVENTION.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 31, 1924, requesting authority to attend the convention of the National Association of Public School Business Officials, to be held at Indianapolis, Indiana, during the week ending May 17, 1924, at the expense of the city, not to exceed one hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$175).

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Business Agent is hereby authorized to attend the Annual Convention of the National Association of Public School Business Officials, to be held at Indianapolis, Indiana, during the week ending May 17, 1924, at expense to the city not to exceed one hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$175).

TRANSFER OF UNEXPENDED BALANCE TO PERMANENT PENSION FUND.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, reporting that, after paying pensions to teachers during the financial year ending Jan. 31, 1924, there remains a balance of \$38,474.68 not needed for that purpose, and this sum is now available for payment to the Treasurer of the Permanent Pension Fund for investment by the Board of Trustees of that fund.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the sum of thirty-eight thousand four hundred seventy-four dollars and sixty-eight cents (\$38,474.68), being the unexpended balance of the appropriation for "Pensions to Teachers," be paid to the Treasurer of the Permanent Pension Fund for investment by the Board of Trustees of said fund, said amount, in the opinion of the School Committee, not being needed for the purpose of paying pensions to teachers during the financial year ending Jan. 31, 1924.

REPORT OF BUSINESS AGENT ON ATTENDANCE AT CONFERENCE IN TRENTON, N. J.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 30, 1924, submitting, in compliance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report on his attendance at a conference held at Trenton, N. J., on Jan. 23 and 24, 1924.

Placed on file.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Feb. 4, 1924, recommend-

ing that Frank P. Bartlett, custodian of the Ellen H. Richards Schoolhouse, be granted leave of absence on one-half his net compensation for the period Jan. 1 to 31, 1924, inclusive, because of physical disability.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Feb. 4, 1924, recommending that Michael E. Colleary, custodian of the Wendell Phillips Schoolhouse, be granted leave of absence on one-half his net compensation for the period Jan. 25 to Feb. 24, 1924, inclusive, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

CHARLESTOWN FREE SCHOOL FUND.

A statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Charlestown Free School Fund for the year ending Jan. 31, 1924, as submitted by the Treasurer of the Corporation, Frances G. Curtis, was presented, the balance to new account being \$10,122.34.

Placed on file, and the Chairman authorized to approve the same and to verify the sums and securities belonging to said fund and in the possession of the Treasurer.

LEGISLATION TO ALLOW VOLUNTARY RETIREMENT AT AGE OF SIXTY YEARS.

A communication was received from Anne D. Allard, President, Boston Elementary Teachers' Club, under date of Feb. 4, 1924, reporting that at a meeting of the Executive Board of the Club it was voted to direct the activities of the Club toward obtaining legislation to reduce the age limit for voluntary retirement from sixty-five years to sixty years, which is the age for voluntary retirement under the Boston Retirement System, and requesting the co-operation and endorsement of the Board to a bill now before the Legislature to this effect.

Laid over.

AMENDMENT TO RULES.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That section 16, paragraph 1, of chapter I of the rules be amended to read as follows:

Sect. 16. 1. All sessions, conferences, meetings and hearings of the Board shall be open to the public, with the following exception:

The Board may, by a majority vote, go into executive session for preliminary consideration of a particular case or matter of a nature universally accepted as peculiarly private, involving the personal conduct, character or reputation of a member of the Committee, school official, teacher or other employee of the School Committee, parent, pupil or any other person; provided, however, that full record shall be duly taken of the proceedings and no vote shall be passed in such executive session.

This order shall take effect on its passage.

Laid over.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

THORNTON D. APOLLONIO,
Secretary.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 26 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, i. e., adjacent to Boston, are these, viz., Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and 45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has 44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water District, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, viz., the Fire Prevention District, was or-

ganized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston," but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates, the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or \$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921, and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$846,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products: (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

BOSTON AS A TOWN.

From its foundation until 1755, or a period of 125 years, Boston was not only the most outstanding but the most populous town in the American colonies. In 1760, Philadelphia's population was ahead, viz., 18,756, Boston's then being 15,631 and New York's about 14,000. In the last year of town government, viz., 1821, Boston's population was about 45,000 and its public debt \$100,000, all incurred for new county buildings.

LOCAL LABOR UNIONS.

On January 1, 1922, number of local unions reporting, 348, with 114,883 members (14,480 less than in 1921) or 101,745 men and 13,138 women. Percentage of local union members unemployed on March 31, 1921, 30.3; on June 30, 23.1; on September 30, 20.0; December 31, 24.8.

EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOL MAINTENANCE PER CAPITA (RANKING FROM HIGHEST).

Los Angeles, \$14.82; New York, \$12.32; Boston, \$12.10 (as corrected); Pittsburgh, \$11.82; Cleveland, \$10.42; St. Louis, \$9.40; Chicago, \$8.88; San Francisco, \$8.20; Philadelphia, \$7.73. (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1920, Preliminary Reports.)

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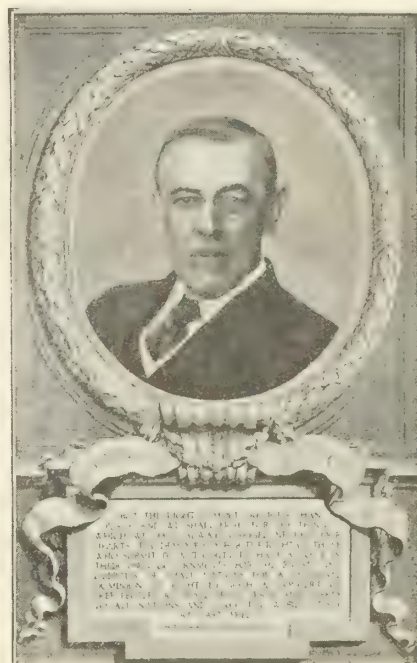
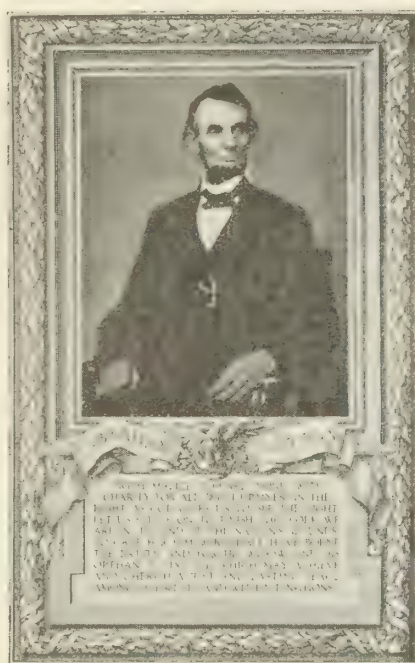
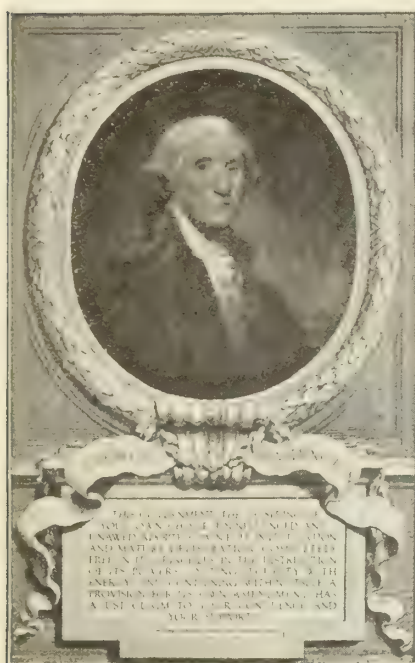
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5,000 BOSTON CITIZENS GATHER IN REVERENCE AT SYMPHONY HALL TO HONOR MEMORY OF AMERICA'S THREE MOST ILLUSTRIOUS MEN.

MEMORIAL EXERCISES IN HONOR OF WASHINGTON, LINCOLN AND WILSON, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17, UNDER AUSPICES OF CITY MOST IMPRESSIVE HELD IN CITY IN YEARS—SINGING OF SCHOOL CHILDREN PROVES ONE OF BIGGEST FEATURES.



AMERICA'S THREE MOST ILLUSTRIOUS CITIZENS HONORED IN TRIPLE MEMORIAL SERVICES AT SYMPHONY HALL WITH GLOWING EULOGIES BY EMINENT SPEAKERS.

Citizens of Boston did themselves proud on Sunday, February 17, when more than 5,000 gathered at Symphony Hall for the memorial exercises in honor of three of the country's most eminent dead—George Washington, Abraham Lincoln and Woodrow Wilson. It was the first time in the history of celebrations that exercises in honor of Washington and Lincoln were combined, and from the success attained it is believed that in future years this plan for honoring our three most illustrious men will be continued and perhaps spread over the country.

There were several features that served to make the meeting one of the most notable ever held in the city. It was presided over by Boston's grand old citizen, former Mayor Thomas N. Hart, who has but recently celebrated his ninety-fifth birthday; the officiating clergyman was an aged Civil War veteran, Rev. Dr. E. A. Horton, and the singing of the school children under direction of the supervisor of music in the Boston schools was the most remarkable exhibi-

tion of leadership and training of child voices ever evidenced.

Following an organ recital Hon. E. Mark Sullivan introduced ex-Mayor Thomas N. Hart. He said he was glad to be present. A little later, when United States Senator Walsh arrived and shook hands with the venerable ex-Mayor, the latter stepped forward again and said: "I consider it a great privilege to be here this afternoon. One reason is because I want to hear the senator—our senator—and we have found him all right."

After that Hon. E. Mark Sullivan took charge of the meeting and began with a brief tribute to Woodrow Wilson, "the man who had given us a new maxim: 'I would rather fail with a cause that will ultimately win than win with a cause that will ultimately fail.'"

After commenting on the character and lofty ideals of Woodrow Wilson, Mr. Sullivan said:

"It was unfortunate for his own lofty purpose that this great man was so intolerant to those who withheld from

him their support, even though they, too, were equally sincere.

"The rejection by his countrymen of his League of Nations and its World Court of International Justice embittered his last years and measurably shortened the life of this great President. The confidence with which he continued to view and cherish the object of his public service is heroic. He has earned the lasting gratitude and reverence of his countrymen."

Then followed the singing of "America" and "Bostonia" by the school chorus and a selection by the orchestra. Washington's "Farewell Address" was recited with fine effect by a Latin School pupil, James M. Curley, Jr., son of the Mayor, or as Mr. Sullivan called him, "the Mayor's alter ego on this occasion."

After some more orchestral selections and singing by the chorus, Lincoln's "Gettysburg Address" was recited by Chandler M. Wright, a pupil of the English High School. After another

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
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Meeting of the City Council, Monday, February 25, at two o'clock p. m.
Special meeting of the School Committee, Monday, February 25, at 6.30 p. m.
Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

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lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

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TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for informa-

tion regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

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DISCUSS ZONING PLAN.

Further details of plans for the proposed zoning of Boston, with illustrations of ways in which it may benefit the public, were presented at a public hearing in City Hall.

William Stanley Parker, member of the Boston City Planning Board, presided and in a short address outlined the purposes of the new system. About seventy-five persons attended and were permitted to express their views and to seek information.

Arthur C. Comey gave an illustrated talk, showing views of districts where zoning would aid the owner and the dweller, by keeping out of strictly residential districts large industries which tend to cut off light and air and cause a depreciation in the values of property for residence purposes. His slides were taken in various parts of Greater Boston and showed sections where various enterprises have entered the residential districts.

Plans for districting the six sections proposed and tables of comparisons were shown in the slides.

Mr. Parker defined zoning as action by a city, by authority of the state to control, under the police power the heights to which buildings may be erected, the area of lots that must be left open and the uses to which buildings and land may be put.

"Zoning divides the city into districts for residential, business and industrial uses," said Mr. Parker. "It protects the homes in residential areas from injury due to encroachments of business or of industry. It affords districts in which industries and commercial enterprises may safely locate without fear of protest and with every facility to do business.

"Zoning is protection for the poor man. Zoning gives by law to the citizen of modest means, both in his home and in his business, the protection the citizen of large means is able to secure by litigation or private restriction."

As in the earlier hearing, it was pointed out that the plan would not affect many present properties, but would govern future development.

Of the sixty-eight cities in the United States with more than 100,000 population, thirty-seven have zoning ordinances in effect, and of the cities over 50,000 population, fifty-two have adopted zoning in some form.

Councilor William C. Healey expressed the conviction that the section in East Boston known as Shea's Hill, indicated on the plans as an industrial section, should be changed, as he declared it lies between residential districts in East Boston and in Winthrop.

Walter R. Meins, member of the zoning advisory commission and a member of the United Improvement Association, emphasized the need, pointed out by Mr. Comey, for restricting the encroaching of certain industries in suburban residential streets.

Other speakers included John J. Hamilton, Fred Elwell, S. H. Stone, L. S. Dobkin and W. T. Miller.

ADDITIONAL STREETS FOR COASTING.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners designating as additional public ways where coasting may be permitted the following:

Park street, Dorchester district, from Washington street to Waldeck street.
Geenbrier street, Dorchester district, from Park street to Bloomfield street.

NATION IS MORALLY SOUND DESPITE INIQUITY AMONG SOME OFFICIALS.

SENATOR DAVID I. WALSH DELIVERS BRILLIANT ADDRESS AT SYMPHONY HALL ON OCCASION OF HONORING OF THREE ILLUSTRIOUS FORMER PRESIDENTS IN MEMORIAL EXERCISES LAST SUNDAY.

The fame of Washington and Lincoln requires no particular ceremonial or memorial. They both live and shall continue to live in the hearts of every generation of Americans. Each lived a life and wrought works which will cover their names with glory inextinguishable so long as man retains memories of heroic achievements.

It is because we appreciate the value of the celebration of great national events and characters in keeping alive and stimulating a national spirit, without which patriotism cannot exist, that this great municipality has assembled us here today. To this shrine, dedicated this day to Washington and Lincoln, we have come to bring offerings of devotion, to renew our faith, to stimulate our love of country to incarnate the memory of Washington and Lincoln in the newer generation.

Washington created the republic; Lincoln preserved it. We cannot too frequently recollect and emphasize what was made; what was saved.

The fundamentals that were made and preserved are faith in the Providence of God, freedom, justice, equality. These are the great distinguishing marks of our democracy. These are the fundamentals that make our form of government different from all other governments.

Freedom, of what? Civil liberty.

Faith in the Providence of God, for whom? Not in any particular religion, but the one the individual pleases to choose.

Justice, for whom? For rich and for poor. For the rich, assuring them that they shall not be divested or interfered with in the possession of wealth which they have honestly accumulated. For the poor, assuring them that they shall not be exploited by the rich.

Equality, for whom? For black man, red man and white man; for Catholic and Protestant, for Jew and Gentile; for the exalted as well as the humble.

These fundamentals, freedom, justice and equality, were first enunciated by Washington and his co-founders of the republic and their preservation unchanged were made possible by the wisdom and forceful leadership of Lincoln. Let us never forget these are the great distinguishing marks of our democracy; the principles that have placed this republic upon a high pinnacle among the nations of the world. The extent to which we preserve and develop these high principles is the measure of our greatness. If we surrender them, the America of Washington and Lincoln is ended. It is for us to profit by the lessons of patriotism and devotion to country which marked the lives and accomplishments of the Father of Our Country and the Emancipator, rather than complacently accept the inheritance that is ours as a result of their service and sacrifice. Our duty as American citizens is ever to be on guard against

the evil influences which tend to destroy the basic principles of constitutional government.

There were never so many unorganized forces in the social, political or financial world awaiting our solution as there are today. Discontent and dissatisfaction are widely permeated. Recent disclosures in Washington have added to the cynicism, and give further proof that it is not propaganda from aliens coming to our shores, but the utter disregard for law and the public rights by greedy self-seekers among our own citizens utterly disregarding the rights of their fellow-men that will shake confidence and promote radicalism. This dissatisfaction in the existing order of man's relationship to government may not be as great as some allege, but there is altogether more of it than is healthy.

What are the reasons for it? On the one hand is the influence of those false theories promulgating continuous class struggle and that we live in a Godless world where the only concern manifested is with questions of material welfare and that all are entitled to share equally in the distribution of the material resources. On the other hand is the widespread, insidious and scarcely discernible theory that success being assured only by money and power, all means necessary to obtain these are justified. These two theories are unsound and the trend of either leads to anarchy or chaos. The triumph of either of these theories has ultimately brought disaster to the governments that fostered them.

Observe what this type of thought has done to other countries. All these forces have conspired in radically different ways either to overthrow or weaken governments everywhere. The great mass of people in Europe have shown their restlessness in many ways.

We must avoid these camps of destructive and faulty philosophy. A true adherence to the basic American ideals as enunciated by Washington will surely stimulate our social life. A country and a world organized on ethical principles is what Washington strove to uphold. No government can survive that does not regard human rights before private interests. Neither can a government survive that does not in fact as well as in theory dedicate itself "to the proposition that all men are created equal." An autocracy under the name of a democracy cannot be saved by its name.

But if these fundamental truths are to be spread, if these ideals are to be impressed in gold upon the black garb of materialism, we must have leaders inspired with the ideals of Washington and Lincoln; we must have someone to bear the torch, to live and die for the cause, while the followers, taking renewed inspiration from their nobleness shall close their lips tightly and move forward. Unstinted efforts, untiring devotion, immeasurable sacrifice for the fulfillment of happiness and love into the hearts of mankind is demanded particu-

larly of those leaders in the public service. Unselfishness and sound thinking by those who lead in forming public opinion today is the hope of the country, the hope of the world. Courage to fight the forces of religious and racial intolerance, excessive paternalism, corrupt business, and unreasonable restriction of personal liberty and the exploitation of the weak by the powerful is the need of the time. As in Washington and Lincoln's time, the security of our institutions are in the keeping of our leaders. The masses will follow honest, courageous champions of principles of liberty, justice and equality. But more and more they are demanding deeds rather than words by those who espouse and interpret these principles.

But let not my admonitions lead you to be affrighted by the tasks of citizenship or discouraged by the attending responsibilities. The early years of our nation was a more stormy and strenuous age than the present. There was then no body of precedent to cite, no great names to conjure with to still the passion of a people, restless and suspicious of law, poor and engaged in an unceasing struggle with nature, with foreign foes on our coast and savage foes on our frontier. It was the task of the leaders of that day to guide the fortunes of this nation through intrigue and faction, facing its foreign enemies with dignity and courage, baffling its domestic foes with wisdom and justice, and give to it the guidance and direction that sent it down the years in strength and confidence.

Thus we have a dual heritage; citizenship in a democracy such as the world had never before known, and the enlightening example of the statesmanship of those who so successfully guided the destinies of that democracy. American citizenship is the heir of the best thought and the widest world experience of mankind. In one short century it has realized the longings of all lovers of liberty, through the ages. In one hundred years American citizenship has renewed the political face of the world and if there be yet a few convulsive struggles of oppressed mankind, it is largely owing to the very fact of American freedom, that there are political convulsions, and that the just claims of oppressed people are not formally and definitely extinguished. As far as American citizenship has shed its influence in this world, political tyranny has sickened, if it did not die. It is the fixed star of freedom in the world today. And this influence has not necessitated any departure from the teachings of Washington.

As Americans we must not tolerate any obstacle to the normal beneficent action and influence of our democracy, wherever in the world it is desired and appreciated.

But what as to the world burden imposed upon America since the war.

We shall best meet its demands by the development of those national traits which distinguished us amid the scenes of conflict. The American citizen must be very unselfish and self-sacrificing in face of the urgent needs of suffering humanity; and must not be lacking in prudence, good sense, and moderation. He will not substitute himself for those who can and ought to work out their own salvation. He will not become the common carrier of the sorrows and woes of all mankind. In the coming years, as the new political order of Europe devel-

ops, he will need to walk warily to avoid entanglements in a world habituated to them and wont to free itself by ways and means that are not congenial to American citizenship. Our citizenship must command its position in the world by its traditional spirit and principles, concerned first with its own security and identity, and watchful ever lest its fibre be changed and a pure humanitarian service and temper take the place of our national consciousness, self-respect, and domestic obligations.

Revelations since the war have been made which prove, beyond question, that some governments are still misusing the power of the people; that some governments are still acting without the approval of its people and contrary to their interests; that still other governments have not always taken its people into their confidence. Everywhere there is a distinction between the government and people, the government contriving by secrecy to defraud the people of the right to control what is rightfully theirs.

The Americans want none of this. They want no secrecy about things affecting their own interests. They want no secret proceedings in their own domestic affairs and no secret correspondence with foreign governments, much less any alliances with them. They want to help promote peace, they want to co-operate to create a better understanding between nations. But they do not want what Washington did not want. They do not want political alliances. The American government is responsible to the people, whatever any foreign government may be. The American people would not tolerate any usurpation of their power by the government, and would tear up any secret bargains. The peoples of Europe should do the same thing. They will never have freedom until they hold their governments to strict account, and they need not expect America to waste much sympathy upon them if they do not care to make themselves free, by ridding themselves of their militaristic spirit, their rivalries, jealousies, and their mistrust and distrust of each other.

The confidence of our people in their government must not be shaken by public scandals in places of trust or by evidence of domination at times of the corrupting forces, that take from the poor to make the rich richer.

Despite revelations rampant today that have stirred up probably the worst storm witnessed in this country and which has rocked the very foundations of democracy, the citizenship of Washington and Lincoln are still intact and its high spirit is still abroad, wherever the great facts of our political life are known and honored.

The loyalty of our people in their government is due to the fact that they believe that they have an honest and good government, and when dishonesty has crept in, they have been able to get rid of it, through the regular processes of judicial and legislative procedure.

Iniquity among public officials is limited to a few men; the most dangerous men are those who make reckless statements regarding the government and its representatives, and when brought to book cannot furnish proof.

We are still a morally healthy nation, and we believe in the honesty of the average man in and out of public office. Not the knowledge of abuses of power by those in high places or the presence

of sinister influences attacking the bed rock principles of our democracy and poisoning the fountain sources of our government will destroy the confidence of our people, but we cannot emphasize it too strongly, the indifference, the inaction, the condoning by those of unquestioned integrity will add naturally to the growing cynicism. The first duty of the patriot in time of peace, when sinister influences appear, attacking the integrity of our government is to exercise the courage and aggressive spirit that characterized our soldiers when the country was threatened in time of war. That is the service we expect and demand.

During their lifetime Washington and Lincoln's critics were sharp in their comments upon them, caustic in their satire and in the case of Lincoln severe in their ridicule of the externals of the man. In our own day Harding and Wilson met the same fate. Death alone softened these asperities. Death alone seems to silence the voices of those who belittle the great achievements of our public officials. It is only after death that those who serve us brilliantly grow in the affections of their countrymen.

Yet what a pity we deny our public men that which Washington said was very dear to his heart, "the approbation of his fellow citizens, next only to the approbation of his own, arising from a consciousness of having uniformly, diligently and sincerely aimed by doing his duty to promote the true interests of his country." Neither Washington nor Lincoln received it until after their death. Why is it not given? Is it not because truth and candor are denied our public men when we estimate the conduct of their office?

The lesson of Washington and Lincoln throws a light along the pathway of today. It pleads for generous treatment of our leaders in the several departments of our government. We may differ with them, oppose their policies and political philosophy, but we must trust them.

We need not question the patriotism of our leaders to challenge the wisdom of their policies. Remember your public officials are surrounded by self interests of every kind. The national capitol affords an ill point of view and many mistakes are due to environment rather than intent. We must keep clean and pure party politics and political leadership if our leaders are to be unhampered and the influence that business, with its vast ramifications exerts in the councils of the government must not be that of bad business any more than we desire the influence of corrupt politics.

When Lincoln stood at Springfield, Illinois, on the platform of a train that was to bear him to Washington to take the oath of office, he addressed a large concourse and ended with these words:

"Will you not pray for me that the same arm that supported the great Washington may be my support? For with that support I can accomplish my duty; without it I cannot do anything."

May we not pray in this our day that the same arm that supported the great Washington and the martyred Lincoln, be our support, for with that support we can and will live up to our best traditions, preserve our self-government, bequeath to posterity the great blessings we enjoy and suppress ever the thought that our dead have died in vain.

CLAIMS.

Upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel the Acting Mayor has approved the following claims:

William J. Donahoe, 628 Bennington street, East Boston, in the sum of \$25.50, as compensation for property lost at the Relief Hospital, November 20, 1923.

Mary Ryan, 26 Lambert street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect at the side entrance of Houghton & Dutton's store, Ruggles street, Roxbury.

Sylvia A. Waters, 1669 Commonwealth avenue, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk at 134 Brighton avenue, October 6, 1923.

Tingus Brothers & Kakridas, 319 Tremont street, in the sum of \$175, as compensation for damage to property at 319 Tremont street, caused by bursting of water main, July 25, 1923.

Violet F. Gormly, 35 Flagg street, Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in front of 1929 Washington street, October 8, 1923.

Nora T. Toomey, 510 East Broadway, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for damage to property caused by leak in water main in Broadway, in three different periods, between February and November, 1923.

Dani I. J. Keane, 183 Massachusetts avenue, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for damage to truck caused by overhanging limb of tree opposite 43 Dudley street, November 7, 1923.

Grace Colcord Glynn, 87 Cheever street, Milton, in the sum of \$9.10, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by defect in street at corner of Seaver street and Humboldt avenue, November 26, 1923.

W. J. Galley, 64 Glendale street, in the sum of \$6, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by defect in Northern avenue, about 40 feet from the easterly corner of Commonwealth Pier, September 25, 1923.

Anna N. Edlison, 5 Lewis road, Winchester, in the sum of \$49.72, as compensation for damage to automobile by city truck at the junction of Fenway and Commonwealth avenue, November 13, 1923.

Maurice F. Brodie, 52 N street, South Boston, in the sum of \$30.45, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by hole in street at corner of N and Third streets, October 29, 1923.

John J. Lynch, 15 Clarence street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$30, as compensation for wages due him at the time of his retirement on a pension from the Paving Service, Public Works Department.

Felix Accomando, 130 Porter street, East Boston, in the sum of \$94, as compensation for damage to property caused by fire apparatus at said address, October 5, 1923.

Loretta Mayer, 3 Nason place, Roxbury, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for personal injuries caused by fall on Conant street, in front of the old brewery, October 20, 1923.

Ruby C. Dobson, 41 Dorr street, in the sum of \$19.65, as compensation for property stolen from locker at Curtis Hall, October 29, 1923.

Thomas F. Teevens, 109 N street, South Boston, in the sum of \$12.11, as compensation for damage to automobile

caused by defect in Farquhar street, October 3, 1923.

John Sullivan, 45 Worthington street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for damage to property at 15 Dearborn place on account of supply pipes of buildings razed by the city, 1923.

Franklin Secatore, 16 Paris street, East Boston, in the sum of \$19, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by defect in Gove street, between Paris and Chelsea streets, opposite where new school is being built, November 11, 1923.

George P. Richardson, 635 Tremont Building, in the sum of \$54.50, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by defect at intersection of Tremont and Stuart streets, September 20, 1923.

Helen F. Galley, 64 Glendale street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by fall on Federal street, near Franklin street, on account of hole in crosswalk, March 27, 1923.

The Lenox Lunch, 321 Tremont street, Boston, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for damage to property at said address caused by bursting of water main, July 25, 1923.

Catherine E. Ahern, 33 Neponset avenue, in the sum of \$143, as compensation for damage to property at said address caused by changing grade of said avenue, June 1, 1920.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 10.

ANNUAL BALL.

The forty-fifth annual ball of the Boston Fire and Protective Departments will be held on Thursday evening, February 14, 1924, at Mechanics Building, Huntington avenue, Boston. It is hoped that this ball will be one of the most successful, both financially and socially, in the history of the department, and this result can be accomplished if every member of the department will put their shoulders to the wheel and render every possible assistance to the ball committee, which has been untiring in its efforts.

Members of the department detailed for duty at the ball will report to the floor marshall, Lieutenant George J. Baumeister, at the above mentioned hall at 7 p. m. sharp on that date, unless otherwise ordered.

Members will attend strictly to the duties assigned them.

It is the desire of the Fire Commissioner that all aids take part in the grand march, as well as many other members of the department as possible. The Fire Commissioner would also like to have as many of the members as possible attending the ball appear in uniform. We wish to make this ball an opportunity for renewing old acquaintances among the members, as well as affording the older members a chance of becoming acquainted with the newer members. The ball will also serve as a sort of general celebration of the installation of the two-platoon system by the whole department.

The regulation uniform sack coat, black shirt and tie, white gloves and aid badge will be worn on this occasion. This applies to all members appearing in uniform, whether acting as aids or not.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

DANIEL F. SENNOTT,
Acting Chief of Department.

RALLIES TO DEFENSE OF MAYOR AGAINST NEWSPAPER'S ATTACKS.

CITY AUDITOR RUPERT S. CARVEN TAKES BOSTON HERALD TO TASK FOR INACCURACIES AND MISSTATEMENTS OF FACTS CONTAINED IN EDITORIAL.

City Auditor Rupert S. Carven has sent the following letter to the Boston Herald in reply to an attack on Mayor Curley.

Boston, February 20.

To the Editor of the Boston Herald.

DEAR SIR,—The editorial "Our City's Affairs," appearing in this morning's Herald, appears to be a combination of criticism, apology and defence. The Mayor is criticised for taking a necessary vacation, apology is offered for the inaction of the Finance Commission, and the chairman of the Finance Commission is defended on account of a salary rumor.

Whether or not the editorial mentioned was inspired, the fact remains that it contains many inaccuracies that need correction, as well as a few statements that require explanation.

CORRECTIONS AND EXPLANATIONS.

The fiscal year ends January 31, not February 1.

The Legislature does not depend upon the completion of the budget in the setting of the tax limit. How can the budget be completed when the amount that may be appropriated is not known?

The Committee on Municipal Finance desired to hear the tax limit bill during January, but on request of the Mayor, deferred the hearing until February 4. Wherein is the surprise, you find, at the Mayor asking early consideration? Are you not aware that hearings are being held by legislative committees much earlier than ever before?

You say "the Committee on Municipal Finance asked for facts, figures and estimates. No data was ready." You are in error. The Budget Commissioner, at the hearing, read and submitted in writing, to the committee, a carefully prepared statement on the budget needs. Statements also were made by the Mayor and City Auditor concerning the budget,

and questions asked by the committee were answered.

You intimate that information was not furnished by the Finance Commission, because it was not available. In the preparation of the budget, the estimates rendered by the departments are surely necessary, and this information has been available to the Finance Commission for several months past. The fact that Judge Sullivan refused to use this information, as had been the past custom, is for him to explain. That the Finance Commission did not appear particularly interested in the tax limit bill is evidenced by Judge Sullivan's statement before the committee, wherein he stated that he did not ask to appear on this bill, but on the contrary, was present at the hearing because he was asked to attend. Those present at the hearing may recall the statement of the judge to the committee, that he would be in a position to advise on the tax limit, if the Mayor would inform him what he would allow to the various departments. This statement is so ridiculous that one wonders why it was made. How can the Mayor determine what to allow, until he knows what the tax limit is? It should be stated that at no time in the past two months has information been sought by the Finance Commission from the Budget Commissioner concerning the preparation of the budget.

That part of your editorial concerning the increase in salary rumor does not affect the city. Consideration of this matter was in the hands of the Legislature.

The appearance of this editorial during the absence of the Mayor is to be regretted. In his absence it devolves on the city officials to reply to any inaccurate statements concerning the city. This is the reason for my writing.

Very truly yours,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
City Auditor.

MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

(Continued from page 213.)

song by the chorus, Mayor Curley's recent tribute to Lincoln, while planting a tree at the Lincoln Memorial, was read by John Arnold Brice, a colored pupil of the High School of Commerce.

Then United States Senator David I. Walsh was introduced and was evidently a little surprised at the size of the audience and character of the exercises, for he said it was the most inspiring sight he had witnessed in many a day, impressing him particularly, he said, because of the "atmosphere" he had been living in in Washington, with its wrangling and excitement.

He paid a brief tribute to Woodrow Wilson, saying:

"In my opinion Woodrow Wilson deserves to have his name linked with those of Washington and Lincoln. That he failed may not be entirely his fault, but that he fell as a soldier falls—a casualty of war—we all know, and I gladly join with you in paying tribute to his memory."

The rest of his address was devoted to Washington and Lincoln—or rather to the lessons to be drawn from these great men's lives—lessons of unselfish patriotism; of justice; of lofty ideals; of sufferings and misunderstandings; of victory for the right and for righteousness.

The address of Senator Walsh will be found on page 215.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the City Record for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertisements for proposals for the complete installation of electric wiring and conduit system in the Signal Apparatus Building, in the Fenway. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commis-

sioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, February 25, at 12 m.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the purchase of trimmings, bones, grease and suets. Surety bond, satisfactory to the Trustees of the City Hospital will be required. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston. Bids to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, February 26, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Lighting Service).

Advertises for proposals for furnishing equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the City of Boston, excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park, for a term of ten years, beginning April 1, 1924. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$50,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 6, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing bituminous pavement. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 27, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for manual arts supplies for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, February 26, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering stationery to the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for stationery for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 10, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Park Department 7,500 boxes of soap. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 807, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, February 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing cast-iron special castings to the Public Works Department, Water Service. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, February 27, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments for the month of March. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, February 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for supplying hay, grain and straw to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, February 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for 1,500,000 granite paving blocks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check

in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing iron manhole steps to the Public Works Department, Sewer Service. Surety bond in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price will be required. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 81, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 6, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, February 21:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The following-named temporary clerks have been employed for a period of thirty days: James P. Maguire, John M. Devine, Joseph Bianco, William Doherty, Robert C. Murray, William E. Dacey, at \$4 a day.

The following-named temporary deed clerks have been appointed for the same period: Mary E. McCarron, Anna E. Doherty, Mary E. Dillon, at \$4 a day, for part of the work and some piecework at 10 cents a deed.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Gateley has been designated to act as City Auditor at such times as the Auditor may be absent during the four weeks beginning Monday, February 18.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

For the week ending Thursday, February 7:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Edward Sweeney, maid (patient), \$240 a year; James Bennett, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Michael Regan, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Luke Kelly, choreman (patient), \$240 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed:

Arthur Ross, maid (patient), \$240 a year; John Kent, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; John Kenny, attendant nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Rose Weidman, assistant housekeeper, \$700 a year; Nellie Carney, seamstress, \$600 a year; Joseph Chicoyne, assistant carpenter, \$840 a year.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

The following list of expert temporary employees engaged on zoning work from February 1 to February 15 have been approved: Arthur C. Comey, zoning director, 9 days, at \$20, \$180; D. Hansen, 2½ weeks at \$35, \$81.67; G. Hall, 2 weeks at \$40, \$80; Bert Poole, 2 weeks at \$40, \$80; A. E. Howard, 2 weeks at \$35, \$70; L. E. Oberwarth, 2 weeks at \$35, \$70; G. Tomb, 2 weeks at \$35, \$70; C. T. Grant, 1½ weeks at \$30, \$55; G. L. Meade, 1½ weeks at \$30, \$55; E. F. Delaney, 48 hours at 90 cents, \$43.20; J. E. Crane, 30½ hours at 75

cents, \$22.87; J. M. Hinds, $\frac{1}{2}$ week at \$35; \$17.50; A. Rosenbaugh, 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours at 75 cents, \$16.69; W. C. Everhard, 15 hours at 75 cents, \$11.25.

Resignations.—David Hansen.

Additions.—James M. Hinds. Hinds spent two years at the Rhode Island School of Design, and has taken special courses in architecture, accountancy, and business law. His practical experience includes two years on zoning map work with Robert Whitten, city planning consultant of Cleveland, Ohio, four years in architectural draughting, four years civil engineering, two years landscape architecture and two years reclamation and irrigation work.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Dr. M. Victor Safford, deputy commissioner in charge of the Medical Division, has been designated to perform the duties of Health Commissioner during such time as the Commissioner may be absent from the city from February 14.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, February 14:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Julia J. Kelley, ward assistant (re-employed), \$11 a week; Margaret Maratta, ward assistant (re-employed), \$11 a week; Mary E. Norton, ward assistant, \$11 a week; C. Gaffney, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; E. Sandler, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Francis J. Feeney, gate porter, \$9.50 a week; Mary Casneau, elevatorwoman (re-employed), \$11 a week; Mary Marinick, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Catherine Leonard, chambermaid, \$9.50 a week; Rose Forfey, chambermaid, \$9.50 a week; James A. Houghton, carpenter, \$5 a day.

Temporary.—Frank Murphy, technician, \$18 a week; Elizabeth Harney, special nurse, \$35 a week; N. Napolian, baker's assistant, \$18 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Arthur Peterson, transfer porter at \$11 a week to X-ray orderly at \$15 a week; Daniel M. Hurley, carpenter at \$5 a day to \$5.25; Delphin Marchand, temporary assistant supervisor at \$18 to male nurse at \$15 a week; Henry Kerwin, temporary night supervisor at \$18 to transfer porter at \$11 a week; Margaret Whalen, chambermaid at \$9.50 to laundress at \$14 a week.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, February 21:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Arthur Burns, ward porter, \$14 a week; Della Cormican, ward assistant (re-employed), \$11 a week; Joseph Riley, transfer porter, \$11 a week; William P. Barrett, porter, \$14 a week.

Temporary.—Anna Welch, telephone operator (re-employed), \$20 a week; Sarah Gilroy, special nurse, \$35 a week; Manuel Fontes, ambulance driver, \$27 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred: Mary Rigby, cleaner at \$11.50 to assistant housekeeper at \$12 a week; Linwood Merrill, male nurse at \$7 to \$8.17 a week; John Padelford, male nurse at \$8.17 to graduate male nurse at \$17.50 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments were made for the week ending January 24:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

William H. Carney, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, temporary.

James Cooney, fireman, at a salary of \$27 a week and board, temporary.

Josephine Lawrence, from attendant at \$600 a year to institution employee at a salary of \$500 a year.

House of Correction.

James Ahearn, fireman, at a salary of \$5.50 a day, temporary.

Lucius Carpenter, D. M. D., dentist, without pay.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, February 14:

Edgar Coombs, assistant engineer, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$27; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$9.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, February 14:

Main Department.

D. Bransfield, fireman, 36 hours, \$24.75; J. McDonough, fireman, 24 hours, \$16.50; J. Norton, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; H. O'Donnell, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; V. Pepe, fireman, 36 hours, \$24.75; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$3.50; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; J. R. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; W. Sommerville, ambulance driver, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$5.91; J. O'Holloran, ambulance driver, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$5.91; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$9.63; E. Cronin, ambulance driver, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$5.91; A. Russell, elevatorman, 12 hours, \$2.76. Total, \$129.12.

For the week ending Thursday, February 21, 1924:

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$16.25; D. Bransfield, fireman, 24 hours, \$16.50; J. McDonough, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; J. Norton, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; H. O'Donnell, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; V. Pepe, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 33 hours, \$20.79; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$6.83; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$4; M. Murphy, jobber, 6 hours, \$2; J. Wood, jobber, 6 hours, \$2, and 1 day, \$2.67; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$2.63; J. Scott, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$6.75; E. Cronin, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$6.75; J. Murphy, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$6.75. Total, \$129.45.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, February 14:

James Dunne, wheelwright, 1 day, \$4.66; George Quigley, carpenter, 1 day, \$4.50; Peter Powers, rigger, 1 day, \$5; John J. Walsh, working foreman, 1 day, \$4.38. Total, \$18.54.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, February 14:

J. McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3; J. Reynolds, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13.

For the week ending Thursday, February 21:

J. Reynolds, fireman, 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$9.29; J. McDonough, elevatorman, 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$6.75.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 18:

Draughter.—J. J. Galvin, 1 day, \$4.93.

First Assistant Draughter.—T. C. McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.38.

Assistant Draughters.—S. J. Broderick, 2 days, \$8.22; J. J. Powers, E. W. Francis, G. S. Storin, J. A. Nagle, T. T. Colbert, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Subforemen.—P. J. Henebury, J. D. O'Brien, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.75 each.

Carpenters.—J. J. McInnis, M. J. Donohue, C. E. Melansen, R. E. Dooley, J. T. Mahan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.50 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Green, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.90.

Laborer.—H. M. McLaughlin, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.

Total, \$61.98.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 18:

Firemen.—Theodore P. Panapoulos, John A. Harrison, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.44 each; Christobal Fradau, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50.

Total, \$22.63.

Net cost for the week ending Monday, February 18, \$7.50.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 18:

Laborer.—Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 18:

Laborers, Teamsters.—P. A. Eagan, A. F. Beahn, W. J. Burke, J. Carroll, D. J. Collins, E. Currie, J. P. Darrich, D. Donovan, W. D. Donovan, M. J. Duffy, J. W. Dwyer, J. J. Fennessey, P. B. Fisher, S. J. Flaherty, S. E. Flanagan, E. L. Kelley, R. J. Lombard, Jr., W. Mahoney, A. J. Murphy, W. J. McCarthy, W. F. McHale, P. J. McLaughlin, J. J. O'Brien, J. F. O'Keefe, J. J. Reilley, E. T. Roach, J. J. Ryan, T. M. Shea, G. F. Smith, J. J. Slaterry, T. J. Toomey, M. Wallace, D. Walsh, D. J. Murphy, J. P. A. Donahue, L. J. O'Neill, D. J. Mahoney, T. F. Cady, B. A. Clements, H. Applebaum, P. J. Burke, T. W. Cashman, J. G. Climo, T. W. Dargin, H. A. Devlin, J. J. Donovan, T. J. Donovan, J. J. Fitzgerald, J. Herbst, P. G. Kelly, W. J. Martin, P. J. Muldoon, E. O'Connell, J. F. J. Richardson, J. L. Ryan, I. Sternberg, M. Tierney, C. F. Prior, J. P. Callahan, N. J. Donegan, C. C. Farrell, J. H. Reardon, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3 each; M. S. Ryan, J. F. Maloney, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, J. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Stableman.—J. Sullivan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. B. Barry, J. P. Crilley, F. H. Harrold, J. Lyman, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.50 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—E. F. Greenall, W. E. Shallow, J. P. Sweeney, J. D. Costello, B. Donnelly, J. J. Dwyer, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Landrigan, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50.

Total, \$257.75.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, February 19:

Laborers.—Patrick Fitzgerald, 3 days, \$12; Timothy Driscoll, John Crowley, James Schofield, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9 each; John Lomasney, James McFarland, Michael McMahon, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each; Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4; Dennis McKenna, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25. Total, \$63.25.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 18:

Laborers-Teamsters.—R. Barrett, M. Connell, M. Fitzpatrick, J. H. Lane, P. Moynihan, J. F. O'Toole, J. Shea, J. Zuccalo, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—W. Cosgrove, M. O'Brien, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50 each.

Yardman.—M. J. Hurley, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.

Laborers-Teamsters.—R. Coughlin, J. Dahill, T. Dahill, J. Hennessey, P. Mulkern, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.50 each; J. Ferguson, J. Hanley, J. Bowen, J. Edwards, E. Fitzgerald, T. Hession, E. Monahan, J. O'Rourke, R. Burke, J. Bourke, R. Burchell, C. Buckley, J. Butler, P. Cahill, J. Carroll, J. Conroy, J. Cotter, J. DeCoursey, F. Donahue, F. Dysart, J. Fallon, J. Lane, G. Linsky, G. Moran, J. O'Leary, L. O'Neill, J. O'Neill, E. Orann, J. Ryan, T. Ryan, L. Shanney, P. Sullivan, C. Swanson, F. Williams, P. Toohey, J. McMenimon, L. Mazzitti, M. Fay, P. Kelleran, C. Noon, M. J. Kennedy, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3 each; E. Keller, N. Cesso, F. Corvino, R. J. Elvert, M. H. Gordon, D. P. Minihan, H. Riley, H. A. Bourdon, M. T. Clougherty, R. Della Russo, G. Gallucio, J. J. Glancy, A. Mercurio, J. J. Myers, J. A. Reddington, J. F. Brown, D. J. Callahan, J. J. Carey, J. Considine, W. Curley, T. J. Flanagan, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each.

Yardman.—J. Holland, 1 day, \$4.

Stableman.—W. Batts, 1 day, \$4.

Laborers.—J. J. Curtin, A. J. Grimley, J. A. Hartigan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.75 each.

Feeder.—P. Sweeney, 1 day, \$4.25.

Chauffeurs.—M. J. Givonella, J. J. Connors, M. Schaaf, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50 each; T. McDonald, 1 day, \$5.

Total, \$341.25.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 18:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; F. Bonang, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.61; T. Norton, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75.

Emergency men.—W. Lonergan, P. Clougherty, W. Rice, 1 day, \$4 each; T. Kinahan, M. Carney, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Repairers.—T. Barry, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.45; G. Cozza, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.11; C. Sullivan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.38; A. Brennan, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.13; J. Leonard, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$16.03; C. Driscoll, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.69; P. Ippolito, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,

\$2.34; P. Clougherty, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.66; G. Cunningham, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.25; W. Shields, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.13; H. Cauley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.38; P. Coleman, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.80; J. Horgan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.70; T. Byrnes, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.34; J. Kenney, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63; J. Gallagher, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.06; D. Shea, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.50; M. Matthews, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53; J. McLaughlin, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25; E. De Angelis, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.91; S. Mickewicz, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.38; J. McLean, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.59; J. Synnott, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; C. Kane, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.39; F. Schena, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.78; J. Cummings, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.69; J. Williamson, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.78.

Laborers.—S. LoPilato, H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4 each; B. Hill, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.25; W. Kravets, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; F. Ware, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.23; J. Sullivan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3; P. Mulkern, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; T. Higgins, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.50; J. Feeley, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.50; F. Laskey, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3; E. Giammito, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25; J. McGee, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3; H. Killoran, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25; J. Lonergan, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.50.

Total, \$221.60; paid by Transit Department, \$8.69; net total, \$212.91.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Northeastern Construction Company, Inc., have been granted an extension of the time for completion of the contract for installing shower baths at Engine No. 20, until January 1, 1924.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 31 the Mayor, for the Board of Trustees of the Public Library, approved a contract with James Wilkinson & Co. for a complete lighting system for two additional tiers of stacks for the Central Library building. Bids for the work, opened January 30, were as follows:

James Wilkinson & Co., \$1,507; H. M. Lobbell, \$1,563; Edwin G. Lewis, Inc., \$1,982; Connor Electric Company, \$1,986; Stanton Electric Company, \$2,386.

Upon January 31 the Mayor, upon request of the Trustees of the Public Library, approved a contract with J. J. Hurley & Co. for a heating system for the two additional tiers of steel stacks for the Central Library building. Bids for the work, opened January 30, were as follows:

J. J. Hurley & Co., \$1,435; Ingalls & Kendicken, \$1,535; Lynch & Woodward, \$1,578; J. P. Dwyer Company, \$1,640; Acme Heating and Ventilating Company, \$1,747; Low & Robins Company, \$2,549.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon February 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the Nichols-Egan Company for furnishing finish hardware required or necessary for the Bennet District School. There was but one bid.

Upon February 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the Nichols-Egan Company for furnishing finish hardware required or necessary for the Francis Parkman District School. There was but one bid.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

Upon January 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Jarvis Engineering Company for a compressor with motor. A communication from Dr. James J. Minot was as follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The trustees of the Boston Sanatorium respectfully request permission to award, without advertising, a contract for a second compressor with motor, etc., to go in the refrigeration room to the Jarvis Engineering Company for \$3,099.36.

The first compressor, motor, etc., is of the same make, and it is essential that the two be alike.

The price is the same as that for the first compressor, motor, etc. There was not sufficient money under B-39, General Plant, at the time the contract was let, December 7, 1923, to include both compressors.

This is to be charged to B-39, General Plant, for year 1924-25.

Yours very truly,

JAMES J. MINOT,
Secretary.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company for furnishing valves for high pressure hydrants. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

Boston, January 30, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising same, to the A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company for furnishing 200 $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch independent valves for high pressure fire hydrants, as per specifications, to the Public Works Department, Water Service. The total amount of the contract is \$1,500.

As this concern has always made these particular valves and is the only concern having the pattern, nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for same. In view of this fact I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

IMMIGRANT ALIENS ARRIVED IN YEAR 1921.

Total number of trans-Atlantic immigrants landed at Boston, 43,558 (*i. e.*, 21,584 or 98.2 per cent more than in 1920), of which 4,809 or 11.04 per cent stated Massachusetts as their destination. Of said total, 17,999 were South Italians, 11,212 Hebrews, 1,979 Germans, 1,702 Poles, 1,599 North Italians, 923 Portuguese, 917 Greeks, 673 English, 527 Scandinavians, 232 Dutch, 127 Irish, 114 Finnish, 104 Russians, 83 Scotch and 5,367 others. Total arrivals in 1919 were only 5,572; in 1918, 1,344; in 1917, 6,527. Total in the five years, 1917-1921, 78,975, South Italians 52.5 per cent of same.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during week ending February 16:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Julius Darish.....	146 Portland street.....	5	Storage.....	Unsafe.
Barry Building Wrecking Co... 951 Washington street.....	21	Dwelling.....	New building.	
Barry Building Wrecking Co... Rear of 951 Washington st..	21	Stable.....	New building.	
Julius Seiman.....	169 Allston street.....	26	Dwelling.....	New building.
New York Building Wrecking Company.	207 Causeway street.....	5	Factory.....	Unsafe.
Central Building Wrecking Co.. 191-197 Friend street.....	5	Stores, stable.....	New building.	
Votilo Muscio.....	Rear of 2830 Washington st.	15	Storage shed.....	Unsafe.
Central Building Wrecking Co.. 32 Beacon street.....	8	Apartments.....	New building.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 474.

The commanding officers of Divisions 10, 16, and 20 have brought to my attention the following excellent police work performed by officers of their several divisions:

I. On December 19, 1923, a telephone call was received at Station 10, that a man was going to kill somebody at 78 Williams street. Sergeant Michael J. Hartnett with Patrolman James T. Hall and Edward C. Sheldon, with Harold C. Bean on the wagon, were at once sent to that place. Sergeant Hartnett and Patrolmen Hall and Sheldon entered the building and hearing a woman scream, knocked and then forced the door of the room from which the sound came. As they entered, several shots were fired at them, the first one hitting Officer Sheldon who was in front. He was immediately removed to the hospital by Patrolmen Hall and Bean, who, meeting Patrolman Albert A. Hurst of Division 9 on the way, informed him of the affair. Patrolman Hurst immediately repaired to 78 Williams street to find the man has escaped, but upon hearing the description given of him by the woman in the room, identified him as living at 7 McLellan street. The officers, now reinforced by Sergeant Dennis Kerrigan and Patrolman John P. O'Malley of Division 10, at once proceeded to that address, where Sergeant Hartnett and Patrolman O'Malley guarded the front and rear doors while Sergeant Kerrigan and Patrolman Hurst broke into the kitchen and arrested the man who was preparing to make his escape. He was held in \$35,000 bail for the Grand Jury, and later was indicted for assault on a police officer with intent to kill.

Such an exceedingly fine piece of police work deserves special commendation, the officers fully realizing on their second attempt that they were facing a desperate man who was determined to kill, if necessary, to affect his escape. I take great pleasure in expressing my appreciation of the courage and intrepidity shown by these officers in making this arrest.

II. On December 2, 1923, Patrolman Aaron O. Moser of Division 16, on his way home at 1.30 a. m., after doing first half duty, when at the corner of Washington and Northampton streets, heard several shots apparently coming from Massachusetts avenue, and immediately running in that direction, found on Massachusetts avenue, two men, who had

been shot, lying on the ground, and a third man struggling with the man who had shot the other two and from whom he had wrested the gun. Patrolman Moser placed under arrest the man alleged to have done the shooting and sent Patrolman William E. Webster of Division 5, who had come to his assistance, with the two wounded men in a passing taxicab to the City Hospital where one of them afterwards died. The prisoner was indicted by the Grand Jury for murder in the first degree and is now in the Charles Street Jail awaiting trial.

This was an excellent piece of police work and I warmly commend Patrolman Moser for the vigilance and alertness he displayed. It is evident that he acts upon the principle that a Boston police officer is always on duty.

III. On December 14, 1923, Patrolman John J. McArdle of Division 20, while riding in a northbound electric car on Tremont street, and when passing Corning street, saw a large crowd of people chasing a colored man. The officer immediately jumped from the car and joined the chase. At Porter street, he overtook the colored man, who started to draw his revolver, but dropped it, and also a dagger, when he saw that the officer had already drawn his revolver. Patrolman McArdle arrested the colored man who was held in \$3,000 bail for the Grand Jury on a charge of robbery.

It is very gratifying to learn of this excellent piece of police work and I take pleasure in commending Patrolman McArdle for his attention to duty and the promptness of action which enabled him to make this arrest.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 475.

The resignation of Patrolman William H. F. King of Division 11 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Saturday, February 16, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 476.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason, having

heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Stephen L. Cosgrove of Division 6, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Stephen L. Cosgrove was on February 11, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due notice of such dismissal with the reason therefor was duly and specifically given in writing on February 11, 1924, to the said Stephen L. Cosgrove.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 477.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Arthur E. Nadreau of Division 17, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, disobedience and untruthfulness, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Arthur E. Nadreau was on February 12, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due notice of such dismissal with the reason therefor was duly and specifically given in writing on February 12, 1924, to the said Arthur E. Nadreau.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 478.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Goff and Dailey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Peter F. Sullivan of Division 17, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect of duty, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Peter F. Sullivan was on February 13, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in writing on February 13, 1924, to the said Peter F. Sullivan.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 479.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Dailey and Hickey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Rocco Giovannucci of Division 19, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Rocco Giovannucci was on February 11, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in writing on February 11, 1924, to the said Rocco Giovannucci.

On the twelfth day of February, 1924, the said Rocco Giovannucci requested in writing a public hearing as provided by the General Laws, and the Police Commissioner set down Friday, February 15, 1924, at eleven o'clock a. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner as

the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Rocco Giovannucci.

The said Rocco Giovannucci was present at the said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner found the said Rocco Giovannucci guilty as charged, and further found that the said Rocco Giovannucci should stand dismissed from the Police Department of the City of Boston.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, *Commissioner*.

General Order No. 480.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Earl B. Howland of Division 10, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Earl B. Howland be placed on file.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, *Commissioner*.

General Order No. 481.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Francis L. Cotter of Division 6, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Francis L. Cotter be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, *Commissioner*.

General Order No. 482.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Walter E. McIntee of Division 10, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Walter E. McIntee perform one hundred and five hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, *Commissioner*.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 11.

I. RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

The Fire Commissioner is in receipt of the following ruling from the Boston Retirement Board:

"The Retirement Board has recently made an amendment exempting veterans, as defined by section 56 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, from the original ruling, so that a veteran who was an employee* of the City of Boston or County of Suffolk on February 1, 1923, who has not since then made written application to join the Boston Retirement System and who accepts appointment or promotion in the same or another department (provided that his services can be reasonably called continuous), will enjoy without impairment

the benefits, privileges and restrictions of the Veterans' Pension Law."

If any members of the department feel that they come within the ruling quoted above, and they desire to have their cases taken up with the Boston Retirement Board, they should make request at once to the Fire Commissioner on Form 5, stating the facts in the case.

II. FIRE COLLEGE.

Following is the result of the examination held at the Fire College on January 24, 1924:

With Highest Honor.—John F. Fitzgerald, Engine 30; Charles B. Lynch, Engine 43.

With High Honor.—Richard J. Lane, Ladder 23; Lieut. Carl S. Bowers, aide

to chief; Lieut. John M. Cook, Ladder 7; Lieut. William P. Boudreau, Engine 40; Thomas F. Lydon, Ladder 18; Frederick W. Godbold, Ladder 2; James E. Welch, Engine 22; Lieut. Michael J. Gilligan, Engine 36; Harry R. Ryerson, Ladder 14; Lieut. James C. Taylor, Engine 22; William E. Rolfe, Engine 17; Michael J. Maher, Ladder 11; James C. Cox, Ladder 12.

With Honor.—William H. Cuddy, Jr., Ladder 24; Charles E. Olsen, Engine 11; William J. Cooney, Engine 49.

Passed.—William J. O'Connell, Engine 21; Cornelius J. O'Keefe, Ladder 5.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

DANIEL F. SENNOTT,
Acting Chief of Department.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED FEBRUARY 14 TO FEBRUARY 20.

FEBRUARY 14.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Edward O. Irving.....	314 West Second street.....	9	New fixtures.....	\$150
Cox and Johnson.....	1020 Washington street.....	6	New fixtures.....	75
Dick Pagington.....	23 and 25 Vose avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	250
John J. Murphy.....	370 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
S. J. Sands.....	28 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	800
Dick Pagington.....	34 Fairmount avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	150
Edward J. Roach.....	76 Deering road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,100
Eli Parad.....	3 Columbia park.....	18	New fixtures.....	200
Eli Parad.....	7 Columbia park.....	18	New fixtures.....	200
Edward Moore & Co.....	524 Boylston street.....	8	New fixtures.....	100

FEBRUARY 15.

Browning & Riley.....	Rear of 45 West Fourth st.....	9	New fixtures.....	\$1,650
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	477 Stuart street.....	7	New fixtures.....	200
James M. Millmer.....	67 St. Germain street.....	7	New fixtures.....	2,500
W. B. Johnson & Son Com- pny.....	271 Dartmouth street.....	7	New fixtures.....	150
E. J. Fennessey.....	254 Dudley street.....	12	New fixtures.....	120

FEBRUARY 16.

M. & H. H. Collins.....	65 Beech Glen street.....	15	New fixtures.....	\$400
John J. O'Toole.....	711 Columbia road.....	11	New fixtures.....	400
Charles G. Stellerger.....	1 Copley street.....	15	New fixtures.....	275
Louis B. Jenkins.....	6 and 8 Drayton avenue.....	17	New fixtures.....	400
Robert E. O'Brien.....	109 Gardner street.....	23	New fixtures.....	100
Frank Flynn.....	18 Gold street.....	9	New fixtures.....	500
Patrick F. Russo.....	11 Hemlock street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,075
H. S. Trethewey.....	69 Lasell street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
H. S. Trethewey.....	73 Lasell street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
John P. O'Connell.....	34 Melbourne street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,100
James L. Walleston.....	50 Perrin street.....	16	New fixtures.....	200
Charles L. Young.....	477 Washington street.....	19	New fixtures.....	250
K. W. McManus.....	577B Washington street.....	19	New fixtures.....	400
M. & H. H. Collins.....	2220 Washington street.....	12	New fixtures.....	200

FEBRUARY 18.

William F. McAuliffe.....	587 East Broadway.....	10	New fixtures.....	\$300
A. I. Russell.....	414 Market street.....	26	New fixtures.....	300
Leonidas E. Marchant.....	384 Main street.....	3	New fixtures.....	300
W. H. Russell Goudrey.....	145 Cambridge street.....	26	New fixtures.....	200
John Matto.....	9 Joy street.....	8	New fixtures.....	900
P. F. Russo.....	1441 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	370
Leo Charles Levy.....	27 Goodale road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,100
Leo Charles Levy.....	31 Goodale road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,100
Leo Charles Levy.....	35 Goodale road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,100
Leo Charles Levy.....	39 Goodale road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,100
Joyce & Travers.....	15 Coleman street.....	24	New fixtures.....	890
K. W. McManus.....	38 Armandine street.....	21	New fixtures.....	450
Willis E. Hunt.....	94 Tremont street.....	4	New fixtures.....	50

FEBRUARY 19.

Pagington Brothers.....	45 Water street.....	24	New fixtures.....	\$75
John B. Curry.....	193 Warren street.....	25	New fixtures.....	600
Frank C. Lewis.....	41 Union street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
T. A. Matthews.....	15 School street.....	19	New fixtures.....	900
R. H. James.....	200 Lake street.....	25	New fixtures.....	2,000
Eben Riggs.....	7 Ferndale road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,175
Joseph J. Scannell.....	1182 and 1184 Common- wealth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	500
Harry Kingsberg.....	431 Chelsea street.....	1	New fixtures.....	250
Robert A. LaCentra.....	103 Amory street.....	15	New fixtures.....	200
Bernard H. Clancy.....	40 La Grange street.....	5	New fixtures.....	125

FEBRUARY 20.

Edward J. Roach.....	72 Sumner street.....	11	New fixtures.....	\$1,400
A. Frank Bonney.....	3 Holton street.....	26	New fixtures.....	150
J. A. Finley.....	1272 Commonwealth ave.....	25	New fixtures.....	150
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	22 Yeoman street.....	12	New fixtures.....	200

*"Employee, as defined in section 2 of chapter 521, Acts of 1922."

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED FEBRUARY 14 TO FEBRUARY 20.

FEBRUARY 14.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Augustus Battles.....	Rear of 36 Southbourne rd.	22	First-class garage.....	\$750
Herman B. Barron.....	825 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Second-class dwelling.....	45,000
Herman B. Barron.....	829 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Second-class dwelling.....	45,000
Bell & Neilson.....	15 Osceola street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,500
Jessie Todd.....	139 and 141 Townsend st.	16	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Jessie Todd.....	12 Munroe street.....	16	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Mrs. Hattie Frech.....	236 Jamaica way.....	14	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Frederick J. Rockwell.....	95 Wilmington avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Francis B. Boyle.....	465 Talbot avenue.....	20	Third-class gasoline station..	1,000
John D. McLeod.....	185 Wachusett street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
George M. Miller.....	109 Gardner street.....	23	Special garage.....	90
Pope Lumber Company.....	33 Railroad street.....	23	Special garage.....	2,400
A. Caponigro.....	442 Saratoga street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
Suffolk Law School.....	18-26 Derne street.....	8	Alterations, school.....	450
H. E. Lodge.....	161 Blackstone street.....	5	Alterations, store and manu- facturing.....	3,500
Morris R. Frank.....	76 Waltham street.....	6	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
H. W. Barnes.....	85 Dudley avenue.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
San-Man Chocolate Com- pany.....	240 and 242 Commercial street.....	5	Alterations, manufacturing.....	125
Alpine Chocolate Company, lessee.....	58 and 60 Commerce street.	5	Alterations, manufacturing.....	300
George C. Appleton & Son.....	21 Essex street.....	5	Alterations, store and hall....	2,000
Belle M. Peters.....	11 Parnell street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
Belle M. Peters.....	10 Parnell street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
R. A. McInnis.....	6 Arcadia place.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,300
A. Collins.....	341 Blue Hill avenue.....	16	Alterations, stores and dwell- ing.....	650
L. V. Niles.....	677 Dudley street.....	17	Alterations, store and dwell- ing.....	200
William Resnick.....	25 West Second street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	65
William Resnick.....	35 West Second street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	65
Caledonian Society.....	53 Berkeley street.....	7	Alterations, fire escape.....	150
C. Z. Southard, agent.....	49-55 Hanover street.....	5	Alterations, fire escape.....	100
Myer Glodt.....	2159 Washington street.....	13	Erect sign.....	300

FEBRUARY 15.

Yarchin & Gluck.....	66 Fenway.....	7	Second-class tenements.....	\$100,000
Michelina Pratala.....	35 Milton street.....	24	Second-class stores and dwell- ings.....	4,000
Idella M. Conwell.....	76 Montclair avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
James J. Montgomery.....	Rear of 53 Jamaica street.....	22	Third-class tool house.....	60
M. J. Thoenmel.....	26 Saranac street.....	20	Third-class dwelling and store..	5,000
William H. Corley.....	286 Perham street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,400
Stephen Hoar.....	150 Harvard street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
L. C. Prior, lessee.....	506-532 Boylston street.....	7	Alterations, hotel.....	8,000
Slayton & Boynton.....	20 Blackstone street.....	5	Alterations, manufacturing.....	1,500
Israel Goodstein.....	207 Newbury street.....	8	Alterations, lodging house.....	150
Lion Realty Company.....	7 Blackwood street.....	7	Alterations, tenements.....	400
Reece Buttonhole Machine Company.....	500-516 Harrison avenue.....	6	Alterations, mercantile.....	1,000
Irving Zuinai.....	169 Allston street.....	26	Take-down, dwelling.....	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	197 Friend street and 13 Traverse street.....	5	Take-down, stable.....	300
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	191-195 Friend street.....	5	Take-down, stores.....	300
Vitolo Muscio.....	Rear of 2830 Washington st.,	15	Take-down, storage shed.....	75
Barry Building Wrecking Company.....	951 Washington street.....	21	Take-down, dwelling.....	125
Barry Building Wrecking Company.....	Rear of 951 Washington st.,	21	Take-down, stable.....	250
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	32 Beacon street.....	8	Take-down, apartment.....	1,000

FEBRUARY 16.

Olga E. Brodin.....	733 Hyde Park avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	\$10,000
Agnes W. Russo.....	57 Austin street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
William O. B. Little.....	21 Pierpont road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Old Colony Trust Company,	17 Court street.....	5	Alterations, banking offices.....	300,000
Dr. R. Gorelik.....	44 Saratoga street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Mary T. Fellows.....	115 Child street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
John LaPlant.....	193 Warren street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	6,000
F. Green.....	693-697 Centre street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling and stores.....	2,500
Hotel Touraine.....	51 and 52 La Grange street..	5	Alterations, laundry.....	300
Nathan Lesberg.....	Rear of 31 Fort avenue.....	15	Alterations, garage.....	300
Francis Plummer.....	28 Fayette street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	600
Gertrude Levowich.....	69 McLellan street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
H. A. Vincent.....	56 Warren avenue.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
L. Mendick.....	488 and 490 Western ave.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,900
Julius Darish.....	146 Portland street.....	5	Take-down, storage.....	150
New York Building Wreck- ing Company.....	207 Causeway street.....	5	Take-down, factory.....	100

FEBRUARY 18.

Joseph Newman.....	660 Huntington avenue.....	14	Second-class tenements.....	\$80,000
Joseph Newman.....	49 Worthington street.....	14	Second-class tenements.....	80,000
Julius Behrsing.....	8 Burgoyne street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Bridget Leonard.....	Rear of 17 Union avenue.....	22	Third-class garage.....	450
Rebecca Ostroff.....	203 and 205 Chambers st....	5	Alterations, store and dwell- ing.....	5,000
Philip Showstock.....	18 Michigan avenue.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	4,000
Johannah M. Barton.....	6 Hillsboro road.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Massachusetts General Hos- pital.....	58 Allen street.....	5	Alterations, hospital.....	2,000
Algonquin Corner Stone Asso- ciation.....	661 Washington street.....	21	Alterations, store and dwell- ing.....	900
National Packing Company.....	27 Fulton street.....	5	Alterations, sausage manu- facturing.....	200
Guirino Cicchetti.....	380 Hanover street.....	5	Erect sign.....	40
Giuseppe Multitori.....	29 and 31 East Dedham st.	6	Erect fire escape.....	95
William Frank.....	42 Concord square.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	300
Harry S. Liner.....	Rear of 63 Crawford street..	16	Take down, garage.....	25

FINANCE COMMISSION PRO-
TESTS APPRAISER BECK'S
CHARGE FOR WORK OF ES-
TIMATING WORTH OF LAND
FOR POLICE HEADQUAR-
TERS.

BOSTON, February 19, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—Prior to the taking of the land for a site for the new police headquarters building on Stuart street, the Street Commissioners employed John Beck, a real estate broker, with offices at 30 State street, to appraise the land to be taken.

Mr. Beck submitted a report of his appraisal to the Street Commissioners on January 11, 1924. He testified before the Finance Commission that he based his appraisal on information obtained from William J. McDonald, the selling agent of the Park Square Trust, the owner of the land, as well as on his own knowledge of sales in that district, and on information from brokers whom he believed to be familiar with recent sale prices in the Park square section.

The Street Commissioners made no agreement with Mr. Beck when they employed him as to what his compensation should be. On January 15, 1924, he submitted a bill for his services in the sum of \$750.

The Boston Real Estate Exchange, of which Mr. Beck testified he was a member, has established the following rates for appraisals of property in the absence of any special agreement:

SCHEDULE OF FEES.

On valuations up to \$30,000.....\$2.00 per thousand
On excess up to \$200,000..... 1.00 per thousand
On excess over \$200,000..... .50 per thousand
Outside Boston and suburbs.....special rates
Minimum fee\$25.00

Applying these rates to the price of the property fixed by the Street Commissioners, Mr. Beck's bill would be \$324.

There are a great many real estate brokers and dealers doing business in the City of Boston who are competent to appraise real estate. In the past the Finance Commission has found occasion to avail itself of the services of some of them. In most cases they gave their services gratuitously. In those cases where compensation was accepted the amount was either left to the commission to fix or was made in accordance with the rates established by the Boston Real Estate Exchange.

It is reported that Mr. Beck is the real estate expert for the city. The commission believes that no one should be employed exclusively by city officials for such advice or expert knowledge on real estate as the city may require from time to time. The commission believes that many very competent real estate men would be willing to serve the City of Boston for compensation based on the rates established by the Boston Real Estate Exchange.

The Finance Commission recommends:

1. That Mr. Beck be paid for his services for appraising the police headquarters site in accordance with the rates established by the Boston Real Estate Exchange.

2. That city departments requiring the services of real estate experts be not required to employ the same person in every instance.

3. That the rates established by the Boston Real Estate Exchange be used to determine the compensation for services rendered by real estate advisers in the absence of a special agreement.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

URGE INCREASE OF TAXES ON BANKS.

MAYOR CURLEY'S BILL ARGUED BEFORE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

Mayor Curley's proposition for a reform of the tax law for national banks, trust companies and private banks was presented to the taxation committee yesterday by John A. Sullivan, representing the Mayor. "There are three distinct purposes in the bill," said Mr. Sullivan. "One is that all shares in national banks shall be assessed to the owner in the municipality where the bank is located, whether the owner is a resident there or not".

"Another is that individual bankers shall furnish full details of their business to the Commissioner of Corporations which shall be a basis for taxation at the same rate as other property. The other provides for special tax upon the dividends of the bank."

Attorney Sullivan said that the cause of the great drop in the taxes paid by banks in 1923 from 1922 was that the banks charged off a lot of bad debts resulting from the deflation and failures of the business community a year or two before.

"Boston collected in 1923" he said, "only about 23 per cent as much from the national banks as in 1922. Rather than continue under the system, considering that Boston got so little from it compared with what it ought to get, the city would prefer to have the banks wholly exempt and then see what the people would say to such a proposition. To make up the loss of the city in 1923, compared with 1922, would take a tax of 25 cents on every 1,000 of valuation."

Mr. Sullivan said that if there was any doubt about the constitutionality of the bill presented by Mayor Curley, the Supreme Court could be asked and an answer could be had at this session of the Legislature.

Senator Creese of Danvers, chairman of the committee, suggested the advisability of a special tax investigating committee. Mr. Sullivan thought such a committee would get nowhere in practical result.

Support for the bill was given by Representatives of Quincy, Brockton, Everett, Fitchburg, Lynn, Melrose and other cities.

Charles L. Favinger, counsel for the First National Bank, opposed the bill, saying that it was "absolutely bad." It would be a fatal blunder to go back to the old system of bank taxation, he said. New York is having much trouble over a similar proposition to this. He favored a special commission to investigate the bank tax situation.

Andrew Marshall, for the Clearing House Committee, against the bill, said that under the old law the cities and towns had got big taxes from banks which were unjust.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED FEBRUARY 14 TO FEBRUARY 20.

FEBRUARY 19.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Harry Liner.....	63 Crawford street.....	16	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Jennie DeMatteo.....	189 Cornell street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Mrs. Edna Browstein.....	36 Claremont park.....	7	Alterations, dwelling.....	550
John Kalnosky.....	23 East Springfield street.....	12	Alterations, tenements.....	100
Marks I. Cohen.....	26-34 Cross street.....	5	Alterations, stores and lofts..	25,000
Margaret J. O'Brien.....	26 and 28 Greylock road.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	900
Boston Y. M. C. U.....	48 Boylston street.....	5	Alterations, social.....	45,000
Hotel Bellevue Company.....	19-23 Beacon street.....	5	Alterations, hotel.....	2,500
Picadilly Restaurant.....	75 Court street.....	5	Erect sign.....	500
Hyman Brothers.....	630 Washington street.....	5	Erect sign.....	400
Maurice Freeman.....	1-5 Holmes place.....	3	Take-down, stores and tenements.	100

FEBRUARY 20.

J. Mercer Seaver.....	Rear of 3684 Washington street.....	22	First-class repair shop.....	\$2,000
Boston Elevated Railroad Company.....	340 Spring street.....	23	Alterations, store, dwelling..	300
E. A. Goldberg.....	161-167 Meridian street.....	2	Alterations, stores, offices, halls.	8,000
Highland Congregational Society.....	738 Parker street.....	14	Alterations, church.....	9,000
Annie Judge.....	23 Tremont row.....	5	Alterations, lunch room.....	5,000
B. & B. Amusement Enterprise, Inc.....	109-113 Court street.....	5	Alterations, theater.....	2,500
First National Bank.....	40 and 42 Newbury street..	8	Erect fire escapes.....	-1,500

TRANSFERS IN APPROPRIATIONS.

City Auditor Rupert S. Carven announces the following transfers in appropriations in departments of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk, indorsed by Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox and approved by his Honor the Mayor:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—The following transfers in the appropriations of this department are respectfully requested:

From clerk, 1 at \$1,300, \$45.13, to Clerks, 3 at \$2,700, \$0.67; Clerks, 3 at \$2,500, \$25.55; Clerk, 1 at \$1,800-\$1,900, \$18.91—\$45.13.

Respectfully,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
City Auditor.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor, January 31, 1924.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, February 5, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Your approval is respectfully asked for the following internal transfers in the appropriations for the Park Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Personal Employees, 1 Curator at \$3,000 a year, \$960.79; to the appropriation for A-1, Personal Employees, 1 Physical Instructor, at \$1,600 a year, \$960.79.

From 1 Curator at \$3,000 a year, \$21; to 1 Head Keeper of Birds, \$4-\$4.50 a day, \$21.

From 1 Curator at \$3,000 a year, \$151, to 6 Parkkeepers, at \$4.50 a day, \$151.

From 1 Civil Engineer, \$3,000 a year, \$986.45; 1 Curator at \$3,000 a year, \$617.21; 1 Assistant Physical Director at \$1,700 a year, \$391.20; 4 Clerks and Stenographers at \$1,600 a year, \$276.73; 1 Subforeman of Mechanics at \$1,700 a year, \$127.80; 3 Subforemen at \$1,600 a year, \$114.27; 1 Wheelwright and

Wagon Maker at \$1,700 a year, \$65.20; 1 Head Keeper of Animals at \$2,000 a year, \$0.62; 1 Draughtsman at \$2,100 a year, \$659.15; 1 Draughtsman at \$1,700 a year, \$228.20; 1 Transitman at \$2,000 a year, \$38.16; 1 Transitman at \$1,900 a year, \$624.60; 1 Draughtsman and Transitman at \$1,600 a year, \$30.68; 2 Physical Directors at \$1,500 a year, \$721.95; 2 Apparatus Repairers at \$5 a day, \$70; 1 Head Keeper of Birds at \$4.50 a day, \$460.50; 6 Zoo Attendants at \$4.50 a day, \$54; 2 Blacksmiths at \$5 a day, \$365; 11 Carpenters at 5 a day, \$510.50; 1 Concrete Moulder at \$5 a day, \$60; 13 Custodians at \$1,500 a year, \$30.27; 2 Custodians at \$1,300 at year, \$492.47; 5 Engineers-in-charge at \$36 a week, \$108; 8 Engineers-in-charge at \$35 a week, \$105; 3 Engineers-in-charge at \$33 a week, \$823.66; 1 Electrician at \$5.10 a day, \$219.30; 10 Gardeners at \$5 a day, \$722; 23 Gardeners at \$4.50 a day, \$252; 4 Gardeners at \$4.50 a day, \$127.50; 3 Gasolene Engine Operators and Repairers at \$5 a day, \$180; 1 Chief Inspector at \$2,000 a year, \$157.40; 1 Inspector at \$1,600 a year, \$30.68; 2 Iron Workers at \$5 a day, \$120; 11 Machinists at \$5 a day, \$510; 1 Machinist's Helper at \$4.50 a day, \$54; 2 Masons at \$5 a day, \$330; 10 Painters at \$5 a day, \$32.50; 1 Painter at \$4.50 a day, \$340; 2 Parkkeepers at \$4.50 a day, \$88; 10 Pianists and Matrons at \$18 a week, \$345.96; 1 Pipe Fitter at \$5 a day, \$120; 2 Plant Cleaners at \$18 a week, \$12; 4 Plumbers at \$5 a day, \$330; 1 Plumber's Helper at \$4.50 a day, \$1,384; 2 Riggers at \$5 a day, \$780; 7 Swimming Instructors at \$4.50 a day, \$216; 115 Matrons at \$18 a week, \$635.63; 8 Matrons at \$18 a week, \$32; 29 Matrons at \$3 a day, \$3,109.67—\$18,090.26 to 337 Laborers, Mechanics, etc., at \$4 a day, \$18,090.26.

From A-3, Unassigned Employees, \$66.54, to B-2, Postage, \$66.54.

From A-3, Unassigned Employees, \$12.50, to B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$12.50.

From A-3, Unassigned Employees, \$16.38, to B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$16.38.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$24.13, to B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$24.13.

From B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$0.79, to B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$0.79.

From B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$1.48, to B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$1.48.

From B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$38.53, to B-8, Light and Power, \$38.53.

From B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$67.37, to B-13, Communication, \$67.37.

From B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$78.35, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs, \$78.35.

From B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$2.25, to B-35, Fees, etc., \$2.25.

From B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$1, to B-41, Horseshoeing, etc., \$1.

From B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$2.09, to C-4, Motor Vehicle, \$2.09.

From B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$4.75, to C-10, Library, \$4.75.

From B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$11.72, to D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$11.72.

From B-21, Removal of Snow, \$1.40, to D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$1.40.

From B-21, Removal of Snow, \$1.21, to C-6, Stable, \$1.21.

From C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$0.42, to G-6, Christmas Tree, \$0.42.

From C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$12.89, to D-1, Office, \$12.89.

From D-9, Educational and Recreational, \$3.55, to D-1, Office, \$3.55.

From D-10, Agricultural, \$84.60, to D-1, Office, \$84.60.

From D-16, General Plant, \$143.45, to D-1, Office, \$143.45.

From E-1, Building, \$12.75, to D-1, Office, \$12.75.

From E-1, Building, \$83.04, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$83.04.

From E-9, Machinery, \$40.61, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$40.61.

From F-11, Workmen's Compensation, \$70.20, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$70.20.

From Cemetery Division to Park Department:

From B-39, General Plant, \$19.69, to C-6, Stable, \$19.69.

From B-39, General Plant, \$27.10, to C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$27.10.

From B-39, General Plant, \$43.87, to D-2, Food and Ice, \$43.87.

From B-39, General Plant, \$18, to E-10, Electrical, \$18.

From B-39, General Plant, \$6.30, to E-13, General Plant, \$6.30.

From B-39, General Plant, \$114.58, to G-6, Christmas Tree, \$114.58.

From A-2, Temporary Employees, \$0.42, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$0.42.

From A-3, Unassigned Employees, \$123.65, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$123.65.

From B-2, Postage, \$0.16, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$0.16.

From B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$23.70, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$23.70.

From B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$9.75, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$9.75.

From B-8, Light and Power, \$4.85, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$4.85.

From B-12, Premium on Surety Bonds, \$0.14, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$0.14.

From B-13, Communication, \$21.55, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$21.55.

From B-13, Communication, \$8.81, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$8.81.

From B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs, \$5.45, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$5.45.

From B-18, Cleaning, \$6, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$6.

From B-22, Medical, \$64, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$64.

From B-41, Horseshoeing, \$4.50, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$4.50.

From C-4, Motor Vehicle, \$8.32, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$8.32.

From C-5, Motorless Vehicles, \$0.79, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$0.79.

From C-6, Stable, \$3, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$3.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$6.26, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$6.26.

From C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$2.93, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$2.93.

From C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$45, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$45.

From C-17, General Plant, \$0.83, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$0.83.

From D-1, Office, \$0.07, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$0.07.

From D-3, Fuel, \$43.43, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$43.43.

From D-4, Forage and Animal, \$5.54, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$5.54.

From D-7, Veterinary, \$10, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$10.

From D-8, Laundry, etc., \$1.25, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$1.25.

From D-10, Agricultural, \$3, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$3.

From D-11, Motor Vehicles, \$0.73, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$0.73.

From D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$5.50, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$5.50.

From D-16, General Plant, \$29.25, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$29.25.

From E-1, Building, \$6.61, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$6.61.

From E-13, General Plant, \$3.31, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$3.31.

From F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$33.22, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$33.22.

From F-11, Workmen's Compensation, \$17.29, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$17.29.

From B-39, General Plant, \$672.64, to B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$672.64.

From B-39, General Plant, \$675.97, to B-39, General Plant, \$675.97.

From B-39, General Plant, \$22.38, to B-2, Postage, \$22.38.

From A-1, 1 Clerk and Stenographer, at \$1,100-\$1,200 a year, \$0.64, to B-39, General Plant, \$0.64.

From A-1, 1 Clerk and Stenographer at \$1,200-\$1,300 a year, \$0.77, to B-39, General Plant, \$0.77.

From A-1, 1 Stableman-Chauffeur at \$29 a week, \$0.69, to B-39, General Plant, \$0.69.

From A-1, 1 Engineer at \$5-\$5.50 a day, \$2.75, to B-39, General Plant, \$2.75.

From A-1, 9 Gardeners at \$4.50 a day, \$9.25, to B-39, General Plant, \$9.25.

From A-1, 40 Laborers, etc., at \$4 a day, \$57.13, to B-39, General Plant, \$57.13.

From A-1, 1 Matron at \$2.50-\$3 a day, \$1.50, to B-39, General Plant, \$1.50.

From Park Department, B-14, Motor Vehicle, \$136, to Cemetery Division, B-39, General Plant, \$136.

The following items will show a deficit needed, as outlined in letter dated January 23, 1924:

From Soldiers' Relief Department, F-8, to Park Department, A-1, Permanent Employees, 337 Laborers, Mechanics, etc., \$10,872.58; B-39, General Plant, \$9,569.24; D-3, Fuel, \$5,019.99; D-4, Forage and Animal, \$3,502.84-\$28,964.65.

Yours respectfully,

JAMES B. SHEA,
Chairman.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor, January 31, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Lighting Service.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully request that the following transfers be made in the appropriation for the Lighting Service:

From the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$377.80, to the appropriation for B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$17.60; C-17, General Plant, \$360.20.

These transfers are required to cover deficits at the end of the financial year.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 19, 1924.

RUPERT S. CARVEN, Esq., *City Auditor*:

DEAR SIR,—Will you kindly transfer on the budget of this department from Group A-1, "Clerk at \$1,100," to "Clerk and Visitor at \$1,400," the amount of 59 cents, to adjust the salary of the above clerk and visitor for the current year.

I also respectfully request a transfer on the budget of this department of \$33.04 from Group B-1, Printing and Binding, to Group B-2, Postage.

Respectfully,

FREDERICK W. WATKEYS, M. D.,
Acting Soldiers' Relief Commissioner.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

SUPERIOR COURT, CIVIL SESSION.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—In accordance with section 3 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, I will, with your approval, make the following internal transfers, to cover deficits existing at the close of the fiscal year, in the appropriation of the Superior Court, Civil Session, General Expenses:

From B-34, Jurors, \$40, to B-12, Premium on Surety Bonds, \$40.

From B-34, Jurors, \$4,821.58, to B-35, Fees, etc., \$4,821.58.

Very truly,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
Auditor of the County of Suffolk.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—The following transfers in the appropriations of this department are respectfully requested:

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$19.83, to the appropriation for Paymaster, 1 at \$2,000, \$11.70; Clerk and Paymaster, 1 at \$1,400, \$7.69; Clerk, 1 at \$1,100, \$0.49—\$19.88.

From A-2, Temporary Employees, \$1,178.05, to B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$1,178.05.

From D-1, Office, \$219.31, to B-12, Premium on Surety Bonds, \$195.31; D-2, Food and Ice, \$24.

From A-2, Temporary Employees, \$23.78, to Miscellaneous Expenses, Treasury Department, A-1, County Paymaster, 1 at \$3,600, \$23.78.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN J. CURLEY,
City Treasurer.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

BOSTON JUVENILE COURT.

Boston, February 13, 1924.

MR. RUPERT S. CARVEN, *Auditor for the County of Suffolk:*

DEAR SIR,—Will you please transfer from the appropriation allowed on our account B-4 to our account C-10, \$1.75, and also transfer from our account B-4 to our account D-1, \$37.43, to cover the expenses chargeable to these accounts at the end of the fiscal year?

Yours truly,

CHARLES W. M. WILLIAMS,
Clerk.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 21, 1924.

MUNICIPAL COURT, CHARLESTOWN.

Boston, February 12, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—It is respectfully requested that the following transfers be made in the appropriations for the Municipal Court of the Charlestown District for the fiscal year 1923-24:

From the appropriation for B-13, Communication, \$23.88, to the appropriations for B-1, Printing and Binding, \$3.50; B-39, General Plant Repairs, \$1.25; C-9, Office Equipment, \$2; D-1, Office Supplies, \$16.83; G-1, Probation Officers' Expenses, \$0.30—\$23.88.

These transfers are required in order to pay bills necessarily incurred in excess of amount estimated in budget, said bills being submitted to auditor to be paid on January 31, 1924, supplementary requisition.

Very respectfully,

MARK E. SMITH,
Clerk.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Boston, December 12, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The salaries of the justice, clerk and assistant clerks are increased beginning the first of January, 1924, by chapter 479 of the Acts of 1923, and the justice of this court has increased the salaries of the clerks in the probation office, which will require the following transfers which I would respectfully request be made:

The sum of \$83.34 from A-2, Justice, Appellate Division, to A-1, Justice.

The sum of \$62.50 from A-2, Justice, Appellate Division, to A-1, Clerk.

The sum of \$46.87 from A-2, Justice, Appellate Division, to A-1, Assistant Clerk.

The sum of \$37.50 from A-2, Justice, Appellate Division, to A-1, Assistant Clerk.

Total, \$230.21.

Yours truly,

MAURICE J. O'CONNELL,
Clerk.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I would respectfully request that the following transfers be made in order to balance account for financial year.

From A-2, Clerical Assistant, \$33.33, to A-1, Assistant Probation Officer, at \$2,500, \$33.33.

From A-2, Clerical Assistant, \$45, to A-1, Probation Officer (female), at \$2,370, \$45.

Yours truly,

MAURICE J. O'CONNELL,
Clerk.
Per H. F. RYDER,
Assistant Clerk.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

SEVENTY OF CITY'S BEST KNOWN EMPLOYEES TO RETIRE.

When Theodore Jennings, for fourteen years operator of the south elevator at City Hall and a city employee since 1881, retires with pension at the end of this month, Boston will lose the services of one of its best known employees. His home is at 1 Briggs place.

Seventy employees of the City of Boston or County of Suffolk will retire on that day. It will be the largest number of workers to be retired at any one time in the history of the city. Since the establishment of the contributory retirement system a year ago 385 members have left the municipal service, participating in its benefits.

Of the better known employees who will quit on February 29, whose retirement has not been announced previously, are:

John Campbell, repairer in the Water Service, 54 years' service; Thomas McCabe, laborer in the Sanitary Service, 51 years; Thomas Kelley, laborer in the Paving Service, 51 years; George W. Fogg, custodian of the Mechanic Arts High School, 50 years; Edgar H. Reed, inspector in the Paving Service, 49 years; Thomas Calnan, stableman in the Paving Service, 48 years; William Dwyer, laborer in the Paving Service, 48 years; Richard A. Lynch, inspector in the Building Department, 46 years; George W. Currier, teamster in the Sanitary Service, 44 years; Alban S. Green, tax examiner in the Assessing Department, 44 years; William G. T. Rolfe, assistant in the Library Department, 43 years; James J. Nolan, deputy collector in the Collecting Department, 36 years.

TO FURTHER WIDEN KNEELAND STREET.

It was planned, at a public hearing before the Street Commissioners Tuesday, February 19, to make another widening of Kneeland street, made necessary by the

recent widening of Stuart street, which now has a 70-foot width and has become one of the busiest thoroughfares in the city.

Full benefit cannot be derived from the Stuart street widening unless Kneeland street is made wide enough to accommodate all traffic that empties into it from Stuart street.

The first step to widen Kneeland street was during Mayor Curley's administration in 1916. At that time 10 feet of frontage of two estates between Harrison avenue and Tyler street were taken, at a cost of \$43,000. At the present time, from Washington street to Harrison avenue the street is 50 feet wide and it is desired to equal the width of the entire street from Washington street to Albany street.

Stuart street, extending from Huntington avenue to Washington street, is now the main artery for traffic from the Back Bay to the South Station and the wholesale district. The cost of widening is estimated at \$75,000.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of time until May 1, 1924, for the completion of contract for building new and rebuilding old stone walls at Arnold Arboretum.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of time until May 1, 1924, for the completion of contract for grading at Mary Hemenway Playground, Dorchester.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of time until June 1, 1924, for the completion of contract for filling and grading at Orient Heights Playground, East Boston.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of time until June 1, 1924, for the completion of contract for grading, drainage and concrete bleachers at World War Memorial Park, East Boston.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John B. Dolan has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for erecting and completing garage at yard of the Public Works Department on Albany street, from January 2, 1924, to March 10, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewerage Works).

Angelo Grande has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in New Haven street, West Roxbury, between outlet 500 feet south of North avenue and Summit 100 feet south of Upland road, from January 26, 1924, to February 16, 1924, twenty-one days.

A. L. Smith Iron Works have been granted an extension of time of completion of the contract for new iron floors and appurtenances for filth hoist building, Calf Pasture pumping station, Dorchester, from January 15, 1924, to April 15, 1924, ninety-one days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

The McCulloch Manufacturing Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of two contracts for assembling 6 and 8 inch gate valves, and 10-inch and 12-inch valves, both contracts from January 15, 1924, to May 20, 1924.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Feb. 28. The World in its True Colors: A Travel-Talk. Helen Messinger Murdoch, F.R.P.S., illustrated with autochromes taken by the lecturer.
- Mar. 6. Italian Gardens. Robert N. Cram.
- Mar. 18. The Call of the Mountains. Le Roy Jeffers, Secretary, Associated Mountaineering Clubs of North America; Librarian, American Alpine Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 20. Our Guardians of Life and Property. (Motion pictures.) Speakers from the Boston Fire and Police Departments. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Mar. 27. Browning and Ruskin; Prophets of the Twentieth Century. Agnes Knox Black (Mrs. E. Charlton Black).
- Apr. 3. Gothic Grandeur; how Rheims Cathedral was built. Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J.
- Apr. 10. The Revelation of Spain. Ralph Adams Cram, Litt.D., LL.D.
- Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Feb. 24. Shakespeare's Response to "What the Public Wants." John Livingston Lowes, Ph.L., Professor of English, Harvard University.
- Mar. 2. Expressionism in the Theatre. Albert H. Gilmer, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 9. Books and Life. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt.D.
- Mar. 16. Master Music for Young People. Malcolm Lang. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 23. Fundamentals in the Theatre, Old and New. F. W. C. Hersey, A.M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. (Drama League Course.)

* The program arranged by the Conservation Bureau of the City of Boston will consist of motion pictures, silent informational screen talks, singing by the audience, and a brief address.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Edith M. Safford, trustee, has agreed to accept the sum of \$50 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in and all damages occasioned to her estate on Morton street by the taking of easements and the construction of sewers therein, under an order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 21, 1922, for the taking of easements and construction of sewerage works in Grant place and private land, Dorchester.

Patrick J. Kyle, Mary A. Doherty and John F. Kyle, trustees for the estate of John Kyle, have agreed to accept the sum of \$500 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in and all damages occasioned to their estate on Scott's court by the taking of said estate for playground purposes under the order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 16, 1923.

Mary A. Doherty, administratrix for the estate of Bridget Kyle, has agreed to accept the sum of \$1,600 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in and all damages occasioned to her estate on Scott's court by the taking made for playground purposes under the order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 16, 1923.

- Mar. 30. The Bible in Stained Glass. Joseph G. Reynolds, Jr. With lantern illustrations.
- Apr. 6. Recreational Opportunities of Boston. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Mrs. Eva W. White, General Director, Community Service of Boston. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
- Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations.
- Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A Program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

- Feb. 25. Twenty-third Anniversary of the Boston Ruskin Club. Bonnie Scotland: The Land of Broom and Heather. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Mar. 10. Around the Bay of Naples. Miss Ellen C. Page. Illustrated.
- Mar. 24. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry Austin Higgins, Secretary, Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.
- Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)
- May 12. Annual Meeting.

THE NEW ENGLAND POETRY CLUB.

The following free talks in the Lecture Hall on the second Wednesdays of the month at 4.30 o'clock, with illustrative readings, are announced:

Some Influences in Modern American Poetry.

- Mar. 12. Carl Sandburg. Amy Lowell.
- Apr. 9. Robert Frost. Norreys Jephson O'Connor, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Mt. Holyoke College.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

CLERK OF WORKS, BOSTON SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT, FEBRUARY 27, 1924.

The salary is \$1,900 a year.

It is desirable that applicants have had three years' experience in masonry construction. The duties of this position are in the nature of an observer for the department, resident on the work under construction. Applicants should be qualified to understand and read plans and specifications, be able to report intelligently upon the character of the work and workmanship and have a general knowledge of all construction materials entering into the same.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; arithmetic, 1; report, 1; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

STENOGRAPHIC SERVICE, MARCH 1 AND MARCH 15, 1924.

This examination is for the service of the state and of all cities, and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. On March 15 the examination will be held in Boston and all persons who reside within commuting distance will be notified for that day. Applicants residing in other places will be examined on March 1 at certain centrally located cities throughout the state.

This examination will be given to fill positions in all grades of the stenographic service. All applicants will be given the same examination and will be placed on the list in the order of marks received, and will be certified for any and all stenographic positions in the order of standing on the list unless in the opinion of the Commissioner of Civil Service the mark attained is lower than is proper for the particular position to be filled.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; stenography, 5; business correspondence, 2; word knowledge, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15. The dictation is given at the following rates of speed: 80, 100 and 120, the dictation at each rate of speed consisting of a letter of about 300 words in length. Each applicant elects any two of the three speed tests for transcription. The transcription is marked for both speed and accuracy. Applicants are obliged to obtain at least 65 per cent in accuracy of transcription of one speed test.

Applicants will be required to obtain a general average in the entire examination of at least 65 per cent. For positions paying \$1,200 or more, only those who receive a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience will be certified.

Specimen examination papers may be obtained at the civil service office.

STENOGRAPHER (MALE), BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, MARCH 3, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$2,000 a year.

The duties of this position are to take testimony of persons at hearings of trial boards and before the Bureau of Criminal Investigation, to read this testimony in court if required, and to accompany the officers in order to take testimony in homicide cases.

It is desirable that applicants be familiar with the use of the dictaphone.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; stenography, consisting of dictation at 175 words a minute, 5; business correspondence, 2; word knowledge, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in accuracy of transcription, and in general average, in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

CITY WINS COURT BATTLE FOR \$3,500,000 BACK TAXES FROM LOCAL BANKS.

JUDGE LOWELL HANDS DOWN RULING DENYING TO INSTITUTIONS RIGHT TO ANY CLAIMS SINCE FOR FOUR YEARS THEY "SLEPT ON THEIR RIGHTS." BIG VICTORY FOR BOSTON AND MAYOR CURLEY.

Judge Lowell of the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts handed down a decision Wednesday sustaining the demurrers filed by the city in the seventeen suits brought by national banks against the city to recover about \$3,500,000 paid in taxes on the shares of national banks in the years 1917 to 1920, inclusive. The case was argued before Judge Lowell on behalf of the city by John A. Sullivan, Esq., former Corporation Counsel. The decision is as follows:

OPINION.

LOWELL, J. On motions to dismiss and demurrers. These are cases of importance, not only on account of the large sums of money at stake, but also because they involve the relation between the state and federal governments. The facts may be shortly stated. In 1916 the Legislature of Massachusetts passed an income tax law, which became effective in 1917. (1916, 269, G. L., c. 62.) Under this system the old method of taxing intangible personal property at its fair cash value was done away with, and a tax was laid on the income only from such property. The method of taxing shares in national banks was, however, left as before; it is from this circumstance that the cases at bar arise.

The National Banking Act provides: "Nothing herein shall prevent all the shares in any association from being included in the valuation of the personal property of the owner or holder of such shares, in assessing taxes imposed by authority of the state within which the association is located; but the Legislature of each state may determine and direct the manner and place of taxing of the shares of national banking associations located within the state, subject only to the two restrictions, that the taxation shall not be at a greater rate than is assessed upon other moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of such state, and that the shares of any national banking association owned by non-residents of any state shall be taxed in the city or town where the bank is located; and not elsewhere. Nothing herein shall be construed to exempt the real property of associations from either city, county or municipal taxes, to the same extent, according to its value, as other real property is taxed." (R. S. 5219.)

Before 1917 shares in national banks were taxed in the same way and at the same rate as other similar property, namely, at the fair cash value. This method of taxing was held to be constitutional.

Bank of Redemption v. Boston, 125 U. S. 60.

Since 1917, however, other moneyed capital has been taxed only on its income, while shares in national banks have continued to be taxed at their fair cash value, as before. The result is that the tax which must be paid on the shares of

national banks is much greater than that paid on other like property. There seems little room for doubt that the taxation which has been imposed by the state on bank shares is obnoxious to the provisions of the National Banking Act, and consequently illegal.

Merchants National Bank v. Richmond, 256 U. S. 635.

The real question is whether, the illegal tax having been assessed and collected, the plaintiffs have any other remedy than that provided by the statute of Massachusetts, which requires that a tax must be paid under protest and suit brought within three months. G. L., c. 60, §. 98. (The cases at bar were governed by earlier statutes, but their provisions were the same as those of the General Laws.)

Motions to dismiss have been filed on the ground that no federal question is involved, and that therefore the district court has no jurisdiction. It is contended by the defendants that the state statute is not unconstitutional, but has been wrongly interpreted by the taxing officials, and that the interpretation of the state statute presents no federal question. A glance at the statute will show that this contention is unfounded. The statute provides that the shares "shall be assessed at their fair cash value on April 1, after deducting therefrom the proportionate part of the value of the real estate belonging to the bank, at the same rate as other moneyed capital in the hands of citizens is by law assessed." G. L., c. 63, s. 1. It appears from the wording of the statute that the bank shares must be taxed at their fair cash value, the taxing authorities having no discretion in the matter. The tax imposed was plainly required by the statute; the legality of it depends upon the legality of the statute itself, and that in turn depends upon whether the statute contravenes the laws of the United States. This presents a federal question, and this Court has jurisdiction. *Osborn v. U. S. Bank*, 9 Wheat, 738, 821. The motions to dismiss are overruled.

A more difficult question arises on the demurrers filed by the defendants. Their contention is that the statute of Massachusetts gives a right to recover an illegal tax, that this right is exclusive, and that a national bank which has been illegally taxed stands on no different footing from any other corporation. The plaintiffs, on the other hand, contend that a statute has no power to interfere with an agency of the federal government, and that the exclusive remedy provided by the statute is an unreasonable one, not binding on the banks.

Since the great case of *McCulloch v. Maryland*, 4 Wheat, 315, it has been the law that the national banks cannot be taxed by the states, except so far as Congress has allowed them to do it.

The fundamental principles underlying these cases have been lucidly stated by

Mr. Justice Strong in case of the State Freight Tax, 15 Wall, 232, 271, as follows:

"The case is a grave one. It calls upon us to trace the line, always difficult to be traced, between the limits of state sovereignty in imposing taxation, and the power and duty of the federal government to protect and regulate interstate commerce. While, upon the one hand, it is of the utmost importance that the states should possess power to raise revenue for all the purposes of a state government, by any means and in any manner not inconsistent with the powers which the people of the states have conferred upon the general government, it is equally important that the domain of the latter should be preserved free from invasion, and that no state legislation should be sustained which defeats the avowed purpose of the federal constitution, or which assumes to regulate, or control subjects committed by the constitution exclusively to the regulation of Congress."

Mr. Justice Field said in *Dows v. City of Chicago*:

"It is upon taxation that the several states chiefly rely to obtain the means to carry on their respective governments, and it is of the utmost importance to all of them that the modes adopted to enforce the taxes should be interfered with as little as possible. Any delay in the proceedings of the officials upon whom the duty is devolved of collecting the taxes, may derange the operations of government, and thereby cause serious detriment to the public." 11 Wall, 108, 109.

On the one hand it is essential that the taxing authorities of the state, the cities and towns, should be able to raise the revenue necessary to carry on their affairs without having to wait for years to discover whether part of the money used by them was illegally raised, and therefore recoverable from them. On the other hand, an agency of the national government cannot be so seriously interfered with as to impair its efficiency.

By the terms of the National Banking Act "the Legislature of each state may determine and direct the manner and place of taxing all the shares of national banking associations within the state, subject only to the two restrictions, that the taxation shall not be at a greater rate. . . ." The method of taxing shares has therefore been left by Congress to the several states.

When Congress allows the shares of national banks to be taxed, it thereby gives this branch of the taxation of the governmental agency into the charge of the taxing authorities of the state, and the usual incidents of such taxation apply. By the statute relating to taxation of national banks the Congress did not lay down, even if it constitutionally could do so, of which there may be considerable doubt, any method for determination in the various states of the validity of the tax imposed by the states. These impliedly adopted the various state laws relating to the manner of complaint about a tax. There seems to be no reason, when a state has been given the power to tax shares of a national bank, that the bank should be treated any differently than any other person or corporation which the state has power to tax. The taxing power of any sovereignty is necessary to its very existence, and cannot be controlled by any other sovereignty. There is no con-

tention in the present case that the method of testing the constitutionality of a tax is unfair to the national banks on the ground that it is different from that required of other persons and corporations. A state must be allowed, and in this instance has been allowed, to determine the methods of collection of its own taxes. Any other result would be an unwarranted interference by the national government with the affairs of the state.

The argument of the plaintiffs, while addressed to the reasonableness of the three months' limitation, really goes much further, and depends for its validity on the proposition that a state has no constitutional power to prescribe the method of complaint against a tax on national bank shares. The result of this is that only the ordinary six years' limitation is applicable. The practical outcome would be that no state could for six years be sure of the amount of money which it could use to carry on its governmental functions. Such a result should not be reached unless it is unavoidable. As a practical, and, as we have seen, a constitutional matter, the states have the right to prescribe reasonable regulations about the collection of these taxes.

The question in this case must be considered in its relation to conditions existing in Massachusetts—a small, thickly settled state with every facility for the quick transaction of business, whether by carrier, correspondence through the mails, by telegraph or telephone, or even, in the centers of population, by messenger. The law though valid for Massachusetts, might be invalid for Texas or Arizona, as the conditions in these states are so different.

Mulvey v. Boston, 197 Mass. 178.
See Wheatland v. Boston, 202 Mass. 258.

Also *Lever Bros. Co. v. Com.*, 232 Mass. 22, and cases cited.

The Supreme Court of the United States has passed on many cases, which are cited in the *Lever* case. Though they are not exactly like the case at bar, they are analogous. That court has also held that an act of Congress which allowed three months for an appeal from the ruling of the Secretary of the Treasury, in a customs matter, was reasonable.

Arnson v. Murphy, 109 U. B. 238.

The Court of Appeals in this circuit has decided that the regulation in the statute under consideration in the case at bar is reasonable as applied to a non-resident individual.

See Long v. Norman, 289 F. R. 5.
Also Burrill v. Locomobile Co., 258 U. S. 34.

And *Keokuk Bridge Co. v. Salm*, *ib.*, 122.

As is clearly pointed out in the brief filed on behalf of the Commonwealth, the banks were not taken by surprise. The reason why such cases as this were not brought before probably is that it never occurred to any of the banks until their attention was called to it by the *Richmond* case, decided in 1921.

Merchants National Bank v. Richmond, 256 U. S. 635.

But in the years 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920, when the taxes complained of were laid, the banks had notice of the taxation beginning on the 1st of April, when they were required to file lists of their shareholders. G. L. 59, ss. 22, 29.

A tax bill was rendered to them about October 1, requiring payment on or before November 1, and they had three months after that in which to bring suit, which they could do if they had paid under written protest. D. L., c. 60, s. 98. They had, therefore, eight months in which to consider the question of paying under protest, and three months after that in which to bring suit. This was an appropriate remedy, as it has been held that a tax collected under an unconstitutional statute may be recovered by an action at law. *Wheatland v. Boston*, 202 Mass. 258.

The tax laid in these cases were partly valid, and the banks might have proceeded by way of abatement, which they could have done within six months after the date of payment. This adds three months more to the time within which they could have complained of the tax, thus bringing the period up to more than a full year. National banks in the past have made use of this provision of the statutes,

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New Bedford, 155 Mass. 313, and if this provision is binding on them, there seems no reason why the provision relating to a suit to recover back a tax should not also be binding.

The very large sums in the aggregate concerned in these cases make the interference with the banks by the state taxing power seem very serious. We must remember, however, that such large sums have become of moment here only because for four years the banks were quietly slumbering on their rights. A serious constitutional question cannot be determined solely by the neglect of the parties affected to assert their rights.

The decision of the Court of Appeals in this circuit in *Long v. Norman*, already cited, seems to me conclusive of this question. On the whole, I am of opinion that, considering the vital necessity to the cities and towns of having their revenue fixed and certain, the law of Massachusetts, which gives in terms three months, and in effect nine months or a year, to the national banks to complain of a tax, is not so serious an interference with their functions as agencies of the national government as to be unconstitutional.

The decision already arrived at renders it unnecessary to consider the other questions which were ably argued at the bar and supported by learned briefs.

Demurrers sustained.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

BOSTON POLICE SERVICE, MARCH 4, 1924.

Applicants must be not less than 25 nor over 35 years of age at the time of filing application, not less than 5 feet, 8 inches in height, and weigh not less than 135 pounds without clothing.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; report, 1; practical questions, 4; total, 10.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination and strength tests: Education test, 1; physical test, 1; total, 2.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average, in order to become eligible.

The practical questions will be based upon information contained in a manual known as the "Blue Book." This manual may be obtained from the Secretary of State, Room 118, State House, at 10 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

NURSES, MARCH 7, 1924.

This examination will include school nurses (excluding Boston school nurses), health nurses, visiting nurses, etc., and will be held for the service of all the cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service.

At present there are several vacancies in various cities throughout the state.

The examination for nurses who are registered by the Board of Registration of Nurses, Department of Civil Service and Registration, will consist of the following subjects and weights: Training and experience, 4; the mark on file with the Division of Registration, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

The date given above is not the actual examination date, but the date on or before which application blanks must be filed.

Applicants will be notified later of the oral interview.

The examination for nurses who are not registered will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; written examination, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

Since registered nurses will go on the list ahead of nonregistered nurses, applicants should state in their applications whether or not they are applying as registered nurses.

Applicants who are not registered must be graduates of a hospital or similar institution giving a course of instruction in nursing of at least two years in length or must have equivalent training.

ASSISTANT TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF EMPLOYMENT, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, DIVISION OF THE BLIND, MARCH 8, 1924.

The requisition is for a female but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$15 per week for four days a week.

The duties of this position are to assist in the placement of blind persons in private industries and offices. It is desirable that applicants have had experience in placement of handicapped persons and in social service.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

INSPECTOR OF CONCRETE MASONRY SEWER (MALE) METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION, MARCH 10, 1924.

The salary is \$1,980 per year.

Applicants should be experienced in building of sewers in quicksands or other bad ground and in the crossing of streams.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Applicants must have had at least three years' experience in masonry construction in accordance with chapter 31, section 41, of the General Laws.

LABORATORY ASSISTANT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, DIVISION OF BIOLOGIC LABORATORIES, MARCH 10, 1924.

The requisition is for a female but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$100 per month.

The duties of this position consist in the performance of every detail of the Wassermann reaction, together with the performance of precipitation tests for syphilis, the execution of gonococcus and glanders fixation tests, together with the cultivation of these organisms and the standardization of the reagents used in

these tests. It is desirable that applicants should possess a practical knowledge of the work described above, consisting of at least six months of actual training in a recognized laboratory, together with academic training equivalent to that obtained in a four years' college course.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

WATER INSPECTORS AND METER READERS, MARCH 21, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the various cities of the Commonwealth and of such towns as are classified under civil service. From the eligible list established as a result of this examination, names will be certified to fill present vacancies and such other vacancies as may occur.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; report writing, 1; practical questions, 4; total, 10.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Upon filing application, persons will receive a manual of information pertaining to the work of water inspector and meter reader, upon which the practical questions will be based. Applicants are, however, cautioned to inquire personally or by letter should they fail to receive this manual of instruction.

PERSONS (OF 10 YEARS AND OVER) IN GAINFUL OCCUPATIONS IN UNITED STATES (UNITED STATES CENSUS).

In all occupations, both sexes, 41,614,248 or 39.40 per cent of total population. In manufacturing and mechanical industries, 12,818,524 (30.8 per cent); agriculture, forestry, etc., 10,953,158 (26.30 per cent); trade, 4,242,979 (10.20 per cent); domestic and personal service, 3,404,892 (8.20 per cent); clerks, etc., 3,126,541 (7.50 per cent); transportation, 3,063,582 (7.40 per cent); professional service, 2,143,889 (5.20 per cent).

POPULATION OF OTHER CITIES OF OVER THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND, WITH INCREASE OVER PREVIOUS CENSUS (RANKING FROM HIGHEST).

New York, 5,621,151 (increase of 854,268 or 17.9 per cent over 1910), *i. e.*, Manhattan Borough, 2,284,103; Brooklyn, 2,022,262; Bronx, 732,016; Queens, 466,811; and Richmond, 115,959. Chicago 2,701,705 (inc. 516,422 or 23.6 per cent); Philadelphia, 1,823,158 (inc. 274,150 or 17.7 per cent); Detroit, 993,739 (inc. 527,973 or 113.4 per cent); Cleveland, 796,836 (inc. 236,173 or 42.1 per cent); St. Louis, 772,897 (inc. 85,868 or 12.5 per cent); Baltimore 733,826 (inc. 175,341 or 31.4 per cent); Pittsburgh, 588,193 (inc. 54,288 or 10.2 per cent); Los Angeles, 576,673 (inc. 257,475 or 80.7 per cent); San Francisco, 508,410 (inc. 91,498 or 21.9 per cent); Buffalo, 506,775 (inc. 83,060 or 19.6 per cent); Milwaukee, 457,147 (inc. 83,290 or 22.3 per cent); Washington, 437,571 (inc. 106,502 or 32.2 per cent); Newark, 414,216 (inc. 66,747 or 19.2 per cent); Cincinnati, 401,247 (inc. 37,656 or 10.4 per cent); New Orleans, 387,219 (inc. 48,144 or 14.21 per cent); Minneapolis, 380,582 (inc. 79,174 or 26.3 per cent); Kansas City, Mo., 324,410 (inc. 76,029 or 30.6 per cent); Seattle, 315,652 (inc. 78,458 or 33.1 per cent); Indianapolis, 314,194 (inc. 80,544 or 34.5 per cent).

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending February 16, 1924: Population estimated, July, 1924, United States Census Bureau, 776,783.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 210; nonresidents, 42; total, 252.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.92; nonresidents deducted, 14.10.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: Last week, 14.37; corresponding week last year, 22.20.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 33; one year to five years, inclusive, 15; sixty years and over, 93; total deaths, male, 153; female, 99; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 122; deaths of colored, 3.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 16, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 17, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	75	7	62	2
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	1	3	—
Influenza.....	5	2	38	5
Measles.....	180	—	142	4
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	2	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	38	13	74	37
Scarlet fever.....	123	1	85	2
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	39	13	27	13
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	6	4	4	4
Typhoid fever.....	3	—	2	—
Whooping cough.....	11	—	73	11

* Residents and nonresidents included.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR MANUAL ARTS SUPPLIES FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

On February 16, 1924, the School Committee advertised for proposals for manual arts supplies for the Public Schools, bids on which were to be opened on Tuesday, February 26, 1924, at 12 m. Bids will not be opened on said date, the opening being postponed until Tuesday, March 4, 1924, at 12 m., as set forth in the following readvertisement.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the several schools and the School Committee supply room, manual arts supplies as per schedule. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, March 4, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$100, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for not less than 25 per cent of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(Feb. 23.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR STATIONERY FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the supply room, stationery as per schedule, consisting of ink, ink powder, mucilage, chalk, blackboard erasers, recitation cards, pen holders and rubber erasers. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, March 10, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$50, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Each proposal should be plainly marked "Proposal for Stationery." The bid must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for the sum of not less than 25 per cent of the amount of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,

Business Agent of the School Committee.
(Feb. 23.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING IRON MANHOLE STEPS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Sewer Service, wrought-iron manhole steps. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the Supply Department. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Thursday, March 6, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,

(Feb. 23.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEAT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments during March, 1924, as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 noon, Friday, February 29, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,

(Feb. 23.) Superintendent of Supplies.

NOTICE.

CITY OF BOSTON.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF WEIGHING DEVICES.

February 20, 1924.

In compliance with the provisions of sections 41 and 42, chapter 98, General Laws of Massachusetts, I hereby give notice to all inhabitants or persons having places of business in Boston, who use measuring devices for the purpose of selling, buying or exchanging merchandise, or for public weighing, or for hire or reward, to bring their devices to this office to be adjusted, sealed or condemned. On and after this date I shall attend to this duty at this office and elsewhere, where devices are used, and for said service will receive the compensation as set forth in section 56, chapter 98, of the General Laws.

CHARLES B. WOOLLEY,

Sealer for Boston.

(Feb. 23.) 105 City Hall Annex, Boston.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR 1,500,000 NEW GRANITE PAVING BLOCKS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Paving Service 1,500,000 new granite paving blocks, according to the specifications, a copy of which may be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the above office and deposit his bid with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office, before 12 m., Wednesday, March 5, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,

(Feb. 23.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HAY, GRAIN AND STRAW.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Friday, February 29, 1924, when they will be publicly opened and read for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during the month of March, 1924. The bidder must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on United States No. 2 and No. 3 timothy hay, United States No. 2 and No. 3 light grass mixed, and United States No. 2 and No. 3 light clover mixed, the straw to be rye straw in good condition. The grade of hay must comply with the federal hay grades and straw must comply with the National Hay Association and shall be weighed and inspected by the federal hay inspector. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, clipped to test 36 to 38 pounds, graded under the federal standards. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidders must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. No reservations or stipulations submitted by the various bidders will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

FRANK P. ROCK,

(Feb. 23.) Superintendent of Supplies.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR THE PURCHASE OF TRIMMINGS, BONES, GREASE AND SUETS.

The Trustees of the Boston City Hospital invite sealed proposals for the purchase of the following materials from the hospital proper, South Department and Haymarket Square Relief Station, between date of execution of contract and February 1, 1925.

Trimmings, 800 pounds per month, more or less.

Bones, 3,550 pounds per month, more or less.

Grease from kitchen, 300 pounds per month, more or less.

Grease from traps, 1,000 pounds per year, more or less.

Suets, 100 pounds per month, more or less.

The price offered is to be price per pound on each of the above items, which is to include removal of grease from traps. The purchaser is to provide proper receptacles and remove these materials from the kitchen daily, except Sunday, before 11 o'clock a. m., and the grease from the grease traps whenever notified by the hospital so to do. Payments for materials taken to be made monthly. A bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals to be addressed "The Boston City Hospital, Proposal for Trimmings, Bones, Grease and Suet," and left at the hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, not later than Tuesday, February 26, 1924, at 12 o'clock m., at which time and place said proposals will be publicly opened and read, a duplicate proposal to be filed with the City Auditor. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

By order of the Trustees.

JOHN J. DOWLING, M. D.,

(Feb. 23.) Superintendent.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR EQUIPMENT AND THE LIGHTING AND EXTINGUISHING OF GAS LAMPS FOR THE CITY OF BOSTON, EXCLUDING CHARLESTOWN AND HYDE PARK, FOR A TERM OF TEN YEARS BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1924.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the City of Boston, excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park, for a term of ten years beginning April 1, 1924. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Equipment and the Lighting and Extinguishing of Gas Lamps for the City of Boston, Excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park," for a term of ten years, beginning April 1, 1924, and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, March 6, 1924, with a certified check for ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, February 14, 1924.

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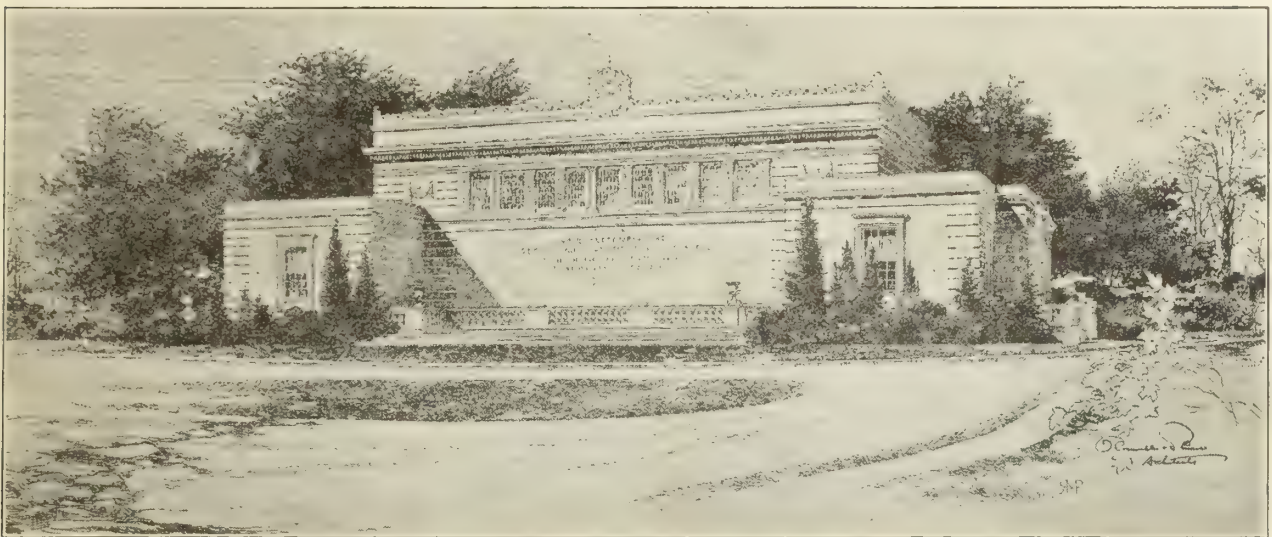
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CHANGES IN PLANS FOR NEW FIRE ALARM STATION IN FENWAY ENHANCES ARTISTIC BEAUTY OF STRUCTURE AND SURROUNDINGS.

NEW HOME FOR BOSTON'S FIRE SIGNAL OPERATORS NOW TO BE MOST ARTISTIC IN WORLD AS WELL AS MOST COMPLETELY EQUIPPED. WORK TO BE BEGUN SOON.



CHANGES IN DESIGN OF NEW FIRE ALARM STATION IN FENWAY MAKE STRUCTURE MOST ARTISTIC OF ITS KIND IN COUNTRY—IN KEEPING WITH SURROUNDINGS.

Due to improvements and changes in the plans for the new Fire Alarm Station, the building as now contemplated will be of a most artistic design, and will be rated as one of the handsomest structures in the world to be used for the housing of signal apparatus.

Removal of this important branch of the Fire Department from Bristol street headquarters, a district known as offering possibilities for trouble in case of a bad fire, to a location indorsed by the Boston Board of Fire Underwriters, the Chamber of Commerce and the Boston Park Department, will mark the completion of plans agitated for many years. The building has been designed to meet the artistic requirements of the neighborhood and yet provide every modern facility and convenience for the work of sounding fire alarms without the slightest delay, no matter how fast the service may develop in the years to come.

The present quarters on Bristol street, in the center of the hazardous lumber yard district have long since been outgrown. This condition made possible the

consideration of locating the new building in an area providing greater security for the delicate apparatus from damage by fire.

With this branch of the department crippled no method of registering alarms would be available except through the agency of a messenger. This step, therefore, following full motorization, will make of the department the most complete fire-fighting unit in America.

In selecting a new location, it was necessary to recognize, in addition to a central geographical position, one which would reduce to a very minimum the danger from fire. To obtain such a location was impossible without invasion of the park lands which afforded the best possible area in which the proper security might be obtained. It is not common for a building other than one for park or recreational purposes to be erected within the limits of the park system, and special legislative permission had to be obtained. Seeing the wisdom of the request, the Legislature granted this permission and

the precedent thus established is now being used in Detroit and other cities.

The architects, O'Connell & Shaw, were instructed that in addition to a proper recognition of the present desirable requirements, attention should be directed to the demands likely to be made upon such a structure in accordance with the expected growth of the city for many years. It was impressed upon them that in consideration of the location no ordinary æsthetic solution would satisfy, as this particularly important area of the park system should not suffer by the intrusion of a building, but rather be enhanced architecturally thereby.

The new site likewise afforded greater privacy than could be obtained elsewhere. It is partly due to this condition that the entrance to the building is located on the northwest side, off the main drive. It was likewise thought well to omit the entrance from the park front so that no architectural feature would appear to conflict with any monumental development likely to occur on the plot immediately in front of the building.



O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, March 3, at two o'clock p. m.
Meeting of the School Committee, Monday, March 3, at 6.30 p. m.
Meetings of the Finance Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for informa-

MAYOR REJOICES OVER VICTORY IN BANK CASE.

SENDS CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE FROM FLORIDA TO JOHN A. SULLIVAN WHO BORE BRUNT OF BATTLE AT LAW.

"News on bank cases most pleasing. Hearty congratulations on victory."

Thus ran a telegram from Mayor Curley at Palm Beach to John A. Sullivan, expressive of his Honor's satisfaction that the fiscal year just beginning the City of Boston will not be embarrassed by having to restore to certain national banks which brought suit a sum rising \$3,000,000 (including \$700,000 in interest), for taxes imposed on bank shares through the years from 1917 to 1920, inclusive.

Attorney Sullivan was himself highly elated at the victory, particularly in view of the complaints when Mayor Curley approved payment to him of a \$33,500 fee last July.

The word is that the local national banks will take an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States from the recent ruling of Judge Lowell in the Federal District Court, which was to the effect that the city was fully empowered to retain the tax revenue, inasmuch as the banks had permitted their cases to lapse far beyond the three-month period after the taxes were levied, before protesting the taxes.

CAMBRIDGE STREET WIDENING TO COST \$3,500,000.

The Boston Street Commissioners and the Planning Board at a conference Thursday afternoon agreed on the lines for the \$3,500,000 widening of Cambridge street.

The principal changes from the original plans are provisions for an extra 10-foot widening opposite the subway mouth on Cambridge street, southerly side, between

tion regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

Joy and Irving streets, and for removal of the subway escalator exit in Scollay square.

The kiosk, also in Scollay square, which serves both as an entrance and exit, will likewise go, and in its place will be built a smaller and less obtrusive structure. The direction of the slope of the escalator, above mentioned, will be reversed so that it will discharge its passengers into the reconstructed kiosk, thereby leaving only one obstruction in Scollay square.

COMPROMISE PLAN.

Plans for a complete removal of the subway structures involved too much expenditure, it was believed. They decided on the consolidation as a compromise which seems acceptable to the Transit Commission as well. The scheme decided on will go into effect as the final solution of the problem unless the Mayor insists on complete clearance of the square. The compromise plan will involve expenditures of about \$135,000, which must be obtained by special legislation.

Plans as now agreed on do not follow the recommendation of the Finance Commission that the street be widened to a full 100 feet, exclusive of the subway opening in Cambridge street and the exits in Scollay square.

MUNICIPAL CLERKS' ASSOCIATION MEETS.

Some 100 members of the Municipal Clerks' Association held their annual banquet Tuesday evening at the City Club, with Budget Commissioner Fox as the guest and speaker. Mr. Fox gave an interesting talk on city work, filled with wit and humor. The association was reported in a flourishing condition. The association also had as guest one of their retiring members, James Nolan.

BOSTON'S FIRE COMMISSIONER AND DEPARTMENT GIVEN HIGH PRAISE.

MAJOR PAUL VANGINOT, CHIEF OF THE FIRE BRIGADE OF PARIS, FRANCE, HEAPS ENCOMIUMS UPON COMMISSIONER GLYNN, AND REPORT OF VISIT TO UNITED STATES IS A DEDICATION TO BOSTON.

Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn has received from Major Paul Vanginot, chief of the Paris Fire Brigade, a copy of the latter's report of his tour of inspection of the fire department of the United States. Major Vanginot made a study of the fire departments of thirteen cities, including New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Detroit, St. Louis, San Francisco and Washington. He came here in September, 1922, following his attendance at the annual convention of the International Association of Fire Engineers.

The report is very extensive and covers 373 pages. About 270 pages are devoted to the general conditions found in American cities, a description of American fire-fighting methods, American-made fire apparatus, fire prevention and other special matters peculiar to fire departments in American cities.

One hundred pages are devoted to reports on various cities, and twelve of these pages are given to Boston.

No word of criticism is found in his report of the Boston Fire Department. In the last paragraph of the preface of his work he practically dedicates the book to the Boston Fire Department in the words:

"In preparing this work my personal feelings may have crept in despite my earnest efforts to eliminate everything personal from the report. The readers will bear with me, therefore, when I assure them that in writing this book there was ever present in my mind that illustrious motto of my excellent friends and comrades in the

Boston Fire Department, 'Pro Domo et Civitate.'"

The report gives in detail various statistics of the Boston Fire Department, and a description of the equipment and fire-fighting methods in this city. Concluding his statement he says:

"In Boston I received a hearty and most cordial welcome, every attention and consideration was paid to me. I hold the most pleasant memories of his Honor Mayor James M. Curley, Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn, Chief John O. Taber, and the officers of the Fire Department.

"Chief Taber was an agreeable and obliging guide and the deputy chiefs rivaled with him. My visit to Boston was one of extreme interest.

"Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn is an efficient executive, a man whom it was most pleasant to meet. As a fire chief, John O. Taber is held in high esteem, particularly throughout the United States. He was well known to me before my visit to Boston.

"In the department the men are perfectly drilled in their duties, they have a neat and snappy appearance, and are possessed of wonderful courage and marvelous physical condition.

"The Boston Fire Department is a first-class organization, perfectly directed and excellently commanded.

"I passed many days in Boston and was in a position to observe every detail. I am pleased to signify here to Commissioner Glynn and Chief Taber my appreciation of the courtesies extended to me."

CITY ENDS FISCAL YEAR WITH NEARLY \$1,000,000 SURPLUS.

The administration of Mayor Curley finished the fiscal year ending January 31 last with a \$998,142 cash balance in the city treasury, after all pay rolls and bills for that year had been cleaned up, Auditor Rupert S. Carven announced Thursday afternoon. He said this money will be reappropriated in the new budget for city departments and, in part, applied to a reduction of the new tax rate, to be announced next August.

Because the Finance Commission has so far failed to give the Legislature the advice it seeks with relation to action upon the Curley petition to make the Boston tax limit \$13.25 for this fiscal year, Budget Commissioner Charles Fox was obliged, conformably to law, to file with City Clerk James Donovan a "dummy" budget in place of the actual one, which the law stipulates must be filed with the City Council within thirty days of the opening of the financial year.

Since the new budget is always based on the tax limit allowed the city, obviously a budget cannot be actually framed until the Legislature fixes the tax limit. In law, the limit has stood at \$3.52 through several years, the Legisla-

ture allowing the succeeding administrations to boost it above that figure as necessary.

The \$6.52 tax limit would yield only \$10,750,000 to be expended for all departmental purposes exclusive of schools.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertisers for proposals for repairing fenders of the Dorchester Avenue Bridge over Fort Point channel. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 10, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Lighting Service).

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the City of Boston, excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park, for a term of ten years, beginning April 1, 1924. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$50,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 6, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing and delivering stationery to the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 3, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for stationery for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 10, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for military equipment in the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 10, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing and installing work benches in the Ralph Waldo Emerson School, Dudley and Shirley streets, Roxbury district, and the Washington Irving School, Poplar street, West Roxbury district. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 11, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertisers for proposals for 1,500,000 granite paving blocks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to

25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing iron manhole steps to the Public Works Department, Sewer Service. Surety bond in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price will be required. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 81, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Park Department fifteen tons of dry arsenate of lead. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Park Department 60,000 yards of toweling. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for steel lockers for the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals to furnish the City Hospital with 100 aluminum boxes, 600 aluminum cups and 100 covers for cups. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 12, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, February 28:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium up to and including February 16:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Nellie Talty, seamstress, \$600 a year; Lillian Smith, maid, \$468 a year; George Harrington, choreman, \$600 a year; John Sundstrom, choreman (patient), \$480 a year; Arthur A. Ayers, assistant carpenter, \$840 a year.

Temporary.—Nellie Talty, seamstress, \$600 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

George Harrington, choreman, \$600 a year; Nellie Talty, maid, \$468 a year; Nellie Talty, seamstress (temporary), \$600 a year; Thomas Mitchel, choreman, \$600 a year; Annie Wells, assistant cook, \$480 a year; Victoria LeBlanc, nurse, \$720 a year; Lauretta Dube, nurse, \$720 a year.

The following persons have been appointed at the Boston Sanatorium:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Thomas McCarthney, choreman, \$600 a year; Annie Cullen, nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Mary Gallagher, assistant cook, \$480 a year; Thomas Nolan, choreman (patient), \$240 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium: Mary Harrington, medical record clerk, \$1,120 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Joseph F. Kelly has been appointed temporarily as a constable at \$4 a day for a period of sixty days.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Wilbur F. Goodrich has been employed for a period not exceeding ten days as an investigator at \$8 a day.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during week ending Thursday, February 28:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Joseph S. Donohue, porter, \$14 a week; Helmar Johnson, porter (re-employed), \$14 a week; Thomas J. Stanton, porter (re-employed), \$14 a week; John B. Hearn, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Anthony Scavito, transfer porter, \$11 a week; C. Bodak, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Helmar Johnson, transfer porter (re-employed), \$11 a week; Jane Labrie, ward helper, \$11 a week; Minnie Labrie, ward helper, \$11 a week; Hannah Keenan, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Anne A. Tyrell, ward helper, \$11 a week; Delia Fortune, ward helper, \$11 a week; Margaret Haggerty, wardmaid, \$9.50 a week; Jessie White, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Mildred Moss, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Beula Rose, stenographer, \$14 a week; Thomas Carey, elevator man, \$11 a week; Mildred Quinn, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Grace M. Slavin, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Albert Levin, night lodge attendant, \$6.25 a week; Robert Haubrich, night lodge attendant, \$6.25 a week; Joseph Levin, night lodge attendant (re-employed), \$6.25 a week.

Temporary.—Anna Welch, telephone operator, \$20 a week; Frank Farrell, kitchenman (re-employed), \$17 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments were made for the week ending, Thursday, February 14:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Blanche I. Hayes, operating room nurse, at a salary of \$1,200 a year to succeed Honora J. O'Donnell.

Dennis L. Hurley, institution employee, at a salary of \$500 a year, temporary.

Patrick H. Stack, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, temporary.

Marie D. Woodward, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Barbara Flaherty.

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

Frank J. McGlynn, deckhand, at a salary of \$18 a week, to succeed James Donahue.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, February 21:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Peter Connors, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed William Kenney.

Daniel E. Donovan, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed George F. Grace.

Jean B. Ferguson, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Cornelius O'Brien.

Marion Golis, institution employee, at a salary of \$520 a year, to succeed Gladys M. Quirk.

Elizabeth C. Myers, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Mabel Hunt.

Joseph H. Saunders, M. D., assistant resident physician, at a salary of \$700 a year, to succeed Aaron Thurman.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Sarah V. Mackin has been given temporary appointment for a period of thirty days as a matron and seamstress at \$18 a week, for special work, *i. e.*, the making of fig leaves.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Peter F. Griffin has been given employment as assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week in the Bridge Service for a period of thirty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Walter O. Connor, Peter J. McDermott and Louis O'Hara have been given an extension of temporary employment as rodmen at \$15 a week.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Frank M. Fraine has been granted an extension of employment as a transitman at \$1,400 a year, for one month.

Frank A. Foster has been continued provisionally as a conveyancer at \$1,500 a year for an additional term of one month.

Frank S. Wilson has been continued in employment provisionally as a transitman, at \$1,500 a year for an additional term of one month.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER DEFENDS HIS SNOW FIGHTING ARMY.

SEVERELY SCORES CRITICAL AND MISLEADING ARTICLE IN BOSTON HERALD ON SNOW CLEANING FORCE AND WORK DURING STORM OF FEBRUARY 21.

In reply to a hysterical article in the *Boston Herald* of February 21, regarding the condition of the city streets on February 20, the following letter was written to the editor of the paper:

"In fairness to the Public Works Department we desire to correct the wrong impression created in your issue of February 21, in which it is stated that the 'white wings' quit Boston's slush area on account of the rain. There is no reason for your reporter to make this statement. He was told that the contractors were ordered out at noon, but due to the impossibility of getting men to work on account of the heavy subsequent rain nothing could be done by them. None of the city employees, of whom there are about 2,000 on snow activities, quit on account of rain and at the time of the excessive downpour, during ten minutes of which the writer was on Tremont street and was thoroughly soaked, they continued to shovel, load and cart away snow from the busy city streets. A greater part of them worked from early in the morning until eight o'clock at night, and the last of the gang left down town at ten o'clock p. m.

"During last year when the contractors were out frequently there was one day that snowed heavily when only one contractor could get men to work and then only a comparatively small number. During this particular day all city employees continued on their snow work until far into the night.

"There was no human agency that could cope with the slushy conditions of yesterday with a heavy downpour of rain lasting a considerable period following directly a 7-inch snow fall which terminated at noon. We have no excuse to offer for contractor's men not working yesterday. They are all on the job today and doing excellent work. Perhaps there would be fewer complaints of slushy conditions if the City of Boston should adopt a regulation or ordinance similar to that in New York City where all abutters are obliged to shovel their snow off the sidewalk within a short period from the end of the snow fall, keep their gutters clean and keep the sewer connection or catch-basin, if in front of their premises, open to the middle of the street. There are over 16,000 catch-basins in this city which are practically all looked after by the Public Works Department employees except in a few of the poorer districts where there are storekeepers with a public spirit absent in locations where there are great wealth and property values and where complaints of bad street conditions are most frequent.

"There was no information furnished in this office that the Public Works Department employees quit on account of rain. What was said, however, was that the writer would not insist on men working any longer than they themselves desired if they considered that further efforts with soaked feet and clothing

might affect their immediate health and usefulness to the city.

Yours very truly,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works."

Boston had a 7-inch snow fall; New York had a 5-inch snow fall, both succeeded by heavy rain storms. The following comments in the news articles of New York papers regarding conditions in that city are appended for further information as to the practical impossibility of coping successfully with the conditions existing on February 20:

World, February 21. New York City, in spite of the best efforts of thousands of street cleaners working with beehive activity, was still wallowing ankle deep in melting snow.

Times, February 21. Slush made the streets almost impassable after 9,000 extra snow shovelers quit work in the face of the storm—chilled to the bone with the heavy rain. In Times square and busy street intersections throughout the city the rivers of slush were forced by means of dry goods boxes laid out from the curb.

Evening Post, February 20. Streets everywhere were ankle deep in slush and navigation was very dangerous. Clogged snow backed water up at nearly every street intersection.

Tribune, February 21. The pavements around the municipal building were practically the only ones thoroughly cleaned. Nothing except the middle of the streets could be cleared.

As further tribute to the city's forces working during the storm period, the following is quoted from the *Philadelphia Public Ledger* of February 21:

City wallows in slush flood after storm. So forbidding was the weather that even the drivers and shovelers employed by the city to carry away the accumulated snow were loath to venture out, and instead of 2,000 expected to report for work at five o'clock yesterday morning only 350 appeared. Inspectors were immediately dispatched by the Street Cleaning Bureau, under the direction of Chief John H. Neeson, to scour the city for the recalcitrants, but neither coaxing nor threats prevailed against the stronger arguments of the storm. Choked sewers in the business section resulted in many places in a backwash.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

J. P. Dwyer Company have been allowed to amend their contract for installing and completing heating and ventilating system in the George Putnam District School, School and Dixwell streets, Roxbury district, by striking out in each case where it occurs, in paragraph (D) In General, and paragraph (E) Guaranty Bond, section 9, pages 46 and 47 of said contract, the name "Vacuum Specialties Company," and substituting therefor the words "company supplying the vacuum specialties."

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, February 21:

Daniel Sweeney, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$8.25.

For the week ending Thursday, February 28:

Edgar B. Coombs, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6; William Jennings, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6; John Carroll, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$3; Daniel Sweeney, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; Dennis O'Connell, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; Michael Dolan, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; James Lee, coal passer, 1 day, \$4.67.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, February 28:

Main Department.

N. MacPherson, T. J. McNally, W. Thompson, J. Deery, M. Crosson, H. J. Brown, engineers, 8 hours, \$6.67 each; M. Kelly, J. Norton, H. O'Donnell, D. Bransfield, V. Pepe, J. McDonough, R. S. Johnson, firemen, 8 hours, \$5.50 each; C. Skory, electrician, 20 hours, \$16.67; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 8 hours, \$5.20; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Wood, jobber, 22 hours, \$7.33; 1 day, \$2.67; M. Murphy, jobber, 16 hours, \$5.33; J. Huber, jobber, 16 hours, \$5.33; J. P. Corbett, elevator-man, 12 hours, \$2.76; P. Sheppelle, porter, 11½ hours, \$3.28.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

W. Nolan, P. Joyce, J. McKenzie, porters and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50 each.

East Boston Relief Station.

J. Corcoran, M. Kane, M. Fitzgerald, porters and tending furnace, \$4.50 each. Total, \$167.05.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, February 21:

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

For the week ending Thursday, February 28:

Dennis Daly, chauffeur, 2 days, \$9; Peter Powers, rigger, 2 days, \$10; Thomas J. Foley, chauffeur, 2 days, \$9; Carmine Mastrogianni, laborer, 2 days, \$8; William Connell, inspector, 3 days, \$13.14; Martin Cosgrove, laborer, 2½ days, \$10; James Dunne, wheelwright, 4 days, \$18.64; Daniel McCarthy, blacksmith, 2 days, \$10; William Gavin, gardener, 1 day, \$5; George Quigley, carpenter's assistant, 2 days, \$9; Stephen McCarthy, Jr., laborer, 1½ days, \$6; John Nagle, laborer, 1½ days, \$6; Jeremiah Collins, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Patrick Kielty, machinist, 1 day, \$5; John J. Walsh, working foreman, 2 days, \$8.76; John Murphy, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Aaron Parker, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Michael Flaherty, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Thomas Dolan, 1st, laborer, 2 days, \$8; John T. Conboy, gardener, 1 day, \$5; Hugh Bagley, laborer, 1 day,

\$4; Christopher Bird, laborer, 1 day, \$4; James Hardy, laborer, 1 day, \$4; John T. Hanscom, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Martin Finnigan, laborer, 1 day, \$4; John Stapleton, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Antonio Ventura, laborer, 1 day, \$4. Total, \$184.54.

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, February 21:

Enrico Binda, Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Austin Kelly, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

For the week ending Thursday, February 28:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 2 days, \$8 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 2 days, \$9.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, February 28:

T. Joyce, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; J. Conlon, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; T. J. Swift, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; J. Campbell, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; N. McSheffrey, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50; J. Reynolds, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13; J. McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 25:

First Assistant Drawtender.—J. F. McKeon, 1 day, \$4.38.

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. J. Delay, J. P. Stack, W. Higgins, W. E. Osborne, P. F. Griffin, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Machinist.—P. F. Murphy, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.75.

Total, \$28.68.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 25:

Captains.—Timothy A. Toohig, Edward R. Gray, Charles F. Crocker, James Young, Owen Shields, 1 day, \$7.67 each.

Quartermasters.—Charles Stafford, William Hogan, Florence W. Sullivan, Eugene G. Sullivan, Thomas F. Carter, 1 day, \$5.43 each.

Deckhands.—Frederick L. Allaverson, Dennis G. Sheehan, Thomas Doyle, John J. Cooper, Fred P. Craven, James Murphy, Batista Forgione, Louis F. Gray, William F. Hollander, William A. Joyce, Thomas A. O'Hare, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Laborers.—Alfred N. Wesberg, Christopher T. Leonard, Jeremiah Donahue, John J. Forrest, Edward J. Wilkie, Edward J. O'Brien, James Kearney, John McInnis, 1 day, \$4 each.

Tollmen.—James D. Coughlin, Frederick L. Heffron, Henry H. McCarthy, John D. Mahoney, Thomas F. Lynch, William G. Greenall, Michael J. O'Brien, Michael F. Powers, Lendall P. Rollins, Fred C. Horner, 1 day, \$5.13 each.

Gatemen.—John D. Collins, Jeremiah F. McCarthy, John E. Nagle, Joseph A. Browne, Arthur F. Keefe, John R. Dugan, James P. Gunn, James E. Green, Walter L. Brown, Walter H. Noyes, John T. Callahan, James A. Quinn, 1 day, \$4.80 each.

Engineers.—Richard J. Shaw, George F. Keating, Patrick W. Mackey, Helmer G. Skonberg, James M. Walsh, 1 day, \$7.50 each.

Firemen.—James Reilly, Patrick McDevitt, George B. Roddy, Simon Collins, Theodore P. Panopoulos, Ernest L. Yocum, Dennis Hannigan, Thomas Nugent, James Kelly, John J. Ranahan, Joseph E. Brown, Henry T. McConnell, Owen Moore, William Lally, Frank A. Keenan, Peter V. Fernandes, Dennis T. Horgan, John W. O'Connell, James P. Connors, James Porter, Philip F. Gallagher, Thomas Murphy, Nathan McConnell, Jeremiah McCarthy, Thomas Baggott, August J. Sommers, John Kelly, John A. Harrison, James H. Carlin, Francis M. Donahue, Owen F. Cox, Morgan J. Sullivan, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Total, \$466.65.

Net cost for the week ending Monday, February 25, \$466.65.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 25:

Stableman.—P. A. Eagan, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$14.

Teamsters.—P. Lane, J. O'Connor, J. Campbell, J. Costello, M. Donohue, J. Fennessey, R. Lanahan, J. A. McNutt, G. Stapleton, D. Whalen, M. J. Curley, M. Brennan, J. F. Brewster, J. J. Connors, P. J. Cronin, W. Doherty, D. Donlan, F. D. Donlan, J. Donahue, R. J. Gallagher, J. Hogarty, S. A. Hughes, P. Kelley, J. F. Kelley, P. Kelly, A. Lapiato, P. J. Martin, W. F. Merrick, C. R. Mudge, J. J. McConn, P. M. McCormack, J. McDermott, J. P. McDonald, R. McDonnell, W. McKenna, W. Manus, J. M. Donlan, B. O'Brien, J. O'Brien, J. M. O'Neil, R. G. Purcell, C. A. Shoner, H. F. Short, W. F. Sweeney, T. J. Tighe, J. K. Ware, M. Woods, J. Lucas, M. E. Dolan, E. J. Brown, E. Casey, W. F. Courtney, J. J. Desmond, W. J. Gavin, J. J. Hagerty, W. J. Jenkins, W. Stinson, C. C. Carey, P. Cassino, M. F. Cody, D. Collins, J. J. Curran, M. Doherty, F. H. Donahue, T. J. Donovan, J. Dumphy, J. Fahey, J. J. Flaherty, P. Hafferty, J. Herbst, C. J. Hourihan, J. F. King, T. A. Landrigan, P. J. Lennon, M. Logan, J. Lyman, J. J. Madigan, J. J. Mahoney, P. F. McCormick, P. O'Hea, W. Pickett, J. J. Quigley, J. D. Regan, J. L. Ryan, J. J. Talbot, J. Wilmouth, T. McCabe, J. J. Spillane, J. H. McGrath, M. J. Rooney, O. P. Cannon, T. Frane, T. L. Patterson, J. J. Gavin, W. McGahey, F. Ruggerio, W. F. Shea, E. Collins, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—A. Andrews, J. Collins, E. Currie, G. Drew, M. Fitzpatrick, J. Flannery, P. Griffin, R. Lombard, J. Stapleton, B. Clements, J. Donahue, T. J. Calnan, P. Clifford, B. J. Corcoran, M. Daly, J. J. Dowd, W. J. Dumphy, A. Edwards, H. Fallon, J. F. Farrell, J. E. Fay, J. E. Fee, T. Ferris, B. Finneran, T. Finneran, J. Fitzgibbons, W. Flaherty, D. F. Foley, W. A. Gormley, T. Grenham, P. J. Haverty, T. J. Jinks, C. J. Kast, J. J. Kelley, W. J. Lyons, J. MacKenzie, F. J. Moore, J. Murray, W. McGann, T. M. McGerrick, M. J. Noonan, C. J. O'Handley, M. J. O'Laughlin, M. Reilly, M. Salmon, H. Seabry, T. J. Twoomey, T. Walsh, T. J. Watson, Jr., T. Twoomey, C. R. Beals, J. J. Coughlin, D. J. Dolan, W. P. McGregor, J. J. Barrett, J. B. Barry, E. A. Connolly, J. J. Corrigan, M. J. Cremin, J. J. Cribben, H. A. Devlin, J. J. Feeney, W. H. Getz, D. F. Hart, W.

Healey, J. Hegarty, P. J. Hassion, A. E. Jacobs, H. L. Kenney, P. C. Lenz, S. F. Melia, J. F. McCarthy, P. F. McDonough, P. J. McDonough, F. J. O'Brien, E. O'Connell, M. O'Meara, J. W. Powers, M. Tierney, M. Toohy, P. P. Walsh, F. J. Roach, J. T. Connor, W. E. Shallow, C. B. Capillo, J. M. Casserly, P. Cataldo, J. Ciaccio, C. J. Crowley, T. Dwyer, J. E. Galvin, G. Guiffredo, V. Guliano, C. F. Hickey, H. J. Holmes, J. P. Leonard, B. McCool, D. F. McLaughlin, E. L. McLaughlin, F. Zirpollo, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—A. Beahn, W. Burke, J. Carroll, D. Collins, J. Danach, F. Donnellon, D. Donovan, W. Donovan, M. Duffy, J. Dwyer, B. Faherty, P. Fisher, S. Flaherty, S. Flanagan, M. King, W. Mahoney, J. Mullen, A. Murphy, W. McCarthy, W. McHale, P. McLaughlin, J. O'Brien, J. Reilly, E. Roach, J. Ryan, J. Scully, T. Shea, G. Smith, J. Slattery, T. Toomey, M. Wallace, D. Walsh, B. Donoghue, L. O'Neil, D. Murphy, W. Watson, W. F. Blake, D. J. Gibbons, B. F. Lyons, W. H. Cadigan, F. A. Capouzzo, M. Carroll, E. T. Cass, E. J. Dailey, Jr., J. Dunning, D. J. Foley, J. Gallagher, J. J. Hillen, J. J. Hurley, J. J. Kenney, J. J. Keohane, J. F. Lawler, A. J. Murphy, J. J. Murray, A. McLaughlin, A. J. McVicar, W. R. Standigle, W. E. Sutherland, C. Davis, P. J. Cronin, J. Dillon, J. E. Driscoll, G. H. Harrington, D. F. O'Neil, E. P. Rowan, D. F. Shea, I. Sternberg, J. P. Sweeney, J. P. W. Callahan, P. J. Connolly, M. J. Connors, M. Cronin, D. J. Dallan, T. Donovan, J. A. Foley, D. Gallagher, W. J. H. Green, P. C. Kanany, K. F. Kenney, J. McGaffigan, P. J. McLaughlin, R. J. Nugent, J. O'Brien, J. Roche, J. M. Ryan, D. Shea, J. E. Southern, E. J. Tighe, P. Norton, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—T. F. Donnelly, T. Cady, A. P. Stinson, S. S. Jacobs, P. J. Muldoon, T. Nugent, M. J. Connolly, J. DeLuca, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. Ballan, P. J. McCormack, P. R. Tully, J. J. Hurley, J. J. McManamin, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$14 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. P. Belisle, A. P. Charbonnier, W. H. Colbert, J. W. deRoche, E. T. Duffy, H. T. Furey, J. J. Hegarty, J. McGrath, J. F. Nagle, F. L. Perkins, P. W. Sheehan, J. F. Sweeney, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$18 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—A. W. Blankenburg, M. D. Ferrante, M. J. Foley, J. F. Cavinaro, W. A. Crawford, F. Cunningham, R. J. Hughes, M. F. McGrath, L. Powers, M. Shaller, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each.

Teamster-Laborer.—P. J. Callahan, Jr., $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. B. Carr, J. J. O'Brien, J. F. Maloney, A. R. Gaffey, 3 days, \$12 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—O. Doherty, J. J. Cronin, T. F. Driscoll, J. T. Jordan, P. G. Kelly, P. F. Mulligan, M. J. Ridge, T. J. Sullivan, J. J. Barrett, E. S. Lucas, J. F. O'Brien, J. Sullivan, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. P. Driscoll, S. Hegarty, J. J. McLaughlin, J. J. McCabe, F. T. McGregor, D. Cashman, J. P. Callahan, 2 days, \$8 each.

Feeders.—W. F. Shaughnessey, J. Gallagher, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Stablemen.—M. Campbell, J. H. Carey, P. Coffey, J. Donnelly, O. Kelly, T. J. Berrane, P. J. Downey, 2d, J. Reidy, F. Calbag, J. Curran, J. H. Kelly, J. Keyes, J. McCaffrey, J. O'Halloran, T. J. Shea, W. Knightley, J. J. Sullivan, M. Annis, M. Burk, J. L. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Watchmen.—P. J. Downey, 1st, J. Moore, J. Fay, M. J. Gately, J. Manning, M. Moran, T. Riley, P. J. Griffin, J. Cassell, S. Croake, M. Ryan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—E. J. Barry, D. A. Coleman, B. G. Glennon, P. Hart, G. W. Pen-son, M. S. Ryan, W. J. Keough, W. Magee, H. Applebaum, W. F. Carmody, T. F. Carroll, T. F. Cashman, J. P. Criley, J. J. Donelan, E. P. Donnelly, J. J. Fitzgerald, E. J. Gallagher, A. A. Gleason, J. J. Hayes, E. J. Keefe, T. P. Mahoney, J. Murphy, E. F. McLaughlin, W. J. Coughlin, C. F. Prior, J. J. Costello, N. J. Domegan, B. Donnelly, C. C. Farrell, E. J. Gavaghan, P. R. Manning, H. P. O'Brien, W. H. Gallag-her, A. Ronan, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—M. Brooks, A. J. Buckley, J. J. Cusack, H. J. Foley, E. A. Knight, J. J. Lyons, M. McGon-agle, W. J. McMackin, P. H. Sexton, H. J. Vierkaut, F. Caulfield, W. E. Leary, H. Mullen, J. J. Welsh, J. F. Donoghue, J. M. Blake, P. J. Burke, J. G. Climo, J. C. Donovan, N. J. Dunn, E. F. Gardner, A. Hennessey, 2½ days, \$11 each.

Teamster-Laborer.—G. Cavanaugh, 2½ days, \$9.50.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. J. Maloney, E. F. McCullough, P. J. Walsh, D. A. Byrnes, J. F. Dargon, J. J. Dolan, M. Lapsley, W. J. Martin, J. P. McLaughlin, J. F. Richardson, Jr., J. J. Dwyer, A. E. Jose, 2½ days, \$10.50 each.

Teamster-Laborer.—J. H. Shea, 1½ days, \$6.50.

Carpenter.—W. C. Hughes, 3 days, \$15.

Blacksmiths.—M. McGovern, W. J. O'Brien, 2 days, \$10 each.

Blacksmith.—M. F. Sullivan, 3 days, \$15.

Blacksmith's Assistant.—P. J. Brick-ley, 2 days, \$8.50.

Blacksmith's Assistant.—C. J. Sulli- van, 3 days, \$12.75.

Horseshoer.—J. P. O'Leary, 1 day, \$5.

Wharfinger.—J. A. Thomas, 1 day, \$4.

Feeder.—W. Cassell, 3 days, \$12.75.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 2 days, \$8.50.

Stableman.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 2 days, \$8 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. H. Reardon, D. J. Bowen, J. J. Sullivan, 2½ days, \$8.50 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. J. Dowdall, L. A. Medus, J. J. McKenna, P. J. White, 3½ days, \$15 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—F. L. Hayes, W. J. Brady, B. L. Cunningham, ½ day, \$3.50 each.

Tallyman.—M. Gilmore, 1 day, \$4.

Teamster.—M. J. Coakley, 2½ days at \$5 and 2 days at \$4, \$17.75.

Teamster.—J. J. Landrigan, 2½ days at \$5 and 2 days at \$4.50, \$18.25.

Feeder.—J. E. Burns, 2½ days, \$10.62.

Stableman.—C. J. Haley, 2½ days, \$10.

Wharfmen.—J. Fay, J. Fleming, 1 day, \$4 each.

Wharfman.—P. J. Kellard, 1 day, \$4.50.

Teamster.—J. J. Fleming, 3½ days, \$18.75.

Laborer.—E. Hardy, 2½ days, \$9.25.

Laborer.—J. J. Maguire, 2½ days, \$9.

Laborer.—M. Herrity, 1½ days, \$7.

Total, \$3,682.12.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, Feb-ruary 26:

Sewer Cleaners.—Richard Connolly, Daniel Coleman, Michael Brady, Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, Michael Foley,

John Sweeney, 5½ days, \$24.75 each; John Graham, 4½ days, \$21.38; Thomas Flaherty, 4½ days, \$19.13; Dennis Burke, John Driscoll, Hugh O'Connor, Hugh Clark, Joseph Rafferty, Stephen Manning, Jeremiah O'Brien, Michael Neary, 1 day, \$18 each; James Clancy, 3 days, \$13.50; George Caswell, 5½ days, \$23.38; Thomas Byrne, 4 days, \$17.

Chauffeur.—James McCarthy, 5½ days, \$24.75.

Steam Engineers.—Michael Duffy, 4 days, \$20; James Hurley, 3 days, \$15.

Paver.—Thomas Gavin, 4 days, \$20.

Assistant Engineers.—William Brag-ger, Thomas Maher, John McCarthy, 1 day, \$6.67 each.

Firemen, Oilers, Etc.—Andrew Calnan, Martin Mullin, John Powell, Timothy Scully, Thomas McLaughlin, Michael Reilly, John Jordan, Philip Lamb, Joseph Sullivan, Patrick Powell, John McGowan, Joseph Quilty, Joseph Doherty, John Doherty, Patrick Curley, James Fitz-gerald, John Travers, John Hennessey, Richard Tobin, Christopher Kenney, Patrick Thornton, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Laborers and Watchmen.—Thomas Casey, Timothy Kennedy, John Mc-Donald, John Dolan, John Farren, Stephen Connolly, John Lomasney, James McFarland, Louis Brunetto, Antonio Arrachello, Joseph Clougherty, Peter King, Thomas Flaherty, Herman Hedapp, James Spillane, James Smith, James Gib-lin, John Donnelly, John Sullivan, Michael McMahon, 5½ days, \$22 each; Cornelius Sullivan, 4½ days, \$17; Patrick Buckley, John Boyle, Thomas Foley, Crescenio DeLucca, John Carty, Albert Bachofner, John Barry, William Prendeville, William Dunlea, Roy Scott, Daniel Donovan, John Waters, Benjamin Gorman, Thomas Shine, Edgar Sargent, 4 days, \$16 each; Daniel McKenna, 3½ days, \$14; Patrick White, Thomas Kirby, John Sheehy, Mark Cuniff, 3½ days, \$13 each; Peter Keenan, James McNabb, 3 days, \$12 each; John Galvin, 2½ days, \$9; James McCarthy, James O'Neil, 2 days, \$8 each; Patrick Fitzgerald, 2½ days, \$10; Dennis Collins, John Gilligan, Bartholomew Nor-ton, Joseph O'Brien, Marimus Walraven, Daniel Sullivan, James Barrett, 1½ days, \$7 each; Patrick Barry, John English, John O'Neil, John Connor, Thomas Coughlin, Andrew Flaherty, Peter Con-nolly, Bernard Brady, Patrick Egan, James Keelan, John Henson, Edward Francis, Patrick Lombard, Timothy Dris-coll, John Crowley, Malachi Hanley, Thomas Kelly, William Mullin, 1 day, \$4 each.

Total, \$1,567.89.

Public Works Department (Street Clean-ing and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, Feb-ruary 25:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, R. Barrett, M. T. Connell, P. J. Connelly, W. Cos-grove, R. Coughlin, T. Dahill, J. D. Fer-guson, J. Hennessey, P. L. Moynihan, J. F. O'Toole, J. H. Lane, J. J. Shea, J. Zuccola, C. McGonagle, F. H. McMack-in, H. Curran, W. T. Hinchey, J. J. Jones, M. Lally, G. W. McCorkle, B. J. Manning, P. F. Murray, M. A. Page, J. L. Hanley, J. Bowen, A. P. Brown, R. Dennehy, E. L. Fitzgerald, T. Hession, J. J. Lombard, T. McCarthy, P. Mc-Keon, W. Milliken, E. H. Monahan, J. P. O'Rourke, C. Pike, J. H. Robishaw, J. J. Rogers, J. J. Sweeney, J. J. Cotter, J. J. DeCoursey, W. T. O'Brien, L. B. Shanney, P. Killoran, H. A. Bourdon, 2½ days, \$10 each.

Teamsters.—J. M. McGrath, T.

O'Malley, W. A. Doherty, P. Keefe, E. P. Keller, P. McDonough, J. J. Moyni-han, P. F. Scanlon, P. Callahan, J. O'Donnell, W. O'Brien, D. Powers, C. J. Crowley, M. Healey, A. Boyle, J. J. Godvin, J. Golden, D. Hurley, T. Marshall, J. Ruddy, E. Noonan, G. Keegan, W. Batts, W. Dyer, W. Gor-man, W. L. Hartnett, M. J. McCormack, J. J. McHugh, C. Sullivan, J. Whelton, G. F. Riley, C. Sweeney, H. J. McCar-ron, N. Albano, Certosimo, F. F. D'Am-brosio, J. Devlin, P. H. Hogan, M. Hughes, J. S. Plunkett, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—M. J. O'Brien, P. O'Cal-laghan, J. Scannell, F. Shalley, P. Dunn, ½ day, \$3 each.

Teamsters.—M. J. O'Connell, H. S. Lawrence, T. Ormand, C. E. Anderson, M. Barry, B. Callahan, H. Conroy, J. F. Cos-grove, F. Diaz, R. F. Doherty, J. Dono-van, J. Egan, W. J. Foley, D. Hamilton, J. H. Jeffery, J. Kennedy, G. Meola, E. J. Murphy, J. Murray, A. Pouirer, P. Quigley, J. Riley, R. T. Wills, J. W. Sheehan, E. Skane, M. H. Gordon, 4½ days, \$17 each.

Teamsters.—W. Finn, J. F. Brady, J. Clancy, P. F. Daley, M. F. Doherty, F. J. Hannahan, J. D. O'Brien, B. J. Doherty, J. A. Kelley, J. J. Edwards, H. J. Gallagher, E. F. Keating, J. J. Carey, Jr., J. J. Dowdal, W. H. Mahoney, A. Powers, 1½ days, \$7 each.

Teamsters.—G. McColgan, D. P. Stack, T. C. Ryan, P. P. McGinley, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Teamsters.—B. Coyne, T. Conway, I. Divita, H. J. Kane, J. Z. Lamothe, R. Mulcahy, M. F. Shea, F. J. Travis, 4½ days, \$10 each.

Teamsters.—C. Bell, J. L. Gould, 3½ days, \$14 each.

Teamsters.—J. C. Hourihan, L. Pag-lia, 3 days, \$12 each.

Teamsters.—J. P. Collins, P. Creamer, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, W. L. King, T. L. Leary, D. McCarthy, E. White, 2½ days, \$9.25 each.

Teamsters.—T. F. Gordon, T. Mad-den, J. J. Shoen, C. J. Sullivan, J. J. Donovan, S. Coughlin, F. J. Kelley, M. J. Kennedy, P. Barry, J. F. Cahill, D. J. Callahan, T. Christopher, P. Conlin, G. H. Corcoran, M. J. Dacey, J. J. Daley, L. Davis, J. T. Delaney, J. J. Doherty, W. P. Donnelly, J. P. Driscoll, M. Finn, T. W. Fitzmorris, C. F. Flaher-ty, J. B. Foley, C. Gallagher, M. Gatey, P. Glynn, F. Granville, J. J. Granville, T. F. Hart, R. Higgins, P. Keon, L. V. Kilduff, D. Kobylski, J. M. Kramer, M. Lahey, L. J. Landrigan, J. D. Lyons, T. McClutchey, W. McGlynn, J. J. Mc-Garry, T. McGuinness, B. Maraghy, E. J. Moore, G. Nardone, M. Norton, D. F. O'Keefe, M. F. Raftery, J. P. Rogers, B. Sullivan, D. J. Sullivan, J. J. Sullivan, F. E. Taylor, J. P. Touhy, J. Slattery, J. Dahill, 2½ days, \$11 each.

Teamsters.—J. Monahan, J. F. Brown, P. J. Colleran, M. Connolly, J. J. Fan-ning, J. Gallagher, J. J. Hines, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, J. Robertson, T. J. Flanagan, 2 days, \$8 each.

Teamsters.—J. Holland, R. C. Burke, C. Noon, S. A. Sawyer, J. J. Carroll, G. F. Linsky, G. Regele, D. Conlin, M. Allen, J. Donahue, 4 days, \$16 each.

Teamsters.—J. A. Bourke, R. J. Bur-chell, P. F. Cahill, J. J. Conroy, F. M. Dysart, J. F. Fallon, J. Lane, C. F. Mc-Carthy, G. F. Moran, J. J. O'Leary, L. O'Neill, E. J. Orann, P. L. Sullivan, C. A. Swanson, F. H. Williams, P. H. Tooh-ey, J. H. McMenimen, L. Mazzetti, M. F. Fay, R. J. Elvert, M. S. Kilroy, J.

McDonough, R. Della Russo, G. Galluccio, J. J. Myers, C. D. Murray, 3½ days, \$13 each.

Teamsters.—C. Buckley, J. N. Butler, J. F. Eaton, J. J. O'Neill, J. J. Ryan, 2½ days, \$9 each.

Teamsters.—G. Campo, J. J. Gilligan, R. Marsey, E. F. Reilly, J. A. Carr, J. J. Curtin, Jr., J. A. Hartigan, 2½ days, \$11.50 each.

Teamsters.—M. Cardello, N. Cesso, F. Corvino, M. Donlin, E. J. Kelley, D. Partinello, M. T. McCarthy, A. Mercurio, L. Pace, J. A. Reddington, J. A. White, 4½ days, \$17.50 each.

Teamsters.—P. Costello, M. T. Clougherty, 5½ days, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—E. Grant, P. Canny, C. Hart, P. Moran, J. B. Sullivan, 2½ days, \$8.50 each.

Teamsters.—W. Haugh, T. J. Maston, D. P. Minnehan, J. Wark, G. Mercantino, F. DeMatteo, T. S. Iverson, V. Piscitelli, 4½ days, \$19 each.

Teamsters.—M. J. Lyons, 3½ days, \$13.50.

Teamsters.—J. F. Doherty, 5½ days, \$21.50.

Teamsters.—J. J. Glancy, 5½ days, \$23.

Teamsters.—R. Dicillio, W. G. Curley, A. J. Grimely, 3½ days, \$15.50 each.

Teamsters.—J. Considine, R. M. Jennings, 3½ days, \$15 each.

Feeder.—J. J. Shea, 1 day, \$4.25.

Feeder.—P. Sweeney, 3 days, \$12.75.

Feeder.—L. McGahan, 5½ days, \$21.78.

Chauffeur.—W. G. Earley, 2½ days, \$12.92.

Chauffeurs.—J. J. Connors, M. Givonella, J. A. McCabe, T. J. Murphy, J. J. Marshall, N. Schaaf, 2½ days, \$13.75 each.

Chauffeurs.—J. J. Connors, M. Givonella, J. A. McCabe, T. J. Murphy, J. J. Marshall, N. Schaaf, T. Earl, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Chauffeur.—W. J. Henderson, 3½ days, \$16.88.

Chauffeur.—T. J. McDonald, 5½ days, \$23.13.

Total, \$3,589.71.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, February 25:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. O'Brien, 2 days, \$9 each; J. Conlon, 1 day, \$4.50; T. Kelleher, 2½ days, \$9.84.

Emergency men.—D. Curley, J. Doherty, 1 day, \$5 each; M. Donohue, 1 day, \$4.50; W. Lonergan, 2 days, \$8; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 2 days, \$8.50 each; A. Christie, 1 day, \$4.25; W. Rice, P. Clougherty, 2 days, \$8 each; R. Curcio, W. Fitzsimmons, J. Kelley, J. Mahan, M. McCue, 1 day, \$4 each.

Repairers.—J. Casey, 1½ day, \$1.99; F. Ware, 1½ days, \$4.38; W. Traynor, 1½ days, \$4.78; G. Cozza, ¾ day, \$1.69; M. O'Day, 2½ days, \$11.25; M. Hogarty, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Dolan, 1½ days, \$6.75; J. Leonard, 1 day, \$4.50; C. Driscoll, 1½ days, \$5.16; P. Ippolito, ¾ day, \$1.88; P. Casey, 1½ days, \$6.56; J. Curley, 1½ days, \$5.06; T. Byrnes, 1½ day, \$4.45; A. McDougall, ¾ day, \$2.39; J. McKenney, 1½ day, \$2.81; M. Matthews, 2½ days, \$11.25; M. Rizzo, 1½ days, \$6.38; J. McLaughlin, 1½ days, \$2.25; F. Auciello, 1 day, \$4.25; F. Schena, 1½ days, \$6.53; T. Dolan, ¾ day, \$0.84; T. Sullivan, ¾ day, \$0.84; P. Murphy, ¾ day,

\$4.36; J. Callahan, 1½ day, \$3.09; G. Carroll, ¾ day, \$1.78; J. Cummings, 2 days, \$10; P. Coleman, 2½ days, \$10.63; W. Shields, 1½ days, \$5.06; J. Williamson, 1½ day, \$2.39; J. Blessington, 1½ days, \$6.19; F. Petrocelli, 1 day, \$4.25; S. LoPilato, J. Burns, J. Leary, J. McAuley, P. Mulkern, E. Pyne, A. Rolfe, T. Toolin, J. Cunningham, P. Cassidy, P. Gorham, D. Shea, T. Donovan, D. Ring, D. Hagerty, E. Kelley, E. Sullivan, P. McLaughlin, I. Klein, J. Synnott, W. Behan, 1 day, \$4 each; H. McCauley, 2 days, \$8; W. Kravets, ¾ day, \$2.50; J. Phipps, 1½ days, \$4.50; J. O'Toole, 1½ days, \$6; G. Waters, 2½ days, \$10.50; T. Joyce, 2½ days, \$11.25; C. King, ¾ day, \$1.50.

Total, \$394.77; paid by Transit Department, \$14; net total, \$380.77.

CONTRACTS AWARDED WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Acting Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to find deductions from contracts.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

The Acting Mayor has approved a contract with J. J. Hurley & Co. for changes and additions to the present heating system at the Robert Swan School. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn, chairman of the Schoolhouse Department, was as follows:

BOSTON, February 20, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR.—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor, under the provisions of chapter 486, section 30, of the Acts of 1909, to awarding a contract, without advertising, to J. J. Hurley & Co. for changes and additions to the present heating system at the Robert Swan School, Thetford avenue, Dorchester district, the cost of said work to exceed the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars.

The reason for making this request is as follows: On February 14, 1924, a fire occurred over one of the furnaces in the basement, and did damage to the floors and partitions in two class rooms immediately above. This was the second fire that occurred in this identical place within a short time, notwithstanding that after the first fire everything possible was done to prevent a recurrence. The Board, after a further examination of the conditions, came to the conclusion that the fires were due to the use of Welsh coal in the furnaces, and deemed it advisable to remove the furnaces and extend the present steam heating system sufficiently to provide heat for the class rooms hitherto heated by the furnaces. This necessitates the installation of direct radiators in the class rooms, together with piping changes, and connecting the same up to the present boiler. It further requires the removal of the two large brick-set furnaces, repairing the damage done to the building, and doing a certain amount of fireproofing in the area now occupied by the two furnaces.

As the annual February vacation started on Monday, February 18, there was not sufficient time to advertise the work and complete it for the reopening of school on February 25. The Board therefore respectfully requests that your

Honor approve the awarding of contract to the firm named to do the work as set forth above.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Huey Brothers Company have been allowed to amend their contract for installing and completing heating and ventilating system in the Charles Sumner District School, Poplar and Hawthorne streets, Roslindale district, Boston, by striking out, in each case where it occurs, in paragraph (D) In General, and paragraph (E) Guaranty Bond, section 9, pages 47 and 48 of said contract, the name "Vacuum Specialties Company," and substituting therefor the words "company supplying the vacuum specialties."

The Eastern Power and Heating Corporation have been allowed to amend their contract for heating and ventilating of an elementary school in the Washington Allston District, Arlington street and Webster place, Allston, by striking out the words and figures, "April 15, 1923," on page 23, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "January 28, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 23, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about May 15, 1922, and is to be completed on or before January 28, 1924."

RECEIPTS OF THE FISCAL YEAR 1922-23.

Total ordinary and extraordinary (less refunds of \$128,841), \$66,640,914 or \$4,132,879 more than in 1921-22, of which excess \$2,653,000 was due to increased loans. Balance on hand from previous year, *i. e.*, cash not appropriated, \$2,294,030. Total available for expenditure, \$68,934,944. Net general income (including school revenue, \$437,903), \$52,172,608 of which \$42,356,046 was from property and poll taxes (including City bank tax, \$433,128); \$3,244,867 from income tax (from State) and \$2,881,414 (less by \$2,104,107 than in 1921) corporation and other taxes from State, street railways, etc., or \$48,482,328 total net tax receipts, which exceeds 1921 total by \$357,607; repayment by Boston Elevated of assessment in part, \$372,035; miscellaneous income of departments, etc., \$3,318,246. Total income of Water Service, \$3,775,948; other income credited to appropriations (including \$386,688 to Printing Dept.) \$523,456; Parkman Fund income transferred to Park Dept. for special appropriations, \$211,330.

Total ordinary income, \$56,683,342 or \$1,368,766 more than in 1921-22.

Net general income (\$52,172,608) plus unexpended appropriations, etc. (\$748,405) amounted to \$52,921,013 or \$625,724 short of total estimated income, including school revenue.

At close of year, there were accounts receivable, or uncollected taxes of 1922 and prior years, amounting to \$7,068,753.

Extraordinary receipts: From loans \$8,122,500; Rapid Transit revenue, \$1,703,937; miscellaneous, \$131,135. Total, \$9,957,572. Balance of unexpended appropriations from preceding year, \$3,085,041. Total available for extraordinary purposes, \$13,042,613. [*Statistics Dept's revision.*]

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED FEBRUARY 21 TO FEBRUARY 27.

FEBRUARY 21.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Catharine A. Bartley	137 Walton street	20	Third-class dwelling	\$9,600
J. T. Donahue	99 Poplar street	23	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
T. Bernazzani	18 Kittredge street	23	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Charles J. Coleman	437 Lubec street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Walters Brothers	21 South street	22	Take-down, dwelling	300

FEBRUARY 23.

Joseph P. Manning	80 Pond street	22	Second-class dwelling	\$10,000
Summit Realty Trust	229 Warren street	25	Second-class tenements	60,000
Summit Realty Trust	233 Warren street	25	Second-class tenements	60,000
Summit Realty Trust	63 Woodstock avenue	25	Second-class tenements	60,000
H. Gordon et al.	273 Belgrade avenue	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Fifty Associates	6 Beacon street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	500
Owen F. Farloy	8 and 10 Pitts street	5	Alterations, stalls, fire repairs	7,500
One Hundred Associates	443 West Broadway	9	Alterations, dwelling and stores	3,000
Henry N. Hill	1183 Hyde Park avenue	21	Alterations, store	200
William E. Browne	587 Beacon street	8	Alterations, dwelling and office	2,500
Theresa M. Krunschied	32 Marcella street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Annie F. McDermott	407 and 409 Main street	3	Erect fire escape	145

FEBRUARY 25.

M. J. Freeman	Rear of 9 Gardner street	3	First-class garage	\$12,000
M. J. Freeman	7 Haverhill place	3	First-class garage	5,000
Abbraccio Introno	Rear of 17 Duncan street	18	First-class garage	1,500
A. Kasabian	69 Franklin street	25	First-class garage	1,400
L. Manfredonia	Rear of 93 Porter street	2	Second-class storage	300
Daniel Cerrusi	253-261 Brookline avenue	14	Second-class stores	30,000
William A. McPherson	3193-3201 Washington st.	22	Second-class stores	15,000
J. M. McDonald	319 Stuart street	7	Special office and oil house	500
Thomas M. Smith	86 and 88 Merrimac street	5	Alterations, manufacturing	1,500
Whitcomb estate	7 Albany street	5	Alterations, store and storage	2,500
Bessie Routtomborg	59 Belvidere street	7	Alterations, tenements	900
Trustees David Sears Real Estate Trust	140-146 Summer street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	4,000
Old South Buildings Associates	280-306 Washington street	5	Alterations, offices	5,000
Catholic Charity Bureau	11 Tileston street	5	Erect fire escapes	600

FEBRUARY 26.

City of Boston	1245 Hyde Park avenue	24	Second-class police station	\$182,000
Boston Parking Company	75 Kneeland street	5	Special temporary shelter	350
William H. Hardy	94 Bloomfield street	19	Third-class dwelling	14,000
William H. Hardy	98 Bloomfield street	19	Third-class dwelling	14,000
William H. Hardy	102 Bloomfield street	19	Third-class dwelling	14,000
Johanna Tierney	30 Moraine street	22	Third-class dwelling	15,000
Daniel M. Walsh	48 Rodman street	22	Third-class garage	600
William H. Hardy	30 Verdun street	20	Third-class dwelling	14,000
Julia E. Matheson	16 Burwell road	23	Third-class dwelling	11,000
W. A. English	86 Arborway	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
John H. Lyons	174 and 176 Hanover street	5	Alterations, mercantile	100
Hyman Sisson	146 Northampton street	13	Alterations, store	350
S. J. Segel	15 Roxton street	19	Alterations, dwelling	150
Stickney & Poor	5 Spice street	3	Alterations, offices and factory	1,000
Noves-Buick Company	857 Commonwealth avenue	25	Alterations, auto sales	2,000
Merchants Tire Company	74 Huntington avenue	7	Erect sign	50

FEBRUARY 27.

National Can Company	71 Locust street	11	Second-class manufacturing	\$72,000
Agnes V. Russo	Rear of 58 Austin street	24	Second-class office	2,000
W. J. Carlson	605 La Grange street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,800
Hannah McGillicuddy	12 Nottingham road	25	Third-class dwelling	11,000
K. J. Matheson	Rear of 108 Church street	23	Third-class garage	600
Clinton R. Wood	24 Hollingsworth street	24	Alterations, dwelling	300
Hannah McGillicuddy	103 Nottingham road	25	Alterations, dwelling	5,000
Morris Gordon	214 Hanover street	5	Alterations, apartments	200
Berwick Cake Company	14 Palmer street	12	Alterations, bakery	4,000
Harris Poorvu	153-157 Massachusetts ave.	7	Alterations, apartments	200
Harris Swartz	134 and 136 Commercial st.	5	Alterations, mercantile	450
Isador P. Rose	401-419 Washington street	26	Alterations, stores	1,000
Boston Schwaben Verein, Inc.	194 Heath street	14	Alterations, club room	1,200
Estate of Samuel Atherton	186-200 Franklin street	5	Alterations, offices	8,000
Louis Leveroni et al.	500-504 Columbus avenue	7	Erect fire escapes	700
New England Contracting Company	School street	5	Take-down, bank	1,500

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending February 23:

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reasons for Taking Down.
Harry S. Liner	Rear of 63 Crawford street	16	Garage	New building.
Walters Brothers	21 South street	22	Dwelling	New building.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Acting Mayor has granted the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Edith M. Beaumont, 65 Ballou avenue, Ward 21, one car.

Mrs. Daisy J. Wheelock, 25 Helena road, Ward 20, one car.

Dominika Budwitis, 16 Wilton street, Ward 24, two cars.

Susan A. Burns, 12 Germania street, Ward 22, two cars.

Provedenzia M. Comella, 1333 Dorchester avenue, Ward 18, two cars.

Harry S. Liner, 63 Crawford street, Ward 16, two cars.

Margaret J. Malone, 137 Milton avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Nathen Miller, 824 Dorchester avenue, Ward 11, two cars.

Maurice Murphy, 21 Welles avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Margaret G. O'Donnell, 16 Pond View avenue, Ward 22, two cars.

Stella Rossi et al., 342 Saratoga street, Ward 2, two cars.

Daniel M. Walsh, 48 Rodman street, Ward 22, two cars.

Philip Adams, 15 Christopher street, Ward 20, group garage, three units.

Morris Jacobs, 631 Morton street, Ward 21, three cars.

Carminie Nappa, 150 London street, Ward 2, three cars.

Antonio Pepe, 28 Ellington street, Ward 9, three cars.

John T. Cavanaugh, 90 Poplar street, Ward 23, move wooden building.

John T. Cavanaugh, 104 Poplar street, Ward 23, move wooden building.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, Dorchester avenue, location.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, West Ninth street, Ward 11, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, East Eighth street, Ward 10, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, East Sixth street, Ward 10, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Rand street, Ward 17, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Garnet road, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, K street, Ward 9, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Portsmouth street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Dalrymple street, Ward 15, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Spring Garden street, Ward 11, erect three poles.

Ida Goldstein et al., 58 Greenwood street, Ward 19, one car.

Anna Blake Quigley, 48 Magnolia street, Ward 17, one car.

Grace Verrochi, 50 Wales place, Ward 18, one car additional.

Conrad Adami et al., 23 Symmes street, Ward 23, two cars.

Adoff Bahm, 108 Southern avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Joseph M. Boyle et al., 165 Highland street, Ward 15, one two-car unit.

May Bukis, 345 Baker street, Ward 23, two cars.

Cora L. Burbank, 33 Hobson street, Ward 26, two cars.

Elizabeth Fischer, 28 Sheffield road, Ward 23, two cars.

Grace L. Hayward, 416 Adams street, Ward 20, two cars.

Cora B. Hutchins, 195 West Selden street, Ward 21, two cars additional.

Kenneth J. Matheson, 108 Church street, Ward 23, two cars.

Abe Sacks, 48 Waumbeck street, Ward 16, two cars.

Fannie Shulman, 175 Glenway street, Ward 19, two cars.

Thomas Martin Broderick, 30 Linden street, Ward 23, three cars.

Joseph Rittenberg, 307-327 Talbot avenue, etc., Ward 21, 3,000 gallons fuel oil.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No 483.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman James McCarthy of Division 18, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman James McCarthy was on February 15, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in writing on February 15, 1924, to the said James McCarthy.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 484.

The resignation of Patrolman George Roberts of Division 19, having been presented, while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted to take effect Wednesday, February 20, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 485.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Joseph Sullivan of Division 20, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Joseph Sullivan be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 486.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Leo R. Lombard of Division 11, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Leo R. Lombard perform one hundred and five hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED FEBRUARY 21 TO FEBRUARY 27.

FEBRUARY 21.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
R. P. Slattery & Co.	12 Tyler street.	5	New fixtures.	\$75
Joseph J. Levin.	328 Shawmut avenue.	6	New fixtures.	125
E. M. Duggan.	152 Northampton street.	13	New fixtures.	40
John J. Walters.	139 and 141 Northampton street.	13	New fixtures.	350
Charles Rosenwald.	1783 Washington street.	13	New fixtures.	75
Phineas Levi.	78 North street.	5	New fixtures.	200
W. J. Cronin.	559 Columbus avenue.	7	New fixtures.	150
John W. Slane.	2028 Centre street.	23	New fixtures.	100
George C. Tornegren.	97 Byron street.	1	New fixtures.	230
Edward E. Berry.	24 Vershire street.	23	New fixtures.	425
William N. McKenna.	505 Washington street.	5	New fixtures.	2,000

FEBRUARY 23.

M. & H. H. Collins.	2267 Washington street.	13	New fixtures.	\$250
A. J. Cooper & Son Company.	24 Warren avenue.	4	New fixtures.	100
Powers & McHegan.	125 and 127 Tonawanda st.	19	New fixtures.	850
Powers & McHegan.	129 and 131 Tonawanda st.	19	New fixtures.	850
Powers & McHegan.	133 and 135 Tonawanda st.	19	New fixtures.	850
A. D. Chiesa.	152 Summit street.	24	New fixtures.	150
Edward H. Marchant.	9 Province street.	5	New fixtures.	250
L. Toien.	145 Harvard avenue.	25	New fixtures.	40
P. F. Russo.	1501 River street.	22	New fixtures.	271
O. J. Morlock.	165 Chestnut avenue.	22	New fixtures.	210
O. J. Morlock.	605 Centre street.	22	New fixtures.	160
Jensen Plumbing Company.	21 Chambers street.	5	New fixtures.	175
Jensen Plumbing Company.	19 Chambers street.	5	New fixtures.	175
A. J. Granara.	222 Ashland street.	23	New fixtures.	800
D. N. Palmer.	575 Albany street.	6	New fixtures.	350
P. R. Winters.	24 Melton road.	25	New fixtures.	1,500
James H. Boyd.	5 Dana place.	13	New fixtures.	40
Edward E. Berry.	3 Chestnut street.	24	New fixtures.	550
David Carlin.	1916 Hyde Park avenue.	24	New fixtures.	400

FEBRUARY 25.

William F. McAuliffe.	199 West Fifth street.	9	New fixtures.	\$175
Emilio Puopolo.	787 East Sixth street.	10	New fixtures.	250
Samuel Adams.	19 Carson street.	11	New fixtures.	200

FEBRUARY 26.

Edward J. Roach.	72 Sumner street.	11	New fixtures.	\$400
Richard A. Tobin.	95 St. James avenue.	7	New fixtures.	200
Louis W. Mulkern.	222 State street.	5	New fixtures.	250
Thomas W. Barry.	3 King terrace.	13	New fixtures.	175
P. T. Buckley.	340 Hanover street.	5	New fixtures.	100
L. J. Towle Company.	38 Court square.	5	New fixtures.	300
I. W. Crozier.	415 Columbus avenue.	7	New fixtures.	1,000
Edward J. Roach.	37 Stillman road.	23	New fixtures.	1,100

FEBRUARY 27.

F. H. Densmore.	7 North avenue.	12	New fixtures.	\$175
S. Gould.	31 Coleman street.	18	New fixtures.	125
M. H. Myers.	83-87 Cambridge street.	3	New fixtures.	575
J. H. McCarthy.	13 Stafford street.	12	New fixtures.	75
Joseph Edelstein.	33 Belmont street.	3	New fixtures.	200
John A. Gerrity.	2 Goldsmith place.	22	New fixtures.	300
Rudolph O. Nahr.	2212 Centre street.	23	New fixtures.	900

General Order No. 487.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, Rooney and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Charles W. McGowan of Division 4, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Charles W. McGowan perform forty hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, Commissioner.

General Order No. 488.

The resignation of Patrolman Melvin A. Hooper of Division 5 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, February 25, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, Commissioner.

CLAIMS DISAPPROVED.

The Law Department has disapproved 128 claims against the city, aggregating \$38,002.40, and they are classified as follows:

Against the Art Commission, one, amounting to \$500; against the Collecting Department, three, amounting to \$24.80; against the County of Suffolk, one, amounting to \$275; against the Fire Department, six, amounting to \$5,499.59; against the Licensing Board, two, amounting to \$52; against the Park Department, eight, amounting to \$2,167.50; against the Hospital Department, two, amounting to \$450; against the Police Department, six, amounting to \$1,881.95; against the Public Works Department, ninety-six, amounting to \$26,501.56; against the Schoolhouse Department, three, amounting to \$650.

TRANSFERS IN APPROPRIATIONS.

City Auditor Rupert S. Carven announces the following transfers in appropriations in departments of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk, indorsed by Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox and approved by his Honor the Mayor:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—In accordance with section 3 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, I will, with your approval, make the following transfers, to cover deficits existing at the close of the fiscal year, in the appropriation of Mayor, Office Expenses:

From A-1, \$2,297.12; A-2, \$400; A-3, \$300, D-1, \$704.89; D-11, \$206.61; C-9, \$94.40; C-10, \$182.75—\$4,185.77, to G-2, \$4,185.77.

From B-2, \$175.46; B-1, \$33.05; B-13, \$150.37; B-14, \$249.19; B-29, \$384.49; B-39, \$216.8; C-4, \$380.16; C-9, \$105.60—\$1,500, to B-28, \$1,500.

From B-2, \$60.70; Reserve Fund, \$259.60—\$320.30, to B-4, \$320.30.

From B-35, \$2 to B-39, \$2.

From Reserve Fund, \$512.45, to Conventions, \$512.45.

Very truly yours,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
City Auditor.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—In accordance with Section 3 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, I will, with your approval, make the following transfers, to cover deficits existing at the close of the fiscal year, in the appropriation of the Insanity Cases:

From Institutions Department, House of Correction, D-2, \$4,141.48, to B-35, \$4,134.93; D-1, \$6.55—\$4,141.48.

Very truly yours,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
Auditor of the County of Suffolk.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—In accordance with section 3 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, I will, with your approval, make the following internal transfers, to cover deficits existing at the close of the fiscal year, in the appropriation of the *City Record*, Publication of:

From Revenue, \$2,149.50; B-2, \$14.12; B-42, \$4.49; B-42, \$12.01—\$2,180.12, to B-1, \$2,149.50; B-1, \$14.12; B-1, \$4.49; D-1, \$12.01—\$2,180.12.

Very truly yours,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
City Auditor.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—In accordance with section 3 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, I will, with your approval, make the following internal transfers, to cover deficits existing at the close of the fiscal year, in the appropriation of the Boston Conservation Bureau:

From B-10, \$22.82, to B-13, \$22.82.

From B-10, \$20, to B-5, \$20.

From B-10, \$29.73, to D-1, \$29.73.

Very truly yours,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
City Auditor.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—In accordance with section 3 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, I will, with your approval, make the following transfers, to cover deficits existing at the close of the fiscal year, in the appropriation of the City Debt Requirements:

From Soldiers' Relief Department, F-8, \$16,572.66; A-1, \$1,313.40; A-2, \$271.29; B-4, \$96.60—\$18,253.95, to F-5, Interest, \$18,253.95.

Very truly yours,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
City Auditor.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Boston, February 19, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is hereby requested to make the following transfers in the appropriation for the Fire Department for the year 1923-24:

From B-2, Postage, \$106.10; F-11, Workmen's Compensation, \$65.08, to B-7, Heating, \$171.18.

From A-3, Unassigned, \$77.10; B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$89.70; C-9, Office, \$132.61; C-17, General Plant, \$101.75, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs, \$401.16.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$50.57, to B-18, Cleaning, \$50.57.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$46.25; B-37, Photographing and Blueprinting, \$60.55; F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$37.31, to C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$144.11.

From B-10, Rent, Taxes, Water, \$202.64; C-3, Electrical, \$447.60; C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$48.07, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$698.31.

From B-39, General Plant, \$3,798, to C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$3,798.75.

From A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerk at \$2,300, \$216.66; Clerk at \$2,000, \$341.26; Clerk at \$1,900-2,000, \$57.55; Clerk at \$1,700-\$1,900, \$22.50; Clerk at \$1,500-\$1,700, \$201.73; Clerk at \$1,300-\$1,500, \$0.02; Clerk at \$1,300-\$1,400, \$38.36; Clerks at \$1,000-\$1,400, \$0.01; Clerks at \$1,000-\$1,200, \$6; Clerks at \$1,200, \$560.34; Clerks at \$1,000, \$391.82; Assistant Chief of Department, \$50; Deputy Chiefs, \$50; District Chiefs, \$174.65; Captains, \$228.29; Lieutenants, \$254.40; Lieutenant Foreman, Hose and Clothing,

\$25; Marine Engineers, \$0.46; Engineer in Charge, \$50; Engineers, \$160.36; Assistant Engineers, \$187.87; Masters of Fireboats, \$25; Aide to Chief, \$25; Aide to Commissioner, \$25; Privates, \$449.23; Assistant Operators at \$1,800, \$26.59; Assistant Operators at \$1,400-\$1,500, \$40.80; Assistant Operators at \$1,400, \$34.25; Assistant Foreman of Construction, \$168.85; Superintendent High Pressure, Marine and Water Service, \$20; Battery and Ignition Man, \$12.22; Battery and Ignition Man, at \$30 per week, \$50; Auto Mechanic and Machinist, \$7.50; Auto Repairers, \$140.62; Machinists at \$5 a day, \$25; Machinists, at \$30 a week, \$20; Cable Splicers, \$22.37; Inside Wiremen, \$170.40; Repairers and Linemen, \$107.50; Steamfitter, \$65; Steamfitter's Helper, \$54.25; Leading Blacksmith, \$5.49; Blacksmiths, \$92.50; Blacksmiths' Helpers, \$88.25; Firemen, \$57.75; Engineer, \$0.01; Leading Painter, \$211.31; Painters, \$186.25; Carpenters, \$59; Hose and Harness Repairers and Auto Trimmers, \$4.38; Hose and Harness Repairers, \$24.75; Vulcanizer, \$60.75; Teamsters, \$16; Hostlers, \$352; Laborers, \$168; Executive Clerk, \$7.15; B-39, General Plant, \$1,233.41, to D-3, Fuel, \$7,113.86.

From B-8, Light and Power, \$563.31; B-39, General Plant, \$1,065.91; E-13, General Plant, \$850.56; F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$146.99, to D-11, Motor Vehicles, \$2,626.77.

From C-1, Cable Wire, etc., \$235.02; D-1, Office, \$241.22, to E-1, Building, \$476.24.

From C-1, Cable Wire, etc., \$48.92, to E-10, Electrical, \$48.92.

Summary.

From A-1, \$5,880.45, to B-7, \$171.18.

From A-3, \$77.10; B-1, \$46.25, to B-14, \$401.16.

From B-2, \$106.10; B-3, \$89.70, to B-18, \$50.57.

From B-8, \$563.31, to C-4, \$144.11.

From B-10, \$202.64; B-37, \$60.55; B-39, \$6,098.07, to C-13, \$698.31.

From C-1, \$283.94, to C-16, \$3,798.75.

From C-3, \$447.60; C-4, \$98.64; C-9, \$132.61, to D-3, \$7,113.86.

From C-17, \$101.75; D-1, \$241.22, to D-11, \$2,626.77.

From E-13, \$850.56; F-7, \$184.30, to E-1, \$476.24.

From E-11, \$65.08, to E-10, \$48.92—\$15,529.87.

The reasons for requesting these transfers are as follows:

B-7: Heating, \$171.18. This amount is needed to pay for the heating of Engine 26-35 which was estimated too low by the Edison engineers.

B-14: Motor Vehicle Repairs, \$401.16. This amount was needed to pay for the rebuilding of seven Christie motors and for increased repairs on the motor apparatus.

B-18: Cleaning, \$50.57. This deficit was caused by a little larger transfer from this appropriation than the expenditure warranted.

C-4: Motor Vehicles, \$144.11. A few more cellular tires were needed and had to be replaced.

C-13: Tools and Instruments, \$698.31. This deficit was caused by the purchase of hose which was needed.

C-16: Wearing Apparel, \$3,798.75. This amount was expended for uniforms for the members and was absolutely necessary.

D-3: Fuel, \$7,113.86. The original estimate was cut short \$8,045, and the appropriation allowed was not quite suffi-

cient, also the fireboats were working practically all of the time which counted in part for the increased expenditures.

D-11: Motor Vehicles, \$2,626.75. The increase in motor apparatus this year was the cause of this deficit.

E-1: House, \$476.24. Increase of mechanics which caused an increase in working material.

E-10: Electrical, \$48.92. A slight deficit which could have been paid in 1924, but was paid in 1923.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—On behalf of the Trustees of the Hospital Department I hereby request the following transfers:

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$272.30, to B-2, Postage, \$60.38; B-8, Light and Power, \$211.92—\$272.30.

From B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$10.50; B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$184.12—\$194.62, to B-8, Light and Power, \$194.62.

From B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$60.13, to B-12, Premium on Surety Bonds, \$15.81; B-13, Communications, \$44.32—\$60.13.

From B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$175.51; B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs, \$24.43; B-18, Cleaning, \$54.34; B-21, Removal of Snow, \$14.06; B-27, Testing Materials and Supplies, \$25; B-28, Expert and Architect, \$178.65; B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$21.79; B-37, Photographic and Blueprinting, \$25; C-2, Machinery, \$537.81—\$1,056.59, to B-13, Communications, \$1,056.59.

From C-2, Machinery, \$4,140.69, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$275.38; B-31, Extermination of Insects, \$572.50; B-39, General Plant, \$2,741.24; C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$55.31; D-1, Office Supplies, \$496.26—\$4,140.69.

From D-4, Forage and Animal, \$7.90; D-10, Agricultural, \$174.50; D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$49.25; D-16, General Plant, \$355.47; C-3, Electrical, \$196.04—\$783.16, to D-1, Office Supplies, \$783.16.

From C-3, Electrical, \$256.59; C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$55.48—\$312.07, to D-3, Fuel, \$312.07.

From C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$794.47; C-5, Motorless Vehicles, \$80.95—\$875.42, to E-1, Building, \$875.42.

From C-5, Motorless Vehicles, \$490.48, to E-9, Machinery, \$366.70; E-10, Electrical, \$123.78—\$490.48.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$634.10, to E-10, Electrical, \$634.10.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$419.94, to D-5, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$163.55; D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, etc., \$256.39—\$419.94.

From C-9, Office, \$258.75; C-10, Library, \$423.60; C-12, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$214.37—\$896.72, to D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, \$896.72.

From C-12, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$1,078.48, to D-9, Educational and Recreational, \$360.42; D-11, Motor Vehicles, \$185.90; E-1, Building, \$532.16—\$1,078.48.

From C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$309.48; E-13, General Plant, \$264.49;

F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$9.28; F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$61.28—\$644.53, to E-1, Building, \$644.53.

The above transfers are requested due to deficiency of appropriation under certain items of expense, deriving same from other items which show a surplus.

The following items will show a deficit needed as outlined in our previous letter of January 4, 1924:

From Soldiers' Relief Department, F-8, \$87,579.44, to B-39, General Plant, \$7,000; D-1, Office, \$1,000; D-2, Food and Ice, \$45,333.52; D-3, Fuel, \$21,245.92; D-5, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$12,000; D-8, Laundry, \$1,000—\$87,579.44.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH F. MANNING,
President, Board of Trustees.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—On behalf of the Trustees of the Boston City Hospital I hereby request the following transfer:

From F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$86.26, to A-1, Permanent Employees, 16 Hospital Employees at \$27 a week, \$9; Class B, 33 Hospital Employees at not exceeding \$18 a week, \$9; Class D, 318 Hospital Employees at not exceeding \$12 a week, \$14.42; A-3, Unassigned, \$53.84—\$86.26.

The above transfer is requested to make up for deficiency in appropriation under certain headings, drawing same from surplus under another item of expense.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH F. MANNING,
President, Board of Trustees.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, February 14, 1924.

HON. JOHN A. DONOGHUE,

Acting Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully ask that transfers be made within the different divisions of this department to balance the accounts for the fiscal year 1923-24.

House of Correction.

From the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$865.90, to the appropriation for A-3, Unassigned, \$16.50; B-42, Educational and Recreational, \$26; D-5, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$6.70; D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, \$69.46; E-1, Building, \$223.74; F-9, Care of Dependents, \$523.50—\$865.90.

From A-1, Permanent Employees, Firemen, 6 at \$5.50 a day, \$636.58, to A-1, Permanent Employees, Officers, 34 at \$900—\$1,300, \$636.58.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

From A-1, Permanent Employees, 2 Assistant Resident Physicians at \$1,100, \$15.52, to A-1, Permanent Employees, 1 Dentist at \$15 a day, \$15; 1 Storekeeper, \$1,000—\$1,100, \$0.52.

From B-42, Educational and Recreational \$2.46, to B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, \$2.46.

From B-13, Communication, \$27.90, to C-6, Stable, \$13.30; C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$14.60—\$27.90.

From B-39, General Plant, \$2,152.06, to D-2, Food and Ice, \$2,152.06.

From C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$968.80; E-1, Building, \$613.71, to D-5, \$1,582.51.

From B-31, Extermination of Insects, \$200; B-39, General Plant, \$230.11, to E-13, General Plant, \$430.11.

Central Office.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$4.50, to B-2, Postage, \$4.50.

From B-22, Medical, \$140.06, to B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$126.56; B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, \$13.50—\$140.06.

From A-1, Permanent Employees, 1 Investigator at \$1,900, \$0.52, to A-1, Permanent Employees, 1 Clerk and Investigator at \$1,900—\$2,000, \$0.52.

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

From B-39, General Plant, \$286.19, to A-3, Unassigned (overtime), \$3.43; D-8, Light and Power, \$264; B-13, Communication, \$11.94; C-11, Marine, \$188.17; E-11, Marine, \$82.65—\$286.19.

Child Welfare.

From C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$255.20, to A-2, Temporary Employees, \$88.02; B-2, Postage, \$24.07; B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$14.07; B-22, Medical, \$88.61; B-39, General Plant, \$36.70; D-9, Educational and Recreational, \$3.73—\$255.20.

Very truly yours,

DAVID J. JOHNSON,
Commissioner.

These transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

RUPERT S. CARVEN, Esq., *City Auditor:*

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request that the following transfers be made in the segregated budget of the Overseeing of the Public Welfare Department:

From Central Office to Central Office:

From A-1, Permanent Employees, Visitors, 2 at \$1,400, \$5.04, to A-1, Permanent Employees, Bookkeeper, 1 at \$2,000—\$2,100, \$5.04.

From A-1, Visitors, 2 at \$1,400, \$0.68, to A-1, Clerk, 1 at \$730 to \$880, \$0.68.

From A-1, Visitors, 2 at \$1,400, \$92.72, to B-2, Postage, \$92.72.

From A-1, Visitors, 2 at \$1,400, \$33.06, to B-8, Light and Power, \$33.06.

From A-1, Visitors, 2 at \$1,400, \$44.95, to B-39, General Plant, \$44.95.

From A-1, Visitors, 2 at \$1,400, \$225.33, to D-3, Fuel, \$225.33.

From A-1, Clerk, 1 at \$1,000, \$123.30, to D-3, Fuel, \$123.30.

From A-1, Clerks, 3 at \$800, \$106.20, to D-3, Fuel, \$106.20.

From A-1, Clerks, 3 at \$1,400—\$1,500, \$73.98, to D-3, Fuel, \$73.98.

From A-1, Visitors, 9 at \$2,000, \$20.63, to D-3, Fuel, \$20.63.

From A-1, Visitors, 9 at \$2,000, \$17.73, to D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$17.73.

From A-1, Visitors, 4 at \$1,800—\$1,900, \$15.62, to D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$15.62.

From A-1, Clerk and Stenographer, 1 at \$1,400—\$1,800, \$0.60, to D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$0.60.

From A-1, Clerk and Stenographer, 1 at \$1,400—\$1,800, \$0.65, to D-16, General Plant, \$0.65.

From A-1, Clerk and Stenographer, 1

at \$1,400-\$1,800, \$58.75, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$58.75.

From A-1, Janitor, 1 at \$30.25 a week, \$0.73, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$0.73.

From A-1, Fireman, 1 at \$27 a week, \$61.71, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$61.71.

From B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$216.72, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$216.72.

From B-12, Premium on Surety Bonds, \$10, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$10.

From B-13, Communication, \$50.67, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$50.67.

From B-18, Cleaning, \$19.09, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$19.09.

From C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$4.96, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$4.96.

From D-1, Office, \$2.81, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$2.81.

From D-8, Laundry, Cleaning and Toilet, \$14.66, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$14.66.

From C-17, General Plant, \$5, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$5.

From Wayfarers' Lodge to Wayfarers' Lodge:

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$18, to B-39, General Plant, \$18.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$300, to C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$300.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$10.66, to D-1, Office, \$10.66.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$119.72, to D-2, Food and Ice, \$119.72.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$177.68, to D-3, Fuel, \$177.68.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$67.04, to D-8, Laundry, Cleaning and Toilet, \$67.04.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$0.79, to D-16, General Plant, \$0.79.

From Wayfarers' Lodge to Central Office:

From A-1, Superintendent, 1 at \$1,700-\$2,000, \$0.01, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$0.01.

From A-1, Night Steward, 1 at \$1,500, \$24.51, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$24.51.

From A-2, Temporary Employees, \$100, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$100.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$4.25, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$4.25.

From B-8, Light and Power, \$23.90, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$23.90.

From B-18, Cleaning, \$137.11, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$137.11.

From B-36, Boiler Inspection, \$2, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$2.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$299.86, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$299.86.

From C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$26.62, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$26.62.

From C-17, General Plant, \$5, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$5.

From D-5, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$2.05, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$2.05.

From D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$47.12, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$47.12.

From Temporary Home to Temporary Home:

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$3, to B-8, Light and Power, \$3.

From B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$0.10, to B-8, Light and Power, \$0.10.

From B-18, Cleaning, \$2.25, to B-8, Light and Power, \$2.25.

From B-22, Medical, \$1.25, to B-8, Light and Power, \$1.25.

From B-22, Medical, \$5.28, to B-39, General Plant, \$5.28.

From B-22, Medical, \$0.60, to C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$0.60.

From B-22, Medical, \$10.03, to D-3, Fuel, \$10.03.

From C-13, Tools and Equipment, \$1.25, to D-3, Fuel, \$1.25.

From D-1, Office, \$6.22, to D-3, Fuel, \$6.22.

From D-1, Office, \$3.25, to D-16, General Plant, \$3.25.

From Temporary Home to Central Office:

From D-1, Office, \$3.33, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$3.33.

From D-2, Food and Ice, \$23.90, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$23.90.

From D-8, Laundry, Cleaning and Toilet, \$3.82, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$3.82.

These transfers are requested in order to make available money for payment of bills for services and materials furnished in excess of what was anticipated at the first of the year.

Yours respectfully,

SIMON E. HECHT,
Chairman.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

RUPERT S. CARVEN, Esq., *City Auditor*:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request that transfer be made from available sources to cover the following deficits in the segregated budget of this department:

F-9, Care of Dependents, \$41,956.89; F-10, Mothers' Aid, \$21,601.70.

The heavy demand made on the department for "Temporary Aid," due to the unanticipated unemployment conditions of December and January, together with the reduction of \$15,000 in our budget request, are the reasons for the deficit under F-9.

Under "Mothers' Aid" item a reduction in our budget request of \$38,000 accounts for our deficit under F-10.

Yours respectfully,

SIMON E. HECHT,
Chairman.

From Police Department, Captains, \$14,330.77; Sergeants, \$7,497.21; Patrolmen, \$41,730.61—\$63,558.59, to F-9, Care of Dependents, \$41,956.89; F-10, Mothers' Aid, \$21,601.70.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Service.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully request that the following transfers be made from the appropriations for the Lighting Service, Public Works Department, to the appropriations for the Bridge Service, Public Works Department:

From the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$62.49, to the appropriation for D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$62.49.

From B-39, General Plant, \$4,369.09, to E-3, Bridges, \$4,369.09.

From B-39, General Plant, \$112.18, to E-10, Electrical, \$112.18.

From B-39, General Plant, \$45, to F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$45.

Reasons for transfers: To make up deficits at close of year.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Ferry Service.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully request that the following transfers be made from the appropriation for the Central Office to the appropriations for the Ferry Service, Public Works Department:

From the appropriation for B-1, Printing and Binding, \$221.97, to the appropriation for B-8, Light and Power, \$221.97.

From C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$145.81, to C-17, General Plant, \$145.81.

From C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$55.28, to E-10, Electrical, \$55.28.

Reasons for transfers: To make up deficits at close of year.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Paving Service.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully request that the following transfers be made in the appropriation for the Public Works Department, Paving Service.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Subforemen, 28 at \$1,600-\$1,700 a year, \$5,746.99, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Transistmen, 3 at \$1,500-\$1,600 a year, \$92.02; Transistmen, 3 at \$1,400-\$1,500 a year, \$78.63; Rodmen, 9 at \$1,200 a year, \$163.55; Chief Inspector, 1 at \$2,800 a year, \$181.60; Clerks, 2 at \$1,150 a year, \$0.23; Mechanics, 3 at \$4.50 to \$5 a day, \$8; Inspectors, 38 (37) at \$1,500-\$1,700 a year, \$5,222.96.

From A-1, Mechanics, 129 at \$5 a day, \$2,169.24, to Inspectors, 38 (37) at \$1,500-\$1,700 a year, \$1,749.61; A-3, Overtime, \$419.63.

From A-1, Clerk, 1 at \$1,250-\$1,400 a year, \$1,088.46, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$1,088.46.

From A-1, Laborers, 449 at \$4 a day, \$2,692.70, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$1,660.64; E-2, Highways, \$1,022.73; E-1, Buildings, \$29.33.

From A-1, Mechanics, 1 at \$4.50 a day, \$397.21, to E-1, Buildings, \$397.21.

From A-2, Temporary, \$2,383, to E-2, Highways \$2,383.

From B-10, Rent, Water, Taxes, \$318, to B-2, Postage, \$46.71; B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$44.80; B-8, Light and Power, \$58.81; B-13, Commutation, \$41.37; B-18, Cleaning, \$11.95; B-28, Expert and Architect, \$114.36.

From B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$3,269.39, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$54.30; B-36, Boiler Inspection, \$5; B-40, Harness Repairs, \$28.28; B-42, Repairing Streets, \$194.93; D-1, Office, \$371.68; D-3, Fuel, \$566.95; D-4, Forage and Animal, \$1,229.31; D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$818.94.

From B-15, Motor Vehicle, Repairs and Care, \$379.40, to D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$379.40.

From B-22, Medical, \$154.43, to D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$55.38; D-16, General Plant, \$60; E-2, Highway, \$39.05.

From B-24, Blacksmith, \$147.79, to E-2, Highway, \$147.79.

From B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$267, to E-2, Highway, \$203.94; E-13, General Plant, \$63.06.

From B-39, General Plant, \$918.85, to E-13, General Plant, \$918.85.

From C-5, Motorless Vehicles, \$197.10, to E-13, General Plant, \$197.10.

From C-6, Stable \$107, to E-13, General Plant, \$107.

From C-17, General Plant, \$246.51, to E-13, General Plant, \$76.72; E-10, Electrical, \$2.93; F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$166.86.

From F-7, Pensions, \$94.22, to F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$93.14; B-28, Expert and Architect, \$1.08.

The above transfers are to meet deficits in various items at the end of the financial year.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Sanitary Service.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

Please make the following transfers in the appropriation for the Public Works Department, Sanitary Service:

From A-1, Permanent Employees, Mechanics' Assistants, 9 at \$4.25 a day, \$1,416.99, to A-1, Permanent Employees, Foremen and Inspectors, 4 (5) at \$2,100 a year, \$4,172; Wharfinger, 1 at \$1,700 a year, \$4,172; Feeders, 4 at \$4.25 a day, \$93.50; Mechanics, 42 at \$5 a day, \$1,281.63.

From A-1, Laborers, Teamsters, Stablemen, Watchmen, Yardmen and Janitors, 508 at \$4 a day, \$1,416.90, to A-1, Mechanics, 42 at \$5 a day, \$647.37; Clerk, 1 at \$1,300 a year, \$36.16; A-2, Temporary, \$733.37.

From A-3, Unassigned (overtime), \$3,677.44, to A-2, Temporary, \$3,677.44.

From Other Departmental Work, \$785.32, to A-2, Temporary, \$785.32.

From A-1, Permanent Employees, Chief Veterinary, 1 at \$3,000 a year, \$3,083.4, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$3,083.4.

From A-1, Medical Inspectors, 2 at \$1,000 a year, \$83.37, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$83.37.

From A-1, Foremen and Inspectors, 4 at \$2,000 a year, \$224.52, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$224.52.

From A-1, Inspectors, 40 at \$1,700 a year, \$113.91, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$113.91.

From A-1, Chauffeurs, 3 at \$27 a week, \$405, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$405.

From A-1, Weighers, 3 at \$1,500 a year, \$30, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$30.

From A-1, Mechanics, 3 at \$4 a day, \$26, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$26.

From A-1, Feeders, 2 at \$4.25 a day, \$270.75, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$270.75.

From A-1, Yardman, 1 at \$1,400 a year, \$134.25, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$134.25.

From A-3, Unassigned, Other Departmental Work, \$214.68, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$214.68.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$81.05, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$81.05.

From B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$24.25, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$24.25.

From B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$38.40, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$38.40.

From B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$8.34, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$8.34.

From B-10, Rent, Water and Taxes, \$145, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$145.

From B-19, Removal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$1,197.54, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$1,197.54.

From B-23, Veterinary, \$5.50, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$5.50.

From B-24, Blacksmith, \$0.70, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$0.70.

From B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$155, to B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$86.67; B-2, Postage, \$27.66; B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$40.67.

From B-37, Photographic and Blueprinting, \$25, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$25.

From B-22, Medical, \$6.80, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$6.80.

From C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$1,542.92, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$0.47; B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$325.84; B-13, Communication, \$24.80; B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$1,146.90; B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$44.91.

From C-6, Stable, \$364.73, to B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$364.73.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$20.90, to B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$20.90.

From C-14, Live Stock, \$1,280, to B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$1,280.

From C-9, Office, \$120, to B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$51.11; B-18, Cleaning, \$11; B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$57.89.

From C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$0.65, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$0.65.

From D-1, Office, \$55.89, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$55.89.

From D-2, Food and Ice, \$38.47, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$38.47.

From D-4, Forage and Animal, \$664.30, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$664.30.

From D-7, Veterinary, \$74.02, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$74.02.

From D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, \$39.83, to D-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$39.83.

From D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$6.24, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$6.24.

From D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$8.98, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$8.98.

From E-1, Building, \$13.08, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$13.08.

From F-7, Pensions, \$804.97, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$804.97.

These transfers are to cover deficits at the close of the fiscal year.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully request that the following transfers be made from the appropriation for the Street Cleaning and Oiling Service to the appropriation for the Sanitary Service:

From A-1, Permanent Employees, General Foreman, 1 at \$3,000 a year, \$22.59, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$22.59.

From A-1, Foreman and Inspectors, 5 at \$2,000 a year, \$414.96, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$414.96.

From A-1, Inspectors, 35 at \$1,700 a year, \$819.42, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$819.42.

From A-1, Inspector, 1 at \$1,500-\$1,600 a year, \$22.30, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$22.30.

From A-1, Inspectors, 5 at \$1,400-\$1,500 a year, \$46.39, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$46.39.

From A-1, Chauffeurs, 15 at \$30 a week, \$687.37, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$687.37.

From A-1, Chauffeurs, 7 at \$27 a week, \$278.85, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$278.85.

From A-1, Clerk, 1 at \$1,300 a year, \$138.06, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$138.06.

From A-1, Laborers, Teamsters, Stablemen, etc., 418 at \$4 a day, \$1,012.42, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$1,012.42.

From A-2, Temporary, \$2,505, to B-20, Disposal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$1,568.39; B-39, General Plant, \$936.61.

From A-3, Unassigned, Other Departmental Work, \$917.25, to B-39, General Plant, \$338.10; B-41, Horseshoeing and Clipping, \$579.15.

From B-13, Motorless Vehicle Repairs, \$676.66, to B-41, Horseshoeing and Clipping, \$219.84; C-5, Motorless Vehicles, \$385; C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$131.82.

From B-24, Blacksmith, \$233.80, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$233.80.

From B-39, General Plant, \$321.21, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$122; D-3, Fuel, \$199.21.

From C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$1,803.59, to D-3, Fuel, \$695.75; D-16, General Plant, \$160.37; E-10, Electrical, \$34.32; E-13, General Plant, \$913.15.

From C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$520.44, to E-13, General Plant, \$520.44.

From C-14, Live Stock, \$1,400, to E-13, General Plant, \$1,400.

From C-17, General Plant, \$964.26, to E-13, General Plant, \$262.57; F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$701.69.

From E-13, General Plant, \$694.16, to F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$694.16.

From F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$753.56, to F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$753.56.

From E-2, Highway, \$247.01, to F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$27.17; C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$219.84.

These transfers should be made in order to cover deficits at the end of the fiscal year.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Sewer Service.

Boston, February 12, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

Your approval is respectfully requested of the following transfers between budget items of the appropriation for the Sewer Service:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Engineer-in-Charge, 1 at \$3,500-\$4,000, \$0.52, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Junior Engineer, 1 at \$1,900-\$2,000, \$0.26; Senior Draughtsman, 1 at \$1,600, \$0.26.

From A-1, Engineer-in-Charge, 1 at \$3,500-\$4,000, \$38.76; General Foreman, 1 at \$2,500, \$115.07; Inspector and Subforeman, 4 at \$1,700-\$1,800, \$16.70, to Foremen, 2 at \$2,300, \$170.53.

From Inspectors and Subforemen, 4 at \$1,700-\$1,800, \$199.65, to Masons, 12 at \$6.60 a day, \$199.65.

From Transmitters, 3 at \$1,600-\$1,700, \$0.01, to Inspector and Clerk, 1 at \$1,800, \$0.01.

From B-7, Heat, \$149.74; B-18, Cleaning, \$343.18, to B-8, Light and Power, \$492.92.

From B-18, Cleaning, \$152.31, to B-19, Removal of Ashes, Dirt and Garbage, \$32.25; B-24, Blacksmithing, \$9.66; B-42, Repairing Streets, \$110.40.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$57.10; B-2, Postage, \$7.78; B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$24.88; B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$25.53; B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$45.72; B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$54.30; B-10, Taxes, Rent and Water, \$10.96; B-13, Communication, \$12.26; B-14, Motor Vehicles, Repairs and Care, \$45.23; B-15, Motorless Vehicles, Repairs, \$13.76; B-18, Cleaning, \$982.03; B-22, Medical, \$19; B-35, Fees, etc., \$8.77; B-36, Boiler Inspection, \$10; B-40, Harness, Repairing, etc., \$8.75; B-41, Horseshoeing and Clipping, \$296.86; C-4, Motor Vehicle, \$346.48; C-6, Stable, \$86.51; D-4, Forage and Animal, \$600.50; D-5, Medical, Surgical, etc., \$7.57; D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, \$58.30; D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$166.54; D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$92.22; D-16, General Plant, \$233.81; E-5, Sewer, \$24.70; E-10, Electrical, \$6.42; E-13, General Plant, \$798.22; A-1, Inspectors and Subforemen, 4 at \$1,800, \$715.33; House Inspectors, 4 at \$1,700, \$223.12; Engineering Inspector, at \$1,600, \$89.56, to B-39, General Plant, \$5,072.21.

From C-6, Stable, \$122.63, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$29.03; C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$40.50; C-17, General Plant, \$53.10.

From D-4, Forage and Animal, \$215.17, to D-1, Office, \$215.17.

From A-1, Permanent Employees, Engine Inspector, 1 at \$1,600, \$244.34; A-1, Inspectors, 15 at \$1,700-\$1,800, \$619.47; A-1, Steam Engineers, 4 at \$40 a week, \$179.67; A-1, Steam Engineers, 2 at \$30 a week, \$12.50; A-1, Electrician, 2 at \$5.60 a day, \$11.20; A-1, Mechanics, 4 at \$5.50 a day, \$241.88; A-1, Mechanics, 9 at \$5 a day, \$610; A-1, Firemen, 35 at \$5.50 a day, \$747.50; A-1, Coal

Passers, 8 at \$28 a week, \$146.14; A-1, Sewer Cleaners, 19 at \$4.50 a day, \$366.89; A-1, Sewer Cleaners, 3 at \$4.25 a day, \$100; A-1, Yardmen, 4 at \$1,300, \$1,424.61; A-1, Laborers, 102 at \$4 a day, \$2,054; A-1, Chauffeurs, 5 at \$27 a week, \$722.25; A-1, Pavers, 2 at \$5 a day, \$87.50; A-1, Rigger, 1 at \$450 a day, \$129.50; A-1, Engine Inspector, 1 at \$16 a week, \$100; A-2, Temporary, \$4.18; A-3, Unassigned, Overtime, \$433.68; Other Departmental Work, \$465.74, to D-3, Fuel, \$9,488.55.

From E-13, General Plant, \$224.03, to E-1, Building, \$224.03.

From F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$365.28; A-3, Overtime, \$67.86, to F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$433.14.

The foregoing transfers are to provide for deficits existing at the close of the fiscal year.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor.

Boston, February 12, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

Your approval is respectfully requested of the following transfer from the appropriation for the Paving Service to the appropriation for the Sewer Service:

From the appropriation for Paving Service, A-1, Permanent Employees, Senior Engineer, 1 at \$2,600, \$503.92; Senior Engineers, 4 at \$2,300, \$337.75; Boy, 1 at \$540, \$104.47; Clerk, 1 at \$1,600, \$512.06; Clerk, 1 at \$1,200-\$1,300, \$363.89; Foremen, 5 at \$2,100, \$753.83; Foreman, 1 at \$1,500-\$1,600, \$249.35—\$2,825.27, to the appropriation for Sewer Service, D-3, Fuel, \$2,825.27.

The reason for the above transfer is to provide for a deficit existing at the close of the fiscal year.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor.

Street Cleaning and Oiling Service.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully request that the following transfers be made in the appropriation for the Street Cleaning and Oiling Service:

From the appropriation for A-1, Laborers at \$4 a day, \$7,453.78, to the appropriation for A-1, Supervisor at \$3,500, \$1.88; A-1, Telephone Operator at \$1,200, \$65.92; A-1, Clerk at \$1,000, \$49.73; A-3, Unassigned, Overtime, \$867.44; B-2, Postage, \$45.04; B-6, Hire of Teams and Autos, \$271; B-13, Communication, \$3.31; B-14, Motor Vehicles, Repairs and Care, \$777.68; B-41, Horseshoeing, \$98.13; C-6, Stable, \$67.59; D-1, Office, \$47.32; D-4, Forage and Animal, \$2,786.14; D-8, Laundry, \$2; D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$2,264.48; D-13, Chemical and Disinfectant, \$2.49; E-1, Building, \$18.35; F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$82.28—\$7,453.78.

The above transfers are needed to cover deficits at the close of the financial year.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Water Division.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor of Boston:

I respectfully recommend the following transfers in the appropriation for the Water Division:

From the appropriation for A-1, Division Engineer at \$5,000, \$3.09, to the appropriation for A-1, 4 Clerks at \$1,400-\$1,500, \$3.09.

From A-1, 2 Address Printers at \$1,100, \$28.74, to A-1, 4 Clerks at \$1,400-\$1,500, \$28.74.

From A-1, 1 Executive Clerk at \$1,800-\$2,300, \$69.04, to A-1, 3 Inspectors at \$1,800, \$69.04.

From A-1, 1 Clerk at \$2,100, \$0.40, to A-3, 3 Clerks at \$1,700, \$0.40.

From A-1, 2 Clerks at \$1,800, \$5.50, to A-1, 3 Inspectors at \$1,800, \$5.50.

From A-1, 5 Clerks at \$1,600, \$25.23, to A-1, 3 Inspectors at \$1,800, \$25.23.

From A-1, 2 Clerks at \$1,500-\$1,600, \$31.07, to A-1, 3 Inspectors at \$1,800, \$31.07.

From A-1, 8 Clerks at \$1,500, \$22.78, to A-1, 3 Inspectors at \$1,800, \$22.78.

From A-1, 2 Clerks at \$1,400, \$50.18, to A-1, 3 Inspectors at \$1,800, \$50.18.

From A-1, 1 Clerk at \$1,200, \$16.98, to A-1, 3 Inspectors at \$1,800, \$16.98.

From A-1, 1 Emergencyman at \$4.25-\$4.50, \$59.25, to A-1, 3 Inspectors at \$1,800, \$59.25.

From A-1, 2 Senior Engineers at \$2,200, \$21, to A-1, 3 Inspectors at \$1,800, \$21.

From A-1, 2 Senior Engineers at \$2,200, \$12.37, to A-1, 8 Inspectors at \$1,500, \$12.37.

From A-1, 2 Firemen at \$5, \$8.08, to A-1, 8 Inspectors at \$1,500, \$8.08.

From A-1, 2 General Foremen at \$2,300, \$65.26, to A-1, 8 Inspectors at \$1,500, \$65.26.

From A-1, 1 Foreman at \$5, \$10, to A-1, 8 Inspectors at \$1,500, \$10.

From A-1, 1 Foreman (Substitute) at \$4.50-\$5, \$30, to A-1, 8 Inspectors at \$1,500, \$30.

From A-1, 1 Inspector, Chief, at \$2,000, \$4.11, to A-1, 1 Executive Clerk at \$2,300, \$4.11.

From A-1, 2 Inspectors at \$2,000, \$38.36, to A-1, 8 Inspectors at \$1,500, \$38.36.

From A-1, 1 Inspector at \$1,700-\$1,800, \$184.34, to A-1, 8 Inspectors at \$1,500, \$184.34.

From A-1, 4 Inspectors at \$1,600, \$80.10, to A-1, 8 Inspectors at \$1,500, \$80.10.

From A-1, 7 Inspectors at \$1,600-\$1,700, \$32.61, to A-1, 8 Inspectors at \$1,500, \$32.61.

From A-1, 4 Inspectors at \$1,500-\$1,600, \$15, to A-1, 8 Inspectors at \$1,500, \$15.

From A-1, 1 Inspector at \$4.50, \$33.43, to A-1, 2 Inspectors at \$1,400, \$33.43.

From A-1, 1 Inspector at \$4.50, to \$392.57, to A-1, 16 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$5, \$392.57.

From A-1, 1 Inspector, Assistant, at \$4.50, \$13, to A-1, 16 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$5, \$13.

From A-1, 1 Inspector at \$1,600, \$49.92, to A-1, 16 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$5, \$49.92.

From A-1, 1 Master Machinist, Assistant, at \$5.50, \$0.20, to A-1, 1 Master Machinist at \$2,000, \$0.20.

From A-1, 29 Mechanics at \$5, \$61.59, to A-1, 16 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$5, \$61.59.

From A-1, 15 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$4.75, \$491, to A-1, 16 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$5, \$491.

From A-1, 15 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$4.75, \$73.05, to B-2, Postage, \$73.05.

From A-1, 15 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$4.75, \$148.86, to B-8, Light and Power, \$148.86.

From A-1, 15 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$4.75, \$121, to B-13, Communication, \$121.

From A-1, 15 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$4.75, \$156.30, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs, \$156.30.

From A-1, 15 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$4.75, \$73.98, to B-39, General Plant, \$73.98.

From A-1, 15 Mechanics at \$4.50-\$4.75, \$231.27, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$231.27.

From A-1, 27 Mechanics at \$4.50, \$253.25, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$253.25.

From A-1, 21 Mechanics at \$4.25-\$4.50, \$73.25, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$73.25.

From A-1, 50 Mechanics at \$4.25, \$646.07, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$646.07.

From A-1, 1 Messenger at \$1,000-\$1,100, \$13.25, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$13.25.

From A-1, 1 Messenger at \$1,000, \$56.46, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$56.46.

From A-1, 14 Meter Readers at \$1,500, \$165.98, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$165.98.

From A-1, 9 Meter Readers at \$1,400-\$1,500, \$212.39, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$212.39.

From A-1, 3 Meter Readers at \$1,300-\$1,400, \$16.53, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$16.53.

From A-1, 3 Meter Readers at \$1,300, \$22.76, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$22.76.

From A-1, 3 Pavers at \$5, \$130, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$130.

From A-1, 1 Stockkeeper at \$4.25, \$33.83, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$33.83.

From A-1, 1 Storekeeper at \$1,600, \$45.42, to B-42, Repairing of Streets, \$45.42.

From A-1, 3 Transistmen at \$1,600-\$1,700, \$268.44, to A-3, Other Departments, \$268.44.

From A-1, 6 Yardmen at \$1,300-\$1,400, \$16, to A-3, Other Departments, \$16.

From A-1, 6 Yardmen at \$1,300-\$1,400, \$68.40, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$68.40.

From A-1, 184 Laborers at \$4, \$235.50, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$235.50.

From A-2, Temporary, \$204.67, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$204.67.

From Overtime, \$309.20, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$309.20.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$35, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$35.

From B-3, Advertising, \$80.50, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$80.50.

From B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$68.84, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$68.84.

From B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$41.20, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$41.20.

From B-6, Hire of Teams, \$16.11, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$16.11.

From B-10, Rent and Taxes, \$9.81, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$9.81.

From B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs, \$15.55, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$15.55.

From B-16, Cleaning, \$12.87, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$12.87.

From B-24, Blacksmith, \$2.67, to C-7, Furniture, \$2.67.

From B-27, Testing Materials, \$34.50, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$34.50.

From B-28, Expert and Architect, \$55, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$55.

From B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, \$13.25, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$13.25.

From B-41, Horseshoeing, \$29.15, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$29.15.

From C-3, Electrical, \$27.27, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$27.27.

From C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$61.80, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$61.80.

From C-6, Stable, \$14.55, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$14.55.

From C-9, Office, \$13.54, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$13.54.

From C-10, Wearing Apparel, \$27.82, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$27.82.

From C-17, General Plant, \$42.55, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$42.55.

From D-2, Fuel and Ice, \$12.40, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$12.40.

From D-4, Forage and Animal, \$32.57, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$32.57.

From D-7, Veterinary, \$3.20, to E-10, Electrical, \$3.20.

From D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$75, to C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$75.

From D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$645.47, to D-1, Office, \$645.47.

From D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$45.66, to D-1, Office, \$45.66.

From D-16, General Plant, \$64.65, to D-1, Office, \$64.65.

From D-16, General Plant, \$140.11, to D-3, Fuel, \$140.11.

From D-13, General Plant, \$40, to D-3, Fuel, \$40.

From D-13, General Plant, \$130.14, to E-6, Water, \$130.14.

From F-2, Damages, \$3.04, to E-10, Electrical, \$3.04.

From F-7, Pensions, \$103.75, to E-6, Water, \$103.75.

From F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$136.57, to E-6, Water, \$136.57.

Very respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

These transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924:

Granite Avenue Bridge Commission.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully request that the following transfers be made in the appropriations for Granite Avenue Bridge Commission:

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$5.08, to the appropriation for B-8, Light and Power, \$5.08.

From A-2, Temporary Employees, \$5.88, to D-1, Office, \$5.88.

From A-2, Temporary Employees, \$9, to D-3, Fuel, \$9.

Reasons for transfers: To make up deficits at close of year.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

SUFFOLK COUNTY JAIL.

Boston, February 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request that the following transfers be made within

the appropriation for the Suffolk County Jail, for 1923-24.

From Group B, Item 2, to Group B, Item 8, \$50.81.

From Group B, Item 2, to Group B, Item 39, \$7.25.

From Group B, Item 13, to Group B, Item 39, \$105.05.

From Group B, Item 41, to Group B, Item 39, \$99.70.

From Group B, Item 42, to Group B, Item 39, \$8.

From Group C, Item 10, to Group C, Item 7, \$36.89.

From Group C, Item 10, to Group C, Item 13, \$60.78.

From Group C, Item 10, to Group C, Item 16, \$21.76.

From Group D, Item 3, to Group D, Item 1, \$17.46.

From Group D, Item 5, to Group D, Item 2, \$136.73.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. KELIHER,
Sheriff.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor.

SUPERIOR COURT, CRIMINAL SESSION.

Boston, February 16, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

Your attention is respectfully called to the deficit in the annual appropriation of the six departments of said court for the year of 1923-24 of \$12,292.38.

This deficit was occasioned by reason of the increased business of the court and the trials of important cases that could not be anticipated.

I most respectfully ask that said sum be transferred from some other department to make up said deficit.

JOHN P. MANNING,
Clerk.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, 1 at \$2,750, \$251.01; 1 at \$450-\$500, \$0.90; 1 at \$4,020, \$528.62; 1 at \$2,000, \$674.48; 1 at \$1,590, \$0.08; 2 at \$1,300, \$35.61; 1 at \$1,500, \$123.30; 2 at \$1,500-\$1,800, \$75; 3 at \$2,400, \$250.06; 4 at \$1,200, \$17.82; 1 at \$2,500-\$3,000, \$0.04; 2 at \$1,500, \$343.08; 1 at \$1,800, \$0.03; 1 at \$1,600, \$17.79; 1 at \$1,000, \$30.56; 1 at \$600, \$173.34; Other Sources, \$3,128.11—\$5,649.83, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, 1 at \$1,800, \$5.60; 1 at \$2,000, \$980.92; 2 at \$1,100, \$26.51; 11 at \$2,484, \$4,636.80—\$5,649.83.

From A-2, Temporary Employees, Legal Assistant, \$1,994.86; Probation, \$1,800, \$50; Clerical Assistant, \$508.38; Other Sources, \$555.89—\$3,109.13, to A-2, Temporary Employees, 3 at \$4,020, \$529.13; Per diem officer, \$2,580—\$3,109.13.

From B-1, Printing, \$2,504.23; B-2, Postage, \$99.04; B-13, Communication, \$44.06; B-29, Stenographic, \$528.73; B-33, Interpreters, \$161; B-39, General Plant, \$113.9; C-10, Library, \$118.25; B-1, Office, \$134.46—\$3,601.16, to B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$3,601.16.

From B-34, Jurors, \$14,071.95, to B-35, Fees, etc., \$14,071.95.

From B-34, Jurors, \$30, to B-12, Premium on Bonds, \$30.

From B-34, Jurors, \$22.02, to C-9, Office, \$22.02.

From B-34, Jurors, \$84.83; D-1, Office, \$17.73; Other Sources, \$6.16, to G-1, Probation Office Expenses, \$108.72.

From C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$100, to F-7, Pensions, \$100.

From Other Sources, \$8,602.22, to B-28, Expert, \$7,481.13, B-37, Photographic, \$708.46; D-2, Food, \$412.63, \$8,602.22.

From B-34, \$3,058.72, B-29, \$69.39—\$3,128.11, to A-1, \$3,128.11.

From A-1, \$555.89, to A-2, \$555.89.

From A-1, \$6.16, to G-1, \$6.16.

From A-1, \$289.96; A-2, \$84; B-1, \$8.45; B-13, \$1.80; B-29, \$42.06; B-30, \$5; B-29, \$21; C-10, \$178.61; C-16, \$300; D-1, \$50; D-16, \$913.75; F-7, \$1,720.85—\$3,615.57, to B-28, \$3,615.57.

From Municipal Court to Superior Court, Criminal Session:

From A-1, \$3,865.56, to B-28, \$3,865.56.

From B-35, \$708.46, to B-37, \$708.46.

From B-35, \$412.63, to D-2, \$412.63.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor.

EAST BOSTON DISTRICT COURT.

EAST BOSTON, December 26, 1923.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—You are respectfully requested to authorize the immediate transfer of \$130.24 from such balance remaining unpaid on account of said court, to be applied to Item A-2 of the budget. This transfer is necessary for the reason that eighty-four simultaneous sessions of the court were held up to December 15, current, and the amount allowed for this purpose provided for eighty such sessions for the year ending January 31, 1924; it is estimated that there will be required at least seven additional sessions to the end of the Budget year.

Very truly,

HENRY P. MOLTEDO,
Assistant Clerk.

From A-2, Clerk at \$8.88 a day, \$88.80; Assistant Clerk at \$6.66 a day, \$58.23—\$147.03, to A-2, Special Justices, 2 at \$11.84, \$147.03.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor, January 31, 1924.

EAST BOSTON, January 22, 1924.

RUPERT S. CARVEN, Esq.,
Auditor County of Suffolk:

DEAR SIR,—Under the provisions of chapter four hundred and seventy-nine of the Acts of 1922, the salaries of the justice, clerk, assistant clerk and second assistant clerk of this court have been increased, effective from the first of January current. In order to meet the total increase due the foregoing officials for the month of January, 1924, it is estimated that the sum of \$115.10 will be necessary; and I have been directed to request that you make provision for this increase in the pay roll submitted this month.

Very truly yours,

HENRY P. MOLTEDO,
Assistant Clerk.

From A-2, Clerical Assistance, \$115.10, to A-1, Judge, \$3,600—\$4,100, \$41.66; Clerk, \$2,700—\$3,075, \$31.25; Assistant Clerk, \$2,025—\$2,306.25, \$23.44; 2 Assistant Clerks, \$1,620—\$1,845, \$18.75—\$115.10.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 31, 1924.

EAST BOSTON DISTRICT COURT.

EAST BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

RUPERT S. CARVEN, Esq.,
Auditor County of Suffolk:

DEAR SIR,—The balance remaining unpaid under Item A-2 for the year ending January 31, current, will be insufficient to pay bills herewith submitted for simultaneous sessions held by Special Justices Brown and Lane in this court on January 21, 24, 28 and 30, 1924.

Nor is there a sufficient balance under Item D-1 to meet bill for supplies which were ordered from the Marno Press and which were partly delivered prior to January 31.

You are requested, therefore, to cause such transfers as may be necessary from any balance available under the past year's appropriation to meet the foregoing bills.

Very truly yours,

HENRY P. MOLTEDO,
Assistant Clerk.

From D-1, \$61.64; A-2, Assistant Clerk, \$5.34, to B-4, \$61.64; B-13, \$5.34.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor January 31, 1924.

MEDICAL EXAMINER FOR SUFFOLK COUNTY.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully ask your approval of the transfers of appropriations in behalf of the Medical Examiner Service for Suffolk County, Northern Division, internal and from available sources, as exhibited in the accompanying schedules.

The following transfers are requested in:

General Account.

From General Account, A-3, Unassigned, \$25; B-28, Expert Chemical Examiner, Mortuary Account, \$50; A-3, Unassigned, \$1.25; C-12, Laboratory Equipment, \$40.63; D-5, Laboratory Supplies, \$42.84; D-11, Motor Vehicle Supplies, \$29.92; B-35, Probate Court, Available Sources, \$44.36—\$274, to B-35, Witness Fees, \$274.

This transfer is requested to cover a deficit incidental to the employment of Associate Medical Examiner service necessitated by disability due to injury.

Mortuary Account.

From B-8, Cleaning and Toilet Supplies, \$4.50, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repair and Care, \$4.50.

This transfer is requested to provide for the expense of necessary repairs on the service (Dodge) ambulance.

From E-13, General Plant Materials, \$16.14, to B-18, Laundry, \$16.14.

This transfer is needed to cover the expense of laundry work unforeseen and indispensable.

From D-13, Chemical and Disinfectant, \$3.40, to D-1, Office Supplies, Mortuary Account, \$3.40.

This transfer is requested to cover the expense of necessary office supplies unforeseen and indispensable.

From C-4, Motor Vehicle Equipment, \$3.82; C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$14; C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$7.70; D-8, Cleaning and Toilet, \$1.47; D-16, General Plant Supplies, \$11.35; E-10, Electrical Materials, \$15.70; E-13, General

Plant Material, \$0.96—\$55, to B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$55.

These transfers are requested to provide for the expense of the transfer of bodies to the North Mortuary while the service ambulance was under repair and of two such transfers ordered by the Associate Medical Examiner when the ambulance was available.

Contingent Account.

From B-39, General Plant Repair, \$30.92; D-13, Chemical and Disinfectant, \$0.72; B-35, Probate Court, Available Sources, \$735.99—\$767.63, to A-2, Clerical Assistant, \$767.63.

From B-4, Transportation, \$70; B-39, General Plant Repairs, Contingent Account, \$2.65—\$72.65, to B-13, Communication, \$72.65.

From D-13, Chemical and Disinfectant, \$0.41; B-35, Probate Court, Available Sources, \$4; to D-1, Office Supplies, \$0.41; Contingent Account, \$4—\$4.41.

These transfers are requested to meet the expenses of Clerical Assistance, Communication, and office supplies incidental to Associate Medical Examiner service necessitated by disability due to injury.

Yours very truly,

GEORGE BURGESS MAGRATH, M. D.,
Medical Examiner for Suffolk County.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Under section 1 of chapter 424 of the Acts of 1908 it is provided that "The medical examiners for the county of Suffolk and the associate medical examiner[s] for said county shall be provided with rooms suitably furnished for the performance of their duties, the rent, furnishing and office equipment of which shall be paid for by said county upon the approval of the mayor of the city of Boston."

Hitherto all items of expense incidental to the application of this statute to the needs of my office have been made chargeable to and paid through the department of county buildings.

During the past eight months within which I have been disabled by injury, I have been obliged to request associate medical examiner service for a period amounting to a little over six months additional to that within which the associate medical examiners customarily serve. Incidental to the administration of his office at the Hotel Kenmore, one of the associate medical examiners, Dr. William J. Brickley, who served during a part of this period, has incurred expense for room rent, light and cleaning. These expenses which according to custom are chargeable to the county buildings account, owing to their origin are unprovided for by any departmental appropriation.

I therefore ask a transfer of appropriation from available sources to such departmental account as may enable the meeting of the expenses below indicated in conformity with the provisions of statute and of municipal ordinance.

From F-7, Supreme Judicial Court, Available Sources, \$50.63; A-1, Custodian, \$1,550, \$1.22; A-1, Department Custodian, 1 at \$1,500, \$1.22; A-1, Assistant,

\$1,300, \$20.93—\$74, to Departmental Account, \$37; B-10, Rent, \$37—\$74.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE BURGESS MAGRATH, M. D.,
Medical Examiner for Suffolk County.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—In accordance with section 3 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909 I will make the following transfers:

From Fuel Supplies, etc., \$40,000, to City Loans, Redemption of, \$40,000.

Very truly yours,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
City Auditor.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—In accordance with section 3 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909 and chapter 324 of the Acts of 1914 I will make the following transfers:

From Water Service, \$97,570.40, to City Loans, Redemption of, \$97,570.40.

Very truly yours,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
City Auditor.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—In accordance with section 3 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909 I will, with your approval, make the following internal transfers, to cover deficits existing at the close of the fiscal year, in the appropriation of the *City Record*, Publication of:

From Revenue, \$2,149.50, to B-1, \$2,149.50.

From B-2, \$14.12, to B-1, \$14.12.

From B-42, \$4.49, to B-1, \$4.49.

From B-42, \$12.01, to D-1, \$12.01.

Total, \$2,180.12.

Very truly yours,

RUPERT S. CARVEN,
City Auditor.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

CITY MESSENGER.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request the following transfers be made within the appropriation of the City Council for 1923-24.

From B-29, Stenographic, etc., \$119.32, to B-5, Transportation, \$16.25; B-13, Communications, \$103.07—\$119.32.

From G-5, Contingencies, \$148.41, to G-1, Flag Ropes, etc., \$148.41.

Very truly yours,

DANIEL W. LANE,
President of the City Council.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, February 21, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—To provide for certain expenditures made by this department in excess of the amounts provided for in the budget for 1923-24, the following transfers are hereby requested:

From B-39, General Plant, \$2,088.79, to B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$715.83; B-10, Rent, Taxes, Water, \$144.54; B-13, Communication, \$257.50; B-14 Motor Vehicle, Repairs and Care, \$144.01; B-22, Medical, \$826.91—\$2,088.79.

From C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$5,527.72; C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$4,022.57—\$9,550.29, to C-9, Office, \$38.09; C-12, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$22.06; C-17, General Plant, \$1,731.93; C-18, Military, \$7,758.21—\$9,550.29.

From D-1, Office, \$1,849.31, to D-2, Food and Ice, \$117.12; D-3, Fuel, \$1,471.10; D-16, General Plant, \$261.09—\$1,849.31.

Respectfully,

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Police Commissioner.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Service.

BOSTON, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully request that the following transfers be made in the appropriations for the Bridge Service, Bridge and Ferry Division, Public Works Department:

From the appropriation for Assistant Engineer, 1 at \$3200-\$3,300, \$54.67, to the appropriation for Assistant Drawtenders, 91 at \$1,500, \$54.67.

From Assistant Engineer, 1 at \$2,800-\$2,900, \$10.41, to Assistant Drawtenders, 91 at \$1,500, \$10.41.

From Assistant Engineer, 1 at \$2,700, \$149.38, to Assistant Drawtenders, 91 at \$1,500, \$149.38.

From Assistant Engineer, 1 at \$2,700, \$29.53, to Mechanics, 18 at \$5 a day, \$29.53.

From Senior Engineer, 1 at \$2,400, \$15.47, to Mechanics, 18 at \$5 a day, \$15.47.

From Senior Engineer, 1 at \$2,400, \$23.67, to Laborers, Janitors, etc., 10 at \$4 a day, \$23.67.

From Senior Engineers, 1 at \$2,200, \$32.94, to Laborers, Janitors, etc., 10 at \$4 a day, \$32.94.

From Junior Engineer, 1 at \$2,100, \$15.41, to Laborers, Janitors, etc., 10 at \$4 a day, \$15.41.

From Junior Engineer, 1 at \$1,900, \$75.98, to Laborers, Janitors, etc., 10 at \$4 a day, \$75.98.

From Junior Engineer, 1 at \$1,900, \$104.57, to A-3, Unassigned, \$104.57.

From Junior Engineer, 1 at \$1,900, \$138.73, to B-8, Light and Power, \$138.73.

From Junior Engineer, 1 at \$1,800, \$287.70, to B-8, Light and Power, \$287.70.

From Junior Engineer, 1 at \$1,700, \$168.31, to B-8, Light and Power, \$168.31.

From Transitman, 1 at \$1,600-\$1,700, \$9.72, to B-8, Light and Power, \$9.72.

From Transitman, 1 at \$1,600, \$57.05, to B-8, Light and Power, \$57.05.

From Transitmen, 2 at \$1,400-\$1,500, \$3.54, to B-8, Light and Power, \$3.54.

From Transitmen, 2 at \$1,400-\$1,500, \$27.57, to B-13, Communication, \$27.57.

From Transitmen, 2 at \$1,400-\$1,500, \$135.27, to B-14, Motor Vehicles, Repairs and Care, \$135.27.

From Transitman, 1 at \$1,300-\$1,400, \$124.92, to B-14, Motor Vehicles, Repairs and Care, \$124.92.

From Transitman, 1 at \$1,300-\$1,400, \$4, to B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$4.

From Transitman, 1 at \$1,300-\$1,400, \$92.04, to B-39, General Plant, \$92.04.

From Transitmen, 2 at \$1,300, \$20.81, to B-39, General Plant, \$20.81.

From Rodman, 1 at \$1,000, \$200.66, to B-39, General Plant, \$200.66.

From Senior Draughtsman (design), 1 at \$2,100, \$23.51, to B-39, General Plant, \$23.51.

From Architectural Draughtsman, 1 at \$2,000, \$228.64, to B-39, General Plant, \$228.64.

From Senior Draughtsman, 1 at \$1,600-\$1,700, \$154.04, to B-39, General Plant, \$154.04.

From Senior Draughtsman, 1 at \$1,500-\$1,760, \$198.65, to B-39, General Plant, \$198.65.

From Senior Draughtsman, 1 at \$1,400-\$1,500, \$160.25, to B-39, General Plant, \$160.25.

From Senior Draughtsman, 1 at \$1,300-\$1,400, \$164.23, to B-39, General Plant, \$164.23.

From Inspectors, 3 at \$1,800, \$526.19, to B-39, General Plant, \$526.19.

From Clerk, 1 at \$1,900, \$36.36, to B-39, General Plant, \$36.36.

From Chauffeurs, 5 at \$27 a week, \$108.99, to B-39, General Plant, \$108.99.

From Drawtenders, 14 at \$1,800, \$133.79, to B-39, General Plant, \$133.79.

From First Assistant Drawtenders, 28 at \$1,600, \$159.98, to B-39, General Plant, \$159.98.

From Foreman, 1 at \$2,000, \$17.14, to B-39, General Plant, \$17.14.

From Subforemen, 3 at \$5.50 a day, \$117.88, to B-39, General Plant, \$117.88.

From Electrician, 1 at \$5.60 a day, \$5.60, to B-39, General Plant, \$5.60.

Boston and Cambridge Bridges.

From Assistant Drawtenders, 15 at \$750, \$57.53, to B-39, General Plant, \$57.53.

From Bridge Cleaners, 3 at \$12.75 a week, \$14.25, to B-39, General Plant, \$14.25.

From A-2, Temporary, \$65.63, to B-39, General Plant, \$65.63.

From B-2, Postage, \$19.97, to B-39, General Plant, \$19.97.

From B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$57, to B-39, General Plant, \$57.

From B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$108.28, to B-39, General Plant, \$108.28.

From B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$7.85, to B-39, General Plant, \$7.85.

From B-6, Hire of Teams and Auto Trucks, \$41.13, to B-39, General Plant, \$41.13.

From B-18, Cleaning, \$1.25, to B-39, General Plant, \$1.25.

From B-22, Medical, \$25, to B-39, General Plant, \$25.

From B-36, Boiler Inspection, \$30, to B-39, General Plant, \$30.

From B-37, Photographic and Blueprinting, \$10, to B-39, General Plant, \$10.

From C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$126.67, to B-39, General Plant, \$126.67.

From C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$102.12, to C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$102.12.

From C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$167.49, to D-1, Office, \$167.49.

From C-9, Office, \$30.98, to D-1, Office, \$30.98.

From C-9, Office, \$69.02, to D-3, Fuel, \$69.02.

From C-18, Tools and Instruments, \$42.54, to D-3, Fuel, \$42.54.

From C-17, General Plant, \$130.62, to D-3, Fuel, \$130.62.

From D-2, Food and Ice, \$19.65, to D-3, Fuel, \$19.65.

From D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, \$14.56, to D-3, Fuel, \$14.56.

From D-15, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$7.37, to D-3, Fuel, \$7.37.

From D-16, General Plant, \$139.61, to D-3, Fuel, \$139.61.

From E-1, Building, \$32.26, to D-3, Fuel, \$32.26.

From E-9, Machinery, \$109.48, to D-3, Fuel, \$109.48.

From E-13, General Plant, \$2.41, to D-3, Fuel, \$2.41.

From F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$2.10, to D-13, Fuel, \$2.10.

From F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$129.90, to D-11, Motor Vehicles, \$129.90.

From Assistant Engineer, 1 at \$3,200-\$3,300, \$0.08; Executive Clerk, 1 at \$2,100, \$0.08—\$0.16, to D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$0.16.

Reasons for transfers: To make up deficits at close of year.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

Ferry Service.

Boston, January 31, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully request that the following transfers be made in the appropriations for the Bridge and Ferry Division, Ferry Service:

From the appropriation for A-1, Personal Service, Quartermaster, 1 at \$32.60 a week, \$64.09, to the appropriation for F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$64.09.

From A-1, Quartermasters, \$47.37, to B-39, General Plant, \$47.37.

From A-1, Tollmen, 12 at \$30.75 a week, \$41.69, to B-39, General Plant, \$41.69.

From A-1, Gatemen, 15 at \$28.80 a week, \$310, to A-1, Engineers, 12 at \$45 a week, \$310.

From A-1, Gatemen, 15 at \$28.80 a week, \$143.34, to A-1, Oilers and Firemen, 45 at \$5.50 a day, \$143.34.

From A-1, Gatemen, 15 at \$28.80 a week, \$169.64, to A-1, Deckhands, 26 at \$4.25 a day, \$169.64.

From A-1, Gatemen, 15 at \$28.80 a week, \$197, to A-1, Laborers, Janitors, etc., 14 at \$4 a day, \$197.

From A-1, Gatemen 15 at \$28.80 a week, \$5.22, to B-39, General Plant, \$5.22.

From A-1, Scrubwomen, 7 at \$16 a week, \$215.52, to A-1, Captains, 12 at \$16 a week, \$215.52.

From A-1, Scrubwomen, 7 at \$16 a week, \$44.37, to B-39, General Plant, \$44.37.

From A-1, Chauffeur, 1 at \$27 a week, \$3.86, to B-39, General Plant, \$3.86.

From A-1, Mechanics, 13 at \$5 a day, \$1.365, to A-1, Oilers and Firemen, 44 at \$5.50 a day, \$1.365.

From A-1, Pipe Fitter's Helper, 1 at \$4-\$4.25 a day, \$154.86, to F-11, Workingmen's Compensation, \$154.86.

From A-1, Pipe Fitter's Helper, 1 at \$4-\$4.25 a day, \$33.76, to B-39, General Plant, \$33.76.

From A-2, Temporary, \$1,227.41, to B-39, General Plant, \$1,227.41.

From A-3, Unassigned, \$172.14, to B-39, General Plant, \$172.14.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$2, to B-2, Postage, \$2.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$7.35, to B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$7.35.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$0.78, to B-10, Rent, Taxes, Water, \$0.78.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$31.58, to C-11, Marine, \$31.68.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$27.68, to D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$27.68.

From B-1, Printing and Binding, \$34.80, to B-39, General Plant, \$34.80.

From B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$40, to B-39, General Plant, \$40.

From B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$26.65, to B-39, General Plant, \$26.65.

From B-6, Hire of Teams, etc., \$198.97, to B-39, General Plant, \$198.97.

From B-7, Heat, \$597.94, to B-8, Light and Power, \$597.94.

From B-12, Premium on Surety Bonds, \$5, to B-39, General Plant, \$5.

From B-13, Communication, \$33.83, to B-39, General Plant, \$33.83.

From B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs, \$202.90, to B-39, General Plant, \$202.90.

From B-22, Medical, \$11.05, to B-39, General Plant, \$11.05.

From B-32, Towing, \$127.75, to B-39, General Plant, \$127.75.

From C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$24.96, to B-39, General Plant, \$24.96.

From C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$257.05, to B-39, General Plant, \$257.05.

From C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$46.50, to B-39, General Plant, \$46.50.

From D-1, Office, \$479.67, to B-39, General Plant, \$479.67.

From D-2, Food and Ice, \$22.58, to B-39, General Plant, \$22.58.

From D-3, Fuel, \$1,892.64, to B-39, General Plant, \$1,892.64.

From D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, \$116.06, to B-39, General Plant, \$116.06.

From D-16, General Plant, \$195.87, to B-39, General Plant, \$195.87.

From D-16, General Plant, \$40.46, to C-17, General Plant, \$40.46.

From E-1, Building, \$80.04, to C-17, General Plant, \$80.04.

From E-4, Ferries, \$326.69, to C-17, General Plant, \$326.69.

From E-13, General Plant, \$10, to C-17, General Plant, \$10.

Reasons for transfers: To make up deficits at close of year.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Acting Mayor January 31, 1924.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

The Radio Sales and Service Company have been granted an extension of the time for the installation of radio sets on fireboats Engines 31, 44 and 47, and in the fire alarm office, until January 31, 1924.

PUBLIC CONTROL OF BOSTON ELEVATED RAILWAY.

By Chapter 159, Special Acts of 1918, a State board of five trustees was created to assume control of the Elevated Railway Co. for the term of 10 years, the need being imperative to improve its unfortunate condition and impaired service in the interest of a very large traveling public. Regular dividends were continued and the raising of \$3,000,000 of new capital was provided for by the issue and sale of preferred stock. It was also provided that if the income should be insufficient to meet the cost of service and the reserve fund proved inadequate, any deficit should be paid by the State and assessed upon the cities and towns in which the railway was operated. The fare was raised from 5 cents to 7, then to 8 and again to 10. The total deficit for year ending June 30, 1919, was \$4,980,152, which was covered by extra taxation, as ordered, Boston paying \$2,905,931 or 71.9 per cent of total levy. According to the said act of 1918, the cities and towns were to be reimbursed for assessments paid by them as soon as the financial condition of the Elevated Co. permitted.

By Chapter 369, General Acts of 1919, the purchase by the State from the Elevated Co. of the Cambridge Subway was ordered as an emergency law, the capital thus made available being needed by the trustees. The property was conveyed to the State May 1, 1920, on payment of \$7,868.00 and $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent of this cost is payable by the B. E. Co. annually for rental.

The report of the Trustees of B. E. Railway Co. for year 1920 showed a notable financial improvement as compared with 1919, the cost of service exceeding receipts by \$347,167 or only one-seventh of the deficit in 1919.

The Trustees' report for 1921 showed total receipts for that year of \$33,277,026, exceeding the total cost of service, depreciation, debt requirements and dividends by \$1,171,445. This surplus permitted certain reimbursements in 1922, Boston receiving \$372,035 or 12.8 per cent of the assessment paid in 1919. Under the act of 1918, the general 10-cent fare cannot be reduced until all reimbursements are completed. On June 10, 1922, the consolidation of the West End Street Railway Co. with the Boston Elevated Co. went into effect, as provided by Acts of 1911, Chap. 740, the lease to the Elevated not expiring until the said date.

ABSENTEE VOTING AT STATE ELECTIONS.

By Chapter 289, General Acts of 1919, any registered voter absent from home at election time may vote by mailing an "official absent voting ballot" previously applied for and obtained from the Election Commissioners, to the latter so as to be received before the polls close. Said ballot must be marked by the voter privately but within the observation of an official authorized to administer oaths, and of no other person, in a municipality which is separated by at least two municipalities from that in which he is registered. The voter must make affidavit before said official, enclose ballot in official envelope and mail same on or before day of election.

Of 868 Absentee ballots mailed to Election Dept., on or before Nov. 2, 1920, 570 were counted, 10 were rejected and 288 were uncounted because not received until after closing of polls.

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending February 23, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
United States Census Bureau, 776,783.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 210; nonresidents, 35; total,
245.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 16.45; nonresidents deducted,
14.10.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 16.92; corresponding week
last year, 18.34.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 40; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 13; sixty years and over, 88;
total deaths, male, 110; female, 135;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 113;
deaths of colored, 5.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 23, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 24, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	70	6	44	5
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	1	4	2
Influenza.....	2	1	19	5
Measles.....	197	1	116	3
Meningitis epidemic.....	2	1	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	56	20	35	15
Scarlet fever.....	150	2	63	2
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	31	12	34	20
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	5	1	8	2
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	—	—
Whooping cough.....	19	3	89	6

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY
COUNCIL.

Monday, February 18, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in
the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock
p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair and
all the members present.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with law
(the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal
Court, First Session, to appear March 3,
1924:

Albert E. Bates, Ward 1; Francis E. Sang-
ler, Ward 1; Thomas S. Wasgat, Ward 1;
Frederick C. Finn, Ward 2; Henry C. Ed-
wards, Ward 5; William McNamara, Ward 5;
William J. Casserly, Ward 6; James J. Con-
nolly, Ward 7; Jeremiah Shea, Ward 7; Wil-
liam J. Walsh, Ward 7; William D. Jonath,
Ward 8; Edward A. McCarthy, Ward 8; Al-
bert E. Snowman, Ward 8; Michael J. De-
lay, Ward 9; Thomas J. Mulkern, Ward 9;
Zavier Walsh, Ward 9; Harry J. Wilde, Ward
9; Thomas H. Barry, Ward 10; Matthew J.
Flaherty, Ward 10; John McAfee, Ward 11;
Augustine P. Fay, Ward 13; Frank J. Peter-
son, Ward 13; Hugh Blair, Ward 14; John
J. Donnelly, Ward 14; Michael J. Turley,
Ward 16; Paul J. Dorr, Ward 17; Arthur H.
Warner, Ward 17; Clifford B. Hastings, Ward
19; Thomas F. Reilly, Ward 19; William A.
Harrington, Ward 20; Charles Johnston, Jr.,
Ward 21; James J. Reid, Ward 22; Leslie
H. Henry, Ward 23; Charles J. Odenweller,
Ward 23; Edward F. Poland, Ward 23; George
A. Cofren, Ward 25; Charles Galman, Ward
25; Edwin A. Hovey, Ward 25; Richard T.
Artesani, Ward 26; Bernard G. Vorbrink,
Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal
Court, Third Session, to appear March 3, 1924:

Joseph P. Griffiths, Ward 2; Charles T.
Fields, Ward 3; Harry F. Jay, Ward 3;
Thomas C. Fitzgerald, Ward 4; William Mc-
Laughlin, Ward 4; Chester A. Noyes, Ward
4; Thomas J. Higgins, Ward 5; James A.
Mahoney, Ward 5; Harry Feltman, Ward 6;
Parke H. Masters, Ward 7; Horatio A. Smith,
Ward 7; Newton B. Stone, Ward 9; Charles
E. McLean, Ward 12; James H. Queeney,

Ward 12; John P. Mahoney, Ward 13; Jo-
seph A. Langguth, Ward 14; Philip T. Wal-
lace, Ward 14; John J. Cormley, Ward 15;
Raymond Bolles, Ward 17; Frederick J. Gill-
man, Ward 17; John J. Keough, Ward 17;
Charles J. DeMayer, Ward 19; Ephraim S.
Gulesian, Ward 19; Charles A. Larsen, Ward
19; William T. Reardon, Ward 19; Charles
F. Webb, Ward 19; Guy F. Hadlock, Ward
21; George Richmond, Ward 21; William F.
Brennan, Ward 22; Ernest J. Channell, Ward
22; Martin L. Godvin, Ward 22; Luther H.
Houghton, Ward 23; George S. Kramer, Ward
23; William D. R. Fogg, Ward 24; Charles
H. Spencer, Ward 24; Joseph P. Hannigan,
Ward 25; Seymore E. Holden, Ward 25; John
W. Lyons, Ward 25; Thomas Kelly, Ward 26;
Thomas W. Murray, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal
Court, Fourth Session, to appear March 3,
1924:

Henry F. Mason, Ward 1; John P. New-
bury, Ward 1; Charles H. Lenth, Ward 2;
Thomas J. Nee, Ward 2; John J. Rice, Ward
2; John J. Barry, Ward 6; Frank P. J.
Buyens, Ward 6; Jacob Witkins, Ward 8;
William J. Carr, Ward 9; William Guiney,
Ward 9; John S. Lutkeirch, Jr., Ward 10;
Richard McLaughlin, Ward 11; Lewis W.
Bush, Ward 12; Samuel J. Ranton, Ward 12;
Charles W. Hoyt, Ward 13; Otto William
Schlums, Ward 13; John A. Theall, Jr., Ward
13; Robert D. Baxter, Ward 14; Clarence W.
Starratt, Ward 16; Maurice Weisman, Ward
16; Francis E. Wilkins, Ward 16; Edward
J. Deegan, Ward 18; Daniel L. Murphy,
Ward 19; Thomas L. Murrin, Ward 20; Louis
Gordon, Ward 21; Isadore Gutteil, Ward 21;
George E. Harkness, Ward 21; Carl A.
Johnson, Ward 21; Leo F. Wells, Ward 21;
Louis Woods, Ward 21; William C. Andrews,
Ward 22; Charles Cochran, Ward 22; Eugene
H. Eichorn, Ward 22; Louis G. Barrett, Ward
23; William Horace Freeman, Ward 23; Fred-
erick W. Thielcher, Ward 23; Frank C. Cut-
ler, Ward 25; John J. Elberry, Jr., Ward 25;
James W. McKenney, Ward 26; James M.
Whalen, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal
Court, Fifth Session, to appear March 3, 1924:

Herbert L. Cooke, Ward 1; John M. Niland,
Ward 1; Dwight Swansburg, Ward 1; Tim-
othy H. Gannon, Ward 2; George H. Lund-
Ward 2; William W. McGrath, Ward 2;
Joseph McNamee, Ward 2; George F. Mon-
ahan, Ward 4; William C. Brennan, Ward 5;
James J. McGrath, Ward 5; William J. Hus-

sey, Ward 6; Curtis J. Foster, Ward 7; Rob-
ert D. King, Ward 7; William McNamara,
Ward 7; Charles L. Pitkin, Ward 8; David E.
Wilmarth, Ward 8; Bernard M. Wolf, Ward
8; Francis J. Hallahan, Ward 9; Edward P.
B. Rankin, Ward 9; Daniel J. Reardon, Ward
9; John F. Clark, Ward 10; Leo J. Hill,
Ward 10; Jeremiah Diggin, Ward 11; Michael
J. Quinn, Ward 11; Daniel R. Young, Ward
13; John G. Downey, Ward 14; Alfred F.
Deininger, Ward 15; William McCready,
Ward 16; Robert Pearlman, Ward 16; Wil-
liam P. Boutelle, Ward 19; Arthur E. Dorr,
Ward 19; William J. Powers, Ward 19; Wil-
liam H. Burnham, Ward 20; Frederick W.
Davies, Ward 20; Gustaf Nyberg, Ward 20;
Alfred J. Gillis, Ward 21; Charles B. White,
Ward 21; Ludwig A. Brauneis, Ward 23;
James D. Harrington, Ward 23; Frederick R.
Sullivan, Ward 25.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES.

President DONOGHUE announced the ap-
pointment of the following committees, viz.:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Appropriations.

All the members, Coun. Gilbody, Chairman.

Executive.

All the members, Coun. Purcell, Chairman.

Finance.

All the members, Coun. Watson, Chairman.

Ordinances.

All the members, Coun. Healey, Chairman.

Branch Libraries.

Coun. Moriarty, Healey, Gilbody, Purcell,
Walsh.

Claims.

Coun. Gilbody, Walsh, Lane, Healey, Purcell.

County Accounts.

Coun. Watson, Brickley, Lane, Purcell,
Healey.

Fire Hazard.

Coun. Purcell, Brickley, Moriarty, Gilbody,
Watson.

Inspection of Prisons.

Coun. Healey, Gilbody, Walsh, Lane, Pur-
cell.

Legislative Matters.

Coun. Lane, Brickley, Watson, Healey,
Moriarty.

Parkman Fund.

Coun. Gilbody, Watson, Walsh, Purcell, Lane.

Printing.

Coun. Walsh, Moriarty, Healey, Gilbody,
Purcell.

Public Lands.

Coun. Watson, Purcell, Healey, Brickley,
Walsh.

Soldiers' Relief.

Coun. Gilbody, Brickley, Lane, Healey, Pur-
cell.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Rules.

Coun. Brickley, Moriarty, Watson.

Jitneys.

Coun. Purcell, Gilbody, Walsh, Watson,
Healey.

Unclaimed Baggage.

Coun. Purcell, Lane.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, February 4, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to the approval of your
honorable body, I appoint Charles Shrago, 57
McLellan street, Dorchester, a Weigher of Coal
for the term ending April 30, 1924; also H. E.
Bouchie, 27 Overland street, Boston, and Clar-
ence S. Roy, 52 Judson street, Malden.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Laid over under the law.

POLICE HEADQUARTERS REPORT.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Finance Commission, February 18, 1924.

To the Honorable the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The Finance Commission is in receipt of an order from your honorable body, dated February 11, 1924, as follows:

Ordered, That the Boston Finance Commission be requested to submit to the City Council the verbatim report of its investigation of the acquisition of the Park square site for a police headquarters.

Investigations by the Finance Commission are made under the authority contained in section 18 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, which is as follows:

"It shall be the duty of the finance commission from time to time to investigate any and all matters relating to appropriations, loans, expenditures, accounts and methods of administration affecting the city of Boston or the county of Suffolk, or any department thereof, that may appear to the commission to require investigation, and to report thereon from time to time to the mayor, the city council, the governor, or the general court."

In 1911 the Corporation Counsel of the city rendered an opinion to the City Council that, under the revised charter of 1909, the general investigative powers of the City Council had been transferred to the Finance Commission. (See City Council Minutes, 1911, page 118.)

The commission has consistently refrained from making public the testimony of witnesses not given in public hearings. The commission feels that a departure from this established policy would be inadvisable, and therefore cannot comply with the request contained in this order.

Respectfully submitted,
THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Concetta Carchia, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 10 Pitts street.

Albert Copeland, to be reimbursed for personal property tax for 1919, paid twice.

Mary S. Craddock, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Huntington avenue.

Irene W. Fall, for compensation for injuries caused by ice falling from roof of Henry Grew School.

Kate Hanrahan, for compensation for land lost through an error in making an assessment.

Robert H. Katzmann, for compensation for damage to car caused by city automobile.

John Keane, for compensation for damage to clothing while employed at the City Hospital.

Andrew Kelley, for compensation for injuries received while attending the Florence Nightingale School.

Martin Morton, for compensation for damage to property at 36 Lambert street caused by limbs falling from tree.

George H. Norton, Administrator, for compensation for damage to property at 1013 Harrison avenue by city team.

Mrs. James Powers, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by ash barrel.

Lloyd Ritvo, for compensation for damage to car by being run into by city team.

Mamie Seoli, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Chelsea street.

Dewey H. Stoltz, for compensation for damage to car by a truck of the Police Department.

James Sugden Company, for compensation for damage to truck by city team.

Charles Tapper, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Washington street.

The New Can Company, for compensation for damage to car by city team.

Samuel Waldman for compensation for damage to car on Highland street, Roxbury, by an ambulance.

Matilda D. Ware, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Columbia road.

Stephen J. Welch, for compensation for damage to clothing while employed at the City Hospital.

Mrs. Ellen J. Richardson, for compensation for injuries caused by alleged defect in front of 16 Crowell street, Dorchester.

Executive.

Emma G. Tunncliffe, for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Richards Hall, February 23.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constable's bond of James T. Costello.

Approved by the City Council.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearings on February 25 on petitions for storage and sale of gasoline at various locations.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

FILING OF JITNEY BOND.

A bond was received from the Maryland Casualty Company on behalf of the Boston Elevated Railway Company for jitney license. Placed on file.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

President DONOGHUE called up unfinished business No. 1, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor February 11, 1924, viz.:

1. Frank J. Hall, Albert McDonough, Louis Goldberg, Michael W. Ober, Barney C. DeLuca and Andrew W. Murphy, to be Constables.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Watson and Moriarty. Whole number of ballots cast 8, yeas 6, nays 2, and the appointments were confirmed.

President DONOGHUE called up unfinished business, Nos. 2 and 3, viz.:

2. Philip R. Cook, Ralph F. Baxter, Philip S. Corbett and Bella Neustadt, to be Weighers of Coal.

3. Harry E. Nelson and William B. Powers, to be Weighers of Goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Watson and Moriarty, whole number of ballots cast 7, yeas 7, nays 0, and the appointments were confirmed.

INCLUSION OF BRIGHTON, BUILDING LIMITS.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Committee on Ordinances be requested to consider and report as to the advisability of including the whole of the Brighton district within the building limits.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS, PARSONS STREET.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to place and maintain electric lights on Parsons street, Brighton.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SIDEWALK, LEICESTER STREET.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along both sides of Leicester street, from Washington street to Arlington street, Ward 26, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 2.29 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 2.49 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted a report on petition of

Emma G. Tunncliffe (referred today) for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Richards Hall, February 23—that permit be granted.

Report accepted; permit granted on the usual conditions.

FINANCE.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Finance, submitted a report on message of Mayor and order (referred February 11) for loan of \$800,000 for sewerage works—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, submitted a report recommending the passage of an order for the payment of aid to soldiers and sailors and their families, for the month of February, 1924.

Report accepted; order passed.

IMPROVEMENT OF TENEAN BEACH.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the sum of \$50,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the improvement of Tenean Beach Playground, Dorchester; and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount for said purpose.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

IMPROVEMENT OF GARVEY PLAYGROUND.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the sum of \$50,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the improvement of the Garvey Playground, Neponset, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount for said purpose.

Reported to the Committee on Finance.

HALF HOLIDAY, EVACUATION DAY.

President DONOGHUE offered an order—That the heads of departments be authorized to allow a half holiday, without loss of pay, to all employees who take part in the parade on Evacuation Day, March 17, 1924.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS WATER INCOME.

Coun. PURCELL offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to submit a report to the City Council as to the disposal of money received from water income in his department for the past two financial years.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. GILBODY moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 2.53 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to meet on Monday, February 25, at two o'clock p. m.

EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOL MAINTENANCE PER CAPITA (RANKING FROM HIGHEST).

Los Angeles, \$14.82; New York, \$12.32; Boston, \$12.10 (as corrected); Pittsburgh, \$11.82; Cleveland, \$10.42; St. Louis, \$9.40; Chicago, \$8.88; San Francisco, \$8.20; Philadelphia, \$7.73. (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1920, Preliminary Reports.)

AUTOMOBILE STATISTICS.

Registration and licensing of motor vehicles and operators in Massachusetts is in charge of the State Department of Public Works, Registrar of Motor Vehicles. In year ending November 30, 1921, there were registered 360,732 automobiles, an increase of 56,101 over the total in 1920 and 90.58 per cent more than 5 years ago, also 12,058 motor cycles. New York ranks first among the states in number of automobiles in use November 1, 1921, viz., 651,796; (2) Ohio, 616,800; (3) Pennsylvania, 570,164; (4) California, 568,892; (5) Illinois, 568,759; (6) Iowa, 437,300; (7) Texas, 427,634; (8) Michigan, 412,717; (9) Minnesota, 364,312; (10) Indiana, 332,707; (11) Massachusetts, 304,631; (12) Missouri, 295,817; (13) Wisconsin, 293,298; (14) Kansas, 265,396; (15) New Jersey, 226,459. The West leads in ratio of automobiles to population, the farmers being the most numerous users. In Iowa, California, Nebraska and South Dakota there is one to every 6 inhabitants and most of the other western states show from one to 7 to one to 9. In Massachusetts the ratio is one to 13 and in New York State, one to 16. Reported (unofficially) owned in Boston alone, in 1921, 46,725 or 36,706 passenger cars and 10,019 trucks. Persons licensed to operate in State, 380,519 (*i. e.*, 18,940 more than in 1920), of which 247,769 were classed as operators and 132,750 as chauffeurs; licenses revoked, 1,119. Total received by State in 1921 for all fees, \$4,712,890 or \$852,659 more than in 1920. Number of deaths from accidents in State in year ending November 30, 1921, 544 (*i. e.*, 63 more than in 1920); injured, 11,486 or 9,696 less than in 1920; in Boston alone, 88 killed and 1,914 injured. Prosecutions by Boston police for violation of automobile laws in year ending November 30, 1921, 9,408 (1,000 less than in 1920), of which 4,513 were of non-residents and 995 of minors.

Deaths from automobile accidents in cities in year 1920: New York, 773; Chicago, 472; Philadelphia, 226; Detroit, 175; Cleveland, 155; Los Angeles, 142; St. Louis, 104; Boston, 89. Highest death rate per 100,000 population in California, 21.1; (2) Connecticut, 15.6; (3) New York, 13.5 and Washington the same; (4) Rhode Island, 12.8; (5) New Jersey, 12.7; (6) Colorado, 12.4; (7) Ohio, 12.3; (8) Pennsylvania, 11.9; (9) Massachusetts, 11.7.

The automobile industry, begun about 23 years ago, now ranks fourth (if not third) in this country. In 1921, the production was approximately 1,668,500 vehicles or 1,514,000 passenger cars and 154,500 trucks, all valued (wholesale) at \$1,260,000,000. Total automobiles in operation in United States in 1921, 9,187,572; in 1918, 4,941,276; in 1915, 1,754,570; in 1910, about 400,000; in 1905, about 85,000. Total fees paid by owners in U. S. in 1921 \$102,000,000 (approx.), about 90 per cent of same being used for highway improvement.

Total exports of automobiles and parts of, from United States in year ending Dec. 31, 1920, \$298,219,875 in value (*i. e.*, 96.6 per cent more than in 1919).

In year 1921 the total exports fell to \$81,922,357 in value, or 7,478 commercial (\$10,329,903) and 30,950 passenger (\$32,533,725); automobile parts, exclusive of engines and tires, \$39,058,729; tires, \$15,954,515; gasoline engines, \$1,821,120. Imports of automobiles and parts in year 1921, \$2,044,568.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN BOSTON.

Number of permanent school buildings in use in 1922 for school purposes, 265; or 217 brick and 48 wooden; portable houses, 216; besides these, 14 rented quarters; in 1922 day schools contained 3,315 class-rooms and 137,673 sittings, also 96 assembly halls and 15 drill halls and gymnasias; 3,601 teachers in all schools, or 3,031 women and 570 men; evening schools, 28, with 397 regular teachers. Playground teachers, 175, having charge of games, gymnastics, etc., in 56 park and 34 schoolyard playgrounds; school physicians, 48; school nurses, 52; attendance officers, 29. Number of pupils registered in regular day schools year ending June 30, 1922, 131,789, of which 5,849 were registered again in the Summer Review Schools; in evening schools, 15,309; Continuation School, 6,753; Day School for Immigrants, 1,522; total registration, 155,373 or 5,218 increase over 1921. Average number belonging in day schools, 118,970 or 5,560 more than in 1921; average number in evening schools, 8,271; in Continuation School, 3,422.

On September 30, 1922, the school membership was as follows: Normal School and 16 high and Latin schools, 22,393 or 1,871 more than same date in 1921; in 241 elementary and intermediate schools, by districts:—East Boston, 11,026; Charlestown, 3,796; North End, 5,743; West End, 6,094; City Proper, 4,370; South End, 3,993; South Boston, 9,174; Roxbury, 15,505; Brighton, 4,655; West Roxbury, 7,794; Dorchester, 24,162; Hyde Park, 2,508; in special schools, 1,403. Total in elementary grades I to VIII, 88,846; Kindergartens, 7,948; intermediate, 1,996; Continuation School, 3,600; total for all day schools, 126,186 or 2,675 more than in 1921. Number of graduates in 1922, 8,425; elementary school pupils promoted, 87,088; not promoted, 10,959. Average number of day-school pupils per teacher in elementary grades, 41.8; in high schools, 30.1; in kindergartens, 27.1.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$11,778,471 or \$610,550 more than in 1921 and \$1,880,543 ahead of 1920; expenditure for construction of new schools, etc., \$1,778,844 all from Tax Levy, or \$918,019 (106.64 per cent) more than in 1920, also \$551,060 from loan for new Public Latin School. Gross debt outstanding for Schoolhouses and Sites, Feb. 1, 1923, \$15,912,500 or \$539,500 more than in 1922. Annual maintenance cost per attending pupil in Latin and high schools (day), \$124.66; in elementary schools (day), \$78.21.

The registration of minors, 5 to 15 years (inclu.), also illiterates over 15, April 1, 1923, as directed by Chap. 102, General Acts of 1916, showed a total of 144,619 (*i. e.*, 1,851 more than in 1922) or 24,273 of 5 and 6 years of age; 91,532 of 7 to 13 (inclu.); 26,568 of 14 and 15, and 2,246 illiterates 16 years of age and over. Total minors under 16 belonging to public day schools, 112,262; to parochial schools, 27,089; other private schools, 2,724; defectives (not in any school), 30. The illiterates attend the elementary evening schools.

The School Centers for educational and social improvement of other than school pupils started in 1912. There are now 9 having evening and 5 afternoon sessions in the larger school halls, with 159 paid leaders and assistants and 30

to 40 study and entertainment clubs or groups in each; total attendance during the 10 months' sessions in 1921-22, 475,048, mostly evenings. Cost of this "extended use of public schools" in 1921-22, \$52,537. For "Non-School Center" activities 70 of the school halls are used by various social groups, moderate rental fees being charged.

Per capita (of Boston population) cost in 1922 of schools approximately \$16.38 (including special appropriations from taxes, etc., for new schoolhouses), which is \$3.08 higher than in 1920 and nearly double that of 1916.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

POLICE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS.

Number of police force, December 1, 1922, was 1,901 (55 more than 1921), viz., the Superintendent, 3 deputy superintendents, 26 captains, 37 inspectors, 41 lieutenants, 135 sergeants, 1,652 patrolmen and 6 patrolwomen, distributed in 19 divisions, and a traffic squad, the latter numbering 156. The policewomen are a new addition to the force in 1921. Signal service men, 17, and clerks, janitors, etc., 114. Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$4,072,533 or \$62,730 more than in 1921. Total number of arrests in year ending November 30, 1922, 77,653 or 5,492 more than in 1921, but 1,901 less than the average for past five years; those arrested on warrants numbered 10,786; without warrants, 49,372; summoned by the court, 17,495; held for trial, 73,838 and 3,815 discharged; foreign-born persons arrested, 29,078; boys, under 15 years of age, 1,411 or 287 less than in 1921; women and girls of all ages, 5,081 or 61 more than in 1921; non-residents, 26.4 per cent of all arrested; drunkenness the cause of 48.47 per cent of all arrests, the total for this offence being 37,643 or 6,656 more than in 1921, but 5,690 less than the average for past five years. The prosecutions for homicide numbered 164 or 26 more than in 1921. Sick and injured persons assisted, 7,946; insane persons taken in charge, 434; lost children restored to homes, 1,839; persons imprisoned, 3,021 or 71 more than in 1921; persons fined, 18,673, the fines amounting to \$236,215; stolen property recovered, \$1,616,820; licenses granted, 21,823 (including 8,620 for dogs and 8,430 for vehicles and drivers), for which \$57,964 was received. Of 3,128 applications for license to carry loaded revolvers, 2,916 were granted, and 184 rejected. Accidents from all causes in the streets, parks and squares caused death of 125 persons and injury to 3,767 or 5 less killed and 232 more injured than in 1921. By automobile accidents alone 90 persons were killed and 2,157 injured.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$8,000; Superintendent, \$7,000; Deputy Superintendents, \$4,000; Chief Inspector, \$3,800; captains, \$3,500; inspectors and lieutenants, \$2,500; sergeants, \$2,300; patrolmen, \$1,400 the 1st year, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

In the year ending November 30, 1922, the Police Department made 3,371 prosecutions in the State court and 93 in the United States court for violation of the liquor law (not including drunkenness), a total of 3,464 cases or 1,265 more than in 1921. For violation of the drug laws there were 376 prosecutions.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Feb. 18, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:45 o'clock p. m., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

Jan. 27, 1923, on page 222, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of William E. O'Connor as junior master, Roxbury High School, to take effect Feb. 4, 1924, shall read "fifth year."

Feb. 4, 1924, on page 3, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Arthur R. Nelson as co-operative instructor, East Boston High School, to take effect Feb. 25, 1924, shall read "second year."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed, as amended.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

ACCEPTANCE OF ADDITION TO A SCHOOL-HOUSE.

A communication was received from the Board of School-house Commissioners, under date of Feb. 11, 1924, reporting that that Board will take over for occupancy as of Monday, Feb. 18, 1924, the addition to the Thomas Gardner School.

Placed on file.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Bunker Hill District—Mary E. Minter, Jan. 27, 1924.

Warren District—Caroline E. Osgood, Dec. 17, 1923.

Washington District—Ida A. Noyes, Feb. 7, 1924.

Placed on file.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Bowdoin District—Ida A. Merriam, Feb. 6, 1924.

Dearborn District—Horace B. Dean, Jan. 2, 1924 (one day).

Dillaway District—Daisy K. Kelsey, Feb. 5, 1924.

Dudley District—Katherine L. Higgins, Jan. 2, 1924.

Hancock District—Mary G. Keating, Feb. 5, 1924.

Jefferson-Comins District—Marie Raftery, Feb. 5, 1924.

Prince District—Lewette Spence, kindergarten, Jan. 7, 1924; Andre G. deBeauvivre (one-half time), Feb. 1, 1924; Florence E. Bakewell, Feb. 4, 1924.

Rice District—Andre G. deBeauvivre (one-half time) Feb. 1, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Katherine Harrigan, Jan. 17, 1924 (one day).

William Lloyd Garrison District—Roberta J. Golden, kindergarten, Feb. 4, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Latin and Day High Schools—Francis A. Mahan, instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling, Jan. 21, 1924.

Charlestown High School—John E. Dynan, junior master, Feb. 5, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Mary C. Walsh, teacher of cookery, Nov. 7, 1923 (one day); Mary C. Walsh, teacher of cookery, Jan. 22, 1924 (one day); Eva L. Jordan, teacher of cookery, Jan. 23, 1924 (one day); Grace G. Webster, teacher of cookery, Jan. 28, 1924 (one-half day); Beatrice Fickett, teacher of sewing, Jan. 31, 1924 (one-half day).

Department of Manual Arts—James E. Mulvanity, emergency assistant instructor, Jan. 15, 1924; Rodney F. Paschal, assistant instructor, Jan. 17, 1924.

Placed on file.

REAPPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Hyde Park High School—Mary J. Connors, assistant, Feb. 4, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Daniel J. Jameson, shop instructor, Feb. 4, 1924; Raoul J. Burke, emergency assistant instructor, Feb. 6, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY NURSES.

Department of Medical Inspection—Mary Nolan Dee, school nurse, Feb. 11, 1924; Rose A. Murphy, school nurse, Feb. 7, 1924; Lucy T. O'Kane, school nurse, Feb. 5, 1924.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Continuation School—Walker J. Byrnes, instructor, Mar. 4, 1924.

Bigelow District—Margaret A. Thompson, assistant, Mar. 4, 1924.

Dwight District—Margaret V. O'Connor, assistant, Mar. 4, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—James A. Donovan, submaster (from assistant, Robert Gould Shaw District), Feb. 25, 1924.

Eliot District—Ruth E. Kelly, Anna E. McFarland, assistants, Mar. 4, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—LeRoy T. Martin, submaster, Feb. 25, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Eleanor A. Donovan, assistant, Mar. 4, 1924; Marguerite R. Riley, assistant (fifth year), Mar. 4, 1924.

Thomas Gardner District—John J. O'Brien, submaster, Feb. 25, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—Walter M. Burke, submaster (second year), Feb. 25, 1924.

Appointments of submasters approved, under a suspension of the rules; remaining appointments laid over.

(Re-entry into Service.)

Ulysses S. Grant District—Edith Stahi Roos, assistant (resigned from Bennett District, Aug. 31, 1920), Mar. 5, 1924.

Laid over.

(Kindergartens, two sessions.)

Bennett District—Bernice A. Hill, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924; Mildred E. Parsons, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924.

Dudley District—Helen C. MacLean, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924.

Edward Everett District—Hattie Browne, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Hattie F. Mason, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924; Angeline K. Mudge, first assistant kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Gertude F. Briggs, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 25, 1924.

Hyde District—Stella W. Seymour, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 25, 1924.

John Marshall District—Helen G. Gormley, first assistant kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924; Ruth K. FitzGerald, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Helen R. Dempsey, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924.

Julia Ward Howe District—Louise J. Dole, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 25, 1924.

Lowell District—R. Genevieve Mc Morrow, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924.

Prescott District—Christine G. Long, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924.

Quincy District—Fannie B. Hayden, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924; Frances E. O'Neill, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from assistant kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924; Elizabeth M. Daley, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Josephine L. Kelly, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Marjorie G. Short, first

assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session). Feb. 4, 1924.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Ruth B. Todd, first assistant kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924; Helen I. Thompson, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from assistant kindergarten (one session). Feb. 4, 1924.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Alice C. Ringex, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from first assistant, kindergarten (one session). Feb. 4, 1924; Marie A. Robbins, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) from assistant, kindergarten (one session), Feb. 4, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1923-24

Bigelow Evening School—Margaret L. Nolan, assistant, Feb. 5, 1924 (one evening).

Bowdoin Evening School—Angela M. Pearce, assistant, Feb. 12, 14, 1924 (two evenings).

Comins Evening School—Helen C. Conway, assistant, Feb. 14, 1924 (one evening); Mary E. Mulligan, assistant, Feb. 25, 1924; Grace A. Murray, assistant, Feb. 12, 14, 1924 (two evenings).

Franklin Evening School—Louise K. Faul, assistant, Feb. 4 to 14, 1924 (six evenings); Leonora E. Scolley, assistant, Feb. 7, 1924 (one evening).

Washington Evening School—Mary E. MacSwiney, assistant, Feb. 11, 1924 (one evening); M. Frances McNellis, assistant, Feb. 4, 1924 (one evening); Mary F. Sharkey, assistant, Feb. 12, 1924 (one evening).

Approved.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Howard W. Lloyd as a substitute toolkeeper in the Boston Trade School, Evening Classes, is hereby authorized for two evenings, Feb. 4 and Feb. 5, 1924, compensation for said service to be at the rate of one dollar, twenty-five cents (\$1.25) per evening.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Frank Graham Parker as a substitute toolkeeper in the Boston Trade School, Evening Classes, is hereby authorized for one evening, Jan. 28, 1924, compensation for said service to be at the rate of one dollar, twenty-five cents (\$1.25) per evening.

EXTENDED USE OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Term 1923-24.

Doormen—Dennis Long, Feb. 18, 1924; Alfred Breen, Feb. 4, 1924.

Helpers—Elizabeth Fitzpatrick, Feb. 4, 1924; Marie Reardon, Feb. 4, 1924.

Assistant Helpers—Effie Persons, Feb. 4, 1924.

Approved.

SUMMER REVIEW SCHOOLS,

Principals—Term 1924.

(To take effect June 23, 1924.)

Summer Review High School—Carleton E. Preston.

Bigelow Summer Review Elementary School—William P. McDonough.

City Summer Review Elementary School—John J. Mahoney.

Charlestown Summer Review Elementary School—James T. Donovan.
Dorchester Summer Review Elementary School—Vincent A. Keenan.
East Boston Summer Review Elementary School—James F. Tyrrell.
Hugh O'Brien Summer Review Elementary School—Sidney T. H. Northcott.

Hyde Park Summer Review Elementary School—George H. Pearce
Lewis Summer Review Elementary School—S. Albert Cragin.

Shurtleff Summer Review Elementary School—Katharine C. McDonnell.

West End Summer Review Elementary School—Frederick A. Guindon.

Approved.

SUMMER VACATION SCHOOL

Term 1924.

Principals.

(To take effect June 23, 1924.)

Michelangelo Summer Vacation School—Emma B. Harvey.

Rice Summer Vacation School—Elizabeth V. Cloney.

Theodore Lyman Summer Vacation School—Anna M. Niland.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Florence E. Bakewell, Ida Blackburn, Agnes L. Broderick, Marion L. Carnegie, Lena Carr, Catherine M. Cassidy, Mary F. Cochran, Matilda E. Cogan, Adala Cole, John J. Coughlin, Richard J. Crowley, Dorothy K. Daley, Emma Day, Grace E. Evans, Katherine A. Foley, Carolyn F. Harlow, Alvira Hazzard, Helen E. Hussell, Mary G. Keating, Olive C. Kelly, Margaret E. Lynch, Isabel Marsh, John J. May, Everett J. McIntosh, John P. McMahon, Helen F. Molloy, Arthur L. Morrissey, Marguerite L. Murphy, Virginia N. Poole, Ethel B. Poirier, Helen M. Reardon, Eleanor Reid, Rita M. Sherry, Elsie M. Smith, Rosina Smyth, Consuelo Vincent, Thomas F. Walsh, Helen A. Wilson.

Approved.

ATTENDANT, SCHOOL

LUNCHES.

Hugh O'Brien District (Samuel Mason School)—Grace M. Kleedorfer, Jan. 7, 1924.

Approved.

TRANSFERS.

Phillips Brooks District—Charles A. DuBois, submaster to the same position in the Lewis Intermediate District, Feb. 25, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion, the leaves of absence granted to the following-named teachers, at the meeting of Jan. 17, 1924, on pages 221 and 223 respectively, are hereby rescinded:

Phillips Brooks District—Rose V. Collier, assistant, Dec. 14, 1923, one-half day, funeral.

Bennett District—Elizabeth R. Bradbury, assistant, Dec. 11, 1923, one-half day, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

South Boston High School—Susan L. Maguire, assistant, Feb. 6, 1924, one day, court summons; Susan L. Maguire, assistant, Feb. 7, 8, 1924, two days, without pay.

Bigelow District—Clara M. French, instructor, special class, Jan. 31, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Eliot District—Louise M. DeVoto, assistant, Feb. 15, 1924, one-half day, funeral; M. Elizabeth McGinley, assistant, Feb. 15, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Everett District—Annie H. Gardner, assistant, from Feb. 6 to May 5, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Mary E. McCarty, assistant, Feb. 12, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Mary F. McDonald, assistant, Feb. 12, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Julia Ward Howe District—Marguerite G. Brett, first assistant in charge, from Feb. 1 to Apr. 11, 1924.

Lawrence District—Catherine E. Halligan, assistant, Feb. 4, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Mather District—Mary F. Nolan, assistant, Feb. 12, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Norcross District—Mildred A. Horne, assistant kindergarten, Jan. 24, 1924, one day, without pay.

Phillips Brooks District—Jessie L. Barth, assistant, from Feb. 1, to Mar. 31, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Blanche F. Kingsley, assistant, Jan. 28, 1924, one day, without pay.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Annie C. Simmons, Jan. 23, 1924, one day, without pay.

Wells District—Josephine H. Calef, first assistant, kindergarten, from Feb. 1 to Apr. 1, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Genevieve M. Conroy, teacher of sewing, Jan. 17, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Mary B. Howard, teacher of sewing, Jan. 30, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Department of Medical Inspection—Katherine Fitzgerald, school nurse, Feb. 11, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Charles F. Stack, M. D., school physician, from Feb. 27 to May 27, 1924.

Department of Practice and Training—Helen J. Gormley, assistant director, Feb. 12, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following-named teacher, for the term specified:

Norcross District—Helen T. Noonan, assistant, from Jan. 1 to Mar. 31, 1924, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence on account of vacations as provided for under Section 154 of the Regulations, was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Trade School for Girls—Sara E. Lavin, trade assistant, from Jan. 7 to Feb. 1, 1924.

ASSIGNMENT OF A TEACHER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Harold P. Johnson, foreman, shopwork, Department of Manual Arts, to the Dorchester High School, without change of rank or salary, from Feb. 5 to 21, 1924, both dates inclusive.

Placed on file, and the assignment approved.

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has designated Charles H. Early, sub-master, Henry Grew District, as

sub-master in charge, to take effect Feb. 4, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, reporting the following designation of a teacher to serve in the position indicated until such time as it shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated:

Gilbert Stuart District—James L. Early, sub-master, as acting master (vice Edwin F. Kimball, absent on leave), Jan. 21, 1924.

Placed on file.

EMPLOYMENT OF SUB-MASTER IN CHARGE, HENRY GREW DISTRICT.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of a sub-master in charge is hereby authorized in the Henry Grew District, to take effect Feb. 4, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

ESTABLISHMENT OF SUMMER REVIEW SCHOOLS, TERM OF 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That summer review schools are hereby established for the term of 1924 as follows:

High School.

Summer Review High School, in the Roxbury High School-house, Warren Street.

Elementary Schools.

Bigelow Summer Review School, in the Bigelow School-house, Fourth and E Streets, South Boston.

Charlestown Summer Review School, in the Warren School-house Pearl and Summer Streets, Charlestown.

City Summer Review School, in the Abraham Lincoln School-house, Arlington Street.

Dorchester Summer Review School, in the Oliver Wendell Holmes School-house, School and Athelwold Streets, Dorchester.

East Boston Summer Review School, in the Ulysses S. Grant School-house, Paris Street, near Marion Street, East Boston.

Hugh O'Brien Summer Review School, in Hugh O'Brien School house, Dudley and Langdon Streets, Roxbury.

Hyde Park Summer Review School, in the Hyde Park High School-house, Harvard Avenue and Everett Street, Hyde Park.

Lewis Summer Review School, in the Lewis School-house, Paulding Street and Walnut Avenue, Roxbury.

Shurtleff Summer Review School, in the Shurtleff School-house, Dorchester Street, near Seventh Street, South Boston.

West End Summer Review School, in the Washington School-house, Norman and South Margin Streets.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the term 1924 of the summer review schools shall be-

gin on Monday, June 23, and close on Friday, August 8, 1924, and that sessions be held on each day of said term, excepting Sundays and Friday, July 4, 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to make such emergency appointments and transfers as may be necessary for service in summer review schools for the term of 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That pupils may be admitted to summer review schools only upon the approval of the Superintendent, or of the Assistant Superintendent in charge.

ESTABLISHMENT OF SUMMER VACATION SCHOOLS, TERM OF 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That summer vacation schools are hereby established for the term of 1924 as follows:

Michelangelo Summer Vacation School in the Michelangelo School-house, Charter Street.

Rice Summer Vacation School in the Rice School-house, Dartmouth and Appleton Streets, Boston.

Theodore Lyman Summer Vacation School in the Theodore Lyman School-house, Paris and Gove Streets, East Boston.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the term 1924 of the summer vacation schools shall begin on Monday, June 23, and close on Friday, August 8, 1924, and that sessions be held from nine o'clock A.M. to twelve o'clock M. on each day of said term, excepting Sundays and Friday, July 4, 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That pupils may be admitted to the summer vacation schools only upon approval of the Superintendent, or of the Assistant Superintendent in charge.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to make such emergency appointments as may be necessary for service in the summer vacation schools for the term of 1924.

DATES OF ANNUAL COMPETITIVE DRILLS, INTER-REGIMENTAL DRILL AND ANNUAL STREET PARADE.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the annual competitive drills, inter-regimental drill and annual street parade of the Boston School Cadets take place this year as follows:

Public Latin School—101st Infantry Armory, Friday, May 9, 1924.

Brighton and South Boston High Schools—101st Infantry Armory, Wednesday, May 7, 1924.

Charlestown High and Boston Trade School—101st Infantry Armory, Monday, May 12, 1924.

Dorchester High School—101st Infantry Armory, Friday, May 16, 1924.

East Boston High School—World War Memorial Park, Thursday, May 15, 1924.

English High School—101st Infantry Armory, Friday, May 2, 1924.

High School of Commerce—Thursday and Friday, April 3 and 4 at High School of Commerce.

Hyde Park High School—Stony Brook Reservation, Hyde Park, Tuesday, May 13, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—James W. Murphy, Jr., Playground, Wednesday, May 14, 1924.

Inter-Regimental Drill—101st Infantry Armory, Saturday, May 24, 1924.

Annual Street Parade, Friday, June 6, 1924.

COMPENSATION OF TEMPORARY INSTRUCTORS OF DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS AND SIGNALING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That compensation be allowed and paid the following-named persons for services rendered as temporary instructors of drum and bugle corps and signalling during the month of January, 1924, upon certification by the Director of Physical Training to the Superintendent that the services covered by said amounts have been rendered:

John J. O'Neill.....	\$76.00
Francis A. Mahan.....	48.00

EMPLOYMENT OF ADDITIONAL ASSISTANT, SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of an additional assistant in the office of the Superintendent is hereby authorized.

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION FOR TEACHERS IN GARDENING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized during the financial year 1924-25 to conduct a course of instruction for teachers of gardening in conjunction with the Extension Service of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, the share of the expense of instruction to be borne by the city not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100) and the city to supply equipment and accommodations, including garden plot.

PRINTING OF "A TEACHER'S PROFESSIONAL LIBRARY, REVISED."

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That "A Teacher's Professional Library, Revised" is hereby authorized as a School Document, and that five thousand (5,000) copies be printed for distribution.

PRINTING OF RULES RELATING TO MILITARY DRILL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying revised Rules to Govern Conduct of Instructors of Military Drill, Instructors of Musical Organizations, and Armorsers; Authority of Teachers; and Specifications of Uniforms for the Boston School Cadets, is hereby approved and one thousand (1,000) copies ordered printed.

CONSTRUCTION ON PROPOSED LA SALLE SCHOOL-HOUSE DEFERRED.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners is hereby requested to defer actual construction on the proposed La Salle School-house in the Phillips Brooks District until otherwise so requested by this Board.

USE OF LAND ON PAUL GORE STREET, JAMAICA PLAIN, FOR SCHOOL GARDENS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Park and Recreation Department is hereby requested to grant the School Committee the use of the vacant lot between numbers 52 and 68 Paul Gore street, Jamaica Plain, for the establishment of gardens to be cultivated by pupils of the Boston public schools under the direction of their teachers.

AMENDMENT TO REGULATIONS RELATIVE TO LENGTH OF SCHOOL TERMS.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, reporting that it has considered the petition of the Boston Teachers' Club that the one week's extension of the school term be made in June rather than in September, and recommending that the rules be amended to provide that the schools shall reopen on the second Tuesday following the first Monday in September and continue for a period of forty-two weeks, which shall include the Christmas vacation, the February vacation, and the April vacation.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 151, Paragraph 1. Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof the following:

SECT. 151. 1. The regular term of all day schools shall begin on the second Tuesday following the first Monday in September, and shall continue for forty-two weeks, inclusive of the one week's vacation in December, one week's vacation in February, and one week's vacation in April. The Normal, Latin and day high schools shall close on Wednesday of the final week of the school term; all other day schools shall close on the following Thursday. Teachers, except those whose vacations are otherwise established by the regulations, shall report for duty at 9 o'clock a. m. on the Monday preceding the opening day of school in September, and shall continue on duty except on such days as the sessions of the schools are suspended, or unless leave of absence is granted in accordance with the

regulations, until the close of the term. Members of the supervising staff, except those whose vacations are otherwise established by the regulations, shall continue on duty until the close of the term of the schools in which they are respectively employed, or if not employed in particular schools, up to and including the Friday of the final week of the term. Principals of Normal, Latin and day high schools may require the attendance of teachers on Thursday and Friday of the final week of the term for assistance at graduating exercises or for the completion of records and reports, and principals of all other day schools may require such attendance on Friday of the final week of the term for similar purposes. The collection of text books and supplies shall not be begun earlier than Wednesday of the final week of the term.

Laid over.

The petition from the Boston Teachers' Club to which the foregoing communication and amendment refer was received from Priscilla Whiton, President, under date of Feb. 2, 1924, recommending that the school year be lengthened in June rather than in September, and reporting that the teachers are overwhelmingly in favor of this proposition.

Placed on file.

FEBRUARY VACATION TO SCHOOL NURSES.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 154, paragraph 5—Strike out the paragraphs describing the holidays and vacations of the supervising nurse and school nurses, and substitute in place thereof the following:

Supervising nurse: Legal holidays; the regular Christmas vacation; the regular February vacation; the regular April vacation; and as many weeks, but not less than four during the months of July and August, at such time or times as the director of medical inspection shall determine.

School nurses: Legal holidays; the regular Christmas vacation; the regular February vacation; the regular April vacation; and as many weeks, but not less than four during the months of July and August, at such time or times as the supervising nurse, with the approval of the director of medical inspection, shall determine.

Laid over.

TENURE PROVISION AND PROMOTIONAL EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS OF RE-ENTRANTS TO SERVICE.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Feb. 11, 1924, recommending that the regulations be amended to definitely establish tenure provision and promotional examination requirements for re-entrants to permanent service.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 264. Insert the following as paragraph 3:

3. Teachers and members of the supervising staff who re-enter the

service under the provisions of Section 265, who were on tenure at the time of retirement, may, on the completion of one year of satisfactory service, be again appointed on tenure to take effect on the first day of September next following the completion of the said year of service; those who were not on tenure at the time of retirement shall be subject to the provisions of paragraph 1 of this section.

Section 326. Insert the following as paragraph 5, and renumber paragraphs 5, 6 and 7, as paragraphs 6, 7 and 8, respectively:

5. Re-entrants to permanent service under the provisions of Section 265, paragraph 2, shall be subject to the promotional examination requirements in effect at the time of their re-entrance.

Laid over.

INCLUSION OF PAINTING AND DECORATING AMONG TRADES TAUGHT IN THE SCHOOLS

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Feb. 11, 1924, to whom was referred at the meeting of Jan. 21, 1924 (see p. 235) a communication from the Society of Master House Painters and Decorators calling attention to the urgent need of more trade instruction in the building trades in the schools of the state, especially in the trade of painting and decorating, submitting the following report:

When the Boston Trade School was originally projected it was expected that painting and decorating would be one of the activities. Painting and decorating were introduced in the Miles Standish Prevocational Center with the idea that graduates of the center might pursue this trade further at the Boston Trade School. For lack of room this department in the Boston Trade School was not established when the school was built.

The School Committee has shown interest in the building trades by making provision for several of them, including adequate provision for painting and decorating in the new wing of the Boston Trade School, for which plans have already been drawn and appropriation in part made. It is expected that these additional quarters will be ready for occupancy in September.

It is now proposed to transfer the painting and decorating class in the Miles Standish Prevocational Center to the new Washington Irving Intermediate School where it will have better facilities and where pupils will have opportunity to get acquainted with this trade either as manual training or more intensively in the mechanic arts course.

The Board of Superintendents is impressed with the presentation of the Society of Master House Painters and Decorators of Massachusetts and will endeavor to further the interests of the crafts represented as needs arise and opportunities present themselves.

Placed on file, and a copy of the report to be sent to the petitioners.

APPROPRIATION ON ACCOUNT FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, recommending the passage of an accompanying order making an ap-

proprietion on account under the appropriation for alterations and repairs.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That to provide funds for the Alteration and Repair of school buildings, for furniture, fixtures and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection for existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards, during the financial year Feb. 1, 1924, to Jan. 31, 1925, the following sums are hereby appropriated on account:

- a. Administrative expenses,
Schoolhouse Department...\$105,000
 - b. Segregated items,
 1. Productive work by pupils.
 2. Lockers.
 3. Normal School.
 4. Girls' Latin School.
 5. P. A. Collins building.
 6. Mechanic Arts High School
 7. Horace Mann School.
 8. Continuation School—
25 LaGrange Street.
Common Street.
 9. Boston Trade School.
 10. Elihu Greenwood District, Amos
Webster School.
 11. Wendell Phillips District, Grant
School.
 12. Brighton High School.
 13. Theodore Lyman District, Austin
School.
 14. Abraham Lincoln School.
 15. George Putnam School.
 16. Henry L. Pierce School.
 17. Julia Ward Howe School Annex.
 18. Prince School.
 19. William E. Russell School.
 20. Martin School.
 21. Evening Schools.
 22. Department of Manual Arts.
 23. Department of Household Science
and Arts.
 - Aggregating\$250,000
 - c. Unassigned..... 500,000
- Passed by the following vote:
YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis,
Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Dr. Scannell—1.

RETIREMENT OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, reporting the retirement from active duty of the following-named members of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect Feb. 29, 1924:

George W. Fogg, custodian, Mechanic Arts High School-house.
William H. Smith, custodian, Fairmount School-house.
Placed on file.

CERTIFICATION OF AREAS AND ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO CUSTODIAN, TRADE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, submitting a certification of the areas of the Trade School for Girls, 56 Fenway, upon which the compensation for custodian service is based, to take effect Sept. 7, 1923.

Placed on file, and the Chairman authorized to approve such certification to take effect on the date stated:

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, recom-

mending that, in view of additional work required of the custodian of the Trade School for Girls, 56 Fenway, which necessitates three additional cleanings each week, additional cleaning of interior glass, and other incidental work because of the nature of the premises, the custodian be allowed additional compensation at the rate of one thousand, seven hundred twenty dollars and ninety-eight cents (\$1,720.98) per year.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That, in view of additional work required of the custodian of the Trade School for Girls, 56 Fenway, he be allowed additional compensation at the rate of one thousand, seven hundred twenty dollars and ninety-eight cents (\$1,720.98) per year, to take effect Sept. 7, 1923, this additional compensation having been figured in accordance with the salary schedule.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, recommending that leave of absence on one-half net compensation be granted Alexander W. Dickie, custodian Martin School-house, for one day, Feb. 13, 1924, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the date specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, recommending that James J. Tansey, custodian of the Trescott School-house, be granted leave of absence on one-half net compensation for the period Jan. 24, 25, and 26, 1924, as custodian of the Nathan Hale School-house, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the dates specified.

TRANSFER OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, transmitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Mechanic Arts High Schoolhouse, and recommending that John V. Dole, custodian of the Edward Everett Schoolhouse, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect March 1, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of John V. Dole approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, transmitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Washington Irving Schoolhouse, and recommending that William N. Carr, custodian of the Ellis Mendell Schoolhouse, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Jan. 27, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of William N. Carr approved, to take effect on the date stated.

RESCINDING APPOINTMENTS OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, un-

der date of Feb. 18, 1924, recommending that the appointment of Cornelius Sullivan as custodian of the Bigelow Schoolhouse by transfer from the custodianship of the Bowdoin School-house, which was approved at the meeting of Jan. 7, 1924 (see p. 226), be rescinded.

Placed on file, and the appointment rescinded.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Feb. 18, 1924, recommending that the appointment of James J. Bulman as custodian of the William E. Russell School-house, by transfer from the custodianship of the Frothingham School-house and Annex, which was approved at the meeting of Jan. 7, 1924 (see p. 226), be rescinded.

Placed on file, and the appointment rescinded.

RETIREMENT OF ATTENDANCE OFFICERS.

A communication was received from the Acting Chief Attendance Officer, under date of Feb. 16, 1924, reporting the retirement from active duty of the following named members of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect at the close of business Feb. 29, 1924:

David F. Long, attendance officer.
Richard W. Walsh, attendance officer.

Placed on file.

ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSAL TO AUDIT BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the proposal of Grimes, Clarkson & Company, dated Jan. 5, 1924, to audit the books and accounts of the Business Agent, the Secretary, and the principals of the Boston Trade School, the Trade School for Girls, and the Continuation School once every three months during the financial year ending Jan. 31, 1925, and to report their findings after each quarterly examination and to render a detailed report for the entire fiscal year at an expense of eight hundred dollars (\$800), is hereby accepted, and said accountants are hereby authorized to undertake such audit in accordance with the terms of their proposal.

PETITION FOR NEW BUILDING FOR GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.

A communication was received from Harriet B. Ryan, Recording Secretary, Girls' High School Alumnae Association, transmitting a vote of the Association stating that there is great and urgent need of a new building for the Girls' High School, and setting forth various reasons for the request.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS FOR INCREASE IN SALARY.

A petition was received from the Instructors in the Boston Continuation School, under date of Feb. 1, 1924, requesting an adjustment of their salaries to correspond with those of instructors in the Boston Trade School, and requesting that this adjustment date from Sept. 1, 1923 to agree with recent action in

the adjustment of the salaries of senior instructors in the Continuation School.

Referred to the Board of Apportionment.

A communication was received from Henry D. Fallona, under date of Feb. 15, 1924, submitting, on behalf of the division foremen, shop foremen and shop instructors in the Continuation School, a petition for a readjustment of the ranks and salaries in the shop departments of the Continuation School.

Accompanying the petition was a communication from the Acting Principal of the Continuation School endorsing the foregoing petition.

The petition and accompanying endorsement were referred to the Board of Apportionment.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The order laid over at the meeting of Feb. 4, 1924 (see p. 8) amending section 16 of the rules to provide that all meetings and hearings of the Board shall be public, was taken up.

In connection with the foregoing, Mr. Sullivan submitted for insertion in the minutes the following statement:

Public Right is paramount. Public Right is supreme when Public Right clashes with private convenience. In such conflict, private convenience must yield. The foregoing statements are the expression of a fundamental principle in American Government, so elementary that its acknowledgment without proof is universal.

Upon this principle is based my order which calls for open, public meetings, excepting however, certain, enumerated, specific cases of a nature universally accepted as peculiarly private.

The application here of this great American principle is as elementary as the principle itself and hence ought to be equally acceptable, without proof.

This Committee, in its nature, purpose, and jurisdiction is an elective, public body created to legislate and administer the affairs of our public schools, but this is public business and hence the business of the people. Therefore, this Committee should operate and function in the open. Its meetings should be public.

In this Committee, there should be no room for secrecy, less room for privacy, and more room for publicity.

In every American community there is an irresistible urge by the people for the policy of "open covenants openly arrived at" in all governmental affairs. This urge for the recognition of a popular, sovereign right is indeed justified. Witness the recent scandals of national proportions, all creatures of secrecy, that consume us. And secrecy has been the policy of this Committee for years!

This scheme of secrecy is a sad commentary on the rule my order seeks to amend. Section 16, paragraph 1, the rule under which the Committee now functions, says:

"The sessions of the Board as a rule shall be open, but the Board may at any time, by a majority vote, go into executive session. It shall, however, pass no votes in executive session."

I charge that the Committee has so corrupted this rule that its pres-

ence in the "Rules and Regulations" is a meaningless, useless superfluity. Else, the Committee in its violation of the Rule has been guilty of illegal practices. The exception has been made the Rule, and the Rule has been flouted and corrupted to read

"The Board shall always go into executive session for full consideration and full determination of all matters within its jurisdiction."

This Committee meets in conference (another name for executive session) every time it convenes, without the necessary majority vote, in defiance of the present rule.

Votes are passed in conference, against the rule's strict prohibition.

The conference "is the thing" wherein the destinies of our public schools are determined.

The custom of the conference has grown so strong, that every notice from the Secretary's office relative to the Committee meetings carries the word "conference" and sets forth the fact that the School Committee will meet in conference. The conference is carried on in strictest secrecy. No record kept. Press and Public ruled out. And so the scheme of secrecy is all comprehensive. And for this, the people pay \$14,000,000 yearly; an increase of 90% since 1919, a short space of five years.

I pass over the bi-monthly "public" meeting. It is a mere incident. "Public" in name only, it is a public farce and mockery!

I now come to my order and its reception by this Committee. The order is self-explanatory. "No Secrecy—Less Privacy—More Publicity!"

What of its reception! The Public and the Press were expelled. The Committee went into conference, though the very subject matter of the order was against such conference.

I was then urged to withdraw my order and to stand by for several months to acquire atmosphere and experience. I refused because I declined to become a party in the scheme of secrecy. My order was then criticized because of my lack of formal "experience," for this human limitation; that I am unable to translate "future" into "present," I am sorry. The observation that pleased me most informed me that I was "most unusual" in that for the first time in memory, a new member had presented an order at his initial meeting.

The only objection that can stand the test of a second glance, and I anticipate this one, is on the ground that my order is too restrictive of the discretion resident in every governmental agency. Perhaps that is so, but it is better to restrict than to abuse. Let me recall that this Committee has abused its discretion, and restriction always follows abuse as here.

All the apologies, without exception, for the present policy of privacy and scheme of secrecy ultimately sound in "convenience"; that private meetings are more "convenient" than public meetings. In the same breath, the apologists in the committee assert that the people are not interested in their schools. If the people are not interested, I say, if this is so, it is so because of this committee's policy of exclusion, and program of privacy; that it is so because the public has been left on the "door-steps" so long, it has wearied

of waiting for welcome. However, assuming that it is so, my order has an added appeal, for, in that event, we shall have public meetings with all the protections of public meetings and all the conveniences of private meetings. Truly, an ideal state! Aside from this, I repeat here, as I stated in conference, that my order is not based upon any assumption of public interest, but rather on the principle and fact of Public Right.

To the plea for "private convenience," I say that Public Right is always paramount and supreme. Of that, there can be no doubt; with that there can be no quarrel.

The issue is clear. On the one hand, the passage of my order for the Public Right and the public weal; on the other, its rejection for private convenience.

Mr. Chairman, and Members: The issue before you is all-important. The people of Boston love their schools and spend millions for their support. Our schools are the cornerstone of our community and this great Republic. They are the makers of our future citizens. There is no room in them for secrecy.

The "Dark Lantern," the "Star Chamber" should be but memory. They have no proper place in true American government.

The "convenient-conference" custom is the one thing that stands in the way between this Committee and the realization in the right, that "public business is the business of the public."

Placed on file.

The question came on the passage of the original order.

The order failed of passage by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Sullivan—1.

NAYS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis and Mr. O'Hare—3.

ABSENT—Dr. Scannell—1.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rules be amended as follows:

Section 16. 1. Strike out the words "as a rule" in the first and second lines so that the section will read as follows:

SECT. 16. 1. The sessions of the Board shall be open, but the Board may at any time, by a majority vote, go into executive session. It shall, however, pass no votes in executive session.

Laid over.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary.

AREA OF UNITED STATES, NEW ENGLAND, ETC.

Total of the 48 states in square miles, 3,026,719; Alaska, 590,884; making grand total of 3,617,603 sq. m. or 42.11 per cent of continent of North America and 6.32 per cent of the earth's land area. The six states of New England, 66,424 sq. m., i. e., Maine, 33,040; Vermont, 9,564; N. H., 9,341; Mass. 8,266; Conn., 4,965; R. I., 1,248. Land area of New England, 61,976 sq. m.; of Mass., 8,093 sq. m.

Total area of U. S. (inclu. Alaska) 112,000 sq. miles less than total of Canadian provinces, but total population is over 12 times as many.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Mar. 6. Italian Gardens. Robert N. Cram.
 Mar. 18. The Call of the Mountains. Le Roy Jeffers, Secretary, Associated Mountaineering Clubs of North America; Librarian, American Alpine Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
 Mar. 20. Our Guardians of Life and Property. (Motion pictures.) Speakers from the Boston Fire and Police Departments. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
 Mar. 27. Browning and Ruskin; Prophets of the Twentieth Century. Agnes Knox Black (Mrs. E. Charlton Black).
 Apr. 3. Gothic Grandeur; how Rheims Cathedral was built. Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J.
 Apr. 10. The Revelation of Spain. Ralph Adams Cram, Litt.D., LL.D.
 Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Mar. 2. Expressionism in the Theatre. Albert H. Gilmer, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
 Mar. 9. Books and Life. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt.D.
 Mar. 16. Master Music for Young People. Malcolm Lang. With musical illustrations.
 Mar. 23. Fundamentals in the Theatre, Old and New. F. W. C. Hersey, A.M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. (Drama League Course.)
 Mar. 30. The Bible in Stained Glass. Joseph G. Reynolds, Jr. With lantern illustrations.

* The program arranged by the Conservation Bureau of the City of Boston will consist of motion pictures, silent informational screen talks, singing by the audience, and a brief address.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

STENOGRAPHER (MALE), BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, MARCH 3, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$2,000 a year.

The duties of this position are to take testimony of persons at hearings of trial boards and before the Bureau of Criminal Investigation, to read this testimony in court if required, and to accompany the officers in order to take testimony in homicide cases.

It is desirable that applicants be familiar with the use of the dictaphone.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; stenography, consisting of dictation at 175 words a minute, 5; business correspondence, 2; word knowledge, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in accuracy of transcription, and in general average, in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required

- Apr. 6. Recreational Opportunities of Boston. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Mrs. Eva W. White, General Director, Community Service of Boston. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
 Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations
 Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A Program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

- Mar. 10. Around the Bay of Naples. Miss Ellen C. Page. Illustrated.
 Mar. 24. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry Austin Higgins, Secretary, Massachusetts Prison Association.
 Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.
 Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)
 May 12. Annual Meeting.

THE NEW ENGLAND POETRY CLUB.

The following free talks in the Lecture Hall on the second Wednesdays of the month at 4.30 o'clock, with illustrative readings, are announced:

Some Influences in Modern American Poetry.

- Mar. 12. Carl Sandburg. Amy Lowell.
 Apr. 9. Robert Frost. Norreys Jephson O'Connor, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Mt. Holyoke College.

to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

BOSTON POLICE SERVICE, MARCH 4, 1924.

Applicants must be not less than 25 nor over 35 years of age at the time of filing application, not less than 5 feet, 8 inches in height, and weigh not less than 135 pounds without clothing.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; report, 1; practical questions, 4; total, 10.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination and strength tests: Education test, 1; physical test, 1; total, 2.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average, in order to become eligible.

The practical questions will be based upon information contained in a manual known as the "Blue Book." This manual may be obtained from the Secretary of State, Room 118, State House, at 10 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

NURSES, MARCH 7, 1924.

This examination will include school nurses (excluding Boston school nurses),

health nurses, visiting nurses, etc., and will be held for the service of all the cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service.

At present there are several vacancies in various cities throughout the state.

The examination for nurses who are registered by the Board of Registration of Nurses, Department of Civil Service and Registration, will consist of the following subjects and weights: Training and experience, 4; the mark on file with the Division of Registration, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

The date given above is not the actual examination date, but the date on or before which application blanks must be filed.

Applicants will be notified later of the oral interview.

The examination for nurses who are not registered will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; written examination, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

Since registered nurses will go on the list ahead of nonregistered nurses, applicants should state in their applications whether or not they are applying as registered nurses.

Applicants who are not registered must be graduates of a hospital or similar institution giving a course of instruction in nursing of at least two years in length or must have equivalent training.

ASSISTANT TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF EMPLOYMENT, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, DIVISION OF THE BLIND, MARCH 8, 1924.

The requisition is for a female but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$15 per week for four days a week.

The duties of this position are to assist in the placement of blind persons in private industries and offices. It is desirable that applicants have had experience in placement of handicapped persons and in social service.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

INSPECTOR OF CONCRETE MASONRY SEWER (MALE) METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION, MARCH 10, 1924.

The salary is \$1,980 per year.

Applicants should be experienced in building of sewers in quicksands or other bad ground and in the crossing of streams.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as fol-

lows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Applicants must have had at least three years' experience in masonry construction in accordance with chapter 31, section 41, of the General Laws.

LABORATORY ASSISTANT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, DIVISION OF BIOLOGIC LABORATORIES, MARCH 10, 1924.

The requisition is for a female but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$100 per month.

The duties of this position consist in the performance of every detail of the Wassermann reaction, together with the performance of precipitation tests for syphilis, the execution of gonococcus and glanders fixation tests, together with the cultivation of these organisms and the standardization of the reagents used in these tests. It is desirable that applicants should possess a practical knowledge of the work described above, consisting of at least six months of actual training in a recognized laboratory, together with academic training equivalent to that obtained in a four years' college course.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

STENOGRAPHIC SERVICE, MARCH 15, 1924.

This examination is for the service of the state and of all cities, and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. On March 15 the examination will be held in Boston and all persons who reside within commuting distance will be notified for that day. Applicants residing in other places will be examined on March 1 at certain centrally located cities throughout the state.

This examination will be given to fill positions in all grades of the stenographic service. All applicants will be given the same examination and will be placed on the list in the order of marks received, and will be certified for any and all stenographic positions in the order of standing on the list unless in the opinion of the Commissioner of Civil Service the mark attained is lower than is proper for the particular position to be filled.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; stenography, 5; business correspondence, 2; word knowledge, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15. The dictation is given at the following rates of speed: 80, 100 and 120, the dictation at each rate of speed consisting of a letter of about 300 words in length. Each applicant elects any two of the three speed tests for transcription. The transcription is marked for both speed and accuracy. Applicants are obliged to ob-

tain at least 65 per cent in accuracy of transcription of one speed test.

Applicants will be required to obtain a general average in the entire examination of at least 65 per cent. For positions paying \$1,200 or more, only those who receive a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience will be certified.

Specimen examination papers may be obtained at the civil service office.

CURATOR OF THE ZOO, BOSTON PARK DEPARTMENT, MARCH 18, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year.

Applicants should have had experience in the care of animals of all kinds. The curator should have a special knowledge of the feeding, cleaning and proper housing of all animals and birds; he should have experience in moving animals from one cage to another, and from one point in the Zoological Garden to another, and experience in handling employees under him.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

WATER INSPECTORS AND METER READERS, MARCH 21, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the various cities of the Commonwealth and of such towns as are classified under civil service. From the eligible list established as a result of this examination, names will be certified to fill present vacancies and such other vacancies as may occur.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; report writing, 1; practical questions, 4; total, 10.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Upon filing application, persons will receive a manual of information pertaining to the work of water inspector and meter reader, upon which the practical questions will be based. Applicants are, however, cautioned to inquire personally or by letter should they fail to receive this manual of instruction.

ASSESSED VALUATION OF REAL ESTATE PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES.

Boston, \$1,765; Detroit, \$1,708.70; San Francisco, \$1,561.90; New York, \$1,534.60; Pittsburgh, \$1,384.13; Buffalo, \$1,181.40; Philadelphia, \$990.84; St. Louis, \$990.71; Baltimore, \$779.40.

TOTAL ASSETS AND PROPERTIES OF LEADING CITIES (BY RANK).

New York, \$2,379,693,936; Chicago, \$361,588,740; Philadelphia, \$359,267,795; Boston, \$260,190,469; Los Angeles, \$140,377,086; Cleveland, \$133,102,394; Pittsburgh, \$129,192,917; Cincinnati, \$128,652,987; Detroit, \$113,642,621; San

Francisco, \$112,669,807; St. Louis, \$110,975,412. (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1919, page 284; the 1920 volume not issued yet.)

FIRE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS.

Fire-fighting force, 1,217, viz., the Chief, 4 deputy chiefs, 15 district chiefs, 63 captains, 98 lieutenants, 62 engineers, 52 assistant engineers and 922 privates divided into 88 companies or 53 engine (3 marine), 30 ladder and 3 water tower companies, a chemical engine company and a rescue company; the engine companies generally consisting of 14 or 15 men, including a captain and a lieutenant; other employees, 14 at headquarters, 96 men in repair shop, 42 in fire-alarm branch and 4 in veterinary hospital. Fire stations, 62; various engines in service, 53, of which 30 are auto combination gasoline pumping engines, 13 tractor-drawn steamers, 1 steam-propelled and 6 horse-drawn steamers; also 3 marine pumpers or fireboats; auto combination chemical and hose cars, 31; horse-drawn hose wagons, 6; auto ladder trucks, 23 (10 aerial); 7 horse-drawn ladder trucks; 3 auto water towers; 29 officials' cars; 8 auto delivery and 4 emergency trucks; 1 rescue company auto with pulmotors, etc., and 1 auto wrecker; total automobiles in service, 143, of which 101 are apparatus. Leading hose, 141,016 feet and suction hose, 2,137 feet; horses, 62; 2-ton fuel wagons, 29; fire alarm boxes, 1,268. In reserve are 23 engines or 9 auto and 14 horse-drawn; 8 horse-drawn chemicals; 12 hose wagons (6 auto); 13 ladder trucks (8 auto); 1 water tower (auto) and 8 officials' cars.

Total alarms in calendar year 1922, 6,134 or 887 more than in 1921, of which total 646 were needless and 279 were false alarms. Total fires, 5,209 or 801 more than in 1921, of which 2,927 were in buildings, 2,232 outside of buildings and 50 out of City limits. In one case the building was totally destroyed, in 77 cases the damage was considerable and in 1,861 the damage was slight.

The Boston Protective Department (not a City department) reported the total fire losses in 1922 on buildings as \$1,214,435 and on contents as \$2,090,161, or total of \$3,304,596, which is \$703,536 less than in 1921. Of total loss, the amount not covered by insurance was \$129,273. The B. P. D. also reported that of the 2,109 fires involving losses, 518 were caused by carelessness with matches, 256 by smoking, 70 by sparks from combustion, 113 by open lights, 145 by stoves, furnaces, etc., 66 by explosions, 102 by electricity, 61 by petroleum and its products, 51 by overheated or defective flues and chimneys, 51 by spontaneous combustion, 14 by fireworks, etc., 28 by hot ashes.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$3,337,506 (including Wire Division), or \$47,341 more than in 1921. Value of land and buildings, \$2,325,600; of equipment, \$1,800,000.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$7,500; Chief, \$5,000; deputy chiefs, \$4,000; district chiefs, \$3,500; captains, \$2,500; lieutenants, \$2,300; engineers, \$1,900; assistant engineers, \$1,800; 1st-year privates, \$1,400; with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

By Chap. 4, City Ordinances of 1917, the firemen have one day off in three instead of one in five, as before.

By Ordinances of 1919, Chap. 2, the Wire Dept. became the Wire Division of the Fire Dept.

New motor apparatus added and ordered will make the department 90 to 95 per cent motorized. Appropriation of \$283,000 in 1923 budget for this purpose.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR EQUIPMENT AND THE LIGHTING AND EXTINGUISHING OF GAS LAMPS FOR THE CITY OF BOSTON, EXCLUDING CHARLESTOWN AND HYDE PARK, FOR A TERM OF TEN YEARS BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1924.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the City of Boston, excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park, for a term of ten years beginning April 1, 1924. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Equipment and the Lighting and Extinguishing of Gas Lamps for the City of Boston, Excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park," for a term of ten years, beginning April 1, 1924, and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, March 6, 1924, with a certified check for ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, February 14, 1924. (Mar. 1.)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING FENDERS OF DORCHESTER AVENUE BRIDGE, OVER FORT POINT CHANNEL.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing fenders of Dorchester Avenue Bridge, over Fort Point channel, and giving bond thereof of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of two thousand (\$2,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Dorchester Avenue Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, March 10, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (\$200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal, after acceptance, is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, or to accept any proposal, should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, February 28, 1924. (March 1.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ALUMINUM BOXES, CUPS, ETC., TO BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Boston City Hospital with

100 aluminum boxes,
600 aluminum cups,
100 covers for cups,

all as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Wednesday, March 12, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,

(March 1.) Superintendent of Supplies.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR TOWELING.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Park Department with the following:

60,000 yards of toweling,

as per specifications to be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal and a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the office of the Supply Department. Bidders must submit sample with bid. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read on Tuesday, March 11, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,

(March 1.) Superintendent of Supplies.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ARSENATE OF LEAD.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Park Department

approximately fifteen tons of dry arsenate of lead,

as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. Bidder must leave a one-pound sample with his proposal. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Monday, March 10, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The proposal must state the price per ton of 2,000 pounds, f. o. b. Franklin Park service yard, Forest Hills, Boston, Mass., for fifteen tons, more or less, of powdered arsenate of lead in twenty-pound packages, net weight. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,

(March 1.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CABINETMAKERS AND MANUFACTURERS OF INTERIOR FINISH.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing work benches in the Ralph Waldo Emerson School, Dudley and Shirley streets, Roxbury district, and the Washington Irving School, Poplar street, West Roxbury district, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, March 11, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. A deposit of \$10, cash or certified check, will be required for a set of specifications and plan, said sum to be refunded upon return of specifications and plan. Mutilation of the specifications or plan will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,

JAMES J. MAHAR,

CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(March 1.)

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR MILITARY EQUIPMENT FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing and delivering military equipment at school buildings in accordance with specifications. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, March 10, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$100, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Each proposal should be plainly marked "Proposal for Military Equipment." The bid must be in duplicate, one to be sent as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The bidder awarded a contract will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for not less than 25 per cent of the amount of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept such bid, or part of a bid, as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,

Business Agent of the School Committee.
(March 1.)

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR STEEL LOCKERS FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Fire Department

60 steel lockers,

as per specifications to be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. Delivery to be made as required. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, 801 City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$200, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., Wednesday, March 12, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,

(March 1.) Superintendent of Supplies.

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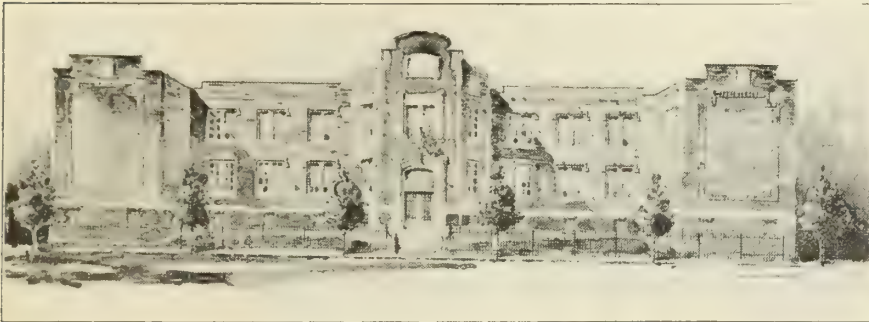
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BOSTON'S ITALIAN CITIZENS PRAISE MAYOR CURLEY FOR DANTE SCHOOL.

ERECTION OF BUILDING NAMED AFTER GREAT POET OF ITALY, IN EAST BOSTON, DEEMED ESPECIALLY GREAT HONOR—BUILDING TO BE OCCUPIED IN FALL.



NEW DANTE ALIGHIERI SCHOOL IN EAST BOSTON, NEAREST FIRE-PROOF OF ANY IN CITY, SOON TO BE COMPLETED.

Boston citizens of Italian extraction are singing high praise to Mayor James M. Curley for his high-minded thoughtfulness in naming the school structure being erected at Gove and Paris streets, East Boston, the Dante Alighieri School.

Due to the growing need of schoolhouse accommodations, particularly that of the elementary grade, in the rapidly increasing residential district of East Boston, largely populated by those of Italian extraction, the project of building a most modern and up-to-date schoolhouse in this community to care for the younger children of the district was formulated by the city in 1921, and an appropriation of \$200,000 was passed.

A favorable site was purchased at Gove and Paris streets, and measures taken to raze the existing structures on the land, clear the site and prepare for the construction of the greatly needed school. James Purdon was appointed architect to prepare the plans and supervise the execution of the work. The contract was awarded by his Honor Mayor James M. Curley on the 26th of March, 1923, to Messrs. John Bowen Company of Boston for the construction of the building.

In designing the structure, it was early impressed upon the architect by the Schoolhouse Commission that unusual efforts should be directed towards securing the maximum of southern exposure and sunlight in the several school rooms, at the same time with the least waste possible in floor area. With what success this object was attained may be judged by the fact that whereas a customary ratio of 75 per cent for morning sunlit schoolrooms in respect to total schoolrooms involved has not been an uncommon proportion in such elementary schoolhouses as the city has hitherto

erected, in the Dante Alighieri School 100 per cent of morning sunlit schoolrooms has been secured; at the same time with less waste of floor area than has been attained in previous structures.

The importance of this consideration is seen in the fact that it not only gives the children in every schoolroom of this building their full measure of sunshine, but permits a large proportion of the lot to be devoted to a sunny playground for their use; which has been provided on the southerly side of the building.

While considerations of sunshine were stressed in the development of the Dante Alighieri School, measures of the most modern sort in the matter of fire prevention, sanitation, heating and ventilation were not overlooked in the planning of its construction. It can be said with truth that the Dante Alighieri School is the most fireproof of any yet erected by the City of Boston.

It is not only constructed throughout of brick, stone, tile, concrete and steel, but is the first Boston schoolhouse to introduce the use of steel trim throughout. Wooden door and window casings, baseboards, even picture moldings and blackboard chalk rails, have all been eliminated in this structure, and steel casings, moldings and rails substituted. Wide exits lead in three directions from the tiled corridors of the building. Each of the corridor staircases is of masonry and steel construction throughout, and leads directly outdoors.

In the matter of heating and ventilation, the most modern apparatus has been installed. All heat is delivered into the schoolrooms through fresh-air ducts, thermostatically controlled to afford even

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MAYOR CURLEY NOT ACTIVE IN MOVE TO TRANSFER VETERANS.

DENIES CITY IS BEHIND EFFORT TO HURRY SHIFTING OF WAR VICTIMS TO NORTHAMPTON—HAS FOUGHT TO KEEP THEM NEAR RELATIVES.

Mayor Curley strongly refutes the assertion that he has any intention of pushing the transfer of disabled soldiers from the Veterans' Hospital in West Roxbury to Northampton in order to make room for inmates of the almshouse on Long Island. He announced this on his return to the mayoral duties after a month's vacation in Florida. He declared that the government was under no pressure from him to hasten its departure from the hospital.

If the city sells Deer Island to Massachusetts for a state prison, transferring the prisoners now there to Long Island, the plan is to send the chronic cases at present on Long Island to the Elks Hospital on Parker Hill and to move the inmates of the almshouse to the West Roxbury plant.

It was intimated that Mayor Curley wanted the West Roxbury hospital vacated by the government as soon as possible in order to make his plan possible and that his influence, in part, was responsible for the decision of the Veterans' Bureau, later reconsidered, to transfer the patients to Northampton.

The Mayor denied that he had exerted any influence to have the veterans transferred. He states that aside from arguments on the transfer that could be adduced one way or the other, there were so many circumstances still in the way of his plan, that moving the veterans for some time yet could have no effect on the city's project.

TO CHANGE STREET NAME.

The Mayor has approved the following orders of the Board of Street Commissioners:

That the name of the public way known as East Broadway, South Boston district, from Dorchester street to Faragut road, and the name of the public way known as West Broadway, South Boston district, from Dorchester avenue to Dorchester street, be changed to and that they be hereafter known as Broadway.

That the name of the public way known as Smyrna street, Roxbury district, between Brookline avenue and Binney street, be changed to and that it be hereafter known as Deaconess road.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, March 10, at two o'clock p. m.

Meeting of the School Committee, Monday, March 17, at 6.30 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

FAMOUS PRIMA DONNA TO BE GUEST OF CITY MARCH 16.

Mme. Ernestine Schumann-Heink, world famous prima donna, telegraphed Mayor Curley on the evening of March 3 from the Hotel Auditorium in Chicago, accepting an invitation to be the guest of the City of Boston at the historical ceremonies marking the evacuation of the City of Boston by the British forces, to be held at the Municipal Building, South Boston, upon the evening of Sunday, March 16.

The noted contralto, one of the most famous in the world's history, was born in Prague, Austria, June 15, 1861, and was a daughter of Major Roessler. She was educated at the Ursuline Convent in Prague.

Mme. Schumann-Heink was made principal soprano of the Dresden Court opera at the age of seventeen years, and made her first appearance on the stage as Acuzena in "Il Trovatore," October 13, 1878. She later sang at Hamburg and Berlin, and made a famous national reputation at Bayreuth. Mme. Schumann-Heink was for several seasons a member of the Metropolitan Opera Company of New York, and during the year 1905-06 was given stellar honors in "Love's Lottery." Her musical recitals are famous throughout the metropolitan cities of the United States.

Mme. Schumann-Heink has a reservation at the Brunswick Hotel for her stay in Boston, and will be extended every courtesy by representatives of the city during her short stay in Boston.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Carmine Russo has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for setting concrete meter boxes

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

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TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

in Roxbury, Jamaica Plain and West Roxbury. Items ordered: Resetting meter boxes on Lamartine street, Paul Gore street, Heath street, Armstrong street, Oakland street, Wyman street, Thornton street, Cedar street, Parkman place, Park street. Estimated cost of extra work, \$225.

M. De Sisto Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Bismarck street, Floyd street, Verrill street, Dorchester; Ferndale road, Northbourne road, Pleasant street, West Roxbury, and Wade street, Brighton.

Items ordered: Labor searching for buried gate in Wade street; relocating sewer in Verrill street; relocating drains in Floyd street, Dorchester. Estimated cost of extra work, \$350.

The A. L. Smith Iron Works has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for new iron floors and appurtenances for filth hoist building Calf Pasture pumping station, Dorchester. Items ordered: Furnish all labor and materials and place new cast-iron brackets, channels, bolts, planking, etc., for complete new gallery as shown on blueprint No. 3333-32 in 33, dated December 21, 1908, including the removal and disposal of all materials composing the existing gallery. Estimated cost of extra work, \$1,751. Order previously issued December 31, 1923, \$56.

Frank J. Gallagher & Co. have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for new roof and monitor windows for old boiler house, Calf Pasture pumping station. Items ordered: Furnish nine (9) squares of new slate to make southeast side of roof all new slate and uniform. Estimated cost of extra work, \$216.

MAYOR CURLEY MAKES NEW OFFER TO STATE IN PRISON SALE MATTER.

FOLLOWING REPORT OF CITY'S REPRESENTATIVE ON COMMITTEE ON PURCHASE OF DEER ISLAND AS SITE FOR STATE "TOMBS" SUGGESTS TAKING BY EMINENT DOMAIN AND LEAVING DECISION ON PRICE TO JURY.

Mayor Curley sent the following letter March 5:

HON. GEORGE H. ELLIS, *Chairman Commission for the Relocation of State Prison, State House, Boston:*

MY DEAR MR. ELLIS,—I beg to present herewith report submitted this day by Mr. Maurice H. Maney, the representative of the City of Boston, appointed by me to serve as one of the committee of three to determine the price at which the property used for prison purposes in Boston Harbor, known as Deer Island, might be sold to the state for use by the Commonwealth as a state's prison.

Perusal of the report of Mr. Maney would indicate that the representative of the Commonwealth, serving as one of the referees to determine the price, namely, Mr. Homer Loring, has at no time been desirous of complying with the wishes of well-intentioned women and men of the Commonwealth interested in providing humane conditions for the criminals of the Commonwealth incarcerated in the State Prison at Charlestown.

Actuated by a desire to aid in changing a condition that is foreign to present day thought and a blot on the fair name of the Commonwealth in the matter of treatment of the criminal element of the population, the City of Boston has stood ready at all times to accept such tender for the property at Deer Island as might be equitable, the sum submitted by the referee appointed by the city after most careful investigation being \$1,676,868.96. Mr. Maney, representing the City of Boston, in his communication sets forth my opinion with reference to the position of the city upon this project, namely, "that a fair business offer that would benefit the state without penalizing the city, even though that offer might be less than the detailed estimate of the value of the property, under the circumstances would be considered as equitable and proper.

I accordingly take this occasion to submit such offer and trust that your commission in its recommendation will include a proviso covering the offer which is here submitted, namely, that the City of Boston will sell the property as is to the Commonwealth for the sum of \$1,200,000. In the event that the Commission for the Relocation of State's Prison, of which you are chairman, does not look with favor upon the tender of the City of Boston I can see no objection to a proviso in the bill which the commission may recommend providing for the taking of this property by eminent domain and for the determination of the price by a jury.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor.

The following letter and report was received March 5 from Maurice H. Maney, with reference to the sale of Deer Island:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Pursuant to your instructions of December 13, 1923, and added to at various times, by conferences with you and Penal Commissioner Johnson, I have performed the work assigned to wit: I have made an appraisal and quantity survey of the Deer Island property, as to land, building and equipment, and I submit herewith my detailed report of same.

I have at all times kept in mind your wish, that I, as the representative of the City of Boston should be fair and just in my appraisal and to see that the assets entrusted to me for valuation purposes be conserved, and that while the city was anxious to aid the state in a solution of her state prison problem, still a fair return for this or any other asset of the city must accrue in any proposed transfer. Bearing in mind your desire to assent to a fair business offer, that would benefit the state without penalizing the city, I have agreed to a price lower than my detailed estimate, despite my judgment that the property is worth the full amount of the estimate. The reason for such an assent upon my part was due to an earnest desire to assist the state and to bring to a conclusion the results of more than two months' work.

A contributing and positive reason for this concession was that the proposed transfer would inure to the benefit of the taxpayers in general as the money paid would still remain public money, and the receipt of the money by the City of Boston would aid her taxpayers. Further, as Boston is the largest contributor to the state tax, she would again benefit by a lower state tax through a lower cost for a new state prison.

My associates on the commission, Messrs. Loring and Coonley met the question from their own particular angle. Mr. Coonley, the neutral member, endeavored to reconcile the differences existing, while Mr. Loring representing his Excellency Governor Cox, assumed his usual attitude of economy, if not antagonism, to the entire matter.

Mr. Coonley furnished an estimate of \$851,160 and in his letter accompanying same he says: "In stating a price for the land, I have not felt that I could use values either for residential or industrial purposes, as it seems out of the question that this property will ever be available for either of these purposes. It seems to me that its value must be judged for prison purposes only, and that consideration must be given to the fact that for this purpose the property is no longer needed by the city, and is available to the state." Again Mr.

Coonley expressed a desire verbally, to agree on a value of \$1,200,000 provided Governor Cox and Mr. Loring would assent. Therefore it appears that the opinion of the Governor and Mr. Loring would tend to influence Mr. Coonley's final figures.

Mr. Loring set a value of \$513,000, and there it rests. No give—no take. Simply \$513,000 based upon personal opinion and that alone, as far as we can judge, as not a single detail, quantity or other information was offered to substantiate the value as given. It is true that in answer to some comments made by me he asserted, as you will note by inclosed correspondence, that others had assisted him, but if other than opinionated form was available to him through this assistance, the commissioner was denied the knowledge. Expansion of his values or ideas seems beyond hope.

Therefore it is apparent that the commission as at present constituted cannot agree, and the cause for this in my opinion is based upon the fact that Mr. Loring fully places Boston as an anxious seller, desiring to dispose of something which is of no value to the city, and is desirous of having the state take over the property. In all, he, as the state representative, wants to drive a "sharp bargain." The acts of Mr. Coonley are not the same by any manner of means, but that this idea of the anxious seller and the indifferent buyer has gained root in his mind is apparent, from his letter attached herewith.

Personally I cannot view the matter in that light. I view it as of at least equal benefit to the state, and believe the determination of value should be based upon the assumption of equal benefit. To this end I have labored and hoped, but I am forced to the conclusion that we cannot agree, and in our failure to agree we deny the City of Boston and the State of Massachusetts a great benefit.

I am of the opinion that the acquisition of Deer Island by act of the Legislature will place an amount as a value at least equal to the sum named in my original estimate, and I recommend that you await legislative action.

Respectfully,
MAURICE H. MANEY.

DESCRIPTION AND APPRAISAL OF LAND AND IMPROVEMENTS.

Buildings and Equipment.

Owned by the City of Boston, on Deer Island, Boston Harbor, Mass.

MAURICE H. MANEY,
46 Cornhill, Boston,
Appraiser.

RECAPITULATION OF APPRAISAL OF DEER ISLAND PROPERTY, OWNED BY THE CITY OF BOSTON.

Area of Land.	Present Value.
4,336,408 square feet upland (solid)	\$520,368 96
31,100 square feet covered with docks and piling.....	20,000 00
Water Pipes and Hydrants.	
15,150 linear feet 4, 6, 8, 12 inch, 20 hydrants (post).....	20,000 00
Reservoir.	
2,500,000 gallons capacity.....	35,000 00
Sewer and Manholes.	
1,625 linear feet 18, 12, 8 inch diameter, 4 manholes.....	2,500 00

Light and Power.		Present Value.
Distribution conduits, conduits and wire:		
2,200 linear feet overhead lines.		
3,886 linear feet underground conduits, 14 manholes (brick),		\$7,500 00
		\$605,368 96
Buildings.		
No. 1. New women's prison.....		\$725,000 00
No. 2. Master's house and main building (prison)		100,000 00
No. 3. Cell building (barracks "B")		125,000 00
No. 4. Laundry, print shop and library		20,000 00
No. 5. Commissary and officers' quarters		5,000 00
No. 6. New piggery building.....		25,000 00
No. 7. Carpenter and shoe shop,		1,000 00
No. 8. Deputy's house		5,000 00
No. 9. Receiving building on wharf		5,000 00
No. 10. Coal pocket		3,000 00
No. 11. Main power house.....		15,000 00
No. 12. Heating building, pipe tunnel, recreation building, cold storage.....		25,000 00
No. 13. Bake shop		7,500 00
No. 14. Doctor's house and offices,		5,000 00
No. 15. Farmer's house and greenhouse		5,000 00
Total		\$1,676,868 96

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for pergola at the rose garden, Franklin Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 20, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing fenders of the Dorchester Avenue Bridge over Fort Point channel. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 10, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service.)

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Allendale avenue, from Marsh street, 200 feet southeasterly, and Lenoxdale avenue, from Milton street, 130 feet southerly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,400. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Border street, at Central square, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for repairs to the city stable, Highland street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$600. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Columbia park, between Lawrence avenue and Hamilton terrace, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Elm Hill avenue, between Seaver street and Schuyler street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Pond View avenue, from Moraine street 300 feet southerly, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, March 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Congress street, between Atlantic avenue and Purchase street, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,200. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$225, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 24, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for laying and relaying water pipes in city proper, Roxbury and Dorchester districts, as per advertisement appearing in this issue. Surety bond will

be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in sections of Dorchester, Brighton and West Roxbury, as per advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 20, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for stationery for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for military equipment in the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering pens and pencils to the schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing work benches in the Ralph Waldo Emerson School, Dudley and Shirley streets, Roxbury district, and the Washington Irving School, Poplar street, West Roxbury district. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for moving five portable school buildings at various schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, March 14, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Park Department fifteen tons of dry arsenate of lead. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Park Department 60,000 yards of toweling. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for steel lockers for the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals to furnish the City Hospital with 100 aluminum boxes, 600 aluminum cups and 100 covers for cups. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Boston City Hospital canned goods and groceries. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, March 14, at 12 m.

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URGES GREATER USE OF PORT OF BOSTON BY MANUFACTURERS OF STATE.

MAYOR CURLEY TELLS MEMBERS OF FITCHBURG CHAMBER OF COMMERCE INDUSTRY OF STATE MISSING BIG OPPORTUNITY FOR REACHING MARKETS OF WORLD AT LOWEST COST BY IGNORING FACILITIES AT DOOR AND SENDING GOODS OVER LONG HAULS BY RAIL.

Mayor Curley delivered the following address March 6 before the Fitchburg Chamber of Commerce at Fitchburg:

Fitchburg is an industrial city and lives by transforming raw materials into finished products and marketing them. Almost every city and town in Massachusetts and New England is in the same category; and their continued existence and prosperity depend upon the two most vital elements in industry, transportation and markets. If Fitchburg cannot find a market in which to sell its products it must shut up shop, stop production and discharge its workers, for industry is a business not a philanthropy; and it can only function and flourish in a normal round of activity, which is expressed by raw materials, manufactured products and sales, in regular markets on profitable terms; and these things, everything else being equal, mean continuous production for the enterprise and constancy of work and wages for the worker.

The second and equally important element in industry is transportation facilities to carry the manufactured product from mill to consumer. If the transportation by rail, or water, or both, be efficient with service reasonably rapid, direct and safe, and at rates that are fair to the carrier and the producer, the industry will have its opportunity to enter the market on measurably equal terms with its competitors.

If transportation is satisfactorily serving industry and markets are absorbing its products the question of competition between manufacturers becomes finally not so much a matter of prices as of quality of product.

Today America is producing enough in seven months to supply the domestic home market with all its needs and if our industries are to function, all the year found markets outside of the United States must be found to absorb the product of the other five months. If not, either industry must remain idle for that five months and the workers be without work and wages for the same period; or our government must help to create and sustain by subsidies a merchant marine to carry our surplus products to the foreign, competitive market.

Every industry in New England has felt and is feeling the need of these foreign markets; and in order to get the full benefits of them, we must wake up to our opportunities and secure the commercial advantages lying at our doors, and utilize in our trade and commerce the natural door of New England, the Port of Boston.

Why should Fitchburg if she desires to reach the markets of Europe, Asia, South and Central America, and our own Pacific Coast markets, be compelled to use a long, slow, expensive railroad haul to New York preparatory to using maritime transportation, when the Port of Boston is right at its door, with the finest mari-

time facilities on the coast and a day nearer to the markets it wishes to reach than any other port on the Atlantic seaboard.

The interests of Fitchburg and Boston are identical; the prosperity of one is reflected in the other; when adversity comes to the interior communities of New England Boston feels it. When the people of Fitchburg realize this elementary truth, when they understand that railroads are made for the service of the people and that the people and their industries are not made for the railroads, they will begin to learn they are not getting what they are entitled to. The marketing of the products of Fitchburg should be done through Boston, because it can be done more efficiently and expeditiously by Boston than by the expensive and congested port of New York, and this statement applies to a majority of the industrial communities of New England.

The advantages which Massachusetts industrial cities and towns fail to see and avail themselves of in the Port of Boston are attracting the attention of wide-awake Westerners, who are coming to Boston to invest and take advantage of the growth and future prosperity of the city which our own people are blind to. Henry Ford, one of the shrewdest and most successful men of business in the world, is about to build a great branch of his industry in Boston. He is a keen student of transportation and its relation to industry; he knows that the lines of least resistance are always followed by commerce; and he is coming to Boston with his export business for the same reason that he has bought railroads and organized barge-freight service on the Mississippi, because it is the best point on the coast for his foreign trade. Is it not about time the people of Massachusetts wakened up to this fact? And instead of scaling hills and traveling in round-about ways to carry their goods to market they may save time, temper and money by using their own port. What is good enough for men of vision and industrial shrewdness like Ford should be good enough for Fitchburg and the rest of us.

The Port of Boston has the safest and most commodious harbor on the North Atlantic seaboard; it is free from the hazards of ice and fog 365 days in the year, and for the purpose of commerce by sea it is most advantageously situated, being a full day nearer to the markets of Europe, Asia, South America and our own Pacific Coast than any other Atlantic seaport, and yet through some combination of circumstances—the blindness of her merchants and manufacturers, the greed and short-sightedness of railroad management, and the deliberate injustice and usurpation of authority on the part of the Interstate Commerce Commission—New England has been deprived of the advantages such a port

gives her, her commerce turned into other channels and the sources and springs of her prosperity dried up.

Boston is the gateway of New England, the port through which naturally all her overseas commerce should flow, and through which it must flow, when this part of the world recovers its courage and abandons its pessimism, unless New England is ready to lie down and surrender its traditions of Yankee self-sufficiency, energy and pluck to the counsels of greed, discouragement and treachery.

If New England will hearken to the voices of those who preach industrial defeat, who set dividends above duty to humanity, who find in overworked and underpaid labor the manufacturer's ideal, and who would abandon the soil upon which American liberty was born and cradled for the lands where slavery once flourished and its traditions still survive, then her industries and her mercenaries will go South, but if New England will be true to herself and her inheritance and turn her face to the sea from which the foundations of her fortune came, refusing to debase her workers, depending upon their skill and intelligence to triumph industrially over the product of sweated labor, her industries will remain here to thrive and expand.

New England faced the competition of slave labor a century ago until she aided Lincoln to destroy slavery and liberate the slave; she can and will face the competition of the semi-slave labor of the South to-day until American justice and humanity place the sweated and soul-starved operative of that region on an economic equality with his New England brother.

New England is a land of industrial courage; there is no place here for pessimism; and if some of the big textile concerns are heading South to capitalize the industrial evils of that region, there remains here a body of men and industries with faith in our principles and practices and who see sunshine and success all about us. These laugh at the croakers; they are multiplying and expanding what they have and hold; they are in every community in Massachusetts; and they represent the spirit of hope and the soul of resolution that have made New England and will never lower its flag to the forces of reaction. Upward and onward is the motto of the real factors in industrial New England, the men who look forward, not backward, and whose traditions and ideals are New England's.

They will never consent to drop to the Southern level; rather will they insist that the South by humane and progressive legislation be brought up to our heights and kept abreast of that American standard which has always found its leadership in the men and influences of New England. Our real leaders have faith in themselves and New England; they make conditions and are masters of them; they laugh at discouragement; obstacles are things they grapple with and overcome; the hilltop is their goal; and these are the men we will follow.

The germ of New England's industrial and commercial restoration and dominance is the Port of Boston; the utilization of its facilities, the grasping of its advantages, and the education of our people will compel the conditions that produce these results; for this fact is written into the experience of our Commonwealth, Boston is the barometer of economic New England; when New England is busy Boston is prosperous; when Boston lags, when her commerce is meager, New England is idle and unem-

ployment stalks in the Commonwealth. Every community in New England whether it realizes it or not is linked up with the fortunes of the Port of Boston.

Industrial America has its good days and its poor ones. What it must have, and what it can have, if America is to be prosperous and happy, is industrial constancy which means the banishment of unemployment and work and wages all the year round for the worker. The alarming feature of New England industry is not the migration of the industrial sweaters to the South, but the fact that American industry is able to supply the American domestic market by seven months' labor, and knowledge that unless other and foreign markets are secured to absorb the product of the other five months, we are faced by conditions perilous to the peace and safety of the country. A republic like the United States, which is a democracy, where universal suffrage is the law and majorities rule, cannot with safety face an industrial condition where the workers work only seven months a year and are idle five.

Industrial unemployment for five months in the year is a pretty dangerous problem; the majorities which rule here are the men and women who work; and unless human nature reverses the experience of the ages, an idle majority which holds the government in the hollow of its hand will not go hungry in the days of unemployment because Congress has been too stupid and inefficient to provide the conditions to prevent industrial idleness.

The overseas markets, if they are to serve American industry, must be reached by an American merchant marine that sails under the American citizens, and is enabled by American law and maritime conditions to meet the competition of every commercial rival on the seven seas. Trade follows the flag of the carrier and American commerce can only be made possible and profitable when it is protected and safeguarded as amply resolutely as we protect our industries, help agriculture, assist education and give aid to a hundred other activities.

Today such foreign commerce as we have is carried under foreign flags, in alien ships, heavily subsidized by their governments and having standards of wages and living inferior to ours. We pay them to carry our commerce and they see to it that we eat at the second table in the foreign market when we are allowed to eat at all. The money we pay foreign cargo carriers would go a long way towards sustaining an American merchant marine, and if our government would subsidize our ships to enable them to meet the conditions prevailing in foreign navies, we could carry American goods into foreign markets and find consumers for the five months' production surplus, which would mean constancy of work and wages for our workers, profitable employment and production for our industries, and the end of the ugly threat of unemployment that hangs over us at all times.

It is for us to impress upon our representatives in Congress that there must be no politics in industry and commerce; the things that concern our homes and happiness, that bring peace and contentment to the worker and his family must not be made a football for Republicans and Democrats; and the building up of a merchant marine and its full protection by law and subsidy is a duty Congress must devote its energies to.

Our Congressmen must so act that Boston Harbor will be busy with the traffic of American ships, carrying the products of our industries to all parts of the world and returning with the raw materials of industry. This is the only method by which we can secure foreign markets for American productive industry.

It is equally important to see that our transportation facilities to and from the granaries of the West are not handicapped by the favoritism and injustice of the Interstate Commerce Commission, which in all its dealings with Boston is unfair. It has set up schedules of rates for grain and other food products that prevent shipments through Boston freely enough to insure ballast cargoes for ships that come to Boston, and sends them to other ports. Only by constant hammering on our Congressmen and an insistence that they stop talking about matters of little moment to our interests can we get any action in Washington. This Fitchburg Chamber of Commerce must do its share in bombarding Congress; and if it will consult its best and most permanent industrial good it will ship its products direct to Boston for distribution.

In helping Boston you are helping Fitchburg and its industrial welfare; in shipping from ports a long way from home, you are hurting Fitchburg, hurting New England industry, and by putting needless burdens on it you are helping the mercenary and treacherous game of the Boston deserters who are running textile sweat shops down South.

The other day in London the British shipping concerns had a meeting; they represent a very practical, unsentimental body of maritime adventurers, who retain a well-paid lobby in Washington to fight American shipping interests; and one of their speakers congratulated the meeting on what he called the failure of the United States Shipping Board and its plans, and the defeat of President Harding's demand for a subsidy for American ships. He was too prudent to say what the gathering knew, that the British merchant marine interest had supplied much of the money that was spent to destroy America's merchant marine in an American Congress. Men who were traitors to the flag and country were shot for it the other day; and yet this open and impudent betrayal, of the most vital concern of American commerce and industry—the American merchant marine—hardly caused a ripple in Washington. If the Senatorial and Congressional representatives who are roaring and investigating around Washington will get after the shipping lobby and their friends in Congress and Wall street and run them out of this country for good and ever, they will do the United States more good than if they landed every greasy and corrupt oil rogue on this continent in jail. Benedict Arnold is dead; but the American bankers and lawyers who accept foreign pay to destroy American industry are a meaner breed than Arnold.

Boston needs a well-equipped, well-conditioned, well-protected merchant marine; it has the harbor, the docks, the piers, the facilities and instrumentalities for handling a great and growing commerce, domestic and foreign. The growth and expansion of that commerce, the markets it will give to industry of all kinds, will mean a new era of prosperity for this Commonwealth, a busy, contented and ever increasing body of workers, hope in their hearts and happiness in their homes.

New England is a rugged land, a stern mother, and a constant demonstration of

the poet's dictum that a nation's real wealth lies in men not acres. What New England has and is, she owes to her courage, resolution, determination and unconquerable optimism; she has transformed all her hazards into helps; controlled her own destiny and dictated her own destination; she has led not followed since the nation was born; and though her sons have gone out to carry her principles everywhere, she has retained her headship.

Our work in industry lies along the higher levels of skill and intelligence, and the task of educating the less progressive sections of America up to our standards of sanity and humanity, and teaching them the unchanging verdict of all the ages—that the betterment of civilization and all its activities lies in the betterment of man and his condition. If the true glory and greatness of America are to be realized it will be done by following the hard trails that lead to the mountain top. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts cannot go South. The South must come here for its legislative models and industrial models; for wherever her money bags and mediocrities may go, her brains and leadership still function here.

Have faith in Massachusetts and her manhood; have pride in them; they have never failed us; they never will. Courage, hard work, dogged persistence and invincible optimism have made us in the past; they must sustain us today; and be our asset always.

Stand up, Fitchburg, and be counted; join hands with Boston and your sister communities, that industry and commerce may flourish in this Commonwealth and New England energy may bear fruit.

See to it that your leaders here and in Washington labor single-mindedly for these ends; that they shall permit no injury or lack of fair play to come to us; that our legitimate aims and ends in commerce and industry may be achieved; and if they fail you, get rid of them.

The fortunes of Boston and Fitchburg and every New England community are inseparably linked; we wax and wane together, for over and above our individual fortunes lies the common weal, the Commonwealth of which we are the units.

God save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

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Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Fire Department with lead-covered cable. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing rubber coats to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing uniforms to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hats to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing toilet paper to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing crushed stone, approximately 47,000 tons, to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the various city departments bank gravel and sand. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing spruce fir lumber to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

DANTE ALIGHIERI SCHOOL.

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temperatures; and each such room, including the sanitarium, is ventilated through electrically-driven fan-operated ducts discharging the impure air out into the open above the roof. A secondary heating unit of direct radiation has also been installed, for use in mild weather when windows are largely open, or when occasion eliminates the necessity for the operation of the full heating and ventilating equipment above described.

So far as the exterior of the building is concerned, little effort was made in the direction of elaborateness or ornateness of design or detail; it being regarded as more desirable to restrain the developments of the facades to simple, dignified and effective mass treatments. Pattern work in the brick walls, suggestive of the artisanship seen here and there in Italy, together with the occasional use of colored tiles as not infrequently seen in Italian architecture, has been introduced at effective points; and some emphasis has been placed on the carved stone entrance of the main doorway and central pavilion; but otherwise the exterior remains a composition only of simple red brick over a light granite stone base, relieved with buff Indiana limestone trimmings.

The first unit of the building, consisting of eight schoolrooms accommodating some 40-50 children each, it is expected will be ready for occupancy for the opening of the fall term this year.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, March 6:

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Mary F. Downey has been continued in temporary employment as stenographer for a period of two months from March 1.

William W. McLeod, who was certified for temporary employment as draughtsman, has resigned.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Francis J. O'Connell has been allowed the sum of \$72 for 24 days' work as teller.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Wilbur F. Goodrich, employed to do certain investigating work, has ceased employment.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Henry J. Egan has been appointed provisionally as a stenographer and clerk at \$1,200 a year.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Thomas J. Donnellon, chief sanitary inspector at \$2,500 has been promoted to deputy commissioner in charge of the Sanitary Division at \$3,300.

Frank Riseman has been given the permanent appointment as caretaker in the labor service in the Health Department at \$4 a day.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the past week:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Walter Campbell, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Arthur Rooney, ward porter, \$14 a week; Ellen Carlson, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Helen Freeman, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Ruth Duffy, ward assistant (re-employed), \$11 a week; Mary McDonough, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Josephine Regan, ward helper, \$11 a week; Elizabeth Humphries, ward helper, \$11 a week; Josephine Hoffman, wardmaid, \$9.50 a week; Mary Bully, wardmaid, \$10 a week; Anna Felter, laundress (re-employed), \$14 a week; Patrick Moloney, baker's assistant, \$15 a week; Ellen O'Shea, kitchen woman, \$9.50 a week; Peter Ratchford, floor polisher (re-employed), \$12 a week; Susan Connell, head nurse, \$75 a month.

Temporary.—Charles H. Kelley, telephone operator (re-employed), \$20 a week; Elizabeth M. Hagan, affiliated nurse, \$16.67 a month; Olive Haile, affiliated nurse, \$6 a month; Jean MacEwan, affiliated nurse, \$10 a month; Marie MacPherson, affiliated nurse, \$8 a month; Mary Hogan, affiliated nurse, \$12 a month.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

John Dunnion, baker's assistant at \$15, to porter at \$14 a week; Charles Kelley, temporary telephone operator at \$20, to temporary out-patient orderly at \$18 a week; Gertrude Barlow, head nurse, \$75 to \$80 a month; Margaret Fitzmaurice, nurse at \$16.67, to head nurse at \$75 a month.

Nurses, No Pay to \$10 a Month.—Edith Goodwin, Lillian Kirk, Lillian Keavney, Eleanor Leary, No. 2, Hazel MacGarvie, Mildred O'Brien, Bessie Smith, Doris True, Christina Fraser.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments were made for the week ending Thursday, February 28:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

John Hicks, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Peter Connors.

Mildred Moss, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Daniel Sullivan.

Thomas J. Philbin, watchman, at a salary of \$800 a year, to succeed James J. Griffin.

Patrick H. Stack, porter, from attendant (temporary), at a salary of \$500 a year, to succeed Thomas Carey.

Lewis A. Wilkinson, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Mildred Moss.

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

William P. Linsky deckhand, at a salary of \$18 a week to succeed Frank McGlynn.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Mary A. Boutilier has been granted a permanent appointment as clerk-stenographer at \$800 a year.

Andreas J. DeMarco has been granted further temporary employment as clerk with a knowledge of stenography for three months from February 16.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

John J. Walsh, employed as an elevatorman in the Hospital Department, has been transferred to the Public Buildings Department at \$4 a day.

Edward M. Sheehy, employed in the Public Buildings Department as a janitor at \$4 a day has ceased employment.

Margaret F. Sloane has been appointed temporarily as woman cleaner for a period of about five months at \$16 a week.

James J. Dunn has been appointed permanent janitor at \$4 a day.

William M. Barry has been transferred from the rolls of the Public Buildings Department, County Buildings, to the rolls of the Public Buildings, as janitor at \$4 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Edward F. Murphy, division engineer of the Sewer and Sanitary Division, has been designated as Deputy Commissioner of Public Works for the period from March 1, 1924, to May 31, 1924, both dates inclusive.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

William J. Brown has been continued in temporary employment for thirty days as assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week.

The following promotions in the engineering branch of the Bridge and Ferry Division have been approved:

Mayo T. Cook, senior engineer, from \$2,200 to \$2,400 a year.

George A. Clough, from junior engineer at \$2,100 a year to senior engineer at \$2,200 a year.

Robert P. Shea, junior engineer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Samuel J. Pattison, junior engineer, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John DeMeulenaer, junior engineer, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. Meehan, rodman, from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Neil Grant has been transferred from fireman at Deer Island to a similar position at the Calf Pasture pumping station at \$5.50 a day.

James J. Flynn has been continued in temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

James J. Dolan has been transferred from teamster at \$4 a day in the Street Cleaning Service to prison van driver at \$1,500 a year.

One hundred emergency laborers have been employed at \$4 a day in the Street Cleaning Service for a period of 10 days from February 29 on snow and ice removal in the North and West End districts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Harry Hitchcock and John W. McGrath have been employed as plumbers at \$4.50 a day for 30 days.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Harrington has been given permanent employment as heating and ventilating draughtsman at \$1,500 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

William F. Conway and James H. McInerney have been granted an extension of temporary employment for three months from March 5.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Thomas J. Pettit has been approved for retirement at half-pay. He is a veteran of the World War and has been employed as clerk and stenographer and is now incapacitated for active service.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Assessing Department.

John P. Donovan, 48 hours, \$48; Edward L. Doyle, 52 hours, \$52; Hugh T. Gartland, 53 hours, \$53; Edward O. Haddock, 51 hours, \$51; Henry P. Ireland, 154 hours, \$154; John H. A. Krauss, 52 hours, \$52; Oscar L. Lomasney, 154 hours, \$154; Michael A. Malley, 45 hours, \$45; William E. Mock, 52 hours, \$52; Charles F. Morrison, 52 hours, \$52; William F. Morrissey, 53 hours, \$53; Edward M. J. Burke, 42 hours, \$42; Frank T. Browne, 47 hours, \$47; P. William A. Maxwell, 51 hours, \$51; Henry T. Hartmire, 49 hours, \$49; John M. McDowell, 52 hours, \$52; Frank J. Williams, 40 hours, \$40; Joseph P. Sheerin, 12 hours, \$12; Thomas A. Lynch, 20 hours, \$20; Thomas A. Ryan, 20 hours, \$20; John J. Hastry, 20 hours, \$20; Joseph V. Mahan, 20 hours, \$20; Joseph E. Ryan, 12 hours, \$12; Thomas O. Scottron, 12 hours, \$12; Daniel F. Ryan, 50 hours, \$50; Katherine F. Martin, 23 hours, \$23; Arthur H. Fogarty, 89 hours, \$89; Philip F. Conroy, 42 hours, \$42. Total, \$1,367.

Collecting Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 6:

John W. Barry, \$153.90; Joseph J. Callahan, \$52.80; Franklin H. Cochran, \$114.45; John J. Connors, \$74.40; Edward J. Dixon, \$213.15; William T. Gartland, \$112.50; L. A. Hall, Jr., \$300.60; Thomas F. Horan, \$41.15; John J. Leahy, \$213.15; Abraham Levy, \$173.85; Joseph T. Madden, \$96.45; John H. McElroy, \$258.90; James J. McNamee, \$99; Francis J. O'Connell, \$206.40; John P. O'Connor, \$206.40; Peter H. Rogers, \$78.75; William J. Sheehan, \$69.75; William H. Spain, \$95.70; Cornelius J. Spillane, \$195.30; William H. Sullivan, \$128.10. Total, \$2,885.70.

Hospital Department.

Main Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 6:

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 11½ hours, \$9.38; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$3.50; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; W. McPherson, assistant cook, 4½ hours, \$2.53; A. Strandberg, butcher, 4½ hours, \$2.16; M. Hogan, assistant cook, 4½ hours, \$2.16; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; W. Somerville, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$5.91; W. Shea, laundryman, 11½ hours, \$8.44; A. Imbrato, laundryman, 11½ hours, \$6.81; J. Lorden, laundryman, 11½ hours, \$6.81; J. Scaduto, laundryman, 11½ hours, \$5.86; F. Polasek, laundryman, 11½ hours, \$5.40; A. Howard, laundryman, 11½ hours, \$4.95; P. Connors, laundryman, 1½ hours, \$0.63; M. Saund-

ers, gauze sorter, 7½ hours, \$3.13; J. Kelley, porter, 9 hours, \$2.63; L. Lindlof, porter, 7½ hours, \$2.19; E. Brady, porter, 2½ hours, \$0.66; M. Davis, laundry assistant, 10½ hours, \$3.94; M. Keating, laundry assistant, 10½ hours, \$3.62; C. Stepien, laundress, 6½ hours, \$2.04; C. Barry, laundress, 9 hours, \$2.72; A. Taura, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.18; G. Baker, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; L. Brickley, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; M. Cotter, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; A. Grundman, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; C. Desmond, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; M. Devlin, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; M. Falvey, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; C. Farren, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; E. Friedenbergh, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; W. Hawley, laundress, 9 hours, \$2.63; Elsie Frieberg, laundress, 9 hours, \$2.63; M. Gannon, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; M. Ham, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; C. Harkins, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; M. Haynes, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; L. Kaphs, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; M. Keegan, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; Mary Keegan, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; N. Keegan, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; S. Koldys, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; M. Lange, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; M. Medane, laundress, 9 hours, \$2.63; C. Peterson, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; L. Murphy, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; E. Okunewicz, laundress, 9 hours, \$2.63; M. Schwolman, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; H. Reardon, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; L. Schwolmann, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; A. Sienkeiwics, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; B. Sparrow, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; A. Stanulys, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; N. Tapert, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; M. Wall, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; M. Witte, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; K. Zylite, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; V. Ziembra, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; A. Lynch, cleaner, 6½ hours, \$1.62.

South Department.

J. O'Halloran, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$6.75; J. Daly, laundryman, 6 hours, \$3.63; T. Atkinson, laundryman, 6 hours, \$2.25.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

P. Joyce, porter and tending furnace, 30 hours, \$16.87; J. McKenzie, porter and tending furnace, 6 hours, \$3.37; R. Keith, laundryman, 11½ hours, \$6.81; A. McGonalge, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; T. McKenna, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; E. Gardiner, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; H. Johnson, porter, 2½ hours, \$0.66.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Harkins, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; J. Keohane, laundress, 10½ hours, \$3.06; N. McKenzie, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; J. Corcoran, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75; M. Kane, porter and tending furnace, 24 hours, \$13.50. Total, \$269.31.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday February 28:

Patrick J. Gorman, chief engineer, 1 day, \$6.50; John Finn, Thomas J. Lynch, Patrick J. McDermott, John J. McNulty, engineers, 1 day, \$5.83 each; Thomas F. Lomasney, fireman, 1 day, \$5.50. Total, \$35.32.

For the week ending Thursday, March 6:

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, March 6:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph T. Harrington, Peter Kean, Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 6:

J. Reynolds, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13; J. McDonough, elevatorman, 9 hours, \$4.50.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 3:

Drawtender.—C. J. Thompson, 1 day, \$4.93.

First Assistant Drawtender.—J. J. McKenna, 1 day, \$4.38.

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. J. Skayhan, T. F. Reilly, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Subforeman.—P. J. Henebury, ½ day, \$2.75.

Carpenters.—M. J. Donahue, J. J. Murphy, B. A. McShane, ½ day, \$2.50 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Green, ½ day, \$1.93.

Laborers and Watchmen.—J. McManus, ½ day, \$2; J. Clabby, E. F. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Total, \$39.71.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 3:

Engineer.—Daniel F. Rowen, 3 days, \$22.50.

Fireman.—Morgan J. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Deckhands.—James Murphy, ½ day, \$2.66; Frank N. McGee, ¼ day, \$1.06.

Total, \$34.47.

Net cost for the week ending Monday, March 3, \$11.84.

Public Works Department (Paving Service.)

For the week ending Monday, February 25, 1924:

Stablemen.—Maurice Fitzgerald, 3½ days, \$14.50; Richard I. Howard, Richard F. O'Neil, John J. Carroll, Michael Doyle, Charles A. Jacobs, James McKenney, John Ring, Thomas J. Clark, Michael Barry, Bartholomew Dunn and William E. Corrigan, 1 day, \$4 each; James H. Fitzgerald, 1½ days, \$7; John J. Donnelly, 2½ days, \$10.

Laborers.—Alexander McCarthy, Garrett Sullivan, Elmer H. Kendall, Antonio Buono, Michael T. Boyle, James J. Duffy, James P. Feeley, Donato Devincenzo, Martin Gill, John F. Hickey, George E. Keenan, Florence Leary, Patrick McGee, Thomas F. McLaughlin, Patrick J. Ryan, John Skehan, Christopher A. Sullivan, John J. Wilkinson, John F. Barrett, Robert E. Hammond, William Kelley, Daniel J. McCormack, James J. Moroney, William H. Anderson, Joseph Buckley, Charles Sheppard, Thomas Walsh, Andrew P. Foley, William T. Graham, James H. Hall, Thomas P. Conboy, Thomas Heavey, 1 day, \$4 each; Patrick Connolly, Robert B. Connolly, William J. Dallen, John

Geary, Joseph Goldstein, Timothy A. Hayes, William Hurley, John J. Joyce, Michael King, Michael J. King, Frank A. Kutz, Edward J. Lane, Owen Lynch, Thomas McDonough, James J. McGuire, Edward J. Millen, Timothy J. O'Leary, John T. Sheehan, James J. Stewart, John W. Wood, 3½ days, \$14.50 each; Andrew M. Foley, Edward C. Walaschik, 2½ days, \$8.50 each; Vincent X. Fallon, 2 days, \$8; Frederick E. Collins, Daniel J. Davis, Joseph R. Everett, Patrick Gallagher, Owen Gorman, James E. Keyes, Edward F. Lafayette, Michael J. McAuliffe, James McCarthy, Frank Sullivan, James F. Toomey, James Keleher, Luke J. Curley, William D. Smith, Bernard J. Kelley, Patrick J. Cain, John Devlin, Daniel H. Dolan, James Garrity, Arthur Hickey, Edward F. Hines, James F. Healey, Timothy McCarthy, Joseph J. McDonald, Brian McGowan, John J. Cady, Michael Caine, John Carty, Dennis Cronin, John J. Desmond, Thomas F. Daley, Michael J. Dorsey, Patrick Fay, William J. Fraser, Patrick Francis, John F. Gallagher, Thomas F. Gillespie, John F. Glynn, John J. Goode, John J. Green, John Hanley, John J. Healey, Patrick Horan, Patrick J. Keefe, Richard Kelley, Daniel Kenney, Patrick J. Madden, Patrick J. Martin, Martin McDonnell, Michael McManus, William Murray, Patrick McDermott, John F. McDonald, John McFarland, Andrew McGann, Michael McKenna, William J. McNulty, Lawrence J. Noel, Michael O'Toole, Michael Patten, David Pyne, Edward B. Sheehy, Martin F. Sullivan, Bernard Tansey, Barnet Bajeches, John Cain, John J. Cronin, James Cusick, Anthony Deamore, Andrew J. Doran, Joseph Joyce, George F. King, John F. Leonard, Daniel J. Liddy, James Moran, John McCarthy, Richard McGrath, James McDonough, Bernard F. Rogan, John A. Rogers, William J. Sruhan, Owen Winn, Edward J. Walsh, Thomas Brooks, Thomas S. Byron, Raymond A. Chamberlain, John Chambers, James Clancy, Joseph M. Coffey, Cain E. Crowley, John A. Desmond, William Downey, Arthur I. Finley, Patrick Flaherty, John Flynn, Patrick Healey, John H. Hurley, Michael J. Hill, Lawrence Lally, John P. Leach, John J. Murray, James Nelson, John J. Reardon, Robert T. Robertson, John P. Cady, William Curran, Michael H. Burke, Frank A. Corbett, John J. Dunning, Edward Feeney, Hugh McDermott, William E. Magoon, Cornelius C. Courtney, Mark L. Moran, John H. McGrath, James H. Slavin, John F. Wiegiers, 2½ days, \$10 each; Michael Burke, John E. Coan, Patrick Connolly, William Cowhig, Martin Craffey, Thomas Curley John C. Dolan, Owen Fitzgerald, James Flynn, Thomas Fogarty, James Foley, Mark A. Foley, Robert E. Kelley, John Kelliher, Michael Lyons, Thomas A. Norton, Charles J. Sheehan, James Shea, John Walsh, Michael Walsh, John J. Ward, James J. Colloran, John J. Dolan, Thomas Dolan, Patrick Flaherty, Alfred T. Flannery, Leon L. Foster, Edward J. Ford, Austin J. Freeley, William S. Glennon, Frank E. Haley, James P. Hooley William F. Huber, Michael Hughes, Edmund Lynch, Hubert W. May, George J. McCormack, John A. McDonough, William McLaughlin, Alexander W. McDonald, Edward F. Murdock, John Mullen, John Mitchell, Charles J. O'Rourke, Patrick J. Owens, Timothy Reardon, James E. Regan, Thomas Reynolds, Patrick J.

Sweeney, Edward Breen, Richard Cameron, John Concannon, John Connolly, Thomas Connolly, James E. Courtney, Patrick J. King, Patrick McKenna, Patrick McLaughlin, Joseph A. O'Neil, Daniel B. Shea, Thomas H. Minton, William Davis, James H. Dolan, Arthur P. Connor, Patrick Craven, William J. Hyde, John Kelley, Patrick J. Mullen, Peter O'Rourke, Ernest C. Putnam, Charles Wildberger, John Mulloy, Edward Barnes, John Cassano, Michael F. Fitzgerald, Patrick Doherty, William J. Jeffers, James J. Henneberry, John Kelley, Louis Johnson, Luke S. Kilduff, Thomas Loughlin, William C. McLaughlin, William C. McGee, John T. Blye, 3½ days, \$13 each; Stephen J. Farrell, Daniel F. Sullivan, ¼ day, \$3 each; Simon P. Nolan, 1½ days, \$7; Patrick Hayes, Michael Hourihan, Edward McManus, William Cluff, Edmund J. Gallagher, George A. Lynch, James Murphy, George H. Corey, James M. McKenna, 1½ days, \$6 each; William L. Carolan, 4½ days, \$17.13; Patrick Carroll, 3½ days, \$15; Frederick J. Jenness, 2½ days, \$11.88.

Pavers.—Stephen Donohoe, James F. Donovan, Patrick Fitzpatrick, John T. McCarthy, John O'Donnell, John O'Toole, Patrick J. Keeley, Patrick S. McCarthy, 3½ days, \$18.13 each; Timothy Boyan, Cornelius F. Collins, James O'Malley, Michael J. Ryan, Michael H. Gorman, 1 day, \$5 each; John Buckley, Thomas N. Burns, John Devlin, John J. Murphy, Neil McLaughlin, Francesco S. Ponta, Timothy J. Quinlan, Timothy Sullivan, William Igoe, Patrick J. Cantwell, John J. Noonan, Michael Hanley, Thomas Hughes, Patrick F. Jones, James J. Lynch, Thomas Meehan, John McAteer, Walter McNally, James E. McNulty, Lawrence O'Connor, John W. Waldron, James Lynch, John J. Clancy, Daniel F. Dailey, Thomas Martin, Patrick Mulcahy, John O'Brien, Cornelius O'Connor, Thomas J. Sruhan, John J. Gorman, Timothy O'Sullivan, Patrick Duggan, John Murray, John C. McDonough, George Doherty, John Mahoney, 2½ days, \$12.50 each; William Concannon, William Carson, Thomas H. Glennon, Edward J. O'Malley, Joseph T. Ward, Edward Barry, Coleman Durane, Thomas Egan, James Lally, Thomas McDonough, Dennis O'Neil, Patrick Ridge, Thomas J. Gavin, Patrick Kilroy, John J. Lamb, William J. Monahan, John Shanney, Edward Doherty, William J. Donahue, Arcangelo Faiella, Coleman Feeley, Coleman McDonough, Michael Mogan, Philip McGinn, William McCartney, 3½ days, \$16.25 each; Michael Casey, 1½ days, \$8.75; John A. Tully, 1½ days, \$6; Peter Cleary, Jr., John Fallon, ½ day, \$2.50 each.

Carpenters.—Peter B. Mooney, 3½ days, \$18.13; James M. Doherty, Kirk W. Caldwell, George A. Hurley, Edward F. Moffit, 2½ days, \$12.50 each; Michael Tighe, Robert H. J. Wilcox, Lawrence C. Clinton, John Flaherty, 3½ days, \$16.25 each; John T. Cashman, Carmine Saccarado, 1½ days, \$7.50 each; Michael Dillon, 1½ days, \$9.84.

Teamsters.—George Lynch, 1½ days, \$6; Timothy F. Donovan, James J. Barry, Patrick Dolan, Charles W. Bleiler, George D. Currie, John Doherty, William F. Doyle, James E. O'Brien, Alfred J. Wilson, 1 day, \$4 each; William Carroll, Patrick Burke, William H. Cochran, Dennis Donovan, John McGillen, William H. Mulrey, Daniel Higgins, Daniel Murphy, Michael Delaney,

Michael J. Rooney, Timothy Sullivan, William J. Neville, Daniel O'Keefe, Patrick J. Burke, John Barrett, Michael Condon, Lawrence McAuliffe, Thomas McGowan, Edmund Barry, 2½ days, \$10 each; Frank Burns, Dennis Desmond, Peter L. Kilduff, Neil McNulty, Dennis C. Doyle, Martin Gately, James Murphy, William J. Beattie, James F. Brennan, Patrick Tierney, Peter M. Brown, Francis J. McGinnis, Walter E. Wenzel, Samuel Blain, 3½ days, \$13 each; Thomas Costello, 2 days, \$8.

Rammers.—Edward J. Maher, Michael Sweeney, 1 day, \$4 each; Charles McLaney, 3½ days, \$13; Dennis J. Holland, Philip McGaffigan, Michael McDonald, Nicholas Walsh, Charles A. Devine, 2½ days, \$10 each.

Yardmen.—John McCann, Charles J. Hennrikus, 2½ days, \$10 each.

Laborer-Watchman.—Robert Concannon, ¼ day, \$3.

Engineers.—John J. Cahill, Patrick F. Gately, 2½ days, \$12.50 each; Martin Craven, Lorenzo Mitchell, 3½ days, \$16.25 each; John Mahoney, 4½ days, \$21.41; John H. McGee, 1½ days, \$9.84; Thomas F. McManaman, 1½ days, \$7.50; Daniel Madden, 1 day, \$5.

Blacksmiths.—William Mullen, 3½ days, \$16.25; Edward J. Barrett, Cornelius J. Donovan, Frederick O. Hinkley, 2½ days, \$12.50 each; Patrick Mulloy, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Blacksmith's Helpers.—Edward Davis, James A. Killion, 2½ days, \$10 each.

Watchmen.—John R. Leonard, 2½ days, \$10; Timothy Callahan, James H. Noonan, Thomas O'Keefe, 1 day, \$4 each.

Stonemasons.—William T. Noonan, Thomas W. Mulvey, John F. Kelley, 2½ days, \$12.50 each; John H. Barry, 4½ days, \$20.63.

Firemen.—Timothy S. Lyons, Patrick Gilmore, 3½ days, \$14.63 each; Thomas Phelan, 2½ days, \$11.25.

Lamplighter-Laborer.—Emmet F. Kelly, 1½ days, \$7.

Paver's Helper.—Peter J. Reardon, 2½ days, \$10.

Patch Pavers.—Bernard F. Norton, 3½ days, \$13; Abraham Minsky, 2½ days, \$10.

Carpenter's Helpers.—John T. Kelly, 1 day, \$4; James M. Magee, 1½ days, \$6; Michael J. Maguire, 2½ days, \$10.

Painters.—Henry J. Wagner, 3½ days, \$16.25; James T. Craffey, 2½ days, \$12.50.

Chauffeur-Laborer.—Thomas F. King, 3½ days, \$13.

For the week ending Monday, March 3:

Laborers.—William Cluff, Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4 each; Patrick Carroll, Edward Barnes, John Cassano, Thomas Laughlin, Patrick Doherty, Barnet Bajeches, Michael Fitzgerald, Louis Johnson, William McLaughlin, 1½ days, \$6 each; William Laughlin, Walter Wenzel, Thomas King, William Carolan, William Jeffers, George King, James Henneberry, 3 days, \$12 each; Luke Kilduff, Richard McGrath, Abraham Minsky, Michael McDonald, John Cady, ¼ day, \$3 each; Joseph Joyce, ¾ day, \$3.50; Samuel Blair, 2½ days, \$9.38; Jeremiah J. Rohan, 1½ days, \$6.38.

Engineer.—John Mahoney, 3 days, \$15.

Pavers.—Edward Doherty, Cornelius McDonough, Michael Mogah, William McCartney, William Donahue, Arcangelo Faiella, Coleman Feeley, Philip

McGinn, John Mahoney, 1½ days, \$7.50; John Clancy, John O'Brien, Patrick Mulcahy, George Doherty, ¼ day, \$3.75 each; Frederick Jenness, ¼ day, \$3.

Blacksmith.—Frederick Hinkley, ¾ day, \$4.38.

Rammer.—Nicholas Walsh, ¾ day, \$3.

Stonemason.—John H. Barry, 2½ days, \$11.75.

Teamsters.—Edward McGuire, Peter Kilduff, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 3:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. J. McCarthy, F. M. Williams, J. Ballam, J. P. Belisle, A. W. Blankenburg, W. H. Colbert, J. W. DeRocher, O. Doherty, E. T. Duffy, H. T. Furey, J. J. Hegarty, B. F. Lyons, P. J. McCormack, J. McGrath, J. F. Nagle, F. L. Perkins, J. F. Sweeney, P. R. Tully, J. J. Hurley, J. J. Spillane, J. Canney, P. Kelley, 1 day, \$4 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. B. Carr, A. P. Charbonnier, M. J. Curley, J. P. Driscoll, J. J. McLaughlin, F. T. McGregor, J. Ciaccio, W. A. Crawford, J. DeLuca, W. F. Shea, ¼ day, \$3 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—F. H. Harrold, M. Lapsley, J. Lyman, J. McEnrue, ¼ day, \$1 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. J. Hayes, P. O'Hea, A. E. Jose, ¼ day, \$1.50 each.

Laborer-Teamster.—J. J. McCabe, 1½ days, \$7.

Feeder.—J. E. Burns, 1½ days, \$6.38.

Stableman.—C. J. Haley, 1½ days, \$6.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. J. Barrett, J. P. W. Callahan, C. B. Cappillo, P. Cataldo, M. J. Connolly, P. J. Connolly, M. J. Connors, M. Cronin, C. J. Crowley, D. J. Dalton, T. Donovan, T. Dwyer, J. A. Foley, D. Gallagher, J. J. Gavin, W. J. H. Green, G. Guiffredo, V. Guliano, H. J. Holmes, P. C. Kanairy, K. F. Kenney, J. J. Lannon, J. P. Leonard, E. S. Lucas, B. McCool, J. McGaffigan, D. F. McLaughlin, R. J. Nugent, J. O'Brien, J. F. O'Brien, J. Roche, F. Ruggiero, J. M. Ryan, D. Shea, J. E. Southern, J. P. Sullivan, E. J. Tighe, F. Zippollo, J. Yankowsky, J. Salemi, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. M. Casserly, J. E. Galvin, L. C. Timmins, 2 days, \$8 each.

Total, \$422.13.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, March 4:

Sewer Cleaners.—Michael Foley, 1½ days, \$6.75; Joseph Rafferty, John Graham, 1 day, \$4.50 each; James Clancy, ½ day, \$2.25.

Laborers.—Patrick Fitzgerald, James McFarland, Cornelius Sullivan, 1½ days, \$6 each; James Barrett, Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4 each; Daniel McKenna, ¼ day, \$3; Peter Keenan, James McNabb, ½ day, \$2 each.

Fireman.—Patrick Griffin, 2 days, \$11.

Total, \$62.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 3:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, B. Coyne, C. Bell, T. Conway, L. Divita, J. Gould, H. J. Kane, J. Z. Lamothe, M. F. Shea,

D. P. Stack, F. J. Travis, P. McManus, J. DeCoursey, T. Downey, D. C. Doherty, G. Riley, G. Campo, P. P. McGinley, J. F. Brown, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, A. Powers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—R. J. O'Connell, T. Ormand, H. Lawrence, M. Barry, C. E. Anderson, H. Conry, B. Callahan, J. T. Cosgrove, J. Donovan, R. P. Doherty, F. Diaz, J. Egan, W. J. Foley, D. Hamilton, J. H. Jeffery, J. Kennedy, E. J. Murphy, R. T. Willis, P. Quigley, E. Skane, A. Pourier, J. Murray, J. W. Sheehan, J. Riley, F. Corvino, M. Donlin, R. J. Elvert, T. S. Kilroy, D. Partinello, G. Marcantino, M. Allen, F. DiMatteo, G. Galluccio, T. S. Iverson, V. Piscitelli, W. Curley, J. McDonald, A. Mercurio, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Teamster.—B. McColgan, ½ day, \$2.

Teamsters.—C. J. Crowley, L. Paglia, J. Hanley, J. Bowen, R. Burke, C. Buckley, J. Butler, P. Cahill, J. Carroll, J. Conroy, J. Cotter, F. Donahue, F. Dysart, J. Eaton, J. Fallon, J. Lane, G. Linsky, C. McCarthy, G. Moran, W. O'Brien, J. O'Leary, L. O'Neill, J. O'Neill, E. Orann, G. Regele, T. Ryan, L. Shanney, P. Sullivan, C. Swanson, C. Sweeney, F. Williams, P. H. Toohey, P. F. Noonan, J. McMenimen, L. Mazzetti, M. Fay, P. Killoran, J. J. Gilligan, W. Hough, R. Marsey, M. J. Lyons, R. Della Russo, R. Decillio, J. Donahue, J. A. Reddington, E. T. Riley, P. Barry, G. Cappozza, F. Certosimo, P. Conlin, G. Corcoran, F. D'Ambrosio, L. Davis, J. P. Driscoll, D. Donovan, J. Dowdal, M. Finn, T. Fitzmorris, C. F. Flaherty, J. Foley, J. Gallagher, M. Gately, T. Hart, R. Higgins, J. Hines, M. Hughes, P. Keon, L. V. Kilduff, D. Kobyselski, J. M. Kramer, M. Lahey, J. D. Lyons, W. McGlynn, J. McGarry, T. McGuinnis, B. Maraghy, J. Rogers, B. Sullivan, F. Taylor, J. Touhy, ¾ day, \$3 each.

Teamsters.—J. Donovan, S. Coughlin, F. Kelley, J. A. Kelley, J. J. Carey, Jr., T. Christopher, M. Dacey, J. J. Daley, J. Delaney, J. J. Dolan, J. J. Doherty, W. P. Donnelly, C. Gallagher, A. J. Grimly, F. H. Granville, J. J. Granville, D. F. O'Keefe, J. Robertson, J. H. Smith, ½ day, \$3.50 each.

Teamster.—J. Holland, 3 days, \$12.

Teamsters.—M. Cardillo, T. J. Maston, H. A. Bourdon, J. F. Doherty, J. J. Meyers, L. Pace, 2½ days, \$10 each.

Teamsters.—N. Cesso, P. Costello, E. J. Kelley, D. P. Minehan, J. Wark, M. T. Clougherty, D. J. Callahan, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Teamsters.—D. Conlin, M. T. McCarthy, C. D. Murray, 1½ days, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—W. Gillen, J. McDonough 1½ days, \$7 each.

Teamsters.—M. Gordon, J. J. Glancy, 2½ days, \$11.50 each.

Teamsters.—J. A. Carr, J. Considine, J. A. Hartigan, T. McClutche, 1½ days, \$7.75 each.

Teamsters.—J. J. Curtin, 2½ days, \$10.50.

Teamsters.—R. M. Jennings, 2½ day, \$9.75.

Feeder.—P. Sweeney, 1 day, \$4.25.

Feeder.—L. McGahan, ¾ day, \$7.97.

Chauffeur.—W. G. Earley, 2½ days, \$10.13.

Total, \$873.10.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 3:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. Conlon, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Emergency men.—D. Curley, ½ day, \$2.81; W. Lonergan, 1½ days, \$6.25; M. McCue, ½ day, \$2.25; W. Rice, 1½ days, \$7; M. Carney, 1 day, \$4.25; P. Clougherty, 1 day, \$4; T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25.

Repairers.—R. Welch, 1½ days, \$8.44; E. Rafferty, 2½ days, \$9.28; J. Casey, 1½ days, \$6.38; F. Ware, ¾ day, \$3.59; H. Campbell, 1½ days, \$7.50; M. Daley, 1½ days, \$6.75; M. O'Day, 2½ days, \$9.28; E. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$6.75; B. Delorusso, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Leonard, 2½ day, \$11.81; S. Mariani, ¾ day, \$1.69; C. Driscoll, ¾ day, \$4.22; P. Ippolito, ¾ day, \$1.88; P. Casey, ¾ day, \$1.41; P. Clougherty, ½ day, \$2.39; J. Curley, ¾ day, \$1.27; M. Rizzo, ½ day, \$2.13; S. Mickewicz, ¾ day, \$0.84; F. Schena, ¾ day, \$1.78; E. De Angelis, ¾ day, \$0.84.

Transit Job.—J. Cummings, 1½ day, \$6.56; N. De Eso, 1½ days, \$5.25; J. McLaughlin, 1½ days, \$5.25; S. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.

Laborers.—G. Cunningham, ¾ day, \$1.50; J. Burke, ¾ day, \$1.13; B. Hill, ¾ day, \$1.50; P. Martello, ½ day, \$2.25; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4; M. Mulqueeney, ¾ day, \$1.50; L. Stenson, 1½ days, \$6; J. Phipps, ¾ day, \$1.50; J. O'Toole, 2½ days, \$8.25.

Total, \$194.55; paid by Transit Department, \$21.06; net total, \$173.49.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 489.

The resignation of Patrolman Joseph Schwartz of Division 20 having been presented while charges against him are pending it is hereby accepted to take effect as of Thursday, February 28, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, *Commissioner*.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Carmine Russo has been allowed to amend his contract for erecting fence and wall at the Ellen Richards School, Beaumont street, Dorchester, by striking out the words and figures: "December 1, 1923," on page 5, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "April 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 5 shall read: "The work is to be commenced immediately and is to be completed on or before April 1, 1924."

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved, upon request of the Board of Street Commissioners, the following construction work to be completed by the Commissioner of Public Works:

A sanitary sewer of 24-inch and 15-inch earthen pipe in private land, between North avenue and Keystone street; Keystone street, between private land and Glendale road, and in Glendale road, between Keystone and Centre streets, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$22,000.

A 24-inch earthen pipe and 2-foot 9-inch circular concrete sanitary sewer in private land, between Centre street, at boundary line between Dedham and Boston, and Washington street in the

West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$18,900.

A surface drain of 3-foot 3-inch and 2-foot 6-inch circular concrete in private land, between Grove street and Stimson street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$12,000.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch and 12-inch earthen pipe and a surface drain of 2-foot 3-inch and 3-foot circular concrete in Centre street, between Glendale road and a point about 680 feet southerly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$13,000.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch and 18-inch earthen pipe and 2-foot 3-inch circular concrete, and a surface drain of 24-inch earthen pipe and 2-foot 3-inch circular concrete in Washington street, southeast side, between boundary line between Dedham and Boston, and Grove street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$78,300.

A 24-inch earthen pipe surface drain and 2 catch-basins in Stimson street, between Washington street and a point 240 feet easterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$3,200.

A sanitary sewer of 24-inch earthen pipe and 2-foot 9-inch circular concrete in East street, between metropolitan sewer at Curve street and boundary line between Boston and Dedham at junction of Centre street, in the town of Dedham, at an estimated cost of \$35,000.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES REPORT.

Business at the Public Employment Office during the month of February, with its twenty-four working days, showed a decided drop from that of the previous month, and when compared with February of a year ago there was an even greater falling off.

During the month the number of people called for by employers was 939, a decrease of 74, or 7 per cent, from January and a decrease of 369, or 28 per cent, from February of a year ago. The number of positions reported filled was 808, a decrease of 112, or 12 per cent, from January, and a decrease of 242, or 23 per cent, from February, 1923. The attendance of applicants for employment was 19,337, a decrease of 3,894, or 17 per cent, from January, but an increase of 1,078, or 6 per cent, over February of last year.

In February 1,751 service men (1,194 soldiers, 557 sailors) visited the office in search of employment. Of that number, 192 (127 soldiers, 65 sailors) were given introduction cards to employers, and 164 (115 soldiers, 49 sailors) secured employment.

Hundreds of men are looking for work, daily in the male unskilled department. The orders received during the month were for casual workers on short jobs. The demand from restaurants for culinary workers was fair and the positions were quickly filled.

The demand for boys was very moderate but showed a slight improvement during the last week of the month.

The number of people called for by employers was 939, as compared with 1,308 in 1923; 1,253 in 1922; 1,293 in 1921; 2,205 in 1920; 1,662 in 1919.

The number of positions reported filled was 808, as compared with 1,050 in 1923; 1,011 in 1922; 897 in 1921; 1,201 in 1920; 1,090 in 1919.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon March 4 the Mayor approved a contract with the Central Construction Company for repairing bituminous pavement in any street upon which the maintenance guaranty has expired. Bids for the work, opened February 27, were as follows:

Central Construction Company, \$82,200; Rowe Contracting Company, \$81,150; Warren Brothers Company, \$96,750.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Thomas O'Connor & Co. for erecting and completing elementary school in the Edmund P. Tileston District. Bids for the work, opened February 15, were as follows:

Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$103,436; A. Piotti Company, \$104,125; Joseph Rugo, \$107,200; Alco Contracting Company, \$117,300; Frank J. Low Company, \$124,000; I. F. Woodbury & Sons Company, \$125,786; Henry C. Sheils, \$144,510.

Upon March 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the Nichols-Egan Company for furnishing finish hardware required or necessary for the Bennett District School (Strathmore road). There was but one bid. This was from the Nichols-Egan Company, in the sum of \$2,754.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Lever Brothers Company for furnishing soap to the Park Department. Bids for the supply, opened February 25, were as follows:

Five Hundred Boxes Bath Soap, One Half Ounce Molded Cakes, One Thousand Cakes to Box.—Lever Brothers Company, \$3.69 per box, Lifebuoy; the Proctor & Gamble Distributing Company, \$5.40 per box; J. Eavenson & Son, Inc., \$2.74 per box; Swift & Co., Soap Works, \$4.50 per box; the Palm Olive Company, \$4.42 per box.

Discount Ten Days.—Lever Brothers Company, 1 per cent; the Proctor & Gamble Distributing Company, 2 per cent; J. Eavenson & Sons, Inc., 2 per cent; Swift & Co., Soap Works, 2 per cent; the Palm Olive Company, 1 per cent.

Price in 1923, \$3.69.

Upon March 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the Davis Foundry Company for furnishing cast-iron special castings for High Pressure Fire Service, Water Division, Public Works Department. Bids for the supply, opened February 6, were as follows:

One Hundred Fifty Tons Castings.—Davis Foundry Company, \$190 per ton; Foran Foundry and Manufacturing Company, \$197.33 per ton.

Total.—Davis Foundry Company, \$28,500; Foran Foundry and Manufacturing Company, \$29,599.50.

1923 price, \$190 per ton.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 4 the Mayor approved a contract with the lowest bidders as shown below for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during March, 1924. Bids for the supply, opened February 29, were as follows:

DISTRICTS.	No. 2 Hay.	No. 3 Hay.	Straw.	No. 2 Oats.	Shorts.	Corn.
SOUTH BOSTON.						
John J. White Company.....	\$24 50	\$24 00	\$30 00	\$0 67½	\$39 50	
The Whittemore Company.....	28 00	27 75	29 00	68	39 00	\$1 30
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* 23 50	23 00	* 26 85	* 65½	* 37 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	27 95	27 25	27 95	68½	42 00	* 1 28
Sumner Crosby & Son, Inc.....					37 00	
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	25 50		27 00			
EAST BOSTON.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* 23 50	23 00	* 26 85	* 64½	* 37 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	27 95	27 50	27 95	68½	42 00	* 1 28
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	25 50		27 00			
CHARLESTOWN.						
John J. White Company.....	24 75	24 25	30 00	69½	39 50	
The Whittemore Company.....	27 50	27 25	29 00	68	39 00	1 30
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* 23 50	23 00	* 26 85	* 64½	* 37 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	27 50	27 00	29 50	68½	42 00	* 1 28
Sumner Crosby & Son, Inc.....					37 00	
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	25 25		27 00			
CITY PROPER.						
John J. White Company.....	24 00	23 50	30 00	67½	39 50	
The Whittemore Company.....	27 25	27 00	29 00	67	39 00	1 30
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* 23 50	23 00	* 26 85	* 65	* 37 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	27 95	27 00	27 95	68	41 50	* 1 28
Sumner Crosby & Son, Inc.....					37 00	
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	25 25		27 00			
ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	28 25	28 00	29 00	68½	40 00	1 30
Landy Brothers.....	* 28 00	27 50	* 28 50	* 68	* 40 00	* 1 25
DORCHESTER.						
The Whittemore Company.....	* 28 25	28 00	* 29 00	* 68½	* 40 00	* 30 00
WEST ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	* 28 25	28 00	* 29 00	* 68½	* 40 00	* 1 30
BRIGHTON.						
The Whittemore Company.....	* 28 25	28 00	29 00	68½	40 00	1 30
Ogden & Thompson.....	28 50	26 50	* 28 00	* 64½	* 38 00	* 1 15
HYDE PARK.						
The Whittemore Company.....	* 28 25	28 00	* 29 00	* 68½	* 40 00	* 1 30

* Awarded contract.

Upon March 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the Warren Foundry and Pipe Company for furnishing cast-iron water pipes and special castings to the Water Service, Public Works Department. Bids for the supply, opened February 12, were as follows:

One Hundred Tons Four-inch Pipe, Six Feet Long.—Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$90 per ton; United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$97 per ton.

1923 price, \$95 per ton.

One Hundred Tons Three-inch Pipe, Six Feet Long.—Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$102.50 per ton; United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$112 per ton.

Total.—Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$19,250; United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$20,900.

Upon March 4 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for furnishing meats to the various city departments during March.

A communication from Frank P. Rock, Superintendent of Supplies, was as follows:

"I recommend that the contract be awarded to the Mohawk Packing Company, the second lowest bidder. The Mohawk Packing Company has had the meat contract for the past three months and have filled their contracts more satisfactorily than any other concern delivering meats to the City of Boston. The difference in the totals of the various bidders is very slight, and I feel that the best interests of the city will be served

in awarding this contract as recommended."

Bids for the supply, opened February 29, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Two Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 17 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Veal.—Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 15 cents per pound.

Thirty Five Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 20½ cents per pound.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Chucks.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 8 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 11 cents per pound.

Thirteen Hundred Pounds Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 23 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 24 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 25 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 24 cents per pound.

Fifty Pounds Bacon.—Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per

pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 16½ cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Hams.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18½ cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 20 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 32 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 33 cents per pound.

Twenty Five Pounds Salt Pork.—Mohawk Packing Company, 12 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 12 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 12 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,719*; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,702.70; William A. Doe Company, \$1,740; Thomas J. Kelly Company, \$1,772.65.

*Awarded contract.

Institutions Department.

Long Island Hospital.

Thirty-two Hundred Pounds Corned Beef Stickers.—Mohawk Packing Company, 9½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 10½ cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Corned Beef Brisket.—Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 18½ cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Fifty Pounds Rio Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 20 cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Ham.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18½ cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 20 cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 30 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 30 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 32 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 21 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Pounds Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 23 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 24 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 25 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 24 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Frankfurts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 12 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 13 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Twenty Pounds Pig Sausage.—Mohawk Packing Company,

24 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 30 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 25 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 30 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 17 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Bacon.—Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 16½ cents per pound.

Two Hundred Seventy Two Pounds Forequarters Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 19 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,980.26; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,988.68; William A. Doe Company, \$1,977.46; Thomas J. Kelly Company, \$2,082.18.

Penal Division.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Fresh Rolled Stickers.—Mohawk Packing Company, 9½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 10½ cents per pound.

Nine Hundred Pounds Under Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 17½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 18 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Pounds Saddles Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 28 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 29 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 30 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 32 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 33 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Frankfurts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 12 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 13 cents per pound.

Five Hundred Sixty Pounds Short Ribs.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 20 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Steer Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 21 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Pounds Fores Beef.—Mohawk Packing Company, 12 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 12 cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 13 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,000.50*; Merchants Provision Company, \$980.80; William A. Doe Company, \$1,020; Thomas J. Kelly Company, \$1,053.

Park Department.

Two Thousand Pounds Chucks.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 9 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10½ cents per pound; Thomas J. Kelly Company, 10½ cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$200; Merchants Provision Company, \$180; William A. Doe Company, \$200; Thomas J. Kelly Company, \$210.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 6 the Mayor approved a contract with James S. Cassidy for the plumbing at the new fire alarm station in the Fenway. Bids for the work, opened February 13, were as follows:

James S. Cassidy, \$5,153; General Construction and Repair Company, Inc., \$5,540; Frank H. Densmore, \$5,547; Henry J. Lyons Company, \$5,598; John Y. Gillespie, \$6,750; Michael Ahern, \$6,233; John F. Rooney, \$6,300; Massachusetts Sprinkler, Plumbing and Heating Company, \$6,348; J. H. Larkin, \$6,644; W. B. Johnson & Son Company, \$6,853; P. F. Russo, \$7,816.

Upon March 6 the Mayor approved a contract with John D. Sheehy & Son for doing the laundry work of the Fire Department. Bids for the work, opened February 5, were as follows:

John D. Sheehy & Son, flat work, 4 cents per pound; blankets, 25 cents each; Independent Laundry Company, flat work, 8 cents per pound, 1 cent per piece; blankets, single, 15 cents each; blankets, double, 25 cents each; United Laundries Company, flat work, 8 cents per pound, 1 cent per piece; blankets single, 15 cents each; blankets, double, 25 cents each.

Upon March 6 the Mayor approved a contract with James S. Cassidy for the installation of a heating and ventilating system in the new fire alarm station in the Fenway. Bids for the work, opened February 13, were as follows:

James S. Cassidy, \$18,850; J. J. Hurley, \$19,663; T. J. Duff & Co., \$20,000; General Construction and Repair Company, Inc., \$20,349; J. P. Dwyer Company, \$20,723; Acme Heating and Ventilating Company, \$20,845; Power Heating and Ventilating Company, \$20,900; F. W. Zemeir & Co., Inc., \$20,946; Massachusetts Sprinkler, Plumbing and Heating Company, \$20,960; Huey Brothers Company, Inc., \$21,327; John Y. Gillespie, \$21,373; Scofield-Campbell Company, \$21,598.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 3 the Mayor approved contracts with the below-named persons and corporations for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Supply Department was as follows:

Boston, February 20, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Your permission is respectfully requested to the award of contracts for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising,

to the following persons and corporations, on the ground that these contractors are not selected by the city in the first instance, but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; and also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars:

Armington & Ellis, Inc., Adams-Pond Company, Joseph Cerra, Sylvester Connolly, George M. Crowell, C. W. Dolloff & Co., Peter Falabella, J. F. Fitzgerald Construction Company, B. F. Hanrahan, Thomas J. Hind Company, Jenkins-Anderson Corporation, Peter Martiniello, Jeremiah J. McCarthy & Co., John McCourt Company, J. R. McPherson, W. A. Murtfeldt Company, M. D. Russo, Simpson Brothers Corporation, J. A. Singarella, Stone & Webster, Inc., A. G. Tomasello & Son, S. J. Tomasello, Charles Umana, John Varnerin, M. Williams, Christian A. Zappe, D. M. Biggs & Co.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Perry, Buxton, Doane Company for furnishing the Institutions Department with I-beams, etc. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, February 28 1924.

HON. JOHN A. DONOGHUE,
Acting Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to enter into contract, without advertising, with Perry, Buxton, Doane Company, for furnishing to the Institutions Department, Penal Division, 41,002 pounds of I-beams, angles, etc., at three (3) cents per pound making the total amount of the contract \$1,230.06. This material has been selected by officials of the Institutions and Building Departments as best suited for the work to be done, and the prices quoted are lower than could be obtained elsewhere, and for these reasons I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon March 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing to the Fire Department three Reo speed wagons. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, February 25, 1924.

HON. JOHN A. DONOGHUE,
Acting Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing to the Fire Department, three Reo speed wagons with specially equipped bodies at \$2,077.80, \$6,233.40; less allowance on two old White trucks of \$175; net amount of contract, \$6,058.40.

These trucks are to be used in the Fire Alarm Branch of the Fire Department, and it is absolutely necessary that they be purchased at once in order that this branch of the service will not be handicapped. As the Linscott Motor Company are the direct factory agents, no advantages would be gained by publicly advertising for same.

Trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am,

Very truly yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon March 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company for tapping sleeves and valves. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, February 19, 1924.

HON. JOHN A. DONOGHUE,
Acting Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising for same, to the A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company for furnishing to the Water Service, Public Works Department twenty-five 12 by 4 tapping sleeves and valves at \$41.40 each, making the total amount of the contract \$1,035.

All concerns making the above commodity were canvassed for bids, and the price quoted above was the lowest received.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon March 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Buick Company for furnishing one Buick sedan. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, February 18, 1924.

HON. JOHN A. DONOGHUE,
Acting Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising for same, to the Boston Buick Company for furnishing, one 1924 Buick sedan, \$2,000; less allowances on one 1923 Buick sedan, \$1,500; net amount of contract, \$500, to the Fire Department.

In view of the fact that the Fire Department has standardized on Buick cars as being best suited to the needs of their department, I respectfully request that the permission requested be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon March 5 the Mayor approved a contract with Hill, Clarke & Co. for furnishing milling machine. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 4, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising, to Hill, Clarke & Co. for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service, one new Ohio No. 2 heavy universal milling machine, as per specifications, \$1,860.

Hill, Clarke & Co. are the New England agents for this type of machine and for this reason no advantage would be obtained by publicly advertising the same. This machine has been selected by the Public Works Department as the one that best meets the requirements of the department.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

John Bowen Company have been ordered to deduct from contract for the erection and completion of additions and alterations to the Out-Patient Building, ambulance entrance and drive, and subway to Surgical Building, at the Boston City Hospital, the sum of \$315, for the following allowances in the specifications which were not expended: Models for copper cornice ornament, \$52.50; slate tablet set in place with incised letters, \$262.50; total, \$315. Statement of contract to date: Amount of contract at signing, \$493,000; order No. 1, addition, \$54,245.95; order No. 2, addition, \$10,108.57; order No. 4, addition, \$4,210; order No. 6, addition, \$1,775; order No. 7, addition, \$1,283; order No. 8, addition, \$3,716.83; order No. 9, addition, \$373.75; total additions \$568,713.10; order No. 3, deduction, \$8,236; order No. 5, deduction, \$619.69; order No. 10, deduction, \$202.80; this order No. 11, deduction, \$315; total deductions, \$9,373.49; amount of contract to date, \$559,339.61.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been ordered to make the following changes in their contract for building new and rebuilding old stone walls at the Arnold Arboretum: Set the top course of stone in all walls to be built or rebuilt in $\frac{1}{2}$ cement mortar instead of laid up dry; bar out paving blocks from existing road in Franklin Park for new gutters as specified at Arnold Arboretum; all this extra work is to be paid for at the cost of labor plus 15 per cent and the cost of materials; estimated cost, \$900; build two entrances to the Arboretum on Bussey street; entrances are to be 18 feet wide in the clear; set stone posts furnished by the city 18 inches square 5 feet 6 inches above ground and 5 feet into ground, there will be two stone posts to each entrance gate; build return walls from stone posts to field stone wall on Bussey street; walls to be built on rubble stone foundation 4 feet in depth with finish wall 3 feet high and 1 foot 8 inches wide; all stone wall above ground to be square cut granite set in $\frac{1}{2}$ cement mortar; for all work on these stone posts and approaches the sum of \$1,772 will be added to contract. Contract price, \$5,740; addition as per this order, \$2,672; contract as standing, \$8,412.

The Alco Contracting Company have been ordered to make the following changes in contract for the construction of the bath house at Columbus Park, South Boston: Omit furnishing and installing the rim locks with brass works on the 865 doors of the bathing closets, for the omission of which labor and material the sum of \$1,950 will be deducted.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Alco Contracting Company Inc., have been allowed a change in contract for erecting and completing Police Station, Hyde Park, said change being as follows: Deduction for substitution of interlocking tile in place of common or sand lime bricks specified, for backing of face brick and stone work where the interior face of walls is concealed with

plaster, marble or wood finish, a deduction of \$1,000; making the account as follows: Contract price, \$101,916; total deductions, \$1,000; amount of contract, \$100,916.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

A. Piotti Company have been allowed the following changes in contract for the erection of the Charles Sumner District School: Building retaining wall, taking down and replacing existing fence; cutting surface of composite steps, Hawthorne street side, \$342; furnishing and installing grilles for windows in gallery of gymnasium, \$235; total addition, \$577; making the account as follows: Contract price, \$239,708; total additions, \$8,442.78; total deductions, \$16,233.50; amount of contract, \$231,917.28.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed the following changes in the contract for the erection of the Robert Gould Shaw District School: Installing slate partition for janitor's closet in basement, per order of Mr. Osborne—J. F. Murphy, plumber, \$85.80; plus 10 per cent, \$8.58; total addition, \$94.38; making the account as follows: Contract price, \$47,000; total additions, \$5,950.54; amount of contract, \$52,950.54.

John Bowen Company have been allowed the following for furnishing and installing new supply and return valves in old piping in addition to the Winship School: Price submitted as per heating subcontractor's letter of October 16, 1923, \$299.73; 10 per cent commission, \$29.97; total addition, \$329.70; making the account as follows: Contract price, \$135,000; total additions, \$2,114.70; amount of contract, \$137,114.70.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

Henry C. Sheils has been granted an extension of the time for the completion of the contract for the refrigerating machinery room at Mattapan, until April 1, 1924. The delay has been caused by water leaking through the concrete in the brine tank pit, which is considerably below ground.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John B. Dolan has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the erection and completion of the new fire station for Engine Company 40, until May 15, 1924.

The reasons for this extension of time are:

1. Considerable delay was experienced in getting the permits and plans approved for this building, owing to the question of the character of the structure, namely, whether it would have to be erected in strict compliance with the garage regulations.

2. After the work was started it was necessary to make changes in the foundation plans.

3. During the past few weeks the weather conditions have been such that it has been impossible to proceed with the work as rapidly as was expected.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

B. E. Grant Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for removing snow and ice in Snow Districts Nos. 3 and 7, from January 31, 1924, to May 1, 1924.

Coleman Brothers, Inc., have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for removing snow and ice in Snow Districts Nos. 4 and 5, from January 31, 1924, to May 1, 1924.

M. F. Gaddis has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for removing snow and ice in Snow District, Nov. 9, from January 31, 1924, to May 1, 1924.

The C. & R. Construction Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for removing snow and ice in Snow District No. 6, from January 31, 1924, to May 1, 1924.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for removing snow and ice in Snow Districts Nos. 2 and 8, from January 31, 1924, to May 1, 1924.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for removing snow and ice in Snow Districts Nos. 1 and 10, from January 31, 1924, to May 1, 1924.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

The Davis Foundry Company have been allowed to extend the completion date of the contract for furnishing 9 by 9 flanged frames from January 15, 1924, to February 29, 1924.

The Davis Foundry Company have been allowed to extend the completion date of the contract for furnishing meter frames and covers from January 15, 1924, to February 29, 1924, because of labor troubles and inability to obtain raw materials.

The Gibby Foundry Company have been granted an extension of the completion date of the contract for furnishing sewer castings to the Public Works Department from February 1, 1924, to June 1, 1924.

UNDERGROUND RAPID TRANSIT IN BOSTON.

The Boston Transit Commission, consisting of five members, two appointed by the Governor and three by the Mayor, began its official existence, July 1, 1894, and ended it July 1, 1918, after seven extensions of the original term. It constructed, under the authority of Acts of the Legislature, the following subways and tunnels, the ownership of which is vested in the City of Boston, and all costs to be covered by revenue from same, not by taxation; Tremont Street Subway, from Broadway and Tremont street, South End, to North Station, and from Boylston street, near Charles, to Park street, 1.68 miles, open to Park street, September 1, 1897, and to North Station on Sept. 3, 1898, costing with subsequent alterations, \$4,416,000, the first transportation subway in the United States; East Boston Tunnel, from Maverick square, East Boston, under Boston Harbor and State street to Scollay square, Boston Proper, 1.42 miles, opened December 30, 1904, costing \$3,336,000, the first all-concrete under-water transportation tunnel in the world; Washington Street Tunnel, from Ash street, opposite Nassau, South End, to Traverse street, near North Station, 1.16 miles, opened November 30, 1908, costing \$8,496,700 (including \$2,850,000 land damages); Cambridge Connection Subway from under Park street station of

Tremont Street Subway to Grove street near Cambridge Bridge, 0.47 miles, opened March 23, 1912, costing \$1,465,000; Boylston street subway, from Commonwealth avenue, near Kenmore street, Back Bay, to Tremont Street Subway, near Charles street, 1.5 miles opened October 13, 1914, costing \$5,485,639; East Boston Tunnel Extension, from Scollay square to North Russell street, 0.41 miles, opened March 18, 1916, approximate cost, \$2,450,000; Dorchester Tunnel, from Park street, Boston Proper, to Andrew square, South Boston, 2.26 miles, opened December 3, 1916, as far as South Station; on December 15, 1917, to Broadway, South Boston, and on June 29, 1918, to the Andrew Square terminal. Trains of four or six cars are run in the Washington Street Tunnel, continuing on elevated track to Forest Hills, also in Dorchester Tunnel from Andrew square, South Boston, connecting with Cambridge Tunnel, to Harvard square, Cambridge, while only single or double street cars are run in the other tunnels and subways; amount borrowed to 1922 for the Dorchester Tunnel, \$10,750,000. Total gross debt for all subways and tunnels, \$37,558,700 (incl. loans of \$1,210,000 for new Arlington Station of Boylston Street Subway, opened on November 13, 1921), against which a sinking fund of \$6,369,630 has been accumulated from the revenue, payable mostly in 40 years from date of each loan (loans since 1911 payable in 45 years), annual interest averaging 3.8 per cent. These underground ways, about 8.9 miles in all with total of 19.27 miles of single track were leased to the Boston Elevated Railway Company (which furnished the equipment) for term of 25 years (except Tremont street, 20 years) at annual rental of $4\frac{1}{2}$ to $4\frac{3}{4}$ per cent of net cost (except East Boston Tunnel which was at $\frac{3}{8}$ of one per cent of all annual gross receipts of said company). In accordance with Chapter 741, Acts of 1911, the various leases were extended to July 1, 1936, the rental to be $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent of net cost after expiration of the first-term leases.

By Chap. 185, Special Acts of 1918, the powers of the Transit Commission, whose term expired that year, were transferred to the Mayor, Commissioner of Public Works and City Treasurer, or such person or persons, not exceeding three, as the Mayor might appoint. By Chap. 3, Ordinances of 1918, the Transit Dept. was established as a regular City department, to be in charge of three commissions.

OFFICE HOURS IN CITY DEPARTMENTS.

City offices are required to be open for business from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m. on every day except Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, and Bunker Hill Day. Department offices are required to be closed on Saturday at 12 (noon) in June, July, August and September, and at 1 p. m. during the other months of the year; but the City Treasurer and the City Collector are not required to disburse or receive money after 2 p. m. on any day.

The office of the Health Department is open daily from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. (except Saturdays, when the hours are from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 5 to 10 p. m.); on Sundays and holidays from 10 a. m. to 12 m. and 5 to 10 p. m. for the reporting of cases of communicable diseases, issuing of burial permits, distribution of antitoxins and vaccines and receiving of cultures, etc.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED FEBRUARY 28 TO MARCH 5.

FEBRUARY 28.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
National Can Company	2 Von Hillern street	11	First-class garage	\$3,000
John Callahan	17 St. Margaret street	11	Second class garage	700
Adelino Eannilli	70 Cowing street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,700
Boston Dwelling House Co.	9 Westbourne road	22	Third-class dwelling	8,000
Charles Clark	11 School street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
M. C. Haughton	13 Commonwealth avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
Edward Rudolph	31 Rosindale avenue	23	Alterations, dwelling	1,900
Haynes Estate	137-141 Federal street	5	Install elevator	3,800
New England Baptist Hospital	85 Parker Hill avenue	14	Install dumb waiter	1,200
L. Berensen estate	2107 Washington street	13	Install elevator	3,200
Nathan Hurvitz	17 Leverett street	5	Install elevator	3,000
Fensgate Real Estate Trust	536 Beacon street	8	Install builders' hoist	100
R. H. White Company	504 Washington street	5	Repair escalator	9,000
Henry F. Arnold	Rear of 20 Walter street	23	Alterations, garage	200

FEBRUARY 29.

John E. Holden	208 and 210 West Seventh street	10	First-class wagon shed	\$3,000
Mary Carrulli	174 and 176 Bayswater street	1	Second-class dwelling	15,000
James T. Wetherald	220 Clarendon street	8	Alterations, offices	17,000
Herman Sparrow	722-726 Dudley street	11	Alterations, store and dwelling	500
J. Ross Bates	196 Fairmount avenue	24	Alterations, dwelling	8,000
David M. Block	40 Greenock street	21	Alterations, dwelling	900
Francis I. Cleary	10 Jenkins street	11	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Filomena DiVito	189 and 191 Maverick street	2	Alterations, stable	500
John C. Raynes	55 Summit street	24	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Margaret A. Conway	22 Concord square	7	Erect fire escapes	400
City Building Wrecking Co.	512-518 Tremont street	6	Take-down, stores	500
Barry Building Wrecking Co.	Rear of 384 West First street	9	Take-down, stable	75
Barry Building Wrecking Co.	Rear of 447 Dorchester avenue	11	Take-down, stable	75

MARCH 1.

Joseph M. Boyle et al.	Rear of 165 Highland street	15	Special garage	\$600
William George	1450 Centre street	23	Third-class garage	400
Cora B. Hutchins	Rear of 195 West Selden st.	21	Third-class garage	600
Boyle Brothers	853 Washington street	5	Erect sign	150

MARCH 3.

Irving Zieman	163-177 Allston street	25	Second-class stores	\$24,000
Edward F. Doody	Rear of 45 Parsons street	26	Second-class garage	1,000
A. W. Perry, Inc.	4-34 Albany street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	1,000
Henry H. Rogers	287 and 289 Blue Hill avenue	16	Alterations, stores and dwelling	1,000
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Salvatore Macaluso	59 Chelsea street	2	Alterations, dwelling	300
Massachusetts Co-operative Bank	1438} Dorchester avenue	18	Alterations, bank and offices	5,000
William C. Murdock	2185 Dorchester avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Harvard College	57-63 Franklin street	5	Alterations, mercantile	300
Lawrence O'Brien	81 and 83 Hillside street	14	Alterations, dwelling	350
Joseph Brainowski	277 Savin Hill avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	350
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company	237-247 State street	5	Alterations, offices	15,000
Samuel Benjamin	67 Stuart street	8	Alterations, store and dwelling	150

MARCH 4.

Harry Sklaver	3 Florence avenue	25	Second-class tenements	\$35,000
Harry Sklaver	7 Florence avenue	25	Second-class tenements	35,000
Margaret R. Young	157 Aldrich street	23	Third-class dwelling	8,000
Fred Missu	30 Walker street	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Nellie M. Koopman	17 Kenneth street	23	Third-class garage	300
Bernard J. Burke	1199 Hyde Park avenue	24	Third-class filling station	550
Rebecca Rosenthal	100 Devon street	18	Alterations, dwelling	150
Philip Sandler	15 Duke street	21	Alterations, dwelling	5,000
J. Militire	29 East Dedham street	6	Alterations, tenements	500
Henry Lesser	82 Eric street	19	Alterations, tenements and stores	400
A. W. Perry, Inc.	91 and 93 Federal street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	1,500
Fred Foppiano	10 Glenway street	19	Alterations, dwelling	300
M. Goldstein	54 Heath street	15	Alterations, dwelling	800
Harry Ashman	24 Lambert street	15	Alterations, dwelling	40
Samuel Plotnick	129-135 Main street	4	Alterations, stores and offices	2,800
John F. Kelly	67 and 69 Marcella street	15	Alterations, dwelling	400
Park Square Building Company	39 St. James avenue	7	Alterations, bank and offices	17,800
United Cigar Stores Company	42 Traverse street	5	Alterations, storage	2,000
H. Hooper Lawrence estate	174-178 Washington street	5	Alterations, offices and stores	2,000
Tremont Theater	176 Tremont street	5	Erect four signs	2,000
Young Men's Christian Union	48 Boylston street	5	Erect fire escapes	1,700
Windram Manufacturing Company	3 Dorchester street	9	Install elevator	2,000
H. C. Hansen Type Foundry	190 Congress street	5	Repair elevator	200
DeBlois & Maddison	11-19 Wormwood street	9	Alterations, elevator	1,200
Samuel Ward & Co.	57-63 Franklin street	5	Install dumb-waiter	200
W. D. Cashin & Co.	35 Hartford street	5	Alterations, elevator	600

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 12.

I. CHIEF OFFICERS.

The following changes in the designation of chief officers are hereby ordered to become effective at 8 a. m., March 7, 1924:

First Deputy Chief Daniel F. Sennott to assistant chief of department.

Second Deputy Chief Henry A. Fox to first deputy chief.

Third Deputy Chief Walter M. McLean to second deputy chief.

Fourth Deputy Chief Edward J. Shallow to third deputy chief.

Fifth Deputy Chief Albert J. Caulfield to fourth deputy chief.

Sixth Deputy Chief Joseph A. Dolan to fifth deputy chief.

Seventh Deputy Chief Frank A. Sweeney to sixth deputy chief.

The assistant chief of department will continue to perform the duties already assigned to him, and in the absence of the chief of department at fires or on leave he will be in command of the fire-fighting force.

The assistant chief of department will continue to respond to alarms assigned to him in department running card as first deputy chief when not assigned to special duties.

The rules governing deputy chiefs will operate as formerly concerning these officers.

II. TOWER CLOCKS.

Owing to certain difficulties that have arisen in the winding of tower clocks since the installation of the two-platoon system, company commanders will not assign over three men in companies that care for clocks to wind them. Where necessary special instructions will be given regarding winding, setting and care, and commanding officers will endeavor to avoid assigning inexperienced men for this work.

III. DRILL SCHOOL.

The Department Drill School for probationers will begin on Monday, March 10, 1924. Each class will attend the school for a term of thirty working days, Sundays and holidays excepted. There will be three sessions of the school daily, namely, 8.30 a. m., 10.30 a. m. and 1 p. m.

One fifth of the probationers in each district will attend the first term and be assigned to the three sessions as equally as possible. The remaining four fifths will be assigned when requested. The district chief in charge of each district will make the assignments, and deputy chiefs will forward consolidated lists of all classes to headquarters. By this method there will be five terms of three classes to a term, fifteen classes in all, of approximately fifteen members to a class. Where a district has more than fifteen probationers it will be necessary to double up on some of the classes, but if less than that number the deputy chief will make the assignments in the interest of the division.

Probationers will attend daily whether on or off duty and no term shall be interrupted by vacation periods. Those attending the school must take their vacations before or after attending.

IV. THE FIRE CARD.

Instructions for the use of the fire card, and sample cards will be distributed with this order. One instruction

sheet will be given to each officer, and one sample card will be distributed as follows:

One to each division headquarters, one to each district headquarters, one to each company commander.

Inasmuch as there are not sample cards enough to go around, company commanders not receiving same will make a copy of the card at district headquarters.

These cards are issued in order that department officers may have at hand the physical conditions of the various buildings in their districts. They are to be put in operation immediately in accordance with instructions.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

INSPECTOR OF CONCRETE MASONRY SEWER (MALE) METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION, MARCH 10, 1924.

The salary is \$1,980 per year.

Applicants should be experienced in building of sewers in quicksands or other bad ground and in the crossing of streams.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Applicants must have had at least three years' experience in masonry construction in accordance with chapter 31, section 41, of the General Laws.

LABORATORY ASSISTANT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, DIVISION OF BIOLOGIC LABORATORIES, MARCH 10, 1924.

The requisition is for a female but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$100 per month.

The duties of this position consist in the performance of every detail of the Wassermann reaction, together with the performance of precipitation tests for syphilis, the execution of gonococcus and glanders fixation tests, together with the cultivation of these organisms and the standardization of the reagents used in these tests. It is desirable that applicants should possess a practical knowledge of the work described above, consisting of at least six months of actual training in a recognized laboratory, together with academic training equivalent to that obtained in a four years' college course.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows:

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED FEBRUARY 28 TO MARCH 5.

MARCH 5.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Walter K. Wheelock.....	Rear of 25 Helena road.....	20	First-class garage.....	\$1,200
Thomas King.....	340 Faneuil street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Thomas King.....	336 Faneuil street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
W. I. Murphy.....	31 Hilburn street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
Dr. A. Coolidge.....	Rear of 198 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, garage.....	400
Mrs. W. Duhaney.....	39 Brent street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	65
John P. Thornton.....	54 Faneuil street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Paul Digivani.....	314 Kittredge street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Bay State Lumber Company.....	60 Malden street.....	6	Alterations, office and storage.....	600
Elizabeth Fitch.....	178 and 180 Columbus av.....	7	Alterations, store and suites.....	2,500
Massachusetts Trust Associates.....	41-59 Federal street.....	5	Alterations, offices and bank.....	20,000

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending March 1, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
United States Census Bureau, 776,783.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 178; nonresidents, 39; total,
217.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 14.57; nonresidents deducted,
11.95.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 16.45; corresponding week
last year, 22.06.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 32; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 15; sixty years and over, 86;
total deaths, male, 107; female, 110;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 110;
deaths of colored, 4.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended March 1, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended March 3, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	68	6	45	1
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	3	—
Influenza.....	2	—	26	4
Measles.....	233	1	105	2
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	55	14	50	27
Scarlet fever.....	126	1	79	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	33	7	29	19
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	4	3	3	1
Typhoid fever.....	6	—	—	—
Whooping cough.....	13	1	84	3

* Residents and nonresidents included.

Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

STENOGRAPHIC SERVICE, MARCH 15, 1924.

This examination is for the service of the state and of all cities, and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. On March 15 the examination will be held in Boston and all persons who reside within commuting distance will be notified for that day. Applicants residing in other places will be examined on March 1 at certain centrally located cities throughout the state.

This examination will be given to fill positions in all grades of the stenographic service. All applicants will be given the same examination and will be placed on the list in the order of marks received, and will be certified for any and all stenographic positions in the order of standing on the list unless in

the opinion of the Commissioner of Civil Service the mark attained is lower than is proper for the particular position to be filled.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; stenography, 5; business correspondence, 2; word knowledge, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15. The dictation is given at the following rates of speed: 80, 100 and 120, the dictation at each rate of speed consisting of a letter of about 300 words in length. Each applicant elects any two of the three speed tests for transcription. The transcription is marked for both speed and accuracy. Applicants are obliged to obtain at least 65 per cent in accuracy of transcription of one speed test.

Applicants will be required to obtain a general average in the entire examination of at least 65 per cent. For positions paying \$1,200 or more, only those who receive a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience will be certified.

Specimen examination papers may be obtained at the civil service office.

MAYOR CURLEY BREAKS THROUGH WASHINGTON "RED TAPE" TO UNITE COUPLE.

MOVED BY SYMPATHY FOR VETERAN OF WORLD WAR AND HEROINE NURSE-BRIDE HE CUTS DIPLOMATIC KNOT THAT BARRED WIFE OF FRED W. BURPEE FROM ENTERING COUNTRY.

A beautiful story reached a successful conclusion in the Mayor's office which for romance and chivalry unfolds in its narrative a story worthy of the pen of Balzac, Hugo or Dumas, in which through the kind intervention of Mayor Curley a gallant soldier and a little nurse from the British Isles are again united after suffering as many hardships and burdens as came to the famous lovers of the houses of Montague and Capulet in the wondrous days of Verona, and which Shakespeare has pictured.

When the World War began Fred W. Burpee, a young mechanic, was living at 22 East Springfield street, Boston. He was a British subject who had filed his first naturalization papers, and who intended to make Boston his permanent home.

At the outbreak of the war Mr. Burpee lost no time in enlisting in the Sixth Canadian Mounted Rifles, a military organization which gave a most meritorious service throughout the period of the war, and immediately departed overseas.

It appears that in the little town of Sydenham, England, there was living when the World War began Miss Marian E. Auge, who had had some experience as a professional nurse, and who enlisted for service in France under the colors of Great Britain. Mr. Burpee, with other members of the Sixth Canadian Mounted Rifles, threw himself into the holocaust of war in France and was wounded and invalided to an emergency hospital upon the firing line of the allied forces. He had been an especially gallant soldier, ever and always in the front line of war service, and it so happened that Miss Auge ministered to his sufferings. After recovery from his wounds Mr. Burpee again rejoined his regiment, and served during the remaining period of the World War. Before departing from France, however, for his home in Boston, Mr. Burpee plighted his troth with Miss Auge, and assured her after he had re-established himself in civilian life in Boston he would send for her and they would be married here. When Mr. Burpee finally secured passage upon a military transport for the United States, he found that the distinguished military service which he had given in France in behalf of his native land had resulted in a physical disability far greater than he had imagined, and he entered a military hospital at Kentville, Nova Scotia, where he remained during a period of somewhat extended convalescence.

Returning to Boston, Mr. Burpee entered the service of the Boston & Maine Railroad, and was assigned to their shops at Billerica, Mass., where he has been an especially faithful employee. True to his promise, he sent for Miss Auge and provided passage funds to the United States, and, arriving in Montreal, Canada, the soldier and his little sweet-

heart were married upon November 20, 1923. They remained in Montreal some few days visiting points of interest, and finally departed on the evening train for Boston.

The happiness of the couple, however, proved to be only short-lived. Inspectors of the United States Government boarded the Montreal train for Boston at Newport, Vt., and removed Mr. and Mrs. Burpee on the allegation that her entry into the United States was out of the question by reason that the quota from the British Isles had been exhausted under the terms of the Dillingham-Burnett immigration bill and further that no consul representing the State Department at Washington had vised a passport in behalf of the little bride.

In the bitter cold of a Vermont winter morning Mr. and Mrs. Burpee found shelter, and slowly retraced their steps to Canada, where Mrs. Burpee found temporary shelter with relatives at 21 Grandville avenue, Mt. Denis, Toronto. Mr. Burpee returned to his employment at Billerica, and exhausted every means at his command to secure entry of his wife to the United States. No day passed but what he renewed his efforts but always without result.

In despair, Mrs. Margaret C. Trenholm, resident at 22 East Springfield street, the mother of Mr. Burpee, appealed to Mayor Curley in the premises. Mayor Curley immediately referred the facts in the case to Hon. W. W. Husband, Commissioner-General, Bureau of Immigration, Department of Labor, Washington, who advised that the exclusion of Mrs. Burpee was mandatory, by reason of the quota provisions of the Dillingham-Burnett Act. Mayor Curley reopened the case, declaring to the Secretary of Labor that the subjects of another nation had met a cruel and intolerant outrage in being forcibly removed from a train at dawn, when even if Mrs. Burpee was inadmissible for entry to the United States, she should have been allowed to proceed to Boston, where a hearing might be held before the immigration authorities, and the Mayor further declared his belief that, notwithstanding what might be the interpretation of the law by representatives of the Department of Labor, there should be no separation of a husband and wife except for crime or physical impairment; that the only reward which Mr. Burpee had received for most meritorious military service as a member of the Sixth Canadian Mounted Rifles, and which Mrs. Burpee had enjoyed by reason of splendid service as a nurse during the period of the World War, was a forced removal from their train while journeying to Boston from Montreal, and that in the enforcement of the law as interpreted by Secretary James J. Davis of the Department of Labor at Washington, "preference should be given to wives,

parents, brothers and sisters, fiancées, and children under eighteen years of age," of aliens who had declared their intention of becoming American citizens; that Mr. Burpee had first papers of naturalization; that he had established a legal domicile in Boston, and that both the soldier and the little bride were to be separated, and compelling Mr. Burpee to maintain a home for himself in Boston and another for his wife in Canada. On a review of the case Commissioner-General Husband sustained Mayor Curley's premises that a domiciled alien had a right to bring his wife into the United States, provided the Department of State at Washington would authorize a vise of Mrs. Burpee's passport.

Mayor Curley immediately presented Mr. Burpee with a letter of presentation to Hon. Chester W. Martin, Consul of the United States at Toronto, Canada, where Mrs. Burpee was temporarily resident, rehearsing the circumstances in the case, and requesting that he issue the necessary vise. Mayor Curley then directed his attention to Hon. Edward F. Gray, British Consul at Boston, and to Hon. Auckland Geddes, ambassador of Great Britain at the British Embassy, Washington, D. C. After outlining the case Mayor Curley laid special emphasis upon the fact that two deserving subjects of Great Britain had been forcibly removed from a train while passengers in a friendly and neutral country; that the true conditions of admission of all immigrants were those of character and physical qualifications; that the only reward which the gallant soldier of the Sixth Canadian Mounted Rifles and the devoted little nurse had received from Great Britain was their ejection from the Montreal-Boston express in the severity of a winter morning, and what would be the conditions if England were again involved in war and worthy volunteers were compelled to suffer such intolerant cruelty and outrage. Ambassador Geddes presented the case to Hon. Charles Evans Hughes, Secretary of State and indorsing Mayor Curley's viewpoint in the Burpee case.

It further appears that Consul Martin consulted the State Department at Washington relative to Mayor Curley's request. It appears that Secretary Hughes gave the case of the present-day Romeo and Juliet a very careful personal consideration, and has now ruled that a domiciled alien may proceed to Canada for the purpose of bringing his wife to the United States, and, notwithstanding the fact that Mrs. Burpee was not eligible to a vise in Canada until she had resided for one year in the Dominion, advises that the entire question of the quota-exemption status of all immigrants must be determined by the United States Supreme Court, and that he has instructed Consul Martin at Toronto that a waiver should be extended Mrs. Burpee of the one year's residence requirement, pending the appeal to the United States Supreme Court, and Mrs. Burpee allowed to proceed to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Burpee are at present in Western Canada, and in a few days the Montreal express will arrive at the North Station, and the gallant soldier of distinguished military service and his little bride will walk down the platform and make their home in Billerica, thanks to four months of devoted labor by Mayor Curley in behalf of their reun-

ion. The case appears to be without precedent, and the entire question of the constitutional rights of a domiciled alien in the United States are affected. Mayor Curley is firm in his opinion that his contention that there can be no legal separation of husband and wife other than by reason of crime or physical impairment will be sustained by the highest judicial tribunal in the land, and that his long labors for Mr. and Mrs. Burpee will prove successful.

BUILDINGS RAZED.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Building Department for permission to raze the following buildings, the same constituting fire nuisances and menaces.

To take down building on premises 10 Pitts street, Ward 5. The owner, Chester G. Clark of 45 Milk street, Boston, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 6 Chapel place, Ward 5. The owner, Theodore E. Clark of Medford, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 6 Chapel place, Ward 5. The owner, Hannah E. Greenhood of Dedham, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 4 Chapel place, Ward 5. The owner, Theodore E. Clark of Medford, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 10 and 12 Gold street, Ward 9. The owner, Alice H. Davis of 27 Parker street, Chelsea, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 457 and 459 Neponset avenue, Ward 20. The owner, John J. Murphy of 23 Park street, Dorchester, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises rear 6 Alpine street, Ward 13. The owner, Jane H. Hodges estate, care of Dr. Almon D. Hodges of Hotel Warren, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 26 Pitts street, Ward 5. The owner, John A. Ginty of 75 Mountfort street, Boston, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 163 Washington street, Ward 5. The owner, Robert H. Ford estate, care of Joseph Millen of 39 Lawrence avenue, Roxbury, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 151 and 153 Portland street, Ward 5. The owner, Anna M. and Martha L. Slade estate, care of James B. Flanagan of 17 Milk street, Boston, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 267 Athens street, Ward 9. The owner, Benjamin Canner of 338 Broadway, South Boston, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED FEBRUARY 28 TO MARCH 5.

FEBRUARY 28.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Abraham Kellm.	53 Monadnock street.	17	New fixtures.	\$450
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J. J. Fennessy.	32 Wellington street.	7	New fixtures.	350
Wilford H. Gray.	960 Morton street.	21	New fixtures.	525
Charles King.	163 and 165 Meridian st.	2	New fixtures.	1,000
Joseph Edelstein.	6 Lexington place.	1	New fixtures.	150
Joseph Edelstein.	7 Lexington place.	1	New fixtures.	150
Joseph Edelstein.	45 Lexington place.	1	New fixtures.	150
Joseph Edelstein.	47 Lexington place.	1	New fixtures.	150
Joseph Edelstein.	49 Lexington place.	1	New fixtures.	150
Joseph Edelstein.	51 Lexington place.	1	New fixtures.	150
Joseph Edelstein.	53 Lexington place.	1	New fixtures.	150
A. J. Hughes.	89 Lasell street.	23	New fixtures.	600
P. F. Russo.	1426 Hyde Park avenue.	24	New fixtures.	300
W. S. Emerson.	306 Hanover street.	5	New fixtures.	55
James J. Kelley.	1 Albemarle street.	7	New fixtures.	300
George H. Cox.	20 Clarendon street.	7	New fixtures.	78
Pierce & Cox.	52 Everett street.	26	New fixtures.	1,500
Vincent Prezioso.	181 Fulton street.	5	New fixtures.	150
John J. Tierney.	140 Minden street.	14	New fixtures.	500
Fred L. Johnson.	10 Hoyt street.	17	New fixtures.	500
Carl F. W. Wagner.	42-50 Binford street.	9	New fixtures.	250
M. J. Murphy.	9 Atherton street.	15	New fixtures.	250
James A. Cotter.	48 Boylston street.	5	New fixtures.	1,500

FEBRUARY 29.

John J. Vogel.	243 Beech street.	23	New fixtures.	\$900
John J. Vogel.	609 La Grange street.	23	New fixtures.	600
John J. Vogel.	618 La Grange street.	23	New fixtures.	600
John J. Vogel.	624 La Grange street.	23	New fixtures.	600
John J. Vogel.	6 Henshaw terrace.	23	New fixtures.	400
John J. Vogel.	15 Capital street.	23	New fixtures.	750
John J. Vogel.	7 Boylston street.	22	New fixtures.	850
Pennington Brothers.	10 Pine street.	24	New fixtures.	50
William S. Howe Company.	22 Myrtle street.	8	New fixtures.	900
Green & Shaw.	1358 Dorchester avenue.	18	New fixtures.	400
William T. Haugen.	58 Allen street.	5	New fixtures.	75
R. P. Slattery & Co.	96 Auckland street.	17	New fixtures.	200
John J. Vogel.	8 Atherton street.	15	New fixtures.	350
M. S. Fann.	103 Lawrence avenue.	18	New fixtures.	100
William Hill.	118 Lexington street.	1	New fixtures.	350
James H. Boyd.	16 Roxbury street.	13	New fixtures.	50

MARCH 1.

A. J. Hughes.	234 South Huntington ave.	14	New fixtures.	\$1,200
David H. Lane.	4 Savin street.	16	New fixtures.	575
C. J. Mansfield.	26 Laurel street.	16	New fixtures.	275
Thomas J. Hennigan.	1 Hazel park.	16	New fixtures.	250
Wilford H. Gray.	600 Columbia road.	11	New fixtures.	200
Edward Bevelander.	22 Adams street.	26	New fixtures.	150
J. H. Larkin.	12 Wirt street.	26	New fixtures.	1,400

MARCH 3.

Charles Lang.	6 and 8 Waldon road.	22	New fixtures.	\$1,125
H. B. Collins.	701 Shawmut avenue.	13	New fixtures.	1,000
James A. Dickerson.	175 Cabot street.	13	New fixtures.	150

MARCH 4.

William H. Mitchell & Son Company.	35 and 37 West street.	5	New fixtures.	\$330
P. H. McCormack.	17 Herrick street.	26	New fixtures.	250
M. Pass & Co.	21 Elkins street.	9	New fixtures.	400
Albert E. Touchet, Inc.	138 Beacon street.	8	New fixtures.	600
William O'Brien.	469 Tremont street.	7	New fixtures.	300

MARCH 5.

Paxington Brothers.	36 Harvard avenue.	24	New fixtures.	\$400
Joseph H. McCarthy.	103 Mt. Pleasant avenue.	12	New fixtures.	250
B. M. Black.	49 Pond street.	22	New fixtures.	280
A. I. Weiss.	22 Kingsdale street.	19	New fixtures.	185
Kelley & Gaffey.	3 Eaton street.	5	New fixtures.	100
Thomas W. Casserly.	29 East Dedham street.	6	New fixtures.	900
S. P. Williams.	81 Child street.	24	New fixtures.	150
Eli Parad.	20 Charlotte street.	19	New fixtures.	500
S. W. Polit.	27 Brookledge street.	16	New fixtures.	25
James J. Kelly.	42 Astor street.	7	New fixtures.	75

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending March 1:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
New England Contracting Company.	34-38 School street.	5	Stores and offices.	New building.
Barry Building Wrecking Company.	Rear of 384 West First street.	9	Stable.	Unsafe.
Barry Building Wrecking Company.	Rear of 447 Dorchester avenue.	11	Stable.	New building.
City Building Wrecking Company.	512-518 Tremont street.	6	Stores.	New building.

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING FEBRUARY 29, 1924.
(As compared with the same month in preceding years.)

	1924.		1923.		1922.		1921.		1920.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
First Class.....	21	\$2,723,300	10	\$241,149	24	\$4,770,350	6	\$3,397,100	10	\$256,600
Second Class.....	36	1,090,890	25	939,610	46	1,653,500	4	91,100	10	238,475
Third Class.....	65	430,075	34	177,965	56	210,125	25	44,300	11	23,200
Special.....	6	4,140	2	1,300	8	3,250	2	750		
Total New Work.....	128	\$4,248,315	71	\$1,369,024	134	\$6,637,225	37	\$3,533,330	31	\$518,275
Alterations.....	314	531,701	253	478,529	315	1,077,933	264	435,970	196	428,616
Total Construction.....	442	\$4,780,016	324	\$1,838,553	449	\$7,715,158	301	\$3,969,300	227	\$946,891
Plumbing.....	244	\$125,505	163	\$236,891	162	\$131,282	153	\$57,772	130	\$79,159
Gasfitting.....	1,124	64,694	714	42,435	551	23,407	350	20,358	327	21,316
Heating, etc.....	77	85,363	70	83,547	60	42,702	36	32,052	25	60,664
Elevators, freight.....	19	23,753	10	18,008	10	15,610	15	24,570	17	53,120
Elevators, passenger.....	6	23,572	13	48,752	6	32,550	7	28,095	7	31,010
Signs, etc.....	6	3,700	31	6,477	9	1,465	3	3,150	2	750
Fire escapes.....	20	8,915	12	2,275	6	1,280	10	3,560	5	2,100
Take-downs, wood.....	25	4,450	22	3,535	24	3,175	11	1,300	9	1,345
Take-downs, brick.....	4	3,300	11	5,800	15	21,400	1	100	13	3,100
Sprinklers.....	31	24,245								
Total.....	1,556	\$367,497	1,046	\$148,170	843	\$273,271	586	\$170,957	535	\$252,564
Grand Total.....	1,998	\$5,147,513	1,370	\$2,286,723	1,292	\$7,988,429	887	\$4,140,257	762	\$1,199,455
Cashier's Receipts.....		\$4,876 75		\$2,944 00		\$2,135 50		\$1,178 00		\$1,563 00

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

BOSTON, March 3, 1924.

To the City Record Editor:

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board held on February 14, 1924, the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved, to become effective at close of business Friday, February 29, 1924:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

William H. Allen, first assistant assessor, salary at time of retirement, \$1,600 a year.

Alban S. Green, special clerk, salary at time of retirement, \$1,800 a year.

Timothy J. Murphy, first assistant assessor, salary at time of retirement, \$1,600 a year.

Frederick F. O'Doherty, first assistant assessor, salary at time of retirement, \$1,600 a year.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Richard A. Lynch, inspector, salary at time of retirement, \$2,200 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

James J. Nolan, deputy collector, salary at time of retirement, \$2,000 a year.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Frank H. Rice, chief clerk, salary at time of retirement, \$2,000 a year.

John E. Nolan, machinist, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Thomas Jordan, deputy commissioner, salary at time of retirement, \$3,300 a year.

William O'Brien, inspector, salary at time of retirement, \$2,000 a year.

Charles J. Smith, inspector, salary at time of retirement, \$2,000 a year.

John J. Sullivan, constable, salary at time of retirement, \$1,400 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Nellie Lill, seamstress, salary at time of retirement, \$468 a year, with allowance for room and board.

Thomas Newsham, painter, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Joseph O'Kane, messenger and clerk, salary at time of retirement, \$1,600 a year. (Central Office).

Mary F. Martin, housemaid, salary at time of retirement, \$500 a year, with allowance for board and room. (Infirmary Division.)

Johanna Nilsson, laundress, salary at time of retirement \$560 a year, with allowance for board and room. (Infirmary Division.)

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Dora L. Cutler, cataloguer, salary at time of retirement, \$1,300 a year.

Henry Niederauer, chief engineer, salary at time of retirement, \$2,444 a year.

William G. T. Roffe, assistant, salary at time of retirement, \$2,080 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Neal Boyle, gardener, salary at time of retirement, \$450 a day.

John J. Casey, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Kenneth Finlayson, gardener, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

Thomas Mealey, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Thomas M. Walsh, carpenter, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

James Broderick, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Adolph H. Deichert, laborer salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

James A. Dixon, gardener, salary at time of retirement, \$450 a day.

Joseph F. Hussey, cooper, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

William T. Brady, inspector, salary at time of retirement, \$2,100 a year.

Robert J. Brady, engineer, salary at time of retirement, \$40 a week.

James F. Malone, assistant storekeeper, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Theodore Jennings, elevator attendant, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Thomas J. Vaughn, inspector, salary at time of retirement, \$1,900 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Service.

Edmund Cussen, assistant drawtender, salary at time of retirement, \$1,500 a year.

Frederick H. Spring, clerk, drawtender, salary at time of retirement, \$1,400 a year.

Ferry Service.

Marshall Brown, joiner, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

Paving Service.

Edgar H. Reed, inspector, salary at time of retirement, \$1,700 a year.

John Glavin, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Thomas H. Glennon, paver, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

Thomas F. Flynn, stonecutter, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

Patrick T. Gill, paver and stonecutter, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

William Dwyer, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Patrick Slaman, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

John A. Tully, paver, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

Patrick Manning, paver, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

Patrick Costello, stonecutter, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

John M. McCann, carpenter, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

John T. Sullivan, painter, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Thomas Kelley, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Thomas Calnan, stableman, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

John B. Hurley, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

John Smith, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Sanitary Service.

George W. Currier, teamster, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Thomas McCabe, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

John H. Deane, yard laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Sewer Service.

Martin Sullivan, mason, salary at time of retirement, \$6.60 a day.

Street Cleaning Service.

Oscar Holden, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Water Service.

John Campbell, repairer, salary at time of retirement, \$4.25 a day.

Thomas Coyne, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Robert Donnelly, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

William H. Hardy, secretary, salary at time of retirement, \$3,500 a year.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

David F. Long, attendance officer, salary at time of retirement, \$2,220 a year.

Richard W. Walsh, attendance officer, salary at time of retirement, \$2,220 a year.

George W. Fogg, custodian, salary at time of retirement, \$3,120 a year. (Mechanic Arts High School).

William H. Smith, janitor, salary at time of retirement, \$1,844 a year. (Hyde Park).

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Irwin C. Cromack, assistant chief engineer, salary at time of retirement, \$2,900 a year.

Franklin M. Miner, senior engineer, salary at time of retirement, \$2,100 a year.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

Cornelius J. Bresnahan, vandriner, salary at time of retirement, \$1,372 a year. (Sanitary).

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Alexander H. Bruce, ironworker, salary at time of retirement, \$0.90 an hour. (East Boston Tunnel).

ASSESSMENTS BY THE STREET COMMISSIONERS FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS.**PUBLIC ALLEY No. 103, CITY PROPER.**

Ida L. Perlmuter.....	\$145 05
Celia Saffersohn.....	61 90
Emma Cuneo, <i>uz.</i> Charles.....	60 85
Mabel Y. Howe.....	61 00
Richards M. Bradley <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	60 90
Guy Mafera.....	60 90
John W. Morss, Charles A. Everett and Henry A. Morss, Morss Real Estate Trust.....	60 90
Guy Mafera.....	60 75
Guy Mafera.....	62 20
Rebecca Kuposky, <i>uz.</i> Barnet.....	70 00
Fred H. Roberts.....	127 50
Sarah S. Lucas.....	63 60
Stacy L. Hall.....	61 30
Elsie L. Mulvey.....	61 05
L. Stanley Redding <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	58 75
William A. Gaston <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	57 40
William A. Gaston <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	56 10
L. Stanley Redding <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	54 85
Charles S. Viano.....	63 00
George S. Perry.....	55 60
George S. Perry.....	45 00
Total.....	\$1,398 60

PUBLIC ALLEY No. 715, CITY PROPER.

Elizabeth R. Donovan, <i>uz.</i> Jeremiah.....	\$98 00
Mary Haddad.....	92 00
Mary Haddad.....	90 00
David J. Johnson <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	92 00
John J. Dowling.....	43 37
Total.....	\$415 37

PUBLIC ALLEY No. 716, CITY PROPER.

David J. Johnson <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	\$64 25
John M. Ford, Alfred J. Ford, William F. Ford.....	42 62
George I. Bloomberg.....	90 80
George I. Bloomberg.....	90 55
Margaret J. Gillespie, Katherine E. Gillespie.....	90 35
Thomas E. Donlan, Laura A. Donlan.....	90 10
John Kalmosky.....	89 85
Margaret E. Woddis.....	89 65
George Yeslick.....	89 40
Abraham Shore, one-half, Dorris Noble, one-half.....	89 15
William Shapiro.....	88 95
William Breslin Devises.....	88 70
Lizzie Cohen.....	88 50
Grace F. Kelley.....	88 25
Mary Shapiro.....	88 00
Catherine Murray, <i>uz.</i> John F.....	87 80
Annie Pugh.....	87 55
Ellen Farren.....	87 30
William Shapiro.....	91 15
Charles Patt.....	90 90
Carrie E. Oldham, <i>uz.</i> John K.....	90 65
Annie G., Anna, Louise and Helen Carney.....	90 40
Frances Cawley <i>et al.</i> , trustees, William Williams T. T.....	90 10
George I. Bloomberg.....	89 85
The Guild of St. Elizabeth.....	109 95
John J. Dowling.....	43 37
Eliza Babcock, Ellen S. Babcock.....	89 25
Charles F. Johnson, Anna C. Johnson.....	97 75
Charles B. Campfield, Josephine Campfield.....	107 10
Margaret A. Grady.....	97 60
Michael B. Nazzaro.....	97 50
Mary E. Walsh <i>et al.</i>	97 60
Edward G. Tobin.....	97 60
D. Peter Roger.....	97 60
Heirs or devisees of Maurice Joyce.....	97 60
George H. Russell.....	97 60
Ida F. Paul.....	97 60
Katherine Duffy.....	97 60
Mary H. Douglass.....	97 60
Mary H. Douglass.....	97 60
Nella R. Dickerman, <i>uz.</i> George W.....	97 60
Edson B. Meichale.....	97 60
Herbert M. Brickley and John J. Whoriskey, trustees under will of Mary P. Hall.....	97 60
Annie Lowenberg.....	97 60
Orin S. Green.....	97 60
Matilda E. Anderson.....	96 55
Carrie Simons.....	96 55
Robert W. Hill, trustee under will of Mary E. Stewart.....	96 55
Thomas J. Dolan.....	96 55
Eugene E. Currier.....	95 85
Total.....	\$4,565 89

IONA STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

Maria C. Macquarrie.....	\$212 01
Susanne Cameron.....	237 00
William R. Cleary.....	225 00
William R. Cleary.....	225 00
Frances G. Robertson.....	225 00
Clarence S. and Catherine E. Hefler.....	350 00
Delia Jennings.....	217 95
Frank A. Hawes, Clayton L. Sargent.....	180 00
Frank A. Hawes, Clayton L. Sargent.....	250 00
Frank A. Hawes, Clayton L. Sargent.....	130 77
Frank A. Hawes, Clayton L. Sargent.....	50 16
John J. Curran.....	174 78
John J. Curran.....	170 10
Janet B. Wilson.....	170 10
Janet B. Wilson.....	170 10
Mary L. Sullivan.....	119 07
Mary L. Sullivan.....	148 40
Alice E. Fowler, <i>uz.</i> Robert T.....	155 92
Total.....	\$3,411 36

CHELSEA STREET, CHARLESTOWN.

Catherine Mahan.....	\$99 15
George A. Sanderson.....	108 00
Elizabeth C. O'Flanagan.....	139 53
Rose V. Harnett, one half, Helen E. Brady, Walter H. Brady, Arthur J. Brady, Emily A. Brady, one-half.....	363 80
Delia A. O'Riorden, trustee under will of Jeremiah P. O'Riorden heirs.....	417 84
Hyman Miller.....	63 90

Hyman Miller.....	57 35
Edward R. Williams.....	92 61
Annie E. Williams heirs.....	55 20
Annie E. Williams heirs.....	140 10
Salvini and Theresa Zarella.....	192 90
Hyman Miller.....	192 00
Harry L. Holcombe.....	183 00
Silas and Peter P. Colucci.....	181 50
Katie Williams.....	214 80
Katherine E., Katherine M. and Frederick H. McGrath, one third each.....	192 45
Mary A. McNamara.....	588 75
Mary A. McNamara, seven fifteenths, Jeremiah F. McNamara, two fifteenths, James P. McNamara, two fifteenths, Elizabeth McNamara, two fifteenths, George McNamara, two fifteenths.....	186 90
Effie C. Young.....	214 62
Effie C. Young.....	94 22
Samuel Williamson.....	219 84
Total.....	\$3,998 51

ASHLAND STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

Gono T. Cane, Louis Petro and Andrew Anastas.....	\$189 87
Adolph H. Deichert.....	107 40
Barbara K. Deichert.....	275 44
Catherine B. Doherty.....	338 60
Robert Faulkner.....	283 95
Robert Faulkner.....	323 95
Robert Faulkner.....	240 05
Sylvanus M. Parsons.....	79 74
Sylvanus M. Parsons.....	414 53
Charlotte M. Sheridan, <i>uz.</i> John.....	176 40
Frank Steininger heirs and Margaretha Steininger.....	250 00
Mary J. Hickey.....	125 00
Mary J. Hickey.....	125 00
Mary J. Hickey.....	125 00
Mary J. Hickey.....	125 00
Lina S. Pfennig.....	125 00
Lina S. Pfennig.....	125 00
Lina S. Pfennig.....	125 00
Lina S. Pfennig.....	125 00
Boston Catholic Cemetery Association.....	300 00
Austin McGuinness heirs.....	294 93
Daniel B. Donnellan, Bridget A. Donnellan.....	301 15
Catherine Maguire.....	250 00
William Sage.....	250 00
Mary C. Biffin.....	250 00
Patrick F. Donovan, City of Boston, T. T.....	250 00
Elizabeth Bryan.....	533 01
Edward Bryan.....	68 38
City of Boston.....	66 72
Delia Martin.....	411 30
Annie C. Hubbard.....	163 40
Annie C. Hubbard.....	160 40
Annie C. Hubbard.....	220 95
Annie C. Hubbard.....	255 80
Annie C. Hubbard.....	210 00
Annie C. Hubbard.....	94 00
Total.....	\$7,789 97

PUBLIC ALLEY No. 714, CITY PROPER.

David J. Johnson <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	\$64 25
Sarah A. G. Mitton, <i>uz.</i> Edward J.....	307 20
John M. Ford, Alfred J. Ford, William F. Ford.....	42 62
Total.....	\$414 07

ASSESSMENTS ABATED.

The Mayor has approved the action of the Board of Street Commissioners in the matter of the application for revision of assessments levied on account of the construction of sewerage works, in ordering the annual apportionments of said assessments for the years specified below abated, as follows:

	Amount.
William A. Daly heirs or devisees (Jane G. Clifford), 1923 apportionment, Plan 14, 1915, lot 12, Baker street, assessed February 15, 1917.....	\$10 92
Emil Graf, 1923 apportionment, Plan 29, 1921, lot 5, Rutledge road, assessed April 13, 1922.....	10 72
Almera Thayer (Alice G. Webber), 1923 apportionment, Plan 12, 1919, lot 2, Tileston place, March 22, 1921.....	12 24
Helen F. Welch, 1923 apportionment, Plan 14, 1919, lot 8, Hodgdon terrace, January 31, 1919.....	12 80
Frederick W. Dunkerley, 1923 apportionment, Plan 24, 1914, lot 15, Hollingsworth street, May 16, 1916.....	6 96

MAYORS OF BOSTON.

In its 100 years of existence as a city Boston has had 36 elected Mayors and five *ex-officio* Acting Mayors. Of the 36 men who have held the office for one year or more, six were elected for other than consecutive terms and 25 were re-elected one or more times. Those born within the present limits of Boston numbered 21; in towns near Boston, 8; in neighboring New England States, 5; in Ireland, 2. The Mayor longest in office was Mayor Lincoln, who served 3 years ending 1860 and then 4 years ending 1866. Next in length of service were the first Mayor Quincy and Mayor Fitzgerald, who served 6 years each. Those who served 4 years were Mayors Prince, O'Brien, Matthews, (third) Quincy, Hart, Curley and Peters. Mayor Collins was in office nearly 4 years, his death occurring 3½ months before his second term expired. Those serving 3 years were Mayors Otis, Eliot, Chapman, (second) Quincy, Bigelow, Shurtleff and Cobb; 2 years, Mayors Wells, Lyman, Brimmer, Seaver, Smith, Rice, Wightman, Gaston, Pierce (22 months) and Hibbard; 1 year, Mayors Phillips, Armstrong, Davis, Norcross, Green, Palmer, Martin and Curtis. The five acting Mayors were Chairmen (Board of Aldermen) Parker, Leavitt, Allen, Cutter and Whelton.

Mayor Otis was Speaker of Massachusetts House of Representatives, President of Senate, United States Representative and United States Senator before becoming Mayor. Mayor Armstrong was Lieutenant-Governor and at times Acting Governor before serving as Mayor. Mayors Rice and Gaston served 3 years and 1 year (respectively) as Governor after their terms as Mayor; Mayors Collins, Curley, Fitzgerald, Peters, Pierce and Rice have represented Boston in the lower house of Congress, Mayor Peters having also served as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN BORDER STREET, AT CENTRAL SQUARE, EAST BOSTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Border street, at Central square, East Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Border Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, March 18, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposal will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 6, 1924. (March 8.)

Ex-Mayor Curley was elected for the second time in December, 1921, to serve for term of four years.

Ex-Mayor Curtis was appointed Police Commissioner in 1919 for term of five years, but his service was terminated by his death in 1922. Ex-Mayor Quincy died in 1919, and Ex-Mayor Green in 1918. (See annual City Doc., Boston Municipal Register, for full list of Mayors from 1822 to 1922, with place and date of birth, years of service and date of death.)

TOTAL ASSETS AND PROPERTIES OF LEADING CITIES (BY RANK).

New York, \$2,379,693,936; Chicago, \$361,588,740; Philadelphia, \$359,267,795; Boston, \$260,190,469; Los Angeles, \$140,377,086; Cleveland, \$133,102,394; Pittsburgh, \$129,192,917; Cincinnati, \$128,652,987; Detroit, \$113,642,621; San Francisco, \$112,669,807; St. Louis, \$110,975,412. (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1919, page 284; the 1920 volume not issued yet.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN CONGRESS STREET, BETWEEN FRANKLIN STREET AND ATLANTIC AVENUE; SOUTH STREET, BETWEEN TUFTS AND KNEELAND STREETS; KNEELAND STREET, BETWEEN UTICA STREET AND ATLANTIC AVENUE, CITY PROPER; BURNHAM STREET, BETWEEN SOUTHAMPTON STREET AND SOUTH BAY AVENUE; MOORE STREET, BETWEEN SOUTHAMPTON STREET AND SOUTH BAY AVENUE, ROXBURY; SOUTH BAY AVENUE, AT MOORE STREET, ROXBURY; BURGONE STREET, BETWEEN BEAUMONT STREET AND HELENA ROAD, DORCHESTER; PROVINCE STREET, BETWEEN BROMFIELD STREET AND SCHOOL STREET; AND PROVINCE COURT, FROM PROVINCE STREET, CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 4,100 feet of 8-inch, 10-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Congress street, between Franklin street and Atlantic avenue; South street, between Tufts and Kneeland streets; Kneeland street, between Utica street and Atlantic avenue, City Proper; Burnham street, between Southampt street and South Bay avenue; Moore street, between Southampt street and South Bay avenue, Roxbury; South Bay avenue at Moore street, Roxbury; Burgoyne street, between Beaumont street and Helena road, Dorchester; Province street, between Bromfield street and School street; and Province court, from Province street, city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Congress Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, March 19, 1924, with a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 6, 1924. (March 8.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN ALLENDALE AVENUE, FROM MARSH STREET 200 FEET SOUTHEASTERLY, AND LENOXDALE AVENUE, FROM MILTON STREET 130 FEET SOUTHEASTERLY, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Allendale avenue, from Marsh street 200 feet southeasterly, and Lenoxdale avenue, from Milton street 130 feet southeasterly, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fourteen hundred (1,400) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Allendale Avenue, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, March 17, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 6, 1924. (March 8.)

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING BANK GRAVEL AND SAND.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing approximately 9,500 cubic yards of bank gravel and approximately 11,000 cubic yards of bank sand to the various city departments until January 31, 1925, deliveries to be made as required. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for \$2,000 with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the above office before Wednesday, March 19, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(March 8.)

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CRUSHED STONE.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing approximately 47,000 tons of crushed stone to the various city departments until January 31, 1925, deliveries to be made as required. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for \$2,000 with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the above office before Wednesday, March 19, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent of Supplies reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(March 8.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR TOILET PAPER.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing approximately 800 cases of toilet paper to the various city departments. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The bid, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies before 12 m., Tuesday, March 18, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 8.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LUMBER.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing spruce or fir lumber, as per specifications, to the various city departments. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The bids, with a certified check for \$400, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., Wednesday, March 19, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 8.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HATS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Fire Department:

Approximately 200 officers' summer caps,
Approximately 300 officers' winter caps,
Approximately 700 privates' caps.

Sample of the hats may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the above mentioned office and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, will be received at the above office until 12 m., Monday, March 17, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 8.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LEAD-COVERED CABLE.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Fire Department:

5,000 feet two-conductor circular loom cable,
5,000 feet four-conductor circular loom cable,
2,000 feet nineteen-conductor circular loom cable,

as per specifications. Blank proposals to be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal at the above mentioned office, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, before 12 m., Monday, March 17, 1924, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 8.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR RUBBER COATS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Fire Department with 500 rubber coats, as per specifications. Bidders are requested to furnish sample of coat they propose to furnish. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the above office, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 m., Monday, March 17, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 8.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING UNIFORMS TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Fire Department, at the Fire Department Headquarters, Bristol street, uniforms, as per specifications to be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. Delivery to be made as required. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at said office, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before Monday, March 17, 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 8.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN ELM HILL AVENUE, BETWEEN SEAVER STREET AND SCHUYLER STREET, ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Elm Hill Avenue, between Seaver street and Schuyler street, Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Elm Hill Avenue," and left at Room 508, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, March 20, 1924, with a certified check for five hundred (\$500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 6, 1924. (March 8.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS TO CITY STABLE, HIGHLAND STREET, ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for repairs to city stable, Highland street, Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of six hundred (\$600) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Repairs to City Stable," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, March 18, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (\$100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 6, 1924. (March 8.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COMMITTEES,
CITY HALL, March 6, 1924.

The Committee on Jitney Licenses will give a public hearing on Wednesday, March 12, at 2 p. m., at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on the petition of Jacob Bernard Herman for license to operate motor vehicles from

- (1) Upham's Corner, over Stoughton street and Dorchester avenue to Milton line.
- (2) From Franklin Park, over Blue Hill avenue to Milton line.

Also petition of Boston Elevated Railway Company for license to operate motor vehicles from junction High and Broad streets, over High, Batterymarch, Franklin, Arch, Summer and High streets to Broad street.

By order of the Committee.

(March 8.) JOHN E. BALDWIN,
Clerk of Committees.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR PENS AND PENCILS FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at its supply room pens and pencils as per schedule. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor, signed by the bidder and left before 12 m. on Wednesday, March 19, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$100, payable to the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bids must be in duplicate, the one with check to be sent as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for the sum of not less than twenty-five per cent of the amount of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept such bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(March 8.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN COLUMBIA PARK, BETWEEN LAWRENCE AVENUE AND HAMILTON TERRACE, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Columbia park, between Lawrence avenue and Hamilton terrace, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Columbia Park," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, March 19, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 6, 1924. (March 8.)

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PERGOLA AT THE ROSE GARDEN, FRANKLIN PARK.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for pergola at the rose garden, Franklin Park. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Pergola at the Rose Garden, Franklin Park," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, March 20, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(March 8-15.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN POND VIEW AVENUE, FROM MORRIS STREET 300 FEET SOUTHERLY, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Pond View avenue, from Morris street 300 feet southerly, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Pond View Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, March 21, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 6, 1924. (March 8.)

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for moving five portable school buildings at various schools, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, March 14, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(March 8.) Commissioners.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES AND CANNED GOODS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Boston City Hospital canned goods and groceries as per proposals to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex, on Friday, March 14, 1924. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent of Supplies reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 8.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN CONGRESS STREET, BETWEEN ATLANTIC AVENUE AND PURCHASE STREET, CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Congress street, between Atlantic avenue and Purchase street, city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-two hundred (2,200) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Congress Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, March 24, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred twenty-five (225) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 6, 1924. (March 8.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN BLUE HILL AVENUE, HAZLETON STREET, HIAWATHA ROAD, MORTON STREET, WILDWOOD STREET, DORCHESTER; FLORENCE AVENUE, BRIGHTON; AND PARTRIDGE STREET, POND VIEW AVENUE, WALDON ROAD, WEST ROXBURY PARKWAY, WOODBRIER ROAD, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 3,600 feet of 8-inch, 10-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Blue Hill avenue, Hazleton street, Hiawatha road, Morton street, Wildwood street, Dorchester; Florence avenue, Brighton; and Partridge street, Pond View avenue, Waldon road, West Roxbury Parkway, Woodbrier road, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of four thousand (4,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Blue Hill Avenue, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, March 20, 1924, with a certified check for four hundred (400) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 6, 1924. (March 8.)

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, February 25, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair and all the members present.

REPORT OF BUDGET COMMISSIONER.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, February 25, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I submit herewith report of Budget Commissioner relative to the order adopted by your honorable body under date of January 21, 1924.

Respectfully,

JOHN A. DONOGHUE,
Acting Mayor.

City of Boston,

Budget Department, February 25, 1924.

Hon. John A. Donoghue,

Acting Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—Under date of January 21, 1924, the following order was passed by the City Council:

"Ordered, That the Budget Commissioner, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to inform the City Council whether or not it is feasible to use the receipts for the use of the public golf links at Franklin Park for the improvement of said links"

In reply to this order I would say that it is not feasible to use income received at the public golf links for the improvement of said links, since such a practice would be in direct violation of section 6, of chapter 6 of the revised Ordinances, as amended by chapter 3 of the ordinances of 1916, which provides that the City Auditor upon receipt of any departmental income "shall credit such amount to the general revenue of the city," and not to the department responsible for the receipt.

Yours respectfully,

CHARLES J. FOX,
Budget Commissioner.

Paced on file.

REMODELING OF WEST ROXBURY COURTHOUSE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, February 5, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the attached communication from the Superintendent of Public Buildings relative to additional funds for the remodeling of the West Roxbury Courthouse and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Public Buildings Department,
February 4, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—I respectfully request that the following transfer be made in the special appropriations of the Public Buildings Department:

From the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, Site, \$3,000, to the appropriation for Courthouse, West Roxbury, Remodeling, \$3,000.

This request is made owing to an exigency which was discovered only when they were excavating for the foundation. The thought was that the foundation was carried to the same depth all the way around, but it was found later that certain parts of the building were not as deep, hence it was necessary to carry same down.

Respectfully yours,

FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Court House, Forest Hills, Site, \$3,000, to the appropriation for Court House, West Roxbury, Remodeling, \$3,000.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Harry G. and Irma E. Blazo, for compensation for damages caused by an alleged defect in Lexington street, Charlestown.

David B. Church, for compensation for damage to car at Scollay square, by a team of the city.

Colgate & Co., for compensation for damage to car by city team.

Abraham Colmes, for compensation for damage to car on Fruit street by city team.

Mrs. Di Lorenzo, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 176 Salem street.

M. Doyle & Co., to be paid for trucks furnished to the Park Department.

Bessie Galetsky, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 16 Lev-erett street.

Goodwin & Stone, for compensation for damage to truck on Atlantic avenue by a truck of the city.

E. B. Hall, for compensation for damage to truck on Merrimac street by fire apparatus.

James J. Kerwan, for compensation for injuries caused by snow falling from roof of City Hall.

Dora Kotarski, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1 Oswego street.

Julia Mintz, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 99 Village street.

P. O'Riordan Forwarding Company, for compensation for injury to horse caused by an alleged defect in Atlantic avenue.

Jacob Roseman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 11 Phillips street.

P. Pastene & Co., for compensation for damages caused by an alleged defect at Maverick and Chelsea streets.

Estate of William B. Rice, for compensation for damage to property at 1069 Boylston street by stoppage of sewer.

Ralph Vallier, for compensation for injuries caused by being run into by city truck at Warren and Dudley streets.

Executive.

Mary A. Haverty, for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Boston College Hall, February 29.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearings on Monday, March 3, on various petitions for the storage and sale of gasoline.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constable's bond of Andrew W. Murphy.

Approved by the City Council.

CLERK HIRE.

The Register of Deeds, in accordance with law, submitted a report certifying that certain persons had been employed in his office from February 1 to February 16, and that work had been performed to the amount of \$9,052.91.

Approved and ordered paid.

FEES OF REAL ESTATE EXPERTS.

The following was received:

The Finance Commission,

Boston, February 19, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Sir,—Prior to the taking of the land for a site for the new police headquarters building on Stuart street, the Street Commissioners employed John Beck, a real estate broker with offices at 30 State street, to appraise the land to be taken.

Mr. Beck submitted a report of his appraisal to the Street Commissioners on January 11, 1924. He testified before the Finance Commission that he based his appraisal on information obtained from William J. McDonald, the selling agent of the Park Square Trust, the owner of the land, as well as on his own knowledge of sales in that district, and on information obtained from brokers whom he believed to be familiar with recent sale prices in the Park Square section.

The Street Commissioners made no agreement with Mr. Beck when they employed him as to what his compensation should be. On January 15, 1924, he submitted a bill for his services in the sum of \$750.

The Boston Real Estate Exchange, of which Mr. Beck testified he was a member, has established the following rates for appraisals of property in the absence of any special agreement:

SCHEDULE OF FEES.

On valuations up to \$30,000.....\$2.00 per thousand.
On excess up to \$200,000..... 1.00 " "
On excess over \$200,000..... .50 " "
Outside Boston and suburbs.....Special rates.
Minimum fee.....\$25.00

Applying these rates to the price of the property fixed by the Street Commissioners, Mr. Beck's bill would be \$324.

There are a great many real estate brokers and dealers doing business in the City of Boston who are competent to appraise real estate. In the past the Finance Commission has found occasion to avail itself of the services of some of them. In most cases they gave their services gratuitously. In those cases where compensation was accepted the amount was either left to the commission to fix, or was made in accordance with the rates established by the Boston Real Estate Exchange.

It is reported that Mr. Beck is the real estate expert for the city. The commission believes that no one should be employed exclusively by city officials for such advice or expert knowledge on real estate as the city may require from time to time. The commission believes that many very competent real estate men would be willing to serve the City of Boston for compensation based on the rates established by the Boston Real Estate Exchange.

The Finance Commission recommends:

1. That Mr. Beck be paid for his services for appraising the police headquarters site in accordance with the rates established by the Boston Real Estate Exchange.

2. That city departments requiring the services of real estate experts be not required to employ the same person in every instance.

3. That the rates established by the Boston Real Estate Exchange be used to determine the compensation for services rendered by real estate advisers in the absence of a special agreement.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION.

by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PLAYGROUND, NORTH END.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to transmit to the City Council a loan order for the purchase and equipment of a playground in the North End in lieu of the Baldwin place lot, which was transferred for a health unit in 1923.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, if there is no objection I would like to ask that the rule be suspended so that this order may go upon its passage, because I think if there is any credit to be attached to it the Mayor ought to get the credit for sending in a loan order.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I do not object to the order, but I don't like the wording of it. It refers to agreements. Before I vote for the order I would like to know what the agreements are, and so forth and so on.

Coun. HEALEY—Why not send it to the Executive Committee?

Coun. WATSON—I am perfectly willing to vote for an order requesting the Mayor to send in an appropriation or loan for a playground in the North End to replace what has been taken, for the health of the community. But I don't want to vote for an order that involves a certain responsibility in the matter of knowing facts that I do not know. I think, therefore, that it might be referred to the Executive Committee, and I would suggest that action. Very likely amendments may then be made so that I would vote for the order.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, that is very satisfactory. I know that I will have the co-operation and assistance of the councilor. That is perfectly satisfactory.

The order was referred to the Executive Committee.

LEGISLATION FOR MARTIN F. MULLEN.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby approved the enactment of legislation for the reinstatement of Martin F. Mullen in the Police Department.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SIDEWALK, THEODORE PARKER ROAD.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Theodore Parker road, both sides, from Weld street to Ardmore road, Ward 23, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

ORDINANCE, STREET RAILWAY CARS.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following:

City of Boston,
In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-four.

An Ordinance Concerning Street Railway Cars in Peabody Square.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

No company operating, and no person in charge of, a street railway car shall allow or permit any such car to stand in those portions of Dorchester avenue and Talbot avenue known as Peabody square, or to stop in said square except for the purpose of taking on or letting off passengers, or to avoid accident.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, this ordinance is introduced in an effort to make some headway on behalf of the citizens of that part of Boston, and I think its operations will tend to relieve not only that section but other sections of the city. Peabody Square, Dorchester, as a majority of the members of the Council are aware, is one of the worst sections to go through in the summer time because of traffic conditions in the section, travel to the South Shore and other points along Cape Cod. The Elevated road has taken considerable space in that square, using it as a terminal against the wishes of the people of the section and the majority, if not all, of the business men of the section. In the last three months, acting in behalf of residents, I have requested the Elevated management to continue these cars for half a mile or so farther to a car barn and park them in the car barn. That would mean no great expense to the company. But they are unwilling to subscribe to such an idea. Therefore, at the behest of the people of the section I am introducing this order, because this Council does have power and jurisdiction over the trolley cars to a certain extent, as I have been informed, that opinion being supported by legal opinion in the matter. I move reference of the ordinance to the Committee on Ordinances.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, it says here that they cannot stop in Peabody square except for the purpose of taking on or letting off passengers. Even a car standing there would be there for that purpose, I should say. Wouldn't you?

Coun. GILBODY—That wording is all right, I think, to accomplish the object that we have in mind.

The ordinance was referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

LOAN FOR COURTHOUSE, DORCHESTER.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the sum of \$350,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for a new courthouse in Dorchester, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount for said purpose.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CHARLESTOWN.

Coun. PURCELL offered an order—That the sum of five hundred thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, for the erection

of a new municipal building in Charlestown, and the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon direction of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

IMPROVEMENTS, COLUMBUS AVENUE PLAYGROUND.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That the sum of fifty thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners, to provide for the erection of a concrete stand and for other improvements for the Columbus Avenue Playground, and the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon direction of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

LOAN FOR MUNICIPAL BUILDING, WARD 5.

Coun. DONOGHUE offered an order—That the sum of \$500,000 be hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Department for a municipal building to be located in that part of Boston known as Ward 5, old Ward 8, and that to meet such expense the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

Coun. WALSH called up unfinished business, No. 1, viz.:

1. Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor February 18, 1924, of Charles Shrago, H. E. Bouchie and Clarence S. Roy, to be Weighers of Coal.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Gilbody and Walsh. Whole number of ballots cast 9, yeas 9, nays 0, and the appointments were confirmed.

LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES.

President DONOGHUE called up unfinished business, No. 2, viz.:

2. Ordered, That to provide temporarily money to meet the appropriations for the financial year 1924-25, the City Treasurer issue and sell, at such times and in such amounts as he may deem best, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston not exceeding sixteen million dollars in the total, in anticipation of the revenue of the current municipal year; that all such notes or certificates of indebtedness be dated the day the money for the same is received, be made payable with the interest thereon within one year of their date from the revenue of the year 1924, and bear interest from their date until the same are made payable at such rate as the City Auditor, the City Treasurer and the Mayor may determine.

On February 11, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The question came on the second and final reading and passage of the order.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I am going to vote in favor of the order, but one of the newspapers had a little fun with the Council, saying that although the order involved \$16,000,000, \$2,000,000 more than in 1923, the Council did not spend more than ten seconds in acting upon the matter. I suppose, in order to maintain our equilibrium, we ought to ask the auditor why the amount is \$16,000,000 instead of \$14,000,000. If there is no objection, I think the auditor ought to be sent for.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I don't know whether we can proceed along these lines or not. The matter is before the whole Council. If we wish to suspend action and send for the auditor, I presume we can do so, but I never knew it to be done before. I am perfectly willing to get the information, but I am only making the suggestion I do in the interest of orderly procedure. I suppose this is for the purpose of squaring ourselves with newspaper men because we acted upon a matter involving \$16,000,000 in ten seconds. We would vote for it in ten seconds after we had the auditor here, anyway, so what is the difference? It is a recurring proposition, coming up every year at this time, really a routine matter, in order to carry on the work of the

city pending final action on the budget. I am perfectly willing to refer it to the Executive Committee and have the auditor come before us in committee, but I don't know that we should suspend action here in the open body and send for the auditor. I would therefore like to ask the Clerk if it will in any way interfere with the passage of the order if we should refer it now to the Executive Committee?

The CLERK—No, sir.

Coun. WATSON—Then, Mr. President, I move that it be referred to the Executive Committee.

The order was referred to the Executive Committee.

CARL AUGUST BOROWSKI SQUARE.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order that the open space at the junction of Ashland and Canterbury streets, Ward 24, be named Carl August Borowski square, in memory of said Borowski, who died in the United States service September 18, 1918, and that suitable signs be erected to designate the same.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

PUBLIC MEETING, FINANCE COMMISSION.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That the Finance Commission be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to hold all meetings relative to investigation of matters connected with the City of Boston in open session, so the public may be able to attend.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I move a suspension of the rule and the passage of the order at this time. The reason why I have introduced the order is that two weeks ago we made a request of the Finance Commission to send us a verbatim report of some of their meetings, and we received back a communication that was placed on file at our last meeting, denying our request. I feel that a Finance Commission organized for the benefit of the entire citizenship of Boston must be a wonderful organization, but I feel that the Finance Commission as now constituted is an organization to protect those of one part of the city against those living in other parts and those who are not residents in our city against those who are. We had a hearing here two weeks ago today that proved to my mind, whether it did to anybody's else mind or not, that the Finance Commission is an organization created wholly for the purpose of protecting some of the large real estate operators and those engaged in the banking interests in this town, and also those of the community who live in sections other than those we live in. A piece of land was bought here some few weeks ago for which the city paid more than \$100,000 above the assessed valuation. I am not doubting that the land was worth all that the city paid for it, but when the chairman of the Finance Commission came here and told this Council that they saw no reason why it should be investigated until they received an anonymous letter, and they received that anonymous letter three days prior to the Mayor's signing the order to purchase from the Real Estate Association, it made some of us think. The chairman of the Board of Directors of that Real Estate Association, it appears, went before the Board of Assessors and told them that the property was worth only \$13 a square foot. The assessors, believing him when he took oath, reduced the tax valuation from \$15 to \$13 per square foot, and inside of nine months that same gentleman, in dickering with the Street Commissioners, set his price at \$22.50 a square foot. It has been brought to my notice that he desired \$25 a square foot. The Finance Commission did not, as they might well have done, acting within their province, request his Honor the Mayor to withhold his signature from that order, but, in order to make some one the goat and to show the public that they were still in existence, they got after the real estate expert and went into his bill. His bill was \$700, and they have recommended to the City Auditor that that real estate expert be paid \$300. It was all right to go out and pay \$100,000 more than the assessed valuation for the land itself, but when they came to the fee of the real estate expert for doing the work they dickered and reduced his bill to \$300. That makes news for the newspapers. But now the Boston Real Estate Exchange comes out and says that they have no price that would bind the expert. I am surprised that the chairman of the Finance Commission, a leading lawyer, who could have gone to the Registry of Deeds and found out the price paid for the transfer of land, should have taken the position he does in this mat-

ter. He could have found out what real estate experts get for their work before he took it upon himself to act as he did. Of course according to my feeling, there are only two members of the Finance Commission, the chairman and the secretary, Mr. Dowling, and I feel that all the communications that come here are not constructed by the full membership of the Board, but by the chairman and the secretary. I feel that it is about time that the citizenship of this city realized that if any member of this Council was up for investigation there would be an open hearing, and that before any member was even given a hearing the newspapers would be given the story and his conviction would be practically broadcasted to the community before he had an opportunity to be heard. Therefore I ask, in behalf of those whom I represent in this entire city, that all future meetings of the Boston Finance Commission considering city affairs be held openly, so that the citizenship of Boston may have an opportunity to go there and see the way that their work is done.

President DONOGHUE—The question is on suspension of the rule and passage of the order.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. Chairman, may I ask in all fairness and decency what would happen if perhaps the Finance Commission got a perfectly innocent man, a perfectly honest man, to appear before them, and yet the facts were made public that they were bringing charges against him, and there were an open hearing, with the result that something might always stick to that honest man? I think we ought to hesitate a bit before acting in this matter. I think the councilor himself knows what that sort of thing means, because they tried to charge him, unfortunately, with things that were not true. Yet if anybody who came under their eye were treated the same as certain members of this body have been treated it would be an unfortunate thing. I think we ought to go a little bit slow.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I am glad that Coun. Healey has brought that question up. The situation is this, that anybody who has ever been suspected, even because of anonymous letters, has been convicted by the Finance Commission. I might go back to a janitor in the Practical Arts High School, who was called before the Finance Commission and set down in front of the secretary. The secretary said to him, "You are a grafter. You have issued bills and collected for bills that you were not entitled to." And after that man leaving the secretary gave to the newspapers a story condemning the man without his even having an opportunity to state his position. The situation is this, Coun. Healey. Under the circumstances, as they carry on their meetings now, they have convicted people without a proper chance to defend themselves, and it would be better that the public should know what goes on. If they are going to convict, let them convict in public. That is my contention. If your name is Murphy, that means a conviction, but if you are Eliot, no, the hearing is behind closed doors and no statement is issued to the newspapers. Now, I want to put the Amory Eliots on the same footing as others, and I use Amory Eliot's name in connection with the Park Square Real Estate Land Trust, as his name has been used in connection with it. I believe that every member of this Council and every city employee will have an equal chance with others if all the meetings are open. But what is happening? Only two weeks ago, since this deal has been going on, they requested a scrub woman who works in this building, and who had been married, to appear before them. Her maiden name was on the pay roll book, and because her name wasn't changed to her married name they sent for her, cited her before the Finance Commission. My contention is this, that, if possible, we should stop such petty work, such outlandish work as the work they do. There may not be so many hearings, but if there are hearings let the public know about the hearings that are going on. When a learned man, who would attempt to enlighten me on English, comes here, as chairman of the Finance Commission, and tells you that from the eleventh day of January until the twenty-third day of January, when \$158,000 odd was being spent for a piece of land, the Finance Commission slumbered and slept peacefully until that anonymous letter came to their office, and in the same breath tell you that they intend to hold up a bill of \$700, when they had taken no such action in regard to holding up a bill of \$158,000, it certainly shows us that there is a curious state of affairs. I feel that it is about time, as long as they are acting in this matter, and inasmuch as they have been acting the same way in other matters, that we should try to have something done in regard to these secret or open meetings which they hold at their own will. When they had up

before them members of the Council, including myself, it was all right to hold open meetings and not allow an attorney representing any of the parties to cross question any witness who was there as an accuser of the members of the Council. It was all right to do that, because their names were not Eliot, because they were not the offspring of those who came over in the "Mayflower." I told the judge not two weeks ago but a year ago, that he had been in the town for about fourteen years, and that he had been at the nipple of Jim Storrow's nursing bottle ever since he had been in the town. It is all right for certain fellows to get away, but they will call in a scrub woman who had the courage to get married, because her name was not changed on the pay roll, and the Hon. Mr. Dowling was in my estimation profited more and has sold more real estate as the secretary of the Finance Commission than he ever sold prior to being appointed secretary of the Finance Commission, and he was a real estate expert, a real estate broker, prior to taking the job. So I feel that I have nothing to lose and am satisfied that all investigations, in so far as my actions are concerned, should be made public, and I also want to put Amory Eliot in the same class, because we are starting out here at the beginning of the year and may be buying some other land before the year is over, and Amory may be in again. So I feel that the order should pass, although I don't think it is going to do any good. I don't think they are going to carry it out. I don't think, even if they were of the mind that we are, having the request coming from the Council in regard to something that would satisfy this Council, they would hold open meetings. I don't feel that I am going to accomplish anything by introducing this order, but I am going to continue in these meetings to assail the members of the Finance Commission until they do their work as they ought to do it. I will get some notoriety. Some Mondays I will be on the front page. On other Mondays or Tuesdays, where there is other news coming up, we might be put on the back page. But I believe it is up to us to tell the citizens about the methods used by the secretary and the chairman who were imported into the town for the purpose of doing just what they are doing.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I am willing to agree with Coun. Healey that there is some merit in his suggestion, but I don't think the merit in his suggestion outweighs the merit on the other side. Everybody who has been in public life for any length of time and who knows anything about the conduct of the Finance Commission has no doubt of their method of proceeding. I have never had the pleasure or displeasure of having been summoned before them in their third degree hearings, but I know full well the method they employ in conducting them, and I think it is entirely un-American and absolutely unfair, the way they conduct their preliminary hearings. For the purpose of having it made a matter of record I am going to recite briefly just their method of procedure. I understand what it is, and I believe my statement will be uncontradicted. If they have the slightest ground to believe there is something not altogether correct and proper in the conduct of anyone having anything to do with the affairs of the City of Boston, whether a member of the legislative branch, his Honor the Mayor or some head of a department or subordinate, they do not proceed at once to summon the individual or individuals before the Finance Commission and put them through a regular investigation with a stenographer present, and under oath, but they send for an individual and invite him to come to their office. The individual goes there and he may go with an attorney or friend, who is denied the privilege of being present during the inquisition or third degree examination, more so even than that given by the police. The individual, without a chance to have anybody represent him, or be with him, believing himself innocent and without fear, enters the inner chambers, and then they start the sweat box, accusing the man. If a man has iron nerve he may tell them that they can go to the hot place, which would be his right, but almost invariably the individual in his excitement says something that leads to something else which later may prove groundless, and in consequence of information they have there through an anonymous letter, perhaps, or from people who have an axe to grind, they apply the screws, get a man all excited, and then the remarks that he may make are taken down by a stenographer, after which they proceed to have a hearing on the question probably in the open, basing a later hearing upon the so-called evidence they have obtained through coercion of the individual. That is a method that is absolutely wrong in prin-

ciple, and I know Coun. Healey will agree with me in my statement. But that is the method of procedure there, if I am informed correctly, and I am positive that I have the facts. It is true that if a man who is accused by the Finance Commission is innocent, you may say that he need not fear God's sunlight. But some thin-skinned people like to avoid trouble, and they will get up and salam and bow before John Moors, because, after all, Dowling is not the man, Michael Sullivan is not the man. The powerful and all-important, influential individual who does all the work behind the scenes, and sees that the thing is carried out, is John F. Moors. There is no getting away from that. I am positive when I make that assertion. As I stated in the beginning, there is much merit in what Coun. Healey suggested, but the preponderance is on the other side. The fact is that they don't dare to have public hearings. That is my absolute opinion, and I believe I am correct. I will agree that I cannot submit evidence, but I believe they have had strong evidence against certain individuals presented to them in the past regarding occurrences in Boston affairs to which they have given no consideration whatsoever. It is true, as Coun. Moriarty says, that they are bent one way. They are after the little fellow, after the unimportant individual, like a councilor, as a rule. When they are so engaged they are fairly cocky, in the vernacular of the day, but when others are involved it is a different story. I have the same regard for the Finance Commission that Coun. Moriarty has. My experience with them has not been so unpleasant, but I am satisfied that that commission is the fifth wheel of a coach, that it has not earned a dollar as far as acting in the interests of the city is concerned during its entire existence. I am sure that the office is always a step to an invitation to go on the bench, and I intended to ask the chairman of the commission the other day when he expected to be appointed to the Superior Court bench. I think that is their goal, and they use the office for their own advancement, regardless of whose back they climb over. Therefore, Coun. Healey, if you will take my advice and opinion, based on many years of experience here, and I have been as inquisitive about things as you have, I believe you will come to the conclusion that we should pass the order as drawn by Coun. Moriarty. While it may not bring results worth while, it has much merit and is entitled to our unanimous vote. I hope this action will be taken.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, the councilor opposite (Coun. Watson) says he knows that Moors is the brains of the Finance Commission. I always wondered why he never got there and I did. I guess I know now. (Laughter.) I hope the order will pass. We have this investigating body called the Finance Commission. Here we have a Democratic city, which has elected a Democratic Mayor, and the Governor comes along and appoints five Republicans as an investigating body over this Democratic city. Of course, I have had my experience with those five men. They took me in there privately, and I went in there, like any young American would, full of blood and pep. I didn't fear man or beast when I went there. They asked questions and riled me up, and that is the means they use to get you going. I think if they had meetings in the open you would not have the sort of thing you see there now. It is bad enough in the open, with five men who know the different phases of the law and who are able to take young fellows like myself and make boobs of them. They ought not to do a lot of things they do. Take this poor scrubwoman, for instance. There was nobody to protect her. I think if we pass an order like this we may get somewhere with them. I don't know of any way to do so except to keep after them naggin' them, and then perhaps we will make some headway. Of course, we all hope next year to elect our present Mayor Governor of the state, and then things will be better, I believe. I hope so, anyway. I hope in the meantime we will nag them and do everything we can along this line not only for our own benefit but for the benefit of the underdog in this city.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, lest it may be felt that I am in favor of the secret sessions I shall vote for the order, because I have been pulled before the Finance Commission in private, too.

Coun. WATSON—Is that so? Good!

Coun. HEALEY—I have been there.

Coun. WATSON—Tell us what you did, Bill!

Coun. HEALEY—Lest it may be thought that I believe in secret sessions I shall vote for the order, because I think that publicity is best for both sides, for everybody, than privacy for a few. I merely offered the suggestion I did, but when the question is put up to me

whether I believe in privacy or in publicity, I wish to say here openly that I believe in publicity, and I believe that the hearings before the Finance Commission, if some are to be treated in one way and some the other, ought all to be public. I don't believe in treating some people in one way and others in another. Therefore I shall vote in favor of the order on its merits, although I feel that it might be the cause of worry to many people if they thought they were to be called in in public and a stigma placed on them which they did not deserve.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I am beginning to feel as though I have wings and a halo in this Council. I have never been called before the Finance Commission, and therefore I think I am probably out of place in this body.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I wish to say that I am in accord with Mr. Moriarty on this order. I was also before the Finance Commission, and I want to say this, that I think it would be a wonderful thing to have the meetings of that body brought out into the open, so that we could find out everything that was going on. In that way perhaps we could find out who the stoolpigeons are who give information. If the thing were open a lot wouldn't care to tell things who now do so. I am in favor of open meetings.

The rule was suspended and the order was passed.

Coun. PURCELL in the chair.

OLD AGE PENSIONS FOR BOSTON CITIZENS.

President DONOGHUE offered the following:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to appoint a committee to investigate and report to the City Council as to the advisability of establishing an old age pension for citizens of Boston.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I desire to present this order at this time for the careful consideration of this body. It is along constructive lines, I believe. It has recently been brought to my attention most vividly through the introduction of an order by his Honor the Mayor for a loan of \$300,000 for a new building for the Overseers of the Poor, with the controversy which has arisen between the Mayor's office and the Finance Commission as to whether or not it would be advisable to repair and alter the old building at a nominal figure, probably not more than \$30,000, or to appropriate \$300,000 for a new building for the Overseers of the Public Welfare. It seems to me that we have been spending a great deal of money for many years in taking care of the old and unfortunate, but it also appears to me that a great deal of this money which is expended might have been spent in a more suitable way, having in mind first the welfare of the individuals affected. For instance, the Overseers of the Public Welfare spend something like \$63,000 per year for payment of help. That is just for salaries of those who take care of the detail work in connection with the distribution of alms. I would like to see this proud city of ours in a position where we would no longer have an almshouse. I think it is a disgrace in a civilized community to have the old folks who have devoted their lives to the service of their city placed in an almshouse. Regardless of what their calling in life may have been, nevertheless they have contributed to the public welfare and the upbuilding of this great city of ours, of which we are all so justly proud. It seems to me it is a blot upon the escutcheon of the City of Boston to even have to admit that we have such places as almshouses. It costs for the old folks down on Long Island, segregating the expense of those who are in the hospital from those who are not compelled to take hospital treatment, approximately \$135,000 a year. That is to care for the old folks down there. It costs something like \$300,000 to take care of the hospital patients on Long Island. It is the Mayor's thought that Long Island can be done away with and the old folks in the hospital, who need constant medical attendance, transferred to the mainland, perhaps Parker Hill. That would leave the old folks down there with practically nothing in life, unless, carrying the Mayor's thought along further, in connection with the sale of the hospital at West Roxbury by the federal government to the city, the inmates might be transferred from Long Island out to West Roxbury, where they might be taken care of. But I say, what is the need of taking care of them in those places? Why must we have an almshouse? We are going to spend, if that new building is erected by the Overseers of the Poor, \$350,000. It costs us \$135,000 in

round figures to maintain those old folks on Long Island, and under the George R. White Fund we have an annual income of \$250,000 per year, in addition to spending last year, as I have been given to understand, something like \$190,000, totalling approximately \$1,000,000. It seems to me that, with about 300 old folks down on Long Island, we are spending or are going to spend this year \$1,000,000. And what for? We are going to spend that money to try and take care of them in their old age. My thought would be to establish an old age pension by the City of Boston where proof of need is shown and if this million dollars which is going to be spent were spent without sending them to an almshouse, how much better off they would be and how much better off the entire City of Boston would be. Whether or not there are any legal phases to be considered in connection with the question I don't know. I have only considered the matter hastily today, although I have thought of it for a long time. It has always appeared to me that the City of Boston, which has been in the forefront of so many progressive movements in the course of its history, should take another step forward and be in the forefront in establishing in the City of Boston an old age pension, in order to try to make the last days of the old people who have lived in our city as comfortable as we possibly can. If we were to allow them a certain amount each week, we could very easily take care of them in my opinion, out of a million dollars a year. Of course, there are minor matters to be considered in connection with these figures that I have not even taken into consideration. But such action would certainly, in my opinion, tend very much to improve things. If we had a million dollars which we might let out in first class bonds, it would procure an income probably, say, of \$200,000 a year, in my opinion, which could very well take care of the old people on Long Island. I hope the Mayor, before he goes ahead with any other plans, will take this matter into consideration and try to solve this problem, so that we may feel that we have contributed something to the welfare of the old people and to the honor of our city.

The rule was suspended and the order was passed, Coun. Donoghue calling for the yeas and nays, yeas 8, nays 1; Coun. Lane voting nay.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 3.05 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. LANE, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.55 o'clock p. m.

FINANCIAL REPORTS.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Finance, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on order (referred today) for loan of \$50,000 for concrete stands and improvements for the Columbus Avenue Playground—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—8. Nays—0.

Later in the session Coun. GILBODY said: Mr. President, I move that we reconsider the vote whereby we passed an appropriation of \$50,000 for improvement of the Columbus Avenue Playground.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I am perfectly satisfied. I ask for a roll call.

Reconsideration prevailed, yeas 6, nays 2.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

Nays—Coun. Lane, Watson—2.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I now move that we lay the order on the table.

Coun. WATSON—On that I ask for a roll call.

The motion to lay on the table was lost, yeas 0, nays 7.

Yeas—0.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

The question came on the passage of the order.

The order was passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

2. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred February 11) for loan of \$145,000 for Dartmouth Street Bridge—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—8.

Nays—0.

3. Report on order (referred February 11) for loan of \$100,000 for improvement of Sullivan Square Playground—that the order ought to pass.

Coun. LANE—Mr. President, I am going to refrain from voting at all on this order, as I am on many of the other loan orders that are coming after this. I am going to vote for the orders sent in here by the Mayor for needed improvements, such as \$800,000 for sewers and \$800,000 for street improvements; but I don't think the Council should stultify itself by appropriating more money under loan orders than the borrowing capacity of the city will allow, although undoubtedly these proposed improvements are things that would benefit the districts concerned and are things that should be done. But I cannot put myself in the position of appropriating more money than the city has within its borrowing capacity. So I will refrain for that reason from voting for certain orders.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I favor the improvements that are mentioned in the several orders reported by the Committee on Finance, but my position in the matter is somewhat like Coun. Lane's. I cannot see where I can consistently vote for loan orders that aggregate a sum greater than our borrowing capacity, especially in view of the fact that not more than one month of the year has passed and eleven months more are yet to come when there may be some very necessary matters calling for loans brought to our attention. I want each member to feel, however, that I have no prejudice against his order or against the particular improvement he has in mind. I sympathize with the other members in their efforts, because I feel that many of these orders will be vetoed. That, of course, is none of our business. However, I cannot vote consistently and conscientiously for orders that I know if they all pass today, will eat up all the available money provided in our borrowing capacity. I think perhaps it is just as well that I say no more, because my remarks might be misunderstood by the authors of the several orders. I am willing to vote at any time and will vote at any time for orders carrying improvements such as have been suggested, when I feel that the money is at hand to take care of them. I shall, however, refrain from voting for several orders here because I cannot consistently vote "yes" on them, and I cannot vote "no," because I believe in the improvement proposed in the orders. I shall, therefore, allow my position to stand in that way.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, while I believe that the situation is going to be rather a complex one as the thing is presented to his Honor the Mayor, at the same time I see no possibility of the members of the Council absolving themselves from voting for any of the orders. The duties and obligations of the Council are to place before the authorities the needs of certain sections. A man in one part of the city brings forward a certain improvement affecting his section, a man in another part of the city brings forward an improvement in which the people of his section are interested. The Mayor has to look into the matter and decide which, if either, of the things should be taken care of. It is for the Mayor, of course, setting one thing on one side as against another thing on another side, to arrive at a decision. He is confronted with the solution of that problem and can approve what he thinks is most necessary. As representing the public, the people of our various sections, we are not taking a position one way or another. One order is offered by one councilor, and we pass it; another order is offered and we pass that, and it is then for his Honor the Mayor to decide. I want to stand up here and say that I am glad to vote for all of them, and I don't feel that I am stultifying myself in so doing. I am glad to present these things to the Mayor of the city for his consideration. Everybody knows that he will be the sole and final judge on every order voted upon here this afternoon.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I, too, side in with Coun. Gilbody. Taking such orders as have been presented here by the members interested, his Honor the Mayor will not have a chance to favor one as against another until they are sent in to him. The Mayor has already set his approval on \$2,400,000 sent in by him in the form of orders to the City Council. There are other matters in which the members of the Council are interested, and which we are acting upon here, as representing certain districts. Those in turn should be sent to his Honor the Mayor, who can approve or reject them. One order that is passed may fail, another may succeed. The dilemma is for the Mayor. He has to weigh the considerations for or against each order, having in mind the welfare of the general public. The Mayor having already approved loans aggregating about \$2,400,000, leaving

\$1,800,000 for various district improvements, it strikes me that the most logical thing is for us to pass the orders that we think should be passed and to let the Mayor make the decision. In fact, I cannot see the other side of it. We have some rights in the matter of originating loans and we should not give up our rights entirely in the matter of presenting orders for loans. After we have presented such orders and they have been passed, the Mayor is faced with the dilemma of making the choice. There may be a certain thing in the South End, in Dorchester or in East Boston with regard to which he thinks immediate action should be taken, as against proposed improvements in other sections. The Mayor said at one time that he did not object to public criticism, and he is bold in his criticism, particularly when he thinks he is right. He is the one who finally has to arrive at a conclusion, and I believe after we have passed these orders the Mayor will do the right thing. He will accept those things that appear to be wise both politically and from the standpoint of administration, and those that appear unwise politically and from the standpoint of administration he will reject. But I cannot understand the logic of any man who will claim that these orders should not be presented here and should not be passed by us, bearing in mind the procedure that must necessarily take place on all such matters. While I admire the high type of administration shown by the two councilors opposite (Coun. Lane and Watson), the course that they always follow, and while I applaud the Goo-Gos, I feel that in this case as a Goo-Goo I will have to vote with the majority of the gang against the minority of two, 50 per cent Goo-Goo and 50 per cent gang, who are united at this time.

Coun. WATSON—That almost brought out a laugh, Billy!

Coun. HEALEY—All right.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair would state that under our rules when the roll is called each member is supposed to vote on a matter one way or the other. Of course, I realize that there is no way to compel anyone to vote if he does not desire to do so. I merely call attention to the rule of the Council, however.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, let me suggest for the benefit of the Chair that this is a charter provision and not a rule, and I wish to say that I shall refrain from voting on any question when I cannot consistently vote "yes" or "no" regardless of the charter provision.

President DONOGHUE—The Clerk will call the roll.

The report was accepted and the order was passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

Nays—0.

4. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred February 11) for loan of \$350,000 for Charities Administration Building, etc.—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 7, nays 1.

Yeas—Coun. Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue—1.

5. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred February 11) for loan of \$100,000 for Faneuil Hall Building—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 7, nays 1.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—Coun. Purcell—1.

6. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred February 11) for loan of \$275,000 for East Boston Ferry, Improvements, etc.—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—8.

Nays—0.

7. Report on order (referred today) for loan of \$500,000 for new municipal building, Charlestown—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted; order passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

Nays—0.

8. Report on order (referred today) for loan of \$350,000 for new courthouse, Dorchester—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted; order passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

Nays—0.

9. Report on order (referred today) for loan of \$500,000 for municipal building, Ward 5—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order rejected (a two thirds vote being necessary), yeas 5, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Purcell, Walsh—5.

Nays—0.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I move that the matter lie on the table because I think Coun. Brickley would like to be recorded upon it.

Coun. GILBODY—I object, Mr. President.

Coun. WATSON—I am perfectly satisfied, Mr. President, if the gentleman objects.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I desire to grant courtesy, but the councilor has been absent on the roll calls on every order here, and I don't think he can take objection to not having an opportunity to be recorded on this.

Later in the session Coun. MORIARTY moved a reconsideration of the vote rejecting the order, and the question came on its passage.

The order was passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—7.

Nays—0.

10. Report on order (referred February 11) for loan of \$50,000 for Randolph Street Playground—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

Nays—0.

11. Report on order (referred February 18) for loan of \$50,000 for Garvey Playground—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

Nays—0.

12. Report on order (referred February 18) for loan of \$50,000 for improvement of Tenean Beach Playground—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

Nays—0.

13. Report on order (referred February 11) for loan of \$55,000 for Cherry Street Playground—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on petition of Mary A. Haverty (referred today) for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Boston College Hall, February 29.

Report accepted; permit granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on communication from Street Commissioners (referred February 11) giving notice of hearings on petitions for storage and sale of gasoline—that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; communication placed on file.

3. Report on order (referred today) requesting the Mayor to submit to the City Council a loan order for a playground in the North End—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

4. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for transfer of \$3,000 to Courthouse, West Roxbury, Remodeling—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

5. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for loan of \$16,000,000 in anticipation of taxes—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

6. Report on communication from Finance Commission (referred today) concerning real estate expert fees—that the same be placed on file with a recommendation that his Honor the Mayor will reject the recommendations of said commission.

The report was accepted and the question came on the passage of the order.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I desire to say that I am in sympathy with the remarks throughout the chamber with regard to this matter, but I do not see my way clear to vote for the recommendation, because, as I look at it, we find ourselves riding two horses, as I said in the Executive Committee meeting. We condemn the Park Square Trust for selling the land for \$22 a foot to the city, and at the same time we have no condemnation of

the man who recommended that \$30 a foot be paid. I don't see how we can take those two inconsistent positions.

The report was accepted and the order was passed.

ORDINANCES.

Coun. HEALEY, for the Committee on Ordinances, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on ordinance (referred February 11) for increase of salary of the City Registrar—that the ordinance ought to pass.

Report accepted; ordinance passed.

2. Report on ordinance (referred today) concerning street railway cars in Peabody square, Dorchester—that the ordinance ought to pass.

Report accepted; ordinance passed.

SIDEWALK, CENTRE STREET.

Coun. PURCELL offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Centre street in front of Nos. 428-450, inclusive, between Boylston street and Oak View terrace, Ward 15, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SALE OF CHAIR TO EX-COUNCILOR HAGAN.

Coun. LANE offered an order—That the Superintendent of Public Buildings be authorized to sell to former Councilor Henry E. Hagan the chair occupied by him while he was a member of the City Council, said chair to be sold for the sum of one dollar.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. PURCELL moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 5.29 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. GILBODY, to meet on Monday, March 3, at two o'clock p. m.

Monday, March 3, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE presiding, and all the members present.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

His Honor Mayor Curley submitted the following appointments, subject to confirmation of the Council, for the term ending April 30, 1924:

John L. Crowley, 63 Belcher circle, East Milton, Weigher of Coal; Gerard E. Cassidy, 2012 Centre street, West Roxbury, Frank R. Barone, 282 Hanover street, Frank S. Spring, 47 Mattapan street, Dorchester, and James A. Parker, 166 Huntington avenue, Constables.

Edward Keefe, 9 Foster street, Brighton, and Henry J. Kelley, 11 Elcho street, Brighton, Weighers of Beef.

John J. Heaney, 275 Congress street and Mason G. Howard, 85 St. Botolph street, Weighers of Goods.

Severally laid over under the law.

DISPOSAL OF WATER INCOME SURPLUS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, March 3, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works in reply to the order passed by your honorable body on February 18, 1924, relative to the disposal of surplus money received from water income for the past two years.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston.

Public Works Department,
February 23, 1924.

To the Honorable the Acting Mayor:

In reply to order introduced in City Council by Councilor Purcell on February 18, 1924, requesting a report as to the disposal of surplus money received from water income for the past two years, the following is submitted:

At the end of the fiscal year 1922-1923 there was turned over to the city treasury from water income \$234,233.01. At the end of the year 1923-24 the surplus of water revenue was \$97,570.41 (estimated). In accordance with law both of these amounts were credited in favor of redemption of city loans.

This information could have been obtained directly from the auditor's office, as it was through that source that it came to the writer.

Yours respectfully,
J. A. ROUBEK,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I am bright enough to know that I could get that information without that letter coming in in this way. He has not answered the question I asked. I asked what was done with the surplus money in the two previous years, not what went to the city debt, and this communication does not answer what I asked. If it is in order, I would like to have the Commissioner of Public Works appear here and tell us himself. That is what I thought was asked for in my order when I put it in.

President DONOGHUE—The order will be referred to the Executive Committee, and the Commissioner of Public Works will be requested to appear before that committee.

The order was referred to the Executive Committee.

FURNISHING FOREST HILLS COURT-
HOUSE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 3, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the attached communication from the Superintendent of Public Buildings requesting additional funds for the completion and furnishing of the Courthouse at Forest Hills, and I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Buildings Department,
March 1, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—I respectfully request that the following transfer be made in the special appropriation of the Public Buildings Department:

From the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, Site, \$2,500, to the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, Completion and Furnishings, \$2,500.

This request is made owing to the fact that there were certain features in connection with the furnishings that were eliminated at the time this building was furnished owing to the lack of funds, but the articles requested come wholly within the special appropriation for the furnishing of the building.

Respectfully yours,
FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, Site, \$2,500, to the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, Completion and Furnishings, \$2,500.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LUMP SUM BUDGET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 5, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Under the provisions of section 3, chapter 436, of the Acts of 1909, the Mayor is required to submit the budget within thirty days after the beginning of the fiscal year.

Under existing law the city may raise \$6.52 on each one thousand of the average valuation

for three years, less abatements, for general municipal purposes, exclusive of schools. When it is considered that the yield of this figure is approximately \$10,750,000 and that our salary requirements alone for 1924-25 total \$16,000,000, no further comment is needed to show the inadequacy of the present law to provide for the needs of the city.

The Legislature is now considering our request to use as a tax limit for 1924-25 the sum of \$13.25. Until this request has been acted upon it is impossible for me to submit to your honorable body the annual budget in full segregated form.

In order to avoid any question being raised as to the submission of a budget within the time limit stated in the city charter I submit herewith a budget in lump sum form.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

APPROPRIATIONS AND TAX ORDERS FOR THE
FINANCIAL YEAR 1924-25.

Ordered, That to meet the current expenses payable during the financial year beginning the first day of February, 1924, or performing the duties and exercising the powers devolved by statute or ordinance, or by vote of the City Council during the year, upon the City of Boston or the County of Suffolk, or the departments or officers thereof, and to meet their respective obligations for interest on debt, sinking fund requirements and maturing debt not provided for by sinking fund, the respective sums of money specified in the tables and schedules hereinafter set out be and the same are hereby appropriated for the several departments and for the objects and purposes hereinafter stated.

Ordered, That the appropriations for Water Service, current expenses, and the payment to the state under the provisions of chapter 488 of the Acts of 1895, and acts in addition or amendment thereto, and for the interest and debt requirements for loans issued for water purposes, be met by the income of said works and any excess over income from taxes; that the appropriation for Printing Department be met by the department income and any excess over income from taxes; that the appropriation for *City Record* be met by the income of said publication and any excess over income from taxes; that the other appropriations hereinafter specified be met out of the money remaining in the treasury at the close of business on January 31, 1924, exclusive of the money raised by loan or needed to carry out the requirements of any statute, gift, trust or special appropriation, and by the income of the financial year, beginning February 1, 1924, and taxes to the amount of \$15,949,386.81, and that said amount be raised by taxation on the polls and estates in the City of Boston.

Ordered, That all sums of money which form no part of the income of the city, but shall be paid for services rendered or work done by any department or division, or for any person or corporation other than the City of Boston, be paid into the general treasury, and that all contributions made to any appropriation be expended for the objects and purposes directed by the several contributors thereof.

Ordered, That all taxes raised to meet the appropriations of the city and all taxes assessed for meeting the city's proportion of the state tax of the year 1924, or any other taxes or assessments payable to the Commonwealth, be due and payable on the fifteenth day of October, 1924; that interest shall be charged on all taxes remaining unpaid after the first day of November, 1924, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 59, section 57, of the General Laws, until paid, except the taxes assessed upon shares of national banks, which shall bear interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the fifteenth day of October, 1924, until paid; and that all interest which shall have become due on taxes shall be added to and be part of such taxes.

Ordered, That except as the appropriation for any purpose or item shall be increased by additional appropriations or by transfers lawfully made, no money shall be expended by any department for any of the purposes or items designated in the tables and schedules hereinafter set out in excess of the amount set down as appropriated for such specific purpose or item; and except as aforesaid, no salaries or wages shall be paid in excess of the rates specified in said tables and schedules.

AMOUNTS ALLOWED, 1924-25.

Art Department	\$1,850 00
Assessing Department	150,000 00
Auditing Department	45,000 00
Boston Conservation Bureau	20,000 00
Boston Retirement Board	9,000 00
Boston Sanatorium	250,000 00
Budget Department	5,000 00
Building Department	121,000 00
Board of Examiners	2,500 00

Board of Appeal	4,200 00
City Clerk Department	29,500 00
City Council	23,500 00
City Council Proceedings	6,200 00
City Documents	24,000 00
City Planning Board	4,400 00
Collecting Department	98,000 00
Election Department	103,500 00
Finance Commission	24,000 00
Fire Department	2,200,000 00
Wire Division	55,000 00
Health Department	358,000 00
Hospital Department	825,000 00
Institutions Department:	
Central Office	41,000 00
Boston Almshouse and Hospital, Child Welfare Division	241,000 00
Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard"	100,200 00
Suffolk School for Boys	40,000 00
Law Department	1,200 00
Library Department	46,000 00
Licensing Board	481,000 00
Market Department	22,500 00
Mayor, Office Expenses	9,600 00
Public Celebrations	42,000 00
Conventions, etc.	12,000 00
Overseers of the Public Welfare Department	750,000 00
Temporary Home	4,000 00
Wayfarers' Lodge	7,000 00
Park Department	950,000 00
Cemetery Division	80,000 00
Police Department	2,700,000 00
Public Buildings Department	300,000 00
Public Works Department:	
Central Office	54,000 00
Bridge Service	250,000 00
Ferry Service	265,000 00
Lighting Service	452,000 00
Paving Service	780,000 00
Sanitary and Street Cleaning Service	1,520,000 00
Sewer Service	300,000 00
Registry Department	30,000 00
Reserve Fund	321,324 26
Sinking Funds Department	1,500 00
Soldiers' Relief Department	500,000 00
Statistics Department	7,500 00
Street Laying-Out Department	100,000 00
Supply Department	27,000 00
Treasury Department	37,000 00
Weights and Measures Department	25,000 00
Bridges, Repairs, etc.	60,000 00
Ferry Improvements	30,000 00
Granolithic Sidewalks	30,000 00
Reconstructing and Repairing Streets by Contract	895,952 55
	\$15,915,826 81

City Debt Requirements	\$3,500,000 00
Jail	\$100,500 00
Suffolk County Courthouse, Custodian	81,000 00
Suffolk County Courthouse, County Buildings	50,500 00
County Buildings	45,000 00
Supreme Judicial Court	36,000 00
Superior Court, Civil Session, General Expenses	275,000 00
Superior Court, Civil Session, Clerk's Office	85,000 00
Superior Court, Criminal Session, Probate Court	270,000 00
Municipal Court	14,000 00
Municipal Court, Charlestown District	210,000 00
East Boston District Court	16,000 00
Municipal Court, South Boston District	15,500 00
Municipal Court, Dorchester District	12,500 00
Municipal Court, Roxbury District	12,000 00
Municipal Court, West Roxbury District	35,000 00
Municipal Court, Brighton District	12,000 00
Boston Juvenile Court	7,800 00
District Court of Chelsea	15,000 00
Registry of Deeds	12,000 00
Index Commissioners	84,000 00
Insanity Cases	9,600 00
Land Court	15,000 00
Medical Examiner, Northern District	3,000 00
Medical Examiner, Southern District	13,000 00
Associate Medical Examiner, Northern District	8,400 00
Associate Medical Examiner, Southern District	1,150 00
Miscellaneous Expenses:	
Auditing Department	1,150 00
Collecting Department	600 00
Treasury Department	660 00
Sheriff	3,100 00
Granite Avenue Bridge	1,900 00
	1,600 00

Social Law Library.....	600 00
House of Correction.....	145,000 00
	<u>\$1,593,560 00</u>
County Debt Requirements.....	<u>\$90,000 00</u>
Printing Department	<u>\$200,000 00</u>

City Record, Publication of.....	\$17,500 00
Public Works Department, Water Service	\$840,000 00
Collecting Department, Water Division	25,000 00
Water Service, Debt Requirements	30,000 00
	<u>\$895,000 00</u>

RECAPITULATION OF AMOUNTS ALLOWED FOR 1924-25.

From taxes:	
For city purposes within the tax limit.....	\$15,415,826 81
City debt requirements.....	3,500,000 00
	<u>\$19,415,826 81</u>
County of Suffolk:	
General purposes	\$1,593,560 00
Debt requirements	90,000 00
	<u>1,683,560 00</u>
City and county total.....	<u>\$21,099,386 81</u>
From revenue:	
Printing Department	200,000 00
City Record, Publication of.....	17,500 00
Public Works Department, Water Service.....	\$840,000 00
Collecting Department, Water Division.....	25,000 00
Water Service, debt requirements.....	30,000 00
	<u>895,000 00</u>
	<u>\$22,211,886 81</u>

BASIS OF ESTIMATES.

1923-1924.

Average valuation, \$1,606,575,806.95.	
\$12.75 on the thousand brings.....	\$20,483,841 54
Estimated income	5,095,000 00
Amount available for appropriations inside tax limit.....	<u>\$25,578,841 54</u>

1924-1925.

Average valuation, \$1,651,200,431.88.	
\$6.52 on the thousand brings.....	\$10,765,826.81
Estimated income	5,150,000 00
Amount available for appropriations inside tax limit.....	<u>\$15,915,826 81</u>

WAYS AND MEANS OTHER THAN TAXES FOR 1924-25.

An estimate of the ways and means, other than taxes, of meeting expenditures of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk for the financial year 1924-25.

Boston Sanatorium	\$80,000 00
Building Department	60,000 00
City Clerk Department.....	16,000 00
Collecting Department	30,000 00
Fire Department	30,000 00
Health Department	18,000 00
Hospital Department	220,000 00
Institutions Department:	
Infirmary Division	7,500 00
Child Welfare Division.....	6,000 00
Interest	350,000 00
Library Department	15,000 00
Licensing Board	45,000 00
Market Department	148,000 00
Mayor	40,000 00
Overseeing of the Public Welfare Department	325,000 00
Park Department	75,000 00
Pedlers' Liens	5,000 00
Police Department	40,000 00
Public Buildings Department.....	17,000 00
Public Works Department.....	300,000 00
Registry Department	11,500 00
Soldiers' Relief Department.....	61,000 00
Street Laying-Out Department.....	65,000 00
Weights and Measures Department	10,000 00
County of Suffolk.....	425,000 00
Corporation Tax	2,500,000 00
Street Railway Tax.....	200,000 00
	<u>\$5,150,000 00</u>

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

PLAYGROUND NEAR JEFFERSON SCHOOL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 3, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen.—I beg to submit herewith an order providing for an appropriation for the establishment of a playground in the vicinity of the Jefferson School, Roxbury district.

A similar order was introduced on January 7, 1924, but lapsed through the failure of the City Council to act within the prescribed time.

This order is presented in response to a petition signed by some 4,000 residents of this section and, in addition, has been recommended favorably by the City Planning Board and the Park Commission.

I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$85,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the Park Commission for the purpose of acquiring land for playground purposes in the vicinity of the Jefferson School, Roxbury and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

FIRE ALARM HEADQUARTERS, BACK BAY FENS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 3, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen, I transmit herewith report of the Fire Commissioner requesting that an additional appropriation in the sum of \$150,000 be provided for the completion of the new fire alarm headquarters to be located in the Back Bay Fens, it being desirable that this work be started at the earliest possible date and prosecuted with the utmost vigor, since the necessity for its immediate completion is imperative.

I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Fire Department, February 29, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—On February 6, 1924, the following proposals were received and opened at this office for work under the general contract for completing the fire alarm signal station in the Fenway in accordance with advertisements in the *City Record*:

S. L. Milton Company.....	\$250,655
Thomas O'Connor & Co.....	268,787
Alco Contracting Company.....	279,823
W. H. Whitcomb Construction Company	279,998
I. F. Woodbury & Sons Company.....	279,948
John MacDonald Construction Company	283,952
A. Piotti Company.....	284,878
Joseph Rugo.....	297,000
C. S. Cunningham & Sons Construction Company	312,700
John B. Dolan.....	315,000

No award has been made as yet in connection with this contract, because the appropriation for constructing this building and equipping it is not sufficient. For your Honor's information I submit below a list of the other items which will be expended out of the appropriation:

Heating and ventilating.....	\$ 18,850
Plumbing	5,153
Electrical work.....	7,390
Architects fees.....	22,150
Contract for fire alarm equipment.....	217,000
Conduit work, including material.....	22,600
Proposed conduit connections to building	6,000
Cable terminal posts and installations....	4,500
Cable contract.....	41,000
Installation of cable.....	12,000
Edison Company services.....	1,200
Telephone installations.....	2,000
Total	<u>\$359,843</u>

Adding the total of other items and the building contract we have an expenditure of over \$600,000. This does not take into consideration any extras which are bound to arise in such an important and exacting piece of work as the erection of a fire alarm station. Nor have we included any estimates for furniture which will be necessary for the new building.

I earnestly request therefore that an additional appropriation of \$150,000 be provided in order that we may proceed with the work at once. The same reasons that were given for a new station might well be applied here. The time has arrived for a larger fire alarm station, located away from any risk of any kind. To curtail our plans or reduce the capacity of the building or equipment would be the wrong step to take. The plans and proposals have been gone into very thoroughly and every attempt has been made to meet all the requirements at the lowest possible cost. Greater amounts have been expended in other cities for buildings of this character and in my opinion the City of Boston is fortunate to be able to erect a first-class fire alarm station and equip it with the proper machinery for the total sum of \$650,000. It should be borne in mind that the building we are erecting will take care of the future growth of the city for at least a hundred years and overcome the disadvantages which we have suffered for the past decade in our present fire alarm station, which is now overcrowded and overloaded to a serious extent.

Yours very truly,
THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 309 of the Acts of 1923 an additional sum of one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000), be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Fire Commissioner for the establishment of Fire Alarm Signal Station within the limits of the Back Bay Fens, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

PETITION FOR REDUCED ELECTRICITY PRICE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 3, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith report of the Corporation Counsel relative to the present status of the city's petition for a reduction in the price of electricity as requested in the order of your honorable body dated January 28, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Law Department, February 14, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—In accordance with the order of the City Council passed January 28, 1924, directing that the Law Department, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to furnish the Council in writing with a statement of the present status of the city's petition for a reduction in the price of electricity, I beg leave to submit herewith "suggested draft for

communication to be sent by the Law Department to the City Council" . . . as submitted to me by Hon. Arthur D. Hill, special counsel for the City of Boston, who is prosecuting this investigation. I make no amendment to Mr. Hill's "suggested draft" for the reason that I believe it to be adequate and trust sincerely that the members of the Council will find it so.

I inclose herewith also Mr. Hill's letter to me dated February 13 and direct your attention especially to his suggestion that it might be wise for himself and myself, together with an expert representing the city, to have a personal talk with the City Council in executive session relative to the electric light data now in the possession of the city.

Awaiting the comments of your Honor and the City Council, I beg leave to remain,

Very respectfully yours,

E. MARK SULLIVAN,
Corporation Counsel.

Hill, Barlow & Homans.

53 State Street, February 13, 1924.

Hon. E. Mark Sullivan, Corporation Counsel,
Tremont Building, Boston, Mass.

My dear Mr. Sullivan.—This is in reply to your letter of 1st February in which you request me to draw up a brief statement such as in my judgment will adequately meet the requirements of the order of the City Council passed 28th January to the following effect:

"That the Law Department, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to furnish the Council in writing with a statement of the present status of the city's petition for a reduction in the price of electricity."

I inclose such a draft herewith, to which I will add for your own information, as the head of the City Law Department, that I purposely made it as brief and general as possible for the reason that I do not believe it is for the interests of the city's case that a detailed discussion should be gone into at the present time, as such discussion would necessarily involve a communication of our plans to the Edison Company.

In your letter you also refer to a second resolution passed at the same time, which is as follows:

"That his Honor the Mayor, be requested to furnish the Council such data as he may have or will have later relative to the contemplated contracts for gas and electricity," and suggest that I might be able to furnish "helpful details" in the matter of the electric light contract. As to this, I feel that the wisest plan would be for you and me and an expert representing the city to have a personal talk with the City Council in executive session. The Edison Company has recently filed a new schedule of street lighting rates applicable to all the cities and towns other than Boston which it serves. It is probable that the Edison Company will suggest a new contract with the City of Boston based on these rates. With that in mind I have had prepared a computation showing exactly what the increased cost to the city would be over the rates which it is now paying under the existing contract. This computation shows that the price paid by the city would be something over \$90,000 a year greater under the new rates than under the present contract. There are many considerations bearing on the question of a new contract which occur to me, but for obvious reasons it seems to me that it would be to the best interests of the city to confer on the matter orally.

Very truly yours,

ARTHUR D. HILL,

SUGGESTED DRAFT FOR COMMUNICATION TO BE SENT BY THE LAW DEPARTMENT TO THE CITY COUNCIL IN RESPONSE TO THE ORDER PASSED 28TH JANUARY 1924, REQUESTING A STATEMENT "OF THE PRESENT STATUS OF THE CITY'S PETITION FOR A REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF ELECTRICITY."

The petition of the city for a reduction in the price of electricity was originally started in connection with another petition filed by the Mayor and the Edison Company for arbitration and determination by the Department of Public Utilities of city rates for street lighting under the arbitration clause in the street lighting contract between the city and the Edison Company. By the terms of that contract such arbitration was required to be held to determine the rates to be charged the city under the second five-year period which began December 7, 1919. It was apparent that any satisfactory determination of the street lighting contract might require a readjustment of the company's other rates, and

it also appeared on investigations in connection with the street lighting rates that the company's rates were too high in certain other of its schedules and required a general readjustment. A petition for reduction of rates was accordingly filed. It was the sense of the City Council, as well as of the then Mayor, Hon. Andrew J. Peters, and of the Law Department, that application should be made to the Department of Public Utilities for a reduction of rates, and a petition was accordingly filed. This action has since received the indorsement of the present executive, and the City Council has been constant in its support.

By order of the Department of Public Utilities the city's petition for reduction of rates, as well as the petition for arbitration under the street lighting contract, were ordered to be heard in conjunction with another petition for reduction of rates previously filed by certain private citizens and in charge of Mr. Grenville S. MacFarland. These three petitions, together with other subsidiary matters, are still before the commission and a large number of hearings have been had and much evidence has been put in.

In the orderly presentation of the case the evidence offered by the consumers, represented by Mr. MacFarland, must be completed before the city's case can be finished. This results:

(1.) From the fact that Mr. MacFarland's petition had been filed and much evidence on it had been taken some time before the city's petition had been put in; and

(2.) Because Mr. MacFarland and counsel representing the city, who have throughout been in complete and cordial co-operation, agreed that this was the strongest way in which the case for a reduction could be presented.

Mr. MacFarland's case has not yet been completed. He has, however, informed the counsel for the city that it is his intention to go on with the hearings at an early date.

In the meantime the city has made an extensive examination of the company's books and has placed before the Department of Public Utilities much evidence, both oral and tabular, tending to show that the rates charged by the Edison Company should be reduced. Much other evidence has also been prepared for submission to the department, and the city's case has been carefully studied so that it should be presented in the most effective manner possible. In proceedings of the character of this investigation the preliminary studies of the facts and their arrangement for effective presentation necessarily require much time, for the city believes this case can be closed in a comparatively short time after Mr. MacFarland has completed his evidence. It is satisfactory to note that in the meantime during the pendency of these proceedings there have been substantial reductions made by the Edison Company in its rates.

At the time the city's petition was filed the lighting rate for the ordinary householder was 10 cents per kilowatt hour, and in addition to this rate the Edison Company imposed a surcharge of 10 per cent and an additional charge under the "coal clause," so that the rate was approximately 12 cents per kilowatt hour. On March 1, 1921, the surcharge on that rate was reduced to 5 per cent. On May 11, 1921, a new coal clause more equitable to the consumer was substituted for the previous clause. On March 1, 1922, the coal clause was abolished with regard to this rate and the entire surcharge was taken off. On September 1, 1922, the rate under this schedule was reduced to 9½ cents per kilowatt hour, and on February 1 of this year the householders' lighting rate was further modified so that the present price is 9½ cents per kilowatt hour for the first 1,000 kilowatt hours per month, 8 cents per kilowatt hour for the next 4,000 kilowatt hours, and 3½ cents per kilowatt hour for all electricity used above that amount.

It would seem a fair inference from the facts that the pendency of the consumer's petition and that of the city has exercised a beneficial influence on the policy of the Edison Company with reference to reduction in rates, and has already amply justified what has been done. Counsel believes that a continued vigorous prosecution of the cases will result in further substantial reductions of rates. Counsel is prepared to appear before the City Council at any time and explain any detail of the situation.

Placed on file.

RAILROAD POLICE.

Notice was received from the Boston & Maine Railroad of the appointment of certain railroad police officers under date of January 31, 1924.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Apex Chocolates Company, for compensation for damage to car by city team.

Antonio Colorusso, for compensation for damage to property at 145 Cottage street by shutting off water.

Harold F. Cook, for compensation for clothing stolen at the City Hospital.

Thomas F. Desmond, for compensation for clothing stolen at the City Hospital.

Mary F. Donovan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Eliot square.

Louis Favazza, for compensation for damage caused in avoiding collision with fire apparatus.

Marie Fountas, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Seneca street.

Lyman W. Gale, for compensation for damage to car by city team.

Rae E. Gallagher, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in West Springfield street.

Rebecca Goldberg, for compensation for injuries caused by snow falling from roof of City Hall.

Ernest H. Hurd, to be paid for unused refuse tickets.

Walter Kowalski, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Nashua street.

Ray T. Langenbach, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

John D. Lavandier, for compensation for clothing stolen at the City Hospital.

Gaylord M. Leonard, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Arlington street.

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Margaret McLean, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Fred J. McPherson, for compensation for injuries received at the Fenway Playground.

Arthur J. Peterson, for compensation for clothing stolen at the City Hospital.

Leo E. Raftery, for compensation for property stolen from locker at Curtis Hall.

Joseph Tartasky, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 118 Chambers street.

Althea A. Tougas, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Harvard avenue.

Howard L. Tufts, for compensation for damage to car by city team.

Charles L. Walker, for compensation for damage to car by city team.

Executive Committee.

Louise M. Barry, for children to appear at Convention Hall on March 3, 1924.

PETITIONS FOR STORAGE AND SALE OF GASOLINE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Street Laying-Out Department,
February 29, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen:—The following petitions for the storage and sale of gasoline have been received and will be heard on Monday, March 10, 1924:

Max Uroff, 19-23 Cliff street, Ward 13, 1,000 gallons.

The Fisk Rubber Company, 18 and 20 Deerfield street, Ward 8, 4,000 gallons.

Mary M. O'Brien, 3032 Washington street, Ward 25, 2,000 gallons.

James Balladino, 1401 Centre street, Ward 23, 1,000 gallons.

Henry L. Sullivan, 2099 Centre street, Ward 23, 1,000 gallons.

George Hagopian, 198 Washington street, Ward 19, 1,000 gallons.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN, Secretary.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

BOSTON ELEVATED PETITION FOR JITNEYS.

The following was received:

Boston Elevated Railway,
31 St. James Avenue, Boston,
March 1, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The undersigned hereby applies for a license to operate four motor vehicles in

the City of Boston for the purpose of carrying passengers over the route and at the rate of fare hereinafter set forth and hereby agrees to observe the regulations contained in the ordinance relating thereto and to file the bond and obtain the other licenses required by said ordinance.

TERMINI AND ROUTE.

From the junction of High and Broad streets, via High street, Batterymarch street, Franklin street, Arch street, Summer street and High street to Broad street, with the following stopping places:

On Franklin Street: Batterymarch street, Oliver street, Pearl street, Congress street, Federal street, Devonshire street, Arch street.

On Summer Street: Arch street, Bedford street.

On High Street: Federal street, Congress street, Pearl street, Oliver street, Batterymarch street, Broad street.

Rate of fare, five cents, without transfer.

SCHEDULE OF OPERATION.

Time leaving junction High and Broad streets, 8 a. m. and every 15 minutes to 6 p. m.

Time leaving Summer and Arch streets, 8.05 a. m. and every 15 minutes to 6.05 p. m.

Daily except Sundays and holidays.

It is proposed to run such trips in addition to the above schedule as may be required to adequately meet traffic conditions.

Seating capacity, twenty-five in addition to the driver.

Description, gasoline motor bus, body of the front entrance prepayment type, mounted on a chassis especially constructed for passenger traffic with four-cylinder gasoline motor.

BOSTON ELEVATED RAILWAY COMPANY,
by EDWIN DANA,
General Manager.

Referred to the Committee on Jitney Licenses.

PAYMENT TO MOTHER OF BEATRICE ROSENBLATT.

Coun. HEALEY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby approves the enactment of legislation to authorize the payment of a sum of money to the mother of Beatrice Rosenblatt.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

\$500,000 FOR NEW HOSPITAL.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That the sum of \$500,000 be and hereby is appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the City Hospital Trustees for a new hospital building, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

ENLARGEMENT OF BRIGHTON COURT-HOUSE.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the sum of \$150,000 be and hereby is appropriated, to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings for the enlargement and reconstruction of the courthouse, Brighton, and that to meet the said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

WIDENING ADAMS STREET.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the Street Commissioners prepare and submit an estimate on the cost of widening Adams street, Dorchester, between Dorchester avenue and Park street, to a width of 65 feet.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

ELEMENTARY AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL, DORCHESTER.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor request the School Committee to consider the establishment of an elementary and intermediate school in the area included in Centre street, Dorchester

avenue, Melville avenue and Washington street, Dorchester.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

LOAN FOR SEWERAGE WORK.

On motion of Coun. HEALEY the councilor took up under unfinished business No. 2, as follows:

2. Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 426 of the Acts of 1897, as amended by chapter 204 of the Acts of 1908, the sum of \$800,000 be and hereby is appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works for sewerage works, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr President, I ask, if there is no objection, that No. 2 be sent to the Executive Committee and that the Commissioner of Public Works be invited to come before us, as I understand that he has some interesting information he can give us on this order.

The order was referred to the Executive Committee.

MUNICIPAL BUILDING AND GYMNASIUM, SOUTH BOSTON.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That the sum of \$500,000 be appropriated, to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings for a municipal building and gymnasium in South Boston, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, bonds or certificates of indebtedness to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

RECESS.

A recess was taken subject to the call of the Chair at 2.42 p. m., and the Council reassembled and were called to order by President DONOGHUE at 5.16 p. m.

FINANCE REPORTS.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Finance, submitted the following:

1. Report on the order (referred today) that the sum of \$500,000 be appropriated to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings for a municipal building and gymnasium in South Boston, and that to meet that appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, bonds or certificates of indebtedness to said amount for said purpose—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted, order passed, yeas 0, Coun. Lane not voting on the ground that the orders already passed by the Council for loans exceed the debt limit:

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—7.

Nays, 0.

2. Report on the order (referred today) that under authority of chapter 309 of the Acts of 1923 an additional sum of \$150,000 be appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Fire Commissioner for the establishment of fire alarm signal station within the limits of the Back Bay Fens, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

3. Report on the order (referred February 11) that the sum of \$800,000 be and hereby is appropriated for highways, making of, under the provisions of chapter 393 of the Acts of 1905, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness to said amount—that the same ought to pass.

In connection with the proposed appropriation the Street Laying-Out Department submits the following:

City of Boston,
Street Laying-Out Department,
March 3, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The following list showing the streets which are to be constructed this year, or on which construction is to be started, is respectfully submitted for your information.

I am directed to call to the attention of your honorable body the fact that this program may not be carried out in its entirety as it is felt that necessary street changes may come up during the year which might require immediate action to prevent the incurring of excessive land damage.

Respectfully,
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

	Estimated Cost of Construction.
Bradeen street, West Roxbury.....	\$20,000
Ashley street, East Boston.....	30,000
Caledonia avenue, West Roxbury.....	14,700
Grove street, West Roxbury.....	105,000
Kilmarnock street, city proper.....	15,000
Clafin street, South Boston.....	17,500
Beryl street, West Roxbury.....	25,300
Monastery road, Brighton.....	41,200
Province street, city proper.....	23,000
Public Alley No. 544.....	6,000
Bath street, city proper.....	800
Woodbrier road, West Roxbury.....	13,600
Blanford road, Brighton.....	19,600
Nottingham road, Brighton.....	45,000
Standard street, Dorchester.....	33,600
Ayr road, Brighton.....	6,000
Price road, Brighton.....	6,000
Leston street, Dorchester.....	20,000
Ifley road, West Roxbury.....	25,000
Halford road, West Roxbury.....	8,700
Metropolitan avenue, West Roxbury....	8,600
Clementine park, Dorchester.....	9,800
Ethel street, West Roxbury.....	9,900
Wildwood street, Dorchester.....	32,600
Pondview avenue, West Roxbury.....	16,000
Redlands road, West Roxbury.....	43,300
Blackwell street, Dorchester.....	10,000
Bowman street, Dorchester.....	14,000
Bolster street, Roxbury.....	7,600
Harrishof street, Roxbury.....	30,000
New England avenue, Dorchester.....	20,800
Sunset Hill road, West Roxbury.....	21,200
Sterling street, Roxbury.....	5,326
Mark street, Roxbury.....	4,290
Dalkeith street, Dorchester.....	3,500
Winton street, West Roxbury.....	4,500
*Chauncy street, Boston.....	200,000
*Kneeland street, from Tyler to Albany street, Boston.....	75,000
*Somerset street, extension to Court street, Boston.....	60,000
	\$1,051,816

The report was accepted and the order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

4. Report on the message from the Mayor, transmitting communication from Commissioner of Public Works with reference to order passed by the City Council February 18, relative to disposal of surplus money received from water income for the past two years (referred today)—that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; said communication placed on file.

5. Report on the order (referred today) authorizing the City Auditor to transfer from the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills Site, to Courthouse, Forest Hills, Completion and Furnishings, \$2,500—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

6. Report on order (referred February 11) appropriating \$800,000 for sewerage works—that the same ought to pass.

In connection with the above the following communication was received:

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
February 21, 1924.

Mr. John E. Baldwin, Clerk of Committees:

Dear Sir,—Attached find list of proposed construction of sewerage works under the \$800,000 loan order, requested in your letter of February 19.

This list may not be strictly adhered to, but at this writing it is the intention to spend the appropriation as listed.

Yours very truly,

J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

PROPOSED SEWERAGE WORKS, 1924-25.

Grove street outlet in Dedham, private land and Washington street.....	\$120,000
Outlet for Grove street in Centre street, Glendale road and Keystone street.....	31,500
Weld street and outlet.....	29,900
Parkvale road.....	9,000
Willowdean avenue.....	5,000
Realton road.....	2,200
Stony brook.....	150,000

*Streets not yet voted as public highways by Street Commissioners.

La Grange street.....	9,500
Fowle street.....	3,700
Elm Hill avenue.....	11,600
Dorchester and Hyde Park, small petitions received	50,000
Pumping station and Moon Island.....	75,000
Shepard brook, Brighton.....	45,000
Dorchester brook, in Humphreys street,	58,000
Petitions during year.....	50,000
Wesley street, South Boston.....	4,800
Cambridge street, city proper.....	12,600
Sewerage works necessary on permanent pavement program.....	50,000
Moore street outlet.....	9,000
"393" streets	75,000
	\$801,800

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 7, nays 2, Coun. Moriarty and Purcell voting nay.

USE OF SURPLUS WATER INCOME.

Coun. PURCELL offered an order—That the Corporation Counsel be requested to furnish the City Council with a written opinion as to the right of the city to use surplus water income for the extension of mains and the high pressure system.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

SIDEWALK ON M STREET.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along 225 M street, Ward 10, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT.

President DONOGHUE called up No. 1 on the calendar, as follows:

1. Action on appointment of William A. Kelly to be a Weigher of Beef.
The question came on confirmation. Committee, Coun. Walsh and Moriarty. Yeas 9, and the appointment was confirmed.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on petitions for storage and sale of gasoline, submitted by Street Laying-Out Department of the Street Commissioners as having been received, a hearing on same being given February 25, as follows:

Checker Taxi Company, 4 St. Botolph street, 1,000 gallons.

William F. Goode, 871 Commonwealth avenue (25) 2,000 gallons.

John H. North, Brookline avenue and Audubon road (8) 8,000 gallons—that the communication be placed on file.

Report accepted; communication placed on file.

2. Report on resolutions (referred January 28) relative to the transaction concerning the Park square location for police headquarters, recommending that said resolution be amended by inserting the names of the trustees of the Park Square Trust in said resolution, and that as amended the resolution be passed.

The resolutions were therefore amended by inserting, where the Park Square Realty Trust is referred to, the names of the trustees of the Park Square Realty Trust for the year 1922, when application for abatement of assessment was made, as follows:

Amory Eliot, Edgar R. Champlin, Frederick J. Bradlee, George S. Smith and Charles F. Adams.

The resolutions, as amended by the insertion of the above names of the trustees, were passed.

The resolutions, as thus amended, read as follows:

Whereas, The City of Boston has added to the unearned increment on certain land held by the Park Square Real Estate Trust (composed of Amory Eliot, Edgar R. Champlin, Frederick J. Bradlee, George S. Smith and Charles F. Adams, as trustees) by the widening and extension of Stuart street at an expense of \$2,600,000; by the extension of Arlington street at an expense of \$600,000; by the construction of exits and entrances at Arlington and Boylston streets for Boston Elevated Railway service at an expense of \$1,200,000; and

Whereas, Said certain land was assessed at \$15 a square foot in 1922, and was reduced to \$13 a square foot in 1923, at the request of the Park Square Real Estate Trust; and

Whereas, Said land was taken by the Street Commissioners at \$22 a square foot for police headquarters, its real estate expert having advised said commissioners that the value of the land was at least \$30 a square foot;

Be it resolved, That the City Council of Boston is of the opinion that the request of the Park Square Real Estate Trust for an abatement of taxes on said land was not justified and did not reflect a high standard of citizenship; and

Be it further resolved, That the City Council is of the opinion that a closer co-ordination of the Assessing and Street Laying-Out Departments should have taken place in the taking of said land for a police headquarters.

The report was accepted, and the resolutions as amended were adopted.

3. Report on petition of Louise M. Barry (referred today) for children to appear at Convention Hall on March 3, 1924—that permits be granted.

Report accepted; said permit granted on the usual conditions.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. GILBODY, the Council refused a general reconsideration of all action taken today.

Adjourned, on motion of Coun. WATSON, at 5.30 p. m., to meet on Monday, March 10, at two p. m.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

CURATOR OF THE ZOO, BOSTON PARK DEPARTMENT, MARCH 18, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year.

Applicants should have had experience in the care of animals of all kinds. The curator should have a special knowledge of the feeding, cleaning and proper housing of all animals and birds; he should have experience in moving animals from one cage to another, and from one point in the Zoological Garden to another, and experience in handling employees under him.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

WATER INSPECTORS AND METER READERS, MARCH 21, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the various cities of the Commonwealth and of such towns as are classified under civil service. From the eligible list established as a result of this examination, names will be certified to fill present vacancies and such other vacancies as may occur.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; report writing, 1; practical questions, 4; total, 10.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Upon filing application, persons will receive a manual of information pertaining to the work of water inspector and meter reader, upon which the practical questions will be based. Applicants are, however, cautioned to inquire personally or by letter should they fail to receive this manual of instruction.

FOREIGN TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE PAST YEAR WITH RANK OF TEN LEADING PORTS.

Exports, \$4,485,122,696 or \$3,742,893,611 (i. e., 45.5 per cent) less than in 1920; to European countries, 52.71 per cent; to North American, 25.19 per cent; Asian, etc., 14.39 per cent; South American, 6.09 per cent; African, 1.62 per cent.

Imports, \$2,509,025,403 or \$2,769,456,087 (i. e., 52.5 per cent) less than in 1920; from European countries, 30.49 per cent; from North American, 30.08 per cent; Asian, etc., 26.04 per cent; South American, 11.78 per cent; African, 1.61 per cent. Total foreign commerce in 1921, \$6,994,148,099 (i. e., 48.2 per cent) less than in 1920. Excess of exports over imports, \$1,976,097,293.

New York, ranking first among U. S. ports, handled 43.79 per cent of total commerce or 1.95 per cent less than in 1920; New Orleans (2d) 7.64 per cent; Galveston (3d) 6.74 per cent; Philadelphia (4th) 3.62 per cent; Detroit (5th) 3.45 per cent; San Francisco (6th) 3.24 per cent; Boston (7th) 3.22 per cent; Norfolk (8th) 3.13 per cent; Buffalo (9th) 3.06 per cent; Ogdensburg (10th) 3.00 per cent. Of value of all imports 62.26 per cent free of duty. Total duties collected \$305,475,485 or \$25,755,956 less than in 1920. Of total export value, 61.54 per cent applied to manufactured and partly manufactured materials, 22.47 per cent to crude materials for use in manufacturing and 15.81 per cent to foodstuffs (crude) and food animals.

Exports in American ships, 36.04 per cent of total in 1921; 43.65 per cent in 1920. Imports in American ships, 34.98 per cent of total in 1921; 42.02 per cent in 1920.

Net tonnage entered in 1921, total of 62,284,997, of which 50.07 per cent was American; cleared in 1921, 62,657,167 and 48.17 per cent American.

Boston's rank for many years as the second importing port changed to fourth place in 1917, Seattle taking second place and San Francisco third, probably due to war conditions. In 1918 Boston advanced to third place and was but slightly behind Seattle. In 1919 it regained its former rank of second and held it in 1920 and 1921.

LOCAL LABOR UNIONS.

On January 1, 1922, number of local unions reporting, 348, with 114,883 members (14,480 less than in 1921) or 101,745 men and 13,138 women. Percentage of local union members unemployed on March 31, 1921, 30.3; on June 30, 23.1; on September 30, 20.0; December 31, 24.8.

EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOL MAINTENANCE PER CAPITA (RANKING FROM HIGHEST).

Los Angeles, \$14.82; New York, \$12.32; Boston, \$12.10 (as corrected); Pittsburgh, \$11.82; Cleveland, \$10.42; St. Louis, \$9.40; Chicago, \$8.88; San Francisco, \$8.20; Philadelphia, \$7.73. (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1920, Preliminary Reports.)

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Feb. 25, 1924.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:31 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of Jan. 28, 1924, on page 238, were amended as follows:

To provide that the discontinuance of the leave of absence for study of Julia R. O'Brien, assistant, Continuation School, shall read Jan. 24, 1924, instead of "Jan. 23, 1924."

To provide that the discontinuance of the leave of absence for study of Leroy K. Houghton, submaster, Robert Gould Shaw District, shall read Jan. 22, 1924, instead of "Jan. 21, 1924."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

The following appointment by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the date stated, was presented:

SUBSTITUTE NURSE.

Department of Medical Inspection—Anna E. Donovan, school nurse, Feb. 4 to Feb. 15, 1924, inclusive. Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

William E. Russell District—Katharine A. Burns, first assistant in charge, Feb. 11, 1924, one-half day without pay.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Ellen M. Wight, teacher of sewing, Feb. 11, 1924, one day, funeral.

Department of Medical Inspection—Simon F. Curran, M. D. school physician, Feb. 8, 1924, one day, without pay; William F. Dolan, M. D. school physician, Feb. 5, 12, 1924, two days, without pay.

On recommendation of the Superintendent, the following leave of absence, granted at the meeting of Dec. 10, 1923 (p. 214), was discontinued on the date stated at the request of the teacher:

Sherwin District—Annie Golden, instructor, special class, Feb. 25, 1924.

ATTENDANCE AT EASTERN MUSIC SUPERVISORS CONFERENCE.

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That John A. O'Shea, Director of Music, is hereby granted leave of absence without loss of pay Mar. 4 to 7, 1924, four days, to attend the Eastern Music Supervisors Conference to be held at Rochester, New York, at an expense not to exceed seventy-five dollars (\$75).

EXTENSION OF APPRENTICESHIP CLASSES, BOSTON TRADE SCHOOL, EVENING CLASSES.

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to extend the current term of the apprenticeship classes of the Boston Trade School, Evening Classes, from Mar. 31, 1924, to and including Apr. 29, 1924.

GARDENING, SEASON OF 1924.

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the instruction in gardening be conducted during the season of 1924 from Mar. 1 to Dec. 31, the summer term of which shall coincide with the summer vacation period.

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to appoint teachers of gardening to the following ranks for service during the season of 1924:—

Supervisors of gardening (for the season)

Garden Teachers (for the season)

First assistants, gardening (for the summer term only)

Garden assistants (for the season)

Assistants in school gardens (for the season)

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to make such emergency appointments as may be necessary for service in gardens during the season of 1924.

On the recommendation of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That any teacher of gardening appointed for the season of 1924 may be transferred by the Superintendent from one position to another for which said teacher holds the required license, and said teacher shall be paid according to the schedule established for the position actually filled during any session certified to by the Associate Director of Manual Arts.

CERTIFICATION OF ATTENDANCE OFFICERS.

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Feb. 16, 1924, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible for appointment to fill two vacancies as attendance officers:

Albert J. Kelley, Joseph W. Gaughan, William Flynn, Edward F. Manning, Arlita D. Parker, Agnes T. Doyle, Mary T. Mahoney and Rose H. Cooper.

Placed on file.

ELECTION OF CHIEF ATTENDANCE OFFICER.

The Board proceeded to the election of a Chief Attendance Officer.

The members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows:

For CONSTANTINO F. CIAMPA—Miss Curtis—1.

For HENRY C. MURPHY—Mr. O'Hare—1.

For RICHARD F. QUIRK—Dr. Scannell—1.

For JOSEPH W. HOBBES—Mr. Sullivan—1.

For GEORGE H. NEE—Dr. Bogan—1.

The Chairman declared that there was no choice.

The Board proceeded to a second roll call, with the following result:

For JOSEPH W. HOBBES—Miss Curtis, Messrs. Scannell, Sullivan and Bogan—4.

For HENRY C. MURPHY—Mr. O'Hare—1.

The Chairman declared Joseph W. Hobbs duly elected Chief Attendance Officer, to take effect Feb. 26, 1924.

ELECTION OF ATTENDANCE OFFICERS.

The Board proceeded to the election of attendance officers to fill three vacancies.

A roll call being requested, the members as their names were called respectively stated that they voted as follows to fill the first vacancy:

For JOSEPH W. GAUGHAN—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

The Chairman declared Joseph W. Gaughan duly elected attendance officer, to take effect Feb. 26, 1924.

The members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows to fill the second vacancy:

For WILLIAM FLYNN—Messrs. Bogan, O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—4.

NOT VOTING—Miss Curtis—1.

The Chairman declared William Flynn duly elected attendance officer, to take effect March 1, 1924.

The members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows to fill the third vacancy:

For AGNES T. DOYLE—Miss Curtis and Dr. Scannell—2.

For EDWARD F. MANNING—Messrs. Bogan, O'Hare and Sullivan—3.

The Chairman declared Edward F. Manning duly elected attendance officer, to take effect March 1, 1924.

AMENDMENT TO RULES.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Feb. 15, 1924, recommending that the rules be amended to provide that he shall annually prepare and submit to the Board at the beginning of each financial year or as soon thereafter as may be practicable, detailed estimates showing the probable cost of the maintenance of the school system for the current financial year, based on the conditions existing as of January 1st preceding, instead of December 1st as heretofore.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rules be amended as follows:

Section 99, paragraph 1. Strike

out the word "December" in the last line of the paragraph and substitute the word—January—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

SECT. 99. 1. He shall annually prepare and submit to the Board at the beginning of each financial year or as soon thereafter as may be practicable, detailed estimates showing the probable cost of the maintenance of the school system for the current financial year based on the conditions existing as of January 1 preceding.

Laid over.

PAYMENT OF EMPLOYEES ON WEEKLY PAY ROLLS.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Business Agent is authorized to pass for payment the salaries of all employees on the weekly payroll through Thursdays on Thursday of any week in which a holiday falls on Friday or Saturday of that week.

AMENDMENT TO SCHEDULE OF EXTRA COMPENSATION FOR CUSTODIAN SERVICE.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Schedule of Extra Compensation for Custodian Service be amended, to take effect Mar. 1, 1924, as follows:

Section 9, paragraph 3. Strike out the paragraph and substitute the following:

3. The following shall each be reckoned as the equivalent of one settie:

- 1 portable desk with chair.
- 1 table.
- 1 blackboard or similar piece of furniture.
- 5 chairs or similar pieces of furniture.

ANNUAL REPORT, BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF PERMANENT SCHOOL PENSION FUND.

The sixteenth annual report of the Board of Trustees of the Permanent School Pension Fund for the year ending Jan. 31, 1924, was received, from which it appears that the total amount appropriated for pensions during that year was \$112,460.31; reimbursement received from the State, \$71,179.97; paid for pensions during the year, \$145,165.60; unexpended balance paid to the treasurer of the fund for investment, \$38,474.68. Total fund, \$461,359.84. Total number of teachers drawing pensions Jan. 31, 1923, 354; number added during 1923-24, 17; deaths during the year, 18; number now drawing pensions, 353.

Placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The order laid over at the meeting of Feb. 18, 1924, amending section 16, paragraph 1 of the rules, providing that sessions of the Board shall be open, was taken up.

Mr. Sullivan asked to be recorded as of the opinion that the proposed amendment of Section 16 in no way affects the purpose contemplated in his motion as submitted at the meeting of Feb. 4, 1924 (see p. 8); that it in no way relieves the situation which his order sought to amend; consequently, he will vote against it.

A roll call being requested, the order was passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Scannell—4.

NAYS—Mr. Sullivan—1.

The order laid over at the meeting of Feb. 18, 1924, amending section 151, paragraph 1 of the regulations, relating to the length of the school term, was taken up and passed, to become effective for the school year, 1924-25, Dr. Scannell voting in the negative.

The order laid over at the meeting of Feb. 18, 1924, amending section 154, paragraph 5 of the regulations, relative to vacations allowed the school nurses, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Feb. 18, 1924, amending sections 264 and 326 of the regulations, establishing tenure provision and promotional examination requirements for re-entrants to the service, was taken up and passed.

The communication from the Boston Elementary Teachers' Club, laid over at the meeting Feb. 4, 1924 (see p. 8), requesting approval of the Board of proposed legislation to allow voluntary retirement at age of sixty years, was taken up and placed on file, the Board expressing its approval of the proposed legislation.

ADJOURNED.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary.

CITIZENSHIP, BOTH SEXES, ALSO FAMILIES.

Native white citizens, 246,816; foreign born whites naturalized, 102,822; Negro citizens, 12,086; total citizens, 361,724. Foreign born whites remaining aliens, 118,214. Only 56.30 per cent of the citizens registered for voting purposes in 1920 (for City Election) and of the 203,666 who did register only 30.53 per cent voted. Coming to the final facts to be remembered, only 17.2 per cent of the citizens of Boston took part in electing the three members of the City Council and two members of the School Committee in 1920, these five candidates taking office at the will of only 8.3 per cent of the citizens, which was more than sufficient to elect. On the question of permitting Sunday Sports and Games, 10.9 per cent of the citizens voted in favor and 4.3 per cent against, 7.7 per cent being more than sufficient for a majority in favor. The City Election of 1920 reveals the most flagrant case of minority rule ever noted in Boston, not more than one-ninth of the women citizens being interested enough to vote.

Total families in 1920, 164,785 or 3,679 more than in 1915. As this shows a larger increase of families than of persons (*i. e.*, 2,621) since 1915, here is another discrepancy that discredits the 1920 Census. As 4.63 represents the average number of persons to a family, 3,679 families would contain 17,034 persons. The U. S. Census of 1920 shows a net increase of only 2,621 persons since 1915.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

Mar. 18. The Call of the Mountains. Le Roy Jeffers, Secretary, Associated Mountaineering Clubs of North America; Librarian, American Alpine Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)

Mar. 20. Our Guardians of Life and Property. (Motion pictures.) Speakers from the Boston Fire and Police Departments. Boston Conservation Bureau.*

Mar. 27. Browning and Ruskin; Prophets of the Twentieth Century. Agnes Knox Black (Mrs. E. Charlton Black).

Apr. 3. Gothic Grandeur; how Rheims Cathedral was built. Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J.

Apr. 10. The Revelation of Spain. Ralph Adams Cram, Litt.D., LL.D.

Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

Mar. 9. Books and Life. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt.D.

Mar. 16. Master Music for Young People. Malcolm Lang. With musical illustrations.

Mar. 23. Fundamentals in the Theatre, Old and New. F. W. C. Hersey, A.M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. (Drama League Course.)

Mar. 30. The Bible in Stained Glass. Joseph G. Reynolds, Jr. With lantern illustrations.

* The program arranged by the Conservation Bureau of the City of Boston will consist of motion pictures, silent informational screen talks, singing by the audience, and a brief address.

Apr. 6. Recreational Opportunities of Boston. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Mrs. Eva W. White, General Director, Community Service of Boston. Boston Conservation Bureau.*

Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations.

Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A Program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

Mar. 10. Around the Bay of Naples. Miss Ellen C. Page. Illustrated.

Mar. 24. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry Austin Higgins, Secretary, Massachusetts Prison Association.

Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.

Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)

May 12. Annual Meeting.

THE NEW ENGLAND POETRY CLUB.

The following free talks in the Lecture Hall on the second Wednesdays of the month at 4.30 o'clock, with illustrative readings, are announced:

Some Influences in Modern American Poetry.

Mar. 12. Carl Sandburg. Amy Lowell.
Apr. 9. Robert Frost. Norreys Jephson O'Connor, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Mt. Holyoke College.

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SHOWS WHY \$13 TAX LIMIT IS URGENT FOR THE CITY'S EXPENDITURES IN 1924-25.

MAYOR CURLEY PRESENTS BRIEF TO LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL FINANCE EXPOSING INIMICAL AND FALLACIOUS REASONING OF FINANCE COMMISSION IN OPPOSING REQUEST—CHARGES MALICIOUS MISSTATEMENTS OF FACTS OF SUCH PROFUNDITY AS TO BECOME AN INJURY TO CITY.

Mayor James M. Curley presented the following brief to the Legislative Committee on Municipal Finance in defence of a \$13 tax limit:

To the Honorable the Committee on Municipal Finance, State House, Boston, Mass.:

GENTLEMEN,—An examination of the statements presented to your committee by the chairman of the Finance Commission on Tuesday last, in support of his recommendation that the tax limit for Boston for 1924-25 be fixed at \$11.25, reveals a number of misstatements of facts and figures which are not only misleading on the tax limit question but are also inimical to the financial structure of the city. When an individual occupying the position and prominence of the chairman of the Finance Commission boldly but blindly makes such statements as "department heads are criminally liable because of illegal expenditures," "the segregated budget is a joke," "City is spending money as if ocean were treasury,"—these statements, though unfounded and unsupported, leave an impression in the minds of those who hear or read them that it is practically impossible to counteract or correct, even though as much publicity may be given to the correction as was given to the original misstatement.

In recommending a tax limit of \$11.25, as opposed to the request of the city officials for \$13, it can be charged that the

chairman of the Finance Commission was not interested in a reasonable and just settlement of the tax limit question but was deliberately seeking to create a false impression as to the manner in which city appropriations and expenditures are now directed and controlled. The Finance Commission in 1922 recommended a tax limit of \$12 and last year a limit of \$12.50. If, since the last recommendation of the Finance Commission, there had been any marked decrease in labor costs or in the prices of materials, supplies and equipment, then the commission, with reason, might have recommended a reduction in the limit for this year. As the members of this committee well know there has been no decrease in costs or prices, hence how can such a radical reduction of \$1.75 in the tax limit, or \$2,800,000 in appropriating power, be defended?

It is the purpose of this brief to indicate: First—The errors and omissions contained in the computations of the chairman of the Finance Commission;

Second—Additional facts and figures relative to the request of the officials of the city for a \$13 limit; and

Third—A complete disavowal and refutation of the charges of "illegal expenditure" and "extravagance" on the part of the present administration.

The following comparative set-up indicates the differences between the position of the chairman of the Finance Commission and that of the officials of the city on the matter of a basis for budget estimates:

FINANCE COMMISSION.	ITEM.	CITY.
\$359,969 58	Unexpended departmental balances.....	\$359,969 58
773,415 25	Excess revenue.....	638,172 76
236,165 79	Printing Department balance.....	
5,500,000 00	Estimated income other than taxes.....	5,150,000 00
18,576,004 00	Product of tax limit.....	21,465,605 61
\$25,445,555 48	Total appropriating power.....	\$27,613,747 95

Unexpended Departmental Balances.—Since both parties in the controversy are in agreement as to the amount of this item no further comment is necessary.

Excess Revenue.—The estimate of the Finance Commission on this item is \$135,242.49 in excess of the amount as

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URGES LIFE INSURANCE AS CERTIFICATE OF MAN'S CHARACTER.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS ADDRESS BEFORE STATE CONVENTION OF NEW ENGLAND ORDER OF PROTECTION.

Mayor Curley addressing the state convention of the New England Order of Protection at Ford Hall, March 12, said in part:

One of the most uncertain factors in life is life itself; and every prudent man, looking at the uncertain future seeks to make provision for the inevitable day that comes to all and for his dependents, when the protector and head of the family is gone. Prudence and provision should lead every man to lay by a little of his earnings that will create an emergency fund for the rainy day. Some use the savings bank, some use the insurance company and some both; but the far-seeing man gives preference to life insurance, which combines the saving value of the bank with the certainty of a sum greater than the savings of the bank, when settling day comes. Every man with dependents should carry life insurance whether it be in a commercial company, or a well-established, wisely-managed fraternal order; and having secured it he feels compelled to save; thrift becomes a useful habit with him; and having got rid of some of the anxieties that are ahead of him, he is happier, more contented and because of the feeling of safety that is his he becomes a better citizen and a more efficient worker.

The man who carries life insurance is a much safer citizen than the careless, easy-going spendthrift; he is interested in and concerned about good government; he feels that in working for good men in office and an economical administration of public affairs he is safeguarding his savings and protecting the nest egg of life insurance he is carrying for his family. Every man who takes out life insurance adds one more item to the stability of the community, one more obstacle in the path of financial radicalism.

There are many forms of life insurance; they are all good since they are a practical training in prudence, self-denial and thrift; and once the habit of saving is contracted a man's future looks safer. Old Ben Franklin was a consistent advocate of thrift and life insurance; he made the proverb "a penny saved is a penny earned" and he taught that the pennies we do not spend are the pennies that make a man wealthy.

The money we pay out for life insurance is a sound investment; it is working for us day and night; it earns other money that constantly accumulates, and it enables a man to say whatever happens his wife and babies are protected from the wolf at the door.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Tuesday, March 18, at two o'clock p. m.

Meeting of the School Committee, Monday, March 17, at 6.30 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 490.

Capt. Clinton E. Bowley of Division 17 having performed faithful service in the Police Department for twenty-eight and ten-twelfths years, and having requested to be retired from active service, and it appearing to the Police Commissioner that the said Captain Bowley is physically incapacitated for useful service in the Police Department, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that the said Capt. Clinton E. Bowley be retired from active service and that his name be placed upon the department pension roll with pay at the rate of seventeen hundred and fifty (1,750) dollars per annum, said sum being one-half of the amount of compensation received by him in the office from which he is retired; to take effect Saturday, March 8, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

Capt. Clinton E. Bowley exemplifies the possibilities of every officer of this department who is ambitious, conscientious, honest and industrious. During the brief period of seventeen years, upon merit alone, he rose from the rank of reserveman to captain. Upon his retirement from this department, after faithful service for more than twenty-eight years, I desire to express my deep appreciation of his devotion to duty and trust that his straightforwardness and honesty may serve as an example for the other members of this department.

Captain Bowley carries with him the good wishes of the entire department, and I trust that he may long enjoy his merited vacation from police duties.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

MAYOR MOURNS PASSING OF FAMOUS OLD BALL PLAYER.

Mayor James M. Curley was one of Pat Moran's greatest admirers. They became fast friends years ago when Pat was catching for the old National League team on the Columbus avenue grounds, and each has followed the career of the other with unbounded enthusiasm since.

When his Honor heard of the death of the manager of the Cincinnati Reds late Friday night, he sent the following message of sympathy:

MRS. PATRICK MORAN, Orlonda, Fla.:

I sincerely mourn with you in the passing of your devoted husband and one of the finest characters which the national pastime of this country has ever known. His sterling character, honor and integrity, his untiring devotion to his friends and his splendid service to those in the shades of adversity leave a blessed and inspiring memory. May God in His infinite mercy attend you during these sad hours.

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

GAS REGULATIONS AMENDED.

At a meeting of the Board of Gas-fitting Examiners, held March 8, 1924, it was unanimously voted by the Board that the amendment to the Revised Regulations on January 8, 1924, as follows:

"Section 10. There shall be a main cock on the service pipe close to the foundation wall, one cock at the inlet side of each meter and an automatic, fire-acting, gas shutoff on the inlet pipe, close to the meter, said shutoff to be of a type approved by the Board of Gas-fitting Examiners. When service pipes are over two inches, brass or composition, seated straight valves shall be used."

be suspended until further notice.

JOHN H. MAHONEY, *Chairman.*
DANIEL F. EGO, *Secretary.*

CHARGES FINANCE COMMISSION BUDGET BRIEF "AN ORGY OF FALSEHOOD."

MAYOR CURLEY DEFENDS LEGISLATIVE REQUEST FOR TAX LIMIT INCREASE BY SHOWING ANIMUS BEHIND OPPOSITION AND BRINGS OUT FACT THAT MOST OF EXPENDITURES DEEMED EXTRAVAGANT WERE NOT OF HIS MAKING.

Mayor Curley sent the following letter March 8:

HON. JOHN HALLIWELL, *Chairman Committee on Municipal Finance, State House, Boston:*

MY DEAR SENATOR,—The brief submitted by the chairman of the Finance Commission, upon investigation, discloses the fact that the chairman of the Finance Commission, has, during the past twelve months, failed to avail himself of the privilege of becoming familiar with the finances of the City of Boston, and as a consequence, once more becomes the target for the ridicule of men whose knowledge of municipal finance and administration represents a lifetime of experience and study.

It is most unfortunate that the chairman of the Finance Commission, apparently actuated solely by a desire for newspaper headlines, ignores facts, refuses to investigate and indulges in flights of fancy when dealing with a proposition of such importance to all the people as the administration of a large city. I deeply sympathize with Chairman Sullivan because of the ridiculous position in which he has wilfully and deliberately placed himself. It would have been possible for him to have avoided this humiliation provided he had been actuated by judgment rather than conceit.

A brief half hour with the Budget Commissioner or the City Auditor would have prevented what is now recognized as an annual error on the part of the Finance Commission. Upon examination, what the chairman of the Finance Commission terms "an orgy of expenditure" by the Mayor becomes "an orgy of falsehood by Chairman Sullivan," since substantially 82 per cent of the increases which the chairman of the Finance Commission characterizes as extravagance upon the part of the Mayor during 1923 were wholly beyond the control of the Mayor.

The chief item of expenditure in this sum involving \$1,416,116.11 was for pension accumulation fund which represented \$997,128. The Boston Retirement Pension System was adopted in 1922 upon recommendation of Judge Sullivan, chairman of the Finance Commission, and at the time was considered by him a great achievement and is today acknowledged by everyone in the service of the city as an excellent institution. Upon recommendation of eminent actuaries an accumulation fund sufficient to meet all possible requirements of the act was essential and consequently, an appropriation slightly less than one million dollars was necessary in 1923.

I am a firm believer in the pension system, in fact am favorable to a gen-

eral old age pension, yet I do not overlook the fact, like the eminent judge, that money is necessary to maintain a pension system. In fact the only way a pension system can be operated is through a proper expenditure of money and this money was made available in accordance with the statute provisions and the expenditure was beyond control of the Mayor.

The increased appropriation for the Police Department was in excess of a quarter of a million dollars. The Police Commissioner requested 100 additional traffic officers but only fifty were granted. The charge is made that every chance to save is wasted; yet despite this charge a saving was effected in the granting of only one half the number of men which the Police Commissioner deemed necessary.

It is true that we might have saved upon the equipment provided we had failed to supply uniforms, helmets, clubs, and firearms and the paraphernalia necessary to the equipment of the police officers but it would not, in my opinion, be sound policy even though it might have presented an opportunity to minimize what Judge Sullivan terms "an orgy of expenditure."

The debt requirements, likewise beyond the control of the Mayor, represented last year \$153,808.50 in excess of the previous year. In 1915, during my preceding term as Mayor, I favored an increase of \$2 in the tax rate each year, the revenue resulting from the increased tax to be expended for the extinguishment of outstanding debt of the city and if my memory serves me right, this project was not only opposed by the Finance Commission but by the Chamber of Commerce, despite the fact that its adoption in 1915 would have amortized the entire indebtedness of the city in a period of about twenty-five years. The remainder of the nearly one million and a half dollars, which the judge terms "an orgy of extravagance" is represented by an increase of \$712.88 in the Licensing Board, the abolition of which Board I have each year sought at Beacon Hill without the aid of the Finance Commission, and the sum of \$10,000 additional appropriated for the Finance Commission as a result of their petition to the Legislature, and consequently being wholly beyond my control.

The Finance Commission, which should set a good example for all departments, has been vicious in the extreme as the appropriation for the Finance Commission last year was 25 per cent greater than the preceding year. If every department of the city were granted an increase of 25 per cent in their appropriations last year it would represent an increase in the cost of conduct-

ing the activities of the city of approximately six million dollars, or in other words, would have increased the tax rate about \$3.50 on each thousand of valuation.

It is most regrettable that the chairman of the Finance Commission has failed to confer with the Budget Commissioner or examined the budget estimates of the various departments before making public his ridiculous and indefensible recommendation relative to a reduction in the tax limit for the City of Boston.

In recommending a tax limit of \$11.25 as opposed to the request of the city officials for \$13 it can be charged that the chairman of the Finance Commission was not interested in a reasonable and just settlement of the tax limit question but was deliberately seeking to create a false impression as to the manner in which city appropriations and expenditures are now directed and controlled. The Finance Commission in 1922 recommended a tax limit of \$12 and last year a limit of \$12.50. There has been no marked decrease in the price of materials and labor costs have shown an advance over last year. It has been public property for nearly a year that provision would be made in the budget of 1924-25 for an increase in the pay of laborers and mechanics in the employ of the city to the extent of 50 cents per day and an increase of \$100 per annum to all other employees of the city receiving less than \$1,800 per annum.

I consider the pledge made to the women who scrub the municipal buildings and the men who toil in the sewers as binding an obligation as though it were made to the wealthiest and most influential element of the municipality, and regardless of the position of the Finance Commission it is my purpose to keep faith with the workers in the service of the city. It is impossible to develop any degree of efficiency without loyalty and a square deal and the adoption of the recommendation of the chairman of the Finance Commission strips the city of every semblance of morality in the matter of loyalty and a square deal.

The adoption of the recommendation of the chairman of the Finance Commission would result in a reduction of the tax limit of \$1.75 or the equivalent of \$2,800,000 in appropriating power. It is my purpose to submit to the Committee on Municipal Finance a report drafted by the Budget Commissioner and if necessary the budget sheets of every municipal department, a cursory examination of which, even by the merest novice in the field of finance, will prove beyond question the stupidity and the malice of the chairman of the Finance Commission as contained in the brief submitted by him to the Committee on Municipal Finance.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

CLAIMS DISAPPROVED.

The Law Department has disapproved six claims against the city, aggregating \$1,889, and they are classified as follows:

Against the Fire Department, one, amounting to \$150; against the Police Department, one, amounting to \$114; against the Public Works Department, four, amounting to \$1,625.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for pergola at the rose garden, Franklin Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 20, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Advertises for proposals for repairing artificial stone sidewalk blocks for Water Service in Dorchester, West Roxbury, Roxbury and city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 25, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Allendale avenue, from Marsh street, 200 feet southeasterly, and Lenoxdale avenue, from Milton street, 130 feet southerly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,400. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Border street, at Central square, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for repairs to the city stable, Highland street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$600. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Columbia park, between Lawrence avenue and Hamilton terrace,

Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Elm Hill avenue, between Seaver street and Schuyler street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Pond View avenue, from Moraine street 300 feet southerly, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, March 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Congress street, between Atlantic avenue and Purchase street, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,200. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$225, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Fowle street and outlet, between Board of Survey street No. 2244 and Rowe street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,600. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in La Grange street, from Vermont street 500 feet southwesterly and outlet in Vermont street, between Alder street and La Grange street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$600 to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 26, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Harmon street, from Oakland street about 330 feet southwesterly, Dor-

chester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Regina road, from Alpha road about 275 feet westerly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Dorchester brook sewer, east fork, in Humphrey street, from Holden street to Dudley street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 11, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for laying and relaying water pipes in city proper, Roxbury and Dorchester districts, as per advertisement appearing in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in sections of Dorchester, Brighton and West Roxbury, as per advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for laying high pressure fire pipes in various downtown streets as per accompanying advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$110,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$15,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 27, at 12 m.

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MAYOR SCORES ALVAN T. FULLER FOR DISCOURTESY AT MASONIC AFFAIR.

SEVERELY CENSURES LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FOR INJECTING POLITICS INTO FRATERNAL MEETING AND FOR SCURRILOUS ATTACK—CALLS HIS EFFORT TO HIT POLITICAL OPPONENT BAD TASTE AND DISGRACE TO TRADITIONS OF STATE.

Mayor Curley sent the following letter on March 10 to Hon. Alvan T. Fuller:

DEAR SIR,—Your discourteous utterances made at the Masonic Club upon Saturday evening demonstrate and deepen the impression that your political methods are as odious as your financial morals. You made your appearance before that body the occasion for dramatizing another of your several reconciliations with the Hon. Joseph E. Warner, who recently pinned on you the humiliating condemnation of the courts for your gross and unmerited slanders of that gentleman. Your unctuous and transparently insincere repentance must be as embarrassing to Mr. Warner as it is distasteful to the public, and is inspired by your eagerness for public office, rather than by any genuine regret for your scandalous assaults on him.

It excites sympathy for the unfortunate Mr. Warner and but little respect for the automobile Cæsus; and it leads the public to fear that the "Golden Candidate" proposes to stage a series of political reconciliations as numerous as the final appearances of some stage veteran.

The bad taste of dragging the Masonic Order into your political campaign would hardly occur to you; that the oldest of fraternal orders might not enjoy being made a bob tied to the tail of your political kite has not occurred to you. You are not thin skinned; dragging the pride of an ancient and honorable body through the muck of politics is merely an incident in the malodorous political march of a dollar statesman. If any self-respecting Mason feels wronged and the order damaged by your unseemly methods, they can put in a bill after the campaign is over and the "Candidate with Cash" will settle cheerfully and apologize if necessary.

A society which goes back into the centuries and which on our soil has numbered among its membership such men as Washington, Jefferson, Madison, McKinley and Harding and an army of distinguished and patriotic Americans, should not be subjected to the vulgar political assiduities of a man like you, whose only merit is your riches and who appears to believe he can use the Masonic Order to serve his political purposes. I have a higher opinion of the ancient order, and I know what its reaction must be to the use of its members and meetings for the comic reconciliations and tawdry activities of Alvan T. Fuller.

I am a candidate for Governor of Massachusetts; I am a member of several fraternal societies; but I would blush to drag them into my political campaign. I propose to appeal to the Commonwealth and its citizens upon my merits, not my money, small as it is.

I will run as an American citizen, not as an Elk, a Knight of Columbus, or any other fraternity member. I will match my record against yours, my public service against your cash, character and conduct, and I will let the people of Massachusetts decide between us. I have not got enough money to buy the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and I do not believe that all of Alvan T. Fuller's millions can buy it.

There is nothing new in your money talk. You have been indulging in it ever since you bought your way into public life; but even your millions cannot hide your patent mediocrity, your neglect of political duty and your utter unfitness for public preferment and trust.

During your Congressional career your neglect of your official duties was notorious, and in a public debate it was pleaded in extenuation of your conduct by someone that you refused to draw your salary.

On February 27, 1918, Congressman Martin Dies answered your excuses of neglected duties in this fashion: "I do not know whether it is true or not, but someone told me that my friend from Massachusetts (Mr. Fuller) never drew his salary, would not have it, would not take it. I do not know upon what theory he goes. He says he is a business man and I think he must be a good business man. Probably he goes upon the theory that he has not done anything to earn it yet. I know the Bible says the laborer is worthy of his hire, and I know that a member of this great body, who sits upon the destiny of a hundred millions of people, if he is an honest and fearless man and does his duty, is entitled to his salary and I recommend to the gentleman that he take it. It will be the cleanest and best money he ever had in his pocket."

As between my money and yours, Mr. Fuller, your old friend Martin Dies has stated the case succinctly. In your Congressional days, when you neglected to do your duty and scornfully refused to draw your salary, you sought to make the public wage a scandalous thing and your business gains something to be bowed down to by the public and rewarded by the voters. You will learn in season, even though you learn slowly and painfully, that in this splendid old Commonwealth of high and honorable traditions, man and merit still outrank money and mediocrity in the opinion of our citizenry. In every political office to which you have been elected you have failed to give efficient public service, and you must not expect that at this late date you can cover up your failures and inefficiencies with your finances and fatuities.

The sneers and slanders you discharge at me in your stealthy round of surrepti-

tious appearances will not appeal to manly men and will recoil on you.

Your golden store will not lure the honest men of Massachusetts to your standard; they expect something nobler and higher than thrift in the man they elect Governor, and qualities you do not possess—ability to understand public needs, willingness to work for them, respect for American manhood and democratic principles. They will not send a gilded nonentity to Beacon Hill. One gilded dome there is sufficient; yours would be superfluous.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

BUILDINGS TO BE RAZED.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Building Commissioner to raze the following buildings as constituting fire menaces and nuisances.

To take down building on premises 9 Prospect street, Ward 5. The owner, Julia Granstein of 19 Arlington street, Cambridge, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 8 Granite avenue, Ward 20. The owner, Daniel Donovan of 8 Granite avenue rear, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 18 Oregon street, rear, Ward 14. The owners, the Mary B. Sullivan estate, care of Mary B. and Annie Sullivan of 870 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, have been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 29 Lawrence street, Ward 3. The owner, Erland F. Fish of 84 State street, Boston, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 136 D street, Ward 9. We have been unable to locate the owner, William E. Robinson, but have tacked a notice of the unsafe condition on the building.

To take down building on premises 1264 Massachusetts avenue, Ward 11. The owner, John M. Keane estate of 5 Centre avenue, Dorchester, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 532 East Third street, rear, Ward 9. The owner, Finn estate, care of Mary Finn of 625 East Second street, South Boston, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 714 River street, Ward 24. The owner, Cook's estate, care of Frank J. Cook of 177 State street, Boston, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 1258 Massachusetts avenue, Ward 11. The owner John M. Keane estate of 5 Centre avenue, Dorchester, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 11 Prospect street, Ward 5. The owner, Julia Granstein of 19 Arlington street, Cambridge, has been served with a notice but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

\$13 TAX LIMIT URGENT.

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determined by the City Auditor. This excess is explained by the fact that the chairman of the commission bases his estimate entirely on the "gross income other than taxes" received by the city during the year, and ignores purposely or otherwise cash refunds made during the year which obviously reduce the gross figure, and also the fact that the amount of taxes received during the year was less than the amount originally estimated. These two items, together with a small error made by the chairman of the Finance Commission in his computation of gross income, account for the difference between the figures of the Finance Commission and those of the City Auditor.

Cash refunds on income other than taxes.....	\$81,823 53
Difference between estimated and actual receipt of taxes.....	53,366 54
Error in computation of gross income.....	52 42
Total difference.....	<u>\$135,242 49</u>

The following table, based on the records of the City Auditor's office, indicates the manner in which the amount of "excess revenue" should be correctly computed:

Gross income other than taxes....	\$5,868,362 83
Less cash refunds.....	81,823 53
Net income other than taxes.....	\$5,786,539 30
Estimated income.....	5,095,000 00
Surplus income other than taxes, Estimated taxes..	\$48,066,612 14
Amount of taxes received.....	48,013,245 60
Difference between estimates and receipts.....	53,366 54
Net "excess revenue".....	<u>\$638,172 76</u>

Printing Department Balance.—Before discussing the claim of the chairman of the Finance Commission that this balance is "available for appropriation for the present fiscal year" it is desirable that two misstatements with reference to the Printing Department be corrected.

In the first sentence of the second paragraph on page 3 of the typewritten brief it is stated, "The city operates a Printing Plant, for which it makes no appropriation." The attention of the chairman of the Finance Commission is directed to pages 58 and 99 of City Document No. 52, 1923, which is the printed copy of the budget as passed by the City Council and approved by the Mayor. These pages clearly indicate that appropriations for the Printing Department are prepared with as much care and attention as for any other department of the city.

In the third sentence of the same paragraph it is stated, "there is now to the credit of the City Printing Plant the sum of \$236,165.79." It is assumed that "now" as used in this sentence refers to the date under which the brief was prepared, namely, March 4, 1924, because the actual balance credited to the Printing Department as of January 31, 1924, was \$153,351.18. If it is assumed for the sake of argument that the balance of this department should be considered "available for appropriation" then the latter figure would be used and not the amount as stated by Judge Sullivan.

Section 3 of the Amended Charter of 1909 provides that the City Auditor may "apply any of the income and taxes not disposed of in closing the accounts for the financial year in such manner as he (the auditor) may determine." For fifteen years this section has been interpreted to mean that the City Auditor may at the end of each year apply any unexpended balance either to meet deficits in other

departmental appropriations or to increase the surplus carried over into the next financial year. Any balance not applied in either of these ways is considered a special balance and is allowed to accumulate from year to year. In addition to the Printing Department balance there are the following special appropriations:

Reconstruction and repair of streets.
Granolithic sidewalks.
Bridges, repairs, etc.
Ferry improvements.
City Record, publication of.
Land and buildings for schools.

In every special appropriation there is a logical reason for the accumulation of balances. The balance of the Printing Department has been accumulating since the establishment of the department in 1898, and it is planned when the balance assumes sufficient proportions to utilize it for the erection of a modern printing plant.

Since the auditor has the right under the city charter to allow this balance to accumulate, and since as far as this particular balance is concerned this policy has been in existence for twenty-six years, it is difficult to see the force of the argument of the chairman of the Finance Commission that this year this balance is "available for appropriation."

Estimated Income.—The chairman of the Finance Commission is of the opinion that the estimate of income other than taxes as made by the City Auditor "is an inadequate estimate," and he therefore recommends that the auditor's total be raised \$350,000, "or from \$5,150,000 to \$5,500,000." The chairman does not bother to furnish details as to what items he believes to be underestimated; he is content, as usual, to make a broad statement which he considers axiomatic, since, of course, "the King can do no wrong."

The procedure involved in the preparation of the auditor's estimate is as follows: At the close of the fiscal year each department head submits in writing an estimate of what he considers will be the probable income of his department for the subsequent year. These estimates are compared with the actual income received during the year just closed, since the law permits an estimation as great as was actually received the prior year, but not in excess of what was actually received. The fact, however, that actual receipts are in excess of the estimates is not sufficient reason to increase the estimates, because the probability of future income must also be considered. As an illustration of the care that is necessary in estimating income let us consider the income item of interest. The total received last year amounted to \$529,121.18, yet the auditor estimates for the current year only \$350,000. This reduction is based largely on the fact that interest from overdue taxes will yield far less this year, due to the reduced amount of 1923 taxes now outstanding, as well as the early tax sale which will occur in April of this year rather than in September as in past years. If your principal is reduced and your interest term shortened then it is but common sense to anticipate a reduction in your interest item.

To base an estimate on the total actual receipts of the previous year without proper consideration of all the factors involved might place Boston in the position of those municipalities which are unable to meet their temporary loans in accordance with law. The appended table (Schedule A) shows the various

factors considered by the auditor in the preparation of his estimates for 1924-25.

Amount of Tax Limit.—The chairman of the Finance Commission recommends a tax limit of \$11.25 as opposed to the request of the officials of the city for a limit of \$13. In support of this recommendation the chairman believes that departmental allowances for 1924-25 should be regulated on the basis of the allowances and expenditures in 1923-24. To use his own words, "departments which exceeded their appropriations last year should be made this year to live within the same appropriations that were made for the mlast year; and . . . departments which had contributed to the deficit of those departments which exceeded their appropriations last year be reduced by the amount of their contribution." Such a theory might suffice for departments whose total appropriations do not exceed \$100,000 and whose work is fairly constant from year to year, but in the case of the larger departments whose appropriations run over the \$100,000 mark and whose activities are constantly varying it is not only unsound but absolutely absurd. It ignores entirely the fact that the basis of all appropriation bills or budgets is the estimates prepared by the heads of the various departments coming within the scope of the budget.

No better illustration of the fallacy of the above theory can be found than that which the needs and requirements of the Election Department for 1924-25 furnish. In 1923-24 the appropriations of this department totaled \$170,280.03, and the expenditures \$160,571.38. According to the theory of the chairman of the Finance Commission this department should be allowed for 1924-25 this latter figure, despite the fact that the department estimates for this year total \$264,347.78. In 1923-24 one election was held in Boston, namely, the city election of last December. This year four functions will be held—the presidential primary in April, the state primary in September, the state election in November and the city election in December. If the chairman of the Finance Commission had been willing to examine the estimates of the Election Department he would have observed the effect of these extra functions in the items on page 307.

For the first time since the adoption of the segregated budget the Finance Commission has deliberately ignored the estimate sheets prepared expressly for their use by the different departments. Is it any wonder, then, that no provision is made in the theory of the commission for logical and reasonable increases in appropriations such as are indicated below?

The Election Department is not the only division of the city government which illustrates the fallacy of the commission's position. The Hospital Department's appropriation for 1923-24 was \$1,330,678.44, its expenditures, \$1,475,681.88. Under the plan proposed by the chairman of the Finance Commission the Hospital Department would be allotted \$1,330,678.44, plus an additional allowance of \$100,000 for new positions. The estimates of this department for 1924-25 total \$1,862,688, the excess being required for supplies and equipment for the new Out-Patient Department, extraordinary repairs to the heating plant, X-ray and electrical equipment, reasonable and just salary increases to the physicians, nurses and lower paid employees and additional supplies and furnishings required because of increased population. Under the plan of the Finance Commission

none of these items are recognized, and yet who can say they are not reasonable requirements.

The chairman of the Finance Commission would allow the Overseers of Public Welfare the sum of \$1,269,817.37, despite the fact that the estimates of this department for two items alone, namely, mothers' aid and care of dependents, will total this figure. As anyone knows who has studied

the social problems of the day, these two items cannot be materially reduced; hence if the theory of Judge Sullivan is to be accepted it will be necessary for the forty-five employees of this department to work without compensation during the coming year. It will also be necessary for the department to function without any allowance for materials, supplies and equipment.

ITEM.	Expenditure, 1923-24.	Estimate, 1924-25.
Salaries of election officers	\$21,495 00	\$90,967 00
Printing of precinct lists	29,656 00	35,200 00
Cartage of ballots, etc	1,599 00	4,224 00
Rent of outside polling places	2,812 00	7,140 00
Ballots and office supplies	3,280 00	8,500 00
Suppers for assistant registrars *	324 00	2,000 00
	\$59,166 00	\$148,031 00

* Paid in lieu of overtime.

No mention is made in the chairman's brief as to increases in pay proposed for laborers and mechanics in the employ of the city. Increases for patrolmen, firemen, inspectors and other employees working under recognized sliding scales, and increases for employees receiving under \$1,800 are ignored. No allowance is made for the fact that this is a leap year, and therefore an additional day's pay must be provided for practically all employees. No consideration is given to the fact that increases made last year were applicable for only ten months of the year, while this year they will be applicable for the full twelve months. Increased street lighting costs and increased costs for the removal of ashes and garbage are also deliberately overlooked. The necessity for opening up new grave sections in city cemeteries is not considered worthy of mention. In other words, the chairman of the Finance Commission does not look upon the city as a going concern but feels that its activities can be maintained on a dead level basis. Need any further comment be made on such a theory?

Summarizing what has been said to this point, the argument of the chairman of the Finance Commission for a tax limit of \$11.25 is based, first, on an over-estimation of income and cash in the treasury totaling \$721,408.28, and second, on the false premise that allowances for a new year should be directly limited by the expenditures of the previous year. The financial officials of the city claim such an argument is radically unsound, and if the members of this committee should approve the recommendation of the chairman of the Finance Commission they would work untold hardship and inconvenience on the activities and services of the city during the current year.

\$13 TAX LIMIT.

The original tax limit request of the city for the current year was \$13.25. This figure was based on an estimated surplus of \$500,000. Since the submission of the original request the actual surplus has been determined as \$998,142.34, an increase of \$498,142.34 over the original figure. Twenty-five cents will produce on the present average valuation \$412,800.10, hence since the excess of the actual surplus over the estimated figure closely approximates the

yield of 25 cents the city is agreeable to a reduction of 25 cents in its original request. The request for \$13 may be further substantiated in this manner:

Excess requirements for 1924-25 as outlined in brief of Budget Commissioner	\$2,156,000 00
Less credits as follows:	
Surplus	\$998,142 34
Increase in income	55,000 00
Increase in appropriating power due to increased valuations	568,963 97
	1,622,106 31
Net excess requirements for 1924-25	\$533,893 69

Here again this figure closely approximates the yield of 25 cents on the average valuation, hence the officials of the city feel justified in asking for a tax limit which is 25 cents greater than that granted last year.

"ILLEGAL EXPENDITURE."

On page 2 of his brief the chairman of the Finance Commission states that at "the end of the last fiscal year ten departments had exceeded their appropriations in the sum of \$445,415.60." In an oral explanation of this statement the chairman claimed these excesses "were illegal" and that under the charter the department heads responsible for the same were "criminally liable." What are the facts in the matter?

The departments charged with "illegal expenditure" did actually exceed the amount of their original budget appropriations, but in each case the excess expenditure over the original allowance was provided by a transfer of additional funds in accordance with law. The fifth section of the appropriation order upon which the budget is based definitely provides for such happenings. The following is the language of this section: "Ordered, That except as the appropriation for any purpose or item shall be increased by additional appropriations or by transfers lawfully made, no money shall be expended . . . in excess of the amount set down . . ." The manner in which transfers can be lawfully made is provided in chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 and section 4, chapter 486, of the Acts of 1909. The chairman of the Finance Commission is familiar with these sections, because two years ago he endeavored

to have the latter chapter amended so as to curtail certain transfer powers of the City Auditor and to provide that all transfer requests be submitted to his commission before being approved by the Mayor and Council. Can it be that the refusal of the Legislature to approve his request that year still rankles to such an extent that he is willing to charge illegality of expenditure when he must know such is not the case? The appended table (Schedule B) clearly indicates the legality of the transfers questioned by the chairman of the Finance Commission.

"ORGY OF EXPENDITURE."

"A little knowledge is a dangerous thing." The force of this old saying is well illustrated in the remarks of Judge Sullivan upon what he terms the "extravagance of the past two years." Such catch phrases as "orgy of expenditure" and "every chance to save is wasted" have been given wide publicity in the public press. In support of these phrases the judge uses figures showing the subdivisions of the tax rate for the past three years. These figures indicate that while the portions of the rate applicable to schools and the state tax have decreased in two years, the portion applicable to the city has increased from \$11.53 in 1921 to \$13.62 in 1923. The learned judge immediately jumps to a general conclusion and charges the Mayor with complete responsibility for the increase. To use his own language before this committee, "In 1923 when school expenditures decreased \$1.36 the city officials found means of spending the entire saving." Let us examine the "means" used to spend this decrease.

The total warrant as shown on the 1923 tax bill was \$53,094,225.66, an amount \$247,542.77 in excess of the total of the 1922 tax bill. This excess was made up as follows:

Increase in city appropriations	\$1,715,419 28
Increase in county appropriations	181,618 62
Increase in state warrants	165,775 24
Gross increase	\$2,062,813 14
Decrease in schools	1,815,270 37
Net increase	\$247,542 77

An analysis of the increase in city appropriations shows the following to be true:

Beyond control of Mayor	\$1,416,116 11
Under control of Mayor	299,303 17
	\$1,715,419 28

In other words, 82 per cent of the increase for which Judge Sullivan charges the Mayor to be directly responsible proves on investigation to be beyond the Mayor's control. In order that there may be no question as to the strength of this statement, the following list is shown to indicate the make-up of that part of the increase for which the Mayor cannot be held responsible:

Pension Fund accumulation	\$997,123 00
Police Department	253,466 65
Debt Requirements	154,808 58
Finance Commission	10,000 00
Licensing Board	712 88
Total	\$1,416,116 11

The men in charge of the municipal finances of Boston, fortified by study and experience, base the recommendations and conclusions set forth in this brief upon facts and not fancies. They ask that the request for a tax limit that is equitable and adequate, namely, \$13, be granted. They contend that to grant

less, whether the action be based upon political or other considerations, will result in a suspension of normal activities, an estoppel of worthwhile progress and a fettering of the capital city of the Commonwealth that is indefensible.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Cobb, Bates & Yerxa Company, 55 Summer street, Boston, in the sum of \$22.50, as compensation for rebate on sidewalk permit for said company at 6 and 8 Faneuil Hall square.

Susan M. Lane, 291 Beacon street, Boston, in the sum of \$400, as compensation for damage to property at 234-238 and 240 State street, caused by defective water main, 1922.

Edwin H. Alcock, 21 Vinton street, South Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in street opposite 24 Old Colony avenue, April 21, 1923.

Michael Ceveney, 38 Dunlow street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk opposite 115 Linden Park street, January 4, 1924.

George H. Corliss, 27 Damrell street, South Boston, in the sum of \$13, as compensation for damage to car on Park street, near Adams street, November 30, 1923, caused by street being closed to traffic and not properly lighted.

L. H. Hackett, 60 Randolph street, Arlington, in the sum of \$16, as compensation for damage to car by defect in Hyde Park avenue, October 22, 1923.

Katherine E. Harrigan, 8 Payson avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defective sidewalk opposite 15 and 16 Washington Street North, July 24, 1923.

M. Iazzetti, 1745 Dorchester avenue, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for damage to property at said address, July 24, 1923, caused by broken gate in water pipe.

David G. F. Schromm, in the sum of \$204, as wages due from Library Department, City of Boston, from September, 1923, to date of reinstatement.

E. J. Coan, 11 Marshall street, Boston, in the sum of 88 cents, as refund of price of eight garbage tickets not used.

Charles Goldsmith, 1854 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of \$1.65, as refund of price of fifteen garbage tickets not used.

S. W. Kramer, 228 Cambridge street, Boston, in the sum of \$1.10, as refund of price of refuse tickets not used.

James Kelly, 155 Centre street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for cost of repairing drain at said property, owing to defect in street sewer, March, 1923.

Bessi Levin, 581 Talbot avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk in front of 1352 Blue Hill avenue, November 29, 1923.

Philip J. Malloy, 98 Cowper street, East Boston, in the sum of \$44.50, as compensation for damage to car caused by defect in Marginal street, October 6, 1923.

Charles E. McGinn, 1075 Saratoga street, East Boston, in the sum of \$27, as

compensation for damage to property at said address, October 24, 1923, caused by shutting off the water by mistake.

Mrs. John O'Connor, 6 Lawrence street, Boston, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for goods destroyed by water at said address, June, 1923, caused by broken water pipe.

Pennell, Gibbs & Quiring Company, 203 Clarendon street, Boston, in the sum of \$66.74, as compensation for damage to stock at 23 Fayette street, caused by break in water main, November 11, 1923.

Park Square Battery Company, 121 Broadway, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for damage at said location, November 11, 1923, caused by break in water main in Tremont street.

Aline L. Pasco, 418 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries, November 24, 1923, caused by depression adjacent to east rail of cars in front of said address.

Mrs. Rose Rosenblum, 100 Woodrow avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk in front of 12 Woodrow avenue, October 3, 1923.

Isadore Shapiro, 5 Marion street, East Boston, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk in front of said address, August 11, 1923.

Theresa Scalia, 16 South Margin street, Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk at 16 and 18 South Margin street, June 20, 1921.

The United States Tire Company, 614 Charles River parkway, Cambridge, in the sum of \$2.25, as refund for unused refuse tickets.

Benjamin Tamkin, 55 Bickford street, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for damage to property at said address, December 18, 1923, caused by backing up of sewer.

Louis Kaplan, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for personal injuries caused by depression in walk at 32 Dewey street, March 2, 1923.

Samuel Gordon, 11 Gleason street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries received Saturday, December 8, 1923, caused by defect in sidewalk at 220 Harvard street.

Estate of Lemuel A. Coolidge, F. Loring Wheeler, administrator, 48 Dale street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for damage to property caused by bursting of water main, damaging property at 297-301 Tremont street, July 25, 1923.

Salvatore Labato, 47 Maverick street, East Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by negligent placing of gang plank at North Ferry, October 14, 1923.

Morris Lesman, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in street, Washington Street North, August 17, 1923.

Joseph W. Goodnow & Co., Inc., in the sum of \$2,500, without costs, as compensation for damage to wharf and piling at 294 Causeway street, caused by dumping of stone by the Public Works Department from 1915 to 1920.

Mary C. Cronin, in the sum of \$750, as compensation for damages to real estate caused by change of grade on Wachuset street, Forest Hills, August 15, 1921.

William M. Brennan, 272 Princeton street, East Boston, in the sum of \$100,

as compensation for personal injuries caused by Chemical Engine No. 7 striking an auto which injured him at corner of Prescott and Bennington streets, August 23, 1923.

Annie Feeney, 58 Sixth street, South Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by engine of Fire Department colliding with car on which she was a passenger, at corner of Broadway and Washington street, May 4, 1923.

Giovanni Mosca, 9 Wareham street, Medford, in the sum of \$88.74, as compensation for property lost while in Haymarket Relief Hospital, September 22, 1923.

Jennie Morris, 28 Auburn street, Boston, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by falling over boards placed across sidewalk at 61 Greenwood street, August 10, 1923, said boards being there without light or warning.

Mrs. Nettie Sokolobitz, 311 Chelsea street, East Boston, in the sum of \$250, as compensation for personal injuries as a result of collision between truck of Fire Department and a truck of one Griffin, corner Bennington and Prescott streets, East Boston, August 23, 1923.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Nichols-Egan Company have been allowed to amend their contract for finish hardware for an intermediate school in the Charles Sumner District, Florence and Hawthorne streets Roslindale, by striking out the words and figures, "July 31, 1923," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "December 23, 1923," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 12 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 1, 1923, and is to be completed on or before December 23, 1923."

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer and surface drain of 10-inch earthen pipe in Cataumet street, between Pond street and end of street about 300 feet northerly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$2,700.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Pond View avenue, between Moraine street and a point 287 feet southerly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$2,500.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Lenoxdale avenue, between Milton street and 130 feet southeasterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$1,600.

A sanitary sewer, 195 feet of 12-inch earthen pipe in Border street, at Central square, in the East Boston district, at an estimated cost of \$2,067.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Columbia park, between Lawrence avenue and Hamilton terrace, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$2,000.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch and a surface drain of 15-inch earthen pipe, three catch-basins and two manholes in Elm Hill avenue, between Seaver street and Homestead street, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$11,564. Sanitary sewer to be built between Seaver and Schuyler streets.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering pens and pencils to the schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering science apparatus and supplies for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount suitable to the School Committee. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained from the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 2, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for alterations, etc., in the Andrews School, Genesee street, near Albany street, South End, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for moving four portable school buildings at various schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed at the office of the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, March 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for furnishing the finish hardware for the complete equipment for the New Dorchester High School for boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, March 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for taking down and relocating 405 metal lockers in the Mechanic Arts High School, Belvidere and Dalton streets, Back Bay. Surety bond will be required in the amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for pro-

posals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the various high schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 8, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Fire Department with lead-covered cable. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing rubber coats to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing uniforms to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hats to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing toilet paper to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the

amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing crushed stone, approximately 47,000 tons, to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the various city departments bank gravel and sand. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing spruce fir lumber to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the various city departments 50,000 paving bricks and 260,000 sewer bricks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, March 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing beach gravel. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, March 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the various city departments 2,400 barrels of Portland cement. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be

filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, March 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing emulsified asphalt for cold patching to the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for 1,000 tons of road asphalt for construction. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Paving Service asphalt cement for construction work. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing 45 per cent asphaltic road oil, in the amount of 350,000 gallons, more or less. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing milk and cream to the Infirmary Division, Institutions Department, Long Island. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing milk to the Hospital Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Boston Sanatorium, Mattapan, Massachusetts standard, Grade A milk. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing catgut to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 26, at 12 m.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Margaret MacPherson, 52 Rutledge road, Ward 24, one car.

Gustave E. Olson, 30 Dalrymple street, Ward 15, one car.

City of Boston, public building, 1243 Hyde Park avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

John Crisafi, 37 and 39 Payson avenue, Ward 17, one two-car garage.

Edward F. Doody, 45 Parsons street, Ward 26, two cars.

Frank A. Grottendeck, 115 Birch street, Ward 23, two cars.

Nellie M. Koopman, 17 Kenneth street, Ward 23, two cars.

Eva Saftel, 109 Wellington Hill street, Ward 21, two cars.

Francis M. Short, 102 Arlington street, Ward 26, two cars.

Joseph Betty *et al.*, 44 and 46 Champney street, Ward 11, three units.

Abraozio Intronini, 17 Duncan street, Ward 18, three cars.

Henry F. B. Magee, 5 Murray avenue, Ward 16, group garage, three units.

Salvatore Centola, 446 Western avenue, Ward 26, private business garage.

Harry Lofchie, 625 East Fourth street, Ward 10, 500 gallons gasoline.

Samuel Altman, 475 Commonwealth avenue, Ward 8, 3,000 gallons fuel oil.

The Best Foods, Incorporated, 91 Commercial Wharf, Ward 5, 100,000 pounds cook oils and fats.

URGES LIFE INSURANCE.

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Life insurance connotes good citizenship, steady habits, a sound interest in public affairs and economic security for the home. The man who has not cultivated habits of thrift and secured protective life insurance is neglecting his plain duty to his family and the community. The man with life insurance is not only more contented and secure, but he stands higher in the estimation of his fellows. A life insurance policy is in its best sense a certificate of character, an evidence of moral worth.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, March 13:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Catherine J. Moore has been continued in employment as temporary clerk for the period ending April 11, at \$4 a day.

John W. Walsh has been employed as temporary clerk for a period of thirty days at \$4 a day.

James L. Cluney has been appointed temporary clerk for a period of thirty days at \$4 a day.

Catherine M. Carpenter has been continued in employment as temporary clerk for a period of thirty days at \$4 a day.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

The following promotions have been approved:

John Q. Adams, clerk at \$1,800 (Tax Division), to deputy collector at \$2,000 (Tax Division).

James J. McNamee, clerk at \$1,800 (Tax Division), to deputy collector at \$2,000 (Tax Division).

Joseph J. Callahan, clerk at \$1,700 (Water Division), to clerk at \$1,800 (Tax Division).

William J. Sheehan, clerk at \$1,600 (Water Division), to clerk at \$1,800 (Tax Division).

Philip A. Petrocelli, clerk at \$1,400 (Water Division), to clerk at \$1,700 (Water Division).

John J. Connors, clerk at \$1,400 (Tax Division), to clerk at \$1,600 (Water Division).

John B. Tracey, clerk at \$1,000 (Water Division), to clerk at \$1,200 (Water Division).

Edward T. Croke, clerk at \$1,000 (Water Division), to clerk at \$1,200 (Tax Division).

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John Rosen has been appointed as a machinist, with knowledge of electricity and electrical machinery at \$5 a day.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary A. Quinn has been appointed nurse at \$1,400 a year.

Margaret C. Doherty has been appointed nurse at \$1,400 a year.

Margaret J. Lynch has been appointed nurse at \$1,400 a year.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Dr. David J. Johnson, Institutions Commissioner, has been granted leave of absence with pay for two (2) weeks beginning Saturday, March 15, and Dennis D. Driscoll, Deputy Commissioner, has been designated as Acting Commissioner.

George A. Nelson has been transferred from officer at House of Correction to messenger and clerk at the Central office, temporarily, at \$1,500 a year.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, March 6:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Arthur L. Boston, attendant at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed George Everett.

Dennis L. Hurley, institution employee, Long Island Hospital, at a salary of \$600 a year, temporary.

Elizabeth G. Hopkins, pupil nurse, at a salary of \$300 a year, to succeed Helena L. Brady.

Violet Sheehan, pupil nurse, at a salary of \$300 a year, to succeed Mary M. Coleman.

Lucy P. Craik, pupil nurse, at a salary of \$300, to succeed Catherine L. Berry.

Sadie C. Dewey, pupil nurse, at a salary of \$300 a year, to succeed Lucy G. Bushey.

Alice K. Meely, pupil nurse, at a salary of \$300 a year, to succeed Nellie C. Pastorsky.

Nellie M. Smith, pupil nurse, at a salary of \$300 a year, to succeed Annie Hickey.

Ernest Mallaly, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Thomas McMahan.

Mary A. Lynch, institution employee, transferred from attendant, at a salary of \$560 a year, to succeed Johanna Nilsson.

House of Correction.

Harry Sepp, officer, at a salary of \$1,300 a year, to succeed Patrick Donovan.

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

John J. Carey, fireman, at a salary of \$920 a year, to succeed Patrick Connors.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Walter V. McCarthy has been appointed secretary of the Board at a salary of \$3,500 a year.

John J. Kelley has been appointed chief clerk at \$2,500 a year.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Thomas F. Kennedy has been appointed inspector of heat control at a salary of \$2,000 a year.

Neil McSheffrey has been granted one extra day's salary for the week ending Thursday, March 6, amounting to \$5.50.

John Reynolds has been given a change of designation and rate of compensation from fireman at \$5.50 a day to engineer at \$40 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Walter McGarrah has been appointed clerk at \$1,200 a year to fill a permanent vacancy.

Thomas J. Driscoll has been appointed permanent assistant drawtender at \$1,500 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

James F. Hayde has been promoted from chauffeur at \$27 a week to subforeman at \$1,600 a year.

Louis J. O'Hara, employed as temporary rodman, has been given permanent appointment at \$1,000 a year.

James Lee, Edward V. Cunningham and Bernard V. Cunningham have been appointed permanent laborers at \$4 a day in the Paving Service, Ashmont district.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

John F. Good has been transferred from the Institutions Department to the Sanitary Service as teamster at \$4 a day.

Peter J. O'Rourke has been employed as temporary teamster at \$4 a day for sixty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Frank J. Toomey has been employed as laborer at \$4 a day for a period of sixty days.

James F. Carter, employed as a provisional rodman has been given permanent appointment at \$1,000 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

One hundred emergency laborers at \$4 a day have been continued in temporary employment on snow and ice removal in the North and West End districts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

John E. Johnson has been employed as temporary plumber at \$5 a day for three months.

The following citizens have been appointed to fill permanent vacancies as laborers at \$4 a day: Julius P. Charbounier, John F. Norton, Charles H. Pratt, Ferdinand J. Willhauck, Anthony Martin, Francesco D'Angelo, Hugh Cassidy, Benjamin R. Austin, Jr., James J. Golden, John J. Curtin, Bernard J. Doherty, John T. Horgan, Henry T. Cunningham, William J. Dawley, William L. Meskill, John Durand, James J. Burns.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

John F. Harrington, employed as transitman provisionally, has been given permanent appointment at \$1,600 a year.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

Dr. Frederick W. Watkeys has been designated to act as Acting Soldiers' Relief Commissioner in the absence of the commissioner during the four weeks commencing March 17.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Arthur N. Colman has been promoted from senior engineer at \$2,000 a year, to assistant chief engineer at \$2,900 a year.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Edwin A. Wall has been designated to act as Acting City Treasurer in the absence of the treasurer during the four weeks commencing March 13.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, March 6:

Edgar B. Coombs, assistant engineer, 1½ days, \$9; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 1½ days, \$9; John Carroll, assistant engineer, 2 days, \$12.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 6:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Joseph Cox, John Melley, William G. Feeney, Walter J. West, engineers, 1 day, \$6 each; Richard A. Bishop, Patrick J. Gleason, Andrew Para, John J. Adams, Eugene A. Leonard, firemen, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Emergency Work.—John Melley, engineer, 4½ hours, \$3.37.

Substitute Work.—William G. Feeney, Walter J. West, engineers, 1½ days, \$9 each; Eugene A. Leonard, Francis J. Berg, John J. Adams, firemen, 1½ days, \$8.25 each.

House of Correction.

Ernest Rousseau, John Fay, Walter Purdy, Patrick Shea, engineers, 1 day, \$6 each; David J. Tobin, Thomas Finn, Frederick Morse, Bernard Feeney, James Ahearn, firemen, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 13:

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

Patrick H. Long, teamster, 1 day, \$4.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

For the week ending Thursday, March 13:

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, Hugh McDonough, Arthur J. Moore, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, February 28:

Frederick Steiert, linotype operator, 2 hours, \$3.06; Patrick Foley, linotype operator, 1 hour, \$1.47; Abraham Rosen, James Dolan, compositors, 2½ hours, \$3.28 each; Edward J. Stanton, Francis J. Sullivan, proofreaders, 2½ hours, \$3.28 each. Total, \$17.65.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 10:

First Assistant Drawtender.—W. C. Tirrell, 2 days, \$8.77.

Assistant Drawtenders.—D. J. Flynn, J. J. Skayhan, 2 days, \$8.22 each. Total, \$25.21.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 10:

Fireman.—August J. Sommers, ½ day, \$2.06.

Deckhand.—John J. Driscoll, 1 day, \$4.25.

Gateman.—Christopher T. Leonard, 1 day, \$4.80.

Total, \$11.11.

Net cost for the week ending March 10, 1924, \$2.28.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 10:

Laborers.—James J. McGuire, Edward C. Walaschik, 1½ days, \$4.50 each; Vincent X. Fallon, Patrick Carroll, 1 day, \$4 each; Edward McGuire, Peter Kilduff, 1½ days, \$6 each; Mark A. Foley, ¾ day, \$3; Walter Wenzel, James Henneberry, William Jeffers, William Carolan, George King, Thomas King, William McGee, 2½ days, \$9 each.

Engineer.—John Mahoney, 2½ days, \$11.25.

Pavers.—John Fallon, Peter Cleary, ½ day, \$2.50 each.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 10:

Yard Laborers.—W. J. McCarthy, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. Ballam, J. B. Carr, A. P. Charbonnier, W. H. Colbert, E. Davis, J. W. DeRocher, O. Doherty, E. T. Duffy, H. T. Furey, D. J. Gibbons, J. J. Hegarty, S. Hegarty, B. F. Lyons, J. McGrath, J. F. Nagle, P. W. Sheehan, J. F. Sweeney, P. R. Tully, J. J. Hurley, J. J. McLaughlin, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—M. J. Curley, J. P. W. Callahan, J. Ciacio, W. A. Crawford, D. J. Dalton, H. J. Holmes, V. Guliano, J. P. Leonard, P. J. McLaughlin, J. F. O'Brien, F. Ruggiero, D. F. McLaughlin, J. P. Sullivan, J. Salemi, J. Yankowsky, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1 each.

Laborer-Teamster.—M. S. Ryan, 1 day, \$4.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. J. Hayes, M. Lapsley, A. Jose, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.50 each.

Feeder.—J. E. Burns, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.18.

Stableman.—C. J. Haley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. M. Casserly, P. J. Connolly, M. J. Connors, J. A. Foley, D. Gallagher, W. J. H. Green, G. Guiffredo, P. C. Kanairy, J. J. Lannon, B. McCool, R. J. Nugent, J. M. Ryan, L. C. Timmins, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—M. J. Connolly, M. Cronin, T. Donovan, H. F. Furey, J. J. Gavin, H. F. Kenney, J. McGaffigan, W. McGahey, J. O'Brien, J. E. Southern, D. Shea, E. J. Tighe, F. Zirpollo, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2 each.

Total, \$181.93.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, March 11:

Mason.—James Duffy, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.30.

Sewer Cleaners.—Michael Foley, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.38; Michael Brady, Richard Connolly, Daniel Coleman, Thomas Flaherty, John Sweeney, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63 each; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25 each; George Caswell, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.31.

Chauffeur.—James McCarthy, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63.

Laborers.—Stephen Connolly, Michael McMahon, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11 each; Patrick Fitzgerald, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6; Thomas Casey, John Dolan, John Farren, John McDonald, James McFarland, Louis Brunetto, Antonio Arrachiello, Joseph Clougherty, Peter King, Thomas Flaherty, John Donnelly, James Splaine, John Sullivan, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5 each; James McCarty, 1 day, \$4; Cornelius Sullivan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2; Daniel McKenna, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.

Total, \$16.27.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 3:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, R. Barrett, M. Connell, P. Connolly, W. Cosgrove, R. Coughlin, J. Dahill, T. Dahill, W. Doherty, J. Ferguson, M. Fitzpatrick, M. Joyce, E. Keller, J. H. Lane, J. Moynihan, P. L. Maynihan, M. O'Brien, J. F. O'Toole, J. Shea, J. Zuccola, C. McGonagle, F. H. McMakin, E. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, S. H. Coughlin, F. J.

Kelley, J. A. Kelley, R. Dennehy, H. J. Gallagher, M. J. Kennedy, J. J. Lombard, P. McKeon, T. McCarthy, J. Hanley, J. Bowen, A. Brown, H. Donigan, J. Edwards, E. Fitzgerald, T. Hession, W. Milliken, E. Monahan, J. Nolan, P. O'Callaghan, J. O'Rourke, J. Patterson, C. Pike, J. Robishaw, J. Sweeney, R. Burke, R. Burchell, C. Buckley, J. Butler, P. Cahill, J. Carroll, J. J. Conroy, J. J. Cotter, J. DeCoursey, F. Dysart, J. Eaton, J. Fallon, J. Lane, G. Linsky, G. Moran, W. O'Brien, J. J. O'Leary, L. O'Neil, E. Orann, J. Ryan, T. Ryan, L. Shanney, P. Sullivan, C. Swanson, F. Williams, P. Toohey, P. Noonan, J. McMenimen, L. Mazzetti, P. Kelloran, D. Conlin, E. Grant, E. J. Kelley, R. Marsey, M. H. Walsh, J. Donahue, J. Reddington, P. Canny, C. Hart, P. Moran, J. B. Sullivan, N. Albano, P. Barry, J. Cahill, D. J. Callahan, J. A. Carr, G. Cappozza, F. Certosimo, T. Christopher, P. Collieran, P. Conlin, M. Connolly, G. H. Corcoran, F. D'Ambrosio, M. Dacey, L. Davis, J. Delaney, J. A. Devlin, J. Doherty, W. P. Donnelly, J. Driscoll, D. Donovan, J. Dowdal, P. Dunn, M. Finn, T. Fitzmorris, J. Foley, J. Gallagher, M. Gately, F. Granville, T. Hart, J. Hines, P. Keon, L. V. Kilduff, D. Kobylski, J. M. Kramer, M. Lahey, L. Landrigan, J. D. Lyons, T. McClutchey, J. McGarry, T. McGuinness, B. Maraghy, W. Mahoney, L. Moore, M. Norton, J. S. Plunkett, M. Raftery, J. Robertson, J. Rogers, B. Sullivan, J. Sullivan, F. E. Taylor, J. P. Touhey, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each.

Teamster.—J. Hennessey, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.50.

Teamsters.—M. J. O'Connell, H. S. Lawrence, T. M. Ormand, C. E. Anderson, M. Barry, B. Callahan, H. Conroy, J. F. Cosgrove, R. F. Doherty, J. Donovan, J. Egan, D. Hamilton, J. H. Jeffery, J. Kennery, E. J. Murphy, J. Murray, A. Poirier, P. Quigley, J. Riley, R. T. Wills, J. W. Sheehan, E. Skane, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.50 each.

Teamsters.—F. Diaz, W. Finn, W. J. Foley, G. Meola, M. Cashman, F. Corvino, P. Costello, R. J. Elvert, T. S. Kilroy, T. J. Maston, J. McDonough, P. P. McGinley, D. P. Minehan, J. Wark, G. Marcantonio, M. Allen, M. S. Clougherty, F. DiMatteo, G. Galluccio, T. S. Iversen, C. D. Murray, V. Piscettelli, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50 each.

Teamster.—G. McColgan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.

Teamsters.—B. Coyne, C. Bell, C. J. Crowley, L. Divita, J. L. Gould, H. J. Kane, J. Z. Lamothe, R. Mulcahy, L. Paglia, M. F. Shea, D. P. Stack, F. J. Travis, J. Curtin, R. M. Jennings, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.50 each.

Teamster.—T. Conway, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.50.

Teamsters.—J. Monahan, J. F. Brown, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamster.—J. Holland, 2 days, \$8.

Teamsters.—G. Campo, M. Cardello, N. Cesso, M. Lyons, D. Partinello, R. Della Russo, J. J. Meyers, L. Pace, J. J. Slattery, J. McDonald, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9 each.

Teamsters.—M. H. Gordon, H. A. Bourdon, J. F. Doherty, J. J. Glaney, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.50 each.

Teamsters.—W. Haugh, R. Dicillio, J. Smith, W. Gillen, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50 each.

Teamsters.—J. J. Carey, Jr., J. Considine, C. Gallagher, J. Granville, J. A. Hartigan, D. F. O'Keefe, M. A. Weidman, J. J. Daley, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.50 each.

Feeder.—P. Sweeney, 1 day, \$4.25.

Feeder.—L. McGahan, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.97.

Chauffeur.—W. G. Earley, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.31.

Total, \$1,700.53.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, March 11:

Chauffeurs.—J. O'Brien, J. Broderick, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, 1 day, \$4.50 each; G. Shea, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.69; M. Walsh, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75.

Emergency men.—J. Doherty, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; W. Lonergan, 1 day, \$4; M. Carney, 1 day, \$4.25; T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25; W. Rice, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Repairers.—R. Welch, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; P. Lynch, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.59; J. Hourihan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.94; P. O'Hare, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.89; P. Flynn, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.84; R. Doyle, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; P. Casey, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; W. Shields, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.59; J. Morrissey, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.94; J. Williamson, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.80; J. Horgan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.80; T. Higgins, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.75; T. Byrnes, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.78; A. McDougall, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.59; T. Rose, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.69; J. Gallagher, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.69; J. McKenney, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.88; A. Rolfe, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; J. Blessington, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.69; F. Schena, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.56.

Laborers.—S. LoPilato, 2 days, \$8; G. Cunningham, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6; J. Burke, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.75; M. Barron, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.75; H. McCauley, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.50; T. McGuinness, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.75.

Total, \$110.73; paid by Transit Department, \$8; net total, \$102.73.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 3 the Mayor approved a contract with P. F. Russo Company, Inc., for new piping for salt water system at the Aquarium. Bids for the supply, opened January 31, were as follows:

Charles Jager Company, \$13,355.80; the McMurrer Company, \$8,877; J. P. Dwyer Company, \$8,448; Ingalls & Kendrick, Inc., \$7,350; Low & Robins Company, \$7,278; estate of E. C. Kelly, \$6,639; Frank H. Densmore Company, \$5,272; P. F. Russo Company, Inc., \$4,645.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 12 the Mayor approved a contract with W. H. Ellis & Son Company for repairing fenders of Dorchester Avenue Bridge, over Fort Point channel. Bids for the work, opened March 10, were as follows:

W. H. Ellis & Son Company, \$3,870; Rendle Stoddard Construction Company, \$3,910; William L. Miller Company, \$4,672.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 8, the Mayor approved a contract with Kenney Brothers & Wolkins for furnishing, delivering and setting up pupils' school furniture in various schoolhouses, for one year from March 1. Bids

for the work, opened February 12, were as follows:

	Bowen Py. Bros. & Wedlake	Howland Wedlake Company	Aberdeen School Company
Desks and chairs (Chandler pat- tern, wood, 1st sch.)			
14-inch by 21-inch			
Cherry	\$11 05	\$11 05	
Birch	\$10 55	10 55	10 75
15-inch by 21-inch			
Cherry	11 70	11 90	
Birch	10 95	10 95	11 15
16-inch by 13-inch			
Cherry	12 90	13 20	
Birch	12 15	12 15	12 35
20-inch 26-inch			
Cherry	14 75	15 20	
Birch	13 75	13 75	13 95

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 7 the Mayor approved a contract with the Wedlake-Lamson Company, for repairing seven Christie motors. A communication from Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn was as follows:

BOSTON, February 9, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I have received a proposal from the Wedlake-Lamson Company, Hoboken, N. J., quoting a figure of seven thousand (7,000), dollars for repairing seven (7) Christie motors. This price includes transportation charges, new bushings, major and minor parts, in order to place the motors in first-class condition.

I request permission to award the contract to the above named concern, without advertising, for the following reasons:

The prices quoted are cheaper than we can have the work done in local shops.

The Wedlake-Lamson Company succeeded the Front Drive Motor Company, builders of Christie tractors, and is in a position to furnish better service at a much lower price than any other outside concern on this particular work. They have the machinery and forms for doing this work, and are practically the only concern fully equipped for doing it.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 13 the Mayor approved a contract with the Radiotone Company for 104 pictures of former presidents of the City Council. A communi-

cation from Fred J. Kneeland of the Public Buildings Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 12, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—In consideration of the fact that this department is about to purchase 104 gold metal radiotone pictures of past presidents of the Boston City Council, I wish to bring to your attention that there is only one concern, as I understand it, in the country that does this work. It would therefore be a needless waste of time and money to publicly advertise for them.

Therefore I respectfully request your permission to award a contract to the Radiotone Company of 522 Fifth avenue, New York City, to furnish these 104 gold medal radiotone pictures at \$75 each in the sum total of \$7,800 without the usual form of advertising.

Respectfully yours,

FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PARK DEPARTMENT.

The estate of E. C. Kelley has been ordered to do the following additional work on contract for alterations to the Refectory Building, Franklin Park, signed January 4, 1924: Furnish and install new water-closet combinations, renewing all iron pipe connections in men's toilet room, main floor; renew all iron pipe connections to water-closets; take out portions of marble slabs, lay new cement floor slabs where marble is removed, all in women's toilet room, main floor; take out galvanized hot water pipe from hot water tank to proposed new men's shower room, and furnish and install complete new brass pipe; furnish and install new steam pipe on all return lines in basement to the steam boiler; furnish and install new steam pipe risers from basement to radiators on main floor; take out steam radiator in present locker room and install in old wash room under window, making all necessary connections; furnish and install steam radiator in men's new shower rooms, making all necessary connections; build concrete steps from plaza rear of building to the check room in basement; all to be constructed similar to other entrance steps and walls breaking through stone wall of building at area-way; build wood partition in checking room; construct roof slabs at present openings in men's new toilet and shower room of concrete, waterproofed satisfactory to the department; build four dressing rooms in women's new shower room; partitions to be North Carolina pine sheathing and all work to be done as directed by this department in accordance with Article 2; to be paid for under Article 8; the cost of labor plus 15 per cent and the cost of materials. Estimated cost of this work is \$3,900.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed the following changes in their contract for the Francis Parkman District School: Addition: Excavation, outside building lines, 1,608 yards at \$3, \$4,824; excavation, inside building lines, 662 yards at \$3, \$1,986; excavation, drain

and sewer trenches, 75 yards at \$3, \$225; backfilling, 350 yards at \$1, \$350. Total addition, \$7,385. Deduction: Grading stone dust, 30 yards at \$3.75, \$112.50; concrete and forms, 6 yards at \$27, \$162; granolithic finish, \$31.20; earth fill, 1,635 yards at \$0.75, \$1,226.25. Total deduction, \$1,531.95; net addition, \$5,853.05. Contract price, \$87,996; total additions, \$5,853.05; amount of contract, \$93,849.05.

John Bowen Company have been allowed the following changes in their contract for addition to the Winship School; For additional burlap in corridors, including necessary carpenter work, add \$390; for laying and finishing new maple floor (factory grade) in store-room, add \$395; for installing registers in wood floors, add \$50; for painting interior brick walls of storeroom with waterproof paint, add \$275; net addition \$1,110. Contract price, \$135,000; total additions, \$1,785; amount of contract, \$136,785.

A. Piotti Company have been allowed the following additions to their contract for the Aberdeen School, Bennett District: For substituting 10-inch pipe in place of 8-inch drain pipe as shown on plot plan No. 1, furnishing necessary Y's bends, extra cement and oakum, \$32; 130½ cubic yards extra concrete foundation at \$27, \$3,523.50; 391½ cubic yards extra excavating at \$3, \$1,174.50; 261 cubic yards extra backfilling at \$1.50, \$391.50; 7 cubic yards rock excavating at \$12, \$84; total addition, \$5,205.50. Deduction: Allowance for 7 cubic yards earth excavating at \$3, \$21; net addition, \$5,184.50. Contract price, \$91,824; total additions, \$5,184.50; amount of contract, \$97,008.50.

Joseph Rugo has been ordered to deduct the sum of \$900, page 80, section 11 of the specifications, as per architect's letter of February 18, 1923, on his contract for an addition to the John L. Motley School. Contract price, \$92,000; total additions, \$36,678.25; total deduction, \$900; amount of contract, \$127,778.25.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed the following changes in the Washington-Allston District School, as per architects' letter of February 13, 1924. Reversing classroom door and changing kalamein doors in smoke partition: Carpenter, 16 hours at \$1.25, \$20; Coburn Trolley Track Company, charge for labor, \$38.16—\$58.16; plus 10 per cent, \$5.82; total addition, \$63.98. Contract price, \$155,986; total additions, \$15,810.34; total deductions, \$4,971.60; amount of contract, \$166,824.74.

A Piotti Company have been allowed for removing cabinet from pantry to cooking room, including repair of base, plates, paint and pipe covering of the Charles Sumner District School as per architect's letter of February 27, 1924, and the amount of \$209 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: Contract price, \$239,708; total additions, \$9,228.78; total deductions, \$16,233.50; amount of contract, \$232,703.28.

Thomas O'Connor & Co. have been allowed the following additions to the George Putnam District School as per architect's letter of February 4, 1924: To lathing and plastering monitor, from ceiling sash to roof, over assembly hall, \$280.50; to furring down ceilings of master's and assistant master's rooms and anterooms at stage, covering in vent ducts, \$197.56; additional reinforced concrete floor construction with 1½ inches of terrazzo finish similar to other work in building, \$75;

cutting and patching for changing steam mains at east stairway, \$87.90; strengthening supports of ceiling sash in assembly hall, \$107.38; changing proscenium arch at stage in assembly hall, forming larger opening, extra pilasters and trim, additional brackets and carving, \$1,906.26; cutting and patching in teachers' room for plumbing pipe, \$13.10; providing and setting eight extra steps at front entrance, \$779.13; providing and setting two clean-out covers and frames, \$74.28; removing partition in master's office, refinishing complete and removing two sets of stairs at front of stage in assembly hall and finishing complete to match up with present work, \$455.88; finishing and erecting two pipe rails at steps on Dixwell street and putting extension of steel fence, \$109.85; furnishing and setting two new doors on majestic coal chutes, \$30.37; additional blasting, concrete and excavation work in yard and for rear entrance walls: 248 cubic yards open blasting at \$12, \$2,982; 37 cubic yards trench blasting at \$17, \$629; 139 cubic yards backfill at \$0.85, \$118.15; 14 cubic yards concrete at \$18, \$22.50; 2,187 common bricks at \$42 per M., \$133.85—\$3,885.50; additional flashing at corridor window over assembly hall roof on second story, \$190.92; additional copper work on roof of vent stack (increased in size), \$51.15; furring down, forming and finishing wooden ceiling beams in assembly hall, \$731.16; excavating for and putting in cinder base under driveway: 41 cubic yards excavation at \$0.85, \$34.85; 41 cubic yards cinders at \$1, \$41; labor, \$7.20—\$83.05; putting in four additional windows in toilet rooms, first and second floors, \$155.88; putting in pump foundation in boiler room, \$38.30; temporary heat, 10,625 tons of bituminous coal, \$140.25; cutting slot and patching jambs for conductor pipe, assembly hall, \$79.71; building concrete steps from second story to moving picture booth, \$47.79; moving kalamein partition, first story, cutting out common brick work and rebuilding salt-glazed brick, \$158.95; total addition, \$9,679.87. Deduction: 283 cubic yards excavation at \$0.85, \$240.55. net addition, \$9,439.32. Contract price, \$283,000; total additions, \$24,694.92; total deductions, \$3,626; amount of contract, \$304,068.92.

CINCINNATI MAYOR ENTER-TAINED IN BOSTON.

Mayor George P. Carrol of Cincinnati and four municipal commissioners of that city, who are inspecting transit systems in the larger cities of the United States, were guests of the city of Boston at lunch at the Parker House after having been taken on a tour of the subways, elevated and surface lines by representatives of the Boston Elevated. Mayor Curley presided at the luncheon.

Besides the visitors, the guests included the City Council and General Manager Edward Dana and four other Elevated executives; James T. Williams, Jr., editor of the Boston *Transcript*; Clifton B. Carberry, managing editor of the Boston *Post*; former Congressman Joseph F. O'Connell; Judge Thomas P. Riley; Gen. John H. Dunn; Transit Commissioners Sullivan, Rourke and Slattery; Corporation Counsel E. Mark Sullivan, Attorney John A. Sullivan, Chairman Frederick H. Fay of the Planning Board and John J. Walsh and Ernest A. Johnson, member of that body; Louis E. Kirstein; Jeremiah E. Burke,

Superintendent of Schools; Mayor Edward W. Quinn of Cambridge; Judges Richard W. Irwin and Frederick J. MacLeod of the Superior Court; Gerritt Fort of the Boston & Maine Railroad; former Governors Eugene N. Foss and John L. Bates; Justice Edward B. Pierce of the Massachusetts Supreme Court; Howard Cooley, president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce; State Senator William O'Hearn and Frank Goodwin, registrar of motor vehicles.

CLAIMS DISALLOWED.

The Law Department has disapproved nineteen claims against the city, aggregating \$5,037, classified as follows:

Against the Fire Department, one, amounting to \$300; against the Hospital Department, one, amounting to \$500; against the Park Department, one, amounting to \$31.85; against the Public Works Department, sixteen, amounting to \$4,205.15.

The Law Department has disapproved fourteen claims against the city, aggregating \$2,096, classified as follows:

Against the Fire Department, two, amounting to \$135; against the Park Department, one, amounting to \$284; against the Police Department, one, amounting to \$22; against the Public Works Department, ten, amounting to \$1,655.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

CURATOR OF THE ZOO, BOSTON PARK DEPARTMENT, MARCH 18, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year.

Applicants should have had experience

in the care of animals of all kinds. The curator should have a special knowledge of the feeding, cleaning and proper housing of all animals and birds; he should have experience in moving animals from one cage to another, and from one point in the Zoological Garden to another, and experience in handling employees under him.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

STATIONARY ENGINEERS, STATIONARY FIREMEN, MARINE ENGINEERS, MARINE FIREMEN AND OILERS, APRIL 1, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service.

The examination for each kind of position will include a statement of training and experience, a physical examination, and the possession of a license, either (a) as first, second, or third class stationary engineer; (b) as first or second class stationary firemen; (c) as chief, first assistant or second assistant marine engineer. Oilers and marine firemen are not required to have a license.

The date given above is not the actual examination date, but the date on which, as nearly as possible, applicants who have filed applications will be given a physical examination.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

Mar. 20. Our Guardians of Life and Property. (Motion pictures.) Speakers from the Boston Fire and Police Departments. Boston Conservation Bureau.*

Mar. 27. Browning and Ruskin; Prophets of the Twentieth Century. Agnes Knox Black (Mrs. E. Charlton Black).

Apr. 3. Gothic Grandeur; how Rheims Cathedral was built. Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J.

Apr. 10. The Revelation of Spain. Ralph Adams Cram, Litt.D., LL.D.

Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

Mar. 16. Master Music for Young People. Malcolm Lang. With musical illustrations.

Mar. 23. Fundamentals in the Theatre, Old and New. F. W. C. Hersey, A.M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. (Drama League Course.)

Mar. 30. The Bible in Stained Glass. Joseph G. Reynolds, Jr. With lantern illustrations.

Apr. 6. Recreational Opportunities of Boston. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Mrs. Eva W. White, General Director, Community Service of Boston. Boston Conservation Bureau.*

* The program arranged by the Conservation Bureau of the City of Boston will consist of motion pictures, silent informational screen talks, singing by the audience, and a brief address.

Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations.

Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A Program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

Mar. 24. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry Austin Higgins, Secretary, Massachusetts Prison Association.

Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.

Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)

May 12. Annual Meeting.

THE NEW ENGLAND POETRY CLUB.

The following free talk in the Lecture Hall on the second Wednesday of the month at 4.30 o'clock, with illustrative readings, is announced:

Some Influences in Modern American Poetry.

Apr. 9. Robert Frost. Norreys Jephson O'Connor, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Mt. Holyoke College.

TABLE SHOWING APPLICATIONS, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FILED IN FEBRUARY, 1924.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT HOUSES AND STORES.		BANKS.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		GARAGES.		HOTELS.		HOSPITALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class....													17	\$49,300				
Second Class...	18	\$824,000							1	\$15,000	1	\$14,000	5	4,800				
Third Class...									39	417,900			8	4,200				
Special Class...													1	600				
Total New Work	18	\$824,000							40	\$432,900	1	\$14,000	31	\$58,900				
Alterations.....	9	18,530	11	\$11,950	1	\$20,000	1	\$23,000	140	92,901	34	45,395	5	1,400	2	\$10,500	2	\$10,000
Grand Totals.....	27	\$842,530	11	\$11,950	1	\$20,000	1	\$23,000	180	\$525,801	35	\$59,395	36	\$60,300	2	\$10,500	2	\$10,000

	LODGING HOUSES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.		OFFICE BUILDINGS.		STABLES.		THEATRES.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....							1	\$260,000					3	\$74,000	21	\$2,723,300
Second Class.....			9	\$159,000	1	\$72,000	1	2,000							36	1,090,800
Third Class.....							2	1,400					16	6,575	65	430,075
Special Class.....													5	3,540	6	4,140
Total New Work.....			9	\$159,000	1	\$72,000	4	\$2,603,400					24	\$84,115	128	\$4,248,315
Alterations.....	2	\$450	63	91,500	9	17,375	17	78,605	5	\$20,045	2	\$27,500	11	62,550	314	531,701
Grand Totals.....	2	\$450	72	\$250,500	10	\$89,375	21	\$2,682,005	5	\$20,045	2	\$27,500	35	\$146,665	442	\$4,780,016

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending March 8, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
United States Census Bureau, 776,783.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 200; nonresidents, 40; total,
240.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 16.11; nonresidents deducted,
13.43.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 14.57; corresponding week
last year, 19.15.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 24; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 10; sixty years and over, 103;
total deaths, male, 117; female, 123;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 127;
deaths of colored, 6.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended March 8, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended March 10, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	40	2	62	3
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	1	—
Influenza.....	6	1	19	9
Measles.....	181	2	115	7
Meningitis epidemic.....	2	2	2	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	55	13	38	23
Scarlet fever.....	148	1	76	3
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	32	19	29	10
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	15	3	6	3
Typhoid fever.....	5	1	—	—
Whooping cough.....	9	—	125	7

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR PRAISES AUTO SHOW.

His Honor the Mayor on March 6 forwarded the following letter to Mr. John H. McAlman, president of the Boston Auto Dealers' Association:

MR. JOHN H. MCALMAN, *President, Boston Auto Dealers' Association, Boston, Mass.:*

DEAR SIR,—The coming of the annual Boston Automobile Show, which opens Saturday, March 8, 1924, is always an event of particular interest to the people of Massachusetts.

I have watched the growth and expansion of the automobile industry from its inception, and I have noticed that while once it was numbered among the luxury class of utilities, today it is recognized as a necessity by the world.

The development of the automobile and its adaptation to and utilization for the travel and transportation of the world have been of great benefit to all industries; the ingenuity and invention called forth by the constant and competitive improvements the business demanded influencing profitably and favorably every enterprise.

Personally I find your annual show a source of much enjoyment; its combination of beauty, utility and enterprise is as pleasing as educational and I trust the successes of the past years may be repeated in even a larger measure in 1924.

Cordially yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 6 TO MARCH 12.

MARCH 6.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cst.
Herman Weisberg...	1014 26 Blue Hill avenue.	21	Second-class stores.	\$13,000
Robert C. Wills.....	309 Kittredge street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	9,700
Mary A. Ryan.....	11 Christopher street.	20	Alterations, dwelling.	700
Ransom Rowe.....	50 Claymoss road.	25	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Bryant R. E. Trust...	224 Tremont street.	5	Alterations, mercantile.	3,500
Minnie Richmond....	2 Chestnut Hill avenue.	25	Alterations, stores and dwelling.	500
Shikes & Long.....	32 Newbury street.	8	Install sidewalk elevator.	600
Robert R. McNutt.....	40-44 School street.	5	Take down stores and offices.	1,000
Robert R. McNutt.....	46 and 48 School street.	5	Take down stores and offices.	1,000
Robert R. McNutt.....	50 and 52 School street.	5	Take down stores and offices.	1,000
Robert R. McNutt.....	22 and 24 Channey street.	5	Take down stores and offices.	1,000
Adolph Sterlazzi.....	661 Bennington street.	1	Take down vacant store.	25
Joseph Ross.....	Rear 35 Trenton street.	1	Take down stable.	25

MARCH 7.

Joseph Leclerc.....	259 Beech street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	\$7,000
Michael Driscoll.....	21 Waldemar road.	1	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Myer Zapolsky <i>et al</i> ...	55 Wilcock street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Myer Zapolsky <i>et al</i> ...	59 Wilcock street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Trustees Boston Building Associates.	15 State street.	5	Alterations, offices and stores.	450
Hayward Realty Trust.	572-578 Washington street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	500
Anna Blake Quigley....	48 Magnolia street.	17	Alterations, dwelling and garage.	100
George J. Knapp.....	24 John A. Andrew street.	22	Alterations, storage.	600
Drake Brothers Company.	5 Maywood street.	16	Alterations, storage of autos.	10,000
Samuel Robinson.....	70-80 Stanhope street.	7	Alterations, garage.	600
Clement M. Burnham...	101 Chestnut street.	8	Alterations, apartments.	10,000
Joseph Stafford.....	48 Hemlock street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	750
John S. C. Nicholls....	118 Lexington street.	1	Alterations, dwelling.	1,500

MARCH 8.

Helen M. Mansfield....	16 Selden street.	21	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Waldorf System, Inc....	4 Park street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	600
Mary Devlin.....	124 Glendower road.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	270
Benjamin Sheuler.....	5-6 Russell place.	8	Alterations, tenements.	450
City of Boston, White Fund.	154 and 155 Tremont street.	5	Alterations, store.	1,000
Francis L. Coldidge....	295 Marlborough street.	8	Install elevator.	508
J. H. Prime Paint Company.	7 Lancaster street.	5	Repair elevator.	220
S. S. Kresge Company....	54 Bromfield street.	5	Install dumb waiter.	300
Central Building Wrecking Company.	4 Primus avenue.	8	Take-down, tenements.	100

MARCH 10.

Emilia Giardini.....	Rear of 157 Princeton street.	2	First-class garage.	\$3,500
Catharine T. Lally.....	Rear of 42 Auckland street.	17	First-class garage.	1,500
Morris Jacobs.....	Rear of 631 Morton street.	21	First-class garage.	1,800
H. Klayman.....	70 Canterbury street.	21	Second-class tenements.	18,000
H. Klayman.....	72 Canterbury street.	21	Second-class tenements.	18,000
H. Klayman.....	74 Canterbury street.	21	Second-class tenements.	18,000
Evelina Caletto.....	1528 Centre street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
G. Morella.....	8 Angelo street.	5	Alterations, tenements.	2,000
William E. Wilde.....	42 and 46 Charles street.	18	Alterations, garage.	800
Frank Cardillo.....	121 G street.	10	Alterations, dwelling.	800
Charles F. Adams <i>et al</i> ...	11-21 Bromfield street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	6,421
Thomas F. Maloof.....	75 Westland avenue.	7	Alterations, apartments.	2,000
Isaac Green.....	1358 Dorchester avenue.	18	Alterations, dwelling and store.	200
B. Smith.....	97 Chelsea street.	2	Alterations, dwelling and store.	250
Morris Naselsky.....	8 Kensington street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	350
Leonardo Garacio.....	315 Norfolk street.	21	Alterations, stores.	1,000
Mrs. Annie Schwartz....	1160-1166 Blue Hill avenue.	21	Alterations, stores.	300
The Ginter Company....	43 and 45 Winter street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	300
Alex Steinert.....	41-47 Stuart street.	5	Alterations, mercantile.	1,500
Mrs. Charlotte H. Bartol.	1 and 3 Chestnut street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	2,500
Post Publishing Company.	259 Washington street.	5	Install elevator.	6,125
M. F. Driscoll.....	210 Milk street.	5	Install elevator.	1,900
Patrick J. Reily.....	43 Fort avenue.	15	Erect fire escapes.	275

MARCH 11.

Ida Bernstein.....	Rear of 14 York street.	19	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Mrs. Susan Burns.....	Rear of 12 Germania street.	22	First-class garage.	1,000
Otto Buchwald.....	Rear of 217 and 219 Lamar-tine street.	22	First-class garage.	1,450
John J. Griffin.....	Rear of 39 Pleasant street.	11	First-class garage.	1,200
Hugh F. Marston.....	Rear of 28 Fairmount street.	21	Second-class garage.	500
G. Haywood.....	Rear of 416 Adams street.	20	Second-class garage.	1,000
H. Rosenfield.....	27 Sonoma street.	16	Second-class tenements.	35,000
H. Rosenfield.....	23 Sonoma street.	16	Second-class tenements.	30,000
Samuel Gold.....	512-518 Tremont street.	6	Second-class stores.	15,000
Cora L. Burbank.....	Rear of 33 Hobson street.	26	Second-class garage.	1,000
William Ricker.....	Rear of 26 Hewlett street.	23	Second-class garage.	1,000
Frank Senn.....	11 Sherwood street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Hugh F. Marston.....	28 Fairmount street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Mary Guidara.....	Rear of 124 Spring street.	23	Third-class garage.	500
John R. Whelan.....	10 and 12 Waldon road.	22	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Clara R. Keine.....	41 Murdock street.	26	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
Caroline Olseika <i>et al</i> ...	121 and 123 Brainerd road.	25	Alterations, tenements and store.	800
W. H. Stuart, Jr.....	141-145 Richmond street.	5	Alterations, stores and manufacturing.	358
Alberti Importing and Exporting Company.	57 and 59 Fulton street.	5	Alterations, mercantile.	3,000
Carrie Curtise.....	55 Evergreen street.	14	Alterations, dwelling.	175

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved, upon request of the Public Works Commissioner, the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works in Clarendon avenue, West Roxbury, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Clarendon avenue, bounded:

Northwest by Clarendon park, ten and 4-100 feet; northeast by another part of Clarendon avenue, two hundred twenty-six and 94-100 feet; southeast by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes May 6, 1912, ten feet, and southwest by another part of Clarendon avenue, two hundred twenty-six feet; containing twenty-two hundred and sixty-five square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Clarendon park, bounded:

Southeast by Clarendon avenue, ten and 4-100 feet; southwest by another part of Clarendon park, twenty-two and 10-100 feet; northwest by the same, three and 62-100 feet; northeast by easements taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes April 5, 1917, and July 13, 1906, sixteen feet; northwest by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes July 13, 1906, four and 92-100 feet; northeast by another part of Clarendon park, six and 3-100 feet; containing one hundred and eleven square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 230 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer being part of the private way known as Clarendon avenue, leading southeasterly from Clarendon park for a distance of about 227 feet, and part of the private way known as Clarendon park, adjoining Clarendon avenue.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northeasterly side of Clarendon avenue, between Clarendon park and Hilburn street, excluding the lot at the northerly corner of Clarendon avenue and Hilburn street, and the lots of abutting land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue for a distance of about 200 feet southeasterly from Clarendon park, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the

general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 553, Sewerage Works, Clarendon Avenue, West Roxbury, February 1, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. William Munroe	\$120 00
2. Ernest Blumberg	67 50
3. Norman P. McLeod	67 50
4. Oren F. Clark, City of Boston, T.T.,	75 00
6. Thomas H. Cummings, Augustus Andrews	172 50
7. Thomas H. Cummings, Augustus Andrews	75 00
8. Thomas H. Cummings, Augustus Andrews	75 00
Total	\$652 50

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Rose A. Clancy *et al.*, 10-14 Ashmore road, Ward 22, two garages, two cars each.

Helen E. Finigan, 104 West Selden street, Ward 21, two cars.

Mary L. Kelly, 37 Goldsmith street, Ward 22, two cars.

Maud C. MacDonald, 140 Church street, Ward 23, two cars.

Hugh F. Marston, 30 Fairmount street, Ward 21, two cars.

Nathan Post, 209 Quincy street, Ward 17, two cars.

James Scerzie, 41 Morris street, Ward 2, two cars.

M. E. Broderick, 324 Harvard street, Ward 24, group garage, three units, three cars.

A. Gieacchi, 8 Batchelder street, Ward 12, group garage, three units, three cars.

Nancy Solomon, 40 Brinton street, Ward 15, group garage, forty units.

J. J. Williams Building Association, 4192 Washington street, Ward 23, repair garage.

Albany Carpet Cleaning Company, 18-24 Penniman road, Ward 25, 500 gallons gasoline.

Procter & Gamble Distributing Company, 409 Commercial street, Ward 5, 300 barrels cottonseed oil.

Antonio Bibotto, 46 Water street, Ward 24, one car.

A. G. Tomasello & Son, 30 Clayton street, Ward 18, acetylene and oxygen.

Grace Verrechi, 50 Wales place, Ward 18, group garage, three units.

Mamie Breger, 54 Colonial avenue, Ward 21, one car.

Charles A. Dahl, 75 Orange street, Ward 23, one car.

John F. Hanlon, 61 Clement avenue, Ward 23, one car.

George Tobin, 119 Woodrow avenue, Ward 21, one car.

Henry Armstrong, 477 Washington street, Ward 19, two units additional, two cars.

Maria Cerulli, 3 Nancia street, Ward 1, two cars.

Martha J. Chase, 22 Bates road, Ward 20, two cars.

Abraham Cooper, 7 Brenton street, Ward 19, two cars.

Oliwer M. Ellis, 42 Leonard street, Ward 18, three cars.

Mary E. Hession, 36 Ballou avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 6 TO MARCH 12.

MARCH 11.—*Concluded.*

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Mary Boyle	452 Bremen street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	\$1,000
Walter L. Finigan.....	103 Peck street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	975
Gilbert Winsor.....	754 Tremont street.....	6	Alterations, lodging house.....	500
Haymarket Realty Com- pany.....	169-173 Summer street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	5,000
Molly Gale.....	39 Poplar street.....	23	Alterations, store.....	300
Mary L. Greenberg <i>et al.</i>	89 Evans street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
DeBlois & Maddison.....	93 Arch street.....	5	Alterations, two elevators.....	3,000
DeBlois & Maddison.....	57-61 Franklin street.....	5	Alterations, elevator.....	1,500
Ira W. Shapira.....	78 Carver street.....	8	Install elevator.....	3,900
Boston Athletic Association.....	70-80 Exeter street.....	7	Alterations, two elevators.....	3,500
Haynes estate.....	135 and 137 Federal street.....	5	Install elevator.....	3,200

MARCH 12.

Alice Van Koett	Rear of 17 Pearl street.....	11	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
P. M. Comella.....	1331 Dorchester avenue.....	18	First-class garage.....	1,300
Missel & Sher.....	10 Sonoma street.....	16	Second-class tenements.....	25,000
Missel & Sher.....	12 Sonoma street.....	16	Second-class tenements.....	25,000
Missel & Sher.....	14 Sonoma street.....	16	Second-class tenements.....	25,000
Missel & Sher.....	16 Sonoma street.....	16	Second-class tenements.....	25,000
Emma N. Chase.....	Rear of 29 Westville street.....	18	Special garage.....	600
Fred A. Ramey.....	22 Jewett street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	165
A. E. Fowler.....	16 Montvale street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
Joseph Capone.....	9 Nikish avenue.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
A. H. Rice.....	444 Ashmont street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Florindo Doroma.....	27 and 29 Auburn street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Edith S. Stone.....	158 Perham street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Charles A. Dahl.....	Rear of 75 Orange street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
Millegge A. Godfrey.....	Rear of 8 Perle street.....	25	Third-class garage.....	600
Mary Bukis.....	Rear of 345 Baker street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Martha J. Chase.....	Rear of 22 Bates road.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
H. F. Winslow.....	665 Boylston street.....	8	Alterations, stores and offices.....	50,000
Emma N. Chase.....	Rear of 29 Westville street.....	18	Alterations, garage.....	50
Standard Paper Stock Com- pany.....	20-24 Yeoman street.....	12	Alterations, manufacturing and storage.....	200
William R. Wescott.....	64 Clifton street.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	75
James W. Kenny.....	79 Terrace street.....	14	Alterations, brewery.....	300
S. P. Whitecome.....	28 Mountain avenue.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
A. F. Garlneau.....	116 Selden street.....	21	Alterations, storage.....	25
Emma A. Betram.....	57 Faragut road.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Walter Adlard.....	29 Virginia street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
S. C. McIntyre.....	10 Lovering street.....	6	Install elevator.....	2,000
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.....	Rear of 91 Sprague street.....	24	Install elevator.....	2,545
Proctor Estate.....	101 and 103 Pearl street.....	5	Install elevator.....	3,000

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending March 8:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Adolph Storlazzi.....	661 Bennington street.....	1	Store.....	New building.
Robert R. McNutt Corporation,	22 and 24 Chauncy street.....	5	Stores.....	New building.
Robert R. McNutt Corporation,	40-52 (3) School street.....	5	Stores and offices.....	New building.
Joseph Ross.....	Rear of 135 Trenton street.....	1	Stable.....	New building.
Central Building Wrecking Co.,	4 Primus avenue.....	5	Dwelling.....	Dilapidated.

Ida Isenberg, 38 Holborn street, Ward 16, two car units additional.

C. F. Laing 62 Landseer street, Ward 23, two cars.

Lillian C. Lalor, 82 Perkins street, Ward 22, two cars.

Edward T. Powers *et al.*, 10 Saco street, Ward 20, two cars.

William T. Scott, 85 Condor street, Ward 1, two cars.

Henry J. Smith *et al.*, 87 Wallingford road, Ward 25, two cars.

Matilda A. Tilly, 27 Harrison street, Ward 23, two cars.

Sarah Castaline, 101 Lawrence avenue, Ward 18, three cars.

Jessie Cohen, 59 Lithgow street, Ward 20, three cars.

Minnie Gormley, 45 Mountfort street, Ward 8, group garage, three units, three cars.

L. Keohane, 34 Quincy street, Ward 16, three cars.

Frank E. Lindergrén, 43 Mountfort street, Ward 8, group garage, three units, three cars.

Richard Martini, 124 Armandine street, Ward 21, group garage, three units.

John T. Scully, 43-47 Elmira street, etc., Ward 26, four garages, thirteen units.

Prestolite Company, Inc., 963 and 965 Commonwealth avenue, Ward 25, oxygen and acetylene.

Smith & McLellan, 40 Linden street, Ward 18, acetylene and oxygen.

Underhay Oil Company, 66-74 Roland street, Ward 4, 25,000 gallons lubricating oils.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Falcon street, Ward 1, extend time to erect pole.

Frank E. Brown, 286 Meridian street, Ward 2, one car.

George C. Freeman, 27 Sumner street, Ward 11, one car.

Hillmer B. W. Herrstrom, 14 Upland avenue, Ward 20, one car additional.

Cornelius H. Lundeen, 44 Mountain avenue, Ward 21, one car.

Solomon Naisuler, 160 Westville street, Ward 18, one car additional.

Fred A. Ramey, 22 Jewett street, Ward 24, one car.

Thomas R. Wills *et al.*, 171 Newburg street, Ward 23, one car.

Walter Brown, 127 Nonantum street, Ward 26, two cars.

John G. Donovan, 44 Halifax street, Ward 22, two cars.

Milledge A. Godfrey, 8 Perle street, Ward 25, one two-car garage.

Daniel J. Murphy *et al.*, 17 Levant street, Ward 18, two cars.

Solomon Naisuler, 5 Leedsville court, Ward 18, two cars.

Dorothy Schwartz, 724 Norton street, Ward 21, two cars.

Richard H. Ward, 11 Glenway street, Ward 19, two cars additional.

Michael DeSantis, 527 East Seventh street, Ward 10, three cars.

Felice DeLeo, 21 Kenberma road, Ward 19, three cars.

Martin A. Lorenz, 28 Haslet street, Ward 23, three cars.

Carder Woodworking Company, 127-135 Cambridge street, Ward 26, 500 gallons gasoline.

Checker Taxi Company, 4 St. Botolph street, Ward 7, 1,000 gallons gasoline additional.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, West Sixth street, Ward 10, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Everett street, Ward 2, erect four poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, West Selden street, Ward 21, erect six poles.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Monument court, Ward 4, erect two poles.

Y. D. Service Garages, Inc., 341 Newbury street, Ward 8, 1,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Dewey street, Ward 17, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Dighton street, Ward 25, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Washington street, Ward 23, erect ten poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Nelson street, Ward 21, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Seattle street, Ward 26, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Falcon street, Ward 1, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Thornton street, Ward 15, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Tuttle street, Ward 17, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Old Harbor street, Ward 10, erect three poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Charles street, Ward 18, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Marshfield street, Ward 12, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Byron street, Ward 1, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, High street, Ward 17, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Ardale street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Winslow street, Ward 24, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Beacon street, Ward 25, erect three poles.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 6 TO MARCH 12.

MARCH 6.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Francis D. Carr	Rear of 767 Dudley street.	17	New fixtures	\$600 00
P. H. McCormack	6 Avon place.	3	New fixtures	250 00
J. H. McCarthy	477 Stuart street.	7	New fixtures	150 00
Paginton Brothers	38 Harvard avenue.	24	New fixtures	200 00

MARCH 7.

John J. Payne	96 Washington Street North.	5	New fixtures	\$110 00
P. M. Donoghue	26-30 Waverly street.	16	New fixtures	19,000 00
James A. Sullivan	23 Verdun street.	20	New fixtures	1,500 00
James A. Sullivan	27 Verdun street.	20	New fixtures	1,500 00
Barnet Shillman	119 Tonawanda street.	19	New fixtures	770 00
M. Pass & Co.	85 State street.	5	New fixtures	2,200 00
E. M. Dugan	564 Shawmut avenue.	13	New fixtures	275 00
F. H. Densmore	311 Metropolitan avenue.	23	New fixtures	567 00
Charles Lang	242 La Grange street.	23	New fixtures	260 00
Thomas F. Ward	164 Green street.	22	New fixtures	200 00
H. E. Blaisdell	35 Fremont place.	21	New fixtures	25 00
Joseph H. McCarthy	8 East Dedham street.	6	New fixtures	200 00
P. M. Donoghue	20 Griggs street.	25	New fixtures	800 00
Fred H. Kirwin	175 Market street.	26	New fixtures	1,000 00
James J. McCarthy	824 Parker street.	14	New fixtures	200 00
Denis Grady	48 West Canton street.	6	New fixtures	175 00

MARCH 8.

Robert Murray	521 Washington street.	26	New fixtures	\$35
Albert W. Short	470 West Broadway.	9	New fixtures	46
Joseph P. Vogel & Son	656 Tremont street.	6	New fixtures	150
M. F. Karger	289 Tremont street.	8	New fixtures	40
Charles Rosewald	90 Huntington avenue.	7	New fixtures	175
Rudolph O. Mahr	194 Heath street.	14	New fixtures	250
D. J. Farrell & Co.	757 Dudley street.	17	New fixtures	75
P. M. Donoghue	881 Commonwealth avenue.	25	New fixtures	4,000
James A. Dickerson	171 West Seventh street.	9	New fixtures	500
William T. O'Brien	127 Harvard avenue.	25	New fixtures	300

MARCH 10.

Louis Monto	143 Everett street.	2	New fixtures	\$275
R. F. Condon	30 Clarendon street.	7	New fixtures	70
Robert A. Matthews	659 Washington street.	21	New fixtures	100
A. W. Short	1 Telegraph street.	10	New fixtures	35
M. S. Fratus	419 Summer street.	9	New fixtures	575
W. S. Emerson	20 Prince street.	5	New fixtures	138
Robert J. Lytle	340 Massachusetts avenue.	7	New fixtures	590
A. I. Russell	412 Market street.	26	New fixtures	70
W. S. Emerson	273 Hanover street.	5	New fixtures	125
W. S. Emerson	181 Fulton street.	5	New fixtures	175
J. S. Cassidy	49 Elmira street.	26	New fixtures	900
Francis D. Carr	457 Chelsea street.	1	New fixtures	4,500
Henry J. Gurl	215 Bennington street.	2	New fixtures	300
John J. Fleming	17 and 19 Dalkith street.	17	New fixtures	950

MARCH 11.

M. S. Rann	30 Tufts street.	4	New fixtures	\$1,000
Joseph J. Levin	23 Tremont row.	5	New fixtures	1,200
Edward J. Roach	39 Stillman road.	23	New fixtures	1,100
C. J. Donohue	330 Saratoga street.	2	New fixtures	325
E. J. Fennessey	89 Freeport street.	18	New fixtures	380
Charles H. Smith	1144 Columbus avenue.	13	New fixtures	75
J. Preston Peiham	230 Clarendon street.	8	New fixtures	300
Frank E. Carlson	85 Brown avenue.	23	New fixtures	300
H. F. Fillebrown	44 Brook avenue.	12	New fixtures	300
D. M. Goldstein	74 Allen street.	5	New fixtures	125
A. I. Russell	15 Academy Hill road.	25	New fixtures	100
Joseph Sciel	1192 Commonwealth avenue	25	New fixtures	1,400
Charles King	41 Morris street.	2	New fixtures	200
Louis Moltedo	91 Business street.	24	New fixtures	150
Richard H. Doyle	46 Lexington street.	4	New fixtures	928
Richard H. Doyle	48 Lexington street.	4	New fixtures	928

MARCH 12.

M. H. Myers	44 Haverhill street.	3	New fixtures	\$300
M. H. Myers	46 Haverhill street.	3	New fixtures	300
M. H. Myers	48 Haverhill street.	3	New fixtures	300
M. H. Myers	52 Haverhill street.	3	New fixtures	300
M. H. Myers	54 Haverhill street.	3	New fixtures	300
H. S. Trethewey	247 Cornell street.	23	New fixtures	775
H. S. Trethewey	48 Hemlock street.	23	New fixtures	392
H. S. Trethewey	305 Kittredge street.	23	New fixtures	700
S. Houdlin	167 West Broadway.	9	New fixtures	150
Edward J. Roach	16 Wellington Hill street.	21	New fixtures	1,100
D. J. Rull	70 O street.	9	New fixtures	100
John J. O'Toole	56 Metropolitan avenue.	23	New fixtures	900
John J. Campbell	24 Laurel street.	16	New fixtures	500
Joseph Edelstein	97 Chelsea street.	2	New fixtures	150
E. O. Hunt	10 Ferrin street.	4	New fixtures	200
Richard P. Slatery	Rear of 575-577 Atlantic av.	5	New fixtures	900
James A. Sullivan	769 Columbia road.	11	New fixtures	1,500
H. P. Murphy	531 Freeport street.	20	New fixtures	380
J. F. McDonald	21 Christopher street.	20	New fixtures	500
Joseph H. McCarthy	91 Shirley street.	12	New fixtures	75

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Seymour street, Ward 23, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Minden street, Ward 14, erect two poles.
Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Beacon street, Ward 25, erect twelve poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Randolph road, Ward 24, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Everett street, Ward 2, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Union street, Ward 25, erect four poles.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.*General Order No. 14.***I. HOUSE WORK.**

The following system and arrangement for house work will be followed out after this date in all company stations:

a. Morning call will be sounded as usual at 6.45 a. m. Company commanders will see that all floors and outside of building in front of company quarters are swept by the night shift. The taking out of ashes, etc., will also be performed by the night shift.

b. The changing over of hose after a fire, and preparing of apparatus for future alarms, must be done immediately upon return to quarters by the crew operating.

c. The changing over of the hose on apparatus where same has not been used for one week, must be done at 8 p. m., on any day excepting Sunday.

d. All beds must be properly aired, as this is most essential to sanitary conditions, and same will be neatly made up by members of the day shift, not later than 10 a. m.

e. All other work not mentioned herein shall be performed by the day shift, and district chiefs will see that company commanders carry this out effectively.

f. The attention of commanding officers is especially directed to that part of rule No. 86, which states, "Such work as can be dispensed with on Sundays and holidays will be postponed to the following day."

II. HIGH PRESSURE, STEAM AND MARINE SERVICE.

A branch service of the department is hereby created to be known as "The High Pressure, Steam and Marine Service." This service will comprise the high pressure pumping system, steam and marine service as it affects the department. The service will be in charge of Superintendent Eugene M. Byington, with headquarters at the Bureau of Supplies and Repairs.

III. NAME OF STREET CHANGED.

On February 29, 1924, the name of Smyrna street, Roxbury district, between Brookline avenue and Binney street, was changed to Deaconess road.

IV. COMMENDATION.

The Fire Commissioner is in receipt of the following letter from Hon. Guy A. Ham, president of the Citizens National Bank:

Boston, March 6, 1924.

MY DEAR MR. GLYNN,—Last evening a serious fire took place on the premises

adjoining our banking institution at 171 Summer street. Owing to the very excellent work performed by the Boston Fire Department this blaze was confined to the premises where the fire originated.

I wish to express to you and the members of your force my appreciation of the services rendered by the department, and the strenuous efforts put forth by them to prevent the blaze from extending to our banking rooms.

As a little token of my appreciation I am inclosing herewith a check for \$100 for the Firemen's Relief Fund.

Cordially yours,

GUY A. HAM,
President.

The commissioner has turned the check over to the treasurer of the Boston Firemen's Relief Fund.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved, upon request of the Public Works Commissioner, the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works in Washington street, Centre street, West Roxbury, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Sarah R. Sumner, bounded: West by Centre street, twelve feet; north by other land of said Sumner, one hundred seventy-six and 25-100 feet; east by Centre street, fourteen and 9-100 feet; and south by other land of said Sumner, one hundred eighty-three and 59-100 feet; containing twenty-one hundred and fifty-nine square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Sarah R. Sumner, bounded: Southeast by Washington street, thirteen and 58-100 feet; southwest by other land of said Sumner, three hundred sixty-seven and 63-100 feet; northwest by Centre street, by two measurements, eight and 11-100 feet and four and 8-100 feet; northeast by other land of said Sumner, one hundred thirty-four and 91-100 feet; northwest by the same, three and 73-100 feet; and northeast by land of Burke, two hundred twenty-nine and 15-100 feet; containing forty-eight hundred and eighty square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 545 linear feet of 2-foot

9-inch concrete and 24-inch pipe sanitary sewer in the above described premises, being private land between Washington street and Centre street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on Centre street, at the boundary between Boston and Dedham, now or formerly owned by Sarah R. Sumner; the lot of abutting land on the northeasterly side of Centre street, between Board of Survey street No. 1322 and Board of Survey Street No. 1298, now or formerly owned by Fred-eric J. Stimson; and the lot of abutting land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, near the boundary between Boston and Dedham, now or formerly owned by James Burke, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 517, Sewerage Works, Washington Street, Centre Street, West Roxbury, April 3, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department" and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Frederic J. Stimson.....	\$500 00
2. James Burke.....	540 00
3. Sarah R. Sumner.....	352 00
4. Sarah R. Sumner.....	366 00
5. Sarah R. Sumner.....	735 26
	\$2,493 26

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Ellen M. Gifford Sheltering Home Corporation has agreed to accept the sum of \$276.55 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in and all damages occasioned to its estate on Undine road by the laying out and construction of said road under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of June 23, 1922.

Arthur E. Blaisdell has agreed to accept the sum of \$700 as full payment for all land taken from all rights acquired in and all damages occasioned to his estate on Centre street by the relocation and construction of said Centre street under the order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 1, 1918. This acceptance is made on condition that any assessments made on said estate for the relocation and construction of said Centre street shall be assumed by the City of Boston.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.**

The Phoenix Bridge Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for rebuilding Beacon Street Bridge, over the Boston & Albany Railroad, from February 1, 1924, to May 1, 1924.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Donahue & Riordan have been granted an extension of the contract for supplying uniforms to the Fire Department to April 1.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has, upon request of the Public Works Commissioner, approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works in Weld street, Montclair avenue, West Roxbury, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Montclair avenue, bounded:

Southeast by taking made by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes in Montclair avenue, April 10, 1905, twelve feet; southwest by another part of Montclair avenue, seventeen feet; northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from James A. Cronin *et al.*, twelve feet; and northeast by another part of Montclair avenue, seventeen feet, containing two hundred and four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to James A. Cronin and B. Margaret Cronin, bounded:

Southeast by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown (Montclair avenue), twelve feet; southwest by land supposed to belong to Williams, one hundred thirty-nine and 50-100 feet; northwest by land herein-after described as taken from President and Fellows of Harvard College twelve feet; and northeast by other land supposed to belong to said Cronin *et al.*, one hundred thirty-nine and 50-100 feet; containing sixteen hundred and seventy-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to President and Fellows of Harvard College, bounded:

Southeast by land hereinbefore described as taken from James A. Cronin *et al.*, twelve feet; southwest by other land of said Harvard College, twenty-five and 22-100 feet; southeast by the same, four hundred thirty-eight and 27-100 feet; southwest by the same, by two measurements, one hundred eighty-five and 70-100 feet and two hundred sixty and 57-100 feet; northwest by Weld street, eighteen and 69-100 feet; northeast by other land of said college, by two measurements, two hundred forty-five and 59-100 feet and one hundred eighty-three and 2-100 feet; northwest by the same, four hundred forty-two and 23-100 feet; and northeast by the same, twenty-eight and 62-100 feet; containing ninety-one hundred square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 700 linear feet of 15-inch and 660 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewers, in the above described

premises, being private land between Montclair avenue and Weld street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lot of abutting land on the southerly side of Weld street now or formerly owned by the President and Fellows of Harvard College will receive benefit or advantage other than the general advantage to the community from the improvement ordered herein, to the amount set against it herein; said lot and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 520, Sewerage Works, Weld Street, Montclair avenue, West Roxbury, June 29, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. President and Fellows of Harvard College	\$2,500

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor, upon request of the Public Works Commissioner, has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works in Itasca street, Dorchester, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Itasca street, bounded: Northeast by easement taken in Itasca street by the City of Boston July 3, 1918, for sewerage purposes, eight feet; southeast by another part of Itasca street, by two measurements, one hundred seventy-six and 13-100 feet and one hundred sixty-seven and 23-100 feet; southwest by easement taken in Itasca street by the City of Boston November 30, 1921, for sewerage purposes, eight feet; and northwest by another part of Itasca street, by two measurements, one hundred sixty-seven and 52-100 feet and one hundred seventy-seven feet; containing twenty-seven hundred fifty-two square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 350 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Itasca street, between Almont street and Currier street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and

construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, between Almont street and Currier street, excluding the lot near the corner of Almont street, now or formerly owned by Mary L. Kane, and the lot at the northerly corner of Itasca and Currier streets, now or formerly owned by Wellington Holbrook, John Dyers Holbrook and Grace Holbrook, trustees; and the lots of abutting land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street; between Almont street and opposite Currier street, excluding the lot at the southerly corner of Almont street and Itasca street, now or formerly owned by Elizabeth Munroe, and the lot opposite Currier street, now or formerly owned by Isabella Webb, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts respectively set against them herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 546, Sewerage Works, Itasca Street, Dorchester, January 14, 1924, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Wellington Holbrook, John Byers Holbrook, Grace Holbrook, trustees	Nothing
2. Wellington Holbrook, John Byers Holbrook, Grace Holbrook, trustees	\$50 00
3. Grace Carter.....	50 00
4. Wellington Holbrook, John Byers Holbrook, Grace Holbrook, trustees	50 00
5. Wellington Holbrook, John Byers Holbrook, Grace Holbrook, trustees	48 75
6. Wellington Holbrook, John Byers Holbrook, Grace Holbrook, trustees	48 75
7. Wellington Holbrook, John Byers Holbrook, Grace Holbrook, trustees	48 75
8. Michael J. Thornton.....	47 85
9. Mary L. Kane.....	Nothing
10. Isabella Webb.....	Nothing
11. Wellington Holbrook, John Byers Holbrook, Grace Holbrook, trustees	50 00
12. John Henderson.....	50 00
13. John Henderson, Lilla E. Riley.....	50 00
14. Lilla E. Riley.....	50 00
15. Wellington Holbrook, John Byers Holbrook, Grace Holbrook, trustees	50 00
16. Wellington Holbrook, John Byers Holbrook, Grace Holbrook, trustees	50 00
17. Wellington Holbrook, John Byers Holbrook, Grace Holbrook, trustees	50 00
18. Elizabeth Munroe.....	Nothing
	<u>\$695 00</u>

IMMIGRANT ALIENS ARRIVED IN YEAR 1921.

Total number of trans-Atlantic immigrants landed at Boston, 43,558 (*i. e.* 21,584 or 98.2 per cent more than in 1920), of which 4,809 or 11.04 per cent stated Massachusetts as their destination. Of said total, 17,999 were South Italians, 11,212 Hebrews, 1,979 Germans, 1,702 Poles, 1,599 North Italians, 923 Portuguese, 917 Greeks, 673 English, 527 Scandinavians, 232 Dutch, 127 Irish, 114 Finnish, 104 Russians, 83 Scotch and 5,367 others. Total arrivals in 1919 were only 5,572; in 1918, 1,344; in 1917, 6,527. Total in the five years, 1917-1921, 78,975, South Italians 52.5 per cent of same.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, March 10, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair and all the members present.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following were received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 10, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Fred Campbell, 16 Madison avenue, Winthrop, a Weigher of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 10, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint John S. Grady, 25 Shore drive, Winthrop, a Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 10, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint William J. Pritchard, 227 Highland street, Roxbury, to the position of Constable of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1924, also William F. Breen, 94 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Severally laid over under the law.

VETO—OLD AGE PENSION SYSTEM.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 10, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith order of the City Council adopted under date of February 25, 1924, reading as follows:
"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to appoint a committee to investigate and report to the City Council as to the advisability of establishing an old age pension for citizens of Boston."

In reply I desire to state that I have given careful consideration to the order and have studied the question of old age pensions and their operation in Germany, New Zealand, and Great Britain and am whole-heartedly in favor of the adoption either by the federal government or by the state of this most humane provision so necessary to the comfort, happiness and peace of mind of the working women and men of America.

The Commonwealth at the present time has a committee studying this question and until such time as they submit a report it would be, in my opinion, inadvisable for the city to duplicate the work which has been assigned to them.

Consequently, I return the order without my approval.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Placed on file.

GAS LIGHTING CONTRACT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 10, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith in accordance with the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909 the recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works for the adoption of contracts with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for the furnishing of illuminating gas and the lighting of gas lamps in the streets of the city, some 10,000 more or less, for a period of ten years.

Under the provisions of the city charter these contracts must be approved by the City Council, after a public hearing, in order to become effective and I accordingly submit the report and recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works for such action as the City Council may deem proper.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department, March 6, 1924.
To the Honorable the Mayor:

The ten-year gas street lighting contracts expire on the 31st of March, 1924. There are two contracts, one of which is for furnishing the illuminating gas at the gas posts, and for which the Boston Consolidated Gas Company was asked to furnish a price per lamp per year for a new ten-year contract. In letter dated March 5, addressed to your Honor and referred to this office, to which was attached a copy of agreement, the Gas Company submitted a price of \$11 per lamp per year for single burner sixty-candle power lamps, the maximum hours for lighting per year being \$4.000.

The price on the previous ten-year contract per lamp year was \$9. The price of gas to the ordinary consumer in 1914 was 80 cents per thousand cubic feet. The price of \$9 per year provided a price of 65 cents per thousand cubic feet, or a reduction of 18 1/2 per cent. The price proposed for ten years beginning April 1, 1924, is at the rate of 78 57/100 cents per thousand cubic feet, which is a reduction of approximately 35 per cent from the price to the ordinary consumer of \$1.20 per thousand cubic feet.

The contract for furnishing equipment and lighting and extinguishing gas lamps was advertised in three succeeding *City Records* and bids were opened on March 6, resulting in but one tender, which was made by the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for \$15.20 per lamp per year, as against \$12 for the expiring ten-year contract, or an increase of 26 7/10 per cent, which increase appears reasonable as compared with the cost of labor, mantles, pole tops, globes and other necessary parts to be provided, kept in repair and renewed.

Provisions are incorporated in each contract for an increase or reduction in the unit price, in accordance with the relative change in price of gas to the ordinary consumer or the cost of equipment and service, as compared with that for the first year under the new contract for which the contract price will be charged.

Two copies of each contract are forwarded for proper presentation to the City Council for its approval as well as for that of your Honor, which is necessary for these ten-year contracts.

Yours respectfully,
J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I move that this be referred to the Committee on Finance and that a date be set for a public hearing on the question.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, why Committee on Finance? Why is this not a matter that might properly go to the Executive Committee?

Coun. WATSON—It is a matter which involves large sums of money and it seems to me it might properly be a matter to go before the Committee on Finance. However, it makes no difference to me either way. I will leave it entirely to the Chair's judgment.

It was voted that the matter be referred to the Committee on Finance and printed as a city document.

COURTHOUSE, BRIGHTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 10, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—A petition has been received from residents of the Brighton district, signed by the officials of the court and others, protesting against lack of proper court accommodations in this section of the city.

An examination of this section discloses the fact that the site upon which the police station is now located is of sufficient size to accommodate both a new courthouse and police station.

I have conferred with the Superintendent of Public Buildings and he shares with me the view that a new building which would provide for the needs of the district for the next fifty years could be erected and the present building occupied by the courts could be turned over to the Police Department for increased accommodations.

The adoption of this plan would make unnecessary the purchase of land and should result in the construction of a new courthouse for a sum not in excess of \$225,000.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$225,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the erection of a new courthouse in the Brighton dis-

trict, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

APPROPRIATION FOR POLICE STATION NO. 18.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 10, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith communication received from the Superintendent of Public Buildings setting forth that because of rulings of the Building Department relative to the new Police Station No. 18 it will be necessary to so lower the foundation as to involve an additional expenditure, including changes in the floors and walls, of \$25,000.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Buildings Department,
March 5, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—I wish to advise you of the following facts pertaining to the erection and completion of Police Station, Hyde Park, namely:

A contract was awarded for the erection and completion of this building on December 14, 1923, to the Alco Contracting Company, Inc., in the sum of \$181,916. As the work progressed, it was discovered in excavating for the pier footings and foundations that when the grade called for in the specifications was reached, it was the bed of old Stony brook, with the result that excavating to a greater depth was absolutely necessary in order to get to a solid basis.

This fact together with the changes made necessary by decision of the Building Department, such as re-enforcing the steel, etc., makes it absolutely necessary that a further appropriation should be made for this building in order to meet these requirements. I therefore respectfully request that an additional appropriation in the sum of \$25,000 be provided for the Police Station, Hyde Park.

Respectfully yours,
FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

Ordered, That an additional sum of \$25,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings, for the establishment of a police station, Hyde Park district, and that to meet said appropriation, the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

SITE FOR DORCHESTER COURTHOUSE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 10, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—The courthouse accommodations in the Dorchester district have been inadequate for many years and the question of providing suitable accommodations has from time to time received serious consideration, without other action. That a remedy may be provided for present intolerable conditions I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$75,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings, for the purchase of a site and preparation of plans for a courthouse, Dorchester district, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

BLEACHERS, ETC., WILLIAM E. CARTER PLAYGROUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 10, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—It is desirable that the William E. Carter Playground be used to some

degree approaching the maximum of usefulness, and that this may be accomplished I respectfully recommend the adoption of an order providing sufficient funds to establish bleachers and other necessary requisites at the playground.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) be and is hereby appropriated for bleachers and general improvements at the William E. Carter Playground, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

IMPROVEMENT OF COLUMBUS PARK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 10, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—The Park Commission estimated that the sum of \$150,000 will be necessary for grading and planting Columbus Park. This work, which has been in process for a period of nine years, will through the expenditure of this sum be completed.
In order that the public may draw dividends upon this investment at an early date, I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That an additional sum of \$150,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated for Columbus Park Improvements, and that to meet said appropriation, the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Jacob Ames, for compensation for damage to property at 244 Dudley street by city truck.
W. D. Byron & Sons Leather Company, to be repaid for unused refuse tickets.

C. & J. Company, to be repaid for unused refuse tickets.

Arthur J. Caulfield, for compensation for damage to property at 3 Greenough park caused by installation of water meter.

Copley Square Hotel, to be repaid for unused refuse tickets.

Catherine Driscoll, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Bainbridge street.

Mrs. Andrew Giorgio, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in Toll Gate Bridge.

Samuel Goldstein, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Goodwin & Stone, for compensation for damage to truck by city truck.

Florence J. Harpel, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Hollander street.

John J. Healy, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in toboggan slide at Franklin Park.

Peter F. Lamont, for compensation for damage to property at 428 Adams street by city team.

John J. Mahoney, for compensation for damage to car by city team.

Miller Brothers, for compensation for damage to car by city team.

United States Post Office, for compensation for damage to property at South Postal Station by overflow of water.

Abraham Wirin, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Union street.

Josephine Zagarella, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Saratoga street.

Executive.

Petitions for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.:

Rev. Richard A. Burke, St. Augustine's Hall, March 16.

Raymond Gilbert, Municipal Building, Ward 6, March 17.

Jitneys.

Gloucester Auto Bus Company, for license to operate motor bus from Chelsea Bridge to Haymarket square and return.

RESIGNATION AND REMOVAL.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the resignation of Charles B. Palmer as a constable, and of the removal of David Greenberg as a constable.

Placed on file.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constable's bond of Michael W. Ober.

Approved by the City Council.

CHANGE IN STREET NAME.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of change of name of Smyrna street, Roxbury, between Brookline avenue and Binney street, to Deaconess road.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Health Department of appointment of Thomas J. Donnellon as deputy commissioner in charge of the Sanitary Division.

Placed on file.

USE OF WATER INCOME.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Law Department, March 5, 1924.
Wilfred J. Doyle, Esq., Assistant City Clerk,
City Hall, Boston:

Dear Sir,—This is in reply to the request of the City Council that I furnish a written opinion on the following order:

"Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to furnish the City Council with a written opinion as to the right of the city to use surplus water income for the extension of mains or for the high pressure system."

Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1914 provides how the income from the city's water works shall be applied. Section 1 is as follows:

"Chapter four hundred and twenty-seven of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-eight is hereby amended by striking out section one and inserting in place thereof the following new section: Section 1. The income received each year by the city of Boston from its water works shall be applied after the first day of February of the year nineteen hundred and thirteen to meet the expenses incurred for maintenance of its water works, including the operation, extension, improvement and renewal of said works, to meet the assessment apportioned to said city under chapter four hundred and eighty-eight of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, and to meet the interest and sinking fund requirements of the loans and the principal of maturing serial loans issued for said works, and the balance, if any, shall be used to meet interest and sinking fund requirements of serial loan payments on any debt of the city of Boston. If such income in any year shall not be sufficient for said payments, the balance required therefor shall be raised by taxation or by loan as the city may determine, and the city is hereby authorized to assess such taxes and make such loans without further authority from the general court."

If, then, the extension of the mains for the high pressure system is within the language of the above section, the auditor of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, under section 3 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909 (amended city charter) may legally apply any of the income not disposed of in closing the accounts for the fiscal year to the extension of water mains for the high pressure system.

The extension of water mains for the high pressure system is clearly an extension and improvement of the water works of the City of Boston. The laying and maintaining of the mains and pipes is within the control and jurisdiction of the Public Works Department. The high pressure system mains and pipes are employed in connection with the use of water supplied by the city. The water supplied through this system may be used by the Fire Department, the street watering and cleaning forces, or by such other municipal departments which may require the use of the high pressure system. The fact that the Fire Department makes more use of the system than do other departments does not alter the fact that the entire system is built and maintained as part of the water works of the city.

In my opinion, therefore, the auditor, with the approval of the Mayor, has the legal right

to use surplus water income for the extension of mains for the high pressure system.

Very truly yours,

E. MARK SULLIVAN,
Corporation Counsel.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

MINORS' LICENSES.

President DONOGHUE submitted reports on petitions for licenses for fifty-five newsboys and five vendors—recommending that the same be granted.

Reports accepted; licenses granted on the usual conditions.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY, STURGIS STREET.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to lay out Sturgis street, West Roxbury, as a public highway.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

INFORMATION CONCERNING BUDGET, ETC.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That the Budget Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to prepare and transmit to the City Council a condensed report indicating the purposes of budget appropriations for the Fire, Hospital, Institutions, Library, Park, Police, Public Buildings, Public Works Department, and the Boston Sanatorium and Boston Conservation Bureau.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, submitted a report recommending the passage of an order for the payment of aid to soldiers and sailors and their families in the City of Boston for the month of March, 1924.

Report accepted; order passed.

MONEY FOR SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That there be allowed and paid to the Soldiers' Relief Commissioner, and charged to the Appropriation for Soldiers' Relief Department the sum of \$300, said sum to be expended subject to the approval of the Committee on Soldiers' Relief by said commissioner in affording immediate relief to persons entitled to aid under chapter 79 of the Revised Laws and acts in amendment thereof and addition thereto.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

President DONOGHUE—called up unfinished business, Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, March 3, 1924, viz.:

1. Gerard E. Cassidy, Frank R. Barone, Frank S. Spring and James A. Parker, to be Constables.

2. John L. Crowley, to be a Weigher of Coal.

3. Edward Keefe and Henry Z. Kelly, to be Weighers of Beef.

4. John J. Heavey and Mason G. Howard, to be Weighers of Goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Brickley and Walsh. Whole number of ballots cast 7, yeas 0, and the appointments were confirmed.

VARIOUS LOAN ORDERS.

President DONOGHUE called up the following orders separately, and they were given their final readings separately and passed, viz.:

5. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Court House, Forest Hills, Site, \$3,000, to the appropriation for Court House, West Roxbury, Remodeling, \$3,000.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

Passed yeas 9, nays 0.

6. Ordered, That an additional sum of \$275,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended by the Commissioner

of Public Works for East Boston Ferry, Improvements, etc., and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

7. Ordered, That the sum of \$145,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended by the Commissioner of Public Works for Dartmouth Street Bridge, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Passed yeas 9, nays 0.

8. Ordered, That an additional sum of \$100,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings, for the restoration, fire-proofing and installation of automatic sprinkler equipment in the Faneuil Hall Building, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Passed yeas 9, nays 0.

9. Ordered, That the sum of \$350,000 be and hereby is appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, for Charities Administration Building and Temporary Home, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Passed, yeas 8, nays 1, Coun. Donoghue voting nay.

10. Ordered, That the sum of \$55,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the Park Commission for improving the Cherry Street Playground, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Coun. LANE—Mr. President, for the same reasons I gave two weeks ago I am going to decline to vote on this and the remaining loan orders.

(Coun. Lane did not vote on the remaining loan orders).

Passed, yeas 7, nays 1, Coun. Brickley voting nay.

11. Ordered, That the sum of fifty thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners to provide for the erection of a concrete stand and for other improvements for the Columbus Avenue Playground, and the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon direction of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Later in the session Coun. WATSON said: Mr. President, I desire at this time to move reconsideration of the vote on No. 11. My reason for the motion is that the Mayor has sent in a compromise order for \$25,000, and I think I probably will be satisfied with that. Therefore I move the reconsideration.

The motion to reconsider was carried and the order was laid on the table.

12. Ordered, That the sum of \$500,000 be hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Department for a municipal building to be located in that part of Boston known as Ward 5, old Ward 8, and that to meet such expense the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I dislike very much to vote against this order, but, of course, I have to alibi myself. At the present time we have in Ward 5 a municipal building at the corner of Tyler and Oak streets, and there are quite a few wards in the city without municipal buildings or even playgrounds in them. I think it is rather odd to have two municipal buildings in Ward 5. I want to be silent on this vote. I don't want to vote for or against. I think one municipal building in a ward is enough.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair, having been responsible for introducing the order, will say that it was specifically stated in the order that the municipal building should be erected in that part of Ward 5 known as old Ward 8, which, in my opinion, and I think in the opinion of the great majority of our citizens, is without any question the most seriously congested district in the entire City of Boston. They have never had a municipal building and, while it is not the section in which I happen to live, nevertheless I feel that there is as much need of a municipal building in that section as in any other section of the entire city, if not more. For that reason I introduce the order, and I hope it will go on its passage.

The order was given its second reading and passage, yeas 6, nays 0:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

Nays—0.

13. That the sum of \$100,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated for placing the Sullivan Square Playground, Charlestown, in shape, and for the erection of concrete stands on said playground, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Passed, yeas 6, nays 0, the vote being Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

14. Ordered, That the sum of \$50,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Commission for the purpose of erecting concrete bleachers and otherwise improving the Randolph Street Playground, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I rise to object again. We have here in Ward 6 two playgrounds, and both of them have been developed to a certain extent. Of course, more could be done. I think it would be well for us to pick out a ward where the need is greater. We have, for instance, in South Boston, Wards 9 and 10, wards where I do not believe there is a playground. That is my objection, and therefore, I do not care to be recorded on the matter.

The order was given its second reading and passage, yeas 6, nays 0:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

Nays—0.

15. Ordered, That the sum of \$50,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the improvement of Tenean Beach Playground, Dorchester, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Passed, yeas 6, nays 0, the vote being Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

16. Ordered, That the sum of \$50,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the improvement of the Garvey Playground, Neponset, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Passed, yeas 7, nays 0, the vote being Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—7.

17. Ordered, That the sum of five hundred thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, for the erection of a new municipal building in Charlestown, and the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon direction of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Passed, yeas 6, nays 0, the vote being Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

18. Ordered, That the sum of \$350,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for a new courthouse in Dorchester, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be au-

thorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Passed, yeas 7, nays 0, the vote being Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—7.

RECESS TAKEN.

It was voted at 2.46 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.27 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Reports on petitions (referred today) for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement—that petitions be granted, viz.:

Raymond Gilbert, Municipal Building, Ward 6, March 17.

Rev. Richard A. Burke, St. Augustine's Hall, March 16.

Reports accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions

2. Report on communication from the Street Commissioners (referred February 25) giving notice of hearings for storage and sale of gasoline—that the same be placed on file. Report accepted; communication placed on file.

3. Report on communication from Corporation Counsel (referred today) as to the use of the water income—that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; communication placed on file.

FINANCE.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Finance, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on message, order and communication (referred today) for loan of \$25,000 for police station, Hyde Park—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

2. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for loan of \$75,000 for courthouse site, etc., Dorchester—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

3. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for loan of \$225,000 for new courthouse, Brighton—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

4. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for loan of \$25,000 for bleachers, etc., William E. Carter Playground—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

5. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for loan of \$150,000 for Columbus Park improvements—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. WATSON moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 4.33 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. PURCELL to meet on Tuesday, March 18, at two o'clock p. m.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

WATER INSPECTORS AND METER READERS, MARCH 21, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the various cities of the Commonwealth and of such towns as are classified under civil service. From the eligible list established as a result of this examination, names will be certified to fill present vacancies and such other vacancies as may occur.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; report writing, 1; practical questions, 4; total, 10.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Upon filing application, persons will receive a manual of information pertaining to the work of water inspector and meter reader, upon which the practical questions will be based. Applicants are, however, cautioned to inquire personally or by letter should they fail to receive this manual of instruction.

MACHINIST WITH KNOWLEDGE OF ELECTRICAL MACHINERY AND RADIO, FIRE ALARM BRANCH, FIRE DEPARTMENT, MARCH 27, 1924.

The salary is \$5.50 per day for six days a week.

Applicants should be thorough mechanics with general experience in the machinist trade, should have had experience in making and repairing electrical instruments and radio apparatus, and should be able to transmit and receive at least twelve words a minute in the Morse or continental code.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 2; practical questions on electrical instruments and radio construction and repair, 2; practical test in telegraph sending and receiving, 1; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

FIRE SERVICE, CITIES AND TOWNS OUTSIDE OF BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, APRIL 12, 1924.—BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, APRIL 26, 1924.

Applicants for the service of Boston must be not less than twenty-two nor over thirty years of age at the time of filing their applications. Applicants for the service of all other cities and towns in the metropolitan district must be not less than twenty-one nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing their applications. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Applicants for the service of cities and towns outside of the metropolitan district are required to be not less than twenty-one nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing their applica-

tions. Applicants for Worcester fire service are required to be not less than 5 feet 5 inches in height.

Callmen and substitute callmen may make such deductions from their ages as are provided for in Civil Service Rule 8, Classes 20 and 21.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; practical questions on fire apparatus, etc., 4; total, 10. Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be required to pass a physical examination and strength tests. Educational qualifications, 2; physical qualifications, 3; total, 5.

The questions on duties will be based upon information contained in a manual known as the "Red Book." This manual may be obtained from the Secretary of State, Room 118, State House, at ten cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Persons who possess the requisite qualifications as to age may have their names placed on any three eligible lists in addition to the original list for which they apply. Preference in certification will be given to applicants who, at the time of certification, have been domiciled for six months in the city or town from which requisition is received.

INCREASE IN ELECTION PRECINCTS

In accordance with Chap. 636, Acts of 1920, the Election Commissioners made a new division of the 26 wards, increasing the number of precincts from 221 to 274. This change was necessary because of the addition of women voters to the electorate, the intention of the law being to keep the precincts equalized, *i. e.*, with 1,000 voters in each. Wds. 7, 8, 21 and 23 now have thirteen precincts instead of nine; Wds. 14, 17, 19, 20, 22 and 25 have twelve; Wds. 13, 15, 16, 18 and 24 contain eleven; Wds. 10, 11 and 12, ten; Wds. 1, 6, 9 and 26, nine; Wd. 2, eight; Wds. 3, 4 and 5, seven. Only six wards remain unchanged, *viz.*, Wds. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 9.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CONTRACTORS FOR HARDWARE.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required or necessary for the complete equipment of the New Dorchester High School for Boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, March 28, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for alterations, etc., in the Andrews School, Genesee street, near Albany street, South End, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday, March 19, 1924, noon. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, April 11, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$2,500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right, to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN FOWLE STREET AND OUTLET BETWEEN BOARD OF SURVEY STREET No. 2244 AND ROWE STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Fowle street and outlet between Board of Survey Street No. 2244 and Rowe street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty six hundred (2,600) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Fowle Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, March 25, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 13, 1924. (March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

SALE OF LAND.

By order of the City Council, approved by the Mayor, January 29, 1924, I will sell at public auction on Wednesday, March 19, 1924, at 11 a. m. on the premises, Alford street, Charlestown district, corner of Dexter street, a parcel of land containing 67,671 square feet, more or less, subject to restrictions of record, if any there be at an upset price of twenty thousand three hundred dollars (\$20,300). A deposit of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) will be required at the time of sale; the balance in thirty days.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
28 School Street, Boston.

(March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN DORCHESTER BROOK SEWER, EAST FORK, IN HEMLOCK STREET, FROM HOLDEN STREET TO DUDLEY STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Dorchester brook sewer, east fork, in Humphreys street, from Holden street to Dudley street, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works Dorchester Brook Sewer," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, April 11, 1924, with a certified check for three thousand (3,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposal will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 13, 1924. (March 15-22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PORTLAND CEMENT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the various departments of the city with 2,400 barrels, more or less, of Portland cement, to be delivered in such quantities as required. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$500, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., Friday, March 21, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ASPHALT CEMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Paving Service, Public Works Department, asphalt cement, to be delivered as required. Proposals, with a certified check for \$300, will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Monday, March 24, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING HIGH PRESSURE FIRE PIPES IN HAWKINS STREET, FROM SUBBURY STREET TO CHARDON STREET; BOWKER STREET, FROM SUBBURY STREET TO CHARDON STREET; CHARDON STREET, FROM GREEN STREET TO PORTLAND STREET; KNEELAND STREET, FROM TYLER STREET TO ATLANTIC AVENUE; ATLANTIC AVENUE, FROM KNEELAND STREET TO ESSEX STREET; SOUTH STREET, FROM KNEELAND STREET TO BEACH STREET; CHATHAM STREET, FROM MERCHANTS ROW TO COMMERCIAL STREET; COMMERCE STREET, FROM COMMERCIAL STREET TO ATLANTIC AVENUE; MILK STREET, FROM ARCH STREET TO WASHINGTON STREET; WASHINGTON STREET, FROM BROMFIELD STREET TO MILK STREET; KILBY STREET, FROM MILK STREET TO STATE STREET; DOANE STREET, FROM KILBY STREET TO BROAD STREET; BROAD STREET, FROM DOANE STREET TO STATE STREET; STATE STREET, FROM BROAD STREET TO COMMERCIAL STREET; HANOVER STREET, FROM SALEM STREET TO WASHINGTON STREET; HANOVER STREET, FROM PORTLAND STREET TO SCOLLAY SQUARE; INDIA STREET, FROM INDIA SQUARE TO CUSTOMHOUSE STREET, NORTH STREET, FROM MERCHANTS ROW TO UNION STREET; UNION STREET, FROM NORTH STREET TO HANOVER STREET; UNION STREET, FROM HANOVER STREET TO HAYMARKET SQUARE; SUBBURY STREET, FROM FRIEND STREET TO HAYMARKET SQUARE; CUSTOMHOUSE STREET, FROM INDIA STREET TO BROAD STREET; KINGSTON STREET, FROM ESSEX STREET TO BEACH STREET; FLEET STREET, FROM COMMERCIAL STREET TO HANOVER STREET, CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for laying high pressure fire pipes in Hawkins street, from Sudbury street to Chardon street; Bowker street, from Sudbury street to Chardon street; Chardon street, from Green street to Portland street; Kneeland street, from Tyler street to Atlantic avenue; Atlantic avenue, from Kneeland street to Essex street; South street, from Kneeland street to Beach street; Chatham street, from Merchants row to Commercial street; Commerce street, from Commercial street to Atlantic avenue; Milk street, from Arch street to Washington street; Washington street, from Bromfield street to Milk street; Kilby street, from Milk street to State street; Doane street, from Kilby street to Broad street; Broad street, from Doane street to State street; State street, from Broad street to Commercial street; Hanover street, from Salem street to Washington street; Hanover street, from Portland street to Scollay square; India street, from India square to Customhouse street; North street, from Merchants row to Union street; Union street, from North street to Hanover street; Union street, from Hanover street to Haymarket square; Sudbury street, from Friend street to Haymarket square; Customhouse street, from India street to Broad street; Kingston street, from Essex street to Beach street; Fleet street, from Commercial street to Hanover street, city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one hundred ten thousand (110,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying High Pressure Fire Pipes, Hawkins Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., on Thursday, March 27, 1924, with a certified check for fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 13, 1924. (March 15-22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO MANUFACTURERS OF STEEL LOCKERS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the following various high schools: Boston Trade School, Parker street, Roxbury; Jamaica Plain High School, Elm street, Jamaica Plain; Girls' High School, West Newton street; Brighton High School, Cambridge street, Brighton, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, April 8, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,000 payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(March 15.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR BRICK.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the various city departments;

50,000 paving bricks, more or less.
260,000 sewer bricks, more or less.

to be delivered as required. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$500 must be left at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., Friday, March 21, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for moving four portable school buildings at various schools, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, March 21, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(March 15.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PERGOLA AT THE ROSE GARDEN,
FRANKLIN PARK.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for pergola at the rose garden, Franklin Park. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Pergola at the Rose Garden, Franklin Park," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, March 20, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA *Chairman,*
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(March 15.) *Commissioners.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MILK.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Boston Sanatorium, Mattapan, with Massachusetts Standard Grade "A" milk, as required, from April 1 to September 30, 1924, inclusive. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at 12 m., Tuesday, March 25, 1924, at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The contract calls for pure, dairy milk, neither skimmed nor topped, nor in any way deprived of its natural proportion of cream. An average of 55 cans of 8 1/4 quarts each is required for delivery per day, including Sundays. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 15.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO MANUFACTURERS OF STEEL LOCKERS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for taking down and relocating 405 metal lockers in the Mechanic Arts High School, Belvidere and Dalton streets, Back Bay, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday, March 19, 1924, noon. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, April 1, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$300, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(March 15.) *Commissioners.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR THE PURCHASE OF TRIMMINGS,
BONES, GREASE AND SUETS.

The Trustees of the Boston City Hospital invite sealed proposals for the purchase of the following materials from the hospital proper, South Department and Haymarket Square Relief Station, between date of execution of contract and February 1, 1925.

Trimmings, 800 pounds per month, more or less.
Bones, 3,550 pounds per month, more or less.
Grease from kitchen, 300 pounds per month, more or less.
Grease from traps, 1,000 pounds per year, more or less.
Suits, 100 pounds per month, more or less.

The price offered is to be price per pound on each of the above items, which is to include removal of grease from traps. The purchaser is to provide proper receptacles and remove these materials from the kitchen daily, except Sunday, before 11 o'clock a. m., and the grease from the grease traps whenever notified by the hospital so to do. Payments for materials taken to be made monthly. A bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals to be addressed "The Boston City Hospital, Proposal for Trimmings, Bones, Grease and Suits," and left at the hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, not later than Tuesday, March 25, 1924, at 12 o'clock m., at which time and place said proposals will be publicly opened and read, a duplicate proposal to be filed with the City Auditor. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

By order of the Trustees,

JOHN J. DOWLING, M. D.,
(March 15.) *Superintendent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ROAD ASPHALT FOR CONSTRUCTION.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing and applying approximately 1,000 tons, more or less, of OA-2 as per specifications. Deliveries to be made on such streets as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works within the city limits, to be delivered as required. Proposals, with a certified check for \$500, will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Monday, March 24, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 15.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MILK.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Infirmary Division, Institutions Department, Long Island, with milk and cream, as required, during the period from April 1, to September 30, 1924, inclusive. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office before 12 m., Tuesday, March 25, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The contract calls for pure milk, neither skimmed nor topped, nor in any way deprived of its natural proportion of cream. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 15.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MILK.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing milk to the Hospital Department from April 1 to September 30, 1924, inclusive. The bidder must leave his proposal at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office, and the bids will be publicly opened and read at 12 m., Tuesday, March 25, 1924. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 15.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CATGUT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the various city departments catgut until January 31, 1925, as per specifications. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above mentioned office, before 12 m., Wednesday, March 26, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 15.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING ARTIFICIAL STONE
SIDEWALK BLOCKS FOR WATER SERVICE IN
DORCHESTER, WEST ROXBURY, ROXBURY AND
CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for repairing artificial stone sidewalk blocks for Water Service in Dorchester, West Roxbury, Roxbury and city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Repairing Artificial Stone Sidewalk Blocks," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., on Tuesday, March 25, 1924, with a certified check of three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposal will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 13, 1924. (March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN LA GRANGE STREET FROM VERMONT STREET 500 FEET SOUTHEASTERLY AND OUTLET IN VERMONT STREET, BETWEEN ALDEN STREET AND LA GRANGE STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in La Grange Street, from Vermont Street 500 Feet South-easterly and Outlet in Vermont Street, between Alden Street and La Grange Street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of five thousand five hundred (5,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, March 26, 1924, with a certified check for six hundred (600) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
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PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING EMULSIFIED ASPHALT FOR COLD PATCHING.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing approximately 250 tons, more or less, of emulsified asphalt for cold patching, as per specifications, deliveries to be made as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, within the city limits, asphalt to be delivered as required. Proposals, with a certified check for \$300, will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Monday, March 24, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

SALE OF LAND.

By order of the City Council, approved by the Mayor January 2, 1924, I will sell at public auction on Friday, March 21, 1924, at 11 a. m. on the premises, Seaver street, Roxbury district, near Harold street, a parcel of land containing 1,643 square feet, more or less, subject to restrictions of record, if any there be, at an upset price of sixteen hundred dollars (\$1,600). A deposit of three hundred dollars (\$300) will be required at time of sale; the balance in thirty days. For further particulars inquire of the auctioneer.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
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CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN HARMON STREET, FROM OAKLAND STREET ABOUT 330 FEET SOUTHWESTERLY, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Harmon street, from Oakland street about 330 feet south-westerly, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seventeen hundred (1,700) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Harmon Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, March 31, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 13, 1924. (March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 45 PER CENT ASPHALTIC ROAD OIL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Street Cleaning and Casing Service, 350,000 gallons, more or less, of 45 per cent asphaltic road oil, as per specifications. Quote price applied to the road. Oil to be delivered as required. Proposals, with a certified check for \$500, to be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Monday, March 24, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR BEACH GRAVEL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing beach gravel, to be delivered as required, before January 31, 1925, according to the proposal to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, for the Public Works Department. Bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the above office, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals will be publicly opened and read at the above office at 12 m., Friday, March 21, 1924. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$300, which is to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR SCIENCE APPARATUS AND SUPPLIES FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the several Normal, Latin and high schools, not later than June 19, 1924, science apparatus and supplies, as per schedule. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. on Wednesday, April 2, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$100, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Each proposal should be plainly marked "Proposal for Science Apparatus and Supplies." The bid must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. Bidders will be required to bid by groups, each group being designated by a number. Each successful bidder will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for an amount to be fixed by the School Committee, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to award the contract by groups, to reject any or all bids, or to accept such as may be deemed best for the interests of the city, and bids are to be made on these conditions.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN REGINA ROAD, FROM ALPHA ROAD ABOUT 275 FEET WESTERLY, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Regina road, from Alpha road about 275 feet westerly, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirteen hundred (1,300) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Regina Road," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, April 11, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 13, 1924. (March 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

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SALE OF LAND.

By order of the City Council, approved by the Mayor January 19, 1924, I will sell at public auction on Thursday, March 20, 1924, at 10 a. m. on the premises, East Ninth street, South Boston, a parcel of land containing 6,671 square feet, more or less, subject to restrictions of record, if any there be, at an upset price of two thousand dollars (\$2,000). A deposit of two hundred dollars (\$200) will be required at time of sale; the balance in thirty days. For further particulars inquire of

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CITY IS PRESENTED WITH LAND IN HYDE PARK FOR A PLAYGROUND.

MAYOR CURLEY ACCEPTS GIFT OF EDWARD E. BADGER OF 50,000 FEET OF LAND TO BE USED AS PUBLIC PARK IN FAIRMOUNT DISTRICT.



LAND FOR PLAYGROUND IN FAIRMOUNT DISTRICT OF HYDE PARK PRESENTED TO CITY BY EDWARD E. BADGER.

Mayor Curley has accepted, for the citizens of Boston, the offer of Edward E. Badger of Hyde Park, a trustee of the Badger Realty and Power Trust, the gift of 50,000 feet of land to be used as a public park and playground for residents of the Fairmount district in Hyde Park. The plot is at Water street and Fairmount avenue.

The Park Commissioners voted to accept the property and immediately received the Mayor's approval. Formal acknowledgment to the donor will be made and the necessary legal steps will be taken, including the payment of one cent and other valuable considerations.

MAYOR NOT TO CUT SALARIES TO MEET TAX LIMIT DEMANDS FIXED BY LEGISLATURE.

The action of the Committee on Municipal Finance in reporting a tax limit of \$12.75, while acceptable cannot be considered as wholly satisfactory.

It is acceptable, in that it indicates that the committee after a study of the recommendations of the Finance Commission recognized the false premises

The property is assessed for \$13,000. Included in the gift are a house and stable situated on the lot. Both land and buildings will be transferred to the city, according to Mr. Badger's wish, "to be held in trust for the benefit of the people of the Fairmount section of Hyde Park."

Chairman James B. Shea of the Park Commission is of the opinion that the property can be made available for a children's playground at small expense. He plans to use the buildings temporarily, at least, in caring for the athletic apparatus.

upon which their recommendation of a tax limit of \$11.25 was based.

The request of the city for a \$13 limit was based upon an estimated cut in department estimates of approximately \$2,000,000. When it is considered that the largest cut made in department estimates in any year since the adoption of the segregated budget was \$1,450,000, the request of the city for a \$13 limit can be better appreciated.

The limit reported by the committee will necessitate an additional cut of approximately \$100,000. As a measure of justice and fair play, it is my intention to make this reduction in items other than pay roll. While this may mean the elimination of needed improvements, it is hoped that the cut may be so spread as not to seriously retard or hinder the original programs contemplated in the various department budgets.

HITS BACK AT KU KLUX KLAN.

JOSEPH SMITH WHO ADDRESSED KIWANIS CLUB OF PORTLAND SAYS HE WAS THANKED FOR UTTERANCES.

To the Editor:

The statement from Portland that the officers of the Kiwanis Club of that city had apologized to the "leaders" of the Ku Klux Klan for my utterances attacking that society is interesting but not important. I have no apologies to make for anything I said and only regret that I was not speaking to 10,000 people in Portland instead of a small club of 150 members.

They made no protest to me and there was ample time to do so. They received my address at the lunch with applause and laughter; and at its close a score of the members, all Americans and Protestants, thanked and congratulated me for and on my utterances. Organizing the Klan and recruiting its membership is more profitable than stock swindling and less dangerous; morally it falls below the level of the white slave traffic, since it corrupts thousands of credulous dupes and sows the seeds of civil dissension.

Judged by its propaganda it is anti-American, anti-Christian, antisocial; it is cowardly and nocturnal; it is lawless and treasonable; and seeks to nullify the guarantees of civil and religious freedom written into the Constitutions and laws of the states and the United States. The membership appears to be drawn from the credulous and ignorant, and its leadership from a layer of humanity that lacks the morals to be honest and the courage to be criminal.

Maine is in a bad way today. Men form the Klan and lack the spunk to fight it. The state that gave America Tom Reed, Blaine, Dingley, Hale, and other great Americans has fallen on evil days. It has fallen pretty low when a body of organized ignorance, credulity and bigotry as the Ku Klux Klan is, and whose noisiest and most potent leaders are a stock-swindling faker and a quack doctor, can dominate the political life of the state without protest from press or pulpit.

The most significant and sinister feature of the situation in Maine is the abject cowardice of the political leaders and the strange silence of the Protestant churches, in the presence of this noxious thing,

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, March 24, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

PRAISES CITY'S HANDLING OF RECENT SNOW STORM.

Mayor Curley received the following letter March 14:

LAW OFFICE OF JOHN W. DECROW,
185 DEVONSHIRE STREET,
BOSTON, March 13, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I just want to say that I think the Public Works Department did the best job of street cleaning down town on this last storm that I have ever seen done in the city.

Yours very truly,

JOHN W. DECROW.

Mayor Curley received the following letter March 15:

FAMOUS PLAYERS-LASKY CORPORATION,
PARAMOUNT PICTURES, 8 SHAWMUT STREET, BOSTON, March 14, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR.—You and your administration are to be congratulated on the prompt and efficient manner in which you handled the snow problem this winter, particularly the blizzard this week.

Wednesday night when the storm had not even subsided, the main arteries and many of the small ones were thoroughly plowed. In fact, on Thursday, many of these streets were already dry.

In contrast to recent years, this is highly commendable and one can feel proud of our administration and our city.

Yours very truly,

G. J. SCHAEFFER,
New England District Manager.

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

POLICE GET INCREASE IN PAY DATING FROM AUGUST 1.

At a conference held this day in the office of the Mayor at which were present the Mayor, the Police Commissioner, the Fire Commissioner, the Budget Commissioner and the City Auditor, on the question of salaries of men in the Police and Fire Departments it was agreed that in view of the action taken by the Legislature which reduced the tax limit sought by the City of Boston to the extent of \$412,000, that the question of putting into operation the maximum and minimum increase for patrolmen and privates in the Police and Fire Department, be made effective as of August 1, 1924, and as of August 1, 1925.

The budget for this year will provide an increase of \$100 to every patrolman in the Police Department, and every private in the Fire Department, the same to be granted on August 1 of this year, automatically increasing the minimum to \$1,500 as of August 1, 1924, and the maximum to \$1,900.

It was further agreed that a similar increase of \$100 to privates in the Fire Department, and patrolmen in the Police Department, be granted on August 1, 1925, thereby automatically establishing a minimum of \$1,600 and a maximum of \$2,000 on and after August 1, 1925.

CHANGE GARAGE WALL.

John B. Dolan has been ordered, in connection with the construction of the Public Works Department garage at Albany street, to locate the northerly wall extending along the garbage slip 5 or 6 feet closer to the slip wall than shown on the plans. Any additional labor or material which may be required to remove obstructions found in this location which normally might not be expected at the original location will be paid for by force account, with proper allowance for equipment.

MAYOR CURLEY GETS MANY FELICITATIONS FOR KU KLUX KLAN ADDRESS.

RADIO FANS FROM ALL DISTANCES SEND MESSAGES OF APPROVAL FOR BRILLIANT SPEECH DELIVERED IN SOUTH BOSTON SUNDAY EVENING, MARCH 16.

Mayor Curley has been especially gratified to receive telegrams and letters from every portion of the country highly indorsing his address relative to the pernicious activities of the members of the Ku Klux Klan, and delivered at the historical meeting under the auspices of the South Boston Citizens' Association at the Municipal Building upon the evening of March 16. The letters and telegrams received by Mayor Curley mutually report the fact that the radio service from South Boston was especially satisfactory, and the Mayor's address, as well as the songs of Madame Ernestine Schumann-Heink were heard very clearly, and were tremendously appreciated. Thomas Howard, Sr., and Thomas Howard, Jr., of Ashland, Ky., telegraphed the Mayor their congratulations and declared that in the famous town of Henry Clay the Mayor's message was "wonderfully clear."

Sidney K. Clapp from the Grand Gorge in the Catskill Mountains, sent a message to the Mayor advising him that his address was "glorious," was heard distinctly in the Catskill Mountains, and was especially pleasing to the writer by reason of the fact that he was born upon the old Clapp farm in Boston street and almost within the shadow of Dorchester Heights.

Mrs. James Hislop, 2 Larch avenue, Troy, N. Y., sent the Mayor the following message:

"Please allow me to express my appreciation in hearing your address over the 'air' tonight. It came in so strong and clear. The whole program was very good indeed.

"I am writing to see if you will please send me a copy of your address that I may add it to my collection of 'big men's' addresses, I have been compiling for some time back, and which will be placed on file both in our city library as well as our state library when finished.

"If you should not have the address complete, will you please have one of

your office force mail a paper giving the best item on same, and for which I am inclosing stamps.

"I came from Boston years ago and have a big part of the good old Irish in me and no one, after hearing you tonight, who can claim that distinction can help, but feel a pride all our own.

"Good luck and thank you for your attention."

A message from Mrs. P. J. Moore, 29 Wellington avenue, Pittsfield, Mass., read as follows:

"Mr. Moore and myself are very happy to tell you how very grand you were tonight over the radio. Your voice was very clear. We heard every word you said. I will put it this way; you were rich; it will be a long time before anyone else will be as good as you were tonight. The program was very good and clear. Thank your Honor."

Eugene A. Dumont of the Somerset Council, Knights of Columbus, of Skowhegan, Me., warmly congratulated the Mayor, and said that the radio service was perfect.

Thomas J. Madden of Brockton also sent the Mayor a very cordial letter of congratulation.

Past Commander Daniel J. Dowd of the Ninth Regiment Veteran Corps of Woodstock, Vt., sent the Mayor the following message of congratulation:

"Allow me to congratulate you on your speech last Sunday evening, which I heard by radio in this village. Your voice sounded as clearly as though I was sitting in your office at City Hall instead of being some 160 miles distant. Every word came through very distinctly and clearly.

"I wish you the best of success in your campaign for the office of Governor. Trusting your voice and health will remain for a long time to come; believe me it sounded real good last evening over the radio. Again wishing you the best of luck."

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Advertises for proposals for repairing artificial stone sidewalk blocks for Water Service in Dorchester, West Roxbury, Roxbury and city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 25, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for recut granite block pavement in Ruggles street, from Tremont street to Parker street; Whittier street, from Columbus avenue to Ruggles street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$18,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bids, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 1, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Congress street, between Atlantic avenue and Purchase street, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the

amount of \$2,200. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$225, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Fowle street and outlet, between Board of Survey street No. 2244 and Rowe street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,600. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in La Grange street, from Vermont street 500 feet southwesterly and outlet in Vermont street, between Alder street and La Grange street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$600 to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 26, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Harmon street, from Oakland street about 330 feet southwesterly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Regina road, from Alpha road about 275 feet westerly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Dorchester brook sewer, east fork, in Humphrey street, from Holden street to Dudley street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Shepard brook, easterly branch, in Everett street, private land and Hichborn street, between Everett and Arthur

streets, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$18,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for sewerage works in Nottingham road, formerly Nottingham road, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 10, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying high pressure fire pipes in various downtown streets as per accompanying advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$110,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$15,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, March 27, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering science apparatus and supplies for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount suitable to the School Committee. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained from the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 2, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for furnishing the finish hardware for the complete equipment for the New Dorchester High School for boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, March 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for taking down and relocating 405 metal lockers in the Mechanic Arts High School, Belvidere and Dalton streets, Back Bay. Surety bond will be required in the amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same

office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering battery material and other electrical supplies for department use. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the various high schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 8, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing emulsified asphalt for cold patching to the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for 1,000 tons of road asphalt for construction. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Paving Service asphalt cement for construction work. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing 45 per cent asphaltic road oil, in the amount of 350,000 gallons, more or less. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office.

Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing milk and cream to the Infirmary Division, Institutions Department, Long Island. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing milk to the Hospital Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Boston Sanatorium, Mattapan, Massachusetts standard, Grade A milk. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, March 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing catgut to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, March 26, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing dry goods to the City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, March 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 31, at 12 m.

(Continue on page 334.)

WILL STILL KEEP BOSTON STREETS OF FIRST-CLASS, LASTING CONSTRUCTION.

MAYOR CURLEY CALLS FINANCE COMMISSION TO ACCOUNT FOR CONTINUED MISSTATEMENTS OF FACTS AS TO PAVING WORK, CITING ERRORS, AND SUGGESTS THAT CONSTRUCTIVE RECOMMENDATIONS ARE WELCOMED—SHOWS WHERE ADVICE, IF HEEDED, WOULD HAVE ADDED NEEDLESS BURDENS AND DISCOMFORTS TO CITIZENS.

Mayor Curley sent the following reply to the Finance Commission on March 15:

HON. MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN, *Chairman, Finance Commission*:

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your latest issue of misinformation relative to street paving. I appreciate the motives for its issuance; the Legislature is in session and the Committee on Municipal Finance have not yet determined the tax limit bill for Boston; and your term as chairman of the Finance Commission expires in June and up to the present you have not been reappointed. I believe this fairly and honestly sums up the present case, which is in no sense new, either in the matter of misstatement or recommendation. Some facts, however, have been gleaned with reference to the authority for its issuance, namely, the consulting engineer of the Finance Commission, Guy C. Emerson. During the years 1908-09 he served as Superintendent of Streets for the City of Boston. During his administration contracts were awarded for sheet asphalt construction at a cost of \$1.79 per square yard. During the past fifteen years a great World War has been fought and a considerable portion of the man power of the world was destroyed during the progress of that war, and much of the material resources of the world were consumed during the period of the war, and as a consequence the cost of materials and wages represent an increase today at least 80 per cent in excess of the costs in 1908-09. Upon the basis of the increase a price of \$3 per square yard might not be considered as exorbitant. However, the city has not been required to pay this price. We have been exceedingly fortunate in that the price paid by the City of Boston has been on a par with the price paid by the larger cities and towns of the Commonwealth. The average cost in five Massachusetts cities and in the town of Brookline, which is considered a very well conducted town, has been \$1.98 per square yard during 1923 for Warren bitulithic surface, and the price paid by the City of Boston was in every case lower than the average price paid by the aforesaid cities and towns.

Your criticism of the inspection force of the city service is exceedingly courageous, but in no sense convincing or commendable, emanating as it does from the engineer of the Finance Commission, Mr. Emerson. In 1923 the city of Medford engaged Mr. Emerson to prepare specifications and to supervise and inspect street work. While serving in this capacity Winthrop street was constructed, the work being completed in December 1923.

Scarcely three months have passed and Winthrop street is unsafe today for public travel.

In 1908-09, during Mr. Emerson's term as Superintendent of Streets for the City of Boston, Morton street was constructed, and up to the present time nearly \$200,000 has been expended to cover up the mistakes made in the construction of this thoroughfare.

In an official report to the Finance Commission in 1917 Mr. Emerson declared that within a year after the completion of the Commonwealth avenue paving, from Arlington street to Brookline avenue, the paving would have to be relaid. The paving on Commonwealth avenue is bitulithic, and it has been laid for a period of seven years and does not represent a single dollar for repairs either by the company who performed the work or by the city.

At a recent meeting of the Massachusetts Highway Commission the former chairman of the State Highway Commission, Colonel Sohler, congratulated the City of Boston upon the splendid results on Commonwealth avenue and stated that a number of the taxpayers who were required, because of the protest of the Finance Commission at that time, to raise and contribute to the city the sum of \$9,000 in order that a superior paving be laid on Commonwealth avenue, had stated that in their opinion the money expended by them was an excellent investment.

Personally, I propose to adhere to the policy of first-class construction on Boston streets. The streets laid in 1914, when I first assumed the office of Mayor, such as Columbia road and other streets, are still in first-class condition after a lapse of ten years. At the time that the Columbia road contract was awarded the Finance Commission protested, insisting that the award be made for asphalt because of the difference of 10 cents per yard in price. In all probability, had the judgment of the Finance Commission engineer been followed in this case and the recommendation of the commission at that time accepted, we would be confronted with a replacement proposition on Columbia road that today might represent a cost of \$150,000, instead of having a thoroughfare that probably will continue in good condition for ten years or more.

It is most unfortunate that the Finance Commission insists on resorting to falsehood and deceit, with a view to discrediting whatever Democratic administration may be in power in Boston, in view of the fact that every intelligent citizen recognizes that the commission when assuming a critical attitude is serving solely as a Republican auxiliary.

Constructive recommendations are always welcome, such as the establishment of a more detailed force account, and when made will be cheerfully accepted and followed, but the basis for con-

structive recommendations should typify a high order of honesty and intelligence. The absence of these attributes render them worthless.

With every good wish,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

The Finance Commission had submitted a report on paving, in part as follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—The Finance Commission submits herewith a report of its consulting engineer on the costs to contractors of about one half of the bituminous pavements that were laid last year. These costs are based on contracts for laying 102,797 square yards of Warrenite bitulithic, or about 64 per cent of the total area of that type of pavement laid last year. The city paid approximately \$2 per square yard for this type of pavement, although the average cost to the contractor, exclusive of profit and some items of overhead, was but 74 cents per square yard.

The costs of sheet asphalt to the contractor are based on 17,515 square yards, or approximately 35 per cent of the total amount laid last year. The cost of this type of pavement to the city was approximately \$1.79 per square yard, although the average cost to the contractor, including overhead, which was small, was \$1.32 per square yard.

On the basis of these costs it is obvious that the prices paid by the city for bituminous sheet pavements have been exorbitant. It will be noted that as regards Warrenite bitulithic the cost to the city is more than for sheet asphalt, although the cost to the contractor is less.

Real competition for laying bituminous sheet pavements for the City of Boston no longer exists, with the result that favored contractors are receiving unwarranted profits from the city.

The inefficiency of the inspecting force results in a further loss to the city through inferior pavements.

The Finance Commission recommends:

That the Public Works and Park Departments study the costs of bituminous pavements as set forth in the report of the consulting engineer, before awarding any contracts for laying bituminous pavements for the coming year.

That your Honor refuse to award contracts to any contractor whose bid is out of proportion to the cost of the work, as shown in the cases reviewed by the consulting engineer.

That the same form of contract and specifications for bituminous pavements be used in the Public Works and Park Departments.

That the form of "Proposal" in the contracts be made in such detail that the bid for each item of work will be shown independently.

That a uniform system for keeping the detailed costs of the various items of the work be installed in the Public Works and Park Departments and that complete returns under such a system be required of the engineers and inspectors in charge of each job.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

(Continued from page 332.)

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Water Service, Public Works Department, with four new Ford trucks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for supplying meat to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing cold tar patching material. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 1, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, March 20:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Gately has been designated to act as auditor at such times as the auditor may be absent during the four weeks beginning Monday, March 17.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium for the week ending Thursday, March 13:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Edith Foster, laundress, \$420 a year; Delia Flarety, laundress, \$420 a year; Edith Johnneen, nurse, \$720 a year; Emanuel Canballal, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Thomas Watson, maid, \$240 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed:

Delia Mangon, laundress, \$420 a year; Nora Libby, laundress, \$420 a year; Richard Walsh, temporary maid (patient), \$240 a year; Yeiguma Toyosa, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Edward Sweeney, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Mary J. O'Brien, assistant bookkeeper and clerk, \$1,000 a year.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Walter S. Flannagan, designing draughtsman in the engineering force of the Public Works Department, who has passed the civil service examination as a senior engineer, has been transferred

to building inspector-construction engineer in the Building Department at \$2,500 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

John J. McCarthy has been designated to serve as Acting City Collector in the absence of the City Collector during the four weeks commencing March 12.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Wilbur F. Goodrich has been employed for investigating work at \$8 a day for a period not exceeding ten days.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Margaret B. Maraghy has been transferred from the State Department of Public Health at \$780 a year to the Boston Health Department at \$1,000 a year, as permanent stenographer.

George W. Comerford has been given provisional appointment as chief sanitary inspector at \$2,500 a year.

Walter R. Tarbett, constable at \$1,400 a year, has been transferred from the Soldiers' Relief Department to the Health Department.

Sarah Smith has been given temporary appointment as cleaner and helper at the Detention Hospital, Southampton street, for a period of thirty days at \$15 a week.

Barney C. DeLuca has been given the permanent appointment as a constable in the Health Department at \$1,400 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons were employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, March 13:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—T. J. Cooney, porter, \$14 a week; F. J. Nicholson, porter, \$14 a week; P. F. Hayes, porter, \$14 a week; M. Okenwska, laundress, \$14 a week; A. Stoltz, transfer porter, \$11 a week; E. McKeon, elevator-man, \$11 a week; Emma Merriam, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Sarah Egan, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; J. Baird, baker's assistant, \$14 a week; Eleanor Cronin, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Mary Ostigny, ward helper, \$11 a week; Delia Stinson, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Mollie Tedor, ward helper, \$11 a week; Cecelia Bently, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Martin Duggan, house porter, \$13 a week.

Temporary.—Alfred Ward, sculleryman, \$14 a week; Thomas H. Owens, porter, \$14 a week; Delia Magee, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; John D. Sullivan, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Catherine Carr, special nurse (re-employed), \$35 a week; Mary Turner, special nurse, \$35 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Frederick Malinovsky, male nurse at \$7 to \$8.17 a week; Andrew Flanigan, floor polisher at \$12 to house cleaner at \$12 a week; Andrew Flanigan, house-cleaner at \$12 to temporary laundryman at \$18 a week; Katherine Fitzgerald, table girl at \$9.50 to temporary laundress at \$14 a week.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during week ending Thursday, March 20:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Edward Claxton, sculleryman, \$14 a week; Nora Corbett, ward helper, \$11 a week; Margaret Fenderson, ward helper, \$11 a

week; Annie O'Rourke, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Dorothy Morash, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Evelyn Tennihan, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Margaret Cavanaugh, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Pauline Buckley, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Mary O'Brien, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Catherine Walsh, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Anna Connolly, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Grace Johnson, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Joseph Chapin, painter (re-employed), \$5 a day; William McCormack, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Harry Knopf, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Edward Clark, transfer porter, \$11 a week; C. Simonsen, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Peter Dempsey, telephone operator, \$20 a week; Edward Mafierski, baker's assistant, \$14 a week; Jeremiah Sullivan, floor polisher, \$12 a week; Kenneth R. Haskell, male nurse, \$5.83 a week; Mary Thornton, cook, \$15 a week.

Temporary.—Martha Palmer, reconstruction aid (part time), \$28 a week; Myrtle Bovat, special nurse, \$35 a week; Nora Brown, special nurse, \$35 a week; Mildred Ferguson, special nurse, \$35 a week; Mary McLeod, special nurse, \$35 a week; Frank Farrell, kitchenman (re-employed), \$17 a week; Julia Langavin, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Nick Murray, housecleaner, \$11.50 a week; James Farrell, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments were made for the week ending Thursday, March 11:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Mary A. Anderson, attendant, at a salary of \$500 a year, temporary.

John Eagan, porter, at a salary of \$500 a year, to succeed William H. Tobin.

Edith Keith, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Mary A. Lynch.

Patrick F. Mulvey, fireman, at a salary of \$27 a week and board, temporary.

Maria R. Wood, head nurse, at a salary of \$1,080 a year, temporary.

House of Correction.

Patrick J. Gleason, fireman transferred from Long Island (fireman), \$33 a week to succeed Neil Grant.

William F. Johnson, officer, at a salary of \$1,300 a year, temporary.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

John J. Bench has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,600 a year to \$1,900 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Sarah V. Mackin has been given further temporary appointment for a period of thirty days as a matron and seamstress at \$18 a week for special work, *i. e.*, the making of fig leaves.

Charles L. Mellen has been given further temporary employment for a period of thirty days as a laborer at \$4 a day.

PLANNING BOARD.

Miss E. M. Herlihy has been granted leave to attend the sixteenth national conference on city planning to be held in Los Angeles, Cal., on April 7, 8, 9 and 10 at an estimated expense not to exceed \$500.

The following is the list of expert temporary employees engaged in making zoning plans for the month ending March 15, have been approved by the Mayor: Arthur C. Comey, zoning di-

rector, 19 days at \$20, \$380; G. Tomb, 4½ weeks at \$35, and 12-9 weeks at time and one half, \$215.84; L. E. Oberwarth, 4½ weeks at \$35 and 4-9 week at time and one half, \$175; G. Hall, 4½ weeks at \$40, \$173.33; A. E. Howard, 4½ weeks at \$35, \$151.67; J. M. Hinds, 4½ weeks at \$35, \$145.83; C. T. Grant, 4½ weeks at \$30, \$130; G. L. Meade, 4½ weeks at \$30, \$130; E. F. Delaney, 111 hours at 90 cents, \$99.90; Bert Poole, 2½ weeks at \$40, \$86.67; J. E. Crane, 91½ hours at 75 cents, \$68.62; G. H. Herrick, 88½ hours at 75 cents, \$66.37; A. Rosenbaugh, 52 hours at 75 cents, \$39; J. A. Herlihy, 1 week at \$35, \$35; W. C. Eberhard, 43 hours at 75 cents, \$32.25.

The following resignations have been received: L. E. Oberwarth, C. T. Grant, Bert Poole.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved the request of Joseph A. Rourke, Public Works Commissioner, to be absent from the city from March 23 to March 30, inclusive, and of the appointment of Edward F. Murphy, division engineer of the Sewer and Sanitary Division, as Acting Commissioner of Public Works and Acting Commissioner for Boston, of the Boston and Cambridge Bridges, during the absence.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Peter F. Griffin has been given an extension of temporary employment as assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week for thirty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

John J. McDonough has been granted an extension of temporary employment as fireman at \$5.50 a day.

John J. White has been transferred from the Transit Department to the Ferry Service as carpenter-joiner at \$5 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

David O'Riordan has been transferred from inspector in the Transit Department to subforeman at \$1,700 a year in the Paving Service, to fill a permanent vacancy.

One hundred twenty-five laborers at \$4 a day have been employed on snow removal for about ten days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Edward F. Cummings has been employed as temporary teamster at \$4 a day for sixty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Walter P. Steele has been continued in temporary employment as rodman at \$15 a week for a period of thirty days.

John M. Donnelly, temporary teamster at \$4 a day, has been given permanent appointment.

Leo A. Rull, employed in the Sewer Service, has been transferred from transitman at \$1,300 a year to sewer inspector at \$1,600 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

The following citizens have been appointed to fill vacancies now existing in

the position of teamster at \$4 a day: Ernest J. Brown, Edward R. Casey, John J. Maguire, Henry P. O'Brien, John J. Costello, Hubert Mullen, Thomas V. Murphy, Charles F. Conlon, Michael T. Cotter, John E. Driscoll, William D. Watson, Max Levine, Oliver B. Cannon, Andrew P. McArdle, William J. Gavin, William E. Leary, Thomas J. Whalen, William J. O'Donnell, Daniel J. Murphy, Bart. A. Clements, Joseph P. A. Donahoe, Guiseppe Salemi, Edward L. Gately, Patrick J. Walsh, William T. Courtney, William J. Jenkins, Dennis J. Collins, Guiseppe Schipari.

The following citizens have been continued in employment as teamsters at \$4 a day for three months: Charles P. McGregor, John P. Callahan, Timothy L. Patterson, James J. Hurley, James J. Welch, Fergus J. Caulfield, John P. McLaughlin, Austin P. Stinson, James J. Coughlin, Nicholas J. Donegan, Lawrence J. O'Neill, Patrick R. Manning, Joseph D. Coughlin, William J. Brady, Patrick W. Collins, John T. Connor, John J. Dwyer, Timothy J. Frane, Edward J. Gavaghan, Antonio E. Jose, John R. Lucas, John J. McKenna, John H. Reardon, Thomas Twomey, Joseph Yankowsky, Louis Mazzetta, James A. McMenimen, Patrick J. Noonan, Peter H. Toohey, John F. Donoghue, Charles C. Farrell, Joseph F. Riley, John J. Desmond, John J. Haggerty, Daniel J. Mahoney, Charles R. Beale, Timothy J. Cronin, John Dillon, Daniel J. Dolan, Lewis C. Timmins, Thomas F. Cady, Patrick J. Burke, Patrick Killoran.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

John J. Brown, Coleman J. Joyce and Joseph F. Roche have been appointed to fill permanent vacancies as laborers at \$4 a day.

James C. Lonergan has been continued in temporary employment as a teamster at \$4 a day.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Norman J. H. Shaw, a heating and ventilating engineering draughtsman at \$2,200 a year, has resigned to accept a position in private employment.

John T. Stone, a heating and ventilating engineering draughtsman, has been appointed to the position made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Shaw, at \$2,200 a year.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

The following clerks with knowledge of stenography have been approved for reappointment by the Mayor, for two months, at a salary of \$1,200 a year: Joseph F. Daly, Leo J. Hill, John A. Sullivan, James D. Hart.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Frank M. Fraine, employed as a transitman at \$1,400 a year, has been granted an extension of employment for two months.

Carl Meyer, employed as a draughtsman at \$1,500 a year, has been granted an extension of employment for three months.

George F. Morrison, now a provisional rodman at \$1,000 a year, has been granted an extension of provisional employment for three months.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, March 13:

Edgar B. Coombs, assistant engineer, 3 days, \$18; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 1½ days, \$9; J. Carroll, assistant engineer, 1½ days, \$9.

Collecting Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 13:

For services of employees drawing off, cross-checking and balancing accounts on the miscellaneous desk.

John J. Clifford, 130 hours, \$130; Henry J. Daly, 130 hours, \$130; James J. Flynn, 130 hours, \$130; Michael F. Gearin, 100 hours, \$100; L. A. Hall, Jr., 135 hours, \$135; John J. Hennessey, 115 hours, \$115; Thomas A. Leonard, 130 hours, \$130; James J. McNamee, 110 hours, \$110; James E. Moore, 135 hours, \$135; Thomas E. Shea, Jr., 130 hours, \$130. Total, \$1,245.

For the week ending Thursday, March 20:

John W. Barry, 51 hours, \$51; Joseph J. Callahan, 49 hours, \$49; Franklin H. Cochran, 54 hours, \$54; John J. Connors, 64 hours, \$64; Edward T. Croke, 15 hours, \$15; Edward J. Dixon, 56 hours, \$56; Francis J. Doherty, 64 hours, \$64; Francis M. Ducey, 45 hours, \$45; Joseph F. Fitzgerald, 64 hours, \$64; Daniel A. Grant, 45 hours, \$45; John J. Leahy, 61 hours, \$61; Abraham Levy, 49 hours, \$49; James J. Maloney, 59 hours, \$59; John H. McElroy, 64 hours, \$64; Daniel J. McLaughlin, 20 hours, \$20; Edward A. Morrissey, 29 hours, \$29; Frederick R. Mulloney, 54 hours, \$54; Louis Needel, 59 hours, \$59; Timothy J. O'Connell, 64 hours, \$64; Philip A. Petrocelli, 64 hours, \$64; Aaron Pinkofsky, 64 hours, \$64; Peter H. Rogers, 54 hours, \$54; William J. Sheehan, 49 hours, \$49; William H. Spain, 64 hours, \$64; Cornelius J. Spillane, 5 hours, \$5; John F. Travers, 20 hours, \$20.

Michael Cillo, 97 hours, \$97.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 13:

Main Department.

H. J. Brown, assistant engineer, 12 hours, \$10; J. Deery, assistant engineer, 12 hours, \$10; N. MacPherson, assistant engineer, 12 hours, \$10; T. J. McNally, assistant engineer, 12 hours, \$10; W. Thompson, assistant engineer, 12 hours, \$10; J. McDonough, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 12 hours, \$7.56; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$4; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; E. McNealy, ambulance driver, 1½ hours, \$0.87; J. S. Gill, baker, 6 hours, \$3.63; S. Rideout, baker's assistant, 6 hours, \$1.38; C. Glasgow, elevator woman, 4½ hours, \$1.04.

South Department.

H. Sinclair, head laundress, 6 hours, \$2.25; M. Rattray, laundress, 6 hours,

\$1.75; J. Sullivan, laundress, 6 hours, \$1.75; J. Coleston, laundress, 6 hours, \$1.75; C. Meegan, laundress, 6 hours, \$1.75; M. Whalen, laundress, 6 hours, \$1.75; O. Olsen, laundress, 6 hours, \$1.75; J. Daly, laundryman, 6 hours, \$3.63; A. Flanagan, laundryman, 6 hours, \$2.25.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

P. Joyce, J. McKenzie, porters and tending furnace, 30 hours, \$16.88 each.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Kane, F. Ruggiero, porters and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75 each. Total, \$150.45.

For the week ending Thursday, March 20:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 3 hours, \$2.50; R. Johnson, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; H. O'Donnell, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 12 hours, \$7.56; D. M. Hurly, carpenter, 9 hours, \$5.94; J. Wood, jobber, 7½ hours, \$2.50, and 1 day, \$2.67; E. McNelay, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$5.91; J. Kelleher, ambulance driver, 1½ hours, \$0.84; G. Roach, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63.

East Boston Relief Station.

J. H. Corcoran, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75. Total, \$66.33.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 20:

Mose Coulter, subforeman, ½ day, \$2.19; John Heffernan, Michael J. Kelley, Giuseppe Nardone, Cornelius Sheehan, laborers, ½ day, \$2 each; Michael T. Quinn, zoo attendant, ½ day, \$2.25; Patrick Malia, Daniel Sullivan, Dominic Dagosta, Thomas Dolan, laborers, 2 days, \$8 each; John Delaney, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Stephen McCarthy, gardener, 1 day, \$5; Thomas Conley, laborer, 1 day, \$4; John Doyle, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; Lawrence Hughes, William Mahoney, Joseph Mukitarian, laborers, 1 day, \$4; Peter McManus, forester, 1 day, \$4.66; Dennis Alebord, scytheman, 1 day, \$4; James H. Beattie, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Patrick Hurley, Thomas Kelley, scythemen, 1 day, \$4 each; Ruben R. C. Munroe, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Michael J. Murphy, scytheman, 1 day, \$4; John Toland, 1st, Daniel Reagan, Adolph Racz, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Mark Burke, laborer, 2 days, \$8; Coleman Mellett, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Thomas Mahoney, laborer, 2 days, \$8; Frank Starinsky, Festus Wallace, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Michael Walsh, laborer, 2 days, \$8; Fred Brown, gardener, ½ day, \$2.25; Carmine Cataldo, laborer, ½ day, \$2; John J. Walsh, working foreman, 1½ days, \$6.57; Stephen McCarthy, jr., John P. Nagle, laborers, ½ day, \$2 each; Carmine Mastrogiovanni, Martin Cosgrove, laborers, 2 days, \$8 each; William Connell, inspector, 2 days, \$8.76; William Mullen, laborer, 2 days, \$8; Thomas J. Foley, chauffeur, 2 days, \$9; Peter Powers, rigger, 2 days, \$10; Dennis Daley, chauffeur, 2½ days, \$11.25; Daniel McCarthy, blacksmith, 2 days, \$10; George Quigley, carpenter's assistant, 2 days, \$9; James C. Dunne, wheelwright, 2 days, \$9.32; Patrick Kietly, machinist, 1 day, \$5; Michael Flaherty, laborer, 2 days, \$8. Total, \$269.75.

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

Frederick Brown, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; Carmine Cataldo, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Patrick Doherty, laborer, 1 day, \$4; James Murphy, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50; total, \$17.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 20:

J. Reynolds, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13; J. McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 17:

Drawtenders.—W. C. Donovan, 1 day, \$4.93; J. E. Murray, 2 days, \$9.86.

First Assistant Drawtenders.—W. M. Tracy, J. J. Graham, J. F. O'Neil, 1 day, \$4.38 each.

Assistant Drawtenders.—T. McGovern, G. S. Storin, 1 day, \$4.11 each; W. T. O'Neil, 2 days, \$8.22; B. J. Dillon, ½ day, \$2.06.

Machinist.—P. J. Murphy, 1½ days, \$8.75.

Watchman.—H. M. McLaughlin, 1 day, \$4.

Total, \$59.18.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 17:

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Deckhands.—Thomas A. Joyce, 1 day, \$4.25; Thomas Barry, 1½ days, \$6.38.

Fireman.—August J. Sommers, ½ day, \$2.06.

Gatemen.—Christopher T. Leonard, Thomas A. O'Hare, 1 day, \$4.80 each.

Machinist.—Arthur J. Manning, ½ day, \$1.88.

Total, \$31.67.

Net cost for the week ending Monday, March 17, 1924, \$16.45.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 17:

Teamsters-Laborers.—A. Beahn, W. Burke, J. Carroll, E. Currie, D. Donovan, M. Duffy, J. W. Dwyer, B. J. Faherty, S. Flanagan, E. Kelley, M. King, W. Mahoney, A. Murphy, W. McHale, P. McLaughlin, J. Reilly, J. Ryan, J. Scully, T. Shea, J. Slattery, G. F. Smith, C. Sweeney, T. Toomey, M. Wallace, D. Walsh, B. Donoghue, W. McCarthy, P. Eagan, B. Clements, D. Murphy, W. Watson, J. Canney, M. Carroll, T. F. Donnelly, T. Finneran, J. J. Hurley, T. J. Jinks, J. J. Kelly, T. M. McGerrick, A. J. McVicar, J. M. Blake, E. F. Gardner, A. A. Gleason, L. Griffin, J. T. Jordan, M. Lapsley, P. J. Muldoon, P. J. Mulligan, E. F. McLaughlin, E. O'Connell, I. Sternberg, J. P. Sweeney, M. Toohey, C. J. Haley, J. J. Barrett, J. P. W. Callahan, C. B. Capillo, J. W. Casserly, P. Cataldo, P. J. Connolly, M. J. Connors, W. A. Crawford, M. Cronin, C. J. Crowley, D. J. Dalton, T. Donovan, J. A. Foley, H. F. Furey, D. Gallagher, J. E. Galvin, W. J. H. Green, G. Guiffredo, V. Guliano, C. F. Hickey, R. J. Hughes, J. J. Lannon, J. P. Leonard, B. McCool, D. F. McLaughlin, E. L. McLaughlin, P. J. McLaughlin, R. J.

Nugent, J. F. O'Brien, L. Powers, F. Ruggiero, D. Shea, W. T. Shea, E. J. Tighe, F. Vilello, F. Zirpollo, A. Rogers, G. Salemi, L. W. Timmons, ¼ day, \$3 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. J. McCarthy, C. F. Davis, J. J. Maloney, J. H. McGann, M. S. Ryan, P. H. Sexton, T. J. Twomey, J. F. Donaghue, J. E. Driscoll, A. J. Buckley, J. J. Welch, J. F. Maloney, A. F. Gaffey, T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. Ballam, J. B. Carr, A. P. Charbonnier, W. H. Colbert, E. Davis, J. W. DeRocher, O. Doherty, E. T. Duffy, J. Hegarty, S. Hegarty, B. F. Lyons, J. McGrath, J. F. Nagle, J. J. Hurley, 3½ days, \$13 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. P. Belisle, J. P. Driscoll, P. R. Tully, E. J. Barry, W. H. Cadigan, G. Cavanaugh, P. Clifford, B. J. Corcoran, J. J. Crosby, E. J. J. Dailey, F. D. Donlan, W. J. Dunphy, A. Edwards, H. Fallon, B. Finneran, J. Fitzgibbon, D. F. Foley, H. J. Foley, B. G. Glennon, W. A. Gormley, T. Grenham, J. J. Hillen, E. A. Knight, J. J. Lyons, W. J. Lyons, W. F. Merrick, F. J. Moore, M. Moore, J. McDermott, R. McDonnell, M. McConagle, W. J. McMakin, W. P. McNulty, M. J. Noonan, C. J. O'Handley, M. Reilly, M. Salmon, W. R. Standigal, W. E. Sutherland, W. T. Sweeney, T. J. Watson, Jr., F. J. Caulfield, P. W. Collins, T. J. Cronin, J. Dillon, D. J. Dolan, W. E. Leary, H. Mullen, J. F. Riley, T. Twomey, H. Applebaum, D. A. Byrnes, J. G. Climo, J. J. Cronin, J. J. Dolan, N. J. Dunn, J. J. Gormley, J. J. Hayes, W. Pickett, J. W. Powers, J. J. Sullivan, P. J. White, J. P. Callahan, J. T. Connor, N. J. Domegan, J. J. Dwyer, 7 days, \$3.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. F. Blake, J. F. Sweeney, J. J. Gavin, K. K. Kenney, W. McGahey, J. O'Brien, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—A. W. Blankenburg, M. J. Curley, H. T. Furey, P. J. McCormack, J. McLaughlin, F. L. Perkins, 2½ days, \$9.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. J. O'Brien, P. W. Sheehan, 1½ days, \$7 each.

Carpenter.—W. C. Hughes, 1 day, \$5.

Blacksmiths.—M. McGovern, W. J. O'Brien, M. F. Sullivan, 1 day, \$5 each.

Blacksmith's Assistants.—P. J. Brickley, C. J. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Laborer-Teamster.—J. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$5.50.

Laborers-Teamsters.—D. Cashman, J. J. Dowdall, J. J. McCabe, J. J. Fleming, 4 days, \$16 each.

Laborer-Teamster.—M. J. Coakley, 5½ days, \$27.50.

Laborer-Teamster.—J. F. Dargon, 2½ days, \$9.

Laborer-Teamster.—C. J. Hourihan, 2½ days, \$11.50.

Laborer-Teamster.—J. J. Landrigan, 4½ days, \$23.56.

Laborer-Teamster.—J. J. McManamin, 1½ days, \$4.50.

Laborer-Teamster.—M. J. Ridge, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Laborer-Teamster.—J. J. Maguire, 2 days, \$8.

Feeder.—J. E. Burns, ¼ day, \$3.19.

Total, \$1,060.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, March 18:

Sewer Cleaners.—Michael Foley, 4

days, \$18; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2½ days, \$12.38 each; Michael Brady, Richard Connolly, John Sweeney, Thomas Flaherty, Daniel Coleman, 2½ days, \$11.25 each; James Clancy, 1½ days, \$7.88; John Driscoll, 1 day, \$4.50; Stephen Manning, Jeremiah'Brien, Michael Neary, ¾ day, \$1.69 each; George Caswell, 2½ days, \$10.63; Thomas Byrne, ¾ day, \$1.59.

Steam Engineer.—James Hurley, 3½ days, \$16.25.

Chauffeur.—James McCarty, 2½ days, \$11.25.

Laborers.—Louis Brunetto, 1 day, \$16; Thomas Casey, 3½ days, \$15; Herman Hodapp, 3½ days, \$13; John McDonald, John Dolan, John Farren, James McFarland, Antonio Arrachiello, Joseph Clougherty, Peter King, Thomas Flaherty, James Splaine, James Smith, Michael McMahon, John Donnelly, James Giblin, 2½ days, \$10 each; Daniel McKenna, 2½ days, \$9; Cornelius Sullivan, Thomas McDonough, Patrick Fitzgerald, Patrick White, 1½ days, \$6 each; Peter Keenan, James McNabb, 1½ days, \$7 each; John Sullivan, 1½ days, \$5; Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4; Dennis Collins, John Gilligan, Bartholomew Norton, Marimus Wahaven, Joseph O'Brien, ¾ day, \$3 each.

Total, \$401.18.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 17:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, R. Barrett, W. Cosgrove, J. Dahill, T. Dahill, W. A. Doherty, M. Fitzpatrick, M. Joyce, P. Keefe, E. P. Keller, J. Lally, J. J. Moynihan, P. L. Moynihan, P. F. Mulhern, J. F. O'Toole, T. F. Gordon, T. Madden, P. Meyers, J. J. Schoen, C. J. Sullivan, J. McDonough, J. A. Reddington, 1½ days, \$7 each.

Teamsters.—P. J. Connolly, R. Coughlin, 2½ days, \$11 each.

Teamsters.—J. H. Lane, J. Zuccola, H. Curran, G. Keegan, N. Ryan, J. F. Brown, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, J. Hennessy, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—M. J. O'Connell, T. Ormand, C. E. Anderson, M. Barry, B. Callahan, F. Cosgrove, J. Donovan, J. Egan, W. J. Foley, D. Hamilton, J. H. Jeffery, J. Kennedy, G. Meola, E. J. Murphy, J. Murray, R. T. Wills, J. W. Sheehan, R. C. Burke, C. Noon, S. A. Sawyer, R. J. Burchell, C. A. Swanson, M. Allen, W. McGlynn, 3 days, \$12 each.

Teamsters.—H. S. Lawrence, H. Conroy, F. Diaz, R. F. Doherty, A. Pourier, P. Quigley, E. Skane, C. McGonagle, F. H. McMackin, W. T. Hinchey, J. J. Jones, G. W. McCorkle, B. J. Manning, P. F. Murray, J. Donovan, S. Coughlin, F. M. Kelley, J. A. Kelley, R. Dennehy, P. McKeon, J. Nolan, J. Robishaw, J. Seannell, J. Butler, J. J. Cotter, F. M. Dysart, T. C. Ryan, F. Williams, L. Mazzetti, D. Callahan, T. Christopher, M. Connolly, G. Corcoran, J. Curtin, M. Dacey, L. Davis, J. Delaney, W. Donnelly, J. Driscoll, M. Finn, T. Fitzmorris, J. B. Foley, F. Granville, J. Granville, J. A. Hartigan, J. Hines, P. Keon, L. Kilduff, D. Kobylski, J. Kramer, T. McCluthey, T. McGuinness, B. Maraghy, W. Mahoney, E. Moore, J. Robertson, B. Sullivan, F. E. Taylor, J. J. Slattery, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Teamster.—G. McColgan, ½ day, \$2.

Teamsters.—B. Coyne, T. Conway, C. J. Crowley, L. Divita, J. L. Gould, H. J. Kane, J. Z. Lamothe, L. Paglia, M. F.

Shea, D. P. Stack, E. F. Travis, J. J. Daley, R. M. Jennings, 3½ days, \$13 each.

Teamster.—C. F. Bell, 2½ days, \$9.50.

Teamsters.—J. F. Brady, J. Clancy, J. W. Collins, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, W. L. King, J. T. O'Leary, E. White, 2½ days, \$8.25 each.

Teamsters.—P. Creamer, J. J. Lombard, T. McCarthy, C. J. Sweeney, P. H. Toohey, J. H. McMenimen, N. Cesso, R. Diellio, T. S. Iverson, C. Murray, E. T. Riley, P. Barry, J. Cahill, J. A. Carr, P. Conlin, J. Doherty, J. Dowdal, J. J. Fanning, J. Gallagher, C. Gallagher, M. Gately, L. Landrigan, J. D. Lyons, J. McGarry, M. Norton, D. F. O'Keefe, A. Powers, M. Rafferty, D. Sullivan, J. Sullivan, J. P. Tuohy, M. A. Weidman, J. D. Ferguson, J. D. O'Brien, ¾ day, \$3 each.

Teamster.—M. Lally, ¾ day, \$3.50.

Teamsters.—H. Gallagher, M. J. Kennedy, 2 days, \$8 each.

Teamsters.—J. Hanley, A. Brown, H. Donigan, T. Hession, W. Milliken, E. Monahan, J. O'Rourke, J. Sweeney, J. A. Bourke, C. Buckley, P. F. Cahill, J. J. Carroll, J. J. Conroy, J. J. DeCoursey, J. F. Fallon, J. Lane, G. F. Moran, W. T. O'Brien, J. J. O'Leary, L. J. O'Neill, J. J. O'Neill, E. J. Orann, J. J. Ryan, L. B. Shanney, P. L. Sullivan, P. Noonan, P. Kelloran, M. S. Clougherty, 2½ days, \$9 each.

Teamsters.—M. Cashman, D. P. Minehan, 3½ days, \$15 each.

Teamsters.—G. Campo, M. Cardello, F. Corvino, M. H. Gordon, D. Partinello, L. Pace, J. A. White, J. J. Meyers, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Teamsters.—D. Conlin, W. Gillen, E. Grant, T. S. Kilroy, R. Marsey, Della Russo, R. P. Canny, C. Hart, P. Moran, J. B. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—P. Costello, E. J. Kelley, J. Wark, G. Marcantoni, J. F. Doherty, F. DiMatteo, G. Galluccio, V. Piscitelli, 2½ days, \$11.50 each.

Teamsters.—H. A. Bourdon, J. Donahue, J. J. Glancy, 2½ days, \$8.50 each.

Feeder.—P. Sweeney, 2 days, \$8.50.

Feeder.—L. McGahan, 3½ days, \$15.94.

Chauffeur.—T. McDonald, 4½ days, \$23.75.

Chauffeurs.—J. J. Connors, M. Giovenella, F. Murphy, T. Murphy, J. A. McCabe, 4½ days, \$21.83 each.

Chauffeur.—W. Henderson, 4 days, \$18.

Chauffeurs.—T. C. Earl, F. Murphy, 1½ days, \$5 each.

Teamsters.—J. Holland, J. Considine, J. Devlin, 2½ days, \$10 each.

Public Works Department (Water Division).

For the week ending Monday, March 17:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, J. Bonang, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; T. Kelleher, 1½ days, \$5.34.

Emergency men.—M. Donohue, ½ day, \$0.84; R. Curcio, ¼ day, \$0.75; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each; W. Lonergan, W. Rice, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4 each; J. Kelley, ¼ day, \$0.75.

Firemen.—W. Abbott, R. McLaughlin, ½ day, \$1.41 each.

Repairers.—J. Moran, 2½ days, \$10.31; F. Petrocelli, ¾ day, \$1.59; M. O'Day, 1½ days, \$8.44; C. Sullivan, ¼ day, \$0.84; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$8.44; A. Brennan, ¼ day, \$0.84; J. Carmody, 1½ days, \$5.16; P. Casey, ½ day, \$2.34; J. Burke, ¾ day, \$1.50; P. Loftus, 1½ days, \$7.50; P. Coleman, 1½ days, \$6.38; S. Mickewicz, ¾ day, \$3.38; J. Cummings, ¼ day, \$2.81; M. Matthews, 1½ days, \$6.75;

M. Rizzo, 1½ days, \$6.38; F. Schena, ¾ day, \$1.78; N. DeNicola, 1½ days, \$6; G. Carroll, 2½ days, \$10.09; T. Dolan, 1½ days, \$7.97; M. Hart, ¼ day, \$0.84; P. Murphy, ¾ day, \$3.38; J. Callahan, ¾ day, \$3.38.

Laborers.—H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4; J. Phipps, ½ day, \$1.88; J. O'Toole, 1½ days, \$6; J. Sullivan, ¼ day, \$0.75; J. Durand, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Horgan, ¼ day, \$0.75; J. Glennon, ¼ day, \$2.39; J. Feeley, ¼ day, \$0.75; J. O'Brien, B. McManus, ¾ day, \$1.50 each.

Transit Job.—J. Cummings, 2½ days, \$14.06; M. Matthews, 2½ days, \$12.66; S. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.

Total, \$212.34; paid by Transit Department, \$30.72; net total, \$181.62.

PRODUCE MEN BACK MAYOR FOR NEW TWO-MILE THOROUGHFARE.

Mayor Curley was gratified to receive on March 18 a communication from Alton E. Briggs, executive secretary of the Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange, advising that the Board of Directors of this well known organization had heartily indorsed the two-mile thoroughfare through the downtown section of Boston, by addressing a communication to the clerk of the Committee on Municipal Finance, as follows:

Clerk, Committee on Municipal Finance,
State House, Boston, Mass.:

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Directors of the Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange, in meeting held Saturday, March 15, 1924, voted to approve plan of "Two-mile thoroughfare through downtown section," as embodied in House Bill 240. Only one dissenting vote was recorded against the same.

Very truly,

ALTON E. BRIGGS,
Executive Secretary.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

John McCourt Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for paving Talbot avenue, from Blue Hill avenue to about 200 feet west of Norfolk street. Items ordered: Furnish and place extra depth of sand bed for granite block paving where shallow blocks are used. Price to be paid, for each cubic yard of sand bed furnished and placed, the sum of \$2.25. Estimated cost, \$500.

William Barrett & Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works, Village brook, between Brookline line and Prendergast avenue, Brighton. Items ordered: Cut out old concrete ramp between station 0-0 and station 0-05. Estimated cost, \$152.12.

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which poisons Americanism and is disgracing Protestant Christianity. Whoever else may be silent I will speak out.

Divine Providence had some mysterious purposes when He created the skunk; but He never intended it to sit in the halls of legislation, or occupy a pew in a church. It is time that native and Protestant America woke up to the defence of Americanism and Christianity.

JOSEPH SMITH.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon March 20 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph A. Singarella for repairing city stable, Highland street, Roxbury.

The reason for rejecting the lowest bidder is that he has presented an informal bid, which will allow of two interpretations. One interpretation would mean that he was the lowest bidder at \$927.60 or that his bid might be \$4,321.70. Bids for the work were as follows:

John P. Curley, \$927.60; Joseph A. Singarella, \$1,015.50; W. Curley & Son, \$1,431; Frank J. Gallagher & Co., \$1,559.25; John F. Shea & Co., \$1,826.10.

Upon March 20 the Mayor approved a contract with the John Williams Company for sewerage works in Allendale avenue, from Marsh street 200 feet southeasterly; and Lenoxdale avenue, from Milton street 130 feet southeasterly, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened March 17, were as follows:

John Williams & Co., \$2,473.50; A. D. Daddario, \$2,514.25; Joseph Todesca, \$2,682.25; A. Cefalo, \$2,722.25; Croce Iacuzzi, \$2,755.75; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$2,771; A. Grande, \$2,777.25; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,821; J. Guarino & Co., \$2,822.25; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2,977.50; De Cristofaro & Brothers Company, \$3,019.75; M. De Sisto Company, \$3,044.75; Geo. J. Regan, \$3,442.75; C. Russo, \$3,513.50; M. D. Russo, \$3,657.25.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 20 the Mayor approved a contract with Herbert W. Doten for furnishing and installing work benches in the Ralph Waldo Emerson and Washington Irving Schools. Bids for the supply, opened March 11, were as follows:

Washington Irving School.—Herbert W. Doten, \$980; Burditt & Williams Company, \$1,260; Brett-Rayner Company, \$2,316; Interior Building Finish Company, \$2,399.

Ralph Waldo Emerson School.—Herbert W. Doten, \$1,176; Burditt & Williams Company, \$1,512; Brett-Rayner Company, \$2,779.20; Interior Building Finish Company, \$2,878.

Totals.—Herbert W. Doten, \$2,156; Burditt & Williams Company, \$2,772; Brett-Rayner Company, \$5,095.20; Interior Building Finish Company, \$5,277.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 15 the Mayor approved a contract with the Builders Iron and Steel Company for furnishing iron manhole steps to the Sewer Service. Bids for the supply, opened March 6, were as follows:

Four Thousand Iron Manhole Steps.—Builders Iron and Steel Company, 39 cents each; New England Bolt Company, Inc., 39.25 cents each.

The 1923 price, 39 cents each.

Upon March 15 the Mayor approved a contract with the General Chemical Company for furnishing arsenate of lead to the Park Department. Bids for the supply, opened March 10, were as follows:

Fifteen Tons Powdered Arsenate of Lead.—Sherwin Williams Company, \$415 per ton; General Chemical Company, \$358 per ton; discount, ten days, 1 per cent.

The 1922 price, \$245 per ton; discount, 10 days, 1 per cent; 1923, no price.

Upon March 20 the Mayor approved a contract with the Fort Hill Paper Company for furnishing toilet paper to the various city departments. Bids for the supply, opened March 18, were as follows:

Eight Hundred Cases Eight-ounce Toilet Paper, One Hundred Rolls to Case.—Morgan Envelope Company, \$6.15 per case, Springfield Oval "E" grade; \$5.40 per case, Middlesex Oval; Fort Hill Paper Company, \$4.85 per case; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., \$5.55 per case, Grade A; \$5.30 per case, Grade B; Stone & Forsyth Company, \$5.25 per case; W. H. Claffin & Co., Inc., \$5.30 per case; A. P. W. Paper Company, \$5 per case.

Discount Ten Days.—Morgan Envelope Company, 3 per cent; Fort Hill Paper Company, 2 per cent; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 2 per cent; Stone & Forsyth Company, 2 per cent; W. H. Claffin & Co., Inc., 2 per cent; A. P. W. Paper Company, 2 per cent.

Upon March 20 the Mayor approved a contract with F. M. Ferrin for furnishing circular loom cable to the Fire Department. Bids for the supply, opened March 17, were as follows:

Five Thousand Feet Two-Conductor.—Hazard Manufacturing Company, 6.7 cents per foot; F. M. Ferrin, 4½ cents per foot; Standard Underground Cable Company, 6.89 cents per foot.

Five Thousand Feet Four-Conductor.—Hazard Manufacturing Company, 9 cents per foot; F. M. Ferrin, 7 cents per foot; Standard Underground Cable Company, 9.77 cents per foot.

Two Thousand Feet Nineteen-Conductor.—Hazard Manufacturing Company, 32.25 cents per foot; F. M. Ferrin, 26 cents per foot; Standard Underground Cable Company, 25.97 cents per foot.

Discount, Ten Days.—Hazard Manufacturing Company, 1 per cent; Standard Underground Cable Company, ½ per cent.

Total.—Hazard Manufacturing Company, \$1,430; delivery, eight to ten weeks; F. M. Ferrin, \$1,107.50; reels to be returned in one year or paid for; Standard Underground Cable Company, \$1,352.40.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 20 the Mayor approved a contract with the Library Bureau for a list of persons liable for poll tax. A communication from Edward T. Kelly of the Assessing Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 19, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—We desire your permission to make a contract with the Library Bureau for a list of persons liable to assessment of a poll tax for the year 1924.

The list is to be prepared from the copy as it is written for the Police Department, and is to be done while said work is in progress. This method would permit of

the third copy being available on May 25, the date on which the list of residents is delivered to the Listing Board, a result not possible if the contract is awarded to anyone else.

We respectfully request your permission to make the contract with the Library Bureau at the figure submitted by them of \$4,645, because they can complete the work at an earlier date than anyone else:—having access to the lists during the progress of the police work—and because, in our opinion, it cannot be done at a less cost by anyone else.

Respectfully,

EDWARD T. KELLY,
Chairman.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 20 the Mayor approved a contract with Thomas O'Connor & Co. for erecting the new fire alarm station. A communication from Theodore A. Glynn, Fire Commissioner, was as follows:

BOSTON, March 20, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The Boston City Council at a recent meeting provided the additional funds necessary for the completion of the Fire Alarm Signal Station to be located in the Fenway.

It is important that this work be started at once, and I hereby reject all bids and respectfully recommend the award for the construction of this building be made to Thomas O'Connor & Co. in the sum of \$268,787, this sum representing the amount of a bid submitted by them under date of February 6, 1924.

This contract was advertised and the lowest bidder was the S. L. Milton Company, and the next lowest bidder was Thomas O'Connor & Co. I have made inquiry concerning the work as done by the S. L. Milton Company and the work as done by the second lowest bidder, Thomas O'Connor & Co. I am of the opinion that the work would be much more satisfactorily done by the O'Connor Company, and I consider the O'Connor bid, for which he is now willing to do the work, a reasonable one. As prices have increased since the submission of the original bids, and as an additional expense would be incurred by readvertising, and an unwarranted delay would also be caused (and as in the bid submitted by the O'Connor Company they neglected to technically comply with the advertisement and some legal question may be raised as to the award of the contract in accordance with the advertisement), I respectfully request permission to award the contract to Thomas O'Connor & Co., without advertising, in the sum of \$268,787.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 11 the Mayor approved a contract with the Alco Contracting Company for locks on bath closets. A communication from James B. Shea of the Park Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 10, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Your authority is respectfully asked to award, without advertising, a contract to the Alco Contracting Company, 43 Tremont street, Boston, for furnishing and installing the rim locks

with brass works on 865 doors of the bathing closets in the bath house at Columbus Park, South Boston, for the sum of \$1,950.

The reason for this request is that this sum of \$1,950 was deducted from the contract price for the construction of said bath house, on account of the fact that the delay in the delivery of the hardware in said contract prevented the contractor from completing the building, and in order to avoid claims for delay said deduction was made.

The hardware has now arrived, and the Alco Contracting Company is willing to do the work as outlined in their contract, hence this letter to award, without advertising, contract to them at the above price, the same amount deducted from said contract.

Very truly yours,

JAMES B. SHEA,
Chairman.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 12 the Mayor approved a contract with P. H. McCue for repairs on the Parkman School. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor, under the provisions of chapter 486, section 30, of the Acts of 1909, to awarding a contract, without advertising, to P. H. McCue, 29 Speedwell street, for repairs to the Parkman School, Broadway, South Boston, the cost of said work to exceed the sum of \$1,000.

The reason for making this request is as follows: On February 29 a fire occurred in the Parkman School, which did considerable damage and necessitated the removal of some of the classes from the building until such time as the damage could be repaired. The Board desired to have the work of repair completed at the earliest possible date, and therefore arranged to have it begun immediately. It has been found, however, that the cost of this work will be in excess of \$1,000, and the Board therefore requests the approval of your Honor to making contract as set forth above.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

Upon March 17 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Hourihan for repairs to roof of Christopher Gibson School. A communication from Schoolhouse Commissioner Thomas P. Glynn was as follows:

BOSTON, March 14, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your honor, under the provisions of chapter 486, section 30, of the Acts of 1909, to Awarding a contract, without advertising, to John J. Hourihan, 7 Walden street, Jamaica Plain, for repairs to the roof of the Christopher Gibson School, Dorchester, the cost of said work to exceed the sum of \$1,000.

The reason for making this request is as follows: During the storm of March 11 a considerable portion of the roof was torn off by the high wind. At the time

this accident took place the above-mentioned contractor had staging on the building making repairs to ventilators. It was necessary, of course, to replace at once the portion blown off, and the Board therefore instructed this contractor to do the work immediately. The cost of the complete work will be in excess of \$1,000, and the Board therefore requests your approval as above set forth.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 18 the Mayor approved a contract with the Sewell Cushion Wheel Company for wheels for trucks. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 17, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Sewell Cushion Wheel Company for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Sanitary Service, three sets of Sewell cushion wheels for five-ton Pierce Arrow trucks at a price of \$2,080 plus war tax of \$62.40, making total amount of contract, \$2,142.40.

This type of wheel is now being used in the Fire Department as well as in the Public Works Department, and have proven very satisfactory, and the Public Works Department desire to equip the remaining three trucks with this type of wheel. As the Sewell Cushion Wheel Company are the manufacturers of this type of wheel, no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for same.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon March 15 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Buick Company for one seven-passenger car. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 13, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising the same, to the Boston Buick Company for furnishing to the Employment Bureau one 1924, seven-passenger Buick sedan at \$2,470; allowance on 1920 Buick touring car, \$225—\$2,245.

The Employment Bureau desire this car at once in order that the work of that department will not be interrupted.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Singarella has been allowed the following changes in contract for grading yard of the Ulysses S. Grant School: Excavating 23 cubic yards unsuitable subsoil at \$2, \$46; building additional stone wall, 21 porch at \$10, \$210—\$256; as per inspector's letter of March 5, 1924. Contract price, \$7,712; total addition, \$256; amount of contract, \$7,968.

Pierce & Cox have been allowed for installing in the Charles Sumner District School; two pairs of 1½-inch polished brass legs under lavatory in girls' locker room; changing marble in girls' shower room; putting angle-iron braces under slabs to shore same up, the sum of \$216.30, as per architects' letter of March 17, 1924. Contract price, \$15,519; total additions, \$247.30; amount of contract, \$15,766.30.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Mary J. Turner, 31 Batavia street, Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in Westland avenue, near corner of Massachusetts avenue, December 16, 1923.

Bertha Kaplan, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by depression in walk at 32 Dewey street, March 2, 1923.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has, upon request of the Public Works Commissioner, approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Aaron D. Weld Land Trust, bounded:

South by Weld street, ten and 13-100 feet; west by other land of said trust, by two measurements, five hundred one and 89-100 feet and two hundred and forty-two feet; north by the same, ten feet; and east by the same, by two measurements, two hundred forty-one and 4-100 feet and four hundred ninety-nine and 30-100 feet: containing seventy-four hundred and twenty-two square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 664 linear feet of 2-foot 6-inch circular concrete surface drain, in the above described premises, being private land off Weld street, opposite Willowdean avenue.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the aforesaid improvement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor, upon request of the Public Works Department has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Brighton and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to owners unknown, being part of the private way known as School street, bounded:

East by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Waverly street), twelve and 47-100 feet; south by another part of School street two hundred twenty-nine and 49-100 feet; west by the same, twelve feet; and north by the same, two hundred thirty-two and 90-100 feet; containing twenty-seven hundred and seventy-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Waverly street, bounded:

West by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown (School street, twelve and 47-100 feet; north by another part of Waverly street, eleven and 43-100 feet; east by the same, twelve and 47-100 feet; and south by the same, eleven and 43-100 feet; containing one hundred thirty-seven square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 246 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 238 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as School street, leading westerly from Waverly street for a distance of about 232 feet, and part of the private way known as Waverly street, adjoining School street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northerly side of School street, for a distance of about 260 feet westerly from Waverly street, excluding the lot at the northerly corner of School and Waverly streets; and the lots of abutting land on the southerly side of School street, between Waverly street and Fletcher street, excluding the lot at the southerly corner of School and Waverly streets, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvements herein ordered, to the amounts herein-

after respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 550, Sewerage Works, School Street Brighton, February 1, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Phillip Barlas, City of Boston, T. T.	\$100 00
2. Clarence F. Eldredge, City of Boston, T. T.	100 00
3. Mary A. DeGrasse.	100 00
4. Mary A. DeGrasse.	100 00
5. Mary A. DeGrasse.	100 00
7. Sarah E. Hodson, Annie M. Kelley, T. T.	100 00
8. Phillip Barlas, City of Boston, T. T.	100 00
9. Phillip Barlas, City of Boston, T. T.	100 00
Total	\$800 00

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT RAFTER MAKES REPORT ON NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION CONVENTION.

Augustine L. Rafter, assistant superintendent of Schools, has made the following report on his attendance at the convention of the National Education Association at Chicago, February 25 to 29, 1924.

To the School Committee of the City of Boston:

I submit herewith a brief report of my attendance at the meetings of the Department of Superintendence of the National Education Association of the United States, held in Chicago, February 23-28, 1924.

Perhaps the greatest benefit of the many derived from the meetings and discussions of the superintendents from every state and from the chief cities of the United States is the gauge or standard furnished the individual by which he may measure, compare, estimate and evaluate his schools, their administration, his system, his teachers with others throughout the nation. Institutions, systems and teachers are great or insignificant, efficient or ineffective only in the light of honest, critical comparison.

After hearing the ablest educators the country over, happy and fortunate the school man who can return to his home city, not with a smug complacency, but with the sincere conviction that he is the citizen of no mean educational city; that while he detects opportunities here and there to better his school service, on the whole, the system, the schools, the teachers of his city, in comparison, must be ranked with the best.

At a great meeting at the Chicago convention there was discussed by the superintendents of cities of a population above 200,000, this topic:

IMPROVING THE SERVICE.

Through Better Trained Teachers.

A superintendent of a city comparable in size with Boston stressed the importance of limiting strictly the size of classes; improving the work of the individual teacher; insistence on an adequate supply of "tools," i. e., pianos, maps, charts, boards, paper, books, texts, and references. A systematic and continuous instruction throughout the service for a proper respect for public property. Are the "tools" of a quality to inspire respect? He would have the dignity, worth, and security of the teaching pro-

fession explained to high school students. We, usually, vocationally guide students to every other form of livelihood, to the professions, even, except that of teaching.

The training of teachers in his city consists of a two years' course in a normal school followed by a year's probation on regular salary in a so-called "training center," where the young teacher is under the direct, sympathetic supervision of training teachers. Two neighboring universities give college credit for these three training years. This feature of teacher training in his city he considered of the very highest importance. After permanent appointment the teacher may continue in her college course at any rate of speed she may determine. One hundred and thirty teachers have obtained degrees but five years after graduation from high school.

Through Better Administration and Supervision.

A second superintendent believed that principals are not as systematically or effectively trained for their positions as teachers are. He would set up a standard for the principalship. His city freed the principal of about all the clerical work of the school by furnishing him a clerk or secretary. He was convinced that the serviceability and efficiency of these clerks had been enhanced by the supervision and instruction of a chief secretary who called them together at stated periods and instructed them in the work of their office.

The principal should first be an expert in teaching and in presenting the lesson, then would he be fitted for supervision. He should be scientifically trained in measuring and testing. The time has gone by when anybody can give and interpret an intelligence test. The principal should be a constructor of curricula. Every principal in his city has been and is a member of a committee busied (in school time) with the construction and perfecting of curricula.

Through Better Organized Curricula.

A third superintendent quoted John Dewey as saying that educational practice in American schools is twenty years behind educational theory. We are just now putting into practice a method of instruction in Latin that was advocated with convincing logic a decade ago.

Today everybody in the lay world is reading Joseph Conrad, but a questionnaire to over one hundred high schools failed to reveal that he is being read at all by secondary pupils. The course of study should more closely follow its "interference," community needs and demands. In his city thirty committees are engaged (again in school time) in curricula revision and construction. Specialists in subject matter from neighboring colleges and universities are engaged in the work with the principals and grade teachers.

For the current year his city has appropriated for this purpose \$31,500, and while he did not anticipate as generous an annual appropriation in the future, he believed that the sentiment of his community was so strong for correct curricula sufficient money would be forthcoming. A curriculum school in his city is taught by superior teachers. In this school experiments are tried out and to it go for instruction and inspiration teachers from all parts of the city.

After hearing a spirited, thoughtful

discussion of the above topic, it is reassuring to feel that the great objectives aimed at in the school system of the City of Boston are clearly in advance of those established by the leading cities of the United States.

Respectfully submitted,

A. L. RAFTER,
Assistant Superintendent.

STREET APPROVED.

The Mayor has approved the vote of the Board of Street Commissioners that the locations, directions, widths and grades of the private ways, at Brighton, designated as Ransom road, between Colonial road and Claymoss road; Claymoss road, between Commonwealth avenue and Monastery road; and Euston road, between Colonial road and Washington street be approved.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works to complete the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Harmon street, between Oakland street and 385 feet southwesterly in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$3,600.

A 2-foot by 3-foot concrete sanitary sewer in Congress street, between Atlantic avenue and Purchase street in the city proper district, at an estimated cost of \$4,910.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Alpha road and Regina road, between a point about 270 feet northeasterly of Washington street and a point about 364 feet northeasterly in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$3,640.

REVISED RULES FOR ELECTRIC WIRING ANNOUNCED.

The revised rules and requirements of the Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, for the installation of overhead, underground, interior wires and electrical apparatus will become effective May 1, 1924. Installations made in accordance with 1920 rules will be accepted to such date.

Contracts for the installation of electric equipments made prior to May 1, 1924, but executed later, will be accepted under the 1920 rules. At the pleasure of the contractors, however, due notice should be given of such contracts on hand if it is desired to wire in accordance with the 1920 rules.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor, upon request of the Public Works Department has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to

the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way, known as Harmon street, bounded:

Northeast by another part of Harmon street six and 4-100 feet; southeast by the same, two hundred forty-eight and 3-100 feet; southwest by the same, six feet; and northwest by the same, two hundred forty-eight and 75-100 feet; containing fourteen hundred and ninety square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 320 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Harmon street, near Oakland street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northwesterly side of Harmon street, excluding the lot at the westerly corner of Oakland and Harmon streets, and the lots of abutting land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, excluding the lot at the southerly corner of Oakland and Harmon streets, and the lot on Oakland and Harmon streets now or formerly owned by Margaret Davis heirs, all within a distance of about 350 feet southerly from Oakland street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 545, Sewerage Works, Harmon street, Dorchester, January 11, 1924, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Timothy Callahan.....	\$80 00
2. John J. Sweeney.....	80 00
3. Frank E. Jewell, Sarah E. Jewell....	80 00
4. Josephine Baragwanath.....	80 00
5. Josephine Baragwanath.....	80 00
6. Timothy Cunahan.....	101 58
8. Peter and Tekla Pizura.....	80 00
9. Nicholas and Anna Rogowsky.....	80 00
10. Anna T. Kenney.....	80 00
11. Anna T. Kenney.....	80 00
12. Jessie Douglass, Janet Douglass.....	80 00
13. Conrad E. Johnson.....	91 62
Total	\$983 20

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Board of Street Commissioners has ordered that in the matter of Albert B. Carey, petitioner for damages on account of the taking of land at Walk Hill and Hazleton streets, Dorchester district, for school purposes, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of August 2, 1923, after consultation with the Law Department, and on its advice, the Board assesses the petitioner's damages in the sum of \$9,000; and consents that the Corporation Counsel agree to judgment in said case on the terms herein stated.

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor, upon request of the Public Works Department, has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Brighton and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way, known as Euston road, bounded:

Northeast by Washington street, ten and 1-100 feet on a curve of fifteen hundred and eighty-five feet radius; southeast by another part of Euston road, one hundred ninety-four and 74-100 feet; southwest by Claymoss road, ten feet on a curve of forty-three hundred and sixty feet radius; and northwest by another part of Euston road, one hundred ninety-four and 17-100 feet; containing nineteen hundred and forty-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Claymoss road, bounded:

Northeast by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown (Euston road), ten feet on a curve of forty-three hundred and sixty feet radius; southeast by another part of Claymoss road, twenty-five and 14-100 feet; southwest by the same, two hundred forty-six and 75-100 feet; northwest by the same, ten feet; northeast by the same, two hundred thirty-six and 45-100 feet; and northwest by the same, fourteen and 87-100 feet; containing twenty-six hundred and sixteen square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 237 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in Claymoss road and 246 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in Euston road, being part of the private way known as Claymoss road northwesterly from Euston road for a distance of about two hundred and forty feet and part of the private way known as Euston road, from Washington street to Claymoss road.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road for a distance of about 215 feet northwesterly from Euston road, the lot of abutting land at the easterly corner of Claymoss and Euston roads, the lots of abutting land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road for a distance of about

200 feet northwesterly from Euston road, and the lot of abutting land at the southerly corner of Claymoss and Euston road will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 549, Sewerage Works, Euston Road, Claymoss Road, Brighton, February 1, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Ransom Rowe.....	\$150 00
2. Ransom Rowe.....	150 00
3. Ransom Rowe.....	150 00
4. Mary L. Mead, Esther L. McCarthy	195 00
7. Ransom Rowe.....	149 28
8. Ransom Rowe.....	150 00
9. Ransom Rowe.....	165 00
10. Ransom Rowe.....	174 00
11. Ransom Rowe.....	150 00
12. Ransom Rowe.....	210 00
Total	\$1,643 28

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor, upon request of the Public Works Department, has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Brighton and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston & Albany Railroad Company, New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company, lessee, bounded:

Southwest by Everett street, fifteen and 8-100 feet; northwest by other land of said company, two hundred twenty-two and 10-100 feet; northeast by Lincoln street fifteen and 10-100 feet; and southeast by other land of said company, two hundred twenty-two and 33-100 feet; containing thirty-three hundred and thirty-three square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 221 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 221 linear feet of 5-foot 6-inches by 7-foot 3-inches concrete surface drain in the above described premises, being private land between Everett street and Lincoln street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

LIST OF PETITIONS FOR HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.

MONDAY, MARCH 24.

NAME.	Location.	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Amanda S. Blostrom.....	72 Milton street.....	24	One car.
M. V. Brennan.....	247 Athens street.....	9	One car.
Elizabeth Hampton.....	1 Westford street.....	26	One car.
Agnes Semple <i>et al.</i>	34 Fairview street.....	20	One car.
Stephen J. Francis.....	21 Dillingham street.....	17	Two cars.
Thomas L. Harkins.....	7 and 9 Mechanic street.....	25	Two cars.
Ernest Johnson.....	192 and 194 Amory street.....	15	Two cars.
Simon M. Kahn.....	65 Mountain avenue.....	21	Two cars.
P. H. Keating.....	374 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	Two cars.
Mary A. Kelleher <i>et al.</i>	50 Landseer street.....	23	Two cars.
Katherine F. Lane.....	548 Washington street.....	25	Two cars.
Rene Pannier.....	22 Prescott street.....	11	Two cars.
Annie Swenson.....	15 Wiggin street.....	23	Two cars.
Harry Thorne.....	76 Garnet road.....	23	Two cars.
George J. Wemyss <i>et al.</i>	16 Knoll street.....	23	Two cars.
William F. Donnelly.....	9 Carlford road.....	22	Two two-car garages.
A. Estelle Fitzgerald.....	2149 Dorchester avenue.....	21	Two cars additional.
B. J. Hallahan.....	176 Minot street.....	20	Two two-car garages.
Elizabeth M. Jordan.....	92 and 94 Corey street.....	23	Two two-car garages.
Jacob Epstein <i>et al.</i>	57 Woolson street.....	21	Three cars.
William C. Hankey.....	4 Burr street.....	22	Three cars.
Thomas E. Havey.....	6 Hemman street.....	23	Three units, three cars.
Carrie Johnson.....	60 Callender street.....	21	Three units, three cars.
Charles J. King <i>et al.</i>	63 Easton street.....	26	Three cars.
Argentina V. Mullen <i>et al.</i>	1092 Bennington street.....	1	Group garage, three units.
G. B. Ratto.....	1088 Bennington street.....	1	Group garage, three units.
Laurence Ruzo.....	56 Linden street.....	18	Group garage, three units, three cars.
John J. Shaw.....	108 Allston street.....	25	Three cars additional.
John Varnerin.....	319 Norfolk avenue.....	11	Group garage, three units.
Caroline M. Siebenicher <i>et al.</i>	295 Hyde Park avenue.....	22	Group garage, four units.
Ina Pratt Berry.....	19 Westminster avenue.....	16	Eight units, eight cars.
John G. Ray.....	15 Cunningham street.....	17	Group garage, sixteen units, sixteen cars.
Thomas A. Fitzpatrick.....	42 Sharp street.....	19	Garage and repair shop.
Maurice J. Freeman.....	9 Gardner street.....	3	Addition to public garage.
Nathan Goldberg.....	458-464 Bremen street.....	1	Additional public garage and 500 gallons gasolene.
McCabe & Giovannini.....	123 East Dedham street.....	6	Public garage and 1,000 gallons gasolene.
Christopher Rau.....	361 365 Belgrade avenue.....	23	Public garage and 1,000 gallons gasolene.
Mulvaney & Anderson.....	477 Cambridge street.....	25	500 gallons gasolene.
Simon Bennett.....	334 Washington street.....	19	500 gallons gasolene.
Colonial Filling Station, Inc.	558-562 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	2,000 gallons gasolene.
Jeremiah J. McCarthy.....	115-121 Boston street.....	11	1,000 gallons gasolene.
Jennie Miller <i>et al.</i>	116-126 Humboldt avenue.....	16	1,000 gallons gasolene.
Bent E. Carlson.....	1583 Blue Hill avenue.....	24	Acetylene and oxygen.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

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The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Messinger street, bounded:

Southwest by Bismarck street, six feet; northwest by another part of Messinger street, twenty-six feet; northeast by the same, six feet; and southeast by the same, twenty-six and 24-100 feet; containing one hundred fifty-seven square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Bismarck street, bounded:

Northeast by Messinger street, six feet; southeast by another part of Bismarck street, four hundred sixty-five and 37-100 feet; southwest by easement taken for sewerage purposes by the City of Boston July 31, 1915, six feet; and northwest by another part of Bismarck street, four hundred sixty-five and 79-100 feet; containing twenty-seven hundred and ninety-three square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Bismarck street, bounded:

Northeast by easement taken for sewerage purposes by the City of Boston July 31, 1915, six feet; southeast by another part of Bismarck street, one hundred fifty-nine and 70-100 feet; northeast by the same, thirteen feet; southeast by the same, one hundred twenty-five feet; southwest by the same, ten

feet; northwest by the same and by easement taken for sewerage purposes by the City of Boston July 16, 1901, ninety feet; southwest by said easement, nine feet; and northwest by another part of Bismarck street, one hundred ninety-four and 52-100 feet; containing twenty-five hundred and twenty-three square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 770 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Bismarck street, between Messinger street and Oakland street, and part of the private way known as Messinger street, adjoining Bismarck street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Bismarck street, from Messinger street to Oakland street, excluding two lots on both sides of the street now or formerly owned by Ada T. Hayden, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 551, Sewerage Works, Bismarck Street, Dorchester, February 1, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department" and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Martin Brennan	\$75 00
2. Martin Brennan	75 00
3. Henry M. Levine	75 00
4. Henry L. Levine	75 00
5. Henry M. Levine	75 00
6. Ada T. Hayden	75 00
9. Jeremiah M. Fitzgerald	75 00
10. James L. Fitzgerald	75 00
11. Louise A. Fitzgerald	75 00
12. John Kiewicz	75 00
13. John Kiewicz	75 00
14. John F. Albert H., Fred C. and Mary A. Eichorn	75 00
15. August and Lena O. Hall	90 00
16. Luigi and Loretta Melone	180 00
17. Luigi and Loretta Melone	75 00
18. Luigi and Loretta Melone	75 00
19. Luigi and Loretta Melone	75 00
22. Ada T. Hayden	75 00
23. Ada T. Hayden	75 00
24. Thomas P. Conboy	75 00
25. John Kiewicz	75 00
26. George B. Foote	150 00
27. Frederick L. Schen	180 24
	<u>\$2,025 24</u>

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Mrs. Lina Gulat, 308 Belgrade avenue, Ward 23, one car.

Gordon F. Hainsworth, 69 LaSalle street, Ward 23, one car.

Frederick A. Lovejoy, 28 Wren street, Ward 23, one car.

John Gudonis, 1 Hamlin street, Ward 10, two cars.

Edward E. Havey, 73 LaSalle street, Ward 23, two cars.

Alfredo R. Johnson, 66 Mountain avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Joseph L. Monerg *et al.*, 81 Mountain avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Ellen L. Prendergast, 11 Brenton street, Ward 19, two cars.

Benjamin Sacks, 42 Waumbeck street, Ward 16, two cars.

Mrs. Jennie Smolensky, 244 Quincy street, Ward 17, two cars.

Jennie M. Whitehead, Sp. Ad., 9 Griggs place, Ward 25, two garages, two cars each.

Mary J. McQuade, 71 Centre street, Ward 20, group garage, three units, three cars.

Mary E. Walsh, 35 Plainfield street, Ward 22, group garage, four units, four cars.

Fannie Grossman, 2-10 Fernboro street, Ward 18, group garage, ten units, ten cars.

Emerson Garage, 420 Third street, Ward 9, 1,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Palmer & Parker Company, 103 Medford street, Ward 4, 720 additional gallons gasoline.

Ralph E. Joslin *et al.*, trustees, 767 Dudley street, Ward 17, 500 gallons gasoline.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved, upon request of the Public Works Department, the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way, known as Fuller street, bounded:

East by Washington street, six feet; south by another part of Fuller street, by three measurements, one hundred eleven feet, one thousand one and 47-100 feet and one hundred eleven and 85-100 feet; west by Milton avenue, six and 17-100 feet; north by another part of Fuller street, by three measurements, one hundred eleven and 13-100 feet, one thousand two and 25-100 feet and one hundred and eleven feet; containing seventy-three hundred and forty-six square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 1,217 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Fuller street, from Washington street to Milton avenue.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and

construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Fuller street, from Washington street to Milton avenue, excluding the lots at the northeasterly and southeasterly corners of Fuller street and Milton avenue and the lot at the northwesterly corner of Washington street and Fuller street will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvements ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 548, Sewerage Works, Fuller Street, Dorchester, January 17, 1924, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. John F. Lawton	Nothing
2. Rebecca Kenyon	\$165 00
3. Mary A. Blake	165 00
4. Jacob Silevsky, Catherine Lasker	104 42
5. Jacob Silevsky, Catherine Lasker	99 94
6. Jacob Silevsky, Catherine Lasker	100 00
7. Samuel Lebowich	100 00
8. Jacob Silevsky, Benjamin Wolfson	100 00
9. Jacob Silevsky, Benjamin Wolfson	100 00
10. Samuel Lebowich	100 00
11. Gustave E. Kullman, Hannah A. Kullman	100 00
12. Samuel Lebowich	100 00
13. Samuel Lebowich	100 00
14. Samuel Lebowich	100 00
15. Samuel Lebowich	100 00
16. Samuel Lebowich	100 00
17. Samuel Lebowich	100 00
18. Samuel Lebowich	100 00
19. Samuel Lebowich	100 00
20. Samuel Lebowich	100 00
21. Samuel Lebowich	Nothing
22. John C. Burchill, Sarah Burchill	Nothing
23. Edward P. H. Morrissey	91 04
24. Edward P. H. Morrissey	92 00
25. Edward P. H. Morrissey	92 00
26. Edward P. H. Morrissey	92 00
27. Edward P. H. Morrissey	92 00
28. Edward P. H. Morrissey	92 00
29. Edward P. H. Morrissey	92 00
30. Edward P. H. Morrissey	92 00
31. Edward P. H. Morrissey	92 00
32. Edward P. H. Morrissey	92 00
33. Charles J. Deveraux	40 00
34. Charles J. Deveraux	160 00
35. Charles J. Deveraux	160 00
36. Charles J. Deveraux	160 00
37. Charles J. Deveraux	160 00
38. Charles J. Deveraux	160 00
39. Charles J. Deveraux	160 00
40. Charles J. Deveraux	100 00
Total	<u>\$4,053 40</u>

AWARD FRANKLIN UNION CERTIFICATES.

On Thursday evening, March 20, the Hon. John A. Sullivan, vice president of the Franklin Foundation, informally awarded certificates to forty-seven men who have satisfactorily completed the regular two and three year evening courses at Franklin Union in industrial electricity, industrial chemistry, mechanism and machine design, plan reading, heating and ventilating, steam engines and boilers, and ship design and calculations. In addition, five hundred and sixty record and pass cards were presented to students in one-year courses.

The evening registration has been 12 per cent larger than that of last year. Special spring courses in mathematics, industrial chemistry, radio installation, automobile ignition and plan reading will open on Monday evening, March 31, and a Saturday afternoon course in surveying practice on March 22.

WEST BEHIND BOSTON IN SCHOOL BUILDING PROGRAM — AHEAD IN PARENT INTEREST.

MYRON W. RICHARDSON, HEAD MASTER, SO FINDS AS RESULT OF ATTENDANCE AT NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION CONVENTION AT CHICAGO — REPORT TO SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Myron W. Richardson, head master, Girls' High School, has submitted the following report on his attendance at the convention of the National Education Association, held at Chicago, February 25 to 29, 1924:

To one attending the mid-year meeting of the National Education Association for the first time the first impression is likely to be that of confusion because of the magnitude of the convention. There were some 10,000 superintendents, principals and supervising officers in attendance. The meetings were grouped in twenty-four different departments, of which the Department of Secondary Education was one, each with a two or three day program.

The official program containing all the meetings was a pamphlet with sixty-three pages of information. The official headquarters were at the Congress Hotel and the adjoining auditorium, hotel and theater. The latter was used for the general meetings and had a seating capacity of over 5,000. The department meetings were scattered all over what is known as "100 sections" of Chicago, using assembly rooms in a number of large hotels. The meetings as a rule were crowded to capacity and it was necessary to go early to secure a seat. Particularly was this true of the general meetings in the auditorium. In connection with the convention were listed between 180 and 200 exhibits of different concerns dealing in school books and supplies, each occupying one or more rooms in the Congress Hotel.

The task of selecting an individual program from such a wealth of material was by no means an easy one. To give anything like a comprehensive view of the convention as a whole would be very difficult, and even to give an accurate account of one's individual program would be much of it tiresome and without profit. For here, as in conventions smaller and nearer home, there were some contributions that were Utopian and some that were educational drivel. The best that can be done is to touch here and there a few of the high spots and to tell a few of the things which were of interest.

The first meeting of the Department of Secondary School Principals had for its general topic, "The Holding Power of the High Schools and How to Improve it." Under this head three addresses were given. One entitled "The High School Principal's Responsibility for Curriculum Making," by Franklin K. Bobbitt, of the Department of Education, University of Chicago; the second, entitled "More Purposeful Activities and Definite Objectives for Pupils," by the principal of the West High School, Akron, Ohio, and a third, entitled "Curricula Making for Pupils of Varying Ability," by the dean of the College of Education of Cincinnati.

This grouping of addresses was a more or less typical one. First usually

came an address from somebody connected with a college or college department of education, telling in elaborate detail and frequently in language which was not easy to comprehend how things ought to be done, and then followed a less elaborate address by a school principal, telling how things were done in his school. Between the professor's scheme and the principal's application there was usually a wide gap, and I fear in many cases between the principal's account and what was actually being done was still another gap.

Professor Bobbitt set forth the changed view of education, stating that its objectives were no longer imparting information for mind storage, which information might or might not be of use in after life, but that we were coming to see that education meant the development of abilities which have a direct and immediate connection with life; that with these changed objectives must come changes in curricula, a departure from the old, or, as he characterized it, the cold storage methods of the past.

The West High School of Akron was presented as a school which had made marked and definite progress along this line. The principal stated that Akron was given over to the manufacture of automobile tires, and therefore his course in community civics concerned itself with this industry and with the local history of its development. He also spoke of using the printing department of the school to print the school paper and various forms used in the school; of the correlation between the English department and the school paper; of organizing the senior class to look after certain freshman activities and serve as freshmen advisers; of the appointment of a few members of the senior class to assist pupils of lower classes who were failing in their studies; of the promotion of thrift in the school by pupil participation in the conduct of the school savings bank, etc. I think you will readily recognize that much of what he is doing is not new and has been done in part or whole by many of us for some time past. It is not uncommon in school conventions to meet thus old projects dressed up in new garments and presented as new material.

One of the most amusing and interesting meetings had to do with the rating of teachers. Professor Rugg, of the Teachers' College of New York City, presented his plan of "Self-Improvement Through Self-Rating," blanks for which have been on the market for a considerable number of years; the idea being that teachers should be asked periodically to examine themselves and rate themselves according to a somewhat elaborate plan as set forth in his printed card, and that such self-rating and self-examination should be stimulating and helpful. I think the reaction upon a person reading through this long list of things upon which the teacher was

asked to rate herself is irritating and discouraging. My own reaction to it was similar to that of the college president who had a very bad nightmare and upon being awakened by his wife told her he had had a most terrible dream. It was that he was obliged to pass the freshman entrance examinations to hold his job. Whatever the cause, Professor Rugg's talk aroused many vigorous objections and the meeting developed into a sort of Donnybrook Fair, participated in by a number of speakers, one principal going so far as to ask if anybody present would be fool enough, in visiting teachers, to take around with him a "damn" piece of pasteboard of this kind. There were two humorous features in the row. One was the presiding officer at the meeting, who was a stately lady from Philadelphia and who was completely lost in the maelstrom of argument and demands for recognition that were made upon her. The other was the misconception that prevailed as to the purpose of the blank, which was, after all, nothing much more than a check list to be used by a teacher in rating herself, and not by an executive official in giving her a rating. There was really very little to get excited about.

One of the best department meetings was the joint session of the Principals of Secondary Schools and Deans of Women, and one of the best addresses was made by Mrs. W. S. Heffernan, a member of the Chicago Board of Education and president of the Parent-Teacher Association. Among other bright things she said that education had until recently concerned itself only with the three R's, but to that had now been added the three H's, care of the Heart, Head and Health; the three C's, instruction in civics, citizenship and character; and the three B's, body, brains and bringing up. In this connection I have received since returning a letter from the brother of one of my pupils asking that I persuade his sister to use her high school education to teach her father enough English so that he might take out his second citizenship papers. So I would add to Mrs. Heffernan's item of bringing up, the words "including Father."

The West is certainly outstripping the East in the matter of parent-teacher associations. They seem particularly to have solved the problem of how to get the parents out. Several speakers testified to audiences of 700 or 800 parents at their meetings. One high school which I visited has a parents' association consisting of 1,800 members who have paid 50 cents apiece as membership dues to the association. At his evening meetings he gets out audiences of from 1,500 to 2,000 people. Four times during the year he arranges a meeting for parents in the afternoon, one for each of his four classes, gives them a dinner in his lunchroom for which they pay 50 cents apiece, and which 300 or more parents attend, every seat being taken in advance. Sometimes at the various meetings there is a regular program of teachers from abroad, and again it is a helpful and frank discussion between parents and teachers as to the best way of handling their common difficulties in bringing up the pupil.

The Association of Deans for Girls in High Schools has attained great prominence in the West, so much so that there is a Department of Deans in the National Education Association. This sub-

ject is particularly of interest and importance to us because we have recently organized a State Association of Deans in Massachusetts, and I understand pressure is being brought to bear upon the state superintendent to recommend the appointment of such an official in all large high schools.

I should judge in school organization that more responsibility is placed upon the home-room teacher in the East than in the West. In my own school, and presumably in most high schools in this part of the country, pupils are divided into groups of about forty, each under the charge of a home-room teacher. This teacher is made custodian of all records pertaining to the pupil, attendance, scholarship, report cards, etc. She is the person to whom all complaints are sent for conduct or other failure to perform school duties. The school program is arranged in such a way as to allow her to teach her own group in at least one subject. Every three weeks she is given a home-room hour for the purpose of giving her group instruction in manners and morals, outlines for which are prepared by a committee of teachers.

Once in two months, just before the bi-monthly report is given out, she is given a full hour of school time to talk individually with her pupils who are failing badly in their work, to inquire into the causes of this failure and to offer suggestions for improvement. We thus have not one but fifty or more deans for girls. It is difficult to understand how these duties could be performed properly by one person. It is hard enough to be a mother to forty girls; it is impossible to be one to 2,700.

The very title, dean, or adviser, of girls, seems to me an unfortunate one. With the possible exception of the senior class, high school girls do not need an adviser so much as they need a director, someone who will go to them rather than one to whom they may go. They are not old enough to seek advice and very often they do not appreciate it when it is given to them. I should deem the appointment of such an official to my school a positive misfortune, because it would tend to take away from the home-room teacher responsibilities which she now discharges fairly well, and transfer them to one who, whatever her gifts in this direction, for sheer physical reasons cannot properly discharge them so well.

A dean is not closely in touch with pupils. She probably would handle only cases referred to her by home-room teachers, and such cases would be referred to her only when they had become serious. This would mean that her work would be largely of a curative nature while that of the home-room teacher is preventive. In one important respect, however, the home-room teacher is very much restricted in what she may do for the welfare of the pupil. It is almost impossible for her to get in touch with the home except by the very unsatisfactory method of written communication.

In every large high school there ought to be employed a person through whom proper contact may be made with the home, and this person should be first of all a social worker. If she has had teaching experience, so much the better. We have, in fact, such people now connected with some of the schools and they are known as school visitors. A school visitor may perform many of the duties now performed by deans.

She may advise girls and organize and direct many of their activities. She may be a person to whom the home-room teacher may refer difficult cases. She should have office hours each day in the school for the accomplishment of these things, but most of her time should be spent outside of the school.

I was particularly interested on my visit to Chicago to get all the information that I could about deans for girls. The principal of the Englewood High School, Mr. J. E. Armstrong, reported that a recent questionnaire sent to the high schools around Chicago showed that about 80 per cent of the schools which answered had deans for girls, but in a very large percentage of these schools the dean had a regular teaching program, being apparently a teacher with special qualifications for handling discipline or other girl problems, who for this reason had been given the high-sounding title, dean for girls. In all that was said at the meetings about the work of a dean there was little or no mention made of home visiting as a part of her duty; in fact, some high schools had a second official known as a social visitor whom they used for that purpose. If we are to have but one official of this kind, by all means let it be a school visitor rather than a dean.

A report of some of the general meetings in the auditorium may be of interest to you. William McAndrew, lately appointed Superintendent of Schools of Chicago, gave an address upon encouragement and more encouragement. It was very inspiring and very humorous, in Mr. Andrew's best form. He began by saying that a line of pupils were taking a test for strength of grip of the hands. As one pupil came for the test the teacher remarked that John was not very good at anything and could not be expected to make a very high record. True to the teacher's prediction he made a very low record. He was then put at the foot of the line, and when he came for a second test the teacher said, "Now here comes John; he tries very hard and sometimes leads the class." So John tried again and his second record was just three times his first.

He then explained that this was a school for the feeble-minded and John was an idiot, and added in his inimitable manner that most of us were idiots of one kind or another. He later quoted from the Scriptures to the effect that fault-finding withered tissue and made bone. He said that the superintendent who saw "and pointed out only faults was in danger of withering the tissues between his ears and thus becoming a bone-head, and that if his subordinates followed his example you would soon have a system of bone-heads revolving around a central bone-head." I think we will all agree with Mr. McAndrew with reservations. Too much sugar sometimes clogs the machine as much as too little lubrication. Mr. McAndrew was later chosen president of the department for the ensuing year, possibly because of the favorable impression made by this address.

A strong address was made by Judge Florence Allen, a woman who is a judge of the Supreme Court of the State of Ohio. Her topic was "The Next Step in World Peace." She said that murder in the case of individuals never could have been restrained as long as it was excused for this, that or the other reason, but as

soon as it was made a capital crime punishable by death it was controlled.

In her judgment war, which is nothing more than organized, authorized murder, can never be properly restrained until it is put outside the pale of the law. This she feels can be accomplished without joining the League of Nations. She said that if the President of the United States would enter into treaties with individual nations agreeing to make war as between them a crime and outside the pale of law, it would not be long before all nations would be obliged to enter into similar agreements; and this she considered the necessary next step in world peace.

I mention also two other addresses, one by Superintendent Hartwell, of Buffalo, N. Y., on "Educational Expenditures Considered as an Investment"; and the other by Superintendent Reid, of Youngstown, Ohio, upon the subject of "Educational Fads Considered as Fundamentals." Both addresses were evidently reactions from the recent report of President Pritchett, of the Carnegie Foundation, upon the mounting costs of public school education. Superintendent Hartwell said that the only way to meet these mounting costs was by increased taxation for education; that there was no department in which there was so little waste of public money as in the department of public education; that there was no investment so sure to yield large returns as public money spent for this purpose; and that we have by no means reached the limit of reasonable taxation for education.

Superintendent Reid said that taxpayers had been encouraged by President Pritchett's report to make war upon the so-called fads and frills in education. He said that to many of them anything which was not in school in their boyhood was a fad or frill, but that there was no agreement among them as to what really constituted a fad or frill. To some kindergartens are a fad, to others instruction in drawing and the fine arts, to others industrial work, etc. Fads to one person are fundamentals to others.

He said that he had told his own school board in answer to pressure of this kind that he would give serious consideration to the abolition in his schools of any subject which 51 per cent of his constituency would agree upon as a fad.

One of the most profitable days for me was spent after the convention visiting two high schools, the Oak Park High School, Oak Park, Ill., and the J. Sterling Morton High School, located at Cicero, Ill. Both of these places are suburbs of Chicago and both had unusual sources of revenue. It is a law in Illinois that if a locality wishes to expend more than the state-allotted amount for its schools it may organize into a little larger unit known as a township and make an additional tax levy for the support of high schools.

In a locality thus organized there are two school boards, each independent of the other, one for the management of the lower eight grades with a superintendent of its own, and the other for the high schools with another superintendent, the principal of the high school.

Each superintendent is independent of the other and each is responsible to a different school board. To us who are striving for a unified system from grades one to twelve such an arrangement does not commend itself as a very good one, and there were plenty of evidences of its

weakness. For instance, they had not been able under this law, to have a junior high school because the dividing line was the eighth grade and a junior high school would have to be under the control of two independent superintendents and school boards.

The principle of one of these high schools asked me if I had semiannual promotions in my school, and when I told him that this had been tried out in Massachusetts and found wanting, and that I had been spared thus far this affliction, he told me that such a system had been forced upon him from below because of pressure of numbers, and that he had tried it for two or three years with very unsatisfactory results and was going to take steps to put a stop to it. I am wondering which superintendent is going to have his way in this matter.

It is a wonderfully fine thing, however, from the point of view of expenditures for the high school. The Oak Park High School, which some of you know through famous football teams it has sent East, had a de luxe equipment and organization, such as I did not suppose existed in any public school. Let me make some comparisons between this school and my own. It has a registration of about 2,500 pupils, the Girls' High School of 2,700 pupils; 100 teachers as against 80 for us. Their standard class is 24, ours 32. Its building occupies a city block and is about twice the size of ours, but the principal informed me that the school has outgrown the building, and the town has recently bought another city block across the street with a number of fine residences upon it which are to be torn down to make room for the construction of an additional building.

It spent last year \$142 per pupil as against an expenditure of \$91.17 for the Girls' High School. The school had two gymnasiums, both of them much larger than ours, one for boys and one for girls. It has six teachers of physical training, three for each sex. In addition to the two city blocks already referred to were at least two other city blocks adjacent to the school laid out as athletic fields and finely equipped for both summer and winter sports. It had two libraries and two librarians. Its science equipment was superb, six laboratories, for instance, for the teaching of general science to freshmen, each equipped for individual work for twenty-four pupils.

It was equipped in like manner for teaching many kinds of industrial work, including automobile repairing, etc. The maximum salary of teachers was about \$300 more than ours; the principal received a salary of \$8,000. It was an exceedingly well organized and conducted school in a manner worthy of its equipment. My mental attitude on learning of this school must have been akin to that of the man who passed the hat and upon its return with nothing in it thanked God he got the hat back. I felt thankful to be upon the school map at all.

The second high school, that at Cicero, was a good example of the fact that it takes more than money to make a good school. It had a per capita expenditure last year of \$222 per pupil. One interesting thing I learned from the principal's personal tax bill which he happened to have with him was that out of every \$10.98 raised by taxation \$6.75, or 61 per cent, of the total went to the schools, \$4 to the elementary schools

and \$2.75 to the high schools. In Boston according to the 1923 tax bill \$6.68 out of a total tax levy of \$20.30, or 33 per cent, goes to the schools.

Possibly Superintendent Hartwell had this town in mind when he said that we had nowhere nearly reached the limit of desirable taxation for public education. My time in this school was very limited and I was sorry that I did not have time to find out what he did with his money. There was not the evidence of efficient management and equipment that was in the other school.

The school also was crowded and the principal had solved this problem by what is known as the platoon system. He had a continuous session from eight to five and two or more sets of teachers. This come-and-go system may be all right for a college but I do not believe that it makes for efficiency in a high school. The platoon system which appears to be growing in favor in the West is a bad imitation of the Gary system, which you know provides for an eight-hour day and for oversight of all of a pupils' activities, work and play. It also provides an equipment of rooms, work shops, gymnasiums, playgrounds, etc., sufficient to provide for all of these activities.

The platoon system seems to be the Gary system with its long days but without its necessary equipment. Many places in the West are much farther behind in their building program than similar places in the East and have seized upon the platoon system for crowding more pupils into the building. They lengthen the day, use the assembly halls and other large rooms for clubs and other pupil organizations and thus accommodate more pupils. What has been forced upon them as a necessity is now being loudly advocated as a new and wonderful discovery in education.

One thing of a humorous nature came

to my notice in this school. Some five or six years ago our Headmasters' Association was asked to look into the subject of supervised study. The standard reference book on this subject was Hall-Quest's "Supervised Study," published in 1917. In this book was a somewhat elaborate account of how supervised study was accomplished at Cicero, Ill.

When the assistant principal to whom I had been assigned asked me if there was anything in particular in which I was interested, I inquired about supervised study. He looked puzzled and said that they had none in the school. On my expressing surprise and referring to Hall-Quest's account he said that he had only been connected with the school for four or five years and he knew nothing about it.

I should be interested to know whether this was a case of unusually vivid imagination on the part of somebody connected with the school or whether, as is more likely to be the case, it had been duly advertised as one of the chief essentials for admission into the educational kingdom of Heaven, and later had been abandoned for newer and more important essentials.

In conclusion may I say that it was a great and much appreciated privilege and honor to be sent to this convention. It is the one meeting of the year in which high school principals are most interested and should be represented. It has been a great inspiration to have been in contact with so many leaders in education from all parts of the country, to hear what they say and to learn what they are doing. It has broadened my vision, deepened my respect for the profession and quickened my desire to be myself more worthy of the calling.

Respectfully submitted,

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MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending March 15, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
United States Census Bureau, 776,783.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 198; nonresidents, 33; total,
231.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 15.51; nonresidents deducted,
13.29.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 16.11; corresponding week
last year, 19.76.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 30; one year to five years, inclusive, 14; sixty years and over, 83; total deaths, male, 127; female, 104; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 102; deaths of colored, 5.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended March 15, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended March 17, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	70	3	68	6
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	3	1
Influenza.....	4	2	8	7
Measles.....	242	3	116	1
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	33	16	45	25
Scarlet fever.....	164	3	80	3
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	33	10	27	15
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	7	1	3	2
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	—	—
Whooping cough.....	12	—	77	6

* Residents and nonresidents included.

TELLS OF IMPORTANT FEATURES OF WORK IN BOSTON'S INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

DR. DAVID J. JOHNSON, HEAD OF THAT BRANCH OF CITY'S ACTIVITY, DELIVERS INTERESTING TALK ON WORK—BOSTON LEADING IN MANY FEATURES OF CARE FOR THE UNFORTUNATES—TRYING TO REMAKE MEN AND WOMEN MORALLY AND PHYSICALLY.

Dr. David I. Johnson, Commissioner of the Boston Institutions Department, delivered the following address on the institutional phase of the city's work at the home of Mrs. Marion Higgins, 54 Beacon street, Boston:

At present when the atmosphere is surcharged with accusations against those in authority who are directing the affairs of our country, it is reassuring to know that sincere intelligent women are becoming interested in and desirous of informing themselves as to the workings of all departments of their government.

The Institutions Department cares for three classes of the city's dependents, destitute children, chronic sick and impoverished adults and short-termed criminals.

These three groups are known as the Child Welfare, Infirmary and Penal Divisions. Then, lest the Commissioner find time hanging heavily on his hands, he is responsible for the Registration Division and the paroling of prisoners in the Charles Street Jail.

The Child Welfare Department, whose care is some thousand neglected and abandoned children of parents having a legal settlement in Boston, is the most interesting and it seems to me the most responsible part of the work. It is the preventative medicine of welfare work, for the proper care of children is the most effective way to blot out the maladies of ill-health, pauperism and crime in communities.

Not so long ago a city felt that it had done its duty by dependent children if it herded them in a bleak institution, clothed them in drab uniforms and provided enough food to keep them from hunger, but thank God, our civic conscience and knowledge of child psychology has grown beyond that. We have come to realize that "man does not live by bread alone," and that children have a positive right to love, recreation, mental and spiritual training and that if their parents cannot or will not give it to them the public should. And not only should but must, for happy, well-cared for children are a community's greatest asset, as neglected ones are its most terrible liability.

Our city was among the pioneers in adopting this important reform in child welfare work, boarding out its wards in private homes instead of housing them in institutions. Any resident of Massachusetts may apply for the care of one or more children listed in the department, stating age, sex and nationality preferred. Paid visitors then make a careful investigation of the home offered, taking into consideration not only its comforts but the character of the people, their income and general environment.

The aim is to secure for each child a home life as nearly normal as possible, to assure sympathetic treatment, oppor-

tunities for recreation and for education and spiritual training. As you can see, the work is highly responsible and those engaged in it must be, therefore, women of the highest character, who love children, who have common sense, and above all, heart. The interest of the child must be the consideration not the wishes of the foster parent, there must be no chance that boys or girls are placed in an environment that will injure them in body or spirit.

Children are placed in homes of their own religion and if possible of their own nationality. On admission to the department each one is given a complete mental and physical examination including a blood test. If the examination shows defects in teeth, eyes, and so forth, the child is placed in a temporary home convenient to the City Hospital or clinic where the needed attention can be given. If its general health is impaired and it requires special care and food it is placed in a country home where there are cows and chickens and where there is opportunity for play in the open air. For the care of such special children the city pays up to \$5 per week instead of the customary allowance of \$3 per week. In addition the city provides each child with two outfits of clothing a year until the child reaches the age of fourteen, sometimes continuing the pay for a year or two if the child is in school.

All children are visited at frequent but irregular intervals by the child welfare visitors to assure their general well-being and happiness.

At Christmas the city plays Santa Claus and the children are given dolls or toys, candy and a Christmas card. For more than 200 of these dolls complete outfits of clothes were made by the visitors and helpers of the Child Welfare Division.

Unfortunately 100 of the city's wards congenitally diseased have no home but the Long Island Hospital. It is needless to say that a community is not fulfilling its responsibility to these children, already so terribly handicapped, in compelling them to be cared for in an almshouse, but there is at present in the great City of Boston no chronic hospital to which they can be sent. Up to two years ago they were entirely without education or training in manners; now they have a teacher winter and summer sent down by the School Board at the request of his Honor Mayor Curley and they are making interesting progress.

In the Registration Division applications are received for admission to Long Island Infirmary and Almshouse, but the House of Correction, Deer Island, is the one place where no application for admission is necessary. This prison is for men sentenced for from ten days to three years for lesser offences against

property or persons, or who are drug users or sellers, or drunks. There are at present 480 of them, an increase of almost 300 per cent in three years.

The plant includes three prisons, the old cell block type in use up to a year ago, Barracks B, and the third a light and modern prison formerly used for women, but during the war used to confine the Reds thought dangerous to the government. Restrained for a time from hammering things generally they hammered the prison and left it in such a condition that it was unusable. It has recently been reconditioned by prison labor and is now perhaps the finest in the state and most of the prison population are now housed there.

Contrary to the views of theorists the best opinion is that there is no such thing as a distinct criminal type. Doctor Goring, the great criminologist, states that as his conclusion after an exhaustive examination of 3,000 English convicts. There is no doubt though that a tendency to crime is related to subnormal physique, lack of education and spiritual training and economic conditions.

The reformatory program, therefore, in every correctional institution should be along three lines, first, varied as well as wholesome and abundant food. Doctor McCollum of Johns Hopkins has proved by twelve years of experiment that lack of certain foods, especially milk and top vegetables, have a radically bad effect on the disposition and character as well as upon the health of individuals.

At Deer Island we have not as yet dared to follow out Doctor McCollum's suggested diet for prisoners. Public opinion has yet to be educated to the feeling that all money spent in increasing the chances of rehabilitation of those who have gone down in the battle of life is economically spent, but I can say that the food is as varied as possible, abundant and the best of its kind that can be bought. Mayor Curley's instructions to me when I took office were to pay special attention to the food of the institutions, to see to it that it was as good as I would use on my own table and that any time food was not up to my standard to return it and buy in the open market and that has been carried out. All food is purchased through the Supply Department, contracts being awarded monthly to the lowest bidder if he can comply with the contract. Only twice in two years has it been necessary to return food and then, not because it was bad, but because it was not according to order.

Wholesome surroundings, work and play in the open air, trees, grass, flowers are absolutely necessary if a prison is to send its inmates out better men than when they came in and surely this applies to long-term men most of all. Either Long Island or Deer Island would be an ideal site for the State Prison and their large acreage would supply the inmates with much of their food. The desolation, the restrictions of State Prison, the knowledge that hundreds of men are behind those barred windows from which they see nothing beautiful or growing to bring hope to them is a reproach and arraignment of every one of us.

His Honor Mayor Curley offered, first, Long Island and when that was refused, Deer Island, as a site for a new prison. The committee who went down to in-

spect Deer Island will tell you there was no haggling over terms, every objection was met. The choice of either island was offered at a nominal price. It was felt that there should be co-operation between city and state in something so vital to thousands of unfortunate men, and it is to be hoped that an aroused public opinion will compel it.

Vocational training is an essential part of corrective work, for, unquestionably, many men are in prison because they have not had normal opportunities, have had no way of getting an honest living. It is important that they should be helped to be self-sustaining on their release. This training we give through what is an approach to the apprentice system. Through the co-operation of Commissioner Dana, every officer appointed to Deer Island is an expert mechanic along some line. The up-keep of the many buildings on the two islands, the two city boats and wharves, the trucks and tractors offer opportunity for training along the line of most of the trades, and the officers instruct as well as supervise the various groups of men under them in the work being done, the aim being not so much to speed up the work as to teach the men its fundamental principles.

Incidentally large sums of money are saved to the city. A cow barn has just been built by inmate labor as modern and sanitary as any in Massachusetts. The stalls have cork flooring and each cow has an individual drinking fountain. It is valued at \$20,000 yet its cost to the city was under \$2,000. In this barn are housed fifty registered cows, a fortunate purchase of my predecessor. The head farmer also cares for 500 pigs which supply the prisoners with fresh pork every week and with bacon and hams cured in our own smoke houses. Enough fresh vegetables are raised to furnish the tables of both institutions during the summer and part of the winter and with fodder for the cows.

Other activities are a printing shop, shoe shop, tailor shop, and lately we are making mattresses for our own institutions. The least popular activity on the island is the stone shed. We do not expect any one to choose this work as his vocation when released, but it has an educational value nevertheless. Here are put wife beaters and men who refuse to support their families. However indifferent they are at first they soon have a change of heart, and are willing to turn over most of their earnings to use for the benefit of their wives and children.

The reform of criminals is an educational and spiritual problem as well as an economic one. We have a day school for illiterates and a night school for those who have some degree of education, and attendance in the day school is compulsory so that when men go out they will at least know how to read and write. The inspiration of books will be open to them and they will not be cut off from intercourse with their neighbors and fellow workmen when they again take their place in the life of the community.

Our policy in the treatment of the man is liberal. They are permitted to talk at meals and afterward to walk in the yard and smoke. They have occasional concerts and weekly moving pictures and, during the summer months,

are allowed to play baseball and other games Saturdays, Sundays and evenings up to eight o'clock. Of course supervising prisoners in the open until eight in the evening instead of locking them in their cells at 4:30 o'clock means extra work for the officers but they have shown a fine spirit of co-operation. The results have been worth while, the games benefiting the men greatly physically and giving them wholesome interest and topics of conversation.

We have not, however, tried any experiments in self-government. It is, I believe, an illusion. The fact that men are in prison shows that they are deficient in self-control, that they need guidance and control by others. Those who advocate self-government lose sight of the fact that the primary object of a prison is to restore the majesty of the law and show them it is sacred. Any system of prison management that puts the prisoner first and the law second violates a fundamental principle and is wrong, but after this principle is firmly established as much should be done for the prisoner as possible to show him that while the law is vindictive it is not vindictive.

The most difficult problem in reform institutions is that of the drug addict, and to the solution of this problem I am giving my most serious thought. The increasing use of drugs in the country is cause for grave concern, but it is characteristic of Americans not to worry over anything until it hits them full force. It took epidemics of disease to interest us in preventive medicine and it will take epidemics of crime to make us realize the need of getting at and remedying its causes. Our standards are increasingly materialistic, the influence of home and religion is breaking down, we want excitement, an easy and irresponsible life. Part of the result is more users of drugs and a vicious circle of impaired health, impaired will, inefficiency, immorality and crime.

We arrest the drug addict and deal with him as a criminal when he is primarily a medical case. When he steals it is his theft we consider important, whereas that is incidental. He steals because he is a morphinist and must have means to get the drug he craves. Sergeant Caverly, chief of the Massachusetts Bureau of Narcotics, who is doing splendid work in Boston in rounding up drug users and putting drug sellers out of business, told me of following a man not long ago who was rolling an auto tire down a back street. He recognized him as a dope and investigation disclosed that he had just one idea when he stole the tire to trade it for morphine. The department stores lose many thousands of dollars in the course of a year from such thefts. Your dope is the most ingenious of thieves and a fur coat or a tire is pretty much the same to him, merely mediums of exchange for a "deck" or a "shot." It is of far less importance, therefore, to punish his theft than to cure his disease.

The opinion prevails that the drug habit is incurable. I can only say that in private practice I have had several cases who have not relapsed after periods of from ten to twenty years. At least it is worth while to attempt a cure and we are doing it at the House of Correction on Deer Island, the first that has been made in any institution of Massachusetts.

We have treated about fifty addicts there this year. They are in a separate building with their own officers and cook and an isolation as drastic as for smallpox is maintained. The prisoners and their relatives understand that this is not intended as punishment, but is the one hope for a cure, and they are glad to co-operate. They are given special food, especially more sweets and exercise and work in the open air. Addicts are subnormal physically from use of drugs and under eating, and the first step is to build up their strength. The gain has been from fifteen to sixty pounds per man.

But that does not mean they are cured. Their will power and morale must be strengthened, they must be given new interests and hope. They are, therefore, allowed to sit up until nine o'clock reading, talking and playing games. They have a piano and radio and many of them have rigged up radios of their own. A Chinese inmate has made the smallest one I have ever seen, 4 by 4, perfect in every detail and capable of getting Schenectady. Everything possible is done to occupy their minds and tide them over the strain of withdrawal of the drug. On discharge every man must report to Sergeant Caverly that he may know them by sight, and be able to watch them and bring about their arrest should they relapse.

We are positive the isolation has prevented any new addicts being made. We do not expect 100 per cent cures, if the sentences were longer the chances would be much better. In New York prison for women they have been experimenting with a 100-day intensive treatment. It never could be a success, and from what I was told it has not been. I was there one day when a young girl was committed as a drug user. She told me she had been discharged from the same prison but the week before. As soon as she crossed the river she was met by one of her former pals who gave her a "shot." She was rearrested and the magistrate sympathizing with her because she was young and very pretty, gave her the minimum sentence, a month. "Just long enough to torture me," she said, "and throw me out into the street again." For a cure to be effective the sentence should be from six months to two years, so that they may be released at the discretion of the commissioner and picked up without arrest any time within the two years if they relapse.

You have been hearing much lately about the segregation of prisoners. Everyone believes in that, if not carried to absurd lengths but the danger in the bill now advocated is that it links up segregation with state control of prisons which is fundamentally wrong and which should be opposed with all our force. We must stand for home rule always for city or town institutions. From the humane standpoint the city's dependents should be cared for by the community in which they belong. At a recent conference in Washington one of the federal judges spoke of the cruelty, the bad and hardening effects of confining federal offenders in prisons out of reach of family and friends and it was the general opinion of the judges that criminals should be placed in institutions in their own locality. The strongest factor in any man's reform is his mother or wife or sister or children, and he should

not be sent where they must spend time and money to see him. He should be near them so that they may be his incentive, his help in a new try at besting the difficulties of life.

It is one of the fundamental principles of the Constitution that the state shall take over no function that can be performed by the smallest unit, the city or town, just as the federal government shall take over no function that can be performed by the state. Federal control of education, state control of corrective institutions is a violation of the rights of individuals, a raid on the Constitution fraught with the gravest danger and nothing can justify it.

During July and August the Institutions Department plays host to the poor children of Boston. Five days a week during those two months, the city steamer takes about 300 of them, from various parishes and institutions of all denominations, to Rainsford Island, where they play and swim until five o'clock, when the boat returns them to Boston again. The income from a fund left by Mr. Randidge one of Boston's charitable citizens, provides them with a light lunch.

It is a meagre lunch for children enjoying what is for most of them their one summer outing. Sometimes we find a kind person willing to be fairy god-mother for one day, paying for the trolley trip to and from the boat, \$30, which otherwise those in charge of the institution or parish have to pay, and supplying additional food. A Merry-go-round, which would furnish music all day, as well as rides on the horses would be the finest possible gift. I think any of you would find it a worth-while experience to go down with one of the groups and I am glad to extend an invitation to you.

The Boston Almshouse and Hospital is on Long Island and has a population of about 1,000 men and women. The life in any almshouse is bleak enough but the isolated situation of this one makes it most depressing to any one who sees it. A visit there takes the best part of the day and as the relatives and friends of the inmates are people who work you can understand that they don't go there often. As a matter of fact the average is one visit a year per person. So there they stay with nothing to hope for but death.

His Honor Mayor Curley is working to bring about a reform in the manner of caring for our poor and infirm, to have them transferred to Boston. He believes that these men and women "who have grown old without growing rich," who are citizens of Boston, who have given the best years of their lives to the upbuilding of its industries and who have been broken down by hard and poorly requited toil, deserve better from their native city than to be exiled from it in their old age. But aside from humane reasons, practical ones make necessary the removal of these institutions to the mainland.

There are, on the average, 400 of the chronic sick there. The visiting staff of the Long Island Hospital includes specialists in surgery and medicine such as Doctor Minot, Doctor Cunningham, Doctor Mella, Doctor Souter, and many others among the foremost in their profession, whose time is precious, who are glad to give their services free, and it is an injustice to compel them to take so long and difficult a trip. Besides, in

severe weather, there are days when the boats cannot make the trip, when, no matter what the emergency, it is almost impossible to get there.

Often old people in an almost dying condition are brought in an ambulance to the wharf to be transferred to a boat, carried from the boat to another conveyance and so to the Long Island Hospital. A free chronic hospital is the most urgent need in Boston today, to care not only for the 400 sick at present at Long Island but for hundreds of people in Boston who as every doctor knows are suffering either from incurable diseases or from diseases which are curable but only by prolonged treatment which the other hospitals have not the room or facilities to give. It is planned to make this chronic hospital one of the finest in the country.

His Honor Mayor Curley has purchased the Parker Hill Hospital from the Elks who willingly sold it for a nominal sum when they learned of the purpose for which it was to be used. It is an ideal location because near the medical schools so that clinics can be established for the study of chronic diseases, one of the department of medicine in which comparatively little progress has been made. It is planned to have the almshouse proper in a separate plant. Our original idea was West Roxbury since the government had expressed its intention of abandoning it and moving the disabled veterans now occupying it to the just completed hospital at Northampton.

Certainly no pressure was used to have them do so. In fact at the time the Northampton site was chosen as a hospital for disabled veterans, it was against the judgment of most medical men and those who had the interest of the veterans at heart for the reason that it was too far away from medical centers and meant exile from friends and home to a majority of the men. But for the reasons best known to those who over all protests decided on that location, the hospital was built there and the announcement made that the place at West Roxbury would be abandoned. We simply accepted that decision and tried to put the deserted plant to some good use.

We have another site where suitable building can be erected. Cottages for small groups would in every way be preferable to one large building and the cost of upkeep would be appreciably less. It was to make possible two fine undertakings that the city offered to sell Deer Island to the state; it would make possible the immediate establishment of a great chronic hospital needed badly as every doctor knows, and it will give the hundreds of men in State Prison decent surroundings, some chance for reclamation. Hasn't Massachusetts become too much like a stingy old farmer, intent on saving pennies and blind to human needs and values? Both these projects are highly worthy and should have the public's support. Humanity should know no politics.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

Carmino Russo has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for setting meter boxes in Roxbury, Jamaica Plain and West Roxbury, from November 15, 1923, to January 31, 1924.

MAYOR HURLS BACK RETORT AT CHAIRMAN OF COMMISSION ON RELOCATION OF PRISON.

His Honor the Mayor has received the following letter from George H. Ellis, chairman of the Commission on Relocation for the State Prison:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR,—I have just received your communication under date of March 5, concerning the proposed acquirement of Deer Island for a state prison.

You will recall that under the resolve passed by the Legislature the commission of which I had the honor to be chairman was required to report and has reported to the General Court and been discharged, and thus the matter has passed out of the hands of the commission.

It is with deep regret that I note you considered it necessary to criticise one of the officials to whom this matter was referred by the commission. I hope that in future consideration of the subject no side issues or other matters will be injected.

Although no longer a member of the commission, I am very much interested and will do what I can to bring about the best possible settlement.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE H. ELLIS.

His Honor the Mayor addressed the following letter to Mr. Ellis:

HON. GEORGE H. ELLIS, Chairman, Commission on Relocation for the State Prison, State House, Boston:

MY DEAR MR. ELLIS,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your pussy-foot letter dated March 7, 1924, in which you gently chide me for criticising the chairman of the State Finance Commission, Mr. Homer Loring. Your expression of deep regret that I should consider it necessary to criticise this official is a rare bit of humor and I assure you has greatly amused me, for the reason that according to Mr. Maurice H. Maney, who represented the City of Boston upon the sale of Deer Island to the state, Mr. Loring, in your presence, made identically the same statement that was contained in my letter, namely, that he was opposed to purchase by the state of this property. Your letter states that the commission has made its report and the matter has passed out of the hands of the commission and that although you are no longer a member of the commission you are interested and will do what you can to bring about the best possible settlement. This is most encouraging and comforting but I beg to assure you that even though you were inclined otherwise that so far as I am personally concerned the matter has neither passed out of my mind, nor will it be considered settled until settled right, and settled right it will be either by those now in control of the activities of the state or by others more kindly disposed to the unfortunate who will later take charge of the affairs of state.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 13 TO MARCH 19.

MARCH 13.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Morris Levine.....	107 Warren street.....	13	Second-class dwelling and store.	\$14,000
Rachel T. Wills.....	Rear of 171 Newburg street.	23	Third-class garage.....	475
Walters Brothers.....	7 Bardwell street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Walters Brothers.....	11 Bardwell street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Walters Brothers.....	15 Bardwell street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Louis Kulis.....	58 Bicknell street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Joseph M. Feer.....	1404 Dorchester avenue.....	18	Alterations, store and tenements.	1,200
E. Z. Roundtree.....	171 Walnut avenue.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	350
S. Safer.....	1866 and 1868 Washington street.	12	Alterations, store and lodging.	150
Florence McCarthy.....	20 Harriet street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Fifty Associates.....	11 Temple place.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	6,500
John Hunt.....	16-24 Union Park street.....	6	Alterations, front room, lodging house.	300
City Building Wrecking Company.	308-314 Broadway.....	5	Take-down, stable.....	500
Jacob Cook Heirs.....	714 River street.....	24	Take-down, stable.....	100
Jasper Stone.....	116 West Fourth street and 35 A street.	9	Take-down, store and dwelling.	100
New York Building Wrecking Company.	129-135 Main street.....	4	Take-down, store and dwelling.	35
New York Building Wrecking Company.	96 Warren street.....	4	Take-down, storage.....	100
A. Kasabaian.....	69 Franklin street.....	26	Take-down, shed.....	50

MARCH 14.

Olga Dzipchiner.....	Rear of 12 Thornton street.	15	First-class garage.....	\$2,000
Rachel T. Wills.....	6 Eastbourne street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Rebecca J. Shay.....	731 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Richard O'Hearn.....	48 Richards street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
Charles Urban.....	17 Stillman road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	17,000
Robert J. MacDonald.....	Rear of 1822 Centre street.	23	Third-class garage.....	500
Margaret J. Malone.....	Rear of 137 Milton avenue.	21	Third-class garage.....	350
John F. Hanlon.....	61 Clement avenue.....	23	Third-class garage.....	184
Max Freedman.....	112 Homestead street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Petroleum Heat and Power Company.	408-412 Main street.....	3	Alterations, service station..	800
A. W. Elliott.....	91 Williams avenue.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Francis Saunders.....	9 Willowood street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	225
Ulin & Lahakalian.....	37 and 39 Fort avenue.....	15	Fire escape, dwellings.....	200

MARCH 15.

William H. Hardy.....	35 Fox street.....	18	Third-class dwelling.....	\$14,000
William H. Hardy.....	41 Percival street.....	18	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
William H. Hardy.....	43 Percival street.....	18	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
William H. Hardy.....	18 Verdun street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
William H. Hardy.....	22 Verdun street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
William H. Hardy.....	26 Verdun street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
John H. Jay.....	33 Bowker street.....	5	Alterations, factory.....	6,000
Akouskas & Banulis.....	331 West Broadway.....	9	Alterations, store and dwelling.	200
Fred S. Strickland.....	132 Beech street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Old Corner Bookstore	50 Bromfield street.....	5	Sign, store and office.....	250

MARCH 17.

Oliver M. Ellis.....	Rear of 42 Leonard street..	18	Second-class garage.....	\$1,350
Myer Dana.....	1240A River street.....	24	Second-class store.....	2,500
Augustus B. Higgins.....	35 Freeland street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	7,500
C. J. Magnusson.....	30 Atlantic street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
W. J. Carlson.....	524 Weld street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,500
Frederick F. Lovejoy.....	28 Wren street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	425
Walter Brown.....	Rear of 127 Nonantum st..	26	Third-class garage.....	850
Michael Doyle.....	63 Arlington street.....	26	Third-class store.....	800
Mamie Breger.....	Rear of 54 Colonial avenue.	20	Special class garage.....	275
Daniel Goodnow.....	18 Shawmut street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	4,000
Rasheedy T. Younis.....	4895 Washington street....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
N. W. Dowd.....	17 West Dedham street.....	6	Alterations, lodging.....	140
George S. Cosanopoulos.....	771 Tremont street.....	7	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,850
A. D'Agostino.....	63 Webster street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Manson Gabriel.....	6 Ohio street.....	5	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
George M. Hodge.....	49 Bennet street.....	5	Alterations, store, lofts.....	4,000
Wellworth Restaurant Company.	83 Green street.....	5	Alterations, store, lodging..	325

MARCH 18.

George Rice.....	Rear of 16 King street.....	20	First-class garage.....	\$2,000
Sadie Kagno.....	135-139 Harrihof street....	16	First-class garage.....	1,300
Hyman E. Clino.....	74-78 Warren street and 155 and 157 Dudley street.	12	Second-class stores and offices.	50,000
Herman Weisberg.....	234 Callender street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Catherine F. Laing.....	62 Landseer street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	750
Elizabeth F. Hamilton.....	657 West Roxbury Parkway.	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,400
Dora Burnell.....	74 Allen street.....	5	Alterations, tenements.....	400
N. J. King.....	59 Ashland street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	6,000
Charles Arhit.....	3 Harold place.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Elizabeth B. Costello.....	33 Hazleton street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
Peter Aspel.....	33 Hinsdale road.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
P. Hanschildt.....	38 Vineland street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	120
J. P. Collins.....	27 Tyndale street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
City of Boston.....	57 Cliff street.....	13	Alterations, garage.....	350
Allen & Sherman.....	618-636 Albany street.....	6	Elevator, municipal garage..	3,000
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.	142 Friend street.....	5	Elevator, mercantile.....	2,200
I. N. Learned, agent.....	245 State street.....	5	Elevator, offices.....	300
Florence C. Cassidy.....	1 and 3 Concord square....	7	Fire escape, lodgings.....	225
	7 and 9 New Heath street...	15	Fire escape, dwelling.....	125

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor, upon the request of the Public Works Department, has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Regina road, bounded:

Northeast by Alpha road, six feet; southeast by another part of Regina road, two hundred seventy-four and 84-100 feet; southwest by the same, six feet; northwest by the same, two hundred seventy-five feet; containing sixteen hundred and fifty square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 270 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Regina road, leading westerly from Alpha road for a distance of about two hundred and seventy-five feet.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northerly side of Regina road, for a distance of about two hundred and fifty feet westerly from Alpha road, and the lots of abutting land on the southerly side of Regina road, for a distance of about two hundred and fifty feet westerly from Alpha road, will receive benefit or advantage from the improvement ordered herein, beyond the general advantage to the community, to the amounts hereinafter set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 547, Sewerage Works, Regina Road, Dorchester, January 18, 1924, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of the said department.

Lot.	Amount.
2. Colonial Club of Dorchester.....	\$299 40
3. Sarah J. Mullett.....	99 80
4. Sarah J. Mullett.....	99 50
5. Patrick D. Currie, Mary A. Currie, Nothing	
6. Richard O'Brien, Delia O'Brien.....	97 72
7. William Duff.....	97 72
8. Mary A. Galvin.....	97 84
9. Mary A. Galvin.....	97 84
10. Mary A. Galvin.....	97 90

\$987 72

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor, on request of the Public Works Department, has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Ashland avenue, bounded:

Northeast by Cass street, ten and 13-100 feet; southeast by another part of Ashland avenue, by two measurements, five hundred two and 83-100 feet and one hundred fifteen and 99-100 feet; southwest by Johnson street, ten feet; and northwest by another part of Ashland avenue, by two measurements, one hundred fifteen and 10-100 feet and five hundred three and 43-100 feet; containing sixty-one hundred and eighty-seven square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 510 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Ashland avenue, from Cass street to Johnson street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Ashland avenue, excluding the lot at the northwesterly corner of Cass street and Ashland avenue, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 552, Sewerage Works, Ashland Avenue, West Roxbury, February 1, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. John M. Donlon, Annie A. Donlon....	\$150 00
2. Armenda B. W. Perkins.....	340 50
3. Lillian S. Cox.....	341 00
4. Teresa G. Wise.....	120 00
6. Charles A. McDonough.....	150 00
7. Mathias K. Shelaes.....	825 00
	\$1,926 50

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 13 TO MARCH 19.

MARCH 19.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Morris Bronstein.....	180 Jamaica way.....	22	Second-class dwelling.....	\$10,000
Helen W. Connolly.....	31 Castleton street.....	14	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
F. A. Murchie.....	17 Elm street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	5,500
Franklin King Estate.....	407 Atlantic avenue.....	5	Alterations, elevator.....	1,400
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.....	881 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	Alterations, offices.....	2,000
Boston American Baseball Club.....	24 Jersey street.....	8	Alterations, grand stand.....	100
Goudey Gum Company.....	52 Everett street.....	26	Alterations, mercantile.....	2,000
Kosciuszko Polish-American Institute.....	2595 Washington street.....	15	Alterations, club.....	250
Simon K. Greene.....	155 Stoughton street.....	17	Alterations, store.....	1,000
Lazze Goodman.....	63 Fort avenue.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
M. Gerber.....	2164 Washington street.....	12	Alterations, hotel and stores.....	1,000
H. C. Leeds et al.....	69 and 71 High street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	3,000
C. A. Richmond.....	462 Freeport street.....	20	Alterations, boat house.....	200
P. Stern.....	74 Wildwood street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,600
Maurice Freeman.....	1, 2, 3, 4, 5 Homes place.....	3	Take-down, five dwellings.....	250
American Building Wrecking Company.....	34 State street.....	5	Take-down, stores and offices.....	800

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 13 TO MARCH 19.

MARCH 14.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
George H. Cox.....	36 Kirkland street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$220
I. W. Crozier.....	121 Leverett street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
Joseph Aronow.....	1033 Massachusetts avenue.....	12	New fixtures.....	1,700
John M. Hannigan.....	19 Roanoke road.....	24	New fixtures.....	450
W. G. Cornell Company.....	39 St. James avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	10,000
J. E. Campbell.....	67 Sawyer street.....	13	New fixtures.....	525
Harold Richardson.....	109 Stanford street.....	5	New fixtures.....	75
W. J. Callaghan.....	267 Warren street.....	16	New fixtures.....	150
David W. Ross.....	2181 Dorchester avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	600
Maurice Pann.....	86 Deering road.....	21	New fixtures.....	250
Thomas P. Travers.....	50 Congress street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,200
Patrick P. Russo.....	9 Cleveland street.....	24	New fixtures.....	395
F. D. Kirby.....	448 Audubon road.....	8	New fixtures.....	400
Benjamin R. Gillis.....	4 Acton street.....	6	New fixtures.....	100

MARCH 15.

A. Yorks.....	111 Eutaw street.....	1	New fixtures.....	\$260
Daniel M. Murphy.....	130 Jersey street.....	8	New fixtures.....	240
John J. Vogel.....	148 Theodore Parker road.....	23	New fixtures.....	535
John J. Vogel.....	70 Cowing street.....	23	New fixtures.....	110
John J. Vogel.....	149 Aldrich street.....	23	New fixtures.....	550
John J. Vogel.....	59 Montclair avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	200
John J. Vogel.....	75 and 77 Green street.....	23	New fixtures.....	430
John J. Vogel.....	1964 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	150
Pierce & Cox.....	94 High street.....	7	New fixtures.....	5,000
A. J. Cooper & Son Co.....	108 Chelsea street.....	4	New fixtures.....	75
W. H. Russell Goudry.....	472 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	725
A. J. Bosse.....	2 Montrose street.....	16	New fixtures.....	250
W. L. Ambrose.....	285 East Eighth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	100
John A. Powers.....	25 Fairview street.....	20	New fixtures.....	900
John Manning.....	145 High street.....	7	New fixtures.....	100
J. A. Finley.....	405 Washington street.....	25	New fixtures.....	150
Samuel Segel.....	20 Pleasant street.....	23	New fixtures.....	600
Abraham I. Weiss.....	16 Michigan avenue.....	19	New fixtures.....	600

MARCH 17.

John J. Vogel.....	47 Fremont street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$150
Morse Brothers.....	55 Elm street.....	5	New fixtures.....	300
James A. Cotter.....	20 Charles street.....	8	New fixtures.....	35,000

MARCH 18.

E. M. Duggan.....	41 Thorndike street.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$585
J. P. Perry & Co.....	294 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,400

MARCH 19.

E. M. Duggan.....	2 Wentworth place.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$325
M. Cohen.....	59 South Margin street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
Wolford H. Gray.....	73 Stockton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	975

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending March 15:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Jacob Cook heirs.....	714 River street.....	24	Stable.....	Unsafe.
Jasper Stone.....	116 West Fourth street, corner of 35 A street.....	9	Store and dwelling.....	Unsafe.
New York Building Wrecking Company.....	96 Warren street and 129-135 Main street.....	4	Stores and dwellings.....	New building.
A. Kasabian.....	69 Franklin street.....	26	Shed.....	New building.
City Building Wrecking Company.....	308-314 Broadway.....	5	Stable.....	Unsafe.

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being abolished. For these was substituted a single City Council of nine members to

be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, *i. e.*, whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, *i. e.*, establishing a single term of four years, but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (*i. e.*, the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor which licensees claimed the right to sell was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on June 7, 1920. The result of this decision was that former applicants for liquor

licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (*i. e.*, prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topoka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

SETTLEMENT OF BOSTON.

Boston was settled in the latter part of August, 1630, by Puritan colonists under Governor John Winthrop. The name of the original settlement was changed to Boston from Trimountaine by order of the Court of Assistants on September 7 (O. S.), 1630. This date was moved forward by the New Style calendar in 1752 to Sept. 17, the recognized date of the founding of Boston. The name, Trimountaine, had been given because of the three peaks of the most prominent hill, afterward called Beacon Hill, much higher then than now. By the Indians the place was called Shawmut. The name, Boston, was derived from the English town of Boston in Lincolnshire, the home of some of the leading colonists and promoters of the enterprise.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Mar. 3, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:45 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, The minutes of the meeting of Feb. 18, 1924, were amended to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Marguerite R. Riley as assistant (fifth year), Theodore Lyman District, shall read to take effect Mar. 31, 1924, instead of "Mar. 4, 1924."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

DEATH.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension: Sherwin District—Abby E. Ford, Feb. 21, 1924.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATION.

The following resignation, reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the date stated, was presented:

John Marshall District—Bertha A. Mee, assistant, Jan. 31, 1924.
Accepted.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Abraham Lincoln District—Charlotte L. Adams, Feb. 7, 1924 (one day); Emma S. Day, Feb. 8, 1924 (one-half day); Louise F. Fine, Feb. 11 to 15, 1924.

Bennett District—Selma E. Berthold, kindergarten, Feb. 27, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Marjorie Pratt, Feb. 7, 1924 (one day); Helen A. Wilson, Feb. 14, 1924 (one day); Francis M. McGettrick, Feb. 15, 1924 (one day).

Bowditch District—Mary L. Mahoney, Feb. 29, 1924.

Dudley District—Elizabeth Burns, Feb. 5 to 8, 1924; Sara K. Livingston, Feb. 11, 1924.

Edward Everett District—Mary A. Sheehan, Feb. 25, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Camilla D. Nicastro, Feb. 5 to 15, 1924.

Eliot District—Lawrence Siegel, Feb. 6, 1924 (one day).

Everett District—Constance Tenney, Feb. 12, 1924 (one-half day).

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Louise H. Duane, Feb. 11, 1924; Anna Whelton, Feb. 27, 1924.

Gilbert Stuart District—Elsie M. Smith, Feb. 4, 1924.

Harvard - Frothingham District—Daniel A. Lough, Feb. 11, 1924 (one day).

Hugh O'Brien District—John W. Ryan, Feb. 8 to 11, 1924 (two days).

Jefferson-Comins District—Blanche E. Lavalley, Feb. 4 to 5, 1924 (two days).

John Marshall District—G. Marion Frederick, Feb. 1, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Margaret Crotty, Feb. 25, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Anna F. Lane, Feb. 4 to 8, 1924; Mary I. McKay, Feb. 12, 1924 (one day); Francis J. Dillon, Feb. 25, 1924.

Martin District—Carolyn A. Shea, Feb. 25 to 26, 1924 (two days).

Mary Hemenway District—Lawrence Siegel, Feb. 12, 1924 (one day).

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Mary W. Nissen, Feb. 1, 1924 (one-half day); Edmund A. Higgins, Feb. 14 to 15, 1924 (two days); Edwin M. Shannon, Feb. 25 to 26, 1924 (two days).

Quincy District—Pearl A. Larson, kindergarten, Feb. 25, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Mary H. Lyons, Feb. 25, 1924.

Sherwin District—Orphise M. Coveney, special class, Feb. 25, 1924.

Shurtleff District—Marcella F. O'Neil, Feb. 5, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—John W. Ryan, Feb. 7, 1924 (one day).

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Grace A. Evans, Feb. 7, 1924 (one day).

Thomas Gardner District—Mary A. O'Toole, Feb. 7, 1924.

Ulysses S. Grant District—George D. Leavitt, Feb. 12, 1924 (one-half day); Florence B. Crowell, special class, Feb. 13 to 14, 1924 (two days); Francis Meade, Feb. 26, 1924 (one day).

Wells District—Olive C. Kelly, special class, Feb. 6, 1924 (one day).

Day School for Immigrants—Americo A. Brogi, Feb. 25, 1924; John J. Connor, Jr., Feb. 26, 1924; Grace L. White, Feb. 25, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Dorchester High School—Cyril D. Norton, junior master, Feb. 6, 1924; John J. May, junior master, Feb. 26, 1924.

East Boston High School—Katherine H. Faxon, assistant, Feb. 25, 1924.

English High School—John J. Connors, junior master, Feb. 25, 1924; Albert T. Lane, junior master, Feb. 29, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—George L. Chapman, junior master, Feb. 5, 1924.

Placed on file.

EMERGENCY ASSISTANTS, KINDERGARTEN.

Gertrude V. Crandall, Doris E. Dillingham, Frances Dvinsky, Margaret E. Fields, Helen M. Greene, Mildred L. Manning, Genevieve V. McCarrick, Mary I. McKenna, Frances A. McManus, Mar. 10, 1924.

Approved.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Hugh O'Brien District—Catherine M. Hanley, assistant, Mar. 18, 1924.

Laid over.

(Kindergarten, two sessions.)

Quincy District—Edith C. Johnson, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), from first assistant, kindergarten (one session) Mar. 4, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1923-24.

Brighton Evening Commercial High School—Helen F. Cummings, assistant, Feb. 25, 1924.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Helen F. Cummings, assistant, Feb. 12, 14, 1924 (two evenings).

Bigelow Evening School—Margaret L. Nolan, assistant, Feb. 14, 1924 (one evening).

Comins Evening School—Mary F. Finan, assistant, Feb. 26, 1924 (one evening); Pauline A. Prendergast, assistant, Feb. 7, 1924.

Dearborn Evening School—Rose Labadini, assistant, Feb. 7, 1924 (one evening).

Franklin Evening School—Louise K. Faul, assistant, Feb. 26, 1924, (one evening).

George Putnam Evening School—Mary E. O'Donnell, assistant, Mar. 3, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Margaret R. Kenneally, assistant, Feb. 11, 1924; Rose Labadini, assistant, Feb. 14, 1924, (one evening).

Theodore Lyman Evening School—Agnes G. Gunning, assistant, Feb. 26, 28, 1924, (two evenings).

Washington Evening School—Mary E. MacSwiney, assistant, Feb. 25, 1924, (one evening).

Boston Trade School, (Evening Classes)—Daniel J. Buckley, tool-keeper, Oct. 1, 1923.

Approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board and with the approval of the Civil Service Commission, he has appointed the following-named clerical assistant for the evening school term 1923-1924:

South Boston Evening Commercial High School—Helen E. Kent, Feb. 26, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved.

EXTENDED USE OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Term 1923-24

General Helper—Henry Molledo, March 3, 1924.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

William A. Colleran, Frances E. Connor, Albert T. Lane, Ethel B. Otto, Charles P. Poole, Ellen E. Shepherd, Loretta Sullivan, Jane Woods.

Approved.

TRANSFERS.

Dearborn Evening School—Phyllis C. Benaglia, assistant, to the same position in the Edward Everett Evening School, Feb. 28, 1924.

Washington Evening School—Julia F. Carney, assistant, to the same position in the Dearborn Evening School, Feb. 4, 1924 (one evening).

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Girls' Latin School—Frances Burnce, assistant, Feb. 25, 26, 1924, two days, without pay; Frances Burnce, assistant, Feb. 27, 1924, one day, funeral.

Dorchester High School—Fannie J. Yeaw, assistant, from Mar. 1 to 31, 1924.

Girls' High School—Herbert M. Thayer, junior master, from Mar. 1 to May 31, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—Anastasia B. Connor, assistant, Feb. 8, 1924, one day, without pay.

Abraham Lincoln District—Edith M. Holway, assistant, Feb. 11, 1924, one day, without pay.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Alice D. Burke, assistant, from Mar. 3 to May 29, 1924; Caroline E. Nutter, assistant, from Mar. 3 to May 29, 1924.

Chapman District—Irene K. M. Crowley, assistant, from Feb. 1 to 29, 1924.

Christopher Gibson District—Mabel A. Woodward, assistant, Feb. 27, 1924, one day, funeral.

Eliot District—Elizabeth M. McCrann, assistant, Feb. 25, 1924, one day, funeral.

Everett District—Florence A. Perry, assistant, from Feb. 29 to May 31, 1924.

Gaston District—Edith M. Allen, assistant, from Mar. 1 to May 29, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Margaret M. Briel, assistant, Feb. 13, 1924, one day, without pay.

Hugh O'Brien District—Josephine A. Power, assistant, Feb. 25, 1924, one day, funeral.

Mary Hemenway District—Bertha F. Cudworth, first assistant in charge, Feb. 4, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Prince District—Kate A. Raycroft, assistant, from Mar. 1 to May 31, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Louise L. Carr, assistant, Feb. 28, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Thomas N. Hart District—Emma J. Channell, assistant, from Jan. 1 to Mar. 31, 1924.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Sara E. Kirwen, assistant, Feb. 15, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Washington District—Gertrude O. Oppenheim, assistant, Feb. 26, 1924, one day, without pay; Gertrude O. Oppenheim, assistant, Feb. 27, 1924, one day, funeral.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Anna G. Flynn, teacher of cookery, from Mar. 1 to 5, 1924.

Department of Medical Inspection—Edith C. Baldwin, school nurse, Feb. 27, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Music—Cecelia M. Bainton, assistant, Mar. 7, 1924, one day, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following named teacher for the term specified:

John Marshall District—Bertha A. Mee, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1923 to Jan. 31, 1924, without pay.

ASSIGNMENT OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned the following-named teacher to a class attended exclusively by boys in a grade above the third in the district herein stated:

Dwight District—Blanche Young, assistant, Feb. 27, 1924.

Placed on file.

DESIGNATION OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, reporting the following designation of a teacher, to serve in the position indicated, until such time as it shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the date stated:

Theodore Lyman District—Ernest W. Anderson, sub-master, as acting master (vice Frederick J. Murphy, absent on leave), Feb. 6, 1924.

Placed on file.

CONTINUANCE OF HOSPITAL CLASS AT LONG ISLAND.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to continue the hospital class at Long Island on a two-session basis during the period June 23 to Aug. 8, 1924, said class to be attached to the Ulysses S. Grant Summer Review Elementary School.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Mary E. Hill as temporary teacher of the hospital class at Long Island during the period June 23 to Aug. 8, 1924 is hereby authorized, compensation to be at the rate of six dollars (\$6) for each day of actual service.

EMPLOYMENT OF SUBSTITUTE SECOND ASSISTANT, BOSTON TRADE SCHOOL, EVENING CLASSES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Peter Breingan as a substitute second assistant in the Boston Trade School, Evening Classes, is hereby authorized for one evening, Feb. 26, 1924, compensation for such service to be at the rate of three dollars (\$3).

SALARIES OF TEACHERS IN TWO-SESSION KINDERGARTENS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the following-named first assistants, kindergarten (two sessions), are hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1920) per annum, to take effect Feb. 4, 1924; and that they be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Feb. 4, 1925:

Bennett District, Bernice A. Hill.
Edward Everett District, Hattie Browne.

Harvard-Frothingham District, Hattie F. Mason.

Harvard-Frothingham District, Angeline K. Mudge.

John Marshall District, Helen G. Gormley.

Lowell District, R. Genevieve Mc-Morrow.

Prescott District, Christine G. Long.

Quincy District, Fannie B. Hayden.

Roger Wolcott District, Josephine L. Kelly.

Theodore Roosevelt District, Marjorie G. Short.

Ulysses S. Grant District, Ruth B. Todd.

Warren-Bunker Hill District, Alice C. Ringer.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the following-named first assistants, kindergarten (two sessions), are hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1920) per annum, to take effect Feb. 25, 1924; and that they be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Feb. 25, 1925:

Henry L. Pierce District, Gertrude F. Briggs.

Hyde District, Stella W. Seymour.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Edith C. Johnson, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Quincy District, is hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1920) per annum, to take effect Mar. 4, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Mar. 4, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the following-named assistants, kindergarten, (two sessions), are hereby placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Feb. 4, 1924; and that they be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,752) per annum, to take effect Feb. 4, 1925:

Dudley District—Helen C. MacLean.

John Marshall District—Ruth K. Fitzgerald.

Quincy District—Frances E. O'Neill.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Marie A. Robbins.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the following-named assistants, kindergarten (two sessions), are hereby placed upon the fifth year of the salary of the rank, namely, fifteen hundred sixty dollars (\$1,560) per annum, to take effect Feb. 4, 1924; that they be placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Oct. 5, 1924; and that they be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached:

Bennett District—Mildred E. Parsons.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Helen I. Thompson.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Helen R. Dempsey, assistant, kindergarten, (two sessions), John Winthrop District, is hereby placed upon the second year of the salary of the rank, namely, twelve hundred seventy-two dollars (\$1,272) per annum, to take effect Feb. 4, 1924; that she be placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, thirteen hundred sixty-

eight dollars (\$1,368) per annum, to take effect Oct. 30, 1924; and that she be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Louise J. Dole, assistant kindergarten, (two sessions), Julia Ward Howe District, is hereby placed upon the second year of the salary of the rank, namely, twelve hundred seventy-two dollars (\$1,272) per annum, to take effect Feb. 25, 1924; that she be placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, thirteen hundred sixty-eight dollars (\$1,368) per annum, to take effect Oct. 30, 1924; and that she be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Elizabeth M. Daley, assistant kindergarten, (two sessions), Quincy District, be paid at the rate of thirteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,320) per annum, to take effect Feb. 25, 1924; that she be paid at the rate of fourteen hundred sixteen dollars (\$1,416) per annum, to take effect Aug. 20, 1924; and that she be advanced by annual increments of ninety-six dollars (\$96) until the maximum of her rank is reached; provided, that the final increment shall be such amount as shall place her upon the maximum salary of the rank.

ESTABLISHMENT OF RANKS AND SALARIES OF TEACHERS IN SUMMER VACATION SCHOOL

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the ranks and salaries of teachers in the summer vacation school are hereby established for the term 1924 as follows:

Principal, per session.... \$6.00
Assistants, per session.... \$3.00

PRINTING OF REVISED EDITION OF GUIDE TO THE CHOICE OF A SECONDARY SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That "A Guide to the Choice of a Secondary School, Revised" is hereby authorized as a school document, and that twenty-five thousand (25,000) copies be printed for distribution.

EVACUATION DAY CELEBRATION.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the sessions of the day and evening schools in South Boston be suspended on Evacuation Day, Monday, Mar. 17, 1924, and that the Dorchester High School and the schools in the Edward Everett and William E. Russell Districts close at 12 o'clock noon on that day.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That weather permitting, the South Boston and Dorchester High School Battalions be permitted, if they so desire, to participate in the parade to be held in

South Boston in commemoration of Evacuation Day on Monday, Mar. 17, 1924.

Passed, Mr. Sullivan voting in the negative.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby requested to instruct the principals of schools and districts, except those in South Boston and Dorchester, the sessions of which have been suspended, to hold appropriate patriotic exercises during the afternoon of Monday, Mar. 17, 1924, in commemoration of Evacuation Day.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT, BUSINESS AGENT'S OFFICE.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board he has appointed Mary E. Ford assistant in his office, to take effect Mar. 4, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Mary E. Ford, assistant in the office of the Business Agent, is hereby established at twenty dollars (\$20) per week, effective Mar. 4, 1924.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR 1923-24.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Jan. 31, 1924, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, expenditures and balances for the financial year 1923-24, and the expenditures for the financial year 1922-23, with the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

DEATH OF A CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, reporting the death, on Feb. 28, 1924, of William F. Griffin, custodian who had been retired on pension.

Placed on file.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, recommending that the leave of absence granted Michael F. Colleary, custodian, Wendell Phillips School-house, be extended for a further period Feb. 25, to Mar. 27, 1924, inclusive, on one-half net compensation.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

APPOINTMENTS OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, reporting that he has considered the candidates certified by the Division of Civil Service as eligible to fill vacan-

cies in the custodianships of schoolhouses and recommending the following appointments, the candidates being those standing highest on the list who are willing to accept appointment, to take effect Mar. 2, 1924:

James S. Laughlin, Austin School-house.

Edward J. McDonald, Walnut Street School-house.

Joseph Doherty, William H. Kent School-house.

Gerard J. Harrington, Theodore Parker School-house.

Placed, on file and the appointments approved, to take effect on the date stated.

TRANSFERS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Noble School-house, Annex and Portable No. 81, and recommending that Christopher C. Callahan, custodian of the Miles Standish School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 29, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Christopher C. Callahan approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, recommending that William P. Flanagan, custodian of the Old Girls' High Colony, the only applicant in the service desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Horace Mann School-house, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 29, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of William P. Flanagan, approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Hull School-house, and recommending that Charles V. Gillis, custodian of the Dorchester Avenue School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 29, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Charles V. Gillis approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Choate Burnham School-house and Portable No. 101, and recommending that Martin B. Hayes, custodian of the Way Street School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 29, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Martin B. Hayes approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Harvard School-house, and recommending that Michael Keefe, custodian of the Samuel Dexter School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 29, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Michael Keefe approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Ulysses S. Grant School-house, and recommending that Thomas J. Kelley, custodian of the Emerson School-house and portables, be appointed to the position, to take effect Mar. 9, 1924.

Place on file, and the transfer of Thomas J. Kelley approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, recommending that John E. Murphy, custodian of the Austin School-house, the only applicant in the service desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Parkman School-house, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 29, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of John E. Murphy approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Margaret Fuller School-house, and recommending that Thomas Robinette, custodian of the Theodore Parker School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 29, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Thomas Robinette approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Rice School-house, and recommending that John J. Sheehan, custodian of the Paul Jones School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Feb. 29, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of John J. Sheehan approved, to take effect on the date stated.

CHARGES PREFERRED AGAINST A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 3, 1924, reporting a custodian for general neglect of duty and requesting that the matter be referred to the Trial Board.

Referred to the Trial Board for investigation and report.

PETITION FOR INCREASE IN SALARY.

A petition was received from the women teachers in the Continuation School, requesting a readjustment of salary and a reorganization of the ranks within their division.

Referred to the Board of Apportionment.

APPRECIATION OF BOSTON LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS FOR VOTES IN FAVOR OF APPOINTMENT OF WOMEN ATTENDANCE OFFICERS.

A communication was received from the Boston League of Women Voters, under date of Mar. 3, 1924,

reporting that at a meeting of the Executive Board of the League it was voted to send a note of thanks to Miss Curtis and Dr. Scannell for voting in favor of appointing women as school attendance officers.

Placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The order laid over at the meeting of Feb. 25, 1924, amending section 99, paragraph 1 of the rules, relative to the date upon which estimates for the budget are based, was taken up and placed on file.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

Mar. 27. Browning and Ruskin; Prophets of the Twentieth Century. Agnes Knox Black (Mrs. E. Charlton Black).

Apr. 3. Gothic Grandeur; how Rheims Cathedral was built. Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J.

Apr. 10. The Revelation of Spain. Ralph Adams Cram, Litt.D., LL.D.

Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

Mar. 23. Fundamentals in the Theatre, Old and New. F. W. C. Hersey, A.M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. (Drama League Course.)

Mar. 30. The Bible in Stained Glass. Joseph G. Reynolds, Jr. With lantern illustrations.

Apr. 6. Recreational Opportunities of Boston. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Mrs. Eva W. White, General Director, Community Service of Boston. Boston Conservation Bureau.*

Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations

* The program arranged by the Conservation Bureau of the City of Boston will consist of motion pictures, silent informational screen talks, singing by the audience, and a brief address.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

MACHINIST WITH KNOWLEDGE OF ELECTRICAL MACHINERY AND RADIO, FIRE ALARM BRANCH, FIRE DEPARTMENT, MARCH 27, 1924.

The salary is \$5.50 per day for six days a week.

Applicants should be thorough mechanics with general experience in the machinist trade, should have had experience in making and repairing electrical instruments and radio apparatus, and should be able to transmit and receive at least twelve words a minute in the Morse or continental code.

FERRY SERVICE, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

In this transportation service, operated by the City during the past 64 years, are seven steam ferryboats plying between Boston Proper and East Boston. The two latest built boats are each 174 feet in length and of the propeller type with gross tonnage of 727, accommodating 30 vehicles and seating about 200 passengers. Since 1900 the maximum yearly revenue from tolls was \$176,276 in 1903. The opening of the East Boston Tunnel reduced the revenue to \$107,074 in 1905. In 1922 the total was \$100,773 or about one fifth the cost of maintenance. Cost of new boats and repairs in 1920, 1921 and 1922 amounted to \$931,959. Total passengers carried by North and South Ferries in 1922, 3,777,823 or a daily average of 10,350; total vehicles, 1,269,607, or daily average of 3,478.

Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A Program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

Mar. 24. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry Austin Higgins, Secretary, Massachusetts Prison Association.

Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.

Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)

May 12. Annual Meeting.

THE NEW ENGLAND POETRY CLUB.

The following free talk in the Lecture Hall on the second Wednesday of the month at 4.30 o'clock, with illustrative readings, is announced:

Some Influences in Modern American Poetry.

Apr. 9. Robert Frost. Norreys Jephson O'Connor, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Mt. Holyoke College.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 2; practical questions on electrical instruments and radio construction and repair, 2; practical test in telegraph sending and receiving, 1; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

STATIONARY ENGINEERS, STATIONARY FIREMEN, MARINE ENGINEERS, MARINE FIREMEN AND OILERS, APRIL 1, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service.

The examination for each kind of position will include a statement of training and experience, a physical examination, and the possession of a license, either (a) as first, second, or third class stationary engineer; (b) as first or second class stationary firemen; (c) as chief, first assistant or second assistant marine engineer. Oilers and marine firemen are not required to have a license.

The date given above is not the actual examination date, but the date on which, as nearly as possible, applicants who have filed applications will be given a physical examination.

FIRE SERVICE, CITIES AND TOWNS OUTSIDE OF BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, APRIL 12, 1924.—BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, APRIL 26, 1924.

Applicants for the service of Boston must be not less than twenty-two nor over thirty years of age at the time of filing their applications. Applicants for the service of all other cities and towns in the metropolitan district must be not less than twenty-one nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing their applications. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Applicants for the service of cities and towns outside of the metropolitan district are required to be not less than twenty-one nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing their applications. Applicants for Worcester fire service are required to be not less than five feet five inches in height.

Callmen and substitute callmen may make such deductions from their ages as are provided for in Civil Service Rule 8, Classes 20 and 21.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; practical questions on fire apparatus, etc., 4; total, 10. Applicants will be required to ob-

tain at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be required to pass a physical examination and strength tests. Educational qualifications, 2; physical qualifications, 3; total, 5.

The questions on duties will be based upon information contained in a manual known as the "Red Book." This manual may be obtained from the Secretary of State, Room 118, State House, at ten cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Persons who possess the requisite qualifications as to age may have their names placed on any three eligible lists in addition to the original list for which they apply. Preference in certification will be given to applicants who, at the time of certification, have been domiciled for six months in the city or town from which requisition is received.

CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

STREET LIGHTING CONTRACTS.

CITY OF BOSTON,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
March 21, 1924.

The City Council of the City of Boston will give a public hearing in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday, April 1, 1924, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., on the proposed contracts with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for furnishing gas for street lighting and for the equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the City of Boston, excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park, for a period of ten years.

By order of the City Council.

(March 22-29.) JAMES DONOVAN,
City Clerk.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS FOR SHEPARD BROOK, EASTERLY BRANCH IN EVERETT STREET, PRIVATE LAND AND HICHBORN STREET, BETWEEN EVERETT STREET AND ARTHUR STREET, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works for Shepard Brook, easterly branch in Everett street, private land and Highborn street, between Everett street and Arthur street, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eighteen thousand (\$18,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works for Shepard Brook," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, April 15, 1924, with a certified check for two thousand (\$2,000), dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 20, 1924. (March 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN NOTTINGHILL (FORMERLY NOTTINGHAM) ROAD, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Nottinghill (formerly Nottingham) road, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Nottinghill Road," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, April 10, 1924, with a certified check for one thousand (\$1,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 20, 1924. (March 22.)

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEAT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments during April, 1924, as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 noon, Monday, March 31, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 22.) Superintendent of Supplies.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DRY GOODS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Boston City Hospital dry goods as per proposals. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Friday, March 28, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 22.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING HAY, GRAIN AND STRAW.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Monday, March 31, 1924, when they will be publicly opened and read for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during the month of April, 1924. The bidder must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on United States No. 2 and No. 3 timothy hay, United States No. 2 and No. 3 light grass mixed, and United States No. 2 and No. 3 light clover mixed, the straw to be rye straw in good condition. The grade of hay must comply with the federal hay grades and straw must comply with the National Hay Association and shall be weighed and inspected by the federal hay inspector. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, clipped to test 36 to 38 pounds, graded under the federal standards. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. No reservations or stipulations submitted by the various bidders will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 22.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING HIGH PRESSURE FIRE PIPES IN HAWKINS STREET, FROM SUDBURY STREET TO CHARDON STREET; BOWKER STREET, FROM SUDBURY STREET TO CHARDON STREET; CHARDON STREET, FROM GREEN STREET TO PORTLAND STREET; KNEELAND STREET, FROM TYLER STREET TO ATLANTIC AVENUE; ATLANTIC AVENUE, FROM KNEELAND STREET TO ESSEX STREET; SOUTH STREET, FROM KNEELAND STREET TO BEACH STREET; CHATHAM STREET, FROM MERCHANTS ROW TO COMMERCIAL STREET; COMMERCE STREET, FROM COMMERCIAL STREET TO ATLANTIC AVENUE; MILK STREET, FROM ARCH STREET TO WASHINGTON STREET; WASHINGTON STREET, FROM BROMFIELD STREET TO MILK STREET; KILBY STREET, FROM MILK STREET TO STATE STREET; DOANE STREET, FROM KILBY STREET TO BROAD STREET; BROAD STREET, FROM DOANE STREET TO STATE STREET; STATE STREET, FROM BROAD STREET TO COMMERCIAL STREET; HANOVER STREET, FROM SALEM STREET TO WASHINGTON STREET; HANOVER STREET, FROM PORTLAND STREET TO SCOLLAY SQUARE; INDIA STREET, FROM INDIA SQUARE TO CUSTOMHOUSE STREET, NORTH STREET, FROM MERCHANTS ROW TO UNION STREET; UNION STREET, FROM NORTH STREET TO HANOVER STREET; UNION STREET, FROM HANOVER STREET TO HAYMARKET SQUARE; SUDBURY STREET, FROM FRIEND STREET TO HAYMARKET SQUARE; CUSTOMHOUSE STREET, FROM INDIA STREET TO BROAD STREET; KINGSTON STREET, FROM ESSEX STREET TO BEACH STREET; FLEET STREET, FROM COMMERCIAL STREET TO HANOVER STREET, CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for laying high pressure fire pipes in Hawkins street, from Sudbury street to Chardon street; Bowker street, from Sudbury street to Chardon street; Chardon street, from Green street to Portland street; Kneeland street, from Tyler street to Atlantic avenue; Atlantic avenue, from Kneeland street to Essex street; South street, from Kneeland street to Beach street; Chatham street, from Merchants row to Commercial street; Commerce street, from Commercial street to Atlantic avenue; Milk street, from Arch street to Washington street; Washington street, from Bromfield street to Milk street; Kilby street, from Milk street to State street; Doane street, from Kilby street to Broad street; Broad street, from Doane street to State street; State street, from Broad street to Commercial street; Hanover street, from Salem street to Washington street; Hanover street, from Portland street to Scollay square; India street, from India square to Customhouse street; North street, from Merchants row to Union street; Union street, from North street to Hanover street; Union street, from Hanover street to Haymarket square; Sudbury street, from Friend street to Haymarket square; Customhouse street, from India street to Broad street; Kingston street, from Essex street to Beach street; Fleet street, from Commercial street to Hanover street, city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one hundred ten thousand (\$110,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying High Pressure Fire Pipes, Hawkins Street, etc." and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., on Thursday, March 27, 1924, with a certified check for fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 13, 1924. (March 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN DORCHESTER BROOK SEWER, EAST FORK, IN HUMPHREYS STREET, FROM HOLDEN STREET TO DUDLEY STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Dorchester brook sewer, east fork, in Humphreys street, from Holden street to Dudley street, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works, Dorchester Brook Sewer," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, April 11, 1924, with a certified check for three thousand (\$3,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposal will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 13, 1924. (March 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR RECUT GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN RUGGLES STREET, FROM TREMONT STREET TO PARKER STREET; WHITTIER STREET, FROM COLUMBUS AVENUE TO RUGGLES STREET, ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for recut granite block pavement in Ruggles street, from Tremont street to Parker street; Whittier street, from Columbus avenue to Ruggles street, Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eighteen thousand (\$18,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Recut Granite Block Pavement, Ruggles Street, etc." and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, April 1, 1924, with a certified check for two thousand (\$2,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 20, 1924. (March 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COLD TAR PATCHING MATERIAL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the various departments of the city for the ensuing year:

Approximately 500 tons tar for cold patching.

All to be delivered as required. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and leave his proposal with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above mentioned office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. Bids will be publicly opened and read at Room 801, City Hall Annex, on Tuesday, April 1, 1924, at 12 noon. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 22.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FOUR NEW FORD TRUCKS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Water Service, Public Works Department, 710 Albany street,

Four new Ford one-ton truck chassis.
Three old Ford cars to be offered in exchange.

The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$200, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies before Monday, March 31, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 22.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO ELECTRICAL SUPPLY CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering battery material and other electrical supplies for departmental use, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, April 4, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
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CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(March 22.) Commissioners.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 25 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, i. e., adjacent to Boston, are these, viz., Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and 45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has 44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water District, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, viz.,

the Fire Prevention District, was organized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston," but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates, the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or \$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921, and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$846,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products; (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

On February 1, 1923, total number of volumes 1,284,094, or 958,931 in Central Library and 325,163 in 17 branches and 14 reading-rooms, a net increase of 25,883 volumes since the previous year. Statistical Department, about 24,000 volumes; Patent Department, 16,293 volumes. Special Collections (rare) about 65,000 volumes. The Fine Arts Department has a collection of 66,671 photographs of works of art and 9,736 lantern slides. It circulates yearly over 22,000 volumes and 2,000 portfolios of pictures. Reading-rooms (i. e., minor branches), 14, besides those in the 18 libraries, and each of them is also a delivery station. Periodicals and newspapers in various reading-rooms, 3,059. Number of books circulated in 1922, 2,768,984, of which 44 per cent were for children. Number of borrowers' cards in use, 114,340.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$723,197 or \$11,695 less than in 1921. Expenditure for Central Library extension, \$328,140; for new West Roxbury Branch building, \$64,902, and site, \$6,500. Valuation of library property, \$7,000,000 approximately. Central Library building on Copley square costing \$2,756,384, opened on March 11, 1895.

STATE OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES.

Total number (receiving pay) on Nov. 30, 1921, 11,269 or 676 more than in 1920 and 2,301 more than in 1918. Total amount of salaries paid in year to Nov. 30, 1921, \$15,223,171 or \$1,794,700 more than in 1920 and \$5,250,683 more than in 1918, an increase of 52.65 per cent from 1918 to 1921. Dept. of Mental Diseases, maintaining 14 hospitals, etc., has largest number (3,563); (2) Dept. of Education, maintaining 15 "normal" schools, etc. (1,330); (3) Metropolitan District Commission (1,183); (4) Dept. of Public Welfare (980); (5) Dept. of Public Works (771); (6) Dept. of Public Health (689); (7) Dept. of Correction (514); (8) Dept. of Corporations and Taxation (332); (9) Dept. of Banking and Insurance (204); (10) Dept. of Conservation (182); (11) Dept. of Public Safety (174); (12) Dept. of Labor and Industries (162); total in said 12 departments, 10,084; all others, 1,185.

CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES.

Total number (receiving pay) on June 1, 1921, 16,256 (about 5,300 being women), or 482 more than in 1920, of which increase 63.5 per cent was in two departments not under control of Mayor, viz., Police Dept. and School Committee. Largest number in School Dept. (4,805); (2) Public Works Dept. (3,189); (3) Police Dept. (2,036); (4) Fire Dept. (1,373); (5) Hospital Dept. (875); (6) Park Dept. (844); (7) County of Suffolk (763); (8) Library Dept. (599); (9) Boston Sanatorium (242); (10) Institutions Dept. (240); 29 other departments (1,290). Notable changes since 1920:—Increase of 190 in Dept. of School Committee; 116 in Police Dept.; 12 in Public Works Dept.; 77 in Hospital Dept.; 22 in Boston Sanatorium; 37 in Library Dept.; 6 in Transit Dept.; 8 in Election Dept.; 15 in Institutions Dept.; 14 in Overseeing of Public Welfare Dept. Decrease of 16 in Assessing Dept.; 7 in Printing Dept.; 7 in Street Laying-Out Dept. Total increase 1920 to 1921, 525; total decrease, 43. Total net increase in 5 years, 1916-1921, 1,312, of which 396 were in departments under Mayor's control and 916 in departments of School Committee and Police.

Total pay-roll disbursements in fiscal year 1921-22, \$27,361,735 or 75.84 per cent of gross expenditures for maintenance of departments (after deducting pay-roll items of loan appropriations). Per cent of salaries and pensions to total maintenance cost in Police Dept. in 1921 was 87.42; Fire Dept., 82.72; Park Dept., 72.12; Dept. of School Committee, 88.30; Public Works Dept., 55.67; Hospital Dept., 48.10; Institutions Dept., 50.03. In addition to those mentioned above there were 76 officials who served on various municipal boards and commissions without pay.

Total paid for pensions to retired employees, etc., in year 1921-22, was \$743,323 (\$44,760 more than in 1920-21) or \$234,636 by Fire Dept.; \$195,740 by Police Dept.; \$142,040 by School Committee; \$111,679 by Public Works Dept.; \$31,297 by Suffolk County; \$27,931 by other departments. Total number of pensioners, Sept. 1, 1922, 1,305, divided as follows: Teachers, 353; firemen, 314; police, 261; laborers, 236; war veterans, 98; county officers, 43. Of the laborers 198 were from the Public Works Dept. and 38 from the Park and several other departments.

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NEW SNOW LOADER ENABLED CITY TO HANDLE SNOWSTORM SUCCESSFULLY.

WISDOM AND FORESIGHT OF MAYOR AND PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT IN PURCHASE OF NEW STYLE MACHINE PROVED ITSELF TO SATISFACTION OF CITIZENS IN LAST HEAVY DOWNFALL.



[Photo by Harry Kelly, Roxbury.]

NEW SNOW LOADER IN ACTION REMOVING SNOW FROM STREETS, FILLING TRUCKS IN LESS THAN TWO MINUTES EACH.

For the successful and speedy removal of the snow during the last storm, the celerity of which prompted many citizens to write the Mayor complimenting the Public Works Department for its handling of the storm, the city has to thank and praise the wisdom of the department in purchasing a new snow loader. Without this snow loader the city would have been snow-bound and inconvenienced much more than it was.

This snow loader, which cost \$7,500, is an improvement over the fore-and-aft

loader, which called for the backing of trucks beneath the delivery end of the conveyor. This improvement comprises a trailer carrying a separate conveyor capable of being located in any direction within 180 degrees, and permits the loading of trucks while being routed in a direction parallel to the main loader, thereby increasing the speed of loading. Under ordinary conditions trucks can be loaded within two minutes, saving the laborious effort of many men shoveling snow into high trucks.

BUYS SHAWMUT BRANCH FOR CITY.

The Mayor on March 25 signed a certificate assenting to the purchase of the Shawmut Branch of the New Haven Railroad at a cost of \$950,000. The action taken is one of the final steps in the program for rapid transit in the Dorchester section of Boston.

CHANGES AT SCOLLAY SQUARE.

At a conference held at the office of the Mayor March 25, at which were present his Honor the Mayor, the chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Boston Elevated and General Counsel Barnum, the Transit Commissioners and Street Commissioners and Corporation Counsel, relative to the alterations in the structure of the Elevated in Scol-

lay square used as an entrance and exit for the East Boston and Tremont Street Tunnels, the trustees agreed that if the cost of making alterations did not exceed \$125,000 that the Boston Elevated Railway Company would pay interest charges on one half of that amount, provided the directors of the company consented.

The alterations proposed will give much more room for the vehicular traffic in Scollay square as the larger structure when altered will be much smaller than at present; the escalator will be changed and the structure in Scollay square, near Brattle street, will be removed and the passengers will be taken up by the new escalator in the structure now facing Court street. This change will make a decided improvement in Scollay square.

It will be necessary to have enacted additional legislation and it is proposed to amend the act now pending in the Legislature relative to the Cambridge and Court streets widening so as to enable the city to finance any action with the assistance of the Boston Elevated in making these changes.

The Mayor also received a letter from the City Planning Board indorsing the plans as drawn by the Street Commission and Transit Commission in the carrying out of this project.

NOTED SONG BIRD THANKS MAYOR FOR CITY'S COURTESIES.

Mayor Curley was very gratified March 24 to receive from Mme. Ernestine Schumann-Heink a letter of appreciation of courtesies extended her during her recent visit in Boston when she was the honored guest of the city. The distinguished lyric contralto advises Mayor Curley as follows, from the Hotel Statler, Cleveland, Ohio:

DEAR SIR,—With my heart full of deepest gratitude, respect, love for you and the City of Boston, Mass., I do wish I could find the real proper words, in good English, to say how I feel, how I gave anything in the world to prove to America how devoted I am to the country, the nation, since I came over the first time.

I serve the U. S. A. boys in my modest way—I sing, visit the hospitals, cheer the sick, oh, often so lonely boys, but that's so little, even giving concerts for the Legion or Veterans of the World War is a small thing I do, to show my devotion; maybe some day I can bring or make a real great sacrifice worth while.

Any time you need or want me to do the real thing for U. S. A. people, call me.

Your devoted servant,

"MOTHER"

ERNESTINE SCHUMANN-HEINK.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Meeting of the City Council, Monday, March 31, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquee, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

ANTICIPATES GASOLENE PRICE RISE.

The Mayor has approved the purchase by the Supply Department of gasoline in anticipation of increased price as follows:

BOSTON, February 8, 1924.

BAY STATE PETROLEUM, INC., 360 Portland Street, Cambridge, Mass.:

GENTLEMEN,—In accordance with the terms of the contract made between the City of Boston and your company, dated December 11, 1923, the City of Boston with the approval of his Honor the Mayor, does hereby exercise its option to purchase so much of the gasoline not delivered prior to January 31, 1924, under said contract, and you will please continue to deliver, as required, the balance of said gasoline as may be ordered from time to time by the City of Boston, acting by and through this department under this contract.

Yours truly,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

BOSTON, February 8, 1924.

FEDERAL OIL COMPANY, 960 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston, Mass.:

GENTLEMEN,—In accordance with the terms of the contract made between the City of Boston and your company, dated December 11, 1923, the City of Boston with the approval of his Honor the Mayor, does hereby exercise its option to purchase so much of the gasoline not delivered prior to January 31, 1924, under said contract, and you will please continue to deliver, as required, the balance of said gasoline as may be ordered from time by the City of Boston, acting by and through this department under this contract.

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Superintendent of Supplies.

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO ENLARGE WILLIAM EUSTIS PLAYGROUND.

The city will enlarge the William Eustis Playground, Roxbury, by buying two adjoining pieces of land, aggregating 96,065 square feet, both part of what was known as the old Weld estate.

They are owned by Richard F. Andrews of Roxbury, real estate dealer, former member of the Governor's Council and a member of the Street Commission in the Peters administration.

Mr. Andrews acquired title to the two parcels several months ago. One of them, containing 62,568 square feet and assessed at \$18,800, was owned by Charles Gaston Smith and William A. Gaston, trustees; and the other, containing 33,497 square feet and assessed at \$13,400, was owned by Lucius A. Brown. The city will pay about \$40,000 for the two lots. Playground improvements will be made with the residue of the \$100,000 loan for the project which the City Council has given its first reading.

The additions will make this playground, which is in the center of a thickly settled district, one of the largest in the city, with a total acreage of 322,839 feet. The city owns another 14,655-foot strip adjoining the pieces already mentioned.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners, that in the matter of George H. Pettee, petitioner for damages caused his property on account of the laying out of Kilmarnock street, under the order of the Board of September 15, 1920, after consultation with the Law Department, and on its advice, the Board assesses the petitioner's damages in the sum of \$1,800 flat; and consents that the Corporation Counsel agree to judgment in said case on the terms herein stated.

MAYOR PROTESTS TO LEGISLATURE AGAINST UNJUST AND FALSE CLAIMS OF FINANCE COMMISSION.

PRESENTS FACTS TO SOLONS ON BEACON HILL IN REFUTATION OF ASSERTIONS MADE TO SUPPORT CONTENTIONS FOR A \$11.25 TAX LIMIT.—\$12.75 LIMIT WILL HARDLY SUFFICE.

BOSTON, March 24, 1924.

To the General Court of Massachusetts:

On February 4 of this year the responsible officials of the city presented to the Committee on Municipal Finance arguments in favor of their petition that the tax limit of Boston for the fiscal year 1924-25 be fixed at \$13.25 on each one thousand dollars of valuation. Subsequent hearings on this petition were held on the fourth and eleventh days of the present month.

The committee on the 17th instant, after six weeks of study and investigation, reported a bill to the Legislature setting the tax limit at \$12.75 per thousand. This figure while not wholly satisfactory to the officials of the city was nevertheless accepted with good grace since it represented the judgment of a disinterested and impartial tribunal. It is evident, however, that the second party in the controversy, namely the Finance Commission, has not accepted the decision of the committee with good grace.

A communication dated three days subsequent to the report of the committee and addressed to the entire membership of the Legislature reiterates the faulty and unsound arguments presented to the committee by the chairman of the commission, and evades any charge of "lese majesty" by refraining from making any direct comment on the action of the committee.

In this communication the Finance Commission once more concludes that "the needs of the city will be amply provided for . . . if the tax limit this year is fixed at \$11.25." As in the original brief of the commission, submitted to the Committee on Municipal Finance, this conclusion is based first, on an overestimation of income and cash in the treasury totaling \$639,532.33, and second, on the false premise that allowances for a new year should be directly limited by the expenditures of the previous year. It is my sincere belief that the limit as determined by the Committee on Municipal Finance will be approved by both branches of the General Court, but perchance any doubt or misunderstanding may exist in the mind of any individual member the following facts are briefly reviewed and presented.

1. *For the first time since the adoption of the segregated budget in Boston the Finance Commission has deliberately ignored the estimate sheets prepared expressly for their use by the different departments.* This is in accordance with the theory of the chairman of the commission that allowances for a new year should be based directly on expenditures of the old year. Contrast this theory with the following statement made by Mr. Arthur A. Buck, an expert with a national reputation on the subject of budgets. On page 3 of his book "Budget Making" Mr. Buck writes: "Effective budget-making procedure constitutes a complete cycle of operations. The re-

cording of information may be taken as the beginning of the cycle. Next comes the preparation of estimates, then the examination and careful weighing of these estimates, and then the formulation, review and adoption of the financial plan for the future period." The first two steps as described by Mr. Buck are naturally to be taken by the department heads, the third step represents the starting point in the work of those to whom is entrusted the review and formulation of the completed program. In the past years this principle has been recognized by the Finance Commission and use has been made of the estimate sheets prepared expressly for this purpose. Failure of the commission to examine the estimates this year is reflected in the statement on page 4 of their latest brief that "only two items must be provided for this year in addition to last year's expenditure, namely the maintenance of the Fire Department, because of the 'two platoon system,' and the automatic increases."

An examination of the estimates reveals the following items which should be provided for "in addition to last year's expenditure."

a. Payroll increases:	
50 cents per diem increase to 4,000 laborers and mechanics now being paid \$4 and \$5 respectively	\$520,000
\$100 increase, as of August 1, to 3,000 patrolmen and firemen	150,000
\$100 increase to 800 patrolmen and firemen now below maximum of \$1,800	50,000
\$100 increase to 2,200 employees on recognized sliding scales or receiving less than \$1,800 per annum	176,000
Overlay from 1923-24 (last year's increases effective for only ten months, whereas this year are effective for twelve full months)	120,000
Additional day's pay made necessary because this year is a leap year	40,000
128 new employees necessary because of opening of new Out-Patient Department at City Hospital	105,000
b. Cost of two-platoon system (uniforms and men)	350,000
c. Furnishing and equipping new Out-Patient Department	70,000
d. Reconstruction and fireproofing of police and fire stations	100,000
e. Increased street lighting costs	60,000
f. Increased election costs (three additional functions)	90,000
g. Increase in collection costs for removal of ashes and garbage	50,000
h. Laying out of new grave sections in cemeteries	50,000
i. Increased demands for granolithic sidewalks	50,000
j. New books and pneumatic tubes at library	50,000
Total	\$2,031,000

Compare this total with the amount (\$500,000) estimated by the Finance Commission as sufficient to take care of the excess requirements for 1924-25 and it must be readily apparent that without a consideration of departmental estimates it is impossible to arrive at any

sound conclusion on the matter of a tax limit.

2. *Municipal finance is a branch of accountancy entirely removed from commercial and industrial finance.* Because an examiner possesses an extensive knowledge of the latter does not necessarily imply that the same individual is capable without any further study or instruction of delving into the accounts of a municipality and independently interpreting correctly the facts and figures which he may find there.

Municipal financial procedure is based largely upon statutory law and ordinance, matters which cannot be assimilated in a day, a week or a month. Much stress is made in the brief of the Finance Commission that their findings as to estimated income and cash in the treasury are based on an examination made by a certified public accountant.

The financial officers of the city have not been given the opportunity of examining the report of the accountant, hence no comment can be made upon his work aside from saying that if his findings indicate that there was available in the treasury for appropriation purposes on February 1, 1924, cash items totaling \$1,287,674.67, these findings are in excess of actual conditions by \$289,532.33. This is a matter of fact and record and not of fancy and feeling, as can be readily determined by an examination of the records of the City Auditor's office.

The chairman of the Finance Commission may feel that the City Auditor has underestimated income for the current year by \$250,000, but simply because he as an individual feels this way is not sufficient reason for changing an estimate which is based upon knowledge acquired through years of training and experience. All of these matters were discussed thoroughly before the Committee on Municipal Finance, and the fact that this committee deemed it advisable to report a limit of \$12.75 is conclusive evidence that the members of the committee favored the sound and practical arguments of the financial officers of the city as opposed to the theories and fancies of the chairman of the Finance Commission.

It is unfortunate that so much time and energy on the part of the financial officials of the city must be consumed in correcting the misapprehensions and misconceptions which the chairman of the Finance Commission deliberately endeavors to leave in the minds of the members of the Legislature concerning the financial policies and standing of the capital city of the Commonwealth. The financial officers of the city are ready and willing at all times to aid and assist the chairman of the commission in solving the intricacies of municipal finance, but as long as the chairman chooses to hold himself aloof from contact with these men then so long will it be necessary on the part of the city to engage in unnecessary and apparently endless controversies.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

CHARLES J. FOX,
Budget Commissioner.

FINANCE COMMISSION PROTESTS.

The Boston Finance Commission addressed a communication to each member of the Legislature in protest against

the action of the Municipal Finance Committee in recommending that the city's tax limit for 1924 be fixed at \$12.75 on each \$1,000 valuation, and renews its plea for a limit of \$11.25.

The report declares that ten city departments last year exceeded their appropriations, the excess totaling \$445,415.60. It believes all these departments should be compelled to live within the 1923 appropriation for the coming year. It also disputes financial statements made by the City Auditor, asserting that the available cash for appropriation has been underestimated by \$289,532 and the income from sources other than taxation has been underestimated \$350,000.

The commission claims that last year the city departments spent \$25,307,978, but that had they lived within their appropriations the total expenditures would have been only \$24,862,562. Taking this figure as a basis for 1924 appropriations, it says available cash and income from sources other than revenue will total \$6,787,674, thus necessitating the raising of only \$18,576,000 by taxation, which can be obtained on a tax limit of \$11.25. The \$12.75 limit would bring in \$21,052,805.

WOULD REMOVE DANIEL WEBSTER PAINTING IN FANEUIL HALL TO BETTER LOCATION.

Mayor Curley received the following letter from Mr. Ralph Adams Cram:

DEAR MR. MAYOR,—I am prompted to submit to your honor another proposition connected with the rehabilitation of Faneuil Hall. You are familiar with the enormous picture which now practically fills the whole end of the hall over the rostrum. This is not much of a picture anyway. It is so big that it is quite out of scale with the room and it hides a very excellent piece of architectural design. Personally I think nothing would be lost through the removal of this picture to some other place at present undesignated, and I beg to suggest that you obtain from the Municipal Art Commission an opinion as to whether it might not be a good idea to dispense with the huge canvas altogether, and so leave the hall more nearly in its original estate.

Apparently we are going to get a rather fine result in this restoration of Faneuil Hall and I believe that public opinion would support such action toward the elimination of the Daniel Webster picture as I have indicated.

Sincerely yours,

RALPH ADAMS CRAM.

The Mayor sent the following letter to the Art Commission:

MR. THOMAS ALLEN, *Chairman, Art Commission*:

DEAR SIR,—I beg to forward herewith communication received this day from Ralph Adams Cram of the firm of Cram & Ferguson, architects, at present engaged in the restoration to colonial lines of Faneuil Hall. I would greatly appreciate an opinion by the Boston Art Commission as to the wisdom of complying with the recommendation made by Mr. Cram.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 20 TO MARCH 26.

MARCH 20.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
James H. Boyd.....	862 Washington street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$1,200
A. Gordon & Co.....	27 Spring street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
John F. Scannell.....	46 South Russell street.....	8	New fixtures.....	250
D. B. Marston.....	77 Revere street.....	8	New fixtures.....	95
J. W. Foster.....	99 Nottinghill road.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
Vincent B. Buckley.....	44 Monument street.....	4	New fixtures.....	500
Abraham Kellern.....	11 Lark street.....	11	New fixtures.....	500
Abraham Kellern.....	13 Lark street.....	11	New fixtures.....	500
S. Gould.....	7 Greendale road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,050
John W. Anderson.....	37 Cross street.....	5	New fixtures.....	90
Edward W. Carpenter.....	66 Clifton street.....	12	New fixtures.....	1,800
M. Pann.....	1160 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	50
J. O'Connell.....	550 Western avenue.....	26	New fixtures.....	100
A. I. Weiss.....	44 Codman park.....	15	New fixtures.....	150
Frank E. Carlson.....	134 Halleck street.....	14	New fixtures.....	800
Louis H. Jacobs.....	87 Wyman street.....	15	New fixtures.....	435
M. J. Conley.....	50 John Elliot square.....	13	New fixtures.....	150
Samuel Barron.....	341 Blue Hill avenue.....	16	New fixtures.....	300
H. S. Trethewey.....	16 Burwell road.....	23	New fixtures.....	800
O. J. Morlock.....	18 Kittredge street.....	23	New fixtures.....	275

MARCH 21.

M. W. Palmer.....	132 Arlington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$800
M. W. Palmer.....	136 Arlington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
M. W. Palmer.....	158 Arlington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
M. W. Palmer.....	162 Arlington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
James Coutts.....	5 Forbes street.....	15	New fixtures.....	112
H. S. Trethewey.....	185 Wachusett street.....	22	New fixtures.....	750
P. F. Russo.....	82 Providence street.....	24	New fixtures.....	200
Walter P. Wilson Company.....	48 Henley street.....	4	New fixtures.....	350

MARCH 22.

A. I. Russell.....	41 Murdock street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$600
Vincent B. Bolger.....	3080 Washington street.....	15	New fixtures.....	100
Abraham M. Smith.....	130 Southampton street.....	9	New fixtures.....	225
Wilford H. Gray.....	137 Milton street.....	20	New fixtures.....	975
J. P. Shaughnessy.....	544 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	500
Robert A. LeCentra.....	15 Duke street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
Harry D. Pollard.....	1856 Dorchester avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	25
William J. Adams.....	818 Dorchester avenue.....	11	New fixtures.....	160
J. P. Perry Company.....	289 Congress street.....	5	New fixtures.....	350
D. J. Seward McCurdy.....	560 Blue Hill avenue.....	19	New fixtures.....	500
Charles J. Glynn.....	131 West Fifth street.....	9	New fixtures.....	290
Powers & Mehegan.....	504 East Seventh street.....	10	New fixtures.....	550

MARCH 24.

M. J. Finnegan.....	41 and 43 Riverdale street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$700
M. J. Finnegan.....	45 and 47 Riverdale street.....	26	New fixtures.....	700
B. F. Godfrey.....	57 Orchard street.....	22	New fixtures.....	150
Thomas J. Hennigan.....	134 Main street.....	1	New fixtures.....	75
John J. Tierney.....	10 Landseer street.....	23	New fixtures.....	900
Isaac Isgur.....	63 Fort avenue.....	15	New fixtures.....	75
Louis W. Mulkern.....	280 Devonshire street.....	5	New fixtures.....	400
James H. Boyd.....	5 Chestnut street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,000
M. Ahern.....	748 Cambridge street.....	26	New fixtures.....	50,000
P. A. Foley.....	85 Babson street.....	21	New fixtures.....	300
S. Gould.....	3 Greendale road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,100
S. Gould.....	5 Greendale road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,100
John J. Hogan.....	404 West First street.....	9	New fixtures.....	190

MARCH 25.

James L. Walleston.....	11 Richmond road.....	24	New fixtures.....	\$150
Maurice Gray.....	1254 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	60
Dennis E. Holland.....	26 and 28 Greylock road.....	25	New fixtures.....	500
F. D. Carr.....	175 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
James M. Millner.....	205 North street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
John M. Hannigan.....	48 Hillsdale street.....	20	New fixtures.....	500
Ernest J. MacLeod.....	21 Woodville street.....	12	New fixtures.....	175
Albert L. Neveux.....	12 Leyland street.....	12	New fixtures.....	300
E. J. Fennessey.....	21 Woodward avenue.....	12	New fixtures.....	650
A. I. Weiss.....	301 Blue Hill avenue.....	16	New fixtures.....	60
A. Yorks.....	199 Lexington street.....	1	New fixtures.....	200
John Matto.....	39 Bradford street.....	6	New fixtures.....	75

MARCH 26.

Henry J. Gurl.....	1872 Washington street.....	12	New fixtures.....	\$65
Edward J. Roach.....	40 Stillman road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
Edward J. Roach.....	38 Stillman road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
Albert N. Hird.....	28 Mountsin avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	500
Robert Murray.....	44 Montferri avenue.....	26	New fixtures.....	80
M. H. Myers.....	10 Kingston street.....	3	New fixtures.....	350
M. H. Myers.....	14 Kingston street.....	3	New fixtures.....	350
Schwehr & Co.....	23 East Springfield street.....	12	New fixtures.....	200
Edward J. Roach.....	281 Belgrade avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
Edward H. Marchant.....	822 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
Albert N. Hird.....	661 Washington street.....	21	New fixtures.....	25

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for leasing the concession privilege for furnishing weighing machines in convenience stations and buildings of the Park Department for a term of three years. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be left with the Park Department, 33 Beacon street. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for wire fence at Ronan Park, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 10, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for recut granite block pavement in Ruggles street, from Tremont street to Parker street; Whittier street, from Columbus avenue to Ruggles street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$18,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bids, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 1, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Advertises for proposals for furnishing combination sprinkling and flushing motor trucks for watering and flushing the streets. Surety bonds will be required in an amount of \$15,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 7, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Harmon street, from Oakland street about 330 feet southwesterly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for sewerage works in Nottinghill road, formerly Nottingham road, Brighton. Surety bond will be required

in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Regina road, from Alpha road about 275 feet westerly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Dorchester brook sewer, east fork, in Humphrey street, from Holden street to Dudley street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in School street, between Waverly street and Fletcher street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$1,700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 14, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Shepard brook, easterly branch, in Everett street, private land and Hichborn street, between Everett and Arthur streets, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$18,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Corinne road, between existing sewer and end of the street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 16, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering science apparatus and supplies for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount suitable to the School Committee. Blank

forms for proposals may be obtained from the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering news paper and news paper blocks for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms, for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, Business Agent, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 8, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for taking down and relocating 405 metal lockers in the Mechanic Arts High School, Belvidere and Dalton streets, Back Bay. Surety bond will be required in the amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering battery material and other electrical supplies for department use. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close, Friday, April 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the various high schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing new sanitation in the Bunker Hill School, Baldwin street, corner of Bunker Hill street, and the Thomas Starr King School, Bunker Hill street, corner Charles street, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 25, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Water Service, Public Works Department, with four new Ford trucks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for supplying meat to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, March 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing cold tar patching material. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department 350,000 gallons of 45 per cent asphaltic road oil. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Sanitary Service, Public Works Department, nine trailers for the collecting of garbage and wagons. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 7, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing electrical supplies to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 7, at 12 m.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for lamp-posts, sign frames and column at Maverick Square Station, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Transit Commission, 1 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$250, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 14, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, March 27:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Albert Soosman and John A. Reagan have been continued in employment as temporary clerks for a period of fifteen days.

James P. Maguire, John M. Devine, Joseph Bianco, William Doherty and Robert C. Murray have been continued in employment as temporary clerks for a period of nine days at \$4 a day.

The following-named first assistant assessors have been appointed provisionally to fill vacancies: George O. Wood, Walter J. Hope, John F. Buckley, John F. Murphy, at \$1,600 a year each.

John F. Mahoney has been promoted from clerk at \$1,800 a year to special clerk and tax examiner at \$1,800 a year; position of one clerk at \$1,800 a year abolished.

Marguerite P. Curran, has been promoted from stenographer at \$1,200 a year to stenographer at \$1,400 a year.

Eileen P. Burke has been appointed as temporary clerk for a period of thirty days, effective March 25, 1924, at \$4 a day.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons were employed at the Boston Sanatorium for the week ending Thursday, March 13:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Mary Harrington, assistant bookkeeper and clerk, \$900 a year; Ida L. Nelson, nurse, \$720 a year; Edward Foster, M. D., assistant resident medical officer, \$1,200 a year; H. Louis Kramer, M. D., assistant resident medical officer, \$1,200 a year; Patrick McKinney, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Patrick Kelliher, maid (patient), \$120 a year; Thomas Bannigan, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Michael O'Keefe, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; John Sundstrom, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Arthur Ross, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Mary Mahan, nurse, \$720 a year; Rose Graude, assistant nurse, \$480 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Dr. J. P. Creed, assistant resident medical officer, \$1,200 a year; Dr. E. Reynolds, assistant resident medical officer, \$1,200 a year; Sarah Doyle, attendant nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Richard Walsh, maid (temporary), \$240 a year; Julia Haynes, laundress, \$420 a year.

The following persons were employed at the Boston Sanatorium for the week ending Thursday, March 20:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Luke Kelley, attendant nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Patrick McKinney, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Michael Teahan, maid (patient), \$240 a year; William Lyons, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed:

Patrick McKinney, maid (patient), \$240 a year; William Lyons, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Michael O'Keefe, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Maude Smith, maid, \$468 a year; Arthur Ayers, assistant carpenter, \$840 a year.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Frank J. Coughlin has been appointed temporary clerk until June 1 at \$1,200 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Daniel J. Kinnaly has been granted an extension of leave of absence without pay until April 12. William L. Roberts, Jr., has been continued in his place as temporary clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Daniel P. O'Connor, employed as fireman in the Public Works Department, has been transferred to the Health Department as caretaker of convenience stations at \$4 a day up to and including March 31. After April 1 at \$4.50 a day.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments were made for the week ending Thursday, March 20:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

John J. Adams, fireman, from temporary fireman, at a salary of \$27 a week and board, to succeed James P. Ryan.

Patrick T. Farry, painter, from institution employee, at a salary of \$1,050 a year, to succeed Joseph C. Viles.

John T. Hafferty, porter, at a salary of \$500 a year, to succeed John Eagan.

John Leigh, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed James Dolan.

Lillian Mahan, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Edith Keith.

Daniel J. Mulligan, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Arthur L. Boston.

Norine Murphy, pupil nurse, at a salary of \$300 a year, to succeed Mary J. Manuel.

Edith York, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Ernest Mallally.

William J. Sullivan, porter, at a salary of \$500 a year, to succeed Patrick H. Stack.

Joseph C. Viles, carpenter, at a salary of \$1,050 a year, to succeed Mark J. Flynn.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Newhall & Blevins have been appointed as architects on the proposed Charities Administration Building and Temporary Home, appropriation for which, in the sum of \$350,000, was approved March 11.

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CALLS FOR MORE EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES BY ENTIRE NATION.

SUPERINTENDENT JEREMIAH E. BURKE OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS REPORTS ACTION TAKEN BY NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION AT FEBRUARY CONVENTION.

Jeremiah E. Burke, Superintendent of Public Schools, made the following report to the School Committee on his attendance at the annual convention of the Department of Superintendence of the National Education Association, in Chicago, Ill., from February 24 to 28:

Boston, March 24, 1924:

To the School Committee of the City of Boston:

In compliance with the provisions of section 3 of chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, I herewith submit the following report of my attendance at the annual convention of the Department of Superintendence of the National Education Association, held in Chicago from February 24 to February 28, 1924, inclusive.

One of the chief topics of interest discussed at the convention was the increased cost of maintenance of the school system and the construction of new buildings. The convention was decidedly of the opinion that there should be no retrenchment at the present time in appropriations for public education. At their closing session the convention adopted the following resolution:

"The unprecedented rise in the cost of public education as represented in the elementary and secondary fields may be traced to definite causes. It is the conviction of the American people that an education is the birthright of every child in this democracy.

"Within the period from 1890 to 1920 it became necessary to expand the elementary school plant 70 per cent and the school plant of the high school 1,000 per cent, with like extensions in the instructing staff to take care of the 10,000,000 additional children in the elementary and 2,000,000 in the secondary school.

"The increase in population, vast as that was for the period named, does not account for the increase in attendance. The real reason is the difference in conception on the part of the people as to what their schools should do. Compulsory attendance laws brought children by the thousand into schools, the age limit was raised, and civic organizations inaugurated 'back to school' movements.

"The public demanded physical and health education, courses in civics and patriotism, in fire and accident prevention, in music and drawing, in industrial and household arts, in science and commercial studies, expanded options in foreign languages and history, classes for the mentally and physically disabled, part-time and continuation courses, open-air schools, night schools, summer terms, in short, a public service was demanded of the schools to meet changing domestic and economic conditions unheard of a generation ago. Local pressure and legislative enactment established the present public school program and changed public schools from places for the intellectual training of a selected few to public service stations

whereby and wherein all might be equally served irrespective of race, color, creed, economic status or parental occupation.

"If the present conception, which seems to be the creed of the American people, is to continue and the public schools remain public service stations, then it is futile to discuss a diminishing cost for public education. On the other hand, if every child of school age is to receive what is conceded to be his just due, namely, a full school day five days each week, the cost of school construction must go on. For example, two hundred millions are required at this moment for school construction in a single state if the children of that state are to enjoy this privilege.

"There is another factor in the recent cost of education. As late as 1917, salaries of teachers were proverbially and disgracefully low. Because of this, at no time in the history of American education has there been an adequate supply of trained teachers. At the present time, public education is suffering because of this lack. If public education is ever to have an adequate supply of trained teachers, millions more must be provided for our teacher-training schools. When an adequate trained instruction staff is had, the cause for the charge that 'superficiality now obtains in public education' will have been removed. Prior to 1917, thousands of trained teachers left the profession because salaries had dropped below maintenance level. The situation became so serious that public sentiment crystallized into a nation-wide movement for better salaries for teachers.

"This movement resulted in legislative enactment setting a minimum wage and annual increments. While teachers' salaries have materially increased in the number of dollars, there has been no corresponding increase in purchasing power. This movement, therefore, must go on. Present salary levels must be maintained and in many instances advanced, if we are to secure men and women of the same standards of ability and efficiency required in general business. If the schools are to Americanize the 13,000,000 of foreign born now in this country and the millions more yet to come, if they are to banish illiteracy, if they are to take over the care of the health of childhood, and do the other things that the people now expect them to do, then there must be no expectation of a reduction in appropriations for public education either state or local.

"Can the nation finance the program? The late Franklin K. Lane placed the annual loss to the nation from illiteracy at \$826,000,000; the Provost General places the loss due to remedial physical defects at still greater figures. In 1920, federal statisticians placed the nation's bill for luxuries at \$22,500,000,000, a sum approximately equal to the cost of the war against Germany, a sum large enough to replace the public school plant from the ground up. The American

people own fourteen out of every seventeen automobiles that the world has built. A single state has within the last fifteen years built state roads sufficient to lay three parallel routes from New York to San Francisco and had \$200,000,000 left for the development of its canal system.

"It may be necessary to cut down expenses, but it should not be done by robbing childhood of its birthright. The remedy rests in a more scientific distribution of funds and the equalization of taxation. The destiny of the public schools is the destiny of the republic; the nation of the future must pass through the school room where the traditions of our free institutions are conserved and transmitted. What that future shall be rests with the American people."

Respectfully submitted,

JEREMIAH E. BURKE,
Superintendent of Public Schools.

MAYOR BARS IMPURITIES AT LOCAL THEATERS.

Mayor Curley delivered an ultimatum to Boston theater managers, whom he summoned to his office Monday, March 24, that any further complaints would mean immediate closing of the offending houses. Nudity, suggestive jokes and even profanity must be eliminated, he warned, or else the padlock will take the place of the present censorship.

More than eighty theatrical representatives were at the Mayor's conference, at which also were Police Commissioner Herbert A. Wilson and City Censor John M. Casey. After Mayor Curley finished his lecture, which took about ten minutes of rapid speaking, he asked whether his listeners had any suggestions, and receiving no answer, he concluded the parley by remarking that he assumed accordingly that all his listeners agreed to his recommendations.

Profanity headed a list of specific complaints that the Mayor called to the attention of the managers. Censor Casey reported, he said, that his men were kept busy trying to delete profanity from shows. The Mayor laid down the law particularly that what the censor censored must stay out of the show.

"Things have come to a limit," he said, "when it becomes necessary to have a censor attend every performance. A censor at the opening showing ought to be enough. We have had a number of protests that as soon as the censor has cut out an objectionable feature another worse one appeared in its place the next night."

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

John Bowen Company has been allowed to amend his contract for the erection and completion of an elementary school in the Theodore Lyman District, Gove street, East Boston, by striking out the words and figures, "January 26, 1924," on page 25, Section 3, in connection with the marginal notation (E) Completion, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "April 26, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 25 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about March 26, 1923, and is to be completed on or before April 26, 1924."

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

John T. Magnier, draughtsman at \$1,900 a year, has been transferred from the High Pressure Water Service to the Bridge Service as draughtsman at \$2,100 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Robert Susan has been employed as deckhand at \$4.25 a day for a period of thirty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (High Pressure Water Service).

Philip T. Desmond has been appointed draughtsman at \$1,900 a year in the High Pressure Water Service.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

The following citizens have been appointed to fill permanent vacancies as teamsters at \$4 a day each: John P. Geary, Antonio E. Jose, Walter J. Rose, Patrick J. Hartigan, Thomas F. Graham, Timothy J. Frane, John P. Callahan, Bernard R. Donnelly, Patrick J. Noonan, John L. Kilmurray, Bernard F. Glynn, Louis Gaeta, Timothy L. Patterson, Louis Mazzetti, Peter H. Toohey, James A. McMenimon.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Daniel L. Connolly and James A. Santosuosso have been given permanent employment as inspectors at \$1,600 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Michael F. Foy and Joseph A. McDonald have been transferred from the Transit Department to the Water Service as permanent laborers at \$4 a day.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Arthur T. Wilson, employed as an inspector in the Waterways Division of the Public Works Department of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has been transferred to clerk of works, Schoolhouse Department, at \$1,900 a year.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

Because of illness John H. Dunn, Soldiers' Relief Commissioner, has been granted leave of absence from March 19, 1924, to April 20, 1924.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Frank A. Foster has been granted an extension of employment for an additional term of one month, expiring April 27, 1924, at \$1,500 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 20:

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

Substitute Work.—John Thornton, deckhand, 3 days (two shifts), \$25.68;

James Rogers, watchman, 1½ days, \$6.42. Total, \$32.10.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Emergency Work.—John Melley, engineer, 15 hours, \$11.26; Francis Berg, fireman, 1½ days, \$8.25.

House of Correction.

John Fay, engineer, 1½ days, \$9; Ernest Rousseau, engineer, 1½ days, \$9; Bernard Feehey, fireman, 3 days, \$16.50. Total, \$34.50.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 27:

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

Park Department. (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, March 20:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Austin Kelly, Bernard McCabe, Hugh McDonough, Arthur J. Moore, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

Fairview Cemetery.

Thomas D. Faherty, James Kingston, Thomas Kilduff, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

For the week ending Thursday, March 27:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 13:

J. Reynolds, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13; J. McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3.

For the week ending Thursday, March 27:

J. Reynolds, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13; J. McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 24:

First Assistant Drawtender.—J. F. O'Neil, 1 day, \$4.38.

Assistant Drawtenders.—T. T. Colbert, W. E. Osborne, F. P. Farren, L. O'Donnell, 1 day, \$4.11 each; W. Higgins, S. J. Broderick, 2 days, \$8.22 each.

Watchman.—H. M. McLaughlin, 1 day, \$4.

Total, \$41.26.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 24:

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 2½ days, \$12.50.

Firemen.—James H. Carlin, John Kelly, 1½ days, \$8.25 each.

Deckhand.—William F. Hollander, 1 day, \$4.25.

Total, \$33.25.

Net cost for the week ending March 24, 1924, \$18.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 17:

Pavers.—Stephen Donohoe, John O'Toole, Patrick J. Fitzpatrick, Patrick S. McCarthy, John O'Donnell, John T. McCarthy, Patrick J. Keeley, James F. Donovan, 2½ days, \$13.13 each; John J. Fitzpatrick, 1½ days, \$7.50; Timothy Boyan, Cornelius F. Collins, James O'Malley, Michael J. Ryan, William Concannon, James Byrne, William P. Igoe, William Carson, Edward J. O'Malley, Joseph T. Ward, Thomas Gavin, Michael Hanley, Thomas Hughes, Patrick Kilroy, John Lamb, James Lynch, Thomas Meehan, William Monahan, Walter McNally, Lawrence O'Connor, John Waldron, Cornelius O'Connor, Patrick Mulcahy, John O'Brien, William McCartney, Philip McGinn, George Doherty, ½ day, \$3.75 each; Edward Barry, Coleman, Durane, Thomas Egan, James Lally, Thomas McDonough, John Noonan, Dennis O'Neil, Patrick Duggan, John Murray, John McDonough, 1 day, \$5 each; John McTeer, John Shanney, Timothy O'Sullivan, James Lynch, ½ day, \$3.38 each; James McNulty, ½ day, \$3; William Donahue, 2½ days, \$14.53; Arcangelo Faiella, 2½ days, \$10.78; Edward Doherty, 1½ days, \$5.63.

Carpenters.—Peter B. Mooney, 2½ days, \$13.13; Michael Tighe, John Flaherty, ½ day, \$3.75 each; Robert Wilcox, Lawrence Clinton, 1 day, \$5 each; Michael Dillon, 3½ days, \$18.28.

Laborers.—Timothy A. Hayes, William F. Hurley, James J. McGuire, Maurice J. Fitzgerald, John W. Woods, William J. Dallen, John J. Joyce, Patrick Connelly, Timothy J. O'Leary, Owen Lynch, Michael King, Robert D. Connolly, Thomas McDonough, Michael J. King, Edward J. Millin, John T. Sheehan, Joseph Goldstein, George Lynch, Andrew M. Foley, James Hagerly, Frank A. Kutz, Edward C. Walaschik, James Stewart, Samuel Blair, 2½ days, \$10.50 each; Edward J. Lane, John J. Maher, John Geary, James McCarthy, Andrew Doran, 1½ days, \$6 each; John F. Hickey, George Keenan, Florence Leary, John St. John, Edward J. Maher, John Skehan, Martin Gill, John Duffy, John J. Wilkinson, Christopher Sullivan, Donato Divencenzo, Thomas McLaughlin, Michael Boyle, Patrick McGee, John Meehan, Edward Davis, William D. Smith, John McGillen, Charles J. Sheehan, John Walsh, Michael Burke, James Flynn, Michael Walsh, Martin Craffey, Robert Cameron, Luke Curley, Thomas Fogarty, Neil McAnulty, Owen Fitzgerald, James Foley, Robert E. Kelley, Patrick Connolly, Thomas Curley, Michael Hughes, John Mullen, P. J. Sweeney, Patrick Flaherty, Herbert W. May, William F. Huber, William McLaughlin, Leon D. Foster, Thomas Dolan, John T. Blye, Alexander A. McDonald, Bernard J. Kelley, John J. Dolan, Emmett Kelley, Alfred T. Flannery, P. J. Owens, Cornelius O'Neil, Edward J. Ford, Timothy Reardon, James P. Hooley, Austin J. Freeley, John Mitchell, Joseph Love, Thomas Reynolds, James J. Collieran, John Carty, Patrick Connell, Arthur Connor, Patrick Craven, Thomas Daley, James Dolan, Patrick Fay, William Fraser, Patrick Francis, John Gallagher, Thomas Gillespie, John Glynn, John Goode, John Hanley, John Healey, Patrick Horan, Michael Hourihan, Anthony Hughes, William Hyde, Patrick Keefe, John Kelley, Patrick Madden, Patrick Martin, Martin McDonnell, Matthew Mooney, Edward McManus, Michael McManus, Patrick Mullen, William Murray, Patrick McDermott, John

McFarland, Andrew McGann, William McNulty, Lawrence Noel, Peter A. Rourke, Michael Patten, Ernest Putnam, David Pyne, Alfred Reynolds, Martin Sullivan, Bernard Tansey, Charles Wildberger, John Mulloy, Mark Moran, Patrick Doherty, Luke Kilduff, Michael McDonald, Richard McGrath, Abraham Minsky, John Mullen, Edward Barnes, John Cady, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3 each; Vincent X. Fallon, Daniel Murphy, Edward Breen, Patrick Cain, John Connolly, Thomas Connolly, James Courtney, Daniel Dolan, Edward Hines, James Healey, Patrick King, James Moroney, Timothy McCarthy, Brian McGowan, Patrick McLaughlin, Simon Nolan, Thomas Minton, Daniel Higgins, Patrick Healey, Michael Hill, Lawrence Lally, John Leach, John Mahoney, John Murray, Robert Robertson, James Lee, Charles Devine, Patrick Burke, Thomas Brooks, Raymond Chamberlain, George Corey, Cain Crowley, Bernard Cunningham, Edward Cunningham, John Desmond, William Downey, Thomas Byron, 1 day, \$4 each; George McCormack, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.75; Patrick Carroll, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; Thomas King, William Jeffers, William Carolan, William McGee, Walter Wenzel, James Henneberry, $3\frac{3}{4}$ days, \$13.88 each; George King, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.38; William McLaughlin, $1\frac{3}{4}$ days, \$7.13; Frederick Jenness, $3\frac{3}{4}$ days, \$14.63.

Teamsters.—Michael Lyons, Frank Burns, Dennis Desmond, Peter Kilduff, Edward P. McGuire, Mark A. Foley, John C. Dolan, James Murphy, Martin Gately, Michael Cady, Dennis C. Doyle, John A. McDonough, William H. Mulrey, Edmund Lynch, William Beattie, Peter Brown, Francis McGuinness, James O'Brien, Michael Rooney, Timothy Sullivan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3 each; Patrick Tierney, John Devlin, Patrick McKenna, Bernard Norton, Joseph O'Neil, Daniel Shea, 1 day, \$4 each.

Engineers.—John J. Cahill, Martin Craven, Edward Mahoney, Lorenzo Mitchell, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75 each; John Mahoney, $3\frac{3}{4}$ days, \$8.28; John McGee, $2\frac{3}{4}$ days, \$10.78.

Blacksmiths.—William Mullen, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75; Edward Barrett, 1 day, \$5.

Watchman.—J. R. Leonard, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.

Stableman.—J. H. Fitzgerald, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.

Stonecutters.—William T. Noonan, John F. Kelley, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75 each; John Barry, 3 days, \$15.

Paver's Helper.—Peter Reardon, 1 day, \$1.

Blacksmith's Helper.—James Killion, 1 day, \$4.

Yardmen.—Charles Hennrikus, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3; Daniel Crowley, $2\frac{3}{4}$ days, \$8.63.

Painter.—Henry Wagner, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75.

Firemen.—Patrick Gilmore, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38; Thomas Phelan, 1 day, \$4.50.

Rammers.—Dennis Holland, Patrick Kearns, Philip McGaffigan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3 each.

For the week ending Monday, March 24:

Laborers.—Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4; M. Fitzgerald, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 24:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, M. S. Ryan, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.
Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. J. Hayes, M. Lapsley, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$0.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—A. E. Jose, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.

Total, \$26.25.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, March 25:

Fireman.—John Doherty, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Steam Engineer.—James Hurley, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75.

Sewer Cleaner.—John Graham, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38.

Laborers.—Stephen Connolly, 4 days, \$16; James Splaine, Patrick Fitzgerald, Michael McMahon, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each; James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4; Thomas Flaherty, Daniel McKenna, James Barrett, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3 each.

Total, \$62.38.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 24:

Teamsters.—R. Coughlin, W. Doherty, C. Sullivan, M. Cashman, M. Cardello, N. Cesso, F. Corvino, M. Lyons, F. Maston, D. P. Minihan, H. A. Bourdon, R. Di Cillio, J. J. Glancy, T. S. Iverson, A. Mercurio, L. Pace, J. F. Brown, J. Considine, J. J. Daley, J. J. Devin, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, R. M. Jennings, 1 day, \$4 each; J. Dahill, T. Dahill, R. Barrett, P. McDonough, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2 each.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 24:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Emergencymen.—M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each; W. Lonergan, W. Rice, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Repairers.—J. Casey, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.38; A. LoPilato, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.59; F. Ware, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.59; H. Campbell, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; M. Daley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; E. Sullivan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; C. Driscoll, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.56; P. Casey, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; W. Shields, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38; G. Greer, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$0.84; F. Schena, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.78; J. Cummings, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.56; M. Matthews, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.91.

Laborers.—H. McCauley, S. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4 each; P. Mulkern, G. Waters, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each; J. Lenergan, J. McGee, F. Kaskey, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25 each; J. Norton, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.50; L. Stenson, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.25; J. Feeley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.75; J. Blessington, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38; D. Shea, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.50; S. Mickewicz, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53.

Total, \$147.63; paid by Transit Department, \$16.47; net total, \$131.16.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 16.

I. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, March 28, 1924:

Capt. George E. Darragh, from Ladder 24 to Engine 36.

Capt. William Peterson, from Engine 36 to Ladder 24.

Lieut. Michael J. Gilligan, from Engine 36 to Engine 32.

Lieut. Cornelius J. Crowley, from Engine 32 to Engine 36.

Lieut. Thomas J. Fitzgerald, from Engine 28 to Engine 48.

Lieut. David F. Sheehan, from Engine 48 to Engine 28.

Alfred P. Toner, from Engine 36 to Engine 6.

David M. Cleary, from Engine 6 to Engine 36.

Hugh A. Shute, from Ladder 14 to Engine 34.

Thomas S. Walsh, from Engine 33 to Ladder 16.

Terrence McGowan, from Engine 34 to Ladder 14.

Joseph G. Daunt, from Ladder 16 to Engine 33.

Frank P. Toland, from Engine 38-39 to Ladder 1.

Charles L. McEachern, from Ladder 1 to Engine 38-39.

Stephen T. Connolly, from Engine 38-39 to Ladder 6.

Edward W. Cherry, from Ladder 6 to Engine 38-39.

Daniel J. Foley, from Engine 50 to Engine 31.

Michael Kelly, from Engine 31 to Engine 50.

Charles C. McNamara, from Ladder 1 to Engine 47.

John F. Gilbrook, from Engine 47 to Ladder 1.

William J. McGrath, from Engine 17 to Engine 43.

John F. Cunnally, from Ladder 20 to Ladder 25.

John C. Kennedy, from Ladder 25 to Ladder 20.

II. PROMOTION.

The following promotion is hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, March 28, 1924:

Hoseman Christopher J. Harris of Engine Company 28, to be assistant engineer.

III. LAUNDRY.

A new contract for doing the laundry work of the Fire Department has been made with John D. Sheehy & Son, 26 Summer street, West Roxbury, to take effect on and after March 31, 1924.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department to complete the following construction work:

To construct a sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe, a surface drain of 10-inch and 12-inch earthen pipe and three catch-basins in La Grange street, between Vermont street and a point 550 feet southeasterly in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$6,060.

To construct a surface drain of 18-inch and 22-inch earthen pipe in Vermont street, between Alder street and a point 450 feet northeasterly in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$1,940.

To construct a sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe, a surface drain of 10-inch earthen pipe and two catch-basins in Fowle street and private land, between Rowe street and Board of Survey Street No. 2244 in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$5,240.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Grande for sewerage works in Elm Hill avenue, between Seaver and Schuyler streets, Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened March 20, were as follows:

A. Grande, \$7,429; C. Russo, \$8,036.10; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$8,059.65; M. DeSisto Company, \$8,710; A. D. Daddario, \$8,825.50; M. H. Loonie, \$9,142; S. J. Tomasello, \$9,281.10; George J. Regan, \$9,609.75; M. DeRusso Company, \$10,354; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$10,495; V. Barletta, \$10,554.50; J. J. Conway, \$10,637.50; V. Grande, \$10,993; A. Cefalo, \$11,234; J. Guarino & Co., \$11,434; J. Williams & Co., \$11,466.50; Croce Iacuzzi, \$11,681.50; Joseph Todesca, \$11,963.

Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with C. F. Bassett for sewerage works in Border street, at Central square, East Boston. Bids for the work, opened March 18, were as follows:

C. F. Bassett, \$1,705.75; Croce Iacuzzi, \$1,067; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$1,810.75; A. Cefalo, \$1,849.50; J. Guarino & Co., \$1,923.25; A. D. Daddario, \$1,931.75; M. H. Loonie, \$1,945; M. D. Russo Company, \$2,180.75; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2,152.25; C. Russo, \$2,180.75; M. DeSisto Company, \$2,210.75; George J. Regan, \$2,399.50.

Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Todesca for sewerage works in Columbia park, between Lawrence avenue and Hamilton terrace, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened March 19, were as follows:

Joseph Todesca, \$2,268.75; A. D. Daddario, \$2,397.75; A. Grande, \$2,427.55; George J. Regan, \$2,508.75; J. Williams & Co., \$2,763.75; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,788.75; J. Guarino & Co., \$2,795.75; M. DeSisto Company, \$2,999.75; M. D. Russo, \$3,050.75; C. A. Bassett, \$3,176.75; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$3,314.75; C. Russo, \$3,999.75.

Upon March 24 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Cefalo for sewerage works in Pond View avenue, from Moraine street to 300 feet southerly, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened March 21, were as follows:

A. Cefalo, \$1,606; A. D. Daddario, \$1,614.70; J. Guarino & Co., \$1,676; C. Russo, \$1,723.40; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$1,723.40; M. De Sisto Company, \$1,789.50; M. H. Loonie, \$1,809.50; Vozzella & Caponi, \$1,817.41; M. D. Russo Company, \$1,866.45; J. Williams & Co., \$1,881.25; J. Todesca, \$1,881.25; Croce Iacuzzi, \$1,891.25; S. J. Tomasello, \$1,924.30; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$1,931.25; J. F. Kennedy Company, Inc., \$1,988.65; George J. Regan, \$2,461.75.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with John Williams & Co. for laying and relaying water pipes in Congress, South and Kneeland streets,

city proper; Burnham street, Moore street and South Bay avenue, Roxbury; Burgoyne street, Dorchester, and Province street and Province court, city proper. Bids for the work, opened March 19, were as follows:

John Williams & Co., \$8,703; De Cristofaro & Brothers Company, \$8,908; A. Grande, \$9,440.50; V. Barletta, \$10,118; G. Ferullo Company, \$10,483; C. Russo, \$10,598; John Guarino & Co., \$12,403; V. Grande, \$13,120.50; M. DeSisto Company, \$13,593.

Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with M. De Sisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Blue Hill avenue, Hazleton street, Hia-watha road, Morton and Wildwood streets, Dorchester; Florence avenue, Brighton; Pond View avenue and West Roxbury Parkway, etc., West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened March 20, were as follows:

M. De Sisto Company, \$6,657.50; A. Grande, \$6,810.25; V. Barletta, \$7,756.75; J. Williams & Co., \$8,122.75; Susi Brothers, \$8,624; J. Guarino & Co., \$8,735; De Cristofaro & Brothers Company, \$8,736; Vozzella & Caponi, \$9,118.50; C. Russo, \$9,541.75.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with Lamont Brothers Company for moving five portable school buildings. Bids for the works, opened March 14, were as follows:

C. H. Holmes Construction Company, \$2,890; Lamont Brothers Company, \$4,300; R. J. Connolly, \$4,740; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$5,400; Walter Curley & Son, \$5,442; John P. Curley, \$7,525.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with M. L. Cooper & Co. for furnishing toweling to the Park Department. Bids for the supply, opened March 11, were as follows:

Sixty Thousand Yards Toweling, Seventeen Inches Wide.—Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, No. 2, 12 cents per yard; No. 3, 10½ cents per yard; No. 4, 11½ cents per yard; No. 5, 10 cents per yard. J. G. Bowden & Son, Inc., A, 7½ cents per yard; B, 9½ cents per yard; E, 11½ cents per yard; C, 11½ cents per yard; D, 11½ cents per yard; F, 13½ cents per yard. William Levy, No. 1, 11½ cents per yard; No. 2, 8 cents per yard; No. 3, 12½ cents per yard; No. 4, 15 cents per yard; No. 5, 13 cents per yard; No. 6, 11½ cents per yard; No. 7, 10½ cents per yard; No. 8, 11 cents per yard. M. L. Cooper & Co., No. 1201, 12½ cents per yard; No. 48, 9½ cents per yard; No. 43, 11½ cents per yard; No. 201, 10½ cents per yard; No. 280, 7½ cents per yard.* Sparrow-Chisolm Company, No. 1, 7½ cents per yard; No. 2, 11½ cents per yard. R. H. White Company, No. 280, 7½ cents per yard; No. 201, 11 cents per yard; W257, 11½ cents per yard; No. 1201, 12½ cents per yard; X59, 13½ cents per yard; No. 12, 14 cents per yard; X57, 14½ cents per yard. Edward H. Best Company, No. 1, 12 cents per yard; No. 2, 12 cents per yard; No. 3, 13 cents per yard; No. 4, 14 cents per yard; No. 5, 16½ cents per yard.

The 1923 price, 10½ cents per yard.

Discount, Ten Days.—Blodgett, Ord-

*Awarded contract.

way & Webber, 3 per cent, delivered at once; J. G. Bowden & Son, Inc., 3 per cent, delivered in ten days; William Levy, no discount; M. L. Cooper & Co., 2 per cent, delivered in ten days; Sparrow-Chisolm Company, 1 per cent; R. H. White Company, 2 per cent, delivered in 10 days; Edward H. Best Company, 3 per cent, delivered in ten days.

Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with the Bay State Segal Company for furnishing groceries to the Boston City Hospital. Bids for the supplies, opened March 4, were as follows:

Fifty Pounds Cassia.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 38 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 35 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 41 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 35 cents per pound; H. A. Johnson Company, 36½ cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 40 cents per pound.

Twelve Pounds Whole Cloves.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 42 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 65 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 44 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 54 cents per pound; H. A. Johnson Company, 42 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 38 cents per pound.

Twelve Pounds Ground Cloves.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 56 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 42 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 65 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 59 cents per pound; H. A. Johnson Company, 64 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 69 cents per pound.

Thirty Pounds Citron.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 46 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 38 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 38 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 44 cents per pound; H. A. Johnson Company, 13 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 20 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Cocoa.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 3½ cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 2½ cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 3½ cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 2½ cents per pound; H. A. Johnson Company, 4 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 2½ cents per pound.

Forty Pounds Coconut.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 20½ cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 20 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 18 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 18½ cents per pound; H. A. Johnson, 13 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 20 cents per pound.

Forty-eight Pounds Chocolate.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 34 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 32 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 31 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 31 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 30 cents per pound.

Twelve Cartons Corn Flakes.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$2.75 per carton; Bay State Segal Company, \$2.65 per carton; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$2.64 per carton; George D. Emerson Company, \$2.70 per carton; Haskell, Adams Company, \$2.76 per carton.

Sixty Pounds Dry Yeast.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 85 5-6 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 16 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 16½ cents per pound; George D. Emerson Com-

pany, 17 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 87½ cents per pound.

Six Dozen Silicon.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 85 cents per dozen; Bay State Segal Company, 90 cents per dozen; C. B. Smith & Brother, 85 cents per dozen; George D. Emerson Company, 80 cents per dozen; Haskell, Adams Company, 90 cents per dozen.

Six Dozen Gelatine.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 23.75 cents per dozen; Bay State Segal Company, 7.80 cents per dozen; C. B. Smith & Brother, 22.50 cents per dozen; George D. Emerson Company, 6.60 cents per dozen; Haskell, Adams Company, 79 cents per dozen.

Ten Pounds Ginger Root.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 55 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 25 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 23 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 59 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 26 cents per pound.

Twelve Dozen Jelly.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$1.65 per dozen; Bay State Segal Company, \$1.10 per dozen; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$1.30 per dozen; George D. Emerson Company, \$1.40 per dozen; Haskell, Adams Company, \$1.75 per dozen.

Six Cases Syrup.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$4.25 per case; Bay State Segal Company, \$4.35 per case; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$4.25 per case; George D. Emerson Company, \$4.25 per case; Haskell, Adams Company, \$4 per case.

Forty Dozen Loganberries.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$11.50 per dozen; Bay State Segal Company, \$2.60 per dozen (2s); C. B. Smith & Brother, \$9.75 per dozen; George D. Emerson Company, \$1.50 per dozen; H. A. Johnson Company, \$6.10 and \$10 per dozen.

One Carton Soap Chips.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$10 per carton; Bay State Segal Company, \$4.80 per carton; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$9.55 per carton; George D. Emerson Company, \$9.50 per carton; Haskell, Adams Company, \$9.75 per carton.

Fifty Gallons Molasses.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 18 cents per gallon; Bay State Segal Company, 37 cents per gallon; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$22.50 per barrel; George D. Emerson Company, 47 cents per gallon; H. A. Johnson Company, \$25.30 per barrel; Haskell, Adams Company, 65 cents per gallon.

Thirty-six Pounds Mustard.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 91-2-3 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 86 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 83½ cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 85 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 95 cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Corn Meal.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 2.55 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 2.35 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 2.45 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 2.5 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 2.5 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Pounds Macaroni.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 10 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 10½ cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 10½ cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 9 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 9½ cents per pound.

Twelve Pounds Ground Mace.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 92 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 78 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 91 cents per pound; George D. Emerson

Company, 85 cents per pound; H. A. Johnson Company, 88 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 96 cents per pound.

Six Pounds Whole Mace.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 82 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 65 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 74 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 80 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 85 cents per pound.

Ten Cases Sardines.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$8.90 per case; Bay State Segal Company, \$9.50 per case; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$9.25 per case; George D. Emerson Company, \$10.25 per case; Haskell, Adams Company, \$10.40 per case.

Four Hundred Pounds Tapioca.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 9 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 8½ cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 9½ cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 8 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 10 cents per pound.

One Barrel Vinegar.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 16 cents per gallon; Bay State Segal Company, 18 cents per gallon; C. B. Smith & Brother, 18 cents per gallon; George D. Emerson Company, 24 cents per gallon; Haskell, Adams Company, 23 cents per gallon.

Twenty-four Pounds Wax.—Bay State Segal Company, 48 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 55 cents per pound.

Thirty Gallons Olive Oil.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$3.35 per gallon; Bay State Segal Company, \$2.40 per gallon; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$2.75 per gallon; George D. Emerson Company, \$3.70 per gallon; Haskell, Adams Company, \$2.40 per gallon.

Twenty Bags Rolled Oats.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 3-5-9 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 3.39 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 3.05 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 3½ cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 3.20 cents per pound.

Forty Dozen No. 10 Peas.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$7.80 per dozen; Bay State Segal Company, \$8 per dozen; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$7.75 per dozen; George D. Emerson Company, \$8.75 per dozen; H. A. Johnson Company, \$7.75 per dozen; Haskell, Adams Company, \$9 per dozen.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Split Peas.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 6½ cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 6½ cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 6½ cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 6½ cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 7 cents per pound.

Sixteen Hundred Pounds Prunes.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 8½ cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 8 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 7½ cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 8 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 8½ cents per pound.

Three Dozen Stove Polish.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 85 cents per dozen; Bay State Segal Company, 90 cents per dozen; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$14 per gross; George D. Emerson Company, 85 cents per dozen; Haskell, Adams Company, \$1.30 per dozen.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Raspberries.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 26 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 20 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 20 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 12 cents per

pound; H. A. Johnson Company, \$1.85; Haskell, Adams Company, 28½ cents per pound.

Forty Dozen No. 10 Pears.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$8.75 per dozen; Bay State Segal Company, \$6.75 per dozen; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$6.75 per dozen; George D. Emerson Company, \$6.75 per dozen; H. A. Johnson Company, \$9.25 per dozen; Haskell, Adams Company, \$11 and \$8.75 per dozen.

Twenty Bags Whole Rice.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 6½ cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 6½ cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 5.9 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 6 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 6½ cents per pound.

Three Dozen Barley.—Bay State Segal Company, \$4.90 per dozen; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$4.90 per dozen; George D. Emerson Company, \$4.95 per dozen.

Four Cases Sultana Raisins.—Bay State Segal Company, 11 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 29 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Thomp. Raisins.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 9 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 8½ cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 8½ cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 10 cents per pound; H. A. Johnson Company, 8 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 9 cents per pound.

Fifty Cartons Ralstons.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$3.30 per carton; Bay State Segal Company, \$3.35 per carton; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$3.35 per carton; George D. Emerson Company, \$3.35 per carton; Haskell, Adams Company, \$3.50 per carton.

Four Hundred Pounds Sago.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 10 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 11 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 10½ cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 9 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 10 cents per pound.

Four Dozen Syrup.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$31.20; Bay State Segal Company, \$1.70 per gallon; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$2.40 per gallon; George D. Emerson Company, \$2.35 per gallon; H. A. Johnson Company, \$2 per gallon; Haskell, Adams Company \$2.50 per gallon.

Twenty Pounds Almond Paste.—Bay State Segal Company, 44 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 42 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 43 cents per pound; H. A. Johnson Company, 41 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 42 cents per pound.

Forty Dozen No. 10 Apricots.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$9.75 per dozen; Bay State Segal Company, \$8.50 per dozen; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$5.50 per dozen; George D. Emerson Company, \$9.50 per dozen; H. A. Johnson Company, \$5.25 per dozen; Haskell, Adams Company, \$8.95 per dozen.

Forty Dozen No. 10 Apples.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$3.85 per dozen; Bay State Segal Company, \$4.25 per dozen; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$3.75 per dozen; George D. Emerson Company, \$4 per dozen; H. A. Johnson Company, \$3.85 per dozen; Haskell, Adams Company, \$4.50 per dozen.

One Hundred Fifty Pounds Baking Powder.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 42½ cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 47 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 40-5-6 cents per pound;

George D. Emerson Company, 51 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, \$5.20 per dozen.

Twenty Bags Pea Beans.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 6 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 6.9 and 5.5 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 6 cents per pound; H. A. Johnson Company, 5.8 cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 6.25 cents per pound.

One Hundred Pounds Barley.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 4½ cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 3½ cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 3½ cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 3½ cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 3½ cents per pound.

Six Cases Lye.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$5.15 per case; Bay State Segal Company, \$5.10 per case; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$5.05 per case; George D. Emerson Company, \$5.10 cents per case; Haskell, Adams Company, \$5.40 per case.

Two Hundred Pounds Currants.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 15½ cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 13 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 14 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, 17 cents per pound; H. A. Johnson Company, 11½ cents per pound; Haskell, Adams Company, 14½ cents per pound.

Twelve Cases Corn Starch.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$3.60 per case; Bay State Segal Company, \$3.50 per case; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$3.12 per case; George D. Emerson Company, \$3.10 per case; Haskell, Adams Company, 6½ cents per pound.

Twenty Bags Coarse Salt.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$1.33 per bag; Bay State Segal Company, \$1.40 per bag; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$1.30 per bag; George D. Emerson Company, \$1.50 per bag; Haskell, Adams Company, \$1.60 per bag.

Eight Barrels Fine Salt.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 1.21 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 1.3 cents per pound; C. B. Smith & Brother, 1.3-14 cents per pound; George D. Emerson Company, \$3.45 per barrel; Haskell, Adams Company, \$3.90 per barrel.

Twelve Cases Dry Pack Shrimp.—Bay State Segal Company, \$1.90 per dozen; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$7.60 per case; George D. Emerson Company, \$3.60 per dozen; Haskell, Adams Company, \$7.60 per case.

Sixteen Cases Tall Red Salmon.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$10 per case; Bay State Segal Company, \$2.45 per dozen; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$2.45 per case; George D. Emerson Company, \$2.45 per dozen; Haskell, Adams Company, \$10.50 per case.

Discount Ten Days.—Eldridge, Baker Company, 1 per cent; C. B. Smith & Brother, 1 per cent; George D. Emerson Company, 1 per cent; H. A. Johnson Company, 1 per cent; Haskell, Adams Company, 1 per cent.

Total.—Eldridge, Baker Company, \$3,600.91; five items omitted; Bay State Segal Company, \$2,823.82; C. B. Smith & Brother, \$3,766.73; two items omitted; George D. Emerson Company, \$3,192.27; H. A. Johnson Company, \$2,158.13; twenty-one items omitted; Haskell, Adams Company, \$3,081.02; four items omitted.

Upon March 25 the Mayor approved a contract with William R. Farrell for furnishing beach gravel to the various city departments. Bids for the supply, opened March 21, were as follows:

One Thousand Tons, More or Less, Beach Gravel.—William R. Farrell, \$1.45 per ton.

The 1923 price was \$1.21 per ton.

Upon March 25 the Mayor approved a contract with J. P. O'Connell for furnishing sewer brick to the various city departments. Bids for the supply, opened March 21, were as follows:

Two Hundred Sixty Thousand, More or Less, Sewer Brick.—J. P. O'Connell & Co., \$23 per M.

The 1923 price was \$27 per M.

Upon March 25 the Mayor approved a contract with J. P. O'Connell Company for furnishing paving bricks to the various city departments. Bids for the supply, opened March 21, were as follows:

J. P. O'Connell & Co., \$40 per M. for all districts.

The 1923 price was \$46 per M.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 25 the Mayor approved a contract with the Bay State Car Company, Inc., for furnishing one Bay State sedan. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 21, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising the same, to the Bay State Car Company, Inc., for furnishing to the Commissioner of Public Works one 1924 Bay State sedan, \$2,500, including one mirror, one Folberth windshield wiper, one stop light, five 33 by 4½ Silvertown cord tires, mounted, and one front and one rear Biflex bumper; less allowance on one 1922 Bay State sedan, \$1,400; net price, \$1,100; plus war tax, \$93.75; total cost, \$1,193.75.

As this concern is the maker of this car no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising the same.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$216, on contract with Frank J. Gallagher & Co. for new roof and monitor windows for old boiler house, Calf Pasture pumping station, on account of furnishing nine squares of new slate to make southeast side of roof all new and uniform. Original contract, \$5,397.80; total addition, \$216; contract as standing, \$5,613.80.

An addition, amounting to \$1,751, on contract with the A. L. Smith Iron Works for new iron floors and appurtenances for filth hoist building, Calf Pasture pumping station, Dorchester, on account of furnishing all labor and ma-

terials; placing new cast-iron brackets, channels, bolts, planking, etc., for complete new gallery, as shown on blueprint No. 3333-3334 dated December 21, 1908, including the removal and disposal of all materials composing the existing gallery. Original contract, \$3,401; total additions, \$1,807; contract as standing, \$5,208.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$350, on contract with M. De Sisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Bismarck, Floyd, Verrill streets, Dorchester, Ferndale road, Northbourne road, Pleasant street, West Roxbury, and Wait street, Brighton, on account of furnishing labor in searching for buried gate; relocating sewer and relocating drains. Original contract, \$5,657; total addition, \$350; contract as standing, \$6,007.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed to deduct allowance for hardware, Section 10, page 41, of the specifications, the sum of \$700 from their contract for the Robert Gould Shaw District School, as per architect's letter of March 17, 1924. Contract price, \$47,000; total additions, \$5,950.54; total deductions, \$700; amount of contract, \$52,250.54.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed to deduct allowance for hardware, Section 10, page 71, of the specifications the sum of \$800 from their contract for the Francis Parkman District School as per architects' letter of March 17, 1924. Contract price, \$37,993; total additions, \$5,853.05; total deductions, \$800; amount of contract, \$93,049.05.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

C. & R. Construction Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage work in Post Office square and Bath street, city proper. Items ordered: Trench and lay 8.17 linear feet of 12-inch cast-iron pipe not included in the contract at the agreed upon price of \$5 per linear foot; trench and lay 18.50 linear feet of 10-inch Akron pipe and 6 linear feet of 8-inch Akron pipe not included in the contract; cut out old unknown and abandoned iron pipe paralleling trench in Bath street not shown on plans. Estimated cost of extra work, \$315.

R. A. Bossi & Company have been ordered to do the following work on contract for repairs to Paris Street Gymnasium, East Boston, signed February 13, 1924: All work necessary to put all the dressing rooms of shower room on mezzanine floor in working order, resetting and repairing doors, partitions, furnishing and installing all necessary hardware. Putting all outside doors and doors to main rooms in working order, supplying all necessary hardware. Repairing tar and gravel roof surface that is not to be resurfaced and put in first-class condition. Furnishing and fastening new copper gutter where required on all roofs. Repairing all broken or missing slate on slate roof. Replacing all flashing where necessary. All as directed by the Park Department in accordance with Article 2; to be paid for under Article 8; the cost of labor plus 15 per cent, and the cost of materials. Estimated cost of this work, \$700.

MORTUARY REPORT.

For the week ending March 22, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
United States Census Bureau, 170,722.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 184; nonresidents, 43; total,
227.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 15.23; nonresidents deducted,
12.35.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 15.51; corresponding week
last year, 17.73.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 29; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 11; sixty years and over, 78.
total deaths, male, 114; female, 113;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 105;
deaths of colored, 10.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended March 22, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended March 24, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis	1	—	—	—
Diphtheria	78	9	70	2
Encephalitis lethargica	1	1	2	1
Influenza	4	1	11	3
Measles	197	1	111	2
Menigitis epidemic	1	1	1	—
Pneumonia (bact.)	41	9	45	13
Scarlet fever	115	2	104	2
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	47	13	27	17
Tuberculosis (other forms)	11	3	9	2
Typhoid fever	1	—	1	—
Whooping cough	8	—	115	5

* Residents and nonresidents included.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 20 TO MARCH 26.

MARCH 20.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. F. Maloof	1120 Portland street	8	Second-class gasoline station	\$8,000
Gillette Safety Razor Co.	58 West Second street	9	Second-class machine shop	30,000
Samuel Labinsky	24 Duke street	21	Second-class garage	1,000
Mrs. Mary Bernacchi	7 Holden street	11	Second-class storage	500
Vincent Tosi	116 Babson street	21	Third-class store	500
Katherine M. Kindregan	18 and 20 Richard street	26	Third-class dwelling	13,000
Masonic Building Association	41-49 Fairmount avenue	24	Alterations, store and club	15,000
Gillette Safety Razor Co.	18 West First street	9	Alterations, manufacturing	2,000
Charles L. Coburn	614 Columbia avenue	7	Alterations, tenements	500
Mrs. Boris Shornkr.	818 Dorchester avenue	11	Alterations, dwelling	10
Rose Elkin	703 Wall Hill street	22	Alterations, dwelling	450
Guaranty Security Company	20 Griggs street	25	Alterations, auto enameling	250
J. A. Colmes et al.	574 Dorchester avenue	11	Alterations, store and dwelling	2,500
J. A. Colmes et al.	576 Dorchester avenue	11	Alterations, store and dwelling	3,000
J. A. Colmes et al.	578 Dorchester avenue	11	Alterations, store and dwelling	3,500
Boston & Albany Railroad	34 Clyde street	2	Take-down, grain gallery	5,000
John F. Elston	34-38 School street	5	Take-down, bank offices	750
Carmelite Sisters	81 Mt. Pleasant avenue	12	Take-down, dwelling	100

MARCH 21.

H. J. Smith et al.	Rear of 87 Wallingford road	25	First-class garage	\$1,000
Columbia Building Trust	514 Columbia road	17	Second-class offices	50,000
Martin A. Lorenz	Rear of 28 Haslet street	23	Second-class garage	1,200
Quincy Cold Storage Com-	55 Fargo street	9	Second-class storage	650
Thomas Fadden	27 Maple avenue	26	Second-class store	1,000
Donald M. Fraser	21 Abbott street	23	Third-class dwelling	11,000
I. Richman et al.	31 Ellington street	19	Third-class dwelling	10,000
I. Richman et al.	33 Ellington street	19	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Nunzio Priore	96 Baker street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,300
John Wallace	68 Paul Gore street	15	Alterations, dwelling	300
Tremont Temple	76-88 Tremont street	5	Erect broadcasting station	6,000
Benis Tomasuskas	91 Gardiner street	23	Alterations, dwelling	400
M. Banquer	254 Dudley street	12	Alterations, dwelling and store	500
Elizabeth McLaughlin	24 Grant street	11	Alterations, dwelling	300
Haynes Estate	133 and 135 Federal street	5	Alterations, offices and stores	500
Congress Street Associates	50 Congress street	5	Alterations, offices	20,000
J. F. Cahalene	410-416 Market street	26	Alterations, tenements and stores	400
Mrs. Ethel True	705 Cambridge street	26	Alterations, dwelling	200
Louis Sandler	80 Moreland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	200
Charlotte Williams	29 and 31 Greenwich park	7	Erect fire escapes	125
Mary T. Fisher	26 and 28 Claremont park	7	Erect fire escapes	150
Ivers & Pond Piano Company	256 Boylston street	8	Install elevator	2,500

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 15.

I. HOUSE WORK.

Paragraph 1, General Orders No. 14, c. s., is hereby rescinded and the following is substituted in its place:

Morning call will be sounded as usual at 6.45 a. m. The only work that will be required of the platoon going off duty at 8 a. m. will be such duties which required immediate attention and will not permit of delay. Commanding officers are expected to use their discretion and judgment in the work which they require to be done. The general house work should be commenced immediately upon the day platoon reporting for duty and completed as expeditiously as possible.

The changing over of hose after a fire, and preparing of apparatus for future alarms, must be done immediately upon return to quarters by the men on duty at the time.

The changing over of the hose on apparatus where the same has not been used for one week, must be done at 10 a. m. on any day excepting Sunday.

All beds must be properly aired, as this is most essential to sanitary conditions, and should be made up not later than 10 a. m.

The attention of commanding officers is especially directed to that part of rule No. 86, which states, "Such work as can be dispensed with on Sundays and holidays will be postponed to the following day."

II. ANNUAL BALL.

It gives the Fire Commissioner great pleasure to announce that the net proceeds for the annual ball, February 12, 1924, for the benefit of the Boston Firemen's Relief Fund, amounted to \$27,490.46. This was the largest amount ever raised at any ball conducted by the Boston Fire Department.

The success of the ball this year may be attributed to two things, namely:

The energetic efforts of the members of the department to conduct a successful ball; the co-operation of the men selling the tickets and the various committees to which work was assigned.

The appreciation of the public of the members of the Boston Fire Department and Boston Protective Department, and a desire on the part of the public to co-operate with them and assist them.

The Fire Commissioner congratulates the members of the department on this achievement, and on behalf of the members of the department thanks the public for its generous co-operation and willing assistance.

III. DEMOTION.

Assistant Engineer Michael E. Kelliher of Engine Company 28, at his own request, is hereby reduced to the grade of hoseman, to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, March 28, 1924.

IV. PROMOTIONS.

The following promotions are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, March 28, 1924:

Hoseman Michael F. Begley of Engine No. 47 to be fifth engineer.

Hoseman Thomas P. Lane of Engine 26-35 to be assistant engineer.

V. CHANGE IN ASSIGNMENTS.

The following change in apparatus assignment is hereby ordered to take effect at 8 a. m., Tuesday, March 25, 1924:
First alarm: Add Engine 31.
Second alarm: Add Engine 47.

VI. MONTHLY REQUISITIONS.

The submitting of requisitions monthly on form No. 2 for hay, straw, oats, bran, coal, wood, kerosene oil, soda and vitriol is hereby discontinued. Requisitions for these items shall be submitted quarterly, as is done for other supplies, or by form 5 in an emergency.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

LAND-TAKING IN BOSTON PROPER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for public improvement consisting of the widening and construction of Broadway, Boston proper, between Albany street and Lehigh street, southwesterly side, as a highway, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Broadway is hereby widened on the southwesterly side, between Albany street and Lehigh street, and ordered constructed.

The part of said highway as widened herein, and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwest by Albany street, six and 12-100 feet; northeast by the southwesterly line of Broadway as it existed previous to this widening, eighty-one and 7-100 feet; southeast by Lehigh street, five and 42-100 feet; and southwest by the southwesterly line of Broadway as hereby widened, seventy-eight feet; containing four hundred twenty-eight square feet, more or less.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned estate sustains damages by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of Broadway, Boston proper, between Albany street and Lehigh street, southwesterly side, as a highway, under the order of the Board, in the amount hereinafter set against it; and awards said amount therefor.

Amount.
Elizabeth C. Giblin, 428 square feet \$6,000

LOCATION OF STREETS.

The Mayor has approved the vote of the Board of Street Commissioners, that the locations, directions, widths and grades of the private ways in Hyde Park, designated as Belnel road, from Osceola street to River street; Hopewell road, from Osceola street to Belnel road; Friendship road, from Osceola street to Belnel street and Coronado road, from Osceola street to Belnel road, be approved.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 20 TO MARCH 26.

MARCH 22.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Andrew J. Coyle.....	Rear of 144 Beech street...	23	First-class garage.....	\$2,000
Fanny Grossman.....	Rear of 10 Fernboro street...	18	First-class garage.....	5,000
Conrad Adam, Jr., et al.....	23 Symmes street.....	23	First-class garage.....	1,000
H. C. Maguire.....	250 Hyde Park avenue.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
H. C. Maguire.....	252 Hyde Park avenue.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
A. J. Goldfine.....	16 Allston street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	700

MARCH 24.

E. B. Dunphy.....	Rear of 131 Selwyn street...	23	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Harriet R. Izzo.....	Rear of 11 Rockland avenue...	17	First-class garage.....	800
Groce Verrochi.....	50 Wales place.....	18	First-class garage.....	2,000
Catherine Reynolds.....	41 Beech Glen street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,600
Martin M. Kelly estate.....	3 Brinton street.....	15	First-class garage.....	12,000
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	9 Glenville terrace.....	25	First-class power station.....	67,000
Jennie M. Whitehead.....	Rear of 9 Griggs place.....	25	Special garages (2).....	1,200
John S. Goodway.....	Rear of 1 Goodway road.....	24	Third-class garage.....	450
John S. Goodway.....	Rear of 2 Goodway road.....	24	Third-class garage.....	450
Joseph Corman.....	24 Crowell street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
A. & A. Torretta.....	18 Holden street.....	18	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Patrick T. Reardon et al.....	240 Arborway.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Joseph Silkman.....	81 Nightingale street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Joseph Silkman.....	85 Nightingale street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Mary Kirkland.....	35 Cushing avenue.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	85
Leora K. Rosenfield.....	33 South Russell street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
M. McDonald.....	335 Baker street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	750
James J. Mellen.....	70 West Newton street.....	6	Alterations, lodging house.....	1,000
A. F. McMullen.....	2 St. James terrace.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,500
S. Previte.....	136 Paris street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Margaret E. Ward.....	Rear of 87 and 89 Brookside avenue.....	22	Alterations, laundry.....	1,000
Columbia Building, Inc.....	516 Columbia road.....	17	Take-down, vacant.....	25
Julius Darish.....	6 Alpine street.....	13	Take-down, storage.....	50
G. W. Swallow estate.....	3 and 4 Town Hill court.....	4	Take-down, vacant.....	300

MARCH 25.

George Tobin.....	Rear of 119 Woodrow avenue.....	21	First-class garage.....	\$575
Richard A. Ward.....	Rear of 11 Glenway street...	19	First-class garage.....	900
Geococco Armata.....	24 Moony street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Otto Taubert.....	531 Centre street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Joseph Rugo.....	125 Homes avenue.....	18	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
Joseph Rugo.....	127 Homes avenue.....	18	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
John A. Sullivan.....	279 Tremont street.....	8	Third-class shelter.....	125
Frank Guidara.....	36 Braden street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Frederick M. Gilliland.....	14 Walter street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Jeremiah O'Brien.....	12 Crescent circuit.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Frank Altman.....	11 Central street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Rocco Palladino.....	Rear of 81 Gladstone street...	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
John S. Pagington.....	1849 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
City Laundry Company.....	98 Lenox street.....	13	Alterations, laundry.....	500
George W. Booth.....	5 Temple street.....	3	Alterations, light Manufacturing.....	5,000
Edward F. Cassell.....	339-343 Washington street...	19	Alterations, dwelling and stores.....	2,000
J. Edward Anderson.....	352 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	Erect sign.....	400
S. L. Dana et al.....	38 and 40 Greenwich park.....	7	Erect fire escapes.....	175
F. H. Williams.....	Alva Kittredge park.....	15	Erect fire escapes.....	450
S. L. Dana et al.....	139 and 141 Worcester street...	7	Erect fire escapes.....	300

MARCH 26.

J. J. Moore.....	102 and 104 Child street.....	22	First-class garage.....	\$3,000
Barnet Drazin.....	39 Bower street.....	16	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Samuel Blotnick.....	127-135 Main street.....	3	Second-class stores.....	12,000
Maurice Murphy.....	Rear of 21 Welles avenue.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Joseph LeClerc.....	251 Beech street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,500
Joseph LeClerc.....	255 Beech street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,500
Charles G. Maguire.....	1 Boylston street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Walter Channing.....	2198 Commonwealth avenue...	25	Third-class real estate office...	700
L. M. Chutte Company.....	43 Appleton street.....	7	Alterations, lodging house.....	300
Trustees of Park Building Trust.....	176 Boylston street.....	8	Alterations, stores and dwelling.....	250
Dora Flashman.....	1876 Dorchester avenue.....	20	Alterations, stores and dwelling.....	950
Dominico Ventresca.....	6 Everett court.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	275
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	1 and 2 Head place.....	5	Alterations, electric station.....	65,000
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	3 Head place.....	5	Alterations, machine rooms.....	135,000
G. Capo.....	284 Princeton street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
Antonio Sacio.....	361 Princeton street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
H. B. & C. W. Bailey, trustees.....	107 South street.....	5	Alterations, storage.....	2,500
Wigglesworth estate.....	417-425 Washington street...	5	Alterations, department store.....	250,000
Sam Beven.....	20 Causeway street.....	5	Repair fire escape.....	30
G. Vaitas.....	23 Corning street.....	5	Erect fire escape.....	50
Miss E. I. Ellis.....	484 Columbus avenue.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	300
Charles E. Fogg.....	36-44 Eastern avenue.....	5	Repair fire escape.....	50
Max Frank.....	460 and 462 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	205
William H. Evans.....	4 and 6 Wellington street...	7	Erect fire escape.....	150
James T. Wetherald.....	220 Clarendon street.....	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
Margaret O'Connell.....	51 North Margin street.....	5	Install elevator.....	2,000

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending March 22:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Maurice F. Freeman.....	1, 2, 3, 4, 5 (5) Homes place.	3	Vacant dwellings.	New building.
John F. Elston.....	31-38 School street.....	5	Stores, offices....	Street widening.
American Building Wrecking Company	43 State street, corner 2-14 Congress street	5	Stores, offices....	New building
Boston & Albany Railroad.....	34 Clyde street.....	2	Grain elevator	

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved, upon request of the Public Works Department, the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Elmwood street, bounded:

Northeast by Baker street six feet; southwest by another part of Elmwood street, three hundred twenty-two and 29-100 feet; east by the same, thirty-five and 85-100 feet; northeast by the same, seven and 66-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Glendale road) six and 40-100 feet; southwest by another part of Elmwood street, eight and 52-100 feet; southeast by another part of Elmwood street, by two measurements, twenty-three and 49-100 feet and nine hundred four and 4-100 feet; southwest by the same, six feet; northwest by the same, by two measurements, nine hundred five and 24-100 feet and twenty-five and 55-100 feet; west by the same, thirty-nine and 65-100 feet; and northwest by the same, three hundred twenty-five and 27-100 feet; containing seventy-eight hundred and nine square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Glendale road, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown (Elmwood street), six and 40-100 feet; northeast by another part of Glendale road, one hundred fifty-three and 3-100 feet; east by the same, twenty-nine and 27-100 feet; south by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes September 13, 1923, six and 60-100 feet; west by another part of Glendale road, twenty-four and 4-100 feet; and southwest by the same, one hundred

forty-eight and 31-100 feet; containing ten hundred and sixty-four square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: In Elmwood street 930 linear feet of 10-inch and 350 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer, and in Glendale road, 188 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Elmwood street, from Baker street to North avenue, excluding the lot at the northwesterly corner of Baker and Elmwood streets and the lot at the easterly corner of Elmwood street and North avenue; the lot of abutting land on the southwesterly side of Glendale road, between Elmwood street and Keystone street, now or formerly owned by the Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc., and the lot of abutting land on the northeasterly side of Glendale road, adjoining the lot at the corner of Elmwood street and Glendale road, now or formerly owned by Angelina Mugford, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, each to the amount hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 554, Sewerage Works, Elmwood Street, West Roxbury, February 1, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Catherine Stead.....	\$112 50
2. Catherine A. Elder heirs.....	87 50
3. Catherine A. Elder heirs.....	87 50
4. Alexander Jinks.....	87 50
5. Alexander Jinks.....	87 50
6. Alexander Jinks.....	12 50
7. Alexander Jinks.....	75 00
8. Adam Apolon.....	87 50
9. William C. Kubowitsch.....	87 50
10. William C. Kubowitsch.....	87 50
11. Catherine A. Elder heirs.....	87 50
12. James T. Kilroe.....	87 50
13. James T. Kilroe.....	87 50
14. M. Helen Fox.....	87 50
15. John Griffin.....	87 50
16. Mary T. Lynch.....	50 00
17. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
18. Angelina Mugford.....	87 50
19. Angelina Mugford.....	87 50
20. Mildred Geist.....	Nothing
21. Jennie L. Campbell.....	Nothing
22. Mary F. James.....	50 00
23. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
24. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
25. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
26. Karl J. Johnson, Wilhelmina Johnson.....	50 00
27. Louise C. Isaacs.....	50 00
28. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
29. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00

Lot.	Amount.
30. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
31. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
32. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
33. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
34. William M. Carlyle.....	50 00
35. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
36. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
37. Frank Conover, Georgianna Conover.....	50 00
38. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	43 87
39. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	43 87
40. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	50 00
41. Stanley S. Edge, Florence M. Edge.....	53 34
42. Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.....	60 00
43. James J. Kelleher.....	Nothing
44. Catherine Cronin.....	Nothing
45. Angelina Mugford.....	100 00
46. Anna E. Williams.....	100 00
47. Dennis J. Desmond.....	87 50
	\$2,863 58
	\$1,517 03

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 491.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Walter C. Illingworth of Division 2, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Walter C. Illingworth be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 492.

The resignation of Patrolman Edward N. Baker of Division 19 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Thursday, March 13 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 493.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Perry and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Waldo B. Horton of Division 10, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty on the charge and on the second and third specifications thereunder, and not guilty on the first specification. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Waldo B. Horton perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 494.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Chris Hammerslough of Division 2, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect of duty, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Chris Hammerslough was on March 15, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due notice of such dismissal with the

reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in writing on March 15, 1924, to the said Chris Hammerslough.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 495.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Frank P. Luzinski of Division 3, charging him with failure to report a change of residence and conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Frank P. Luzinski was, on March 14, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on March 15, 1924, to the said Frank P. Luzinski.

On the fifteenth day of March, 1924, the said Frank P. Luzinski requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Thursday, March 20, 1924, at three o'clock p. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Frank P. Luzinski.

The said Frank P. Luzinski was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said Frank P. Luzinski guilty as charged, herein agreeing with the finding of the trial board.

This is the first instance in which a police officer has been charged and found guilty of telling an untruth in regard to his residence. While I in no way condone this offence, neither do I wish to convey the impression that it is not regarded by me as a serious infraction of the rules; yet I feel that in view of the fact that the accused patrolman was practically a new member of the force and, therefore, did not perhaps fully realize the seriousness of telling an untruth in relation to his residence, I am going to give him another chance.

I am at this time serving notice on the members of the force that the disposition of this case is not to be considered by them as a criterion of the disposition of similar infractions of the rules in the future.

It is therefore hereby ordered that the said Frank P. Luzinski be reinstated as a patrolman of the Police Department of the City of Boston, to take effect as of March 24, 1924, and that he perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 496.

The following transfer is hereby ordered, to take effect Tuesday, March 25, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m.:

Patrolman Frank P. Luzinski from Division 3 to Division 7.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 497.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Perry and Mason, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman James F. Kelly of Division 10, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman James F. Kelly was on March 15, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on March 15, 1924, to the said James F. Kelly.

On the seventeenth day of March, 1924, the said James F. Kelly requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Monday, March 24, 1924, at three o'clock, p. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said James F. Kelly.

The said James F. Kelly was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said James F. Kelly guilty as charged, and further finds that the said James F. Kelly shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 498.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Walter O. Hastings of Division 16, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Walter O. Hastings was on March 14, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on March 15, 1924, to the said Walter O. Hastings.

On the seventeenth day of March, 1924, the said Walter O. Hastings, by his attorney, requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Monday, March 24, 1924, at eleven o'clock a. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Walter O. Hastings.

The said Walter O. Hastings was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said Walter O. Hastings guilty as charged, and further finds that the said Walter O. Hastings shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

PAVING WORK.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners that repairs be made on State street, Boston proper, between Devonshire street and Merchants row, by substituting wooden blocks for the present granite block pavement.

LAND-TAKING IN HYDE PARK.

The Mayor has approved, upon request of the Public Works Department, the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Hyde Park and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Arnold street, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Vale street), nine and 34-100 feet; northeast by another part of Arnold street, four hundred seventeen and 64-100 feet; southeast by another part of Arnold street, eight feet; and southwest by the same, four hundred twelve and 82-100 feet; containing thirty-three hundred and twenty-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Vale street, bounded:

Southeast by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown (Arnold street), nine and 34-100 feet; southwest by another part of Vale street, twenty-two and 18-100 feet; northwest by the same, two hundred twenty-eight and 68-100 feet; northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Linwood street), nine and 31-100 feet; northeast by another part of Vale street, two hundred nineteen and 39-100 feet; and northeast by the same, twelve and 84-100 feet; containing nineteen hundred and thirty-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Linwood street, bounded:

Southwest by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown (Vale street), nine and 31-100 feet, northwest by another part of Linwood street, fifteen and 62-100 feet; southwest by another part of Linwood street, by three measurements, fifty-seven and 27-100 feet, fifty-nine and 28-100 feet and one hundred twenty-eight and 59-100 feet; northwest by Child street, eight and 14-100 feet; northeast by another part of Linwood street, by three measurements, one hundred thirty and 59-100 feet, sixty and 71-100 feet and sixty-two and 90-100 feet; and southeast by another part of Linwood street, twenty-five and 62-100 feet; containing twenty-one hundred and sixty-one square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: In Arnold street, 197 linear feet of 12-inch and 225 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer; in Vale street, 258 linear feet of 12-inch pipe

sanitary sewer, and in Linwood street, 250 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Linwood street, from Child street to Vale street, the lots of abutting land on the northwesterly side of Vale street, the lots of abutting land on the southeasterly side of Vale street, and the lots of abutting land on both sides of Arnold street, between River street and Vale streets, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community from the improvement ordered herein, each to the amount hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 556, Sewerage Works, Linwood streets, Vale street, Arnold streets, Hyde Park, February 15, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Walter H. Gleason.....	\$80 00
2. Walter H. Gleason.....	96 00
3. Walter H. Gleason.....	91 70
4. Walter H. Gleason.....	96 00
5. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
6. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
7. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
8. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
9. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
10. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
11. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
12. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
13. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
14. Joseph Lewenberg.....	90 00
15. Joseph Lewenberg.....	90 00
16. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
17. Lillian B. Bennett.....	76 00
18. Sarah J. Johnson, John W. Perkins.....	252 70
19. Walter H. Gleason.....	82 96
20. Walter H. Gleason.....	110 00
21. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
22. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
23. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
24. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
25. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
26. Walter H. Gleason.....	90 00
27. Walter H. Gleason.....	100 00
28. Walter H. Gleason.....	84 00
29. Walter H. Gleason.....	84 00
30. George E. Leason.....	84 00
31. James S. Horne.....	100 00
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HALTS SONGSTER AT MONTHLY MEETING OF MAYORS' CLUB.

A notable gathering of mayors of Bay State cities assembled at Young's Hotel Saturday, March 22, at the monthly meeting, which included a luncheon for the mayors and their wives at Young's Hotel and then inspection of the "Leviathan."

After former Corporation Counsel John A. Sullivan outlined the bank tax situation and sharply attacked the "moneyed interests" for trying to shift more burdens on the people, the Mayors' Club voted unanimously to lend its aid in killing the bill now before the Legislature which would create a commission to study the problem.

Mr. Sullivan pointed out that the cities' representatives were ready to have the Supreme Court pass on the validity of their stand, while the bank attorneys persisted in quibbling. He said that appointment of a commission was merely

evading the question. Nevertheless he looked for ultimate victory in the courts.

Corporation Counsel E. Mark Sullivan assailed the discriminatory freight rates as unconstitutional and told how he, at Mayor Curley's suggestion, has made this the issue before the Interstate Commerce Commission, hoping for victory on that point alone. Mayor Curley urged the mayors to co-operate in fighting for lower lighting rates.

Mayor Curley, during the lunch, took advantage of an opportunity to eliminate some of the objectionable things from the Boston stage.

Two entertainers from a local theater, who volunteered their services, a singer and a pianist, were in the midst of "My Chili Bon Bon," when the Mayor decided that the words were becoming far from chilly and abruptly ended the song.

The party rode in buses to the dry dock in South Boston, where, guided by Capt. Herbert Hartley, who was guest of honor at the luncheon, they inspected the "Leviathan" from bridge to galleys. From South Boston the group rode in the buses over Columbia road and the park system to Franklin Park, concluding the program with a visit to the zoo and rose garden.

Mayors of various cities throughout the state will be hosts to the club on the remaining meetings of the year. The April meeting will be in Worcester, the May meeting in Brockton and the June meeting in North Adams. Other trips will be arranged later. On each such occasion the mayors' wives will be guests.

Present at the luncheon were: Mr. and Mrs. James M. Curley; Mr. and Mrs. William E. Blodgett, Woburn; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Cashman, Newburyport; John M. Webster, Somerville; Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Thurston, Cambridge; Mr. and Mrs. William A. Bullivant, Brockton; Mr. and Mrs. Chester P. Pearson, Gardner; Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sullivan, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. E. Mark Sullivan, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Quinn and daughter, Cambridge; James M. Hurley, Marlboro; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Keith, Brockton; Mr. and Mrs. Harold P. Johnson, Woburn; Mr. and Mrs. Harland A. McPhetres, Lynn; John J. Donovan, Lowell; Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. O'Hara, Worcester; Alderman Martha M. Brooks and mayor's secretary, Gloucester; Hon. and Mrs. Lawrence F. Quigley, Chelsea; Hon. Alfred S. Hall and Mr. Stevens Hall, Revere; Hon. and Mrs. Stephen S. Bean, Woburn; Hon. and Mrs. Henry F. Beal, Waltham; Hon. George R. Beal, Waltham; Capt. Herbert Hartley, S. S. "Leviathan"; Mr. J. E. Prentiss, United States Lines; Mr. C. E. Hall, United States Lines; Hon. and Mrs. W. T. Rochefort, Lawrence; Hon. Rufus D. Adams, Salem; Hon. and Mrs. Charles S. Baxter, Medford; Hon. John B. Fellows, Fitchburg; Hon. and Mrs. Timothy W. Goode, Cambridge; Hon. Eugene G. Hoyt, with two guests, Marlboro; Hon. Louis L. Keefe, Westfield; Hon. and Mrs. John V. Kimball, Malden; Hon. and Mrs. John Larabee, Melrose; Hon. and Mrs. Arthur H. Linscott, Woburn; Hon. and Mrs. Cornelius F. Lynch, Lawrence; Hon. and Mrs. John W. Mahoney, Lawrence; Hon. George L. Richards, Malden; Hon. William E. Sanderson, Springfield; Hon. Ezra Whitaker, North Adams; Hon. Edward J. Woodhouse, Northampton.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel has approved the following claims:

Estelle Sweeney, in the sum of \$300, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk at Talbot avenue railroad bridge, Peabody square, November 1, 1923.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved, upon request of the Public Works Department, the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Hallowell street, bounded:

Southwest by another part of Hallowell street, eight feet; northwest by the same, by three measurements, one hundred two and 25-100 feet, eighty-seven and 21-100 feet and four hundred one and 23-100 feet; northeast by the same, eight feet; southeast by the same, three hundred and ninety-six feet; again northeast by the same, seventeen and 58-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Florentine A. Walters, ten and 2-100 feet; southwest by another part of Hallowell street, seventeen and 66-100 feet; and southeast by the same, by two measurements, eighty-one feet and one hundred one and 75-100 feet; containing forty-eight hundred and ninety-five square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Florentine A. Walters, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown (Hallowell street), six and 60-100 feet; northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from said Walters, ninety-eight and 14-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Sexton, six and 58-100 feet; and southwest by other land of said Walters, ninety-seven and 68-100 feet; containing six hundred forty-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Florentine A. Walters, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown (Hallowell street), three and 42-100 feet; northeast by other land of said Walters, ninety-eight and 36-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Sexton, three and 42-100 feet; and southwest by land hereinbefore described as taken from said Walters,

ninety-eight and 14-100 feet; containing three hundred and thirty-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Catherine F. Sexton, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Walters, ten feet; northeast by other land of said Sexton, one hundred thirty-three and 60-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Favre street), ten feet; and southwest by other land of said Sexton, one hundred thirty-three and 74-100 feet; containing thirteen hundred and thirty-seven square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way, known as Favre street, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Sexton, ten feet; northeast by another part of Favre street, sixteen feet; southeast by easement taken by the City of Boston in Favre street for sewerage purposes December 27, 1907, ten feet; and southwest by another part of Favre street, sixteen feet; containing one hundred and sixty square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 175 linear feet of 10-inch, 400 linear feet of 12-inch and 270 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Hallowell street; private land between Hallowell street and Favre street and part of the private way known as Favre street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northwesterly side of Hallowell street, excluding the lot at the corner of Oakland and Hallowell streets, all within a distance of about 715 feet northeasterly from Oakland street, and the lots of abutting land on the southeasterly side of Hallowell street, excluding the lot at the corner of Oakland and Hallowell streets, all within a distance of about 715 feet northeasterly from Oakland street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, each to the amount hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owner thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 555, Sewerage Works, Hallowell Street, Dorchester, February 4, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Hymen Koppel.....	Nothing
2. Bay State Investment Company.....	\$51 44
3. Joseph Bondoni.....	51 02
4. Rebecca Blinderman, City of Boston, T. T.....	50 60
5. Florentine A. Walters.....	50 30
6. Florentine A. Walters.....	50 10
7. Florentine A. Walters.....	50 00
8. Samuel Samuels, Bernard Samuels, J. Sonnabend.....	50 00
9. Bay State Investment Company.....	50 00
10. Lewis H. Granath, Sigrid A. Granath.....	50 00
11. Lewis H. Granath, Sigrid A. Granath.....	50 00
12. National Investment Company.....	50 00
13. Hulda Johnson.....	61 51
14. Eva Freedman.....	61 51
15. Irad W. Myers.....	25 00

16. Irad W. Myers.....	25 00
17. Anthony Ashmanský.....	25 00
18. Anthony Ashmanský.....	25 00
19. Samuel Samuels, Bernard Samuels, Joseph Sonnabend.....	Nothing
20. Joseph E. Cahill.....	51 44
21. Jacob Dunkirk, Katherine Dunkirk.....	50 90
22. Florentine A. Walters.....	50 49
23. Florentine A. Walters.....	41 95
24. Catherine F. Sexton.....	Nothing
25. Catherine F. Sexton.....	Nothing
26. Florentine A. Walters.....	45 77
27. Eva Freedman.....	50 00
28. Eva Freedman.....	50 00
29. Bay State Investment Company.....	50 00
30. Bay State Investment Company.....	50 00
31. Samuel Samuels, Bernard Samuels, Joseph Sonnabend.....	50 00
32. Samuel Samuels, Bernard Samuels, Joseph Sonnabend.....	50 00
33. David Adelson, City of Boston, T. T.....	50 00
34. David Adelson, City of Boston, T. T.....	50 00
35. Soren Sorenson.....	25 00
36. Soren Sorenson.....	25 00
37. Moody Land Trust.....	25 00
38. Moody Land Trust.....	25 00

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EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

C. H. Cronin has been granted an extension of time of completion of the contract for extension of sprinkler system at the Boston City Hospital from March 1, 1924, to April 10, 1924.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

R. A. Bossi & Company have been granted an extension of time until April 15, 1924, for the completion of their contract for repairs to Paris Street Gymnasium, East Boston.

IMPORTANT LEGISLATIVE ACTS AND RESOLVES OF THE PAST YEAR WITH SYNOPSIS OF THOSE PERTAINING TO BOSTON.

The 143d General Court of Massachusetts completed its work in 161 days. Number of bills passed, 546; resolves passed, 55; total, 601 or 43 more than in 1921.

Chapter 245 (emergency law) authorizing the Boston and Maine Railroad to acquire the franchises and property of certain railroad corporations; Chap. 331, increasing the constabulary force in Dept. of Public Safety from 50 men to 140, not more than 60 appointments to be made in current year; Chap. 392, authorizing cities and towns to license the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages; Chap. 404 (emergency law) providing for the construction by the Dept. of Public Works of an aircraft landing field on State property in East Boston and the lease of same to U. S. Gov't; Chap. 427, to carry into effect the 18th Federal amendment, *i. e.*, national prohibition (subject to referendum on Nov. 7, 1922); Chap. 485, regulating the sale and carrying of firearms; Chap. 486, making uniform the laws relating to partnerships by adding a new chapter thereon, *viz.*, 108A to General Laws; Chap. 488, providing for the enforcement of the liabilities of stockholders of trust companies; Chap. 534, regulating and licensing the operation of aircraft; Chap. 535, concerning penalties for violation of laws as to narcotic drugs, also commitments of drug addicts.

The Resolves passed which are of unusual interest include these: Chap. 39, establishing a special commission of nine, to be known as the Commission on Municipal Expenditure and Taxation, its report to be filed by Jan. 10, 1923; Chap. 41, providing for an in-

vestigation, by a special commission of five, in order to devise a more efficient and convenient system of motor vehicle registration and licensing, with particular attention to branch registration agencies in all the counties or principal cities; Chap. 43, establishing a commission of nine to investigate problems concerning unemployment, its prevention and relief, also as to minimum wage law; Chap. 55, providing for an investigation by Dept. of Public Utilities of plans for improving the transportation service in Dorchester, also between West Roxbury and Hyde Park, etc.

Acts of importance relating to Boston only (in numerical order) are: Chap. 126, authorizing the conversion of 3d class single or two-family dwellings into three-family dwellings, anywhere outside building limits, during the period of three years from April 1, 1922; Chap. 205, authorizing the raising of the tax limit for City purposes to \$12.25 on each \$1,000 of valuation in financial year ending Jan. 31, 1923; Chap. 390, as to assessing the taxes on City buildings and land leased for business purposes and collecting same from the lessees; Chap. 521, Boston Retirement Act, providing contributory pension for City and County employees, in effect on Feb. 1, 1923, subject to acceptance of Mayor and City Council prior to Sept. 1, 1922. Accepted by City Council (voting 6 to 3) on Aug. 7; by Mayor on Aug. 22.

Among the important bills and resolves that failed of passage by the 1922 Legislature were these:—To amend Boston's charter; to provide for election of judges instead of their appointment by Governor; to change direct primary laws and restore party conventions; to change legislative sessions from annual to biennial; to change back from biennial to annual elections; to change daylight-saving law; to abolish Boston's tax limit; to authorize new metropolitan water reservoir; to change administration of county institutions to State control; to provide for removal of dishonest mayors; to enact new fire-prevention law; to investigate telephone rates; to authorize new State Prison in place of old one; to change Elevated Railway control law; to increase motor truck fees; to compel automobile liability insurance; to levy tax on gasoline; to permit capitalization of premiums.

HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Work completed to February 1, 1922, including the old salt water fireboat line installed in 1898, a total of 11.63 miles, comprising 13,081 feet 12-inch 28,808 feet 16-inch and 19,512 feet 20-inch pipe, with 310 hydrants, all of which are ready for use, being supplied by domestic high service at Tremont street, near West, from a 16-inch gated connection.

Total mileage of system to be 18.89, covering the business district in Ward 5 and a part of Ward 8; two pumping stations, located on Commercial street, corner Battery, and on Atlantic avenue, opposite Pearl street, are now in use.

Total loan appropriations authorized \$1,000,000, all of which had been expended by 1920, when an additional appropriation of \$300,000 (from Tax Levy) was provided for building pumping stations. After the expenditure of the latter, another loan, *viz.* \$120,000, was issued in 1921 for completing the stations and other unfinished work.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Tuesday, March 18, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair and all the members present.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, First Session, to appear April 7, 1924:

Constance C. Webber, Ward 2; Edward P. Murphy, Ward 4; Abraham Rosenberg, Ward 6; Tracey F. Bendel, Ward 7; Harold B. Wilbur, Ward 7; Louis E. Kirstein, Ward 8; Thomas P. McCarthy, Ward 9; Dennis A. Minton, Ward 9; William J. Ryan, Ward 9; Alfred M. Whitney, Ward 11; Charles W. Driscoll, Ward 12; Patrick C. McKernan, Ward 13; William J. O'Connell, Ward 13; William F. Stark, Ward 13; Eugene DeVeue, Ward 14; John F. McCarthy, Ward 14; William O. Damm, Ward 15; William J. Donnelly, Ward 15; Jacob H. Hirshon, Ward 15; Joseph H. McGrath, Ward 15; James McHugh, Ward 15; Alonzo M. Clarke, Ward 16; Louis Gillman, Ward 16; Joseph B. Leslie, Ward 16; James T. Kenney, Ward 17; Edward J. Mahoney, Ward 18; Frank McGrath, Ward 19; Frank M. Weymouth, Ward 20; William F. Mallard, Ward 21; Robert S. Nado, Ward 21; Arba W. Nelson, Ward 21; Bernard F. Brady, Ward 22; Thomas B. Chamberlain, Ward 22; William A. Cropper, Ward 22; Jacob Zimmermann, Ward 22; Charles H. Hoerlein, Ward 23; James M. Glassman, Ward 24; Frederick L. Gile, Ward 25; Patrick F. Murphy, Ward 25; Chester Crossman, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Third Session, to appear April 7, 1924:

Dennis F. Donovan, Ward 1; Robert W. Dunlop, Ward 1; James J. McNabb, Ward 3; Patrick Ronan, Ward 3; Louis W. Upton, Ward 3; William H. Nowlen, Ward 4; Francis Pinkman, Ward 4; Jeremiah J. Sullivan, Ward 5; Joseph P. Yaffe, Ward 5; John J. Smith, Jr., Ward 6; James Simmons, Ward 8; Arthur W. Stevens, Ward 8; Arthur W. Gonyea, Ward 9; Patrick J. King, Ward 9; John L. Sheehan, Ward 9; John M. S. Mills, Ward 10; Patrick R. Giblin, Ward 11; James T. Glover, Ward 11; Oscar D. Rollins, Ward 12; William M. Lucas, Ward 13; George J. Kopp, Ward 14; Frank R. Ott, Ward 14; Edwin L. English, Ward 15; George R. Cummings, Ward 18; David Kinnear, Ward 18; Robert Duncan, Ward 19; Edward F. O'Brien, Jr., Ward 19; Angelo Piotti, Ward 19; Richard J. Fay, Ward 20; John Beattie, Ward 21; George E. Morgan, Ward 21; Jerdon W. Osborne, Ward 21; Walter C. Bates, Ward 22; John J. Foley, Ward 22; Joseph E. Howe, Ward 22; John C. Albrecht, Ward 23; William H. Cleary, Ward 23; Edward L. Hamilton, Ward 24; Willis E. Burbank, Ward 26; John M. Wilson, Ward 25.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fourth Session, to appear April 7, 1924:

Antonio Gebrino, Ward 1; Edward J. Hurley, Ward 1; Walter J. Dagle, Ward 2; Fred O. Green, Ward 2; James Hafey, Ward 2; James A. Visconte, Ward 2; Horace H. Nichols, Ward 3; Michael J. Harkins, Ward 4; Frank D. Pugh, Ward 6; Charles Kemp, Ward 7; William S. Stokes, Ward 7; Frederick Blake, Ward 8; Joseph J. O'Connor, Ward 11; Frank J. Curtis, Ward 11; Charles P. Foyer, Ward 12; William Ryan, Ward 12; Joseph L. O'Hea, Ward 13; John T. Parkins, Ward 13; Charles K. Sparrow, Ward 13; Frank V. Miret, Ward 14; James P. Walsh, Ward 14; Thomas Bieg, Jr., Ward 15; Highland G. Hatch, Ward 16; Joseph B. Lucie, Ward 16; Thomas Burke, Ward 17; Charles W. Danker, Ward 17; Humphrey Leary, Ward 17; Thomas F. Tremble, Ward 17; Edward F. Holland, Ward 18; Oscar G. Anderson, Ward 21; George H. Bourne, Ward 21; George J. McCarron, Ward 21; John Noll, Ward 21; Charles I. Parker, Ward 21; Harold R. Pugsley, Ward 22; Alfred S. Reed, Ward 23; Frederick F. Turcotte, Ward 24; George H. Polley, Ward 25; Robert J. Bolger, Ward 26; William P. Preble, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fifth Session, to appear April 7, 1924:

Michael J. Curley, Ward 2; Daniel A. Crimlis, Ward 4; John Breen, Ward 6; Alfred H. Casey, Ward 7; Dennis J. Keefe, Ward 7; Augustus McAuley, Ward 7; Marvin H. Murrow, Ward 7; John W. Sweeney, Ward 7; William J. Winterflood, Ward 7; Frank

H. Gilman, Ward 8; Ralph M. Smyth, Ward 8; Henry P. Breen, Ward 9; Charles H. Perry, Ward 9; Thomas E. McCormick, Ward 10; Hugh F. Leahy, Ward 11; John J. Murphy, Ward 11; Martin T. O'Donnell, Ward 11; William J. Lynn, Ward 12; John McCarron, Ward 12; Charles L. Mullen, Ward 12; Thomas M. Young, Ward 12; John F. McCarthy, Ward 13; John H. Greene, Ward 15; Joseph A. Moritz, Ward 15; James W. Boleman, Ward 16; Kenneth A. Ferguson, Ward 16; Thert E. Harris, Ward 16; Joseph M. Parker, Ward 16; Edward A. Rollins, Ward 16; Harry N. Jameson, Ward 17; Charles S. Williams, Ward 18; Lewis S. Stevens, Ward 19; Charles A. Winchester, Ward 19; Edgar W. Bidwell, Ward 20; S. Arthur Adams, Ward 22; Charles W. Crowley, Ward 23; Robert W. Johnson, Ward 23; Peter Kritzman, Ward 24; John H. Dolan, Ward 26; Ernest L. Porter, Ward 26.

Thirty-five traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, First Session, April Sitting, to appear April 7, 1924:

Walter J. Kean, Jr., Ward 1; Joseph H. Williams, Ward 1; Abraham Cohen, 2d, Ward 2; Harry E. Cormier, Ward 4; James J. Ahearn, Ward 5; Daniel A. Gibbons, Ward 5; Myer M. Shapiro, Ward 5; Eugene Powers, Ward 6; Frederick Robert Calloway, Ward 7; Edward P. Dana, Ward 7; Maurice A. Dineen, Ward 7; Michael J. Welch, Ward 7; James A. Begley, Ward 9; John M. Buckley, Ward 9; Alfred J. Moran, Ward 9; James F. Powers, Ward 9; Joseph H. Roulo, Ward 9; Frank P. Gardner, Ward 12; James B. Coleman, Ward 13; Thomas A. Riley, Ward 13; John A. Callahan, Ward 14; Patrick Cotter, Ward 14; James J. Nolan, Ward 14; George H. Wellington, Ward 14; Hugh P. J. Bradley, Ward 15; Albert A. Cay, Ward 15; August G. L. Oschwald, Ward 15; Joseph W. Curran, Ward 18; Howard B. Ellis, Ward 19; Timothy G. Burke, Ward 20; Stanley W. Poole, Ward 21; Sidney R. Blakely, Ward 22; James C. Marble, Ward 23; Samuel Gelewitz, Ward 24; Oscar Anderson, Ward 25.

Thirty-seven traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Second Session, April Sitting, to appear April 7, 1924:

William G. Hynes, Ward 1; Daniel D. Mazza, Ward 1; William L. McArthur, Ward 1; Alfred Woods, Ward 1; Michael Corbett, Ward 2; Edward J. Crawford, Ward 2; Patrick E. Ford, Ward 2; Max Hurvitz, Ward 2; Benjamin Kaiser, Ward 5; George J. Low, Ward 5; John F. Daly, Ward 6; Arthur Naylor, Ward 7; William L. Ford, Ward 8; William O. Kimball, Ward 8; Israel A. Ratshesky, Ward 8; Thomas J. Cross, Jr., Ward 9; George J. Desmond, Ward 9; Thomas F. Smallcomb, Ward 9; Charles A. Earle, Ward 11; Joseph D. Kenneally, Ward 12; James J. Tracey, Ward 13; Henry A. Ackroyd, Ward 14; Theodore A. Finn, Ward 14; Ambrose J. Woods, Jr., Ward 14; Eben Cunningham Bamberg, Ward 15; Michael J. Driscoll, Ward 15; George H. Corey, Ward 16; Ashley A. Smythe, Ward 18; Francis G. Coyle, Ward 19; William H. Keefe, Ward 20; Alfred Swanson, Ward 21; Humbert J. Baciagupo, Ward 22; Joseph Fairclough, Ward 23; John R. Faunce, Ward 24; Joseph B. McGinley, Ward 24; Lauritz F. Rasmussen, Ward 24; Raymond D. Wright, Ward 24.

Thirty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Third Session, April Sitting, to appear April 7, 1924:

Charles E. Paterson, Ward 1; Frederick O'Connell, Ward 2; James P. Carr, Ward 3; Eugene S. Mehegan, Ward 3; William J. MacVean, Ward 4; Joseph P. McManus, Ward 5; Frank Oneto, Ward 5; Alexander G. Howard, Ward 7; Richard B. Platt, Ward 8; John F. Griffin, Ward 9; Alex Lietzky, Ward 9; George L. McIntyre, Ward 9; Robert Allender, Ward 10; Angelo Arcardi, Ward 10; John B. Cashman, Ward 10; John J. Connolly, Jr., Ward 10; Charles F. Lane, Ward 10; John G. O'Malley, Ward 10; John Sullivan, Ward 10; Henry Bateman, Ward 11; George E. Gallagher, Ward 11; James V. Gorman, Ward 11; John F. Maguire, Ward 11; Richard Murphy, Ward 12; Lawrence H. Logan, Ward 14; Frederick A. Schumann, Ward 15; Charles A. Graham, Ward 18; Joseph Herlihy, Ward 18; James H. Johnston, Ward 18; Robert McIntyre, Ward 19; Ernest M. Glidden, Ward 20; Charles J. Higgins, Ward 20; John H. MacLellan, Ward 22; Edward J. Sullivan, Ward 22; Nathan S. Clark, Ward 23; Freemont S. Eggleston, Jr., Ward 23; Harold J. Dodd, Ward 26; Lambert F. Maynard, Ward 26; George H. Rose, Ward 26.

Thirty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fourth Session, April Sitting, to appear April 7, 1924:

John W. Sorenson, Ward 1; George J. Carlson, Ward 2; Frank T. Manning, Ward 3;

William A. Palmer, Ward 3; Timothy Sullivan, Ward 5; Joseph H. Connell, Ward 6; William Crozier, Ward 6; O'Roy Moulton, Ward 6; Andrew T. O'Brien, Ward 7; Elmer L. Sollis, Ward 7; Edward A. Filene, Ward 8; Lewis B. Gardner, Ward 8; Daniel J. Chapman, Ward 10; Michael H. Donovan, Ward 10; William F. Dunlap, Ward 10; John B. Harden, Ward 10; John T. Mahar, Ward 10; Thomas F. O'Brien, Ward 11; Harry R. Wilmot, Ward 15; Thomas R. McLaughlin, Ward 16; James C. Mitchell, Ward 17; Arthur A. O'Leary, Ward 17; Edmund C. Williams, Ward 17; Harry L. Smith, Ward 18; Oswald C. Gillespie, Ward 19; Harry J. Norton, Ward 19; Gustav A. Schultz, Ward 20; Clarence W. McGuire, Ward 22; Carl A. Carlson, Ward 23; George H. Cook, Ward 23; Patrick J. Lynch, Ward 23; William A. Raynes, Ward 24; Daniel Daly, Ward 25; Francis B. McKinney, Ward 26.

Thirty-five traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fifth Session, April Sitting, to appear April 7, 1924:

Thomas F. Foley, Ward 5; William H. Rothwell, Ward 6; Harry G. Blanchard, Ward 7; Richard J. Burns, Ward 7; Clifford V. Larkin, Ward 7; Dennis J. Flynn, Ward 8; David S. Hurvitz, Ward 8; Francis P. O'Connor, Ward 8; Fred S. Sibley, Ward 8; John Lavelle, Ward 10; Jeremiah J. Murray, Ward 10; William M. Ryan, Ward 10; John H. Spencer, Ward 10; Timothy J. Minihan, Ward 11; Thomas J. Fay, Ward 12; George T. Walsh, Ward 12; John A. Murphy, Ward 14; Francis J. Driscoll, Ward 16; Francis M. Shay, Ward 16; Frank R. Adams, Ward 17; John A. Hanley, Ward 17; Bernard M. Hession, Ward 17; Nicholas J. Tangney, Ward 17; William J. Chapman, Ward 18; Henry J. McGowan, Ward 18; James C. McGinley, Ward 19; Solomon D. Wenetsky, Ward 19; Edward B. Lounsbury, Ward 20; Charles W. Munroe, Ward 20; Herbert W. Andrews, Ward 21; Andrew C. Hansen, Ward 21; Martin T. Joyce, Ward 23; Albert Lang, Ward 23; Ralph A. Curran, Ward 25; Frank A. Lombard, Ward 26.

Thirty-two traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Sixth Session, April Sitting, to appear April 7, 1924:

Hugh F. Ahern, Ward 2; John Walsh, Ward 2; William F. Dillon, Ward 4; Dennis J. Sullivan, Ward 5; Charles J. Hanson, Ward 6; Thomas McGrath, Ward 6; Henry J. Adams, Ward 7; James M. Connor, Ward 7; Thomas H. Palmer, Ward 7; Herbert F. Webber, Ward 7; William J. Carey, Ward 9; Charles F. Devlin, Ward 9; John Gorham, Ward 9; Robert F. White, Ward 9; Herman L. Setchell, Ward 10; Glendon R. Brown, Ward 11; Robert S. Gillespie, Ward 11; Frank E. Parisi, Ward 11; Leslie W. Beckwith, Ward 12; Frank Howard, Ward 12; Leonard M. Pratt, Ward 16; William Brooks, Ward 17; Michael A. McGrath, Ward 18; Daniel R. McLean, Ward 19; Charles A. Power, Ward 19; John Michie, Ward 20; John H. Rourke, Ward 20; Axel Rudolph Bergiman, Ward 21; Herbert I. Bond, Ward 21; William R. Fleming, Ward 21; Donald I. Petts, Ward 22; Michael H. Rourke, Ward 25.

Thirty-seven traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Seventh Session, April Sitting, to appear April 7, 1924:

Harry J. Bradley, Ward 2; Thomas F. J. Digan, Ward 2; Robert J. Sullivan, Ward 2; Gardner Bates, Ward 3; John H. Dyer, Ward 3; Frank A. Teeling, Ward 3; Henry L. Tafe, Ward 5; Phillip Franklin, Ward 6; Isaiah J. Williams, Ward 6; John Berlin, Ward 7; James Johnston, Ward 7; William J. Allen, Ward 8; Charles Gibson, Ward 8; August L. Sherer, Ward 8; George W. Dalton, Ward 9; John J. O'Brien, Ward 9; John Hanrahan, Ward 10; Edward A. Hickey, Ward 10; Thomas F. Gibbons, Ward 11; Walter F. James, Ward 11; Patrick C. Moroney, Ward 11; Thomas A. Pitkethly, Ward 11; James D. Ritchie, Ward 12; Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Ward 14; D. Frank Bowles, Ward 15; Fred Grenfell, Ward 15; Carl Mayer, Ward 15; George B. Doyle, Ward 17; Joseph E. Jobling, Ward 17; Lester A. Osterman, Ward 17; Patrick J. Clogher, Ward 18; Patrick H. McCue, Ward 18; Samuel Castleman, Ward 19; James A. Heden, Ward 20; Walter L. Sprague, Ward 23; Benjamin N. Beck, Ward 24; William H. Muldoon, Ward 25.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following were received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 18, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint William B. Santo-

suosso, 241 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, and Thomas Abruzzio, 19 Tileston street, Boston, Constables of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 18, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint John E. Benson, 27 Jeffries street, East Boston, and Christopher B. Kennedy, 196 Bremen street, East Boston, inspectors of Pressed or Bundled Hay and Straw and Measurers of Grain for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 18, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons Weighers of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1924: Clarence S. Roy, 52 Judson street, Malden; John E. Clark, South street, Medford; Ralph W. Rogers, 43 Cushing avenue, Belmont.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Severally laid over under the law.

PUBLIC MEETINGS, FINANCE COMMISSION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 18, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith communication from the Boston Finance Commission in reply to the order of your honorable body passed on February 25, 1924, relative to holding open meetings so that the public might attend, which is self-explanatory.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

The Finance Commission,
73 Tremont Street,
Boston, March 15, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Sir,—In reply to your letter of the 5th instant, inclosing order adopted by the City Council on February 25, the Finance Commission submits that it is inadvisable to make a rule in advance regarding whether or not an investigation should be made in public or in private, and believes that the interests of the city will be best served by continuing its custom of treating each case as it arises.

Respectfully submitted,
THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

Placed on file.

DORCHESTER PARK IMPROVEMENTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 14, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The Ashmont and Milton section of Boston have for many years been demanding improvement of Dorchester Park, located in this section of the city, and the Boston City Hospital authorities have been averse to encouraging the development of Dorchester Park because of its proximity to the Convalescent Home located there. They have finally waived their objections and are now agreeable to a more extended use of the adjoining park property. Consequently, I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$15,000 be and hereby is appropriated for Dorchester Park Improvements, and that to meet said appropriation, the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND, WACHUSETT STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 14, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the accompanying communication submitted by the Board

of Park Commissioners in which they recommend the purchase of children's playground at Wachusett street, Forest Hills.

This playground site was originally submitted to the city at a price of \$20,000; after considerable negotiation it has been possible to purchase the site in question, which contains 88,118 square feet, for the sum of \$12,000, which is what the property actually cost the present owners. Under the circumstances it would, in my opinion, be a good business proposition for the city to acquire it as a playground site in a section where large lots of vacant land are becoming scarce, and the demand for a playground has been incessant for a number of years. I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Park Department, March 13, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Thursday, March 13, 1924, it was voted, to ask the city government, through your Honor, for a sufficient sum of money to purchase a children's playground on Wachusett street, Forest Hills, containing 88,118 square feet. The money needed for this purchase is as follows:

Purchase of land.....	\$12,000
Grading, building of fences, etc.....	5,000
	<u>\$17,000</u>

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES B. SHEA,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the sum of \$17,000 be and hereby is appropriated for the establishment of a playground on Wachusett street, Forest Hills district, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

WOMEN'S EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 18, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The present quarters and the present staff of the Boston Municipal Employment Bureau are inadequate to meet the demands made upon them, and in the interests of common decency it is desirable that a separate employment bureau be established for women whose applications for employment now number more than 100 each day, and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order which will make possible the fulfillment of the requirements of the Boston Municipal Employment Bureau.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$22,000 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Municipal Employment Bureau, under the direction of the Mayor, in the prosecution of its duties, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund when made.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

EXTENSION, WILLIAM EUSTIS PLAYGROUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 18, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The residents of the Roxbury district for many years have requested an appropriation sufficient to place in suitable condition the William Eustis Playground and I am extremely desirous that their wishes be gratified. The accompanying estimate by the Park Commission sets forth in detail the amount that in their opinion is necessary for this work and I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Park Department, March 13, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Thursday, March

13, 1924, it was voted that the city government be requested, through your Honor, to appropriate a sufficient amount of money to improve the William Eustis Playground. The estimate for the amount required is as follows:

Extension of playground by the purchase of 86,318 square feet of land, assessed valuation	\$40,000
Building of bleachers to seat about 2,500 people	32,000
Grading, filling and development of playground	10,000
Children's corner, shelter, apparatus, etc.	5,000
Building of division fence.....	13,000
Total	<u>\$100,000</u>

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES B. SHEA,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the sum of \$100,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners, for the extension and improvement of William Eustis Playground, and that to meet said appropriation, the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

MARKING OF HISTORICAL SITES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 18, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The commanding position taken by citizens of Boston since the establishment of the first settlement, to and through the Revolutionary War down to our own day, has been such an important factor in the establishment and perpetuation of free government as to render it highly important that scenes and events connected therewith be appropriately designated. With this object in mind, in 1923 I established a commission consisting of representatives of various historical societies to designate sites for suitable permanent bronze markers so that succeeding generations be informed as to persons and places inseparably linked with the movement for liberty in this section of the United States. That the object may be realized, I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the Commission on the Marking of Historical Sites, be and hereby is authorized to expend under the direction of the Mayor, a sum not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) in the prosecution of their duties, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund when made.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

D. F. Appleton, for compensation for damage to car by city team.

Sarah Auferio, for compensation for injuries caused by ice falling from roof of Hancock School.

Dominic Baglione, for compensation for damage to property at 509A Columbus avenue by tree falling.

Jerrald R. Brickman, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

James Brown, for compensation for clothing lost at the City Hospital.

Marion M. Brown, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 391 Massachusetts avenue.

Agnes E. Bugbee, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Haverford street.

Nellie M. Carty, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Belgrade avenue.

Rose Cohen, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 58 Chambers street.

J. L. Duffy, for compensation for damage to car by limb falling from tree.

Francesco Floccher, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 244 Sumner street.

Agnes L. and Thomas J. Murphy, for compensation for damage to property at 484 Massachusetts avenue by bullet fired by police officer.

J. Harris Niles estate, for compensation for damage to property at 509 Columbus avenue by tree falling.

Mrs. Frank Ochs, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 547 Columbia road.

James Polizzotti, for compensation for injuries received on the East Boston Ferry.

Ellie L. Ripley, for compensation for damage to property at 549 East Fifth street by tree falling.

John T. Shea, Jr., for compensation for damage to car on the East Boston Ferry.

Bengt A. Swenson, for compensation for damage to property at 44 Rosemont street by blocking up of sewer.

Executive.

Maria Paporello, for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Jordan Hall, April 30.

Jitneys.

Frank J. Buckley, for license to operate motor coach service from Boston to Providence.

CARS IN PEABODY SQUARE.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing on March 26, at eleven o'clock a. m., relative to standing and stopping of street railway cars in Peabody square.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearings on March 24 on various petitions for the storage and sale of gasoline. Referred to the Executive Committee.

RAILROAD POLICE.

In accordance with law notice was received from the Boston & Albany Railroad of appointment of railroad police.

Placed on file.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

Coun. WATSON called up unfinished business, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, March 10, 1924, viz.:

1. William J. Pritchard and William F. Breen, to be Constables.

2. Fred Campbell, to be a Weigher of Coal.

3. John S. Grady, to be a Weigher of Goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Moriarty and Lane. Whole number of ballots cast 9, yeas 8, nays 1, and the appointments were confirmed.

VARIOUS LOAN ORDERS.

President DONOGHUE called up unfinished business, No. 4, 5, 6 and 7.

Each order was considered separately and took its final reading, viz.:

4. Ordered, That the sum of \$800,000 be and hereby is appropriated for highways, making of, under the provisions of chapter 393 of the Acts of 1905, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On March 3, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

5. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 309 of the Acts of 1923 an additional sum of one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Fire Commissioner for the establishment of Fire Alarm Signal Station within the limits of the Back Bay Pens, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

On March 3, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

6. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, Site, \$2,500, to the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, Completion and Furnishings, \$2,500.

On March 3, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

7. Ordered, That the sum of \$500,000 be appropriated, to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings, for a municipal building and gymnasium in South Boston, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, bonds or certificates of indebtedness to said amount.

On March 3, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Passed, yeas 7, nays 0, Coun. Lane and Watson not voting.

ANNUITY FOR MRS. JOHN GRADY.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That an annuity of \$600 be allowed and paid to Mary E. Grady, widow of John Grady, a member of the Fire Department, who died on account of injuries received in the performance of his duties; such annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried, and to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

DEPUTY SOLDIERS' RELIEF COMMISSIONERS.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following:

An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Chapter 32 of the Revised Ordinances is hereby amended by adding to said ordinance the following: "and two deputy commissioners at \$3,500 per annum each, who shall be under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of the Soldiers' Relief Department."

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

ROPING OFF STREETS.

President DONOGHUE offered the following order—That the City Messenger be hereby authorized to rope off the streets in the vicinity of Union Park street and Harrison avenue on April 12 for the road race held by the Cathedral Young Men's Catholic Association, the expense to be charged to the appropriation for City Council, Flags, Ropes and Stakes.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

INDORSEMENT OF "KELLY-EDGE BILL."

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston places itself on record as in favor of the passage of the so-called "Kelly-Edge Bill," relative to increase in wages for postal employees, or for any other bill pertaining to the provisions of the "Kelly-Edge Bill."

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 3.22 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 3.40 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on petition of Maria Paporello (referred today) for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Jordan Hall, April 30,—that permit be granted.

Report accepted; permit granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for appropriation of \$22,000 for Municipal Employment Bureau—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed; yeas 7, nays 0.

3. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for appropriation of \$15,000 for marking on historical sites—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed; yeas 7, nays 0.

FINANCE.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Finance, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for loan of

\$17,000 for playground on Wachusett street, Forest Hills—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

2. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for loan of \$100,000 for extension and improvement of William Eustis Playground—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

3. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for loan of \$15,000 for Dorchester Park Improvements—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

4. Report on proposed contracts with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company (referred March 10) for furnishing gas and for equipment and lighting of gas lamps—recommending the passage of the following order, viz.:

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section six of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, a public hearing be given by the City Council on Tuesday, April 1, 1924, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., on the proposed contracts with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for furnishing gas and for the equipment and lighting of gas lamps; and that the City Clerk be directed to give notice of said hearing by advertising the same in the daily newspapers, and seven days before the date of the hearing in the City Record; the expense of said hearing and advertising to be charged to the appropriate items of the City Council appropriation.

Report accepted; order passed.

JITNEYS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Jitneys, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on petition of Abraham S. Caplan (referred January 7) for license to operate jitney buses from Park square, with various stops to Franklin Park Zoo—that a license be granted.

Report accepted; license granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on petition of Jacob Bernard Herman (referred February 11) for license to operate jitney buses from Upham's Corner and Franklin Park to Nantasket—that a license be granted (the petitioner agreeing that no local passengers be carried within the limits of the City of Boston).

Report accepted; license granted on the usual conditions.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. GILBODY moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 3.46 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. PURCELL to meet on Monday, March 24, at two o'clock p. m.

Monday, March 24, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Lane.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following were received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1924.

To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons Constables of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1924:

Charles H. Reinhart, 80 Middlesex street, Boston; Chester A. Bailey, 1302 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton; Harry Simons, 40 Hollander street, Roxbury; Henry P. Burns, 15 Sachem street, Roxbury; Warren A. Brown, 15 Idlewild street, Allston.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons Weighers of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1924:

H. W. Schafer, 257 Princeton street, East Boston; Benjamin Groman, 213 Shirley street, Winthrop; Herman Brightman, 170 Summer street, Boston.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Severally laid over under the law.

VETO—TRANSFER FOR COURTHOUSE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 21, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Under date of March 3, 1924, I submitted upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Public Buildings a request for transfer of \$2,500 from appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills Site, to the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, Completion and Furnishings.

I now find that this transfer is illegal and accordingly return it herewith without my approval.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Placed on file.

SALE OF STATION NO. 8.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 18, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the appended communication from the Superintendent of Public Buildings setting forth that his department has no further use for the building at Commercial and Battery streets formerly occupied as Police Station No. 8.

Under the circumstances, I approve his recommendation that the property be sold at public auction and recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Buildings Department,
March 7, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:
Dear Sir,—I wish to advise you that the old Police Station 8 building at the corner of Commercial and Battery streets was recently turned over to this department on the vacating of same by the Police Department and inasmuch as the Public Buildings Department has no use for said property for public purposes, I would request that if it suits your pleasure, the city dispose of same.

Respectfully yours,
FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city to sell by public auction at an upset price of \$37,300 parcel of land and building located thereon at Commercial, Battery and Salutation streets, formerly occupied for police station purposes and containing 5,323 square feet of land, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

CONVEYANCE OF LAND, WEST ROXBURY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith order drafted by the Law Department, relative to a parcel of land in West Roxbury, and respectfully recommend the adoption of the same by your honorable body.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston, in City Council.
Whereas, Under date of January 4, 1894 (see Suffolk Registry of Deeds, Book 2173, page 100), a certain parcel of land was con-

veyed to the City of Boston for the purpose of laying out a public street, known as Roberts street (West Roxbury district), by the owners of said parcel of land, and no consideration was paid by the city for said land; and

Whereas, The aforesaid parcel of land was never constructed as a public highway; and

Whereas, The Board of Street Commissioners on February 1, 1924, formally discontinued this parcel of land as a highway, the said parcel being described in the order of discontinuance as follows:

Northwesterly by the southwesterly line of Roberts street, as hereby established, fifty-five and 31-100 (55.31) feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Roberts street, as it existed previous to the discontinuance, sixty-five (65) feet; southwesterly by South Walter street, thirty-five (35) feet; and northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Roberts street, as it existed previous to this discontinuance, twenty-two and 17-100 (22.17) feet; containing 1,526 square feet, more or less.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor, in the name and behalf of the City of Boston, release, in writing in a form satisfactory to the Law Department, all its right, title and interest in the above described land to Eugene McCarthy of Winthrop, in the County of Suffolk, the owner of the property abutting on the discontinued parcel.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

SALARIES, CHARLES STREET JAIL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 20, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I beg to forward herewith communication received from the Sheriff of Suffolk County requesting an amendment to the ordinances which will permit of an equalization of salaries of watchmen-engineers employed at the Suffolk County Jail, and I respectfully recommend the adoption of the same.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Suffolk County Jail,
Boston, March 12, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:
Dear Sir,—I respectfully submit for your approval the inclosed amendment to the city ordinance providing for the salary of the watchman-engineer in charge and three watchmen-engineers operating, in the Suffolk County Jail. This amendment is necessary to place the salaries of these employees upon the same basis as those employed in like capacities in other departments of the city service.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN A. KELIHER,
Sheriff.

An Ordinance concerning the salaries of officers at the County Jail.
Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section six of chapter three of the Revised Ordinances of 1914, as amended by chapter six of the Ordinances of 1916, and chapter one of the Ordinances of 1917, and chapter two of the Ordinances of 1918, and chapter five of the Ordinances of 1919, and chapters three and five of the Ordinances of 1920, and chapter three of the Ordinances of 1923-24, is hereby further amended by striking out the whole of said section, and inserting in place thereof the following:

Sect. 6. The officers of the County of Suffolk shall be paid the salaries and allowances provided by law. The maximum salaries of the officers connected with the county jail shall be as follows:

The chief officer, three thousand dollars per annum.

The physician appointed by the sheriff, twenty-one hundred dollars per annum.

The chief clerk, twenty-one hundred dollars per annum.

The assistant clerk, nineteen hundred dollars per annum.

The first inside officer, twenty-one hundred dollars per annum.

The steward, nineteen hundred dollars per annum.

The second, third and fourth inside officers, two thousand dollars per annum.

All regularly employed officers and necessary assistants, each nineteen hundred dollars per annum.

The watchman-engineer in charge, forty-five dollars per week.

The watchmen-engineers operating, each thirty-nine dollars per week.

The matron, eleven hundred dollars per annum.

The first assistant matron one thousand dollars per annum.

Assistant matrons, each eight hundred dollars per annum.

Two chaplains, each eight hundred dollars per annum.

One chaplain, three hundred and fifty dollars per annum.

Sect. 2. This ordinance shall take effect April 1, 1924.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Henry J. Bowen, for compensation for damage to property 479 West Broadway by fire apparatus.

Hyman E. Cohen, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

L. D'antilio, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Martin F. Dunlap *et al.*, for compensation for damage to property 5 Howes street by backing up of sewer.

H. C. Hanson, for compensation for damage to property 49 Pond street by city truck.

Arthur A. Harris, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 12 South street.

Sanda R. Herson, for repayment of amount of poll tax improperly assessed to her.

Mary Hurley, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Commonwealth avenue.

Joseph T. Kilrow, for compensation for damage to property 3 Goldsmith place by city truck.

Joseph McPartlan, for refund of fee paid for park privilege.

Helen Philbrook, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 67 Warren avenue.

Grace Sawyer, for compensation for wages lost while employed at the City Hospital, on account of an injury.

Anna B. Shue, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Washington street.

Emily I. Skillings, for compensation for damage to property 16 Kingsboro park by city truck.

Esther Sokoloff, for compensation for damage to property 371 and 373 Dorchester avenue by blocking up of sewer.

Rosalind Stabins, for compensation for clothing damaged by city horse.

William H. Sullivan *et al.*, for compensation for damage to car, etc., by city car.

Alice L. Welch, for compensation for damage to property 63 Forest street by limb falling from tree.

Executive.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.:

Ethel Hawkins, Jordan Hall, April 29.

Hattie H. Smith, Mechanics Building, March 29.

Jitneys.

Pierce Bus Lines, for license to operate vehicles from Hyde Park to the Dedham line.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, for license to operate motor vehicles on Strand-way and Columbia road.

Ordinances.

Petition of Neil P. Coyle *et al.*, for hearing before the City Council relative to violation of city ordinances.

CANCELLATION OF JITNEY BOND.

Notice was received from the Fidelity & Casualty Company of New York of the cancellation of the jitney bond of the Norfolk & Bristol Bus Company.

Placed on file.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constable's bond of William J. Pritchard.

Approved by the City Council.

RAILWAY LOCATION.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of passage of order granting the Boston Elevated Railway Company 34th location on Dorchester avenue.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENTS.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointments of Edward T. Kelly as assessor, and of James F. Eagan as Election Commissioner, certified copies of the same having been sent to the Civil Service Commission.

SIDEWALK SCHEDULES.

Communications were received from the Acting Commissioner of Public Works recommending the passage of orders for cost of constructing artificial stone sidewalks on the following streets, viz.:

Belgrade avenue, Ward 23, \$11,305.49; Linden Park street, Ward 13, \$55.68; Robinhood street, Ward 17, \$188; Magazine street, Ward 12, \$359.04.

The several orders were passed.

BILL OF JOHN F. SULLIVAN.

A voucher to the amount of \$166.66 was received for the salary of John F. Sullivan, court officer, Chelsea District Court.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CLERK HIRE.

The Register of Deeds, in accordance with law, submitted pay roll certifying that certain persons had been employed in his office from February 18 to March 15, and that work had been performed to the amount of \$9,471.47.

Approved and ordered paid.

VARIOUS LOAN ORDERS.

President DONOGHUE called up Nos. 1 to 5, inclusive, the orders being acted upon separately and passed, yeas 8, nays 0, viz.:

1. Ordered, That the sum of \$225,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the erection of a new courthouse in the Brighton district, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On March 10, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed yeas 9.

2. Ordered, That the sum of \$75,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings for the purchase of a site and preparation of plans for a courthouse, Dorchester district, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On March 10, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

3. Ordered, That an additional sum of \$150,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated for Columbus Park improvements, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On March 10, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

4. Ordered, That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) be and is hereby appropriated for bleachers and general improvements at the William E. Carter Playground, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On March 10, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

5. Ordered That an additional sum of \$25,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings for the establishment of a police station, Hyde Park district, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On March 10, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES, BRIDGE EMPLOYEES.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That chapter 89 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Providing Retirement Allowances for Em-

ployees of the Boston and Cambridge Bridges Commission, so-called," be and the same is hereby accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 2.42 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.16 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Reports on petitions (referred today) for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement—that permits be granted, viz.:

Ethel Hawkins, Jordan Hall, April 29.
Hattie H. Smith, Mechanics Building, March 29.

Reports accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on communication from the Street Commissioners (referred March 3) giving notice of hearings on petition to store and sell gasoline at various locations—that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; communication placed on file.

PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted a report on message of Mayor and preamble and order (referred today) relative to parcel of land on Roberts street, West Roxbury—that the preamble and order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 6, nays 0, Coun. Gilbody, Lane and Moriarty not voting.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

ANNUITY FOR MRS. PATRICK J. NEYLON.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That an annuity of \$600 be allowed and paid to Mrs. Patrick J. Neylon, widow of Patrick J. Neylon, a member of the Fire Department, who died on account of injuries received in the performance of his duties; such annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried, and to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

NEW STREET SIGNS, WARD 5.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to include in the annual appropriation bill a sum sufficient to supply new street signs for the retail store district in Ward 5.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CONCRETE STAND, ETC., COLUMBUS AVENUE PLAYGROUND.

It was voted, on motion of Coun. WATSON, to take No. 6 from the table, viz.:

6. Ordered, That the sum of \$50,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners, to provide for the erection of a concrete stand and for other improvements for the Columbus Avenue Playground, and the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon direction of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On February 25, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Indefinitely postponed, on motion of Coun. WATSON.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. PURCELL moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 4.19 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to meet on Monday, March 31, at two o'clock p. m.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Mar. 17, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6.30 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, and Mr. O'Hare.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

Feb. 4, 1924—on page 3—to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Madaline Small, as assistant, Longfellow District, to take effect Jan. 21, 1924, shall read "fifth year."

Mar. 3, 1924—on page 27—to provide that the assignment of Blanche Young, assistant, Dwight District, to a class attended exclusively by boys in a grade above the third in that district, shall read to take effect Feb. 27, 1922, instead of "Feb. 27, 1924."

Mar. 3, 1924—on page 28—to provide that the order establishing the salary of Elizabeth M. Daley, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Quincy District, at the rate of thirteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,320) per annum, shall read to take effect Feb. 4, 1924, instead of "Feb. 25, 1924."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed, as amended.

WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENT.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has withdrawn the following appointment from the eligible list as reported at the meeting of Mar. 3, 1924:

Hugh O'Brien District—Catherine M. Hanley, assistant, Mar. 18, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment withdrawn.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teacher:

Martin District—Julia L. Frank, assistant, Mar. 1, 1924.
Placed on file.

The Superintendent also reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension:

Shurtleff District—Winifred C. Folan, Mar. 5, 1924.
Placed on file.

RESIGNATION.

The following resignation reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the date stated, was presented:

Department of Manual Arts—Theodore M. Dillaway, Director, Mar. 28, 1924.

Accepted.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Bigelow District—Helen M. Reardon, Feb. 4, 1924.
 Dearborn District—Patricia E. Hagan, Mar. 3, 1924.
 Henry Grew District—Carolyn F. Harlow, Feb. 26, 1924 (one day).
 John Marshall District—Mary E. Slattery, Feb. 1, 1924.
 John Winthrop District—Anna M. Holland, Mar. 10, 1924.
 Julia Ward Howe District—Margaret M. Herlihy, Mar. 3, 1924.
 Oliver Hazard Perry District—Winifred G. Creed, Feb. 25, 1924 (one day).
 Robert Gould Shaw District—Harold E. Keay, Feb. 1, 1924.
 Thomas Gardner District—Mary A. O'Toole, Mar. 14, 1924; Belle S. Beardsley, Mar. 4, 1924.
 Day School for Immigrants—Theresa C. Noonan, Mar. 3, 1924; Margaret Stack, Mar. 5, 1924.
 Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Charlestown High School—James H. Kenney, Jr., junior master, Mar. 11, 1924.
 Department of Household Science and Arts—Irene McGuire, teacher of cookery, Jan. 30, 1924.
 Placed on file.

REAPPOINTMENTS OF TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Latin and Day High Schools—Cecilia M. McCann, assistant, speech improvement class, Mar. 5, 1924; Harry B. Roche, instructor of drum and bugle corps, and signalling, Mar. 5, 1924; Francis A. Mahan, instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling, Mar. 21, 1924; Michael J. Lannon, instructor, military drill for Rifle Range, Apr. 3, 1924.
 Public Latin School—Gerard B. Cleary, Charles S. Fitzgerald, Otis B. Oakman, John B. O'Hayre, junior masters, Mar. 5, 1924.
 Brighton High School—Maude W. Barlow, assistant, Mar. 5, 1924; Charles F. Brown, junior master, Mar. 5, 1924; Mildred M. McEachern, industrial instructor (three-fifths time), Mar. 5, 1924.
 Charlestown High School—John F. Kerrigan, junior master, Mar. 5, 1924; Raymond J. Powers, co-operative instructor, Mar. 12, 1924.
 Dorchester High School—Edward Balfe, Joseph F. Cooper, Gerard J. Deeley, junior masters, Mar. 5, 1924.
 East Boston High School—William M. Murphy, junior master, Mar. 5, 1924.
 English High School—Charles F. Coveney, junior master, Mar. 3, 1924; Ralph G. Gilbert, Paul Keller, Charles C. McCool, John H. Ward, junior masters, Mar. 5, 1924; Hugo Giduz, junior master, Mar. 28, 1924.
 Girls' High School—Elizabeth M. Wood, assistant instructor, salesmanship, Mar. 5, 1924.
 High School of Commerce—Richard A. Quinn, junior master, Mar. 5, 1924.
 High School of Practical Arts—Violet L. Russell, industrial instructor, Mar. 5, 1924.
 Jamaica Plain High School—Gertrude E. Welch, assistant, Mar. 5,

1924; Esther Hennessey, assistant, Mar. 12, 1924.

Boston Trade School—Arthur A. Capitell, shop foreman, Mar. 5, 1924; Charles L. Milward, senior instructor, Mar. 5, 1924; Ralph F. Morrison, shop foreman, Mar. 26, 1924.

Continuation School—Charles A. Bossi, shop instructor, Mar. 7, 1924.

Prescott District—John J. Norton, prevocational assistant, March 3, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—John B. Dunne, shop instructor and assistant instructor, Mar. 5, 1924; William H. Powers, shop instructor and assistant instructor, Mar. 5, 1924; Joseph N. Mannino, shop instructor, Mar. 5, 1924; Joseph J. Assmus, emergency shop instructor, Mar. 7, 1924; Rudolph P. Hague, emergency shop instructor, Mar. 12, 1924; Thomas Schofield, emergency shop instructor and emergency assistant instructor, Mar. 12, 1924; James E. Mulvanity, emergency assistant instructor, Mar. 17, 1924; Rodney F. Paschal, assistant instructor, Mar. 17, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—S. Myrta Abbott, Miriam W. Crowley, Sarah L. Foley, Helen Nutt, Elizabeth O'Connor, teachers of cookery, Mar. 5, 1924; Mary V. Connors, Mary E. Donovan, Caroline Dyer, Caroline T. Fries, Mary C. Gaudrault, Katherine E. Hickey, Jennie Williston, teachers of sewing, Mar. 5, 1924; Edith G. Trout, trade assistant, Mar. 19, 1924; Mary A. Doherty, teacher of millinery, Mar. 5, 1924; Minnie Darrow, trade assistant, Mar. 5, 1924.
 Approved.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Chapman District—Alice K. Cummings, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924.

Dillaway District—Mary M. O'Gara, assistant (seventh year), Apr. 21, 1924.

Hancock District—Emeline V. Holohan, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Gertrude A. Coffey, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924.

Henry Grew District—Anna I. Danahy, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924.

Hugh O'Brien District—Mary Jordan, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924.

Jefferson-Comins District—Marie M. Raftery, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Margaret M. Hosman, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Elizabeth B. Fahey, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924; Elizabeth M. Donohue, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924; Margaret C. Lyons, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924; Helen C. MacLean, assistant (from assistant, kindergarten, Dudley District), Apr. 1, 1924.

Sherwin District—Phoebe Pinzur, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Alice E. Connolly, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924; Mary W. Dunlevy, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924; Mildred R. Smith, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924.

Laid over.

(By Promotion.)

Continuation School—Thomas P. Burns, James F. Crotty, Patrick J. Donovan, Vincent L. Greene, William V. McKenney, Charles P. York, senior instructors (from instructors' boys' classes) Apr. 1, 1924.
 Laid over.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1923-24.

Bigelow Evening School—Anne D. Allard, assistant, Mar. 13, 1924 (one

evening); Teresa L. Carlin, assistant, Mar. 13, 1924 (one evening).

Bowdoin Evening School—Angela M. Pearce, assistant, Mar. 4, 1924.

Charles Sumner Evening School—Agnes C. Brennan, assistant, Mar. 3, 4, 1924 (two evenings).

Comins Evening School—Helen C. Conway, assistant, Mar. 3, 1924; Mary E. Mulligan, assistant, Feb. 4 to 14, 1924 (six evenings).

Dearborn Evening School—Helen R. Campbell, assistant, Feb. 28, 1924 (one evening); Katharine O'Brien, assistant, Feb. 14, 1924.

Franklin Evening School—Winifred A. Golden, assistant, Mar. 10, 1924.

George Putnam Evening School—Lucile A. Harrington, assistant, Feb. 25, 1924 (one evening); Theresa C. Murray, assistant, Feb. 11 to 26, 1924 (four evenings); Mary E. O'Donnell, assistant, Feb. 28, 1924 (one evening).

Hyde Park Evening School—Lillias A. S. Grandison, assistant, Mar. 10, 1924.

Theodore Lyman Evening School—Sarah B. Brennan, assistant, Mar. 4, 6, 1924 (two evenings).

Washington Evening School—Mary F. Sharkey, assistant, Feb. 14, 1924 (one evening); Kathleen G. Tobin, assistant, Mar. 10, 1924.

Boston Trade School, (Evening Classes)—John Corpacci, second assistant, Feb. 28, 1924.

Trade School for Girls, (Extension Classes)—Magdalena Columbus, Nora Ford, Eleanor G. Wright, trade assistants, Jan. 2, 1924.

Approved.

EMPLOYMENT OF STUDENT AID, EXTENSION CLASSES, TRADE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Rose Moran as student-aid in the Extension Classes in the Trade School for Girls is hereby authorized for two evenings in January, seven evenings in February, and four evenings in March, the compensation for such service to be at the rate of one dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) per evening.

EMPLOYMENT OF TEACHER COACH OF SWIMMING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Elmer R. Bowker as teacher coach of swimming is hereby authorized in the Latin and day high schools and Boston Trade School, during the months of February, March and April, 1924, compensation for said service to be at the rate of four dollars (\$4.00) for each day of service.

EMPLOYMENT OF PLAY TEACHER, EAST BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Lawrence A. Howard as play teacher is hereby authorized in the East Boston High School, to take effect January 1, 1924, and to continue for the remainder of the current school term, compensation for said service to be at the rate of two dollars, twenty-five cents (\$2.25) per session.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Sybil G. Bean, Vivian E. Burton, Mary T. Colbert, Elizabeth M. Donnelly, Mary C. Dooley, Elizabeth B. Fahey, Mary E. Grant, Lilla Wheeler Lang, Catherine C. Leach, Gertrude H. A. Mann, Thomas Phelan, Phyllis K. Smith, Grace Fogg Stewart, Mary Stark Vanston, Gertrude Viano, Edith G. Waite.
Approved.

TRANSFERS.

John Winthrop District—Agnes M. Leavey, assistant, to the same position in the Agassiz District, Mar. 10, 1924.

Comins Evening School—Joseph W. Galligan, assistant, to the same position in the Quincy Evening School, Mar. 13, 1924.

Hyde Park Evening School—Marion L. Scannell, assistant, to the same position in the Eliot Evening School, Mar. 11, 1924.

Phillips Brooks Evening School—Della M. Coneys, assistant, to the same position in the Franklin Evening School, Mar. 3, 1924.

Theodore Lyman Evening School—Clara Fopiano, assistant, to the same position in the Washington Evening School, Mar. 4, 1924.
Approved.

EMPLOYMENT OF SUBSTITUTE ATTENDANT, HORACE MANN SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Marion F. Ahearn is hereby authorized as substitute attendant for Mary E. Anthony in the Horace Mann School for the Deaf to take effect Feb. 26, 1924 and that she be paid for substitute service at the rate of three dollars (\$3.00) per day.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Dorchester High School—Louisa E. Humphrey, assistant, Mar. 12, 1924, one day, without pay.

Mechanic Arts High School—Howard D. Kenyon, junior master, Mar. 12, 1924, one day, without pay.

Roxbury High School—Annie C. Johnson, assistant instructor, commercial branches, Mar. 12, 1924, one day, without pay; Edith A. Parkhurst, first assistant, head of department, Mar. 12, 1924, one day, without pay.

South Boston High School—Anna T. Kelley, assistant, Mar. 12, 1924, one day, without pay.

Boston Clerical School—Raymond G. Laird, head master, Mar. 3, 1924, one day, without pay.

Abraham Lincoln District—Helen L. Hilton, master's assistant, from Apr. 1 to June 19, 1924.

Bigelow District—Francis M. Morrissey, submaster, Mar. 11, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Bowditch District—Nellie I. Lapham, assistant, from Mar. 1 to May 31, 1924; M. F. Martina McDonald, assistant, Feb. 28, 29, 1924, two days, without pay; Anna C. Shea, assistant, from Mar. 1 to May 31, 1924.

Eliot District—E. Idella Seldis, assistant, from Feb. 29 to Apr. 8, 1924.
Julia Ward Howe District—Anna F. Bayley, assistant, from Mar. 1 to 31, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Irene H. Walsh, assistant kindergarten, Feb. 28, 1924, one day, court summons;

Irene H. Walsh, assistant kindergarten, Feb. 29, 1924, one day, without pay.

Washington Allston District—Mabel P. Foster, assistant, Feb. 5, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Louise A. Keeler, assistant, from Feb. 1 to Mar. 28, 1924.

Wendell Phillips District—Susan A. McKenna, assistant, Mar. 13, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Department of Household Science and Arts—M. Lillian Dunbar, teacher of sewing, Feb. 15, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Mary H. Skelton, teacher of sewing, Feb. 8, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Frances A. Burnham, school nurse, Feb. 28, 29, Mar. 1, 1924, two and one-half days, without pay; Mary B. O'Donnell, school nurse, Mar. 7, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Russell F. Sheldon, school physician, Mar. 3, 1924, one day, funeral.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Ethel S. Fletcher, vocational assistant, Feb. 18 to 21, 1924, four days, without loss of pay (vacation); Susan J. Ginn, director, Feb. 20, 21, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (vacation); Thomas D. Ginn, vocational instructor, Feb. 18 to 21, 1924, four days, without loss of pay (vacation); Bessie MacBride, vocational assistant, Feb. 8, 20, 21, 1924, three days, without loss of pay (vacation); Mercedes E. O'Brien, vocational assistant, Feb. 18 to 21, 1924, four days, without loss of pay (vacation); Irving O. Scott, vocational instructor, Feb. 8, and 12 to 15, 1924, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Abigail D. Steere, vocational assistant, Feb. 18 to 21, 1924, four days, without loss of pay (vacation); Henry Wisansky, vocational instructor, Feb. 18 to 21, 1924, four days, without loss of pay (vacation).

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, reporting the following designations of teachers to serve in the positions indicated, until such time as they shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated:

Agassiz District—Margherita R. Milliken, assistant, as acting master's assistant, (vice Emma F. West, absent on leave), Sept. 1, 1923.

Charles Sumner District—Mildred C. Phillips, assistant, kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten, (vice Katherine Macdonald, absent on leave), Oct. 22, 1923.

Quincy District—Elizabeth M. Daley, assistant, kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten Jan. 2 to Feb. 1, 1924, inclusive; T. Marion Parmelee, assistant, kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten, (vice Helen M. Jameson, absent on leave), Jan. 2 to Feb. 7, 1924, both dates inclusive.

Samuel Adams District—Sarah G. Maguire, assistant, kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten, (vice Mildred O'Connell, absent on leave), Jan. 28, to Feb. 29, 1924, both dates inclusive.

PAYMENT TO TEMPORARY INSTRUCTOR OF DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS AND SIGNALING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be allowed and paid the sum of eighty-eight

dollars (\$88) to Francis A. Mahan for services rendered as temporary instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling during the month of February, 1924, upon certification by the Director of Physical Training to the Superintendent that the services covered by said amount have been rendered.

PAYMENT TO SUBSTITUTE TEACHER, FORT STRONG SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be allowed and paid to Joanna B. Galvin compensation at the rate of six dollars (\$6) per day for service as substitute for the regular teacher at the Fort Strong School from Feb. 11 to 15, 1924, inclusive, five days.

EXTENSION OF EVENING SCHOOL TERM.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That an extension of the current evening school term for the purpose of instruction in English and in Citizenship is hereby authorized from April 21 to May 23, 1924, in the following-named schools:

Elementary Schools.

Bigelow Evening School, in the Bigelow Schoolhouse.

Dearborn Evening School, in the Dearborn Schoolhouse.

Eliot Evening School, in the Eliot Schoolhouse.

Franklin Evening School, in the Franklin Schoolhouse.

Phillips Brooks Evening School, in the Phillips Brooks Schoolhouse.

Roger Wolcott Evening School, in the Roger Wolcott Schoolhouse.

Theodore Lyman Evening School, in the Theodore Lyman Schoolhouse.

Washington Evening School, in the Washington Schoolhouse.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That classes in Lip Reading in the Franklin Evening School are hereby authorized during the extension of the evening school term, from April 21 to May 23, 1924.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT, SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board and with the approval of the Department of Public Welfare, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, he has appointed Ruth Yankelewitz as assistant in the office of the Superintendent, by transfer from the Department of Public Welfare, to take effect Mar. 10, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Ruth Yankelewitz, assistant, office of the Superintendent, is hereby established at twenty dollars (\$20) per week, to take effect Mar. 10, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

REPORTS ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, a report of Augustine L. Raftier, Assistant Superintendent, of his attendance at the Convention of the National Education Association, held at Chicago, Feb. 25 to 29, 1924.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, a report of Myron W. Richardson, Head Master, Girls' High School, of his attendance at the Convention of the National Education Association, held at Chicago, Feb. 25 to 29, 1924.

Placed on file.

AMENDMENTS TO REGULATIONS.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, recommending the passage of the accompanying order amending Section 281, paragraph 9, and Section 291, paragraph 4 of the regulations.

Placed on file.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 281, paragraph 9. Insert the following in the ninth line to immediately follow the word "district"—(provided no special assistant is employed under the provisions of Section 291, paragraph 4) so that the paragraph will read as follows:

9. Special assistants may be appointed in schools where the number of pupils reaches or exceeds the number indicated in the following tabulation:

Number of Pupils
Required

Grade I.	50
Grade II. to VIII., inclusive..	60
Special classes	20
Special English classes	40
Ungraded classes	40

In Modern Language classes, not more than one to a district (provided no special assistant is employed under the provisions of Section 291, paragraph 4), and in classes of first assistants in charge, in kindergartens, in the Horace Mann School, and in schools where there is a sub-master in charge or a master's assistant in charge, on the recommendation of the Superintendent.

Section 291, paragraph 4. Strike out the words "each additional five classes" at the close of the paragraph, and substitute in place thereof, the following:

five or more additional classes, so that the paragraph will read as follows:

4. In addition to the regular teachers, one special assistant may be appointed in a day intermediate school for ten classes, and an additional special assistant may be appointed for five or more additional classes.

Laid over.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 301, paragraph 3. Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof the following:

3. There shall be one or more armorers who shall be selected and appointed directly by the Board.

Laid over.

CERTIFICATION AND APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY ATTENDANCE OFFICERS.

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Mar. 10, 1924, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible for appointment as temporary attendance officers:

James H. Mahoney, William F. Blood, John L. McGrath, and Jerome A. Lally.

Placed on file.

On motion, James H. Mahoney and Jerome A. Lally, the two candidates standing highest on the list willing to accept appointment, were appointed temporary attendance officers, to take effect Mar. 18, 1924.

EXTENSION OF EMPLOYMENT OF TEMPORARY ATTENDANCE OFFICER.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the provisional employment of John W. Curley as temporary attendance officer for service on Saturdays in the market district, at a compensation of five dollars (\$5) per day, is hereby approved for the further period Apr. 1, 1924, to and including June 30, 1924, subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service.

COMPENSATION OF CUSTODIAN, ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, FOR OVERTIME SERVICE.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Custodian of the Administration Building for attendance and supervision after 6 o'clock p. m. when the building is occupied by the Board or under provisions of permits duly issued by the Board, shall be paid additional compensation at the following rates:

From 6 o'clock p. m. to 7 p. m. or any part thereof, \$1.00. From 7 o'clock to 10.30 p. m. at the rate of \$1.00 per hour.

Later than 10.30 o'clock at the rate of \$2.00 per hour.

No compensation for the Custodian shall be allowed for any fraction of an hour smaller than one-quarter.

TRANSFER OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Bigelow School-house, and recommending that James F. Cooper, custodian of the Phillips Brooks School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Mar. 23, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of James F. Cooper approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Emerson School-house and Portables Nos. 66, 36, 68, 100, 130 and 154, and recommending that Ira M. Jacobs, custodian of the Charles C. Perkins School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Mar. 14, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Ira M. Jacobs approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Miles Standish School-house, and recommending that Frederick P. Johnson, custodian of the Hobart Street School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Mar. 14, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Frederick P. Johnson approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Philip H. Sheridan School-house, and recommending that Thomas W. McLean, custodian of the Curtis Guild School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Mar. 23, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Thomas W. McLean approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Roger Wolcott School-house and Portable No. 12, and recommending that William Murphy, custodian of the Frances E. Willard School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Mar. 14, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of William Murphy approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Ellis Mendell School-house and Portables Nos. 16 and 171, and recommending that William Sennott, custodian of the John D. Philbrick School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Mar. 17, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of William Sennott approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 17, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Edward Everett School-house, and recommending that Joseph J. Sheehan, custodian of the Longfellow School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Mar. 14, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Joseph J. Sheehan approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, un-

der date of Mar. 17, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Aaron Davis School-house and Portable No. 134, and recommending that Neil J. Toland, custodian of the Oak Square School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Mar. 14, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Neil J. Toland approved, to take effect on the date stated.

APPOINTMENT OF HIGH SCHOOL WOMEN TEACHERS TO DEPARTMENT OF PRACTICE AND TRAINING.

A communication was received from Helen F. Keefe, President, High School Women's Club, under date of Mar. 15, 1924, reporting that at a regular meeting of the Club it was voted to ask the Board to take under consideration the following suggestions:

(1) The appointment to the Department of Practice and Training of a woman who has had practical experience in the teaching of Academic Subjects in the High Schools of Boston.

(2) The appointment to the Department of Practice and Training of a woman who has had practical experience in the teaching of Commercial Subjects in the High Schools of Boston.

Referred to the Superintendent for consideration and report.

PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF HAZELTON STREET, DORCHESTER.

A petition, signed by various property owners on Hazelton Street, Dorchester, requesting that the City of Boston accept this street as one of its accepted streets and that the street be finished and made a public way, was received.

Referred to the Superintendent for consideration and report.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary.

ABSENTEE VOTING AT STATE ELECTIONS.

By Chapter 289, General Acts of 1919, any registered voter absent from home at election time may vote by mailing an "official absent voting ballot" previously applied for and obtained from the Election Commissioners, to the latter so as to be received before the polls close. Said ballot must be marked by the voter privately but within the observation of an official authorized to administer oaths, and of no other person, in a municipality which is separated by at least two municipalities from that in which he is registered. The voter must make affidavit before said official, enclose ballot in official envelope and mail same on or before day of election.

Of 868 Absentee ballots mailed to Election Dept., on or before Nov. 2, 1920, 570 were counted, 10 were rejected and 288 were uncounted because not received until after closing of polls.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS FINANCED FROM GENERAL INCOME INSTEAD OF LOANS.

In the five fiscal years, 1916 to 1920, inclusive, the total expenditures from General Income for various improvements (such as were formerly financed from loans) amounted to \$10,012,613, or \$5,588,187 for streets, sidewalks, and bridges; \$3,215,147 for new schoolhouses, etc., \$526,501 for parks, playgrounds, etc., and \$682,778 for other objects.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO PLUMBING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for installing new sanitation, etc., in the Bunker Hill School, Baldwin street, corner Bunker Hill street, and the Thomas Starr King School, Bunker Hill street, corner Charles street, Charlestown, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday noon, April 2, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, April 25, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(March 29.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAMP-POSTS, SIGN FRAMES AND COLUMN AT MAVERICK STATION, EAST BOSTON.

The Transit Department of the City of Boston, 1 Beacon street, seventh floor, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and erecting four bronze or cast-iron lamp-posts, one three-faced bronze or cast-iron sign frame on bronze or cast-iron column, and five bronze or cast-iron sign frames, at Maverick Station, East Boston. A bond of an approved surety company will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in a sum of 50 per cent of the total bid price. Proposals should be filled out and signed by the bidder on forms to be obtained at this office, inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Erecting Bronze or Cast-iron Lamp Posts, Sign Frames and Column at Maverick Station, East Boston," and left at the above address before 12 m. on Monday, April 14, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read, with a properly certified check in the sum of two hundred fifty (250) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the contract, within the time prescribed after the date of the notification by the department of the acceptance of the proposal and the readiness of the contract for signature, is not executed by the bidder. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor before the time named for opening the proposals. Specifications and forms of contract can be obtained at this office. The right to reject any and all proposals, and to award the contract as is deemed to be for the best interest of the City of Boston is reserved.

By order of the CITY OF BOSTON TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

(March 29.)

EDWARD F. CONDON,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing electrical supplies to the Fire Department, as per specifications, which may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at said office, and leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Monday, April 7, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 29.) Superintendent of Supplies.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 45 PER CENT ASPHALTIC ROAD OIL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Street Cleaning and Oiling Service, 350,000 gallons, more or less, of 45 per cent asphaltic road oil, as per specifications. Quote price applied to the road. Oil to be delivered as required. Proposals, with a certified check for \$500, to be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Friday, April 4, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 29.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR NEWS PAPER AND NEWS PAPER BLOCKS FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the several school buildings in accordance with orders, news paper and news paper blocks. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor, signed by the bidder and left before twelve o'clock m. on Tuesday, April 8, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for three hundred dollars (\$300), payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bids must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as directed above, and the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder will be required to deposit a certified check or a surety bond for not less than 25 per cent of the amount of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bids as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. All bids are received and accepted subject to the making of sufficient appropriation by the School Committee to meet the cost of this material.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(March 29.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WIRE FENCE AT RONAN PARK, DORCHESTER.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for wire fence at Ronan Park, Dorchester. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Wire Fence at Ronan Park, Dorchester," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, April 10, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(March 29-April 5.) Commissioners.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN CORINNE ROAD, BETWEEN EXISTING SEWER AND END OF STREET, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Corinne road, between existing sewer and end of street, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Corinne Road," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, April 16, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 27, 1924. (March 29.)

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LEASING THE CONCESSION PRIVILEGE FOR FURNISHING WEIGHING MACHINES IN CONVENIENCE STATIONS AND BUILDINGS OF THE PARK DEPARTMENT FOR A TERM OF THREE YEARS.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, for leasing the concession privilege for furnishing weighing machines in the convenience stations and buildings of the Park Department, City of Boston, for a term of three years, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, April 3, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$50, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(March 29.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN SCHOOL STREET, BETWEEN WAVERLY STREET AND FLETCHER STREET, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for sewerage works in School street, between Waverly street and Fletcher street, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seventeen hundred (1,700) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in School Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, April 14, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 27, 1924. (March 29.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR NINE (9) TRAILERS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Sanitary Service, Public Works Department,

Nine trailers for the collection of garbage and wagons.

Specifications for the above may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the above office, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$400, will be received at the above office until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, April 7, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(March 29.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, March 27, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Chauncy street, Boston proper, as a highway, on the southeasterly side, between Summer street and Bedford street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of April 9, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(March 29.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING COMBINATION SPRINKLING AND FLUSHING MOTOR TRUCKS FOR WATERING AND FLUSHING STREETS.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for furnishing combination sprinkling and flushing motor trucks for watering and flushing streets in Districts Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6-9, 7, 8 and 10. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposal may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing Combination Sprinkling and Flushing Motor Trucks for Watering and Flushing Streets," and left at Room 508, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, April 7, 1924, with a certified check of twenty-five hundred (2,500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price bid appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The bidder must furnish at least two trucks, but the Commissioner reserves the right to increase the number of trucks if he deems it necessary. Each truck must have a capacity of at least 1200 gallons, and all trucks must be equipped with a pressure device satisfactory to the Commissioner. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interests of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, March 27, 1924. (March 29.)

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, March 27, 1924.

That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public convenience requires the making of specific repairs on the following streets, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of April 9, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

Shawmut avenue, Boston proper, and Roxbury districts, from Warrenton street to Roxbury street, by substituting asphalt or bitulithic pavement for the present granite block pavement.

Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester district, from Canterbury street to the Neponset river, westerly side, by substituting asphalt or bitulithic pavement for the present macadam pavement.

Florida street, Dorchester district, cutting down of the width of the sidewalks and the grass plots.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(March 29.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

STREET LIGHTING CONTRACTS.

CITY OF BOSTON,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
March 21, 1924.

The City Council of the City of Boston will give a public hearing in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday, April 1, 1924, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., on the proposed contracts with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for furnishing gas for street lighting and for the equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the City of Boston, excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park, for a period of ten years.

By order of the City Council.

(March 29.) JAMES DONOVAN,
City Clerk.

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BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOW COMPLETELY MOTORIZED, IS PRIDE OF MAYOR AND CITIZENS.

LAST MINUTE IMPROVEMENTS IN FIRE-FIGHTING APPARATUS PLACES CITY IN FIRST RANK OF THOSE PREPARED TO BATTLE FLAMES AND DESTRUCTION.



[Photo by Harry Kelly.]

ONE OF LATEST TYPES OF MOTOR FIRE-FIGHTING APPARATUS, WHICH NOW MAKES BOSTON PRE-EMINENT IN PROPERTY PROTECTION.

Boston can now boast of having a Fire Department completely motorized and with that boast she stands among the first cities in the country in the matter of fire-fighting equipment. This fact is one of the greatest sources of pride not only to members of the Fire Department, from Fire Commissioner Glynn down to the newest member, but also to Mayor Curley for the citizens of Boston.

The motorization of the Boston Fire Department has been a matter of gradual progress over a period of many years. The first piece of motor-driven fire-fighting apparatus was installed in the Boston Fire Department in 1911, although for several years previous to this some of the chief officers of the department were equipped with steam-driven or motor-driven automobiles. From 1911 to 1916 automobile fire apparatus was in an experimental stage. In 1916 a definite plan for purchasing motor-driven apparatus was decided upon and since then the

following amounts have been expended for this equipment:

Year ending January 31, 1917	\$50,750
Year ending January 31, 1918	121,970
Year ending January 31, 1920	220,706
Year ending January 31, 1921	135,317
Year ending January 31, 1922	103,900
Year ending January 31, 1923	122,780
Year ending January 31, 1924	261,908

Today the Fire Department is completely motorized, the last piece of horse-drawn apparatus having been removed from service October 18, 1923. The figures given above practically represent the expenditure of money for the present motor equipment in the Boston Fire Department as the pieces purchased between 1911 and 1917 have all been replaced.

One of the greatest strides that has been made in fire-fighting is the gasoline pumping engine which has displaced the steam

fire engine. One of the advantages of the gasoline pumping engine is, that it is ready to function at any moment, day or night, with a capacity of not less than 750 gallons of water per minute. The Boston Fire Department has several gasoline pumping engines in service with a rated capacity of 1,000 gallons per minute. Both the 750 and the 1,000 gallon size pumping engines have a reserve capacity of approximately 300 gallons. The value and efficiency of the steam fire engine cannot be compared with the gasoline pumping engine in view of the fact that one man can operate a gasoline pump with two or three streams functioning, while in the case of a steam fire engine, it requires the services of an engineer and a driver to operate it and keep fuel supplied. Another advantage of motor apparatus is that it does not cost anything when it is not in service. With the horse-drawn equipment the horses had to be fed and cared for whether or not they performed any service.

BOSTON AFTER MUCH UNTAXED PROPERTY HIDDEN IN WAREHOUSES.

The Board of Assessors have gone on a hunt for millions of dollars' worth of property claimed to be hidden away in storage warehouses, in which prominent Boston banks are alleged to be innocently or deliberately conniving.

The banks are holding as security millions of dollars' worth of foodstuffs and other valuable articles of commerce, and refusing to give to the Assessing Department the names of the true owners, so that the property may be subjected to the regular tax, it is claimed.

The fact that the beneficiaries under it escape taxation, while honest men willingly pay taxation on extensive holdings in similar commodities, throws the whole taxation system in this field out of kilter, they assert.

The Board has instructed its agents relative to two or three major items in the tentative policy. Valuations are to be considerably raised in business thoroughfares to the south of centers like Huntington avenue.

Warehouses in various sections of the city are to receive special attention from the deputies, both for the goods they contain and for the possibility of fairly advancing the assessments on the land and buildings themselves.

Chairman Edward T. Kelly and Principal Assessors Neal J. Holland and Joseph G. O'Malley will have an intensive time of it daily from now on, directing the operations and acting as umpire for the Board's field agents.

All persons subject to a personal tax must file statements of their taxable properties prior to May 15, or stand a heavy penalty, the assessors announce.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Advertising.

A rate of \$2 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the *City Record*. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by Thursday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, April 7, at two o'clock p. m.

Meeting of the School Committee, Monday, April 7, at 6.30 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquises, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

The Retirement Board makes the following report for the month of March:

To the Auditor:

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board held on Tuesday, March 18, 1924, the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at close of business Monday, March 31, 1924:

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Walter M. Leighton, watchman, salary at time of retirement, \$1,716 a year.

Mary H. Rollins, editor, salary at time of retirement, \$2,080 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

David H. Nugent, chief carpenter, salary at time of retirement, \$34.52 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Ferry Service.

James Kearney, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Sanitary Service.

James Manning, watchman, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Water Division.

Alfred H. Stewart, Distribution Branch, machinist, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

PLAYGROUND FOR MATTAPAN.

The proposed playground in Mattapan, for which the Mattapan-Milton Board of Trade has been waging a relentless contest, will be a reality. This much was decided during a conference between representatives of the Board of Trade and Mayor Curley in City Hall. The location will be on the west side of Blue

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

Hill avenue, Mattapan, within the tract known as Collins Field.

The new playground is admirably situated. During years it has been an unauthorized center for baseball and other activities. It is removed from danger from passing automobiles and railroad traffic, and is deemed just suitable for the needs of the youngsters and mothers in charge of children, who have been looking for such a center some time.

It is expected that draining and grading will be started this spring. The Mattapan residents will be gratified on hearing of the acquisition of this large acreage for recreation purposes.

GROUND BROKEN FOR NEW FIRE ALARM STATION.

Mayor Curley operated a steam shovel in the Fenway Wednesday afternoon, the occasion being the breaking of ground for the new \$600,000 fire alarm signal station, which is to take the place of present headquarters on Bristol street.

After an intensive course of instruction in the handling of levers that operate the big apparatus, Mayor Curley got into action and drove the shovel's nose into the soft earth.

With a full load of loam aboard, the shovel rose into the air and swung around over the waiting dump cart. Here a pause occurred, while the Mayor consulted his mentor about what to do next. The load was finally dumped in the most approved fashion. After that it was all plain sailing, and in the next three minutes the Mayor had a big hole to his credit.

Fire Commissioner Glynn and his staff of officers were interested spectators. Among others present were Thomas O'Connor, the contractor; D. E. Coleman, the excavator; Richard J. Shaw, the architect of the building; Park Commissioner James B. Shea and many other city department heads.

CITY'S NEEDS AND FUNDS AVAILABLE ONLY SHOULD GOVERN DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES.

MAYOR CURLEY TELLS FINANCE COMMISSION IN REPLY TO LETTER PROTESTING AGAINST EXPENDITURES FOR EUSTIS STREET PLAYGROUND.

The following letter was on March 31 forwarded to the chairman of the Finance Commission:

HON. MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN, *Chairman, the Finance Commission, Boston, Mass.:*

DEAR SIR:—I have conferred with the chairman of the Park Commission relative to the communication submitted by the Finance Commission under date of March 29, 1924. I have in addition read the labored attempt of the Finance Commission to impugn the honesty and insult the intelligence of the chairman of the Park Commission; I have likewise noted the two recommendations. The acceptance or rejection of recommendation No. 1 rests entirely with the City Council who are free agents, and over whose action, under the law, I have no control. The second recommendation I feel was dictated without careful thought as to contents and that in addition you probably neglected to read it after it was written.

The city's needs and the amount of money available are the only considerations which should prompt action favorable or otherwise on the part of a department head. In the present case I do not recognize that there has been any departure from the established policy in the matter of the acquiring of land for municipal purposes; the custom that has prevailed from the beginning has been to appropriate sufficient money to permit of the payment of 25 per cent in excess of assessed valuation of the property, which I understand has been done in this case. The amount that the owner of the property states that he will accept, and which is in excess of 25 per cent above assessed valuation, is a matter that will receive consideration at the proper time.

The opportunity to enlarge the William Eustis Playground exists at the present time, and in the event that the owner of the land in question is agreeable to disposing of the property which, in the opinion of the Park Commission, should be taken at a price not in excess of 25 per cent above assessed valuation, I shall approve such taking. In the event, however, that the owner of the property in question is not agreeable to this price, I shall disapprove any taking. There is no other course that could be pursued, and the Finance Commission was aware of this fact before their sensational screed was made public property.

In conclusion I sincerely trust that his Excellency the Governor will speedily submit your reappointment to the Governor's Council, so that I may be spared the necessity of wasting valuable time in answering stupid communications which the desire to retain your position prompts you from time to time to submit.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

THE FINANCE COMMISSION'S STATEMENT.

The Finance Commission's statement was that the City Council refused to approve the order recommended by Mayor Curley for a loan of \$100,000 for the extension and improvement of the William Eustis Playground, Roxbury.

The statement reads in part:

"There is no evidence and no record in the Park Department that the matter of extending this playground was considered by the Park Commissioners or his Honor the Mayor, or that the extension of this playground had been considered prior to the receipt of Mr. Andrews' letter last August; nor is there any record in the Park Department that any study or consideration had been given to the matter by the Park Commissioners from August 22, 1923, when the Board rejected the matter, to March 13, 1924, when the Park Commission requested the City Council to appropriate from loan the sum of \$100,000. And even on March 13, 1924, the two commissioners other than the chairman did not have brought to their attention the assessed value of the land to be taken or who the owner was.

"Notwithstanding the necessity which the Park Commissioners believe exists for enlarging and improving the William Eustis Playground, the Finance Commission believes that the method attempted to be used to pay an excessive price for land taken for public use, in order to enable an individual to make money at the expense of the city, should be repudiated. It is clear that the chairman of the Park Department did not act with entire frankness toward his associates in making the request for this loan.

"It appears also that the loan order was sent to the Council by his Honor the Mayor without having checked the assessed value of the land to be taken and without ascertaining what the land could be purchased for, in contrast with similar orders in the past.

"Moreover, the initial step in this matter seems to have been taken by an ex-member of the Board that is charged with taking all land needed by the city for public uses and who is now employed by that same Board as an expert on land values in behalf of the city."

COMMISSION'S RECOMMENDATION.

In conclusion, the Finance Commission recommends that the Mayor issue a general order to all department heads that in the future when they require land to be taken for public purposes they inform the Mayor who the actual owners of the property are and the price at which the owners are willing to sell their property to the city.

PORTRAITS OF HEADS OF CITY GOVERNMENT HUNG IN HALL.

The walls of the inner room of the City Council are now decorated with 102 radiotone portraits of most of the chairmen of the old Board of Aldermen, most Common Council presidents, and all presidents of the City Council since its beginning in 1910.

These portraits were made at a cost of \$75 apiece. The cost of the lot was about \$7,800.

Framed, the Council Chamber pictures measure 10 by 12 inches and are of the following former officials:

Aldermanic chairmen and Council presidents: David Franklin Barry, John Henry Lee, Joseph A. Conry, Frederick J. Brand, Louis M. Clark, William Berwin, Edward L. Cauley, Charles M. Draper, Dan Whelton, James Henry Doyle, Michael J. O'Brien, Perlie Appleton Dyar, Alpheus Sanford, Herbert S. Carruth, William Power Wilson, Homer Rogers, Charles H. Allen, Charles V. Whitten, Solomon B. Stebbins and Hugh O'Brien.

The roster of the Common Councilmanic presidents: George C. McCabe, Leo F. McCullough, William J. Barrett, Arthur Walter Dolan, now probate judge; Daniel Jasper Kiley, Timothy Lawrence Connolly ("Tomahawk Tim" of Roxbury and universal politics), Christopher F. O'Brien, Horace Gwynne Allen, Edward J. Jenkins, the famous "Nedzo" of the 1880's; Godfrey Morse, James J. Flynn of South Boston, Charles E. Pratt, Andrew Jackson Bailey, and so on back through the days of Melville Ezra Ingalls, Joseph Story, Joshua Dorsey Ball and Josiah Putnam Bradley.

PUBLIC LIBRARY EXAMINATIONS.

EXAMINATION FOR "EXTRA SERVICE" ASSISTANTS, APRIL 12, 1924.

On Saturday, April 12, at 9 a. m., in the Barton Gallery of the Central Library, there will be held a two-hour examination for persons desiring employment as "extra service" assistants in the Central Library or its branches. This examination will consist of general questions designed to test the education and intelligence of the applicant. There will be no foreign language papers.

The examination will be open to all persons who have successfully completed at least one year in high school.

Persons who pass this examination are not eligible for regular appointment until they have fulfilled the educational requirements of, and have passed an examination for, Grade C.

CHARLES F. D. BELDEN,
Director.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Joseph A. Singarella has been allowed to amend his contract for building wall, fence and grading yard at the Ulysses S. Grant School, East Boston, by striking out the words and figures, "December 1, 1923," on page 12, Section E, in connection with the marginal notation (E) Completion, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "February 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section E on page 12 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about October 22, 1923, and is to be completed on or before February 1, 1924."

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for wire fence at Ronan Park, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for grading and concrete wall at the Cherry Street Playground, Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for grading and concrete bleachers at the William J. Barry Playground, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 21, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing finish hardware for the Police Station 2 building, Milk and Sears streets. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 23, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Shawmut avenue, from Warrenton street to Roxbury street, city proper, and Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$110,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 16, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Advertises for proposals for furnishing combination sprinkling and flushing motor trucks for watering and flushing the streets. Surety bonds will be required in

an amount of \$15,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 7, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for sewerage works in Nottingham road, formerly Nottingham road, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Regina road, from Alpha road about 275 feet westerly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Dorchester brook sewer, east fork, in Humphrey street, from Holden street to Dudley street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in School street, between Waverly street and Fletcher street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$1,700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 14, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Shepard brook, easterly branch, in Everett street, private land and Hichborn street, between Everett and Arthur streets, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$18,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Corinne road, between existing sewer and end of the street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for pro-

posals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 16, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Cataumet street, between Pond street and the end of the street 260 feet northerly, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$150, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Eliot place, from Eliot street to 250 feet easterly, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,200. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$150, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Moore street overflow outlet, between Coleridge and Cowper streets, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$450, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 21, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for laying and relaying water pipes in Arthur and adjoining streets, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 14, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering news paper and news paper blocks for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms, for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, Business Agent, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 8, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the

various high schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the finish hardware for the new Dorchester High School for Boys, Dunbar avenue. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, including all trades, the Roxbury High School for Girls, Warren, Townsend and Harrishof streets, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$20,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing new sanitation in the Bunker Hill School, Baldwin street, corner of Bunker Hill street, and the Thomas Starr King School, Bunker Hill street, corner Charles street, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 25, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Sanitary Service, Public Works Department, nine trailers for the collecting of garbage and wagons. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 7, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing electrical supplies to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office.

Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 7, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the various city departments with electric lamps. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 14, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering 19,000 tons of coal to the city. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing coal to the fire boats and the police boats. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing coal to the Public Buildings Department, etc. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 22, at 12 m.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for lamp-posts, sign frames and column at Maverick Square Station, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Transit Commission, 1 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$250, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 14, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, April 3:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The following-named persons have been appointed temporary street clerks for a period of about forty days: James P. Maguire, John M. Devine, Joseph Bianco, William Doherty, Robert C.

Murray, Albert Soosman, John A. Reagan, James L. Cluney, John W. Walsh, Andrew Fay, James F. Cheever, Daniel J. O'Sullivan, John H. Dooley, Edmund J. Hardy, Jr., John L. McKay, Jeremiah M. Collins, Thomas J. Meldon, James A. Sweeney, Jr.

Margaret A. O'Donnell, stenographer at \$1,140 a year, in the Income Tax Division of the Department of Corporations and Taxation, has been transferred to this department in a similar position, at \$1,200 a year.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending March 27, 1924:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Ellen Hallessey, laundress, \$420 a year; Mrs. Christine Ouellette, nurse, temporary, \$900 a year.

Temporary.—Charles E. Fitzgerald, fireman, \$33 a week.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Daniel O'Connell, fireman, \$33 a week; Martin J. O'Toole, coal passer, \$28 a week; Charles B. Fitzgerald, temporary fireman, \$33 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Building Commissioner John H. Mahoney has been granted permission to attend the Building Officials' Conference at Louisville, Ky., April 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, 1924, at an expense of \$200.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

William L. Roberts, Jr., has been appointed permanent clerk at \$1,000 a year in the Water Division.

Joseph P. Hickey has been appointed clerk in the Water Division, at \$1,000 a year.

John J. McCarthy has been designated as Acting City Collector at such times as the City Collector may be absent during the four weeks commencing April 12.

COMMITTEE FOR AMERICANISM.

John F. Dowd has been granted permission to attend the annual conference of the United States Americanization Committee in Washington April 8, 9 and 10 at a cost of \$110.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

Charles Wilhelm, in training as an employment clerk under the jurisdiction of the United States Veterans' Bureau, has been placed on the pay roll at \$1,500 a year.

Thomas J. Duffley and Herbert V. Sexton have been granted increases in their salaries from \$1,500 to \$2,200 each a year.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Anthony Lopardi has been appointed as an apparatus painter at \$5 a day.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The following promotions in the Sanitary Inspection Division have been approved: Frank H. Spear, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year; Thomas A. Mulligan, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year; John McGlinchey, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year; William G. Maloney, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year; Frank H. Boylon, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year; Paul C. Disario, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year; Francis A. Berrigan, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year; Frank J. McFar-

land, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year; John J. Reardon, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Dr. Karl R. Bailey, assistant director and bacteriologist of the Laboratory Division has been promoted to deputy commissioner in charge of the Laboratory Division, at \$3,500 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons were employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, March 27:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Herbert F. Costello, porter, \$14 a week; Thomas Ryan, porter, \$14 a week; Thomas Petenaud, porter, \$14 a week; David Barry, porter, \$14 a week; Elizabeth Walsh, ward helper, \$11 a week; Annie Foley, ward helper, \$11 a week; Isabel M. Nesbit, ward helper, \$11 a week; Mary Roper, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; James McCormick, elevatorman, \$11 a week; John J. O'Malley, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Joseph Harkins, transfer porter, \$11 a week; John Keane, sculleryman (re-employed), \$14 a week; Helen T. Land, laundress, \$14 a week; Mary Cross, ward assistant (re-employed), \$11 a week; Anna Welch, telephone operator, \$20 a week; John J. Murphy, out-patient orderly, \$9.50 a week; Adolph Brozda, night lodge attendant, \$6.25 a week; Minnie Mead, cook, \$15 a week; Catherine Fournin, cleaner (re-employed), \$11.50 a week.

Temporary.—Valida Rioux, special nurse, \$35 a week; Shirley MacKay, special nurse, \$35 a week; Cornelius Clancy, elevatorman, \$11 a week; Chester Wood, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Henry Norton, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Henry Cooney, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Patrick Curran, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week; John Eagen, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week; John Aylward, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

Elizabeth J. Harvey, head laundress, has been allowed continuance on the pay roll for one month.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, April 3:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Jessie Angus, Esther Boyd, Clara Browne, Margaret Brown, Mabel Burns, Marguerite Doucette, Anna O'Leary, Mary O'Brien, Louise McCarthy, Rita Langill, Kathleen Foley, Mary Feeney, nurses, no pay.

Mildred Whitley, head nurse (re-employed), \$75 a month; Philip Dwyer, male nurse, \$9.33 a week; Bessie Fallon, ward helper, \$11 a week; Mary Gillis, ward helper, \$11 a week; Julia Ready, ward helper, \$11 a week; Margaret Walsh, ward helper, \$11 a week; Ellen Fullerton, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Inez Chase, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Helen Dane, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Mary Valley, ward assistant (re-employed), \$9.50 a week; Catherine Howard, laundress, \$14 a week; John Burke, transfer porter (re-employed), \$14.50 a week; Lester Baldwin, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; James E. Kerrigan, porter, \$17.50 a week; William Phillips, porter, \$17.50 a week; John J. Philbin, porter (mortuary), \$14 a week; Tyler B. Brown, porter (re-employed), \$17.50 a week; Dorothy Lyons, technician, \$24 a week; Catherine Merrigan, telephone operator, \$20 a week; Ella G. Kenely, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Mary Wood, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Delia

Magee, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Anna Schaffer, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Annie Foley, cleaner (re-employed), \$11.50 a week; Hannah Murphy, cleaner (re-employed), \$11.50 a week; Mary Leahy, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Martin Flynn, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Joseph J. Quinlan, painter, \$5 a day.

Temporary.—Jeremiah J. Hurley, jobber, \$3.50 a day; Frank Taylor, jobber, \$3.50 a day; James Burns, jobber, \$3.50 a day; Edward McGoldrick, jobber, \$3.50 a day; Thomas Mulholland, jobber, \$3.50 a day; Peter J. Shaughnessey, jobber, \$3.50 a day; John F. Haverly, jobber, \$3.50 a day; Elizabeth Durant, affiliated nurse, \$8 a month; Madeline Lawrence, affiliated nurse, \$10 a month; Justin Lynch, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Patrick Connor, laundryman at \$20 to porter at \$17.50 a week; Edward Laskey, porter at \$17.50 to laundryman at \$20 a week; Joseph Leonard, porter at \$14 to technician at \$18 a week; Thomas Ryan, porter at \$17.50 to laundryman at \$23 a week.

Nurses, \$10 to \$12.50 a Month.—Adeline Croviotto, Blanche Brown, Mildred Ennis, Anna Fitzgerald, Doris Lindsay, Dorothy Haines, Mary G. Foley, Marion E. Foley.

Nurses, \$12.50 to \$16.67 per Month.—Ruth Kimball, Eleanor Leary, No. 1, Florence Brennan.

Catherine Honey, nurse at \$16.67 to head nurse at \$75 a month.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Dr. David J. Johnson has been granted an extension of leave of absence for two weeks, with Dennis D. Driscoll as Acting Commissioner.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, March 27:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Genevieve P. Gallagher, head nurse, at a salary of \$1,080 a year, reinstated.

William Geary, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, temporary.

Charles McInnis, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed John Leigh.

Henry Mooney, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Francis Lewis.

William Mulligan, institution employee, at a salary of \$850 a year, to succeed Patrick Farry.

Maurice F. O'Connell, assistant resident physician, at a salary of \$1,100 a year, to succeed John D. Sheehan, M. D.

Mary Smith, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, temporary.

John Sullivan, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Daniel Donovan.

House of Correction.

Martin Lally, fireman, at a salary of \$5.50 a day, temporary.

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George Hibbard."

Charles De Cicco, deckhand, "Perkins," at a salary of \$25.50 a week, temporary.

Daniel O'Dea, deckhand, "Perkins," at a salary of \$25.50 a week, temporary.

Charles J. Healy, fireman, at a salary of \$920 a year, to succeed Martin Gillen.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Patrick J. Kennedy has been transferred from watchman in the Institutions Department at \$800 a year and found to

laborer at \$4 a day in the Park Department.

Thomas A. Curley has been granted a temporary appointment for a period of thirty days as a laborer in the Cemetery Division of the Park Department at \$4 a day.

John L. Kelley has been given further employment as a temporary clerk of the works at \$40 a week, for a period of three months from March 5, 1924.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

John H. Hession has been appointed janitor at \$4 a day.

John Foley has been appointed janitor at \$4 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

William J. Brown has been continued in temporary employment as assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Daniel Flynn, temporary inspector at \$1,600 a year, has been continued in employment for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Francis J. Murphy has been given permanent appointment as transitman at \$1,700 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Dominick Bottino has been appointed temporary teamster-laborer at \$4 a day for sixty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Matthew J. Boyle has been appointed temporary sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year for a period of six months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

One hundred citizens have been employed as emergency laborers at \$4 a day for about ten days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Harry Hitchcock and John H. McGrath have been granted an extension of temporary employment as plumbers at \$4.50 a day for thirty days.

John F. Little has been appointed meter reader at \$1,300 a year to fill a permanent vacancy.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Alfred Carey has been appointed provisionally, for three months, as an electrical draughtsman at \$1,000 a year.

John L. Riley has been appointed architectural draughtsman at \$1,500 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Frank S. Wilson has been granted an extension of provisional employment as a transitman at \$1,500 a year, to May 24, 1924.

The following persons have been appointed for three months' employment: William P. Sheehy, as a rodman, with salary at \$1,000 a year; Michael J. Griffin, as a draughtsman, with salary at \$1,400 a year; Edward F. O'Donnell, as a transitman, with salary at \$1,400 a year.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

John J. Collins, Thomas W. Farrell, John J. Foley, John Joseph Hayes, Cornelius L. McDevitt, Charles Stoll and Joseph J. Yout have been granted a renewal of appointment as special police officers and watchmen.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, March 27:

Daniel Sweeney, fireman, 1½ days, \$8.25; Michael Dolan, fireman, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Collecting Department.

For services as acting teller during the month of March: Francis J. O'Connell, 26 days, \$78.

Hospital Department.

Main Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 27:

E. Darcy, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; W. J. Robbins, M. J. Lynch, plumbers, 15 hours, \$9.45 each; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 49½ hours, \$32.18; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 37½ hours, \$24.38; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$3.50; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; W. H. Murphy, elevatorman, 12 hours, \$2.76; E. McKeon, elevatorman, 7½ hours, \$1.73. Total, \$99.53.

For the week ending Thursday, April 3:

W. J. Robbins, plumber, 10½ hours, \$6.62; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 10½ hours, \$6.62; John J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; George Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$4; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; James Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67. Total, \$32.87.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, March 27:

Thomas Quinlan, laborer, 1 day, \$4; Louis Corbett, laborer, 1 day, \$4.

For the week ending Thursday, April 3:

Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, April 3:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Austin Kelly, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, tree-man, 1 day, \$4.50.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, April 3:

J. McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3; J. Reynolds, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.26; J. Walsh, elevatorman, 8½ hours, \$4.13; F. Twitchell, engineer, 1½ hours, \$1.25.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 31:

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. A. Nagle, W. E. Osborne, J. H. Driscoll, 2 days, \$8.22 each; S. J. Broderick T. J. Driscoll, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Sub-foreman.—J. D. O'Brien, 1½ days, \$9.63.

Carpenters.—J. T. Mahan, B. A. McShane, P. J. Jacobs, J. J. McInnis, J. J. Murphy, A. McCormack, 1½ days, \$8.75 each.

Chauffeur.—T. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Laborer.—H. M. McLaughlin, 1½ days, \$7.

Watchman.—J. McManus, 2½ days, \$11. Total, \$119.76.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 31:

Firemen.—John Kelley, 1½ days, \$8.25; John Turvanen, ½ day, \$3.44. Total, \$11.69.

Net cost for the week ending Monday, March 31, 1924, \$9.63.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Thursday, March 31:

Laborer.—Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 31:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, J. J. Welch, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeder.—J. Canney, 1 day, \$4.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.

Teamster.—J. G. Climo, ½ day, \$0.50.

Teamster.—M. Tierney, ¼ day, \$3.

Total, \$31.75.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 31:

Firemen.—Patrick Griffin, 2 days, \$11; Patrick Curley, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Sewer Cleaners.—James Clancy, 3½ days, \$14.63; John Graham, Joseph Rafferty, 1½ days, \$8.44 each; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Hugh Clark, ½ day, \$1.69.

Laborers.—Patrick Keenan, James McNabb, 3½ days, \$13 each; Patrick Fitzgerald, Edward Flaherty, Patrick McDonough, John Waters, Cornelius Sullivan, 1½ days, \$6 each; Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4; John Barry, ¾ days, \$1.50. Total, \$127.45.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 31:

Chauffeur.—W. G. Earley, 1 day, \$4.50.

Teamsters.—J. H. Lane, W. Batts, P. McDonough, G. Campo, M. Cardello, N. Cesso, F. Corvino, P. Costello, M. Donlin, P. P. McGinley, D. Partinello, H. A. Bourdon, R. Della Russo, F. De Matteo, J. J. Glancy, J. J. Meyers, L. Pace, G. Schipani, B. F. Glynn, J. F. Brown, D. J. Callahan, P. F. Joyce, P. Keon, L. V. Kilduff, D. Kobylski, M.

Lahey, J. D. Lyons, W. T. Maloney, M. Gordon, 1 day, \$4 each.

Total, \$120.50.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, March 31:

Chauffeurs.—F. Bonang, J. Broderick, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; T. Norton, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Emergency men.—W. Lonergan, W. Rice, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4 each; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Repairers.—F. Ware, ¾ day, \$3.19; D. Burke, ⅞ day, \$0.94; D. Hanlon, 1½ days, \$7.50; M. O'Day, 1½ days, \$6.75; B. Dello-russo, ¾ day, \$1.27; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$8.02; S. Mariani, ¾ day, \$1.27; C. Driscoll, ¾ day, \$3.75; P. Ippolito, ¾ day, \$1.41; P. Casey, ¾ day, \$3.28; C. Joyce, ¾ day, \$1.13; J. Durand, 1½ days, \$7.13; W. Shields, 3½ days, \$15.19; N. McPhee, 1½ days, \$6.75; H. Cauley, 1½ days, \$5.06; J. Williamson, 1½ days, \$4.78; P. Coleman, 1½ days, \$4.78; G. Greer, ¾ day, \$1.27; T. Byrnes, ¾ day, \$1.78; J. Blessington, ¾ day, \$1.69; A. McDougall, ¾ day, \$1.59; F. Schena, ¾ day, \$1.78; C. Kane, J. McLean, L. Morgan, 1½ days, \$6.38 each; D. Murphy, M. McGrail, W. Behan, 1½ days, \$6 each; J. Cummings, 2½ days, \$12.19; M. Matthews, 2½ days, \$6.47.

Laborers.—S. LoPilato, H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4 each; M. Mulqueeney, F. Laskey, G. Gravelles, ¾ day, \$1.13 each; G. Waters, P. Mulkern, 1½ days, \$6 each; J. Feeley, 1½ days, \$4.13; P. Clougherty, J. Lonergan, ¾ day, \$1.50 each; E. De Angelis, ¾ day, \$1.27; M. Mickewicz, ¾ day, \$1.69.

Total, \$228.84; paid by Transit Department, \$22.66; net total, \$206.18.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department to perform the following construction work:

To construct wall on Broadway between Albany street and Lehigh street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$1,500. This is an assessable street and can be done as advantageously by day labor methods as any work now necessary.

To resurface with asphalt macadam Dent street, West Roxbury, from Jordan street to Ivory street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$900. This is maintenance work and can be done as advantageously by day labor methods as any work now necessary.

To widen and construct the westerly corner of Centre street and Moraine street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$1,100. This is an assessable street and can be done as advantageously by day labor methods as any work now necessary.

To relay granite block pavement with grout joints in Washington street, Roxbury, between Dudley street and Circuit street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material, being \$12,000. This is maintenance work and can be done as advantageously by day labor methods as any work now necessary.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the M. B. Foster Electric Company for wiring the Fire Alarm Station. Bids opened February 25, were as follows:

Anderson-Coffey Company, \$7,390; Horace H. Lobdell, \$7,498; M. B. Foster Electric Company, \$7,748; Connor Electric Company, \$8,180; Carlisle Electric Company, \$8,450.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the John MacDonald Construction Company for the construction of pergola at the Rose Garden, Franklin Park. Bids for the work, opened March 20, were as follows:

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$2,457; Casey & Darcey Company, \$2,044; C. H. Holmes Construction Company, \$1,995; J. H. Broderick Company, Inc., \$1,987; R. A. Bossi Company, \$1,975; Guiney & Hanson Construction Company, \$1,975; Frank J. Gallagher & Co., \$1,947; John MacDonald Construction Company, \$1,254; Massachusetts Construction Company, \$1,200.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with M. H. Loonie for sewerage works in Congress street, between Atlantic avenue and Purchase street, city proper. Bids for the work, opened March 24, were as follows:

J. Williams & Co., \$4,119.50; M. H. Loonie, \$4,268.50; J. W. O'Connell, \$4,506.50; De Cristofaro & Brothers Company, \$4,683; C. & R. Construction Company, \$5,078; C. Russo, \$5,833.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$5,955.50; A. D. Daddario, \$7,340.50.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with De Cristofaro & Brothers Company for sewerage works in La Grange street, from Vermont street 500 feet southeasterly and outlet in Vermont street, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened March 26, were as follows:

De Cristofaro & Brothers Company, \$7,646.50; M. D. Russo Company, \$7,649.50; Croce Iacuzzi, \$7,705.25; M. De Sisto Company, \$7,795; C. Russo, \$7,797.50; J. Guarino & Co., \$7,842.50; A. D. Daddario, \$8,185; J. Williams & Co., \$8,212.50; Vozzella & Caponi, \$8,399.75; Joseph Todesca, \$8,515; A. Cefalo, \$9,162.50; W. R. Trap Rock Company, \$9,222.50; J. J. Conway, \$9,257.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$9,680.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with A. D. Daddario for sewerage works in Fowle street and outlet, between Board of Survey Street 2244 and Rowe street, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened March 25, were as follows:

A. D. Daddario, \$3,304; J. Guarino & Co., \$3,351.50; De Cristofaro & Brothers Company, \$3,478; S. J. Tomasello, \$3,491; C. Russo, \$3,569; M. D. Russo Company, \$3,631; Croce Iacuzzi, \$3,767;

J. Williams & Co., \$3,976.50; J. J. Conway, \$4,381.50.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with J. J. McCarthy for repairing artificial stone sidewalk blocks for the Water Service. Bids for the work, opened March 25, were as follows:

J. J. McCarthy & Co., \$4,950; J. A. Singarella, \$5,100; Vozzella & Caponi, \$5,325; N. McDonough & Sons, \$5,362.50; Cummings & Kelley, \$5,400; Chas. Capone, \$5,550; H. F. Malley, \$5,625; C. Russo, \$7,500.

Upon April 3 the Mayor approved a contract with George J. Regan for sewerage works in Harmon street, from Oakland street about 330 feet southwesterly, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened March 31, were as follows:

George J. Regan, \$3,124; J. Guarino & Company, \$3,715.26; J. Todesca, \$4,087.75; S. J. Tomasello, \$4,254.25; J. Williams & Company, \$4,318.25; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$4,360.25; A. D. Daddario, \$4,470; C. Russo, \$4,493.75; C. Galozza, \$4,840.25; M. De Sisto Company, \$5,159.75.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon April 1 the Mayor approved a contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for laying high pressure service pipe. A communication from Joseph Rourke, Public Works Commissioner was as follows:

Boston, March 31, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

The award of this contract for pipe laying etc., included in the proposal is based upon inclusion in the Water Department budget of \$175,000 for High Pressure Fire Service. At present there is available \$50,000 to do this work; and it is intended to start the contractor at once and continue until the \$50,000 is spent, the balance of the work not to commence until the \$175,000 budget item becomes available through the approval of the City Council and his Honor the Mayor.

Under the above conditions your approval is respectfully requested to the award of this contract for laying high pressure fire pipes in Hawkins, Bowker, Chardon, Kneeland streets, Atlantic avenue, South, Chatham, Commerce, Milk, Washington, Kilby, Doane, Broad, State, Hanover, India, North, Union, Sudbury, Customhouse, Kingston and Fleet streets, city proper, to the C. & R. Construction Company, 3 Tremont row, Boston, the lowest bidder, at an estimated cost of \$216,472.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed on or before December 18, 1924.

The following bids were received March 27, 1924:

C. & R. Construction Company, \$216,472.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$222,047.50; A. Cefalo, \$226,060; J. Williams & Co., \$235,377.50; A. Baruffaldi Company, \$236,320; John T. Shea, Jr., \$242,685.

Respectfully yours,

J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with R. J. Connolly for moving four portable school buildings at

various schools. Bids for the work, opened March 21, were as follows:

R. J. Connolly, \$3,345; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$3,840; Walter Curley & Son, \$3,880.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with Donahue & Riordan for furnishing uniforms to the Fire Department. Bids for the supply, opened March 17, were as follows:

Cloth Blouses and Trousers.—M. Linsky & Brothers, \$4.85 per yard; Donohue & Riordan, \$4.85 per yard; Smith, Gray, Inc., \$4.85 per yard; Jordan Marsh Company, \$4.85 per yard; Leopold Morse Company, \$4.85 per yard.

Cloth Overcoats.—M. Linsky & Brothers, \$6.30 per yard; Donohue & Riordan, \$6.30 per yard; Smith, Gray, Inc., \$6.30 per yard; Jordan Marsh Company, \$6.30 per yard; Leopold Morse Company, \$6.30 per yard.

1,000 Sack Overcoats.—M. Linsky & Brothers, \$17.50 each; Donohue & Riordan, \$17.28 each; Smith, Gray, Inc., \$19 each; Jordan Marsh Company, \$19.25 each; Leopold Morse Company, \$17.60 each.

500 Overcoats.—M. Linsky & Brothers, \$31.37 each; Donohue & Riordan, \$31.60 each; Smith, Gray, Inc., \$33.50 each; Jordan Marsh Company, \$33.80 each; Leopold Morse Company, \$31.55 each.

1,200 Trousers.—M. Linsky & Brothers, \$8.50 each; Donohue & Riordan, \$7.95 each; Smith, Gray, Inc., \$8.50 each; Jordan Marsh Company, \$10.25 each; Leopold Morse Company, \$8.45 each.

Total.—M. Linsky & Brothers, \$43,387.50; Donohue & Riordan, \$42,620; discount, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent, ten days; Smith, Gray, Inc., \$45,950; Jordan Marsh Company, \$48,450; Leopold Morse Company, \$43,515.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Standard Oil Company for furnishing OA-2 asphalt for construction to the Public Works Department. Bids for the supply, opened March 24, were as follows:

The Barber Asphalt Company, \$46.95 per net ton; 2 per cent discount, ten days; public roads, NA-1 specifications; Joseph J. Galvin, \$29.45 per net ton; the Texas Company, \$26.22 per net ton; Standard Oil Company, \$24.48 per net ton.

The 1923 price was \$26.66.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Standard Oil Company for furnishing asphaltic cement to the Paving Service, Public Works Department. Bids for the supply, opened March 24, were as follows:

Standard Oil Company, \$23.21 per ton; Mace Moulton Company, Jr., the United States Asphalt Paving Company, \$24.10 per ton; the Barber Asphalt Company, \$33.75 per ton; Bermudez Lake in barrels, carload lots; \$30.75 per ton, 2 per cent discount, ten days; Trinidad Lake in barrels, carload lots; Joseph J. Galvin, \$25.85 per ton; in drums or barrels; the Texas Company, \$29.53 per ton; barrels, carload lots.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Leopold Morse Company for furnishing 500 rubber coats, more or less, to the Fire Department.

Bids for the supply, opened March 17, were as follows:

J. M. Hardy, \$5.95 each; 2 per cent discount, total, \$2,975; Harding Uniform and Regalia Company, \$6.45 each; total, \$3,225; Jordan Marsh Company, \$6.15 each, 42-inch; \$6.25 each, 44-inch; \$6.35 each, 46-inch; \$6.45 each, 48-inch; total, \$3,150, using average price of \$6.30; Leopold Morse Company, \$5.35 each; total, \$2,675.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with Portland Stoneware Company for furnishing Portland cement to the various city departments. Bids for the work, opened March 21, were as follows:

Twenty-four Hundred Barrels of No. 380 Portland Cement.—Boston Building Material Company, \$3.30 per barrel; cloth bags returned, 7 cents each, to warehouse; cloth bags returned, 10 cents each, freight prepaid to mill; Portland Stoneware Company, \$3.25 per barrel; discount, 10 cents per barrel for payment in ten days; 7 cents rebate on bags returned to warehouse; J. P. O'Connell & Co., \$3.15 per barrel, paper; \$3.40 per barrel, cloth; Massachusetts Lime and Cement Company, \$3.40 per barrel.

The 1923 price was \$3.50; 10 cents per barrel for payment in ten days; 7 cents for bags to yard.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., for furnishing milk to the Hospital Department from April 1, to September 30, 1924, inclusive. Bids for the supply, opened March 25, were as follows:

One Hundred Sixty-seven Thousand Quarts Grade "A" in Bottles.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 9.125-8.20 cents per quart in 40-quart cans; 11.49 cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 11.4 cents per quart.

Seventy-three Thousand Quarts Pasteurized, in Twenty-quart Jugs.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 9.59 cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 9.4 cents per quart.

Ten Thousand Quarts Cream, 16 Per Cent.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 22½ cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 27 cents per quart.

Three Thousand Eight Hundred Quarts Buttermilk.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 4.75 cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 5 cents per quart.

Seven Thousand Quarts Certified Milk.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 20 cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 21.6 cents per quart.

Total.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., \$26,288.95; \$30,238.50; Whiting Milk Companies, \$30,302.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with E. Weiler & Sons for furnishing milk to the Boston Sanatorium from April 1 to September 30, 1924, inclusive. Bids for the supply, opened March 25, were as follows:

Grade "A."—E. Weiler & Sons, 8½ cents per quart; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 9.124 cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 10½ cents per quart.

Medium Cream.—E. Weiler & Sons, 25 cents per pint; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 20 cents per pint; Whiting Milk Companies, 28 cents per pint.

Total.—E. Weiler & Sons, \$7,100; ½ per cent discount, ten days; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., \$7,846.74; Whiting Milk Companies, \$8,833.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 2 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as noted below for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during April, 1924. Bids for the supplies, opened March 31, were as follows:

DISTRICTS.	No. 2 Hay.	No. 3 Hay.	Straw.	No. 2 Oats.	Shots.	Corn.
SOUTH BOSTON.						
John J. White Company.....	* \$25 65	\$24 90	\$28 00	* \$0 61½	\$36 50	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....			* 26 75	61½	* 33 00	
The Whittemore Company.....	28 00	27 75	27 00	61	33 00	* \$1 15
Lord & Webster Company.....	30 95	29 95	29 50	65½	39 50	1 25
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	29 00	26 00				
EAST BOSTON.						
John J. White Company.....	25 90	25 15	28 00	62	36 50	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* 25 00	24 50	* 26 75	61½	* 33 00	
The Whittemore Company.....	30 00	29 75	28 00	65	35 00	* 1 15
Lord & Webster Company.....	30 95	29 95	29 50	65½	39 50	1 25
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	29 00	26 00				
CHARLESTOWN.						
John J. White Company.....	* 25 90	25 15	28 00	61½	36 75	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....			* 26 75	* 61½	* 33 00	
The Whittemore Company.....	28 00	27 75	27 00	61	33 00	* 1 15
Lord & Webster Company.....	30 95	29 95	28 50	65½	38 50	1 25
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	29 00	26 00				
CITY PROPER.						
John J. White Company.....	* 25 50	24 75	27 50	* 61	36 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....			26 75	61½	33 00	
The Whittemore Company.....	28 00	27 75	27 00	63½	* 33 00	* 1 15
Lord & Webster Company.....	30 95	29 95	* 26 45	65½	38 00	1 25
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	29 00	26 00				
ROXBURY.						
Landy Brothers.....	* 28 25	28 00	* 29 00	* 66	* 37 00	* 1 15
The Whittemore Company.....	28 50	28 25	29 25	66½	37 00	1 15
DORCHESTER.						
The Whittemore Company.....	* 28 00	27 75	* 29 25	* 65	* 37 00	* 1 15
WEST ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	* 28 50	28 25	* 29 25	* 66½	* 37 00	* 1 15
BRIGHTON.						
Ogden & Thompson.....	* 27 50	25 50	* 26 00	* 63½	37 00	1 15
The Whittemore Company.....	28 00	27 75	27 00	66½	* 35 00	* 1 15
HYDE PARK.						
The Whittemore Company.....	* 28 50	28 25	* 28 00	* 66	* 37 00	* 1 15

* Awarded contracts.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., for furnishing milk to the Long Island Hospital from April 1 to September 30, 1924, inclusive. Bids for the supply, opened March 25, were as follows:

Pasteurized, 8-Quart Can.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 69 cents per can; Whiting Milk Companies, 78 cents per can.

Certified.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 20 cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 21.6 cents per quart.

Medium Cream.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 22 cents per pint; Whiting Milk Companies, 28 cents per pint.

Total.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., \$8,032.94; Whiting Milk Companies, \$11,287.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with Headley Good Roads Company for furnishing 250 tons emulsified asphalt for cold patch to the Public Works Department. Bids for the supply, opened March 24, were as follows:

F. O. B. Boston.—The Mace Moulton, Jr., Inc., United States Asphalt Refining Company, \$44 per ton; Headley Good Roads Company, \$42.68 per ton; the Barber Asphalt Company, \$45.06 per ton.

F. O. B. Paving Yard.—The Mace Moulton Jr., Inc., United States Asphalt Refining Company, \$46 per ton; not our specifications; Headley Good Roads Company, \$43.90 per ton; the Barber Asphalt Company, \$45.94 per ton.

Rebate on Barrels Returned.—Headley Good Roads Company, F. O. B. cars, Boston, \$1.50 each; the Barber Asphalt Company, \$1.10 each; 2 per cent discount, ten days.

Upon April 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the Independent Tar Company for furnishing approximately 500 tons cold tar patching material to the Public Works Department. Bids for the supply, opened April 1, were as follows:

The Barrett Company, \$34.76 per ton; Independent Coal Tar Company, \$30.50 per ton, discount, ten days, 2 per cent.

The 1923 price was \$30.98.

Upon April 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for furnishing meats to the various city departments during April, 1924. Bids for the supply, opened March 31, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Two Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—William A. Doe Company, 17½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 17 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Veal.—William A. Doe Company, 16 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound.

Four Thousand Pounds Hinds.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Chucks.—William A. Doe Company, 11 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound.

Thirteen Hundred Pounds Lamb.—William A. Doe Company, 29 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company,

29 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 26 cents per pound.

Fifty Pounds Bacon.—William A. Doe Company, 16 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Ham.—William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 22 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Fowl.—William A. Doe Company, 33 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 33 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound.

Twenty-five Pounds Salt Pork.—William A. Doe Company, 12 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 12 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 12 cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$1,967.40; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,964; Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,904.50.

Institutions Department.

Infirmary Division.

Thirty-two Hundred Pounds Corned Beef Stickers.—William A. Doe Company, 10½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Corned Beef Brisket.—William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Fifty Pounds Rib Cuts.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Hams.—William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 22 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Fowl.—William A. Doe Company, 33 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 33 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 31 cents per pound.

Twenty-eight Hundred Pounds Hinds.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Twenty-seven Hundred Pounds Lamb.—William A. Doe Company, 29 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 29 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 26 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Frankfurt Sausage.—William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Twenty Pounds Pork Sausage.—William A. Doe Company, 30 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 30 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 29 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—William A. Doe Company, 17½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 17 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Bacon.—William A. Doe Company, 16 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Seventy-two Pounds Lamb Fores.—William A. Doe Com-

pany, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 22 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$2,787.34; Merchants Provision Company, \$2,775.84; Mohawk Packing Company, \$2,642.20.

Penal Division.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Fresh Rolled Stickers.—William A. Doe Company, 10½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound.

Nine Hundred Pounds Under Cuts.—William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Pounds Lamb Saddles.—William A. Doe Company, 33 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 32 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 30 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Pounds Fowl.—William A. Doe Company, 33 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 33 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Frankfurts.—William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Pounds Short Ribs.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Hinds.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Sixty Pounds Forequarters.—William A. Doe Company, 12 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 12 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$1,115.20; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,100.20; Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,083.80.

Park Department.

Two Thousand Pounds Chucks.—William A. Doe Company, 11½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 11 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$225; Merchants Provision Company, \$220; Mohawk Packing Company, \$200.

Upon April 2 the Mayor approved a contract with Stanley, Harlow, Inc., for furnishing four Ford trucks to the Water Service. Bids for the supply, opened March 31, were as follows:

Four Ford Chasses.—Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$483 each; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$483 each; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$483 each; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$483 each.

1920 Ford Truck.—Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$165 each; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$175 each; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$100 each; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$100 each.

1921 Ford Truck.—Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$185 each; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$175 each; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$125 each; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$100 each.

1921 Ford Chassis.—Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$150 each; Coombs & McBeath,

Inc., \$90 each; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$115 each; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$40 each.

Total.—Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$1,432, immediate delivery; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$1,492, immediate delivery; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$1,592, immediate delivery; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$1,692, immediate delivery.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with J. J. Duffy for artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 27, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to J. J. Duffy, 7 Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; and secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; also, because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with Chase & Gilbert for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 25, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Chase & Gilbert, 220 Devonshire street, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; and secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; also, because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

E. F. MURPHY,
Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Standard Contracting Company for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 28, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to the Standard Contracting Company, 1251 Centre street, Roxbury, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the

* Twenty-one cents on auditor's copy.

first instance but by the abutters; and secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Massachusetts Construction Company for the construction of artificial stone sidewalk in the public streets. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, March 31, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to the Massachusetts Construction Company, 110 Tremont street, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; and secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Buick Company for one Buick sedan car. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

Boston, March 26, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising for same, to the Boston Buick Company for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Bridge Service, one 1924 Buick sedan, five-passenger, utility type, with full equipment, \$1,850; allowance on 1922 Buick touring car, \$450—\$1,400.

As this is the type of machine which best meets the requirements of this department, I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

A. Piotti Company have been ordered to make a change in contract for the restoration of Faneuil Hall, said change being as per attached statement:

Furnish all materials and labor and install new footings for all columns as shown by our drawing No. 22 dated (revised) January 26, 1924, carrying this footing down to hard blue clay. This work is to include all excavating shown and other work necessary to complete this work in the best manner, all as required by the architects. This work is to include changes required in the floor slab over the window and door en-

trances to allow for necessary head room and also the additional beam required in the east and in the William A. Doe Company's basement, and the change in the framing for the iron stairs from the platform to the Dock square entrance, all as shown by our drawings. The amount to be added to contract on account of this work is the sum of \$25,000.

Furnish all materials and labor and excavate around existing column footings to determine the nature of foundations and bearing soil under same, doing all work as required by the architects and Messrs. Fay, Spofford & Thorndike, \$1,207.43.

Furnish all materials and labor and repair and replace all terrazzo floors or tile walls damaged on account of investigation of column foundation or on any other account, leaving all of this terrazzo tile work, etc., in first class condition, \$4,548. The amount is to be added to contract on account of this work is the sum of \$5,755.43.

Furnish all materials and labor and install four pairs of double-acting doors to act as vestibule doors inside of the existing doors at entrances to the temporary markets at either side of Faneuil Hall; doors to be glazed. They are to be without locks; glass to be protected by substantial wood slats, all as directed by the architects, \$332.85.

Furnish all materials and labor and install new hangers and connections for the meat tracks throughout the building so that when these are reinstalled they will be placed in same position and at same height above floor as when they were removed, all as directed by the architects, \$1,075.

Furnish all materials and labor and making changes in electric service arrangements, all as required by the Wire Commissioner of the City of Boston. In general this work is to consist of installing a new service switch in steel cabinet to control all rights in the building above the market floor; this cabinet to be installed in partition at left hand side of main entrance stairs to Faneuil Hall. Necessary connections should be made from this cabinet to the main cabinet in custodian's room. The main switch controlling service for the market floors is to be relocated inside jamb of window over the existing service entrance, leaving all in complete condition ready for use, all as directed by the architects. The amount to be added to contract on account of this work is the sum of \$535.

Furnish all materials and labor and replace all interior partitions in the basement with hard-burned terra cotta tile, all plastered with cement plaster. The basement floor is to be waterproofed. The exterior walls of basement throughout are to be surfaced with waterproof cement plaster. The interior columns and interior stone or masonry walls are to be covered with waterproof cement plaster, the intention being to have the entire exposed surface of basement rooms completely surrounded with waterproof cement plaster, all to be brought to true lines with smooth surfaces all completed in neat and workmanlike manner and to the satisfaction of the architects. The amount to be added to contract on account of this work is the sum of \$8,944.

Furnish all materials and labor and completely renovate the toilet room on Faneuil Hall floor, installing new fixtures, new tiled dado white marble parti-

tions, all as directed by the architects. This work is to include new enamel iron sink for the custodian's room, No. 4 Rund gas water heater with complete connections to supply water to the custodian's slop sink and lavatory in men's toilet room. This work is also to include a new hot water supply and slop sink in Ancients' quarters and the renewal of flush tanks for urinals in toilet room in Ancients' quarters. This work is also to include a new sump pit with cellar drainer and complete connections; drainage system for basement and ground floor lines to be separated and arranged all as shown by approved drawings. All of this work is to be done in the best manner in accordance with requirements of the City of Boston; supplies to both hot and cold water to be iron size brass, all completed to the satisfaction of the architects. The amount to be added to contract on account of this work is the sum of \$5,120.50.

Furnish all materials and labor and replace and repair in the very best manner lathing and plaster work in upper sections of the building where not included in the original contract. This work to include amongst other things a new ceiling in the janitor's room and patching of the walls in this room; plastering various places in the stair hall; repairing of columns and mouldings in the main Faneuil Hall, etc., all as directed by the architects. The amount to be added to contract on account of this work is the sum of \$1,495.

Furnish all materials and labor and repair existing roof in the best manner, remove and replace existing gutters and conductors with new ones of like design and pattern made from 16-ounce copper. Repair snow guards on the roof; furnish and install additional guards where required; approximately two thirds of the entire roof area shall be covered with guards.

The copper and exterior ironwork on the cupola, including the weather vane, is to be repaired in the very best manner. The conductors are to be carried down into the present drains. Where these drains pass through refrigerators they are to be thoroughly inculcated. All roofing, gutter, conductor, and metal work is to be done in the very best manner, gutters to have wiped joints thoroughly rivetted before soldering, all to be completed to the satisfaction of the architects. The amount to be added to contract on account of this work is the sum of \$2,875.

Furnish all materials and labor, clean and refinish surfaces treated with painter's finish including plaster work, woodwork, etc., in upper sections of the building not included in original contract. Amongst other items there is included the following:

Wash and refinish the ceilings and walls and refinish the woodwork in Faneuil Hall, main stair hall and staircase and janitors' room on the south side of stair hall.

Refinish as above throughout all rooms and spaces occupied by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, using materials to correspond with existing work. This work is to include an allowance for removing, cleaning and replacing pictures, frames, and statuary in Faneuil Hall and in the Ancients' quarters, the sum of \$900. This work is to include refinishing of all wood, plaster and iron

work in the rooms not included in original contract, but no movable furniture, fixtures, pictures, or statuary is to be refinished, except such as is included under the allowance. No floor work is to be included. In general, it is expected that the work will be refinished in colors of existing finish when newly done. All workmanship and materials to be first class in every respect and all completed to the satisfaction of the architects. The amount to be added to your contract on account of this work is the sum of \$9,317.

Furnish all materials and labor and install complete system of conduits for all wires in the telephone system that are to be installed under your contract. All workmanship and materials used throughout the electrical installation are to be first class in every particular. All fittings are to be waterproof type made by the Benjamin Company. The panel boards are to be of dead front type made by the Trumbull Electric Manufacturing Company with plug fuses. The lighting equipment now existing in ceiling of the ground floor with wiring installed in conduit is not to be removed or reinstalled under this contract. This equipment is to be renovated in first-class manner to serve for the ceiling lighting in the ground floor. The amount to be added to contract on account of this work is the sum of \$1,356.

Furnish all materials and labor and install the reinforced concrete canopy over the sidewalk entirely around the building, including special ornamental column with wrought iron work between, the drainage system roof lights, all electrical work, sprinklers, or other equipment complete as shown by drawings dated March 19, 1924, together with the specifications. All lines and arrises are to be formed and finished in true and workmanlike manner and finished complete to the satisfaction of the architects. Contracting with the A. L. Smith Iron Work, Chelsea, Mass., for the structural steel and light iron work required for this canopy. The amount to be added to your contract on account of this work is the sum of \$32,860.

Total, \$94,665.78.

Omit the shoring and new footings around all but one of columns No. 2 referred to in order No. 6 dated December 14, 1923. The amount to be deducted from contract on account of this change is the sum of \$4,087.

Net total, \$90,578.78.

Contract price, \$191,472; total additions, \$97,309.61; total deductions, \$4,269; amount of contract, \$284,512.61.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$500, on contract with John McCourt Company for recut granite block pavement in Talbot avenue, Dorchester, on account of furnishing and placing extra depth of sand bed for granite block paving where shallow blocks are used, for the sum of \$2.25 per cubic yard. Original contract, \$53,695.50; total addition, \$500; contract as standing, \$54,195.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$152.12, on contract with William Barrett & Co. for building sewerage works in Village brook, Brighton, on account of cutting out old concrete ramp between station 0+0 and

station 0+05. Original contract, \$19,283.50; total addition, \$152.12; contract as standing, \$19,435.62.

An addition, amounting to \$315, on contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for sewerage works in Post Office square and Bath street, city proper, on account of trenching and laying 8.17 linear feet of 12-inch cast-iron pipe, not included in the contract; trenching and laying 18.50 linear feet of 10-inch Akron pipe, and cutting out old unknown and abandoned iron pipe paralleling trench not shown on plans. Original contract, \$3,009; total addition, \$315; contract as standing, \$3,324.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$225, on contract with C. Russo for setting concrete meter boxes in Roxbury, Jamaica Plain and West Roxbury, on account of resetting meter boxes on Lamartine, Paul Gore, Heath, Armstrong, Oakland, Wyman, Thornton and Cedar streets, Parkman place and Park street, Roxbury. Original contract, \$3,053; total addition, \$225; contract as standing, \$3,278.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Nichols-Egan Company have been allowed the sum of \$295.50 for furnishing and delivering all hardware required for four additional rooms in the Hugh O'Brien District school, hardware to be similar to that called for in specifications, as per letter of chief clerk of works dated March 25, 1924. Contract price, \$2,603; total addition, \$295.50; amount of contract, \$2,898.50.

Thomas O'Connor & Co. have been allowed to deduct allowance for hardware \$1,800, Section 11, page 90, of specifications, in their contract for the Hugh O'Brien District school, as per architect's letter of March 21, 1924. Contract price, \$179,470; total additions, \$45,563; total deductions, \$1,800; amount of contract, \$223,233.

Joseph Rugo has been allowed to deduct allowance for hardware, \$1,600, under Section 12, page 83, of their contract for additions to the Thomas Gardner school, as per architect's letter of March 18, 1924. Contract price, \$135,475; total deductions, \$1,600; amount of contract, \$133,875.

C. & R. Construction Company have been allowed to deduct allowance for hardware, Section 12, page 92, \$2,100; shrubs, Section 4, page 34, \$500—\$2,600, from their contract for the Bennett District school as per architect's letter of March 17, 1924. Contract price, \$204,167; total deductions, \$2,600; amount of contract, \$201,567.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The John Williams Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in Union terrace, between Morton street and Forest Hills avenue, from January 19, 1924, to April 19, 1924, sixty days.

John B. Dolan has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for erecting garage, Albany street, Boston, from March 10, 1924, to May 10, 1924.

MAYOR PLEASSED THAT WEBSTER PAINTING WILL REMAIN IN FANEUIL HALL.

The Mayor on Monday, March 31, sent the following communication:

MR. RALPH ADAMS CRAM, 248 Boylston Street, Boston, Mass.:

MY DEAR MR. CRAM,—I beg to forward herewith recommendation received from the Art Commission with reference to the transfer of the painting entitled "Webster's Reply to Hayne," and which is located at Faneuil Hall.

In view of the position taken by the Art Commission that it would be inexpedient to remove the painting until a more suitable place has been determined upon, it would be advisable to proceed with the restoration of Faneuil Hall, making provision to permit of the painting remaining where it is at present located.

I have refrained from expressing an opinion until such time as the Art Commission might pass judgment with reference to your recommendation, but I do not mind saying to you now that I am personally pleased that the painting is not to be removed.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

ASSESSMENTS ABATED.

The Board of Street Commissioners have passed the following order:

In the matter of the applications for revision of assessments levied on account of the construction of sewerage works the Board of Street Commissioners acting under the provisions of chapter 359 of the Acts of the year 1896, and deeming it just and proper that such action should be taken upon said applications:

Ordered, That the amounts hereinafter specified, being the annual apportionments of said assessments for the years specified below be, and the same are hereby, abated.

Alice E. Cunningham, 1923 apportionment, Plan 52, 1915, lot 41, Brookford street, June 4, 1917.....	\$6 72
Irving L. Nickerson, 1923 apportionment, Plan 10, 1918, lot 8, Faywood avenue, May 13, 1920.....	\$6 72
Patrick Mitchell, 1923 apportionment, Plan 10, 1918, lot 9, Faywood avenue, May 13, 1920.....	\$6 60

POPULATION BY AGE-PERIODS UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS, BOTH SEXES.

Under 7 years, 97,870; 7 to 13 years, inclusive, 88,524; 14 and 15 years, 22,481; 16 and 17 years, 22,616; 18 to 20 years, inclusive, 35,629; total under 21 years, 267,120, or 35.71 per cent of City's population. Said total is 2,375 less than the corresponding total shown by 1915 census. The more the 1920 census figures are analyzed, the more incredible they appear. When it is further noted that the number of persons 18 to 20 years inclusive in 1920 was 6,063 less than those of the same ages in 1915, and that the total of children under 7 years in 1920 was only 1,291 more than the same in 1915, as compared with an increase of 9,689 in the preceding five years, the evidence is plain that thousands of young children and other minors were not counted in 1920. This appears more certain when it is noted that the excess of births over deaths of children in the five years 1915-1920 was 83,248, non-residents excluded.

FINANCE COMMISSION FINDING IS FALSE, COMMISSIONER ROURKE CHARGES.

REFUTES STATEMENTS AS TO [GAS LIGHT CONTRACTS BY SHOWING TESTS—SAYS ALSO THAT EDISON COMPANY NOT READY TO PUT IN 10,000 MORE LAMP CIRCUITS.

The following communication was sent on March 29 by the Commissioner of Public Works:

CITY OF BOSTON,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
Boston, March 29, 1924.

HON. MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN, *Chairman,*
Boston Finance Commission:

DEAR SIR,—Forwarded to this office by the Finance Commission, under date of March 28, was a communication signed by the chairman of the commission, including recommendations and a report of the consulting engineer of the Finance Commission, all relating to the gas street lighting contract recently forwarded to the Mayor and City Council by the Commissioner of Public Works with the recommendation for its adoption.

The findings of the commission that the proposed contract will cost the city, during the next ten years, one million dollars over electric lighting is unqualifiedly false and probably is intended as a final drive to influence legislative action in connection with the tax limit. It is based upon the price assumed by your consulting engineer for incandescent lamps to replace the existing gas lamps.

At the recent tests of candle power for gas lamps you must have selected those which were to be immediately replaced, in order to get such ridiculously low candle power. We have a report, showing a test comprising a total of twenty lamps selected at random in Roxbury, Dorchester and Jamaica Plain, conducted by the chief inspector of the Public Utilities Commission, three representatives of the Gas Company and one representative of the City of Boston, in which there were but three lamps deficient in candle power, while the total average of all twenty lamps was 63.89, so that evidently the method of testing lamps, which is identical with that in the previous contract, has not been impossible of application and it is intended to establish in the city lighting service a method of ascertaining the candle power of any lamp actually in service, preparatory to having laboratory tests made, in order to have the proper candle power maintained.

The commission's recommendation that immediate steps be taken to replace gas street lighting system with electricity, based on the assumption of your engineer that this can be done under the existing contract with the Edison Company under a clause in the contract providing for additional lamps, is a fair sample of the commission's narrow interpretation of contract requirements. This contract never intended that 10,000 additional lamp circuits could be ordered of the Edison Company under their contract, which would require the expenditure of between one and two millions of dollars for extensions of series lighting circuits or of tremendous loss incident to the hand lighting and extinguishing of multiple incandescent lamps at the price in the contract. The findings of

the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners in connection with the arbitration under the terms of the 1914 Edison contract makes this statement:

"The agreement provides for extensions of the service, relocation of lamps and substitution of lamps of other types, but upon such terms as are manifestly designed not to increase thereby the relative cost to the company of supplying the service."

It has always been regretted by the writer that it seems impossible for the commission to take any fair grounds in the interpretation of contractual relations of the city and it is not to be wondered at that your recommendations are receiving decreased attention by the public and by executive and legislative departments.

The commission also misleads the public in its statement that the Commissioner of Public Works took no steps towards developing competition between gas and electric street lighting, as directed by his Honor the Mayor, and that the only proposal made by the Commissioner of Public Works was for that for street lighting by gas.

There is but one company which can furnish gas at the city lamps; there is but one company which can furnish electricity for substitution. For the lighting, extinguishing and maintenance of gas lamps there was a possible chance for competition. The writer took up with the Edison Company at different times previous to advertising this contract the substitution of electric lamps and knew that this substitution could not properly be accomplished. If, however, your consulting engineer had intelligently consulted the Edison Company officials or obtained reliable information from them he would well know that the Edison Company in their multiple incandescents of forty and sixty candle power are losing money on the present prices which are, respectively, \$18.33 and \$21.14 a year, and that the cost of lighting by hand switching method in use approximates a cost per lamp year almost equal to the total paid by the city and exceeds, for the forty candle power lamp, your engineer's assumed price for the total cost of these lamps to the city under the new Edison contract which will have to be made this year. It is not known where your engineer obtained knowledge of what the price per lamp year would be under this new contract for multiple lamps, which assumed price apparently has not the backing of the company directly interested and which will have to furnish the service.

We are glad to see that your engineer is favorably impressed with the price received for lighting, extinguishing and maintenance but makes a recommendation for reduction in the rate for illuminating gas. His assumption that 3½ feet of gas per lamp hour is incorporated in the new contract, as against 3 feet in the

old contract, is again wrong and misleading. It was 3½ feet in the old contract and is retained in the new contract. This eliminates his recommendation that the price for illuminating gas could be properly reduced.

The writer forwarded the gas lighting contract to the Mayor and the City Council with the recommendation for its approval only after having thoroughly investigated the possible substitution of electric lighting for gas lighting. As the writer is of the same opinion as your commission that electric lighting is far more acceptable to the community than gas lighting, but until such time as the Edison Company feels that the extension of their service to include all existing gas lamps will not impose too great a financial burden upon the company and possibly interfere with the extension of household and commercial lighting, and that their willingness to assume this substitution becomes more apparent than at present, its consideration should be dropped and the present gas lighting contract approved and at the prices fixed therein.

Yours very truly,

J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

FINANCE COMMISSION REPORT ON GAS CONTRACT.

The Finance Commission's report was as follows:

Boston, March 28, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council:

GENTLEMEN,—On February 14, 1924, the Commissioner of Public Works advertised proposals for equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the City of Boston, excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park, for a term of ten years beginning April 1, 1924.

Bids were opened on March 6, 1924. The only bid received was from the Boston Consolidated Gas Company at \$15.20 per lamp per year. On the same date the Boston Consolidated Gas Company submitted a price for furnishing gas at \$11 per lamp per year, making a total cost to the city, in case the award is made to the Boston Consolidated Gas Company, of \$26.20 per lamp per year. There would be in operation under this contract, if entered into, about 9,500 gas lamps.

Ten years ago the Boston Consolidated Gas Company entered into two contracts with the City of Boston to supply practically the same equipment and service as is now proposed, at a total cost of \$21 per lamp per year, divided as follows: \$12 for equipment, maintenance and operation per lamp per year, and \$9 for gas per lamp per year. During the term of the last contract, the Boston Consolidated Gas Company assigned to the Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America the contract which provided for equipment, maintenance and operation, the assignee company being the owner of the lamps and burners.

Section 12 of the contract now about to expire provides as follows:

"Extension of Contract. The city may at its option, to be signified in writing not later than January 6, 1924, extend the term herein designated for the continuance of the contract for a period not exceeding six months, so that there may be no interruption of service in case the

city enters into a contract involving other parties or different equipment, or both. . . .

Until a new contract is finally awarded it will not be known whether the city is to have its street lighting service continued by the Boston Consolidated Gas Company or by some other company or agency. If the contract is concluded within six months following the first of April, 1924, between the same parties and for the same equipment the prices in the new contract will apply, beginning with April 1, 1924. If, however, a contract is concluded with a party other than the one holding the present contract, or for equipment other than that now in use under the present contract, then the prices reserved in the present contract should apply after April 1, 1924, until such new contract is in operation, providing it is not more than six months after April 1, 1924.

This construction seems clear from the language of the contract, and the city officials should not be hurried or stymied into making a new contract by April 1, 1924, on the basis of the bid of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company.

It appeared in the public press in January, 1924, that his Honor the Mayor had instructed the Commissioner of Public Works to take steps for the making of a new contract in such a way as to develop some competition between gas and electricity in the matter of street lighting. It now, appears, however, that the Commissioner of Public Works did not follow this direction, if it were given, because the only proposal made by the Commissioner of Public Works was for an equipment for street lighting by gas.

The commission cannot find that any effort or attempt was made by the Commissioner of Public Works to get bids for street lighting by electricity in competition with the gas service now in use.

The Finance Commission has caused an investigation to be made by its consulting engineer of gas lighting under the contract of ten years ago, which expires on April 1 next, and under the contract proposed under the bid opened March 6, 1924. After a study of the consulting engineer's report, a copy of which is hereto annexed, the Finance Commission makes the following findings and recommendations:

FINDINGS.

The proposed contract with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company will cost the city during the next ten years at least one million dollars over an electric lighting system.

Under the contract of ten years ago, now about to expire, the Boston Consolidated Gas Company engaged to maintain the lamps when in service at not less than sixty horizontal candle power for each single burner lamp. In a recent test made it was found that the company did not live up to this engagement. A test made of fifteen lamps in the Roxbury district showed only an average of nineteen candle power per lamp, or less than one third of the candle power contracted for. Some of the burners were giving less than two candle power, while none of those tested gave over fifty-four candle power.

In the past ten years there have been no improvements in the art of street lighting by gas. Pressure gas lighting, from which many improvements in gas

lighting were expected ten years ago, has been abandoned.

It is common knowledge that the modern systems of lighting houses and apartments are exclusively by the use of electricity.

The method provided in the present contract, now about to expire, for testing candle power of street lamps on the part of the city is impossible of application. The same method appears in the proposed new contract.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

1. That the bid of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for street lighting by gas, now under consideration, be rejected.

2. That immediate steps be taken to replace the present gas street lighting system with electricity.

3. That a contract for a period not exceeding one year be entered into with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for maintaining the present service, with a provision for discontinuance upon the installation of electric service.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

PUBLIC LIBRARY MUSICAL DISPLAY.

The Boston Symphony Orchestra's impending performance of Beethoven's "Ninth Symphony" and the universal interest in the observance of the centenary of its first performance, are reflected in an exhibition in the music room of the Public Library of the City of Boston.

Beethoven and Boston were linked in reality just a little over a hundred years ago and the story of the commission given to him to write an oratorio for the Handel and Haydn Society may be read in Elson's "History of American Music" or in Thayer's "Life of Beethoven." Although the commission was never carried out, the interest in the great composer at that time was such that it led a Harvard man to devote practically all his life to writing the definitive life of the composer, which is incidentally one of the great biographies of the world.

On the 24th of this month, one hundred years ago, Beethoven's "Great Mass in D" received its initial performance in Russia, and on May 7 of the same year Vienna heard the first performance, of the Choral Symphony. The "Harmonicon" for August of that year contains a translation of a Vienna journal's account of his first performance, and a letter received in England at that time may be seen in the "Musical World" of April, 1837.

That this symphony occupied an advanced position in the nineteenth century is seen in an analysis contained in the "Quarterly Magazine and Review" for 1825. The writer says that "all the known acoustical missile instruments were employed and they made even the very ground shake under us, and would, with their fearful uproar, have been sufficiently penetrating to call from their peaceful graves . . . the revered shades of Tallis, Purcell, and Gibbons, and even Handel and Mozart, to witness and deplore the obstreperous roarings of modern frenzy in their art."

Did either Wagner or Stravinsky ever receive better publicity?

Of special interest to Bostonians is the account of the first performance in Boston. This may be read in "Dwight's Journal of Music" for February, 1853. Great were the preparations for the event. A translation of a German analysis was made and Richard Wagner's "Programme to the Ninth Symphony" was especially translated for the "Journal." The editor felt it necessary to issue an appeal to "withhold all encouragement from the whispering and bustle." That the performance was not an isolated event, but part of a rich musical life which we are apt to under-rate, may be seen from the other events of the same period. In the ten days that saw the performance of the symphony, Beethoven's oratorio, "The Mount of Olives," from which the Harvard Glee Club is to sing a selection next week, was also given. There were in addition a Mendelssohn festival, a chamber concert, and three or four nights of Alboni's operas.

The full accounts of these stirring events, which brought the world together even as does radio today, may be read in the books collected in the music room. Pictures of the composer and his contemporaries can be seen. Facsimile manuscripts of the different works are on view—notably the first page of the symphony and the sketch for the "Ode to Joy." Here also is displayed a picture of the house in which Schiller wrote his ode, which is really the starting point for the whole symphony.

Here can be seen detailed studies of the music and the instrumentation. Of different interest are the pictures of Max Klinger's celebrated and much discussed statue of the composer. They show one phase of the relation of the fine arts to one another, and any one who studies either the music or the criticism in the collection will be richly rewarded.

One of the most touching of all criticisms or tributes is that of Helen Keller, who "listened in" to a performance of this symphony in New York recently. She said, "As I listened, with darkness and melody, shadow and sound filling all the room, I could not help remembering that the great composer who poured forth such a flood of sweetness into the world was deaf like myself. I marvelled at the power of his quenchless spirit by which out of his pain he wrought such joy for others, and there I sat, feeling with my hand the magnificent symphony which broke like a sea upon the silent shores of his soul and mine."

DOVER STREET NOT TO BE GIVEN NEW NAME.

The Mayor received the following communication:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—An article in a recent edition of a Boston newspaper described an effort now being made to change the name of Dover street, Boston, to a name of greater significance, since its present designation has no historical value, and that, moreover, it conjures up too many unpleasant memories of places and scenes that might well be forgotten.

The proposition, however, has stirred remembrance in the hearts of the de-

scendants of the Dover farmers, who, many years ago, gave this particular street its name.

The territory comprising the present town of Dover was included in the grant made by the crown to the Massachusetts Bay Colony in 1628, being at that time and until its incorporation in 1784 a part of the town of Dedham.

Although always an agricultural district, for many years after its settlement the people were largely engaged in preparing ship timber, cutting wood and burning charcoal, all of which found a ready market in Boston, about eighteen miles distant. This business demanded transportation and men were constantly on the roads with their ox-teams.

Tradition and the town's history say that those Dover farmers gave Dover street its name because they "put up" over night, year in and year out, at a tavern located on Dover street near the junction of Washington street.

Because of this, many Dover people of the present day, while they claim no rights in the matter, earnestly hope that the ancient and worthy name of said street will not be changed.

Yours very truly,

M. N. COMISKEY,
G. HAROLD WALKEE,
H. L. MACKENZIE,
Selectmen of Dover, Mass.

The Mayor's reply is as follows:

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your communication requesting that the name of Dover street be retained on the thoroughfare which has so long borne this name. I agree with you that tradition and early history as represented by the names given the older thoroughfares in the city should not be subject to change without weighty reason. In the case of Dover street, the protest submitted by you gentlemen as members of the Board of Selectmen of Dover is of sufficient weight, in my opinion, to justify the retention of the ancient name, and I shall be pleased to insist that no change be made.

With every good wish,

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

PUBLIC LIBRARY SPECIAL LECTURE BY NOTED ENGLISH MUSICIAN.

The Public Library of the City of Boston announces a special lecture on Stravinsky's "Le Sacre du Printemps" to be given by Laurence V. Powell, of Birmingham University, England. The lecture will be given on Saturday evening, April 5, at 8.15 o'clock in the Lecture Hall, and is open to the public, entrance from Boylston street only. No tickets required.

The work is conceded to be the outstanding musical achievement of the twentieth century and its production here in Boston a few weeks ago resulted in numerous requests for a repetition which is scheduled for April 11 and 12. In addition to explanatory remarks, the entire composition will be reproduced on a piano player.

Mr. Powell will discuss the position of the work in relation to other works in the art of music and will explain the unique methods of Stravinsky in composition.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending March 29:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
G. N. Swallow Estate.....	3 and 4 Town Hill court...	4	Vacant dwellings...	Unsafe.
Julius Darish.....	Rear of 6 Alpine street.....	13	Stable, storage.....	Unsafe.
Columbia Building Trust.....	516 Columbia road.....	17	Shop.....	New building.
W. E. Burke.....	9 Columbia place.....	18	Storage.....	New building.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 27 TO APRIL 2.

MARCH 27.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Stella Rossi <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 340 Saratoga street.	2	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Ida Isenberg.....	Rear of 38 Holborn street (A)	16	First-class garage.....	1,500
Ida Isenberg.....	Rear of 38 Holborn street (B)	16	First-class garage.....	1,500
M. E. Malone.....	59 Lonsdale street.....	20	First-class garage.....	1,200
Josephine Cassolotto.....	129 Chiswick road.....	25	Second-class dwelling.....	60,000
Maria Cernigli.....	3 Nancia street.....	1	Second-class garage.....	1,200
Margaret G. O'Donnell.....	16 Pondview avenue.....	22	Second-class garage.....	1,800
Carmella Barrasso.....	31 Waverly street.....	26	Second-class dwelling.....	10,000
Hannah Ashmore.....	143 Blake street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	4,000
Christopher Austin.....	58 Bradeen street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Margaret Lamphier.....	195 Lake street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Mary McPherson.....	89 Forest Hills street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Annie C. Cossaboom.....	115 La Grange street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
S. Belliveau.....	26 Prospect street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
Nettie E. Fernandez.....	149 Millet street.....	19	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Nettie E. Fernandez.....	153 Millet street.....	19	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Mary Ellen Keane <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 59 Jamaica street.....	22	Third-class garage.....	600
Oscar H. Bogrette.....	Rear of 55 Fairmount street	21	Third-class garage.....	600
Anna L. Dahlgren.....	Rear of 96 King street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	400
Joseph Kustowski.....	31 Centre street.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Morris Biderman.....	14 Michigan avenue.....	19	Alterations, shop.....	500
Amory Eliot <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	125-135 State street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	6,000
A. W. Perry.....	2-16 Tremont street.....	5	Alterations, office and stores.....	300
Esther Trachtenberg.....	91 Deering road.....	21	Alterations, garage.....	100
Helen Delchanty.....	62 and 64 Bowdoin street.....	5	Alterations, lodging house.....	2,000
Estate of John Foster.....	200 High street.....	5	Alterations, manufacturing.....	750
Harry Smith.....	103 and 105 Clifton street.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Wentworth Institute.....	531 Parker street.....	14	Alterations, school.....	3,000
Mary A. Hoar.....	21 Brook avenue.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
William H. Coulson Co.....	284 Dartmouth street.....	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
Leroy Jackson.....	22 and 24 Claremont park.....	7	Erect fire escapes.....	250
Elizabeth Fischer.....	Rear of 28 Sheffield road.....	23	Third-class garage.....	500
George Garron.....	18 Gold street.....	10	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
George Garron.....	18A Gold street.....	10	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
George Garron.....	18B Gold street.....	10	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
W. E. Burke.....	9 Columbia place.....	18	Take-down, storage.....	75
J. V. Fitzgerald.....	187 Chelsea street.....	4	Take-down, store.....	100

MARCH 28.

J. Scott McLearn.....	30 Kinross road.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	\$40,000
J. Scott McLearn.....	34 Kinross road.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
Lillian C. Lalor.....	Rear of 82 Perkins street.....	22	Second-class garage.....	1,150
Wolf Glaser.....	1041-1045A Saratoga street.	1	Second-class stores.....	7,000
Philip Basile.....	4355 Washington street.....	23	Second-class garage.....	1,400
A. A. Martin.....	45 Oakland street.....	24	Alterations, tenements.....	300
Joseph Lanata.....	1653 Blue Hill avenue.....	24	Alterations, stores and dwelling.....	1,800
A. W. Perry, Inc.....	38 Bromfield street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.....	800
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital.....	104-114 Lincoln street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	8,000
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital.....	10-11 Tremont row.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	1,000
Jetalish Mahoney.....	74 Day street.....	14	Alterations dwelling.....	450
Harriet Fellner.....	8 Humboldt avenue.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
DeBlois & Maddison.....	130 and 132 Lincoln street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	1,500
Oliver Ames <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	558 and 560 Washington street.	5	Alterations, work room.....	600
Bernard Davis.....	40 Dover street.....	6	Alterations store and tenement.....	5,000
William Keisling.....	38 Johnson street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Alice G. Schulz.....	161 and 163 F street.....	9	Alterations, garage.....	100
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company.....	139-145 High street.....	5	Alterations, manufacturing.....	350
Andrews Paper Company.....	54 India street.....	5	Erect canopy.....	200

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J. F. Wooding.....	226 West Springfield street..	7	Second-class stores.....	\$4,000
Margaret G. O'Donnell.....	74 Halifax street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	20,000
W. J. Carlson.....	133 Beech street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
John E. Kiekham.....	39 Hewlett street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Frederick Brebner.....	49 Moraine street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
Boston Dwelling House Company.....	60 Bourne street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Boston Dwelling House Company.....	15 Westbourne road.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
F. W. Warner.....	536 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Alterations, stores and apartments.....	3,000
Louis H. Schneider, trustee.....	482 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, church and community house.....	none
Boston Y. M. C. A.....	288 St. Botolph street.....	7	Alterations, laboratories.....	250

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 27 TO APRIL 2.

MARCH 31.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Ellen L. Prendergast	Rear of 11 Brenton street.	19	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Daniel J. Murphy <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 17 Levant street.	18	First-class garage.	1,000
A. Cooper.	Rear of 7 Brenton street.	19	First-class garage.	1,000
Fannie Shulman	Rear of 175 Glenway street.	19	First-class garage.	1,225
Isaac E. Brody	Rear of 119 Glenway street.	19	Second-class garage.	1,500
Henry F. B. Magee	5 Murray avenue.	16	Second-class garage.	1,200
Annie Wright	20 Myrtle street.	8	Second-class mercantile.	2,000
Shikes & Long.	1797-1801 Washington street and 136 Northampton street.	12	Second-class stores.	35,000
Dominick Salvato	35 Cambridge street.	3	Alterations, dwelling.	150
Dominick Salvato	37 Cambridge street.	3	Alterations, dwelling.	150
Dominick Salvato	39 Cambridge street.	3	Alterations, dwelling.	150
Manning, Maxwell & Moore, Inc.	23 Watson street.	7	Alterations, manufacturing.	75
Arthur Jones	27 Colonial avenue.	21	Alterations, apartments.	250
Giovannina Conte.	632 East Third street.	10	Alterations, apartments.	800
Rocco Carbone	123 Dana avenue.	21	Alterations, dwelling.	450
A. P. Loring and R. H. Gardner, trustees.	131-135 Summer street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	745
George Joseph and Mrs. Mansfield.	5 and 7 Concord square.	7	Alterations, lodgings.	175
Henry Armstrong.	477 Washington street.	19	Alterations, garage.	1,000
James R. McDermott.	140 D street.	9	Alterations, dwelling and store.	400
Trustees Walker Building.	114-124 Boylston street.	8	Alterations, offices and stores.	5,000
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.	41 Belvidere street.	7	Alterations, telephone exchange.	2,500

APRIL 1.

Thomas Gollozzi.	234 South Huntington av.	14	Second-class garage.	\$850
Moorland Company.	397 Commonwealth av.	8	Second-class dental surgery.	100,000
David Finkel.	3 Sutton street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
E. P. H. Morrissey.	57 Fairmount street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
E. P. H. Morrissey.	59 Fairmount street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Jacob Silvesky.	74 Lucerne street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	15,000
Agnes Semple <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 34 Fairview street.	20	Third-class garage.	400
George J. Wemyss <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 16 Knoll street.	23	Third-class garage.	600
Elizabeth M. Jordan.	Rear of 94 Corey street.	23	Third-class garage.	600
Elizabeth M. Jordan.	Rear of 92 Corey street.	24	Third-class garage.	600
Mrs. Anna Kremwell.	113 Dana avenue.	5	Alterations, garage.	90
Ida Lipman.	1 Strong place.	5	Alterations, tenements.	100
Victoria Bardame.	122 Hancock street.	17	Alterations, dwelling.	50
Dr. A. C. Collidge.	198 Beacon street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
P. Flaherty.	14 Patterson street.	20	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Edward J. Ball.	49 Massachusetts avenue.	8	Alterations, store and studios.	3,000
Edward D. MacCallum.	2364 and 2366 Washington street.	13	Alterations, mercantile.	3,000
House of the Angel Guardian.	111 Day street.	14	Alterations, printing establishment.	500
J. W. Yazbach.	88 Readville street.	24	Alterations, store and dwelling.	1,000
Y. W. C. A.	68-72 Warrenton street.	8	Alterations, association.	600
C. DiFonzo.	22 Bremer street.	2	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
Lundin Turkish Bath Co.	20 and 22 Carver street.	8	Alterations, turkish baths.	10,000
Mary Lee Ware.	43 and 45 West street.	5	Alterations, mercantile.	300
Children's Hospital.	318 Longwood avenue.	14	Alterations, dwelling.	500
Children's Hospital.	314 Longwood avenue.	14	Alterations, dwelling.	500
Children's Hospital.	316 Longwood avenue.	14	Alterations, dwelling.	500
Morgan Brothers, Inc.	10 and 12 Lansing street.	16	Alterations, storage.	200
George and Ella Simpson.	4 Arcadia street.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	350
Kruka Brothers.	469 Columbus avenue.	7	Alterations, store and tenements.	4,500
Mrs. Fannie McLean.	9 Greenwich park.	7	Erect fire escapes.	100
Federal Development Co.	209 Washington street.	5	Alterations, elevator.	300
Roxbury Dye House.	62 George street.	12	Install elevator.	2,400
Maurice J. Freeman.	638 1/2 Main street.	3	Take down, store and dwelling.	100
Swift-McNutt Company.	831 Shawmut avenue.	13	Take down, shops.	200
Swift-McNutt Company.	827 Shawmut avenue.	13	Take down, laundry.	200
Swift-McNutt Company.	Rear of 829 Shawmut avenue.	13	Take down, dwelling.	200
Swift-McNutt Company.	Rear of 829 Shawmut avenue.	13	Take down, shed.	100
Colonial Filling Station.	Rear of 1580 Blue Hill av.	24	Take down, dwelling.	50
James J. Boyd, agent.	156 Gold street.	9	Take down, stable.	50
New York Building Wrecking Company.	12 Palmer street.	12	Take down, auto repairing.	100
New York Building Wrecking Company.	2224 Washington street.	12	Take down, store.	150
N. R. Landers.	1575 Blue Hill avenue.	21	Take down, dwelling.	200

APRIL 2.

Margaret Rogers <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 294 Newbury street.	8	First-class garage.	\$1,000
David Nagle.	674-678 East Eighth street.	10	First-class garage.	4,000
William T. Scott.	Rear of 85 Condor street.	1	First-class garage.	1,500
Irving Ziemann.	23-31 Washington street.	25	Second-class stores.	15,000
George Will.	Rear of 19 Goethe street.	23	Second-class garage.	800
Josephine M. O'Connor.	605 East Eighth street.	10	Second-class store.	2,000
Samuel Williamson.	Rear of 433 Dudley street.	12	Second-class garage.	1000
Estate of John Evans.	88 Linden street.	25	Special garage.	410
Stephen J. Francis.	Rear of 21 Dillingham street.	17	Special garage.	600
Mary T. Leonard <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 64 Percival street.	18	Special garage.	400
M. W. Palmer.	150 Arlington street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
William H. Hardy.	785 Columbia road.	11	Third-class dwelling.	18,000
Dominick Galanto.	1880 River street.	24	Third-class dwelling.	5,000
Philip LeBlanc & Son.	37 Hartford street.	17	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
The Diamond Realty Company.	4 Tiverton road.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Washington Heights Land Company.	5 Ransom road.	25	Third-class dwelling.	15,000
Daniel Cerussi.	15 Euston road.	25	Third-class dwelling.	15,000
Phillip Stern.	36 Woolson street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	18,000
John Cashman.	109 and 111 Nottingham road.	25	Third-class dwelling.	12,000

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Brooks street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Frothingham avenue, Ward 3, erect two poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Bradeen street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Lincoln street, Ward 26, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Hopkins street, Ward 21, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Hobart street, Ward 26, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, West Fifth street, Ward 9, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Pacific street, Ward 10, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Byron street, Ward 1, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Julian street, Ward 17, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Selwyn street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Everett street, Ward 2, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Raven street, Ward 11, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Wrentham street, Ward 20, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Trenton street, Ward 1, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Rexford street, Ward 24, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Blanche street, Ward 20, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Lincoln street, Ward 3, erect one pole.

Peter J. Brennan, 88 Lambert avenue, Ward 15, one car.

Anna S. Dahlgren, 96 King street, Ward 20, one car.

Anthony Domenico, 121 King street, Ward 20, one car.

John C. Hagleston, 1 Arion street, Ward 17, one car.

Catherine E. Harvey, 3 Argyle street, Ward 20, one car.

Mary T. Leonard *et al.*, 64 Percival street, Ward 21, one car.

Anna C. Mattson *et al.*, 146 Ballou avenue, Ward 21, one car.

Thomas G. Schuyler, 38 Williams street, Ward 13, one car.

Annie Aptaker, 12 and 14 Normandy street, Ward 18, two cars additional.

Louis Baker, 32 and 34 Elm Hill park, Ward 16, two cars.

Oscar H. Bogrette, 55 Fairmount street, Ward 21, two cars.

Annie L. Cohen *et al.*, 263 Talbot avenue, etc., Ward 21, two cars.

Euigina DePasquale, 584 South street, Ward 22, two cars.

Estate of John Evans, heirs, 88 Linden street, Ward 25, two cars.

Thomas Gallozzi, 234 South Huntington avenue, Ward 14, two cars.

Sebastian Giampapa, 24 Orange street, Ward 23, two cars additional.

Sebina Hutchinson *et al.*, 12 Anson street, Ward 22, two cars additional.

Newton E. Jones, 6 Burt street, Ward 21, two cars.

Mary Ellen Keane *et al.*, 59 Jamaica street, Ward 22, two cars.

Joseph Kudrevicous, 15 Batchelder street, Ward 12, two cars.

Annie Libman *et al.*, 54 Harwood street, Ward 21, two cars.

Joseph Matulevich, 49 Hecla street, Ward 18, two cars.

Patrick McDermott, 113 Williams street, Ward 22, two cars.

Mary A. McManus, 40 Lyndhurst street, Ward 19, two cars.

Mrs. James J. Montague, 54 Hollingsworth street, Ward 24, two cars.

Jeremiah N. Mosher *et al.*, 19 Rexhame street, Ward 23, two cars.

Charlotte J. B. Page *et al.*, 73 Dale street, Ward 16, group garage, two cars.

Michael Shea, 8 Harleston street, Ward 14, two cars.

B. W. Shutte, 43 Turner street, Ward 26, two units, two cars.

Esther Weiner *et al.*, 37 Kingsdale street, Ward 19, two cars.

J. Weisman, 28 Clarkwood street, Ward 21, two cars.

Henry E. West, 183 Temple street, Ward 23, two cars.

George Will, 19 Goethe street, Ward 23, two cars.

P. Zisman, 54 Angell street, Ward 21, two cars.

Morris Bronstein, 480 Jamaica way, Ward 22, three cars.

Barnet Drazin *et al.*, 39 Bower street, Ward 16, three cars.

Baffack Firchione, 37 Dacia street, Ward 17, three cars.

Alexander F. Galarneaux, 707 Walk Hill street, Ward 24, three cars.

Mary Haddad, 40 Oak street, Ward 5, three cars.

Catherine Hurley, 55 Saxton street, Ward 17, group garage, three units.

John McCormack, 73 Falcon street, Ward 1, three cars.

H. Shriberge, 12 Estella street, Ward 21, three cars.

B. J. Connolly, 1554 Commonwealth avenue, Ward 25, group garage, four units, four cars.

Mary A. Hoar, 394 Centre street, Ward 20, group garage, four units.

James Coogan, 127 Dale street, Ward 16, group garage, five units.

Alice VanKoert, 17 Pearl street, Ward 17, additional group garage, six units, six cars.

Andrew Anderson, 205-211 Condor street, Ward 1, nine additional units.

Benjamin Langille *et al.*, 12 Phipps street, Ward 3, group garage, nine units, nine cars.

William T. Condry, 2009 Centre street, Ward 23, 3,000 additional gallons gasoline.

John Francis Hayes, 71 Kilmarnock street, Ward 8, 500 gallons gasoline, 50 gallons oil.

Julius Smith, 259 Albany street, Ward 6, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Town Taxi Company, 75 West Dedham street, Ward 6, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Congress Electrical Company, 74 Long Wharf, Ward 5, hydrogen gallons gas.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 27 TO APRIL 2.

APRIL 2.—Continued.

OWNER.	Location	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Mathilda A. Tilly	Rear of 27 Harrison street.	23	Third-class garage.	600
William F. Donnelly	9 Carlford street.	22	Third-class garage.	600
William F. Donnelly	Rear of 9 Carlford street.	22	Third-class garage.	600
P. H. Keating	Rear of 374 Hyde Park ave.	24	Third-class garage.	600
John Lasman	50 Dale street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
Grace Quirk	641 Saratoga street.	1	Alterations, dwelling.	1,800
Norwegian Old People's Home.	20 Cushing avenue.	17	Alterations, home.	1,000
Hillmer Herstrom	14 Upland avenue.	20	Alterations, dwelling.	7,000
W. Mikanovitz	256 Athens street.	9	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Annie Hurwitz	339 Tremont street.	8	Alterations, store and tenements.	200
Henry C. McDonald	65 Decatur street.	4	Alterations, dwelling.	600
Miss Clara Hersey <i>et al.</i>	315 Walnut avenue.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
Olympia Theaters, Inc.	1262 and 1264 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Alterations, theater.	9,000
Peter Post	15 Holbrook street.	22	Alterations, dwelling.	4,000
Lena K. Laranovitch	9 Holborn street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
James Scherzie	191 Brooks street.	2	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
Morris Bronstein	85 State street.	5	Install elevator.	5,000
John J. Sullivan	457 and 459 Neponset ave.	20	Take-down, tenement.	100
John J. Sullivan	8 Granite avenue.	20	Take-down, stable.	100
John J. Sullivan	267 Athens street.	9	Take-down, dwelling.	100
John J. Sullivan	1258 Massachusetts avenue.	11	Take-down, stable.	75
John J. Sullivan	1264 Massachusetts avenue.	11	Take-down, dwelling.	250

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 27 TO APRIL 2.

MARCH 27.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. J. Mullen	5 Vine street.	4	New fixtures.	\$300
H. E. Plaisdel	109 Moody street.	24	New fixtures.	200
Joseph H. McCarthy	5 La Grange place.	12	New fixtures.	100
Edward J. Roach	733 Hyde Park avenue.	24	New fixtures.	1,100
Charles Lang	2 Goodway road.	23	New fixtures.	639
John E. Stanley	94 Ploomfield street.	19	New fixtures.	1,100
John E. Stanley	98 Bloomfield street.	19	New fixtures.	1,100
John E. Stanley	102 Ploomfield street.	19	New fixtures.	1,100
Edward Bevelander	32 Waverly street.	26	New fixtures.	950
J. C. Wright	1288 Commonwealth avenue	25	New fixtures.	60
M. Cohen	31 Centre street.	15	New fixtures.	650

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Harry D. Pollard	139 Ashmont street.	21	New fixtures.	\$500
Harry F. Nation	7 Baird street.	21	New fixtures.	350
William T. Hannigan	Rear of 198 Beacon street.	8	New fixtures.	475
Louis H. Jacobs	23 Bellevue street.	17	New fixtures.	200
Blue Hill Plumbing Company.	825 Blue Hill avenue.	21	New fixtures.	3,000
Blue Hill Plumbing Company.	829 Blue Hill avenue.	21	New fixtures.	3,000
Charles Munro	39 Brent street.	20	New fixtures.	250
Frank I. Rourke	62 Bromley street.	15	New fixtures.	350
James J. McCarthy	681 Centre street.	22	New fixtures.	100
Arthur L. Mann	46 Church street.	8	New fixtures.	300
T. A. Matthews	1438 Dorchester avenue.	18	New fixtures.	300
John A. Gerrity	18 Forbes street.	15	New fixtures.	600
M. & H. H. Collins	42 Francis street.	14	New fixtures.	200
Joseph J. Levin	145 Glenway street.	19	New fixtures.	300
Robert A. Matthews	12 Lorenzo street.	20	New fixtures.	950
John J. Vogel	27 Prospect avenue.	23	New fixtures.	575
Vincent A. Bolger	234 River street.	25	New fixtures.	650
John J. Murphy	374 Tremont street.	8	New fixtures.	50
T. A. Matthews	95 Wilmington avenue.	21	New fixtures.	800

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Hubert T. Smith	317 Washington street.	26	New fixtures.	\$75
Edward H. Marchant	65 Sawyer avenue.	17	New fixtures.	100
Walter P. Wilson Company	23 Prescott street.	4	New fixtures.	400
Morse Brothers Company	152 Portland street.	5	New fixtures.	400
D. M. Goldstein	82 Huntington avenue.	7	New fixtures.	50
Harry Kingsberg	10 Gustin street.	11	New fixtures.	275
W. S. Emerson & Co.	Faneuil Hall.	5	New fixtures.	250
E. O. Hunt	28 Alford street.	3	New fixtures.	150
Andrew J. Granara	31 Amherst street.	23	New fixtures.	260
Hubert T. Smith	385 Washington street.	26	New fixtures.	200

MARCH 31.

Charles Lang	9 Westbourne road.	23	New fixtures.	\$500
Cox & Johnson	234 Victory road.	20	New fixtures.	700
Denis Grady	135 Northampton street.	13	New fixtures.	90
Charles H. Smith	29 Hereford street.	8	New fixtures.	200
S. Gould	109 Elm Hill avenue.	16	New fixtures.	3,400
S. Gould	107 Elm Hill avenue.	16	New fixtures.	3,400
Herman Grosse	1775 Dorchester avenue.	20	New fixtures.	139
E. J. Fennessey	208 Commonwealth avenue.	8	New fixtures.	2,600
Charles Lang	247 Beech street.	23	New fixtures.	910
Otto R. Schultes	70 Bartlett street.	15	New fixtures.	200
George W. Rigby	180 Gold street.	8	New fixtures.	225
William F. McAuliffe	723 East Fourth street.	10	New fixtures.	136
John A. Costello	160 Dorchester street.	10	New fixtures.	160

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MARCH 27 TO APRIL 2.

APRIL 1.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
H. S. Trethewey	149 Willow street.	23	New fixtures.	\$750
M. S. Pann	19 Wilcock street.	21	New fixtures.	375
H. C. Greenlaw	226 Tremont street.	5	New fixtures.	150
Hubert T. Smith	9 Parkland street.	25	New fixtures.	375
H. S. Trethewey	9 Nikisch avenue.	23	New fixtures.	767
Harry F. Nation	207 Magnolia street.	18	New fixtures.	125
Harry F. Nation	205 Magnolia street.	18	New fixtures.	125
H. S. Trethewey	309 Kittredge street.	23	New fixtures.	700
S. Gould	9 Greendale road.	21	New fixtures.	1,050
Pagington Brothers	41-49 Fairmount avenue.	24	New fixtures.	225
W. L. Ambrose	701 East Fourth street.	10	New fixtures.	100
Edward E. Berry	189 Dana avenue.	24	New fixtures.	225
Charles Shields	3 Corinne road.	26	New fixtures.	500
Solomon Tack	251 Beech street.	23	New fixtures.	750
Solomon Tack	255 Beech street.	23	New fixtures.	750
Solomon Tack	259 Beech street.	23	New fixtures.	750

APRIL 2.

F. H. Densmore	444 Ashmont street.	20	New fixtures.	\$862
Joseph Seigel	229 Warren street.	25	New fixtures.	3,500
Joseph Seigel	233 Warren street.	25	New fixtures.	3,500
Joseph Seigel	63 Woodstock avenue.	25	New fixtures.	6,000
C. E. Hatch	49 Crawford street.	16	New fixtures.	315
Joseph J. Levin	6 Bradshaw street.	19	New fixtures.	2,500
John M. Hannigan	23 Blenford road.	25	New fixtures.	1,100

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 499.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Rooney and Mason, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Edward G. Lynch of Division 17, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect of duty, reported to the Commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Edward G. Lynch was on March 15, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on March 15, 1924, to the said Edward G. Lynch.

On the eighteenth day of March, 1924, the said Edward G. Lynch requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Tuesday, March 25, 1924, at three o'clock p. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Edward G. Lynch.

The said Edward G. Lynch was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said Edward G. Lynch guilty as charged, and further finds that the said Edward G. Lynch shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 500.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, Hickey and Mason, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Wilfred N. Maxfield of Division 12, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Wilfred N. Maxfield was on March 15, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on March 15, 1924, to the said Wilfred N. Maxfield.

On the eighteenth day of March, 1924, the said Wilfred N. Maxfield requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Tuesday, March 25, 1924, at eleven o'clock a. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Wilfred N. Maxfield.

The said Wilfred N. Maxfield was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said Wilfred N. Maxfield guilty as charged, and further finds that the said Wilfred N. Maxfield shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 501.

The following-named persons are hereby appointed patrolmen, to take effect Friday, March 28, 1924, at ten o'clock a. m., and they are assigned as follows:

Daniel J. M. Cleary, to Division 14; John McSharry, to Division 6; Patrick J. Donahue, to Division 14; Edward F. Berigan, to Division 2; Carlos H. Cotton, to Division 19; Gilbert H. Noyes, to Division 17; John D. Cahill, to Division 1; Charles L. Kreinsen, to Division 10; Michael J. Connell, to Division 9; Charles M. Walker, to Division 19; Thomas S. Higgins, to Division 15; George F. Blackmore, to Division 7; Harold J. Finan, to Division 6; James V. Stanton, to Division 17; Emmett L. Mahoney, to Division 19; Daniel McCarthy, to Division 13; Martin H. Currie, to Division 19; Louis Miller, to Division 3; Peter J. McDonough, to Division 7; Frederick V. Kippenhan, to Division 9; Frank J. Henderson, to Division 15; Joseph J. O'Gara, to Division 19; Wesley D. Hamilton, to Division 3; Thomas J. Hanlon, to Division 17; Richard W. Brannan, to Division 12; Charles W. Robinson, to Division 18; Martin C. Cummings, to Division 17; William F. Oesterle, to Division 7; James J. Buckley, to Division 12; Vincent J. Kelleher, to Division 11; John

F. R. Hughes, to Division 17; Matthew J. Moylan, to Division 12; Richard T. Kelly, Jr., to Division 5; Charles R. Spellman, to Division 17; William W. French, to Division 5; Patrick H. McLaughlin, to Division 17.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 502.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman James R. Connaughton of Division 3, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect of duty, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman James R. Connaughton was on March 18, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on March 18, 1924, to the said James R. Connaughton.

On the nineteenth day of March, 1924, the said James R. Connaughton, by his attorney, requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Wednesday, March 26, 1924, at eleven o'clock a. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said James R. Connaughton.

The said James R. Connaughton was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said James R. Connaughton guilty as charged, and further finds that the said James R. Connaughton shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

John W. O'Connell has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing Public Alleys Nos. 103, 104, 539, 542, 543, 714, 715, 716. Items ordered: Remove granite retaining walls where directed in Public Alley No. 539. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost, \$150. Remove sewer sheathing in Public Alley No. 542. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost, \$30. Remove reinforced concrete retaining walls in Public Alleys Nos. 539, 542, 543. Price to be paid, for each cubic yard of reinforced concrete retaining walls removed, the sum of \$20. Estimated cost, \$200. Estimated cost of extra work, \$380.

John W. O'Connell has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing Public Alleys Nos. 103, 104, 539, 542, 543, 714, 715 and 716. Items ordered: Remove tree in Public Alley No. 541. Price to be paid, the sum of \$25. Suspend construction of Public Alley No. 104; haul surplus paving blocks to Massachusetts avenue lot and remove forms, etc., from the site of the work. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost, \$240. Estimated cost of extra work, \$265.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has allowed the following claims:

Natalie Strazzulla, 32 Seneca street, Boston, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk at said address, November 17, 1923.

Lena Rathman, 16 Greenock street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in street corner Blue Hill avenue and Greenock street, October 23, 1923.

Daniel P. O'Neill, 216 Almont street, in the sum of \$87, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by trench on Norfolk street, October 24, 1923.

Vincent Ambrosiano, 104 London street, East Boston, in the sum of \$24.50, as compensation for damage to clothing caused by ferryboat employee splashing engine oil, August 11, 1923.

Mark Corrado, 953 Saratoga street, East Boston, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for damage to property at said address caused by leak in water pipe, September 28, 1923.

Chester W. Kingsley, 18 Tremont street, in the sum of \$10.95, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by hole in Columbus avenue, near Echo street, January 19, 1924.

Benedetto Italiana, 37 Chelsea street, East Boston, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for personal injuries caused by slipping off gang plank at North Ferry, Boston side, October 14, 1923.

Gilmour, Rothery & Co., 120 Water street, in the sum of \$45.10, as compensation for damage to property at said address caused by leak in water pipe, October 24-27, 1923.

William C. Dolan, 14 Holbrook street, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of \$111.21, as compensation for damage to car caused by trench on Columbus avenue, opposite Echo street, January 19, 1924.

Downey Brothers, 129 Providence street, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for damage to truck caused by trench in Albany street in front of city garage, November 23, 1923.

Catherine G. Delahanty, 8 Merrymount avenue, Wollaston, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in highway opposite 453 Neponset avenue, January 4, 1924.

Carrie A. Fisher, 10 Thane street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in State street, at Devonshire street, January 11, 1924.

Charles Tapper, 21 Milford street, in the sum of \$175, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk at about 931 Washington street, December 8, 1923.

James O'Neill, 16 Union park, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for damage to property at said address caused by break in water main, December 4, 1923.

Jane Walsh, 17 Milford street, Boston, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by fence being down on West Brookline street, between Washington street and Shawmut avenue, September 14, 1923.

Ellen G. Spillane, 5 Mildred street, Hull, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by loose boards covering catch-basin on Shawmut avenue, near Hanson street, June 26, 1923.

Roy Somers, 249 Marion street, East Boston, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by fall on sidewalk at 24 North street, defect, December 19, 1923.

H. S. Lewis, 40 Bristol street, City, in the sum of \$23.45, as compensation for damage to automobile commandeered by Division No. 5 officer in pursuit of prisoner, March 28, 1922.

CITIES JOIN WITH BOSTON TO CELEBRATE PATRIOTS' DAY.

A joint observance of Patriots' Day, April 19, is being arranged under the auspices of the Citizens' Public Celebrations Association of Boston to include seven towns and cities. In each place there will be a local program centering around the rides of Paul Revere and William Dawes.

These historic events in the destiny of nation and world will be reproduced, as for the past several years, with riders on horseback dressed to impersonate the original riders of 1775. The riders will be selected from the cavalry of the Massachusetts National Guard as has been customary. "Revere" will start from North square, from the house still standing there in which Revere lived at the time. "Dawes" will start from John Eliot square in Roxbury.

In each place there will be a suitable program in which the patriotic significance of the event and of the holiday will be stressed. Then the riders will proceed, each with a mounted cavalry escort, in charge of members of the committee who will travel with each rider to insure harmonious dovetailing of the features along the way.

Each town and city has its own official local committee, designated by the selectmen or mayor on invitation of the Mayor of Boston and the Public Celebrations Association. The general committee has been meeting weekly and

plans for the holiday are well in hand, in co-operation with the City of Boston Director of Public Celebrations, J. Philip O'Connell.

The Patriots' Day Committee for Boston consists of: Merle R. Griffith, chairman; E. B. Mero, secretary; E. L. Curran, James H. Phelan, William Carroll Hill, John B. Archibald, Frank Chouteau Brown, Frank Leveroni, Henry J. D. Small, Wilfred F. Kelley, John J. Sawtelle, Frederic C. Bauer, John J. Keenan, Joseph A. F. O'Neil.

The chairmen of the committees for the other cities and towns are as follows:

Arlington, Frank M. Harwood; Brookline, Edward W. Baker; Cambridge, T. Harrison Cummings; Lexington, Ezra F. Breed; Medford, Joseph C. Smith; Somerville, L. A. Hodgdon.

In charge of the Eliot square arrangements at the start of the Dawes ride will be Frederick J. Soule of the Norfolk House Center, with a committee in which the Roxbury Historical Society, American Legion and Boy Scouts will be active. In charge of the North square arrangements at the start of the Revere ride will be a committee headed by John A. Scanga of the Michelangelo School Center.

The official start of the Boston part of the day's events will be a formal flag raising at City Hall by Mayor Curley, with a battalion of navy men and band, following which ceremony the troops, officials and committee will march to North square, where exercises will follow, concluding with the start of the rider on his way to give the twentieth century version of the warning, "To arms! The British are coming!"

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending March 29, 1924:

Population estimated, July, 1924, United States Census Bureau, 776,783.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 184; nonresidents, 47; total, 231.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 15.51; nonresidents deducted, 12.35.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: Last week, 15.23; corresponding week last year, 18.68.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 32; one year to five years, inclusive, 7; sixty years and over, 97, total deaths, male, 118; female, 113; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 104; deaths of colored, 3.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended March 29, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended March 31, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	59	1	73	6
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	3	—
Influenza.....	3	—	5	1
Measles.....	198	2	115	1
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	1	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	40	6	24	15
Scarlet fever.....	124	1	90	5
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	42	19	42	13
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	3	2	5	5
Typhoid fever.....	1	1	5	1
Whooping cough.....	16	—	80	3

* Residents and nonresidents included.

TABLE SHOWING NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1924.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES AND STORES.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		GARAGES.		HOTELS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....											58	\$266,120		
Second Class.....	21	\$1,395,000					1	\$10,000			27	42,050		
Third Class.....	1	15,000					95	984,100			34	17,326		
Special Class.....											9	4,150		
Total New Work.....	22	\$1,410,000					96	\$994,100			128	\$329,646		
Alterations.....	10	6,950	16	\$24,925	1	\$100	297	211,295	16	\$13,610	13	5,465	1	\$3,000
Grand Totals.....	32	\$1,416,950	16	\$24,925	1	\$100	393	\$1,205,395	16	\$13,610	141	\$335,111	1	\$3,000

CHARACTER.	HOSPITALS.		LODGING HOUSES.		LODGING HOUSES AND STORES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.		OFFICE BUILDINGS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....							1	\$200,000	1	\$200,000	1	\$800,000
Second Class.....	1	\$100,000					17	148,350	2	180,000	2	51,000
Third Class.....							2	1,300			2	2,700
Special Class.....												
Total New Work.....	1	\$100,000					20	\$349,650	3	\$380,000	5	\$853,700
Alterations.....	1	250	14	\$19,790	6	\$1,211	72	450,284	19	168,350	17	402,675
Grand Totals.....	2	\$100,250	14	\$19,790	6	\$1,211	92	\$799,934	22	\$548,350	22	\$1,256,375

CHARACTER.	PUBLIC BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC HALLS.		SCHOOL-HOUSES.		STABLES.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....											61	\$1,466,120
Second Class.....									4	\$11,500	75	1,937,900
Third Class.....									31	3,500	165	1,023,926
Special Class.....									3	300	12	4,450
Total New Work.....									38	\$15,300	313	\$4,432,396
Alterations.....	1	\$75	1	\$1,000	1	\$3,000	13	\$31,750	27	38,195	526	1,381,925
Grand Totals.....	1	\$75	1	\$1,000	1	\$3,000	13	\$31,750	65	\$53,495	839	\$5,814,321

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe, in Pond View avenue, between Moraine street and a point 287 feet southerly in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$2,500.

A sanitary sewer of 2-foot by 3-foot concrete in Congress street, between Atlantic avenue and Purchase street, in

the city proper district, at an estimated cost of \$4,910.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Alpha road, between Regina road and a point 90 feet easterly in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$750.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Harmon street, between Oakland street and a point about 125 feet southwesterly in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$1,100.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch and a surface drain of 15-inch earthen pipe, three catch-basins and two manholes in Elm Hill avenue, between Seaver street and Homestead street, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$11,564.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Corinne road, between 222 feet southeasterly of Raneleigh road and a point 246 feet southeasterly in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$2,110.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Apr. 10. The Revelation of Spain. Ralph Adams Cram, Litt.D., LL.D.
Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Apr. 6. Recreational Opportunities of Boston. (Motion pictures.) Speaker: Mrs. Eva W. White, General Director, Community Service of Boston. Boston Conservation Bureau.*
Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations
Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

*The program arranged by the Conservation Bureau of the City of Boston will consist of motion pictures, silent informational screen talks, singing by the audience, and a brief address.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

FIRE SERVICE, CITIES AND TOWNS OUTSIDE OF BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, APRIL 12, 1924.—BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, APRIL 26, 1924.

Applicants for the service of Boston must be not less than twenty-two nor over thirty years of age at the time of filing their applications. Applicants for the service of all other cities and towns in the metropolitan district must be not less than twenty-one nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing their applications. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Applicants for the service of cities and towns outside of the metropolitan district are required to be not less than twenty-one nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing their applications. Applicants for Worcester fire service are required to be not less than 5 feet 5 inches in height.

Callmen and substitute callmen may make such deductions from their ages as are provided for in Civil Service Rule 8, Classes 20 and 21.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; practical questions on fire apparatus, etc., 4; total, 10. Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be required to pass a physical examination and strength tests. Educational qualifications, 2; physical qualifications, 3; total, 5.

The questions on duties will be based upon information contained in a manual known as the "Red Book." This manual may be obtained from the Secretary of State, Room 118, State House, at ten cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

- Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.
Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)
May 12. Annual Meeting.

THE NEW ENGLAND POETRY CLUB.

The following free talk in the Lecture Hall on the second Wednesday of the month at 4.30 o'clock, with illustrative readings, is announced:

Some Influences in Modern American Poetry.

- Apr. 9. Robert Frost. Norreys Jephson O'Connor, A.M., Assistant Professor of English, Mt. Holyoke College.

Persons who possess the requisite qualifications as to age may have their names placed on any three eligible lists in addition to the original list for which they apply. Preference in certification will be given to applicants who, at the time of certification, have been domiciled for six months in the city or town from which requisition is received.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

March 24, 1924.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 7.13 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

Feb. 18, 1924, on page 10—to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of LeRoy T. Martin, as submaster, Phillips Brooks District, to take effect Feb. 25, 1924, shall read "second year."

Feb. 18, 1924, on page 10—to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of John J. O'Brien, as submaster, Thomas Gardner District, shall read to take effect March 10, 1924, instead of "Feb. 25, 1924."

On motion of Mr. Sullivan, the minutes of the meeting of March 3 were amended by inserting the following explanatory statement to follow immediately the record of his vote on the order authorizing the participation of the South Boston and Dorchester High School Battalions in the parade held in South Boston in commemoration of Evacuation Day, on Monday, March 17, 1924:

"I vote against this order because it is restricted to South Boston and to Dorchester. In my opinion, its provisions should apply to schools throughout the city."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

On motion, the appointments by promotion in the Continuation School were amended to take effect Mar. 3, 1924, instead of Apr. 1, 1924.

The appointments, as amended, were approved.

DEATH.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension: Harvard-Frothingham District—Charlotte E. Camp, Mar. 14, 1924. Placed on file.

The following appointments by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated were presented:

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Elliot District—Elizabeth P. Dunagan, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924.
Emerson District—Agnes M. Sullivan, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924.
Laid over.

ATTENDANT, OPEN-AIR CLASS.

Bowdoin District (Bowdoin School)—Elizabeth Cloutier, Mar. 6, 1924. Approved.

ATTENDANT, SCHOOL LUNCHES.

Franklin District (Wait School)—Elizabeth Tyner, Mar. 10, 1924. Approved.

ARMORER.

On motion, Michael J. Lannon was unanimously appointed armorer, to take effect Apr. 1, 1924.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Continuation School—John P. Shea, instructor, Mar. 7, 1924, one day, funeral.

Dorchester High School—Josephine D. Brooks, assistant, from Feb. 29 to Mar. 14, 1924, (excluded by school physician because of exposure to contagious disease.)

Elliot District—Margaret A. Foley, first assistant in charge, Mar. 13, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Jennie M. Good, first assistant in charge, Mar. 19, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Prince District—Mabel G. Finlay, first assistant, kindergarten, from Mar. 17 to June 19, 1924.

Shurtleff District—Alice M. Riley, assistant, Mar. 11, 1924, one-half day, court summons.

ASSIGNMENT OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 24, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned the following-named teacher to a class attended exclusively by boys in a grade above the third in the district herein stated:

Eliot District—Rose H. Riley, assistant, Nov. 6, 1922.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 24, 1924, submitting, in compliance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report on his attendance at the annual convention of the Department of Superintendence of the National Education Association, held in Chicago from Feb. 24 to 28, 1924, inclusive.

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATION FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the order appropriating sums on account to provide funds for the Alteration and Repair of school buildings, for furniture, fixtures and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection for existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards during the financial year Feb. 1, 1924, to Jan. 31, 1925, as passed at the meeting of Feb. 18, 1924 (see page 16) is hereby rescinded.

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Dr. Scannell—1.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That to provide funds for the Alteration and Repair of school buildings, for furniture, fixtures and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection for existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards, during the financial year, Feb. 1, 1924, to Jan. 31, 1925, the following sums are hereby appropriated on account:

a. Administrative expenses, Schoolhouse Department, \$105,000

b. Segregated items,
(For the following items, calling only for work necessitated by educational requirements approved by the Superintendent).

1. Productive work by pupils.

2. Lockers.
(Trade, Continuation, Intermediate and High Schools).

3. Normal School.
(Alter graduates' and music room to form library and supply necessary equipment. Reconstruct present library for class room purposes and supply necessary equipment. Build passageway to connect with Patrick

A. Collins building.
Do necessary grading).

4. Girls' Latin School.
(Build passageway to connect with Patrick A. Collins building, making necessary changes, including changes in teachers' room and book room. Do necessary grading).

5. Patrick A. Collins Building.
(Make necessary alterations and supply necessary equipment to accommodate classes from Normal and Girls' Latin Schools).

6. Mechanic Arts High School.
(Transfer one wood-working room. Furnish and install equipment for machine shop, making necessary repairs).

7. Horace Mann School.
(Replace blackboards. Supply equipment and perform work to better the school administration).

8. Continuation School —25 LaGrange Street.
(Move offices to and furnish and install equipment for kitchen on first floor. Alter present offices for class room purposes. Divide room with sliding partitions. Supply necessary equipment, including furnishings for teacher's room and electric fans).
Continuation School —Common Street.

(Furnish and install machinery for print shop. Furnish and install equipment for special class shop. Make necessary repairs).

9. Boston Trade School.
(Furnish and install additional equipment for print, electrical, woodworking and machine shops. Furnish and install equipment for class room).

10. Elihu Greenwood District, Amos Webster School.
(Furnish and install equipment for prevocational shop and class room. Make necessary alterations).

11. Wendell Phillips District, Grant School.
(Furnish and install equipment for prevocational shop and class room. Make necessary alterations).

12. Brighton High School.
(Enlarge auto mechanics shop. Furnish and install additional equipment).

13. Theodore Lyman District, Austin School.
(Furnish and install additional sheet metal equipment).

14. Abraham Lincoln School.

(Furnish and install prevocational print and electrical equipment. Make necessary alterations).

15. George Putnam School.

(Furnish and install additional woodworking equipment).

16. Henry L. Pierce School.

(Furnish and install additional woodworking equipment. Create and connect stock room. Make necessary alterations).

17. Julia Ward Howe School Annex.

(Provide additional window. Perform necessary work).

18. Prince School.

(Furnish and install printing room equipment. Furnish and install additional woodworking equipment. Enlarge woodworking room. Do all necessary work).

19. William E. Russell School.

(Move manual training room from basement to first floor. Perform necessary work).

20. Martin School.

(Move cookery room from basement of Farragut School to top floor of Martin School. Do all necessary work).

21. Evening Schools.

(Furnish and install additional equipment and electrical work. Repair equipment).

22. Department of Manual Arts.

(Furnish and install additional equipment. Repair equipment).

23. Department of Household Science and Arts.

(Furnish and install additional equipment, and electrical work. Repair equipment).

Aggregating \$250,000
(Such sum being exclusive

of any expenditures necessary for other alterations or repairs).

c. Unassigned 500,000

\$855,000

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Dr. Scannell—1.

CHIEF ATTENDANCE OFFICER

A communication was received from the Executive Secretary, Division of Civil Service, addressed to the Secretary of the Board, under date of Feb. 29, 1924, stating that the Commissioner regrets he cannot allow the appointment of Joseph W. Hobbs, attendance officer, to the position of chief attendance officer but that he will be glad to hold

a competitive examination for promotion to this position among the attendance officers in the department, if so desired.

Placed on file.

The following communication, also addressed to the Secretary of the Board, was received from E. Mark Sullivan, Corporation Counsel, under date of Mar. 17, 1924:

I am in receipt of your letter of March 11th, in which you state that the School Committee elected one of its attendance officers, Joseph W. Hobbs, to the position of Chief Attendance Officer, and that subsequent to such election the School Committee was notified by the Department of Civil Service and Registration that this appointment could not be allowed but that the Department would be glad to hold a competitive examination for promotion to the position among the attendance officers in the department, if the school committee so desired. You ask my opinion whether the action of the School Committee can be sustained or whether it is required to submit to the rules of the Civil Service Commission.

Under sec. 3 of c. 31 of the General Laws, the Board of Civil Service Commissioners shall from time to time make rules and regulations, subject to the approval of the governor and council, which shall regulate the selection of persons to fill appointive positions in the government of the Commonwealth and the several cities thereof. Under the authority thus given it, the Civil Service Commission established Rule 4, which provides that "all persons performing duties or rendering service in any of the offices and positions and classes of positions classified by statute or in any of the following offices and positions and classes of positions, or performing duties or rendering service similar to that of any such offices or positions and classes of positions, under whatever designation, whether such service is permanent or temporary, and whether the same is paid by time for work done, by the piece, or in any other manner, are subject to the civil service law and rules, and the selection of persons to fill such appointive offices and positions in the government of the commonwealth and of the several cities thereof, is subject to the civil service law and Rules." Under this rule Class 19, entitled "Attendance Officers" was established. There is no classification of "Chief Attendance Officer."

I understand that Mr. Hobbs was properly classified under the civil service as an attendance officer.

In my opinion the designation of "Chief Attendance Officer" does not create a new class of employee. The designation of "Chief" is similar to the designation of "Chairman" of a department. Under the existing law the Mayor of Boston may appoint one of the members of a particular board as chairman without the approval of the Civil Service Commissioners, provided that the individual had previously been approved as a member of the board of which he is made chairman. In the present case Hobbs has merely been designated as the chief of a particular class of employees. His appointment is not dissimilar to the appointment of the chairman of a municipal board. He merely is given the designation of "Chief," which might just as well have been "Chairman of Attendance Officers," rather than "Chief Atten-

dance Officer." In my opinion, therefore, since Hobbs has already been classified by the civil service as an attendance officer and since he is merely the chief or head of such attendance officers, which designation is not classified under civil service, he is entitled to hold office without approval of the Civil Service Commissioners and without the necessity of submitting to a competitive or any kind of examination under civil service. The fact that he is to receive additional compensation as chief does not, in my opinion, alter the situation as to the requirement of submission to civil service examination.

It should be noted that the Board of Civil Service Commissioners, wherever it deemed it advisable to classify the chief of any particular branch of service, has made a new class. See, for instance,—Class 3 Clerks; Grade 5, Class 3, Chief Clerk. Class 26, Licensed Engineers; Sub-division H of Class 26, Chief Engineer. Class 27 Civil Engineers; Grade E of Class 27, Chief Engineer.

Placed on file.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to transmit a copy of the foregoing communication to the Division of Civil Service.

SALE OF MASON STREET ESTATE.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That under the authority contained in Section 8 of Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919, the Chairman of this Committee be and he hereby is authorized and directed to execute, acknowledge and deliver, in the name and behalf of the City of Boston and of this Committee, a deed of the estate on Mason Street, Boston, Mass., formerly occupied by the Committee for offices and other purposes, and formerly used as School Committee headquarters, upon the payment of the purchase price of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000); said deed to be in such form as shall be satisfactory to the Law Department of the City of Boston, and said deed shall run to Francis W. Fabyan, Stephen W. Sleeper, and the New England Trust Company, Trustees under the will of George F. Fabyan, late of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Dr. Scannell—1.

RE-CERTIFICATION OF AREAS.

A communication was received from the School-house Custodian under date of Mar. 24, 1924, transmitting a re-certification of the areas of the William Lloyd Garrison School-house, upon which the compensation for custodian service is based, to take effect Sept. 1, 1923.

Placed on file, and the Chairman authorized to approve such re-certification, to take effect on the date stated.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian,

under date of Mar. 24, 1924, recommending that Walter F. Conley, custodian of the Joseph Tuckerman School-house, be granted leave of absence on one-half net compensation for the period Feb. 24 to May 3, 1924, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

APPOINTMENTS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the School-house Custodian, under date of Mar. 24, 1924, recommending, with the approval of the Division of Civil Service, the appointment of John Joyce as custodian of the Hobart Street School-house and Portables Nos. 51 and 89, to take effect Feb. 8, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Mar. 24, 1924, reporting that he has considered the candidates certified by the Division of Civil Service as eligible for appointment to fill three vacancies in the custodianships of the school-houses mentioned, to take effect on the dates stated:

Hillside School-house, William M. Barry, Mar. 9, 1924.

Lowell Mason School-house, John Connolly, Mar. 16, 1924.

Drake School-house, John J. Brennan, Mar. 16, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointments approved, to take effect on the dates stated.

REPORT OF TRIAL BOARD

A communication was received from the Trial Board, under date of Mar. 22, 1924, to whom was referred at the meeting of Mar. 3, 1924 (see p. 30), a communication from the Schoolhouse Custodian preferring charges of general neglect of duty against William J. Gallagher, custodian of the Oak Square School-house, stating that that Board held a hearing on the matter on Mar. 20, 1924, which was attended by the custodian concerned and by the Schoolhouse Custodian, and submitting the following report:

It would appear that the charge of the Schoolhouse Custodian was based entirely upon the failure of the custodian to have his building properly heated on Monday morning, February 26, 1924 due to the absence of the custodian from duty, and the frozen up condition of part of the apparatus.

It appears from the evidence presented, that the custodian had drained his building during the vacation period February 16th to 23d; that he was in the building on Sunday, February 24th for the purpose of getting the building ready for occupancy on the following Monday morning, and that he was taken sick, made persistent efforts to reach the Schoolhouse Custodian on Sunday night and Monday morning, but failed to do so, and on account of illness failed to reach the school on Monday morning, February 25th.

His illness, and his failure to reach the Schoolhouse Custodian resulted in the partial freeze-up of the apparatus and the building being unheated and unfit for use on that morning.

Mr. Gallagher has been in the service only since January 1, 1924, and has had, therefore, but limited experience in the care of our buildings.

The Schoolhouse Custodian reports that with the exception of the occurrence under consideration, he has been an efficient custodian.

FINDING—That the custodian is guilty of lack of judgment in draining his building at that time, in that he did not have the experience to qualify him to drain the building properly and to know whether it could be done safely without endangering the freezing up of the building.

RECOMMENDATION—That the custodian be reprimanded for such lack of judgment.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The order laid over at the meeting of March 17, 1924 amending sections 281 and 291 of the regulations relative to the basis for appointment of special assistants was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of March 17, 1924, amending section 301, paragraph 3 of the regulations relative to the number of armorers allowed was taken up and passed.

ADJOURNMENT

The Board adjourned.
Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary.

INCOME TAX (STATE) ON INTANGIBLE PROPERTY.

In accordance with Chap. 269, ss. 2 and 11, General Acts of 1916, intangible personal property (except bank stock) ceased to be subject to assessment and taxation in 1917 and thereafter. In place of that tax an income tax was established, amounting to six per cent per year on income derived from such intangibles, subject to various specified exemptions.

Owing to the exemption from tax of intangible personal property, the total valuation of personality in Boston decreased from \$328,929,679 in 1916 to \$162,545,343 in 1917, a loss representing \$2,945,000 in taxes. By sec. 23 of said Chapter 269, it was provided that the State Treasurer should pay to each city or town an amount equal to the difference between the personal property levy in 1915 and that of 1917 computed at the 1915 tax rate. If the income tax collections exceeded the amount required for such distribution, the excess was also to be distributed, this in proportion to the State tax imposed on each city or town in 1917. The amount of income taxes paid by the State to the City of Boston under said statute for 1917 was \$3,704,855; for 1918, \$1,085,175; for 1919, \$3,017,133 and \$620,735 for Schools; for 1920, \$3,754,237 and \$644,703 for Schools; for 1921, \$3,182,205 and \$660,122 for Schools. Total for the five years, 1917 to 1921, inclusive, \$19,669,165. In 1917 the total distribution in Metropolitan District outside Boston was \$3,198,281 or \$506,574 less than in Boston alone. Total for whole District (incl. Boston) \$6,903,136 or 61.64 per cent of total for State, and \$1,423,401 in excess of the total shrinkage in taxes on personality from 1916 to 1917 in the District due to the new law exempting intangible property.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, March 31, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair and all the members present.

AMENDMENT OF PARK FRONTAGE ORDINANCE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, March 31, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to forward herewith communication received from the Park Commission, which in their opinion should be adopted as an amendment to the ordinances, and which I trust the Council will approve.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Park Department, March 15, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on March 13, 1924, it was voted to recommend to his Honor the Mayor and to the City Council, that the city ordinances concerning park frontages in the City of Boston be amended as follows:

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston as follows:

That chapter 5 of the Ordinances of 1922, an ordinance concerning park frontages in the city of Boston, as amended by chapters 2, 8 and 12 of the Ordinances of 1923, be further amended by striking out on the second and third lines in section 1, the following words: "on land which abuts on and has an entrance into and is within a distance of one hundred feet from," which now reads as follows:

Section 1. No building or structure or any part thereof hereafter erected or altered on land which abuts on and has an entrance into and is within a distance of one hundred feet from the following parkways: The Fens, etc., so that it will read as follows:

Section 1. No building or structure or any part thereof hereafter erected or altered which is within a distance of one hundred feet from and is on a lot of land which abuts on any of the following parkways: The Fens (excepting Charlesgate East and Charlesgate West, from a point one hundred feet north from their intersection with Commonwealth avenue to Charles river), Riverway, including Audubon road, from Brookline avenue to Beacon street, Commonwealth avenue from Arlington street to Kenmore street, Jamaicaaway, Olmsted Park, Arborway, Columbia road on the southerly side from Sumner street and on the northerly side from Boston street to Marine Park, South Boston, shall be used for a livery or public stable or public garage, or for any mechanical, mercantile or manufacturing purposes, nor, excepting churches and chapels, shall have the extreme height of said buildings or structure exceed seventy feet from the mean grade of the edgestone or sidewalk on the front facing said parkway, exclusive of such steeples, towers, domes, cornices, parapets, balustrades, sculptured ornaments, chimneys and roofs as the Board of Park Commissioners shall approve; and no roof on any of the aforementioned buildings shall be used for laundry or clothes drying purposes.

Also by substituting for the words "Section 5" the words "Section 3" and by substituting for the words "Section 6" the words "Section 4."

The reason for the request to change the words "on land which abuts on and has an entrance into and is within a distance of one hundred feet from" if it permits the Board of Park Commissioners to grant permits for the construction of buildings for mechanical, mercantile or manufacturing purposes within one hundred feet of a park road, provided there is no entrance entering on the Parkway, and the Board believes a mandatory condition should exist which would forbid granting such permission.

The reason for the request to change the section numbers is that sections 3 and 4 have been stricken out in the amendment in chapter 8 and the old sections 5 and 6 were not renumbered 3 and 4 in making said change.

Very truly yours,

DANIEL J. BYRNE,
Secretary.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

GAS STREET LIGHTING CONTRACT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, March 31, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of the accompanying communication from the Commissioner of Public Works and, in accordance with his request, I am forwarding the same to you for your consideration of the pending gas street lighting contract.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Boston, March 20, 1924.

Hon. Michael H. Sullivan, Chairman, Boston

Finance Commission:

Dear Sir,—Forwarded to this office by the Finance Commission, under date of March 28, was a communication signed by the chairman of the commission, including recommendations and a report of the consulting engineer of the Finance Commission, all relating to the gas street lighting contract recently forwarded to the Mayor and City Council by the Commissioner of Public Works with the recommendation for its adoption.

The findings of the commission that the proposed contract will cost the city, during the next ten years, one million dollars over electric lighting is unqualifiedly false and probably is intended as a final drive to influence legislative action in connection with the tax limit. It is based upon the price assumed by your consulting engineer for incandescent lamps to replace the existing gas lamps.

At the recent tests of candle power for gas lamps you must have selected those which were to be immediately replaced, in order to get such ridiculously low candle power. We have a report showing a test comprising a total of twenty lamps selected at random in Roxbury, Dorchester and Jamaica Plain, conducted by the chief inspector of the Public Utilities Commission, three representatives of the Gas Company and one representative of the City of Boston, in which there were but three lamps deficient in candle power, while the total average of all twenty lamps was 63.89, so that evidently the method of testing lamps, which is identical with that in the previous contract, has not been impossible of application, and it is intended to establish in the city lighting service a method of ascertaining the candle power of any lamp actually in service, preparatory to having laboratory tests made, in order to have the proper candle power maintained.

The commission's recommendation that immediate steps be taken to replace gas street lighting system with electricity, based on the assumption of your engineer that this can be done under the existing contract with the Edison Company under a clause in the contract providing for additional lamps, is a fair sample of the commission's narrow interpretation of contract requirements. This contract never intended that 10,000 additional lamp circuits could be ordered of the Edison Company under their contract, which would require the expenditure of between one and two millions of dollars for extensions of series lighting circuits or of tremendous loss incident to the hand lighting and extinguishing of multiple incandescent lamps at the price in the contract. The findings of the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners in connection with the arbitration under the terms of the 1914 Edison contract makes this statement:

"The agreement provides for extensions of the service, relocation of lamps and substitution of lamps of other types, but upon such terms as are manifestly designed not to increase thereby the relative cost to the company of supplying the service."

It has always been regretted by the writer that it seems impossible for the commission to take any fair grounds in the interpretation of contractual relations of the city and it is not to be wondered at that your recommendations are receiving decreased attention by the public and by executive and legislative departments.

The commission also misleads the public in its statement that the Commissioner of Public Works took no steps towards developing competition between gas and electric street lighting, as directed by his Honor the Mayor, and that the only proposal made by the Commissioner of Public Works was for that for street lighting by gas. There is but one company which can furnish gas at the city lamps; there is but one company which can furnish electricity for substitution. For the lighting, extinguishing and maintenance of gas lamps there was a possible chance for competition. The writer took up with the Edison Company at different times previous to advertising this contract the substitution of electric lamps and knew that this substitution could not properly be accom-

plished. If, however, your consulting engineer had intelligently consulted the Edison Company officials or obtained reliable information from them he would well know that the Edison Company in their multiple incandescents of 40 and 60 candle power are losing money on the present prices which are, respectively, \$18.33 and \$21.14 a year, and that the cost of lighting by hand switching method in use approximates a cost per lamp year almost equal to the total paid by the city and exceeds, for the 40 candle power lamp, your engineer's assumed price for the total cost of these lamps to the city under the new Edison contract which will have to be made this year. It is not known where your engineer obtained knowledge of what the price per lamp year would be under this new contract for multiple lamps, which assumed price apparently has not the backing of the company directly interested and which will have to furnish the service.

We are glad to see that your engineer is favorably impressed with the price received for lighting, extinguishing and maintenance but makes a recommendation for reduction in the rate for illuminating gas. His assumption that 3½ feet of gas per lamp hour is incorporated in the new contract, as against 3 feet in the old contract, is again wrong and misleading. It was 3½ feet in the old contract and is retained in the new contract. This eliminates his recommendation that the price for illuminating gas could be properly reduced.

The writer forwarded the gas lighting contract to the Mayor and the City Council with the recommendation for its approval only after having thoroughly investigated the possible substitution of electric lighting for gas lighting, as the writer is of the same opinion as your commission that electric lighting is far more acceptable to the community than gas lighting but until such time as the Edison Company feels that the extension of their service to include all existing gas lamps will not impose too great a financial burden upon the company and possibly interfere with the extension of household and commercial lighting, and that their willingness to assume this substitution becomes more apparent than at present, its consideration should be dropped and the present gas lighting contract approved and at the prices fixed therein.

Yours very truly,

J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

RENT AND HOUSING APPROPRIATION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 31, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The funds available for the conduct of the Rent and Housing Bureau have been so depleted as to make necessary an appropriation at this time, and I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$1,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Committee on Rent and Housing, under the direction of the Mayor, in the prosecution of its duties, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund, when made.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROPRIATION FOR MUSIC WEEK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 31, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The period between May 4 and May 10, 1924, inclusive, has been determined as music week in Boston, and that the city may encourage this most laudable work I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$2,500 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Boston Music Week Committee, under the direction of the Mayor, for the purpose of conducting a music week May 4 to 10, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund, when made.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TERCENTENARY ANNIVERSARY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 31, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The tercentenary anniversary of the settlement of Boston will occur in 1930, and it is desirable that this important occasion be properly observed.

It is essential upon this important occasion, marking as it does three centuries of progress, that a program be considered for the succeeding century that will be of value to the people economically, commercially, industrially and socially.

The period of six years should prove ample for the consideration of problems, upon the equitable solution of which the happiness of the people and the development of the city so greatly depend, and that there may be neither undue haste nor unwarranted delay, I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$300 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Public Celebrations Association Survey Committee for 1930, under the direction of the Mayor, for the purpose of a survey for the great tercentenary celebration in 1930, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund, when made.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CHARLESTOWN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 31, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The residents of the Charlestown district are desirous that there be erected at the earliest possible date in this section of Boston a municipal building, where opportunity may be afforded for mental and physical development.

It being impossible to determine the final action which the Massachusetts State Legislature may take in the matter of the consideration of the needs of the City of Boston, it is in my opinion both desirable and advisable that steps be taken at once to acquire a site and draft the necessary plans for a municipal building, combining opportunities for library, gymnasium, baths, and suitable public meeting hall. Provided legislation now pending before the General Court of Massachusetts receives favorable consideration the necessary money to complete the construction of the building as proposed may be made available.

In the meantime it, in my opinion, is advisable that preliminary steps be taken, and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$75,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings, for the purchase of a site and preparation of plans for a municipal building in the Charlestown district, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

VETOES OF LOAN ORDERS.

The following vetoes were received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith without my approval order of the City Council adopted under date of March 10, 1924, and providing an appropriation in the sum of \$500,000 for the erection of a new municipal building in Charlestown.

The annual demands for improvements of every character exceed many times over the amount available. Under the circumstances it is imperatively necessary that each project be considered on merit and the improvement which it is finally determined is the most necessary be given first consideration. This policy I have endeavored to pursue and as a consequence find it necessary from time to time either to postpone or finally reject what appear to be necessary and praiseworthy public works, as in the present case.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith without my approval order of the City Council adopted under date of March 10, 1924, and providing an appropriation in the sum of \$55,000 for the improvement of Cherry Street Playground.

The annual demands for improvements of every character exceed many times over the amount available. Under the circumstances it is imperatively necessary that each project be considered on merit and the improvement which it is finally determined is the most necessary be given first consideration. This policy I have endeavored to pursue and as a consequence find it necessary from time to time either to postpone or finally reject what appear to be necessary and praiseworthy public works as in the present case.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith without my approval order of the City Council adopted under date of March 10, 1924, and providing an appropriation in the sum of \$500,000 for a municipal building to be located in Ward 5.

The annual demands for improvements of every character exceed many times over the amount available. Under the circumstances it is imperatively necessary that each project be considered on merit and the improvement which it is finally determined is the most necessary be given first consideration. This policy I have endeavored to pursue and as a consequence find it necessary from time to time either to postpone or finally reject what appear to be necessary and praiseworthy public works, as in the present case.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith without my approval order of the City Council adopted under date of March 10, 1924, and providing an appropriation in the sum of \$50,000 for the improvement of Randolph Street Playground.

The annual demands for improvements of every character exceed many times over the amount available. Under the circumstances it is imperatively necessary that each project be considered on merit and the improvement which it is finally determined is the most necessary be given first consideration. This policy I have endeavored to pursue and as a consequence find it necessary from time to time either to postpone or finally reject what appear to be necessary and praiseworthy public works, as in the present case.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith without my approval order of the City Council adopted under date of March 10, 1924, and providing an appropriation in the sum of \$100,000 for the improvement of Sullivan Square Playground, Charlestown.

The annual demands for improvements of every character exceed many times over the amount available. Under the circumstances it is imperatively necessary that each project be considered on merit and the improvement which it is finally determined is the most necessary be given first consideration. This policy I have endeavored to pursue and as a consequence find it necessary from time to time either to postpone or reject what appear to be necessary and praiseworthy public works, as in the present case.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith without my approval order of the City Council adopted under date of March 10, 1924, and providing an appropriation in the sum of \$50,000 for the improvement of Tenean Beach Playground, Dorchester.

The annual demands for improvements of every character exceed many times over the amount available. Under the circumstances it is imperatively necessary that each project be considered on merit and the improvement which it is finally determined is the most necessary be given first consideration. This

policy I have endeavored to pursue and as a consequence find it necessary from time to time either to postpone or finally reject what appear to be necessary and praiseworthy public works, as in the present case.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith without my approval order of the City Council adopted under date of March 10, 1924, and providing an appropriation in the sum of \$50,000 for the improvement of Garvey Playground, Neponset.

The annual demands for improvements of every character exceed many times over the amount available. Under the circumstances it is imperatively necessary that each project be considered on merit and the improvements which it is finally determined is the most necessary be given first consideration. This policy I have endeavored to pursue and as a consequence find it necessary from time to time either to postpone or finally reject what appear to be necessary and praiseworthy public works, as in the present case.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith without my approval order of the City Council adopted under date of March 10, 1924, and providing an appropriation in the sum of \$350,000 for a new courthouse in Dorchester.

The annual demands for improvements of every character exceed many times over the amount available. Under the circumstances it is imperatively necessary that each project be considered on merit and the improvement which it is finally determined is the most necessary be given first consideration. This policy I have endeavored to pursue and as a consequence find it necessary from time to time either to postpone or finally reject what appear to be necessary and praiseworthy public works, as in the present case.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 25, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith without my approval order of the City Council adopted under date of March 18, 1924, and providing for an appropriation in the sum of \$500,000 for a municipal building and gymnasium in South Boston.

The annual demands for improvements of every character exceed many times over the amount available. Under the circumstances it is imperatively necessary that each project be considered on merit and the improvement which it is finally determined is the most necessary be given first consideration. This policy I have endeavored to pursue and as a consequence find it necessary from time to time either to postpone or finally reject what appear to be necessary and praiseworthy public works, as in the present case.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

The vetoes were referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

John and Annie Colbert, for compensation for death of child at City Hospital.

L. H. Daloz Company, for compensation for damage to property at 11 Humphreys street in construction of sewer.

Delia C. Darcy, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in Fisher avenue.

Caroline M. Ebann, for compensation for damage to property at 21 Joy street in collection of ashes.

Samuel Glick *et al.*, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Massachusetts avenue.

Mary Greig, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 35 Tremont street.

Helen M. Horrigan, for compensation for property at 39 Lawrence street taken by ash collector.

Anna Josephs, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 10 Rochester street.

Charles M. Lyons, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Freepoint street.

B. L. Makepeace Company, to be repaid for unused refuse tickets.

Ellen McCormick, for compensation for damage to baby carriage by bullet fired by police officer.

Northeastern Publishing Company, for compensation for damage to property 309 Washington street by bursting of water pipe.

John G. Pappaspyros, for compensation for injuries received at the Tyler Street Gymnasium.

Mrs. J. Riskin, for compensation for damage to property 34 Perrin street by city cart.

Frank F. Rogers, for compensation for damage to property at 8 Willcutt road by city team.

Michael Sluszcas for compensation for damage to property 27 Montebello road caused by water being shut off.

The Temple Tours to be repaid for unused refuse tickets.

Beatrice Werby, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 524 Commonwealth avenue.

Alice White, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Columbia road.

Max Winberg, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Washington street.

CANTON AND BLUE HILL BUS LINE.

A petition was received for license to operate a Canton and Blue Hill bus line, from Homer A. Perigny, manager, proposed route, Cleary square, Hyde Park, over River street to the Dedham line, stopping at all intersecting streets.

Referred to the Special Committee on Jitneys.

FIRST ASSISTANT ASSESSORS.

Notice was received from the Assessing Department of provisional appointment of the following named first assistant assessors:

George O. Wood, 19 Samoset street, Dorchester; Walter J. Hope, 93 St. Botolph street; John F. Buckley, 1224A Blue Hill avenue; John F. Murphy, 20 Trenton street, Charlestown.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Matthew Cummings of the Sinking Fund Commission of interest of firm of which he is treasurer in contract for erection of Police Station 18, Hyde Park.

Placed on file.

STREET RAILWAY POLICE.

Notice was received from Cambridge of appointment by the Mayor of sundry street railway police officers under the state law.

Placed on file.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

Notice was received from City Treasurer of approval of surety on constable's bond of John F. Welch.

Approved by the City Council.

SIDEWALK ASSESSMENTS.

Communications were received from the Department of Public Works submitting orders for sidewalk assessments on abutters on the following streets:

Hartford street, Lingard street to Robin Hood street, on easterly side, Ward 17.

Sunnyside street, from Centre street to Creighton street, on south and west sides, from Centre street to end of property No. 11, on easterly side, and from No. 15 to Creighton street on northerly side, Ward 14; Hyde Park avenue, Pine street to Dana avenue, on westerly side, Ward 24.

Hyde Park avenue, Pine street to Dana avenue, on westerly side, Ward 24.

Hyde Park avenue, Walk Hill street to about 190 feet south of Eldridge road, Ward 22.

Washington street, Denton terrace to West Roxbury parkway, both sides, Ward 23.

Orders severally passed.

STORAGE AND SALE OF GASOLINE.

Notice was received from the Street Laying-Out Department that there will be hearings on April 7, 1924, on the following petitions to store and sell gasoline:

Solomon Merin, 6 Prescott street, 1,000 gallons.

Ralph A. Cote, 125 and 127 Stoughton street, 2,000 gallons.

Seavey Real Estate Trust, 7-15 Scottfield road, 3,000 gallons.

Harry H. Brown, 185 Kneeland street, 2,000 gallons.

Cadotte Brothers, Inc., 6 Eliot street, 2,000 gallons.

Richard H. Ward, 1 Haven avenue, 1,000 gallons.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PROPOSED GAS LIGHTING CONTRACTS.

The following was received:

Boston, March 28, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council: Gentlemen,—On February 14, 1924, the Commissioner of Public Works advertised proposals for equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the City of Boston, excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park, for a term of ten years beginning April 1, 1924.

Bids were opened on March 6, 1924. The only bid received was from the Boston Consolidated Gas Company, at \$15.20 per lamp per year. On the same date the Boston Consolidated Gas Company submitted a price for furnishing gas at \$11 per lamp per year, making a total cost to the city, in case the award is made to the Boston Consolidated Gas Company, of \$26.20 per lamp per year. There would be in operation under this contract, if entered into, about 9,500 gas lamps.

Ten years ago the Boston Consolidated Gas Company entered into two contracts with the City of Boston to supply practically the same equipment and service as is now proposed, at a total cost of \$21 per lamp per year, divided as follows: \$12 for equipment maintenance and operation per lamp per year, and \$9 for gas per lamp per year. During the term of the last contract, the Boston Consolidated Gas Company assigned to the Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America the contract which provided for equipment, maintenance and operation, the assignee company being the owner of the lamps and burners.

Section 12 of the contract now about to expire provides as follows:

"Extension of Contract.—The city may at its option, to be signified in writing not later than January 6, 1924, extend the term herein designated for the continuance of the contract for a period not exceeding six months, so that there may be no interruption of service in case the city enters into a contract involving other parties or different equipment, or both."

Until a new contract is finally awarded it will not be known whether the city is to have its street lighting service continued by the Boston Consolidated Gas Company or by some other company or agency. If the contract is concluded within six months following the first of April, 1924, between the same parties and for the same equipment the prices in the new contract will apply, beginning with April 1, 1924. If, however, a contract is concluded with a party other than the one holding the present contract, or for equipment other than that now in use under the present contract, then the prices reserved in the present contract should apply after April 1, 1924, until such new contract is in operation, providing it is not more than six months after April 1, 1924.

This construction seems clear from the language of the contract, and the city officials should not be hurried or stampeded into making a new contract by April 1, 1924, on the basis of the bid of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company.

It appeared in the public press in January, 1924, that his Honor the Mayor had instructed the Commissioner of Public Works to take steps for the making of a new contract in such a way as to develop some competition between gas and electricity in the matter of street lighting. It now appears, however, that the Commissioner of Public Works did not follow this direction, if it were given, because the only proposal made by the Commissioner of Public Works was for an equipment for street lighting by gas.

The commission cannot find that any effort or attempt was made by the Commissioner of Public Works to get bids for street lighting by electricity in competition with the gas service now in use.

The Finance Commission has caused an investigation to be made by its consulting engineer of gas lighting under the contract of ten years ago, which expires on April 1 next, and under the contract proposed under the bid opened March 6, 1924. After a study of the consulting engineer's report, a copy

of which is hereto annexed, the Finance Commission makes the following findings and recommendations:

FINDINGS.

1. The proposed contract with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company will cost the city during the next ten years at least one million dollars over an electric lighting system.
2. Under the contract of ten years ago, now about to expire, the Boston Consolidated Gas Company engaged to maintain the lamps when in service at not less than sixty horizontal candle power for each single burner lamp. In a recent test made it was found that the company did not live up to this engagement. A test made of fifteen lamps in the Roxbury district showed only an average of nineteen candle power per lamp, or less than one third of the candle power contracted for. Some of the burners were giving less than two candle power, while none of those tested gave over fifty-four candle power.
3. In the past ten years there have been no improvements in the art of street lighting by gas. Pressure gas lighting, from which many improvements in gas lighting were expected ten years ago, has been abandoned.
4. It is common knowledge that the modern systems of lighting houses and apartments are exclusively by the use of electricity.
5. The method provided in the present contract, now about to expire, for testing candle power of street lamps on the part of the city is impossible of application. The same method appears in the proposed new contract.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

1. That the bid of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for street lighting by gas, now under consideration, be rejected.
2. That immediate steps be taken to replace the present gas street lighting system with electricity.
3. That a contract for a period not exceeding one year be entered into with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for maintaining the present service, with a provision for discontinuance upon the installation of electric service.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,

Boston, March 20, 1924.

To the Finance Commission:

Gentlemen,—I submit herewith a report regarding the bid of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for furnishing and operating gas lamps for street lighting purposes for a period of ten years from April 1, 1924.

There are in the entire city approximately 10,000 gas lamps for street lighting; 500 of these lamps are in the territory of the Charlestown Gas and Electric Company and are operated under a separate contract with that company.

The Charlestown company always agrees to whatever prices for street lighting are made by the Boston company and makes contracts on the same basis.

The proposals submitted by the Boston Consolidated Gas Company on March 6, 1924, contemplate the equipment and operation of the gas lamps at a price of \$15.20 per lamp year, and the furnishing of the gas for \$11 per lamp year, a total cost to the city of \$26.20 per lamp year. For detailed consideration the matter will be divided as follows.

1. FORM OF CONTRACT AND SPECIFICATIONS.

1. Form of Contract and Specifications.
2. Analysis of costs and prices.
3. Character of the light to be furnished.

I am of the opinion that the contract now under consideration contains very serious defects, some of which will be discussed in the following:

In paragraph 6, time of lighting, it is provided:

"All lamps must be lighted within one hour from the time fixed in the schedule as the time for beginning, and must be extinguished within one hour from the time for beginning to extinguish."

This provision is not of great importance and, as a matter of fact, little attention has been paid to it under past contracts, except as regards the time of lighting. Under the present contract it is probably impossible of fulfillment. As will hereinafter appear, the bid of the Consolidated Gas Company contemplates that 110 lamps will be lighted as an average by each lamplighter. This number is probably more than is humanly possible as an average.

The most objectionable provision is found in paragraph 7, providing for candle power. The contract reads as follows:

"7. Candle Power. The lamps shall be maintained when in service at not less than sixty (60) horizontal candle power for single-burner lamps and one hundred (100) horizontal candle power for double-burner lamps."

"The city may at any time, by written notice, require the contractor to employ a competent and disinterested person connected with either the Massachusetts Institute of Technology or the Scientific Department of Harvard University, or such other person acceptable to both parties, to examine and test by standard laboratory methods under conditions which duplicate as nearly as possible the lamps as they burn on the streets, the apparatus employed in furnishing the lighting service herein provided for to ascertain whether or not the contractor is complying with the terms of this agreement, and for such purpose such person may have access at all reasonable times to the lamps, fixtures and other apparatus of the contractor used in carrying out this agreement. In case two tests of any lamps shall be made, separated by an interval of not less than one hour during any one night, and both of said tests shall prove that the contractor is not furnishing the light required by this agreement, then such lamp shall be deemed to be deficient, and a deduction shall be made from the charge in respect to such lamp as herein provided. If such tests show that the contractor is not furnishing the light required by this agreement, the contractor shall pay the expense of the examination and test provided for herein; otherwise the city shall pay such expense."

"For each lamp which shall be shown by the tests above specified to furnish less than sixty candle power for single-burner lamps and 100 candle power for double-burner lamps, but more than thirty candle power single-burner lamps and fifty candle power for double-burner lamps, a sum equal to 1-365 of the yearly contract price for such lamp for each night in which such deficiency occurs shall be deducted from the amounts due to the contractor. For each lamp found to give less than thirty candle power for single-burner lamps and fifty candle power for double-burner lamps, a sum equal to 2-365 of the yearly contract price for such lamp for each night on which such deficiency occurs shall be deducted from the amounts due the contractor. For each lamp reported out by the Police Department at its respective police stations or by the officials of the Public Works Department, a sum equal to 2-365 of the yearly contract price for such lamp for each night such failure occurs shall similarly be deducted from the amounts due the contractor. Such reports shall be made daily in writing, open to the contractor, and shall be regarded as final and binding upon the contractor except for errors proven or admitted."

"The standard of candle power to be employed shall be the illumination given by the recognized international standard candle."

In regard to the method of testing, i. e., in a horizontal plane from the burner of the lamp, it is well known that the Welsbach Company's lamp gives its greatest illumination above a horizontal plane, rather than below. By testing at a horizontal plane nearly the maximum possible candle power of light will be obtained, although the rays tested are thrown off in a direction which will give no illumination on the street surface where illumination is most desirable.

The second paragraph provides that the city, by written notice, may request the contractor to employ a competent person to test the lamps. The effect of this is to give the company notice that the lamps are to be tested and give them ample time to take suitable measures to bring their lamps to the required candle power either by cleaning, renewing of mantles, or temporarily increasing the gas pressure, as may be necessary. It would be extremely improbable that any lamps would be found in any way deficient in candle power.

Further, the contract provides that the test shall be made by standard laboratory methods. This provision without question means that the lamps shall be taken from the posts and tested in a laboratory in actual comparison with a standard candle. This procedure is an impossible one to carry out in practice, as no lamp could be taken from the post and transported to a laboratory without breaking the mantle. Moreover, if a lamp was suspected of giving less than the required candle power, it would be easy to break the mantle in removing the lamp from the post, thereby preventing any test from being made. On account of the variation in gas pressure in different portions of the city, the pressure at the laboratory would not be the same as at the post, the weather conditions would

be different, and the laboratory tests would be absolutely of no value in determining the value of the illumination in service.

Again, in order that the penalty may be collected, two tests of any lamp separated by not less than one hour shall be made during any one night. This provision would involve taking down the lamp twice, testing it twice, and setting it up twice on the post during one night. Not only is this procedure impossible to accomplish in the limited space of one hour, but the ordinary workman cannot accomplish it in one night. In the laboratory tests no lamps would be found to be deficient because the gas pressure would be ample for the purpose, the lamps clean, the mantles new and the tests would be free from drafts of air or other influencing conditions of the weather. The specification is useless as a means of securing the contract candle power.

There is no assurance that the candle power of lamps under the new contract will be increased over the present average candle power, which seems to be below forty. A recently made test of fifteen lamps selected at random in the Roxbury district showed an average of nineteen candle power. No contract should be accepted by the city containing the proposed inadequate provisions. The section regarding candle power contained in the specifications for lighting streets, parks and alleys, marked 1911-7, page 11, paragraph 9, is far superior and should be included in the proposed contract. It is as follows:

"9. Candle Power. The lamps, complete with burners, mantles, chimneys and glassware must be maintained continuously when in service at not less than sixty candle power for single burners or 100 candle power for double burners measured under the conditions of service at an angle of about fifteen degrees below the horizontal, under all conditions of variation in the gas pressure. The standard candle power to be employed shall be the recognized international candle, as adopted by the United States Bureau of Standards."

"The city shall have the right at any time to test the lights to determine whether the specified candle power is being produced. In case two tests of any lamp, separated by an interval of not less than one hour during any one night, prove that the lamp is not furnishing the specified light, the lamp shall be considered as either dim or out for the night, unless such condition is caused by a broken or plugged service pipe or other interruption of the flow of gas to the burner."

"Any lamp found to give less than the specified candle power and more than thirty candle power, measured in the specified manner, shall be called dim, and any lamp similarly found to give less than thirty candle power shall be considered valueless and out."

"If tests show that 10 per cent or more of the lamps, selected at random, of any lamplighter's or equivalent district fall below the specified value, then all the lights in the affected districts shall be taken as being equal in candle power to the average of the lights so tested. The expense of such tests shall be borne by the contractor if the lights are shown to fall below the specified value, otherwise by the City."

Paragraph 11. Discontinuance of Lamps. This section provides that the number of lamps furnished under the contract shall not be at any time less than 95 per cent of the number of lamps in the service at the time of the approval of this contract by the Mayor. As the number of lamps in service at the present time is approximately 10,000, the contract will bind the city to approximately 9,500 gas lamps for the term of the contract. In my opinion no such provision should receive the confirmation of the Council. In the first place, there is no reason why there should be any guaranty. There will be no new apparatus for the Welsbach Company to provide, and therefore no additional fixed cost on account of new investment. As shown in previous reports of the Finance Commission, the plant of the Rising Sun Street Lighting Company, now the local branch of the Welsbach Company of America, has been paid for many times through city contracts and the city owes nothing on that account.

The only provisions which could be reasonably required by the contracting company, as regards the number of lamps, would be one that provided that if the city saw fit to replace gas lamps with other lamps, it should replace them in such numbers that undue hardships should not be placed on the company in distributing the remaining lamps among their employees. That is to say, a number of lamps should be replaced which

would allow the company to reduce its force of lamplighters by a definite number of routes, and such discontinued routes should be in the same neighborhood, contiguous to each other; and another that provided that the price per lamp year should be automatically increased, as the total number of lamps was reduced, by an amount sufficient to compensate the company for the fixed charges due to supervision, office expenses, rental, etc., as such expenses would not decrease proportionally as the number of lamps decreased.

Paragraph 12. Extension of Contract. It appears that the Consolidated Gas Company's officials have claimed that the provision contained in the contract of 1914 was not binding, and that the refusal of the company to be bound by its provision allowing an extension of six months, pending the negotiation of a new contract, is the reason for the short time allowed for the consideration of the present contract. The interpretation of the Gas Company's officials, for whatever reason made, has apparently been acquiesced in by the Commissioner of Public Works. The fact is, however, that exactly the same wording has been adopted for the new contract. If the provisions in the old contract was not binding then the provision in the new contract should be remodelled, so as to be legal and binding.

Paragraph 14. Arbitration. This paragraph has been greatly changed, both in wording and in meaning as compared with the contract of 1914.

In the contract of 1914 the provision for arbitration provided for an investigation to be made by three experts, one chosen by each party, and the third by the two so chosen, "whenever the Commissioner of Public Works is of the opinion that a material reduction has been made in the cost of lighting and extinguishing lamps." It also provides for a reduced price to the city in case reduction in cost to the company is found; that is, the arbitration is to be held only at the option of the Commissioner of Public Works and for the purpose of securing a reduction in the price to the city.

In the new contract the provision has been changed so that arbitration may be had at the request of either party to the contract and the price may be increased to the Gas Company in case the experts find that the cost to the company of furnishing the service has been increased. This provision should not be accepted. The possibilities of manipulation of figures of cost are so great under the indefinite provision proposed as to practically nullify

the contract as regards the price to the city, were the provision accepted.

The provision regarding depreciation of plant should be changed so that the charge for depreciation should apply only to automatic lighting devices. As previously stated, it is impossible that there should be any depreciation of the present plant, which has been paid for many times.

Again, if automatic lighting devices are installed, the city gets no rebate on account of savings in operation unless the savings exceeds one dollar (\$1) per lamp year; if the savings exceeded one dollar per lamp year the city would be entitled to a rebate from the contract price of one half of the amount saved. This provision could be manipulated in various ways for the benefit of the company. For example, assume that the saving from automatic lighters for the preceding year was one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) per lamp year; the company and the city would each be entitled to one half the saving, or seventy-five (75) cents each. If the company arranged its business, by raise of salaries, higher payments for supplies to its parent company or otherwise so that the saving appeared to be only one dollar (\$1) per lamp year, in that case the company would save \$1 and the city nothing per lamp year. The absurdity of the paragraph as a workable provision in favor of the city is apparent.

2. ANALYSIS OF COSTS AND PRICES.

The information upon which the following figures and estimates are based was obtained from Mr. Dana D. Barnum, president of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company, and Mr. J. A. Fitzgerald, superintendent of the local branch of the Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America.

The bid submitted to the City of Boston on March 6, 1924, was based upon the use of the present equipment of the Welsbach Company operated by hand lighting. The Welsbach Company has agreed to pay its lamplighters 55 cents per hour for five hours' work per day, or a total of \$2.75, as compared with \$2 per day under the old contract.* The cost for lighting per lamp day will be 2½ cents under the new contract, as compared with 21-10 under the old contract.

The following is an estimate of the probable cost to the Welsbach company of operating gas lamps by hand lighters under the proposed contract:

*The lamplighters will light an average of 110 lamps per day, as compared with 95 lamps per day under the old contract.

Estimate of Cost of Operating Gas Lamps for Street Lighting.

Labor, 55 cents per hour, 5 hours per day, 110 lamps per man.....	\$9 12	per lamp year.
Gas.....	11 00	per lamp year.
Mantles, 8 at 18½ cents.....	\$1 48	
Domes, ¾ at 92 cents.....	46	
Globes, ¾ at \$1.50.....	1 13	
Chimneys, 6½ at 12 cents.....	78	
Burners.....	35	
Painting and care of posts.....	30	
Office, shop and garage.....	4 50	per lamp year.
Breakage.....	1 20	per lamp year.
Insurance, bonds, etc.....	20	per lamp year.
Rent of shop.....	15	per lamp year.
	2,500	25 per lamp year.
Total.....	\$26 42	per lamp year.

It will be noted that the estimated cost of operation with hand lighting is 22 cents per lamp year above the price bid by the Consolidated Gas Company. This is without doubt due to the fact that the estimate does not contain exact items of expense whereas the Gas Company had such figures available. The estimate shows that the company has not included any item for cost of plant, or for rental or depreciation thereof, but only the running expenses. The Welsbach Company, the subcontractors, will derive a considerable profit through the manufacture and sale of mantles, burners, and other appurtenances.

The proposal of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for furnishing gas is contained in a form of agreement submitted with the bid for equipment and lighting, a copy of which is hereto annexed and marked "Appendix A."

Analysis of the provisions of this agreement shows that the company has based its price upon the schedule at present in force for determining the net price of gas to large consumers. The quantity of gas to be used is based upon an average consumption of 3½ cubic feet per hour for each lamp for a total of 4,000 burning hours per year. The net price per thousand cubic feet will be 79.2 cents per thousand cubic feet.

Previous contracts for gas lighting have been made on the basis of 3 cubic feet per lamp hour. If the present contract had been made on that basis the cost of gas per lamp

year would have been \$9.51, instead of \$11. There appears to be no adequate reason for the increase in gas consumption except the necessities of the subcontractor which will light and maintain the lamps. The time required to light an average number of 110 lamps per lamplighter will be greater than the time required to light ninety-five lamps under the old contract. Therefore the amount of gas burned during the lighting and extinguishing periods will be greater than under the old contract. It is apparent that the Gas Company has increased the estimate of the amount of gas consumed, so that a longer time may be taken by the subcontractor for lighting and extinguishing the lamps without pecuniary loss to the Gas Company.

The provision for arbitration does not apply to the price of gas. The matter of a reduction in the price of gas is contained in paragraph 3 of the agreement for furnishing gas, which is as follows:

"3. If, after the execution and before the expiration of this contract the company increases or decreases its maximum net price charged to its consumers, above or below \$1.20 per thousand cubic feet, the price to be paid by the city for gas furnished under this contract shall be increased or reduced in the same proportion in which such price is increased or reduced, for any period during which such increase or reduction is in effect, based upon an average consumption of 3½ cubic feet per hour per lamp."

The meaning of the "maximum net price" is not clear, but taken in connection with the words "price of \$1.20 per thousand cubic feet," it is apparent that the price to the city is to be changed in the same ratio that the maximum price to consumers is changed. Under this interpretation it is possible that the city would pay a higher price than other large consumers. The price of gas to such consumers is controlled, not only by the base price—which is the maximum price—but by a schedule including other conditions, depending upon the amount of gas used. The schedule now in effect for monthly bills is as follows:

First 25 M. cubic feet.....	\$1.20 per M.
All over 25 M. cubic feet.....	1.05 per M.
Bills over \$200.....	25 per cent discount.

Possible changes in the price of gas in excess of 25 M. cubic feet or in the rate of discount should be taken into account.

It should be made clear that the city is to get the most favorable terms given to any customer of the Gas Company and also the provision should apply only to a reduction in the price of gas.

Installation of Automatic Lighting Devices.

During the term of the existing contract there have been installed from time to time automatic lighting devices, so that there are now on street lamps approximately 1,000 of such devices, divided between the Charlestown, East Boston and Dorchester districts.

So far as information can be obtained, they are working satisfactorily. Analysis of the figures of the bid shows that the cost of the expert labor necessary for caring for lamps with automatic devices has increased in a much greater proportion than the cost of labor of the character required for hand lighting, and on this account the savings possible from automatic devices will be somewhat less than estimated under the previous contract. It still appears, however, that a very large sum of money could be saved by the installation of such devices.

The figures now available indicate that the annual cost for sinking fund, depreciation, interest, etc., for automatic lighting devices will be about \$1.40 per lamp year. This figure assumes that the entire cost of the lighters will be paid for during the term of the contract. The cost for care, etc., will be 55 cents per lamp month, or \$6.60 per lamp year, a total for lighting with automatic devices of \$8 per lamp year, compared with \$9.12 for hand lighting, or a saving in lighting cost alone of \$1.12 per lamp year.

The schedule for electric lighting in Boston calls for a total of 3,828 hours burning by each lamp. The gas schedule has been roughly assumed as 4,000 hours on account of the delays from hand lighting that make it impossible to light all the lamps at once, as is possible with electricity, and for purposes of easy calculation. Under the gas lighting contract one hour is allowed for lighting the lamps and one hour for extinguishing. If the gas lamps were all lighted simultaneously with automatic devices, the lighting schedule could be reduced to 3,828 hours per year, the same as for electric lighting and the amount of gas used reduced to 3 cubic feet per lamp hour. The cost of gas for such a schedule would be \$9.10 per lamp year, or \$1.90 less than the bid submitted. It therefore appears that the total saving from the installation of automatic lighting devices would be as follows:

In lighting cost.....	\$1 12	per lamp year.
In gas.....	1 90	per lamp year.
Total.....	\$3 02	per lamp year.

On the basis of 10,000 lamps this would amount to \$30,200 per year, or for the whole contract \$302,000. It is apparent that it is through the installation of automatic lighting devices that the Welsbach Company will obtain the greater part of its profit, while the Gas Company will obtain its regular profit from the amount of gas furnished.

3. CHARACTER OF THE LIGHT TO BE FURNISHED.

Referring again to the provisions of the contract and specifications (paragraph 7 of the specifications, page 4):

The lamps shall be maintained in service at not less than sixty (60) horizontal candle power.

The fulfillment of this provision is, in my opinion, of doubtful possibility. It is reasonably certain that it will not be fulfilled by the contractor in case the contract is awarded. Many tests made in preparation for the contract of 1914 showed that the average candle power of the lamps was less than forty. Recent tests of a group of fifteen lamps in the Roxbury district showed variation in candle power of the different lamps from 1.6 as a

minimum to fifty-four as a maximum, with an average of nineteen.

This result shows that the condition found ten years ago still exists and that in making a comparison of prices between the present gas lamps and the cost of installing incandescent filament electric lamps the fair comparison should be with the forty candle power electric lamp that actually gives that amount of illumination, rather than with the sixty candle power incandescent electric lamp, which is nominally in the same class as the gas lamps, as regards candle power, but which actually gives a greater average illumination.

The only effective argument that can be advanced for maintaining the present gas lamps is that under certain conditions the electric lamps are likely to become affected by various accidents, and when such accidents take place a considerable number of lamps are extinguished at the same time, whereas with the gas lighting system only individual lamps are put out of commission. Electric lights, particularly in districts where the wires are still overhead, are subject to brief interruptions by the breaking of wires, short circuits, etc., during sleet storms, and in the underground districts by the flooding of manholes and similar contingencies.

On the other hand, gas lamps are also unreliable in cold weather. The manufacturing processes of water gas which is now used for street lights, leaves some moisture in the gas. Under low temperature this moisture condenses and collects in service pipes and in lamp burners and freezes. Other elements composing the gas, ordinarily volatile, condense at low temperatures and obstruct the gas passages. After a long continued spell of cold weather a considerable percentage of the gas lamps will not burn constantly. During the last two weeks in February in some localities as much as 25 per cent of the total number of gas lamps were out for considerable periods.

On the whole there does not at the present time seem to be any great difference in reliability of operation between the electric lamps and the gas lamps.

The gas lamps under the proposed contract will cost the city, as already stated, \$26.20 per lamp year, although this price is subject either to increase or decrease, as provided in the provision for arbitration.

So far as can now be determined, the prices for electric lamps under the contract that will have to be made in a few months will not exceed \$18.42 per lamp year for the forty candle power lamp and \$20.75 for the sixty candle power lamp. The cost for gas lighting will be, therefore, \$7.78 more per lamp year than if the forty candle power electric lamp were adopted, and \$5.45 per lamp year more than if the sixty candle power electric lamp were adopted. The total for the ten years of the contract will be an increase of \$778,000 as compared with the forty candle power electric and \$545,000 as compared with the sixty candle power electric. These figures are on the assumption that no changes will be made in the price of any type of lamp during the contract period.

I am of the opinion that there is greater probability of a reduction in the price of electric lighting than there is in the price of gas lighting, and that the above estimates are much less than the economies that could be obtained by the installation of electric lights. If electric lighting were adopted, the saving over gas lighting would be much greater than the figures indicate. As a practical matter, many gas lamps would be replaced by arc lights, or the larger incandescent units which cost much less per unit of volume of light furnished than the small incandescent types.

For example, the magnetite arc lamps give approximately 1,000 candle power illumination at a cost under the new schedule of \$93.42 per lamp year. Compared with the sixty candle power incandescent lamp, at a cost of \$20.75 per lamp year, the larger lamp at four times the cost of the smaller lamp gives seventeen times greater illumination.

I have been told by responsible officials of the Edison Electric Illuminating Company that the company does not desire to take over a large part of the lamps in the gas lighting district. This is on account of the large investment that would be involved. Another reason that may influence the attitude of the Edison Company is the extension of electric street lighting over the entire city would make a very large increase in the amount of electricity used at night without any corresponding increase of daylight use. This would unbalance the load at the generating stations and tend to uneconomical operation. I believe, however, that they can be obliged under their contract of December 7, 1914, to take over a large number, if not all, of the locations now lighted by gas. The electric lighting contract provides, page 7, section 7, as follows:

"Such additional lamps shall be installed without charge to the municipality as may be designated by the municipality at any time before notice is given to terminate this agreement, provided the company shall not be required to extend its lines more than 400 feet overhead or, in localities served by underground construction, more than 100 feet underground to reach any lamp."

Representatives of the Electric Light Company have admitted to me that a reasonable interpretation of this provision is that the company may be required to extend its lines 400 and 100 feet overhead and underground, respectively, for the installation of single lamps, and after such installation may again be required to extend the same distance, so that in effect the provision can be used to extend their system indefinitely.

The refusal of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company to recognize the right of the city to extend its contract for six months, pending investigation of a new contract, as provided on page 6, paragraph 12, of the contract of 1914, has prevented any adequate research to determine the future policy to be followed by the city in the matter of street lighting. From the information available, I believe that the following conclusions must be reached at the present time:

1. That the specifications accompanying the form of contract are so faulty as to be practically of no value in protecting the interests of the city, and no contract should be approved until the specifications are revised and made adequate for the purpose.

2. That the price for equipment and the lighting and extinguishing gas lamps submitted by the Boston Consolidated Gas Company on March 6, 1924, does not contain undue profits and is as low as can reasonably be expected if hand lighting is to be used, but that a considerable profit could be obtained from the installation of automatic lighting devices.

3. That the price of \$11 per lamp year submitted by the Consolidated Gas Company, according to its supplementary agreement, is not warranted. The price of gas should be on the basis of 3 cubic feet consumed per lamp hour, as for previous contracts, and the price per lamp year should not exceed \$9.51.

4. That, on account of the increased price of labor and materials and the increased cost of gas, the purchase of an equipment of gas lamps for street lighting purposes by the city is not advisable.

5. That the only method of securing lower prices and greater illumination in districts now lighted by gas lamps is a change to electric lighting.

6. That a change from gas lighting to electric lighting, if such change was found to be possible over the entire area of the city, would make a saving over the price in the proposed contract of between \$50,000 and \$100,000 per year, depending on the number of lamps installed and the percentage of arc lamps used to replace smaller units.

Respectfully submitted,

GUY C. EMERSON,
Consulting Engineer.

APPENDIX A.

This agreement executed this day of March, 1924, by and between the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the "City" acting through the Commissioner of Public Works, party of the first part, and the Boston Consolidated Gas Company, hereinafter referred to as the Company, party of the second part.

Witnesseth: That the said parties, each in consideration of the agreements and promises of the other, do hereby agree that the City shall purchase from the Company and the Company shall sell to the City, manufactured gas for the lighting of gas lamps in certain streets, parks, alleys and public places, upon the following terms and conditions:

1. The Company agrees to furnish to the City delivered at the lamp posts connecting with the mains of the Company, all the manufactured gas required for lighting with single burner, incandescent mantle lamps, such streets, parks, alleys and public places as may from time to time be designated by the City during the continuance of this contract.

2. The City agrees to pay for the gas so furnished by the Company, at the rate of Eleven Dollars per lamp per year for single burner, sixty candle power lamps.

It is understood that the hours of lighting shall not exceed four thousand hours per year.

The number of lamps for which gas is furnished by the Company for any year or portion thereof shall be determined by the Company and the official of the City in charge of street lighting.

The payments due under this contract shall be made to the Company in monthly install-

ments, on or before the tenth of each month, beginning in the second month of the period of the contract.

3. If, after the execution and before the expiration of this contract the Company increases or decreases its maximum net price charged to its consumers, above or below \$1.20 per thousand cubic feet, the price to be paid by the City for gas furnished under this contract shall be increased or reduced in the same proportion in which such price is increased or reduced, for any period during which such increase or reduction is in effect, based upon an average consumption of 3½ cubic feet per hour per lamp.

4. This contract shall be in force for a period of ten years, beginning on the first day of April, 1924, and terminating on the last day of March, 1934.

In witness whereof the City of Boston has caused this agreement to be executed in its name and behalf by its Commissioner of Public Works, and the Boston Consolidated Gas Company has caused this agreement to be executed in its name and behalf by Dana D. Barnum, its President thereunto duly authorized.

CITY OF BOSTON,
By
Commissioner of Public Works.
BOSTON CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY,
By
President.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

LOAN FOR WILLIAM EUSTIS PLAYGROUND.

The following was received:

Boston, March 29, 1924.
To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council:
Gentlemen,—On March 18, 1924, his Honor the Mayor sent the following communication and loan order to the City Council:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 18, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—The residents of the Roxbury district for many years have requested an appropriation sufficient to place in suitable condition the William Eustis Playground and I am extremely desirous that their wishes be gratified. The accompanying estimate by the Park Commission sets forth in detail the amount that in their opinion is necessary for this work, and I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
City of Boston,
Park Department, March 13, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Thursday, March 13, 1924, it was voted that the city government be requested, through your Honor, to appropriate a sufficient amount of money to improve the William Eustis Playground. The estimate for the amount required is as follows:

Extension of playground by the purchase of 86,318 square feet of land, assessed valuation	\$40,000
Building of bleachers to seat about 2,500 people	32,000
Grading, filling and development of playground	10,000
Children's corner, shelter, apparatus, etc.	5,000
Building of division fence.....	13,000
Total	\$100,000

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES B. SHEA,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the sum of \$100,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners, for the extension and improvement of William Eustis Playground, and that to meet said appropriation, the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

It appeared in evidence at a hearing held by the Finance Commission on this matter that the two parcels of land which the Park Commissioners desire the city to purchase for the extension of the William Eustis Playground have been vacant for a great many years. About two years ago a mortgage held by the trustees of the Owen estate, the larger of the two parcels, was foreclosed and the property bought in at the foreclosure sale for about one half of the assessed value. The

auctioneer was Richard F. Andrews, formerly one of the Street Commissioners of the city.

In August, 1923, Mr. Andrews wrote the chairman of the Park Commission as follows:

R. F. Andrews & Co.,
2343 Washington Street,
Boston, August 1923.

James B. Shea, Park Commissioner, City of Boston:

My dear Mr. Shea,—I own two parcels of land adjoining the William Eustis Playground containing 90,936 feet, taxed for \$38,414.40. As this section is rapidly growing in population I thought it would be a benefit to the city to acquire this tract to go with the playground site, as you will see by the pencil sketch inclosed that the city lines are irregular and having no frontage on Massachusetts avenue. If the city cares to consider the proposition of an exchange of the old greenhouse site on East Cottage street, running through to Massachusetts avenue, containing 102,581 feet, for my land as above indicated at assessed values, I would be glad to hear from you.

Yours very truly,

R. F. ANDREWS.

As a matter of fact, when Mr. Andrews wrote this letter he did not own either of the parcels of land that he offered to sell to the city. He had an agreement to purchase the smaller of the two parcels, which agreement he later allowed to lapse.

On August 22, 1923, the Deputy Park Commissioner wrote Mr. Andrews as follows:

Boston, August 22, 1923.

Messrs. R. F. Andrews & Co., 2343 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.:

Dear Sirs,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of recent date relative to land adjoining the William Eustis Playground, and would say that this matter will be taken up at the next meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners to be held this week.

Very truly yours,

Deputy Commissioner.

According to the informal records of a meeting of the Park Commission held on that day, August 22, 1923, the matter of Mr. Andrews' proposition came before the Board of Park Commissioners and was disposed of on the ground that the commissioners were not interested in the proposition and had no authority to effect the trade proposed.

On September 7, 1923, Mr. Andrews agreed in writing to purchase the Owen estate for the sum of \$15,642, of which \$500 was paid in cash and the balance was to be paid in cash upon the passing of the title. Later Mr. Andrews requested that he be relieved from paying all cash, whereupon the trustees took a mortgage back for the entire purchase price, less \$1,000 which was paid in cash by Mr. Andrews.

When Mr. Andrews entered into the agreement with the trustees of this estate, he represented himself as a broker and when the sale went through, although he took the property in his own name, a broker's commission of \$782.10 was allowed. R. F. Andrews & Co., which it was agreed, however, should not be paid until the mortgage which was given by Mr. Andrews was paid.

In the meantime, the agreement which Mr. Andrews had made for the purchase of the smaller parcel had lapsed, on account of his default, and the \$500 which he had paid as a deposit was forfeited. But on September 2, 1923, Mr. Andrews again agreed to buy the smaller lot at the original price, namely, \$8,367, of which \$500 was paid in cash and the balance on a mortgage to run for six months. The owner of this lot agreed to pay the firm of R. F. Andrews and Co. a commission of \$418.35, which was not to be paid until the mortgage given by Mr. Andrews was paid.

The two members of the Park Commission other than the chairman testified that they knew very little about the matter; that some seven or eight months ago there was some talk of extending the William Eustis Playground, but nothing was done at that time or since, until March 13, 1924, when it was proposed by the chairman that the playground be enlarged by the purchase of these two parcels but nothing was said about the cost of this land or that it was owned by Mr. Andrews. In fact neither commissioner knew of the items appearing in the letter of the chairman that was sent to his Honor the Mayor until they were brought to their attention by the Finance Commission.

The chairman of the Park Commission in his communication to the Mayor stated that the assessed value of the land to be taken was \$40,000. As a matter of fact the assessed value is only \$32,200. There is no evidence and no record in the Park Department that the matter of extending this playground was considered by the Park Commissioners or his

Honor the Mayor, or that the extension of this playground had been considered prior to the receipt of Mr. Andrews' letter last August; nor is there any record in the Park Department that any study or consideration had been given to this matter by the Park Commissioners from August 22, 1924, when the Board rejected the matter, to March 13, 1924, when the Park Commission requested the City Council to appropriate from the loan the sum of \$100,000. And even on March 13, 1924, the two commissioners other than the chairman did not have brought to their attention the assessed value of the land to be taken or who the owner was.

Mr. Richard F. Andrews, formerly Street Commissioner, and at the present time employed by the Street Commissioners as one of the two real estate experts on land values in the Cambridge and Court streets widening, testified before the Finance Commission that unless he received \$50,000 from the city for this land, which is more than twice what it cost him, and in which to date he has invested but \$2,000, he would take the matter before a jury. He also testified that he bought the land for investment because in his judgment values in that section were rising. Yet his letter of last August showed him wanting to sell it to the city even before he purchased it. He also testified that he did not know what the city would be willing to pay for the land until he saw the item of \$40,000 in the Mayor's loan order.

Notwithstanding the necessity which the Park Commissioners believe exists for enlarging and improving the William Eustis Playground, the Finance Commission believes that the methods attempted to be used to pay an excessive price for land taken for public use, in order to enable an individual to make money at the expense of the city, should be repudiated. It is clear that the chairman of the Park Department did not act with entire frankness toward his associates in making the request for this loan. It appears also that the loan order was sent to the Council by his Honor the Mayor without having checked the assessed value of the land to be taken and without ascertaining what the land could be purchased for in contrast with similar orders in the past. Moreover, the initial step in this matter seems to have been taken by an ex-member of the Board that is charged with taking all land needed by the city for public uses and who is now employed by that same Board as an expert on land values in behalf of the city.

The Finance Commission recommends:

1. That the City Council refuse to approve this loan.
2. That the Mayor issue a general order to all department heads that in the future when they require land to be taken for public purposes they inform the Mayor who the actual owners of the property are and the price at which the owners are willing to sell their property to the city.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,

by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,

Chairman.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

ROSLINDALE HEADQUARTERS, VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the Public Works Department be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to transfer the city building located corner Washington street and Metropolitan avenue, Roslindale, to the Public Buildings Department, so that it may eventually be used for the headquarters of John T. Fallon Post, 1050, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Referred to Executive Committee.

CONFIRMATION OF EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

President DONOGHUE called up, under unfinished business, the following:
Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, viz.:

1. William B. Santosuosso and Thomas Abuzzio, to be Constables.
2. Clarence S. Roy, John E. Clark and Ralph W. Rogers, to be Weighers of Coal.
3. John E. Benson and Christopher B. Kennedy, to be Inspectors of Pressed or Bundled Hay and Straw and Measurers of Grain.
4. Charles H. Reinhart, Chester A. Bailey, Harry Simons, Henry P. Burns and Warren A. Brown, to be Constables.
5. H. W. Schafer, Benjamin Groman and Herman Brightman, to be Weighers of Goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee, Coun. Gilbody and Walsh. Whole number of ballots, 8; yeas 8, and the appointments were confirmed.

NEW STREET SIGNS, RETAIL DISTRICT.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to include in the annual appropriation bill a sum sufficient to supply new street signs in the retail store district in Ward 5.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PAYMENT TO NELLIE LONG.

Coun. DONOGHUE offered the following:
Resolved, That the City Council of Boston hereby approves the enactment of legislation to authorize the city to pay a sum of money to Nellie Long in compensation for injuries resulting from a fall in the yard of the William E. Blackstone School.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

LAYOUT OF COLONIAL ROAD.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested to lay out and construct as a public street Colonial road, Ward 25.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

RECESS.

By direction of the President, the Council at 2.43 p. m. took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President DONOGHUE at 5.35 p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report that the veto messages on the following items (referred today) be placed on file:

Five hundred thousand dollars for the erection of a new municipal building in Charlestown.

Fifty-five thousand dollars for the improvement of Cherry Street Playground.

Five hundred thousand dollars for a municipal building to be located in Ward 5.

Fifty thousand dollars for the improvement of Randolph Street Playground.

One hundred thousand dollars for the improvement of Sullivan Square playground, Charlestown.

Fifty thousand dollars for the improvement of Tenean Beach Playground, Dorchester.

Fifty thousand dollars for the improvement of Garvey Playground, Neponset.

Three hundred fifty thousand dollars for a new courthouse in Dorchester.

Five hundred thousand dollars for a municipal building and gymnasium in South Boston.

The report was accepted and the veto messages were ordered placed on file.

2. Report on notices of hearings on gasoline licenses, from Street Laying-Out Department (referred March 18) that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; said notices placed on file.

3. Report on proposed annuity of \$669 to Mary E. Grady, widow of John Grady of the Fire Department (referred March 18)—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; order to provide annuity passed.

4. Report on order (referred today) that his Honor the Mayor be requested to include in the annual appropriation bill a sum sufficient to supply new street signs for the retail store district in Ward 5—that the order be passed with the following amendment: Strike out "for the retail store district in Ward 5" and insert in place thereof "wherever needed throughout the City of Boston."

The report was accepted and the order in the new draft, as amended above, was passed.

5. Report on County Chelsea Court voucher (referred today) for the salary of John F. Sullivan—that the same be approved.

Report accepted and said voucher approved. Coun. Brickley doubted the vote and asked for the yeas and nays. The report was accepted and the voucher approved, yeas 5, nays 4.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Healey, Lane, Walsh, Watson—5.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Moriarty, Purcell—4.

6. Report on petition of the Pierce bus line (referred March 24) to operate jitneys on River and Milton streets, Hyde Park—that the same be granted.

The report was accepted and leave granted, Coun. Watson calling for the yeas and nays, yeas 9, nays 0.

7. Report on petition of the Oakdale Community Garage and Bus Line (referred from last year), for license to run in Hyde Park—that the same be granted.

Report accepted, said permission refused, yeas 1, nays 8, Coun. Watson voting yea.

8. Report on petition of the Canton and Blue Hill Bus Line (referred today) for license to operate in Hyde Park—that the same be granted.

Report accepted, license refused, yeas 1, nays 8, Coun. Watson voting yea.

9. Report on message from the Mayor and order appropriating \$300 for Centenary Celebration Survey (referred today)—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted, said order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

10. Report on message from the Mayor (referred today) and order appropriating \$1,000, to be used by the Committee on Rent and Housing in the discharge of its duties—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted, said order passed.

11. Report on message from the Mayor (referred today) and order appropriating \$2,500 to be expended by the Boston Music Committee—that the same ought not to pass.

The report was accepted, and the question came on the passage of the order.

Coun. LANE.—Mr. President, I don't think this Council should accept the report of the committee on that appropriation. I think perhaps some of the members in looking over the list of members of the committee did not care for the make-up, but, at the same time, if one hundred and fifty odd cities in this country have adopted this music week and are going to make appropriations, with the understanding that the celebration is to be held in the numerous cities simultaneously, I think it would be a lasting disgrace to the City of Boston if it refused to appropriate the small amount of \$2,500 to further this cause. Boston has always been known as the home of culture, education and music. We have our Boston Conservatory of Music, one of the finest institutions of the kind in the country, which draws from all parts of this country and Canada, and we have our Symphony Orchestra, one of the greatest institutions the country has ever known, due to the generosity of the late Maj. Henry L. Higginson. I do think, if the members of this Council will think seriously on this matter, they will not accept the report of the committee, but will pass the \$2,500 appropriation.

Coun. WATSON.—Mr. President, I think I agree with Coun. LANE. I think it is worth \$2,500 to the city to participate in this music week. If all the great cities of the country are to be included, I think it would be a mistake for Boston, one of the largest cities, not to be counted in. I don't know much about the merit of the proposition or anything about the committee, but I think this amount, \$2,500, would be well invested from the standpoint of good publicity. I think the failure to pass the appropriation will be a bad piece of publicity for the city. I shall vote against accepting the committee report and shall vote for the order when it comes up.

Coun. HEALEY.—Mr. President, I, too, desire to be recorded as in favor of this appropriation. Boston has for a long time been considered the home of the fine arts on this side of the water, the Athens of America, and in music the Florence of America. The Boston Symphony Orchestra has a worldwide reputation. For the first time Boston is now called upon to make a small appropriation to celebrate music week, and it would seem to be a step backwards in the fine arts, in the cultivation of which Boston has always been so famous, to reject this order. I, too, side with Coun. Lane and Coun. Watson in favoring this appropriation of \$2,500.

Coun. MORIARTY.—Mr. President, I am not against the appropriation, but I feel that if Boston is going to appropriate money for a music week there should be a representative committee to represent Boston, and I want to say frankly that I don't think it is a representative committee. I am not going to vote to appropriate money to be handled by a committee that is not representative of the citizens of Boston. If the Mayor desires to send in a representative committee for the purpose of

celebrating music week, I shall be glad to vote for the appropriation. Otherwise, I will vote against it.

Coun. GILBODY.—Mr. President, I feel that the money should come from the School Committee, the fathers of the proposition, and not from the City Council or the city treasury.

The report was accepted and the order was rejected:

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Healey, Lane, Watson—1.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—5.

Coun. HEALEY.—Mr. President, I move a reconsideration, and will then ask that the matter be laid on the table.

Coun. MORIARTY.—Mr. President, I rise to a point of order. No business intervening, the motion to reconsider is not in order.

Coun. WATSON.—Mr. President, I don't think Coun. Walsh was present when that vote was taken.

President DONOGHUE.—Coun. Moriarty's point of order is not well taken.

Coun. MORIARTY.—Doesn't business have to intervene before a motion to reconsider is made?

Coun. DONOGHUE.—There is no necessity for business intervening, according to the rules of this Council.

Coun. MORIARTY.—Mr. President, I move that we do now adjourn.

Coun. WATSON.—Mr. President, Coun. Walsh was not present when that vote was taken.

Coun. HEALEY.—Mr. President, may I inquire as to the vote on the motion I made?

President DONOGHUE.—Coun. Healey made a motion to reconsider our action, and I recognized Coun. Watson, who was talking on the floor. Up to the present time no action has been taken on the motion to reconsider.

Coun. HEALEY.—Mr. President, may I request—

President DONOGHUE.—Of course, if Coun. Moriarty desires to make a motion to adjourn, I will have to entertain his motion, both Coun. Healey and Coun. Watson having spoken.

Coun. MORIARTY.—Mr. President, I move you that we do now adjourn.

Coun. WATSON.—Mr. President, I understand that Coun. Healey made a motion to reconsider.

Coun. HEALEY.—A motion to adjourn, of course, is always in order, as I trust the councilor will admit.

President DONOGHUE.—Coun. Moriarty moves that we do now adjourn.

The motion to adjourn was declared lost.

Coun. MORIARTY.—Mr. President, I doubt the vote. I serve notice that I am going to stay here and that I am going to talk and tire you out. That is all. If you want to stay here, all right.

President DONOGHUE.—The vote is doubted. The Clerk will call the roll.

The Clerk called the roll, and the motion to adjourn was declared lost, yeas 3, nays 4:

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Moriarty, Purcell—3.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Watson—4.

President DONOGHUE.—The question now comes on Coun. Healey's motion to reconsider the rejection of the order.

Coun. HEALEY.—Mr. President, I am going to take up only just a minute. I asked for reconsideration feeling that we should not have voted as we did; and, without making any speech, if reconsideration prevails, I would move that the matter be laid on the table for consideration next week. I would so move.

Coun. MORIARTY.—Mr. President, I don't think any councilor has a right to think for me, and when the councilor says he does not think we should have voted as we did, I think he has no right to say that. He has a right to be held responsible for his own vote, and that is all. I feel that I have just the same right that he has. I don't feel that I am in a position to vote on this appropriation, having in mind the committee that appears here, for the purpose of celebrating music week in the City of Boston. I do not feel that the committee is a representative committee, one representing the citizens of Boston. Therefore, I do not think it will be a Boston music week. I think it will be Back Bay music week, and Back Bay music week only. They have started, and their committee meetings are now being held in the Boston Public Library which, as every member here knows, is controlled by Simmons College in the Back Bay. It has got so now that hardly any girl can get employment in the Boston Public Library unless she is a graduate of Simmons College or some like college. Even the girls who are graduated from our

public schools and high schools are not eligible for a job in the Boston Public Library. Nevertheless, we are going to appropriate money for the purpose of having a Back Bay music week, not a Boston music week. If the Mayor desires on next Monday to send in a committee of representative citizens, I shall be glad to vote for the appropriation; but with the committee shown to me today, I will not vote for the appropriation.

President DONOGHUE.—The question comes on Coun. Healey's motion to reconsider the rejection of the order. Coun. Gilbody doubted the vote. The Clerk will call the roll.

Reconsideration of the rejection of the order was lost, yeas 3, nays 4:

Yeas—Coun. Healey, Lane, Watson—3.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Moriarty, Purcell—4.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. Healey reconsideration of all action today was refused.

The Council voted at 5.57 p. m., on motion of Coun. HEALEY, to adjourn to Monday, April 7, at 2 p. m.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CONTRACTORS FOR HARDWARE.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required or necessary for the complete equipment of the New Dorchester High School for Boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, April 11, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(April 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals to erect and complete, including all trades, the Roxbury High School for Girls, Warren, Townsend and Harrishof streets, Roxbury, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Board therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, 1007 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, April 25, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$20,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(April 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND CONCRETE WALL AT CHERRY STREET PLAYGROUND, BOSTON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for grading and concrete wall at Cherry Street Playground, Boston. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Concrete Wall at Cherry Street Playground, Boston," and left before 12 o'clock on Thursday, April 17, 1924, at the office of the Park Department with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$2,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS, *Commissioners*.
(April 5-12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WIRE FENCE AT RONAN PARK, DORCHESTER.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for wire fence at Ronan Park, Dorchester. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Wire Fence at Ronan Park, Dorchester," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, April 10, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS, *Commissioners*.
(April 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND CONCRETE BLEACHERS AT WILLIAM J. BARRY PLAYGROUND, CHARLESTOWN.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invite proposals for grading and concrete bleachers at William J. Barry Playground, Charlestown. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Concrete Bleachers at William J. Barry Playground, Charlestown," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Monday, April 21, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$2,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$10,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS, *Commissioners*.
(April 5-12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN MOORE STREET OVERFLOW OUTLET, BETWEEN COLERIDGE AND COWPER STREETS, EAST BOSTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for sewerage works in Moore street overflow outlet, between Coleridge and Cowper streets, East Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of forty-five hundred (4,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Sewerage Works in Moore Street Overflow Outlet," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, April 21, 1924, with a certified check for four hundred and fifty (450) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 3, 1924. (April 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL, FIRE AND POLICE BOATS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing 3,700 tons, more or less, of Pocahontas or New River coal to the police or fire boats, as follows: Fire boats, 2,500 tons; police boats, 1,200 tons. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and furnish a certified check for \$500 payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bidder must state the price per ton of 2,000 pounds, and leave his proposal at the office of the Supply Department on or before Tuesday, April 22, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Deliveries to be made as per specifications. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 5-12.) *Superintendent of Supplies*.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

ASSESSORS' OFFICE, CITY HALL ANNEX,
BOSTON, April 1, 1924.

Attention is called to the Assessors' Notice posted upon the City Hall, and other public places throughout the city, relative to making returns on property subject to taxation.

Returns should be made as early as possible, and not later than May 15.

Blank forms may be had at the Assessors' Office, or will be mailed to any address upon application.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
By JOSEPH C. O'MALLEY, *Secretary*.
(April 5, 12, 19, 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT OR BITULITHIC PAVEMENT IN SHAWMUT AVENUE, FROM WARRENTON STREET TO ROXBURY STREET, CITY PROPER AND ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Shawmut Avenue, from Warrenton Street to Roxbury Street, City Proper and Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one hundred ten thousand (110,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked, "Proposal for Sheet Asphalt or Bitulithic Pavement, Shawmut Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex before 12 m. of Wednesday, April 16, 1924, with a certified check for ten thousand (10,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 3, 1924. (April 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, April 22, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read, for furnishing and delivering 19,000 tons, more or less, or semibituminous steam coal. The coal delivered will be paid for on the basis of the prices named in the proposal for coal specified, corrected for variations in the heating value and ash as shown by the analyses, above and below the standard established by the contractor. Forms of bid and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, and only bids on these forms will be considered. Institutions Department, Infirmary Division, Almshouse and Hospital, Long Island, 5,000 tons, more or less, in bins; Institutions Department, Penal Division, Deer Island, 5,000 tons, more or less, alongside; Ferry Service, 9,000 tons, more or less, in bins. The coal is to be delivered as ordered from time to time by the Superintendent of Supplies, before May 1, 1925. Proposals must state the kind and price per ton (2,240 pounds) delivered as above, including the cost of weighing and stevedoring, to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Supplies. Said proposals must be accompanied by a properly certified check for \$1000, made payable to the City of Boston, to be forfeited to the City of Boston in case of failure to appear and sign the contract within five days after date of award. A bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract must be furnished by the successful bidder or bidders with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. A duplicate copy of bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 5-12.) *Superintendent of Supplies*.

ASSESSED VALUATION OF REAL ESTATE PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES.

Boston, \$1,765; Detroit, \$1,708.70; San Francisco, \$1,561.90; New York, \$1,534.60; Pittsburgh, \$1,384.13; Buffalo, \$1,181.40; Philadelphia, \$990.84; St. Louis, \$990.71; Baltimore, \$779.40.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

NOTICE OF EXAMINATIONS.

Special Examination for Certificates of Qualification will be held Saturday, April 26, 1924, at the Normal Schoolhouse, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, at 9 o'clock a. m.

IV. High School Certificate: Majoring in French language and literature only—for men.

XI. Special: Assistant Director of Music, Orchestral Work.

XI. Special Certificates Valid in Evening Schools: For teachers in evening high schools of

(a) Bookkeeping, commercial geography and commercial law.

(b) Phonography and typewriting.

XVII. A. Evening School Limited: For teachers of industrial subjects in evening elementary schools and in day practical arts classes organized by the director of evening schools.

XVII. B. Evening School Limited: For teachers of English and citizenship in evening elementary schools.

For eligibility requirements and subjects of examination for the above-named certificates, apply to the undersigned.

Typewriting Machines.

Typewriting machines will be available at the examinations for the use of candidates who are to be examined in typewriting. Those who wish may furnish their own machines, and should send them, carefully marked for identification, to the High School of Commerce building, Avenue Louis Pasteur.

JOEL HATHEWAY,
Chief Examiner,
15 Beacon Street, Boston.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN ELIOT PLACE, FROM ELIOT STREET TO 250 FEET EASTERLY, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Eliot place, from Eliot street to 250 feet easterly, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twelve hundred (1,200) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Eliot Place," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, April 17, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred and fifty (150), payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 3, 1924. (April 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN ARTHUR STREET, CHARLES RIVER RESERVATION AND HICHBORN STREET, BRIGHTON, ALSO BEECH STREET, CORNELL STREET, GRANDVIEW STREET, GRANVILLE STREET AND WINTON STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 3,000 feet of 8-inch, 10-inch, 12-inch and 16-inch water pipe in Arthur street, Charles River Reservation and Highborn street, Brighton, also Beech street, Cornell street, Grandview street, Granville street and Winton street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-five hundred (2,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Arthur Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, April 14, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 3, 1924. (April 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN CATAUMET STREET, BETWEEN POND STREET AND END OF STREET 260 FEET NORTHERLY, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Cataumet street, between Pond street and end of street 260 feet northerly, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Cataumet Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, April 17, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred and fifty (150) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 3, 1924. (April 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ELECTRIC LAMPS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the various city departments tungsten, nitrogen and carbon lamps needed by the various departments until January 31, 1925, as per specifications. Blank proposals to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$400, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Monday, April 14, 1924, at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter of the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(April 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO FINISHED HARDWARE CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of Boston, Mass., invites proposals for furnishing finished hardware in Police Station No. 2 building, Milk and Sears streets, Boston, Mass., according to specifications, and giving a bond therefor of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent in the sum of 45 per cent of the contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, April 23, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, and marked "Proposals for Finished Hardware, Police Station No. 2 Building, Milk and Sears Streets." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above, the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening of bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, or to accept all or any part thereof according to the appropriation available therefor, or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest.

FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(April 5-12-19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Buildings and the several departments of the City of Boston not otherwise provided for, from May 1, 1924, to April 30, 1925, as follows:

4,000 tons, more or less, egg coal.
4,000 tons, more or less, stove coal.
12,000 tons, more or less, semibituminous coal.

The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and deposit his bid with a properly certified check for \$1,000, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Tuesday, April 22, 1924, at 12 m., at the above named office. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(April 5-12.)

AUTOMOBILE STATISTICS.

Registration and licensing of motor vehicles and operators in Massachusetts is in charge of the State Department of Public Works, Registrar of Motor Vehicles. In year ending November 30, 1921, there were registered 360,732 automobiles, an increase of 56,101 over the total in 1920 and 90.58 per cent more than 5 years ago, also 12,058 motor cycles. New York ranks first among the states in number of automobiles in use November 1, 1921, viz., 651,796; (2) Ohio, 616,800; (3) Pennsylvania, 570,164; (4) California, 568,892; (5) Illinois, 568,759; (6) Iowa, 437,300; (7) Texas, 427,334; (8) Michigan, 412,717; (9) Minnesota, 364,312; (10) Indiana, 332,707; (11) Massachusetts, 304,631; (12) Missouri, 295,817; (13) Wisconsin, 293,298; (14) Kansas, 265,396; (15) New Jersey, 226,459. The West leads in ratio of automobiles to population, the farmers being the most numerous users. In Iowa, California, Nebraska and South Dakota there is one to every 6 inhabitants and most of the other western states show from one to 7 to one to 9. In Massachusetts the ratio is one to 13 and in New York State, one to 16. Reported (unofficially) owned in Boston alone, in 1921, 46,725 or 36,706 passenger cars and 10,019 trucks. Persons licensed to operate in State, 380,519 (*i. e.*, 18,940 more than in 1920), of which 247,769 were classed as operators and 132,750 as chauffeurs; licenses revoked, 1,119. Total received by State in 1921 for all fees, \$1,712,890 or \$852,659 more than in 1920. Number of deaths from accidents in State in year ending November 30, 1921, 544 (*i. e.*, 63 more than in 1920); injured, 11,486 or 9,696 less than in 1920; in Boston alone, 88 killed and 1,914 injured. Prosecutions by Boston police for violation of automobile laws in year ending November 30, 1921, 9,408 (1,000 less than in 1920), of which 4,513 were of non-residents and 995 of minors.

Deaths from automobile accidents in cities in year 1920: New York, 773; Chicago, 472; Philadelphia, 226; Detroit, 175; Cleveland, 155; Los Angeles, 142; St. Louis, 104; Boston, 89. Highest death rate per 100,000 population in California, 21.1; (2) Connecticut, 15.6; (3) New York, 13.5 and Washington the same; (4) Rhode Island, 12.8; (5) New Jersey, 12.7; (6) Colorado, 12.4; (7) Ohio, 12.3; (8) Pennsylvania, 11.9; (9) Massachusetts, 11.7.

The automobile industry, begun about 23 years ago, now ranks fourth (if not third) in this country. In 1921, the production was approximately 1,668,500 vehicles or 1,514,000 passenger cars and 154,500 trucks, all valued (wholesale) at \$1,260,000,000. Total automobiles in operation in United States in 1921, 9,187,572; in 1918, 4,941,276; in 1915, 1,754,570; in 1910, about 400,000; in 1905, about 85,000. Total fees paid by owners in U. S. in 1921 \$102,000,000 (approx.), about 90 per cent of same being used for highway improvement.

Total exports of automobiles and parts of, from United States in year ending Dec. 31, 1920, \$298,219,875 in value (*i. e.*, 96.6 per cent more than in 1919).

In year 1921 the total exports fell to \$81,922,357 in value, or 7,478 commercial (\$10,329,903) and 30,950 passenger (\$32,533,725); automobile parts, exclusive of engines and tires, \$39,058,729; tires, \$15,954,515; gasoline engines, \$1,821,120. Imports of automobiles and parts in year 1921, \$2,044,568.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN BOSTON.

Number of permanent school buildings in use in 1922 for school purposes, 265; or 217 brick and 48 wooden; portable houses, 216; besides these, 14 rented quarters; in 1922 day schools contained 3,315 class-rooms and 137,673 sittings, also 96 assembly halls and 15 drill halls and gymnasia; 3,601 teachers in all schools, or 3,031 women and 570 men; evening schools, 28, with 397 regular teachers. Playground teachers, 175, having charge of games, gymnastics, etc., in 56 park and 34 schoolyard playgrounds; school physicians, 48; school nurses, 52; attendance officers, 29. Number of pupils registered in regular day schools year ending June 30, 1922, 131,789, of which 5,849 were registered again in the Summer Review Schools; in evening schools, 15,309; Continuation School, 6,753; Day School for Immigrants, 1,522; total registration, 155,373 or 5,218 increase over 1921. Average number belonging in day schools, 118,970 or 5,560 more than in 1921; average number in evening schools, 8,271; in Continuation School, 3,422.

On September 30, 1922, the school membership was as follows: Normal School and 16 high and Latin schools, 22,393 or 1,871 more than same date in 1921; in 241 elementary and intermediate schools, by districts:—East Boston, 11,026; Charlestown, 3,766; North End, 5,743; West End, 6,094; City Proper, 4,370; South End, 3,993; South Boston, 9,174; Roxbury, 15,505; Brighton, 4,655; West Roxbury, 7,794; Dorchester, 24,162; Hyde Park, 2,563; in special schools, 1,403. Total in elementary grades I to VIII, 88,846; Kindergartens, 7,948; intermediate, 1,996; Continuation School, 3,600; total for all day schools, 126,186 or 2,675 more than in 1921. Number of graduates in 1922, 8,425; elementary school pupils promoted, 87,088; not promoted, 10,959. Average number of day-school pupils per teacher in elementary grades, 41.8; in high schools, 30.1; in kindergartens, 27.1.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$11,778,471 or \$610,550 more than in 1921 and \$1,880,543 ahead of 1920; expenditure for construction of new schools, etc., \$1,778,844 all from Tax Levy, or \$918,019 (106.64 per cent) more than in 1920, also \$551,060 from loan for new Public Latin School. Gross debt outstanding for Schoolhouses and Sites, Feb. 1, 1923, \$15,912,500 or \$539,500 more than in 1922. Annual maintenance cost per attending pupil in Latin and high schools (day), \$124.66; in elementary schools (day), \$78.21.

The registration of minors, 5 to 15 years (inclu.), also illiterates over 15, April 1, 1923, as directed by Chap. 102, General Acts of 1916, showed a total of 144,619 (*i. e.*, 1,851 more than in 1922) or 24,273 of 5 and 6 years of age; 91,532 of 7 to 13 (inclu.); 26,568 of 14 and 15, and 2,246 illiterates 16 years of age and over. Total minors under 16 belonging to public day schools, 112,262; to parochial schools, 27,089; other private schools, 2,724; defectives (not in any school), 30. The illiterates attend the elementary evening schools.

The School Centers for educational and social improvement of other than school pupils started in 1912. There are now 9 having evening and 5 afternoon sessions in the larger school halls, with 159 paid leaders and assistants and 30

to 40 study and entertainment clubs or groups in each; total attendance during the 10 months' sessions in 1921-22, 475,048, mostly evenings. Cost of this "extended use of public schools" in 1921-22, \$52,537. For "Non-School Center" activities 70 of the school halls are used by various social groups, moderate rental fees being charged.

Per capita (of Boston population) cost in 1922 of schools approximately \$16.38 (including special appropriations from taxes, etc., for new schoolhouses), which is \$3.08 higher than in 1920 and nearly double that of 1916.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

POLICE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS.

Number of police force, December 1, 1922, was 1,901 (55 more than 1921), viz., the Superintendent, 3 deputy superintendents, 26 captains, 37 inspectors, 41 lieutenants, 135 sergeants, 1,652 patrolmen and 6 patrolwomen, distributed in 19 divisions, and a traffic squad, the latter numbering 156. The policewomen are a new addition to the force in 1921. Signal service men, 17, and clerks, janitors, etc., 114. Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$4,072,533 or \$62,730 more than in 1921. Total number of arrests in year ending November 30, 1922, 77,653 or 5,492 more than in 1921, but 1,901 less than the average for past five years; those arrested on warrants numbered 10,786; without warrants, 49,372; summoned by the court, 17,495; held for trial, 73,838 and 3,815 discharged; foreign-born persons arrested, 29,078; boys, under 15 years of age, 1,411 or 287 less than in 1921; women and girls of all ages, 5,081 or 61 more than in 1921; non-residents, 26.4 per cent of all arrested; drunkenness the cause of 48.47 per cent of all arrests, the total for this offence being 37,643 or 6,656 more than in 1921, but 5,690 less than the average for past five years. The prosecutions for homicide numbered 164 or 26 more than in 1921. Sick and injured persons assisted, 7,946; insane persons taken in charge, 434; lost children restored to homes, 1,839; persons imprisoned, 3,021 or 71 more than in 1921; persons fined, 18,673, the fines amounting to \$236,215; stolen property recovered, \$1,616,820; licenses granted, 21,823 (including 8,620 for dogs and 8,430 for vehicles and drivers), for which \$57,964 was received. Of 3,128 applications for license to carry loaded revolvers, 2,916 were granted, and 184 rejected. Accidents from all causes in the streets, parks and squares caused death of 125 persons and injury to 3,767 or 5 less killed and 232 more injured than in 1921. By automobile accidents alone 90 persons were killed and 2,157 injured.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$8,000; Superintendent, \$7,000; Deputy Superintendents, \$4,000; Chief Inspector, \$3,800; captains, \$3,500; inspectors and lieutenants, \$2,500; sergeants, \$2,300; patrolmen, \$1,400 the 1st year, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

In the year ending November 30, 1922, the Police Department made 3,371 prosecutions in the State court and 93 in the United States court for violation of the liquor law (not including drunkenness), a total of 3,464 cases or 1,265 more than in 1921. For violation of the drug laws there were 376 prosecutions.

PORT OF BOSTON.

Best of natural harbors, sheltered, spacious for anchorage, main ship channel 35 feet in depth at low tide, near open sea, total area of harbor about 47 square miles; waterfront (*i. e.*, lineal pier space) 40 miles, 6 miles fronting on 30 feet depth at low water. A 45-foot channel from entrance of harbor to President Roads and 40-foot from there to wharves will be dredged in the near future.

The three principal freight terminals are those of the Boston and Maine R. R. in Charlestown, Cambridge and E. Somerville; the Boston and Albany R. R. in East Boston; the New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R. in South Boston, interchange of freight between terminals effected by Union Freight R. R. with tracks on waterfront streets. New Commonwealth Pier No. 5, South Boston, 1,200 feet long, 400 feet wide, accommodating five 600-foot ships at one time, 40 feet depth at mean low water on both sides, with three 2-story fireproof buildings of steel and concrete construction, containing 900,000 square feet of floor space, total cost of this enterprise to State, \$4,500,000. Commonwealth Pier No. 6, South Boston (Fish Pier), buildings on same erected by lessee, Boston Fish Market Corporation, cost to State, \$1,487,361. New Commonwealth Pier, No. 1, East Boston, 900 feet long, costing State \$764,600 for site and about \$345,000 for construction. New dry dock at South Boston (probably the largest in world), completed in 1919, 1,200 feet long and 120 wide, costing over \$3,000,000 and taken by U. S. Government at total cost of same to State. Islands in Boston Harbor over 3 acres in area, 17, with total area of 965 acres; Long Island the largest, or 215.5 acres. Owned by United States, 392 acres; by City of Boston, 334 acres. Number of wharves, 143, of which 8 are owned by the City. There are 24 foreign steamship lines with regular sailings to and from Boston and 19 coastwise lines (5 to Pacific ports). In 1915 a revision of the harbor lines was made and the project undertaken whereby 600 acres of flats between Governor's Island and Jeffries Pt., E. Boston, will be filled in and used for extensive commercial development under State control. At the close of 1922 about 120 acres had been filled.

In April, 1918, the Government established its Army Supply Base on a portion of the Commonwealth lands in South Boston. About 57.6 acres were purchased of the State, the price being \$1,317,510, quickly followed by the construction of two pier sheds, each 920 feet long, a wharf shed and other buildings, including one of the largest storehouses in the world, built of reinforced concrete, eight stories high, 1,638 feet long, 126 feet wide and with floor space of over 1,650,000 square feet or about 38 acres. The total outlay for the plant was \$26,000,000.

Total Federal expenditure for improvement of Boston Harbor from 1790 to June 30, 1918, \$12,525,981; total expended and provided for by State, \$18,364,947 since 1859.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

BOSTON'S MUNICIPAL YEAR.

The municipal year begins on the first Monday in February, which fell on February 5, in 1923.

TELEPHONE STATISTICS.

Boston served by one company, viz., New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, organized in 1883 and formed by the consolidation of numerous companies, with plant now valued at \$119,121,301, extending through the states of Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont; total miles of wire, 2,129,347 or 1,400,882 miles in underground cable, 393,757 in aerial cable, 305,727 of aerial wire, 24,744 of phantom circuit and 4,237 in submarine cable; centrals or exchanges, 477; total stations, 866,271, of which 2,794 were private line stations and 1,979 service stations; total employees, 18,731.

In the Central District of Boston there were on January 1, 1922, 97,259 stations (*i. e.*, 2,047 more than in 1921), as follows: Back Bay Exchange, 25,040; Beach, 19,060; Congress, 15,434; Haymarket, 12,724; Main, 18,589; Richmond, 6,412; Suburban exchanges in Boston: Brighton, 7,530; Charlestown, 3,460; Columbia (Roxbury) 2,380; Dorchester, 15,215; East Boston, 4,794; Hyde Park, 2,520; Jamaica Plain, 6,160; Parkway (West Roxbury) 5,149; Roxbury, 15,298; South Boston, 5,583; total stations, 68,089; City total, 165,348.

In the Metropolitan Division, including Boston, there were 213,576 main stations; 66,498 private branch exchanges; 26,670 extension and 6,224 public stations, making total of 312,968. State regulation of telephone business is in charge of Department of Public Utilities.

Of all telephones in the world, 64 per cent are in the United States; 9.5 per cent in Germany; 5.2 per cent in Great Britain; 3.3 in Canada; 2.2 in France. Number of telephones (estimated) per 100 population:—Los Angeles, 21.3; Chicago, 20.5; Boston, 20.0; Cincinnati, 17.1; Cleveland, 16.0; New York, 15.6; Pittsburgh, 15.2; St. Louis, 14.8; Copenhagen, 13.9; Philadelphia, 13.6; Detroit, 13.6; Baltimore, 11.6; Berlin, 10.5; Montreal, 9.2; London, 4.3; Paris, 3.2; Petrograd, 3.0; Rome, 2.1; Tokio, 2.0.

Patent for invention of telephone obtained on March 17, 1876, by the late Professor Alexander Graham Bell, who first demonstrated its success in Boston on the 10th of same month. The Bell System (*i. e.*, American Telephone & Telegraph Company), originating in Boston, had 8,333,979 telephone stations, January 1, 1921, and there were 4,267,956 connected stations, all constituting 90 per cent of total in United States, and 25,377,404 miles of wire (60.5 per cent underground) with about 33,162,000 messages daily (average).

Total number of telephones in use in United States in January, 1921, 13,411,380 or one to every eight persons (approximately).

REDIVISION OF BOSTON INTO WARDS.

Chapter 630, Acts of 1914, required the redivision of Boston, by the City Council, into not less than 24 nor more than 36 wards, so arranged as to contain as nearly as could be ascertained an equal number of voters in each ward. On December 28, 1914, the City Council enacted as an Ordinance, by vote of 6 to 3, the plan submitted by its Committee on Redivision of Wards. This plan describes the new boundaries of the 26 wards. (See Municipal Register for 1921, pages 196-207.) The changes effected by the redivision of wards were mainly these, viz., Wards 1 and 2, East Boston, are divided by Prescott and

Princeton streets instead of as before; Charlestown has two wards (3 and 4) instead of three; Ward 5 covers the old Wards 6, 7 and 8; Ward 6 in place of old Ward 9; Ward 7 in place of old 10; Ward 8 in place of old 11; Wards 9 and 10 cover the old South Boston Wards 13, 14 and 15 mostly; Ward 11 takes in the northern half of old Ward 16 and western end of old Ward 15; Ward 12 is similar to old Ward 17 and Ward 13 to old 18; Ward 14 includes old Ward 19 and adjacent part of old Ward 22 (as far as Perkins and Centre streets); Wards 15 and 16 cover old Ward 21 and the northern part of 22 (as far as Boylston street); Wards 17, 18 and 19 cover that part of old Ward 16 south of Dudley street and all of old Ward 20; Wards 20 and 21 cover the eastern half and western half respectively of old Ward 24 (as far as Blue Hill avenue and Walk Hill street); Ward 22 includes the southern half of old 22 below Boylston street and the northern end of old Ward 23 to Whipple avenue, Walk Hill, South and Allandale streets; Ward 23 is unchanged except as to its northern boundary just stated, and Ward 24 takes in Mount Hope section, east of railroad, Mattapan and Hyde Park. Wards 25 and 26 cover the southern half and northern half respectively of old Ward 25, Brighton.

LATEST PUBLIC DEBT STATISTICS.

Gross funded debt, February 1, 1923, \$126,576,800.99; sinking funds, \$41,898,891.76; other redemption means, \$1,147,322.06; net debt, \$83,530,587.17 or \$3,617,576.61 more than in 1922; of said total \$49,471,830.76 (59.23 per cent) was City Debt, \$32,424,969.18 (38.82 per cent) Rapid Transit debt (representing 4½ per cent investment); \$1,351,787.23 (1.62 per cent) County debt and \$282,000 (0.33 per cent) Water debt.

Net debt per capita \$99.69 (approx.); net debt exclusive of Rapid Transit investment debt, \$51,105,618 or \$60.90 per capita. Loans authorized but not issued (within debt limit), \$1,254,000; same outside of debt limit, \$496,000.

In the fiscal year 1922-23, the net City debt was increased by \$2,478,014 and the net Rapid Transit debt by \$1,235,900; the net County debt was reduced by \$80,337 and the net Water debt by \$16,000.

Total debt contracted, \$8,122,500; total debt paid, \$6,246,650; total increase of gross debt, \$1,875,850; of net debt, \$3,617,577.

Total debt incurred in the ten years 1913 to 1922 inclusive, \$54,508,850, of which \$17,982,000 or 32.99 per cent was Rapid Transit debt, while \$22,601,100, or 41.46 per cent was for streets, sewers and bridges.

Total amount of debt incurred by the City in the 100 years since its incorporation (in 1822), \$272,257,638, of which more than half (*i. e.*, 52.74 per cent) was added in the last 25 years, 18.79 per cent in last 10 years. From 1822 to 1870 the amount borrowed was \$31,916,010 or a yearly average of \$664,917. From 1870 to 1920 the total borrowed was \$230,253,427 or a yearly average of \$4,605,068. The maximum for a 10-year period was from 1896 to 1905, when the yearly average was \$7,188,493. Yearly average for last 10 years, \$5,450,885; for last 5 years, \$4,373,600.

No other large city has been subjected to such a drastic reduction of debt-incurring power. [Statistics Dept's revision.]

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NEW POLICE HEADQUARTERS BUILDING TO BE ONE OF CITY'S HANDSOMEST STRUCTURES.

PLANS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED AND WORK WILL SOON BEGIN ON BUILDING TO BE LOCATED IN PARK SQUARE DISTRICT.



PROPOSED BOSTON POLICE HEADQUARTERS BUILDING WHICH WILL BE LOCATED ON A SITE AT BERKELEY, STUART AND STANHOPE STREETS.

Plans have been completed for the construction of the new police department headquarters building on the area bounded by Berkeley, Stuart and Stanhope streets, in the Park square section. Work on the structure will start in the early summer.

The building will be seven stories high with basement and sub-basement in Italian Renaissance style, the material being limestone on the Berkeley and Stuart street facades and light colored brick on the Stanhope street and court sides. The interior will be of modern office building design, with sanitary floors and fireproof construction throughout.

All of the police headquarters departments will be housed, including photographs and finger prints, automobile and carriage inspection, superintendents, inspectors, women police, signal service, clerks, etc. Special quarters for the Listing Board, Trial Board, radio and the Police Commissioner will be provided.

The main facade will be on Berkeley street with a set-back of about twenty feet. On the Stanhope street side a ramp entrance is provided leading down to a large open parking space at basement grade for department automobiles. The plans were drawn by Ritchie, Parsons & Taylor.

CITY MAY BROADCAST PARK BAND MUSIC.

Mayor Curley proposes to install a radio broadcasting station at the Parkman bandstand on Boston Common and put receiving stations with loud speakers at all the other parks, bathing beaches and other public places, in order that enjoyment of musical and oratorical programs in the center of the city may be extended to all the citizens. Such a

project, he estimates, will cost between \$15,000 and \$20,000.

He set the proposition afoot by a letter of suggestion to Park Commissioner James B. Shea, reading as follows:

"Public interest in radio transmission has developed to such a degree that in my opinion it would be a good investment for you to install broadcasting apparatus at the Parkman bandstand on Boston Common. The position taken by organizations of musicians generally,

namely, that they are entitled to proper return for services rendered, will unquestionably have a tendency to restrict this most enjoyable feature of radio service. That the public may have the opportunity to enjoy summer concerts I recommend that a broadcasting station be established out of the income from the Parkman fund and trust that the Park Commission will share my views as to its necessity."

MAYOR CURLEY'S ZONING BILL WINS.

The Legislative Committee on Mercantile Affairs have reported a bill, based on the petition of Mayor Curley, providing for the zoning of buildings in Boston.

There are only a few minor changes in the bill as originally reported from studies made by the City Planning Board. Here and there boundary lines were shifted from original drawings, and one new provision was inserted providing for vision clearance on corners, varying from 5 to 20 feet.

Under the provisions of the bill the height of buildings would be restricted in given districts to 35 feet, 40 feet, 65 feet, 80 feet and 155 feet. Besides the matter of height, restrictions would apply to buildings hereafter erected for industrial, general business, local business, general residence and single residence purposes.

The single residence district, which comes under the 35-foot height limit, would be bounded, roughly, by Jamaica Pond, the Arboretum, Cottage avenue, West Roxbury, and the Brookline line.

The general residence district, under the 35, 40 and 65 foot limit, is bounded by Dudley street, Roxbury, Savin Hill and Ashmont, Germantown and the area embraced in the single residential district. The greater part of Brighton is in the general residential district as is South Boston.

The local business districts are located in the general and single residence districts and in the industrial districts where they now are.

In the busiest sections of the suburbs there are also general business areas. These also are located in the downtown district and in Charlestown and East Boston.

The industrial sections are located in Charlestown, East Boston, along Atlantic avenue, along the waterfront in the vicinity of the Fish Pier, the northeast end of Brighton, along the tracks of the New Haven road, in Roxbury, and the easterly end of Massachusetts avenue.

The 35-foot height limit applies to the outskirts, in Mattapan, Hyde Park, West Roxbury, Roslindale and Brighton. The 40-foot limit applies in South Boston, and in the district bounded by Dudley street, Ashmont, Wellington Hill, Forest Hills Cemetery and Jamaica Pond.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, April 14, at two o'clock p. m.
Meeting of the School Committee, Monday, April 21, at 6.30 p. m.
Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marques, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, CITY HALL ANNEX, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

MAYOR MOVES TO PREVENT SERIOUS FIRES.

Mayor Curley sent the following letter April 9:

MR. JAMES A. BAILEY, *Commissioner, Metropolitan District Commission, State House, Boston:*

MY DEAR MR. BAILEY,—I have conferred with the Fire Commissioner, the chief of the Fire Department, the Commissioner of Public Works and the division engineer in charge of Water Service in the Public Works Department, relative to the conditions responsible for the loss of the Bennett School in Brighton on the night of April 8.

In the opinion of the municipal authorities, provided a better system of co-ordination existed between the City of Boston Fire Department and the Metropolitan Water Service, it might have been possible to have avoided a loss as great as that sustained at the Brighton fire.

In other words, provided a system obtained whereby on the sounding of the third alarm the officials in charge of the Metropolitan Water Pumping Station covering the district where the alarm is sounded for fire would immediately turn on the full pressure. In the case of the Brighton fire additional pressure was not delivered to the water mains serving the fire until a request had been made in person by the chief engineer of the Water Division.

With a view to preventing a recurrence of conditions responsible for the loss in the Brighton district fire on April 8, I would greatly appreciate your arranging a conference for the working out of a detailed program with the Commissioner of Public Works Joseph A. Rourke, Engineer in Charge of the Water Division Christopher C. Carven, Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn and Chief of the Fire Department John O. Taber.

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO ROOM 906, CITY HALL ANNEX, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

Trusting that it will be possible to arrange this conference at an early date and as a consequence of it that a system of co-ordination may be developed whereby added protection may be possible to property located in Boston, I remain,

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912, OF CITY RECORD, PUBLISHED WEEKLY AT BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, FOR APRIL 1, 1924:

STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS.
COUNTY OF SUFFOLK, SS.

Before me a Justice of the Peace, in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Standish Willcox who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Editor of the *City Record* and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business managers are:

Publisher, City of Boston.
Editor, STANDISH WILLCOX, 25 City Hall, Boston.

Managing Editor, none.
Business Managers, none.
WILLIAM T. SEEGER, Business Agent, 73 City Hall, Boston.

2. That the owners are
City of Boston.
HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.
JOHN A. DONOGHUE, *President of City Council*.
JAMES DONOVAN, *City Clerk*.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages or other securities are:
None.

STANDISH WILLCOX, *Editor*.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this third day of April, 1924.

HORACE R. KEAY,
(My commission expires December 13, 1929.)

MAYOR PLEADS WITH PRESIDENT TO SAVE SHOE INDUSTRY OF STATE.

WRITES STIRRING LETTER OF PROTEST AGAINST SENDING ORDER FOR MAKING OF ARMY SHOES TO FORT LEAVENWORTH PRISON WHEN WHOLE INDUSTRY SEEMS TO BE LEAVING EAST.

His Honor the Mayor sent the following communication on April 10 to President Coolidge:

HON. CALVIN COOLIDGE, *President of the United States*, Washington, D. C.:

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT.—The industrial and commercial conditions of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts at this hour excite the concern of its citizens; many factories are idle; others are functioning only three days a week; unemployment is already large and is increasing in volume. It is generally believed that only the active interest and strong influence of the President of the United States can relieve this dangerous situation and allay the public's anxiety.

A letter to the daily press from the executive secretary, Mr. Slomp, advises the Massachusetts public that the product of the convict labor of the Leavenworth Federal Prison is to be used in supplying the United States Army with shoes with the consent and approval of the President. The President of the United States, by reason of his long residence and public service in this Commonwealth, is measurably familiar with the shoe industry of Massachusetts and may know that a number of its shoe concerns specialize in the fabrication of army shoes and are dependent upon that specialty.

It is to be sincerely hoped that the citizens of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts may not be compelled to enter into competition with the convict labor of any federal prison; such competition would be unfair, un-American, economically immoral and injurious to free, American labor; and no enlightened American administration can afford to sacrifice the hopes, homes and happiness of its law-abiding and industrious workers to meet the exigencies and economies of its penal programs. Such a policy is in contravention of the spirit and ethics of our American democracy, and certainly repugnant to the principles and practices of this republic. Moreover, any policy that deliberately deprives the American worker of his work and wages in the interest of a spurious economy and a criminal class can only rouse the justifiable indignation of the honest workers who constitute the great majority of our citizenry.

I sincerely trust that the contemplated action of the War Department will be arrested and the consent and approval of the President be withdrawn upon maturer reflection. The laws and policies of the Medes and Persians do not obtain in the United States; and I suggest with all proper respect that it is entirely within the competency of the President of the United States to reverse any decision of his own that upon further consideration he finds detrimental to the public good.

The shoe industry of Massachusetts is one of the most useful, important and

influential economic elements in the life of this industrial Commonwealth; it is neither wise nor prudent to imperil its existence and injure its prosperity; those who have invested their substance in the industry and the workers who live by its operation view with alarm the action of the federal prison authorities, and they very naturally look to the President of the United States to safeguard their industrial interests from such ill-advised policy and criminal competition.

It is no light matter to turn a law-abiding industrious body of workers into the street, condemning them to idleness and their families to needless anxiety and positive suffering; and I feel that he who as Governor of the Commonwealth called on its people to have faith in Massachusetts, as President of the United States can broaden that splendid apothegm into a compelling faith in the republic and its administrative *bona fides*.

Massachusetts, despite its wealth, population, importance and representation in the national capital, has suffered unwarrantably by the neglect of Congress, the indifference of the administration, the usurpations of the Interstate Commerce Commission and the contempt, or worse, of the United States Shipping Board; and this combination of circumstances has been extremely injurious to the progress and prosperity of the Port of Boston, and the evil has reacted detrimentally to the interest of this Commonwealth and all New England. The conditions complained of could have been remedied by Congressional activity or administrative action, but neither have been forthcoming; and we turn now to the President of the United States, so long identified with the executive branch of the Commonwealth, for help and sympathy.

Out of the many millions appropriated for the rivers and harbors of the country a pitiful \$40,000 is allotted to Boston. For lack of a modest sum of money a cargo of valuable machinery needed for the completion of the equipment of the army base and to add to its commercial efficiency has been lying at the dock rusting and unused. The Army Base itself has been leased to a Philadelphia rather than to a Boston concern, a reversal of the policy followed in every port where such an instrumentality was constructed.

Now comes this matter of the blow aimed at the shoe industry of Massachusetts, the immediate, impelling reason for this appeal to the administrative and executive head of the United States.

I sincerely trust the President of the United States may find time and opportunity to come to the aid of this Commonwealth, which so continuously honored and trusted him.

I have the honor to subscribe myself,

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for grading and concrete wall at the Cherry Street Playground, Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for grading and concrete bleachers at the William J. Barry Playground, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for leasing the concession privilege for furnishing weighing machines in convenience stations and buildings of the Park Department for a term of three years. Bids, for the rights to be filed with the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 24, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing finish hardware for the Police Station 2 building, Milk and Sears streets. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 23, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Shawmut avenue, from Warrenton street to Roxbury street, city proper, and Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$110,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 16, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement and sewerage works in Shawmut avenue, from Warrenton street to Roxbury street, city proper and Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$117,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works

Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,700, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 16, at 12 m.

Advertises for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Columbia road (Traffic road), from Dudley street to Blue Hill avenue; Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Canterbury street to River street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$100,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for granite block pavement in Border street, from North Ferry to William J. Kelly square. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for granite block pavement in Chaffin street, from C street to D street, South Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 24, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in School street, between Waverly street and Fletcher street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$1,700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 14, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Shepard brook, easterly branch, in Everett street, private land and Highborn street, between Everett and Arthur streets, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$18,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Corinne road, between existing sewer and end of the street, Brighton.

Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 16, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Cataumet street, between Pond street and the end of the street 260 feet northerly, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$150, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Eliot place, from Eliot street to 250 feet easterly, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,200. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$150, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Moore street overflow outlet, between Coleridge and Cowper streets, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$450, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in the Germantown district, West Roxbury, and outlet in East street, Dedham. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$100,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 25, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for laying and relaying water pipes in Arthur and adjoining streets, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 14, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, including all trades, the Roxbury High School for Girls, Warren,

Townsend and Harrishof streets, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$20,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing new sanitation in the Bunker Hill School, Baldwin street, corner of Bunker Hill street, and the Thomas Starr King School, Bunker Hill street, corner Charles street, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 25, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the various city departments with electric lamps. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 14, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Park Department seven new Ford cars. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the various city departments engine, machine and cylinder oils. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering 19,000 tons of coal to the city. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 22, at 12 m.

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PRAISES THE WORK OF MASONIC ORDER FOR BENEFITS OFFERED HUMANITY.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS STIRRING ADDRESS AT THE GATHERING OF MASONIC CLUBS ON EVENING OF SATURDAY, APRIL 5.

Mayor Curley delivered the following address at the gathering of the Masonic Clubs, Saturday, April 5:

It is a pleasure to be here tonight at this gathering of Masonic brothers. "It's always good weather when good fellows get together," when members of a common fraternity step outside the secrecy and solemnity of the lodge room to meet more as men than as Masons, and discuss and plan the things that are useful and beneficial to our fellow men of all kinds and conditions.

The meeting has an added significance since it is held on the eve of Jefferson Week, of Thomas Jefferson, great man, great patriot, great statesman, a Mason and lover of his kind, who was born 181 years ago. No more appropriate time could have been selected for this reunion of Masonic clubs than this Jefferson time, when all the world of America will recall this immortal, this founder and father of the republic, this father of democracy and founder of the Democratic Party, this writer of the Declaration of Independence and preacher of human equality, who has written his name and fame imperishably into the history of the United States and the annals of humanity.

It was the writing, the preaching and practice of Jefferson that gave that character and color to American growth and expansion, that gave substance to the principles of our government, that taught that genuine equality of race and creed which has been our saving grace and given the American idea, the American creed, the promise of security and indestructibility.

Like your great Masonic progenitor, Thomas Jefferson, you have been loyal to humanity and human need; you have wearied not in well-doing; and like him your generosity and philanthropy have been exercised and administered in the broadest spirit; and while Masonic membership has furnished the benefactors, mankind of every kind and description has been the beneficiaries of your benefactions.

It is a very real pleasure for me tonight to meet the representatives of the Mayor of Philadelphia, the Hon. Freeland Kendrick, a man with a golden dream, with a vision of splendid human good, who is fittingly called the father of that magnificent philanthropy born in his heart and brain and materialized by Masonic munificence in the establishments of hospitals in America and Canada for the care of crippled children regardless of creed, color and all else, except their common humanity and need.

In this hurrying, hustling and seemingly heartless age it is a pleasure to meet a man such as he, who has kept his mind open and his heart clean, who has demonstrated that even though the age "Like the toad be ugly and venomous, it yet wears a precious jewel in its head," and who in the clamor of a city's busi-

ness and politics has been able to catch the voice of the Divine Master and translate into action his words, "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

I want to salute as I honor, Freeland Kendrick, who has done his share in bringing the Kingdom of Heaven to earth. You Masons may well be proud of him.

If I was asked to tell what I conceive to be the basic difference between Christianity and the paganism that preceded it I would say the recognition of the value and dignity of human kind, the necessity of philanthropy toward our fellows, the exaltation of motherhood and home, and our endless duty toward childhood. Christianity has never failed in these elemental duties of its religion and, while philanthropy has always been the striking characteristic of it in all ages, it has reached its highest and noblest expression here on this continent, where, despite cavaliers and cynics, wealth has not forgotten its duties and responsibilities. The response of America yesterday to the appeals of a torn and shattered world must always constitute one of the noblest chapters in human history; and this Boston community finds in the gifts and benefactions of its sons, in the wise and useful aims and ends of such philanthropy, a constant source of pride and satisfaction.

In view of the things I have just touched upon it seems eminently fitting that Boston should be selected as the Massachusetts city in which to hold an assemblage of Masonic clubs for in no other city in the world has philanthropy been so highly developed. Here indeed has the obligation that man should hold for his fellowman been exemplified. This structure in which we are assembled, home of the Symphony Orchestra, will ever remain a memorial to the generosity of its greatest patron whose contributions in a period of twenty years represented nearly a million dollars, that great American patriot Maj. Henry L. Higginson.

Within sight of this structure may be found the Forsyth Dental Infirmary representing an endowment of \$3,000,000, for the treatment, gratis, of the teeth, adenoids and tonsils of Boston children. In the adjoining square may be found the million dollar temple reared to art, gift of Robert Dawson Evans, and just beyond the Brigham hospitals representing a benefaction of \$5,500,000. The Brigham benefaction and the main building of the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, gift of Robert White, have resulted in the development of an educational and medical center unequalled in America.

The great Parkman benefaction designed to promote and preserve the Park System of Boston, the green and open spaces so needed in the conservation of

the health and happiness of the people, is a contribution to human good whose beneficent results will be written in every home and family of our city. I have no means of determining the fraternal connections of these great friends of humanity, I only know that by their acts they qualified for membership in the Masonic clubs. Your organization, in the establishment of a million dollar hospital each year for crippled children, is keeping the second divine commandment "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself."

It is comforting upon this, the opening day of Jefferson Week, to know that despite the passage of nearly a century and a half, the fundamental truth as written in the Declaration of Independence is understood, respected and perpetuated in our day. Your interpretation of equality in the case of children treated in the hospitals which you establish, namely, that all are eligible regardless of race, creed or color, is typically Jeffersonian and truly American.

I rejoice for you and with you; and I trust that in the unfolding years your fidelity to duty to your fellowmen, your loyalty to the principles of equality in treatment, opportunity and justice to all, and your broad human sympathy may continue in full vigor, expanding with time and spreading its generous influences for breadth and betterment of this republic and its people.

MAYOR MOVES TO HAVE STREET CAR SERVICE EXTENDED.

His Honor the Mayor has directed the Corporation Counsel and the chairman of the Transit Commission to appear before the Committee on Metropolitan Affairs and Street Railways, sitting jointly, in favor of the bill to permit of the Board of Public Control Trustees of the Boston Elevated system acquiring by lease, from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Chelsea, Revere and Winthrop lines and certain parts of the Everett and Malden lines of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway.

The position taken by his Honor the Mayor was that, while it would represent an additional cost not in excess of \$10,000 to the City of Boston, it aided in paving the way for the establishment of a Greater Boston.

The consolidation of these lines with the Boston Elevated Street Railway system should represent in trade advantages to Boston business interests a sum actually many times in excess of the actual cost to the city.

The consolidation of the lines in addition will make possible a single fare from all sections of Greater Boston now served by the Boston Elevated system to Revere Beach, thereby making possible summer outings for the families of the workers who are restricted at the present time because of the double fare both ways.

The extension of the single fare system to include Chelsea, Revere, Winthrop, and certain parts of Everett and Malden heretofore paying a double fare, should result in a building boom in these sections in which many families residing in Boston undoubtedly will participate and who heretofore found it impossible to give consideration to such a move, because of the excessive fare rate.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

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SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing coal to the fire boats and the police boats. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 22, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing coal to the Public Buildings Department, etc. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 22, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing eggs to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 23, at 12 m.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Advertisers for proposals for lamp-posts, sign frames and column at Maverick Square Station, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Transit Commission, 1 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$250, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 14, at 12 m.

ASSESSMENTS BY THE STREET COMMISSIONERS FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS.

BRECK AVENUE, BRIGHTON.

Thomas King.....	\$125 00
Robert Moore.....	237 00
O. Willis Rugg.....	288 30
Myrtle M. Moore.....	300 00
Christian Peterson, Marie M. Peterson	300 00
Joseph P. Ring.....	242 40
Charles J. O'Connell.....	208 98
Harry P. Chadwick, T. T., Winnie	
Hammond owns equity.....	181 08
Francis J. Gribble.....	173 70
George E. Wood.....	1,200 00
Hilda Larson.....	188 16
Gertrude E. Murray.....	105 87
William H. Elliott.....	125 00
Richard A. and Margaret Hanrahan.....	125 00
Charles H. B. Breck heirs.....	920 00
John D. Sullivan.....	200 00
John D. Sullivan.....	300 00
Mary W. Sullivan.....	300 00
Mary W. Sullivan.....	200 00
Elizabeth V. Lucas.....	200 00
Grace M. Little.....	295 08
Grace M. Little.....	300 00
Helen M. Hughes.....	150 00

Total\$6,665 57

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, April 10:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The following clerks have been assigned to piece work from April 1 to September 30: Francis T. Browne, John B. Buckley, Edward M. J. Burke, Philip E. Conroy, John P. Donovan, Edward L. Doyle, Hugh T. Gartland, John F. Grant, Edgar O. Haddock, Henry T. Hartmere, John J. Hastry, Francis X. Hurley, Maurice M. Hurley, Joseph P. Sheerin, Francis J. Turcotte, Henry P. Ireland, John B. Kelley, John H. A. Krauss, Arthur J. Leary, Oscar L. Lomasney, Thomas A. Lynch, Joseph V. Mahan, Michael A. Malley, William E. Mock, Charles F. Morrison, William F. Morrissey, Thomas A. Ryan, Thomas O. Scottron and Frank J. Williams on street work, 40 days at \$6 a day; corporations, 5 cents per item.

Joseph C. Dolan has been appointed temporary street clerk for a period of forty days at \$4 a day.

The following named temporary clerks have been appointed for a period not exceeding forty days: John King, Jr., William A. Carey, Joseph Lyons, Clement F. Reardon, Henry A. Taff, John T. Lane, at \$4 a day.

The following have been appointed temporary clerks for a period of ten days: Charles Foley, John Crowley, at \$4 a day.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, April 3:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—C. S. Houston, M. D., assistant resident medical officer, \$1,200 a year; Dennis Reagan, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Michael O'Keefe, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Sadie Rumney, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Martin J. O'Toole, fireman, emergency, \$33 a week.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Luke Kelly, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Mary Larkin, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Theresa McNeany, laundress, \$420 a year; Edith Foster, laundress, \$420 a year; Mary Nickerson, nurse, \$900 a year; Jeremiah Lane, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Thomas Watson, maid (patient), \$240 a year; John Carroll, engineer, \$36 a week.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

The following citizens have been employed for a period of thirty days as temporary clerks at \$4 a day:

Tax Division.—Martin F. Fahey, Thomas F. Kelly.

Water Division.—James H. Drummond, Dennis H. Shillue.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Ladderman Stephen Griffin of Ladder Company No. 2 has been retired at half-pay and his name has been placed on the pension roll at \$900 a year.

Hoseman David H. Toomey of Engine Company No. 24 has been retired on half-pay at \$900 a year.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

James A. Howard, watchman, at a salary of \$800 a year, to succeed Patrick J. Kennedy.

Adria M. Miller, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed John Sullivan. Arnold McNeil, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Jean B. Ferguson.

Maria R. Wood, head nurse (made permanent), at a salary of \$1,080 a year, to succeed Bertha F. Whitney.

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

Richard Plunkett, deckhand, at a salary of \$25.50 a week, temporary.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

John A. Hannon has been given permanent appointment as a lifeguard and helper, Bath Division, at \$4 a day.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

James J. Smith has been appointed janitor at \$4 a day.

Michael F. Bricke has been appointed fireman at \$5.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Thomas F. Reilly has been continued in temporary employment as assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week, for three months.

Patrick McGuire, William J. Walker, John J. Gately and Coleman J. Gorman have been appointed temporary carpenters at \$5 a day for a period of four months.

Michael J. Fleming, Owen F. Ahern, Jeremiah J. Donovan and Frank Donnelly have been employed as temporary assistant drawtenders at \$28.77 a week for two weeks.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Harry T. Eldridge has been continued in temporary employment as inspector of the construction of new ferry drops and piers with wages a \$6 a day for three months.

Thomas Le Mourn has been employed as temporary electrician at \$5.60 a day from April 4 to May 8, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Francis P. Rowley has been appointed paving inspector at \$1,600 a year, to fill a permanent vacancy.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Chester F. Young, inspector, has been ordered to be carried on the pay roll as being absent on sick leave, without loss of pay, for one month from April 11, 1924.

James A. Dell, transitman, has been ordered to be carried on the pay roll as being absent on sick leave, without loss of pay, for another month until May 12, 1924.

William R. Cunningham has been allowed a further extension of the sick leave granted as transitman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

The Mayor has approved the appointment of about 115 emergency laborers at \$4 a day for ten days in the cleaning of streets and alleys, beginning April 5.

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MAYOR DELIVERS SCATHING REBUKE TO HARVARD MEN ON SHAMELESS PLAY.

SEVERELY SCORES "ALDRICH, '24," FOR CRITICISM OF EXECUTIVE AFTER PROHIBITING PRESENTATION OF "SOPHIE" AT PEABODY PLAYHOUSE.

Philip Modler's comedy "Sophie," presented by the Stage Guild, a Harvard offshoot, at the Peabody "Playhouse," is a play of questionable propriety and dubious morality, since it concerns itself with the amorous adventures of one Sophie Arnould, an eighteenth century Parisian courtesan, an artist with wit, beauty and dramatic talent—but still a shameless courtesan.

One would hardly imagine the intrigues and peccadilloes of such a lady would be food for the entertainment of callow undergraduates and silly flappers, stuffed as it is with salacious suggestiveness and risque situations, and being served for the delectation of those who mistake dirt for daring and decadence for drama, and who find in audacious indecency the very acme of art. The petulant and preposterous president of the Dramatic Club, R. S. Aldrich, '24, announces with the superiority and finality of a "College Man," "The play was produced for cultivated and sophisticated audiences—not for men like Curley, Quinn and Casey."

The unfortunate, uncultivated and unsophisticated trio may now consider themselves squelched and ruled outside the realm of culture. Vanity, egotism, impatience with the advice of elders, contempt for authority and airs of superiority are frequently the stigmata of the undergraduate and callow college man; good sense and good judgment are seldom expected from youth and inexperience. Good manners are the product of training and example and are usually acquired in the home, though sometimes blurred and blunted by the schools in the process of acquiring culture and sophistication.

Presumably Aldrich, '24, had his genesis in some respectable household where good manners obtained; he appears to have exchanged them for a compost he calls culture; contact with a work-a-day world may restore them; if not collision with it will. When Aldrich, '24, has grown to be Aldrich, '42, when his pin-feather days are done, and the perimeter of his head has become a normal six and one half, he may understand that the sophistication of the social sewer is less admirable than the precept and practice that keep society clean, the home sweet and civilization stable.

Harvard should not be blamed for Aldrich, '24. Colleges cannot work miracles; they cannot transform pine planks into mahogany boards; the best they can do is plane and polish the pine with the knowledge that these operations are impermanent in results.

Without believing that the advice will be followed, it is suggested that Aldrich '24 abandon his taste for dirt, decadence and drama and take up a course of history and the study of races and civilizations, for he appears to be singularly ignorant of the knowledge whose possession would have saved him from his gesture of megalomania.

Messrs. Curley, Quinn and Casey belong to a race—Celtic—that had a lit-

erature and art, a drama and poetry, and a clean, virile civilization thousands of years before the ancestors of Aldrich, '24—Eldrich and Teutonic—emerged from the gloom and savagery of the Baltic jungles and while they were yet battling with beasts for bones and sheltering their painted persons in caves and burrows.

It is apparent that something of the physical vigor and moral cleanliness of the ancient Celt survives in these three enemies of dramatic degeneracy and theatrical filth; and it is just as evident that, atavistically, Aldrich, '24, and his breeders of bawdiness have gone back to the beasts and the bones.

So much for Aldrich, '24. The indignation of the officers of the Harvard Dramatic Club throws a curious light upon the amazing stupidity and impudence of that body, its misconception of its privileges, its ignorance of the law and its scope and its contempt for the decencies of this community. The Harvard Dramatic Club resents the interference of the Boston censors as a "serious intrusion on the rights of private theatrical organizations," forgetful of the plain fact the Peabody Playhouse is a public place and a fee is charged for admission to it. It is time these young persons learned that even the orgies and indecencies of so exalted a body as the Harvard Dramatic Club and its appendices vermiform cannot be indulged in either publicly or privately without meriting suppression and punishment. The fact that these misguided young men hold their dramatic nastiness to be "culture and sophistication" will hardly convince the municipal authorities that they are other than offensive to morals and destructive of decency.

The suggestive and salacious "Sophie" was preceded recently by the "filthy failures," and it is time the Stage Guild, the Harvard Dramatic Club and other promoters of theatrical filth reform or disband or keep out of Boston.

They should not hide behind Harvard's good name. There is no place for them in Boston or any other community where decency obtains.

ASKED TO DISPLAY CITY FLAG.

The office of Director of Public Celebrations has sent out the following notice:

On May 1 of 1922, the 100th anniversary of the incorporation of the City of Boston, an appeal was made by proclamation of his Honor the Mayor and the Public Celebrations Association for the display of the official City of Boston flag with the national colors on that historic occasion.

The response was very gratifying considering the short time for preparation and the scarcity of official flags, but even the partial display resulting was one of the truly inspiring features of the celebration, and in 1923 the showing was a splendid one.

It is the earnest desire of the Mayor

that this practice be continued, and that on Boston's birthday, May 1 of each year, the occasion be honored by the flying of national and city flags from every staff in the city to the end that civic pride may be stimulated and fostered by this beautiful municipal symbol, and that each May 1 perpetuated as the beginning of a new civic year, may awaken in our hearts a deeper pride in our birthright, and strengthen the bonds of unity and co-operation between the interests, spiritual, industrial and social which must all strive for the progress and betterment of our municipality.

For the benefit of mercantile establishments which may be able to manufacture the city flag, I am herewith inclosing the specifications approved by the Art Commission, and am sending to all flag and regalia manufacturers and decorators, a copy of this circular letter with the request that they be prepared to furnish all applicants.

May we count on your co-operation, and hope that on each May 1, from now until the great tercentenary celebration in 1930, when the custom will have been irrevocably established, wherever there is a flagstaff or suitable convenience from public buildings and private houses, mercantile establishments, hotels, newspapers, theaters, clubs and all other organizations, there be flown alongside Old Glory, this beautiful emblem of our civic pride and devotion.

Very sincerely yours,

J. PHILIP O'CONNELL,
Director.

ABATEMENT OF ASSESSMENTS.

The Board of Street Commissioners have passed the following orders relative to abatements. These have been approved by the Mayor.

Voted, That in the matter of Julia E. Bradford heirs, petitioners for abatement of assessment of \$50, billed March 27, 1924, for a sewer laid in Belgrade avenue and completed August 23, 1892, the Board of Street Commissioners deeming it just and proper that abatement should be made from said assessment, acting under chapter 359 of the Acts of the year 1896.

Voted, That from so much of said assessment of \$50 to said estate as remains unpaid at this date the sum of \$30.62 be and the same hereby is abated.

Voted, That in the matter of Arthur S. Webster, petitioner for damages on account of takings made by the Board of Street Commissioners on School and Dixwell streets, West Roxbury district, for school purposes, under orders of October 22, 1920, and July 28, 1921, after consultation with the Law Department, and on its advice, the Board assesses the petitioner's damages in the sum of \$11,000 and consents that the Corporation Counsel agree to judgment in said case on the terms herein stated.

Voted, That in the matter of Ellen T. Murray, petitioner for damages on account of taking made by the Board of Street Commissioners on Poplar street, West Roxbury, for school purposes, under the order of the Board of July 24, 1923, after consultation with the Law Department, and on its advice, the Board assesses the petitioner's damages in the sum of \$12,000 flat; and consents that the Corporation Counsel agree to judgment in said case on the terms herein stated.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

The following promotions have been made: William A. O'Connor, construction inspector, from \$1,800 to \$2,000 a year; Michael J. O'Brien, construction inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year; William J. Martin, mechanic, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day; James J. Carney, mechanic, from \$4.25 to \$4.50 a day.

John P. Cosgrove has been appointed as temporary carpenter at \$5 a day for six months.

Bernard J. McLaughlin, David W. Colm and Michael J. Barron, have been appointed to fill vacancies as meter readers at \$1,300 a year.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

William J. Herlihy and William F. Cronin have been employed for a period not to exceed 60 hours, as blueprinters of this department.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Henry J. Jennings has been given an extension of employment as a rodman at \$1,100 a year, for three months.

Frank P. Murphy has been appointed a draughtsman at \$1,400 a year, for a period of three months.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Thomas H. Keenan has been reappointed special police officer for duty incidental to his regular service as foreman.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, April 10:
Daniel Sweeney, assistant engineer, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, April 10:
Joseph Howe, greenkeeper and gardener, 1 day, \$4.66.

Peter Powers, rigger, 2 days, \$10; Thomas Foley, chauffeur, 2 days, \$9; Dennis Daley, chauffeur, 2 days, \$9; Martin Cosgrove, laborer, 2 days, \$8; George Quigley, assistant carpenter, 2 days, \$9; Daniel J. McCarthy, blacksmith, 2 days, \$10; James Dunne, wheelwright, 2 days, \$9.32; John J. Walsh, working foreman, 2 days, \$8.76. Total, \$73.08.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, April 10:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, Edward F. Curley, John J. Desmond, Thomas J. Godvin, Austin Kelly, Bernard McCabe, Henry J. Moylan, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; John Walsh, stone mason, 1 day, \$4.50; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph T. Harrington, Peter Kean, Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

(Public Works Department (Bridge Service)).

For the week ending Monday, April 7:

Draughtsmen.—C. J. Thompson, M. F. Doyle, Jr., 1 day, \$4.93 each; J. J. Sweeney, 5 days, \$24.65.

First Assistant Draughtsmen.—J. F. O'Neil, 1 day, \$4.38; P. W. Cummings, 4 days, \$17.53; D. C. Mahoney, 3 days, \$13.15; J. A. Lynch, 2 days, \$8.77.

Assistant Draughtsmen.—J. Cosgrove, W. J. Lynch, 4 days, \$16.44 each; T. J. Driscoll, 3 days, \$12.33; T. H. Edes, T. F. Kelley, A. J. Sutton, Jr., W. L. Waterman, W. J. Brown, 2 days, \$8.22 each; S. J. Broderick, J. H. Driscoll, E. F. Cotter, J. A. Hayes, C. F. Holmes, P. J. McGonagle, W. F. Hanlon, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Machinist.—P. F. Murphy, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Subforemen.—P. J. Henebury, J. D. O'Brien, 3 days, \$16.50 each.

Carpenters.—F. McConn, J. J. O'Hearn, P. J. O'Toole, J. J. McInnis, J. T. Mahan, J. J. Murphy, 3 days, \$15 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Green, 3 days, \$11.56.

Laborers.—H. M. McLaughlin, 3 days, \$12; J. McManus, 1 day, \$4.

Total, \$351.48.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 7:

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, ½ day, \$1.88.

Net cost for the week ending Monday, April 7, \$1.88.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 7:
Watchman.—James M. Magee, ½ day, \$3.50.

Engineer.—John Mahoney, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Laborers.—Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4; George McCormack, 1½ days, \$5.25; J. McKenna, ¾ day, \$3; James Henneberry, Thomas King, George King, William Jeffers, William McGee, William Carolan, Walter Wenzel, 1½ days, 6 each.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, April 8:

Stablemen.—P. Eagan, W. Magee, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—E. Currie, W. Donovan, M. Duffy, J. Fennessey, M. Fitzpatrick, A. Murphy, A. Andrews, A. Beahn, W. Burke, J. Carroll, D. Collins, D. Donovan, G. F. Drew, B. Faherty, S. Flanagan, S. Flaherty, M. King, R. Lombard, J. Mullin, J. O'Brien, J. Scully, G. Smith, T. Toomey, M. Wallace, D. Walsh, B. Donoghue, W. McCarthy, D. J. Mahoney, L. O'Neil, D. Battino, J. Reilly, T. Shea, J. Stapleton, J. P. Belisle, W. F. Blake, A. W. Blackenburg, M. J. Curley, P. J. McCormick, J. McLaughlin, D. F. Sullivan, P. R. Tully, A. J. Buckeley, L. Cardinal, J. J. Cusack, H. J. Foley, W. J. Keough, E. A. Knight, J. J. Lyons, J. J. McConn, E. F. McCullough, M. McGonagle, W. J. McMackin, G. W. Penson, J. H. Shea, T. J. Tighe, H. J. Vurkant, F. J. Caulfield, J. F. Donoghue, W. E. Leary, A. P. Stinson, J. J. Welch, A. R. Gaffey, P. J. Burke, J. A. Callahan, T. F. Carroll, J. G. Climo, J. J. Corrigan, J. P. Crilley,

J. J. Dolan, J. J. Donelan, E. P. Donnelly, J. C. Donovan, J. Hegarty, J. Herbst, E. A. Keefe, P. C. Lenz, J. J. Madigan, T. J. Maher, J. P. McLaughlin, J. Murphy, J. J. McCabe, J. F. McCormack, E. F. McLaughlin, W. Pickett, J. W. Powers, C. F. Prior, J. F. Regan, J. F. Richardson, W. J. Rogers, P. P. Walsh, E. F. Wehle, M. Gilmore, J. P. Callahan, J. T. Connors, E. J. Gavaghan, P. R. Manning, J. H. Reardon, P. J. O'Rourke, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. Darrich, J. Dwyer, P. Fisher, E. Kelley, W. Mahoney, P. McLaughlin, J. Ryan, T. Whalen, D. J. Murphy, W. McHale, E. Roach, J. Slattery, J. P. Geary, J. Ballam, J. B. Carr, A. P. Charbonnier, E. Davis, J. W. DeRocher, O. Doherty, E. T. Duffy, H. T. Furey, J. J. Hegarty, S. Hegarty, B. F. Lyons, J. McGrath, J. F. Nagle, P. W. Sheehan, J. F. Sweeney, J. J. McLaughlin, J. J. Hurley, H. Applebaum, 2½ days, \$9 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—C. Sweeney, M. Lapsley, 1½ days, \$5 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—F. L. Perkins, D. A. Byrnes, M. J. Cremin, F. H. Donahue, T. F. Driscoll, S. F. Melia, P. J. Nee, M. O'Brien, W. E. Shallow, J. P. Sweeney, M. Tierney, ¾ day, \$3 each.

Feeder.—J. Canney, 1 day, \$4.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. T. Lally, J. P. A. Callahan, W. A. Crawford, D. J. Dalton, T. Dwyer, E. A. Kehoe, P. J. McLaughlin, ½ day, \$1 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—M. S. Ryan, T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4 each.

Laborer-Teamster.—J. F. Maloney, 3 days, \$12.

Carpenter.—W. C. Hughes, 2 days, \$10.

Blacksmith.—W. J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$5.

Blacksmith.—M. F. Sullivan, 3 days, \$15.

Blacksmith's Assistants.—P. J. Brickley, C. J. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$6.38 each.

Feeder.—W. Cassell, ¾ day, \$3.19.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stableman.—J. Sullivan, ¾ day, \$3.50.

Laborers-Teamsters.—D. J. Bowen, H. A. Devlin, F. S. O'Brien, J. J. Costello, B. B. Donnelly, 2½ days, \$9.50 each.

Teamsters.—M. J. Coakley, J. J. Fleming, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Laborer-Teamster.—T. W. Dargin, ¾ day, \$3.50.

Laborer-Teamster.—J. J. Dowdall, 3 days, \$12.

Laborer-Teamster.—J. J. Hayes, 1½ days, \$5.50.

Teamster.—J. J. Landrigan, 1½ days at \$5 and 1½ days at \$4, \$14.75.

Laborer-Teamster.—A. E. Jose, 1½ days, \$7.

Laborers-Teamsters.—M. Cronin, J. McGaffigan, F. Ruggerio, D. Shea, E. J. Tighe, ½ day, \$2 each.

Total, \$1,129.95.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, April 8:
Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 3½ days, \$14.63 each; James Clancy, 2½ days, \$12.38; Michael Foley, 1½ days, \$6.25; John Driscoll, 1 day, \$4.50.

Laborers.—Cornelius Sullivan, 3½ days, \$13; Stephen Connolly, 3 days, \$12; Peter Keenan, James McNabb, 2½ days, \$11 each; Patrick Fitzgerald, Louis Brunetto, James Splaine, 1½ days, \$6 each; Dennis Collins, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4 each.

Firemen.—Patrick Griffin, Patrick Curley, 1½ days, \$8.25 each.

Total, \$142.39.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 7:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, P. Connolly, J. D. Ferguson, M. Joyce, J. Lally, J. F. O'Toole, J. J. Shea, C. J. Crowley, J. L. Gould, H. J. Kane, C. McConagle, F. H. McMackin, J. F. Brady, B. G. Doherty, J. Godvin, J. Golden, W. Hinchey, J. J. Jones, M. Lally, G. W. McCorkle, W. Marshall, B. J. Manning, P. Meyers, P. F. Murray, P. J. Nolan, M. A. Page, M. J. Reagan, J. J. Schoen, C. J. Sullivan, D. J. Collins, C. F. Conlon, E. Noonan, J. J. Edwards, E. L. Fitzgerald, B. C. Harkins, J. Hart, J. Patterson, C. F. Pike, J. J. Rogers, J. Scannell, J. J. Sweeney, S. Sawyer, R. J. Burchell, J. J. Cotter, F. G. Donahue, C. F. McCarthy, J. J. O'Neill, L. B. Shanney, C. J. Sweeney, J. McMenimen, R. J. Elvert, J. J. Gilligan, E. K. Kelley, J. McDonough, G. Marcantino, R. DeCillio, T. S. Iverson, C. D. Murray, J. A. Reddington, J. J. Curtin, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Teamsters.—R. Barrett, R. Coughlin, J. Dahill, T. Dahill, W. A. Doherty, E. P. Keller, P. McDonough, J. J. Moyihan, P. L. Moyinhan, M. J. O'Brien, J. H. Lane, J. Zuccola, L. Gaeta, T. J. Whalen, T. Conway, L. Divita, J. Z. Lamothe, L. Paglia, M. F. Shea, D. P. Stack, F. J. Travis, M. Levine, J. L. Hanley, J. Bowen, A. P. Brown, R. Dennehy, H. J. Donigan, J. T. Fee, T. F. Hession, P. McKeon, W. Milliken, E. H. Monahan, J. H. Nolan, J. H. Robishaw, C. Buckley, J. N. Butler, P. F. Cahill, J. J. Conroy, F. M. Dysart, J. Lane, G. F. Linsky, G. F. Moran, L. J. O'Neill, E. J. Orann, J. J. Ryan, T. C. Ryan, C. A. Swanson, T. J. Noonan, P. F. Williams, F. H. Toohey, P. F. Mazzetti, L. Kelloran, 2½ days, \$9 each.

Teamsters.—W. Cosgrove, J. Hennessey, P. F. Mulkern, 1½ days, \$5.25 each.

Teamsters.—M. Fitzpatrick, T. McCarthy, J. J. Ryan, F. Shalley, 2 days, \$8 each.

Teamsters.—M. O'Connell, H. S. Lawrence, T. Ormand, M. Barry, B. Callahan, H. Conroy, J. F. Cosgrove, F. Diaz, R. F. Doherty, J. Donovan, J. Egan, W. J. Foley, D. Hamilton, J. H. Jeffery, J. Kennedy, G. Meola, E. J. Murphy, A. Pourier, P. Quigley, J. Riley, R. T. Wills, J. W. Sheehan, E. Skane, E. Cummings, 2½ days, \$11 each.

Teamsters.—R. Mulcahy, T. Graham, J. Glancy, J. W. Collins, P. Creamer, F. R. Deacon, D. C. Doherty, M. F. Doherty, D. McCarthy, J. D. O'Brien, J. T. O'Leary, E. White, J. L. Kilmurray, W. J. Rose, D. F. Keating, J. P. O'Rourke, J. F. Eaton, J. F. Fallon, ½ day, \$3 each.

Teamsters.—H. J. Gallagher, J. J. Lombard, J. Holland, R. C. Burke, C. Noon, J. J. Carroll, P. L. Sullivan, M. Clougherty, A. P. McArdle, J. Considine, R. M. Jennings, 3 days, \$12 each.

Teamsters.—M. Kennedy, 2½ days, \$10.

Teamsters.—J. Monahan, J. F. Brown, G. H. Corcoran, J. J. Daley, P. F. Joyce, J. J. Kramer, T. McClutchee, W. McGlynn, J. J. McGarry, J. J. McNiff, B. Maraghy, W. H. Mahoney, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—M. Cashman, D. Minihan, J. Wark, M. Allen, 4½ days, \$18 each.

Teamsters.—G. Campo, D. Conlon, F. Corvino, P. Costello, M. Donlin, E. Grant, W. Haugh, T. S. Kilroy, R. Marsey, T. J. Maston, P. P. McGinley, D. Partinello, M. Walsh, R. Della Russo, J. F. Doherty, J. Donahue, F. Di Mat-

teo, J. J. Meyers, J. Piscitelli, E. T. Riley, J. White, 2½ days, \$10.50 each.

Teamsters.—M. Cardello, N. Cesso, L. Pace, J. Schipani, 3½ days, \$13.50 each.

Teamsters.—M. H. Gordon, H. Riley, J. J. Clancy, 3½ days, \$14.50 each.

Teamsters.—L. Pace, J. Schipani, 3½ days, \$13.50 each.

Teamsters.—B. Glynn, P. Canny, C. Hart, P. Moran, J. B. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—J. J. Shea, 1 day, \$4.25.

Feeder.—P. Sweney, 2 days, \$8.50.

Feeder.—L. McGahan, 4½ days, \$20.72.

Chauffeur.—T. McDonald, 3½ days, \$19.69.

Chauffeur.—T. Murphy, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Chauffeurs.—M. Givonella, T. Murphy, N. Schaaf, 1½ days, \$6.75 each.

Total, \$1,903.16.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 7:

Chauffeurs.—F. Bonang, J. Broderick, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. White, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Emergency men.—W. Lonergan, W. Rice, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4 each; M. Carney, 1 day, \$4.50; T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25.

Repairers.—P. Lynch, F. Ware, 3½ days, \$13.55 each; R. Doyle, C. Driscoll, 3½ days, \$15.94 each; J. Dolan, 1½ days, \$6.38; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$8.32; S. Mariani, ½ day, \$1.27; J. Carmody, 1½ days, \$5.16; J. Ryan, ½ day, \$0.94; T. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$7.50; R. Kelley, ½ day, \$1.20; T. Byrnes, ½ day, \$3.56; A. McDougall, ½ day, \$3.19; J. Blessington, ½ day, \$1.69; T. Joyce, ½ day, \$1.50; F. Schena, ½ day, \$1.78; J. Cummings, 1½ days, \$6.56; M. Matthews, 1½ days, \$5.91; M. Burke, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Coleman, 1½ days, \$6.38.

Laborers.—S. LoPilato, M. J. Connolly, H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4 each; M. Connolly, T. Keenan, 1½ days, \$6 each; J. Feeley, ½ day, \$0.75; J. Durand, ½ day, \$1.13.

Total, \$200.15; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$4.75; paid by Transit Department, \$16.47; net total, \$178.93.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed to amend their contract for the erection and completion of an elementary school in the Robert G. Shaw District, Church and Centre streets, West Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "November 21, 1922, on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefore the words and figures, "February 6, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 12 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about August 21, 1922, and is to be completed on or before February 6, 1924."

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed to amend their contract for the erection and completion of an elementary school in the Washington Allston District, Armington street and Webster place, Brighton, by striking out the words and figures, "May 1, 1923," on page 23, Section 3, and substituting therefore the words and figures, "February 6, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 23, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about May 1, 1922, and is to be completed on or before February 6, 1924."

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 7 the Mayor approved a contract with the Independent Rendering Company for the purchase of trimmings, bones, grease and suets. Bids, opened at the hospital on March 25, were as follows:

Independent Rendering Company.—Suet, 5 cents per pound; grease, 3 cents per pound; trimmings, 2½ cents per pound; bones, 1 cent per pound.

Kenney Manufacturing Corporation.—Suet, 4 cents per pound; trimmings, 2 cents per pound; grease, 2½ cents per pound; bones, 75 cents per hundred-weight.

Atlantic Products Company.—Suet, 3½ cents per pound; trimmings, 1½ cents per pound; grease, 2 cents per pound; bones, .75 cent per pound.

Richard Ryan.—Suet, 4 cents per pound; trimmings, 2 cents per pound; grease, 2 cents per pound; bones, .75 cent per pound.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon April 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the Highland Construction Company for recut granite block pavement in Ruggles street, from Tremont street to Parker street, and Whittier street, from Columbus avenue to Ruggles street, Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened April 1, were as follows:

Highland Contracting Company, \$26,589; John McCourt Company, \$27,274.40; B. E. Grant Company, \$28,733.10; John W. O'Connell, \$28,840.35; M. F. Gaddis, \$29,728.30; M. H. Loonie, \$31,050.40; William J. Barry, \$31,686.25; C. W. Dolloff & Co., \$31,845.65; J. A. Singarella, \$32,339.55; V. Grande, \$32,392.10; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$33,084.90; S. J. Tomasello, \$34,204.70.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 10 the Mayor approved a contract with the Western Electric Company for furnishing and delivering battery material and other electrical supplies for departmental use. Bids for the supplies, opened April 4, were as follows:

Western Electric Company, Inc., \$9,073.95; Wetmore-Savage Company, \$9,985.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the bidders in various districts for furnishing crushed stone, screenings, pea stone and dust. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

"Permission is respectfully requested to award the contracts to the lowest bidders in the following districts: East Boston, Roxbury, Hyde Park, Charlestown and city proper No. 8. Cases of tie bids in city proper No. 10 and Dorchester and Ashmont have been awarded according to lot. I respectfully recommend that the following districts: South Boston, Brighton and West Roxbury be awarded to the second lowest bidder on account of the fact that the Standard Contracting Company are the low bidders in these districts and have been awarded two districts, which I feel is as

much as any one contractor can satisfactorily handle. I think the best interests of the city will be served by awarding these contracts as recommended.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Bids for the supplies, opened March 19, were as follows:

South Boston.—William J. Barry, \$2.45 per ton; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$2.45 per ton*; West Roxbury Trap Rock Company, \$2.70 per ton; Rowe Contracting Company, \$2.75 per ton; Standard Contracting Company, \$2.40 per ton; New England Crushed Stone Company, \$2.70 per ton.

East Boston.—Coleman Brothers, Inc., \$2.50 per ton; Rowe Contracting Company, \$1.80 per ton*; Standard Contracting Company, \$2.75 per ton.

Charlestown.—Coleman Brothers, Inc., \$2.40 per ton*; Rowe Contracting Company, \$2.70 per ton; Standard Contracting Company, \$2.75 per ton.

Brighton.—J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$3 per ton; West Roxbury Trap Rock Company, \$2.80 per ton; Beatty Construction Company, \$2.65 per ton*; Rowe Contracting Company, \$2.75 per ton; Standard Contracting Company, \$2.30 per ton; New England Crushed Stone Company, \$2.70 per ton.

West Roxbury.—William J. Barry, \$2.25 per ton; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$3 per ton; West Roxbury Trap Rock Company, \$2.30 per ton; Rowe Contracting Company, \$2.50 per ton; Standard Contracting Company, \$1.88 per ton; New England Crushed Stone Company, \$2.25 per ton*.

Dorchester and Ashmont.—William J. Barry, \$2.25 per ton*; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$3 per ton; West Roxbury Trap Rock Company, \$2.45 per ton; Rowe Contracting Company, \$2.60 per ton; Standard Contracting Company, \$2.25 per ton; New England Crushed Stone Company, \$2.55 per ton.

Roxbury.—William J. Barry, \$2.25 per ton; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$2.45 per ton; West Roxbury Trap Rock Company, \$2.80 per ton; B. E. Grant Company, \$2.45 per ton; Rowe Contracting Company, \$2.90 per ton; Standard Contracting Company, \$1.88 per ton*; New England Crushed Stone Company, \$2.75 per ton.

District No. 8, City Proper.—William J. Barry, \$2.45 per ton; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$2.25 per ton*; B. E. Grant Company, \$2.55 per ton; Rowe Contracting Company, \$2.30 per ton; Standard Contracting Company, \$2.30 per ton; New England Crushed Stone Company, \$2.40 per ton.

District No. 10, City Proper.—Coleman Brothers, Inc., \$2.50 per ton*; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$2.85 per ton; Rowe Contracting Company, \$2.65 per ton; Standard Contracting Company, \$2.50 per ton; New England Crushed Stone Company, \$2.60 per ton.

Hyde Park.—William J. Barry, \$2.25 per ton; West Roxbury Trap Rock Company, \$2.30 per ton; Rowe Contracting Company, \$2.40 per ton; Standard Contracting Company, \$1.90 per ton*; New England Crushed Stone Company, \$2.45 per ton.

Discount Ten Days.—Standard Contracting Company, 1 per cent.

* Awarded contracts.

Upon April 7 the Mayor approved a contract with the lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing bank gravel and sand to the various districts of the City of Boston. Bids for the supplies, opened March 19, were as follows:

South Boston.—Massachusetts Sand and Gravel Company, \$1.75 per ton; sand, \$1.54 per ton. M. Doyle & Co., Inc., gravel, \$1.75 per ton; sand, \$1.75 per ton. Highland Contracting Company, gravel, \$2 per ton; sand, \$2.50 per ton. D. M. Biggs & Co., gravel, \$1.49 per ton*; sand, \$1.69 per ton*. A. DeStephano Company, gravel, \$2.25 per ton; sand, \$1.45 per ton. Garrett J. O'Riordan, gravel, \$1.70 per ton; sand, \$1.70 per ton. George H. Noone, gravel, \$1.97 per ton; sand, \$1.97 per ton.

East Boston.—M. Doyle & Co., Inc., gravel, \$2 per ton; sand, \$2 per ton. Highland Contracting Company, gravel, \$2.50 per ton; sand, \$2.50 per ton. D. M. Biggs & Co., gravel, \$2.25 per ton; sand, \$2.50 per ton. A. DeStephano Company, gravel, \$2 per ton; sand, \$1.50 per ton*. George H. Noone, gravel, \$2.25 per ton; sand, \$2.25 per ton.

Charlestown.—M. Doyle & Co., Inc., gravel, \$2 per ton; sand, \$2 per ton. Highland Contracting Company, gravel, \$2 per ton; sand, \$2 per ton. D. M. Biggs & Co., gravel, \$2 per ton; sand, \$2.35 per ton. A. DeStephano Company, gravel, \$2.25 per ton; sand, \$1.50 per ton. Garrett J. O'Riordan, gravel, \$1.70 per ton*; sand, \$1.70 per ton*. George H. Noone, gravel, \$2.25 per ton; sand, \$2.25 per ton.

Brighton.—Massachusetts Sand and Gravel Company, gravel, \$1.60 per ton; sand, \$1.30 per ton. M. Doyle & Co., Inc., gravel, \$1.60 per ton; sand, \$1.60 per ton. Highland Contracting Company, gravel, \$1.90 per ton; sand, \$1.90 per ton. D. M. Biggs & Co., gravel, \$2 per ton; sand, \$2.25 per ton. J. H. McNamara, Inc., gravel, \$1.90 per ton; sand, \$1.35 per ton. A. DeStephano Company, gravel, \$2.50 per ton; sand, \$1.75 per ton. George H. Noone, gravel, \$1.44 per ton*; sand, \$1.44 per ton*.

West Roxbury.—Massachusetts Sand and Gravel Company, gravel, \$1.70 per ton; sand, \$1.36 per ton. M. Doyle & Co., Inc., gravel, \$1.39 per ton; sand, \$1.39 per ton. Highland Contracting Company, gravel, \$1.60 per ton; sand, \$1.70 per ton. D. M. Biggs & Co., gravel, \$1.59 per ton; sand, \$1.68 per ton. John J. Moore, gravel, \$1.30 per ton*; sand, \$1.30 per ton*. A. DeStephano Company, gravel, \$2.25 per ton; sand, \$1.60 per ton. George H. Noone, gravel, \$1.40 per ton; sand, \$1.40 per ton.

Ashmont and Dorchester.—Massachusetts Sand and Gravel Company, gravel, \$1.75 per ton; sand, \$1.54 per ton. M. Doyle & Co., Inc., gravel, \$1.60 per ton; sand, \$1.60 per ton. Highland Contracting Company, gravel, \$2.20 per ton; sand, \$2.35 per ton. D. M. Biggs & Co., gravel, \$1.40 per ton*; sand, \$1.65 per ton*. A. DeStephano Company, gravel, \$2.25 per ton; sand, \$1.80 per ton. George H. Noone, gravel, \$1.67 per ton; sand, \$1.67 per ton.

Roxbury.—Massachusetts Sand and Gravel Company, gravel, \$1.70 per ton; sand, \$1.50 per ton. M. Doyle & Co., Inc., gravel, \$1.39 per ton; sand, \$1.39 per ton. Highland Contracting Company, gravel, \$1.60 per ton; sand, \$1.60 per ton. D. M. Biggs & Co., gravel,

* Awarded contracts.

\$1.40 per ton; sand, \$1.65 per ton. John J. Moore, gravel, \$1.30 per ton*; sand, \$1.30 per ton*. A. DeStephano Company, gravel, \$2.25 per ton; sand, \$1.70 per ton. George H. Noone, gravel, \$1.43 per ton; sand, \$1.43 per ton.

District No. 8, City Proper.—Massachusetts Sand and Gravel Company, gravel, \$1.70 per ton; sand, \$1.54 per ton. M. Doyle & Co., Inc., gravel, \$1.39 per ton*; sand, \$1.39 per ton*. Highland Contracting Company, gravel, \$1.45 per ton; sand, \$1.45 per ton. D. M. Biggs & Co., gravel, \$1.49 per ton; sand, \$1.69 per ton. A. DeStephano Company, gravel, \$2.25 per ton; sand, \$1.50 per ton. George H. Noone, gravel, \$1.85 per ton; sand, \$1.85 per ton.

District No. 10, City Proper.—Massachusetts Sand and Gravel Company, gravel, \$1.70 per ton; sand, \$1.54 per ton. M. Doyle & Co., Inc., gravel, \$1.39 per ton*; sand, \$1.39 per ton*. Highland Contracting Company, gravel, \$1.80 per ton; sand, \$1.65 per ton. D. M. Biggs & Co., gravel, \$1.75 per ton; sand, \$2 per ton. A. DeStephano Company, gravel, \$2 per ton; sand, \$1.60 per ton. Garrett J. O'Riordan, gravel, \$1.54 per ton; sand, \$1.54 per ton. George H. Noone, gravel, \$1.80 per ton; sand, \$1.80 per ton.

Hyde Park.—Massachusetts Sand and Gravel Company, gravel, \$1.75 per ton*; sand, \$1.54 per ton*. M. Doyle & Co., Inc., gravel, \$2 per ton; sand, \$2 per ton. Highland Contracting Company, gravel, \$2.50 per ton; sand, \$2.50 per ton. D. M. Biggs & Co., gravel, \$1.59 per ton; sand, \$1.79 per ton. George H. Noone, gravel, \$1.98 per ton; sand, \$1.98 per ton.

*Contract awarded.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 1 the Mayor approved a contract with the Premier Potter Printing Press Company for two new presses. A communication from William J. Casey of the Printing Department was as follows:

BOSTON, March 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Your Honor's permission and approval is respectfully requested to award, without advertising, a contract to the Premier Potter Printing Press Company, Inc., for two new Premier printing presses at a cost of \$5,300 each, a total of \$10,600, and to take in exchange two old Premier presses and allow therefor \$1,800 each, making the net transaction to the city \$7,000.

The Premier Potter Printing Press Company, Inc., are the manufacturers and sole selling agents of these presses.

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM J. CASEY,
Superintendent.

Upon April 1 the Mayor approved a contract with the Lanston Monotype Machine Company for eleven rebuilt, Style D keyboards and two Duplex keyboards. A communication from William J. Casey of the Printing Department was as follows:

Boston, March 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Your Honor's permission and approval is respectfully requested to award, without advertising, a contract to the Lanston Monotype Machine Company for furnishing: eleven rebuilt, Style D keyboards at \$876.50 each, \$9,641.50; two Duplex keyboards at \$1,156 each, \$2,312. Total, \$11,953.50.

The Monotype Company agrees to take in exchange eleven old Style D keyboards, and allow therefor the sum of \$426.50 each, \$4,691.50; two Duplex keyboards and allow therefor \$556 each, \$1,112—\$5,803.50. Cost of new machines, \$11,953.50; freight and hauling, \$160—\$12,113.50; allowance for old machines, \$5,803.50; making net cost of the transaction to the city, \$6,310.

The Lanston Monotype Machine Company are the manufacturers and sole selling agents of this machine.

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM J. CASEY,
Superintendent.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Upon April 7 the Mayor approved a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, April 5, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Fred T. Ley, Inc., 230 Boylston street, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; and also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PARK DEPARTMENT.

P. F. Russo, Inc., has been ordered to do the following additional work on contract for new piping for salt water system at the Aquarium, Marine Park, South Boston, signed March 18, 1924:

Furnish, place and connect two steam coils in easterly roof tank of 12-inch inside diameter, 4 per cent antimony lead weighing 6 pounds per linear foot, containing 10 linear feet in each coil. Connect coils with existing steam and return lines. For furnishing, placing and connecting these steam coils the sum of \$288 will be added to contract price.

Relocate new pump in pump room to new location designated by the Park Department, provide air cushion and sand trap on new 4-inch suction line in tunnel, all to be satisfactory to the department. For all additional work necessary in order to relocate the new pump, provide air cushion and sand trap the sum of \$135 will be added to contract price.

Furnish and install complete on new 4-inch pipe line three free-flow lead valves instead of two special bronze valves as called for in the contract. For the changing of the number and type of valves on the 4-inch line the sum of \$20 will be added to contract price.

Furnish, install and connect the three other pipes from reservoir, not called for in the contract to be replaced, to 12 feet outside of the reservoir wall, to be of 4-inch, 8 per cent antimony lead of the same weight per foot as called for in the contract. Make all connections with existing lead-lined pipes 7 feet outside reservoir wall. All joints where pipe breaks through concrete wall of reservoir to be made water-tight and rust-proof. For furnishing, installing and connecting three new 4-inch pipes at reservoir wall the sum of \$791 will be added to contract price.

Remove the lead-lined pipe from the pumps in pump room to the roof tanks and furnish and connect complete new pipe line of 8 per cent antimony lead. All new pipe is to be of the same size as the pipe removed and is to be of the same weight per foot and have the same wall thickness as specified in the contract. All new pipe is to be jointed and have flanges as specified in the general conditions for new piping of the contract. The new pipe is to be supported and hung as specified in the contract for other new piping. Furnish and install complete two 3-inch free-flow gate valves where directed by the department. All the old lead-lined pipe removed under all work done under this contract is to be the property of the contractor, to dispose of as he sees fit. For all new pipe furnished and installed complete with incidental work connected with same, from the pumps to the roof tanks, the sum of \$880 will be added to contract price.

Summary of Additions.—Steam coils, easterly roof tanks, \$288; relocating pump, etc., \$135; three 4-inch lead valves instead of two 4-inch bronze valves, \$20; three 4-inch pipes at reservoir, etc., \$791; new lead piping from pumps to heating tanks at roof, \$880; total, \$2,114.

Contract price, \$4,645; addition as per this order, \$2,114; contract as standing, \$6,759.

ROUND-THE-WORLD FLYERS TO MAKE BOSTON IN SEPTEMBER.

His Honor the Mayor received the following communication Monday, April 7:

SAND POINT FIELD,

SEATTLE, WASH., March 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

HONORABLE SIR,—All members of the "Around-the-World Flight" are very proud to have one of the ships of this flight bear the name of "Boston." It is only befitting that the city which has demonstrated so much interest in aviation should have this distinction.

It is our endeavor to be present with Lieutenant Wade, pilot of the great ship "Boston" when we make that port of call in September, permitting the people of Boston to see, for the first time, her namesake, after having successfully completed the voyage around the world by air.

Very sincerely,

F. L. MARTIN,
Commander, Around-the-World Flight.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Bay State Dredging and Contracting Company have been granted an extension of the time of performance of the contract for dredging dock and repairing wharf of Engine 31 from March 28, 1924, to April 5, 1924.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, the following claim:

Sarah M. Crosby, 6 and 8 Adams terrace, Dorchester, in the sum of \$159.58, as compensation for expense incurred on account of incorrect lien certificates, 1922.

CLAIMS DISAPPROVED.

The Law Department has this day disapproved thirty-three claims against the city, aggregating \$5,990.05, and they are classified as follows:

Against the Fire Department, six, amounting to \$806.55; against the Park Department, two, amounting to \$67.25; against the Public Works Department, twenty-five, amounting to \$5,066.25; against the Schoolhouse Department, one, amounting to \$50.

WATER DIVISION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Miles of supply and distributing mains, 885.71 on February 1, 1923; number of services in use, 101,731, of which about 75 per cent were metered; fire hydrants 9,886; public drinking fountains, 150, of which 117 are bubble fountains.

Total receipts for year 1922, \$3,791,948 or \$318,889 more than in 1921. Total expenditures \$3,174,367 or \$109,958 less than in 1921. Current expenses and extension of mains, \$1,355,660 or \$122,313 more than in 1921; interest on water debt, \$34,449; Metropolitan water assessment for 1922, \$1,784,257 or \$174,271 less than in 1921. Metropolitan Water Works owned by State and costing since inception in 1895, \$43,761,870, supply 18 cities and towns of Metropolitan District (including Boston), the distribution pipe line being 131.18 miles in length. In the year 1922, total supply furnished, 43,532,488,000 gallons or about 94 gallons per capita daily. Total in the 10 storage reservoirs on January 1, 1923, 70,795,200,000 gallons; total capacity of same, 80,680,100,000 gallons. Of all used, about 80 per cent comes from Wachusett reservoir, an artificial lake of 4,135 acres surface area, situated in the Worcester County towns of Clinton and Boylston, about 37 miles west of Boston at an elevation of 395 feet (i. e., high-water mark) above Boston "City Base" and added to the Metropolitan System in 1905. There are also 12 distribution reservoirs with capacity of 2,400,680,000 gallons and five pumping stations in which 30,471,400,000 gallons of water were pumped during the year 1922. Daily average amount of water used in Boston during 1922, 85,871,000 gallons (262,000 gallons more daily than in 1921) or 103 gallons per capita. Net water debt (i. e., for Hyde Park Water Works), February 1, 1923, \$282,000 or \$16,000 less than in 1922. Cochuatate debt, \$355,350, covered by sinking fund.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 3 TO APRIL 9.

APRIL 3.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
John A. Costello.....	14 and 16 Greenwood avenue	24	New fixtures.....	\$875
Denis Grady.....	468 Massachusetts avenue...	7	New fixtures.....	225
D. J. Nolan.....	1 Staniford street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
John Y. Gillespie.....	38 Vineland street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
John C. Kelly.....	68 Warrenton street.....	8	New fixtures.....	800
William E. Maynard.....	13 Yarmouth street.....	7	New fixtures.....	700
Thomas J. Hennigan.....	18 Chestnut street.....	4	New fixtures.....	175
Richard P. Slattery Company.	20 Ash street.....	5	New fixtures.....	350

APRIL 4.

Vincent A. Bolger.....	83 Bearse avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$300
William Dustan.....	1 and 3 Oakland street.....	15	New fixtures.....	200
M. C. Grant.....	176 Seaver street.....	16	New fixtures.....	75
Wilford H. Gray.....	93 Maxwell street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,050
J. M. Nihen.....	9 Prentiss street.....	13	New fixtures.....	650
Charles M. Johnston.....	444 Chelsea street.....	1	New fixtures.....	840
Thomas F. Hurley.....	1138 Columbus avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	1,500
J. A. Finley.....	24 Denton road.....	25	New fixtures.....	300
H. L. Scotton.....	340 Faneuil street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,250
M. S. Pann.....	60½ Moulton street.....	4	New fixtures.....	600
Samuel Bowie.....	6 Drake place.....	2	New fixtures.....	200
Joseph P. Vogel & Son.....	134 St. Botolph street.....	7	New fixtures.....	250
H. C. Greenlaw.....	238 St. Botolph street.....	7	New fixtures.....	320
John F. Buerkel.....	99 Sumner street.....	2	New fixtures.....	650
G. M. Duggan.....	465 Talbot avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	200
D. B. Marston.....	2 Thatcher street.....	24	New fixtures.....	135
H. C. Greenlaw.....	30 Union park.....	6	New fixtures.....	100
Harry F. Nation.....	163-177 Allston street.....	25	New fixtures.....	950
A. Smith & Co.....	77 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	350
M. B. Gradone & Co.....	5 Drake place.....	2	New fixtures.....	300
H. E. Campbell.....	69 Sawyer street.....	13	New fixtures.....	525
William Dustan.....	44 Cedar street.....	15	New fixtures.....	85
M. S. Pann.....	60 Moulton street.....	4	New fixtures.....	600

APRIL 5.

F. H. Densmore.....	24 Algonquin street.....	19	New fixtures.....	\$1,097
M. H. Myers.....	49 Bennet street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,000
Abraham Katz.....	1049 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	400
T. F. Ward.....	663 Centre street.....	22	New fixtures.....	100
P. G. Finnerty.....	371 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
Frank E. Hannigan.....	69 Lenoxdale avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,400
D. B. Donovan.....	3 Lyndeboro place.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
O. J. Morlock.....	99 Poplar street.....	23	New fixtures.....	400
T. B. McKeagney.....	18 Shawmut street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,200
C. G. Stellberger.....	27 Tyndale street.....	23	New fixtures.....	50
H. C. Greenlaw.....	2619 Washington street.....	13	New fixtures.....	125
A. J. Cooper & Son Company.....	4 Prospect avenue.....	4	New fixtures.....	90

APRIL 7.

Louis Monto.....	35 Sheafe street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$90
David B. Armstrong.....	28 Hawley street.....	5	New fixtures.....	25
W. S. Emerson.....	255 Hanover street.....	5	New fixtures.....	750
Philip Ligums.....	98 Gladstone street.....	1	New fixtures.....	400
M. S. Fratus.....	31 Ferry street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
M. B. Gradone Company.....	1 Cedar square.....	13	New fixtures.....	450
T. B. McKeagney.....	370 Albany street.....	6	New fixtures.....	250
John I. Henderson.....	14 Brahms street.....	23	New fixtures.....	950

APRIL 8.

Edward H. Marchant.....	423-429 Washington street..	5	New fixtures.....	\$4,000
John J. O'Toole.....	58 Metropolitan avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	900
Victor Feinberg.....	10 Ivy street.....	8	New fixtures.....	10,000
Victor Feinberg.....	14 Ivy street.....	8	New fixtures.....	7,000
Victor Feinberg.....	18 Ivy street.....	8	New fixtures.....	10,000
Dick Pagington.....	35 Fairmount avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	150
Louis Monto.....	206 Everett street.....	2	New fixtures.....	750
Louis Monto.....	210 Everett street.....	2	New fixtures.....	750
Dick Pagington.....	16 Everett street.....	24	New fixtures.....	400
W. G. Cornell Company.....	75 North Beacon street.....	26	New fixtures.....	8,500
A. I. Russell.....	54 Faneuil street.....	26	New fixtures.....	300

APRIL 9.

Michael N. Boles.....	27 Woodlawn street.....	22	New fixtures.....	\$350
Bernard T. Clancy.....	570 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	190
William B. Ryan.....	37 Warren avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	350
F. D. McCarthy.....	34 Turner street.....	26	New fixtures.....	900
John J. Vogel.....	76 Montclair avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	490
Charles G. Stellberger.....	314 Longwood avenue.....	14	New fixtures.....	725
A. F. Aiken.....	127 Francis street.....	14	New fixtures.....	800
M. J. Finnegan.....	1227 Commonwealth avenue	25	New fixtures.....	150
A. E. Scrivens.....	67 Cohasset street.....	23	New fixtures.....	400
Frank C. Goldberg.....	50 Brighton avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	25
Thomas C. Kelly.....	132 Beech street.....	23	New fixtures.....	700
D. J. Farrell.....	16 Savin street.....	16	New fixtures.....	200
John C. Patterson.....	21 Chelsea street.....	2	New fixtures.....	350

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 503.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Francis J. Riordan of Division 12, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Francis J. Riordan be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 504.

The resignation of Patrolman Charles E. McNally of Division 7 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Thursday, April 3, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 505.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman James R. Small of Division 16, charging him with failure to report change of residence and conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman James R. Small was on April 1, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on April 1, 1924, to the said James R. Small.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 506.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, Rooney and Mason having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Anthony W. Kahler of Division 3, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Anthony W. Kahler was, on March 14, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on March 14, 1924, to the said Anthony W. Kahler.

On the seventeenth day of March, 1924, the said Anthony W. Kahler requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Thursday, March 27, 1924, at eleven o'clock a. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Anthony W. Kahler.

The said Anthony W. Kahler was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses, said case being continued for completion to Friday, April 4, 1924, at the same time and place, said Anthony W. Kahler being again present with counsel and heard

with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said Anthony W. Kahler guilty as charged, and further finds that the said Anthony W. Kahler shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 507.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Patrick J. Ryan of Division 17, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Patrick J. Ryan was, on March 19, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on March 19, 1924, to the said Patrick J. Ryan.

On the twenty-second day of March, 1924, the said Patrick J. Ryan requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Monday, March 31, 1924, at three o'clock p. m., continued to Thursday, April 3, 1924, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Patrick J. Ryan.

The said Patrick J. Ryan was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said Patrick J. Ryan guilty as charged, and further finds that the said Patrick J. Ryan shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 508.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Harold W. Peterson of Division 17, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Harold W. Peterson was, on March 19, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on March 19, 1924, to the said Harold W. Peterson.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 509.

The resignation of Patrolman Walter L. Leonard of Division 1 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Tuesday, April 8, 1924, at 7:45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 3 TO APRIL 9.

APRIL 3.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Smolensky.....	Rear of 244 Quincy street..	17	First-class garage.....	\$1,300
John Gudonis.....	1 Hamlin street.....	10	First-class garage.....	1,200
Thomas Reynolds.....	Rear of 12 Sunnyside street..	14	First-class garage.....	1,200
A. M. Butler.....	Rear of 198 Park street.....	23	First-class garage.....	900
Joseph LeClere.....	136 Roslindale avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Joseph LeClere.....	134 Roslindale avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Thomas J. Bagley.....	17 Cudfin street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Annie Martell.....	17 Waldemar avenue.....	1	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
John J. Holland.....	73 Baker street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
William H. Hardy.....	14 Verdun street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
Morris Silverman.....	55 Spencer street.....	19	Alterations, tenements.....	850
Jessie Todd.....	22 and 24 Munroe street....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	600
John Waters.....	81 and 83 Tower street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
John A. Sullivan.....	49 Holbrook street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Badger Realty and Power Trust.	65 Wareham street.....	6	Alterations, factory.....	5,000
Gabriel Goldberg.....	1047 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Alterations, store and dwelling.....	800
John Carbone.....	26 Kittredge street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Dorothy Schwartz.....	Rear of 724 Morton street..	21	Take-down, stable.....	100

APRIL 4.

William C. Hankey.....	Rear of 1 Burr street.....	22	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
George D. Wellington.....	110 Norwell street.....	19	First-class garage.....	2,850
Andrew Anderson.....	207 Center street.....	1	First-class garage.....	5,000
John McCormack.....	Rear of 73 Falcon street....	1	First-class garage.....	1,600
Katherine O'Malley.....	Rear of 78 Tremont street..	20	First-class garage.....	1,000
Hannah Magee.....	Rear of 9 Pond View avenue..	22	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Samuel Rudnick.....	1197 Boylston street.....	8	Second-class tenements.....	50,000
Samuel Rudnick.....	1201 Boylston street.....	8	Second-class tenements.....	50,000
Samuel Rudnick.....	1209 Boylston street.....	8	Second-class tenements.....	50,000
Mary J. McQuade.....	Rear No. 1 of 71 Centre st..	20	Third-class garage.....	600
Mary J. McQuade.....	Rear No. 2 of 71 Centre st..	20	Third-class garage.....	300
Herman Fischer et al.....	44 Marmion street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	10,500
Fred Swirkal.....	63 Tampa street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
A. Maloof.....	30 LaGrange street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
A. Maloof.....	4765 Washington street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Frederick W. Doyle.....	286 Adams street.....	20	Third-class office.....	2,000
J. L. Moberg.....	Rear of 81 Mountain avenue..	21	Third-class garage.....	426
Thomas M. Broderick.....	32 Montgomery street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Antonio Siciliano.....	142 Marginal street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling and store.....	350
John S. Goodway.....	22 Goodway road.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Joe Bove.....	82 Bennington street.....	2	Alterations, bakery and dwelling.....	110
Kathryn L. Pearlman.....	107 Bynner street.....	14	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Nathan W. Backman.....	255 Hanover street.....	5	Alterations, tenement and store.....	800
A. Paglinca.....	109 and 111 Charter street..	5	Alterations, tenements.....	130
Washburn Realty Trust.....	694 Washington street.....	5	Install two elevators.....	7,800
The Misses Hersey.....	315 Walnut avenue.....	16	Install elevator.....	4,772
Mrs. Isabella L. Cutting.....	116 Appleton street.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	300
Quincy Market Cold Storage Company.	415 Commercial street.....	5	Erect fire escape.....	1,000

APRIL 5.

Dominicka Budwitis.....	16 Wilton street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	\$800
William P. Homans.....	70 Myrtle street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	8,000
E. White.....	9 and 11 Marshfield street..	12	Alterations, tenements.....	200
Charles Ebeling.....	22 Bradlee street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	220
Lewis Marlsberg.....	148 Ellington street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	280
George W. Colberg.....	79 Poplar street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	600
Boston Consolidated Gas Company.	21 Hilton street.....	9	Alterations, warehouse.....	10,000
Kidder, Peabody Company..	115 Devonshire street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	2,000
Ivers & Pond Company.....	258 Boylston street.....	8	Alterations, store.....	950
Congress Street Associates.	50 Congress street.....	5	Install four dumbwaiters.....	1,000
J. H. Joy.....	33 Bowker street.....	5	Alterations, elevator.....	3,000
Mrs. P. E. Spike.....	17 and 19 Greenwich park..	7	Erect fire escape.....	150

APRIL 7.

Richard Martini.....	Rear of 124 Armandine st....	21	First-class garage.....	\$1,500
Frank J. Gallagher & Co.,	Rear of 63 Easton street....	26	First-class garage.....	1,500
A. Gioacchi.....	Rear of 8 Batchelder street..	12	First-class garage.....	1,800
Newton E. Jones.....	Rear of 6 Burt street.....	21	First-class garage.....	1,000
Catherine E. Hanley.....	Rear of 55 Saxton street.....	17	First-class garage.....	2,000
Colonial Filling Stations..	230 Harvard avenue.....	25	Second-class oil station.....	7,000
M. Rudnick.....	1163 Boylston street.....	8	Second-class tenements.....	100,000
M. Rudnick.....	1167 Boylston street.....	8	Second-class tenements.....	100,000
M. Rudnick.....	1171 Boylston street.....	8	Second-class tenements.....	100,000
Union Realty Trust.....	Rear of 20 Linden street....	25	Second-class manufacturing..	11,500
N. Port.....	Rear of 209 Quincy street..	17	Second-class garage.....	1,000
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.	Rear of 290 Southampton street.	11	Alterations, engine house....	15,000
Walter N. Elliott.....	20 North Monroe terrace....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Z. Gebelnick.....	19 Billerica street.....	5	Alterations, store.....	3,000
Z. Gebelnick.....	14 Lowell street.....	5	Alterations, store and tenement.....	2,000
Edward J. Ball.....	87 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, tenements.....	13,000
Charles Maloof.....	23 East Canton street.....	6	Alterations, lodging house....	150
S. Sugarman.....	Rear of 23 Richfield street..	18	Alterations, garage.....	200
Mrs. Esther Barrett.....	186 West Brookline street..	6	Alterations, lodging house....	1,000
Evelyn E. Maguire.....	1261 Dorchester avenue.....	17	Alterations, store and tenement.....	425
Vincenzo Dagostino.....	14 Winship street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Thomas Brennan.....	110 Hamilton street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Eli H. Tarlin.....	1 Minot street.....	5	Alterations, dwelling and store.....	250

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 3 TO APRIL 9.

APRIL 7.—*Concluded.*

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Rueter & Co.	202 Massachusetts avenue.	7	Alterations, stores and apartments.	\$5,000
Paul Scheer	207 Newbury street	8	Alterations, stores and apartments.	3,000
David S. Haskins <i>et al.</i>	8 Wellington street	7	Erect fire escape.	100
Sigfred Carlson.	190 West Springfield street.	7	Erect fire escapes.	150
Sigfred Carlson.	198 West Springfield street.	7	Erect fire escapes.	150

APRIL 8.

Alice Epstein.	Rear of 119 Homestead st.	16	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Frida S. Trolsaas.	Rear of 31 Shafter street.	19	First-class garage.	1,200
Margaret Spellman.	Rear of 11 Teft's place.	23	First-class garage.	2,000
Bernard W. Shutte.	Rear of 43 Turner street.	26	First-class garage.	1,100
Sebastian Giampapa.	Rear of 24 Orange street.	23	Second-class garage.	1,700
Julian Cohen.	114 Wellington Hill street.	21	Second-class garage.	1,000
Annie L. Cohen.	146 Millett street.	19	Second-class garage.	1,000
Michael Shea.	Rear of 8 Harleston street.	20	Speed garage.	400
Mrs. James J. Montague.	Rear of 51 Hollingsworth st.	24	Third-class garage.	800
R. O. Pacht.	311 Belgrade avenue.	23	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
William Duff & Son	60 Alpha road.	19	Third-class dwelling.	14,000
Guy S. Day.	80 Gustine street.	20	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
J. M. Blakeley.	46 and 48 Ridgmont street.	25	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Martin Rooney.	26 Fairbanks street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
Abe Werbe.	105 Hutchings street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	175
A. Polian.	12 Garden Court street.	5	Alterations, stores and tenements.	2,000
M. Cantella.	328 Beech street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	1,400
George C. Cook.	535 East Seventh street.	10	Alterations, dwelling.	40
Elias Kamber.	41 Kendall street.	13	Alterations, dwelling.	150
Abraham Silverman	187 Main street.	3	Alterations, store and tenement.	75
H. Garbear.	383 Columbus avenue.	7	Alterations, lodging house.	110
J. M. Muldowney.	21 Algonquin street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	300
M. Waterman.	2038-2044 Washington st.	12	Alterations, stores.	2,000
Boston Chamber of Commerce.	141-163 Franklin street.	5	Install four dumb-waiters.	2,000
E. A. Abbott Company	122 High street.	5	Install elevator.	5,000
Durland & Candage.	12 Wirt street.	26	Install elevator.	2,000
M. DeLong.	52 Everett street.	26	Install elevator.	5,000
Ames Estate.	65 Bedford street.	5	Install elevator.	5,000
Morris Lewis.	107 Warren street.	16	Take-down, dwelling.	200
New England Contracting Company.	239-243 Tremont street	8	Take-down, manufacturing.	1,000

APRIL 9.

Jessie Cohen.	Rear of 59 Lithgow street.	20	First-class garage.	\$1,850
Henry Johnson.	Rear of 92 and 94 Amory st.	15	First-class garage.	950
Alice Van Koert.	Rear of 17 Pearl street	11	First-class garage.	3,300
Louise K. Wood.	Rear of 53 Charlotte street.	19	First-class garage.	1,000
Patrick Bresnahan	677 Washington street.	26	Second-class garage.	1,000
Anna C. Mattson	146 Ballou avenue.	21	Second-class garage.	700
Philip Teevan.	Rear of 8 Lorette street.	23	Second-class garage.	1,000
Thomas E. Hovey.	6 Henman street.	23	Second-class garage.	1,000
Louis Greenberg.	Rear of 34 Fairmount street.	21	Second-class garage.	1,000
Harry K. Goldstein.	4 Florence avenue.	25	Second-class tenements.	35,000
Louis Prousch.	28 Brookside avenue.	22	Third-class dwelling.	14,000
John Murray.	26 Lane park.	26	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
Martin Maguire.	29 Helena road.	20	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
William I. Roberts.	5 Park terrace.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,800
E. T. Hosington.	Rear of 89 Clement avenue.	23	Third-class garage.	600
Domenico Adonisi.	Rear of 5235 Washington st.	23	Third-class cement shelter.	50
B. and E. Amusement Enterprise, Inc.	109-113 Court street.	5	Alterations, theatre.	1,500
Colonial Real Estate Trust.	136 Massachusetts avenue.	7	Alterations, theatre.	250
Independent Rendering Company.	31 Damrell street.	11	Alterations, soap making.	150
F. G. Whitaker.	180 Harrison avenue.	5	Alterations, manufacturing.	800
Charles B. Lynch.	30 Burton street.	26	Alterations, dwelling.	600
Patrick Hayes.	5 Brook avenue.	12	Alterations, dwelling.	50
Annie Levine.	153 and 155 Howard avenue	17	Alterations, store and tenements.	200
Arthur Williams Shoe Company.	16 and 18 Kneeland street.	5	Erect fire escape.	200
Walter Baker & Co., Ltd.	11 Central avenue.	21	Install two elevators.	1,600
John J. Sullivan.	151 and 153 Portland street.	5	Take-down, stable.	200
John J. Sullivan.	18 Oregon street.	14	Take-down, storage.	150
Mystic Building Wrecking Company.	94 Strathmore road.	25	Take-down, dwelling.	200
Mystic Building Wrecking Company.	Rear of 94 Strathmore road.	25	Take-down, stable.	50

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for the following construction work:

A surface drain of 10-inch, 12-inch and 18-inch earthen pipe and nine catch-basins in Nottinghill road, from Melton road, southerly, easterly, northerly and westerly in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$20,000.

A 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer and a 5-foot 6-inch circular concrete surface drain in private land and Highborn street (Shepard brook) between Everett street

and Arthur street in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$15,000.

A 6-foot 8-inch by 6-foot 1-inch, 1-foot 3-inch by 2-foot 6-inch and 4-foot circular concrete sanitary sewer and four catch-basins in Humphreys street (Dorchester brook), between Holden street and Dudley street in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$65,000.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and a 24-inch pipe surface drain in School street, between Waverly street and Fletcher street in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$3,749.

LAND-TAKING IN CITY PROPER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for public improvement consisting of the widening and construction of School street, Boston proper, as a highway, on the southwesterly side, between Province street and Chapman place, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named School street is hereby widened on the southwesterly side, between Province street and Chapman place, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A part of a parcel of land, situated on the southwesterly side of School street, between Province street and Chapman place, now or formerly owned by Robert H. Gardiner *et al.*, trustees, containing one hundred and fifty-three square feet, more or less.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the said improvement.

Said highway as hereby widened is bounded and described as follows:

Southeast by Province street, three and 6-100 feet; southwest by the southwesterly line of School street as hereby widened, fifty-one and 35-100 feet; northwest by the southeasterly line of School street as it existed previous to this widening, three feet; and northeast by the southwesterly line of School street as it existed previous to this widening, fifty-one and 68-100 feet; containing one hundred and fifty-three square feet, more or less.

Voted, That this Board estimates that the undermentioned estate sustains damages by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of School street, Boston proper, as a highway, on the southwesterly side, between Province street and Chapman place, under the order of the Board, in the amount hereinafter set against it, and awards said amount therefor.

Robert H. Gardiner *et al.*, trustees, 153 square feet and building.....\$7,500

FINANCE COMMISSION'S ACT
COST CITY \$1,200.

An award in the sum of \$3,700 determined upon by a master appointed by the court marks the end of seven years of litigation, started in the first Curley administration by the Finance Commission against Mark Lynch for the cleaning of catch-basins.

The original bill called for the payment of \$2,500 and the Finance Commission believing it excessive demanded it be held up. The master, after investigation, finds that the Finance Commission was, as usual, in error and the city is required to pay \$3,700 instead of \$2,500, or an increased expenditure to the city representing almost 50 per cent over and above the original amount.

ADDRESS OF HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, AT MUNICIPAL BUILDING, SOUTH BOSTON, MARCH 17.

AS PART OF THE CELEBRATION ON THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE EVACUATION OF BOSTON BY THE BRITISH TROOPS. THIS SPEECH WAS BROADCASTED BY HERALD-TRAVELER STATION, BOSTON. SUBJECT:—"THE IRISH RACE IN AMERICA."

The Irish race in America has been prone in the past to so pride itself upon martial achievements as to cause the impression to become deep-rooted that in their prowess as a fighting people alone have they been of value to the republic.

It is not my purpose to detract from the tremendous contribution to American history by gallant men of Irish blood, but, if possible, to clear the atmosphere of the impression that they have been purely a one-sided people.

As soldiers, statesmen, poets, inventors and orators, men of Irish blood have been a contributing factor to human progress in every land. As soldiers, even prior to the movement for liberty in the colonies, they had achieved fame, and it is pleasing for us, in the month which marks the anniversary of Ireland's patron saint, to assemble as American citizens of Irish blood and rejoice in those achievements which in part make luminous the pages of the republic's history.

It is gratifying to know that the ember igniting liberty's torch emanated from that distinguished Irishman whose fiery utterances furnished the text which resulted in the republic's birth when as a member of the Virginia House of Burgesses Patrick Henry uttered the prophetic words, "as for me, give me liberty or give me death."

The evacuation of Boston by the British and armed resistance at Bunker Hill was in a large measure due to the ammunition and arms secured through the daring of Capt. John Sullivan in consequence of the capture of Fort William and Mary December 11, 1774, more than four months before the shot was fired at Lexington and "heard around the world."

Visiting our northern neighbor, Canada, it is most interesting to gaze up at those rugged heights almost perpendicular from the St. Lawrence and there find inserted a bronze tablet sacred to the memory of the first general who died outside the colonies in the struggle for liberty and but for whose untimely death in all probability, Canada would today be under the domination of the American flag—General Montgomery.

Ships were necessary to combat the mighty power of England, and it remained for Michael O'Brien of Machias, Maine, with his six sons, to capture an English convoy, and in return for their signal act of gallantry for the Continental Congress to christen the first ship of the American navy "Liberty," and the second ship "Hibernia," the first ship in command of Jack O'Brien, the second in command of Jerry O'Brien, and the navy itself in command of that dauntless hero whose service to America has only recently received recognition at the Capitol, Washington, the first commodore of the American navy, John Barry.

It is pleasing to men of Irish blood, proud of their American citizenship to know that the great Father of our Country, Gen. George Washington, on the eve of St. Patrick's Day, 1776, placed in command of the Continental forces at Dorchester Heights Gen. John Sullivan and the password on the memorable occasion of the departure of vested British tyranny and oppression from these shores was "St. Patrick."

It is refreshing to recall that when the army of Washington encamped at Valley Forge in the dread winter of 1778, after surviving reverse after reverse for a period of nearly two years, when, as historians tell us, the trail of the army could be traced for hundreds of miles by the blood left on the snow and ice by those who had neither shoes nor stockings, when rumors of desertion were rife, and when the cause of liberty apparently was to be lost, an assemblage of Irishmen in Philadelphia raised the princely sum of \$515,000 that the fight might continue, that the troops might be supplied with food, raiment, shelter and munitions of war, and that the gloom of a Valley Forge might be dispelled by the radiant sunburst of a triumphant victory at Yorktown and the liberty of the American people for all time assured.

Much stress has been laid for nearly a century upon the contribution of the French people to American liberty, and it was indeed a tremendous contribution and one worthy of a great people, but let it not be forgotten that the Irish regiments in the service of France pleaded that they might be selected because of an hereditary hatred of the English to serve under Washington, and that prominent among the regiments were the Regiment de Dillon, the Regiment de Lacey and the Regiment de Walsh, made up wholly of the descendants of that Spartan-like band, who, rather than serve under the conquering Cromwell, took service under the colors of France.

The most courageous document ever known in the world's history was the Declaration of Independence and it is pleasing to know that Charles Thompson, an Irishman, was secretary at the first meeting of the Continental Congress and continued in that capacity until, at the close of the war, Washington tendered him his sword when liberty had been secured; that among those men who signed the Declaration of Independence ten were of Irish blood; that 142 of the minute men who fought at Lexington and Concord were Irish, and of those who participated in the Battle of Bunker Hill 228 were of Irish blood; that the White House at Washington was designed by William Hogan, and is an exact reproduction of the home seat of the Duke of Leinster, near Dublin, Ireland; that the seat of our national government was originally the farm of Daniel Carroll, brother of Charles Car-

roll, signer of the Declaration of Independence who, at the conclusion of the war, tendered his farm as a seat for the American government; that the figure of Liberty which surmounts the National Capitol was designed by the Irishman, Crawford, and that the Congressional Library with its matchless mosaics, its fairy-like colorings, its incomparable marble staircase, stands as a monument to the ability, the honesty and the honor of its designer, an army engineer named Casey.

Every great privation visited upon the Irish people has proven a blessing in disguise for America. Persecution and oppression in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries furnished America with valiant sons and pure daughters, inured to poverty, born to privation, and eminently fitted for the blazing of a broad highway to progress and liberty in a new and strange land.

The famine of '48 in Ireland marked the beginning of a stream of immigration such as has seldom been witnessed in the history of any land. From 1848 to 1870 more than two and one half million Irish men and women came to these shores, not the infirm and the decrepit, but the stanch and sturdy manhood and the wholesome and pure womanhood, the flower of Ireland, and these were the men that aided in making possible Grant's campaign in the wilderness, Sherman's march from Atlanta to the sea, and Sheridan's master stroke at Cedar Creek. They were lovers of liberty first and Ireland second.

What a wonderful heritage is theirs when we contemplate the character, the courage and the manhood of these mighty men!

Picture the gallant Gen. Michael Corcoran on the occasion of the visit of Prince Albert to America in 1860, ordered by the Governor of New York to do escort duty with his regiment, and the manly Corcoran dashing his sword to the ground stating, "I refuse to do honor to the representative of a government that for seven centuries has persecuted and oppressed my race," and for this manly utterance the Sixty-ninth Regiment disbanded by order of the Governor of New York. Then picture Fort Sumter fired upon and the gallant American General Corcoran tendering the Governor of New York the services of the Sixty-ninth Regiment in defence of the Union, and this regiment later welded into that fighting machine of imperishable memory, the Irish Brigade, first under Corcoran and later under the immortal Gen. Thomas Francis Meagher, adding fresh laurels on every bloody field to the Stars and Stripes of our country until 1864, when the fighting was most severe. Historians tell us that the Irish Brigade in that year captured more flags and standards than the remainder of the Union Army combined and never lost one flag or standard.

We may well say with him who honored both the land of his birth and the land of his adoption, the lamented O'Reilly:

No treason we bring from Erin—nor bring we shame nor guilt.
The sword we hold may be broken but we have not dropped the hilt.
The wreath we bear to Columbia is twisted of thorns, not bays;
And the songs we sing are saddened by thoughts of desolate days.
But the hearts we bring for Freedom are washed in the surge of tears;
And we claim our right by a People's fight outliving a thousand years.

The chaste and Christ-like life of St. Patrick and his teachings are the most treasured heritage of the Irish people. They have proven an adamant-like force in the pathway of materialism, atheism and chaos in the life of this republic. They stand for the purity of womanhood and for the sanctity of American home life, and there is no method by which their benefit and blessing to this republic may be gauged. What shall be said of the material contribution?

The first iron furnace in America was conducted by George Taylor a signer of the Declaration of Independence, born in Ireland, and whose establishment during the Revolutionary War turned out shot and shell for the Continental forces. America today leads the world in the manufacture of steel and iron products, and this great industry, through whose existence prosperity and happiness is made possible for thousands of American families, at its birth had an Irish father.

The railroads of the United States furnish means of communication development and prosperity for the American people and are in all probability even a larger contributing force to national prosperity than any other single institution.

The first spike driven to hold in place the first rail of our great railroad system was driven by Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Maryland, in 1809, and the first steam engine built in the United States was the work of Christopher Colles, who was born in Ireland in 1738.

It would be an utter impossibility for this nation to develop in the short space of years necessary for our present greatness were it not for the inventive genius of the Irishman, Robert Fulton, who built the first steamboat.

Dean Swift said that the real benefactor of humanity is the man who can make two blades of grass grow where only one grew before. What shall we say of the great McCormick family, whose harvesting and reaping machinery is today found in every portion of the entire world, and through the use of which millions of bushels of corn, wheat, rye and oats are today grown where only stubble stones and weeds previously existed. The backbone of this and of any other nation is its agricultural prosperity and this prosperity, annually trickling down the avenues and arteries of trade and endeavor, whose reflex is happy homes, educated citizenship and healthy children, has been rendered possible through the inventive genius of the McCormick family.

Massachusetts is proud of her great candy industry the manufacture of which annually adds millions of dollars to the wealth of the people, and this great industry had its birth in the genius of the Irishman, John Hannon, first manufacturer of chocolate in America.

In our hours of leisure we enjoy companionship with music, thanks to Thomas Crehore, first manufacturer of the piano in America.

The prosperity of America is in a large measure due to our leadership in textile industries, and the first to introduce the manufacture of cotton in America was Patrick Tracy Jackson, while the Irish colonists in 1718 emigrating to America were the first to introduce the manufacture of linen.

A recognized world institution today is the daily newspaper and the first daily

newspaper in this land was published by John Dunlap of Strabane, Ireland.

I believe it needless to refer to Ireland's contribution to America in the field of statesmanship. Eleven Presidents of the United States, including that great leader of American thought, Hon. Woodrow Wilson, have gloried in the Irish blood which coursed through their veins.

These facts are presented not in a spirit of vain glory, or with a desire to have it appear that the Irish alone are responsible for present national greatness, but solely with a view to establishing the truth more firmly and that the past may serve as a guide to the future, that their purpose in life may be in keeping with the traditions of the past, and that like those who have preceded them their aim may ever be to right wrong, destroy injustice and make the world better for our having lived.

A gifted Irish poetess once wrote of the Irish people:

We have run the gamut of want and woe,
Of hunger, and pain and dearth.
The centuried flood of our tears and blood
Have deluged the plains of earth.
There was never a whimperess in all the world
By those of our race untrod.
Now we claim the price of our sacrifice
From the bar of a watching God.

And the price of that sacrifice is the privilege of living in peace with their neighbors in this free land and perpetuating that ideal, the cherished dream of America's founders equality of opportunity under the best flag ever known in the history of civilization, the Stars and Stripes, Old Glory.

MAYOR RENEWS EFFORT TO GET APPROPRIATION FOR MUSIC WEEK.

The Mayor has sent the following to the City Council relative to "Music Week":

CITY OF BOSTON,
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
April 4, 1924.

To the City Council:

GENTLEMEN,—At the last meeting of your honorable body the recommendation for an appropriation in the sum of \$2,500 to cover the cost of Boston's participation in the nation-wide "Music Week" was acted upon unfavorably.

Assuming that this action was taken because of failure to provide the City Council with full information as to the purpose of "Music Week," I beg to present as many facts as I have been able to obtain with reference to this proposed observance and the necessity for Boston participating in same.

The purpose of "Music Week" is to inaugurate a series of functions, lectures, concerts and exhibitions devoted to the art of music in which all may participate either directly or by representatives. Choral and musical societies, churches, colleges, schools, religious orders, clubs, associations and industrial and commercial bodies, in fact, every public and private interest in Greater Boston, are interested in this observance.

Boston has long held the position of leadership, not only in the teaching of the art of music, but has been the pioneer city of the United States in the manufacture of musical instruments, the first piano factory in America having been established in Boston and which only recently celebrated its one hundredth anniversary—the Chickering.

The New England Conservatory of Music has a national reputation for the character and distinction of its work; the Boston Symphony Orchestra, which enjoys a reputation the word over, and the Handel and Haydn Society all enjoy the distinction of being purely Boston creations.

The first great musical jubilee of the United States was held in Boston in 1869 under the direction of Patrick Gilmore and many great musical compositions were here rendered.

In view of these facts, and the fidelity and zeal which the people of Boston have ever devoted to the best in music, it would, in my opinion, be a serious mistake to refrain from participating in this movement officially.

I sincerely trust, for the good name of the city and for the reputation of Boston institutions that are devoted to vocal and instrumental culture and the large number of pupils attending these institutions, a number greater than are enrolled in any other city in America, that the City Council will reconsider its action and act favorably upon the order presented at the last meeting.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

LIBRARY EXHIBITS BYRON'S WORKS FOR THE BYRON CENTENARY.

For the centenary of the day (April 19 1824), when Lord Byron died at Missoloughi, in Greece, the Boston Public Library exhibits the first and earliest editions of the works of the great English poet. The exhibition is arranged in the Barton room of the library and comprises many rare and valuable volumes. The first Boston and other early American editions will be undoubtedly of the greatest interest to visitors.

The first book of Byron printed in America was a small form edition of "The Corsair," published by West and Blake, in Boston, in 1814. In the same year was published the first London edition of which the publisher sold ten thousand copies on the day of its publication. But the best proof of Byron's popularity is found, perhaps, in another American edition of the "Domenic Pieces"; this was printed in Glen's Falls, in 1820. The small booklets, in quaint type and on yellow paper, must be especially precious to any book lover. As early as 1814, a complete edition of Byron's works, in two volumes, had already been published in Boston by Cummings and Hilliard. The library possesses several copies of Byron's works, most of them of the year of first publication, and some in the first edition.

A note in the handwriting and with the signature of Byron, asking Mr. Hanson to pay the sum of twenty pounds to William Fletcher, is also shown among the books. The date of the note is November 12, 1811; it was written just about three months after the return of the poet from the Orient. On the back of the note Mr. Fletcher duly acknowledges the receipt of the pounds for his lordship, who was rather "hard up" by that time. William Fletcher was the lifelong valet of Byron, who accompanied the poet on all his journeys and was the one to whom the poet addressed his last words on his death bed at Missoloughi.

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING MARCH 31, 1924.

(As compared with the same month in preceding years.)

	1924.		1923.		1922.		1921.		1920.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
First Class.....	61	\$1,466,120	30	\$2,592,100	39	\$992,000	28	\$1,013,750	19	\$3,521,800
Second Class.....	75	1,937,900	45	1,024,450	72	2,129,275	27	143,250	11	352,750
Third Class.....	165	1,023,926	85	363,760	110	477,624	56	143,180	25	54,005
Special.....	12	4,150	6	2,235	9	10,400	4	2,100		
Total New Work.....	313	\$4,432,396	166	\$3,982,545	230	\$3,609,299	115	\$1,302,280	55	\$3,931,555
Alterations, etc.....	526	1,381,925	388	724,711	487	1,056,201	475	537,585	418	899,638
Total Construction.....	839	\$5,814,321	554	\$4,707,256	717	\$4,665,500	590	\$1,839,865	473	\$4,831,193
Plumbing.....	332	\$321,972	254	\$248,892	285	\$136,750	198	\$63,501	207	\$87,053
Gasfitting.....	794	47,922	617	37,093	939	45,354	414	23,315	602	36,981
Heating, etc.....	113	134,185	72	85,648	46	26,296	25	20,607	48	44,790
Elevators, freight.....	19	39,370	15	22,938	12	14,895	10	25,890	13	25,685
Elevators, passenger.....	8	30,600	7	14,690	10	41,470	5	26,700	5	23,500
Signs, etc.....	3	850	12	5,603	9	1,465	7	3,675	2	3,900
Fire escapes.....	19	3,665	14	4,080	7	1,430	7	2,940	3	3,245
Take-downs, wood.....	23	7,925	32	3,735	17	2,250	18	5,450	23	4,150
Take-downs, brick.....	8	6,100	6	3,370	12	4,660	5	4,775	13	4,900
Sprinklers.....	21	17,110								
Total.....	1,340	\$609,699	1,029	\$426,139	1,337	\$274,570	689	\$176,256	916	\$233,603
Grand Total.....	2,179	\$6,424,020	1,583	\$5,133,395	2,054	\$4,940,070	1,279	\$2,016,121	1,389	\$5,064,796
Cashier's Receipts.....		\$7,944 00		\$5,359 50		\$3,946 00		\$1,756 25		\$2,314 00

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

Apr. 17. Southern Utah and the High Sierras: Our New National Parks. George H. Browne, A.M., Headmaster, Browne and Nichols School.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

Apr. 13. William Blake's Interpretation of The Book of Job. S. Foster Damon, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations.

Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

Apr. 14. Joan of Arc: The Genius of Patriotism. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins. Illustrated.

Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)

May 12. Annual Meeting.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

FIRE SERVICE, BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, APRIL 26, 1924.

Applicants for the service of Boston must be not less than twenty-two nor over thirty years of age at the time of filing their applications. Applicants for the service of all other cities and towns in the metropolitan district must be not less than twenty-one nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing their applications. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Callmen and substitute callmen may make such deductions from their ages as are provided for in Civil Service Rule 8, Classes 20 and 21.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; practical questions on fire apparatus, etc., 4; total, 10. Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be required to pass a physical examination and strength tests. Educational qualifications, 2; physical qualifications, 3; total, 5.

The questions on duties will be based upon information contained in a manual known as the "Red Book." This manual may be obtained from the Secretary of State, Room 118, State House, at ten cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Persons who possess the requisite qualifications as to age may have their names placed on any three eligible lists in addition to the original list for which they apply. Preference in certification will be given to applicants who, at the time of certification, have been domiciled for six months in the city or town from which requisition is received.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending April 5, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
United States Census Bureau, 776,783.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 206; nonresidents, 39; total,
245.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 16.45; nonresidents deducted,
13.82.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 15.51; corresponding week
last year, 17.19.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 37; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 19; sixty years and over, 78;
total deaths, male, 124; female, 121;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 122;
deaths of colored, 11.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended April 5, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended April 7, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	64	7	53	1
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	1	2	1
Influenza.....	7	1	5	2
Measles.....	149	2	178	2
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	48	19	22	6
Scarlet fever.....	103	—	72	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	40	15	39	17
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	13	3	8	4
Typhoid fever.....	—	—	1	—
Whooping cough.....	7	—	99	3

* Residents and nonresidents included.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending April 5:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
William R. Landers.....	1575 and 1577 Blue Hill ave- nue.	24	Dwelling.	New building.
New York Building Wrecking Company.	2222 and 2224 Washington street.	12	Stores.....	Unsafe.
New York Building Wrecking Company.	12 Palmer street.....	12	Shop.....	Unsafe.
James J. Boyd, Agent.....	156 Gold street.....	9	Stable.	•
Colonial Filling Stations, Inc...	Rear of 1580 Blue Hill ave- nue.	21	Dwelling.....	Unsafe.
Swift, McNutt Company	823-827 Shawmut avenue...	13	Laundry.....	New building.
Swift, McNutt Company	Rear of 829 Shawmut ave- nue (2).	13	Sheds.....	New building.
Swift, McNutt Company.....	831 Shawmut avenue.....	13	Stores, dwelling....	New building.
Maurence J. Freeman.....	638½ Main street.....	3	Stores, dwelling....	New building.
John J. Sullivan.....	267 Athens street	9	Tenement.....	Unsafe.
John J. Sullivan.....	Rear of 8 Granite avenue...	20	Stable.....	Unsafe.
John J. Sullivan.....	Rear of 1258 Massachusetts avenue.	11	Stable.....	Unsafe.
John J. Sullivan.....	1264 Massachusetts avenue,	11	Dwelling.....	Unsafe.
John J. Sullivan.....	457 and 459 Neponset ave- nue.	20	Tenement.....	Unsafe.
Dorothy Schwartz.....	Rear of 724 Morton street...	21	Stable.	
Pope Lumber Company	Rear of 29 and 31 Corey street.	23	Shed.	Unsafe.
J. Scott MacLaren.....	Rear of 128 Sutherland road,	25	Stable.....	New building.

LABOR AND INDUSTRIES REPORT.

Business at the Public Employment Office for the month of March shows an improvement over the preceding month, but when compared with March a year ago, a falling off averaging 32 per cent is noticed.

During the month the number of people called for by employers was 1,218, an increase of 279, or 30 per cent, over February, but a decrease of 668, or 35 per cent, from March, 1923.

The number of positions reported filled was 1,032, an increase of 224, or 28 per cent, over February, but a decrease of 357, or 26 per cent from March last year.

During the month the attendance of applicants for employment was 23,050, an increase of 3,713, or 19 per cent, over February, also an increase of 2,478, or 12 per cent, over last March.

There were 1,624 service men (1,101 soldiers, 523 sailors) who visited the office in search of work. Of this number 226 (163 soldiers, 63 sailors) were given introduction cards to employers and 137 (98 soldiers, 39 sailors) secured employment.

Boys for errands, office and factory work have been in better demand and a larger number of positions have been filled. The majority of the applicants over sixteen years are not attracted by the wages offered by employers.

In the women's departments the demand for help during the early part of the month increased considerably but fell off again during the stormy weather. There has been a steady demand for waitresses with a good supply of applicants each day. Some difficulty in filling out-of-town jobs has been experienced but the city positions were easily supplied. Stitchers in various lines outside the clothing trades have been in fair demand and a slight improvement in the clothing trades has been noticed. Factory work is very dull with a large number of applicants visiting the office daily. There has been a fair demand for office and building cleaners throughout the month. Housework girls are very

scarce and the wages demanded are in many cases prohibitive to employers.

The number of people called for by employers was 1,218 as compared with 1886 in 1923; 1,490 in 1922; 1,444 in 1921; 2,984 in 1920 and 1,703 in 1919.

The number of positions filled was 1,032 as compared with 1,389 in 1923; 1,248 in 1922; 1,026 in 1921; 1,597 in 1920 and 1,140 in 1919.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land and buildings situated on Gardner and Dunwell streets, West Roxbury district, adjoining the Henry Vane School, supposed to belong to heirs of Thomas F. Welch, containing approximately 8,000 square feet, for school purposes, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto, as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Thomas F. Welch heirs, bounded:

South by Gardner street, fifty feet; west by other land supposed to belong to said heirs, one hundred fifty-one and 93-100 feet; north by Dunwell street, fifty feet; and east by land of the City of Boston, one hundred fifty-one and 90-100 feet; containing seventy-five hundred and ninety-six square feet, more or less.

Said parcel is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Gardner Street, Dunwell Street, West Roxbury," January 2, 1924, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned estate sustains damages by the taking made for school purposes, on Gardner street and Dunwell street, West Roxbury district, under an order of the Board, in the amount hereinafter set against it, and awards said amount therefor.

Thomas F. Welch heirs, 7,596 square feet and building\$4,200

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Misak Kazarian has agreed to accept the sum of \$19,500 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate on East Concord street by the taking made for hospital purposes by the Street Commissioners and Mayor, under the order of August 2, 1923.

Roderick McInnis has agreed to accept the sum of \$1,200 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate on Arcadia place by the taking of said lot for school purposes, under the order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 27, 1923.

Emil Greim and heirs of Eva L. Greim have agreed to accept the sum of \$900 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate on Redlands road by the laying out and construction of said road, under the order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor of October 16, 1923.

John H. Burke, for the owners, has agreed to accept the sum of \$100 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate on East Springfield street (No. 11) by the laying out and construction of Public Alleys Nos. 714 and 716, under the Street Commissioners' order of December 7, 1922; it being agreed as a part of this settlement that the betterments assessed upon said estate, \$42.62 for Public Alley No. 714 and \$42.62 for Public Alley No. 716 are to be assumed by the City of Boston.

MAYOR GETS GAVEL OF HISTORIC WOOD.

Mayor Curley has been presented with a handsome mahogany gavel, made from the railing put into Faneuil Hall in 1763, when that historic edifice was refinished inside because of a destructive fire two years earlier. He will in turn present it to the G. A. R. convention when it assembles here next August. The donor of the gavel was E. H. Talbot, Boston lawyer and past president of the Massachusetts Society, Sons of the Revolution.

Learning that Mayor Curley intended presenting the G. A. R. with such a gavel, Mr. Talbot came forward with his offer, which was accepted as "just filling the bill."

It is to be properly inscribed with a silver plate and richly cased before passing into possession of the Civil War veterans.

At the presentation were Fred Bolton, vice-chairman of the executive committee of the G. A. R. convention, and Col. George A. Hosley, chief of staff.

BOSTON DOING CLEANUP WORK.

Not since the severe winter of 1918 has the Public Works Department street cleaning forces faced such a cleanup job as now confronts 2,000 men at work in all parts of the city, it is stated at City Hall.

Mayor Curley has extended the employment for ten days more of 150 laborers taken from the civil service lists on April 5, for ten days' employment at \$4 a day on this work. About 150 more men are employed at this work, having been drawn from the civil service temporary lists.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Tuesday, April 1, 1924.

Hearing held before the City Council in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 7.30 p. m., on proposed contracts with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for furnishing gas for street lighting and for the equipment, lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the City of Boston, excluding Charlestown and Hyde Park, for a period of ten years.

President DONOGHUE was in the chair and all the members of the Council were present.

Thomas J. Kenny, Esq., appeared for the Boston Chamber of Commerce in opposition to the proposed contracts, recommending that no new contract be signed until a careful study of the street lighting needs of the city had been made and specifications based on a study prepared by the city.

Hon. Michael H. Sullivan, chairman of the Finance Commission, objected to the proposed contract, stating that it was not necessary for the city to make a ten-year contract, that the Commissioner of Public Works had called only for bids on gas lighting instead of for bids for both gas and electric lighting, and that the city could be lighted by electricity at a saving of a million dollars.

Commissioner Joseph A. Rourke stated that the city's interests had been protected by the Mayor and the Public Works Commissioner having written the Gas Company in January calling their attention to the provisions of the contract calling for an extension of the existing gas lighting contract for six months; that there was no question about the prices under this contract or the quality of light given; that it was doubtful if the Edison Company could be forced to extend the electric lighting of streets by some thousands of additional lights.

President D. D. Barnum of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company stated that his company furnished only gas and that consequently two contracts were necessary, one for gas and the other for equipment, that the price proposed in the agreement for equipment was a very low price, this part of the contract being carried out by the Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America. He doubted if the same price could be made if the number of lamps were reduced from 10,000 to 5,000 or the contract made for a five-year instead of a ten-year term. In regard to the testing of candle power of gas he stated that the methods employed were those generally considered throughout the country as the best.

Mr. Guy C. Emerson, consulting engineer of the Finance Commission, stated in answer to questions that testing on the street was exactly as good as laboratory tests so far as getting the illumination furnished by the lamp was considered.

The hearing was declared closed, subject to be reopened if the Council desired further information.

Monday, April 7, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m. President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Walsh.

VETO—BUSES IN PARK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 3, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith, without my approval, order of the City Council granting a license for the operation of buses in a portion of the park system, under date of March 18.

In my opinion the Boston park system should be accessible to all of the people and that the largest possible number may be afforded opportunity to enjoy its beauties and advantages, I am not adverse to the granting of permits provided proper restrictions are set forth therein.

The license in question carries with it the privilege of operating automobiles seating approximately twenty to thirty passengers, also double-decker automobiles seating approximately forty to fifty passengers, similar to cars now operated on the Fifth Avenue bus line of New York City.

The width of the park roads and the congestion on the roads render it inadvisable to permit of the operation of the so-called double-decker type of car, and render it necessary to establish limits upon the number of cars to be operated.

Provided the applicant, in a new petition, makes provision for the elimination of these deficiencies, I personally can see no objection at the present time to approving the same.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

VETO—BUS LINE TO PEMBERTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 3, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen—I beg to return herewith, without my approval, the license granted under date of March 18, for the operation of a motor bus line from Uphams Corner to Pemberton and a motor bus line from Franklin Park to Pemberton.

Until such time as public demand is sufficient to warrant the operation of private jitney lines as proposed it would, in my opinion, be inadvisable to approve a license for the operation of motor buses over the routes set forth.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

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LAYING OUT OF STURGIS STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 3, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to forward herewith report of the Street Laying-Out Department, the same constituting a reply to the interrogatories contained in the order adopted by your Board on March 10, 1924.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Street Laying-Out Department.

March 28, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston.

My dear Mr. Mayor,—Replying to the enclosed communication and order from the City Council, would say that the matter of laying out Sturgis street is under consideration by this Board at the present time.

A list of streets which this Board intends to have constructed this year was sent to the Council about March 1, and unless this list breaks down it is the intention of the Board to follow it as closely as possible.

If, however, it is found necessary to alter this plan, Sturgis street will be placed on the list and action taken this year. We have had a great many requests for this improvement, and the Board is favorable to having it done as quickly as possible.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. L. NOYES, Chairman.

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MONEY FOR MUSIC WEEK.

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Gentlemen,—At the last meeting of your honorable body the recommendation for an appropriation in the sum of \$2,500 to cover the cost of Boston's participation in the nation-wide "Music Week" was acted upon unfavorably.

Assuming that this action was taken because of failure to provide the City Council with full information as to the purpose of Music Week, I beg to present such facts as I have been able to obtain with reference to this proposed observance and the necessity for Boston participating in same.

The purpose of Music Week is to inaugurate a series of functions, lectures, concerts and exhibitions devoted to the art of music in which all may participate either directly or by representatives. Choral and musical societies, churches, colleges, schools, religious orders, clubs, associations and industrial and commercial bodies, in fact, every public and private interest in Greater Boston, are interested in this observance.

Boston has long held the position of leadership not only in the teaching of the art of music, but has been the pioneer city of the United States in the manufacture of musical instruments, the first piano factory in America having been established in Boston and which only recently celebrated its one hundredth anniversary—the Chickering.

The New England Conservatory of Music, located in Boston, has a national reputation for the character and distinction of its work.

The Boston Symphony Orchestra, which enjoys a reputation the world over, and the Handel and Haydn Society also enjoy the distinction of being purely Boston creations.

The first great musical jubilee of the United States was held in Boston in 1869 under the direction of Patrick Gilmore and many great musical compositions were here rendered.

In view of these facts and the fidelity and zeal which the people of Boston have ever devoted to the best in music it would, in my opinion, be a serious mistake to refrain from participating in this movement officially.

I sincerely trust, for the good name of the city and for the reputation of Boston institutions that are devoted to vocal and instrumental culture and the large number of pupils attending these institutions, a number greater than are enrolled in any other city in America, that the City Council will reconsider its action and act favorably upon the order presented herewith.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$2,500 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Boston Music Week Committee, under the direction of the Mayor, for the purpose of conducting a Music Week May 4 to May 10, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund, when made.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Marion Abercrombie, for compensation for injuries caused by a defect in Howard avenue.
Arthur H. Davison, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Dorchester avenue.

Joseph G. Donovan *et al.*, for compensation for damage to property 855 Fifth street caused by limb falling from tree.

Joseph Hana, for return of fee paid for pool table license which was not used.

Charles Harevich, for compensation for damage to property 373 Dorchester street caused by overflow of sewer.

Saul Harris, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Brookline avenue.

Dora Jacobs, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Phillips street.

R. Lauria, for compensation for damage to property 625 South street by garbage collector.

Frances Maley, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Broadway.

Marion R. Prichard, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in Chardon street.

Louise A. Ryder, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in Ottawa street.

Anna Weisman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Nashua street.

County Accounts.

A communication was received from Chief Justice Bolster fixing salaries of probation officers of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston.

Executive.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.:

Ruth I. Byrne, Hotel Somerset, May 3.

Jennie M. Trainor, Jordan Hall, May 6.

Jitneys.

Abraham S. Caplan, for license to operate buses from Park square to Glen road.

JITNEY BOND.

The jitney bond of the Pierce Bus Lines was received and ordered to be deposited with the City Treasurer.

CONSTABLES' BONDS.

After having duly approved of the same the City Treasurer submitted the constables' bonds of Warren A. Brown and William B. Santosuoso.

Approved by the City Council.

CERTIFICATES OF APPROVAL.

Notice was received from the Civil Service Commission of approval of Assessor Edward T. Kelly and Election Commissioner James F. Eagan.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of petitions for storage and sale of gasoline at various locations.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SIDEWALK ASSESSMENTS.

Notices were received from the Commissioner of Public Works of sidewalk assessments on the following-named streets, viz.:

Spring street, Ward 23; Blakeville street, Ward 18; Roslin street, Ward 21; Woodcliff street, Ward 17; Dacia street, Ward 17; Schiller street, Ward 14; Birch street, Ward 23; Landseer street, Ward 23; South street, Ward 23.

Orders were passed on the above in accordance with the request of the commissioner.

LEGISLATION FAVORING F. E. CARROLL.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following: Resolved, That the City Council favors legislation by the Legislature increasing the pension of F. E. Carroll of the Ferry Division, Public Works Department.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

LEGISLATION CONCERNING IRENE W. FALL.

President DONOGHUE offered the following: Resolved, That the City Council of Boston hereby favors the enactment of legislation to authorize the city to pay a sum of money to the father of Irene W. Fall, for injuries received while attending the Henry Grew School.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 2.43 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. GILBODY, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order at 3.17 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee submitted reports on petitions (referred today) for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement—that permits be granted, viz.:

Ruth I. Byrne, Hotel Somerset, May 3.

Jennie M. Trainor, Jordan Hall, May 6.

Reports accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions.

JITNEYS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Jitneys, submitted a report on the petition of Abraham S. Caplan (referred today) for license to operate buses or motor vehicles in the City of Boston from Park square to Glen road—that a license be granted.

Report accepted; license granted on the usual conditions.

VARIOUS LOAN ORDERS.

Coun. MORIARTY called up unfinished business, No. 1, viz.:

1. Ordered, That the sum of \$15,000 be and hereby is appropriated for Dorchester Park Improvements, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On March 18, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Coun. WATSON called up unfinished business, No. 2, viz.:

2. Ordered, That the sum of \$17,000 be and hereby is appropriated for the establishment

of a playground on Wachusett street, Forest Hills district, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On March 18, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was rejected, yeas, 4, nays 4 (a two-thirds vote being necessary), the vote being:

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Healey, Lane, Watson

—4.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Moriarty, Purcell—4.

RELEASE OF CITY LAND.

Coun. GILBODY called up unfinished business, No. 4, viz.:

4. Whereas, Under date of January 4, 1894 (see Suffolk Registry of Deeds, Book 2173, page 100), a certain parcel of land was conveyed to the City of Boston for the purpose of laying out a public street, known as Roberts street (West Roxbury district), by the owners of said parcel of land, and no consideration was paid by the city for said land; and

Whereas, The aforesaid parcel of land was never constructed as a public highway; and

Whereas, The Board of Street Commissioners on February 1, 1924, formerly discontinued this parcel of land as a highway, the said parcel being described in the order of discontinuance as follows:

Northwesterly by the southwesterly line of Roberts street as hereby established, fifty-five and 31-100 (55.31) feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Roberts street, as it existed previous to the discontinuance, sixty-five (65) feet; southwesterly by South Walter street, thirty-five (35) feet; and northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Roberts street, as it existed previous to this discontinuance, twenty-two and 17-100 (22.17) feet; containing 1,526 square feet, more or less.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor, in the name and behalf of the City of Boston, release, in writing in a form satisfactory to the Law Department, all its right, title and interest in the above described land to Eugene McCarthy of Winthrop, in the County of Suffolk, the owner of the property abutting on the discontinued parcel.

On March 24, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. GILBODY moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 3.22 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WATSON, to meet on Monday, April 14, at two o'clock p. m.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ENGINE, MACHINE AND CYLINDER OIL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the various city departments

Engine, machine and cylinder oils as per specifications until January 31, 1925.

Blank proposals to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out, at the Supply Department. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at this office on Monday, April 21, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 12.) Superintendent of Supplies.

SEGREGATED BUDGET, OR APPROPRIATIONS, ETC., FOR FINANCIAL YEAR, 1923-24.

Eighth year of Segregated Budget in Boston. Budget for City and County for year 1923-24 passed by City Council May 7, and approved by Mayor, May 11, 1923.

Total appropriated from taxes, miscellaneous income, Water Service and other revenue, \$36,410,148; of which \$25,578,842 was for City purposes within tax limit; \$5,905,045 for City debt requirements; \$2,692,508 for County purposes (including \$139,634 for County debt requirements); \$1,807,881 for Water Service, \$398,714 for Printing Department, and \$27,158 for City Record. Special appropriations included in budget were: Reconstructing and Repairing Streets by Contract, \$950,000; Bridges, repairs, etc., \$90,000; Granolithic Sidewalks, \$50,000; Ferry Improvements, etc., \$50,000. The Legislature having again raised the tax limit, to \$12.75 for 1923, on each \$1,000 of the 3-year average valuation (\$1,606,575,807), the amount available for appropriations inside tax limit was \$20,483,842, plus estimated miscellaneous revenue of \$5,095,000.

Maintenance appropriations of School Committee, \$12,772,711 (including \$1,461,984 for Schoolhouse Department); special appropriations from Tax Levy, etc., for schoolhouses and sites, \$3,391,636; total for schools, \$16,164,347. Grand total of appropriations from Ordinary revenue \$52,574,495, or \$2,867,848 more than in 1922. The State Tax and Metropolitan assessments will probably add about \$5,000,000 to said total.

The notable items of increase over the appropriations for 1922-23 are: School Committee, \$1,576,366; Public Works Department, \$290,025; Fire Department, \$255,004; Police Department, \$253,467; Serial Debt Requirements, \$199,893; Park Department, \$132,771; Hospital Department, \$90,233; Health Department, \$45,425; Library Department, \$37,942; Boston Sanatorium, \$29,163; Public Buildings Department, \$28,442; Institutions Department, \$26,974; Overseers of Public Welfare, \$25,280; Institutions Department (House of Correction), \$39,885.

Items of decrease are: Soldiers' Relief Department, \$739,890; Reserve Fund, \$47,641; Sinking Fund Requirements, City Debt, \$47,177; Election Department, \$42,508; County Debt Requirements, \$10,831. The total of Special Appropriations from Tax Levy, etc., is \$4,532,636, or \$642,044 more than in 1922.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, MASSACHUSETTS CUSTOMS DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR 1922.

Dating from July 1, 1913, the district includes Boston and the eight minor ports of the state. Value of exports in calendar year, 1922, \$50,544,530 or \$9,706,424 less than in 1921. Value of imports \$238,509,916, an increase of \$73,587,417 (44.62 per cent) over 1921. Total foreign trade \$289,054,446 or \$63,880,993 (28.37 per cent) more than the total in 1921. Boston's rank in total trade was sixth in 1922, New York, New Orleans, Galveston, San Francisco and Seattle showing larger totals in the order here stated. As to imports alone, Boston ranked second, and as to exports alone, 15th in 1922, the unusual decline

in exports due largely to discrimination against Boston in through railroad freight rates.

Tonnage of vessels in foreign trade in year 1922, entered 4,289,416 or 1,289,823 more than in 1921; cleared, 2,476,011 or 662,379 in excess of 1921; number of vessels entered, 1,837 or 403 more than in 1921; number cleared, 1,214 or 237 more.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN BORDER STREET, FROM NORTH FERRY TO WILLIAM J. KELLY SQUARE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for granite block pavement in Border street, from North Ferry to William J. Kelly square. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty thousand (20,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Granite Block Pavement, Border Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, April 23, 1924, with a certified check for two thousand (2,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 11, 1924. (April 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN CLAFLIN STREET, FROM C STREET TO D STREET, SOUTH BOSTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for granite block pavement in Claflin street, from C street to D street, South Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of forty-two hundred (4,200) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Granite Block Pavement, Claflin Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, April 24, 1924, with a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 10, 1924. (April 12.)

READVERTISEMENT

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LEASING THE CONCESSION PRIVILEGE FOR FURNISHING WEIGHING MACHINES IN CONVENIENCE STATIONS AND BUILDINGS OF THE PARK DEPARTMENT FOR A TERM OF THREE YEARS.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, for leasing the concession privilege for furnishing weighing machines in the convenience stations and buildings of the Park Department, City of Boston, for a term of three years, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, April 24, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$50, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(April 12.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN GERMANTOWN DISTRICT, WEST ROXBURY, AND OUTLET IN EAST STREET, DEDHAM.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Germantown District, West Roxbury, and outlet in East street, Dedham. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Germantown District," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, April 25, 1924, with a certified check for ten thousand (10,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 10, 1924. (April 12-19-26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, April 10, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land bounded by Venice, Gove and Porter streets, and the Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad, East Boston district for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of April 29, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(April 12-19.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT OR BITULITHIC PAVEMENT IN COLUMBIA ROAD (TRAFFIC ROAD), FROM DUDLEY STREET TO BLUE HILL AVENUE; BLUE HILL AVENUE (WEST SIDE), FROM CANTERBURY STREET TO RIVER STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half hereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sheet asphalt of bitulithic pavement in Columbia road (traffic road), from Dudley street to Blue Hill avenue; Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Canterbury street to River street, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sheet Asphalt or Bitulithic Pavement, Columbia Road, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Tuesday, April 22, 1924, with a certified check for ten thousand (10,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 10, 1924. (April 12.)

CORRECTED ADVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT OR BITULITHIC PAVEMENT AND SEWERAGE WORKS IN SHAWMUT AVENUE, FROM WARRENTON STREET TO ROXBURY STREET, CITY PROPER AND ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement and sewerage works in Shawmut avenue, from Warrenton street to Roxbury street, city proper and Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one hundred seventeen thousand (117,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sheet Asphalt or Bitulithic Pavement and Sewerage Works, Shawmut Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Wednesday, April 16, 1924, with a certified check for ten thousand seven hundred (10,700) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposal will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 5, 1924. (April 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND CONCRETE BLEACHERS AT WILLIAM J. BARRY PLAYGROUND, CHARLESTOWN.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invite proposals for grading and concrete bleachers at William J. Barry Playground, Charlestown. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Concrete Bleachers at William J. Barry Playground, Charlestown," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Monday, April 21, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$2,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$10,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(April 12.) *Commissioners.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND CONCRETE WALL AT CHERRY STREET PLAYGROUND, BOSTON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for grading and concrete wall at Cherry Street Playground, Boston. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Concrete Wall at Cherry Street Playground, Boston," and left before 12 o'clock on Thursday, April 17, 1924, at the office of the Park Department with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$2,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(April 12.) *Commissioners.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Buildings and the several departments of the City of Boston not otherwise provided for, from May 1, 1924, to April 30, 1925, as follows:

4,000 tons, more or less, egg coal.
4,000 tons, more or less, stove coal.
12,000 tons, more or less, semibituminous coal.

The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and deposit his bid with a properly certified check for \$1,000, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Tuesday, April 22, 1924, at 12 m., at the above named office. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 12.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO FINISHED HARDWARE CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of Boston, Mass., invites proposals for furnishing finished hardware in Police Station No. 2 building, Milk and Sears streets, Boston, Mass., according to specifications, and giving a bond therefor of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent in the sum of 45 per cent of the contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, April 23, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, and marked "Proposals for Finished Hardware, Police Station No. 2 Building, Milk and Sears Streets." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above, the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening of bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, or to accept all or any part thereof according to the appropriation available therefor, or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest.

FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

(April 12-19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL, FIRE AND POLICE BOATS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing 3,700 tons, more or less, of Pocahontas or New River coal to the police or fire boats, as follows: Fire boats, 2,500 tons; police boats, 1,200 tons. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and furnish a certified check for \$500 payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bidder must state the price per ton of 2,000 pounds, and leave his proposal at the office of the Supply Department on or before Tuesday, April 22, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Deliveries to be made as per specifications. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 12.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEVEN NEW FORD CARS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Park Department,

Seven (7) new Ford cars.

The bidders must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$200, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, before 12 m., Friday, April 18, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for openings bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 12.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR EGGS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the various departments of the city eggs, as per specifications, to be delivered for storage at once. Blank proposals to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read on Wednesday, April 23, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 12.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, April 22, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read, for furnishing and delivering 19,000 tons, more or less, of semibituminous steam coal. The coal delivered will be paid for on the basis of the prices named in the proposal for coal specified, corrected for variations in the heating value and ash as shown by the analyses, above and below the standard established by the contractor. Forms of bid and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, and only bids on these forms will be considered. Institutions Department, Infirmary Division, Almshouse and Hospital, Long Island, 5,000 tons, more or less, in bins; Institutions Department, Penal Division, Deer Island, 5,000 tons, more or less, alongside; Ferry Service, 9,000 tons, more or less, in bins. The coal is to be delivered as ordered from time to time by the Superintendent of Supplies, before May 1, 1925. Proposals must state the kind and price per ton (2,240 pounds) delivered as above, including the cost of weighing and stevedoring, to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Supplies. Said proposals must be accompanied by a properly certified check for \$1000, made payable to the City of Boston, to be forfeited to the City of Boston in case of failure to appear and sign the contract within five days after date of award. A bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract must be furnished by the successful bidder or bidders with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. A duplicate copy of bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 12.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

ASSESSORS' OFFICE, CITY HALL ANNEX,
BOSTON, April 1, 1924.

Attention is called to the Assessors' Notice posted upon the City Hall, and other public places throughout the city, relative to making returns on property subject to taxation.

Returns should be made as early as possible, and not later than May 15.

Blank forms may be had at the Assessors' Office, or will be mailed to any address upon application.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
By JOSEPH C. O'MALLEY, *Secretary*.
(April 12, 1924.)

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 26 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, *i. e.*, adjacent to Boston, are these, *viz.*, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and 45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has 44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water District, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, *viz.*,

the Fire Prevention District, was organized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston," but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or \$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921, and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$846,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products; (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

On February 1, 1923, total number of volumes 1,284,094, or 958,931 in Central Library and 325,163 in 17 branches and 14 reading-rooms, a net increase of 25,883 volumes since the previous year. Statistical Department, about 24,000 volumes; Patent Department, 16,293 volumes. Special Collections (rare) about 65,000 volumes. The Fine Arts Department has a collection of 66,671 photographs of works of art and 9,736 lantern slides. It circulates yearly over 22,000 volumes and 2,000 portfolios of pictures. Reading-rooms (*i. e.*, minor branches), 14, besides those in the 18 libraries, and each of them is also a delivery station. Periodicals and newspapers in various reading-rooms, 3,059. Number of books circulated in 1922, 2,768,984, of which 44 per cent were for children. Number of borrowers' cards in use, 114,340.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$723,197 or \$11,695 less than in 1921. Expenditure for Central Library extension, \$328,140; for new West Roxbury Branch building, \$64,902, and site, \$6,500. Valuation of library property, \$7,000,000 approximately. Central Library building on Copley square costing \$2,756,384, opened on March 11, 1895.

STATE OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES.

Total number (receiving pay) on Nov. 30, 1921, 11,269 or 676 more than in 1920 and 2,301 more than in 1918. Total amount of salaries paid in year to Nov. 30, 1921, \$15,223,171 or \$1,794,700 more than in 1920 and \$5,250,683 more than in 1918, an increase of 52.65 per cent from 1918 to 1921. Dept. of Mental Diseases, maintaining 14 hospitals, etc., has largest number (3,563); (2) Dept. of Education, maintaining 15 normal schools, etc. (1,330); (3) Metropolitan District Commission (1,183); (4) Dept. of Public Welfare (980); (5) Dept. of Public Works (771); (6) Dept. of Public Health (689); (7) Dept. of Correction (514); (8) Dept. of Corporations and Taxation (332); (9) Dept. of Banking and Insurance (204); (10) Dept. of Conservation (182); (11) Dept. of Public Safety (174); (12) Dept. of Labor and Industries (162); total in said 12 departments, 10,084; all others, 1,185.

CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES.

Total number (receiving pay) on June 1, 1921, 16,256 (about 5,300 being women), or 482 more than in 1920, of which increase 63.5 per cent was in two departments not under control of Mayor, *viz.*, Police Dept. and School Committee. Largest number in School Dept. (4,805); (2) Public Works Dept. (3,189); (3) Police Dept. (2,036); (4) Fire Dept. (1,373); (5) Hospital Dept. (875); (6) Park Dept. (844); (7) County of Suffolk (763); (8) Library Dept. (599); (9) Boston Sanatorium (242); (10) Institutions Dept. (240); 29 other departments (1,290). Notable changes since 1920:—Increase of 190 in Dept. of School Committee; 116 in Police Dept.; 12 in Public Works Dept.; 77 in Hospital Dept.; 22 in Boston Sanatorium; 37 in Library Dept.; 6 in Transit Dept.; 8 in Election Dept.; 15 in Institutions Dept.; 14 in Overseeing of Public Welfare Dept. Decrease of 16 in Assessing Dept.; 7 in Printing Dept.; 7 in Street Laying-Out Dept. Total increase 1920 to 1921, 525; total decrease, 43. Total net increase in 5 years, 1916-1921, 1,312, of which 396 were in departments under Mayor's control and 916 in departments of School Committee and Police.

Total pay-roll disbursements in fiscal year 1921-22, \$27,361,735 or 75.84 per cent of gross expenditures for maintenance of departments (after deducting pay-roll items of loan appropriations). Per cent of salaries and pensions to total maintenance cost in Police Dept. in 1921 was 87.42; Fire Dept., 82.72; Park Dept., 72.12; Dept. of School Committee, 88.30; Public Works Dept., 55.67; Hospital Dept., 48.10; Institutions Dept., 50.03. In addition to those mentioned above there were 76 officials who served on various municipal boards and commissions without pay.

Total paid for pensions to retired employees, etc., in year 1921-22, was \$743,323 (\$44,760 more than in 1920-21) or \$234,636 by Fire Dept.; \$195,740 by Police Dept.; \$142,040 by School Committee; \$111,679 by Public Works Dept.; \$31,297 by Suffolk County; \$27,931 by other departments. Total number of pensioners, Sept. 1, 1922, 1,305, divided as follows: Teachers, 353; firemen, 314; police, 261; laborers, 236; war veterans, 98; county officers, 43. Of the laborers 198 were from the Public Works Dept. and 38 from the Park and several other departments.

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NEW BEACON STREET BRIDGE ADDS TO BEAUTY OF SECTION BY ITS LINES.

STRUCTURE JUST COMPLETED AND OPENED FOR TRAFFIC
ANOTHER CREDITABLE EFFORT ON THE PART OF
MAYOR CURLEY'S ADMINISTRATION.



NEW BEACON STREET BRIDGE MAKES ATTRACTIVE WAY FOR TRAFFIC
AND PROVIDES MORE ROOM FOR PASSING TRAVEL—NOW OPEN
TO PUBLIC.

Photo by Harry Kelly.

Mayor Curley and the Public Works Department have just completed another important traffic link for the City of Boston with the opening of the new Beacon Street Bridge to the public. The structure has been erected at a cost of \$107,000 and is one of the finest of its type to be seen anywhere.

The Beacon Street Bridge (over the Boston & Albany Railroad) consists of three main girders carrying a steel floor, incased in concrete.

It provides two roadways, each about 33 feet wide between girders, and two sidewalks each 12 feet wide. It was designed to carry two lines of electric cars with heavy truck loads. The weight

of steel in the bridge is approximately 450 tons. The surface is granite block and the sidewalks are of granolithic.

This structure affords a great deal more roadway and sidewalk capacity than the structure it replaces, which consisted of four trusses with three roadways, and the space taken up by water and gas pipes occupied about 16 or 17 feet in width of the roadway. The water pipes are now below the railroad tracks and their removal, together with the elimination of one truss, affords a very increased capacity for vehicles.

The total length of the bridge is about 110 feet and the width about 100 feet.

MAYOR STARTS DEFENCE OF PUBLIC AGAINST ATTEMPT OF PHONE COMPANY TO JUMP RATES.

The Public Utilities Commission are to hold a hearing on April 23 upon the question of increasing the telephone rate on suburban toll calls and private branch exchanges. These rates, if allowed, will in all probability represent an increased annual charge to the business men of Boston of not less than a half-million dollars.

The Mayor has instructed the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston to appear before the commission and oppose the request for increased rates on the grounds that the public should not be penalized to offset the deficit of the Telephone Company resulting from the recent strike, which was called not for the purpose of serving the public interest, but for the purpose of destroying the power of organized labor.

When the average individual makes a mistake he is obliged to sustain the loss for which he is responsible. The rule

which applies in the case of the average citizen should apply with even greater force in the case of a public service corporation, and if the Telephone Company finds that its profits have been restricted as a consequence of the increased cost of operation resulting from the strike, for which the Telephone Company was largely if not fully responsible, it should be reflected in a reduction in the annual dividend rate on the stock of the company rather than by a further gouge of the public through an increase as proposed.

MAYOR AND OFFICIALS PLAN STEPS TO CLEAR CITY STREETS OF RUBBISH.

A conference was held at the office of the Mayor on April 16, at which were present the Police Commissioner, Hon. Herbert A. Wilson; the Public Works Commissioner, Mr. Joseph A. Rourke, and the Corporation Counsel, Hon. E. Mark Sullivan, and steps were taken to prevent the littering of the streets with combustible waste and other matter, both as a health and fire protection.

The Public Works Commissioner agreed to provide all boxes that may be required, located at convenient points in every section of the city, in which persons might deposit newspapers, periodicals or other materials that it is now customary for an individual to throw into the street.

The Public Works Commissioner further agreed to notify all storekeepers that the ordinance prohibiting the littering of streets would be rigidly enforced.

The Police Commissioner agreed to direct the Police Department to enforce the ordinance with reference to littering of streets in the same manner that the ordinance with reference to expectorating on the streets has been enforced in the past.

It is believed that provided the public will co-operate in the manner in which they should that Boston streets can be made a model in the matter of cleanliness for all cities in America.

MAYOR PROVIDES FOR MILITARY DUTY.

Circular Letter No. 45.

CITY OF BOSTON,
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
April 10, 1924.

To the Heads of Departments:

You are hereby directed to grant leave of absence, without loss of pay, to employees in your department who are members of the Army Reserve Corps, the Naval Reserve Force, the National Guard or the United States Citizens' Training Camp, to attend the annual tour of duty or service school.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, April 21, at two o'clock p. m.

Meeting of the School Committee, Monday, April 21, at 6.30 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquises, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

ASKS COUNCIL TO DELAY GAS CONTRACT.

The Finance Commission has addressed the following letter to the City Council:

BOSTON, April 11, 1924.

To the Honorable the City Council:

GENTLEMEN,—In connection with the proposed contracts for equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps in the City of Boston, now before your honorable body, the Finance Commission has recently had conferences with officials of the Edison Electric Illuminating Company.

As a result of these conferences a study has been undertaken by the engineers of the Edison Company to determine the possibilities of a change from gas lighting to electric lighting, either in whole or in part, in the territory now lighted by gas lamps.

The Finance Commission expects to receive from the Edison Electric Illuminating Company in due time definite information regarding the exact number of gas lamps that it is at present feasible to replace with electric lamps, the cost of such replacement, and the terms under which the Edison Company will undertake the extension of its street lighting system.

The Finance Commission respectfully requests that your honorable body withhold action upon the proposed contract until information is received from the Edison Electric Illuminating Company and transmitted to you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO ROOM 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

NOTED GUEST FOR MOTHER'S DAY.

Mayor Curley was especially gratified to receive from Miss Anna Jarvis an acceptance of his invitation that she may be the guest of the City of Boston on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 11, 1924, at ceremonies at the Parkman Bandstand on Boston Common, in honor of this noteworthy event, under the auspices of the Volunteers of America, and directed by Mrs. Walter Duncan.

Miss Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia is one of the most noteworthy women in the United States, idolized in Philadelphia, and is the founder of the observance of the second Sunday of May in each year in honor of the mothers of the land, or, as Miss Jarvis has beautifully put it, the ceremonies of "Mother's Day" are in honor of the best mother who ever lived—the mother of your heart.

STREET LOCATIONS APPROVED.

The Mayor has approved the orders of the Board of Street Commissioners, as follows:

That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, at West Roxbury, designated as East Hastings court, leading from Hastings street for a distance of about 127 feet southwesterly, as shown on a plan approved in writing by the Board of Street Commissioners, and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, at West Roxbury, designated as Alhambra road, from Willow street to Maple street, as shown on a plan approved in writing by this Board, and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

MAYOR BEGINS ACTION IN EFFORT TO GET BRIGHAM HOSPITAL'S USE FOR ORIGINAL PURPOSES.

ADDRESSES MESSAGE TO CITY COUNCIL CALLING ATTENTION TO CONDITIONS BELIEVED NOT IN KEEPING WITH WILL AND INTEREST OF TESTATOR AND NOT FOR BENEFIT OF CITY'S INCURABLES AND POOR.

Mayor Curley sent the following message to the City Council on April 14:

To the Honorable City Council:

GENTLEMEN,—It has been called to my attention that the officers of the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables, organized and carried on under the provisions of the will of the late Robert Breck Brigham, have not been using and applying the funds of the estate of the said Robert Breck Brigham and have not been carrying on the hospital known as the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables in accordance with the request and intent of the said Robert Breck Brigham, as contained in his last will.

By the provisions of the will of the said Robert Breck Brigham a corporation was to be organized for the following public charity:

"For the purpose of maintaining an institution for the care and support and medical and surgical treatment of those citizens of Boston who are without necessary means of support and are incapable of obtaining a comfortable livelihood by reason of chronic or incurable disease or permanent physical disability."

I am informed that the corporation and its officers are applying and using the income for other purposes inconsistent with and not in keeping with the terms and provisions of the will and are using the funds and the hospital for the treatment of persons who are not suffering from incurable disease or permanent disability; are maintaining the hospital more for the accommodation of the rich and well-to-do rather than for the city's poor, destitute and chronic sick; and that many of the beds in the hospital are used by people of large means who are recommended to the hospital by staff physicians.

I am further informed that no attempt has been made by the officers of the hospital to carry out the intent of the late Robert Breck Brigham to establish a hospital for the city's destitute and chronic sick who are suffering from incurable diseases or permanent disability.

Any steps to relieve the situation must be taken under the law by the Attorney-General of the Commonwealth, and I, therefore, recommend that your honor-

able body pass the inclosed order so that I may, on behalf of the city government, bring the matter to the attention of the Attorney-General and procure the necessary relief in the premises.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

CITY OF BOSTON, IN CITY COUNCIL.

Whereas, It has been called to the attention of the City Council of the City of Boston that the officers of the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables have been misusing and misapplying the funds of the estate of the late Robert Breck Brigham in connection with the hospital established by the trustees under the will of the said late Robert Breck Brigham, said hospital being known as the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables; and

Whereas, The City Council is informed that the said officers of said Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables have not been carrying on the public charity provided for by the terms of the will of the said late Robert Breck Brigham, namely,—

"For the purpose of maintaining an institution for the care and support and medical and surgical treatment of those citizens of Boston who are without the necessary means of support and are incapable of obtaining a comfortable livelihood by reason of chronic or incurable disease or permanent physical disability."

Now Therefore be it Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor, for and on behalf of the city government of Boston, request the Attorney-General of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to bring an information in equity in the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts for the purpose of procuring the proper execution of the public charity directed to be established under the will of the said Robert Breck Brigham, and for the purpose of restraining said corporation and its officers from misusing and misapplying the funds of the estate of said Robert Breck Brigham and the property of the said Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables, and for such other purposes as may be necessary in the premises for the proper carrying out of the public charity mentioned aforesaid.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending April 12:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
New England Contracting Co.	239-243 Tremont street	8	Manufacturing	New building.
Morris Levine	107 Warren street	13	Dwelling	New building.
John J. Sullivan	Rear of 18 Oregon street	14	Stable	Unsafe.
John J. Sullivan	151 and 153 Portland street	5	Stable	Unsafe.
Mystic Building Wrecking Co.	94 Strathmore road	25	Dwelling	New building.
Mystic Building Wrecking Co.	Rear of 94 Strathmore road	25	Stable	New building.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for grading and concrete bleachers at the William J. Barry Playground, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for leasing the concession privilege for furnishing weighing machines in convenience stations and buildings of the Park Department for a term of three years. Bids for the rights to be filed with the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 24, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing finish hardware for the Police Station 2 building, Milk and Sears streets. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the metal work and roofing at Quincy Market, north side, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blanks for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Buildings Department, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 29, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Hallowell street, between Oakland and Newcastle streets and outlet in private land, from Favre street to Hallowell street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,500. Blank forms for proposals may be secured from the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$850, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 5, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for sheet asphalt or bituminous pavement in Columbia road (Traffic road), from Dudley street to Blue

Hill avenue; Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Canterbury street to River street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$100,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for granite block pavement in Border street, from North Ferry to William J. Kelly square. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for granite block pavement in Claffin street, from C street to D street, South Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, April 24, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Moore street overflow outlet, between Coleridge and Cowper streets, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$450, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in the Germantown district, West Roxbury, and outlet in East street, Dedham. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$100,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 25, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing bituminous coal to the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100 for each of the nine districts, or the entire number at \$900,

to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing Welsh anthracite coal to the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price for each of the nine districts or for the total nine districts. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100 for each single district or \$900 for the total number, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing American anthracite coal to the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price for each district singly or for the total nine districts. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100 for each district or \$900 for the total number of districts, may be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 29, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, including all trades, the Roxbury High School for Girls, Warren, Townsend and Harrishof streets, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$20,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing new sanitation in the Bunker Hill School, Baldwin street, corner of Bunker Hill street, and the Thomas Starr King School, Bunker Hill street, corner Charles street, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for two new fire escapes on the Thomas Starr King School, Charles street, corner of Bunker Hill street, and alterations on the present fire escapes on the Bunker Hill School, Baldwin street, corner of Bunker Hill street, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Commission, Room 1009, City Hall An-

nex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, April 23. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 9, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the various city departments engine, machine and cylinder oils. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering 19,000 tons of coal to the city. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing coal to the fire boats and the police boats. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing coal to the Public Buildings Department, etc. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing eggs to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing dry goods to the City Hospital and the Infirmary Division of the Institutions Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston.

Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing steel lockers to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, April 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Paving Service, three scarifying road rollers. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meat to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the various city departments hay, grain and straw for the month of May. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing lumber to the various city departments as required. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 30, at 12 m.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department to perform the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Eliot place, between Eliot street and a point 250 feet easterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$2,300.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, April 17:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Charles Foley has been continued in employment as temporary clerk for a period of 30 days at \$4 a day.

Catherine M. Carpenter has been continued in employment as temporary clerk for a period of thirty days at \$4 a day.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Gateley has been designated to act as auditor at such times as the Auditor may be absent during the four weeks beginning Monday, April 14.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Edward W. Roemer, supervisor of construction in the Building Department, has been appointed Acting Building Commissioner from Sunday, April 6, to Monday, April 14.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

The following persons temporarily employed have ended their work: Wilbur F. Goodrich, investigator; Mary A. McMahon, clerk; Mary E. Robinson, clerk; Bessie Olansky, clerk; Gladys Lakin, typist.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Dr. John L. Dowling has been delegated to attend a meeting of hospital superintendents, to be held in New York on Saturday, April 26, as representative of the city.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, April 10:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Marie Bishop, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Eva McDonald, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Maude Coon, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Margaret Sullivan, ward helper, \$11 a week; Johanna Sullivan, ward helper, \$11 a week; Mildred Kenney, ward helper, \$11 a week; Annie Russo, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Mary Butler, ward helper, \$11 a week; Margaret Collins, ward helper, \$11 a week; Maria Conley, ward helper, \$11 a week; Nellie Prescott, ward helper, \$11 a week; Cora Smith, ward helper, \$11 a week; Mary Messenger, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Salvator Ibaquia, baker's assistant, \$14 a week; Mary Lucy, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Annie McGinnis, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Raymond Flaherty, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Henry J. Lannigan, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Raymond Bridges, transfer porter, \$11 a week.

Temporary.—Mary Lee, special nurse, \$35 a week; Emma Ball, special nurse, \$35 a week; Elizabeth Madore, special nurse, \$35 a week; Caroline Collier, special nurse, \$35 a week; Myrtle Bovat, special nurse, \$35 a week; Florence Vail, special nurse, \$35 a week; Martha Lane, special nurse, \$35 a week; Angie Moshier, special nurse (re-employed), \$35 a week; Anna Welch, telephone operator, \$20 a week; Cora Cross, apothecary (re-employed), \$15 a week; Katherine Cremin, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; John Shields, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Edward E. Baker, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Charles Carson, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments were made for the week ending Thursday, April 10:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Annie F. Boyle, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Lillian Mahan.

John M. Collins, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Michael F. Hurney.

George Gately, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Daniel J. Mulligan.

Norah Harrington, institution employee, at a salary of \$500 a year, to succeed Mary Martin.

James Splaine, porter, at a salary of \$500 a year, to succeed John T. Hafferty.

Walter W. Marchbank, institution employee, at a salary of \$1,050 a year, to succeed John F. Goode.

Pierce Nagle, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Clark Grimes.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

William A. Ratigan has been appointed errand boy at \$10 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

William J. Reagan has been appointed temporary assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week for two weeks.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

John J. McDonough has been employed as temporary fireman at \$5.50 a day for a period of sixty days from April 14.

Theodore P. Panopoulos has been granted extension of temporary employment as marine fireman at \$5.50 a day for sixty days from April 12.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

John B. Curley and John Blong have been appointed temporary sewer inspectors for a period of six months, the former at \$1,400 a year and the latter at \$1,600 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

William J. Kane and John P. Gorman have been appointed as permanent water construction inspectors at \$1,500 a year.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

Dr. Frederick W. Watkeys has been designated to act as Acting Soldiers' Relief Commissioner at such times as the Commissioner is absent during the four weeks commencing April 14, 1924.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Robert E. Carey has been appointed rodman for a period of three months at \$1,000 a year.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Edwin A. Wall has been designated to act as Acting City Treasurer at such time as the treasurer is absent during the four weeks commencing April 10.

GAS EXAMINERS TO MEET.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Gas Examiners of the City of Boston in the office of the Building Department, Room 901, City Hall Annex, on Wednesday, April 23, at 3 o'clock p. m., relative to the subject of automatic gas shut-offs.

All persons interested in the subject will have an opportunity to be heard at this public meeting.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, April 10:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 6½ hours, \$5.63; N. MacPherson, assistant engineer, 12 hours, \$10; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 12½ hours, \$7.80; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; D. M. Hurley, carpenter, 6 hours, \$3.96; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 16½ hours, \$9.28; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 16½ hours, \$9.63; J. Gill, baker, 6 hours, \$3.63; S. Rideout, baker's assistant, 6 hours, \$1.38. Total, \$79.58.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, April 10:

J. Reynolds, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13; J. McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 14:

Laborers.—Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4; James Henneberry, William McGee, William Carolan, William Jeffers, Thomas King, George King, Walter Wenzel, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Watchman.—James Magee, 1½ days, \$4.50.

Engineer.—John Mahoney, 1½ days, \$7.50.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon April 12 the Mayor approved a contract with V. Barletta for sewerage works in Dorchester brook sewer, east fork, in Humphreys street, from Holden street to Dudley street, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened April 11, were as follows:

V. Barletta, \$53,860; Wm. Barrett & Co., \$53,870.50; A. Baruffaldi Company, \$55,543.50; Bruno & Pettiti, \$56,807.50; C. & R. Construction Company, \$58,836; M. H. Loonie, \$60,741.50; V. Grande, \$61,575; West Roxbury Trap Rock Company, \$63,228.50; C. Russo, \$64,036.50.

Upon April 14 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Russo for sewerage works in Nottingham road, from Melton road to Nottingham road, Brighton. Bids for the work, opened April 10, were as follows:

C. Russo, \$12,368.75; M. D. Russo, \$12,473.75; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$13,129.50; A. Daddario, \$13,138.50; J. Guarino & Co., \$13,182.50; A. Baruffaldi Company, \$13,600; J. Williams & Co., \$13,621.25; V. Barletta, \$13,822.50; A. Cefalo, \$13,879; M. DeSisto

Company, \$14,042.50; C. & R. Construction Company, \$14,302.50; A. D. Daddario, \$14,385; Joseph Todesca, \$14,387.50; M. DeMatteo, \$14,569.75; V. Grande, \$15,067.50; J. J. Conway, \$15,232.50; W. B. Bryne, \$15,392.50; Vozzella & Caponi, \$15,829; S. J. Tomasello, \$15,865; Bruno & Pettiti, \$21,900; Bryne & Co., \$22,847.25.

Upon April 15 the Mayor approved a contract with Samuel J. Tomasello for sewerage works in Regina road, from Alpha road about 275 feet westerly, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened April 11, were as follows:

Samuel J. Tomasello, \$2,296.45; Croce Iacuzzi, \$2,627.65; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$2,630.85; A. D. Daddario, \$2,671.65; M. D. Russo Company, \$2,731.45; J. Williams & Co., \$2,870.25; M. DeSisto Company, \$2,939.25; J. Guarino & Co., \$3,002.25; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$9,060.65; C. Russo, \$3,184.25; M. DeMatteo, \$3,246.25.

Upon April 16 the Mayor approved a contract with A. D. Daddario for sewerage works in School street, between Waverly and Fletcher streets, Brighton. Bids for the work, opened April 14, were as follows:

A. D. Daddario, \$2,621; M. DeSisto Company, \$2,669; J. Williams & Co., \$2,791.50; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2,811.50; C. Iacuzzi, \$2,899.50; C. Russo, \$3,176.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$3,326.50; V. Grande, \$3,759.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

Upon April 9 the Mayor approved a contract with B. E. Grant for furnishing combination motor street sprinkling and flushing trucks, the only bidder, at the rate of \$32 a day for each truck. This contract is to run from April 15, 1924, until October 31, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon April 16 the Mayor approved a contract with John A. Costello & Co. for laying and relaying water pipes in Arthur street, Charles river reservation, and Highborn street, Brighton; Beech, Cornell, Grandview, Granville and Inton streets, Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened April 14, were as follows:

John Williams & Co., \$6,253; J. A. Costello & Co., \$6,865; A. Grande, \$7,201; C. Russo, \$7,280; V. Grande, \$7,453; Vozzella & Caponi, \$8,330; J. Guarino & Co., \$10,335.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 16 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Piotti Company for alterations, etc., in the Andrews School. Bids for the work, opened April 11, were as follows:

A. Piotti Company, \$14,416; Casey & Darcy Company, \$14,521; Archdeacon & Sullivan, \$16,490; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$18,000; H. C. Shiels, \$19,300; Walter Curley & Son, \$24,872.

Upon April 16 the Mayor approved a contract with the Hart & Hutchinson Company for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in various high schools. Bids for the work, opened April 8, were as follows:

Durabilt Steel Locker Company, \$7,050.70*; Hart & Hutchinson Company, \$7,142; Manufacturing, Equipment and Engineering Company,

\$8,068.71; Berger Manufacturing Company, \$8,406.67; Lyons Metallic Manufacturing Company, \$9,374.30.

*Did not bid according to specifications.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 10 the Mayor approved a contract with the Standard Oil Company for furnishing approximately 350,000 gallons of 45 per cent asphaltic road oil to the Public Works Department. Bids for the supply, opened April 4, were as follows:

Per Gallon Applied.—Highway Products Company, 7½ cents; Joseph J. Galvin, 7.8 cents; Alden Speare's Sons Company, 6.87 cents; Standard Oil Company, 6.87 cents; Texas Company, 8.69 cents.

Per Gallon Applied with Sand Covering.—Highway Products Company, 14½ cents; Joseph J. Galvin, 19.9 cents; Alden Speare's Sons Company, 14.87 cents.

Upon April 10 the Mayor approved a contract with Charles Hvass & Co., Inc., for furnishing nine trailers for collection of garbage and ashes for the Sanitary Service, Public Works Department. Bids for the supply, opened April 7, were as follows:

Charles Hvass & Co., Inc., \$1,650. each; ½ per cent discount for payment in 10 days.

Upon April 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the Buzzell-Flanders Company for furnishing catgut to the various city departments. Bids for the supply, opened March 26, were as follows:

Hospital Department.

Bartlett Method.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Chromic.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Unchromic.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Long Island Hospital.

Unchromic No. 00.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Unchromic No. 0.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Unchromic No. 1.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Unchromic No. 2.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Chromic No. 0.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

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Chromic No. 1.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Chromic No. 2.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Bartlett Method No. 1.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Bartlett Method No. 2.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Lig. Plain.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$27; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Lig. Coarse.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$27; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Lig. Medium.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$27; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$12.70; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$14.20.

Silk Fine.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$6.25*; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$6†; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$5.

Silk Medium.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$6.25*; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$6†; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$5.

Silk Coarse.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$6.25*; Buzzell-Flanders Company, \$6.60†; Jaeger-Bigelow Company, \$6.

Discount.—Jaeger-Bigelow Company, 2 per cent.

The 1923 price, \$15 for catgut.

*Silk equals piece of 1,000 strands.
†Silk equals piece of 100 strands.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 7 the Mayor approved a contract with the J. R. Worcester & Co., for making borings at North End Park. A communication from Daniel J. Byrne of the Park Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 7, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Park Commissioners respectfully asks your authority to award a contract, without advertising, to J. R. Worcester & Co., consulting engineers, 79 Milk street, Boston, for the sum of \$1,872 for services in connection with making borings at North End Park and general oversight on borings and surveyors' time for setting ranges and locating borings.

The reason for making this request is that Messrs. O'Connell & Shaw, architects in charge of the plans and drawings for the proposed building and bathing development at North End Park, instructed Messrs. J. R. Worcester & Co. to do the work, and the City Auditor states that this is not included in their contract for architectural services and that your approval should be obtained for this work to be done.

Very truly yours,

DANIEL J. BYRNE,
Secretary.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Upon April 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the Highland Contracting Company for the construction of artificial

stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 9, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to the Highland Contracting Company, 5 Ulmer street, Roxbury, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters and secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon April 14 the Mayor approved a contract with W. M. Evatt Company for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 9, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to W. M. Evatt Company, 200 Devonshire street, city, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon April 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Vozella & Caponi for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 15, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Vozella & Caponi, 34 Auburn street, Rosindale, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; the expense of construction is divided by the city and the abutters; and because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon April 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Frank J. Gallagher & Co., for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 15, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Frank J. Gallagher & Co., 580 Huron

avenue, Cambridge, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters, and secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 15 the Mayor approved a contract with the John Bowen Company for repairs to the Bennett School, Brighton district. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 10, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor, under the provisions of chapter 486, section 30, of the Acts of 1909, to awarding a contract, without advertising, to John Bowen Company, 184 Dudley street, for repairs to the Bennett School, Brighton district, the cost of said work to exceed the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars.

The reason for making this request is as follows: On April 8 a fire occurred in this school, which gutted the building above the second story and caused considerable damage to the lower stories on account of water. In order to have the building ready for occupancy at the re-opening of school in September, it is necessary to begin the work immediately, and the Board has therefore made arrangements to this end. As the cost of repairs will be largely in excess of one thousand (1,000) dollars, the Board requests the approval of your Honor to making contract as above.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 10 the Mayor approved a contract with the Ideal Power Lawn Mower Company for furnishing the Park Department three lawn mowers. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 4, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising the same, to the Ideal Power Lawn Mower Company for furnishing to the Park Department one Ideal power triplex mower and two Ideal Model 30-inch mowers, to cost \$1,850 f. o. b. cars Lansing, Mich.

This type of machine has been selected by the Park Commission as the one best suited for the work required of it, and as the Ideal Power Lawn Mower Company are the manufacturers no advantage would be obtained by publicly advertising for same.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon April 12 the Mayor approved a contract with the William H. Moon Company, Morrisville, Penn., for furnishing trees for the Park Department. A

communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 10, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising the same, to William H. Moon Company, Morrisville, Penn., for furnishing 132 European lindens, 2½ inches to 2 inches; 49 European lindens, 2 inches to 2½ inches; 100 red oaks, 2 inches to 2½ inches; same to cost \$1,325. These trees were selected by Mr. James B. Shea, chairman of the Park Department, and as it is impossible to obtain these trees elsewhere and they are required for this spring, I trust the permission requested will be granted.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon April 15 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Buick Company for furnishing to the Public Works Department one five-passenger touring car. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 14, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising the same, to the Boston Buick Company for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service, one 1924 five-passenger Buick touring car with full equipment at \$1,425; less allowance on 1921 five-passenger touring car, Ford, \$100; net cost, \$1,325.

As this is the type of car which best suits the needs of this department I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon April 15 the Mayor approved a contract with the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing the Public Works Department one Reo speed wagon for the Bridge Service. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 14, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising for same, to the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Bridge Service, one 1½-ton Reo speed wagon, equipped with special rack side body and Metropolitan cab, at \$1,830; less allowance on Ford truck, \$175; net cost, \$1,655.

As the Public Works Department has standardized on this type of truck I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

A. Piotti Company have been ordered to make a change in contract for the restoration of Faneuil Hall, said change being as per attached statement:

Erect a terra cotta wall in each of the fourteen windows in the Dock square end of Faneuil Hall, removing, renovating and replacing present sash. Plaster the outside surface of such walls with 1-inch of asbestos plaster. Plaster the inside of such walls in three coats lime and hair plaster, finish to match existing work.

Paint outside three coats of lead and oil, colors as selected by architects. Paint inside to match existing work.

Should it be found unnecessary to remove existing canvas-covered wood panels, these will remain undisturbed.

Place approximately 10 per cent of volume of cement of integral waterproofing in slabs under refrigerators on market floor. Material to be Moduse, Cerosit, or as approved, applied as directed by manufacturers.

All above work to meet the approval of the architects.

The amount to be added to contract on account of this work is the sum of \$1,200.

Conceal all sprinkler piping in main Faneuil Hall auditorium, the main in entrance staircase and the headquarters room of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, for which the sum to be added is \$456.18. Total additions, \$1,656.18.

Omit the sprinkler system on the exterior of the building above the new reinforced concrete awning, this to include the entire open sprinkler system beyond the main connection in valve pit.

The main supply from street shall be brought into valve pit, valved and plugged in manner approved by inspector of the City of Boston, for which deduct the sum of \$703.80.

Net addition, \$952.38.

Contract price, \$191,472; total additions, \$98,261.99; total deductions, \$4,269; amount of contract, \$285,464.99.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph Slotnik Company have been ordered to deduct allowance for hardware, section 12, page 120, \$7,500; shrubs, section 4, page 35, \$1,000; total, \$8,500, in the contract for Dorchester High School, as per architect's letter of March 17, 1924. Contract price, \$871,911; total additions, \$68,902.14; total deductions, \$8,500; amount of contract, \$932,313.14.

John Bowen Company have been ordered to deduct allowance for hardware, Section 10, page 69, \$1,600 as per architect's letter of March 17, 1924, for addition to the Winship School. Contract price, \$135,000; total additions, \$2,114.70; total deductions, \$1,600; amount of contract, \$135,514.70.

Joseph Slotnik Company have been allowed the following changes in contract for the Dorchester High School as per architect's letter of March 17, 1924: For changing and additional steel lintels, \$1,911.33; forming extra beams over lunchroom, \$96; changing vent opening, lunchroom, \$15.87; removal of material and extra excavation in connection with corner stone exercises, \$413; changing

mortar color for white brick in hall and gymnasium, \$2,236.70; using salt-glazed bull-nose brick forming three door openings, additional labor, \$30; building concrete pipe trench in basement, \$200; additional foundation work under boilers, \$865.67; additional common brick-work in assembly hall at concealed radiators, \$174; blasting in main trench, 3 cubic yards at \$18, \$54; additional excavation, backfill, concrete rear entrances, \$75.48; installation of 4-inch fire service, \$98.60; additional terra cotta at proscenium openings, assembly hall, \$287.84; additional roof lights, copper flashing and copper ventilations, \$505; stiffening framework on mezzanine book-room, \$35; net addition, \$6,998.49. Contract price, \$871,911; total additions, \$68,902.14; amount of contract, \$940,813.14.

A. Piotti Company have been allowed the following changes in their contracts for the Charles Sumner District School, as per architect's letter of March 28, 1924: 1, changing circular stairs, gymnasium grilles, science room table, \$412.50; 2, erecting pipe rail in lunch room and additional posts, rails on pipe returns in girls' dressing room, \$178; general contractor's 10 per cent on Items 1 and 2, \$59.05; 3, cutting holes for stove pipe and setting up and installing knees for tables in cooking room, \$23.65; 4, building clothes rack, including hooks, and covering gymnasium floor with paper, \$229.70; 5, building door in girls' dressing room and changing astragals on all outside doors, \$75.02; 6, painting five extra window guards in gymnasium balcony, including general contractor's 10 per cent, \$52.75; total addition, \$1,030.67. Contract price, \$239,708; total additions, \$10,259.45; total deductions, \$16,233.50; amount of contract, \$233,733.95.

A. Piotti Company have been allowed to deduct allowance for hardware, section 12, page 88, \$900; shrubs, section 4, page 33, \$500; total, \$1,400, on the contract for the Bennett District School, as per architect's letter of March 17, 1924. Contract price, \$91,824; total additions, \$5,184.50; total deductions, \$1,400; amount of contract, \$95,608.50.

CITY SEEKS TO BORROW \$800,000 FOR WATER SERVICE.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Joseph P. Lyons and Christopher J. Carven of the Boston Public Works Department appeared Monday before the Legislative Committee on Municipal Finance in favor of the petition of Mayor Curley for authority to borrow \$800,000 outside the debt limit for construction of new water pipes on Commonwealth avenue, Arlington street, Beacon street and the Common and a cross-town pipe from Tremont street to Commonwealth avenue.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for authority to do the following work:

To relay granite block paving with grout joints in Granite street, South Boston, from Mt. Washington avenue to West Second street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$15,000.

To resurface with asphalt macadam Savin Hill avenue, from Dorchester avenue to New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Bridge, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$4,500.

PATRIOTS' DAY CELEBRATION.

The Citizens' Public Celebrations Association of Boston, in co-operation with the city director of public celebrations and committees appointed by the mayors and selectmen of nearby communities, added several new features for the joint observance of Patriots' Day, Saturday.

As the principal part of the celebration program, riders representing Paul Revere and William Dawes, Jr., reproduced the historic rides of these two revolutionary messengers from Boston to Lexington. "Revere" started from the old Revere home in North square, while "Dawes" started from John Eliot square, Roxbury.

While the rider impersonating Paul Revere was passing through Medford, a member of the Patriots' Day committee in that city broadcasted a message by radio from Station WGI, Medford Hill-side. A squadron of airplanes piloted by aviators of the Massachusetts National Guard flew over the routes of both riders.

The celebration officially opened in Boston with a flag raising at City Hall at 9 a. m. Mayor Curley, Chairman, Merle R. Griffith of the local committee and J. Philip O'Connell, Director of Public Celebrations in Boston, performed this ceremony. A battalion of sailors and marines from the Boston Navy Yard and a detachment of the Lexington Minute Men in Continental uniform also participated.

From City Hall, the participants marched through School and Tremont streets, Scollay square to Hanover street, where they met the rider impersonating Paul Revere. The parade then proceeded to North square, where patriotic exercises were conducted preceding the departure of the rider for Lexington at 10 o'clock.

Before "Dawes" started on his ride from Eliot square, there was a patriotic program in which the American Legion, Grand Army, Roxbury Historical Society, Women's Club, Norfolk House Center and school children took part. The rider started at 10 o'clock and journeyed through Brookline, Cambridge, Arlington and Lexington. In each of these places there were patriotic exercises on his arrival.

Arlington introduced a new feature in the observance of the holiday. A parade of military and patriotic organizations formed in morning at the Senior High School and marched to local spots famed in revolutionary history, including the graves of revolutionary heroes, which were decorated by members of the D. A. R. At noon the riders from Boston were greeted with exercises at the town hall.

In Lexington there were the customary observance of the day, including a parade and a reception at 12:40 p. m. on the historic Battle Green to "Revere" and "Dawes."

NEW DIGEST ON CITY HEALTH LAW IS ISSUED.

The Boston Health Department, under direction of the Mayor, has just issued a 344-page digest of health laws, comprising the statutes, special legislation affecting the city, rules and regulations of the local health authorities and pertinent Boston ordinances. It is the first such manual published in twenty years and the tenth since 1801.

It contains all health legislation, reference notations and court decisions which are in effect at the present time in Boston and Massachusetts. To make the work a complete and exact copy of the laws and regulations it was necessary to search every annual report since the Health Department was organized and scrutinize carefully every record book containing the official minutes of the meetings of the Board of Health and Health Department, as well as to examine the various sources of legislative authority for health administration.

The work of collecting and compiling the data contained in the digest has been carried on for several years by the regular staff of the Health Department at no additional expense to the department. The actual publication, which cost about \$3,000, was provided for by an appropriation obtained in 1923. The book will be sold to other than officials of governmental agencies, to whom it will be distributed free, at \$2 a copy, to help defray the cost of printing and binding.

The volume contains a preface by Health Commissioner Francis X. Mahoney and by his secretary, Stephen L. Maloney, under whose supervision the work was compiled. The book is divided into five parts, each a separate digest in itself, in that the laws and regulations, for instance, affecting food and food establishments are in one part, so that it is an easy matter for anyone to find, with the aid of the index to chapters at the beginning of each part, any of the laws or regulations for which he may be searching. The divisions are Part I., The Health Commissioner; Part II., Medical Inspection; Part III., Vital Statistics, Burial Records and Interments; Part IV., Sanitary Inspection, Part V., Food Inspection.

Each section in each chapter contains complete marginal notations showing previous enactments and references to Supreme Court decisions. Where elucidation seemed necessary supplementary notes or cross references are indicated.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Mayor has approved the following order passed by the Board of Street Commissioners:

Voted, That in the matter of Fred H. Plouff, petitioner for damages for the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes in 2,399 square feet of land on River street, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of August 5, 1921, after consultation with the Law Department, and on its advice, the Board assesses the petitioner's damages in the sum of \$500 and consents that the Corporation Counsel agree to judgment in said case on the terms herein stated.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Nichols-Egan Company have been allowed to amend their contract for finish hardware of an elementary school in the Theodore Lyman District by striking out the words and figures, "January 2, 1924," on page 12, Section 3 and substituting therefore the words and figures, "May 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 12 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about December 20, 1923, and is to be completed on or before May 1, 1924."

MOTHER'S DAY FOUNDER ACCEPTS MAYOR'S INVITATION.

Mayor Curley on April 16 received the following letter from Miss Anna Jarvis, founder of Mother's Day:

MOTHER'S DAY INTERNATIONAL
ASSOCIATION, INC.,
PHILADELPHIA, April 14, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR MAYOR CURLEY,—The very gracious invitation of the City of Boston, extended through its distinguished Mayor, has been read with keen appreciation.

I have very special pleasure in accepting this invitation, and have accordingly canceled my previous Mother's Day engagements.

It seems to me that I may anticipate Mother's Day, May 11, 1924, in the historic city of Boston, as the most inspiring and memorable occasion in Mother's Day history.

May I ask the City of Boston, the Mayor who has been a loyal Mother's Day friend, Colonel and Mrs. Walter Duncan, to accept my assurance of thanks for this notable invitation?

Reciprocating the expressions of esteem of the Mayor most heartily, I have the honor to be,

Most sincerely,

ANNA JARVIS.

DOVER CITIZENS THANK MAYOR.

Mayor Curley on April 16 received the following letter from the Board of Selectmen of Dover, Mass.:

OFFICE OF BOARD OF SELECTMEN,
DOVER, MASS., April 10, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Your kind letter of April 2, assuring us that you were in favor of retaining the ancient name of Dover street and would insist that no change be made, was received with pleasure by this Board, and your decision—when made known to the townspeople both by your letter and through the press—met with very general and sincere appreciation.

Please accept the cordial thanks and best wishes of

Yours very truly,

BOARD OF SELECTMEN,
By M. W. COMISKEY, *Chairman*.

MATERIAL FOR SALE.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Park Department for permission to sell at public auction the following articles: Article 1, Oldsmobile, one cylinder gasoline engine (five horse power) with pulley (pulley 12 inches by 6 inches; Article 2, contractor's bucket, contains $\frac{1}{2}$ cubic yard; Article 3, horizontal steam engine, twenty-five horse power; Article 4, one Westinghouse steam engine, thirty-five horse power (vertical); Article 5, case farm tractor (not complete); Article 6, portable steam boiler with pump; Article 7, 600-gallon tank (wood) mounted on automobile truck frame; Article 8, portable steam boiler and pump; Article 9, Buffalo Steam Roller Company road scarifier (old type); Article 10, one lead statue.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending April 12, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
776,783, United States Census estimate.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 206; nonresidents, 52; total,
258.
Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 17.31; nonresidents deducted,
13.82.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 16.45; corresponding week
last year, 16.58.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 34; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 21; sixty years and over, 80;
total deaths, male, 148; female, 110;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 127;
deaths of colored, 10.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended April 12, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended April 14, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	64	8	71	1
Encephalitis lethargica.....	3	2	3	1
Influenza.....	4	—	5	1
Measles.....	119	1	185	1
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	51	16	38	14
Scarlet fever.....	79	1	93	2
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	50	11	38	18
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	3	—	12	3
Typhoid fever.....	—	1	4	2
Whooping cough.....	11	—	71	2

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE
EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

FIRE SERVICE, BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN
DISTRICT, APRIL 26, 1924.

Applicants for the service of Boston must be not less than twenty-two nor over thirty years of age at the time of filing their applications. Applicants for the service of all other cities and towns in the metropolitan district must be not less than twenty-one nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing their applications. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Callmen and substitute callmen may make such deductions from their ages as are provided for in Civil Service Rule 8, Classes 20 and 21.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; practical questions on fire apparatus, etc., 4; total, 10. Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be required to pass a physical examination and strength tests. Educational qualifications, 2; physical qualifications, 3; total, 5.

The questions on duties will be based upon information contained in a manual known as the "Red Book." This manual may be obtained from the Secretary of State, Room 118, State House, at ten cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Persons who possess the requisite qualifications as to age may have their names placed on any three eligible lists

in addition to the original list for which they apply. Preference in certification will be given to applicants who, at the time of certification, have been domiciled for six months in the city or town from which requisition is received.

SANITARY ENGINEERING ASSISTANT, DE-
PARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, MAY
6, 1924.

The salary is \$1,200 per year. It is desirable that applicants should either be graduates of a course in sanitary engineering given by a recognized technical institution, or should have had a year's experience in sanitary engineering in addition to a general engineering education.

The duties of this position require that applicants be capable of making sanitary surveys of watersheds and assisting in the examinations of water supplies, sewage disposal works and rivers under the direction of the chief engineer or his principal assistants. Applicants should have a knowledge of hydraulics and of interpretation of water and sewage analyses and be able to make plans or sketches of works under investigation without being called upon to make designs.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 8; penmanship, 1; mathematics, 4; questions on duties, 7; total, 20.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Preference granted under the law to disabled veterans is applicable to this examination.

SEALERS, DEPUTY SEALERS OF WEIGHTS
AND MEASURES, MAY 9, 1924.

This examination is for the service of all cities in the state and such towns as are classified under civil service. The salaries range from \$800 to \$1,600 per year.

The sealer of weights and measures is required to enforce the laws pertaining to weighing and measuring devices and to the giving of false or insufficient weight or measure; to the licensing of hawkers, pedlars, and transient vendors; to wholesale milk containers, ice cream cans and moulds, cranberry barrels and crates, standard boxes for farm produce, berry baskets, and other containers used as measures; to the weights of bread and to the labeling of loaves of other than standard unit weight.

It is also his duty to test all weighing or measuring devices used for buying or selling, for public weighing, or for hire or reward, and to seal or condemn them in accordance with the results of his tests; also to investigate complaints and to prosecute violations of law when the evidence warrants such action. Pamphlets including the general laws relating to weights measures, licenses, etc., and a "Sealer's Manual," containing instructions for the inspection, testing and sealing of weighing and measuring devices, may be obtained upon request to the Director of Standards, 194 State House, after application for examination has been filed.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; simple arithmetic, including simple percentage, decimals and the metric system, 2; report, 1; technical questions aimed to test applicant's knowledge of (a) the law governing the inspection of weights and measures; (b) the construction and types of mechanical weighing and measuring apparatus; (c) ability to present cases in court; (d) general knowledge of the duties of the position, 3; total, 10.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Preference granted under the law to disabled veterans is applicable to this examination.

DENTISTS, MAY 21, 1924.

This examination is for the service of the state, all cities in the state and such towns as are classified under civil service. From the eligible list established as a result of this examination names will be certified to fill vacancies in institutions, schools and other positions as they occur. The salaries range from \$1,000 to \$1,400 per year.

Applicants are required to be registered to practise dentistry under the Board of Dental Examiners, Department of Civil Service and Registration.

The examination will consist of the filing of a statement of training and experience. The mark given on experience will be combined with the mark given applicants by the State Board of Dental Examiners, and an average will be taken to determine their standing on the list.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

JANITORS, MAY 23, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified

under civil service. There are several vacancies at the present time.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; practical questions on the duties of the position, 5; total, 10. Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

WATCHMEN, GATEMEN, GUARDS AND PRISON OFFICERS, MAY 15, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. This service includes watchmen and guards in public parks, grounds, institutions and departments, gatemen for ferries; turnkeys and guards in prisons, houses of detention and reformatories.

Applicants for appointment as officers in the State Prison and Massachusetts Reformatory must be not less than twenty-five and not over forty years of age at the time of filing application. Applicants for appointment as officers in Prison Camp and Hospital must be not less than twenty-three nor over forty years of age at the time of filing application. All applicants for these places must be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height and weigh not less than 135 pounds. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the applications for this service.

There are no age, height or weight limits for watchman service other than those mentioned above.

The examination for watchmen, gatemen and guards will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; memory test, 1; arithmetic, 1; handwriting, 1; accuracy, 1; total, 10.

The examination for prison officers will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions covering general disciplinary and penological methods, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants who pass the examination for prison officers will, upon request, also be placed on the list for watchmen.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 510.

The resignation of Patrolman Walter E. McIntee of Division 10 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Thursday, April 10, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 514.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Harold F. Alexander of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Harold F. Alexander be placed on file.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 10 TO APRIL 16.

APRIL 10.

OWNER	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Frank W. Gustavson...	Rear of 6 Hopestill street...	19	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
George V. Wattendorf...	Rear of 44 Edison green....	11	First-class garage.....	4,500
George V. Wattendorf...	44A Edison green.....	11	First-class garage.....	5,000
Edward Farwell.....	Rear of 114 Lexington street...	1	First-class garage.....	1,150
Joseph Kudrevicius...	Rear of 43 Batchelder street...	12	Second-class garage.....	700
Lillian More.....	12 Moultrie street.....	19	Second-class garage.....	1,450
Rose A. Shochy.....	Rear of 16 Colonial road....	25	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Fitzpatrick Brothers...	Rear of 148 Centre street...	19	Second-class storage.....	12,000
Jacob Marks.....	29 Wellington Hill street...	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Jacob Marks.....	16 Ormond street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Jacob Marks.....	27 Wellington Hill street...	21	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
A. Gilbert.....	164 Devon street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Ralph Frichione.....	37 Dacia street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling and store...	2,000
Leland M. Chute.....	44 East Newton street.....	6	Alterations, lodging house...	600

APRIL 11.

Tremont Street Realty Trust	252-272 Tremont street.	5	First-class theater, store and offices.	\$2,500,000
Traverse Building Trust...	191-199 Friend street.....	5	First-class mercantile.....	200,000
Rubin Handl.....	Rear of 21 Vesta road.....	19	First-class garage.....	800
M. V. Brennan.....	Rear of 247 Athens street...	9	Special garage.....	265
Bethlehem Ship Building Corporation.	277 Marginal street.....	2	Special storage.....	400
Joseph Vietz.....	Rear of 141 Beaver street...	24	Second-class garage.....	500
Colonial Filling Stations...	1684 Dorchester avenue....	20	Second-class filling station...	8,000
William R. Landers.....	1575-1579 Blue Hill avenue...	21	Second-class stores and offices	20,000
William A. Gaynor.....	237 Tremont street.....	8	Second-class stores and offices	5,000
Joseph LeClere.....	168 and 170 Orange street...	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Joseph LeClere.....	172 and 174 Orange street...	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Joseph LeClere.....	176 and 178 Orange street...	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
W. A. Williams.....	163 Wachusett street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Annie L. Chase.....	26 Stockton street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Frank Pool.....	6 Beckett street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
D. A. McLaughlin.....	36 and 38 Park street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
Harvard College.....	360-364 Washington street...	5	Alterations, store.....	16,000
Oscar Grossberg.....	64 Bradshaw street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
C. M. Woodman.....	20 Grimes street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	750
John Y. Gillespie.....	632 Columbia road.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Morris Goldberg.....	12 Newbury street.....	8	Alterations, store and lodging	1,800
F. C. Bowditch.....	67 and 69 Carver street...	8	Alterations, store and offices..	3,000
Mary Carlson.....	11 Brookford street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
David G. Haskins.....	109 East Newton street.....	6	Alterations, store and suites...	250
E. Sohler Welch, trustee...	2 and 2A Park street.....	5	Alterations, store and offices..	6,000
Lifland & Shiaier.....	320 Blue Hill avenue.....	18	Alterations, store and dwelling.	5,000
Lifland & Shiaier.....	318 Blue Hill avenue.....	18	Alterations, store and dwelling.	2,000
Bailey candy store.....	45 West street.....	5	Install three dumb waiters ..	750
H. E. Cline.....	95 and 97 Lowell street....	5	Erect fire escapes.....	225
R. Elmer Townsend et al...	480 Massachusetts avenue...	7	Erect fire escapes.....	205

APRIL 12.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Co...	164 St. Alphonsus street.....	14	First-class garage.....	\$5,000
Estate of Mrs. C. W. McPherson.	Rear of 10 Puritan avenue...	18	Third-class garage.....	200
Holdsworth & Farrington...	211 Congress street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	1,000
W. L. Putnam.....	49 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
Mary A. McCarron.....	11 Jones avenue.....	21	Alterations, carpenter shop...	100
Louis Kalensky.....	49 Munroe street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
W. L. Galley.....	64 Glendale street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,400
Max Weinberg.....	27 Park street.....	3	Take-down, store and dwelling.	100
Max Weinberg.....	29 and 31 Park street.....	3	Take-down, shop.....	75

APRIL 14

John Varnerin.....	Rear of 319 Norfolk avenue...	11	First-class garage.....	\$2,000
Felice DeLeo.....	Rear of 21 Kennerma road...	19	Second-class garage.....	1,500
Mrs. Carrie Johnson.....	Rear of 60 Callender street...	21	Second-class garage.....	1,400
Walter Newton.....	Rear of 45 Kenwood street...	19	Second-class garage.....	900
Elizabeth Hampton.....	Rear of 4 Westford street...	26	Special garage.....	300
John J. Dowling.....	71 Hilburn street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Guisepe Lambiase.....	114 and 116 Bayswater st...	21	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
J. W. Kelleher.....	77 Bennett street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Edward McGuinness.....	84 Bennett street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Jerome J. Russo.....	176 Florence street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Louis F. Abbott.....	15 Hobson street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,500
Peter H. Randlov.....	138 Lasell street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
M. A. Christiensen.....	139 Willow street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. A. Christiensen.....	143 Willow street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Ida Goldstein.....	Rear of 58 Greenwood street...	21	Third-class garage.....	200
Frank L. Churchill.....	Rear of 69 Stockton street...	21	Third-class garage.....	800
Gordon Coal Company.....	46 Call street.....	22	Third-class coal shed.....	3,000
Rosario Smaildone.....	226 and 228 Princeton street...	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Salvatore Riccado.....	135 Havre street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	75
Alfred Anderson.....	109 Rutledge road.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
T. J. Curtin.....	50 and 52 Gates street.....	10	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Cornelius J. O'Brien.....	26 and 28 Coffey street...	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	600
George H. Pettie.....	889-897 Washington street...	5	Alterations, stores and lofts..	300
Commonwealth Associates, Inc.	6-20 Avery street.....	5	Alterations, stores and hotel..	2,500
Rose Shapiro.....	1208A Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Alterations, store.....	2,000

APRIL 15.

Sam Able.....	Rear of 72 Deering road....	21	First-class garage.....	\$1,300
Baffack Firchione.....	Rear of 37 Dacia street.....	17	First-class garage.....	1,750
Louis Labovitz.....	12 Canterbury street.....	21	Second-class tenements	50,000

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 10 TO APRIL 16.

APRIL 15.—*Concluded.*

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Clarence W. Bigney	31 Neponset avenue	24	Third-class store	350
T. F. Nicholson	723 Washington street	26	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Antonio De Vigilio	8 Lee Hill road	23	Third-class dwelling	4,500
A. Marunakas	5210 Washington street	23	Third-class garage	450
John J. Concannon	Rear of 26 Chipman street	21	Third-class garage	375
Della E. Joslin	51 Leamington road	25	Third-class dwelling	12,000
New England Order of Protection.	154 Newbury street	8	Alterations, offices	2,500
New England Order of Protection.	156 Newbury street	8	Alterations, offices	2,500
Daniel H. Counson	223 Walnut avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	150
Mrs. J. H. Ordway	26 Cedar street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,100
Pope Lumber Company	49 Railroad street	23	Alterations, wood working shop	3,000
C. A. Young et al.	420-424 Tremont street	6	Alterations, store and tenements	1,500
C. A. Young et al.	33 Albion street	6	Alterations, store and tenements	12,000
Francesco Yulo	138 Prince street	5	Alterations, store and tenements	1,000
Boston Publishing Company	171 Tremont street	5	Erect sign	747
William W. Washington	20 and 22 Greenwich park	7	Erect fire escape	120
Louise Walker et al.	25 and 27 Greenwich park	7	Erect fire escape	110
Mrs. Mary Bell	26 Greenwich park	7	Erect fire escape	120
Mary Tomas	28 and 30 Greenwich park	7	Erect fire escape	185
Henry F. West, agent	143 Worcester street	7	Erect fire escape	250
Dr. William E. Browne	587 Beacon street	8	Install elevator	2,600

APRIL 16.

Philip Adams	Rear of 15 Christopher st.	20	First-class garage	\$1,500
L. Keohane	Rear of 34 Quincy street	16	First-class garage	1,600
Catherine E. Harvey	Rear of 3 Argyle street	20	First-class garage	700
James F. Wells	Rear of Cushing avenue	17	First-class garage	1,000
Rottenberg & Rudnick	36 Quint avenue	25	Second-class tenements	55,000
Rottenberg & Rudnick	40 Quint avenue	25	Second-class tenements	55,000
Rottenberg & Rudnick	44 Quint avenue	25	Second-class tenements	55,000
Edmund Connolly	1556 Commonwealth av.	25	Second-class stores	15,000
Edmund Connolly	Rear of 1554 Commonwealth avenue	25	Second-class garage	3,000
Morris Derman	Rear of 222 L street	10	Second-class garage	1,500
The Texas Company	785 Saratoga street	1	Second-class filling station	1,100
The Texas Company	110 Broadway	8	Second-class filling station	1,100
Edward Weiler	3594 Washington street	22	Second-class stable	7,000
W. H. Hardy	Rear of 19 Parkman street	20	Special storehouse	380
Henry C. Ruhl, Jr.	Rear of 132 Southern av.	21	Third-class garage	250
J. J. Kelleher	Rear of 50 Landseer street	23	Third-class garage	500
Lena L. Dodge	Rear of 2 Meyer street	24	Third-class garage	600
Annie Swenson	Rear of 15 Wiggins street	23	Third-class garage	600
Henry E. West	Rear of 183 Temple street	23	Third-class garage	600
Annette Zavesky	Rear of 136 Wilmington av.	21	Third-class dwelling	14,000
Mrs. Enda Jensen	231 Park street	23	Third-class dwelling	13,000
Laura D. Hoffman	228 Ashland street	23	Alterations, shop and storage	300
Harry L. Cohen, lessee	5 and 6 Washington street	5	Alterations, mercantile	100
Morris Silverman	426 and 428 Seaver street	19	Alterations, tenements	4,000
William Cusion	6 Arcadia street	15	Alterations, dwelling	80
Dr. R. S. Titus	63 May street	22	Alterations, dwelling	5,000
John Berry	100 and 102 Sawyer street	13	Alterations, dwelling	125
Edward J. Donelan	75 Rosseter street	19	Alterations, dwelling	100
Mrs. Mary J. McCarthy	18 Van Winkle street	20	Alterations, dwelling	125
M. Yunes	30 Howland street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Angelo Galanti	1841 River street	24	Alterations, dwelling	2,800
Mrs. M. E. Malcomes	59 Lonsdale street	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Axel Swenson	194 West Springfield street	7	Erect fire escape	150

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 10 TO APRIL 16.

APRIL 10.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
D. B. Marston	273 Lexington street	1	New fixtures	\$250
Browning & Ripley	51 High street	5	New fixtures	150
K. W. McManus	190-198 Harvard avenue	25	New fixtures	350
P. T. Buckley	66 Commercial Wharf	5	New fixtures	400
J. Berg	40 Alfred street	3	New fixtures	125
Terence F. Feely	135 Milton avenue	21	New fixtures	900
Wilford H. Gray	91 Maxwell street	21	New fixtures	650
P. G. Finnerty	188 D street	9	New fixtures	280
M. Pass & Co.	183 Vernon street	13	New fixtures	100
James H. Boyd	187 Vernon street	13	New fixtures	300
Walter P. Wilson Company	5 Prescott street	4	New fixtures	200

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John J. Tierney	43 West Canton street	6	New fixtures	\$150
Daniel E. Walsh	128 North Beacon street	26	New fixtures	150
M. H. Myers	169 Shawmut avenue	6	New fixtures	150
Thomas F. Riley	230 Harvard avenue	25	New fixtures	350
Charles W. Johnston	10 Pelham street	6	New fixtures	358
K. W. McManus	18 Ellsworth street	15	New fixtures	400
T. H. Moores	7 and 8 Centre place	15	New fixtures	250
O. J. Morlock	11 Fairview street	23	New fixtures	500
Powers & Mehagan Company	112 Fairmount street	21	New fixtures	950
Louis Molledo	91 Business street	24	New fixtures	125
Solomon Tack	136 Roslindale avenue	23	New fixtures	750
Solomon Tack	134 Roslindale avenue	23	New fixtures	750

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 511.

It is hereby ordered that vacations for members of the force for 1924 shall begin June 5 and end December 3, and that not more than one eleventh of the whole number attached to any division shall be absent on vacation at the same time, except during vacations numbered 5 and 6, between August 25 and 27.

Members of the traffic divisions will have their regular days of relief except on Monday, October 13.

No days of relief will be allowed to other members of the force on July 3 and 4, July 10, August 12, September 9, October 13 and November 4, 1924. Members entitled to a day of relief on any of these days may take their day off either before or after the regular time by arrangement with and at the discretion of their division commander.

Patrolmen appointed after March 1, 1924, and up to June 1, 1924, will be allowed one week, to be taken at such times as the commanding officers of divisions shall designate.

Patrolmen appointed after June 1, 1924, will not receive any vacation.

The time for each vacation will be determined by lot in the usual way, Thursday, May 1, 1924.

Vacations to begin and end as follows:
No. 1: To begin at 7.45 a. m. June 5, and end at same time June 19.

No. 2: To begin at 7.45 a. m. June 19, and end at same time July 3.

No. 3: To begin at 7.45 a. m. July 11, and end at same time July 25.

No. 4: To begin at 7.45 a. m. July 25, and end at same time August 8.

No. 5: To begin at 7.45 a. m. August 13, and end at same time August 27.

No. 6: To begin at 7.45 a. m. August 25, and end at same time September 8.

No. 7: To begin at 7.45 a. m. September 10, and end at same time September 24.

No. 8: To begin at 7.45 a. m. September 24, and end at same time October 8.

No. 9: To begin at 7.45 a. m. October 14, and end at same time October 28.

No. 10: To begin at 7.45 a. m. November 5, and end at same time November 19.

No. 11: To begin at 7.45 a. m. November 19, and end at same time December 3.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 512.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Parker A. Coleman of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Parker A. Coleman be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 10 TO APRIL 16.

APRIL 12.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Charles Lang.....	32 Perkins street.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$250
Samuel Segal.....	286 Perham street.....	23	New fixtures.....	400
S. P. Williams.....	16 Montview street.....	23	New fixtures.....	90
Charles E. Baldwin.....	49 Gray street.....	7	New fixtures.....	250
F. D. Kirby.....	46-54 George street.....	12	New fixtures.....	600
P. M. Donoghue.....	31 Belvidere street.....	7	New fixtures.....	200
P. J. Sullivan.....	220 Warren street.....	25	New fixtures.....	9,500
P. J. Sullivan.....	224 Warren street.....	25	New fixtures.....	9,000
P. J. Sullivan.....	228 Warren street.....	25	New fixtures.....	9,000
Robert A. LaCentra.....	76 Neponset avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	800

APRIL 14.

H. L. Scotton Company.....	336 Faneuil street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$15,000
William H. Griffith Company.....	93 Village street.....	6	New fixtures.....	400
D. F. Carroll.....	Rear of 290 Southampton street.....	11	New fixtures.....	2,600
D. J. Rull.....	362 K street.....	10	New fixtures.....	150
Joseph W. Buckley.....	210 Riverway.....	14	New fixtures.....	13,000
Joseph W. Buckley.....	214 Riverway.....	14	New fixtures.....	13,300
W. L. Ambrose.....	10 Catawba street.....	16	New fixtures.....	100

APRIL 15.

Daniel M. Murphy.....	32 Ridge road.....	24	New fixtures.....	\$200
J. Flynn & Co.....	240 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	75
D. J. Rull.....	634 Dorchester avenue.....	11	New fixtures.....	500
S. Gould.....	129 Chiswick road.....	25	New fixtures.....	6,700
J. W. Foster.....	Rear of 133 Arlington st.....	26	New fixtures.....	120
David Carlin.....	32 Montgomery street.....	23	New fixtures.....	450
M. H. Myers.....	4 Kingston street.....	3	New fixtures.....	300
M. H. Myers.....	6 Kingston street.....	3	New fixtures.....	300
M. H. Myers.....	8 Kingston street.....	3	New fixtures.....	300
P. H. McCormack.....	70 Green street.....	3	New fixtures.....	350
M. H. Myers.....	85 Cambridge street.....	3	New fixtures.....	150
L. W. Polit.....	530 Massachusetts avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	500

APRIL 16.

C. J. Chisholm.....	550 Huntington avenue.....	14	New fixtures.....	\$120
J. M. Nihen.....	48 Conant street.....	14	New fixtures.....	200
J. M. Nihen.....	48A Conant street.....	14	New fixtures.....	125
J. P. Barrett.....	1207 Columbus avenue.....	15	New fixtures.....	450
George W. Rigby.....	158 West Second street.....	9	New fixtures.....	1,100
P. A. Lanz.....	81 South Market street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,200
M. S. Pann.....	36 Paris street.....	2	New fixtures.....	550
J. E. Ludden.....	365 Oakland street.....	24	New fixtures.....	900
William B. Johnson.....	3 Head place.....	5	New fixtures.....	3,500
Schwehr & Co.....	3 Dayton avenue.....	12	New fixtures.....	395
Emilio Puopolo.....	14 Beckler avenue.....	10	New fixtures.....	300
T. J. Hennigan.....	191 Main street.....	3	New fixtures.....	100
M. S. Pann.....	82 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	135
Joseph F. Burke.....	469 Columbus avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	4,000
Louis H. Jacobs.....	922 Tremont street.....	13	New fixtures.....	150

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 513.

The following transfers are hereby ordered, to take effect Saturday, April 12, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m.

Lieut. Jeremiah J. Riordan, from Division 9 to Division 15.

Lieut. Mathew Killen, from Division 15 to Division 9.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 515.

The resignation of Patrolman Thomas E. Bermingham of Division 16 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, April 14, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

THANKS MAYOR FOR AID.

Mayor Curley on April 16 received the following letter from Mayor Lester D. Chisholm of Everett, Mass.:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
EVERETT, MASS., April 15, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR,—I desire to take this opportunity to express my sincere gratitude and appreciation for the courtesy extended to the city of Everett during the fire yesterday.

Your Fire Department rendered efficient and valuable service and I trust that you will not hesitate to call upon us when the occasion arises.

Very respectfully yours,
LESTER D. CHISHOLM, Mayor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 19.

1. FIRES IN THE OPEN AIR.

The Fire Commissioner has received repeated reports that the city ordinance requiring a permit for making a fire in the open air is being openly violated, particularly with regard to the making of fires for commercial purposes, such as for use in connection with tar kettles, heaters, etc.

Officers of the department and privates on inspection duty will exercise extra vigilance in this regard, and whenever a fire in the open air is observed

they will require the person maintaining it to show a permit from the Fire Commissioner. If no permit can be obtained they will order the fire extinguished and direct the person maintaining the fire to the local district chief. If no attention is paid to this request the matter should be reported to the police officer on the route and a special report made to the Fire Commissioner on Form 5.

I. CITY'S BIRTHDAY, MAY 1.

In accordance with an order from his Honor the Mayor the flag of the United States will be flown from the flagstuffs of all houses of the department upon which a flagstaff has been erected on Thursday, May 1, 1924.

III. CHANGE IN LOCATION OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.

The following changes have been made in the location of fire alarm boxes:

Box 2356, formerly located at Francis and Binney streets, has been moved to Brookline avenue and Francis street.

Box 1554, formerly located at Columbus avenue and Wellington street, has been moved to Columbus avenue and Greenwich park.

IV. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, April 11, 1924:

Hoseman David H. Toomey of Engine Company 24. Hoseman Toomey was appointed to this department May 18, 1908.

Ladderman Stephen Griffin of Ladder Company 2. Ladderman Griffin was appointed to this department July 26, 1918.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

THANKS MAYOR FOR USE OF SCHOOLS.

Mayor Curley received the following letter on April 12:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—As representatives of the private societies which have been generously accorded use of the Baldwin School for their temporary quarters during the construction of the new Charity Building, we wish to express our appreciation of the very substantial concession which you and the School Committee of the City of Boston have granted us. By this action you have made it possible for our organizations to continue their work in close touch, a very important feature of our undertaking, and we especially appreciate your willingness to put the building in condition for use.

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM H. PEAR,
For the Boston Provident Association.

HAZEL NEWTON,
For the Co-operative Workrooms.

STOCKTON RAYMOND,
For the Family Welfare Society of Boston.

FRANKLIN P. DALY,
For the Industrial Aid Society.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL OF
BOSTON.

JAMES A. McMURRY, President.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Apr. 7, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, at 6.35 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of the meeting of Feb. 18, 1924, were amended as follows:

On page 10—to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Margaret V. O'Connor as assistant in the Dwight District, to take effect Mar. 4, 1924, shall read "fourth year."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

ELECTION OF SUPERINTENDENT.

The Board proceeded to the election of a Superintendent of Schools for the term of six years, beginning Sept. 1, 1924. The members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows:

For JEREMIAH E. BURKE—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

The Chairman declared Jeremiah E. Burke duly elected Superintendent of Schools for the term specified.

ESTABLISHMENT OF TUITION RATE FOR NON-RESIDENT PUPILS IN STATE-AIDED CLASSES.

A communication was received from R. O. Small, Director of the Division of Vocational Education, under date of Jan. 31, 1924, reporting that a tuition rate of one hundred seventy dollars (\$170) per year is approved, and effective for non-resident pupils in attendance upon the cooperative industrial courses in the Brighton High School, to take effect Jan. 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from R. O. Small, Director of the Division of Vocational Education, under date of Jan. 31, 1924, reporting that a tuition rate of ninety dollars (\$90) per year is approved and effective for non-resident pupils in attendance upon household arts department in the High School of Practical Arts, to take effect Jan. 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from R. O. Small, Director of the Division of Vocational Education, under date of Jan. 31, 1924, reporting that a tuition rate of two hundred thirty dollars (\$230) per year is

approved and effective for non-resident pupils in attendance upon the Boston Trade School, to take effect Jan. 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENT.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of April 7, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has withdrawn the following appointment from the eligible list, as reported at the meeting of Mar. 17, 1924:

Samuel Adams District—Elizabeth M. Donohue, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924.

Placed on file and the appointment withdrawn.

RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

Girls' High School—Mary E. Wright, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

High School of Practical Arts—Theresa V. Coleman, junior assistant, Apr. 11, 1924.

Accepted.

The following appointments by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Charlotte L. Adams, Mar. 13, 1924 (one-half day); George D. Leavitt, Mar. 13, 1924 (one-half day).

Charles Sumner District—Eleanor C. Reid, Mar. 3, 1924 (one day); Elizabeth Fowler, Mar. 25, 1924 (one-half day); Mabel Langworthy, Mar. 26 to 28, 1924 (three days).

Dearborn District—Louise F. Fine, Mar. 17 to 21, 1924 (five days); Frances E. Connor, Mar. 24 to 25, 1924 (two days); Dorothy K. Daley, Mar. 26 to 28, 1924 (three days).

Dillaway District—Mary Shay, Mar. 21, 1924; Agnes F. Gould, Mar. 24, 1924; Elizabeth M. Donnelly, Mar. 31, 1924.

Eliot District—Thomas O. Giles, Mar. 3, 1924 (one day); Arthur L. Morrissey, Mar. 3, 1924 (one day); Florence A. Fitz, Mar. 5, 1924 (one day).

Emerson District—Helen M. Reardon, Mar. 4, 1924; Lillian G. Butler, Mar. 10 to 17, 1924 (five days).

Francis Parkman District—Mary E. Walsh, Mar. 6, 1924.

Franklin District—Helen Wilson, Mar. 6, 1924 (one day).

Hancock District—Joanna B. Galvin, Mar. 26, 1924 (one day).

Harvard-Frothingham District—Theodora Donovan, Mar. 17, 1924 (one day); Mary I. McKay, Mar. 20, 1924 (one day); Lillian G. Butler, Mar. 21, 1924 (one day); Helen E. Conroy, Mar. 24, 1924 (one day).

Henry Grew District—M. Frances Fallon, Mar. 3, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Agnes V. Peirce, Mar. 10 to 21, 1924.

Hugh O'Brien District—Lawrence Siegel, Mar. 10 to 11, 1924 (two days).

Jefferson-Comins District—Francis E. Falvey, Mar. 10, 1924 (one day).

John Winthrop District—Florence Crowell, special class, Mar. 5, 1924 (one day); Edna U. Delahanty, Mar. 31, 1924.

Martin District—Emily V. White, Mar. 31, 1924 (one-half day).

Prescott District—Joanna B. Galvin, Mar. 13, 1924 (one day).

Samuel Adams District—Mary L. Mahoney, Mar. 7 to 10, 1924 (two days).

Shurtleff District—Gertrude A. Viano, Mar. 19, 1924 (one day); Mary G. Lambe, Mar. 20 to 25, 1924 (four days); Ethel A. Odum, Mar. 26 to 27, 1924 (two days).

Theodore Lyman District—Jane P. Hawes, Kindergarten, Mar. 11, 1924 (one day); Marjorie Pratt, Mar. 11, 1924 (one day); John J. May, Mar. 24, 1924 (one day).

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Grace A. Evans, Feb. 8, 1924 (one day).

Ulysses S. Grant District—Florence A. Fitz, Mar. 17 to 21, 1924 (five days); Grace A. Evans, Mar. 27, 1924, (one day); Mary L. Mahoney, Mar. 28, 1924 (one day); Carolyn A. Shea, Mar. 31, 1924.

Wells District—Elizabeth B. Fahey, Mar. 4, 1924; Ella S. Weiss, special class, Mar. 19 to 21, 1924 (three days).

Wendell Phillips District—Frances E. Connor, Mar. 13, 1924 (one day); Marion L. Carnegie, Mar. 27, 1924 (one-half day).

Day School for Immigrants—Katharine M. Flynn, Mar. 3, 1924.

Approved.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Margaret Healey as special assistant in the Day School for Immigrants on Mar. 24, 1924 (one session), is hereby authorized and that she be paid for her services at the rate of three dollars (\$3) per session.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Public Latin School—Lawrence J. Curtin, junior master, Mar. 6, 1924; Frank E. Morrissey, junior master, Mar. 17, 1924 (one day); Ralph S. Monks, junior master, Mar. 26 to Mar. 28, 1924 (three days).

Charlestown High School—George A. Reardon, junior master, Mar. 31, 1924; Frank E. Morrissey, junior master, Mar. 5, 1924 (one day).

Dorchester High School—Horace B. Dean, assistant, Mar. 3, 1924 (one day).

English High School—Albert T. Lane, junior master, Mar. 19, 1924 (one day).

High School of Commerce—Frank E. Morrissey, junior master, Mar. 7, 1924 (one day).

Jamaica Plain High School—Bertha Swift, assistant, Mar. 18, 1924.

Mechanic Arts High School—John N. Cody, assistant, Mar. 19, 1924 (one day); Freeman D. Shepherd, emergency shop instructor, Mar. 31, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Emma L. Cutter, teacher of sewing, Mar. 10, 1924 (one day).

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS.

(By Promotion.)

Boston Trade School—Thomas A. Roche, shop foreman (from shop instructor) May 1, 1924.

Girls' High School—Mabel S. Hastings, first assistant, head of department (from assistant), Mar. 3, 1924.

Laid over.

(Kindergarten, two session plan.)

Dudley District—Celia T. Tischler, first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from first assistant, kindergarten, one session), Apr. 8, 1924.

Laid over.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1923-24.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Winifred A. Dowd as assistant in the Girls' Evening Commercial High School on Mar. 17, 1924 (one evening), is hereby authorized and that she be paid for her services at the rate of five dollars (\$5) per evening.

Bigelow Evening School—Mary L. Brennan, assistant, Mar. 18 to 31, 1924 (four evenings); Muriel G. Gillis, assistant, Mar. 20 to 25, 1924 (three evenings).

Comins Evening School—Bertha E. Davis, assistant, Mar. 24, 1924 (one evening).

Dearborn Evening School—Helen R. Campbell, assistant, Mar. 17, 1924 (one evening).

Eliot Evening School—Agnes G. Gunning, assistant, Mar. 18, 1924 (one evening); Abigail A. Scannell, assistant, Mar. 20 to Apr. 1, 1924 (three evenings).

Franklin Evening School—Louise K. Faul, assistant, Mar. 6, 1924 (one evening).

George Putnam Evening School—Mary T. Lynch, assistant, Mar. 20, 1924 (one evening); Theresa C. Murray, assistant, Mar. 24 to 31, 1924 (four evenings).

Hyde Park Evening School—Anna M. Flanagan, assistant, Mar. 13, 1924 (one evening).

Quincy Evening School—Helen F. Cummings, assistant, Mar. 17 to 20, 1924 (three evenings).

Theodore Lyman Evening School—Sarah B. Brennan, assistant, Mar. 10 to Apr. 1, 1924 (four evenings).

Washington Evening School—James P. Collins, assistant, Mar. 18, 27, 1924 (two evenings); Mattie A. Ramsay, assistant, Mar. 24, 1924 (one evening).

Boston Trade School (Evening Classes)—Daniel L. Sullivan, second assistant, Mar. 20, 1924.

Trade School for Girls (Extension Classes)—Agnes F. Graham, trade assistant, Jan. 31, 1924.

Approved.

SCHOOL CENTERS.

Term 1923-24

Leaders—Matilda Cogan, Agnes Dolan, Mary Sullivan, Apr. 7, 1924.

Helpers—Charles Atkinson, Muriel Walker, Apr. 7, 1924.

Assistant Gymnasium Leader—May McManus, Apr. 7, 1924.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Ruth S. Berlin, Marion L. Billings, Edith S. Easterling, Elizabeth Fowler, Victor Iturralde, Doris E. Jennings, Mabel L. Langworthy, Elinore Mildram, Daisy B. Moulton, Lillian S. Nicholson, Rose A. O'Brien, Cornelius J. O'Connell, James E. O'Donnell, Josephine M. O'Neill, Florence W. Sands, Elizabeth T. Sharkey, Ruth H. Spoor.

Approved.

PLAYGROUNDS.

Season of 1924.

Supervisors of Playgrounds—James H. Crowley, George W. Gammon, Joel W. Reynolds, Lulu A. Donovan, Lucile A. Harrington, Dora F. Smith, Marguerite G. Sullivan.

Play Teachers—J. Ellis Ames, Ernest W. Anderson, Phillip J. Bond, Harry Brooks, Joseph F.

Burch, Walter M. Burke, Joseph T. F. Burrell, Edward J. Carroll, Paul Cloues, James P. Collins, John J. Connelly, John W. Corcoran, John W. Cosgrove, Jr., James T. Donovan, James E. Dolan, James A. Donovan, Eugene H. Dorr, Francis J. Driscoll, Charles A. DuBois, Francis A. Duffey, James A. Dunbar, Frederick A. Dunfee, Valentine F. Dunn, Charles H. Early, James L. Early, Patrick L. Geary, Edwin C. Howard, Vincent A. Keenan, Joseph E. Kelly, Agnes C. Lavery, William S. Lenihan, James E. Lynch, William F. Mack, John J. Mahoney, Frederick L. Mahoney, W. Francis Mahoney, John L. Mayer, John M. McDonnell, John P. McEleney, Thomas L. Mca, Nelson I. Mixer, James H. Nolan, Francis A. O'Brien, John A. O'Keefe, Joseph F. O'Sullivan, George H. Pearce, William H. Ryan, Albert L. Shaughnessy, John J. Sheehan, Elmer E. Sherman, William R. Silva, Helen E. Sullivan, James F. Tyrrell, Francis O. Wood, Francis E. Winch, Walter C. Winston, Joseph I. Whalen.

Playground Teachers—Eleanor V. Abely, Marie E. A'Hearn, Edith E. Anderson, Thelma M. Anderson, Nella Bacciola, Gladys E. Bailey, Lucy E. Barrett, Mary A. Barrett, Agnes T. Barry, Anna T. Barry, Isabelle C. Barry, Marion L. Bartlett, Catherine E. Beahan, Annie S. Belinsky, Etta Belostotsky, Anna R. Berkovitz, Marion R. Boland, Marie L. Boylan, Alice P. Bransfield, Edith G. Brown, Mary J. Browne, Helen G. Buckley, Ida Burgin, Elizabeth D. Burns, Lauretta H. Burns, Margaret M. Burns, Blanche Buxbaum, Pauline V. Byrne, Mary C. Cadigan, Alice V. Campbell, Mary C. Campbell, Margaret A. Canney, Mary F. Canning, Augusta Cantor, Catherine F. Carr, Frances J. Carroll, M. Margaret Carroll, Florence E. Caspole, Mary F. Cavanaugh, Louise J. Chambers, Anna J. Chapman, Barbara A. Clancy, Eleanor F. Clancy, Catherine A. Coffey, Bessie Cohen, Gladys V. Cole, Rose M. Connelly, Mary J. Connors, Catherine J. Connolly, Evangeline E. Conza, Anna J. Copell, Irene K. Corrigan, Ruth V. Colgan, Mary A. Collieran, Kathleen D. Cox, Martha E. Crane, Katherine E. Creagh, Mary H. Crotty, Helen T. Curtis, Esther L. Cuneen, Madeline Cunningham, Anna L. Curley, Mary A. Curran, Mary G. Cussen, Mary E. Daley, Helen F. Dardis, M. Veronica Davin, Marie O. Day, Catherine R. Day, Julia V. Dee, Sara A. Demask, Helen F. Denehy, Livia M. DeSimone, Margaret E. Devine, Elizabeth S. Devlin, Mary L. Dixon, Catherine M. Doherty, E. Clare Doherty, Helen L. Doherty, Mary C. Doherty, Teresa M. Doherty, Catherine D. Donahue, Mary A. Donahue, Margaret L. Donahue, Anna H. Donnelly, Eleanor A. Donovan, Marie J. Donovan, Alma A. Doyle, Margaret F. Duffy, Madeline R. Dunphy, Frances Dvinsky, Katherine M. Elston, A. Margaret Fallon, Mary G. Farley, Margaret E. Fields, Mary F. Finan, Margaret F. Fitzgerald, Mildred M. Fitzgerald, Margaret L. Flanagan, Bertha L. Fleming, M. Elizabeth Fleming, Hattie G. Fletcher, Anna Ford, Melania Ford, Margaret G. Ford, Mary B. Gallagher, Helen J. Galvin, Anna M. Genter, Esther M. Germaine, Josephine F. Gildea, Veronica M. Gillis, Marion C. Gilman, Louise A. Glavin, Helen B. Gleason, Mary A. Gleason, Winnifred A. Golden, Anna F. Golden, Helen Goldstein, Elizabeth M. Good, Katherine R. Goode, Lillian E. Goodwin, Sara Gorovitz, Caroline A. Gould, Bessie

L. Greenstein, Mary E. Greer, Helen J. Griffin, Catherine L. Haight, Katherine C. Hanley, Labeebee Hanna, Katherine G. Harrington, Marie F. Harrington, Isabelle M. Harvey, Mary C. Hawkins, Margaret M. Hayes, Carolyn R. Hedstrom, Helen F. Hegarty, Gertrude J. Henchey, Frances K. Higgins, Helen J. Higley, Louise F. Hill, Olive C. Hill, Florence J. Hughes, Marie L. Hohman, Cathryn A. Holland, Amelda M. Holtzhaus, Margaret M. Horgan, Anna I. Horne, Hazel M. Howard, Mary V. Hubbard, Catherine E. Hurley, Florence E. Hurley, Mary P. Keane, Lillian T. Kearney, C. Louise Keefe, Louise M. Keenan, Elizabeth M. Kelleher, Alice H. Kelley, Louise B. Kelley, Eleanor R. Kiernan, Marion C. Kiernan, Helen F. Kirby, Rebecca D. Kittredge, Felecia A. Koziewicz, A. Louise Kupelian, Marie J. Kupelian, Edna M. Lane, Theresa A. Larkin, Mildred V. Lavelle, Helen R. Leary, Grace M. Lenehan, Grace D. Lennon, Helen M. Leonard, Grace K. Lonergan, Mary C. Long, Agnes M. Lynch, Marie J. Manning, Beatrice A. MacCuspie, Helen M. MacFarland, Marion G. MacKay, Francette E. Madigan, Madeleine J. Maguire, Marion P. Mahan, Mary M. Mallard, Grace K. Maloney, Marguerite F. Maloney, Mary G. Maloney, Ellen M. Mantle, Mary C. Matthes, Florence J. Matthews, Mary G. McCaffrey, Genevieve McCarrick, Mary J. McCarthy, Mary A. McClellan, Mabel A. McCloskey, Evelyn M. McCluskey, Frances E. McColgan, Anna E. McCoy, Anna E. McFarland, Veronica M. McGovern, Mary I. McKenna, Alice M. McLaughlin, Margaret R. McLaughlin, Frances B. McMorro, Alda I. McNally, Eleanor A. McNamara, Agnes M. McNulty, H. Ursula Mea, Mary V. Meagher, Helen J. McCarthy, Marion C. Mercurio, Rose Michaelson, Gladys F. Michelman, Pauline E. Miley, Lydia E. Miller, Mary E. Milliken, Harriet A. Mitchell, Annabelle E. Moise, Teresa L. Monahan, Mary A. Moore, Helen M. Moriarty, Margaret M. Moriarty, Catherine Morley, Esther A. Morrissey, Marion V. Morrison, Elizabeth J. Moynahan, J. Irene Mulledy, Helen L. Mulloney, Barbara M. Murphy, Helen A. Murphy, Helen F. Murphy, Monica Murphy, Marjorie M. Murphy, Sibyl U. Murphy, Anna E. Murray, Ruberta A. Nelson, Helena M. Nolan, Marion F. O'Brien, Mary F. O'Connell, Margaret M. O'Connell, Margaret L. O'Connor, Elizabeth A. O'Doherty, Mary G. O'Doherty, Mary E. Osborne, Madeline J. Park, Marian H. Parker, Marie L. Pennucci, Loyola P. Pfeffer, Isabel A. Phillips, Mildred C. Phillips, Mary M. Powers, Laura E. Preble, Sara Prigot, Anna C. Quinn, Mary E. Quirk, Eleanor M. Rafferty, Eileen T. Rafferty, Barbara T. Raithel, Katherine M. Ray, Margaret R. Reagan, Beatrice M. Reardon, Mary C. Redican, Margaret M. Regan, Mary A. Reilly, Alice V. Rice, Eleanor A. Riley, Anna G. Riordan, Abigail H. Riordan, Esther M. Riseman, Gertrude Roberts, Edith E. Robinson, Gertrude E. Rockwood, Sarra N. Rosenbaum, Ella C. Rosen-gard, Alice G. Roulston, Antoinette Runci, Dorothea C. Ruth, Margaret R. Scully, Margaret E. Scanlan, Dorothea A. Schiel, Anna E. Scott, Marion L. Sharp, Eva Shulman, Anna Shultz, A. Theresa Skierski, Mary J. Sloan, A. Patricia Small, Florence E. Smith, Edna Starnfield, Millicent S. Stroup, Frances R. Sullivan, Helen F. Sullivan, Irene M. Sullivan, Mary A. Sullivan, Mary R. Sullivan, Olive C. Taylor, Helen I. Thompson, Mary L. Thurston,

Ruth E. Tilt, Anna J. Toomey, Dorothy M. Tracy, Margaret M. Tuohy, Helen D. Tuttle, Mary E. Vaughan, Bessie Walden, Emily J. Wall, Doris M. Walsh, Marie J. Walsh, Mary M. Walsh, Anna C. Whelan, Gertrude F. Whelan, Miriam White, Dorothy R. Wilson, Miriam Wilson, Alice F. Wood.
Approved.

ATTENDANT, DAY SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS.

Elizabeth Cloutur, Mar. 17, 1924.
Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Dorchester High School—Fannie J. Yeaw, assistant from Apr. 1, to 30, 1924.

English High School—J. Albert Brack, junior master, Mar. 13, 1924, one day, without pay.

Girls' High School—Olga A. F. Stegelmann, assistant, Mar. 12, 1924, one day, without pay.

High School of Commerce—Lester S. Hart, junior master, Mar. 20, 1924, one day, funeral.

Hyde Park High School—Ellen S. Keegan, assistant, Mar. 17, 1924, one day, funeral.

Jamaica Plain High School—Blanche G. Wetherbee, first assistant, head of department, Mar. 3, 1924, one day, without pay.

South Boston High School—Angela C. McManus, assistant instructor, Mar. 20, 21, 1924, two days, without pay.

Continuation School—Margaret L. Sheridan, vocational assistant, Mar. 28, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Trade School for Girls—Sara E. Lavin, trade assistant, Mar. 17 to 24, six days, without pay.

Abraham Lincoln District—Elizabeth G. Cahill, assistant, Mar. 11, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Rose C. Wallace, assistant, Mar. 25, 1924, one day, funeral.

Bennett District—Martha E. Flaherty, assistant, Mar. 27, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Chapman District—Irene K. M. Crowley, assistant, from Mar. 3 to 31, 1924.

Charles Sumner District—Katherine St. J. Mahony, assistant, Mar. 7, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Dearborn District—Helen M. Lally, assistant, Mar. 31, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Dwight District—James F. Drey, assistant, Apr. 3, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Eliot District—Margaret A. Foley, first assistant in charge, Mar. 27, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Margaret M. O'Connor, assistant, Mar. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Maud B. Kennerson, assistant, Mar. 27, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Joseph B. Egan, master, Mar. 25, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Joseph B. Egan, master Apr. 1 to 4, 1924, four days, meeting of Society for Visual Education at Chicago, without loss of pay; Abbie C. McAuliffe, assistant, from Mar. 3 to 31, 1924.

Hyde District—Pauline M. Halpin, assistant, Mar. 31, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

John Marshall District—Mary M. Facey, assistant, March 10, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Clara H. Parris, assistant, Mar. 26, 1924, one-half day, court summons.

Phillips Brooks District—Mary E. Keeler, assistant, from Mar. 1 to May 29, 1924.

Quincy District—Elizabeth M. Daley, assistant kindergarten, Mar. 24, 25, 1924, two days, without pay.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Mary L. Bradley, assistant, Mar. 10, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Mary C. Moller, assistant, Mar. 21, 1924, one day, funeral.

Roger Wolcott District—Dorothy Kalker, assistant, Mar. 31, 1924, one day, funeral.

Theodore Lyman District—E. Cecilia Bowen, assistant, Mar. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Mary E. Lowder, assistant, Mar. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Thomas Gardner District—Elizabeth M. Keefe, assistant, Mar. 27, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Annie L. McCarty, first assistant kindergarten, Mar. 27, 1924, one day, funeral; Alice M. Smith, assistant, Mar. 27, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Thomas N. Hart District—Dorothy M. Ellis, junior assistant, March 21, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Washington Allston District—Louise A. Keeler, assistant, from Mar. 3 to 31, 1924.

Wendell Phillips District—Ellen J. MacMahon, assistant, from Apr. 3 to June 21, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Mary E. Keyes, master, Mar. 27, 1924, one day, without pay.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Mary L. Dermody, teacher of sewing, Mar. 13, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Isabelle C. McIntyre, teacher of cookery, Mar. 19, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Department of Manual Arts—Arthur G. Hamilton, instructor shopwork, Mar. 26, 1924, one day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—William H. Devine, M.D. director, from Apr. 1 to June 19, 1924; Harry B. Levine, M.D. school physician, Mar. 25, 1924, one day, without pay; Agnes C. Murphy, school nurse, Mar. 25 to 29, 1924, four and one-half days, without pay.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Ethel S. Fletcher, vocational assistant, Mar. 20, 21, 1924, two days, vacation, without loss of pay; Bessie MacBride, vocational assistant, Mar. 17, 1924, one day, vacation, without loss of pay; Eleanor J. O'Brien, vocational assistant, Mar. 12, 25, 1924, two days, vacation, without loss of pay; Mercedes E. O'Brien, vocational assistant, Feb. 29, Mar. 12, 1924, two days, vacation, without loss of pay; Margaret M. Sallaway, vocational assistant, Mar. 17, 1924, one day, vacation, without loss of pay; Irving O. Scott, vocational instructor, Mar. 3, one-half day, Mar. 11, one-half day, and Mar. 12, 1924, two days, vacation, without loss of pay; Abigail D. Steere, vocational assistant, Mar. 12, 1924, one day, vacation, without loss of pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Phillips Brooks District—Jessie L. Barth, assistant, from Apr. 1 to June 30, 1924, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, the following leave of absence, granted at the meeting of Feb. 4, 1924, was discontinued on the date stated at the request of the teacher:

Hyde Park High School—Emerson Rice, master, head of department, Mar. 31, 1924.

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of April 7, 1924, reporting the following designations of teachers to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated:

Everett District—Bertha L. Mullooney, master's assistant, as acting master (vice Madeline B. Driscoll), from Feb. 27 to Mar. 14, 1924 (both dates inclusive).

Mary Hemenway District—Alice B. Poor, assistant, as acting first assistant in charge (vice Mary E. Marron), Jan. 7 to Jan. 28, 1924 (both dates inclusive).

Quincy District—Frances E. O'Neill, assistant, kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten (vice Edith C. Johnson), from Jan. 14 to Feb. 1, 1924 (both dates inclusive); Frances E. O'Neill, assistant, kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions, from Feb. 4 to Mar. 3, 1924 (both dates inclusive).
Placed on file.

PLAN FOR PLAYGROUND ACTIVITIES, SEASON OF 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That with the approval of the Superintendent, the length of the playground season for the year 1924 is hereby left to the judgment of the Director of Physical Training, and he is hereby authorized to begin and to terminate the playground activities at his discretion.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Director of Physical Training is hereby authorized to conduct playground activities in such schoolyards, children's corners and athletic fields as may be approved by the Superintendent during the season of 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to change the days and hours on which each playground may be conducted at his discretion.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to make such emergency appointments as may be necessary for service in the playgrounds during the season of 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That any teacher whose name appears on the list of teachers appointed in playgrounds for the season of 1924, may be transferred by the Superintendent from one position to another for which said teacher holds the required certificate, and said teacher shall be paid according to the schedule established for the position actually filled during any day or part of day certified to by the Director of Physical Training.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the sessions of the playgrounds be as follows:

Spring Season: From four o'clock P. M. until six o'clock P. M. on school days, and from ten o'clock A. M. to five o'clock P. M. on Saturdays and holidays.

Summer Season: From ten o'clock A. M. to five o'clock P. M. daily, inclusive of holidays, Sundays excepted.

Fall Season: From four o'clock P. M. until six o'clock P. M. on school days up to and including October 31; after that date the sessions on school days may be terminated by the teacher in charge of the playground at an earlier hour on account of darkness; the session on Saturdays and holidays throughout the Fall season shall be from ten o'clock A. M. until five o'clock P. M.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the hours of service of teachers and custodians employed in the playgrounds during the season of 1924, unless otherwise specified, be such portion of the time between 8 o'clock A. M. and 8 o'clock P. M. as the Superintendent may direct.

ESTABLISHMENT OF ROBERT BRECK BRIGHAM HOSPITAL CLASS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1924, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to make provision for the instruction of convalescent children in the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital, the class to be known as the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital Class and attached to the Martin District.

PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF HAZELTON STREET, DORCHESTER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 7, 1924, to whom was referred at the meeting of Mar. 17, 1924 (see p. 39), a petition signed by various property owners on Hazelton Street, Dorchester, that the City of Boston accept this street and that it be finished and made a public highway, reporting that it seems highly desirable that the prayer of the petitioners be granted inasmuch as the addition to the Martha Baker School now in process will make traffic and travel along this street much greater in the immediate future, and recommending that the petition be referred to His Honor, the Mayor, for such attention in the immediate future as may be feasible.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

ADOPTION AND PRINTING OF COURSES OF STUDY.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That three thousand (3,000) copies of School Document No. 3, 1919—Arithmetic, Practice Exercises in Common Fractions, Bulletin No. XVIII. of the Department of Educational Investigation and Measurement—are hereby authorized to be reprinted.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying course of study in Science for Co-operative Courses in Day High Schools is hereby adopted, and that one thousand (1,000) copies be printed as a school document.

PAYMENT TO TEMPORARY INSTRUCTOR OF DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS AND SIGNALING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be paid the sum of one hundred and sixteen dollars (\$116) to Francis A. Mahan for services rendered as temporary instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling during the month of March, 1924, upon certification by the Director of Physical Training to the Superintendent that the services covered by said amount have been rendered.

HALL FOR GRADUATION EXERCISES, DORCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners is hereby requested to secure the use of the Codman Square Theatre for the graduation exercises of the Dorchester High School on the afternoon of June 19, 1924.

ELIGIBLE LIST.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Mar. 31, 1924, reporting the amendment of School Document No. 15, 1923—List of Candidates Eligible for Appointment as Teachers—as follows:

Page 24—Elementary School, Class B Certificate (Examined Candidates) 829, Gertrude C. Ball. Name removed by request.

Placed on file.

AMENDMENTS TO RULES AND REGULATIONS.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Apr. 7, 1924, recommending that the regulations be amended to provide that the no-school signal when given on account of stormy weather, shall apply to all of the day schools.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 153, paragraph 5. Strike out the words "day elementary and day intermediate schools" in the third and fourth lines and the seventh and eighth lines, and substitute in place thereof the words—day schools—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

5. The superintendent may, on account of stormy weather, suspend the morning sessions of day schools by causing the proper signal to be given at 7.45 o'clock A.M., and the afternoon sessions of day schools by causing the proper signal to be given at 11.45 o'clock A.M.

Laid over.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Apr. 7, 1924, recommending that the regulations be amended to provide that principals shall be required to make only one report each year on the number of out-of-district pupils in their respective schools.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 221, paragraph 2, Strike out the words "and on the first of February"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

2. They shall report on the first of October in each year to the assistant superintendent in charge, the names of pupils attending their schools but residing in other districts, except those in the first three grades, or in prevocational centers. These reports shall give the address of each pupil by street and number, the school district in which he resides, his grade, and the date on which the permission to transfer expires.

Laid over.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 287, paragraph 2. Insert in the first line to immediately follow the word "principal" the words—and the assistant principal—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

2. Exclusive of the principal and the assistant principal, there shall be one teacher for every ten pupils, and an additional teacher may be appointed for an excess of five pupils. There shall be at least one teacher for each grade.

Laid over.

ADDITIONAL SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of Apr. 7, 1924, recommending, in accordance with the provisions of section 127 of the rules, the passage of the accompanying order amending certain items in the land and building appropriation orders of 1923.

Placed on file.

On motion it was

ORDERED, That Item 23 in the 1923 list of additional school accommodations, as amended at the meeting of June 19, 1923, page 100, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District, Dorchester: Land and construction of nine class room addition\$17,000

On motion it was

ORDERED, That Item 30 in the 1923 list of additional school accommodations is hereby amended to read as follows:

Item 30, 1923—Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District, Dorchester: Land and construction of nine class room addition (Item 23, 1923, as amended June 19, 1923, and further amended April 7, 1924)..... \$2,000

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of Apr. 7, 1924, recommending, in accordance with the provisions of section 127 of the rules, the passage of the accompanying orders making transfers and appropriations for the purpose of meeting the administration expenses of the Schoolhouse Department; for the additional cost of accommodations previously authorized; for additional school accommodations, and rent of hired accommodations.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:
ORDERED, That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919, as amended by Chapter 524 of the Acts of 1920, the following appropriations are hereby made for the purpose of meeting the administration expenses of the Schoolhouse Department; for the additional cost of accommodations previously authorized, and for additional school accommodations:

ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES,
Schoolhouse Department.

Item 1—Administration expenses, Schoolhouse Department	\$70,000.00
Additional Provision to Meet Cost of Accommodations Previously Authorized.	
Item 2—Henry L. Pierce District, Dorchester: Land, plans and construction of new high school building (Item 24, 1920; Item 12, 1921)	200,000.00
Item 3—Bennett District, Brighton: Land and construction of four-room unit of sixteen-room building, Grades I to III and kindergarten (Item 15, 1922; Item 10, 1923)	8,000.00
Item 4—Bennett District, Brighton: Land and construction of eight-room unit of sixteen-room school building, Grades I to VI and kindergarten (Item 14, 1922; Item 9, 1923)	6,000.00
Item 5—Bennett District, Brighton: Construction of additional story on Winship School building and remodelling of present building for intermediate school purposes with additional shops (Item 21, 1922; Item 12, 1923)	19,000.00
Item 6—Charles Sumner District, West Roxbury (Washington Irving School) Land, plans and construction of twelve-room addition to intermediate school building, Grades VII to XII (Item 21, 1923)	580,000.00
Item 7—Edmund P. Tileston District, Dorchester: Land, plans and construction of four-room unit of eight room building, Grades I to VI, near Martha A. Baker Schoolhouse (Item 22, 1923; Item 23, 1923) ..	9,000.00
Item 8—Francis Parkman District, Jamaica Plain: Land and construction of four-room unit of eight-room building, Grades I to III and kindergarten (Item 19, 1922; Item 11, 1923)	4,000.00
Item 9—Hugh O'Brien District, Roxbury: Construction of twelve-room annex, Grades I to VI, kindergarten, cookery, and manual training rooms (Item 20, 1922; Item 15, 1923 and Item 51, 1923)	62,000.00
Item 10—Julia Ward Howe District, Roxbury: Completion of addition on Julia Ward Howe lot, four rooms and hall (Item 35, 1920; Item 21, 1921; Item 4, 1922; Item 4, 1923) ..	40,000.00
Item 11—Lewis District, Roxbury: Land and buildings for kindergarten and Grades I to VI (Item 25, 1923 as amended June 19, 1923; Item 32, 1923)	22,000.00
Item 12—Wells District, City Proper: Winchell school, fencing and grading of school yard (Item 48, 1923)	6.00
Item 13—Wendell Phillips District, West End: Grant School, preparation and grading of school yard (Item 54, 1923)	2,700.00
Item 14—Chapman District, East Boston: Construction of thirty-six class room high school for boys and girls (Item 38, 1923)	1,250,000.00
Item 15—Agassiz Bowditch Districts, Jamaica Plain: Jamieson High School, demolition of original structure and construction of eighteen-room addition (Item 19, 1923 as amended June 19, 1923 and further amended Nov. 5, 1923; Item 28, 1923 as amended Nov. 5, 1923)	460,000.00
Item 16—Sherwin District, Roxbury: Boston Trade School, Plans and construction of shop addition (Item 20, 1923; Item 31, 1924)	111,947.00
Item 17—Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District, Dorchester: Land and construction of nine class room addition (Item 23, 1923, as	

amended June 19, 1923, and further amended April 7, 1924; Item 30, 1923 as amended April 7, 1924)	300,000.00
Item 18—John Marshall District, Dorchester: Construction of twelve-room building, kindergarten and Grades I to VI (Item 24, 1923, as amended June 19, 1923; Item 31, 1923)	240,000.00
Item 19—Julia Ward Howe District, Roxbury: Extension of yard of Julia Ward Howe School (Item 26, 1921)	8,500.00
Item 20—Thomas Gardner District, Brighton: Disposal of annex, and construction of eight-room addition, Grades I to VI and kindergarten (Item 13, 1922)	17,000.00
Item 21—George Putnam District, Roxbury (Theodore Roosevelt School): Land, plans and construction of eighteen-room intermediate school building (Item 9, 1920; Item 11, 1920)	8,500.00
Item 22—Bennett District, Brighton: Land and construction of high school for boys and girls (Item 35, 1923) ..	5,000.00
Item 23—Edward Everett District, Dorchester: Construction of six-room addition to John Lothrop Motley school building (Item 37, 1920; Item 25, 1921, as amended Jan. 9, 1922; Item 6, 1923)	16,000.00
Item 24—John Marshall District, Dorchester: Special class center land, building and alterations (Item 16, 1921) ..	6,500.00
Item 25—Lewis District, Roxbury: Land and construction of a thirty-six class room girls' high school and a thirty-six class room boys' high school (Item 11, 1922, as amended Dec. 18, 1922; Item 27, 1923)	55,000.00

ADDITIONAL SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS.

Item 26—Warren-Bunker Hill District, Charlestown: Charlestown High School, land and construction of one-story shop unit of three-story annex ...	4,627.00
Total	\$3,500,000.00

Passed by the following vote:
YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.
NAYS—0.

Mr. Sullivan stated that he has voted with reservation; that he has not had opportunity to go into the various items; and with the protest that he feels that greater consideration and deliberation should be had on the budget, and that opportunity should be extended for such.

The following was offered:
ORDERED, That of the amounts appropriated by the School Committee under dates of June 3, 1918 (Page 80), June 21, 1910 (Page 104), May 16, 1921 (Page 61), April 17, 1922 (Page 37), May 8, 1922 (Pages 57 and 58), July 31, 1922 (Page 110), March 19, 1923 (Page 24), June 19, 1923 (Page 101), and July 2, 1923 (Page 118) respectively, the following amounts are hereby transferred from the 1918, 1920, 1921, 1922, and 1923 items indicated to the 1924 items of permanent school accommodations as set forth below:

From Item 14, 1918—Washington Allston District, Allston: Washington Allston School, extension of school yard	\$ 1,500.00
From Item 15, 1920—Martin District, Roxbury: Public Latin School, completion of building (Item 16, 1917; Item 2, 1918)	28,386.62
From Item 18, 1921—Elihu Greenwood District, Hyde Park: Extension of yard	1,239.30
From Item 7, 1922—Edmund P. Tileston District, Dorchester: Completion of four-room building, Grades I to III and kindergarten (Item 31, 1920; Item 15, 1921)	4,960.34

From Item 10, 1922—Phillips Brooks District, Dorchester: Construction of intermediate school building, twenty classrooms, hall, and shops (Item 32, 1920)	255,380.81
From Item 16, 1922—Emerson District, East Boston: Land and construction of intermediate school building, twenty classrooms	294.60
From Item 22, 1922—Twelve additional portable buildings ...	1,227.67
From Item 25, 1922—Charles Sumner District, West Roxbury: Completion of intermediate school (Item 20, 1920; Item 13, 1921; Item 2, 1922) ..	15,000.00
From Item 28, 1922—Dearborn District, Roxbury: Land and preparation of same for school yard (Item 22, 1920; Item 9, 1921)	\$1,088.05
From Item 29, 1922—Blackinton-John Cheverus District, East Boston: Preparation of yard of Curtis Guild School ..	1,585.58
From Item 8, 1923—Bennett District, Brighton: Plans and construction of two-room addition at Oak Square (Item 23, 1921) ..	2,638.25
From Item 41, 1923—Robert Gould Shaw District, West Roxbury: Land and construction of four-room addition to Henry Vane School, kindergarten and Grades I to VI	85,000.00
From Item 52, 1923—Bennett District, Brighton: Oak Square School, preparation and grading of school yard (Item 27, 1922)	41.75
Total	\$398,373.00

TO ADDITIONAL SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS.

To Item 26, 1924—Warren Bunker-Hill District, Charlestown: Charlestown High School, land and construction of one-story shop unit of three story annex ..	21,373.00
To Item 27, 1924—Thomas N. Hart District, South Boston: South Boston High School, construction of nine class-room addition, including provision for Household Science and Arts	20,000.00
To Item 28, 1924—Everett District, South End: Land and construction of eight-room building for Grades I to III and kindergarten	50,000.00
To Item 29, 1924—Henry Grew District, Hyde Park: Land and construction of twelve class-room unit of twenty-four room intermediate school	30,000.00
To Item 30, 1924—Lewis Intermediate District, Roxbury: Land and construction of twelve class-room annex, Grades VII to IX	58,000.00
To Item 31, 1924—Minot District, Dorchester: Land and construction of four class-room unit (kindergarten and Grades I to III), of twenty-four class-room intermediate school	24,000.00
To Item 32, 1924—Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District, Roxbury: Construction of two additional class-rooms ..	50,000.00
To Item 33, 1924—Thomas Gardner District, Brighton: Land and construction of four class-room unit of sixteen room building, kindergarten and Grades I to VI	\$33,000.00
To Item 34, 1924—Warren Bunker-Hill District, Charlestown: Construction of four class-room unit of eight class-room building, kindergarten and Grades I to III	8,000.00
To Item 35, 1924—Shurtleff District, South Boston: Land and construction of eight class-room unit (kindergarten and Grades I to III), of sixteen class-room elementary or intermediate building	27,000.00

HIRED ACCOMMODATIONS

To Item 36, 1924—Rent of hired accommodations	77,000.00
Total	\$398,373.00

Passed by the following vote:
YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.
NAYS—0.

EMPLOYMENT OF ACTUARY IN CONNECTION WITH PENSION LEGISLATION.

A communication was received from the Business Agent under date of March 17, 1924, reporting that under existing law the Board is required to appropriate 7c. upon each \$1,000 of the valuation of the City for the payment of pensions to members of the teaching or supervising staff of the Public Schools of the City, who entered the service prior to February 1, 1923 and who have not become members of the Boston Retirement System under the provisions of Chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922, and to persons who are annuitants of the Boston Teachers' Retirement Fund at the time when Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1903 took effect, and to other teachers who had retired prior to said time.

As none of the teachers entering the service on or subsequent to February 1, 1923 come under the provisions of these Laws, the group of persons entitled to pension under these Laws is a constantly diminishing one and in the course of time the appropriations necessary will become smaller and smaller.

On the other hand, on account of the increase in valuation, unless the Law is amended the appropriations by the School Committee will increase proportionately.

It would, therefore, appear wise for the School Committee to petition the Legislature for an amendment to the existing Law to the end that the School Committee shall be relieved from the existing mandatory provision which requires it to make an annual appropriation of 7c. on each \$1,000 of the valuation of the City, and to substitute therefor, some provision for making the appropriations necessary to meet the cost of pensions under existing conditions.

It also appears necessary that the Board be furnished with accurate information as to the funds necessary to meet the cost of pensions under the existing conditions.

The Business Agent recommends that a competent actuary be employed for the purpose of furnishing such information, in order that the School Committee may have all the facts necessary in support of any action by the Legislature for which it may petition.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Chairman of the School Committee is hereby authorized to employ an actuary at a cost not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500), for the purpose of advising this Board on pension matters.

RESIGNATION OF CUSTODIAN FROM PORTABLES.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of April 7, 1924, submitting the resignation of Bartholomew J. Dooley as custodian of Portables Nos. 65, 120, 165, 201 and 202, located in the yard of the Thomas Gardner School, to take effect Apr. 4, 1924.

Placed on file, and the resignation accepted, to take effect on the date stated.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Apr. 7, 1924, recommending that Ira M. Jacobs, custodian of the Emerson School-house, be granted leave of absence on one-half net

compensation for the period Mar. 28 and 29, 1924, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence granted on one-half net compensation for the period specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Apr. 7, 1924, recommending that John P. Barry, custodian of the George Bancroft School-house, be granted leave of absence on one-half net compensation for the period Mar. 28 to Apr. 3, 1924, inclusive, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence granted on one-half net compensation for the period specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Apr. 7, 1924, recommending that Francis L. McDonough, custodian of the Peter Faneuil School-house, be granted leave of absence on one-half net compensation for the period Mar. 3 to 31 1924, inclusive, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence granted on one-half net compensation for the period specified.

APPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of April 7, 1924, stating that he has considered the candidates certified by the Division of Civil Service as eligible for appointment to fill four vacancies in the custodianships of school-houses, and recommending the following appointments, to take effect April 13, 1924, the candidates appointed being the candidates standing highest on the list who are willing to accept appointment, with one exception:

B. F. Tweed School-house, Daniel J. Gibbons.

Oak Square School-house and Portable No. 133, Albert L. O'Brien.

Regular substitute custodians, Frederick A. Fitzgerald and James J. Smith.

Place on file, and the appointments approved, to take effect on the date stated.

CHIEF ATTENDANCE OFFICER.

A communication was received from the Executive Secretary, Division of Civil Service and Registration, under date of April 1, 1924, reporting that the Commissioner of Civil Service has considered the letter of the Secretary, under date of March 25, 1924, enclosing a copy of the opinion of the Corporation Counsel of Boston relative to the position of Chief Attendance Officer in the Boston School Department, that the Commissioner is still of the opinion that an appointment to this position is a promotion within the department and is, therefore, within the jurisdiction of the Civil Service law, as with all other promotions, and that the Committee will understand that requisition should be made in the regular manner.

Placed on file.

The following preamble and resolve were presented:

WHEREAS this Committee has duly determined by regular election the appointment of one Joseph W. Hobbs to the position of Chief Attendance Officer; and

WHEREAS the Civil Service Commission has ruled that the said appointment is illegal because it was not effected by examination; and

WHEREAS the said Civil Service Commission has never heretofore qualified appointment to the said position by examination; and

WHEREAS the said Civil Service Commission in 1914 by letter confirmed this Committee's right to effect appointment to said position by election; and

WHEREAS such appointment was effected in 1914 as stated above with the knowledge and consent of the said Civil Service Commission; and

WHEREAS this Committee is of the conviction that the Civil Service action in 1914 confirming this Committee's right to effect such appointment by election constitutes an admission and is in effect a ruling by the said Civil Service Commission that it is not practicable to regulate appointment to the said position by examination; and

WHEREAS the opinion of the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston submitted to this Committee March 17, 1924, sustains the said appointment to the position of Chief Attendance Officer by the election of this Committee, and

WHEREAS the said Civil Service Commission in a communication dated April 1, 1924, to this Committee refused to recognize the Corporation Counsel's opinion;

NOW THEREFORE be it Ordered that this Committee request the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston to sustain the said appointment to the position of Chief Attendance Officer by appeal to the Courts on the theory that said action of the Civil Service Commission in declaring the said appointment illegal is an unwarranted interference and intrusion without basis in law or fact, and an unjustifiable invasion of the inherent right of this Committee.

The preamble and resolve were adopted, Miss Curtis voting in the negative.

ENDORSEMENTS OF APPOINTMENT OF WOMEN ATTENDANCE OFFICERS

A communication was received from the Boston League of Women Voters, under date of Mar. 31, 1924, reporting that at the annual meeting of the League held on Wednesday, Mar. 26, 1924, a preamble and resolve were unanimously adopted endorsing the appointment of women attendance officers.

Placed on file.

A resolution was received from the Boston Central Labor Union, under date of Apr. 7, 1924, endorsing the appointment of women attendance officers in the schools and also the appointment of attendance officers who are able to speak the language of parents in pupils where there is a preponderance of foreigners of one language.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS FOR INCREASES IN SALARIES

A communication was received from Charles M. Lamprey, Director, Model School, under date of Apr. 4, 1924, submitting, on behalf of the teachers in that school, a request for a special salary increase.

Laid over.

A communication was received from the Masters' Assistants' Club, under date of Mar. 31, 1924, submitting their petition for an increase in salary.

Laid over.

A communication was received from the Boston Elementary Teachers' Club, under date of March 17, 1924, reporting that at a meeting of the Executive Board of the Club, the President was instructed to request that this Board give due consideration to the elementary teachers in considering the proposed increases.

Laid over.

A communication was received from the Boston Public School Nurses' Club, under date of April 7, 1924, requesting an adjustment and increase of the salary paid school nurses.

Laid over.

A communication was received from Eleanor J. O'Brien, under date of April 7, 1924, petitioning, on behalf of the Vocational Assistants and Vocational Instructors, for favorable consideration of a request for a rerating of their respective ranks and salaries commensurate with their duties.

Laid over.

TEN-PAYMENT VS. TWELVE-PAYMENT PLAN.

A communication was received from the Boston Elementary Teachers' Club, under date of March 31, 1924, requesting that the Board consider the personal anniversary in the computation of salaries affected by the change in the method of payment, and to order such adjustment as will be necessary in order to insure the full amount of the step on the salary schedule to which each teacher affected is entitled.

Laid over.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary.

TO SAVE CITY LIGHTING.

Joseph A. Rourke, Commissioner of Public Works, has sent the following communication to the Mayor:

BOSTON, April 11, 1924.

To His Honor the Mayor:

There may be some question about the rights of the city to extend the contract for the actual work of lighting, extinguishing and furnishing the equipment for street gas lighting for six months subsequent to its termination on April 1, 1924, but the Boston Consolidated Gas Company have been officially requested in letter written on December 31 to extend their contract for the six months.

The furnishing of illuminating gas, however, for this street lighting expired on April 1, 1924, with no provision for extension; and pending consideration by the Council of the new contract this department is in a position of receiving gas with no provision for legal payment therefor after April 1, 1924.

Your permission is respectfully requested to the award of a contract to furnish illuminating gas in all parts of the city, excepting Hyde Park, for not exceeding three months, starting with April 1, 1924, at a price per gas lamp per year of \$11, the rate proposed for the new contract, and monthly payments made the companies based on this yearly rate.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

The Public Library Department announces the following list of lectures for the twenty-sixth season, 1923-1924, to be given in the Lecture Hall.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

Apr. 20. Music of the Passover: A program for Easter. Henry Gideon, A.M., and assistants. With musical illustrations.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club will continue its meetings in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at three o'clock. The following Free Lectures are announced, subject to changes.

Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)

May 12. Annual Meeting.

BOSTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Total expenditures in year 1922-23, \$8,531,870 (exclusive of \$3,174,367 for Water Service, maintained by revenue) but including the following special appropriations: \$921,739 (from loan) for sewer construction, \$696,224 (from Tax Levy) for reconstructing and repairing streets by contract, \$175,643 (from Tax Levy) for street improvements, \$117,313 (from Tax Levy) for bridge repairs, etc., \$36,537 (from Tax Levy), for granolithic sidewalks, (\$23,000 from Tax Levy and \$76,046 from loan) for high-pressure fire service, \$24,702 (from loan) for Old Harbor improvement, \$203,090 (from loan) for bridge construction.

For maintenance in 1922 as follows: Paving Service, \$1,225,019 (\$62,894 less than in 1921); Sanitary Service, \$1,831,685 (\$295,052 more); Lighting Service, \$734,059 (\$11,967 more); Street Cleaning and Oiling Service, \$867,608 (\$48,454 less); Sewer Service, \$567,758 (\$39,285 less); Bridge Service, \$410,083 (\$10,506 less); Ferry Service, \$497,092 (\$255 more); Central Office, \$100,457 (\$12,149 more). Total for maintenance, \$6,233,761 or \$158,286 more than in 1921. On February 1, 1923, there were 994.66 miles of common and intercepting sewers and 16,421 catch-basins, all in charge of the Sewer Service of this department. Gross debt outstanding for all sewer construction, February 1, 1923, \$22,831,360 or \$357,000 more than in 1922; for bridge construction, \$4,497,900 or \$708,000 more than in 1922.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

PUBLIC CONTROL OF BOSTON ELEVATED RAILWAY.

By Chapter 159, Special Acts of 1918, a State board of five trustees was created to assume control of the Elevated Railway Co. for the term of 10 years, the need being imperative to improve its unfortunate condition and impaired service in the interest of a very large traveling public. Regular dividends were continued and the raising of \$3,000,000 of new capital was provided for by the issue and sale of preferred stock. It was also provided that if the income should be insufficient to meet the cost of service and the reserve fund proved inadequate, any deficit should be paid by the State and assessed upon the cities and towns in which the rail-

way was operated. The fare was raised from 5 cents to 7, then to 8 and again to 10. The total deficit for year ending June 30, 1919, was \$4,980,152, which was covered by extra taxation, as ordered, Boston paying \$2,905,931 or 71.9 per cent of total levy. According to the said act of 1918, the cities and towns were to be reimbursed for assessments paid by them as soon as the financial condition of the Elevated Co. permitted.

By Chapter 369, General Acts of 1919, the purchase by the State from the Elevated Co. of the Cambridge Subway was ordered as an emergency law, the capital thus made available being needed by the trustees. The property was conveyed to the State May 1, 1920, on payment of \$7,868,00 and 4½ per cent of this cost is payable by the B. E. Co. annually for rental.

The report of the Trustees of B. E. Railway Co. for year 1920 showed a notable financial improvement as compared with 1919, the cost of service exceeding receipts by \$347,167 or only one-seventh of the deficit in 1919.

The Trustees' report for 1921 showed total receipts for that year of \$33,277,026, exceeding the total cost of service, depreciation, debt requirements and dividends by \$1,171,445. This surplus permitted certain reimbursements in 1922, Boston receiving \$372,035 or 12.8 per cent of the assessment paid in 1919. Under the act of 1918, the general 10-cent fare cannot be reduced until all reimbursements are completed. On June 10, 1922, the consolidation of the West End Street Railway Co. with the Boston Elevated Co. went into effect, as provided by Acts of 1911, Chap. 740, the lease to the Elevated not expiring until the said date.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN HALLOWELL STREET, BETWEEN OAKLAND STREET AND NEWCASTLE STREET, AND OUTLET IN PRIVATE LAND, FROM FAVRE STREET TO HALLOWELL STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Hollowell street, between Oakland street and Newcastle street, and outlet in private land, from Favre street to Hollowell street, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eighty-five hundred (8,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Sewerage Works in Hollowell Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, May 5, 1924, with a certified check for eight hundred and fifty (850) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 17, 1924. (April 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR WELSH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR
THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET,
OFFICE OF BUSINESS AGENT, TENTH FLOOR,
BOSTON, April 18, 1924.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing Welsh anthracite coal required for school buildings from June 16, 1924, to January 31, 1925, deliveries to be continued until June 15, 1925, provided appropriation is made therefor and the School Committee so orders. Proposals made on the form to be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, will be received until Tuesday, April 29, 1924, at 12 o'clock m. at said office, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Proposals should be plainly marked "Proposals for Welsh Anthracite Coal." Each bid must be made in duplicate, one to be sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee as above, and the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening bids. The coal is to be delivered in the bins of the several buildings, and the price per ton named in the proposal must include the delivery and housing in a manner satisfactory to the School Committee. The contractor must furnish suitable equipment and a sufficient number of men to house the coal properly and promptly. The amount of coal required for the entire period, about 60 per cent of which may be put in during July and August, is estimated as follows:

Districts.	Number of Tons (Cobblies)
1. City proper	1,500 tons.
2. South Boston	650 tons.
3. East Boston	720 tons.
4. Roxbury	1,110 tons.
5. Dorchester	1,700 tons.
6. Charlestown	300 tons.
7. Brighton	730 tons.
8. West Roxbury	520 tons.
9. Hyde Park	370 tons.
Total	7,600 tons.

Bidders may submit a proposal for furnishing the Welsh anthracite coal required in any one or more of the above nine districts of the city, and may also submit one bid covering the whole city. A certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100) for each district bid for (\$900 for the whole nine districts), payable to the City of Boston, must be filed with the copy of bid sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee, and any bidder awarded a contract must furnish a satisfactory bond for not less than 20 per cent of the estimated amount of the contract awarded him. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to accept a part and reject a part of any bid, and to accept any bid that it shall deem for the best interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(April 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO METAL CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for metal work and roofing at Quincy Market, north side, Boston, Mass., according to plans and specifications, and giving a bond of a surety company therefor, satisfactory to the Superintendent, in the sum of 45 per cent of the contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex Building, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, April 29, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, and marked "Proposals for Metal Work and Roofing, Quincy Market, Boston, Mass." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above, the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time of the opening of the bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest.

FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(April 19-26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING HAY, GRAIN AND
STRAW.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex until 12 m. April 29, 1924, when they will be publicly opened and read for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during the month of May, 1924. The bidder must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on United States No. 2 and No. 3 timothy hay, United States No. 2 and No. 3 light grass mixed and United States No. 2 and No. 3 light clover mixed, the straw to be rye straw in good condition. The grade of hay must comply with the federal hay grades and straw must comply with the National Hay Association and shall be weighed and inspected by the federal hay inspector. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, clipped to test 36 to 38 pounds, graded under the federal standards. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. No reservation or stipulation submitted by the various bidders will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(April 19.)

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO FIRE ESCAPE (IRON) CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for two new fire escapes on the Thomas Starr King School, Charles street, corner Bunker Hill street, and alterations on the present fire escapes on the Bunker Hill School, Baldwin street, corner Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, Boston, giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for the contractors Wednesday, April 23, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, May 9, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.
(April 19.)

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE
CITY OF BOSTON, April 10, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land bounded by Venice, Gove and Porter streets, and the Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad, East Boston district for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of April 29, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.
(April 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS COAL FOR THE
PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET,
OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS AGENT, TENTH FLOOR,
BOSTON, April 18, 1924.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing bituminous coal required for school buildings from June 16, 1924, to January 31, 1925, deliveries to be continued until June 15, 1925, provided appropriation is made therefor and the School Committee so orders. Proposals made on the form to be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, will be received until Monday, April 28, 1924, at 12 o'clock m., at said office, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Proposals should be plainly marked "Proposal for Bituminous Coal." Each bid must be made in duplicate, one to be sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee as above, and the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening bids. The coal is to be delivered in the bins of the several buildings, and the price per ton named in the proposal must include the delivery and housing in a manner satisfactory to the School Committee. The contractor must furnish suitable equipment and a sufficient number of men to house the coal properly and promptly. The amount of coal required for the entire period, about 60 per cent of which may be put in during July and August, 1924, is estimated as follows:

District.	
1. City proper	5,200 tons.
2. South Boston	2,600 tons.
3. East Boston	2,200 tons.
4. Roxbury	5,700 tons.
5. Dorchester	4,400 tons.
6. Charlestown	2,000 tons.
7. Brighton	900 tons.
8. West Roxbury	1,500 tons.
9. Hyde Park	500 tons.
Total	25,000 tons.

Bidders may submit a proposal for furnishing the bituminous coal required in any one or more of the above nine districts of the city, and may also submit one bid covering the whole city. A certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100) for each district bid for (\$900 for the whole nine districts), payable to the City of Boston, must be filed with the copy of bid sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee, and any bidder awarded a contract must furnish a satisfactory bond for not less than twenty (20) per cent of the estimated amount of the contract awarded him. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to accept a part and reject a part of any bid, and to accept any bid that it shall deem for the best interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(April 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SCARIFYING ROAD ROLLERS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Paving Service,

Two 12-ton gasoline road rollers,
One 15-ton steam road roller,
with scarifying attachment.

The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. Bids, with a certified check for \$500, must be left at the above office before Monday, April 28, 1924, at 12 noon, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies
(April 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO FINISHED HARDWARE CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of Boston, Mass., invites proposals for furnishing finished hardware in Police Station No. 2 building, Milk and Sears streets, Boston, Mass., according to specifications, and giving a bond therefor of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent in the sum of 45 per cent of the contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, April 23, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, and marked "Proposals for Finished Hardware, Police Station No. 2 Building, Milk and Sears Streets." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above, the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening of bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, or to accept all or any part thereof according to the appropriation available therefor, or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest.

FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(April 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

ASSESSORS' OFFICE, CITY HALL ANNEX,
BOSTON, April 1, 1924.

Attention is called to the Assessors' Notice posted upon the City Hall, and other public places throughout the city, relative to making returns on property subject to taxation.

Returns should be made as early as possible, and not later than May 15.

Blank forms may be had at the Assessors' Office, or will be mailed to any address upon application.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
By JOSEPH C. O'MALLEY, Secretary.
(April 19-26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN GERMAN-TOWN DISTRICT, WEST ROXBURY, AND OUTLET IN EAST STREET, DEDHAM.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Germantown District, West Roxbury, and outlet in East street, Dedham. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Germantown District," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, April 25, 1924, with a certified check for ten thousand (10,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 10, 1924. (April 19-26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEAT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments during May, 1924, as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 noon, Tuesday, April 29, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 19.) Superintendent of Supplies.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LUMBER.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing spruce or fir lumber as per specifications, to the various city departments. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The bids, with a certified check for \$400, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., Wednesday, April 30, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 19.) Superintendent of Supplies.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR STEEL LOCKERS FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Fire Department

50 Steel lockers,

as per specifications to be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. Delivery to be made as required. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$200, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., Friday, April 25, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 19.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR AMERICAN ANTHRACITE COAL FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET,
OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS AGENT, TENTH FLOOR,
BOSTON, April 18, 1924.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing American anthracite coal required for the school buildings from June 16, 1924, to January 31, 1925, deliveries to be continued until June 15, 1925, provided appropriation is made therefor and the School Committee so orders. Proposals made on the form to be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, will be received until Tuesday, April 29, 1924, at 12 o'clock m., at said office, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Proposals should be plainly marked "Proposal for American Anthracite Coal." Each bid must be made in duplicate, one to be sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee as above, and the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening bids. The coal is to be delivered in the bins of the several buildings, and the price per ton named in the proposal must include the delivery and housing in a manner satisfactory to the School Committee. The contractor must furnish suitable equipment and a sufficient number of men to house the coal properly and promptly. The amount of coal required for the entire period, about 60 per cent of which may be put in during July and August, 1924, is estimated as follows:

District.	Egg.
1. City proper	1,500 tons.
2. South Boston	650 tons.
3. East Boston	720 tons.
4. Roxbury	1,110 tons.
5. Dorchester	1,700 tons.
6. Charlestown	300 tons.
7. Brighton	730 tons.
8. West Roxbury	520 tons.
9. Hyde Park	370 tons.
Total	7,600 tons.

Bidders may submit a proposal for furnishing the American anthracite coal required in any one or more of the above nine districts of the city, and may also submit one bid covering the whole city. A certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100) for each district bid for (\$900 for the whole nine districts), payable to the City of Boston, must be filed with the copy of bid sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee, and any bidder awarded a contract must furnish a satisfactory bond for not less than twenty (20) per cent of the estimated amount of the contract awarded him. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to accept a part and reject a part of any bid, and to accept any bid that it shall deem for the best interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(April 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Boston City Hospital and Infirmary Division of the Institutions Department, Long Island, dry goods as per proposals. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Friday, April 25, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 19.) Superintendent of Supplies.

DELINQUENT TAX SALES.

CITY OF BOSTON.

CITY COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes and assessments thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed by the assessors of taxes of said City to me as collector of taxes for said City, including assessments for the suppression of gypsy and brown-tail moths, remain unpaid, and that the smallest undivided part of said land sufficient to satisfy said taxes and assessments, with interests and all legal costs and charges, or the whole of said land if no person offers to take an undivided part thereof, will be offered for sale by public auction at the City Collector's office, on the second floor of the City Hall Annex on Court street, in said City of Boston, on Wednesday, May 14, 1924, at 9.30 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and assessments with interest, costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

The sums set against the following descriptions of the several parcels of land show the amounts due thereon respectively for the taxes and assessments for the nonpayment of which each of said parcels of land is to be sold, but not including the costs and interests thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale:

WARD ONE.

James Alley Heirs—About 6,140 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Orient avenue, being lot 6, block A, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	\$14 82
Florence K. Barry—Buildings and about 1,349 feet of land on the southerly side of East Eagle street, numbered 337, between an estate of John DeStefano and another and an estate of Robert Hodson, Junior, heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45
Paid on account.....	40 00
Balance due.....	46 45
Also buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, numbered 267 between an estate of Ainsley R. Hooper Heirs or Devises and an estate of Maria Penque, tax for 1923.....	76 57
Mary A. Barry—About 6,875 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, making the northerly corner of Washburn avenue, being lot 15, H. T. Whitman plan, dated May, 1888, recorded Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 1873, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	2 49
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 16, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	2 66
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	2 58
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	2 49
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 17, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	2 66
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	2 58
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	2 49
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 18, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	2 66
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	2 58
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	2 49
Irving M. Bickford—About 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Overlook street, being lot 77, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Harriet P. Brown—Buildings and about 3,550 feet of land on the westerly side of Border street, numbered 318, between an estate of Harold J. Coolidge and another, trustees, and an estate of W. S. Rendle and Sons Company, tax for 1923.....	91 39

Amelia Bruno, Trustee for Irena and Emma Bruno—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 793, between an estate of Joe Cuneo and an estate of Eliza F. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	69 16
Ellsworth D. Bundy—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Border street, numbered 327, between an estate of Annie M. Cull and an estate of Mary Martin, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Robert Butler—About 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 15, block D, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 76
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 60
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 76
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 60
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 76
Caterina Callarino—Buildings and about 4,389 feet of land on the southerly side of Gladstone street, adjoining an estate of Henry A. Lawler, being lot 2, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 41, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Maria Cammarano—Buildings and about 2,583 feet of land on the southerly side of Wordsworth street, numbered 17, between an estate of Charles R. Neskey and another estate of Charles R. Neskey, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	23 50
Catherine Carter—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 439, between an estate of Robert F. Carter, and another estate of Robert F. Carter, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	5 40
Catherine Carter—Buildings and about 8,257 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 441 and 443, making the southerly corner of Swift street, adjoining an estate of John W. Carter, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	5 40
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	5 40
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	6 48
John W. Carter—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 437, between an estate of East Boston Company and an estate of Catherine Carter, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	5 40
Charles H. Cavender—About 7,809 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot 30, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 45, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Catherine Celiberti—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Trenton street, numbered 189, between an estate of Sarah L. Preble and an estate of Elroy W. Francis, tax for 1923.....	222 30
Antonio and Domenico Centracchio—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by another estate of said Centracchio and another, southeasterly by an estate of Ethel D. Hodson and Maude L. Keen; northeasterly by an estate of Emidio Gianchrisono and northwesterly by Lexington street, tax for 1923, \$27 17	25 00
Paid on account.....	25 00
Balance due.....	2 17
Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, numbered 253, making the easterly corner of Prescott street, adjoining another estate of said	

Centracchio and another, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50
Paid on account.....	25 00
Balance due.....	98 50
Harry P. Chadwick—About 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Wordsworth street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Rachel Bennett; southerly by an estate of Fergus Farrell heirs or devisees; westerly by an estate of Henry M. Williams and others, trustees; northerly by Wordsworth street, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	2 59
Also about 14,003 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street between an estate of East Boston Company and an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Also about 12,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Boardman street, between an estate of Giuseppe Visconte and an estate of Angelina Sacco, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	19 59
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorency avenue, being lot 22, block C, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 8,650 feet of land on the southerly side of Condor street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Lina Lagarwick; southerly by estates of Matthew E. Carlow, Antonio S. Mello, Anne Rome and Mario E. Aranzo; westerly by an estate of Josephine Rendle; northerly by Condor street, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	5 38
William H. Chapman—About 3,975 feet of land on the northerly side of Overlook street, being lot 2, block D, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Angenetta Cole—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Lexington street, numbered 143, between an estate of George M. McKie and an estate of Carolina Maurano, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45
Paid on account.....	46 45
Balance due.....	40 00
John F. Coleman—About 85,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Condor street, making the southeasterly corner of Glendon street, extending through to and making the northeasterly corner of East Eagle street, being a lot shown on a plan dated May 10, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	634 79
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	45 71
Also buildings and about 61,636 feet of land on the southerly side of Condor street, adjoining another estate of said Coleman, being a lot shown on a plan dated May 10, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	928 72
Michael F. Crosson—About 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot B, William J. Sullivan plan, September 5, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12416, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 75
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 30
Vincenzo D'Addario—Buildings and about 2,857 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neptune road, numbered 24, making the northerly corner of Frankfort street, adjoining an estate of Gracoma Puzo and another, tax for 1923.....	\$153 14
Paid on account.....	150 14
Balance due.....	3 00
Lloyd G. Davis—Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorency avenue, being lot 11, block E, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Sophia A. Dingwell—Buildings and about 1,013 feet of land on the northerly side of Butler avenue, between an estate of Pietro Indrisano and the location of Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad, tax for 1923.....	12 35

George L. Duncan—Buildings and about 4,375 feet of land on the northerly side of East Eagle street, numbered 212, between an estate of Esther Hirschberg and an estate of Richard J. Butler and another, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Frank J. Gavin—About 4,637 feet of land on the northerly side of Sea View avenue, being lot 2, block B, H. T. Whitman plan, dated May, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	9 88	taking for the widening of Bennington street, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2146, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Blanche M. Dunton—About 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 18, block C, H. T. Whitman plan dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Charles A. Gillespie—About 6,402 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennington street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Mary A. Torrens, northerly by an estate of Thomas D. Walsh heirs, easterly by an estate of Lucia Ciampa; southerly by Bennington street, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Rufina Maffei—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 647, between an estate of Nicola Corolier and an estate of Fannie Finkelstein, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Alice J. Dwyer—Buildings and about 1,875 feet of land on the northerly side of Trenton street, numbered 64, between an estate of Henrietta Slack and an estate of Hattie E. Oakes, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Edith A. Glover—About 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 13, block E, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also buildings and about 4,220 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, numbered 125, between an estate of East Boston Company and another estate of said Maffei, tax for 1923.....	66 65
Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Trenton street, numbered 88, between an estate of William R. Kean and another, and an estate of Charles E. J. Gallant, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Frank Goldberg—Buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Meridian street, numbered 326, between an estate of John Hallett and an estate of Mary Martin, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 39, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	12 39
Warren E. Fisher—Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Overlook street, being lot 44, block G, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Paid on account.....	50 00	Julia A. Marshes—Buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Faywood avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 30, block E, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1921.....	7 41
Allan R. Frederick—Also about 7,309 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, being lot 44, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 44, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1921, Moth assessment for 1921.....	27 17	Balance due.....	61 15	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Tax for 1922.....	27 17	Joseph Goldinger—About 1,260 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by an estate of Alma Thorburn, northwesterly by an estate of Charles McCarthy; northeasterly by an estate of East Boston Company; southeasterly by another estate of said Goldinger, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Margaret F. McCarthy—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bennington street, making the easterly corner of Harmony street, adjoining an estate of Susan L. McCulpha, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Tax for 1923.....	27 17	Nellie R. Gorman—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 1, William E. Hannan plan, July 20, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4486, page 384, tax for 1923.....	22 23	William F. McClellan—Buildings and about 434 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, numbered 434, between an estate of Alexandra Graziano and an estate of Bridget O'Shea, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1921.....	27 17	James M. W. Hall—About 10,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Homer street, being lot 242, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 30 on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	37 05	John H. McCulpha—Buildings and about 2,952 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bennington street, numbered 567 and 569, making the easterly corner of Moore street, adjoining an estate of Fannie Finkelstein, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Tax for 1922.....	27 17	James N. Hamilton, Junior—About 3,228 feet of land on the northerly side of Overlook street, being lot 37, block G, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Catherine McGuiness—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Faywood avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 46, block C, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, being lot 60, same plan, tax for 1921.....	27 17	Leona M. Higgins—Buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 809, making the easterly corner of Wordsworth street, adjoining an estate of William and Ann O'Neil, tax for 1923.....	113 85	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 60
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	11 76	Paid on account.....	111 05	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 76
Tax for 1922.....	11 12	Balance due.....	24 80	Mary A. McHugh—Buildings and about 17,611 feet of land on the northerly side of Saratoga street, numbered , between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Charles N. Capillo, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Tax for 1923.....	27 17	Mildred J. Hunter—Buildings and about 8,750 feet of land on the westerly side of Putnam street, making the northwesterly corner of East Eagle street, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	41 99	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	34 56
Teresa Frederick—Buildings and about 11,398 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, numbered 17, between an estate of Allan R. Frederick and an estate of Lina Giordano and another, tax for 1923.....	175 37	Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,8963 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Trenton street, numbered 126, between an estate of Hannah Yudelman and an estate of Susan M. Cousens, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	84 43
Also buildings and about 6,076 feet of land on the northerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 968 and 970, making the northwesterly corner of Boardman street, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Bonzagni and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	172 90	Charles J. Kelley, Junior—About 5,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leyden street, being lot 29, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 46, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Edward J. McLaughlin, Trustee under will of Edward McLaughlin—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of William F. McClellan, northwesterly by an estate of Alfred DeMartino and others and Catherine and Mary E. Dundon, southwesterly by an estate of Mary J. McLaughlin and southeasterly by Bennington street, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	36 28	Also about 5,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leyden street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Edward J. McLaughlin, Trustee—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Homer street, numbered 61, between an estate of William L. Machado and an estate of Dennis H. Collins, trustee, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Sarah A. Gaffney—Buildings and about 4,950 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Princeton street, numbered 326 (now 336), making the westerly corner of Shelby street, adjoining another estate of said Gaffney, tax for 1923.....	108 68	Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gladstone street, numbered 81, between an estate of Allen R. Frederick and an estate of John A. Webster, tax for 1923.....	111 15	Margaret J. McLaughlin and Leo E. Askins—Buildings and about 2,575 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lexington street, numbered 282A, between an estate of Mary J. Noble and an estate of Catherine E. Downey, tax for 1923.....	113 62
Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Princeton street, numbered 322 and 324, between another estate of said Gaffney and an estate of Anthony J. Gill, tax for 1923.....	172 90	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Rose G. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 1,117 feet of land on the southerly side of White street, numbered 39, between an estate of Annie E. Johnson and an estate of Margaret E. McKenzie, tax for 1923.....	69 16
Also buildings and about 1,235 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Shelby street, numbered 22 and 24, making the easterly corner of Princeton street, adjoining an estate of Agrippino Liniolo, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Margaret T. Lavery and Mary C. Jackson—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street, adjoining an estate of John H. Grady, being the southerly part of lot 6, remaining after the		Charles C. McNamara—Buildings and about 2,187 feet of land on the southerly side of Condor street, numbered , between an estate of Antonio Amiro and another and an estate of Josephine Rendle, tax for 1923.....	37 06
Charles E. J. Gallant—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Trenton street, numbered 90, between an estate of Alice J. Dwyer and an estate of George Layton and another, tax for 1923, \$61 75				Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 65
Paid on account.....	20 00				
Balance due.....	41 75				
Pasquale Gallo—Buildings and about 2,407 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 474, 474A and 476, making the northerly corner of Shelby street, adjoining an estate of Angelo Copinagro, tax for 1923.....	\$296 40				
Paid on account.....	70 00				
Balance due.....	226 40				
Also about 3,622 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 3A, Rowland H. Barnes plan, dated March, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	\$34 58				
Paid on account.....	10 00				
Balance due.....	24 58				

Also buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 298 and 300, between another estate of said Barry, and an estate of William Weinberger, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16227, tax for 1923.....	21 70				
Also buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 296, between another estate of said Barry and an estate of Angelo Boncore and another registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16227, tax for 1923.....	49 40				
Catherine Bell—About 702 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Burke's court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said Bell; easterly by an estate of Carmela De Nunzio, numbered 92 Everett street; westerly by an estate of William J. Doherty; northwesterly by Burke's court; northerly by another estate of said Bell, tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Also about 702 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Burke's court, numbered 4, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said Bell; easterly by an estate of said Bell; southerly by an estate of Carmela De Nunzio, numbered 92 Everett street; westerly by an estate of said Bell and northwesterly by Burke's court, tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Also about 819 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Burke's court, numbered 5, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and easterly by an estate of Vincent N. Bellizico; southerly by Burke's court; westerly by an estate of Rose McGonagle heirs; northwesterly by an estate of Haninna Cipriano, tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Also about 819 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Burke's court, numbered 6, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of George R. Hobbs; easterly by an estate of George R. Hobbs; southerly by an estate of Carmela De Nunzio, numbered 92 Everett street, westerly by Burke's court, tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Eva Bersani—About 709 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street, bounded and described as follows, northerly by Bennington street, easterly by an estate of Louis Cohen, numbered 41 Bennington street, southerly and westerly by an estate of Margaret J. McGrath, tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Nellie E. Brogan—Buildings and about 1,980 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 187, between an estate of Annie Anderson and an estate of The Episcopal City Mission, tax for 1923.....	116 09				
Giuseppe Campana—Buildings and about 1,707 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 29, between an estate of Catherine G. Small and an estate of Michele Calafato and another, tax for 1923.....	148 20				
Anna R. Cappello—About 666 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Bremen street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of said Cappello; southeasterly by an estate of Rose Magee; southwesterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; and northwesterly by a passageway, tax for 1921.....	2 47				
Ada Cardosi—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Decatur street, numbered 43, between an estate of Philomena Martine and an estate of Antonio Caggiano and another, tax for 1923.....	98 80				
Paid on account.....	50 00				
Balance due.....	48 80				
Christina Carlino—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maverick street, numbered 85, making the westerly corner of Havre street, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth Tobin, tax for 1923.....	\$153 14				
Paid on account.....	75 00				
Balance due.....	78 14				
Frank and Maria Cavalieri—Buildings and about 855 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Porter street, numbered 54, between an estate of Salvatore Amorasa and another and an estate of Pasquale Baldassaro, tax for 1923.....	44 46				
Also buildings and about 1,920 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 130, between an estate of Annarosa Cappiello and an estate of Antonio Alterisio, tax for 1923.....	91 39				
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 970 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cross street, numbered 4, between an estate of Anthony Guida and an estate of Marciano Di Anglis, tax for 1923.....	34 58				
Also buildings and about 1,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Paris place, numbered 1, between an estate of Ellen R. Morris and an estate of Pasquale La Sala, tax for 1923.....	24 70				
Mabel E. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Paris place, numbered 1, between an estate of Ellen R. Morris and an estate of Pasquale La Sala, tax for 1922.....	24 70				
Antonio and Angiolina Chianca—Buildings and about 1,150 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 144, between an estate of Giuseppe Giovino and an estate of Lena Cimino, tax for 1923.....	\$71 10				
Paid on account.....	40 00				
Balance due.....	34 10				
Nicola Ciampa and Antonio Ardito—Buildings and about 1,190 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Putnam street, numbered 142, between an estate of Nicola Sarno and an estate of Sadie Goldstein, tax for 1923.....	\$49 40				
Paid on account.....	30 00				
Balance due.....	19 40				
Leah Cohen—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 235, adjoining an estate of Mary and John A. Cantalupo and an estate of Domine Miglionico, tax for 1923.....	138 32				
Mary E. Cotter—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 65, between an estate of Antonio D'Agostino and an estate of Matteo Vocino and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 12				
Domenico and Angiolina Croce—Buildings and about 2,210 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 85, making the southerly corner of Porter street, adjoining an estate of Ernesto Cataldo, tax for 1923.....	195 13				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 80				
Amedis and Mary DiChristoforo—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 131, between an estate of Gutel Bodkins and an estate of Annie R. Weinstein, tax for 1923.....	153 14				
Martino and Concetta DiGesa—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Everett street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of John H. Crafts and another, numbered 301 Maverick street; easterly by an estate of Mary Smiddy; southerly by an estate of Lena Cimino; westerly by an estate of Carmela Gravallesse, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Nicola DiGiovanni—Buildings and about 3,115 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 170, between an estate of Nicola DiGiovanni and another and an estate of Antonio Rotandi, tax for 1923.....	229 71				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 68				
Nicola and Silomena DiGiovanni—Buildings and about 3,145 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 172, between an estate of Nicola DiGiovanni and an estate of Emilio Caiani and another, tax for 1923.....	222 30				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 68				
Paul C. and Caroline E. Disario—Buildings and about 1,260 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Gove street, numbered 62, between an estate of Giuseppe Scopa and another and an estate of Ginfia Pizzano, tax for 1923.....	56 81				
Bernardino Divalo—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, numbered 164, between an estate of Bridget G. Moynihan and an estate of John Pagliarulo, tax for 1923.....	98 80				
Federal Wharf and Storage Company—Buildings, docks, flats and about 378,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Porter street, numbered 148 to 172, inclusive, between an estate of the Suffolk Coal Company and an estate of Oakley C. Curtis and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	8,126 30				
William J. Ferguson—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Emmons street, numbered 29, making the easterly corner of Paris street, adjoining an estate of Giuseppe Velardo, tax for 1923.....	103 74				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 35				
Annie Fiangelo—Buildings and about 945 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Liverpool avenue, numbered 1, between an estate of Daniel P. J. Gallagher and an estate of Angelo R. Ciampa, tax for 1923.....	\$24 70				
Paid on account.....	10 00				
Balance due.....	11 70				
Also buildings and about 945 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 5, between an estate of Daniel P. J. Gallagher and an estate of Manuel Rodriques, tax for 1923.....	24 70				
Jennie Fine—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 296, between an estate of Angelo Boncore and another estate of said Fine, tax for 1922.....	49 40				
Also buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 336, between an estate of Sarah Cohen and an estate of Jacob Perlmutter and another, tax for 1923.....	101 27				
Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Morris street, numbered 103, between an estate of Jennie Schwartz and an estate of said Fine, tax for 1922.....	76 57				
Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 106, between an estate of said Fine and an estate of Agrippino Belino, tax for 1922.....	133 38				
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Morris street, numbered 107 and 109, between another estate of said Fine and an estate of Floriano Clericuzio, tax for 1922.....	41 90				
Samuel Fine—Buildings and about 1,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 94, between another estate of said Fine and an estate of Annie Wakley, tax for 1922.....	12 35				
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 102 and 104, between another estate of said Fine and an estate of Jennie Fine, tax for 1922.....	32 11				
Nathan and Etta Fingerma, undivided—Buildings and about 1,290 feet of land on the easterly side of Meridian street, numbered 111, between an estate of Harry Greene and an estate of Francis A. Herman and another, tax for 1923.....	234 65				
James D. Fulginiti—Buildings and about 1,265 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Havre street, numbered 186, making the westerly corner of Sharon court, adjoining an estate of Luigi Farsone and another, tax for 1923.....	32 11				
John and Nellie Gallo—Buildings and about 1,035 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Havre street, numbered 194, between an estate of Catherine V. Nealon and an estate of John Gallo and another, tax for 1923.....	22 23				
Also about 1,035 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sharon court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said John Gallo and another; easterly by an estate of said John Gallo and another; southerly by Havre street, and westerly by Sharon court, tax for 1923.....	7 41				
Also buildings and about 2,430 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sharon court (formerly numbered 6), between an estate of said John Gallo and another and an estate of Thomas O'Rourke, tax for 1923.....	24 70				
Elizabeth Gallo—Buildings and about 2,722 feet of land on the southerly side of Webster street, numbered 265, between an estate of Michael L. Sarne and another, and an estate of Domenic Aliprandi, tax for 1923.....	98 80				
Joseph Goldberg—Buildings and about 1,150 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bennington street, numbered 251, between another estate of said Goldberg and an estate of James A. Sheffield, tax for 1923.....	76 57				
Benjamin Goodman and Kate Miller—Buildings and about 2,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 93, between an estate of Thomas Berlogerie and an estate of Angelina Maccaria and others, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6377, tax for 1923.....	39 52				

Mary J. Gouley—Buildings and about 945 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Liverpool avenue, numbered 4, between an estate of Richard Morrissey and an estate of Giovanni Scopa, tax for 1923.....	37 05	estate of Hjalmer Anderson and another, tax for 1923.....\$64 22 Paid on account.....30 00	
Vincenzo Grosso—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 194 and 194A, between an estate of Ida Berly and an estate of Antonio and Mary Crusco, tax for 1923.....	125 97	Balance due.....	34 22
Mary Hasely—Buildings and about 3,900 feet of land on the southerly side of Elbow street, numbered 1, between an estate of Sumner Savings Bank and an estate of Francesco Tranfaglia, and another, tax for 1923.....	172 90	Annie M. Kelley—About 1,330 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pearl place (formerly numbered 1), making the easterly corner of Public Alley 2001, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Floria Head—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maverick street, numbered 177 and 177A, making the westerly corner of Orleans street, adjoining an estate of Angelo DeAngelis, and another, tax for 1923.....	153 14	Also about 1,330 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pearl place, (formerly numbered 2), between two other estates of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 11
Also buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 64, 66 and 68, between an estate of Margaret A. Prescott and an estate of said Head, tax for 1923.....\$390 26 Paid on account.....200 00		Also about 1,330 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pearl place, (formerly numbered 3), between two other estates of said Kelley, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Balance due.....	190 26	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 74, 76 and 78, between another estate of said Head and an estate of John P. Cadigan Heirs, tax for 1923.....	459 42	Also about 1,330 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pearl place, (formerly numbered 4), between two other estates of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Meridian street, numbered 15, 17, 19 and 21 between an estate of Thomas O. McEnaney and an estate of Sumner Savings Bank, tax for 1923.....	481 65	Also about 1,330 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pearl place, at end, formerly numbered 5), adjoining another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Bridget Healey—Buildings and about 1,980 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 193, between an estate of William A. Morrison and an estate of Nicola Carangelo and another, tax for 1923.....	116 09	Charles J. Kelley—About 2,850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Shrimpton street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Annie Murphy; southwesterly by an estate of East Boston Company; southwesterly by an estate of Alfred Bruny and another; northwesterly by Shrimpton street, tax for 1922.....	14 82
William C. S. Healy—Buildings and about 1,753 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 551, between an estate of John McGlinn and an estate of Charles H. Matlage Devises, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 512, between an estate of Anna Saponaro and an estate of Anastasia G. Adams, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Also about 920 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Marginal street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Brigham street; easterly by an estate of Mary A. Ryan; southerly by Marginal street, and westerly by an estate of John Fagan, tax for 1923.....	11 82
Julius Hecht—About 1,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Davis court, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly and easterly by an estate of Laura E. Cashman northwesterly by an estate of Annie Katz and southerly by an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and westerly by Davis court, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 666 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Bremen street and (formerly numbered 176), between an estate of Anna R. Cappello and an estate of Serafino De Fronzo, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,240 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 39, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Antonio De Stefano, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Helen G. Keough—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 28, between an estate of Abigail F. McDonald, and an estate of Michael O'Meara, tax for 1923.....	125 97
Also about 760 feet of land on the southerly side of Appian place, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly and easterly by an estate of Fannie Pearlman and another, southerly by an estate of Patrick Fitzpatrick; westerly by an estate of Raffaele De Matteo and another; northwesterly by Appian place, and northerly by Appian place, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Antonio Laquaglia—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 319, between an estate of Louis Pattipas and an estate of Giuseppe Ruotolo and another, tax for 1923.....	71 63
Also about 1,058 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Davis court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Julius Hecht; easterly by an estate of Laura E. Cashman; southerly by an estate of Francesco Dioguardi, and westerly by Davis court, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Rosario La Rosa—Buildings and about 1,001 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 186, between an estate of Dora Ganek and an estate of Luigi De Palma, tax for 1923.....	46 93
Also buildings and about 5,292 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington avenue, numbered 6, at end, adjoining an estate of Raffaele Matarazzo, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Sylvanus T. Le Baron—Buildings and about 14,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Border street, numbered 131-135, extending through to and numbered 146 Liverpool street, between an estate of Benjamin J. Graham and another and an estate of Thomas F. Croak and another, tax for 1923.....	543 40
Nicola and Angela Iannotti and Giuseppe and Francesco Scopa—Buildings and about 3,218 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 166 and 166A, between another estate of said Iannotti and others, and an estate of Salvatore Muccio, tax for 1923.....	213 42	Elizabeth F. Leonard—Buildings and about 940 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 376, making the easterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Giuseppe Fosto and another, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Antonio and Christina Incerto—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 44, between an estate of Nicola Ricupero and another, and an		Also buildings and about 1,435 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 223, between an estate of Mary E. Burke and an estate of Elizabeth A. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	61 75
		Israel Leventhal—About 665 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of the City of Boston, easterly by a passageway, southerly by an estate of Maria Serino and another, and westerly by Chelsea court, tax for 1923.....	4 94
		Elizabeth Levine—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Chelsea street, numbered 139, between an estate of Louis Cripio and an estate of Joseph Goldberg, tax for 1922.....	113 62
		Julia Lynch—Buildings and about 1,062 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 11, between an estate of said Lynch and an estate of Harris Wolfe, tax for 1923.....	24 70
		Also buildings and about 1,134 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 13, between an estate of said Lynch and an estate of Crescenzo Barraso, tax for 1923.....	27 17
		Mary Malony—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 233, between an estate of Gustaf Anderson and an estate of Sophia O. Peterson, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16253, tax for 1922,.....	29 64
		Elizabeth J. Marquard—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Princeton street, numbered 111, between an estate of Augustino Bianco and another and an estate of John T. M. O'Connell and others, tax for 1923.....	93 86
		Sophia K. Marshall—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prescott street, numbered 209, between an estate of East Boston Company and an estate of Vincenzo Bonzagni and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	56 81
		Nicola Mascuilli—Buildings and about 4,383 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 94 and 96, between an estate of Oscar J. Colson and an estate of Carmela DiNunzio, tax for 1923.....	494 00
		Leo and Isabella Maske—Buildings and about 1,155 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Marginal street, numbered 98, between an estate of Michael and Louis T. Leverone and an estate of Michele Gliigiello and another, tax for 1923.....\$56 81 Paid on account.....20 00	
		Balance due.....	36 81
		Rosina Mastrolia—Buildings and about 5,625 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 168, between an estate of Prisco Martiniello and an estate of Carmine Colorusso and another, tax for 1923.....	150 67
		Ralph Mazzarella—Buildings and about 1,866 feet of land on the southerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 307, between an estate of Agnes Merriantanti and an estate of Moses Trahan and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10
		Frank D. McCarthy—Buildings and about 1,701 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 152, making the easterly corner and numbered 3 Havre street, adjoining an estate of Francesco Contentia and another, tax for 1923.....	101 27
		Rosa McGonigle Heirs—About 819 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Burke's court (formerly numbered 3), bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Catherine Bell; southerly by Burke's court; southwesterly by an estate of Irene Di Nunzio; northwesterly by an estate of Nannina Cipriano, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Mary E. and Nellie M. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Liverpool street, numbered 109, making the southerly corner of and numbered 21 and 23 Decatur street, adjoining an estate of Antonio Di Angelis and another, tax for 1923.....\$130 91 Paid on account.....50 00	
		Balance due.....	80 91
		Richard McLaughlin—About 1,840 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, making the southerly corner of Noble court, adjoining an estate of Giovanni Graziano, tax for 1923.....	17 29
		Emily A. Monahan—Buildings and about 1,275 feet of land on the easterly side of Meridian street, numbered 143 and 145, extending through to London street, between an estate of Theresa E. Hirschberg and an estate of Mabel W. Tyrrell, tax for 1923.....	182 78
		Elizabeth A. Murphy—Buildings and about 1,435 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 221, making the southerly corner of Alna place and adjoining an estate of Elizabeth F. Leonard, tax for 1923.....	66 69
		Anna B. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 220, between another estate of said Nazzaro and an estate of Vincenzo Lauria and another, tax for 1923.....	113 62
		Also about 2,398 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 222, between an estate of said Nazzaro and an estate of Angelo and Rosa Oleviero, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court certificate number 12237, tax for 1923.....	24 70
		Also buildings and about 688 feet of land on the northwesterly side of London court, numbered 1, between an estate of Salvatore Rizza and an estate of Rosie Bernhout and another, tax for 1923.....	17 29

Ellen E. O'Brien—Buildings and about 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 186, between two estates of Michael J. Barry, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Also buildings and about 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 194, between an estate of Michael J. Barry and another estate of said O'Brien, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Also buildings and about 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 196 and 198, between another estate of said O'Brien and an estate of Michael Connell and another, tax for 1923..... 24 70

William and Edward A. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,852 feet of land on the southerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 13, between an estate of Joseph L. Shannon and another and an estate of E. Coleman Brown, tax for 1923..... \$66 69

Paid on account..... 30 00

Balance due..... 36 69

John Pagliarulo—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, numbered 166, between an estate of Cecelia B. Ring and an estate of Bernardino Divalo, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Agrippino and Emanuela Palermo—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Putnam street, numbered 177, making the southerly corner of Morris street, adjoining an estate of Ida S. Perlmuter, tax for 1923..... \$83 98

Paid on account..... 45 00

Balance due..... 38 98

Louis Pinansky—About 600 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Prescott street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Annie Bonito; easterly and southeasterly by a passageway; southwesterly and northwesterly by an estate of Raffaele Masciola and another, tax for 1923..... 2 47

George A. Richards—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 106, between an estate of Carmela Turea and another and an estate of Enrichetta Cogliano, tax for 1923..... 61 75

Mary E., Theodore B. and Frederick D. Roberts—About 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street (formerly numbered 182), between an estate of Michael J. Barry and an estate of Mary A. Ryan, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Maria Rocco—Buildings and about 1,805 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Havre street, numbered 156, between an estate of James Wallace and an estate of Guiseppa Casoletto, tax for 1923..... 83 98

Teresina Rosetti—Buildings and about 2,525 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 219, between an estate of Ferdinando Salerno and an estate of Theresa Giardello, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10756, tax for 1923..... \$118 56

Paid on account..... 60 00

Balance due..... 58 56

Teresa Rufrano—Buildings and about 2,399 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 42 and 42A, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Jane McGettigan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7103, tax for 1923..... \$172 90

Paid on account..... 40 00

Balance due..... 132 90

Vincent Salamone—Buildings and about 3,145 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 77, between an estate of Michelle Fuccillo and another estate of said Salamone, tax for 1923..... 271 70

Louisa Salerno—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 41, making the southerly corner of Maverick street, adjoining an estate of Eleanor W. Nugent heirs, tax for 1923..... 101 27

Stephen G. Sands—Buildings and about 1,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 33, between an estate of James St. George and an estate of Alfonso Caso and another, tax for 1923..... 19 76

Angelo and Carmela Sciarappa—Buildings and about 1,349 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 92, making the

northerly corner of Chelsea place, adjoining an estate of Angelina Macarana, tax for 1923..... \$123 50

Paid on account..... 108 00

Balance due..... 15 50

Annie Segal—Buildings and about 2,812 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 299, between an estate of George Constantina and another estate of said Segal, tax for 1923..... 128 44

Also buildings and about 2,812 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 303, between another estate of said Segal and an estate of Filippo Todesca and another, tax for 1923..... 111 15

Annie Shaffer—Buildings and about 2,150 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 157, between an estate of Mary Cassin and an estate of Domenico Genovese and another, tax for 1923..... 51 87

Maria Sileno—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 128, between an estate of Francesco Santaypis and another and an estate of Angelo Bruno, tax for 1923..... 96 33

Also buildings and about 1,913 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Belmont place, numbered 1, at end, between an estate of Vito Pagliarulo and another and an estate of Sarah A. Minton, tax for 1923..... 79 04

Also buildings and about 1,237 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 85, between an estate of Raffaele Cotti and others and an estate of Alfonso Corrado, tax for 1923..... 71 63

Barnet Silverman—About 1,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Putnam street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Max Fine; northeasterly and easterly by Putnam street; southerly by an estate of Bessie Smith; westerly by an estate of Rebecca Shannon, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Eliza W. Skilton—Buildings and about 875 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Haynes street, numbered 21, between two other estates of said Skilton, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also buildings and about 875 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Haynes street, numbered 19, between two other estates of said Skilton, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also buildings and about 875 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Haynes street, numbered 17, between two other estates of said Skilton, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also buildings and about 875 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Haynes street, numbered 15, between another estate of said Skilton and an estate of Mary M. O'Leary, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also buildings and about 875 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Haynes street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Skilton and an estate of William J. Franey, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Luigi and Maria Stasio—Buildings and about 2,657 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 186, between an estate of Anna B. Davidson and an estate of Domenico Mari and another, tax for 1923, \$148 20

Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 98 20

Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 187 and 189, making the westerly corner of Havre street, adjoining an estate of Giovanni Larocca, tax for 1923..... \$74 10

Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 24 10

Edward Steinbrugge—Buildings, docks and about 90,750 feet of land and flats on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 123, 125 and 127, between an estate of John E. Lynch and an estate of Isabelle K. Racich, tax for 1923..... 2,981 29

Annie I. Thompson—About 8,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of City of Boston; easterly by an estate of John Fagin; southerly by Marginal street; westerly by an estate of Edward B. Merriman, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Michele and Leonardi Tisi—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frankfort street, numbered 18, between an estate of Francesco Dimase and an estate of Anna Marino, tax for 1923..... 106 21

Antonio Tranfaglia—Buildings and about 1,130 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 16, between an estate of Antonio Milano and another and an estate of Francesco Tranfaglia and another, tax for 1923..... 96 33

Angelo M. and Palma G. Tucci (set off to Valentine Little)—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 391, making the southerly corner of Sumner place, adjoining an estate of Caroline Massa, tax for 1923, 27 17

Giovanni Vernacchia—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 228, between an estate of Albert O. Titcomb and another and an estate of Dora Aronson, tax for 1923..... \$60 80

Paid on account..... 35 00

Balance due..... 33 80

Flaviano Vitro—About 2,488 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Geneva street, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Salini, being lot 3, Whitman and Howard plan, April 16, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4360, page 253, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 7 21

Bernardino Vivolo—Buildings and about 1,235 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 24, between an estate of Michele Cardello and an estate of Pietro Meo and another, tax for 1923..... 153 14

Maria Voci—Buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 33, between an estate of John Berglund and an estate of Carl Christensen, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Annie Wakley—Buildings and about 1,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 92, between an estate of Florence K. Barry and an estate of Florence D'Ambrosio and another, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 1,125 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 291 rear, between an estate of Thomas Boardman and an estate of Carmine A. Pisaturo and another, tax for 1923, 22 23

William Williams—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 139, between an estate of Louis Crifo and an estate of Joseph Goldberg, tax for 1923..... 113 62

Also buildings and about 1,920 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 68, between an estate of Antonio Toscano and others, trustees, and an estate of Christian Rausch, tax for 1923..... 44 46

Harris Wolfe—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 5, making the southerly corner of Orleans street, adjoining another estate of said Wolfe, tax for 1923..... 83 98

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, between an estate of Julia Lynch (numbered 11) and another estate of said Wolfe (numbered 5), tax for 1923, 39 52

Also buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 30, between an estate of Samuel Klein and an estate of Sabino Batista, tax for 1923, 39 52

Also buildings and about 9,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Maverick street, numbered 205-209, between an estate of Frederick N. Tirrill and an estate of Rosina I. Di Pietro, tax for 1923..... 321 10

Abraham Yorks—Buildings and about 3,380 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Paris street, numbered 202, 204 and 204 rear, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Florence J. McCarthy, tax for 1923..... 125 85

Frederick F. Young—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 157, between an estate of Fred F. Hodgkins and an estate of William L. Hirschberg and another, tax for 1923..... 64 22

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Francis P. Adams—About 800 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Beach street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast by an estate of Jacob Blakly; southeasterly by an estate of Margaret F. Crowley; southwesterly by an estate of Joseph Berkowitch; northwesterly by an estate of Joseph Berkowitch, tax for 1923..... \$2 47

Mary T. Anthony—Buildings and about 1,179 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 395, between an estate of Marietta McDonald and an estate of Charles J. Shannon and another, tax for 1923.....	91 39	
Florence E. Bates—Buildings and about 4,533 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chapman street, numbered 68, 70 and 72, making the southerly corner of and numbered 4 Chapman place, adjoining an estate of Margaret Driscoll, tax for 1923.....	165 49	
Also buildings and about 1,348 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sullivan street, numbered 58, making the northerly corner of Bartlett street, adjoining an estate of Gardner Bates, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
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Also buildings and about 2,938 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wistar place, numbered 1 and 2, making the westerly corner of and numbered 42 Elm street, adjoining an estate of Nathan D. Toppa, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
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Also buildings and about 783 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Russell street, numbered 11, between an estate of Michael J. Tierney and an estate of Ellen L. Savage, tax for 1923.....	69 16	
Also buildings and about 722 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Avon place, numbered 8, at end, between an estate of William R. Nicholls and an estate of Joseph D. Donovan and another, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Also buildings and about 996 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Auburn street, numbered 35, between an estate of Elizabeth J. McIntire and an estate of Cornelius Crowley and another, tax for 1923.....	66 69	
Also buildings and about 557 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bolton place, numbered 10, between an estate of Mary C. Marks and an estate of The Realty Company of Boston, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Also buildings and about 572 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bolton place, numbered 14, between another estate of said Bates and an estate of Mary C. Marks, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Also buildings and about 500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bolton place, numbered 16, at end, between another estate of said Bates and an estate of Margaret J. McEllery, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Also buildings and about 1,980 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frothingham avenue, numbered 14 and 16, between an estate of Thomas M. Smith and an estate of James M. Roche, tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Also buildings and about 1,060 feet of land on the southerly side of Essex street, numbered 16, between an estate of Flora A. Cline and an estate of Abbie A. Spratt, tax for 1923.....	54 34	
Also buildings and about 954 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lyndeboro street, numbered 1, between an estate of Margaret Jardine and an estate of George T. Trumbull, tax for 1923.....	44 46	
Also buildings and about 1,903 feet of land on the northwesterly side of School street, numbered 18, between an estate of Francis Raynes devisees and another estate of said Bates, tax for 1923.....	83 98	
Also buildings and about 1,106 feet of land on the northwesterly side of School street, numbered 16 and 16A, making the northerly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Bates, tax for 1923.....	83 98	
Also buildings and about 1,145 feet of land on the northwesterly side of School street, numbered 14, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Bridget Burrows, tax for 1923.....	61 75	
Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the northwesterly side of School street, numbered 10, between an estate of Bridget Burrows and an estate of Aaron Hook, tax for 1923.....	64 22	
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William K. Bean—About 1,406 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Avery place, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 3, Charles A. Pearson plan, dated October 7, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3878, page 266, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 1,056 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Avery place, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 1,459 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Auburn avenue, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 975 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Auburn avenue, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 5,856 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Avery place, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Robert E. Bello—About 1,407 feet of land lying in the rear from northwesterly side of Mead street, adjoining an estate of John Kennedy and another, being lot A, Charles A. Pearson plan, dated August 9, 1902, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13052, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Marion F. Blue—About 7,348 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North Mead street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates of David H. Jacobs and Sons, Inc.; northerly by estates of Margaret T. McEnery; southeasterly by North Mead street; southwesterly by an estate of James M. McEnery heirs and John E. Doherty and another; northwesterly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Alma G. Bowen—Buildings and about 976 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lincoln street, numbered 9, making the northerly corner of Adams place, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Mullen, tax for 1923.....	41 99	
John J. and Ellen A. Breen—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Main street, numbered 392, extending through to Lyndeboro street, between an estate of Bradford L. Bowen and an estate of Augustus T. Mariani, tax for 1923.....	81 51	
Paid on account.....	45 00	
Balance due.....	36 51	
Walter H. Broadhead (supposed present owner Waldo S. Plastringe)—Buildings and about 915 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Badger place, numbered 3, between an estate of Sarkis Airasian and an estate of Charles L. Edwards, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
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Arthur D. Cassell (supposed present owner Joseph Gusenoff)—Buildings and about 2,989 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pearl street, numbered 85, between an estate of Arthur D. Cassell and an estate of Patrick Kelley, tax for 1923.....	66 69	
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Also buildings and about 1,184 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Benjamin T. Wooley, tax for 1923.....	51 87	
Also buildings and about 1,184 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller street, numbered 25, between two other estates of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	51 87	
Also buildings and about 1,184 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller street, numbered 27, between two other estates of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	51 87	
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Isaac S. Cohen—Buildings and about 1,525 feet of land on the southeasterly side of School street, numbered 77, between an estate of Emma H. Mason and another estate of said Cohen, tax for 1923.....	98 80	
Also buildings and about 1,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of School street, numbered 79, between two other estates of said Cohen, tax for 1923.....	49 40	
Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the southeasterly side of School street, numbered 81, between two other estates of said Cohen, tax for 1923.....	49 40	
Also buildings and about 1,650 feet of land on the southeasterly side of School street, numbered 85, between an estate of Julia Murphy and another estate of said Cohen, tax for 1923.....	93 86	
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Lillie M. Cruickshank—Buildings and about 540 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wellington place, numbered 1, making the westerly corner of St. Martin street, adjoining an estate of George F. Sweeney, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Thomas P. Currier and Susan E. Chase (supposed present owner Alice M. E. Egan)—Buildings and about 1,760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm street, numbered 57, between an estate of Agnes C. Taff and an estate of Elizabeth J. McIntire, tax for 1923.....	74 10	
Daniel P. Desmond and James Hughes (supposed present owner Harrison G. and Agnes M. Smith)—Buildings and about 2,640 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parker street, numbered 20, between two estates of Hannah M. Monahan, tax for 1923.....	64 22	
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Also about 1,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woods place, adjoining another estate of said Doherty and another, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 91	
Also about 1,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woods place, adjoining another estate of said Doherty and another, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 1,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woods place, adjoining another estate of said Doherty and another, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 1,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woods place, adjoining another estate of said Doherty and another, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
James H. Dunphy—Buildings and about 1,633 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 437 and 437½, between another estate of said Dunphy and an estate of Mary Simonian, tax for 1923.....	80 45	
Also buildings and about 1,633 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 439 and 439½, between another estate of said Dunphy and an estate of Margaret Shea, tax for 1923.....	86 45	

Julia C. Fay—About 2,851 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutherford avenue, making the easterly corner of Dunstable street, adjoining an estate of Standard Grocery Company, being a lot shown on Charles A. Pearson plan, dated January, 1885, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1727, page 640, tax for 1923.....	96 33	Northerly by an estate of Daniel J. Kane and Ella M. Hosmer; easterly by an estate of Charles A. Stewart; southerly by Exeter place; westerly by Exeter place, tax for 1923.....	7 41	of land on the southwesterly side of Medford street, numbered 230, making the westerly corner of and numbered 43 Polk street, adjoining an estate of Oppenheim Brothers & Co., Inc., tax for 1923.....	49 40
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 80	Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,541 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Auburn avenue, numbered 2, between an estate of Angus D. McDonald and an estate of William K. Bean, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 1,543 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm street, numbered 85, between an estate of David J. McGale and another and an estate of John F. Donovan, tax for 1923.....	128 44
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Clara B. French—About 4,424 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hill street, making the westerly corner of Cook street, adjoining an estate of John Kyle (numbered 26 Cook street), tax for 1923.....	37 05	Also buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 451 and 451½, between an estate of Josephine S. Romano and an estate of Thomas W. Looker, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Charles J. Kelley, Junior—Buildings and about 2,033 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sullivan street, numbered 46, between an estate of Richard L. Melvin and an estate of Charlestown Five Cents Savings Bank, tax for 1923,.....	54 34
Clara B. French (supposed present owner Susan M. Cox. Buildings and about 1,184 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Russell street, numbered 61, making the northerly corner of Russell place, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Carmody (numbered 2 Russell place), tax for 1923.....	56 81	Also buildings and about 1,274 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 13, between an estate of Mary Falvey and an estate of Mary E. F. Henchey, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Nora M. Kiley—Buildings and about 1,144 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Allston street, numbered 41, between an estate of Mary L. Tweedy and an estate of John H. Murphy heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Gaynor's Lunch Company, Inc.—Buildings and about 5,399 feet of land on the easterly side of Haverhill street, numbered 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10, making the southerly corner of and numbered 646 and 648 Main street, extending through to and making the westerly corner of Homes place, adjoining an estate of William J. Holmes heirs (numbered 5 Homes place), apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	14 52	Andrew Hood (supposed present owner Bridget A. Hood—Buildings and about 1,856 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Haverhill street, numbered 16, between an estate of Mary J. Riley and an estate of Charles H. Barnard, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Also buildings and about 1,340 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lincoln street, numbered 18, between an estate of Michael Fitzgerald and an estate of Dennis Swanson, tax for 1923.....	81 51
J Rush Green (supposed present owner Andrew D. Donald)—Buildings and about 17,980 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arlington avenue, numbered 100, between an estate of American Agricultural Chemical Company and the boundary line between City of Boston and City of Somerville, tax for 1923.....	370 50	Andrew J. Howard—About 2,859 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mead street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Margaret Long; southeasterly by an estate of Martin Dolan; southwesterly by an estate of Elizabeth Sullivan; northwesterly by Mead street, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Louisa Langone—Buildings and about 2,178 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cross street, numbered 16 and 18, between an estate of Lucy J. Hayden and an estate of Margaret T. Van Wart and others, tax for 1923,.....	108 63
Matthew J. Greene, Trustee of Estate of Alice E. Collins and Alice Greene—About 469 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Green's Block, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Timothy L. Casey; southeasterly by Green's Block; southwesterly by an estate of Frank J. Riley; northwesterly by an estate of Cornelius Gibbons and another, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Elwood A. Howe—Buildings and about 720 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sullivan street, numbered 65, making the easterly corner of Mason court, adjoining an estate of Norah J. Ployer, tax for 1923.....	69 16	Samuel Lombard—About 1,233 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dunstable street, formerly numbered 52, making the southerly corner of a 20-foot passageway adjoining an estate of Patrick Lombard, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Mary G. Harding—Buildings and about 2,018 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baldwin street, numbered 82, making the northerly corner of Bunker Hill street, adjoining an estate of Winifred L. Morrison, tax for 1923.....	\$148 20	Sarah A. Hughes—About 1,730 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Caldwell street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Charlotte A. Nicholls; southeasterly by Caldwell street; southwesterly by an estate of William Gillespie and another; northwesterly by the boundary line of the city of Somerville and the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Samuel and Richard J. Lombard—About 1,056 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frothingham avenue, adjoining another estate of the said Lombard and another, being lot 15, as shown on Charles A. Pearson plan, dated January, 1883, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1591, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Paid on account.....	100 00	Nora A. Hurley—Buildings and about 855 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Medford street, numbered 330, making the westerly corner of Cook street, adjoining an estate of Bernard J. McMorrow, tax for 1923.....	71 63	Also about 1,012 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frothingham avenue, adjoining an estate of said Lombard and another, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Balance due.....	48 20	Elizabeth Jones, Devises of under will—Buildings and about 1,240 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Eden avenue, numbered 4, between an estate of Bessie Klous and an estate of Allen D. Hall and another, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Also about 943 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frothingham avenue, adjoining an estate of said Lombard and another, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Julia Hewitt—About 277 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mystic place, (formerly numbered 1), making the northerly corner of Walnut street, adjoining an estate of William Powers heirs or devisees under will of, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,815 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Belmont street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Sarah A. Ahern; southeasterly by Belmont street; southwesterly by an estate of Susan M. Cox; northwesterly by an estate of the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 926 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frothingham avenue, adjoining an estate of said Lombard and another, being lot 21, same plan tax for 1923.....	24 70
E. J. Hickey—Buildings and about 1,960 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 375, 377, between an estate of Bay State Petroleum Company and another estate of said Hickey, tax for 1923.....	96 33	Also about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marshall place, between an estate of John Meade heirs or devisees and an estate of David J. Lee, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also buildings and about 909 feet of land on the southerly side of Frothingham avenue, numbered 23, between two other estates of said Lombard and another, tax for 1923,.....	22 23
Also buildings and about 1,310 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 379, between another estate of said Hickey and another estate of said Hickey, tax for 1923.....	81 51	Also buildings and about 563 feet of land on the southwesterly side of North Quincy place, numbered 2, between another estate of said Annie M. Kelley and an estate of Rose Flanagan heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 1,767 feet of land on the southerly side of Frothingham avenue, numbered 25 and 27, between two other estates of said Lombard and another, tax for 1923,.....	56 81
Also buildings and about 3,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 381, 381½, between two other estates of said Hickey, tax for 1923.....	81 51	Tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 1,787 feet of land on the southerly side of Frothingham avenue, numbered 29, between two other estates of said Lombard and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Also buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 383, making the easterly corner of and numbered 3 Oak street, adjoining another estate of said Hickey, tax for 1923.....	81 51	Also buildings and about 563 feet of land on the southwesterly side of North Quincy place, numbered 3, between another estate of said Annie M. Kelley and an estate of Anastasia Harrington, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also buildings and about 5,516 feet of land on the southerly side of Frothingham avenue, numbered 31, making the southeasterly corner of Rutherford avenue, adjoining another estate of said Lombard and another, tax for 1923.....	205 01
Alfred S. Hill, Trustee under will of Edgar B. Warren—About 900 feet of land on the easterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows:		Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 23
		Also buildings and about 1,176 feet		Also buildings and about 3,871 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutherford avenue, numbered 277 and 279, making the northerly corner of and numbered 55 Dunstable street, adjoining an estate of Edward L. Gillette, tax for 1923.....	148 20
				Also buildings and about 5,587 feet of land on the easterly side of Rutherford avenue, numbered 293 and 295, making the northeasterly corner of Frothingham avenue, extending to and making the southwesterly corner of a 4-foot passageway and the southwesterly corner of a four (4) foot passageway, adjoining an estate of Bessie Rosenstien, tax for 1923.....	209 95

Michael O. Lucash (supposed present owner James A. Palmer)—Buildings and about 1,290 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Elm street, numbered 124, between another estate of said Lucash and an estate of Mary E. Lewis, tax for 1923.....	11 99		between an estate of Eugene Sullivan and another and an estate of Frank B. Linnane, tax for 1923.....	29 64
John B. Mackay—Buildings and about 1,098 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mill street, numbered 16, making the southwesterly corner of Mill Street court, adjoining an estate of Nora M. O'Brien, tax for 1923.....	74 10		Frances L. Richards—Buildings and about 1,239 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mystic street, numbered 29, between an estate of Catherine Hoban and another and an estate of Ella W. Pendergast, tax for 1923....	59 28
William and Julia Wagner—Buildings and about 1,238 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Allston street, numbered 38, between an estate of Annie F. Brown and an estate of Ellen M. Readdy Heirs, tax for 1923.....	29 60		George A. Richards—Buildings and about 1,680 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walker street, numbered 62, between an estate of Harry C. Wadleigh and an estate of Perkins Institution and Massachusetts School for Blind, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Balance due.....	20 40		Harlow H. Rogers—About 844 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North Mead street, between an estate of James M. McEnerny and a ten (10) foot passageway, leading from the northwesterly side of North Mead street, being lot C, Fuller and Whitney plan, dated August 1, 1882, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1602, page 394, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Frank S. Mason and Edward M. Bailey Trustees of Allen Realty Trust (supposed present owner Louis Kalender)—Buildings and about 3,716 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Main street, numbered 468, 470 and 472, making the southerly corner of and (numbered 1 and 2 Thorndike dike street, extending to and making the easterly corner of Allen place, tax for 1923.....	150 67		Josephine S. Romano—About 2,418 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Charles Street place, adjoining an estate of the City of Boston, being lot 6, C. B. Humphrey plan, March 29, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13289, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Guy H. Maynard—About 1,407 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Eagle Pass, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by an estate of Robert E. Bello; southwesterly by an estate of Lucy C. Toomey; northwesterly by an estate of Walter Nash; northeasterly by an estate of St. Francis de Sales School Association of Charlestown, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Main street, numbered 445, between an estate of George T. Horan, trustee, and an estate of Thomas W. Looker, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13289, tax for 1923.....	59 28
Martha McCree—Buildings and about 2,387 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oak street, numbered 15, between an estate of Carl Carbone and another and an estate of Benjamin P. Hollis, trustee, tax for 1923.....	71 63		Also buildings and about 6,477 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Main street, numbered 453, 455, 455 1/2, 457, 459 and 459 1/2, extending through to and numbered 15, 17 and 19 Charles Street place, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of Charles Cumense, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13289, tax for 1923.....	247 00
James M. McEnerny Heirs or Devises—About 2,582 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North Mead street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and northeasterly by an estate of Marion F. Blue; southwesterly by North Mead street; southwesterly by another estate of said McEnerny heirs; northwesterly by an estate of Mary A. Rice, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also buildings and about 1,282 feet of land on the northerly side of Medford street, numbered 555, 557, 559 and 561, making the easterly corner of Beach street, adjoining an estate of Miles Muldoon, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13289, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Also about 844 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North Mead street, making the northerly corner of a 10-foot passageway and adjoining another estate of said McEnerny, heirs, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also buildings and about 3,177 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bartlett street, numbered 94A, making the westerly corner of and numbered 52 Sullivan street, adjoining an estate of Narciso Martin, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13289, tax for 1923.....	143 26
Also about 1,160 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North Mead street, making the westerly corner of a 10-foot passageway and adjoining an estate of Bridget Lynch (numbered 24), tax for 1923.....	7 41		Caroline Roundy—Buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Parker street, numbered 35, extending through to Hadley street, between an estate of Catherine Miskell and an estate of Annie Kiley, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Mary O. McIsaac—Buildings and about 1,335 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 421, making the easterly corner of Irving place, adjoining an estate of Martin Healy (numbered 419), tax for 1923....	37 05		Mary A. Savage—Buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the southwesterly side of School-house court, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by School-house court; southeasterly by an estate of Catherine F. O'Brien; southwesterly by Rand and Byan, Incorporated, and northwesterly, Rand and Byan, Incorporated, tax for 1923.....	9 88
John Meade Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of and at end of Marshall place, numbered 8, between an estate of Annie M. Kelley and an estate of Peter F. Cavanaugh, tax for 1923.....	4 94		Elizabeth J. Scanlon—About 785 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of George S. Tomlinson, trustee; easterly by a 3-foot passageway; southerly by an estate of Daniel J. Kane; westerly and southwesterly by Exeter place, tax for 1923.....	7 11
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Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 17 00

Also buildings and about 5,080 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 79, 79½ and 79 rear, between an estate of James S. Duval and an estate of Kate Hickey, tax for 1923..... 69 16

Snyders Naval Outfitters, Inc.—Buildings and about 5,063 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 15, 17, 19 and 21, between an estate of Richard J. Schofield and an estate of Edith P. Waters and others, tax for 1923..... 889 20

Hyman Stillman—About 2,009 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street, between another estate of said Stillman and an estate of Josephine L. Farrell, tax for 1921..... 19 76

Tax for 1922..... 19 76

Tax for 1923..... 19 76

Also about 2,087 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Elizabeth M. Dougherty; easterly by an estate of Peter J. McElroy; southerly by an estate of Hyman Stillman, and westerly by Corey street, tax for 1921..... 19 76

Tax for 1922..... 19 76

Tax for 1923..... 19 76

Bertha Stimpson—Buildings and about 960 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cedar street, numbered 5, between an estate of Joseph Goldstein and an estate of Elizabeth H. Brown, tax for 1923..... 121 03

John F. Tomfahrd—Buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Jefferson avenue, numbered 23, extending through to and numbered 24 and 26 Concord street, between an estate of Elizabeth G. Riorden and an estate of Mary Porter, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Thomas F. Walsh—Buildings and about 2,930 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Vine street, numbered 18 and 20, making the westerly corner of

and numbered 12, 12½, 14 and 16 Decatur street, adjoining an estate of Julia M. Clarke, tax for 1923, \$108 68

Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 58 68

Thomas E. Walsh—Buildings and about 1,612 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutherford avenue, numbered 131, 131 rear, 133, between an estate of Francis Raynes devisees and an estate of Bridget A. Townsend, tax for 1923..... \$96 33

Paid on account..... 40 00

Balance due..... 56 33

Fred J. Weyland—About 1,784 feet of land on the northerly side of Tufts Street avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by estates of Ellen Calleen and William Mahoney; northerly by an estate of John F. Madden; westerly by an estate of Miles Muldoon, and southerly by Tufts Street avenue, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Bessie V. Wright—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Austin street, 54 and 54 rear, between an estate of Theresa B. Tiernan and an estate of Margaret Long, tax for 1923..... 46 93

Salvino and Theresa Zarella—Buildings and about 1,286 feet of land on the northerly side of Chelsea street, numbered 113 and 113A, between an estate of Hyman Miller and an estate of Annie E. Williams heirs or devisees, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1316, tax for 1923..... 158 08

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William H. Agey, Trustee—Buildings and about 881 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wendell street, numbered 38, between an estate of Hannah Quinn heirs or devisees and an estate of Albert R. Rosenthal, tax for 1923..... \$419 90

Samuel Altman—Buildings and about 2,111 feet of land on the northerly side of Broadway, numbered 226, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 902 and 908 Washington street, adjoining an estate of George Boggie and another, tax for 1923..... 1,393 08

Bertha E. Arseno—Buildings and about 921 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 3, between an estate of Mary G. Adams, and an estate of Kevie Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 69 16

Samuel Arvedon—Buildings and about 1,766 feet of land on the southerly side of Wiget street, numbered 4, 6 and 8, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 88 and 90 Salem street, adjoining an estate of Mile Barren, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12880, tax for 1923..... 958 36

Carlo, Augustino and Vincenzo Baicalupo—Buildings and about 451 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chambers street, numbered 205, making the easterly corner of Barton street, adjoining an estate of Rosie Osterow, tax for 1923..... 64 22

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 2 79

Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc.—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Leverett street, numbered 38, making the southwest corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Hyman Green and another, tax for 1923..... 345 80

Ida Blander—Buildings and about 1,178 feet of land on the easterly side of Hudson street, numbered 126, between an estate of Anna M. Brickley and others and an estate of Mary H. Terrio, tax for 1923..... 88 92

Arno M. Bommer—Buildings and about 738 feet of land on the southerly side of Morton street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Bommer and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923..... 148 20

Also buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 59 and 61, making the easterly corner of and numbered 25 Morton street, adjoining an estate of Marks I. Cohen, tax for 1923..... 444 60

Boston Construction Company—Buildings and about 3,207 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington street, numbered 864, 866 and 868, making the northeasterly corner of Oak street, adjoining an estate of George S. Winslow and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... \$1,830 27

Paid on account..... 850 00

Balance due..... 980 27

Anna M., Florence T. and Margaret Brickley—Buildings and about 1,414 feet of land on the easterly side of Hudson street, numbered 132, between an estate of Ida Blander and an estate of George A. Boussard and another, tax for 1923..... 123 50

Annie Bronstein—Buildings and about 2,466 feet of land on the easterly side of Norman street, numbered 49, 51 and 53, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 140A, 140C and 142 Merrimac street, adjoining an estate of Rachael Yanofsky, tax for 1923..... \$1,089 27

Paid on account..... 500 00

Balance due..... 589 27

Herman and Zlata Bucks—Buildings and about 958 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Barton street, numbered 74, making the easterly corner of Milton street, adjoining an estate of Norton F. Ginsberg, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Thomas J. Burke—Buildings and about 1,304 feet of land on the easterly side of India square, numbered 3 and 5, at junction of and numbered 5, 7 and 9 Storer street, between an estate of Amasa Stetson heirs or devisees and Rufus A. Thayer and an estate of Louis R. Spinney, tax for 1923..... 666 90

Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, trustees will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 650 feet of land on the northerly side of Curve street, numbered 41, between another estate of said Butler and another, trustees, and an estate of Joseph Emme, tax for 1923..... 64 22

Also buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the northerly side of Curve street, numbered 39, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 142 and 144 Hudson street, adjoining another estate of said Butler and another trustees, tax for 1923..... 128 44

Also buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard street, numbered 25, 25A, 25 rear and 27, between an estate of Bernard A. McMahon and another estate of said Butler and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 256 88

Also buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Butler and another, trustees, and an estate of Taurus Simeon Towk, tax for 1923..... 158 08

Luigi Caini—Buildings and about 949 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Unity street, numbered 18, between an estate of Pietro Folinos and an estate of Maddaleno Manfra and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6496, tax for 1923..... 185 25

Alphonse Cangiano—Buildings and about 2,099 feet of land on the southerly side of Cooper street, numbered 12, 14 and 16, making the southeasterly corner of Bartlett place, adjoining an estate of Michael Soldani, tax for 1923..... 778 05

Kevie Carmen and Ira W. Shapiro, trustees of Carmen Realty Trust—Buildings and about 2,667 feet of land on the westerly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 257, 259, 261 and 263, making the northwesterly corner of Noanet street, adjoining another estate of said Kevie Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 543 40

Also buildings and about 8,988 feet of land on the northerly side of Noanet street, numbered 12, 13 and 14, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... \$1,062 10

Paid on account..... 696 54

Balance due..... 365 56

Also buildings and about 980 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 1, between an estate of Boston Elevated Railway Company and an estate of Gregory Adams and another, tax for 1923..... 81 51

Also buildings and about 922 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 4, between an estate of Bertha E. Arseno and another estate of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 69 16

Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 61 75

Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 61 75

Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 9, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 104 and 11, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 267 Harrison avenue, adjoining another estate of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Kevin Carmen, Ira W. Spapira and Thomas Nutile, Trustees of the Commercial Building Trust—Buildings and about 2,775 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Henchman street, numbered 14 and 16, extending through to Goodridge alley, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Giuseppe Grande and others, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12587, tax for 1923.....	691 60	Also buildings and about 5,404 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prince street, numbered 91, 91A and 93, extending through to and numbered 6 Cleveland place, between an estate of Consiglia Giarla and an estate of Giovannia Angiulo, tax for 1923.....	1,654 90	Also buildings and about 1,601 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Salem street, numbered 152, between an estate of Angelo Ciampa and another and an estate of Tommaso Sorrentina, tax for 1923.....	494 00	Also buildings and about 723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thacher court, at end, numbered 15, adjoining an estate of James Costanza and another, tax for 1923.....	111 15	Frances Cataldo—Buildings and about 1,387 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Salem street, numbered 167, 169 and 171, making the southerly corner of and numbered 48 North Bennet street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Gioacchino and Graziella Nardone, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12707, tax for 1923.....	642 20	Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 63, between an estate of William Williams and an estate of Louise F. Sinclair, tax for 1923.....	140 79	Also buildings and about 710 feet of land on the northerly side of Hanover avenue, numbered 22 and 22A, between an estate of Charles A. Gillespie and an estate of P. Robert Green and others, tax for 1923.....	160 55	William Chang—Buildings and about 1,440 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tyler street, numbered 10, between an estate of Henry C. Thacher heirs or devisees and an estate of Chew Park and others, tax for 1923.....	251 94	Bridget Clougherty—About 408 feet of land on the southerly side of Commercial street, formerly numbered 534 Commercial street and 6 Copp's Hill terrace, making the southwesterly corner of Copp's Hill terrace, adjoining an estate of Alessandro Martino, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Samuel Cohen—Buildings and about 1,260 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brighton street, numbered 124, between an estate of Sophia Gateman and an estate of Rebecca Benson, tax for 1923.....	\$271 70	Paid on account.....	100 00	Balance due.....	171 70	William B. Cohen—Buildings and about 6,853 square feet of land on the northwesterly side of Merrimac street, numbered 139-143, making the easterly corner of and numbered 145-149 Staniford street, and making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 49 Causeway street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Murich Judd, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15959, tax for 1923.....	4,322 50	Joseph G. Cohen and Zelda Greenwood—Buildings and about 1,483 square feet of land on the southeasterly side of Fulton street, numbered 37 and 39, between another estate now or formerly of said Cohen and another and an estate of Harry H. Hayes, tax for 1923.....	\$1,020 11	Paid on account.....	900 00	Balance due.....	120 11	Also buildings and about 1,557 square feet of land on the easterly side of Fulton street, numbered 35, making the northeasterly corner of Cross street, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Cohen and another, tax for 1923.....	\$1,402 96	Paid on account.....	900 00	Balance due.....	502 96	Domenico and Ansilia Cristiano—Buildings and about 1,245 square feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 391 and 393, making the southeasterly corner of Clark street, adjoining an estate of Joseph A. Langone, tax for 1923.....	741 00	Robert B. Crocker—Buildings and about 7,338 square feet of land on the southerly side of Lincoln street, numbered 210, 212, 214 and 216, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 144 Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Harry M. Aldrich, tax for 1923.....	\$12,740 26	Paid on account.....	10,000 00	Balance due.....	2,740 26	Carminella D'Ambrosio—Buildings and about 1,082 square feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sheafe street, numbered 5, between an estate of Cleonice De Ieso and others and an estate of Pasquale Rosetto, tax for 1923.....	106 21	Also buildings and about 1,933 feet of land on the westerly side of Margaret street, numbered 12, 12½ and 14, between an estate of Arazio Bevilacqua and an estate of Tomaso Sacco, tax for 1923.....	432 25	David H. Dane, Mortgagee in possession—Buildings and about 1,664 feet of land on the westerly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 15, between an estate of D. Blakeley Hoar and another, trustees, and an estate of Samuel Carr and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	1,235 00	Algerino De Angelis—Buildings and about 2,308 feet of land on the northerly side of Charter street, numbered 95 and 97, between an estate of Filipo Dimattia and an estate of Mary T. Grennan, tax for 1923.....	335 92	Joseph De Laurentis—Buildings and about 680 feet of land on the easterly side of North Anderson street, numbered 33, making the southeasterly corner of Parkman street, adjoining an estate of Simon Blumenfeld, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 88	Mary M. Deraney, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tyler street, numbered 109, between an estate of Sarkis N. Leasher and an estate of Summerfield Company, tax for 1923.....	118 56	Joseph A. De Simone and Michael C. Bellucci, Trustees, one half, and Ralph Jannini, one half—Buildings and about 3,780 feet of land on the westerly side of North street, numbered 278, 280 rear, 280, 282 and 284, between an estate of Bessie Burgillo and another and an estate of Teresa Marotta, tax for 1922.....	716 30	Tax for 1923.....	716 30	Andrea DiPietro—Buildings and about 6,525 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 422, 424, 426 and 428, making the northwesterly and southwesterly corners of and numbered 3 and 4 Fountain place, tax for 1921.....	1,746 29	Tax for 1922.....	1,877 20	Also buildings and about 964 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 404, making the westerly corner of Holden court, tax for 1921.....	256 88	Tax for 1922.....	256 88	Also buildings and about 845 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	133 38	Tax for 1922.....	133 38	Also buildings and about 720 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 4, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	98 80	Tax for 1922.....	98 80	Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 3, tax for 1921.....		Balance due.....	276 71	Also buildings and about 1,152 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Minot street, numbered 11, between an estate of Mary Szabza and an estate of Sarah Cohen, tax for 1923.....	\$259 35	Paid on account.....	200 00	Balance due.....	59 35	Federal Development Company—Buildings and about 5,366 feet of land on the southerly side of Dock square, numbered 24, 24A, 25 and 26, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 20-26 Faneuil Hall square, adjoining an estate of Charles W. Rowell, tax for 1923.....	\$10,497 50	Paid on account.....	5,000 00	Balance due.....	5,497 50	Two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	148 20	Tax for 1922.....	148 20	Also about 1,035 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Holden court, numbered 2, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	160 55	Tax for 1922.....	160 55	Also buildings and about 810 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Holden court, numbered 1, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	135 85	Tax for 1922.....	135 85	Also buildings and about 821 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 402, making the southerly corner of Holden court, adjoining another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	222 30	Tax for 1922.....	222 30	Also buildings and about 1,765 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 416, 418 and 420, between an estate of Andrea DiPietro and another and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	528 58	Tax for 1922.....	605 15	Also buildings and about 972 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Leverett street, numbered 148 and 150, between an estate of Ralph F. Russell and an estate of Samuel A. Levenson, tax for 1922.....	296 40	Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 406 to 418 (inclusive), between another estate of said DiPietro and an estate of Andrea DiPietro, tax for 1922.....	716 30	Also buildings and about 1,687 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 479 to 483 (inclusive), between another estate of said DiPietro and an estate of Ann Louise Hatfield heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....	486 59	Also buildings and about 1,517 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 491-495½ inclusive, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1922.....	395 20	Also buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 485-489
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Romolo Ferrara—Buildings and about 891 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom street, numbered 21, between an estate of Frank Collazzo and another and an estate of John C. Taylor, trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$222 30	
Paid on account.....	60 00	
Balance due.....	162 30	
Also buildings and about 1,330 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Willard street, numbered 19, between an estate of Sarah L. Hootstein and an estate of Benjamin Freedman and others, tax for 1923.....	222 30	
Also buildings and about 1,324 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Willard street, numbered 23, between an estate of Sarah L. Hootstein and an estate of Boston Elevated Railway Company, tax for 1923.....	209 95	
Domenico Florio—Buildings and about 1,402 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Fulton street, numbered 77 and 79, between an estate of Paul B. Watson and others, trustees, and an estate of Charles A. Pastene and another, tax for 1923.....	869 44	
Annie C. Foppiano—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Endicott street, numbered 158 and 158A, making the westerly corner of and numbered 23 and 25 Thacher street, adjoining an estate of Amelia A. Scigliano, tax for 1923.....	\$301 34	
Paid on account.....	150 00	
Balance due.....	151 34	
Robert H. Ford—Buildings and about 603 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington Street North, numbered 163, between an estate of M. Louisa Hughes and an estate of John J. Bench, tax for 1923.....	160 55	
Leah Franklin—Buildings and about 1,026 feet of land on the southerly side of Parkman street, numbered 12, between an estate of Abram Krasousky and an estate of Jennie Levine, tax for 1922.....	185 25	
Tax for 1923.....	185 25	
Arthur P. French, Trustee under will of Harnet Hallett—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Commercial street, numbered 206 and 208, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 1 and 1½ Lewis street, adjoining an estate of Harry H. Ham and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	716 30	
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,271 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pitts street, numbered 26, between an estate of Mary C. Howard and an estate of Albert Brown heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Mathilda Friedman—Buildings and about 703 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Billerica street, numbered 59, between an estate of Louis Isenberg and an estate of Francis J. Howard, trustee, tax for 1923.....	74 10	
Marcilina Gentile—Buildings and about 1,830 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Salem street, numbered 158 and 158A, between an estate of Genesio DeStefano and others and an estate of Rosina R. Petraglia, tax for 1923.....	\$753 35	
Paid on account.....	260 00	
Balance due.....	553 35	
Ralph Giannato—Buildings and about 1,329 feet of land on the westerly side of North Margin street, numbered 60A, between an estate of Giovanni Catalano and another estate of said Giannato, tax for 1923.....	251 94	
Max Ginsburg—Buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 151, between an estate of Lottie Harth and an estate of Annie M. Lynch and others, tax for 1923.....	197 60	
Albert A. Golden—Buildings and about 2,813 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 179-185, between an estate of Israel A. Ratshesky and another and an estate of Abraham C. Ratshesky, tax for 1923.....	2,395 90	
Antonio Gonçalves—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the southerly side of Harris street, numbered 25, between an estate of Roberto Leverone and an estate of Placido Amaru, tax for 1923.....	187 72	
Annie Goodman—Buildings and about 965 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chambers street, numbered 149, making the easterly corner of and numbered 18 and 20 Ashland street, adjoining an estate of Louis H. Levanson, tax for 1923.....	\$370 50	
Paid on account.....	100 00	
Balance due.....	270 50	
Joseph Goodman—Buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 19, between another estate of said Goodman and an estate of Tillie Sherman, tax for 1923.....	\$476 71	
Paid on account.....	375 00	
Balance due.....	101 71	
Also buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 17, between another estate of said Goodman and an estate of Dennis J. McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	\$395 20	
Paid on account.....	375 00	
Balance due.....	20 20	
Daniel Goodnow—Buildings and about 736 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Portland street, numbered 11 and 11½, between an estate of P. Robert Greene and others and an estate of Suburban Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$543 40	
Paid on account.....	143 40	
Balance due.....	400 00	
Annie L. Green—Buildings and about 1,166 feet of land on the easterly side of Bulfinch street, numbered 22 and 22½, between an estate of Lawrence H. H. Johnson and another and an estate of Horace W. Barter, Junior, and another trustees, tax for 1923.....	358 15	
Hannah Greenwood—Buildings and about 400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chapel place, numbered 4, between an estate of Theodore E. Clark and an estate of Catherine Farley, tax for 1923.....	140 79	
Mary A. Harnedy—Buildings and about 3,775 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 193 and 195, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 1 Blossom street, adjoining an estate of Mary Meltzer and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13949, tax for 1923.....	758 29	
David I. Herman—Buildings and about 2,899 feet of land on the southerly side of Merrimac street, numbered 128 and 134, between an estate of Rachel Yanofsky and an estate of H. Traiser & Co., Inc., registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13696, tax for 1923.....	1,331 33	
Edward J. Hickey and John J. Ahern, Trustees—Buildings and about 2,038 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Friend street, numbered 232 and 234, between an estate of New England Trust Company, trustee, and an estate of Edward J. and Mary E. Butler, trustees, tax for 1923.....	913 90	
Mary G. Hirschberg—Buildings and about 511 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Staniford street, numbered 122, extending through and numbered 14 Prospect street, between an estate of Donald Stahl and an estate of Evelyn Lamprey, tax for 1923.....	202 54	
Also buildings and about 979 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Staniford street, numbered 124 and 126, making the westerly corner of South Margin street, adjoining another estate of said Hirschberg, tax for 1923.....	543 40	
Ida M. Hodsdon—About 740 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northerly side of Russell place, between an estate of Jennie Levine and an estate of Wolf Zimmerman and another, tax for 1923.....	32 11	
Also about 800 feet of land on the southerly side of Curve street, making the southwesterly corner of Albany street, adjoining an estate of Frederick W. Rogers, trustee, tax for 1923.....	59 28	
Also buildings and about 844 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lewis street, numbered 52, making the easterly corner of and numbered 15 and 17 Moon street, adjoining an estate of Angiolina Galasso, tax for 1923.....	197 60	
Janet Hollander—Buildings and about 2,012 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 41A and 43, between another estate of said Hollander and an estate of Sarah Greenstein, tax for 1923.....	345 80	
Hyman Hootstein—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom street, numbered 63, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 38 and 38A Allen street, adjoining an estate of Ida Levenson, tax for 1923.....	370 50	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 27	
Philomena Ianniello—Buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southerly side of Noyes place, numbered 7, mak-		
ing the southwesterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Carlo Demarco and another, tax for 1923.....	88 92	
Insurance Building Corporation—Buildings and about 25,960 feet of land on the southwesterly side of India street, numbered 11, making the southerly corner of and numbered 52 and 52A Central street, adjoining an estate of William J. Stober, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15450, tax for 1923.....	28,857 01	
Bella Isenberg and David, Maurice M., Meyer and Hyman M. Goldstein—Buildings and about 1,195 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Salem street, numbered 65, between an estate of Davis Krokyn and an estate of Jacob S. Heller, tax for 1923.....	\$508 82	
Paid on account.....	258 82	
Balance due.....	250 00	
Ralph Jannini—Buildings and about 1,244 feet of land on the northerly side of North street, numbered 216, 218 and 218A, between an estate of Giovanni Jannini and another, and an estate of Marie G. Esposito, tax for 1923.....	461 89	
Also buildings and about 866 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lewis street, numbered 40, between another estate of said Jannini and an estate of Angiolina Galasso, tax for 1923.....	185 25	
Also buildings and about 1,193 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lewis street, numbered 38, between another estate of said Jannini and an estate of Teresa Marotta, tax for 1923.....	222 30	
Giovanni Jannini and Frank M. Leonardi—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northerly side of North street, numbered 220, 222 and 224, between an estate of Ralph Jannini and an estate of Francis J. Keany heirs, tax for 1923.....	518 70	
Gustavus H. Judd—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the northerly side of Merrimac street, formerly numbered 127 and 129, between an estate of Edward W. Hutchins and another, trustees, and an estate of Murch Judd, tax for 1923.....	284 05	
Murch Judd—About 2,369 feet of land on the northerly side of Merrimac street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estate of Luther W. Puffer; southerly by Merrimac street; easterly by estate of Gustavus H. Judd; westerly by estate of William B. Cohen, tax for 1923.....	644 67	
Elias Kamber—Buildings and about 780 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennard avenue, numbered 14, between an estate of Bruni Handler and an estate of Clara B. Litchfield, tax for 1923.....	197 60	
Charles J. Kelley, Junior—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Unity court, numbered 18, between an estate of William Brennan heirs and an estate of Agnes Salerno, tax for 1923.....	66 69	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 92	
Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 921 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 3, between an estate of Mary G. Adams and an estate of George H. Penniman and others, tax for 1922.....	69 16	
Knickerbocker Realty Company, Incorporated—Buildings and about 1,754 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cross street, numbered 93 and 95, between another estate of said Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., and an estate of Ralph B. Williams and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	696 54	
Also buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cross street, numbered 89 and 91, between an estate of Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., and another estate of said Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., tax for 1923.....	1,091 74	
Also buildings and about 1,061 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 193 and 195, making the southerly corner of and numbered 85 Cross street, adjoining another estate of said Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., tax for 1923.....	1,195 48	
Julius Krinsky—Buildings and about 3,339 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Green street, numbered 35, 37, 39 and 41, between an estate of Minnie Levenson and an estate of Abraham Marus, tax for 1923.....	424 84	
Also buildings and about 1,862 feet of land on the westerly side of Staniford street, numbered 36 and 36A, between an estate of Annie Ziskind and an estate of said Krinsky, tax for 1923.....	494 00	

Also buildings and about 1,863 feet of land on the westerly side of Stamford street, numbered 38 and 38A, between another estate of said Krinsky and an estate of John Spalvaro, tax for 1923.....	494 00		
Gaetano LaMotte—Buildings and about 3,665 feet of land on the southerly side of North street, numbered 199, 201 and 207, between an estate of George A. Richards and an estate of Giuseppe Maravigno and another, tax for 1923.....	988 00		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	13 26		
Joseph A. Langone, three eighths, Katherine, one eighth, Julia, one eighth, Maria A., one eighth, Lucia, one eighth, and Agostola Vaccaro, one eighth—Buildings and about 409 feet of land on the northerly side of Douglass court, numbered 6, between an estate of Michael Masselli heirs and another and an estate of Michael Langone and another, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Barack M. and Raymond M. Leasher—Buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hudson street, numbered 133, between another estate of said Leasher and another and an estate of Mary S. J. Sayr, tax for 1923.....	\$133 38		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	83 38		
Also buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hudson street, numbered 135, between another estate of said Leasher and another and an estate of George A. Boussard, tax for 1923.....	\$121 03		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	96 03		
Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Oak street, numbered 87, between an estate of Minnie L. Hildebrand and an estate of Asia K. Aboobeeb, tax for 1923.....	\$93 86		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	68 86		
Kate Lerner—Buildings and about 1,457 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 69, between an estate of Hyman Brown and another and an estate of Joseph Fisher, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12664, tax for 1923.....	291 46		
Katie Lerner—Buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 125, between an estate of Fannie Kramer and an estate of Victor H. and Eli H. Tarlin, trustees, tax for 1923.....	219 83		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 90		
Joseph Lifand and Leah Shraier—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 248, making the westerly corner of Auburn street, adjoining an estate, now or formerly of Lena Krinsky, tax for 1923.....	\$370 50		
Paid on account.....	150 00		
Balance due.....	220 50		
Abraham London—Buildings and about 1,482 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, numbered 82 and 84, making the westerly corner of Kennard avenue, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Rebecca Packer, tax for 1923.....	\$353 21		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	153 21		
William F. Lowe—Buildings and about 1,115 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 39, making the northwesterly corner of Allen place, adjoining an estate of Boston Music School Settlement, Inc., tax for 1923.....	\$229 71		
Paid on account.....	107 71		
Balance due.....	122 00		
Edward H. Lowell—Buildings and about 58,712 feet of land on the northerly side of Hanover street, at end, between an estate of Quincy Market Cold Storage and Warehouse Company and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	2,106 91		
Giuseppe and Michelangelo Maravigna—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southerly side of North street, numbered 209, 211 and 213, between an estate of Gaetano LaMarco and an estate of Giovanni Bellizia and another, tax for 1923.....	864 50		
Christopher J. McCaffrey, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,505 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 75 and 75A, between an estate of Christopher P. McCaffrey and an estate of Isidore Fox, tax for 1923.....	249 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 73		
Christopher P. McCaffrey—Buildings and about 901 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Harvard street, numbered 72, between an estate of John C. L. Dowling and an estate of Michael Salmon, tax for 1923.....	135 85		
Mary Meltzer and Philip Silverstein, (3) each—Buildings and about 2,246 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 187 and 189, between another estate of said Meltzer and another and an estate of Mary A. Harnedy, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8639, tax for 1923.....	666 90		
Mary Meltzer and Philip Silverstein, one half each—Buildings and about 2,052 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 185, between two other estates of said Meltzer and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8639, tax for 1923.....	642 20		
Also buildings and about 2,060 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 181 and 183, extending through to and numbered 3 Blossom court, between an estate of Charles H. Connelly and another estate of said Meltzer and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8639, tax for 1923.....	642 20		
Maria and Pantaleone Mercurio, one half each—Buildings and about 1,655 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 175, 177 and 179, extending through to and making the westerly corner of North Margin street, adjoining another estate of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923.....	489 06		
Also buildings and about 671 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 181, extending through to North Margin street, between two other estates of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Also buildings and about 719 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 183, extending through to North Margin street, between two other estates of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923.....	192 66		
Also buildings and about 724 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 185, making the easterly corner of Lafayette avenue, extending through to and making the southerly corner of North Margin street, adjoining another estate of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923.....	202 54		
Carmine Montuori—Buildings and about 5,344 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 432, 434, 440, 442 and 444, between an estate of Savarese & Co., and an estate of Vincenzo Nitilo, tax for 1923.....	\$1,976 00		
Paid on account.....	400 00		
Balance due.....	1,576 00		
Also buildings and about 1,165 feet of land on the northerly side of Baldwin place, numbered 5, between an estate of Maurice Bearser and an estate of Gracie Finklestein, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	72 90		
Mendel Morse—Buildings and about 1,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 23, extending through to and numbered 2 Ransom court, between an estate of Mendel Morse and an estate of Giuseppe Borriello and another, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 29 and 31, between an estate of said Morse and an estate of Israel Berman, tax for 1923.....	180 31		
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 27, between an estate of said Morse and an estate of said Morse, tax for 1923.....	180 31		
Also buildings and about 1,080 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 47, between an estate of Sebastiano Bucciari and another and an estate of Julius Gloriosa, tax for 1923.....	205 01		
Also buildings and about 616 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 9, making the westerly corner of Cushman avenue, adjoining an estate of Baile Crovov, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Also buildings and about 995 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wall street, numbered 2, making the easterly corner of and numbered 11 and 11B Minot street, adjoining an estate of John Layka, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Also buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lowell street, numbered 54, between another estate of said Morse and an estate of Mary A. Gilbride, tax for 1923.....	232 18		
Also buildings and about 1,113 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lowell street, numbered 56, between another estate of said Morse and an estate of Max Uroff, tax for 1923.....	247 00		
Adolph and Max H. Morse—Buildings and about 1,113 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 13, between an estate of Anne Woronoff and an estate of Lita Laibovitz, tax for 1923.....	269 23		
Adolph and Mendel Morse—Buildings and about 1,842 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wall street, numbered 40 and 42, between an estate of Maurice Coron and an estate of Giuseppe and Concetta Valente, tax for 1923.....	454 48		
Mortgage Indemnity Corporation—Buildings and about 2,743 feet of land on the easterly side of Wharf street, numbered 21, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 44, 45 and 46 India street, adjoining an estate of John Morrissey, tax for 1923, 1,951 30			
Charles H. and Mary L. Moseley, Trustees under the will of Joseph B. Glover—Buildings and about 1,479 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oliver street, numbered 55 and 57, making the westerly corner of Wendell street, adjoining an estate of Charles W. Sherburne, tax for 1923.....	1,506 70		
John J. Murphy—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 270, 272 and 274, making the southerly corner of Broadway, adjoining another estate of said Murphy, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 46		
William P. Murray—Buildings and about 1,270 feet of land on the northerly side of State street, numbered 178 and 180, extending through to Commerce street between an estate of Fifty Associates and an estate of Luke W. Towle, tax for 1922.....	1,605 50		
Ralph E. Nowell—Buildings and about 2,132 feet of land on the easterly side of Leverett street, numbered 5, 5A, 5B and 7, between an estate of Elisha F. Ames heirs and an estate of Julius Robbins, tax for 1923.....	652 08		
Chester J. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northerly side of State street, numbered 150 and 152, between an estate of William J. McDonald and others and an estate of Alfred Hemenway and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	2,223 00		
Margaret O'Connell—Buildings and about 743 feet of land on the westerly side of Snow Hill street, numbered 55, making the northwesterly corner of North Hudson street, adjoining an estate of Salvatore Cogliano, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
John O'Connor Heirs' or Devises—Buildings and about 650 feet of land on the westerly side of Endicott street, numbered 180, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 3 Endicott court, adjoining another estate of said O'Connor heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$140 79		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	90 79		
Also buildings and about 808 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Endicott street, numbered 182 and 184, between an estate of Mary A. Barr and another and an estate of said O'Connor heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$163 02		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	113 02		
Also buildings and about 1,220 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Endicott street, numbered 172 and 174, between another estate of said O'Connor heirs or devisees and an estate of Giovanni Depore, tax for 1923.....	\$224 77		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	174 77		

Also buildings and about 1,074 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Endicott street, numbered 176, between an estate of Carmelo Cirino and an estate of said O'Connor heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$182 78		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	132 78		
Catherine O'Dowd—Buildings and about 640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 213, between an estate of Jennetta Clark and an estate of Margaret Tansey, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
William C. and John F. O'Kelly—Buildings and about 1,210 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prince street, numbered 9 and 11, making the easterly corner of and numbered 333 and 335 Hanover street, adjoining an estate of Julius Cohen, tax for 1923.....	\$913 90		
Paid on account.....	460 37		
Balance due.....	453 53		
Owner or Owners Unknown—About 1,412 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Creek square in the rear of and adjoining an estate of George N. Black, tax for 1923.....	417 43		
Alice B. Packard—Buildings and about 660 feet of land on the easterly side of Snow Hill street, numbered 9, between an estate of Arcangelo Cataldo and an estate of Michele Casoli and another, tax for 1923.....	88 92		
Sadie W. Peckerman—Buildings and about 1,023 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 49, between an estate of David Cohen and an estate of Wolf Davis and another, tax for 1923.....	195 13		
Etta Permuth—Buildings and about 660 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 37, between an estate of Philip Mendelsohn, and an estate of Jacob L. Green and another, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Samuel Pitchel—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 154, between an estate of Harry Isaacson and another and an estate of Fannie Tarlinsky, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Jacob and Fannie Pollack—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Barton street, numbered 47, between an estate of Agnes T. Flood and an estate of Max Uroff, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 02		
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 220 feet of land on the southerly side of North street, numbered 197, making the southeasterly corner of Jasper place, adjoining an estate of Gaetano LaMarca, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Rose R. Robinson—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northerly side of McLean street, numbered 27, between an estate of Levy Itchcovitz and an estate of Rubin Spiegel, tax for 1923.....	247 00		
Louis Rogolsky—Buildings and about 1,322 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chambers street, numbered 133, between an estate of Jacob Yanes and an estate of Rachel Snyder, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13453, tax for 1923.....	\$247 00		
Paid on account.....	235 75		
Balance due.....	11 25		
Josephine S. Romano—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moon street, numbered 14, between an estate of Marciano D'Amelio and others and an estate of William E. Collins and others, tax for 1923.....	229 71		
Jacob Rosenberg—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 37, making the northwesterly corner of Allen court, adjoining an estate of Joshua Bennett heirs, tax for 1923.....	175 37		
Myer Rosenblatt—Buildings and about 1,146 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chambers street, numbered 177, between an estate of William A. Dunn and an estate of Judith Levenson, tax for 1923.....	229 71		
Bertha Ross—Buildings and about 1,683 feet of land on the easterly side of Chambers street, numbered 7, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Cyrus Sargeant, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3882, tax for 1923.....	444 60		
ohn H. Roth Heirs—Buildings and about 1,182 feet of land on the southwesterly side of LaGrange street, numbered 36 and 38, between an estate of Alexander Steinert and an estate of Ezekiel Van Noorden, tax for 1923.....	424 84		
Frank Rubolino and Salvatore Solimine—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Salem street, numbered 174, between an estate of Luigi Perriello and an estate of Florida Bevilacqua, tax for 1923.....	\$382 85		
Paid on account.....	191 45		
Balance due.....	191 40		
Harry Sachs—Buildings and about 1,462 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 89 and 91, extending through to and numbered 8 Ransom court, between an estate of Lena Glassman and an estate of Simon Barnard, tax for 1923.....	365 56		
Agnese Salerno—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Unity court, numbered 20, between an estate of James Cavanaugh and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, Junior, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 92		
Sang Bom and Yee Hing Foo, one half each—Buildings and about 3,483 feet of land on the easterly side of Oxford street, numbered 34 and 36, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 60 and 62 Beach street, extending through to and numbered 15 Oliver place, adjoining an estate of David Collins heirs or devisees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14577, tax for 1923.....	995 41		
Filippo and Concetta Sardo—Buildings and about 242 feet of land on the southerly side of Commercial street, numbered 540 and 542, between another estate of said Sardo and another and an estate of Allesandro Martino, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Rosie and Sam Sawyer—Buildings and about 847 feet of land on the westerly side of North Anderson street, numbered 32, between another estate of said Rosie and Sam Sawyer and an estate of Carmine Minichiello and another, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 62		
Also buildings and about 828 feet of land on the westerly side of North Anderson street, numbered 34, between an estate of Hyman Pilovsky and an estate of said Sawyer and another, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 52		
Jacob Schwartz—Buildings and about 1,684 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 23, between an estate of Jacob Schwartz and another and an estate of Tillie Sherman, tax for 1923.....	\$419 90		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	219 90		
Jacob and Minnie Schwartz, joint tenants—Buildings and about 1,690 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 25, between an estate of Jacob Schwartz and an estate of Minnie Krwitsky, tax for 1923.....	\$419 90		
Paid on account.....	250 00		
Balance due.....	169 90		
Mary A. Sears—About 603 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom court, formerly numbered 11, between an estate of John F. Howard and others and an estate of Hannah E. Riordan, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Michael Seretto—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Staniford street, numbered 25 and 27, making a southeasterly corner of and numbered 52, 54 and 56 Green street, adjoining another estate of said Seretto, tax for 1923.....	518 70		
Also buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the easterly side of Staniford street, numbered 23, between two other estates of said Seretto (numbered 21 and 25), tax for 1923.....	461 89		
Also buildings and about 1,430 feet of land on the easterly side of Staniford street, numbered 21, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway and extending through to and numbered 50 Green street, adjoining another estate of said Seretto (numbered 23), tax for 1923.....	432 25		
Arthur I. Shain—Buildings and about 1,786 feet of land on the easterly side of Chambers street, numbered 49, between an estate of Esther Robbins and an estate of Cosino Mascari, tax for 1923.....	523 64		
Adelle Shayeb—Buildings and about 1,234 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hudson street, numbered 70 and 70A, between an estate of Freda A. Shabo and an estate of Society of St. John of Damascus, tax for 1923.....	187 72		
Jacob Short—Buildings and about 2,049 feet of land on the westerly side of North Russell street, numbered 34A, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Wolf Zimmerman and another, tax for 1923.....	444 60		
Also buildings and about 2,004 feet of land on the westerly side of North Russell street, numbered 34B, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Max Gruber, tax for 1923.....	444 60		
Leah Shraier and Joseph Lifland—Buildings and about 1,975 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Poplar street, numbered 85, between an estate of Sarah Horowitz and an estate of Celia Shapiro, tax for 1923.....	\$321 10		
Paid on account.....	150 00		
Balance due.....	171 10		
Louise F. Sinclair—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 61 and 61A, making the westerly corner of a passageway running through to northeasterly side of Wall street, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Louis Skliarsky—Buildings and about 857 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 130, between another estate of said Skliarsky and an estate of Harry Leshevsky, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Also buildings and about 976 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 134, between an estate of Victor H. Tarlin and another, trustees, and another estate of said Skliarsky, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Julia E. Sonnabend—About 1,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mechanic street (numbered formerly 7), between an estate of Charles F. Adams, 2d and others, trustees and another estate of said Sonnabend, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Also buildings and about 3,314 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mechanic street, numbered 9 and 10, between another estate of said Sonnabend, tax for 1923.....	494 00		
Also buildings and about 1,364 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 213, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Solomon Myers, tax for 1923.....	1,096 68		
Rebecca Sonnabend—Buildings and about 4,407 feet of land on the southerly side of Commercial street, numbered 440-448 (inclusive), making the southwesterly corner of Greenough lane, adjoining an estate of Pasquale Rosetti, tax for 1923.....	1,482 00		
Joseph Stanetsky—Buildings and about 1,680 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington Street North, numbered 55, extending through to Lynn street, between an estate of Russell and Edith Bradford and an estate of Leet W. Bissell, trustee, tax for 1922.....	728 65		
Tax for 1923.....	728 65		
Bernard Stanetsky—Buildings and about 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington Street North, numbered 44, between an estate of E. Sohler Welch and others, trustees, and an estate of Paul B. Watson and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	802 75		
Jennie D. Steuer—Buildings and about 1,121 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brighton street, numbered 81, between an estate of David Mancovitz and another estate of said Jennie D. Steuer, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Also buildings and about 1,168 feet of land on the northerly side of Parkman street, numbered 11, between another estate of said Jennie D. Steuer and an estate of Morris Miller, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15758, tax for 1923.....	284 05		
Also buildings and about 1,121 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brighton street, numbered 79, between another estate of said Steuer and an estate of Barnet Balin, tax for 1923.....	190 19		
William J. Stober—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of India street, numbered 12 and 13, between two estates of Insurance Building Corporation, tax for 1923.....	891 67		
Also buildings and about 5,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Broad street, numbered 78, 78A, 80 and 82, making the northwesterly corner of Franklin street adjoining an estate of Daniel G. Finnerty and others, tax for 1923.....	4,174 30		
Also buildings and about 880 feet of land on the northerly side of Broad street, numbered 54 and 56, between an estate of Harry H. Hubbard and an estate of Charles F. Adams, 2d, and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	839 80		

Also buildings and about 3,541 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oliver street, numbered 110-118, making the easterly corner of and numbered 157 and 159 High street, adjoining an estate of Ray C. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	3,112 20
Also buildings and about 3,334 feet of land on the easterly side of Federal street, numbered 32-36, extending through to and numbered 131-135 Congress street, between an estate of William H. Agry, trustee, and an estate of Henry H. Gilman and another, tax for 1923.....	5,187 00
Meyer Stoler—Buildings and about 1,187 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Auburn street, numbered 16, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Jacob Weinerman, tax for 1923.....	247 00
Dominico Tamasi—Buildings and about 2,312 feet of land on the northerly side of Clark street, numbered 32, 34 and 36, between an estate of Placido Awarri and an estate of Leonardo Squillaciotti, tax for 1923.....	676 78
Gilman Tyng—Buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the easterly side of Staniford street, numbered 3, between an estate of Marietta C. Wright and an estate of Frank and Domenico Imbroglia, tax for 1923.....	\$249 47
Paid on account.....	200 00
Balance due.....	49 47
Also buildings and about 1,205 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Causeway street, numbered 34 and 36, between an estate of Ida Shapiro and an estate of Richard Morrison devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$506 35
Paid on account.....	300 00
Balance due.....	206 35
Max Uroff, reassessed from John C. Taylor, Trustee—Buildings and about 918 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom street, numbered 23, between an estate of Harrey W. Meehan and an estate of Romolo Ferrara, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Carmela Vara—Buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the northerly side of Prince street, numbered 3, between an estate of Placido Amaru and an estate of Louisa DiGennaro, tax for 1923.....	247 00
Carmine A. Vara—Buildings and about 990 feet of land on the southerly side of Prince street, numbered 2, between two estates of Antonio A. Solari heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	370 50
Lillian T. Walsh—Buildings and about 2,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Haymarket square, numbered 7 and 8, between an estate of Robert H. Gardiner <i>et al.</i> , trustee, and an estate of Louville V. Niles, tax for 1923.....	\$1,235 00
Paid on account.....	400 00
Balance due.....	835 00
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 56
E. Sobier Welch, Trustee under deed, Jennie R. Tyler—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the southerly side of State street, numbered 105, extending through to and numbered 26 Doane street, adjoining an estate of Richards M. Bradley and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	\$3,458 00
Paid on account.....	3,087 50
Balance due.....	370 50
Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wall street, numbered 30, between an estate of United Congregation Beth Jacob and an estate of Mendall Morse, tax for 1923.....	121 03
William Williams—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 221 and 223, between an estate of Daniel McLaughlin and another and an estate of St. Elizabeth's Hospital of Boston, tax for 1923.....	370 50
Wing Chin She—Buildings and about 1,076 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tyler street, numbered 67, adjoining another estate of said Wing, tax for 1923.....	217 36
Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard street, numbered 53 and 53½, making the westerly corner of Tyler street, adjoining an estate of John George, tax for 1923.....	217 36
Esther Wolff and Sarah Sontag—Buildings and about 1,485 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fulton street, numbered 112 and 114, between an estate of John H. Lyons and an estate of Benjamin Rogolsky and another, tax for 1923.....	543 40
Francesco Yulla—Buildings and about	

798 feet of land on the southerly side of Endicott court, numbered 6, between an estate of Carmelo Cirino and an estate of Francisco and Angelina Yulla, tax for 1923.....	34 58
Francesco and Angelina Yulla—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southerly side of Endicott court, numbered 8, between an estate of Francesco Yulla and an estate of Edward E. Blodgett and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Also buildings and about 918 feet of land on the westerly side of Endicott street, numbered 164, between an estate of Giovanni Lepore and another estate of said Yulla and another, tax for 1923.....	276 64
Also buildings and about 1,491 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prince street, numbered 138, making the southerly corner of LaFayette avenue, adjoining an estate of Salvatore Bruno, tax for 1923.....	328 51
Max and Dora Zurman—Buildings and about 1,585 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 297 and 299, between an estate of James F. Ellis and an estate of Max Zurman, tax for 1922.....	419 90
Tax for 1923.....	419 90

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Goldie Adler—Buildings and about 2,346 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, between an estate of Harris Goldman and an estate of Bernard Steuer and another, tax for 1923.....	\$135 85
Paid on account.....	95 00
Balance due.....	\$40 85
Edgar P. Benjamin (Marion F. Gage, supposed present owner)—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Canton street, numbered 9, between an estate of Joseph O'Kane and an estate of Joseph F. Mellor, tax for 1923.....	113 62
Annie Berelowitz—Buildings and about 1,688 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Brookline street, numbered 81, between an estate of said Berelowitz and an estate of Mary A. Griffin, tax for 1923.....	\$93 86
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	43 86
Samuel Berkman—Buildings and about 871 feet of land on the northerly side of Wilkes street, numbered 4, between another estate of said Berkman and an estate of Robert Spitzer and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4146, tax for 1923.....	56 81
Also buildings and about 871 feet of land on the northerly side of Wilkes street, numbered 3, between another estate of said Berkman and an estate of Blazev Slobinsky and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4146, tax for 1923.....	56 81
Minnie C. Bishop—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ryan street, numbered 27, between an estate of Mary A. McLaughlin and another (numbered 25) and an estate of William D. Sohler, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Alma G. Bowen—Buildings and about 1,266 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ivanhoe street, numbered 12 and 14, making the southerly corner of Fabin street, adjoining an estate of John W. Jones (numbered 125 and 127 West Canton street), tax for 1922.....	41 99
Grace Hyde Bradley—Buildings and about 1,819 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Concord street, numbered 129, between an estate of Jacob Long and an estate of Mattie Hamilton, tax for 1923.....	128 44
Also buildings and about 1,346 feet of land on the northerly side of Dwight street, numbered 43, between an estate of James Scott heirs and an estate of William W. Campbell, tax for 1923.....	163 02
Thomas Buckley—Buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Newton street, numbered 68, between an estate of James Gordon and an estate of Minnie E. Dallen, tax for 1923.....	\$106 21
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	56 21
Peter T. Callahan, Margaret Thompson, Mary Gehue, Catherine Sughrue, Annie Cross, Helen Keenan and John Joseph Callahan—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 36, making the southerly corner of Ryan street, adjoining an estate of Max Werbalski, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 66 and 68, between an estate of Charles F. Bates heirs and an estate of Epriam Lissner heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	93 86
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Trumbull street, numbered 2, between an estate of Joseph O. Hobbs heirs, numbered 4 and an estate of Harris Frank, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Robert S. Clisby—Buildings and about 728 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stevens street, numbered 3, between an estate of Helen L. Lincoln and an estate of George R. Blinn, trustee, tax for 1923.....	61 75
Jacob Cohen—Buildings and about 1,187 feet of land on the westerly side of Emerald street, numbered 28 and 28A, between another estate of said Cohen and an estate of Benjamin C. Cromwell, tax for 1923.....	\$187 72
Paid on account.....	93 22
Balance due.....	94 50
Also buildings and about 1,189 feet of land on the westerly side of Emerald street, numbered 30, between another estate of said Cohen and an estate of Minnie Pearlman, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25
Paid on account.....	93 22
Balance due.....	92 03
Gertrude N. Coile—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Dedham street, numbered 24, between an estate of Mary A. Tighe and an estate of Gertrude B. Pollard and others, tax for 1923.....	118 56
Mary L. Connolly, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the northerly side of Hingham street, numbered 6 and 6A, making the northeasterly corner of Middlesex street, adjoining an estate of Max Shriber, tax for 1923.....	128 44
Ellen N. Cummings—Buildings and about 1,062 feet of land on the southerly side of Bond street, numbered 17, making the southeasterly corner of Hanson street, adjoining an estate of Joseph W. Phelan and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	116 09
Michael M. Cunniff—Buildings and about 2,363 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 545, 547, 549 and 551, making the northerly corner of and numbered 1 and 3 Waltham street, adjoining an estate of Horace W. Baxter and Agnes E. Bigelow, trustees, tax for 1922.....	345 80
Katerina Dadourian—Buildings and about 1,144 feet of land on the westerly side of Village street, numbered 41, between an estate of Gussie Wapner and an estate of Maurice Murphy, tax for 1923.....	69 16
Rose S. Daley—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Dedham street, numbered 58, between an estate of Benjamin E. Van Ness and an estate of Alma G. Bowen, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Mary M. Deraney—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, numbered 37, between an estate of Sarah J. Regan and an estate of Agnes M. Cronin, tax for 1923.....	61 75
Also buildings and about 1,611 feet of land on the southerly side of Norwich street, numbered 17, between an estate of Charles Milkey and another and an estate of Najieb N. Meshaka, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Also buildings and about 2,730 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 1490, making the easterly corner of and numbered 2 East Canton street, adjoining an estate of Flora Leverone, tax for 1923.....	264 29
John A. DiPesa, Trustee—Buildings and about 6,110 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Concord street, numbered 68, making the westerly corner of and numbered 1641, 1643 and 1645 Washington street, extending to and making the southerly corner of Deacon street, adjoining an estate of Robert T. Paine, tax for 1923.....	\$1,729 00
Paid on account.....	500 00
Balance due.....	1,229 00

Mary A. Dracousis—Buildings and about 1,473 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 262 and 264, between an estate of Emma K. Shibley and an estate of Joseph Spear, tax for 1923, Empire Manufacturing Company, Massachusetts Corporation—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Malden street, numbered 47, making the westerly corner of and numbered 587, 589, 591 and 595 Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Patrick and Margaret M. Harrington, tax for 1923.	318 63	741 00
Ernest Estes—Buildings and about 670 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 30, making the easterly corner of Ryan street, adjoining an estate of Hannah E. Hobbs, tax for 1923.	17 29	
Also about 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ryan street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by another estate of said Estes, northeasterly by an estate of City of Boston, southeasterly by an estate of G. Willard Bartlett, and southwesterly by Ryan street, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Alice Fellows—Buildings and about 1,430 feet of land on the northerly side of Dwight street, numbered 35, extending through to Public Alley 705, between an estate of Arturo DeNicolo and others and an estate of Josephine Crimmins, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11814, tax for 1923.	160 55	
Mary L. Fish—Buildings and about 1,125 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 56 and 58, between an estate of Michael J. Quigley and others and an estate of Eustina Brown, tax for 1923.	123 50	
Frederick A. P. Fiske—About 884 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Dedham street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by West Dedham street; southeasterly by an estate of Daniel Shannon; southwesterly by an estate of Paolo Salomone; northwesterly by an estate of Joseph E. Worcester, trustee, tax for 1922.	44 46	
Charles A. Fitzpatrick—About 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ryan street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Ryan street, southeasterly by an estate of John J. Comerford, southwesterly by an estate of Anne L. Walsh, and northwesterly by an estate of Samuel Bierch, tax for 1922.	9 88	9 88
Catherine J. Flaherty—Buildings and about 2,386 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 700, between an estate of Lizzie J. Allen and an estate of William A. Nazzaro, tax for 1923.	284 05	
Harris Frank—Buildings and about 2,040 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worcester square, numbered 8, between an estate of Jennie MacLeod and an estate of Mirriam M. Thayer, tax for 1923.	197 60	
Ellis L. Gates—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newland street, numbered 25, between two estates of Helen V. Donoghue, tax for 1923.	24 70	
Max Goldman—Buildings and about 950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seneca street, numbered 38, between an estate of Shirkee Haboush and an estate of Israel Strymisk, tax for 1923.	108 68	
Frederick Green—Buildings and about 1,190 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Springfield street, numbered 16, between an estate of Daniel J. Sullivan and an estate of William H. Griffith, tax for 1923.	96 33	
Fannie E. Hatch—Buildings and about 1,596 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sharon street, numbered 28, between an estate of Gerla Davidson and an estate of Edward Doherty, tax for 1923.	37 05	
Louis E. and Cora L. Henderson—Buildings and about 975 feet of land on the southerly side of East Brookline street, numbered 37, making the westerly corner of Public Alley No. 710, adjoining an estate of Elias Hook and another, tax for 1923.	86 45	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	12 95	
Edward J. Hickey, Trustee—Buildings and about 686 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 7, between another estate of said Hickey, trustee, and an estate of Nathan Spigel, tax for 1923.	111 15	
Also buildings and about 677 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 9, between an estate of Abraham L. Gordon and another estate of said Hickey, trustee, tax for 1923.	111 15	
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 5,003 feet of land on the easterly side of Meander street, numbered 17, 19 and 21, between an estate of J. J. Connolly and others and an estate of Josephine M. Hicks, trustee, tax for 1923.	333 45	
Also buildings and about 900 feet of land, on the southwesterly side of Worcester street, numbered 40, making the southerly corner of Newland street, adjoining an estate of Edgar P. Benjamin, tax for 1923.	113 62	
Robert L. Hosmer and George H. Babbitt—Buildings and about 676 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Paul street, numbered 55, between an estate of Elizabeth E. Ruck and an estate of Dora A. Dukes, tax for 1923.	74 10	
James H. Howard—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Norwich street, numbered 14, between an estate of Wilhelmina E. Grennon and an estate of George L. Stratton, trustee, tax for 1923.	61 75	
Charles H. Jennings—Buildings and about 543 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Canton Street court, numbered 4, between an estate of Mary Berry and an estate of William Cataldo and another, tax for 1923.	14 82	
Harold E. Jones—About 1,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Way street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Way street, easterly by an estate of Zelda Greenhood, southerly by an estate of Sarah Harris, westerly by an estate of Zibarras Mackla, tax for 1923.	54 34	
Shahe V. Kastarian—Buildings and about 6,084 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 401, between another estate of said Kastarian and an estate of Elia Hoosepian and others, tax for 1923.	71 63	
Misak Kazarian—Buildings and about 2,033 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Concord street, numbered 61, making the westerly corner of Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Celia A. Gilson, tax for 1923.	385 32	
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,053 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ringgold street, numbered 4, between an estate of Minnie Croan and an estate of Clara B. Gould and another, tax for 1923.	98 80	
Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 808 feet of land on the northerly side of Medford court, numbered 3, between an estate of Blanche Cohen and an estate of John McCarthy heirs, tax for 1923.	59 28	
Isaac Krasnick—Buildings and about 894 feet of land on the southerly side of Acton street, numbered 6, between an estate of Guiseppe Tortorella and others and an estate of Gaspar Roccaforte and another, tax for 1923.	66 69	
Joseph A. Cecelia and Elizabeth J. Krim—Buildings and about 992 feet of land on the westerly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 153 and 155, between an estate of Manual Gulesian and another and another estate of said Krim and others, tax for 1923.	192 66	
Also buildings and about 980 feet of land on the westerly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 157 and 159, between two other estates of said Krim and others, tax for 1923.	192 66	
Also buildings and about 786 feet of land on the westerly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 161 and 163, between another estate of said Krim and others, and an estate of Sam Simon, tax for 1923.	138 32	
Sarah Levine—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Decatur street, numbered 11, between an estate of Lena Ascher and an estate of Max and Ethel Weinberg, tax for 1923.		\$197 60
Paid on account.		100 00
Balance due.	97 60	
Frank P. Lyons—Buildings and about 1,421 feet of land on the southerly side of Garland street, numbered 2, making the southwesterly corner of Garland place, adjoining an estate of Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustee, tax for 1923.	143 26	
Farris S. Malouf, Abdo Hanna and Elias S. Malouf (supposed present owner Fannie Bloch)—Buildings and about 785 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bradford street, numbered 4, between two other estates of said Malouf and others, tax for 1923.	93 86	
Also buildings and about 939 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bradford street, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Malouf and others, tax for 1923.	93 86	
Also buildings and about 975 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bradford street, numbered 8, between another estate of said Malouf and others and an estate of Joseph E. Nickerson, tax for 1923.	93 86	
Also buildings and about 975 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Waltham street, numbered 57, between another estate of said Malouf and others and an estate of Montgomery Brooks Company, Inc., tax for 1923.	116 09	
Augustus I. Marini—Buildings and about 594 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 83, between another estate of said Marini and an estate of Etta Bilansky, tax for 1923.	74 10	
Also buildings and about 645 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 85, making the northwesterly corner of Hingham street, adjoining another estate of said Marini, tax for 1923.	86 45	
Israel Miller, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seneca street, numbered 16, between an estate of Philip Rosen and an estate of Flora Applestein, tax for 1923.	158 08	
Benjamin F. and Agnes G. Montgomery—Buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rutland street, numbered 76, between an estate of Elizabeth Ludden, devisees of, and an estate of Beavista A. Irwin, tax for 1923.	\$167 96	
Paid on account.		85 00
Balance due.	82 96	
Bridget Murphy—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worcester street, numbered 35, between an estate of Lester H. Dana and an estate of Arthur H. Damon, trustee, tax for 1923.	\$167 96	
Paid on account.		140 00
Balance due.	27 96	
William A. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 704, between an estate of Constance E. Eaton and another estate of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923.	284 05	
Alma E. Nelson (reassigned from Sarkis Garabedian and another)—Buildings and about 1,266 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ivanhoe street, numbered 12 and 14, making the southerly corner of Fabin street, adjoining an estate of John W. Jones, tax for 1923.	41 99	
Mary T. O'Donnell (supposed present owner Joseph N. St. Charles and another)—Buildings and about 1,410 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 209 and 211, between an estate of Philip Magnet and another estate of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.	251 94	
Also buildings and about 1,409 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 213 and 215, between two other estates of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.	244 53	
Also buildings and about 1,410 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 217 and 219, between two other estates of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.	244 53	
Also buildings and about 1,408 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 221 and 223, between two other estates of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.	244 53	
Also buildings and about 1,455 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 225 and 227, between another estate of said O'Donnell and an estate of Mollie Miller, tax for 1923.	247 00	
Elizabeth O'Rourke—Buildings and about 1,139 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rutland street, numbered 10, between an estate of George F. Williams and an estate of Clement D'Andria, tax for 1923.	\$148 20	
Paid on account.		55 00
Balance due.	93 20	
Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutland street, numbered 11, between an estate of Louis C. Pazolt and an estate of Joseph E. Jadon and another, tax for 1923.	\$123 50	
Paid on account.		50 00
Balance due.	73 50	
Mary E. Perry—Buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the northerly side of Dwight street, numbered 23, between an estate of Ralph J. Levy and another and an estate of Abraham M. Ganna, and another, tax for 1923.	160 55	

William Phillips—Buildings and about 1,269 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Village street, numbered 76, between an estate of Mary L. Sullivan and an estate of Margaret McAlpine, tax for 1923.....	\$190 19	
Paid on account.....	150 00	
Balance due.....		40 19
Dennis Reardon—Buildings and about 3,530 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 1316, 1318 and 1320, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1, 3 and 5 Rollins street, adjoining an estate of Alia Abaid, tax for 1923.....		718 77
Domenick Robatto—Buildings and about 1,244 feet of land on the southerly side of Asylum street, numbered 6, between an estate of Ida Burg and an estate of Mary Rahal, tax for 1923.....		130 91
Harlow H. Rogers—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rollins street, numbered 27, making the westerly corner of and numbered 543 Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Michael M. Cuniff, tax for 1923.....		217 36
Also about 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ryan street, between an estate of James McLaughlin, 2d, devisees of, and an estate of Bernard Doherty heirs or devisees, being lot 28, S. P. Fuller plan, April 3, 1843, on file at assessors' office, tax for 1923.....		9 88
Louie Schnyder—Buildings and about 1,213 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 339, between an estate of Amello and Lucia Avruzzese and an estate of Boston Industrial Home, tax for 1923.....	\$419 90	
Paid on account.....	120 00	
Balance due.....		299 90
Helen G. Sheehan—Buildings and about 1,845 feet of land on the southeasterly side of James street, numbered 8, extending through to Public Alley 710, between an estate of Sophie Kurko and an estate of Lena B. Wade, tax for 1923.....		202 54
Apportionment of street assessment for 1923.....		17 16
Philip Shurdut—Buildings and about 600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fabin street, numbered 17, between an estate of Jeremiah Riley heirs or devisees and an estate of Daniel Shannon heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....		12 35
John K. Simpson—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 437, making the westerly corner of West Newton street, adjoining an estate of Thomas J. Haskin and another, tax for 1923.....		247 00
Albert C. Smith—Buildings and about 2,640 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Middlesex street, numbered 65 and 67, between an estate of Samuel Litvak and an estate of Max and Jennie Friedman, tax for 1923.....		316 16
Jennie Spack—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oneida street, numbered 38, between an estate of Onofrio LaScala and another and an estate of Bertha Simons and others, tax for 1923.....	\$150 67	
Paid on account.....	100 00	
Balance due.....		50 67
John J. Walters, Trustee for John J. O'Neil—Buildings and about 967 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 103, between an estate of Benjamin Green and an estate of William H. Hubbard, tax for 1923.....		111 15
Charles G. Way—About 690 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, formerly numbered 198, making the southerly corner of Broadway, adjoining an estate of James D. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....		96 33
Lillian E. Williams—Buildings and about 3,327 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union Park street, numbered 16, 18, 20 and 24, between an estate of Moses Williams and another, trustees, and an estate of Boston Penny Savings Bank, tax for 1923.....		496 47
William Williams—Buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Troy street, numbered 30 and 34, between an estate of Donald M. Blair, surviving trustee, and an estate of Samuel Berman, tax for 1923.....		217 36
Williams Realty Company—About 1,452 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fabin street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Benjamin E. Van Ness; southeasterly by an estate of William Collier heirs or devisees and others, southwesterly by Fabin street, and northwesterly by an estate of Provident Realty Company, tax for 1922.....		19 76
Also about 2,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 503, between an estate of Katherine A. Clark and an estate of Ida A. McGreevey, tax for 1923.....		150 67
Edith B. Woodman—Buildings and about 552 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cumston place, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Edith B. Woodman, tax for 1923.....		54 34
Also buildings and about 552 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cumston place, numbered 1, making the westerly corner of Cumston street, adjoining another estate of said Woodman, tax for 1923.....		56 81
Edith Yates—Buildings and about 859 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cumston street, numbered 7, between an estate of George A. Richards and an estate of Edgar P. Benjamin, tax for 1923.....		66 69
F. A. York Company—Buildings and about 3,880 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, numbered 81, making the southerly corner of Andrew street, adjoining another estate of said F. A. York Company, tax for 1923.....		133 38
Also buildings and about 2,760 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, numbered 83, extending through to Andrews place, between two other estates of said F. A. York Company, tax for 1923.....		79 04
Also about 3,860 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, extending through to Andrews place, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by East Dedham street; southeasterly by another estate of said F. A. York Company, southwesterly by Andrews place, and northwesterly by another estate of said York Company, tax for 1923.....		81 51
Also about 2,346 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, extending through to Andrews place, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by East Dedham street; southeasterly by an estate of Harris Goldman; southwesterly by Andrews place, and northwesterly by another estate of said F. A. York Company, tax for 1923.....		49 40
Also about 2,346 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, extending through to Andrews place, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by East Dedham street, southeasterly by another estate of said F. A. York Company, northwesterly by another estate of said F. A. York Company, and southwesterly by Andrews place, tax for 1923.....		49 40

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William N. Ambler (supposed present owner Edward J. Ball—Buildings and about 3,291 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 84, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of Isaac B. Mills, tax for 1923.....	\$1,185 60	
Also buildings and about 3,305 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 86, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of A. Carlton Potter, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,202 89	
William N. Ambler—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 96, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of Henry M. Channing, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,012 70	
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 98, between two other estates of said Ambler, tax for 1923.....	1,012 70	
Also buildings and about 2,748 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 100, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of Fred H. Williams, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,012 70	
Helen Athans (supposed present owner George H. Raptelis and another)—Buildings and about 1,497 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 20, between an estate of Melek Savastano and an estate of James S. Athans, tax for 1923.....	185 25	
Ida Batchelor—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Newton street, numbered 215 and 215A, between an estate of Augusta Nelson and an estate of Thomas H. Hinckley, tax for 1923.....	177 84	
Edgar P. Benjamin—Buildings and about 1,843 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Truro street, numbered 12 at angle, adjoining another estate of said Benjamin, tax for 1923.....	202 54	
Also buildings and about 1,235 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Truro street, numbered 14, between another estate of said Benjamin and an estate of Ella E. Fisher, tax for 1923.....	106 21	
Also buildings and about 1,580 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Holyoke street, numbered 35, between an estate of Catherine F. McNamara and an estate of Julius C. Westmoreland, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Also buildings and about 6,224 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wellington street, numbered 29 and 33, making the easterly corner of Claremont street, adjoining an estate of L. Stanley Redding and others, trustees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13547, tax for 1923.....	741 00	
Ida Berkman—Buildings and about 3,655 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Batavia street, numbered 17, between an estate of Charles F. Tirrell and another, trustees, and an estate of Mary M. Alebord, tax for 1923.....	494 00	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		17 93
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, Trustees under will of William Mixter, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 1,716 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 588, between an estate of Hannah C. Hutchinson and an estate of William M. Black, tax for 1923.....		259 35
Jessie J. Brown—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southerly side of St. Germain street, numbered 49, between an estate of Charles N. Vance and an estate of Eric Peterson, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55	
Paid on account.....	60 55	
Balance due.....		100 00
Marcus Brownstein—Buildings and about 4,368 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westland avenue, numbered 69 and 71, between an estate of Thomas S. Maloof and another and an estate of James Howard and another, tax for 1923.....	\$1,185 60	
Paid on account.....	1,000 00	
Balance due.....		185 60
James M. Burr—Buildings and about 2,166 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 37, between an estate of Mary E. McDonough and an estate of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	284 05	
Tax for 1922.....	284 05	
Fannie Clayton—About 13,684 feet of land on the easterly side of Parker street adjoining an estate of John F. McDevitt, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 7, page 71, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....		340 86
Annie E. Coton—Buildings and about 2,112 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Canton street, numbered 207, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Alice M. Derby, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55	
Paid on account.....	75 00	
Balance due.....		85 55
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		9 60
Fred P. Davis—Buildings and about 1,492 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 10, between another estate of said Davis and an estate of Mary T. O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	185 25	
Also buildings and about 1,505 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 12, between an estate of said Davis and an estate of Fred E. Davis, tax for 1923.....	185 25	
Fred E. Davis—Buildings and about 1,501 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 14, between an estate of Elizabeth M. Daniels and an estate of Fred P. Davis, tax for 1923.....	185 25	
Mary Donovan—Buildings and about 1,504 feet of land on the easterly side of Leon street, numbered 33, between another estate of said Donovan and an estate of United Drug Company, tax for 1923.....	98 80	
Also buildings and about 1,539 feet of land on the easterly side of Leon street, numbered 35, between two other estates of said Donovan, tax for 1923.....	98 80	

Also buildings and about 1,577 feet of land on the easterly side of Leon street, numbered 37, between another estate of said Donovan and an estate of Margaret E. McKenna, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
J. Sumner Draper—Buildings and about 2,955 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Stanhope street, numbered 50, between an estate of Sarah F. Hodson and an estate of Willard Dalrymple and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	879 32		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 33		
Mary E. Emery, supposed present owner Merritt Stegman—Buildings and about 8,644 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Albermarle street, numbered 1 to 6, inclusive, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another corner of said Emery, tax for 1923.....	1,565 98		
Also buildings and about 8,649 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Albermarle street, numbered 7 to 12, inclusive, between another estate of said Emery and the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.....	1,519 05		
Employees Trust Company, Inc. mortgagee in possession—Buildings and about 1,916 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Carleton street, numbered 1, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Emily A. Richardson, tax for 1923, Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 20, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1923.....	88 92	71 63	
Peter and Josephine Fontes—Buildings and about 2,090 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Canton street, numbered 215, between an estate of Delia De Long and an estate of George A. Brown and others, tax for 1923.....	158 08		
Ellen G. Furlong (supposed present owner Erik V. Alexander)—Buildings and about 2,164 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 609A, making the westerly corner of and numbered 6 Dartmouth street, adjoining an estate of John and Marcella Bourke, tax for 1923.....	518 70		
Mary L. Galleni—Buildings and about 1,302 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pembroke street, numbered 109, between an estate of James R. Sexton and another and an estate of William A. Hardwick, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
George and Amanda Green—Buildings and about 1,350 feet of land on the southerly side of Buckingham street, numbered 38, between two estates of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	170 43		
Paid on account.....	35 00		
Balance due.....	135 43		
William A. Hampshire and William Hirsh Trustees of the Hemenway Trust—Buildings and about 7,497 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 30, between another estate of said Hampshire and another trustees and an estate of Lena Levine and others, tax for 1923.....	2,173 60		
Rebecca Harris—Buildings and about 2,142 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Newton street, numbered 212, between an estate of Louisa McCarthy and an estate of Annie L. Hunter, tax for 1923.....	214 89		
Ella F. Hawkins—Buildings and about 2,205 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 210, between an estate of Annie L. Clark and an estate of James E. Kelley, trustee, tax for 1923.....	158 08		
Ida M. Hodson—Buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 20, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1921.....	71 63		
Ida M. Hodson (supposed present owner Catherine Ablewhite)—Buildings and about 1,036 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon street, numbered 54, making the southerly corner of Lawrence street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Stutz, tax for 1923, Ida M. Hodson—Buildings and about 1,102 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 63 and 63A, between an estate of John H. Devine, trustee, and an estate of Mamie Kanovitz, tax for 1922.....	170 43	195 13	195 13
Sarah E. Hodson—Buildings and about 3,338 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Clarendon street, making the easterly corner of Stanhope street, adjoining an estate of J. Sumner Draper, mortgagee in possession, tax for 1923.....	988 00		
Daniel E. Holland (supposed present owner Edward T. Brown)—Buildings and about 2,189 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Concord square, numbered 45, making the northerly corner of Public Alley 503, adjoining an estate of James M. Robinson, trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$271 70		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	171 70		
Ray C. Johnson (supposed present owner Annie E. Kenney)—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southerly side of St. Germain street, numbered 19, between two other estates of said Johnson, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 44		
Frederick D. Johnson—Buildings and about 2,205 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holyoke street, numbered 22, between an estate of Isaac W. Crozier and an estate of Sophronia C. Squires, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Bertha F. Kennedy—Buildings and about 1,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 5, between an estate of William D. Sohler and another and an estate of Louise P. Hill, tax for 1921.....	76 57		
Tax for 1922.....	76 57		
Tax for 1923.....	76 57		
Also buildings and about 1,890 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Canton street, numbered 223, between an estate of Annie A. O'Neill and an estate of Maggie F. Garland, tax for 1922.....	148 20		
Tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Oscar Kerney—Buildings and about 2,080 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wellington street, numbered 7, between an estate of Cyril A. Harvey and another and an estate of Emma S. Gray, tax for 1922.....	148 20		
Tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Harvey E. and Florence E. Landers—Buildings and about 1,260 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren avenue, numbered 173, between an estate of Francis H. Blackwell and an estate of Eliza E. Dyer, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25		
Paid on account.....	135 25		
Balance due.....	50 00		
William D. Lee—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 47, between an estate of Frank A. Connors and an estate of David Yarchin and another, tax for 1921.....	308 75		
Albert Lewenberg—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 207, between an estate of Frances E. Gardner and an estate of Garabed H. Caragulian, mortgagee in possession, tax for 1923.....	130 91		
Virginia R. Lewis—Buildings and about 2,142 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Rutland square, numbered 81, between an estate of Louisa A. Hall devisees and an estate of Watt S. Oliver, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Chinlata W. and Albertha Martin—Buildings and about 2,184 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Greenwich park, numbered 25, between an estate of Phebe S. Olmstead heirs or devisees and an estate of John Brown, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	72 90		
Edward D. McCollum (supposed present owner Isador Meyer, Trustee)—Buildings and about 3,465 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 157, between another estate of said McCollum and an estate of Harry Fairchild, tax for 1923.....	988 00		
Also buildings and about 3,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 163, between another estate of said McCollum and an estate of John C. Bishop, tax for 1923.....	988 00		
Esther M. Meserve—Buildings and about 1,350 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren avenue, numbered 145, between an estate of Annie McIsaac and an estate of Sarah Clark, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Isaac B. Mills (supposed present owner Augusta I. Weisberg)—Buildings and about 3,303 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 82, between an estate of William N. Ambler and an estate of Frank E. Greene heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	1,128 79		
Gardner Murphy—Buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 587, between an estate of Joshua H. Liverpool and an estate of Elizabeth L. Keane, tax for 1922.....	247 00		
Tax for 1923.....	247 00		
Mary Nashawaty—Buildings and about 1,157 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Warren avenue, numbered 194 and 196, making the southerly corner of and numbered 206 and 206A West Brookline street, adjoining another estate of said Nashawaty, tax for 1923.....	308 75		
Also buildings and about 982 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Warren avenue, numbered 198, 200 and 202, between another estate of said Nashawaty and an estate of Minnie A. Burlingame, tax for 1923.....	271 70		
Annie M. Neale—Buildings and about 1,280 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chandler street, numbered 90, between an estate of Ernest Libby and an estate of Joanna E. Hagerty, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Newburyport Five Cents Savings Bank, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 114, between an estate of Albert N. Wood and an estate of Helen H. Torrey, tax for 1921.....	345 80		
Also buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 118 and 118A, between an estate of Albert N. Wood and an estate of Henry H. Hart and others, trustees, tax for 1921.....	358 15		
Tax for 1922.....	358 15		
Louville V. Niles (supposed present owner Herman N. Cleval)—Buildings and about 2,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 505 and 505A, between an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz and an estate of Roland H. Shuman and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	\$382 85		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	182 85		
Louville V. Niles—Buildings and about 14,309 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 309, 311, 313 and 315, between an estate of Cambridge Realty Company and an estate of Pauline Coleman and others, tax for 1923.....	\$3,828 50		
Paid on account.....	1,000 00		
Balance due.....	2,828 50		
Louville V. Niles (supposed present owner Galey Shama and others)—Buildings and about 1,760 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 747, between an estate of Eliza Scott heirs and an estate of William Hoag, tax for 1923.....	\$247 00		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	47 00		
Mary T. O'Donnell—Buildings and about 1,418 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 8, between an estate of Edwin S. Barrett and an estate of Fred P. Davis, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Arthur J. Phalen (supposed present owner Lester B. Hirshon)—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Bickerstaff street, numbered 20 and 22, between another estate of said Phalen and another estate of Jennie M. White, tax for 1923.....	\$321 10		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	221 10		
Also buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Bickerstaff street, numbered 24 and 26, between another estate of said Phalen and an estate of Joseph Stanga and another, tax for 1922.....	\$321 10		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	221 10		
Scott Pickett—Buildings and about 1,890 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 238, between an estate of Catherine Lavin and an estate of Sarah E. Harrell, tax for 1923.....	150 67		
Plymouth Realty Company—Buildings and about 4,158 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Rutland square, numbered 76 and 78, between another estate of Plymouth Realty Company and an estate of Estelle A. Foster, tax for 1923.....	\$691 60		
Paid on account.....	250 00		
Balance due.....	441 60		

Also buildings and about 4,263 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Rutland square, numbered 80 and 82, between another estate of Plymouth Realty Company and an estate of Annie Abudrowski, tax for 1923.....	\$691 60		dour Arzoomanian and an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923.....	160 55	an estate of Helen H. Torrey, tax for 1922.....	284 05
Paid on account.....	250 00		Theresa Saulnier, reassessed from Mary Martin—Buildings and about 1,738 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 552, between an estate of said Saulnier and an estate of Patrick Burke, tax for 1923.....	217 00	Tax for 1923.....	284 05
Balance due.....	441 60		Also buildings and about 1,734 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 554, between another estate of said Saulnier and an estate of John J. Crosby and another, tax for 1923.....	247 00	Thomas M. Smith—Buildings and about 1,682 feet of land on the southerly side of Belvidere street, numbered 21, between two other estates of said Smith, tax for 1922.....	333 45
Also buildings and about 3,182 feet of land on the southerly side of Batavia street, numbered 72, making the southeasterly corner of Public Alley No. 811, adjoining an estate of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	1,309 10		Second Universalist Church—About 12,141 feet of land on the easterly side of Columbus avenue, making the northeasterly corner of Clarendon street, adjoining an estate of John T. Keefe (numbered 262 and 264 Columbus avenue), tax for 1923.....	2,099 50	Tax for 1923.....	333 45
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	23 46		E. C. Sherry and George D. Crossman (supposed present owner James M. Sims and others)—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Greenwich park, numbered 28, between an estate of Mary Sutton and an estate of Mary E. Bell, tax for 1923.....	\$155 61	Also buildings and about 1,680 feet of land on the southerly side of Belvidere street, numbered 19, between an estate of Jacob Tarplin and another estate of said Smith, tax for 1923.....	333 45
Also buildings and about 5,402 feet of land on the northerly side of Norway street, numbered 103, making the northeasterly corner of Stoneholm street, adjoining another estate of said Presbrey and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	1,235 00		Paid on account.....	140 00	John F. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,906 feet of land on the northerly side of West Canton street, numbered 231, between an estate of Augusta Abrams and an estate of Bertha Littauer, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Also buildings and about 5,355 feet of land on the northerly side of Norway street, numbered 99, between another estate of said Presbrey and another, trustees, and an estate of Benicion Moskow, tax for 1923.....	1,235 00		Balance due.....	15 61	Hannah R. Sweetson Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,760 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 617A and 617, between an estate of Flora Leverone and an estate of Eliza B. Macquarrie, tax for 1923.....	271 70
Anne D. Price—Buildings and about 1,716 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 480, between an estate of Kate A. Kerr and an estate of Yves Sausean, tax for 1923.....	308 75		Griffin H. Sims—Buildings and about 1,056 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 216, between an estate of Edwin M. White and another estate of said Sims, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Axel Swenson—Buildings and about 1,827 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 196, between an estate of Sigrid Carlson and an estate of Irene Hawkins, tax for 1923.....	158 08
A. Carleton Potter—Trustee under will of Henry Potter—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 92, between another estate of said Potter, trustee, and an estate of Henry M. Channing, trustee, tax for 1923.....	988 00		Also buildings and about 1,056 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 218, between another estate of said Sims and an estate of Ida M. Brown, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Jacob Tarplin (supposed present owner John F. Sullivan)—Buildings and about 1,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 9, between an estate of M. Emmie Quincey, trustee, and an estate of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	76 57
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 90, between another estate of said Potter, trustee, and an estate of William N. Ambler, tax for 1923.....	988 00		Max Slutsky, Sheriff's Title and Sarah Barbechick—Buildings and about 4,649 feet of land on the easterly side of Field street, numbered 19 rear and 21, between an estate of William H. Emery and an estate of Anna H. Fallon and others, tax for 1923.....	125 97	Also buildings and about 916 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harwich street, numbered 21, between an estate of Maude A. Curtis and an estate of Daisey E. Curtis, tax for 1923.....	106 21
Edgar S. Randolph—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northerly side of St. Germain street, numbered 46, between an estate of Sarah E. Milton and an estate of Catherine G. Colbritt, tax for 1923.....	185 25		Thomas M. Smith (supposed present owner Hulda Byleu)—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 767, between an estate of Henry Koepfer and an estate of Earl P. Rand, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Also buildings and about 1,673 feet of land on the southerly side of Belvidere street, numbered 113, between another estate of said Tarplin and an estate of Frank A. McDonald, tax for 1923.....	308 75
Mary Reilly—Buildings and about 2,880 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 212, between an estate of Helen C. Atwood and an estate of Lena Levine and others, tax for 1923.....	988 00		Thomas M. Smith—Buildings and about 3,828 feet of land on the southerly side of Batavia street, numbered 70, between an estate of Celia Green, trustee and an estate of Joseph L. Presby and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 12	Also buildings and about 1,679 feet of land on the southerly side of Belvidere street, numbered 17, between an estate of Thomas M. Smith and another estate of said Tarplin, tax for 1923.....	333 45
Also buildings and about 2,794 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Botolph street, numbered 96, making the easterly corner of West Newton street, adjoining an estate of Emma J. Carr, tax for 1923.....	429 78		Thomas M. Smith (supposed present owner John F. Sullivan)—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 47, between an estate of Frank A. Connors and an estate of David Tarchin and another, tax for 1922.....	308 75	Also buildings and about 1,682 feet of land on the southerly side of Belvidere street, numbered 15, between two other estates of said Tarplin, tax for 1923.....	308 75
Also buildings and about 1,756 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 546, between an estate of Michael J. Ward heirs or devisees and an estate of Lucy J. Rohrbacher, tax for 1923.....	247 00		Also buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 10, between an estate of Jacob Tarplin and an estate of Howard K. Brown, trustee, tax for 1922.....	71 63	Also buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon street, numbered 38, between an estate of Mary Roche, and an estate of Katherine J. McLean, tax for 1921.....	148 20
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 1,065 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, at end, numbered 23, adjoining an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1921.....	71 63		Tax for 1923.....	71 63	Tax for 1922.....	148 20
Also buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 10, between an estate of Jacob Tarplin and an estate of Howard K. Brown, trustee, tax for 1921.....	71 63		Also buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 123, between two other estates of said Thomas M. Smith tax for 1922.....	71 63	Tax for 1923.....	148 20
Frances L. Richards—Buildings and about 1,890 feet of land on the northwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 223, between an estate of Annie O'Neill and an estate of Maggie F. Garland, tax for 1921.....	148 20		Also buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 14, between another estate of said Smith and an estate of Owen J. Munn, tax for 1923.....	71 63	Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 36, between an estate of Daniel Swan and another estate of said Torrey, tax for 1921.....	286 52
Putnam H. Ropes—Buildings and about 6,676 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Yarmouth street, numbered 17, between an estate of Carroll E. Thomas and an estate of Toney Vass, tax for 1923.....	864 50		Also buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 17, between an estate of M. Emmie Quincey, trustee and an estate of Francis N. Coghlan and another, tax for 1923.....	71 63	Tax for 1922.....	311 22
Gertrude A. Rosenthal—Buildings and about 2,043 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Rosenthal and an estate of Ida Berkman, tax for 1923.....	259 35		Also buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 12, between an estate of Howard K. Brown, trustee and another estate of said Smith, tax for 1923.....	71 63	Tax for 1923.....	311 22
Also buildings and about 2,036 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Batavia street, numbered 31, between two other estates of said Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....	271 70		Also buildings and about 1,065 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place (at end), numbered 23, adjoining an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1922.....	71 63	Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 38, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of John Ferrari, tax for 1921.....	286 52
Also buildings and about 2,532 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Batavia street, numbered 33, between another estate of said Rosenthal and an estate of John C. Taylor, trustee, tax for 1923.....	271 70		Tax for 1923.....	71 63	Tax for 1922.....	311 22
Reddick J. Royster—Buildings and about 2,310 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holyoke street, numbered 30, between an estate of As-			Also buildings and about 2,166 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 39, between an estate of James M. Burr and		Also buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dalton street, numbered 19, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of John S. Cronin, tax for 1921, tax for 1922.....	284 05
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					Tax for 1923.....	308 75

Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 44, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of J. Rose Anzalone, tax for 1921.....	286 52
Tax for 1922.....	311 22
Tax for 1923.....	311 22
Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 42, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of John Ferrari, tax for 1923.....	311 22
Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of St. Botolph street, numbered 127, between an estate of Lutie L. Anderson and an estate of Mary A. Webb, tax for 1923.....	\$469 30
Paid on account.....	449 54
Balance due.....	19 76
Ellen A. Turpin—Buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 583 and 583A, between an estate of Caroline A. Benton heirs or devisees of and an estate of Elizabeth L. Keane tax for 1923.....	237 12
Toney Vass—Buildings and about 2,640 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Yarmouth street, numbered 21, making the easterly corner of Truro street, adjoining an estate of Charles D. Turnbull and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	637 26
Julia Weir—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 193, between an estate of Fulton P. Wesson and another and an estate of Celia Shapira, tax for 1923.....	\$130 91
Paid on account.....	95 00
Balance due.....	35 91
Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 1,097 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Burbank street, numbered 1, between another estate of said Williams Realty Company and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	116 09
Also buildings and about 1,05½ feet of land on the southwesterly side of Burbank street, numbered 2, between another estate of said Williams Realty Company and an estate of Jacob Saunders, tax for 1923.....	113 62
William Williams (supposed present owner Maude E. Morrison)—Buildings and about 1,664 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claremont park, numbered 30, between an estate of William T. Randolph and an estate of Mary T. Fisher, tax for 1923.....	123 50
William Williams (supposed present owner Elizabeth M. McGovern)—Buildings and about 3,144 feet of land on the northwesterly side of West Rutland square, numbered 89, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of Nathan Matthews and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Also buildings and about 2,091 feet of land on the northwesterly side of West Rutland square, numbered 87, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of George W. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	160 55
William Williams—Buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Braddock park (formerly Pembroke street), numbered 28 (formerly numbered 178 Pembroke street), between an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz and an estate of Morris L. Zeiderman, tax for 1923.....	153 14
Eva Winslow—Buildings and about 2,415 feet of land on the northwesterly side of West Newton street, numbered 243, between another estate of said Winslow and an estate of John M. Whalen, tax for 1923.....	296 40
Also buildings and about 2,411 feet of land on the northwesterly side of West Newton street, numbered 245, between another estate of said Winslow and an estate of Mary E. McKenna, tax for 1923.....	296 40
Louis Wolk—Buildings and about 3,736 feet of land on the westerly side of Hemenway street, numbered 119, between an estate of Fannie Goodman and an estate of Francis Peabody, Jr., and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	\$1,654 90
Paid on account.....	500 00
Balance due.....	1,154 90
Charles S. Wynn—Buildings and about 2,289 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Berkeley street, numbered 119, making the northerly corner of Cortes street, adjoining an estate of Robert Simpson and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	679 75

Edith Yates—Buildings and about 1,774 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 369, between an estate of Sarah A. Floyd and an estate of Sykes B. Taylor, tax for 1923.....	91 39
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William H. Agry, Trustee (supposed present owner Orion H. Green)—Buildings and about 3,735 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 37, between an estate of Rodman P. Snelling and another and an estate of Katherine E. Bullard heirs, tax for 1923.....	\$1,803 10
Paid on account.....	400 00
Balance due.....	\$1,403 10
Thomas Barrie (reassessed from Rebecca Horowitz)—Buildings and about 4,950 feet of land on the easterly side of St. Mary's street, numbered 24, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Antonio Gracobe, tax for 1923.....	889 20
Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc.—Buildings and about 2,058 feet of land on the easterly side of Anderson street, numbered 34 and 34A, between an estate of Celia Fisher and another estate of Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923.....	321 10
Also buildings and about 2,041 feet of land on the easterly side of Anderson street, numbered 36 and 36A, between an estate of Abraham P. Levin and another estate of Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923.....	321 10
Also buildings and about 2,583 feet of land on the westerly side of Joy street, numbered 44, 44A and 44B, between an estate of the City of Boston and an estate of James M. Beebe heirs and others, tax for 1923.....	617 50
Joshua Bennett Heirs—Buildings and about 2,714 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Joy street, numbered 36 1st rear, 36 2d rear and 36 3d rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Prescott Townsend, tax for 1923.....	167 96
Abram G. Berenson—Buildings and about 3,758 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 140, 142 and 144, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 Auburn court, adjoining an estate of George W. Peniman, tax for 1923.....	617 50
Abraham Berkman—Buildings and about 666 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden street, numbered 43, between an estate of Rebecca Krinsky and an estate of Jennie Karmazine, tax for 1923.....	140 79
Michael Berson—Buildings and about 10,920 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 829 and 833, making the westerly corner of Munson street, adjoining an estate of Payson Dana, tax for 1923.....	4,199 00
Rose B. Blume—Buildings and about 882 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arundel street, numbered 12, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Robert F. Sanderson, tax for 1923.....	143 26
Max Bookstein—Buildings and about 5,819 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Audubon road, numbered 81, between two other estates of said Bookstein, tax for 1923.....	\$2,297 10
Paid on account.....	250 00
Balance due.....	2,047 10
Also buildings and about 5,822 feet of land on the northerly side of Audubon road, numbered 85, between another estate of said Bookstein and an estate of Samuel Rudnick and another, tax for 1923.....	\$2,321 80
Paid on account.....	250 00
Balance due.....	2,071 80
Also buildings and about 5,837 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Audubon road, numbered 77, between an estate of Samuel Rudnick and another, trustees, and another estate of said Bookstein, tax for 1923.....	\$2,321 80
Paid on account.....	500 00
Balance due.....	1,821 80
Ernest W. and James H. Bowditch—Buildings and about 417 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Porter street, numbered 56, between an estate of Nicholas Rogowsky and another and an estate of Frank W. Jennings, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Winslow B. P. Briggs, Junior, and Edna G. Wadsworth—Buildings and about	

3,563 feet of land on the easterly side of Miner street, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Alonzo M. Burbank, tax for 1923.....	130 91
Henry C. Brookings (supposed present owner James M. Burr)—Buildings and about 2,464 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 272, extending through to Public Alley No. 442, between an estate of Charles W. Smith and an estate of Christine C. Wilson, tax for 1923.....	548 34
James M. Burr (supposed present owner Mary T. Bailie, Trustee)—Buildings and about 1,896 feet of land on the northerly side of Marlborough street, numbered 425, between an estate of Maude L. G. Everett and an estate of Herbert G. Sumner and another, trustees, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 00
Kevie Carmen, Ira Shapiro and Thomas Nutile, Trustees of Commercial Building Trust—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 857, making the southeasterly corner of Aberdeen street, adjoining an estate of Sarah M. Richardson, tax for 1923.....	3,112 20
Harry P. Chadwick—About 806 feet of land on the westerly side of a passageway leading from the westerly side of Grove street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Mary Szathmary; easterly by said passageway leading from Grove street; southerly by an estate of Joseph F. Otis and westerly by an estate of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Samuel K. and Fannie Chaskes—Buildings and about 920 feet of land on the easterly side of Grove street, numbered 44 and 44A, between an estate of Louise A. Hobbs and an estate of Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923.....	155 61
Myrtle E. Christian—Buildings and about 4,032 feet of land on the southerly side of Marlborough street, numbered 401, extending through to Public Alley No. 908, between an estate of Mary Murphy and an estate of Miriam W. Rollins, tax for 1923.....	1,160 90
Lillian S. Clark—Buildings and about 670 feet of land on the westerly side of South Russell street, numbered 33, between an estate of Dora Pollack and an estate of Henry H. Litchfield, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Max Cohen and Simon Florentz—Buildings and about 1,522 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden street, numbered 27, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Benjamin Florence and another, tax for 1923.....	333 45
George W. Coleman Heirs—Buildings and about 2,576 feet of land on the southerly side of Marlborough street, numbered 390, extending through to Public Alley No. 429, between an estate of Mary B. Boardman and an estate of Frederick A. Marsden, tax for 1923.....	703 95
Tax for 1921.....	703 95
Eloclair M. Conley (supposed present owner Mary Roulston)—Buildings and about 2,614 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue numbered 344, extending through to Public Alley No. 430, between an estate of George H. Williams and an estate of Ida F. Estabrook, tax for 1923.....	\$642 20
Paid on account.....	300 00
Balance due.....	342 20
Clara Coodlitz—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden street, numbered 15 and 15A, between an estate of Edward Collins and an estate of B. O. and G. C. Wilson, Inc., tax for 1923.....	\$192 66
Paid on account.....	125 00
Balance due.....	67 66
William L. Crosby—Buildings and about 3,490 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 435, making the southerly corner of Herford street, adjoining an estate of Maria L. Aldrich, tax for 1923.....	728 65
Frederic Cunningham, Augustus Hemenway, John S. and William Lawrence, Trustees under will of Sarah E. Lawrence (supposed present owner Jacob Canner)—Buildings and about 3,358 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 295, between an estate of William Lawrence and others, trustees, and an estate of George A. Draper heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	1,605 50

Frances Curtis—Buildings and about 2,688 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 447, extending through to Public Alley No. 908, between an estate of Oliver L. Briggs heirs or devisees and an estate of Mary C. Hardy, tax for 1923.....	553 73		
Fred P. Davis—Buildings and about 2,461 feet of land on the northerly side of Ivy street, numbered 5, extending through to Mountfort street, between an estate of Isabelle B. Woods and an estate of Grace F. Ferrand, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Edith M. Dennison—About 4,298 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, making the north-easterly corner of Sherborn street, adjoining an estate of Riverbank Improvement Company, being lot 23, Block C, Morton and Quimby plan, dated January 9, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2182, tax for 1923.....	318 63		
Eastern States Land Company—About 4,612 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Burlington avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Hilda M. Brown; northwesterly by an estate of Wolverine Realty Corporation; southeasterly by an estate of W. J. O'Connell Company; southwesterly by Burlington street, tax for 1923.....	340 86		
Matthew W. Fallon, Junior—Buildings and about 8,271 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 534, 538 and 540, between an estate of Julia M. Driscoll and an estate of Gabriel M. Gordon and another, tax for 1923.....	1,852 50		
John Faust, Trustees—Buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Mountfort street, numbered 75, between an estate of Mae R. Cousins and an estate of Grace H. Jennings, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Federal Real Estate Corporation (supposed present owner Bertha H. Watson)—Buildings and about 4,036 feet of land on the westerly side of Joy street, numbered 52, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	\$642 20		
Paid on account.....	342 20		
Balance due.....	300 00		
Salome A. Frost, Trustee under will of Thomas M. Bassett—Buildings and about 2,805 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 819, between an estate of Israel Nesson and an estate of Salome A. Frost, tax for 1923.....	555 75		
Antonio Giacobbe (supposed present owner Samuel Weisberg)—Buildings and about 4,674 feet of land on the northerly side of Mountfort street, numbered 121, making the northeasterly corner of St. Mary's street, adjoining an estate of Abbie E. McCobb, tax for 1923.....	1,037 40		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 30		
Rosario Giacobbe (supposed present owner Samuel Weisberg)—Buildings and about 5,886 feet of land on the northerly side of Ivy street, numbered 55, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 75 St. Mary's street, adjoining an estate of Ellen Childs, tax for 1923.....	1,210 30		
Harry W. Goodall—Buildings and about 3,129 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 512, between an estate of Fred A. Whitney heirs or devisees and an estate of Ezra M. Rideout, tax for 1923.....	666 90		
Barnett Gray—Buildings and about 4,713 feet of land on the southerly side of Phillips street, numbered 74, 76 and 76A, making the southwesterly corner of Phillips court, adjoining an estate of Peter Feingold, tax for 1923.....	657 02		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 11		
Apportionment of sewer assessment of 1923.....	3 16		
Rose Gray—Buildings and about 934 feet of land on the easterly side of Phillips court, numbered 4, between another estate of said Gray, numbered 5 and an estate of Michael Andelman, numbered 68 and 70 Phillips street, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 24		
Also buildings and about 932 feet of land on the easterly side of Phillips court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Gray, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 24		
Also about 1,140 feet of land on the southerly side and at end of Phillips court, between another estate of said Gray, numbered 5, and an estate of			
Henry J. Danby and another (numbered 4 Goodwin place), tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Hannah Greenwood—Buildings and about 404 feet of land on the westerly side of Auburn court, numbered 5, between an estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Abram G. Berenson, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Also buildings and about 412 feet of land on the westerly side of Auburn court, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Also buildings and about 408 feet of land on the westerly side of Auburn court, numbered 7, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Also buildings and about 853 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 9, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Also buildings and about 542 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Also buildings and about 497 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 11, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also buildings and about 510 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 12, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Luther W. Puffer, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also buildings and about 630 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden Street arch, numbered 1, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Frederick M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden Street arch, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Also buildings and about 552 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden Street arch, numbered 3, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Henry H. Litchfield, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Clarence G. Guild—Buildings and about 2,626 feet of land on the southerly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 92, between an estate of Helen G. French and an estate of Mary E. Bradley, tax for 1923.....	\$654 55		
Paid on account.....	300 00		
Balance due.....	354 55		
Arthur M. Hazard—Buildings and about 2,961 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 64, extending through to Public Alley No. 436, between an estate of George A. P. H. Duncan and an estate of Eleanor A. Clark heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$988 00		
Paid on account.....	500 00		
Balance due.....	488 00		
Joseph L. Hermanson, Matthew A. N. Shaw and Butler R. Wilson, Trustees, Nathaniel Springfield Estate—Buildings and about 650 feet of land on the easterly side of Irving street, numbered 28, between an estate of Jacob Charn and an estate of Charlotte Thomas, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
William Hirsh—Buildings and about 5,040 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 282, making the southeasterly corner of Gloucester street and extending through to Public Alley No. 442, adjoining an estate of Sarah L. Day and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	3,087 50		
Also buildings and about 6,902 feet of land on the northerly side of Queensberry street, numbered 31, between an estate of Rebecca Rose and another and another estate of said Hirsh, tax for 1923.....	1,284 49		
Also buildings and about 6,903 feet of land on the northerly side of Queensberry street, numbered 35, between another estate of said Hirsh and an estate of Frank O. Thaxter, tax for 1923.....	1,284 40		
Helen E. Hopkins—Buildings and about 400 feet of land on the northerly side of a passageway in the rear of Bay State road, adjoining an estate of Martin Edwards, being lot 9A, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, dated January 29, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3376, page 261, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Charles E. Hubbard—About 7,590 feet of land on the northerly side of a passageway in the rear of Bay State road, adjoining an estate of Riverbank Improvement Company, being lot 45, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, dated August 31, 1908,			
registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2592, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Tax for 1921.....	4 94		
Harold E. Jones—About 1,368 feet of land on the easterly side of Lindall court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Morris Kamberg, easterly by an estate of Rosa Zimmerman, southerly by estates of Joseph Green, and westerly by Lindall court, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	51 87		
6 81			
Abraham B. Kagen—Buildings and about 1,102 feet of land on the southerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 84, between an estate of Jessie S. Raymond and another estate of said Kagen, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Also buildings and about 1,564 feet of land on the southerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 82, adjoining an estate of G. Glover Crocker and another, trustees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15612, tax for 1923.....	407 55		
Abraham B. Kagan—Buildings and about 1,325 feet of land on the southerly side of Revere street, numbered 40, making the southwesterly corner of and unnumbered 49 Anderson street, adjoining an estate of Genaro Venezo and another, tax for 1923.....	360 62		
Benjamin and Sarah V. Kagan—Buildings and about 953 feet of land on the northerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 125, between another estate of said Benjamin and Sarah V. Kagan and an estate of Morris and Ida Segal, tax for 1923.....	\$271 70		
Paid on account.....	150 00		
Balance due.....	121 70		
Also buildings and about 995 feet of land on the northerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 127, between another estate of said Benjamin and Sarah V. Kagan and an estate of Jennie Primock, tax for 1923, \$271 70			
Paid on account.....	150 00		
Balance due.....	121 70		
Morris and Annie Katzeff—Buildings and about 6,419 feet of land on the southerly side of Peterborough street, numbered 89, between two other estates of said Katzeff and another, tax for 1923.....	1,482 00		
Also buildings and about 6,423 feet of land on the southerly side of Peterborough street, numbered 82, between another estate of said Katzeff and another and an estate of Louis S. Kaufman, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,482 00		
Rose C. Kehew—Buildings and about 2,990 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, numbered 70, between an estate of Benjamin W. Rudman and an estate of Maria T. Ranney, devisees of, tax for 1923.....	432 25		
Wilhelmina S. Kennard—About 7,500 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Bay State road, outside of sea wall, adjoining an estate of Riverbank Improvement Company, being lot 42, Fuller Whitney Corporation plan, dated August 31, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2354, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Nasim Khouri (supposed present owner Good Realty Company)—Buildings and about 2,428 feet of land on the northerly side of Mountfort street, numbered 49, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Khouri, numbered 51, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Also buildings and about 2,255 feet of land on the northerly side of Mountfort street, numbered 51, between another estate of said Khouri and an estate of Harris Wolf, tax for 1923.....	284 05		
Louis S. Koufman—Buildings and about 6,046 feet of land on the southerly side of Queensberry street, numbered 98, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Koufman, tax for 1922.....	1,111 50		
Louis Levine (supposed present owner James Howard)—Buildings and about 10,855 feet of land on the southerly side of Ivy street, numbered 6, between an estate of Benjamin Snider and another, and an estate of Robert F. Sanderson, tax for 1923.....	\$1,951 30		
Paid on account.....	1,000 00		
Balance due.....	951 30		
Liberty Hand Laundry Company—(Mass. Corp.). Buildings and about 2,520 feet of land on the northerly side of Newbury street, numbered 331, extending through to Public Alley 430, between an estate of William Tufts and another and an estate of Susan M. Loring, tax for 1923.....	550 81		

Louis Lipsky—Buildings and about 1,963 feet of land on the easterly side of West Cedar street, numbered 87, 87A and 87B, between an estate of Samuel Hertz and an estate of Ida Shapiro, tax for 1923.....	844 60	
Paid on account.....	92 62	
Balance due.....	351 98	
C. Frederic Lyman (supposed present owner Henry C. Brookings)—Buildings and about 3,808 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 315 and 317 extending through to Public Alley 417, between an estate of Katherine Stanton, trustee, and an estate of Frances E. Pratt, tax for 1923.....	1,111 50	
Ernest Manahan—Buildings and about 1,384 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Providence street, numbered 65 and 67, between another estate of said Manahan and an estate of Paul M. Hamlen, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,358 50	
Ruth Marshall—Buildings and about 1,540 feet of land on the northerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 993, between an estate of Alice H. Garrett and an estate of Rebecca Krinsky, tax for 1923.....	395 20	
Mollie A. McCarthy—Buildings and about 2,520 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Broadway, numbered 77, 79 and 81, making the southerly corner of and numbered 6 and 8 Piedmont street, adjoining an estate of Patrick Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	629 85	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	128 70	
Agnes M. McCormack—Buildings and about 1,216 feet of land on the northerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 31, between an estate of Bessie Rosen and an estate of Maria Fusto, tax for 1923.....	170 43	
William F. McDonough—Buildings and about 831 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wheeler street, numbered 21, between an estate of Elliot Stoddard and an estate of Lawrence J. Towle, tax for 1923.....	39 52	
Also buildings and about 880 feet of land on the westerly side of Strong place, numbered 4, between an estate of Walter B. Goode and an estate of E. Edith Rounds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5093, tax for 1923.....	46 93	
Ethel Miller—Buildings and about 2,023 feet of land on the westerly side of West Cedar street, numbered 88 and 88A, between an estate of Abraham Isenbarg and an estate of Louis Gray, tax for 1923.....	335 92	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 02	
Joseph F. Otis—Also about 982 feet of land on the westerly side of a passageway, leading from the westerly side of Grove street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Harry P. Chadwick; easterly by a passageway; southerly and westerly by an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Joseph L. Peabody et al., Trustees of Bristol County Trust—Buildings and about 9,638 feet of land on the westerly side of Audubon road, numbered 51, making the southwesterly corner of Queensberry street, adjoining an estate of Louis H. Lansky, tax for 1923.....	3,136 90	
Jeanette Peyser—Buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Temple street, numbered 14, between an estate of Daniel A. Cronin and an estate of Jennie H. Wallace, tax for 1923.....	271 70	
Arthur J. Phalen—Buildings and about 2,619 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 152 and 154, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 7 and 9 South Russell street, adjoining an estate of Joseph P. Manning, tax for 1923.....	691 60	
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 879 feet of land on the southerly side of Phillips street, numbered 66, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Sarah Goldman, tax for 1923.....	93 86	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 03	
Elizabeth A. Riley—About 5,100 feet of land on the northerly side of a passageway lying in rear of Bay State road, being lot 21A, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, January 29, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3376, page 261, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Philip T. Ripley—About 5 feet of land on the southerly side of Stuart street, making the junction of Grenville place, being lot 181, F. O. Whitney plan, July 15, 1921, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Augustus O. Roberts—About 320 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kirkland street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Zelda Greenhood; southeasterly by an estate of Joshua A. Smallwood and another; southwesterly by an estate of Albert E. Hinds; northwesterly by Kirkland street, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Frances S. and Elizabeth B. Rogers and Laura D. Rogers Heirs and Ellen D. Rogers Heirs—Buildings and about 2,576 feet of land on the southerly side of Marlborough street, numbered 384, extending through to Public Alley 429, between an estate of Richard D. Ware and another, trustees, and an estate of Lucy W. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	531 05	
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston—About 105,472 feet of land on the northerly side of Boylston street, being lot B, H. C. Mildram plan, February 5, 1923, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	3,907 54	
Rose Sawyer—Buildings and about 1,209 feet of land on the northerly side of Phillips street, numbered 73 and 73A, between an estate of M. Josephine Snow and an estate of Annie Buchman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2408, tax for 1923.....	247 00	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	2 53	
Catherine A. Scully—Buildings and about 2,599 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, numbered 174, between an estate of Edna J. Talbot and an estate of John K. Lucas, tax for 1923.....	370 50	
William H. Shea—Buildings and about 1,960 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marlborough street, numbered 74, extending through to Public Alley 423, between an estate of Alexander S. Wheeler heirs or devisees of, and an estate of Lyon Weyburn and another, tax for 1923.....	518 70	
Joseph Shelevsky—Buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 141, 141A, 143 and 143A, between an estate of Margaret Courtland and another estate of said Shelevsky, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, tax for 1923.....	9 90	
Also buildings and about 2,167 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 145 and 145A, between an estate of Leon David and another estate of said Shelevsky, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, tax for 1923.....	6 25	
Nellie H. Sherley—Buildings and about 824 feet of land on the easterly side of Joy street, numbered 79, between an estate of Nora A. Jeffers and an estate of Esther Winisky, tax for 1923.....	133 38	
Edward Sliney Heirs—Buildings and about 1,276 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, numbered 45, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 63 and 65 Revere street, adjoining an estate of Nunzio Giove and another, tax for 1923.....	333 45	
Bryant G. Smith and Sons Company—Buildings and about 6,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 661, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Martha C. Codman, tax for 1923.....	2,717 00	
Kapril Soghomonian—Buildings and about 733 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wheeler street, numbered 11, between an estate of Michael P. Murphy and an estate of William J. Stober, tax for 1923.....	98 80	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 72	
Shirley C. Speed—Buildings and about 2,352 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 109, extending through to Public Alley 421, between an estate of Mary D. Turnbull and an estate of Frederick W. Bradlee, tax for 1923.....	642 20	
William J. Stober—Buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 30 and 32, between an estate of Alles and Fisher, Inc., and an estate of Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, tax for 1923.....	419 90	
Also about 3,509 feet of land on the southerly side of Stuart street, making the southwesterly corner of Warrenton street, being lot 112, F. O. Whitney plan, July 15, 1921, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	1,556 10	
Edith L. Stone (supposed present owner Martha Cogan)—Buildings and about 1,507 feet of land on the easterly side of Fairfield street, numbered 44, making the northeasterly corner of Public Alley No. 441, adjoining an estate of Anna D. Bangs, tax for 1923.....	555 75	
George F. Swain—About 14,100 feet of land lying in the rear from northerly side of Bay State road outside of sea wall, being lot 10, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, August 31, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7925, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Mary H. Swain, Devises of—About 14,100 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Bay State road, outside of sea wall, being lot 10, Fuller Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, August 31, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7925, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
John C. Taylor, Trustee of New England Realty Trust—Buildings and about 5,694 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Audubon road, numbered 463, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Henry W. Estabrook and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	1,432 60	
Hannah I. Tarplin—Buildings and about 831 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wheeler street, numbered 21, between an estate of Elliot Stoddard and an estate of Lawrence J. Towle, tax for 1921.....	39 52	
Hannah I. Tarplin (supposed present owner William F. McDonough)—Buildings and about 880 feet of land on the westerly side of Strong place, numbered 4, between an estate of Walter B. Goode and an estate of E. Edith Rounds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5093, tax for 1921.....	46 93	
Tax for 1922.....	46 93	
Lloyd G. Taylor—About 300 feet of land on the southerly side of Tennyson street, being lot 52, F. O. Whitney plan, July 15, 1921, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	111 15	
Also about 247 feet of land on the southerly side of Tennyson street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1923.....	91 39	
Also about 410 feet of land on the southerly side of Tennyson street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	222 30	
Also about 209 feet of land on the southerly side of Tennyson street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923.....	74 10	
Also about 356 feet of land on the southerly side of Tennyson street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....	130 91	
Also buildings and about 221 feet of land on the westerly side of Church street, numbered 84, making the northwesterly corner of Stuart street and southwesterly corner of Tennyson street, adjoining another estate of said Taylor, tax for 1923.....	108 68	
Annie J. Varney—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 513, between another estate of said Varney and an estate of Beatrice M. Woods, tax for 1923.....	605 15	
Also buildings and about 2,480 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 515, between an estate of Elliott P. Joslin and another estate of said Varney, tax for 1923.....	392 80	
Also buildings and about 2,632 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newbury street, numbered 115, extending through to Public Alley 435, between an estate of Eleanor Mell and an estate of Lilla A. Collins, tax for 1923.....	876 85	
Also buildings and about 2,464 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newbury street, numbered 234, extending through to Public Alley 441, between an estate of Thomas H. Cabot and an estate of Wilbur A. Reynolds, tax for 1923.....	494 00	
Also buildings and about 2,576 feet of land on the northerly side of Newbury street, numbered 261, extending through to Public Alley 432, between an estate of Shirley C. Speed and an estate of Harriet Miesusset, tax for 1923.....	531 05	
Howard and Virginia Wainwright (supposed present owner Agnes B. McEnaney)—Buildings and about 1,215 feet of land on the easterly side of Gloucester street, numbered 5, between an estate of Sarah A. Haskell and an estate of Charlotte H. Denny, tax for 1923.....	321 10	
Kenneth C. Webb—Buildings and about 995 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Jefferson street, numbered 5, between an estate of Florence Loudon and an estate of Norman D. Sheffren, tax for 1923.....	86 45	
Berkeley Wheeler—about 3,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 26, block C, Morton and Quimby plan, January 9, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2182, tax for 1923.....	150 67	
Also about 3,029 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 25, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	167 96	

Also about 3,071 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 27, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.	150 67		
Also about 3,092 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 28, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.	153 14		
Also about 3,113 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 29, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.	153 14		
Also about 3,134 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 30, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.	155 61		
Also about 3,029 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 31, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.	150 67		
Also about 3,048 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 32, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.	150 67		
Also about 900 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being the westerly part of lot 33, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.	44 46		
Also about 5,255 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being the easterly part of lot 33 and all of lot 34, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.	259 35		
Also about 3,106 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 35, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.	153 14		
Also about 3,266 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 36 and the westerly part of lot 37, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.	160 55		
William Williams—Buildings and about 522 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 3, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of John F. Wood, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Also buildings and about 514 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Also buildings and about 370 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 1, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 108 West Cedar street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	5 11		
Williams Realty Co.—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newbury street, numbered 123, extending through to Public Alley 435, between an estate of Edward M. Beals and an estate of Edith M. McCabe, tax for 1923.		\$839 80	
Paid on account.		500 00	
Balance due.	339 80		
Also buildings and about 1,829 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 133 and 133A, between another estate of said Williams Realty Co. and an estate of Isaac Goldenberg, tax for 1923.	247 00		
Also buildings and about 1,425 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 131, between another estate of said Williams Realty Co., and an estate of Rachel L. Allen devisees, tax for 1923.	202 54		
John F. Wood—Also about 700 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts; easterly by another estate of said Wood; southerly by Gilson court; westerly by an estate of James Bowen heirs, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also buildings and about 700 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 4, between an estate of William Williams and another estate of said Wood, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Also buildings and about 700 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Wood, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 91		
WARD NINE.			
Adelbert H. Allen—About 483 feet of land lying in the rear of the southwesterly side of Silver street, adjoining another estate of said Allen, bounded and described as follows: Northeastern by an estate of John S. McGann, southeasterly by an estate of Victoria Melekia and another, southwesterly by an estate of said Allen, northwesterly by an estate of Michael D. Geaney, tax for 1923.	\$4 94		
Adelbert H. Allen—About 966 feet of land lying in the rear from the south-			
westerly side of Silver street, adjoining another estate of said Allen, bounded and described as follows: Northeastern by another estate of said Allen and an estate of John S. McGann; southeasterly by an estate, now or formerly of Victoria Melekia and another, numbered 99 Silver street; southwesterly by two estates of George W. Flynn, numbered 206, 208 and 218 West Fourth street; northwesterly by an estate of Michael D. Geaney, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Frances Anderson—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 395, between an estate of Julia M. Quinn and an estate of Peter Gailunas, tax for 1923.		\$93 86	
Paid on account.		70 00	
Balance due.	23 86		
Frank J. Bertst, Matilda E. Wesslinger and Mary F. Hickey—Buildings and about 1,798 feet of land on the southwesterly side of D street, numbered 238 and 240, making the southerly corner of Silver street, adjoining an estate of John Mullins and another, tax for 1923.	88 92		
Richard T. Block—Buildings and about 1,668 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Seventh street, numbered 93, between an estate of John Barrett heirs and an estate of Otto Upmoor, tax for 1923.	54 34		
Also buildings and about 855 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Second street, numbered 175, between an estate of James F. Hopkins and an estate of Apolis Savage, tax for 1923.	34 58		
Also buildings and about 1,123 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, numbered 73, between an estate of Michael O'Brien and an estate of John Vaignas, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also buildings and about 840 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 135, between an estate of James S. McKenna and an estate of Daniel J. Holland, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Theresa E. Blue and Margaret L. Bunt—Buildings and about 819 feet of land on the southeasterly side of D street, numbered 239 and 241, making the southerly corner of Silver street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Kazulis and another, tax for 1923.	29 61		
Also buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bolton street, numbered 230, between an estate of Mary A. Sutherland and an estate of Mary Laraway, tax for 1923.	9 86		
Evaline Brackett—Buildings and about 1,018 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bowen street, numbered 172, between an estate of Dennis J. Hogan and an estate of Charles D. Marselis and another, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 58, between an estate of said Brackett and an estate of Eva Oback, tax for 1923.	34 58		
Also buildings and about 952 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 60, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of Mary A. Carr, tax for 1923.	34 58		
Also buildings and about 454 feet of land on the southeasterly side of B street, numbered 59, between an estate of Eva Oback and another estate of said Evaline Brackett, tax for 1923.	17 29		
Also buildings and about 2,139 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 59, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of E. Mertain Hatch, tax for 1923.	44 46		
Also buildings and about 1,485 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 57, between two estates of said Brackett (numbered 55 and 59), tax for 1923.	34 58		
Also buildings and about 1,445 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 55, between two other estates of said Brackett, tax for 1923.	34 58		
Also buildings and about 1,296 feet of land on the southeasterly side of B street, numbered 61 and 63, making the southerly corner of Gold street, adjoining another estate of said Brackett, tax for 1923.	66 69		
Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, Trustees under will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 161,416 feet of land on the easterly side of West First street, numbered 340 and 342, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Edmund G. Pond, tax for 1923.	1,037 40		
Also buildings and about 11,447 feet of land on the northwesterly side of			
passageway leading from the north-easterly side of West First street, between another estate of said Butler and another and an estate of Robert E. Harrison and others, tax for 1923.	190 19		
Also buildings and about 5,653 feet of land on the northwesterly side of passageway leading from the north-easterly side of West First street, between another estate of said Butler and another and an estate of E. B. Badger & Sons Company, tax for 1923.	192 66		
Mary A. Carr—Buildings and about 925 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Silver street, numbered 60, between an estate of Andrius Katovousky and another and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.	19 76		
William H. Cavanagh Heirs or Devises—About 1,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, between an estate of Metropolitan Trust Company, trustee, and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1922.	7 41		
Tax for 1923.	7 11		
John and Jennie Cerullo—About 994 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dresser street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said Cerullo and another; northeasterly by an estate of Harold S. Small; southeasterly by Catherine A. Casey, and southwesterly by Dresser street, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 994 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dresser street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Antonio De Feo; northeasterly by an estate of Harold S. Small; southeasterly by another estate of said Cerullo and southwesterly by Dresser street, tax for 1923.	1 94		
Marcian and Jennie Cerullo—Buildings and about 1,123 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, numbered 69, between an estate of Henry J. Orchard and an estate of Michael O'Brien, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,440 feet of land on A street, numbered 19, between an estate of Thomas A. Jackson and another and an estate of Domenick Szanezinns and another, tax for 1923.	56 81		
Also buildings and about 1,163 feet of land on the northwesterly side of D street, numbered 136, between an estate of Catherine A. Barry and another and an estate of Bolesu Yakubansky, tax for 1923.	29 61		
Theresa Coco—Buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the westerly side of O street, numbered 39, between another estate of said Coco and an estate of August S. Flygare and another, tax for 1923.	\$64 22		
Paid on account.	32 11		
Balance due.	32 11		
Also buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the westerly side of O street, numbered 37 and 37A, between another estate of said Coco and an estate of Anastasia G. White, tax for 1923.	\$66 69		
Paid on account.	32 11		
Balance due.	34 58		
Hugh Collins—Buildings and about 1,792 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, numbered 55, between an estate of Daniel J. Collins and an estate of Richard J. Beatty and another, tax for 1923.	91 39		
Also buildings and about 1,680 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 224 and 226, between an estate of Louis Klein and an estate of Margaret Moore, tax for 1923.	130 91		
Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southerly side of Hayden place, at end, numbered 1, adjoining another estate of said Collins, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Collins, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Hayden, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 4, making the southerly corner of Silver street, adjoining another estate of said Collins, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also buildings and about 1,687 feet of land on the southeasterly side of E street, numbered 289, making the southerly corner of and numbered 203 Gold street, adjoining an estate of Robert H. Barham, tax for 1923.	93 86		

Thomas J. Colton—Buildings and about 1,674 feet of land on the northerly side of East Third street, numbered 764, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 52 O street, adjoining an estate of Boleslavas Pernavas, tax for 1923.....	91 39		
Francis Crilly—Buildings and about 1,073 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 70, between an estate of Bridget O'Neil and an estate of William J. Delap, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Alice H. Davis—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 12, between an estate of Jacinta Dicho and an estate of said Davis, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also buildings and about 1,249 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 10, between another estate of said Davis and an estate of Thomas A. Jackson and another, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Herbert J. and Hilda M. Devine—About 4,087 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tudor street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest-ly by an estate of John D. Bates Heirs; southwesterly by estates of Frederick Berg, Michael Foley and another and Winnifred A. Kelly; southeasterly by an estate of Patrick H. Tobin; northeasterly by Tudor street, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Jacinta Dicho—Buildings and about 742 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 16, making the northerly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Dicho, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also buildings and about 742 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 16 first rear, between two other estates of said Dicho, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also buildings and about 742 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 16 second rear, between an estate of said Jacinta Dicho and an estate of James Welch, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Norma Douglass—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the easterly side of N street, numbered 40 and 42, making the southeasterly corner of East Second street and an estate of Lelia Doe, tax for 1923.....	234 65		
John A. Duggan—About 1,785 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of West Fifth street, between an estate of Florence M. De Vito and an estate of Washington I. Tuckerman, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Mary A. England—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Silver street, numbered 236, between an estate of Charles Mignosa and another and an estate of Calman Koeing, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Edward Farren—Buildings and about 840 feet of land on the southwesterly side of D street, numbered 156, making the westerly corner of Tudor street, adjoining another estate of said Farren, tax for 1923.....	30 52		
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Third street, numbered 347 and 349, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of Mary Lutus, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Also about 968 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tudor street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Tudor street; southwesterly by another estate of said Farren; southwesterly by an estate of Patrick J. Shields, and northwesterly by an estate of Thomas Lee and another, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
John Faust—Buildings and about 770 feet of land lying in the rear from northeasterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 256 rear, in rear of and adjoining an estate of John E. Galvin and another (numbered 256), tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Lewis Flanders & Co.—About 6,224 feet of land on the easterly side of Granite street, between an estate of American Sugar Refining Company and another estate of said Flanders & Co., tax for 1923.....	207 48		
Also buildings and about 11,015 feet of land on the easterly side of Granite street, numbered 68, between two other estates of said Flanders & Co., tax for 1923.....	617 50		
Also buildings and about 3,687 feet of land on the easterly side of Granite street, numbered 70 and 70A, between another estate of said Flanders & Co. and an estate of Moore and Wyman Elevator and Machine Works, tax for 1923.....	135 85		
Sarah A. Foley—Buildings and about 968 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Athens street, numbered 213, between an estate of Mary Clougherty and an estate of Tekla Ambroz, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Mary E. Ford—Buildings and about 943 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 106, making the easterly corner of and numbered 117 and 119 D street, adjoining an estate of Catherine M. King, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Silvio Galante—About 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, between another estate, now or formerly, of said Silvio Galante and an estate of Michael McDermott, heirs (numbered 70 and 70A), tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, between two other estates of said Silvio Galante, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street between another estate of said Silvio Galante and an estate of G. Gorham Peters, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also buildings and about 8,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Third street, formerly numbered 43, 43A, 43B, 45, 47 and 49, between an estate of Ellen O'Mara (numbered 39) and an estate of G. Gorham Peters and others, tax for 1923.....	372 97		
Anna A. Gerich, Devises—About 1,444 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Eighth street, formerly numbered 112, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Metropolitan Trust Company, trustees; northeasterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; southeasterly by an estate of Rose Bloom and another, and southwesterly by West Eighth street, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Tobias W. Gerrish—About 1,485 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, between an estate of Abraham Cooper and others and an estate of Richard Gibson, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Joseph Giblin Heirs—About 1,000 feet of land, lying in rear from northeasterly side of West Broadway, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Margaret Ryan; northwesterly by estates of P. A. Foley and Julia A. Loughlin and Joseph Plank; southeasterly and southwesterly by an estate of Eva Zvingilas, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Annie Grimes—About 5,715 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Second street, making westerly corner of a passageway, extending through to Bolton street, between two estates of Thomas P. Walsh and another (numbered 181) and an estate of John O'Conner, northeasterly side of Bolton street, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
John Gudonis—Buildings and about 1,012 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 170, between an estate of the City of Boston and an estate of Michael J. Fay and another (numbered 168 and 168 rear), tax for 1923.....	\$39 52		
Paid on account.....	29 49		
Balance due.....	10 03		
Herbert C. Hartwell—Buildings and about 6,940 feet of land on the southerly side of East Second street, not numbered, between an estate of Kazimeras Gricumas (numbered 865) and an estate of David J. Driscoll, tax for 1923.....	190 19		
Also buildings and about 1,489 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Sixth street, numbered 145-147, between another estate of said Herbert C. Hartwell (numbered 149) and an estate of Eugene F. Lally and another (numbered 143), tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Also buildings and about 1,420 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Sixth street, numbered 149, between two other estates of said Hartwell (numbered 145, 147 and 151), tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Also buildings and about 650 feet of land on the northerly side of East Third street, numbered 418, extending through to Emerson street, making northwesterly corner of a passageway and adjoining another estate of said Herbert C. Hartwell (numbered 416), tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Also buildings and about 4,176 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Sixth street, numbered 151, 153 and 155, between an estate of said Hartwell (numbered 149) and an estate of Robert Bishop heirs (numbered 157A), tax for 1923.....	274 17		
Ada T. Hayden—About 1,330 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, adjoining an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, being a lot shown on Henry W. Wilson plan, dated December 6, 1890, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
David Henry—Buildings and about 1,493 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Broadway, numbered 290 and 290A, between another estate of said Henry (numbered 292 and 294) and an estate of William P. Wilson and others (numbered 280), tax for 1923.....	177 84		
Also buildings and about 1,493 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Broadway, numbered 292 and 294, between two estates of said Henry (numbered 296 and 298 West Broadway and 256 and 258 D street, and 290 and 290A West Broadway, respectively), tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Also buildings and about 1,493 feet of land on the southwesterly side of D street, numbered 256 and 258, making northerly corner of and numbered 296 and 298 West Broadway, adjoining an estate of Bridget Campbell (numbered 260 D street), tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Francis S. Hesselstine—Buildings and about 544 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pulaski avenue, numbered 6, between an estate of Ernest Hormel and an estate of Patrick Coan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Edward J. Hickey—Buildings and about 3,680 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 104 and 106, between an estate of Lagio and Sotir Elia and an estate of Winifred Connolly, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Also about 1,344 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, between an estate of Anthony M. Zottoli trustee and an estate of John J. Smith and another, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
William P. Higgins—About 1,039 feet of land on the northerly side of a passageway leading from the southerly side of East Second street, being lot 16, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6 page 167, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,740 feet of land on the northwesterly side of D street, numbered 186 and 188, making the northerly corner of Bowen street, adjoining an estate of Mathias Zoba and another, tax for 1923.....	106 21		
Also buildings and about 2,345 feet of land on the southeasterly side of A street, numbered 113, between an estate of Peter Chaplik and an estate of Michael J. Lydon, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Also buildings and about 1,080 feet of land on the easterly side of O street, numbered 70, between an estate of Alexander W. Thompson and an estate of Guisepp Mosea and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Also buildings and about 3,007 feet of land on the southerly side of East Second street, numbered 553, between an estate of Bertha C. Hart and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Also about 1,560 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Baxter street, making the easterly corner of a passageway and adjoining an estate of Joseph P. Manning, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 736 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, formerly numbered 155, making the westerly corner of Harding court, adjoining an estate of John Conway heirs, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Patrick Horan Heirs—About 1,050 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Silver street, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Barrett, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, in volume 6, page 33, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Cecelia Imhoff—Buildings and about 1,823 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Third street, numbered 131, between an estate of John F. Meins and an estate of John J. L. Hobbs, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Also buildings and about 552 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of West Third street, numbered 131 rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of said Imhoff (numbered 131), tax for 1923.....	41 82		
Eleanor Ivaskovicz—Buildings and about 2,715 feet of land on the northwesterly side of E street, numbered 346, making the northerly and westerly corners of and numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 Adams place and adjoining an estate of Lorenzo Cowen, tax for 1923,	41 90		

Mahmoud Jarmagian—Buildings and about 999 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 95, between an estate of said Jarmagian and an estate of Philip Thomas, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also buildings and about 998 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 97, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Jarmagian, tax for 1923.....	17 20		
Mary F. Kearney—Buildings and about 1,170 feet of land on the northerly side of East Broadway, numbered 872, making the northeasterly corner of O street, adjoining an estate of Mary Dunn, tax for 1923.....	91 39		
Annie M. Kelley—About 1,300 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Second street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, Junior; southwesterly by an estate of Patrick Gorham; southeasterly by another estate of said Kelley and northeasterly by West Second street, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 1,083 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Second street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Mary Ryan; southwesterly by an estate of Daniel Flynn and another; southeasterly by an estate of said Kelley; northeasterly by West Second street, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 1,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Matthew Kennedy heirs; southwesterly by estates of Elizabeth Barry and others and Morris Freedman; southeasterly by an estate of Elizabeth F. Healey, and northeasterly by Bolton street, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also buildings and about 1,680 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 274, between an estate of Patrick J. Wall and an estate of Joseph and Emilia Kowalska, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Charles J. Kelley—About 1,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by a passageway; southwesterly by an estate of Rose Bloom and another and an estate of Anna A. Gerich devisees; northwesterly by an estate of William H. Cavanagh heirs; northeasterly by Baxter street, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,133 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, extending through to B street, between an estate of Thomas Swan and an estate of Margaret J. O'Connor and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Also buildings and about 1,504 feet of land on the southerly side of East Second street, numbered 555, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of George L. Donaher and another, tax for 1922.....	37 05		
Tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Also buildings and about 1,503 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of East Second street, numbered 555 rear, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of George L. Donaher and another, tax for 1922.....	32 11		
Tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Charles J. Kelley, Junior—Buildings and about 1,420 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, numbered 131, between an estate of Eugene B. Hamilton and an estate of Catherine McDonald, tax for 1923.....	66 69		
Also about 1,125 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Eighth street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by estates of Mary E. Ford and an estate of Catherine M. King and an estate of Charles S. Thorne; northeasterly by estates of Joseph W. Orchard and Metropolitan Trust Company; southeasterly by an estate of Metropolitan Trust Company, and southwesterly by West Eighth street, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
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William T. and Anna H. Curley—Buildings and about 883 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 279, between an estate of Henry A. King and an estate of Clift R. Clapp and another, tax for 1923.....	\$39 52	Also buildings and about 1,912 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 528, between another estate of said Hull and an estate of Annie E. Higgins, tax for 1923.....	96 33	Mary E. Miller—Buildings and about 1,191 feet of land on the northerly side of East Eighth street, numbered 532, between an estate of Lena M. Stofflet and an estate of Israel Goldstein, tax for 1923.....	51 87
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Balance due.....	24 52	Fred Keenan—About 589 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden place, adjoining another estate of said Keenan, being lot 8, Abel C. Small plan, dated April 8, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1102, page 58, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Nora Noonan—Buildings and about 2,059 feet of land on the westerly side of K street, numbered 267, between an estate of trustees of Hawes Fund and an estate of George L. Whitehouse, tax for 1923.....	93 86
Charles A. Dailey—Buildings and about 9,387 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 638-642, between an estate of Henry Lawn heirs or devisees and an estate of Mary E. Dailey, tax for 1923.....	585 39	Also about 589 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden place, adjoining another estate of said Keenan, being lot 7, Abel C. Small plan, dated April 8, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1102, page 58, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Arthur J. Phalen—Buildings and about 817 feet of land on the southerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 3, between another estate of said Phalen and an estate of Annie M. White, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Mary E. Dailey—Buildings and about 5,229 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 628-636, between an estate of Charles A. Dailey and an estate of Thomas J. Gordon, tax for 1923.....	125 97	Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,045 feet of land on the westerly side of I street, numbered 169, between an estate of Barbara C. Eichorn and an estate of Frank Russo, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Also buildings and about 755 feet of land on the southerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 1, between another estate of said Phalen and an estate of Samuel W. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Mary Daly—Buildings and about 1,534 feet of land on the easterly side of Brewster street, numbered 8, between an estate of Jane Schell and an estate of Sarah Lynch, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Mary A. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,909 feet of land on the westerly side of G street, numbered 55, between an estate of Anna E. Godfrey and an estate of Annie Theresa Redmond, tax for 1923.....	101 27	Also buildings and about 834 feet of land on the northerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 12, between an estate of William J. Burke and another and an estate of Julia Ward Howe devisees, tax for 1923.....	27 17
John Dennis—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of K street, numbered 397 rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of John J. Henwood, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Henry J. Kennedy—About 38,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Columbia road, extending through to East Eighth street, between an estate of John West Thread Company and an estate of Netherland American Recreation Club, tax for 1923.....	261 82	Also buildings and about 817 feet of land on the southerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 13, between an estate of said Phalen and an estate of Francis P. Willcutt and another, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Michael P. and Hannah E. Diggins—Buildings and about 1,798 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 266, between an estate of Margaret A. Tarbett and an estate of Edward G. Moore, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Magdalena Kogel—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 551, between an estate of George		George Rumba—About 589 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden place, adjoining another estate of said Rumba, being lot 5, Abel C. Small plan, dated April 8, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1102, page 58, tax for 1923.....	4 94
James P. and Mary Doyle—Buildings and about 1,095 feet of land on the westerly side of Springer street, numbered 15, between an estate of Walter A. Kennedy and an estate of Antonio Brescia and another, tax for 1923.....	39 52				
Joseph A. Duffley—Buildings and about 4,125 feet of land on the northerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 654, between an estate of Elizabeth J. Maliff and an estate of Nora Mullen, tax for 1923.....	98 80				
Frederick G. Farnsworth—Buildings and about 5,234 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fifth street, numbered 768, between an estate of Ellen					

Also about 1,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, being lot D, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41	assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	29 61	being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	\$29 61
Also about 834 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, being lot 3, shown on assessors' plans, dated December 15, 1876, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Tax for 1923.....	29 64	Paid on account.....	10 00
John M. Chmielinsky—About 5,556 feet of land on the westerly side of Albert street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Albert street, southerly by an estate of Polish Industrial Association, westerly by estates of Barbara Radzowski and other estates of John M. Chmielinsky and northerly by another estate of said of said Chmielinsky, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Mary J. Corbett—About 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 68, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Balance due.....	19 64
Also buildings and about 4,486 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 666, between an estate of Barbara Radzowski and another estate of said Chmielinsky, tax for 1923.....	81 51	Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 87
Also about 9,604 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, extending through to Albert street, between an estate of William H. Kemp and another estate of said Chmielinsky, tax for 1923.....	71 63	Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	George W. Cuddy—About 2,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Howall street, being lot 4, F. A. Tracey plan, March 21, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2147, page 36, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also about 26,110 feet of land on the northerly side of Kemp street, making the northeasterly corner of Albert street, adjoining an estate of Harry W. Cotton and others, same plan, tax for 1923.....	96 33	Harry W. Cotton, Arria F. C. Morrison, Frank B. Cotton, Heirs, Elizabeth A. Cotton, Jane E. Merchie, Charles B. Prince, Walter B. Grant, Trustee under will of Arria Cotton, benefit Elizabeth A. Cotton—About 31,109 feet of land on the northerly side of Hyde street, making the northwesterly corner of Old Colony avenue, adjoining an estate of Marceline Robison, tax for 1923.....	\$116 09	Thomas Dalby—About 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 65, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,134 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, extending through to Boston street, between an estate of John R. Chapman and others (numbered 615) and an estate of John F. Gualina (numbered 625), tax for 1923.....	76 57	Paid on account.....	50 00	Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	17 31	Balance due.....	66 09	Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Julia and Edward B. Clapp and Mary L. Blake—About 73,304 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Boston street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Frank E. Buxton, trustee; northerly by an estate of Jeremiah J. McCarthy and another; easterly by sundry estates fronting on Boston street, and southerly by West Bellflower street, tax for 1923.....	363 09	Also about 67,855 feet of land on the southerly side of Hyde street, extending through to Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, between an estate of Gustave Hauk (numbered 626 Dorchester avenue) and an estate of Annie O'Brien, tax for 1923.....	\$335 92	Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 1,672 feet of land on the easterly side of Boston street, between an estate of William C. Clapp and an estate of Julia E. Sheehan (numbered 146), tax for 1923.....	14 82	Paid on account.....	200 00	Also about 2,010 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Champney court, being lot 123, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 7,415 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Willow court, being lot B. F. O. Whitney plan, May 5, 1885, (revised by F. L. Clapp) October 20, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4418, page 158, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Balance due.....	135 92	Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Champney street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Champney street; northeasterly by an estate of Michael F. O'Connor and another and other estates fronting on Newman street; northwesterly by an estate of Louis Shales and southwesterly by an estate of Alexander McKenna and another, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	18 95	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	209 62	John D'Angelo—Buildings and about 1,070 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frederick street, between an estate of Harriet T. Concannon (numbered 7 Frederick street) and an estate of Albert C. Haley and another (numbered 179 West Ninth street), tax for 1923.....	14 82
Martha M. Clapp Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 15,343 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Boston street, numbered 169, between an estate of Edward B. Clapp and another estate of said Clapp, tax for 1923.....	202 54	Also about 98,762 feet of land on the southerly side of Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, making the southwesterly corner of Washington avenue, extending to and making the southeasterly corner of Albert street, shown on an unnamed plan, June 30, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	\$365 56	John W. Day (supposed present owner Thomas A. and Delia McCarthy)—Buildings and about 2,380 feet of land on the westerly side of Cawfield street, numbered 10, between another estate of said Day and an estate of Bessie W. Hazard and another, tax for 1923.....	153 14
Also about 82,591 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Boston street, between another estate of said Clapp heirs or devisees (numbered 169) and an estate of Michael O'Donnell (numbered 159), and another, tax for 1923.....	407 55	Paid on account.....	200 00	Margaret J. Doherty—About 1,526 feet of land on the southerly side of East Cottage street, being lot B, William Kelley plan, July 31, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3833, page 201, tax for 1923.....	12 35
David Collins—Buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the northerly side of Locust street, numbered 36, between an estate of Mary S. Smith and an estate of Meisel Press Manufacturing Company, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Balance due.....	165 56	Mary E. Dolan—Buildings and about 1,583 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hamlet street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Dolan and an estate of Catherine M. McKenna, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Mary J. Colton—Buildings and about 3,598 feet of land on the northerly side of Taft street, numbered 9, between an estate of Apar K. Tutunjian and an estate of Margaret E. Clifford and another, tax for 1923.....	177 84	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	118 63	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 02
Mary J. Condon—Buildings and about 3,697 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 845, between an estate of Alice M. Muldowney and an estate of Esther F. Condon, tax for 1923.....	\$150 67	Also about 85,876 feet of land on the southerly side of Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, making the southeasterly corner of Washington avenue, extending to and making the northeasterly corner of Kemp street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	\$316 16	Also buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hamlet street, numbered 14, between another estate of said Dolan and an estate of Benjamin Pope and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Paid on account.....	50 00	Paid on account.....	200 00	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	11 53
Balance due.....	100 67	Balance due.....	116 16	Climena H. Drake—About 1,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newman court, being lot 128, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Patrick Connelly—Buildings and about 975 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, numbered 215, between an estate of Eugene B. Hamilton and an estate of Jakob Littera and another, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	130 10	J. Sumner Draper, Henry B. Day, Willard Welsh Realty Company (Incorporated), George P. Hamlin and Edward Hamlin—About 62,628 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Thomas Cavanagh Company; southwesterly by an estate of John P. Howe and another estate of said J. Sumner Draper and others, and easterly by an estate of George N. Putnam and others, trustees, tax for 1923, \$185 25	\$185 25
Frank L. Cook (supposed present owner Giovanni Geraculo)—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, being lots 103 and 104, shown on		Paid on account.....	50 00	Paid on account.....	130 91
		Balance due.....	48 80	Balance due.....	54 34
		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	49 24	Also about 13,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of John P. Howe; northeasterly and southeasterly by other estates of said J. Sumner Draper and others, and southerly by Mt. Vernon street, tax for 1923.....	\$19 40
		Also about 6,012 feet of land on the westerly side of Old Colony avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Ralston street (formerly Abbot) street,		Paid on account.....	16 05
				Balance due.....	33 35

Also about 47,685 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot B, John H. Rice plan, March 21, 1903, record d Suffolk Deeds, Book 2893, page 200, tax for 1923.....	\$175 37	
Paid on account.....	160 55	
Balance due.....	14 82	
Mary C. Fairbanks, one half; Louise White, one sixth; Sarah B. Huershoff, one sixth; Trustees of Kimball Union Academy, one sixth—About 1,052 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast by West Ninth street; southwesterly by an estate of Ellen Noonan; northwesterly by an estate of Mary McGrath; southeasterly by an estate of Abbott and Fernald Company, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Giovanni Fallano—Buildings and about 1,198 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 117, between an estate of Charles H. Dolan and an estate of Martin Jennings, tax for 1923.....	32 11	
Bartholomew J. Flaherty—Buildings and about 2,336 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, extending through to Old Colony avenue, between an estate of Mary Manning and an estate of Michael J. Riordan, tax for 1923.....	615 03	
Sarah Flaherty—Buildings and about 1,310 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, between an estate of Zofia Jasiak and an estate of Eugene P. Hamilton, tax for 1923.....	22 23	
Eleanor Fontaine—Buildings and about 2,621 feet of land on the westerly side of Sydney street (numbered 186), between another estate of said Fontaine and an estate of Martha L. Richardson and others, tax for 1923.....	101 27	
Also about 2,707 feet of land on the westerly side of Sydney street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Sydney street; northerly by an estate of Allen L. Cleveland; westerly by estates of Alvah G. Sleeper, trustee, and David Alexander and southerly by another estate of said Fontaine, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Marion F. Foster—Buildings and about 4,221 feet of land on the southerly side of Taft street, numbered 26, between an estate of Jeremiah Cadigan and another and an estate of Catherine Ahern, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90	
Paid on account.....	160 00	
Balance due.....	12 90	
Margaret A. Fraser—Buildings and about 4,658 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dexter court, numbered 1 and 2, between an estate of Charles E. Whitney and another and an estate of Mabel Gould, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Paul J. Fuller—Buildings and about 2,068 feet of land on the westerly side of Columbia road, numbered 664, making the southwesterly corner of Eastman street, adjoining an estate of Emma Clark, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....	48 80	
Joseph Geary—Buildings and about 1,491 feet of land on the northwesterly side of E street, numbered 156, making the northerly corner of Old Colony avenue, adjoining an estate of Joseph Geary, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	15 36	
Also buildings and about 1,218 feet of land on the northwesterly side of E street, numbered 160 and 160 rear, between an estate of Bridget Feeney and an estate of Joseph Gary, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	9 08	
Richard I. and Florence J. Gifford—Buildings and about 1,368 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 3, between an estate of Catherine Sullivan and an estate of Joseph O'Donnell and another, tax for 1923.....	22 23	
Edmund and Beatrice Grundy—Buildings and about 2,465 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 205, between an estate of John W. Lavery and an estate of Mary A. Arnold, tax for 1923.....	49 40	
David Henry—Buildings and about 21,450 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 20, between an estate of Sophia Doroszkiewicz and an estate of Joseph W. Chamberlain, tax for 1923.....	281 58	
Also buildings and about 5,418 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvest street, numbered 24, between an estate of Rebecca F. Bradley and an estate of Reul F. Graves, tax for 1923.....	153 14	
Thomas P. Higgins—Buildings and about 1,349 feet of land on the westerly side of Moseley street, numbered 8, between an estate of Joseph Famalare and another and an estate of Emma J. Noonan, tax for 1923.....	108 68	
Ida M. Hodsdon—About 1,428 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Ninth street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by West Ninth street; southeasterly by an estate of Edward M. Smith; northeasterly by an estate of Antonio Orlando and Barbara Mackeviez and northwesterly by another estate of said Hodsdon, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 1,426 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Ninth street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by West Ninth street; southeasterly by another estate of said Hodsdon northeasterly by an estate of Antonio Orlando and northwesterly by an estate of Fred M. Lowe, trustee, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Morrill street, numbered 11, between an estate of Katherine T. Marr and an estate of Julia A. Carey and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Anthony Holbrook, Junior, (supposed present owner John F. and Julia Mason)—Buildings and about 2,644 feet of land on the easterly side of Grant street, numbered 28 and 30, between an estate of John A. Mc Chesney and another and an estate of Margaret Shea, tax for 1923.....	86 45	
Independent Rendering Company—Buildings and about 11,495 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Danrell street, numbered 63, between an estate of S. A. Woods Machine Company and an estate of Domenico De Stefano, tax for 1923.....	197 60	
Richard E. Jefferey—About 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, being lot 100, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 92, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
James F. Kavanagh Company—Buildings and about 10,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of D street, numbered 27, between an estate of Patrick F. Burke and an estate of James E. Davis, trustee, tax for 1923.....	135 85	
John M. Keane (supposed present owner Catherine A. Keane)—Buildings and about 14,518 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 1264 and 1272, between an estate of Rose Edelman and an estate of The Shepard Company and others, tax for 1923.....	259 35	
Annie M. Kelley—About 1,060 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Old Colony avenue, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly and northwesterly by Old Colony avenue; northwesterly by Champney street; and southeasterly by another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 970 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast by Champney street; southeasterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; southwesterly by Old Colony avenue, and northwesterly by another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Annie M. Kelley (supposed present owner Nora Burke)—Buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southeasterly side of D street, numbered 103, between an estate of Ellen L. Dixon and others and an estate of Bridget Hyder, tax for 1923.....	37 05	
Annie M. Kelley (supposed present owner Martin J. and Annie Joyce)—Buildings and about 1,197 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mitchell street, numbered 28, between an estate of Mary Jenness and an estate of Margaret E. Barrett, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 17	
Charles J. Kelley—About 1,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Eighth street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast by East Eighth street, northwesterly by sundry estates of Israel Margolis; southeasterly by an estate of Catherine Noonan, and southwesterly by William Kohansky and another, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 1,302 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast by Champney street; southeasterly by an estate of Richard E. Jefferey; southwesterly by Old Colony avenue, and northwesterly by Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Charles J. Kelley, Junior—Buildings and about 7,210 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humphreys street, numbered 41, making the northerly corner of Harrow street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Goodwin, tax for 1923.....	83 98	
James A. Kemp—About 1,852 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, between an estate of Polish Industrial Association and an estate of Barbara Radzikowski (numbered 670), being a lot shown on an unnamed plan June 30, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
William and Minnie A. Laburn (set off to Nathan and Esther Miller)—Buildings and about 11,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 822 and 824, between another estate of said Laburn and an estate of William P. Tenney, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90	
Paid on account.....	100 00	
Balance due.....	72 90	
Aleksander Lada, Sophie H. Lada and Mary Michalowski (supposed present owner Joseph and Agatha Lewon)—Buildings and about 3,060 feet of land on the easterly side of Raven street, numbered 22, between an estate of Bridget Calahan and an estate of Frederick Baranow and another, tax for 1923.....	133 38	
Albert Lewenberg—Buildings and about 1,943 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 160, 162 and 164, between an estate of Teresa Violanti and an estate of M. Wilbur Gillespie, tax for 1922.....	116 09	
Alice B. Lynch—About 865 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Earl street; northwesterly by an estate of Henry J. Smith; northwesterly by an estate of William H. Quirk heirs, and southwesterly by an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Peter and William Marini—Buildings and about 5,872 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 540-544, between an estate of Patrick J. Kennedy and an estate of Alexander Gargulinski, tax for 1923.....	66 69	
Alice C. McGowan—Buildings and about 4,053 feet of land on the westerly side of Sumner street, numbered 7, between an estate of John J. Connolly and another and an estate of Mary Wright, tax for 1923.....	197 60	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Mary A. McGrath—Buildings and about 739 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dorchester street, numbered 243 and 245, making the westerly corner of and numbered 221 West Eighth street, adjoining an estate of William F. Slynne, tax for 1923.....	\$143 26	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....	93 26	
Alexander and Mary E. McKenna—About 300 feet of land on the southerly side of Champney street, making the southwesterly corner of Newman court, adjoining an estate of Frank L. Cook, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also buildings and about 1,043 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Champney street, numbered 7, making the northerly corner of Old Colony avenue, adjoining an estate of Thomas Dalby, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 28	
James A. and Bridget McKenna—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of E street, numbered 159, between an estate of Mary Recanzone and an estate of Charles C. Gleason, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	9 34	
Charles Meade—About 1,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Vale street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Vale street; southeasterly by an estate of Julia Kuhn; northwesterly by an estate of Everett M. Taylor, and northwesterly by an estate of Thomas W. Rouiston, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Edward A. Morse—Buildings and about 3,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Dudley street, numbered 730, 730A and 732, making the northwesterly corner of Holden place, adjoining an estate of Florence A. Bird, tax for 1923.....	350 74	

Peter J. Mullin—Buildings and about 908 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frederick street, numbered 20, between an estate of Jane E. Warren and an estate of Eliza Cavanaugh, tax for 1923.....	24 70	recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4176, page 401, tax for 1923.....	338 39	Wood Company plan, July 9, 1907, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	54 34
Annie M. Murphy—Buildings and about 4,862 feet of land on the easterly side of Newport street, numbered 36, between an estate of Alice M. Foley and an estate of Mary M. Mahoney, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Annie V. Sullivan—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Sumner street, numbered 33, making the northwesterly corner of Conrad street, adjoining an estate of Andrew P. Johnson and another, tax for 1923.....	108 68	Also about 4,787 feet of land on the westerly side of Sherwood street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70
John J. O'Connor and Daniel C. O'Connor Heirs—Buildings and about 2,484 feet of land on the westerly side of Ellery street, numbered 17, between an estate of Edwin H. Rae and another and an estate of Marguerite H. Cus-teau, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Katherine Thorne—About 980 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frederick street, formerly numbered 6, between an estate of Pericilis Georgeiadis and another and an estate of Henry T. McGrady, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Andreas Blume Heirs or Devises—About 2,500 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Albany street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast-erly by an estate of said Blume; east-erly by an estate of Roxbury Neighbor-hood House Association; southerly by an estate of City of Boston; south-westerly by an estate of Katherine Gabel and another; westerly by an estate of Edith M. Wiley; north-westerly by Albany street, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Louis P. Orchard—Buildings and about 1,270 feet of land on the north-westerly side of Lark street, numbered 7, making the northerly corner of West Ninth street, adjoining an estate of Morris Freedman, tax for 1923.....	30 00	Aldona Vasil—About 1,566 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jenkins street, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 113, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Albany street, east-erly; southerly and westerly by other estates of said Blume, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Balance due.....	19 40	Willard Welsh Realty Company, one half, and J. Sumner Draper, one half—Buildings and about 2,361 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being a lot shown on Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal plan (sheet 2), November, 1919, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4181, page 464, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 40 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Albany street; east-erly by an estate of Daniel J. Leonard; southerly and westerly by other estates of said Blume, tax for 1923.....	2 47
George N. Parker Heirs or Devises and Ernest H. Parker—Buildings and about 3,086 feet of land on the north-westerly side of Baker place, numbered 16, between an estate of John B. Bairo and another and an estate of Ferdinando Zambelli tax for 1923.....	32 11	Willard Welsh Realty Company—About 295,130 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being a lot shown on Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal plan, November, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4181, page 464, tax for 1923.....	6 17	William Breslin, Devises of—Buildings and about 1,785 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Springfield street, numbered 33, between an estate of Lizzie Cohen and an estate of William Shapiro, tax for 1923.....	103 74
Apportionment of sidewalk con-struction assessment for 1923.....	12 06	Paid on account.....	111 56	Herbert A. Buck—Buildings and about 1,095 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Newcomb street, numbered 29, between an estate of Ida B. Lucas and an estate of Harry Geller, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Sadie Petrijski—Buildings and about 918 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, numbered 221, making the southerly corner of Mit-chell street, adjoining an estate of Michael Foley, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Balance due.....	187 31	Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, Trustees under will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 1,728 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 287, between another estate of said Butler and others, trust-ees, and an estate of Daniel Swan, tax for 1923.....	244 53
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston—Buildings and about 5,130 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorches-ter avenue, numbered 655, between another estate of said Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston and an estate of Emilia Kleimowicz, tax for 1923.....	224 77	Also about 25,885 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, same plan (sheet 2), registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11392, tax for 1923.....	11 94	Also buildings and about 1,698 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 289, be-tween another estate of said Butler and others, trustees, and an estate of J. Herbert Brooks and others, tax for 1923.....	244 53
Daniel Russell Boiler Works, Incor-porated—Buildings and about 38,332 feet of land on the westerly side of Boston street, numbered 97 and 105, between an estate of Jacob F. Brown and an estate of South Bay Company, tax for 1923.....	531 05	Paid on account.....	111 56	Julius L. and Robert P. Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 9,258 feet of land on the southwesterly side of North-ampton street, numbered 72 and 74, making the southerly corner of Reed street, adjoining another estate of said Julius L. Cabelinsky and another (numbered 66 and 70, respectively), tax for 1923.....	456 95
Angelina St. Charles, one half, and Abra-ham Oransky, one half—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the north-erly side of Stoughton street, num-bered 15, making the northwest-erly corner of Pleasant street, adjoining an estate of Anton Koerner, tax for 1923.....	419 90	Balance due.....	370 50	Simon Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 5,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 75, 77, 79 and 81, extending through to Trask street and making the north-erly corner of Gage street, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick (num-bered 83-87), tax for 1923.....	690 21
Joseph Silk—About 1,182 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeast-erly side of Dorchester street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest-erly and northeasterly by two other estates of said Silk; southeasterly by an estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company; southwesterly by an es-tate of Margaret Daley and another and an estate of George Nelson, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Joseph A. Whalen (supposed present owner Estates Realty Company)—Buildings and about 2,385 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1031 and 1033A, making the southwesterly corner of Victoria street, adjoining an estate of William H. Boodro, tax for 1923.....	652 08	Catherine G. Camack—Buildings and about 5,688 feet of land on the north-erly side of Shirley street, numbered 94 and 96, between an estate of Star Brewing Company and an estate of Patrick F. Cox, tax for 1923.....	34 58
Edward M. Smith—About 1,428 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Ninth street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by West Ninth street; southeasterly by an estate of Sadie G. Farley; North-easterly by an estate of Barbara Mackevicz and northwesterly by an estate of Ida M. Hodson, tax for 1923.....	9 88	William Williams—About 867 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Earl street; northeasterly by an estate of Alice B. Lynch; northwesterly by an estate of William H. Quirk heirs, and south-westerly by an estate of Philip H. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	271 70	Gustave E. Carlson—Buildings and about 2,148 feet of land on the south-erly side of Adams street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Carlson and an estate of Patrick F. Curley, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Henry J. and Edward F. Smith—About 865 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and de-scribed as follows: Southeasterly by Earl street; northeasterly by estates of Michael McGann and Richard T. Block; northwesterly by an estate of Michael McGann and another, and southwesterly by an estate of Alice B. Lynch, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Also buildings and about 6,075 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vine street, numbered 30 and 34, mak-ing the southerly corner of and num-bered 45 Forest street, adjoining another estate of said Aronis, tax for 1923.....	716 30	Also buildings and about 2,527 feet of land on the southerly side of Adams street, numbered 18, between another estate of said Carlson and an estate of Cornelius Cotter, tax for 1923.....	44 46
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Edith M. Bangs—Buildings and about 665 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chadwick street, numbered 69, between an estate of Samuel Garlitz and an estate of Mary F. McNamee and others, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Kathryn E. Cary—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Albion street, numbered 12, between an estate of Ettore Aries and another and an estate of Florence A. Perry and others, tax for 1923.....	106 21
Albert C. Smith—About 500 feet of land on the easterly side of Buttonwood street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Buttonwood street; northerly by an estate of Michael F. Sullivan; easterly by an estate of Francis B. Wheaton and another, trustees, and southerly by an estate of William G. Harrington, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Florence E. Bates—Buildings and about 1,350 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockford street, numbered 6, between an estate of Alice E. Locke and an estate of Florence E. Hamilton, tax for 1923.....	41 99	Paid on account.....	50 00
Also about 133 feet of land leading from the southwesterly side of Quince-field street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Leslie R. Brown (num-bered 722 to 726 Dudley street), tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also buildings and about 2,850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 105 and 107, between an estate of Margheretta Borette and an estate of William H. Dunbar, trustee, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Balance due.....	56 21
Charles H. Souther Heirs or Devises—About 137,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being a lot shown on Whitman and Howard plan, December 17, 1918,		Eliza J. Benjamin—Buildings and about 1,679 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Eustis street, numbered 217, between an estate of Harry Geller and an estate of James F. Ming, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Ray H. Carver—About 908 feet of land on the southerly side of Thorndike street, being lot 9 on a plan not named, dated January 31, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2110, page 564, tax for 1923.....	17 29
		Joseph Berenberg—About 6,304 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shirley street, extending through to Sherwood street, being lot A, C. H. W.		Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 7,417 feet of land on the south-westerly side of Hunneman street, numbered 21 and 23, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of William Barrett, tax for 1923.....	143 26
				Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 17, be-tween two other estates of said Chad-ward (numbered 15 and 21 to 23), tax for 1923.....	34 58

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Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 15, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Samuel Lipson, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Mary R. Connor—Buildings and about 7,391 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mall street, numbered 24, making the easterly corner of Douglass avenue, adjoining an estate of Susan Mulcahy, tax for 1923.....	\$135 85	Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12227, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Also about 1,738 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chadwick street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Anna G. Breen; southeasterly by an estate of William Hanrahan; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston (Chadwick park); northwesterly by Chadwick street, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Paid on account.....	24 70	Joseph Fuller—Buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Longmeadow street, numbered 8, between an estate of Cornelius McCarthy and an estate of Katherine Mitchell Lally, tax for 1923.....	96 33
Also buildings and about 1,856 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Yeoman street, numbered 61, making the westerly corner of Adams street, adjoining an estate of Waldo F. Gleason, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Balance due.....	111 15	Mary J. Gallagher, Trustee for Mary F. Reardon—Buildings and about 2,184 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Leyland street, numbered 29, between two estates of Charles Coulter (numbered 29 and 31 respectively), tax for 1923.....	148 20
Also buildings and about 1,065 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden place, numbered 15, between an estate of Henry N. Moody and an estate of Antonio Caggiano, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Timothy Connors—Buildings and about 2,517 feet of land on the northerly side of Prescott street, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Martin Syverstein and an estate of R. Elmer Townsend, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Walter F. Gallagher—About 1,484 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Jarvis place, being lot 14, T. B. Moses plan, May 18, 1868, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1821, page 455, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Also buildings and about 4,402 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 83, 85 and 87, between an estate of Simon Cabelinsky and an estate of St. Patrick's Church, tax for 1923.....	607 62	Julia Cooney—Buildings and about 1,168 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shirley street, numbered 47, between an estate of Catherine Murphy and an estate of Mary A. Downey, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Also about 4,664 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Jarvis place, rear of and being lots 12 and 13, same plan, tax for 1921.....	12 35
Joshua Cohen—Buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Reed street, numbered 64, between an estate of C. Theodore Hardwick and an estate of Marguerite West, tax for 1923.....	69 16	Jessie V. Cram—About 2,898 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Winthrop street, being lot C, Henry F. Bryant plan, September 17, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3907, page 332, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Delia T., Margaret E. and Elizabeth Garrity—About 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows street (formerly numbered 75 and 81), making the northerly corner of Fellows place, adjoining an estate of Bridget Dooley, heirs, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Reed street, numbered 76, between an estate of Jacob Goldberg and an estate of Philip Vinick, tax for 1923.....	64 22	William J. Cronin—Buildings and about 68,133 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Southampton street, numbered 113, between an estate of Leonard C. Wason and an estate of Augustine F. Ryan, tax for 1923.....	1,704 30	Also about 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fellows court (formerly numbered 10), between an estate of Alice J. Conlin (numbered 8) and an estate of Domenico Leardo (numbered 16 Tileston street), tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 741 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newcomb street, being lot 24, shown on H. H. Moses plan, March 15, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2143, page 594, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Wilhelmina Davidson—Buildings and about 3,585 feet of land on the southerly side of Dudley street, numbered 235, 235A, 237, 237A and 239, making the southeasterly corner of Oakland avenue, adjoining an estate of Edward J. Fennessy (numbered 247 and 249), tax for 1923.....	639 73	Tax for 1923.....	12 35
Francis M. Conant—Buildings and about 1,204 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 932A and 932B, making the easterly corner of Ormond court, adjoining another estate of said Conant, numbered 928 and 930, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Carmella De Sisto—Buildings and about 6,305 feet of land on the northeasterly side of George street, numbered 132, making the easterly corner of Langdon street, adjoining an estate of Nora Fallon, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	15 64	Also about 1,217 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fellows place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Julia F. McDonough; easterly by Fellows place; southerly by an estate of Owen Mullane; westerly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Also buildings and about 953 feet of land on the southerly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 928 and 930, between another estate of said Conant and an estate of Salvatore and Anna Rosselli, tax for 1923.....	81 51	William H. Dunbar, Trustee—Buildings and about 2,794 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 101, between an estate of Mary J. Crahan and another and an estate of Florence E. Bates, tax for 1923.....	93 86	Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Mary D. Connelly—Buildings and about 1,880 feet of land on the westerly side of Clifton street, numbered 9 and 11, between an estate of Patrick McMahon and an estate of Alexander McLeod, tax for 1923.....	10 84	Julia E. Dwyer—Buildings and about 27,449 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 251 rear, between an estate of Hugh D. Kelley and an estate of Fred H. Roberts and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	358 15	Also about 630 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tileston street (formerly numbered 14), between an estate of Domenico Leardo (numbered 16 and 18), and an estate of Alice J. Conlin (numbered 8 Fellows court), tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.....		Paid on account.....	200 00	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Mary F. Connelly—About 1,987 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Dudley street, in the rear of (numbered 279), being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood plan, July 18, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2387, page 440, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Balance due.....	158 15	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 27
Mary L. Connelly, Trustee—Buildings and about 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thorndike street, numbered 15, making the southerly corner of Sherwin street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly, trustee (numbered 17), tax for 1923.....	66 69	Eastern Building Finish Company, The—Buildings and about 10,839 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 2178 rear, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Henry Crine, (numbered 2178), tax for 1923.....	449 51	Eva Ginsberg—Buildings and about 13,374 feet of land on the southerly side of Fellows street, numbered 18 and 20, between an estate of A. A. Knight and Sons Corporation and an estate of Essie Schwatzer, tax for 1923.....	303 81
Also buildings and about 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thorndike street, numbered 17, between another estate of said Connelly, trustee, and an estate of Harry Geller, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Edwin J. Fairbanks—Buildings and about 4,786 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Eustis street, numbered 58, extending through to Mall street, between an estate of John F. Martin and another and an estate of Harry Richmond, tax for 1923.....	91 39	Paid on account.....	100 00
Also buildings and about 1,377 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Reed street, numbered 34, making the westerly corner of McLellan street, adjoining an estate of Minnie A. Mitchell, numbered 1 McLellan street, tax for 1923.....	69 16	Nora Fallon—Buildings and about 1,495 feet of land on the northeasterly side of George street, numbered 134, between an estate of Mary A. C. Keene and an estate of Carmella Di Sisto, tax for 1921.....	9 88	Balance due.....	203 81
Also buildings and about 888 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 937 and 939, between an estate of Minnie Eisenstadt and an estate of Abraham Fogel, tax for 1923.....	101 27	Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Pearl Ginsberg—Buildings and about 4,147 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 368, between an estate of Timothy J. Murphy and an estate of Ellen C. Davis, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12208, tax for 1921.....	113 62
Mary L. Connelly (reassessed from Mary C. Connelly, Trustee)—Buildings and about 888 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 937 and 939, between an estate of Minnie Eisenstadt and an estate of Abraham Fogel, tax for 1921.....	101 27	Marion E. Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 904 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Yeoman place, at end of and numbered 1, adjoining an estate of Thomas H. Joyce and another (numbered 40 Yeoman street), tax for 1923.....	17 29	Paid on account.....	13 62
Mary L. Connelly, Trustee—Buildings and about 725 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Gertruse street, numbered 8, between an estate of Abraham Yukelwitz and an estate of Peter Draffone, tax for 1923.....	88 92	Esther Flexman—Buildings and about 2,224 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker park, numbered 22 and 24, between an estate of Nils G. Sandgren and another estate of said Flexman, tax for 1923.....	51 27	Balance due.....	100 00
		Paid on account.....	50 00	Waldo F. Gleason—Buildings and about 1,755 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Yeoman street, numbered 59, between an estate of Augusta Scharbins and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	29 64
		Balance due.....	51 27	Jacob Goldberg—Buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Reed street, numbered 74, between an estate of Elizabeth P. Franzen and an estate of Joshua Cohen, tax for 1923.....	64 22
		Also buildings and about 2,252 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker park, numbered 18 and 20, between another estate of said Flexman and an estate of Ellen Cannon, tax for 1923.....	51 27	Malachi J. Good—Buildings and about 2,548 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 68, between an estate of Katherine A. Good and an estate of Agnes Hudson, tax for 1923.....	172 90
		Paid on account.....	50 00	Katherine A. Good—Buildings and about 2,284 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 66, making the easterly corner of Moreland street, adjoining an estate of Malachi J. Good (numbered 68), tax for 1923.....	197 60
		Balance due.....	51 27	Mabel Gould—Buildings and about 1,874 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Burrell street, numbered 85, between an estate of Margaret A. Jordan and an estate of Caroline Aries, tax for 1923.....	69 16
		Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,776 feet of land on the easterly side of George street, numbered 106, making the northeasterly corner of Jarvis place, adjoining an estate of Maria S. Cafano, registered in the		Max Governor—Buildings and about 3,157 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winslow street, numbered 10, between an estate of James A. Kelly heirs and an estate of Henry Hock, tax for 1923.....	54 34

Eugene P. Grant—About 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Orange court, at end, bounded and described as follows: northerly by an estate of Minnie J. Smith; easterly by an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon; southerly by Orange court; westerly by an estate of Minnie J. Smith, tax for 1923.	7 11		
Freda Hamburg—Buildings and about 1,279 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 90, between an estate of Joanna F. Walsh and an estate of Abraham L. Potter, tax for 1923.	111 15		
Florence E. Hamilton—Buildings and about 1,115 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockford street, numbered 8, between an estate of Florence E. Bates and an estate of Guiseppe Butria and another, tax for 1923.	49 40		
Bridget Harrington—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kemble street, numbered 72, between an estate of Edward H. Moakley and an estate of The Robert Gallagher Company, tax for 1923.	49 40		
Bridget M. Higgins—Buildings and about 2,160 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Magazine street, numbered 54, making the westerly corner of Howard street, adjoining an estate of John F. Dimock (numbered 50), tax for 1922.	49 40		
Ida M. Hodsdon—About 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Orange court, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Eugene P. Grant; northeasterly by an estate of Frank Draferio; southeasterly by an estate of Antonio Bonamo, southerly by Orange court, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also buildings and about 3,669 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1102, making the southerly corner of and numbered 41 Eustis street, adjoining an estate of Charles S. Walkup, tax for 1923.	106 21		
Also buildings and about 650 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prescott place, numbered 4, between two estates of Clara B. French, tax for 1921.	49 40		
Also about 1,467 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Palmer street, adjoining an estate of John Burke, being a lot shown on a plan (not named; not dated), recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1575, page 112, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 1,491 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Palmer street, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being a lot shown on a plan (not named; not dated), recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1578, page 112, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also buildings and about 840 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 89 and 91, making the westerly corner of Fellows street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Loscocco and another (numbered 87), tax for 1923.	64 22		
Also about 20,780 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fairland street, making the northerly corner of Moreland street, being the southerly and easterly parts of lot 88, shown on assessors' plans, volume 8, page 69, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	128 44		
George H. Holden—Buildings and about 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, numbered 880, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1 and 1A Yeoman street, adjoining an estate of Alvin G. Bartlett (numbered 886), tax for 1923.	111 15		
Everett J. Holmes—Buildings and about 1,561 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 3 and 5, between an estate of C. Herbert Johnson and an estate of Boston Elevated Railroad Company, tax for 1923.	86 45		
John W. Johnson—About 2,124 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Reed's court, making the northerly corner of Ambrose street, adjoining an estate of Harry Geller (numbered 12 Ambrose street), tax for 1923.	32 11		
John H. Joy—Buildings and about 6,626 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 62, 66, 70, 72, 76 and 78, making the southeasterly corner of Dudley street (numbered 155 and 157) and the southwesterly and northwesterly corners of and numbered 1191 Harrison avenue, being the whole of block 144, tax for 1923.	1,761 11		
Simon Kanter—Buildings and about 1,176 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 953 and 955, making the northerly corner			
of Mall street, adjoining an estate of Abraham Fogel, numbered 951, tax for 1923.	148 20		
Esther Kaufman—Buildings and about 5,522 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 2048, 2050, 2052, 2054 and 2056, between an estate of Abigail H. Pratt and an estate of Samuel Lipson, tax for 1923.	\$358 15		
Paid on account.	200 00		
Balance due.	158 15		
John J. Keegan—About 1,557 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marshfield street, making the southerly corner of Robey street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Marshfield street; southerly by an estate of Charles F. Lester and others; easterly by Robey street; westerly by an estate of Mary J. Donaghy, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,870 feet of land on the southerly side of Winthrop street, numbered 11, between an estate of Campfield Washington and another and an estate of William M. Paul, tax for 1923.	101 27		
Mary Kelliher—About 760 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fellows court, between an estate of William N. Ambler and an estate of Catherine Menz, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Charles P. Kelly—Buildings and about 1,450 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newcomb street, numbered 22, between an estate of Ella J. Toy and another and an estate of Elmond I. Lewis and another, tax for 1923.	54 34		
Anthony M. Koeller—Buildings and about 5,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clifton street, numbered 32, making the southerly corner of Marshfield street, adjoining an estate of Harry Rosenthal (numbered 34), tax for 1923.	602 68		
Evelyn Lamprey—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chesterfield street, numbered 10, between an estate of Giuseppe LaFauci and an estate of Antonelli Raffaella, tax for 1923.	56 81		
Albert W. Lang, Trustee for Mary Leyland—Buildings and about 3,665 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 14, between an estate of Jennie Gifford and an estate of Richard Leahy, tax for 1923.	\$111 15		
Paid on account.	86 00		
Balance due.	25 15		
Also buildings and about 5,504 feet of land on the southerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 15, making the easterly corner of Dudley street, adjoining another estate of said Lang, trustee (numbered 17), tax for 1923.	\$222 30		
Paid on account.	150 00		
Balance due.	72 30		
Also buildings and about 4,216 feet of land on the southerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 17, between another estate of said Lang, trustee, and an estate of Edward J. Collins, tax for 1923.	\$172 90		
Paid on account.	150 00		
Balance due.	22 90		
Morris Levy—Buildings and about 615 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thorndike street, numbered 8, between another estate of said Morris Levy and an estate of Samuel Striberg, tax for 1923.	29 64		
Also buildings and about 1,507 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thorndike street, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Morris Levy (numbered 8 to 12), tax for 1923.	135 85		
Also buildings and about 1,791 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thorndike street, numbered 12, between another estate of said Morris Levy and an estate of Jennie Peters, tax for 1923.	140 79		
Theresa R. Lewis—Buildings and about 773 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows street, numbered 9, making the westerly corner of Tileston street, adjoining an estate of Giacomina Damico, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	4 61		
Annie Lowenberg—Buildings and about 1,952 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 688, between an estate of John J. Whoresky and another, trustees, and an estate of Orin S. Green, tax for 1923.	222 30		
Ida B. Lucas—Buildings and about 1,077 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Newcomb street, numbered			
31, between an estate of Herbert A. Buck and an estate of Frances L. Richards, tax for 1923.	44 46		
William E. Lynskey—Buildings and about 814 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakland avenue, at end, numbered 7, adjoining an estate of Alice A. Abar (numbered 5), tax for 1923.	71 63		
Joshua L. MacDonald—Buildings and about 2,340 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Longmeadow street, numbered 2, adjoining an estate of Harry Rosenthal, tax for 1923.	118 56		
James Maguire—Buildings and about 2,117 feet of land on the westerly side of Hampden street, numbered 57, 57 first rear and 57 second rear, between another estate of said Maguire and an estate of Margaret Honen, tax for 1921.	69 16		
Patrick T. Mahoney—Buildings and about 2,199 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clifton street, numbered 19, between an estate of Charles H. Howard and another and an estate of Robert Roulston devisees, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.	19 21		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.	16 75		
John P. Manning—Buildings and about 7,653 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morland street, numbered 56, making the easterly corner of Whiting street, adjoining an estate of Katherine A. Collins, tax for 1923.	\$259 35		
Paid on account.	200 00		
Balance due.	59 35		
Also about 2,420 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morland street, adjoining another estate of said Manning, being the southwesterly part of lot 88, shown on assessors' plans, volume 8, page 69, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	29 64		
Sadie Martin—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Randall street, numbered 41 and 41A, adjoining an estate of Frank W. Wildes and others, trustees, tax for 1923.	37 05		
Nishon K. and Madira Massmanian—Buildings and about 5,778 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Adams street, numbered 51, 53 and 55, making the northerly corner of and numbered 304, 306 and 308 Dudley street, adjoining an estate of Nina Goebel, tax for 1923.	\$1,173 25		
Paid on account.	611 15		
Balance due.	562 10		
Christopher J. McCaffrey, Trustee—Buildings and about 3,282 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodward avenue, numbered 47 and 49, between an estate of Hyman Shenberg and an estate of Robert J. Ramsay and another, tax for 1921.	111 15		
Tax for 1923.	111 15		
Samuel L. McCoy—Buildings and about 4,473 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brook avenue, numbered 32, making the easterly corner of North avenue, adjoining an estate of Thomas A. Thompson and another, tax for 1923.	\$118 56		
Paid on account.	80 00		
Balance due.	38 56		
James F., Matthew H., Andrew J., Thomas J. and John F. McEtrick—About 6,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Taber street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Taber street; easterly by an estate of Philip J. O'Donnell and another; southerly by an estate of Charles H. Jennings; westerly by an estate of James Cahen, tax for 1921.	140 79		
Tax for 1922.	140 79		
Tax for 1923.	140 79		
Daniel A. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 2,927 feet of land on the easterly side of Dudley street, numbered 524A and 524B, making the southeasterly corner of Burrell street, adjoining an estate of Pasquale Callisando and another, tax for 1923.	158 08		
Mary J. McMahon—Buildings and about 2,678 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 650, between an estate of Jacob Alpert and an estate of Eliza Keefe, tax for 1923.	\$108 68		
Paid on account.	40 00		
Balance due.	68 68		
Eva C. McNeilly—About 3,678 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Winthrop street, making the northerly corner of Brook avenue, adjoining an estate of Bridget Minton and another, being lot 3, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated June 7, 1920, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12013, tax for 1923.	37 05		

Mary S. McTiernan—Buildings and about 5,932 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodville street, numbered 46, between an estate of Harris H. Etta and another and an estate of Samuel G. King and others, trustees, tax for 1923.	160 55	Minnie Neville—Buildings and about 1,602 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orchard Park street, numbered 5, between an estate of Bridget McKeon and an estate of Nora Mahoney, tax for 1923.	61 75	ford place, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Pietchell, tax for 1923.	\$29 64
John W. Milligan—Buildings and about 2,587 feet of land on the easterly side of Batchelder street, numbered 5, between an estate of Eugene Baratta and others and an estate of Hugh McNulty, tax for 1923.	69 16	Arthur H. Nichols—Buildings and about 10,343 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Eustis street, numbered 184, 186, 188 and 190, making the easterly corner of Adams street, adjoining an estate of Daniel J. Schlipp, tax for 1923.		Paid on account.	15 00
Minnie A. Mitchell—Buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 1, between another estate of said Mitchell and an estate of Mary L. Connelly, trustee, tax for 1923.	41 99	Also buildings and about 3,837 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prescott street, numbered 2, between an estate of Clara B. French and an estate of Daniel J. Schlipp, tax for 1923.	511 50	Balance due.	14 64
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	41 99	Eliza O'Brien—Buildings and about 3,313 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 56 and 56A, between an estate of Philip Bornstein and an estate of Rebecca Kanner, tax for 1923.	51 87	Helen S. Prasinos—Buildings and about 14,439 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, numbered 51 and 51 rear, between an estate of James W. Woodward and an estate of Carmelite Convent, tax for 1923.	\$247 00
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	41 99	Martina Pagani—Buildings and about 2,812 feet of land on the northerly side of Marshfield street, numbered 30, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 61 Batchelder street, adjoining an estate of Marie Grassa, tax for 1923.	106 21	Paid on account.	117 65
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	41 99	John B. Panebianco—Buildings and about 3,440 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leyland street, numbered 18, between an estate of Michael P. Tully and another and an estate of Samuel J. Thompson and another, tax for 1923.	113 62	Balance due.	129 35
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	41 99	Banayiotoula Pappageorge—Buildings and about 2,460 feet of land on the westerly side of Dudley street, numbered 547 and 549, between an estate of Esther Z. Small and an estate of James Valsam, tax for 1923.	150 67	Bessie Raceoff—About 38 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Randall street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Randall street; northwesterly by an estate of Samuel Oppen; southeasterly by an estate of David P. Doolan; north-easterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923.	2 47
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	41 99	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	160 55	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	36
Henry P. Nawn—Buildings and about 20,818 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Magazine street, numbered 121, 121 rear, 125 and 125 rear, extending through to Proctor street, between an estate of Daniel T. Cunningham and an estate of John L. Kelly and another, tax for 1923.	407 55	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	135 55	Solomon Rapaelian—Buildings and about 2,471 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 31 and 33, making the westerly corner of La Grange place, adjoining an estate of Minnie M. McNamara, tax for 1923.	148 20
Henry P. Nawn and R. Elmer Townsend—About 5,452 feet of land on the westerly side of Magazine street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn and another, being lot 6, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 13, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4106, page 74, tax for 1923.	81 51	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	123 50	John T. Regan et al.—About 1,138 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orange court, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Orange court; easterly by an estate of Rose A. Kane; southerly by an estate of Hercules Iron and Supply Company; westerly by an estate of Giovanni Andronico, tax for 1923.	12 35
Also about 5,527 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Allerton street, making the northerly corner of Magazine street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn and another, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.	81 51	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	34 58	Edward E. Richards—Buildings and about 625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarence street, numbered 17, between another estate of said Richards and an estate of Peter F. Assums and another, tax for 1923.	54 34
Also about 8,387 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Allerton street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn and another, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.	123 50	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	35 34	Also buildings and about 643 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarence street, numbered 19, between another estate of said Richards and an estate of Catherine Curran, tax for 1923.	54 34
Michael B. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 1,952 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 662, between an estate of Margaret A. Grady and an estate of Mary E. Walsh and others, tax for 1923.	197 60	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	14 64	George A. Richards—About 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Randall street, adjoining an estate of Trustees of Tufts College, being lot 8, C. H. W. Wood plan, September 27, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2310, page 161, tax for 1923.	14 82
Abraham Neustadt—Buildings and about 2,148 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 357 and 357A, between another estate of said Neustadt and an estate of Eva Tebbets, tax for 1923.	209 95	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	14 70	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	11 91
Also buildings and about 2,086 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 359 and 359A, between two other estates of said Neustadt, tax for 1923.	209 95	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	14 64	Augustus O. Roberts—About 789 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Albany street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Alvin G. Bartlett, being lot 6, C. H. W. Wood plan, June 12, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2959, page 561, tax for 1923.	9 88
Also buildings and about 2,038 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 361 and 361A, making the southerly corner of a passageway to rear, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, tax for 1923.	209 95	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	14 70	Anna L. Robinson—Buildings and about 1,224 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orchard Park street, numbered 16, adjoining an estate of City of Boston and an estate of John O'Brien and another, tax for 1923.	118 56
Also buildings and about 2,035 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 363 and 363A, making the southerly corner of a passageway to rear, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, tax for 1923.	209 95	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	14 64	Also buildings and about 1,490 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Palmer street, numbered 67, making the southerly corner of Palmer place, adjoining an estate of Margaret J. O'Connor, tax for 1923.	74 10
Also buildings and about 2,045 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 365 and 365A, between another estate of said Neustadt and an estate of George T. Kelly and another, trustees, tax for 1923.	209 95	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	14 70	William E. Robinson—About 745 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Singleton street, adjoining an estate of Giuseppe Sciblia and another, being lot 20, plan (no name, no date), recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2182, page 40, tax for 1923.	14 82
		Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	9 70	Lena and Morris Rodnitsky—Buildings and about 2,427 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Eustis street, numbered 250, between an estate of Margaret A. Hudson and an estate of Catherine S. McCabe, tax for 1923.	\$74 10
		Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	9 70	Paid on account.	40 00
		Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	9 70	Balance due.	34 10
		Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	9 70	D. Peter Rogers and Angelina M. Paterno—Buildings and about 1,952 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 668, between an estate of Maurice Joyce heirs or devisees and an estate of Edward G. Tobin, tax for 1923.	185 25
		Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.	9 70	Harlow H. Rogers—About 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thordike street, making the southerly corner of Singleton street, adjoining an estate of Ray H. Carber, being lot 8, plan not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2182, page 40, tax for 1923.	19 76

Augustine F. Ryan—Buildings and about 7,805 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Southampton street, numbered 99 and 99 rear, between an estate of William J. Cronin and an estate of Amory Eliot and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	197 60	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	77 93	J. Franklin and an estate of James B. O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45
Pearl Sherman—Buildings and about 922 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1113, between another estate of said Sherman and an estate of Don J. Pinheiro, tax for 1923.....	\$121 03			Paid on account.....	75 00
Paid on account.....	60 00			Balance due.....	11 45
Also buildings and about 922 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1115, between two other estates of said Sherman, tax for 1923.....	\$121 03			Ellis J. and James P. Toy—Buildings and about 1,450 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newcomb street, numbered 20, between an estate of Charles P. Kelly and an estate of James P. Toy, trustees, tax for 1923.....	54 34
Paid on account.....	60 00			Annie K. Trant—Buildings and about 1,738 feet of land on the southerly side of Burgess street, numbered 19, between an estate of Aaron S. Skolnick and an estate of Emery B. Moore, trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$69 16
Balance due.....	61 03			Paid on account.....	36 00
Also buildings and about 956 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1117, making the northerly corner of Renfrew street, adjoining an estate of said Sherman, tax for 1923.....	\$113 62			Balance due.....	33 16
Paid on account.....	64 20			Union Institution for Savings—About 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orange court (formerly numbered 14), between an estate of Giovanni and Mary Andronico and an estate of John T. Regan and others, tax for 1921.....	9 88
Balance due.....	49 42			Guiseppa Viggiano—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Adams street, numbered 36, between an estate of William E. Ferguson and an estate of Mary J. Donohue, tax for 1921.....	232 18
Arny Silverman—Buildings and about 1,301 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 1, between another estate of said Silverman and an estate of Peter Draffone, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45			William H. White—Buildings and about 3,120 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, numbered 102, between an estate of John J. Connelly and an estate of Francis R. Keenan and another, tax for 1923, Trustees under will of Susan S. Mann —About 890 feet of land on the easterly side of Colony street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Trustees of Tufts College; easterly and southerly by an estate of General Baking Company; westerly by Colony street, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Paid on account.....	45 00			Also about 1,068 feet of land on the easterly side of Colony street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Trustees of Tufts College; southerly by another estate of said Wildes and another, trustees; westerly by Colony street; northerly by an estate of Kate Bornstein, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Balance due.....	41 45			Also buildings and about 1,081 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 99, between an estate of said Wildes and another, trustees, and an estate of David J. Coburn, tax for 1923.....	93 86
Also buildings and about 1,301 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Silverman, tax for 1913.....	\$86 45			William Williams (Joseph J. McWeeney owns equity)—Buildings and about 347 feet of land on the northerly side of Ambrose street, numbered 4, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Harry Geller, being lot A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, November 11, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2649, page 209, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Paid on account.....	45 00			William Williams—Buildings and about 3,238 feet of land on the southerly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 988 and 990, between an estate of Anna W. Jones and an estate of Trustees of Tufts College, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Balance due.....	41 45			Also about 2,383 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Fellows street, making the easterly corner of Spring court, adjoining an estate of Margaret T. McLean, being lot 12, Garbett and Wood plan, May 15, 1885, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1722, page 195, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also buildings and about 1,553 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 3, at end, between two other estates of said Silverman, tax for 1923.....	\$88 92			Williams Realty Company (supposed present owner Martin Syversten)—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prescott street, numbered 8, making the northerly corner of Prescott place, adjoining an estate of Martin Syversten, tax for 1921.....	64 22
Paid on account.....	45 00			Winslow Real Estate Trust, Guiseppa Bisagnano and Antonio Lioni, Trustees—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winslow street, numbered 32 and 34, between an estate of John J. Madden and an estate of Warren Lathrop, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Balance due.....	43 92			Michael Witnasky and Frank Weichanowicz—Buildings and about 1,850 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Adams street, numbered 19, between an estate of said Witnasky and another and an estate of William J. Logan, devisees, tax for 1923.....	79 04
Also buildings and about 1,180 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 4, at end, between two other estates of said Silverman, tax for 1923.....	\$83 98			Anna Zisman—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 46 and 48 rear, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and an estate of James W. Gerard, trustee, tax for 1923.....	41 90
Paid on account.....	45 00				
Balance due.....	38 98				
Also buildings and about 1,589 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 5, between another estate of said Silverman and an estate of Mazzara S. Andrea, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80				
Paid on account.....	45 00				
Balance due.....	53 80				
Esther Z. Small—Buildings and about 6,151 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 535, 537 and 541, between another estate of said Small and an estate of Orley A. Whitcomb, tax for 1923.....	335 92				
Also buildings and about 5,722 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 543, between another estate of said Small and an estate of Ganayiotoula D. Pappageorge, tax for 1923.....	758 29				
Albert C. Smith—about 724 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows court, adjoining an estate of William N. Ambler, being lot 12, F. O. Whitney plan, April 4, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2308, page 279, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Charles G. Smith and William H. Gaston, Trustees under will of Samuel Weld—About 62,568 feet of land on the northerly side of Langdon street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Proctor street; easterly by C street; southerly by Langdon street; westerly by D street, tax for 1923.....	464 36				
Minnie J. Smith—Buildings and about 965 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Connolly street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Smith and an estate of Frank Diaferio, tax for 1923.....	66 69				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 88				
Also buildings and about 970 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Connolly street, numbered 18, making the southerly corner of Harrison terrace, adjoining another estate of said Smith, tax for 1923.....	66 69				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 88				
Joseph Sonnabend—Buildings and about 2,605 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 2138 and 2140, between an estate of Mary T. Grennan and an estate of Wolf Shapiro and another, tax for 1923.....	326 04				
Also buildings and about 790 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Eustis street, numbered 17, adjoining an estate of Mary E. Mulrey and others, tax for 1923.....	46 93				
Salvatore and Calogero Stella—Buildings and about 1,508 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lansdowne street, numbered 28, between an estate of Gaetano Taibi and an estate of Salvatore Mogavers, tax for 1923.....	51 87				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 84				
Domenica Sturniola—Buildings and about 2,176 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifton street, numbered 18 and 18A, making the northeasterly corner of Burrell street, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Connelly and another, tax for 1923.....	121 03				
Annie F. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fellows court, numbered 16, extending through to Tilton street, adjoining an estate of Julia Murphy, tax for 1923.....	14 82				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 52				
Timothy J. Sullivan—About 1,656 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifton street, making the northeasterly corner of Lester street, adjoining an estate of Katherine E. Phelps, being lot 9, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, August 13, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3100, tax for 1923.....	14 82				
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	22 32				
Mary A. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,314 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 112 and 112½, between an estate of Augusta Paul and an estate of Antonina Celeste, tax for 1923.....	\$88 92				
Paid on account.....	80 00				
Balance due.....	8 92				
Also buildings and about 1,265 feet of land on the northerly side of Eustis street, numbered 120, between an estate of Edward A. Dever and another and an estate of Daniel Connor heirs, tax for 1923.....	\$61 75				
Paid on account.....	50 00				
Balance due.....	11 75				
Also buildings and about 2,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dearborn street, numbered 26, 26½ and 28, making the southerly corner of Dearborn place, adjoining an estate of Gideon Jenkins heirs, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80				
Paid on account.....	81 82				
Balance due.....	16 98				
Also buildings and about 831 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dearborn place, numbered 15, between an estate of Daniel Connor heirs and an estate of Edward A. Dever and another, tax for 1923.....	\$74 10				
Paid on account.....	50 00				
Balance due.....	24 10				
Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Emanuel Church—About 5,663 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Warren street, making the southerly corner of Kearsarge avenue, adjoining an estate of Isadore Tucker and another, tax for 1923.....	172 90				
Also about 3,792 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Kearsarge avenue, adjoining another estate of said Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Emanuel Church, being lot B, Herbert L. Patterson plan, July 7, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4304, page 192, tax for 1923.....	58 81				
Henry C. Taylor—Buildings and about 2,567 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 616, between an estate of Harry Waldman and another and an estate of Harvey P. Wasserboher, tax for 1923.....	259 35				
Obediah and Elizabeth Thomas—Buildings and about 819 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 79, between an estate of Salvatore Bruno and an estate of Sabino Di Stasio and others, tax for 1923.....	59 28				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 76				
Edwin Tidd—Buildings and about 4,740 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Palmer street, numbered 75 and 77 rear, between an estate of Martilda					

Jacob Zundell—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Huckins street, numbered 19, between an estate of said Zundell and an estate of William F. Barry, tax for 1923.....\$93 86 Paid on account.....85 00 Balance due.....8 86 Also buildings and about 1,170 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Huckins street, numbered 21, between two other estates of said Zundell, tax for 1923.....\$93 86 Paid on account.....83 00 Balance due.....10 86 Also buildings and about 1,170 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Huckins street, numbered 23, between two other estates of said Zundell, tax for 1923.....\$93 86 Paid on account.....83 00 Balance due.....10 86 Also buildings and about 1,170 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Huckins street, numbered 25, between two other estates of said Zundell, tax for 1923.....\$93 86 Paid on account.....83 00 Balance due.....10 86 Also buildings and about 1,170 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Huckins street, numbered 27, between two other estates of said Zundell, tax for 1923.....\$93 86 Paid on account.....83 00 Balance due.....10 86 Also buildings and about 1,170 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Huckins street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Zundell and an estate of Joseph Lewenberg, tax for 1923.....\$93 86 Paid on account.....83 00 Balance due.....10 86	WARD THIRTEEN. Stephen Arsenaault—Buildings and about 1,709 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 562, between an estate of Tom Wing and an estate of Irene M. Dick, tax for 1923.....\$214 89 Bertha E. Arseno—About 4,371 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 99 and 105, extending through to and numbered 2397, 2399, 2401 and 2403 Washington street, adjoining an estate of Anna J. Keefe (numbered 95 Dudley street), tax for 1923.....1,304 16 Elmer E. Bain—About 1,575 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot F, D. W. Hyde plan, May 18, 1910, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3463, page 441, tax for 1923.....27 17 Also about 1,575 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1923.....27 17 Also about 1,915 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot D, same plan, tax for 1923.....32 11 Also about 1,948 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot C, same plan, tax for 1923.....34 58 Also about 2,137 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....37 05 Also about 2,137 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot A, same plan, tax for 1923.....41 99 Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....45 72 Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....48 36 Edward J. Ball—Buildings and about 1,931 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 789, between an estate of Arthur J. Phalen and an estate of Robert L. Carter, tax for 1923.....59 28 Eliza J. Benjamin—Buildings and about 1,264 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington street, numbered 2548, making the southeasterly corner of St. James street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Allen S. Benjamin and another, tax for 1923.....123 50 Edgar P. Benjamin—Buildings and about 1,929 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 806 and 806A, between an estate of Jerry E. Boone and an estate of Milton M. Conliffe and another, tax for 1923.....217 36 Edgar Benjamin and Alexander Nicholson—Buildings and about 994 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Windsor street, numbered 53, between another estate of said Benjamin	and another, tax for 1923.....74 10 Lillian Berkman—Buildings and about 1,005 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 78, between an estate of Honora Kingston and an estate of Joseph M. Kelly, trustee, tax for 1923.....66 69 Rebecca Berly—Buildings and about 2,146 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1064, between another estate of said Berly and an estate of Gideon Currier, tax for 1923.....\$180 31 Paid on account.....70 00 Balance due.....110 31 Also buildings and about 2,151 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1068 and 1070, between another estate of said Berly and an estate of Jonas Huber and another, tax for 1923.....\$180 31 Paid on account.....70 00 Balance due.....110 31 Also buildings and about 2,103 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1066 and 1066A, between two estates of said Berly, tax for 1923.....\$177 84 Paid on account.....60 00 Balance due.....117 84 Boston Belting Company, Trustees—Buildings and about 9,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dunlow street, numbered 42, making the southerly corner of Elmwood street, adjoining another estate of said Boston Belting Company, trustees, tax for 1923.....111 15 Also buildings and about 2,120 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunlow street, numbered 39, between an estate of West End Street Railway Company and an estate of James R. Turner, tax for 1923.....29 64 Also buildings and about 2,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, numbered 40, between another estate of Boston Belting Company, trustees, and an estate of Luke Glennon heirs, tax for 1923.....34 58 Also about 11,520 feet of land on the northeasterly side of King street, making the easterly corner of Nawn court, adjoining an estate of Robert R. Morrow, tax for 1923.....143 26 Also about 10,176 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Texas street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by a passageway; easterly by another estate of said Boston Belting Company, trustees; southerly by a passageway; westerly by Texas street, tax for 1923.....175 37 About 84,550 feet of land on the southerly side of Tremont street, making the southwesterly corner of Linden Park street, extending through to Elmwood street, adjoining an estate of William A. Gaston trustee, tax for 1923.....6,303 44 Sarah S. Brennan—Buildings and about 1,053 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Windsor street, numbered 13, between an estate of George R. Nutter and an estate of Charles H. Roush trustee, tax for 1923.....91 39 Peter J. Brennan—Buildings and about 28,110 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lambert avenue, numbered 88, making the southerly corner of Logan street, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923, J. H. Broderick Company, Inc.—About 4,851 feet of land on the northerly side of Dudley street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Roxbury Boys' Club, being lot B. Harry C. Mildram plan, dated June 18, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4305, page 444, tax for 1923.....180 31 Also buildings and about 11,570 feet of land on the southerly side of Roxbury street, numbered 50, between an estate now or formerly of Harry Lordan and an estate now or formerly of Mary J. E. Murray, tax for 1923.....2,378 61 Hester N. Burgess—Buildings and about 3,461 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1285 and 1287 and making the westerly corner of and numbered 6 Prentiss street, adjoining an estate of William J. Minsk and another, tax for 1923.....871 91 Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, Trustees under will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 2,700 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 572 making the southerly corner of Lyon place, adjoining an estate of Bessie Kaplan, tax for 1923.....106 21	Julius L. and Robert P. Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 8,974 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 2121, 2123, 2129 and 2131, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 10 Williams street extending through to Adams place, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Henry C. Pickering, tax for 1923, 2,470 00 Julius L. and Robert P. Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 1,641 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Adams place, numbered 7, between an estate of Robert P. Cabel and an estate of Joseph E. Waitt, trustee, tax for 1923, 69 16 Simon Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 1,207 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Williams street, numbered 16, between an estate of Joseph E. Waitt, trustee and an estate of Julius L. and Robert P. Cabel, tax for 1923, 44 46 Prince N. Carbone—Buildings and about 3,752 feet of land on the westerly side of Cabot street, numbered 263, 265 and 267, between another estate of Prince N. Carbone and an estate of James Dunn, tax for 1923.....\$195 13 Paid on account.....50 00 Balance due.....145 13 Also buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Cabot street, numbered 269, 271 and 273, between another estate of said Prince N. Carbone and an estate of William A. Gaston, tax for 1923.....\$148 20 Paid on account.....50 00 Balance due.....98 20 Keive Carman, Ira W. Shapiro and Thomas Nuttle, Trustees of the Commercial Building Trust—Buildings and about 11,328 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 2159, 2161 and 2163, making the northerly corner of and numbered 4 Winthrop place, adjoining an estate of Augustus Bacon heirs and others, tax for 1923.....2,003 17 Tax for 1921.....2,003 17 Catherine Casserly—Buildings and about 1,010 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 116, between an estate of Lillian B. Evans and an estate of Martha A. Green, tax for 1923.....66 69 Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 38 and 40, between two other estates now or formerly of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....69 16 Also buildings and about 1,080 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 36, between an estate now or formerly of Emily M. Scholl and an estate now or formerly of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....64 22 Also buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, numbered 36, between an estate now or formerly of Ann Murray and an estate now or formerly of Luke Glennon, tax for 1923.....14 82 Also buildings and about 2,044 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Madison street, numbered 17, between an estate now or formerly of Delia Riley and an estate now or formerly of Annie Leferre, tax for 1923.....49 40 Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....5 67 Also buildings and about 1,047 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 566 rear, 568, 570, 570A, 570A, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....135 85 Also buildings and about 656 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dillon street, numbered 13, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of City Laundry Company, tax for 1923.....32 11 Also buildings and about 1,613 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 178, extending through to Public Alley 804, between an estate of Martha A. Green and an estate of Anna C. Palmer, tax for 1923.....96 33 Also buildings and about 1,237 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Smith avenue, numbered 4, between an estate of Myer Plovnick and an estate of Eugene Ferris, tax for 1923.....39 52 Edith R. Chandler—Buildings
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William O. Childs and Frederick A. and M. B. Reid, Trustees, Greater Boston Land Company—Buildings and about 930 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer street, numbered 88, between an estate of Charles J. Kelley and an estate of James A. Williams, tax for 1923.....	37 05	or formerly of Eugene C. Roundtree, tax for 1923.....	118 50	Also buildings and about 2,577 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hubert street, numbered 2, between another estate now or formerly of said Finnegan and an estate now or formerly of Isaac Rosenthal, tax for 1923....	247 00
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Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 237, between another estate now or formerly of said Cole and an estate now or formerly of Edmund H. Talbot, Jr., tax for 1923.....	93 86	Paid on account.....	70 00	Paid on account.....	250 00
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Jacob Grossman—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sarsfield street, numbered 13, between another estate of said Grossman and an estate of Mary C. Bernhard, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15678, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Also buildings and about 1,321 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marble street, numbered 4, between an estate of Cornelius McKane devisees and an estate of Arthur J. Phalen, tax for 1923.....	13 62	Also about 618 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot M, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94
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Paid on account.....1,000 00

Balance due.....756 17

Theresa Lovett—About 2,800 feet of land on the northerly side of Hampshire street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by another estate of said Lovett; easterly by an estate of Ida Aranovitz; southerly by Hampshire street; westerly by an estate of John L. Newell and an estate of Martin L. Cate, tax for 1923.....34 58

Also buildings and about 3,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1204A, 1204B and 1204C, between an estate of Union Box Company and an estate of William A. Ford, tax for 1923.....375 44

Leola V. Mason—Buildings and about 1,280 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 86, between an estate of Charles L. Smith heirs and another and an estate of Alfred M. Chandler and another, tax for 1923.....123 50

Catherine F. McGlynn—Buildings and about 1,713 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1344 and 1344½, between an estate of James Chicos and an estate of William F. McGowan, tax for 1923.....\$279 11
Paid on account.....100 00

Balance due.....179 11

James McMahon Heirs or Devises—About 391 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Downing street, adjoining an estate of Julia L. Heimberg, being a lot shown on H. H. Moses plan, dated May 15, 1879, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....4 94

Edward B., Frank W. and William A. Merriam, one third each (Undivided)—Buildings and about 902 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alpine terrace, adjoining an estate of Alice G. Hayes, being lot B, W. H. Whitney plan, dated July 20, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2221, page 262, tax for 1923.....7 41

Joseph Miller, Trustee for Daisy K. Miller and other—Buildings and about 970 feet of land on the easterly side of Kendall street, numbered 17, between an estate of John H. Hyman and an estate of Isaac L. Wright, tax for 1923.....46 93

John Miller—Buildings and about 1,390 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Kendall street, numbered 50, between an estate of James H. Allen and another and an estate of Fannie Geller, tax for 1923.....51 87

Forest L. Mitchell—Buildings and about 969 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kendall street, numbered 11, between an estate of Susan E. Sawyer and an estate of Benjamin T. Oxley and another, tax for 1923.....54 34

Virgi Morlian (now set off to Thomas Cirace)—Buildings and about 2,793 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 68, between two other estates of said Morlian, tax for 1923.....61 75

Virgi Morlian (now set off to Dorian Mazylo)—Buildings and about 3,877 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 62, making the corner of Fenwick street, adjoining another estate of said Morlian, tax for 1923.....116 09

Israel Moyston—Buildings and about 961 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 43, between an estate of John Quinn and an estate of Mabel L. Kennedy, tax for 1923.....69 16

Mary J. Mullen—Buildings and about 865 feet of land on the northwestwesterly side of St. Francis de Sales street, numbered 33, between another estate of said Mullen and an estate of James T. Martin, tax for 1923.....\$19 76
Paid on account.....8 91

Balance due.....10 85

Also buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northwestwesterly side of St. Francis de Sales street, numbered 35, adjoining another estate of said Mullen and an estate of Mary C. Brown, tax for 1923, \$27 17
Paid on account.....10 00

Balance due.....17 17

Thomas F. and Mary S. Murphy, one half each (Undivided)—About 849 feet of land on the northerly side of Alpine terrace, bounded and described

as follows: Northerly by an estate of Augusta B. Doherty; westerly by an estate of Eliot Savings Bank, mortgagee in possession; easterly by an estate of Edward B. Merriam, and southerly by Alpine terrace, tax for 1921.....7 41

Mary F. and Thomas L. Murphy—About 849 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alpine terrace, being lot A, W. H. Whitney plan, July 20, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2221, page 267, tax for 1923.....7 41

Ann Murray—About 2,029 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, formerly numbered 32, between an estate of Patrick Padden and an estate of Grace C. Tewksbury, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood plan, dated March 20, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2146, page 260, tax for 1923.....14 82

John S. Myrick—Buildings and about 1,986 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 220, extending through to Public Alley 804, between an estate of Royal Whiton and an estate of Edmund N. Harding and another, tax for 1923.....103 74

Elizabeth A. Nawn—Buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 27, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Catherine Gallagher, tax for 1923.....64 22

Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 25, between two other estates of said Nawn, tax for 1923.....64 22

Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....64 22

Hugh Nawn Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 9,225 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, numbered 177 rear, 179, 181, 183, 185, 187, 191, 193 and 193½, making the northwesterly corner of Stanton place and the southerly corner of a passageway, tax for 1923.....481 65

Also buildings and about 3,014 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 15, between an estate of Harriet Wiswall and another estate of said Nawn heirs or devises, tax for 1923.....76 57

Also buildings and about 2,358 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 11 and 13, between another estate of said Nawn heirs or devises and an estate of Annie J. Dorr, tax for 1923.....197 60

Henry Norman—Buildings and about 16,616 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington street, numbered 2566, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Catherine Fortunato, tax for 1923.....1,440 01

Mary E. and Edward J. O'Connor—Buildings and about 1,884 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hammond street, numbered 27 and 27½, between an estate of James H. Anderson and an estate of Mary V. Cox, tax for 1923.....113 62

Patrick Padden—Buildings and about 1,234 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Dunlow street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....7 41

George W. and Ernest H. Parker—Buildings and about 687 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 82, making the southwestwesterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Mary E. Jellison, tax for 1923.....29 64

Arthur J. Phelan—Buildings and about 1,937 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 787, between another estate of Edward J. Ball and an estate of Walter H. Skinner, tax for 1923.....59 28

Also buildings and about 1,325 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Marble street, numbered 5, between an estate of Mary A. Healy and an estate of Charles H. Johnson and another, tax for 1923.....66 69

Harry Poloshook—Buildings and about 8,973 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Hammond street, numbered 32 and 34, between an estate of Frank B. Fay and others, trustees, and an estate of Mary J. Frederickson, tax for 1923.....\$321 77
Paid on account.....150 00

Balance due.....171 77

Annie Pugh—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 537, between an estate of Paul B.

Djinirus and an estate of Mary E. Perry, tax for 1923.....\$239 59
Paid on account.....100 00

Balance due.....139 59

Albert A. Ridyard (Mortgagee in Possession)—Buildings and about 2,988 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Regent street, numbered 36 and 38, making the easterly corner of Fountain street, adjoining an estate of Frank Kirchtkurn, tax for 1923.....298 87

Ralph B. Rodgers—About 1,642 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Walpole street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Walpole street; easterly and southerly by an estate now or formerly of Mary E. Anderson; southwestwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Carl L. W. Nelson, and northwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Ralph B. Rodgers, tax for 1923.....51 87

Also about 1,034 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Walpole street, making the southerly corner of Columbus avenue, adjoining an estate of Carl L. W. Nelson, tax for 1923.....41 99

Harlow H. Rogers—About 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dallas place, bounded and described as follows: Northwestwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Bridget Kelley; southerly and southwestwesterly by Dallas place; southeasterly by an estate now or formerly of Cynthia W. Batchelder; easterly by an estate now or formerly of Emma M. Nichols, trustee; northerly by an estate now or formerly of Thomas Jackson, tax for 1923.....14 82

Also about 991 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Windsor place, adjoining an estate of said Rogers and others, trustees, being lot 11, shown on a plan recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1034, page 169, tax for 1923.....1 94

Also about 945 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Windsor place, adjoining an estate of said Rogers and others, trustees, being lot 12, shown on a plan recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1034, page 169, tax for 1923.....4 94

Also about 800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Windsor place, adjoining an estate of said Rogers and others, trustees, being lot 13, shown on a plan recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1034, page 169, tax for 1923.....4 94

Gertrude A. Rosenthal—Buildings and about 1,786 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 747, between another estate of said Rosenthal and an estate of Isaac Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....222 30

Also buildings and about 1,857 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 749 and 749A, between two other estates of said Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....234 65

Also buildings and about 1,844 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 751 and 751A, between two other estates of said Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....222 30

Also buildings and about 1,588 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 753, making the northerly corner of and numbered 53 Ruggles street, adjoining another estate of said Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....308 75

Also buildings and about 2,024 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1045 and 1047, between an estate of John Cotter heirs and an estate of Wesley D. Sanborn, tax for 1923.....345 80

Isaac Rosenthal—Buildings and about 3,699 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 739-741-743-745 and 745A, making the westerly corner of and numbered 2A Hubert street, adjoining an estate of Michael J. Finnegan, tax for 1923.....699 01

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....25 16

Barnet Rotman—Buildings and about 1,616 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 740-740A 742 and 744, making the easterly corner of Winthrop place adjoining an estate of John C. Timony, tax for 1923.....\$207 48
Paid on account.....100 00

Balance due.....107 48

Reddick J. Royster—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lenox street, numbered 69, between an estate of John Beck and an estate of Edward Gagler, tax for 1923.....86 45

Alice G. Safford—Buildings and about 3,475 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Regent street, numbered 39, between an estate of Martin Riordan and an estate of Daniel F. Crowley and another, tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Jake Sandler—Buildings and about 2,017 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hubert street, numbered 25, making the easterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Abraham Geller, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	27 43		
Susan E. Savage—Buildings and about 972 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kendall street, numbered 13, between an estate of Forest L. Mitchell and an estate of Isaac L. Wright, tax for 1923.....	51 34		
Max Sherman—Buildings and about 7,447 feet of land on the side of Camden street, numbered 16, 16A, 18, 22 and 24, making the westerly corner of and numbered 1, 2 and 3 Wirth place, adjoining an estate of John Currie, tax for 1923.....	\$385 32		
Paid on account.....	250 00		
Balance due.....	135 32		
Mollie Showstack—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lenox street, numbered 129, between an estate of John Quinn and an estate of John F. Putnam, tax for 1923.....	175 37		
Harry R. Simpson—Buildings and about 809 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Adams place, numbered 10, between an estate of C. E. Osrood Company and an estate of Fannie Levin, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Walter H. Skinner—Buildings and about 4,490 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 781 and 783, between an estate of Arthur J. Phalen and an estate of Episcopal City Mission, tax for 1923.....	227 24		
Also buildings and about 1,914 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Williams street, numbered 40, making the southerly corner of Adams place, adjoining an estate of Isabel Hall, tax for 1923.....	101 27		
Clara C. F. Steele—Buildings and about 1,198 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 957 and 957A, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Annie Neustadt, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 28		
George A. Tell—Buildings and about 1,480 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Simms street, numbered 160, between an estate of Mary E. Sullivan and an estate of Grand Masters and Wardens of the Alpha Grand Lodge of the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Grace E. Tewksbury—About 1,822 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Ann Murray; easterly by Dunlow street; southerly by an estate of West End Street Railway Company and westerly by an estate of Boston Ice Cream Company, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Tax for 1922.....	12 35		
United States Finance Corporation—Buildings and about 2,160 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1053, making the northerly corner of and numbered 25 and 27 Cunard street, adjoining an estate of Michael F. Barry, tax for 1923.....	600 21		
United States Trust Company, Trustees under will of Ralph Green—Buildings and about 960 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer street, numbered 34, between an estate of Rose A. Stanley and an estate of Ellis L. Jones, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
William and Mary E. Walsh—Buildings and about 1,626 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cliff street, numbered 52, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Patrick T. J. Callahan and an estate of another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 41		
Alice A. Walters—Buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 145 and 145A, between an estate of John Currie and an estate of Lesooklis Legach, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Rabbi B. Webber—Buildings and about 69,010 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 2595, making the southwesterly corner of Guild street, extending through to Juniper street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Norman, tax for 1923.....	198 94		
Willard Welsh—Buildings and about 1,956 feet of land lying in the rear of a			
passageway from the southwesterly side of Linden Park street, adjoining an estate of Linden Park Garage, Inc., being lot E, H. C. Mildram plan, dated July 6, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2454, page 529, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
James W. and Sarah A. Wickham—Buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbury street, numbered 4, between an estate of Martin F. Mulligan and an estate of Abraham Yanklewitz, tax for 1923.....	\$32 11		
Paid on account.....	18 00		
Balance due.....	14 11		
William Williams—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lenox street, numbered 124, extending through to Sawyer street, between an estate of Patrick Casey heirs or devisees, and an estate of John B. Howan, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westminster street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly and southeasterly by Westminster street; southwesterly and westerly by sundry estates of Susan and Mabel E. Jewett; northwesterly by an estate of the City of Boston, and northerly by estates of Estune Z. Rountree, George Munroe, Amelia Greenbaum, Matthew W. Bullock and Frank L. Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	5 50		
Alexander W. Wood—Buildings and about 816 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parnell street, numbered 15, between an estate of Mary Doherty and an estate of Exchange Realty Company, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
WARD FOURTEEN.			
William N. Ambler—About 43,747 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hillside street, making the northerly corner of Wait street, through to Frawley street, adjoining an estate of Feinstein and another, being lot C, Henry F. Bryant plan, dated November 1, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4277, page 410, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	\$14 40		
Also about 19,611 feet of land on the easterly side of Mission street, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Kelley, being lot E, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	19 20		
Apartment Sales Corporation, Trustees, Under Deed, Riverway Apartment Trust—Buildings and about 6,781 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Riverway, numbered 390, between an estate of said Riverway Apartment Trust and an estate of Joseph Newman, tax for 1923.....	1,536 34		
Also buildings and about 8,277 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Riverway, numbered 394, making the easterly corner of Huntington avenue, adjoining another estate of said Riverway Apartment Trust, tax for 1923.....	1,857 44		
Edgar P. Benjamin—Buildings and about 1,716 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kempton street, numbered 14, adjoining another estate of said Benjamin, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Also buildings and about 1,575 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kempton street, numbered 15, between another estate of said Benjamin and an estate of John and Joseph C. McAleer, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Also buildings and about 1,676 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kempton street, numbered 16, between two other estates of said Benjamin, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Also buildings and about 1,518 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kempton street, numbered 17, between two other estates of said Benjamin, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Also buildings and about 1,688 feet of land on the westerly side of Kempton street, numbered 18, between another estate of said Benjamin and an estate of Nora E. Feneno, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Also buildings and about 1,479 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kempton street, numbered 19, between another estate of said Benjamin and an estate of Arthur P. Pearce and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Also buildings and about 1,488 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kempton street, numbered 31, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Benjamin, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Also buildings and about 1,281 feet of land on the southeasterly side of			
Kempton street, numbered 33, between another estate of said Benjamin and an estate of John F. McDonald, tax for 1923.....	167 96		
Mabel E. Berry—Buildings and about 3,748 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1571, 1573 and 1575, between an estate of John H. Casey and an estate of Julia T. Baker, tax for 1923.....	377 91		
Fannie S. Boyd—About 59,641 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Colburn street, adjoining an estate of William E. Litchfield, being lots 51 to 64, inclusive, William E. Hannan plan, dated March 19, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2534, page 193, tax for 1923.....	219 83		
Also about 32,804 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colburn street, being lots 65 to 72 (inclusive), same plan, tax for 1923.....	96 33		
Jacob Buckholz, one third, and Frederick J. Buckholz, two thirds—Buildings and about 840 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Smith street, numbered 20 rear, between an estate of William C. Flock and another and an estate of Mary Backoff, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Annie B. Calnan—About 3,920 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Iroquois street, adjoining another estate of said Annie B. Calnan, being lot 38, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also about 3,740 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Iroquois street, making the northerly corner of Oswald street, adjoining another estate of said Annie B. Calnan, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Andrew Carroll—About 3,762 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Arthur O'Leary, being lot 78, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
John Carty—About 2,976 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kenney street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates of Lawrence J. Hackett and another and Clara M. Manning; easterly by an estate of Ann Fischer; southerly by Kenney street; westerly by an estate of Hannah M. McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 56		
Edward F. Cassell—About 1,549 feet of land on the southerly side of Edgar street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Edgar street; easterly by an estate of John C. Kiley; southerly by a 15-foot passageway leading from the northwesterly side of Halleck street; westerly by an estate of Charles T. Ward heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 1,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Edgar street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Edgar street; easterly by an estate of John C. Kiley; southerly by a 15-foot passageway leading from the northwesterly side of Halleck street; westerly by another estate of John C. Kiley, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 1,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Edgar street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Edgar street; easterly by an estate of Charles P. Webber and others, trustees; southerly by a 15-foot passageway leading from the northwesterly side of Halleck street; westerly by an estate of John C. Kiley, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 2,450 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hutchins avenue, adjoining an estate of Joanna Conway, being lot 19, Garbett and Wood plan, dated June 13, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1842, page 391, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,245 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Day street, making the westerly corner of Grotto Glen road, adjoining an estate of John T. Flynn and another, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Also about 3,490 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 24, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated August 22, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2631, page 472, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,915 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		

Also about 5,340 feet of land on the easterly side of Frawley street, making the southeasterly corner of Kempton street, adjoining an estate of George A. Atton, being lot 16, and the northeasterly part of lot 17, Henry F. Bryant plan, dated June 23, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3898, page 415, tax for 1923.....	51 87	numbered 12 and 16 Smith street); tax for 1921.....\$175 37 Paid on account.....145 00		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	11 87
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 20	Balance due.....30 37 Tax for 1922.....175 37 Tax for 1923.....175 37		Manuel S. Grassie—About 4,446 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lawn street, between an estate of Hugh J. Kilday and an estate of Domenick Doherty, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Patrick Clifford—Buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hillside street, numbered 188, making the southerly corner of Sunset street and an estate of Mary Fay, tax for 1923.....\$160 55 Paid on account.....130 00	30 55	Michael M. Cuniff Heirs or devisees—Buildings and about 2,496 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 643 and 645, making the northeasterly corner of Worthington street, adjoining an estate of Albert H. French, tax for 1921, Tax for 1923.....	741 00 741 00	Lawrence J. Hackett—About 1,954 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Arcola street, adjoining an estate of Martin M. Lomasney and another, being lot 22, Walter C. Stevens plan, October, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2458, page 228, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Balance due.....	30 55	John M. Dempsey—Buildings and about 1,589 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wigglesworth street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Dempsey and an estate of John Dorney and others, tax for 1923, Gordon Dexter (supposed present owner Mary Ferris)—About 3,640 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calumet street, being lot 15, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	130 91 14 67	Etta Hailparr—Buildings and about 1,610 feet of land on the easterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 32, between an estate of Ida Miller and an estate of Jessie Goode and others, tax for 1923.....	143 26
John C. Coleman and Sons Company—About 11,480 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alleghany street, making the easterly corner of Pontiac street, adjoining an estate of Francis E. McCarthy, being a lot shown on William O. Badger plan, dated July, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2463, page 248, tax for 1923.....	71 63	Gordon Dexter (supposed present owner George T. Pitts)—About 3,650 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calumet street, being lot 12, William D. Badger plan, dated May 25, 1896, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2367, page 639, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	11 71	Thomas H. Hall—About 2,497 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prentiss street, between an estate of A. J. Houghton Company and an estate of Christine F. McIntyre, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Also about 20,216 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Alphonsus street, making the easterly corner of Alleghany street, adjoining an estate of Francis E. McCarthy, tax for 1923, Cornelius J. Connelly—About 2,211 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Patrick Kilday and another, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Ellingwood street; easterly by an estate of William Williams; southerly by estates of William Jacobs, and westerly by an estate of Patrick Kilday and another, tax for 1923.....	175 37 7 41	Mary E. Donaldson Heirs—About 2,103 feet of land on the westerly side of Worthington street, making the southwesterly corner of Smith street, adjoining an estate of Margaret Reilly, being a lot shown on Thomas W. Davis plan, dated December 20, 1890, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, Jeremiah A. and Mary L. Donohue—About 3,880 feet of land on the southerly side of Iroquois street, adjoining an estate of Mary J. Donohue, being lot 87, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.....	51 87 12 35	Mary A. and Annie J. Harmon—Buildings and about 5,010 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 733 to 739, between an estate of Charles H. Winn and an estate of John B. Lyons, tax for 1923, Walter M. Hayes—About 7,468 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Parker Hill avenue, between an estate of Mary Cushing and others and an estate of Otis Shepard heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	617 50 17 29
Stephen and Margaret Connolly—About 3,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Daniel Lorden, being lot 83, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88	James F. Dooley—About 2,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Jamaica-way, adjoining another estate of said Dooley, being lot 50, shown on assessors' plans, volume 8, page 158, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923, Also about 2,329 feet of land on the easterly side of Jamaica-way, adjoining another estate of said Dooley, being the easterly part of lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23 19 76	Ida M. Hodson—About 4,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Parker street, making the northwesterly corner of Conant street, adjoining an estate of Charles J. Munchbach, tax for 1923.....	76 57
Frank A. Connors—About 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Oswald street, making the northeasterly corner of Parker Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Bridget Riley, being lot 114, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.....	19 76	John F. Dwyer—Buildings and about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Smith street, numbered 37 rear and 39, between an estate of Elizabeth A. Kelley and an estate of Sophia Salvee, tax for 1923.....\$121 03 Paid on account.....50 00	71 03	Also about 4,366 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Cronin, being lot 1, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Cosmopolitan Trust Company—About 435 feet of land on the easterly side of Wait street, making the northeasterly corner of Sachem street, adjoining an estate of Minnie T. Sheehy, being a lot shown on F. A. McInnes plan, January 31, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4288, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Balance due.....	71 03	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 60
Apportionment for street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 71	Federal Trust Company, Trustee of the Faneuil Realty Trust—About 4,066 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining an estate of Mary Butler, being lot 31, C. H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2242, page 417, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 2,507 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mindoro street, between an estate of Margaret M. Mills and an estate of Jonas Huber and another, tax for 1923.....	54 34
Also about 3,182 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wait street, between an estate of Nora Trant and another estate of said Cosmopolitan Trust Company, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Israel A. Feinstein and Sam J. Samuels—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Frawley street, (formerly Kempton street), being lot 14, Henry F. Bryant plan, dated June 23, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3898, page 415, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Also about 6,408 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mindoro street, between an estate of said Ida M. Hodson and an estate of Stefan Hacunda and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5191, tax for 1923.....	79 04
Patrick J. Cronon—Buildings and about 14,699 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Longwood avenue, numbered 91 and 93, extending through to the southerly side of Ward street, adjoining an estate of Hugh McLaughlin and an estate of Margaret A. Wallace, tax for 1923.....	358 15	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 80	Elizabeth M. Kelleher—Buildings and about 1,163 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Terrace street, numbered 44, between an estate of James Grainey and another estate of said Kelleher, tax for 1923.....	81 51
M. Etta Crowley—Buildings and about 8,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Smyrna street, numbered 7, making the southerly corner of Brookline avenue, adjoining an estate of Hulda A. Olsen, tax for 1922,\$242 06 Paid on account.....216 86	25 20	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Frawley street, (formerly Kempton street), being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Also buildings and about 1,119 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Terrace street, numbered 46, between another estate of said Kelleher and an estate of Roxbury Crossing Realty Company, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Balance due.....	25 20	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 80	John L. Kelley—About 3,956 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 15, H. C. Midram plan, dated June 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2144, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Roderick A. and Susan A. Cummings—Buildings and about 2,034 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Heath street, numbered 162, between an estate of John J. Kippenberger and another and an estate of Edward P. Maguire and another, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Isabel Flint—Buildings and about 2,941 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Whitney street, numbered 66 and 68, between an estate of Catherine Foley and an estate of Bryan Tangney, tax for 1923.....	172 90	Also about 2,713 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	11 82
Catherine Cuniffe—Buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Whitney street, numbered 42 and 46, making the westerly corner of Smith street, adjoining an estate of Delia J. Manning, tax for 1921.....\$148 20 Paid on account.....145 00	3 20 148 20 148 20	James J. Galvin—Buildings and about 3,450 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 52, between an estate of Patrick Byrne and an estate of Catherine Keane, tax for 1923,\$148 20 Paid on account.....120 00	28 20	Also about 2,668 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Balance due.....	3 20	Charles H. Gosse—About 25,814 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bucknam street, making the southerly corner of Wensley street, adjoining an estate of Etta Myers, being lot 45 to 52 (inclusive), C. H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2242, page 417, tax for 1923.....	128 44	Also about 2,622 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Tax for 1922.....	148 20			Also about 2,577 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	148 20			Also about 2,532 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also buildings and about 2,705 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Smith street, numbered 126, adjoining another estate of said Cuniffe				Also about 3,338 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
				Also about 2,975 feet of land on the westerly side of Burney street, between an estate of Julia F. Coleman and an estate of Arthur A. O'Leary, tax for 1923.....	44 46

Mary A. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,445 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parker street, numbered 686, between an estate of Eva Patmalnic and an estate of Dominico Sacco, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Arthur E. Marcus—Buildings and about 4,076 feet of land on the easterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 6, making the southerly corner of Huntington avenue, adjoining an estate of Rae A. Lewis, tax for 1923.....	605 15	Calumet street, adjoining an estate of Bridget McCarthy, being lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1922.....	27 17
Walter H. Kelly—About 2,484 feet of land on the westerly side of Fisher avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of George F. Weaver; easterly by Fisher avenue; southerly by an estate of Patrick J. Downey, and westerly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1922.....	14 82	Borush W. Mastasky Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,276 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 296, between an estate of Frederick H. Stevens and another and an estate of Charles J. Paine and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	20 86
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	8 90	Elizabeth Matlin, Trustee for Esther, Sarah and Harold Matlin—Buildings and about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Smith street, numbered 27, 29 and 31 rear, between an estate of Elizabeth A. Kelley and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	121 03	Elizabeth O'Driscoll—About 527 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sewall street, between an estate of Annie M. Kelley (numbered 10) and an estate of Lillian Salter, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	2 47 2 47
Tax for 1923.....	14 82	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	7 15	Mary A. M. Owens—Buildings and about 5,087 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath street, numbered 267 and 269, between another estate of Mary A. M. Owens and an estate of William Jacobs, tax for 1923.....	202 54
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 58	Margaret V. McAuley—Buildings and about 2,023 feet of land on the southwesterly side and at end of Wait place, numbered 10, between an estate of John Blucker and another and an estate of Mary E. Walsh, tax for 1923.....	69 16	Also buildings and about 5,082 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath street, numbered 271, between an estate of Anna C. Tomlinson and another and another estate of said Owens, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Hugh J. Kilday—About 4,537 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lawn street, being lot 7, C. H. W. Wood plan, August 22, 1899, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2631, page 472, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Catherine E. McGrady—About 2,507 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mindora street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Mindora street; northeasterly by an estate of Jonas and Walbuga Huber; southeasterly by New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company; southwesterly by an estate of Margaret G. Comer and others, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Alice A. Pickering—About 2,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Jamaica-way, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Mary C. Broderick; easterly by an estate of Mary T. Dolan; southerly by an estate of Eugene M. Niles and westerly by Jamaica-way, tax for 1923.....	17 29
William E. Litchfield—About 77,000 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Colburn street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Fannie S. Boyd; southeasterly by an estate of Massachusetts Women's Hospital; southwesterly by an estate of Otis Shepard, heirs or devisees and northwesterly by a passageway in the rear of Sundry estates (numbered 46 to 82 inclusive). South Huntington avenue, tax for 1923.....	76 57	Daniel A. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 8,103 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 761, 763, 765, 767, 769, 771 and 773, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	988 00	Charles E. Pierce—About 222 feet of land on the westerly side of Halleck street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Halleck street; westerly and southerly by an estate of Nathan Cushing heirs or devisees and northerly by an estate of Nathan Cushing heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Albert A. Little—About 1,451 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Estey street, making the southerly corner of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Little, being lot A, William O. Badger plan, dated April, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2751, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 2,399 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Darling street, between an estate of Patrick Blaney and another, being lot 8, A. W. Sargent plan, dated April 11, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2524, page 386, tax for 1923.....	19 76	George T. Pitts—About 3,650 feet of land on the easterly side of Calumet street, adjoining an estate of Daniel J. Murphy, being lot 13, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Estey street, adjoining another estate of said Little, being lot B, William O. Badger plan, dated April, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2751, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Harry H. Miller—Buildings and about 4,461 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Minden street, numbered 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9, making the northerly corner of Bickford street, adjoining an estate of William M. Waul, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15007, tax for 1923.....	247 00	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 72
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Paid on account.....	100 00	Clayton E. Rockwell—About 363 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sachem street extended, adjoining an estate of Louis F. Abbott, being a lot shown on F. A. McInnes plan, dated June 31, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 96	Balance due.....	147 00	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Estey street, adjoining an estate of Catherine Bates, being lot C, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Lawrence A. Moran Heirs—Buildings and about 2,353 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Phillips street, numbered 15 and 17, between an estate of Lawrence A. Moran heirs or devisees and an estate of Willard Welsh, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Lillian Salter—About 800 feet of land on the westerly side of Parker street, between an estate of Edward J. and Annie N. Harte and an estate of Jessie O. B. Goldsmith and Ethel Gryzmish, tax for 1922.....	19 76
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Hanorah Normile—Buildings and about 3,540 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 64, between an estate of Rose Shea and an estate of Thomas and Catherine Moore, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Tax for 1923.....	19 76
Lund Bradley Construction Company—About 4,760 feet of land on the northerly side of Bynner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 15, S. L. Leftovith plan, dated August 18, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4398, page 152, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Catherine Norton—Buildings and about 1,478 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kempton street, numbered 9, between an estate of Winnefred Rooney and an estate of John A. McAleer and another, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Clinton B. Sherwood—Buildings and about 2,014 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1613 and 1613A, between an estate of Joseph Christos and an estate of Mary Fishman, tax for 1923.....	200 07
Also about 4,750 feet of land on the northerly side of Bynner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Also buildings and about 3,480 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath avenue, numbered 20, between an estate of Bridget Earley and an estate of Bridget Dolan, tax for 1923.....	79 04	Albert C. Smith—About 690 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mechanic street, adjoining an estate of James T. Gilligan, trustee, being a lot shown on William Jackson plan, July 18, 1902, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Also about 4,744 feet of land on the northerly said of Bynner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Anna A. O'Connell—Buildings and about 2,880 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 176, between another estate of said O'Connell and an estate of James Johnson, tax for 1923.....	195 13	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	2 87
Also about 5,284 feet of land on the northerly side of Bynner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Also buildings and about 2,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 178, between another estate of said O'Connell and an estate of Dennis J. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	195 13	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	3 44
Sarah Lyons—Buildings and about 5,983 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Binney street, numbered 47, between an estate of John J. Toomey and an estate of Abbie Corbett, tax for 1923.....	125 97	Catherine O'Connell—Buildings and about 4,030 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Longwood avenue, numbered 61, between an estate of Louis Giller and Israel Ickman and an estate of John J. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	153 14	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 50	Daniel T. O'Connell—About 3,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath avenue, adjoining an estate of Mary Kane, being lot 9, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 18, 1883, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1598, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Eliot E. Smith and William A. McLean, Trustees of Chauncey Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 5,686 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 877, between an estate of Myer I. and Mollie R. Eilberg and an estate of Harris Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....	916 37
Nicola Maffei—Buildings and about 10,910 feet of land, lying in the rear from the westerly side of Bickford avenue, numbered 14, adjoining an estate of Josephine T. Hart, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Tax for 1923.....	12 35	Catherine E. Spence, set off to Caroline M. Cowee—About 575 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Craft street, adjoining another estate of said Cowee, being northerly part of lot 30, shown on Whitman and Breck plan, June 15, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1114, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	27 79	Mary E. O'Connor—About 5,130 feet of land on the northeasterly side of		Lillian M. Southard—Mortgagee in possession—About 74,278 feet of land on the northerly side of Heath street, extending through to Wensley street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Wensley street; easterly by estates of Nicola Maffei and C. George Armstrong and another; southerly by Heath street and westerly by estates of Theresa V. Martin and Charles H. Gosse, tax for 1922.....	2,766 40
Ayoub and Mulaky Maloof—Buildings and about 1,556 feet of land on the easterly side of Heath place, numbered 12, making the southeasterly corner of Heath avenue, adjoining an estate of said Maloof (numbered 31 Heath avenue), tax for 1923.....	\$61 75			Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	128 95
Paid on account.....	25 00				
Balance due.....	36 75				
Also building and about 1,197 feet of land on the southerly side of Heath avenue, numbered 31, between an estate of said Maloof and another, and another estate of said Maloof and another, tax for 1923.....	\$79 04				
Paid on account.....	25 00				
Balance due.....	54 04				

George F. and Sarah O. Weaver, Trustees Weaver Club—About 5,005 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Weaver and another trustee, being lot 103, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Gustave A. Bautze—Buildings and about 2,305 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Valentine street, numbered 6, between an estate of Lawrence Griffin and another and an estate of John O'Hara, tax for 1923.....	125 97	northwesterly side of Washington street, bounded and described as follows; Northernly by an estate of Alice R. Allen; easterly by Washington street; southerly by an estate of Mary Munier, and westerly by a passageway, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 38	Edgar P. Benjamin—Buildings and about 4,581 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dixwell street, numbered 21 and 23, between an estate of Mary A. Rice and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	\$107 55	Also about 2,583 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a 40-foot street, making the northerly corner of Columbus avenue, being a lot shown on Charles F. Baxter plan, June 26, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2851, at end, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Also about 4,306 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Weaver and another, trustees, being lot 102, same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Paid on account.....	200 00	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	12 59
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 38	William Bourne Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 3,359 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 123, making the northerly corner of Wyman street, adjoining an estate of Hugo Schindler, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Also about 2,380 feet of land on the westerly side of Columbus avenue, making the northwesterly corner of a 40-foot street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Willard Welsh—About 639 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Longwood avenue, making the northerly corner of Phillips street, adjoining an estate of Ellen Dolan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	William E. Brigham, three sixths, Ada D., one sixth, and Margherite, two sixths—About 4,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Lamartine street, bounded and described as follows: Northernly by an estate of Alice F. Boyden; easterly by Lamartine street; southerly by an estate of John E. Hannon; westerly by an estate of Ida Fishman, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	12 59
Weymouth Savings Bank—Buildings and about 1,870 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 553, between an estate of Anna B. Freely and an estate of James C. Ayer and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	219 83	Frances Cataldo—Buildings and about 6,341 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre Street terrace, numbered 2, between an estate of said Cataldo and an estate of Joseph P. O'Connell, tax for 1923.....	442 13	Also buildings and about 1,125 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bickford street, numbered 49, between an estate of Deborah Scipsky and an estate of Benjamin Schneider, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Lillian E. Williams—Buildings and about 1,665 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 7, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of Abraham S. Weinstein, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Also buildings and about 5,242 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre Street terrace, numbered 1, between another estate of said Cataldo, and an estate of Horace K. Batchelder, tax for 1923.....	434 72	Also buildings and about 1,007 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bickford street, numbered 63, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Sarah Winer, tax for 1923.....	59 28
Also buildings and about 1,802 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 9, between two other estates of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Morris Center—Buildings and about 1,431 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 56, between two other estates of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28	Also buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bickford street, numbered 65, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Isaac Simon, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Also buildings and about 1,797 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 11, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Paid on account.....	26 77	Mathilda Clare—About 3,741 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cranston street, bounded and described as follows: Northernly by an estate of Joseph Colbe and another; southeasterly by Cranston street; southwesterly by an estate of Frederick Trappe; northwesterly by an estate of Christopher Kevorkian, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also buildings and about 1,802 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 15, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Balance due.....	32 51	Owen F. Clasby—Buildings and about 814 feet of land lying in the rear from the easterly side of Ellsworth avenue, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Thomas D. Lavelle, trustee, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also buildings and about 1,949 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 17, making the easterly corner of Sewall street, adjoining another estate of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	229 71	Also buildings and about 1,431 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 54, between two other estates of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28	Joseph F. Cole—Buildings and about 3,380 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marcella street, numbered 86 and 88, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Cole, tax for 1923.....	103 74
William Williams—About 4,190 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Arthur O'Leary, being lot 80, Charles H. W. Wood plan, July 10, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2242, page 417, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Paid on account.....	26 77	Also buildings and about 1,370 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marcella street, numbered 84, between two other estates of said Cole, tax for 1923.....	61 75
Also about 3,495 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Day street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Coughlin heirs, being lot 27, Garbett and Wood plan, dated June 13, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1842, page 391, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Balance due.....	32 51	Also buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marcella street, numbered 80 and 82, making the junction of Highland street, adjoining another estate of said Cole, tax for 1923.....	86 45
WARD FIFTEEN.		Also buildings and about 1,405 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 50, between another estate of said Center and an estate of Miller Candy Company, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28	Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Highland street, numbered 253, between an estate of Michael B. Nazzaro and another estate of said Cole, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Franco Andreotti—Buildings and about 1,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1479 and 1481, between an estate of Gaetano G. Andreotti and an estate of Grant B. Oakman and another trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$81 51	Paid on account.....	26 77	Patrick J. Cunningham Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 2,541 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Valentine street, numbered 9, between an estate of William A. Carey and an estate of Margaret T. Burns, tax for 1923.....	88 92
Paid on account.....	25 00	Balance due.....	32 51	Michael W. Dempsey Devises—Buildings and about 1,950 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashley street, numbered 20, between an estate of Nicholas H. Timmerman and an estate of Ann J. Hogarty, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80
Balance due.....	\$56 51	Also buildings and about 1,431 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 58, between two other estates of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28	Paid on account.....	50 00
Gaetano G. Andreotti—Buildings and about 1,498 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1483 and 1485, between an estate of Franco Andreotti and an estate of Edward C. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	\$81 51	Paid on account.....	26 77	Balance due.....	48 80
Paid on account.....	25 00	Balance due.....	32 51	Domenico and Antonetta DeSimone—Buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bromley park, numbered 31, between an estate of Ida Fishman and an estate of Rosie Langer, tax for 1923.....	\$71 63
Balance due.....	56 51	Also buildings and about 1,402 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 60 and 60A, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$64 22	Paid on account.....	45 00
Richard F. Andrews, Junior—Buildings and about 3,680 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar street, numbered 124 and 126, between an estate of Patrick Donohue and another and an estate of Louise P. Chandler, tax for 1923.....	150 67	Paid on account.....	26 77	Balance due.....	26 63
Also buildings and about 3,066 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar street, numbered 108-110, between an estate of Annie J. Healey and another and an estate of Susan A. Burns and another, tax for 1923.....	209 95	Balance due.....	37 45	Mary E. Doherty—Buildings and about 4,424 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mozart street, numbered 49, between an estate of Catherine Sullivan and an estate of Timothy C. O'Neil, tax for 1923.....	\$133 38
Arthur M. Ayzavian—Buildings and about 2,239 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Cedar street, numbered 107, making the northerly corner of a passageway and adjoining an estate of Mary Russo, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Harry P. Chadwick—About 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 47, Garbett and Wood plan, September 24, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 596, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Paid on account.....	50 00
Johannah Barrett—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marcella street, numbered 100, between two estates of Arthur S. Dearborn, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Also buildings and about 2,380 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, making the northerly corner of a 40-foot street, being lot 5, Charles F. Baxter plan, June 26, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2851, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Balance due.....	83 38
		Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	12 59		
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
		Also about 2,500 feet of land on the			

Eliza A. Donovan—Buildings and about 2,610 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thornton place, numbered 4, between an estate of Agnes W. Schubach, adjoining an estate of Clara I. Galvin, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Court, certificate number 12742, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Massachusetts Brewing Company, tax for 1923.....	370 50
John M. Erskine—About 6,804 feet of land on the westerly side of Dennison street, being lot 25, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, June 8, 1898, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Balance of tax for 1922.....	86 72	Thomas and Catherine McHugh—Buildings and about 1,292 feet of land on the southerly side of Bromley park, numbered 28, between an estate of Elva Murphy and an estate of Everett J. Holmes, tax for 1923.....	71 63
Sarah V. Fitzsimmons—Buildings and about 3,354 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sheridan street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Fitzsimmons and an estate of Jacob H. Mock, tax for 1923, \$121 03 Paid on account.....	50 00	Bresford and Edna L. Jackman—Buildings and about 2,975 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Notre Dame street, numbered 20 and 20A, between an estate of Westcott Farrington and an estate of Edith L. Pitchard, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Joseph A. and Anastasia Mickiewicz—Buildings and about 2,650 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Forbes street, numbered 104, between an estate of German Reformed Christ Church of Boston and Suburbs and an estate of Clara Kleinberg, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Balance due.....	71 03	John S. and Lillian R. Junore—Buildings and about 11,371 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thornton street, numbered 93 rear, between an estate of Charles C. Wheelwright and an estate of Stanley M. Bolster, trustee, tax for 1923.....	93 86	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Sarah W. Fitzsimmons—Buildings and about 3,246 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sheridan street, numbered 18, between an estate of John J. Donovan and another estate of said Fitzsimmons, tax for 1923.....	\$118 56	Anne M. Kelley—Buildings and about 3,274 feet of land on the southwest-ly side of Cedar street, numbered 98, between an estate of Mary M. Hermis and an estate of Lena Neddlman, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Mabel E. Morrill—Buildings and about 1,635 feet of land on the easterly side of Highland avenue, numbered 19, between an estate of Christopher Zirul and an estate of Julia Cremins, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Paid on account.....	50 00	Also buildings and about 968 feet of land on the southerly side of Minden street, numbered 16, between an estate of Mary T. Kerrigan and an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon, tax for 1923.....	108 68	William W. Morse—Buildings and about 4,346 feet of land on the northeasterly side of School street, numbered 127, between an estate of Mary H. McLaughlin and an estate of George F. Morse, Junior, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Balance due.....	68 56	Also buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Codman park, numbered 21, between an estate of Jane T. Doherty and an estate of Henry Sondenman, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Mary R. Munier—About 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 44, Garbett and Wood plan, September 24, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 596, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Edward W. Fuller—About 10,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Dennis street, being lot 27, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, June 8, 1898, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Louise F. Koehler—About 3,659 feet of land on the northerly side of Priesing street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Mathilda Haid; easterly by an estate of William A. Gaston; southerly by Priesing street; westerly by an estate of Peter A. Peters and another and another estate of said Koehler, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	4 99	John T. Murphy—Buildings and about 3,121 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 113, making the westerly corner of Mozart street, adjoining an estate of Hugo Schindler, tax for 1923.....	103 74
Ellis L. Gates—About 7,928 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwest-ly side of Dennison street, being the southwesterly part of lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	7 26	Catherine Murphy—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mozart street, numbered 93, between an estate of Anna Fritz and an estate of John T. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	130 91
Bradford Gay—Buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Vale street, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Edward M. Kehce and another and an estate of Irene S. McCaffrey, tax for 1923.....	76 57	Bessie R. Kotzen—Buildings and about 2,804 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marcella street, numbered 125 and 125 rear, between an estate of James Moriarty and another and an estate of Ellen Powell, tax for 1923.....	130 91	Henry P. Nawn—Buildings and about 145,547 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Boylston street, between an estate of Mary A. Kelly, numbered 30 Boylston street, and another estate of said Nawn, numbered 159 Chestnut avenue; buildings numbered 1 and 2 Beecher street, tax for 1923.....	612 56
Alfred Gismondi—Buildings and about 894 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Heath street, numbered 6 and 6A, between an estate of Angelo Cirino and an estate of Louise M. Davies, tax for 1923.....	\$81 51	Frank Landa—Buildings and about 1,440 feet of land on the northwest-ly side of Bromley street, numbered 61, between an estate of Benjamin Weiner and an estate of Joseph Robinson, tax for 1923.....	\$61 75	William and Catherine Nawn—About 249 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of John J. Barrett and another; easterly by Chestnut avenue; south-erly by an estate of Michael B. De Lorey and another; westerly by an estate of William A. Gaston, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Paid on account.....	50 00	Paid on account.....	40 00	Michil B. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 970 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 259, between two other estates of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923.....	46 93
Balance due.....	31 51	Balance due.....	21 75	Also buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 261, between another estate of said Nazzaro and an estate of Dymitr Botulinski, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Katie Glass—Buildings and about 1,006 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1267, between an estate of Thomas T. Quirk and another and an estate of trustees of the grammar school in the easterly part of the town of Roxbury, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Owen A. Lynch—Buildings and about 2,199 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3150, between another estate of said Lynch and an estate of Josef Rothner, tax for 1923.....	130 91	Also buildings and about 861 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 257, between two other estates of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923.....	46 93
Catherine M. Goodenow—Buildings and about 1,343 feet of land on the south-erly side of Bromley park, numbered 8, between an estate of David Kozody and an estate of Alex George Lepelos, tax for 1923.....	\$69 16	Also buildings and about 2,209 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3148, between two other estates of said Lynch, tax for 1923.....	130 91	Also buildings and about 752 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 255, between another estate of said Nazzaro, and an estate of Joseph F. Cole, tax for 1923.....	11 46
Paid on account.....	20 00	Also buildings and about 2,192 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3146, between another estate of said Lynch and an estate of Ada E. Nuell, tax for 1923.....	130 91	Rosanna O'Neil—Buildings and about 3,834 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parker street, numbered 894, 896, 898 and 900, making the south-erly corner of and numbered 61 and 66 New Heath street, adjoining an estate of Rueter & Company, tax for 1923.....	308 75
Balance due.....	49 16	Giovanni Malgeri—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 57, making the northerly corner of and numbered 1, 3 and 5 Sunny court, adjoining an estate of Burt W. Parmenter, tax for 1922.....	395 20	Mary A. Owens—Buildings and about 5,258 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Dorr street, numbered 13 rear, between an estate of Bernard H. Wohrman and another, and an estate of Martin J. Ford, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Michael F. Green—Buildings and about 2,316 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Walden street, numbered 28 and 28 rear, between an estate of Frederick Heiler and an estate of James Henderson, Junior, tax for 1923.....	79 04	Tax for 1923.....	395 20	Ernest H. and George N. Parker—Buildings and about 2,914 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Echo street, numbered 2, between an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company and an estate of Miles Muldoon, tax for 1923.....	51 34
John and Margaret E. Hanbury—Buildings and about 1,079 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Paul Gore terrace, numbered 1, adjoining an estate of Joseph L. Audette, tax for 1923.....	\$111 15	James T. Martin—Buildings and about 2,890 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Codman park, numbered 55, between another estate of said Martin and an estate of George W. McFadden, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Also buildings and about 4,136 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre street, numbered 220 and 222, between an estate of Jeremiah P. Fenno and an estate of Ernest Schupbach and another, tax for 1923.....	116 09
Paid on account.....	50 00	Also buildings and about 2,778 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Codman park, numbered 53, between another estate of said Martin and an estate of Joseph M. Slaman, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment.....	18 27
Balance due.....	61 15	Mary C. McCue—Buildings and about 1,497 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weld avenue, numbered 4, between another estate of said McCue and an estate of Ida Beder and another, tax for 1923.....	76 57		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 8,523 feet of land on the southwest-ly side of Ritchie street, numbered 13, making the westerly corner of Columbus avenue, adjoining an estate of John C. Coleman heirs, tax for 1923.....	202 54	Also buildings and about 1,513 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weld avenue, numbered 4A, between another estate of said McCue and an estate of Addie F. Hall, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Also buildings and about 1,606 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fort avenue, numbered 59, between an estate of James Postell and another and an estate of Philip J. Corrigan, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Daniel G. McDonald and Frank Imhoff—Buildings and about 13,630 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1260, between an estate of New England Brewing Company and an estate of			
Also buildings and about 986 feet of land on the southerly side of Minden street, numbered 14, between an estate of Patrick J. Hughes and another and an estate of Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	108 68				
Agnes M. Holl—Buildings and about 27,737 feet of land on the westerly side of Cedar street, numbered 70, between another estate of said Holl and an estate of Frances M. Donahue, tax for 1923.....	160 55				
Also buildings and about 15,584 feet of land on the westerly side of Cedar street, numbered 74, between another estate of said Holl and an estate of Schyler S. Bartlett and another, trustees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land					

Also buildings and about 1,795 feet of land on the westerly side of Marcella street, numbered 110, between an estate of Elizabeth McDonough, tax for 1923..... 61 75

Also buildings and about 3,433 feet of land on the westerly side of Marcella street, numbered 120, between an estate of Amalie Jirgenson and another and an estate of Timothy Sullivan and another, tax for 1923..... 123 50

Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 293, between an estate of James J. Newton and another and an estate of Ernest H. Parker and another, tax for 1923..... 61 75

Also buildings and about 2,975 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Notre Dame street, numbered 32, 32 rear-42, between an estate of Eliza Douglass and an estate of Joseph F. Gallagher heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... 39 52

Evelyn L. Pelley, two thirds, and Nellie D. Balfour, one third—Buildings and about 3,740 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 2773, between an estate of Eben A. Folger and another and an estate of Bridget E. Fallon, tax for 1923..... 123 50

Joseph Pittorino—Buildings and about 3,825 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3080, 3080A and 3082, making the easterly corner of Columbus avenue, adjoining another estate of said Pittorino, tax for 1923..... 392 73

Also buildings and about 3,842 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3084, 3086, 3086A and 3086B, between another estate of said Pittorino and an estate of Sophia Lener, tax for 1923..... 187 72

Walter A. Porter—About 8,400 feet of land on the westerly side and at end of Thwing street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Elizabeth Mulvey (numbered 1 Mulvey terrace), tax for 1923..... 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 15 56

John C. Margaret E., James E. and Rose J. Prendergast—Buildings and about 2,599 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mozart street, numbered 72 and 74, between an estate of Theodore R. Felsch and another and an estate of Francis McLaughlin, tax for 1923..... 158 08

John A. Quigley—About 1,454 (assessed as 1,128) feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway, leading from the southwesterly side of Codman Hill street, between another estate of said Quigley and an estate of John Shilday heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 1,128 feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway leading from the southwesterly side of Codman Hill street, between another estate of said Quigley and an estate of Albert C. Smith, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Mary A. Rice—Buildings and about 3,928 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dixwell street, numbered 17 and 19, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Edgar P. Benjamin, tax for 1923..... \$395 20

Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due..... 245 20

Augustus O. Roberts—About 4,698 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Linwood street, being a lot shown on assessors' plan, volume 8, page 56, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Hugo Schindler—Buildings and about 6,480 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 121, between an estate of William Bourne and an estate of John T. Murphy, tax for 1923..... 247 00

Daniel Silberman—Buildings and about 1,381 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Parker street, numbered 939, between an estate of Mary Flaherty and an estate of Bella Tolendbloom, tax for 1923..... \$76 57

Paid on account..... 40 00

Balance due..... 36 57

Albert C. Smith—About 1,128 feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway, leading from the southwesterly side of Codman Hill street, between another estate of said Smith and an estate of John A. Quigley, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Also about 1,128 feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway leading from the southwesterly side of

Codman Hill street, between an estate of Margaret Cassell and another estate of said Smith, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Edward M. Stretton—Buildings and about 3,439 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Highland park, numbered 4, between an estate of Catherine A. Hurley and an estate of John Concannon and another, tax for 1923, 91 39

Mary E. Sullivan—Buildings and about 4,013 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Haley street, numbered 1, making the westerly corner of Harris-hof street, adjoining an estate of Alice M. Herlihy, tax for 1923..... \$163 02

Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 63 02

John and Christine E. Swanson—About 6,249 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Paul Gore street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Elizabeth Pelley; easterly by an estate of Julius Kreidell; southerly by an estate of Patrick J. Doyle and another; westerly by Paul Gore street, tax for 1923..... 54 34

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 14 05

Max Uroff—Buildings and about 1,826 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 36, between an estate of Samuel Washington and an estate of James W. Kenney, tax for 1923..... 83 98

Frank T. Vose—About 2,800 feet of land on the northerly side of Arklow street, between an estate of Reuben Blackman and an estate of John Kilday, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Also buildings and about 1,469 feet of land on the easterly side of Fort avenue, numbered 79, between an estate of Joseph Gersbach and another and an estate of Annie L. Mulvey, tax for 1923..... 86 45

Also buildings and about 1,019 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Centre place, numbered 3, between an estate of Herman Schafer and an estate of Sarah A. Skinner, tax for 1923..... 76 57

Etta M. Walther—Buildings and about 7,475 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 150, 152 and 152½, between an estate of Bernard Zellar and another and an estate of James Galvin and another, tax for 1923..... 249 47

Williams Realty Company—About 2,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Buckley avenue, between an estate of Mathilda Haid and an estate of Alexander Mann and another, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Also buildings and about 5,670 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut park, numbered 17 and 19, between an estate of Katherine V. O'Brien and an estate of Henry Dahl, devisees, tax for 1923..... 180 31

Also buildings and about 1,983 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 28, making the westerly corner of Thornton street, adjoining an estate of Grant M. Franklin, tax for 1923..... 103 74

A Ziegler and Sons Company—Buildings and about 26,674 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1257, making the northerly corner of and numbered 4 Decatur avenue, adjoining an estate of trustees of Grammar School in the easterly part of town of Roxbury, tax for 1923..... \$778 05

Paid on account..... 400 00

Balance due..... 378 05

Louis Zieman and Louis Dinner—Buildings and about 8,850 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 361 and 363, making the westerly corner of Walnut park, adjoining an estate of Annie G. Broderick, tax for 1923..... 2,074 80

Also buildings and about 20,065 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut park, numbered 77, between an estate of Fannie Segal and another estate of said Zieman and another, tax for 1923..... 410 02

Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

Also about 5,401 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut park, being lot 2, Barney B. Levy plan, March 22, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4354, page 464, tax for 1923..... 54 34

Harry Zukow and Max Fine—About 60,864 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Townsend street, being lot 3, S. L. Leftvith plan, June 12, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4378, page 446, tax for 1923..... 380 38

Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

WARD SIXTEEN.

Marion Alkins—Buildings and about 982 feet of land on the easterly side of Bower street, numbered 107, between another estate of said Marion Alkins (numbered 109) and an estate of Ralph P. Goldthwait (numbered 103 Bower street and 39 and 41 Humboldt avenue), tax for 1923..... \$135 85

Paid on account..... 70 00

Balance due..... \$65 85

Also buildings and about 889 feet of land on the easterly side of Bower street, numbered 109, between two other estates of said Marion Alkins (numbered 107 and 111, respectively), tax for 1923..... \$135 85

Paid on account..... 70 00

Balance due..... 65 85

Also buildings and about 974 feet of land on the easterly side of Bower street, numbered 111, between another estate of said Marion Alkins (numbered 169) and an estate of Tazuell Goode and another (numbered 113), tax for 1923..... \$135 85

Paid on account..... 70 00

Balance due..... 65 85

Solomon Apt, set-off to Joseph Ryack—About 6,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Schuyler street, adjoining an estate of said Solomon Apt, being a lot shown on S. L. Leftvith plan, dated May 15, 1923, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, 79 04

Marie L. Arcand—Buildings and about 2,868 feet of land on the westerly side of Sherman street, numbered 7, between an estate of William J. Joyce and an estate of Anna F. Josselyn, tax for 1923..... \$79 04

Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 54 04

Dora Barr—Buildings and about 3,090 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 18, between another estate of said Barr and an estate of Israel Alpert, tax for 1923..... \$167 96

Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 92 96

Also buildings and about 3,002 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 16, between two other estates of said Barr, tax for 1923..... \$167 96

Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 92 96

Also buildings and about 3,026 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 14, between two other estates of said Barr, tax for 1923..... \$167 96

Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 92 96

Also buildings and about 3,106 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 12, between another estate of said Barr and an estate of Harry Kaizer, tax for 1923..... \$167 96

Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 92 96

James Barrett—Buildings and about 4,049 feet of land on the northerly side of Intervale street, numbered 10, between an estate of Mary Davidson and an estate of Bette Susser, tax for 1923..... 148 20

Bessie Berkowitz—Buildings and about 5,985 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 100, making the easterly corner of Dale street, adjoining an estate of Max E. Knopp, tax for 1923..... 192 66

Sarah S. Berman (reassessed from Charles J. Kelley, Junior)—Buildings and about 540 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Segel street, numbered 4, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Berman, tax for 1923..... 54 34

Sarah S. Berman (reassessed from Annie M. Kelley)—Buildings and about 540 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Segel street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Berman, being a lot shown on Leon B. Murray plan, July 6, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3294, page 90, tax for 1921..... 54 34

Boston Suburban Real Estate Corporation—Buildings and about 2,892 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Quincy street, numbered 33, between an estate of Margaret M. McCarthy and another and an estate of Jewell I. Parmenter, tax for 1923..... 185 25

Mary A. Bowditch—Buildings and about 5,906 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wayne street, numbered 18, between an estate of Mary E. Gaffey and an estate of Myer Pearl, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Bertha H. Burt—Buildings and about 2,852 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 95A, between two other estates of said Burt, tax for 1923.....	59 28		
Also buildings and about 3,440 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 97, between two other estates of said Burt, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Also buildings and about 4,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 99, between another estate of said Burt and an estate of Charles Gaston Smith and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Samuel and Jennie Charik—Buildings and about 4,794 feet of land on the northerly side of Garden street, at end, numbered 20 and 22, adjoining an estate of Rose Rubin, tax for 1923.....	444 60		
Charles T. Cogswell—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Waumbeck street, numbered 64, between an estate of Gertrude Mann and an estate of Matilda G. Addelson, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Esther Cohen—Buildings and about 10,672 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 105, 105A, 107, 107A, 109, 109A, 109B, 111 and 111A, between an estate of Joseph Gersh and an estate of Michael Rosenbaum, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15978, tax for 1923.....	1,012 70		
Sarah Cohen—Buildings and about 4,175 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Waumbeck street, numbered 31, between an estate of Anne E. Kelher and an estate of Winnie B. Ward, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	72 90		
Myer Cohen Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 9,345 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hutchings street, numbered 25, between an estate of Mary L. Drisko and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz and another, moth assessment for 1922.....	370 50		
Tax for 1923.....	50		
Gertrude M. Cole—Buildings and about 4,305 feet of land on the southwest side of Wyoming street, numbered 12, between an estate of Annie M. Kelley and an estate of Catherine V. Howlett, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Congregation Adath Jeshurun—About 117,562 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly corner of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated December, 1919, as modified and approved by the court as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate title numbered 11733, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, moth assessment for 1921.....	2 17		
Congregation Adath Jeshurun (now set off to Congregation Adath Jeshurun)—About 111,415 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly corner of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated December, 1919, as modified and approved by the court as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate of title numbered 11733, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, tax for 1922.....	750 88		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 96		
Congregation Adath Jeshurun (now set off to Congregation Adath Jeshurun)—About 111,415 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly side of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated December, 1919, as modified and approved by the court, as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate numbered 11733, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, tax for 1921.....	1,368 38		
Congregation Adath Jeshurun—About 61,415 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly corner of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, as modified and approved by the court, as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate of title numbered 11733, being that part of said lot not exempted as shown on Blackall			
Clapp and Whittemore plan, on file in assessors' office, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, tax for 1923.....	758 29		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Bartholomew J. Connolly—About 643 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Walnut avenue, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Joseph D. Stukas and another (numbered 182 and 184), bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates now or formerly of Joseph D. Stukas; easterly by an estate of Mary R. Paul; southerly by an estate of Harry B. Quint; westerly by an estate of Sophia Lerner, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also buildings and about 1,807 feet of land on the northerly side of Harold street, numbered 29, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Connolly, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Also buildings and about 1,576 feet of land on the northerly side of Harold street, numbered 27, between another estate of said Connolly and an estate of Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
William F. Cook—Buildings and about 1,484 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Maywood terrace, numbered 2, between an estate of Ethel Medved and an estate of Katherine Finnegan, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Mary J. Crosby—Buildings and about 10,646 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 63, making the westerly corner of Montrose street, between an estate of Fred Morse and another and an estate of Barbara A. Streider, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Mary Davidson—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Intervale street, numbered 8, between an estate of Federated Jewish Charities and an estate of James Barrett, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Kallman Davidson—Buildings and about 2,265 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clifford street, numbered 71, between another estate of said Davidson and an estate of Edwin B. Gadsby and another, tax for 1923.....	76 57		
Rosina and Filomena DeNapoli—Buildings and about 7,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harrihof street, numbered 140, between an estate of Bertha Wolpert and an estate of Mary A. Elston, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 8,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Homestead street, numbered 72, between an estate of Matilda Day and an estate of Rose Shrago, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Alice Dooley—Buildings and about 2,698 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Laurel street, numbered 31, extending through to Humboldt avenue, between an estate of Mary A. Brown and an estate of Anabale Bertolucci and another, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Marie M. Eagan—Buildings and about 5,187 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 49 and 49A, between an estate of Mary Perlis and an estate of Harry J. Eagan, tax for 1923.....	118 56		
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Maywood street, numbered 90 and 92, making the easterly corner of Loyola street, adjoining an estate of Hugh Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Also buildings and about 7,644 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rockland street, numbered 50, 52, 66 and 68, between an estate of George H. Carter, trustee and an estate of John Kavalianskas and another, tax for 1923.....	271 70		
Harry J. Eagan—Buildings and about 2,715 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 63 and 65, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Eagan, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Also buildings and about 6,873 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 51, 53, 55, 57, 59 and 61, between another estate of said Eagan and an estate of Marie M. Eagan, tax for 1923.....	407 55		
Myer I. Eilberg—Buildings and about 4,416 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 19, between an estate of Frank Bruning and an estate of Eleanor N. Clough, tax for 1923.....	192 66		
Annie Eilenberg—Buildings and about 9,102 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 165, between an estate of Moses Brody and an estate of Mt. Pleasant Home, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Bessie Finberg—Buildings and about 4,439 feet of land on the westerly side of Gannett street, numbered 9, between an estate of Dora H. Finberg and an estate of Patrick C. McMananim, tax for 1923.....	135 85		
Walter F. Gallagher—About 217 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Garden street, adjoining an estate of Katie Cohen (numbered 9), being a lot shown on H. H. Moses plan, January 10, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1912, page 17, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Abraham and Rebecca Geller—Buildings and about 5,205 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 338, 340 and 342, between an estate of Louis Prince and an estate of Thomas F. Whalen, tax for 1923.....	395 20		
Miriam B. Gerstein—Buildings and about 10,116 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Warren street, numbered 466, making the easterly corner of Holborn street, adjoining an estate of Myer S. Olin, tax for 1923.....	321 10		
Israel Goldberg—Buildings and about 4,577 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crawford street, numbered 97, between an estate of Congregation Beth Hamedrash Hagodal of Roxbury and an estate of Kalman M. Davidson, tax for 1923.....	180 31		
Annie Greenfield—Buildings and about 6,550 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Munroe street, numbered 51, between an estate of Sophia Kalinsky and an estate of Ida Snider and another, tax for 1923.....	135 85		
Zelda Greenwood (supposed present owner Ernest A. Giorosa)—Buildings and about 1,736 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, numbered 397, between an estate of William J. Foley and an estate of Mitchel S. Regal and another, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Fannie Herbert—Buildings and about 4,550 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parkview street, numbered 18, between an estate of Irving H. Upton and an estate of Frederic W. O'Connor, tax for 1923.....	\$259 35		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	159 35		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 6,318 feet of land on the easterly side of Otisfield street, numbered 2, between an estate of Mary C. Menes and an estate of Jacob Edelstein, tax for 1922.....	148 20		
Tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Also about 4,089 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, adjoining an estate of Lena Glauser, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Lena Glauser; northeasterly by estates of Jennie Fine and Patrick A. Kearns and another; southeasterly by an estate of Abraham Schwartz; northwesterly by Quincy street, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Jacob Kaplan—Buildings and about 9,889 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 77 and 81, between an estate of Sarah Olansky and an estate of Rebecca Rubin, tax for 1923.....	\$395 20		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	295 20		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Theodore F. Kase—Buildings and about 4,992 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ottawa street, numbered 26 and 28, between another estate of said Kase and an estate of David Fleming, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,717 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, numbered 391 and 391A, between an estate of Jennie M. Mooney and an estate of Eugene J. Farley, tax for 1923.....	\$197 00		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	97 60		
Also buildings and about 428 feet of land on the northerly side of Harold street, numbered 25, between an estate of Mary A. Curley and an estate of Bartholomew J. Connolly, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also buildings and about 4,305 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wyoming street, numbered 14, between an estate of Maurice J. O'Connell and an estate of Gertrude M. Cole, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Martha E. Kendall—About 3,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, adjoining another estate of said Kendall, being lot 5, the C. H. W. Wood Company plan, March 9, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2754, page 157, tax for 1923.....	39 52		

Also about 3,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, adjoining another estate of said Kendall, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922.....	39 52		
Ellen D. Kinsley—Buildings and about 4,775 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Edgewood street, numbered 74 and 76, extending through to Southwood street, between an estate of Dora Berman and an estate of James F. Welsh, tax for 1923.....	242 06		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	142 06		
Fedora Kozolofsky—Buildings and about 16,835 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Townsend street, numbered 232, between an estate of Gilbert H. Shepard and an estate of The Association for the Work of Mercy in the Diocese of Massachusetts, tax for 1923, Giuseppe and Antoinette Lasrocco—Buildings and about 2,162 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 45, between an estate of Stanatia Soligan and an estate of Sarah Marcus, tax for 1923....	284 05		
David Lasker—Buildings and about 5,313 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 179 and 181, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Jennie Nigrosh, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 175 and 177, making the northerly corner of a passageway, extending through to and making westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining in the rear an estate of Jennie Nigrosh, tax for 1923.....	558 22		
Jesse D. Levy—Buildings and about 4,265 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Waumbeck street, numbered 47, between an estate of Rosa Ginsberg and another and an estate of Fannie Golub and another, tax for 1923.....	555 75		
Abraham J. Litvac—Buildings and about 2,122 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rockland street, numbered 17, adjoining an estate of Bellevue Real Estate and Construction Company, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
James H. and Mattie P. Madison—Buildings and about 2,357 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harold street, numbered 64, between an estate of William Hack and an estate of Maude Stuart Hack, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Ethel Medved—Buildings and about 1,338 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Maywood terrace, numbered 4, between an estate of William F. Cook and an estate of Dominick Spinnelli, tax for 1923.....	138 32		
Ester M. Meserve—Buildings and about 4,408 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clifford Street, numbered 80, between an estate of E. J. Owen Hardware Company and an estate of Hyman Fish and another, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
William H. Mitchell—About 807 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Georgia street, adjoining an estate of Catherine McNally, being a lot shown on H. H. Moses plan, dated June 21 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2214, page 107, tax for 1923....	9 88		
Hugh Nawn Heirs or devisees—Buildings and about 4,017 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rockland street, numbered 42, making the southerly corner of Wakullah street, adjoining an estate of Emma J. Weston, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Also buildings and about 6,797 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 235, 235A, 237, 239, 241 and 243, extending through to Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	543 40		
Also buildings and about 5,140 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 245, 247 and 249, making the northwesterly corner of Maywood street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Also about 2,442 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, being lot 14, Garbett and Wood plan, dated February 1, 1876, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1314, page 209, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 1,970 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 1,970 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also buildings and about 6,304 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Maywood street, numbered 98, 100 and 102, making the northerly corner of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	395 20		
Also buildings and about 4,125 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Maywood street, numbered 94 and 96, between another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees and an estate of Marie M. Eagan, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Also buildings and about 4,691 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Savin street, numbered 58 and 60, between an estate of William J. Hagerty and another and an estate of Frank S. McAllister, tax for 1923, Henry P. Nawn, Rose E. A. Nawn, Susan S. Eagan and Katherine Nawn—Buildings and about 3,867 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 75 and 77, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Hugh Nawn—Buildings and about 10,880 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brookledge street, numbered 70, making the northerly corner of Elm Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Nawn heirs, tax for 1922.....	123 50		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	494 00		
Tax for 1923.....	50		
Elizabeth A. Nawn—Buildings and about 42,011 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Seaver street, numbered 188, making the northerly corner of Elm Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Adelaide L. Spring, tax for 1921.....	494 00		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	57 13		
Tax for 1922.....	997 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	55 45		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 96		
Tax for 1923.....	997 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	53 77		
Henry P. Nawn—About 7,740 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brookledge street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Brookledge street; southeasterly by an estate of Trustees of the Grammar School in the easterly part of the Town of Roxbury; southwest by an estate of Joseph H. O'Neil; northwesterly by estates of Ida Leventall, tax for 1921.....	91 39		
Also about 9,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brookledge street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Samuel Berkowitz; southeasterly by an estate of Hugh Nawn; southwest by Brookledge street; northwesterly by an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1921.....	93 86		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	33 20		
Also buildings and about 6,176 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savin street, numbered 74 and 76, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Louis Campedelli and others, tax for 1921, Louis Campedelli and others, tax for 1922.....	148 20		
Also buildings and about 7,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Homestead street, numbered 49, making the southerly corner of Harold street, adjoining an estate of Dora Niditch, tax for 1922.....	197 60		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Henry P. Nawn Heirs—Buildings and about 7,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Homestead street, numbered 49, making the southerly corner of Harold street, adjoining an estate of Dora Niditch, tax for 1923, Also about 9,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brookledge street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Samuel Berkowitz; southeasterly by an estate of Hugh Nawn, southwesterly by Brookledge street, northwesterly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	93 86		
Also buildings and about 6,176 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savin street, numbered 74 and 76, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Louis Campedelli and others, tax for 1923.....	30 87		
Also buildings and about 19,290 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savin street, numbered 82, making the northerly corner of Blue Hill avenue, extending through to and making the westerly corner of Maywood street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Philip Niditch—Buildings and about 13,577 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 191, between an estate of Sarah F. Rabinovitch and an estate of Kallman M. Davidson, tax for 1923.....	1,556 10		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	234 65		
Abraham and Bessie Palder—Buildings and about 8,166 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 144, between another estate of said Palder and an estate of Gertrude E. Brightman, tax for 1923, William Pearlmutter—Buildings and about 2,341 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 52, between an estate of Jennie Pearlmutter and an estate of Daniel M. Herlihy and another, tax for 1923, Harris Pearlstein—Buildings and about 8,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Howland street, numbered 70, between an estate of Dora Rosenblatt and an estate of Clara Lief, tax for 1923.....	65		
Nellie J. Reagan—Buildings and about 1,425 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 46, between an estate of Mary J. Eaton and another estate of said Reagan, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Paid on account.....	209 95		
Balance due.....	69 16		
Also buildings and about 1,438 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 48, making the southwesterly corner of Regent street, adjoining another estate of said Reagan, tax for 1923.....	50 00		
Paid on account.....	19 16		
Balance due.....	19 16		
Abraham Richman—Buildings and about 8,349 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Crawford street, numbered 13 and 15, between an estate of George S. Haddock and an estate of Etta A. Shalit, tax for 1923.....	543 40		
Rose Jane Robins—Buildings and about 8,319 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, numbered 489 making the northerly corner of Wyoming street, adjoining another estate of said Robins, tax for 1923.....	271 70		
Also about 6,679 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, adjoining another estate of said Robins, being a lot shown on Charles H. W. Wood Company plan, January 12, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2422, page 554, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
George E. Rogers—About 3,127 feet of land on the southerly side of Bainbridge street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Bainbridge street and an estate of Helen S. Whitman; easterly by an estate of Nathan Katz; southerly by estates of Jennie Nigrosh and Julia O'Brien; westerly by an estate of Samuel K. Weiner and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Maurice S. Rogers—Buildings and about 1,906 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 87, between an estate of St. Clair A. Ward and an estate of Mortgage Indemnity Corporation, tax for 1923.....	153 14		

Abraham Rosenberg—Buildings and about 11,874 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 225, making the northerly corner of Homestead street, adjoining an estate of Rose Shrago, tax for 1923.	247 00		
Reddick J. Royster, Trustee for Robert G. and Annie E. Royster—Buildings and about 5,164 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harold street, numbered 177, between an estate of Israel Goldberg and another and an estate of Bessie Rosenzweig, tax for 1923.	148 20		
Jacob Short—Buildings and about 4,440 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gaston street, numbered 36, between an estate of Thomas H. Maguire and an estate of Gertrude Silberman, tax for 1923.	133 38		
Christina Showstead—Buildings and about 2,933 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 83, between an estate of Christine Lamken and an estate of Eugene Clapp and another, tax for 1923.	\$93 86		
Paid on account.	50 00		
Balance due.	43 86		
Rose Shrago—Buildings and about 8,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Homestead street, numbered 76, between an estate of Katie DiPietro and an estate of Abraham Rosenberg, tax for 1923.	\$177 84		
Paid on account.	100 00		
Balance due.	77 84		
Joseph Silk—Buildings and about 5,915 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Crawford street, numbered 135 and 137, making the easterly corner of Waumbeck street, adjoining an estate of Frank J. Holderied, tax for 1923.	568 10		
Grace E. Smith—Buildings and about 13,535 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 216, making the northeasterly corner of Montrose street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. McGowan heirs, tax for 1923.	345 80		
Also buildings and about 9,150 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Homestead street, numbered 108, between an estate of Morton F. Ginsburg and an estate of the Glenway Realty Company, tax for 1923.	197 60		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	26 44		
Bennett Snyder—Buildings and about 9,350 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Elm Hill avenue, numbered 51, between an estate of Louis Rubin and an estate of Jacob Pearl, tax for 1923.	197 60		
Joseph A. and Olga W. Teixeira—Buildings and about 4,994 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Otisfield street, numbered 6, between an estate of Mary C. Menes and an estate of Mary Alter, tax for 1923.	123 50		
Neil J. and Catherine J. Tolan—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbine street, numbered 47, between an estate of Frances L. Cram and an estate of Mabel L. Kennedy and another, tax for 1923.	\$79 04		
Paid on account.	60 00		
Balance due.	19 04		
Anastasia E. Vogt—Buildings and about 3,745 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wenonah street, numbered 30, between an estate of Sarah R. Einstein and an estate of Andrew J. Legg, tax for 1923.	160 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Susan S. Vossahlik—Buildings and about 1,828 feet of land on the westerly side of Regent square, numbered 3, between another estate of said Vossahlik and an estate of Sarah Burchill and another, tax for 1923.	41 99		
Also buildings and about 1,335 feet of land on the westerly side of Regent square, numbered 5, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Vossahlik, tax for 1923.	41 99		
Max Waner, Joseph Horwitz and Morris B. Silverman, Trustees of Silverman Trust—Buildings and about 6,008 feet of land on the easterly side of Crawford street, numbered 129, between an estate of Rose Barron and an estate of Floripda Bevilacqua, tax for 1923.	190 19		
Moth assessment for 1923.	65		
Pauline Weinstein—Buildings and about 2,618 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 321, between an estate of Giuseppe Furnari and another and an estate of Julius Goldman, tax for 1923.	271 70		
Frances L. Whipple—Buildings and about 2,459 feet of land on the southerly side of Whiting street, numbered 43, between an estate of			
Charles C. Earle and an estate of Mary A. Whynot, tax for 1923.	140 79		
Lillian E. Williams—Buildings and about 1,198 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 40 and 40A, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923.	185 25		
Also buildings and about 641 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 42 and 42A, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923.	111 15		
Also buildings and about 1,352 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 38 and 38A, making the southerly corner of Bower street and numbered 102, adjoining another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923.	234 65		
Also buildings and about 1,251 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 44 and 44A, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923.	185 25		
Also buildings and about 1,617 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 46, 46A and 46B, making the easterly corner of Humboldt terrace, adjoining another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923.	197 60		
Dorothy Windheim—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Edgewood street, numbered 63, making the westerly corner of and numbered 215, 215A and 215B Blue Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Joseph Epstein, tax for 1923.	741 00		
Abraham M. Wolfman, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 1,923 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 310, between an estate of William M. Collins and an estate of Jacob Manatsky, tax for 1923.	175 37		
Also buildings and about 1,858 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 314, between an estate of Jacob Manatsky and an estate of Ellen J. Foley, tax for 1923.	160 55		
WARD SEVENTEEN.			
William M. Ambler—About 43,574 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining estate of Peter J. Mahan and another trustees, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, dated December 20, 1900, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2729, page 148, tax for 1923.	\$108 68		
Richard F. Andrews Trustees—Buildings and about 3,408 feet of land on the southerly side of Dudley street, numbered 703, 705, 707 and 709, making southwesterly corner of Nonquit street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Maletz, tax for 1923.	234 65		
Emily A. Beale—About 393 feet of land on the easterly side of Sydney street, adjoining an estate of Albert H. Goss, being the northerly part of lot 15, shown on Whitman and Breck plan, dated November, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1803, page 273, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Sarah D. Belson—Buildings and about 4,521 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 419, 421, 423, 425, 427 and 429, making the junction of Hancock street, between an estate of Johanna Johnson and an estate of James A. Sullivan, tax for 1923.	296 40		
Tillie Berenson—Buildings and about 26,540 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Quincy street, numbered 220 rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Aaron Guber, tax for 1923.	111 15		
Myron L. Billings—Buildings and about 4,332 feet of land on the westerly side of Treadway road, numbered 16, between an estate of James J. Wilcox and another and an estate of Rosa H. Stevens, tax for 1923.	76 57		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	21 37		
Tobie Bloom—Buildings and about 2,829 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wayland street, numbered 89, between an estate of Sarah Kaplan and an estate of Sonis Pritzky, tax for 1923.	\$135 85		
Paid on account.	75 00		
Balance due.	60 85		
Henry A. Brown—About 4,996 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Robinson court, between an estate of Mary Behan and an estate of Nathan W. Robinson and others, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Joseph P. Bullard—Buildings and about 4,722 feet of land on the southerly side of Glendale street, numbered 22, between an estate of Charles P. H. Lattemoor and an estate of Martin Foley and another, apportionment of			
sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.	13 05		
Harriet B. C. Butler—Buildings and about 15,582 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbia road, numbered 478, making the northerly corner of and numbered 7 and 9 Sayward street, adjoining an estate of Warren E. Kennedy and another, tax for 1921.	\$494 00		
Paid on account.	70 00		
Balance due.	424 00		
Moth assessment for 1921.	87		
Catherine G. Camack—About 2,740 feet of land on the southerly side of Julian street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Julian street; easterly by an estate of Mary Kelliher; westerly by an estate of Jacob P. Power, and southerly by Rand place, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 19,236 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot A, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 7, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.	37 05		
Also about 19,806 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Alice T. Jones, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.	39 52		
Also buildings and about 2,555 feet of land on the westerly side of Greenmount place, numbered 5, between an estate of Francis S. Cummings Company and an estate of Ellen L. Hickey, tax for 1923.	61 75		
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 4,298 feet of land on the westerly side of Auckland street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 26, shown on a plan not named, dated April 1, 1885, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1678, page 213, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Also about 4,357 feet of land on the westerly side of Auckland street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Also about 4,534 feet of land on the westerly side of Auckland street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Clougherty, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.	27 17		
William L. Chase—Buildings and about 11,380 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Grampian way, numbered 72 and 74, between an estate of John F. Cudmore and an estate of Clandine R. Stanley, tax for 1923.	148 20		
Patrick S. Conlon—Buildings and about 6,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Savin Hill avenue, numbered 300, between an estate of Frances P. Conlon and another and an estate of John J. Conlon, tax for 1923.	98 80		
Minnie F. Connor—About 46,335 feet of land on the northerly side of Grampian way, between two estates of William B. Sherman, tax for 1922.	59 28		
Tax for 1923.	59 28		
Annie Cotter—Buildings and about 2,453 feet of land on the westerly side of Coleman street, numbered 5, between an estate of Adeline Cohen and an estate of Paul N. Legendoe and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.	12 70		
William C. Cotton and Frank B., Trustees Aria Cotton Estate, eight twelfths, William C. and Frank B. Cotton, two twelfths, Charles B. Prince, one twelfth, and Aria C. Morrison, one twelfth—About 8,960 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between another estate of Cotton and others, trustees, and an estate of Aaron Guber and another, tax for 1923.	44 46		
Also about 10,370 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between an estate of Martin L. Cate and another and another estate of said Cotton and others, trustees, tax for 1923.	51 87		
Catherine E. Crowley—Buildings and about 3,608 feet of land on the easterly side of Tuttle street, numbered 43, between an estate of Katherine Gorman and an estate of Kerna Sperring, tax for 1923.	\$93 86		
Paid on account.	50 00		
Balance due.	43 86		
Margaret I. Edlund—Buildings and about 6,681 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Howard avenue, numbered 58 and 58A, between an estate of Charlotte M. Stronach and an estate of Charlotte M. Stronach, tax for 1923.	\$128 44		
Paid on account.	50 00		
Balance due.	78 44		

Francis J. Farrar—Buildings and about 2,980 feet of land on the southerly side of Russ terrace, numbered 1, between an estate of Sarah J. Ross and an estate of John L. Burton, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	25 35	estate of Daniel F. McCormack, tax for 1923.....	66 69
Also buildings and about 2,413 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fox Point road, numbered 10, between an estate of Mary T. Bucklev and an estate of Alice M. Rogers, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Margaret L. Kerrigan—About 544 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between another estate of said Kerrigan and an estate of Dennis Higgins, tax for 1923.....	1 91	James A. Moriarty—About 2,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Savin Hill avenue, between an estate of Maud Baxter and others and an estate of Andrew J. Hanson and another, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 68	Rose Laro and Sarah Miller—Buildings and about 2,338 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Howard avenue, numbered 111, between an estate of Rachel Heymann and an estate of Daniel Friedberg, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Ella E. Morse—About 321 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Fayston street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Lena Pearlman, being a lot shown on J. N. McCintock plan, November 28, 1904, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3007, page 42, tax for 1923.....	2 17
Devises of Julia Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 374, between an estate of Ella I. Sullivan and an estate of Thomas and Agnes B. Hession, tax for 1923.....	91 39	Morris Levy—Buildings and about 2,949 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fayston street, numbered 70, between another estate of said Levy and an estate of Kofman Nesman, tax for 1923.....	170 43	Anthony P. Murray—About 2,258 feet of land on the westerly side of Sea View terrace, being lot 9, and the northerly part of lot 8, William Kelly plan, September 3, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2385, page 55, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Mary C. Foster—About 19,236 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Savin Hill avenue; westerly by an estate of Anna B. Robinson; easterly by an estate of Marjane T. Connor and southerly by another estate of said Foster, tax for 1921.....	37 05	Alice E. Linnell—Buildings and about 16,417 feet of land on the easterly side of Savin Hill avenue, not numbered, between another estate of said Linnell and an estate of Charles H. Bartlett, balance of tax for 1922.....	2 70	Henry P. Nawn, Rose E. Nawn, Catherine Nawn and Susan P. Nawn—Buildings and about 5,822 feet of land on the northerly side of Woodchiff street, numbered 32, 34 and 36, making the northwesterly corner of Glenbrook street, adjoining an estate of Lewis S. McQuade, tax for 1923.....	284 05
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,845 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana street, numbered 67, between an estate of Bessie Weiner and another estate of said French, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Also about 4,400 feet of flats on the easterly side of Old Colony parkway, outside the Bulkhead line, extending to the 100 Red line, adjoining an estate of Frederick L. Stark, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Abraham and Katharine Norcott—Buildings and about 9,628 feet of land on the northerly side of Tull street, numbered 7 and 9, between an estate of Lucy P. Little and an estate of Oakley S. Shampes and another, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25 Paid on account..... 100 00
Also buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana street, numbered 69, between an estate of Myer and Lillian Grodzen and another estate of said French, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Anny W. MacDonald—Buildings and about 1,387 feet of land on the westerly side of Belvue street, numbered 29, between an estate of Anne B. James and an estate of Margaret L. Ferrin, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Balance due.....	85 25
Frank A. and Annie C. Gaffney—Buildings and about 3,330 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Danube street, numbered 43, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Ida Brooks, tax for 1923.....	167 96	Alfred Maling—Buildings and about 5,107 (assessed as 5,121) feet of land on the northerly side of Robin Hood street, numbered 17, making the junction of Folsom street, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth J. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	\$165 49 Paid on account..... 70 00	Rosanna O'Neil—Buildings and about 27,119 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 409, between an estate of Charles A. Upham, heirs or devisees of, and an estate of Isidor Wexler, tax for 1923.....	333 45
Celia Green, Trustees of Buck Bay Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 841 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dunkeld street, numbered 9 and 9A, between an estate of Israel Siegel and an estate of Kofman Nesman, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Abram V. Mann—About 540 feet of land on the northerly side of Ingleside street, adjoining an estate of Michael Rock, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood plan, dated May 27, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2369, tax for 1923.....	2 47 Tax for 1922..... 2 47	Samuel Orenberg—Buildings and about 3,775 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Balfour street, numbered 9, between an estate of Lina Waldman and an estate of Lena Tepper, tax for 1923.....	135 85
Aaron Guber and Louis Sherman—About 1,550 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, adjoining an estate of Bloomie Shprazky, being a lot shown on M. Porosky and L. S. Stone plan, dated December 29, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3340, page 566, tax for 1922.....	7 41 7 41	William F. McCarthy—About 3,731 feet of land on the easterly side of Danube street, adjoining another estate of said McCarthy, being lot G, as shown on William H. Whitney plan, dated May 22, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3140, page 35, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Elizabeth M. O'Shea—Buildings and about 3,658 feet of land on the easterly side of Sydney street, numbered 71, between an estate of Freeman H. Perkins and an estate of D. Joseph Connors, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Max Heitin, one half, and Max Richmond, one half—Buildings and about 4,593 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fayston street, numbered 38 and 40, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Leah Baker, tax for 1923.....	170 50	Also about 3,776 feet of land on the easterly side of Danube street, adjoining another estate of said McCarthy, being lot F, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Sebastian F. Peppi—About 4,162 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer avenue, being lot C, George H. Sherman plan, March 8, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3800, page 303, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Ida M. Holsdon—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Julian street, numbered 17, between an estate of David Carey and an estate of John T. Moran and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Evan J. and Alice H. McDonald—About 5,351 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Tilda Hanson, being lot 4, as shown on S. W. McLean plan, dated May 16, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2899, page 297, tax for 1923.....	22 23	J. Homer Pierce, Joseph W. Homer and James R. Carret, Trustees, under will of Sydney Homer—About 43,574 feet of land on the easterly side of Savin Hill avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Petr J. Mahon and another and an estate of John Tully (numbered 384), and an estate of Michael Tully (numbered 384 rear), and an estate of Anna B. Robinson; westerly by Savin Hill avenue; southerly by an estate of Francis Peabody, Junior, and another (numbered 130); easterly by an estate of George Wright (numbered 24 Grampan way), tax for 1922.....	108 68
Also buildings and about 3,417 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mascena street, numbered 11, making the northerly corner of and numbered 86 Fayston street, adjoining an estate of Patrick A. Kearns, tax for 1923.....	\$209 95 Paid on account..... 109 95	Ella E. Melotti—Buildings and about 4,271 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Castle Rock street, numbered 10 and 12, between an estate of Herbert J. Law and an estate of William F. Butler and another, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Elizabeth A. Power—About 45,093 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, making the easterly corner of Belvue street, extending through to Cornell street, being lot A, John H. Rice plan, December 14, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3504, page 221, tax for 1923.....	113 62
Balance due.....	100 00	Also buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Castle Rock street, numbered 3, between an estate of James A. Boyd and another trustees and an estate of Richard V. Olson, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Also about 22,180 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cornell street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	44 46
Robianna A. Hudon—Buildings and about 5,260 feet of land on the westerly side of Monadnock street, numbered 5, between an estate of Eliza Hurst and an estate of Isaac Nesson, tax for 1923.....	180 31	Also buildings and about 2,934 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1084, 1084A and 1084B, between an estate of John A. Brett and an estate of Maria L. Betts, tax for 1923.....	197 60	Dennis F. Reardon—Buildings and about 15,884 feet of land on the westerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 342, 344 and 348, making the southwesterly corner of Hendry street, adjoining an estate of Alexander H. Copley, tax for 1923.....	666 90
Benjamin Jacobs Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 27,280 feet of land on the northwesterly and southwesterly side of Downer court at end, not numbered, between an estate of Louis Garello and an estate of John Donohoe, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	5 67	James T. and Clara A. Ming—Buildings and about 2,293 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 24, making the northeasterly corner of Jerome street, adjoining another estate of said Ming, tax for 1923.....	69 16	Arthur B. Rigney—About 40 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dromey street, making the easterly corner of Judson street, adjoining an estate of Alice W. Pope (numbered 45 Julian street), tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	5 71	Also buildings and about 2,528 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 20, between two other estates of said Ming, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Anna L. Robinson—Buildings and about 5,178 feet of land on the westerly side of Hartford street, numbered 55, making the northwesterly corner of Cunningham street, adjoining an estate of Chancellor C. Allen, tax for 1923.....	140 79
Alice T. James—About 18,702 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, being lot C, shown on Assessors' plans, volume 9, page 7, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Also buildings and about 2,668 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 18, between two other estates of said Ming, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Annie B. Royster—Buildings and about 4,133 feet of land on the westerly side of Tuttle street, numbered 12, between an estate of Thomas F. Healy and an estate of Catherine T. Daly, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Annie M. Kelley—About 3,066 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Woodchiff street extension, being lot G, D. W. Hyde plan, March 1, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2433, page 225, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also buildings and about 2,864 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Ming and an			
Also about 3,869 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Rockdale street, being lot 7, C. E. Varney plan, March, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2748, page 262, tax for 1923.....	14 82				

Fannie Schwartz—Buildings and about 6,852 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ceylon street, numbered 11, between an estate of Annie C. Whalen and an estate of Robert S. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Morris Spack—Buildings and about 2,582 feet of land on the westerly side of Maryland street, numbered 25, between an estate of Margaret A. Fox and an estate of Antonio Luizzo and another, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Kerna Sperling—About 16,652 feet of land on the easterly side of Tuttle street, being lots 38, 39, 40 and 41, H. T. Whitman plan, dated June, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2002, page 422, tax for 1923.....	143 26		
Mary B. Strauss—Buildings and about 5,993 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hancock street, numbered 118, between an estate of Katie Smith and an estate of Rocco Filicchia, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
S. Franklin Sutherland—About 4,565 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monadnock street, being lot B, Louis A. Chase plan, dated August 11, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4398, page 601, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Florence M. Trainor—Buildings and about 3,124 feet of land on the easterly side of Rowell street, numbered 7, between an estate of John J. O'Shea and an estate of Walter F. Keen, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25		
Paid on account.....	85 00		
Balance due.....	100 25		
Also about 4,460 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer avenue, being lot 26, Whitman & Howard plan, dated January 9, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3255, tax for 1923.....	\$9 88		
Paid on account.....	4 37		
Balance due.....	5 51		
Peter and Angelina M. Veneto—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Fairbury street, numbered 8, between an estate of Andrew J. Burnett and an estate of Reuben Black, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Isidor Wexler—Buildings and about 28,296 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 405, making the easterly corner of Quincy street, adjoining an estate of Rosanna O'Neil, tax for 1923.....	2,470 00		
Wilbur Land Company—About 7,540 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilbur street, being lot B, H. C. Mildram plan, dated November 30, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4332, page 309, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 20		
Florence E. Wilkins—Buildings and about 3,392 feet of land on the southerly side of Thornley street, numbered 10, between an estate of Martha A. A. Ward and an estate of Margaret T. O'Connell, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
William Williams—About 2,377 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, being lot 2, F. S. Hunter plan, dated December, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also about 5,921 feet of land on the northerly side of Woodcliff street, being lot 73, William H. Whitney plan, dated June 16, 1891, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Alexander W. Woods—Buildings and about 3,934 feet of land on the easterly side of Saxton street, numbered 31, between an estate of Anastasia Ronan and an estate of Gertrude H. Nelligan, tax for 1923.....	138 32		
WARD EIGHTEEN.			
Marie E. Anderson—Buildings and about 5,005 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 353, between an estate of William MacLeod and another and an estate of Donato Finamore and another, tax for 1923.....	\$222 30		
Hyman Balin—About 207 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Levant street, being lot L, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated December 13, 1921, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14657, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Dora Blumenthal—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Fenton street, numbered 9, between an estate of Patrick J. Burke heirs or devisees and an estate of Daniel Riley, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Also about 2,715 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Downey, being lot 24, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 175, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also buildings and about 2,865 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Dora Blumenthal and an estate of Ansley M. Johnson, trustees, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Also about 1,114 feet of land on the northerly side of Orchardfield street, adjoining an estate of Catherine J. Moore and another, trustees, being lots 161 and 162, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 176, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 848 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orchardfield street, adjoining an estate of Ansley M. Johnson, trustee, being lot 1, William E. Hannan plan, dated May 22, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also buildings and about 6,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1374 to 1378, inclusive, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 2, 4, 6 and 8 Orchardfield street, adjoining another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 1370 and 1372 Dorchester avenue), tax for 1923.....	456 95		
Also buildings and about 1,269 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1370 and 1372, between another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 1374 to 1378 Dorchester avenue) and an estate of Teresa McDonough (numbered 1366 and 1368 Dorchester avenue), tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Max Blumenthal—Buildings and about 2,865 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, numbered 7, between another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 9 and 11) and an estate of William Finnigan, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	34 28		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Also buildings and about 2,835 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, numbered 9 and 11, between another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 7), and an estate of Bridget Lilly (numbered 13), tax for 1923.....	\$49 40		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	24 40		
Also buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Orchardfield street, numbered 9, between an estate of John Havey heirs or devisees (numbered 13) and an estate of Henry E. Cohen (numbered 5), tax for 1923.....	\$44 46		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	19 46		
Also buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Greenwich street, numbered 18, between an estate of John J. Crowley and another and an estate of Giacomo Di Stefano, tax for 1923.....	\$111 15		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	86 15		
Ida Bromberg—Buildings and about 1,817 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 338 and 338A, between an estate of Annie Miller and an estate of Ida Cabelinsky, tax for 1923.....	303 81		
Alice C. and Florence E. Bryan—Buildings and about 4,950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 94, between an estate of Lena Rosenthal and an estate of Ida Levenson, tax for 1923.....	177 84		
Ida Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 2,037 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 336, 336A and 336B, between an estate of Ida Bromberg and an estate of Albert Colmes and another, tax for 1923.....	308 75		
Simon Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 5,860 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 44, between an estate of Harry Brown and an estate of Samuel Baker and another, tax for 1923.....	163 02		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 23		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 10,572 feet of land on the southerly side of Lyon street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Lesser, being a lot shown on F. P. Hall plan, dated February, 1903, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Henry Clark—Buildings and about 6,877 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stanley street, numbered 39, between an estate of George H. Foley and another and an estate of Governors of St. Francis Xavier's College, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, trustees of the Neil McNeil Endowment Fund (numbered 43), tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Louis Clayton—About 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Arcadia street, adjoining an estate of Fannie Clayton, being lot A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated January, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4444, page 241, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Samuel Cohen and Louis Silverstein—Buildings and about 7,135 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 312, 314, 314A and 316, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1 Fayston street, adjoining an estate of Barnet Lesser, tax for 1923.....	\$538 46		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	338 46		
Columbia Investment Company—About 1,974 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 3, William E. Hannan plan, March 5, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2844, page 213, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,015 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,015 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,015 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining an estate of Catherine L. Deane, being lot 58, shown on assessors' plans, Volume 9, page 176, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 5,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Fenton street, making the northwesterly corner of Clayton street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also about 4,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Clayton street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 1, William E. Hannan plan, March 5, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2844, page 213, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Mary E. Connolly—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blakeville street, numbered 37, between an estate of Julia A. Rockett and an estate of Arthur M. Greene and another, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Mary E., Alice M. and John J. Donnelly, one sixth each and William J. Emerson, three sixths—About 2,970 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 12, not named plan, dated August 1, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3063, page 91, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,970 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,940 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,825 feet of land on the southwesterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,545 feet of land on the southwesterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 2,280 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street on the southwesterly side of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 2,830 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, making the southerly corner of a proposed street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Also about 6,692 feet of land on the easterly side of Toplift street, making the southeasterly corner of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923.....	98 80		

Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.....	28 13	other estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	71 63	Also about 3,201 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 10, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated June 10, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2926, page 371, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 2,460 feet of land on the easterly side of Topliff street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	83 34		
Also about 2,750 feet of land on the easterly side of Topliff street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,050 feet of land on the easterly side of Topliff street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 8,085 feet of land on the easterly side of Normandy street, between another estate of said Kelley and an estate of Julius Kulmanowitz (numbered 36 and 38), tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 11, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated June 10, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2926, page 371, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Michael J. and Elizabeth A. Fallon—Buildings and about 3,242 feet of land on the southerly side of Arcadia park, numbered 20, between an estate of John Ivanowski and an estate of Annie M. Kelly, tax for 1923, \$123 50 Paid on account.....	12 35	Also about 2,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side and at end of Brunswick street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being a lot shown on a plan, not named, November 4, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2406, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Balance due.....	53 50	Also about 2,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being the northeasterly part of lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Julia J. Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 3,611 feet of land on the northerly side of Westville street, numbered 156, between an estate of Lizzie Nishuler and an estate of Rebecca Kandib, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Philip Fogarty Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Fenton street, numbered 37, adjoining an estate of Catherine Gearighty, numbered 33, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9987, tax for 1922.....	37 05	Also about 4,206 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, making the westerly corner of Lorraine street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	37 05	Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, making the southerly corner of Lorraine street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 4,672 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, making the northerly corner of Wales place, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
William M. Foley—Buildings and about 3,999 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarkson street, numbered 58, between an estate of Hannah Donovan and an estate of Governors of St. Francis Xavier's College, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, tax for 1923.....	100 00	Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 2,855 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Paid on account.....	100 00	Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 2,748 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Balance due.....	60 55	Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 46, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 2,669 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Tilly E. Freidman—Buildings and about 3,440 feet of land on the northerly side of Charles street, numbered 47, making the northwesterly corner of a proposed street, adjoining an estate of James J. Vaughan and another (numbered 51), tax for 1923.....	209 95	Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 2,614 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 7,507 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 39, between an estate of Lena Pearlstein and an estate of Isaac and Harry N. Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 2,584 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Maurice J. Mahoney, Sole Surviving Beneficiary under will—Buildings and about 3,371 feet of land on the southerly side of Langfellow street, numbered 33, between an estate of Liboris Besties and an estate of John Downey, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Isaac and Harry N. Goldberg—About 6,032 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence avenue, between an estate of Clara B. French, (numbered 39) and an estate of Ida Raphael (numbered 45), tax for 1923.....	34 58	Charles J. Kelley, Junior—About 3,131 feet of land on the southerly side of Arcadia park, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Arcadia park; southerly by an estate of Rose Klous, numbered 25 Charles street; westerly by an estate of Michael L. Fallon and another; easterly by an estate of Edward J. McDevitt and another, tax for 1922.....	14 82	Geremio Mazzucco—Buildings and about 2,050 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 240, 240A and 240B, between another estate of said Mazzucco and an estate of Neal J. O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	\$209 95
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also buildings and about 8,033 feet of land on the northerly side of Dickens street, numbered 42, between an estate of James Walsh and an estate of Margaret Nash, tax for 1923.....	50 28	Paid on account.....	100 00
Charles E. and Leila A. Harberg (re-assessed from Frank H. Dooley)—Buildings and about 3,550 feet of land on the southerly side of Holiday street, numbered 9, between an estate of Annie E. Manson and an estate of Ellen C. Crowley, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Also about 11,649 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Westville street, being lot 3, William E. Hannan plan, dated July 3, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4000, page 81, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Balance due.....	109 95
Mary R. Haugh—Buildings and about 2,364 feet of land on the southerly side of Hecla street, numbered 10, between an estate of Maurice Downey and an estate of Frank A. Hugal and another, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also buildings and about 2,050 feet of land on the northerly side of Bax-doin street, numbered 242A, between an estate of Margaret V. Kelley and another estate of said Mazzucco, tax for 1923.....	\$209 95
Paid on account.....	50 00	William A. Kern—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Barry street, numbered 58, between an estate of Mary J. Bourne and an estate of Mary E. Ramisch, tax for 1923.....	\$247 00	Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	48 80	Paid on account.....	97 00	Balance due.....	109 95
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 4,256 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Devon street, numbered 91, between an estate of David Miller and an estate of Rose Harris, tax for 1923.....	172 90	Balance due.....	150 00	Peter F., Simon D., Sabina C. and Mary F. McCarthy and Katherine H. Charlton—Buildings and about 6,250 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1361-1367 (inclusive), making the southwesterly corner of Ellet street, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	353 21
Thomas and Henry Howard, Trustees—Buildings and about 15,962 feet of land on the northerly side of Charles street, numbered 11, between an estate of Charles E. Floerke and an estate of Margaret Meehan, tax for 1923.....	192 66	Sadie Libman—Buildings and about 4,660 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Magnolia street, numbered 233, making the westerly corner of Greenhays street, between an estate of Jacob Nathanson and an estate of Annie T. Wolfson, tax for 1923.....	\$138 32	Helen M. McGrady—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Hamilton street, numbered 198 and 198A, between an estate of Mary E. Caddigan and an estate of Peter Freeley and another, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Sarah Isaacs—Buildings and about 3,887 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 34, between an estate of Jennie K. Waters and an estate of Congregation Agudas Achum, tax for 1922.....	145 73	Paid on account.....	50 00	Joseph C. Morganti and Filomina DiVaio—Buildings and about 3,763 feet of land on the westerly side of Draper street, numbered 36, making the southwesterly corner of Ridgewood street, adjoining an estate of Nora A. Morris, tax for 1923.....	217 36
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	9 37	Balance due.....	88 32	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	6 31
Tax for 1923.....	145 73	Lincoln Oil Company—Buildings and about 3,663 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westwood street, numbered 27, between an estate of J. Homer Pierce and another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 07				
John L. Kelley—About 14,493 feet of land on the easterly side of Normandy street, between an estate of Ida Carp (numbered 80 Devon street) and an-					

Cornelius J. Murphy—Buildings and about 2,768 feet of land on the easterly side of Inwood street, numbered 23, making the southeasterly corner of Norton street, adjoining an estate of Annie Galligan, apportionment of street construction assessment, for 1923.....	3 83	
Henry P. Nawn—Buildings and about 2,490 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Creston street, numbered 5, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Morris Segel, tax for 1923.....	197 60	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	5 59	
Also buildings and about 13,865 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 267, adjoining another estate of said Nawn, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11789, tax for 1922.....	123 50	
Tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Also buildings and about 13,438 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 273, between two other estates of said Nawn, tax for 1922.....	172 90	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66	
Tax for 1923.....	172 90	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also buildings and about 48,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 295, extending through to track location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, adjoining another estate of said Nawn, tax for 1923.....	666 90	
Betsy Neustadt—Buildings and about 5,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 85, between an estate of Sarah Kaizer and an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	247 00	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Annie Neustadt, one half, and Myer J. Glickson, one half—Buildings and about 2,960 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 103, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.....		\$197 00
Paid on account.....		109 41
Balance due.....	88 19	
Also buildings and about 2,589 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 105, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.....		\$195 13
Paid on account.....		100 00
Balance due.....	95 13	
Also buildings and about 4,589 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 107 and 109, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.....		\$380 38
Paid on account.....		100 00
Balance due.....	280 38	
Also buildings and about 3,983 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 111 and 113, making the westerly corner of Normandy street, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.....		\$375 44
Paid on account.....		\$200 00
Balance due.....	175 44	
Also buildings and about 1,887 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Normandy street, numbered 61, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.....		\$185 25
Paid on account.....		100 00
Balance due.....	85 25	
Also buildings and about 1,919 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Normandy street, numbered 63, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.....		\$185 25
Paid on account.....		100 00
Balance due.....	85 25	
Harry G. Nichols—Buildings and about 3,538 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbia road, numbered 220, 222, 224, 226, 228 and 230, making the westerly corner of Devon street, adjoining an estate of Levy Herman, tax for 1923.....	402 61	
John A. O'Connell—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Dakota road, numbered 5, between an estate of Emma W. Chase and an estate of Harriet A. Doherty, tax for 1923.....	81 51	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 80	
Owner or Owners Unknown—About 83 feet of land on the northerly side of Orchardfield street, adjoining an estate of Henry C. Little, being the southerly part of lot 28, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 175, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	33	
William H. Pearson and Walter F. Hill, Trustees for the Twenty-five Associates—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Westville street, numbered 107, between an estate of John J. Connors and an estate of Thomas F. Harvey, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
William Phipps Heirs or Devises—About 1,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, adjoining an estate of Etta Grossman, being lot C, Garbutt and Wood plan, dated October 22, 1892, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2091, page 364, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 1,021 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lawrence avenue, adjoining an estate of Sarah Tumarkin, being lot B, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated March 21, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2120, page 301, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
John F. Pettit (Reassessed from John T. Roach)—Buildings and about 3,265 feet of land on the northerly side of East street, numbered 23, making the junction of Highland street, between an estate of Mary A. Hoar and an estate of James J. Keefe, tax for 1923.....	172 90	
George K. Pike—Buildings and about 5,988 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Kane street, numbered 4, between an estate of Emma S. Allbright and an estate of Governors of St. Francis Xavier's College, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, trustees of the Neil McNeil Endowment Fund, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Frederick J. Rockwell—About 327 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Richfield street, adjoining an estate of Lawrence J. Fallon, being the southerly part of lot 3, on a plan not named, dated July 2, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3825, page 213, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Francis Rooney—Buildings and about 5,357 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mt. Everett street, numbered 35, between an estate of Annie G. Sutherland and an estate of Georgia A. Atwood, tax for 1923.....		\$209 95
Paid on account.....		50 00
Balance due.....	159 95	
Gedalle Rozavsky—Buildings and about 3,135 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Grove park, numbered 7 and 7A, at end, adjoining another estate of said Rozavsky, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 09	
Henry A. Schobel—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Richfield street, numbered 57, making the westerly corner of Davidson avenue, adjoining an estate of Nanny I. McLean, tax for 1923.....	118 56	
Annie Segel—Buildings and about 6,431 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 29, between an estate of William Phipps heirs or devisees and an estate of Hattie Prooker, tax for 1923.....	192 66	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Lea Shraier and Joseph Lipland—Buildings and about 5,188 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 318, 318A and 320, between two estates of Frederick Green and another, tax for 1923.....		\$617 50
Paid on account.....		200 00
Balance due.....	417 50	
Sarah Shulman—Buildings and about 5,625 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 98, between an estate of Celia Shurdut and an estate of Alice Benrino, tax for 1923.....		\$160 55
Paid on account.....		100 00
Balance due.....	60 55	
Also about 2,795 feet of land on the easterly side of a passageway, leading from the northerly side of Homes avenue in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Sullivan (numbered 108 Homes avenue), tax for 1923, Henry C. Taylor—Buildings and about 5,188 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1291 to 1,303 inclusive, making the southwesterly corner of Lyon street, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....		496 47
Max Uroff—About 5,743 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hamilton terrace, adjoining another estate of said Uroff, being lot 10, S. L. Leftovith plan, dated July 7, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 585, tax for 1923.....		27 17
Also about 6,192 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hamilton terrace, adjoining another estate of said Uroff, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923, Also about 3,612 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, making the southerly corner of Columbia park, adjoining an estate of Abraham Lender and another being lot 4 same plan, tax for 1923.....		34 58
Anastasia E. Vogel—Buildings and about 3,196 feet of land on the southerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 141, between an estate of Bessie L. Sleeper and an estate of Michael Marino, tax for 1923.....		172 90
George F. and Virginia Weddleton—Buildings and about 11,741 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Quincy street, numbered 401, making the westerly corner of and numbered 37 Bellevue street, adjoining an estate of Edward H. Delano, moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Lillian E. Williams—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 78, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of Morris Hershon and another, tax for 1923.....		\$185 25
Paid on account.....		50 00
Balance due.....		135 25
Also buildings and about 3,069 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 80, between an estate of Gabriel Backer and another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923.....		\$185 25
Paid on account.....		50 00
Balance due.....		135 25
Annie T. Wolfson—Buildings and about 3,740 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Greenheys street, numbered H. between an estate of Josephine W. Cowan and an estate of Sadie Libman, tax for 1923.....		123 50
Katherine V. York—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Percival street, numbered 25, making the northwesterly corner of Potosi street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. I. Coffey, tax for 1923.....		296 40
Frederick A. York—Buildings and about 11,465 feet of land on the easterly side of Percival street, numbered 6, making the southeasterly corner of Bowdoin street, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth M. Donahoe, tax for 1923.....		214 89
WARD NINETEEN.		
Eva Abramson—Buildings and about 7,920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Esmond street, numbered 4 and 6, making the easterly corner of and numbered 750 Blue Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Annie J. Collins, tax for 1923.....		\$1,193 01
Fannie Albertson and Clara Sibrilkin (supposed present owner Hyman Gorin and another)—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, numbered 239, between an estate of Louis Canter and an estate of Rubin Handel, tax for 1923.....		163 02
Joseph and Annette Amia—Buildings and about 2,186 feet of land on the northerly side of Alpha road, numbered 51, between an estate of George G. Gallop and an estate of Mabel B. Buckner, tax for 1923.....		192 66
Esther J. Aronson—Buildings and about 3,326 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Michigan avenue, numbered 2, between an estate of Wolf Berger and an estate of Charlotte V. Cunio, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10731, tax for 1923.....		209 95
Olive Bachelder—About 400 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Norwell street, on the northerly side of a passageway, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, November 19, 1897, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2487, page 450, tax for 1923.....		2 47

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	27 76	Charles A. Ferguson (supposed present owner James A. Cantin)—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Maybrook street, numbered 11, between an estate of Margaret E. Fields and an estate of Frederick Phillips, tax for 1923.....	148 20	street, being lot 2, S. L. Leftovith plan, January 30, 1922, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50	Moith assessment for 1923.....	50	William E. Harris—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 174, between an estate of Frank W. Gilman and an estate of Mary Saklad moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 11,504 feet of land on the northerly side of Rosseter street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1921....	56 81	Morris Freedman and Eli Wolkon—Buildings and about 1,913 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 55, between another estate of said Freedman and another and an estate of Simon Glickman and another, tax for 1923.....	150 67	William J. Healy (supposed present owner Irving B. Mittel)—Buildings and about 8,810 feet of land on the easterly side of Standish street, numbered 18, 20, 22, 24 and 26, between an estate of Sarah Shaw and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	333 45
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	41 77	Also buildings and about 2,283 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 57, between another estate of said Freedman and another and an estate of Charlotte A. Powell, tax for 1923.....	155 61	Ida M. Hodson—About 11,419 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Geneva avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Geneva avenue, northwesterly by estates of Albert G. Morse and Albert Morse heirs or devisees, southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston and southeasterly by an estate of Elizabeth A. Minchin, tax for 1922.....	41 99
Tax for 1922.....	56 81	Harry C. Garland—About 3,442 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Castlegate road, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly and northwesterly by other estates of said Garland; northeasterly and southeasterly by an estate of Henry S. Dowe Company, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	33 53
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	37 06	Bessie G. Giles—Buildings and about 8,360 feet of land on the westerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 48, extending through to Rosseter street, between an estate of Herbert H. Sawyer and an estate of Katherine C. Rockett, tax for 1923.....	172 90	Tax for 1923.....	41 99
Tax for 1923.....	56 81	Moith assessment for 1923.....	50	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	32 26
Also about 13,229 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1921....	64 22	Amy B. Gill (supposed present owner Louis Bovarnick)—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Glenway street, numbered 146, between an estate of William Gill and an estate of Elizabeth C. McNellis, tax for 1923.....	128 44	Eliza A. Huntoon—About 15,115 feet of land on the easterly side of Hooper street, being a lot shown on C. F. Baxter plan, May 5, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1771, page 286, tax for 1921.....	93 86
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	41 77	William Gill—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Glenway street, numbered 144 and 142 between an estate of Amy B. Gill and an estate of Sam Meiselman and another, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Moith assessment for 1921.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	64 22	Emma E. Gladstone—Buildings and about 4,964 feet of land on the northerly side of Larchmont street, numbered 43, between an estate of Martin R. Engel and another and an estate of Julia E. Page, tax for 1923.....	247 00	Tax for 1922.....	93 86
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	37 06	Albert A. Golden—Buildings and about 3,620 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott street, numbered 11, between an estate of Joseph L. Jacobson and an estate of Harris Gorfinkle heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	180 31	Tax for 1923.....	93 86
Tax for 1923.....	64 22	Solomon and Annie R. Goldman—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Page street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Louis Isaacson; northeasterly by estates of Harry P. Chadwick and Hannah Goldberg; southeasterly by an estate of Solomon Goldman and another, and southwesterly by an estate of William S. Leven, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 5,237 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1921....	19 76	Joseph Goldstein—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Wheatland avenue, numbered 99, between an estate of Katie Zitter and an estate of James F. Burke and another, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Julie B. Isaacs—Buildings and about 6,849 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 488, between two estates of Harry C. Garland, tax for 1923.....	943 54
Tax for 1922.....	19 76	Sophia Goldstein—Buildings and about 6,524 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbia road, numbered 72, making the westerly corner of and numbered 2 Pinckney road, adjoining an estate of Hannah G. Lavis, tax for 1923.....	311 22	Max M. Kalman—Buildings and about 6,664 feet of land on the easterly side of Bicknell street, numbered 41, between an estate of Jeanette T. Howe and an estate of Max Goldberg and another, tax for 1923.....	227 24
Tax for 1923.....	19 76	A. Morris Greenblatt—Buildings and about 5,004 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Esmond street, numbered 51, between an estate of Sarah A. Miller and an estate of Dora Marzynski, tax for 1923.....	234 65	Joseph R. Keeble—Buildings and about 5,063 feet of land on the easterly side of Westcott street, numbered 18, between an estate of Margaret A. Carroll and an estate of Joseph Dowd and another, tax for 1923.....	88 92
Also about 7,890 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1921....	29 64	Roswell G. Hall—Buildings and about 18,877 feet of land on the northerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 10, 12, 14, 16, 16A, 18, 20 and 20A, between an estate of Margaret F. Baldwin and an estate of Harrie Lepie and others, tax for 1923.....	958 36	Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 2,966 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, numbered 229 and 231, making the northwesterly corner of West Park street, adjoining an estate of Leslie L. Brown, tax for 1923.....	66 69
Tax for 1922.....	29 64	Also about 2,871 feet of land on the easterly side of Bowdoin avenue, being lot 3, H. C. Midram plan, July 1, 1897, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3329, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Also buildings and about 8,551 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Geneva avenue, numbered 451 and 453, making the westerly corner of Bloomfield street, adjoining an estate of Gertrude V. Stillman, tax for 1923.....	214 89
Tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 3,894 feet of land on the easterly side of Bowdoin avenue, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Also about 280 feet of land on the easterly side of Norwell street, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, November 19, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 10,543 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1921....	39 52	Rose Harris—Buildings and about 5,248 feet of land on the westerly side of Wales street, numbered 41, between another estate of said Harris and an estate of Henry Mastero, tax for 1923.....	130 92	Mary G. Knight—Buildings and about 2,905 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, numbered 153, between an estate of Christie Shillady and an estate of Mary E. Knight, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Tax for 1922.....	39 52	Also about 5,002 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, making the northwesterly corner of Wales street, being lot 2, S. L. Leftovith plan, January 30, 1922, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 81
Tax for 1923.....	39 52			Benjamin Lancy—About 2,382 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, between an estate of Sarah A. Marsh and an estate of Anna A. Reisman, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 17,534 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1921....	64 22			Annie J. Lane—Buildings and about 3,743 feet of land on the northerly side of Mather street, numbered 51, between an estate of Margaret Ryan and an estate of Georgianna Hotchkiss, tax for 1923.....	886 45
Tax for 1922.....	64 22			Paid on account.....	50 00
Tax for 1923.....	64 22			Balance due.....	36 45
Also about 10,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1921....	39 52			Gabriella T., George G. and Henry I. Lavit (supposed present owner Morris Spack)—Buildings and about 6,511 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Elmo street, numbered 47 and 49, between an estate of Jennie Resnick and an estate of Joseph B. Green, tax for 1923.....	\$296 40
Tax for 1922.....	39 52			Paid on account.....	100 00
Tax for 1923.....	39 52			Balance due.....	196 40
Also about 19,690 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1921....	71 63			Max Learman—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Fenelon street, numbered 16, between an estate of Marcella J. Hicks and an estate of Alexander M. Glennie, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55
Tax for 1922.....	71 63			Paid on account.....	100 00
Tax for 1923.....	71 63			Balance due.....	60 55
Also about 6,745 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being the westerly part of lot 18, same plan, tax for 1921....	24 70				
Tax for 1922.....	24 70				
Tax for 1923.....	24 70				
Also about 171,196 feet of land bounded and described as follows: Northerly and northeasterly by Geneva avenue; southerly and southwesterly by Cedar avenue and northwesterly by Olney street, being the whole of assessors' block 60, tax for 1921.....	758 29				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	188 16				
Tax for 1922.....	758 29				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	181 44				
Tax for 1923.....	758 29				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	174 72				
Georgietta Emerson—About 680 feet of land on the southerly side of Alpha road, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Alpha road; easterly by an estate of William C. Miller and another; southerly by an estate of Herbert L. Hildreth and westerly by an estate of William H. Day, tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Esther Epstein and Rose Goldman—Buildings and about 5,022 feet of land on the northerly side of Browning avenue, numbered 47 and 49, between another estate of said Epstein and another and an estate of James J. Donnelly and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	22 93				
John Faust—About 770 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, dated September, 1896, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2388, page 377, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Fannie E. Feinstein—Buildings and about 5,187 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Drummond street, numbered 8, between another estate of said Feinstein and an estate of Florence Goldstein, tax for 1923.....	187 72				
Also buildings and about 7,650 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Drummond street, numbered 12 and 10 rear, between another estate of said Feinstein and an estate of Ellen A. Blake, tax for 1923.....	180 31				
Also about 4,787 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Drummond street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Feinstein, being lot 4, E. L. Moulton plan, April 18, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3126, page 217, tax for 1923.....	32 11				

Thomas E. and Mary J. Leen—Buildings and about 4,419 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowdoin avenue, numbered 87 and 89, between an estate of Ida Rubin and an estate of Mary J. McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	160 55	I. Wyman and another estate of said O'Brien and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	407 55	an estate of Eva Feldon, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90
Hyman Lewewich—Buildings and about 3,352 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenway street, numbered 39 to 43, inclusive, between an estate of Minnie Golden and an estate of Ida Cabelinsky and another, tax for 1923....	271 70	John H. Parker—About 2,683 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, being lot 39, Frank A. Foster plan, August 22, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2309, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Paid on account.....	87 62
William London—Buildings and about 4,373 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 730, 734, 736, 738, 740 and 742, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of United Amusement Company, tax for 1923.....	681 72	William and Theresa J. Parr (supposed present owner James A. and Gertrude R. Aicardi)—Buildings and about 3,362 feet of land on the northerly side of Dunlap street, numbered 39, between an estate of Henry G. Vackert and an estate of Charles Bartlett, tax for 1923.....		Balance due.....	85 28
Also about 6,553 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charlotte street, being lot 27, C. H. W. Wood plan, August 3, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2301, page 531, tax for 1923.....		Paid on account.....	60 00	Henrietta Schindler—Buildings and about 5,474 feet of land on the easterly side of Charlotte street, numbered 56, between an estate of Nathan M. Silverman and an estate of Clara M. Akerman, tax for 1923.....	217 36
Also about 4,895 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charlotte street, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923....	64 22	Balance due.....	117 84	Bessie Schneiderman—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Wolcott street, numbered 48, making the northerly corner of Eric street, adjoining an estate of William Saltzman, tax for 1923.....	197 60
Arthur E. Marcus—Buildings and about 4,286 feet of land on the southerly side of Fowler street, numbered 77 and 79 between an estate of Lena Feldman and another estate of said Marcus, tax for 1923.....	163 02	Apportionment for street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 96	Ida Shrago—Buildings and about 4,848 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 51, between an estate of Hyman B. Levine and an estate of Fannie Goldman, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Also about 4,148 feet of land on the southerly side of Fowler street, being lot 43, John N. McClintock plan, dated, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2241, at end, tax for 1923.....	29 64	James M. Perkins, Trustee under will of George W. Pope—Buildings and about 5,480 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 307, 309, 309A and 311, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Perkins, trustee, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Nathan M. Silverman—Buildings and about 5,064 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Charlotte street, numbered 52, between an estate of Henrietta Schindler and an estate of Clara M. Akerman, tax for 1923.....	247 00
Mary E. Marden—Buildings and about 3,463 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 42, between an estate of Margaret Wood and an estate of Sarah Davidson, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Also buildings and about 4,021 feet of land on the easterly side of Harvard avenue, numbered 17, between an estate of Peter Gotti and an estate of Kate MacCalder, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		Sarah Simanofsky—Buildings and about 3,419 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, numbered 115, 115A, 117 and 117A, between an estate of Arthur J. Nelson, trustee and the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.....	\$214 89
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Paid on account.....	6 28	Paid on account.....	100 00
Catherine U. Martin—Buildings and about 4,424 feet of land on the easterly side of Spencer street, numbered 44, between an estate of Beda Erikson and an estate of Margaret E. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Balance due.....	6 51	Balance due.....	114 89
Elizabeth M. McGovern—Buildings and about 6,794 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 162, between an estate of Henry Pearson and an estate of Bertha Leventhal, tax for 1923.....	209 95	Catherine E. Powers—Buildings and about 2,289 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, numbered 525, making the northeasterly corner of Allerton road, adjoining an estate of Hiram R. Chubbuck, 621 feet of this estate, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7408, tax for 1923,	74 10	Also buildings and about 3,571 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, numbered 147, 147A, 147B and 147C, between an estate of Mary L. Dailey and an estate of Zundel Gray and another, tax for 1923.....	\$286 52
David Medoff—Buildings and about 3,366 feet of land on the southerly side of Ellington street, numbered 77, between an estate of Morris H. Gordon and an estate of Myer Kripke and another, tax for 1923.....	\$190 19	Mary E. Quinn—Buildings and about 5,588 feet of land on the easterly side of Thane street, numbered 9, between an estate of Harold H. Timson and an estate of Florence V. Waldron, tax for 1923.....	177 84	Paid on account.....	100 00
Paid on account.....	100 00	Catherine E. Reid—Buildings and about 4,700 feet of land on the southerly side of Park street, numbered 372, between an estate of Hilda Goldstein and an estate of Fitzgerald M. O'Lalor and another, tax for 1923.....	158 08	Balance due.....	186 52
Balance due.....	90 19	Rose Reingold—Buildings and about 5,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Harlem street, numbered 11, between an estate of Sadie Shapiro and an estate of Jennie L. Novick, tax for 1923.....		Mary E. Smart—Buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the southerly side of Bullard street, numbered 8, between an estate of Abraham Berman and an estate of John C. Means and another, tax for 1923.....	103 74
Sam Meiselman and Ida Schneider—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Glenway street, numbered 140, making the southeasterly corner of Maybrook street, adjoining an estate of William Gill, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Paid on account.....	50 00	Thomas and Mary Smith—Buildings and about 6,236 feet of land on the easterly side of Whitfield street, numbered 71, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 50 Rosedale street, adjoining an estate of Nellie Dillon, tax for 1923.....	98 81
Leonore E. Morrill—About 140 feet of land on the northerly side of Alpha road, being the westerly part of lot 25, Charles F. Baxter plan, dated July, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2500, page 289, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Balance due.....	137 72	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Mary E. Morse—About 495 feet of land on the southerly side of Lyndhurst street, being a lot shown on E. L. Johnson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Daniel Riley (supposed present owner Samuel Robotnick)—Buildings and about 3,976 feet of land on the northerly side of Norwell street, numbered 19, between another estate of said Riley and an estate of Thomas A. Matthews, tax for 1923.....	93 86	Sarah M. Spear—Buildings and about 7,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Bloomfield street, numbered 46, between an estate of Walter F. Holmes and an estate of Caroline G. Brazier, tax for 1923.....	153 14
Annie H. Morton—About 1,274 feet of land on the northerly side of Bullard street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Bullard street, easterly by an estate of Hilda Smith, northerly by an estate of William Brode and westerly by an estate of John E. Frieberg and another, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Rose R. Robinson—Buildings and about 12,395 feet of land on the northerly side of Harlem street, numbered 44 to 50, making the northwesterly corner of Greenwood street, adjoining an estate of Benjamin S. Gainsboro and another, tax for 1923.....	817 50	Mary Spector—Buildings and about 4,972 feet of land on the northerly side of York street, numbered 24, between an estate of Bessie Rutberg and an estate of Minna Wigder, tax for 1923.....	214 89
Frank Moscow—Buildings and about 5,603 feet of land on the northerly side of Nightingale street, numbered 27, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and an estate of Joseph Swartz, moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Bertha Ross—Buildings and about 4,470 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 852, between an estate of Rosa Lagorio and another estate of Rosa Lagorio, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	46 86
Mary J. Murphy—Buildings and about 3,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Shafter street, numbered 15, between an estate of E. Franklin Adams heirs or devisees and an estate of Peter Esson and another, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Joseph Rothchild—About 1,014 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Michigan avenue, being lot B. C. H. Gannett plan, March 18, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3534, page 543, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Annie Spiegel—Buildings and about 3,502 feet of land on the southerly side of Erie street, numbered 12, 12A, 14 and 14A, between an estate of Abe Tvisner and an estate of Jeremiah Connor and another, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Edward F. O'Brien, Laurence Bond and Thomas F. Patterson, Trustees under will of Edward A. White—Buildings and about 5,768 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 310 and 312, between another estate of said O'Brien and others, trustees and an estate of Bessie Feldman, tax for 1923.....	284 05	Julia E. Russell—Buildings and about 7,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowdoin avenue, numbered 67, between an estate of Margaret A. Keen and an estate of Thomas F. Whalen, tax for 1923.....	165 49	Bertha Steinberg—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the northerly side of Page street, numbered 5, between an estate of Morris Abrams and an estate of Barnard Epstein and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13539, tax for 1923.....	139 91
Also buildings and about 7,873 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 314, 316 and 318, between an estate of Annie		Thomas E. Ryan Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 3,811 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Waterlow street, numbered 2, making the westerly corner of Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Fannie K. Silbert, tax for 1923.....	140 79	Suffolk Real Estate Mortgage Corporation (supposed present owner Max Bloom)—Buildings and about 1,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Ellington (formerly Elmo) street, numbered 132, between another estate of said Suffolk Real Estate and Mortgage Corporation and an estate of Morris R. Frank, tax for 1923.....	138 32
		Mollie Saklad—Buildings and about 5,119 feet of land on the easterly side of Charlotte street, numbered 40, between an estate of Samuel U. Goldberg and an estate of Rebecca Kuposky, tax for 1923.....	234 65	Also buildings and about 1,720 feet of land on the northerly side of Ellington (formerly Elmo) street, numbered 136, between another estate of said Suffolk Real Estate and Mortgage Corporation and an estate of Peter Murtagh heirs or devisees, moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Rose Satham—Buildings and about 2,720 feet of land on the northerly side of Fenelon street, numbered 17, between an estate of Catherine Shea and		Samuel Swartz and Myer Peraner—Buildings and about 10,100 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Harvard street; easterly by estates of Margaret J. Hickey, Solomon Eisenman and Thomas A. Matthews; southerly by an estate of Mary X. Cohalan, and westerly by estates of Mary A. Collins, Edmond Donlan and Cornelius Shea, tax for 1923.....	249 47

Ida Synofsky—Buildings and about 4,303 feet of land on the westerly side of Wales street, numbered 83 and 85, between an estate of Rosa Neideman and an estate of William Bloom, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15691, tax for 1923..... 247 00

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 7 29

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 14 07

James C. Tennant—About 5,668 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ellington street, being lot 27, Whitman and Howard plan, March 26, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3123, page 527, tax for 1923..... 41 99

Bernard Weinberg and Aaron M. Mayburg—Buildings and about 4,750 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glenway street, numbered 6, between an estate of Dora Kramer and an estate of Frederick Poppiano and another, tax for 1923..... \$170 43

Paid on account..... 86 36

Balance due..... 84 07

Ida Weinberg—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Page street, numbered 19, between an estate of Rebecca Sharas and an estate of Jennie Isaacson, tax for 1923..... 148 20

Morris Weisman—Buildings and about 3,985 feet of land on the easterly side of Greenwood street, numbered 60, between an estate of Ida Goldstein and another and an estate of Wolf Cohen, tax for 1923..... 148 20

David A. Westcott—Buildings and about 7,341 feet of land on the easterly side of Bernard street, numbered 86 and 88, between an estate of Alice G. McNeerney and an estate of Frank T. Westcott, moth assessment for 1921..... 50

Mary D. Whitaker—Buildings and about 6,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Aspinwall road, numbered 28, making the southwest corner of Hopesill street, adjoining an estate to Etta E. Fessenden, tax for 1923..... 209 95

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

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Martha C. Alden—Buildings and about 9,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Dix street, numbered 99, between an estate of Frances A. Keyes and an estate of Helen S. King, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923..... \$111 15

Carl B. Anderson—About 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, being lot 16, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 52, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Isoline Averill—Buildings and about 3,210 feet of land on the northerly side of Lincoln street, numbered 4 and 6, between an estate of James J. Hughes and another and an estate of Dina Colmes, tax for 1923..... 123 50

George D. and Jane H. Baggs—Buildings and about 5,688 feet of land on the southerly side of King street, numbered 163, between an estate of Elizabeth Feeney and an estate of Maude E. Johnson, tax for 1923..... \$111 15

Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 61 15

Sarah E. Barnes—Buildings and about 8,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Englewood street, numbered 11, between an estate of Arthur M. Brown and an estate of Carrie M. Stone, tax for 1923..... 135 85

Richard Barry (reassessed from Henry S. Moody)—About 3,601 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, being lot 130, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Emily Blackwell Heirs—About 130 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Freepot street, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, March 18, 1890, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Merritt E. Bradley—Buildings and about 18,732 feet of land on the southerly side of Adams street, numbered 828, making the southeasterly corner of Milwood street, adjoining an estate of Victoria P. McNally, tax for 1923..... 217 36

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Ella L. Bowker, one half, and Minnie R. L. Alden, one half—About 686 feet of land on the westerly side of a 35-foot street, making the southwest corner of Water street, adjoining an estate of Anna M. Nugent and another (numbered 30 Water street), tax for 1923..... 4 94

Building Trades Unions Co-operative Construction and Housing Council, Inc.—About 4,651 feet of land on the westerly side of a proposed street,

leading from the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 11, P. H. Mosher plan, March 23, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4290, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Also about 4,593 feet of land on the westerly side of a proposed street, leading from the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Also about 4,574 feet of land on the westerly side of a proposed street leading from the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Also about 3,230 feet of land on the northerly side of Boutwell street, adjoining another estate of said Building Trades Unions Co-operative Construction and Housing Council, Inc., being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,192 feet of land on the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,192 feet of land on the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Bridget Burke—Buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Park street, numbered 125, between an estate of Rebecca Spivinsky and an estate of Patrick J. Cahill and another, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Curtis H. Burt, Trustee—Buildings and about 14,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Templeton street, numbered 97, 99, 101 and 103, between an estate of Martha McKay and an estate of William E. Bell, tax for 1923..... 494 00

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Thomas G. Bury—About 2,447 feet of land on the easterly side of Ainsley street, being lot 88, and northerly part of lot 87, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Timothy J. Callahan—Buildings and about 3,055 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brook street, numbered 2, between an estate of William S. McGregor and another and an estate of Luke F. Norton, tax for 1923, Frank R. Carroll—Buildings and about 6,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Nixon street, numbered 12, between an estate of Georgina M. Mansfield and an estate of Cornelia Snow, tax for 1923..... \$123 50

Paid on account..... 69 50

Balance due..... 54 00

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 5,180 feet of land on the easterly side of Houghton street, numbered 106, making the northeasterly corner of Pope's Hill street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923..... 64 22

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,614 feet of land on the westerly side of Adams street, being lot 9, R. P. Souther plan, October 7, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3354, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Tencan street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Tencan street; northerly by an estate of Annie E. Fay, guardian; easterly by an estate of City of Boston, and southerly by an estate of Delia C. Ford, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 4 86

Also about 3,030 feet of land on the easterly side of Guild road, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Guild road; northerly by an estate of George N. Douse; easterly by an estate of Edward H. Wiggins and others, trustees, and southerly by another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Also about 3,700 feet of land on the northerly side of Pope's Hill street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Pope's Hill street; westerly by another estate of said Chadwick; northerly by an estate of James H. Goodwin, and easterly by an estate of Joseph Morris, tax for 1923, Harry P. Chadwick (supposed present owner Francis M. Shea)—Also about 3,150 feet of land on the westerly side of Verdon street, adjoining an estate of Annie A. White, being lot 15, Eri Olmstead plan, dated March 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9358, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Mary Chmielec—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the easterly side

of Adams street, numbered 752, 752A and 754, between an estate of Ellen T. Gavin and an estate of Martin P. Davis, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8624, tax for 1923..... 182 78

Cornelius G. Collins—Buildings and about 3,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Samoset street, numbered 48, between an estate of Andrew F. Jones and an estate of John A. Hanley, tax for 1923..... 86 45

Annie M. Connelley—About 7,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Coffey street, being a lot shown on E. Warren Hayden plan, December 2, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Richard W. and Mary A. Costello, one half each (supposed present owner Mary A. Costello)—About 1,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Argyle street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Argyle street; southerly by an estate of Mary A. Costello; easterly and northerly by another estate of said Costello and another, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Richard W. Costello and Mary A. Costello—About 4,315 feet of land on the easterly side of Melbourne street, being lot 44, Henry C. Mildram plan, October 5, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3680, tax for 1923..... 22 23

George W. Cummings—About 3,546 feet of land on the southerly side of Fairview street, being lot 107, F. T. Westcott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Oliver T. Currier—Buildings and about 4,900 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Park street, numbered 122 rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Frank W. Clark, tax for 1923..... 37 05

James G. Curtis—Buildings and about 6,822 feet of land on the northerly side of Dix street, numbered 68, between an estate of Mary L. Kane and an estate of Mary E. Callahan, tax for 1923..... 123 50

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Mary A. Doherty—Buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Milton street, numbered 127, making the southerly corner of Lenoxdale avenue, adjoining an estate of Jennie F. Gallagher, tax for 1923..... 79 04

Also about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Milton street, being lot 133, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Patrick Doherty—About 9,928 feet of land on the southerly side of Wrentham street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Wrentham street; easterly by an estate of Margaret Minton and another; southerly by an estate of John Edwards, and westerly by an estate of Daniel McCarthy, tax for 1923..... 29 61

Charles H. Donahue—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Centrevale park, numbered 10, between an estate of Cora L. Eddy and an estate of Alfred F. Murphy, tax for 1923..... 148 20

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 16 81

Thomas F. Donahue—About 4,333 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, being lot 53, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 7 41

James Donovan—Buildings and about 29,747 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 374, between an estate of Nettie A. McKeen and an estate of Mary E. Herene, tax for 1923..... 101 27

Dorchester Baptist Temple—Buildings and about 16,346 feet of land on the northerly side of Welles avenue, making the northeasterly corner of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Maud C. Smith (numbered 14 Welles avenue, moth assessment for 1922..... 50

George N. Douse—About 3,990 feet of land on the southerly side of Whitten street, being lot 60, Philip C. Nash plan, November 30, 1915, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3924, page 206, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,990 feet of land on southerly side of Whitten street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Also about 4,064 feet of land on southerly side of Whitten street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923..... 19 76

William J. Emerson—About 112,008 feet of land on the southerly side of Minot street, making the southeasterly corner of Glide street, being a lot shown on F. P. Hall plan, July, 1900, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2700, page 637, tax for 1923	165 49		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Elm M. Erickson—Buildings and about 3,812 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Verdun street, numbered 10, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10558, tax for 1923	86 45		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	9 60		
Temple H. Fay and George W. Field—About 4,238 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, being lot 54, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923	7 41		
John A. Finnegan—Buildings and about 4,310 feet of land on the northerly side of Roseland street, numbered 4, between an estate of Laura L. Mahan and an estate of Alice M. Maloney, tax for 1923	93 86		
Katherine Flanagan—About 6,649 feet of land on the northeasterly side of and at end of Clover street, adjoining an estate of Margaret Donelan (numbered 12), tax for 1923	14 82		
Caroline S. Freeman—Buildings and about 30,021 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Minot street, numbered 110, making the southerly corner of Glide street, an estate of Maria O'Reilly heirs (numbered 114), moth assessment for 1921	66		
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 11,795 feet of land on the easterly side of Granite avenue, numbered 8, making the southeasterly corner of Marsh street, an estate of Charles A. Dillar, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7236, tax for 1923	81 51		
Caroline H. Fryer—Buildings and about 13,445 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1707, making southwesterly corner of Centre avenue, adjoining an estate of M. Edith House, tax for 1923	\$232 18		
Paid on account	99 50		
Balance due	132 68		
Leopold G. Greene, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,570 feet of land on the westerly side of Adams street, numbered 411, making the northwesterly corner of Centre street, adjoining another estate of said Greene, trustee, tax for 1923	79 04		
Also buildings and about 2,470 feet of land on the westerly side of Adams street, numbered 407, between an estate of George Harvey Boles, Incorporated and another estate of Greene, trustee, tax for 1923	123 50		
William Halloran—Buildings and about 4,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 451, making the southwesterly corner of Parker terrace, adjoining an estate of Bessie Winestock, tax for 1923	\$185 25		
Paid on account	140 00		
Balance due	45 25		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Rebecca A. Hannum—About 6,311 feet of land on the southerly side of Chickatawbut street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Chickatawbut street; westerly by an estate of Margaret Doyle; easterly by an estate of Margaret Wall and southerly by an estate of William J. Hatch, tax for 1923	12 35		
Winifred and Mary Harper (supposed present owner Julia Glynn)—Buildings and about 3,029 feet of land on the southerly side of Rosemont road, west, numbered 5, between an estate of Mary A. Lane and an estate of Ida C. Berninger, tax for 1923	\$172 90		
Paid on account	90 00		
Balance due	82 90		
David Henry—Buildings and about 6,242 feet of land on the easterly side of Upland avenue, numbered 27, making the southeasterly corner of Park street, adjoining an estate of Alfred G. Peterson, tax for 1923	197 60		
Mary E. Herene—Buildings and about 4,104 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 342, making the easterly corner of Florida street, adjoining an estate of James Donovan, tax for 1923	271 70		
Charles E., one third, Charles H., two ninths, Lyman B., two ninths, and Walter P. Hewins, two ninths (supposed present owner Conway Realty Company)—About 9,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Old Colony Railroad, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the location of			
the Old Colony Railroad Company; southerly by a tributary of Great creek, easterly by estate of Mary J. Reddy, westerly by an estate of Conway Realty Company, tax for 1923	12 35		
John F. Hickey—Buildings and about 6,309 feet of land on the westerly side of Bushnell street, numbered 77, between an estate of Agnes F. Sullivan and an estate of Geraldine N. Rush, tax for 1923	135 85		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Mary J. Hinckley (supposed present owner Walter G. McGauley)—Buildings and about 4,134 feet of land on the northerly side of Wrentham street, numbered 4, 6 and 8, making the easterly corner of and numbered 1854, 1850, 1846 and 1844 Dorchester avenue, adjoining an estate of Caroline O'Brien, tax for 1923	358 15		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 3,900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Park street, numbered 40 and 42, making the easterly corner of and numbered 2 Ashland street, adjoining an estate of Bertha Ruther, tax for 1923	135 85		
Ida M. Hodsdon (supposed present owner Garvey Transportation Company)—About 22,124 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Freeport street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Walter S. Blanchard heirs or devisees; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston and estate of Joseph Zuracek and another; southeasterly by estate of Emma Sampson, tax for 1923	81 51		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Rollo Hudson—Buildings and about 4,922 feet of land on the northerly side of Brent street, numbered 66, between an estate of John Tomasello and another and another estate of said Hudson, tax for 1923	123 50		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Also about 8,584 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Talbot avenue, making the junction of Brent street, between another estate of said Hudson and Eleanor M. Rand, tax for 1923	51 87		
Flora R. Hughes—Buildings and about 3,120 feet of land on the easterly side of Clematis street, numbered 6, between an estate of Gertrude T. Baker and an estate of John T. Daley, tax for 1923	111 15		
Mary L. Kane—Buildings and about 4,425 feet of land on the northerly side of Dix street, numbered 72, between an estate of Anthony Novitzky and another and an estate of James G. Curtis, tax for 1923	160 55		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Mary Keenan—About 7,431 feet of land on the southerly side of Milton street, making the southwesterly corner of Adams street, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14250, tax for 1923	37 05		
Annie M. Kelley—About 3,281 feet of land on westerly side of Manley street, making the southwesterly corner of Newkirk street, being lot 7, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated October 15, 1908, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3469, page 250, tax for 1923	19 76		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	5 80		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Manley street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	5 80		
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Manley street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	5 80		
Also about 2,998 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Manley street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	5 80		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Also about 34,000 feet of land on the easterly side of a proposed street, leading from the northerly side of Mill street (now Victory road), being lot 15, H. C. Mildram plan, April 24, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3360, page 228 tax for 1923	49 40		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Also about 9,274 feet of land on the northerly side of Victory road, making junction of proposed street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923	44 46		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Also buildings and about 5,092 feet of land on the easterly side of Franklin street, numbered 18, between an estate of Laban Pratt and an estate of Alessandro Balboni and another, tax for 1923	49 40		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Annie M. Kelley—Also about 3,497 feet of land on the easterly side of Free-			
port street, making the northeasterly corner of Plymouth street, between an estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company and an estate of Hugh Riley, tax for 1922	12 35		
Also about 3,497 feet of land on the easterly side of Freeport street, making the northeasterly corner of Plymouth street, between an estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company and an estate of Hugh Riley, tax for 1922	12 35		
Tax for 1923	12 35		
Charles J. Kelley—About 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, being lot 16, G. H. Sherman plan, September 20, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8091, tax for 1922	7 41		
Tax for 1923	7 41		
Also about 3,095 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, being lot 22, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5236, tax for 1922	7 41		
Tax for 1923	7 41		
Catherine E. Kelly—Buildings and about 7,932 feet of land on the northerly side of Minot street, numbered 45, making the northeasterly corner of Narragansett street, adjoining an estate of John P. Riley and another, moth assessment for 1921	50		
Mary F. Killion—Buildings and about 12,625 feet of land on the northerly side of Mather street, numbered 19, between an estate of Ann Needham and an estate of Catherine C. Campbell and another, tax for 1923	\$98 80		
Paid on account	49 50		
Balance due	49 30		
Karin Larson—About 3,367 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foss road, being lot 2, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923	17 29		
James E. and Annie B. Lawler (supposed present owner Harry Lubin)—About 1,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Gustine street, being lot 66, P. T. Westcott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923	4 94		
Also about 1,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Gustine street, being lot 65, same plan, tax for 1923	4 94		
Josephine Lewike—Buildings and about 1,612 feet of land on the southerly side of Barnes street, numbered 18, between an estate of Hannah E. Tibbetts and an estate of Charles A. Peabody, tax for 1923	74 10		
Ida D. Lewis—About 378 feet of land on the northerly side of Shenandoah street, between an estate of Thorella M. C. Harner and an estate of Charles E. Hatfield, tax for 1923	2 47		
Joseph P. Manning, Junior—Buildings and about 3,864 feet of land on the easterly side of Wellesley park, numbered 38, between an estate of Bertha Berger and an estate of Edwin H. Buzzell, tax for 1923	135 85		
Georgina M. Mansfield—Buildings and about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Nixon street, numbered 16, between an estate of Frank R. Carroll and an estate of Emma K. Johnson, tax for 1923	123 50		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Marion McGettrick—About 2,041 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wainwright street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Bessie M. Batchelder (numbered 25), tax for 1923	4 94		
Mary C. McGrath—About 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, being lot 15, as shown on F. T. Westcott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923	7 41		
Also about 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923	7 41		
Mary E. McKenna (supposed present owner Guy E. Brazier)—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1820 and 1822, making the southerly corner of Edwin street, adjoining an estate of Kenneth S. DeWitt, tax for 1923	209 95		
Malcolm H., one quarter, George B., one quarter, John J. A., one quarter, and Robert P. McLellan, one quarter—Buildings and about 9,693 feet of land on the southerly side of Pierce avenue, numbered 97, between an estate of John J. McGrail and an estate of John D. Bryant and others, trustees, tax for 1923	86 45		
Moth assessment for 1923	50		

Merchants Mutual Association, Inc.—About 4,412 feet on the northeasterly side of Myrtlebank avenue, being lot 103, as shown on W. A. Mason & Sons plan, dated October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Railroad Company; southerly by an estate of Frances P. Farrell and easterly by an estate of Catherine M. Manning and other estates fronting on Samoset street, tax for 1923.....	24 70	of Lonsdale street, numbered 125, making the southwesterly corner of Adams street and numbered 537 and 539, adjoining an estate of Susan A. Hannon, tax for 1923.....	276 64
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 28	Henry P. Oakman Heirs or Devises (supposed present owner Henry P. Oakman Heirs or Devises, one half, and another)—Buildings and about 7,269 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakman street, numbered 1 and 3, between an estate of Henry P. Oakman and an estate of Parish of All Saints, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	11 46
Methodist Episcopal Church Trustees of—Buildings and about 9,582 feet of land on the southerly side of Parkman street, between an estate of Lawrence Larsen and another and an estate of David F. Doyle and another, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also buildings and about 3,213 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakman street, numbered 15 and 17, making the westerly corner of Taylor street, adjoining an estate of Arthur L. Oakman, tax for 1923.....	106 21	Fannie Rosenberg—About 783 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Edwin street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by an estate of Annie Levine; westerly by an estate of Harry P. Azadian; northerly by an estate of Arthur E. Jones, and easterly by an estate of Henry E. Hardwick, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Henry P. Oakman—Buildings and about 1,886 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakman street, numbered 5, between an estate of Henry P. Oakman heirs and another estate of said Oakman, tax for 1923.....	51 87	David F. and Mary E. Ryan—Buildings and about 4,042 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carruth street, numbered 78, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16524, tax for 1923,.....	160 55
Clara H. Mills—Buildings and about 9,323 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carruth street, numbered 22, between an estate of Ellen O'Brien and an estate of Mabel H. Todd, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Johanna O'Shaughnessy—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Edwin street, numbered 24, making the northeasterly corner of Denver street, adjoining an estate of Benjamin Poole, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Domenico and Flavia Sergi—Buildings and about 9,055 feet of land on the westerly side of Salisbury park, numbered 6, making the northwesterly corner of Park street, adjoining an estate of John J. Daly and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50
David Milne—About 4,265 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marsh street, being lot 85, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Ellen J. Pendleton—Buildings and about 3,195 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Talbot avenue, numbered 472, between an estate of Charles A. First and another and an estate of Michael Scholnick, tax for 1923.....	234 65	Edward, one eighth, Howland, one eighth, Everett, one eighth, Elizabeth, Sharp, one eighth and James E. Sharp Heirs or Devises, four eighths—About 18,100 feet of land on the easterly side of Brook street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Matha L. Tolman; easterly by the City of Boston; westerly by Brook street, and southerly by an estate of Alice McMorow and others, tax for 1923.....	22 23
John A. E. Moroney (supposed present owner John J. Kerrigan and another)—Buildings and about 4,230 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carruth street, numbered 88, making the northerly corner of Codman street, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14869, tax for 1923.....	172 90	John J. Printon—About 2,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Tenean street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; southerly by an estate of Edward Hamlin and another; westerly by an estate of the Old Colony Railroad, and easterly by Tenean street, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Charles A. and Mary G. Sheehy—About 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar Grove, being lot 178, William E. Hannan plan, December 21, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4120, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Freeport street, numbered 331 and 333, making the southwesterly corner of Everdean street, adjoining an estate of Fannie Pitonof, moth assessment for 1923.....	50	James A. Quigley—About 600 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Park street; westerly by an estate of Bridget Burke; northerly by an estate of Caroline Joski, and easterly by an estate of Rebecca Sprinsky, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Samuel J. Sigel—About 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 26, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 72	George F. Quimby—Buildings and about 10,916 feet of land on the southerly side of Shenandoah street, numbered 1, making the southwesterly corner of Carruth street, adjoining an estate of Lois M. Manson heirs and others, tax for 1923.....	177 84	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41
Clifford M. Mowatt—About 520 feet of land on the northerly side of Radford lane, between an estate of Mary E. Doyle and an estate of Josephine E. Cody, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 35	Bernard C. and Margaret Raymond—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Mallet street, numbered 24, between an estate of Ada F. Keith and an estate of Annie J. Cunningham and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 22, same plan tax for 1923,.....	7 41
Jennie R. Muldoon—Buildings and about 9,671 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 1, making the southerly corner of Park street, adjoining an estate of Martha L. Roedel, tax for 1923.....	96 33	Carolyn F. Richards—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of South Munroe terrace, numbered 20, between an estate of Carrie M. Lord and an estate of Michael Gurnett heirs or devisees and another, tax for 1923.....	114 50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Balance due.....	9 00	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41
Also buildings and about 11,212 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, numbered 1, making the southerly corner of Park street, adjoining an estate of Margaret M. O'Connor, tax for 1923.....	103 74	Lucy Rober—About 5,399 feet of land on the easterly side of Train street, being lot 52, C. F. Baxter plan, dated November 1, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3485, page 137, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Moth assessment for 1923.....	68	Robert Robinson—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 9, between another estate of said Robinson and an estate of Christina J. Berry, tax for 1923.....	190 19	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41
Peter J. Mullen—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Myrtlebank avenue, being lot 40, on W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
John B. Mulvey—Buildings and about 2,775 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm street, numbered 17 and 19, between another estate of said Mulvey and an estate of Massachusetts Homoeopathic Hospital Trustees, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41
Patrick B. Mulrooney—Buildings and about 10,588 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Houghton street, numbered 29 and 31, between an estate of Fredrick V. Dow and another and an estate of Thomas Flanagan, tax for 1923.....	108 68	Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 11, between an estate of Annie J. Cain and another estate of said Robinson, tax for 1923,.....	190 19	Samuel Simons and Nathan Weiner—Buildings and about 20,483 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1475, 1475A, 1479, 1479A, 1481 and 1483, adjoining an estate of Harris Swartz, Max L. Goldblatt plan, August, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4247, page 483, tax for 1923, \$1,729 00 Paid on account.....	889 78
Mary R. Munier—About 6,617 feet of land on the northerly side of Templeton street, making the northeasterly corner of Templeton way, being lot D, on Frank A. Foster plan, November 9, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2570, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Martha L. Roedel (supposed present owner Jennie R. Muldoon)—About 6,523 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, being lot 2, Frederick P. Hall plan, December, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2650, page 209, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Balance due.....	830 22
Jeremiah D. Murphy—Buildings and about 4,924 feet of land on the westerly side of Alban street, numbered 110, between an estate of Ida Angel and an estate of Frank G. White, tax for 1923,.....	247 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Morris Slotnick—Buildings and about 14,869 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1726, 1726A, 1728, 1728A, 1730, 1730A, 1732, 1732A, 1734 and 1736, making the southwesterly corner of Rosemont road southwest and the easterly corner of Rosemont road southwest, adjoining an estate of Mary E. Weaver, tax for 1923.....	1,175 72
Catherine Murray—About 1,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Gustin street, being lot 67, on F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3655, page 152, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Blanch V. Smith—Buildings and about 3,775 feet of land on the southerly side of Brent street, numbered 73, between an estate of Lewis S. Terry and an estate of Jessie C. Foye, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Catherine Murray (reassessed from Henry S. Moody, Trustee)—About 1,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Gustin street, being lot 68, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	John D. Smith—About 302 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Neponset avenue, between an estate of Patrick Kelliher and an estate of William N. Hackett, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Catherine L. Rogers—About 3,240 feet of land on the northerly side of Templeton street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Mathew J. Fox; southerly by Templeton street; easterly by an estate of Herman F. Rosche and another, and westerly by an estate of Mary A. Byrnes, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Mary B. Smith—About 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 8, W. A. Mason and Sons plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Margaret E. Nichols—About 5,919 feet of land on the southerly side of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Centre street; westerly by an estate of Old Colony		Annie C. Rommell—Buildings and about 5,320 feet of land on the southerly side		Anna E. Schaefer—Buildings and about 4,488 feet of land on the southerly side of Mather street, numbered 10, between an estate of Augusta D. Doherty and an estate of John T. Daly, tax for 1923.....	123 50

John F. and Lawrence E. Villard—Buildings and about 5,154 feet of land on the westerly side of Granville street, numbered 11, between another estate of said Villard and another and an estate of Charles Johnson, Junior, trustee, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Minnie E. Young and an estate of James Brophy, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Samuel Balder—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wilcock street, numbered 47, between an estate of Jacob Liptzer and an estate of Nathan Bornstein, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	38 14
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 15	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Sarah Bamel—About 8,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Theodore street, being lots 23 and 24, Frederick P. Hall plan, March, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3546, page 43, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Also about 5,265 feet of land on the westerly side of Granville street, being lot 3, William E. Hannan plan, September 27, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3076, page 386, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 3,970 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakwood street, numbered 39, between an estate of Helen J. McCrackin and an estate of Catherine M. Salter, tax for 1923.....	118 56
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 34	Also about 4,336 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakwood street, numbered 31 and 33, between an estate of William K. Corey and an estate of Helen J. McCrackin, moth assessment for 1921.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,297 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Tax for 1923.....	205 01
Anastasia E. Vogel—Buildings and about 3,120 feet of land on the southerly side of Edwin street, numbered 9, between an estate of Ada F. L. Harvey and an estate of Charles F. Carroll and another, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Also about 4,283 feet of land on the easterly side of Adams street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Vernon J. Voye—Buildings and about 8,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richview street, numbered 20, between an estate of Francis M. Shea and an estate of Roswell G. Hall, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90	Also about 4,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Adams street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 4,271 feet of land on the easterly side of Tucker street, being lot 9, William O. Badger plan, May 2, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1875, page 357, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Paid on account.....	52 49	Marcella Zanellato and Joseph Lupinelli (supposed present owner Giuseppe Lamarea)—Buildings and about 14,407 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lots 10, 11 and 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Balance due.....	120 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,070 feet of land on the easterly side of Tucker street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
William N. Ward and Margaret E. Cram—About 4,625 feet of land on the westerly side of a 30-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by a 30-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place; southerly by an estate of Charles A. Harkin; and westerly by an estate of Christina Adducci and northerly by an estate of Bessie Eldridge, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Max Zax—About 3,711 feet of land on the westerly side of Becket street, being lot 6, H. T. Whitman plan, May 8, 1896, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2358, page 174, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Mary A. Barrett—Buildings and about 4,106 feet of land on the northerly side of Callender street, numbered 25 and 27, between two estates of Surphie Aznive, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Hannah Watson—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Allendale avenue, being lot 80, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41	WARD TWENTY-ONE.		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Mary M. Adams—Buildings and about 5,180 feet of land on the northerly side of Callender street, numbered 57 and 57A, between an estate of Isabella Kidd and an estate of Dora Paisner, tax for 1923.....	\$69 16	Mary A. Barrett—Buildings and about 4,106 feet of land on the northerly side of Callender street, numbered 25 and 27, between two estates of Surphie Aznive, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Ida M. Wentworth—About 3,758 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, being lot 126, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Abraham Alpert—Buildings and about 3,102 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1282A, 1282B and 1282C, making the northeasterly corner of Evelyn street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Seletzky, tax for 1923.....	234 65	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Mary A. Whalen—Buildings and about 5,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carruth street, numbered 40, making the northerly corner of Minot street, adjoining an estate of Henry E. Urann, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Avid M. Anderson—Buildings and about 5,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mascot street, numbered 20 and 22, between an estate of Rebecca Brooks and an estate of Sadie Block, tax for 1923.....	111 15	William J. Barry (supposed present owner Abraham Levitch and Nellie Bloom)—Buildings and about 5,381 feet of land on the northerly side of Morton street, numbered 646 and 648, making the easterly corner of Havelock street, adjoining an estate of Sarah Cadiff, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	11 44
Robert P. Williams—About 40,105 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Hill Top street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Old Colony Railroad Company; easterly by Conway Realty Company; southerly by Great creek; westerly by an estate of Marks Angel, moth assessment for 1923.....	4 65	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	David Baskin and Michael Staller—About 3,820 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, being lot A, Barney B. Levy plan, June 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3950, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 18
William Williams—About 1,150 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beaumont street, between an estate of Charles M. Reade (numbered 11) and an estate of Abbie O. Jacques (numbered 30 Carruth street), tax for 1922.....	7 41	Clara Applebaum—Buildings and about 3,069 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wildwood street, numbered 66, between an estate of Wolf Bovin and an estate of Jeanette W. Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90	Also about 3,490 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, being lot B, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 62
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	2 17	Paid on account.....	150 00	David Baskin—About 1,982 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, being lot C, Barney B. Levy plan, June 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 3950, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 78
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Balance due.....	22 90	Also about 1,613 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, being lot D, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 77
Alfred J. Wilson—Buildings and about 15,772 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, numbered 120, between an estate of Patrick McDonald and an estate of David M. Biggs, tax for 1923.....	\$29 64	Joseph Atkins—About 3,314 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 11, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 11, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.....	12 35	William J. Bassett—About 6,485 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lots 33 and 34, part lot 35, H. A. Millhouse plan, January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Paid on account.....	20 00	Also about 2,723 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 12, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45
Balance due.....	9 64	Also about 5,138 feet of land on the northerly side of Courtland road, making the junction of Harvard street, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Charles H. Belledeu—About 4,622 feet of land on the northerly side of Burt street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates of Florence L. Hamblin, Joseph T. Madden and another and Margaret S. Tobey; northeasterly by an estate of Helena T. Shortell; southerly and southwesterly by Burt street and an estate of Francis X. Julien; westerly by an estate of Boston Elevated Street Railway Company, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 86	Also about 2,666 feet of land on the northerly side of Courtland road, being lot 14, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Tax for 1922.....	22 23
Samuel G. Woods—Buildings and about 42,812 feet of land on the southerly side of Minot street, numbered 30, 32 and 34, between an estate of Henry P. Oakman and an estate of Mary A. Glavin heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$242 06	Also about 3,281 feet of land on the northerly side of Courtland road, being lot 15, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Moth assessment for 1922.....	87
Paid on account.....	50 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Nathan Bernstein and David Lerman—About 6,162 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 1, J. F. Connell plan, dated January, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Balance due.....	192 06	Also about 3,796 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Franklin A. Wyman—About 5,992 feet of land on the westerly side of Talbot avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Talbot avenue; northerly by an estate of Mary C. Wyman; westerly by an estate of Charlotte Caldwell and others, and southerly by an estate of Mary A. Lynch, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Also about 3,779 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Herbert L. and Elviah H. York—Buildings and about 13,715 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 296, between an estate of		Also about 3,762 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
		Also about 3,608 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, making the junction of Harvard street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
		Also about 4,677 feet of land on the northerly side of Estella street, making the northeasterly corner of Harvard street, being the southerly part of lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23		

Also about 5,210 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Also about 5,210 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Also about 5,143 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	46 93		
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
Also about 5,402 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	108 68		
Eli Berzow—Buildings and about 4,822 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lorne street (formerly Lena park), numbered 35 and 37, adjoining an estate of Jacob J. Goldman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16396, tax for 1923.....	247 00		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	28 77		
Mary J. Bowes—Buildings and about 4,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazleton street, numbered 97, between two estates of Albert B. Carey, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55		
Paid on account.....	95 88		
Balance due.....	64 67		
Sahag and Arias Boyajian—About 1,895 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, being lot 35A, Russell H. Whiting plan, December 19, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4173, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 1,895 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, being lot 35B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Emma E. Bringham, Mortgagee in possession—About 6,462 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 8, H. C. Mildram plan, March 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13886, tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	34 45		
Also about 6,354 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13886, tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	21 77		
Also about 4,472 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O 9, Henry C. Mildram plan, March 3, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,558 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O 10, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 9,520 feet of land on the southerly side of Duke street, being lot 46, Ernest W. Bowditch plan, March 1, 1898, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14111, tax for 1922.....	27 17		
Also about 3,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Outlook road, being lot A, H. C. Mildram plan, November 5, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3778, page 53, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Harry L. and Theodore W. Buckley—About 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 13, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 98		
Also about 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96		
Margaret T. Burke—About 3,515 feet of land on the easterly side of Groveland street, being lot 93, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 51		
Also about 3,515 feet of land on the easterly side of Groveland street, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 51		
Also about 3,471 feet of land on the easterly side of Manchester street, making the southeasterly corner of Groveland street, being lot 91, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 51		
Florence M. Cain—Buildings and about 35,280 feet of land on the westerly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Samuel M. Safford; westerly by an estate of Ruth C. Spargo; easterly by the location of a proposed street, tax for 1922.....	29 64		
Tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Also about 41,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Manchester street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly and southwesterly by another estate of said Cain and the location of Sanford street; easterly by the location of a proposed street, and northerly by Manchester street, tax for 1922.....	37 05		
Tax for 1923.....	37 05		
William G. and Catherine Carpenter reassessed from Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,602 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rock avenue, between an estate of Clarence W. Albee, numbered 229 Norfolk street, and an estate of Joseph P. Eccleston, numbered 1 Rock avenue, tax for 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 00		
Mauritz Casperson—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Ballou avenue, numbered 160 and 162, between an estate of Lillian F. Levine and an estate of Carl E. Lofgren, tax for 1923.....	\$113 62		
Paid on account.....	59 78		
Balance due.....	53 84		
Mary Caulfield and Bridget J. Downey—About 2,672 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the northeasterly corner of Norfolk street, adjoining an estate of Margaret E. Higgins, numbered 1372 Blue Hill avenue, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 34		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,202 feet of land on the southerly side of Manchester street, being lot 50, George A. Kimball plan, dated October, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 10		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 15,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Ruggles place, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Ruggles place, northeasterly by estates of Michael J. Flaherty, William J. Kennally and Mary H. O'Brien, easterly by an estate of Catherine Glynn westerly and southwesterly by an estate of William and Catherine Keenan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also buildings and about 9,406 feet of land on the southerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 131, between an estate of William Douse and an estate of Arthur E. Benson and another, tax for 1923.....	143 26		
Also about 6,045 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fuller street, being lot 23, L. Briggs & Co. plan, May 21, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1679, page 186, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,872 feet of land on the westerly side of Violet street, making the southwesterly corner of French street, being lot 151, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 3,384 feet of land on the easterly side of Ferndale street, being lot 26, Henry C. Mildram plan, March 28, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3275, page 26, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 5,792 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crossman street, being lot 9, William O. Badger plan, September 26, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2087, page 246, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45		
Also about 3,574 feet of land on the southerly side of Glenmore street, being lot 96, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,747 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, being the southeasterly part of lot 86, William O. Badger plan, May 20, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2151, page 104, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	6 34		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45		
Also about 3,655 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 25, William E. Hannan plan, July 28, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4017, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,766 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,842 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,010 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,085 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,198 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,711 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,119 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also buildings and about 5,096 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ormond street, numbered 51, making the southerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Samuel Gerish, tax for 1923.....	\$209 95		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	109 95		
Also about 2,025 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, being the westerly part of lot 39, E. L. Moulton plan, March 31, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3305, page 582, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 5,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hosmer street, being lot 67, W. I. Mather plan, January, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3104, page 466, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Fremont Chase—About 3,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 98, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, at end, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,582 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Ray Chertok—Buildings and about 3,157 feet of land on the northerly side of Torrey street, numbered 77, between an estate of Edna N. Pope and another and another estate of said Chertok, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Also buildings and about 2,516 feet of land on the easterly side of Wentworth street, numbered 42, making the northeasterly corner of Torrey street, adjoining another estate of said Chertok, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Also buildings and about 2,770 feet of land on the easterly side of Wentworth street, numbered 40, between another estate of said Chertok and an estate of Kate A. Harris, tax for 1923.....	150 67		
Linis C. Coggan—About 5,065 feet of land on the westerly side of Bernard street, between an estate of Moses Richmond and an estate of Marion Smith, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Barnet Cohen—About 2,719 feet of land on the northerly side of Estrella street, being the easterly part of lot 22, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 11, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3948, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Harriet F. Cole—Buildings and about 10,222 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 209, between an estate of Percy G. Bolster and an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	23 71		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		

Jeanette M. Coleman and Ruth C. Stewart—About 5,923 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Nelson street, between an estate of William L. Burns and an estate of Mary E. Harrington, tax for 1923.	14 82	northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1922, tax for 1923.	7 41	Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1922.	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.	65	Also about 4,933 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 97, tax for 1922.	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	7 13
Eva M. Collins—About 5,704 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Astoria street, being lot 20, Charles F. Baxter plan, July 26, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2314, tax for 1923.	14 82	Moth assessment for 1922.	85	Tax for 1923.	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.	65	Tax for 1923.	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	6 90
Dennis H. Collins—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Nelson street, between an estate of Michael J. Rafins and another and an estate of Michael J. Doyle and another, tax for 1923.	4 94	Lillie M. Cruickshank—Buildings and about 4,327 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carlos street, numbered 1, between an estate of Nellie J. Taylor and an estate of Louis Lipsky, tax for 1923.	98 80	Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1922.	4 94
Martha L. Constable—About 2,025 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington street, extending through to Avondale place, being a lot shown on Fred P. Hall plan, December, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2572, page 295, tax for 1922.	7 41	Catherine Curley—Buildings and about 9,234 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1284, making the southerly corner of Evelyn street, adjoining another estate of said Curley, moth assessment for 1923.	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	7 13
Tax for 1923.	7 41	Walter and Catherine E. Curley—About 7,607 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot D, C. B. Humphrey plan, August 1, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16032, tax for 1923.	56 81	Tax for 1923.	4 94
Louis A. Cook—About 4,984 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 141, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1922.	9 88	Patrick Doherty—About 5,778 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being lot 208, William O. Badger plan, June 1, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2097, page 35, tax for 1923.	12 35	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	7 13
Moth assessment for 1922.	85	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	19 39	Tax for 1923.	4 94
Tax for 1923.	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.	50	Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 75, same plan, tax for 1922.	4 94
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1922.	9 88	Also about 5,137 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones construction being lot 209, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	7 13
Moth assessment for 1922.	85	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	19 39	Moth assessment for 1922.	85
Tax for 1923.	9 88	Also about 4,496 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being lot 210, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88	Tax for 1923.	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	19 39	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	7 13
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 143, same plan, tax for 1922.	9 88	Also about 4,292 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being lot 211, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88	Tax for 1923.	4 94
Tax for 1923.	9 88	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	21 83	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	7 13
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	Also about 5,705 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being the northeasterly part of lot 212, same plan, tax for 1923.	14 82	Tax for 1923.	4 94
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 144, same plan, tax for 1922.	9 88	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	30 74	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	6 90
Tax for 1923.	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.	50	Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 78, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	Patrick Donahoe—About 3,509 feet of land on the easterly side of Groveland street, being lot 7, George A. Kimball plan, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	7 13
Also about 5,126 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 145, same plan, tax for 1922.	9 88	Mary E., Alice M. and John J. Donnelly—About 30,077 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Canterbury street, between an estate of Mary E. Brady devisees and an estate of Mary L. McDonald, tax for 1923.	74 10	Tax for 1923.	4 94
Moth assessment for 1922.	85	Also about 5,150 feet of land on the northerly side of Churchill place, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Carrie J. Draper; easterly and northeasterly by an estate of Agnes L. Dodge; southerly by Churchill place and westerly and southwesterly by an estate of Annie J. Reed, tax for 1922.	12 35	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	7 13
Tax for 1923.	7 41	Catherine Elms (set off to John A. E. Moroney)—Buildings and about 10,390 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 451, between another estate of said Elms and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1922.	96 33	Tax for 1923.	6 90
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.	36 70	David Feldman—Buildings and about 6,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 24, between another estate of said Feldman and an estate of Bessie Feldman, tax for 1923.	380 38
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the northwesterly side of French street, being lot 146, same plan, tax for 1922.	7 41	Gertrude Epstein and Esther Hecht—Buildings and about 4,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Lucerne street, numbered 85, between an estate of Bessie Pearlman and an estate of Philip Turezky, tax for 1923.	281 58	Paid on account.	200 00
Tax for 1923.	7 41	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	31 28	Balance due.	180 38
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	Michael Fallon—About 2,856 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Melish road, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Old Colony System); westerly by sundry estates on Melish road, and northeasterly by Melish road, tax for 1923.	2 47	Leone A. Field—Buildings and about 13,707 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, numbered 459, between an estate of Edith T. Baker and an estate of George E. Glover, tax for 1923.	108 68
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the northwesterly side of French street, being lot 149, same plan, tax for 1922.	7 41	Tax for 1923.	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.	50
Tax for 1923.	7 41	Also about 4,793 feet of land on the northwesterly side of French street, being lot 150, same plan, tax for 1922.	12 35	Abraham Finn—About 5,300 feet of land on the easterly side of Lucerne street, between an estate of Abraham Sisinovich and an estate of Rose Bellou and another, tax for 1923.	12 35
Moth assessment for 1922.	85	Tax for 1923.	4 94	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	36 04
Tax for 1923.	7 41	Also about 4,813 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1922.	2 47	Joe Fishelstein—About 3,755 feet of land on the southerly side of Burt street, being lot 17, T. J. McCarthy plan, March 26, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3643, page 9, tax for 1923.	9 88
Moth assessment for 1922.	85	Tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 4,012 feet of land on the southerly side of Burt street, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 73	Also about 4,843 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1922.	4 94	William H. Fitzpatrick Heirs—About 7,325 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crest avenue, being lot 101, Whitman and Breck plan, September, 1881, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1540, tax for 1921.	12 35
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	Tax for 1923.	7 13	Moth assessment for 1921.	1 30
Also about 4,783 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1922.	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	4 94	Tax for 1922.	12 35
Tax for 1923.	7 41	Also about 4,873 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 95, same plan, tax for 1922.	6 90	Moth assessment for 1922.	87
Moth assessment for 1922.	85	Tax for 1923.	6 90	Tax for 1923.	12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 73	Also about 4,903 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1922.	6 90	Moth assessment for 1923.	50
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	Tax for 1923.	6 90		
Also about 4,843 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1922.	7 41				
Tax for 1923.	7 41				
Moth assessment for 1922.	85				
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Also about 4,903 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1922.	7 41				
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Also about 4,903 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1922.	7 41				
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Also about 4,903 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1922.	7 41				
Tax for 1923.	7 41				
Moth assessment for 1922.	85	</			

Mary E. Flaherty—About 6,623 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fairmount street, being lot 8, shown on a plan not dated, on file in the assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82	northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Thomas E. and Margaret A. Flanagan—About 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 4, H. C. Milgram plan, May 2, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14269, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 6,422 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 2,676 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Everett A. Flynn—About 6,346 feet of land on the northerly side of Jones avenue, being lot E, on a plan not named and not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1631, page 113, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 39	Also about 2,686 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 25	John J. Good Heirs—About 4,582 feet of land on the easterly side of Ogden street, being lot 7, H. T. Whitman plan, dated December, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2308, page 385, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 61	Anna M. Harvey—Buildings and about 6,120 feet of land on the westerly side of Whitman street, numbered 13, between an estate of George R. Muddock and an estate of John P. Barker, tax for 1923.....	123 50
John R. Forgie—About 9,303 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stratton street, between an estate of Maximilian Kaiser (numbered 27 and 29) and an estate of Louis Green (numbered 37), apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	15 62	Also about 4,891 feet of land on the southerly side of Wilmington avenue, making the junction of Ogden street, being lot 13, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 01	William E. Harvey—Buildings and about 3,878 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Floyd street, numbered 54, between an estate of Philip Rosenbaum and another estate of said Harvey, tax for 1923.....	209 95
James J. and Mary Freaney—Buildings and about 4,091 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Edson street, numbered 72, between an estate of Thomas Tolvin and another and an estate of Catherine Lucas, tax for 1923.....	198 68	Morris Goren—Buildings and about 4,547 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lucerne street, numbered 124, between an estate of Doah Postar and an estate of Abram Rubin and another, tax for 1923.....	202 54	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 66
Alfred D. Freeman—About 285 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, being a lot shown on J. S. Crossman plan, dated August, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4059, page 23, tax for 1922.....	2 47	John J. Grant, Trustee—About 2,675 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, being lot B, S. L. Leftvith plan, May 2, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4369, page 258, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Henry T. and Abbott L. Hatch—About 3,876 feet of land on the westerly side of Violet street, being lot 152, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1922.....	7 41 50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	94	Also about 4,700 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Moth assessment for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	1 43	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Hyman Green—About 6,665 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazleton street, being lot D, S. L. Leftvith plan, November 8, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4414, page 394, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Ada T. Hayden—About 9,198 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 114, Whitman and Breck plan, dated September, 1881, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1540, tax for 1922.....	12 35 12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	91	Also about 6,610 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazleton street, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	1 38	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,761 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 116, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 2,775 feet of land on the southerly side of Talbot avenue, numbered 291, making the southwest corner of Whitfield street, adjoining an estate of Willey Savings Bank, tax for 1923.....	165 49	Also about 6,840 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazleton street, being lot H, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 34	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,501 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 117, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Also buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Rockwell street, numbered 35, between an estate of Agnes I. Quirk and another and an estate of Fannie T. Harkness, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Also about 6,787 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazleton street, being lot J, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 5,241 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 118, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Joseph Green—Buildings and about 2,473 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1412, between an estate of Jennie Markowich and an estate of Nellie V. O'Leary, tax for 1923.....	122 60	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also buildings and about 5,065 feet of land on the northerly side of Duke street, numbered 19, adjoining an estate of Robert O. Brittain, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13907, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Also about 6,840 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazleton street, being lot H, same plan, tax for 1923.....	15 19	Also about 9,424 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 124, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	15 19	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Ida L. Ganter—Buildings and about 4,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Johnson place, at end, numbered 17 and 19, adjoining an estate of Peter Joyce and another, tax for 1923.....	69 16	Jacob L. and Pauline Green—Buildings and about 2,963 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 420 and 422, between another estate of said Green and another and an estate of Sarah T. Halpert, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 5,241 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 125, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Samuel Gerrish—About 4,066 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 41, William E. Hannan plan, July 19, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 482, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Margaret M. and John A. Gregor—About 5,867 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and northwesterly by West Selden street; northeasterly by an estate of William T. Buller and another trustee, and southwest by an estate of Margaret A. Maybury, tax for 1923.....	6 53	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 1,050 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wilbert road, being the westerly part of lot 28 and the easterly part of lot 29, H. A. Millhouse plan, June 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 347, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	1 45	Also about 3,761 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 127, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Francis Goldin—Buildings and about 4,562 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 3, Whitman and Howard plan, May 12, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4314, page 92, tax for 1923.....	40 40	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 35	Isidore Guttel—Buildings and about 3,602 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brookview street, making the southerly corner of Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Corchman, tax for 1923.....	77 84	Also about 3,021 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 128, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 5,122 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	36 38	Also about 6,840 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazleton street, being lot H, same plan, tax for 1923.....	44 10	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 38	Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94	Edward Herman—About 10,470 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the southeasterly corner of Wilmore street, being lot B, S. L. Leftvith plan, dated July 5, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4380, page 281, tax for 1923.....	103 74
Also about 5,455 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	William Hardy—About 2,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 9, H. A. Millhouse plan, January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Celia Herman—Buildings and about 5,420 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Angell street, numbered 26, between an estate of Rose Sigilman and an estate of Lazarus Davis, tax for 1923.....	234 65 50
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 38	Also about 2,683 feet of land on the		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 5,858 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82			Clarence E. Hill—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Theodore street, being lot 35, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated March, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3546, page 43, tax for 1923.....	17 92
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 39			Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 6,676 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 78, between an estate of Alice J. Anderson and an estate of John J. Delay, tax for 1923.....	83 98
Also about 6,327 feet of land on the				Also buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Edson street, numbered 52, between an estate of Max Shepard and an estate of Jennie Naiherseg, tax for 1923.....	148 20

Wellington, John B. and Grace Holbrook, Trustees—About 4,371 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 99, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 4,138 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 101, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,954 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 103, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 4,122 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 105, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,919 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 106, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 107, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 108, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 109, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 110, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 31, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 2, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 32, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 33, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 34, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 35, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 4,996 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, making the northerly corner of Hazelton street, being lot 36, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 4,012 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazelton street, being lot 37, Henry C. Mildram plan, February 8, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 5,547 feet of land on the northerly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 42, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,863 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 41, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 4,273 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 40, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 4,203 feet of land on the			
northeasterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 39, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,837 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 38, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 3,890 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 66, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 4,052 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 67, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also about 4,090 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 68, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 4,238 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 69, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 4,364 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 70, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 4,455 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 71, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 4,467 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 72, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 4,601 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 73, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 4,427 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 74, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot G, block R, Henry C. Mildram plan, October 5, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.	4 91		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot C, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 8,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ormond street, extending through to Blue Hill avenue, being lots 9 and 10, Ernest W. Bowditch plan, March 1, 1898, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	27 17		
Moth assessment for 1923.	65		
Also about 4,050 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot H, block Q, Henry C. Mildram plan, October 5, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	3 32		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot I, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry Dis-			
trict of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot J, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot K, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot L, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot M, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot N, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 3,240 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot O, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15882, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 4,368 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O8, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 4,312 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 80,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Byers road, being lot V, assessed as lots 201-217, inclusive, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	98 89		
Moth assessment for 1923.	65		
Also about 5,066 feet of land on the westerly side of Byers road, making the northwesterly corner of Hillsboro road, being lot N, Henry C. Mildram plan, February 3, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 4,196 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Byers road, being lot N2, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 4,325 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Byers road, being lot N3, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 4,530 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, being lot T4, Henry C. Mildrams plan, March 9, 1918, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15768, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 4,300 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, being lot T5, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15768, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, being lot T6, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15768, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 4,611 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, making the westerly corner of a passageway, being lot T7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15768, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 43,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, making the southerly corner of Outlook road, being lots 177 to 184, Henry C. Mildram plan, November 15, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.	44 46		
Edna W. Holden—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Morton street, numbered 993, between an estate of Daniel A. McLaughlin and an estate of Claire L. Kennedy, tax for 1923.	98 80		

Ellen C. Larson—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Bailey street, numbered 37, between an estate of Ellen J. Collins and an estate of William R. Crump, tax for 1923.....	\$148 20	
Paid on account.....	99 50	
Balance due.....		18 70
Samuel Lebowich—About 3,848 feet of land on the southerly side of Mora street, being lot 20, Charles F. Baxter plan, October 5, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2231, tax for 1923.....		12 35
Also about 3,756 feet of land on the southerly side of Mora street, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....		12 35
Also about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Mora street, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....		12 35
Also about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Mora street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923.....		12 35
Also about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Mora street, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....		12 35
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Also about 4,250 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Also about 4,250 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Also about 4,250 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Also about 4,247 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Also about 4,390 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Bessie Levenson—Buildings and about 2,630 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woolson street, numbered 14, making the northerly corner of Leslie street, adjoining an estate of Philip Siegel, tax for 1923.....		145 73
Etta Levenson and Dora Greenburg—Buildings and about 3,550 feet of land on the southerly side of Johnston road, numbered 66, between an estate of Annie Bell and an estate of Annie Packer, tax for 1923.....		195 13
Ellen J. Lynch, Trustee under will of Mary E. Costello—About 4,015 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delhi street, making the easterly corner of Rich street, being lot 25, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923.....		7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 30
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95
Elizabeth G. Lynds—Buildings and about 5,079 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 106, adjoining an estate of Annie Small, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11503, tax for 1923.....		123 50
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		30 81
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
George W. Macauley—About 3,536 feet of land on the southerly side of Norfolk street, between another estate of said Macauley and an estate of City of Boston, moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Alexander L. and Agnes MacQueen—Buildings and about 10,559 feet of land on the northerly side of Bailey street, numbered 14, extending through to But street, adjoining an estate of Eugenia P. Joseph (numbered 18), tax for 1923.....		76 57
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Gustave Mahler—Buildings and about 4,115 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Morton street, numbered 619, making the westerly corner of Courtland road, adjoining an estate of David Rice, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7920, tax for 1923.....		205 01
Dennis F. Mahoney—About 4,795 feet of land on the southerly side of Calender street, making the southeasterly corner of Lauriat street, being lot 7, Charles F. Baxter plan, August 1, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2294, tax for 1923.....		24 70
Margaret A. McCarthy—About 2,100 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Fuller street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said McCarthy (numbered 77 Fuller street), tax for 1922.....		4 94
Ronald A. and Catherine J. McCormack—Buildings and about 6,005 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Astoria street, numbered 75, between an estate of Harriet S. Withington heirs or devisees and an estate of Margaret E. Morse, tax for 1923, \$86 45		
Paid on account.....	75 00	
Balance due.....		11 45
Frank C. McInerney—About 2,289 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Theodore street, being lot 17, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated March, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3546, page 43, tax for 1923.....		7 41
John J. and Anna M. McMahon—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial avenue, numbered 62, between an estate of Winnifred B. Rice and an estate of Charles B. White, tax for 1923.....		86 45
Samuel Miller—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Don street, numbered 11, between an estate of Harriet G. Keen and an estate of Agnes J. Swan, tax for 1923.....		\$111 15
Paid on account.....	84 10	
Balance due.....		27 05
Also buildings and about 3,300 feet of land on the easterly side of Lucerne street, numbered 92, between an estate of Sarah Shuber and an estate of Annie Perlmuter, tax for 1923.....		190 19
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		22 44
Sarah Miller—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Hansborough street, numbered 11, between an estate of Morris Miller and an estate of Rebecca Saperstein, tax for 1923.....		\$202 34
Paid on account.....	87 89	
Balance due.....		114 65
Richard F. Moore—Buildings and about 5,176 feet of land on the northerly side of Bailey street, numbered 22, between an estate of William H. Ford and another and an estate of Mary F. Murphy, tax for 1923.....		\$49 40
Paid on account.....	44 50	
Balance due.....		4 90
John A. Moroney—Buildings and about 10,390 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 451, between an estate of David L. Schoolman and an estate of Catherine Elms, tax for 1923.....		96 33
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		35 82
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
John J. Mullen—About 5,297 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, being the southeasterly part of lot 6, William O. Badger plan, September 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2087, page 246, tax for 1922.....		12 35
Moth assessment for 1922.....		85
Tax for 1923.....		12 35
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....		7 07
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95
About 3,331 feet of land on the easterly side of West Selden street, being the northeasterly part of lot 7, same plan, tax for 1922.....		7 41
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....		7 48
Moth assessment for 1922.....		85
Tax for 1923.....		7 41
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....		7 07
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95
Mary A. Mullen—Buildings and about 3,448 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 18, between an estate of Ruth A. Haddock, and an estate of Carrie Kummerlee, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....		7 48
Helen V. Mulvey—About 7,144 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the westerly corner of Hazleton street, adjoining an estate of Alfred J. Couture, being the northwesterly part of lots 8 and 9, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 305, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....		61 75
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		7 07
Moth assessment for 1923.....		85
Lora C. Merrill—About 3,571 feet of land on the easterly side of Wentworth street, being lot 10, Burdon Gaylord plan, June 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2464, page 337, tax for 1923.....		12 35
Also about 4,910 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....		17 29
Also about 3,739 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....		17 29
Also about 3,739 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, making the southwesterly corner of a proposed terrace, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....		12 35
Also about 3,272 feet of land on the southerly side of Clarence terrace, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....		14 82
Also about 3,272 feet of land on the southerly side of Clarence terrace, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....		14 82
Also about 3,921 feet of land on the southerly side of Clarence terrace, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....		14 82
Also about 3,693 feet of land on the northerly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....		14 82
Also about 5,025 feet of land on the northerly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923.....		19 76
Also about 3,085 feet of land on the southerly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....		12 35
Also about 2,371 feet of land on the southerly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....		9 88
Hadley Newman—Buildings and about 2,824 feet of land on the northerly side of Fremont street, numbered 12, making the northeasterly corner of a proposed street, adjoining an estate of Frances M. Cosgrove, tax for 1923.....		98 80
Henry Norman—Buildings and about 32,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1132 to 1138, inclusive, being the whole of assessors' block 150, Z 36, 16,621 square feet of land, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13874, tax for 1923.....		2,679 95
Nellie V. O'Leary—About 1,869 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the southeasterly corner of Norfolk street, between another estate of said O'Leary and an estate of Martin L. Cate, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		12 71
Julie Olsen—Buildings and about 3,838 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ballou avenue, numbered 68, between another estate of said Olsen and an estate of Mary C. Tinkham, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....		15 10
Moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Joseph F. Otis—About 5,160 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lots 3 and 6, F. P. Hall plan, dated January, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3344, page 594, tax for 1922.....		32 11
Tax for 1923.....		32 11
Catherine F. O'Toole—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lorna road, making the southerly corner of Marie street, being lot 204, H. A. Millhouse plan, January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lorna road, being lot 205, same plan, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Alice B. Packard—About 18,189 feet of land on the southerly side of Norfolk street, making the southeasterly corner of Chipman street, adjoining an estate of George F. W. Stevens (numbered 60 Norfolk street), tax for 1923.....		88 92
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		42 17
Katie Pann—Buildings and about 5,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 169, between an estate of Joseph Glick and an estate of Esther Kaplan and another, tax for 1923.....		\$118 56
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....		68 56
Cecille Pearlstein—About 4,867 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Callender street, being lot 4, J. F. Connell plan, dated December 1, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3666, page 126, tax for 1922.....		17 29
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....		28 30
Willis C. Pearson—Buildings and about 2,706 feet of land on the easterly side of Whitman street, making the southeasterly corner of Norfolk street, adjoining an estate of William F. Mullane, tax for 1923.....		93 86
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		9 42

Alonzo A. Peasley Heirs—About 4,746 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, being the southeasterly part of lot 88, William O. Badger plan, dated May 20, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2151, page 104, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 6 34

Moth assessment for 1923..... 1 45

Also about 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 16, John H. Rice plan, dated May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 75

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 00

Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 00

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Also about 4,175 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 75

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Samuel W. and Mary Petterson—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, numbered 624, adjoining another estate of said Petterson, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 12, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 16, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Horace J. Phipps—About 70,987 feet of land on the southerly side of Morton street, making the southwesterly corner of West Selden street, being the easterly part of a lot shown on William E. Hannan plan, June 19, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923..... 123 50

Edna A. Pope—Buildings and about 4,579 feet of land on the northerly side of Maxwell street, numbered 31, between an estate of John G. Murphy and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Also about 775 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, between an estate of Lucy E. Peavy and an estate of Mary B. Moran, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 374 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Ballou avenue, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Caroline Cochran, numbered 40, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 3,700 feet of land on the northerly side of Torrey street, being lot 4, Silverman Engineering Company plan, July 25, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3660, page 21, tax for 1922..... 17 29

Tax for 1923..... 17 29

J. Frank, James H. and Abbott S. Pope, Trustees of the James Pope Trust—About 53,439 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Adams street, being lots F, G, H, I, J, E. L. Moulton plan, April 1, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4457, page 447, tax for 1923..... 130 91

Moth assessment for 1923..... 1 30

Mary Rebello—Buildings and about 6,867 feet of land on the westerly side of Cedar street, numbered 42, 14 rear and 16, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Fuller, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922..... 33 96

Francis L. Richards—Buildings and about 5,250 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, numbered 21, adjoining an estate of Michael Walsh, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4527, tax for 1923..... 56 81

George A. Richards—Buildings and about 8,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Walton street, numbered 31, between an estate of Minnie F. Bell and an estate of Emma C. Rich, tax for 1923..... 143 26

Also buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Mora street, numbered 56, between an estate of Samuel Lebowich and an estate of Gustave Kullman and another, tax for 1923..... 106 21

Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Johnston road, numbered 26, between an estate of Leah M. Ratkowsky and another and an estate of Ida Spindel, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 11 34

Josephine A. Ringrose—About 3,982 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delhi street, making the southerly corner of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 49, John H. Rice plan, April 2, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2195, page 334, tax for 1922..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 8 28

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 8 00

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Mabel L. Roberts—Buildings and about 5,810 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Astoria street, numbered 81, between an estate of Lizzie T. Roberts and an estate of Margaret E. Morse, tax for 1923..... 81 51

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Robert Robinson—Buildings and about 5,181 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wellington Hill street (numbered 74), between an estate of Mary C. Dodds and an estate of Jacob Kaplan, tax for 1923..... 197 60

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

James J. Sarkesian—Buildings and about 3,928 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington street, numbered 734, 736 and 738, making the southeasterly corner of Roslin street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Penney, tax for 1923..... \$516 23

Paid on account..... 386 54

Balance due..... 129 69

Charles J. Scheffren—About 4,645 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tucker street, being lot 6, William O. Badger plan, May 2, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1875, page 357, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 20 81

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 4,544 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tucker street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 20 36

Abe Selman and Adolph Hirshman—About 4,086 feet of land on the southerly side of Maxwell street, being the southeasterly part of lot 25, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 28, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Also about 4,667 feet of land on the southerly side of Maxwell street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Bessie Shapiro—Buildings and about 4,586 feet of land on the easterly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 166, making the northeasterly corner of Willowood street, adjoining an estate of Frank Zorfas, tax for 1923..... \$185 25

Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 85 25

Also about 3,440 feet of land on the easterly side of Willowood street, being lot 108, William O. Badger plan, June 1, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2097, page 35, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Also buildings and about 4,680 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 204, between an estate of Esther Hershon and an estate of Harris Fishman and another, tax for 1923..... \$269 23

Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 69 23

John Shaw Heirs—About 3,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Halborn street, being lot 38, John H. Rice plan, April 2, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2195, page 334, tax for 1922..... 7 41

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Also about 3,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Halborn street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1922, 7 41

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Also about 3,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Halborn street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1922, 7 41

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Also about 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1922, 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 8 10

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 7 83

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Also about 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1922, 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 7 20

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 96

John E. Shea—About 5,348 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 4, F. P. Hall plan, dated January, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3344, page 594, tax for 1922..... 24 70

Tax for 1923..... 24 70

Also about 2,081 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1922..... 9 88

Tax for 1923..... 9 88

Frank Sher—About 2,099 feet of land on the easterly side of Irma street, being lot 1, P. E. Silverman plan, January 17, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3784, page 522, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 17 05

Eva Sherman—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Callender street, numbered 36, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Thomas F. Kinsella, tax for 1923..... \$148 20

Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 48 20

Philip Siegal—Buildings and about 2,930 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woolson street, numbered 10, between an estate of Bessie Levenson and an estate of Mary A. Buckley, tax for 1923..... \$172 90

Paid on account..... 90 00

Balance due..... 82 90

Samuel Simons, Max Risman, Celia Epstein, Abraham Desmond, Hector Kaufman and Isadore Linsky, trustees of the Morton Realty Trust—About 48,597 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the junction of Morton street and extending through to Rhoades street, being the whole of assessors' block 164 H, and being lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, F. A. Foster plan, October 22, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3360, page 381, tax for 1923..... 3,670 42

Samuel and Annie Singer—Buildings and about 5,084 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 389, between an estate of Louis Chyet and an estate of Abbie A. Fruean, tax for 1923..... \$311 22

Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due..... 161 22

Franklin I. Smith, Trustee for Louis F. Bupf—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lanark road, being lots 122 and 123, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Albert C. Smith—About 3,828 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Branch street, being lot 53, Whitman and Breck plan, dated September, 1881, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1540, tax for 1922..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 8 91

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 8 58

Also about 3,894 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delhi street, adjoining an estate of Juliet F. Lloyd, being a lot shown on George H. Wetherbee, Junior, plan, dated September, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6796, tax for 1922..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 6 51

Moth assessment for 1922..... 85

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 30

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Samuel Smorack and Samuel Poverman—About 1,032 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodrow avenue, between an estate of Joseph Iasoff and an estate of Georgia N. Mayberry, tax for 1923.....	4 91		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Lena Sneirson—Buildings and about 3,969 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woolson street, numbered 74, making the easterly corner of Verrill street, adjoining an estate of Samuel L. White, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Ida Snyder—Buildings and about 3,443 feet of land on the northerly side of Arbutus street, numbered 14, between an estate of Ida Berkowitz and an estate of Jacob Beecof, tax for 1923.....	180 31		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Harry H. Spevack—Buildings and about 3,483 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Morton street, numbered 797, between an estate of Hyman Douglas and an estate of Fannie Roffman, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Louis H. Steinberg and Harry Snider—About 5,379 feet of land on the east-erly side of Ormond street, being lot 38, William E. Hannan plan, July 19, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 482, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 6,801 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 6,118 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Max Steinberg—About 4,867 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Callender street, between an estate of Harry L. Slobins and an estate of Mamie Gershon, being a lot shown on J. F. Connell plan, January 16, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3515, page 510, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Joseph W. Stern and Abraham Kut-nick—Buildings and about 6,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Norfolk street, numbered 155, 157 and 159, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 8, 10 and 12 Milton avenue, adjoining an estate of Emilio M. Bianca, tax for 1923.....	395 20		
Dora Sternberg—Buildings and about 4,344 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Woolson street, numbered 49, between an estate of Thomas E. P. Rice and an estate of Fannie Bocholtz, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Peter Theophilopoulos—About 5,431 feet of land on the southeasterly corner of Westmore road, making the southerly corner of Deering road, being lot 75, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7726, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	13 96		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
C. Adele Tibbetts—About 21,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lots 79 to 84, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 2, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry Dis-trict of Land Court, certificate num-ber 14434, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	33 72		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Also about 3,816 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 86, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14434, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 62		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 17,280 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lots 88 to 91, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry Dis-trict of Land Court, certificate num-ber 14434, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	22 48		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Joseph T. and Alice J. Treloar—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lanark road, being lots 226 and 227, H. A. Millhouse plan, Janu-ary 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Nathan Ullian—Buildings and about 4,167 feet of land on the easterly side of Ferndale street, numbered 7 and 9, between an estate of Bella Cohen and an estate of David Yarchin and another, tax for 1923.....	165 49		
Also buildings and about 3,948 feet of land on the easterly side of Ferndale street, numbered 23 and 25, between an estate of Ethel Kaezer and another and an estate of Abraham I. Rudnick, tax for 1923.....	165 49		
Also buildings and about 3,674 feet of land on the westerly side of Ferndale street, numbered 22 and 24, between an estate of Joseph Rudnick and an estate of Gussie Kantrovitz, tax for 1923.....	156 14		
Also buildings and about 3,954 feet of land on the westerly side of Ferndale street, numbered 10 and 12, between another estate of said Ullian and an estate of Annie Stoller, tax for 1923.....	158 08		
Esther Volin—Buildings and about 4,759 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stratton street, numbered 65, be-tween an estate of Harris Gerltin and an estate of Isaac Schneider and another, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55		
Paid on account.....	85 04		
Balance due.....	75 51		
Edwin E. and Maude L. Wallace—About 2,737 feet of land on the easterly side of Capen street, making the southeasterly corner of Evans street, being a lot shown on a plan, dated December, 1903, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the southerly side of Evans street, numbered 60, between another estate of said Wallace and another and an estate of Walter W. Donnelly, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
May Walters—About 13,829 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, October 11, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2090, page 106, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	26 27		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Andrew J. Ward—About 20,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Balsam street, making the northeasterly corner of Ashton street, extending to and making the southeasterly corner of Arbutus street, adjoining an estate of Hyman Cohen, moth assessment for 1922.....	66		
Also about 4,867 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Callender street, being lot 5, J. F. Connell plan, January 16, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3515, page 510, tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1922.....	28 30		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66		
Also about 58,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, extending to and making the junction of Callender street, adjoining an estate of Max S. Ourieff, moth assessment for 1922.....	66		
David B. Weinstein and Rose Stein- Buildings and about 3,821 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mascot street, numbered 45, between an estate of Annie Barry and an estate of Leonide Rivard and another, tax for 1923.....	\$74 10		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	24 10		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Augusta I. Weisberg—About 9,508 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Callender street, being lots 1 to 3, inclusive, S. L. Leftovitch plan, October 27, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4326, page 279, tax for 1923.....	106 21		
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	26 75		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Morris White—Buildings and about 4,018 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 376, making the southerly corner of a pro-posed street, adjoining an estate of Bartholomew J. Connolly, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Samuel L. White—Buildings and about 3,831 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woolson street, numbered 78, between an estate of Mary Caspar and an estate of Lena Sneirson, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Wilsey Savings Bank—Buildings and about 2,404 feet of land on the south- westerly side of Talbot avenue, num-bered 287, between an estate of Edna Adamson and an estate of Clara B. French, tax for 1922.....	167 96		
Tax for 1923.....	167 96		
William Williams—About 5,565 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 40, George A. Kimball plan dated, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 86		
Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 8,844 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, making the northwesterly corner of			
Mora street, adjoining an estate of Delia A. Kavanaugh, tax for 1923.....	437 19		
Also buildings and about 5,801 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Evelyn street, numbered 55, between an estate of Silvio Vitale and an estate of Maria G. Fitzgerald, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	118 56		
Joseph J. W. F. Wilson—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the easterly side of Corbet street, being the westerly part of lot 27, shown on assessors' plan, volume 9, page 280, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Thomas M. Wilson, Trustee—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Brookview street, numbered 34, between an estate of Fannie Cohen and an estate of Jennie Corchmar, tax for 1923.....	106 21		
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	12 03		
Mamie Woldman—About 1,872 feet of land on the westerly side of Ballou avenue, being the northerly part of lot 141, William O. Badger plan, June 1, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2097, page 35, tax for 1921.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1921.....	5 70		
Tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1922.....	5 52		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	5 34		
William Wood—Buildings and about 10,743 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 2269, 2269A, 2271, 2273 and 2275, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 1 Adirondack place, adjoining an estate of Frederick W. Archer, tax for 1923.....	471 77		
Also buildings and about 14,996 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 2275, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Adeline Smith, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
George H. Wood—About 4,776 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 106, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Sarah and Benjamin Yanofsky—Build- ings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gilmer street, numbered 20, adjoining an estate of Abram M. Shershevsky, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15905, tax for 1923.....	133 38		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Garabed Yerganian and Sarkis Krikorian —Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 48 and 50, between another estate of said Yerganian and another and an estate of Louis Berman, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Also buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Johnson terrace, numbered 10 and 12, between another estate of said Yerganian and another and an estate of Hans M. Hansen and another, tax for 1923.....	135 85		
Also buildings and about 3,595 feet of land on the westerly side of Johnson terrace, numbered 14 and 16, between another estate of said Yerganian and another and an estate of Frederick T. Jenness, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Minnie Zobotnick—Buildings and about 3,992 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 190, between an estate of Anna B. Huggs and an estate of Georgia N. Mayberry, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50		
Paid on account.....	49 50		
Balance due.....	74 00		
WARD TWENTY-TWO.			
William M. Ambler—Buildings and about 5,160 feet of land on the north- easterly side of Prince street, num-bered 55, between an estate of Ansel Craft and an estate of Helen E. Buckley, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25		
Bertha E. Arseno—Buildings and about 9,825 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, numbered 656, 658, 658A, 660 and 660A, making the southeasterly corner of Starr lane, adjoining an estate of William F. Fallon, tax for 1923.....	1,538 81		
Agnes Bagley—About 4,505 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marmion street, adjoining an estate of Charles A. Getz, being lot 36, W. C. Bates plan, January 1, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29		

Frank W. Baird, Louis L. Cardinal and John J. Vogel, Trustees—About 5,040 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 123, W. C. Bates plan, November 16, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3800, page 116, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	21 06		
Charles A. Belford—About 2,450 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Washington street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Thomas F. Ward; easterly by an estate of Annie E. Kenney and another; southerly by an estate of Israel Brannan and westerly by an estate of Margaret Green, tax for 1922.....	14 82		
George N. Benoit—Buildings and about 8,623 feet of land on the westerly side of Everett street, numbered 7, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Gratis A. Thurston and another, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
		\$175 37	
		Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....			75 37
James H. Brennan—About 4,175 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, making the easterly corner of Rodman street, adjoining an estate of Alice A. Kiander, being a lot shown on Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, September 9, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2398, page 328, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
	19 87		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,720 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mosgrove avenue, adjoining another estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot 2, William E. Hannon plan, dated April 10, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 176, tax for 1921.....	9 88		
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 7, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,892 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 2,945 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodlawn street, adjoining an estate of Annie M. Hannon, being lot 170, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2174, page 164, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 3,720 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mosgrove avenue, adjoining an estate of Blue Hill Realty Company, Inc., being lot 2, the William E. Hannon plan, April 10, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 176, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 5,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Carolina place, between an estate of James Doonan and an estate of Annie E. Crafey and others, being lot 7, Garbett and Wood plan, October 27, 1884, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1658, page 6, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Also about 6,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Patten street, making the easterly corner of Wachusett street, adjoining another estate of Mabel E. Chadwick, being lot 1, W. C. Bates plan, April 10, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2922, page 499, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 77		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Apportionment for street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 74		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	26 31		
Mary Chmiell—Buildings and about 9,710 feet of land on the westerly side of Center street, numbered 561, 563, 565, 567, 569, 571, 573, 575, 577 and 579, making the southwest corner of Lakeville place and the northwesterly corner of Goodrich road, adjoining an estate of Helen F. Folsom heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	738 53		
Stanley Chmiell—Buildings and about 4,675 feet of land on the westerly side of Lee street, numbered 17 and 19, between an estate of Mary T. Ward and an estate of Minnie G. Cruff, tax for 1923.....	71 63		
John E. Chute—About 4,400 feet of land on the northerly side of St. Rose street, adjoining the estate of Dawson Johnson, being lot 17, Edmund K. Brown plan, April 13, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2892, tax for 1922.....	17 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	16 06		
Tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 53		
Elizabeth S. Clark—About 2,850 feet of land on the southerly side of Parley Vale street, adjoining an estate of Ida L. Mosely, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, April 1, 1904, on file in the assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Michael F. and Anna S. Connolly—Buildings and about 3,207 feet of land on the northerly side of Hall street, numbered 8, between an estate of Mary J. Watson, trustee, and an estate of Sarah Gould, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Edward M. and Nora J. Croak—Buildings and about 4,630 feet of land on the westerly side of Rockview street, numbered 15, between an estate of Catherine Hanna and an estate of Jennie E. Corbels and others, tax for 1923.....	83 98		
Daniel Cronin (reassessed from Catherine J. Rowen and Edward Duffy)—Buildings and about 4,615 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 311, making the westerly corner of Marlow terrace, adjoining an estate of Alice E. Buff, tax for 1923.....	133 38		
William F. Davis—Buildings and about 6,919 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Robinwood avenue, numbered 66, between an estate of Emma P. Moulton and another estate of said Davis, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Also about 9,241 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Robinwood avenue, between an estate of William F. Davis and an estate of N. Maud Davis, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Robinwood avenue; easterly by the estates of Emma P. Moulton and of said Davis; southerly by the estates of Helen G. Dolan and N. Maud Davis, and westerly by the estates of Jesse R. Croxford and N. Maud Davis, tax for 1923.....	69 16		
	85		
Moth assessment for 1923.....			
Roger A. Deveney—Buildings and about 16,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clive street, numbered 23, between an estate of Louis H. Jacobs and another and an estate of Margaret C. Walsh, tax for 1923.....	205 01		
Catherine Donlon—Buildings and about 6,630 feet of land on the easterly side of Franklin place, numbered 11 and 12, between an estate of Giacomo Bernazzani and an estate of Margaret Haskins and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
George H. Dornhofer—About 3,522 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Jamaica street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Mary E. Rock, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Catherine Kelly; northerly by a 20-foot passageway, extending from the easterly side of Arborway; easterly by an estate of George H. Dornhofer and another, and southerly by an estate of Thaddeus F. Rock and another, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
John Faust—About 3,807 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jamaica street, adjoining an estate of James Johnston, being lot 2, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 3, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1832, page 295, tax for 1922.....	14 82		
Tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Sarah A. Feeley—Buildings and about 5,429 feet of land on the easterly side of Lee street, numbered 38 and 40, between an estate of Daniel Packenham and another and an estate of Malachi Blye and another, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Frank P. and Mary M. Flanagan—Buildings and about 4,133 feet of land on the southeasterly side of South street, numbered 570, between an estate of Jennie Mazzariella and an estate of John Frisbold, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 44		
George W. Fowle—About 5,524 feet of land on the southerly side of Chestnut square, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Chestnut square; easterly by an estate of Thomas Robenette; westerly by an estate of William T. Haverty, and southerly by an estate of Alice B. Stephenson heirs, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also buildings and about 25,441 feet of land on the easterly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 214, making the northeasterly corner of Chestnut square, adjoining another estate of said George W. Fowle, tax for 1923.....	187 72		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 30		
Also buildings and about 20,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 212, extending through to and numbered 19 and 21 Chestnut square, between two other estates of said George W. Fowle, tax for 1923.....	259 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 30		
Clara E. Fowler—Buildings and about 4,094 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holbrook street, numbered 12, between an estate of John J. Glavey and an estate of Rosanna F. Dolan, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
Olivia C. French—About 400 feet of land on the southerly side of Parley Vale at junction of Parley Vale avenue, adjoining an estate of Ida L. Moseley (numbered 3 Parley Vale), tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Anna H. Gastongnay—Buildings and about 5,280 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 4093, between an estate of Albert C. Jacobs and an estate of Ann M. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	\$150 67		
	125 67		
Paid on account.....			25 00
Balance due.....			25 00
Timothy Glennon—About 2,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodlawn street, adjoining an estate of Ellen F. Cody, being lot 169, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2174, page 614, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Mary J. Goggin—About 2,911 feet of land on the northerly side of Nathan street, adjoining an estate of Martha E. O'Neill, being lot 70, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, dated July, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3133, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Benjamin Goldberg—Buildings and about 4,697 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3505, 3507 and 3509, between another estate of said Goldberg and an estate of Eugene N. Foss, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Also buildings and about 2,460 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3513, between two other estates of said Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Also buildings and about 2,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3515, between another estate of said Goldberg and an estate of Mary L. Fallon, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Also about 1,940 feet of land on the easterly side of Water street, adjoining an estate of George R. Boyd, being lot D, Walter C. Bates plan, January 10, 1920, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Katherine M. Gormley—About 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Louder's lane, adjoining an estate of Louis A. White, being lot 7, Walter C. Bates plan, September 20, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4405, page 438, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Sarah Gould—Buildings and about 3,973 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, numbered 144, 144A, 144B, 146, 146A, and 146B, making the northeasterly corner of Hall street, adjoining an estate of John A. Brett, tax for 1923.....	370 50		
Grammar School in the easterly part of the Town of Roxbury, Trustees of—About 3,198 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, making the easterly corner of Leland street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 2,798 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,467 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,467 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,684 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,337 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		

Also about 3,762 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	ber 15, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4433, page 235, tax for 1923.....	76 57	and the Walberg Brewing Company; southwesterly by an estate of the Boston Elevated Railway Company; southeasterly by an estate of Fred H. Webster, and northeasterly by an estate of John Parkinson, tax for 1923,.....	118 56
Also about 3,686 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Bernard J. Moore—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brookside avenue, numbered 60, between an estate of Bernard J. Moore and an estate of Thomas J. Lynch and another, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	8 78
Hannah Greenwood—Buildings and about 1,305 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seaverns avenue, numbered 54, making the easterly corner of Alfred street, adjoining another estate of said Greenwood, tax for 1923,.....	74 10	James Johnston—About 4,361 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jamaica street, adjoining an estate of John Faust, being lot 1, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 3, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1832, page 295, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Daniel J. Morgan—Buildings and about 4,125 feet of land on the westerly side of South street, numbered 53, making the northwesterly corner of Achorn circle, adjoining an estate of Hugh C. Maguire, tax for 1923.....	165 49
Also buildings and about 1,281 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alfred street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	93 86	James P. Kelleher and John J. Sullivan—Buildings and about 77,390 (assessed as 77,557) feet of land on the westerly side of South street, numbered 163, making the southwesterly corner of St. Rose street, adjoining an estate of Ellen T. McMorrow and another, tax for 1923.....	432 25	John W. Morrison—About 6,461 feet of land on the westerly side of South street, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Ellen T. McMorrow and another, being lot 1, French and Bryant plan, April 27, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2623, page 385, tax for 1923.....	71 63
Also buildings and about 904 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alfred street, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Patrick C. Mulvey—Buildings and about 12,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Carolina avenue, numbered 101, making the southeasterly corner of Lee street, adjoining an estate of Franklin B. Blackstone, tax for 1923.....	116 09
Also buildings and about 1,029 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alfred street, numbered 4, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Antonio Bensaia, tax for 1923.....	88 92	Anne M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,396 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Call street, numbered 67, between an estate of Bessie Kelly and an estate of John Medvid and another, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Ann M. Murphy—About 5,280 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Anna H. Gastonquay, being lot 41, W. C. Bates plan, January 15, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3787, page 161, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Also buildings and about 1,297 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sylvia street, numbered 2, making the easterly corner of and numbered 3288 Washington street, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923,.....	133 38	Hannah M. King—Buildings and about 2,767 feet of land on the southerly side of Carolina avenue, numbered 7, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway extending from the southerly side of Carolina avenue, adjoining an estate of Irving Sobotky, tax for 1923.....	177 84	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	19 86
Also buildings and about 1,195 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3284 and 3286, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	116 09	Arthur Lewenberg—About 4,621 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Lewenberg, being lot 1, S. F. Leftovith plan, March 1, 1918, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14129, tax for 1922.....	69 16	Patrick L. Murphy—Buildings and about 10,019 feet of land on the easterly side of Rockview street, numbered 38, 40 and 42, between an estate of Annie M. Rowen and an estate of Charles N. Snow, tax for 1923.....	634 79
Also buildings and about 1,154 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3280 and 3282, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	116 09	Edward M. Lynch—About 2,700 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining another estate of said Lynch, being lot B, W. W. Churchill plan, dated September, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14531, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Patrick J. and Annie M. Murphy—Buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Eldridge road, numbered 5, between an estate of Annie G. Magner and an estate of Andrew J. Peters, trustee, tax for 1923.....	140 79
Also buildings and about 1,596 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3278 between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	121 03	Also buildings and about 1,343 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Call street, numbered 73, making the westerly corner of Carolina avenue, adjoining an estate of James A. Frazer, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Regulus L. Mustoe—Buildings and about 2,622 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Minton street, numbered 5, between an estate of Clifton Manufacturing Company and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also buildings and about 1,744 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3276 and 3278 rear, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Louise Jaeger, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Mary Malley—Buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, numbered 76, between an estate of Thomas F. McCall and another and an estate of Julius Beriman, tax for 1923.....	190 19	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 30
Also buildings and about 2,910 feet of land on the westerly side of Forest Hills street, numbered 47, between an estate of Adelaide T. Watson and an estate of Elizabeth McKay, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Arthur W. May—Buildings and about 7,209 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Agassiz park, numbered 4, between an estate of William H. Huy and an estate of Beatrice E. Stark, tax for 1923.....	219 83	John Nazzuro—Buildings and about 5,660 feet of land on the southeasterly side of South street, numbered 608, between an estate of Agnes G. Buckley and an estate of John J. Fein and another, tax for 1923.....	106 21
Also about 2,020 feet of land on the northerly side of Sylvia street, adjoining another estate of said Greenwood, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Sylvia street, easterly northerly, and westerly by other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Charles J. McCarthy—About 3,252 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tower street, adjoining an estate of Rose McConish, being lot 196, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2174, page 614, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 44
Also buildings and about 3,788 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sylvia street, numbered 8, between an estate of Elizabeth McKay and another estate of said Greenwood, tax for 1923,.....	116 09	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	5 43	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	23 10
Harvard College, President and Fellows of—Buildings and about 3,026 feet of land on the northeasterly side of May street, numbered 19, between an estate of Emma S. Hammell and an estate of Cecilia B. Dolan, tax for 1923.....	234 65	Nora V. McCarthy—About 4,427 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wachusett street, being lot 99, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, dated June, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2766, page 593, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	29 22	Ellen T. and Catherine F. Norton—About 3,947 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, being the remainder after the widening of Stony brook, adjoining an estate of John J. Meehan and others, trustees, being lot 31, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Ethel A., Robert W., Helena A. and Mildred R. Haslam—Buildings and about 7,180 feet of land on the southerly side of Sedgwick street, numbered 55 and 55 rear, between an estate of Delia F. Spellman and an estate of Lillian C. Fouhey, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Walter G. McCauley (reassessed from Walter G. McCauley)—About 3,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Arborway, being lot 6, J. Edwin Jones (corrected) plan, July 20, 1887, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923,.....	22 23	Nellie L. Norton—Buildings and about 3,165 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Southbourne road, numbered 32, between an estate of Paul L. Butler and an estate of James Russell, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6912, tax for 1923.....	108 68
Nellie L. Hemman—About 9,980 feet of land on the easterly side of Cedarwood road, adjoining an estate of Paul C. Annis, being lot 9, Dana F. Perkins plan, dated April, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4365, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Annie McDonald—About 2,892 feet of land on the southerly side of Jamaica street, adjoining an estate of Barbara E. Gillis, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Jamaica street; easterly by an estate of Mary T. Flynn; southerly by an estate of Ellen Roan and westerly by an estate of Barbara E. Gillis, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Thorley and Laura M. Norwald—Buildings and about 2,876 feet of land on the northerly side of Spring Park avenue, numbered 60, between an estate of James W. Campbell and an estate of Margaret C. Walsh, tax for 1923.....	\$148 20
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,828 feet of land on the northerly side of Atwood square, numbered 21, at end, between an estate of Anna I. Webster and an estate of Auguste King and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Ernest A. McKay—About 2,264 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newbern street, between an estate of Emma M. Knapp and an estate of J. Wesley Farmer, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Paid on account.....	100 00
Cecilia A. Holland—Buildings and about 10,035 feet of land on the northerly side of Greenough avenue, numbered 40, between an estate of Helen W. Capen and an estate of William G. Cunningham and another, tax for 1923.....	234 65	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Balance due.....	48 20
Ray C. Johnson—About 20,990 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bourne street, making the westerly corner of Patten street, extending through to and making the southerly corner of Nathan street, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being a lot shown on F. O. Whitney plan, Novem-		John and Kornelia Medrid—Buildings and about 1,570 feet of land on the westerly side of Call street, numbered 65, between an estate Margaret Glenon and an estate of Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Alice B. Packard—Buildings and about 19,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris avenue, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Julia Henry and another and an estate of Carrie A. Seaver, tax for 1923.....	239 59
		Isadore Meyer—About 60,018 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lotus street, adjoining an estate of Fred H. Webster, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by estates of the Burbank Paint Company		Emily W. Palmberg—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maple place, numbered 1, between an estate of William L. Hoose and another and an estate of Harry L. May, tax for 1923.....	111 15

Letetia A. Paraboschi—Buildings and about 6,980 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3825, between an estate of Bridget T. O'Brien and an estate of John L. Keane and another, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	26 14		
Ernest H. Parker one half and George N. Parker one half—Buildings and about 13,162 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Spring Park avenue, numbered 22, 24, 26 and 28, between an estate of Mary R. English and an estate of Gottlieb F. Merze, tax for 1923.....	227 24	50	
Moth assessment for 1923.....			50
Anna Petrini—Buildings and about 6,265 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Patten street, numbered 43, between an estate of Hilda C. Thorsen and another and an estate of Catherine Lusardi, tax for 1923.....			\$370 50
Paid on account.....			219 90
Balance due.....	150 60		
Joseph Pittorino—Buildings and about 3,425 feet of land on the southerly side of Montebello road, numbered 73, between an estate of James W. McKeown and an estate of Mary A. Northway, tax for 1923.....	190 19		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 88		
Edna N. Pope—About 3,666 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, making the southeasterly corner of Rosemary street, being lot A, shown on George H. Witherbee, Junior, plan, dated December, 1921, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4334, page 308, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Also about 3,705 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
James F. Powers and Mary J. Henckley—About 280 feet of land on northerly side of Arborway terrace, adjoining estate of Colonial Filling Station, Inc., being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, March 19, 1910, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3574, page 626, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Progress Wholesale Grocery Company—Buildings and about 2,617 feet of land on the westerly side of Call street, numbered 105 and 107, between an estate of Bridget Kelley and an estate of Eliot L. May and others, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12478, tax for 1923.....			\$150 67
Paid on account.....			57 83
Balance due.....	92 84		
Progress Wholesale Grocery Company, Massachusetts Corporation—Buildings and about 5,568 (assessed as 5,518) feet of land on the southeasterly side of Call street, making the southerly corner of McBride street, adjoining an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company, being lots 1 and 2, W. C. Bates plan, dated February 2, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12479, tax for 1923.....			\$1,057 16
Paid on account.....			550 00
Balance due.....	507 16		
Mary T. Quinn—Buildings and about 5,166 feet of land on the westerly side of Jamaica street, numbered 100 and 100 rear, between an estate of Thomas Kilduff and an estate of Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Emil Riechenbach—Buildings and about 5,169 feet of land on the westerly side of Burr street, numbered 17, between an estate of Margaret M. Collins and an estate of Anna Coenen, tax for 1923.....	125 97		
Moth assessment for 1923.....			50
Mary M. Riley—About 8,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Louder's lane, adjoining an estate of Mary F. Laughlin, being lot 2, shown on Walter C. Bates plan, May 10, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4365, page 587, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
George E. Rogers—Buildings and about 6,764 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oakdale street, numbered 31 and 33, making the northerly corner of Green street, adjoining an estate of Mary J. and Alice R. Capen, tax for 1922.....	353 21		
Tax for 1923.....	353 21		
Christina L. Rose Devises and Kittie L. Haslam—Buildings and about 9,831 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goldsmith place, numbered 10, between an estate of Joseph J. Leonard, trustee, and an estate of Catherine H. Keane, moth assessment for 1921.....			50
Tax for 1923.....	192 66		
Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.....	37 73		
Also buildings and about 7,340 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, numbered 763, between an estate of Sarah E. Trott, and an estate of Benjamin F. Godfrey, moth assessment for 1921.....			50
Tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thomas street, numbered 10, between an estate of Herbert T. Pierce and another and an estate of Henry E. Hammond and another, trustee, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
George C. and Etta M. Russell—Buildings and about 3,180 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Crosby place, numbered 1 and 3, making the southerly corner of Call street, adjoining an estate of William Clancy, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
George and Etta M. Russell—Buildings and about 3,397 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawndale terrace, numbered 3, between an estate of Richard H. Watson and another and an estate of Helen M. Sawyer, tax for 1923.....	101 27		
Roger F. Scannell—About 8,848 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, adjoining an estate of Julia O'Brien, being lot 23, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2394, tax for 1922.....	86 45		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66		
Tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	37 80		
Samuel Schipellitti—Buildings and about 3,860 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Green street, numbered 92, 94, 96 and 98, making the northerly corner of Lamartine street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Crowley and another, tax for 1923.....	419 90		
Joseph R. Scott et al., Trustees under will of Mary A. Scott—Buildings and about 49,039 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 263, making the northwesterly corner of Fessenden street, between an estate of Ellen A. Kelly and an estate of Frank L. Barnes, tax for 1923.....	395 20		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 30		
Joseph R. Scott—About 6,442 feet of land on the northerly side of Glen road, making the northeasterly corner of Washington street, adjoining an estate of John J. Mehan and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Joseph R., Fannie L. S., Isabel A., and Richard W. A. Scott, Trustees under will of Mary A. Scott—About 61,542 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining another estate of said Scott and others, trustees, being lot D, Henry C. Millard plan, February 14, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3999, page 21, tax for 1923.....	182 78		
Also about 119,108 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Washington street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Joseph R. Scott and others, trustees, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1923.....	323 57		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	63		
Katherine V. Shinnors—Buildings and about 3,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3981, between an estate of Henry C. Gottschalk and an estate of Catherine T. Sinnott and another, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28		
John I. Shurman—Buildings and about 780 feet of land on the westerly side of Call street, numbered 533, between an estate of James McHale and an estate of Margaret M. Leyden, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Albert C. Smith—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Williams street, adjoining an estate of William J. McMackin, being lot 22, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Jessie R. Stevens—About 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Westbourne terrace, between two estates of Boston Dwelling House Company, being lot 110, W. C. Bates plan, August 1, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15176, tax for 1923.....	180 31		
Agnes J. Sweeney—About 6,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Moraine street, adjoining an estate of James F. Gaffey and an estate of John J. O'Brien, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
Samuel Tarplin—Buildings and about 2,123 feet of land on the northerly side of Woodside avenue, numbered 4 and 6, between an estate of Melville Cobb and an estate of Adela E. Snow, tax for 1923.....	261 82		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	40 83		
Mary A. Taylor—About 7,839 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hampstead road, adjoining an estate of Carolina Gerber, being lot F4, H. S. Adams plan, July 1, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7705, tax for 1923.....			46 93
John and Emma T. Timon—Buildings and about 17,252 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kenton road, numbered 2, making the easterly corner of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Maurice E. A. Swenson and another, tax for 1923.....			150 67
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....			30 12
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....			64 52
R. G. Van Vranken—Buildings and about 8,196 feet of land on the northerly side of Greenough avenue, numbered 2, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 754 Centre street, adjoining an estate of Lena Levine and another, tax for 1923.....			1,667 25
John J. Vogel—About 3,825 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 65, W. C. Bates plan, January 15, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3787, page 161, tax for 1923.....			19 76
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....			6 53
Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.....			20 31
Edward J. Walsh—Buildings and about 3,567 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Adelaide terrace, numbered 6, between an estate of Annie E. Brown and an estate of Jessie H. Keay, tax for 1923.....			160 55
Anna I. Webster—Buildings and about 2,638 feet of land on the northerly side of Atwood square, numbered 9 and 11, between an estate of Francis P. Broderick and another estate of said Webster, tax for 1923.....			108 68
Also buildings and about 2,487 feet of land on the northerly side of Atwood square, numbered 15, between two other estates of said Webster, tax for 1923.....			51 87
Also buildings and about 1,863 feet of land on the northerly side of Atwood square, numbered 19, between another estate of said Webster and an estate of Ida M. Holston, tax for 1923.....			74 10
Also buildings and about 3,697 feet of land on the southerly side of Atwood square, numbered 20, between an estate of Agnes M. Doyle and another and an estate of Auguste King and another, tax for 1923.....			195 13
Joanna C. Wester—About 665 feet of land on the southerly side of Sedgwick street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Sedgwick street; easterly by an estate of Charlotte W. Norton; southerly by Carolina avenue, and westerly by an estate of Mary E. Hollis, tax for 1921.....			4 94
Tax for 1923.....			4 94
William A. and Mary A. Wilson—About 4,105 feet of land on the northerly side of Patten street, being lot 24, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, dated June, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2766, page 593, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....			18 64
Helen M. Wood and Susan W. Haynes—Buildings and about 4,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Green street, numbered 27, extending through to Starr lane, between an estate of Patrick Donahue and another and an estate of Wallace W. Brown and another, tax for 1923.....			83 98
Moth assessment for 1921.....			50
Sarah Wunderbaldinger (supposed present owner Paolo Salamone)—About 6,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Rose street, making the easterly corner of Arborway, being lot 31, Edmund K. Brown plan, April 13, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2892, tax for 1923.....			41 99
Magdalena E. Zeigler—Buildings and about 11,785 feet of land on the northerly side of Greenough avenue, numbered 36, between an estate of Helen W. Capen and an estate of Dora E. Wheeler, tax for 1923.....			\$375 44
Paid on account.....			109 35
Balance due.....			266 09
Also buildings and about 13,221 feet of land on the southerly side of a passageway leading from the southerly side of Roanoke avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the estates of Francis Dole and Elizabeth P. Matthews; easterly by an estate of Francis A. Holmes and southerly by the estates of Edward L. Strong heirs or devisees, Helen W. Capen and another estate of said Zeigler, tax for 1923.....			\$143 26
Paid on account.....			90 00
Balance due.....			53 26

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Patrick Abberton—About 6,768 feet of land on the southerly side of Gardner street, being lot 29, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated June 7, 1886, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1731, page 223, tax for 1922.....	\$12 35		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 6,628 feet of land on the southerly side of Gardner street, making the southeasterly corner of Rand street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Henry G. Abberton—About 8,750 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hart street, making the northerly corner of Baker street, being lot 13, Nathaniel Smith plan, July 12, 1882, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1597, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 80		
Susan P. Adams (supposed present owner Francis A. Halstead)—About 9,341 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stratford street, being lot 65, W. C. Bates plan, December 22, 1899, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2657, page 220, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 80		
Also about 39,371 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hemman street, extending through to Ethel street, between an estate of Margaret C. Sugden and an estate of Felceetta DeFazi, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 41		
Also about 9,900 feet of land on the westerly side of Metropolitan avenue, making the northwesterly corner of Summit street, being lot 13, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 224, on file with Suffolk Deeds, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 18		
Also about 9,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saville street, being lot 28, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	12 01		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	35 64		
Also about 9,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saville street, making the easterly corner of Park street, being lot 29, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	12 01		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	35 64		
Also about 10,475 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, making the northerly corner of Ethel street, being lot 35, on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 224, on file with Suffolk Deeds, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 73		
Also about 10,475 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being lot 36, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 73		
Also about 10,475 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being lot 37, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 73		
Also about 10,475 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being lot 38, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 73		
Also about 28,823 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cypress street, extending through to and making the junction of Spring street, adjoining an estate of Ella R. Searles, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	48 02		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	40 19		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
John G. and Mary Adba—About 1,920 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, being the westerly part of lot 6, block 1 (part remaining after widening), Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 17		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,136 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, making the northwesterly corner of Grove road, being the westerly part of lot 7, block 1 (part remaining after widening), same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 17		
Thomas Ahearn—About 5,927 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Heron street, being lot 103, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 17		
Catherine Ahearn—About 4,128 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker street, being lot 8, block 5, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
William H. Allen—Buildings and about 6,900 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Emmons road, numbered 4, making the easterly corner of Linnet street, between an estate of Seymour H. Stone and another estate of said Allen, tax for 1923.....	209 15		
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Linnet street, being lot 5, W. C. Bates plan, April 15, 1920, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4219, page 543, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Sarah J. Allen—About 7,800 feet of land on the northerly side of Morland street, being lot 25, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 9,610 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Prospect street, making the easterly corner of Moreland street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Lillian A. Ames—About 5,412 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Spring street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; northerly by an estate of the Old Colony Railroad Company; northwesterly by an estate of John A. Whittenore and others; southeasterly by an estate of Dimitro Henes, and southwesterly by an estate of Gardner O. North and another, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Lillian A. Ames and Walter S. Pierce (supposed present owner Philip Teevan and others)—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lorette street, being lot 47, Garbett and Wood plan, July 6, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2080, page 625, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	28 80		
John, Charles J. and George P. Anderer—About 3,557 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, making the southerly corner of Newfield street, being lot 191, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 192, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,580 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newfield street, making the westerly corner of Furbush road, being lot 248, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,918 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 249, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Charles A. Anderson (supposed present owner Oscar F. Anderson)—About 11,790 feet of land on the westerly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 191, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 227, on file with Suffolk Deeds, moth assessment for 1922.....	87		
Genevieve D. L. Anderson—About 958 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, being lot 37, block K, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50		
Tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Nathaniel J. Andrew—About 4,615 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 1, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, March 25, 1901, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2747, page 342, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Richard F. Andrews, Jr.—About 8,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Anawan avenue, adjoining an estate of Annie P. Glynn, being a lot shown on a plan dated November 3, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Mary E. Askin—About 3,974 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 2, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 7,040 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newfield street, at angle being lot 250, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	1 91		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Frederick Ayer—About 11,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington avenue, adjoining an estate of Winslow B. Clark and others, trustees, being lot 217, shown on a plan not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Mary Ayer—About 4,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of La Grange street, being lot 218, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	1 91		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	1 91		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Florence G. Bailey—Buildings and about 6,625 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Temple street, numbered 179, between an estate of Henry E. West and an estate of Alger H. Smith and another, tax for 1923.....	98 89		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 48		
Rudolph C. B. Bartsch—About 6,090 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sanborn avenue, being lot 190, Varney and Churchill plan, August, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3109, page 419, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Howard P. Beckett—Buildings and about 5,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Guernsey street, numbered 69, between an estate of Julia A. Getchell and an estate of David F. Hayes, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Flora T. Berggreen—About 1,787 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Island Terrace, adjoining an estate of David P. Doolan, being lot 10, shown on a plan not dated, dated October 25, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2683, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Christine E. Bettoney—About 9,837 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot F, Charles D. Elliott plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 9,294 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1924.....	2 47		
Charles S. Bishop—About 2,712 feet of land on the westerly side of Nut street, being lot 47, block B, Hodges and George plan, March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8253, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Howard L. Blackwell and Anna B. and Charles T. D. Belden—About 685,439 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of George C. Rosenbeck and by Washington street, southwesterly by an estate of James H. Stack and others trustees, southeasterly by an estate of Frank W. Wilbur and northwesterly by an estate of Alice L. Blackwell and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	3 90		
Also about 6,321 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 2, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 1, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	95		
Emma L. Blackwell—About 206,300 feet of land on the westerly side of West Roxbury Parkway, adjoining an estate of Eugene N. Foss, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, March 27, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3872, page 396, tax for 1921.....	229 71		
Tax for 1922.....	229 71		
Tax for 1923.....	229 71		
Also buildings and about 5,739 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 5018, making the southerly corner of Washington Heights avenue, east tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Flora L. Blue—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sherwood street, being lot 11, Whitman and Howard plan, January 2, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2589, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	13 70		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Arthur Book—Buildings and about 10,512 feet of land on the southerly side of Belgrade avenue, numbered 142, 144, 146, 148, 151 and 152, between an estate of Rudolph O. Pacht and an estate of Sarah M. Casili, tax for 1923.....	\$368 03		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	168 03		
Also about 3,660 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Firth road, being lot 26, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8896, tax for 1923.....	7 41		

Charles H. Botsford—About 9,239 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Houston street, between an estate of Charles W. Sheen and an estate of Sarah H. Buchanan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 60		
Mary Botsford (supposed present owner Frederick M. Gilliland)—About 5,681 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Robert street, being that part of lot 11 remaining after widening of Robert street on J. Edwin Jones plan, May 13, 1890, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1934, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Simon Bouchie—About 1,874 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 19, block D, Hodges and George plan, May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of land court, certificate number 6078, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1921.....	50		
Tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Grace Bowditch and Ellen F. Cronin—About 7,686 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sherman street, being lot 39, J. Edwin Jones plan, July 18, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2154, page 627, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Nathaniel W. Bowes—About 4,547 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 233, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Charlotte Bragg—About 1,703 feet of land on the westerly side of Ansonia road, being lot 39, Robert C. Hunter plan, September, 1915, recorded Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,884 feet of land on the westerly side of Ansonia road, being lot 40, same plan, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,064 feet of land on the westerly side of Ansonia road, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Anna H., Florence T. and Margaret G. Brickley—Buildings and about 4,312 feet of land, on the northeasterly side of Temple street, numbered 299, making the easterly corner of Keith street, adjoining another estate of said Brickley and others, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 76		
Also buildings and about 4,437 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Keith street, being lot 75, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Anna V. Brockbank—About 2,367 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 17 and 18, block 8, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,840 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 19, 20, 21, and 22, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,735 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 23, 24 and 25, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,159 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lot 26, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,886 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 27, 28, 29 and 30, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,660 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dana road, being lots 34 and 35, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,538 feet of land on the easterly side of Walnut road, being lot 38, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,618 feet of land on the easterly side of Walnut road, being lots 39, 40, 41 and 42, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,850 feet of land on the easterly side of Walnut road, being lots 43, 44 and 45, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Annie M. Brown and Rhoda E. Young—About 1,660 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, at angle, being lot 40, block 10, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,087 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, being lot 41, block 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,107 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, being lot 42, block 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,126 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, being lot 43, block 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Frances M. Burke—About 6,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Partridge street, being lot 34, J. Edwin Jones plan, March 1, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1782, page 8, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Edward J. Cain—Buildings and about 5,475 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hewlett street, numbered 75, between an estate of Alice Fitzgerald and an estate of Adam Theisinger, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
John J. Callagy (supposed present owner John V. Fleming)—Buildings and about 4,550 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newburg street, numbered 118, between a estate of Angela L. Vergona and an estate of Helen F. Spooner, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
James Campbell—About 2,410 feet of land on the northerly side of Cottage road, being lots 28 and 29, block C, Hodges and George plan, not dated recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Alberto Cantoni—About 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 129, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 3,585 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 119, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the easterly side of La Grange street, being lot 212, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the easterly side of La Grange street, being lot 213, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Charles Capone—About 6,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hemlock street, being lot 202, shown on assessors' plan, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Alvin Carlson—About 2,061 feet of land on the westerly side of Oak road, being lots 48 and 49, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Alice H. Carlson—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Landseer terrace, being lot 36, C. H. Gannett plan, December, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4012, page 281, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
John D. Carroll—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, being lot 7, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 40		
Florence Carter—About 46,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Caledonia avenue, being lots 249, 240, 241 and 242, shown on a plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 46,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Caledonia avenue, being lots 243, 244, 245 and 246, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 34,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Caledonia avenue, being lots 247, 248 and 249, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Matthias N. Casey—About 5,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lorraine street, being lot 31, Garbett and Wood plan, April 1, 1889, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1876, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Walter H. Caswell—Buildings and about 18,220 feet of land on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 338, making the northeasterly corner of Mansur street, between an estate of Ida M. Hodson and an estate of George S. Lee, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,212 feet of land on the westerly side of Wright road, being lot 24, block C, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9858, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 6,601 feet of land on the westerly side of Baker street, being lot 57, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,483 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker street, making the southeasterly corner of Keith street, extending to and making the southwesterly corner of Frances street, being lot 59, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also buildings and about 9,523 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, numbered 130, between an estate of John Craig and another and an estate of Erdman Bauch, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,973 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Park terrace, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Park terrace; northwesterly by an estate of Elizabeth G. McLoughlin; southeasterly by estate of Mabel F. Wood; southerly by estate of Jesse B. Osgood and southwesterly by estate of Helen A. Shaw and others, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 9,335 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Cornell street; northwesterly by an estate of said Chadwick; southwesterly by an estate of Bertha L. Gahm and southeasterly by an estate of John Craig and another, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 141, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated January, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, making the northerly corner of Baker street, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 7,097 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Temple street, northwesterly by an estate of Laura K. Ellis; southwesterly by an estate of Michael Burke and others trustees, and southeasterly by an estate of George H. Stevens and another, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 55		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 7,095 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Temple street; northwesterly and southwesterly by estates of Michael Burke and others, trustees, and southeasterly by an estate of Laura K. Ellis, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 55		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,184 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 1, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated August, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4304, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,283 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grove street, making the southerly corner of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,379 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, making the westerly corner of Grove street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		

Also about 3,715 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grove street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923	4 94	Also buildings and about 11,648 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hemman street, numbered 57, between an estate of Hazel Hemman and an estate of John J. Mullen, tax for 1923	71 10	Sadie E. Cotter—About 990 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, being lot 30, block K, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923	2 47
Also about 2,075 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923	50	Thomas Coulter—About 6,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Auburn street, being lot 179, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923	2 17
Also about 2,073 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Also buildings and about 253,488 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, numbered 788, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and the Newton line, tax for 1923	61 75	Sarah E. Crocker—About 32,670 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baker place, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Cecelia A. Barrows, trustee and an estate of Timothy Sullivan; northwesterly and southwesterly by an estate of the Edison Electric Illuminating Company and southeasterly by an estate of Peter Rudnick, tax for 1923	4 94
Also about 2,072 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923	1 95	Edward V. and Gertrude V. Cronan, supposed present owner, Edward J. Kelley—About 6,261 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Perkins street, being lot 25, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1923	7 41
Also about 1,941 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Alberta M. Charles—Buildings and about 6,274 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, numbered 1463, between an estate of James Gaskins and an estate of John B. McAleer, tax for 1923	54 34	Helen F. Cronin—Buildings and about 5,186 feet of land on the southeasterly side of March avenue, numbered 28, making the southerly corner of March way and the easterly corner of March terrace, adjoining an estate of Nancy M. Flagg, tax for 1923	118 20
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Helen A. Cheney—About 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 222, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923	4 94	Charles T. Crowley, Louis F. Cappelletti, William J. Sands and Thomas J. McLaney—About 1,340 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bungalow road, being lot 22, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1922	2 47
Also about 2,043 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923	95	Also about 2,999 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bungalow road, making the easterly corner of Camp road, being lots 23 and 24, block F, same plan, tax for 1922	2 47
Also about 2,197 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Also about 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 220, same plan, tax for 1923	4 94	Moth assessment for 1922	50
Also about 1,620 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922	95	Michael J. Crowley—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hayden street, making the northerly corner of Washington street, being lot 176, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 5, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2018, page 497, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922	6 36
Also about 438,431 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, between an estate of Mabel E. Chadwick (numbered 788) and an estate of Sherman L. Whipple, tax for 1923	37 05	Constantino F. Ciampa—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grouse street, being lot 193, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brahma street, making the northerly corner of Washington street, being lot 152, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922	7 68
Moth assessment for 1923	1 95	Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grouse street, being lot 195, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Also about 10,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot B, George H. Wetherbee, Junior, plan, dated April 22, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922	18 19
Also buildings and about 1,037 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, numbered 69, between an estate of John B. Robinson and an estate of Neil Donahue, tax for 1923	12 35	Moth assessment for 1923	50	Also about 11,145 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot A, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922	14 72
Also about 6,222 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dent street, being lot 213, Garbett and Wood plan, April 15, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1921	2 47	Curtis Clapp, Junior—Buildings and about 5,293 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, numbered 24, between an estate of Ora M. Lewis and an estate of Margaret C. Warren, tax for 1923	160 55	J. Wesley Cullen—About 5,570 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, making the northerly corner of Brook Farm road, being lot 201, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923	7 41
Moth assessment for 1921	50	Moth assessment for 1923	50	Thomas H. Cummings and Augustus Andrews—About 9,570 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 2, G. L. Richardson plan, dated August, 1882, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1576, page 588, tax for 1922	34 58
Also about 6,112 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 22, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1923	4 94	Winslow B. Clark—About 16,049 feet of land on the westerly side of Caledonia avenue, being lot 149, George H. Wetherbee plan, dated October, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14882, tax for 1923	4 94	Also about 7,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, making the easterly corner of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1922	12 35
Also about 5,060 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot E, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 30, 1888, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1822, page 76, tax for 1923	10 76	Benjamin F. Cobleigh—About 4,970 feet of land on the northerly side of a 30-foot street leading from the easterly side of Rowe street, being lot 12, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 21, 1892, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2051, tax for 1923	9 88	Tax for 1923	12 35
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hemlock street, being lot 199, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923	9 88	Congregation Chevre Tillem—Buildings and about 19,784 feet of land on the westerly side of Centre street, numbered 2667, adjoining an estate of United Hand in Hand Association, moth assessment for 1922	2 56	Also about 7,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922	7 41
Harry P. Chadwick (supposed present owner Joseph F. Hurley)—About 5,580 feet of land on the southerly side of Tyndale street, being lot 65, French and Bryant plan, May 28, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3239, page 49, tax for 1923	14 82	Patrick and Alice G. Collier—About 3,438 feet of land on the easterly side of Nut street, being lot 6, block C, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923	2 47	Tax for 1923	7 41
Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Laseell street, making the southerly corner of Dent street, being lot 5, block 3, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923	7 41	John H. Conant Heirs or Devises—About 5,697 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mendum street, being lot 35, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 28, 1898, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3095, tax for 1923	17 29	Also about 11,035 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, being lot 5, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1883, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1604, page 518, tax for 1922	9 88
Also about 3,427 feet of land on the northerly side of Spring street, making the northeasterly corner of Springvale avenue, adjoining an estate of Patrick Fraher, tax for 1923	12 35	Moth assessment for 1923	50	Tax for 1923	9 88
Also about 5,725 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, making the westerly corner of Cushing street, being lot 58, Charles D. E. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923	7 41	Also about 6,183 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mendum street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923	17 29		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Carroll street, being lot 89, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1922	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923	50		
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 14,849 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Potomac street, being the southwesterly part of lot 20, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 81, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923	27 17	James W. Condon—About 4,307 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Heathcote street, being lot 35, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 8, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2198, page 298, tax for 1923	7 41		

Also about 9,710 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, being the southwesterly part of lot 107, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 10,630 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, making the southerly corner of Clarendon avenue, being the north-easterly part of lot 107, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	87		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 9,887 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 106, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 9,662 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 105, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Kathleen Cummings—Buildings and about 7,650 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Washington street, numbered 4094, between an estate of Harry Snyder and an estate of Paul Beigbeder and another, tax for 1923.....	\$385 32		
Paid on account.....	150 00		
Balance due.....	235 32		
William E. Cuniff—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Brook Farm road, number 154, making the southerly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Anna M. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Ellen A. Curran—About 1,205 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lot 25, block 11, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,188 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lot 26, block 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,323 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lots 27 and 28, block 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Loretta U. Cuttle—Buildings and about 16,282 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, making the northerly corner of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 99, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11382, tax for 1921.....	385 32		
Tax for 1922.....	444 60		
Tax for 1923.....	543 40		
Edith M. Darling—About 1,391 feet of land on the southerly side of Cross road, being lot 18, block L, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Lois P. Davis—About 2,100 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Edgemere road, being lot 93, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,100 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Edgemere road, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Caroline E. Davy—About 3,800 feet of land on the northerly side of Cushing street, being lot 88, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Catherine, May and Clitheroe Dean, one third each—About 9,277 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 16, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 7,874 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 6,480 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Iacono Olimpia Della—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walworth street, numbered 71, between an estate of Anna J. Justheim and an estate of Domenica Gingio and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 14		
Framilio Delloiacono—About 6,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orange street, being lot 309, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 188, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Rudolph Demkel—About 6,351 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Albano street, being lot 12, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated February 4, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1763, page 79, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Raffaella DeNapoli—Buildings and about 4,200 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Dudley avenue, numbered 140, between an estate of Nicola Nuzzola and another and an estate of Gertrude L. Bowen, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Harvey A. Dennison—About 3,707 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 295, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,535 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 296, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,362 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 297, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Antonetta DeRosa—About 2,345 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Birch road, being lots 3 and 4, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Caroline E. Desler—Buildings and about 5,475 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Hewlett street, numbered 105, between an estate of Hugh Grant and another and an estate of John E. Barron and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Clifford Devens—About 6,625 feet of land on the north-easterly side of West Roxbury Parkway, being lot 14, W. C. Bates plan, September 15, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3840, page 456, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Also about 4,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Aldrich street, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Francis Devine—About 4,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, February 1, 1900, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2666, page 519, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 09		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 70		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 4,210 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 95		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 40		
Also about 4,340 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 95		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 40		
Also about 4,460 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 95		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 40		
Luigi DiCiste—About 10,782 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Curlew street, being lots 19 and 20, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 10,098 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Petrel street, being lots 31 and 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 10,908 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Petrel street, being lots 33 and 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Fred A. Dix—About 4,704 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, being lot 3, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated April 3, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2540, page 566, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 4,137 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
James W. Doherty—About 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 18, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 4, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 19, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 20, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 21, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,440 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 22, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Catherine F. Dolaher—Buildings and about 5,506 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Manthorne road, numbered 140, adjoining an estate of Richard J. Walsh, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14155, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 39		
Daniel Dolan—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Caspar street, being lot 30, block 18, J. W. Morrison plan, April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Caspar street, being lot 29, block 18, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Mary E., Alice M. and John J. Donnelly, one-third each—About 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gledower street, being lot 25, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	23 04		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 32		
Katherine F. Donovan—About 3,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 6, block 12, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
David P. Doolan—About 1,787 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Island terrace, being lot 9, shown on a plan, not named, October 25, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2683, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Chester O. Dorchester and Benjamin B. Perkins, Trustees of the Neighborhood Land Trust—About 181,591 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by La Grange street; southeasterly by an estate of Margaret Kennedy and an estate of Alice D. Gibson, southwesterly and northwesterly by an estate of Earl S. Sloan, moth assessment for 1923.....	5 40		
Josephine W. Dufoa—About 3,968 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Florence street, being lot 64, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 15, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 27		
James Dunbar—About 3,645 feet of land on the westerly side of Wright road, being lot 3, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Patrick F. Dundas—About 4,100 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 10, W. C. Bates plan, February 1, 1900, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2666, page 519, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 09		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 40		

Wilton A. Dunham—About 986 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cedar road, being lot 31, block 7, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 1,154 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cedar road, being lot 30, block 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Sadie S. Duran—Buildings and about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Elgin street, numbered 10, between an estate of William J. Roche and another and an estate of Margaret Murray, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90
Paid on account.....	146 78
Balance due.....	26 12
Charles H. Eastman—About 5,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sanborn avenue, being lot 118, Varney and Churchill plan, August, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3109, page 419, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	7 41
William and Margaret Edwards—Buildings and about 5,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage road, numbered 51, between an estate of Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc., and an estate of Florence A. Rosie, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Effie S. Erime—About 3,181 feet of land on the easterly side of Camp road, being lots 25 and 26, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Louisa J. Estey—About 5,165 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Corey street, being lot 127, W. C. Bates plan, October 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2478, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Rose T. Farley—About 4,296 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 59, White and Wetherbee plan, February 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
John T. and Jennie M. Farnham—Buildings and about 8,216 feet of land on the southwesterly side of South street, numbered 830, making the southerly corner of Brookfield street, adjoining an estate of Willard P. Whittemore, tax for 1923.....	247 00
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
James F. M. Farquar—About 8,620 feet of land on the easterly side of Grew avenue, making the southeasterly corner of Cliffmont street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by the location of Cliffmont street; easterly by an estate of the Boston & Providence Railroad Company; southerly by the location of the Boston & Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, and westerly by the location of Grew avenue, tax for 1921.....	14 82
Also about 79,287 (assessed as 83,367) feet of land on the northerly side of Mansur street, being lots 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46 and 47, shown on Plan, Book 7, plate 14, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1921.....	19 76
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	17 67
Also about 29,919 feet of land on the northerly side of Mansur street, making the northwesterly corner of Grew avenue, adjoining another estate of said Farquar, tax for 1921.....	14 82
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	8 84
James F. M. Farquar Heirs or Devises—About 8,620 feet of land on the easterly side of Grew avenue, making the southeasterly corner of Cliffmont street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by the location of Cliffmont street; easterly by an estate of the Boston & Providence Railroad Company; southerly by the location of the Boston & Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, and westerly by the location of Grew avenue, tax for 1922.....	14 82
Also about 79,287 (assessed as 83,367) feet of land on the northerly side of Mansur street, being lots 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46 and 47, shown on Plan Book 7, plate 4, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	19 76
Also about 29,919 feet of land on the northerly side of Mansur street, making the northwesterly corner of Grew avenue, adjoining another estate of said Farquar, heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....	14 82
Also about 309,037 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Poplar street, making the southerly corner of Grew avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Poplar street; southerly and southeasterly by other estates of said Farquar heirs or devisees; easterly by Grew avenue and westerly and southwesterly by other estates of said Farquar heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....	153 14
James F. M. Farquar Heirs or Devises (set off to James F. M. Farquar Heirs or Devises)—About 40,000 (assessed as 43,138) feet of land on the westerly side of Grew avenue, being lots 75, 76, 77 and 78, shown on Plan, Book 7, plate 14, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	22 23
James F. M. Farquar Heirs or Devises (set off to Marion B. Campbell)—About 245,699 (assessed as 265,899) feet of land on the westerly side of Grew avenue, being lots 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, part lots 50, 51, 52, 53 and lot 54, shown on plan, Book 7, plate 14, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	130 91
Margaret T. Farrell—Buildings and about 3,462 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Birch street, numbered 30, between another estate of said Farrell and an estate of Frank T. Cook and another, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Also buildings and about 4,841 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Birch street, numbered 24, making the southerly corner of Corinth street, adjoining another estate of said Farrell, tax for 1923.....	617 50
John Faust—About 8,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, being lot 54, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Also buildings and about 4,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newburg street, being lot 74, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 9, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2027, page 67, tax for 1922.....	19 76
Moith assessment for 1922.....	66
Tax for 1923.....	19 76
William T. Fee—About 4,965 feet of land on the southerly side of Temple street at angle, being lot 6, block 5, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 17
Also about 4,287 feet of land on the southerly side of Temple street, being lot 7, block 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Emil B. and Frances Ficker—Buildings and about 3,860 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Denton terrace, numbered 17, between an estate of John Barrett and another and an estate of Mabel H. Manning, tax for 1923.....	\$163 02
Paid on account.....	148 20
Balance due.....	14 82
John J. Finn—About 2,565 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 287, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 2,463 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 286, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Emma C. Fisher—About 1,736 feet of land on the easterly side of Salinan street, being lot 40, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	2 17
Also about 1,681 feet of land on the easterly side of Salinan street, being lot 41, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	2 47
Edward A. Fitzgerald—About 2,000 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 40, block D, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13667, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 41, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13667, tax for 1923.....	2 17
Edward J. Fitzgerald—About 2,846 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 7, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13667, tax for 1923.....	2 17
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Sarah E. Flaherty—About 4,954 feet of land on the westerly side of Vogel street, being lot 3, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
James Flynn—About 1,712 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alta crest, being lot 62, Robert C. Hunter plan, September, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,730 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alta crest, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 17
Edward F. Foley—About 3,748 feet of land on the southerly side of Weld street, being lot 272, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 6, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	14 82
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
John M. Foley—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Primrose street, numbered 34, between an estate of Helen M. Brown and an estate of Ignatius J. Fichter and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Elsie C. Folsom—About 4,896 feet of land on the northwesterly side of South street, being lot 28, W. C. Bates plan, January 1, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3774, at end, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 44
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	23 37
John Forsythe—About 5,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 42, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1844, page 527, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 08
Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 77
William Forsythe—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westover street, being lot 53, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated August 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1838, page 11, tax for 1923.....	4 94
David and Caroline S. Foster—Buildings and about 14,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oriole street, numbered 45, between an estate of W. Stanley Campbell and an estate of Adelle M. Gibbons, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65
Also about 4,940 feet of land on the easterly side of a passageway leading from the northeasterly side of Bellevue street, being lot 1, Walter C. Bates plan, November 21, 1921, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Walter F. Gallagher—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morrison street, being lot 117, Charles H. W. Wood plan, September 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, page 433, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Arthur Galle—About 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brook street, making the westerly corner of Bellevue avenue, being lot 108, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 189, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	11 82
Mary Galvin—About 4,965 feet of land on the southerly side of Temple street, being lot 6, block 5, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	3 27
Also about 4,287 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker street, being lot 7, block 5, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 11
John R. Gehman—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goethe street, being lot 15, W. F. Whitman plan, August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94

Emma Gelpe Heirs—About 8,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, being lot 57, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	50	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	7 41	
James H. Gerlach—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Willow street, being lot 105, J. Edwin Jones plan, August 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1838, page 11, tax for 1923.....	4 91	
F. Nerton Gesner—About 2,218 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage road, being lots 25 and 26, block 5, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, Book 3570, page 242, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1921.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	
Tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Lucinda F. Gibbons—Buildings and about 16,559 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley avenue, numbered 182, between an estate of Betty Sedgwick and an estate of William G. Haberland and another, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	98 80	
Also about 10,217 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lots 21 and 22, J. Edwin Jones plan, February 4, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1763, page 79, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 41	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 51	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Orlando P. Godfrey—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glenham street, being lot 13, block 7, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Edwin O. Goodwin—About 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glendower road formerly James street, being lot 31, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	23 04	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 32	
Enma F. Goodwin—Buildings and about 227,607 feet of land on the northerly side of Washington street, numbered 4,959, between an estate of Mary A. Holland and an estate of Ayoub Maloof, tax for 1923.....	111 15	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	9 75	
John Gordwine (supposed present owner John Blandis)—About 11,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot J, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 12,279 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot K, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
George H. and Winnifred B. Guyette—Buildings and about 4,608 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wyman street, numbered 6, between an estate of Otto H. Schmidt and another and an estate of Marguerite D. Grueter, tax for 1923.....	81 51	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Rudolph F. Haftenreffer—About 5,682 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Harwood street, being lot 1, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 137, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 138, same plan, tax for 1923, Stanley P. Hall—About 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 40, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47	
Carl A. Hallain—About 3,742 feet of land on the westerly side of Wright road, being lot 19, block C, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8336, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Rose M. Halloren—Buildings and about 3,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 4811, between an estate of Agnes Walsh and an estate of Edsea George and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Isaac A. Hamm—About 2,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Overlook road, being lots 2 and 3, block L, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
John J. Hammill—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thrush street, being lot 121, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thrush street, being lot 122, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47	
Alice M. Handley—About 4,694 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre street, being lot 5, Garbett and Wood plan, May 7, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1998, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Walter D. Hannigan—About 4,089 feet of land on the easterly side of Salmon street, being lot 50, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11747, tax for 1921.....	2 47	
Tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Margaret A. Harrington—About 7,196 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre street, being lots B and C, Whitman and Howard plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4267, page 349, tax for 1921.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
William P. Harrington—About 10,915 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornell street, being lot 81, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 11,915 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornell street, being lot 82, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66	
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Mary B. Harris—About 3,470 feet of land on the northerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 10, W. C. Bates plan, November 1, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2682, page 538, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 3,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Mary B. Harris (supposed present owner Henry K. Doyle)—About 2,230 feet of land on the southerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Mary B. Harris—About 2,370 feet of land on the southerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Jefferson C. Hawkes—About 4,050 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hill street, being lot 30, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 189, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 96	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
John E. V. Hayden (supposed present owner Ada T. Hayden)—About 6,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Montclair avenue, being lot 53, Garbett and Wood plan, May 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 70	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 40	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Arthur E. and Helen M. Hayes—Buildings and about 5,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Birch street, numbered 45, between an estate of Eva W. Baxter heirs or devisees and an estate of Clarence W. Wilson and another, tax for 1923.....	118 56	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
George Heaton—About 6,473 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage avenue, being lot 1, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 12,960 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sparrow street, being lot 99, J. Edwin Jones plan, March 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1782, page 8, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 91	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 00	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00	
Dimitro Henes—Buildings and about 18,333 feet of land on the northerly side of Spring street, numbered 37, 39 and 41, between an estate of Gardner O. North and others and an estate of John A. Whittemore and others, tax for 1923.....	222 30	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
John Herbert, Trustee (under will of William H. Bowdler)—About 4,510 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Carnuba street, being lot 8, T. B. Moses plan, July 20, 1886, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1744, page 284, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Highland Ice Company—Buildings and about 601,905 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gardner street, numbered 217, between an estate of John J. G. Thompson and an estate of Mary D. McLean, tax for 1923.....	197 60	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95	
Also buildings and about 510,019 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, numbered 262, making the southerly corner of Morrison street, between an estate of Andrew H. Hodgdon and an estate of the Town of Brookline, tax for 1923.....	1,037 40	
Amelia I. Hobart—About 5,861 feet of land on the westerly side of Cottage avenue, being lot 27, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Andrew H. Hodgdon—Buildings and about 210,718 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, numbered 206 and 206 rear, between another estate of said Hodgdon and another estate of said Hodgdon, tax for 1923.....	172 90	
Also buildings and about 12,560 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, numbered 192, between another estate of said Hodgdon and an estate of John S. Fryberg and another, tax for 1923.....	37 05	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	
Also about 87,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, between another estate of said Hodgdon and an estate of Highland Ice Company, tax for 1923.....	32 11	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 40	
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 3,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 16, making a junction with Bellevue avenue, adjoining an estate of John J. Jordan and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 11,145 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot A, George H. Wetherbee plan, dated April 22, 1921, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 24	
Also about 10,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot B, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	17 58	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 48	
Also buildings and about 14,603 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Anawan avenue, numbered 120, making the southerly corner of Stratford street, between an estate of Elizabeth G. McLaughlin and an estate of Nellie M. Koopman, tax for 1923.....	227 24	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 25	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	11 85	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 11,565 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stratford street, being lot 72, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	41 99	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 44	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 22	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	

Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ardale street, being lot 45, Garbett and Wood plan, September 8, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1838, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Frank Incantalupo—About 3,353 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage road, being lots 16 and 17, block C, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Stephen F. Keane—About 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Nut street, being lot 19, block C, Hodges and George plan, March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14986, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 27	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Mary L. Keefe—Buildings and about 5,566 feet of land on the southerly side of Tyndale street, numbered 48, between an estate of Catherine A. Millin and an estate of Bertha A. Elliott, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	William D. Irving—About 2,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pond road, being lots 9 and 10, block 4, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 24
Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vermont street, numbered 311, between an estate of Elmer B. Suley and an estate of Catherine A. Callahan, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Charles J. Kelley—About 3,314 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Durant street, being lot 119, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also buildings and about 31,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 356, between an estate of Walter H. Casswell and an estate of Barbara A. Carrol, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 7,375 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ardale street, being lot B. W. C. Bates plan, August 16, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3768, page 164, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 4,873 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lasell street, being lot 20, block 18, J. W. Morrison plan, April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	6 35	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being part of lot 32, F. S. H. plans, dated October, 1912, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Frank Holland—About 4,572 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Atlantis street, being lot 6, block 8, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 211, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 73
Mitane C. Holloway—About 5,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sanborn avenue, being lot 119, Varney and Churchhill plan, August, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3109, page 419, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Alice E. Howard—About 791 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Overlook road, being lot 10, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3510, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,336 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Spring road, being lot 16, block M, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 47
Alice E. Howard (supposed present owner Edward H. Hackett)—About 2,866 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, being lots 42, 43 and 44, block K, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being part of lot 33, same plans, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Also buildings and about 1,104 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, numbered 6, making the southeasterly corner of Grove road, adjoining an estate of Alice E. Howard and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70	John A. Johnson—About 6,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Montclair avenue, being lot 47, Garbett and Wood plan, May 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 73
Laura F. Hoyt—About 3,490 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being the easterly part of lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3351, page 539, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	William H. Johnson—About 4,380 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 49, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 47
Also about 2,250 feet of land on the northerly side of a 20-foot street, leading from the easterly side of Rowe street, being the westerly part of lot 9, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being part of lot 34, same plans, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	1 55
Also about 900 feet of land on the northerly side of a 20 foot street, leading from the easterly side of Rowe street, being the easterly part of lot 9, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 3,978 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 64, same plan, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	1 50
Also about 1,190 feet of land on the northerly side of a 20-foot street, leading from the easterly side of Rowe street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 83, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated February, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3610, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Moth assessment for 1922.....	87	Also about 4,340 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,244 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Newfield street, being lot 8, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Newfield street, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,625 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bungalow road, being lot 11, block L, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Ida M. Hubbard—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Symmes street, numbered 9, between an estate of George R. and Annie M. Porter and an estate of Nathaniel McCrary, trustee, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Also about 2,803 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Newfield street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Annie M. Kelley—About 6,475 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being the southeasterly part of lot 34, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 224, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Also buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ivory street, numbered 36, between an estate of Mary A. Griffin and an estate of Helen M. Holbrook, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Lawrence F. Johnson—About 6,906 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 23, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 18
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1922.....	66	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Mary J. Hudd—About 636 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Spring road, being lot 3, block N, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3510, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 97
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 2,745 feet of land on the easterly side of Bellevue avenue, being lot 143, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 189, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Grace H. Id. Buildings and about 10,462 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Landover street, numbered 56, making the easterly corner of La Grange street, between an estate of John J. Keller and another and an estate of Charlotte D. Gallagher, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25	Harry J. Johnston—About 2,942 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 23, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3732, page 11, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Paid on account.....	34 35	John F. and Edward C. Karcher—About 6,750 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dale street, being lot 4, H. W. C. Bates plan, February 1, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5320, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Balance due.....	150 90	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Acathileas Karleris—About 5,769 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 36, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also buildings and about 3,110 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 121, between an estate of James A. Cotter and an estate of Louis A. Bieber, tax for 1923.....	103 74
		Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 169, between an estate of Daniel A. Barry and another and an estate of Mary J. Sayce, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55
		Also about 6,897 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Paid on account.....	77 07
		Also about 6,999 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Balance due.....	83 48
		Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Lawrence C. Kelly—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alder street, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 189, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47

Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60	Michael J. Mahoney—About 7,278 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dunbar street, making the junction of Westover street, between an estate of Town of Brookline and an estate of Albert A. Sutherland, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Edwin F. Luce—About 807 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cedar road, being lot 33, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Joseph Maloof—About 3,565 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Overlook road, being lot 9, block N, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 150 feet of land on the northwesterly side and at end of a 30-foot street, leading from the north-easterly side of Clarendon avenue, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, July 6, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2162, page 316, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Alexander Mapp—About 3,025 feet of land on the easterly side of Ellerton road, being lot 312, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 680 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	David and Annie Mark—Buildings and about 4,012 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Belgrade avenue, numbered 47, between an estate of Elizabeth C. Bickford and an estate of Robert A. McPherson, tax for 1923, Ellen H. Marshall—About 1,463 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oak road, being lot 51, block 2, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	1 60	Also about 2,793 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Willers street, being lot 269, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Matthew and Agata Matjoshaits—Also about 3,200 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Chestnut road, being lots 4-5, block 5, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Moth assessment for 1921.....	50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	1 55	Thomas L. Lynch—About 4,512 feet of land on the westerly side of Cliffmont street, being lot 122, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 170, on file with Suffolk Deeds, moth assessment for 1922.....	87	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 9,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut street, being lot 35, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, on file with Suffolk Deeds, page 97, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Also about 3,032 feet of land on the southerly side of Canterbury street, being the southerly part of lot 123, same plan, moth assessment for 1922.....	87	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Frederick L. and Agnes V. Lyons—About 10,000 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Grouse street, being lots 160 and 162, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Oswald I. V. Matthews—Also about 2,681 feet of land on the easterly side of Ellerton road, being lot 310, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 43,560 feet of land, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by the Dedham line; north-erly and easterly by New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, and southerly by an estate of Ellen S. Murphy, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Delia A. Lyons—Buildings and about 10,028 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Ardale street, numbered 100, between an estate of William M. Lally and an estate of Elizabeth Musculus, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 27	Also about 2,853 feet of land on the easterly side of Ellerton road, being lot 311, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	4 94	Eva L. Macdonald—About 11,321 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot 1, Charles D. Eliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Ida Maxwell—About 9,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut street, being lot 31, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	John W. Maynard—Buildings and about 3,875 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dudley avenue, numbered 166, making the northerly corner of Birch street, between an estate of James J. Quinn heirs and an estate of Evelyn M. Bryant, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Also about 4,478 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 54, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	10 70
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Annie E. McCarthy—About 9,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saville street, being lot 59, shown on assessors' plan, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Alfonse Maching—About 4,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 121, Nathaniel Smith plan, June 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 64
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	34 56
Also about 3,686 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Helen McCauley—About 5,150 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eldredge street, being lot L, W. C. Bates plan, February 12, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Blanche S. MacInnes—About 6,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vermont street, being lot V, C. B. Humphrey, December 21, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14781, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Isabelle MacIsaac—About 2,030 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, being lot 78, Robert C. Hunter plan, dated September, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 5,098 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eldredge street, being lot R, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	4 94
Elizabeth Laverty—About 8,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Swallow street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Swallow street; southwesterly by an estate of Leonard Malanson; southeasterly by an estate of Elizabeth J. Quigley, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 2,040 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, being lot 79, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Anna L. MacMillan (supposed present owner Morton A. Yerxa)—Buildings and about 5,364 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, numbered 201, making the southerly corner of Howitt road, adjoining an estate of Esther B. Coffin, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	9 31	Sigre McClean—About 10,790 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moreland street, being lot 5, shown on assessors' plan, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94
May H. Lawson—About 10,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, being lot 80, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Mary Maguire—About 3,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Rowe street, being lot 5, W. C. Bates plan, May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3354, page 539, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Ellen A. McCourtney (supposed present owner Freida J. Gately)—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Francis street, numbered 9, between an estate of Thomas H. Lynch and another and an estate of Lars Anderson and another, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Alice G. McDermott—About 8,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glendower street, being lot 49, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	12 35
John Lehan—About 3,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Nut street, being lot 42, block B, Hodges and George plan, March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6525, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Mary M. Maguire—About 1,325 feet of land lying in the rear from the south-westerly side of Ashland street, being the westerly part of lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3354, page 539, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1922.....	23 04
Adele J. Leonard—Buildings and about 6,735 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Carroll street, numbered 69, between another estate of said Leonard and an estate of John Sjoquist, tax for 1923.....	88 92	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	12 35
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Also about 6,785 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Carroll street, being lot 46, W. F. Whitman plan, dated August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 00		
S. Henry L'Heureux and Devises of Albert E. Hentz—About 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, being lot 18, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1844, page 527, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 90		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47				

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 32		
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Beech street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Beech street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Emilie M. McDonald—About 6,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Auburn street, being lot 180, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Marie E. McDonald—About 3,120 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 127, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Peter McDonald—About 3,460 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Johnson road, being lot 8, Whitman and Howard plan, January 2, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4138, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Mary C. McGrath—About 6,054 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grove street, being lot 5, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
James E. McGuire and others—Buildings and about 4,831 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, numbered 516, between an estate of Oscar Johnson and another and an estate of Elsie P. Reynolds and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14175, tax for 1923.....	\$111 15		
Paid on account.....	78 70		
Balance due.....	32 45		
Elizabeth McIsaac—About 13,269 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stratford street, being lot 77, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 22		
Elizabeth J. McKenna—About 3,048 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oak road, being lots 52 and 53, block 2, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Edith E. McKenzie—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kittredge street, numbered 176, between an estate of Eunice T. Robinson and an estate of Natalie Henning, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 56		
William H. McLaren—About 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Perham street, being lot 79, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Catherine C. McLaughlin—About 1,952 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cass street, being lot 17A, C. B. Humphrey plan, November 15, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14727, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
George F. McLaughlin—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cass street, being lot 17B, C. B. Humphrey plan, November 15, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14728, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,738 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cass street, being lot F, W. C. Bates plan, September 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2554, page 597, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Mary McLean—About 22,300 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 32, W. C. Bates plan, March 20, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12337, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Daniel R. and Harriet R. McNeil—Buildings and about 1,594 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, numbered 7, between two other estates of said McNeil and another, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Also about 1,651 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lot 12, block 12, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also buildings and about 1,622 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lot 13, block 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,565 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lot 15, block 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,536 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,507 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
John M. Merkel (supposed present owner Charles P. D. Desmond)—About 5,193 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vermont street, being lot 8, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Arthur J. Merlin—Buildings and about 11,468 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, numbered 100, between an estate of Mary A. McIntyre and an estate of Daniel G. Merlin, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45		
Paid on account.....	60 00		
Balance due.....	26 45		
Najeib Meshaka (supposed present owner Good Realty Company)—About 5,899 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cowing street, being lot 74, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated February, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3610, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Harold E. Meyer—Buildings and about 4,852 feet of land on the northerly side of Tyndale street, numbered 105, making the northeasterly corner of Prospect street, adjoining an estate of Charles F. Macdonald and another, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 11		
Henry E. Miller, Junior—Buildings and about 16,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wren street, numbered 52, between an estate of Charles H. Bailey heirs or devisees and an estate of Mary C. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Jessie R. Minot—About 2,000 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 42, block D, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5533, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
William H. Mitchell—About 11,768 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 112, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 179, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Louis and Augusta Mix—About 1,146 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dana road, being lot 82, block 11, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Also about 1,209 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dana road, being lot 83, block 11, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Ellen Morse—Also about 10,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Billings street, making the northerly corner of Hamilton street, being lot 116, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 197, on file with Suffolk Deeds, moth assessment for 1922.....	1 30		
George A. Monroe—Also about 4,014 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 63, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Louise W. Moody—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hamilton street, numbered 17, between an estate of Ellen Morse and another estate of said Louise W. Moody, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Martin and Margaret B. Moran—About 2,185 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oak road, being lot 54, block 2, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Sadie L. Morsehead—Buildings and about 2,706 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, numbered 21, between another estate of said Moreshead and an estate of Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 1,464 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 16, block 9, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,433 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 17, block 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,401 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Aldrich street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	59		
John B. Morgan (supposed present owner Vincenzo Angilevi)—Also about 10,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut street, being lot 89, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Marion E. Morse—Buildings and about 16,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pomfret street, numbered 10, between an estate of Annie D. Bailey and an estate of Alice C. Shea, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Harriet I. B. Moss—Buildings and about 5,035 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oriole street, numbered 40, between an estate of Robert T. Hathaway and another and an estate of Mary F. Tinker and others, tax for 1923.....	180 31		
Mary J. Muchensturm—Buildings and about 5,524 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pierpont road, numbered 61, between two estates of Frederick W. Baldan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16704, tax for 1923.....	\$148 20		
Paid on account.....	38 00		
Balance due.....	110 20		
John J. Mullen—About 5,824 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hemmann street, being lot 52, J. Edwin Jones plan, July 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2250, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 11		
Thomas W. Mulvey—About 3,016 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 29, block D, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15076, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,997 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 30, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15076, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
John J. Mundo—About 3,727 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 150, Charles D. Elliot plan, August, 29, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 14,224 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lots 139, 140, 141 and 142, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Anna M. Murphy, Trustee—About 5,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Parkvale road, being lot 37, W. C. Bates plan, August 1, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4021, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 5,460 feet of land on the westerly side of Parkvale road, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,440 feet of land on the northerly side of Belgrade avenue, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also buildings and about 7,478 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Centre street, numbered 1741, between an estate of Willard P. Whittemore and an estate of Leah Payson, tax for 1921.....	39 52		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	19 84		
Moth assessment for 1921.....	1 74		
James A. Murphy—About 6,327 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, being lot 15, Garbett and Wood plan, May 1, 1883, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		

Also about 5,475 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Zellar street, being lot 13, Garbett and Wood plan, September 8, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1838, tax for 1923.....	1 94	land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 8, W. C. Bates plan, March 20, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9697, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 60
Also about 5,475 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Zellar street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	1 94	Frederick H. Newell—About 42,436 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, being lot 31, shown on assessors plans, volume 10, page 192, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Carl G. Nord—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mendelsohn street, being lot 192, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 5, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2018, page 497, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 5,475 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Zellar street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	85	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 4,575 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Zellar street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 50	Margaret E. Nichols—About 9,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Walnut street, being lot 33, shown on assessors plans, volume 10, page 97, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Forris W. Norris—About 107,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, being a lot shown on William Jackson plan, November 25, 1896, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	185 25
Also about 5,475 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Zellar street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	1 30
Thomas Murphy—About 4,734 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cotton street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Cotton street; northwesterly by an estate of Patrick O'Rourke and an estate of Arthur E. and Mabel C. Woodward; southwesterly by an estate of Isaac H. Bogart and others, trustees; southeasterly by an estate of George H. Mullis, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Ella L. Nickerson—About 1,470 feet of land on the easterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on F. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	185 25
Elizabeth Murphy (supposed present owner Frank L. Gustafson)—About 6,375 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Perham street, being lot 128, Garbett and Wood plan, April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	23 81	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 10	Catherine Norton—About 4,648 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harwood street, being lot 7, block 9, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	23 11	Modesta Nicoli—About 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, being lot 259, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Michael J. Norton—About 2,561 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cherry road, being lots 11 and 12, block 8, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, being lot 260, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47	Also about 2,894 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cherry road, being lots 9 and 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 41	Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, being lot 261, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, being lot 262, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47	John W. Nutting—Buildings and about 3,150 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, numbered 290, between an estate of Anna Sittig and an estate of Harry M. Strickland and another, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45
Margaret Murphy—About 4,630 feet of land on the easterly side of New Haven street, being lot 37, block E, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3124, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Katherine Nilson—About 1,280 feet of land on the southerly side of Chestnut road, being lot 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Paid on account.....	40 00
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,385 feet of land on the southerly side of Chestnut road, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Balance due.....	46 45
Ellen S. Murphy—About 5,700 feet of land lying in the rear from westerly side of Belle avenue, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by the Dedham line; northerly by an estate of Benjamin Laney; easterly and southerly by an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Edward O'Connell—About 4,107 feet of land on the easterly side of Vogel street, being lot 36, block G, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12770, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,715 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Bessie Ollman and Rosie Friedberg—Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Schubert street, being lot 107, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 5, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2018, page 497, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Amelia P. Murray—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arthur street, being lot 150, J. Edwin Jones plan, August 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1838, page 11, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Also about 1,687 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 1,656 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Ann M. Olson—About 1,662 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 16, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Catherine Murray—About 4,950 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 38, block 17, J. W. Morrison plan, April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 40	Also about 1,560 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Maria Olson—About 1,579 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 15, block F, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Grace V. Murray—About 3,232 feet of land on the westerly side of Wright road, being lot 26, block G, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14790, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Lois H. Murray—About 9,330 feet of land on the southerly side of Landseer extension, being lot 54, C. H. Gannett plan, dated December, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4012, page 281, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 1,528 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,537 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 17, block F, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60	Also about 1,496 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Gertrude E. O'Neill—Buildings and about 8,342 feet of land on the westerly side of Stratford street, numbered 9, between an estate of Alice G. Fleming and an estate of Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustees, tax for 1923.....	158 08
Ellen T. Murray (supposed present owners City of Boston)—Buildings and about 6,215 feet of land on the easterly side of Poplar street, numbered 104, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Massachusetts Housing Corporation, tax for 1923.....	128 44	Also about 1,430 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 1,465 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	John O'Neill—About 2,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Crosstown avenue, being lot 16A, block K, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3171, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Carmine Musto—Buildings and about 5,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Taft place, numbered 26, between an estate of Philip Basile and another estate of said Musto, tax for 1923.....	150 67	Also about 1,501 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 57, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,950 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Taft place, being lot 4, Walter C. Bates plan, June 1, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4417, page 443, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	John H. O'Rourke—About 10,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut street, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, May 15, 1906, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14729, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,340 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Taft place, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 1,572 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 59, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
George Nassiff—About 6,160 feet of		Also about 1,642 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 10,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prospect street, being lot 164, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00
		Also about 1,607 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 60, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,524 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Prospect street, being lots 1 and 2, G. W. Bartlett plan, June 10, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Kathleen A. O'Rourke—About 10,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut street, adjoining an estate of Alexander F. Wilson, being lot 79, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94
		Estelle A. Noble—About 6,750 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glendower road (formerly James street), bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Glendower road; northwesterly by an estate of Albert J. Flannagan; northeasterly by an estate of Frank H. Spear; southeasterly by an estate of Alice G. McDermott, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65

Margaret F. Osborne—Buildings and about 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Boston terrace, numbered 7, between an estate of Bertha M. Day and an estate of Rudolph G. Widmer, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10482, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Inga C. Osborne—About 1,633 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Linden road, at angle adjoining another estate of said Osborne, being lot 9, block 10, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,553 feet of land on the westerly side of Linden road, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,536 feet of land on the westerly side of Linden road, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Ellen O'Sullivan—Buildings and about 5,884 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Redlands road, numbered 31, adjoining an estate of Willard P. Whittemore, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11822, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	72 90
Alice B. Packard—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fletcher street, numbered 64, between an estate of Ellen C. Carney and an estate of Lillian M. Stone, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Charles L. Paine and James E. Freeman—About 6,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winslow street, adjoining an estate of Albert C. Smith, being lot 145, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 5,987 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winslow street, being lot 205, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Ella N. Palm—About 4,410 feet of land on the easterly side of Salmon street, adjoining an estate of Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc., being lot 14, block J, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8121, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Helen F. Parker—About 9,331 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gould street, adjoining another estate of said Parker, being lot 52, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 9,331 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gould street, adjoining an estate of Abbie M. Duquet, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 7,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hart street, adjoining an estate of Ellen V. Murphy and others, being lot 43, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated July 12, 1882, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1597, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Also about 7,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hart street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Also about 10,633 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hart street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Nellie J. Parsons—About 10,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fagle street, adjoining an estate of William F. Nye, being lots 42 and 43, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Lawrence Perkins—About 3,025 feet of land on the westerly side of Nut street, adjoining another estate of said Perkins, being lot 29, block B, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16298, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,084 feet of land on the westerly side of Nut street, being lot 30, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16298, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Alfred R. and Gertrude A. Peters—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Amherst street, numbered 79, between an estate of Martha A. Willcomb and an estate of Martha E. Seaverns, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Belle M. Peters—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Deldorf street, making the easterly corner of Westmoor street, adjoining another estate of said Peters, being lot 240, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 239, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Alexander Phillips—About 3,478 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, adjoining an estate of Harry Potter, being lots 2 and 3, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 1,179 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Mary I. Poland—About 5,818 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brook Farm road, making the easterly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of said Poland, being lot 1, block 17, J. W. Morrison plan, dated April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2220, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Benjamin Pope—About 10,843 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, adjoining another estate of said Pope, being lot H, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 10,362 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot G, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Eli Porter—About 6,767 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Altair road, adjoining an estate of Brenda V. Bennett and others, being lot 43, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Lovett Porter—Buildings and about 5,979 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, numbered 131, between an estate of Najen J. Maloof and an estate of Charles Houl, tax for 1923,.....	7 41
Helen L. Potter—About 1,350 feet of land, lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wren street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss; northeasterly by an estate of Margaret F. Tinker; southeasterly by an estate of Agnes M. Finerman and southwesterly by an estate of Robert T. Hathaway, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
James A. Quigley—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Capital street, adjoining another estate of said Quigley, being lot 8, William E. Hannan plan, dated October 12, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3279, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Capital street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 5,001 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Selwyn street, adjoining an estate of State Street Trust Company, trustees, being lot 107, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated September 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, page 433, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 5,878 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dent street, adjoining an estate of Wilbur F. Beale, being lot 237, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Frederick Rasmussen—About 3,094 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, adjoining an estate of Annie E. Higgins, being lot 123, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 76, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 2,960 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 78, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Catherine Ratigan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glenham street, making the northerly corner of Perham street, adjoining an estate of Francis G. Washburn, being lot 1, block 14, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	4 94
John J. Reardon—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eagle street, adjoining an estate of George J. Foran, being lot 128, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Robert F. Reissman—About 3,064 feet of land on the northerly side of Cheriton road, adjoining an estate of said J. W. Wilbur Company, Inc., being lot 331, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated August 14, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3765, moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Horace B. Rice—About 4,412 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Amesbury street, making the southerly corner of Baker street, adjoining an estate of Hannah M. Sullivan, being lot 1, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Tax for 1922.....	7 41
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 6,374 feet of land on the easterly side of Hawthorne street, numbered 20, between an estate of Sophie Molsen and an estate of Lulla A. Eaton, tax for 1923.....	79 04
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Walter G. Richardson—About 5,337 feet of land on the westerly side of Willowdean avenue, adjoining an estate of Annie M. Murphy, being lot 47, W. C. Bates plan, dated August 1, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4021, page 594, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Willowdean avenue, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 9,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Parkvale road, making the junction of Willowdean avenue, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 4,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, making the southerly corner of Ferndale road, adjoining an estate of Adaline F. Thomas, being lot 331, Walter C. Bates plan, dated March 1, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4337, page 476, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	29 65
Celia Richman—Buildings and about 5,274 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maple street, numbered 6, making the westerly corner of Centre street, adjoining an estate of John M. Lane, moth assessment for 1922.....	66
William L. Roberts—About 5,593 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dent street, adjoining an estate of Frank Holland, being lot 240, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 5,656 (assessed as 5,626) feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dent street, being lot 244, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 6,028 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, adjoining another estate of said Roberts, being lot 14, Walter C. Bates plan, dated November 1, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4426, page 254, tax for 1923.....	29 64

Moth assessment for 1923.....	85	194, between an estate of William G. Haberland and another and an estate of Ida L. Hemmann, tax for 1923.....	123 50	estate of Ayoub Maloof and an estate of Kaleal Faysal, tax for 1923, \$135 85	
Also about 3,284 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Roberts avenue, adjoining an estate of Guy P. Walton, being lot 16, George H. Wood plan, dated May 29, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2359, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Paid on account.....	25 00
Also buildings and about 7,210 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oriole street, numbered 63, between an estate of said Roberts and an estate of Arthur M. Wyman and another, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Maurice F. Ryan—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Capital street, adjoining an estate of Albert J. Sawyer, being lot 20, William E. Hannan plan, dated October 12, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3278, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Balance due.....	110 85
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 85	Chester E. Sampson—About 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Birch road, adjoining an estate of Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc., being lots 3 and 4, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Robert E. Scott—About 4,346 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Schiller road, adjoining an estate of Alan MacDonald, being lot 53, W. F. Whitman plan, dated August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Augustus O. Roberts—About 4,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Martin T. Daley, being lot 202, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 85
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Helen A. Sanborn—About 3,655 feet of land on the westerly side of Heldun street, adjoining another estate of said Sanborn, being lot 5, George B. Smith plan, dated March 22, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3099, page 428, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
William A. Roberts—About 3,453 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Park terrace, adjoining an estate of Helen A. Shaw and others, being lot 8, C. H. W. Wood plan, dated May 31, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3603, page 523, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 3,655 feet of land on the westerly side of Heldun street, numbered 16, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Tax for 1922.....	4 94
John B. Robinson, Trustee Charles River Real Estate Trust—About 14,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Rand street, being a lot shown on J. Edwin Jones plan, September 16, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2310, page 131, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	21 55
Also about 124,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwest-erly side of Rand street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Robinson trustee, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Leona M. Savage—About 3,444 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 147, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 00
Helen M. Robinson—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Lorraine street, numbered 20, between another estate of said Robinson and an estate of Mary C. Emerson, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 3,698 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 148, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47	Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.—About 2,622 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bungalow road, being lots 4 and 5, block M, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12398, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Albert J. and Eunice T. Robinson—Buildings and about 6,796 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 101 and 103, between an estate of Eunice T. Robinson and an estate of Joseph Oldfield, tax for 1923.....	111 15	Also about 4,248 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, being lot 133, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47	Also about 1,205 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bungalow road, being lot 6, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4415, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,296 feet of land on the southerly side of Ellswood street, making the junction of Farragut street, being lot 131, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47	Also about 5,857 feet of land on the easterly side of Wright road, adjoining an estate of Axel J. Pearson, being lot 5, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9665, moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00
Eunice T. Robinson—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the south-erly side of Kittredge street, numbered 172, between an estate of Edith E. MacKenzie and another estate of said Robinson, tax for 1923.....	192 66	Also about 4,712 feet of land on the southerly side of Ellswood street, being lot 127, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47	Also about 4,865 feet of land on the easterly side of New Haven street, being lot 33, block E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15795, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 7,905 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, making the southerly corner of Kittredge street, being lot 4, J. Edwin Jones plan, July 2, 1892, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2148, page 257, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Gerald J. Savage—About 4,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, adjoining another estate of said Savage, being lot 132, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
John G. Rosborough—About 5,577 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Welton road, making the westerly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Oscar Johnson and another, being lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, January 15, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14794, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 5,322 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, making the junction of Ellswood street, being lot 169, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,388 feet of land on the easterly side of Vogel street, being lot 31, block G, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9665, tax for 1923.....	2 47
George W. Rosnosky—About 8,090 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Partridge street, adjoining another estate of said Rosnosky, being lot 8, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated March 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1782, page 8, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Albert J. Sawyer—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Capital street, adjoining another estate of said Sawyer, being lot 19, William E. Hannan plan, dated October 12, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3279, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 7,320 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Partridge street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 17	Tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 4,233 feet of land on the westerly side of Centre street, being lot 11, block H, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9665, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Alice F. Rushton—About 5,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Hill street, adjoining another estate of said Rushton, being lot 28, shown on assessors' plan, on file with Suffolk Deeds, volume 10, page 189, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Capital street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 83	Tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 3,683 feet of land on the easterly side of Salmon street, being lot 51, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3734, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00	Caroline Schemack—Buildings and about 5,091 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Birch street, numbered 111, between an estate of Lucy V. Thuresson and an estate of Frank A. Grottendeck and another, tax for 1923,.....	24 70	Also about 1,541 feet of land on the easterly side of Pine road, adjoining an estate of Mary J. Driscoll, being lots 13 and 14, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Hill street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,647 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 86, block 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Hill street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	William H. Schenck—Also about 2,908 feet of land on the easterly side of Pine road, adjoining an estate of Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc., being lots 20 and 21, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 2,340 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, adjoining an estate of John Albert Addison, being the westerly side of lot 4, block I, the part remaining after widening, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Hill street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Robert Schlosky—About 4,253 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rawston road, making the northerly corner of Ethel street, adjoining an estate of Ernest M. Flint and another, being lot 13, and a strip of 578 feet shown on W. C. Bates plan, dated October 1, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3492, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	13 49	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50	Joseph A. Schneider—About 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dent street, adjoining an estate of Mary Murray, being lot 6, block 7, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Thomas C. and Bertha M. Sellow—About 4,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, making the westerly corner of Alta Crest, adjoining an estate of Jessie H. Christie, being lot 73, Robert C. Hunter plan, dated September, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Maria V. T. Russo—Buildings and about 13,165 feet of land on the northeast-erly side of Dudley avenue, numbered]		Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Fritz B. Schwede—Buildings and about 4,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Washington Heights avenue, numbered 17 and 19, between an		Annie G. Sowell—Buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brookdale street, numbered 37, between an estate of John McEvoy and another and an estate of Ida A. Wahlberg, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	11 93
				Moth assessment for 1921.....	66
				Elizabeth Shannon—About 6,410 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, adjoining another estate of said Shannon, being the northwesterly part of lot 2, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	9 90

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	25 34	northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923, Tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47	Also about 2,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hinsdale road, being lot 200, same plan, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47 50
Also about 6,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, being lot 3, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	27 54	Also about 3,457 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Seymour road, being lot 82, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 6,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, being lot 4, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	27 54	Tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Hamlin J. Shaw—About 15,076 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, making the westerly corner of Lark street, adjoining an estate of Catherine F. Prescott and another, being lot 58, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 193, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	17 29 17 29	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50	Also about 2,910 feet of land on the northerly side of Seymour road, being lot 104, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47 2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 30	Tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 3,180 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 149, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Johanna L. Shea—About 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Edgemere road, adjoining another estate of said Shea, being lot 70, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 3,260 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 148, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Arthur J. Shedden—About 563 feet of land on the westerly side of Pine road, adjoining an estate of Andor J. Sandvold, being lot 14, block 7, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 2 47	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 146, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50	Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 144, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1921.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 140, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1921.....	59	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 138, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Margaret Sheehan—About 4,632 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Harwood street, adjoining another estate of said Sheehan, being lot 17, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 140, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 4,922 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Harwood street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923, James Sheehan—About 4,883 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Harwood street, adjoining an estate of Margaret Sheehan, being lot 19, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 136, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 134, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Bidkar J. and Naomi A. Short—Buildings and about 19,746 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maple street, numbered 48, between an estate of Eva M. Hughes and an estate of Mary E. Keefe, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 116, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47
Anna Shubert—About 3,109 feet of land on the easterly side of Keystone street, adjoining another estate of said Shubert being, lot 22, block B, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11445, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,049 feet of land on the easterly side of Keystone street, being lot 23, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11445, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Also about 5,870 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winslow street, being lot 204, Garbett and Wood plan, April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47	Also about 3,509 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 149, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47
John G. Sikora—About 5,032 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Almon H. Small, being lot 15, block 17, J. W. Morrison plan, dated April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	6 61	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Perham street, being lot 15, block 7, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Antonius M. Simon—About 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 220, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	4 78	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 222, same plan, tax for 1923, Also about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 221, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 2 47 50	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47
Also about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 223, same plan, tax for 1923, Albert C. Smith—About 4,490 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, adjoining an estate of Herbert Boyce, being lot 55, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47 2 47 59	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	John F. Smith—About 2,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hinsdale road, being lot 199, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	59	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 3,880 feet of land on the		Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47

Caroline Sprague—About 6,448 feet of land on the westerly side of Cottage avenue, making the southerly corner of Curlew street, being lot 25, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Fred C. Steadman—Buildings and about 5,099 feet of land on the southerly side of South street, numbered 1032, between an estate of John Shaw and another and an estate of William S. and Clarence Van Brocklin, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Elizabeth G. Stein—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fairview street, numbered 40, between an estate of Jane I. Reed and an estate of Kate J. Fraser, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Harry E. Stevens—About 4,660 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dent street, making the southerly corner of Vermont street, adjoining an estate of Clara E. Pinkham, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Christina V. Stewart—Buildings and about 8,074 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brown avenue, numbered 138, making the northerly corner of Prospect avenue, between an estate of Mary H. Dakin and an estate of Blanche L. M. Curtis, tax for 1923.....	130 91		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Annie G. Stockinger—About 2,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hinsdale road, being lot 160, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hinsdale road, being lot 159, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Leslie K. Storrs, Trustee William S. Mitchell Estate—About 871 feet of land on the southerly side of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Centre street, easterly by an estate of Arthur B. Cutter, southerly by an estate of Charles F. Moulton heirs, westerly by an estate of Warren F. Freeman, tax for 1923.....	1 94		
Vincent E. Stuart—Buildings and about 3,360 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sycamore street, numbered 75, between another estate of said Stuart and an estate of Sun Chemical Company, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	83 50		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,492 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wright street, making the easterly corner of Sycamore street, being lot 20, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated July 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2154, page 627, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,186 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wright street, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,947 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wright street, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,792 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wright street, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Arthur F. Stucklen—About 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glendower road, being lot 26, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	23 04		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 32		
George B. Sullivan—About 6,410 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, being the northwesterly part of lot 2, Garbett and Wood plan, April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 30		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	23 84		
Also about 6,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	25 92		
Also about 6,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	25 92		
Mary Sullivan—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dent street, being lot 7, block 14, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Mary E. Sullivan, two thirds, and Mary M. Sullivan, one third—Buildings and about 7,134 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Granville street, numbered 31, between an estate of Rosa Munchback and an estate of Louise Shuttlers, tax for 1923,.....	49 40		
Sun Chemical Company—Buildings and about 12,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sycamore street, numbered 77, between an estate of Mary E. Gorham and another and an estate of Vincent E. Stuart, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Ellen A. Sweeney—Buildings and about 4,124 feet of land on the easterly side of Poplar street, numbered 146, between an estate of Lizzie M. Greeley and an estate of Charles H. Greenlun and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Swiss Embroidery Company—Buildings and about 10,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut street, being lot 78, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16389, tax for 1921.....	16 93		
Charles F. D. Tabler—About 2,975 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 304, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
George A. Taintor, Trustee—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arthur street, being lot 143, J. Edwin Jones plan, August 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1838, page 11, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 5,213 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Worley street, making the westerly corner of Dwinell street, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	13 53		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	1 08		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	13 12		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 4,107 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1922, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	13 12		
Tax for 1923.....	1 00		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	12 73		
Also about 4,670 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1922, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	10 08		
Tax for 1923.....	85		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arthur street, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
William E. Tappan—About 3,171 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cheriton road, making the southerly corner of Edgemere road, being lot 10, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,732 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cheriton road, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Aleide Thibodeau—About 1,788 feet of land on the westerly side of Stimson road, being lot 5, block D, Hodges and George plan, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Charles Thistle—About 2,433 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pond road, being lots 11 and 12, block 4, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Edward Thomas—About 1,863 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Birch road, being lot 19, block 1, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Eva P. Thomas—About 3,640 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stellman road, being lot 493, Walter			
C. Bates plan, March 1, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4337, page 476, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Margaret F., two sixths, Henry G., one sixth, Helen N., one sixth, Marion K., one sixth and Dorothy G. Tinker, one sixth—Buildings and about 5,415 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wren street, numbered 103, making the southerly corner of Oriole street, between an estate of Margaret F. Tinker and an estate of Harriet I. V. Morse, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Margaret F. Tinker—About 1,425 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wren street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Margaret F. Tinker and others; northeasterly by Wren street; southeasterly by an estate of Agnes M. Finneran, and southwesterly by an estate of Helen L. Potter, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 20		
John F. Tirrell—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farquhar street, being lot 60, Garbett and Wood plan, November 1, 1886, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1750, page 39, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Elizabeth H. Titus—About 5,275 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pierpont road, making the westerly corner of Manthorne road, adjoining an estate of Hattie E. Titus and another, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, May 6, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12941, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 48		
Elizabeth H. Tonks—Buildings and about 5,278 feet of land on the easterly side of Rowe street, numbered 82, between an estate of John F. Kelleher and another and an estate of Charles A. Benson and another, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	34 38		
Hannah Trafford—About 4,249 feet of land on the southerly side of Manchester street, making the southwesterly corner of Newfield street, being lot 35, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Harry F. Trask—About 4,242 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stellman road, being lot 461, Walter C. Bates plan, March 1, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4337, page 476, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Susan S. Trask—About 4,450 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chilton road, being lot 98, W. C. Bates plan, October 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2478, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Charles E. Tucker (supposed present owner Leona M. Savage)—About 3,191 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 146, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,966 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 144, same plan, tax for 1923, Also about 2,745 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 143, same plan, tax for 1923, Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Cushing street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Henry Tulip—About 2,748 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Edgemere road, being lot 36, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Thomas Van Dyl Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 3,668 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornell street, numbered 261, making the easterly corner of Bellevue avenue, adjoining an estate of Louise W. S. Rausch, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Also about 5,807 feet of land on the easterly side of Bellevue avenue, being lot 218, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
John J. Vogel—About 5,820 feet of land on the southerly side of Fowle street, being lot 6, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 21, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2051, tax for 1923.....	7 41		

Anastasia E. Vogel—Buildings and about 5,459 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, numbered 334, adjoining an estate of Frances C. Gearin, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7924, tax for 1923..... 185 25

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 21 26

James C. Walsh—About 1,953 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 281, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Guy P. Walton—About 3,350 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Roberts avenue, being lot 17, George W. Wood plan, May 29, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2359, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Abby A. Waters—Buildings and about 6,529 feet of land on the northerly side of South street, numbered 909, making the northeasterly corner of Fletcher street, adjoining an estate of Alexander M. Chubb, tax for 1923..... 172 90

J. Franklin Waters—Buildings and about 2,340 feet of land on the southwesterly side of South street, numbered 754 and 751A, between an estate of Jacob Burser and another and an estate of William H. Jenness, tax for 1923..... 296 40

James Waters Heirs—About 5,374 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Frances street, extending through to Baker street, being lot 58, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923..... 4 94

John F. and Abbie A. Waters (supposed present owner Frederick H. Jackson)—Buildings and about 5,564 feet of land on the southerly side of South street, numbered 1000, between an estate of Anton Anderson and an estate of Etta C. Ames, tax for 1923..... 148 20

Florence E. Watts (reassigned to Caroline F. Krebs)—About 3,669 feet of land, assessed as 5,002 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cohasset street, between another estate of said Krebs and an estate of Charles Krebs, tax for 1923..... 19 76

Robert Watts—About 6,050 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Montvale street, being lot 70, Garbett and Wood plan, April 1, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1876, tax for 1923..... 22 23

A. M. Charlotte Weber—Buildings and about 4,298 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Howitt road, numbered 15, between an estate of Louis M. Hammond and an estate of Winifred R. Martin, tax for 1923..... 148 20

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 12 43

Also buildings and about 5,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Church street, numbered 17, between an estate of Orasmus H. Hodgkins and an estate of Anna J. Nichols, tax for 1923..... 197 60

Anna C. Wellington and Martha S. Arkush (supposed present owner Constantinos Henes)—About 7,153 feet of land on the westerly side of Centre street, being lot 23, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 209, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 8 70

Willard Welsh—About 55,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ansonia road (formerly Ansonia street), making the northerly corner of Baker street, adjoining an estate of Erick H. Olson, tax for 1921..... 54 34

Moth assessment for 1921..... 1 52

Tax for 1923..... 54 34

Also about 5,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Belle avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Joseph B. Thomas heirs or devisees, westerly by an estate of Simon Singer, southerly by an estate of John F. Keyes and easterly by Belle avenue, tax for 1923..... 4 94

S. Belle Wetherbee—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Willet street, being lot 106, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

John L. Wetmore (reassigned from Francis W. and Bertina V. Roberts)—Buildings and about 5,139 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Landseer street extension, numbered 84, between an estate of George L. Fisher and another and an estate of Francis W. Robertson and another, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 9 90

John H. White—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carroll street, being lot 37, W. F. Whitman plan, August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Robert J. White—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goethe street, being lot 13, W. F. Whitman plan, August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1922..... 1 00

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Henrietta Whitemore (supposed present owner Benjamin Yarofsky)—Buildings and about 10,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Centre street, numbered 1869, 1871, 1873, 1875, 1877, 1879 and 1881, between an estate of Morris Breen and another and an estate of First Parish of West Roxbury, tax for 1923..... 617 50

George T. Whittier—About 10,870 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prospect street, being lot 11, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 14,146 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prospect street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

J. W. Wilbur, Inc.—About 315,844 feet of land on the northeasterly side of the East Boundary Road of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly and southwesterly by an estate of Edward W. Grew and another; northwesterly by an estate of William F. Crafts and others and an estate of Abby B. Hogan and southwesterly by the Stony Brook Reservation, tax for 1923..... 19 76

Also about 32,690 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, being a lot shown on C. G. Norris and A. W. Badger plan December, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3860, page 639, tax for 1923..... 19 76

Moth assessment for 1923..... 4 00

Also about 4,341 feet of land on the easterly side of Grove street, being lot 15, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 6,185 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Edgemere road, being lot 27, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Adam Wilhauck—About 6,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Beech street, being lot 8, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 4 94

William Williams—About 4,671 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, making the westerly corner of Vermont street, being lot 33, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hemlock street, numbered 39, between an estate of Helen M. Gobron and an estate of Agostino Molone, tax for 1923..... 66 69

Also about 4,731 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Libbey street, making the northerly corner of Vermont street, being lot 34, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Leah Witt—About 1,984 feet of land on the westerly side of Overlook road, being lot 4, Hodges and George plan, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923..... 2 47

James G. Wolfe—About 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 128, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1921..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1921..... 50

Tax for 1922..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Katherine Wunderlich and Lillies Leffevres—About 71,900 feet of land on the southerly side of Allandale street, making the westerly corner of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Allandale

street; easterly by Centre street; southerly by an estate of Rowe Contracting Company; and westerly by an estate of Channing W. Souther, tax for 1923..... 106 21

Moth assessment for 1923..... 7 05

Charles W. Young—Buildings and about 4,522 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hillcrest street (numbered 33), making the westerly corner of Lorette street, adjoining an estate of Frank B. George and another, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 185 25

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 9 30

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 17 37

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William L. B. Adams—Buildings and about 7,570 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 965, between an estate of Annie J. Anderson and an estate of Grace C. Adams, tax for 1923..... \$71 63

Antonio Aiello—Buildings and about 4,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, numbered 1799, adjoining an estate of Osia F. Bond, tax for 1923..... \$69 16

Paid on account..... 15 95

Balance due..... 53 21

Ellen Allen—About 4,255 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Burnham street, adjoining an estate of Martha A. E. Pierce, being lot 64, Charles E. C. Breck plan, dated January, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2336, page 511, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 7 82

Eva J. Allen—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orlando street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Boie, devisees, being lot 32, block U, E. P. Sellev plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 486, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Daniel L. Anderson—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 11, block U, E. P. Sellev plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8656, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Mary Anderson—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blake street, adjoining an estate of Edwin F. Bernard and another, being lot 114, C. E. Varney plan, dated December, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Michael Andrychewski—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lot 243, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Sebastiano Anzelico—About 3,829 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, making the westerly corner of Currier street, adjoining an estate of Dominico Sisco, being lots 138 and 139, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Frank Anustase—About 6,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Messina, being lots 86, 87 and 88, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Mary Etta Aronson—Buildings and about 47,097 feet of land on the easterly side of Arlington street, numbered 55, between an estate of Augusta L. Dowley and an estate of Alfred W. Newell and another, tax for 1923..... \$261 82

Paid on account..... 214 55

Balance due..... 47 27

Belle Ashe—About 4,548 feet of land on the northerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 26, block M, E. P. Sellev plan, dated June 23, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6800, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Margaret E. Baker—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody trustee, being lots 279 and 280, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Louis E. Barber—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Bessie Walsh, being lot 70, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Annie M. Barrar—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tampa street, adjoining an estate of Frank Grant, being lots 319 and 311, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 16
Also about 1,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Canton street, adjoining an estate of William J. McGregor, being lot 51, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Henry J. Barry—About 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Basea street, being lot 14, block C, E. P. Sallow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1424, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 27
Margaret E. Barry—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stoughton avenue, adjoining an estate of Hiram E. S. Waldron, being lot 17, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in assessors' office, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50
Clinton Bockwith and John B. Quackenbush—About 9,714 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vantage street, making the northerly corner of Edgewater drive, adjoining an estate of Burgess Penio, being lot 8 and the northwesterly part of lot 9, Charles C. Richardson plan, dated May, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	19 76
John Bell—About 30,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Baker street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; southwesterly by an estate of Daniel McLaughlin; southeasterly by an estate of Samuel Myers <i>et al.</i> ; and northwesterly by Baker street, tax for 1921.....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	12 35
Rebecca Bernack and Helen Kalant—Buildings and about 6,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hiawatha road, numbered 63, between an estate of James McKeena and an estate of Helen B. McNeill, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 36
Harry C. Bickmore, re-assessed from Elizabeth C. Bickmore, Heirs or Devisees—About 888,819 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Upton street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by Upton street; northwesterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston; and southeasterly by an estate of Nathaniel Safford, tax for 1923.....	59 28
Moth assessment for 1923.....	9 75
Also about 184,104 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by an estate of Alfred Foster heirs or devisees and the Stony Brook Reservation; northwesterly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard; southwesterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; and southeasterly by an estate of Alfred Foster, trustee, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 65,000 feet of land on the easterly side of the boundary line which divides the City of Boston from the town of Dedham, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by the boundary line of Boston and Dedham; northwesterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; and southeasterly by an estate of City of Boston (Fairview Cemetery), tax for 1923.....	4 94
Clarence W. and Ruth Bigney—About 9,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Neponset avenue, adjoining an estate of Sarah J. Scrivens, being lot 41, Charles Brock and Sons plan, dated October, 1858, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 93, plan Book 3, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40
Anna E. Black—About 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifford street, adjoining an estate of Arthur Isherwood, being lot 228, H. T. Whitman plan, dated January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 816, plan Book 3, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Mary Blancy—About 3,711 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Elene street, making the northerly corner of Wabash street, being lot 4, block I, E. P. Sallow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3767, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Rebecca Blinderman—About 4,494 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hallowell street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Heller, being lot 7, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated July, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3498, page 149, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Stella Boghosian—About 5,834 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, adjoining an estate of Alfred Earle, being lot 13, block J, E. P. Seller plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1404, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
John Boland—About 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Foster street, adjoining an estate of Patrick F. Mulhern, being lot 73, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 86
George A. Bowley—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wood avenue, adjoining an estate of Edson J. Steward, being lots 489 and 490, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Anna C. Bradeen—About 4,037 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hiawatha road, adjoining an estate of Frederick W. Abbott, being lot 75, Granger and Hobart plan, dated October 31, 1871, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1078, page 269, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	11 19
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Tax for 1923.....	12 35
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 79
James Brennan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, adjoining an estate of Mary T. Shea, being lot 124, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 56
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Dennis A. Bresnahan—About 5,936 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Austin street, making the northerly corner of Chestnut street, adjoining an estate of Louis Averbuck, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45
Jennie L. Brown—About 4,196 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of said Brown, being lot 127, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3136, page 433, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96
Also 4,262 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining another estate of said Brown, being lot 128, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96
Also about 5,435 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of said Brown, being lot 129, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 48
Also buildings and about 12,459 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, numbered 41, between an estate of Thomas E. Nolan and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	59 28
Alfred C. and Helena Bryan—About 6,956 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, adjoining another estate of said Bryan and another, being lot 43, F. A. Foster plan, dated September 20, 1887, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 798, page 622, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 6,858 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 6,846 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 6,833 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 46, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 6,821 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 6,809 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,797 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,784 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,772 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,760 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,748 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,736 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Also about 6,724 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Also about 4,878 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,863 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,848 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 69, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Also about 4,832 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 70, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,817 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,802 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Agrippino Buchieri—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Webbset street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 76 and 77, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Robert E. Buffum—About 4,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, being lot 71, E. L. Moulton plan, February 8, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3136, page 433, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 08
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Kate P. Bullard—About 90 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jefferson street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of George A. Kelley and another, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Curtis H. Burt—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street, leading from the northwesterly side of Randolph road, being lot 16, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street, leading from the northwesterly side of Randolph road, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 6,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richmond road, being lots 26 and 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	18 56
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Lawrence Cafarella—Buildings and about 5,609 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fairmount avenue, numbered 166, 168 and 170, making the northerly corner of Beacon street, adjoining an estate of Della E. Higgins, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55
Paid on account.....	25 00
Balance due.....	135 55
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40
Daniel Callahan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harmon street (formerly Roland road), adjoining an estate of Timothy Callahan, being lot 93, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95

Robert S. Clisby—About 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Parker street, being lot 23, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	50	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	16 08	Also about 4,750 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 64, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moith assessment for 1923.....			Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moith assessment for 1923.....	1 00
Agnes L. Coffin—About 2,212 feet of land on the southerly side of Yuill circle, being lot 6, N. J. Holland plan, July 22, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	4 94		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	Amato Domenico—About 2,031 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 134 and 135, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Delia T. Colbert—Buildings and about 22,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brooks street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, June 19, 1883, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2780, tax for 1923.....	22 23	65	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 55	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....			Moith assessment for 1923.....	95	William Donegan—About 6,560 feet of land on the westerly side of Tyler street, making the southwesterly corner of Water street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Kelliher, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Charlotte M. Cole—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 64 and 65, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	4 94		Also about 7,321 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 174, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1869, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Catherine H. Donovan—About 3,943 feet of land on the westerly side of Upton street, being lots 71 and 72, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded Norfolk Deeds, plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 6,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 71, 72 and 73, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		Moith assessment for 1922.....	1 29	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Elaclaire M. Conley—About 2,212 feet of land on the southerly side of Yuill circle, being lot 6, N. J. Holland plan, July 22, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		Tax for 1923.....	9 88	James K. Durning—About 4,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, being lot 55, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Gertrude V. Corby—About 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of George street, being lot 5, unnamed plan, December 6, 1895, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 750, page 304, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 91	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 60
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of George street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Also about 5,030 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 58, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Francis W. Eldridge—About 5,227 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tyler street, being lot 162, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Francis P. Cosgrove—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 2, E. P. Sellaw plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1865, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 5,630 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wood avenue, making the southerly corner of Rutledge road, being lot 59, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moith assessment for 1922.....	1 28
James S. Coveney—About 5,514 feet of land on the northerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 6, G. L. Richardson plan, dated August, 1870, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, at end of Book 402, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41		Lillian Davis—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 19, block R, E. P. Sellaw plan, May 2, 1903, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northerly side of Foster street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 29		Lorenzo DeBenedictis—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 10 and 11, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glenwood avenue, being the southeasterly part of lot 135, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	18 88		William E. L. Dillaway and Michael M. Cuniff—About 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Wolcott road, making the easterly corner of Washington street, being lot 87, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Moith assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Moith assessment for 1922.....	1 28		Moith assessment for 1922.....	50	Mary C. Erickson—About 6,732 feet of land on the westerly side of Newburn street, being lot 202, Whitman and Breck plan, June, 1886, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1736, page 507, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50		Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Wolcott road, being lot 88, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Thomas M. Evans—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Rutledge road, numbered 23, between an estate of Bridget A. Hilton and an estate of Daniel Morgan, tax for 1923.....	44 46
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 29		Moith assessment for 1922.....	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 83
Moith assessment for 1923.....	1 40		Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Thomas Fallon, Trustee—Buildings and about 34,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Coleman street, numbered 9, making the easterly corner of Cleveland street, adjoining an estate of Thomas P. Sweeney, tax for 1922.....	\$91 39
Also about 5,219 feet of land on the northerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Wolcott road, being lot 89, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Paid on account.....	88 92
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		Moith assessment for 1922.....	50	Balance due.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 06		Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moith assessment for 1922.....	85
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 25		Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Wolcott road, being lot 91, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	John Faust—About 10,493 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Canterbury street, being lots 15, 16, 16A, 17 and 18, E. A. W. Ham-matt plan, May 4, 1889, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1873, tax for 1922.....	24 70
Also about 4,705 feet of land on the southerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	24 70
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 75		William E. L. Dillaway—About 200 feet of land on the southeasterly side and at end of Washington street, being a lot shown on G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,202 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tyler street, being lot 166, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	11 30		Also about 2,752 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being the northeasterly part of lot 178, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moith assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 94		Saverio Dinapoli—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Meyer street, numbered 26, between an estate of Jacob Silevsky and an estate of Otino Vitello and another, tax for 1923.....	\$49 40	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	6 00		Paid on account.....	13 66	Also about 8,807 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 88, same plan, tax for 1922.....	17 29
Also about 5,760 feet of land on the southerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		Balance due.....	35 74	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 68
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 07		Nicola F. and Helma D. DiPietro—Buildings and about 57,630 feet of land on the southerly side of River street, numbered 1326 and 1330, making the southwesterly corner of Business street, adjoining an estate of John D. Rooney, trustee, tax for 1923.....	335 92	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 63
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	12 89		Irving P. Dodge—About 6,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Foster street, being lot 105, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moith assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Moith assessment for 1922.....	85				Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 34
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 84				Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 34
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 46				Moith assessment for 1923.....	1 90
Moith assessment for 1923.....	1 00					
Also about 4,445 feet of land on the southerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94					
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 75					

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 97, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	son plan, not dated on file in assessors office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 6,275 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Reservoir street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 06	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Also about 9,389 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Summit street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 162, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 1 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 20
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 86	Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 163, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 95	Also about 9,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Summit street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923....	9 88
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 98, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 164, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 1 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 20
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 06	Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 165, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	7 41 1 50	Also about 10,234 feet of land on the westerly side of Metropolitan avenue, being the easterly part of lot 68, G. L. Richardson plan, dated October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	24 70 1 95
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 16, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1887, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Moth assessment for 1923.....	56 81
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 86	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03	Moth assessment for 1921.....	11 50
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Tax for 1923.....	56 81
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 06	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 73, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94 1 00	Also about 83,510 (assessed as 82,000) feet of land on the northeasterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being the southwesterly part of lots 184, 185, 186 and 187, same plan, tax for 1921.....	81 51 16 50 81 51 2 90
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1921.....	16 50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 86	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 74, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	81 51
Also about 9,463 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eustis terrace, being a lot shown on Frederick P. Hall plan, August, 1909, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also about 9,300 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 75, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41 95	Moth assessment for 1923.....	29 64
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 13	Moth assessment for 1923.....	17 29	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 08
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 10,300 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 87, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 8,175 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 21, G. L. Richardson plan, dated October 1, 1887, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88 1 95
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 18,517 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Eustis terrace, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1922.....	22 23	Also about 10,300 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 88, same plan, tax for 1923....	17 29	Also about 6,465 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 262, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 13	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	Also about 6,358 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 263, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	22 23	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Also about 6,252 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 264, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 85	Also about 6,375 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being the westerly part of lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41 1 50	Also about 6,145 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 265, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
John Ficichy—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Davison street, numbered 77, making the southerly corner of West street, adjoining an estate of Mary Keegan, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80	Moth assessment for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 6,039 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 266, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Paid on account.....	80 00	Also about 8,453 feet of land on the southerly side of Arlington street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35	Also about 5,932 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 267, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Balance due.....	18 80	Also about 5,274 feet of land on the southerly side of Arlington street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923....	14 82 2 53 14 82 1 85	Also about 5,816 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 268, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Also about 12,482 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Central avenue, being the southerly part of lot 64, same plan, tax for 1921.....	17 29	Also about 5,719 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 269, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
James J. Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 2,858 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Nelson street, numbered 5, between an estate of Rita Wheelwright and another estate of said Fitzgerald, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 03	Moth assessment for 1921.....	15 54	Also about 5,613 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 270, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Also buildings and about 5,243 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Nelson street, numbered 7, making the northerly corner of Damrell avenue, adjoining another estate of said Fitzgerald, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 03	Also about 5,950 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Central avenue, being the northwesterly part of lot 66, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 5,506 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 271, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Also buildings and about 5,243 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Nelson street, numbered 7, making the northerly corner of Damrell avenue, adjoining another estate of said Fitzgerald, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 03	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 54	Also about 5,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 272, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
James E. Fitzgibbon—About 3,726 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Richards avenue, between an estate of Alfonso Cairtarse and another (numbered 36) and an estate of Frank Picozzi, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Nott street, between an estate of Ann Smith heirs or devisees (numbered 11) and an estate of John W. Hudson (numbered 15), tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 5,293 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 273, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Amy P. Ford—Buildings and about 8,242 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Warren avenue, numbered 17, between an estate of Edwin Van D. Tirrell and an estate of Anthony P. Hedolin, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11631, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Also about 6,820 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 70, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1887, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35 1 45	Also about 5,187 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 274, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Frances A. Forsyth—Buildings and about 10,175 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 460, between an estate of Robert Brown and an estate of James S. Roberts and another, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,750 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 275, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 35	Also about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the easterly part of lot 153, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50	Also about 7,030 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 14, G. L. Richardson plan, January 29, 1890, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 5054, plan number 2552, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Joseph J. Forsyth—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street, leading from the northeasterly side of Randolph road, being lot 15, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 7,032 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the easterly part of lot 154, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 7,035 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 7,037 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the easterly part of lot 155, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 7,040 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richmond road, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1922....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 7,042 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85	Also about 6,225 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Reservoir street, being lot 28, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January 29, 1890, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 54, plan number 2552, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 7,045 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	70		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95				
Joseph Fortunato—About 8,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 78, 79, 80, 81 and 82, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	22 40				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95				
Alfred Foster—About 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 161, G. L. Richard-					

Also about 7,752 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 19,638 feet of land on the westerly side of Metropolitan avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Jefferson street, adjoining an estate of Thomas F. Callahan (numbered 681 Metropolitan avenue), tax for 1923.	39 52	
Moith assessment for 1923.	1 40	
Also about 13,954 feet of land on the northerly side of Walnut street, between an estate of Harriet P. Goodhue (numbered 87) Maple street and an estate of Sylvester A. Gardella, tax for 1923.	19 76	
Also about 7,730 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Nott street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said Foster; northeasterly by an estate of John W. Hudson; southwesterly by an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; southwesterly by an estate of Margaret E. Ryan, tax for 1923.	54 34	
Alfred Foster (reassessed from Benjamin N. and H. Louise Beck)—About 7,517 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Metropolitan avenue; northwesterly by another estate of said Foster; southwesterly by an estate of Francis E. Grant and southeasterly by an estate of Benjamin N. Beck and another, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Moith assessment for 1923.	65	
Alfred Foster, Heirs or Devises, two thirds; Marion B. Campbell, and Alice B. Hope, one third—About 10,858 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 22, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Also about 18,700 feet of land, on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, making the easterly corner of Washington street, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.	14 82	
Moith assessment for 1923.	65	
Also about 11,895 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 11,887 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 17	
Moith assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 11,882 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 11,880 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moith assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 11,882 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 14,036 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moith assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 483,952 feet of land, being two lots of land, one on the easterly side and one on the westerly side of Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Dedham Parkway); the westerly lot has a frontage of 429 feet on Dedham Parkway, between the Dedham Parkway and an estate of Elizabeth C. Beckmore, heirs or devises; the easterly lot has a frontage of 164 feet on Dedham Parkway, and is between an estate of Marion B. Campbell and another, and an estate of Ida C. Hyde, being two lots shown on John R. Rablin plan, April, 1914, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	29 64	
Moith assessment for 1923.	6 00	
Daniel Foster, President Hyde Park Improvement Association—About 3,067 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Upton street, being lot 8, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 61, plan number 2026, also on file in assessor's office, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 3,038 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Upton street, being lot 9 same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Sarah E. Foster Heirs or Devises—About 10,005 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasant street, making the westerly corner of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 35, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1868, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan Book 5, plan number 166, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	14 82	
Also about 10,990 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35	
Moith assessment for 1923.	1 40	
Also about 10,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35	
Moith assessment for 1923.	1 40	
Also about 9,491 (assessed as 9,581) feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, making the junction of Erie street, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35	
Moith assessment for 1923.	1 40	
Also about 8,474 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	14 82	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 38, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	9 88	
William B. Foster—About 5,376 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 13 and the southwesterly part of lot 12, shown on a plan not named and not dated, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 751, page 600, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Moith assessment for 1923.	95	
Also about 4,850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Moith assessment for 1923.	95	
Also about 4,781 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 4,758 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Moith assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 4,733 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 4,712 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Moith assessment for 1923.	95	
Also about 11,033 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lots 233 and 234, G. L. Richardson plan, February, 1870, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	17 29	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 10	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	5 40	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 10	
Also about 4,186 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 235, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 10	
Also about 4,275 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 236, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 10	
Also about 4,365 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 237, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 10	
Also about 4,454 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 239, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 4,628 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 240, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 4,716 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 241, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 4,805 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 242, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 4,892 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 243, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 4,978 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 244, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 4,454 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 238, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 10	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tyler street, being lot 151, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tyler street, being lot 155, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Moith assessment for 1923.	1 50	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tyler street, being lot 154, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tyler street, being the southeasterly part of lot 153, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Moith assessment for 1923.	1 50	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 133, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 132, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 115, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 11	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	9 30	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 114, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	9 30	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 113, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 11	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	9 30	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Moith assessment for 1923.	1 90	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Moith assessment for 1923.	2 00	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, being lot 79, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	6 16	
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, being lot 77, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	6 16	
Also about 49,730 feet of land on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being a lot shown on Clarence G. Norris plan, July 27, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4309, tax for 1923.	37 05	
Also buildings and about 9,639 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Foster and another estate of said Foster, tax for 1923.	98 80	
Moith assessment for 1923.	1 90	
Alfred Foster—About 4,454 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 238, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.	8 70	
Albert B. Fitch—About 5,870 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Favre street, being lot 119, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922.	4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	3 72	
Tax for 1923.	4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	3 60	
Also about 5,870 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Favre street, being lot 118, same plan, tax for 1922.	4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	3 72	
Tax for 1923.	4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	3 60	
Also about 3,335 feet of land on the southerly side of Oakland street, being the southerly part of lot 28, same plan, tax for 1922.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	10 08	
Moith assessment for 1922.	85	
Tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	9 74	
Moith assessment for 1923.	95	
George H. Fowle and George E. Hesley, Trustees for George W. Fowle—About 300 feet of land on the southerly side of Oakland street, making the southeasterly corner of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Crawford E. Jennings and another, tax for 1921.	2 47	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.	1 44	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	1 39	

Bertha J. Francis—About 2,896 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasantview street, being lots 763 and 764, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Frank J. Frederick—About 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 360, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Clara B. French—About 20,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Vaughan street, between another estate of said French (numbered 15 and 17) and an estate of Mary E. Burke (numbered 23 rear), tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 00		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 65		
Also buildings and about 4,375 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Vaughan street, numbered 15 and 17, between two other estates of said French, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 56		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 65		
Also buildings and about 15,625 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Vaughan street, numbered 13, between an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston and another estate of said French, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 44		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 85		
Max M. Friedman—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 34, block L, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11369, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Julia E. Fuller—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 107, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 108, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 16,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Royal road, being lots 3, 4 and 5, and the southwesterly part of lots 1 and 2, John N. McClintock plan, October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1921.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	8 96		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	8 96		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	8 96		
Tax for 1922.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 68		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 68		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 68		
Tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	25 20		
Also about 10,592 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, being lots 3 and 4, G. L. Richardson plan, July 29, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 822, page 15, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 10		
Wilbur H. Fulton—Buildings and about 9,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Loring street, numbered 65, making the northerly corner of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Fulton, tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 15		
Also buildings and about 9,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Loring street, numbered 61, between an estate of John B. Fasolino and another estate of said Fulton, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 65		
James Galvin—About 4,111 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 1, block N, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 961, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Mina J. Gardner—About 8,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moody street, being lots 592, 593, 594, 595 and 596, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Helen Garrity—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chester street, numbered 71, between an estate of Alexander T. Burgess and an estate of William J. Cleary, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Ellis L. Gates—About 12,350 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 2, S. D. Kelley plan, July, 1871, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 448, page 232, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	22 23		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	13 28		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28		
Tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40		
Frank L. George Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dell avenue, numbered 16, between an estate of Eleanor Dunbar and an estate of Ruth A. Day heirs, tax for 1923.....	96 33		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 65		
Caroline Gerber—About 9,200 feet of land on the easterly side of the Dedham-Hyde Park boundary line, being a lot shown on H. S. Adams plan, July 15, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7990, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Napoleon J. Giroux Heirs—About 4,462 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Manning street, being lots 34 and 35, E. A. W. Hammett plan, May 4, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1873, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Walter H. Gleason and Edwin C. Jenney—About 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Linwood street, making the southerly corner of Child street, adjoining an estate of Sarah Johnson and another (numbered 58 Child street), tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Christina M. Glover—About 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 91, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03		
Also about 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03		
Also about 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03		
Also about 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03		
Gabriel Goldberg—About 8,003 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West street, being lots B and C, J. Lewis Carr plan, August, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4004, page 115, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 10		
Peter Gorgines—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 99 and 100, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 48		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 48		
Alexander Goski—About 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 83, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 84, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Barnet Greenfield, Rachel and Bessie Polonsky, Eva Waxman and Harry Motorin—About 6,150 feet of land on the southerly side of River street, being the location of Adams avenue, shown on a plan dated July 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3969, page 15, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Rachel Greenfield—About 225 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Pierce street, between another estate of said Greenfield (numbered 15) and an estate of Mary A. Farrell, (numbered 19), tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Hannah Greenhoo—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glenwood avenue, numbered 52, between an estate of Frank Schene and another and an estate of Williams Realty Company, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Frank Greenwood Heirs—About 5,696 feet of land on the northerly side of River street, being lot H. G. L. Richardson plan, September 17, 1905, re-			
corded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1013, page 109, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Phoebe Guertin—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vernon street, being lot 67, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book number 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vernon street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Thomas E. Guild—About 1,136 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ralston road, being lot 24, John N. McClintock plan, October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Israel Gurtin—About 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 94, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book number 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Herbert R. Habenicht and Everett F. Annis—Buildings and about 29,435 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fairmount avenue, numbered 247, making the westerly corner of Summit street, adjoining an estate of Robert C. Morse (numbered 113 Summit street), tax for 1923.....	135 85		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 85		
Sarah L. Hall—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruskin road, being lot 147, C. E. Carney plan, not dated on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Angus M. Hamilton Heirs or Devises—About 3,674 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Royal road, being lot 9, John N. McClintock plan, October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1921.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	7 17		
Tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 72		
Eugene B. Hamilton—About 4,493 feet of land on the westerly side of Pleasantview street, being lots 719, 720 and 721, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
H. Christian Hansen—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 157 and 158, F. T. Westcott plan, September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Herman Hansen—About 5,266 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Livermore street, being lots 607 and 608, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Bolette P. Hansen—About 4,208 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hallows street, being lots 352 and 353, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Edgar W. Hardy—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Matapan street, being lot 7, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 310, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Lillian F. Harrington—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Laurel avenue, being lot 134, C. E. Varney plan, December, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Ellen V. Harrington—About 4,946 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Canterbury street, adjoining an estate of Anders P. Lawson (numbered 641 Hyde Park avenue), tax for 1923.....	12 35		
John A. Hasselbrook—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Rosewood street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Rosewood street, northeasterly by an estate of John Knutson, southeasterly by an estate of Anna L. Lundberg and another, southwesterly by an estate of Mary A. Offen, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 61		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		

Ada T. Hayden—About 21,656 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakland street, being the southwestly parts of lots 55, 56, 57 and 58 and all of a triangular lot which adjoins, C. E. C. Breck plan, April, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2060, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	22 32	of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 17	Moth assessment for 1923.	50
C. O. Haynes Heirs or Devises—About 8,736 feet of land on the southeastly side of St. Charles street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by an estate of Henry N. Bates and others, trustees; northwestly by the southeastly line of St. Charles street, southwestly by an estate of Ellen Jordan and southeastly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.	7 41	Also about 4,286 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 9, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 17, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.	1 50	Also about 4,264 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 13, block S, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 19, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
William F. and Margaret M. Healy—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prescott street, numbered 14 and 16, between an estate of James J. Powers, and an estate of Olive L. G. La Croix, tax for 1923.	98 80	Moth assessment for 1923.	50	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 20, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Ella C. Hill, Clara E. Webster, Frances E. Eldridge and Alba W. Dwight—About 26,608 feet of land on the southeastly side of Water street, making the easterly corner of Garfield avenue, adjoining an estate of Margaret Rogers (numbered 92 and 94 Water street), tax for 1923.	17 29	Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 21, block S, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 6,138 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 25, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.	65	Moth assessment for 1923.	50	Also about 4,558 feet of land on the northly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 27, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Also about 11,487 feet of land on the northeastly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 3, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors office, tax for 1923.	7 41	Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 8, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 17	Also about 5,407 feet of land on the northly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 1, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Also about 11,562 feet of land on the northeastly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 9, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeastly side of Alabama street, being lot 11, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.	1 50	Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 10, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 4,199 feet of land on the southeastly side of Alabama street, being lot 5, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Also about 11,637 feet of land on the northeastly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88	Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 12, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeastly side of Alabama street, being lot 6, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeastly side of Foster street, being lot 65, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94	Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 13, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeastly side of Alabama street, being lot 7, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwestly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 130, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94	Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 16, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8317, tax for 1923.	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.	50
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwestly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 131, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94	Also about 4,998 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 17, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeastly side of Alabama street, being lot 8, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Also about 19,900 feet of land on the northeastly side of Tyler street, being lot 145, Clarence G. Norris plan, April 24, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 2848, Book number 59, tax for 1923.	19 76	Also about 4,208 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 18, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeastly side of Alabama street, being lot 9, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.	2 10	Also about 5,057 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 19, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.	50
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 12,406 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwestly side of Mt. Hope street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon (numbered 103), tax for 1923.	19 76	Also about 4,018 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 4, block N, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeastly side of Alabama street, being lot 14, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southwestly side of Mt. Hope street, numbered 103, between an estate of Michael J. Driscoll and another and another estate of said Hodsdon, tax for 1923.	24 70	Also about 3,628 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 5, block N, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 2,405 feet of land on the southeastly side of Alabama street, being lot 17, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47
Also buildings and about 5,605 feet of land on the northeastly side of New Bedford street, numbered 26, between another estate of said Hodsdon and an estate of Mabel L. Leonard, tax for 1923.	83 98	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeastly side of Alabama street, being lot 2, block N, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 6,600 feet of land on the southeastly side of Alabama street, being lot 18, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	12 35
Moth assessment for 1923.	2 40	Moth assessment for 1923.	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 25
Also about 5,578 feet of land on the northeastly side of New Bedford street, being lot 49, shown on a plan, not named and not dated, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 751, page 600, also on file in assessors office, tax for 1923.	7 41	Also about 5,762 feet of land on the southwestly side of Currier street, being lot 18, block K, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 3,498 feet of land on the westerly side of Almont street, being lot 20, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94
John Hogan—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeastly side of Rockingham road, being lot 105, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.	7 41	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwestly side of Colorado street, being lot 15, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	6 60
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	10 88	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwestly side of Colorado street, being lot 16, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 4,840 feet of land on the westerly side of Almont street, being lot 21, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	9 88
Tax for 1923.	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	6 60
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	10 56	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwestly side of Colorado street, being lot 16, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47	Also about 3,918 feet of land on the northwestly side of Colorado street, being lot 31, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94
Wellington, John B. and Grace Holbrook, Trustees—About 5,595 feet of land on the southeastly side of Colorado street, being lot 7, block Q, E. P. Sellev plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.	95	Moth assessment for 1923.	95

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 31, block H, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Elene street, being lot 2, block I, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 3,928 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Elene street, being lot 1, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 5,624 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Prairie street, being lot 5, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 5,360 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 9, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 5,317 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 8, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also about 5,319 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 7, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 5,434 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 6, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also about 5,302 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 5, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 5,510 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 4, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also about 4,296 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Currier street, being lot 1, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orlando street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by Almont street; northwesterly by Orlando street; and southerly by Monterey avenue, being a lot shown on same plan, being all of assessors' block 171 C10, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	6 60		
Also about 3,901 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Almont street, being lot 10, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	6 62		
Moth assessment for 1923.	95		
Also about 3,288 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dyer avenue, being lot 7, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also about 4,240 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 1, block E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.	95		
Also about 3,921 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 2, block E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 3,293 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 15, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also about 4,022 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 14, block D, same plan,			
registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 4,211 feet of land on the easterly side of Almont street, being lot 2, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	7 43		
Also about 5,468 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot A, block D, Henry C. Mildram plan, December 20, 1913, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	7 32		
Also about 5,413 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot B, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	7 32		
Also about 5,369 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot C, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	7 32		
Also about 5,306 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot D, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	7 32		
Also about 5,251 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot E, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	7 32		
Charles S. Holcomb—Buildings and about 4,007 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Messinger street, making the easterly corner of Colorado street, adjoining an estate of Thomas L. Hayes, tax for 1923.	7 41		
William P. Holcomb—About 5,175 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the southeasterly part of lot 12, T. B. Moses plan, December 15, 1870, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1655, page 314, tax for 1922.	17 29		
Tax for 1923.	17 29		
Agnes E. Holleman—About 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Radcliffe road, being lot 407, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.	95		
Robert J. Hook—About 8,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, F. T. Westcott plan, September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.	4 94		
Tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 29 and 30, same plan, tax for 1922.	2 47		
Tax for 1923.	2 47		
Thomas E. Horsefield—Buildings and about 5,250 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1823 and 1825, between an estate of Christian Miller and another and an estate of James A. Shaffer and another, tax for 1923.	138 32		
Annie C. Hubbard—About 3,215 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 2, Whitman and Howard plan, July 25, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2917, page 387, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 3,263 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 8,184 feet of land on the southerly side of Curley street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 4,398 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 5,083 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 4,232 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 4,704 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 4,213 feet of land on the			
westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 4,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 3,532 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 6,533 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 5,088 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 4,274 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Also about 1,437 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 5,122 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 5,122 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 5,288 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 6,318 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Mary W. Hudson—About 20,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Neponset avenue, between an estate of Mary E. McKinnon (numbered 96) and an estate of Helen A. Scaife, tax for 1922.	34 58		
Moth assessment for 1922.	85		
Tax for 1923.	31 58		
Albert A. Hurst—About 1,700 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Catherine J. Callahan; southerly by an estate of David Callahan and another; easterly by an estate of Catherine J. Callahan and westerly by the easterly line of Hyde Park avenue, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Stillman B. Hyde—About 128,502 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southerly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Katie P. Bullard and an estate of Elizabeth C. Bickmore, heirs or devisees; easterly by Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Dedham Parkway); southerly by an estate of Alvah Whiting, heirs or devisees, and an estate of Samuel Myers and others and westerly by an estate of Katie P. Bullard, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.	1 50		
Angelina Ialante—Buildings and about 5,350 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, numbered 807, between an estate of James Hedtler and another and an estate of Eli B. Tasker and another, tax for 1923.	64 22		
Sebastiano Imprescia—About 2,620 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, making the southerly corner of Currier street, being lots 136 and 137, F. J. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.	2 47		
David H. Irving—About 3,927 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Almont street, being lot 3, block D, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1802, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	7 43		
Paul and Albina Jaianetti—Buildings and about 21,419 feet of land on the northerly side of River street, numbered 1825 and 1827, between an estate of Osia F. Bond and an estate of Antonio Guardabascio and another, tax for 1923.	\$74 10		
Paid on account.	20 00		
Balance due.	54 10		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	17 25		
Moth assessment for 1923.	1 40		
Edwin C. Jenney, Trustee Five Associates—About 4,390 feet of land on the southerly side of Stoughton avenue, being lot 69, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in the assessors' office, tax for 1922.	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.	50		
Tax for 1923.	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.	1 50		

Boleslaw Jeroma—Buildings and about 3,240 feet of land on the northerly side of Easton avenue numbered 13, between an estate of James Duggan and another and an estate of Adolph Radulski, tax for 1921.....	44 46		
Alvinas Jipner—About 3,092 feet of land on the easterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 1, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,160 feet of land on the easterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 2, same plan, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Mary Johnson—About 3,051 feet of land on the westerly side of Pleasant-view street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 757 and 758, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Peter Johnson—About 1,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, being lot 164, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Fritz Johnson, Gunner Swanson and Andrew G. Johnson, Trustees of Argus Real Estate Association—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattapan street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Johnson and others, trustees, and an estate of Louis S. White, tax for 1923.....	192 66		
James B. Jordan—About 5,128 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Church street, making the easterly corner of Hillside street, adjoining an estate of Harold V. Jordan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60		
Arthur Katsines—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, adjoining an estate of John Katsines, being lots 28 and 29, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
John Katsines—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 26 and 27, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Charles J. Kelley—About 196,020 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly end of Baker street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Benjamin Goldsmith; easterly by an estate of Kate G. Bullard and an estate of Alfred Foster and another, trustees; southerly by another estate of said Charles J. Kelley and westerly by the dividing line between West Roxbury and Hyde Park, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 196,020 feet of land lying in the rear, from the northeasterly side of Baker street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Annie M. Kelley; westerly by the dividing line between Boston and Dedham, easterly by an estate of John D. Bullard and southerly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,785 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, making the northerly corner of Randolph road, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Ryan, being lot 117, I. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	12 90		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Also about 4,787 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, adjoining an estate of Alfred C. Bryan and another, being lot 73, F. A. Foster plan, dated September 20, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 798, page 622, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Annie M. Kelley—About 5,785 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, making the northerly corner of Randolph road, being lot 117, J. H. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 48		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 16,389 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Adams avenue, adjoining an estate of Joseph Szlekis and another, being lot D. S. L. Moulton plan, dated July 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3969, page 15, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, adjoining an estate of Julia E. Russell, being lots 191 and 192, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 130,680 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Baker street, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard; easterly by an estate of John P. Bullard; westerly by the dividing line of Boston and Dedham; southerly by sundry estates of Samuel Myers <i>et al.</i> , heirs of Elizabeth Krug, Robert Krug and John Bell, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Burmah street, adjoining an estate of Martha A. E. Pierce, being lot 67, Charles E. C. Breck plan, dated January, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2336, page 511, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 72		
Also about 8,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holmfield avenue, being lot 58, Charles C. Richardson plan, dated May, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 35,818 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Haven avenue, between an estate of Samuel Veal and an estate of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45		
Also about 3,295 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakland street, adjoining an estate of Michael Connolly, being lot 174, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 01		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 67		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, between another estate of said Kelley and an estate of Eugene N. Foss, being lot 50, G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	5 00		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 83		
Also (supposed present owner Charles J. Kelley) about 196,020 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Baker street, between an estate of Kate P. Bullard and another estate of said Annie M. Kelley, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Annie M. Kelley; westerly by the dividing line between Boston and Dedham; easterly by an estate of John P. Bullard and southerly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 83 and 84, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 96		
Also about 93,378 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Randolph road, being a lot shown on G. L. Richardson plan, dated April 28, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2608, page 611, tax for 1922.....	41 99		
Tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also about 5,662 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Randolph road, between an estate of Edwin B. Barnes and the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 56		
Tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Also about 16,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington Street place, between an estate of Mary E. Moran and another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 51		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 90		
Tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	15 01		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Canaan street, being lots 237 and 238, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Samuel D. Kelley—About 9,200 feet of land on the westerly side of George street, being lot 9, S. D. Kelley plan, dated July, 1871, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 448, page 232, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 8,978 feet of land on the westerly side of George street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 8,755 feet of land on the westerly side of George street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 9,089 feet of land on the easterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 40		
Jacob Kellscoff—About 43,560 feet of land on the easterly side of the Dedham line, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; easterly by an estate of Emma F. Goldsmith; westerly by the dividing line of Boston and Dedham; southerly by an estate of Caroline Gerber, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
John F. Kelly—About 11,310 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bismarck street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 142, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 8,792 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Messing street, making the easterly corner of Bismarck street, adjoining an estate of John Kiewicz, being lot 143, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Martha E. Kendall—About 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chester street, adjoining an estate of John McDonough, being lot 312, H. T. Whitman plan, dated January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 816, Plan Book number 3, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chester street, adjoining an estate of John McDonough, being lot 343, H. T. Whitman plan, dated June 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 816, Plan Book 3, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Alice M. Kilduff—About 4,091 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richwood road, adjoining an estate of Mary M. Gallant, being lot 50, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 60		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
John J. Killilea—About 6,302 feet of land on the southeasterly side of River street, being lot C. William A. Johnson plan, May 18, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4225, page 621, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	\$1 28		
Paid on account.....	85		
Balance due.....	43		
Sarah E. King—About 3,658 feet of land on the easterly side of Savannah avenue, being lots 19 and 20, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lots 358 and 359, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
B. B. and R. Knight, Inc.—Buildings and about 13,130 feet of land on the westerly side of Knight street, numbered 8, making the northwesterly corner of Readville street, adjoining an estate of William J. Brady and another, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	6 50		
Also buildings and about 254,240 feet of land on the southerly side of River street, numbered 1568, 1574, 1576, 1576½ and 1580, making the southeasterly corner of Knight street, adjoining an estate of Fred H. Plouff, tax for 1923.....	2,470 00		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	10 40		

Also about 408,730 feet of flooded land on the easterly side of River street, making the northeasterly corner of Readville street, extending to and making the southeasterly corner of Knight street, adjoining an estate of William J. Brady and another, tax for 1923	49 40	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Registry, District of Land Court, certificate number 15650, tax for 1923	4 94
Also about 301,685 feet of flooded land on the westerly side of River street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by River street; northerly by an estate of City of Boston and sundry estates fronting on Fairview avenue; westerly by Dedham boundary line; southerly by an estate of E. C. Jenney and others and sundry estates fronting on River street, tax for 1923	37 05	Benjamin Lancy—About 2,270 feet of land on the easterly side of Canterbury street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the location of a branch of Stony brook; easterly by an estate of John Gately; westerly by the line of Canterbury street; southerly by an estate of Stella Meno and another, tax for 1922	4 94 4 94	James A. McDevitt—About 2,818 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Randolph road, making the easterly corner of Richmond road, being lot 42, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922	7 41
Also buildings and about 60,660 feet of land on the westerly side of Readville street, numbered 49 to 59, inclusive adjoining another estate of said Knight, moth assessment for 1922	2 13	Agnes N. Lane—About 4,860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orlando street, being lots 317 and 318, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922	7 80
Also buildings and about 106,225 feet of land on the southerly side of Readville street, numbered 7 to 47, inclusive adjoining another estate of said Knight, moth assessment for 1922	4 26	Hermenegie Laracha—About 3,205 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, adjoining another estate of said Laracha, being lot 81, E. W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 61, plan number 2926, tax for 1923	2 47	Margaret McDonald—About 3,949 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakland street, being lots 409 and 410, F. T. Wescott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923	9 88
Also about 13,790 feet of land on the westerly side of Knight street, being lot 27, Lewis A. Chase plan, not dated recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4391, page 601, tax for 1923	22 23	Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, adjoining another estate of said Laracha, being lot 82, E. W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 61, plan number 2926, tax for 1923	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	9 28
Karen A. Knudson—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 13 and 14, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3571, tax for 1923	2 47	Jessie M. Leavitt—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, adjoining an estate of Florence L. G. Davis, being lots 259 and 260, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923	1 45
Metro Kostecki—About 4,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Moody street, being lots 542, 543, and 544, F. T. Wescott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923	4 94	Ann A. Lever—About 4,122 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Mt. Hope street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Ellen F. Berran and an estate of Matthew F. McGarry and another, tax for 1922	9 88 9 88	Nathan F. and Catherine E. McGarry—Buildings and about 5,632 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Hope street, numbered 19, adjoining an estate of Annie M. Chase, tax for 1923	29 64
Gertrude L. Kotzen—About 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being lot 1, W. A. Mason and son plan, dated June, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3965, page 295, tax for 1923	14 82	Charles A. Logue—Buildings and about 7,337 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, numbered 60, between two estates of John W. McAfee, tax for 1923	64 22	Mary P. McKenna—About 5,979 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifford street, making the southeasterly corner of Stanley street, being lot 231, H. T. Whitman plan, January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan numbered 816, Plan Book numbered 3, tax for 1923	12 35
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923	14 82	Bridie Lonergan—About 3,650 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, making the westerly corner of Wood avenue, being lots 466 and 465, F. T. Wescott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923	9 88 50	Maria McLaren—About 5864 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orland street, being lot 21, block V, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1554, tax for 1923	4 94
Also about 8,188 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wyvern street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88	Joseph LoRusso—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 20 and 21, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922	2 47	John D. McLaughlin, Josephine Cuniff and John Cuniff, Executors and Trustees under will of Michael M. Cuniff—About 5,368 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 2, G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, in file in assessors' office, tax for 1921	4 94
Also about 5,023 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wyvern street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923	4 94	William J. and Mary Loughan—Buildings and about 9,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Paine street, numbered 55, between an estate of John Norton heirs and an estate of John J. Wittekind and another, tax for 1923	24 70 50	Also about 4,498 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1921	4 94
Also about 4,041 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wyvern street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923	50	Also about 6,202 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1921	4 94
Also about 4,929 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Florence street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923	7 41	Joseph LoRusso—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 20 and 21, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922	2 47	Moth assessment for 1921	51
Moth assessment for 1923	50	William J. and Mary Loughan—Buildings and about 9,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Paine street, numbered 55, between an estate of John Norton heirs and an estate of John J. Wittekind and another, tax for 1923	24 70 50	Also about 4,631 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1921	4 94
Catena L. Lanaro—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, making the northerly corner of Canaan street, adjoining an estate of Lizzie N. West, being lots 33 and 34, F. T. Wescott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923	50	Also about 6,056 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1921	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923	50	Lavenia F. Lyman—About 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chester street, being lot 314, W. F. Whitman plan, dated August, 1910, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, at end of Book 1152, tax for 1923	9 88	Moth assessment for 1921	51
Peter F. Lamont—About 4,562 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, being lot 56, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923	9 88	John Lynch—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 397, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922	2 47 50	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1921	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	9 28	Moth assessment for 1922	50	Moth assessment for 1921	50
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richmond road, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923	7 41	Mary E. Lynch—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 500 and 501, John M. McClintock plan dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923	4 94	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1921	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	9 28	Agnes B. Madden—Buildings and about 2,560 feet of land on the easterly side of Whitney park, numbered 17, between an estate of Peter H. Babbitt and an estate of Margaret M. Waker, tax for 1923	148 20	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1921	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923	95	Mary A. Manning—About 7,491 feet of land on the southerly side of Canterbury street, being lot A, Charles H. W. Wood plan, September 21, 1897, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2470, tax for 1923	9 88	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1921	2 47
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richmond road, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923	7 41	Thomas McCormack—About 3,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattapan street, being lot 8, Block A. E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1893, registered in the Suffolk		Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1921	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	9 28			Moth assessment for 1921	50
Moth assessment for 1923	95			Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1921	2 47
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47			Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1921	2 47
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47			Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1921	2 47
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47			Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1921	2 47

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 97, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Moth assessment for 1921.....
Also about 4,546 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Moth assessment for 1921.....
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 98, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 100, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 101, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 137, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 138, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Moth assessment for 1921.....
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 139, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 140, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 141, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Moth assessment for 1921.....
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 143, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 144, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Moth assessment for 1921.....
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 153, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 154, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 155, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 156, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Moth assessment for 1921.....
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 157, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 158, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 159, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Moth assessment for 1921.....
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 160, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 5,477 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 195, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 5,475 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 196, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 5,472 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 197, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 5,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 198, same plan, tax for 1921.....

the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 198, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 5,468 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 199, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 5,466 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 200, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 5,463 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 201, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 5,461 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 202, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1921.....

Moth assessment for 1921.....
Frank P. Merrill—About 1,967 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Canterbury street, being lot 29, E. A. W. Hammatt plan, May 4, 1889, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1873, tax for 1922.....

Tax for 1923.....
Maud M. Miner (supposed present owner Max Greenberg)—About 7,475 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Collins street, being lot 183, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922.....

Michael F. Moran—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orlando street, being lot 34, block U, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 493, tax for 1922.....

Tax for 1923.....
Mabel E. Morrill—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Pleasant street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Mt. Pleasant street; northwesterly by an estate of Edward H. Cunningham; southwesterly by an estate of Charles Felch; southeasterly by an estate of James E. Savage, tax for 1923.....

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....
Moth assessment for 1923.....

Ellen C. Morton—About 6,121 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 2, Henry A. Sherman plan, May 6, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4382, page 4, tax for 1923.....

Also about 5,255 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....

Also about 5,132 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....

Also about 5,375 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....

Michael J. Moynihan—Buildings and about 6,090 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm street, (numbered 9), between an estate of Albert Wetherill and another and an estate of George J. Cayer and another, tax for 1923.....

Bothilda N. Moysse—About 7,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rutledge road, being lots 78 and 79, C. E. Varney plan (not dated), on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....
Moth assessment for 1923.....

Wincentry Mrowicki—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, making the northerly corner of Messenger street, being lots 364, 365 and 366, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....

Tax for 1923.....
Charles W. and Mary F. Muldoon—Buildings and about 7,871 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1575 and 1577, between an estate of Bernard Jenney, and another, trustees, and another estate of said Muldoon and another, tax for 1923.....

Moth assessment for 1923.....
Also buildings and about 9,256 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1581, between another estate of said Muldoon and another and an estate of Herbert E. Blaisdell, tax for 1923.....

Moth assessment for 1923.....
John B. Mulvey (supposed present owner Max Bronstein)—Buildings and about 3,544 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattapan street, numbered 47 and 49, between an estate of Annie L. Johnson and an estate of James F. Flaherty and another, tax for 1923, 148 20

John B. Mulvey, Junior—Buildings and about 2,942 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walk Hill street, numbered 641, making the westerly corner of Mulvey street, adjoining an estate of Irene P. Mulvey, tax for 1923..... 123 50

Ellen S. Murphy—About 7,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Meyer street, adjoining an estate of E. M. Dartwell, being lot 48, John H. Masehold plan, dated December 6, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1813, page 595, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Josephine Myer—About 3,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Ruskin road, adjoining an estate of Frederick A. Taylor, being lot 131, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50
Tax for 1923..... 2 47
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Ruskin road, adjoining another estate of said Myers, being lot 135, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 10 08

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Irad W. Myers—Buildings and about 5,306 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollowell street, numbered 52, between an estate of Anthony Ashmansky and an estate of Eva Freedman, tax for 1923, \$51 87

Paid on account..... 15 00

Balance due..... 36 87

James J. Naughton—About 3,605 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, adjoining an estate of Michael F. Clarke, being lot 14, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

John H. Neas—Buildings and about 14,560 feet of land on the easterly side of Lakeside avenue (numbered 16), between an estate of Sarah M. Caldwell and an estate of Albert Davenport, tax for 1923..... \$39 52

Paid on account..... 19 35

Balance due..... 20 27

John Nestorak—About 3,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Messinger street, being lots 87 and 88, F. T. Westcott plan, September, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Alfred W. and Bertha L. Newell—Buildings and about 8,987 feet of land on the easterly side of Arlington street, numbered 61, between an estate of Mary Etta Aronson and an estate of Nellie F. Sanborn, tax for 1923..... 88 92

New England Newspaper Publishing Company—About 5,257 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prairie street, adjoining an estate of Thomas J. Stevenson, being the southerly part of lot 18, block G, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1830, tax for 1923..... 7 41

William Norton—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, being lots 132 and 133, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 70
Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Francis W. Noyes—About 7,457 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, making the southerly corner of Chase street, being lots 43 and 44, G. L. Richardson plan, May 1, 1893, recorded Norfolk Deeds, Book 706, page 572, tax for 1922..... 9 88

Moth assessment for 1922..... 85
Tax for 1923..... 9 88

Moth assessment for 1923..... 2 00

Francis W. and Edith H. O'Brien—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, adjoining an estate of George P. Connor, being lot 22, Block M, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14385, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Edith S. Olson—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wood avenue, being lots 504, 505 and 506, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3610, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1922..... 85
Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Owner or Owners Unknown—About 3,000 feet of land on the north-easterly and southwesterly side, and at end of Oak place, adjoining an estate of Maria Rausa, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stanley street, making the easterly corner of Chester street, adjoining an estate of Mary C. Bowen, being lot 308, H. T. Whitman plan, January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 816, plan book 3, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 2,510 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining an estate of William A. Matthews, being a lot shown on N. J. Holland plan, dated July, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
William H. Parsons, Surviving Trustee of Estate of Susan Gliddin—About 4,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Roseberry road, being lot 394, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Florence M. Pasternak—Buildings and about 23,763 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1612 and 1614, between an estate of Hartman Brothers, Inc., and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.....	106 21		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 75		
William P. and Judith Pearson—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1474 and 1476, between an estate of Emilio Arnautucci and an estate of Patsev Moschello and another, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 40		
F. R. Pendleton—About 50,940 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tileston street, making the southerly corner of Locust street, adjoining an estate of Philip P. Coveney, trustee, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 60		
Dennis J. Pettepit—About 3,572 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakland street, making the westerly corner of Hebron street, being lots 152 and 153, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 20		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 86		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Gennaro Piculo—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 61 and 62, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Theodore Pierni—About 2,981 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasantview street, being lots 710 and 711, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Tony Piscollo—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscollo, being lot 72, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscollo, being lot 73, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscollo, being lot 74, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscollo, being lot 76, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Robert Pittorino—About 5,680 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wyvern street, being lot 18, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated June, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3965, page 295, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 36		
Polish American Institute—About 6,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, being lots 156, 157, 158 and 159, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Henry W. Prescott Heirs or Devises—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Radcliffe road, being lot 426, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
George W. Proal—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Estelle M. Kent, being lot 66, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Mary H. Burgess, trustee, being lot 67, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96		
Stanislaw Rakowsky—Buildings and about 34,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Coleman street, numbered 9, making the easterly corner of Cleveland street, adjoining an estate of John L. Sweeney, tax for 1923.....	91 39		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	5 30		
Also about 19,480 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Coleman street, making the northerly corner of Cleveland street, adjoining Stony brook reservation, being the whole of assessors' block 480, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Mayer Ratner—Buildings and about 10,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Metropolitan avenue numbered 597, between an estate of Louis J. Kibler and an estate of Charles G. Hersey and another, tax for 1923.....	121 03		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 10		
Margaret G. Reynolds—About 10,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being a lot shown on G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Ella F. W. Ricker—Buildings and about 5,325 feet of land on the northerly side of Damrell avenue, numbered 53, between an estate of Edwin C. Jenney, trustee, and an estate of Sarah M. McInnes, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 95		
Arthur B. Rigney—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a 40-foot street leading from the north-easterly side of Gordon avenue, being lot 90, C. H. W. Wood plan, September 20, 1870, recorded Norfolk Deeds, Book 397, page 320, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 45		
Joseph J. Riley—About 3,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattapan street, being lot 10, block A, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry, District of Land Court, certificate number 878, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Thomas F. Riley—About 3,064 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dyer avenue, being lot 6, block F, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry, District of Land Court, certificate number 9734, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Frank P. Rogers Heirs or Devises—About 4,995 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining an estate of John P. Naughman, being a lot shown on N. J. Holland plan, dated July, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50		
George E. Rogers—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stark avenue, numbered 12, between an estate of James N. Spencer and an estate of Daniel F. Wallace and another, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 76		
Joe Rose—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, being lots 130 and 131, F. T. Westcott plan, date June, 1912, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
James A. Ross—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutledge road, numbered 40, between an estate of James A. Ross and another and an estate of Seth M. Handy, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 83		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
James A. and Virginia A. Ross—About 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutledge road, being lot 111, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 83		
Anna V. Ross—About 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutledge road, being lot 114, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 10		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 83		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Walter B. F. Rowe—About 5,975 feet of land on the northerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the southerly part of lot 16, T. B. Moses plan, December 15, 1870, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1655, page 314, tax for 1921.....	22 23		
William F. Rowe—About 10,350 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ashland street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Ashland street; northwesterly by New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, northeasterly by an estate of John Sheehan heirs, and southeasterly by an estate of Albert F. Frey, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Julia E. Russell—About 4,713 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, being lots 189 and 190, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Samuel and Bernard Samuels and Joseph Sonnabend—About 171,025 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakland street, extending through to the location of Corydon street, between an estate of John C. Urbanick and another and an estate of William J. Hagerty, tax for 1923.....	83 98		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	118 02		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95		
Also about 3,828 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollowell street, being lot 11, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated July, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3498, page 149, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,626 feet of land on the northerly side of Oakland street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 62		
Also about 4,440 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollowell street, making the easterly corner of Oakland street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 17		
Also about 4,179 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollowell street, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,195 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollowell street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Roger F. Scannell—About 184,041 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Randolph road, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, southwesterly and northwesterly by an estate of Annie M. Kelley, northeasterly by an estate of Thomas L. Hayes, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 30,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Royal road, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; southwesterly by an estate of Ellen A. Hamblin, northwesterly by an estate of Thomas E. Guild and sundry estate on Royal road and northeasterly by the Old Boston Line, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 60		
Elizabeth Sharp—About 87,120 feet of land on the easterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Edward W. Grew and another, trustees; easterly by an estate of Walter D. Brooks; southerly by an estate of Sadie M. Lorrie and another and westerly by Stony Brook Reservation (Commonwealth of Massachusetts) tax for 1923.....	17 29		

James C. Sharp Heirs or devisees—About 65,340 feet of land on the easterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Walter D. Brooks; southerly by an estate of Edward W. Grew and another, trustees; westerly by Stony Brook Reservation (Commonwealth of Massachusetts) and northerly by an estate of Marion B. Campbell and another, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Charles H. Spencer—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stark avenue, numbered 8, between an estate of James N. Spencer and an estate of Agostino Qualtieri and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22	E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12609, tax for 1923.....	4 94
William G. Shaw—About 5,625 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thompson street, being lot 43, T. B. Moses plan, January 9, 1869, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 381, page 125, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Frederick J. Stark, Trustee for Sixteenth Ward Land Company—About 6,789 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bismarck street, being lot 153, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	Louis and Mary J. Thorpe—Buildings and about 5,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Grover avenue, numbered 18, making the westerly corner of Grover street, adjoining an estate of William J. A. Fubel, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 56
Also about 5,625 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thompson street, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Charles H. Stebbins—Buildings and about 8,999 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Business street, numbered 115, making the northerly corner of West Glenwood avenue, adjoining an estate of Katie Kundy (numbered 105, 107 and 109 Business street), tax for 1923.....	98 80	Francesca A. Torchetta—Buildings and about 7,446 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beaver street, numbered 150, adjoining an estate of Bridget Jenkins, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10493, tax for 1923.....	\$51 87
Annie Shea—Buildings and about 15,623 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Maple street, numbered 52, between an estate of Anna S. Chapman and an estate of Mary E. Healy, tax for 1923.....	125 97	Flora B. Stewart—About 6,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Radcliffe road, making the northwesterly corner of Locust street, being lots 108 and 109, C. E. Varney plan, dated December, 1890, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Paid on account.....	25 70
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 00	Balance due.....	26 17
Mary T. Shea—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, being lot 123, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Salome A. Stubbs—About 2,969 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ralston road, making the northerly corner of Ruskin road, being lot 354, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Mary B. Townsend—Buildings and about 7,860 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 37, between an estate of Robert Miller and another and an estate of Dick Pagington, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 56	*Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Jennie L. Troop—About 7,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Thacher street, being the southeasterly part of lot 67, shown on a compiled plan by G. R. Richardson, on file in street commissioner's office, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 65
Agnes E. Sherman—Buildings and about 11,962 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Arlington street, numbered 77, between an estate of Edwin J. Tuckerman and an estate of Dasy M. Chittick, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Joseph and Annie Suchecki—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moody street, being lots 606 and 607, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Jens and Julia Usarwicz—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Tina avenue, numbered 16, between an estate of Samuel C. Silver and an estate of Seth N. Handy, tax for 1923.....	66 69
Domenico Siculo—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 140 and 141, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Timothy J. Sullivan—About 3,456 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Livermore street, being lots 581 and 582, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Giovanni and Louisa Valli—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, numbered 87, between an estate of Charles R. Gallagher and an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, tax for 1922.....	49 40
Frank M. Silva—About 4,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Roscherry road, being lot 396, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Rollin J. Van Houten—About 4,705 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakland street, being lot 131, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60	Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	12 40
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Carl Otto Sundel—About 2,553 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Acton street, being lot 112, E. W. Branch plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Axel Sjoquist—Buildings and about 3,854 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Randolph road, numbered 70, making the westerly corner of Royal road, adjoining an estate of Clara L. Burke, tax for 1922.....	111 15	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	11 41	Also about 2,553 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Acton street, being lot 111, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 98
Nicholas Skwarek—About 6,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, making the northerly corner of Messinger street, being lots 181, 182, 183 and 184, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Albert C. Smith—About 5,870 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bismarck street, being lot 124, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Also about 2,553 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Acton street, being lot 113, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Frank X. Vincent—About 4,516 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lots 23 and 24, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 2,469 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, being lot 62, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	4 94	James Sweeney—About 5,717 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Randolph road, making the easterly corner of Harmon street, being lot 81, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	13 68	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85	Christopher Tangeon—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 31, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Lyman T. Vose—About 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rexford street, being lot 30, C. E. C. Breck plan, dated April, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2528, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 10
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,088 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Hannah Wallace—About 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Prescott street, adjoining an estate of Samuel J. Dunn and another, being lot 23, H. T. Whitman plan, January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan numbered 816, Plan Book 3, tax for 1923.....	12 35
George H. and Carrie J. Smith—About 3,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orlando street, being lot 19, block V, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3963, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,263 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	John H. Walsh—About 2,668 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, adjoining an estate of James H. Molineaux, being lot 3, block K, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1902, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Celia Smith—Buildings and about 4,062 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wyvern street, numbered 16, between two estates of Gertrude L. Kotzen, tax for 1923.....	167 96	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 24	Frank A. Thain—About 4,508 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasantview street, being lots 726, 727, 728, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Mary Waznia—Buildings and about 7,366 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Lynch, being a lot shown on N. J. Holland plan, July 16, 1921, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15027, tax for 1923.....	88 92
Leta G. Smith—Buildings and about 3,590 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodland park, numbered 55, adjoining another estate of said Smith, being lot 25, C. E. Varney plan, dated December 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29	George E. and Blanche Thiessen—Buildings and about 4,214 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walk Hill street, numbered 629, between an estate of Dinah S. DeNat, and an estate of Clara B. French, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Moth assessment for 1923.....	85
Also about 3,878 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodland park, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Michael J. Thornton—About 4,058 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, being lot 16, block O,		Patrick Welch—About 10,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Riverside square, at angle, adjoining an estate of Alvin C. White and another, being a lot shown on assessors' plan 4, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	19 76
				Flora E. Welch—About 4,201 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Randolph road, adjoining an estate of Julia M. Daley, being lot 424, J. H. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41
				Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 84
				Moth assessment for 1923.....	95

Laura M. Westall—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lot 401, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922..... 2 47
 Moth assessment for 1922..... 50
 Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Anna M. Whelan—Buildings and about 3,225 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mulvey street, numbered 4 and 6, between another estate of said Whelan and an estate of Annie F. Mulvey, tax for 1923..... 121 03

Mabel E. Whitehouse—About 3,025 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasantview street, adjoining an estate of Frederick Bussey, being lots 739 and 740, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Horatio E. Williams and N. Marks—Buildings and about 28,414 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Factory street, making the easterly corner of Jackson street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Ventola, tax for 1923..... 560 69
 Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 12 53

George T. Whittier—About 13,070 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cleveland street, making the northerly corner of Child street, adjoining an estate of Mary Tracey heirs or devisees, numbered 35, tax for 1923..... 24 70
 Moth assessment for 1923..... 3 75

John C. Wickes—About 4,164 feet of land on the easterly side of Weybossett street, making the southeasterly corner of Randolph road, adjoining an estate of Daniel Kenney, being lots 91 and 92, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 10,983 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1149, between an estate of Mary C. McLean and an estate of Gennaro Piculo, tax for 1923..... 143 26
 Moth assessment for 1923..... 2 80
 Also about 7,676 feet of land on the westerly side of New Allen street, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company, tax for 1922..... 12 35
 Tax for 1923..... 12 35
 Also buildings and about 26,487 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Milton square, at end extending through to Glenwood avenue, between an estate of Hannah Greenhood and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923..... 256 88
 Also about 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Damrell avenue, being lot 200, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 2 47
 Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 7 50
 Also about 5,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Damrell avenue, being lot 199, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 2 47
 Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 7 50

William Williams—About 4,392 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Delle terrace, between an estate of Lucy S. Reynolds and an estate of Edith L. Barnard, tax for 1923..... 9 88
 Also about 8,309 feet of land on the westerly side of George street, adjoining an estate of Willard H. Sawtelle heirs or devisees and another, being lot 13, S. D. Kelley plan, dated July, 1871, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 448, page 232, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 17 29
 Also about 6,192 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, between an estate of William Camfill and an estate of James Campbell devisees and another, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923..... 22 23
 Also about 8,390 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dana avenue, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 5, C. Fred Joy, Junior, plan, dated August 14, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4324, page 576, tax for 1923..... 17 29
 Also about 10,248 feet of land on the northerly side of Walnut street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923..... 14 82
 Also about 9,182 feet of land on the northerly side of Walnut street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923, 12 35

Moth assessment for 1923..... 1 40
 Also about 9,407 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dana avenue, adjoining an estate of said Williams, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923..... 19 76
 Moth assessment for 1923..... 1 85
 Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Loring street, making the easterly corner of Foster street, adjoining an estate of Marietta G. Andrews, numbered 51 Garfield avenue, tax for 1923..... 9 88
 Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 27 99
 Also about 18,750 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Loring street, making the westerly corner of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 101, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 32 11
 Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 14 56
 Moth assessment for 1923..... 1 45
 Also about 18,750 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glenwood avenue, east, making the northerly corner of Loring street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 121, same plan, tax for 1923..... 32 11
 Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 14 88

Jennie Wolfe—About 9,552 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Davison street, numbered 71, extending through to and numbered 88 Pierce street, between an estate of David Strachan and another and an estate of Mary Keegan, tax for 1923..... 108 68
 Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Arthur and Jennie E. Wood—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ellis street, numbered 17, between an estate of Evelyn M. Welch and another estate of said Arthur Wood and another, tax for 1923..... 54 34
 Moth assessment for 1923..... 65
 Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ellis street, between an estate of Edward P. Millett heirs or devisees and another estate of said Arthur Wood and another, tax for 1923..... 14 82

George H. Wood—About 7,332 feet of land on westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, between an estate of Annie Southern and an estate of Virginia Cataldo and another, being the westerly part of lot 25, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 156, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922..... 24 70
 Moth assessment for 1922..... 1 51
 Tax for 1923..... 24 70
 Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Isaac Young—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, making the easterly corner of Neponset court, adjoining an estate of Bernard Gannon, tax for 1922..... 9 88
 Tax for 1923..... 9 88

Arthur M. Young—About 8,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Poydras street, adjoining an estate of Minnie Alpert, being a lot shown on Robert B. Bellamy plan, dated February 10, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4374, page 3, tax for 1923..... 4 94

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Aberdeen Realty Corporation—Buildings and about 4,895 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sutherland road, numbered 138 and 140, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923..... \$901 55
 Paid on account..... 350 00

Balance due..... \$551 55
 Also buildings and about 5,079 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sutherland road, numbered 134 and 136, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923..... \$1,321 45
 Paid on account..... 350 00

Balance due..... 971 45
 Also buildings and about 2,505 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sutherland road, numbered 142, between an estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation and another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923..... \$437 19
 Paid on account..... 350 00

Balance due..... 87 19
 Also buildings and about 2,469 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sutherland road, numbered 144, between two other estates of said

Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923..... \$437 19
 Paid on account..... 350 00

Balance due..... 87 19
 Also buildings and about 2,088 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sutherland road, numbered 146, between an estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation and another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923..... \$432 25
 Paid on account..... 350 00

Balance due..... 82 25
 Also about 32,437 feet of land lying in the rear on the passageway leading from the northerly side of Lanark road, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and easterly by another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation; southerly by an estate of James M. Woods; westerly by an estate of Mary O'D Campbell, tax for 1923..... \$123 50
 Paid on account..... 29 63

Balance due..... 93 87
 Moth assessment for 1921..... 5 13
 Tax for 1922..... 661 96
 Moth assessment for 1922..... 50
 Also buildings and about 3,854 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1722, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923..... \$820 04
 Paid on account..... 350 00

Balance due..... 470 04
 Also buildings and about 3,746 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1726, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923..... \$820 04
 Paid on account..... 350 00

Balance due..... 470 04
 Also buildings and about 3,184 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1730, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923..... \$810 16
 Paid on account..... 350 00

Balance due..... 460 16
 Also buildings and about 3,796 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1714, between an estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation and an estate of Mary Kulpinska, tax for 1922..... \$857 09
 Paid on account..... 797 81

Balance due..... 59 28
 Also buildings and about 3,828 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1718, between two estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923..... \$822 51
 Paid on account..... 815 10

Balance due..... 7 41
 Also buildings and about 3,867 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1734, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923..... \$822 51
 Paid on account..... 350 00

Balance due..... 472 51
 Also buildings and about 4,824 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1706, making the southwestwesterly corner of Sutherland road, between an estate of Mary Kulpinska and another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923..... \$1,889 55
 Paid on account..... 350 00

Balance due..... 1,539 55
 Annie G. Allen—Buildings and about 2,573 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orkney road, numbered 45, between two estates of said Allen, tax for 1923..... 545 87

American Surety Company of New York—Buildings and about 5,659 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Dighton street, numbered 46, between an estate of David C. Seager and an estate of George A. Warren and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... 46 93
 Also buildings and about 65,735 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 35, making the southwestwesterly corner of and numbered 75 Academy Hill road, extending to and making the northerly corner of and numbered 11 to 19 Mt. Vernon street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company, tax for 1923..... 1,143 61
 Moth assessment for 1923..... 85

Also about 35,669 feet of land on the westerly side of Academy Hill road, making the southwesterly corner of Mt. Vernon street, adjoining an estate of Delia A. Elbery, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Christian P. and Bertha M. Anderson—Buildings and about 10,780 feet of land on the southerly side of Kilsyth road, numbered 82 and 84, between an estate of Frieda A. Bencks and an estate of Rose F. Weiner, tax for 1923.....	427 31		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Lena Ansin—Buildings and about 8,687 feet of land on the southerly side of Chiswick road, numbered 132, between an estate of Jeannette G. Winans and an estate of Helen B. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	266 76		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	85		
Walter F. Baker—Buildings and about 26,280 feet of land on the westerly side of Sidlaw road, numbered 16, making the southwesterly corner of Commonwealth avenue, between an estate of Helen B. Johnson and an estate of Anna E. McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	817 57		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Barbara Ballou—Buildings and about 2,369 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1737, between an estate of Althea A. Tougas and an estate of Alice C. Bailey, tax for 1923.....	133 38		
Thomas J. Bennett Heirs—Buildings and about 15,966 feet of land on the northerly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 29 and 39, between an estate of Mary Ivory and another, and an estate of Sarah Daley, tax for 1923.....	103 74		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	85		
Louis Perkowitz—Buildings and about 3,745 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1578 and 1580, making the easterly corner of Chestnut Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Sophie Cadiff, tax for 1923.....	1,294 28		
Lorenzo W. Bowen—Buildings and about 49,105 feet of land on the easterly side of Colon street, numbered 5, between an estate of William N. Ambler and an estate of Commonwealth Avenue Park Realty Company, tax for 1923.....	\$1,039 87		
Paid on account.....	402 00		
Balance due.....	637 87		
Mary Brady—Buildings and about 1,314 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hano street, numbered 55, between another estate of said Brady and an estate of James A. Cody, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Also buildings and about 1,313 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hano street, numbered 57, between two other estates of said Brady, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Also buildings and about 1,546 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hano street, numbered 59, between another estate of said Brady and an estate of Deonisia Cantoni, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Frances E. L. Brady—Buildings and about 3,799 feet of land on the southerly side of Larch street, adjoining an estate of Frances E. Sullivan, being lot 24, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 44		
Henry A. Bragg—Buildings and about 2,717 feet of land on the northerly side of Brighton avenue, numbered 85, between an estate of Delia A. Quigley and an estate of Frances E. Utz, tax for 1923.....	\$281 58		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	81 58		
Alphonse Bruno—Buildings and about 14,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Strathmore road, numbered 163, between an estate of James E. Desmond and an estate of Helen B. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	318 63		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
William H. Burgess and Howard W. Lang, Trustees of City Building Trust—Buildings and about 13,413 feet of land on the southerly side of Brighton avenue, numbered 128, between an estate of John J. Collins and an estate of Lena D. Rittenberg, tax for 1923.....	4,352 14		
Maude D. Butler—Buildings and about 3,104 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1767, making the junction of Wallingford road, between an estate of Eugenia H. Simmons and an estate of Meta D. Ross, tax for 1923.....	158 08		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 95		
Margaret C. Campbell—About 1,656 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Upper Crescent circuit, adjoining another estate of said Campbell, being westerly part of lot 41, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,612 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Snow street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot K, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated May 12, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2522, tax for 1922.....	14 82		
Tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 4,927 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Snow street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot I, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated May 12, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2522, tax for 1922.....	17 29		
Tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 4,709 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Snow street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot J, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated May 12, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2522, tax for 1922.....	17 29		
Tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 4,032 feet of land on the westerly side of Wade street, adjoining an estate of Louville V. Niles, being the northerly part of lot 8, C. H. Gannett plan, dated January, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 22, tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 15		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Upper Crescent circuit, adjoining an estate of Oak Square Realty Incorporated, being the easterly part of lot 41, shown on O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 90		
Also about 3,018 feet of land on the westerly side of Breck avenue, adjoining an estate of Charles J. O'Donnell, being lot 35, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3810, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 16, between an estate of Corah W. Wohltman and an estate of Joseph Kaufman and another, tax for 1922.....	160 55		
Mabel E. Chadwick (supposed present owner Mary M. McDonald)—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 16, between an estate of Corah W. Wohltman and an estate of Joseph Kaufman and another, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Mary Chmiele—Buildings and about 8,004 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wallingford road, numbered 14 and 16, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Margaret E. Culhane, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13376, tax for 1923.....	602 68		
Edith L. Coburn—About 540 feet of land on the northerly side of Evans road, at the Brookline line, adjoining an estate of Mabel E. Curry, being a lot shown on H. F. Bryant plan, dated August 1, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4167, page 123, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	2 90		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 80		
Declan W. Corcoran—Buildings and about 15,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 81, making the northwesterly corner of William Jackson avenue, adjoining an estate of Margaret J. Corcoran, tax for 1923.....	91 39		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	30 58		
Margaret J. Corcoran—Buildings and about 12,631 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 83, making the southwest corner of William Jackson avenue, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth Jackson, tax for 1923.....	276 64		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 39		
Also buildings and about 13,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Corey road, numbered 271, 273 and 277, making the southerly corner of Bellvista road, between an estate of James H. Beals and another estate of Margaret J. Corcoran, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	35 36		
Also buildings and about 9,915 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 75, between an estate of Sarah E. Roeder and an estate of Declan W. Corcoran, tax for 1923.....	69 16		
Also about 13,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Corey road, through to the Brookline line, between another estate of said Corcoran and an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
George C. Coyle, Reassessed from Max E. Wyzanski et al.—Buildings and about 5,653 feet of land on the northerly side of Colonial road, numbered 42, between an estate of Max E. Wyzanski and another and an estate of George H. Bonelli, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12426, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Also about 5,653 feet of land on the northerly side of Colonial road, between another estate of said Coyle and an estate of Max E. Wyzanski and another, being lot 10 and part of lot 9, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated June 7, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12426, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
John J. Crehan—Buildings and about 7,536 feet of land on the westerly side of Wallingford road, numbered 46, between an estate of Apthorp R. Heath and an estate of Marion W. Smith, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12022, tax for 1923.....	207 48		
Katherine G. Cunningham and Hannah T. Lynch—Buildings and about 5,307 feet of land on the northerly side of Union street, numbered 109, making the northwesterly corner of Shannon street, adjoining an estate of John and Ellen Meehan, tax for 1923.....	743 47		
Also about 4,451 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Union street, making the northerly corner of Snow street, adjoining another estate of said Cunningham and another, being lot N, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated May 12, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2522, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 4,742 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Union street, adjoining another estate of said Cunningham, being lot O, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 5,052 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Union street, adjoining another estate of said Cunningham and another, being lot P, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Daniel F. Cunningham—Buildings and about 7,491 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wallingford road, numbered 47, between an estate of Rose G. McLaughlin and an estate of Gertrude G. Haley, tax for 1923.....	219 83		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 86		
Florence K. Dana, Marion A. Knight and Ethel A. Knight—About 11,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Washington street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Cyrus W. Alger and another, numbered 416 and 418 Washington street, tax for 1922.....	34 58		
James Daniels—Buildings and about 10,531 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 599, between an estate of Simon B. Sawin and an estate of Sisters of St. Joseph, tax for 1923.....	175 37		
John F. Doherty, Trustee under Deed—Buildings and about 14,766 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1090, 1090A, 1090 rear, 1092, 1094, 1096, 1098, 1100, 1102 and 1104, between an estate of Samuel Altman and an estate of General Mortgage and Real Estate Corporation, tax for 1923.....	2,964 00		
Walter E. Erickson—About 5,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Emery road, adjoining an estate of Fred H. King, being lot 21, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated August 20, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2845, page 129, tax for 1921.....	14 82		
Tax for 1922.....	14 82		
Tax for 1923.....	14 82		
John J. Fanning—Buildings and about 5,150 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 360, 362 and 362A, making the southwesterly corner of Highgate street, adjoining an estate of Patrick Doherty, tax for 1923.....	175 37		

Gertrude M. Fay—Buildings and about 5,580 feet of land on the southerly side of Nottingham road, at end, numbered 24, between an estate of Francis L. Colpoys and an estate of Carolyn W. Lebowich, tax for 1922.....	125 97	
Edgar E. Fayous—About 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Beacon street, adjoining an estate of Octavia N. Vaas, being the northeasterly part of lot A, Henry C. Meldram plan, dated September 30, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4258, page 393, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Antha and Leta Ferrarese—About 5,176 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Frederick L. Briggs, being lot 76, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16376, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Annie B. Fielding—About 6,066 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth M. Walsh, being lot 20, C. H. Gannett plan, dated January, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 22, tax for 1923.....	44 46	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	18 23	
Annie E. Flint—Buildings and about 6,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard avenue, numbered 215, between an estate of Patrick J. O'Toole and an estate of Ida Wilfand, tax for 1923.....	881 79	
Hyman M. Frankel—Buildings and about 5,467 feet of land on the northerly side of Wallingford road, numbered 91, between an estate of Frederick J. Smith and an estate of Katherine T. Shaughnessy, tax for 1923.....	192 66	
Clara B. French—Also about 4,570 feet of land on the easterly side of Nottingham road, adjoining another estate of said Clara B. French, being lot 61, section A, C. H. W. Wood plan, dated October 24, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3312, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Also about 4,832 feet of land on the easterly side of Nottingham road, adjoining another estate of said Clara B. French, being lot 62, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Robert W. Frost and James A. Hathaway, Trustees of the Brighton and Bristol Real Estate Trust—About 16,845 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Academy Hill road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Travis, being lot A, William E. Hannon plan, dated July 9, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	83 98	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Jake Gilman—Buildings and about 8,952 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, at the Brookline line, numbered 1056, adjoining an estate of Ella A. Osgood, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15344, tax for 1923.....	3,102 32	
Maria E. Govan—Buildings and about 3,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pomeroy street, numbered 5, 7 and 9, between an estate of Julius A. Faust and an estate of Nicholas A. Carroll and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Susan S. Grace—Buildings and about 4,561 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shephard street, numbered 56 and 58, making the easterly corner of Union street, adjoining an estate of Giovanni Licciardi, moth assessment for 1922.....	66	
Also buildings and about 2,635 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union street, numbered 143 and 145, between an estate of Elizabeth Ford and another estate of said Susan S. Grace, tax for 1923.....	39 52	
Also buildings and about 9,207 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union street, numbered 147, 149 and 149 rear, between another estate of said Susan S. Grace and an estate of David Smart and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Also about 2,549 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Union street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Susan S. Grace, being lot T. D. W. Hyde plan, dated July 28, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2918, page 17, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Susan Grace—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shannon street, numbered 30, between an estate of Mary E. Barrett and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	76 57	
Also about 4,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Susan Grace, being lot 7, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated July, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3300, page 281, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 3,746 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Susan Grace, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
William E. Grace—Buildings and about 6,220 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Union street, numbered 52 and 54, between an estate of Mary E. Knight and an estate of Bridget T. Burns, tax for 1923.....	113 62	
Also about 7,392 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Union street, adjoining an estate of Jeremiah T. Cronin, being lot 14, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated February 21, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9567, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Orin S. Green—Buildings and about 30,390 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1988, between an estate of Adaline L. Lincoln and an estate of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	1,267 11	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 75	
Also buildings and about 7,018 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1406 and 1408, between an estate of said Green and an estate of Michael F. Kelly, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16474, tax for 1923.....	1,311 21	
Also buildings and about 7,462 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1402 and 1404, between another estate of said Green and an estate of Carrie E. M. Gifford, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16474, tax for 1923.....	1,351 09	
Evelyn H. Green—Buildings and about 2,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Summit avenue, numbered 328, between an estate of J. Scott McLearn and an estate of Frank S. Lane, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8289, tax for 1923.....	291 46	
Leopold G. Greene, Trustee for Frank L. and Henry L. Greene—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blaine avenue, numbered 27 and 29, between an estate of said Greene and an estate of Edwin J. Gilmore, tax for 1923.....	61 75	
Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blaine avenue, numbered 31 and 33, between another estate of said Greene and an estate of Joseph B. Greene, tax for 1923.....	61 75	
Reuben B. Gryzmish—Buildings and about 9,445 feet of land on the easterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 392, 394, 396 and 398, between an estate of Daniel J. Navin and an estate of Boston Elevated Railway Company, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	64 00	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	62 00	
Merrill M. Hammond and Marie L. Green—Buildings and about 1,781 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 60, between another estate of said Hammond and another and an estate of Katherine Winchester, tax for 1923.....	138 32	
Also buildings and about 2,430 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 58, making northeast corner Hammond terrace, between two other estate of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....	145 73	
Also buildings and about 2,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 9, making the southeasterly corner of Wadsworth street, adjoining another estate of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....	143 26	
Also building and about 1,948 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....	140 79	
Also buildings and about 1,966 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....	140 79	
Also buildings and about 2,017 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....	140 79	
Kate Hickey—Buildings and about 3,780 feet of land on the westerly side of Monastery road, numbered 23 and		
25, making the northerly corner of La Rose place, adjoining an estate of John J. Lee and another, tax for 1923, 83 98		
Ida M. Hodsdon—About 18,775 feet of land on the southerly side of Mt. Vernon street, between an estate of Kate McNamara and an estate of American Surety Company of New York, tax for 1922.....	56 81	
Tax for 1923.....	56 81	
Also about 13,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Corey road, between an estate of Margaret J. Corcoran and an estate of Margaret G. Lane, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Also about 5,448 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining an estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 59, section A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated October 24, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3312, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Also about 5,602 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 58, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Also about 5,602 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 57, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Also about 5,377 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, making the northwesterly corner of Nottingham path, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 81, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	
Also about 5,049 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 80, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	
Also about 4,845 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining an estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 77, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	85	
Also about 5,223 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 76, section C, tax for 1923.....	32 11	
Also about 5,286 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 75, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	
Also about 19,232 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Elizabeth avenue, making the westerly corner of Bartholomew J. Connolly, being lot Ca, A. S. N. Estes plan, dated April, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3573, tax for 1923.....	187 72	
Frank Holland—About 898 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenville avenue, adjoining an estate of William Harvey, being lot D, S. L. Leftwich plan, dated January 1, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8516, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
International Trust Company, Trustees of the Park Vale Avenue Apartments Trust—Buildings and about 7,980 feet of land on the westerly side of Park Vale avenue, numbered 38, between an estate of Bridget E. McGinnis and an estate of William H. Murray, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number, 15442, tax for 1923.....	1,126 32	
Henry W. Jackson—About 5,287 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Brainerd road, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Jackson, being lot 12, French and Bryant plan, dated February 25, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3350, page 21, tax for 1922.....	98 80	
Tax for 1923.....	98 80	
Also about 5,750 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brainerd road, adjoining an estate of Norman S. Waite, being lot 11, French and Bryant plan, dated February 25, 1909, tax for 1922.....	106 21	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	18 86	
Tax for 1923.....	106 21	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 21	
Harry and Annie Katz—Buildings and about 8,375 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1238, between another estate of said Harry and Annie Katz and an estate of James A. Murphy, Junior, tax for 1923.....	\$1,363 44	
Paid on account.....	1,000 00	
Balance due.....	363 44	

Also buildings and about 8,375 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1242, between an estate of Anna F. Corcoran and another estate of said Katz and another, tax for 1923.....	\$1,363 44	
Paid on account.....	1,000 00	
Balance due.....		363 44
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Braintree street, numbered 27, between an estate of West End Street Railway Company and an estate of E. T. Ryan Iron Works, Inc., tax for 1923.....		54 31
Raymond P. Kennedy—About 5,191 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilson park, adjoining an estate of Boston Mutual Life Insurance Company, being a lot shown on F. L. Roache plan, dated March 12, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4017, page 275, tax for 1922.....	64 22	
Tax for 1923.....	64 22	
Francis M. Kiggen—Buildings and about 3,445 feet of land on the westerly side of Cambridge terrace, numbered 9, between an estate of Ernest F. Mundy and an estate of Mary McCarthy, tax for 1923.....		145 73
Harold G. King, Trustee, Fisher Hill Realty Company—Buildings and about 16,939 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1690, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Sarah Pearlstein and another, tax for 1923.....		3,630 90
Frank S. Lane—Buildings and about 3,231 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Summit avenue, num-bered 324, between an estate of Evelyn H. Green and an estate of Lillian Meyers, registered in the Suf-folk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11663, tax for 1923,.....		306 28
Helen Leavitt—Buildings and about 1,302 feet of land on the northerly side of Brighton avenue, numbered 81, between an estate of Edwin C. Morton and an estate of Delia A. Quigley, tax for 1923.....		205 01
Anna Lebowich—Buildings and about 7,000 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Williston road, numbered 98, making the southerly corner of Corey road, adjoining an estate of Olivia M. Butler, tax for 1923.....		481 65
Harris Levine (mortgagee in possession)—Buildings and about 9,346 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1334, between an estate of Charles H. Spring and an estate of Benjamin Levine, tax for 1923.....	\$2,129 14	
Paid on account.....	929 14	
Balance due.....		1,200 00
Thomas Levine and Julius Rosen—Buildings and about 7,127 feet of land on the southerly side of Common-wealth avenue, making the south-ewesterly corner of Cummings road, adjoining an estate of Sarah Pearl-stein and another, being lot 6, James Adam plan, dated April, 1914, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....		326 04
Margaret E. Levy—Buildings and about 5,468 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, num-bered 1122, between an estate of Isi-dore Israel and an estate of William H. Nicholson and another, tax for 1923.....		800 28
Jacob S. Litter—Buildings and about 4,828 feet of land on the southerly side of Washington street, numbered 394 and 394½, making the southeas-terly corner of and numbered 2 and 4 Dighton street, adjoining an estate of William H. Monroe, tax for 1923.....		256 88
Laura Logan—About 12,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Common-wealth avenue, extending through to Boston-Brookline boundary line, be-tween another estate of said Logan and an estate of Franklin Motor Car Company, tax for 1923.....		894 14
Also about 42,890 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, making the northwesterly corner of Thorndike street, adjoining another estate of said Logan, tax for 1923.....		2,647 84
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
William London—Buildings and about 12,400 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Kinross road, making the southerly corner of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of Charles J. Sawyer, being lot 6, E. W. Bow-ditch plan, dated April 26, 1911, re-corded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3564, page 52, tax for 1923.....		988 00
Florence London—Buildings and about 9,763 feet of land on the westerly side of Fordham road, numbered 7 and 15,		
between an estate of Fred J. Weeks and another and an estate of John E. Fay, registered in the Suffolk Regis-try District of Land Court, certificate number 16495, tax for 1923.....	1,625 26	
Margaret C. Lyons—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the north-erly side of Ashford street, numbered 46, between an estate of Frank Nevin and an estate of Julia Moran, tax for 1923.....		172 90
Michael and Mary Mack—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 61, between an estate of Joseph Perlitz and an estate of Joseph Perlitz, tax for 1923.....		56 81
Joseph A. MacKay and Others, Trus-tees—About 5,463 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, mak-ing the southwesterly corner of Colonial path, adjoining another es-tate of said MacKay and others, trus-tees, being lot 49, section A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated October 24, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3312, tax for 1923.....		19 76
Also about 5,462 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, ad-joining another estate of said MacKay and others, trustees, being lot 50, sec-tion A, same plan, tax for 1923.....		19 76
Also about 4,836 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, ad-joining another estate of said Mac-kay and others, trustees, being lot 51, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....		17 29
Also about 5,233 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, ad-joining another estate of said Mac-kay and others, trustees, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923.....		19 76
Also about 4,476 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, ad-joining another estate of said Mac-kay and others, trustees, being lot 53, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....		17 29
Also about 4,731 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, ad-joining another estate of said Mac-kay and others, trustees, being lot 54, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....		17 29
Also about 4,986 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, ad-joining another estate of said Mac-kay and others, trustees, being lot 55, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....		17 29
Also about 5,242 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, ad-joining another estate of said MacKay and others, trustees, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923.....		19 76
Leonard L. Mazur, (reassessed to Tini Cohen)—Buildings and about 11,030 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Strathmore road, numbered 160, between an estate of Martha Haskel and an estate of John J. Johnston, tax for 1923.....		2,173 60
Rose G. McLaughlin—About 9,190 feet of land on the easterly side of Walling-ford road, adjoining an estate of Daniel F. Cunningham, being the northerly part of lot 61, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, dated April, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3274, page 511, tax for 1923.....		44 46
Elizabeth McLaughlin—Buildings and about 6,200 feet of land on the south-ewesterly side of Washington street, numbered 246 and 246 rear, between an estate of Catherine A. McCabe and an estate of Elizabeth A. McMurtry and others, tax for 1923.....	\$150 67	
Paid on account.....	75 00	
Balance due.....		75 67
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Margaret H. McMakin—About 6,992 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wade street, adjoining an estate of Louville V. Niles, being the southerly part of lot 4 and all of lot 5, shown on C. H. Gannett plan, dated January, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 22, tax for 1923.....		41 99
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		21 22
Albert J. McMurtry—Buildings and about 12,228 feet of land on the west-erly side of Winship street, numbered 3 and 5 and 3 and 5 rear, between an estate of Donato Pellegrini and an es-tate of Mary A. Harnedy, tax for 1923,.....		286 52
Patrick Morley Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 6,936 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cbestnut Hill avenue, numbered 9, 11, 13 and 15, between an estate of G. Wallace O'Dell and an estate of Katherine M. Glynn, tax for 1923.....		222 30
Also buildings and about 3,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Baldwin place, numbered 3 and 5, between an estate of Julia Murphy and an estate of said Patrick Morley heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....		83 98
Also buildings and about 1,600 feet		
of land on the westerly side of Wash-ington street, numbered 372 and 374, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1 Baldwin place, adjoining an estate of Katherine M. Glynn, tax for 1923.....		98 89
Catherine A. Morrow—About 3,749 feet of land on the northerly side of Colonial road, adjoining an estate of George H. Bonelli, being lot 20, C. B. Humph-rey plan, dated October 6, 1913, registered in the Suffolk Registry Dis-trict of Land Court, certificate number 9140, tax for 1923.....		7 41
Patrick J. and Nellie S. Murphy—About 8,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Brayton road, west, adjoining an estate of Camille M. Fisher, being lot 39, O. W. Rugg plan, dated July 31, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13599, tax for 1923.....		9 88
Gertrude E. Murray—About 4,029 feet of land on the southerly side of lower Crescent circuit, making the easterly corner of Regent street, adjoining an estate of Wesley A. Kinney, being lot 149, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....		9 88
Louville V. Niles—About 6,507 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being lot 12, C. H. Gannett plan, dated January, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4019, page 22, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		22 79
Louville V. Niles, set off to Thomas and Mary M. Hennett—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being southerly part of lot 13, C. H. Gannett plan, dated January, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 22, apportion-ment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		18 23
Louville V. Niles, now set off to Lou-ville V. Niles—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being northerly part lot 15, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 08
Louville V. Niles, set off to Margaret M. Foley—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another lot of said Foley, being southerly part of lot 15, same plan, apportionment of sewer assess-ment for 1923.....		9 11
Louville V. Niles—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being lot 16, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		15 19
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being lot 17, same plan, apportion-ment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		18 23
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being southerly part of lot 18, same plan, apportionment of sewer assess-ment for 1923.....		15 19
Cecelia A. O'Brien—Buildings and about 4,190 feet of land on the south-erly side of High Rock way, num-bered 30, between an estate of Herbert S. Weaver and an estate of Mary E. Collins, tax for 1923.....		172 90
Apportionment of sewer assess-ment for 1923.....		20 40
Sarah Pearlstein and David Cherry—Buildings and about 3,710 feet of land on the southerly side of Common-wealth avenue, numbered 1682, be-tween an estate of said Pearlstein and another and an estate of Harold G. King, trustee of the Fisher Hill Realty Company, tax for 1923.....		708 89
Also buildings and about 3,760 feet of land on the southerly side of Common-wealth avenue, numbered 1680, between an estate of said Pearlstein and another and an estate of Thomas Levine and another, tax for 1923.....		785 46
Horace J. Phipps—Buildings and about 27,305 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Chiswick road, numbered 92, making the southerly corner of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of Benjamin Phipp heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....		931 19
Moth assessment for 1923.....		1 30
Also about 20,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chiswick road, making the easterly corner of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of Orville W. Butter, being a lot on Ernest W. Bowditch plan, dated July 9, 1891, recorded with Suf-folk Deeds, Book 2007, page 285, tax for 1923.....		296 40

Benjamin Phipps Heirs or Devises— About 14,150 feet of land on the northerly side of Strathmore road, adjoining an estate of Mary R. P. Hatch, being a lot shown on Roland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal plan, dated October, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4413, page 84, tax for 1923.....	214 53	Also about 12,052 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining another estate of said Rotman and another, being lot 2, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certi- ficate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	103 74	the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Lilly H. Pushee—Buildings and about 3,655 feet of land on the easterly side of Strathmore road, numbered 45, between an estate of George M. Clough and an estate of Elsie G. Richter, tax for 1923.....	553 28	Also about 10,668 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, making the easterly corner of Colonial road, being lot 18, same plan, regis- tered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	79 04	Also about 4,591 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 38, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Edward L. Rafuse (supposed present owner Gertrude L. Murray)—About 3,605 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Breck avenue, being lot 6, on a plan (not named, not numbered), re- corded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3207, page 378, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	17 89	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	22 32	Also about 4,266 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 39, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Harry Ratner—Buildings and about 10,430 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429, 431 and 433, making the northeasterly corner of Denton road, adjoining an estate of Abraham Rome, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12001, tax for 1923.....	617 50	Ransom Rowe—About 12,880 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, being lot 3, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certi- ficate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	111 15	Also about 4,462 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 41, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Mary A. Rice—About 198,900 feet of land on the southerly side of Langley road, making the southeasterly corner of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Boston Ceneale Society, tax for 1923.....	244 53	Also about 13,417 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Common- wealth avenue, being lot 4, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	116 09	Ransom Rowe (supposed present owners Morris Rotman and Barney Hurwitz)—About 10,668 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 18, same plan, regis- tered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, apportionment of sewer assess- ment for 1922.....	23 04
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 00	Also about 13,671 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Common- wealth avenue, being lot 5, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry Dis- trict of Land Court, certificate num- ber 6190, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Ransom Rowe—About 5,291 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 10, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Apportionment of sidewalk con- struction assessment for 1923.....	30 55	Also about 13,635 feet of land on the westerly side of Commonwealth ave- nue, being lot 6, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Also about 5,260 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 9, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certi- ficate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	39 52
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 5,327 feet of land on the southerly side of Langley road, numbered 11, between an estate of Ernest Puh- pol and an estate of Laura Bulgen, tax for 1923.....	138 32	Also about 16,060 feet of land on the westerly side of Commonwealth ave- nue, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	197 60	Also about 5,291 feet of land on the southeasterly corner of Claymoss road, being lot 8, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1923.....	19 44	Also about 5,301 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 11, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Also about 5,356 feet of land on the easterly side of Colonial avenue, be- ing lot 42, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Julius Rosen—Buildings and about 21,448 feet of land on the easterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1478, 1480, 1482, 1486 and 1488, making the southeasterly corner of Commonwealth terrace, extending to and numbered 26 Commonwealth terrace, extending to and making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 4 and 6 Sunnymeade street, adjoining an estate of Mary E. Mahan, tax for 1923.....	4,693 00	Also about 5,288 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 12, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 40
Harris Rosenthal—Buildings and about 4,657 feet of land on the westerly side of Buckminster street, numbered 8, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....	1,062 10	Also about 5,253 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Also about 4,584 feet of land on the easterly side of Colonial avenue, being lot 43, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 22
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1923.....	35 87	Also about 5,179 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 14, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 39
Also buildings and about 4,276 feet of land on the northerly side of Com- monwealth avenue, numbered 1429 and 1431, making the northwesterly corner of Buckminster street, adjoining another estate of said Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....	\$1,128 79	Also about 5,106 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 15, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Also about 4,843 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, be- ing lot 45, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Paid on account.....	389 02	Also about 5,049 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 16, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Also about 4,647 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, be- ing lot 46, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190 tax for 1923.....	22 23
Balance due.....	739 77	Also about 4,901 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 17, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, be- ing lot 48, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also buildings and about 4,748 feet of land on the northerly side of Com- monwealth avenue, numbered 1435, between another estate of said Rosen- thal and an estate of Louis Kaplan, tax for 1923.....	\$1,185 60	Also about 6,553 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 35, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	41 99	Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, be- ing lot 49, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Paid on account.....	389 02	Also about 5,430 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 34, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, be- ing lot 50, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Balance due.....	796 58	Also about 5,397 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 35, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Also about 5,271 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 52, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax 1923.....	27 17
Lena Rottenberg—Buildings and about 6,677 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Price road, numbered 7, be- tween another estate of said Rotten- berg and an estate of Joseph G. Cohen, tax for 1923.....	\$753 35	Also about 5,295 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 36, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Paid on account.....	750 88	Also about 5,133 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 37, same plan, registered in			
Balance due.....	2 47				
Also buildings and about 6,119 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Price road, numbered 11, adjoining another estate of said Rottenberg and an estate of Helen C. Fitzpatrick, tax for 1923.....	\$745 94				
Paid on account.....	743 47				
Balance due.....	2 47				
Morris Rotman and Barney Hurwitz— Buildings and about 13,073 feet of land on the northerly side of Com- monwealth avenue, making the north- easterly corner of Colonial road, be- tween two other estates of said Rot- man and another, being lot 1, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry Dis- trict of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	654 55				

Also about 5,785 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Euston road, being lot 58, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

29 64

Also about 6,210 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 59, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

39 52

Also about 5,899 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 60, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

29 64

Also about 5,788 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 61, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

29 64

Also about 5,835 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 62, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

29 64

Also about 5,863 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 63, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

29 64

Also about 5,955 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 64, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

29 64

Also about 6,046 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 65, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

29 64

Also about 6,138 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 66, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

29 64

Also about 6,244 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 67, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

29 64

Also about 5,568 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 68, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

27 17

Also about 4,486 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monastery road, formerly Union street, being lot 69, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

27 17

Also about 4,318 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monastery road, formerly Union street, being lot 70, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

22 23

Also about 4,461 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monastery road, formerly Union street, being lot 71, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

27 17

Also about 4,404 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 80, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

22 33

Also about 4,406 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 81, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

22 33

Also about 4,474 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 82, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

22 23

Also about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 83, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

22 23

Also about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 84, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

22 23

Also about 5,961 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 89, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry

District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

37 05

Also about 6,132 feet of land on the easterly side of Monastery road (formerly Union street), being lot 90, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

37 05

Moith assessment for 1923.....
Also about 5,593 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 29, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

49 40

Also about 5,436 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 28, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

46 93

Also about 6,642 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 27, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....

56 81

Adelaide J. and Arthur H. Sargent and Harry L. Sampson, Trustees of the Sargent Trust—Buildings and about 31,213 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 372, making the northerly corner of Sutherland road, adjoining an estate of Susan E. Wadsworth, tax for 1923.....

1,837 68

Moith assessment for 1923.....

65

Samuel Selegman—Buildings and about 2,636 feet of land on the southerly side of Brainerd road, numbered 18, making the southeasterly corner of Fiske terrace, between two other estates of said Selegman, tax for 1923.....

422 37

Also buildings and about 3,604 feet of land on the southerly side of Brainerd road, numbered 16, between an estate of said Selegman and an estate of Ida Gelfand, tax for 1923.....

414 96

Also about 3,701 feet of land on the easterly side of Fiske terrace at the Brookline line, adjoining an estate of said Selegman, numbered 18, tax for 1923.....

27 17

Joseph H. Shuman—Buildings and about 8,190 feet of land on the westerly side of Idlewild street, numbered 5, between an estate of Isadore Neckes and an estate of Prentiss Howard, tax for 1923.....

\$2,721 94

Paid on account.....

1,100 00

Balance due.....

1,621 94

Cleveland Sleeper, Eva G. Sleeper and Ethel G. Huntington—About 16,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Lake street, between an estate of Anna Flewelling and an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....

49 40

Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 46, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....

17 29

Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 47, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....

17 29

Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 48, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....

17 29

Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 49, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....

17 29

Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 50, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....

17 29

Also buildings and about 138,791 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, numbered 104, making the southeasterly corner of Mt. Vernon street, adjoining an estate of Henry H. Sullivan, trustee, tax for 1923.....

397 67

Moith assessment for 1923.....
Thomas M. Smith—About 10,305 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of said Smith, being lot A, H. C. Mildram plan, dated November 23, 1904, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3005, page 95, tax for 1923.....

217 36

Also about 10,201 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining another estate of said Smith, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....

214 80

Minnie M. Soule—Buildings and about 9,090 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Leamington road, numbered 9, making the easterly corner of Nottingham path, adjoining an estate of Margaret M. Ducey, tax for 1923.....

\$200 07

Paid on account.....

100 00

Balance due.....
Moith assessment for 1921.....
Ralph Southworth—Buildings and about 3,453 feet of land on the northerly side of Pratt street, numbered 18, between an estate of Michael J. Horgan and another and an estate of William H. McGuire and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12355, tax for 1923.....

100 07

50

86 45

Nancy Spitz—Buildings and about 5,061 feet of land on the westerly side of Highgate street, numbered 17, between an estate of Margaret Lamphier and an estate of William C. Turner *et al.*, tax for 1923.....

\$587 86

Paid on account.....

325 00

Balance due.....
Also buildings and about 14,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Highgate street, numbered 16A, 16B, 20 and 22, between an estate of James Bauer and an estate of John J. Fanning, tax for 1923.....

262 86

\$335 92

Paid on account.....

299 50

Balance due.....
Edwin L. Stone, Trustee of the Nonantum Hill Trust—About 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Larch street, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....

36 42

7 41

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Larch street, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also about 6,015 feet of land on the northerly side of lower Crescent circuit, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 179, same plan, tax for 1923.....

12 35

Also about 3,268 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Langley road, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 180, same plan, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also about 4,163 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Langley road, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 181, same plan, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Edward L. Stone, reassessed to Catherine P. King—About 4,029 feet of land on the southerly side of lower Crescent circuit, making the southwesterly corner of Regent street, adjoining an estate of Wesley A. Kinney, being lot 150, same plan, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Frances E. Sullivan—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Kenrick street, numbered 54, adjoining an estate of the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, tax for 1923.....

41 99

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....

10 85

Also about 3,584 feet of land on the southerly side of Larch street, adjoining an estate of Margaret T. Sullivan, being the westerly part of lot 25, shown on O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, taxes for 1923.....

12 35

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....

13 95

Margaret F. Sullivan—About 3,126 feet of land on the southerly side of Larch street, adjoining an estate of Frances E. Sullivan, being easterly part of lot 25, shown on O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....

12 35

Henry T. Sullivan, Trustee for Harold D. Goodenough—Buildings and about 45,196 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, numbered 120, between an estate of Horace W. Baxter heirs and an estate of Cleveland Sleeper and others, tax for 1923.....

288 99

Moith assessment for 1923.....

1 75

William C. and Nellie M. Tanner—Buildings and about 5,255 feet of land on the westerly side of Highgate street, numbered 19 and 21, between an estate of Nancy Spitz and an estate of Laura M. Wingate, tax for 1923.....

128 44

Margaret Timmons (set off to Margaret Timmons and Catherine G. Brennan)—Buildings and about 1,931 feet of land on the northerly side of Armington street, numbered 35, between another estate of said Timmons and another and an estate of Caroline V. Cusick, tax for 1923.....	88 92		
Also buildings and about 1,879 feet of land on the northerly side of Armington street, numbered 33, between an estate of Amelia C. Tykeson and another estate of said Timmons and another, tax for 1923.....	88 92		
Edward F. Timmins, Trustee of the Commonwealth Development Company (reassessed from Ellen J. Lane)—Buildings and about 6,705 feet of land on the westerly side of Foster street, numbered 255, making the southerly corner of Lane park, adjoining an estate of James A. Monroe, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Helen H. Torrey—Buildings and about 3,484 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1283, between an estate of Mary F. Downes and an estate of Princeton Hotel Company, tax for 1923.....	318 63		
Nathan Ullian—Buildings and about 6,496 feet of land on the easterly side of Quint avenue, numbered 76, making the northeasterly corner of Glenville avenue, between an estate of said Ullian and an estate of Charles D. and Katherine A. Norris, tax for 1923, Also buildings and about 7,008 feet of land on the northerly side of Glenville avenue, numbered 27, between two other estates of said Ullian, tax for 1923.....	1,062 10		
Also buildings and about 6,496 feet of land on the westerly side of Park Vale avenue, numbered 4, making the northwesterly corner of Glenville avenue, between an estate of said Ullian and an estate of International Trust Company, trustee of the Spoford Apartments Trust, tax for 1923.....	1,086 80		
Susan E. Wadsworth—About 2,168 feet of land on the southerly side of Englewood avenue, between another estate of said Wadsworth and an estate of Mary F. Downes, being lot C, H. F. Bryant plan, dated August 15, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	1,062 10		
Carolyn H. Warner—Buildings and about 6,048 feet of land on the southerly side of Brighton avenue, numbered 112, making the southwesterly corner of Linden street, adjoining an estate of Henry L. Wilson, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Paid on account.....	\$348 27		
Balance due.....	250 00		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	98 27		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	59 46		
Dexter C. Washburn, Trustee for Dexter C. Washburn, Lizzie C. Washburn and William H. L. Washburn—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden street, numbered 76 and 78, between an estate of Charles H. Stephenson and another and an estate of Edward M. Warner, tax for 1923.....	12 91		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	256 88		
Harriet A. Waterman—About 20,082 feet of land on the westerly side of Wallingford road, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being lot Q18, C. E. Humphrey plan, dated September 27, 1918, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10652, tax for 1923.....	36 99		
Alice E. Watrous—Buildings and about 16,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kilsyth terrace, numbered 12, between an estate of Henry K. Braley and an estate of Hans W. Rabe, tax for 1923.....	128 44		
Paid on account.....	\$259 35		
Balance due.....	50 00		
Also buildings and about 820 feet of land on the easterly side of Wilton street, numbered 9, between an estate of Edward J. and Mary J. Ryan and an estate of Thomas A. Sanford, and another, tax for 1923.....	209 35		
Paid on account.....	\$96 33		
Balance due.....	50 00		
John G. West—Buildings and about 5,029 feet of land on the westerly side of Chester street, numbered 74, between an estate of Bettie Markus and another estate of said West, tax for 1923.....	46 33		
Frank L. Whitcomb, Trustee for James I. Wingate and others—About 6,102 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, adjoining another	209 95		
estate of said Whitcomb, trustee, being lot 6, J. W. Morrison plan, February 25, 1805, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2343, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Ralph F. Whitehead—About 100 feet of land on the westerly side of Harvard terrace, at end, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth L. Cox (numbered 17 Harvard terrace), tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
William Williams—Buildings and about 7,315 feet of land on the northerly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 15, between an estate of Mary Ivory and another and an estate of American Surety Company of New York, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Also about 16,845 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Academy Hill road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Travis, being lot A, William E. Hannan plan, dated July 9, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	83 98		
Martha Wilmot—About 16,234 feet of land on the southwesterly side of North Beacon street, between an estate of Inez S. Strang (numbered 56 and 58) and an estate of Bessie J. McLaughlin and another (numbered 44), tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	32 91		
Also about 9,450 feet of land on the easterly side of Garden street, between an estate of Inez S. Strang (numbered 56 and 58 North Beacon street) and an estate of John J. McLane (numbered 15 and 17 Gordon street), tax for 1923.....	81 51		
Sophia Winch—Buildings and about 2,008 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blaine avenue, numbered 4 and 6, between another estate of said Winch and an estate of Michael Fonseca, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Also buildings and about 1,883 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blaine avenue, numbered 8 and 10, between another estate of said Winch and an estate of Mary A. Smith, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
James M. Woods—Buildings and about 4,766 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot G, John H. Burroughs plan, dated May 11, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923.....	108 68		
Also buildings and about 5,635 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot H, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923.....	207 48		
Also buildings and about 6,623 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot K, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Harold B. and Winifred H. Wright—Buildings and about 4,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Pratt street, numbered 30, between an estate of Dennis J. and Mary A. O'Leary and an estate of John L. Beauchain heirs, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
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American Surety Company of New York—About 2,093 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, making the southwesterly corner of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 29, D. W. Hyde plan, dated August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3760, tax for 1921.....	\$1 94		
Tax for 1922.....	4 91		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,896 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,167 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,494 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,451 feet of land on the			
southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,408 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,365 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,322 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,194 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,151 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,321 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, making the southwesterly corner of Hubbard street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 2,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 91		
Also about 1,981 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining an estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,912 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining an estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,765 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, making the northwesterly corner of Hubbard street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 1,873 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,879 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,885 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 69, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,891 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 70, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,897 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,903 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,909 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also buildings and about 10,711 feet of land on the easterly side of North Harvard street, numbered 216, making the southeasterly corner of Bertam street, adjoining an estate of Robert W. Frost and another trustee, tax for 1922.....	61 75		
Tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Mary P. Anthony—Buildings and about 3,450 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Murdock street, numbered 151 and 153, between another estate of said Anthony and an estate of Jessie Tirrell, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4014, tax for 1923.....	148 29		

Also buildings and about 3,326 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Murdock street, numbered 155 and 157, making the southerly corner of North Beacon street, adjoining another estate of said Anthony, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4014, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Joseph Bruno, Frank Petitti and Alphonso Bruno—Buildings and about 70,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Western avenue, numbered 371 and 373, between an estate of Albert J. Jones and an estate of John August and another, tax for 1923.....	259 35	Also about 4,812 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 57	Helen E. Bumford—Buildings and about 3,850 feet of land on the northerly side of Electric avenue, numbered 10 and 12, between an estate of Annie Jeffery and an estate of Ervin R. Dix, tax for 1923.....	140 79	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28
Kate L. Babeuf Heirs—About 15,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunboy street, adjoining an estate of Columbia DiPersio, being part of lots 10, 11 and 12, F. A. Garvin plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4241, page 578, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Carl Carlson—About 4,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Turner street, making the southwesterly corner of Faneuil street, adjoining an estate of Olive P. Dean, being the northerly part of a lot on E. A. W. Hammatt plan, dated February 26, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3865, page 350, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Also about 2,882 feet of land on the westerly side of Falkland terrace, adjoining an estate of Lottie L. Foley, being lot 6, John H. Rice plan, dated January 1, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2801, page 250, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Charles W. Badger—About 3,027 feet of land on the westerly side of Falkland terrace, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot 5, John H. Rice plan, dated January 1, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2801, page 250, tax for 1923.....	12 35	William R. Carlson and Eric A. Hallstrand—About 3,314 feet of land on the southerly side of Bellamy street, adjoining an estate of Shirley R. Dunbar, being lot 46, John N. McClintock plan, dated October, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3798, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 59
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 48	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 90	Also about 15,244 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bigelow street, adjoining an estate of Allen W. Webber, being lot 51, Whitman Breck & Co. plan, dated October, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1815, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Anthony A. Baia—About 3,012 feet of land on the westerly side of Fletcher street, being lot 26, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Harry P. Chadwick—About 29,604 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Weitz street, making the easterly corner of Franklin street, extending to and making the southerly corner of North Harvard street, being lot A, George H. Sherman plan, dated June 9, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14062, tax for 1922.....	163 02	Also about 5,305 feet of land on the easterly side of North Harvard street, making the northeasterly corner of Kingsley street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Hart, being lot 75, D. W. Hyde plan, dated August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3760, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, making the northwesterly corner of Fletcher street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 1,918 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Windom street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 409, H. A. Millhouse plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3722, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Also about 3,748 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 9, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,745 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Phillip Barlas—About 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 60, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 1,925 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Windom street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 410, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Also about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Burton street, adjoining an estate of James F. Noonan, being lot 3, John N. McClintock plan, dated October, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3798, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Also about 3,985 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 11
Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also buildings and about 8,840 feet of land on the southerly side of Smith street, numbered 37, making the southeasterly corner of Smith street, at angle, adjoining an estate of Antonio Polcaro, tax for 1922.....	19 76	Mabel E. Chadwick—About 4,928 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennett street, adjoining an estate of Louisa W. Lewis, being the easterly part of lot 62 and the northerly part of lot 61, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, adjoining an estate of Phillip Barlos, being lot 59, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Julia H. Cody—About 764 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street (at Newton line), adjoining an estate of Julia A. Lehman, being the westerly part of lot 12, E. S. Smilie plan, dated October 2, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4000, page 320, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Charles A. Cowan—About 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, adjoining an estate of Theresa Magnuson, being lot 73, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated January 3, 1905, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13471, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 6,739 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly street, being lot 7, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1922.....	17 29	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, adjoining an estate of Theresa Magnuson, being lot 71, same plan, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13471, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Bronsdon street, making the northeasterly corner of Lawrence street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 60	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, adjoining an estate of Theresa Magnuson, being lot 75, same plan, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13471, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 2,927 feet of land on the easterly side of Bronsdon street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	17 29	Mabel M. Dalton—Buildings and about 5,814 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 12 and 14, making the westerly corner of Sumner road, adjoining an estate of Mary A. McDonald, tax for 1923.....	212 42
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Bronsdon street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,927 feet of land on the easterly side of Arden street, adjoining an estate of Harvey R. Ruggles, being lot 86, E. W. Bowditch plan, dated November, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1999, page 593, tax for 1922.....	17 29	Ervin R. Dix—About 80 feet of land on the easterly side of Converse street, at end, adjoining an estate of Thomas F. and Mary C. Bowles, being a lot shown on F. O. Whitney plan, dated May 1, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4040, page 263, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Tax for 1923.....	17 29	John J. Duffy—About 764 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, adjoining an estate of Julia A. Lehman, being the westerly part of lot 12, E. S. Smilie plan, dated October 2, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4000, page 320, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28	Charlotte F. Ericson—About 6,056 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Newton street, adjoining an estate of Rose Landay, being lot 53, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 92, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Fletcher street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 4,289 feet of land on the westerly side of North Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Hart, being lot 105, D. W. Hyde plan, dated August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3760, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Charles E. Bemis and Abby V. Young—About 300 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Charles River Reservation, adjoining an estate of Charles E. Willard, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Also about 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 21, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Bonnelli Adams Company—About 2,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Seattle street, being lot 374, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Also about 2,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Seattle street, being lot 375, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Also about 2,790 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Seattle street, being lot 376, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41				
Bourne Hadley Company—Buildings and about 2,684 feet of land on the westerly side of Royal street, numbered 26, between an estate of Mary G. Riley and an estate of Irene Wynott, tax for 1923.....	167 96				
Katherine L. Brannagan—About 5,503 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corinne road, adjoining another estate of said Brannagan, being lot 15, E. S. Smilie plan, dated January, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2589, page 401, tax for 1923.....	14 82				
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corinne road, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82				

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Also about 2,584 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garden street, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88	George W. Gordon—About 4,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Waverly street extension, adjoining another estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot 19, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1923	12 35	Deeds, Book 3760, at end, tax for 1923	2 47
Also about 3,876 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gloucester street, being lot 58, same plan, tax for 1923	17 29	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	9 28	Also buildings and about 3,560 feet of land on the easterly side of Montfern avenue, numbered 45 and 47, between an estate of Nellie H. Murphy and an estate of Katherine M. Mullins, tax for 1923	190 19
Also about 4,067 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gloucester street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923	19 76	William L. and Lillian C. Greene (Undivided)—Buildings and about 2,584 feet of land on the northerly side of Cushman road, numbered 25 and 27, between an estate of Ellen L. Beedle (numbered 23) and an estate of Juniata A. Goodenough and others, tax for 1923	93 86	Also buildings and about 3,463 feet of land on the easterly side of Litchfield street, numbered 81 and 83, making the southeasterly corner of Elba street, adjoining an estate of Annie L. Flynn, tax for 1923	93 86
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	6 70	Paid on account	60 00	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	9 94
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	15 61	Balance due	33 86	Also buildings and about 4,597 feet of land on the easterly side of Royal street, numbered 53, between an estate of William Carter and another and an estate of William L. Staples, tax for 1923	185 25
Also about 4,076 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Murrell street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923	19 76	Lillie M. Haines—Buildings and about 2,522 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hefferan place, numbered 9, between an estate of Esther H. Chellis, and an estate of Aetna Realty Company registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14860, tax for 1923	128 44	James E. Houpoulis—Buildings and about 4,060 feet of land on the northerly side of Easton street, numbered 11, between an estate of Mary M. Love and an estate of Josephine De Grasse, tax for 1923	224 77
Also about 3,953 feet of land on the northerly side of Saybrook street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923	19 76	Victor M. Hall—Buildings and about 2,777 feet of land on the southerly side of Cushman road, numbered 8, between an estate of Thomas Connaughton (numbered 10) and an estate of Margaret A. Collins, tax for 1923	93 86	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	34 15
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	10 18	Eugene B. Hamilton—Buildings and about 3,375 feet of land on the northerly side of Weitz street, numbered 21-25, between an estate of Agnes L. Finley (numbered 13) and an estate of Mary E. Murray, trustee, tax for 1923	106 21	Rufus S. Jaques—About 3,101 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seattle street, adjoining another estate of Rufus S. Jaques, being lot 77, W. A. Mason & Son plan, June 24, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2003, page 338, tax for 1923	17 29
Also about 3,668 feet of land on the northerly side of Saybrook street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923	17 29	Charles E. Hamilton—About 4,745 feet of land on the easterly side of Haskell street, adjoining an estate of Grace D. Snow, being lot 112, E. W. Bowditch plan, dated November, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1999, page 593, tax for 1923	22 23	G. Arthur Kayo—About 4,902 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hobart street, adjoining an estate of John E. Condon and another, being lot 35, shown on a plan not dated, and not named on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923	12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	7 06	Sarah E. Hart—Buildings and about 5,012 feet of land on the easterly side of North Harvard street, numbered 220, between two estates of Robert W. Frost and another, trustees, tax for 1923	108 68	Annie M. Kelley—About 2,806 feet of land on the westerly side of Bronson street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 13, John N. McClintock plan, June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	15 76	James A. Hathaway, Trustee of the Brighton and Bristol Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 259,673 feet of land on the northerly side of Western avenue, numbered 411, 413-417, 419-431, 433, 435, 437-439, 441 and 443, between an estate of Baldosaro DiRoccia and others and an estate of Anna M. J. Sullivan, tax for 1923	1,081 86	Tax for 1923	7 41
Also about 6,733 feet of land on the southerly side of Garden street, being lot 95, same plan, tax for 1923	34 58	Ellen T. Havecan—Buildings and about 20,856 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Market street, numbered 135, 137, 137A, 139 and 139 rear, between an estate of Patrick Gaffey heirs or devisees and an estate of Boston & Albany Railroad Company, tax for 1923	65	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, making the northwesterly corner of Bronson street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1922	9 88
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	22 21	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	5 17	Tax for 1923	9 88
Also about 3,066 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Caled street, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1923	12 35	Also buildings and about 37,810 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, numbered 164 and 166, between another estate of said Havecan and an estate of Ellen V. Corbett, tax for 1923	308 75	Also about 12,000 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, being lots 19, 20-33 and 34, N. J. Holland plan, May 6, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15723, tax for 1923	29 64
Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Caled street, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	84 83	Ellen T. Kelley—About 5,103 feet of land on the southwesterly side of North Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Fannie Sherman, being lot 126, E. W. Bowditch plan, November, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1999, page 593, tax for 1923	34 58
Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Caled street, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88	Also buildings and about 29,762 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, numbered 152, between another estate of said Havecan and an estate of Boston & Albany Railroad Company, tax for 1923	85	Charles J. Kelley—About 2,950 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Smith street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 8, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 7, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922	4 94
Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Caled street, being lot 91, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	63 80	Tax for 1923	4 94
Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Caled street, being lot 90, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923	65	Also about 3,887 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Smith street, making the northwesterly corner of Duck place (now Stadium place), being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1922	9 88
Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Caled street, being lot 89, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88	Also buildings and about 2,601 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cambridge street, numbered 161, between an estate of Clement Lorenzo and an estate of William A. and Daisey E. Price, tax for 1923	108 68	Tax for 1923	9 88
Also about 3,699 feet of land on the northerly side of Elmira street, being lot 88, same plan, tax for 1923	14 82	Also about 1,601 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, making the southeasterly corner of Hubbard street, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 41, D. W. Hyde plan, August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3760, at end, tax for 1923	2 47	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, making the southeasterly corner of Fletcher street, being lot 35, John N. McClintock plan, June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923	7 41
Also about 5,264 feet of land on the easterly side of Market street, being lot 100, same plan, tax for 1923	29 64	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	2 47	Also about 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Fletcher street, adjoining an estate of Phillip Bailas, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1922	4 94
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	22 80	Also buildings and about 1,536 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 39, D. W. Hyde plan, August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk	2 47	Tax for 1923	4 94
Also about 5,999 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1923	29 64			Annie M. Kelley—About 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 18, John N. McClintock plan, June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922	7 41
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	20 34			Tax for 1923	7 41
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 98, same plan, tax for 1923	29 64			Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, making the southwesterly corner of Bronson street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1922	12 35
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	20 34			Tax for 1923	12 35
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 97, same plan, tax for 1923	29 64				
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	20 34				
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1923	29 64				
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	20 22				
Also about 3,725 feet of land on the southerly side of Garden street, being lot 77, same plan, tax for 1923	14 82				
Also about 3,085 feet of land on the westerly side of Gloucester street, being lot 76, same plan, tax for 1923	12 35				
Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Gloucester street, being lot 75, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88				
Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Gloucester street, being lot 74, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88				
Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Gloucester street, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88				
Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Gloucester street, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88				
Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Gloucester street, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88				
Also about 3,725 feet of land on the northerly side of Elmira street, being lot 70, same plan, tax for 1923	12 35				
Henry B. Goodenough Heirs or Devisees—About 10,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Brooks street, being the southerly part of lot 141, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 79, tax for 1923	22 23				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	29 50				
Moth assessment for 1923	50				
Also about 10,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Brooks street, being lot 143, same plan, tax for 1923	22 23				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	29 50				
Moth assessment for 1923	50				

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Also about 4,850 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 79, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,686 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 81, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,428 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 82, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,313 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 85, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,684 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 86, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,060 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 87, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,591 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 89, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Margaret B. Maher—About 17,755 feet of land on the easterly side of Brentwood street, making the northeasterly corner of Appian way, adjoining an estate of Margaret A. Parker, tax for 1921.....	79 04		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	34 21		
Tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	32 01		
Mary H. Mahoney—Buildings and about 4,912 feet of land on the westerly side of Bigelow street, numbered 40, between an estate of Nellie O. Hall and an estate of Mary E. Keyler, tax for 1923.....	101 27		
John A. and Helen W. Martin—Buildings and about 3,293 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hopcdale street, numbered 14, between an estate of Annie T. Davis and an estate of Bridget Golden, tax for 1923.....	76 57		
Paid on account.....	40 00		
Balance due.....	36 57		
Nellie M. McCarthy—Buildings and about 10,055 feet of land on the northerly side of Waverly place, numbered 3 and 5, between an estate of Mary W. Abell and an estate of John G. Corson, tax for 1923.....			
Paid on account.....	45 00		
Balance due.....	43 92		
Johanna McDonald—Buildings and about 3,910 feet of land on the southerly side of Arlington street, numbered 28 and 30, between an estate of Patrick McDermott and an estate of Abigail F. Burns, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	39 59		
Joseph F. McManus—Buildings and about 3,428 feet of land on the southerly side of Litchfield street, numbered 91, between an estate of Mary Gallagher and an estate of James Townsend, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 87		
Catherine McNally—Buildings and about 270,902 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, numbered 83, between an estate of Margaret Welsh and an estate of Thomas J. McClue, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	220 59		
Julia A., Louis G. and Hobart G. Mead and Emma A. Wright—About 1,880 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northerly side of Franklin street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Elizabeth Warren (numbered 166 Franklin street), tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 29, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 30, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 31, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 32, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 33, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 34, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Ethel R. Millner—Buildings and about 2,520 feet of land on the southerly side of Empire street, numbered 73, between an estate of Commonwealth Real Estate and Investment Company and an estate of Etta M. Moore and another, tax for 1923.....	301 34		
Stephen F. Monahan—Buildings and about 7,824 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Market street, numbered 343, 345 rear and 347, between an estate of Michael Raftery and an estate of Pardo Vannelli, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	153 14	6 36	
Katherine A. Moran—Buildings and about 8,236 feet of land on the easterly side of Franklin street, numbered 99, between an estate of Columbus R. Ritner and an estate of Morris Marks, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50		
Paid on account.....	75 00		
Balance due.....	48 50		
Honora A. Morrison Buildings and about 18,718 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wexford street, numbered 64 and 66, between an estate of Jonathan E. Harlow and an estate of Domenico Lombardo, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Mary Moutouris—Buildings and about 5,043 feet of land on the easterly side of Royal street, numbered 11 and 15, between another estate of said Moutouris and an estate of George L. Flanders, tax for 1923.....	\$531 05		
Paid on account.....	187 50		
Balance due.....	343 55		
Also buildings and about 5,846 feet of land on the easterly side of Royal street, numbered 5 and 7, making the northeasterly corner of Cambridge street, adjoining another estate of said Moutouris, tax for 1923.....	\$568 10		
Paid on account.....	187 50		
Balance due.....	380 60		
Daniel Murphy—Buildings and about 2,584 feet of land on the southerly side of Maple avenue, numbered 66, between an estate of Patrick Kenney and an estate of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Mary E. Murray, Trustee of the Sudbury Real Estate Trust—About 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Weitz street, being lot D ³ C. B. Humphrey plan, dated May 29, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14062, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Also about 29,604 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Franklin street, being lot A, George H. Sherman plan, dated June 9, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14062, tax for 1923.....	163 02		
Marie J. Nolan—Buildings and about 4,811 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, numbered 297, making the northwesterly corner of Hobson street, adjoining an estate of Albert L. Schaller (numbered 301), tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Francis J. O'Gorman—About 3,876 feet of land on the southerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 60, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 80		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 70		
Old South Trust Company—About 5,537 feet of land on the easterly side of Duncklee road, being lot 126, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,375 feet of land on the easterly side of Duncklee road, being lot 127, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Duncklee road, being lot 128, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Duncklee road, being lot 129, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Duncklee road, being lot 130, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 6,526 feet of land on the southerly side of Duncklee road, being lot 131, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 9,388 feet of land on the southerly side of Duncklee road, being lot 132, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also about 5,766 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 137, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 7,671 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 136, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 7,551 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 135, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 6,047 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 134, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 4,057 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 133, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Owner or Owners Unknown—About 3,934 feet of land on the northerly side of Newton street, adjoining an estate of Boston & Albany Railroad Company, being a strip of land with a frontage of 281 feet on Newton street and 14 feet wide, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Frank E. Peterson—Buildings and about 3,443 feet of land on the southerly side of Hooker street, numbered 24 and 26, between an estate of Frank E. Peterson and an estate of Annie Oxman, tax for 1923.....	365 56		
Also buildings and about 3,700 feet of land on the southerly side of Hooker street, numbered 20 and 22, between an estate of William W. Fabeock and another estate of Frank E. Peterson, tax for 1923.....	363 09		
Axel N. Peterson—Buildings and about 4,903 feet of land on the southerly side of Brooks street, numbered 112, between an estate of Agnes C. Hewitt and an estate of Edwin F. Benson and another tax for 1923.....	103 74		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	33 99		
Joseph A. Picone—About 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Fletcher street, adjoining another estate of said Picone, being lot 23, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Fletcher street, adjoining another estate of said Picone, being lot 24, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Fletcher street, adjoining another estate of said Picone, being lot 25, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	4 94		

Charles W. Rice, Trustee of the Beacon Associates—About 1,970 feet of land on the northerly side of Western avenue, making the junction of Hefferman place, adjoining an estate of Marion M. Davison, being lot B12, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated June 27, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11926, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Francis L. Richards—Buildings and about 1,290 feet of land on the westerly side of Holmes street, numbered 26 and 28, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of David Cheever, tax for 1923.....	59 28		
Samuel Richards—About 4,724 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Antwerp street, adjoining an estate of Catherine Queeny, being lot 121, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Charles H. Richardson—About 278,464 feet of land on the easterly side of private way, making the southeasterly corner Soldiers' Field road and an estate of Sarah Clark, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Tax for 1922.....	148 20		
Susan R. Romney—About 11,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Newton street, adjoining another estate of said Romney, being the westerly part of lot 80, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated April, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3826, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Newton street, adjoining another estate of said Romney, being the easterly part of lot 80, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated April, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3826, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Edward S. Russell—Buildings and about 7,952 feet of land on the southerly side of Holton street, numbered 39, between an estate of Arthur W. Hopkins and an estate of Jennie A. Gallagher, tax for 1923.....	143 26		
Frank E. Sherry—About 1,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Duck Lane place, being the southeasterly part of lot 33, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 7, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Philip Sheiber—About 2,150 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sorrento street, being lot 299, H. A. Millhouse plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3722, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,134 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sorrento street, making the westerly corner of Oxford street, being lot 300, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Benny Sheiber—About 2,299 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sorrento street, being lot 354, H. A. Millhouse plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3722, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,319 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sorrento street, being lot 355, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,299 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sorrento street, being lots 356 and 357, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Cleveland Sleeper, Eva G. and Ethel G. Huntington—About 23,479 feet of land on the northerly side of Western avenue, between an estate of John P. W. Callaghan and others and an estate of Mary E. Malone, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Also about 11,962 feet of land on the northerly side of Raymond street, making the northwesterly corner of Riverdale street, adjoining an estate of Julia White, tax for 1923.....	51 34		
Albert C. Smith—About 1,080 feet of land lying in the rear of the southwesterly side of Harvard street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Joseph Zahka and others, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 206 feet of land on the easterly side of Corinne road, being a lot shown on E. S. Smilie plan, January, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2589, page 401, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Agnes G. Sullivan—About 6,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street, being lot A, D. W. Hyde plan, December 31, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4213, page 506, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	25 88		
Tenants Home Corporation—About 2,983 feet of land on the northerly side of Garden street, being lot 6, D. W. Hyde plan, March 18, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2942, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
George W. Thurston—About 4,612 feet of land on the northerly side of Raymond street, between an estate of Patrick J. Carr and another and another estate of said Thurston, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also buildings and about 5,062 feet of land on the northerly side of Raymond street, numbered 18, between another estate of said Thurston and an estate of Juniata A. Goodenough and others, tax for 1923.....	83 98		
Annie E. Timmins—Buildings and about 13,184 feet of land on the northerly side of Lincoln street, numbered 240, 242, 242 rear, between an estate of Charles Jesukiewicz and an estate of Martin Finigan heirs, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Paid on account.....	60 00		
Balance due.....	19 04		
Guy D. Tobey—About 3,578 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saybrook street, being lot 29, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 96		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 37		
John F. Trundy—Buildings and about 3,172 feet of land on the westerly side of Falkland terrace, numbered 16, between an estate of Charles W. Badger and another estate of said Trundy, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Also about 3,317 feet of land on the westerly side of Falkland terrace, being lot 3, John H. Rice plan, January 1, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2801, page 250, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Alice M. Upton—About 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Beechcroft street, being lot 48, E. A. W. Hammatt plan, January 25, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3518, page 24, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Beechcroft street, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Beechcroft street, being lot 46, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
H. Grace Wadsworth—About 6,901 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richards street, being lot 9, James Adam plan, dated May, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12545, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 11		
Also about 5,950 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richards street, being lot 11, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12545, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50		
Edna G. Wadsworth—Buildings and about 6,856 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunnewell avenue, numbered 72, between an estate of Winslow B. Briggs and another and an estate of Eugene B. Hamilton, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12545, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 11		
Winslow B. P. Briggs, Junior, and Edna G. Wadsworth—About 6,856 feet of land on the southerly side of Hunnewell street, being lot 1, James Adam plan, dated May, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16561, tax for 1922.....	17 29		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 40		
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Collector of Taxes for the City of Boston.

MASSACHUSETTS BAY COLONY.

The first chartered colony in New England, charter granted by Charles I on March 4, 1629. About a year before, a patent had been granted to six prominent men of Dorchester, west of England, among whom was Capt. John Endicott. He sailed in June, 1628, with a party of 50 or 60 persons, arriving in September and settling at Naumkeag, afterward named Salem. In the spring of 1629, the Bay Company fitted out three ships conveying about 400 persons and arriving at Salem in June. Endicott sent a small party to effect a settlement on the Bay in Mishawum, afterward named by the settlers Charlestown, the first town in New England to assume the town polity, Plymouth and Salem being governed by a Governor and Council. Endicott was appointed in London as the first resident Governor on April 30, 1629. The Massachusetts Bay Company was reorganized in London on Oct. 20, 1629, when John Winthrop was chosen as Governor. He arrived at Salem on June 12, 1630, soon proceeded to Charlestown with a large following, and finding that place unsuitable, finally settled in Boston. Winthrop served thirteen years as Governor in four different periods ending in 1649 and Endicott 15 years at various times ending in 1665. Other governors were Thomas Dudley, Richard Bellingham, John Haynes, Henry Vane, John Leverett and Simon Bradstreet, the latter serving 12 years until 1692 when the Bay Colony and the Plymouth Colony were merged, becoming the Royal Province of Massachusetts Bay, which existed 82 years to 1774, the governors being appointed by the King.

The name, Massachusetts, is Indian and signifies "near the big hills."

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being abolished. For these was substituted a single City Council of nine members to

be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, *i. e.*, whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, *i. e.*, establishing a single term of four years, but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (*i. e.*, the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor which licensees claimed the right to sell was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on June 7, 1920. The result of this decision was that former applicants for liquor

licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (*i. e.*, prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topeka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

SETTLEMENT OF BOSTON.

Boston was settled in the latter part of August, 1630, by Puritan colonists under Governor John Winthrop. The name of the original settlement was changed to Boston from Trimountaine by order of the Court of Assistants on September 7 (O. S.), 1630. This date was moved forward by the New Style calendar in 1752 to Sept. 17, the recognized date of the founding of Boston. The name, Trimountaine, had been given because of the three peaks of the most prominent hill, afterward called Beacon Hill, much higher then than now. By the Indians the place was called Shawmut. The name, Boston, was derived from the English town of Boston in Lincolnshire, the home of some of the leading colonists and promoters of the enterprise.

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BUILT PRACTICALLY BY UNEMPLOYED VETERAN LABOR, IT SERVED PURPOSE OF REHABILITATING CITIZENS AND ALSO SAVED MONEY IN ITS CONSTRUCTION—ANOTHER MONUMENT TO MAYOR CURLEY.



INTERIOR VIEW OF MAVERICK SQUARE TERMINAL, OPENED FOR TRAFFIC THIS WEEK—TO RELIEVE EAST BOSTON TUNNEL OF CONGESTION.

The opening of the Maverick Square Terminal of the East Boston Tunnel on April 21 completed one of the most interesting and complicated engineering projects in the history of rapid transit development.

The tunnel proper between Scollay square and Maverick square was completed in 1904, approximately ten years after its authorization by the Legislature and was the first subaqueous tunnel by street railway operation in the world. In 1916 it was extended to Cambridge street west of Bowdoin square, and this extension provided for a loop, thus eliminating the shifting of trolleys on a dead end track and allowing the use of trailer cars. In 1917 the tremendous increase in passenger traffic taxed the capacity of the operating units, and the Legislature authorized an extension at the East Boston terminus to relieve the intolerable congestion during rush hours.

As the signal system would not permit any additional units of operation, the

only method of enlarging the facilities of the tunnel was by increasing the size of the units to four, six or eight car trains, restricting the operation of these trains to the tunnel by the construction of an underground loop in Maverick square. The convenient interchange of passengers underground on a one-level platform necessitated the construction also of a loop for surface cars entering the tunnel at the East Boston terminal.

An entrance and exit is provided for local passengers, in Maverick square at Sumner street, who may have occasion to board or leave trains without using surface cars. Emergency exits are provided at Lewis and Webster streets. The passenger entrance building at Maverick square was designed to harmonize with the splendid architectural features of the old Maverick House nearby, and is a distinct improvement to the esthetic appearance of the square.

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STARTS MOVE TO RESTORE HOSPITAL.

MAYOR CURLEY FILES PETITION ASKING ATTORNEY-GENERAL BENTON TO MOVE TO RETURN BRIGHAM HOSPITAL TO PEOPLE.

Mayor Curley has presented to Attorney-General Benton his petition on behalf of the City of Boston that the Attorney-General bring an information in equity in the Supreme Judicial Court of the Commonwealth for the purpose of procuring an injunction restraining the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital and its officers from misusing and misapplying the funds of the Robert Breck Brigham Trust and for the purpose of procuring some suitable person to be appointed by the court to maintain and carry on said hospital; and further that an accounting be sought from said corporation and its officers of all moneys and assets received by the said corporation and its officers.

The Mayor's complaint is based upon the belief that Robert Breck Brigham intended by the terms of his will to establish an institution in the nature of a home for the care and support, and medical and surgical treatment of those citizens of Boston who are without necessary means of support and are incapable of obtaining a comfortable livelihood by reason of chronic or incurable disease or permanent physical disability.

It is the Mayor's belief that in violation of this plain provision the Robert Breck Brigham is a hospital wherein acute cases are treated and experimental and research work is carried on for the benefit of an exclusive clique of doctors. It is a hospital *de luxe* for such patients as are recommended to it by private physicians. Robert Brigham meant to establish a home for poor incurables such as the City of Boston has established at Long Island. Mayor Curley hopes by his petition to the Attorney-General that this hospital can be forced to carry on the work contemplated by the Brigham will.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

C. & R. Construction Company have been allowed to amend contract for erecting and completing addition to the Julia Ward Howe School, Dale street, Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "December 15, 1923," on page 24, Section E, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "June 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section E on page 24 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about April 15, 1923, and is to be completed on or before June 1, 1924."



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
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Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

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To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquises, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

TRIBUTES TO PRESIDENT ELIOT ON EXHIBITION AT LIBRARY.

The Boston Public Library is fortunate in being able to display, for the benefit of the citizens of Boston, the impressive collection of tributes offered to Charles William Eliot on his ninetieth birthday. The collection, which contains nearly 125 items, occupies the cases in the Exhibition Room, where it will be on view for a period of two weeks.

Perhaps the most prominent objects in the collection are the decorations conferred upon President Eliot by foreign governments. Of these there are six, the latest being the star and jewel of the Order of St. Sava, conferred by the King of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes in 1923, which is a beautiful example of goldsmith's work. Next in interest is the Japanese Imperial Order of the Rising Sun. This is a remarkable piece of enamel work, contained in a handsome box of gold lacquer. In addition to these there is the jewel of an officer of the Legion of Honor and Orders of the Crowns of Belgium, Italy and Prussia.

The written tributes are uniform in size, on beautiful parchment paper. Many of them are very handsomely illuminated. They convey to President Eliot the greetings of various groups and associations in different parts of the world which united to do him honor on his birthday. The first group contains the sentiments of the various faculties of Harvard University, in each case signed by the dean. Next, and perhaps even more interesting, is a series of sheets expressing the affection of representative groups of Harvard students. One, bearing twenty-four signatures, contains the names of the managers of all the athletic teams of the university, the editors of the college papers and the presidents of

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

the leading college societies; others come from the students of the schools which compose the university.

The next group conveys the greetings of associations of scientists and educators, among them the General Education Board, the National Academy of Sciences, the Massachusetts Historical Society, the American Association for the Advancement of Science and the American Academy in Rome.

Next in order comes a dignified procession of tributes from the leading colleges and universities of the country, signed in each case by the president. Beyond these march the sheets bearing the greetings of Harvard Clubs all over the world.

No one can walk past the cases in which the tributes are displayed without gaining a deep impression of the veneration and love with which Doctor Eliot is universally regarded.

Almost every sheet contains at least one sentence worth quoting. The following is the six-line stanza received from the American Institute of Arts and Letters:

TO CHARLES W. ELIOT, AT NINETY.
Great soul, "serene," "adventurous,"
Your calm and courage censure us
Who fret or fear or shun the strife.
May you live out your century
Of tranquil, brave adventure.
Teaching us how to live a life.

On the walls of the room in which the collection is displayed is hung, in addition to a fine portrait of Doctor Eliot and photographs showing all the buildings of the university as they were during his term of office, the address of the Board of Overseers of Harvard University, "To Charles William Eliot, in loyal and affectionate greeting on his ninetieth birthday," inscribed in gold letters on a sheet of vellum.

CALLS UPON CATHOLICS TO PRESERVE RELIGION FROM MODERNISM'S BLAST.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS THRILLINGLY NOTABLE ADDRESS AT MEETING OF CATHOLIC UNION TO WELCOME CARDINAL O'CONNELL BACK TO ARCHDIOCESE.

Mayor James M. Curley made the following address at the exercises of welcome extended his Eminence, Cardinal O'Connell, at Catholic Union Hall, Tuesday evening, April 22:

In welcoming back to his home and duty our beloved moral and religious leader, his Eminence the Cardinal Archbishop of Boston, in hailing his return to the burdens, problems and responsibilities of his high office, I cannot help feeling that in view of the conditions of the hour that the immediate and urgent need of the Archdiocese of Boston is a trained, competent, loyal, fearless leadership among the Catholic laity to supplement the labors of him who by his courage, wisdom, constructive talent, diplomatic genius and fidelity to Catholic truth, tradition, precept and practice, has done so much to establish the place, strengthen the position and sustain prestige of the Catholic Church and people in New England.

What is true of Boston is true of every archdiocese and diocese of America; and only as we cultivate and develop a strong, self-respecting lay leadership can we expect to compel the respect of those outside the church, who have accepted and profess the colonial tradition that the ancient mother church and its believers are alien and negligible in America.

When we consider the moral decay, the religious indifference in America in this age, illustrated as they are in the attenuation of moral obligation in public and private life, in the repudiation of constitutional guaranties upon which rests the integrity and permanence of the republic; in the seeming condonation of this lawlessness by the indifference and timidity of those who ignore the responsibility imposed upon them by their position and influence in the community to rebuke these offenders and arrest their propaganda of intolerance and dissension—in consideration of these things and the threat they convey to the moral health, the religious liberty, the civic peace and political rights of America, there is an imperious necessity for a competent and courageous leadership among Catholic laymen, to uphold the hands and listen to the counsels of the acknowledged leaders of our church in America.

The safety and integrity, the rights and principles of our faith and church are constantly the targets at which irreligion and ignorance aim; there are certain fields of activity from which our religious leaders are barred by custom and choice; there are phases of controversy and conflict in which the church and its dignitaries cannot mingle without jeopardizing their dignity and honor; and in these forbidden areas the Catholic laymen find a useful field of activity.

It is a human trait to measure and advertise the merits of those we oppose by their least estimable elements; it is our duty to compel respect by the character and achievement of our best; and it should be our constant effort to see that the talent, accomplishment and fair

fame of Catholics of standing and repute shall receive recognition in press and platform, in literary exploitation and in permanent historical record.

For neglect in these things we are largely to blame ourselves; it is difficult to expect honor and acclaim for the genius and work of Catholics with which we neglect to familiarize ourselves.

How many of us know the story of that heroic Catholic patriot, Hofer, the man of Tyrol, who successfully refused to submit to the legions of Napoleon and wear the conqueror's yoke?

Who among us is familiar with the work of Gabriel Garcia Moreno, President of Ecuador, who found his country in the hands of military adventurers, its churches desecrated, its faith derided, its people oppressed and plundered, and Ecuador given over to tyranny, irreligion and despair? A devout and earnest Catholic, Moreno devoted his life to the liberation of his country, the restoration of religion and the establishment of a government that honored faith, inculcated morality and made freedom the handmaid of faith and patriotism; and he succeeded in making Ecuador the realization of his ideals and aims. He worked upon his favorite motto, "Liberty for everyone and everything, save for evil and evil-doers."

We are fairly familiar with the character and work of Frederick Ozanam, the philanthropist and founder of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, but that is not enough; the honor and fame of this great Catholic philanthropist should not be confined to Catholics alone; the non-Catholic world should by knowledge of his great work learn to respect and reverence him.

The name and achievement of Charles Forbes Rene de Montalambert, orator, apostle of liberty, defender of the faith, annalist of the Irish monks of the West, who Christianized and civilized barbaric Europe; historian, writer, friend of O'Connell and a Catholic peer of France, whose work and character commanded the honor and compelled the respect of Europe in the first half of the nineteenth century, sufficiently known to Catholics of today to stir their imagination and challenge emulation.

Begin today to know him.

Frederick Lucas, the companion and co-laborer of the great O'Connell in the first fight for Catholic emancipation, and the founder and editor of that great Catholic organ, the "Tablet"; Windthorst, the liberator of German Catholicism from Prussian oppression, the man who brought Bismarck to his knees and to Canossa, who compelled the reversal of his persecution policies and put an end to the paganizing of education in Germany. Are we sufficiently acquainted with the wonderful work of these great Catholics, ignored in literature by the forces and fanaticisms they fought and conquered?

Has science any more brilliant name in its roster than that of Louis Pasteur,

that modest and inflexible Catholic, whose researches and labors revolutionized medicine, industry and agriculture and opened the windows that look out on an unexplored world and showed humanity the secrets of nature, unveiled the mysteries that envelops disease, and whose devotion to religion and undisputed eminence in science have proved an unanswerable refutation of materialism's stale falsehood that the Catholic Church and science were irreconcilably opposed.

The opposition of our church to the propaganda euphemistically termed "Modernism" is not antagonism to science, progress, enlightenment and the advance of civilization, but the new and paganizing influences that are seeking to shake the pillars of authority, to modernize morality by taking the "nots" out of the ten commandments and weakening the bulwarks that have protected the home, made marriage a sacred bond, and that has sought to set up standards of character and conduct at variance with the ancient and unchangeable philosophy of life, without which civilization cannot endure.

So I appeal to this Catholic Union to be up and doing; to call out our lay leadership and our lay organizations to stand loyally and unflinchingly behind the beloved leader who has come back to us to guide and counsel us.

It is for us to renew our allegiance to God and country, to protect and preserve them with courage and devotion, to the end that all who live under the American flag may enjoy every constitutional guaranty without regard to race, creed or color, not as a privilege, but as an inalienable right.

MAYOR EXCHANGES RADIO GREETINGS.

Mayor Curley exchanged Easter radio greeting with Capt. Robert Dollar, chairman of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, and a party from the Golden Gate who have been making a commercial and industrial tour of the world.

Captain Dollar is the famous original of the "Cappy Ricks" stories and whose rugged personality has been depicted on the American stage.

The steamer "President Hayes," en route from Gibraltar to Boston, arrived Monday morning and Captain Dollar entertained Mayor Curley and friends at a dinner upon the steamer. The Mayor returned the compliment by entertaining Captain Dollar and a party from the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon served at the Copley-Plaza Hotel upon Tuesday, April 22, at one o'clock p. m. The messages are as follows:

VIA RADIO, CAPE RACE.

CAPT. ROBERT DOLLAR, on Board S.S. "President Hayes," en route Gibraltar to Boston:

Upon the anniversary of the world's most beautiful story, Easter Day, sincerely trust that all its manifold blessing may attend you.

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

VIA RADIO, CHATHAM, MASS.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, Boston, Mass.:

Heartiest thanks for your kind message. I appreciate your sentiments to the fullest extent and may God shower abundant blessings on you.

ROBERT DOLLAR.

MAVERICK SQUARE TERMINAL.

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While work was actually commenced on a small scale in the fall of 1921, it was not until April, 1922, that the Transit Department was authorized to proceed in force. At that time the unemployment situation throughout New England had reached alarming figures, and a large proportion of the unemployed was composed of veterans of the World War. Because of the peculiar construction requirements made necessary by the operation of cars through the tunnel during the entire twenty-four hours of each day, and with a view to reducing the constantly increasing pay roll for soldiers' relief, Mayor Curley issued instructions to have this work done by day labor, the preference to be given to former service men.

Although many of these men were inexperienced in work of this character, within a reasonable time they acquired the necessary knowledge through skillful supervision, and this massive structure has been completed within the time limits, despite the unforeseen construction difficulties and the abnormal weather conditions. Day and night for over two years, crews of men have been engaged in excavating below tide water, removing and relocating water, sewer and gas pipes, telephone and telegraph conduits and electric lighting service without interruption for a moment. Even the night crews have been operating regularly regardless of the fact that over 15,000 charges of dynamite were "shot off" for blasting such sections of the old concrete tunnel as had to be removed. It is a magnificent tribute to the skill of the entire organization that this blasting was accomplished without an accident to life or property.

Some idea of the magnitude of this undertaking may be obtained from the following figures:

About 125,000 cubic yards of material had to be excavated, a great proportion of which was removed from under old buildings which had to be carefully underpinned; 28,000 cubic yards of reinforced concrete were installed which required 42,000 barrels of cement and over 1,000 tons of steel reinforcing rods; 1,800 tons of heavy steel for girders and columns were fabricated and erected and 130,000 feet of saturated fabric for waterproofing the structure, was laid.

The maximum number of men employed at one time was about nine hundred and this included civil engineers, foremen, inspectors, hoisting engineers, firemen, pumpmen, bricklayers, carpenters, plumbers, bracers, ironworkers, machinists, electricians, rodsetters, cement finishers, painters, waterproofers, concrete drillers, laborers and watchmen.

Included in this underground structure is a completely equipped car shop, fitted with all the necessary tools and appliances for making repairs to the cars.

The new steel cars being operated are of the Pullman type, specially designed to fit the size of the tunnel proper, and have three pneumatically controlled doors on each side to facilitate loading and unloading. Platforms throughout the remaining tunnel stations at Atlantic Station, Devonshire, Scollay Under and Bowdoin Square have been raised to meet the new car platform, thereby eliminating the raised step which is a constant source of accident. These cars

are 47 feet 3 inches in length and have a maximum carrying capacity of 180 passengers as against 150 in the present type of surface car.

It is estimated by General Manager Dana of the Elevated that the construction of this terminal will increase the capacity of the East Boston Tunnel for passenger traffic about 135 per cent, and will take care of the normal increase in traffic throughout this section for approximately ten years.

The station platforms are 350 feet in length, or of sufficient room for two four-car trains at one time. The surface car platforms are long enough to take four two-car trains. The entire underground structure is approximately 1,600 feet long, 140 feet in width and about 50 feet below the surface of the street.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for excavating and grading for extension of four-grave lot section, Mt. Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury. Surety bond in the amount of \$3,000 will be required. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for leasing for a term of three years the refreshment privilege in booth corner of L street and Strandway, South Boston. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, May 7, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for leasing coin lock privileges in convenience stations on Boston Common and Refectory Building, Franklin Park. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, May 7, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the metal work and roofing at Quincy Market, north side, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Buildings Department, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 29, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Hallowell street, between Oakland and Newcastle streets and outlet in private land, from Favre street to Hallowell street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,500. Blank forms for proposals may be secured from the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$850, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 5, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing bituminous coal to the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100 for each of the nine districts, or the entire number at \$900, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing Welsh anthracite coal to the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price for each of the nine districts or for the total nine districts. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100 for each single district or \$900 for the total number, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing American anthracite coal to the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price for each district singly or for the total nine districts. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100 for each district or \$900 for the total number of districts, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 29, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for two new fire escapes on the Thomas Starr King School, Charles street, corner of Bunker Hill street, and alterations on the present fire escapes on the Bunker Hill School, Baldwin street, corner of Bunker Hill street, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Commission, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, April 23. Bids, accompanied by a certi-

fied check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 9, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for moving the present manual training room from basement to first floor of the William E. Russell School, Columbia road, near Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, and doing all alterations, etc. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 9, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for alterations to printing room, etc., in the Prince School, Newbury street, corner of Exeter street, Back Bay, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, after April 30. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, May 13, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in various highways in Brighton as shown in advertisement in another page of this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bids, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, May 6, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Paving Service, three scarifying road rollers. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, April 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meat to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the various city departments hay, grain and straw for the month of May. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, April 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing lumber to the various city departments as required. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, April 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing surgical supplies to the City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing liquid metal polish to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Paving Service of the Public Works Department 50,000 wood blocks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing cast-iron water pipes to the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 8, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, April 24:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Eileen P. Burke has been appointed as permanent clerk and stenographer at \$900 a year.

John J. Mahoney has been employed as temporary clerk for a period of thirty days at \$4 a day.

Catherine J. Moore has been continued as temporary clerk for an additional period of thirty days at \$4 a day.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, April 10:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—William Holland, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Michael Foley, maid (patient), \$240 a year; James D. Daley, fireman, \$33 a week; Emma Murphy, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Rose L. Kuhn, assistant housekeeper, \$700 a year; Dennis Reagan, attendant nurse, \$480 a year; Mary Foley, laundress, \$420 a year; Alfred Erickson, engineer, \$36 a week; Christine Ouillette, nurse, \$720 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Martin J. O'Toole, fireman, \$33 a week; Dennis Reagan, maid (patient), \$240 a year; William Holland, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Mary Larkin, assistant cook, \$420 a year; John Sundstrom, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Doris Fried, M. D., pathologist, \$2,000 a year; Helen Norton, clerk, \$580 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Daniel J. Kinnaly has been granted an extension of leave of absence, without pay.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary F. Mattie has been given a provisional temporary appointment for a period of three months as a dental hygienist at \$1,400 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday April 17:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Alden Roache, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Robert Marden, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Timothy Kaville, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Rohena Meldrum, ward helper, \$11 a week; Lillian M. Tilton, ward helper, \$11 a week; Frances Murphy, ward helper, \$11 a week; Margaret Carton, ward helper, \$11 a week; Melia Martin, ward helper, \$11 a week; Opal Bates, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Helen Ruby, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Mary Gleason, telephone operator (re-employed), \$20 a week; Mary E. Callaghan, laundress, \$14 a week; Irene Teban, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Everett Shonts, male nurse (re-employed), \$9.33 a week; Bessie Duthie, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Peter Glynn, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; William C. Whitford, supervisor, \$18 a week.

Temporary.—Mary T. Grady, special nurse, \$35 a week; Helen Riley, special nurse, \$35 a week; Mary Dyas, special nurse, \$35 a week; Irene Swominen,

special nurse, \$35 a week; Julia Mayne, laundress, \$14 a week; Fannie Gardner, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Joseph A. Ballem, assistant supervisor at \$21.50 to supervisor at \$24.50 a week; Elizabeth Gallivan, table girl at \$9.50 to kitchenwoman at \$11 a week; Sadie McNeil, kitchenwoman at \$11 to table girl at \$9.50 a week; Edward Mafierski, baker's assistant at \$14 to \$15 a week; Mary Valley, ward assistant at \$9.50 to cleaner at \$11.50 a week; Charles Gately, supervisor at \$18 to assistant supervisor at \$21.50 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Francis McCarthy, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Edith York.

Dorothy McLaughlin, pupil nurse, at a salary of \$300 a year, reinstated.

Patrick H. Toole, porter, at a salary of \$500 a year, to succeed John J. Donovan.

Joseph F. Tierney, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Marie D. Woodward.

Marie D. Woodward, stenographer, transferred from attendant, at a salary of \$800 a year, to succeed Katherine Paty.

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

John Murphy, assistant engineer, "Perkins," at a salary of \$33 a week, temporary.

James Tehan, watchman, "Perkins," at a salary of \$29.75 a week, temporary.

John P. Sullivan, fireman, "Hibbard," at a salary of \$920 a year, to succeed Charles Healey.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Michael F. O'Connor has been granted further temporary employment as night fireman for one month from April 15, 1924, at \$25 a week.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Sarah Mackin has been granted an extension of temporary employment for a period of thirty days as matron and seamstress at \$18 a week for special work—the making of fig leaves.

James C. Dunn, wheelwright and wagonmaker at \$1,700 a year, has been promoted to chief carpenter at \$1,800 a year.

Charles L. Mellen has been granted an extension of temporary employment for a period of thirty days as laborer at \$4 a day.

The following citizens have been granted temporary employment for a period of about six months as laborers at \$4 a day:

Daniel F. Coleman, John J. Brooks, Jr., Walter F. Varley, Edward A. Sullivan, Louis Miano, James Glennon, Patrick J. Mulvey, Patrick Blessington, John M. Cloran, Daniel Walraven, Daniel J. Callahan, James F. Dowling, Edward McNulty, Patrick J. Scully and James F. Gaffey.

The following citizens have been given temporary employment for a period of six months as laborers for the Park Division at \$4 a day.

Timothy J. Nagle, Edward McLaughlin, Charles Walther, Neil McLaughlin,

Joseph O'Hanlon, William Bonner, William Turner, Cornelius Keating, James McKenzie.

PARK DEPARTMENT (Cemetery Division).

The following citizens have been given temporary employment for a period of six months as laborers for the Cemetery Division of the Park Department at \$4 a day:

Charles Ring, Henry T. Brennan, Patrick J. Mullaney, Martin J. O'Malley, Patrick S. Duffy, Stephen Earner, Patrick J. Collieran, Michael J. Keene, Gerald J. Finity, Patrick F. Landers, John H. Galvin, Laurence L. Lane, Michael J. Norton, Patrick Gallagher, Michael Mooney, John Carney, James W. Cherry, George J. Kelly, Robert H. Amrock and Joseph H. Jeffrey.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Herbert M. Hammett has been appointed locksmith at \$5 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Rourke, Commissioner of Public Works, has been allowed to visit Charleston, W. Va., and New York City, to investigate the actual workings of garbage and refuse incinerators in these cities. Estimated expense, \$125.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Central Office).

Melvin G. Carr has been promoted from clerk at \$1,000 a year in the paving permit office, to clerk at \$1,500 a year in the Central Office to fill a permanent vacancy.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Ruthford J. Kelley, transitman, has been transferred from the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth to the Paving Service in a similar position at \$1,800 a year.

John H. Tagen and Thomas J. Hannon have been appointed temporary rodmen at \$18 a week for a period of six months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

The following chauffeur-teamsters have been granted an increase in pay from \$4 a day to \$30 a week, to operate motor-driven flushers and sweepers and are to be paid the higher rate when driving these machines: Mortimer J. Coakley, John J. Landrigan, John H. McGrath, Jr., James J. Connors, John J. Marshall, James A. McCabe, Joseph Z. Lamothe.

The following employees temporarily transferred to the Transit Department as watchmen have been returned to their former employment: John J. Collins, teamster, \$4 a day; Patrick Doyle, teamster, \$4 a day; George M. Flynn, teamster, \$4 a day; Joseph Yout, teamster, \$4 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Edward A. Brock has been appointed temporary rodman at \$18 a week for a period of six months.

Walter P. Steele has been granted an extension of temporary employment as rodman at \$18 a week for a period of three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

James F. Reardon has been appointed temporary laborer at \$4 a day for three months.

Charles F. Holmes and John P. Conley have been given temporary employment for a period of six months.

The addressograph machine and a stencil cutting machine used by the Income Branch have been transferred by the Assessing Department.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, April 17:

Main Department.

M. J. Lynch, W. J. Robbins, plumbers, 12 hours, \$7.56 each; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$3.50; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; G. Roach, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; J. Murphy, W. Sommerville, ambulance drivers, 12 hours, \$6.75 each; D. Hurley, carpenter, 6 hours, \$3.96. Total, \$43.91.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, April 17:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, Edward F. Hurley, John J. Desmond, George J. Duffy, Bernard McCabe, Hugh McDonough, Henry J. Moylan, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, tree-man, 1 day, \$4.50.

Fairview Cemetery.

James Kingston, Joseph McDonough, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Wednesday, April 16:

J. McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3; N. McSheffrey, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13; F. Twitchell, engineer, 1½ hours, \$1.25. Total, \$8.38.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 14:

Drawtenders.—C. J. Thompson, 1 day, \$4.93; J. J. Sweeney, 6 days, \$29.59.

First Assistant Drawtenders.—P. W. Cummings, 6 days, \$26.30; D. C. Mahoney, 1 day, \$4.38.

Assistant Drawtenders.—W. J. Lynch, 3 days, \$12.33; J. Cosgrove, W. L. Waterman, 2 days, \$8.22 each; T. J. Driscoll, T. F. Kelley, W. J. Brown, D. J. Flynn, P. J. McGonagle, W. F. Hanlon, T. F. Reilly, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Subforemen.—J. D. O'Brien, 1½ days, \$8.25; P. J. Henebury, 5½ days, \$30.25.

Carpenters.—J. T. Mahan, J. J. Murphy, J. J. McInnis, 1½ days, \$7.50 each; P. O'Toole, 5½ days, \$27.50; F. McConn, J. J. O'Hearn, A. W. Clancy, C. E. Melanson, M. J. Donahue, 4 days, \$20 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Green, 5½ days, \$21.21.

Laborers.—H. M. McLaughlin, 1½ days, \$6; J. McManus, 1 day, \$4.

Total, \$342.45.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 14:
Engineer.—Patrick W. Mackey, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.69.

Oiler.—Henry W. McCusker, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Electrician.—James A. Douglass, 1 day, \$5.60.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1 day, \$5.

Quartermaster.—Thomas A. O'Hare, 1 day, \$5.43.

Deckhand.—William A. Joyce, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.66.

Total, \$31.63.

Net cost for the week ending April 14, 1924, \$16.37.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 14:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, J. J. Welch, J. J. Spillane, C. J. Haley, P. Cataldo, C. J. Crowley, J. DiPasquale, T. Dwyer, P. C. Kanairy, K. F. Kenney, P. J. McLaughlin, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. Ballam, W. F. Blake, A. W. Blankenburg, P. J. Callahan, Jr., J. B. Carr, J. J. Connolly, M. J. Curley, E. Davis, J. W. DeRocher, E. T. Duffy, H. T. Furey, J. J. Hegarty, S. Hegarty, B. F. Lyons, P. J. McCormack, J. McGrath, J. McLaughlin, J. F. Nagle, J. J. O'Brien, P. W. Sheehan, D. F. Sullivan, J. F. Sweeney, J. J. Hurley, J. J. McLaughlin, H. Mullen, W. J. Gavin, J. J. Fitzgerald, J. J. Dwyer, M. J. Connolly, T. Donovan, J. P. Leonard, B. McCool, D. F. McLoughlin, J. Roche, D. Shea, W. F. Shea, J. P. Sullivan, E. J. Tighe, F. Zirpollo, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each.

Laborer-Teamster.—A. P. Charbonnier, 2 days, \$8.

Laborers-Teamsters.—O. Doherty, J. M. Casserly, P. J. Connolly, M. J. Connors, W. E. Crawford, J. A. Foley, E. F. Furey, D. Gallagher, J. E. Galvin, J. J. Gavin, W. J. H. Green, H. J. Holmes, E. A. Kehoe, W. McGahey, J. F. O'Brien, F. Ruggiero, L. C. Timmins, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamster.—M. J. Coakley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50.

Teamsters.—J. J. Landrigan, J. H. McGrath, Jr., 1 day, \$5 each.

Feeder.—J. E. Burns, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.44.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. P. W. Callahan, C. B. Capillo, M. Cronin, D. J. Dalton, G. Guifredo, V. Guliano, J. McGaffigan, R. J. Nugent, J. M. Ryan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7 each.

Total, \$441.19.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 14:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.13 each; Michael Foley, Dennis Burke, 1 day, \$4.50 each; John Graham, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.38.

Laborers.—Cornelius Sullivan, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9; Patrick Fitzgerald, Michael McMahon, Edward Flaherty, Herman Hodapp, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each; Dennis Collins, Michael Mullin, Patrick McDonough, 1 day, \$4 each; Daniel McKenna, James Barrett, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3 each.

Oiler.—Joseph Sullivan, 2 days, \$11

Total, \$94.64.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 14:

Teamsters.—M. Hurley, R. Coughlin, T. Dahill, J. Zuccola, B. Callahan, G. P. Riley, J. F. Brown, P. F. Joyce, J. H. Kramer, T. McGuinness, D. Mahoney, W. T. Maloney, E. Moore, J. Robertson, J. Rogers, B. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—C. Bell, T. Conway, C. J. Crowley, L. Diviata, J. Gould, J. C. Hourihan, H. J. Kane, C. McGonagle, R. Mulcahy, L. Paglia, M. F. Shea, E. J. Travis, M. Levine, F. R. Deacon, B. J. Doherty, C. F. Conlon, W. Flannery, J. Golden, W. Hinchey, J. J. Jones, M. Lally, C. W. McCorkle, W. J. Marshall, B. J. Manning, P. Meyers, P. F. Murray, P. J. Nolan, M. A. Page, W. J. O'Donnell, J. Ruddy, J. J. Schoen, C. J. Sullivan, J. L. Hanley, J. Bowen, A. P. Brown, R. Dennehy, H. J. Donigan, J. J. Edwards, J. T. Fee, E. L. Fitzgerald, H. J. Gallagher, B. C. Harkins, J. Hart, T. F. Hession, H. J. Kennedy, J. J. Lombard, T. McCarthy, P. McKeon, W. Miliken, E. H. Monahan, J. H. Nolan, P. J. O'Callaghan, J. Patterson, C. F. Pike, J. H. Robishaw, J. J. Rogers, J. Scannell, J. J. Sweeney, R. C. Burke, S. A. Sawyer, R. J. Burchell, C. Buckley, J. N. Butler, P. F. Cahill, J. J. Carroll, J. J. Conroy, J. J. DeCoursey, F. G. Donahue, J. F. Eaton, J. Lane, G. F. Moran, L. J. O'Neill, J. J. O'Neill, E. J. Orann, J. J. Ryan, T. Ryan, L. B. Shanney, P. L. Sullivan, C. A. Swanson, P. Noonan, F. Williams, P. H. Toohey, McMenimen, J. H. Kelloran, M. Cashman, G. Campo, F. Corvino, P. Costello B. Elvert, W. Finnigan, J. J. Gilligan, W. Haugh, E. J. Kelley, T. S. Kilroy, R. Marsey, J. McDonough, P. P. McGinley, D. P. Minihan, H. Riley, M. H. Walsh, J. Wark, G. Marcantino, H. A. Bourdon, R. DiCillio, J. Donahue, G. Galluccio, J. J. Glancy, T. S. Iverson, M. T. McCarthy, J. J. Myers, J. Piscitelli, E. T. Riley, J. A. White, A. P. McArdle, B. F. Glynn, N. Albano, P. Barry, J. Cahill, D. J. Callahan, J. A. Carr, G. Cappozza, T. Christopher, P. Conlin, M. Connolly, G. Corcoran, P. Cregan, W. Curley, J. J. Curtin, F. D'Ambrosio, M. Dacey, J. J. Daley, L. Davis, J. Delaney, J. J. Doherty, W. P. Donnelly, J. Driscoll, J. J. Dowdal, P. Dunn, J. J. Fanning, M. Finn, T. Fitzmorris, J. B. Foley, J. Gallagher, C. Gallagher, M. Gately, P. Glynn; A. J. Grimley, F. Granville, J. Granville, J. Hartigan, R. Higgins, J. Hines, M. Hughes, R. M. Jennings, P. Keon, L. V. Kilduff, M. Lahey, L. Landrigan, J. D. Lyons, T. McClutchey, J. McDonald, W. McGlynn, J. McGarry, J. McNiff, E. B. Maraghy, W. H. Mahoney, M. Norton, J. O'Leary, J. P. Tuohy, J. T. Slattery, P. Hartigan, F. M. Kelley, J. A. Kelley, S. Coughlin, J. Donovan, E. Noonan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each.

Teamsters.—J. Z. Lamothe, M. Donlin, M. H. Gordon, M. Allen, F. DiMatteo, J. Considine, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10 each.

Teamsters.—D. P. Stack, J. Holland, 2 days, \$8 each.

Teamsters.—M. Cardello, N. Cesso, D. Conlon, D. Partinello, M. Clougherty, Della Russo, R. J. F. Doherty, L. Pace, J. A. Reddington, G. Schipani, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9 each.

Teamster.—G. Salemi, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.

Feeder.—J. J. Shea, 1 day, \$4.25.

Feeder.—P. Sweeney, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.38.

Feeder.—L. McGahan, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.57.

Chauffeurs.—J. J. Connors, J. McCabe, F. Murphy, T. McDonald, 1 day, \$5 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Marshall, 2 days, \$10
Chauffeur.—W. G. Earley, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75.

Total, \$1,349.95.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 14:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. Conlon, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75.

Emergency men.—W. Lonergan, W. Rice, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4 each; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Repairers.—R. Welch, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.75; E. Rafferty, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.33; P. Linehan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.38; P. Lynch, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.38; T. O'Brien, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.19; F. Ware, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.38; J. O'Hara, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.37; D. Burke, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; D. Hanlon, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.59; P. O'Hare, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.56; J. Hurihan, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.59; P. Flynn, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.23; M. O'Day, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.97; A. Brennan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; J. Leonard, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.44; S. Mariani, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.44; J. Lonergan, 2 days, \$13.20; R. Doyle, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.16; P. Clougherty, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; C. Driscoll, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.16; D. Kirby, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; P. F. Clougherty, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.16; N. McPhee, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.84; J. Horgan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.80; J. Horgan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.80; J. Williams, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.80; J. Glennon, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.98; R. McDonough, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.75; G. Waters, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.50; W. Shields, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.84; J. McDonald, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3; T. Byrnes, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.67; A. McDougall, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.39; G. Condon, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3; E. Fay, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3; D. Shea, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25; J. McClean, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.98; F. Schena, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.89; M. Burke, 1 day, \$4.75.

Laborers.—S. LoPilato, M. Connolly, H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4 each; Martin Connolly, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1; G. Cunningham, P. Finnerty, Joseph Phipps, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; T. Gallagher, E. Hart, P. Mulhearn, H. Holland, F. Nelligan, J. Horgan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6; G. Coodwin, J. Burke, M. Barron, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9; J. Duran, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; J. Curtin, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.88; P. Loftus, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; J. O'Toole, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.88; H. Mulkearn, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Total, \$411.60; paid by Transit Department, \$4; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$4.75; net total, \$402.85.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 18 the Mayor approved a contract with the American Fence Construction Company for construction of wire fence at Ronan Park, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened April 10, were as follows:

P. J. Dinn & Co., \$1,469; W. A. Snow Iron Works, \$1,410.50; American Chain Link Fence Company, \$1,397.50; American Fence Construction Company (Shea and Leary, agents, Lynn, Mass.), \$1,287.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon April 22 the Mayor approved a contract with M. F. Gaddis for laying bitulithic pavement and sewerage works

in Shawmut avenue, from Warrenton street to Roxbury street. Bids for the work, opened April 16, were as follows:

Sewerage Works and Sheet Asphalt.—M. F. Gaddis, \$206,106.75; Samuel J. Tomasello, \$208,318.75; William J. Barry, \$212,880.75; J. McCourt Company, \$213,566.25; M. H. Loonie, \$213,265.75; the Hudson Paving Company, \$217,574; Central Construction Company, \$222,265.75; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$234,644.75.

Sewerage Works and Bitulithic.—M. F. Gaddis, \$205,317.45; Samuel J. Tomasello, \$208,318.75; William J. Barry, \$212,880.75; J. McCourt Company, \$213,566.25; M. H. Loonie, \$216,405.75; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$232,682.25; B. E. Grant Company, \$214,600.75; Warren Brothers Company, \$220,380.80; V. Grande, \$233,557.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon April 22 the Mayor approved a contract with V. Grande for building Shepard brook, easterly branch, in Everett street, private land and Hichborn street, between Everett and Arthur streets, Brighton. Bids for the work, opened April 15, were as follows:

M. D. Russo & Co., \$24,175.20; V. Grande, \$33,031.25; J. J. Conway, \$33,377; A. Baruffaldi Company, \$33,412; A. Daddario, \$33,814; C. & R. Construction Company, \$36,156; A. Cefalo, \$36,734; William Barrett & Co., \$37,082; C. Russo, \$38,174; Bruno & Petitti, \$38,797; J. Williams & Co., \$38,969.50; W. B. Bryne, \$44,439.45.

Upon April 22 the Mayor approved a contract with John Guarino & Co. for sewerage works in Corinne road, between existing sewer and end of street, Brighton.

The proposal of the lowest bidder has been rejected for the reason that he has never done any work for the city; because he has apparently no experience as a sewer contractor; and because two members of his firm are not citizens of the United States. Bids for the work, opened April 16, were as follows:

C. Iacuzzi & Co., \$1,657.10; John Guarino & Co., \$1,737.40; S. J. Tomasello, \$1,777.40; A. D. Daddario, \$1,832.60; C. A. Bassett, \$1,976.50; M. De Sisto Company, \$1,990; J. Williams & Co., \$2,068; C. Russo, \$2,088.

Upon April 22 the Mayor approved a contract with De Cristofaro & Brothers Company for sewerage works in Cataumet street, between Pond street and end of street 260 feet northerly, West Roxbury.

The proposal of the lowest bidder has been rejected for the reason that this contractor has never done any work for the city; because he apparently has had no experience as a sewer contractor; and because two members of his firm are not citizens of the United States. Bids for the work, opened April 17, were as follows:

C. Iacuzzi & Co., \$1,876.90; De Cristofaro & Brothers Company, \$2,112; C. Russo, \$2,147.30; J. Williams & Co., \$2,154.50; M. De Sisto Company, \$2,197.50; Joseph Todesca, \$2,202.50; C. A. Bassett, \$2,374.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,380.25; J. Guarino & Co., \$2,498.75; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$2,525.50; A. D. Daddario, \$2,717.50.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 18 the Mayor approved a contract with the Western Electric Company, Inc., for furnishing electric supplies to the Fire Department. Bids for the supplies, opened April 7, were as follows:

	F. S. Hardy & Co.	Wetmore-Savage Company.	Western Electric Company, Inc.
200 4-pin cross arms, 4-inch by 5-inch by 60-inch Kyanized spruce, bored to right and left of center for insulator pins, at a distance of 13 1/2 inches from center for pole pin, 15 inches from pole pin to outer pin, no boring at center holes, to take 1 1/2-inch standard pin at	\$2 05 each	\$254 00 per lot	\$1 25 each
1,000 1 1/2-inch by 9-inch locust pins, at	035 "	50 00 "	038 "
12 3-inch skeleton bells, Holtzer-Cabot No. 151015, at	2 35 "		6 00 "
12 4-inch skeleton bells, Holtzer-Cabot No. 151015, at	2 75 "	325 00 "	6 25 "
12 2-inch by 3-inch skeleton cow gongs, Holtzer-Cabot No. 151015, at	3 80 "		6 70 "
12 2 1/2-inch regular iron box bells, at	39 "	5 52 "	40 "
50 5-inch wood molding blocks, hollow back, at	10 "	7 50 "	085 "
25 OB push buttons (as per sample), at	09 "	15 00 "	30 "
12 No. 3 Lungen buzzers, at	1 10 "	11 70 "	90 "
50 1/2-inch 2-wire caplets, at	08 "	4 00 "	08 "
50 1/2-inch 3-wire caplets, at	08 "	4 00 "	08 "
200 No. 501 Uno OB shade holders, 2 1/2-inch Bryant, at	3 95 per C.	8 00 "	04 "
100 No. 628 shade holders, 2 1/2-inch Bryant, at	6 95 "	8 50 "	08 "
200 No. 5612 Hubbell bases, at	22 each	36 00 "	1575 "
200 No. 5420 Hubbell caps, at	10 "	18 00 "	082 "
100 No. 6918 Hubbell caps, at	1275 "	7 50 "	0625 "
50 No. 5553 Hubbell caps, at	425 "	18 75 "	33 "
50 No. 5547 Hubbell receptacles, at	26 "	10 00 "	20 "
50 No. 5548 Hubbell receptacles plates, at	20 "	7 50 "	17 "
50 No. 50715 receptacles, at	06 "	5 00 "	075 "
50 No. 926 Bryant KW rosettes, at	24 "	10 00 "	19 "
50 BS Bryant rosette bases, at	38 "	20 83 "	36 "
50 BT Bryant rosette bases, at	38 "	20 83 "	36 "
400 No. 10 Bryant socket bodies, at	1575 "	64 00 "	1475 "
200 No. 13 Bryant socket bodies, at	139 "	36 00 "	13 "
100 No. 15 Bryant socket bodies, at	29 "	30 00 "	27 1/2 "
350 No. AA Bryant socket caps, 1/2-inch, at	045 "	14 88 "	04 "
150 No. AC Bryant socket caps, 1/2-inch, at	08 "	13 50 "	074 "
50 No. 60666 waterproof sockets, at	09 "	6 00 "	0775 "
30 No. 20 Bryant ceiling switches, at	42 "	13 52 "	39 "
50 No. 050 Diamond H switches, at	43 "	19 13 "	41 "
50 No. 070 Diamond H switches, at	54 "	29 75 "	52 "
50 No. D220 Diamond H switches, at	38 "	17 00 "	37 "
50 No. D221 Diamond H switches, at	52 "	22 95 "	49 "
50 No. D222 Diamond H switches, at	72 "	32 30 "	68 "
100 No. 1 Diamond H switch plates, at	14 "	15 30 "	11 "
6 No. 2044 Perkins switches, at	2 90 "	18 60 "	2 80 "
50 pounds Manson tape, at	65 per lb.	34 50 "	72 per lb.
50 pounds, tape, second quality, at	27 "	15 00 "	30 "
25 pounds rubber compound tape, at	30 "	10 00 "	30 "
50 No. 4090 tapelets, at	30 each	12 75 "	22 each
50 No. 4099 tapelets, at	25 "	10 63 "	23 "
12 No. 92 Benj. or Hemco plugs, at	30 "	3 60 "	26 "
200 10-ampere 250-volt NEC fuses, at	045 "	9 00 "	4 50 per C.
50 No. 6200 Sprague boxes, galvanized 1/2-inch KO, at	13 "	6 40 "	095 each
50 No. 6250 Sprague boxes, galvanized, 1/2-inch KO, at	10 "	4 80 "	072 "
50 No. 6350 Sprague boxes, galvanized, 1/2-inch KO, at	115 "	5 60 "	084 "
50 No. 553 T. & B. boxes, at	165 "	7 00 "	16 "
50 Gem X boxes, at	10 "	6 00 "	08 "
50 No. 6387 Sprague Bushed covers, at	065 "	3 20 "	048 "
1,000 feet 1/2-inch galvanized conduit, at	63 83 per M. ft.	75 55 "	06 per ft.
300 feet 1-inch galvanized conduit, at	11 79 per C. ft.	42 33 "	11 "
24 1/2-inch galvanized conduit ells, at	70 each	2 88 "	10 each
50 1/2-inch LL condulets, at	36 "	18 00 "	36 "
50 1/2-inch T condulets, at	432 "	21 60 "	432 "
1,000 feet No. 19 2-wire molding, at	25 00 per M. ft.	25 00 "	025 per ft.
25 pounds rosin core solder, at	67 per lb.	17 50 "	42 per lb.
2,500 feet No. 14 2-wire BX cable, at	4 40 per C.	107 50 "	042 per ft.
500 feet No. 14 3-wire BX cable, at	07 per ft.	35 00 "	06 "
500 BX connectors, at	025 each	17 50 "	026 each
50 pounds clips for BX cable (as per sample), at	08 per lb.	5 00 "	07 per lb.
5,000 No. 5 Blake insulated staples, at	1 80 per M.	9 00 "	1 40 per M.
1,000 feet No. 18 Type C. Y. green lamp cord, at	12 50 per M. ft.	15 00 "	12 75 per M. ft.
500 feet No. 18 Type COB silk lamp cord, at	2 75 per C. ft.	15 00 "	25 00 "
1,000 feet No. 18 Type P lamp cord, at	2 15 "	25 00 "	21 80 "
1,000 feet No. 18 Type PWP lamp cord, at	2 15 "	25 00 "	20 00 "
2,000 feet No. 18 Tirex lamp cord, at	07 per ft.	136 50 "	44 50 "
3,000 feet No. 16 Tirex lamp cord, at	08 "	243 75 "	52 00 "
10,000 feet No. 14 single Br. R. C. wire, at	6 50 per M. ft.	70 00 "	6 50 "
1,000 feet No. 12 single Br. R. C. wire, at	8 80 "	9 25 "	8 90 "
1,000 feet No. 10 single Br. R. C. wire, at	11 75 "	12 50 "	12 00 "
5,000 feet No. 18 standard fixture wire, 1/2 insulation, at	4 50 "	20 50 "	4 40 "
10,000 feet No. 16 solid fixture wire, 3/32 insulation, at	5 00 "	55 00 "	5 20 "
1,000 feet No. 18 OB silk covered asbestos fixture wire, at	16 00 "	30 00 "	24 00 "
50 No. 703 ER batteries, at	22 each	11 00 "	22 each
50 No. 734 ER batteries, at	3575 "	18 00 "	36 "
50 No. 792 ER batteries, at	165 "	9 00 "	20 "
100 No. 1193 ER bulbs, at	10 "	9 75 "	10 "
50 wood bushings (as per sample), at	20 "	1 80 "	05 "
25 No. 7106 Cutler Hammer switches, at	70 "	12 25 "	59 "

	F. S. Hardy & Co.		Wetmore-Savage Company.		Western Electric Company, Inc.	
<i>Fixture Supplies.</i>						
50 No. 18 Macellan canopy insulators, at...	\$0 15	each	\$8 00	per lot	\$0 14	each
100 No. 7703 Macellan joints, at.....	33	"	32 40	"	29	"
100 1-inch by 1-inch M. Hickeys, at.....	4 00	per C.	4 05	"	04	"
50 1-inch crowfeet, at.....	1 65	"	1 50	"	03	"
100 1-inch glass nipples, brass, at.....	55	"	2 00	"	1 90	per C.
100 1-inch glass nipples, brass, at.....	60	"	4 00	"	3 05	"
200 1-inch locknuts, at.....	20	"	1 08	"	50	"
12 SF White telescoping brackets, at.....	3 35	each	42 00	"	3 10	each
100 OB fixture stems, 1-inch by 6-inch slot- ted, at.....	7 50	per C.	7 80	"	075	"
50 OB fixture stems, 1-inch by 8-inch, at.....	13	each	5 10	"	18	"
50 OB fixture stems, 1-inch by 12-inch, at.....	14	"	8 10	"	20	"
50 OB fixture nozzles, 1-inch by 1-inch, at.....	095	"	4 50	"	09	"
12 No. 1032½ Dalton OS ceiling fixture, at.....	35	"	4 10	"	35	"
12 No. 1032½ Dalton NF ceiling fixture, at.....	90	"	10 56	"	1 05	"
25 No. 3091 Dalton NF brackets with shade holder, at.....	1 65	"	30 00	"	1 10	"
25 No. 5088 Dalton shades, at.....	4 90	per doz.	9 52	"	4 75	per doz.
50 No. 5571 Hubbell shades, at.....	58	each	25 00	"	51	each
59 DEC 14-inch Wheeler shades, at.....	90	"	66 08	"	1 00	"
6 dozen 25-watt Cora shades, at.....	5 50	per doz.	30 00	"	55	"
25 No. 4035 Bryant receptacles, at.....	28	each	5 95	"	26	"
Totals.....	* \$2,498 50—2%		\$2,707 34—2%		\$2,312 68—0%	

* No bid at auditor's office.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon April 22 the Mayor approved a contract with William Barrett & Co. for sewerage works in Moore street overflow outlet, between Coleridge and Cowper streets, East Boston. Bids for the work, opened April 21, were as follows:

William Barrett & Co., \$9,977; A. Baruffaldi Company, \$10,387; A. D. Daddario, \$10,481.50; C. A. Bassett, \$11,279; C. & R. Construction Company, \$11,456.30; James J. Conway, \$12,215; C. Russo, \$12,634.50.

Upon April 22 the Mayor approved a contract with Samuel J. Tomasello for sewerage works in Eliot place, from Eliot street to 250 feet easterly, West Roxbury.

The proposals of the first three bidders have been rejected for the reason that they have as much work as they can consistently handle at the present time. Bids for the work, opened April 17, were as follows:

De Cristofaro & Brothers Company, \$1,668; C. Russo, \$1,750.40; John Williams & Co., \$1,782.25; S. J. Tomasello, \$1,905.05; J. Guarino & Co., \$1,905.50; C. A. Bassett, \$1,929; C. Iacuzzi & Co., \$1,964.75; A. D. Daddario, \$2,129.25; M. De Sisto Company, \$2,194.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 18 the Mayor approved a contract with J. B. Hunter Company for finish hardware for the Dorchester High School. Bids for the supply, opened on April 11, were as follows:

J. B. Hunter Company, \$14,500; Nichols-Egan Company, \$14,842.56.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 21 the Mayor approved a contract with J. J. Walsh & Co. for furnishing five express bodies, etc. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 17, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising the same, to J. J. Walsh & Co. for furnishing five express bodies and closed cabs, windshields, etc., to the Public Works Department, Water Service at \$300 each.

This concern has been supplying bodies to the City of Boston and they have been perfectly satisfactory, and I think for the best interests of the city it is desirable to standardize on custom-made bodies. From experience we have found that custom-made bodies last about three times as long as machine-made bodies, and I therefore think it is economy for the city to purchase custom-made bodies.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon April 21 the Mayor approved a contract with the Sewell Cushion Wheel Company for furnishing the Fire Department ten sets of wheels. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 18, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising the same, to the Sewell Cushion Wheel Company for furnishing to the Fire Department ten sets of cushion wheels at \$500 per set, making total amount of contract \$5,000.

All the apparatus of the Fire Department except ten pieces have been equipped with this type of wheel, and they have proven very satisfactory. The Fire Department is therefore anxious to complete the equipment of these ten trucks with Sewell cushion wheels, and for that reason this permission is requested. As this concern is the manufacturer of this type of wheel no advantage would be obtained by publicly advertising for same.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

J. Edward Ogden Company has been granted extension of the time of completion of the contract for two sets of ferry bridge galleys frame and accompanying machinery for the South Ferry from March 14, 1924, to July 1, 1924.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for the following construction work.

A 4-foot 6-inch and 5-foot circular concrete overflow in Moore street, between a point 80 feet southeast of Cowper street and Coleridge street, in the East Boston district, at an estimated cost of \$9,000.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

SEALERS, DEPUTY SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, MAY 9, 1924.

This examination is for the service of all cities in the state and such towns as are classified under civil service. The salaries range from \$800 to \$1,600 per year.

The sealer of weights and measures is required to enforce the laws pertaining to weighing and measuring devices and to the giving of false or insufficient weight or measure; to the licensing of hawkers, peddlers, and transient vendors; to wholesale milk containers, ice cream cans and moulds, cranberry barrels and crates, standard boxes for farm produce, berry baskets, and other containers used as measures; to the weights of bread and to the labeling of loaves of other than standard unit weight.

It is also his duty to test all weighing or measuring devices used for buying or selling, for public weighing, or for hire or reward, and to seal or condemn them in accordance with the results of his tests; also to investigate complaints and to prosecute violations of law when the evidence warrants such action. Pamphlets including the general laws relating to weights measures, licenses, etc., and a "Sealer's Manual," containing instructions for the inspection, testing and sealing of weighing and measuring devices, may be obtained upon request to the Director of Standards, 194 State House, after application for examination has been filed.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; simple arithmetic, including simple percentage, decimals and the metric system, 2; report, 1; technical questions aimed to test applicant's knowledge of (a) the law governing the inspection of weights and measures; (b) the construction and types of mechanical weighing and measuring apparatus; (c) ability to present cases in court; (d) general knowledge of the duties of the position, 3; total, 10.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Preference granted under the law to disabled veterans is applicable to this examination.

PLANNING BOARD SEVERELY SCORES FINANCE COMMISSION STATEMENTS.

WRITES TO MAYOR CURLEY SHOWING FALSITY OF STATEMENTS SENT TO COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL FINANCE OF LEGISLATURE RELATIVE TO STREET-MAKING PROJECT—SHOWS FINANCE COMMISSION CONTRADICTS OWN SELF.

His Honor the Mayor, on April 17, received the following report from the City Planning Board relative to the statement issued by the Finance Commission under date of April 12, and addressed to the Committee on Municipal Finance in relation to House Bill No. 240, and to a re-draft of said bill having reference to the program of street widenings submitted to the Mayor by the Planning Board:

BOSTON, April 16, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The Planning Board has received from your Honor a copy of the statement by the Finance Commission, dated April 12, addressed to the honorable Committee on Municipal Finance in relation to House Bill No. 240, and to a re-draft of said bill having reference to the program of street widenings submitted to your Honor by the Planning Board. We beg leave to comment to you on the statements in such report as follows:

1. The Finance Commission states that it is not clear whether the problem to be solved is one of congestion caused by freight traffic or by passenger traffic, stating that the solution would be different to meet these two different types of traffic, and suggests that the evidence as to which is the important factor to be dealt with either has not been collected or has not yet been submitted to the authorities for their information.

The statement by the Planning Board, printed in the *City Record* of December 22, 1923, makes it clear that it is not any one kind of traffic that is creating the congestion in the downtown district of Boston. We quote from this statement as follows:

"An analysis of the traffic congestion in the downtown district has confirmed the City Planning Board in its belief that relief is needed in certain definite directions, *i. e.*:

"(a) An adequate approach to the Charles River Dam from the business district.

"(b) The further development of Stuart street to reach the business district.

"(c) A better trucking road between the North and South Stations.

"(d) The relief of congestion in the retail district, between Washington and Tremont streets.

"(e) Relief of congestion in the market district."

The above statement makes it clear that the traffic needs of the downtown district involve an approach from the city to the Charles River Dam for all kinds of traffic desiring to enter or to leave the city in this direction; the further development of Stuart street to reach the business district for the same purpose, namely, to serve all kinds of

traffic that are led to use Stuart street or adjacent streets as an approach to the city or an exit from the city to the southwest; a better trucking road between the North and South Stations, a need primarily of trucking; relief of congestion in the retail district and in the business district, which involves both trucking and miscellaneous motor traffic in varying proportions according to the portion of the district served; and relief of the congestion in the market district, which is entirely a matter of trucking.

In all these different sections the problem is to get the various classes of traffic to and from the district in all directions. It is impossible to subdivide the traffic problem in the downtown district as between trucking and so-called "pleasure traffic." We believe it is impossible to segregate pleasure traffic, believing it is impossible to determine in any practicable way what traffic might probably be so called, and that the only practicable method to pursue is to provide adequate and properly arranged traffic routes for the handling of the miscellaneous traffic demands which the public will put upon them, and which vary in character not only in different districts, but even in a given street vary greatly in different hours of the day.

2. The Finance Commission refers to the use of small freight tunnels as solution in case the problem is one solely of freight traffic. The thoroughfares proposed are not thoroughfares intended to handle merely through traffic. They are thoroughfares for the handling of an infinite variety of traffic both as to type and as to points of origin and destination, and serve in varying degree every property within the district.

3. The Finance Commission states that the recent experience with Stuart street is not reassuring on account of the fact that the congestion is much worse at the corner of Stuart street and Tremont street than it ever was before the construction of Stuart street. This result is conclusive proof of the contrary and shows that Stuart street is beginning to handle the traffic that it was designed to carry. Stuart street was never intended to stop at Washington street and it is obviously an incomplete street, the result of which would naturally be congestion at its present terminus until the logical continuation of the street is constructed, as contemplated in the City Planning Board's recommendations.

4. The Finance Commission reports that the project is advocated principally by three limited groups—real estate dealers and promoters, the retail stores and the teaming and transportation interests. It is to be regretted that the least enthusiastic section of the community with which the Planning Board has discussed this matter comprises the real estate dealers and promoters, but

their sole objection, apart from minor details of location, is the cost of the undertaking. This fear led both the Boston Real Estate Exchange and the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange to advise the Committee on Municipal Finance to delay progress on this work pending further study. They did finally agree on the program covered in the revised draft.

The Finance Commission states that there is little chance of the retail stores in the downtown district bearing any considerable part of the expense of the project, and such part as they do bear will of course be immediately absorbed in the increased price of commodities to the general public. It appears clear to the Planning Board that the cost of this undertaking will in the last analysis and with a fair degree of promptness be transferred to the general public in any event and that the method of financing is merely a matter of equitable distribution of this cost. Any cost reflected in assessments or taxes on real estate will be reflected undoubtedly in rents.

It is also fair to say, however, that the interest of the teaming and transportation element of the community is in the interest of more economical handling of the transportation problem, and that they will not long bear themselves the increased cost of transportation due to poor traffic conditions, and that this cost of not having proper thoroughfares will be as rapidly and completely passed to the general public as the cost of construction of adequate thoroughfares, and such cost would probably equal the cost of the construction of the thoroughfares outlined in less than ten years. It would seem wiser policy for the public to pay for the thoroughfares and have them than to pay repeatedly and do without them.

5. The Finance Commission states that the widening of Tremont street from Arlington square to Stuart street is unnecessary on account of lack of congestion at the present time except at the subway entrance and at Stuart street, and that there are no present or proposed important business houses or freight terminals in this portion of the street. Tremont street from Arlington square westward is 80 or more feet wide, has recently been repaved and should induce traffic to take this route from the center of the city to the southwest.

It is absurd from the point of view of city planning to stop an important thoroughfare of this sort short of its logical termination and continue it with a narrow lane. Boston has been in the habit of doing it, but it would be wise for Boston to begin to lay out its streets even somewhat in advance of their need and not wait until the costs of so doing are so high as to be looked upon as prohibitive. Large new buildings are now in process of construction on both sides of Tremont street near Stuart street and would be induced further out Tremont street if it were of an adequate width. Leaving it in its present condition hampers the logical development of the business section in this direction, and new building operations make it clear that unless it is widened promptly the cost of doing it will be very greatly increased.

6. The Finance Commission opposes the widening of Kneeland street from Washington street to Atlantic avenue on account of lack of traffic demand, and

states that quick access to the South Station will be accomplished if the widening already proposed by the Street Commissioners between Tyler and Albany streets is completed. This widening contemplates merely the straightening of the street up to the 50-foot width now established at Harrison avenue. A 50-foot street would at best permit four lines of vehicles between curbs, one moving line in each direction. This is totally inadequate for the service which Kneeland street can and should render the city if it were widened to 80 feet. Present traffic conditions on Kneeland street should not be taken as proof of the need of its widening or otherwise. Traffic is not now induced to use Kneeland street, due to its narrowness and its poor paving. If Kneeland street were widened and well paved it would claim a very large amount of traffic which now congests Beach and Essex streets and would give a logical outlet to the traffic which now seeks the use of Stuart street as an approach to the South Station. This would also relieve Boylston street and the congestion at the corner of Boylston and Tremont streets by removing this traffic much of which now is induced to use Boylston street instead of Stuart street.

7. The Finance Commission opposes the widening of Albany street in order to permit further study of the possibilities of using Harrison avenue and other parallel streets. Tyler and Hudson streets do not cross the railroad tracks and the only approach would be through narrow Curve street. Harrison avenue has an elevated structure on it and Broadway has car lines which interfere with the flow of traffic. Albany street, again, as in the case of Tremont street, is a broad thoroughfare, southwest of Broadway, developed at the expense of the community which, on account of its not being extended to its logical termination, is failing to give adequate return for the investment.

There is no apparent possibility in the immediate future of removing the Boston & Albany freight yards from their present position on Albany street at Kneeland. Albany street should therefore be continued with a sufficient width to permit the present use of the street without interfering with other traffic at this point.

8. The Finance Commission refers to the widening of Merrimac street and of Staniford street and Green street from Causeway street to Cambridge street and Bowdoin square. These are not included in the revised proposal and are left for further study as parts of the completed program in which they are important factors. The revised bill includes merely the beginning of the thoroughfare, giving an approach from the dam along Leverett and Wall streets as far as Causeway street.

The Finance Commission states there is a strong probability that adequate relief can be obtained by other means than these widenings and at much less expense. The Finance Commission also recommends that public hearings should be held either by the City Planning Board or some other agency in order that greater publicity may be had on the proposed project than has been possible thus far.

In regard to the matter of publicity, we beg to point out that the matter has

been under continuous discussion since August, 1923, with twenty civic bodies, repeated meetings having been held with duly appointed committees of each body. The conclusions of the Planning Board have also been presented at meetings of most of these bodies for the general information of their members, and in the majority of cases votes not only of the committees but of the organizations themselves have been taken favorable to the City Planning Board's proposal.

The Finance Commission states it has made such study of the project as the short time and limited details available would allow. The City Planning Board made all its data and studies available to the Finance Commission on December 17, 1923, when it wrote to the commission suggesting "that the members of the Finance Commission attend a conference in this office, when all of the studies leading up to this improvement, together with a completed plan, would be laid before them in detail and all possible information placed at their disposal." On February 20, 1924, by special appointment, Mr. Parker went over the entire program at the office of the City Planning Board with Mr. Guy C. Emerson, consulting engineer to the Finance Commission.

We would also quote briefly from a stenographic report of the remarks of the chairman of the Finance Commission at the hearing before the Committee on Municipal Finance regarding not only the necessity for action but as to the satisfactory nature of the solution proposed by the Planning Board. "The necessity, I think, does not need to be argued very much, of relief—whether this be a proper means of doing it or not is another question—the necessity of relief from congestion in that area bounded by the Common and the retail district on the other side of Tremont street down to Scollay square, the financial district, and the market district. That necessity is known to everybody that is at all familiar with Boston.

"I think the study made by the Planning Board is worthy of praise. Mr. Parker's presentation of it was masterly and, as far as that went, which dealt with the necessity and the solving of it, more could not be desired."

Referring, then, to questions of administration and finance and objecting to the possibility of beginning the undertaking a little at a time, Judge Sullivan continued as follows: "It is, therefore, a matter for a special commission to put through, if you are satisfied that the necessity exists—and I do not think you ought to have any question about that if you are satisfied that this is the best route. It is a studied route, it is the only one which has been studied, and I think Mr. Parker made out a splendid case for the Planning Board and for the study." Later he continues, in answer to an inquiry, as follows: "It looks as though it was very carefully thought out and everything was done to avoid, on one side, prohibitory costs and, on the other, taking up arteries and ways which are now serving properties which never can be taken from them and, whatever will be done in connection with them, will simply be adding to the burden which they already had. I think he is entirely sound on that. It is a tremendous proposition. Having gotten over those two points, and the necessity, and that this is probably the best rem-

edy, I thought I was speaking as one of you gentlemen . . . The Planning Board has taken great pains to avoid prohibitive costs. This committee certainly ought to second their efforts in not putting the costs upon the city primarily because that in the end is going to make trouble, and if you are going to make this scheme a reality and done at once—and the need is so great it ought to be done at once—then you ought to have a special committee appointed to take it." Later he continues: "I do not object to the necessity or the remedy, but the method by which it is being done and the way it is to be financed I think is very inadequate. That is the most I can say here."

In answer to a query from Representative Beck in regard to whether the Finance Commission was satisfied as far as the routes as proposed are concerned, Judge Sullivan replied: "Oh, no, we do not take any issue with them . . . I think we can rely entirely and safely upon the Planning Board in that regard."

The City Planning Board has given this general matter of traffic continuous consideration for years, and the thoroughfare improvements proposed at this time have been under continuous consideration with the co-operation of acknowledged experts for ten months. We find no concrete evidence in the statement of the Finance Commission that affects our conclusions in the matter and only the expression of such doubts as might naturally come to the minds of a group of men not trained to the study of such problems and who are not qualified to pass expert judgment upon the solutions offered. The City Planning Board is ready to accept the judgment of the Finance Commission in matters relating to the administration of the financial program involved, but believes that Judge Sullivan was correct in stating to the Committee on Municipal Finance that he could rely entirely and safely upon the Planning Board in regard to the technical details of the street widenings.

Yours very truly,

FREDERIC H. FAY,
Chairman.

LECTURE COURSE ENDS.

The season of free Public Library lectures at the Boston Public Library was brought to a close Sunday afternoon, April 20, at 3.30 p. m., by Mr. Gideon's lecture on "The Music of the Passover; A Program for Easter." The speaker elaborated on the links that bind the Jewish celebration of Passover with the Christian festival of Easter.

Members of the Temple Choirs, under Mr. Gideon's direction, sang a comprehensive list of solos and choruses to illustrate.

G. A. R. HEAD SENDS MAYOR CURLEY EASTER GREETINGS.

Mayor Curley has received the following Easter greeting from Commander Gaylord M. Saltzgaber, commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, Van Wert, Ohio:

"May the blessing of the Risen Lord abide with the inhabitants of Boston and its very worthy Mayor.

G. M. SALTZGABER,
Commander in Chief, G. A. R."

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 17 TO APRIL 23.

APRIL 17.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Anna Zager	75 Brainerd road	25	First-class garage	\$50,000
James McGonagle	Rear of 16 Athelwold street	19	First-class garage	600
Lucy Bagdazianon	157-161 Belgrade avenue	23	Second-class stores	7,000
Margaret A. Cronin	31 Farragut road	9	Second-class office	1,000
Adolph Storlazzi	661 Bennington street	1	Second-class storage	5,000
Joseph LeClerc	133 and 135 Roslindale ave.	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Joseph LeClerc	137 and 139 Roslindale ave.	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
John Carter	186 Perham street	23	Third-class dwelling	8,000
Margaret A. Cronin	37 Farragut road	9	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Ida Wamberg	41 Evelyn street	21	Third-class garage	900
B. J. Hallahan	1st rear of 176 Minot street	20	Third-class garage	600
B. J. Hallahan	2d rear of 176 Minot street	20	Third-class garage	600
Joseph W. Prenner	Rear of 36 Tyndale street	23	Third-class garage	400
Mary A. McLaughlin	Rear of 44 Peter Parley rd.	22	Third-class garage	600
Joseph C. Brizeman	Rear of 91 Richmond street	21	Third-class garage	600
Margaret Sullivan	Rear of 7 Havey street	23	Third-class garage	600
Andrew Raulinatis	29 Mill street	20	Third-class storage	180
Joseph Rittenberg	365-369 Charles street	5	Alterations, light manufactur-	700
			ing.	
John W. Lyons	677 and 679 Atlantic avenue	5	Alterations, lunch room	1,800
Mary McSweeney	53 Topliff street	18	Alterations, dwelling	425
E. Sohler Welch, trustee	54-60 Winter street	5	Alterations, offices	650
H. Goldberg	115 Meridian street	2	Alterations, store and dwell-	150
			ing.	
Frederick R. Reiser	325 Ruggles street	7	Alterations, dwelling	175
J. Sobel	32 Woodville street	12	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mary E. D. Batts	568 East Broadway	9	Alterations, dwelling	400
Charles W. Rowell	43-47 Franklin street	5	Install elevator	4,300
George M. Hadze	49 Bennett street	5	Install elevator	3,500
E. J. Hickey & Co.	232 and 234 Friend street	5	Install dumb waiter	145
Park Square Building Trust-	31 St. James avenue	7	Install two elevators	3,000
tees				
Massachusetts Bible Society	41 Bromfield street	5	Alterations, store and office	20,000

APRIL 18.

George Thackaberry	Rear of 29 Cumberland st.	7	First-class garage	\$600
Max Uroff	Rear of 465 Audubon road	8	First-class garage	900
Stephens Adams Company	142 Cambridge street	3	Second-class display rooms	25,000
Frank Vesche & Co.	5 Boardman street	1	Second-class stores	20,000
William H. Hardy	62 Carruth street	20	Third-class dwelling	14,000
William H. Hardy	6 Verdun street	20	Third-class dwelling	14,000
William H. Hardy	11 Verdun street	20	Third-class dwelling	14,000
Mayfair Manufacturing	124-128 Brookside avenue	22	Alterations, auto construction,	150
Company				
A. M. Wolfman	21 Dover street	6	Alterations, stores and dwell-	850
			ing.	

APRIL 21.

M. H. Sheridan	Rear of 46 Richfield street	18	First-class garage	\$1,500
John Minot	Rear of 9 Longfellow street	18	First-class garage	2,000
John C. Hegelston	1 Arion street	17	First-class garage	500
Else J. Listerman	Rear of 21 Adelaide street	22	First-class garage	1,400
Sarah Cusens	Rear of 10 Corona street	18	First-class garage	2,500
Margaret T. Treanor	Rear of 3 Howes street	11	First-class garage	800
Charles G. Maguire	460-466 Centre street	22	Second-class stores	18,000
Jacob S. Reznick	9 Esmond street	19	Second-class tenements	40,000
Margaret S. Campbell	Rear of 86 Brighton avenue	25	Special garage	400
H. F. Watson	Rear of 14 Wadsworth street	25	Special garage	600
Pierre O. Plante	11 Bourne street	22	Third-class dwelling	5,000
Thomas W. Gillierist	44 Rockwell street	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
C. Cotter, Jr.	46 Fairbanks	26	Third-class dwelling	15,000
C. Cotter, Jr.	48 Fairbanks street	26	Third-class dwelling	15,000
Mary McPherson	21 Woodside avenue	22	Third-class dwelling	18,000
Catherine A. White	224 River street	21	Third-class dwelling	8,000
Catherine A. White	226 River street	21	Third-class dwelling	8,000
J. H. Wilkinson	22 Harmon street	24	Third-class dwelling	6,000
Isabel M. Fillings	Rear of 12 South street	25	Third-class garage	800
Capitol Laundry Company	Rear of 62 Linden Park st.	13	Alterations, laundry	2,000
Harry Goldberg	460 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Harry Goldberg	462 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Harry Goldberg	464 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Ames Estate	65-69 Bedford street	5	Alterations, store and offices	700
Pelham Trust	74-84 Boylston street	8	Alterations, offices	3,500
Samuel Altman	475 Commonwealth avenue	8	Alterations, offices	400
A. Kasabian	Rear of 69 Franklin street	25	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
T. Jordan	44 Jamaica street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2,800
Cornelia Rubino	135 Readville street	24	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
H. R. Haberecht	12 Lexington avenue	24	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Kasanof's Bakery	237 Blue Hill avenue	16	Alterations, bakery	200
E. L. S. Fallon	89 W. Brookline street	6	Alterations, dwelling	60
J. W. Jones	1651-1659 Washington st.	6	Alterations, stores	300
Reba Paef	45 Bradford street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
Reba Paef	43 Bradford street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
Reba Paef	41 Bradford street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
Reba Paef	39 Bradford street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
Walters & Cooks Union	184 West Canton street	7	Alterations, offices	3,000
F. G. Shattuck Company	16 West street	5	Erect sign	238

APRIL 22.

A. Singarella	Rear of 27 Mt. Vernon st.	11	First-class garage	\$2,000
M. M. Abrams	117 Audubon road	8	Second-class tenements	100,000
Rotman & Hurvitz	572 Huntington avenue	14	Second-class tenements	100,000
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Lorenzo Albre	Rear of 9 Ashland street	20	Second-class garage	800
Agnes B. O'Reilly	77 Lawn street	14	Special garage	325
Mary A. McCarthy	Rear of 52 Nelson street	21	Special garage	170
Sam Obelsky	21 Arbutus street	21	Third-class tenements	20,000
Sam Obelsky	25 Arbutus street	21	Third-class tenements	20,000

CONSERVATION BUREAU REPORTS ON MEDICAL RESEARCH WORK.

M. Douglas Flattery, chairman of the Boston Conservation Bureau, has just submitted to Mayor Curley a very interesting progress report of the work accomplished by the special committee on medical research.

The work undertaken under the direction of this committee includes an investigation at local hospitals, which has added to our previous knowledge regarding the prevalence and diagnosis of a so-called "social disease," and other information regarding its nature, its often accidental manner of spread and effective methods of treatment.

Arterio sclerosis, especially as manifested by the untimely degeneration of arteries, is another subject which has been studied intensively at a local hospital under a special subcommittee. There is every reason to believe that these investigations, as formulated, will add to our present knowledge of the prevention of conditions which now contribute so largely to the premature deaths of so many people between the ages of fifty and sixty years of age.

The prevention of blindness and deafness is another subject which has been taken up by the committee. One of the results of its work is a new instrument for the early detection of glaucoma, a condition resulting from obstructed lymph circulation within the eyeball, and which is a frequent cause of blindness.

The work which is about to be undertaken in the Philippines, under the direction of Dr. Richard P. Strong, a member of the committee, has furnished an opportunity at a mere nominal cost, to make at the same time a study of a special phase of pneumonia, which it is hoped may contribute to the information of other investigators who are working in this country in connection with the prevention of our common forms of pneumonia.

In connection with the above mentioned work, the various members of the committee have given of their time and material as well as the work of some of their assistants, from time to time, without any cost of the Bureau, and for this reason the amount of work done and things accomplished have been very great considering the time and expenditure involved, and the community owes them a debt of gratitude.

Since February 1 the committee has made no charges of any kind for office rent, clerical hire, traveling expenses, etc., on account of this work, and it is hoped in the future to continue in the same manner.

MAYOR STARTS FIGHT TO HALT PHONE RATE INCREASES.

Mayor Curley, on April 19, issued the following statement:

"I have this day been informed by the Corporation Counsel that he has found it necessary to assign one of the representatives of the Law Department to the card indexing of complaints received in connection with the protests lodged by the City of Boston against the proposed increase in telephone rates by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.

"It is my opinion," said the Corporation Counsel, "That when the public become aware of the extent of the pro-

posed increase, which I find as set forth in some of the complaints received, may mean as great an increase as 300 per cent in the cases of certain cities and towns within twenty-five miles of Boston, that there will be such a wave of indignation that the Telephone Company will as a matter of self-defence be obliged to withdraw their proposed increases."

The Mayor also sent the following petition to the Department of Public Utilities:

CITY OF BOSTON,
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
April 18, 1924.

To the Department of Public Utilities,
State House, Boston, Mass.:

GENTLEMEN,—Respectfully complains James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston, that all the rates and charges for the telephone service in the City of Boston, as rendered by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, are higher than is consistent with justice and public interest and that all of the rates and charges of said company for telephone service in the City of Boston are unreasonable, discriminatory and unduly high.

And the said James M. Curley, Mayor of said City of Boston, respectfully petitions your department to notify the said New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of this complaint and to give a public hearing thereon, and after said hearings to order such a reduction in the rates and charges for telephone service and such a revision of the rates and charges as it may deem just and proper, and that it will grant such other relief in the premises as may be authorized by law.

And the said James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston, further represents that he is informed that your department proposes on April 23 next to give a public hearing on the petition of said company for a proposed change in schedules, charges and rates for telephone service in the City of Boston; that in view of the petition herein seeking an investigation and public hearing by your department, concerning all rates and charges of the said company, the said James M. Curley requests that the taking effect of said new schedules, rates and charges, as filed by said company with your department, be suspended until such time as the investigation recommended and sought by this petition be completed.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

ASSESSMENTS ABATED.

The Mayor has approved the following order of the Board of Street Commissioners:

In the matter of the application for revision of assessment levied on account of the construction of sewerage works the Board of Street Commissioners acting under the provisions of chapter 359 of the acts of the year 1896, and deeming it just and proper that such action should be taken upon said application:

Ordered, That the amount hereinafter specified, being the annual apportionment of said assessment for the year specified below, be and the same is hereby abated.

Delia L. Haney, Louise and Mary J. Thorpe, 1923 apportionment, Plan 49, 1917, lot 17, Grover street, September 26, 1919\$10 56

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 17 TO APRIL 23.

APRIL 22.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. C. Crowley.....	41 Atkins street.....	26	Third-class tenements.....	\$20,000
Robert C. Mills.....	307 Kittredge street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,700
C. L. Lawson.....	103 Arlington street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Olga E. Brodin.....	Rear of 10 Hadwin way.....	23	Third-class garage.....	200
Alice Swan.....	Rear of 118 Richmond st.....	21	Third-class garage.....	175
John J. Kelleher.....	5336 Washington street.....	23	Third-class store.....	400
Anne Capobianco.....	5 Clarendon avenue.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	650
Quincy Market Cold Storage Warehouse Company.....	131 Beverly street.....	5	Alterations, storage.....	3,600
Max Mandelstorm.....	105 Meridian street.....	2	Alterations, store and dwelling.....	2,000
Mary J. Brady.....	327 Tremont street.....	8	Alterations, store and lodging.....	400
Pope Lumber Company.....	29 and 31 Corey street.....	23	Alterations, office and storage.....	1,000
Charles W. Rowell.....	211 Congress street.....	5	Alterations, offices and stores.....	2,500
Mary E. Johnston.....	206 Norfolk street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,500
Herbert B. Bailey.....	107 South street.....	5	Erect fire escape.....	1,100
Boston Consolidated Gas Company.....	235 East Eighth street.....	11	Take-down, gas holder.....	250

APRIL 23.

Apostolas Gargillis.....	8 Atherton street.....	15	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Nicolas Sanella.....	Rear of 235 Lexington street.....	1	First-class garage.....	2,000
W. T. O'Brien.....	904-908 Morton street.....	21	First-class garage.....	10,000
W. T. O'Brien.....	906 Morton street.....	21	First-class store.....	1,000
John A. Troop.....	Rear of 56 Mt. Vernon st.....	11	First-class garage.....	600
Margaret E. Ryan.....	Rear of 57 Donnybrook rd.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,000
American Safety Device Co.....	43 and 45 Ellery street.....	11	Special garage.....	465
William E. Peary.....	49 Swallow street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Helen L. Whiteman.....	63 Bainbridge street.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Fred Sheard.....	148 Summit street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	376
T. E. Folger.....	90 Warrenton street.....	8	Alterations, tenements.....	175
Monello Tile and Marble Co.....	54 Geneva avenue.....	18	Alterations, shop and garage.....	50
John J. Drummey.....	19 Asticou road.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
C. D. Swain Company.....	2360 Washington street.....	13	Alterations, store.....	400
S. Shafer.....	388 Dorchester street.....	11	Alterations, stores and dwelling.....	3,000
Warren Chambers Trust.....	407 Boylston street.....	8	Alterations, stores and offices.....	2,000
H. Phillips.....	Rear of 547-553 Columbia road.....	17	Alterations, stores and offices.....	300
Loft, Inc.....	505 Washington street.....	5	Install dumb waiter.....	200
Edward D. MacCollum.....	2364 Washington street.....	13	Install elevator.....	3,570
G. M. Wethern.....	33 West street.....	5	Alterations, elevator.....	1,000
C. C. Hamilton.....	145 and 147 Worcester st.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	375
T. N. Stevens.....	Rear of 101 Dakota street.....	19	Take-down, storage.....	200
Mary M. O'Brien.....	30 and 32 Washington st.....	26	Take-down, dwelling.....	150
Mary M. O'Brien.....	34 Washington street.....	26	Take-down, dwelling.....	150
Mary M. O'Brien.....	Rear of 34 Washington st.....	26	Take-down, stable.....	50
N. Martin.....	5 Pine street.....	4	Take-down, dwelling.....	100

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 17 TO APRIL 23.

APRIL 17.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Henry J. Gurl.....	615 Massachusetts avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$75
K. W. McManus.....	32 Ripley road.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,250
J. A. Finley.....	77 Harvard avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	95
J. A. Wright.....	Rear of 80 Chapman street.....	3	New fixtures.....	225
Louis H. Jacobs.....	49 Holbrook street.....	22	New fixtures.....	440
D. J. Rull.....	171 Emerson street.....	10	New fixtures.....	100
H. W. Driscoll.....	770 East Broadway.....	9	New fixtures.....	250
John J. Vogel.....	3 Boylston street.....	22	New fixtures.....	825
F. D. Kirby.....	261-281 Devonshire street.....	5	New fixtures.....	25,000
John J. Vogel.....	157 Aldrich street.....	23	New fixtures.....	540
James A. Cotter.....	70 Kilby street.....	5	New fixtures.....	75,000
John J. Vogel.....	605 La Grange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	520
James J. Kelly.....	352 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	75
John J. Vogel.....	524 Weld street.....	23	New fixtures.....	520
Edward J. Roach.....	3193 Washington street.....	22	New fixtures.....	485
Thomas F. Hurley.....	5330 Washington street.....	23	New fixtures.....	300
Ben Roberts.....	1483 Washington street.....	6	New fixtures.....	800
B. A. MacDonald.....	713 South street.....	23	New fixtures.....	40
John J. Vogel.....	26 Prospect avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	550
J. A. Finley.....	403 Washington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	75
William O'Brien.....	22 Winchester street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200

APRIL 18.

Max H. Cohen.....	55 Wilcock street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$1,400
Max H. Cohen.....	59 Wilcock street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,400
H. Weiss.....	55 Regent street.....	13	New fixtures.....	500
M. Cohen.....	11 Parkman street.....	5	New fixtures.....	75
James R. Dunkerly.....	1928 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	400
Victor Feinberg.....	24 Crowell street.....	21	New fixtures.....	2,100
Leo Charles Levy.....	514 and 516 Columbia road.....	17	New fixtures.....	4,500
John R. Barrett.....	59 Clarendon street.....	7	New fixtures.....	45
M. Pass & Co.....	480 Jamaica way.....	22	New fixtures.....	6,000
Solomon Tack.....	168 and 170 Orange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
Solomon Tack.....	133 and 135 Roslindale avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
Solomon Tack.....	137 and 139 Roslindale avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
H. S. Trethewey.....	16 Montvale street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,050
H. S. Trethewey.....	317-325B Belgrade avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,013
H. S. Trethewey.....	Rear of 325 Belgrade avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,073
Joyce & Travers.....	3 Brinton street.....	15	New fixtures.....	650

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 17 TO APRIL 23.

APRIL 21.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Alexander Campbell.....	1340 Tremont street.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$70
A. Smith & Co.....	21 South street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
Henry J. Gurl.....	48 Richards street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
John J. Murphy.....	780 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	275
T. A. Matthews.....	2 Linden Park street.....	13	New fixtures.....	100
Harry D. Pollard.....	19 Frederika street.....	20	New fixtures.....	250
Austin Arey.....	263 Emerson street.....	10	New fixtures.....	500
William F. McAuliffe.....	762 East Fourth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	100
George E. Carruthers.....	8 Chelsea street.....	2	New fixtures.....	850
George E. Carruthers.....	10 Chelsea street.....	2	New fixtures.....	850
F. H. Densmore.....	11 Samoset street.....	20	New fixtures.....	380
K. W. McManus.....	12 Oakwood street.....	21	New fixtures.....	550
Joyce A. Travers.....	17 Elm street.....	7	New fixtures.....	450
Pagington Brothers.....	56 Warren avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	350
T. A. Matthews.....	33 Hazelton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
John E. Stanley.....	14 Verdun street.....	20	New fixtures.....	900
S. Gould.....	11 Greendale road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,050

APRIL 22.

L. W. Polit.....	516 Warren street.....	16	New fixtures.....	\$300
Bernard T. Clancy.....	227 Tremont street.....	8	New fixtures.....	90
Powers & McHegan.....	66 Stockton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	900
Mav Hyman.....	3 Sutton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	2,500
Daniel J. Cotter.....	244 Savin Hill avenue.....	17	New fixtures.....	200
Philip Ligums.....	540 Saratoga street.....	1	New fixtures.....	300
M. B. Gradone & Co.....	284 Princeton street.....	2	New fixtures.....	250
Abraham Shleman.....	207 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	700
Boyd & Co., Inc.....	70 Myrtle street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,500
Charles G. Stellberger.....	318 Longwood avenue.....	14	New fixtures.....	700
James H. Unsworth.....	236 Jamaica way.....	14	New fixtures.....	1,700
P. F. Russo.....	1243 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	10,000
S. Gould.....	3 Florence avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	2,400
S. Gould.....	7 Florence avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	2,400
J. S. Cassidy.....	43 Elmira street.....	26	New fixtures.....	900
B. A. McDonald.....	26 Cedar street.....	15	New fixtures.....	1,500
M. B. Gradone & Co.....	22 Bremen street.....	2	New fixtures.....	300
D. M. Goldstein.....	1280 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	350
John J. Vogel.....	133 Beech street.....	23	New fixtures.....	890
John J. Vogel.....	96 Baker street.....	23	New fixtures.....	440
Herman Grosse.....	6 Ashmont street.....	21	New fixtures.....	400
Abraham Kudish.....	60 Allen street.....	5	New fixtures.....	675

APRIL 23.

M. J. Murphy.....	11 Waterford street.....	6	New fixtures.....	\$500
Frank C. Goldberg.....	1277 Tremont street.....	13	New fixtures.....	150
Bernard T. Clancy.....	291 Tremont street.....	8	New fixtures.....	90
Albert E. Roberts.....	110 Tremont street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	477 Stuart street.....	7	New fixtures.....	100
E. J. Fennessey.....	86 Pineknay street.....	8	New fixtures.....	580
John E. Stanley.....	41 Percival street.....	18	New fixtures.....	1,100
William S. Howe Company.....	20 Myrtle street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
Austin Arey.....	172 M street.....	10	New fixtures.....	200
A. J. Hughes.....	82 Lasell street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
J. W. Foster.....	195 Lake street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
Richard P. Slattery Company.....	68-70 Hanover street.....	5	New fixtures.....	80
C. H. Burnham.....	8 Hancock street.....	3	New fixtures.....	350
Pagington Brothers.....	101 Fairmount avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	185
L. R. Freedman.....	722 East Sixth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	300
W. J. Cook Company.....	694 East Broadway.....	9	New fixtures.....	70
James P. Tancred.....	361 Dorchester street.....	11	New fixtures.....	35
Pagington Brothers.....	123 Dana avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	15
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	833 Columbia road.....	11	New fixtures.....	100
Charles Lang.....	36 Braden street.....	23	New fixtures.....	850
George C. Torngren.....	465 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	125
Walter P. Jones.....	60 Alpha road.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,000

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 516.

SUBJECT: PUBLIC HACKNEY CARRIAGE STANDS.

The Police Commissioner announces to the department that the public hackney carriage stands hereinafter listed have been this day abolished, and are, therefore, no longer in force and effect:

Franklin street, north side, east of Arch street, one carriage.

Franklin street, north side, west of Devonshire street, two carriages.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 517.

The resignation of Patrolman Matthew J. Moylan of Division 12 having been

presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect as of Thursday, April 17, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 518.

The resignation of Patrolman William H. White of Division 6 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect as of Saturday, April 19, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 519.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Martin F. Foley of Division 16, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Martin F. Foley was on March 25, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on March 25, 1924, to the said Martin F. Foley.

On the twenty-sixth day of March, 1924, the said Martin F. Foley, by his attorney, requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commission set down Friday, April 4, 1924, at 2.30 p. m. at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Martin F. Foley.

The said Martin F. Foley was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses, said hearing being continued on April 9, 1924, and continued to April 11 and April 18, 1924, on which latter date it was completed. Whereupon, after hearing the same, the Police Commissioner finds the said Martin F. Foley guilty as charged and further finds that the said Martin F. Foley shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.HUGUENOT SUNDAY-AT
LIBRARY.

Sunday, April 27, has been designated as Huguenot Sunday, in commemoration of the settlement in New York in 1624 of refugees from Europe.

In the music room at the Boston Public Library are assembled several psalters. To illustrate how the psalmody of the Huguenots has influenced the world, one melody has been especially selected, the tune known as "Old Hundred." This appeared for the first time in connection with Psalm 134 in the French psalter in a metrical version by Beza. It was harmonized by Goudimel and his arrangement is exhibited, as is also one by J. S. Bach who arranged it about one hundred and fifty years later.

This melody is shown in a German version of the psalms set to the French tunes by Martin Opitz in 1640. In Henry Ainsworth's version, the melody appears in connection with Psalm 100, whence its name. Ainsworth's version is the one the Pilgrims brought with them and used at Plymouth for nearly a century. The melody is shown as it appeared in the Bay Psalm Book, in a Dutch version and in a later French version.

Of special interest is a version in English prepared for the Dutch Reformed Church in the United States and published in New York in 1767.

The melody known as "Old Hundred" is without doubt the most widely used sacred tune in the whole world and the exhibition gives just an inkling of the tremendous interest surrounding a tune which is used every Sunday as a matter of course.

MAYOR CURLEY SCORES KU KLUX DEPREDACTIONS AS "MOCKERIES OF CHRIST."

CHALLENGES MEMBERS OF ORDER TO COME OUT INTO SUNLIGHT DURING RINGING ADDRESS BEFORE MALDEN POST 69, AMERICAN LEGION.

Mayor Curley delivered the following address before members of the American Legion Post 69 at Malden, Monday evening, April 21:

The leaders and organizers of this Ku Klux conspiracy are among the meanest and most contemptible elements in American life, recruiting their following among the ignorant and credulous, preaching doctrines abhorrent to the brotherhood of men and the fellowship of communities, substituting treason for loyalty, deriding Christianity and seeking to displace law and the orderly administration of justice, by terrorism, lawlessness and the dicta of secret societies. If continued long enough the Ku Klux Klan, few of whose leaders and members fought for America in the war, can precipitate a state of civil conflict, which will be marked by the activities already in evidence in outlying places, the raiding of homes, the torturing of helpless men and women, the burning of churches and other outrages that cannot long be borne in patience.

Cowardly politicians have condoned the activities of a body whose dishonest and unscrupulous leaders look for their rewards in political preferment and the subscriptions of their gulls; they are willing to jeopardize the common weal to serve their mercenary purposes; and the time has come when the honorable and patriotic elements of America, civil and religious, must take their courage in their hands and unite to crush the evil thing, which is a threat to the peace and prosperity of the United States and a negation of every principal that has made America what it is.

Ku Klux Klanism represents the vilest spirit in American life; it is the organized ingratitude and envy of the basest elements among us; it thrives on falsehood; it mocks Christianity; perverts truth, and capitalizes the weaknesses and fears of credulity and ignorance.

At a time when this Commonwealth was celebrating the heroic events that opened the American Revolution and gave birth to the American republic; when the Christian world was commemorating the tragedy of Calvary and the resurrection of the Founder of Christianity, this treasonable and anti-American body was giving the lie to the suffering and sacrifice of them who died at Concord and Lexington, and by the erection of the insignia of intolerance and lawlessness on the hills of New England, flaming crosses, they were insulting the sacred sensibilities of Christian New England and making a mockery of the crucified Christ.

How long will the honor and self respect of America tolerate the sacrilege and treason of Ku Klux Klanism?

It is whispered that the cowardice and venality of certain elements of constituted authority have enabled this evil spawn of treason and bigotry to creep into the very holy of holies of American liberties and to warp and discredit the administration of justice in its initial functions. Even though certain an-

nounced conclusions and indictments give color to this belief, let us hope that it is untrue; for if the people of this city and state should lose faith in the purity and honesty of the wellsprings of law and justice we will have come upon evil days, and upon conditions threatening the integrity of society that call for drastic action.

If the elements that preach treason and advocate the abolition of the guarantees of the Constitution in theory and in fact have gained in part or in whole the control of the machinery of justice, the time has arrived for those who are pledged to the preservation of the American system, who will not stand idly by and see the fruits of their service and sacrifice cast out of doors and the American Constitution and law made delusions and snares, to look to themselves and rebuke the conspirators and the conspiracy. The men who sprang to arms to defend and preserve this republic against a foreign foe will not hesitate to stand as lions in the path of domestic treason and its organized forces.

Let us not be misunderstood. Let our resolution to protect and conserve our liberties at all hazards be told to all and several. Let those who are playing with fire understand the risk they are running, and be told plainly and unmistakably that Americans will not tamely submit to the plots and usurpations of the anti-American traitors and conspirators of the Ku Klux Klan and their wretched political allies.

The days of stealth, nocturnal organization, falsehood and propaganda have given numbers to the Ku Klux Klan and a certain spurious audacity of purpose; the Klan have laid their unholy hands on the altars of liberty and have desecrated them; they have crept into the temple of justice and are attempting to transform it into a den of thieves; and they must soon come blinking from the darkness into the sunlight. There they will find us prepared to meet them; and if they have the courage of their prejudices and perversions the fight will be on; they will either destroy American liberty, or Americans of all shades, colors and races will destroy them.

As the prophets of old cried in the hour of peril, when religion, truth and national safety were threatened, "To your tents, O Israel."

The time for a showdown is here. We are ready to face and meet it, peacefully and lawfully if we may; otherwise if we must. The foes of light and liberty are organized; it is time the friends were mobilized.

"When the call to arms came to the United States, no man asked of him who came forward to defend the flag and country whether he was native born or alien, Catholic or Protestant, Christian or Jew, white or black.

Through the valor of these men who went into the army and navy of the republic, who served and suffered and sacrificed by sea and land, the United States emerged from war triumphant,

with democracy safeguarded, militarism defeated, imperialism rebuked, and the principles of free, representative government vindicated; and a grateful people united in honoring the dead who sleep in the soil of France and in hailing them who returned as good and faithful servants, as worthy sons of the greatest republic on earth.

Alien and native, Catholic and Protestant, Gentile and Jew, white and black, baptized in the blood shed for freedom and humanity, emerged from the smoke of battle and returned to our shores, Americans in the highest and noblest significance of that splendid name, Americans by no accident of birth and circumstance, but Americans born into the glorious confraternity of America by service and sacrifice and the gratitude of a people whose principles have been preserved and whose traditions of liberty and justice had been written into the history of humanity by the valor of her sons.

But a worse enemy than the armed hosts of Europe, a meaner and more contemptible foe, inflamed by envy and falsehood, animated by greed and bigotry, embittered by race and religious hatred and handicapped by ignorance, and intolerance, was organizing in the darkness of the night, in the shadows and secret places, to slander and vilify those who had dared all and suffered all for the honor and safety of America. The echoes of the guns of Flanders and the roar of the artillery of the Argonne had scarcely died out and our heroes had returned to take their places in the work of peace, when whispering treason, disguised in fantastic garb, was stealthily forming its ranks to denounce and destroy the men of races and faiths, who had put everything behind them to serve and save the republic. In full view of the human wreckage of war, with full knowledge of the service and sacrifice of the objects of their venom and villification, these creatures of night, laughing at the law, scorning the guarantees of the Constitution, rejecting the teachings of religion and the principles of Americanism, inaugurated a conspiracy of treason and defamation, calculated to divide a united and triumphant nation and precipitate social, civic and religious dissension and distrust among American communities, and bring about conditions dangerous to the peace of America and hazardous to its integrity.

AID TO THE UNEMPLOYED.

Boston one of the first—if not the first—of American cities to open municipal free lodging houses for persons out of work, and temporarily homeless.

Temporary Home (for destitute women and children) opened in 1870; Wayfarers' Lodge (for men), in 1878. Total number of cases of aid to men in year 1921-22, 5,036; of women and children, 1,951. Not more than 5 per cent of men aided have legal settlement in Boston; about 44 per cent are recorded as foreign-born. Work in wood yard required for meals furnished to men.

State Free Employment Office in Boston, established in December, 1906. Number of applications for help recorded in year 1921, 15,729 or 13,432 less than in 1920; number reported filled, 11,734, of which 6,721 were for unskilled labor, 3,842 for skilled labor, 686 for mercantile positions and 485 for office clerks. Weekly average of persons called for by employers, 302. Cost of maintenance in 1921, \$30,881.

STATEMENT OF E. MARK SULLIVAN, CORPORATION COUNSEL OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES, APRIL 23, 1924, RELATIVE TO THE PETITION OF THE NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY FOR ALLOWANCE OF THEIR NEW SCHEDULE OF TELEPHONE RATES.

GENTLEMEN,—As Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston I appear, representing the petition of his Honor Mayor Curley, recently filed with your department. In this petition Mayor Curley and the city government of Boston ask three things:

First.—That the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company for increased rates be disallowed for the reason that they are unreasonable, burdensome, unnecessary and discriminatory.

Second.—That there be a general investigation of all the rates and service of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Third.—That no increase in the rates of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company should in any event be allowed until the investigation asked for is had.

The people of New England have been very patient and, in fact, for the most part, very generous toward the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company. They took a generous attitude toward the service they received during the last operators' strike. They were tolerant and sympathetic. Through the generous assistance and co-operation of the Department of Public Utilities of Massachusetts after that strike there was a temporary improvement in the service given, but this improvement was not of long duration.

Since then the service has gone downward while at the same time the company would have its rates go upward. No rate can be reasonable where the service is inadequate and unsatisfactory. In fact, several public utilities' commissions throughout the United States have made adequate service the condition precedent to granting petitions for increased rates. The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, long supposed to be the fair-haired child of the Bell Telephone System, has been generously treated by the New England public, but the present condition of things, now too long existing, has rendered it unworthy of further continuance of the generosity and patience which the public has shown toward it.

During the last strike it was apparent that in addition to their service breaking down, the executive management of the company itself was unable to meet the situation. Thereupon they imported into the district from other sections served by the Bell System executives and managers at double and trebled salary cost. No expense incident to fighting the striking operators was too great for this company to pay, and this added expense they would now saddle upon the public. The Mayor of Boston believes that the stockholders of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company should be made to pay this added and unnecessary expense, which they are charging up to operating costs. During the past ten years the stockholders of this company have enjoyed two permanent increases in their dividends, first from 6 per cent to 7 per

cent, and three years ago from 7 per cent to 8 per cent. The last telephone strike, in our opinion, was entirely unnecessary and could have been avoided. It has been said by some persons in high places, who are usually regarded as creditable authority in such matters, that that strike was deliberately precipitated by the company itself in the hope that the unionizing of its employees could forever be done away with.

If the employees of this company unionized it was because of the treatment which they were receiving at the hands of the company. It is not unusual that telephone operators should unionize, but it is peculiarly significant that the operators of this company have a union and that those employed in the contracting department have found it necessary to unionize in order to protect themselves against the exacting and unfair treatment that short-sighted managers of this company are too inclined to mete out to their employees.

At this moment I am holding no brief for the right of this company's employees to unionize, but in the name of the City of Boston and its citizens I do feel well justified in protesting against saddling upon the public, by further increases in telephone rates, the extravagances of the officials of this company.

With a capital stock of \$66,000,000, this company has accumulated as a reserve for depreciation the unusual sum of \$39,000,000. Ordinarily an accumulation for this purpose of a sum equal to 20 per cent of its capital stock would be considered reasonable. Last year, after distributing among its stockholders an 8 per cent dividend of over \$5,000,000, this company was able to add another million of dollars to its reserve for depreciation. But this does not represent all of the profits which a selected class of stockholders of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company enjoy. From 85 to 90 per cent of the stock of this company is owned by the parent company, the Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company. To this company it is perpetually required to pay royalties on its telephone sets, that is, the ordinary instruments by which the individual receives or transmits his telephone message.

This royalty is fixed at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent of the gross receipts of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company on these sets. This royalty is charged against operating costs and is always figured before the payment of dividends on stock is considered. Such a contract as this by a public utility, existing and operating under a public franchise and by reason of the public, is so unconscionable as to be unconstitutional. On inquiry I believe that this commission would be well justified in ignoring the terms of such a contract in estimating the proper allowances for this company's operating charges.

Public utilities elsewhere have decreed a fair and reasonable royalty on telephone

sets similar to those used in New England was 94 cents a year, and in some cases have gone as high as \$1.04 a year. The present royalty contract between this company and the Bell Company is an internal and covert arrangement for mulcting the unsuspecting public, and if this investigation is had, which is asked for by the Mayor of Boston, we hope to establish the proposition as I have already stated it.

Another method of defrauding the public, which this company pretends to serve, is their supply contract. Here again a favored set of stockholders of this company are permitted to siphon the money of the public into their own coffers, in addition to the magnificent dividends that are returned to them on their stock. The New England Telephone Company has a contract with the Western Electric Company, which Western Electric Company is owned 100 per cent by the Bell Telephone Company. This contract with the Western Electric Company requires the New England Telephone Company to buy all its supplies, such as wires, cables, telephone directories, paper, etc., from the Western Electric Company on the basis of cost plus 10 per cent. Only the directors of the Western Electric Company and God Almighty Himself know what the real costs of these supplies are, but whatever they are that price plus 10 per cent is the price which this company must pay for them. This is not a new scheme of financial fleecing. It is like the fleas upon the dog's tail, all biting one another *ad infinitum*:

Each little flea has another little flea upon his tail to bite him.

And so on *ad infinitum*.

Those who have followed the progress of the affairs of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company have long been interested in the contract work done for it, particularly in the laying of its conduits and certain other construction work, by the Fred T. Ley Company. This company, I am creditably informed, received its early financial backing from certain directors of the American Telephone Company some fifteen years ago. Perhaps this is another way by which a favored group of stockholders of this immediate company or of its parent company increased their personal fortunes at the expense of the public.

There is no reason why this New England Company, which is existing by reason of the grant of the New England States and operating under their franchises, should not be obliged to serve the people with as much honesty as any officer or board of commissioners of this Commonwealth are required to serve the people of our state. These indirect profits are morally no less a larceny from the people of New England because in form of law they are legal than if this mask of virtuous pretext were torn from their faces.

There are throughout the country and in the Canadian provinces a few independent telephone companies, and these companies are able to buy their supplies and equipment from supply companies that are not owned body and soul by the Bell Telephone Company or some one of its subsidiaries. The result is that their supplies are purchased at a more economic figure, and this is one reason why they are able to serve the public adequately and at lower rates.

The present rates of the New England Telephone Company are as high as any, and higher than most of the rates of the big telephone companies throughout the

nation. The present rates are higher than the present or even the proposed rates of the New York Company. They are greatly in excess of the rates charged by the independent telephone company which now serves the Province of New Brunswick, and this in spite of the fact that the New England territory, which is served by this company, has the greatest density of population and telephone users of any district throughout the nation.

The wonder to most people will be, on learning this, that their dividends are not much higher than they are. This is explainable on the theory that much of their profits are absorbed by charges over to the parent or allied companies on the one hand and on the other by the inadequacy and inefficiency of their management. Six or seven years ago, I believe it was, our Legislature appropriated \$10,000 to meet the expenses of an investigation of telephone rates to be carried on under the direction of the Department of Public Utilities of Massachusetts. It may be that the department at that time felt that the service

which this company was then giving was so adequate that they should be loath to disturb it. In any event I believe the amount so appropriated was inadequate for the task.

The proposed rates should not therefore be allowed until a general investigation into them can be had. In no event should any increase be allowed until the service has been restored to a state of reasonable efficiency. The proposed rates mean an increase of from 50 to 400 per cent. They mean an average increase throughout the district of 300 per cent.

One subtle and insidious way of effecting this increase is by shortening the initial period in toll calls from five minutes to three minutes. To illustrate, we will take the station to station call, that is, where the number only is given in asking for the toll. This short haul business is the greater portion of the toll business of this company and if the new rates, shortening the initial period, are allowed, the estimated increase from this one source would be from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000 a year.

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Present 15 cent rate.....			\$0 15	\$0 20	\$0 20
New 15 cent rate.....	\$0 15	\$0 20	25	30	35
Present 20 cent rate.....			20	25	25
New 20 cent rate.....	20	25	30	35	40
Present 25 cent rate.....			25	30	35
New 25 cent rate.....	25	30	35	40	45

Under the present schedule of rates all calls from person to person, that is, where the tolls is given with the number and person to be reached, the toll charge is the regular station-to-station charge, plus 25 per cent. This additional 25 per cent on station to station charge is at present figured on the next lowest multiple of five. To illustrate, if the station to station charge is 30 cents, then on a person to person call the company adds substantially 25 per cent to the station to station charge. Twenty-five per cent of 30 cents would be 7½ cents. In the proposed rate this would be changed and the 25 per cent to be added to the station to station charge would be the next highest multiple of five, that is 10 cents. In other words, if the station to station charge is 30 cents, in a person to person call the toll would be 35 cents under the present rate. Under the proposed rate the person to person call would be 40 cents.

While the public is interested, and always must be interested in the question of reasonable charges, and will bear with patience even excessive charges, it will not long remain tolerant of inadequate service. We never can hope to have adequate service at the hands of the New England Telephone Company until such time as it is prepared to deal justly with its employees. In view of the fact that it takes time to train a telephone operator, and this must be done at the expense of the company, this is a source of great operating expense that might reasonably be avoided.

The work of a telephone operator is exacting and nerve racking and no operator can be expected to continue long in such employment excepting under the most favorable conditions, and it becomes

important both from the standpoint of adequate service and reasonable expense to see to it that experienced and satisfactory operators are retained in the company's employ. To attract intelligent and otherwise suitable persons to this extremely burdensome work of operating telephone switchboards, the company should shorten the hours of daily service and lengthen the period of recreation, and if necessary, increase the salaries of these employees. No telephone operator should be expected to carry on this work beyond the point of reasonable endurance and no woman of sufficient intelligence to handle a modern telephone switchboard adequately will long retain her employment with the company unless she is humanely treated and reasonably compensated.

If the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company shall decide to yield up its covert profits to the Bell Telephone Company to the Western Electric Company and to the Fred T. Ley Company, and pare down in a reasonable degree the annual dividends to its own immediate stockholders, it can afford to employ at adequate salaries and on conditions otherwise attractive that class of persons who will remain with it permanently and be able to serve the public with satisfaction, and without unreasonable and discriminatory rates for inadequate service being charged to the public.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 520.

The Superintendent of Police is hereby directed to make the following details for duty at the presidential primary in this city on Tuesday, April 29, 1924:

1. Three patrolmen for duty in the

office of the Board of Election Commissioners, City Hall Annex, on arrival of ballots for presidential primary at about 12 o'clock noon, Monday, April 28, 1924, such detail to continue until all ballots cast at the primary have been returned.

2. An officer of rank above that of sergeant for duty at the City Hall Annex, to supervise the police detail for motor trucks, from 7.30 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, 29th inst., until relieved.

3. The necessary number of patrolmen from the several police divisions to attend the several polling places in this city on presidential primary day to preserve order and protect voters in the full exercise of their rights.

4. Two patrolmen from Division 18 to report at office of Board of Election Commissioners at 7 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, 29th inst., and there to receive ballot boxes, ballots and other paraphernalia required for the primary in Ward 24, and deliver same on motor vehicle, furnished by the Election Commissioners, to the station house of Division 18.

5. Twenty-five sergeants, one to a motor vehicle, to report at office of the Election Commissioners, City Hall Annex, Court square, at 8 o'clock a. m. (excepting the sergeants for Wards 21 and 23, who will report at 7.30 o'clock a. m.), Tuesday, April 29, 1924; thence to proceed in such vehicle with ballot boxes, ballots, etc., to the several precincts in their respective wards (Ward 24 excepted), and deliver same to the police officer detailed in each precinct.

6. Nine patrolmen from Division 18, one patrolman from Division 19 and one patrolman from Division 17 to report at the station house of Division 18, at 8.30 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, April 29; thence to proceed in a motor vehicle to be provided for the purpose with the ballot boxes and other paraphernalia and distribute the same in the various precincts of Ward 24.

7. One patrolman to each of the two hundred and seventy-four precincts to report at 9 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, April 29, except the patrolmen in

- Ward 1, Precincts 6 to 9 (both inclusive), to report at 8.30 a. m.;
- Ward 20, Precincts 1, 2 and 10, to report at 8.45 a. m.;
- Ward 21, Precincts 1 to 5 (both inclusive), to report at 8.30 a. m.;
- Ward 23, Precincts 1 to 6 (both inclusive), to report at 8.30 a. m.;
- Ward 25, Precinct 2, to report at 8.45 a. m.;
- Ward 26, Precincts 1 to 3 (both inclusive), to report at 8.30 a. m.;

to receive ballot boxes, etc., from sergeants detailed on motor trucks, in such cases provided; such detail to continue until the ballots are counted and the result declared. They are then to bring the ballots and returns to the Election Commissioners' office.

8. Cards with the ward and precinct number and location of voting booth printed thereon have been forwarded to the several police divisions, on which the division commander will write the name, the division number, and the number of the officer detailed at 9 a. m., April 29, at the voting booth of each respective precinct in his division. This card, to be given to the officer so detailed at the voting booth, will be retained in his possession until delivered by him to an employee of the Board of Election Commissioners, who will arrive accompanying a sergeant on motor vehicle from the Election Commissioners' office on the morning of April 29, with ballot boxes,

ballots, etc., as hereinbefore stated. This card, when returned by such employee to the office of the Election Commissioners, will be its receipt that the ballot boxes, ballots, etc., have arrived at their proper destination.

9. In the case of Ward 24, such cards, after having been properly filled out by the division commander, will be given to the two patrolmen who are to report at the office of the election commissioners at 7 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, 29th inst., as herein stated, and are to be delivered by them to the Election Commissioners on receipt of the ballot boxes, ballots, etc.

10. On receipt by the patrolman from the sergeant, detailed on motor vehicle, as herein provided, of registering ballot box, voting lists and such other documents as may have been received from the Election Commissioners, the patrolman detailed at polling place will deliver same to the warden or clerk of the precinct, allowing no person to take or handle them before such delivery, and hand the key of the registering ballot box to the warden. On delivery of ballots to the warden, the patrolman will take from him a receipt for the ballots, which receipt will be returned to the Election Commissioners.

11. After the warden has opened the box and allowed the election officers and the public to see that it is empty, the box is to be again locked and the key given to the patrolman who is to retain it until after the polls have closed, except that, at the request of the warden, the patrolman may allow him to open the box for the purpose of pressing down the ballots, in order to make room for more ballots, after which the patrolman will see that the box is again locked, and the key returned to the police officer.

12. The patrolman will obtain from the warden copies of poster, which will be sent to the latter, in relation to smoking and the use of liquor in polling places, and post same in conspicuous places where they may be easily read. Tacks will be sent for the purpose.

13. The warden will deliver to the patrolman detailed at the polling place for his use at that place a copy of the descriptive voting list, which must be returned to the warden at the close of the polls.

14. When the polls are opened, the patrolman will mark in the place indicated on the tag attached to the key the figures which the register shows before any ballots are cast.

15. At 8 p. m., Tuesday, April 29, when the polls close, one sergeant will report in each of the twenty-five wards (Ward 24 is excepted), to meet motor vehicle at last point of morning distribution; thence to proceed to each of the several precincts in his respective ward and receive registering ballot box (which must be locked) and key thereof, voting lists envelope, signed by the warden and other election officers, receipts for ballots, unused ballot envelope (containing unused and spoiled ballots), stamps for marking spoiled ballots and receipts for ballots, carry them to the Election Commissioners' office and deliver same to some member of the Board of Election Commissioners.

16. When the polls are closed, the patrolman will mark on the same tag the figures which the register shows after all ballots have been cast. He will then hand the key to the warden, who will open the box and take out all the ballots to be sorted and counted. The warden will then cause the voting lists, including the list used by the

police officer, to be sealed up in an envelope and the envelope certified by the signatures of himself and the other election officers, and the same returned to the Election Commissioners, as described in section 15 of this order. The patrolman will not allow this envelope to be put into the ballot box. The sergeant who will report on motor vehicle will keep it about his person until delivery at the office of the Election Commissioners. The unused and spoiled ballots are then to be put in the envelope for unused ballots, and the envelope sealed and certified.

17. When returning from polls, all all motor vehicles must drive to the easterly side of City Hall Annex, Court square, where ballot boxes will be conveyed by chute to the basement.

18. It is important that the patrolman sees that the voting lists envelope is signed by the warden, clerk and all the inspectors. The patrolman will also see that the special book for signatures of voters is returned in the registering ballot box.

19. In case a patrolman is detailed to relieve another after the close of the polls, the commanding officer will see that he is instructed as to the duty of bringing the official returns, box of ballots cast, and the press return to the Election Commissioners' office as soon as they are delivered to him by the election officers.

20. When the ballots have all been counted, the ballots thus counted, tally sheets and nothing else (the ballots to be in their separate party envelopes) shall be placed by the warden in the leatheroid box sent for that purpose, which must be sealed up and signed by all the election officers. The patrolman will particularly see that this box is properly sealed up and that all the election officers have signed their names to the certificate on the box. The patrolman will then bring the box, official return, press return and stamps for marking defective ballots to the City Hall Annex, Court square, and deliver same to the Election Commissioners. The patrolman is directed not to allow the official return or record book to be placed in the leatheroid box.

21. After the close of the polls, a vehicle, to be provided for the purpose, will be sent to the various precincts in Ward 24, to bring police officers with regular ballot boxes, unused ballots, etc., to the station house of Division 18, from which place only two police officers need accompany the motor vehicle with the regular ballot boxes, unused ballots, etc., to the office of the Election Commissioners.

22. While the polls remain open, an officer of rank will visit the polling places in each division at stated intervals, to be designated by the captain, and in case of any disturbance will report the fact to the commanding officer of the station house without delay. If additional men are needed beyond the number available in that division, the officer in charge will communicate immediately with headquarters.

23. Attention is called to the fact that the polls at the presidential primary on Tuesday, April 29, shall open at 10 o'clock a. m. and close at 8 o'clock p. m.

24. Commanding Officers of divisions will see that the officers detailed for duty on presidential primary day are furnished with a copy of the circular issued by the Board of Election Commissioners, entitled: "Instructions to Police Officers on Primary. . . Days."

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 521.

The resignation of Patrolman John T. Kevin, Jr., of Division 8 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Thursday, April 24, 1921, at 5.45 o'clock p. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 522.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman George R. Day of Division 7, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman George R. Day was on April 17, 1921, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on April 17, 1921, to the said George R. Day.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions for poles received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Washington street, Ward 26, remove one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Eustis street, Ward 12, transfer one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Centre street, Ward 23, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Sunset Hill road, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Templeton street, Ward 20, erect and remove one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, East Eagle street, Ward 1, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Elmira street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Phillips street, Ward 14, erect three poles.

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CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Josephine E. Troisi, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in walk on Causeway street December 26, 1922.

Charles H. Seaward, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by projecting brick at 244 Friend street April 7, 1921.

CALLS FOR RETURN TO HUSBANDRY AS FOUNDATION OF SUCCESS.

MAYOR CURLEY MAKES ADDRESS BEFORE THE GRANGE MEMBERS OF PLYMOUTH COUNTY.

Mayor Curley, speaking before the Grange members of Plymouth County at the Town Hall, Hanover, Mass., upon the evening of Saturday, April 19, said among other things:

Agriculture is the oldest, most important and most indispensable occupation of mankind; it serves the necessities of humanity, and necessity is the spur of all human labor.

The time was when the plain farmer rather sniffed at the "book farmer," but that day is gone and the best and most necessary friend the farmer has, and the one that solves his problems, relieves his difficulties, explains his troubles and makes his road less difficult to travel is the trained and educated agricultural expert.

The importance and vital necessity of agricultural schools is being better understood and appreciated every day by the farmer himself, and the knowledge and instruction they impart have been the salvation of many countries. Denmark, one of the smallest countries of Europe, with a harsh climate and stubborn soil, has found prosperity and employment by linking agriculture and education. Denmark maintains forty-four agricultural high schools; Scandinavia and Finland, with similar conditions of soil and climate, maintain 115, and yet Massachusetts has only one. These schools and colleges so train the people that the farmer is taught to know and love his trade and to make it a profitable industry. Taken by and large the Danes are the best educated, best trained and most intelligent farmers and dairymen in Europe; their schools unlike ours teach men to love the soil and take pride in it; they have learned how to train harmoniously the mind and hand, while we are giving a species of training that makes the new generation fly from the farm, despise work on the soil and seek the city for employment.

Denmark has solved her problem by making the cultivation of the soil honorable and profitable, and until we do that we shall always face the dangerous problems of deserted farms, congested cities, high prices and industrial unemployment.

The desertion of rural Massachusetts, the idle uncultivated acres and the necessarily high prices of living that are the legitimate fruit of shortage of cheap foods in our local markets react disastrously on the manufacturing industries of the Commonwealth and constitute a serious threat to our industrial future.

Prof. Alexander E. Cance, writing in the April number of "Farm and Garden," says that it costs a worker in Massachusetts from 10 to 14 per cent more to live than in other states and the percentage is on the increase. Wages in New England are higher on this account than elsewhere; and while these higher wages are not of any permanent value to the worker, they do have a serious effect upon the competitive ability of the industries of the Commonwealth and

make the continued existence here of such industries increasingly difficult.

The Middle West is a keen competitor of the shoe industry of Massachusetts. The labor cost of shoes worth a million dollars made here is \$170,000, while in Missouri it amounts to only \$110,000. High food costs are the responsible factor and the producers of food have the question to answer. What is true of the shoe trade is more significantly true of the textile industry in competition with the South, where labor is cheaper because of lack of child labor laws, rents, climate, food supplies and prices.

This is a question of the highest importance to this Commonwealth and the solution of this problem, upon which depends the successful continuance and profitable operation of our industries, demands the most careful consideration of every person and activity in the state. Personally I am of opinion that there must be a real and sympathetic understanding of the farmer's problems—production of crops, machinery to replace and supplement high priced labor, financial facilities to enable him to borrow on reasonable and equitable terms, and the expansion of agricultural education and the multiplication of its instrumentalities. The only way to stop the abandonment of farms is to make them economically profitable and socially attractive.

High prices of farm products in the markets do not mean prosperity for the farmer; moderate prices, greater sales in variety and volume and their certain absorption in our local markets do mean lifting the strain on manufacturing industry.

Marketing methods that will bring the farmer and the consumer in more immediate touch, that will increase the farmer's share and decrease the consumer's by eliminating superfluous middlemen—these must be provided.

The state must provide the funds for these purposes; they will entail no loss on the taxpayers and in solving the farmer's problem they will lighten the taxpayer's burdens. The financial provision to bring about these reforms, cheap loans, easiness in obtaining machinery, fertilizers and farm equipment, and the installation of modern markets and a closer intimacy between producer and consumer, must come from the treasury of the Commonwealth.

When I am Governor, as I will be in 1925, I will give immediate attention to the solution of these problems. I will demand money for the increase in agricultural schools and education, provision for rural credits, and the employment of competent, practical men, trained men not theorists and politicians, to secure results; I have no illusions regarding the value of agriculture, its fundamental character and its vital relation to every form of industry in Massachusetts. The decay of agriculture means the decay of all industry; and I am firmly convinced that the pros-

perity of the state, the success of its manufacturing industries, the restoration of our commerce, the rehabilitation of the Port of Boston and the general good of the Commonwealth are impossible until agriculture is contented and flourishing.

A well fed body of workers, fed at reasonable prices, are dependent upon an active flourishing agriculture.

A prosperous farmer means a prosperous state, and as Governor of Massachusetts it will be my aim to bring these conditions into existence.

PASSION PLAYERS THANK MAYOR FOR BOSTON'S WELCOME.

Mayor Curley received the following communication on April 21:

DEAR MR. MAYOR,—Now that we have reached the end of our American tour, which terminates here in Boston, I wish to take this opportunity in behalf of the Oberammergau delegation of thanking you for your sincere efforts and co-operation in making our engagement here a success.

Our visit to your city was indeed a pleasant one. The Hub of the Universe, as your city is called, received us most cordially, and memories will linger long after we return to Oberammergau. Friendships have been made which, we trust, will be lasting.

It is the wish of every member of the Oberammergau delegation that you may some time in the future visit us in our little village. Let me assure you that we will try our best to make your stay a pleasant one, as you have done for us in your city.

With most cordial greetings of good will and friendship and the hope that we may meet again.

Yours very sincerely,

ANTON LANG.

The Mayor sent the following answer:

DEAR MR. LANG,—I am delighted to find in the morning *Post* your kind and gracious letter thanking me for such courtesy as I was able to extend during the visit of the Oberammergau delegation in Boston.

May I assure you it is a pleasure to express to you the love of our hearts in your success, and I know your visit has accomplished a most important purpose in so far that a very great number of our citizens who had the honor and pleasure of meeting you will certainly visit Oberammergau in days that are to come for the presentation of the immortal Passion Play.

I sincerely trust that you will enjoy a safe and congenial passage home, and desire to extend you a renewed assurance of my highest consideration and regard.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE PROGRAM.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

Apr. 28. The Art Ruskin has given us. Royal B. Farnum, Principal, Massachusetts Normal Art School. (The Normal Art School class in the History of Art will meet with the Club.)

May 12. Annual Meeting.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, April 14, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE presiding. Absent, Coun. Gilbody.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Thirty-seven traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear May 5, 1923, viz.:

Thirty-seven traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, First Session, to appear May 5, 1924:

Stephen J. Mahoney, Ward 1; Charles C. Murphy, Ward 1; John C. Peterson, Ward 1; Fred P. Young, Ward 1; Michael J. Collins, Ward 3; James F. Jennett, Ward 3; Daniel C. Murphy, Ward 3; Michael C. Burns, Ward 4; David C. Murphy, Ward 4; Philip Callahan, Ward 5; John J. McCoy, Ward 5; Edward F. Marshall, Ward 6; Joseph F. O'Hare, Ward 6; Ernest F. Capen, Ward 7; William Henry Colgan, Ward 7; Henry W. O'Brien, Ward 7; Dwight Blaney, Ward 8; Robert A. Hale, Ward 8; Ralph Reinstein, Ward 8; Arthur Rosenstein, Ward 8; Walter Philip Tobey, Ward 8; James A. Dinneen, Jr., Ward 10; John W. Fitzgerald, Ward 10; Charles J. Reilly, Ward 13; Thomas F. Kenney, Ward 13; Warren E. Walker, Ward 13; Frank X. Weiss, Ward 13; Percy Alfred Blum, Ward 15; Martin Feltis, Ward 15; John Joseph MacGillivray, Ward 16; Ralph R. Davidson, Ward 18; Robert E. Hughes, Ward 18; Nathan Ginsberg, Ward 19; John L. Murtagh, Ward 19; Lester F. Murphy, Ward 21; Edward F. Wachenheim, Ward 23; Patrick McAndrew, Ward 24.

Thirty-seven traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Second Session, to appear May 5, 1924:

Edward Hall, Ward 1; Simon J. McDonald, Ward 1; Martin A. Coleman, Ward 2; Thomas P. Lawler, Ward 3; Peter Granara, Ward 5; Frank Fopiano, Ward 5; Aaron H. Harrison, Ward 6; Joseph F. Mellor, Ward 6; James H. Murray, Ward 6; William L. Clough, Ward 7; Albert W. Hodgdon, Ward 7; James E. McQueeney, Ward 7; Edwin H. Dyer, Ward 8; E. Warren Howe, Ward 8; Frederick A. Gross, Ward 10; Roderick MacPherson, Ward 11; Joseph T. Rowan, Ward 14; John H. M. Thalim, Ward 14; Joseph A. Waible, Ward 14; Harry J. McLoughlin, Ward 15; Charles L. Ziegler, Ward 15; Alexander Luft, Ward 16; Philip J. Hughes, Ward 17; Walter H. Fultz, Ward 18; James Campbell, Ward 19; James P. Bartholmay, Ward 20; Harold E. Frizell, Ward 20; Frederick E. Hull, Ward 21; Walter M. Kallenbach, Ward 23; Frederick E. Kendall, Ward 23; William M. Weigold, Ward 23; Carl H. Meister, Ward 24; Charles J. Ryer, Ward 24; Harry Falkson, Ward 25; John J. McGlew, Ward 25; Frank E. Nicholson, Ward 26; James S. Robinson, Ward 26.

Thirty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Third Session, to appear May 5, 1924:

Bernard N. King, Ward 5; William C. Falconer, Ward 7; Jacob Goodman, Ward 7; Frederick P. Bagley, Ward 8; James W. Craig, Ward 8; William B. Fletcher, Ward 8; Raymond P. Burns, Ward 10; Gustaf A. Anderson, Ward 11; John M. Marshall, Ward 12; Howard A. Cook, Ward 15; Robert L. Humphrey, Ward 15; William James Magee, Ward 15; Delbert C. Shepard, Ward 15; William E. Bryan, Ward 16; Fred G. Monahan, Ward 16; John C. Mooney, Ward 16; Louis Rosenfield, Ward 16; Walter S. Fox, Ward 17; Robert J. McNabb, Ward 17; John J. Sullivan, Ward 17; Thomas Butler, Ward 18; Edward Frye, Ward 18; Edward J. McMorrow, Ward 18; Michael Corcoran, Ward 19; Raymond A. Day, Ward 19; Edward S. Faren, Ward 19; Harry E. Hurley, Ward 19; Charles S. Raistrick, Ward 19; Henry A. Tougas, Ward 19; Jeremiah J. Mahoney, Ward 20; William J. Clark, Ward 21; Henry E. McClay, Ward 21; George A. Uhrle, Ward 22; Edward W. Welch, Ward 23; William B. Harlow, Ward 24; Elmer E. Clapp, Ward 25; Harold H. Wright, Ward 25; Herbert Carr, Ward 26; Thomas P. Morrison, Ward 26.

Thirty-six traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fourth Session, to appear May 5, 1924:

William K. McDonald, Ward 2; Michael C. A. Guinee, Ward 4; John J. Collins, Ward 5; Frank Creehan, Ward 5; Thomas J. Grady, Ward 5; Joseph Laffey, Ward 6; Peter J. O'Meally, Ward 6; Frank W. Brown, Ward 7; Harry M. Whitney, Ward 7; Frank S. Wilson, Ward 7; Israel Levine, Ward 8; Robert

S. Steinert, Ward 8; Joseph D. Stukas, Ward 9; Alfred M. Mattson, Ward 10; Thomas Brown, Ward 12; Arthur B. Connors, Ward 12; John J. Madden, Jr., Ward 13; Bartholomew Sullivan, Ward 14; Benjamin Coe, Ward 15; Joseph M. Slaman, Ward 15; Edward Muldowney, Ward 16; James Condon, Ward 18; Charles F. Hambly, Ward 18; Louis Mason, Ward 19; Lionel O'Hara, Ward 19; Martin J. Casey, Ward 20; Horden Howard, Ward 20; Frank Oscar Apelgren, Ward 21; Milledge Blair, Ward 21; Joseph A. Watson, Ward 21; Charles H. Christiansen, Ward 23; Carl W. Goodwin, Ward 23; Joseph A. Hauser, Ward 23; John J. Hoar, Ward 23; Joseph E. Farrell, Ward 24; Ernest W. Turner, Ward 25.

Thirty-six traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fifth Session, to appear May 5, 1924:

William N. Bonner, Ward 1; Andrew James O'Shea, Ward 1; Francis A. Brown, Ward 3; Andrew W. Finneran, Ward 3; John J. Sughrue, Ward 3; Joseph Anadore, Ward 4; Lewis J. Cavagnaro, Ward 5; Michael M. Carroll, Ward 6; Lawrence Fay, Ward 6; Herbert H. E. Hart, Ward 7; Max Lapidus, Ward 6; Frank N. McDonald, Ward 7; James W. Bowen, Ward 8; Clarence W. Chapman, Ward 8; James E. Hollis, Ward 8; Guy P. Livingstone, Ward 8; Richard Pitts Bagley, Ward 9; Jacob Frank, Ward 9; William J. Magner, Ward 9; James H. Canney, Ward 11; Joseph W. Chamberlin, Ward 11; Miles C. Qualter, Ward 12; Herman A. Lowe, Ward 14; Bartlett F. Barrett, Ward 15; Joseph D. Carlin, Ward 16; Daniel J. Drew, Ward 18; James H. Langley, Ward 19; Alexander W. Wight, Ward 19; Adolph M. Anderson, Ward 21; Charles T. Sibley, Ward 21; Albert W. Engle, Ward 22; Carl Peterson, Ward 22; Angus S. Gillis, Ward 24; John J. Killilea, Ward 24; Larz J. Larson, Ward 24; Frederick F. O'Brien, Ward 24.

Thirty-six traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Sixth Session, to appear May 5, 1924:

Joseph T. Smith, Ward 1; Timothy Murphy, Ward 2; Thomas J. Donahue, Ward 3; Laurence P. Sullivan, Ward 4; John Badaracco, Ward 5; Andrew Cuneo, Ward 5; Leonard Guarenti, Ward 5; Benjamin Low, Ward 5; John A. Ratto, Ward 5; Louis J. Dunham, Ward 6; Samuel S. Frizzell, Ward 7; Felix McCarthy, Ward 7; N. Frederick VanHorsen, Ward 7; Neale J. Collins, Ward 8; John A. Cronin, Ward 8; William J. Shea, Ward 10; Laurence M. Skierski, Ward 10; Patrick J. Gallagher, Ward 11; William W. Scott, Ward 11; Frederick W. Britt, Ward 13; Frederick J. Hemmings, Ward 13; Edward F. Flynn, Ward 14; Carl L. Drew, Ward 16; Arthur Walters, Ward 16; Frederick George Norris, Ward 17; Charles F. Stearns, Ward 17; Clifford L. Sprague, Ward 19; James P. Cunningham, Ward 18; Henry L. Martin, Ward 18; Michael J. Moran, Ward 24; Daniel F. Holland, Ward 25; John M. Sullivan, Ward 25; Walter C. Dennison, Ward 26; John J. Donovan, Ward 26; John J. Fitzgerald, Ward 26; Francis J. Googins, Ward 26.

Thirty-seven traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Seventh Session, to appear May 5, 1924:

Robert O. Creamer, Ward 1; Thomas H. Cunningham, Jr., Ward 2; John H. Foley, Ward 6; Charles C. Clough, Ward 7; George H. Haskell, Ward 7; Milton A. Hulbert, Ward 7; Henry A. Mooney, Ward 7; Edward A. Riley, Ward 7; Fred D. Willis, Ward 7; William F. J. Barry, Ward 8; Joseph F. Brown, Ward 8; Robert A. Leeson, Ward 8; Philip Nixon, Ward 8; Arthur H. Williams, Ward 8; Martin Keffe, Ward 9; Richard V. Mooney, Ward 9; James H. Spencer, Ward 9; Thomas J. Barry, Ward 10; Daniel F. Driscoll, Ward 10; William H. Donlon, Ward 11; Patrick McLean, Ward 12; Henry J. Shine, Ward 13; Timothy J. Desmond, Ward 14; John M. Gordon, Ward 16; Frederick G. Perine, Ward 17; George M. Farr, Ward 7; William D. Hallisy, Ward 18; William A. Stone, Ward 18; George W. Snow, Ward 19; George Couper, Ward 20; Albert M. Spargo, Ward 21; Martin VanB. Dunning, Ward 23; William L. Kretschmar, Ward 23; Richard E. Lindstrom, Ward 24; Cornelius Lucey, Ward 24; Ivory H. Morse, Ward 24; Richard L. Wilberg, Ward 26.

APPOINTMENT OF CONSTABLES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 14, 1924.

To the City Council:

Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I hereby appoint the following-named persons constables of the City of Boston for the term of one year, beginning with the first day of May, 1924.

All of the persons named in this list are reappointments.

Commissions of constables not named herein will expire on April 30, 1924, and such constables are hereby removed from office from and after May 1, 1924, for the good of the service.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

CONNECTED WITH OFFICIAL POSITIONS, AND TO SERVE WITHOUT BONDS.

Philip J. Brennan, William W. K. Campbell, Robert T. Carey, John M. Casey, John B. Cassidy, Martin F. Cavanaugh, Lloyd H. Chase, John F. Coffey, Michael F. Curley, James J. Curran, Melville R. Eastman, Thomas Farrell, John C. Fitzgerald, Joseph F. Goode, Joseph W. Hobbs, William A. Kelly, Lawrence J. Kelly, Edward J. Leary, Edward L. McBarron, Edward A. McGrath, John McLoughlin, William H. Meale, Vincenzo Musto, James E. Norton, Timothy F. Regan, Charles H. Reinhart, Edward M. Richardson, Henry Santosuso, Frank B. Skelton, Thomas H. Staples, John J. Sullivan, John P. Sullivan.

With Animal Rescue League.

Julian Codman, Archibald McDonald, Henry C. Merwin, Frank J. Sullivan.

With Massachusetts S. P. C. T. A.

Harry L. Allen.

AUTHORIZED TO SERVE CIVIL PROCESS UPON FILING BONDS.

Thomas Abruzzio, Charles E. Ahern, Chester A. Bailey, Carleton N. Baker, Frank R. Barone, David Belson, Joseph W. Bennett, Carl Birger Berg, Morris Berkman, William F. Breen, Thomas F. Brett, George W. Brooker, Warren A. Brown, Louis Budd, Henry F. Burns, John J. Cadigan, Sherman H. Calderwood, James A. Canton, Daniel B. Carmody, Thomas C. Carr, Gerard E. Cassidy, William E. Castaldo, Matthew W. Chait, William K. Coburn, Hyman Collier, William A. Collup, James T. Costello, Charles Cunio, James B. Cushing, Joseph P. Cutter, Barney DeLuca, Paul V. Dicecio, Saverio Didonato, Patrick M. Donahoe, Thomas J. Donnellon, George G. Drew, Michael S. Drew, John A. Dugan, James V. Fallon, Frank R. Farrell, Thomas Fee, Levi P. Fernald, Kalman Fishline, Olpha A. Ford, John H. French, Harris Friedberg, Paul R. Gast, George L. Gilbert, James W. Gilmore, Samuel Goldkrand, Edmund C. Grady, James Graham, Sears H. Grant, George W. Green, William C. Gregory, Joseph Guttentag, Charles F. Hale, St. Clair E. Hale, Stephen M. Hannon, Robert B. Hopkins, True William Hunt, Walter Isidor, Charles H. Jackson, William H. Kenney, Thomas J. Killian, John J. King, Jr., Clarence H. Knowlton, Bronis Kontrim, Abraham Krinsky, Anthony Laureana, John J. Levy, Salvatore Maffei, Bernard H. Magee, Samuel Mandelstam, John J. Mathony, Joseph A. McMorrow, Edson T. Miner, Patrick J. Monahan, George B. Mullan, Andrew W. Murphy, George H. Murray, James H. Neville, Michael W. Ober, Daniel W. O'Brien, Joseph J. O'Mara, William I. Paine, Corrado Palladino, James A. Parker, Phillip S. Phillips, Benjamin F. Powell, William J. Pritchard, Robert Reid, Davis Reinherz, St. Claire H. Richardson, Raphael Rosnosky, William B. Santosuso, Herbert D. Sawyer, Barret Serkin, Samuel Shain, Hyman Shapiro, Frank Shaw, Joseph P. Slsby, Harry Simons, Abraham S. Singer, Henry J. D. Small, Frank S. Spring, Walter R. Tarbett, Francis J. Tobin, Joseph M. Torr, Jeremiah A. Twomey, Roman J. Vasil, John J. Walsh, Harry A. Webber, John F. Welch, Martin Welch, Frank Yennaco, Maurice Zeeman.

Laid over for a week under the law.

FERRY SERVICE, APRIL 18 TO 21, INCLUSIVE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 14, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I have been informed by the chairman of the Transit Commission that the installation of the third rail in the Maverick Square Station of the East Boston tunnel will necessitate the closing of the tunnel to public travel from Friday, April 18, at 8.30 p. m., to Monday, April 21, at 5 a. m.

Upon my recommendation during a previous term as Mayor of Boston the tunnel tolls were abolished, my position upon the question at that time being that the people of East Boston were entitled to the same consideration in the matter of traffic transportation as persons living elsewhere in Boston, and that the tunnel toll constituted an unjust discrimination. I

have had no occasion of change my views upon this proposition and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to permit the free use by foot passengers of the ferry service from Friday, April 18, 1924, at 7.30 p. m., to and including Monday, April 21, 1924, at 5.30 a. m.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

ROBERT BRECK BRIGHAM HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 14, 1924.
To the Honorable City Council:

Gentlemen,—It has been called to my attention that the officers of the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables, organized and carried on under the provisions of the will of the late Robert Breck Brigham, have not been using and applying the funds of the estate of the said Robert Breck Brigham and have not been carrying on the hospital known as the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables in accordance with the request and intent of the said Robert Breck Brigham, as contained in his last will.

By the provisions of the will of the said Robert Breck Brigham a corporation was to be organized for the following public charity:

"For the purpose of maintaining an institution for the care and support and medical and surgical treatment of those citizens of Boston who are without necessary means of support and are incapable of obtaining a comfortable livelihood by reason of chronic or incurable disease or permanent physical disability."

I am informed that the corporation and its officers are applying and using the income for other purposes inconsistent with and not in keeping with the terms and provisions of the will and are using the funds and the hospital for the treatment of persons who are not suffering from incurable diseases or permanent disability; are maintaining the hospital more for the accommodation of the rich and well-to-do rather than for the city's poor, destitute and chronic sick; and that many of the beds in the hospital are used by people of large means who are recommended to the hospital by staff physicians.

I am further informed that no attempt has been made by the officers of the hospital to carry out the intent of the late Robert Breck Brigham to establish a hospital for the city's destitute and chronic sick who are suffering from incurable diseases or permanent disability.

Any steps to relieve the situation must be taken under the law by the Attorney General of the Commonwealth and I therefore recommend that your honorable body pass the inclosed order so that I may, on behalf of the city government, bring the matter to the attention of the Attorney General and procure the necessary relief in the premises.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston, in City Council.

Whereas, It has been called to the attention of the City Council of the City of Boston that the officers of the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables have been misusing and misapplying the funds of the estate of the late Robert Breck Brigham in connection with the hospital established by the trustees under the will of the said late Robert Breck Brigham, said hospital being known as the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables; and

Whereas, The City Council is informed that the said officers of said Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables have not been carrying on the public charity provided for by the terms of the will of the said late Robert Breck Brigham, namely:

"For the purpose of maintaining an institution for the care and support and medical and surgical treatment of those citizens of Boston who are without necessary means of support and are incapable of obtaining a comfortable livelihood by reason of chronic or incurable disease or permanent physical disability."

Now therefore be it ordered, That his Honor the Mayor, for and on behalf of the city government of Boston, request the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to bring an information in equity in the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts for the purpose of procuring the proper execution of the public charity directed to be established under the will of the said Robert Breck Brigham, and for the purpose of restraining said corporation and its officers from misusing and misapplying the funds of the estate of said Robert Breck Brigham and the property of the

said Robert Breck Brigham Hospital for Incurables, and for such other purposes as may be necessary in the premises for the proper carrying out of the public charity mentioned aforesaid.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SALE OF LAND TO PATRICK J. BRADY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 11, 1924.
To the Honorable the City Council:
Gentlemen,—The City of Boston is at present the owner in fee of a certain parcel of land containing six thousand two hundred eighty-one (6,281) square feet of land located at the corner of Washington street and Tower street in the Forest Hills district of the City of Boston, which parcel of land is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Washington Street, Tower Street, West Roxbury, January 26, 1917, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and the said plan is now on file in the office of said department.

Said land was taken for the purposes of constructing and maintaining a portion of the Stony brook sewerage works. The surface of said land is no longer required by the City of Boston except for the purpose of maintaining and repairing and reconstructing the conduit now contained within said premises.

An advantageous offer of \$4,000 has been made by Patrick J. Brady for the use of said premises, and as said Brady is the owner of the adjoining land, and will, if said easement is obtained, be enabled to erect certain structures on the surface of said land which will increase the taxable value of the land he already owns, and be of material benefit to the district, I recommend the accompanying order for your favorable consideration.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston, in City Council.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the City of Boston to sell at private sale an easement, and the right to use a certain parcel of land situated at the corner of Washington street and Tower street in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury, containing six thousand two hundred and eighty-one (6,281) square feet of land, more or less, to Patrick J. Brady, his heirs and assigns, for the sum of four thousand dollars, and to execute and deliver in the name and behalf of the City of Boston a deed of said easement in said premises to the said Patrick J. Brady, his heirs and assigns, satisfactory in form to the Law Department of the City of Boston. Said premises are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Washington Street, Tower Street, West Roxbury, January 26, 1917, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and the said plan is on file in the office of said department.

Said easement shall be so limited that the City of Boston and its assigns shall at all times have control of the sewerage works now located in and passing through said premises, and all manholes, coverings and appurtenances thereto belonging, and the right to forever maintain and use said sewerage works as they are now located or may hereafter be located on said premises for all the purposes of a public sewer, and the right of the City of Boston to enter upon said premises or any part thereof at any and all times to maintain, repair, construct or reconstruct said sewerage works, and the said easement shall be limited so that no structure or building shall be placed or erected upon said premises which shall in any way interfere with the use and maintenance of said sewerage works or be placed or rested upon any part thereof, and that no building or structure shall be placed or erected upon said premises which shall interfere with or impede the right of the City of Boston to enter upon the said premises for the purpose of maintaining, repairing, constructing or reconstructing said sewerage works as they are now located or may hereafter be located, and said easement shall be so limited that no building or structure shall be placed or erected upon said premises without the written approval of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston with the written assent of the Mayor.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PLAYGROUND IN WARD 23.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 14, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I am again submitting for the consideration of the City Council the order re-

jected by your honorable body on Monday last and making provision for the purchase of land for a playground in Ward 23.

The action in this case taken by the Council was undoubtedly due to insufficient information relative to the project in question. The site was recommended by the Francis Parkman School Parents' Association and also by the City Planning Board. It provides, at a minimum of cost, for a suitable children's playground representing nearly two acres of land in a section of this district where no other area of equal size is available at the present time.

The land in question has been the property of the Poor Clare sisters for many years and this splendid charitable organization being desirous of aiding in the promotion of the health of the children in this section of the city has agreed to dispose of the property at a lower price than the property represents to them.

Under the circumstances, being firmly of the opinion that the action of the Council was due to an error of judgment rather than a sound conclusion reached after mature deliberation and a study of all the facts, I am again submitting the order and trust that your honorable body will approve the same.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$17,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the establishment of a playground on Wachusett street, Forest Hills district, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Daniel J. Buckley, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Magnolia street.

Mary E. Curran, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Chester street.

Catherine Crowley, for compensation for damage to property at 37 and 39 Vaughan avenue caused by overflow of sewage.

Dorothy M. Delaney, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at corner of Broadway and Dorchester street.

Mrs. Michael E. Dwyer, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by ash barrels on sidewalk.

Ida A. Kelley, for compensation for damage to property at 505 Shawmut avenue by ashmen.

Etta Hopper, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Bickford street.

Lorimer E. Goodwin, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in South Huntington avenue.

Ethel D. Ellis, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Brighton avenue.

Robert E. LeBlanc, for compensation for articles lost while assisting police to make an arrest.

Elizabeth A. Manning, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Massachusetts avenue.

Gertrude Marcus, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Norfolk street.

Margaret A. McShane, for compensation for the loss of fowls killed by dogs.

Annie H. Mullen, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Boston Common.

George W. Shea, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Nightingale street.

Timothy Sheehan, for compensation for wages withheld while in the employ of the United States.

Maria Williams, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Tremont street.

Tillie Wiseman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Boston Common.

Margaret L. Quinn, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Beacon street.

Nasella Brothers, for compensation for damage to property at 64 High street caused by bursting of water pipes.

J. F. Rae, for compensation for damage to property at 227 High street caused by bursting of water pipes.

Ruud Manufacturing Company, for compensation for damage to property at 66 High street caused by bursting of water pipes.

Arthur W. Godfrey, for compensation for damage to automobile at Water street caused by city cart.

F. Hecht & Co., for compensation for damage to property at 71 South street caused by leak in water pipe.

C. E. Giles Company, for compensation for damage to wagon at State street caused by dump cart.

P. F. Carney, for compensation for injuries to horse caused by an ash cart.

Joseph Petruskas, for compensation for water bills paid under protest on property at 17 and 19 M street.

Robert B. Burns, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by opening of hydrant at Bowdoin street.

Peter F. Ryan, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by opening of hydrant at Bowdoin street.

Jitneys.

John F. McGee, for license to operate six jitneys from Central square, East Boston, to North Ferry, with no intervening stops, each bus to seat forty persons and fare to be five cents (children under five, no fare), while the East Boston tunnel is closed.

Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company, for license to operate three motor vehicles, seating twenty-two passengers each, in Boston, as part of route between Boston and Lowell.

Executive.

For children to appear at various places of amusement:

Lillafrances Viles, Waverley Hall, May 3.
Ruth McShane, Municipal Building, South Boston, May 29.

Lulu C. Philbrook, Jordan Hall, May 14.
Mary Campbell, Jordan Hall, May 7.
Marie A. Reardon, Municipal Building, South Boston, May 9.

Roosevelt Newsboys' Association, Municipal Building, Ward 6, April 26-28.

SIDEWALK ASSESSMENTS.

Communications were received from the Commissioner of Public Works submitting cost of constructing sidewalks, with schedules showing amounts to be assessed against various estates, as follows:

Hampden street, Ward 12, \$44.28.
Adams street, Ward 12, \$26.19.
Wachusett and Walk Hill streets, Ward 22, \$96.71.

Southampton street, Ward 12, \$490.72.
Hayden street, Ward 14, \$1,077.96.
Orders were appended to assess proportional part of cost of same on abutters.

Communications severally placed on file and orders passed.

PROPOSED GAS CONTRACT.

The following communication was received:

Boston, April 11, 1924.

To the Honorable the City Council:

Gentlemen,—In connection with the proposed contracts for equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps in the City of Boston, now before your honorable body, the Finance Commission has recently had conferences with officials of the Edison Electric Illuminating Company.

As the result of these conferences a study has been undertaken by the engineers of the Edison Company to determine the possibilities of a change from gas lighting to electric lighting, either in whole or in part, in the territory now lighted by gas lamps.

The Finance Commission expects to receive from the Edison Electric Illuminating Company in due time definite information regarding the exact number of gas lamps that it is at present feasible to replace with electric lamps, the cost of such replacement, and the terms under which the Edison Company will undertake the extension of its street lighting system.

The Finance Commission respectfully requests that your honorable body withhold action upon the proposed contract until information is received from the Edison Electric Illuminating Company and transmitted to you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,
THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN, Chairman.

The following was also received:

Boston Chamber of Commerce,
April 12, 1924.

To the Honorable the Boston City Council:

At the hearing on street lighting gas contracts held before your honorable body on April 1, 1924, Councillor Watson requested the Boston Chamber of Commerce to submit suggestions

for an amendment to the proposed contract that would provide for candle power tests of lamps in actual service on the streets, by means of a portable photometer.

We accordingly submit the inclosed suggestion for an amendment to Section 7 of the specifications of the proposed contract, if same is entered into for any period, long or short. It is similar to provisions found satisfactory in several other cities. The portable photometer has been found to give results that tally very closely with laboratory tests, and it permits lamps to be tested under actual service conditions instead of under essentially ideal laboratory conditions.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS J. KENNY.

SUGGESTED AMENDMENT TO SECTION 7 OF THE SPECIFICATIONS IN THE PROPOSED CONTRACT "FOR EQUIPMENT AND THE LIGHTING AND EXTINGUISHING OF GAS LAMPS FOR THE CITY OF BOSTON." (DOCUMENT 38, 1924.)

(Submitted by the Committee on Public Utilities, Boston Chamber of Commerce, April 12, 1924.)

Strike out section 7 on pages 12 and 13 and substitute the following:

"Section 7. Candle Power. The lamps shall be maintained when in service at not less than sixty (60) horizontal candle power for each lamp.

"The city shall have the right at any time to test lamps furnished under this contract to determine if the minimum candle power is being rendered. Photometric tests may be made of lamps in service on the streets by means of a standard portable photometer and the necessary accessories for measuring candle power emitted in the horizontal direction. The method of testing shall be selected by the Commissioner of Public Works and shall be in accordance with what represents the best method employed elsewhere for this purpose. When candle power tests are made on the streets, the inclosing glass globe and chimney if used shall remain in place around the incandescent element and an allowance made for the absorption of light by the said glassware; with clear glass globes the allowance will be 10 per cent. No change in lamp adjustment will be permitted at the time of testing, but the outer glassware may be cleaned by rubbing with a dry cloth. The measurements for candle power will be made of the full light of the mantle emitted in a horizontal direction without any obstruction other than that of the inclosing glassware as used in service.

"Tests to determine the candle power delivered shall be made on at least 4 per cent of all the lamps in service selected at random, and the number so selected shall be evenly distributed throughout the city and shall be tested in sequence until the proportion of the whole has been tested in any district. The average horizontal candle power determined from said tests of not less than 4 per cent of all lamps in service shall be taken to represent the average candle power delivered by all the lamps in service for the calendar or contract month in which such tests are made. If the average candle power so determined shall fall below the minimum required by this contract, then the contractor shall be paid for that month's service a sum equal to the proportion that the average candle power determined bears to the minimum candle power required, multiplied by 1-12 of the yearly contract price and this amount multiplied by the average number of lamps in service during the month."

Severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Certificates of appointments by the Mayor were received, as follows, certified copies of the same having been delivered to the Commissioners of Civil Service, viz.:

Thomas A. Forsyth, as Trustee of Boston City Hospital.

Louis E. Kirstein, as Library Trustee.

Morris Bronstein, as Overseer of Public Welfare.

Sophie M. Friedman, as Overseer of Public Welfare.

George A. Rockwell, as Overseer of Public Welfare.

Joseph F. Feeney, as Overseer of Public Welfare.

Thomas F. Sullivan, as Transit Commissioner.

Francis E. Slattery, as Transit Commissioner.

Louis K. Rourke, as Transit Commissioner.

Frederic H. Hay, as member of the City Planning Board.

Robert Dysart, as Statistics Trustee.

William S. Besarick, as member of Board of Examiners.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from J. Waldo Pond of interest in contract awarded by city to Adams Pond Company.

Placed on file.

MINORS' LICENSES.

President DONOGHUE submitted reports on petitions for minors' licenses for twenty-five newsboys and eleven vendors—recommending that licenses be granted.

Reports accepted; licenses granted on usual conditions.

PAYMENT OF WIDOW OF CHARLES V. CAREY.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following: Resolved, That the City Council of Boston hereby approves the enactment of legislation to authorize the city to pay to the widow of Charles V. Carey, formerly employed as a court officer for the Superior Court of Suffolk County, the balance of salary to which he would have been entitled had he lived and continued to hold his office until the end of the fiscal year.

Passed.

WIDENING OF CROSS STREET.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following: Ordered, That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested to widen Cross street, between Hanover and Commercial streets, for the purpose of relieving the congestion of traffic in the market district and affording an alternative route between the North and South Stations.

Passed.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 2.36, on motion of Coun. HEALEY, to take a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Council reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by the President at 3.35 p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Reports on petitions (referred today) of permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement—that permits be granted, viz.:

Lillafrances Viles, Waverley Hall, May 3.
Ruth McShane, Municipal Building, May 29.
Lulu C. Philbrook, Jordan Hall, May 14.
Mary Campbell, Jordan Hall, May 7.
Marie A. Reardon, Municipal Building, South Boston, May 9.

Roosevelt Newsboys' Association, Municipal Building, Ward 6, April 26 and 28.

Report accepted; permits granted on usual conditions.

2. Report on order (referred March 24) that an annuity of \$600 be allowed and paid to Mrs. Patrick J. Neylon, widow of Patrick J. Neylon, a member of the Fire Department—that same ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

3. Report on communication from the Mayor and order (referred today) that free use by foot passengers of Ferry Service be permitted from Friday, April 18, at 7.30 p. m. to and including Monday, April 21, at 5.30 a. m.—that same ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

4. Report on communication and resolve (received today) from the Mayor that the Attorney General bring an information in equity for the purpose of procuring the proper execution of public charity to be established under will of Robert Breck Brigham—that same ought to pass.

Report accepted; resolve passed.

5. Report on letter and order from the Mayor (referred April 4) appropriating the sum of \$2,500 to be expended by Boston Music Week Committee—that same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 6, nays 1, viz.:

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Purcell, Watson—6.

Nays—Coun. Moriarty.

JITNEYS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Jitneys, submitted report on the petition of John F. McGee (referred today) for license to operate six jitneys from Central square, East Boston, to North Ferry, with no intervening stops, each bus to seat forty persons

and the rate of fare to be five cents for each passenger carried, children under five carrying no fare—that said license be granted, it being understood that the license is granted only for the time the East Boston Tunnel is closed.

Report accepted; permit granted on said conditions.

FINANCE.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Finance, submitted the following reports:

1. Report on letter from the Mayor and order (referred March 3) appropriating sum of \$85,000 to be expended by Park Commission for land for playground purposes in vicinity of Jefferson School, Roxbury—that same ought to pass.

Report accepted and said order given its first reading and passage, yeas 6, nays 0, viz.:

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—6.

Nays—0.

The order will take its second reading and passage in not less than fourteen days.

2. Report on letter from the Mayor and order (referred today) appropriating sum of \$17,000 for establishment of a playground on Wachusett street, Forest Hills district—that same ought to pass.

Report accepted and said order given its first reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—8.

Nays—0.

The order will take its second reading and passage in not less than fourteen days.

Report on letter from the Mayor and order (referred March 31) appropriating sum of \$75,000 to be expended by Superintendent of Public Buildings for purchase of site and preparation of plans for a municipal building in Charlestown district—that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the question came on the passage of the order.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I shall vote yes, but I reserve the right to change my vote on the second reading if the site selected is not satisfactory to the people in the district.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I also vote yes and reserve my right to change my vote on the second reading if the site is not satisfactory to the people of the district.

The order was given its first reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—8.

Nays—0.

The order will take its second reading and passage in not less than fourteen days.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. BRICKLEY, for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, submitted a report recommending the passage of an order for the payment of aid to soldiers and sailors and their families in the City of Boston for the month of April, 1924, under the provisions of chapter 115 of the General Laws and acts in amendment thereof or in addition thereto.

Report accepted, said order passed.

BOULEVARD LAMPS ON CENTRE STREET.

Coun. PURCELL offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to erect and maintain boulevard lamps on Centre street, between Lamartine and McBride streets.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. HEALEY, a general reconsideration of all action taken today was refused.

Adjourned at 3.43 p. m., on motion of Coun. WATSON, to meet on Monday, April 21, at two p. m.

Monday, April 21, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Lane.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, First Session, to appear May 5, 1924:

Arthur H. Stout, Ward 1; Augustus Mendum, Ward 2; Edward J. Raulins, Ward 3; William J. Carley, Ward 4; Edward T. Higgins, Ward 4; George Thomson, Ward 4; Hugh E. Dolan, Ward 5; John J. Gaffney, Ward 6; Lawrence A. Seiberlich, Ward 6; Leonard H. Torrey, Ward 7; Benjamin F. Mitchell, Ward 8; Robert E. Harrison, Ward 10; Charles D. M. Bishop, Ward 11; William E. Warn, Ward 13; James F. Barry, Jr., Ward 18; Henry L. Bowman, Ward 19; Willard E. Jones, Ward 19; Harry Mahler, Ward 20; John E. Parle, Ward 20; Charles E. Wyman, Ward 20; Francis J. Gallagher, Ward 21; Edwin H. Harvey, Ward 21; Everett S. Trefrey, Ward 21; Herman Barth, Ward 22; Daniel Bernhard, Ward 22; William E. Coombes, Ward 22; Jacob Ledig, Ward 22; George W. Lovejoy, Ward 22; James W. Murray, Ward 22; George D. Barnes, Ward 23; Louis J. Fuller, Ward 23; Louis H. Hamlin, Ward 23; Alfred R. Peters, Ward 23; John F. Rourke, Ward 23; Benjamin G. Sodergren, Ward 23; Robert B. Harlow, Ward 24; Hugh E. McNamee, Ward 24; Francis P. Laverty, Ward 26; Thomas J. Day, Ward 26; George F. S. Muldoon, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Third Session, to appear May 5, 1924:

Francis Bartlett, Ward 1; William H. Dorgan, Ward 1; Daniel M. O'Neil, Ward 1; Hugh Wells, Ward 3; John J. Daly, Ward 4; Charles A. Gordon, Ward 5; Abraham Shapiro, Ward 5; Ambrose L. Walker, Ward 7; Ben M. Johnson, Ward 8; Frank M. Noonan, Ward 8; William S. Parker, Ward 8; Edward L. Flaherty, Ward 9; James J. Hegerty, Ward 9; William H. Palin, Jr., Ward 9; Thomas P. Tarpey, Ward 9; Luther T. Evans, Ward 10; James E. Kane, Ward 10; James J. O'Brien, Ward 10; Frank G. Maliff, Ward 10; Edward E. Atwood, Ward 13; Carl F. Cott, Ward 15; John V. Footman, Ward 16; Herbert Allen Lyon, Ward 16; Charles A. Custance, Ward 18; Clarence W. Hill, Ward 18; Peter E. Ready, Ward 18; Albert J. Norwood, Ward 19; William T. Bingay, Ward 20; John J. Henderson, Ward 20; James F. Lyons, Ward 20; John A. Buckley, Ward 21; Joseph F. Donahue, Ward 21; Peter Joyce, Ward 21; Richard J. Sinnott, Ward 22; Ernest G. Smith, Ward 22; George F. Munroe, Ward 23; Michael J. O'Brien, Ward 24; Frederick A. Acorn, Ward 26; Harry E. Mitchell, Ward 26; John W. Welch, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fourth Session, to appear May 5, 1924:

Charles E. McGinn, Ward 1; Daniel H. McLaughlin, Ward 3; Timothy J. Murphy, Ward 3; William F. Harrington, Ward 4; Nicolo Malvone, Ward 5; John W. Ring, Ward 6; Frank R. Chapman, Ward 7; Sidney A. Matthews, Ward 7; William M. Murphy, Ward 7; John A. Quigley, Ward 7; Forrest E. Richardson, Ward 7; Charles E. Cotting, Jr., Ward 8; George R. Fearing, Jr., Ward 8; John L. Murdock, Ward 8; Fred Vorenberg, Ward 8; John Wymer, Ward 9; Walter H. Atwood, Ward 10; John M. O'Leary, Ward 10; Richard D. Canty, Ward 11; Leonard P. Foley, Ward 15; Abe M. Bloomberg, Ward 16; Michael J. Murphy, Ward 19; Charles H. Calnan, Ward 20; Carleton E. Hinkley, Ward 20; George E. Olson, Ward 20; Emon Zottoli, Ward 20; Arthur H. P. Cheney, Ward 22; Wallace R. Hubbard, Ward 22; Michael O'Keefe, Ward 22; Michael J. Roche, Ward 22; John M. VanHeusen, Ward 22; Edwin W. Carr, Ward 23; William H. Gleason, Ward 23; Paul A. Peters, Ward 23; Henry E. Simmons, Ward 23; Martin R. Lee, Ward 24; Timothy Spencer, Ward 24; Michael Welch, Ward 24; Robert Moore, Ward 25; Cortez H. Wood, Ward 25.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 21, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons to serve as constables of the City of Boston for the term of one year, beginning May 1, 1924: Samuel Smith, 37 Columbia road, Dorchester; John P. Halligan, 60 Quincy street, Dorchester; George A. Borofski, 21 De Wolf street, Dorchester; Michael Russell, 33 Rutherford avenue, Charlestown; Charles F. Hanson, 16 Copeland street, Roxbury; Atlante Campagna, 1 Salem place, Boston; Leopold Lepore, 28 Margaret street.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Laid over under the law.

APPOINTMENT OF MINOR OFFICERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 21, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body I make the following appointments of minor officers paid by fees for the term of one year beginning with the first day of May, 1924. The appointments of all such officers not named herein are hereby revoked from and after April 30, 1924.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Laid over under the law and ordered printed as a public document (Document 45).

VETO—PENSION FOR MARY E. GRADY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 16, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I beg to return without my approval, order adopted under date of March 31, 1924, by the City Council, providing pension be paid Mary E. Grady, widow of former Fire Commissioner John Grady.

The legal opinion upon which my action in this case is based is attached hereto and the conclusion arrived at, not only by the present Corporation Counsel but by two other former heads of the City of Boston Law Department, permits of no other course.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Law Department, April 16, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—You have submitted to me for report the following order of the City Council: "Ordered: That an annuity of \$600 be allowed and paid to Mary E. Grady, widow of John Grady, a member of the Fire Department, who died on account of injuries received in the performance of his duties; such annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried and to be charged to the appropriation for the Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities."

The provisions of law authorizing an annuity such as in the present case, are contained in section 2, chapter 107, of the Acts of 1880, as amended by chapter 93 of the Special Acts of 1919, and chapter 68 of the Acts of 1920. The two latter amending statutes merely change the amount that may be granted by the City Council.

Section 2, chapter 107, of the Acts of 1880 is as follows:

"If any member of the said fire department shall die from injuries received while in the discharge of his duties, and shall leave a widow, or, if no widow, any child or children under the age of sixteen years, a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars may be paid by way of annuity to such widow so long as she remains unmarried, or to any such child or children so long as he or they continue under the age of sixteen years, and the board of fire commissioners may from time to time order such annuity to be reduced."

It should be noted that one of the requisites of section 2 is that these

"members of the said fire department shall die from injuries received while in the discharge of his duties."

The report of the medical examiner of the Fire Department to the Fire Commissioner concerning the late Chief Grady states that he died of a septic sore throat. He further states that the late chief was a sufferer from bladder and kidney trouble and that it is his opinion that a chronic toxic condition involving the kidneys and bladder was the result of years of exposure in the fire service, ultimately resulting in degenerative changes in his blood vessels and kidneys, for which a change of climate proved unavailing and edema of the throat from sepsis following, which was the immediate cause of his death. This report clearly indicates that the late chief died from a disease rather than an injury.

In my opinion, section 2, chapter 107, of the Acts of 1880 does not apply when the member of the department dies as the result of disease, and must be confined to cases where death followed as a result of injuries received.

Two of my predecessors in office, the late Thomas M. Babson, on December 20, 1909, and Judge Joseph J. Corbett, on July 29, 1912, arrived at the same conclusion.

Mr. Babson in his opinion to the Fire Commissioner, Samuel D. Parker, said:

"The statute under which this pension or annuity is granted does not apply to the widows of persons who died of disease contracted in the discharge of their duties as

firemen, but only to widows of persons who received physical injury which resulted in some way in their death."

He further ruled that the statute did not apply to the case of a fireman who died of pneumonia, occasioned by getting wet at a fire.

Judge Corbett in his opinion stated:

"In an effort to provide relief for employees incapacitated by disease, the door would be opened wide to claims of a highly flimsy and litigious character. It is largely a matter of proof. Where there is a change in the physical structure, it is generally possible to show the fact that it occurred in the course of the employment which produced it. Where there is a disease it depends on the statements of the employee and his physician. The question of fact that it was caused by the employment is rarely without doubt.

I am unable to arrive at a conclusion different from that of my predecessors. The present case very clearly indicates that the late chief died as a result of sickness or disease rather than from injuries received in the performance of his duties.

Very truly yours,

E. MARK SULLIVAN,
Corporation Counsel.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SALE OF CITY LAND TO EDISON COMPANY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 21, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of a communication from the municipal real estate expert, with an appended communication from the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston and the Boston Park Commission.

These communications represent a tender by the Edison Electric Illuminating Company in the sum of \$32,900 for land owned by the City of Boston and formerly utilized by the Park Department for greenhouse purposes, located at Massachusetts avenue and East Cottage street, containing 102,531 square feet.

The price submitted by the Edison Company is the price for which this land was assessed in 1923.

I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

— 30 State Street,
Boston, April 14, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—I inclose herewith communications from the Park Department and the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston relative to the purchase of the old greenhouse property on Massachusetts avenue and East Cottage street.

The lot which is devoid of buildings contains 102,531 square feet of land.

I believe that the Edison Company should be allowed to purchase at \$32,900, the price offered, as it will improve the land in a manner that will benefit the district.

On November 17, 1923, I submitted an appraisal of said property, a copy of which I also inclose.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN BECK.

— 30 State Street,
Boston, November 17, 1923.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—The greenhouse lot at Massachusetts avenue and East Cottage street contains 102,531 square feet of land assessed for \$32,400 or 31 cents a square foot, and is worth, in my opinion, about 30 cents a square foot or approximately the assessed value. The lot has no rail facilities and is opposite a large amount of vacant land for which there appears to be little or no demand. It should be sold at public auction at an upset price equal to the assessed value of \$32,400.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN BECK.

City of Boston,
Park Department, April 11, 1924.
Mr. John Beck, 30 State Street, Boston:

Dear Sir,—Inclosed please find communication from the Edison Electric Illuminating Company, which is self-explanatory. As we have referred this matter to the City Council with recommendation that the place be sold, and as you are handling it as the real estate expert for the city, it is respectfully referred to you for such action as you think necessary.

Very truly yours,

DANIEL J. BYRNE,
Secretary.

70 State Street,
Boston, April 10, 1924.
Park Department of the City of Boston, 33
Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.:

Dear Sirs,—This company is planning to erect additional buildings on its service property, Massachusetts avenue, Boston. The location of the buildings will depend somewhat on whether it is able to acquire the greenhouse property (102,531 square feet) on Massachusetts avenue and East Cottage street belonging to the city and adjoining the company's property. I understand that the greenhouse property is on the market. If so, the company will be glad to purchase the same for \$32,900, which I am informed is the 1923 assessed value, provided it is able to close the transaction before we are obliged to decide definitely on the locations for the new buildings.

Yours very truly,

THE EDISON ELECTRIC ILLUMINATING COMPANY
OF BOSTON, by H. P. HOOD, Superintendent,
Real Estate Department.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$32,900, a parcel of land on Massachusetts avenue and East Cottage street, Dorchester, containing 102,531 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

ACCEPTANCE OF ALBERT V. LINCOLN BEQUEST.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 21, 1924.
To the Honorable the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I inclose herewith an order authorizing my assent, in the name and behalf of the City of Boston, to a proposed compromise of the will of Alfred V. Lincoln, late of Boston.

The original will as offered for probate provided for gifts to be used for the purpose of planting trees in the Charlestown district of the City of Boston. One clause of the will provided that the city should appropriate a like amount annually to that which would be received under the Lincoln will. The other clause of the will provided that \$7,500 should remain in trust for ninety years and the income should be used for the planting of shade trees and the protection of the same on the streets of Charlestown.

The carrying out of the purposes of these gifts would not be feasible and certainly not as beneficial as if the income from the gifts were used for park purposes generally. The proposed compromise accomplishes this result and in the course of years, when the fund accumulates, it will be used in the development of the beauty of the park system of the city, a great public benefaction which may be enjoyed by the citizens of the entire municipality.

I therefore recommend for your favorable consideration the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston, in City Council.

Whereas, Alfred V. Lincoln, late of Boston, died on August 21, 1921, leaving a certain instrument purporting to be his last will and testament, dated the twenty-sixth day of October, nineteen hundred and eighteen, which instrument has been offered for probate in the Probate Court for the County of Suffolk by the executors named therein; and

Whereas, Objection to the probate of said will has been made by Grace S. Hawkes, a child of said Alfred V. Lincoln; and

Whereas, An offer of compromise has been made and has been assented to by all of the parties interested in the provisions of said will, except the City of Boston; and

Whereas, Under the said will, as offered for probate, the following provisions were made for the City of Boston:

1. "Five years after my death I also direct my trustees to pay the following sums.

"To the City of Boston, Massachusetts one thousand (1,000) dollars, the income to be used each year for the planting, protection and care of shade trees to be set out on Cordis street, Charlestown, particularly on the western side."

2. "Ten years after my death, I give to the City of Boston, the sum of seventy-five hundred (\$7,500) dollars, the income of which is to be used each and every year for the planting and proper protection from hoodlums of trees on the streets (not on any public squares) of that part of Boston called Charlestown. The above sum is given providing the City of Boston appropriates a like amount each year for the same purpose.

"If the City of Boston does not appropriate a like amount annually then the entire amount of seventy-five hundred (\$7,500) is to be divided between the New Hampshire Universalist State Convention, the New Hampshire Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and the New Hampshire Baptist Convention, for the same purpose mentioned in the gifts to them respectively hereinabove contained."

3. "Ten years after my death, I direct my trustees to pay to the Charlestown Five Cents Savings Bank the sum of seventy-five hundred (\$7,500) dollars, which amount is to be held by them in trust for a period of 90 years, at the end of which time the yearly interest is to be used by trustees appointed by them for planting, care, and protection of shade trees to be planted on the streets (not on any public squares) of that part of Boston called Charlestown, and no part of the above fund is ever to be used for the care or protection of any other trees than those planted by this fund. A metallic tag, properly marked, shall be put on each tree when planted and kept on as long as the tree lives in order to distinguish it from others."

Whereas, By the proposed compromise the above mentioned provisions shall be stricken out and in place thereof the following shall be substituted:

"To the City of Boston the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) to be used for the improvement or maintenance of the public park system in that part of Boston called Charlestown, or in the discretion of the said City for the planting, protection and care of trees on the streets of said Charlestown."

"To the Charlestown Five Cents Savings Bank the sum of seventy-five hundred dollars (\$7,500), which amount is to be held by it in trust for a period of ninety (90) years, at the end of which time the yearly interest shall be paid to the City of Boston and shall be used by it for the planting, care and protection of shade trees in that part of Boston called Charlestown, and any portion of said income not so expended shall, in the discretion of the Board of Park Commissioners, be expended for the acquisition, improvement or maintenance of parks in said Boston; preference shall be given to expenditure of said income in the Charlestown District."

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor, in the name and behalf of the City of Boston, assent to the above mentioned compromise and that the City of Boston accept the gifts under the terms and conditions provided for in said compromise.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

H. A. Banash & Son, for compensation for damage to automobile by city team.

Knut Blomgren, for compensation for expenses incurred in relaying house drain at 33 Rutledge road caused by defective condition of sewer.

Arnold Bronstein, for compensation for damage to property at 47 Billerica street by backing of main sewer.

A. N. Broughton, for compensation for damage to property at 46 Eliot street by ash collector.

E. J. Finnegan, for compensation for damage to property at 17 Ryan street by broken down sewer.

Edward A. Foster, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Reed street.

Charles J. Lynch, for compensation for clothing lost at the City Hospital.

Jessie Newman, for compensation for injuries caused by ice and snow falling from roof and walls of School Committee Building.

Anna Porcillo, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Causeway street.

Frank J. Powers, for compensation for clothing lost at the City Hospital.

John F. Toomey, for compensation for wages withheld while in employ of city.

Executive.

Petitions for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.:

Marian M. Fox, Paul Revere Hall, May 1.
Dorothy E. Richardson, Recital Hall, May 5.
Emma G. Tunncliffe, Huntington Chambers Hall, April 26.

Jitneys.

Boston Elevated Railway Company for license to run jitneys from Park square to Belgrade avenue and Centre streets.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constable's bond of Chester A. Bailey.

Approved by the City Council.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received of the appointment of James E. Norton as Sealer of Weights and Measures, a certified copy of the same having been sent to the Civil Service Commission.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearing on Monday, April 28, on petition to keep, etc., gasoline.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

AMENDMENT TO STREET TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of amendment of section 2, article 8, of the Street Traffic Regulations on Boylston street, between Washington and Tremont streets.

Placed on file.

ASSESSMENT DISTRICTS FOR 1924.

Notice was received from the Board of Assessors of assessment districts for 1924, former districts 30 to 46 being changed to 31 to 47.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF VOUCHER.

A voucher was received for the salary of John F. Sullivan, court officer of the District Court of Chelsea, for the month of April, amounting to \$166.66.

Approved by the City Council.

ESCALATOR, BOWDOIN SQUARE.

President DONOGHUE offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston Elevated Railway Trustees be requested to immediately install an escalator in the Bowdoin Square Station.

President DONOGHUE—I think the Elevated Trustees ought to be requested to install an escalator at the Bowdoin Square Station because of the change in the East Boston Tunnel which will dump passengers into Bowdoin square, where they should be treated as well as at Scollay square. Old people will have flights of stairs to climb, and many will be unable to do it. I think such service should be furnished.

The resolution was passed.

CLAIMS.

Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Claims, submitted a report on the petition of Margaret A. McShane (referred April 14), for payment for the loss of fowls killed by dogs—recommending the passage of the following:

Ordered, That there be allowed and paid to Margaret A. McShane the sum of four dollars for payment of two Rhode Island Red hens killed by dog or dogs, the expense attending the same to be charged to the income for dog licenses.

Report accepted; order passed.

PENSION FOR MICHAEL J. CURRAN.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the City Council of Boston hereby accepts chapter 195, Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to Pension Michael J. Curran."

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

ANNUITIES AND PENSIONS.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That chapter 251 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Amending the Act Providing for Annuities and Pensions for Employees of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk," be and the same hereby is accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SIDEWALK ORDERS.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:
Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Brentwood street, Brighton, northerly side, from Athol street to Appian way, Ward 26, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edge-stones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Athol street, Brighton westerly side, from Holton street to Brentwood street, Ward 26, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edge-stones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Everett street, Brighton easterly side, from Holton street to Brentwood street Ward 26, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edge-stones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

The orders were passed under a suspension of the rule.

LAYING OUT OF ADAMS STREET.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to lay out Adams street, Ward 26, between Franklin and Everett streets, as a public way.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 2.36 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.30 o'clock p. m.

TELEPHONE SERVICE RATES.

Coun. WATSON offered the following:
Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby opposes any increase in the rates for telephone service.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Reports on petitions (referred today) for permits for children under fifteen years of age, to appear at various places of amusement—that permits be granted, viz.:

Marian M. Fox, Paul Revere Hall, May 1.
Dorothy E. Richardson, Recital Hall, May 5.
Emma G. Tunncliffe, Huntington Chambers Hall, April 26.

Reports accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred April 14) to sell easement in city land at Washington and Tremont streets—that the order ought to pass.

The order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

3. Report on message of Mayor, preambles and order (referred today) for acceptance by the City of Boston of compromise in will of Alfred V. Lincoln—that the preambles and order ought to pass.

Report accepted; preambles and order passed.

4. Report on order (referred today) for acceptance of chapter 251 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Amending the Act Providing for Annuities and Pensions for Employees of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

5. Report on message of Mayor and communication (referred today) vetoing order for payment of annuity to widow of John Grady—that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; message and communication placed on file.

ORDINANCES.

Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Ordinance, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on ordinance (referred March 18) relative to appointment of two deputy soldiers' relief commissioners—recommending passage of ordinance in the following new draft, viz.:

City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-four.

An Ordinance Concerning the Soldiers' Relief Department.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Chapter thirty-two of the Revised Ordinances of 1914 is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following words:

"The commissioner may appoint two deputy commissioners who shall each receive such salary, not exceeding thirty-five hundred dollars a year, as he may determine, subject to the approval of the Mayor."

Report accepted; ordinance passed.

2. Report on message of Mayor and ordinance (referred March 24) concerning salaries of County Jail officers—recommending passage of ordinance in the following new draft, viz.:

City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-four.

An Ordinance Concerning the Salaries of Officers at the County Jail.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section 1. Section six of chapter three of the Revised Ordinances of 1914, as amended, is hereby further amended by striking out the words "The watchman-engineer in charge, forty dollars per week. The watchmen-engineers operating, each thirty-six dollars per week," and inserting in place thereof the words "The watchman-engineer in charge, forty-five dollars per week. The watchmen-engineers operating, each thirty-nine dollars per week."

Sect. 2. This ordinance shall take effect beginning with the first day of April, 1924.

Report accepted; ordinance passed.

ACTION ON APPOINTMENTS.

Coun. BRICKLEY called up unfinished business, No. 1, viz.:

1. Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor April 14 of constables for the term of one year beginning with the first day of May, 1924, as contained in Document 44.

The question came on confirmation of the appointments.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, only five minutes ago I found out that this was in existence. There are a lot of babies on here, and I think they have a lot of time between now and May 1. If you hold them over it won't do any of them any harm. If I had my say I would hang the whole of them. I think there are a few here that I would like held up, but I don't like to go over them hurriedly. Some of them here who wear the green are almost as bad as those who wouldn't dare wear it. There are none of them who do not step outside. I remember in the Dorchester Court in a rent case one of them was doing more arguing than the people who owned the property. I don't want to get them wrong, but I think that man's name is one of those on here. I would like to verify it however. Of course, there are some here who serve civil process and run for lawyers. There are a few of them here of that type, but there are a lot of others here that would take any other kind of a case. They would take cases for furniture stores, where there had been sales on the installment plan, and all that sort of thing. Some of the type of men on here, in my estimation, should not be confirmed.

Coun. WATSON—Some of them would commit murder too!

Coun. MORIARTY—Yes. One fellow came in here and testified that he carried a two-pound club and carried a gun all the time. I see that his name is still on here. He said that he carried a gun to protect his money. I said, "Have you got the gun with you?" and he said, "Yes," and he said that he had half a dollar in money. I told them what I thought of them when they were here. They were certainly a fine looking lot of hangmen. I wouldn't want to meet them in a lonely place if I had a lot of money. I am afraid that they would use their guns for other purposes. I think, so far as constables are concerned, that they are unnecessary. I think all the serving of process should be done through the

sheriff's office instead of giving it to these men, who use their commissions for everything else than the purpose which they are supposed to serve. We are told, "Why are not complaints made about them?" Why, the poor, unfortunate people that they do things to don't know where to go and make complaints, and those who are of foreign birth they use in every way, shape and manner. I suppose, of course, that that is not so of all of them, but it is true of the big percentage of them. People go to the Law Department and make charges against them, but very few of the charges may be proven. Circumstances are sometimes such that it is hard to prove that which is so. I would be satisfied at the present time to have those connected with official positions with the city, with the Animal Rescue League and the Massachusetts S. P. C. A. confirmed, but I think those who are to serve civil process ought to be held up. Let them realize that we have a check upon them. I think two or three years ago we held them up, and I think it was a good thing. I think it made an improvement in some cases, brought about a change in some of the things they had been doing, and I think perhaps if they are held up again for a short while it may improve them some more. I think there can still be a lot of improvement made in the way they do business.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I know at least one gentleman on that list who has not overlooked any bet. I was informed a couple of days ago by my mother that a constable came to the house and had a warrant for my father, who passed away seven months ago. He was ready to collect from anybody in sight. Perhaps this is notice to the gentleman that my father is dead, and he will not try to collect it any more.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President. I move that the names of the constables authorized to serve civil process lie over for one week, and that the Council act on the others.

The motion was carried. The question came on confirmation of the appointment of constables connected with official positions and to serve without bonds, as set forth in City Document No. 44, the list having been submitted to the Council by the Mayor under date of April 14, 1924.

The question came on the confirmation of the names referred to. Committee, Coun. Walsh and Brickley. Whole number of ballots 6; yeas 5, nays 1, and the appointments of constables connected with official positions and to serve without bonds (including those connected with Animal Rescue League and with the Massachusetts S. P. C. A.) were confirmed.

The list of those authorized to serve civil process upon filing of bonds was laid over to the next meeting of the Council.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. WALSH moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 4.45 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WATSON, to meet on Monday, April 28, at two o'clock p. m.

OFFICE HOURS IN CITY DEPARTMENTS.

City offices are required to be open for business from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m. on every day except Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, and Bunker Hill Day. Department offices are required to be closed on Saturday at 12 (noon) in June, July, August and September, and at 1 p. m. during the other months of the year; but the City Treasurer and the City Collector are not required to disburse or receive money after 2 p. m. on any day.

The office of the Health Department is open daily from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. (except Saturdays, when the hours are from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 5 to 10 p. m.); on Sundays and holidays from 10 a. m. to 12 m. and 5 to 10 p. m. for the reporting of cases of communicable diseases, issuing of burial permits, distribution of antitoxins and vaccines and receiving of cultures, etc.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending April 19, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, 776,783, United States Census estimate.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 203; nonresidents, 45; total, 248.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.64; nonresidents deducted, 13.62.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: Last week, 17.31; corresponding week last year, 16.51.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 31; one year to five years, inclusive, 13; sixty years and over, 105; total deaths, male, 134; female, 114; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 122; deaths of colored, 8.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended April 19, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended April 21, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	67	7	56	3
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	—	1
Influenza.....	5	—	—	1
Menses.....	156	—	150	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	42	20	22	18
Scarlet fever.....	85	4	87	2
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	34	18	22	12
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	9	4	11	2
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	1	1
Whooping cough.....	9	—	88	3

* Residents and nonresidents included.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR EXCAVATING AND GRADING FOR EXTENSION OF FOUR-GRAVE LOT SECTION, MT. HOPE CEMETERY, WEST ROXBURY.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invite proposals for excavating and grading for extension of four-grave lot section, Mt. Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Excavating and Grading for Extension of Four-grave Lot Section, Mt. Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Monday, May 5, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$3,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(April 26-May 3.) *Commissioners.*

NOTICE OF HEARING.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COMMITTEES,
CITY HALL, April 30, 1924.

The Committee on Jitney Licenses will give a public hearing on Monday, May 5, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on the petition of the Boston Elevated Railway Company for license to operate motor vehicles between Park square and Belgrade avenue and Centre street, West Roxbury, viz.:

Outbound: Boylston street, Arlington street, Commonwealth avenue, Charlesgate West, Fenway, Brookline avenue, park system and Centre street to Belgrade avenue.

Inbound: Centre street, park system, Brookline avenue, Fenway, Charlesgate West, Commonwealth avenue, Arlington street to Beacon street, Beacon street to Charles street, Charles street to Park square.

By order of the Committee,

JOHN E. BALDWIN,
(April 26.) *Clerk of Committees.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SURGICAL SUPPLIES.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Boston City Hospital surgical supplies as per proposals, which may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above-mentioned office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Friday, May 2, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 26.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the Park Department I shall sell at public auction upon the premises, on Thursday, May 1, 1924, at 11 a. m., the following buildings, the same to be demolished and removed from the lots on or before June 1, 1924:

Lot No. 1—Frame block, Nos. 228, 230, 232, 234, 238 and 240 Broadway and 235 C street, South Boston.

Lot No. 2—Brick block, Nos. 237, 239, 241 and 243 C street, South Boston.

Lot No. 3—Frame block, Nos. 195 and 197 Athens street, South Boston.

The successful bidder must furnish a bond satisfactory to the Park Department for the full completion of the work and to protect the City of Boston against all damages. The city authorities reserve the right to confirm all bids.

Terms: Cash at time of sale.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
(April 26.) *Municipal Auctioneer,*
28 School Street, Boston, Mass.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REFRESHMENT PRIVILEGES.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, for leasing for a term of three years the refreshment privilege in the booth located at the corner of L street and the Strandway, South Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, May 7, 1924, at the said office, with a certified check for \$50, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(April 26-May 3.) *Commissioners.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LEASING COIN LOCK PRIVILEGES IN CONVENIENCE STATIONS ON BOSTON COMMON AND REFECTORY BUILDING, FRANKLIN PARK.

Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, for leasing for a term of three years the coin lock privileges in the convenience stations on Boston Common and Refectory Building, Franklin Park, as follows:

- Men's Convenience Station, Park street, Boston Common, three locks.
- Women's Convenience Station, Park street, Boston Common, two locks.
- Men's Convenience Station, Flagstaff Hill, Boston Common, two locks.
- Women's Convenience Station, West street, Boston Common, two locks.
- Men's Convenience Station, Refectory Building, Franklin Park, two locks.
- Women's Convenience Station, Refectory Building, Franklin Park, one lock.

Proposals signed by the bidder and left with a sample lock before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, May 7, 1924, at the said office, with a certified check for \$50, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(April 26-May 3.) *Commissioners.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR METAL POLISH.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing

Liquid Metal Polish

in various sized cans, as indicated on the specifications to be secured at the Supply Department. Deliveries to be made to the various city departments as required. The bidder is required to submit a two-quant sample can of the liquid metal polish which he proposes to furnish. A copy of the proposal to be used and other information can be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. Bidder must leave his proposal at the above office with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if said proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. Bids will be publicly opened and read on Monday, May 5, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(April 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO METAL CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for metal work and roofing at Quincy Market, north side, Boston, Mass., according to plans and specifications, and giving a bond of a surety company therefor, satisfactory to the Superintendent, in the sum of 45 per cent of the contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex Building, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, April 29, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, and marked "Proposals for Metal Work and Roofing, Quincy Market, Boston, Mass." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above, the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time of the opening of the bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest.

FRED J. KNEFLAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(April 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for alterations for a printing room, etc., in the Prince School, Newbury street, corner of Exeter street, Back Bay, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday, April 30, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, May 13, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(April 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WOOD BLOCKS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Paving Service, Public Works Department,

50,000 wood blocks,

as per specifications, to be delivered as required. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$200, must be left at the office of the Supply Department before 12 m., Monday, May 5, 1924, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(April 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By vote of the School Committee, and on order from the Schoolhouse Commission, I will sell at public auction, on Tuesday, April 29, 1924, at 11 a. m., on the premises, the property known as the Heath Street School, located in Roxbury district, Ward 14. There are 10,669 square feet of land, more or less, and a frame building which might be remodeled into a residential home.

Terms: \$200 cash deposit at time of sale and the balance in thirty days.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
(April 26.) 28 School Street, Boston, Mass.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON WATER PIPES.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service:

Two hundred tons of 24-inch cast-iron pipe, Class B, B.W.W. standard.

Bidders must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$300, must be left at the above mentioned office before Thursday, May 8, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(April 26.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN ALHAMBRA ROAD, GRANFIELD AVENUE, ORANGE STREET, ROSLINDALE AVENUE, WASHINGTON STREET, WEST ROXBURY PARKWAY, WILLOW STREET, WEST ROXBURY; LANE PARK, ORCHARD ROAD AND PENNIMAN ROAD, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 503 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 3,600 feet of 6-inch, 8-inch, 10-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Alhambra road, Granfield avenue, Orange street, Roslindale avenue, Washington street, West Roxbury Parkway, Willow street, West Roxbury; Lane park, Orchard road and Penniman road, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of three thousand (\$3,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Alhambra Road, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, May 6, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (\$300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 24, 1924. (April 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PROPOSALS FOR \$2,410,000 CITY OF BOSTON LOANS, \$2,020,000 SERIAL BONDS, INTEREST AT 4 PER CENT PER ANNUM. 390,000 REGISTERED SINKING FUND BONDS, INTEREST AT 4 PER CENT PER ANNUM. BONDS EXEMPT FROM TAXATION IN MASSACHUSETTS.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
OFFICE OF THE CITY TREASURER.

CITY HALL, BOSTON, MASS., April 24, 1924.

In pursuance of the authority given by orders of the City Council of Boston and Acts of Massachusetts the undersigned will receive proposals until 12 o'clock m., Thursday, May 1, 1924, for the whole or any part of the following loans:

SINKING FUND BONDS.

INTEREST AT THE RATE OF 4 PER CENT PER ANNUM. EAST BOSTON TUNNEL ALTERATIONS, \$390,000.

Chapter 373, Special Acts of Massachusetts, 1917. Payable May 1, 1929.

SERIAL BONDS.

INTEREST AT THE RATE OF 4½ PER CENT PER ANNUM.

CHELSEA BRIDGE SOUTH LOAN (ACTS OF 1921), \$150,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of April 5th, 1921. Payable \$8,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1934, inclusive, and \$7,000, annually, May 1st, 1935, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

COURT HOUSE, BRIGHTON, \$40,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 25th, 1924. Payable \$2,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

WILLIAM E. CARTER PLAYGROUND, BLEACHERS, ETC., \$25,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 25th, 1924. Payable \$2,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1929, inclusive, and \$1,000, annually, May 1st, 1930, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

FIRE ALARM SIGNAL STATION, BACK BAY FENS (CHAPTER 309, ACTS OF 1923), \$200,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of May 14th, 1923. Payable \$10,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

DARTMOUTH STREET BRIDGE, \$60,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston, March 11th, 1924. Payable \$3,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

COLUMBUS PARK IMPROVEMENTS, \$150,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 25th, 1924. Payable \$8,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1934, inclusive, and \$7,000, annually, May 1st, 1935, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

SEWERAGE WORKS, \$450,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 4th, 1924. Payable \$15,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

HIGHWAYS, MAKING OF (CHAPTER 393, ACTS OF 1906), \$500,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 19th, 1924. Payable \$25,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

GARAGE, ALBANY STREET, \$25,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of January 29th, 1924. Payable \$2,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1929, inclusive, and \$1,000, annually, May 1st, 1930, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

POLICE STATION, HYDE PARK, \$80,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 20th, 1923. Payable \$4,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

FANEUIL HALL BUILDING, \$100,000.

Orders of the City Council of Boston of June 2d, 1923, and March 11th, 1924. Payable \$5,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

PLAYGROUND, READVILLE DISTRICT, \$20,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of January 2nd, 1924. Payable \$1,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

EAST BOSTON FERRY, IMPROVEMENTS, ETC., \$100,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 11th, 1924. Payable \$10,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1934, inclusive.

CHARITIES ADMINISTRATION BUILDING AND TEMPORARY HOME, \$60,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 11th, 1924. Payable \$3,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

COURT HOUSE, DORCHESTER, SITE AND PLANS, \$60,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 25th, 1924. Payable \$3,000, annually, May 1st, 1925, to May 1st, 1944, inclusive.

All loans will be issued in Registered Bond Certificates of \$1,000 each, or any multiple thereof, and will be paid on the dates specified for each loan, all with interest payable semi-annually, on the first days of May and November in each year, at the office of the City Treasurer, Boston.

These Bonds are exempt from taxation in Massachusetts and from the Federal Income Tax.

The certificates will be dated May 1st, 1924, and will be ready for delivery, and money received for the same, May 14th, 1924. Interest will begin May 1st, 1924, and will cease on the date on which the Bonds are payable.

Holders of these certificates, if they so desire, can receive the semi-annual interest through the mail by check payable to their order.

Proposals must be sealed and addressed to John J. Curley, City Treasurer, Boston, Mass., endorsed "Proposals for Loans," and clearly state whether for the whole or part of said loans, and, if for part, the amount. Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check on a Boston National Bank or Trust Company, or by cash, equal to one per cent. of the amount of loans bid for, the check made payable to the City of Boston, John J. Curley, City Treasurer. The check or cash of any bidder to whom an award is made will be retained as part payment for the loan or loans awarded, but no interest will be allowed thereon. All other checks or cash will be returned.

Accrued interest from May 1st, 1924, to date of delivery is to be paid by the purchaser.

All proposals will be opened in the office of the City Treasurer, Thursday, May 1st, 1924, at 12 o'clock M. The City Treasurer reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept such bid or bids as may seem to him to be the most advantageous to the city.

JOHN J. CURLEY,
City Treasurer
(April 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the Park Department I shall sell at public auction, upon the premises, at the city greenhouses, Canterbury and Morton streets, Dorchester, Wednesday, April 30, 1924, at 11 a. m., the following articles:

- No. 1—Oldsmobile, one-cylinder gasoline engine (five horse power) with pulley (pulley 12 inches by 6 inches).
- No. 2—Contractor's bucket, contains three fourths cubic yard.
- No. 3—Horizontal steam engine, twenty-five horse power.
- No. 4—One Westinghouse steam engine, thirty-five horse power.
- No. 5—Case farm tractor, not complete.
- No. 6—Portable steam boiler with pump.
- No. 7—600-gallon tank (wood), mounted on automobile truck frame.
- No. 8—Portable steam boiler and pump.
- No. 9—Buffalo Steam Roller Company road scarifier (old type).
- No. 10—One lead statue.

Terms: Cash at time of sale.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
28 School Street, Boston.
(April 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

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NOTICE.

The Board of Street Commissioners in accordance with chapter 393 of the Acts of 1906 has passed orders for the laying out and construction of the following highway:

SOUTH BOSTON.

Clafin street, from C street to D street.

Notice is hereby given that the Public Works Department is about to do the work contemplated in said order, and that all work to be done in said highways by all persons or corporations having rights in the same to lay or repair either sewer, gas, water or other pipes must be done before Thursday, May 1, 1924, as after that time no permits for openings will be granted until two years after said highways are completed.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 24, 1924. (April 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

ASSESSORS' OFFICE, CITY HALL ANNEX,
BOSTON, April 1, 1924.

Attention is called to the Assessors' Notice posted upon the City Hall, and other public places throughout the city, relative to making returns on property subject to taxation.

Returns should be made as early as possible, and not later than May 15.

Blank forms may be had at the Assessors' Office, or will be mailed to any address upon application.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
By JOSEPH C. O'MALLEY, Secretary.
(April 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN GERMAN-TOWN DISTRICT, WEST ROXBURY, AND OUTLET IN EAST STREET, DEDHAM.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Germantown District, West Roxbury, and outlet in East street, Dedham. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Germantown District," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, April 25, 1924, with a certified check for ten thousand (10,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, April 10, 1924. (April 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for moving the present manual training room from basement to first floor, William E. Russell School, Columbia road, near Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, Boston, Mass., doing all alterations, etc., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday, April 30, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, May 9, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.
(April 26.)

DELINQUENT TAX SALES.

CITY OF BOSTON.

CITY COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes and assessments thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed by the assessors of taxes of said City to me as collector of taxes for said City, including assessments for the suppression of gypsy and brown-tail moths, remain unpaid, and that the smallest undivided part of said land sufficient to satisfy said taxes and assessments, with interests and all legal costs and charges, or the whole of said land if no person offers to take an undivided part thereof, will be offered for sale by public auction at the City Collector's office, on the second floor of the City Hall Annex on Court street, in said City of Boston, on Wednesday, May 14, 1924, at 9.30 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and assessments with interest, costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

The sums set against the following descriptions of the several parcels of land show the amounts due thereon respectively for the taxes and assessments for the nonpayment of which each of said parcels of land is to be sold, but not including the costs and interests thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale:

WARD ONE.

James Alley Heirs—About 6,140 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Orient avenue, being lot 6, block A, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... \$14 82

Florence K. Barry—Buildings and about 1,349 feet of land on the southerly side of East Eagle street, numbered 337, between an estate of John DeStefano and another and an estate of Robert Hodson, Junior, heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... \$86 45
Paid on account..... 40 00

Balance due..... 46 45

Also buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, numbered 267 between an estate of Ainsley H. Hooper Heirs or devisees and an estate of Maria Penque, tax for 1923..... 76 57

Mary A. Barry—About 6,875 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, making the northerly corner of Washburn avenue, being lot 15, H. T. Whitman plan, dated May, 1888, recorded Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 1873, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 2 49

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 16, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 2 66
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 2 58
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 2 49

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 17, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 2 66
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 2 58
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 2 49

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 18, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 2 66
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 2 58
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 2 49

Irving M. Bickford—About 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Overlook street, being lot 77, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Harriet P. Brown—Buildings and about 3,550 feet of land on the westerly side of Border street, numbered 318, between an estate of Harold J. Coolidge and another, trustees, and an estate of W. S. Rendle and Sons Company, tax for 1923..... 91 39

Amelia Bruno, Trustee for Irena and Emma Bruno—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 793, between an estate of Joe Cuneo and an estate of Eliza F. Sullivan, tax for 1923..... 69 16

Ellsworth D. Bundy—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the east-

erly side of Border street, numbered 327, between an estate of Annie M. Cull and an estate of Mary Martin, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Robert Butler—About 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 15, block D, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 21 76

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 60

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 21 76

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 60

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 21 76

Catterina Callarino—Buildings and about 4,389 feet of land on the southerly side of Gladstone street, adjoining an estate of Henry A. Lawler, being lot 2, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 41, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Catherine Carter—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 439, between an estate of Robert F. Carter, and another estate of Robert F. Carter, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 5 40

Catherine Carter—Buildings and about 8,257 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 441 and 443, making the southerly corner of Swift street, adjoining an estate of John W. Carter, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 5 40
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 5 40
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 48

John W. Carter—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 437, between an estate of East Boston Company and an estate of Catherine Carter, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 5 40

Charles H. Cavender—About 7,809 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot 30, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 45, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Catherine Celiberti—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Trenton street, numbered 189, between an estate of Sarah L. Preble and an estate of Elroy W. Francis, tax for 1923..... 222 30

Harry P. Chadwick—About 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Wordsworth street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Rachel Bennett; southerly by an estate of Fergus Farrell heirs or devisees; westerly by an estate of Henry M. Williams and others, trustees; northerly by Wordsworth street, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 2 59

Also about 14,003 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street between an estate of East Boston Company and an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923..... 51 87

Also about 12,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Boardman street, between an estate of Giuseppe Visconte and an estate of Angelina Sacco, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 19 59

Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 22, Block C, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Also about 8,650 feet of land on the southerly side of Condor street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Lina Lagarowick; southerly by estates of Matthew E. Cardoza, Antonio S. Mello, Annie Rome and Mario E. Aranzo; westerly by an estate of Josephine Rendle; northerly by Condor street, tax for 1923..... 32 11

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 5 38

William H. Chapman—About 3,975 feet of land on the northerly side of Overlook street, being lot 2, Block D, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Annetta Cole—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Lexington street, numbered 143, between an estate of George M. McKie and an estate of Carolina Maurano, tax for 1923..... \$86 45
Paid on account..... 46 45

Balance due..... 40 00

Michael F. Crosson—About 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot B, William J. Sullivan plan, September 5, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12416, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 75

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 20 30

Vincenzo D'Addario—Buildings and about 2,857 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neptune road, numbered 24, making the northerly corner of Frankfort street, adjoining an estate of Gracoma Puzo and another, tax for 1922..... \$153 14
Paid on account..... 150 14

Balance due..... 3 00

Lloyd G. Davis—Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 11, block E, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Sophia A. Dingwell—Buildings and about 1,013 feet of land on the northerly side of Butler avenue, between an estate of Pietro Indrisano and the location of Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad, tax for 1923..... 12 35

George L. Duncan—Buildings and about 4,375 feet of land on the northerly side of East Eagle street, numbered 242, between an estate of Esther Hirshberg and an estate of Richard J. Butler and another, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Blanche M. Dunton—About 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 18, block C, H. T. Whitman plan dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Warren E. Fisher—Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Overlook street, being lot 44, block G, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Allan R. Frederick—Also about 7,309 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, being lot 44, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 44, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1921, Moth assessment for 1921..... 27 17
Tax for 1922..... 50
Tax for 1923..... 27 17

Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1921..... 27 17
Tax for 1922..... 27 17
Tax for 1923..... 27 17

Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, being lot 60, same plan, tax for 1921..... 27 17

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921..... 11 76
Tax for 1922..... 27 17
Apportionment of sidewalk construction for 1922..... 11 12
Tax for 1923..... 27 17

Teresa Frederick—Buildings and about 11,398 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, numbered 17, between an estate of Allan R. Frederick and an estate of Lina Giordano and another, tax for 1923..... 175 37

Also buildings and about 6,076 feet of land on the northerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 968 and 970, making the northwesterly corner of Boardman street, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Bonzagni and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 36 28

Sarah A. Gaffney—Buildings and about 4,950 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Princeton street, numbered 326 (now 336), making the westerly corner of Shelby street, adjoining another estate of said Gaffney, tax for 1923..... 108 68

Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Princeton street, numbered 322 and 324, between another estate of said Gaffney and an estate of Anthony J. Gill, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Also buildings and about 1,235 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shelby street, numbered 22 and 24, making the easterly corner of Princeton street, adjoining an estate of Agrippino Liniolo, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Charles E. J. Gallant—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Trenton street, numbered 90, between an estate of Alice J. Dwyer and an estate of George Layton and another, tax for 1923, \$61 75 Paid on account.....	20 00		
Balance due.....	41 75		
Pasquale Gallo—Buildings and about 2,407 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 474, 474A and 476, making the northwesterly corner of Shelby street, adjoining an estate of Angelo Copinigo, tax for 1923.....	\$296 40		
Paid on account.....	70 00		
Balance due.....	226 40		
Also about 3,622 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 3A, Rowland H. Barnes plan, dated March, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number.....	\$34 58		
Tax for 1923.....	10 00		
Paid on account.....	24 58		
Balance due.....	24 58		
Frank J. Gavin—About 4,637 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sea View avenue, being lot 2, block B, H. T. Whitman plan, dated May, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Charles A. Gillespie—About 6,402 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Mary A. Torrens, northerly by an estate of Thomas D. Walsh heirs, easterly by an estate of Lucia Ciampa; southerly by Bennington street, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Edith A. Glover—About 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 13, block E, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Frank Goldberg—Buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Meridian street, numbered 326, between an estate of John Hallett and an estate of Mary Martin, tax for 1923.....	\$111 15		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	61 15		
Nellie R. Gorman—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 1, William E. Hannum plan, July 20, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4486, page 281, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
James M. W. Hall—About 10,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Homer street, being lot 242, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 30 on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
James N. Hamilton, Junior—About 3,228 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Overlook street, being lot 37, block G, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Leona M. Higgins—Buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 809, making the easterly corner of Wordsworth street, adjoining an estate of William and Ann O'Neil, tax for 1923.....	\$135 85		
Paid on account.....	111 05		
Balance due.....	24 80		
Mildred J. Hunter—Buildings and about 8,750 feet of land on the westerly side of Putnam street, making the northwesterly corner of East Eagle street, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,896 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Trenton street, numbered 126, between an estate of Hannah Yudelman and an estate of Susan M. Cousens, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Charles J. Kelley, Junior—About 5,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Leyden street, being lot 29, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 46, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Leyden street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gladstone street, numbered 81, between an estate of Allen R. Frederick and an estate of John A. Webster, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Margaret T. Lavery and Mary C. Jackson—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street, adjoining an estate of John H. Grady, being the southerly part of lot 6, remaining after the taking for the widening of Bennington street, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2146, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Rufina Maffei—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 647, between an estate of Nicola Corolier and an estate of Fannie Finkelstein, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Also buildings and about 4,220 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, numbered 125, between an estate of East Boston Company and another estate of said Maffei, tax for 1923.....	66 69		
Also buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 39, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Julia A. Marsha—Buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Faywood avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 30, block E, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1921.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
William F. McClellan—Buildings and about 434 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, numbered 434, between an estate of Alexandra Graziano and an estate of Bridget O'Shea, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Catherine McGuinness—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Faywood avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 46, block C, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 60		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 76		
Mary A. McHugh—Buildings and about 17,611 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered.....	111 15		
between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Charles N. Capillo, tax for 1923.....	34 56		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	84 43		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	84 43		
Edward J. McLaughlin, Trustee under will of Edward McLaughlin—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast-erly by an estate of William F. McClellan, northwesterly by an estate of Alfred DeMartino and others and Catherine and Mary E. Dundon, southwesterly by an estate of Mary J. McLaughlin and southeasterly by Bennington street, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Edward J. McLaughlin, Trustee—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Homer street, numbered 64, between an estate of William L. Machado and an estate of Dennis H. Collins, trustee, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Charles C. McNamara—Buildings and about 2,187 feet of land on the southerly side of Condor street, numbered.....	37 05		
between an estate of Antonio Amirto and another and an estate of Josephine Rendle, tax for 1923.....	4 65		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 65		
Mary B. Merlino—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, adjoining an estate of Annie K. Cragin, being lot 18, shown on assessors' plans, volume 1, page 4, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 75		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 30		
Francis J. Nelson—Buildings and about 12,634 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Short street, numbered 1, making the westerly corner of Cole-ridge street, adjoining an estate of Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Rail-road, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Nicholas E. and Herbert J. O'Brien, one half each—About 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chaucer street, adjoining an estate of John J. Curran and another, being lot C, Joseph R. Carr and Sons plan, dated May 26, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3464, page 352, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chaucer street, making the southerly corner of Curtis street, adjoining an estate of Minnie E. Dunn, being lot D, Joseph R. Carr and Sons plan, dated May 26, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3464, page 352, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Mary Oris—About 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Waldemar avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 47, block H, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Joseph Pimentel—Buildings and about 800 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Lexington street, numbered 226 rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Charlotte L. Rowe and another, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Josephine Rendle—Buildings and about 8,750 feet of land on the northerly side of Falcon street, numbered 188, between an estate of Mary J. Hicks and an estate of Matthew E. Cardoza, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Also about 6,038 feet of land on the southerly side of Condor street, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and an estate of Charles C. McNamara, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 75		
W. S. Rendle and Son—Buildings and about 113,765 feet of land and flats on the westerly side of Border street, numbered 322-326, 328 and 332, between an estate of The State Wharf and Storage Company and an estate of Harriet P. Brown, tax for 1923.....	2,153 84		
George T. Rendle Company—Buildings and about 100,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Condor street, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being a lot shown on F. L. Tibbetts plan, dated February 26, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3616, page 581, tax for 1923.....	412 49		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	30 11		
Tax for 1922.....	412 49		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	31 08		
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the south-erly side of Chaucer street, num-bered 47, between an estate of Mary A. Martin and an estate of Frank Velardo, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, numbered 187, between an estate of Edward J. Murray and another and an estate of Lena Glassman, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Mary A. Riley—Buildings and about 6,399 feet of land on the southerly side of Gladstone street, numbered 66, between an estate of Mary F. Cashman and an estate of John A. Webster, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Annie Rome (reassessed from Annie Rowe)—About 256 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Glendon street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Harry P. Chadwick; easterly by an estate of Peter J. Stapleton and another; southerly by an estate of Mary J. Meuse; westerly by an estate of Antonio S. Mello and another, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Annie Rome—About 256 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Glendon street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Harry P. Chadwick; easterly by an estate of Peter J. Stapleton and another; southerly by an estate of Mary J. Meuse; westerly by an estate of Antonio S. Mello and another, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Pietro and Maria Salerno—Buildings and about 2,143 feet of land on the north-erly side of Lovell street, num-bered 378, between an estate of Rocco Amato and an estate of Cesria Gal-larant, tax for 1923.....	143 20		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 18		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 93		
Catherine Stanwood—About 4,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Walde-mar avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 53, block D, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	12 35		

Also about 4,905 feet of land on the southerly side of Montmorenci avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Florence D. Sullivan—About 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Overlook street, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 46, block G. H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	4 94
James H. and Farwell J. Thayer—About 8,007 feet of land on the northerly side of Orient avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 5, block E. H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	14 82
George W. Towne, Trustee of Etna Realty Trust—About 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 27, block A. H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 5,932 feet of land on the northerly side of Orient avenue, being lot 5, block A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Thomas C. Tyrell—Buildings and about 2,989 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennington street, numbered 1114, between an estate of Catherine M. Cunningham and an estate of Annie C. Miller, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Joseph A. Vesce, one half, and Eliso Masucci, one half—Buildings and about 3,780 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 1129, making the westerly corner of Wauppello road, adjoining an estate of Rose Blum, tax for 1923.....	172 90
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 28
Willard Welsh—About 6,100 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of East Eagle street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of John Egan (numbered 211), tax for 1923.....	22 23
Annie White—Buildings and about 1,697 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bennington street, numbered 309, between another estate of said White and an estate of Eli Swartz, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bennington street, numbered 311, between another estate of said White and an estate of Eva I. Solari, tax for 1923.....	56 81
Mary M. White—Buildings and about 1,908 feet of land on the southerly side of Trenton street, numbered 21, between an estate of Sarah B. Thompson and an estate of Vincenzo Marri-fino, tax for 1923.....	71 63
Henry M., Sidney, Arthur S. and Henry M. and Arthur S. Williams, Trustees under will of Elizabeth A. Williams—About 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Wordsworth street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Wordsworth street; easterly by an estate of Harry P. Chadwick; southerly by an estate of Fergus Farrell devisees and westerly by an estate of George King, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	2 59
Horace B. L. Williams, Trustee under will of Horace P. Williams—About 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot 21, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 45, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 7,809 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 7,809 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
William Williams—About 938 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prescott street, between an estate of Bernard J. Farley and an estate of John F. O'Connor (numbered 94), tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also buildings and about 7,174 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street, numbered 965, between an estate of James H. Doyle and another, trustees, and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	360 62
Also buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the southerly side of Condor street, numbered 87, between an estate of George Corbett and an estate of William L. Scott, tax for 1923.....	54 34
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	1 63
Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 7,174 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street, numbered 965, between an estate of James H. Doyle and another, trustees,	

and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1922.....	360 02
Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Marion street, numbered 56, between an estate of Sarah F. Lee and an estate of Gilbert M. Stalker and others, tax for 1922.....	37 05

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Gonagle heirs; northwesterly by an estate of Haninna Cipriano, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 819 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Burke's court, numbered 6, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northernly by an estate of George R. Hobbs; easterly by an estate of George R. Hobbs; southerly by an estate of Carmela De Nunzio, numbered 92 Everett street, westerly by Burke's court, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Eva Berson—About 100 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street, bounded and described as follows, northernly by Bennington street, easterly by an estate of Louis Cohen, numbered 41 Bennington street, southerly and westerly by an estate of Margaret J. McGrath, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Guisepppe Campana—Buildings and about 1,707 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 29, between an estate of Catherine G. Small and an estate of Michele Calafato and another, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Anna R. Cappello—About 666 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Bremen street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of said Cappello; southeasterly by an estate of Rose Magee; southwesterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; and northwesterly by a passageway, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Ada Cardosi—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Decatur street, numbered 43, between an estate of Philopena Martine and an estate of Antonio Caggiano and another, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	48 80
Christina Carlino—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maverick street, numbered 85, making the westerly corner of Havre street, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth Tobin, tax for 1923.....	\$153 14
Paid on account.....	75 00
Balance due.....	78 14
Frank and Maria Cavalieri—Buildings and about 855 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Porter street, numbered 54, between an estate of Salvatore Amorasa and another and an estate of Pasquale Baldassaro, tax for 1923.....	44 46
Also buildings and about 1,920 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 130, between an estate of Annarosa Cappiello and an estate of Antonio Alterisio, tax for 1923.....	91 39
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 970 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cross street, numbered 4, between an estate of Anthony Guida and an estate of Marciano Di Anglis, tax for 1923.....	34 58
Also buildings and about 1,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Paris place, numbered 1, between an estate of Ellen R. Morris and an estate of Pasquale La Sala, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Mabel E. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Paris place, numbered 1, between an estate of Ellen R. Morris and an estate of Pasquale La Sala, tax for 1922.....	24 70
Antonio and Angiolina Chianca—Buildings and about 1,150 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 144, between an estate of Guisepppe Giovino and an estate of Lena Cimino, tax for 1923.....	\$74 10
Paid on account.....	40 00
Balance due.....	34 10
Nicola Ciampa and Antonio Arditto—Buildings and about 1,190 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Putnam street, numbered 142, between an estate of Nicola Sarno and an estate of Sadie Goldstein, tax for 1923.....	\$49 40
Paid on account.....	30 00
Balance due.....	19 40
Leah Cohen—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 235, adjoining an estate of Mary and John A. Cantalupo and an estate of Domine Miglionico, tax for 1923.....	138 32
Mary E. Cotter—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 65, between an estate of Antonio D'Agostino and an estate of Matteo Vocino and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 00

Domenico and Angiolina Croce—Buildings and about 2,210 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 85, making the southerly corner of Porter street, adjoining an estate of Ernesto Cataldo, tax for 1923.....	195 13	Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Morris street, numbered 107 and 109, between another estate of said Fine and an estate of Floriano Clericuzio, tax for 1922.....	41 99	William C. S. Healy—Buildings and about 1,753 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 551, between an estate of John McGlinn and an estate of Charles H. Matlage Devises, tax for 1923.....	59 28
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 80	Samuel Fine—Buildings and about 1,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 94, between another estate of said Fine and an estate of Annie Wakley, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 512, between an estate of Anna Saponaro and an estate of Anastasia G. Adams, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Amedis and Mary DiChristoforo—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 134, between an estate of Gutel Bodkins and an estate of Annie R. Weinstein, tax for 1923.....	153 14	Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 102 and 104, between another estate of said Fine and an estate of Jennie Fine, tax for 1922.....	32 11	Julius Hecht—About 1,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Davis court, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly and easterly by an estate of Laura E. Cashman northwestly by an estate of Annie Katz and southerly by an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and westerly by Davis court, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Martino and Concetta DiGesa—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Everett street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of John H. Crafts and another, numbered 301 Maverick street; easterly by an estate of Mary Smiddy; southerly by an estate of Lena Cimino; westerly by an estate of Carmela Gravallese, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Nathan and Etta Fingerman, undivided—Buildings and about 1,290 feet of land on the easterly side of Meridian street, numbered 111, between an estate of Harry Greene and an estate of Francis A. Herman and another, tax for 1923.....	234 65	Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,240 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 39, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Antonio De Stefano, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Nicola DiGiovanni—Buildings and about 3,115 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 170, between an estate of Nicola DiGiovanni and another and an estate of Antonio Rotandi, tax for 1923.....	229 71	James D. Fulginiti—Buildings and about 1,265 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Havre street, numbered 186, making the westerly corner of Sharon court, adjoining an estate of Luigi Farsone and another, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Also about 760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Appian place, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly and easterly by an estate of Fannie Pearlman and another, southerly by an estate of Patrick Fitzpatrick; westerly by an estate of Raffaele De Matteo and another; northwesterly by Appian place, and northerly by Appian place, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 68	John and Nellie Gallo—Buildings and about 1,035 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Havre street, numbered 194, between an estate of Catherine V. Nealon, and an estate of John Gallo and another, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 1,058 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Davis court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Julius Hecht; easterly by an estate of Laura E. Cashman; southerly by an estate of Francesco Dioguardi, and westerly by Davis court, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Nicola and Silomena DiGiovanni—Buildings and about 3,145 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 172, between an estate of Nicola DiGiovanni and an estate of Emilio Caiani and another, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Also about 1,035 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sharon court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said John Gallo and another; easterly by an estate of said John Gallo and another; southerly by Havre street, and westerly by Sharon court, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also buildings and about 5,292 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington avenue, numbered 6, at end, adjoining an estate of Raffaele Matarazzo, tax for 1923.....	66 69
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 68	Elizabeth Gallo—Buildings and about 2,722 feet of land on the southerly side of Webster street, numbered 265, between an estate of Michael L. Sarne and another, and an estate of Domenico Aliprandi, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Antonio and Christina Incoerto—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 44, between an estate of Nicola Ricupero and another, and an estate of Hjalmer Anderson and another, tax for 1923.....	\$64 22
Paul C. and Caroline E. Disario—Buildings and about 1,260 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Gove street, numbered 62, between an estate of Guiseppe Scopa and another and an estate of Ginlia Pizzano, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Benjamin Goodman and Kate Miller—Buildings and about 2,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 93, between an estate of Thomas Berlogiere and an estate of Angelina Macarea and others registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6377, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Paid on account.....	30 00
Bernardino Divalo—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, numbered 164, between an estate of Bridget G. Moynihan and an estate of John Pagharulo, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Mary J. Gourley—Buildings and about 945 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Liverpool avenue, numbered 4, between an estate of Richard Morrissey and an estate of Giovanni Scopa, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Balance due.....	34 22
Federal Wharf and Storage Company—Buildings, docks, flats and about 378,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Border street, numbered 148 to 172, inclusive, between an estate of the Suffolk Coal Company and an estate of Oakley C. Curtis and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	8,126 30	Vincenzo Grosso—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 194 and 194A, between an estate of Ida Berly and an estate of Antonio and Mary Crusco, tax for 1923.....	125 97	Also about 1,330 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pearl place, (formerly numbered 1), making the easterly corner of Public Alley 2001, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 41
William J. Ferguson—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Emmons street, numbered 29, making the easterly corner of Paris street, adjoining an estate of Giuseppe Velardo, tax for 1923.....	103 74	Mary Handy—Buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the southerly side of Elbow street, numbered 1, between an estate of Sumner Savings Bank and an estate of Francesco Tranfaglia, and another, tax for 1923.....	172 90	Also about 1,330 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pearl place, (formerly numbered 2), between two other estates of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 35	Floria Head—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maverick street, numbered 177 and 177A, making the westerly corner of Orleans street, adjoining an estate of Angelo DeAngelis, and another, tax for 1923.....	153 14	Also about 1,330 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pearl place, (formerly numbered 3), between two other estates of said Kelley, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Annie Fiangello—Buildings and about 945 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Liverpool avenue, numbered 1, between an estate of Daniel P. J. Gallagher and an estate of Angelo R. Ciampa, tax for 1923.....	\$24 70	Also buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 64, 66 and 68, between an estate of Margaret A. Prescott and an estate of said Head, tax for 1923.....	\$390 26	Tax for 1923.....	14 82
Paid on account.....	10 00	Paid on account.....	200 00	Also about 920 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Marginal street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Brigham street; easterly by an estate of Mary A. Ryan; southerly by Marginal street, and westerly by an estate of John Fagan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Balance due.....	14 70	Balance due.....	190 26	Also about 666 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Bremen street and (formerly numbered 176), between an estate of Anna R. Cappello and an estate of Serafino De Fronzo, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also buildings and about 945 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 5, between an estate of Daniel P. J. Gallagher and an estate of Manuel Rodrigues, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 74, 76 and 78, between another estate of said Head and an estate of John P. Cadigan Heirs, tax for 1923.....	459 42	Helen G. Keough—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 28, between an estate of Abigail F. McDonald, and an estate of Michael O'Meara, tax for 1923.....	125 97
Jennie Fine—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 296, between an estate of Angelo Boncore and another estate of said Fine, tax for 1922.....	49 40	Bridget Healey—Buildings and about 1,980 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 193, between an estate of William A. Morrison and an estate of Nicola Carangelo and another, tax for 1923.....	116 09		
Also buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 298 and 300, between another estate of said Fine and an estate of William Weinberger and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16227, tax for 1922.....	24 70				
Also buildings and about 6,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 336, between an estate of Sarah Cohen and an estate of Jacob Perlmuter and another, tax for 1923.....	101 27				
Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Morris street, numbered 103, between an estate of Jennie Schwartz and an estate of said Fine, tax for 1922.....	76 57				
Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 106, between an estate of said Fine and an estate of Agrippino Belino, tax for 1922.....	133 38				

Antonio Laquaglia—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 319, between an estate of Louis Pattipas and an estate of Giuseppe Ruotolo and another, tax for 1923.....	71 63	bered 221, making the southerly corner of Alna place and adjoining an estate of Elizabeth F. Leonard, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Louisa Salerno—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 41, making the southerly corner of Maverick street, adjoining an estate of Eleanor W. Nugent heirs, tax for 1923.....	101 27
Rosario La Rosa—Buildings and about 1,001 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marion street, numbered 186, between an estate of Dora Ganek and an estate of Luigi De Palma, tax for 1923.....	40 93	Anna B. Nazzaro—About 2,398 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 222, between an estate of said Nazzaro and an estate of Angelo and Rosa Oliviero, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12237, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Angelo and Carmela Sciarappa—Buildings and about 1,349 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 92, making the northerly corner of Chelsea place, adjoining an estate of Angelina Macarana, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50 Paid on account..... 108 00
Sylvanus T. Le Baron—Buildings and about 14,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Border street, numbered 131-135, extending through to and numbered 146 Liverpool street, between an estate of Benjamin J. Graham and another and an estate of Thomas F. Croak and another, tax for 1923.....	543 40	Also buildings and about 688 feet of land on the northeasterly side of London court, numbered 1, between an estate of Salvatore Rizza and an estate of Rosie Bernhout and another, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Balance due.....	15 50
Israel Leventhal—About 665 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chelsea court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of the City of Boston, easterly by a passageway, southerly by an estate of Maria Serino and another, and westerly by Chelsea court, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Ellen E. O'Brien—Buildings and about 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 186, between two estates of Michael J. Barry, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Annie Segal—Buildings and about 2,812 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 299, between an estate of George Constantina and another estate of said Segal, tax for 1923.....	128 44
Elizabeth Levine—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 139, between an estate of Louis Cripio and an estate of Joseph Goldberg, tax for 1922.....	113 62	Also buildings and about 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 194, between an estate of Michael J. Barry and another estate of said O'Brien, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also buildings and about 2,812 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 303, between another estate of said Segal and an estate of Filippo Todesca and another, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Julia Lynch—Buildings and about 1,062 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 11, between an estate of said Lynch and an estate of Harris Wolfe, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also buildings and about 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 196 and 198, between another estate of said O'Brien and an estate of Michael Connell and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Annie Shaffer—Buildings and about 2,150 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 157, between an estate of Mary Cassin and an estate of Domenico Genovese and another, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Also buildings and about 1,134 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 13, between an estate of said Lynch and an estate of Crescenzo Barraso, tax for 1923.....	27 17	William and Edward A. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,852 feet of land on the southerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 13, between an estate of Joseph L. Shannon and another and an estate of E. Coleman Brown, tax for 1923.....	\$66 69 Paid on account..... 30 00	Barnet Silverman—About 1,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Putnam street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Max Fine; northeasterly and easterly by Putnam street; southerly by an estate of Bessie Smith; westerly by an estate of Rebecca Shannon, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Mary Malony—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 233, between an estate of Gustaf Anderson and an estate of Sophia O. Peterson, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16253, tax for 1922.....	29 64	John Pagliarulo—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, numbered 166, between an estate of Cecelia B. Ring and an estate of Bernardino Divalo, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Luigi and Maria Stasio—Buildings and about 2,657 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 186, between an estate of Anna B. Davidson and an estate of Domenico Mari and another, tax for 1923.....	\$148 20 Paid on account..... 50 00
Elizabeth J. Marquard—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Princeton street, numbered 111, between an estate of Augustino Bianco and another and an estate of John T. M. O'Connell and others, tax for 1923.....	93 86	Agrippino and Emanuela Palermo—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Putnam street, numbered 177, making the southerly corner of Morris street, adjoining an estate of Ida S. Perlmutter, tax for 1923.....	\$83 98 Paid on account..... 45 00	Balance due.....	98 20
Leo and Isabella Maske—Buildings and about 1,155 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 98, between an estate of Michael and Louis T. Leverone and an estate of Michele Gigliello and another, tax for 1923.....	\$56 81 Paid on account..... 20 00	Balance due.....	38 98	Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 187 and 189, making the westerly corner of Havre street, adjoining an estate of Giovanni Larocca, tax for 1923.....	\$74 10 Paid on account..... 50 00
Balance due.....	36 81	Louis Pinansky—About 600 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Prescott street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Annie Bonito; easterly and southeasterly by a passageway; southwesterly and northwesterly by an estate of Raffaele Masciola and another, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Balance due.....	24 10
Rosina Mastrolia—Buildings and about 5,625 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster street, numbered 168, between an estate of Frisco Martiniello and an estate of Carmine Colorusso and another, tax for 1923.....	150 67	George A. Richards—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 106, between an estate of Carmela Turca and another and an estate of Enrichetta Cogliano, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Edward Steinbrugge—Buildings, docks and about 90,750 feet of land and flats on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 123, 125 and 127, between an estate of John E. Lynch and an estate of Isabelle K. Racich, tax for 1923.....	2,981 29
Ralph Mazzarella—Buildings and about 1,866 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 307, between an estate of Agnes Merricantanti and an estate of Moses Trahan and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Mary E., Theodore B. and Frederick D. Roberts—About 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street (formerly numbered 182), between an estate of Michael J. Barry and an estate of Mary A. Ryan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Annie I. Thompson—About 8,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of John Fagin; southerly by Marginal street; westerly by an estate of Edward B. Merriman, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Frank D. McCarthy—Buildings and about 1,701 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sumner street, numbered 152, making the easterly corner and numbered 3 Havre street, adjoining an estate of Francesco Contentia and another, tax for 1923.....	101 27	Maria Rocco—Buildings and about 1,805 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Havre street, numbered 156, between an estate of James Wallace and an estate of Giuseppe Casoletto, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Michele and Leonardi Tisi—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frankfort street, numbered 18, between an estate of Francesco Dimase and an estate of Anna Marino, tax for 1923.....	106 21
Rosa McGonigle Heirs—About 819 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Burke's court (formerly numbered 3), bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Catherine Bell; southeasterly by Burke's court; southwesterly by an estate of Irene Di Nunzio; northwesterly by an estate of Nannina Cipriano, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Teresina Rosetti—Buildings and about 2,525 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 219, between an estate of Ferdinando Salerno and an estate of Theresa Giardello, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10756, tax for 1923.....	\$118 56 Paid on account..... 60 00	Antonio Tranfaglia—Buildings and about 1,130 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 16, between an estate of Antonio Milano and another and an estate of Francesco Tranfaglia and another, tax for 1923.....	96 33
Mary E. and Nellie M. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 109, making the southerly corner of and numbered 21 and 23 Decatur street, adjoining an estate of Antonio Di Angelis and another, tax for 1923.....	\$130 91 Paid on account..... 50 00	Balance due.....	58 56	Angelo M. and Palma G. Tucci (set off to Valentine Little)—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 391, making the southerly corner of Sumner place, adjoining an estate of Caroline Massa, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Balance due.....	80 91	Teresa Rufrano—Buildings and about 2,399 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 42 and 42A, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Jane McGettigan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7103, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90 Paid on account..... 40 00	Giovanni Vernacchia—Buildings and about 2,399 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 228, between an estate of Albert O. Titcomb and another and an estate of Dora Aronson, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80 Paid on account..... 60 00
Richard McLaughlin—About 1,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, making the southerly corner of Noble court, adjoining an estate of Giovanni Grazianno, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Balance due.....	132 90	Balance due.....	38 80
Elizabeth A. Murphy—Buildings and about 1,435 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, num-		Vincent Salamone—Buildings and about 3,145 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 77, between an estate of Michelle Fuccillo and another estate of said Salamone, tax for 1923.....	271 70	Flaviano Vitro—About 2,488 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Geneva street, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Salini, being lot 3, Whitman and Howard plan, April 16, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4360, page 253, tax for 1923.....	14 82
				Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 21

Bernardino Vivolo—Buildings and about 1,235 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 24, between an estate of Michele Cardello and an estate of Pietro Meo and another, tax for 1923.....	153 14	estate of Joseph D. Donovan and another, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Inc.; northerly by estates of Margaret T. McEnery; southeasterly by North Mead street; southwesterly by an estate of James M. McEnery heirs and John E. Doherty and another; northwesterly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Maria Voci—Buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 33, between an estate of John Berglund and an estate of Carl Christensen, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Also buildings and about 557 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bolton place, numbered 10, between an estate of Mary C. Marks and an estate of The Realty Company of Boston, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Alma G. Bowen—Buildings and about 976 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lincoln street, numbered 9, making the northerly corner of Adams place, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Mullen, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Annie Wakley—Buildings and about 1,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 92, between an estate of Florence K. Barry and an estate of Florence D'Ambrosio and another, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also buildings and about 572 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bolton place, numbered 14, between another estate of said Bates and an estate of Mary C. Marks, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Walter H. Broadhead (supposed present owner Waldo S. Plastring)—Buildings and about 915 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Badger place, numbered 3, between an estate of Sarkis Airasian and an estate of Charles L. Edwards, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 1,125 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 291 rear, between an estate of Thomas Boardman and an estate of Carmine A. Pisaturo and another, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also buildings and about 500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bolton place, numbered 16, at end, between another estate of said Bates and an estate of Margaret J. McEllery, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Bunker Hill Knights of Columbus Building Association—Buildings and about 14,655 feet of land on the southwesterly side of High street, numbered 44, between an estate of Winnifred C. W. Harrington and an estate of Ellen O'Malley, tax for 1923.....	617 50
William Williams—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 139, between an estate of Louis Crifo and an estate of Joseph Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	113 62	Also buildings and about 1,980 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frothingham avenue, numbered 14 and 16, between an estate of Thomas M. Smith and an estate of James M. Roche, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Eugenia F. Butler—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Green street, numbered 75, between an estate of Julia K. Sullivan and an estate of Ella W. Pendergast, tax for 1922.....	59 28
Also buildings and about 1,920 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 68, between an estate of Antonio Toscano and others, trustees, and an estate of Christian Rausch, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Also buildings and about 1,060 feet of land on the southerly side of Essex street, numbered 16, between an estate of Flora A. Cline and an estate of Abbie A. Spratt, tax for 1923.....	54 31	Arthur D. Cassell (supposed present owner Joseph Gusenoff)—Buildings and about 2,989 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pearl street, numbered 85, between an estate of Arthur D. Cassell and an estate of Patrick Kelley, tax for 1923.....	66 69
Harris Wolfe—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 5, making the southerly corner of Orleans street, adjoining another estate of said Wolfe, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Also buildings and about 954 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Lyndeboro street, numbered 1, between an estate of Margaret Jardine and an estate of George T. Trumbull, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,184 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Benjamin T. Wooley, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 11 and another estate of said Wolfe (numbered 5), tax for 1923.....	39 52	Also buildings and about 1,903 feet of land on the northwesterly side of School street, numbered 18, between an estate of Francis Raynes devisees and another estate of said Bates, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Also buildings and about 1,184 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller street, numbered 25, between two other estates of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Also buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Everett street, numbered 30, between an estate of Samuel Klein and an estate of Sabino Batista, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Also buildings and about 1,106 feet of land on the northwesterly side of School street, numbered 16 and 16A, making the northerly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Bates, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Also buildings and about 1,184 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller street, numbered 27, between two other estates of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Also buildings and about 9,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Maverick street, numbered 205-209, between an estate of Frederick N. Tirrill and an estate of Rosina I. Di Pietro, tax for 1923.....	321 10	Also buildings and about 1,145 feet of land on the northwesterly side of School street, numbered 14, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Pridget Burrows, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Mabel E. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the northwesterly side Cambridge street, numbered 79 and 81, making the westerly corner of Clinton place, adjoining an estate of Boston & Maine Railroad, tax for 1923.....	61 22
Frederick F. Young—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 157, between an estate of Fred F. Hodgkins and an estate of William L. Hirschberg and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the northwesterly side of School street, numbered 10, between an estate of Bridget Burrows and an estate of Aaron Hook, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Harold Cohen—Buildings and about 2,831 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Main street, numbered 660A, 660B, 662 and 664, making the westerly corner of and (numbered 1 Caldwell street) adjoining an estate of John Driscoll heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	160 55
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Francis P. Adams—About 800 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Beach street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast-erly by an estate of Jacob Blakely; southeasterly by an estate of Margaret F. Crowley; southwesterly by an estate of Joseph Berkowitch; northwesterly by an estate of Joseph Berkowitch, tax for 1923.....	\$2 47	Bay State Petroleum, Inc.—Buildings and about 3,768 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Main street, numbered 369, 371 and 371 1/2, making the northerly corner of Mead street, adjoining an estate of E. J. Hickey, tax for 1923.....	111 15	Also buildings and about 1,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of School street, numbered 79, between two other estates of said Cohen, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Mary T. Anthony—Buildings and about 1,179 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Main street, numbered 395, between an estate of Marietta McDonald and an estate of Charles J. Shannon and another, tax for 1923.....	91 39	William K. Bean—About 1,406 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Avery place, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 3, Charles A. Pearson plan, dated October 7, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3878, page 266, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the southeasterly side of School street, numbered 81, between two other estates of said Cohen, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Gardner Bates—Buildings and about 1,286 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sullivan street, numbered 60, between an estate of Florence L. Bates and an estate of Dennis Horgan and another, tax for 1923.....	81 51	Also about 1,056 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Avery place, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also buildings and about 1,650 feet of land on the southeasterly side of School street, numbered 85, between an estate of Julia Murphy and another estate of said Cohen, tax for 1923.....	93 86
Also buildings and about 1,104 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Elm street, numbered 44, making the northerly corner of Wistar place, adjoining estate of Revere W. Bang, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Also about 1,459 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Auburn avenue, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Bridget Crotty—Buildings and about 735 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Blaban place, numbered 2, between an estate of Jeremiah Higgins and an estate of Robert P. Spencer, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also buildings and about 2,938 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wistar place, numbered 1 and 2, making the westerly corner of and numbered 42 Elm street, adjoining an estate of Nathan D. Toppan, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Also about 975 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Auburn avenue, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Lillie M. Cruickshank—Buildings and about 540 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wellington place, numbered 1, making the westerly corner of St. Martin street, adjoining an estate of George F. Sweeney, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bunker Hill street, numbered 226, making the westerly corner of and numbered 90 School street, adjoining an estate of Christian Christensen, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Also about 5,856 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Avery place, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Thomas P. Currier and Susan E. Chase (supposed present owner Alice M. E. Egan)—Buildings and about 1,560 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm street, numbered 57, between an estate of Agnes C. Taff and an estate of Elizabeth J. McIntire, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Also buildings and about 783 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Russell street, numbered 11, between an estate of Michael J. Tierney and an estate of Ellen L. Savage, tax for 1923.....	69 16	Robert E. Bello—About 1,407 feet of land lying in the rear from northwesterly side of Mead street, adjoining an estate of John Kennedy and another, being lot A, Charles A. Pearson plan, dated August 9, 1902, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13052, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Daniel P. Desmond and James Hughes (supposed present owner Harrison G. and Agnes M. Smith)—Buildings and about 2,640 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Parker street, numbered 20, between two estates of Hannah M. Monahan, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Also buildings and about 722 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Avon place, numbered 8, at end, between an estate of William R. Nicholls and an		Marion F. Blue—About 7,348 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North Mead street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates of David H. Jacobs and Sons,			

John E. and Mary E. Doherty—About 1,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woods place, adjoining another estate of said John E. Doherty and another, being lot 5, Wilbur P. Rice plan, dated March 11, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1926, page 449, tax for 1923.....	4 94	another estate of said Hickey and another estate of said Hickey, tax for 1923.....	81 51	Kelley and an estate of Rose Flanagan heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 1,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woods place, adjoining another estate of said Doherty and another, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also buildings and about 3,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 381, 381½, between two other estates of said Hickey, tax for 1923.....	81 51	Tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 1,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woods place, adjoining another estate of said Doherty and another, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 383, making the easterly corner of and numbered 3 Oak street, adjoining another estate of said Hickey, tax for 1923.....	81 51	Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 1,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woods place, adjoining another estate of said Doherty and another, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Alfred S. Hill, Trustee under will of Edgar B. Warren—About 900 feet of land on the easterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Daniel J. Kane and Ella M. Hosmer; easterly by an estate of Charles A. Stewart; southerly by Exeter place; westerly by Exeter place, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also buildings and about 1,176 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Medford street, numbered 230, making the westerly corner of and numbered 48 Polk street, adjoining an estate of Oppenheim Brothers & Co., Inc., tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 1,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woods place, adjoining another estate of said Doherty and another, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also buildings and about 1,543 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm street, numbered 85, between an estate of David J. McGale and another and an estate of John F. Donovan, tax for 1923.....	49 10
James H. Dunphy—Buildings and about 1,633 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 437 and 437½, between another estate of said Dunphy and an estate of Mary Simonian, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,541 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Auburn avenue, numbered 2, between an estate of Angus D. McDonald and an estate of William K. Bean, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,815 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Belmont street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Sarah A. Ahern; southeasterly by Belmont street; southwesterly by an estate of Susan M. Cox; northwesterly by an estate of the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, tax for 1922.....	128 44
Also buildings and about 1,633 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 439 and 439½, between another estate of said Dunphy and an estate of Margaret Shea, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Also about 607 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Lawrence street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of James J. Maguire and another; southeasterly by an estate of Hugh Lyons; southwesterly by an estate of John F. Hanley and another; northwesterly by an estate of Jacob H. Halladjian, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Charles J. Kelley, Junior—Buildings and about 2,033 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sullivan street, numbered 16, between an estate of Richard L. Melvin and an estate of Charlestown Five Cents Savings Bank, tax for 1923.....	54 34
Julia C. Fay—About 2,851 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutherford avenue, making the easterly corner of Dunstable street, adjoining an estate of Standard Grocery Company, being a lot shown on Charles A. Pearson plan, dated January, 1885, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1727, page 640, tax for 1923.....	96 33	Also buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 451 and 451½, between an estate of Josephine S. Romano and an estate of Thomas W. Looker, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Nora M. Kiley—Buildings and about 1,144 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Allston street, numbered 41, between an estate of Mary L. Tweedy and an estate of John H. Murphy heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 80	Also buildings and about 1,274 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 13, between an estate of Mary Falvey and an estate of Mary E. F. Henchey, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Also buildings and about 1,340 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lincoln street, numbered 18, between an estate of Michael Fitzgerald and an estate of Dennis Swanson, tax for 1923.....	81 51
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Clara B. French—About 4,424 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hill street, making the westerly corner of Cook street, adjoining an estate of John Kyle (numbered 26 Cook street), tax for 1923.....	37 05	Andrew J. Howard—About 2,859 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mead street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Margaret Long; southeasterly by an estate of Martin Dolan; southwesterly by an estate of Elizabeth Sullivan; northwesterly by Mead street, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Michael O. Lucash (supposed present owner James A. Palmer)—Buildings and about 1,290 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Elba street, numbered 124, between another estate of said Lucash and an estate of Mary E. Lewis, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Clara B. French (supposed present owner Susan M. Cox—Buildings and about 1,484 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Russell street, numbered 61, making the northerly corner of Russell place, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Carmody (numbered 2 Russell place), tax for 1923.....	56 81	Elwood A. Howe—Buildings and about 720 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sullivan street, numbered 65, making the easterly corner of Mason court, adjoining an estate of Norah J. Ployer, tax for 1923.....	69 16	John B. Mackay—Buildings and about 1,098 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mill street, numbered 16, making the southwesterly corner of Mill Street court, adjoining an estate of Nora M. O'Brien, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Gaynor's Lunch Company, Inc.—Buildings and about 5,399 feet of land on the easterly side of Haverhill street, numbered 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10, making the southerly corner of and numbered 646 and 648 Main street, extending through to and making the westerly corner of Homes place, adjoining an estate of William J. Holmes heirs (numbered 5 Homes place), apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	14 52	Sarah A. Hughes—About 1,730 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Caldwell street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Charlotte A. Nicholls; southeasterly by Caldwell street; southwesterly by an estate of William Gillespie and another; northwesterly by the boundary line of the city of Somerville and the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	12 35	William and Julia Magner—Buildings and about 1,238 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Allston street, numbered 38, between an estate of Annie F. Brown and an estate of Ellen M. Readdy heirs, tax for 1923.....	\$49 40
Matthew J. Greene, Trustee of Estate of Alice E. Collins and Alice Greene—About 469 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Green's Block, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Timothy L. Casey; southeasterly by Green's Block; southwesterly by an estate of Frank J. Riley; northwesterly by an estate of Cornelius Gibbons and another, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Nora A. Hurley—Buildings and about 855 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Medford street, numbered 330, making the westerly corner of Cook street, adjoining an estate of Bernard J. McMorrow, tax for 1923.....	71 63	Ellen M. Readdy heirs, tax for 1923.....	29 00
Mary G. Harding—Buildings and about 2,018 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baldwin street, numbered 82, making the northerly corner of Bunker Hill street, adjoining an estate of Winifred I. Morrison, tax for 1923.....	\$148 20	Elizabeth Jones, Devises of under will—Buildings and about 1,240 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Eden avenue, numbered 4, between an estate of Bessie Klous and an estate of Allen D. Hall and another, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Paid on account.....	20 40
Paid on account.....	100 00	Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,815 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Belmont street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Sarah A. Ahern; southeasterly by Belmont street; southwesterly by an estate of Susan M. Cox; northwesterly by an estate of the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Balance due.....	20 40
Balance due.....	48 20	Also about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marshall place, between an estate of John Meade heirs or devisees and an estate of David J. Lee, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Frank S. Mason and Edward M. Dailey Trustees of Allen Realty Trust (supposed present owner Louis Kalendar)—Buildings and about 3,716 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Main street, numbered 468, 470 and 472, making the southerly corner of and (numbered 1 and 2 Thorndike dike street, extending to and making the easterly corner of Allen place, tax for 1923.....	150 67
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Celia Nolan—Buildings and about 1,275 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard street, numbered 42, extending through to Prescott street, between an estate of Mary E. Doyle, and an estate of Elizabeth King, tax for 1923.....	575 51	Richard J. Thomas S. and Annie T. Schofield—Buildings and about 1,382 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 27 and 29, making the southerly corner of Joiner street, adjoining an estate of said Schofield and an estate of P. O'Riordan heirs, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 89	Bertha Stimpson—Buildings and about 960 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cedar street, numbered 5, between an estate of Joseph Goldstein and an estate of Elizabeth H. Brown, tax for 1923.....	121 03
Julius Samuel and Joseph Novakoff, one half, and William Kaplan and Ida Novakoff, one half—Buildings and about 3,961 feet of land on the southerly side of Wapping street, numbered 33, 35-39 and 41, making the junction of and numbered 114 Water street, adjoining an estate of Lillian Hann, tax for 1923.....	113 62	James P. Shea Heirs or Devisees—Buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lexington street, numbered 38, between an estate of Charles W. Schneider and an estate of Margaret Dwyer, tax for 1923.....	41 99	John F. Tomfohrde—Buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Jefferson avenue, numbered 23, extending through to and numbered 24 and 26 Concord street, between an estate of Elizabeth G. Riorden and an estate of Mary Porter, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Balance due.....	319 30	Daniel J. and Nora M. Shea—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 172, between an estate of William B. Hamman heirs or devisees and an estate of Deborah S. Peterson, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Thomas E. Walsh—Buildings and about 1,612 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutherford avenue, numbered 131, 131 rear, 133, between an estate of Francis Raynes devisees and an estate of Bridget A. Townsend, tax for 1923.....	\$96 33
Delia A. O'Riorden, Trustee under Will of Jeremiah P. O'Riorden—Buildings and about 2,004 feet of land on the southerly side of Henley street, numbered 59-63, making the junction of and numbered 60, 62, 64 and 66 Chelsea street, adjoining an estate of Mary E. Burns, trustee (numbered 45 Henley street), apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	46 79	Thomas M. Smith—About 1,439 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Stephen C. Holmes and others; easterly by a passageway; southerly by an estate of Edward W. Fuller, and westerly by Corey street, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 2,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Corey street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by estates of Ellen Calleen and William Mahoney; northerly by an estate of John F. Madden; westerly by an estate of Miles Muldoon, and southerly by Tufts Street avenue, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also buildings and about 2,730 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutherford avenue, numbered 109, 111, and 113, between an estate of Hannah Kelleher and an estate of Hannah E. Dinneen, tax for 1923.....	79 04	Also about 1,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said Thomas M. Smith; easterly by a passageway; southerly by an estate of Stephen C. Holmes and others; westerly by Corey street, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Bessie V. Wright—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Austin street, 54 and 54 rear, between an estate of Theresa B. Tiernan and an estate of Margaret Long, tax for 1923.....	46 93
Patrick O'Riorden—Buildings and about 630 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gray street, numbered 12, adjoining an estate of George F. Chapin heirs, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	6 57	Also about 3,348 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street and making the southeasterly corner of Corey park, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Corey park; easterly by a passageway; southerly by an estate of the said Thomas M. Smith, and westerly by Corey street, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Salvino and Theresa Zarella—Buildings and about 1,286 feet of land on the northerly side of Chelsea street, numbered 113 and 113A, between an estate of Hyman Miller and an estate of Annie E. Williams heirs or devisees, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1316, tax for 1923.....	158 08
Also buildings and about 630 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gray street, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Patrick O'Riorden heirs or devisees, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	5 97	Also about 2,738 feet of land on the northerly side of Corey park, formerly Crimmin place, numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4, making the northeasterly corner of Corey street, adjoining an estate of Neil Doherty heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	29 64	WARD FIVE.	
Sarah M. Pickering—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Common street, numbered 10, making the westerly corner of Park street, adjoining another estate of said Pickering, tax for 1923.....	71 63	Peter Snyder—Buildings and about 2,544 feet of land on the southerly side of Wapping street, numbered 19, 19A, 21 and 23, between an estate of Patrick O'Riorden heirs and an estate of Mary R. Briney, tax for 1923.....	123 50	William H. Agey, Trustee—Buildings and about 881 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wendell street, numbered 38, between an estate of Hannah Quinn heirs or devisees and an estate of Albert R. Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....	\$419 90
Also buildings and about 1,423 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Common street, numbered 9, adjoining another estate of said Pickering and an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	81 51	Also buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 10 and 12, between an estate of American Trust Company and an estate of Rebecca Cohen and another, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Samuel Altman—Buildings and about 2,111 feet of land on the northerly side of Broadway, numbered 226, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 902 and 908 Washington street, adjoining an estate of George Boggie and another, tax for 1923.....	1,393 08
Domenico Pullaro—Buildings and about 750 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hudson street, numbered 18, making the northerly corner of a		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 52	Bertha E. Arseno—Buildings and about 921 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 3, between an estate of Mary G. Adams, and an estate of Kevin Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	69 16
		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 00	Samuel Arvedon—Buildings and about 1,766 feet of land on the southerly side of Wiget street, numbered 4, 6 and 8, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 88 and 90 Salem street, adjoining an estate of Mile Barren, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12880, tax for 1923.....	958 36
		Also buildings and about 5,080 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 79, 79A and 79 rear, between an estate of James S. Duval and an estate of Kate Hickey, tax for 1923.....	69 16	Carlo, Augustino and Vincenzo Bacigalupo—Buildings and about 451 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chambers street, numbered 205, making the easterly corner of Barton street, adjoining an estate of Rosie Osterow, tax for 1923.....	64 22
		Snyders Naval Outfitters, Inc.—Buildings and about 5,063 feet of land on		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	2 79
				Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc.—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Leverett street, numbered 38, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Hyman Green and another, tax for 1923.....	345 80

Ida Blander—Buildings and about 1,178 feet of land on the easterly side of Hudson street, numbered 126, between an estate of Anna M. Brickley and others and an estate of Mary H. Fern, tax for 1923.....	88 92		
Arno M. Bommer—Buildings and about 738 feet of land on the southerly side of Morton street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Bommer and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Also buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 59 and 61, making the easterly corner of and numbered 25 Morton street, adjoining an estate of Marks I. Cohen, tax for 1923.....	144 60		
Boston Construction Company—Buildings and about 3,207 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington street, numbered 864, 866 and 868, making the northeasterly corner of Oak street, adjoining an estate of George S. Winslow and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....		\$1,830 27	
Paid on account.....		850 00	
Balance due.....	980 27		
Anna M., Florence T. and Margaret Brickley—Buildings and about 1,414 feet of land on the easterly side of Hudson street, numbered 132, between an estate of Ida Blander and an estate of George A. Boussard and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Annie Bronstein—Buildings and about 2,466 feet of land on the easterly side of Norman street, numbered 49, 51 and 53, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 140A, 140C and 142 Merrimac street, adjoining an estate of Rachael Yanofsky, tax for 1923.....		\$1,089 27	
Paid on account.....		500 00	
Balance due.....	589 27		
Herman and Zlata Bucks—Buildings and about 958 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Barton street, numbered 74, making the easterly corner of Milton street, adjoining an estate of Norton F. Ginsberg, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Thomas J. Burke—Buildings and about 1,304 feet of land on the easterly side of India square, numbered 3 and 5, at junction of and numbered 5, 7 and 9 Storer street, between an estate of Amasa Stetson heirs or devisees and Rufus A. Thayer and an estate of Louis R. Spinney, tax for 1923.....	666 90		
Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, trustees will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 650 feet of land on the northerly side of Curve street, numbered 41, between another estate of said Butler and another, trustees, and an estate of Joseph Emmeo, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Also buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the northerly side of Curve street, numbered 39, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 142 and 144 Hudson street, adjoining another estate of said Butler and another trustees, tax for 1923.....	128 44		
Also buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the southwest side of Harvard street, numbered 25, 25A, 25 rear and 27, between an estate of Bernard A. McMahon and another estate of said Butler and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	256 88		
Also buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the southwest side of Harvard street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Butler and another, trustees, and an estate of Taumus Simeon Towk, tax for 1923.....	158 08		
Luigi Caini—Buildings and about 949 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Unity street, numbered 18, between an estate of Pietro Folinos and an estate of Maddaleno Manfra and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6496, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Alphonse Cangiano—Buildings and about 2,099 feet of land on the southerly side of Cooper street, numbered 12, 14 and 16, making the southeasterly corner of Bartlett place, adjoining an estate of Michael Soldani, tax for 1923.....	778 05		
Kevie Carmen and Ira W. Shapiro, trustees of Carmen Realty Trust—Buildings and about 2,667 feet of land on the westerly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 257, 259, 261 and 263, making the northwesterly corner of Noanet street, adjoining another estate of said Kevie Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	543 40		
Also buildings and about 8,988 feet of land on the northerly side of Noanet street, numbered 12, 13 and 14, between two other estates of said Car-			
men and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....		\$1,062 10	
Paid on account.....		696 54	
Balance due.....	365 56		
Also buildings and about 980 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 1, between an estate of Boston Elevated Railway Company and an estate of Gregory Adams and another, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
Also buildings and about 922 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 4, between an estate of Bertha E. Arseno and another estate of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	69 16		
Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	59 28		
Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 9, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	59 28		
Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	59 28		
Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 10 and 11, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 267 Harrison avenue, adjoining another estate of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Kevie Carmen, Ira W. Spapira and Thomas Nutile, Trustees of the Commercial Building Trust—Buildings and about 2,775 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Henchman street, numbered 14 and 16, extending through to Goodridge alley, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Giuseppe Grande and others, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12587, tax for 1923.....	691 60		
Also buildings and about 5,404 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prince street, numbered 91, 91A and 93, extending through to and numbered 6 Cleveland place, between an estate of Consiglia Giarla and an estate of Giovannia Angiulo, tax for 1923.....	1,654 90		
Also buildings and about 1,601 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Salem street, numbered 152, between an estate of Angelo Ciampa and another and an estate of Tommaso Sorrentina, tax for 1923.....	494 00		
Also buildings and about 723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thacher court, at end, numbered 15, adjoining an estate of James Costanza and another, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Frances Cataldo—Buildings and about 1,387 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Salem street, numbered 167, 169 and 171, making the southerly corner of and numbered 48 North Bennet street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Gioacchino and Graziella Nardone, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12707, tax for 1923.....	642 20		
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 63, between an estate of William Williams and an estate of Louise F. Sinclair, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Also buildings and about 710 feet of land on the northerly side of Hanover avenue, numbered 22 and 22A, between an estate of Charles A. Gillespie and an estate of P. Robert Green and others, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
William Chang—Buildings and about 1,440 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tyler street, numbered 10, between an estate of Henry C. Thacher heirs or devisees and an estate of Chew Park and others, tax for 1923.....	251 94		
Bridget Clougherty—About 408 feet of land on the southerly side of Commercial street, formerly numbered 534 Commercial street and 6 Copp's Hill terrace, making the southwesterly corner of Copp's Hill terrace, adjoining an estate of Allesandro Martino, tax for 1923.....			31 58
Samuel Cohen—Buildings and about 1,260 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brighton street, numbered 124, between an estate of Sophia Gateman and an estate of Rebecca Benson, tax for 1923.....		\$271 70	
Paid on account.....		100 00	
Balance due.....		171 70	
William B. Cohen—Buildings and about 6,853 square feet of land on the northeasterly side of Merrimac street, numbered 139-143, making the easterly corner of and numbered 145-149 Staniford street, and making the south-easterly corner of and numbered 49 Causeway street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Murich Judd, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15959, tax for 1923.....		4,322 50	
Domenico and Ansilia Cristiano—Buildings and about 1,245 square feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 391 and 393, making the southeasterly corner of Clark street, adjoining an estate of Joseph A. Langone, tax for 1923.....		741 00	
Robert B. Crocker—Buildings and about 7,338 square feet of land on the southerly side of Lincoln street, numbered 210, 212, 214 and 216, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 144 Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Harry M. Aldrich, tax for 1923.....		\$12,740 26	
Paid on account.....		10,000 00	
Balance due.....		2,740 26	
Carminella D'Ambrosio—Buildings and about 1,082 square feet of land on the northeasterly side of Strat street, numbered 5, between an estate of Cleonice De Ieso and others and an estate of Pasquale Rosetto, tax for 1923.....		106 21	
Also buildings and about 1,933 feet of land on the westerly side of Margaret street, numbered 12, 12A and 14, between an estate of Arazio Bevilacqua and an estate of Tomaso Sacco, tax for 1923.....		432 25	
Algerino De Angelis—Buildings and about 2,308 feet of land on the northerly side of Charter street, numbered 95 and 97, between an estate of Filipo Dimattia and an estate of Mary T. Grennan, tax for 1923.....		335 92	
Mary M. Deraney, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tyler street, numbered 109, between an estate of Sarkis N. Leshner and an estate of Summerfield Company, tax for 1923,.....		118 56	
Joseph A. De Simone and Michael C. Belluci, Trustees, one half, and Ralph Jannini, one half—Buildings and about 3,780 feet of land on the westerly side of North street, numbered 278, 280 rear, 282 and 284, between an estate of Bessie Burgillo and another and an estate of Teresa Marotta, tax for 1922.....		716 30	
Tax for 1923.....		716 30	
Andrea DiPietro—Buildings and about 6,525 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 122, 124, 426 and 428, making the northwesterly and southwesterly corners of and numbered 3 and 4 Fountain place, tax for 1921.....		1,746 29	
Tax for 1922.....		1,877 20	
Also buildings and about 964 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 404, making the westerly corner of Holden court, tax for 1921.....		256 88	
Tax for 1922.....		256 88	
Also buildings and about 845 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....		133 38	
Tax for 1922.....		133 38	
Also buildings and about 720 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 4, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....		98 80	
Tax for 1922.....		98 80	
Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 3, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....		148 20	
Tax for 1922.....		148 20	
Also about 1,035 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Holden court, numbered 2, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....		160 55	
Tax for 1922.....		160 55	

Also buildings and about 810 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Holden court, numbered 1, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	135 85		Also buildings and about 1,330 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Willard street, numbered 19, between an estate of Sarah L. Hootstein and an estate of Benjamin Freedman and others, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Hannah Greenhood—Buildings and about 400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chapel place, numbered 4, between an estate of Theodore E. Clark and an estate of Catherine Farley, tax for 1923.....	140 79
Tax for 1922.....	135 85		Also buildings and about 1,324 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Willard street, numbered 23, between an estate of Sarah L. Hootstein and an estate of Boston Elevated Railway Company, tax for 1923.....	209 95	Mary A. Harnedy—Buildings and about 3,775 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 193 and 195, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 1 Blossom street, adjoining an estate of Mary Meltzer and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13949, tax for 1923.....	758 29
Also buildings and about 821 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 402, making the southerly corner of Holden court, adjoining another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	222 30		Domenico Florio—Buildings and about 1,402 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Fulton street, numbered 77 and 79, between an estate of Paul B. Watson and others, trustees, and an estate of Charles A. Pastene and another, tax for 1923.....	869 44	David I. Herman—Buildings and about 2,899 feet of land on the southerly side of Merrimac street, numbered 128 and 134, between an estate of Rachel Yanofsky and an estate of H. Traiser & Co., Inc., registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13696, tax for 1923.....	1,331 33
Tax for 1922.....	222 30		Annie C. Foppiano—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Endicott street, numbered 158 and 158A, making the westerly corner of and numbered 23 and 25 Thacher street, adjoining an estate of Amelia A. Scigliano, tax for 1923.....	\$301 34	Edward J. Hickey and John J. Ahern, Trustees—Buildings and about 2,038 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Friend street, numbered 232 and 234, between an estate of New England Trust Company, trustee, and an estate of Edward J. and Mary E. Butler, trustees, tax for 1923.....	913 90
Also buildings and about 1,765 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 416, 418 and 420, between an estate of Andrea DiPietro and another and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	528 58		Paid on account.....	150 00	Mary G. Hirschberg—Buildings and about 511 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Staniford street, numbered 122, extending through and numbered 14 Prospect street, between an estate of Donald Stahl and an estate of Evelyn Lamprey, tax for 1923.....	202 54
Tax for 1922.....	605 15		Balance due.....	151 34	Also buildings and about 979 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Staniford street, numbered 124 and 126, making the westerly corner of South Margin street, adjoining another estate of said Hirschberg, tax for 1923.....	543 40
Also buildings and about 972 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Leverett street, numbered 148 and 150, between an estate of Ralph F. Russell and an estate of Samuel A. Levenson, tax for 1922.....	296 40		Robert H. Ford—Buildings and about 603 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington Street North, numbered 163, between an estate of M. Louisa Hughes and an estate of John J. Bench, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Ida M. Hodsdon—About 800 feet of land on the southerly side of Curve street, making the southwesterly corner of Albany street, adjoining an estate of Frederick W. Rogers, trustee, tax for 1923.....	59 28
Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 406 to 418 (inclusive), between another estate of said DiPietro and an estate of Andrea DiPietro, tax for 1922.....	716 30		Leah Franklin—Buildings and about 1,026 feet of land on the southerly side of Parkman street, numbered 12, between an estate of Abram Krasousky and an estate of Jennie Levine, tax for 1922.....	185 25	Also buildings and about 844 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lewis street, numbered 52, making the easterly corner of and numbered 15 and 17 Moon street, adjoining an estate of Angiolina Galasso, tax for 1923.....	197 60
Also buildings and about 1,687 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 479 to 483 (inclusive), between another estate of said DiPietro and an estate of Ann Louise Hatfield heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....	486 59		Tax for 1923.....	185 25	Janet Hollander—Buildings and about 2,012 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 41A and 43, between another estate of said Hollander and an estate of Sarah Greenstein, tax for 1923.....	345 80
Also buildings and about 1,517 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 491-495 inclusive, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1922.....	395 20		Arthur P. French, Trustee under will of Harriet Hallett—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Commercial street, numbered 206 and 208, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 1 and 11 Lewis street, adjoining an estate of Harry H. Ham and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	716 30	Hyman Hootstein—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom street, numbered 63, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 38 and 38A Allen street, adjoining an estate of Ida Levenson, tax for 1923.....	370 50
Also buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 485-489 inclusive, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1922.....	526 11		Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,271 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pitts street, numbered 26, between an estate of Mary C. Howard and an estate of Albert Brown heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 27
Also buildings and about 935 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 497 and 499, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 420 Commercial street, adjoining another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1922.....	444 60		Mathilda Friedman—Buildings and about 703 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Billerica street, numbered 59, between an estate of Louis Isenberg and an estate of Francis J. Howard, trustee, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Philomena Ianniello—Buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southerly side of Noyes place, numbered 7, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Carlo Demarco and another, tax for 1923.....	88 92
Andrea and Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 1,780 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 408, between another estate of said DiPietro and another and an estate of Giuseppe Farziale, tax for 1923.....	654 55		Marcellina Gentile—Buildings and about 1,830 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Salem street, numbered 153 and 158A, between an estate of Generoso DeStefano and others and an estate of Rosina R. Petraglia, tax for 1923.....	\$753 35	Insurance Building Corporation—Buildings and about 25,960 feet of land on the southwesterly side of India street, numbered 11, making the southerly corner of and numbered 52 and 52A Central street, adjoining an estate of William J. Stober, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15450, tax for 1923.....	28,857 01
Anna F. Doherty—Buildings and about 1,065 feet of land on the northerly side of Thacher street, numbered 33 and 35, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 95 and 97 Washington Street North, adjoining an estate of Giovanni Lepore, tax for 1923.....	444 60		Paid on account.....	200 00	Bella Isenberg and David, Maurice M., Meyer and Hyman M. Goldstein—Buildings and about 1,195 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Salem street, numbered 65, between an estate of Davis Krokyn and an estate of Jacob S. Heller, tax for 1923.....	\$508 82
Rachel Emanuel—Buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, numbered 16, making the westerly corner of Public Alley No. 12, adjoining an estate of Jennie Moses, tax for 1923.....	271 70		Balance due.....	553 35	Paid on account.....	258 82
Marion Epstein—Buildings and about 3,012 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brighton street, numbered 78 and 80, between an estate of Louis Levenson and an estate of Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923.....	\$476 71		Ralph Giannato—Buildings and about 1,329 feet of land on the westerly side of North Margin street, numbered 60A, between an estate of Giovanni Catalano and another estate of said Giannato, tax for 1923.....	251 94	Balance due.....	250 00
Paid on account.....	200 00		Max Ginsburg—Buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 151, between an estate of Lottie Harth and an estate of Annie M. Lynch and others, tax for 1923.....	197 60	Gustavus H. Judd—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the northerly side of Merrimac street, formerly numbered 127 and 129, between an estate of Edward W. Hutchins and another, trustees, and an estate of Murch Judd, tax for 1923.....	284 05
Balance due.....	276 71		Albert A. Golden—Buildings and about 2,813 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 179-185, between an estate of Isreal A. Ratshesky and another and an estate of Abraham C. Ratshesky, tax for 1923.....	2,395 90	Murch Judd—About 2,369 feet of land on the northerly side of Merrimac street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estate of Luther W. Puffer; southerly by Merrimac street; easterly by estate of Gustavus H. Judd; westerly by estate of William B. Cohen, tax for 1923.....	644 67
Also buildings and about 1,152 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Minot street, numbered 11, between an estate of Mary Szabza and an estate of Sarah Cohen, tax for 1923.....	\$259 35		Antonio Goncalves—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the southerly side of Harris street, numbered 23, between an estate of Roberto Leverone and an estate of Placido Amaru, tax for 1923.....	187 72		
Paid on account.....	200 00		Annie Goodman—Buildings and about 965 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chambers street, numbered 149, making the easterly corner of and numbered 18 and 20 Ashland street, adjoining an estate of Louis H. Levenson, tax for 1923.....	\$370 50		
Balance due.....	59 35		Paid on account.....	100 00		
Federal Development Company—Buildings and about 5,366 feet of land on the southerly side of Dock square, numbered 24, 24A, 25 and 26, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 20-26 Faneuil Hall square, adjoining an estate of Charles W. Rowell, tax for 1923.....	\$10,497 50		Balance due.....	270 50		
Paid on account.....	5,000 00		Daniel Goodnow—Buildings and about 736 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Portland street, numbered 11 and 11A, between an estate of P. Robert Greene and others and an estate of Suburban Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$543 40		
Balance due.....	5,497 50		Paid on account.....	143 40		
Romolo Ferrara—Buildings and about 891 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom street, numbered 21, between an estate of Frank Collazzo and another and an estate of John C. Taylor, trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$222 30		Balance due.....	400 00		
Paid on account.....	60 00					
Balance due.....	162 30					

Elias Kamber—Buildings and about 780 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennard avenue, numbered 14, between an estate of Bruni Handler and an estate of Clara B. Litchfield, tax for 1923.....	197 60	on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 248, making the westerly corner of Auburn street, adjoining an estate, now or formerly of Lena Krinsky, tax for 1923.....\$370 50 Paid on account.....150 00	joining an estate of Bailie Crovov, tax for 1923.....148 20
Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 921 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 3, between an estate of Mary G. Adams and an estate of George H. Penniman and others, tax for 1922.....	69 16	Balance due.....220 50	Adolph and Max H. Morse—Buildings and about 1,143 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 13, between an estate of Annie Woronoff and an estate of Etta Laibovitz, tax for 1923.....269 23
Knickerbocker Realty Company, Incorporated—Buildings and about 1,754 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cross street, numbered 93 and 95, between another estate of said Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., and an estate of Ralph B. Williams and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	696 54	William F. Lowe—Buildings and about 1,115 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 39, making the northwesterly corner of Allen place, adjoining an estate of Boston Music School Settlement, Inc., tax for 1923.....\$229 71 Paid on account.....107 71	Adolph and Mendel Morse—Buildings and about 1,842 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wall street, numbered 40 and 42, between an estate of Maurice Coron and an estate of Giuseppe and Concetta Valente, tax for 1923.....454 48
Also buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cross street, numbered 89 and 91, between an estate of Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., and another estate of said Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., tax for 1923.....	1,091 74	Balance due.....122 00	Mortgage Indemnity Corporation—Buildings and about 2,743 feet of land on the easterly side of Wharf street, numbered 21, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 44, 45 and 46 India street, adjoining an estate of John Morrissey, tax for 1923,.....1,951 30
Also buildings and about 1,061 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 193 and 195, making the southerly corner of and numbered 85 Cross street, adjoining another estate of said Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., tax for 1923.....	1,195 48	Edward H. Lowell—Buildings and about 58,712 feet of land on the northerly side of Hanover street, at end, between an estate of Quincy Market Cold Storage and Warehouse Company and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....2,106 91	Charles H. and Mary L. Moseley, Trustees under the will of Joseph B. Glover—Buildings and about 1,479 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oliver street, numbered 55 and 57, making the westerly corner of Wendell street, adjoining an estate of Charles W. Sherburne, tax for 1923.....1,506 70
Julius Krinsky—Buildings and about 3,339 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Green street, numbered 35, 37, 39 and 41, between an estate of Minnie Levenson and an estate of Abraham Marcus, tax for 1923.....	424 84	Guisepppe and Michelangelo Maravigna—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southerly side of North street, numbered 209, 211 and 213, between an estate of Gaetano LaMarca and an estate of Giovanni Bellizia and another, tax for 1923.....864 50	William P. Murray—Buildings and about 1,270 feet of land on the northerly side of State street, numbered 178 and 180, extending through to Commerce street between an estate of Fifty Associates and an estate of Luke W. Towle, tax for 1922.....1,605 50
Also buildings and about 1,862 feet of land on the westerly side of Staniford street, numbered 36 and 36A, between an estate of Annie Ziskind and an estate of said Krinsky, tax for 1923.....	494 00	Christopher P. McCaffrey—Buildings and about 901 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Harvard street, numbered 72, between an estate of John C. L. Dowling and an estate of Michael Solomon, tax for 1923.....135 85	Ralph E. Nowell—Buildings and about 2,132 feet of land on the easterly side of Leverett street, numbered 5, 5A, 5B and 7, between an estate of Elisha F. Ames heirs and an estate of Julius Robbins, tax for 1923.....652 08
Also buildings and about 1,863 feet of land on the westerly side of Staniford street, numbered 38 and 38A, between another estate of said Krinsky and an estate of John Spalvaro, tax for 1923.....	494 00	Maria and Pantaleone Mercurio, one half each—Buildings and about 1,655 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 175, 177 and 179, extending through to and making the westerly corner of North Margin street, adjoining another estate of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923.....489 06	Chester J. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northerly side of State street, numbered 150 and 152, between an estate of William J. McDonald and others and an estate of Alfred Hemenway and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....2,223 00
Gaetano LaMarca—Buildings and about 3,665 feet of land on the southerly side of North street, numbered 199, 201 and 207, between an estate of George A. Richards and an estate of Guisepppe Maravigno and another, tax for 1923.....	988 00	Also buildings and about 671 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 181, extending through to North Margin street, between two other estates of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923.....172 90	Margaret O'Connell—Buildings and about 743 feet of land on the westerly side of Snow Hill street, numbered 55, making the northwesterly corner of North Hudson street, adjoining an estate of Salvatore Cogliano, tax for 1923.....98 80
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	13 26	Also buildings and about 719 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 183, extending through to North Margin street, between two other estates of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923.....192 66	William C. and John F. O'Kelly—Buildings and about 1,210 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prince street, numbered 9 and 11, making the easterly corner of and numbered 333 and 335 Hanover street, adjoining an estate of Julius Cohen, tax for 1923.....\$913 90 Paid on account.....460 37
Joseph A. Langone, three eighths, Katherine, one eighth, Julia, one eighth, Maria A., one eighth, Lucia, one eighth, and Agostola Vaccaro, one eighth—Buildings and about 409 feet of land on the northerly side of Douglass court, numbered 6, between an estate of Michael Masselli heirs and another and an estate of Michael Langone and another, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Also buildings and about 724 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 185, making the easterly corner of Lafayette avenue, extending through to and making the southerly corner of North Margin street, adjoining another estate of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923.....202 54	Balance due.....453 53
Barack M. and Raymond M. Leasher—Buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hudson street, numbered 133, between another estate of said Leasher and another and an estate of Mary S. J. Sayr, tax for 1923.....\$133 38 Paid on account.....50 00	83 38	Carmine Montuori—Buildings and about 5,344 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 432, 434, 440, 442 and 444, between an estate of Savarese & Co., and an estate of Vincenzo Nitilo, tax for 1923.....\$1,976 00 Paid on account.....400 00	Owner or Owners Unknown—About 1,412 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Creek square in the rear of and adjoining an estate of George N. Black, tax for 1923.....417 43
Balance due.....	29 03	Balance due.....1,576 00	Alice B. Packard—Buildings and about 660 feet of land on the easterly side of Snow Hill street, numbered 9, between an estate of Arcangelo Cataldo and an estate of Michele Casoli and another, tax for 1923.....88 92
Also buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hudson street, numbered 135, between another estate of said Leasher and another and an estate of George A. Bousard, tax for 1923.....\$121 03 Paid on account.....25 00	68 86	Balance due.....	Sadie W. Peckerman—Buildings and about 1,023 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 49, between an estate of David Cohen and an estate of Wolf Davis and another, tax for 1923.....195 13
Balance due.....	96 03	Balance due.....72 90	Etta Permuth—Buildings and about 660 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 37, between an estate of Philip Mendelsohn, and an estate of Jacob L. Green and another, tax for 1923.....209 95
Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Oak street, numbered 87, between an estate of Minnie L. Hildebrand and an estate of Asia K. Aboozbeeb, tax for 1923.....\$93 86 Paid on account.....25 00	291 46	Mendel Morse—Buildings and about 1,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 23, extending through to and numbered 2 Ransom court, between an estate of Mendel Morse and an estate of Guisepppe Borriello and another, tax for 1923.....296 40	Samuel Fitchel—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 154, between an estate of Harry Isaacson and another and an estate of Fannie Tarlinsky, tax for 1923.....222 30
Balance due.....	219 83	Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 29 and 31, between an estate of said Morse and an estate of Israel Berman, tax for 1923.....180 31	Jacob and Fannie Pollack—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Barton street, numbered 47, between an estate of Agnes T. Flood and an estate of Max Uroff, tax for 1923.....148 20
Kate Lerner—Buildings and about 1,457 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 69, between an estate of Hyman Brown and another and an estate of Joseph Fisher, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12664, tax for 1923.....	9 90	Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 27, between an estate of said Morse and an estate of said Morse, tax for 1923.....180 31	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....4 02
Also buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 125, between an estate of Fannie Kramer and an estate of Victor H. and Eli H. Tarlin, trustees, tax for 1923.....		Also buildings and about 1,080 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 47, between an estate of Sebastino Buccieri and another and an estate of Julius Gloriosa, tax for 1923.....205 01	George A. Richards—Buildings and about 220 feet of land on the southerly side of North street, numbered 197, making the southeasterly corner of Jasper place, adjoining an estate of Gaetano LaMarca, tax for 1923.....79 04
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		Also buildings and about 616 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 9, making the westerly corner of Cushman avenue, adjoining an estate of Bailie Crovov, tax for 1923.....247 00	Rose R. Robinson—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northerly side of McLean street, numbered 27, between an estate of Levy Itchovitz and an estate of Rubin Spigel, tax for 1923.....
Joseph Lifand and Leah Shraier—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land			

Josephine S. Romano—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moon street, numbered 14, between an estate of Marciano D'Amelio and others and an estate of William E. Collins and others, tax for 1923.....	229 71		
Jacob Rosenberg—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 37, making the northwesterly corner of Allen court, adjoining an estate of Joshua Bennett heirs, tax for 1923.....	175 37		
Myer Rosenblatt—Buildings and about 1,146 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chambers street, numbered 177, between an estate of William A. Dunn and an estate of Judith Levenson, tax for 1923.....	229 71		
Bertha Ross—Buildings and about 1,683 feet of land on the easterly side of Chambers street, numbered 7, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Cyrus Sargeant, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3882, tax for 1923....	444 60		
Frank Rubolino and Salvatore Solimine—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Salem street, numbered 174, between an estate of Luigi Perriello and an estate of Florinda Bevilacqua, tax for 1923.....		\$382 85	
Paid on account.....		191 45	
Balance due.....	191 40		
Harry Sachs—Buildings and about 1,462 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 89 and 91, extending through to and numbered 8 Ransom court, between an estate of Lena Glassman and an estate of Simon Barnard, tax for 1923.....	365 56		
Agnes Salerno—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Unity court, numbered 20, between an estate of James Cavanaugh and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, Junior, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 92		
Sang Bohn and Yee Hing Foo one half each—Buildings and about 3,483 feet of land on the easterly side of Oxford street, numbered 34 and 36, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 60 and 62 Beach street, extending through to and numbered 15 Oliver place, adjoining an estate of David Collins heirs or devisees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14577, tax for 1923.....	995 41		
Filippo and Concetta Sardo—Buildings and about 242 feet of land on the southerly side of Commercial street, numbered 540 and 542, between another estate of said Sardo and another and an estate of Alessandro Martino, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Jacob Schwartz—Buildings and about 1,684 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 23, between an estate of Jacob Schwartz and another and an estate of Tillie Sherman, tax for 1923.....		\$419 90	
Paid on account.....		200 00	
Balance due.....	219 90		
Jacob and Minnie Schwartz, joint tenants—Buildings and about 1,690 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 25, between an estate of Jacob Schwartz and an estate of Minnie Krwitsky, tax for 1923.....		\$419 90	
Paid on account.....		250 00	
Balance due.....	169 90		
Mary A. Sears—About 603 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom court, formerly numbered 11, between an estate of John F. Howard and others and an estate of Hannah E. Riordan, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Michael Seretto—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Stanford street, numbered 25 and 27, making a southeasterly corner of and numbered 52, 54 and 56 Green street, adjoining another estate of said Seretto, tax for 1923.....	518 70		
Also buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the easterly side of Stanford street, numbered 23, between two other estates of said Seretto (numbered 21 and 25), tax for 1923.....	461 89		
Also buildings and about 1,430 feet of land on the easterly side of Stanford street, numbered 21, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway and extending through to and numbered 50 Green street, adjoining another estate of said Seretto (numbered 23), tax for 1923.....	432 25		
Arthur I. Shain—Buildings and about 1,786 feet of land on the easterly side of Chambers street, numbered 49, between an estate of Esther Robbins			
and an estate of Cosino Mascari, tax for 1923.....	523 64		
Jacob Short—Buildings and about 2,049 feet of land on the westerly side of North Russell street, numbered 34A, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Wolf Zimmerman and another, tax for 1923.....	141 60		
Also buildings and about 2,004 feet of land on the westerly side of North Russell street, numbered 34B, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Max Gruber, tax for 1923.....	141 60		
Leah Shraiar and Joseph Lifland—Buildings and about 1,975 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Poplar street, numbered 85, between an estate of Sarah Horowitz and an estate of Celia Shapiro, tax for 1923.....		\$321 10	
Paid on account.....		150 00	
Balance due.....	171 10		
Louise F. Sinclair—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 61 and 61A, making the westerly corner of a passageway running through to north-easterly side of Wall street, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Louis Skliarsky—Buildings and about 857 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 130, between another estate of said Skliarsky and an estate of Harry Leshevsky, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Also buildings and about 976 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 134, between an estate of Victor H. Tarlin and another, trustees, and another estate of said Skliarsky, tax for 1923, Julia E. Sonnabend—About 1,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mechanic street (numbered formerly 7), between an estate of Charles F. Adams, 2d and others, trustees and another estate of said Sonnabend, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Also buildings and about 3,314 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mechanic street, numbered 9 and 10, between another estate of said Sonnabend, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Also buildings and about 1,364 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 213, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Solomon Myers, tax for 1923.....	494 00		
Rebecca Sonnabend—Buildings and about 4,407 feet of land on the southerly side of Commercial street, numbered 440-448 (inclusive), making the southwesterly corner of Greenough lane, adjoining an estate of Pasquale Rosetti, tax for 1923.....	1,096 68		
Joseph Stanetsky—Buildings and about 1,680 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington Street North, numbered 55, extending through to Lynn street, between an estate of Russell and Edith Bradford and an estate of Leet W. Bissell, trustees, tax for 1922.....	1,482 00		
Tax for 1923.....	728 65		
728 65			
Bernard Stanetsky—Buildings and about 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington Street North, numbered 44, between an estate of E. Sohler Welch and others, trustees, and an estate of Paul B. Watson and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	802 75		
Jennie D. Steuer—Buildings and about 1,121 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brighton street, numbered 81, between an estate of David Manco-vitz and another estate of said Jennie D. Steuer, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Also buildings and about 1,121 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brighton street, numbered 79, between another estate of said Steuer and an estate of Barnet Balin, tax for 1923.....	190 19		
William J. Stober—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of India street, numbered 12 and 13, between two estates of Insurance Building Corporation, tax for 1923....	891 67		
Also buildings and about 5,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Broad street, numbered 78, 78A, 80 and 82, making the northwesterly corner of Franklin street adjoining an estate of Daniel G. Finnerty and others, tax for 1923.....	4,174 30		
Also buildings and about 880 feet of land on the northerly side of Broad street, numbered 54 and 56, between an estate of Harry H. Hubbard and an estate of Charles F. Adams, 2d, and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	839 80		
Also buildings and about 3,541 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oliver street, numbered 110-118, making the easterly corner of and numbered 157 and 159 High street,			
adjoining an estate of Ray C. Johnson, tax for 1923.....			3,112 20
Also buildings and about 3,334 feet of land on the easterly side of Federal street, numbered 32-36, extending through to and numbered 131-135 Congress street, between an estate of William H. Agry, trustee, and an estate of Henry H. Gilman and another, tax for 1923.....			5,187 00
Meyer Stoler—Buildings and about 1,187 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Auburn street, numbered 16, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Jacob Weinerman, tax for 1923.....			247 00
Dominico Tamasi—Buildings and about 2,312 feet of land on the northerly side of Clark street, numbered 32, 34 and 36, between an estate of Placido Awarn and an estate of Leonardo Squillacioti, tax for 1923.....			676 78
Gilman Tyng—Buildings and about 1,990 feet of land on the easterly side of Stanford street, numbered 3, between an estate of Marietta C. Wright and an estate of Frank and Domenico Imbroglia, tax for 1923.....		\$249 47	
Paid on account.....		200 00	
Balance due.....		49 47	
Also buildings and about 1,205 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Causeway street, numbered 34 and 36, between an estate of Ida Shapiro and an estate of Richard Morrison devisees, tax for 1923.....		\$506 35	
Paid on account.....		300 00	
Balance due.....		206 35	
Max Uroff, reassessed from John C. Taylor, Trustee—Buildings and about 918 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom street, numbered 23, between an estate of Harrey W. Meehan and an estate of Romolo Ferrara, tax for 1923.....			185 25
Carmela Vava—Buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the northerly side of Prince street, numbered 3, between an estate of Placido Amaro and an estate of Louisa DiGennaro, tax for 1923.....			247 00
Carmine A. Vava—Buildings and about 990 feet of land on the southerly side of Prince street, numbered 2, between two estates of Antonio A. Solari heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....			370 50
Lillian T. Walsh—Buildings and about 2,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Haymarket square, numbered 7 and 8, between an estate of Robert H. Gardiner et al., trustee, and an estate of Louville V. Niles, tax for 1923.....		\$1,235 00	
Paid on account.....		400 00	
Balance due.....		835 00	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....			14 56
E. Sohler Welch, Trustee under deed, Jennie R. Tyler—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the southerly side of State street, numbered 105, extending through to and numbered 26 Doane street, adjoining an estate of Richards M. Bradley and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....		\$3,458 00	
Paid on account.....		3,087 50	
Balance due.....		370 50	
Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wall street numbered 30, between an estate of United Congregation Beth Jacob and an estate of Mendall Morse, tax for 1923.....			121 03
William Williams—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 221 and 223, between an estate of Daniel McLaughlin and another and an estate of St. Elizabeth's Hospital of Boston, tax for 1923.....			370 50
Wing Chin She—Buildings and about 1,076 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tyler street, numbered 67, adjoining another estate of said Wing, tax for 1923.....			217 36
Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard street, numbered 53 and 531, making the westerly corner of Tyler street, adjoining an estate of John George, tax for 1923.....			217 36
Esther Wolf and Sarah Sontag—Buildings and about 1,485 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fulton street, numbered 112 and 114, between an estate of John H. Lyons and an estate of Benjamin Rogolsky and another, tax for 1923.....			543 40
Francesco Yulla—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southerly side of Endicott court, numbered 6, between an estate of Carmelo Cirino and an estate of Francisco and Angelina Yulla, tax for 1923.....			34 58

Francesco and Virginia Yulla—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southerly side of Endicott court, numbered 8, between an estate of Francesco Yulla and an estate of Edward E. Blodgett and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....

27 17

Also buildings and about 918 feet of land on the westerly side of Endicott street, numbered 164, between an estate of Giovanni Lepore and another estate of said Yulla and another, tax for 1923.....

276 64

Also buildings and about 1,491 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prince street, numbered 138, making the southerly corner of LaFayette avenue, adjoining an estate of Salvatore Bruno, tax for 1923.....

328 51

Max and Dora Zurman—Buildings and about 1,585 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 297 and 299, between an estate of James F. Ellis and an estate of Max Zurman, tax for 1922.....

419 90

Tax for 1923.....

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Goldie Adler—Buildings and about 2,346 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, between an estate of Harris Goldman and an estate of Bernard Steuer and another, tax for 1923.....

Paid on account.....

Balance due.....

50 00

Edgar P. Benjamin (Marion F. Gage, supposed present owner)—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Canton street, numbered 9, between an estate of Joseph O'Kane and an estate of Joseph F. Mellor, tax for 1923.....

113 62

Samuel Berkman—Buildings and about 871 feet of land on the northerly side of Wilkes street, numbered 4, between another estate of said Berkman and an estate of Robert Spitzer and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4146, tax for 1923.....

56 81

Also buildings and about 871 feet of land on the northerly side of Wilkes street, numbered 3, between another estate of said Berkman and an estate of Blazev Slobinsky and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4146, tax for 1923.....

56 81

Minnie C. Bishop—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ryan street, numbered 27, between an estate of Mary A. McLaughlin and another (numbered 25) and an estate of William D. Sohler, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Alma G. Bowen—Buildings and about 1,266 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ivanhoe street, numbered 12 and 14, making the southerly corner of Fabin street, adjoining an estate of John W. Jones (numbered 125 and 127 West Canton street), tax for 1922.....

41 99

Grace Hyde Bradley—Buildings and about 1,819 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Concord street, numbered 129, between an estate of Jacob Long and an estate of Mattie Hamilton, tax for 1923.....

128 44

Also buildings and about 1,346 feet of land on the northerly side of Dwight street, numbered 43, between an estate of James Scott heirs and an estate of William W. Campbell, tax for 1923.....

163 02

Thomas Buckley—Buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Newton street, numbered 68, between an estate of James Gordon and an estate of Minnie E. Dallen, tax for 1923.....

Paid on account.....

Balance due.....

56 21

Peter T. Callahan, Margaret Thompson, Mary Gehue, Catherine Sughrue, Annie Cross, Helen Keenan and John Joseph Callahan (reassessed from Annie M. Kelley)—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 36, making the southerly corner of Ryan street, adjoining an estate of Max Werbalski, tax for 1922.....

44 46

Peter T. Callahan, Margaret Thompson, Mary Gehue, Helen Keenan and John Joseph Callahan—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 36, making the southerly corner of Ryan street, adjoining an estate of Max Werbalski, tax for 1923.....

24 70

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 66 and 68, between an estate of Charles F. Bates heirs and an estate

of Epriam Lissner heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....

93 86

Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Trumbull street, numbered 2, between an estate of Joseph O. Hobbs heirs, numbered 4 and an estate of Harris Frank, tax for 1923.....

22 23

Robert S. Clisby—Buildings and about 728 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stevens street, numbered 3, between an estate of Helen L. Lincoln and an estate of George R. Blinn, trustee, tax for 1923.....

61 75

Jacob Cohen—Buildings and about 1,187 feet of land on the westerly side of Emerald street, numbered 28 and 28A, between another estate of said Cohen and an estate of Benjamin C. Cromwell, tax for 1923.....

Paid on account.....

Balance due.....

94 50

Also buildings and about 1,189 feet of land on the westerly side of Emerald street, numbered 30, between another estate of said Cohen and an estate of Minnie Pearlman, tax for 1923.....

Paid on account.....

Balance due.....

92 03

Gertrude N. Cole—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Dedham street, numbered 24, between an estate of Mary A. Tighe and an estate of Gertrude B. Pollard and others, tax for 1923.....

118 56

Ellen N. Cummings—Buildings and about 1,062 feet of land on the southerly side of Bond street, numbered 17, making the southeasterly corner of Hanson street, adjoining an estate of Joseph W. Phelan and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....

116 09

Michael M. Cuniff—Buildings and about 2,363 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 545, 547, 549 and 551, making the northerly corner of and numbered 1 and 3 Waltham street, adjoining an estate of Horace W. Baxter and Agnes E. Bigelow, trustees, tax for 1922.....

315 80

Katerina Dadourian—Buildings and about 1,144 feet of land on the westerly side of Village street, numbered 41, between an estate of Gussie Wapner and an estate of Maurice Murphy, tax for 1923.....

69 16

Rose S. Daley—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Dedham street, numbered 58, between an estate of Benjamin E. Van Ness and an estate of Alma G. Bowen, tax for 1923.....

51 87

Mary M. Deraney—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, numbered 37, between an estate of Sarah J. Regan and an estate of Agnes M. Cronin, tax for 1923.....

61 75

Also buildings and about 1,611 feet of land on the southerly side of Norwich street, numbered 17, between an estate of Charles Milkey and another and an estate of Najieb N. Meshaka, tax for 1923.....

41 99

Also buildings and about 2,730 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 1490, making the easterly corner of and numbered 2 East Canton street, adjoining an estate of Flora Leverone, tax for 1923.....

264 29

John A. DiPesa, Trustee—Buildings and about 6,110 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Concord street, numbered 68, making the westerly corner of and numbered 1641, 1643 and 1645 Washington street, extending to and making the southerly corner of Deacon street, adjoining an estate of Robert T. Paine, tax for 1923.....

Paid on account.....

Balance due.....

1,229 00

Mary A. Dracousis—Buildings and about 1,473 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Trumbull street, numbered 262 and 264, between an estate of Emma K. Shibley and an estate of Joseph Spear, tax for 1923.....

318 63

Empire Manufacturing Company, Massachusetts Corporation—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Malden street, numbered 47, making the westerly corner of and numbered 587, 589, 591 and 595 Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Patrick and Margaret M. Harrington, tax for 1923.....

741 00

Ernest Estes—Buildings and about 670 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 30, making the easterly corner of Ryan street, adjoining an estate of Hannah E. Hobbs, tax for 1923.....

17 29

Also about 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ryan street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said Estes, northeasterly by an estate of City of Boston, southeasterly by an estate of G. Willard Bartlett, and southwesterly by Ryan street, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Mary L. Fish—Buildings and about 1,125 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 56 and 58, between an estate of Michael J. Quigley and others and an estate of Eustina Brown, tax for 1923.....

123 50

Charles A. Fitzpatrick—About 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ryan street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Ryan street, southeasterly by an estate of John J. Comerford, southwesterly by an estate of Annie L. Walsh, and northwesterly by an estate of Samuel Bierch, tax for 1922.....

9 88

Tax for 1923.....

9 88

Catherine J. Flaherty—Buildings and about 2,386 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 700, between an estate of Lizzie J. Allen and an estate of William A. Nazzaro, tax for 1923.....

284 05

Harris Frank—Buildings and about 2,040 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worcester square, numbered 8, between an estate of Jennie MacLeod and an estate of Mirriam M. Thayer, tax for 1923.....

197 60

Ellis L. Gates—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newland street, numbered 25, between two estates of Helen V. Donoghue, tax for 1923.....

24 70

Max Goldman—Buildings and about 950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seneca street, numbered 38, between an estate of Shirkee Haboush and an estate of Israel Strymisk, tax for 1923.....

108 68

Frederick Green—Buildings and about 1,190 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Springfield street, numbered 16, between an estate of Daniel J. Sullivan and an estate of William H. Griffith, tax for 1923.....

96 33

Fannie E. Hatch—Buildings and about 1,596 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sharon street, numbered 28, between an estate of Geza Davidson and an estate of Edward Doherty, tax for 1923.....

37 05

Louis E. and Cora L. Henderson—Buildings and about 975 feet of land on the southerly side of East Brookline street, numbered 37, making the westerly corner of Public Alley No. 710, adjoining an estate of Elias Hook and another, tax for 1923.....

86 45

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

12 95

Edward J. Hickey, Trustee—Buildings and about 686 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 7, between another estate of said Hickey, trustee, and an estate of Nathan Spigel, tax for 1923.....

111 15

Also buildings and about 677 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 9, between an estate of Abraham L. Gordon and another estate of said Hickey, trustee, tax for 1923.....

111 15

Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 5,003 feet of land on the easterly side of Meander street, numbered 17, 19 and 21, between an estate of J. J. Connolly and others and an estate of Josephine M. Hicks, trustee, tax for 1923.....

333 45

Also buildings and about 900 feet of land, on the southwesterly side of Worcester street, numbered 40, making the southerly corner of Newland street, adjoining an estate of Edgar P. Benjamin, tax for 1923.....

113 62

Robert L. Hosmer and George H. Babbitt—Buildings and about 676 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Paul street, numbered 55, between an estate of Elizabeth E. Ruck and an estate of Dora A. Dukes, tax for 1923.....

74 10

James H. Howard—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Norwich street, numbered 14, between an estate of Wilhelmina E. Grennon and an estate of George L. Stratton, trustee, tax for 1923.....

61 75

Charles H. Jennings—Buildings and about 543 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Canton Street court, numbered 4, between an estate of Mary Berry and an estate of William Cataldo and another, tax for 1923.....

14 82

Harold E. Jones—About 1,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Way street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Way street, easterly by an estate of Zelda Greenhood, southerly by an estate of Sarah Harris, westerly by an estate of Zibranza Mackla, tax for 1923.....

54 34

Shahe V. Kastarian—Buildings and about 6,084 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 401, between another estate of said Kastarian and an estate of Elia Hoosepian and others, tax for 1923.....	71 63				
Misak Kazarian—Buildings and about 2,033 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Concord street, numbered 61, making the westerly corner of Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Celia A. Gilson, tax for 1923.....	385 32				
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,053 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ringgold street, numbered 4, between an estate of Minnie Croan and an estate of Clara B. Gould and another, tax for 1923.....	98 80				
Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 808 feet of land on the northerly side of Medford court, numbered 3, between an estate of Blanche Cohen and an estate of John McCarthy heirs, tax for 1923.....	59 28				
Isaac Krasnick—Buildings and about 894 feet of land on the southerly side of Acton street, numbered 6, between an estate of Guiseppe Tortorella and others and an estate of Gaspar Roccaforte and another, tax for 1923.....	66 69				
Joseph A. Cecelia and Elizabeth J. Krim—Buildings and about 992 feet of land on the westerly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 153 and 155, between an estate of Manual Gulesian and another and another estate of said Krim and others, tax for 1923.....	192 66				
Also buildings and about 980 feet of land on the westerly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 157 and 159, between two other estates of said Krim and others, tax for 1923.....	192 66				
Also buildings and about 786 feet of land on the westerly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 161 and 163, between another estate of said Krim and others, and an estate of Sam Simon, tax for 1923.....	138 32				
Sarah Levine—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Decatur street, numbered 11, between an estate of Lena Ascher and an estate of Max and Ethel Weinberg, tax for 1923.....					\$197 60
Paid on account.....					100 00
Balance due.....	97 60				
Frank P. Lyons—Buildings and about 1,421 feet of land on the southerly side of Garland street, numbered 2, making the southwesterly corner of Garland place, adjoining an estate of Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustee, tax for 1923.....	143 26				
Augustus I. Marini—Buildings and about 594 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 83, between another estate of said Marini and an estate of Etta Biliarsky, tax for 1923.....	74 10				
Also buildings and about 645 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 85, making the northwesterly corner of Hingham street, adjoining another estate of said Marini, tax for 1923.....	86 45				
Israel Miller, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seneca street, numbered 16, between an estate of Philip Rosen and an estate of Flora Applestein, tax for 1923.....	158 08				
Bridget Murphy—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worcester street, numbered 35, between an estate of Lester H. Dana and an estate of Arthur H. Damon, trustee, tax for 1923.....					\$167 96
Paid on account.....					140 00
Balance due.....	27 96				
William A. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 704, between an estate of Constance E. Eaton and another estate of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923.....	284 05				
Alma E. Nelson (reassessed from Sarkis Garabedian and another)—Buildings and about 1,266 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ivanhoe street, numbered 12 and 14, making the southerly corner of Fabin street, adjoining an estate of John W. Jones, tax for 1923.....	41 99				
Mary T. O'Donnell (supposed present owner Joseph N. St. Charles and another)—Buildings and about 1,410 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 209 and 211, between an estate of Philip Magnet and another estate of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	251 94				
Also buildings and about 1,409 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 213 and 215, between two other estates of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	244 53				
Also buildings and about 1,410 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 217 and 219, between two other estates of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	244 53				
Also buildings and about 1,408 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 221 and 223, between two other estates of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	244 53				
Also buildings and about 1,455 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 225 and 227, between another estate of said O'Donnell and an estate of Mollie Miller, tax for 1923.....	247 00				
Elizabeth O'Rourke—Buildings and about 1,139 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rutland street, numbered 10, between an estate of George F. Williams and an estate of Clement D'Andria, tax for 1923.....					\$148 20
Paid on account.....					55 00
Balance due.....	93 20				
Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutland street, numbered 11, between an estate of Louis C. Fazolt and an estate of Joseph E. Jadoon and another, tax for 1923.....					\$123 50
Paid on account.....					50 00
Balance due.....	73 50				
William Phillips—Buildings and about 1,269 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Village street, numbered 76, between an estate of Mary L. Sullivan and an estate of Margaret McAlpine, tax for 1923.....					\$190 19
Paid on account.....					150 00
Balance due.....	40 19				
Domenick Robatto—Buildings and about 1,244 feet of land on the southerly side of Asylum street, numbered 6, between an estate of Ida Burg and an estate of Mary Rahal, tax for 1923.....	130 91				
Harlow H. Rogers—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rollins street, numbered 27, making the westerly corner of and numbered 543 Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Michael M. Cumniff, tax for 1923.....	217 36				
Also about 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ryan street, between an estate of James McLaughlin, 2d, devisees of, and an estate of Bernard Doherty heirs or devisees, being lot 28, S. P. Fuller plan, April 3, 1843, on file at assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Louie Schnyder—Buildings and about 1,213 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 339, between an estate of Amello and Lucia Avruzzese and an estate of Boston Industrial Home, tax for 1923.....					\$419 90
Paid on account.....					120 00
Balance due.....	299 90				
Helen G. Sheehan—Buildings and about 1,845 feet of land on the southeasterly side of James street, numbered 8, extending through to Public Alley 710, between an estate of Sophie Kurko and an estate of Lena B. Wade, tax for 1923.....	202 54				
Apportionment of street assessment for 1923.....	17 16				
Philip Shurdut—Buildings and about 600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fabin street, numbered 17, between an estate of Jeremiah Riley heirs or devisees and an estate of Daniel Shannon heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
John K. Simpson—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 437, making the westerly corner of West Newton street, adjoining an estate of Thomas J. Haskin and another, tax for 1923.....	247 00				
Albert C. Smith—Buildings and about 2,640 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Middlesex street, numbered 65 and 67, between an estate of Samuel Litvak and an estate of Max and Jennie Friedman, tax for 1923.....	316 16				
Jennie Spack—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oneida street, numbered 38, between an estate of Onofrio LaScala and another and an estate of Bertha Simons and others, tax for 1923.....					\$150 67
Paid on account.....					100 00
Balance due.....	50 67				
Charles G. Way—About 690 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, formerly numbered 198, making the southerly corner of Broadway, adjoining an estate of James D. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....					96 33
Lillian E. Williams—Buildings and about 3,327 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union Park street, numbered 16, 18, 20 and 24, between an estate of Moses Williams and another, trustees, and an estate of Boston Penny Savings Bank, tax for 1923.....					496 47
William Williams—Buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Troy street, numbered 30 and 34, between an estate of Donald M. Blair, surviving trustee, and an estate of Samuel Berman, tax for 1923.....					217 36
Williams Realty Company—About 1,452 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fabin street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Benjamin E. Van Ness; southeasterly by an estate of William Collier heirs or devisees and others, southwesterly by Fabin street, and northwesterly by an estate of Provident Realty Company, tax for 1922.....					19 76
Tax for 1923.....					19 76
Also about 2,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 503, between an estate of Katherine A. Clark and an estate of Ida A. McGreevey, tax for 1923.....					150 67
Edith B. Woodman—Buildings and about 552 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cumston place, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Edith B. Woodman, tax for 1923.....					54 34
Also buildings and about 552 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cumston place, numbered 1, making the westerly corner of Cumston street, adjoining another estate of said Woodman, tax for 1923.....					56 81
F. A. York Company—Buildings and about 3,880 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, numbered 81, making the southerly corner of Andrew street, adjoining another estate of said F. A. York Company, tax for 1923.....					133 38
Also buildings and about 2,760 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, numbered 83, extending through to Andrews place, between two other estates of said F. A. York Company, tax for 1923.....					79 04
Also about 3,860 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, extending through to Andrews place, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by East Dedham street; southeasterly by another estate of said F. A. York Company, southwesterly by Andrews place, and northwesterly by another estate of said York Company, tax for 1923.....					81 51
Also about 2,346 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, extending through to Andrews place, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by East Dedham street; southeasterly by an estate of Harris Goldman; southwesterly by Andrews place, and northwesterly by another estate of said F. A. York Company, tax for 1923.....					49 40
Also about 2,346 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, extending through to Andrews place, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by East Dedham street, southeasterly by another estate of said F. A. York Company, northwesterly by another estate of said F. A. York Company, and southwesterly by Andrews place, tax for 1923.....					49 40

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William N. Ambler (supposed present owner Edward J. Ball—Buildings and about 3,291 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 84, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of Isaac B. Mills, tax for 1923.....	\$1,185 60
Also buildings and about 3,305 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 86, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of A. Carlan Potter, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1 202 89
William N. Ambler—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 96, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of Henry M. Channing, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,012 70
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 98, between two other estates of said Ambler, tax for 1923.....	1,012 70

Also buildings and about 2,748 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 100, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of Fred H. Williams, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,012 70
Icelen Athans (supposed present owner George H. Raptelis and another)— Buildings and about 1,497 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 20, between an es- tate of Melek Savastano and an estate of James S. Athans, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Ida Batchelor—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Newton street, numbered 215 and 215A, between an estate of Augusta Nelson and an estate of Thomas H. Hinckley, tax for 1923.....	177 84
Idgar P. Benjamin—Buildings and about 6,224 feet of land on the north- easterly side of Wellington street, numbered 29 and 33, making the east- erly corner of Claremont street, ad- joining an estate of L. Stanley Redding and others, trustees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13547, tax for 1923.....	741 00
Ida Berkman—Buildings and about 3,655 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Batavia street, numbered 17, between an estate of Charles F. Tirrell and another, trustees, and an estate of Mary M. Alebord, tax for 1923.....	494 00
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1923.....	17 93
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Com- pany, Trustees under will of William Mixer, Mortgagee in Possession— Buildings and about 1,716 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 588, between an estate of Hannah C. Hutchinson and an estate of William M. Black, tax for 1923.....	259 35
Jessie J. Brown—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southerly side of St. Germain street, numbered 49, between an estate of Charles N. Vance and an estate of Eric Peterson, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55
Paid on account.....	60 55
Balance due.....	100 00
Marcus Brownstein—Buildings and about 4,368 feet of land on the north- easterly side of Westland avenue, numbered 69 and 71, between an estate of Thomas S. Maloof and an- other and an estate of James Howard and another, tax for 1923.....	\$1,185 60
Paid on account.....	1,000 00
Balance due.....	185 60
James M. Burr—Buildings and about 2,166 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 37, between an estate of Mary E. Mac- donough and an estate of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	284 05
Tax for 1922.....	284 05
Fannie Clayton—About 13,684 feet of land on the easterly side of Parker street adjoining an estate of John F. McDevitt, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 7, page 71, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923,	340 86
Annie E. Cotton—Buildings and about 2,112 feet of land on the northeast- erly side of West Canton street, num- bered 207, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Alice M. Derby, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55
Paid on account.....	75 00
Balance due.....	85 55
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60
Fred P. Davis—Buildings and about 1,492 feet of land on the southwest- erly side of Batavia street, numbered 10, between another estate of said Davis and an estate of Mary T. O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Also buildings and about 1,505 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 12, between an estate of said Davis and an estate of Fred E. Davis, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Fred E. Davis—Buildings and about 1,501 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 14, between an estate of Elizabeth M. Daniels and an estate of Fred P. Davis, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Mary Donovan—Buildings and about 1,504 feet of land on the easterly side of Leon street, numbered 33, between another estate of said Dono- van and an estate of United Drug Company, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Also buildings and about 1,539 feet of land on the easterly side of Leon street, numbered 35, between two other estates of said Donovan, tax for 1923.....	98 80

Also buildings and about 1,577 feet of land on the easterly side of Leon street, numbered 37, between another estate of said Donovan and an estate of Margaret E. McKenna, tax for 1923.....	98 80
J. Sumner Draper—Buildings and about 2,955 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Stanhope street, numbered 50, between an estate of Sarah E. Hodson and an estate of Willard Dalrymple and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	879 32
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 33
Mary E. Emery, supposed present owner Merritt Stegman—Buildings and about 8,644 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Albemarle street, numbered 1 to 6, inclusive, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another corner of said Emery, tax for 1923.....	1,565 98
Also buildings and about 8,649 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Albemarle street, numbered 7 to 12, inclusive, between another estate of said Emery and the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.....	1,519 05
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 20, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1923.....	71 63
Peter and Josephine Fontes—Buildings and about 2,090 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Canton street, numbered 215, between an estate of Delia De Long and an estate of George A. Brown and others, tax for 1923.....	158 08
Ellen G. Furlong (supposed present owner Erik V. Alexander)—Buildings and about 2,164 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 609A, making the westerly corner of and numbered 6 Dartmouth street, adjoining an estate of John and Marcella Bourke, tax for 1923.....	518 70
Mary L. Gallen—Buildings and about 1,302 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pembroke street, numbered 109, between an estate of James R. Sexton and another and an estate of William A. Hardwick, tax for 1923.....	185 25
George and Amanda Green—Buildings and about 1,350 feet of land on the southerly side of Buckingham street, numbered 38, between two estates of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	\$170 43
Paid on account.....	35 00
Balance due.....	135 43
William A. Hampshire and William Hirsch Trustees of the Hemenway Trust—Buildings and about 7,497 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 30, between another estate of said Hampshire and another trustees and an estate of Lena Levine and others, tax for 1923.....	2,173 60
Rebecca Harris—Buildings and about 2,142 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Newton street, numbered 212, between an estate of Louisa McCarthy and an estate of Annie L. Hunter, tax for 1923.....	214 89
Ella F. Hawkins—Buildings and about 2,205 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 210, between an estate of Annie L. Clark and an estate of James E. Kelley, trustee, tax for 1923.....	158 08
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 20, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1921.....	71 63
Ida M. Hodsdon (supposed present owner Catherine Ablewhite)—Buildings and about 1,036 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon street, numbered 54, making the southerly corner of Lawrence street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Stutt, tax for 1923,.....	170 43
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,102 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 63 and 63A, between an estate of John H. Devine, trustee, and an estate of Mamie Kanovitz, tax for 1922.....	195 13
Tax for 1923.....	195 13
Sarah E. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 3,338 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Clarendon street, making the easterly corner of Stanhope street, adjoining an estate of J. Sumner Draper, mortgagee in possession, tax for 1923.....	988 00
Daniel E. Holland (supposed present owner Edward T. Brown)—Buildings and about 2,189 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Concord square, numbered 45, making the northerly corner of Public Alley 503, adjoining	

an estate of James M. Robinson, trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$271 70
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	171 70
Ray C. Johnson (supposed present owner Annie E. Kenney)—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the south- erly side of St. Germain street, num- bered 19, between two other estates of said Johnson, tax for 1923.....	172 90
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 44
Frederick D. Johnson—Buildings and about 2,205 feet of land on the south- westerly side of Holyoke street, num- bered 22, between an estate of Isaac W. Crozier and an estate of Sophronia C. Squires, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Bertha F. Kennedy—Buildings and about 1,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 5, between an estate of William D. Sohler and another and an estate of Louise P. Hill, tax for 1921.....	76 57
Tax for 1922.....	76 57
Tax for 1923.....	76 57
Also buildings and about 1,890 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Canton street, numbered 223, between an estate of Annie A. O'Neill and an estate of Maggie F. Garland, tax for 1922.....	148 20
Tax for 1923.....	148 20
Oscar Kerney—Buildings and about 2,080 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wellington street, numbered 7, between an estate of Cyril A. Harvey and another and an estate of Emma S. Gray, tax for 1922.....	148 20
Tax for 1923.....	148 20
William D. Lee—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 47, between an estate of Frank A. Connors and an estate of David Yarchin and another, tax for 1921.....	308 75
Albert Lewenberg—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Springfield street, num- bered 207, between an estate of Frances E. Gardner and an estate of Garabed H. Caragulian, mortgagee in possession, tax for 1923.....	130 91
Virginia R. Lewis—Buildings and about 2,142 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Rutland square, numbered 81, between an estate of Louisa A. Hall devises and an estate of Watt S. Oliver, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Chinlata W. and Albertha Martin— Buildings and about 2,184 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Greenwich park, numbered 25, between an estate of Phoebe S. Olmstead heirs or devisees and an estate of John Brown, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	72 90
Edward D. McCollum (supposed present owner Isador Meyer, Trustee)—Build- ings and about 3,465 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 157, between another estate of said McCollum and an estate of Harry Fairchild, tax for 1923.....	988 00
Also buildings and about 3,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 163, between another estate of said McCol- lum and an estate of John C. Bishop, tax for 1923.....	988 00
Esther M. Meserve—Buildings and about 1,350 feet of land on the north- westerly side of Warren avenue, num- bered 145, between an estate of Annie Melsaac and an estate of Sarah Clark, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Isaac B. Mills (supposed present owner Augusta I. Weisberg)—Buildings and about 3,303 feet of land on the south- easterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 82, between an estate of William N. Ambler and an estate of Frank E. Greene heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	1,128 79
Gardner Murphy—Buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 587, between an estate of Joshua H. Liver- pool and an estate of Elizabeth L. Keane, tax for 1922.....	247 00
Tax for 1923.....	247 00
Mary Nashawaty—Buildings and about 1,157 feet of land on the southeast- erly side of Warren avenue, numbered 194 and 196, making the southerly cor- ner of and numbered 206 and 206A West Brookline street, adjoining an- other estate of said Nashawaty, tax for 1923.....	308 75
Also buildings and about 982 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Warren avenue, numbered 198, 200 and 202, between another estate of said Nashawaty and an estate of Minnie A. Burlingame, tax for 1923.....	271 70

Annie M. Neale—Buildings and about 1,280 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chandler street, numbered 90, between an estate of Ernest Libby and an estate of Joanna E. Hagerty, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Newburyport Five Cents Savings Bank, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 114, between an estate of Albert N. Wood and an estate of Helen H. Torrey, tax for 1921.....	345 80		
Also buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 118 and 118A, between an estate of Albert N. Wood and an estate of Henry H. Hart and others trustees, tax for 1921.....	358 15		
Tax for 1922.....	358 15		
Louville V. Niles (supposed present owner Herman N. Cleval)—Buildings and about 2,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 505 and 505A, between an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz and an estate of Roland H. Shuman and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	\$382 85		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	182 85		
Louville V. Niles—Buildings and about 14,309 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 309, 311, 313 and 315, between an estate of Cambridge Realty Company and an estate of Pauline Coleman and others, tax for 1923.....	\$3,828 50		
Paid on account.....	1,000 00		
Balance due.....	2,828 50		
Louville V. Niles (supposed present owner Galey Shama and others)—Buildings and about 1,760 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 747, between an estate of Eliza Scott heirs and an estate of William Hoag, tax for 1923.....	\$247 00		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	47 00		
Arthur J. Phalen (supposed present owner Lester B. Hirshon)—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Bickerstaff street, numbered 20 and 22, between another estate of said Phalen and another estate of Jennie M. White, tax for 1923.....	\$321 10		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	221 10		
Also buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Bickerstaff street, numbered 24 and 26, between another estate of said Phalen and an estate of Joseph Stanga and another, tax for 1922.....	\$321 10		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	221 10		
Scott Pickett—Buildings and about 1,890 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 238, between an estate of Catherine Lavin and an estate of Sarah E. Harrell, tax for 1923.....	150 67		
Plymouth Realty Company—Buildings and about 3,182 feet of land on the southerly side of Batavia street, numbered 72, making the southeasterly corner of Public Alley No. 811, adjoining an estate of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	1,309 10		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	23 46		
Also buildings and about 5,402 feet of land on the northerly side of Norway street, numbered 103, making the northeasterly corner of Stoneholm street, adjoining another estate of said Presbrey and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	1,235 00		
Also buildings and about 5,355 feet of land on the northerly side of Norway street, numbered 99, between another estate of said Presbrey and another, trustees, and an estate of Bencion Moskow, tax for 1923.....	1,235 00		
Anne D. Price—Buildings and about 1,716 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 480, between an estate of Kate A. Kerr and an estate of Yoes Sauscan, tax for 1923.....	308 75		
A. Carleton Potter—Trustee under will of Henry Potter—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 92, between another estate of said Potter, trustee, and an estate of Henry M. Channing, trustee, tax for 1923.....	988 00		
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 90, between another estate of said Potter, trustee, and an estate of William N. Ambler, tax for 1923.....	988 00		
Edgar S. Randolph—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northerly side of St. Germain street, numbered 46, between an estate of Sarah E. Milton and an estate of Catherine G. Colbritt, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Mary Reilly—Buildings and about 2,880 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 212, between an estate of Helen C. Atwood and an estate of Lena Levine and others, tax for 1923.....	988 00		
Also buildings and about 2,794 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Botolph street, numbered 96, making the easterly corner of West Newton street, adjoining an estate of Emma J. Carr, tax for 1923.....	429 78		
Also buildings and about 1,756 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 546, between an estate of Michael J. Ward heirs or devisees and an estate of Lucy J. Rohrbacher, tax for 1923.....	247 00		
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 1,065 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, at end, numbered 23, adjoining an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1921.....	71 63		
Also buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 10, between an estate of Jacob Tarplin and an estate of Howard K. Brown, trustee, tax for 1921.....	71 63		
Frances L. Richards—Buildings and about 1,890 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Canton street, numbered 223, between an estate of Annie O'Neill and an estate of Maggie F. Garland, tax for 1921.....	148 20		
Putnam H. Ropes—Buildings and about 6,676 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Yarmouth street, numbered 17, between an estate of Carroll E. Thomas and an estate of Toney Vass, tax for 1923.....	864 50		
Reddick J. Royster—Buildings and about 2,310 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holyoke street, numbered 30, between an estate of Asdour Arzooanian and an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Theresa Saulnier, reassessed from Mary Martin—Buildings and about 1,738 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 552, between an estate of said Saulnier and an estate of Patrick Burke, tax for 1923.....	247 00		
Also buildings and about 1,734 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 554, between another estate of said Saulnier and an estate of John J. Crosby and another, tax for 1923.....	247 00		
Second Universalist Church—About 12,141 feet of land on the easterly side of Columbus avenue, making the northeasterly corner of Clarendon street, adjoining an estate of John T. Keefe (numbered 262 and 264 Columbus avenue), tax for 1923.....	2,099 50		
E. C. Sherry and George D. Crossman (supposed present owner James M. Sims and others)—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Greenwich park, numbered 28, between an estate of Mary Sutton and an estate of Mary E. Bcll, tax for 1923.....	\$155 61		
Paid on account.....	140 00		
Balance due.....	15 61		
Griffin H. Sims—Buildings and about 1,056 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 216, between an estate of Edwin M. White and another estate of said Sims, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Also buildings and about 1,056 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 218, between another estate of said Sims and an estate of Ida M. Brown, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Thomas M. Smith (supposed present owner Hulda Byleu)—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 777, between an estate of Henry Koepfer and an estate of Earl P. Rand, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Thomas M. Smith—Buildings and about 3,828 feet of land on the southerly side of Batavia street, numbered 70, between an estate of Celia Green, trustee and an estate of Joseph L. Presby and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 12		
Thomas M. Smith (supposed present owner John F. Sullivan)—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 47, between an estate of			
Frank A. Connors and an estate of David Tarchin and another, tax for 1922.....	308 75		
Tax for 1923.....	308 75		
Also buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 10, between an estate of Jacob Tarplin and an estate of Howard K. Brown, trustee, tax for 1922.....	71 63		
Tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Also buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 12, between two other estates of said Thomas M. Smith tax for 1922.....	71 63		
Tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Also buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 14, between another estate of said Smith and an estate of Owen J. Munn, tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Also buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 17, between an estate of M. Emmie Quincy, trustee and an estate of Francis N. Coghlan and another, tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Also buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 12, between an estate of Howard K. Brown, trustee and another estate of said Smith, tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Also buildings and about 1,065 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place (at end), numbered 23, adjoining an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1922.....	71 63		
Tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Also buildings and about 2,166 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 39, between an estate of James M. Burr and an estate of Helen H. Torrey, tax for 1922.....	284 05		
Tax for 1923.....	284 05		
Thomas M. Smith—Buildings and about 1,682 feet of land on the southerly side of Belvidere street, numbered 21, between two other estates of said Smith, tax for 1922.....	333 45		
Tax for 1923.....	333 45		
Also buildings and about 1,680 feet of land on the southerly side of Belvidere street, numbered 19, between an estate of Jacob Tarplin and another estate of said Smith, tax for 1923.....	333 45		
John F. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,906 feet of land on the northerly side of West Canton street, numbered 231, between an estate of Augusta Abrams and an estate of Bertha Littaur, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Axel Swenson—Buildings and about 1,827 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 196, between an estate of Sigrid Carlson and an estate of Irene Hawkins, tax for 1923.....	158 68		
Jacob Tarplin (supposed present owner John F. Sullivan)—Buildings and about 1,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 9, between an estate of M. Emmie Quincy, trustee, and an estate of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	76 57		
Also buildings and about 916 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harwich street, numbered 21, between an estate of Maude A. Curtis and an estate of Daisey E. Curtis, tax for 1923.....	106 21		
Also buildings and about 1,673 feet of land on the southerly side of Belvidere street, numbered 11, between another estate of said Tarplin and an estate of Frank A. McDonald, tax for 1923.....	308 75		
Also buildings and about 1,679 feet of land on the southerly side of Belvidere street, numbered 17, between an estate of Thomas M. Smith and another estate of said Tarplin, tax for 1923.....	333 45		
Also buildings and about 1,682 feet of land on the southerly side of Belvidere street, numbered 15, between two other estates of said Tarplin, tax for 1923.....	308 75		
Also buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon street, numbered 38, between an estate of Mary Roche, and an estate of Katherine J. McLean, tax for 1921.....	148 20		
Tax for 1922.....	148 20		
Tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Helen H. Torrey—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 112, between an estate of Bertha Ruther and an estate of Newburyport Five Cents Savings Bank, mortgagee in possession, tax for 1921.....	345 89		
Tax for 1922.....	345 80		
Tax for 1923.....	363 08		

Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 36, between an estate of Daniel Swan and another estate of said Torrey, tax for 1921.....	286 52		
Tax for 1922.....	311 22		
Tax for 1923.....	311 22		
Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 38, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of John Ferrari, tax for 1921,.....	286 52		
Tax for 1922.....	311 22		
Tax for 1923.....	311 22		
Also buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dalton street, numbered 19, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of John J. McGlinchey, tax for 1921.....	284 05		
Tax for 1922.....	308 75		
Tax for 1923.....	308 75		
Also buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 41, between two estates of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1921.....	308 75		
Tax for 1922.....	308 75		
Tax for 1923.....	308 75		
Also buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dalton street, numbered 21, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of John S. Cronin, tax for 1921,.....	284 05		
Tax for 1922.....	308 75		
Tax for 1923.....	308 75		
Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 44, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of J. Rose Anzalone, tax for 1921.....	286 52		
Tax for 1922.....	311 22		
Tax for 1923.....	311 22		
Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 42, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of John Ferrari, tax for 1921,.....	311 22		
Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of St. Botolph street, numbered 127, between an estate of Lucie L. Anderson and an estate of Mary A. Webb, tax for 1923.....	\$469 30		
Paid on account.....	449 54		
Balance due.....	19 76		
Ellen A. Turpin—Buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 583 and 583A, between an estate of Caroline A. Benton heirs or devisees of and an estate of Elizabeth L. Keane tax for 1923.....	237 12		
Toney Vass—Buildings and about 2,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Yarmouth street, numbered 21, making the easterly corner of Truro street, adjoining an estate of Charles D. Turnbull and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	637 26		
Julia Weir—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 193, between an estate of Fulton P. Wesson and another and an estate of Celia Shapira, tax for 1923.....	\$130 91		
Paid on account.....	95 00		
Balance due.....	35 91		
Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 1,097 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Burbank street, numbered 1, between another estate of said Williams Realty Company and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	116 09		
Also buildings and about 1,054 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Burbank street, numbered 2, between another estate of said Williams Realty Company and an estate of Jacob Saunders, tax for 1923.....	113 62		
William Williams (supposed present owner Maude E. Morrison)—Buildings and about 1,664 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claremont park, numbered 30, between an estate of William T. Randolph and an estate of Mary T. Fisher, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
William Williams (supposed present owner Elizabeth M. McGovern)—Buildings and about 3,144 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Rutland square, numbered 89, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of Nathan Matthews and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Also buildings and about 2,091 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Rutland square, numbered 87, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of George W. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
William Williams—Buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southwesterly			
side of Braddock park (formerly Pembroke-street), numbered 28 (formerly numbered 178 Pembroke street), between an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz and an estate of Morris L. Zeiderman, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Eva Winslow—Buildings and about 2,415 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Newton street, numbered 243, between another estate of said Winslow and an estate of John M. Whalen, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Also buildings and about 2,411 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Newton street, numbered 245, between another estate of said Winslow and an estate of Mary E. McKenna, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Louis Wolk—Buildings and about 3,736 feet of land on the westerly side of Hemenway street, numbered 119, between an estate of Fannie Goodman and an estate of Francis Peabody, Jr., and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	\$1,654 90		
Paid on account.....	500 00		
Balance due.....	1,154 90		
Charles S. Wynn—Buildings and about 2,289 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Berkeley street, numbered 119, making the northerly corner of Cortes street, adjoining an estate of Robert Simpson and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	679 75		
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William H. Agry, Trustee (supposed present owner Orion H. Green)—Buildings and about 3,735 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 37, between an estate of Rodman P. Snelling and another and an estate of Katherine E. Bullard heirs, tax for 1923.....	\$1,803 10		
Paid on account.....	400 00		
Balance due.....	\$1,403 10		
Thomas Barrie (reassessed from Rebecca Horowitz)—Buildings and about 4,950 feet of land on the easterly side of St. Mary's street, numbered 24, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Antonio Gracobbé, tax for 1923.....	889 20		
Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc.—Buildings and about 2,058 feet of land on the easterly side of Anderson street, numbered 34 and 34A, between an estate of Celia Fisher and another estate of Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923.....	321 10		
Also buildings and about 2,041 feet of land on the easterly side of Anderson street, numbered 36 and 36A, between an estate of Abraham P. Levin and another estate of Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923.....	321 10		
Also buildings and about 2,583 feet of land on the westerly side of Joy street, numbered 44, 44A and 44B, between an estate of the City of Boston and an estate of James M. Beebe heirs and others, tax for 1923.....	617 50		
Joshua Bennett Heirs—Buildings and about 2,714 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Joy street, numbered 36 1st rear, 36 2d rear and 36 3d rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Prescott Townsend, tax for 1923.....	167 96		
Abram G. Berenson—Buildings and about 3,758 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 140, 142 and 144, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 Auburn court, adjoining an estate of George W. Peniman, tax for 1923.....	617 50		
Abraham Berkman—Buildings and about 666 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden street, numbered 43, between an estate of Rebecca Krinsky and an estate of Jennie Karmazine, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Rose B. Blume—Buildings and about 882 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arundel street, numbered 12, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Robert F. Sanderson, tax for 1923.....	143 26		
Max Bookstein—Buildings and about 5,819 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Audubon road, numbered 81, between two other estates of said Bookstein, tax for 1923.....	\$2,297 10		
Paid on account.....	250 00		
Balance due.....	2,047 10		
Also buildings and about 5,822 feet of land on the northerly side of Audubon road, numbered 85, between another estate of said Bookstein and an estate of Samuel Rudnick and another, tax for 1923.....	\$2,321 80		
Paid on account.....	250 00		
Balance due.....	2,071 80		
Also buildings and about 5,837 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Audubon road, numbered 77, between an estate of Samuel Rudnick and another, trustees, and another estate of said Bookstein, tax for 1923.....	\$2,321 80		
Paid on account.....	500 00		
Balance due.....	1,821 80		
Winslow B. P. Briggs, Junior, and Edna G. Wadsworth—Buildings and about 3,563 feet of land on the easterly side of Miner street, making the south-easterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Alonzo M. Burbank, tax for 1923.....	130 91		
Henry C. Brookings (supposed present owner James M. Burr)—Buildings and about 2,464 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 272, extending through to Public Alley No. 442, between an estate of Charles W. Smith and an estate of Christine C. Wilson, tax for 1923.....	548 34		
James M. Burr (supposed present owner Mary T. Baile, Trustee)—Buildings and about 1,896 feet of land on the northerly side of Marlborough street, numbered 425, between an estate of Maude L. G. Everett and an estate of Herbert G. Sumner and another, trustees, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 00		
Kevin Carmen, Ira Shapiro and Thomas Nuttle, Trustees of Commercial Building Trust—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 857, making the southeasterly corner of Aberdeen street, adjoining an estate of Sarah M. Richardson, tax for 1923.....	3,112 20		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 806 feet of land on the westerly side of a passageway leading from the westerly side of Grove street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Mary Szathmary; easterly by said passageway leading from Grove street; southerly by an estate of Joseph F. Otis and westerly by an estate of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Samuel K. and Fannie Chaskes—Buildings and about 920 feet of land on the easterly side of Grove street, numbered 44 and 44A, between an estate of Louise A. Hobbs and an estate of Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923.....	155 61		
Lillian S. Clark—Buildings and about 670 feet of land on the westerly side of South Russell street, numbered 33, between an estate of Dora Pollack and an estate of Henry H. Litchfield, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Max Cohen and Simon Florentz—Buildings and about 1,522 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden street, numbered 27, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Benjamin Florence and another, tax for 1923.....	333 45		
George W. Coleman Heirs—Buildings and about 2,576 feet of land on the southerly side of Marlborough street, numbered 390, extending through to Public Alley No. 429, between an estate of Mary B. Boardman and an estate of Frederick A. Marsden, tax for 1923.....	703 95		
Tax for 1921.....	703 95		
William L. Crosby—Buildings and about 3,490 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 435, making the southerly corner of Hereford street, adjoining an estate of Maria L. Aldrich, tax for 1923.....	728 65		
Frederic Cunningham, Augustus Hemenway, John S. and William Lawrence, Trustees under will of Sarah E. Lawrence (supposed present owner Jacob Canner)—Buildings and about 3,358 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 295, between an estate of William Lawrence and others, trustees, and an estate of George A. Draper heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	1,605 50		
Frances Curtis—Buildings and about 2,688 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 447, extending through to Public Alley No. 908, between an estate of Oliver L. Briggs heirs or devisees and an estate of Mary C. Hardy, tax for 1923.....	555 75		
Fred P. Davis—Buildings and about 2,461 feet of land on the northerly side of Ivy street, numbered 5, extending through to Mountfort street, between an estate of Isabelle B. Woods and an estate of Grace F. Ferrand, tax for 1923.....	296 40		

Edith M. Dennison—About 4,298 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, making the north-easterly corner of Sherborn street, adjoining an estate of Riverbank Improvement Company, being lot 23, block C, Morton and Quimby plan, dated January 9, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2182, tax for 1923.....	318 63	estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	24 70	erly by estates of Joseph Green, and westerly by Lindall court, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	51 87 6 81
Eastern States Land Company—About 4,612 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Burlington avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northeast-erly by an estate of Hilda M. Brown; northwesterly by an estate of Wolverine Realty Corporation; south-easterly by an estate of W. J. O'Con-nell Company; southwesterly by Burlington street, tax for 1923.....	340 86	Also buildings and about 408 feet of land on the westerly side of Auburn court, numbered 7, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Abraham B. Kagen—Buildings and about 1,102 feet of land on the south-erly side of Myrtle street, numbered 84, between an estate of Jessie S. Raymond and another estate of said Kagen, tax for 1923.....	296 40
Matthew W. Fallon, Junior—Buildings and about 8,271 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, num-bered 534, 538 and 540, between an estate of Julia M. Driscoll and an es-tate of Gabriel M. Gordon and another, tax for 1923.....	1,852 50	Also buildings and about 855 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 9, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also buildings and about 1,564 feet of land on the southerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 82, adjoining an estate of G. Glover Crocker and an- other, trustees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15612, tax for 1923.....	407 55
John Faust, Trustees—Buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the north-erly side of Mountfort street, num-bered 75, between an estate of Mae R. Cousins and an estate of Grace H. Jennings, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Also buildings and about 542 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Benjamin and Sarah V. Kagan—Build-ings and about 958 feet of land on the northerly side of Myrtle street, num-bered 125, between another estate of said Benjamin and Sarah V. Kagan and an estate of Morris and Ida Segal, tax for 1923.....	\$271 70 Paid on account..... 150 00
Federal Real Estate Corporation (sup-posed present owner Bertha H. Wat-son)—Buildings and about 4,036 feet of land on the westerly side of Joy street, numbered 52, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	\$642 20	Also buildings and about 497 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 11, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Balance due.....	121 70
Paid on account.....	342 20	Also buildings and about 510 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 12, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Luther W. Puffer, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Also buildings and about 995 feet of land on the northerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 127, between another estate of said Benjamin and Sarah V. Kagan and an estate of Jennie Primock, tax for 1923, \$271 70	Paid on account..... 150 00
Balance due.....	300 00	Also buildings and about 630 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden Street arch, numbered 1, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Frederick M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Balance due.....	121 70
Salome A. Frost, Trustee under will of Thomas M. Bassett—Buildings and about 2,805 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Beacon street, num-bered 819, between an estate of Israel Nesson and an estate of Salome A. Frost, tax for 1923.....	555 75	Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden Street arch, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Morris and Annie Katzeff—Buildings and about 6,419 feet of land on the southerly side of Peterborough street, numbered 89, between two other estates of said Katzeff and another, tax for 1923.....	1,482 00
Antonio Giacobbe (supposed present owner Samuel Weisberg)—Buildings and about 4,674 feet of land on the northerly side of Mountfort street, numbered 121, making the northeast-erly corner of St. Mary's street, adjoin-ing an estate of Abbie E. McCobb, tax for 1923.....	1,037 40	Also buildings and about 552 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden Street arch, numbered 3, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Henry H. Litchfield, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also buildings and about 6,423 feet of land on the southerly side of Peterborough street, numbered 82, between another estate of said Katzeff and another and an estate of Louis S. Kaufman, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,482 00
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	14 30	Clarence G. Guild—Buildings and about 2,626 feet of land on the southerly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 92, between an estate of Helen G. French and an estate of Mary E. Bradley, tax for 1923.....	\$654 55 Paid on account..... 300 00	Rose C. Kehew—Buildings and about 2,990 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, numbered 70, be-tween an estate of Benjamin W. Rud-man and an estate of Maria T. Ranney, devisees of, tax for 1923.....	432 25
Rosario Giacobbe (supposed present owner Samuel Weisberg)—Buildings and about 5,886 feet of land on the northerly side of Ivy street, numbered 55, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 75 St. Mary's street, adjoining an estate of Ellen Childs, tax for 1923.....	1,210 30	Balance due.....	354 55	Wilhelmina S. Kennard—About 7,500 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Bay State road, out-side of sea wall, adjoining an estate of Riverbank Improvement Company, being lot 42, Fuller Whitney Cor-poration plan, dated August 31, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry Dis-trict of Land Court, certificate number 2354, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Harry W. Goodall—Buildings and about 3,129 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 512, between an estate of Fred A. Whitney heirs or devisees and an estate of Ezra M. Rideout, tax for 1923.....	666 90	Arthur M. Hazard—Buildings and about 2,961 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, num-bered 64, extending through to Public Alley No. 436, between an estate of George A. P. H. Duncan and an estate of Eleanor A. Clark heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$988 00 Paid on account..... 500 00	Nasim Khouri (supposed present owner Good Realty Company)—Buildings and about 2,428 feet of land on the northerly side of Mountfort street, numbered 49, making the northwest-erly corner of a passageway, adjoin-ing another estate of said Khouri, numbered 51, tax for 1923.....	296 40
Barnett Gray—Buildings and about 4,713 feet of land on the southerly side of Phillips street, numbered 74, 76 and 76A, making the southwesterly corner of Phillips court, adjoining an estate of Peter Feingold, tax for 1923.....	657 02	William Hirsh—Buildings and about 5,040 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 282, making the southeasterly corner of Gloucester street and extending through to Public Alley No. 442, ad-joining an estate of Sarah L. Day and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	3,087 50	Also buildings and about 2,255 feet of land on the northerly side of Mount- fort street, numbered 51, between another estate of said Khouri and an estate of Harris Wolf, tax for 1923.....	284 05
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 11	Also buildings and about 6,902 feet of land on the northerly side of Queens- berry street, numbered 31, between an estate of Rebecca Rose and another and another estate of said Hirsh, tax for 1923.....	1,284 40	Louis S. Koufman—Buildings and about 6,046 feet of land on the southerly side of Queensberry street, numbered 98, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Koufman, tax for 1922.....	1,111 50
Apportionment of sewer assessment of 1923.....	3 16	Also buildings and about 6,903 feet of land on the northerly side of Queens- berry street, numbered 35, between another estate of said Hirsh and an estate of Frank O. Thaxter, tax for 1923.....	1,284 40	Louis Levine (supposed present owner James Howard)—Buildings and about 10,855 feet of land on the southerly side of Ivy street, numbered 6, be-tween an estate of Benjamin Snider and another, and an estate of Robert F. Sanderson, tax for 1923.....	\$1,951 30 Paid on account..... 1,000 00
Rose Gray—Buildings and about 934 feet of land on the easterly side of Phillips court, numbered 4, be-tween another estate of said Gray, numbered 5 and an estate of Michael Andelman, numbered 68 and 70 Phillips street, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Helen E. Hopkins—Buildings and about 400 feet of land on the northerly side of a passageway in the rear of Bay State road, adjoining an estate of Martin Edwards, being lot 9A, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, dated January 29, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3376, page 261, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Balance due.....	951 30
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 24	Charles E. Hubbard—About 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of a passageway in the rear of Bay State road, adjoining an estate of River- bank Improvement Company, being lot 45, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Cor-poration plan, dated August 31, 1908, registered in Suffolk Registry Dis-trict of Land Court, certificate num-ber 2502, tax for 1923.....	4 94 4 94	Liberty Hand Laundry Company—(Mass. Corp.). Buildings and about 2,520 feet of land on the northerly side of Newbury street, numbered 331, ex-tending through to Public Alley 430, between an estate of William Tufts and another and an estate of Susan M. Loring, tax for 1923.....	550 81
Also buildings and about 932 feet of land on the easterly side of Phillips court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Gray, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Also about 1,140 feet of land on the southerly side and at end of Phillips court, between another estate of said Gray, numbered 5, and an estate of Henry J. Danby and another (num-bered 4 Goodwin place), tax for 1923.....	19 76	C. Frederic Lyman (supposed present owner Henry C. Brookings)—Build-ings and about 3,808 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 315 and 317 extending through to Public Alley 417, between an estate of Katherine Stanton, trustee, and an estate of Frances E. Pratt, tax for 1923.....	1,111 50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 24	Hannah Greenwood—Buildings and about 404 feet of land on the westerly side of Auburn court, numbered 5, between an estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Abram G. Berenson, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Ruth Marshall—Buildings and about 1,540 feet of land on the northerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 994, between an estate of Alice H. Garrett and an estate of Rebecca Krinsky, tax for 1923.....	395 20
Also buildings and about 412 feet of land on the westerly side of Auburn court, numbered 6, between two other		Also buildings and about 412 feet of land on the westerly side of Auburn court, numbered 6, between two other			

Mollie A. McCarthy—Buildings and about 2,520 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Broadway, numbered 77, 79 and 81, making the southerly corner of and numbered 6 and 8 Piedmont street, adjoining an estate of Patrick Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	629 85				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	128 70				
Agnes M. McCann—Buildings and about 1,216 feet of land on the northerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 31, between an estate of Bessie Rosen and an estate of Maria Fusto, tax for 1923.....	170 43				
William F. McDonough—Buildings and about 831 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wheeler street, numbered 21, between an estate of Elliot Stoddard and an estate of Lawrence J. Towle, tax for 1923.....	39 52				
Also buildings and about 880 feet of land on the westerly side of Strong place, numbered 4, between an estate of Walter B. Goode and an estate of E. Edith Rounds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5093, tax for 1923....	46 93				
Ethel Miller—Buildings and about 2,023 feet of land on the westerly side of West Cedar street, numbered 88 and 88A, between an estate of Abraham Isenburgh and an estate of Louis Gray, tax for 1923.....	335 92				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 02				
Joseph F. Otis—Also about 982 feet of land on the westerly side of a passageway, leading from the westerly side of Grove street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Harry P. Chadwick; easterly by a passageway; southerly and westerly by an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Joseph L. Peabody et al., Trustees of Bristol County Trust—Buildings and about 9,638 feet of land on the westerly side of Audubon road, numbered 51, making the southwesterly corner of Queensberry street, adjoining an estate of Louis H. Lansky, tax for 1923....	3,136 90				
Jeannette Pevsor—Buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Temple street, numbered 14, between an estate of Daniel A. Cronin and an estate of Jennie H. Wallace, tax for 1923.....	271 70				
Arthur J. Phalen—Buildings and about 2,619 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 152 and 154, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 7 and 9 South Russell street, adjoining an estate of Joseph P. Manning, tax for 1923.....	691 60				
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 879 feet of land on the southerly side of Phillips street, numbered 66, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Sarah Goldman, tax for 1923.....	93 86				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 03				
Elizabeth A. Riley—About 5,100 feet of land on the northerly side of a passageway lying in rear of Bay State road, being lot 21A, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, January 29, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3376, page 261, tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Philip T. Ripley—About 5 feet of land on the southerly side of Stuart street, making the junction of Grenville place, being lot 181, F. O. Whitney plan, July 15, 1921, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Augustus O. Roberts—About 320 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kirkland street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Zelda Greenhood; southeasterly by an estate of Joshua A. Smallwood and another; southwesterly by an estate of Albert E. Hinds; northwesterly by Kirkland street, tax for 1923.....	14 82				
Frances S. and Elizabeth B. Rogers and Laura D. Rogers Heirs and Ellen D. Rogers Heirs—Buildings and about 2,576 feet of land on the southerly side of Marlborough street, numbered 384, extending through to Public Alley 429, between an estate of Richard D. Ware and another, trustees, and an estate of Lucy W. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	531 05				
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston—About 105,472 feet of land on the northerly side of Boylston street, being lot B, H. C. Mildram plan, February 5, 1923, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	3,907 54				
Rose Sawyer—Buildings and about 1,209 feet of land on the northerly side of Phillips street, numbered 73 and 73A, between an estate of M. Josephine Snow and an estate of Annie Buchman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land					
Court, certificate number 2408, tax for 1923.....	247 00				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	2 53				
Catherine A. Scully—Buildings and about 2,599 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, numbered 174, between an estate of Edna J. Talbot and an estate of John K. Lucas, tax for 1923.....	370 50				
William H. Shea—Buildings and about 1,960 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marlborough street, numbered 74, extending through to Public Alley 423, between an estate of Alexander S. Wheeler heirs or devisees of, and an estate of Lyon Weyburn and another, tax for 1923.....	518 70				
Joseph Shelevsky—Buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 141, 141A, 143 and 143A, between an estate of Margaret Courtland and another estate of said Shelevsky, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, Also buildings and about 2,167 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 145 and 145A, between an estate of Leon David and another estate of said Shelevsky, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923,.....	9 90				
	6 25				
Nellie H. Sherley—Buildings and about 824 feet of land on the easterly side of Joy street, numbered 79, between an estate of Nora A. Jeffers and an estate of Esther Winisky, tax for 1923,.....	133 38				
Bryant G. Smith and Sons Company—Buildings and about 6,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 661, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Martha C. Codman, tax for 1923.....	2,717 00				
Kapril Soghomonian—Buildings and about 733 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wheeler street, numbered 11, between an estate of Michael P. Murphy and an estate of William J. Stober, tax for 1923.....	98 80				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 72				
Shirley C. Speed—Buildings and about 2,352 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 109, extending through to Public Alley 421, between an estate of Mary D. Turnbull and an estate of Frederick W. Bradlee, tax for 1923.....	642 20				
William J. Stober—Buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 30 and 32, between an estate of Alles and Fisher, Inc. and an estate of Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, tax for 1923, Also about 3,509 feet of land on the southerly side of Stuart street, making the southwesterly corner of Warrenton street, being lot 112, F. O. Whitney plan, July 15, 1921, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	1,556 10				
Edith L. Stone (supposed present owner Martha Cogan)—Buildings and about 1,507 feet of land on the easterly side of Fairfield street, numbered 44, making the northeasterly corner of Public Alley No. 441, adjoining an estate of Anna D. Bangs, tax for 1923.....	555 75				
George F. Swain—About 14,100 feet of land lying in the rear from northerly side of Bay State road outside of sea wall, being lot 10, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, August 31, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7925, tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Mary H. Swain, Devisees of—About 14,100 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Bay State road, outside of sea wall, being lot 10, Fuller Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, August 31, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7925, tax for 1923.....	4 94				
John C. Taylor, Trustee of New England Realty Trust—Buildings and about 5,694 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Audubon road, numbered 463, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Henry W. Estabrook and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	1,432 60				
Hannah I. Tarplin—Buildings and about 831 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wheeler street, numbered 21, between an estate of Elliot Stoddard and an estate of Lawrence J. Towle, tax for 1921.....	39 52				
Hannah I. Tarplin (supposed present owner William F. McDonough)—Buildings and about 880 feet of land on the westerly side of Strong place, numbered 4, between an estate of Walter B. Goode and an estate of E. Edith Rounds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land					
Court, certificate number 5093, tax for 1921.....	46 93				
Tax for 1922.....	46 93				
Annie J. Varney—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 513, between another estate of said Varney and an estate of Beatrice M. Woods, tax for 1923.....	605 15				
Also buildings and about 2,480 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 515, between an estate of Elliott P. Joslin and another estate of said Varney, tax for 1923.....	592 80				
Also buildings and about 2,632 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newbury street, numbered 115, extending through to Public Alley 435, between an estate of Eleanor Mell and an estate of Lilla A. Collins, tax for 1923.....	876 85				
Also buildings and about 2,404 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newbury street, numbered 234, extending through to Public Alley 441, between an estate of Thomas H. Cabot and an estate of Wilbur A. Reynolds, tax for 1923.....	494 00				
Also buildings and about 2,576 feet of land on the northerly side of Newbury street, numbered 261, extending through to Public Alley 432, between an estate of Shirley C. Speed and an estate of Harriet Mieuisset, tax for 1923.....	531 05				
Howard and Virginia Wainwright (supposed present owner Agnes B. McManney)—Buildings and about 1,215 feet of land on the easterly side of Gloucester street, numbered 5, between an estate of Sarah A. Haskell and an estate of Charlotte H. Denny, tax for 1923.....	321 10				
Kenneth C. Webb—Buildings and about 995 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Jefferson street, numbered 5, between an estate of Florence Loudon and an estate of Norman D. Shefferson, tax for 1923.....	80 45				
Berkeley Wheeler—about 3,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 26, block C, Morton and Quimby plan, January 9, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2182, tax for 1923.....	150 67				
Also about 3,029 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 25, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	167 96				
Also about 3,071 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 27, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	150 67				
Also about 3,092 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 28, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	153 14				
Also about 3,113 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 29, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	153 14				
Also about 3,134 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 30, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	155 61				
Also about 3,029 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 31, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	150 67				
Also about 3,048 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 32, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	150 67				
Also about 900 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being the westerly part of lot 33, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	44 46				
Also about 5,255 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being the easterly part of lot 33 and all of lot 34, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	259 35				
Also about 3,106 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 35, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	153 14				
Also about 3,266 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 36 and the westerly part of lot 37, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	160 55				
William Williams—Buildings and about 522 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 3, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of John F. Wood, tax for 1923.....	22 23				
Also buildings and about 514 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923, Also buildings and about 370 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 1, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 108 West Cedar street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923....	24 70				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 11				

Williams Realty Co.—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newbury street, numbered 123, extending through to Public Alley 435, between an estate of Edward M. Beals and an estate of Edith M. McCabe, tax for 1923..... \$839 80
Paid on account..... 500 00

Balance due..... 339 80
Also buildings and about 1,829 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 133 and 133A, between another estate of said Williams Realty Co. and an estate of Isaac Goldenberg, tax for 1923..... 247 00
Also buildings and about 1,423 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 131, between another estate of said Williams Realty Co., and an estate of Rachel L. Allen devisees, tax for 1923..... 202 54
John F. Wood—Also about 700 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts; easterly by another estate of said Wood; southerly by Gilson court; westerly by an estate of James Bowen heirs, tax for 1923..... 12 35
Also buildings and about 700 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 4, between an estate of William Williams and another estate of said Wood, tax for 1923..... 24 70
Also buildings and about 700 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Wood, tax for 1923..... 24 70
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 8 91

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Adelbert H. Allen—About 483 feet of land lying in the rear of the southwesterly side of Silver street, adjoining another estate of said Allen, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by an estate of John S. McGann, southeasterly by an estate of Victoria Melekia and another, southwesterly by an estate of said Allen, northwesterly by an estate of Michael D. Geaney, tax for 1923..... \$4 94

Adelbert H. Allen—About 966 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Silver street, adjoining another estate of said Allen, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by another estate of said Allen and an estate of John S. McGann; southeasterly by an estate, now or formerly of Victoria Melekia and another, numbered 99 Silver street; southwesterly by two estates of George W. Flynn, numbered 206, 208 and 218 West Fourth street; northwesterly by an estate of Michael D. Geaney, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Frances Anderson—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 395, between an estate of Julia M. Quinn and an estate of Peter Gailunas, tax for 1923..... \$93 86
Paid on account..... 70 00

Balance due..... 23 86
Frank J. Bertst, Matilda E. Wesslinger and Mary F. Hickey—Buildings and about 1,798 feet of land on the southwesterly side of D street, numbered 238 and 240, making the southerly corner of Silver street, adjoining an estate of John Mullins and another, tax for 1923..... 88 92

Richard T. Block—Buildings and about 1,668 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Seventh street, numbered 93, between an estate of John Barrett heirs and an estate of Otto Upmooor, tax for 1923..... 54 34

Also buildings and about 855 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Second street, numbered 175, between an estate of James F. Hopkins and an estate of Apohs Savage, tax for 1923..... 34 58

Also buildings and about 1,123 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, numbered 73, between an estate of Michael O'Brien and an estate of John Vaiginas, tax for 1923..... 32 11

Also buildings and about 840 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 135, between an estate of James S. McKenna and an estate of Daniel J. Holland, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Theresa E. Blue and Margaret L. Bunt—Buildings and about 819 feet of land on the southeasterly side of D street, numbered 239 and 241, making the southerly corner of Silver street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Kazulis and another, tax for 1923..... 29 64

Also buildings and about 1,300 feet

of land on the northeasterly side of Bolton street, numbered 230, between an estate of Mary A. Sutherland and an estate of Mary Laraway, tax for 1923..... 9 86

Evaline Brackett—Buildings and about 1,018 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bowen street, numbered 172, between an estate of Dennis J. Hogan and an estate of Charles D. Marselis and another, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 58, between an estate of said Brackett and an estate of Eva Oback, tax for 1923..... 34 58

Also buildings and about 952 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 60, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of Mary A. Carr, tax for 1923..... 34 58

Also buildings and about 454 feet of land on the southeasterly side of B street, numbered 59, between an estate of Eva Oback and another estate of said Evaline Brackett, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Also buildings and about 2,139 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 59, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of E. Mertain Hatch, tax for 1923..... 44 46

Also buildings and about 1,485 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 57, between two estates of said Brackett (numbered 55 and 59), tax for 1923..... 34 58

Also buildings and about 1,445 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 55, between two other estates of said Brackett, tax for 1923..... 34 58

Also buildings and about 1,296 feet of land on the southeasterly side of B street, numbered 61 and 63, making the southerly corner of Gold street, adjoining another estate of said Brackett, tax for 1923..... 66 69

Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, Trustees under will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 161,416 feet of land on the easterly side of West First street, numbered 340 and 342, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Edmund G. Pond, tax for 1923..... 1,037 40

Also buildings and about 11,447 feet of land on the northwesterly side of passageway leading from the northwesterly side of West First street, between another estate of said Butler and another and an estate of Robert E. Harrison and others, tax for 1923..... 190 19

Also buildings and about 5,653 feet of land on the northwesterly side of passageway leading from the northwesterly side of West First street, between another estate of said Butler and another and an estate of E. B. Badger & Sons Company, tax for 1923..... 192 66

Mary A. Carr—Buildings and about 925 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Silver street, numbered 60, between an estate of Andrins Katovousky and another and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923..... 19 76

William H. Cavanagh Heirs or Devises—About 1,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, between an estate of Metropolitan Trust Company, trustee, and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1922..... 7 41
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

John and Jennie Cerullo—About 994 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dresser street, bounded and described as follows: Northwestly by another estate of said Cerullo and another; northeasterly by an estate of Harold S. Small; southeasterly by Catherine A. Casey, and southwesterly by Dresser street, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 994 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dresser street, bounded and described as follows: Northwestly by an estate of Antonio De Feo; northeasterly by an estate of Harold S. Small; southeasterly by another estate of said Cerullo and southwesterly by Dresser street, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Marcian and Jennie Cerullo—Buildings and about 1,123 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, numbered 69, between an estate of Henry J. Orchard and an estate of Michael O'Brien, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,440 feet of land on A street, numbered 19, between an estate of Thomas A. Jackson and another and an estate of Domenick Szanezinns and another, tax for 1923..... 56 81

Also buildings and about 1,163 feet of land on the northwesterly side of D street, numbered 136, between an estate of Catherine A. Barry and another and an estate of Bolesu Yakubansky, tax for 1923..... 29 64

Hugh Collins—Buildings and about 1,792 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, numbered 55, between an estate of Daniel J. Collins and an estate of Richard J. Beatty and another, tax for 1923..... 91 39

Also buildings and about 1,680 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 224 and 226, between an estate of Louis Klein and an estate of Margaret Moore, tax for 1923..... 130 91

Also buildings and about 1,687 feet of land on the southeasterly side of E street, numbered 289, making the southerly corner of, and numbered 203 Gold street, adjoining an estate of Robert H. Barham, tax for 1923..... 93 86

Francis Crilly—Buildings and about 1,073 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 70, between an estate of Bridget O'Neill and an estate of William J. Delap, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Alice H. Davis—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 12, between an estate of Jacinta Dicho and an estate of said Davis, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Also buildings and about 1,249 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 10, between another estate of said Davis and an estate of Thomas A. Jackson and another, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Herbert J. and Hilda M. Devine—About 4,087 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tudor street, bounded and described as follows: Northwestly by an estate of John D. Bates Heirs; southwesterly by estates of Frederick Berg, Michael Foley and another and Winnifred A. Kelly; southeasterly by an estate of Patrick H. Tobin; northeasterly by Tudor street, tax for 1923..... 29 64

Jacinta Dicho—Buildings and about 742 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 16, making the northerly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Dicho, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also buildings and about 742 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 16 first rear, between two other estates of said Dicho, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also buildings and about 742 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 16 second rear, between an estate of said Jacinta Dicho and an estate of James Welch, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Norma Douglass—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the easterly side of N street, numbered 40 and 42, making the southeasterly corner of East Second street and an estate of Lelia Doe, tax for 1923..... 234 65

John A. Duggan—About 1,785 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of West Fifth street, between an estate of Florence M. De Vito and an estate of Washington I. Tuckerman, tax for 1923..... 19 76

Mary A. England—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Silver street, numbered 236, between an estate of Charles Mignosa and another and an estate of Calman Koeing, tax for 1923..... 27 17

Edward Farren—Buildings and about 840 feet of land on the northwesterly side of D street, numbered 156, making the westerly corner of Tudor street, adjoining another estate of said Farren, tax for 1923..... 30 52

Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Third street, numbered 347 and 349, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of Mary Lukus, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Also about 968 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tudor street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by Tudor street; southeasterly by another estate of said Farren; southwesterly by an estate of Patrick J. Shields, and northwesterly by an estate of Thomas Lee and another, tax for 1923..... 7 41

John Faust—Buildings and about 770 feet of land lying in the rear from northeasterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 256 rear, in rear of and adjoining an estate of John E. Galvin and another (numbered 256), tax for 1923..... 12 35

Lewis Flanders & Co.—About 6,224 feet of land on the easterly side of Granite street, between an estate of American Sugar Refining Company and another estate of said Flanders & Co., tax for 1923..... 207 48

Also buildings and about 11,015 feet of land on the easterly side of Granite street, numbered 68, between two other estates of said Flanders & Co., tax for 1923.....	617 50	
Also buildings and about 3,687 feet of land on the easterly side of Granite street, numbered 70 and 70A, between another estate of said Flanders & Co. and an estate of Moore and Wyman Elevator and Machine Works, tax for 1923.....	135 85	
Sarah A. Foley—Buildings and about 968 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Athens street, numbered 213, between an estate of Mary Clougherty and an estate of Tekla Ambroz, tax for 1923.....	27 17	
Mary E. Ford—Buildings and about 943 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 106, making the easterly corner of and numbered 117 and 119 D street, adjoining an estate of Catherine M. King, tax for 1923.....	54 34	
Silvio Galante—About 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, between another estate, now or formerly, of said Silvio Galante and an estate of Michael McDermott, heirs (numbered 70 and 70A), tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, between two other estates of said Silvio Galante, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street between another estate of said Silvio Galante and an estate of G. Gorham Peters, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also buildings and about 8,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Third street, formerly numbered 43, 43A, 43B, 45, 47 and 49, between an estate of Ellen O'Mara (numbered 39) and an estate of G. Gorham Peters and others, tax for 1923.....	372 97	
Anna A. Gerich, Devises—About 1,444 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Eighth street, formerly numbered 112, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Metropolitan Trust Company, trustees; northeasterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; southeasterly by an estate of Rose Bloom and another, and southwesterly by West Eighth street, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
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Joseph Giblin Heirs—About 1,000 feet of land, lying in rear from northeasterly side of West Broadway, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Margaret Ryan; northwesterly by estates of P. A. Foley and Julia A. Loughlin and Joseph Plank; southeasterly and southwesterly by an estate of Eva Zvingilas, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Annie Grimes—About 5,715 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Second street, making westerly corner of a passageway, extending through to Bolton street, between two estates of Thomas P. Walsh and another (numbered 181) and an estate of John O'Connor, northeasterly side of Bolton street, tax for 1923.....	64 22	
John Gudonis—Buildings and about 1,012 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 170, between an estate of the City of Boston and an estate of Michael J. Fay and another (numbered 168 and 168 rear), tax for 1923.....	\$39 52	
Paid on account.....	29 49	
Balance due.....	10 03	
Francis S. Hesseltine—Buildings and about 544 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Pulaski avenue, numbered 6, between an estate of Ernest Hormel and an estate of Patrick Coan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Edward J. Hickey—Buildings and about 3,680 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 104 and 106, between an estate of Lagio and Sotir Elia and an estate of Winifred Connolly, tax for 1923.....	98 80	
Also about 1,344 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, between an estate of Anthony M. Zottoli trustee and an estate of John J. Smith and another, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
William P. Higgins—About 1,039 feet of land on the northerly side of a passageway leading from the southerly side of East Second street, being lot 16, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6 page 167, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,740 feet of land on the northwesterly side of D street, numbered 186 and 188, making the northerly corner of Bowen street, adjoining an estate of Mathias Zoba and another, tax for 1923.....	106 21	
Also buildings and about 2,345 feet of land on the southeasterly side of A street, numbered 113, between an estate of Peter Chaplik and an estate of Michael J. Lydon, tax for 1923.....	79 04	
Also buildings and about 1,080 feet of land on the easterly side of O street, numbered 70, between an estate of Alexander W. Thompson and an estate of Giuseppe Mosea and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40	
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Also about 1,560 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Baxter street, making the easterly corner of a passageway and adjoining an estate of Joseph P. Manning, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
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Patrick Horan Heirs—About 1,050 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Silver street, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Barrett, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, in volume 6, page 33, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Eleanor Ivaskievicz—Buildings and about 2,715 feet of land on the northwesterly side of E street, numbered 346, making the northerly and westerly corners of and numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 Adams place and adjoining an estate of Lorenzo Cowen, tax for 1923,.....	41 90	
Mahsood Jarmagian—Buildings and about 999 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 95, between an estate of said Jarmagian and an estate of Philip Thomes, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
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Mary F. Kearney—Buildings and about 1,170 feet of land on the northerly side of East Broadway, numbered 872, making the northeasterly corner of O street, adjoining an estate of Mary Dunn, tax for 1923.....	91 39	
Annie M. Kelley—About 1,300 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Second street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, Junior; southwesterly by an estate of Patrick Gorham; southeasterly by another estate of said Kelley and northeasterly by West Second street, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 1,083 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Second street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Mary Ryan; southwesterly by an estate of Daniel Flynn and another; southeasterly by an estate of said Kelley; northeasterly by West Second street, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 1,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Matthew Kennedy heirs; southwesterly by estates of Elizabeth Barry and others and Morris Freedman; southeasterly by an estate of Elizabeth F. Healey, and northeasterly by Bolton street, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also buildings and about 1,680 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 274, between an estate of Patrick J. Wall and an estate of Joseph and Emilia Kowalska, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Charles J. Kelley—About 1,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by a passageway; southwesterly by an estate of Rose Bloom and another and an estate of Anna A. Gerich devisees; northwesterly by an estate of William H. Cavanagh heirs; northeasterly by Baxter street, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 2,133 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, extending through to B street, between an estate of Thomas Swan and an estate of Margaret J. O'Connor and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40	
Also buildings and about 1,504 feet of land on the southerly side of East Second street, numbered 555, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of George L. Donaher and another, tax for 1922.....	37 05	
Tax for 1923.....	37 05	
Also buildings and about 1,503 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of East Second street, numbered 555 rear, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of George L. Donaher and another, tax for 1922.....	32 11	
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William W. Kennard—About 2,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of The Little House, Inc. (Massachusetts corporation); northeasterly by two estates of Catherine A. O'Brien and another and an estate of Timothy Crowley; southeasterly by an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; southwesterly by Athens street, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Josephine Ketursansky (reassessed from Michael J. Nee)—About 394 feet of land on southwesterly side of Silver street, between an estate of Joseph Keturgusky (numbered 59) and the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Eugene F. and Ellen J. Lally—Buildings and about 1,339 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Sixth street, numbered 143, between an estate of Herbert C. Hartwell and an estate of Albina Miliauskas, tax for 1923.....	59 28	
Henry A. Lane—About 3,253 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fifth Street place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Fifth Street place; easterly by an estate of Codman; southerly by estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, and westerly by estate of Florence M. DeVito, tax for 1923.....	29 64	
Christopher F. Lavery—About 1,125 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bolton street, between an estate of Ellen V. Courtney and an estate of Albert W. Rook (numbered 284), being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 61, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
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Theresa G. Leary—Buildings and about 2,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 28, between an estate of Frank J. Riley and another and an estate of Margaret M. Riley, tax for 1923.....	88 92	
Also about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, adjoining an estate of Emma J. Finnegan (numbered 31), being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 11, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923,.....	9 88	
Sarah Lynch—Buildings and about 906 feet of land on the southerly side of East Second street, numbered 575, between an estate of Artemus Wood and another and an estate of Charlotte M. Doherty, tax for 1923.....	44 46	
Phillip C. and Mary J. Maginnis—Buildings and about 1,378 feet of land on the southwesterly side of F street, numbered 118, between an estate of Mary Kelly and an estate of Martin O'Hare, tax for 1923.....	103 74	
Edward J. Mahoney—Buildings and about 1,124 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, numbered 137 and 139, between an estate of Sarah Coplan and an estate of Ellen F. Moynihan, tax for 1923.....	27 17	
Also buildings and about 1,575 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, numbered 145, between an estate of Ellen F. Moynihan and an estate of Joseph Kvarcerius, tax for 1923.....	59 28	

John Mahoney Heirs—Buildings and about 1,508 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Silver street, num-bered 140, between an estate of Jurgis G. Gegniz and another and an estate of Peter J. Williams and another, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Bridget E. Murray—About 1,155 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowen street, (formerly numbered 91), being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 24, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	George E. Rogers—About 1,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, between an estate of Patrick Foley and an estate of Anita E. Wheel-wright, tax for 1922.....	14 82
Mary Manning, William J. Cavanagh and Michael J. Cavanagh—Buildings and about 666 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bell court, numbered 8, between an estate of Herbert S. Barber and an estate of David P. Doolan, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Joseph A. Nagle—Buildings and about 602 feet of land on the northerly side of East Third street, numbered 430, making the junction of Emerson street, adjoining an estate of Catherine M. Quinn, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Kazimeras and Annie Rudokas—Build-ings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Second street, numbered 281 and 283, making the westerly corner of a passageway and adjoining an estate of Michael Sullivan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Horace Manson Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 2,614 feet of land on the northerly side of East Third street, numbered 402 and 404, making the southeasterly corner of Dorchester street, adjoining an estate of Lucy F. Little (numbered 406, 408 and 408½ East Third street), tax for 1923.....	81 51	Patrick O'Brien Heirs—About 989 feet of land on the southerly side of East Second street, adjoining an estate of Antonio Ferraro and another, being lot 8, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 167, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bolton street, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of George Kanevicius, tax for 1923.....	61 75
Walter P. McClary—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Gardner place, num-bered 5, between an estate of Robert L. Devine and an estate of Lamont Rich, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Edward and Rosalie Y. Parker, Trustees under will of Andrew Abbott—About 1,385 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Athens street, between an estate of Joseph Plank and an estate of Julia A. Loughlin, tax for 1923.....	17 29	John M. Shea—Buildings and about 1,340 feet of land on the southeasterly side of D street, numbered 157 and 157A, making the southerly corner of Tudor street, adjoining an estate of Catherine Murphy, tax for 1923.....	64 22
John R. McGinley—Buildings and about 1,287 square feet of land on the north-easterly side of West Seventh street, numbered 172, between another estate of said McGinley and an estate of Mary E. Cannon, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Otto Pearson—About 1,760 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, between an estate of Benjamin O'Neil and an estate of Peter Chaplik, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Harry H. Spevack and Gertrude Jacobs—Buildings and about 1,285 feet of land on the southeasterly side of D street, numbered 137, between another estate of said Spevack and another and an estate of John F. Duffy and another, tax for 1923.....	54 34
Also buildings and about 1,246 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Seventh street, numbered 170, between another estate of said McGinley and an estate of Sarah A. Devine, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Arthur J. Phalen—Buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the south-westerly side of West Fourth street, numbered 123, between an estate of said Phalen and an estate of Nicolo Bombaci, tax for 1923.....	54 34	Also buildings and about 1,284 feet of land on the southeasterly side of D street, numbered 139, between an- other estate of said Spevack and another and an estate of Frank Urbano and another, tax for 1923.....	54 34
Metropolitan Trust Company, Trustee under will of John Cavanagh—About 1,495 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Eighth street, adjoining an estate of Anna A. Gerich devisees, being a lot shown on plan made (from deed) by F. S. Hunter, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also buildings and about 1,782 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 125, between another estate of said Phalen and another estate of said Phalen, tax for 1923.....	44 46	St. Joseph's Lithuanian Roman Catholic Association of Labor (Massachusetts Corporation)—Buildings and about 3,346 feet of land on the northwest-erly side of E street, numbered 330, making the westerly corner of Athens street and adjoining an estate of Mary C. Hopkins, tax for 1923.....	\$617 50
Also about 740 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Baxter street; south-easterly by an estate of William H. Cavanagh heirs; southwesterly by an an estate of said Metropolitan Trust Company, trustee, and an estate of Charles J. Kelley; northwesterly by an estate of Joseph W. Orchard, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also buildings and about 1,140 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Sixth street, numbered 53, be- tween an estate of Thomas Duran and an estate of Mary Creed and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Paid on account.....	500 00
Francis L. Moore Heirs—About 978 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bowen street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Bowen street; southeasterly by an estate of Patrick Hart (numbered 158 and 160 Bowen street); northeasterly by an estate of Thomas L. Ormsby (num-bered 165 and 167); westerly and northwesterly by an estate of Richard G. Graham, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Fredia Radinsky and Reoeca Silver-stein, reassessed from Joseph D. Stukas and another—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Silver street, num-bered 154 and 156, between an estate of Francis X. Courtney and another and an estate of Joseph D. Stukas and another, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Balance due.....	117 50
Peter J. Mullen—Buildings and about 1,875 feet of land on the northerly side of East Third street, numbered 754, between an estate of Mary McCormack and an estate of Ernest Hornel, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Also about 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Silver street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Joseph D. Stukasown; northeasterly by an estate of Joseph D. Stukasown; south-easterly by an estate of George Horan and southwesterly by Silver street, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Patrick H. Tobin—Buildings and about 980 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tudor street, numbered 171, between an estate of Sarah A. Devine and an estate of Herbert J. Devine and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Nora L. Murphy—About 1,039 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West First street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said Murphy; southwesterly by an estate of Mary E. Coughlin; southeasterly by another estate of said Murphy, and northeasterly by West First street, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Ralph Rand (reassessed from Phillip Rand)—About 1,310 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, between an estate of Maurice Gerstein and others and another estate of said Rand, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Scott H. Tolman—Buildings and about 2,172 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Third street, numbered 17, between two other estates of said Tolman, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Also about 1,033 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West First street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said Murphy; southwesterly by an estate of Luccia Abbrugese; south-easterly by another estate of said Murphy, and northeasterly by West First street, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 1,310 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, between an estate of Sarah M. Williams and another estate of said Rand, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 2,142 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Third street, numbered 19, be- tween another estate of said Tolman and an estate of Mary Murphy heirs, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Also about 1,029 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West First street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said Murphy; southwesterly by an estate of Lucia Abbrugese; south-easterly by another estate of said Murphy, and northeasterly by West First street, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Ethel B. Rich—Buildings and about 451 feet of land on the westerly side of Barnard place, numbered 1, between an estate of Giuseppe Fiore and an estate of Charles M. Driscoll, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Helen H. Torrey—Buildings and about 1,539 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Payson court, numbered 1, be- tween an estate of said Torrey and an estate of Edith N. Yont, tax for 1923,.....	37 05
Also about 1,025 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West First street, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Nora L. Murphy, tax for 1923,.....	7 41	Lamont Rich—Buildings and about 1,146 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Athens street, numbered 155, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Bridget Powers, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Also buildings and about 2,430 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Broadway, numbered 310, 310A, 312 and 312A, making the northerly corner of Payson court adjoining an- other estate of said Torrey, tax for 1923.....	200 07
Also about 1,044 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West First street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Edmund G. Pond; southwesterly by an estate of Jeremiah T. Coughlin; southeasterly by another estate of said Murphy, and northeasterly by West First street, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Jacob and Edith B. Richman—Buildings and about 929 feet of land on the north-easterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 190 and 190A, making the easterly corner of and numbered 23 Grimes street, adjoining an estate of Gertrude C. O'Hare, tax for 1923.....	79 04	Thomas P. Walsh and Jessie Cram, Trustees of Francis Realty Trust—Buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the northwesterly side of C street, numbered 292 and 292A, mak- ing the westerly corner of West Second street, adjoining another estate of said Walsh and another, tax for 1923.....	91 39
	7 41	Ida M. J. Richwood—About 1,575 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, making the north-erly corner of a passageway and ad-joining an estate of Rosalie Y. Parker, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also buildings and about 909 feet of land on the northwesterly side of C street, numbered 290, between two other estates of said Walsh and an- other, tax for 1923.....	69 16
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Also buildings and about 675 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 85, between an estate of Edgar T. Ward's Son's Company and an estate of Nathan D. A. Clarke, tax for 1923..... 9 88

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Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 5,179 feet of land at the end of a passageway leading off of the easterly side of I street, not numbered, in rear of and adjoining an estate of Teresa Buccieri, numbered 16 and 18 I street, in rear of and adjoining an estate of Patrick Corbett (numbered 12 I street), tax for 1923..... 98 80

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Ellen J. Aylwood—Buildings and about 2,160 feet of land on the westerly side of Old Harbor street, numbered 75, between an estate of Peter Bizinkauskas and an estate of Thomas Gilhooly and another, tax for 1923, 39 52

Samuel M. Bedlington and Edward R. Rogers—Buildings and about 1,664 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dorchester street, numbered 110 and 112, between an estate of Emma F. Morse and an estate of Cosmas Lazar and another, tax for 1923..... 86 45

Samuel M. Bedlington Devises—Buildings and about 1,025 feet of land on the westerly side of Old Harbor street, numbered 53, making the northwesterly corner of Telegraph street, between an estate of Mary I. Tancred and an estate of Catherine Connolly, tax for 1923..... 83 98

Sarah Bergman—About 375 feet of land on the westerly side of K street, making the northwesterly corner of Columbia road, adjoining an estate of Thomas F. Quinn (numbered 417 K street), tax for 1923..... 7 41

Mary S. Bohld—Buildings and about 1,121 feet of land on the southerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 685, between an estate of Michael F. O'Brien and another and an estate of Mary A. Hurley, tax for 1923..... 54 34

Valerie Brackett—Buildings and about 868 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 260, between an estate of said Brackett and an estate of Patrick J. McDonough, tax for 1923..... 29 64

Also buildings and about 713 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 262, between two other estates of said Brackett (numbered 260 and 264), tax for 1923, 24 70

Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 264, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of Karel Verneuler and another, tax for 1923..... 324 70

Christopher Broderick—Buildings and about 2,240 feet of land on the easterly side of Webb park, numbered 2 and 4, between an estate of Oscar B. Shubert and another and an estate of trustees of Phillips Church Society, tax for 1923..... 163 02

John and Annie Byckus—Buildings and about 1,314 feet of land on the northerly side of East Eighth street, numbered 334, making the northwesterly corner of Old Harbor street, adjoining an estate of Ellen Conant (numbered 332 East Eighth street), tax for 1923..... 64 22

Helen M. Carew—About 2,063 feet of land on the westerly side of G street, between an estate of Netherland American Recreation Club and an estate of Hedwig F. Stratton (numbered 152), being lot A, William Kelly plan, dated January 15, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3184, page 482, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Catherine Cassery—About 1,531 feet of land on the easterly side of Douglass street, formerly numbered 4, between an estate of Monica Vilkas (numbered 8) and an estate of George H. McKenna, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 2 56

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 7 85

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,530 feet of land on the easterly side of Brewster street, numbered 12, adjoining an estate of John R. McDonald and others and an estate of James L. Hughes, tax for 1923..... 44 46

Also about 3,835 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Columbia road, between an estate of John B. Garvey and others (numbered 1592) and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923, 49 40

Charles J. and Helen F. Chance—Buildings and about 6,375 feet of land on the northerly side of East Sixth street, numbered 796, between an estate of Charles J. Chance and an estate of Lucretia E. Hall, tax for 1923..... 83 98

Charles J. Chance—About 3,187 feet of land on the northerly side of East Sixth street, between an estate of Charles J. Chance and another (numbered 796) and an estate of Mary J. Mack (numbered 794), tax for 1923, 27 17

Mary Chmiell—Buildings and about 4,391 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Douglass street, adjoining two estates of Emma Finn (numbered 7 and 5), tax for 1923..... 103 74

William E. Cullen—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 557, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway and an estate of Margaret Daley, tax for 1923..... 66 69

Charles A. Dailey—Buildings and about 9,387 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 638-642, between an estate of Henry Lawn heirs or devisees and an estate of Mary E. Dailey, tax for 1923..... 585 39

Mary E. Dailey—Buildings and about 5,229 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 628-636, between an estate of Charles A. Dailey and an estate of Thomas J. Gordon, tax for 1923..... 125 97

Mary Daly—Buildings and about 1,534 feet of land on the easterly side of Brewster street, numbered 8, between an estate of Jane Schell and an estate of Sarah Lynch, tax for 1923..... 44 46

John Dennis—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of K street, numbered 397 rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of John J. Henwood, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Michael P. and Hannah E. Diggin—Buildings and about 1,798 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 266, between an estate of Margaret A. Tarbett and an estate of Edward G. Moore, tax for 1923..... 56 81

James P. and Mary Doyle—Buildings and about 1,095 feet of land on the westerly side of Springer street, numbered 15, between an estate of Walter A. Kennedy and an estate of Antonio Brescia and another, tax for 1923..... 39 52

Joseph A. Duffley—Buildings and about 4,125 feet of land on the northerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 654, between an estate of Elizabeth J. Maliff and an estate of Nora Mullen, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Celina Ghilain—About 1,837 feet of land on the northerly side of Columbia road, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Columbia road; westerly by land of Mary E. Creed; northerly by an estate of Denis J. Hogan (numbered 8 Covington street); easterly by an estate of Vincas Yankauskas (numbered 1322 Columbia road), tax for 1922..... 14 82

Tax for 1923..... 14 82

Cynthia J. Gore and Ellen Yeaton—Buildings and about 2,205 feet of land on the westerly side of Mercer street, numbered 39, between an estate of Bridget Welsh and an estate of Gaetano Silvestro, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Bessie Greenberg—Buildings and about 2,386 feet of land on the northerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 524, between an estate of Mary Courtney and an estate of Mary A. Madden, tax for 1923..... 49 40

Herman F. Hemmen—Buildings and about 990 feet of land on the southerly side of East Sixth street, numbered 465, between an estate of said Hemmen and an estate of Wallace Adler and another tax for 1923..... 39 52

Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the easterly side of G street, numbered 64, making the northeasterly corner of East Fifth street, between an estate of George P. Rich and another estate of said Hodsdon, tax for 1923..... 96 33

Also buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fifth street, numbered 390, between an estate of Harry W. Stark and an-

other estate of said Hodsdon, tax for 1923..... 69 16

Edward M. and Jessie B. Hood—Buildings and about 1,610 feet of land on the southerly side of East Fifth street, numbered 671, adjoining another estate of Charles Zappala and others and an estate of John J. Sullivan, tax for 1923..... 66 69

Howe Memorial Association—About 125,148 feet of land on the southerly side of East Eighth street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by East Eighth street; easterly by N street; southerly by Marine road; westerly by M street, tax for 1923..... 926 25

Clara B. Hull—Buildings and about 1,912 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 530, between an estate of Leander K. Marston, trustee, and an estate of said Clara B. Hull, tax for 1923..... 106 21

Also buildings and about 1,912 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 528, between another estate of said Hull and an estate of Annie E. Higgins, tax for 1923..... 96 33

George and Fortini Karthas—Buildings and about 903 feet of land on the northerly side of James avenue, numbered 3, between an estate of George Zagrachos and an estate of Charles F. Wyman, trustee, tax for 1923..... 32 11

Fred Keenan—About 589 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden place, adjoining another estate of said Keenan, being lot 8, Abel C. Small plan, dated April 8, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1102, page 58, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 589 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden place, adjoining another estate of said Keenan, being lot 7, Abel C. Small plan, dated April 8, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1102, page 58, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,045 feet of land on the westerly side of I street, numbered 169, between an estate of Barbara C. Eichorn and an estate of Frank Russo, tax for 1923..... 66 69

Mary A. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,909 feet of land on the westerly side of G street, numbered 55, between an estate of Anna E. Godfrey and an estate of Annie Theresa Redmond, tax for 1923..... 101 27

Henry J. Kennedy—About 38,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Columbia road, extending through to East Eighth street, between an estate of John West Thread Company and an estate of Netherland American Recreation Club, tax for 1923..... 261 82

Magdalena Kogel—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 551, between an estate of George Holmes and an estate of Margaret Daly, tax for 1923..... 79 04

Delia Lee—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Eighth street, numbered 701, making the northwesterly corner of M street, adjoining an estate of Anna C. Clauson, tax for 1923..... 91 39

Dennis F. and Bridget McHenry—Buildings and about 1,462 feet of land on the westerly side of Linden street, numbered 20, making the northwesterly corner of Thomas park, numbered 11, adjoining an estate of Chrisella E. O'Brien, tax for 1923..... 39 52

Horace Manson Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,725 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 536, between an estate of Bernard Capen and an estate of Margaret C. O'Connor, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Also buildings and about 1,515 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dorchester street, numbered 133, between an estate of Horace Manson and an estate of Bethesda Lodge No. 30, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Also buildings and about 1,068 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dorchester street, numbered 135, making the northerly corner of Gold street, adjoining an estate of said Horace Manson, tax for 1923..... 91 39

Bridget K. McDonough—Buildings and about 2,605 feet of land on the westerly side of Ticknor street, numbered 16, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12739, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 17 00

Dennis J. and Thomas McGillicuddy—Buildings and about 19,225 feet of land on the southerly side of East Sixth street, numbered 885, extending through to Columbia road, adjoining an estate of Eva F. Hartnett and others, tax for 1923..... 461 89

Charles B. McHannon—Buildings and about 1,196 feet of land on the westerly side of G street, numbered 148, between an estate of Everett B. Henderson and another and an estate of Ellen McCarthy heirs, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Michael and Sarah McKeon—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, numbered 299 and 301, between an estate of Clara Geary and an estate of James Cavanagh, tax for 1923.....	41 09		
Mary E. Miller—Buildings and about 1,191 feet of land on the northerly side of East Eighth street, numbered 552, between an estate of Lena M. Stofflet and an estate of Israel Goldstein, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
John M. and Helen M. Moore—Buildings and about 1,015 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fifth street, numbered 612, between an estate of William J. Mahoney and another and an estate of said Moore, tax for 1923, 49 40			
Nora Noonan—Buildings and about 2,059 feet of land on the westerly side of K street, numbered 267, between an estate of trustees of Hawes Fund and an estate of George L. Whitehouse, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Arthur J. Phalen—Buildings and about 817 feet of land on the southerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 3, between another estate of said Phalen and an estate of Annie M. White, tax for 1923, 27 17			
Also buildings and about 755 feet of land on the southerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 1, between another estate of said Phalen and an estate of Samuel W. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Also buildings and about 834 feet of land on the northerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 12, between an estate of William J. Burke and another and an estate of Julia Ward Howe devisees, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Also buildings and about 817 feet of land on the southerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 13, between an estate of said Phalen and an estate of Francis P. Willcutt and another, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
George Rumba—About 589 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden place, adjoining another estate of said Rumba, being lot 5, Abel C. Small plan, dated April 8, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1102, page 58, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 589 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden place, adjoining another estate of said Rumba, being lot 6, Abel C. Small plan, dated April 8, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1102, page 58, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Hannah Scott—Buildings and about 2,332 feet of land on the northerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 536, between an estate of Trustees of Phillips Church Society and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
John M. Shea—Buildings and about 1,046 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 279, between an estate of Margaret Moore and an estate of Winifred B. Sharkey, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Also buildings and about 1,354 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 272, between an estate of Edward G. Moore and an estate of Charles M. Ambrose, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
Leonard J. and Mabel Smith—Buildings and about 802 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowen street, between an estate of Julia F. O'Hearn and an estate of Mary Cady, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Standard Tire and Rubber Company—Buildings and about 17,500 feet of land on the southerly side of East Sixth street, numbered 803, between an estate of Boston Yacht Club and an estate of George W. Thomas, tax for 1923.....	768 17		
Madeline C. Stroessel—Buildings and about 1,620 feet of land on the southerly side of Thomas park, numbered 60, between an estate of William A. Egan and an estate of John Bratenas and another, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Also about 3,867 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Thomas Park, adjoining another estate of said Stroessel (numbered 60), being a lot shown on William Kelly plan, dated March, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2268, page 522, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Patrick F. and Julia A. Sughrie—Buildings and about 881 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Eighth street, numbered 226A, extending through to Telegraph street and an estate of John W. O'Connell and an estate of Albina E. Donovan, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
James A. Tehan—Buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bowen street, numbered 284, between an estate of James H. Boyle and an estate of Peter Plansky and another, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Helen H. Torrey—Buildings and about 1,977 feet of land on the southerly side of East Fifth street, numbered 621, between an estate of Mary Courtney and an estate of Peter Chaplick and another, tax for 1923.....	69 16		
John P. and Annie M. Tuinila—Buildings and about 4,081 feet of land on the northerly side of Columbia road, numbered 1626 and 1628, between an estate of Joseph Grevizskis and another and an estate of Anthony M. Ivaszkevics and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8402, tax for 1923.....	207 48		
Nellie Waldron—Buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the westerly side of N street, numbered 141, between an estate of Mary I. Lynch and another and an estate of James Costello, tax for 1923.....	69 16		
William E. S. Whitman, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,339 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Broadway, numbered 473, between an estate of Mary A. B. Gray and another estate of said Whitman, tax for 1923.....	200 07		
Also buildings and about 1,662 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Broadway, numbered 475 and 477, between an estate of Henry J. Bowen and another estate of said Whitman, tax for 1923.....	227 24		
James Wuchie—Buildings and about 589 feet of land on the westerly side of Linden place, numbered 6, between an estate of Mary T. McCarthy and an estate of Francesco D'Addio, tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Anthony Yesineskas—Buildings and about 1,642 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of East Sixth street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of William J. Dwyer and Sarah Bohane (numbered 556 and 558 East Sixth street), tax for 1923.....	19 76		
WARD ELEVEN.			
Richard F. Andrews, Junior—About 2,862 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, being a lot shown on Morton & Quimby plan, September 22, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2406, page 114, tax for 1923.....	\$34 58		
Bertha, Maurice and Sidney Bergman & each, undivided—About 492 feet of land on the westerly side of Old Colony avenue, making the northwesterly corner of Boston place, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Fleming (numbered 12 Boston place), tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Donald M. Blair, surviving Trustee under will of John S. Blair—Buildings and about 1,539 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ward court, numbered 1, between an estate of Hattie E. Carver and an estate of Bernice Bulkowski, tax for 1923.....	46 93		
Richard T. Block—Buildings and about 1,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glover court, numbered 1, between an estate of Christina Fabian and an estate of Bridget G. Fitzgerald, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also buildings and about 865 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, numbered 141, making the westerly corner of Earl street, adjoining an estate of Michael McGann, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Also buildings and about 1,548 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Ninth street, numbered 190, between an estate of Mary E. Creed and an estate of Benedetto DeLuca, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Evaline Brackett (supposed present owner Samuel Munllower)—Buildings and about 1,530 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Eighth street, numbered 265, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of Antonio Arrichiello, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
Also buildings and about 1,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Eighth street, numbered 267, between an estate of Everett M. Taylor and another estate of said Brackett, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
Also buildings and about 1,540 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Ninth street, numbered 264 and 264A, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of William Lynch, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Also buildings and about 1,509 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Ninth street, numbered 262, between two other estates of said Brackett, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Also buildings and about 1,569 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Ninth street, numbered 260, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of Victor Kaylauskis and another, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Enrico and Louisa Brebbia—Buildings and about 13,828 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 84 and 84 rear, between another estate of said Brebbia and another and an estate of Mary E. McDonald, tax for 1923.....	\$232 18		
Paid on account.....	120 00		
Balance due.....	112 18		
Also buildings and about 11,298 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 78 and 78 rear, between an estate of M. Brabon and another estate of said Brebbia and another, tax for 1923.....	\$202 54		
Paid on account.....	120 00		
Balance due.....	82 54		
Also about 5,563 feet of land at the end of passageway, leading from and in the rear of the northerly side of East Cottage street and another, being lot 1, E. L. Moulton plan, October 24, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4415, page 93, tax for 1923.....	\$19 76		
Paid on account.....	10 00		
Balance due.....	9 76		
Mary B. Bright—About 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newman court, being lot 125, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newman court, being lot 123, same plan, tax for 1923, 9 88			
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newman court, being lot 124, same plan, tax for 1923, 9 88			
Thomas J. Broderick, John F. Barry and Thomas J. Keegan, Trustees of Clifton Associates—About 3,308 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holden street, bounded and described as follows: northerly by Holden street; easterly by an estate of Mary T. Sprague, southerly by an estate of Samuel R. Field and westerly by an estate of Bernard Hughes, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 70		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	26 99		
Percival L. Caine—Buildings and about 22,560 feet of land on the westerly side of Sumner street, numbered 59, between an estate of Lillian A. Douse and another estate of said Caine, tax for 1923.....	234 65		
Frank Campbell Devisees—Buildings and about 14,770 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 8, between an estate of said Campbell devisees and an estate of Mary A. Shea, tax for 1922.....	232 18		
Also about 4,905 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Mt. Vernon street; southeasterly by another estate of said Campbell devisees; north-easterly by an estate of Paul Rubinskas and another and Benjamin F. Cleary heirs and northwesterly by an estate of Mary E. Lane, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Francis A. Campbell, James Sullivan and William J. Gallivan, Trustees—About 5,157, assessed as 5,187 feet of land on the easterly side of Boston street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Boston street; northerly by an estate of Charles T. Reed heirs; easterly by an estate of John M. Chmielinski and southerly by an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Charles R. Cavanagh, Trustee of Gerald Cavanagh and William Cavanagh—Buildings and about 36,562 feet of land on the southerly side of Alger street extension, numbered 9, between an estate of S. A. Wood Machine Company and an estate of Metropolitan Trust, trustees, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	76 12		
Harry P. Chadwick (supposed present owner Felix Milona)—Buildings and about 3,360 feet of land on the southerly side of Kemp street, numbered 4, between an estate of William H. Kemp and another estate of William H. Kemp, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Harry P. Chadwick (supposed present owner Vincenzo and Giovanna Guarcello)—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, numbered 33, making the southerly corner of Champney court, adjoining an estate of Frank L. Cook, tax for 1923.....	29 64		

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 3,462 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humphrey street, numbered 48, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1 Quincefield street, adjoining an estate of Martha J. Ferson, tax for 1923.....	172 90	6 93
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		
Also about 1,505 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, making the southerly corner of Kemp street, being lot A, C. F. Baxter plan, May 21, 1883, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 1,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 1,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, being lot C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 1,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, being lot D, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 834 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, being lot 3, shown on assessors' plans, dated December 15, 1876, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
John M. Chmielinsky—About 5,556 feet of land on the westerly side of Albert street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Albert street, southerly by an estate of Polish Industrial Association; westerly by estates of Barbara Radzowski and other estates of John M. Chmielinsky and northerly by another estate of said of said Chmielinsky, tax for 1923.....	27 17	
Also buildings and about 4,486 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 666, between an estate of Barbara Radzowski and another estate of said Chmielinsky, tax for 1923.....	81 51	
Also about 9,604 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, extending through to Albert street, between an estate of William H. Kemp and another estate of said Chmielinsky, being a lot shown on an unnamed plan, dated June 30, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	71 63	
Also about 26,110 feet of land on the northerly side of Kemp street, making the northeasterly corner of Albert street, adjoining an estate of Harry W. Cotton and others, same plan, tax for 1923.....	96 33	
Also about 6,134 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, extending through to Boston street, between an estate of John R. Chapman and others (numbered 615), and an estate of John F. Gualina (numbered 625), tax for 1923.....	76 57	
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	17 31	
Julia and Edward B. Clapp and Mary L. Blake—About 73,304 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Boston street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Frank E. Buxton, trustee; northerly by an estate of Jeremiah J. McCarthy and another; easterly by sundry estates fronting on Boston street, and southerly by West Bellflower street, tax for 1923.....	363 09	
Also about 1,672 feet of land on the easterly side of Boston street, between an estate of William C. Clapp and an estate of Julia E. Sheehan (numbered 146), tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Also about 7,415 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Willow court, being lot B. F. O. Whitney plan, May 5, 1885, (revised by F. L. Clapp) October 20, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4418, page 158, tax for 1923.....	27 17	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	18 95	
Martha M. Clapp Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 15,343 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Boston street, numbered 169, between an estate of Edward B. Clapp and another estate of said Clapp, tax for 1923.....	202 54	
Also about 82,591 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Boston street, between another estate of said Clapp heirs or devisees (numbered 169) and an estate of Michael O'Donnell (numbered 159), and another, tax for 1923.....	407 55	
David Collins—Buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the northerly side of Locust street, numbered 36, between an estate of Mary S. Smith and an estate of Meisel Press Manufacturing Company, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Mary J. Condon—Buildings and about 3,697 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 845, between an estate of Alice M. Mul-		
downey and an estate of Esther F. Condon, tax for 1923.....	\$150 67	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....	100 67	
Patrick Connelly—Buildings and about 975 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, numbered 215, between an estate of Eugene B. Hamilton and an estate of Jakob Littera and another, tax for 1923.....	51 87	
Frank L. Cook (supposed present owner Giovanni Geraculo)—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, being lots 103 and 104, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	29 64	
Tax for 1923.....	29 64	
Mary J. Corbett—About 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 68, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Harry W. Cotton, Arria F. C. Morrison, Frank B. Cotton, Heirs, Elizabeth A. Cotton, Jane E. Merchie, Charles B. Prince, Walter B. Grant, Trustee under will of Arria Cotton, benefit Elizabeth A. Cotton—About 31,109 feet of land on the northerly side of Hyde street, making the northwesterly corner of Old Colony avenue, adjoining an estate of Marceline Robison, tax for 1923.....	\$116 09	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....	66 09	
Also about 67,855 feet of land on the southerly side of Hyde street, extending through to Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, between an estate of Gustave Hauk (numbered 626 Dorchester avenue) and an estate of Annie O'Brien, tax for 1923.....	\$335 92	
Paid on account.....	200 00	
Balance due.....	135 92	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	156 79	
Also about 75,386 feet of land on the southerly side of Hyde street, making the southwesterly corner of Old Colony avenue, extending to and making the northwesterly corner of Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, adjoining an estate of Marceline Robison (numbered 1 Washington avenue), tax for 1923.....	\$279 11	
Paid on account.....	135 88	
Balance due.....	143 23	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	209 62	
Also about 98,762 feet of land on the southerly side of Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, making the southwesterly corner of Washington avenue, extending to and making the southeasterly corner of Albert street, shown on an unnamed plan, June 30, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	\$365 56	
Paid on account.....	200 00	
Balance due.....	165 56	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	118 63	
Also about 85,876 feet of land on the southerly side of Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, making the southeasterly corner of Washington avenue, extending to and making the northeasterly corner of Kemp street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	\$316 16	
Paid on account.....	200 00	
Balance due.....	116 16	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	130 10	
Also about 15,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly and southerly by an estate of Frederick F. Ayer heirs, trustees; westerly by Washington avenue and northerly by Kemp street, tax for 1923.....	\$56 81	
Paid on account.....	25 00	
Balance due.....	31 81	
Also about 18,620 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Kemp street, adjoining an estate of John J. Collins, tax for 1923.....	\$66 69	
Paid on account.....	25 00	
Balance due.....	41 69	
Also about 15,920 feet of land on the southerly side of Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, making the southwest-		
erly corner of Albert street, being a lot shown on an unnamed plan, June 30, 1918, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....	48 80	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	49 24	
Also about 6,012 feet of land on the westerly side of Old Colony avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Ralston street (formerly Abbot) street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	\$29 64	
Paid on account.....	10 00	
Balance due.....	19 64	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 87	
George W. Cuddy—About 2,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Howell street, being lot 4, F. A. Tracey plan, March 21, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2147, page 36, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Thomas Dalby—About 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 65, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 2,010 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Champney court, being lot 123, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Champney street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Champney street; northeasterly by an estate of Michael F. O'Connor and another and other estates fronting on Newman street; northwesterly by an estate of Louis Shales and southwesterly by an estate of Alexander McKenna and another, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
John D'Angelo—Buildings and about 1,070 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frederick street, between an estate of Harriet T. Concannon (numbered 7 Frederick street) and an estate of Albert C. Haley and another (numbered 179 West Ninth street), tax for 1923.....	14 82	
John W. Day (supposed present owner Thomas A. and Delia McCarthy)—Buildings and about 2,380 feet of land on the westerly side of Cawfield street, numbered 10, between another estate of said Day and an estate of Bessie W. Hazard and another, tax for 1923.....	153 14	
Margaret J. Doherty—About 1,526 feet of land on the southerly side of East Cottage street, being lot B, William Kelley plan, July 31, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3833, page 201, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Mary E. Dolan—Buildings and about 1,583 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hamlet street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Dolan and an estate of Catherine M. McKenna, tax for 1923.....	41 99	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 02	
Also buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hamlet street, numbered 14, between another estate of said Dolan and an estate of Benjamin Pope and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	11 53	
Climena H. Drake—About 1,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newman court, being lot 128, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
J. Sumner Draper, Henry B. Day, Willard Welsh Realty Company (Incorporated), George P. Hamlin and Edward Hamlin—About 62,628 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Mt. Vernon street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Thomas Cavanagh Company; southwesterly by an estate of John P. Howe and another estate of said J. Sumner Draper and others, and easterly by an estate of George N. Putnam and others, trustees, tax for 1923, \$185 25		
Paid on account.....	130 91	
Balance due.....	54 34	

Also about 13,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of John P. Howe; northeasterly and southeasterly by other estates of said J. Sumner Draper and others, and southerly by Mt. Vernon street, tax for 1923.....	\$49 40	
Paid on account.....	16 05	
Balance due.....		33 35
Also about 47,685 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot B, John H. Rice plan, March 21, 1903, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2893, page 200, tax for 1923.....	\$175 37	
Paid on account.....	160 55	
Balance due.....		14 82
Mary C. Fairbanks, one half; Louise White, one sixth; Sarah B. Huershoff, one sixth; Trustees of Kimball Union Academy, one sixth—About 1,052 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, bound and described as follows: Northeasterly by West Ninth street; southwesterly by an estate of Ellen Noonan; northwesterly by an estate of Mary McGrath; southeasterly by an estate of Abbott and Fernald Company, tax for 1923....		7 41
Giovanni Fallano—Buildings and about 1,198 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 117, between an estate of Charles H. Dolan and an estate of Martin Jennings, tax for 1923.....		32 11
Bartholomew J. Flaherty—Buildings and about 2,336 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, extending through to Old Colony avenue, between an estate of Mary Manning and an estate of Michael J. Riordan, tax for 1923.....		615 03
Sarah Flaherty—Buildings and about 1,310 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, between an estate of Zofia Jasiak and an estate of Eugene P. Hamilton, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Eleanor Fontaine—Buildings and about 2,621 feet of land on the westerly side of Sydney street (numbered 186), between another estate of said Fontaine and an estate of Martha L. Richardson and others, tax for 1923....		101 27
Also about 2,707 feet of land on the westerly side of Sydney street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Sydney street; northerly by an estate of Allen L. Cleveland; westerly by estates of Alvah G. Sleeper, trustee, and David Alexander and southerly by another estate of said Fontaine, tax for 1923.....		17 29
Marion F. Foster—Buildings and about 4,221 feet of land on the southerly side of Taft street, numbered 26, between an estate of Jeremiah Cadigan and another and an estate of Catherine Ahern, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90	
Paid on account.....	160 00	
Balance due.....		12 90
Margaret A. Fraser—Buildings and about 4,658 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dexter court, numbered 1 and 2, between an estate of Charles E. Whitney and another and an estate of Mabel Gould, tax for 1923.....		24 70
Paul J. Fuller—Buildings and about 2,068 feet of land on the westerly side of Columbia road, numbered 664, making the southwesterly corner of Eastman street, adjoining an estate of Emma Clark, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....		48 80
Joseph Geary—Buildings and about 1,491 feet of land on the northwesterly side of E street, numbered 156, making the northerly corner of Old Colony avenue, adjoining an estate of Joseph Geary, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....		15 36
Also buildings and about 1,218 feet of land on the northwesterly side of E street, numbered 160 and 160 rear, between an estate of Bridget Feeney and an estate of Joseph Gary, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....		9 08
Richard I. and Florence J. Gifford—Buildings and about 1,368 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 3, between an estate of Catherine Sullivan and an estate of Joseph O'Donnell and another, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Edmund and Beatrice Grundy—Buildings and about 2,465 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 205, between an estate of John W. Lavery and an estate of Mary A. Arnold, tax for 1923.....		49 40
Thomas P. Higgins—Buildings and about 1,349 feet of land on the westerly side of Moseley street, numbered 8, between an estate of Joseph Famalare and another and an estate of Emma J. Noonan, tax for 1923.....	108 68	
Ida M. Hodsdon—About 1,428 feet of land on the northwesterly side of West Ninth street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by West Ninth street; southeasterly by an estate of Edward M. Smith; northeasterly by an estate of Antonio Orlando and Barbara Mackeviez and northwesterly by another estate of said Hodsdon, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 1,426 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Ninth street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by West Ninth street; southeasterly by another estate of said Hodsdon northwesterly by an estate of Antonio Orlando and northwesterly by an estate of Fred M. Lowe, trustee, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Morrill street, numbered 11, between an estate of Katherine T. Marr and an estate of Julia A. Carey and another, tax for 1923.....		123 50
Anthony Holbrook, Junior, (supposed present owner John F. and Julia Mason)—Buildings and about 2,644 feet of land on the easterly side of Grant street, numbered 28 and 30, between an estate of John A. McChesney and another and an estate of Margaret Shea, tax for 1923.....	86 45	
Independent Rendering Company—Buildings and about 11,495 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Damrell street, numbered 63, between an estate of S. A. Woods Machine Company and an estate of Domenico De Stefano, tax for 1923.....	197 60	
Richard E. Jefferey—About 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, being lot 100, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 92, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
James F. Kavanagh Company—Buildings and about 10,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of D street, numbered 27, between an estate of Patrick F. Burke and an estate of James E. Davis, trustee, tax for 1923, John M. Keane (supposed present owner Catherine A. Keane)—Buildings and about 14,518 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 1264 and 1272, between an estate of Rose Edolston and an estate of The Shepard Company and others, tax for 1923.....	135 85	
Annie M. Kelley—About 1,060 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Old Colony avenue, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly and northwesterly by Old Colony avenue; northeasterly by Champney street, and southeasterly by another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	259 35	
Also about 970 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Champney street; southeasterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; southwesterly by Old Colony avenue, and northwesterly by another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Annie M. Kelley (supposed present owner Nora Burke)—Buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southeasterly side of D street, numbered 103, between an estate of Ellen L. Dixon and others and an estate of Bridget Hyder, tax for 1923.....	37 05	
Annie M. Kelley (supposed present owner Martin J. and Annie Joyce)—Buildings and about 1,197 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mitchell street, numbered 28, between an estate of Mary Jenness and an estate of Margaret E. Barrett, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 76	
Charles J. Kelley—About 1,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Eighth street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by East Eighth street, northwesterly by sundry estates of Israel Margolis; southeasterly by an estate of Catharine Noonan, and southwesterly by William Kohansky and another, tax for 1923.....	4 17	
Also about 1,302 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Champney street; southeasterly by an estate of Richard E. Jefferey; southwesterly by Old Colony avenue, and northwesterly by Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Charles J. Kelley, Junior—Buildings and about 7,210 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humphreys street, numbered 41, making the northerly corner of Harrow street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Goodwin, tax for 1923.....		83 98
James A. Kemp—About 1,832 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, between an estate of Polish Industrial Association and an estate of Barbara Radzikowski (numbered 670), being a lot shown on an unnamed plan June 30, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....		14 82
William and Minnie A. Laburn (set off to Nathan and Esther Miller)—Buildings and about 11,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 822 and 824, between another estate of said Laburn and an estate of William P. Tenney, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90	
Paid on account.....	100 00	
Balance due.....		72 90
Aleksander Lada, Sophie H. Lada and Mary Michalowski (supposed present owner Joseph and Agatha Lewon)—Buildings and about 3,060 feet of land on the easterly side of Raven street, numbered 22, between an estate of Bridget Calahan and an estate of Frederick Baranow and another, tax for 1923.....		133 38
Albert Lewenberg—Buildings and about 1,943 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 160, 162 and 164, between an estate of Teresa Violanti and an estate of M. Wilbur Gillespie, tax for 1922.....		116 09
Alice B. Lynch—About 865 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Earl street; northeasterly by an estate of Henry J. Smith; northwesterly by an estate of William H. Quirk heirs, and southwesterly by an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Peter and William Marini—Buildings and about 5,872 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 540-544, between an estate of Patrick J. Kennedy and an estate of Alexander Gargulinski, tax for 1923.....		66 69
Alice C. McGowan—Buildings and about 4,053 feet of land on the westerly side of Sumner street, numbered 7, between an estate of John J. Connolly and another and an estate of Mary Wright, tax for 1923.....		197 60
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Alexander and Mary E. McKenna—About 300 feet of land on the southerly side of Champney street, making the southwesterly corner of Newman court, adjoining an estate of Frank L. Cook, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Also buildings and about 1,043 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Champney street, numbered 7, making the northerly corner of Old Colony avenue, adjoining an estate of Thomas Dalby, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		7 28
James A. and Bridget McKenna—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of E street, numbered 159, between an estate of Mary Recanzone and an estate of Charles C. Gleason, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....		9 34
Charles Meade—About 1,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vale street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Vale street; southeasterly by an estate of Julia Kuhn; northeasterly by an estate of Everett M. Taylor, and northwesterly by an estate of Thomas W. Roulston, tax for 1923.....		9 88
Edward A. Morse—Buildings and about 3,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Dudley street, numbered 730, 730A and 732, making the northwesterly corner of Holden place, adjoining an estate of Florence A. Bird, tax for 1923.....		350 74
Peter J. Mullin—Buildings and about 908 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frederick street, numbered 20, between an estate of Jane E. Warren and an estate of Eliza Cavanaugh, tax for 1923.....		24 70
Annie M. Murphy—Buildings and about 4,862 feet of land on the easterly side of Newport street, numbered 36, between an estate of Alice M. Foley and an estate of Mary M. Mahoney, tax for 1923.....		46 93
John J. O'Connor and Daniel C. O'Connor Heirs—Buildings and about 2,484 feet of land on the westerly side of Ellery street, numbered 17, between an estate of Edwin H. Rae and another and an estate of Marguerite H. Cus-teau, tax for 1923.....		39 52

Sadie Petrijski—Buildings and about 918 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, numbered 1221, making the southerly corner of Mitchell street, adjoining an estate of Michael Foley, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston—Buildings and about 5,130 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 655, between another estate of said Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston and an estate of Emilia Kichowski, tax for 1923.....	224 77
Daniel Russell Boiler Works, Incorporated—Buildings and about 38,332 feet of land on the westerly side of Boston street, numbered 97 and 105, between an estate of Jacob F. Brown and an estate of South Bay Company, tax for 1923.....	531 05
Angelina St. Charles, one half, and Abraham Oransky, one half—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Stoughton street, numbered 15, making the northwesterly corner of Pleasant street, adjoining an estate of Anton Koerner, tax for 1923.....	419 90
Joseph Silk—About 1,182 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Dorchester street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest-erly and northeasterly by two other estates of said Silk; southeasterly by an estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company; southwesterly by an estate of Margaret Daley and another and an estate of George Nelson, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Edward M. Smith—About 1,428 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Ninth street, bounded and described as follows: Southwest-erly by West Ninth street; southeasterly by an estate of Sadie G. Farley; North-erly by an estate of Barbara Mackevicz and northwesterly by an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Henry J. and Edward F. Smith—About 865 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Earl street; northeasterly by estates of Michael McGann and Richard T. Block; northwesterly by an estate of Michael McGann and another, and southwesterly by an estate of Alice B. Lynch, tax for 1922.....	4 94 4 94
Albert C. Smith—About 500 feet of land on the easterly side of Buttonwood street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Buttonwood street; northerly by an estate of Michael F. Sullivan; easterly by an estate of Francis B. Wheaton and another, trustees, and southerly by an estate of William G. Harrington, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 133 feet of land leading from the southwesterly side of Quincefield street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Leslie R. Brown (numbered 722 to 726 Dudley street), tax for 1923.....	2 47
Charles H. Souther Heirs or Devises—About 137,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being a lot shown on Whitman and Howard plan, December 17, 1918, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4176, page 401, tax for 1923.....	338 39
Katherine Thorne—About 980 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frederick street, formerly numbered 6, between an estate of Pericilis Georgeiadis and another and an estate of Henry T. McGrady, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Aldona Vasil—About 1,566 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jenkins street, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 113, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Willard Welsh Realty Company, one half, and J. Summer Draper, one half—Buildings and about 2,361 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being a lot shown on Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal plan (sheet 2), November, 1919, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4181, page 464, tax for 1923.....	\$12 35 Paid on account..... 6 18
Balance due.....	6 17
Willard Welsh Realty Company—About 295,130 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being a lot shown on Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal plan, November, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4181, page 464, tax for 1923.....	\$298 87 Paid on account..... 111 56
Balance due.....	187 31

Also about 25,885 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, same plan (sheet 2), registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11392, tax for 1923.....\$123 50
Paid on account..... 111 56

Balance due.....	11 94
Joseph A. Whalen (supposed present owner Estates Realty Company)—Buildings and about 2,385 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1031 and 1033A, making the southwesterly corner of Victoria street, adjoining an estate of William H. Boodro, tax for 1923.....	370 50
William Williams—About 867 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Earl street; northeasterly by an estate of Alice B. Lynch; northwesterly by an estate of William H. Quirk heirs, and southwesterly by an estate of Philip H. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	4 94

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Jacob Alpert—Buildings and about 7,192 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 662, 664 and 666, between an estate of Winifred R. Guarante and an estate of Mary J. McMahon, tax for 1923.....	\$652 08
Peter E. Aronis—Buildings and about 4,425 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vine street, numbered 38 and 40, between an estate of said Aronis and an estate of Margaret C. Tominey, tax for 1923.....	271 70
Also buildings and about 6,075 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vine street, numbered 30 and 34, making the southerly corner of and numbered 45 Forest street, adjoining another estate of said Aronis, tax for 1923.....	716 30
Edith M. Bangs—Buildings and about 665 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chadwick street, numbered 69, between an estate of Samuel Garlitz and an estate of Mary F. McNamee and others, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Joseph Berenberg—About 6,304 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shirley street, extending through to Sherwood street, being lot A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, July 9, 1907, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	54 34
Also about 4,787 feet of land on the westerly side of Sherwood street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Andreas Blume Heirs or Devises—About 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast-erly by an estate of said Blume; east-erly by an estate of Roxbury Neighborhood House Association; southerly by an estate of City of Boston; southwesterly by an estate of Katherine Gabel and another; westerly by an estate of Edith M. Wiley; northwesterly by Albany street, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest-erly by Albany street, east-erly; southerly and westerly by other estates of said Blume, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Also about 40 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest-erly by Albany street; east-erly by an estate of Daniel J. Leonard; southerly and westerly by other estates of said Blume, tax for 1923.....	2 47
William Breslin, Devises of—Buildings and about 1,785 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Springfield street, numbered 33, between an estate of Lizzie Cohen and an estate of William Shapiro, tax for 1923.....	103 74
Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, Trustees under will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 1,728 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 287, between another estate of said Butler and others, trustees, and an estate of Daniel Swan, tax for 1923.....	244 53
Also buildings and about 1,698 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 289, between another estate of said Butler and others, trustees, and an estate of J. Herbert Brooks and others, tax for 1923.....	244 53
Julius L. and Robert P. Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 9,258 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 72 and 74, making the southerly corner of Reed street, adjoining another estate of said Julius L. Cabelinsky and another	

(numbered 66 and 70, respectively), tax for 1923.....	456 95
Simon Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 5,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 75, 77, 79 and 81, extending through to Trask street and making the northerly corner of Gage street, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick (numbered 83-87), tax for 1923.....	600 21
Catherine G. Camack—Buildings and about 5,688 feet of land on the northerly side of Shirley street, numbered 94 and 96, between an estate of Star Brewing Company and an estate of Patrick F. Cox, tax for 1923.....	34 58
Gustave E. Carlson—Buildings and about 2,148 feet of land on the southerly side of Adams street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Carlson and an estate of Patrick F. Curley, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Also buildings and about 2,527 feet of land on the southerly side of Adams street, numbered 18, between another estate of said Carlson and an estate of Cornelius Cotter, tax for 1923.....	44 46
Kathryn E. Cary—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Albion street, numbered 12, between an estate of Ettore Aries and another and an estate of Florence A. Perry and others, tax for 1923.....	\$106 21 Paid on account..... 50 00
Balance due.....	56 21
Ray H. Carver—About 908 feet of land on the southerly side of Thorndike street, being lot 9 on a plan not named, dated January 31, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2110, page 564, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 7,417 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 21 and 23, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of William Barrett, tax for 1923.....	113 26
Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 17, between two other estates of said Chadwick (numbered 15 and 21 to 23), tax for 1923.....	34 58
Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 15, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Samuel Lipson, tax for 1923.....	34 58
Also about 1,738 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chadwick street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast-erly by an estate of Anna G. Breen; southeasterly by an estate of William Hanrahan; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston (Chadwick park); northwesterly by Chadwick street, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also buildings and about 1,856 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Yeoman street, numbered 61, making the westerly corner of Adams street, adjoining an estate of Waldo F. Gleason, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Also buildings and about 1,065 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden place, numbered 15, between an estate of Henry N. Moody and an estate of Antonio Caggiano, tax for 1923.....	41 46
Also buildings and about 4,402 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 83, 85 and 87, between an estate of Simon Cabelinsky and an estate of St. Patrick's Church, tax for 1923.....	607 62
Joshua Cohen—Buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Reed street, numbered 64, between an estate of C. Theodore Hardwick and an estate of Margaret West, tax for 1923.....	69 16
Also buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Reed street, numbered 76, between an estate of Jacob Goldberg and an estate of Philip Vinick, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Also about 741 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newcomb street, being lot 24, shown on H. H. Moses plan, March 15, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2143, page 594, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Francis M. Conant—Buildings and about 1,204 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 932A and 932B, making the easterly corner of Ormond court, adjoining another estate of said Conant, numbered 928 and 930, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Also buildings and about 953 feet of land on the southerly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 928 and 930, between another estate of said Conant and an estate of Salvatore and Anna Rosselli, tax for 1923.....	81 51

Mary D. Connelly—Buildings and about 1,880 feet of land on the westerly side of Clifton street, numbered 9 and 11, between an estate of Patrick McMahon and an estate of Alexander McLeod, tax for 1923.....	81 51	of Baker park, numbered 22 and 24, between an estate of Nils G. Sandgren and another estate of said Flexman, tax for 1923.....	\$101 27
Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.....	10 84	Paid on account.....	50 00
Mary F. Connelly—About 1,987 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Dudley street, in the rear of (numbered 279), being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood plan, July 18, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2387, page 440, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Balance due.....	51 27
Mary L. Connelly (reassessed from Mary C. Connelly, Trustee)—Buildings and about 888 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 937 and 939, between an estate of Minnie Eisenstadt and an estate of Abraham Fogel, tax for 1921.....	101 27	Also buildings and about 2,252 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker park, numbered 18 and 20, between another estate of said Flexman and an estate of Ellen Cannon, tax for 1923.....	\$101 27
Mary L. Connelly, Trustee—Buildings and about 725 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Gertrude street, numbered 8, between an estate of Abraham Yudelwitz and an estate of Peter Draffone, tax for 1923.....	88 92	Paid on account.....	50 00
Mary R. Connor—Buildings and about 7,391 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mall street, numbered 24, making the easterly corner of Douglass avenue, adjoining an estate of Susan Mulcahy, tax for 1923.....	\$135 85	Balance due.....	51 27
Paid on account.....	24 70	Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,776 feet of land on the easterly side of George street, numbered 106, making the northeasterly corner of Jarvis place, adjoining an estate of Maria S. Cafano, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12227, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Balance due.....	111 15	Joseph Fuller—Buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Longmeadow street, numbered 8, between an estate of Cornelius McCarthy and an estate of Katherine Mitchell Lally, tax for 1923.....	96 33
Timothy Connors—Buildings and about 2,517 feet of land on the northerly side of Prescott street, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Martin Syverstein and an estate of R. Elmer Townsend, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Mary J. Gallagher, Trustee for Mary F. Reardon—Buildings and about 2,184 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Leyland street, numbered 29, between two estates of Charles Coulter (numbered 29 and 31 respectively), tax for 1923.....	148 20
Jessie V. Cram—About 2,898 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Winthrop street, being lot C, Henry F. Bryant plan, September 17, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3907, page 332, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Walter F. Gallagher—About 1,484 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Jarvis place, being lot 14, T. B. Moses plan, May 18, 1868, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1821, page 455, tax for 1921.....	2 47
William J. Cronin—Buildings and about 68,133 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Southampton street, numbered 113, between an estate of Leonard C. Wason and an estate of Augustine F. Ryan, tax for 1923.....	1,704 30	Also about 4,664 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Jarvis place, rear of and being lots 12 and 13, same plan, tax for 1921.....	12 35
Wilhelmina Davidson—Buildings and about 3,585 feet of land on the southerly side of Dudley street, numbered 235, 235A, 237, 237A and 239, making the southeasterly corner of Oakland avenue, adjoining an estate of Edward J. Fennessy (numbered 247 and 249), tax for 1923.....	639 73	Delia T., Margaret E. and Elizabeth Garrity—About 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows street (formerly numbered 75 and 81), making the northerly corner of Fellows place, adjoining an estate of Bridget Dooley, heirs, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Carmella De Sisto—Buildings and about 6,305 feet of land on the northeasterly side of George street, numbered 132, making the easterly corner of Langdon street, adjoining an estate of Nora Fallon, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	15 64	Also about 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fellows court (formerly numbered 10), between an estate of Alice J. Conlin (numbered 8) and an estate of Domenico Leardo (numbered 16 Tileston street), tax for 1922.....	12 35
William H. Dunbar, Trustee—Buildings and about 2,794 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 101, between an estate of Mary J. Craham and another and an estate of Florence E. Bates, tax for 1923.....	93 88	Tax for 1923.....	12 35
Julia E. Dwyer—Buildings and about 27,449 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 251 rear, between an estate of Hugh D. Kelley and an estate of Fred H. Roberts and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	\$358 15	Also about 1,217 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fellows place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Julia F. McDonough; easterly by Fellows place; southerly by an estate of Owen Mullane; westerly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Paid on account.....	200 00	Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Balance due.....	158 15	Also about 630 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tileston street (formerly numbered 14), between an estate of Domenico Leardo (numbered 16 and 18), and an estate of Alice J. Conlin (numbered 8 Fellows court), tax for 1922.....	7 41
Eastern Building Finish Company, The—Buildings and about 10,839 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 2178 rear, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Henry Crine, (numbered 2178), tax for 1923.....	449 54	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 27
Edwin J. Fairbanks—Buildings and about 4,786 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Eustis street, numbered 58, extending through to Mall street, between an estate of John F. Martin and another and an estate of Harry Richmond, tax for 1923.....	91 39	Eva Ginsberg—Buildings and about 13,374 feet of land on the southerly side of Fellows street, numbered 18 and 20, between an estate of A. A. Knight and Sons Corporation and an estate of Essie Schwatzer, tax for 1923.....	\$303 81
Nora Fallon—Buildings and about 1,495 feet of land on the northeasterly side of George street, numbered 134, between an estate of Mary A. C. Keene and an estate of Carmella Di Sisto, tax for 1921.....	9 88	Paid on account.....	100 00
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Balance due.....	203 81
Marion E. Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 904 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Yeoman place, at end of and numbered 1, adjoining an estate of Thomas H. Joyce and another (numbered 40 Yeoman street), tax for 1923.....	17 29	Pearl Ginsberg—Buildings and about 4,147 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 368, between an estate of Timothy J. Murphy and an estate of Ellen C. Davis, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12208, tax for 1921.....	\$113 62
Esther Flexman—Buildings and about 2,224 feet of land on the easterly side		Paid on account.....	13 62
		Balance due.....	100 00
		Waldo F. Gleason—Buildings and about 1,755 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Yeoman street, numbered 59, between an estate of Augusta Scharbins and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	29 64
		Jacob Goldberg—Buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Reed street, numbered 74, between an estate of Elizabeth P. Franzen and an estate of Joshua Cohen, tax for 1923.....	64 22
		Malichi J. Good—Buildings and about 2,548 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered	
		68, between an estate of Katherine A. Good and an estate of Agnes Hudson, tax for 1923.....	172 90
		Katherine A. Good—Buildings and about 2,284 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 66, making the easterly corner of Moreland street, adjoining an estate of Malachi J. Good (numbered 68), tax for 1923.....	197 60
		Mabel Gould—Buildings and about 1,874 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Burrell street, numbered 85, between an estate of Margaret A. Jordan and an estate of Carolino Aries, tax for 1923.....	69 16
		Max Govenar—Buildings and about 3,157 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winslow street, numbered 10, between an estate of James A. Kelly heirs and an estate of Henry Hock, tax for 1923.....	54 34
		Eugene P. Grant—About 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Orange court, at end, bounded and described as follows: northerly by an estate of Minnie J. Smith; easterly by an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon; southerly by Orange court; westerly by an estate of Minnie J. Smith, tax for 1923.....	7 41
		Freda Hamburg—Buildings and about 1,279 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 90, between an estate of Joanna F. Walsh and an estate of Abraham L. Potter, tax for 1923.....	111 15
		Florence E. Hamilton—Buildings and about 1,115 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockford street, numbered 8, between an estate of Florence E. Bates and an estate of Giuseppe Butria and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40
		Bridget Harrington—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kemble street, numbered 72, between an estate of Edward H. Moakley and an estate of The Robert Gallagher Company, tax for 1923.....	49 40
		Bridget M. Higgins—Buildings and about 2,160 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Magazine street, numbered 54, making the westerly corner of Howard street, adjoining an estate of John F. Dimock (numbered 50), tax for 1922.....	49 40
		Ida M. Hodsdon—About 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Orange court, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Eugene P. Grant; northeasterly by an estate of Frank Draferio; southeasterly by an estate of Antonio Bonamo, southerly by Orange court, tax for 1923.....	7 41
		Also buildings and about 3,669 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1102, making the southerly corner of and numbered 41 Eustis street, adjoining an estate of Charles S. Walkup, tax for 1923.....	106 21
		Also buildings and about 650 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prescott place, numbered 4, between two estates of Clara B. French, tax for 1921.....	49 40
		Also about 1,467 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Palmer street, adjoining an estate of John Burke, being a lot shown on a plan (not named; not dated), recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1575, page 112, tax for 1923.....	32 11
		Also about 1,491 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Palmer street, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being a lot shown on a plan (not named; not dated), recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1578, page 112, tax for 1923.....	32 11
		Also buildings and about 840 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 89 and 91, making the westerly corner of Fellows street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Loscocco and another (numbered 87), tax for 1923.....	64 22
		Also about 20,780 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fairland street, making the northerly corner of Moreland street, being the southerly and easterly parts of lot 88, shown on assessors' plans, volume 8, page 69, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, George H. Holden—Buildings and about 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, numbered 880, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1 and 1A Yeoman street, adjoining an estate of Alvin G. Bartlett (numbered 886), tax for 1923.....	111 15
		Everett J. Holmes—Buildings and about 1,561 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 3 and 5, between an estate of C. Herbert Johnson and an estate of Boston Elevated Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	86 45

John W. Johnson—About 2,124 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Reed's court, making the northerly corner of Ambrose street, adjoining an estate of Harry Geller (numbered 12 Ambrose street), tax for 1923.....	32 11	street, adjoining an estate of Giacomina Damico, tax for 1923.....	32 11	dated June 7, 1920, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12013, tax for 1923.....	37 05
John H. Joy—Buildings and about 6,626 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 62, 66, 70, 72, 76 and 78, making the southeasterly corner of Dudley street (numbered 155 and 157) and the southwesterly and northwesterly corners of and numbered 1191 Harrison avenue, being the whole of block 144, tax for 1923.....	1,761 11	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 61	John W. Milligan—Buildings and about 2,587 feet of land on the easterly side of Batchelder street, numbered 5, between an estate of Eugene Baratta and others and an estate of Hugh McNulty, tax for 1923.....	69 16
Simon Kanter—Buildings and about 1,176 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 953 and 955, making the northerly corner of Mall street, adjoining an estate of Abraham Fogel, numbered 951, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Annie Lowenberg—Buildings and about 1,952 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 688, between an estate of John J. Whoresky and another, trustees, and an estate of Orin S. Green, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Minnie A. Mitchell—Buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 1, between another estate of said Mitchell and an estate of Mary L. Connelly, trustee, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Esther Kaufman—Buildings and about 5,522 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 2048, 2050, 2052, 2054 and 2056, between an estate of Abigail H. Pratt and an estate of Samuel Lipson, tax for 1923.....	\$358 15	Ida B. Lucas—Buildings and about 1,077 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Newcomb street, numbered 31, between an estate of Herbert A. Buck and an estate of Frances L. Richards, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Paid on account.....	200 00	William E. Lynskey—Buildings and about 814 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakland avenue, at end, numbered 7, adjoining an estate of Alice A. Abar (numbered 5), tax for 1923.....	71 63	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Balance due.....	158 15	Joshua L. MacDonald—Buildings and about 2,340 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Longmeadow street, numbered 2, adjoining an estate of Harry Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....	118 56	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 4, between two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99
John J. Keegan—About 1,557 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marshfield street, making the southerly corner of Robey street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Marshfield street; southerly by an estate of Charles F. Lester and other; easterly by Robey street; westerly by an estate of Mary J. Donaghy, tax for 1923.....	12 35	James Maguire—Buildings and about 2,117 feet of land on the westerly side of Hampden street, numbered 57, 57 first rear and 57 second rear, between another estate of said Maguire and an estate of Margaret Honen, tax for 1921.....	69 16	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,870 feet of land on the southerly side of Winthrop street, numbered 11, between an estate of Campfield Washington and another and an estate of William M. Paul, tax for 1923.....	101 27	Patrick T. Mahoney—Buildings and about 2,199 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clifton street, numbered 19, between an estate of Charles H. Howard and another and an estate of Robert Roulston devisees, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	19 21	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Mary Keliher—About 760 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fellows court, between an estate of William N. Ambler and an estate of Catherine Menz, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	16 75	Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Anthony M. Koeller—Buildings and about 5,560 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Clifton street, numbered 32, making the southerly corner of Marshfield street, adjoining an estate of Harry Rosenthal (numbered 34), tax for 1923.....	602 68	John P. Manning—Buildings and about 7,653 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Moreland street, numbered 56, making the easterly corner of Whiting street, adjoining an estate of Katherine A. Chelius, tax for 1923.....	\$259 35	Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Evelyn Lamprey—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chesterfield street, numbered 10, between an estate of Giuseppe LaFauci and an estate of Antonelli Raffaella, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Paid on account.....	200 00	Henry P. Nawn—Buildings and about 20,818 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Magazine street, numbered 121, 121 rear, 125 and 125 rear, extending through to Proctor street, between an estate of Daniel T. Cunningham and an estate of John L. Kelly and another, tax for 1923.....	407 55
Albert W. Lang, Trustee for Mary Leyland—Buildings and about 3,665 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 14, between an estate of Jennie Gifford and an estate of Richard Leahy, tax for 1923.....	\$111 15	Balance due.....	59 35	Henry P. Nawn and R. Elmer Townsend—About 5,452 feet of land on the westerly side of Magazine street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn and another, being lot 6, Henry C. Midram plan, May 13, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4106, page 74, tax for 1923.....	81 51
Paid on account.....	86 00	Also about 2,420 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Moreland street, adjoining another estate of said Manning, being the southwesterly part of lot 88, shown on assessors' plans, volume 8, page 69, on file in assessors office, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 5,527 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Allerton street, making the northerly corner of Magazine street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn and another, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	81 51
Balance due.....	25 15	Sadie Martin—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Randall street, numbered 41 and 41A, adjoining an estate of Frank W. Wildes and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Also about 8,387 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Allerton street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn and another, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Also buildings and about 5,504 feet of land on the southerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 15, making the easterly corner of Dudley street, adjoining another estate of said Lang, trustee (numbered 17), tax for 1923.....	\$222 30	Christopher J. McCaffrey, Trustee—Buildings and about 3,282 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodward avenue, numbered 47 and 49, between an estate of Hyman Shenberg and an estate of Robert J. Ramsay and another, tax for 1921.....	111 15	Michael B. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 1,952 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 662, between an estate of Margaret A. Grady and an estate of Mary E. Walsh and others, tax for 1923.....	197 60
Paid on account.....	150 00	Tax for 1923.....	111 15	Minnie Neville—Buildings and about 1,602 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orchard Park street, numbered 5, between an estate of Bridget McKeon and an estate of Nora Mahoney, tax for 1923.....	61 75
Balance due.....	72 30	Samuel L. McCoy—Buildings and about 4,473 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brook avenue, numbered 32, making the easterly corner of North avenue, adjoining an estate of Thomas A. Thompson and another, tax for 1923.....	\$118 56	Arthur H. Nichols—Buildings and about 10,343 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Eustis street, numbered 184, 186, 188 and 190, making the easterly corner of Adams street, adjoining an estate of Daniel J. Schlipp, tax for 1923.....	\$1,111 50
Also buildings and about 4,216 feet of land on the southerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 17, between another estate of said Lang, trustee, and an estate of Edward J. Collins, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90	Paid on account.....	80 00	Paid on account.....	600 00
Paid on account.....	150 00	Balance due.....	38 56	Balance due.....	511 50
Balance due.....	22 90	James F., Matthew H., Andrew J., Thomas J. and John F. McEtrick—About 6,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Taber street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Taber street; easterly by an estate of Philip J. O'Donnell and another; southerly by an estate of Charles H. Jennings; westerly by an estate of James Cahen, tax for 1921.....	140 79	Also buildings and about 3,837 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prescott street, numbered 2, between an estate of Clara B. French and an estate of Daniel J. Schlipp, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Morris Levy—Buildings and about 615 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thorndike street, numbered 8, between another estate of said Morris Levy and an estate of Samuel Striberg, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Tax for 1922.....	140 79	Eliza O'Brien—Buildings and about 3,313 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 56 and 56A, between an estate of Philip Hornstein and an estate of Rebecca Kanner, tax for 1923.....	106 21
Also buildings and about 1,507 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thorndike street, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Morris Levy (numbered 8 to 12), tax for 1923.....	135 85	Tax for 1923.....	140 79	Martina Pagani—Buildings and about 2,812 feet of land on the northerly side of Marshfield street, numbered 30, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 61 Batchelder street, adjoining an estate of Marie Grassa, tax for 1923.....	113 62
Also buildings and about 1,791 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thorndike street, numbered 12, between another estate of said Morris Levy and an estate of Jennie Peters, tax for 1923.....	140 79	Daniel A. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 2,927 feet of land on the easterly side of Dudley street, numbered 524A and 524, making the southeasterly corner of Burrell street, adjoining an estate of Pasquale Callisando and another, tax for 1923.....	158 08		
Theresa R. Lewis—Buildings and about 773 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows street, numbered 9, making the westerly corner of Tileston		Mary J. McMahon—Buildings and about 2,678 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 650, between an estate of Jacob Alpert and an estate of Eliza Keefe, tax for 1923.....	\$108 68		
		Paid on account.....	40 00		
		Balance due.....	68 68		
		Eva C. McNeilly—About 3,678 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winthrop street, making the northerly corner of Brook avenue, adjoining an estate of Bridget Minton and another, being lot 3, C. B. Humphrey plan,			

John B. Panebianco—Buildings and about 3,440 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Leyland street, numbered 18, between an estate of Michael P. Tully and another and an estate of Samuel J. Thompson and another, tax for 1923.....	150 67	an estate of Minnie M. McNamara, tax for 1923.....	148 20	man and an estate of Peter Draffone, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45
Banayiotoula Pappageorge—Buildings and about 2,460 feet of land on the westerly side of Dudley street, numbered 547 and 549, between an estate of Esther Z. Small and an estate of James Valsam, tax for 1923.....	160 55	John T. Regan <i>et al.</i> —About 1,138 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orange court, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by Orange court; easterly by an estate of Rose A. Kane; southerly by an estate of Hercules Iron and Supply Company; westerly by an estate of Giovanni Andronico, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Paid on account.....	45 00
Tax for 1922.....	\$160 55	Edward E. Richards—Buildings and about 625 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Clarence street, numbered 17, between another estate of said Richards and an estate of Peter F. Assums and another, tax for 1923.....	54 34	Balance due.....	41 45
Paid on account.....	25 00	Also buildings and about 643 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarence street, numbered 19, between another estate of said Richards and an estate of Catherine Curran, tax for 1923.....	54 34	Also buildings and about 1,301 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Silverman, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45
Balance due.....	135 55	George A. Richards—About 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Randall street, adjoining an estate of Trustees of Tufts College, being lot 8, C. H. W. Wood plan, September 27, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2310, page 161, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Paid on account.....	45 00
Paulino Parenti—Buildings and about 12,410 feet of land on the northerly side of Burrell street, numbered 14, between an estate of Edith Howard and an estate of Raffaele Munichello and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	11 91	Balance due.....	41 45
Katherine E. Phelps—About 4,585 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifton street, adjoining an estate of Nellie C. Marty, being the westerly part of lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, C. H. W. Wood plan, May 20, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3400, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Augustus O. Roberts—About 789 feet of land lying in the rear from the south-easterly side of Albany street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Alvin G. Bartlett, being lot 6, C. H. W. Wood plan, June 12, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2959, page 561, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also buildings and about 1,553 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 3, at end, between two other estates of said Silverman, tax for 1923.....	\$88 92
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	35 34	Anna L. Robinson—Buildings and about 1,224 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orchard Park street, numbered 16, adjoining an estate of City of Boston and an estate of John O'Brien and another, tax for 1923.....	118 56	Paid on account.....	45 00
Meir W. Pictchell—Buildings and about 612 feet of land on the north-easterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 14, between another estate of said Pictchell and an estate of Lena Rose, tax for 1923.....	\$29 64	Also buildings and about 1,490 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Palmer street, numbered 67, making the southerly corner of Palmer place, adjoining an estate of Margaret J. O'Connor, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Balance due.....	43 92
Paid on account.....	15 00	William E. Robinson—About 745 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Singelton street, adjoining an estate of Guiseppe Sciblia and another, being lot 20, plan (no name, no date), recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2182, page 40, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also buildings and about 1,180 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 4, at end, between two other estates of said Silverman, tax for 1923.....	\$83 98
Balance due.....	14 64	Lena and Morris Rodnetyky—Buildings and about 2,427 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Eustis street, numbered 250, between an estate of Margaret A. Hudson and an estate of Catherine S. McCabe, tax for 1923.....	\$74 10	Paid on account.....	45 00
Also buildings and about 612 feet of land on the north-easterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 12, making the easterly corner of Sanford place, adjoining another estate of said Pictchell, tax for 1923.....	\$29 64	Paid on account.....	40 00	Balance due.....	53 80
Paid on account.....	15 00	Harlow H. Rogers—About 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thorndike street, making the southerly corner of Singleton street, adjoining an estate of Ray H. Carber, being lot 8, plan not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2182, page 40, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Also buildings and about 1,589 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 5, between another estate of said Silverman and an estate of Mazzara S. Andrea, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80
Balance due.....	14 64	Augustine F. Ryan—Buildings and about 7,805 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Southampton street, numbered 99 and 99 rear, between an estate of William J. Cronin and an estate of Amory Eliot and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	197 60	Paid on account.....	45 00
Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sanford place, numbered 1, between two other estates of said Pictchell, tax for 1923.....	\$24 70	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	77 93	Balance due.....	38 98
Paid on account.....	10 00	Pearl Sherman—Buildings and about 922 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1113, between another estate of said Sherman and an estate of Don J. Pinheiro, tax for 1923.....	\$121 03	Also buildings and about 5,722 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 543, between another estate of said Small and an estate of Ganayiotoula D. Pappageorge, tax for 1923.....	758 29
Balance due.....	14 70	Paid on account.....	60 00	Albert C. Smith—about 724 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows court, adjoining an estate of William N. Ambler, being lot 12, F. O. Whitney plan, April 4, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2308, page 279, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sanford place, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Pictchell, tax for 1923.....	\$24 70	Balance due.....	34 10	Charles G. Smith and William H. Gaston, Trustees under will of Samuel Weld—About 62,568 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Langdon street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Proctor street; easterly by C street; southerly by Langdon street; westerly by D street, tax for 1923.....	464 36
Paid on account.....	15 00	Harlow H. Rogers—About 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thorndike street, making the southerly corner of Singleton street, adjoining an estate of Ray H. Carber, being lot 8, plan not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2182, page 40, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Minnie J. Smith—Buildings and about 965 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Connolly street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Smith and an estate of Frank Diaferio, tax for 1923.....	66 69
Balance due.....	9 70	Augustine F. Ryan—Buildings and about 7,805 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Southampton street, numbered 99 and 99 rear, between an estate of William J. Cronin and an estate of Amory Eliot and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	197 60	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 88
Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sanford place, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Pictchell, tax for 1923.....	\$24 70	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	77 93	Also buildings and about 970 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Connolly street, numbered 18, making the southerly corner of Harrison terrace, adjoining another estate of said Smith, tax for 1923.....	66 69
Paid on account.....	15 00	Pearl Sherman—Buildings and about 922 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1113, between another estate of said Sherman and an estate of Don J. Pinheiro, tax for 1923.....	\$121 03	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 88
Balance due.....	9 70	Paid on account.....	60 00	Joseph Sonnabend—Buildings and about 2,605 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 2138 and 2140, between an estate of Mary T. Grennan and an estate of Wolf Shapiro and another, tax for 1923.....	326 04
Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sanford place, numbered 7, at end, adjoining another estate of said Pictchell, tax for 1923.....	\$24 70	Balance due.....	61 03	Also buildings and about 790 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Eustis street, numbered 17, adjoining an estate of Mary E. Mulrey and others, tax for 1923.....	46 93
Paid on account.....	15 00	Also buildings and about 922 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1115, between two other estates of said Sherman, tax for 1923.....	\$121 03	Salvatore and Calogero Stella—Buildings and about 1,508 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lansdowne street, numbered 28, between an estate of Gaetano Taibi and an estate of Salvatore Mogavers, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Balance due.....	14 64	Paid on account.....	60 00	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 84
Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sanford place, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Pictchell, tax for 1923.....	\$29 64	Balance due.....	61 03	Domenica Sturniola—Buildings and about 2,176 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifton street, numbered 18 and 18A, making the north-easterly corner of Burrell street, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Connelly and another, tax for 1923.....	121 03
Paid on account.....	15 00	Also buildings and about 956 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1117, making the northerly corner of Ren-frew street, adjoining an estate of said Sherman, tax for 1923.....	\$113 62	Annie F. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Fellows court, numbered 16, extending through to Tilton street, adjoining an estate of Julia Murphy, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Balance due.....	129 35	Paid on account.....	64 80	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 52
Bessie Raceoff—About 38 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Randall street, bounded and described as follows: Southwestly by Randall street; northwesterly by an estate of Samuel Oppen; southeasterly by an estate of David P. Doolan; north-easterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Balance due.....	48 82		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36	Arny Silverman—Buildings and about 1,301 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 1, between another estate of said Silver-			
Solomon Rapaelian—Buildings and about 2,471 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 31 and 33, making the westerly corner of La Grange place, adjoining					

Timothy J. Sullivan—About 1,656 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifton street, making the northeasterly corner of Lester street, adjoining an estate of Katherine E. Phelps, being lot 9, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, August 13, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3100, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 22 32

Mary A. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,314 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 112 and 112½, between an estate of Augusta Paul and an estate of Antonina Celeste, tax for 1923.....\$88 92
Paid on account..... 80 00

Balance due..... 8 92

Also buildings and about 1,265 feet of land on the northerly side of Eustis street, numbered 120, between an estate of Edward A. Dever and another and an estate of Daniel Connor heirs, tax for 1923.....\$61 75
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 11 75

Also buildings and about 2,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dearborn street, numbered 26, 26½ and 28, making the southerly corner of Dearborn place, adjoining an estate of Gideon Jenkins heirs, tax for 1923.....\$98 80
Paid on account..... 81 82

Balance due..... 16 98

Also buildings and about 831 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dearborn place, numbered 15, between an estate of Daniel Connor heirs and an estate of Edward A. Dever and another, tax for 1923.....\$74 10
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 24 10

Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Emanuel Church—About 5,663 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Warren street, making the southerly corner of Kearsarge avenue, adjoining an estate of Isadore Tucker and another, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Also about 3,792 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Kearsarge avenue, adjoining another estate of said Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Emanuel Church, being lot B, Herbert L. Patterson plan, July 7, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4304, page 192, tax for 1923..... 56 81

Henry C. Taylor—Buildings and about 2,567 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 616, between an estate of Harry Waldman and another and an estate of Harvey P. Wasserboher, tax for 1923..... 259 35

Obediah and Elizabeth Thomas—Buildings and about 819 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 79, between an estate of Salvatore Bruno and an estate of Sabino Di Stasio and others, tax for 1923..... 59 28

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 3 76

Ella J. and James P. Toy—Buildings and about 1,450 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newcomb street, numbered 20, between an estate of Charles P. Kelly and an estate of James P. Toy, trustee, tax for 1923..... 54 34

Annie K. Trant—Buildings and about 1,738 feet of land on the southerly side of Burgess street, numbered 19, between an estate of Aaron S. Skolnick and an estate of Emery B. Moore, trustee, tax for 1923.....\$69 16
Paid on account..... 36 00

Balance due..... 33 16

Union Institution for Savings—About 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orange court (formerly numbered 14), between an estate of Giovanni and Mary Andronico and an estate of John T. Regan and others, tax for 1921..... 9 88

Guiseppe Vigziano—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Adams street, numbered 36, between an estate of William E. Ferguson and an estate of Mary J. Donohue, tax for 1923..... 232 18

William H. White—Buildings and about 3,120 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, numbered 102, between an estate of John J. Connelly and an estate of Francis R. Keenan and another, tax for 1923, Frank W. Wildes and Ralph A. Stewart, Trustees under will of Susan S. Mann—Buildings and about 1,081 feet of land on the southwesterly side of

Hunneman street, numbered 99, between an estate of said Wildes and another, trustees, and an estate of David J. Coburn, tax for 1923..... 93 86

William Williams (Joseph J. McWeeney owns equity)—Buildings and about 347 feet of land on the northerly side of Ambrose street, numbered 4, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Harry Geller, being lot A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, November 11, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2649, page 209, tax for 1923..... 12 35

William Williams—Buildings and about 3,238 feet of land on the southerly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 988 and 990, between an estate of Anna W. Jones and an estate of Trustees of Tufts College, tax for 1923..... 86 45

Also about 2,383 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Fellows street, making the easterly corner of Spring court, adjoining an estate of Margaret T. McLean, being lot 12, Garbett and Wood plan, May 15, 1885, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1722, page 195, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Williams Realty Company (supposed present owner Martin Syversten)—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prescott street, numbered 8, making the northerly corner of Prescott place, adjoining an estate of Martin Syversten, tax for 1921..... 64 22

Winslow Real Estate Trust, Guiseppe Bisagnano and Antonio Lioni, Trustees—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winslow street, numbered 32 and 34, between an estate of John J. Madden and an estate of Warren Lathrop, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Michael Witnasky and Frank Weichanowicz—Buildings and about 1,850 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Adams street, numbered 19, between an estate of said Witnasky and another and an estate of William J. Logan, devisees, tax for 1923..... 79 04

Anna Zisman—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 46 and 48 rear, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and an estate of James W. Gerard, trustee, tax for 1923..... 41 99

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Stephen Arseneault—Buildings and about 1,709 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 562, between an estate of Tom Wing and an estate of Irene M. Dick, tax for 1923.....\$214 89

Bertha E. Arseno—About 4,371 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 99 and 105, extending through to and numbered 2397, 2399, 2401 and 2403 Washington street, adjoining an estate of Anna J. Keefe (numbered 95 Dudley street), tax for 1923..... 1,304 16

Elmer E. Bain—About 1,575 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot F, D. W. Hyde plan, May 18, 1910, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3463, page 441, tax for 1923..... 27 17

Also about 1,575 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1923..... 27 17

Also about 1,913 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot D, same plan, tax for 1923..... 32 11

Also about 1,948 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot C, same plan, tax for 1923..... 34 58

Also about 2,137 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Also about 2,137 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot A, same plan, tax for 1923..... 41 99

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 45 72

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922..... 48 36

Edward J. Ball—Buildings and about 1,931 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 789, between an estate of Arthur J. Chalen and an estate of Robert L. Parler, tax for 1923..... 59 28

Edgar P. Benjamin—Buildings and about 1,929 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 806 and 806A, between an estate of Jerry E. Boone and an estate of Milton M. Conliffe and another, tax for 1923..... 217 36

Edgar Benjamin and Alexander Nicholson—Buildings and about 994

feet of land on the northeasterly side of Windsor street, numbered 53, between another estate of said Benjamin and another and an estate of Jesse Gode and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... 74 10

Lillian Berkman—Buildings and about 1,005 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 78, between an estate of Honora Kingston and an estate of Joseph M. Kelly, trustee, tax for 1923..... 66 69

Rebecca Berly—Buildings and about 2,146 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1064, between another estate of said Berly and an estate of Gideon Currier, tax for 1923.....\$180 31
Paid on account..... 70 00

Balance due..... 110 31

Also buildings and about 2,151 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1068 and 1070, between another estate of said Berly and an estate of Jonas Huber and another, tax for 1923.....\$180 31
Paid on account..... 70 00

Balance due..... 110 31

Also buildings and about 2,103 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1066 and 1066A, between two estates of said Berly, tax for 1923.....\$177 84
Paid on account..... 60 00

Balance due..... 117 84

Boston Belting Company, Trustees—Buildings and about 9,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dunlow street, numbered 42, making the southerly corner of Elmwood street, adjoining another estate of said Boston Belting Company, trustees, tax for 1923..... 111 15

Also buildings and about 2,120 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunlow street, numbered 39, between an estate of West End Street Railway Company and an estate of James R. Turner, tax for 1923..... 29 64

Also buildings and about 2,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, numbered 40, between another estate of Boston Belting Company, trustees, and an estate of Luke Glennon heirs, tax for 1923..... 34 58

Also about 11,520 feet of land on the northeasterly side of King street, making the easterly corner of Nawn court, adjoining an estate of Robert R. Morrow, tax for 1923..... 143 26

Also about 10,176 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Texas street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by a passageway; easterly by another estate of said Boston Belting Company, trustees; southerly by a passageway; westerly by Texas street, tax for 1923..... 175 37

Also about 84,550 feet of land on the southerly side of Tremont street, making the southwesterly corner of Linden Park street, extending through to Elmwood street, adjoining an estate of William A. Gaston trustee, tax for 1923..... 6,303 44

Sarah S. Brennan—Buildings and about 1,053 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Windsor street, numbered 13, between an estate of George R. Nutter and an estate of Charles H. Roush trustee, tax for 1923..... 91 39

J. H. Broderick Company, Inc.—About 4,851 feet of land on the northerly side of Dudley street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Roxbury Boys' Club, being lot B, Harry C. Mildram plan, dated June 18, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4305, page 444, tax for 1923..... 180 31

Also buildings and about 11,570 feet of land on the southerly side of Roxbury street, numbered 50, between an estate now or formerly of Harry Lordan and an estate now or formerly of Mary J. E. Murray, tax for 1923..... 2,378 61

Hester N. Burgess—Buildings and about 3,461 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1285 and 1287 and making the westerly corner of and numbered 6 Prentiss street, adjoining an estate of William J. Minsk and another, tax for 1923..... 871 91

Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, Trustees under will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 2,700 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 572 making the southerly corner of Lyon place, adjoining an estate of Bessie Kaplan, tax for 1923..... 106 21

Julius L. and Robert P. Cabel—Buildings and about 8,974 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 2121, 2123, 2129 and 2131, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 10 Williams street extending through to Adams place, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Henry C. Pickering, tax for 1923,	2,470 00		
Julius L. and Robert P. Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 1,641 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Adams place, numbered 7, between an estate of Robert P. Cabel and an estate of Joseph E. Waitt, trustee, tax for 1923,	69 16		
Simon Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 1,207 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Williams street, numbered 16, between an estate of Joseph E. Waitt, trustee and an estate of Julius L. and Robert P. Cabel, tax for 1923,	44 46		
Keive Carman, Ira W. Shapiro and Thomas Nuttle, Trustees of the Commercial Building Trust—Buildings and about 11,328 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 2159, 2161 and 2163, making the northerly corner of and numbered 4 Winthrop place, adjoining an estate of Augustus Bacon heirs and others, tax for 1923	2,003 17		
Tax for 1921	2,003 17		
Catherine Casserly—Buildings and about 1,010 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 116, between an estate of Lillian B. Evans and an estate of Martha A. Green, tax for 1923	66 69		
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, numbered 36, between an estate now or formerly of Ann Murray and an estate now or formerly of Luke Glennon, tax for 1923	14 82		
Also buildings and about 656 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dillon street, numbered 13, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of City Laundry Company, tax for 1923	32 11		
Also buildings and about 1,613 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 178, extending through to Public Alley 804, between an estate of Martha A. Green and an estate of Anna C. Palmer, tax for 1923	96 33		
Also buildings and about 1,237 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Smith avenue, numbered 4, between an estate of Myer Plovnick and an estate of Eugene Ferris, tax for 1923	39 52		
Edith R. Chandler—Buildings and about 1,007 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, numbered 56, between an estate of Anna DeLuca and an estate of Annie Graham, tax for 1923	54 34		
William O. Childs and Frederick A. and M. B. Reid, Trustees, Greater Boston Land Company—Buildings and about 930 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer street, numbered 88, between an estate of Charles J. Kelley and an estate of James A. Williams, tax for 1923	37 05		
Church of God and Saints of Christ—Buildings and about 1,850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arnold street, numbered 20, between another estate of Church of God and Saints of Christ and an estate of Henry C. Meade, tax for 1923	49 40		
Tax for 1922	49 40		
Joseph Cohen—Buildings and about 2,193 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hammond street, numbered 31 and 31½, between another estate now or formerly of said Cohen and an estate now or formerly of James H. Anderson, tax for 1923	128 44		
Also buildings and about 2,218 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hammond street, numbered 33 and 33½, between another estate now or formerly of said Cohen and an estate now or formerly of Mary P. Hall, tax for 1923	128 44		
Arthur W. Cole—Buildings and about 1,017 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 548, making the easterly corner of Northampton street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Bridget O'Keefe heirs, tax for 1923	111 15		
Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 229, between two estates now or formerly of Gertrude M. Cole, tax for 1923	93 86		
Gertrude M. Cole—Buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 227, between an estate now or formerly of Arthur W. Cole and an			
estate now or formerly of Mabel R. Worthy, tax for 1923	93 86		
Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 231, between another estate now or formerly of said Cole and an estate now or formerly of Arthur W. Cole, tax for 1923	93 86		
Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 235, between two other estates now or formerly of said Cole, tax for 1923	93 86		
Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 237, between another estate now or formerly of said Cole and an estate now or formerly of Edmund H. Talbot, Jr., tax for 1923	93 86		
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbury street, numbered 24, between two estates now or formerly of Louis Yankelievitz, tax for 1923	29 64		
Concord Baptist Church—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 997 and 999, between another estate now or formerly of said Concord Baptist Church and an estate now or formerly of Abraham Finn and another, tax for 1921	\$135 85		
Paid on account	50 00		
Balance due	85 85		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921	7 00		
Also buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 991 and 993, between another estate now or formerly of said Concord Baptist Church and an estate now or formerly of Harris Pearlstein, tax for 1921	\$135 85		
Paid on account	50 00		
Balance due	85 85		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921	7 00		
Mary L. Connell—About 1,122 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westminster street, making the easterly corner of Hubert street, extending through to and making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Joseph Neustadt, tax for 1923	17 29		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	4 35		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	7 53		
Catherine Connors—Buildings and about 5,981 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 769 and 771, between an estate now or formerly of Mary S. Dean and an estate now or formerly of Episcopal City Mission, tax for 1923	395 20		
Tasker C. Crosson and Andrew P. Hazlewood—About 3,036 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Windsor street in the rear of and adjoining an estate now or formerly of George W. Timber and another, being a lot shown on Whitman and Howard plan, dated December 18, 1894, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9792, tax for 1922	29 64		
Tax for 1923	29 64		
Edwin U. Nelson and George O. Curtis (reassessed from Edwin U. Nelson and others)—Buildings and about 4,503 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 2304 to 2310, inclusive, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Frank Ferdinand, tax for 1923	1,235 00		
Meyer Dalins (reassessed from Meyer Galins)—Buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kendall street, numbered 53½ and 53A, between an estate of Martin F. Mulligan and an estate of Myer Plovnick, tax for 1923	46 93		
John L. Dickerson—Buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 102, adjoining an estate of John A. Menard, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10418, tax for 1923	\$66 69		
Paid on account	46 69		
Balance due	20 00		
William and Fannie Doksir—Buildings and about 947 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 853, between another estate of said Doksir and an estate of Carl L. W. Nelson, tax for 1923	\$96 33		
Paid on account	70 00		
Balance due	26 33		
Also buildings and about 971 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 855, between two other estates of said Doksir, tax for 1923	\$98 80		
Paid on account	70 00		
Balance due	28 80		
Also buildings and about 3,222 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sarsfield street, numbered 40, 42 and 44, making the southerly corner of Grinnell street, adjoining an estate of Carl L. W. Nelson, tax for 1923	\$232 18		
Paid on account	100 00		
Balance due	132 18		
Also buildings and about 1,012 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 857, between another estate of said Doksir and an estate of Jeremiah J. McNamara, tax for 1923	\$98 80		
Paid on account	60 00		
Balance due	38 80		
Anastasia J. Doyle—About 881 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newbern court, numbered 00, between an estate of Thomas Giblin heirs and an estate of Samuel Spector, being lots 6 and 7 shown on assessors volume 8, page 44, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923	9 88		
George W. Estabrook Trustee—Buildings and about 819 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a passageway, leading from the southeasterly side of Hampshire street, adjoining an estate of Martin F. Mulligan, tax for 1923	17 29		
John Faust—About 1,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walpole street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Walpole street, easterly and southerly by an estate now or formerly of Susan A. Cotter, southwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Andrew F. McGettrick, and westerly and northwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Mary E. Anderson, tax for 1923	27 17		
William A. Ford—Buildings and about 761 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chester place, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Ford, tax for 1923	29 64		
Also buildings and about 714 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chester place, numbered 6, between an estate of said Ford, numbered 5, and another estate not numbered, tax for 1923	29 64		
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,006 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 84 and 84½, between an estate of John M. Burrell and an estate of Josephine M. Coughlin, tax for 1923	79 04		
Suze C. French—Buildings and about 5,040 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 104, 106, 108A, 110 and 112, making the westerly corner of Guild row, adjoining an estate of Harriet M. Drake, tax for 1923	\$1,049 75		
Paid on account	250 00		
Balance due	799 75		
Marion E. Gage—Buildings and about 1,419 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 118, between an estate of Eugene S. Ayer and an estate of Irene M. Dick, tax for 1923	123 50		
Ellis L. Gates—About 1,991 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lincoln place in the rear of and adjoining an estate of John McCaull, being lot 14, shown on assessors' plans, volume 7, page 75, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923	12 35		
Also about 2,967 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of West End Street Railway Company; easterly by Dunlow street; southerly by an estate of Martha M. Schuster and westerly by an estate of Samuel Lofer and an estate of Mary J. Kenney, tax for 1923	24 70		
Tax for 1922	24 70		
Fannie Geller—Buildings and about 1,425 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Kendall street, numbered 48, between an estate of John Miller and another, trustees, and an estate of James T. Henry, tax for 1923	51 87		
Ada M. Gifford—Buildings and about 448 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sussex street, numbered 24, between an estate of Margaret T. Tobin and an estate of Edgar Howe, tax for 1923	34 58		

Gertrude S. Glickson—Buildings and about 1,533 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hubert street, numbered 21, between two estates of Abraham Geller, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 85		
Myer J. and Goldie S. Glickson—Buildings and about 1,554 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 70 and 70A, making the westerly corner of Auburn street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Glickson, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4503, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Hannah Goldberg—Buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Motley street, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Also buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Motley street, numbered 4, between two other estates of said Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Also buildings and about 1,170 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Motley street, numbered 2, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 968, making the southerly corner of Motley street, adjoining another estate of said Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Motley street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Louis Gray—Buildings and about 1,462 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warwick street, numbered 25 and 25A, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of C. Foster Brown, tax for 1923.....	66 69		
Palma Greco—Buildings and about 2,480 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1050, 1050A, 1050B, 1052 and 1052A, making the easterly corner of and numbered 11 Cunard street, adjoining an estate of Morris Cohen, and another registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15624, tax for 1923, \$338 39 Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	138 39		
Leopold G. Green, Trustee—Buildings and about 2,897 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Warren street, numbered 159 and 161, making the westerly corner of Hansford place, adjoining an estate of Annie J. Dorr, tax for 1923.....	242 06		
Hannah Greenhood—Buildings and about 1,402 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Camden street, numbered 21, between an estate of Isaac L. Wright and an estate of Rebecca Jenkins, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
Jacob Grossman—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sarsfield street, numbered 13, between another estate of said Grossman and an estate of Mary C. Bernhard, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15678, tax for 1923.....	\$66 69		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	41 69		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 60		
Also buildings and about 1,918 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sarsfield street, numbered 15, between another estate of said Grossman and an estate of Carl L. W. Nelson, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15678, tax for 1923.....	\$66 69		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	41 69		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 48		
Annie Gutman—Buildings and about 1,457 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 109 and 109A, between another estate of said Gutman and an estate of Collie B. Drake, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Also buildings and about 1,448 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 111 and 111A, between another estate of said Annie Gutman and an estate of Alice L. Gaertner and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Henry M. Harding, William A. Cox and Alexander M. Martin, Trustees of Harding, Cox and Martin Syndicate—Buildings and about 3,226 feet of land on the northeasterly side of			
Sarsfield street, numbered 39 and 41, adjoining an estate of David Groman and an estate of Philip Dexter and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Also buildings and about 1,801 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 800, between an estate of Frank R. Coursey and another and an estate of Jesse Goode and others, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9694, tax for 1923.....	187 72		
Also buildings and about 1,493 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 990 and 992, between an estate of Mary F. Ballou and an estate of David Channer, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Mary A. Healy—About 1,332 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marble street, formerly numbered 6, between an estate of Mary Healy and an estate of Arthur J. Phalen, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 91		
Also buildings and about 1,343 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marble street, numbered 7, between an estate of Mary A. Healy and an estate of Henry C. Smith, tax for 1923, 22 23	22 23		
Ida M. Hodson—Buildings and about 710 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dillon street, numbered 15, between an estate of Daniel J. O'Connell and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Also buildings and about 1,021 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sterling street, numbered 37, between an estate of Kirkov Kezerian and an estate of Harry Geller, tax for 1923.....	34 53		
Also buildings and about 1,673 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sterling street, numbered 65, between an estate of Lucy Burchmeyer and an estate of James N. Bryant and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodbury street, numbered 23, between an estate of Warren Gowen and an estate of Louis Yankelwitz, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Also about 1,782 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westminster street (formerly numbered 104), making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of William Charak, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	13 62		
Also buildings and about 1,617 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Camden street, numbered 53, making the northerly corner of Public Alley 805, adjoining an estate of George A. Davis, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Also buildings and about 1,440 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warwick street, numbered 117, between an estate of Thomas Mallory and others and an estate of Delia Lundy, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Everett J. Holmes—Buildings and about 2,074 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kenilworth street, numbered 7, between an estate of George H. Brown and another and an estate of Simon Neuhoff, tax for 1923, Charles H. and Josephine E. Johnson—Buildings and about 1,321 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marble street, numbered 4, between an estate of Cornelius McKane devisees and an estate of Arthur J. Phalen, tax for 1923.....	\$66 69		
Paid on account.....	62 00		
Balance due.....	4 69		
Nina D. Johnson—Buildings and about 1,007 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 92, between two estates of Daniel H. Miner, tax for 1923.....	66 69		
Mary A. Kelley—Buildings and about 2,546 feet of land on the westerly side of Lamont street, numbered 37, between an estate of Mary W. Kelley and an estate of Anna M. Schmidt, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 930 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer street, numbered 86, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of William O. Childs and another trustee, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,975 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Madison street, numbered 23, between an estate of Frederick P. Fairfield and an estate of Twelfth Baptist Church, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Also buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cabot street, numbered 56, between an estate of Hilda Carlson and an estate of Amanda E. Milmore, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Ella G. Knapp—About 1,407 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Coventry street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly and easterly by Coventry street; southwesterly and southerly by an estate of Mary E. Morse; southwesterly and westerly by an estate of Michael F. Barry and northwesterly by an estate of John D. O'Connor, tax for 1923.....	19 70		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 58		
Duncan A. Kildare (reassessed from Edmund Rochester)—Buildings and about 1,371 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 673 and 675, making the northerly corner of Windsor street, adjoining an estate of Fannie D. Morse and others, tax for 1923.....	145 73		
Celia S. Krewe—About 626 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot J, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 613 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot I, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 613 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot H, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 456 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot K, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 612 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot L, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 618 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot M, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 636 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot N, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Helen E. Laughlin—Buildings and about 1,426 feet of land on the easterly side of King street, numbered 11, between an estate of Mary J. Kenney and an estate of Patrick Lynch and another, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Annie Lefebvre—Buildings and about 1,875 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Madison street, numbered 17, between an estate of Florence McCarthy and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, trustee, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 20		
Fannie Levin—Buildings and about 4,219 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 2137, 2141, 2143 and 2145, making the westerly corner of and numbered 8 Adams place, adjoining an estate of Harriet Davenport, tax for 1923.....	\$1,756 17		
Paid on account.....	1,000 00		
Balance due.....	756 17		
Leola V. Mason—Buildings and about 1,280 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 86, between an estate of Charles L. Smith heirs and another and an estate of Alfred M. Chandler and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Catherine F. McGlynn—Buildings and about 1,713 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1344 and 1344j, between an estate of James Chicos and an estate of William F. McGowan, tax for 1923.....	\$279 11		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	179 11		

James McMahon Heirs or Devises — About 391 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Downing street, adjoining an estate of Julia L. Heimberg, being a lot shown on H. H. Moses plan, dated May 15, 1879, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Patrick Padden—Buildings and about 1,234 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Dunlow street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	7 41	place, adjoining an estate of John Currie, tax for 1923.....	\$385 32	Paid on account.....	250 00
Edward B., Frank W. and William A. Merriam, one third each (Undivided)—Buildings and about 902 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alpine terrace, adjoining an estate of Alice G. Hayes, being lot B, W. H. Whitney plan, dated July 20, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2221, page 262, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Arthur J. Phelan—Buildings and about 1 937 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 787, between another estate of Edward J. Ball and an estate of Walter H. Skinner, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Balance due.....	135 32	Mollie Showstack—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lenox street, numbered 129, between an estate of John Quinn and an estate of John F. Putnam, tax for 1923.....	175 37
Joseph Miller, Trustee for Daisy K. Miller and other—Buildings and about 970 feet of land on the easterly side of Kendall street, numbered 17, between an estate of John H. Hyman and an estate of Isaac L. Wright, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Also buildings and about 1,325 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marble street, numbered 5, between an estate of Mary A. Healy and an estate of Charles H. Johnson and another, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Harry R. Simpson—Buildings and about 809 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Adams place, numbered 10, between an estate of C. E. Osgood Company and an estate of Fannie Levin, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Clara C. F. Steele—Buildings and about 1,198 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 957 and 937A, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Annie Neustadt, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 28
John Miller—Buildings and about 1,390 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Kendall street, numbered 50, between an estate of James H. Allen and another and an estate of Fannie Geller, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Harry Poloshook—Buildings and about 8,973 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hammond street, numbered 32 and 34, between an estate of Frank B. Fay and others, trustees, and an estate of Mary J. Frederickson, tax for 1923.....	\$321 77	George A. Tell—Buildings and about 1,480 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 160, between an estate of Mary E. Sullivan and an estate of Grand Masters and Wardens of the Alpha Grand Lodge of the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Grace E. Tewksbury—About 1,822 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Ann Murray; easterly by Dunlow street; southerly by an estate of West End Street Railway Company and westerly by an estate of Boston Ice Cream Company, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Virgi Morlian (now set off to Thomas Ciracci)—Buildings and about 2,793 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 68, between two other estates of said Morlian, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Balance due.....	171 77	Also buildings and about 1,325 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walpole street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Ann Murray; easterly by Dunlow street; southerly by an estate of West End Street Railway Company and westerly by an estate of Boston Ice Cream Company, tax for 1923.....	12 35	United States Trust Company, Trustees under will of Reuben Green—Buildings and about 960 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer street, numbered 34, between an estate of Rose A. Stanley and an estate of Ellis L. Jones, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Virgi Morlian (now set off to Dorian Mazely)—Buildings and about 3,877 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 62, making the corner of Fenwick street, adjoining another estate of said Morlian, tax for 1923.....	116 09	Albert A. Ridyard (Mortgagee in Possession)—Buildings and about 2,988 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Regent street, numbered 36 and 38, making the easterly corner of Fountain street, adjoining an estate of Frank Kirchthurn, tax for 1923.....	298 87	William and Mary E. Walsh—Buildings and about 1,626 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cliff street, numbered 52, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Patrick T. J. Callahan and an estate of another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 41	Ralph B. Webber—Buildings and about 69,010 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 2595, making the southwesterly corner of Guild street, extending through to Juniper street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Normile, tax for 1923.....	498 94
Thomas F. and Mary S. Murphy, one half each (Undivided)—About 849 feet of land on the northerly side of Alpine terrace, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Augusta B. Doherty; westerly by an estate of Eliot Savings Bank, mortgagee in possession; easterly by an estate of Edward B. Merriam, and southerly by Alpine terrace, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Ralph B. Rodgers—About 1,642 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walpole street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Walpole street; easterly and southerly by an estate now or formerly of Mary E. Anderson; southwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Carl L. W. Nelson, and northwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Ralph B. Rodgers, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Willard Welsh—Buildings and about 1,956 feet of land lying in the rear of a passageway from the southwesterly side of Linden Park street, adjoining an estate of Linden Park Garage, Inc., being lot E, H. C. Mildram plan, dated July 6, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2454, page 529, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 25, between two other estates of said Nawn, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Mary F. and Thomas L. Murphy—About 849 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alpine terrace, being lot A, W. H. Whitney plan, July 20, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2221, page 267, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 1,034 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walpole street, making the southerly corner of Columbus avenue, adjoining an estate of Carl L. W. Nelson, tax for 1923.....	41 99	Tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Ann Murray—About 2,029 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, formerly numbered 32, between an estate of Patrick Padden and an estate of Grace C. Tewksbury, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood plan, dated March 20, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2146, page 260, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Harlow H. Rogers—About 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dallas place, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Bridget Kelley; southerly and southwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Cynthia W. Batchelder; easterly by an estate now or formerly of Emma M. Nichols, trustee; northerly by an estate now or formerly of Thomas Jackson, tax for 1923.....	14 82	William Williams—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lenox street, numbered 124, extending through to Sawyer street, between an estate of Patrick Casey heirs or devisees, and an estate of John B. Howan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 25, between two other estates of said Nawn, tax for 1923.....	64 22
John S. Myrick—Buildings and about 1,986 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 220, extending through to Public Alley 804, between an estate of Royal Whiton and an estate of Edmund N. Harding and another, tax for 1923.....	103 74	Also about 991 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Windsor place, adjoining an estate of said Rogers and others, trustees, being lot 11, shown on a plan recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1034, page 169, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westminster street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly and southeasterly by Westminster street; southwesterly and westerly by sundry estates of Susan and Mabel E. Jewett; northwesterly by an estate of the City of Boston, and northerly by estates of Estune Z. Rountree, George Munroe, Amelia Greenbaum, Matthew W. Bullock and Frank L. Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Elizabeth A. Nawn—Buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 27, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Catharine Gallagher, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Also about 945 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Windsor place, adjoining an estate of said Rogers and others, trustees, being lot 12, shown on a plan recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1034, page 169, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	5 50	Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 25, between two other estates of said Nawn, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Also about 800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Windsor place, adjoining an estate of said Rogers and others, trustees, being lot 13, shown on a plan recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1034, page 169, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Alexander W. Wood—Buildings and about 816 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parnell street, numbered 15, between an estate of Mary Doherty and an estate of Exchange Realty Company, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Reddick J. Royster—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lenox street, numbered 69, between an estate of John Beck and an estate of Edward Gagler, tax for 1923.....	86 45	William N. Ambler—About 45,747 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hillside street, making the northerly corner of Wait street, through to Frawley street, adjoining an estate of Feinstein and another, being lot C, Henry F. Bryant plan, dated November 1, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4277, page 410, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	\$14 40	Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Hugh Nawn Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 9 225 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, numbered 177 rear, 179, 181, 183, 185, 187, 191, 193 and 193A, making the northwesterly corner of Stanton place and the southerly corner of a passageway, tax for 1923.....	481 65	Alice G. Safford—Buildings and about 3,475 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Regent street, numbered 39, between an estate of Martin Riordan and an estate of Daniel F. Crowley and another, tax for 1923.....	71 63	WARD FOURTEEN.		Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Also buildings and about 3,014 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 15, between an estate of Harriet Wiswall and another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	76 57	Jake Sandler—Buildings and about 2,017 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hubert street, numbered 25, making the easterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Abraham Geller, tax for 1923.....	44 46			Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Also buildings and about 2,358 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 11 and 13, between another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees and an estate of Annie J. Dorr, tax for 1923.....	197 60	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	27 43			Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Mary E. and Edward J. O'Connor—Buildings and about 1,884 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hammond street, numbered 27 and 27A, between an estate of James H. Anderson and an estate of Mary V. Cox, tax for 1923.....	113 62	Max Sherman—Buildings and about 7,447 feet of land on the side of Camden street, numbered 16, 16A, 18, 22 and 24, making the westerly corner of and numbered 1, 2 and 3 Wirth				Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22

Also about 19,611 feet of land on the easterly side of Mission street, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Kelley, being lot E, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	19 20	
Apartment Sales Corporation, Trustees, Under Deed, Riverway Apartment Trust—Buildings and about 6,781 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Riverway, numbered 390, between an estate of said Riverway Apartment Trust and an estate of Joseph Newman, tax for 1923.....	1,536 34	
Also buildings and about 8,277 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Riverway, numbered 394, making the easterly corner of Huntington avenue, adjoining another estate of said Riverway Apartment Trust, tax for 1923.....	1,857 44	
Mabel E. Berry—Buildings and about 3,748 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1571, 1573 and 1575, between an estate of John H. Casey and an estate of Julia T. Baker, tax for 1923.....	377 91	
Fannie S. Boyd—About 59,641 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Colburn street, adjoining an estate of William E. Litchfield, being lots 51 to 64, inclusive, William E. Hannan plan, dated March 19, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2534, page 193, tax for 1923.....	219 83	
Also about 32,804 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colburn street, being lots 65 to 72 (inclusive), same plan, tax for 1923.....	96 33	
Jacob Buckholz, one third, and Frederick J. Buckholz, two thirds—Buildings and about 840 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Smith street, numbered 20 rear, between an estate of William C. Flock and another and an estate of Mary Backoff, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Andrew Carroll—About 3,762 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Arthur O'Leary, being lot 78, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, John Carby—About 2,976 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kenney street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates of Lawrence J. Hackett and another and Clara M. Manning; easterly by an estate of Ann Fischer; southerly by Kenney street; westerly by an estate of Hannah M. McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 29	
Edward F. Cassell—About 1,540 feet of land on the southerly side of Edgar street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Edgar street; easterly by an estate of John C. Kiley; southerly by a 15-foot passageway leading from the northwesterly side of Halleck street; westerly by an estate of Charles T. Ward heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	13 56	
Also about 1,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Edgar street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Edgar street; easterly by an estate of John C. Kiley; southerly by a 15-foot passageway leading from the northwesterly side of Halleck street; westerly by another estate of John C. Kiley, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 1,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Edgar street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Edgar street; easterly by an estate of Charles P. Webber and others, trustees; southerly by a 15-foot passageway leading from the northwesterly side of Halleck street; westerly by an estate of John C. Kiley, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Harry P. Chadwick—About 2,450 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hutchins avenue, adjoining an estate of Joanna Conway, being lot 19, Garbett and Wood plan, dated June 13, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1842, page 391, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 3,245 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Day street, making the westerly corner of Grotto Glen road, adjoining an estate of John T. Flynn and another, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	
Also about 3,490 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 24, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated August 22, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2631, page 472, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 3,915 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 5,340 feet of land on the easterly side of Frawley street, making the southeasterly corner of Kempton street, adjoining an estate of George A. Atton, being lot 16, and the northeasterly part of lot 17, Henry F. Bryant plan, dated June 23, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3898, page 415, tax for 1923.....	51 87	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 20	
Cornelius J. Connelly—About 2,211 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Patrick Kilday and another, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Ellingwood street; easterly by an estate of William Williams; southerly by estates of William Jacobs, and westerly by an estate of Patrick Kilday and another, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Stephen and Margaret Connolly—About 3,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Daniel Lorden, being lot 83, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Frank A. Connors—About 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Oswald street, making the northeasterly corner of Paker Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Bridget Riley, being lot 114, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Cosmopolitan Trust Company—About 435 feet of land on the easterly side of Wait street, making the northeasterly corner of Sachem street, adjoining an estate of Minnie T. Sheehy, being a lot shown on F. A. McInnes plan, January 31, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4288, tax for 1923.....	22 23	
Apportionment for street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 71	
Also about 3,182 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wait street, between an estate of Nora Trant and another estate of said Cosmopolitan Trust Company, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Patrick J. Cronon—Buildings and about 14,699 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Longwood avenue, numbered 91 and 93, extending through to the southerly side of Ward street, adjoining an estate of Hugh McLaughlin and an estate of Margaret A. Wallace, tax for 1923.....	358 15	
M. Etta Crowley—Buildings and about 8,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Smyrna street, numbered 7, making the southerly corner of Brookline avenue, adjoining an estate of Hulda A. Olsen, tax for 1922, \$242 06 Paid on account.....	216 86	
Balance due.....	25 20	
Roderick A. and Susan A. Cummings—Buildings and about 2,034 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Heath street, numbered 162, between an estate of John J. Kippenberger and another and an estate of Edward P. Maguire and another, tax for 1923.....	61 75	
Catherine J. Cunniffe—Buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Whitney street, numbered 42 and 46, making the westerly corner of Smith street, adjoining an estate of Delia J. Manning, tax for 1921.....	148 20	
Paid on account.....	145 00	
Balance due.....	3 20	
Tax for 1922.....	148 20	
Tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Also buildings and about 2,705 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Smith street, numbered 126, adjoining another estate of said Cunniffe (numbered 42 and 46 Smith street), tax for 1921.....	175 37	
Paid on account.....	145 00	
Balance due.....	30 37	
Tax for 1922.....	175 37	
Tax for 1923.....	175 37	
Michael M. Cunniff Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 2,496 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 643 and 645, making the northeasterly corner of Worthington street, adjoining an estate of Albert H. French, tax for 1921, Tax for 1923.....	741 00	
John M. Dempsey—Buildings and about 1,589 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wigglesworth street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Dempsey and an estate of John Dorney and others, tax for 1923, Gordon Dexter (supposed present owner Mary Ferris)—About 3,640 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calumet street, being lot 15, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	741 00	
	139 91	
	14 67	
Gordon Dexter (supposed present owner George T. Pitts)—About 3,650 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calumet street, being lot 12, William D. Badger plan, dated May 25, 1896, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2367, page 439, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	14 71	
Mary E. Donaldson Heirs—About 2,103 feet of land on the westerly side of Worthington street, making the southwesterly corner of Smith street, adjoining an estate of Margaret Reilly, being a lot shown on Thomas W. Davis plan, dated December 20, 1890, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, Jeremiah A. and Mary L. Donohoe—About 3,880 feet of land on the southerly side of Iroquois street, adjoining an estate of Mary J. Donohue, being lot 87, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.....	51 87	
	12 35	
James F. Dooley—About 2,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Jamaica-way, adjoining another estate of said Dooley, being lot 50, shown on assessors' plans, volume 8, page 158, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923, Also about 2,329 feet of land on the easterly side of Jamaica-way, adjoining another estate of said Dooley, being the easterly part of lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23	
	19 76	
Federal Trust Company, Trustee of the Faneuil Realty Trust—About 4,066 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining an estate of Mary Butler, being lot 31, C. H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2242, page 417, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Israel A. Feinstein and Sam J. Samuels—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Frawley street, (formerly Kempton street), being lot 14, Henry F. Bryant plan, dated June 23, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3898, page 415, tax for 1923.....	39 52	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 80	
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Frawley street, (formerly Kempton street), being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	39 52	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 80	
G. Isabel Flint—Buildings and about 2,941 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Whitney street, numbered 66 and 68, between an estate of Catherine Foley and an estate of Bryan Tangney, tax for 1923.....	172 90	
James J. Galvin—Buildings and about 3,450 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 52, between an estate of Patrick Byrne and an estate of Catherine Keane, tax for 1923, \$148 20 Paid on account.....	120 00	
Balance due.....	28 20	
Charles H. Gosse—About 25,814 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bucknam street, making the southerly corner of Wensley street, adjoining an estate of Etta Myers, being lot 45 to 52 (inclusive), C. H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2242, page 417, tax for 1923.....	128 41	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	11 87	
Manuel S. Grassie—About 4,446 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lawn street, between an estate of Hugh J. Kilday and an estate of Domenick Doherty, tax for 1923.....	22 23	
Lawrence J. Hackett—About 1,954 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Arcola street, adjoining an estate of Martin M. Lomasney and another, being lot 22, Walter C. Stevens plan, October, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2458, page 228, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Etta Hailparr—Buildings and about 1,610 feet of land on the easterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 32, between an estate of Ida Miller and an estate of Jessie Goode and others, tax for 1923.....	143 26	
Thomas H. Hall—About 2,497 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prentiss street, between an estate of A. J. Houghton Company and an estate of Christine F. McIntyre, tax for 1923.....	37 05	
Mary A. and Annie J. Harmon—Buildings and about 5,010 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 733 to 739, between an estate of Charles H. Winn and an estate of John B. Lyons, tax for 1923, 617 50	617 50	

Walter M. Hayes—About 7,468 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Parker Hill avenue, between an estate of Mary Cushing and others and an estate of Otis Shepard heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	17 29				
Ida M. Hodsdon—About 4,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Parker street, making the northwesterly corner of Conant street, adjoining an estate of Charles J. Munchbach, tax for 1923.....	76 57				
Also about 4,366 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Cronin, being lot 1, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.....	27 17				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 60				
Also about 2,507 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mindoro street, between an estate of Margaret M. Mills and an estate of Jonas Huber and another, tax for 1923.....	54 34				
Also about 6,408 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mindoro street, between an estate of said Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of Stefan Hacunda and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5191, tax for 1923.....	79 04				
Elizabeth M. Kelleher—Buildings and about 1,163 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Terrace street, numbered 44, between an estate of James Grainey and another estate of said Kelleher, tax for 1923.....	81 51				
Also buildings and about 1,159 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Terrace street, numbered 46, between another estate of said Kelleher and an estate of Roxbury Crossing Realty Company, tax for 1923.....	86 45				
John L. Kelley—About 3,956 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 15, H. C. Mildram plan, dated June 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2444, tax for 1923.....	19 76				
Also about 2,713 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82				
Also about 2,668 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Also about 2,622 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Also about 2,577 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Also about 2,532 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Also about 3,338 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29				
Also about 2,975 feet of land on the westerly side of Burney street, between an estate of Julia F. Coleman and an estate of Arthur A. O'Leary, tax for 1923.....	44 46				
Mary A. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,445 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parker street, numbered 686, between an estate of Eva Patmalnic and an estate of Dominico Sacco, tax for 1923.....	59 28				
Walter H. Kelly—About 2,484 feet of land on the westerly side of Fisher avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of George F. Weaver; easterly by Fisher avenue; southerly by an estate of Patrick J. Downey, and westerly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1922.....	14 82				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	8 90				
Tax for 1923.....	14 82				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 58				
Hugh J. Kilday—About 4,537 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lawn street, being lot 7, C. H. W. Wood plan, August 22, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2631, page 472, tax for 1923.....	22 23				
William E. Litchfield—About 77,000 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Colburn street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Fannie S. Boyd; southeasterly by an estate of Massachusetts Women's Hospital; southwesterly by an estate of Otis Shepard, heirs or devisees and north-					
westerly by a passageway in the rear of Sundry estates (numbered 46 to 82 inclusive). South Huntington avenue, tax for 1923.....	76 57				
Albert A. Little—About 1,451 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Estey street, making the southerly corner of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Little, being lot A, William O. Badger plan, dated April, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2751, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Also about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Estey street, adjoining another estate of said Little, being lot B, William O. Badger plan, dated April, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2751, tax for 1922.....	9 88				
Tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 96				
Also about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Estey street, adjoining an estate of Catherine Bates, being lot C, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88				
Tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Lund Bradley Construction Company—About 4,760 feet of land on the northerly side of Byrner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 15, S. L. Leftovith plan, dated August 18, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4398, page 152, tax for 1923.....	46 93				
Also about 4,750 feet of land on the northerly side of Byrner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	46 93				
Also about 4,744 feet of land on the northerly side of Byrner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	46 93				
Also about 5,284 feet of land on the northerly side of Byrner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	44 46				
Sarah Lyons—Buildings and about 5,983 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Binney street, numbered 47, between an estate of John J. Tamey and an estate of Abbie Corbett, tax for 1923.....	125 97				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 50				
Nicola Maffei—Buildings and about 10,910 feet of land, lying in the rear from the westerly side of Bickford avenue, numbered 14, adjoining an estate of Josephine T. Hart, tax for 1923.....	86 45				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	27 79				
Ayoub and Mulaky Maloof—Buildings and about 1,556 feet of land on the easterly side of Heath place, numbered 12, making the southeasterly corner of Heath avenue, adjoining an estate of said Maloof (numbered 31 Heath avenue), tax for 1923.....	\$61 75				
Paid on account.....	25 00				
Balance due.....	36 75				
Also building and about 1,197 feet of land on the southerly side of Heath avenue, numbered 31, between an estate of said Maloof and another, and another estate of said Maloof and another, tax for 1923.....	\$79 04				
Paid on account.....	25 00				
Balance due.....	54 04				
Arthur E. Marcus—Buildings and about 4,076 feet of land on the easterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 6, making the southerly corner of Huntington avenue, adjoining an estate of Rae A. Lewis, tax for 1923.....	605 15				
Borush W. Mastasky Heirs or Devisees—Buildings and about 1,276 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 296, between an estate of Frederick H. Stevens and another and an estate of Charles J. Paine and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22				
Elizabeth Matlin, Trustee for Esther, Sarah and Harold Matlin—Buildings and about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Smith street, numbered 27, 29 and 31 rear, between an estate of Elizabeth A. Kelley and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	121 03				
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	7 15				
Margaret V. McAuley—Buildings and about 2,023 feet of land on the southwesterly side and at end of Wait place, numbered 10, between an estate of John Blucker and another and an estate of Mary E. Walsh, tax for 1923.....	69 16				
Catherine E. McGrady—About 2,507 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mindora street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Mindora street; northeasterly by an					
estate of Jonas and Walbuga Huber; southeasterly by New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company; southwesterly by an estate of Margaret G. Comer and others, tax for 1923.....	32 11				
Daniel A. McLaughlin—About 2,399 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Darling street, between an estate of Patrick Blaney and another being lot 8, A. W. Sargent plan, dated April 11, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2524, page 386, tax for 1923.....	19 76				
Harry H. Miller—Buildings and about 4,461 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Minden street, numbered 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9, making the northerly corner of Bickford street, adjoining an estate of William M. Waul, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15007, tax for 1923.....	\$247 00				
Paid on account.....	100 00				
Balance due.....	147 00				
Lawrence A. Moran Heirs—Buildings and about 2,353 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Phillips street, numbered 15 and 17, between an estate of Lawrence A. Moran heirs or devisees and an estate of Willard Welsh, tax for 1923.....	148 20				
Hanorah Normile—Buildings and about 3,540 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 64, between an estate of Rose Shea and an estate of Thomas and Catherine Moore, tax for 1923.....	83 98				
Catherine Norton—Buildings and about 1,478 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kempton street, numbered 9, between an estate of Winfred Rooney and an estate of John A. McAleer and another, tax for 1923.....	148 20				
Also buildings and about 3,480 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath avenue, numbered 20, between an estate of Bridget Earley and an estate of Bridget Dolan, tax for 1923.....	79 04				
Anna A. O'Connell—Buildings and about 2,880 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 176, between another estate of said O'Connell and an estate of James Johnson, tax for 1923.....	195 13				
Also buildings and about 2,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 178, between another estate of said O'Connell and an estate of Dennis J. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	195 13				
Catherine O'Connell—Buildings and about 4,030 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Longwood avenue, numbered 61, between an estate of Louis Giller and Israel Ickman and an estate of John J. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	153 14				
Daniel T. O'Connell—About 3,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath avenue, adjoining an estate of Mary Kane, being lot 9, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 18, 1883, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1598, tax for 1922.....	12 35				
Tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Mary E. O'Connor—About 5,130 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, adjoining an estate of Bridget McCarthy, being lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1922.....	27 17				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	20 86				
Elizabeth O'Driscoll—About 527 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sewall street, between an estate of Annie M. Kelley (numbered 10) and an estate of Lillian Salter, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Mary A. M. Owens—Buildings and about 5,087 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath street, numbered 267 and 269, between another estate of Mary A. M. Owens and an estate of William Jacobs, tax for 1923.....	202 54				
Also buildings and about 5,082 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath street, numbered 271, between an estate of Anna C. Tomlinson and another and another estate of said Owens, tax for 1923.....	123 50				
Alice A. Pickering—About 2,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Jamaica-way, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Mary C. Broderick; easterly by an estate of Mary T. Dolan; southerly by an estate of Eugene M. Niles and westerly by Jamaica-way, tax for 1923.....	17 29				
Charles E. Pierce—About 222 feet of land on the westerly side of Halleck street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Halleck street; westerly and southerly by an estate of Nathan Cushing heirs or devisees and northerly by an estate of Nathan Cushing heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	4 94				

George T. Pitts—About 3,650 feet of land on the easterly side of Calumet street, adjoining an estate of Daniel J. Murphy, being lot 13, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 72		
Clayton E. Rockwell—About 363 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sachem street extended, adjoining an estate of Louis F. Abbott, being a lot shown on F. A. McInnes plan, dated June 31, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Lillian Salter—About 800 feet of land on the westerly side of Parker street, between an estate of Edward J. and Annie N. Harte and an estate of Jessie O. B. Goldsmith and Ethel Gryzmish, tax for 1922.....	19 76		
Tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Clinton B. Sherwood—Buildings and about 2,014 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1613 and 1613A, between an estate of Joseph Christos and an estate of Mary Fishman, tax for 1923.....	200 07		
Albert C. Smith—About 690 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mechanic street, adjoining an estate of James T. Gilligan, trustee, being a lot shown on William Jackson plan, July 18, 1902, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	2 87		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	3 44		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Eliot E. Smith and William A. McLean, Trustees of Chauncey Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 5,686 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 877, between an estate of Myer I. and Mollie R. Eilberg and an estate of Harris Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....	916 37		
Catherine E. Spence, set off to Caroline M. Cowee—About 575 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Craft street, adjoining another estate of said Cowee, being northerly part of lot 30, shown on Whitman and Breck plan, June 15, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1114, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Lillian M. Southard—Mortgagee in possession—About 74,278 feet of land on the northerly side of Heath street, extending through to Wensley street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Wensley street; easterly by estates of Nicola Maffei and C. George Armstrong and another; southerly by Heath street and westerly by estates of Theresa V. Martin and Charles H. Gosse, tax for 1922.....	2,766 40		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	128 95		
George F. and Sarah O. Weaver, Trustees Weaver Club—About 5,005 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Weaver and another trustee, being lot 103, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 38		
Also about 4,306 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Weaver and another, trustees, being lot 102, same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 38		
Willard Welsh—About 639 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Longwood avenue, making the northerly corner of Phillips street, adjoining an estate of Ellen Dolan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Weymouth Savings Bank—Buildings and about 1,870 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 553, between an estate of Anna B. Frecey and an estate of James C. Ayer and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	219 83		
Lillian E. Williams—Buildings and about 1,665 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 7, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of Abraham S. Weinstein, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Also buildings and about 1,802 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 9, between two other estates of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Also buildings and about 1,797 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 11, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Also buildings and about 1,802 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 15, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Also buildings and about 1,949 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 17, making the easterly corner of Sewall street, adjoining another estate of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	229 71		
William Williams—About 4,190 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Arthur O'Leary, being lot 80, Charles H. W. Wood plan, July 10, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2242, page 417, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 3,495 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Day street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Coughlin heirs, being lot 27, Garbett and Wood plan, dated June 13, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1842, page 391, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
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Franco Andreotti—Buildings and about 1,481 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1479 and 1481, between an estate of Gaetano G. Andreotti and an estate of Grant B. Oakman and another trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$81 51		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	\$56 51		
Gaetano G. Andreotti—Buildings and about 1,498 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1483 and 1485, between an estate of Franco Andreotti and an estate of Edward C. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	\$81 51		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	56 51		
Richard F. Andrews, Junior—Buildings and about 3,680 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar street, numbered 124 and 126, between an estate of Patrick Donohue and another and an estate of Louise P. Chandler, tax for 1923.....	150 67		
Also buildings and about 3,066 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar street, numbered 108-110, between an estate of Annie J. Healey and another and an estate of Susan A. Burns and another, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Arthur M. Ayzavian—Buildings and about 2,239 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cedar street, numbered 107, making the northerly corner of a passageway and adjoining an estate of Mary Russo, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Johannah Barrett—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marcella street, numbered 100, between two estates of Arthur S. Dearborn, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Gustave A. Bautze—Buildings and about 2,305 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Valentine street, numbered 6, between an estate of Lawrence Griffin and another and an estate of John O'Hara, tax for 1923.....	125 97		
Edgar P. Benjamin—Buildings and about 4,581 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dixwell street, numbered 21 and 23, between an estate of Mary A. Rice and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	\$407 55		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	207 55		
William Bourne Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 3,359 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 123, making the northerly corner of Wyman street, adjoining an estate of Hugo Schindler, tax for 1923.....	19 10		
William E. Brigham, three sixths, Ada D., one sixth, and Margherite, two sixths—About 4,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Lamartine street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Alice F. Boyden; easterly by Lamartine street; southerly by an estate of John E. Hannon; westerly by an estate of Ida Fishman, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Frances Cataldo—Buildings and about 6,341 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre Street terrace, numbered 2, between an estate of said Cataldo and an estate of Joseph P. O'Connell, tax for 1923.....	442 13		
Also buildings and about 5,242 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre Street terrace, numbered 1, between another estate of said Cataldo, and an estate of Horace K. Batchelder, tax for 1923.....	434 72		
Morris Center—Buildings and about 1,431 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 56, between two other estates of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28		
Paid on account.....	26 77		
Balance due.....	32 51		
Also buildings and about 1,431 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 54, between two other estates of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28		
Paid on account.....	26 77		
Balance due.....	32 51		
Also buildings and about 1,431 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 52, between two other estates of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28		
Paid on account.....	26 77		
Balance due.....	32 51		
Also buildings and about 1,405 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 50, between another estate of said Center and an estate of Miller Candy Company, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28		
Paid on account.....	26 77		
Balance due.....	32 51		
Also buildings and about 1,431 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 58, between two other estates of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28		
Paid on account.....	26 77		
Balance due.....	32 51		
Also buildings and about 1,402 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 60 and 60A, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$64 22		
Paid on account.....	26 77		
Balance due.....	37 45		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 17, Garbett and Wood plan, September 24, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 596, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also buildings and about 2,380 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1579, between two other estates of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	12 59		
Also about 2,380 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, making the northerly corner of a 40-foot street, being lot 5, Charles F. Baxter plan, June 26, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2851, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	12 59		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Alice R. Allen; easterly by Washington street; southerly by an estate of Mary Munier, and westerly by a passageway, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Also about 2,583 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a 40-foot street, making the northerly corner of Columbus avenue, being a lot shown on Charles F. Baxter plan, June 26, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2851, at end, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	12 59		
Also about 2,380 feet of land on the westerly side of Columbus avenue; making the northwesterly corner of a 40-foot street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	12 59		
Also buildings and about 1,125 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bickford street, numbered 49, between an estate of Deborah Schipsky and an estate of Benjamin Schneider, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also buildings and about 1,007 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bickford street, numbered 63, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Sarah Winer, tax for 1923.....	59 28		
Also buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bickford street, numbered 65, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Isaac Simon, tax for 1923.....	32 11		

Mathilda Clare—About 3,741 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cranston street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by an estate of Joseph Colbe and another; southeasterly by Cranston street; southwesterly by an estate of Frederick Trapue; northwesterly by an estate of Christopher Kevorkian, tax for 1923.	12 35	Alfred Gismondi—Buildings and about 894 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Heath street, numbered 6 and 6A, between an estate of Angelo Cirino and an estate of Louise M. Davies, tax for 1923.	\$81 51	erly side of Washington street, numbered 3150, between another estate of said Lynch and an estate of Josef Rothner, tax for 1923.	130 91
Owen F. Clasby—Buildings and about 814 feet of land lying in the rear from the easterly side of Ellsworth avenue, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Thomas D. Lavelle, trustee, tax for 1923.	9 88	Paid on account.	50 00	Also buildings and about 2,209 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3148, between two other estates of said Lynch, tax for 1923.	130 91
Joseph F. Cole—Buildings and about 3,380 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marcella street, numbered 86 and 88, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Cole, tax for 1923.	103 74	Balance due.	31 51	Also buildings and about 2,192 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3146, between another estate of said Lynch and an estate of Ada E. Nuell, tax for 1923.	130 91
Also buildings and about 1,370 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marcella street, numbered 84, between two other estates of said Cole, tax for 1923.	61 75	Katie Glass—Buildings and about 1,006 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1267, between an estate of Thomas T. Quirk and another and an estate of trustees of the grammar school in the easterly part of the town of Roxbury, tax for 1923.	59 28	Giovanni Malgeri—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 57, making the northerly corner of and numbered 1, 3 and 5 Sunny court, adjoining an estate of Burt W. Parmenter, tax for 1922.	395 20
Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 253, between an estate of Michael B. Nazzaro and another estate of said Cole, tax for 1923.	86 45	Catherine M. Goodenow—Buildings and about 1,343 feet of land on the southerly side of Bromley park, numbered 8, between an estate of David Kozody and an estate of Alex George Lepelos, tax for 1923.	\$69 16	Tax for 1923.	395 20
Patrick J. Cunningham Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 2,541 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Valentine street, numbered 9, between an estate of William A. Carey and an estate of Margaret T. Burns, tax for 1923.	49 40	Paid on account.	20 00	James T. Martin—Buildings and about 2,890 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Codman park, numbered 55, between another estate of said Martin and an estate of George W. McFadden, tax for 1923.	56 81
Michael W. Dempsey Devises—Buildings and about 1,950 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashley street, numbered 20, between an estate of Nicholas H. Timmerman and an estate of Ann J. Hogarty, tax for 1923.	88 92	Balance due.	49 16	Also buildings and about 2,778 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Codman park, numbered 53, between another estate of said Martin and an estate of Joseph M. Slaman, tax for 1923.	49 40
Paid on account.	50 00	Michael F. Green—Buildings and about 2,316 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Walden street, numbered 28 and 28 rear, between an estate of Frederick Bleiler and an estate of James Henderson, Junior, tax for 1923.	79 04	Mary C. McCue—Buildings and about 1,497 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weld avenue, numbered 4, between another estate of said McCue and an estate of Ida Beder and another, tax for 1923.	76 57
Balance due.	48 80	John and Margaret E. Hanbury—Buildings and about 4,079 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Paul Gore terrace, numbered 1, adjoining an estate of Joseph L. Audette, tax for 1923.	\$111 15	Also buildings and about 1,513 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weld avenue, numbered 4A, between another estate of said McCue and an estate of Addie F. Hall, tax for 1923.	153 14
Domenico and Antonetta DeSimone—Buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bromley park, numbered 31, between an estate of Ida Fishman and an estate of Rosie Langer, tax for 1923.	26 63	Paid on account.	50 00	Daniel G. McDonald and Frank Imhoff—Buildings and about 13,630 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1260, between an estate of New England Brewing Company and an estate of Massachusetts Brewing Company, tax for 1923.	370 50
Paid on account.	45 00	Agnes M. Holl—Buildings and about 27,737 feet of land on the westerly side of Cedar street, numbered 70, between another estate of said Holl and an estate of Frances M. Donahue, tax for 1923.	160 55	Thomas and Catherine McHugh—Buildings and about 1,292 feet of land on the southerly side of Bromley park, numbered 28, between an estate of Delia Murphy and an estate of Everett J. Holmes, tax for 1923.	71 63
Balance due.	26 63	Also buildings and about 15,584 feet of land on the westerly side of Cedar street, numbered 74, between another estate of said Holl and an estate of Schyler S. Bartlett and another, trustees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12742, tax for 1923.	83 98	Mabel E. Morrill—Buildings and about 1,635 feet of land on the easterly side of Highland avenue, numbered 19, between an estate of Christopher Zirul and an estate of Julia Cremins, tax for 1923.	123 50
Mary E. Doherty—Buildings and about 4,424 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mozart street, numbered 49, between an estate of Catherine Sullivan and an estate of Timothy C. O'Neil, tax for 1923.	135 85	Balance of tax for 1922.	86 72	William W. Morse—Buildings and about 4,346 feet of land on the northeasterly side of School street, numbered 127, between an estate of Mary H. McLaughlin and an estate of George F. Morse, Junior, tax for 1923.	123 50
Paid on account.	50 00	Bresford and Edna L. Jackman—Buildings and about 2,975 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Notre Dame street, numbered 20 and 20A, between an estate of Westcott Farrington and an estate of Edith L. Pitchard, tax for 1923.	51 87	Mary R. Munier—About 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 44, Garbett and Wood plan, September 24, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 596, tax for 1923.	24 70
Balance due.	83 38	John S. and Lillian R. Jumpre—Buildings and about 11,371 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thornton street, numbered 93 rear, between an estate of Charles C. Wheelwright and an estate of Stanley M. Bolster, trustee, tax for 1923.	93 86	John T. Murphy—Buildings and about 3,121 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 113, making the westerly corner of Mozart street, adjoining an estate of Hugo Schindler, tax for 1923.	103 74
Eliza A. Donovan—Buildings and about 2,610 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thornton place, numbered 4, between an estate of Agnes W. Schupbach, adjoining an estate of Clara I. Galvin, tax for 1923.	74 10	Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 3,274 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 98, between an estate of Mary M. Hermis and an estate of Lena Needleman, tax for 1923.	61 75	Catherine Murphy—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mozart street, numbered 93, between an estate of Anna Fritz and an estate of John T. Murphy, tax for 1923.	130 91
John M. Erskine—About 6,804 feet of land on the westerly side of Dennison street, being lot 25, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, June 8, 1898, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	34 58	Also buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Codman park, numbered 21, between an estate of Jane T. Doherty and an estate of Henry Sondeman, tax for 1923.	49 40	Henry P. Nawn—Buildings and about 145,547 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Boylston street, between an estate of Mary A. Kelly, numbered 30 Boylston street, and another estate of said Nawn, numbered 159 Chestnut avenue; buildings numbered 1 and 2 Beecher street, tax for 1923.	612 56
Sarah V. Fitzsimmons—Buildings and about 3,354 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sheridan street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Fitzsimmons and an estate of Jacob H. Mock, tax for 1923.	71 03	Louise F. Koehler—About 3,659 feet of land on the northerly side of Priesing street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Mathilda Haid; easterly by an estate of William A. Gaston; southerly by Priesing street; westerly by an estate of Peter A. Peters and another and another estate of said Koehler, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	4 99	William and Catherine Nawn—About 249 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of John J. Barrett and another; easterly by Chestnut avenue; southerly by an estate of Michael B. De Lorey and another; westerly by an estate of William A. Gaston, tax for 1923.	2 47
Paid on account.	50 00	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.	7 26	Michil B. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 970 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 259, between two other estates of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923.	46 93
Balance due.	68 56	Frank Landa—Buildings and about 1,440 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bromley street, numbered 61, between an estate of Benjamin Weiner and an estate of Joseph Robinson, tax for 1923.	\$61 75	Also buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 261, between another estate of said Nazzaro and an estate of Dymitry Botulinski, tax for 1923.	49 40
Sarah W. Fitzsimmons—Buildings and about 3,246 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sheridan street, numbered 18, between an estate of John J. Donovan and another estate of said Fitzsimmons, tax for 1923.	19 76	Paid on account.	40 00		
Paid on account.	50 00	Balance due.	21 75		
Balance due.	68 56	Owen A. Lynch—Buildings and about 2,199 feet of land on the southeast-			
Edward W. Fuller—About 10,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Dennison street, being lot 27, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, June 8, 1898, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	37 05				
Ellis L. Gates—About 7,928 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Dennison street, being the southwesterly part of lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.	19 76				
Bradford Gay—Buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Vale street, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Edward M. Kehoe and another and an estate of Irene S. McCaffrey, tax for 1923.	76 57				

Also buildings and about 861 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 257, between two other estates of said Nazaro, tax for 1923.....	46 93				
Also buildings and about 752 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 255, between another estate of said Nazaro, and an estate of Joseph F. Cole, tax for 1923.....	41 46				
Rosanna O'Neil—Buildings and about 3,834 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parker street, numbered 894, 896, 898 and 900, making the southerly corner of and numbered 64 and 66 New Heath street, adjoining an estate of Rueter & Company, tax for 1923.....	308 75				
Mary A. Owens—Buildings and about 5,253 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Dorset street, numbered 13 rear, between an estate of Bernard H. Wornman and another, and an estate of Martin J. Ford, tax for 1923.....	71 10				
Joseph Pittorino—Buildings and about 3,825 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3080, 3080A and 3082, making the easterly corner of Columbus avenue, adjoining another estate of said Pittorino, tax for 1923.....	392 73				
Also buildings and about 3,842 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3084, 3086, 3086A and 3086B, between another estate of said Pittorino and an estate of Sophia Lener, tax for 1923.....	187 72				
Walter A. Porter—About 8,400 feet of land on the westerly side and at end of Thwing street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Elizabeth Mulvey (numbered 1 Mulvey terrace), tax for 1923.....	4 91				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 56				
John C. Margaret E., James E. and Rose J. Prendergast—Buildings and about 2,599 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mozart street, numbered 72 and 74, between an estate of Theodore R. Felsch and another and an estate of Francis McLaughlin, tax for 1923.....	158 08				
John A. Quigley—About 1,454 (assessed as 1,128) feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway, leading from the southwesterly side of Codman Hill street, between another estate of said Quigley and an estate of John Shilday heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....	4 91				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Also about 1,128 feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway leading from the southwesterly side of Codman Hill street, between another estate of said Quigley and an estate of Albert C. Smith, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Mary A. Rice—Buildings and about 3,928 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dixwell street, numbered 17 and 19, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Edgar P. Benjamin, tax for 1923.....	\$395 20				
Paid on account.....	150 00				
Balance due.....	245 20				
Augustus O. Roberts—About 4,698 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Linwood street, being a lot shown on assessors' plan, volume 8, page 56, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	22 23				
Hugo Schindler—Buildings and about 6,480 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 121, between an estate of William Bourne and an estate of John T. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	247 00				
Albert C. Smith—About 1,128 feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway, leading from the southwesterly side of Codman Hill street, between another estate of said Smith and an estate of John A. Quigley, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Also about 1,128 feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway leading from the southwesterly side of Codman Hill street, between an estate of Margaret Cassell and another estate of said Smith, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Edward M. Stretton—Buildings and about 3,439 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Highland park, numbered 4, between an estate of Catherine A. Hurley and an estate of John Concannon and another, tax for 1923.....	91 39				
Mary E. Sullivan—Buildings and about 4,013 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Haley street, numbered 1, making the westerly corner of Harris-					
hof street, adjoining an estate of Alice M. Herlihy, tax for 1923.....	\$163 02				
Paid on account.....	100 00				
Balance due.....	63 02				
John and Christine E. Swanson—About 6,249 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Paul Gore street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Elizabeth Pelley; easterly by an estate of Julius Kreidell; southerly by an estate of Patrick J. Doyle and another; westerly by Paul Gore street, tax for 1923.....	51 34				
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	14 05				
Max Uroff—Buildings and about 1,826 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 36, between an estate of Samuel Washington and an estate of James W. Kenney, tax for 1923.....	83 98				
Etta M. Walther—Buildings and about 7,475 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 150, 152 and 152½, between an estate of Bernard Zellar and another and an estate of James Galvin and another, tax for 1923.....	249 47				
Williams Realty Company—About 2,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Buckley avenue, between an estate of Mathilda Haid and an estate of Alexander Mann and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70				
Also buildings and about 5,670 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut park, numbered 17 and 19, between an estate of Katherine V. O'Brien and an estate of Henry Dahl, devisees, tax for 1923.....	180 31				
Also buildings and about 1,983 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 28, making the westerly corner of Thornton street, adjoining an estate of Grant M. Franklin, tax for 1923.....	103 74				
A Ziegler and Sons Company—Buildings and about 26,674 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1257, making the northerly corner of and numbered 4 Decatur avenue, adjoining an estate of trustees of Grammar School in the easterly part of town of Roxbury, tax for 1923.....	\$778 05				
Paid on account.....	400 00				
Balance due.....	378 05				
Harry Zukow and Max Fine—About 60,864 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Townsend street, being lot 3, S. L. Leftovith plan, June 12, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4378, page 446, tax for 1923.....	380 38				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65				
WARD SIXTEEN.					
Marion Alkins—Buildings and about 982 feet of land on the easterly side of Bower street, numbered 107, between another estate of said Marion Alkins (numbered 109) and an estate of Ralph P. Goldthwait (numbered 103 Bower street and 39 and 41 Humboldt avenue), tax for 1923.....	\$135 85				
Paid on account.....	70 00				
Balance due.....	\$65 85				
Also buildings and about 889 feet of land on the easterly side of Bower street, numbered 109, between two other estates of said Marion Alkins (numbered 107 and 111, respectively), tax for 1923.....	\$135 85				
Paid on account.....	70 00				
Balance due.....	65 85				
Also buildings and about 974 feet of land on the easterly side of Bower street, numbered 111, between another estate of said Marion Alkins (numbered 109) and an estate of Tazuell Goode and another (numbered 113), tax for 1923.....	\$135 85				
Paid on account.....	70 00				
Balance due.....	65 85				
Solomon Apt. set-off to Joseph Ryack—About 6,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Schuyler street, adjoining an estate of said Solomon Apt. being a lot shown on S. L. Leftovith plan, dated May 15, 1923, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	79 04				
Marie L. Arcand—Buildings and about 2,868 feet of land on the westerly side of Sherman street, numbered 7, between an estate of William J. Joyce and an estate of Anna F. Josselyn, tax for 1923.....	\$79 04				
Paid on account.....	25 00				
Balance due.....	54 04				
Dora Barr—Buildings and about 3,090 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 18, be-					
tween another estate of said Barr and an estate of Israel Alpert, tax for 1923.....	\$167 96				
Paid on account.....	75 00				
Balance due.....	92 96				
Also buildings and about 3,002 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 16, between two other estates of said Barr, tax for 1923.....	\$167 96				
Paid on account.....	75 00				
Balance due.....	92 96				
Also buildings and about 3,026 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 14, between two other estates of said Barr, tax for 1923.....	\$167 96				
Paid on account.....	75 00				
Balance due.....	92 96				
Also buildings and about 3,106 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 12, between another estate of said Barr and an estate of Harry Kaizer, tax for 1923.....	\$167 96				
Paid on account.....	75 00				
Balance due.....	92 96				
James Barrett—Buildings and about 4,049 feet of land on the northerly side of Intervale street, numbered 10, between an estate of Mary Davidson and an estate of Bette Susser, tax for 1923.....	148 20				
Bessie Berkowitz—Buildings and about 5,985 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 100, making the easterly corner of Dale street, adjoining an estate of Max E. Knopp, tax for 1923.....	192 66				
Sarah S. Berman (reassessed from Charles J. Kelley, Junior)—Buildings and about 540 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Segel street, numbered 4, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Berman, tax for 1923.....	54 34				
Sarah S. Berman (reassessed from Annie M. Kelley)—Buildings and about 540 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Segel street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Berman, being a lot shown on Leon B. Murray plan, July 6, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3294, page 90, tax for 1921.....	54 34				
Boston Suburban Real Estate Corporation—Buildings and about 2,892 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Quincy street, numbered 33, between an estate of Margaret M. McCarthy and another and an estate of Jewell I. Parmenter, tax for 1923.....	185 25				
Mary A. Bowditch—Buildings and about 5,906 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wayne street, numbered 18, between an estate of Mary E. Gaffey and an estate of Myer Pearl, tax for 1923.....	160 55				
Bertha H. Burt—Buildings and about 2,852 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 95A, between two other estates of said Burt, tax for 1923.....	59 28				
Also buildings and about 3,440 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 97, between two other estates of said Burt, tax for 1923.....	111 15				
Also buildings and about 4,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 99, between another estate of said Burt and an estate of Charles Gaston Smith and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	111 15				
Samuel and Jennie Charik—Buildings and about 4,794 feet of land on the northerly side of Garden street, at end, numbered 20 and 22, adjoining an estate of Rose Rubin, tax for 1923.....	444 60				
Charles T. Cogswell—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Waumbeck street, numbered 64, between an estate of Gertrude Mann and an estate of Matilda G. Addelson, tax for 1923.....	197 60				
Esther Cohen—Buildings and about 10,672 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 105, 105A, 107, 107A, 109, 109A, 109B, 111 and 111A, between an estate of Joseph Gersh and an estate of Michael Rosenbaum, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15978, tax for 1923.....	1,012 70				
Sarah Cohen—Buildings and about 4,175 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Waumbeck street, numbered 31, between an estate of Anne E. Kehler and an estate of Winnie B. Ward, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90				
Paid on account.....	100 00				
Balance due.....	72 90				

Myer Cohen Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 9,345 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hutchings street, numbered 25, between an estate of Mary L. Drisko and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz and another, moth assessment for 1922.....	50		side of Clifford street, numbered 71, between another estate of said Davidson and an estate of Edwin B. Gadsby and another, tax for 1923.....	76 57	of Otisfield street, numbered 2, between an estate of Mary C. Menes and an estate of Jacob Edelstein, tax for 1922.....	148 20
Tax for 1923.....	370 50		Rosina and Filomena DeNapoli—Buildings and about 7,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harrihof street, numbered 140, between an estate of Bertha Wolpert and an estate of Mary A. Elston, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Tax for 1923.....	148 20
Gertrude M. Cole—Buildings and about 4,305 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wyoming street, numbered 12, between an estate of Annie M. Kelley and an estate of Catherine V. Howlett, tax for 1923.....	86 45		Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 8,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Homestead street, numbered 72, between an estate of Matilda Day and an estate of Rose Shrago, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Also about 4,089 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, adjoining an estate of Lena Glauser, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Lena Glauser; northeasterly by estates of Jennie Fine and Patrick A. Kearns and another; southeasterly by an estate of Abraham Schwartz; northwesterly by Quincy street, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Congregation Adath Jeshurun—About 117,562 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly corner of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated December, 1919, as modified and approved by the court as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate title numbered 11733, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, moth assessment for 1921.....	2 17		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Jacob Kaplan—Buildings and about 9,889 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 77 and 81, between an estate of Sarah Olansky and an estate of Rebecca Rubin, tax for 1923.....	\$395 20
Congregation Adath Jeshurun (now set off to Congregation Adath Jeshurun)—About 111,415 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly corner of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated December, 1919, as modified and approved by the court as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate title numbered 11733, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, tax for 1922.....	750 88		Alice Dooley—Buildings and about 2,698 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Laurel street, numbered 31, extending through to Humboldt avenue, between an estate of Mary A. Brown and an estate of Anabale Bertolucci and another, tax for 1923.....	93 86	Paid on account.....	100 00
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 96		Marie M. Eagan—Buildings and about 5,187 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 49 and 49A, between an estate of Mary Perlis and an estate of Harry J. Eagan, tax for 1923.....	118 56	Balance due.....	295 20
Congregation Adath Jeshurun (now set off to Congregation Adath Jeshurun)—About 111,415 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly side of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated December, 1919, as modified and approved by the court, as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate numbered 11733, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, tax for 1921.....	1,368 38		Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Maywood street, numbered 90 and 92, making the easterly corner of Loyola street, adjoining an estate of Hugh Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Congregation Adath Jeshurun—About 61,415 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly corner of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, as modified and approved by the court, as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate of title numbered 11733, being that part of said lot not exempted as shown on Blackall Clapp and Whittemore plan, on file in assessors' office, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, tax for 1923.....	758 29		Also buildings and about 7,644 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rockland street, numbered 50, 52, 66 and 68, between an estate of George H. Carter, trustee and an estate of John Kavalianskas and another, tax for 1923.....	271 70	Theodore F. Kase—Buildings and about 4,992 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ottawa street, numbered 26 and 28, between another estate of said Kase and an estate of David Fleming, tax for 1923.....	197 60
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		Harry J. Eagan—Buildings and about 2,715 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 63 and 65, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Eagan, tax for 1923.....	140 79	Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,717 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, numbered 391 and 391A, between an estate of Jennie M. Mooney and an estate of Eugene J. Farley, tax for 1923.....	\$197 00
Bartholomew J. Connolly—About 643 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Walnut avenue, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Joseph D. Stukas and another (numbered 182 and 184), bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates now or formerly of Joseph D. Stukas; easterly by an estate of Mary R. Paul; southerly by an estate of Harry B. Quint; westerly by an estate of Sophia Lerner, tax for 1923.....	4 94		Also buildings and about 6,873 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 51, 53, 55, 57, 59 and 61, between another estate of said Eagan and an estate of Marie M. Eagan, tax for 1923.....	407 55	Paid on account.....	100 00
Also buildings and about 1,807 feet of land on the northerly side of Harold street, numbered 29, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Connolly, tax for 1923.....	140 79		Myer I. Eilberg—Buildings and about 4,416 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 19, between an estate of Frank Bruning and an estate of Eleanor N. Clough, tax for 1923.....	192 66	Balance due.....	97 60
Also buildings and about 1,576 feet of land on the northerly side of Harold street, numbered 27, between another estate of said Connolly and an estate of Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	140 79		Annie Eilenberg—Buildings and about 9,102 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 165, between an estate of Moses Brody and an estate of Mt. Pleasant Home, tax for 1923.....	296 40	Also buildings and about 428 feet of land on the northerly side of Harold street, numbered 25, between an estate of Mary A. Curley and an estate of Bartholomew J. Connolly, tax for 1923.....	12 35
William F. Cook—Buildings and about 1,484 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Maywood terrace, numbered 2, between an estate of Ethel Medved and an estate of Katherine Finnegan, tax for 1923.....	98 80		Walter F. Gallagher—About 217 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Garden street, adjoining an estate of Katie Cohen (numbered 9), being a lot shown on H. H. Moses plan, January 10, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1912, page 17, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also buildings and about 4,305 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wyoming street, numbered 14, between an estate of Maurice J. O'Connell and an estate of Gertrude M. Cole, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Mary J. Crosby—Buildings and about 10,646 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 63, making the westerly corner of Montrose street, between an estate of Fred Morse and another and an estate of Barbara A. Streider, tax for 1923.....	296 40		Abraham and Rebecca Geller—Buildings and about 5,205 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 338, 340 and 342, between an estate of Louis Prince and an estate of Thomas F. Whalen, tax for 1923.....	395 20	Martha E. Kendall—About 3,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, adjoining another estate of said Kendall, being lot 5, the C. H. W. Wood Company plan, March 9, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2754, page 157, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Mary Davidson—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Intervale street, numbered 8, between an estate of Federated Jewish Charities and an estate of James Barrett, tax for 1923.....	148 20		Miriam B. Gerstein—Buildings and about 10,116 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Warren street, numbered 466, making the easterly corner of Holborn street, adjoining an estate of Myer S. Olin, tax for 1923.....	321 10	Also about 3,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, adjoining another estate of said Kendall, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922.....	39 52
Kallman Davidson—Buildings and about 2,265 feet of land on the southwesterly			Israel Goldberg—Buildings and about 4,577 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crawford street, numbered 97, between an estate of Congregation Beth Hamedrash Hagodal of Roxbury and an estate of Kalman M. Davidson, tax for 1923.....	180 31	Fedora Kozolofsky—Buildings and about 16,835 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Townsend street, numbered 232, between an estate of Gilbert H. Shepard and an estate of The Association for the Work of Mercy in the Diocese of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	284 05
			Annie Greenfield—Buildings and about 6,550 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Munroe street, numbered 51, between an estate of Sophia Kalinsky and an estate of Ida Snider and another, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Giuseppe and Antoinette Lascooco—Buildings and about 2,162 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 45, between an estate of Stanatia Soligan and an estate of Sarah Marcus, tax for 1923.....	209 95
			Zelda Greenwood (supposed present owner Ernest A. Giorosa)—Buildings and about 1,736 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, numbered 397, between an estate of William J. Foley and an estate of Mitchel S. Regal and another, tax for 1923.....	98 80	David Lasker—Buildings and about 5,313 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 179 and 181, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Jennie Nigrosh, tax for 1923.....	558 22
			Fannie Herbert—Buildings and about 4,550 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parkview street, numbered 18, between an estate of Irving H. Upton and an estate of Frederic W. O'Connor, tax for 1923.....	159 35	Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 175 and 177, making the northerly corner of a passageway, extending through to and making westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining in the rear an estate of Jennie Nigrosh, tax for 1923.....	555 75
			Paid on account.....	100 00	James H. and Mattie P. Madison—Buildings and about 2,357 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harold street, numbered 64, between an estate of William Hack and an estate of Maude Stuart Hack, tax for 1923.....	140 79
			Balance due.....		Ethel Medved—Buildings and about 1,338 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Maywood terrace, numbered 4, between an estate of William F. Cook and an estate of Dominick Spinnelli, tax for 1923.....	138 32
			Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 6,318 feet of land on the easterly side		Esther M. Meserve—Buildings and about 4,408 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clifford street, numbered 80, between an estate of E. J. Owen Hardware Company and an estate of Hyman Fish and another, tax for 1923.....	148 20
					William H. Mitchell—About 807 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Georgia street, adjoining an estate of Catherine McNally, being a lot shown on H. H. Moses plan, dated June 21 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2214, page 107, tax for 1923.....	9 88

Hugh Nawn Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 4,017 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rockland street, numbered 12, making the southerly corner of Wakullah street, adjoining an estate of Emma J. Weston, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Also buildings and about 6,797 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 235, 235A, 237, 239, 241 and 243, extending through to Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	543 40		
Also buildings and about 5,140 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 245, 247 and 249, making the northwesterly corner of Maywood street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Also about 2,442 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, being lot 14, Garbett and Wood plan, dated February 1, 1876, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1314, page 209, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 1,970 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 1,970 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also buildings and about 6,304 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Maywood street, numbered 98, 100 and 102, making the northerly corner of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	395 20		
Also buildings and about 4,125 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Maywood street, numbered 94 and 96, between another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees and an estate of Marie M. Eagan, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Also buildings and about 4,691 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Savin street, numbered 58 and 60, between an estate of William J. Hagerty and another and an estate of Frank S. McAlister, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Henry P. Nawn, Rose E. A. Nawn, Susan S. Eagan and Katherine Nawn—Buildings and about 3,867 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 75 and 77, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Hugh Nawn—Buildings and about 10,880 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Brookledge street, numbered 70, making the northerly corner of Elm Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Nawn heirs, tax for 1922.....	494 00		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	494 00		
Elizabeth A. Nawn—Buildings and about 42,011 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Seaver street, numbered 188, making the northerly corner of Elm Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Adelaide L. Spring, tax for 1921.....	997 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	57 13		
Tax for 1922.....	997 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	55 45		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 96		
Tax for 1923.....	997 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	53 77		
Henry P. Nawn—About 7,740 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brookledge street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastern by Brookledge street; southeasterly by an estate of Trustees of the Grammar School in the easterly part of the Town of Roxbury; southwesterly by an estate of Joseph H. O'Neil; northwesterly by estates of Ida Leventall, tax for 1921.....	91 39		
Also about 9,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brookledge street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastern by an estate of Samuel Berkowitz; southeasterly by an estate of Hugh Nawn; southwesterly by Brookledge street; northwesterly by an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1921.....	93 86		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	33 20		
Also buildings and about 6,176 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Savin street, numbered 74 and 76, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Louis Campedelli and others, tax for 1922.....	148 20		
Also buildings and about 7,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Homestead street, numbered 49, making the southerly corner of Harold street, adjoining an estate of Dora Niditch, tax for 1922.....	197 60		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Henry P. Nawn Heirs—Buildings and about 7,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Homestead street, numbered 49, making the southerly corner of Harold street, adjoining an estate of Dora Niditch, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Also about 9,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brookledge street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastern by an estate of Samuel Berkowitz; southeasterly by an estate of Hugh Nawn, southwesterly by Brookledge street, northwesterly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	30 87		
Also buildings and about 6,176 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Savin street, numbered 74 and 76, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Louis Campedelli and others, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Also buildings and about 19,290 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Savin street, numbered 82, making the northerly corner of Blue Hill avenue, extending through to and making the westerly corner of Maywood street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs, tax for 1923.....	1,556 10		
Abraham and Bessie Palder—Buildings and about 8,166 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 144, between another estate of said Palder and an estate of Gertrude E. Brightman, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
William Pearlmuter—Buildings and about 2,341 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 52, between an estate of Jennie Pearlmuter and an estate of Daniel M. Herlihy and another, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Harris Pearlstein—Buildings and about 8,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Howland street, numbered 70, between an estate of Dora Rosenblatt and an estate of Clara Lief, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Nellie J. Reagan—Buildings and about 1,425 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 46, between an estate of Mary J. Eaton and another estate of said Reagan, tax for 1923.....	\$69 16		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	19 16		
Also buildings and about 1,438 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 48, making the southwesterly corner of Regent street, adjoining another estate of said Reagan, tax for 1923.....	\$69 16		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	19 16		
Abraham Richman—Buildings and about 8,349 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crawford street, numbered 13 and 15, between an estate of George S.			
Haddock and an estate of Etta A. Shalit, tax for 1923.....	543 40		
Rose Jane Robins—Buildings and about 8,319 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, numbered 489 making the northerly corner of Wyoming street, adjoining another estate of said Robins, tax for 1923.....	271 70		
Also about 6,679 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, adjoining another estate of said Robins, being a lot shown on Charles H. W. Wood Company plan, January 12, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2422, page 554, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
George E. Rogers—About 3,127 feet of land on the southerly side of Bainbridge street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Bainbridge street and an estate of Helen S. Whitman; easterly by an estate of Nathan Katz; southerly by estates of Jennie Nigrosh and Julia O'Brien; westerly by an estate of Samuel K. Weiner and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Maurice S. Rogers—Buildings and about 1,906 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 87, between an estate of St. Clair A. Ward and an estate of Mortgage Indemnity Corporation, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Abraham Rosenberg—Buildings and about 11,871 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 225, making the northerly corner of Homestead street, adjoining an estate of Rose Shrago, tax for 1923.....	217 00		
Reddick J. Royster, Trustee for Robert G. and Annie E. Royster—Buildings and about 5,161 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harold street, numbered 177, between an estate of Israel Goldberg and another and an estate of Bessie Rosenzweig, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Jacob Short—Buildings and about 4,410 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Gaston street, numbered 36, between an estate of Thomas H. Maguire and an estate of Gertrude Silberman, tax for 1923.....	133 38		
Christina Showstead—Buildings and about 2,933 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 83, between an estate of Christine Lamken and an estate of Eugene Clapp and another, tax for 1923.....	\$93 86		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	43 86		
Rose Shrago—Buildings and about 8,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Homestead street, numbered 76, between an estate of Katie DiPietro and an estate of Abraham Rosenberg, tax for 1923.....	\$177 84		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	77 84		
Joseph Silk—Buildings and about 5,915 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Crawford street, numbered 135 and 137, making the easterly corner of Waumbec street, adjoining an estate of Frank J. Houlderier, tax for 1923.....	568 10		
Grace E. Smith—Buildings and about 13,535 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 216, making the northeasterly corner of Montrose street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. McGowan heirs, tax for 1923.....	345 80		
Also buildings and about 9,150 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Homestead street, numbered 108, between an estate of Morton F. Ginsburg and an estate of the Glenway Realty Company, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	26 44		
Bennett Snyder—Buildings and about 9,350 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Elm Hill avenue, numbered 51, between an estate of Louis Rubin and an estate of Jacob Pearl, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Joseph A. and Olga W. Teixeira—Buildings and about 4,994 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Otisfield street, numbered 6, between an estate of Mary C. Menes and an estate of Mary Alter, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Neil J. and Catherine J. Tolan—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbine street, numbered 47, between an estate of Frances L. Cram and an estate of Mabel L. Kennedy and another, tax for 1923.....	\$79 04		
Paid on account.....	60 00		
Balance due.....	19 04		
Anastasia E. Vogel—Buildings and about 3,745 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wenonah street, numbered 30, between an estate of Sarah R. Einstein and an estate of Andrew J. Legg, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		

Susan S. Vossahlik—Buildings and about 1,828 feet of land on the westerly side of Regent square, numbered 3, between another estate of said Vossahlik and an estate of Sarah Burchill and another, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also buildings and about 1,335 feet of land on the westerly side of Regent square, numbered 5, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Vossahlik, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Max Wanes, Joseph Horwitz and Morris B. Silverman, Trustees of Silverman Trust—Buildings and about 6,008 feet of land on the easterly side of Crawford street, numbered 129, between an estate of Rose Barron and an estate of Florinda Bevilacqua, tax for 1923.....	190 19		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Pauline Weinstein—Buildings and about 2,618 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 321, between an estate of Giuseppe Furnari and another and an estate of Julius Goldman, tax for 1923.....	271 70		
Frances L. Whipple—Buildings and about 2,459 feet of land on the southerly side of Whiting street, numbered 43, between an estate of Charles C. Earle and an estate of Mary A. Whynot, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Lillian E. Williams—Buildings and about 1,198 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 40 and 40A, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Also buildings and about 641 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 42 and 42A, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Also buildings and about 1,352 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 38 and 38A, making the southerly corner of Bower street and numbered 102, adjoining another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	234 65		
Also buildings and about 1,251 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 44 and 44A, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Also buildings and about 1,617 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 46, 46A and 46B, making the easterly corner of Humboldt terrace, adjoining another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Dorothy Windheim—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Edgewood street, numbered 63, making the westerly corner of and numbered 215, 215A and 215B Blue Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Joseph Epstein, tax for 1923.....	741 00		
Abraham M. Wolfman, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 1,923 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 310, between an estate of William M. Collins and an estate of Jacob Manatsky, tax for 1923.....	175 37		
Also buildings and about 1,858 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 314, between an estate of Jacob Manatsky and an estate of Ellen J. Foley, tax for 1923,.....	160 55		
WARD SEVENTEEN.			
William M. Ambler—About 43,574 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining estate of Peter J. Mahan and another trustees, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, dated December 20, 1900, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2729, page 148, tax for 1923.....	\$108 68		
Richard F. Andrews—Trustees—Buildings and about 3,408 feet of land on the southerly side of Dudley street, numbered 703, 705, 707 and 709, making southwesterly corner of Nonquit street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Maletz, tax for 1923.....	234 65		
Emily A. Beale—About 393 feet of land on the easterly side of Sydney street, adjoining an estate of Albert H. Goss, being the northerly part of lot 15, shown on Whitman and Breck plan, dated November, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1803, page 273, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Sarah D. Belson—Buildings and about 4,521 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 419, 421, 423, 425, 427 and 429, making the junction of Hancock street, between an estate of Johanna Johnson and an estate of James A. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Tillie Berenson—Buildings and about 26,540 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Quincy street, numbered 220 rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Aaron Guber, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Myron L. Billings—Buildings and about 4,332 feet of land on the westerly side of Treadway road, numbered 16, between an estate of James J. Wilcox and another and an estate of Rosa H. Stevens, tax for 1923.....	76 57		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 37		
Tobie Bloom—Buildings and about 2,829 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wayland street, numbered 89, between an estate of Sarah Kaplan and an estate of Sonis Pritzky, tax for 1923.....	\$135 85		
Paid on account.....	75 00		
Balance due.....	60 85		
Henry A. Brown—About 4,996 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Robinson court, between an estate of Mary Behan and an estate of Nathan W. Robinson and others, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Harriet B. C. Butler—Buildings and about 15,582 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbia road, numbered 478, making the northerly corner of and numbered 7 and 9 Sayward street, adjoining an estate of Warren E. Kennedy and another, tax for 1921.....	\$494 00		
Paid on account.....	70 00		
Balance due.....	424 00		
Moth assessment for 1921.....	87		
Catherine G. Camack—About 2,740 feet of land on the southerly side of Julian street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Julian street; easterly by an estate of Mary Kelliher; westerly by an estate of Jacob P. Power, and southerly by Rand place, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 19,236 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot A, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 7, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Also about 19,806 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Alice T. Jones, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Also buildings and about 2,555 feet of land on the westerly side of Greenmount place, numbered 5, between an estate of Francis S. Cummings Company and an estate of Ellen L. Hickey, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 4,298 feet of land on the westerly side of Auckland street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 26, shown on a plan not named, dated April 1, 1885, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1678, page 213, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Also about 4,357 feet of land on the westerly side of Auckland street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Also about 4,534 feet of land on the westerly side of Auckland street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Clougherty, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
William L. Chase—Buildings and about 11,380 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Grampian way, numbered 72 and 74, between an estate of John F. Cudmore and an estate of Clandine R. Stanley, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Patrick S. Conlon—Buildings and about 6,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Savin Hill avenue, numbered 300, between an estate of Frances P. Conlon and another and an estate of John J. Conlon, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Minnie F. Connor—About 46,335 feet of land on the northerly side of Grampian way, between two estates of William B. Sherman, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	59 28		
Annie Cotter—Buildings and about 2,453 feet of land on the westerly side of Coleman street, numbered 5, between an estate of Adeline Cohen and an estate of Paul N. Legendoe and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	59 28		
William C. Cotton and Frank B., Trustees Aria Cotton Estate, eight twelfths, William C. and Frank B. Cotton, two twelfths, Charles B. Prince, one twelfth, and Aria C. Morrison, one twelfth—About 8,960 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between another estate of Cotton and others, trustees, and an estate of Aaron Guber and another, tax for 1923.....	12 70		
Also about 10,370 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between an estate of Martin L. Cate and another and another estate of said Cotton and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Catherine E. Crowley—Buildings and	51 87		
about 3,608 feet of land on the easterly side of Tuttle street, numbered 43, between an estate of Katherine Gorman and an estate of Kerna Spurling, tax for 1923.....	\$93 86		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	43 86		
Margaret I. Edlund—Buildings and about 6,684 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Howard avenue, numbered 58 and 58A, between an estate of Charlotte M. Stronach and an estate of Charlotte M. Stronach, tax for 1923.....	\$128 44		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	78 44		
Francis J. Farrar—Buildings and about 2,980 feet of land on the southerly side of Russ terrace, numbered 1, between an estate of Sarah J. Ross and an estate of John E. Buteau, tax for 1923.....	50 81		
Also buildings and about 2,413 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fox Point road, numbered 10, between an estate of Mary E. Hinckley and an estate of Alice M. Rogers, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 68		
Devises of Julia Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 374, between an estate of Ella I. Sullivan and an estate of Thomas and Agnes B. Hession, tax for 1923.....	91 39		
Mary C. Foster—About 19,236 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Savin Hill avenue; westerly by an estate of Anna B. Robinson; easterly by an estate of Minnie T. Connor and southerly by another estate of said Foster, tax for 1921.....	37 05		
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,845 feet of land on the easterly side of Dacia street, numbered 67, between an estate of Bessie Weiner and another estate of said French, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Also buildings and about 1,422 feet of land on the easterly side of Dacia street, numbered 69, between an estate of Myer and Lillian Grodzin and another estate of said French, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Frank A. and Annie C. Gaffney—Buildings and about 3,330 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Danube street, numbered 43, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Ida Brooks, tax for 1923.....	167 96		
Celia Green, Trustees of Back Bay Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 841 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dunkeld street, numbered 9 and 9A, between an estate of Israel Siegel and an estate of Kofman Nesman, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Aaron Guber and Louis Sherman—About 1,550 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, adjoining an estate of Bloome Shiprazky, being a lot shown on M. Porosky and L. S. Stone plan, dated December 29, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3340, page 566, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Max Heitin, one half, and Max Richmond, one half—Buildings and about 4,593 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fayston street, numbered 38 and 40, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Leah Baker, tax for 1923.....	170 50		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Julian street numbered 17, between an estate of David Carey and an estate of John T. Moran and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Also buildings and about 3,417 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mascoma street, numbered 11, making the northerly corner of and numbered 86 Fayston street, adjoining an estate of Patrick A. Kearns, tax for 1923.....	\$209 95		
Paid on account.....	109 95		
Balance due.....	100 00		
Bibianna A. Hudon—Buildings and about 5,260 feet of land on the westerly side of Monadnock street, numbered 5, between an estate of Eliza Hurst and an estate of Isaac Nesson, tax for 1923, Benjamin Jacobs Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 27,280 feet of land on the northwesterly and southwestwesterly side of Downer court at end, not numbered, between an estate of Louis Garelo and an estate of John Donohoe, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	5 67		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	5 71		

Alice T. James—About 18,702 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, being lot C, shown on Assessors' plans, volume 9, page 7, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 37 05 Annie M. Kelley—About 3,066 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Woodcliff street extension, being lot G, D. W. Hyde plan, March 1, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3433, page 225, tax for 1923..... 4 94 Also about 3,869 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Rockdale street, being lot 7, C. E. Varney plan, March, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2748, page 262, tax for 1923..... 14 82 Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 25 35 Margaret L. Kerrigan—About 544 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between another estate of said Kerrigan and an estate of Dennis Higgins, tax for 1923..... 4 94 Rose Lato and Sarah Miller—Buildings and about 2,338 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Howard avenue, numbered 111, between an estate of Rachel Heymann and an estate of Daniel Friedberg, tax for 1923..... 148 20 Morris Levy—Buildings and about 2,949 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fayston street, numbered 70, between another estate of said Levy and an estate of Kofman Nesman, tax for 1923..... 170 43 Alice E. Linnell—Buildings and about 16,417 feet of land on the easterly side of Savin Hill avenue, not numbered, between another estate of said Linnell and an estate of Charles H. Bartlett, balance of tax for 1922..... 2 70 Also about 4,400 feet of flats on the easterly side of Old Colony parkway, outside the Bulkhead line, extending to the 100 Rod line, adjoining an estate of Frederick L. Stark, tax for 1923..... 2 47 Amy W. MacDonald—Buildings and about 4,387 feet of land on the westerly side of Belvue street, numbered 29, between an estate of Annie B. James and an estate of Margaret L. Ferrin, tax for 1923..... 185 25 Alfred Maling—Buildings and about 5,107 (assessed as 5,121) feet of land on the northerly side of Robin Hood street, numbered 17, making the junction of Folsom street, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth J. Sullivan, tax for 1923..... \$165 49 Paid on account..... 70 00 Balance due..... 95 49 Abram V. Mann—About 540 feet of land on the northerly side of Ingleside street, adjoining an estate of Michael Rock, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood plan, dated May 27, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2369, tax for 1923..... 2 47 Tax for 1922..... 2 47 William F. McCarthy—About 3,731 feet of land on the easterly side of Danube street, adjoining another estate of said McCarthy, being lot G, as shown on William H. Whitney plan, dated May 22, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3140, page 35, tax for 1923..... 27 17 Also about 3,776 feet of land on the easterly side of Danube street, adjoining another estate of said McCarthy, being lot F, same plan, tax for 1923..... 22 23 Evan J. and Alice H. McDonald—About 5,351 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Tilda Hanson, being lot 4, as shown on S. W. McLean plan, dated May 16, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2899, page 297, tax for 1923..... 22 23 Ella E. Melotti—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Castle Rock street, numbered 3, between an estate of James A. Boyd and another, trustees, and an estate of Richard V. Olson, tax for 1923..... 185 25 Also buildings and about 2,934 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1084, 1084A and 1084B, between an estate of John A. Brett and an estate of Maria L. Betts, tax for 1923..... 197 60 James T. and Clara A. Ming—Buildings and about 2,293 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 24, making the northeasterly corner of Jerome street, adjoining another estate of said Ming, tax for 1923..... 69 16 Also buildings and about 2,409 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 22, between two other estates of said Ming, tax for 1923..... 66 69 Also buildings and about 2,528 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 20, between two other estates of said Ming, tax for 1923..... 66 69	Also buildings and about 2,668 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 18, between two other estates of said Ming, tax for 1923..... 66 69 Also buildings and about 2,864 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Ming and an estate of Daniel F. McCormack, tax for 1923..... 66 69 James A. Moriarty—About 2,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Savin Hill avenue, between an estate of Maud Baxter and others and an estate of Andrew J. Hanson and another, tax for 1923..... 9 88 Ella E. Morse—About 321 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Fayston street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Lena Pearlman, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, November 28, 1904, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3007, page 42, tax for 1923..... 2 47 Anthony F. Murray—About 2,258 feet of land on the westerly side of Sea View terrace, being lot 9, and the northerly part of lot 8, William Kelly plan, September 3, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2385, page 35, tax for 1923..... 4 94 Henry P. Nawn, Rose E. Nawn, Catherine Nawn and Susan E. Egan—Buildings and about 5,822 feet of land on the northerly side of Woodcliff street, numbered 32, 34 and 36, making the northwesterly corner of Glenbrook street, adjoining an estate of Lewis S. McQuade, tax for 1923..... 284 05 Abraham and Kathaleen Norcott—Buildings and about 9,628 feet of land on the northerly side of Trull street, numbered 7 and 9, between an estate of Lucy F. Little and an estate of Oakley S. Shamppe and another, tax for 1923..... \$185 25 Paid on account..... 100 00 Balance due..... 85 25 Rosanna O'Neil—Buildings and about 27,119 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 409, between an estate of Charles A. Upham, heirs or devisees of, and an estate of Isidor Wexler, tax for 1923..... 333 45 Elizabeth M. O'Shea—Buildings and about 3,658 feet of land on the easterly side of Sydney street, numbered 71, between an estate of Freeman H. Perkins and an estate of D. Joseph Connors, tax for 1923..... 86 45 Sebastian F. Pepi—About 4,162 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer avenue, being lot C, George H. Sherman plan, March 8, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3866, page 303, tax for 1923..... 9 88 J. Homer Pierce, Joseph W. Homer and James R. Carret, Trustees, under will of Sydney Homer—About 43,574 feet of land on the easterly side of Savin Hill avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Pettr J. Mahon and another and an estate of John Tully (numbered 384), and an estate of Michael Tully (numbered 384 rear), and an estate of Anna B. Robinson; westerly by Savin Hill avenue; southerly by an estate of Francis Peabody, Junior, and another (numbered 136); easterly by an estate of George Wright (numbered 24 Grampian way), tax for 1922..... 108 68 Elizabeth A. Power—About 45,093 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, making the easterly corner of Bellevue street, extending through to Cornell street, being lot A, John H. Rice plan, December 14, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3504, page 221, tax for 1923..... 113 62 Also about 22,180 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornell street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923..... 44 46 Arthur B. Rigney—About 40 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dromey street, making the easterly corner of Judson street, adjoining an estate of Alice W. Pope (numbered 45 Julian street), tax for 1923..... 2 47 Anna L. Robinson—Buildings and about 5,178 feet of land on the westerly side of Hartford street, numbered 55, making the northwesterly corner of Cunningham street, adjoining an estate of Chancellor C. Allen, tax for 1923..... 140 79 Annie B. Royster—Buildings and about 4,133 feet of land on the westerly side of Tuttle street, numbered 12, between an estate of Thomas F. Healy and an estate of Catherine T. Daly, tax for 1923..... 98 80 Fannie Schwartz—Buildings and about 6,852 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ceylon street, numbered 11, be-	tween an estate of Annie C. Whalen and an estate of Robert S. Johnson, tax for 1923..... 98 80 Morris Spack—Buildings and about 2,582 feet of land on the westerly side of Maryland street, numbered 25, between an estate of Margaret A. Fox and an estate of Antonio Luizao and another, tax for 1923..... 160 55 Kerna Sperling—About 16,652 feet of land on the easterly side of Tuttle street, being lots 38, 39, 40 and 41, H. T. Whitman plan, dated June, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2002, page 422, tax for 1923..... 143 26 Mary B. Strauss—Buildings and about 5,993 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hancock street, numbered 118, between an estate of Katie Smith and an estate of Rocco Filicchia, tax for 1923..... 209 95 S. Franklin Sutherland—About 4,565 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monadnock street, being lot B, Louis A. Chase plan, dated August 11, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4398, page 601, tax for 1923..... 44 46 Florence M. Trainor—Buildings and about 3,124 feet of land on the easterly side of Rowell street, numbered 7, between an estate of John J. O'Shea and an estate of Walter F. Keen, tax for 1923..... \$185 25 Paid on account..... 85 00 Balance due..... 100 25 Also about 4,460 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer avenue, being lot 26, Whitman & Howard plan, dated January 9, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3255, tax for 1923..... \$9 88 Paid on account..... 4 37 Balance due..... 5 51 Peter and Angelina M. Veneto—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Fairbury street, numbered 8, between an estate of Andrew J. Burnett and an estate of Reuben Black, tax for 1923..... 79 04 Wilbur Land Company—About 7,540 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilbur street, being lot B, H. C. Mildram plan, dated November 30, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4332, page 309, tax for 1923..... 93 86 Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 36 20 Florence E. Wilkins—Buildings and about 3,302 feet of land on the southerly side of Thornley street, numbered 10, between an estate of Martha A. A. Ward and an estate of Margaret T. O'Connell, tax for 1923..... 86 45 William Williams—About 2,377 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, being lot 2, F. S. Hunter plan, dated December, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 19 76 Also about 5,921 feet of land on the northerly side of Woodcliff street, being lot 73, William H. Whitney plan, dated June 16, 1891, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 44 46 Alexander W. Woods—Buildings and about 3,934 feet of land on the easterly side of Saxton street, numbered 31, between an estate of Anastasia Ronan and an estate of Gertrude H. Nelligan, tax for 1923..... 138 32
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Marie E. Anderson—Buildings and about 5,605 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 353, between an estate of William MacLeod and another and an estate of Donato Finamore and another, tax for 1923..... \$222 30 Hyman Balin—About 207 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Levant street, being lot L, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated December 13, 1921, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14657, tax for 1923..... 2 47 Dora Blumenthal—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Fenton street, numbered 9, between an estate of Patrick J. Burke heirs or devisees and an estate of Daniel Riley, tax for 1923..... 49 40 Also about 2,715 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Downey, being lot 24, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 175, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 7 41 Also buildings and about 2,865 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Dora Blumenthal and an estate of Ansley M. Johnson, trustees, tax for 1923..... 56 81
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Also about 1,114 feet of land on the northerly side of Orchardfield street, adjoining an estate of Catherine J. Moore and another, trustees, being lots 161 and 162, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 176, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 848 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orchardfield street, adjoining an estate of Ansley M. Johnson, trustee, being lot 1, William E. Hannan plan, dated May 22, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also buildings and about 6,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1374 to 1378, inclusive, making the north-easterly corner of and numbered 2, 4, 6 and 8 Orchardfield street, adjoining another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 1370 and 1372 Dorchester avenue), tax for 1923.....	456 95		
Also buildings and about 1,269 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1370 and 1372, between another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 1374 to 1378 Dorchester avenue) and an estate of Teresa McDonough (numbered 1366 and 1368 Dorchester avenue), tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Max Blumenthal—Buildings and about 2,865 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, numbered 7, between another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 9 and 11) and an estate of William Finnigan, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	34 28		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Also buildings and about 2,835 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, numbered 9 and 11, between another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 7), and an estate of Bridget Lilly (numbered 13), tax for 1923.....	\$49 40		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	24 40		
Also buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Orchardfield street, numbered 9, between an estate of John Havey heirs or devisees (numbered 13) and an estate of Henry E. Cohen (numbered 5), tax for 1923.....	\$44 46		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	19 46		
Also buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Greenwich street, numbered 18, between an estate of John J. Crowley and another and an estate of Giacomo Di Stefano, tax for 1923.....	\$111 15		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	86 15		
Ida Bromberg—Buildings and about 1,817 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 338 and 338A, between an estate of Annie Miller and an estate of Ida Cabelinsky, tax for 1923.....	303 81		
Alice C. and Florence E. Bryan—Buildings and about 4,950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 94, between an estate of Lena Rosenthal and an estate of Ida Levenson, tax for 1923.....	177 84		
Ida Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 2,037 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 336, 336A and 336B, between an estate of Ida Bromberg and an estate of Albert Colmes and another, tax for 1923.....	308 75		
Simon Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 5,860 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 44, between an estate of Harry Brown and an estate of Samuel Baker and another, tax for 1923.....	163 02		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 23		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 10,572 feet of land on the southerly side of Lyon street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Lesser, being a lot shown on F. P. Hall plan, dated February, 1903, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Henry Clark—Buildings and about 6,877 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stanley street, numbered 39, between an estate of George H. Foley and another and an estate of Governors of St. Francis Xavier's College, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, trustees of the Neil McNeil Endowment Fund (numbered 43), tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Louis Clayton—About 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Arcadia street, adjoining an estate of Fannie Clayton, being lot A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated January, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4444, page 241, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Samuel Cohen and Louis Silverstein—Buildings and about 7,135 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 312, 314, 314A and 316, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1 Fayston street, adjoining an estate of Barnett Lesser, tax for 1923.....	\$538 46		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	338 46		
Columbia Investment Company—About 1,974 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 3, William E. Hannan plan, March 5, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2844, page 213, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,015 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,015 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,015 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining an estate of Catherine L. Deane, being lot 58, shown on assessors' plans, Volume 9, page 176, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 5,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Fenton street, making the northwesterly corner of Clayton street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also about 4,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Clayton street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 1, William E. Hannan plan, March 5, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2844, page 213, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Mary E. Connolly—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blakeville street, numbered 37, between an estate of Julia A. Rockett and an estate of Arthur M. Greene and another, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Mary E., Alice M. and John J. Donnelly, one sixth each and William J. Emerson, three sixths—About 2,970 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 12, not named plan, dated August 1, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3063, page 91, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,970 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,940 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,825 feet of land on the southwesterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,545 feet of land on the southwesterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 2,280 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street on the southwesterly side of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 2,830 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, making the southerly corner of a proposed street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Also about 6,692 feet of land on the easterly side of Topliff street, making the southeasterly corner of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.....	28 13		
Also about 2,460 feet of land on the easterly side of Topliff street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,750 feet of land on the easterly side of Topliff street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,050 feet of land on the easterly side of Topliff street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Julia J. Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 3,611 feet of land on the northerly side of Westville street, numbered 156, between an estate of Lizzie Nishuler and an estate of Rebecca Kandib, tax for 1923.....	83 98		
Philip Fogarty Heirs or Devisees—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Fenton street, numbered 37, adjoining an estate of Catherine Gearightly, numbered 33, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9987, tax for 1922.....	37 05		
Tax for 1923.....	37 05		
William M. Foley—Buildings and about 3,999 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarkson street, numbered 58, between an estate of Hannah Donovan and an estate of Governors of St. Francis Xavier's College, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	60 55		
Tilly E. Freidman—Buildings and about 3,440 feet of land on the northerly side of Charles street, numbered 47, making the northwesterly corner of a proposed street, adjoining an estate of James J. Vaughan and another (numbered 51), tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 7,507 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 39, between an estate of Lena Pearlstein and an estate of Isaac and Harry N. Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Isaac and Harry N. Goldberg—About 6,032 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence avenue, between an estate of Clara B. French, (numbered 39) and an estate of Ida Raphael (numbered 45), tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Charles E. and Leila A. Harberg (re-assessed from Frank H. Dooley)—Buildings and about 3,550 feet of land on the southerly side of Holiday street, numbered 9, between an estate of Annie E. Manson and an estate of Ellen C. Crowley, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Mary R. Haugh—Buildings and about 2,364 feet of land on the southerly side of Hecla street, numbered 10, between an estate of Maurice Downey and an estate of Frank A. Hugal and another, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	48 80		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 4,256 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Devon street, numbered 91, between an estate of David Miller and an estate of Rose Harris, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Thomas and Henry Howard, Trustees—Buildings and about 15,962 feet of land on the northerly side of Charles street, numbered 11, between an estate of Charles E. Floerke and an estate of Margaret Meehan, tax for 1923.....	192 66		
Sarah Isaacs—Buildings and about 3,887 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 34, between an estate of Jennie K. Waters and an estate of Congregation Agudas Achum, tax for 1922.....	145 73		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	9 37		
Tax for 1923.....	145 73		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 07		
John L. Kelley—About 14,493 feet of land on the easterly side of Normandy street, between an estate of Ida Carp (numbered 80 Devon street) and another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	83 34		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 8,085 feet of land on the easterly side of Normandy street, between another estate of said Kelley and an estate of Julius Kalmanowitz (numbered 36 and 38), tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side and at end of Brunswick street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being a lot shown on a plan, not named, November 4, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2406, tax for 1923.....	7 41		

Also about 2,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being the northeasterly part of lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 4,206 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, making the westerly corner of Lorraine street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, making the southerly corner of Lorraine street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 46, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Charles J. Kelley, Junior—About 3,131 feet of land on the southerly side of Arcadia park, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Arcadia park; southerly by an estate of Ree Klous, numbered 25 Charles street; westerly by an estate of Michael L. Fallon and another; easterly by an estate of Edward J. McDevitt and another, tax for 1922.	14 82		
Also buildings and about 8,033 feet of land on the northerly side of Dickens street, numbered 42, between an estate of James Walsh and an estate of Margaret Nash, tax for 1923.	59 28		
Also about 11,649 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Westville street, being lot 3, William E. Hannan plan, dated July 3, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4000, page 81, tax for 1923.	56 81		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
William A. Kern—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Barry street, numbered 58, between an estate of Mary J. Bourne and an estate of Mary E. Ramisch, tax for 1923.			\$247 00
Paid on account.			97 00
Balance due.	150 00		
Sadie Libman—Buildings and about 4,660 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Magnolia street, numbered 233, making the westerly corner of Greenheys street, between an estate of Jacob Nathanson and an estate of Annie T. Wolfson, tax for 1923.			\$138 32
Paid on account.			50 00
Balance due.	88 32		
Lincoln Oil Company—Buildings and about 3,663 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, numbered 27, between an estate of J. Homer Pierce and another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 3,201 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 10, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated June 10, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2926, page 371, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 11, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated June 10, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2926, page 371, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 4,672 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, making the northerly corner of Wales place, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 2,855 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 2,748 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 2,669 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 2,614 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 2,584 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Maurice J. Mahoney, Sole Surviving Beneficiary under will—Buildings and about 3,371 feet of land on the southerly side of Longfellow street, numbered 33, between an estate of Liboris Bestiesi and an estate of John Downey, tax for 1923.	123 50		
Geremio Mazzucco—Buildings and about 2,050 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 240, 240A and 240B, between another estate of said Mazzucco and an estate of Neal J. O'Donnell, tax for 1923.			\$209 95
Paid on account.			100 00
Balance due.	109 95		
Also buildings and about 2,050 feet of land on the northerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 242A, between an estate of Margaret V. Kelley and another estate of said Mazzucco, tax for 1923.			\$209 95
Paid on account.			100 00
Balance due.	109 95		
Peter F., Simon D., Sabina C. and Mary F. McCarthy and Katherine H. Charlton—Buildings and about 6,250 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1361-1367 (inclusive), making the southwesterly corner of Ellet street, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.	353 21		
Helen M. McGrady—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Hamilton street, numbered 198 and 198A, between an estate of Mary E. Caddigan and an estate of Peter Freezy and another, tax for 1923.	148 20		
Cornelius J. Murphy—Buildings and about 2,768 feet of land on the easterly side of Inwood street, numbered 23, making the southeasterly corner of Norton street, adjoining an estate of Annie Galligan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	3 83		
Henry P. Nawn—Buildings and about 2,490 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Creston street, numbered 5, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Morris Segel, tax for 1923.	197 60		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	5 59		
Also buildings and about 13,865 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 267, adjoining another estate of said Nawn, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11789, tax for 1922.	123 50		
Tax for 1923.	123 50		
Also buildings and about 13,438 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 273, between two other estates of said Nawn, tax for 1922.	172 90		
Moth assessment for 1922.	66		
Tax for 1923.	172 90		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also buildings and about 48,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 295, extending through to track location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, adjoining another estate of said Nawn, tax for 1923.	666 90		
Betsy Neustadt—Buildings and about 5,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 85, between an estate of Sarah Kaizer and an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.	247 00		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Annie Neustadt, one half, and Myer J. Glickson, one half—Buildings and about 2,960 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 103, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.			\$197 00
Paid on account.			109 41
Balance due.	88 19		
Also buildings and about 2,589 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 105, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.			\$195 13
Paid on account.			100 00
Balance due.	95 13		
Also buildings and about 4,589 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 107 and 109, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.			\$380 38
Paid on account.			100 00
Balance due.	280 38		
Also buildings and about 3,983 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 111 and 113, making the westerly corner of Normandy street, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.			\$375 44
Paid on account.			206 00
Balance due.	175 44		
Also buildings and about 1,887 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Normandy street, numbered 61, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.			\$185 25
Paid on account.			100 00
Balance due.	85 25		
Also buildings and about 1,919 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Normandy street, numbered 63, adjoining another estate of said Neustadt, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9748, tax for 1923.			\$185 25
Paid on account.			100 00
Balance due.	85 25		
John A. O'Connell—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Dakota road, numbered 5, between an estate of Emma W. Chase and an estate of Harriet A. Doherty, tax for 1923.	81 51		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	19 80		
Owner or Owners Unknown—About 83 feet of land on the northerly side of Orchardfield street, adjoining an estate of Henry C. Little, being the southerly part of lot 28, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 175, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	33		
William H. Pearson and Walter F. Hill, Trustees for the Twenty-five Associates—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Westville street, numbered 107, between an estate of John J. Connors and an estate of Thomas F. Harvey, tax for 1923.	143 20		
William Phipps Heirs or Devises—About 1,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, adjoining an estate of Etta Grossman, being lot C, Garbett and Wood plan, dated October 22, 1892, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2091, page 364, tax for 1923.	9 83		

Also about 1,021 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lawrence avenue, adjoining an estate of Sarah Tumarkin, being lot B, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated March 21, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2120, page 301, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
John F. Pettit (Reassessed from John T. Roach)—Buildings and about 3,265 feet of land on the northerly side of East street, numbered 23, making the junction of Highland street, between an estate of Mary A. Hoar and an estate of James J. Keefe, tax for 1923.....	172 90	
Frederick J. Rockwell—About 327 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Richfield street, adjoining an estate of Lawrence J. Fallon, being the southerly part of lot 3, on a plan not named, dated July 2, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3825, page 213, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Gedalle Rozavsky—Buildings and about 3,135 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Grove park, numbered 7 and 7A, at end, adjoining another estate of said Rozavsky, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	160 55	2 09
Annie Segel—Buildings and about 6,431 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 29, between an estate of William Phipps heirs or devisees and an estate of Hattie Brooker, tax for 1923.....	192 66	50
Lea Shraier and Joseph Lipland—Buildings and about 5,188 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 318, 318A and 320, between two estates of Frederick Green and another, tax for 1923.....	\$617 50	
Paid on account.....	200 00	
Balance due.....	417 50	
Sarah Shulman—Buildings and about 5,625 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 98, between an estate of Celia Shurdut and an estate of Alice Benrino, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55	
Paid on account.....	100 00	
Balance due.....	60 55	
Also about 2,795 feet of land on the easterly side of a passageway, leading from the northerly side of Homes avenue in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Sullivan (numbered 108 Homes avenue), tax for 1923, Henry C. Taylor—Buildings and about 5,188 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1291 to 1,303 inclusive, making the southwesterly corner of Lyon street, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Max Uroff—About 5,743 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hamilton terrace, adjoining another estate of said Uroff, being lot 10, S. L. Leftovith plan, dated July 7, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 585, tax for 1923.....	496 47	
Also about 6,192 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hamilton terrace, adjoining another estate of said Uroff, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923, Also about 3,612 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, making the southerly corner of Columbia park, adjoining an estate of Abraham Lender and another being lot 4 same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17	37 05
Anastasia E. Vogel—Buildings and about 3,196 feet of land on the southerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 141, between an estate of Bessie L. Sleeper and an estate of Michael Marino, tax for 1923.....	34 58	
George F. and Virginia Weddleton—Buildings and about 11,741 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Quincy street, numbered 401, making the westerly corner of and numbered 37 Bellevue street, adjoining an estate of Edward H. Delano, moth assessment for 1923.....	172 90	50
Lillian E. Williams—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 78, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of Morris Hershon and another, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....	135 25	
Also buildings and about 3,069 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 80, between an estate of Gabriel Backer and another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....	135 25	
Annie T. Wolfson—Buildings and about 3,740 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Greenhays street, numbered H. between an estate of Josephine W. Cowan and an estate of Sadie Libman, tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Katherine V. York—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Percival street, numbered 25, making the northwesterly corner of Potosi street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. I. Coffey, tax for 1923.....	296 40	
Frederick A. York—Buildings and about 11,465 feet of land on the easterly side of Percival street, numbered 6, making the southeasterly corner of Bowdoin street, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth M. Donahoe, tax for 1923.....	214 89	
WARD NINETEEN.		
Eva Abramson—Buildings and about 7,920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Esmond street, numbered 4 and 6, making the easterly corner of and numbered 750 Blue Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Annie J. Collins, tax for 1923.....	\$1,193 01	
Fannie Albertson and Clara Sibrilkin (supposed present owner Hyman Gorin and another)—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, numbered 239, between an estate of Louis Canter and an estate of Rubin Handel, tax for 1923.....	163 02	
Joseph and Annette Amia—Buildings and about 2,186 feet of land on the northerly side of Alpha road, numbered 51, between an estate of George G. Gallop and an estate of Mabel B. Buckner, tax for 1923.....	192 66	
Esther J. Aronson—Buildings and about 3,326 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Michigan avenue, numbered 2, between an estate of Wolf Berger and an estate of Charlotte V. Cunio, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10731, tax for 1923.....	209 95	
Olive Bachelder—About 400 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Norwell street, on the northerly side of a passageway, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, November 19, 1897, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2487, page 450, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Steven A. Bassak—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 858, 858A and 860, between an estate of Stephen Foppiano and an estate of Rosa Lagorio, tax for 1923.....	442 13	
Lillian Berkman—Buildings and about 10,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Wales street, numbered 25, between an estate of John Henry Casey and an estate of Alonzo B. Cook, tax for 1923.....	229 71	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....		
Charlotte Berns—Buildings and about 4,380 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Merrill street, numbered 22 and 24, between another estate of said Berns and an estate of Charles H. Jenkins, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2857, tax for 1923.....	130 91	
Also buildings and about 4,272 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Merrill street, numbered 18 and 20, adjoining another estate of said Berns (numbered 22 and 24), registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2857, tax for 1923.....	93 86	
Also buildings and about 2,179 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Merrill street, numbered 16, adjoining another estate of said Berns (numbered 18 and 20), registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2857, tax for 1923.....	76 57	
Also buildings and about 3,947 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Merrill street, numbered 8, between an estate of Isaac Smith and an estate of Louis Shatz and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2857, tax for 1923.....	123 50	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....		
Julius and Sarah Block (supposed present owner Bertha Steinberg)—Buildings and about 3,027 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 566, between an estate of Nina Lax and an estate of Harris Ricles and another, tax for 1923.....	247 00	
Alfred Bowditch Heirs—About 4,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Rupert street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of William N. Ambler, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, dated 1897, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2513, page 251, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Samuel and Rose Bower—Buildings and about 10,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wales street, numbered 11, between an estate of John H. Casey and an estate of Tobias Kolow, tax for 1923.....	143 26	
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	10 50	
Julius L. and Robert P. Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 25,571 feet of land on the southerly side of Melville avenue, numbered 11, between an estate of Dora Meyers and an estate of Margaret E. Feeney, tax for 1923.....	461 89	
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 2,667 feet of land on the southerly side of Erie street, numbered 34, between an estate of James Malley and an estate of Elias Gretskey, tax for 1923.....	71 63	
Also buildings and about 5,035 feet of land on the easterly side of Whitfield street, making the north-easterly corner of West Tremlett street, adjoining an estate of Riche Glass (numbered 133 Whitfield street), tax for 1923.....	111 15	
Also buildings and about 2,657 feet of land on the northerly side of Alpha road, numbered 43, between an estate of James McLaughlin and another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923, Andrew E., one third, Minnie E., one sixth, Angenette, one sixth, Leroy H., one sixth and Harold L. Chambers, one sixth (reassessed from Walter H. Sherwin, mortgagee)—Buildings and about 2,498 feet of land on the northerly side of Athelwold street, numbered 43, between an estate of Redmond McDonough and another and an estate of George D. Wellington, tax for 1923.....	180 31	160 55
Rachel Chertook—Buildings and about 9,647 feet of land on the easterly side of Bowdoin avenue, numbered 96, making the junction of and numbered 164 and 166 Rosseter street, adjoining an estate of Walter F. Keen, tax for 1923.....	\$743 47	
Paid on account.....	350 00	
Balance due.....	393 47	
Otis W. Clarke (supposed present owner Morris Kalish)—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Lindsey street, numbered 28, between an estate of Frances M. Collins and an estate of John E. Palmer, tax for 1923.....	\$197 60	
Paid on account.....	100 00	
Balance due.....	97 60	
Ada J. Coffin—Buildings and about 10,053 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 232, between an estate of Joseph Engel and an estate of Jasper Cook and another, tax for 1923.....	205 01	
Mary E. P. Croke—Buildings and about 2,021 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 98, making the southwesterly corner of Millet street, between an estate of Anna Applebaum and an estate of Arthur E. Marcus, tax for 1923.....	177 84	
William H. Crosby—About 152 feet of land on the southerly side of Dunlap street, being lot 18, E. L. Moulton plan, dated August 20, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3342, page 172, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	1 20	
Catherine L. Cusick—Buildings and about 2,899 feet of land on the easterly side of Norwell street, numbered 118, between another estate of said Cusick and an estate of William W. Towle, tax for 1923.....	37 05	
Also about 2,768 feet of land on the easterly side of Norwell street, being lot 34, Frank A. Foster plan, dated August 22, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2309, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Also buildings and about 2,950 feet of land on the westerly side of Radcliffe street, numbered 89, between another estate of said Cusick and an estate of John E. Malloney and another, tax for 1923.....	111 15	
Also about 3,055 feet of land on the westerly side of Radcliffe street, being lot 15, Frank A. Foster plan, dated August 22, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2309, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Joseph P. Cussen—Buildings and about 6,120 feet of land on the southerly side of Kenwood street, numbered 65, between an estate of Mary N. Miller and an estate of Frances A. Neilson, tax for 1923.....	185 25	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	

Ellen A. Davison—Buildings and about 9,981 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington street, numbered 561, making the northeasterly corner of Kenwood street, adjoining an estate of Eugene C. Wylie, trustee, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8691, tax for 1923.....	247 00		
James J. Donnelly and William J. Emerson—About 13,149 feet of land on the northerly side of Browning avenue, making the northeasterly corner of Wales street, being a lot shown on F. O. Whitney plan, April 3, 1914, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	113 62		
Also about 5,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wales street, making the easterly corner of Browning avenue, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Mary E., Alice M. and John J. Donnelly, one sixth each and William J. Emerson, three sixths—About 20,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Talbot avenue, making the northerly corner of Wales street, being a lot shown on William Jackson plan, March 15, 1910, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
The Dorchester Club—Buildings and about 22,853 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Talbot avenue, numbered 28, making the northerly corner of Nightingale street, adjoining an estate of Congregation Chevra Chai Odom, tax for 1923.....	494 00		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 60		
Sarah J. Duff—Buildings and about 4,125 feet of land on the northerly side of Centre street, numbered 74, making the northeasterly corner of Seaborn street, adjoining an estate of Charles H. Heller and another, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Annie S. B. Dunham—Buildings and about 6,350 feet of land on the southerly side of Moultrie street, numbered 26 and 26A, between an estate of Margaret N. Anderson and another estate of said Dunham, tax for 1923.....	197 69		
James H. Dunphy—Buildings and about 2,374 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, numbered 241, between an estate of Joseph J. Holleran and an estate of John L. Mahan, tax for 1923.....	118 56		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 07		
Morris Edlin (supposed present owner Morris Corney)—Buildings and about 4,495 feet of land on the southerly side of Nightingale street, numbered 20, between an estate of Pauline Kaplan and an estate of Minnie Raphael, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
William J. Emerson—About 5,982 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 4, Henry Nelson plan, April 30, 1884, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2061, page 518, tax for 1921.....	37 05		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	32 83		
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50		
Tax for 1922.....	37 05		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	29 13		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	27 71		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 7,708 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1921.....	37 05		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	36 94		
Tax for 1922.....	37 05		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	32 77		
Tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	30 89		
Also about 9,782 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1921.....	49 40		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	41 21		
Tax for 1922.....	49 40		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	36 57		
Tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	34 80		
Also buildings and about 12,330 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1921.....	111 15		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	39 66		
Tax for 1922.....	111 15		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	35 19		
Tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	33 49		
Also about 11,748 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1921.....	56 81		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	32 88		
Tax for 1922.....	56 81		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	29 18		
Tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	27 76		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 11,504 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1921.....	56 81		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	41 77		
Tax for 1922.....	56 81		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	37 06		
Tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	35 27		
Also about 13,229 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1921.....	64 22		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	41 77		
Tax for 1922.....	64 22		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	37 06		
Tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	35 37		
Also about 5,237 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1921.....	19 76		
Tax for 1922.....	19 76		
Tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also about 7,890 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1921.....	29 64		
Tax for 1922.....	29 64		
Tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Also about 10,548 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1921.....	39 52		
Tax for 1922.....	39 52		
Tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Also about 17,534 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1921.....	64 22		
Tax for 1922.....	64 22		
Tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Also about 10,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1921.....	39 52		
Tax for 1922.....	39 52		
Tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Also about 19,690 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1921.....	71 63		
Tax for 1922.....	71 63		
Tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Also about 6,745 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being the westerly part of lot 18, same plan, tax for 1921.....	24 70		
Tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Also about 171,196 feet of land bounded and described as follows: Northerly and northeasterly by Geneva avenue; southerly and southwesterly by Cedar avenue and northwesterly by Olney street, being the whole of assessors' block 60, tax for 1921.....	758 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	188 16		
Tax for 1922.....	758 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	181 44		
Tax for 1923.....	758 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	174 72		
Georgietta Emerson—About 680 feet of land on the southerly side of Alpha road, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Alpha road; easterly by an estate of William C. Miller and another; southerly by an estate of Herbert L. Hildreth and westerly by an estate of William H. Day, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Esther Epstein and Rosie Goldman—Buildings and about 5,022 feet of land on the northerly side of Browning avenue, numbered 47 and 49, between another estate of said Epstein and another and an estate of James J. Donnelly and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922, tax for 1923.....	22 93		
John Faust—About 770 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, dated September, 1896, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2388, page 377, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Fannie E. Feinstein—Buildings and about 5,187 feet of land on the southerly side of Drummond street, numbered 8, between another estate of said Feinstein and an estate of Florence Goldstein, tax for 1923.....	187 72		
Also buildings and about 7,650 feet of land on the southerly side of Drummond street, numbered 12 and 10 rear, between another estate of said Feinstein and an estate of Ellen A. Blake, tax for 1923.....	180 31		
Also about 4,787 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Drummond street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Feinstein, being lot 4, E. L. Moulton plan, April 18, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3126, page 217, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Charles A. Ferguson (supposed present owner James A. Cantin)—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Maybrook street, numbered 11, between an estate of Margaret E. Fields and an estate of Frederick Phillips, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Morris Freedman and Eli Wolkon—Buildings and about 1,913 feet of land on the southerly side of Columbia road, numbered 55, between another estate of said Freedman and another and an estate of Simon Glickman and another, tax for 1923.....	150 67		
Also buildings and about 2,283 feet of land on the southerly side of Columbia road, numbered 57, between another estate of said Freedman and another and an estate of Charlotte A. Powell, tax for 1923.....	155 61		
Harry C. Garland—About 3,442 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Castlegate road, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly and northwesterly by other estates of said Garland; northeasterly and southerly by an estate of Henry S. Dowe Company, tax for 1923.....	21 70		
Amy B. Gill (supposed present owner Louis Bovarnick)—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Glenway street, numbered 146, between an estate of William Gill and an estate of Elizabeth C. McNellis, tax for 1923.....	128 44		
William Gill—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Glenway street, numbered 144 and 142 between an estate of Amy B. Gill and an estate of Sam Meiselman and another, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Emma E. Gladstone—Buildings and about 4,964 feet of land on the northerly side of Larchmont street, numbered 43, between an estate of Martin R. Engel and another and an estate of Julia E. Page, tax for 1923.....	247 00		
Albert A. Golden—Buildings and about 3,620 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott street, numbered 11, between an estate of Joseph L. Jacobson and an estate of Harris Gorkinkle heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	180 31		
Solomon and Annie R. Goldman—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Page street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Louis Isaacson; northeasterly by estates of Harry P. Chadwick and Hannah Goldberg; southerly by an estate of Solomon Goldman and another, and southwesterly by an estate of William S. Leven, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Joseph Goldstein—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Wheatland avenue, numbered 99, between an estate of Katie Zitter and an estate of James F. Burke and another, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
A. Morris Greenblatt—Buildings and about 5,004 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Esmond street, numbered 51, between an estate of Sarah A. Miller and an estate of Dora Marzynski, tax for 1923.....	234 65		
Roswell G. Hall—Buildings and about 18,877 feet of land on the northerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 10, 12, 14, 16, 16A, 18, 20 and 20A, between an estate of Margaret F. Baldwin and an estate of Harrie Lepie and others, tax for 1923.....	958 36		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,871 feet of land on the easterly side of Bowdoin avenue, being lot 3, H. C. Mildram plan, July 1, 1897, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3329, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Also about 3,894 feet of land on the easterly side of Bowdoin avenue, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Rose Harris—Buildings and about 5,248 feet of land on the westerly side of Wales street, numbered 41, between another estate of said Harris and an estate of Henry Mastero, tax for 1923.....	130 92		
Also about 5,002 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, making the northwesterly corner of Wales street, being lot 2, S. L. Leftovitch plan, January 30, 1922, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	49 40		

William E. Harris—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 174, between an estate of Frank W. Gilman and an estate of Mary Saklad moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
William J. Healy (supposed present owner Irving B. Mittel)—Buildings and about 8,810 feet of land on the easterly side of Standish street, numbered 18, 20, 22, 24 and 26, between an estate of Sarah Shaw and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	333	45	
Ida M. Hodson—About 11,419 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Geneva avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by Geneva avenue, northwesterly by estates of Albert G. Morse and Albert Morse heirs or devisees, southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston and southeasterly by an estate of Elizabeth A. Minchin, tax for 1922.....	41	99	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	33	53	
Tax for 1923.....	41	99	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	32	26	
Eliza A. Huntoon—About 15,115 feet of land on the easterly side of Hooper street, being a lot shown on C. F. Baxter plan, May 5, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1771, page 286, tax for 1921.....	93	86	
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50		
Tax for 1922.....	93	86	
Tax for 1923.....	93	86	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Julie B. Isaacs—Buildings and about 6,849 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 488, between two estates of Harry C. Garland, tax for 1923.....	943	54	
Max M. Kalman—Buildings and about 6,664 feet of land on the easterly side of Bicknell street, numbered 41, between an estate of Jeanette T. Howe and an estate of Max Goldberg and another, tax for 1923.....	227	24	
Joseph R. Keeble—Buildings and about 5,063 feet of land on the easterly side of Westcott street, numbered 18, between an estate of Margaret A. Carroll and an estate of Joseph Dowd and another, tax for 1923.....	88	92	
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 2,966 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, numbered 229 and 231, making the northwesterly corner of West Park street, adjoining an estate of Leslie L. Brown, tax for 1923.....	66	69	
Also buildings and about 8,551 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Geneva avenue, numbered 451 and 453, making the westerly corner of Bloomfield street, adjoining an estate of Gertrude V. Stillman, tax for 1923.....	214	89	
Also about 280 feet of land on the easterly side of Norwell street, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, November 19, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2	47	
Mary G. Knight—Buildings and about 2,905 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, numbered 153, between an estate of Christie Shillady and an estate of Mary E. Knight, tax for 1923.....	111	15	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10	81	
Benjamin Lancy—About 2,382 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, between an estate of Sarah A. Marsh and an estate of Anna A. Reisman, tax for 1923.....	12	35	
Annie J. Lane—Buildings and about 3,743 feet of land on the northerly side of Mather street, numbered 51, between an estate of Margaret Ryan and an estate of Georgianna Hotchkiss, tax for 1923.....	\$86	45	
Paid on account.....	50	00	
Balance due.....	36	45	
Gabriella T. Georgette G. and Henry I. Lavit (supposed present owner Morris Spack)—Buildings and about 6,511 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Elmo street, numbered 47 and 49, between an estate of Jennie Resnick and an estate of Joseph B. Green, tax for 1923.....	\$296	40	
Paid on account.....	100	00	
Balance due.....	196	40	
Max Learman—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Fenelon street, numbered 16, between an estate of Marcella J. Hicks and an estate of Alexander M. Glennie, tax for 1923.....	\$160	55	
Paid on account.....	100	00	
Balance due.....	60	55	
Thomas E. and Mary J. Leem—Buildings and about 4,419 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowdoin avenue, numbered 87 and 89, between an estate of Ida Rubin and an estate of Mary J. McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	160	55	
Hyman Levovich—Buildings and about 3,352 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenway street, numbered 39 to 43, inclusive, between an estate of Minnie Golden and an estate of Ida Cabelinsky and another, tax for 1923.....	271	70	
William London—Buildings and about 4,373 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 730, 734, 736, 738, 740 and 742, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of United Amusement Company, tax for 1923.....	681	72	
Also about 6,553 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charlotte street, being lot 27, C. H. W. Wood plan, August 3, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2301, page 531, tax for 1923.....	64	22	
Also about 4,895 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charlotte street, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	49	40	
Arthur E. Marcus—Buildings and about 4,286 feet of land on the southerly side of Fowler street, numbered 77 and 79 between an estate of Lena Feldman and another estate of said Marcus, tax for 1923.....	163	02	
Also about 4,148 feet of land on the southerly side of Fowler street, being lot 43, John N. McClintock plan, dated, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2241, at end, tax for 1923.....	29	64	
Mary E. Marden—Buildings and about 3,463 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 42, between an estate of Margaret Wood and an estate of Sarah Davidson, tax for 1923.....	86	45	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Catherine U. Martin—Buildings and about 4,424 feet of land on the easterly side of Spencer street, numbered 44, between an estate of Beda Erikson and an estate of Margaret E. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	135	85	
Elizabeth M. McGovern—Buildings and about 6,794 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 162, between an estate of Henry Pearson and an estate of Bertha Leventhal, tax for 1923.....	209	95	
Sam Meiselman and Ida Schneider—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Glenway street, numbered 140, making the southeasterly corner of Maybrook street, adjoining an estate of William Gill, tax for 1923.....	185	25	
Leonore E. Morrill—About 140 feet of land on the northerly side of Alpha road, being the westerly part of lot 25, Charles F. Baxter plan, dated July, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2500, page 289, tax for 1923.....	* 2	47	
Mary E. Morse—About 495 feet of land on the southerly side of Lyndhurst street, being a lot shown on E. L. Johnson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4	94	
Annie H. Morton—About 1,274 feet of land on the northerly side of Bullard street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Bullard street, easterly by an estate of Hilda Smith, northerly by an estate of William Brode and westerly by an estate of John E. Frieberg and another, tax for 1923.....	7	41	
Mary J. Murphy—Buildings and about 3,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Shafter street, numbered 15, between an estate of E. Franklin Adams heirs or devisees and an estate of Peter Esson and another, tax for 1923.....	83	98	
Edward F. O'Brien, Laurence Bond and Thomas F. Patterson, Trustees under will of Edward A. White—Buildings and about 5,768 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 310 and 312, between another estate of said O'Brien and others, trustees and an estate of Bessie Feldman, tax for 1923.....	284	05	
Also buildings and about 7,873 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 314, 316 and 318, between an estate of Annie L. Wyman and another estate of said O'Brien and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	407	55	
John H. Parker—About 2,683 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, being lot 39, Frank A. Foster plan, August 22, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2309, tax for 1923.....	11	82	
William and Theresa J. Parr (supposed present owner James A. and Gertrude R. Aicardi)—Buildings and about 3,362 feet of land on the northerly side of Dunlap street, numbered 39, between an estate of Henry G. Vackert and an estate of Charles Bartlett, tax for 1923.....	\$177	84	
Paid on account.....	60	00	
Balance due.....	117	84	
Apportionment for street construction assessment for 1923.....	9	96	
Catherine E. Powers—Buildings and about 2,289 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, numbered 525, making the northeasterly corner of Allerton road, adjoining an estate of Hiram R. Chubbuck, 621 feet of this estate, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7408, tax for 1923.....	74	10	
Catherine E. Reid—Buildings and about 4,700 feet of land on the southerly side of Park street, numbered 372, between an estate of Hilda Goldstein and an estate of Fitzgerald M. O'Lalor and another, tax for 1923.....	158	08	
Rose R. Robinson—Buildings and about 12,395 feet of land on the northerly side of Harlem street, numbered 44 to 50, making the northwesterly corner of Greenwood street, adjoining an estate of Benjamin S. Gainsboro and another, tax for 1923.....	817	50	
Bertha Ross—Buildings and about 4,470 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 852, between an estate of Rosa Lagorio and another estate of Rosa Lagorio, tax for 1923.....	160	55	
Joseph Rothchild—About 1,014 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Michigan avenue, being lot B. C. H. Gannett plan, March 18, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3534, page 543, tax for 1923.....	49	40	
Julia E. Russell—Buildings and about 7,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowdoin avenue, numbered 67, between an estate of Margaret A. Keen and an estate of Thomas F. Whalen, tax for 1923.....	165	49	
Thomas E. Ryan Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 3,811 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Waterlow street, numbered 2, making the westerly corner of Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Fannie R. Silbert, tax for 1923.....	140	79	
Mollie Saklad—Buildings and about 5,119 feet of land on the easterly side of Charlotte street, numbered 40, between an estate of Samuel U. Goldberg and an estate of Rebecca Kuposky, tax for 1923.....	234	65	
Henrietta Schindler—Buildings and about 5,474 feet of land on the easterly side of Charlotte street, numbered 56, between an estate of Nathan M. Silverman and an estate of Clara M. Akerman, tax for 1923.....	217	36	
Bessie Schneiderman—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott street, numbered 48, making the northerly corner of Erie street, adjoining an estate of William Saltzman, tax for 1923.....	197	60	
Ida Shrago—Buildings and about 4,818 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 51, between an estate of Hyman B. Levine and an estate of Fannie Goldman, tax for 1923.....	185	25	
Sarah Simanofsky—Buildings and about 3,410 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, numbered 115, 115A, 117 and 117A, between an estate of Arthur J. Nelson, trustee and the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.....	\$214	89	
Paid on account.....	100	00	
Balance due.....	114	89	
Also buildings and about 3,571 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, numbered 147, 147A, 147B and 147C, between an estate of Mary L. Dailey and an estate of Zundel Gray and another, tax for 1923.....	\$286	52	
Paid on account.....	100	00	
Balance due.....	186	52	
Mary E. Smart—Buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the southerly side of Bullard street, numbered 8, between an estate of Abraham Berman and an estate of John C. Means and another, tax for 1923.....	103	74	
Thomas and Mary Smith—Buildings and about 6,236 feet of land on the easterly side of Whitfield street, numbered 71, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 50 Rosedale street, adjoining an estate of Nellie Dillon, tax for 1923.....	98	80	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Sarah M. Spear—Buildings and about 7,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Bloomfield street, numbered 46, between an estate of Walter F. Holmes and an estate of Caroline G. Brazer, tax for 1923.....	153	14	
Mary Spector—Buildings and about 4,972 feet of land on the northerly side of York street, numbered 24, between an estate of Bessie Rutberg and an estate of Minna Wigder, tax for 1923.....	214	89	

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 86	George D. and Jane H. Baggs—Buildings and about 5,688 feet of land on the southerly side of King street, numbered 163, between an estate of Elizabeth Feeney and an estate of Maude E. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	\$111 15	esterly side of Tenean street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Tenean street; northerly by an estate of Annie E. Fay, guardian; easterly by an estate of City of Boston, and southerly by an estate of Delia C. Ford, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Annie Spiegel—Buildings and about 3,502 feet of land on the southerly side of Erie street, numbered 12, 12A, 14 and 14A, between an estate of Abie Twisher and an estate of Jeremiah Connor and another, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Paid on account.....	50 00	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 86
Bertha Sternberg—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the northerly side of Page street, numbered 5, between an estate of Morris Abrams and an estate of Barnard Epstein and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13539, tax for 1923.....	139 91	Balance due.....	61 15	Also about 3,030 feet of land on the easterly side of Guild road, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Guild road; northerly by an estate of George N. Douze; easterly by an estate of Edward H. Wiggin and others, trustees, and southerly by another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Suffolk Real Estate Mortgage Corporation (supposed present owner Max Bloom)—Buildings and about 1,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Ellington (formerly Elmo) street, numbered 132, between another estate of said Suffolk Real Estate and Mortgage Corporation and an estate of Morris R. Frank, tax for 1923.....	138 32	Sarah E. Barnes—Buildings and about 8,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Englewood street, numbered 11, between an estate of Arthur M. Brown and an estate of Carrie M. Stone, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Also about 3,700 feet of land on the northerly side of Pope's Hill street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Pope's Hill street; westerly by another estate of said Chadwick; northerly by an estate of James H. Goodwin, and easterly by an estate of Joseph Morris, tax for 1923,.....	9 88
Also buildings and about 1,720 feet of land on the northerly side of Ellington (formerly Elmo) street, numbered 136, between another estate of said Suffolk Real Estate and Mortgage Corporation and an estate of Peter Murtagh heirs or devisees, moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Richard Barry (reassessed from Henry S. Moody)—About 3,601 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, being lot 130, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Harry P. Chadwick (supposed present owner Francis M. Shea)—Also about 3,150 feet of land on the westerly side of Vendon street, adjoining an estate of Annie A. White, being lot 15, Eri Olmstead plan, dated March 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9358, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Samuel Swartz and Myer Peraner—Buildings and about 10,100 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Harvard street; easterly by estates of Margaret J. Hickey, Solomon Eisenman and Thomas A. Matthews; southerly by an estate of Mary X. Cohalan, and westerly by estates of Mary A. Collins, Edmond Donlan and Cornelius Shea, tax for 1923.....	249 47	Emily Blackwell Heirs—About 430 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Freeport street, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, March 18, 1890, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923,.....	2 47	Cornelius G. Collins—Buildings and about 3,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Samoset street, numbered 48, between an estate of Andrew F. Jones and an estate of John A. Hanley, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Ida Synofsky—Buildings and about 4,303 feet of land on the westerly side of Wales street, numbered 83 and 85, between an estate of Rosa Needleman and an estate of William Bloom, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15691, tax for 1923.....	247 00	Merritt E. Bradley—Buildings and about 18,732 feet of land on the southerly side of Adams street, numbered 828, making the southeasterly corner of Milwood street, adjoining an estate of Victoria P. McNally, tax for 1923.....	217 36	Annie M. Connelley—About 7,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Coffey street, being a lot shown on E. Warren Hayden plan, December 2, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 29	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Richard W. and Mary A. Costello, one half each (supposed present owner Mary A. Costello)—About 1,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Argyle street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Argyle street; southerly by an estate of Mary A. Costello; easterly and northerly by another estate of said Costello and another, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 07	Ella L. Bowker, one half, and Minnie R. L. Alden, one half—About 686 feet of land on the westerly side of a 35-foot street, making the southwesterly corner of Water street, adjoining an estate of Anna M. Nugent and another (numbered 30 Water street), tax for 1923.....	4 94	Richard W. Costello and Mary A. Costello—About 4,315 feet of land on the easterly side of Melbourne street, being lot 44, Henry C. Mildram plan, October 5, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3680, tax for 1923.....	22 23
James C. Tennant—About 5,668 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ellington street, being lot 27, Whitman and Howard plan, March 26, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3123, page 527, tax for 1923.....	41 99	Building Trades Unions Co-operative Construction and Housing Council, Inc.—About 4,651 feet of land on the westerly side of a proposed street, leading from the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 11, P. H. Mosher plan, March 23, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4290, tax for 1923.....	12 35	George W. Cummings—About 3,546 feet of land on the southerly side of Fairview street, being lot 107, F. T. Westcott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Bernard Weinberg and Aaron M. Mayburg—Buildings and about 4,750 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glenway street, numbered 6, between an estate of Dora Kramer and an estate of Frederick Foppiano and another, tax for 1923.....	\$170 43	Also about 4,593 feet of land on the westerly side of a proposed street, leading from the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Oliver T. Currier—Buildings and about 4,900 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Park street, numbered 122 rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Frank W. Clark, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Paid on account.....	86 38	Also about 4,574 feet of land on the westerly side of a proposed street leading from the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	James G. Curtis—Buildings and about 6,822 feet of land on the northerly side of Dix street, numbered 68, between an estate of Mary L. Kane and an estate of Mary E. Callahan, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Balance due.....	84 07	Also about 3,230 feet of land on the northerly side of Boutwell street, adjoining another estate of said Building Trades Unions Co-operative Construction and Housing Council, Inc., being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Ida Weinberg—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Page street, numbered 19, between an estate of Rebecca Sharas and an estate of Jennie Isaacson, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Mary A. Doherty—Buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Milton street, numbered 127, making the southerly corner of Lenoxdale avenue, adjoining an estate of Jennie F. Gallagher, tax for 1923.....	79 04
Morris Weisman—Buildings and about 3,985 feet of land on the easterly side of Greenwood street, numbered 60, between an estate of Ida Goldstein and another and an estate of Wolf Cohen, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Also about 3,192 feet of land on the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Milton street, being lot 133, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	9 88
David A. Westcott—Buildings and about 7,341 feet of land on the easterly side of Bernard street, numbered 86 and 88, between an estate of Alice G. McNerney and an estate of Frank T. Westcott, moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Curtis H. Burt, Trustee—Buildings and about 14,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Templeton street, numbered 97, 99, 101 and 103, between an estate of Martha McKay and an estate of William E. Bell, tax for 1923.....	494 00	Patrick Doherty—About 9,928 feet of land on the southerly side of Wrentham street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Wrentham street; easterly by an estate of Margaret Minton and another; southerly by an estate of John Edwards, and westerly by an estate of Daniel McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Mary D. Whitaker—Buildings and about 6,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Aspinwall road, numbered 28, making the southwesterly corner of Hopestill street, adjoining an estate to Etta E. Fessenden, tax for 1923.....	209 95	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Charles H. Donahue—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Centrevale park, numbered 10, between an estate of Cora L. Eddy and an estate of Alfred F. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Thomas G. Bury—About 2,447 feet of land on the easterly side of Ainsley street, being lot 88, and northerly part of lot 87, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
WARD TWENTY.		Timothy J. Callahan—Buildings and about 3,055 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brook street, numbered 2, between an estate of William S. McGregor and another and an estate of Luke F. Norton, tax for 1923,.....	51 87	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 81
Martha C. Alden—Buildings and about 9,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Dix street, numbered 99, between an estate of Frances A. Keyes and an estate of Helen S. King, tax for 1923,.....	\$111 15	Frank R. Carroll—Buildings and about 6,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Nixon street, numbered 12, between an estate of Georgina M. Mansfield and an estate of Cornelia Snow, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50	Thomas F. Donahue—About 4,333 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, being lot 53, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Paid on account.....	69 50		
Carl B. Anderson—About 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, being lot 16, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 52, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Balance due.....	54 00		
Isoline Averill—Buildings and about 3,210 feet of land on the northerly side of Lincoln street, numbered 4 and 6, between an estate of James J. Hughes and another and an estate of Dina Colmes, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 5,180 feet of land on the easterly side of Houghton street, numbered 106, making the northwesterly corner of Pope's Hill street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
		Also about 3,614 feet of land on the westerly side of Adams street, being lot 9, R. P. Souther plan, October 7, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3354, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
		Also about 5,000 feet of land on the			

James Donovan—Buildings and about 29,747 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 374, between an estate of Nettie A. McKeen and an estate of Mary E. Herene, tax for 1923.....	101 27	Mary E. Herene—Buildings and about 4,104 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 342, making the easterly corner of Florida street, adjoining an estate of James Donovan, tax for 1923.....	271 70	estate of Laban Pratt and an estate of Alessandro Balboni and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40
George N. Douse—About 3,990 feet of land on the southerly side of Whitten street, being lot 60, Philip C. Nash plan, November 30, 1915, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3924, page 206, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Charles E., one third, Charles H., two ninths, Lyman B., two ninths, and Walter P. Hewins, two ninths (supposed present owner Conway Realty Company)—About 9,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Old Colony Railroad, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the location of the Old Colony Railroad Company; southerly by a tributary of Great creek, easterly by estate of Mary J. Reddy, westerly by an estate of Conway Realty Company, tax for 1923,.....	12 35	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	John F. Hickey—Buildings and about 6,309 feet of land on the westerly side of Bushnell street, numbered 77, between an estate of Agnes F. Sullivan and an estate of Geraldine N. Rush, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Annie M. Kelley—Also about 3,497 feet of land on the easterly side of Freeport street, making the northeasterly corner of Plymouth street, between an estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company and an estate of Hugh Riley, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 3,990 feet of land on southerly side of Whitten street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,497 feet of land on the easterly side of Freeport street, making the northeasterly corner of Plymouth street, between an estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company and an estate of Hugh Riley, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 4,064 feet of land on southerly side of Whitten street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 3,900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Park street, numbered 40 and 42, making the easterly corner of and numbered 2 Ashland street, adjoining an estate of Bertha Ruther, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Tax for 1923.....	12 35
William J. Emerson—About 112,008 feet of land on the southerly side of Minot street, making the southeasterly corner of Glide street, being a lot shown on F. P. Hall plan, July, 1900, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2700, page 637, tax for 1923.....	165 49	Ida M. Hodsdon (supposed present owner Garvey Transportation Company)—About 22,124 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Freeport street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Walter S. Blanchard heirs or devisees; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston and estate of Joseph Zuracek and another; southeasterly by estate of Emma Sampson, tax for 1923.....	81 51	Charles J. Kelley—About 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, being lot 16, G. H. Sherman plan, September 20, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8091, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Elin M. Erickson—Buildings and about 3,812 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Verdun street, numbered 10, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10558, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Flora R. Hughes—Buildings and about 3,120 feet of land on the easterly side of Clematis street, numbered 6, between an estate of Gertrude T. Baker and an estate of John T. Daley, tax for 1923.....	111 15	Also about 3,095 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, being lot 22, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5236, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60	Mary L. Kane—Buildings and about 4,425 feet of land on the northerly side of Dix street, numbered 72, between an estate of Anthony Novitzky and another and an estate of James G. Curtis, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Temple H. Fay and George W. Field—About 4,238 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, being lot 54, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Mary F. Killion—Buildings and about 12,625 feet of land on the northerly side of Mather street, numbered 19, between an estate of Ann Needham and an estate of Catherine C. Campbell and another, tax for 1923, \$98 80	49 50
John A. Finigan—Buildings and about 4,310 feet of land on the northerly side of Roseland street, numbered 4, between an estate of Laura L. Mahan and an estate of Alice M. Maloney, tax for 1923.....	93 86	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Paid on account.....	49 50
Katherine Flanagan—About 6,649 feet of land on the northeasterly side of and at end of Clover street, adjoining an estate of Margaret Donelan (numbered 12), tax for 1923.....	14 82	Mary Keenan—About 7,431 feet of land on the southerly side of Milton street, making the southwesterly corner of Adams street, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14250, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Balance due.....	49 30
Caroline S. Freeman—Buildings and about 30,021 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Minot street, numbered 110, making the southerly corner of Glide street, an estate of Maria O'Reilly heirs (numbered 114), moth assessment for 1921.....	66	Annie M. Kelley—About 3,281 feet of land on westerly side of Manley street, making the southwesterly corner of Newkirk street, being lot 7, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated October 15, 1908, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3469, page 250, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Karin Larson—About 3,367 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foss road, being lot 2, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 11,795 feet of land on the easterly side of Granite avenue, numbered 8, making the southeasterly corner of Marsh street, an estate of Charles A. Dillar, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7236, tax for 1923.....	81 51	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 80	James E. and Annie B. Lawler (supposed present owner Harry Lubin)—About 1,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Gustine street, being lot 66, P. T. Westcott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Caroline H. Fryer—Buildings and about 13,445 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1707, making southwesterly corner of Centre avenue, adjoining an estate of M. Edith House, tax for 1923..... \$232 18		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 1,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Gustine street, being lot 65, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	4 94
Paid on account.....	99 50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Josephine Lewike—Buildings and about 1,612 feet of land on the southerly side of Barnes street, numbered 18, between an estate of Hannah E. Tibbetts and an estate of Charles A. Peabody, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Balance due.....	132 68	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Ida D. Lewis—About 378 feet of land on the northerly side of Shenandoah street, between an estate of Thorella M. C. Harner and an estate of Charles E. Hatfield, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Leopold G. Greene, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,570 feet of land on the westerly side of Adams street, numbered 411, making the northwesterly corner of Centre street, adjoining another estate of said Greene, trustee, tax for 1923.....	79 04	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Joseph P. Manning, Junior—Buildings and about 3,864 feet of land on the easterly side of Wellesley park, numbered 38, between an estate of Bertha Berger and an estate of Edwin H. Buzzell, tax for 1923.....	135 85
Also buildings and about 2,470 feet of land on the westerly side of Adams street, numbered 407, between an estate of George Harvey Boles, Incorporated and another estate of Greene, trustee, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Georgina M. Mansfield—Buildings and about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Nixon street, numbered 16, between an estate of Frank R. Carroll and an estate of Emma K. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	123 50
William Halloran—Buildings and about 4,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 451, making the southwesterly corner of Parker terrace, adjoining an estate of Bessie Winestock, tax for 1923, \$185 25		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Paid on account.....	140 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Marion McGettrick—About 2,041 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wainwright street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Bessie M. Batchelder (numbered 25), tax for 1923.....	4 94
Balance due.....	45 25	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Mary C. McGrath—About 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, being lot 15, as shown on F. T. Westcott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Rebecca A. Hannum—About 6,341 feet of land on the southerly side of Chickatawbut street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Chickatawbut street; westerly by an estate of Margaret Doyle; easterly by an estate of Margaret Wall and southerly by an estate of William J. Hatch, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Mary E. McKenna (supposed present owner Guy E. Brazier)—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1820 and 1822, making the southerly corner of Edwin street, adjoining an estate of Kenneth S. DeWitt, tax for 1923.....	209 95
Winifred and Mary Harper (supposed present owner Julia Glynn)—Buildings and about 3,029 feet of land on the southerly side of Rosemont road, west, numbered 5, between an estate of Mary A. Lane and an estate of Ida C. Berninger, tax for 1923..... \$172 90		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Malcolm H., one quarter, George B., one quarter, John J. A., one quarter, and Robert P. McLellan, one quarter—Buildings and about 9,693 feet of land on the southerly side of Pierce avenue, numbered 97, between an estate of John J. McGrail and an estate of John D. Bryant and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Paid on account.....	90 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Balance due.....	82 90				

Merchants Mutual Association, Inc.—About 4,412 feet on the northeasterly side of Myrtlebank avenue, being lot 103, as shown on W. A. Mason & Sons plan, dated October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	4 94	westerly by an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company; southerly by an estate of Frances P. Farrell and easterly by an estate of Catherine M. Manning and other estates fronting on Samoset street, tax for 1923.....	24 70	other, and westerly by an estate of Mary A. Byrnes, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 28	Henry P. Oakman Heirs or Devises (supposed present owner Henry P. Oakman Heirs or Devises, one half, and another)—Buildings and about 7,269 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakman street, numbered 1 and 3, between an estate of Henry P. Oakman and an estate of Parish of All Saints, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Annie C. Rommell—Buildings and about 5,320 feet of land on the southerly side of Lonsdale street, numbered 125, making the southwesterly corner of Adams street and numbered 537 and 539, adjoining an estate of Susan A. Hannan, tax for 1923.....	276 64
Methodist Episcopal Church Trustees of—Buildings and about 9,582 feet of land on the southerly side of Parkman street, between an estate of Lawrence Larsen and another and an estate of David F. Doyle and another, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also buildings and about 3,213 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakman street, numbered 15 and 17, making the westerly corner of Taylor street, adjoining an estate of Arthur L. Oakman, tax for 1923.....	106 21	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	11 46
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Henry P. Oakman—Buildings and about 1,886 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakman street, numbered 5, between an estate of Henry P. Oakman heirs and another estate of said Oakman, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Fannie Rosenberg—About 783 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Edwin street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by an estate of Annie Levine; westerly by an estate of Harry P. Azadian; northerly by an estate of Arthur E. Jones, and easterly by an estate of Henry E. Hardwick, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Clara H. Mills—Buildings and about 9,323 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carruth street, numbered 22, between an estate of Ellen O'Brien and an estate of Mabel H. Todd, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Johanna O'Shaughnessy—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Edwin street, numbered 24, making the northeasterly corner of Denver street, adjoining an estate of Benjamin Poole, tax for 1923.....	24 70	David F. and Mary E. Ryan—Buildings and about 4,042 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carruth street, numbered 78, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16524, tax for 1923,.....	160 55
David Milne—About 4,265 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marsh street, being lot 85, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Ellen J. Pendleton—Buildings and about 3,195 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Talbot avenue, numbered 472, between an estate of Charles A. First and another and an estate of Michael Scholnick, tax for 1923.....	234 65	Domenico and Flavia Sergi—Buildings and about 9,055 feet of land on the westerly side of Salisbury park, numbered 6, making the northwesterly corner of Park street, adjoining an estate of John J. Daly and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50
John A. E. Moroney (supposed present owner John J. Kerrigan and another)—Buildings and about 4,230 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carruth street, numbered 88, making the northerly corner of Codman street, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14869, tax for 1923.....	172 90	John J. Printon—About 2,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Tenean street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; southerly by an estate of Edward Hamlin and another; westerly by an estate of the Old Colony Railroad, and easterly by Tenean street, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Edward, one eighth, Howland, one eighth, Everett, one eighth, Elizabeth, Sharp, one eighth and James E. Sharp Heirs or Devises, four eighths—About 18,100 feet of land on the easterly side of Brook street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Matha L. Tolman; easterly by the City of Boston; westerly by Brook street, and southerly by an estate of Alice McMorrow and others, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Also buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Freeport street, numbered 331 and 333, making the southwesterly corner of Everdean street, adjoining an estate of Fannie Pitonof, moth assessment for 1923.....	50	James A. Quigley—About 600 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Park street; westerly by an estate of Bridget Burke; northerly by an estate of Caroline Joski, and easterly by an estate of Rebecca Sprinsky, tax for 1923.....	7 11	Charles A. and Mary G. Sheehy—About 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar Grove, being lot 178, William E. Hannan plan, December 21, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4120, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 72	George F. Quimby—Buildings and about 10,916 feet of land on the southerly side of Shenandoah street, numbered 1, making the southwesterly corner of Carruth street, adjoining an estate of Lois M. Manson heirs and others, tax for 1923.....	177 84	Samuel J. Sigel—About 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 26, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Clifford M. Mowatt—About 520 feet of land on the northerly side of Radford lane, between an estate of Mary E. Doyle and an estate of Josephine E. Cody, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 35	Bernard C. and Margaret Raymond—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Mallet street, numbered 24, between an estate of Ada F. Keith and an estate of Annie J. Cunningham and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Jennie R. Muldoon—Buildings and about 9,671 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 1, making the southerly corner of Park street, adjoining an estate of Martha L. Roedel, tax for 1923.....	96 33	Carolyn F. Richards—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of South Munroe terrace, numbered 20, between an estate of Carrie M. Lord and an estate of Michael Gurnett heirs or devisees and another, tax for 1923.....	114 50	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Balance due.....	9 00	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Also buildings and about 11,212 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, numbered 1, making the southerly corner of Park street, adjoining an estate of Margaret M. O'Connor, tax for 1923.....	103 74	Lucy Rober—About 5,399 feet of land on the easterly side of Train street, being lot 52, C. F. Baxter plan, dated November 1, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3485, page 137, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Robert Robinson—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 9, between another estate of said Robinson and an estate of Christina J. Berry, tax for 1923.....	190 19	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Peter J. Mullen—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Myrtlebank avenue, being lot 40, on W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 22, same plan tax for 1923,.....	7 41
John B. Mulvey—Buildings and about 2,775 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm street, numbered 17 and 19, between another estate of said Mulvey and an estate of Massachusetts Homoeopathic Hospital Trustees, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Patrick B. Mulrooney—Buildings and about 10,588 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Houghton street, numbered 29 and 31, between an estate of Fredrick V. Dow and another and an estate of Thomas Flanagan, tax for 1923.....	108 68	Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 11, between an estate of Annie J. Cain and another estate of said Robinson, tax for 1923,.....	190 19	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Mary R. Munier—About 6,617 feet of land on the northerly side of Templeton street, making the northeasterly corner of Templeton way, being lot D, on Frank A. Foster plan, November 9, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2570, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Martha L. Roedel (supposed present owner Jennie R. Muldoon)—About 6,523 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, being lot 2, Frederick P. Hall plan, December, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2650, page 209, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Samuel Simons and Nathan Weiner—Buildings and about 20,483 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1475, 1475A, 1479, 1479A, 1481 and 1483, adjoining an estate of Harris Swartz, Max L. Goldblatt plan, August, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4247, page 483, tax for 1923, \$1,729 00 Paid on account.....	889 78
Jeremiah D. Murphy—Buildings and about 4,924 feet of land on the westerly side of Alban street, numbered 110, between an estate of Ida Angel and an estate of Frank G. White, tax for 1923.....	247 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Balance due.....	830 22
Catherine Murray—About 1,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Gustin street, being lot 67, on F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3655, page 152, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Catherine L. Rogers—About 3,240 feet of land on the northerly side of Templeton street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Mathew J. Fox; southerly by Templeton street; easterly by an estate of Herman F. Rosche and an-	7 41	Morris Slotnick—Buildings and about 14,869 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1726, 1726A, 1728, 1728A, 1730, 1730A, 1732, 1732A, 1734 and 1736, making the southwesterly corner of Rosemont road southwest and the easterly corner of Rosemont road southwest, adjoining an estate of Mary E. Weaver, tax for 1923.....	1,175 72
Catherine Murray (reassessed from Henry S. Moody, Trustee)—About 1,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Gustin street, being lot 68, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3663, page 152, tax for 1923.....	4 94			Blanch V. Smith—Buildings and about 3,775 feet of land on the southerly side of Brent street, numbered 73, between an estate of Lewis S. Terry and an estate of Jessie C. Foye, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50			John D. Smith—About 302 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Neponset avenue, between an estate of Patrick Keliher and an estate of William N. Hackett, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Margaret E. Nichols—About 5,949 feet of land on the southerly side of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Centre street;				Mary B. Smith—About 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 8, W. A. Mason and Sons plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41

Anna E. Schaefer—Buildings and about 4,488 feet of land on the southerly side of Mather street, numbered 10, between an estate of Augusta D. Doherty and an estate of John T. Daly, tax for 1923.	123 50		
John F. and Lawrence E. Villard—Buildings and about 5,154 feet of land on the westerly side of Granville street, numbered 11, between another estate of said Villard and another and an estate of Charles Johnson, Junior, trustee, tax for 1923.	148 20		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	13 15		
Also about 5,265 feet of land on the westerly side of Granville street, being lot 3, William E. Hannan plan, September 27, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3076, page 386, tax for 1923.	17 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	13 34		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Anastasia E. Vogel—Buildings and about 3,120 feet of land on the southerly side of Edwin street, numbered 9, between an estate of Ada F. L. Harvey and an estate of Charles F. Carroll and another, tax for 1923.	135 85		
Vernon J. Voyer—Buildings and about 8,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richview street, numbered 20, between an estate of Francis M. Shea and an estate of Roswell G. Hall, tax for 1923.	\$172 90		
Paid on account.	52 49		
Balance due.	120 41		
William N. Ward and Margaret E. Cram—About 4,625 feet of land on the westerly side of a 30-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by a 30-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place; southerly by an estate of Charles A. Harkin; and westerly by an estate of Christina Adducci and northerly by an estate of Bessie Eldridge, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Hannah Watson—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Allendale avenue, being lot 80, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Ida M. Wentworth—About 3,758 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, being lot 126, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Mary A. Whalen—Buildings and about 5,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carruth street, numbered 40, making the northerly corner of Minot street, adjoining an estate of Henry E. Urann, moth assessment for 1922.	50		
Robert P. Williams—About 40,105 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Hill Top street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Old Colony Railroad Company; easterly by Conway Realty Company; southerly by Great creek; westerly by an estate of Marks Angel, moth assessment for 1923.	4 65		
William Williams—About 1,150 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beaumont street, between an estate of Charles M. Reade (numbered 11) and an estate of Abbie O. Jacques (numbered 30 Carruth street), tax for 1922.	7 41		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.	2 17		
Tax for 1923.	7 41		
Samuel G. Woods—Buildings and about 42,812 feet of land on the southerly side of Minot street, numbered 30, 32 and 34, between an estate of Henry P. Oakman and an estate of Mary A. Glavin heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.	\$242 06		
Paid on account.	50 00		
Balance due.	192 06		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Franklin A. Wyman—About 5,992 feet of land on the westerly side of Talbot avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Talbot avenue; northerly by an estate of Mary C. Wyman; westerly by an estate of Charlotte Caldwell and others, and southerly by an estate of Mary A. A. Lynch, tax for 1923.	44 46		
Marcella Zanellato and Joseph Lupinelli—About 3,288 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being a lot shown on E. L. Moulton plan, July 10, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3061, page 114, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Also about 3,970 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 4,336 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 4,297 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Also about 4,283 feet of land on the easterly side of Adams street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.	27 17		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Adams street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Marcella Zanellato and Joseph Lupinelli (supposed present owner Giuseppe Lamarea)—Buildings and about 14,407 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lots 10, 11 and 12, same plan, tax for 1923.	123 50		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Max Zax—About 3,711 feet of land on the westerly side of Becket street, being lot 6, H. T. Whitman plan, May 8, 1896, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2358, page 174, tax for 1923.	14 82		
WARD TWENTY-ONE.			
Mary M. Adams—Buildings and about 5,180 feet of land on the northerly side of Callender street, numbered 57 and 57A, between an estate of Isabella Kidd and an estate of Dora Paisner, tax for 1923.	\$69 16		
Abraham Alpert—Buildings and about 3,102 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1282A, 1282B and 1282C, making the northeasterly corner of Evelyn street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Seletzky, tax for 1923.	234 65		
Avid M. Anderson—Buildings and about 5,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mascot street, numbered 20 and 22, between an estate of Rebecca Brooks and an estate of Sadie Block, tax for 1923.	111 15		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Clara Applebaum—Buildings and about 3,069 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wildwood street, numbered 66, between an estate of Wolf Bovin and an estate of Jeanette W. Mitchell, tax for 1923.	\$172 90		
Paid on account.	150 00		
Balance due.	22 90		
Joseph Atkins—About 3,314 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 11, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 11, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 2,723 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 12, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 5,138 feet of land on the northerly side of Courtland road, making the junction of Harvard street, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.	19 76		
Also about 2,666 feet of land on the northerly side of Courtland road, being lot 14, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,281 feet of land on the northerly side of Courtland road, being lot 15, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also about 3,796 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.	14 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also about 3,779 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also about 3,762 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 3,608 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, making the junction of Harvard street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35		
Also about 4,677 feet of land on the northerly side of Estella street, making the northeasterly corner of Harvard street, being the southerly part of lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Samuel Balder—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wilcock street, numbered 47, between an estate of Jacob Lipitz and an estate of Nathan Bornstein, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	38 14		
Sarah Bamel—About 8,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Theodore street, being lots 23 and 24, Frederick P. Hall plan, March, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3546, page 43, tax for 1923.	64 22		
James Barrett—Buildings and about 2,868 feet of land on the easterly side of Oakwood street, numbered 20, between an estate of William Barrett and an estate of Mary E. Goodwin, tax for 1923.	86 45		
Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakwood street, numbered 39, between an estate of Helen J. McCrackin and an estate of Catherine M. Salter, tax for 1923.	118 56		
Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakwood street, numbered 31 and 33, between an estate of William K. Corey and an estate of Helen J. McCrackin, moth assessment for 1921.	50		
Tax for 1923.	205 01		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also about 4,271 feet of land on the easterly side of Tucker street, being lot 9, William O. Badger plan, May 2, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1875, page 357, tax for 1923.	14 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.	85		
Also about 4,070 feet of land on the easterly side of Tucker street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.	14 82		
Mary A. Barrett—Buildings and about 4,106 feet of land on the northerly side of Callender street, numbered 25 and 27, between two estates of Surphie Aznive, tax for 1923.	86 45		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
William J. Barry (supposed present owner Abraham Levitch and Nellie Bloom)—Buildings and about 5,381 feet of land on the northerly side of Morton street, numbered 646 and 648, making the easterly corner of Havelock street, adjoining an estate of Sarah Cadifi, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.	11 44		
David Baskin and Michael Staller—About 3,820 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, being lot A, Barney B. Levy plan, June 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3950, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	18 18		
Also about 3,490 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, being lot B, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	16 62		
David Baskin—About 1,982 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, being lot C, Barney B. Levy plan, June 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 3950, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	10 78		
Also about 1,613 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, being lot D, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	8 77		
William J. Bassett—About 6,485 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lots 33 and 34, part lot 35, H. A. Millhouse plan, January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.	1 45		
Charles H. Belledeu—About 4,622 feet of land on the northerly side of Burt street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates of Florence L. Hamblin, Joseph T. Madden and another and Margaret S. Tobey; northeasterly by an estate of Helena T. Shortell; southerly and southwesterly by Burt street and an estate of Francis X. Julien; westerly by an estate of Boston Elevated Street Railway Company, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Tax for 1922.	22 23		
Moth assessment for 1922.	87		
Nathan Bernstein and David Lerman—About 6,162 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 1, J. F. Connell plan, dated January, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	37 05		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50		
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 5,210 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 5,210 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 5,143 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.	46 93		
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.	56 81		
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.	81 51		

Also about 5,402 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	108 68		
Eli Berzow—Buildings and about 4,822 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lorne street (formerly Lena park), numbered 35 and 37, adjoining an estate of Jacob J. Goldman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16396, tax for 1923.....	247 00		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	28 77		
Mary J. Bowes—Buildings and about 4,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazleton street, numbered 97, between two estates of Albert B. Carey, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55		
Paid on account.....	95 88		
Balance due.....	64 67		
Sahag and Arias Boyvian—About 1,895 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, being lot 35A, Russell H. Whiting plan, December 19, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4173, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 1,895 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, being lot 35B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Emma E. Brigham, Mortgagee in possession—About 6,462 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 8, H. C. Midram plan, March 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13886, tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	34 45		
Also about 6,354 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13886, tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	21 77		
Also about 4,472 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O 9, Henry C. Midram plan, March 3, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,558 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O 10, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 9,520 feet of land on the southerly side of Duke street, being lot 46, Ernest W. Bowditch plan, March 1, 1898, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14111, tax for 1922.....	27 17		
Also about 3,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Outlook road, being lot A, H. C. Midram plan, November 5, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3778, page 53, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Harry L. and Theodore W. Buckley—About 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 13, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 98		
Also about 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96		
Margaret T. Burke—About 3,515 feet of land on the easterly side of Groveland street, being lot 93, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 51		
Also about 3,515 feet of land on the easterly side of Groveland street, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 51		
Also about 3,471 feet of land on the easterly side of Manchester street, making the southeasterly corner of Groveland street, being lot 91, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 51		
Florence M. Cain—Buildings and about 35,280 feet of land on the westerly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an			
estate of Samuel M. Safford; westerly by an estate of Ruth C. Spargo; easterly by the location of a proposed street, tax for 1922.....	29 64		
Tax for 1923.....	29 61		
Also about 41,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Manchester street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly and southwesterly by another estate of said Cain and the location of Sanford street; easterly by the location of a proposed street, and northerly by Manchester street, tax for 1922.....	37 05		
Tax for 1923.....	37 05		
William G. and Catherine Carpenter reassessed from Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,602 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rock avenue, between an estate of Clarence W. Albee, numbered 229 Norfolk street, and an estate of Joseph P. Eccleston, numbered 1 Rock avenue, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Michael J. and Katie Carroll—About 4,670 feet of land on the southerly side of Golding street, being lot 87, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 00		
Mauritz Casperson—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Ballou avenue, numbered 160 and 162, between an estate of Lillian F. Levine and an estate of Carl E. Lofgren, tax for 1923.....	\$113 62		
Paid on account.....	59 78		
Balance due.....	53 84		
Mary Caulfield and Bridget J. Downey—About 2,672 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the northeasterly corner of Norfolk street, adjoining an estate of Margaret E. Higgins, numbered 1372 Blue Hill avenue, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 34		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,202 feet of land on the southerly side of Manchester street, being lot 50, George A. Kimball plan, dated October, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 10		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 15,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Ruggles place, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Ruggles place, northwesterly by estates of Michael J. Flaherty, William J. Kennally and Mary H. O'Brien, easterly by an estate of Catherine Glynn westerly and southwesterly by an estate of William and Catherine Keenan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also buildings and about 9,406 feet of land on the southerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 131, between an estate of William Douse and an estate of Arthur E. Benson and another, tax for 1923.....	143 26		
Also about 6,045 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fuller street, being lot 23, L. Briggs & Co. plan, May 21, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1679, page 186, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,872 feet of land on the westerly side of Violet street, making the southwesterly corner of French street, being lot 151, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 3,384 feet of land on the easterly side of Ferndale street, being lot 26, Henry C. Midram plan, March 28, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3275, page 26, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 5,792 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crossman street, being lot 9, William O. Badger plan, September 26, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2087, page 246, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45		
Also about 3,574 feet of land on the southerly side of Glenmore street, being lot 96, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,747 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, being the southeasterly part of lot 86, William O. Badger plan, May 20, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2151, page 104, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	6 34		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45		
Also about 3,655 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ormond street, being lot 25, William E. Hannan plan, July 28, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4017, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,766 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ormond street, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,842 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ormond street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,010 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ormond street, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,085 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ormond street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,198 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ormond street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,711 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,119 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 2,025 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, being the westerly part of lot 39, E. L. Moulton plan, March 31, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3305, page 582, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 5,625 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hosmer street, being lot 67, W. I. Mather plan, January, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3104, page 466, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Fremont Chase—About 3,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 98, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, at end, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,582 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Ray Chertok—Buildings and about 3,157 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Torrey street, numbered 77, between an estate of Edna N. Pope and another and another estate of said Chertok, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Also buildings and about 2,516 feet of land on the easterly side of Wentworth street, numbered 42, making the northeasterly corner of Torrey street, adjoining another estate of said Chertok, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Also buildings and about 2,770 feet of land on the easterly side of Wentworth street, numbered 40, between another estate of said Chertok and an estate of Kate A. Harris, tax for 1923.....	150 67		
Linis C. Coggan—About 5,065 feet of land on the westerly side of Bernard street, between an estate of Moses Richmond and an estate of Marion Smith, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Barnet Cohen—About 2,719 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Estrella street, being the easterly part of lot 22, Henry C. Midram plan, May 11, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3948, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Harriet F. Cole—Buildings and about 10,222 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 209, between an estate of Percy G. Bolster and an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	23 71		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Jeanette M. Coleman and Ruth C. Stewart—About 5,623 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Nelson street, between an estate of William L. Burns and an estate of Mary E. Harrington, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Eva M. Collins—About 5,704 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Astoria street, being lot 20, Charles F. Baxter plan, July 26, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2314, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Dennis H. Collins—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Nelson street, between an estate of Michael J. Raftus and another and an estate of Michael J. Doyle and another, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Martha L. Constable—About 2,025 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington street, extending through to Avandale place, being a lot shown on Fred P. Hall plan, December, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2572, page 295, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		

Louis A. Cook—About 4,984 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 141, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1922.....		9 88	
Moth assessment for 1922.....		85	
Tax for 1923.....		9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95	
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922.....		9 88	
Tax for 1923.....		9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95	
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 143, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....		9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95	
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 144, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....		9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95	
Also about 5,126 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 145, same plan, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922.....		9 88	
Tax for 1923.....		9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95	
Also about 5,159 feet of land on the northeasterly side of French street, being lot 146, same plan, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922.....		7 41	
Tax for 1923.....		85	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		7 41	
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the northeasterly side of French street, being lot 147, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....		7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95	
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the northeasterly side of French street, being lot 148, same plan, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922.....		7 41	
Tax for 1923.....		85	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		7 41	
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the northeasterly side of French street, being lot 149, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....		7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		7 41	
Also about 4,793 feet of land on the northeasterly side of French street, being lot 150, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....		7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		7 41	
Emily D. Cox—About 4,526 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 91, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....		7 41	
Moth assessment for 1922.....		85	
Tax for 1923.....		7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		8 73	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95	
Also about 4,783 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....		7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		7 41	
Also about 4,813 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922.....		7 41	
Tax for 1923.....		85	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95	
Also about 4,903 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....		7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		7 41	
Also about 4,933 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 97, tax for 1922.....		9 88	
Moth assessment for 1922.....		85	
Tax for 1923.....		9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95	
Lillie M. Cruickshank—Buildings and about 4,327 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carlos street, numbered 1, between an estate of Nellie J. Taylor and an estate of Louis Lipsky, tax for 1923.....		98 80	
Catherine Curley—Buildings and about 9,234 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1284, making the southerly corner of Evelyn street, adjoining another estate of said Curley, moth assessment for 1923.....		50	
Walter and Catherine E. Curley—About 7,607 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot D. C. B. Humphrey plan, August 1, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16032, tax for 1923.....		56 81	
Patrick Doherty—About 5,778 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being lot 208, William O. Badger plan, June 1, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2097, page 35, tax for 1923.....		12 35	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		19 39	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50	
Also about 5,137 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones street, being lot 209, same plan, tax for 1923.....		9 88	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		19 39	
Also about 4,496 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being lot 210, same plan, tax for 1923.....		9 88	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		19 39	
Also about 4,292 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being lot 211, same plan, tax for 1923.....		9 88	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		21 83	
Also about 5,705 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being the northeasterly part of lot 212, same plan, tax for 1923.....		14 82	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		30 74	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50	
Patrick Donahoe—About 3,509 feet of land on the easterly side of Groveland street, being lot 7, George A. Kimball plan, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....		9 88	
Mary E., Alice M. and John J. Donnelly—About 30,077 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Canterbury street, between an estate of Mary E. Brady devises and an estate of Mary L. McDonald, tax for 1923.....		74 10	
Also about 5,150 feet of land on the northerly side of Churchill place, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Carrie J. Draper; easterly and northeasterly by an estate of Agnes L. Dodge; southerly by Churchill place and westerly and southwesterly by an estate of Annie J. Reed, tax for 1922.....		12 35	
Catherine Elms (set off to John A. E. Moroney)—Buildings and about 10,390 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 451, between another estate of said Elms and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1922.....		96 33	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....		36 70	
Gertrude Epstein and Esther Hecht—Buildings and about 4,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Lucerne street, numbered 85, between an estate of Bessie Pearlman and an estate of Philip Turezky, tax for 1923.....		281 58	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		31 28	
Michael Fallon—About 2,856 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Mellich road, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Old Colony System); westerly by sundry estates on Mellich road, and northeasterly by Mellich road, tax for 1923.....		2 47	
Tax for 1922.....		2 47	
John Faust, T. T.—About 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 70, John H. Rice plan, August 14, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2232, page 55, tax for 1922.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		7 13	
Tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 90	
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1922.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		7 13	
Tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 90	
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1922.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		7 13	
Tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 90	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95	
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1922.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		7 13	
Tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 90	
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 74, same plan, tax for 1922.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		7 13	
Tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 90	
Tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 90	
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 75, same plan, tax for 1922.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		7 13	
Moth assessment for 1922.....		85	
Tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 90	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		95	
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 76, same plan, tax for 1922.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		7 13	
Tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 90	
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 77, same plan, tax for 1922.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		7 13	
Tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 90	
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 78, same plan, tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		7 13	
Tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 90	
Also about 4,643 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 79, same plan, tax for 1922.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		7 13	
Tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		6 90	
David Feldman—Buildings and about 6,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 24, between another estate of said Feldman and an estate of Bessie Feldman, tax for 1923.....		380 38	
Paid on account.....		200 00	
Balance due.....		180 38	
Leone A. Field—Buildings and about 13,707 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, numbered 459, between an estate of Edith T. Baker and an estate of George E. Glover, tax for 1923.....		108 68	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50	
Abraham Finn—About 5,300 feet of land on the easterly side of Lucerne street, between an estate of Abraham Sisnovich and an estate of Rose Bellou and another, tax for 1923.....		12 35	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		36 04	
Joe Fishelstein—About 3,755 feet of land on the southerly side of Burt street, being lot 17, T. J. McCarthy plan, March 26, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3643, page 9, tax for 1923.....		9 88	
Also about 4,012 feet of land on the southerly side of Burt street, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....		9 88	
William H. Fitzpatrick Heirs—About 7,325 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crest avenue, being lot 101, Whitman and Breck plan, September, 1881, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1540, tax for 1921.....		12 35	
Moth assessment for 1921.....		1 30	
Tax for 1922.....		12 35	
Moth assessment for 1922.....		87	
Tax for 1923.....		12 35	
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50	
Mary E. Flaherty—About 6,623 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fairmount street, being lot 8, shown on a plan not dated, on file in the assessors' office, tax for 1923.....		14 82	
Thomas E. and Margaret A. Flanagan—About 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 4, H. C. Mildram plan, May 2, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14269, tax for 1923.....		7 11	
Everett A. Flynn—About 6,346 feet of land on the northerly side of Jones avenue, being lot E, on a plan not named and not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1631, page 113, tax for 1923.....		24 70	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		24 25	
John R. Forgie—About 9,303 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stratton street, between an estate of Maximilian Kaiser (numbered 27 and 29) and an estate of Louis Green (numbered 37), apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....		15 62	

James J. and Mary Freaney—Buildings and about 4,091 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Edson street, numbered 72, between an estate of Thomas Tobin and another and an estate of Catherine Lucas, tax for 1923.....	198 68	Also about 4,700 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 3,761 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 116, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Alfred D. Freeman—About 285 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, being a lot shown on J. S. Crossman plan, dated August, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4050, page 23, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 00	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	94	Hyman Green—About 6,665 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazelton street, being lot D, S. L. Leftovith plan, November 8, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4414, page 394, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 4,501 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 117, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	1 43	Also about 6,616 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazelton street, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,241 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 118, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	91	Also about 6,840 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazelton street, being lot H, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 5,982 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 119, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	1 38	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 2,775 feet of land on the southerly side of Talbot avenue, numbered 291, making the southwest corner of Whitfield street, adjoining an estate of Wilsey Savings Bank, tax for 1923.....	165 49	Also about 6,787 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazelton street, being lot J, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 9,424 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 124, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 34	Joseph Green—Buildings and about 2,473 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1412, between an estate of Jennie Markowich and an estate of Nellie V. O'Leary, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Rockwell street, numbered 35, between an estate of Agnes I. Quirk and another and an estate of Fannie T. Harkness, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Paid on account.....	75 00	Also about 5,241 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 125, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Balance due.....	122 60	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also buildings and about 5,065 feet of land on the northerly side of Duke street, numbered 19, adjoining an estate of Robert O. Brittain, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13907, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Jacob L. and Pauline Green—Buildings and about 2,963 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 420 and 422, between another estate of said Green and another and an estate of Sarah T. Halpert, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 19	Also about 3,761 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 127, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Margaret M. and John A. Gregor—About 5,867 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and northwesterly by West Selden street; northeasterly by an estate of William T. Buller and another trustee, and southwesterly by an estate of Margaret A. Maybury, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Samuel Gerrish—About 4,066 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 41, William E. Hannan plan, July 19, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 482, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	6 53	Also about 3,021 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 128, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 4,050 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wilbert road, being the westerly part of lot 28 and the easterly part of lot 29, H. A. Millhouse plan, June 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 347, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Francis Goldin—Buildings and about 4,562 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 3, Whitman and Howard plan, May 12, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4314, page 92, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Isidore Guttel—Buildings and about 3,602 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brookview street, making the southerly corner of Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Corchman, tax for 1923.....	\$177 84	Edward Herman—About 10,470 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the southeasterly corner of Wilmore street, being lot B, S. L. Leftovith plan, dated July 5, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4380, page 281, tax for 1923.....	103 74
Also about 4,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Paid on account.....	100 00	Celia Herman—Buildings and about 5,420 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Angell street, numbered 26, between an estate of Rose Sigilman and an estate of Lazarus Davis, tax for 1923.....	234 65
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 38	Balance due.....	77 84	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 5,122 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Charles E. Hall—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Chipman street, numbered 19, between an estate of Mary E. Donovan and others and an estate of John Porter, tax for 1923.....	\$66 69	Clarence E. Hill—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Theodore street, being lot 35, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated March, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3546, page 43, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 38	Paid on account.....	22 59	Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 6,676 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 78, between an estate of Alice J. Anderson and an estate of John J. Delay, tax for 1923.....	83 98
Also about 5,455 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Balance due.....	44 10	Also buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Edson street, numbered 52, between an estate of Max Shepard and an estate of Jennie Naihserg, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 38	Hanscom Construction Company—About 4,973 feet of land on the easterly side of West Selden street, being a lot shown on John H. Burroughs plan, April 14, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3908, page 263, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Wellington, John B. and Grace Holbrook, Trustees—About 4,371 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 99, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,858 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	William Hardy—About 2,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 9, H. A. Millhouse plan, January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,138 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 101, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 39	Also about 2,683 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,954 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 103, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,327 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 2,676 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,122 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 105, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 39	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,919 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 106, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,422 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 2,686 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 107, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 39	Anna M. Harvey—Buildings and about 6,120 feet of land on the westerly side of Whitman street, numbered 13, between an estate of George R. Murdock and an estate of John P. Barker, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 108, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Henry T. and Abbot L. Hatch—About 3,876 feet of land on the westerly side of Violet street, being lot 152, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
John J. Good Heirs—About 4,582 feet of land on the easterly side of Ogden street, being lot 7, H. T. Whitman plan, dated December, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2308, page 385, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 61	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Also about 4,891 feet of land on the southerly side of Wilmington avenue, making the junction of Ogden street, being lot 13, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 01	Tax for 1923.....	95		
Morris Goren—Buildings and about 4,547 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lucerne street, numbered 124, between an estate of Dah Postar and an estate of Abram Rubin and another, tax for 1923.....	202 54	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
John J. Grant, Trustee—About 2,675 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, being lot B, S. L. Leftovith plan, May 2, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4369, page 258, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Ada T. Hayden—About 9,198 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 114, Whitman and Breck plan, dated September, 1881, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1540, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
		Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
		Also about 3,021 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 115, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
		Tax for 1923.....	7 41		

Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 109, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 110, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 31, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 2, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 32, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 33, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 34, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 35, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,996 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, making the northerly corner of Hazelton street, being lot 36, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 4,012 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazelton street, being lot 37, Henry C. Mildram plan, February 8, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 5,547 feet of land on the northerly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 42, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,863 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 41, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,273 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 40, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,203 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 39, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,837 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 38, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,890 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 66, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,052 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 67, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 4,090 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 68, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,238 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 69, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,364 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 70, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,455 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 71, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,467 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 72, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,601 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 73, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,427 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 74, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot G, block R, Henry C. Mildram plan, October 5, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot C, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 8,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ormond street, extending through to Blue Hill avenue, being lots 9 and 10, Ernest W. Bowditch plan, March 1, 1898, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Also about 4,050 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot H, block Q, Henry C. Mildram plan, October 5, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 32		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot I, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot J, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot K, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot L, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot M, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot N, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,240 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot O, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15882, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,368 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O8, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,312 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 80,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Byers road, being lot V, assessed as lots 201-217, inclusive, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	98 89		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Also about 5,066 feet of land on the westerly side of Byers road, making the northwesterly corner of Hillsboro road, being lot N, Henry C. Mildram plan, February 3, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,196 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Byers road, being lot N2, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,325 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Byers road, being lot N3, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, being lot T4, Henry C. Mildrams plan, March 9, 1918, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15768, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,300 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, being lot T5, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15768, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, being lot T6, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15768, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,611 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, making the westerly corner of a passageway, being lot T7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15768, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 43,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, making the southerly corner of Outlook road, being lots 177 to 184, Henry C. Mildram plan, November 15, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Dora Hootstein—Buildings and about 6,677 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Angell street, numbered 50, between an estate of Samuel Goldman and an estate of Mary Zisman, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Nellie F. Howard—Buildings and about 4,312 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 20 and 30, between an estate of Tarrant P. King and the location of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Stephen A. Hoyer—Buildings and about 8,072 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bearse avenue, numbered 65 and 67, between an estate of Nora Keenan and another and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Charles H. and William D. Humphrey—Buildings and about 6,127 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond street, numbered 84, between two other estates of Albert K. Teele and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Paid on account.....	40 64		
Balance due.....	33 46		
International Trust Company, Mortgagee in Possession—About 4,444 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wellington Hill street, being lot 40A, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16578, moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Louis J. Jaffee—About 7,041 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Groveland street, being lot 49, R. B. Bellamy plan, dated March, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3890, tax for 1923.....	7 41		

George W. Macauley—About 3,536 feet of land on the southerly side of Norfolk street, between another estate of said Macauley and an estate of City of Boston, moth assessment for 1922	50	volume 9, page 305, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Alonzo A. Pensley Heirs—About 4,746 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, being the southeasterly part of lot 88, William O. Badger plan, dated May 20, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2151, page 104, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Gustave Mahler—Buildings and about 4,115 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Morton street, numbered 619, making the westerly corner of Courtland road, adjoining an estate of David Rice, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7920, tax for 1923,	205 01	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 07	Also about 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 16, John H. Rice plan, dated May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Dennis F. Mahoney—About 4,795 feet of land on the southerly side of Candler street, making the southeasterly corner of Lauriat street, being lot 7, Charles F. Baxter plan, August 1, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2294, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Moth assessment for 1923.....	85	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 75
Margaret A. McCarthy—About 2,100 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Fuller street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said McCarthy (numbered 77 Fuller street), tax for 1922.....	4 94	Also about 4,910 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Ronald A. and Catherine J. McCormack—Buildings and about 6,005 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Astoria street, numbered 75, between an estate of Harriet S. Withington heirs or devisees and an estate of Margaret E. Morse, tax for 1923, \$86 45		Also about 3,739 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Paid on account.....	75 00	Also about 3,739 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, making the southwesterly corner of a proposed terrace, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 00
Balance due.....	11 45	Also about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Frank C. McInerney—About 2,289 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Theodore street, being lot 17, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated March, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3546, page 43, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 3,272 feet of land on the southerly side of Clarence terrace, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 00
John J. and Anna M. McMahon—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial avenue, numbered 62, between an estate of Winnifred B. Rice and an estate of Charles B. White, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Also about 3,272 feet of land on the southerly side of Clarence terrace, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Samuel Miller—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Don street, numbered 11, between an estate of Harriet G. Keen and an estate of Agnes J. Swan, tax for 1923.....	\$111 15	Also about 3,921 feet of land on the southerly side of Clarence terrace, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 4,175 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Paid on account.....	84 10	Also about 3,693 feet of land on the northerly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 75
Balance due.....	27 05	Also about 5,025 feet of land on the northerly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Also buildings and about 3,300 feet of land on the easterly side of Lucerne street, numbered 92, between an estate of Sarah Shuber and an estate of Annie Perlmuter, tax for 1923.....	190 19	Also about 3,085 feet of land on the southerly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Samuel W. and Mary Petterson—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, numbered 624, adjoining another estate of said Petterson, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 44	Also about 2,371 feet of land on the southerly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Sarah Miller—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Hansborough street, numbered 11, between an estate of Morris Miller and an estate of Rebecca Saperstein, tax for 1923.....	\$202 34	Hadley Newman—Buildings and about 2,824 feet of land on the northerly side of Fremont street, numbered 12, making the northeasterly corner of a proposed street, adjoining an estate of Frances M. Cosgrove, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 12, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Paid on account.....	87 89	Nellie V. O'Leary—About 1,869 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the southeasterly corner of Norfolk street, between another estate of said O'Leary and an estate of Martin L. Cate, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Balance due.....	114 65	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 71	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 16, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923.....	7 41
John A. Moroney—Buildings and about 10,390 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 451, between an estate of David L. Schoolman and an estate of Catherine Elms, tax for 1923.....	96 33	Joseph F. Otis—About 5,160 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lots 3 and 6, F. P. Hall plan, dated January, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3344, page 594, tax for 1922.....	32 11	Horace J. Phipps—About 70,987 feet of land on the southerly side of Morton street, making the southwesterly corner of West Selden street, being the easterly part of a lot shown on William E. Hannan plan, June 19, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	123 50
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	35 82	Tax for 1923.....	32 11	Edna A. Pope—Buildings and about 4,579 feet of land on the northerly side of Maxwell street, numbered 31, between an estate of John G. Murphy and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, moth assessment for 1922.....	2 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Catherine F. O'Toole—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lorna road, making the southerly corner of Marie street, being lot 204, H. A. Millhouse plan, January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 775 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, between an estate of Lucy E. Peavy and an estate of Mary B. Moran, tax for 1922.....	4 94
John J. Mullen—About 5,297 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, being the southeasterly part of lot 6, William O. Badger plan, September 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2087, page 246, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lorna road, being lot 205, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85	Alice B. Packard—About 18,189 feet of land on the southerly side of Norfolk street, making the southeasterly corner of Chipman street, adjoining an estate of George F. W. Stevens (numbered 60 Norfolk street), tax for 1923,	88 92	Also about 374 feet of land lying in the rear from the the southwesterly side of Ballou avenue, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Caroline Cochran, numbered 40, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	42 17	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	7 07	Katie Pann—Buildings and about 5,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 169, between an estate of Joseph Glick and an estate of Esther Kaplan and another, tax for 1923.....	118 56	Also about 3,700 feet of land on the northerly side of Torrey street, being lot 4, Silverman Engineering Company plan, July 25, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3660, page 21, tax for 1922.....	17 29
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85	Paid on account.....	50 00	Tax for 1923.....	17 29
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Balance due.....	68 56	J. Frank, James H. and Abbott S. Pope, Trustees of the James Pope Trust—About 53,439 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Adams street, being lots F, G, H, I, J, E. L. Moulton plan, April 1, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4457, page 447, tax for 1923.....	130 91
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	7 07	Cecille Pearlstein—About 4,867 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Candler street, being lot 4, J. F. Connell plan, dated December 1, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3666, page 126, tax for 1922.....	17 29	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 30
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	28 30	Mary Rebello—Buildings and about 6,867 feet of land on the westerly side of Cedar street, numbered 42, 44 rear and 46, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Fuller, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	33 96
John J. Mullen—Buildings and about 3,448 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 18, between an estate of Ruth A. Haddock, and an estate of Carrie Kummerlee, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	7 48	Willis C. Pearson—Buildings and about 2,706 feet of land on the easterly side of Whitman street, making the southeasterly corner of Norfolk street, adjoining an estate of William F. Mullane, tax for 1923.....	93 86	Francis L. Richards—Buildings and about 5,250 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, numbered 21, adjoining an estate of Michael Walsh, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4527, tax for 1923.....	56 81
Helen V. Mulvey—About 7,144 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the westerly corner of Hazleton street, adjoining an estate of Alfred J. Couture, being the northwesterly part of lots 8 and 9, shown on assessors' plans,		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 42		

George A. Richards—Buildings and about 8,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Walton street, numbered 31, between an estate of Minnie F. Bell and an estate of Emma C. Rich, tax for 1923.....

113 26

Also buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Mora street, numbered 56, between an estate of Samuel Lobowich and an estate of Gustave Kullman and another, tax for 1923.....

106 21

Josephine A. Ringrose—About 3,982 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delhi street, making the southerly corner of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 49, John H. Rice plan, April 2, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2195, page 334, tax for 1922.....

7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....

8 28

Moth assessment for 1922.....

50

Tax for 1923.....

7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....

8 00

Moth assessment for 1923.....

95

Mabel L. Roberts—Buildings and about 5,810 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Astoria street, numbered 81, between an estate of Lizzie T. Roberts and an estate of Margaret E. Morse, tax for 1923.....

81 51

Moth assessment for 1923.....

50

Robert Robinson—Buildings and about 5,181 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wellington Hill street (numbered 74), between an estate of Mary C. Dodds and an estate of Jacob Kaplan, tax for 1923.....

197 60

Moth assessment for 1923.....

50

Charles J. Scheffren—About 4,645 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tucker street, being lot 6, William O. Badger plan, May 2, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1875, page 357, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

20 81

Moth assessment for 1923.....

50

Also about 4,544 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tucker street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

20 36

Abe Selman and Adolph Hirshman—About 4,086 feet of land on the southerly side of Maxwell street, being the southeasterly part of lot 25, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 28, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....

14 82

Also about 4,667 feet of land on the southerly side of Maxwell street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....

17 29

John Shaw Heirs—About 3,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Halborn street, being lot 38, John H. Rice plan, April 2, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2195, page 334, tax for 1922.....

7 41

Moth assessment for 1922.....

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Tax for 1923.....

7 41

Moth assessment for 1923.....

95

Also about 3,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Halborn street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1922.....

7 41

Tax for 1923.....

7 41

Moth assessment for 1923.....

95

Also about 3,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Halborn street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1922.....

7 41

Moth assessment for 1922.....

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Tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also about 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1922.....

4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....

8 10

Moth assessment for 1922.....

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Tax for 1923.....

4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....

7 83

Moth assessment for 1923.....

95

Also about 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1922.....

4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....

7 20

Tax for 1923.....

4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....

6 96

John E. Shea—About 5,348 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 4, F. P. Hall plan, dated January, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3344, page 594, tax for 1922.....

24 70

Tax for 1923.....

24 70

Also about 2,081 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1922.....

9 88

Tax for 1923.....

9 88

Eva Sherman—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Callender street, numbered 36, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate

of Thomas F. Kinsella, tax for 1923..... \$118 20

Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 48 20

Philip Siegal—Buildings and about 2,930 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woolson street, numbered 10, between an estate of Bessie Levenson and an estate of Mary A. Buckley, tax for 1923..... \$172 90

Paid on account..... 90 00

Balance due..... 82 90

Samuel Simons, Max Risman, Celia Epstein, Abraham Desmond, Hector Kaufman and Isadore Linsky, trustees of the Morton Realty Trust—About 48,597 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the junction of Morton street and extending through to Rhoades street, being the whole of assessors' block 164 H, and being lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, F. A. Foster plan, October 22, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3360, page 381, tax for 1923..... 3,670 42

Samuel and Annie Singer—Buildings and about 5,084 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 389, between an estate of Louis Chyet and an estate of Abbie A. Frucan, tax for 1923..... \$311 22

Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due..... 161 22

Franklin I. Smith, Trustee for Louis F. Bupf—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lanark road, being lots 122 and 123, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Albert C. Smith—About 3,828 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Branch street, being lot 53, Whitman and Breck plan, dated September, 1881, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1540, tax for 1922..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 8 91

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 8 58

Also about 3,894 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delhi street, adjoining an estate of Juliet F. Lloyd, being a lot shown on George H. Wetherbee, Junior, plan, dated September, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6796, tax for 1922..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 6 51

Moth assessment for 1922..... 85

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 30

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Samuel Smorack and Samuel Poverman—About 1,932 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodrow avenue, between an estate of Joseph Lasoff and an estate of Georgia N. Mayberry, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Lena Sneider—Buildings and about 3,969 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woolson street, numbered 74, making the easterly corner of Verrill street, adjoining an estate of Samuel L. White, tax for 1923..... 197 60

Ida Snyder—Buildings and about 3,443 feet of land on the northerly side of Arbutus street, numbered 14, between an estate of Ida Berkowitz and an estate of Jacob Beeff, tax for 1923..... 180 31

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Harry H. Spevack—Buildings and about 3,483 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Morton street, numbered 797, between an estate of Hyman Douglas and an estate of Fannie Roffman, tax for 1923..... 185 25

Louis H. Steinberg and Harry Snider—About 5,379 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 38, William E. Hannan plan, July 19, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 482, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 6,801 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 6,118 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Max Steinberg—About 4,867 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Callender street, between an estate of Harry L. Siobins and an estate of Mamie Gershon, being a lot shown on J. F. Connell plan, January 16, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3515, page 510, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Joseph W. Stern and Abraham Kutnick—Buildings and about 6,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Norfolk street, numbered 155, 157 and 159, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 8, 10 and 12 Milton

avenue, adjoining an estate of Emilio M. Bianca, tax for 1923..... 395 20

Dora Sternberg—Buildings and about 4,344 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woolson street, numbered 49, between an estate of Thomas E. P. Rice and an estate of Fannie Bochoitz, tax for 1923..... 185 25

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Peter Theophilopoulos—About 5,431 feet of land on the southeasterly corner of Westmore road, making the southerly corner of Deering road, being lot 75, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7726, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 13 96

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

C. Adele Tibbetts—About 21,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lots 79 to 84, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 2, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14434, tax for 1923..... 41 99

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 33 72

Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

Also about 3,816 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 86, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14434, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 5 62

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 17,280 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lots 88 to 91, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14434, tax for 1923..... 34 58

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 22 48

Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

Joseph T. and Alice J. Treloar—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lanark road, being lots 226 and 227, H. A. Millhouse plan, January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Nathan Ullian—Buildings and about 4,167 feet of land on the easterly side of Ferndale street, numbered 7 and 9, between an estate of Bella Cohen and an estate of David Yarchin and another, tax for 1923..... 165 49

Also buildings and about 3,948 feet of land on the easterly side of Ferndale street, numbered 23 and 25, between an estate of Ethel Kaezer and another and an estate of Abraham I. Rudnick, tax for 1923..... 165 49

Also buildings and about 3,674 feet of land on the westerly side of Ferndale street, numbered 22 and 24, between an estate of Joseph Rudnick and an estate of Gussie Kantrovitz, tax for 1923..... 156 14

Also buildings and about 3,954 feet of land on the westerly side of Ferndale street, numbered 10 and 12, between another estate of said Ullian and an estate of Annie Stoller, tax for 1923..... 158 08

Esther Volin—Buildings and about 4,759 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stratton street, numbered 65, between an estate of Harris Gertlin and an estate of Isaac Schneider and another, tax for 1923..... \$160 55

Paid on account..... 85 04

Balance due..... 75 51

May Walters—About 13,829 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, October 11, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2090, page 106, tax for 1923..... 19 76

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 26 27

Moth assessment for 1923..... 93

Andrew J. Ward—About 20,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Balsam street, making the northeasterly corner of Ashton street, extending to and making the southeasterly corner of Arbutus street, adjoining an estate of Hyman Cohen, moth assessment for 1922..... 66

Also about 4,867 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Callender street, being lot 5, J. F. Connell plan, January 16, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3515, page 510, tax for 1922..... 24 70

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922..... 28 30

Moth assessment for 1922..... 66

Also about 58,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, extending to and making the junction of Callender street, adjoining an estate of Max S. Ourieff, moth assessment for 1922..... 66

David B. Weinstein and Rose Stein—Buildings and about 3,821 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mascot street, numbered 45, between an estate of Annie Barry and an estate of Leonide Rivard and another, tax for 1923.....\$74 10
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 24 10
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Augusta I. Weisberg—About 9,508 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Callender street, being lots 1 to 3, inclusive, S. L. Leftovith plan, October 27, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4326, page 279, tax for 1923..... 106 21
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 26 75
Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

Morris White—Buildings and about 4,018 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 376, making the southerly corner of a proposed street, adjoining an estate of Bartholomew J. Connolly, tax for 1923..... 93 86

Samuel L. White—Buildings and about 3,831 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woolson street, numbered 78, between an estate of Mary Caspar and an estate of Lena Snierson, tax for 1923..... 197 60

Willey Savings Bank—Buildings and about 2,404 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Talbot avenue, numbered 287, between an estate of Edna Adamson and an estate of Clara B. French, tax for 1922..... 167 96
Tax for 1923..... 167 96

William Williams—About 5,565 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 40, George A. Kimball plan dated, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, tax for 1923..... 12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 9 86

Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 8,844 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, making the northwesterly corner of Mora street, adjoining an estate of Delia A. Kavanaugh, tax for 1923..... 437 19
Also buildings and about 5,801 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Evelyn street, numbered 55, between an estate of Silvio Vitale and an estate of Maria G. Fitzgerald, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923..... 118 56
50

Joseph J. W. F. Wilson—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the easterly side of Corbet street, being the westerly part of lot 27, shown on assessors' plan, volume 9, page 280, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922..... 2 47
Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Mamie Woldman—About 1,872 feet of land on the westerly side of Ballou avenue, being the northerly part of lot 141, William O. Badger plan, June 1, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2097, page 35, tax for 1921..... 9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 5 70
Tax for 1922..... 9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922..... 5 52
Tax for 1923..... 9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 5 34

William Wood—Buildings and about 10,743 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 2269, 2269A, 2271, 2273 and 2275, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 1 Adirondack place, adjoining an estate of Frederick W. Archer, tax for 1923..... 471 77

Also buildings and about 14,996 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 2275½, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Adeline Smith, tax for 1923..... 86 46

George H. Wood—About 4,776 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 106, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923..... 9 88
Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Sarah and Benjamin Yanofsky—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gilmer street, numbered 20, adjoining an estate of Abram M. Shershevsky, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15905, tax for 1923..... 133 38
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Garabed Yerganian and Sarkis Krikorian—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 48 and 50, between another estate of said Yerganian and

another and an estate of Louis Berman, tax for 1923..... 148 20

Also buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Johnson terrace, numbered 10 and 12, between another estate of said Yerganian and another and an estate of Hans M. Hansen and another, tax for 1923..... 135 85

Also buildings and about 3,595 feet of land on the westerly side of Johnson terrace, numbered 14 and 16, between another estate of said Yerganian and another and an estate of Frederick T. Jenness, tax for 1923..... 140 79

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William M. Ambler—Buildings and about 5,160 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prince street, numbered 55, between an estate of Ansel Craft and an estate of Helen E. Buckley, tax for 1923..... \$185 25

Bertha E. Arseno—Buildings and about 9,825 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, numbered 656, 658, 658A, 660 and 660A, making the southeasterly corner of Starr lane, adjoining an estate of William F. Fallon, tax for 1923..... 1,538 81

Agnes Bagley—About 4,505 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marmion street, adjoining an estate of Charles A. Getz, being lot 36, W. C. Bates plan, January 1, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Frank W. Baird, Louis L. Cardinal and John J. Vogel, Trustees—About 5,040 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 123, W. C. Bates plan, November 16, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3800, page 116, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 21 03

Charles A. Belford—About 2,450 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Washington street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Thomas F. Ward; easterly by an estate of Annie E. Kenney and another; southerly by an estate of Israel Brannan and westerly by an estate of Margaret Green, tax for 1922..... 14 82
Tax for 1923..... 14 82

George N. Benoit—Buildings and about 8,623 feet of land on the westerly side of Everett street, numbered 7, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Gratis A. Thurston and another, tax for 1923..... \$175 37
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 75 37
James H. Brennan—About 4,175 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, making the easterly corner of Rodman street, adjoining an estate of Alice A. Kiander, being a lot shown on Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, September 9, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2398, page 328, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 19 87

Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,720 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mosgrove avenue, adjoining another estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot 2, William E. Hannon plan, dated April 10, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 176, tax for 1921..... 9 88

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 7, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Also about 5,892 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Also about 2,945 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodlawn street, adjoining an estate of Annie M. Hannon, being lot 170, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2174, page 164, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Mabel E. Chadwick—About 3,720 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mosgrove avenue, adjoining an estate of Blue Hill Realty Company, Inc., being lot 2, the William E. Hannon plan, April 10, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 176, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 5,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Carolina place, between an estate of James Duffan and an estate of Annie E. Craffey and others, being lot 7, Garbett and Wood plan, October 27, 1884, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1658, page 6, tax for 1923..... 27 17

Also about 6,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Patten street, making the easterly corner of Wachusett street, adjoining another estate of Mabel E. Chadwick, being lot 1, W. C. Bates plan, April 10, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2922, page 499, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 20 77

Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923..... 19 76

Apportionment for street construction assessment for 1923..... 20 74

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 26 31

Stanley Chmiell—Buildings and about 4,675 feet of land on the westerly side of Lee street, numbered 17 and 19, between an estate of Mary T. Ward and an estate of Minnie G. Cruft, tax for 1923..... 71 63

John E. Chute—About 4,400 feet of land on the northerly side of St. Rose street, adjoining the estate of Dawson Johnson, being lot 17, Edmund K. Brown plan, April 13, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2892, tax for 1922..... 17 29

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922..... 16 06

Tax for 1923..... 17 29

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 15 53

Elizabeth S. Clark—About 2,850 feet of land on the southerly side of Parley Vale street, adjoining an estate of Ida L. Mosely, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, April 1, 1904, on file in the assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 27 17

Edward M. and Nora J. Croak—Buildings and about 4,630 feet of land on the westerly side of Rockview street, numbered 15, between an estate of Catherine Hanna and an estate of Jennie E. Corbels and others, tax for 1923..... 83 98

Daniel Cronin (reassessed from Catherine J. Rowen and Edward Duffy)—Buildings and about 4,615 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 311, making the westerly corner of Marlow terrace, adjoining an estate of Alice E. Buff, tax for 1923..... 133 38

William F. Davis—Buildings and about 6,919 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Robinwood avenue, numbered 66, between an estate of Emma P. Moulton and another estate of said Davis, tax for 1923..... 197 60

Also about 9,241 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Robinwood avenue, between an estate of William F. Davis and an estate of N. Maud Davis, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Robinwood avenue; easterly by the estates of Emma P. Moulton and of said Davis; southerly by the estates of Helen G. Dolan and N. Maud Davis, and westerly by the estates of Jesse R. Croxford and N. Maud Davis, tax for 1923..... 69 16
Moth assessment for 1923..... 85

Roger A. Deveney—Buildings and about 16,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clive street, numbered 23, between an estate of Louis H. Jacobs and another and an estate of Margaret C. Walsh, tax for 1923..... 205 01

Catherine Donlon—Buildings and about 6,630 feet of land on the easterly side of Franklin place, numbered 11 and 12, between an estate of Giacomo Bernazzani and an estate of Margaret Haskins and another, tax for 1923..... 24 70

George H. Dornhofer—About 3,522 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Jamaica street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Mary E. Rock, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Catherine Kelly; northerly by a 20-foot passageway, extending from the easterly side of Arborway; easterly by an estate of George H. Dornhofer and another, and southerly by an estate of Thaddeus F. Rock and another, tax for 1923..... 9 88

John Faust—About 3,807 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jamaica street, adjoining an estate of James Johnston, being lot 2, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 3, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1832, page 295, tax for 1922..... 14 82
Tax for 1923..... 14 82

Sarah A. Feeley—Buildings and about 5,429 feet of land on the easterly side of Lee street, numbered 38 and 40, between an estate of Daniel Packenham and another and an estate of Malachi Blye and another, tax for 1923..... 44 46

Frank P. and Mary M. Hanagan—Buildings and about 4,133 feet of land on the southeasterly side of South street, numbered 570, between an estate of Jennie Mazzariella and an estate of John Frisbold, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 44		
George W. Fowle—About 5,524 feet of land on the southerly side of Chestnut square, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Chestnut square; easterly by an estate of Thomas Robenette; westerly by an estate of William T. Haverty, and southerly by an estate of Alice B. Stephenson heirs, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also buildings and about 25,441 feet of land on the easterly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 214, making the northeasterly corner of Chestnut square, adjoining another estate of said George W. Fowle, tax for 1923.....	187 72		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 30		
Also buildings and about 20,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 212, extending through to and numbered 19 and 21 Chestnut square, between two other estates of said George W. Fowle, tax for 1923.....	259 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 30		
Olivia C. French—About 400 feet of land on the southerly side of Parley Vale at junction of Parley Vale avenue, adjoining an estate of Ida L. Moseley (numbered 3 Parley Vale), tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Timothy Glennon—About 2,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodlawn street, adjoining an estate of Ellen F. Cody, being lot 169, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2174, page 614, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Mary J. Goggin—About 2,911 feet of land on the northerly side of Nathan street, adjoining an estate of Martha E. O'Neill, being lot 70, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, dated July, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3133, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Katherine M. Gormley—About 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Louder's lane, adjoining an estate of Louis A. White, being lot 7, Walter C. Bates plan, September 20, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4405, page 438, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Sarah Gould—Buildings and about 3,973 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, numbered 144, 144A, 144B, 146, 146A, and 146B, making the northeasterly corner of Hall street, adjoining an estate of John A. Brett, tax for 1923.....	370 50		
Grammar School in the easterly part of the Town of Roxbury, Trustees of—About 3,198 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, making the easterly corner of Leland street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 2,798 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,467 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,467 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,684 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,337 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,762 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Hannah Greenwood—Buildings and about 1,305 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seaverns avenue, numbered 54, making the easterly corner of Alfred street, adjoining another estate of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Also buildings and about 1,281 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alfred street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Also buildings and about 904 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alfred street, numbered 6, between			
two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Also buildings and about 1,029 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alfred street, numbered 4, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Antonio Bensaia, tax for 1923.....	88 92		
Also buildings and about 1,297 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sylvia street, numbered 2, making the easterly corner of and numbered 3288 Washington street, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	133 38		
Also buildings and about 1,195 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3284 and 3286, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	116 09		
Also buildings and about 1,154 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3280 and 3282, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	116 09		
Also buildings and about 1,596 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3278 between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	121 03		
Also buildings and about 1,744 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3276 and 3276 rear, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Louise Jaeger, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Also buildings and about 2,910 feet of land on the westerly side of Forest Hills street, numbered 47, between an estate of Adelaide T. Watson and an estate of Elizabeth McKay, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
Also about 2,020 feet of land on the northerly side of Sylvia street, adjoining another estate of said Greenwood, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Sylvia street, easterly northerly, and westerly by other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also buildings and about 3,788 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sylvia street, numbered 8, between an estate of Elizabeth McKay and another estate of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	116 09		
Harvard College, President and Fellows of—Buildings and about 3,026 feet of land on the northeasterly side of May street, numbered 19, between an estate of Emma S. Hammell and an estate of Cecilia B. Dolan, tax for 1923.....	234 65		
Ethel A., Robert W., Helena A. and Mildred R. Haslam—Buildings and about 7,180 feet of land on the southerly side of Sedgwick street, numbered 55 and 55 rear, between an estate of Delia F. Spellman and an estate of Lillian C. Fouhey, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Nellie L. Hemman—About 9,980 feet of land on the easterly side of Cedarwood road, adjoining an estate of Paul C. Annis, being lot 9, Dana F. Perkins plan, dated April, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4365, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,828 feet of land on the northerly side of Atwood square, numbered 21, at end, between an estate of Anna I. Webster and an estate of Auguste King and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Cecilia A. Holland—Buildings and about 10,035 feet of land on the northerly side of Greenough avenue, numbered 40, between an estate of Helen W. Capen and an estate of William G. Cunningham and another, tax for 1923.....	234 65		
Ray C. Johnson—About 20,990 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bourne street, making the westerly corner of Patten street, extending through to and making the southerly corner of Nathan street, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being a lot shown on F. O. Whitney plan, November 15, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4433, page 235, tax for 1923.....	76 57		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	40 77		
James Johnston—About 4,361 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jamaica street, adjoining an estate of John Faust, being lot 1, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 3, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1832, page 295, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Anne M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,396 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Call street, numbered 67, between an estate of Bessie Kelly and an estate of John Medvid and another, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Hannah M. King—Buildings and about 2,767 feet of land on the southerly side of Carolina avenue, numbered 7, making the southwesterly corner of a pas-			
sageway extending from the southerly side of Carolina avenue, adjoining an estate of Irving Sobotky, tax for 1923.....	177 84		
Arthur Lewenberg—About 4,621 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Lewenberg, being lot 1, S. F. Leftovich plan, March 1, 1918, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14129, tax for 1922.....	69 16		
Edward M. Lynch—About 2,700 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining another estate of said Lynch, being lot B. W. W. Churchill plan, dated September, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14531, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Also buildings and about 1,343 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Call street, numbered 73, making the westerly corner of Carolina avenue, adjoining an estate of James A. Frazer, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Mary Malley—Buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, numbered 76, between an estate of Thomas F. McCall and another and an estate of Julius Berman, tax for 1923.....	190 19		
Charles J. McCarthy—About 3,252 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tower street, adjoining an estate of Rose McComish, being lot 196, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2174, page 614, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	5 43		
Nora V. McCarthy—About 4,427 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wachusett street, being lot 99, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, dated June, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2766, page 593, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	29 22		
Annie McDonald—About 2,892 feet of land on the southerly side of Jamaica street, adjoining an estate of Barbara E. Gillis, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Jamaica street; easterly by an estate of Mary T. Flynn; southerly by an estate of Ellen Roan and westerly by an estate of Barbara E. Gillis, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
John and Kornela Medrid—Buildings and about 1,570 feet of land on the westerly side of Call street, numbered 65, between an estate Margaret Glennon and an estate of Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Isadore Meyer—About 60,018 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lotus street, adjoining an estate of Fred H. Webster, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by estates of the Burbank Paint Company and the Walberg Brewing Company; southwesterly by an estate of the Boston Elevated Railway Company; southeasterly by an estate of Fred H. Webster, and northeasterly by an estate of John Parkinson, tax for 1923.....	118 56		
Bernard J. Moore—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brookside avenue, numbered 60, between an estate of Bernard J. Moore and an estate of Thomas J. Lynch and another, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	8 78		
John W. Morrison—About 6,461 feet of land on the westerly side of South street, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Ellen T. McMorrow and another, being lot 1, French and Bryant plan, April 27, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2623, page 385, tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Patrick C. Mulvey—Buildings and about 12,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Carolina avenue, numbered 101, making the southeasterly corner of Lee street, adjoining an estate of Franklin B. Blackstone, tax for 1923.....	116 09		
Patrick L. Murphy—Buildings and about 10,019 feet of land on the easterly side of Rockview street, numbered 38, 40 and 42, between an estate of Annie M. Rowen and an estate of Charles N. Snow, tax for 1923.....	634 79		
Patrick J. and Annie M. Murphy—Buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Eldridge road, numbered 5, between an estate of Annie G. Magner and an estate of Andrew J. Peters, trustee, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Regulus L. Mustoe—Buildings and about 2,622 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Minton street, numbered 5, between an estate of Clifton Manufacturing Company and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 30		

John Nazzuro—Buildings and about 5,660 feet of land on the southeasterly side of South street, numbered 608, between an estate of Agnes G. Buckley and an estate of John J. Fein and another, tax for 1923.....	106 21		Mary T. Quinn—Buildings and about 5,166 feet of land on the westerly side of Jamaica street, numbered 100 and 100 rear, between an estate of Thomas Kilduff and an estate of Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	54 34	Jessie R. Stevens—About 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Westbourne terrace, between two estates of Boston Dwelling House Company, being lot 110, W. C. Bates plan, August 1, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15176, tax for 1923, 180 31	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 44		Mary M. Riley—About 8,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Louder's lane, adjoining an estate of Mary F. Laughlin, being lot 2, shown on Walter C. Bates plan, May 10, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4365, page 587, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Agnes J. Sweeney—About 6,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Moraine street, adjoining an estate of James F. Gaffey and an estate of John J. O'Brien, tax for 1923.....	81 51
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	23 10		George E. Rogers—Buildings and about 6,764 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oakdale street, numbered 31 and 33, making the northerly corner of Green street, adjoining an estate of Mary J. and Alice R. Capen, tax for 1922.....	353 21	Samuel Tarplin—Buildings and about 2,123 feet of land on the northerly side of Woodside avenue, numbered 4 and 6, between an estate of Melville Cobb and an estate of Adela E. Snow, tax for 1923.....	261 82
Ellen T. and Catherine F. Norton—About 3,947 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, being the remainder after the widening of Stony brook, adjoining an estate of John J. Meehan and others, trustees, being lot 31, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1923.....	17 29		Tax for 1923.....	353 21	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	40 83
Nellie L. Norton—Buildings and about 3,165 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Southbourne road, numbered 32, between an estate of Paul L. Butler and an estate of James Russell, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6912, tax for 1923.....	108 68		Christina L. Rose Devises and Kittie L. Haslam—Buildings and about 9,831 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goldsmith place, numbered 10, between an estate of Joseph J. Leonard, trustee, and an estate of Catherine H. Keane, moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Mary A. Taylor—About 7,839 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hampstead road, adjoining an estate of Carolina Gerber, being lot F4, H. S. Adams plan, July 1, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7705, tax for 1923.....	46 93
Thorley and Laura M. Norwald—Buildings and about 2,876 feet of land on the northerly side of Spring Park avenue, numbered 60, between an estate of James W. Campbell and an estate of Margaret C. Walsh, tax for 1923.....		\$148 20	Also buildings and about 7,340 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, numbered 763, between an estate of Sarah E. Trott, and an estate of Benjamin F. Godfrey, moth assessment for 1921.....	192 66	John and Emma T. Timon—Buildings and about 17,252 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kenton road, numbered 2, making the easterly corner of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Maurice E. A. Swenson and another, tax for 1923.....	150 67
Paid on account.....		100 00	Tax for 1923.....	37 73	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	30 12
Balance due.....	48 20		Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thomas street, numbered 10, between an estate of Herbert T. Pierce and another and an estate of Henry E. Hammond and another, trustee, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	64 52
Alice B. Packard—Buildings and about 19,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris avenue, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Julia Henry and another and an estate of Carrie A. Seaver, tax for 1923.....	239 59		Roger F. Scannell—About 8,848 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, adjoining an estate of Julia O'Brien, being lot 23, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2394, tax for 1922.....	86 45	R. G. Van Vranken—Buildings and about 8,196 feet of land on the northerly side of Greenough avenue, numbered 2, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 754 Centre street, adjoining an estate of Lena Levine and another, tax for 1923.....	1,667 25
Emily W. Palmberg—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maple place, numbered 1, between an estate of William L. Hoose and another and an estate of Harry L. May, tax for 1923.....	111 15		Moth assessment for 1922.....	86 45	John J. Vogel—About 3,825 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 65, W. C. Bates plan, January 15, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3757, page 161, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Letitia A. Paraboschi—Buildings and about 6,980 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3825, between an estate of Bridget T. O'Brien and an estate of John L. Keane and another, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	26 14		Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	37 80	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 53
Ernest H. Parker one half and George N. Parker one half—Buildings and about 13,162 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Spring Park avenue, numbered 22, 24, 26 and 28, between an estate of Mary R. English and an estate of Gottlieb F. Merze, tax for 1923.....	227 24		Samuel Schipelliti—Buildings and about 3,860 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Green street, numbered 92, 94, 96 and 98, making the northerly corner of Lamartine street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Crowley and another, tax for 1923.....	419 90	Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.....	20 31
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Joseph R. Scott et al., Trustees under will of Mary A. Scott—Buildings and about 19,039 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 263, making the northwesterly corner of Fessenden street, between an estate of Ellen A. Kelly and an estate of Frank L. Barnes, tax for 1923.....	395 20	Edward J. Walsh—Buildings and about 3,567 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Adelaide terrace, numbered 6, between an estate of Annie E. Brown and an estate of Jessie H. Keay, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Joseph Pittorino—Buildings and about 3,425 feet of land on the southerly side of Montebello road, numbered 73, between an estate of James W. McKeown and an estate of Mary A. Northway, tax for 1923.....	190 19		Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 30	Anna I. Webster—Buildings and about 2,638 feet of land on the northerly side of Atwood square, numbered 9 and 11, between an estate of Francis P. Broderick and another estate of said Webster, tax for 1923.....	108 68
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 88		Joseph R. Scott—About 6,442 feet of land on the northerly side of Glen road, making the northeasterly corner of Washington street, adjoining an estate of John J. Meehan and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	79 04	Also buildings and about 2,487 feet of land on the northerly side of Atwood square, numbered 15, between two other estates of said Webster, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Edna N. Pope—About 3,666 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, making the southeasterly corner of Rosemary street, being lot A, shown on George H. Witherbee, Junior, plan, dated December, 1921, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4334, page 308, tax for 1923.....	44 46		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also buildings and about 1,863 feet of land on the northerly side of Atwood square, numbered 19, between another estate of said Webster and an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Also about 3,705 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	37 05		Joseph R., Fannie L. S., Isabel A., and Richard W. A. Scott, Trustees under will of Mary A. Scott—About 61,542 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining another estate of said Scott and others, trustees, being lot D, Henry C. Mill-dram plan, February 14, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3999, page 21, tax for 1923.....	182 78	Also buildings and about 3,697 feet of land on the southerly side of Atwood square, numbered 20, between an estate of Agnes M. Doyle and another and an estate of Auguste King and another, tax for 1923.....	195 13
James F. Powers and Mary J. Henckley—About 280 feet of land on northerly side of Arborway terrace, adjoining estate of Colonial Filling Station, Inc., being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, March 19, 1910, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3574, page 626, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 119,108 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Washington street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Joseph R. Scott and others, trustees, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1923.....	323 57	Joanna C. Wester—About 665 feet of land on the southerly side of Sedgwick street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Sedgwick street; easterly by an estate of Charlotte W. Norton; southerly by Carolina avenue, and westerly by an estate of Mary E. Hollis, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Progress Wholesale Grocery Company—Buildings and about 2,617 feet of land on the westerly side of Call street, numbered 105 and 107, between an estate of Bridget Kelley and an estate of Eliot L. May and others, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12478, tax for 1923.....		\$150 67	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Paid on account.....		57 83	Katherine V. Shinnors—Buildings and about 3,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3981, between an estate of Henry C. Gottschalk and an estate of Catherine T. Sinnott and another, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28	William A. and Mary A. Wilson—About 4,105 feet of land on the northerly side of Patten street, being lot 24, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, dated June, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2766, page 593, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 64
Balance due.....	92 84		John I. Shurman—Buildings and about 780 feet of land on the westerly side of Call street, numbered 53, between an estate of James McHale and an estate of Margaret M. Leyden, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Helen M. Wood and Susan W. Haynes—Buildings and about 4,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Green street, numbered 27, extending through to Starr lane, between an estate of Patrick Donahue and another and an estate of Wallace W. Brown and another, moth assessment for 1921.....	50
Progress Wholesale Grocery Company, Massachusetts Corporation—Buildings and about 5,568 (assessed as 5,518) feet of land on the southeasterly side of Call street, making the southerly corner of McBride street, adjoining an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company, being lots 1 and 2, W. C. Bates plan, dated February 2, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12479, tax for 1923.....		\$1,057 16	Albert C. Smith—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Williams street, adjoining an estate of William J. McMackin, being lot 22, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Sarah Wunderbaldinger (supposed present owner Paolo Salamone)—About 6,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Rose street, making the easterly corner of Arborway, being lot 31, Edmund K. Brown plan, April 13, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2892, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Paid on account.....		550 00	Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Balance due.....	507 16					

Mardalena E. Zenger—Buildings and about 11,785 feet of land on the northerly side of Greenough avenue, numbered 36, between an estate of Helen W. Capen and an estate of Dora E. Wheeler, tax for 1923.....\$375 44
Paid on account..... 109 35

Balance due..... 266 09

Also buildings and about 13,221 feet of land on the southerly side of a passageway leading from the southerly side of Roanoke avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the estates of Francis Dole and Elizabeth P. Matthews, easterly by an estate of Francis A. Holmes and southerly by the estates of Edward L. Strong heirs or devisees, Helen W. Capen and another estate of said Zenger, tax for 1923.....\$113 26
Paid on account..... 90 00

Balance due..... 53 26

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Patrick Abberton—About 6,768 feet of land on the southerly side of Gardner street, being lot 29, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated June 7, 1886, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1731, page 223, tax for 1922.....\$12 35

Tax for 1923..... 12 35

Also about 6,628 feet of land on the southerly side of Gardner street, making the southeasterly corner of Rand street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1922..... 12 35

Tax for 1923..... 12 35

John G. and Mary Adba—About 1,920 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, being the westerly part of lot 6, block I (part remaining after widening), Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 1,136 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, making the northwesterly corner of Grove road, being the westerly part of lot 7, block I (part remaining after widening), same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Thomas Ahearn—About 5,927 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Heron street, being lot 103, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Catherine Ahearn—About 4,128 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker street, being lot 8, block 5, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

William H. Allen—Buildings and about 6,900 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Emmons road, numbered 4, making the easterly corner of Linnet street, between an estate of Seymour H. Stone and another estate of said Allen, tax for 1923..... 209 95

Also about 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Linnet street, being lot 5, W. C. Bates plan, April 15, 1920, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4219, page 543, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Sarah J. Allen—About 7,800 feet of land on the northerly side of Moreland street, being lot 25, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 9,610 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Prospect street, making the easterly corner of Moreland street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Lillian A. Ames—About 5,412 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Spring street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; northerly by an estate of the Old Colony Railroad Company; northeasterly by an estate of John A. Whittemore and others; southeasterly by an estate of Dimitro Henes, and southwesterly by an estate of Gardner O. North and another, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Lillian A. Ames and Walter S. Pierce (supposed present owner Philip Teevan and others)—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lorette street, being lot 47, Garbett and Wood plan, July 6, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2080, page 625, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 28 80

John, Charles J. and George P. Anderer—About 3,557 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, making the southerly corner of Newfield street, being lot 191, White and Wetherbee

plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 192, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 3,580 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newfield street, making the westerly corner of Furbush road, being lot 218, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,918 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 249, same plan, tax for 1923, Charles A. Anderson (supposed present owner Oscar F. Anderson)—About 11,790 feet of land on the westerly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 191, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 227, on file with Suffolk Deeds, moth assessment for 1922..... 87

Genevieve D. L. Anderson—About 958 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, being lot 37, block K, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3510, tax for 1921..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1921..... 50

Tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Richard F. Andrews, Jr.—About 8,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Anawan avenue, adjoining an estate of Annie P. Glynn, being a lot shown on a plan dated November 3, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 61 75

Mary E. Askin—About 3,974 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 2, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 7,040 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newfield street, at angle being lot 230, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1922..... 85

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Frederick Ayer—About 11,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington avenue, adjoining an estate of Winslow B. Clark and others, trustees, being lot 217, shown on a plan not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Mary Ayer—About 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 218, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Florence G. Bailey—Buildings and about 6,625 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Temple street, numbered 179, between an estate of Henry E. West and an estate of Alger H. Smith and another, tax for 1923..... 98 89

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 8 48

Rudolph C. B. Bartsch—About 6,090 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sanborn avenue, being lot 190, Varney and Churchill plan, August, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3109, page 419, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Howard P. Beckett—Buildings and about 5,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Guernsey street, numbered 69, between an estate of Julia A. Getchell and an estate of David F. Hayes, tax for 1923..... 148 20

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Flora T. Berggreen—About 1,787 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Island Terrace, adjoining an estate of David P. Doolan, being lot 10, shown on a plan not named, dated October 25, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2683, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Christine E. Bettoney—About 9,837 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot F, Charles D. Elliott plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 9,294 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1924..... 2 47

Howard L. Blackwell and Anna B. and Charles T. D. Belden—About 685,439 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of George C. Rosenbeck and by Washington street; southwesterly by an estate of James H. Stack and others, trustees; south-

easterly by an estate of Jacob W. Wilbur and northeasterly by an estate of Alice L. Blackwell and another, tax for 1923..... 64 22

Moth assessment for 1923..... 3 90

Also about 6,321 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 2, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 1, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Moth assessment for 1922..... 95

Emma L. Blackwell—About 206,300 feet of land on the westerly side of West Roxbury Parkway, adjoining an estate of Eugene H. Foss, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, March 27, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3872, page 396, tax for 1921..... 229 71

Tax for 1922..... 229 71

Tax for 1923..... 229 71

Also buildings and about 5,739 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 5018, making the southerly corner of Washington Heights avenue east, tax for 1923..... 197 60

Flora L. Blue—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sherwood street, being lot 11, Whitman and Howard plan, January 2, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2589, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 13 70

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Arthur Book—Buildings and about 10,512 feet of land on the southerly side of Belgrade avenue, numbered 142, 144, 146, 148, 151 and 152, between an estate of Rudolph O. Pacht and an estate of Sarah M. Casilli, tax for 1923.....\$368 03
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 168 03

Also about 3,660 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fifth road, being lot 26, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8896, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Charles H. Botsford—About 9,239 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Houston street, between an estate of Charles W. Sheen and an estate of Sarah H. Buchanan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 18 00

Mary Botsford (supposed present owner Frederick M. Gilliland)—About 5,681 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Robert street, being that part of lot 11 remaining after widening of Robert street on J. Edwin Jones plan, May 13, 1890, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1934, tax for 1923..... 32 11

Simon Bouchie—About 1,874 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 19, block D, Hodges and George plan, May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of land court, certificate number 6078, tax for 1921..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1921..... 50

Tax for 1922..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Grace Bowditch and Ellen F. Cronin—About 7,686 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sherman street, being lot 39, J. Edwin Jones plan, July 18, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2154, page 627, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Nathaniel W. Bowes—About 4,547 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 233, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Charlotte Bragg—About 1,703 feet of land on the westerly side of Ansonia road, being lot 39, Robert C. Hunter plan, September, 1915, recorded Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 1,884 feet of land on the westerly side of Ansonia road, being lot 40, same plan, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 2,064 feet of land on the westerly side of Ansonia road, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Anna H., Florence T. and Margaret G. Brickley—Buildings and about 4,312 feet of land, on the northeasterly side of Temple street, numbered 299, making the easterly corner of Keith street, adjoining another estate of said Brickley and others, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 2 76

Also buildings and about 4,437 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Keith street, being lot 75, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Anna V. Brockbank—About 2,360 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 17 and 18, block 8, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,840 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 19, 20, 21, and 22, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,735 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 23, 24 and 25, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,159 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lot 26, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,886 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 27, 28, 29 and 30, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,660 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dana road, being lots 34 and 35, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,538 feet of land on the easterly side of Walnut road, being lot 38, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,618 feet of land on the easterly side of Walnut road, being lots 39, 40, 41 and 42, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,850 feet of land on the easterly side of Walnut road, being lots 43, 44 and 45, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Annie M. Brown and Rhoda E. Young—About 1,660 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, at angle, being lot 40, block 10, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,087 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, being lot 41, block 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,107 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, being lot 42, block 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,126 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, being lot 43, block 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Edward J. Cain—Buildings and about 5,475 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hewlett street, numbered 75, between an estate of Alice Fitzgerald and an estate of Adam Theisinger, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
John J. Callagy (supposed present owner John V. Fleming)—Buildings and about 4,550 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newburg street, numbered 118, between an estate of Angela L. Vergona and an estate of Helen F. Spooner, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
James Campbell—About 2,410 feet of land on the northerly side of Cottage road, being lots 28 and 29, block C, Hodges and George plan, not dated recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Alberto Cantoni—About 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 129, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 3,585 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 119, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the easterly side of La Grange street, being lot 212, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the easterly side of La Grange street, being lot 213, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Charles Capone—About 6,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hemlock street, being lot 202, shown on assessors' plan, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Alvin Carlson—About 2,061 feet of land on the westerly side of Oak road, being lots 48 and 49, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Alice H. Carlson—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Landseer terrace, being lot 36, C. H. Gannett plan, December, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4012, page 281, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
John D. Carroll—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, being lot 7, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 40		
Florence Carter—About 46,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Caledonia avenue, being lots 239, 240, 241 and 242, shown on a plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 46,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Caledonia avenue, being lots 243, 244, 245 and 246, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 34,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Caledonia avenue, being lots 247, 248 and 249, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Walter H. Caswell—Buildings and about 18,220 feet of land on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue numbered 338, making the northeasterly corner of Mansur street, between an estate of Ida M. Hodson and an estate of George S. Lee, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,212 feet of land on the westerly side of Wright road, being lot 24, block C, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9858, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 6,601 feet of land on the westerly side of Baker street, being lot 57, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,483 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker street, making the southeasterly corner of Keith street, extending to and making the southwesterly corner of Frances street, being lot 59, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also buildings and about 9,523 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, numbered 130, between an estate of John Craig and another and an estate of Erdman Bauch, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,973 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Park terrace, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by Park terrace; northeasterly by an estate of Elizabeth G. McLoughlin; southeasterly by estate of Mabel F. Wood; southerly by estate of Jesse B. Osgood and southwesterly by estate of Helen A. Shaw and others, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 9,335 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Cornell street; southwesterly by an estate of said Chadwick; southwesterly by an estate of Bertha L. Gahn and southwesterly by an estate of John Craig and another, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 141, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated January, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, making the northerly corner of Baker street, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 7,097 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Temple street, northwesterly by an estate of Laura K. Ellis; southwesterly by an estate of Michael Burke and others trustees, and southeasterly by an estate of George H. Stevens and another, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 7,095 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Temple street; northwesterly and southwesterly by estates of Michael Burke and others, trustees, and southeasterly by an estate of Laura K. Ellis, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,184 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 1, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated August, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4304, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,283 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grove street, making the southerly corner of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,715 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, making the westerly corner of Grove street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,715 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grove street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,075 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,073 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,072 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,941 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,043 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,197 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,620 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 438,431 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, between an estate of Mabel E. Chadwick (numbered 788) and an estate of Sherman L. Whipple, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95		
Also buildings and about 1,037 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, numbered 69, between an estate of John B. Robinson and an estate of Neil Donahue, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 6,222 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Pent street, being lot 213, Garbett and Wood plan, April 15, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50		
Also about 6,142 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 22, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,060 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot E, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 30, 1888, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1822, page 76, tax for 1923.....	10 76		
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hemlock street, being lot 199, shown on assessors plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Harry P. Chadwick (supposed present owner Joseph F. Hurley)—About 5,580 feet of land on the southerly side of Tyndale street, being lot 65, French and Bryant plan, May 28, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3239, page 49, tax for 1923.....	14 82		

Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lasell street, making the southerly corner of Dent street, being lot 5, block 3, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,427 feet of land on the northerly side of Spring street, making the northeasterly corner of Springvale avenue, adjoining an estate of Patrick Fraher, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,725 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, making the westerly corner of Cushing street, being lot 58, Charles D. E. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Carroll street, being lot 89, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 14,849 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Potomac street, being the southwesterly part of lot 20, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 81, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Also buildings and about 11,648 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hemman street, numbered 57, between an estate of Hazel Hemman and an estate of John J. Mullen, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also buildings and about 253,488 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, numbered 788, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and the Newton line, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95		
Alberta M. Charles—Buildings and about 6,274 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, numbered 1463, between an estate of James Gaskins and an estate of John B. McAleer, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Helen A. Cheney—About 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 222, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 221, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 220, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	95		
Constantino F. Ciampa—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grouse street, being lot 193, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grouse street, being lot 195, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Curtis Clapp, Junior—Buildings and about 5,293 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, numbered 24, between an estate of Ora M. Lewis and an estate of Margaret C. Warren, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Winslow B. Clark—About 16,049 feet of land on the westerly side of Caledonia avenue, being lot 149, George H. Wetherbee plan, dated October, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14882, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Benjamin F. Cobleigh—About 4,970 feet of land on the northerly side of a 30-foot street leading from the easterly side of Rowe street, being lot 12, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 21, 1892, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2051, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Congregation, Chevril Tillem—Buildings and about 19,784 feet of land on the westerly side of Centre street, numbered 2667, adjoining an estate of United Hand in Hand Association, moth assessment for 1922.....	2 56		
Patrick and Alice G. Collier—About 3,438 feet of land on the easterly side of Nut street, being lot 6, block C. Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number....., tax for 1923.....	2 47		
John H. Conant Heirs or Devisees—About 5,697 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mendum street, being lot 35, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 28, 1898, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3095, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 6,183 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mendum street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	17 29		
James W. Condon—About 4,307 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Heathcote street, being lot 35, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 8, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2198, page 298, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Elizabeth W. Costello—About 83,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Baker street, making the easterly corner of Ansonia road, extending to and making the southerly corner of Cambria road, adjoining an estate of John H. Gilbert, tax for 1922.....	51 87		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 30		
Tax for 1923.....	51 87		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Michael W. Costello—About 3,186 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, making the southerly corner of Federal road, being lot 96, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Sadie E. Cotter—About 990 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, being lot 30, block K, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Thomas Coulter—About 6,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Auburn street, being lot 179, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Sarah E. Crocker—About 32,670 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baker place, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Cecelia A. Barrows, trustee and an estate of Timothy Sullivan; northwesterly and southwesterly by an estate of the Edison Electric Illuminating Company and southeasterly by an estate of Peter Rudnick, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Edward V. and Gertrude V. Cronan, supposed present owner, Edward J. Kelley—About 6,261 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Perkins street, being lot 25, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Charles T. Crowley, Louis F. Cappelle, William J. Sands and Thomas J. McElaney—About 1,340 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bungalow road, being lot 22, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,999 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bungalow road, making the easterly corner of Camp road, being lots 23 and 24, block F, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Michael J. Crowley—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hayden street, making the northerly corner of Washington street, being lot 176, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 5, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2018, page 497, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 36		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brahma street, making the northerly corner of Washington street, being lot 152, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 68		
Also about 10,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot B, George H. Wetherbee, Junior, plan, dated April 22, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	18 19		
Also about 11,145 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot A, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	14 72		
J. Wesley Cullen—About 5,570 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, making the northerly corner of Brook Farm road, being lot 201, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Thomas H. Cummings and Augustus Andrews—About 9,570 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Metropoli-			
tan avenue, being lot 2, G. L. Richardson plan, dated August, 1882, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1576, page 588, tax for 1922.....	34 58		
Tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, making the easterly corner of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 7,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 11,035 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, being lot 5, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1883, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1604, page 518, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 9,710 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, being the southwesterly part of lot 107, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 10,630 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, making the southerly corner of Clarendon avenue, being the northwesterly part of lot 107, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	87		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 9,887 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 106, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 9,662 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 105, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Kathleen Cummings—Buildings and about 7,650 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 4094, between an estate of Harry Snyder and an estate of Paul Beigbeder and another, tax for 1923.....	\$385 32		
Paid on account.....	150 00		
Balance due.....	235 32		
William E. Cunniff—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brook Farm road, number 154, making the southerly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Anna M. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Ellen A. Curran—About 1,205 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lot 25, block 11, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,188 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lot 26, block 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,323 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lots 27 and 28, block 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Loretta U. Cuttle—Buildings and about 16,282 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, making the northerly corner of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 99, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11382, tax for 1921.....	385 32		
Tax for 1922.....	444 60		
Tax for 1923.....	543 40		
Edith M. Darling—About 1,391 feet of land on the southerly side of Cross road, being lot 18, block L, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Lois P. Davis—About 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Edgemere road, being lot 93, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Edgemere road, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47		
Caroline E. Davy—About 3,800 feet of land on the northerly side of Cushing street, being lot 88, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Catherine, May and Clitheroe Dean, one third each—About 9,277 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 16, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		

Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 7,874 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 6,480 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Iacono Olimpia Della—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the north- westerly side of Walworth street, numbered 71, between an estate of Anna J. Jusheim and an estate of Domenica Gingo and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 14
Framilio Delioiacono—About 6,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orange street, being lot 309, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 188, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.	4 94
Rudolph Denkel—About 6,351 feet of land on the northerly side of Albano street, being lot 12, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated February 4, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1763, page 79, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Raffaella DeNapoli—Buildings and about 4,200 feet of land on the north- easterly side of Dudley avenue, numbered 140, between an estate of Nicola Nuzzola and another and an estate of Gertrude L. Bowen, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Harvey A. Dennison—About 3,707 feet of land on the westerly side of Dun- barton road, being lot 295, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 3,535 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 296, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Also about 3,362 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 297, same plan, tax for 1923....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Antonetta DeRosa—About 2,345 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Birch road, being lots 3 and 4, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Caroline E. Desler—Buildings and about 5,475 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hewlett street, numbered 105, between an estate of Hugh Grant and another and an estate of John E. Barron and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Francis Devine—About 4,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, February 1, 1900, recorded with Suf- folk Deeds, Book 2666, page 519, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 09
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 70
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 4,210 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 95
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 40
Also about 4,340 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 95
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 40
Also about 4,460 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 95
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 40
Luiigi DiCiste—About 10,782 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Curlew street, being lots 19 and 20, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 10,098 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Petrel street, being lots 31 and 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 10,908 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Petrel street, being lots 33 and 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Fred A. Dix—About 4,704 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, being lot 3, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated April 3, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2540, page .566, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 4,137 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923,	12 35
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
James W. Doherty—About 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 18, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 4, 1912, re- corded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 19, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 20, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 21, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 3,440 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 22, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Catherine F. Dolaher—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the south- westerly side of Manthorne road, numbered 140, adjoining an estate of Richard J. Walsh, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14155, tax for 1923.....	209 95
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1923.....	16 39
Daniel Dolan—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Caspar street, being lot 30, block 18, J. W. Morrison plan, April 21, 1894; re- corded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Caspar street, being lot 29, block 18, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Mary E., Alice M. and John J. Donnelly, one-third each—About 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glen- dower street, being lot 25, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1922.....	23 04
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Katherine F. Donovan—About 3,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 6, block 12, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, re- corded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 212, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
David P. Doolan—About 1,787 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Island terrace, being lot 9, shown on a plan, not named, October 25, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2683, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Josephine W. Dufoa—About 3,968 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Florence street, being lot 64, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 15, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	14 82
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1923.....	14 27
Jan es Dunbar—About 3,645 feet of land on the westerly side of Wright road, being lot 3, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Patrick F. Dundas—About 4,100 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 10, W. C. Bates plan, February 1, 1900, recorded with Suf- folk Deeds, Book 2666, page 519, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 09
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1923.....	8 40

James F. M. Farquar Heirs or Devises set off to James F. M. Farquar Heirs or Devises. About 10,000 assessed as 13,138 feet of land on the westerly side of Grew avenue, being lots 75, 76, 77 and 78, shown on Plan, Book 7, plate 11, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.	22 23	
James F. M. Farquar Heirs or Devises set off to Martin B. Campbell. About 245,699 assessed as 265,899 feet of land on the westerly side of Grew avenue, being lots 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, part lots 50, 51, 52, 53 and lot 54, shown on plan, Book 7, plate 11, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.	130 91	
Margaret T. Farrell Buildings and about 3,162 feet of land on the south- easterly side of Birch street, num- bered 30, between another estate of said Farrell and an estate of Frank T. Cook and another, tax for 1923.	86 45	
Also buildings and about 4,811 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Birch street, numbered 24, making the southerly corner of Cornish street, adjoining another estate of said Farrell, tax for 1923.	617 50	
John Faust. About 8,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, being lot 54, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1922.	50	
Tax for 1923.	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also buildings and about 4,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newburg street, being lot 74, J. Ed- win Jones plan, November 9, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2027, page 67, tax for 1922.	19 76	
Moth assessment for 1922.	66	
Tax for 1923.	19 76	
William T. Fee. About 4,965 feet of land on the southerly side of Temple street at angle, being lot 6, block 5, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1923.	3 17	
Also about 4,287 feet of land on the southerly side of Temple street, being lot 7, block 5, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Enal B. and Frances Ficker. Buildings and about 3,860 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Denton terrace, numbered 17, between an estate of John Barrett and another and an es- tate of Mabel H. Manning, tax for 1923.	\$163 02	
Paid on account.	118 20	
Balance due.	14 82	
John J. Finn. About 2,565 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 287, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1922.	2 47	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 2,463 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, be- ing lot 286, same plan, tax for 1922.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.	50	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Emma C. Fisher. About 1,736 feet of land on the easterly side of Salinan street, being lot 40, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry Dis- trict of Land Court, certificate num- ber , tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 1,681 feet of land on the easterly side of Salinan street, being lot 41, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.	2 47	
Edward A. Fitzgerald. About 2,000 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 40, block D, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Reg- istry District of Land Court, certificate number 13667, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 41, block D, same plan, reg- istered in the Suffolk Registry Dis- trict of Land Court, certificate num- ber 13667, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Edward J. Fitzgerald. About 2,846 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 7, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, cer- tificate number 13667, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Sarah E. Flaherty. About 4,954 feet of land on the westerly side of Vogel street, being lot 3, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, reg- istered in the Suffolk Registry Dis- trict of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
James Flynn. About 1,712 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alta crest, being lot 62, Robert C. Hunter plan, September, 1915, recorded with Suf- folk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1922.	2 47	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 1,730 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alta crest, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1922.	2 47	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Edward F. Foley. About 3,748 feet of land on the southerly side of Weld street, being lot 272, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 6, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.	14 82	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
John M. Foley. Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Primrose street, numbered 34, between an estate of Helen M. Brown and an estate of Ignatius J. Fichter and another, tax for 1923.	123 50	
Elsie C. Folsom. About 4,896 feet of land on the northwesterly side of South street, being lot 28, W. C. Bates plan, January 1, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3774, at end, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	10 44	
Apportionment of sidewalk construc- tion assessment for 1923.	23 37	
John Forsythe. About 5,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 42, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1844, page 527, tax for 1922.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	10 08	
Tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	9 77	
William Forsythe. About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westover street, being lot 53, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated August 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1838, page 11, tax for 1923.	4 94	
David and Caroline S. Foster. Buildings and about 14,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oriole street, numbered 45, between an estate of W. Stanley Campbell and an estate of Adelle M. Gibbons, tax for 1923.	118 20	
Moth assessment for 1923.	65	
Also about 4,940 feet of land on the easterly side of a passageway leading from the northeasterly side of Bellevue street, being lot 1, Walter C. Bates plan, November 21, 1921, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	17 29	
Walter F. Gallagher. About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morrison street, being lot 117, Charles H. W. Wood plan, September 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, page 433, tax for 1922.	2 47	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Mary Galvin. About 4,965 feet of land on the southerly side of Temple street, being lot 6, block 5, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.	7 41	
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1922.	3 27	
Also about 4,287 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker street, being lot 7, block 5, same plan, tax for 1922.	7 41	
John R. Gehman. About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goethe street, being lot 15, W. F. Whitman plan, August, 1906, rec- orded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1922.	4 94	
Tax for 1923.	4 94	
Emma Gelphe Heirs. About 8,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, being lot 57, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1922.	50	
Tax for 1923.	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
James H. Gerlach. About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wil- low street, being lot 105, J. Edwin Jones plan, August 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1838, page 11, tax for 1923.	4 94	
F. Nerton Gesner. About 2,218 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cot- tage road, being lots 25 and 26, block 5, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, Book 3570, page 242, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1921.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1921.	50	
Tax for 1922.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.	50	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Lucinda F. Gibbons. Buildings and about 16,559 feet of land on the north- easterly side of Dudley avenue, num- bered 182, between an estate of Betty Sedgwick and an estate of William G. Haberland and another, tax for 1923.	98 80	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 10,217 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lots 21 and 22, J. Edwin Jones plan, February 4, 1887, rec- orded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1763, page 79, tax for 1923.	12 35	
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1923.	18 41	
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1923.	19 51	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Orlando P. Godfrey. About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glen- ham street, being lot 13, block 7, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.	7 41	
Tax for 1923.	7 41	
Edwin O. Goodwin. About 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glendower road formerly James street, being lot 31, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.	1 94	
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1922.	23 04	
Tax for 1923.	4 94	
Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1923.	22 32	
Emma F. Goodwin. Buildings and about 227,607 feet of land on the northerly side of Washington street, numbered 4,959, between an estate of Mary A. Holland and an estate of Ayoub Maloof, tax for 1923.	111 15	
Moth assessment for 1923.	9 75	
John Gordwin (supposed present owner John Blandis). About 11,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot J, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, rec- orded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 12,279 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot K, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
George H. and Winnifred B. Guyette. Buildings and about 4,608 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wyman street, numbered 6, between an estate of Otto H. Schmidt and another and an estate of Marguerite D. Grueter, tax for 1923.	81 51	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Rudolph F. Haffenreffer. About 5,682 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Harwood street, being lot 1, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 137, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 138, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94	
Stanley P. Hall. About 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 40, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Carl A. Hallain. About 3,742 feet of land on the westerly side of Wright road, being lot 19, block G, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8336, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Rose M. Halloren. Buildings and about 3,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 4811, between an estate of Agnes Walsh and an estate of Edsea George and another, tax for 1923.	123 50	
Isaac A. Hamm. About 2,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Overlook road, being lots 2 and 3, block L, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
John J. Hammill. About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thrush street, being lot 121, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, rec- orded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thrush street, being lot 122, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	

Alice M. Handley—About 4,694 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre street, being lot 5, Garbett and Wood plan, May 7, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1998, tax for 1923.	17 29	
Walter D. Hannigan—About 4,089 feet of land on the easterly side of Salmon street, being lot 50, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11747, tax for 1921.	2 47	
Tax for 1922.	2 47	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Margaret A. Harrington—About 7,196 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre street, being lots B and C, Whitman and Howard plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4267, page 349, tax for 1921.	4 94	
Tax for 1923.	4 94	
William P. Harrington—About 10,915 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornell street, being lot 81, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1922.	66	
Tax for 1923.	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 11,915 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornell street, being lot 82, same plan, tax for 1922.	12 35	
Moth assessment for 1922.	66	
Tax for 1923.	12 35	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Mary B. Harris—About 3,470 feet of land on the northerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 10, W. C. Bates plan, November 1, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2682, page 538, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 3,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Mary B. Harris (supposed present owner Henry K. Doyle)—About 2,230 feet of land on the southerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Mary B. Harris—About 2,370 feet of land on the southerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
John E. V. Hayden (supposed present owner Ada T. Hayden)—About 6,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Montclair avenue, being lot 53, Garbett and Wood plan, May 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1922.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	8 70	
Moth assessment for 1922.	50	
Tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 40	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Arthur E. and Helen M. Hayes—Buildings and about 5,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Birch street, numbered 45, between an estate of Eva W. Baxter heirs or devisees and an estate of Clarence W. Wilson and another, tax for 1923.	118 56	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
George Heaton—About 6,473 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage avenue, being lot 1, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.	2 47	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 12,960 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sparrow street, being lot 99, J. Edwin Jones plan, March 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1782, page 8, tax for 1922.	4 94	
Tax for 1923.	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1922.	1 00	
Moth assessment for 1923.	1 00	
Dimitro Henes—Buildings and about 18,333 feet of land on the northerly side of Spring street, numbered 37, 39 and 41, between an estate of Gardner O. North and others and an estate of John A. Whittemore and others, tax for 1923.	222 30	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
John Herbert, Trustee (under will of William H. Bowdlear)—About 4,510 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cornuba street, being lot 8, T. B. Moses plan, July 20, 1886, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1744, page 284, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Highland Ice Company—Buildings and about 601,905 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gardner street, numbered 217, between an estate of John J. G. Thompson and an estate of Mary D. McLean, tax for 1923.	197 60	
Moth assessment for 1923.	1 95	
Also buildings and about 510,019 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, numbered 262, making the southerly corner of Morrison street, between an estate of Andrew H. Hodgdon and an estate of the Town of Brookline, tax for 1923.	1,037 40	
Amelia I. Hobart—About 5,861 feet of land on the westerly side of Cottage avenue, being lot 27, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Andrew H. Hodgdon—Buildings and about 210,718 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, numbered 206 and 206 rear, between another estate of said Hodgdon and another estate of said Hodgdon, tax for 1923.	172 90	
Also buildings and about 12,560 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, numbered 192, between another estate of said Hodgdon and an estate of John S. Fryberg and another, tax for 1923.	37 05	
Moth assessment for 1923.	65	
Also about 87,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, between another estate of said Hodgdon and an estate of Highland Ice Company, tax for 1923.	32 11	
Moth assessment for 1923.	2 40	
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 3,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 16, making a junction with Bellevue avenue, adjoining an estate of John J. Jordan and another, tax for 1923.	49 40	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 11,145 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot A, George H. Wetherbee plan, dated April 22, 1921, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, tax for 1923.	17 29	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	14 24	
Also about 10,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot B, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, tax for 1923.	14 82	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	17 58	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	24 48	
Also buildings and about 14,603 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Anawan avenue, numbered 120, making the southerly corner of Stratford street, between an estate of Elizabeth G. McLaughlin and an estate of Nellie M. Koopman, tax for 1923.	227 24	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	13 25	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	11 85	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 11,565 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stratford street, being lot 72, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.	41 99	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	10 44	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	14 22	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ardale street, being lot 45, Garbett and Wood plan, September 8, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1838, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	13 27	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vermont street, numbered 311, between an estate of Emma B. Smiley and an estate of Catherine A. Callahan, tax for 1923.	49 40	
Also buildings and about 31,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 336, between an estate of Walter H. Caswell and an estate of Barbara A. Carroll, tax for 1923.	86 45	
Also about 7,375 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ardale street, being lot B, W. C. Bates plan, August 16, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3768, page 161, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	6 35	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Alice E. Howard—About 791 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Overlook road, being lot 10, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Alice E. Howard (supposed present owner Edward H. Hackett)—About 2,866 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, being lots 42, 43 and 44, block K, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also buildings and about 1,404 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, numbered 6, making the southeasterly corner of Grove road, adjoining an estate of Alice E. Howard and another, tax for 1923.	24 70	
Laura F. Hoyt—About 3,490 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being the easterly part of lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3351, page 539, tax for 1922.	7 41	
Tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 2,250 feet of land on the northerly side of a 20-foot street, leading from the easterly side of Rowe street, being the westerly part of lot 9, same plan, tax for 1922.	4 94	
Tax for 1923.	4 94	
Also about 900 feet of land on the northerly side of a 20-foot street, leading from the easterly side of Rowe street, being the easterly part of lot 9, same plan, tax for 1922.	2 47	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 4,190 feet of land on the northerly side of a 20-foot street, leading from the easterly side of Rowe street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1922.	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1922.	87	
Tax for 1923.	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Ida M. Hubbard—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Symmes street, numbered 9, between an estate of George R. and Annie M. Porter and an estate of Nathaniel McCreary, trustee, tax for 1923.	86 45	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ivory street, numbered 36, between an estate of Mary A. Griffin and an estate of Helen M. Holbrook, tax for 1923.	74 10	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Mary J. Hudd—About 636 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Spring road, being lot 3, block N, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1922.	2 47	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Frank Incantalupo—About 3,353 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage road, being lots 16 and 17, block C, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
William D. Irving—About 2,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pond road, being lots 9 and 10, block 4, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1921.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1921.	50	
Tax for 1922.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.	50	
Tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Annie E. Jameison—About 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 211, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 212, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Merton E. Jenkins—About 1,341 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Spring road, being lot 16, block M, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 1,436 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Spring road, being lot 17, block M, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
John Jennings (reassessed from J. W. Wilbur Company, Inc.)—About 497 feet of land on the easterly side of Grove street, being the westerly part of lot 46, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1923.	2 47	
John A. Johnsen—About 6,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Montclair avenue, being lot 47, Garbett and Wood plan, May 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1923.	14 82	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	

William H. Johnson—About 4,380 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 49, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,978 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 64, same plan, moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 4,340 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,803 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Lawrence F. Johnson—About 6,906 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 23, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Harry J. Johnston—About 2,942 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 23, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3732, page 11, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Archileas Karleris—About 5,769 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 36, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Also about 6,897 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Also about 6,999 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Stephen F. Keane—About 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Nut street, being lot 19, block C, Hodges and George plan, March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14986, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Mary L. Keefe—Buildings and about 5,566 feet of land on the southerly side of Tyndale street, numbered 48, between an estate of Catherine A. Millin and an estate of Bertha A. Elliott, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 24		
Charles J. Kelley—About 3,314 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Durant street, being lot 119, Charles D. Elliott plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 4,873 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lasell street, being lot 20, block 18, J. W. Morrison plan, April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being part of lot 32, F. S. H. plans, dated October, 1912, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 73		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 47		
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being part of lot 33, same plans, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 73		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 47		
Also about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being part of lot 34, same plans, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	1 55		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	1 50		
Also about 4,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 83, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated February, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3610, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 5,244 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 8, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,625 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bungalow road, being lot 11, block L, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Annie M. Kelley—About 6,475 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being the southeasterly part of lot 34, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 224, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 18		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 97		
Also about 2,745 feet of land on the easterly side of Bellevue avenue, being lot 143, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 189, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also buildings and about 3,110 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 121, between an estate of James A. Cotter and an estate of Louis A. Bieber, tax for 1923.....	103 74		
Also buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 169, between an estate of Daniel A. Barry and another and an estate of Mary J. Sayce, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Paid on account.....	77 07		
Balance due.....	83 48		
Lawrence C. Kelly—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alder street, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 189, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Catherine C. Kenney—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grouse street, being lot 189, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grouse street, being lot 191, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
James A. and Anna M. Kent—Buildings and about 5,108 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Amherst street, numbered 92, between an estate of Frank Hampe and an estate of Franz Latsch and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Jane K. Kerr—About 4,563 feet of land on the southwesterly side of South street, being lot 50, French and Bryant plan, May 28, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3239, page 49, being the same premises designated by the Commissioner of Public Works as 968 South street, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Dorothy Kerrigan and Thomas Pollack—About 3,543 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 1, block 12, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Harry T. and Delia R. Kershaw—Buildings and about 2,416 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Pond road, numbered 17, being lots 35 and 36, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,222 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Pond road, being lot 34, block 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Winifred G. Kerwin—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Liszt street, being lot 121, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 5, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2018, page 497, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Liszt street, being lot 122, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Nassim M. Khouri—Buildings and about 3,828 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 5027 and 5029, between an estate of Patrick Carroll and an estate of Emil J. Kocheer, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12213, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Delia N. Khouri—Buildings and about 4,815 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 5083, between an estate of Agnes Walsh and an estate of Ayoub Maloof, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45		
John F. and Kathryn F. Kindelan—Buildings and about 4,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Belgrade avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Esther A. Wetmore; southerly by the location of Belgrade avenue; westerly by an estate of Irving W. Adams Post No. 36, Massachusetts State Branch of the American Legion, and northerly by the location of the Boston & Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	135 85		
Joel G. and Thomas W. Knapp and John C. Harrington, Trustees of the Citizens Realty Trust—About 13,155 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly road, being lots 93, 94, 95, 96, 97 and 98, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3732, page 11, moth assessment for 1922.....	2 00		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45		
Also about 4,984 feet of land on the easterly side of Waverly road, being lots 92 and the southerly part of lot 91, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 10,991 feet of land on the westerly side of Waverly road, being lots 79, 80, 81 and the southerly part of lot 82, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,620 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,998 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 70, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,450 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being the southerly part of lot 69, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,790 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being the northerly part of lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,074 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Also about 650 feet of land on the westerly side of Waverly road, being the northwesterly part of lot 86, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,520 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, being the northwesterly part of lot 58, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, being lot 57, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,880 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 400 feet lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Baker street, being the northwesterly part of lot 87, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,981 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baker street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,953 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baker street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,051 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baker street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,371 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baker street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,480 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baker street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,590 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baker street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 4,699 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baker street, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,774 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wedgemere road, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		

Also about 5,130 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wedgemere road, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,953 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wedgemere road, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 900 feet of land on the southwesterly side and at end of Wedgemere road, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,154 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wedgemere road, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,235 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wedgemere road, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,965 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wedgemere road, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,184 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wedgemere road, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,230 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,993 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre street, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Also about 3,363 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,495 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,016 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,885 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,718 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,514 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,334 feet of land on the northerly side of Cass street, being lot 1, C. B. Humphrey plan, June 13, 1913, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5577, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,919 feet of land on the northerly side of Cass street, being lot 2, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5577, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cass street, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5577, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 4,540 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ashland avenue, being lot 9, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5577, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 5,126 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ashland avenue, being lot 10, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5577, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 5,710 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ashland avenue, being lot 11, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5577, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cass street, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5577, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cass street, being lot 15, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5577, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cass street, being lot 16, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5577, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Henrietta A. Kreppel Devises—About 3,257 feet of land on the westerly side of Keystone street, being lot 31, block A, Hodges and George plan, March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4700, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,294 feet of land on the westerly side of Keystone street, being lot 32, block A, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4699, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Alfred W. LaCharity—About 2,116 feet of land on the westerly side of Vogel street, being lot 28, block F, Hodges and George plan, May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10278, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Athanaise LaCharity—About 2,138 feet of land on the westerly side of Vogel street, being lot 29, block F, Hodges and George plan, May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3199, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Margaret C. Lamphere—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Thrush street, being lot 116, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 7,867 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Thrush street, being lot 117, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Benjamin Lancy—About 5,377 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 21, G. L. Richardson plan dated June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1922.....	4 91		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	66		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 150 feet of land on the northeasterly side and at end of a 30-foot street, leading from the northeasterly side of Clarendon avenue, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, July 6, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2462, page 316, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 680 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 17		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	1 60		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	1 55		
Also about 9,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Walnut street, being lot 35, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, on file with Suffolk Deeds, page 97, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 43,560 feet of land, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by the Dedham line; northerly and easterly by New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, and southerly by an estate of Ellen S. Murphy, tax for 1921.....	4 94		
Tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,478 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 54, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,686 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
May H. Lawson—About 10,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, being lot 80, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65		
John Lehan—About 3,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Nut street, being lot 42, block B, Hodges and George plan, March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6525, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Adele J. Leonard—Buildings and about 6,735 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Carroll street, numbered 69, between another estate of said Leonard and an estate of John Sjoquist, tax for 1923.....	88 92		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 6,785 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Carroll street, being lot 46, W. F. Whitman plan, dated August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
S. Henry L'Heureux and Devises of Albert E. Hentz—About 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, being lot 18, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1844, page 527, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	1 00		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worley street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worley street, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worley street, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worley street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 90		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60		
Edwin F. Luce—About 807 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cedar road, being lot 33, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
John S. Lufty—About 2,795 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Willers street, being lot 268, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,793 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Willers street, being lot 269, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Thomas L. Lynch—About 4,512 feet of land on the westerly side of Cliffmont street, being lot 122, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 170, on file with Suffolk Deeds, moith assessment for 1922.....	87		
Also about 3,032 feet of land on the southerly side of Canterbury street, being the southerly part of lot 123, same plan, moith assessment for 1922.....	87		
Frederick L. and Agnes V. Lyons—About 10,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Grouse street, being lots 160 and 162, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Eva L. Macdonald—About 11,321 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot I, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Alfonse Maching—About 4,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 121, Nathaniel Smith plan, June 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		

Blanche S. MacInnes—About 6,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vermont street, being lot V, C. B. Humphrey, December 21, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14781, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Isabelle MacIsaac—About 2,030 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, being lot 78, Robert C. Hunter plan, dated September, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 2,040 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, being lot 79, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Anna L. MacMillan (supposed present owner Morton A. Yerxa)—Buildings and about 5,364 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, numbered 201, making the southerly corner of Howitt road, adjoining an estate of Esther B. Coffin, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	160 55	9 31
Mary Maguire—About 3,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Rowe street, being lot 5, W. C. Bates plan, May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3354, page 539, tax for 1923.....	9 88	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....		
Mary M. Maguire—About 1,325 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being the westerly part of lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3354, page 539, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Annie M. Mahoney—About 3,170 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Edgemere road, being lot 6, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 4,092 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cheriton road, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cheriton road, being lot 341, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Joseph Maloot—About 3,565 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Overlook road, being lot 9, block N, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Alexander Mapp—About 3,025 feet of land on the easterly side of Ellerton road, being lot 312, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
David and Annie Mark—Buildings and about 4,012 feet of land on the northerly side of Belgrade avenue, numbered 47, between an estate of Elizabeth C. Bickford and an estate of Robert A. McPherson, tax for 1923, Ellen H. Marshall—About 1,463 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oak road, being lot 51, block 2, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	96 33	2 47
Matthew and Agata Matjoshaits—Also about 3,200 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Chestnut road, being lots 4-5, block 5, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1921.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Oswald I. V. Matthews—Also about 2,681 feet of land on the easterly side of Ellerton road, being lot 310, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 2,853 feet of land on the easterly side of Ellerton road, being lot 311, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Ida Maxwell—About 9,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut street, being lot 31, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Annie E. McCarthy—About 9,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saville street, being lot 59, shown on assessors' plan, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 64	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	34 56	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Helen McCauley—About 5,150 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eldredge street, being lot L, W. C. Bates plan, February 12, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 94	
Also about 5,098 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eldredge street, being lot R, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 94	
Sigre McClean—About 10,790 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moreland street, being lot 5, shown on assessors' plan, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Ellen A. McCourtney (supposed present owner Freida J. Gately)—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Francis street, numbered 9, between an estate of Thomas H. Lynch and another and an estate of Lars Anderson and another, tax for 1923.....	111 15	
Alice G. McDermott—About 8,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glendower street, being lot 49, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	12 35	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	23 04	
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 32	
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Beech street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Beech street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Emilie M. McDonald—About 6,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Auburn street, being lot 180, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Marie E. McDonald—About 3,120 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 127, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	
Peter McDonald—About 3,460 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Johnwood road, being lot 8, Whitman and Howard plan, January 2, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4138, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Mary C. McGrath—About 6,054 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grove street, being lot 5, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Elizabeth McIsaac—About 13,269 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stratford street, being lot 77, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	49 40	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 22	
Elizabeth J. McKenna—About 3,048 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oak road, being lots 52 and 53, block 2, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Edith E. McKenzie—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Kittredge street, numbered 176, between an estate of Eunice T. Robinson and an estate of Natalie Henning, tax for 1923.....	86 45	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 56	
William H. McLaren—About 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Perham street, being lot 79, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Catherine C. McLaughlin—About 1,952 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cass street, being lot 17A, C. B. Humphrey plan, November 15, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14727, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
George F. McLaughlin—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cass street, being lot 17B, C. B. Humphrey plan, November 15, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14728, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 3,738 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cass street, being lot F, W. C. Bates plan, September 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2554, page 597, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Mary McLean—About 22,300 feet of land lying in the rear from the south-easterly side of Washington street, being lot 32, W. C. Bates plan, March 20, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12337, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
John M. Merkel (supposed present owner Charles P. D. Desmond)—About 5,193 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vermont street, being lot 8, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Arthur J. Merlin—Buildings and about 11,468 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, numbered 100, between an estate of Mary A. McIntyre and an estate of Daniel G. Merlin, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45	
Paid on account.....	60 00	
Balance due.....	26 45	
Najeib Meshaka (supposed present owner Good Realty Company)—About 5,899 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cowing street, being lot 74, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated February, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3610, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Henry E. Miller, Junior—Buildings and about 16,100 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Wren street, numbered 52, between an estate of Charles H. Bailey heirs or devisees and an estate of Mary C. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	197 60	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Jessie R. Minot—About 2,000 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 42, block D, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5533, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
William H. Mitchell—About 11,768 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 112, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 179, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	12 35	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Louis and Augusta Mix—About 1,146 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dana road, being lot 82, block 11, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Also about 1,209 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dana road, being lot 83, block 11, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Ellen Morse—Also about 10,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Billings street, making the northerly corner of Hamilton street, being lot 116, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 197, on file with Suffolk Deeds, moth assessment for 1922.....	1 30	
George A. Monroe—Also about 4,014 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 63, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Louise W. Moody—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hamilton street, numbered 17, between an estate of Ellen Morse and another estate of said Louise W. Moody, tax for 1923.....	44 46	
Martin and Margaret B. Moran—About 2,185 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oak road, being lot 54, block 2, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
John B. Morgan (supposed present owner Vincenzo Anglevi)—Also about 10,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut street, being lot 89, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	66	

Michael J. Norton—About 2,561 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cherry road, being lots 11 and 12, block 8, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 2,841 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cherry road, being lots 9 and 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
John W. Nutting—Buildings and about 3,150 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornhill street, numbered 290, between an estate of Anna Sittig and an estate of Harry M. Strickland and another, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45
Paid on account.....	40 00
Balance due.....	46 45
Edward O'Connell—About 4,107 feet of land on the easterly side of Vogel street, being lot 36, block G, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12770, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Bessie Ollman and Rosie Friedberg—Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Schabert street, being lot 107, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 5, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2018, page 497, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Ann M. Olson—About 1,662 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 16, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Maria Olson—About 1,579 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 15, block F, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 1,537 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 17, block F, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Gertrude L. O'Neill—Buildings and about 8,342 feet of land on the westerly side of Stratford street, numbered 9, between an estate of Alice G. Fleming and an estate of Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustees, tax for 1923.....	158 08
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
John O'Neill—About 2,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Crosstown avenue, being lot 16A, block K, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3171, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
John H. O'Rourke—About 10,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut street, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, May 15, 1906, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14729, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65
Also about 10,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prospect street, being lot 164, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moith assessment for 1923.....	1 00
Also about 4,524 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Prospect street, being lots 1 and 2, G. W. Bartlett plan, June 10, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Kathleen A. O'Rourke—About 10,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut street, adjoining an estate of Alexander F. Wilson, being lot 79, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65
Margaret F. Osborne—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Boston terrace, numbered 7, between an estate of Bertha M. Day and an estate of Rudolph G. Widmer, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10182, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Inga C. Osborne—About 1,633 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Linden road, at angle adjoining another estate of said Osborne, being lot 9, block 10, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,553 feet of land on the westerly side of Linden road, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,536 feet of land on the westerly side of Linden road, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Ellen O'Sullivan—Buildings and about 5,884 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Redlands road, numbered 31, adjoining an estate of Willard P. Whittemore, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11822, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	72 90
Alice B. Packard—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fletcher street, numbered 64, between an estate of Ellen C. Carney and an estate of Lillian M. Stone, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Charles L. Paine and James E. Freeman—About 6,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winslow street, adjoining an estate of Albert C. Smith, being lot 145, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 5,987 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winslow street, being lot 205, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Ella N. Palm—About 4,410 feet of land on the easterly side of Salmon street, adjoining an estate of Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc., being lot 14, block J, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8121, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Helen F. Parker—About 9,331 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Gould street, adjoining another estate of said Parker, being lot 52, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 9,331 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gould street, adjoining an estate of Abbie M. Duquet, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 7,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hart street, adjoining an estate of Ellen V. Murphy and others, being lot 43, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated July 12, 1882, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1597, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Also about 7,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hart street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Also about 10,633 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hart street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Nellie J. Parsons—About 10,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Eagle street, adjoining an estate of William F. Nye, being lots 42 and 43, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Lawrence Perkins—About 3,025 feet of land on the westerly side of Nut street, adjoining another estate of said Perkins, being lot 29, block B, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16298, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,084 feet of land on the westerly side of Nut street, being lot 30, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16298, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Belle M. Peters—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Deldorf street, making the easterly corner of Westmoor street, adjoining another estate of said Peters, being lot 240, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 239, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Alexander Phillips—About 3,478 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, adjoining an estate of Harry Potter, being lots 2 and 3, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 1,179 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Mary I. Poland—About 5,818 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brook Farm road, making the easterly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of said Poland, being lot 1, block 17, J. W. Morrison plan, dated April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2220, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Benjamin Pope—About 10,843 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, adjoining another estate of said Pope, being lot H, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 10,362 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot G, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Eli Porter—About 6,767 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Altair road, adjoining an estate of Brenda V. Bennett and others, being lot 43, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Lovett Porter—Buildings and about 5,979 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, numbered 131, between an estate of Najen J. Maloof and an estate of Charles Houl, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Helen L. Potter—About 1,350 feet of land, lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wren street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss; northeasterly by an estate of Margaret F. Tinker; southeasterly by an estate of Agnes M. Finneran and southwesterly by an estate of Robert T. Hathaway, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
James A. Quigley—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Capital street, adjoining another estate of said Quigley, being lot 8, William E. Hannan plan, dated October 12, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3279, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Capital street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 5,001 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Selwyn street, adjoining an estate of State Street Trust Company, trustees, being lot 107, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated September 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, page 433, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 5,878 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dent street, adjoining an estate of Wilbur F. Beale, being lot 237, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Frederick Rasmussen—About 3,094 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, adjoining an estate of Annie E. Higgins, being lot 123, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 76, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 2,960 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 78, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Catherine Ratigan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glenham street, making the northerly corner of Perham street, adjoining an estate of Francis G. Washburn, being lot 1, block 14, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	4 94

John J. Reardon—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eagle street, adjoining an estate of George J. Foran, being lot 128, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Robert F. Reissman—About 3,064 feet of land on the northerly side of Chertton road, adjoining an estate of said J. W. Wilbur Company, Inc., being lot 331, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated August 14, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3765, moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Horace B. Rice—About 4,412 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Amesbury street, making the southerly corner of Baker street, adjoining an estate of Hannah M. Sullivan, being lot 1, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Tax for 1922.....	7 41
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 6,374 feet of land on the easterly side of Hawthorne street, numbered 20, between an estate of Sophie Molsen and an estate of Lulla A. Eaton, tax for 1923.....	79 04
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Walter G. Richardson—About 5,337 feet of land on the westerly side of Willowdean avenue, adjoining an estate of Annie M. Murphy, being lot 47, W. C. Bates plan, dated August 1, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4021, page 594, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Willowdean avenue, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923....	4 94
Also about 9,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Parkvale road, making the junction of Willowdean avenue, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....	11 82
Also about 4,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, making the southerly corner of Ferndale road, adjoining an estate of Adaline F. Thomas, being lot 331, Walter C. Bates plan, dated March 1, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4337, page 476, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	29 65
Celia Richman—Buildings and about 5,274 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maple street, numbered 6, making the westerly corner of Centre street, adjoining an estate of John M. Lane, moth assessment for 1922.....	66
William L. Roberts—About 5,593 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dent street, adjoining an estate of Frank Holland, being lot 246, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 5,656 (assessed as 5,626) feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dent street, being lot 244, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 6,028 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, adjoining another estate of said Roberts, being lot 14, Walter C. Bates plan, dated November 1, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4426, page 254, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Moth assessment for 1923.....	85
Also about 3,284 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Roberts avenue, adjoining an estate of Guy P. Walton, being lot 16, George H. Wood plan, dated May 29, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2359, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also buildings and about 7,210 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oriole street, numbered 63, between an estate of said Roberts and an estate of Arthur M. Wyman and another, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 85
Augustus O. Roberts—About 4,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Martin T. Daley, being lot 202, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
William A. Roberts—About 3,453 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Park terrace, adjoining an estate of Helen A. Shaw and others, being lot 8, C. H. W. Wood plan, dated May 31, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3603, page 523, tax for 1923.....	12 35
John B. Robinson, Trustee Charles River Real Estate Trust—About 14,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Rand street, being a lot shown on J. Edwin Jones plan, September 16, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2310, page 131, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 124,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwest-erly side of Rand street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Robinson, trustee, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Albert J. and Eunice T. Robinson—Buildings and about 6,796 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metro-politan avenue, numbered 101 and 103, between an estate of Eunice T. Robinson and an estate of Joseph Old-field, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Eunice T. Robinson—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the south-esterly side of Kittredge street, num-bered 172, between an estate of Edith E. MacKenzie and another estate of said Robinson, tax for 1923.....	192 66
Also about 7,905 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, making the southerly corner of Kittredge street, being lot 4, J. Edwin Jones plan, July 2, 1892, re-corded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2148, page 257, tax for 1923.....	64 22
John G. Rosborough—About 5,577 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Welton road, making the westerly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Oscar Johnson and an- other, being lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, January 15, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14794, tax for 1923.....	17 29
George W. Rosnosky—About 8,090 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Partridge street, adjoining another estate of said Rosnosky, being lot 8, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated March 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1782, page 8, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 7,320 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Partridge street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Alice F. Rushton—About 5,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Hill street, adjoining another estate of said Rushton, being lot 28, shown on assessors' plan, on file with Suffolk Deeds, volume 10, page 189, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	13 83
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00
Also about 5,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Hill street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Hill street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Hill street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50
Maria V. T. Russo—Buildings and about 13,165 feet of land on the northeast-erly side of Dudley avenue, numbered 194, between an estate of William G. Haberland and another and an estate of Ida L. Hemmann, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Maurice F. Ryan—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Capital street, adjoining an estate of Albert J. Sawyer, being lot 20, William E. Hannan plan, dated October 12, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3275, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Chester E. Sampson—About 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Birch road, adjoining an estate of Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc., being lots 3 and 4, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, re-corded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Helen A. Sanborn—About 3,655 feet of land on the westerly side of Heldun street, adjoining another estate of said Sanborn, being lot 5, George B. Smith plan, dated March 22, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3099, page 428, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also buildings and about 3,655 feet of land on the westerly side of Heldun street, numbered 16, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Leona M. Savage—About 3,444 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 147, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,698 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 148, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Also about 4,248 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, being lot 133, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Also about 4,296 feet of land on the southerly side of Ellswood street, making the junction of Farragut street, being lot 131, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Also about 4,712 feet of land on the southerly side of Ellswood street, being lot 127, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Gerald J. Savage—About 4,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, adjoining another estate of said Savage, being lot 132, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,322 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, making the junction of Ellswood street, being lot 169, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Albert J. Sawyer—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Capital street, adjoining another estate of said Sawyer, being lot 19, William E. Hannan plan, dated October 12, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3279, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Capital street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Caroline Schemack—Buildings and about 5,091 feet of land on the northwest-erly side of Birch street, numbered 111, between an estate of Lucy V. Thuresson and an estate of Frank A. Grottendeck and another, tax for 1923,.....	24 70
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	18 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Robert Schlosky—About 4,253 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rawston road, making the northerly corner of Ethel street, adjoining an estate of Ernest M. Flint and another, being lot 13, and a strip of 578 feet shown on W. C. Bates plan, dated October 1, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3492, apportion-ment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	13 49
Joseph A. Schneider—About 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dent street, adjoining an estate of Mary Murray, being lot 6, block 7, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Fritz B. Schwede—Buildings and about 4,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington Heights avenue, numbered 17 and 19, between an estate of Ayoub Maloof and an estate of Kaleal Faysal, tax for 1923, \$135 85 Paid on account.....	25 00
Balance due.....	110 85
Robert E. Scott—About 4,346 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Schiller road, adjoining an estate of Allan MacDonald, being lot 53, W. F. Whitman plan, dated August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	20 85
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	4 94
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1922.....	21 55
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 00
Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.—About 2,622 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bungalow road, being lots 4 and 5, block M, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12398, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,205 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bungalow road, being lot 6, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4415, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,857 feet of land on the easterly side of Wright road, adjoining an estate of Axel J. Pearson, being lot 5, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9665, moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00
Also about 4,865 feet of land on the easterly side of New Haven street, being lot 33, block E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry Dis-trict of Land Court, certificate num-ber 15795, tax for 1923.....	2 47

Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	James Sheehan—About 4,883 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Harwood street, adjoining an estate of Margaret Sheehan, being lot 19, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,243 feet of land on the westerly side of Centre street, being lot 11, block 11, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9665, tax for 1923.....	1 94					Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 136, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95					Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,683 feet of land on the easterly side of Salmon street, being lot 51, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3734, tax for 1923.....	2 47					Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 134, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 1,541 feet of land on the easterly side of Pine road, adjoining an estate of Mary J. Driscoll, being lots 13 and 14, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47					Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50					Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,647 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 86, block 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47					Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50					Also about 3,960 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 116, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 2,340 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, adjoining an estate of John Albert Addison, being the westerly side of lot 4, block I, the part remaining after widening, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47					Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50					Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 2,340 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, adjoining an estate of John Albert Addison, being the westerly side of lot 4, block I, the part remaining after widening, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47					Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50					Also about 5,870 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winslow street, being lot 204, Garbett and Wood plan, April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Thomas C. and Bertha M. Sellon—About 4,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, making the westerly corner of Alta Crest, adjoining an estate of Jessie H. Christie, being lot 73, Robert C. Hunter plan, dated September, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923.....	9 88					Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50					Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Annie G. Sewall—Buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brookdale street, numbered 37, between an estate of John McEvoy and another and an estate of Ida A. Wahlberg, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	11 93					Also about 3,509 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 149, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1921.....	66					Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Elizabeth Shannon—About 6,410 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, adjoining another estate of said Shannon, being the northwesterly part of lot 2, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	9 90					Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Park street, being lot 15, block 7, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	25 34					Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	4 78
Also about 6,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, being lot 3, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	27 54					Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 6,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, being lot 4, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	27 54					Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Hamlin J. Shaw—About 15,076 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, making the westerly corner of Lark street, adjoining an estate of Catherine F. Prescott and another, being lot 58, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 193, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	17 29					Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 30					Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Johanna L. Shea—About 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Edgemere road, adjoining another estate of said Shea, being lot 70, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, moth assessment for 1921.....	50					Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Arthur J. Shedd—About 563 feet of land on the westerly side of Pine road, adjoining an estate of Andor J. Sandvold, being lot 14, block 7, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47					John F. Smith—About 2,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hinsdale road, being lot 199, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50					Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47					Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50					Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1921.....	2 47					Also about 2,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hinsdale road, being lot 200, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50					Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Margaret Sheehan—About 4,632 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Harwood street, adjoining another estate of said Sheehan, being lot 17, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	2 47					Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,922 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Harwood street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47					Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
						Sons of Jacob Association—About 65,340 feet of land on the southeasterly side of a 20-foot passageway, leading from the northwesterly side of Grove street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly and southwesterly by an estate of Congregation Alath Jushurum; northerly and northwesterly by a 20-foot passageway, northeasterly by an estate of Association Tifereth Israel and southerly and southeasterly by the line which divides the City of Boston from the Town of Dedham, moth assessment for 1922.....	85
						Benjamin T. Soule—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Alder street, being lot 100, Nathaniel Smith plan, January, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	2 47

George A. Spear—About 4,247 feet of land (assessed as 4257) feet of land on the northeasterly side of McKenna terrace, being lot 9, Nathaniel Smith plan, June 3, 1884, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Also about 4,567 feet of land on the northeasterly side of McKenna terrace, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Also about 5,090 feet of land on the northeasterly side of McKenna terrace, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Also about 24,508 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasant street, being lot 38, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 81, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	29 64	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 27,673 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of William T. Seegar; northeasterly by another estate of said Spear; southeasterly by estates of Harriet A. Wiswall and William T. Condey and southwesterly by La Grange street, tax for 1923.....	59 28	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	27 71	
Also about 8,166 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Prospect street, being lot 23, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 11,562 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Prospect street, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 7,696 feet of land on the southerly side of Moreland street, making the southeasterly corner of Prospect street, being lot 59, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 9,100 feet of land on the southerly side of Moreland street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
David Spellman—About 3,410 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 193, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Henry G. Spicer—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Perham street, making the easterly corner of Glenham street, being lot 14, Block 7, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 78	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Caroline Sprague—About 6,448 feet of land on the westerly side of Cottage avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Curlew street, being lot 25, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Fred C. Steadman—Buildings and about 5,099 feet of land on the southerly side of South street, numbered 1032, between an estate of John Shaw and another and an estate of William S. and Clarence Van Brocklin, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Elizabeth G. Stein—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fairview street, numbered 40, between an estate of Jane I. Reed and an estate of Kate J. Fraser, tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Harry E. Stevens—About 4,660 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dent street, making the southerly corner of Vermont street, adjoining an estate of Clara E. Pinkham, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Christina V. Stewart—Buildings and about 8,074 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brown avenue, numbered 138, making the northerly corner of Prospect avenue, between an estate of Mary H. Dakin and an estate of Blanche L. M. Curtis, tax for 1923.....	130 91	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Annie G. Stockinger—About 2,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hinsdale road, being lot 160, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 2,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hinsdale road, being lot 159, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Leslie K. Storrs, Trustee William S. Mitchell Estate—About 871 feet of land on the southerly side of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Centre street, easterly by an estate of Arthur B. Cutter, southerly by an estate of Charles F. Moulton heirs, westerly by an estate of Warren F. Freeman, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Vincent E. Stuart—Buildings and about 3,360 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sycamore street, numbered 75, between another estate of said Stuart and an estate of Sun Chemical Company, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....	83 50	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 3,492 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wright street, making the easterly corner of Sycamore street, being lot 20, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated July 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2154, page 627, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 4,186 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wright street, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 3,947 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wright street, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 3,792 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wright street, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Arthur F. Stucklen—About 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glendower road, being lot 26, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	23 04	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 32	
Mary Sullivan—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dent street, being lot 7, block 14, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Mary E. Sullivan, two thirds, and Mary M. Sullivan, one third—Buildings and about 7,134 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Granville street, numbered 31, between an estate of Rosa Munchback and an estate of Louise Shuthers, tax for 1923, Sun Chemical Company—Buildings and about 12,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sycamore street, numbered 77, between an estate of Mary E. Gorham and another and an estate of Vincent E. Stuart, tax for 1923.....	49 40	
Swiss Embroidery Company—Buildings and about 10,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut street, being lot 78, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16389, tax for 1921.....	46 93	
Charles F. D. Tabler—About 2,975 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 304, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
George A. Taintor, Trustee—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arthur street, being lot 143, J. Edwin Jones plan, August 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1838, page 11, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 5,213 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Worley street, making the westerly corner of Dwinell street, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	13 53	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 08	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	13 12	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 4,107 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1922, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	13 12	
Tax for 1923.....	1 00	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	12 73	
Also about 4,670 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1922, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	10 08	
Tax for 1923.....	85	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 77	
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arthur street, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
William E. Tappan—About 3,171 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cheriton road, making the southerly corner of Edgemere road, being lot 10, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,732 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cheriton road, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Alcide Thibodeau—About 1,788 feet of land on the westerly side of Stinson road, being lot 5, block D, Hodges and George plan, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Charles Thistle—About 2,433 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pond road, being lots 11 and 12, block 4, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Edward Thomas—About 1,863 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Birch road, being lot 19, block 1, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Eva P. Thomas—About 3,640 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stellman road, being lot 493, Walter C. Bates plan, March 1, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4337, page 476, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Margaret F., two sixths, Henry G., one sixth, Helen N., one sixth, Marion K., one sixth and Dorothy G. Tinker, one sixth—Buildings and about 5,415 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wren street, numbered 103, making the southerly corner of Oriole street, between an estate of Margaret F. Tinker and an estate of Harriet I. V. Morse, tax for 1923.....	185 25	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Margaret F. Tinker—About 1,425 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wren street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Margaret F. Tinker and others; northeasterly by Wren street; southeasterly by an estate of Agnes M. Finneran, and southwesterly by an estate of Helen L. Potter, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 20	
John F. Tirrell—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farquhar street, being lot 60, Garbett and Wood plan, November 1, 1886, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1750, page 39, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Elizabeth H. Titus—About 5,275 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pierpont road, making the westerly corner of Manthorne road, adjoining an estate of Hattie E. Titus and another, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, May 6, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12941, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 48	
Hannah Trafford—About 4,249 feet of land on the southerly side of Manchester street, making the southwesterly corner of Newfield street, being lot 35, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Harry F. Trask—About 4,242 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stellman road, being lot 461, Walter C. Bates plan, March 1, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4337, page 476, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Charles E. Tucker (supposed present owner Leona M. Savage)—About 3,191 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farrarut street, being lot 146, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,966 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 144, same plan, tax for 1923, Also about 2,745 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 143, same plan, tax for 1923, Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Cushing street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	

Henry Tulp—About 2,748 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Edmore road, being lot 36, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Thomas Van Dyl Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 3,668 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornell street, numbered 261, making the easterly corner of Bellevue avenue, adjoining an estate of Louise W. S. Rausch, tax for 1923.....	29 64	
Also about 5,807 feet of land on the easterly side of Bellevue avenue, being lot 218, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
John J. Vogel—About 5,820 feet of land on the southerly side of Fowle street, being lot 6, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 21, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2051, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Anastasia E. Vogel—Buildings and about 5,459 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, numbered 334, adjoining an estate of Frances C. Gearin, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7924, tax for 1923.....	185 25	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 26	
James C. Walsh—About 1,953 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 281, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1921.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Guy P. Walton—About 3,350 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Roberts avenue, being lot 17, George W. Wood plan, May 29, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2359, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Abby A. Waters—Buildings and about 6,529 feet of land on the northerly side of South street, numbered 909, making the northeasterly corner of Fletcher street, adjoining an estate of Alexander M. Chute, tax for 1923.....	172 90	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
J. Franklin Waters—Buildings and about 2,340 feet of land on the southwesterly side of South street, numbered 754 and 754A, between an estate of Jacob Burger and another and an estate of William H. Jenness, tax for 1923.....	296 40	
James Waters Heirs—About 5,374 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Frances street, extending through to Baker street, being lot 58, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
John F. and Abbie A. Waters (supposed present owner Frederick H. Jackson)—Buildings and about 5,564 feet of land on the southerly side of South street, numbered 1000, between an estate of Anton Anderson and an estate of Etta C. Ames, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Florence E. Watts (reassessed to Caroline P. Krebs)—About 3,669 feet of land, assessed as 5,002 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cohasset street, between another estate of said Krebs and an estate of Charles Krebs, tax for 1922.....	19 76	
Robert Watts—About 6,050 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Montvale street, being lot 70, Garbett and Wood plan, April 1, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1876, tax for 1923.....	22 23	
A. M. Charlotte Weeber—Buildings and about 4,298 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Howitt road, numbered 15, between an estate of Louis M. Hammond and an estate of Winifred R. Martin, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 43	
Also buildings and about 5,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Church street, numbered 17, between an estate of Orasmus H. Hodgkins and an estate of Anna J. Nichols, tax for 1923.....	197 60	
Anna C. Wellington and Martha S. Arkush (supposed present owner Constantinos Hencos)—About 7,153 feet of land on the westerly side of Centre street, being lot 23, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 209, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 70	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Willard Welsh—About 55,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ansonia road (formerly Ansonia street), making the northerly corner of Baker street, adjoining an estate of Erick H. Olson, tax for 1921.....	54 34	
Moth assessment for 1921.....	1 52	
Tax for 1923.....	54 34	
Also about 5,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Belle avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Joseph B. Thomas heirs or devisees, westerly by an estate of Simon Singer, southerly by an estate of John F. Keyes and easterly by Belle avenue, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
S. Belle Wetherbee—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Willet street, being lot 106, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
John L. Wetmore (reassessed from Francis W. and Bertina V. Roberts)—Buildings and about 5,139 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Landseer street extension, numbered 84, between an estate of George L. Fisher and another and an estate of Francis W. Robertson and another, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 90	
John H. White—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carroll street, being lot 37, W. F. Whitman plan, August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Robert J. White—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goethe street, being lot 13, W. F. Whitman plan, August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 00	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
George T. Whittier—About 10,870 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prospect street, being lot 11, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 14,146 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prospect street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
J. W. Wilbur, Inc.—About 315,844 feet of land on the northeasterly side of the East Boundary Road of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly and southeasterly by an estate of Edward W. Grew and another; northwesterly by an estate of William F. Crafts and others and an estate of Abby B. Hogan and southwesterly by the Stony Brook Reservation, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Also about 32,690 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, being a lot shown on C. G. Norris and A. W. Badger plan December, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3860, page 639, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 00	
Also about 4,341 feet of land on the easterly side of Grove street, being lot 15, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 6,185 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Edgemere road, being lot 27, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Adam Wilhauck—About 6,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Beech street, being lot 8, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
William Williams—About 4,671 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, making the westerly corner of Vermont street, being lot 33, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hemlock street, numbered 39, between an estate of Helen M. Gobron and an estate of Agostino Molone, tax for 1923.....	66 69	
Also about 4,731 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Libbey street, making the northerly corner of Vermont street, being lot 34, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Leah Witt—About 1,984 feet of land on the westerly side of Overlook road, being lot 4, Hodges and George plan, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
James G. Wolfe—About 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 128, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1921.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	
Tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Katherine Wunderlich and Lillies Leveves—About 71,900 feet of land on the southerly side of Allandale street, making the westerly corner of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Allandale street; easterly by Centre street; southerly by an estate of Rowe Contracting Company; and westerly by an estate of Channing W. Souther, tax for 1923.....	106 21	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	7 05	
Charles W. Young—Buildings and about 4,522 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hillcrest street (numbered 33), making the westerly corner of Lorette street, adjoining an estate of Frank B. George and another, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	185 25	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 30	
WARD TWENTY-FOUR.	17 37	
William L. B. Adams—Buildings and about 7,570 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 965, between an estate of Annie J. Anderson and an estate of Grace C. Adams, tax for 1923.....	\$71 63	
Antonio Aiello—Buildings and about 4,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, numbered 1799, adjoining an estate of Osia F. Bond, tax for 1923.....	\$69 16	
Paid on account.....	15 95	
Balance due.....	53 21	
Ellen Allen—About 4,255 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Burnham street, adjoining an estate of Martha A. E. Pierce, being lot 64, Charles E. C. Breck plan, dated January, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2336, page 511, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 82	
Eva J. Allen—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orlando street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Boie, devisees, being lot 32, block U, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 486, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Daniel L. Anderson—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 11, block U, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8656, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Mary Anderson—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blake street, adjoining an estate of Edwin F. Bernard and another, being lot 114, C. E. Varney plan, dated December, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Michael Andrychenski—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lot 243, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Sebastino Angelico—About 3,829 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, making the westerly corner of Currier street, adjoining an estate of Dominico Sicuso, being lots 138 and 139, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Frank Anustase—About 6,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Messina, being lots 86, 87 and 88, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Mary Etta Aronson—Buildings and about 47,097 feet of land on the easterly side of Arlington street, numbered 55, between an estate of Augusta L. Dowley and an estate of Alfred W. Newell and another, tax for 1923.....	\$261 82	
Paid on account.....	214 55	
Balance due.....	47 27	

Belle Ashe—About 4,548 feet of land on the northerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 26, block M, E. P. Sellow plan, dated June 23, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6800, tax for 1923	2 47	recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 93, plan Book 3, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923	19 76
Margaret E. Baker—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody trustee, being lots 279 and 280, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923	1 40
Tax for 1923	2 47	Anna E. Black—About 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifford street, adjoining an estate of Arthur Isherwood, being lot 228, H. T. Whitman plan, dated January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 816, plan Book 3, tax for 1923	14 82
Louis E. Barber—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Bessie Walsh, being lot 70, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922	9 88	Mary Blaney—About 3,711 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Elene street, making the northerly corner of Wabash street, being lot 4, block I, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3767, tax for 1922	2 47
Tax for 1923	9 88	Tax for 1923	2 47
Annie M. Barrar—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tampa street, adjoining an estate of Frank Grant, being lots 310 and 311, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923	4 94	Rebecca Blinderman—About 4,494 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollowell street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Heller, being lot 7, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated July, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3498, page 149, tax for 1922	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment 1923	8 16	Moth assessment for 1922	50
Also about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Canaan street, adjoining an estate of William J. McGregor, being lot 54, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923	2 47	Tax for 1923	2 47
Margaret F. Barry—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stoughton avenue, adjoining an estate of Hiram E. S. Waldron, being lot 47, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in assessors' office, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	7 50	Moth assessment for 1923	50
Clinton Beckwith and John B. Quackenbush—About 9,711 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattakeset street, making the northerly corner of Edgewater drive, adjoining an estate of Burgess Penio, being lot 8 and the northwesterly part of lot 9, Charles C. Richardson plan, dated May, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923	19 76	Stella Boghosian—About 5,834 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, adjoining an estate of Alfred Earle, being lot 13, block J, E. P. Seller plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1404, tax for 1922	4 94
John Bell—About 30,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Baker street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; southwesterly by an estate of Daniel McLaughlin; southeasterly by an estate of Samuel Myers <i>et al.</i> , and northwesterly by Baker street, tax for 1921	12 35	Tax for 1923	4 94
Tax for 1923	12 35	John Boland—About 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, adjoining an estate of Patrick F. Mulhern, being lot 73, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923	9 88
Rebecca Bermack and Helen Kalant—Buildings and about 6,275 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hiawatha road, numbered 63, between an estate of James McKenna and an estate of Helen B. McNeill, tax for 1923	148 20	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	5 86
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	13 36	George A. Bowley—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wood avenue, adjoining an estate of Edson J. Steward, being lots 489 and 490, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923	4 94
Harry C. Bickmore, reassessed from Elizabeth C. Bickmore, Heirs or Devises.—About 888,819 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Upton street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by Upton street; northwesterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston, and southeasterly by an estate of Nathaniel Safford, tax for 1923	59 28	Moth assessment for 1923	50
Moth assessment for 1923	9 75	Anna C. Bradeen—About 4,037 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hiawatha road, adjoining an estate of Frederick W. Abbott, being lot 75, Granger and Hobart plan, dated October 31, 1871, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1078, page 269, tax for 1922	12 35
Also about 184,404 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by an estate of Alfred Foster heirs or devisees and the Stony Brook Reservation; northwesterly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard; southwesterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, and southeasterly by an estate of Alfred Foster, trustee, tax for 1923	12 35	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922	11 19
Also about 65,000 feet of land on the easterly side of the boundary line which divides the City of Boston from the town of Dedham, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by the boundary line of Boston and Dedham; northeasterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; and southeasterly by an estate of City of Boston (Fairview Cemetery), tax for 1923	4 94	Moth assessment for 1922	85
Clarence W. and Ruth Bigney—About 9,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Neponset avenue, adjoining an estate of Sarah J. Scrivens, being lot 44, Charles Breck and Sons plan, dated October, 1858,		Tax for 1923	12 35
		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	10 79
		James Brennan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, adjoining an estate of Mary T. Shea, being lot 124, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923	7 41
		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	10 56
		Moth assessment for 1923	95
		Dennis A. Bresnahan—About 5,936 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Austin street, making the northerly corner of Chestnut street, adjoining an estate of Louis Averbuck, tax for 1923	22 23
		Moth assessment for 1923	1 45
		Jennie L. Brown—About 4,196 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of said Brown, being lot 127, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3136, page 433, tax for 1923	7 41
		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	6 96
		Also 4,262 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining another estate of said Brown, being lot 128, same plan, tax for 1923	7 41
		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	6 96
		Also about 5,435 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of said Brown, being lot 129, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	11 48
		Also buildings and about 12,459 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, numbered 41, between an estate of Thomas E. Nolan and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923	59 28
		Alfred C. and Helena Bryan—About 6,956 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, adjoining another estate of said Bryan and another, being lot 43, F. A. Foster plan, dated September 20, 1887, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 798, page 622, tax for 1923	12 35
		Also about 6,858 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923	12 35
		Also about 6,846 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923	12 35
		Also about 6,833 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 46, same plan, tax for 1923	12 35
		Also about 6,821 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1923	12 35
		Also about 6,809 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Also about 6,797 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Also about 6,784 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Also about 6,772 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Also about 6,760 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Also about 6,748 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Also about 6,736 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Moth assessment for 1923	95
		Also about 6,724 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Moth assessment for 1923	95
		Also about 4,878 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Also about 4,863 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Also about 4,848 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 69, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Moth assessment for 1923	95
		Also about 4,832 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 70, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Also about 4,817 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Also about 4,802 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
		Agrippino Buchieri—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 76 and 77, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923	4 94
		Robert E. Buffum—About 4,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, being lot 71, E. L. Moulton plan, February 8, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3136, page 433, tax for 1923	7 41
		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	6 08
		Moth assessment for 1923	65
		Kate P. Bullard—About 90 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jefferson street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of George A. Kelley and another, tax for 1922	2 47
		Tax for 1923	2 47
		Curtis H. Burt—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street, leading from the northwesterly side of Randolph road, being lot 16, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923	2 47
		Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street, leading from the northwesterly side of Randolph road, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47
		Moth assessment for 1923	50
		Also about 6,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richmond road, being lots 26 and 27, same plan, tax for 1923	12 35
		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	18 56
		Moth assessment for 1923	95
		Lawrence Cafarella—Buildings and about 5,609 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fairmount avenue, numbered 166, 168 and 170, making the northerly corner of Beacon street, adjoining an estate of Della E. Higgins, tax for 1923	160 55
		Paid on account	25 00
		Balance due	135 55
		Moth assessment for 1923	1 40

Daniel Callahan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harmon street formerly Roland road, adjoining an estate of Timothy Callahan, being lot 93, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
William Campbell—About 3,978 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Roseberry road, making the southerly corner of Randolph road, being lot 375, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Patrick J. Carroll Heirs—About 3,291 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakwood street, adjoining an estate of John W. B. Wenstedt, being lot 16, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	1 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Michael Cendola—About 6,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, making the southerly corner of Messenger street, adjoining an estate of Henry A. Turner, being lots 267, 268, 269 and 270, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 7,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Bradlee street, adjoining an estate of Carl Stohn, Inc., being lot 119, G. L. Richardson plan, dated May 1, 1893, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03		
Also about 11,875 feet of land on the southerly side of Brooks street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Brooks street; easterly and southerly by location of Stony brook, and westerly by an estate of John L. Mayer, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 5,936 feet of land on the westerly side of Austin street, making the northwesterly corner of Chestnut street, adjoining an estate of Louis Averbach, tax for 1921.....	22 23		
Moth assessment for 1921.....	1 01		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 66, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 67, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, adjoining an estate of William B. Foster, being lot 78, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 16		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, adjoining an estate of Thomas H. Logan, being the southeasterly part of lot 135, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 00		
Also about 11,551 feet of land on the westerly side of Grew avenue, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 36, shown on a plan dated December 12, 1906, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	1 94		
Also about 12,530 feet of land on the westerly side of Grew avenue, adjoining another lot of said Chadwick, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Michael Cendola, being lots 264, 265 and 266, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 246, 247 and 248, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 262 and 263, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 8,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, between an estate of Michael J. Mulkerin and an estate of William B. Toomey, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 58		
Also about 8,950 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 41, G. L. Richardson plan, dated February, 1870, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 8,950 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, adjoining an estate of Alexo Dacho, being lots 39, 40 and 41, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	13 44		
Also about 6,922 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, adjoining an estate of Gaetano Celi, being lots 125, 126 and 127, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, adjoining an estate of Francesco Pino, being lots 155 and 156, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vernon street, adjoining an estate of J. Henry Leger, being lot 65, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book number 61, plan 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oakwood street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 67, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakwood street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakwood street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 69, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oakwood street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 70, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakwood street, adjoining an estate of John J. Mogan, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,317 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orchard street, adjoining an estate of Even Gronlund, being lot 143, C. E. Varney plan, dated December, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,039 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ridge road, adjoining an estate of Frank Woodhead, being lot 234, J. H. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,132 feet of land on the westerly side of Seminole street, adjoining an estate of Peter McClenen, being lots 248 and 249, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 16		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Seminole street, adjoining an estate of Peter Fossa, being lots 200 and 201, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 16		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 17,622 feet of land on the northerly side of a proposed street, adjoining an estate of Caroline F. Seaverns, being lot 38, on a plan, dated December 12, 1906, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,987 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thatcher street, adjoining an estate of Sarah A. MacDonald, being lot 46, as shown on assessors' plan 4, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 25		
Also about 5,227 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, adjoining an estate of said Chadwick, being lot 162, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 5,220 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 163, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 5,212 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, adjoining an estate of said Chadwick, being lot 164, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 5,207 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 165, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50		
Also about 4,164 feet of land on the easterly side of Weybosset street, making the southeasterly corner of Randolph road, adjoining an estate of Daniel Kenney, being lots 91 and 92, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 150,718 feet of land on the southeasterly side of the Dedham parkway and the line which divides Dedham and Boston, adjoining an estate of Emma F. Goldsmith, as shown on John R. Rablin plan, January 20, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3788, page 481, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 8,426 feet of land on the northerly side of Haven avenue, adjoining an estate of John H. Stark heirs or devisees, being lot 170, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hyde Park avenue, adjoining an estate of Charlotte W. Gilman, being lot 65, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 156, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Also about 7,454 feet of land on the easterly side of Wood avenue, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Wood avenue, northerly by an estate of Elmer R. Fernald, easterly by an estate of Alexander H. Grav and southerly by estates of Jacob Stanger and Paul V. Wajcik, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Ethel Chapper—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walk Hill street, numbered 701, between an estate of Sarah E. L. Meyer and an estate of Rose Elkin, tax for 1923.....	192 66		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 76		
Sarah, William, Harry J. and Leo Charak (reassessed from Samuel Cridenberg)—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 33, block L. E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12969, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Michael F. Clarke—About 3,622 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 11, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,637 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,621 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 5,062 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pinewood street, being lot 100, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orchard street, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 00		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Also about 5,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orchard street, being lot 97, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Robert S. Clisby—About 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Parker street, being lot 23, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		

Charlotte M. Cole—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 64 and 65, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 6,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 71, 72 and 73, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Gertrude V. Corby—About 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of George street, being lot 5, unnamed plan, December 6, 1895, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 750, page 304, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of George street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Francis P. Cosgrove—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 2, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1865, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
James S. Coveney—About 5,514 feet of land on the northerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 6, G. L. Richardson plan, dated August, 1870, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, at end of Book 402, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	18 88		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 29		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40		
Also about 5,219 feet of land on the northerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 06		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 25		
Also about 4,705 feet of land on the southerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 75		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	17 02		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 45		
Also about 5,270 feet of land on the southerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 20		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	11 30		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 00		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 93		
Also about 5,760 feet of land on the southerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 07		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	12 89		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 84		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 46		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Also about 4,445 feet of land on the southerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 75		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	16 08		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 7,321 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 174, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1869, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 29		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Mary Coveney—About 2,954 feet of land on the northerly side of Jefferson street, being lot 69, shown on assessors' plan 4, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Mary Coveney Heirs or Devises—About 7,300 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jefferson street, being the southwesterly part of lot 69, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	9 88 9 88		
Arthur W. Crane—About 5,238 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wood avenue, making the easterly corner of Oakwood street, being lot 57, C. E. Varney plan (not dated), on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 91		
Also about 5,030 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 58, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 5,630 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wood avenue, making the southerly corner of Rutledge road, being lot 59, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Lillian Davis—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 19, block R, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Lorenzo DeBenedictis—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 10 and 11, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
William E. L. Dillaway and Michael M. Cuniff—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, making the easterly corner of Washington street, being lot 87, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 88, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 89, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,900 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 90, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 91, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
William E. L. Dillaway—About 200 feet of land on the southwesterly side and at end of Washington street, being a lot shown on G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,752 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being the northeasterly part of lot 178, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Saverio Dinapoli—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Meyer street, numbered 26, between an estate of Jacob Silevsky and an estate of Otino Vitello and another, tax for 1923.....	35 74		
Paid on account.....	13 66		
Balance due.....	35 74		
Nicola F. and Helna D. DiPietro—Buildings and about 57,630 feet of land on the southerly side of River street, numbered 1326 and 1330, making the southwesterly corner of Business street, adjoining an estate of John D. Rooney, trustee, tax for 1923.....	335 92		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	11 50		
Irving P. Dodge—About 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 105, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,750 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 64, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Amato Domenico—About 2,031 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 134 and 135, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
William Donegan—About 6,560 feet of land on the westerly side of Tyler street, making the southwesterly corner of Water street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Kelliher, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Catherine H. Donovan—About 3,943 feet of land on the westerly side of Upton street, being lots 71 and 72, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded Norfolk Deeds, plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
James K. Durning—About 4,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, being lot 55, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 60		
Francis W. Eldridge—About 5,227 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, being lot 162, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being the southeasterly part of lot 135, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28		
Mary C. Erickson—About 6,732 feet of land on the westerly side of Newburn street, being lot 202, Whitman and Breck plan, June, 1886, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1736, page 507, tax for 1922.....	9 88 9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Thomas M. Evans—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rutledge road, numbered 23, between an estate of Bridget A. Hilton and an estate of Daniel Morgan, tax for 1923.....	44 46		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 83		
Thomas Fallon, Trustee—Buildings and about 34,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Coleman street, numbered 9, making the easterly corner of Cleveland street, adjoining an estate of Thomas P. Sweeney, tax for 1922.....	\$91 39		
Paid on account.....	88 92		
Balance due.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
John Faust—About 10,493 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Canterbury street, being lots 15, 16, 16A, 17 and 18, E. A. W. Ham-matt plan, May 4, 1889, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1873, tax for 1922.....	24 70 24 70		
Tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Also about 5,202 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, being lot 166, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 8,807 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 88, same plan, tax for 1922.....	17 29		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 68		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 63		
Tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 36		
Also about 8,816 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 89, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 63		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 34		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 34		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 97, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 06		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 86		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 98, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 06		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 86		

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Tax for 1923.....	56 81
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 06	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 73, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 83,510 (assessed as 82,000) feet of land on the northeasterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being the southwesterly part of lots 184, 185, 186 and 187, same plan, tax for 1921.....	81 51
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 09	Moth assessment for 1921.....	16 50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 86	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 74, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	81 51
Also about 9,463 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eustis terrace, being a lot shown on Frederick P. Hall plan, August, 1909, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also about 9,300 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 75, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 90
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 13	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Also about 16,817 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Eustis terrace, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1922.....	29 64
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 10,300 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 87, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 08
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 13	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	Also about 8,175 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 21, G. L. Richardson plan, dated October 1, 1887, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 6,375 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being the westerly part of lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 13	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50	Also about 6,465 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 262, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 8,453 feet of land on the southerly side of Arlington street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 6,358 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 263, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 85	Also about 5,274 feet of land on the southerly side of Arlington street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 6,252 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 264, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
John Ficichy—Buildings and about 6,660 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Davison street, numbered 77, making the southerly corner of West street, adjoining an estate of Mary Keegan, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80	Also about 12,482 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Central avenue, being the southerly part of lot 64, same plan, tax for 1921.....	14 82	Also about 6,145 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 265, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Paid on account.....	80 00	Moth assessment for 1921.....	2 53	Also about 6,039 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 266, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Balance due.....	18 80	Tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 5,932 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 267, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 85	Also about 5,816 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 268, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
James J. Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 2,858 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Nelson street, numbered 5, between an estate of Rita Wheelwright and another estate of said Fitzgerald, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 03	Also about 5,950 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Central avenue, being the northwesterly part of lot 66, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 5,719 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 269, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also buildings and about 5,243 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Nelson street, numbered 7, making the northerly corner of Damrell avenue, adjoining another estate of said Fitzgerald, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 03	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 54	Also about 5,613 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 270, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
James E. Fitzgibbon—About 3,726 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richards avenue, between an estate of Alfonso Cairtarese and another (numbered 36) and an estate of Frank Picozzi, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Nott street, between an estate of Ann Smith heirs or devisees (numbered 11) and an estate of John W. Hudson (numbered 15), tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 5,506 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 271, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Frances A. Forsyth—Buildings and about 10,175 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 460, between an estate of Robert Brown and an estate of James S. Roberts and another, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Also about 6,820 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 70, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1887, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 5,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 272, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 35	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45	Also about 5,293 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 273, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Joseph J. Forsyth—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street, leading from the northwesterly side of Randolph road, being lot 15, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the easterly part of lot 153, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,187 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 274, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the easterly part of lot 154, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,750 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 275, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 7,030 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 14, G. L. Richardson plan, January 29, 1890, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 5054, plan number 2552, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the easterly part of lot 155, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 7,032 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richmond road, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	70	Also about 7,035 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85	Also about 6,225 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Reservoir street, being lot 28, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January 29, 1890, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 54, plan number 2552, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 7,037 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	71	Also about 7,040 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28	Also about 6,275 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Reservoir street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 7,042 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Also about 9,389 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Summit street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 7,045 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Joseph Fortunato—About 8,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 78, 79, 80, 81 and 82, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 20	Also about 7,752 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	22 40	Also about 9,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Summit street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 19,638 feet of land on the westerly side of Metropolitan avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Jefferson street, adjoining an estate of Thomas F. Callahan (numbered 681 Metropolitan avenue), tax for 1923,.....	39 52
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 20	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40
Alfred Foster—About 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 161, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 10,234 feet of land on the westerly side of Metropolitan avenue, being the easterly part of lot 68, G. L. Richardson plan, dated October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 13,954 feet of land on the northerly side of Walnut street, between an estate of Harriet P. Goodhue (numbered 87) Maple street and an estate of Sylvester A. Gardella, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95	Also about 7,730 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Nott street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by another estate of said Foster; northeasterly by an estate of John W. Hudson; southeasterly by an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; southwesterly by an estate of Margaret E. Ryan, tax for 1923.....	54 38
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 162, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 46,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lots 181, 182 and 183, C. L. Richardson plan, June, 1867, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 3, plan number 153, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1921.....	56 81		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00	Moth assessment for 1921.....	11 50		
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 163, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95				
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 164, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00				
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 165, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50				
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 16, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1887, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03				

Alfred Foster (reassessed from Benjamin N. and H. Louise Beck)—About 7,517 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by Metropolitan avenue; northwesterly by another estate of said Foster; southwesterly by an estate of Francis E. Grant and southeasterly by an estate of Benjamin N. Beck and another, tax for 1923.....	9 88	751, page 600, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 114, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 30
Alfred Foster, Heirs or Devises, two thirds; Marion B. Campbell, and Alice B. Hope, one third—About 10,858 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 22, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 4,850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 113, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 18,700 feet of land, on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, making the easterly corner of Washington street, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 30
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Also about 4,781 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 11,895 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,758 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 90
Also about 11,887 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,733 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 11,882 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,712 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 00
Also about 11,880 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 79, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 11,033 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lots 233 and 234, G. L. Richardson plan, February, 1870, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 16
Also about 11,882 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 10	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 77, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 14,036 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 40	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 16
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,186 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 235, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	8 10	Also about 49,730 feet of land on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being a lot shown on Clarence G. Norris plan, July 27, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4309, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Also about 483,952 feet of land, being two lots of land, one on the easterly side and one on the westerly side of Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Dedham Parkway); the westerly lot has a frontage of 429 feet on Dedham Parkway, between the Dedham Parkway and an estate of Elizabeth C. Beckmore, heirs or devisees; the easterly lot has a frontage of 164 feet on Dedham Parkway, and is between an estate of Marion B. Campbell and another, and an estate of Ida C. Hyde, being two lots shown on John R. Rablin plan, April, 1914, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 41	Also buildings and about 9,630 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Foster and another estate of said Foster, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Moth assessment for 1923.....	6 00	Also about 4,275 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 236, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 90
Daniel Foster, President Hyde Park Improvement Association—About 3,067 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Upton street, being lot 8, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessor's office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 10	Alfred Foster—About 4,454 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 238, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	8 70
Also about 3,038 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Upton street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,365 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 237, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Albert B. Fitch—About 5,870 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Favre street, being lot 119, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Sarah E. Foster Heirs or Devises—About 10,005 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasant street, making the westerly corner of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 35, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1868, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan Book 5, plan number 106, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 10	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	3 72
Also about 10,990 feet of land on southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 4,454 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 239, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Also about 4,628 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 240, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 5,870 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Favre street, being lot 118, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Also about 10,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 4,716 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 241, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	3 72
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Also about 4,805 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 242, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 60
Also about 9,491 (assessed as 9,581) feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, making the junction of Erie street, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 4,892 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 243, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 3,335 feet of land on the southerly side of Oakland street, being the southerly part of lot 28, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Also about 4,978 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 244, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 08
Also about 8,474 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 4,454 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 245, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 38, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 10	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
William B. Foster—About 5,376 feet of land on the southwesterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 13 and the southwesterly part of lot 12, shown on a plan not named and not dated, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tyler street, being lot 151, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 74
		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tyler street, being lot 155, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50	George H. Fowle and George E. Healey, Trustees for George W. Fowle—About 300 feet of land on the southerly side of Oakland street, making the southeasterly corner of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Crawford E. Jennings and another, tax for 1921.....	2 47
		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tyler street, being the southeasterly part of lot 153, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	1 44
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 133, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	1 39
		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 132, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Bertha J. Francis—About 2,896 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasantview street, being lots 763 and 764, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 30	Frank J. Frederick—About 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 360, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47
				Tax for 1923.....	2 47
				Clara B. French—About 20,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vaughan street, between another estate of said French (numbered 15 and 17) and an estate of Mary E. Burke (numbered 23 rear), tax for 1923.....	19 76
				Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 00
				Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 65

Also buildings and about 4,375 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Vaughan street, numbered 15 and 17, between two other estates of said French, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 56
Moist assessment for 1923.....	2 65
Also buildings and about 15,625 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Vaughan street, numbered 13, between an estate of Roman Cathol Archbishop of Boston and another estate of said French, tax for 1923.....	11 99
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 44
Moist assessment for 1923.....	2 85
Max M. Friedman—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Colorado street, being lot 31, block 1, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11369, tax for 1923.....	1 94
Julia E. Fuller—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 107, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 108, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 16,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Royal road, being lots 3, 4 and 5, and the southwesterly part of lots 1 and 2, John N. McClintock plan, October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1921, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	14 82
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	8 96
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	8 96
Tax for 1922.....	14 82
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 68
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 68
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 68
Tax for 1923.....	14 82
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	25 20
Also about 10,592 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, being lots 3 and 4, G. L. Richardson plan, July 29, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 822, page 15, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Moist assessment for 1923.....	2 10
Wilbur H. Fulton—Buildings and about 9,375 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Loring street, numbered 65, making the northerly corner of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Fulton, tax for 1923.....	71 63
Moist assessment for 1923.....	1 15
Also buildings and about 9,375 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Loring street, numbered 61, between an estate of John B. Fasolino and another estate of said Fulton, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Moist assessment for 1923.....	1 65
James Galvin—About 4,111 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 1, block N. E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 961, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Mina J. Gardner—About 8,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moody street, being lots 592, 593, 594, 595 and 596, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moist assessment for 1923.....	95
Helen Garrity—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chester street, numbered 71, between an estate of Alexander T. Burgess and an estate of William J. Cleary, tax for 1923.....	153 14
Ellis L. Gates—About 12,350 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 2, S. D. Kelley plan, July, 1871, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 448, page 232, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	22 23
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	13 28
Moist assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Tax for 1923.....	22 23
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 82
Moist assessment for 1923.....	1 40
Frank L. George Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dell avenue, numbered 16, between an estate of Eleanor Dunbar and an estate of Ruth A. Day heirs, tax for 1923.....	96 33
Moist assessment for 1923.....	1 65
Caroline Gerber—About 9,200 feet of land on the easterly side of the Dedham-Hyde Park boundary line, being a lot shown on H. S. Adams plan, July 15, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7990, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 17
Napoleon J. Giroux Heirs—About 1,162 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Manning street, being lots 34 and 35, E. A. W. Hammatt plan, May 4, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1873, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Walter H. Gleason and Edwin C. Jenney—About 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Linwood street, making the southerly corner of Child street, adjoining an estate of Sarah Johnson and another (numbered 58 Child street), tax for 1923.....	4 94
Christina M. Glover—About 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 91, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 11
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03
Also about 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03
Also about 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03
Also about 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03
Gabriel Goldberg—About 8,003 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West street, being lots B and C, J. Lewis-Carr plan, August, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4004, page 115, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Moist assessment for 1923.....	2 10
Peter Gorgines—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 99 and 100, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 48
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 48
Alexander Goski—About 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 83, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 84, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Barnet Greenfield, Rachel and Bessie Polonsky, Eva Waxman and Harry Motorin—About 6,150 feet of land on the southerly side of River street, being the location of Adams avenue, shown on a plan dated July 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3969, page 15, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	12 35
Rachel Greenfield—About 225 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Pierce street, between another estate of said Greenfield (numbered 15) and an estate of Mary A. Farrell, (numbered 19), tax for 1923.....	2 47
Hannah Greenhood—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, numbered 52, between an estate of Frank Schene and another and an estate of Williams Realty Company, tax for 1923.....	54 34
Phoebe Guertin—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vernon street, being lot 67, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book number 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vernon street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Thomas E. Guild—About 1,136 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ralston road, being lot 24, John N. McClintock plan, October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Israel Gurtin—About 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 94, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book number 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Herbert R. Habenicht and Everett F. Annis—Buildings and about 29,435 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fairmount avenue, numbered 247, making the westerly corner of Summit street, adjoining an estate of Robert C. Morse (numbered 113 Summit street), tax for 1923.....	135 85
Moist assessment for 1923.....	2 85
Sarah L. Hall—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruskin road, being lot 147, C. E. Carney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moist assessment for 1923.....	50
Angus M. Hamilton Heirs or Devises—About 3,674 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Royal road, being lot 9, John N. McClintock plan, October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	7 17
Tax for 1922.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 72
Eugene B. Hamilton—About 4,493 feet of land on the westerly side of Pleasantview street, being lots 719, 720 and 721, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Herman Hansen—About 5,266 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Livermore street, being lots 607 and 608, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Bolette P. Hansen—About 4,208 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hallows street, being lots 352 and 353, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Edgar W. Hardy—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Matapan street, being lot 7, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 310, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Lillian F. Harrington—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Laurel avenue, being lot 134, C. E. Varney plan, December, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Ellen V. Harrington—About 4,946 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Canterbury street, adjoining an estate of Anders P. Lawson (numbered 641 Hyde Park avenue), tax for 1923.....	12 35
John A. Hasselbrook—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Rosewood street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Rosewood street, northeasterly by an estate of John Knutson, southeasterly by an estate of Anna L. Lundberg and another, southwesterly by an estate of Mary A. Offen, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 61
Moist assessment for 1923.....	65
Ada T. Hayden—About 21,656 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakland street, being the southwesterly parts of lots 55, 56, 57 and 58 and all of a triangular lot which adjoins, C. E. C. Breck plan, April, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2060, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	22 32
C. O. Haynes Heirs or Devises—About 8,736 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Charles street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast by an estate of Henry N. Bates and others, trustees; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of St. Charles street, southwesterly by an estate of Ellen Jordan and southeasterly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moist assessment for 1923.....	1 50
William F. and Margaret M. Healy—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prescott street, numbered 14 and 16, between an estate of James J. Powers, and an estate of Olive L. G. La Croix, tax for 1923.....	98 80

E. C. Hill, Clara E. Webster, Frances E. Eldridge and Alva W. Dwight—About 26,608 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street making the easterly corner of Garfield avenue, adjoining an estate of Margaret Rogers (numbered 92 and 94 Water street), tax for 1923.....	17 29 65
Moth assessment for 1923.....	
Also about 11,487 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 3 G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors office, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 11,562 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50
Also about 11,637 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, being lot 65, same plan, tax for 1923....	4 94
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 130, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 131, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 19,900 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tyler street, being lot 145, Clarence G. Norris plan, April 24, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 2848, Book number 59, tax for 1923.....	19 76 2 10
Moth assessment for 1923.....	
Ira M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 12,406 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Mt. Hope street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon (numbered 103), tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Hope street, numbered 103, between an estate of Michael J. Driscoll and another and another estate of said Hodsdon, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also buildings and about 5,605 feet of land on the northeasterly side of New Bedford street, numbered 26, between another estate of said Hodsdon and an estate of Mabel L. Leonard, tax for 1923.....	83 98
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 40
Also about 5,578 feet of land on the northeasterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 49, shown on a plan, not named and not dated, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 751, page 600, also on file in assessors office, tax for 1923.....	7 41
John Hogan—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Rockingham road, being lot 105, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 88
Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 56
Wellington, John B. and Grace Holbrook, Trustees—About 5,595 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Colorado street, being lot 7, block Q, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Also about 4,677 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 8, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	
Also about 4,286 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 9, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,264 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 13, block S, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	
Also about 4,623 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 14, block S, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 21, block S, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	
Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 8, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 9, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 10, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 12, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200 tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 13, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 6,475 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 16, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8317, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,998 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 17, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,208 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 18, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,057 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 19, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,018 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 4, block N, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,628 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 5, block N, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 2, block N, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 5,762 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Currier street, being lot 18, block K, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 15, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 16, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 17, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 19, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 20, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 25, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 6,138 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 11, block O, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,452 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 27, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,407 feet of land on the northerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 1, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 11, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,199 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 5, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 6, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 7, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 8, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 9, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 10, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 11, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 12, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 13, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 14, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 15, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 16, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 17, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 18, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 19, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 20, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 21, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 22, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 23, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 24, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 25, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 26, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 27, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 28, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 29, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 30, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 31, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 32, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 33, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 34, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 35, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 36, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 37, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 38, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 39, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
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Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 116, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47

Also about 5,360 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 9, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 5,413 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot B, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,274 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 5,317 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 8, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 32	Also about 1,437 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,360 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot C, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,162 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,319 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 7, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 32	Also about 5,122 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,434 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 6, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 5,306 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot D, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,288 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 32	Also about 6,318 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,302 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 5, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 5,251 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot E, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6448, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Mary W. Hudson—About 20,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Neponset avenue, between an estate of Mary E. McKinnon (numbered 96) and an estate of Helen A. Sealife, tax for 1922.....	34 58
Also about 5,510 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lot 4, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 32	Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Charles S. Holcomb—Buildings and about 4,007 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Messinger street, making the easterly corner of Colorado street, adjoining an estate of Thomas L. Hayes, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Tax for 1923.....	34 58
Also about 4,296 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Currier street, being lot 1, block J, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	William P. Holcomb—About 5,175 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the southeasterly part of lot 12, T. B. Moses plan, December 15, 1870, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1655, page 314, tax for 1922.....	17 29	Albert A. Hurst—About 1,700 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Catherine J. Callahan; southerly by an estate of David Callahan and another; easterly by an estate of Catherine J. Callahan and westerly by the easterly line of Hyde Park avenue, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orlando street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Almont street; northwesterly by Orlando street, and southerly by Monterey avenue, being a lot shown on same plan, being all of assessors' block 171 C10, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Agnes E. Holleman—About 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Radcliffe road, being lot 407, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Stillman B. Hyde—About 128,502 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southerly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Katie P. Bullard and an estate of Elizabeth C. Bickmore, heirs or devisees; easterly by Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Dedham Parkway); southerly by an estate of Alvah Whiting, heirs or devisees, and an estate of Samuel Myers and others and westerly by an estate of Katie P. Bullard, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 60	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50
Also about 3,901 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Almont street, being lot 10, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Robert J. Hook—About 8,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, F. T. Westcott plan, September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Sebastiano Imprescia—About 2,620 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, making the southerly corner of Currier street, being lots 136 and 137, F. J. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 62	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	David H. Irving—About 3,927 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Almont street, being lot 3, block D, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1802, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 29 and 30, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 43
Also about 3,288 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dyer avenue, being lot 7, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Edwin C. Jenney, Trustee Five Associates—About 4,390 feet of land on the southerly side of Stoughton avenue, being lot 69, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in the assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Thomas E. Horsefield—Buildings and about 5,250 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1823 and 1825, between an estate of Christian Miller and another and an estate of James A. Shaffer and another, tax for 1923.....	138 32	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Also about 4,240 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 1, block E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Annie C. Hubbard—About 3,215 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 2, Whitman and Howard plan, July 25, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2917, page 387, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Also about 3,263 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50
Also about 3,921 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 2, block E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 8,184 feet of land on the southerly side of Curley street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Boleslaw Jeroma—Buildings and about 3,240 feet of land on the northerly side of Easton avenue numbered 13, between an estate of James Dugan and another and an estate of Adolph Radulski, tax for 1921.....	44 46
Also about 3,293 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 15, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,398 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Alvinas Jipner—About 3,092 feet of land on the easterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 1, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,083 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,160 feet of land on the easterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 2, same plan, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 4,022 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 14, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,232 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 43	Also about 4,704 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Mary Johnson—About 3,051 feet of land on the westerly side of Pleasantview street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 757 and 758, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,211 feet of land on the easterly side of Almont street, being lot 2, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 4,213 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Peter Johnson—About 1,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, being lot 164, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 43	Also about 4,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Fritz Johnson, Gunner Swanson and Andrew G. Johnson, Trustees of Argus Real Estate Association—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattapan street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Johnson and others, trustees, and an estate of Louis S. White, tax for 1923.....	192 66
Also about 5,468 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot A, block D, Henry C. Mildram plan, December 20, 1913, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,532 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 32	Also about 6,533 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
		Also about 5,088 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
		Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
		Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		

James B. Jordan—About 5,128 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Church street, making the easterly corner of Hillside street, adjoining an estate of Harold V. Jordan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	9 60	
Arthur Katsines—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, adjoining an estate of John Katsines, being lots 28 and 29, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.	2 47	
John Katsines—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 26 and 27, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Charles J. Kelley—About 196,020 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly end of Baker street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Benjamin Goldsmith; easterly by an estate of Kate G. Bullard and an estate of Alfred Foster and another, trustees; southerly by another estate of said Charles J. Kelley and westerly by the dividing line between West Roxbury and Hyde Park, tax for 1923.	12 35	
Also about 196,020 feet of land lying in the rear, from the northeasterly side of Baker street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Annie M. Kelley; westerly by the dividing line between Boston and Dedham, easterly by an estate of John D. Bullard and southerly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard, tax for 1923.	12 35	
Also about 5,785 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, making the northerly corner of Randolph road, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Ryan, being lot 117, I. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.	14 82	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	12 90	85
Moth assessment for 1923.		85
Also about 4,787 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, adjoining an estate of Alfred C. Bryan and another, being lot 73, F. A. Foster plan, dated September 20, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 798, page 622, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	12 35	
Annie M. Kelley—About 5,785 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, making the northerly corner of Randolph road, being lot 117, J. H. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.	14 82	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	12 48	95
Moth assessment for 1923.		95
Also about 16,389 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Adams avenue, adjoining an estate of Joseph Szekis and another, being lot D. S. L. Moulton plan, dated July 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3969, page 15, tax for 1923.	17 29	
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, adjoining an estate of Julia E. Russell, being lots 191 and 192, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.	4 94	85
Moth assessment for 1923.		85
Tax for 1923.	4 94	95
Moth assessment for 1923.		95
Also about 130,680 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Baker street, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard; easterly by an estate of John P. Bullard; westerly by the dividing line of Boston and Dedham; southerly by sundry estates of Samuel Myers <i>et al.</i> , heirs of Elizabeth Krug, Robert Krug and John Bell, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Burnah street, adjoining an estate of Martha A. E. Pierce, being lot 67, Charles E. C. Breck plan, dated January, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2336, page 511, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	6 72	
Also about 8,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Holmfield avenue, being lot 58, Charles C. Richardson plan, dated May, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	12 35	
Tax for 1923.	12 35	
Also about 35,818 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Haven avenue, between an estate of Samuel Veal and an estate of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923,	27 17	
Moth assessment for 1923.	1 45	
Also about 3,295 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakland street, adjoining an estate of Michael Connolly, being lot 174, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	10 01	
Tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	9 67	
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, between another estate of said Kelley and an estate of Eugene N. Foss, being lot 50, G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	5 00	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Tax for 1923.	9 88	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	4 83	
Also (supposed present owner Charles J. Kelley) about 196,020 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Baker street, between an estate of Kate P. Bullard and another estate of said Annie M. Kelley, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Annie M. Kelley; westerly by the dividing line between Boston and Dedham; easterly by an estate of John P. Bullard and southerly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard, tax for 1923.	12 35	
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 83 and 84, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 96	
Also about 93,378 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Randolph road, being a lot shown on G. L. Richardson plan, dated April 28, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2608, page 611, tax for 1923.	41 99	
Tax for 1923.	41 99	
Also about 5,662 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Randolph road, between an estate of Edwin B. Barnes and the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.	12 35	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	10 56	
Tax for 1923.	12 35	
Also about 16,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington Street place, between an estate of Mary E. Moran and another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.	24 70	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	14 51	
Moth assessment for 1923.	1 90	
Tax for 1923.	24 70	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	15 01	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Canaan street, being lots 237 and 238, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Samuel D. Kelley—About 9,200 feet of land on the westerly side of George street, being lot 9, S. D. Kelley plan, dated July, 1871, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 448, page 232, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	17 29	
Also about 8,978 feet of land on the westerly side of George street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.	17 29	
Also about 8,755 feet of land on the westerly side of George street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.	17 29	
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	
Also about 9,089 feet of land on the easterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.	14 82	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	9 40	
Jacob Kellschiff—About 43,560 feet of land on the easterly side of the Dedham line, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; easterly by an estate of Emma F. Goldsmith; westerly by the dividing line of Boston and Dedham; southerly by an estate of Caroline Gerber, tax for 1923.	2 47	
John F. Kelly—About 11,310 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bismarck street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 142, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Also about 8,792 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Messenger street, making the easterly corner of Bismarck street, adjoining an estate of John Kievicz, being lot 143, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	
Martha E. Kendall—About 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chester street, adjoining an estate of John McDonough, being lot 312, H. T. Whitman plan, dated January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 816, Plan Book number 3, tax for 1923.	9 88	
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chester street, adjoining an estate of John McDonough, being lot 343, H. T. Whitman plan, dated June 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 816, Plan Book 3, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Alice M. Kilduff—About 4,091 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, adjoining an estate of Mary M. Gallant, being lot 50, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	9 60	
Moth assessment for 1923.	85	
Tax for 1923.	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	9 28	
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	
John J. Killilea—About 6,302 feet of land on the southeasterly side of River street, being lot C. William A. Johnson plan, May 18, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4225, page 621, tax for 1923.	24 70	
Moth assessment for 1923.	1 40	
Moth assessment for 1923.	\$1 28	
Paid on account.	85	
Balance due.	43	
Sarah E. King—About 3,658 feet of land on the easterly side of Savannah avenue, being lots 19 and 20, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.	2 47	
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lots 358 and 359, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	
B. B. and R. Knight, Inc.—Buildings and about 13,130 feet of land on the westerly side of Knight street, numbered 8, making the northwesterly corner of Readville street, adjoining an estate of William J. Brady and another, tax for 1923.	93 86	
Moth assessment for 1923.	6 50	
Also buildings and about 254,240 feet of land on the southerly side of River street, numbered 1568, 1574, 1576, 1576½ and 1580, making the southeasterly corner of Knight street, adjoining an estate of Fred H. Plouff, tax for 1923.	2,470 00	
Moth assessment for 1923.	10 40	
Also about 408,730 feet of flooded land on the easterly side of River street, making the northeasterly corner of Readville street, extending to and making the southeasterly corner of Knight street, adjoining an estate of William J. Brady and another, tax for 1923.	49 40	
Also about 301,685 feet of flooded land on the westerly side of River street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by River street; northerly by an estate of City of Boston and sundry estates fronting on Fairview avenue; westerly by Dedham boundary line; southerly by an estate of E. C. Jenney and others and sundry estates fronting on River street, tax for 1923.	37 05	
Also buildings and about 60,660 feet of land on the westerly side of Readville street, numbered 49 to 59, inclusive adjoining another estate of said Knight, moth assessment for 1923.	2 13	
Also buildings and about 106,225 feet of land on the southerly side of Readville street, numbered 7 to 47, inclusive adjoining another estate of said Knight, moth assessment for 1923.	4 26	
Also about 13,790 feet of land on the westerly side of Knight street, being lot 27, Lewis A. Chase plan, not dated recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4391, page 601, tax for 1923.	22 23	
Karen A. Knudson—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 13 and 14, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3571, tax for 1923.	2 47	

Metro Kosteki—About 4,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Moody street, being lots 542, 543, and 544, F. T. Wescott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94		Bridie Loneragan—About 3,650 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, making the westerly corner of Wood avenue, being lots 466 and 465, F. T. Wescott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
			Moith assessment for 1923.....	50	Moith assessment for 1921.....	50
Gertrude L. Kotzen—About 5,023 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wyvern street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	1 94		Joseph LoRusso—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 20 and 21, F. T. Wescott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Also about 4,041 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wyvern street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	4 94		William J. and Mary Loughan—Buildings and about 9,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Paine street, numbered 55, between an estate of John Norton heirs and an estate of John J. Wittkind and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Also about 4,929 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Florence street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41		Moith assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Catena L. Lamarco—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, making the northerly corner of Canaan street, adjoining an estate of Lizzie N. West, being lots 33 and 34, F. T. Wescott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Mary E. Lynch—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 500 and 501, John M. McClintock plan dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 4,488 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1921.....	7 41
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		Agnes B. Madden—Buildings and about 2,560 feet of land on the easterly side of Whitney park, numbered 17, between an estate of Peter H. Babbins and an estate of Margaret M. Waker, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Also about 4,499 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1921.....	7 41
Peter F. Lamont—About 4,562 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, being lot 56, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Mary A. Manning—About 7,491 feet of land on the southerly side of Canterbury street, being lot A, Charles H. W. Wood plan, September 21, 1897, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2470, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 4,511 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1921.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28		Thomas McCormack—About 3,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattapan street, being lot 8, Block A. E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1893, registered in the Suffolk Registry, District of Land Court, certificate number 15650, tax for 1923,.....	4 94	Moith assessment for 1921.....	51
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richmond road, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41		Margaret McDonald—About 3,949 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakland street, being lots 409 and 410, F. T. Wescott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 4,523 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1921.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28	Also about 4,534 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1921.....	7 41
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95		Moith assessment for 1923.....	1 45	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1921.....	7 41
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richmond road, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41		Nathan F. and Catherine E. McGarry—Buildings and about 5,632 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Hope street, numbered 19, adjoining an estate of Annie M. Chase, tax for 1923,.....	29 64	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28		Mary P. McKenna—About 5,979 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifford street, making the southeasterly corner of Stanley street, being lot 231, H. T. Whitman plan, January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 816, Plan Book numbered 3, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95		Maria McLaren—About 5,864 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orland street, being lot 21, block V, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1554, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47		John D. McLaughlin, Josephine Cuniff and John Cuniff, Executors and Trustees under will of Michael M. Cuniff—About 5,368 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 2, G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, in file in assessors' office, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 70, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47		Also about 4,498 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47		Also about 6,202 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Benjamin Lancy—About 2,270 feet of land on the easterly side of Canterbury street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the location of a branch of Stony brook; easterly by an estate of John Gately; westerly by the line of Canterbury street; southerly by an estate of Stella Meno and another, tax for 1922.....	4 94		Moith assessment for 1921.....	51	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		Also about 4,631 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 74, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Hermenegie Laracha—About 3,205 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, adjoining another estate of said Laracha, being lot 81, E. W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 61, plan number 2926, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 6,056 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Moith assessment for 1921.....	50
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, adjoining another estate of said Laracha, being lot 82, E. W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 61, plan number 2926, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Moith assessment for 1921.....	51	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 101, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Jessie M. Leavitt—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, adjoining an estate of Florence L. G. Davis, being lots 259 and 260, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 4,631 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 102, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		Also about 4,631 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 103, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Ann A. Lever—About 4,122 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Mt. Hope street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Ellen F. Berran and an estate of Matthew F. McGarry and another, tax for 1922.....	9 88		Also about 4,631 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 104, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		Also about 4,631 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 105, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94
Charles A. Logue—Buildings and about 7,337 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, numbered 60, between two estates of John W. McAfee, tax for 1923.....	64 22		Also about 4,631 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 106, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 144, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 91	Also about 5,132 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	on the northwesterly side of Prairie street, adjoining an estate of Thomas J. Stevenson, being the southerly part of lot 18, block G. E. P. Scllew plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1830, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1921.....	51	Also about 5,375 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	William Norton—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, being lots 132 and 133, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 153, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Michael J. Moynihan—Buildings and about 6,090 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm street, (numbered 9), between an estate of Albert Wetherill and another and an estate of George J. Cayer and another, tax for 1923.....	76 57	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 70
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 154, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Bothilda N. Moysse—About 7,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rutledge road, being lots 78 and 79, C. E. Varney plan (not dated), on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 155, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	16 74	Francis W. Noyes—About 7,457 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, making the southerly corner of Chase street, being lots 43 and 44, G. L. Richardson plan, May 1, 1893, recorded Norfolk Deeds, Book 706, page 572, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 156, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Wincenty Mrowicki—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, making the northerly corner of Messenger street, being lots 364, 365 and 366, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 00
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 157, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Francis W. and Edith H. O'Brien—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, adjoining an estate of George P. Connor, being lot 22, Block M. E. P. Scllew plan, dated May 2, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14385, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 158, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Charles W. and Mary F. Muldoon—Buildings and about 7,871 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1575 and 1577, between an estate of Bernard Jenney, and another, trustees, and another estate of said Muldoon and another, tax for 1923.....	125 97	Edith S. Olson—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wood avenue, being lots 504, 505 and 506, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 159, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Also buildings and about 9,256 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1581, between another estate of said Muldoon and another and an estate of Herbert E. Blaisdell, tax for 1923.....	153 14	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 5,477 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 195, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 5,475 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 196, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	John B. Mulvey, Junior—Buildings and about 2,942 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walk Hill street, numbered 641, making the westerly corner of Mulvey street, adjoining an estate of Irene P. Mulvey, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Owner or Owners Unknown—About 3,000 feet of land on the north-easterly and southwesterly side, and at end of Oak place, adjoining an estate of Maria Rausa, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 5,472 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 197, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Ellen S. Murphy—About 7,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Meyer street, adjoining an estate of E. M. Dartwell, being lot 48, John H. Masehold plan, dated December 6, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1813, page 595, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 5,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stanley street, making the easterly corner of Chester street, adjoining an estate of Mary C. Bowen, being lot 308, H. T. Whitman plan, January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 816, plan book 3, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 5,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 198, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Josephine Myer—About 3,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Ruskin road, adjoining an estate of Frederick A. Taylor, being lot 134, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 2,510 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining an estate of William A. Matthews, being a lot shown on N. J. Holland plan, dated July, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 5,468 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 199, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	William H. Parsons, Surviving Trustee of Estate of Susan Gliddin—About 4,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Roseberry road, being lot 394, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 5,466 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 200, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60
Also about 5,463 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 201, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Also about 5,461 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 202, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Ruskin road, adjoining another estate of said Myers, being lot 135, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Florence M. Pasternak—Buildings and about 23,763 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1612 and 1614, between an estate of Hartman Brothers, Inc., and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.....	106 21
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 75
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	William P. and Judith Pearson—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1474 and 1476, between an estate of Emilio Arnattucci and an estate of Patsy Moschello and another, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Frank P. Merrill—About 1,967 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Canterbury street, being lot 29, E. A. W. Hammatt plan, May 4, 1889, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1873, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 08	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 40
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	F. R. Pendleton—About 50,940 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tileston street, making the southerly corner of Locust street, adjoining an estate of Philip P. Coveney, trustee, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Maud M. Miner (supposed present owner Max Greenberg)—About 7,475 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Collins street, being lot 183, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Ruskin road, adjoining another estate of said Myers, being lot 135, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 60
Michael F. Moran—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orlando street, being lot 34, block U, E. P. Scllew plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 493, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Dennis J. Petepit—About 3,572 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakland street, making the westerly corner of Hebron street, being lots 152 and 153, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 20
Mabel E. Morrill—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Pleasant street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Mt. Pleasant street; northwesterly by an estate of Edward H. Cunningham; southwesterly by an estate of Charles Felch; southeasterly by an estate of James E. Savage, tax for 1923.....	12 35	John H. Neas—Buildings and about 14,560 feet of land on the easterly side of Lakeside avenue (numbered 16), between an estate of Sarah M. Caldwell and an estate of Albert Davenport, tax for 1923.....	20 27	Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 75	Paid on account.....	15 00	Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Balance due.....	36 87	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 86
Ellen C. Morton—About 6,121 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 2, Henry A. Sherman plan, May 6, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4382, page 4, tax for 1923.....	9 88	James J. Naughton—About 3,605 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, adjoining an estate of Michael F. Clarke, being lot 14, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Also about 5,255 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Gennaro Piculo—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 61 and 62, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		John Nestorak—About 3,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Messenger street, being lots 87 and 88, F. T. Westcott plan, September, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
		Alfred W. and Bertha L. Newell—Buildings and about 8,987 feet of land on the easterly side of Arlington street, numbered 61, between an estate of Mary Etta Aronson and an estate of Nellie F. Sanborn, tax for 1923.....	88 92		
		New England Newspaper Publishing Company—About 5,257 feet of land			

Tony Piscollo—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscollo, being lot 72, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923, 9 83		Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscollo, being lot 73, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923, 9 88	
Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscollo, being lot 74, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923, 9 88		Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Katherine A. Keating, being lot 76, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923, 9 88	
Robert Pittorino—About 5,680 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wyvern street, being lot 18, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated June, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3965, page 295, tax for 1923, 7 41		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 15 36	
Polish American Institute—About 6,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, being lots 156, 157, 158 and 159, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923, 7 41		Henry W. Prescott Heirs or Devises—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Radcliffe road, being lot 426, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923, 7 41	
Moth assessment for 1922, 1 28		Tax for 1923, 7 41	
George W. Proal—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Estelle M. Kent, being lot 66, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923, 7 41		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 6 96	
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Mary H. Burgess, trustee, being lot 67, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923, 7 41		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 6 96	
Stanislaw Rakowsky—Buildings and about 34,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Coleman street, numbered 9, making the easterly corner of Cleveland street, adjoining an estate of John L. Sweeney, tax for 1923, 91 39		Moth assessment for 1923, 5 30	
Also about 19,480 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Coleman street, making the northerly corner of Cleveland street, adjoining Stony brook reservation, being the whole of assessors' block 480, tax for 1923, 14 82		Margaret G. Reynolds—About 10,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being a lot shown on G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, 7 41	
Arthur B. Rigney—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a 40-foot street leading from the northwesterly side of Gordon avenue, being lot 90, C. H. W. Wood plan, September 20, 1870, recorded Norfolk Deeds, Book 397, page 320, tax for 1921, 2 47		Moth assessment for 1921, 50	
Tax for 1923, 2 47		Moth assessment for 1923, 2 45	
Joseph J. Riley—About 3,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattapan street, being lot 10, block A, E. P. Sellev plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry, District of Land Court, certificate number 878, tax for 1923, 4 94		Thomas F. Riley—About 3,064 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dyer avenue, being lot 6, block F, E. P. Sellev plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry, District of Land Court, certificate number 9734, tax for 1923, 2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923, 50		Frank P. Rogers Heirs or Devises—About 4,995 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining an estate of John P. Naughtman, being a lot shown on N. J. Holland plan, dated July, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, 7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923, 1 50		George E. Rogers—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stark avenue, numbered 12, between an estate of James N. Spencer and an estate of Daniel F. Wallace and another, tax for 1923, 56 81	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 6 76		Joe Rose—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, being lots 130 and 131, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923, 2 47	
James A. Ross—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutledge road, numbered 40, between an estate of James A. Ross and another and an estate of Seth M. Handy, tax for 1923, 44 46		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 7 83	
Moth assessment for 1923, 95		James A. and Virginia A. Ross—About 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutledge road, being lot 111, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, 2 47	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 7 83		Anna V. Ross—About 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutledge road, being lot 114, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922, 2 47	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922, 8 10		Moth assessment for 1922, 50	
Tax for 1923, 2 47		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923, 7 83	
Moth assessment for 1923, 50		Walter B. F. Rowe—About 5,975 feet of land on the northerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the southerly part of lot 16, T. B. Moses plan, December 15, 1870, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1655, page 314, tax for 1921, 22 23	
William F. Rowe—About 10,350 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ashland street, bounded and described as follows: Southwest by Ashland street; northwesterly by New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, northeasterly by an estate of John Sheehan heirs, and southeasterly by an estate of Albert F. Frey, tax for 1923, 14 82		Moth assessment for 1923, 65	
Julia E. Russell—About 4,713 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, being lots 189 and 190, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923, 4 94		Samuel and Bernard Samuels and Joseph Sonnabend—About 171,025 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakland street, extending through to the location of Corydon street, between an estate of John C. Urbanick and another and an estate of William J. Hagerty, tax for 1923, 83 98	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 118 02		Moth assessment for 1923, 1 95	
Also about 3,828 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hallowell street, being lot 11, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated July, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3498, page 149, tax for 1923, 2 47		Moth assessment for 1923, 50	
Also about 3,626 feet of land on the northerly side of Oakland street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923, 9 88		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 14 62	
Also about 4,440 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hallowell street, making the easterly corner of Oakland street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923, 9 88		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 14 17	
Also about 4,179 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hallowell street, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923, 4 94		Moth assessment for 1923, 95	
Also about 4,195 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hallowell street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923, 4 94		Roger F. Scannell—About 184,041 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Randolph road, bounded and described as follows: Southeast by the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, southwest by and northwesterly by an estate of Annie M. Kelley, northeasterly by an estate of Thomas L. Hayes, tax for 1923, 49 40	
Moth assessment for 1923, 95		Also about 30,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Royal road, bounded and described as follows: Southeast by an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; southwesterly by an estate of Ellen A. Hamblin, northwesterly by an estate of Thomas E. Guild and sundry estate on Royal road and northeasterly by the Old Boston Line, tax for 1923, 22 23	
Moth assessment for 1923, 2 60		Elizabeth Sharp—About 87,120 feet of land on the easterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Edward W. Grew and another, trustees; easterly by an estate of Walter D. Brooks; southerly by an estate of Sadie M. Lorrie and another and westerly by Stony Brook Reservation (Commonwealth of Massachusetts) tax for 1923, 17 29	
James C. Sharp Heirs or Devises—About 65,340 feet of land on the easterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Walter D. Brooks; southerly by an estate of Edward W. Grew and another, trustees; westerly by Stony Brook Reservation (Commonwealth of Massachusetts) and northerly by an estate of Marion B. Campbell and another, tax for 1923, 12 35		William G. Shaw—About 5,625 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thompson street, being lot 43, T. B. Moses plan, January 9, 1869, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 381, page 125, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, 7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923, 95		Also about 5,625 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thompson street, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923, 7 41	
Mary T. Shea—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, being lot 123, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923, 7 41		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 10 56	
Moth assessment for 1923, 95		Agnes E. Sherman—Buildings and about 11,962 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Arlington street, numbered 77, between an estate of Edwin J. Tuckerman and an estate of Dasy M. Chittick, tax for 1923, 135 85	
Frank M. Silva—About 4,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Roseberry road, being lot 396, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923, 7 41		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 9 60	
Moth assessment for 1923, 95		Nicholas Skwarck—About 6,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, making the northerly corner of Messinger street, being lots 181, 182, 183 and 184, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923, 4 94	
Albert C. Smith—About 5,870 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bismarck street, being lot 124, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922, 4 94		Also about 2,469 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, being lot 62, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922, 4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922, 7 20		Moth assessment for 1922, 85	
Tax for 1923, 4 94		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 6 96	
Moth assessment for 1923, 50		George H. and Carrie J. Smith—About 3,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orlando street, being lot 19, block V, E. P. Sellev plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3963, tax for 1923, 2 47	
Celia Smith—Buildings and about 4,062 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wyvern street, numbered 16, between two estates of Gertrude L. Kotzen, tax for 1923, 167 96		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 10 24	
Leta G. Smith—Buildings and about 3,590 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodland park, numbered 55, adjoining another estate of said Smith, being lot 25, C. E. Varney plan, dated December 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, 17 29			

Also about 3,878 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodland park, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Charles H. Spencer—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stark avenue, numbered 8, between an estate of James N. Spencer and an estate of Agostino Qualtieri and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 59	
Frederick J. Stark, Trustee for Sixteenth Ward Land Company—About 6,789 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bismarck street, being lot 153, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 60	
Flora B. Stewart—About 6,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Radcliffe road, making the northwesterly corner of Locust street, being lots 108 and 109, C. E. Varney plan, dated December, 1890, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 00	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 00	
Salome A. Stubbs—About 2,969 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ralston road, making the northerly corner of Ruskin road, being lot 354, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Joseph and Annie Süchecki—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moody street, being lots 606 and 607, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Timothy J. Sullivan—About 3,456 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Livermore street, being lots 581 and 582, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Carl Otto Sundel—About 2,553 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Acton street, being lot 112, E. W. Branch plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 2,553 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Acton street, being lot 111, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,553 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Acton street, being lot 113, same plan, tax for 1923, James Sweeney—About 5,717 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Randolph road, making the easterly corner of Harmon street, being lot 81, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	13 68	
Christopher Tungen—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 31, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 3,088 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 3,263 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Frank A. Thain—About 4,508 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasantview street, being lots 726, 727, 728, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
George E. and Blanche Thiesen—Buildings and about 1,214 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walk Hill street, numbered 629, between an estate of Dinah S. DeNat. and an estate of Clara B. French, tax for 1923.....	160 55	
Louis and Mary J. Thorpe—Buildings and about 5,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Grover avenue, numbered 18, making the westerly corner of Grover street, adjoining an estate of William J. A. Fubel, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 56	
Francesca A. Torchetta—Buildings and about 7,440 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beaver street, numbered 150, adjoining an estate of Bridget Jenkins, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10493, tax for 1923.....	\$51 87	
Paid on account.....	25 70	
Balance due.....	26 17	
Mary B. Townsend—Buildings and about 7,860 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 37, between an estate of Robert Miller and another and an estate of Dick Pagington, tax for 1923.....	86 15	
Jennie L. Troop—About 7,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Thacher street, being the southeasterly part of lot 67, shown on a compiled plan by G. R. Richardson, on file in street commissioners' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 65	
Jens and Julia Usarwicz—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tina avenue, numbered 16, between an estate of Samuel C. Silver and an estate of Seth N. Handy, tax for 1923.....	66 69	
Giovanni and Louisa Valli—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, numbered 87, between an estate of Charles R. Gallagher and an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, tax for 1922, Rollin J. Van Houten—About 4,705 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakland street, being lot 131, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	12 40	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 98	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	
Frank X. Vincent—About 4,516 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lots 23 and 24, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Lyman T. Vose—About 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rexford street, being lot 30, C. E. C. Breck plan, dated April, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2528, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 10	
Hannah Wallace—About 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Prescott street, adjoining an estate of Samuel J. Dunn and another, being lot 23, H. T. Whitman plan, January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan numbered 816, Plan Book 3, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
John H. Walsh—About 2,668 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, adjoining an estate of James H. Molineaux, being lot 3, block K, E. P. Sallow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1902, tax for 1921.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Mary Waznia—Buildings and about 7,366 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Lynch, being a lot shown on N. J. Holland plan, July 16, 1921, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15027, tax for 1923.....	88 92	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	85	
Patrick Welch—About 10,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Riverside square, at angle, adjoining an estate of Alvin C. White and another, being a lot shown on assessors' plan 4, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, Flora E. Welch—About 4,201 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Randolph road, adjoining an estate of Julia M. Daley, being lot 424, J. H. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	9 84	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	
Laura M. Westall—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lot 401, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Anna M. Whelan—Buildings and about 3,225 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mulvey street, numbered 4 and 6, between another estate of said Whelan and an estate of Annie F. Mulvey, tax for 1923.....	121 03	
Mabel E. Whitehouse—About 3,025 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasantview street, adjoining an estate of Frederick Bussey, being lots 739 and 740, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Horatio E. Williams and N. Marks—Buildings and about 28,414 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Factory street, making the easterly corner of Jackson street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Ventola, tax for 1923.....	560 69	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 53	
George T. Whittier—About 13,070 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleveland street, making the northerly corner of Child street, adjoining an estate of Mary Tracey heirs or devisees, numbered 35, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	3 75	
John C. Wickes—About 4,161 feet of land on the easterly side of Weybossett street, making the southeasterly corner of Randolph road, adjoining an estate of Daniel Kenney, being lots 91 and 92, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 10,983 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1149, between an estate of Mary C. McLean and an estate of Gennaro Piculo, tax for 1923.....	143 26	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 80	
Also about 7,676 feet of land on the westerly side of New Allen street, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company, tax for 1922.....	12 35	
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also buildings and about 26,487 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Milton square, at end extending through to Glenwood avenue, between an estate of Hannah Greenhood and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	256 88	
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Damrell avenue, being lot 200, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Damrell avenue, being lot 199, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	
William Williams—About 4,392 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle terrace, between an estate of Lucy S. Reynolds and an estate of Edith L. Barnard, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 8,309 feet of land on the westerly side of George street, adjoining an estate of Willard H. Sawtelle heirs or devisees and another, being lot 13, S. D. Kelley plan, dated July, 1871, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 448, page 232, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Also about 6,192 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, between an estate of William Camfill and an estate of James Campbell devisees and another, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	22 23	
Also about 8,390 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dana avenue, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 5, C. Fred Joy, Junior, plan, dated August 14, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4324, page 576, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Also about 10,248 feet of land on the northerly side of Walnut street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Also about 9,182 feet of land on the northerly side of Walnut street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 9,407 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dana avenue, adjoining an estate of said Williams, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 85	

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Loring street, making the easterly corner of Foster street, adjoining an estate of Marietta G. Andrews, numbered 51 Garfield avenue, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	27 99	
Also about 18,750 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Loring street, making the westerly corner of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 101, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	32 11	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 56	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45	
Also about 18,750 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glenwood avenue, east, making the northerly corner of Loring street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 121, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 88	
Jennie Wolfe—About 9,552 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Davison street, numbered 71, extending through to and numbered 88 Pierce street, between an estate of David Strachan and another and an estate of Mary Keegan, tax for 1923.....	108 68	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	
Arthur and Jennie E. Wood—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ellis street, numbered 17, between an estate of Evelyn M. Welch and another estate of said Arthur Wood and another, tax for 1923.....	54 34	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	
Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ellis street, between an estate of Edward P. Millett heirs or devisees and another estate of said Arthur Wood and another, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
George H. Wood—About 7,332 feet of land on westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, between an estate of Annie Southern and an estate of Virginia Cataldo and another, being the westerly part of lot 25, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 156, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	24 70	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 51	
Tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Isaac Young—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, making the easterly corner of Neponset court, adjoining an estate of Bernard Gannon, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Arthur M. Young—About 8,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Poydras street, adjoining an estate of Minnie Alpert, being a lot shown on Robert B. Bellamy plan, dated February 10, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4374, page 3, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
WARD TWENTY-FIVE.		
Aberdeen Realty Corporation—Buildings and about 4,895 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sutherland road, numbered 138 and 140, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923.....	\$901 55	
Paid on account.....	350 00	
Balance due.....	\$551 55	
Also buildings and about 5,079 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sutherland road, numbered 134 and 136, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923.....	\$1,321 45	
Paid on account.....	350 00	
Balance due.....	971 45	
Also buildings and about 2,505 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sutherland road, numbered 142, between an estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation and another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$437 19	
Paid on account.....	350 00	
Balance due.....	87 19	
Also buildings and about 2,469 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sutherland road, numbered 144, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$437 19	
Paid on account.....	350 00	
Balance due.....	87 19	
Also buildings and about 2,088 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sutherland road, numbered 146, between an estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation and another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$432 25	
Paid on account.....	350 00	
Balance due.....	82 25	
Also about 32,437 feet of land lying in the rear on the passageway leading from the northerly side of Lanark road, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and easterly by another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation; southerly by an estate of James M. Woods; westerly by an estate of Mary O'D Campbell, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50	
Paid on account.....	29 63	
Balance due.....	93 87	
Moth assessment for 1921.....	5 13	
Tax for 1922.....	661 96	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Also buildings and about 3,854 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1722, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$820 04	
Paid on account.....	350 00	
Balance due.....	470 04	
Also buildings and about 3,746 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1726, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$820 04	
Paid on account.....	350 00	
Balance due.....	470 04	
Also buildings and about 3,184 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1730, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$810 16	
Paid on account.....	350 00	
Balance due.....	460 16	
Also buildings and about 3,867 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1734, between two other estates of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$822 51	
Paid on account.....	350 00	
Balance due.....	472 51	
Also buildings and about 4,824 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1706, making the southwest corner of Sutherland road, between an estate of Mary Kulpinska and another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$1,889 55	
Paid on account.....	350 00	
Balance due.....	1,539 55	
Annie G. Allen—Buildings and about 2,573 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orkney road, numbered 45, between two estates of said Allen, tax for 1923.....	545 87	
American Surety Company of New York—Buildings and about 5,659 feet of land on the southwest corner of Dighton street, numbered 46, between an estate of David C. Seager and an estate of George A. Warren and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	46 93	
Also buildings and about 65,735 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 35, making the southwest corner of and numbered 75 Academy Hill road, extending to and making the northerly corner of and numbered 11 to 19 Mt. Vernon street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company, tax for 1923.....	1,143 61	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	85	
Also about 35,669 feet of land on the westerly side of Academy Hill road, making the southwest corner of Mt. Vernon street, adjoining an estate of Delia A. Elbery, tax for 1923.....	79 04	
Christian P. and Bertha M. Anderson—Buildings and about 10,780 feet of land on the southerly side of Kilsyth road, numbered 82 and 84, between an estate of Frieda A. Bencks and an estate of Rose F. Weiner, tax for 1923.....	427 31	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Walter F. Baker—Buildings and about 26,280 feet of land on the westerly side of Sidlaw road, numbered 16, making the southwest corner of Commonwealth avenue, between an estate of Helen B. Johnson and an estate of Anna E. McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	817 57	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Barbara Ballou—Buildings and about 2,369 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1737, between an estate of Althea A. Tougas and an estate of Alice C. Bailey, tax for 1923.....	133 38	
Louis Berkovitz—Buildings and about 3,745 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1878 and 1880, making the easterly corner of Chestnut Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Sophie Cadiff, tax for 1923.....	1,294 28	
Mary Brady—Buildings and about 1,314 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hano street, numbered 55, between another estate of said Brady and an estate of James A. Cody, tax for 1923.....	44 46	
Also buildings and about 1,313 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hano street, numbered 57, between two other estates of said Brady, tax for 1923.....	44 46	
Also buildings and about 1,546 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hano street, numbered 59, between another estate of said Brady and an estate of Deonisia Cantoni, tax for 1923.....	44 46	
Frances H. L. Brady—Buildings and about 3,799 feet of land on the southerly side of Larch street, adjoining an estate of Frances E. Sullivan, being lot 24, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....	81 51	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 44	
Alphonso Bruno—Buildings and about 14,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Strathmore road, numbered 163, between an estate of James E. Desmond and an estate of Helen B. Johnson, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
William H. Burgess and Howard W. Lang, Trustees of City Building Trust—Buildings and about 13,413 feet of land on the southerly side of Brighton avenue, numbered 128, between an estate of John J. Collins and an estate of Lena D. Rittenberg, tax for 1923, 4,352 14	4,352 14	
Maude D. Butler—Buildings and about 3,104 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1767, making the junction of Wallingford road, between an estate of Eugenia H. Simmons and an estate of Meta D. Ross, tax for 1923.....	158 08	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 95	
Margaret C. Campbell—About 1,656 feet of land on the southwest corner of Upper Crescent circuit, adjoining another estate of said Campbell, being westerly part of lot 41, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,612 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Snow street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot K, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated May 12, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2522, tax for 1922.....	14 82	
Tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Also about 4,927 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Snow street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot I, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated May 12, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2522, tax for 1922.....	17 29	
Tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Also about 4,709 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Snow street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot J, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated May 12, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2522, tax for 1922.....	17 29	
Tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Also about 4,032 feet of land on the westerly side of Wade street, adjoining an estate of Louville V. Niles, being the northerly part of lot 8, C. H. Gannett plan, dated January, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 22, tax for 1922.....	24 70	
Tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 15	
Also about 3,500 feet of land on the southwest corner of Upper Crescent circuit, adjoining an estate of Oak Square Realty Incorporated, being the easterly part of lot 41, shown on O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 90	

Also about 3,018 feet of land on the westerly side of Breck avenue, adjoining an estate of Charles J. O'Donnell, being lot 35, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3810, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 16, between an estate of Corah W. Wolltman and an estate of Joseph Kaufman and another, tax for 1922.....	160 55	
Mabel E. Chadwick (supposed present owner Mary M. McDonald)—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 16, between an estate of Corah W. Wolltman and an estate of Joseph Kaufman and another, tax for 1923.....	160 55	
Declan W. Corcoran—Buildings and about 15,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 81, making the northwesterly corner of William Jackson avenue, adjoining an estate of Margaret J. Corcoran, tax for 1923.....	91 39	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	30 58	
Margaret J. Corcoran—Buildings and about 12,631 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 83, making the southwesterly corner of William Jackson avenue, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth Jackson, tax for 1923.....	276 64	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 39	
Also buildings and about 13,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Corey road, numbered 271, 273 and 277, making the southerly corner of Bellvista road, between an estate of James H. Beals and another estate of Margaret J. Corcoran, tax for 1923.....	61 75	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	35 36	
Also buildings and about 9,915 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 75, between an estate of Sarah E. Roeder and an estate of Declan W. Corcoran, tax for 1923.....	69 16	
Also about 13,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Corey road, through to the Brookline line, between another estate of said Corcoran and an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
George C. Coyle, Reassessed from Max E. Wyzanski <i>et al.</i> —Buildings and about 5,653 feet of land on the northerly side of Colonial road, numbered 42, between an estate of Max E. Wyzanski and another and an estate of George H. Bonelli, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12426, tax for 1923.....	296 40	
Also about 5,653 feet of land on the northerly side of Colonial road, between another estate of said Coyle and an estate of Max E. Wyzanski and another, being lot 10 and part of lot 9, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated June 7, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12426, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Katherine G. Cunningham and Hannah T. Lynch—Buildings and about 5,307 feet of land on the northerly side of Union street, numbered 109, making the northeasterly corner of Shannon street, adjoining an estate of John and Ellen Meehan, tax for 1923.....	743 47	
Also about 4,451 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union street, making the northerly corner of Snow street, adjoining another estate of said Cunningham and another, being lot N, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated May 12, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2522, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Also about 4,742 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union street, adjoining another estate of said Cunningham, being lot O, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Also about 5,052 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union street, adjoining another estate of said Cunningham and another, being lot P, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Daniel F. Cunningham—Buildings and about 7,494 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wallingford road, numbered 47, between an estate of Rose G. McLaughlin and an estate of Gertrude G. Haley, tax for 1923.....	219 83	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 86	
Florence K. Dana, Marion A. Knight and Ethel A. Knight—About 11,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Washington street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Cyrus W. Alger and another, numbered 416 and 418 Washington street, tax for 1922.....	34 58	
James Daniels—Buildings and about 10,531 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 599, between an estate of Simon B. Sawin and an estate of Sisters of St. Joseph, tax for 1923.....	175 37	
Walter E. Erickson—About 5,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Emery road, adjoining an estate of Fred H. King, being lot 21, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated August 20, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2845, page 129, tax for 1921.....	14 82	
Tax for 1922.....	14 82	
Tax for 1923.....	14 82	
John J. Fanning—Buildings and about 5,150 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 360, 362 and 362A, making the southeasterly corner of Highgate street, adjoining an estate of Patrick Doherty, tax for 1923.....	175 37	
Gertrude M. Fay—Buildings and about 5,580 feet of land on the southerly side of Nottingham road, at end, numbered 24, between an estate of Francis L. Colpoys and an estate of Carolyn W. Lebowich, tax for 1922.....	125 97	
Edgar E. Fayous—About 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Beacon street, adjoining an estate of Octavia N. Vaas, being the northeasterly part of lot A, Henry C. Meldram plan, dated September 30, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4258, page 393, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Amelia and Lena Ferrarone—About 5,176 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Frederick L. Briggs, being lot 76, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16376, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Annie E. Flint—Buildings and about 6,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard avenue, numbered 215, between an estate of Patrick J. O'Toole and an estate of Ida Wilfand, tax for 1923.....	881 79	
Clara B. French—Also about 4,570 feet of land on the easterly side of Nottingham road, adjoining another estate of said Clara B. French, being lot 61, section A, C. H. W. Wood plan, dated October 24, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3312, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Also about 4,832 feet of land on the easterly side of Nottingham road, adjoining another estate of said Clara B. French, being lot 62, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Robert W. Frost and James A. Hathaway, Trustees of the Brighton and Bristol Real Estate Trust—About 16,845 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Academy Hill road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Travis, being lot A, William E. Hannon plan, dated July 9, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	83 98	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Jake Gilman—Buildings and about 8,952 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, at the Brookline line, numbered 1056, adjoining an estate of Ella A. Osgood, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15344, tax for 1923.....	3,102 32	
Maria E. Govan—Buildings and about 3,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pomeroy street, numbered 5, 7 and 9, between an estate of Julius A. Faust and an estate of Nicholas A. Carroll and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Susan S. Grace—Buildings and about 2,635 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union street, numbered 143 and 145, between an estate of Elizabeth Ford and another estate of said Susan S. Grace, tax for 1923.....	39 52	
Also buildings and about 9,207 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union street, numbered 147, 149 and 149 rear, between another estate of said Susan S. Grace and an estate of David Smart and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Also about 2,549 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Union street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Susan S. Grace, being lot T, D. W. Hyde plan, dated July 28, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2918, page 17, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Susan Grace—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shannon street, numbered 30, between an estate of Mary E. Barrett and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	76 57	
Also about 4,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Susan Grace, being lot 7, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated July, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3300, page 281, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 3,746 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Susan Grace, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
William E. Grace—Buildings and about 6,220 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Union street, numbered 52 and 54, between an estate of Mary E. Knight and an estate of Bridget T. Burns, tax for 1923.....	113 62	
Also about 7,392 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Union street, adjoining an estate of Jeremiah T. Cronin, being lot 14, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated February 21, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9567, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Orin S. Green—Buildings and about 30,390 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1988, between an estate of Adaline L. Lincoln and an estate of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	1,267 11	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 75	
Also buildings and about 7,018 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1406 and 1408, between an estate of said Green and an estate of Michael F. Kelly, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16474, tax for 1923.....	1,311 21	
Also buildings and about 7,462 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1402 and 1404, between another estate of said Green and an estate of Carrie E. M. Gifford, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16474, tax for 1923.....	1,351 09	
Evelyn H. Green—Buildings and about 2,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Summit avenue, numbered 328, between an estate of J. Scott McLearn and an estate of Frank S. Lane, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8289, tax for 1923.....	291 46	
Merrill M. Hammond and Marie L. Green—Buildings and about 1,781 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 60, between another estate of said Hammond and another and an estate of Katherine Winchester, tax for 1923.....	138 32	
Also buildings and about 2,430 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 58, making northeast corner Hammond terrace, between two other estate of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....	145 73	
Also buildings and about 2,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 9, making the southeasterly corner of Wadsworth street, adjoining another estate of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....	143 26	
Also building and about 1,948 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....	140 79	
Also buildings and about 1,966 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....	140 79	
Also buildings and about 2,017 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....	140 79	
Kate Hickey—Buildings and about 3,780 feet of land on the westerly side of Monastery road, numbered 23 and 25, making the northerly corner of La Rose place, adjoining an estate of John J. Lee and another, tax for 1923.....	83 98	
Ida M. Hodsdon—About 18,775 feet of land on the southerly side of Mt. Vernon street, between an estate of Kate McNamara and an estate of American Surety Company of New York, tax for 1922.....	56 81	
Tax for 1923.....	56 81	
Also about 13,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Corey road, between an estate of Margaret J. Corcoran and an estate of Margaret G. Lane, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Also about 5,448 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining an estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 59, section A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated October 24, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3312, tax for 1923.....	19 76	

Also about 5,692 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 58, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Francis M. Kiggen—Buildings and about 3,445 feet of land on the westerly side of Cambridge terrace, numbered 9, between an estate of Ernest F. Mundy and an estate of Mary McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	145 73	Also about 4,836 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said MacKay and others, trustees, being lot 51, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 5,602 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 57, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Harold G. King, Trustee, Fisher Hill Realty Company—Buildings and about 16,939 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1690, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Sarah Pearlstein and another, tax for 1923.....	3,630 90	Also about 5,233 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said MacKay and others, trustees, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also about 5,377 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, making the northwesterly corner of Nottingham path, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 81, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Frank S. Lane—Buildings and about 3,231 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Summit avenue, numbered 324, between an estate of Evelyn H. Green and an estate of Lillian Meyers, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11663, tax for 1923,.....	306 28	Also about 4,476 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said MacKay and others, trustees, being lot 53, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 5,049 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 80, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Helen Leavitt—Buildings and about 1,302 feet of land on the northerly side of Brighton avenue, numbered 81, between an estate of Edwin C. Morton and an estate of Delia A. Quigley, tax for 1923.....	205 01	Also about 4,731 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said MacKay and others, trustees, being lot 54, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 4,845 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining an estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 77, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Harris Levine (mortgagee in possession)—Buildings and about 9,346 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1334, between an estate of Charles H. Spring and an estate of Benjamin Levine, tax for 1923.....	\$2,129 14	Also about 4,986 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said MacKay and others, trustees, being lot 55, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Moth assessment for 1923.....	85	Paid on account.....	929 14	Also about 5,242 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said MacKay and others, trustees, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also about 5,223 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 76, section C, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Balance due.....	1,200 00	Margaret H. McMakin—About 6,992 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wade street, adjoining an estate of Louville V. Niles, being the southerly part of lot 4 and all of lot 5, shown on C. H. Gannett plan, dated January, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 22, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Also about 5,286 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 75, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Thomas Levine and Julius Rosen—Buildings and about 7,127 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Cummings road, adjoining an estate of Sarah Pearlstein and another, being lot 6, James Adam plan, dated April, 1914, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	326 04	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	21 22
Also about 19,232 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Elizabeth avenue, making the westerly corner of Bartholomew J. Connolly, being lot C A, A. S. N. Estes plan, dated April, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3575, tax for 1923.....	187 72	Margaret E. Levy—Buildings and about 5,468 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1122, between an estate of Isidore Israel and an estate of William H. Nicholson and another, tax for 1923.....	800 28	Albert J. McMurtry—Buildings and about 12,228 feet of land on the west-erly side of Winship street, numbered 3 and 5 and 3 and 5 rear, between an estate of Donato Pellegrini and an estate of Mary A. Harnedy, tax for 1923,.....	286 52
Frank Holland—About 898 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Glenville avenue, adjoining an estate of William Harvey, being lot D, S. L. Leftovich plan, dated January 1, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8546, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Jacob S. Litter—Buildings and about 4,828 feet of land on the southerly side of Washington street, numbered 394 and 394 1/2, making the southeast-erly corner of and numbered 2 and 4 Dighton street, adjoining an estate of William H. Monroe, tax for 1923.....	256 88	Catherine A. Morrow—About 3,749 feet of land on the northerly side of Colonial road, adjoining an estate of George H. Bonelli, being lot 20, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated October 6, 1913, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9140, tax for 1923.....	7 41
International Trust Company, Trustees of the Park Vale Avenue Apartments Trust—Buildings and about 7,980 feet of land on the westerly side of Park Vale avenue, numbered 38, between an estate of Bridget E. McGinnis and an estate of William H. Murray, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number, 15112, tax for 1923.....	1,126 32	Laura Logan—About 12,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, extending through to Boston-Brookline boundary line, between another estate of said Logan and an estate of Franklin Motor Car Company, tax for 1923.....	894 14	Patrick J. and Nellie S. Murphy—About 8,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Brayton road, west, adjoining an estate of Camille M. Fisher, being lot 39, O. W. Rugg plan, dated July 31, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13599, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Henry W. Jackson—About 5,287 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Brainerd road, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Jackson, being lot 12, French and Bryant plan, dated February 25, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3350, page 21, tax for 1922.....	98 80	Also about 42,890 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, making the northwesterly corner of Thorndike street, adjoining another estate of said Logan, tax for 1923.....	2,647 84	Gertrude E. Murray—About 4,029 feet of land on the southerly side of lower Crescent circuit, making the easterly corner of Regent street, adjoining an estate of Wesley A. Kinney, being lot 149, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	98 80	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Louville V. Niles—About 6,507 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being lot 12, C. H. Gannett plan, dated January, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 22, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	22 79
Also about 5,750 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brainerd road, adjoining an estate of Norman S. Waite, being lot 11, French and Bryant plan, dated February 25, 1909, tax for 1922.....	106 21	William London—Buildings and about 12,400 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Kinross road, making the southerly corner of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of Charles J. Sawyer, being lot 6, E. W. Bowditch plan, dated April 26, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3564, page 52, tax for 1923.....	988 00	Louville V. Niles, now set off to Louville V. Niles—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being northerly part lot 15, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 08
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	18 86	Florence London—Buildings and about 9,763 feet of land on the westerly side of Fordham road, numbered 7 and 15, between an estate of Fred J. Weeks and another and an estate of John E. Fay, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16495, tax for 1923.....	1,625 26	Louville V. Niles—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being lot 16, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 19
Tax for 1923.....	106 21	Margaret C. Lyons—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 46, between an estate of Frank Nevin and an estate of Julia Moran, tax for 1923.....	172 90	Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being lot 17, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	18 23
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 21	Michael and Mary Mack—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 61, between an estate of Joseph Perlitsch and an estate of Joseph Perlitz, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being southerly part of lot 18, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 19
Harry and Annie Katz—Buildings and about 8,375 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1238, between another estate of said Harry and Annie Katz and an estate of James A. Murphy, Junior, tax for 1923.....	\$1,363 44	Joseph A. MacKay and Others, Trustees—About 5,463 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, making the southwest-erly corner of Colonial path, adjoining another estate of said MacKay and others, trustees, being lot 49, section A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated October 24, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3312, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Cecelia A. O'Brien—Buildings and about 4,190 feet of land on the southerly side of High Rock way, numbered 30, between an estate of Herbert S. Weaver and an estate of Mary E. Collins, tax for 1923.....	172 90
Paid on account.....	1,000 00	Also about 5,462 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said MacKay and others, trustees, being lot 50, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	20 40
Balance due.....	363 44			Horace J. Phipps—Buildings and about 27,305 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Chiswick road, numbered 92, making the southerly corner of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of Benjamin Phipps heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	931 19
Also buildings and about 8,375 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1242, between an estate of Anna F. Corcoran and another estate of said Katz and another, tax for 1923.....	\$1,363 44			Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 30
Paid on account.....	1,000 00				
Balance due.....	363 44				
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Braintree street, numbered 27, between an estate of West End Street Railway Company and an estate of E. T. Ryan Iron Works, Inc., tax for 1923.....	54 34				
Raymond P. Kennedy—About 5,191 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilson park, adjoining an estate of Boston Mutual Life Insurance Company, being a lot shown on F. L. Roache plan, dated March 12, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4017, page 275, tax for 1922.....	64 22				
Tax for 1923.....	64 22				

Also about 20,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chiswick road, making the easterly corner of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of Orville W. Butter, being a lot on Ernest W. Bowditch plan, dated July 9, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2007, page 285, tax for 1923.	296 40		
Benjamin Phipps Heirs or Devises—About 14,150 feet of land on the northerly side of Strathmore road, adjoining an estate of Mary R. P. Hatch, being a lot shown on Roland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal plan, dated October, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4413, page 84, tax for 1923.	244 53		
Lilly H. Pushee—Buildings and about 3,655 feet of land on the easterly side of Strathmore road, numbered 45, between an estate of George M. Clough and an estate of Elsie G. Richter, tax for 1923.	553 28		
Edward L. Rafuse (supposed present owner Gertrude L. Murray)—About 3,605 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Breck avenue, being lot 6, on a plan (not named, not numbered), recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3207, page 378, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.	17 89		
Harry Ratner—Buildings and about 10,430 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429, 431 and 433, making the northeasterly corner of Denton road, adjoining an estate of Abraham Rome, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12001, tax for 1923.	617 50		
Mary A. Rice—About 198,900 feet of land on the southerly side of Langley road, making the southeasterly corner of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Boston Cenacle Society, tax for 1923.	244 53		
Moth assessment for 1923.	2 60		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.	30 55		
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 5,327 feet of land on the southerly side of Langley road, numbered 11, between an estate of Ernest Puhpol and an estate of Laura Bulgen, tax for 1923.	138 32		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	19 44		
Julius Rosen—Buildings and about 21,448 feet of land on the easterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1478, 1480, 1482, 1486 and 1488, making the southeasterly corner of Commonwealth terrace, extending to and numbered 26 Commonwealth terrace, extending to and making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 4 and 6 Sunnymede street, adjoining an estate of Mary E. Mahan, tax for 1923.	4,093 00		
Harris Rosenthal—Buildings and about 4,657 feet of land on the westerly side of Buckminster street, numbered 8, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Rosenthal, tax for 1923.	1,062 10		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	35 87		
Also buildings and about 4,276 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1429 and 1431, making the northwesterly corner of Buckminster street, adjoining another estate of said Rosenthal, tax for 1923.	\$1,128 79		
Paid on account.	389 02		
Balance due.	739 77		
Also buildings and about 4,748 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1435, between another estate of said Rosenthal and an estate of Louis Kaplan, tax for 1923.	\$1,185 60		
Paid on account.	389 02		
Balance due.	796 58		
Lena Rottenberg—Buildings and about 6,677 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Price road, numbered 7, between another estate of said Rottenberg and an estate of Joseph G. Cohen, tax for 1923.	\$753 35		
Paid on account.	750 88		
Balance due.	2 47		
Also buildings and about 6,119 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Price road, numbered 11, adjoining another estate of said Rottenberg and an estate of Helen C. Fitzpatrick, tax for 1923.	\$745 94		
Paid on account.	743 47		
Balance due.	2 47		
Morris Rotman and Barney Hurwitz—Buildings and about 13,073 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, making the north-easterly corner of Colonial road, between two other estates of said Rotman and another, being lot 1, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	654 55		
Also about 12,052 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining another estate of said Rotman and another, being lot 2, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	103 74		
Also about 10,668 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, making the easterly corner of Colonial road, being lot 18, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	79 04		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	22 32		
Ransom Rowe—About 12,880 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, being lot 3, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	111 15		
Also about 13,417 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, being lot 4, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	116 09		
Also about 13,671 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, being lot 5, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	135 85		
Also about 13,635 feet of land on the westerly side of Commonwealth avenue, being lot 6, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	135 85		
Also about 16,060 feet of land on the westerly side of Commonwealth avenue, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	197 60		
Also about 5,301 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 11, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 5,288 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 12, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 5,253 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 5,179 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 14, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 5,106 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 15, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 5,049 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 16, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 4,901 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 17, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	29 64		
Also about 6,653 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 33, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	41 99		
Also about 5,430 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 34, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	27 17		
Also about 5,397 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 35, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	27 17		
Also about 5,295 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 36, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	27 17		
Also about 5,133 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 37, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Also about 4,591 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 38, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Also about 4,266 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 39, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Also about 4,351 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 40, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Also about 4,162 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 41, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Ransom Rowe (supposed present owners Morris Rotman and Barney Hurwitz)—About 10,668 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 18, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.	23 04		
Ransom Rowe—About 5,291 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 10, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Also about 5,260 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 9, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	39 52		
Also about 5,291 feet of land on the southeasterly corner of Claymoss road, being lot 8, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	39 52		
Also about 5,356 feet of land on the easterly side of Colonial avenue, being lot 42, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	32 11		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	12 40		
Also about 4,581 feet of land on the easterly side of Colonial avenue, being lot 43, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	14 39		
Also about 4,843 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 45, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Also about 4,647 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 46, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	22 23		
Also about 4,882 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 47, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 48, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 49, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 50, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.	24 70		

Also about 5,228 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 51, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Also about 4,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 83, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 10,201 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining another estate of said Smith, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	214 89
Also about 5,271 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 52, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Also about 4,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 84, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Nancy Spitz—Buildings and about 5,061 feet of land on the westerly side of Highgate street, numbered 17, between an estate of Margaret Lamphier and an estate of William C. Turner et al., tax for 1923.....	\$587 86 Paid on account..... 325 00
Also about 5,785 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Euston road, being lot 58, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 5,961 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 89, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Balance due.....	262 86
Also about 6,210 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 59, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Also about 6,132 feet of land on the easterly side of Monastery road (formerly Union street), being lot 90, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	37 05 65	Also buildings and about 14,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Highgate street, numbered 16A, 16B, 20 and 22, between an estate of James Bauer and an estate of John J. Fanning, tax for 1923.....	\$335 92 Paid on account..... 299 50
Also about 5,899 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 60, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 5,436 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 28, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Balance due.....	36 42
Also about 5,788 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 61, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 6,642 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 27, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Edwin L. Stone, Trustee of the Nonantum Hill Trust—About 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Larch street, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 5,835 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 62, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 5,593 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 29, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Larch street, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 5,863 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 63, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 6,426 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 27, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	1,837 68 65	Also about 6,015 feet of land on the northerly side of lower Crescent circuit, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 179, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 5,955 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 64, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Adelaide J. and Arthur H. Sargent and Harry L. Sampson, Trustees of the Sargent Trust—Buildings and about 31,213 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 372, making the northerly corner of Sutherland road, adjoining an estate of Susan E. Wadsworth, tax for 1923.....	1,837 68 65	Also about 3,268 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Langley road, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 180, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 6,046 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 65, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Also about 4,163 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Langley road, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 181, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,138 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 66, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Joseph H. Shuman—Buildings and about 8,190 feet of land on the westerly side of Idlewild street, numbered 5, between an estate of Isadore Neckes and an estate of Prentiss Howard, tax for 1923.....	\$2,721 94 Paid on account..... 1,100 00	Edward L. Stone, reassessed to Catherine P. King—About 4,029 feet of land on the southerly side of lower Crescent circuit, making the southwesterly corner of Regent street, adjoining an estate of Wesley A. Kinney, being lot 150, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,244 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 67, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Balance due.....	1,621 94	Frances E. Sullivan—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Kenrick street, numbered 54, adjoining an estate of the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Also about 5,568 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 68, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Cleveland Sleeper, Eva G. Sleeper and Ethel G. Huntington—About 16,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Lake street, between an estate of Anna Flewelling and an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 85
Also about 4,486 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monastery road, formerly Union street, being lot 69, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 46, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 3,584 feet of land on the southerly side of Larch street, adjoining an estate of Margaret T. Sullivan, being the westerly part of lot 25, shown on O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, taxes for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 4,318 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monastery road, formerly Union street, being lot 70, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 47, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	13 95
Also about 4,461 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monastery road, formerly Union street, being lot 71, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 48, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Margaret F. Sullivan—About 3,126 feet of land on the southerly side of Larch street, adjoining an estate of Frances E. Sullivan, being easterly part of lot 25, shown on O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 4,404 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 80, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 33	Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 50, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Henry T. Sullivan, Trustee for Harold D. Goodenough—Buildings and about 45,196 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, numbered 120, between an estate of Horace W. Baxter heirs and an estate of Cleveland Sleeper and others, tax for 1923.....	288 99 1 75
Also about 4,474 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 82, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 33	Also buildings and about 138,791 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, numbered 104, making the southeasterly corner of Mt. Vernon street, adjoining an estate of Henry H. Sullivan, trustee, tax for 1923.....	397 67 3 45	Moth assessment for 1923.....	128 44
	22 23	Thomas M. Smith—About 10,305 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of said Smith, being lot A, H. C. Mildram plan, dated November 23, 1904, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3005, page 95, tax for 1923.....	217 36	William C. and Nellie M. Tanner—Buildings and about 5,253 feet of land on the westerly side of Highgate street, numbered 19 and 21, between an estate of Nancy Spitz and an estate of Laura M. Wingate, tax for 1923.....	88 92
				Margaret Timmons (set off to Margaret Timmons and Catharine G. Bresnahan)—Buildings and about 1,951 feet of land on the northerly side of Armington street, numbered 35, between another estate of said Timmons and another and an estate of Caroline V. Cusick, tax for 1923.....	88 92
				Also buildings and about 1,879 feet of land on the northerly side of Armington street, numbered 33, between an estate of Amelia C. Tykeson and another estate of said Timmons and another, tax for 1923.....	88 92
				Edward F. Timmons, Trustee of the Commonwealth Development Company (reassessed from Ellen J. Lane)—Buildings and about 6,705 feet of land on the westerly side of Foster street, numbered 255, making the southerly corner of Land park, adjoining an estate of James A. Monroe, tax for 1923.....	74 10

Nathan Ullian—Buildings and about 6,196 feet of land on the easterly side of Quint avenue, numbered 76, making the northeasterly corner of Glenville avenue, between an estate of said Ullian and an estate of Charles D. and Katherine A. Norris, tax for 1923, 1,062 10

Also buildings and about 7,008 feet of land on the northerly side of Glenville avenue, numbered 27, between two other estates of said Ullian, tax for 1923, 1,086 80

Also buildings and about 6,496 feet of land on the westerly side of Park Vale avenue, numbered 4, making the northwesterly corner of Glenville avenue, between an estate of said Ullian and an estate of International Trust Company, trustee of the Spoford Apartments Trust, tax for 1923, 1,062 10

Susan E. Wadsworth—About 2,168 feet of land on the southerly side of Englewood avenue, between another estate of said Wadsworth and an estate of Mary F. Downes, being lot C, H. F. Bryant plan, dated August 15, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, 32 11

Dexter C. Washburn, Trustee for Dexter C. Washburn, Lizzie C. Washburn and William H. L. Washburn—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden street, numbered 76 and 78, between an estate of Charles H. Stephenson and another and an estate of Edward M. Warner, tax for 1923, 256 88

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923, 36 99

Harriet A. Waterman—About 20,082 feet of land on the westerly side of Wallingford road, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being lot Q18, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated September 27, 1918, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10652, tax for 1923, 128 44

Alice E. Watrous—Buildings and about 16,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kilsyth terrace, numbered 12, between an estate of Henry K. Braley and an estate of Hans W. Rabe, tax for 1923, \$259 35
Paid on account, 50 00

Balance due, 209 35

Also buildings and about 820 feet of land on the easterly side of Wilton street, numbered 9, between an estate of Edward J. and Mary J. Ryan and an estate of Thomas A. Sanford, and another, tax for 1923, \$96 33
Paid on account, 50 00

Balance due, 46 33

John G. West—Buildings and about 5,029 feet of land on the westerly side of Chester street, numbered 74, between an estate of Bettie Markus and another estate of said West, tax for 1923, 209 95

Frank L. Whitcomb, Trustee for James I. Wingate and others—About 6,102 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, adjoining another estate of said Whitcomb, trustee, being lot 6, J. W. Morrison plan, February 25, 1805, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2343, tax for 1923, 56 81

Ralph F. Whitehead—About 100 feet of land on the westerly side of Harvard terrace, at end, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth L. Cox (numbered 17 Harvard terrace), tax for 1922, 2 47
Tax for 1923, 2 47

William Williams—Buildings and about 7,315 feet of land on the northerly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 15, between an estate of Mary Ivory and another and an estate of American Surety Company of New York, tax for 1923, 37 05

Also about 16,845 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Academy Hill road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Travis, being lot A, William E. Hannan plan, dated July 9, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number, tax for 1923, 83 98

Martha Wilmot—About 16,234 feet of land on the southwesterly side of North Beacon street, between an estate of Inez S. Strang (numbered 56 and 58) and an estate of Bessie J. McLaughlin and another (numbered 44), tax for 1923, 140 79

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923, 32 91

Also about 9,450 feet of land on the easterly side of Garden street, between an estate of Inez S. Strang (numbered 56 and 58 North Beacon street) and an estate of John J. McLane (numbered 15 and 17 Gordon street), tax for 1923, 81 51

Sophia Winch—Buildings and about 2,008 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blaine avenue, numbered 4 and 6, between another estate of said Winch and an estate of Michael Fonseca, tax for 1923, 64 22

Also buildings and about 1,883 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blaine avenue, numbered 8 and 10, between another estate of said Winch and an estate of Mary A. Smith, tax for 1923, 64 22

James M. Woods—Buildings and about 4,766 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot G, John H. Burroughs plan, dated May 11, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923, 108 68

Also buildings and about 5,635 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot H, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923, 207 48

Also buildings and about 6,623 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot K, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923, 222 30

Harold B. and Winifred H. Wright—Buildings and about 4,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Pratt street, numbered 30, between an estate of Dennis J. and Mary A. O'Leary and an estate of John L. Beauchain heirs, tax for 1923, 98 80

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American Surety Company of New York—About 2,093 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, making the southwesterly corner of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 29, D. W. Hyde plan, dated August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3760, tax for 1921, \$1 94
Tax for 1922, 4 94
Tax for 1923, 4 94

Also about 2,896 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923, 4 94

Also about 1,167 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,494 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1921, 2 47
Tax for 1922, 2 47
Tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,451 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1921, 2 47
Tax for 1922, 2 47
Tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,408 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1921, 2 47
Tax for 1922, 2 47
Tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,365 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,322 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,194 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,151 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 3,321 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, making the southwesterly corner of Hubbard street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923, 7 41

Also about 2,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923, 4 94

Also about 1,981 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining an estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923, 4 94

Also about 1,912 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining an estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923, 4 94

Also about 2,765 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, making the northwesterly corner of Hubbard street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1922, 7 41
Tax for 1923, 7 41

Also about 1,873 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1921, 2 47
Tax for 1922, 2 47
Tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,879 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,885 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 69, same plan, tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,891 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 70, same plan, tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,897 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923, 2 47

Also about 1,903 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923, 4 94

Also about 1,909 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1923, 4 94

Also buildings and about 10,711 feet of land on the easterly side of North Harvard street, numbered 216, making the southeasterly corner of Bertam street, adjoining an estate of Robert W. Frost and another trustee, tax for 1922, 61 75
Tax for 1923, 61 75

Mary P. Anthony—Buildings and about 3,450 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Murdock street, numbered 151 and 153, between another estate of said Anthony and an estate of Jessie Tirrell, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4014, tax for 1923, 148 29

Also buildings and about 3,326 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Murdock street, numbered 155 and 157, making the southerly corner of North Beacon street, adjoining another estate of said Anthony, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4014, tax for 1923, 148 20

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923, 13 57

Kate L. Babeuf Heirs—About 15,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunboy street, adjoining an estate of Columbia DiPersio, being part of lots 10, 11 and 12, F. A. Garvin plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4241, page 578, tax for 1923, 39 52

Charles W. Badger—About 3,027 feet of land on the westerly side of Falkland terrace, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot 5, John H. Rice plan, dated January 1, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2801, page 250, tax for 1923, 12 35

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923, 18 48

Anthony A. Baia—About 3,012 feet of land on the westerly side of Fletcher street, being lot 26, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923, 4 94

Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, making the northwesterly corner of Fletcher street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923, 7 41

Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923, 4 94

Phillip Barlas—About 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 60, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923, 9 88

Also about 3,985 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Mabel E. Chadwick—About 4,928 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennett street, adjoining an estate of Louisa W. Lewis, being the easterly part of lot 62 and the northerly part of lot 61. W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 1,925 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Windom street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 410, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Julia H. Cody—About 764 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street (at Newton line), adjoining an estate of Julia A. Lehman, being the westerly part of lot 12, E. S. Smilie plan, dated October 2, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4000, page 320, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Charles A. Cowan—About 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, adjoining an estate of Theresa Magnuson, being lot 73, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated January 3, 1905, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13471, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also buildings and about 8,810 feet of land on the southerly side of Smith street, numbered 37, making the southeasterly corner of Smith street, at angle, adjoining an estate of Antonio Polcaro, tax for 1922.....	19 76	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, adjoining an estate of Theresa Magnuson, being lot 71, same plan, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13471, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	19 76	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, adjoining an estate of Theresa Magnuson, being lot 75, same plan, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13471, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Bronsdon street, making the northeasterly corner of Lawrence street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, adjoining an estate of Phillip Barlos, being lot 59, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, adjoining an estate of Theresa Magnuson, being lot 71, same plan, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13471, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 2,927 feet of land on the easterly side of Bronsdon street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Mabel M. Dalton—Buildings and about 5,814 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 12 and 14, making the westerly corner of Sumner road, adjoining an estate of Mary A. McDonald, tax for 1923.....	212 42
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Bronsdon street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 6,739 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly street, being lot 7, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1922.....	17 29	Ervin R. Dix—About 80 feet of land on the easterly side of Converse street, at end, adjoining an estate of Thomas F. and Mary C. Bowles, being a lot shown on F. O. Whitney plan, dated May 1, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4040, page 263, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 60	John J. Duffy—About 764 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, adjoining an estate of Julia A. Lehman, being the westerly part of lot 12, E. S. Smilie plan, dated October 2, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4000, page 320, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Tax for 1923.....	17 29	Charlotte E. Ericson—About 6,056 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Newton street, adjoining an estate of Rose Landay, being lot 53, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 92, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Fletcher street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28	Allen S. Farwell—About 4,775 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being a lot shown on F. A. Foster plan, dated January 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, page 597, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Charles E. Beinis and Abby V. Young—About 300 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Charles River Reservation, adjoining an estate of Charles E. Willard, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Also about 3,927 feet of land on the easterly side of Arden street, adjoining an estate of Harvey R. Ruggles, being lot 86, E. W. Bowditch plan, dated November, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1999, page 593, tax for 1922.....	17 29	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 21, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Bonnelli Adams Company—About 2,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Seattle street, being lot 374, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28	Also about 3,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Elba street, in rear adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 2,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Seattle street, being lot 375, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 4,289 feet of land on the westerly side of North Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Hart, being lot 105, D. W. Hyde plan, dated August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3760, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 3,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Elba street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1922.....	14 82
Also about 2,790 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Seattle street, being lot 376, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 20, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Lemoine Farwell—About 4,775 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being a lot shown on F. A. Foster plan, dated January 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, page 597, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Bourne Hadley Company—Buildings and about 2,684 feet of land on the westerly side of Royal street, numbered 26, between an estate of Mary G. Rilev and an estate of Irene Wynott, tax for 1923.....	167 96	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Katherine L. Brannagan—About 3,503 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corinne road, adjoining another estate of said Brannagan, being lot 15, E. S. Smilie plan, dated January, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2589, page 401, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 4,812 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corinne road, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28	Also about 3,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Elba street, in rear adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Joseph Bruno, Frank Pettiti and Alphonso Bruno—Buildings and about 70,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Western avenue, numbered 371 and 373, between an estate of Albert J. Jones and an estate of John August and another, tax for 1923.....	259 35	Also about 2,882 feet of land on the westerly side of Falkland terrace, adjoining an estate of Lottie L. Foley, being lot 6, John H. Rice plan, dated January 1, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2801, page 250, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Helen E. Bumford—Buildings and about 3,850 feet of land on the northerly side of Electric avenue, numbered 10 and 12, between an estate of Annie Jeffery and an estate of Ervin R. Dix, tax for 1923.....	140 79	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 59	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Carl Carlson—About 4,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Turner street, making the southwesterly corner of Faneuil street, adjoining an estate of Olive P. Dean, being the northerly part of a lot on E. A. W. Hammatt plan, dated February 26, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3865, page 350, tax for 1923.....	41 46	Also about 15,244 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bigelow street, adjoining an estate of Allen W. Webber, being lot 51, Whitman Breck & Co. plan, dated October, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1815, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
William R. Carlson and Eric A. Hallstrand—About 3,314 feet of land on the southerly side of Bellamy street, adjoining an estate of Shirley R. Dunbar, being lot 46, John N. McClintock plan, dated October, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3798, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 5,305 feet of land on the easterly side of North Harvard street, making the northeasterly corner of Kingsley street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Hart, being lot 75, D. W. Hyde plan, dated August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3760, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 90	Also about 3,748 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 9, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Harry P. Chadwick—About 29,604 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Weitz street, making the easterly corner of Franklin street, extending to and making the southerly corner of North Harvard street, being lot A, George H. Sherman plan, dated June 9, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14062, tax for 1922.....	163 02	Also about 3,745 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 1,918 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Windom street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 409, H. A. Millhouse plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3722, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Also about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Burton street, adjoining an estate of James F. Noonan, being lot 3, John N. McClintock plan, dated October, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3798, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 11		

Also about 2,237 feet of land on the southerly side of Bertram street, being lot 102, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 1,251 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,103 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Bertram street, being lot 117, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 1,293 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,704 feet of land on the northerly side of Dustin street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Bertram street, being lot 118, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 1,335 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,578 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saybrook street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Bertram street, being lot 119, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 1,376 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 96
Also about 1,978 feet of land on the northerly side of Bertram street, being lot 120, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 1,418 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 37
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Western avenue, being lot 128, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 1,460 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,372 feet of land on the southerly side of Ridge road, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Western avenue, being lot 129, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 1,502 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,579 feet of land on the southerly side of Ridge road, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Western avenue, being lot 130, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,774 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Western avenue, being lot 131, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,689 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,426 feet of land on the southerly side of Elmira street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Western avenue, being lot 132, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 1,927 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,086 feet of land on the northerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 65, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Western avenue, being lot 133, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 1,997 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,409 feet of land on the northerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 1,236 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 2,067 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,406 feet of land on the northerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 1,279 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 2,138 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,426 feet of land on the northerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 2,395 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 4,289 feet of land on the easterly side of North Harvard street, being lot 105, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 5,288 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 103, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also about 2,448 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 81,934 feet of land on the northerly side of Franklin street, being lot A, D. W. Hyde plan, dated March 9, 1915, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4011, page 211, tax for 1923.....	242 06	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	18 04
Also about 1,866 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Morris Frye—Buildings and about 7,532 feet of land on the southerly side of Cypress road, numbered 58 and 60, making the southeasterly corner of Market street, adjoining an estate of John C. Taylor, trustee, tax for 1923.....	716 30	Also about 5,323 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 102, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	30 12	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	18 04
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Junia A. Goodenough, Ethel M. and Eva G. Sleeper—About 16,985 feet of land on the northerly side of Raymond street, making the northwesterly corner of Westford street, adjoining an estate of George W. Thurston, being lot 22, shown on assessors' plan, volume 11, page 26, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1921.....	76 57	Also about 3,579 feet of land on the southerly side of Ridge road, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	76 57	Also about 3,312 feet of land on the northerly side of Garden street, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Junia A. Goodenough, Ethel M. and Eva G. Sleeper—About 3,084 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, making the northeasterly corner of Elmira street, adjoining another estate of said Goodenough and others, being lot 83, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 2,584 feet of land on the northerly side of Garden street, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 57, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 82, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,401 feet of land on the southerly side of Murdock street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 58, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 81, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,287 feet of land on the southerly side of Garden street, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 59, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 80, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 2,584 feet of land on the southerly side of Garden street, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 60, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 79, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 2,584 feet of land on the southerly side of Garden street, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 78, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,876 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glencoe street, being lot 58, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 6,059 feet of land on the southerly side of Elmira street, being lot 101, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Also about 4,067 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glencoe street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	19 98	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 70
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 2,688 feet of land on the westerly side of Calef street, being lot 87, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 61
Also about 1,978 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, being lot 65, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,007 feet of land on the westerly side of Calef street, being lot 86, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 4,076 feet of land on the northerly side of Murdock street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also about 1,209 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,007 feet of land on the westerly side of Calef street, being lot 85, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,953 feet of land on the northerly side of Saybrook street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76
		Also about 3,024 feet of land on the westerly side of Calef street, being lot 84, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 18
		Also about 3,085 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 69, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,668 feet of land on the northerly side of Saybrook street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
		Also about 3,103 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 06
				Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 76
				Also about 6,733 feet of land on the southerly side of Garden street, being lot 95, same plan, tax for 1923.....	34 58
				Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	22 21
				Also about 3,066 feet of land on the northerly side of Calef street, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
				Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northerly side of Calef street, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
				Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northerly side of Calef street, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
				Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northerly side of Calef street, being lot 91, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
				Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northerly side of Calef street, being lot 90, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
				Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northerly side of Calef street, being lot 89, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
				Also about 3,699 feet of land on the northerly side of Elmira street, being lot 88, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 88

Also about 5,264 feet of land on the easterly side of Market street, being lot 100, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	22 80		
Also about 5,999 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	20 34		
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 98, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	20 34		
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 97, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	20 34		
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	20 22		
Also about 3,725 feet of land on the southerly side of Garden street, being lot 77, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 3,085 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 76, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 75, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 74, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,725 feet of land on the northerly side of Elmira street, being lot 70, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Henry B. Goodenough Heirs or Devises—About 10,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Brooks street, being the southerly part of lot 141, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 79, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	29 50		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 10,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Brooks street, being lot 143, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	29 50		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
George W. Gordon—About 4,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Waverly street extension, adjoining another estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot 19, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28		
William L. and Lillian C. Greene (Undivided)—Buildings and about 2,584 feet of land on the northerly side of Cushman road, numbered 25 and 27, between an estate of Ellen L. Beedle (numbered 23) and an estate of Juniata A. Goodenough and others, tax for 1923.....		\$93 86	
Paid on account.....		60 00	
Balance due.....	33 86		
Lillie M. Haines—Buildings and about 2,522 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hefferan place, numbered 9, between an estate of Esther H. Chellis, and an estate of Aetna Realty Company registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14860, tax for 1923.....	128 44		
Victor M. Hall—Buildings and about 2,777 feet of land on the southerly side of Cushman road, numbered 8, between an estate of Thomas Connaughton (numbered 10) and an estate of Margaret A. Collins, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Eugene B. Hamilton—Buildings and about 3,375 feet of land on the northerly side of Weitz street, numbered 21-25, between an estate of Agnes L. Finley (numbered 13) and an estate of Mary E. Murray, trustee, tax for 1923.....	106 21		
Charles E. Hamilton—About 4,745 feet of land on the easterly side of Haskell street, adjoining an estate of Grace D. Snow, being lot 112, E. W. Bowditch plan, dated November, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1999, page 593, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Sarah E. Hart—Buildings and about 5,012 feet of land on the easterly side of North Harvard street, numbered 220, between two estates of Robert W. Frost and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	108 68		
James A. Hathaway, Trustee of the Brighton and Bristol Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 259,673 feet of land on the northerly side of Western avenue, numbered 411, 413-417, 419-431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441 and 443, between an estate of Baldosaro DiRoccia and others and an estate of Anna M. J. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	1,081 86		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 4,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cambridge street, numbered 161, between an estate of Clement Lorenzo and an estate of William A. and Daisey E. Price, tax for 1923.....	108 68		
Also about 1,601 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, making the southeasterly corner of Hubbard street, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 41, D. W. Hyde plan, August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3760, at end, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,579 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 40, D. W. Hyde plan, August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3760, at end, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,536 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 39, D. W. Hyde plan, August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3760, at end, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also buildings and about 3,560 feet of land on the easterly side of Montfern avenue, numbered 45 and 47, between an estate of Nellie H. Murphy and an estate of Katherine M. Mullins, tax for 1923.....	190 19		
Also buildings and about 3,463 feet of land on the easterly side of Litchfield street, numbered 81 and 83, making the southeasterly corner of Elba street, adjoining an estate of Annie L. Flynn, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	9 91		
Also buildings and about 4,597 feet of land on the easterly side of Royal street, numbered 53, between an estate of William Carter and another and an estate of William L. Staples, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
James E. Houppoulis Buildings and about 4,060 feet of land on the northerly side of Easton street, numbered 11, between an estate of Mary M. Love and an estate of Josephine De Grasse, tax for 1923.....	224 77		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	34 15		
Rufus S. Jaques—About 3,101 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seattle street, adjoining another estate of Rufus S. Jaques, being lot 77, W. A. Mason & Son plan, June 24, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2003, page 338, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
G. Arthur Kayo—About 4,902 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hobart street, adjoining an estate of John E. Condon and another, being lot 35, shown on a plan not dated, and not named on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Annie M. Kelley—About 2,806 feet of land on the westerly side of Bronsdon street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 13, John N. McClintock plan, June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, making the northwesterly corner of Bronsdon street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 12,000 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, being lots 19, 20-33 and 34, N. J. Holland plan, May 6, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15723, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Ellen T. Kelley—About 5,103 feet of land on the southwesterly side of North Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Fannie Sherman, being lot 126, E. W. Bowditch plan, November, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1999, page 593, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Charles J. Kelley—About 2,950 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Smith street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 8, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 7, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,887 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Smith street, making the northerly corner of Duck place (now Stadium place), being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, making the southeasterly corner of Fletcher street, being lot 35, John N. McClintock plan, June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Fletcher street, adjoining an estate of Phillip Bailas, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Annie M. Kelley—About 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 18, John N. McClintock plan, June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, making the southwesterly corner of Bronsdon street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Annie M. Kelley—About 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Bronsdon street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 16, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Bronsdon street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Bronsdon street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 6,326 feet of land on the easterly side of Portsmouth street, adjoining an estate of Peter Centola, being lot 7, J. F. Wadleigh plan, dated May 27, 1884, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1645, page 322, tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Also about 3,083 feet of land on the westerly side of Waverly street, making the southwesterly corner of School street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 38, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 84		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 51		
Also about 2,732 feet of land on the westerly side of Waverly street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 84		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 51		
Also about 2,580 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being the northerly part of lot 10, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,742 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,739 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,736 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 737 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Coolidge road, adjoining an estate of David C. Seager, being the westerly part of lot 43, E. W. Bowditch plan, dated November, 1890, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1999, page 593, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 12,000 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, being lots 19, 20, 33 and 34, Neal J. Holland plan, May 6, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15723, tax for 1923.....	29 64		

Lillie I. Knowlton—Buildings and about 4,521 feet of land on the westerly side of Brackett street, numbered 42, 44 and 46, making the southwesterly corner of Faneuil street, adjoining an estate of Anna G. E. Carlson, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11629, tax for 1923.....	592 80		
Rose Landay—About 4,934 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Newton street, adjoining another estate of said Landay, being lot A, Frank A. Foster plan, dated October 13, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15437, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,205 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Newton street, adjoining another estate of said Landay, being lot B, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15437, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Abraham J. Litvak—Buildings and about 5,753 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cambridge street, numbered 141, between an estate of Dora Welsh and an estate of James C. Keith, tax for 1923.....	158 08		
Katherine L. Lyons—Buildings and about 3,270 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brooks street, numbered 130 and 130A, between an estate of Susannah Austin and an estate of Mary G. Melody, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	23 86		
Theresa Magnuson—About 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 1, Charles D. Elliot plan, January 3, 1905, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 2, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 3, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 4, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 5, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 6, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 8, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 9, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 7,582 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 10, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also about 5,258 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 11, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 12, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 14, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
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Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 16, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 17, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
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Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 19, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 20, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 21, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 22, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 23, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
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Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 30, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 31, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
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Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 33, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 34, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 35, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,708 feet of land on the westerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 39, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 5,355 feet of land on the northerly side of Newcastle road, being lot 40, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 5,613 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Faneuil street, being lot 65, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	65		
Also about 5,239 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, making the northwesterly corner of Faneuil street, being lot 66, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 68, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 70, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 72, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 74, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,894 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 77, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 4,850 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 79, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,686 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 81, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,428 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 82, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,313 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 85, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,684 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 86, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,060 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 87, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 4,591 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 89, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Margaret B. Maher—About 17,755 feet of land on the easterly side of Brentwood street, making the north-easterly corner of Applan way, adjoining an estate of Margaret A. Parker, tax for 1921.....	79 04		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	34 21		
Tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	32 01		
Mary H. Mahoney—Buildings and about 4,912 feet of land on the westerly side of Bigelow street, numbered 40, between an estate of Nellie O. Hall and an estate of Mary E. Keyler, tax for 1923.....	101 27		
John A. and Helen W. Martin—Buildings and about 3,293 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hopedale street, numbered 14, between an estate of Annie T. Davis and an estate of Bridget Golden, tax for 1923.....	\$76 57		
Paid on account.....	40 00		
Balance due.....	36 57		
Nellie M. McCarthy—Buildings and about 10,055 feet of land on the northerly side of Waverly place, numbered 3 and 5, between an estate of Mary W. Abell and an estate of John G. Corson, tax for 1923.....	\$88 92		
Paid on account.....	45 00		
Balance due.....	43 92		
Johanna McDonald—Buildings and about 3,910 feet of land on the southerly side of Arlington street, numbered 28 and 30, between an estate of Patrick McDermott and an estate of Abigail F. Burns, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	39 59		

Joseph F. M. McGee—Buildings and about 3,428 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Litchfield street, numbered 94, between an estate of M. J. Gallagher and an estate of James Townsend, tax for 1923.....	61 75
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 87
Catherine McNally—Buildings and about 270,902 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, numbered 83, between an estate of Margaret Welsh and an estate of Thomas J. McClue, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	220 59
Julia A. Louis G. and Hobart G. Mead and Emma A. Wright—About 1,880 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northerly side of Franklin street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Elizabeth Warren (numbered 166 Franklin street), tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 29, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 30, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 31, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 32, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 33, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 34, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Ethel R. Millner—Buildings and about 2,520 feet of land on the southerly side of Empire street, numbered 73, between an estate of Commonwealth Real Estate and Investment Company and an estate of Etta M. Moore and another, tax for 1923.....	301 34
Stephen F. Monahan—Buildings and about 7,824 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Market street, numbered 343, 345 rear and 347, between an estate of Michael Rafferty and an estate of Pardo Vannelli, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	153 14 6 36
Honora A. Morrison—Buildings and about 18,718 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wexford street, numbered 64 and 66, between an estate of Jonathan E. Harlow and an estate of Domenico Lombardo, tax for 1923.....	79 04
Mary Moutouris—Buildings and about 5,043 feet of land on the easterly side of Royal street, numbered 11 and 15, between another estate of said Moutouris and an estate of George L. Flanders, tax for 1923..... \$531 05 Paid on account..... 187 50	
Balance due.....	343 55
Also buildings and about 5,846 feet of land on the easterly side of Royal street, numbered 5 and 7, making the northeasterly corner of Cambridge street, adjoining another estate of said Moutouris, tax for 1923..... \$568 10 Paid on account..... 187 50	
Balance due.....	380 60
Mary E. Murray, Trustee of the Sudbury Real Estate Trust—About 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Weitz street, being lot D, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated May 29, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14062, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Also about 29,604 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Franklin street, being lot A, George H. Sherman plan, dated June 9, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14062, tax for 1923.....	163 02
Marie J. Nolan—Buildings and about 4,811 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, numbered 297, making the northwesterly corner of Hobson street, adjoining an estate of Albert L. Schaller (numbered 301), tax for 1923.....	153 14
Francis J. O'Gorman—About 3,876 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glencoe street, being lot 60, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 80
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 70
Old South Trust Company—About 5,537 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunklee road, being lot 126, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 5,375 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunklee road, being lot 127, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dunklee road, being lot 128, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dunklee road, being lot 129, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dunklee road, being lot 130, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,526 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dunklee road, being lot 131, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 9,388 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dunklee road, being lot 132, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also about 5,766 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 137, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 7,671 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 136, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 7,551 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 135, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 6,047 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 134, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 4,057 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 133, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Owner or Owners Unknown—About 3,934 feet of land on the northerly side of Newton street, adjoining an estate of Boston & Albany Railroad Company, being a strip of land with a frontage of 281 feet on Newton street and 14 feet wide, tax for 1922.....	9 88 9 88
Frank E. Peterson—Buildings and about 3,443 feet of land on the southerly side of Hooker street, numbered 24 and 26, between an estate of Frank E. Peterson and an estate of Annie Oxman, tax for 1923.....	365 56
Also buildings and about 3,700 feet of land on the southerly side of Hooker street, numbered 20 and 22, between an estate of William W. Fabeck and another estate of Frank P. Peterson, tax for 1923.....	363 09
Axel N. Peterson—Buildings and about 4,903 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brooks street, numbered 112, between an estate of Agnes C. Hewitt and an estate of Edwin F. Benson and another tax for 1923.....	103 74
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	33 99
Joseph A. Picone—About 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Fletcher street, adjoining another estate of said Picone, being lot 23, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Fletcher street, adjoining another estate of said Picone, being lot 24, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	1 94
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Fletcher street, adjoining another estate of said Picone, being lot 25, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Charles W. Rice, Trustee of the Beacon Associates—About 1,970 feet of land on the northerly side of Western avenue, making the junction of Hefferman place, adjoining an estate of Marion M. Davison, being lot B12, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated June 27, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11926, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Francis L. Richards—Buildings and about 1,290 feet of land on the westerly side of Holmes street, numbered 26 and 28, between an estate of Ida M. Hodson and an estate of David Cheever, tax for 1923.....	59 28
Samuel Richards—About 4,724 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Antwerp street, adjoining an estate of Catherine Queeny, being lot 121, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Charles H. Richardson—About 278,464 feet of land on the easterly side of private way, making the southeasterly corner Soldiers' Field road and an estate of Sarah Clark, tax for 1923.....	148 20 148 20
Tax for 1922.....	
Susan R. Romney—About 11,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Newton street, adjoining another estate of said Romney, being the westerly part of lot 80, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated April, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3826, tax for 1923.....	12 35 12 35
Tax for 1922.....	
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Newton street, adjoining another estate of said Romney, being the easterly part of lot 80, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated April, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3826, tax for 1923.....	4 94 4 94
Tax for 1922.....	
Edw. J. Russell—Buildings and about 7,952 feet of land on the southerly side of Holton street, numbered 39, between an estate of Arthur W. Hopkins and an estate of Jennie A. Gallagher, tax for 1923.....	143 26
Frank E. Sherry—About 1,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Duck Lane place, being the southeasterly part of lot 33, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 7, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Philip Sheiber—About 2,150 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sorrento street, being lot 299, H. A. Millhouse plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3722, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,134 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sorrento street, making the westerly corner of Oxford street, being lot 300, same plan, tax for 1923.....	1 94
Benny Sheiber—About 2,299 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sorrento street, being lot 354, H. A. Millhouse plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3722, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,319 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sorrento street, being lot 353, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,299 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sorrento street, being lots 356 and 357, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Cleveland Sleeper, Eva G. and Ethel G. Huntington—About 23,479 feet of land on the northerly side of Western avenue, between an estate of John P. W. Callaghan and others and an estate of Mary E. Malone, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Also about 11,962 feet of land on the northerly side of Raymond street, making the northwesterly corner of Riverdale street, adjoining an estate of Julia White, tax for 1923.....	54 34

Albert C. Smith—About 1,080 feet of land lying in the rear of the southwesterly side of Harvard street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Joseph Zahka and others, tax for 1923, 4 94
Also about 206 feet of land on the easterly side of Corinne road, being a lot shown on E. S. Smilie plan, January, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2589, page 401, tax for 1922, 2 47
Tax for 1923, 2 47

Agnes G. Sullivan—About 6,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street, being lot A, D. W. Hyde plan, December 31, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4213, page 506, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921, 25 88

Tenants Home Corporation—About 2,983 feet of land on the northerly side of Garden street, being lot 6, D. W. Hyde plan, March 18, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2942, tax for 1923, 12 35

George W. Thurston—About 4,612 feet of land on the northerly side of Raymond street, between an estate of Patrick J. Carr and another and another estate of said Thurston, tax for 1923, 19 76
Also buildings and about 5,062 feet of land on the northerly side of Raymond street, numbered 18, between another estate of said Thurston and an estate of Juniata A. Goodenough and others, tax for 1923, 83 98

Annie E. Timmins—Buildings and about 13,184 feet of land on the northerly side of Lincoln street, numbered 240, 242, 242 rear, between an estate of Charles Jesukiewicz and an estate of Martin Finigan heirs, tax for 1923, \$79 04
Paid on account, 60 00
Balance due, 19 04

Guy D. Tobey—About 3,578 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saybrook street, being lot 29, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 336, tax for 1923, 14 82
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 8 96
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923, 15 37

Alice M. Upton—About 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Beechcroft street, being lot 48, E. A. W. Hammatt plan, January 25, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3518, page 24, tax for 1923, 9 88
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Beechcroft street, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1923, 7 41
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Beechcroft street, being lot 46, same plan, tax for 1923, 7 41

H. Grace Wadsworth—About 6,901 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richards street, being lot 9, James Adam plan, dated May, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12545, tax for 1923, 24 70
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 7 11
Also about 5,950 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richards street, being lot 11, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12545, tax for 1923, 22 23
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 7 50

Edna G. Wadsworth—Buildings and about 6,856 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunnewell avenue, numbered 72, between an estate of Winslow B. Briggs and another and an estate of Eugene B. Hamilton, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12545, tax for 1923, 41 99
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, 7 11

Winslow B. P. Briggs, Junior, and Edna G. Wadsworth—About 6,856 feet of land on the southerly side of Hunnewell street, being lot 1, James Adam plan, dated May, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16561, tax for 1922, 17 29
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922, 7 40
Also about 5,765 feet of land on the westerly side of Richards street, making the southwesterly corner of Hunnewell avenue, being lot 2, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14755, tax for 1922, 17 29
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922, 7 40

Margaret M. Ward—Buildings and about 3,869 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Burton street, numbered 25, between an estate of Carl Anson and an estate of Rachel M. Cameron, tax for 1923, 167 96
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923, 9 01

John H. Weisman (reassessed from Daniel A. McLaughlin)—Buildings and about 7,993 feet of land on the westerly side of Franklin street, numbered 78 to 84, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 74 Aldie street, adjoining an estate of Solomon Nission and another, tax for 1923, 612 56

Ralph Wellman—About 3,883 feet of land on the southerly side of Tilton street, being lot 74, John N. McClintock plan, dated October, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3798, tax for 1922, 4 94
Tax for 1923, 4 94

Margaret K. Werner—Buildings and about 4,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Brackett street, numbered 39 and 41, between an estate of Charles and Ada Kilburis and an estate of Margaret J. Feeney, tax for 1923, 108 68

Charles H. Wise—About 4,218 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Antwerp street, being lot 119, D. W. Hyde plan, November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1923, 12 35

Charles Witt—About 2,758 feet of land on the southerly side of Hooker street, making the northeasterly corner of Royal street, being lot 18, E. W. Bowditch plan, dated November, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1999, page 593, tax for 1923, 19 76

Frank L. Woldman—Buildings and about 6,249 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Royal street, numbered 4 and 6, making the westerly corner of Cambridge street, adjoining an estate of Margaret M. Moore, tax for 1923, 523 64

Mary A. Wolff—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Bayard street, numbered 36, between an estate of Laura L. Smith and an estate of William O. and Mary Smith, tax for 1923, 64 22

Charlotte B. Wood—Buildings and about 6,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Arlington street, numbered 116, between two estates of Almon J. Furbush, tax for 1923, 113 62

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MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

SANITARY ENGINEERING ASSISTANT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, MAY 6, 1924.

The salary is \$1,200 per year. It is desirable that applicants should either be graduates of a course in sanitary engineering given by a recognized technical institution, or should have had a year's experience in sanitary engineering in addition to a general engineering education.

The duties of this position require that applicants be capable of making sanitary surveys of watersheds and assisting in the examinations of water supplies, sewage disposal works and rivers under the direction of the chief engineer or his principal assistants. Applicants should have a knowledge of hydraulics and of interpretation of water and sewage analyses and be able to make plans or sketches of works under investigation without being called upon to make designs.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 8; penmanship, 1; mathematics, 4; questions on duties, 7; total, 20.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Preference granted under the law to disabled veterans is applicable to this examination.

WATCHMEN, GATEMEN, GUARDS AND PRISON OFFICERS, MAY 15, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. This service includes watchmen and guards in public parks, grounds, institutions and departments, gatemen for ferries; turnkeys and guards in prisons, houses of detention and reformatories.

Applicants for appointment as officers in the State Prison and Massachusetts Reformatory must be not less than twenty-five and not over forty years of age at the time of filing application. Applicants for appointment as officers in Prison Camp and Hospital must be not less than twenty-three nor over forty years of age at the time of filing application. All applicants for these places must be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height and weigh not less than 135 pounds. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the applications for this service.

There are no age, height or weight limits for watchman service other than those mentioned above.

The examination for watchmen, gatemen and guards will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; memory test, 1; arithmetic, 1; handwriting, 1; accuracy, 1; total, 10.

The examination for prison officers will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions covering general disciplinary and penological methods, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants who pass the examination for prison officers will, upon request, also be placed on the list for watchmen.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

DENTISTS, MAY 21, 1924.

This examination is for the service of the state, all cities in the state and such towns as are classified under civil service. From the eligible list established as a result of this examination names will be certified to fill vacancies in institutions, schools and other positions as they occur. The salaries range from \$1,000 to \$1,400 per year.

Applicants are required to be registered to practise dentistry under the Board of Dental Examiners, Department of Civil Service and Registration.

The examination will consist of the filing of a statement of training and experience. The mark given on experience will be combined with the mark given applicants by the State Board of Dental Examiners, and an average will be taken to determine their standing on the list.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

JANITORS, MAY 23, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. There are several vacancies at the present time.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; practical questions on the duties of the position, 5; total, 10. Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

PORT OF BOSTON.

Best of natural harbors, sheltered, spacious for anchorage, main ship channel 35 feet in depth at low tide, near open sea, total area of harbor about 47 square miles; waterfront (*i. e.*, lineal pier space) 40 miles, 6 miles fronting on 30 feet depth at low water. A 45-foot channel from entrance of harbor to President Roads and 40-foot from there to wharves will be dredged in the near future.

The three principal freight terminals are those of the Boston and Maine R. R. in Charlestown, Cambridge and E. Somerville; the Boston and Albany R. R. in East Boston; the New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R. in South Boston, interchange of freight between terminals effected by Union Freight R. R. with tracks on waterfront streets. New Commonwealth Pier No. 5, South Boston, 1,200 feet long, 400 feet wide, accommodating five 600-foot ships at one time, 40 feet depth at mean low water on both sides, with three 2-story fireproof buildings of steel and concrete construction, containing 900,000 square feet of floor space, total cost of this enterprise to State, \$4,500,000. Commonwealth Pier No. 6, South Boston (Fish Pier), buildings on same erected by lessee, Boston Fish Market Corporation, cost to State, \$1,487,361. New Commonwealth Pier, No. 1, East Boston, 900 feet long, costing State \$764,600 for site and about \$345,000 for construction. New dry dock at South Boston (probably the largest in world), completed in 1919, 1,200 feet long and 120 wide, costing over \$3,000,000 and taken by U. S. Government at total cost of same to State. Islands in Boston Harbor over 3 acres in area, 17, with total area of 965 acres; Long Island the largest, or 215.5 acres. Owned by United States, 392 acres; by City of Boston, 334 acres. Number of wharves, 143, of which 8 are owned by the City. There are 24 foreign steamship lines with regular sailings to and from Boston and 19 coastwise lines (5 to Pacific ports). In 1915 a revision of the harbor lines was made and the project undertaken whereby 600 acres of flats between Governor's Island and Jeffries Pt., E. Boston, will be filled in and used for extensive commercial development under State control. At the close of 1922 about 120 acres had been filled.

In April, 1918, the Government established its Army Supply Base on a portion of the Commonwealth lands in South Boston. About 57.6 acres were purchased of the State, the price being \$1,317,510, quickly followed by the construction of two pier sheds, each 920 feet long, a wharf shed and other buildings, including one of the largest storehouses in the world, built of reinforced concrete, eight stories high, 1,638 feet long, 126 feet wide and with floor space of over 1,650,000 square feet or about 38 acres. The total outlay for the plant was \$26,000,000.

Total Federal expenditure for improvement of Boston Harbor from 1790 to June 30, 1918, \$12,525,981; total expended and provided for by State, \$18,364,947 since 1859.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

BOSTON'S MUNICIPAL YEAR.

The municipal year begins on the first Monday in February, which fell on February 5, in 1923.

TELEPHONE STATISTICS.

Boston served by one company, viz., New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, organized in 1883 and formed by the consolidation of numerous companies, with plant now valued at \$119,121,301, extending through the states of Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont; total miles of wire, 2,129,347 or 1,400,882 miles in underground cable, 393,757 in aerial cable, 305,727 of aerial wire, 24,744 of phantom circuit and 4,237 in submarine cable; centrals or exchanges, 477; total stations, 866,271, of which 2,794 were private line stations and 1,979 service stations; total employees, 18,731.

In the Central District of Boston there were on January 1, 1922, 97,259 stations (*i. e.*, 2,047 more than in 1921), as follows: Back Bay Exchange, 25,040; Beach, 19,060; Congress, 15,434; Haymarket, 12,724; Main, 18,589; Richmond, 6,412; Suburban exchanges in Boston: Brighton, 7,530; Charlestown, 3,460; Columbia (Roxbury) 2,380; Dorchester, 15,215; East Boston, 4,794; Hyde Park, 2,520; Jamaica Plain, 6,160; Parkway (West Roxbury) 5,149; Roxbury, 15,298; South Boston, 5,583; total stations, 68,089; City total, 165,348.

In the Metropolitan Division, including Boston, there were 213,576 main stations; 66,498 private branch exchanges; 26,670 extension and 6,224 public stations, making total of 312,968. State regulation of telephone business is in charge of Department of Public Utilities.

Of all telephones in the world, 64 per cent are in the United States; 9.5 per cent in Germany; 5.2 per cent in Great Britain; 3.3 in Canada; 2.2 in France. Number of telephones (estimated) per 100 population:—Los Angeles, 21.3; Chicago, 20.5; Boston, 20.0; Cincinnati, 17.1; Cleveland, 16.0; New York, 15.6; Pittsburgh, 15.2; St. Louis, 14.8; Copenhagen, 13.9; Philadelphia, 13.6; Detroit, 13.6; Baltimore, 11.6; Berlin, 10.5; Montreal, 9.2; London, 4.3; Paris, 3.2; Petrograd, 3.0; Rome, 2.1; Tokio, 2.0.

Patent for invention of telephone obtained on March 17, 1876, by the late Professor Alexander Graham Bell, who first demonstrated its success in Boston on the 10th of same month. The Bell System (*i. e.*, American Telephone & Telegraph Company), originating in Boston, had 8,333,979 telephone stations, January 1, 1921, and there were 4,267,956 connected stations, all constituting 90 per cent of total in United States, and 25,377,404 miles of wire (60.5 per cent underground) with about 33,162,000 messages daily (average).

Total number of telephones in use in United States in January, 1921, 13,411,380 or one to every eight persons (approximately).

REDIVISION OF BOSTON INTO WARDS.

Chapter 630, Acts of 1914, required the redivision of Boston, by the City Council, into not less than 24 nor more than 36 wards, so arranged as to contain as nearly as could be ascertained an equal number of voters in each ward. On December 28, 1914, the City Council enacted as an Ordinance, by vote of 6 to 3, the plan submitted by its Committee on Redivision of Wards. This plan describes the new boundaries of the 26 wards. (See Municipal Register for 1921, pages 196-207.) The changes effected by the redivision of wards were mainly these, viz., Wards 1 and 2, East Boston, are divided by Prescott and

Princeton streets instead of as before; Charlestown has two wards (3 and 4) instead of three; Ward 5 covers the old Wards 6, 7 and 8; Ward 6 in place of old Ward 9; Ward 7 in place of old 10; Ward 8 in place of old 11; Wards 9 and 10 cover the old South Boston Wards 13, 14 and 15 mostly; Ward 11 takes in the northern half of old Ward 16 and western end of old Ward 15; Ward 12 is similar to old Ward 17 and Ward 13 to old 18; Ward 14 includes old Ward 19 and adjacent part of old Ward 22 (as far as Perkins and Centre streets); Wards 15 and 16 cover old Ward 21 and the northern part of 22 (as far as Boylston street); Wards 17, 18 and 19 cover that part of old Ward 16 south of Dudley street and all of old Ward 20; Wards 20 and 21 cover the eastern half and western half respectively of old Ward 24 (as far as Blue Hill avenue and Walk Hill street); Ward 22 includes the southern half of old 22 below Boylston street and the northern end of old Ward 23 to Whipple avenue, Walk Hill, South and Allandale streets; Ward 23 is unchanged except as to its northern boundary just stated, and Ward 24 takes in Mount Hope section, east of railroad, Mattapan and Hyde Park. Wards 25 and 26 cover the southern half and northern half respectively of old Ward 25, Brighton.

LATEST PUBLIC DEBT STATISTICS.

Gross funded debt, February 1, 1923, \$126,576,800.99; sinking funds, \$41,898,891.76; other redemption means, \$1,147,322.06; net debt, \$83,530,587.17 or \$3,617,576.61 more than in 1922; of said total \$49,471,830.76 (59.23 per cent) was City Debt, \$32,424,969.18 (38.82 per cent) Rapid Transit debt (representing 4½ per cent investment); \$1,351,787.23 (1.62 per cent) County debt and \$282,000 (0.33 per cent) Water debt.

Net debt per capita \$99.69 (approx.); net debt exclusive of Rapid Transit investment debt, \$51,105,618 or \$60.90 per capita. Loans authorized but not issued (within debt limit), \$1,254,000; same outside of debt limit, \$496,000.

In the fiscal year 1922-23, the net City debt was increased by \$2,478,014 and the net Rapid Transit debt by \$1,235,900; the net County debt was reduced by \$80,337 and the net Water debt by \$16,000.

Total debt contracted, \$8,122,500; total debt paid, \$6,246,650; total increase of gross debt, \$1,875,850; of net debt, \$3,617,577.

Total debt incurred in the ten years 1913 to 1922 inclusive, \$54,508,850, of which \$17,982,000 or 32.99 per cent was Rapid Transit debt, while \$22,601,100, or 41.46 per cent was for streets, sewers and bridges.

Total amount of debt incurred by the City in the 100 years since its incorporation (in 1822), \$272,257,638, of which more than half (*i. e.*, 52.74 per cent) was added in the last 25 years, 18.79 per cent in last 10 years. From 1822 to 1870 the amount borrowed was \$31,916,010 or a yearly average of \$664,917. From 1870 to 1920 the total borrowed was \$230,253,427 or a yearly average of \$4,605,068. The maximum for a 10-year period was from 1896 to 1905, when the yearly average was \$7,188,493. Yearly average for last 10 years, \$5,450,885; for last 5 years, \$4,373,600.

No other large city has been subjected to such a drastic reduction of debt-incurring power. [Statistics Dept's revision.]

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CITY FLAG FLOWN BY CITIZENS ON BOSTON'S ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

THURSDAY, MAY 1, SAW THE MUNICIPALITY ENTER UPON ANOTHER YEAR OF HISTORY WITH NO FORMAL EXERCISES BEING HELD.



REPRODUCTION OF BOSTON'S CITY FLAG FLOWN BY CITIZENS THURSDAY, ON ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND ANNIVERSARY.

The City of Boston celebrated its 102d birthday anniversary Thursday, May 1, unostentatiously. There were no formal exercises. In keeping with the request of Mayor James M. Curley many business and other establishments displayed the city emblem. Most of the citizens, however, displayed the national colors since they were unable to secure the city flag.

The city flag was adopted as an emblem in 1917 by the passage of the following ordinance:

ESTABLISHING THE MUNICIPAL STANDARD AND CITY FLAG.

SECTION 1. The municipal standard of the city of Boston, which is hereby established, shall be made of silk of the colors designated, namely: Continental blue and buff, and shall be five feet in length and three and one half feet in width, or in proportion thereto. Provided, that a city flag of like design and colors may be made of bunting for out-

door display, the size of such bunting flag to depend upon the place of display. The body of the standard shall be blue, as specified, with the official city seal embroidered in the center; and two rings of white shall encircle the seal. The reverse of the municipal standard shall bear a representation of the Trimountain. The city flag shall have no reverse except the seal showing through the bunting, the seal to be painted on or woven in the fabric. The municipal standard shall have a fringe of Continental buff; the city flag to be without fringe.

SECT. 2. The colors herein specified shall be the official colors for the city of Boston, namely: Continental blue and Continental buff.

SECT. 3. The city flag shall be displayed on City Hall and may be displayed on Boston Common on occasions when the national flag is ordered displayed.

SECT. 4. The municipal standard of silk may be carried or displayed in parades, at reviews, and on other official occasions

when the mayor is present and when directed by him. Boston organizations may have copies of the municipal standard on approval by the mayor.

SECT. 5. Neither the municipal standard nor the city flag nor any reproduction shall be used for any commercial purpose, and no advertising device shall be placed upon it or used in connection with it; and the municipal flag or standard shall not be used for any purpose not authorized by this ordinance, except with the permission of the Mayor.

SECT. 6. Any person violating any provision of section five of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offence, and not only the person actually doing the prohibited thing, but also his employer and every other person concerned in so doing shall be punished by such fine.

SECT. 7. The city messenger shall be custodian of the municipal standard and of the city flags that are the property of the city.

SECT. 8. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

[Approved by Mayor, January 30, 1917.]

URGES DEPARTMENT HEADS TO CURTAIL EXPENSES UNTIL TAX LIMIT AND BUDGET ARE FIXED.

Mayor Curley issued the following order to department heads April 28:

To the Heads of Departments:

The General Court of Massachusetts, which controls the financial destinies of the municipality of Boston in the matter of the tax limit, having for no valid reason failed to enact during the past four months the legislation which would determine the Boston tax limit and permit of the submission of the municipal budget to the City Council, it is imperative that each department curtail expenditures at once.

To deprive persons in the employ of the city of wages and salaries when due would represent a hardship difficult to justify and yet one which they will be required to undergo, provided any municipal department exceeds the amount which under the law they are permitted to expend in anticipation of their appropriations.

You are accordingly directed to make no further contracts from departmental appropriations until the adoption of the budget by the City Council.

It may be necessary for the protection of public health and the safety of property of the people to incur liabilities but in no case should this be permitted except in cases that represent extreme emergencies.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, May 5, at two o'clock p. m.

Regular meeting of the School Committee, Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, Monday, May 5, at 6.30 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

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TO Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

MAYOR APPEALS TO PUBLIC FOR NEAR EAST RELIEF.

THE MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION.

The President of the United States in a proclamation asking assistance for the people of the Near East points out the calamitous condition of the deported population, largely women and children, and calls to the charity of America to give relief.

I am moved to supplement the presidential appeal and to ask that the citizens of Boston assist in alleviating the misery of the unfortunates in any and all ways in a climate and at a time when hunger and nakedness afflict the homeless and fatherless exiles and refugees.

I am of opinion that gifts of cast-off clothing will save thousands of these sufferers from perishing; and all contributions of this character will be distributed where they will count, by the Near East Relief workers who are on the spot. I therefore appeal to our citizens to select such clothing as they can spare and send them to the fire and police stations nearest their residences, as all these stations throughout the city have been designated and will be used as depots for the collection and reception of bundles to help this worthy cause.

In the sincere hope that the citizens of Greater Boston will answer this appeal with their accustomed generosity I hereby designate May 12, 1924, as bundle day for the Near East Relief.

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 523.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Stephen J. Sheehan of Divi-

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

sion 9, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty upon both charges and specifications.

The finding of the trial board upon the first charge and specifications is hereby confirmed, but the finding of guilty upon the second charge and specification is hereby set aside because of the insufficiency of the evidence presented to sustain the same.

In accordance therewith, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Stephen J. Sheehan perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

General Order No. 524.

The resignation of Patrolman John J. Gorham of Division 5 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Saturday, April 26, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

General Order No. 525.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Thomas J. Connolly of Division 2, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty on the charge and first specification thereunder and not guilty on the second specification. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Thomas J. Connolly perform one hundred and five hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BOSTON WINS LONG COURT BATTLE OVER DORCHESTER TUNNEL WORK.

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT BARS APPEAL OF CONTRACTOR MCGOVERN WHO SOUGHT DAMAGES FROM CITY CLAIMING LOSS OF PROFITS.

Refusal of the United States Supreme Court to permit an appeal by Patrick McGovern, New York contractor, from the finding of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in his case against the City of Boston for Dorchester Tunnel construction, will, according to Col. Thomas F. Sullivan, chairman of the Transit Commission, save the city several hundred thousand dollars in definitely ending the controversy.

The case has been in the courts since early in 1917, and in that time the city printing bill alone for the case was nearly \$12,000, while another \$20,000 was eaten up in masters' fees, expert testimony and stenographers' fees.

McGovern was awarded a contract for construction of that section of the Dorchester Tunnel running from Summer street to Dorchester avenue and West Second street, a distance of approximately 3,200 feet, 2,400 feet of which was under Fort Point channel. He started work January 4, 1915, and on January 7, 1916, the workmen ran into a ledge of rock which had not been found by the engineer's borings, and which consequently did not appear in the specifications. McGovern completed his section of the tunnel in October, 1916, and immediately instituted proceedings to recover for the loss he claimed in having had to tunnel through the ledge.

In brief he alleged fraud on the part of the Transit Commission, declaring that they knew of the existence of the ledge and had failed to act in good faith in leaving it out of the specifica-

tions. He asked rescission of the contract and award of approximately \$150,000 over the contract price, making a total of nearly \$300,000.

The case of McGovern v. the City of Boston created wide interest in municipal and legal circles, in that it would have established a precedent with probable unfortunate results to municipalities in the future. Again, more interest was aroused by the fact that charges of unfairness were voiced over a master's hearing.

The case ran the gamut of the state courts, and finally when McGovern appealed to the full bench of the Supreme Court, that body sustained Judge Carroll in his ruling that the firm was bound by the contract. McGovern took the case to the United States District Court here, and it was first referred to a master for hearing.

Former Judge James W. Remick of Concord, N. H., was appointed master and found against the city, Judge Johnson awarding McGovern his damages in a decision handed down May 6, 1922, following denial exceptions taken by the city.

The city then took it to the Circuit Court, which found for the city, remanding the case back to the District Court with instructions to dismiss the bill and award costs to the city. The city also won on a petition for rehearing by McGovern and later also in the Circuit Court of Appeals, after which the contractor petitioned for permission to appeal to the United States Supreme Court.

amount of \$4,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 15, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for finished hardware for the Police Station No. 2 building. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Buildings Department, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 9, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Hallowell street, between Oakland and Newcastle streets and outlet in private land, from Favre street to Hallowell street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,500. Blank forms for proposals may be secured from the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$850, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works and water works in Harrishof street, between Warren st. and Humboldt av., Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$14,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, May 13, at 12 m.

Advertises for sewerage works in Price road, between Glenville avenue and Long avenue, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,200. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, May 14, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in various highways in Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bids, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, May 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for the laying and relaying of water pipes in streets in Dorchester, East Boston, South Boston and city proper as per advertisement in this issue.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for excavating and grading for extension of four-grave lot section, Mt. Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury. Surety bond in the amount of \$3,000 will be required. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for leasing for a term of three years the refreshment privilege in booth corner of L street and Strandway, South Boston. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, May 7, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for leasing coin lock privileges in convenience stations on Boston Common and Refectory Building, Franklin Park. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, May 7, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and spreading loam on playgrounds, parks and cemeteries. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement on Fenway, from Forsyth way to near Museum road and other driveways as indicated in advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the

Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Cleveland circle, Sutherland road, Commonwealth avenue and Colonial road, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$12,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, May 14, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for two new fire escapes on the Thomas Starr King School, Charles street, corner of Bunker Hill street, and alterations on the present fire escapes on the Bunker Hill School, Baldwin street, corner of Bunker Hill street, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Commission, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, April 23. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 9, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for moving the present manual training room from basement to first floor of the William E. Russell School, Columbia road, near Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, and doing all alterations, etc. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 9, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for alterations to printing room, etc., in the Prince School, Newbury street, corner of Exeter street, Back Bay, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, after April 30. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, May 13, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for moving the present cooking room from the Farragut School, Huntington avenue to the Martin School, Huntington avenue, Boston, doing all the alterations, etc. Surety bond

will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, May 7. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 16, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing liquid metal polish to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Paving Service of the Public Works Department 50,000 wood blocks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing cast-iron water pipes to the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for 1,500,000 new granite paving blocks to be furnished the Paving Service of the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 9, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing lead-covered cable to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 12, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, May 1:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

John M. McDonald has been appointed second assistant assessor at \$1,200 a year.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons were employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, April 17:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—James Walsh, maid (patient), \$240; Thomas Haverly, choreman (patient), \$240; Marie Whalen, maid, \$468; Pauline Farnsworth, maid, \$468.

The following persons ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, April 17:

Annie Leary, laundress, \$420; William Holland, maid, \$240; Hattie Aulenback, maid, \$468; Mae Aulenback, maid, \$468; Pauline Farnsworth, maid, \$468.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, April 24:

Lillian D. Miller, maid, \$468 a year; Rose Seltzer, maid, \$468 a year; Katherine Flarety, laundress, \$420 a year; Mary McKeon, laundress, \$420 a year; William Holland, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Anna McDonald, clerk, \$580 a year.

Temporary.—Thomas Walsh, male nurse, \$540 a year; Stephen Morrissey, maid (patient), \$240 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed:

Thomas Walsh, male nurse (temporary), \$540 a year; James Walsh, maid (patient), \$240 a year.

Dr. Timothy J. Murphy, first assistant, chief of medical staff, and Dr. Frank H. Hunt, resident medical officer at the hospital, have been delegated to represent the City of Boston at the annual convention of the National Tuberculosis Association at Atlanta, Ga., at an expense of \$300.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Dunigan, supervisor of egress, has been appointed as Acting Building Commissioner during the absence of the commissioner.

William Hurley has been appointed chauffeur to the commissioner for a period of thirty days.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

The following list of expert temporary employees have been engaged in making zoning plans for the month ending April 15: Arthur C. Comey, zoning director, 19 days at \$20, \$380; G. Hall, 4½ weeks at \$40 and ½ week (time and one half), \$186.66; G. Tomb, 4½ weeks at \$35 and ½ week (time and one half), \$169.17; E. F. Delaney, 4½ week at \$40, \$166.67; A. E. Howard, 4½ weeks at \$35 and 2-5 week at time and one half, \$165.67; J. M. Hinds, 4½ weeks at \$35 and ½ week (time and one half), \$157.50; V. O. Bishop, 4 weeks at \$30, \$120; C. M. Herrick, 105 hours at 75 cents, \$78.75; J. E. Crane, 77½ hours at 75 cents, \$57.93; G. L. Meade, 1 week at \$30; A. Rosenbaugh, 38½ hours at 75 cents, \$29.06; W. C. Eberhard, 27 hours at 75 cents, \$20.25.

The following resignations have been

received: G. Tomb, A. E. Howard, V. O. Bishop, G. M. Herrick, J. E. Crane, G. L. Meade, A. Rosenbaugh, W. C. Eberhard.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Martin Welch has been continued in temporary employment as a constable at \$4 a day for sixty days.

Joseph F. Kelly has been continued in temporary employment as a constable at \$4 a day for sixty days.

CONSERVATION BUREAU.

Lucy Clarke has been appointed temporary laboratory assistant at Long Island Hospital for three months at \$100 a month.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John J. Monahan has been appointed machinist at \$5 a day.

John Rosen has been appointed permanently as a machinist at \$5 a day.

John S. Dowling has been appointed as a permanent interior wire inspector at \$1,600 a year.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Thomas J. Curry has been appointed as a sanitary inspector at \$1,400 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending, Thursday, April 24:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Edward Walsh, housecleaner, \$12 a week; John Horan, housecleaner, \$12 a week; Jeremiah Ahearn, housecleaner, \$12 a week; Helen E. Walsh, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Walter Goodwin, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Joseph St. Jean, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Everett Shonts, male nurse (re-employed), \$9.33 a week; Daniel Donovan, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; John Ryan, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Francis J. Feeney, out-patient orderly (re-employed), \$13 a week; Margaret Haggerty, ward helper (re-employed), \$11 a week; Annie T. Cauly, ward helper, \$11 a week; Nora Shea, ward helper, \$11 a week; Susan Ryder, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Jennie Watson, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Elizabeth Andrews, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Mary Gannon, table girl, \$9.50 a week; George Welby, kitchenman (re-employed), \$17 a week; Mary Coughlin, waitress, \$9.50 a week.

Temporary.—Bessie Butler, chambermaid (re-employed), \$9.50 a week; Ethel Cramer, special nurse, \$35 a week; Mildred Ferguson, special nurse, \$35 a week; Charlotte Holloway, special nurse, \$35 a week; Dr. William Young, assistant resident surgeon (re-employed), \$35 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, April 24:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

John Boyle, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Joseph F. Tierney.

Mary Durant, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed William H. Carney.

Michael J. Lehan, institution employee, at a salary of \$650 a year, temporary.

Anastasia B. Ryan, nurse, at a salary of \$1,200 a year, to succeed Kathryn S. Dailey.

House of Correction.

John P. Egan, officer, at a salary of \$1,300 a year, to succeed Harry Sepp.

MUNICIPAL EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

Alice Carter and Mary Jennings have been appointed clerks in the Women's Division of the Municipal Employment Bureau, at \$1,200 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Walter V. Feeney has been granted temporary employment for a period of six months as a laborer in the Cemetery Division at \$4 a day.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Carey has been reappointed press feeder at \$33.50 a week.

Patrick V. O'Leary and Isaac Kramer have been appointed compositors at \$38.50 a week each.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Richard Kent now employed as a janitor in the East Boston Courthouse, has been granted an increase in salary, from \$4 a day to \$1,400 a year.

O'Connell & Shaw have been appointed as architects of the proposed Brighton Courthouse for which an appropriation of \$225,000 has been made.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Frank W. Harvey has been promoted from assistant drawtender at \$1,500 a year to first assistant drawtender at \$1,600 a year.

Dennis L. Terry has been transferred from Granite Avenue Bridge to fill the position of assistant drawtender at \$1,500 a year.

Mitchell J. Devin has been appointed assistant drawtender at \$1,500 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

Cornelius J. Scanlon has been promoted from inspector at \$1,700 a year to foreman at \$2,000 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

John J. Driscoll has been granted an extension of provisional employment as rodman at \$1,000 a year, for a period of three months.

John M. Leonard and Henry Finke have been continued in provisional employment as draughtsmen at \$1,500 a year, for a period of three months.

George F. Morrison has been appointed rodman for three months, at \$1,000 a year.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DEPARTMENT.

Robert E. Sexton has been reappointed as an expert coal inspector at a salary of \$1,800 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, April 24:

Edgar B. Coombs, assistant engineer, \$15; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, \$6; Alfred Erickson, assistant engineer, \$6; Daniel Sweeney, fireman, \$13.75;

Michael Dolan, fireman, \$13.75; James Daley, fireman, \$5.50.

Collecting Department.

For the week ending Wednesday, April 16:

John W. Barry, 102 hours, \$102; Timothy J. Brinnin, 106 hours, \$106; Franklin H. Cochran, 102 hours, \$102; John J. Connors, 36 hours, \$36; Edward J. Dixon, 102 hours, \$102; Francis M. Ducey, 82 hours, \$82; Daniel A. Grant, 102 hours, \$102; John J. Leahy, 102 hours, \$102; Abraham Levy, 98 hours, \$98; John H. McElroy, 108 hours, \$108; Frederick R. Mulloney, 107 hours, \$107; Francis J. O'Connell, 101 hours, \$101; Timothy J. O'Connell, 106 hours, \$106; John P. O'Connor, 90 hours, \$90; Aaron Pinkofsky, 106 hours, \$106; Philip A. Petrocelli, 36 hours, \$36; William H. Spain, 107 hours, \$107; Cornelius J. Spillane, 102 hours, \$102. Total, \$1,695.

For the week ending Thursday, April 24:

John J. Clifford, 170 hours, \$170; Henry J. Daly, 170 hours, \$170; James J. Flynn, 170 hours, \$170; Michael F. Gearin, 170 hours, \$170; L. A. Hall, Jr., 170 hours, \$170; John J. Hennessey, 170 hours, \$170; Thomas A. Leonard, 170 hours, \$170; James J. McNamee, 170 hours, \$170; James E. Moore, 140 hours, \$140; Thomas E. Shea, Jr., 170 hours, \$170. Total, \$1,670.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, April 24:

Main Department.

M. Crosson, N. MacPherson, H. J. Brown, T. J. McNally, R. W. Jaeger, Wm. Thompson, engineers, 8 hours, \$6.67 each; J. McHale, head fireman, 10½ hours, \$7.22; Ed. Darsey, fireman, 20 hours, \$13.75; J. Norton, fireman, 20 hours, \$13.75; H. O'Donnell, fireman, 24 hours, \$16.50; R. S. Johnson, fireman, 8 hours, \$5.50; D. Bransfield, fireman, 8 hours, \$5.50; J. French, boiler room helper, 8 hours, \$4.67; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 24 hours, \$15.60; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 14 hours, \$4.67; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; G. Roach, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63.

South Department.

M. Sinclair, head laundress, 6 hours, \$2.25; M. Rattray, J. Coleston, M. Zuckwiss, K. Harkins, C. Fitzgerald, A. McDonough, M. Roberts, E. McCarthy, M. Whalen, O. Olsen, M. Dwyer, J. Mayne, laundresses, 6 hours, \$1.75 each; John Daly, laundryman, 6 hours, \$3.63; Thomas Atkinson, laundryman, 6 hours, \$2.25.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

J. McKenzie, W. Nolan, P. Joyce, porters and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50 each.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Fitzgerald, M. Kane, R. Fortunato, porters and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50 each.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, April 24:

House of Correction.

Engineers.—Ernest Rousseau, John Fay, Walter Purdy, William O'Melia, Patrick Shea, 1 day, \$6 each.

Firemen.—Frederick Morse, Bernard

Feeney, Martin Lally, David Tobin, Thomas Finn, Patrick Gleason, 1 day; \$5.50 each.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Engineers.—Joseph Cox, William G. Feeney, John Melley, William S. Robinson, Walter J. West, 1 day, \$6 each.

Firemen.—John J. Adams, Francis J. Berg, Eugene A. Leonard, Andrew Para, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Engineer.—John Kelley, 1½ days, \$9.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, April 24:

John J. Murphy, Cornelius Murphy, gardeners, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Dennis Daly, Thomas Foley, chauffeurs, 1 day, \$4.50 each. Total, \$18.

Patrick J. Gorman, chief engineer, 1 day, \$6.50; John Finn, Thomas J. Lynch, Patrick J. McDermott, Patrick McCann, John J. McNulty, engineers, 1 day, \$5.83 each. Total, \$35.65.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, April 24:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, Edward F. Curley, John J. Desmond, Joseph Horgan, Bernard McCabe, Hugh McDonough, Henry J. Moylan, laborers, 2 days, \$8 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 2 days, \$9.

Patrick Glennon, gardener, 1 day, \$4.50.

Fairview Cemetery.

Dennis Sullivan, laborer, 1 day, \$4.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, April 24:

City Record.—Edward J. Stanton, proofreader, 2 hours, \$2.62; Frederick Stiert, linotype operator, 2 hours, \$3.06; Joseph Ciccola, compositor, 2 hours, \$2.62; John Cotter, compositor, 2 hours, \$2.62; Emanuel De Freitas, compositor, 2½ hours, \$3.27; James Dolan, compositor, 1½ hours, \$1.97; Kerrens J. Finn, compositor, 2 hours, \$2.62; Robert Hunter, compositor, 2 hours, \$2.62; John Ward, compositor, 2 hours, \$3.27.

Tax Sales.—Daniel Cadigan, compositor, 5 hours, \$6.55; John Cotter, compositor, 3 hours, \$3.93; Emanuel De Freitas, compositor, 2½ hours, \$3.28; James Dolan, compositor, 3½ hours, \$4.58; John Fisher, compositor, 5 hours, \$6.75; John Ward, compositor, 2½ hours, \$3.28; Edward J. Stanton, proofreader, 3½ hours, \$4.59.

Total, \$57.63.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, April 24:

F. C. Twitchell, T. H. Joyce, engineers, 1 day, \$6.67; J. Campbell, T. J. Swift, M. F. Bricke, firemen, 1 day, \$5.50; N. McSheffrey, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13; J. J. McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 21:

Drawtenders.—J. J. Sweeney, 2 days, \$9.86.

First Assistant Drawtenders.—P. W. Cummings, 4 days, \$17.53; D. C. Mahoney, 1 day, \$4.38.

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. Cosgrove, W. J. Lynch, A. J. Sutton, Jr., 4 days,

\$16.44 each; W. L. Waterman, 3 days, \$12.33; T. J. Driscoll, W. J. Brown, 2 days, \$8.22 each; T. F. Kelley, T. H. Edes, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Watchmen.—J. Clabby, E. F. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Total, \$126.08.

For the week ending Monday, April 28:

Drawtender.—M. F. Doyle, Jr., 1 day, \$4.93.

First Assistant Drawtender.—J. F. O'Neil, 1 day, \$4.38.

Assistant Drawtenders.—S. J. Broderick, P. J. Clark, P. J. McGonagle, W. L. Waterman, T. J. Driscoll, F. J. Sherry, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Total, \$33.97.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 21:

Captains.—John J. Belton, Patrick J. Kelly, Richard L. Searle, Charles F. Crockier, Owen Shields, James Young, William J. Ivers, 1 day, \$7.67 each; James J. Kelley, Edward R. Gray, Timothy A. Toohig, Adin C. Small, 2½ days, \$19.17 each.

Quartermasters.—John O'Brien, Frank M. Moore, Henry J. Scaife, Florence W. Sullivan, Thomas F. Carter, Eugene G. Sullivan, Patrick F. Kirley, 1 day, \$5.43 each; William J. Wilkie, Charles Stafford, William Hogan, Edward C. Crouse, 2½ days, \$13.58 each.

Deckhands.—John J. Pilcher, John J. Driscoll, John H. Tyrer, George M. Nagle, William J. Kinsman, Fred P. Craven, James Murphy, William F. Holander, William A. Joyce, Battista Forgiione, Louis F. Gray, John Sweeney, 1 day, \$4.25 each; Henry J. Hayes, Frank N. McGee, Thomas Doyle, John J. Cooper, Frederick L. Allevesson, Dennis G. Sheehan, Rufus W. Scott, Patrick J. A. Conway, 2½ days, \$10.63 each.

Gatemen.—John D. Collins, Arthur F. Keefe, John R. Dugan, Joseph A. Browne, William C. McMullen, Jeremiah F. McCarthy, James P. Gunn, Edward L. Bonner, John T. Callahan, Walter H. Noyes, James E. Green, Walter L. Brown, Thomas O'Hare, 1 day, \$4.80 each.

Laborers.—Alfred N. Wesberg, Jeremiah Donahue, John J. Pugh, Christopher T. Leonard, James L. O'Neil, John J. Forrest, Charles Hadley, Edward J. Wilkie, Edward J. O'Brien, Joseph O. White, 1 day, \$4 each.

Engineers.—Maurice F. Neville, Michael J. Kennedy, Jeremiah P. Casey, Helmer G. Skonberg, John T. Quinn, Patrick W. Mackey, James M. Walsh, 1 day, \$7.50 each; Daniel F. Rowen, Richard J. Shaw, George F. Keating, John J. Reardon, 2½ days, \$18.75 each.

Firemen.—Lawrence J. Kelleher, John Turvanen, Henry W. McCusker, John A. Harrison, James Dearie, John P. Vallon, John J. Sullivan, Dennis Hannigan, Thomas Nugent, Charles Doherty, Nathan McConn, James C. Fitzpatrick, Theodore P. Panopoulos, James Kelly, John J. Ranahan, Edward P. Donahue, Thomas Murphy, Thomas Boggott, Francis M. Donahue, John Kelly, Morgan, J. Sullivan, Owen F. Cox, Philip F. Gallagher, Dennis T. Horgan, John W. O'Connell, Timothy F. Tierney, 1 day, \$5.50 each; Ernest L. Yocum, Daniel H. Marliave, James Reilly, Patrick McDevitt, George B. Roddy, Simon Collins, Michael D.

Hurley, James Porter, 2½ days, \$13.75 each; James P. Connors, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 1½ days, \$7.50.

For the week ending Monday, April 28:

Fireman.—Thomas Baggott, 1½ days, \$6.19.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Electrician.—James A. Douglass, 1 day, \$5.60.

Gateman.—John T. Callahan, 1½ days, \$7.20.

Deckhands.—Batista Forgiione, George M. Nagle, 1½ days, \$6.38 each.

Total, \$39.25.

Net cost for the week ending Monday, April 28, \$26.07.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Thursday, April 24:

Laborers.—James E. Flynn, Maurice J. Fitzgerald, Alexander McCarthy, William Hurley, R. F. O'Neill, R. J. Howard, T. F. Donovan, M. Sweeney, J. J. Carroll, M. Doyle, C. A. Jacobs, James McKenney, John King, Daniel McCormack, Patrick Dolan, Thomas Dolan, Frank Haley, James Fitzgerald, George McCormack, Timothy Reardon, Timothy Callahan, James Noonan, Daniel Higgins, Timothy McCarthy, John Devlin, C. W. Blieler, G. D. Currie, J. Doherty, M. Caine, W. Doyle, R. Kelley, C. Hennrikus, A. Connor, D. Crowley, M. Maguire, Thomas O'Keefe, William Graham, James Hall, Thomas Walsh, A. Foley, D. Anglin, T. P. Conboy, T. Clark, T. Heavey, C. Devine, M. Barry, B. Dunn, W. Carrigan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Laborer.—Vincent Fallon, 2 days, \$8.

Fireman.—Timothy Lyons, 1 day, \$4.50.

Paver.—Arcangelo Faiella, 1½ day, \$2.81.

Total, \$207.31.

For the week ending Tuesday, April 29:

Engineer.—John McGee, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Pavers.—Arcangelo Faiella, John O'Brien, Patrick Mulcahey, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Laborers.—Nicholas Walsh, William Jeffers, 1½ days, \$6 each.

Yardman.—Daniel Crowley, 1½ days, \$6.

Carpenter.—John T. Cashman, 1½ days, \$5.63.

Laborers.—Vincent Fallon, 1 day, \$4.

Total, \$57.63.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 21:

Stablemen.—P. Eagan, P. Lane, J. O'Connor, G. Stapleton, T. J. Barrane, J. Canney, J. H. Carey, P. Coffey, J. Donnelly, P. J. Downey, 1st, P. J. Downey, 2d, O. Kelley, R. G. Purcell, F. Calbag, J. Curran, J. H. Kelly, J. Keyes, W. Knightley, W. Magee, J. McCaffrey, J. O'Halloran, T. J. Shea, J. Sullivan, F. W. Annis, F. Kane, M. Quirk, J. L. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. Campbell, J. McNutt, E. Currie, M. Fitzpatrick, W. McCarthy, F. M. Williams, W. Ryan, M. S. Ryan, J. A. Callahan, W. F. Car-

mody, T. F. Carroll, P. Cassino, W. F. Costello, J. J. Cronin, J. J. Curran, J. C. Donovan, J. Dunphy, N. J. Dunn, J. Fahey, E. F. Gardner, G. F. Cunningham, A. Holbrook, E. A. Keefe, J. Lyman, J. J. McEnrue, P. Norton, P. O'Hea, D. F. O'Neil, J. J. Sullivan, J. Wilmouth, J. J. Spillane, F. Cunningham, R. J. Hughes, L. W. Lawler, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, W. F. Shaughnessy, W. Cassell, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Watchmen.—J. Croake, J. Moore, J. Fay, M. J. Gately, M. Moran, T. Riley, P. Griffin, P. J. Griffin, J. Cassell, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—E. Collins, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, J. McGaffigan, \$2 each.

Wharfman.—P. J. Kellard, 1 day, \$4.50.

Wharfinger.—J. A. Thomas, 1 day, \$4.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 2 days, \$8.50.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 2 days, \$8 each.

Feeder.—J. E. Burns, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.44.

Stableman.—C. J. Haley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$7.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. P. W. Callahan, C. B. Cappillo, J. Casserly, P. Cataldo, M. J. Connolly, P. J. Connolly, M. J. Connors, W. A. Crawford, D. J. Dalton, J. DiPasquale, T. Donovan, T. Dwyer, J. A. Foley, D. Gallagher, J. E. Galvin, W. J. H. Green, G. Guifredo, V. Guliano, H. J. Holmes, P. A. Kainary, E. A. Kehoe, J. J. Lannon, J. P. Leonard, B. McCool, D. F. McLaughlin, E. L. McLaughlin, P. J. McLaughlin, R. J. Nugent, J. F. O'Brien, J. Roche, F. Ruggiero, J. M. Ryan, J. P. Sullivan, E. J. Tighe, F. Zirpollo, L. C. Timmons, J. Yankowsky, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. F. Cavinaro, J. J. Gavin, K. F. Kenney, W. McGahey, M. F. McGrath, J. O'Brien, L. Powers, M. Shaller, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7 each.

Teamster-Laborer.—M. J. Cronin, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.

Teamsters-Laborers.—C. J. Crowley, H. F. Furey, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each.

Wharfmen.—J. L. Burke, J. F. Fay, 1 day, \$4 each.

Total, \$532.19.

For the week ending Tuesday, April 29:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, M. S. Ryan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Yard Laborer.—J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.

Total, \$24.25.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, April 22:

Sewer Cleaners.—Stephen Manning, Michael Neary, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; Jeremiah O'Brien, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.06; John Graham, Joseph Rafferty, 1 day, \$4 each; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, James Clancy, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25 each; Thomas Byrne, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.38.

Laborers.—James McCarthy, Patrick Fitzgerald, Louis Brunetto, Thomas Flaherty, Dennis Collins, 2 days, \$8 each; Patrick Barry, John English, John O'Neil, John Connors, Thomas Coughlin, Andrew Flaherty, Peter Connolly, Michael McMahon, James McFarland, James Barrett, John Delaney, Patrick Egan, John Sheehy, John Waters, James Keelan, Benjamin Gorman, Joseph Brown, Edward Francis, Patrick Lombard, Michael Vaughan, Malachi Hanley, Timothy Driscoll, John Crowley, Thomas Kelly, Michael Mullin, 1 day,

\$4 each; Daniel McKenna, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3; Cornelius Sullivan, Peter Keenan, James McNabb, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2 each.

Assistant Engineers.—John McCarthy, William Bragger, 1 day, \$6.67 each; John Mahoney, 1 day, \$6.08.

Firemen, Oilers, etc.—Thomas Burden, Timothy Scully, Michael Reilly, Philip Lamb, Joseph Sullivan, John Jordan, Jeremiah Delaney, John Drillio, Edward Collins, Joseph Quilty, Neil Grant, Patrick Curley, John Doherty, James Conlin, Garrett Connolly, John Francis, John Hennessey, Patrick Keating, Richard Tobin, Christopher Kenney, Patrick Thornton, 1 day, \$5.50 each; Andrew Calnan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Total, \$332.86.

For the week ending Tuesday, April 29:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.25 each; James Clancy, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; John Graham, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38.

Laborers.—Cornelius Sullivan, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10; Peter Keenan, James McNabb, Patrick Fitzgerald, Peter King, Louis Barretto, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each; Joseph Brown, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.50; Dennis Collins, Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4 each; Daniel McKenna, James Barrett, John Barry, William Prendeville, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3 each; Benjamin Gorman, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.50.

Fireman.—Patrick Griffin, 2 days, \$11.

Total \$108.63.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 21:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, J. McGrath, T. O'Malley, P. Scanlan, T. Dahill, P. Moynihan, M. O'Connell, T. Ormand, B. Callahan, P. Callahan, J. O'Donnell, D. Powers, W. O'Brien, J. Lamothe, M. F. Shea, J. DeCoursey, P. McManus, P. Daley, J. O'Leary, M. S. Healey, B. J. Doherty, J. J. Jones, M. Lally, M. J. Reagan, E. J. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, W. Batts, W. Dwyer, W. Gorman, W. Hartnett, M. McCormack, J. Monahan, C. Sullivan, J. Whelton, G. Riley, J. Holland, G. M. Keegan, P. Canny, C. Hart, P. Moran, J. B. Sullivan, H. J. McCarron, P. Barry, J. Cahill, D. J. Callahan, G. Cappozza, J. A. Carr, P. Collieran, P. Conlin, P. Connolly, J. Considine, G. Corcoran, W. G. Curley, J. J. Curtin, F. D'Ambrosio, J. J. Daley, L. Davis, P. Glynn, J. J. Granville, J. A. Hartigan, R. Higgins, P. Hogan, T. McClutchey, M. Norton, J. J. O'Leary, J. S. Plunkett, J. Sullivan, F. E. Taylor, J. P. Touhy, M. A. Weidman, P. Hartigan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeders.—J. J. Shea, P. Sweeney, L. McGahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Teamsters.—J. Zuccola, T. Gately, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamsters.—M. G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, J. F. Brown, R. M. Jennings, J. M. Kramer, W. T. Maloney, J. J. McHugh, 2 days, \$8 each.

Teamster.—J. C. Hourihan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.

Teamster.—G. Salemi, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Marshall, 1 day, \$5.

Total, \$374.75.

For the week ending Monday, April 28:

Teamsters.—P. Connolly, R. Barrett, J. H. Lane, B. Callahan, C. McColgan, C. J. Growley, F. R. Deacon, J. T. O'Leary, J. F. Brady, B. J. Doherty, J. Golden, B. J. Manning, P. Meyers, C.

J. Sullivan, E. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, G. Keegan, J. F. Brown, J. J. Carey, Jr., J. J. Considine, P. J. Cregan, J. Daley, J. J. Delaney, J. Doherty, R. M. Jennings, L. Davis, L. Kramer, J. J. D. Mahoney, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each. Total, \$116.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, April 21:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. O'Brien, 2 days, \$9 each; R. Fitzgerald, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25; T. Kelleher, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.27; M. Walsh, $7\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.75.

Emergencymen.—D. Curley, 1 day, \$5; J. Doherty, 1 day, \$5; W. Loneragan, 2 days, \$8; A. Christie, 1 day, \$4.25; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 2 days, \$8.50 each; R. Curcio, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.13; W. Fitzimmons, J. Mahan, M. McCue, 1 day, \$4 each; J. Kelley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.13; W. Rice, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 2 days, \$8 each; M. Donohue, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.77.

Repairers.—E. Rafferty, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.80; P. Linehan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.39; O. Burke, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$4.22; D. Hanlon, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.81; P. Flynn, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.56; J. McKay, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.20; M. O'Day, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.55; J. Picardi, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.39; C. Sullivan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.80; J. Leonard, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; A. Brennan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.80; S. Mariani, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; C. Driscoll, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; P. Clougherty, 1 day, \$5; P. Casey, 1 day, \$5; P. F. Clougherty, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.38; D. Kirby, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.72; T. Byrnes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.34; T. Rose, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53; A. McDougall, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.39; M. Matthews, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.69; J. McLaughlin, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.50; T. Sullivan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.84; P. Murphy, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.59; M. Hart, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.22; J. Tierney, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.81; J. Callahan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.95; T. Regan, \$1.41; G. Carroll, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.23; M. Burke, 1 day, \$4.75; J. Cummings, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.16; M. Matthews, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.64; S. LoPilato, 2 days, \$8.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, A. Delaney, P. Finnerty, T. Gallagher, J. F. McCauley, P. McGuinness, E. Pyne, M. Shea, T. Toolin, 1 day, \$4 each; G. Goodwin, J. Burke, M. Barron, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.13 each; J. Durand, J. O'Toole, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6; J. Sheehan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25; J. McAuley, 2 days, \$8; P. Mulkearn, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.38; J. Horgan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38; J. Phipps, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.50; J. Sullivan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38; T. O'Brien, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.19; J. Blessington, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; J. O'Brien, $1\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.75; P. McManus, $1\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.75.

Total, \$353.76; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$4.75; paid by Transit Department, \$17.80; net total, \$353.71.

For the week ending Monday, April 28:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, J. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day \$4.50 each; J. Conlon, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.20.

Emergencymen.—W. Loneragan, W. Rice, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Repairers.—M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each; J. Kelley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6; M. Daly, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.88; E. Rafferty, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$17.16; J. Casey, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.63; P. Linehan, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.28; H. Campbell, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.50; D. Hanlon, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$20.94; J. Hourihan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.69; W. Scanlon, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; P. Flynn, $1\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.98; M. Hogarty, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.84; M. O'Day, 3 days, \$13.50; E. Sullivan, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.25; J. Leonard, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; P. Clougherty, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; S. Mariani, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; D.

Kirby, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.95; P. Casey, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; P. Coleman, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.63; W. Shields, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.02; G. Greer, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.69; J. Feeley, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; J. Blessington, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.44; T. Byrnes, $3\frac{3}{4}$ days, \$16.03; M. Matthews, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.44; F. Schena, $1\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$5.64; M. Burke, 1 day, \$4.75; P. J. Clougherty, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.63.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, H. McCauley, P. Cassidy, J. Leary, J. McMahon, P. Gorham, D. Shea, T. Donovan, E. Kelley, I. Klein, E. Sullivan, P. McLaughlin, D. Ring, D. Hegarty, D. Donovan, M. Heffernan, 1 day, \$4 each; T. Gallagher, G. Goodnow, J. Burke, M. Barron, J. Durand, J. Phipps, M. Shea, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6 each; J. Curtin, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$3.75; P. Loftus, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.50; C. King, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; J. McGuinness, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.75; P. Finnerty, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.75; P. Mulkearn, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.25; J. O'Toole, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$16.25; J. H. Phipps, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10; W. Whelton, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.50; J. McLaughlin, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2; J. McLean, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.19; D. Murphy, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3; C. Kane, 1 day, \$4.25.

Total, \$478.46; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$4.75; net total, \$473.71.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 25 the Mayor approved a contract with J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for grading and concrete bleachers at William J. Barry Playground, Charlestown. Bids for the work, opened April 21, were as follows:

Joseph A. Singarella, \$35,741; Anthony Baruffaldi Company, \$27,500; John McDonald Construction Company, \$23,968.25; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$22,615; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$21,748.75.

Upon April 25 the Mayor approved a contract with J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for grading and concrete wall at Cherry Street Playground, Boston. Bids for the work, opened April 17, were as follows:

Charles Capone, \$4,806.75; Standard Contracting Company, \$4,520; Anthony Baruffaldi Company, \$4,442.50; Beatty Construction Company, \$4,056.50; Thomas Mulcare, \$3,782.50; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$3,665; Samuel J. Tomasello, \$3,627.50; John McDonald Construction Company, \$3,590.25; Joseph A. Singarella, \$3,302.50; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$3,300.

Upon April 26 the Mayor approved a contract with E. E. Adams for leasing for a term of three years the concession privileges for furnishing weighing machines in convenience stations and buildings of the Park Department. Bids for the lease, opened April 24, were as follows:

E. E. Adams, \$1,100; Colonial Scale Company, \$1,017.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 30 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Hourihan for the erection of a metal gutter at the Quincy Market. Bids for the work opened April 29, were as follows:

John J. Hourihan, \$1,545; Cavanaugh & Early, Inc., \$1,695; Solomon Dobkin,

\$1,900; Somerset Company, \$2,073; George G. McCafferty, \$2,537; Massachusetts Cornice Company, \$2,550; H. A. Smith, \$2,577; Joseph A. Nelson Company, \$2,840; J. E. Morin, \$3,292; John E. Long, \$6,500.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon April 28 the Mayor approved a contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for the construction of sewerage works in the Germantown district, West Roxbury, and the main outlet to the state metropolitan sewer in Dedham. Bids for the work, opened April 25, were as follows:

C. & R. Construction Company, \$165,742.50; V. Barletta, \$173,430.50; A. Baruffaldi, \$174,534.50; J. Williams & Co., \$177,198.70; William Barrett Company, \$178,172.25; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$178,902; V. Grande, \$190,624; M. H. Loonie, \$191,974; A. Cefalo, \$194,556; Bruno & Petitti, \$211,536.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 18 the Mayor approved a contract with Nichols-Egan Company for finish hardware for the Dorchester High School. Bids for the supply, opened on April 11, were as follows:

J. B. Hunter Company, \$14,500; Nichols-Egan Company, \$14,842.56.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Irwin Motors, Inc., for furnishing Ford machines to the Park Department. Bids for the supply, opened April 18, were as follows:

One Ford Four-door Sedan.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$750 each; Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$750 each; Universal Motor Sales Company, \$750 each; Murray & Jones, Inc., \$750 each; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$750 each; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$750 each.

Six Ford Runabouts with Box Body.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$410.54 each; Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$413.50 each; Universal Motor Sales Company, \$418.73 each; Murray & Jones, Inc., \$418.44 each; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$414.86 each; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$413.58 each.

Allowance on One No. 10 Runabout, 1922.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$140; Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$150; Universal Motor Sales Company, \$130; Murray & Jones, Inc., \$125; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$140; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$115.

Allowance on One No. 11 Runabout, 1922.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$140; Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$150; Universal Motor Sales Company, \$130; Murray & Jones, Inc., \$125; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$140; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$115.

Allowance on One No. 7 Runabout, 1922.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$140; Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$150; Universal Motor Sales Company, \$130; Murray & Jones, Inc., \$125; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$140; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$135.

Allowance on One No. 9 Runabout, 1922.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$140; Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$150; Universal Motor Sales Company, \$130; Murray & Jones, Inc., \$125; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$140; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$130.

Allowance on One No. 6 Runabout, 1922.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$140; Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$150; Universal Motor Sales Company, \$115; Murray & Jones, Inc., \$125; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$140; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$130.

Allowance on One No. 8 Runabout, 1921.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$125; Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$135; Universal

Motor Sales Company, \$100; Murray & Jones, Inc., \$70; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$110; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$235.

Allowance on One No. 4 Sedan, 1923.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$260; Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$285; Universal Motor Sales Company, \$350; Murray & Jones, Inc., \$305; Irwin Motors, Inc. (\$400*); \$365; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$325 (both bids here).

Net Amount of Bid.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$2,128.24; Stanley, Harlow, Inc., \$2,061; Universal Motor Sales Company, \$2,177.38; Murray & Jones, Inc., \$2,260.64; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$2,029.16; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., \$2,046.48.

Delivery Date.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., immediately; Stanley, Harlow, Inc., immediately; Universal Motor Sales Company, immediately; Murray & Jones, Inc., immediately; Irwin Motors, Inc., two in ten days; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., immediately.

*On auditor's copy.

†On Supply Department copy.

Upon April 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Doe, Sullivan & Co., Inc., for furnishing eggs to the various city departments. Bids for the supply, opened April 23, were as follows:

Seven Hundred Sixty-six Cases, Infirmary Division.—Doe, Sullivan & Co., Inc., 29.62 cents per dozen; Merchants Provision Company*, 31.45 cents per dozen; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., Inc., 36 cents per dozen; the Cudahy Packing Company, 31.2 cents per dozen; Green & Co., 30.78 cents per dozen; William A. Doe Company, 31.45 cents per dozen; Lewis Mears Company, 29.87 cents per dozen; Fowle Hibbard Company, 31 cents per dozen.

*No check with bid.

Four Hundred Thirty Cases, Boston Sanatorium.—Doe, Sullivan & Co., Inc., 29.62 cents per dozen; Merchants Provision Company*, 31.45 cents per dozen; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., Inc., 36 cents per dozen; the Cudahy Packing Company, 31.4 cents per dozen; Green & Co., 30.78 cents per dozen; William A. Doe Company, 31.45 cents per dozen; Lewis Mears Company, 29.87 cents per dozen; Fowle Hibbard Company, 31 cents per dozen.

Sixty-three Cases, Penal Division.—Doe, Sullivan & Co., Inc., 29.62 cents per dozen; Merchants Provision Company*, 31.45 cents per dozen; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., Inc., 36 cents per dozen; the Cudahy Packing Company, 31.2 cents per dozen; Green & Co., 30.78 cents per dozen; William A. Doe Company, 31.45 cents per dozen; Lewis Mears Company, 29.87 cents per dozen; Fowle Hibbard Company, 31 cents per dozen.

Five Hundred Cases, Boston City Hospital.—Doe, Sullivan & Co., Inc., 29.62 cents per dozen; Merchants Provision Company*, 31.45 cents per dozen; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., Inc., 36 cents per dozen; the Cudahy Packing Company, 31.4 cents per dozen; Green & Co., 30.78 cents per dozen; William A. Doe Company, 31.45 cents per dozen; Lewis Mears Company, 29.87 cents per dozen; Fowle Hibbard Company, 31 cents per dozen.

Discount, Ten Days.—Merchants Provision Company*, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent; the Cudahy Packing Company, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent; Green & Co., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

Upon April 26 the Mayor approved a contract with the Standard Oil Company

of New York for furnishing heavy engine and machine oil and cylinder oil to the various city departments. Bids for the supply, opened April 21, were as follows:

One Hundred Fifty Barrels Heavy Engine and Machine Oil.—Vacuum Oil Company, 25 cents per gallon, machine; 29 cents per gallon, engine; Standard Oil Company of New York, 21.30 cents per gallon; the Alden Speare's Sons Company, 35 cents per gallon; Gulf Refining Company, 23 cents per gallon in drums, Sabine engine oil; the Texas Company, 24.65 cents per gallon, No. 504 Texaco in wood barrels; Sun Oil Company, 24 cents per gallon in drums, earload lots; 28.75 cents per gallon, in barrels; 31 cents per gallon f. o. b. warehouse.

One Hundred Barrels Cylinder Oil.—Vacuum Oil Company, 53.1 cents per gallon; Standard Oil Company of New York, 29.5 cents per gallon; the Alden Speare's Sons Company, 38 cents per gallon; Gulf Refining Company, 44 cents per gallon, Delpe in wood barrels; the Texas Company, 41.65 cents per gallon, No. 617 Texaco in wood barrels; Sun Oil Company, 41 cents per gallon in drums, earload lots; 45.75 cents per gallon in barrels; 48 cents per gallon, f. o. b. warehouse.

Discount, Ten Days.—Vacuum Oil Company, 1 per cent; Standard Oil Company of New York, 1 per cent; the Alden Speare's Sons Company, 1 per cent; Gulf Refining Company, 2 per cent; the Texas Company, 2 per cent.

Remarks.—Vacuum Oil Company, steel barrels at \$11 each; refund on return of barrel; Standard Oil Company of New York, steel barrels at \$12 each; payable in ninety days if not returned; the Texas Company, 3 cents per gallon deducted for delivery in seller's returnable steel drums; Sun Oil Company, their own specifications; steel drums to be charged and returnable.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 25 the Mayor approved a contract with the M. A. Dewell Company for the preparation of two copies of the police lists. A communication from Joseph G. O'Malley, of the Assessing Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 25, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—We desire your permission to make a contract with M. A. Dewell, known as the Dewell Company, in the preparation of two copies of the police lists, showing the name, residence, and serial number of each male person over twenty years of age. In order to give a consecutively numbered list it will be necessary to eliminate all females, businesses, vacant dwellings, totaling approximately 520,000 items, and then number the remaining residents consecutively, by wards, of about 250,000 names.

The Dewell Company have done this and other work for this department at various times, are a reliable concern and are familiar with our books. In order to hasten the payment of the poll tax bills it is necessary to speedily complete this work.

From the figures submitted by other concerns competent to do the work, I am unable to find anyone who is willing to do it at a less cost.

The Dewell Company have further agreed to deliver the work, complete, not later than June 9, and, because of this early date and the fact that they have agreed to do it at a less cost than anyone else competent to do the work, we desire your permission to make the contract, without advertising, at a total cost of \$6,700.

Respectfully,

BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
by JOSEPH G. O'MALLEY,
Secretary.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Upon April 30 the Mayor approved a contract with Redmond McDonough & Sons for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 24, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Redmond McDonough & Sons, 36 Moultrie street, Dorchester, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city but by the abutters; because the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; and also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon April 30 the Mayor approved a contract with Thomas H. Coulter for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 29, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Thomas H. Coulter, 39 Hemlock street, West Roxbury, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon April 30 the Mayor approved a contract with William J. Pendergast for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 29, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to William J. Pendergast, 202 Cedar street, Wellesley Hills, Mass., is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; sec-

only, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon April 30 the Mayor approved a contract with William Hesselting for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 28, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to William Hesselting, 469 Norfolk street, Dorchester, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and the abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (\$1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 26 the Mayor approved a contract with the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing the Park Department one Reo speed car. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, April 24, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising the same, to the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing to the Park Department: One Reo speed wagon chassis, equipped with windshield, \$1,320; less allowance on old Ford truck, \$100; net amount of contract, \$1,220.

The Park Department informs us that this particular chassis is the one that best meets their requirements, and for this reason this permission is requested.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PARK DEPARTMENT.

R. A. Bossi Company have been ordered to do the following additional work on contract for sanitary and locker building, World War Memorial Park, East Boston: Boiler room: Item 1. Cut out mortar joints in present stone wall on three sides of boiler room; build concrete walls on said three sides of boiler room 8-inch thick and 5-feet high, stock and labor for same, \$454.30; concrete foundation walls: Item 2. All concrete walls under new addition and stairs to start down on hard pan, 4-feet 3-inch lower than shown on elevations, excavating and concrete work for same, \$683. Total, \$1,137.30. Contract as standing, \$55,875; Addition as per this order, \$1,137.30; Contract as present date, \$57,012.30.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Additions, amounting to \$645, on contract with John W. O'Connell for Portland cement concrete pavement in Public Alleys Nos. 103, 104, 539, 542, 543, 714, 715 and 716, on account of removing tree; hauling surplus paving blocks to Massachusetts avenue lot; removing forms from the site of the work; removing granite retaining walls where directed; removing sewer sheathing; and removing reinforced concrete retaining walls. Original contract, \$14,082.75; total additions, \$1,245; contract as standing, \$15,327.75.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$367.50, on contract with John Williams & Co., for sewerage works in Union terrace, West Roxbury, on account of supporting and protecting water pipe in rock trench found in different location from that shown on plans, between stations 3+05 and stations 5+50, but assuming all risks in connection therewith. Original contract, \$7,119.50; total addition, \$367.50; contract as standing, \$7,487.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

B. E. Grant Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repaving West street, Bedford street, Shawmut avenue and Charles street. Items ordered: Regulate edgestone, recut and lay granite blocks with grout joints on a 6-inch Portland cement concrete base and construct artificial stone sidewalks in Leverett street, from Charles street across Brighton street. Prices to be paid: The same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$9,000.

John Williams & Co. have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works in Union terrace, between Morton street and Forest Hills avenue, West Roxbury. Items ordered: Support and protect water pipe in rock trench found in different location from that shown on plans between station 3 plus 05 and station 5 plus 50, and assume all risks in connection therewith at agreed price of \$1.50 per linear foot. Estimated cost of extra work, \$367.50.

Highland Construction Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Holton street, etc. Items ordered: (1.) Set edgestone and construct artificial stone sidewalks in Everett street (easterly side), from Holton street to Brentwood street. (2.) Set edgestone and construct artificial stone sidewalks in Brentwood street (northerly side), from Athol street to Appian way. (3.) Set edgestone and construct artificial stone sidewalks in Athol street (westerly side), from Holton street to Brentwood street. Prices to be paid: The same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$1,900.

TO SELL OIL TANK.

Upon April 25 the Mayor approved the request of the Public Works Department for right to sell to Alden Spear's Sons Company, Cambridge, without inviting proposals therefor by public advertisement, one old tank and parts for oil distributing, having an estimated value of \$150. This equipment is of no further use to the department.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The Jarvis Engineering Company has been granted an extension of time on the contract for establishing a refrigeration plant.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

W. H. Ellis & Son Company have been granted an extension of time of completion of the contract for repairing fenders of Dorchester Avenue Bridge, over Fort Point channel, from April 21, 1924, to May 15, 1924.

The Holbrook, Cabot & Rollins Corporation have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for erecting and completing Chelsea Bridge South, from May 1, 1924, to July 31, 1924, on account of the difficulty in maintaining traffic over the old and new bridges.

M. H. Loonie has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Congress street, between Atlantic avenue and Purchase street, city proper, from April 26, 1924, to May 15, 1924, nineteen days.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

A. Piotti Company has been allowed to amend his contract for the erection and completion of an intermediate school in the Charles Sumner District, Poplar and Hawthorne streets, Roslindale, by striking out the words and figures, "May 15, 1923," on page 24, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "February 6, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 24, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about May 15, 1922, and is to be completed on or before February 6, 1924."

PAVING STREETS ORDERED.

The Mayor has approved the following order of the Board of Street Commissioners:

That this Board, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvements hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published March 28, 29, 1924, and March 31, April 1, 1924, in the *Boston Globe* and *Boston Transcript*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public convenience so requires, does hereby order that specific repairs be made on the following streets:

Shawmut avenue, Boston proper and Roxbury districts, from Warrenton street to Roxbury street, by substituting asphalt or bitulithic pavement for the present granite block pavement.

Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester district, from Canterbury street to the Neponset river, westerly side, by substituting asphalt or bitulithic pavement for the present macadam pavement.

CLAIMS DISALLOWED.

The Law Department has disapproved twenty-five claims against the city; aggregating \$7,885, and they are classified as follows:

Against the Hospital Department, two, amounting to \$64; against the Park Department, two, amounting to \$131; against the Police Department, one, amounting to \$1,000; against the Public Buildings Department, one, amounting to \$200; against the Public Works Department, eighteen, amounting to \$6,315.

MAYOR PROCLAIMS WEEK OF MAY 4 TO 10 MUSIC WEEK.

May 4 to May 10 has been designated "Music Week" by Mayor Curley and has been set apart and dedicated as a festival of music celebrations. The Mayor recommends that the citizens of all classes and conditions co-operate with the committees having the events in charge, to the end that the occasion may be made a great social, educational and artistic success.

His proclamation reads as follows:

"Music Week is designed to be the festival of the people; every religious, educational, business, artistic, fraternal and social organization is represented in its management and conduct; every race and creed is interested; no one is barred; and the harmonious and united efforts of all will make the Music Week a notable and memorable one in our history.

"Boston long held the musical leadership of America; in its schools and academies the musical art was taught and fostered; the names of Boston composers, musicians and patrons and benefactors of music are honored in American musical annals; and in the coming festival the love and interest in all the arts can be renewed and revived by united effort and the artistic prestige and primacy of Boston be restored and secured.

"Music Week will be a democratic festival of all the people, and I ask that all unite in making successful an event that can impress the mind, touch the heart and elevate the soul of Boston, and make our people, through its spiritualizing influence, better citizens, better neighbors, and a community working with a clearer understanding for the common weal.

"Therefore I call on all the citizens of Boston to join hands in this common cause, that out of the seed of inspiration, amity and beauty planted in Music Week a harvest of good will and a nobler appreciation of our civic duty and responsibility may spring."

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

PRIVATE CHARITABLE ASSOCIATIONS (INCORPORATED IN MASSACHUSETTS AND BOSTON).

The annual report for 1920 of State Department of Public Welfare includes statistics and financial statements of 887 private charitable corporations in Mass. of which 181 are devoted to aiding the sick, 159 furnish aid to unfortunate families, 115 are neighborhood helpers, 114 child helping agencies, 220 are in social welfare activities and 98 maintain homes for the aged. Of the 862 that gave a financial statement, the total property, real and personal, was \$130,917,801; receipts for year, \$26,040,773; payments, \$24,449,285; number of paid employees, 13,760. Over 800,000 individuals were aided in the year.

In Boston alone, the hospitals (exclusive of City Hospital and Boston Sanatorium, maintained from City taxes) numbered 25, having property valued at \$31,113,367; 3,327 beds; 3,352 paid officers and employees; 185,299 cases of aid recorded in year. Other charitable associations in Boston, 217, with property owned amounting to \$40,669,803; paid officers and employees, 3,363; number of cases of aid recorded, 1,019,066 to persons and 777,760 (approx.) to animals.

LIST OF PETITIONS FOR HEARING BEFORE STREET COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.

MONDAY, MAY 5

NAME	Location.	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Joseph Calabro.....	14 Huxley street.....	17	One car.
Caroline J. Converse....	57 Fulton street.....	20	One car.
Loretta J. Curran.....	51 Brown avenue.....	23	One car.
Mrs. M. D. E. Fennessey..	32 Garfield avenue.....	24	One car.
Nettie Keltie.....	75 Highland street.....	24	One car additional.
Ernest W. Perkins.....	490 La Grange street.....	23	One car.
Everett F. Mann.....	292 Fairmount avenue.....	24	One car additional.
Thomas F. McCaffrey <i>et al.</i>	1873 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	One car.
Herbert A. Wilson, Police Commissioner.	84 Joy street.....	8	One car.
Annie Averbach.....	71 Willowood street.....	21	Two cars.
Mrs. Ellen G. Baker.....	33 Belden street.....	11	Two cars.
Dora Breeding.....	95 Ardale street.....	23	Two cars.
Abeli Butler.....	64 Catherine street.....	24	Two cars.
Anna M. Cannata.....	7 Byron court.....	15	Two cars.
Walter J. Croft <i>et al.</i>	11 15 Kingsboro park.....	22	Two cars.
Mary M. Decella.....	15 Rexhame street.....	23	Two cars.
Edward A. Driver.....	548 West Park street.....	19	Two cars.
John J. Galinas.....	78 Marine road.....	10	Two cars.
Angus Gillis.....	41 Schiller road.....	23	Two cars.
Ceilia Grob.....	150 Stanwood street.....	18	Two cars.
Lars P. Hanson.....	10 Iowa street.....	18	Two cars.
Isaac Hart <i>et al.</i>	37 Warner street.....	19	Two cars.
Annie A. Hurney.....	9 Redwood street.....	20	Two cars.
Albert C. Jacobs.....	4089 Washington street.....	23	Two cars.
James Keening.....	40 and 42 Orchard road.....	25	Two garages, two cars each.
Katie Kundy.....	79 and 81 Glenwood avenue.....	24	Two cars.
Eva Magat <i>et al.</i>	14 Merrill street.....	19	Two cars.
Daniel MacLeod.....	44 Manthorne road.....	23	Two cars.
Cornelius McCarthy.....	38 Sargent street.....	17	Two cars.
John M. Miller.....	21 Seymour street.....	23	Two cars.
Virginia Molledo, administratrix.	23 and 25 Breed street.....	1	Two cars.
Peter J. Murphy.....	48 Wood avenue.....	24	Two cars.
Samuel G. Myers.....	701 Metropolitan avenue.....	24	Two cars.
T. Frank Nicholson.....	Burton street.....	26	Two cars.
Michael J. Nolan <i>et al.</i>	650 and 652 East Third street.....	9	Two cars.
Jeremiah O'Brien.....	12 Crescent circuit.....	25	Two cars.
Emma T. Powers.....	75 Tower street.....	22	Two cars.
Frank Seminara <i>et al.</i>	44 Wilcock street.....	21	Two cars.
Catherine Shea.....	107 Rosseter street.....	19	Two cars.
Thomas J. Sheahan.....	11 Belmore terrace.....	15	Two cars.
Joseph Silk.....	168 Humboldt avenue.....	16	Two cars.
Nora T. Sullivan.....	20 Levant street.....	18	Two cars.
P. S. Raab.....	12 Clive street.....	23	Two cars.
Maud E. Riedel <i>et al.</i>	1 and 3 Centerville park.....	20	Two cars.
John Roder.....	32 Mather street.....	20	Group garage, two units, two cars, additional.
Johanna M. Walsh.....	8 Iowa street.....	18	Two cars.
John G. Whidden.....	73 Stockton street.....	21	Two cars.
Catharine E. Martin.....	37 Wheatland avenue.....	19	Two garages, two cars each.
Sahag Ashjian.....	101 Bernard street.....	21	Group garage, three units, three cars.
Genevessa Catanese.....	204 East Eagle street.....	1	Three cars.
Louis D'Allessandro.....	22 Dacia street.....	17	Group garage, three units, three cars.
Hannah McGillicuddy.....	139 Nottingham road.....	25	Group garage, three units.
John Schonberg <i>et al.</i>	5 and 6 Nason place.....	14	Group garage, three units.
Theresa M. Ciccone <i>et al.</i>	550 East Third street.....	9	Four cars.
David Pearlstein.....	56 Gardner street.....	25	Five cars.
Margaret E. Spelman.....	11 Taft's place.....	23	Five units.
Francis L. Colpoys.....	271 East Eighth street.....	11	Group garage, eight units.
Frank G. Maliff.....	1 Peters street.....	10	Commercial garage, eight units additional.
Orete Gaviani.....	59 Burrell street.....	12	Group garage, twelve units, twelve cars.
Julius Paletz.....	223 Quincy street.....	18	Group garage, twenty-two units.
Dana E. Sargent.....	277 and 279 Hyde Park avenue.....	22	Group garage, thirty-three units.
Samuel W. Flax.....	59-75 Queensberry street.....	8	Public garage and 2,000 gallons gasoline.
Ida Duchin.....	157 Washington street.....	19	Public garage and 2,000 gallons gasoline.
Martino DeMatteo.....	23 Wiedemann street.....	24	500 gallons gasoline.
Patrick J. McMahon.....	69 Lansdowne street.....	12	1,000 gallons gasoline.
Marshall H. Medzorian.....	380 Columbus avenue.....	7	500 gallons gasoline.
John F. Murray.....	140 Savin Hill avenue.....	17	500 gallons gasoline.
Daniel P. O'Neill.....	1122 Centre street.....	23	2,000 gallons gasoline additional.
Road Brothers.....	123 Centre street.....	15	500 gallons gasoline.
Robert P. Williams.....	60 Hill Top street.....	20	280 gallons gasoline.
C. M. White Iron Works	20 Brighton street.....	5	Oxygen.
Mack Motor Company.....	75 North Beacon street.....	26	2,500 gallons fuel oil.

RETIREMENT OF EMPLOYEES.

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board held on Tuesday, April 30, 1924, the retirement of the following named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved, to become effective at close of business Wednesday, April 30, 1924:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

William H. Baldwin, machinist, salary at time of retirement, \$5.25 a day.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

James Graham, constable, salary at time of retirement, \$1,400 a year.

William H. Bourne, disinfecter, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Therese A. Masterson, special assistant, \$1,300 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

James J. Hodgins, gardener, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

Daniel Donovan, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

John Kelly, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

James J. Donnelly, janitor, salary at time of retirement, \$1,300 a year, County, East Boston.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Service.

John J. McKenna, first assistant drawtender, salary at time of retirement, \$1,600 a year.

Paving Service.

Patrick F. Mulhearn, subforeman, salary at time of retirement, \$1,600 a year.

Patrick Mulrey, paver, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

Sewer Service.

Chester F. Young, inspector, salary at time of retirement, \$1,700 a year.

Lawrence A. Hillary, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Street Cleaning Service.

John Toole, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Thomas Rice, stableman, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Patrick Carey, teamster, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

William H. Kent School.

Abbie C. McAuliffe, assistant instructor, salary at time of retirement, \$2,000 a year.

Wendell Phillips School.

Michael E. Colleary, custodian, salary at time of retirement, \$2,982.08 a year.

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Fannie Bornstein, in the sum of \$1,500, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk in front of 714 and 716 Morton street, July 18, 1922.

David R. Dunigan, in the sum of \$250, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in walk in front of 422 Seaver street, November 10, 1921.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 24 TO APRIL 30.

APRIL 24.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Margaret L. Graves.	Rear of 10 Wilbur street.	17	First-class garage.	\$1,800
Louis Braga.	Rear of 183 Hebron street.	24	First-class garage.	1,500
Joseph Famolara.	Rear of 9 Whitby street.	1	First-class garage.	1,700
James Coogan.	Rear of 127 Dale street.	16	First-class garage.	2,000
K. Talarian.	Rear of 72 Templeton street.	20	First-class garage.	2,000
Katherine T. Lane.	Rear of 548 Washington st.	25	First-class garage.	1,000
Rudnick & Swig.	231 Audubon road.	8	Second-class tenements.	100,000
Rudnick & Swig.	235 Audubon road.	8	Second-class tenements.	100,000
Albert Turesky.	Rear of 11 Elizabeth street.	21	Second-class garage.	1,000
I. Zieman.	Rear of 163-177 Alliston st.	25	Second-class baker shop.	1,000
Margaret Halligan.	107 Russett road.	23	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Frank J. Worner.	115 Ruskin road.	24	Third-class dwelling.	9,000
H. Chester Stevens.	96 Church street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	8,000
A. Violante.	461 Hyde Park avenue.	23	Third-class stores.	5,000
West Roxbury Congrega- tional Society.	Rear of 9 March terrace.	23	Third-class garage.	700
P. G. English.	Rear of 4 Elm street.	20	Third-class garage.	406
E. M. Young.	Rear of 844 Adams street.	20	Third-class garage.	490
C. C. Topham <i>et al</i> .	Rear of 14 and 16 Green- wood avenue.	24	Third-class garage.	800
William E. Mellish.	Rear of 132 Colberg avenue	23	Third-class garage.	700
M. Freedman.	271 Normandy street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	800
Trinity Church.	206 Clarendon street.	7	Alterations, parish house.	30,000
A. D. Donald.	Rear of 100 Arlington ave.	3	Alterations, office.	1,200
Charles W. Rowell.	41 and 43 Franklin street.	5	Alterations, mercantile.	5,000
J. V. Dittmore.	7 Walnut street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	1,500
Martin G. Ulrich.	52 Port Norfolk street.	20	Alterations, garage.	50
Nathan Block.	346 Seaver street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
City of Boston.	76 Joy street.	8	Alterations, police station.	500
John C. Bau.	4 Adelaide street.	22	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Adam Wojnilowicz.	78 Stoughton street.	11	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Adam Wojnilowicz.	80 Stoughton street.	11	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Adam Wojnilowicz.	82 Stoughton street.	11	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Adam Wojnilowicz.	84 Stoughton street.	11	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Adam Wojnilowicz.	96 Sumner street.	11	Alterations, dwelling.	200
John Swift.	16 Texas street.	13	Erect fire escapes.	250
American Building Wrecking Company.	872 Centre street.	22	Take-down, dwelling.	100
American Building Wrecking Company.	Rear of 872 Centre street.	22	Take-down, stable.	25

APRIL 25.

Mrs. Helen B. Colpitts.	Rear of 61 Aldworth street.	22	First-class garage.	\$1,200
Mary A. Hoar.	Rear of 392 and 394 Centre street.	20	First-class garage.	4,000
School Street Trust.	3 Province street.	5	First-class stores and offices.	550,000
Frank Baltusis.	Rear of 682 East Eighth st.	10	First-class garage.	950
Benjamin Langille <i>et al</i> .	14 Phipps street.	3	First-class garage.	3,800
Caroline Siebreneikes.	295 Hyde Park avenue.	22	First-class garage.	2,000
Kilsyth Real Estate Trust.	56 Queensberry street.	8	Second-class tenements.	75,000
Kilsyth Real Estate Trust.	58 Queensberry street.	8	Second-class tenements.	75,000
Kilsyth Real Estate Trust.	60 Queensberry street.	8	Second-class tenements.	75,000
Bernstein & Lerman.	2005 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Second-class dwelling.	24,000
Bernstein & Lerman.	2009 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Second-class dwelling.	24,000
Bernstein & Lerman.	2013 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Second-class dwelling.	24,000
Bernstein & Lerman.	2017 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Second-class dwelling.	24,000
Bernstein & Lerman.	2021 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Second-class dwelling.	24,000
Bernstein & Lerman.	2025 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Second-class dwelling.	24,000
M. A. Kaplan.	30 Chiswick road.	25	Second-class tenements.	55,000
M. A. Kaplan.	34 Chiswick road.	25	Second-class tenements.	55,000
M. A. Kaplan.	98 Strathmore road.	25	Second-class tenements.	55,000
Max Stenberg.	Rear of 99 Stratton street.	21	Second-class garage.	1,000
Lloyd L. Kelley.	32 Drayton avenue.	17	Second-class garage.	1,000
Lurena Paul.	Rear of 29 Wheatland avenue.	19	Second-class garage.	850
Betty Marcus.	Rear of 70 Chester street.	25	Second-class garage.	1,500
G. F. Beeman.	15 Malta street.	24	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
William T. Condry.	487 La Grange street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	8,000
William Kniaz.	183 Harvard avenue.	25	Alterations, apartments.	400
Joseph Zakety.	731 Tremont street.	7	Alterations, dwelling.	25
Richard Tobin.	33 Cobden street.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	15
R. J. Little.	159 Huntington avenue.	7	Alterations, tenements.	5,000
Everett J. Holmes.	1267 Columbus avenue.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	425
John H. Joy.	33-39 Bowker street.	5	Alterations, factory and stor- age.	300
S. Fotos.	2257 Dorchester avenue.	21	Take-down, shed.	10

APRIL 26.

Agnes J. Powers.	Rear of 60 Alexander street.	17	First-class garage.	\$1,620
Annie K. G. Gallagher.	Rear of 21 Folsom street.	17	First-class garage.	1,000
Thomas F. Haverty.	40 Saunders street.	26	First-class garage.	1,200
Mishon & Cohen.	32 Seaver street.	16	Second-class tenements.	50,000
F. J. Rockwell.	54 Wilmington avenue.	21	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Leo A. Reardon.	Rear of 135 Milton avenue.	21	Third-class garage.	400
Robert H. Gardiner <i>et al</i> , trustees.	105 and 107 Federal street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices	25,000
H. P. Cushing estate.	59 and 61 Commercial street	5	Alterations, store.	2,000

APRIL 28.

T. N. Stevens.	Rear of 101 Dakota street.	19	First-class garage.	\$4,000
Gregory G. Walmsby.	Rear of 10 Whitten street.	20	First-class garage.	1,000
Arthur J. Smith.	Rear of 34 King street.	20	First-class garage.	1,500
C. L. Berger & Sons Com- pany.	Rear of 37 Williams street.	13	Second-class light manufac- turing.	7,000
J. Scott McLearn.	100 Lanark road.	25	Second-class tenements.	40,000
J. Scott McLearn.	110 Lanark road.	25	Second-class tenements.	40,000
J. Scott McLearn.	120 Lanark road.	25	Second-class tenements.	40,000
Freole Cavicchi.	Rear of 68 Walnut street.	20	Special garage.	600
John H. Sanders.	Rear of 11 Denton terrace.	23	Third-class garage.	400
Catherine E. Harrington.	Rear of 81 Bowdoin street.	18	Third-class garage.	600
Bertha B. Elliott.	Rear of 44 Tyndale street.	23	Third-class garage.	250

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Mrs. E. B. Brown, 16 Sayward street, Ward 17, one car.

Henry P. Colwell, 15 Greenough ave-
nue, Ward 22, one car.

Bartholomew Coughlin, 29 Sparhawk
street, Ward 26, one car.

J. C. Delaney, 55½ Bakersfield street,
Ward 11, one car.

Martin F. Dunlap *et al*, 5 Howes
street, Ward 11, one car.

Louisa Guarino, 29 Burrell street,
Ward 12, one car.

Anne R. Heald, 241 Savin Hill ave-
nue, Ward 17, one car.

Warren Arthur Higgins, 21 Eldridge
street, Ward 21, one car.

Ada H. Howard, 11 Hallet street, Ward
20, one car.

Lillian W. Hunt, 67 Minot street,
Ward 20, one car.

Albert A. Judge, 56 Bakersfield street,
Ward 11, one car.

Elmer L. Lang, 31 Fairview street,
Ward 23, one car.

Jacob Snider, 81 Greenwood street,
Ward 19, one car.

Ida J. Strupney, 59 Maple street, Ward
23, one car additional.

Joseph H. Ware, trustee, 42 Mather
street, Ward 20, one car.

H. Amoian, 14 Harvard avenue, Ward
19, group garage, two units, two cars
additional.

Nathan Bornstein, 55 Wilcock street,
Ward 21, two cars.

Nathan Bornstein, 59 Wilcock street,
Ward 21, two cars.

Mrs. Edward Brown, 1072 Washington
street, Ward 21, two cars.

Mary E. Craddock, 411 Neponset ave-
nue, Ward 26, three garages, two cars
each.

Blanch Fitzpatrick, 22 Alaska street,
Ward 16, two cars.

Mrs. Margaret A. Flynn, 14 Whitfield
street, Ward 21, two cars.

Nathan Goldman, 169 Glenway street,
Ward 19, two cars.

Frank O. Heidke, 57 Mozart street,
Ward 15, two cars.

Theresa A. Hoppe, 67 Baker street,
Ward 23, two cars.

Albert C. Huegel *et al*, 45 Perham
street, Ward 23, two cars.

Chandler G. Humphreys, 7 Parkvale
road, Ward 23, two cars.

Michael Kane, 38 Heath avenue, Ward
14, two cars.

Georgie M. Kelley, 51 Homes avenue,
Ward 18, two cars.

Sarah Libman, 15 Greenheys street,
Ward 16, maintaining two cars.

Ellen J. Maguire, 5 Highland street,
Ward 17, two cars.

Eutemia Hastromarino, 64 Brooks
street, Ward 2, two cars.

Blanche A. McIntire, 118 Hewlett
street, Ward 23, two cars.

Walter H. Milton, 73 Minot street,
Ward 20, two cars.

Mary A. Monahan, 24 Colonial ave-
nue, Ward 21, two cars.

Mary J. Morrissey, 66 West Milton
street, Ward 24, two cars.

Haljamar F. Nelson, 14 Lane park,
Ward 26, two cars.

Margaret O'Grady, 44 Richards street,
Ward 26, two cars.

Patrick O'Rourke, 107 Walter street,
Ward 23, two cars.

Edgar B. Pitts, 115 Bynner street,
Ward 14, two cars.

Michael Queenan *et al.*, 22 Levant street, Ward 18, two cars.

Gioramie Razzetti, 56 Hyde Park avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

Mary M. Regan, 17 Babson street, Ward 21, two cars.

Bertha Reinhart, 15 Ridge street, Ward 23, two cars.

Fred H. Robinson, 39 Turner street, Ward 26, group garage, two units, two cars.

Rubin Steinberg, 87 Deering road, Ward 21, two cars.

Alfred L. Stevens, 4356 Washington street, Ward 23, two cars.

Mathias J. Thoemmel, 26 Saranac street, Ward 20, two cars.

Margaret A. Tobin, 35 Tolman street, Ward 20, two cars.

William D. Walsh, 16 Saxton street, Ward 17, two cars.

Louis Campedelli, 72 Savin street, Ward 16, three cars.

Emma Cuneo, 476 Warren street, Ward 16, group garage, three units, three cars.

Frank Fulginiti, 206 East Eagle street, Ward 1, three cars.

John L. Imbescheid *et al.*, 18 Lee Hill road, Ward 23, three cars.

Caesar G. Re, 106 Roxbury street, Ward 13, one garage, three cars.

George A. Zahka, 39 Haskell street, Ward 26, group garage, three units.

Doherty Coal Company, 220 Freeport street, Ward 20, 500 gallons gasoline.

Snider & Druker, 8 and 10 Ivy street, Ward 8, 5,000 gallons fuel oil.

Prestolite Company, Incorporated, 963 Commonwealth avenue, Ward 25, acetylene.

Turner Centre System, Incorporated, 56 Roland street, Ward 3, acetylene and oxygen.

BIDS REJECTED.

The Mayor has approved the action indicated by the following letter received from Fred J. Kneeland of the Public Buildings Department:

BOSTON, April 25, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I wish to advise you that on Wednesday, April 23, 1924, this department publicly opened and read bids for furnishing finished hardware for Police Station No. 2 building, with the following result:

Burditt & Williams Company, \$6,050;
Nichols-Egan Company, \$9,000.

The lowest bid received was apparently not in legal form, they having neglected to return the specifications with their bid. The higher bid was in excess of the appropriation.

Under the foregoing conditions I respectfully request permission to reject all bids and readvertise for same.

Respectfully yours,

FRED J. KNEELAND,
Superintendent of Public Buildings.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department to re-surface with asphalt macadam La Grange street, from Vale street to Vermont street, West Roxbury, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost being \$5,000.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 24 TO APRIL 30.

APRIL 28.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Alfred H. Johnson	Rear of 68 Mountain avenue	21	Third-class garage	\$600
Mary Fuzmorris	Rear of 324 Beech street	23	Third-class garage	400
Katherine B. Nolan	Rear of 12 Lorette street	23	Third-class garage	600
Bertha Chase	Rear of 186 Stratford street	23	Third-class garage	600
Alice W. Murphy	Rear of 18 Rosemont street	20	Third-class garage	600
A. L. Morris	Rear of 76 Florence street	23	Third-class garage	475
Agnes M. Fineran	Rear of 113 Wren street	23	Third-class garage	800
Frank Viatova	263 Adams street	18	Third-class filling station	400
Berson & Berrish	620 Norfolk street	21	Third-class dwelling	15,000
Margaret Young	48 Crescent Circuit	25	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Nora T. Murray	288 Beech street	23	Third-class dwelling	6,500
J. H. Keening	40 Orchard Road	25	Third-class dwelling	13,000
J. H. Keening	42 Orchard road	25	Third-class dwelling	13,000
Herbert L. Bussell estate	200A Dartmouth street	7	Alterations, restaurant	3,000
Mrs. M. E. Bordeau	134 Huntington avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling	17,000
Paolo Bonauto	194 Brooks street	1	Alterations, shop	500
E. D. Codman <i>et al.</i>	414-426 Boylston street	7	Alterations, stores and offices	60,000
Hilmer Herstrom	14 Upland avenue	20	Alterations, garage	800
R. H. White Company	504-522 Washington street	5	Alterations, store	6,000
N. Sarno	307 Saratoga street	2	Alterations, dwelling	80
Domenico Terzoco	1858 River street	24	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
A. H. Copley	1146 Washington street	21	Alterations, storage	50
R. C. Archbishop of Boston	323 Bunker Hill street	3	Alterations, church	4,000
Central Building Wrecking Company	611-615 Rutherford avenue	3	Take-down, stores	200
Central Building Wrecking Company	617-619 Rutherford avenue	3	Take-down, stores	100
Central Building Wrecking Company	621 Rutherford avenue	3	Take-down, stores	100
William Hummlich	Rear of 283 Western avenue	26	Take-down, stable	50
Joseph Tutenjian	Rear of 11 Harvest street	11	Take-down, garage	50

APRIL 29.

Simon N. Kahn	Rear of 65 Mountain avenue	21	First-class garage	\$1,000
Mary McCormack	Rear of 21 Oak street	3	First-class garage	2,200
Edwin J. Wilmot	64 Ridgmont street	25	First-class garage	1,000
Daniel F. McCormack	Rear of 42 Wellington Hill street	21	First-class garage	1,500
Joe Tutanjian	Rear of 11 Harvest street	11	First-class garage	1,450
Patrick McDermott	Rear of 113 Williams st	22	Second-class garage	1,000
Thomas J. Tuohy <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 24 Upland road	25	Second-class garage	1,000
Berch & Carigan	115 St. Stephen street	7	Second-class apartments	87,500
Berch & Carigan	117 St. Stephen street	7	Second-class apartments	87,500
Grace L. Miller	Rear of 3 Robin Hood st.	17	Second-class garage	1,000
Idella M. Cornwell	20 Parkvale road	23	Third-class garage	600
Allen M. Gray	Rear of 298 East Milton st.	24	Third-class garage	600
Harry L. Thorne	Rear of 76 Garnet road	23	Third-class garage	600
Rebecca Shea	Rear of 725 Hyde Park av.	24	Third-class garage	600
John H. Casey	17 Wales street	19	Third-class dwelling	16,000
Michael DeDominicos	104 Baker street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,000
Michael Kosteki	128 Wood avenue	24	Third-class dwelling	8,000
E. F. Hopfgarten	34 Bexley road	23	Third-class dwelling	5,000
Francis Hay	95 Etna street	26	Third-class dwelling	10,000
K. J. Matheson	17 Pierpont road	23	Third-class dwelling	11,000
J. Zani	211 Gladstone street	1	Third-class dwelling	8,000
David Finkle	5 Sutton street	21	Third-class dwelling	20,000
Delia Khouri	5087 Washington street	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
James H. Boyd	866 Washington street	21	Third-class dwelling	14,000
Delia Khouri	5083 Washington street	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Pratt Coal Company	27 Overland street	8	Third-class storage	75
Flora MacNeill	122 Dustin street	26	Third-class office	300
Ernesto Branco	1502 Dorchester avenue	20	Alterations, stores	400
S. Fotos	2257 Dorchester avenue	21	Alterations, restaurant	2,000
Rose Russell	398 Premen street	1	Alterations, dwelling	220
K. J. Matheson	67 Florence street	23	Alterations, dwelling	200
Gertie Peck	84 Maple street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Hannah Deal	401-405 Centre street	22	Alterations, dwelling and stores	700
Harry Goldberg	15 Condor street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Harry Goldberg	13 Condor street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
C. W. Whittier Brothers	156 Massachusetts avenue	7	Alterations, stores	20,000
Agnes Sterritt	256 Bowen street	10	Alterations, dwelling	350
M. O'Brien	14 Wrentham street	21	Alterations, dwelling	350
Western Union Telegraph Company	209 Berkeley street	7	Erect sign	200
Copley Billiard Club, Inc.	477 Stuart street	7	Erect sign	200
Trinity Court Pharmacy	161 Dartmouth street	7	Erect sign	250
Mrs. D. Conklin <i>et al.</i>	501 and 503 Columbus av.	7	Erect fire escape	600
Miss F. M. Mansfield	202 and 204 West Springfield street	7	Erect fire escape	275
Barry Building Wrecking Co.	410 Albany street	6	Take-down, office	50
Charles Kallas	322 Tremont street	6	Take-down, dwelling	250

APRIL 30.

John Rugo	Rear of 125 Homes avenue	18	First-class garage	\$1,000
John Rugo	Rear of 127 Homes avenue	18	First-class garage	1,000
B. F. Nay	Rear of 28 Condor street	1	First-class garage	2,000
J. N. Mosher	Rear of 19 Rexham street	23	First-class garage	1,250
Mary A. Carroll	Rear of 124 Neponset ave.	20	First-class garage	2,000
E. C. MacLeod	35 Norfolk street	15	First-class garage	2,500
E. C. MacLeod	33 Norfolk street	15	First-class garage	2,000
P. Zieman	Rear of 54 Angell street	21	First-class garage	1,500
P. B. Corbett	Rear of 4 Wendover street	11	First-class garage	1,500
Frank Taranto	Rear of 1326 Dorchester ave.	18	First-class garage	1,000
Katherine F. Doherty	Rear of 16 Bardwell street	22	Second-class garage	1,000
Mrs. U. S. Davis	Rear of 87 Fort avenue	15	Second-class garage	1,100
Fannie Miller	Rear of 43 Hewins street	19	Second-class garage	1,200
Guy W. Longee <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 12 Kingsley street	26	Second-class garage	800
Ellen Fitzgerald	Rear of 13 Centre terrace	23	Third-class garage	275
William Douse	10 Becket street	20	Third-class dwelling	12,000
William Douse	12 Becket street	20	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Cecilia A. Barrows	182 Boylston street	15	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Joseph LeClerc	171 and 173 Orange street	23	Third-class dwellings	10,000
Joseph LeClerc	175 and 177 Orange street	23	Third-class dwellings	10,000

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APRIL 30.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Joseph LeClere.....	179 and 181 Orange street..	23	Third-class dwellings.....	\$10,000
T. P. Buckley.....	161 Temple street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Ellen I. Kernan.....	33 Wade street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Charles E. Parsons.....	90-94 Wood avenue.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Securities Real Estate Trust,	17 Wright road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	3,500
Eli Omdal.....	8 Herman street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	175
Rebecca E. Trenholm.....	168 St. Botolph street.....	7	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
Mary A. Finneran.....	113 Hancock street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Emma Martino.....	183 Leyden street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
John Groves.....	36 Cushing avenue.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	425
John Carter & Co.....	230 Purchase street.....	5	Alterations, storage.....	10,000
John P. Englert.....	87 Belgrade avenue.....	23	Alterations, manufacturing.....	3,000
Green Brothers.....	95 Audubon road.....	8	Alterations, apartemnt.....	500
I. Witt Realty Company.....	313 Cambridge street.....	5	Alterations, apartment.....	7,000

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 24 TO APRIL 30.

APRIL 24.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
T. B. McKeagney.....	33 Albion street.....	6	New fixtures.....	\$2,500
William E. Maynard.....	38 Bromfield street.....	5	New fixtures.....	300
Maurice Low.....	50 Cambridge street.....	3	New fixtures.....	2,000
Boyd & Co.....	397 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	9,000
Philip Ligums.....	1688 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	150
D. J. McClusky.....	141 Faneuil street.....	26	New fixtures.....	300
Pierce & Cox.....	93 Federal street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
D. J. Rull.....	3 Harold place.....	9	New fixtures.....	200
Bernard T. Clancy.....	180 Harrison avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	110
H. S. Trethewey.....	39 Hewlett street.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
O. J. Morlock.....	31 Hilburn street.....	23	New fixtures.....	700
B. F. Donohue.....	11 Hudson street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
P. G. Finnerty.....	11 King street.....	13	New fixtures.....	140
C. J. Donohue.....	49 Prescott street.....	2	New fixtures.....	250
Edward J. Roach.....	42 Stillman road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
Abraham M. Smith.....	31 Trumbull street.....	6	New fixtures.....	150
A. J. Hughes.....	57 Wachusett street.....	22	New fixtures.....	200
Frank E. Carlson.....	142 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
L. J. Towle Company.....	686 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	40
C. J. Donohue.....	39 Wordsworth street.....	2	New fixtures.....	790
Philip Ligums.....	46 Paris street.....	2	New fixtures.....	250
T. B. McKeagney.....	552 Tremont street.....	6	New fixtures.....	300
D. J. Rull.....	211 I street.....	10	New fixtures.....	207

APRIL 25.

Solomon Tack.....	167 and 169 Orange street..	23	New fixtures.....	\$750
Solomon Tack.....	171 and 173 Orange street..	23	New fixtures.....	750
Solomon Tack.....	172 and 174 Orange street..	23	New fixtures.....	750
Solomon Tack.....	175 and 177 Orange street..	23	New fixtures.....	750
Solomon Tack.....	176 and 178 Orange street..	23	New fixtures.....	750
Thomas F. Riley.....	1230 River street.....	24	New fixtures.....	600
Joseph M. Ford.....	34 Saranac street.....	20	New fixtures.....	450
David H. Lane.....	30 Bradfield avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	400
James J. McCarthy.....	38 Bromley park.....	15	New fixtures.....	700
Leonidas E. Marchant.....	486 Main street.....	3	New fixtures.....	100
J. S. Cassidy.....	33 Cambridge street.....	3	New fixtures.....	100
J. S. Cassidy.....	35 Cambridge street.....	3	New fixtures.....	110
Con Mahoney.....	65 Decatur street.....	4	New fixtures.....	600
W. J. Cook Company.....	332 Medford street.....	3	New fixtures.....	375
Dennis J. Lynch.....	16 Texas street.....	13	New fixtures.....	250
Bernard T. Clancy.....	325 Tremont street.....	8	New fixtures.....	60

APRIL 26.

James J. Culhane.....	28 Windom street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$175
Joseph Levin.....	66 Fenway.....	7	New fixtures.....	12,500
Thomas W. Casserly.....	34 East Dedham street.....	6	New fixtures.....	500
Cox & Johnson.....	20 Carver street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,500
M. J. Finnegan.....	487 Cambridge street.....	25	New fixtures.....	250
Matto & Rosen.....	258 Webster street.....	2	New fixtures.....	290
John Edgerton.....	2727 Washington street.....	15	New fixtures.....	300
Samuel Barron.....	223 Walnut avenue.....	15	New fixtures.....	350
Matto & Rosen.....	346 Hanover street.....	5	New fixtures.....	115
M. T. Kelly.....	9 Garden Court street.....	5	New fixtures.....	500
G. A. Renshaw.....	600 Columbia street.....	11	New fixtures.....	5,000
D. H. Lane.....	445 Blue Hill avenue.....	16	New fixtures.....	200
J. S. Cassidy.....	37 Cambridge street.....	3	New fixtures.....	440
J. S. Cassidy.....	39 Cambridge street.....	3	New fixtures.....	140
Louis P. McDermott.....	34 School street.....	26	New fixtures.....	450

APRIL 28.

Robert A. LaCentre.....	1528 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$1,500
P. F. Carley.....	606 Cambridge street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,800
Robert A. LaCentra.....	5 Boardman street.....	1	New fixtures.....	1,000
John J. Vogel.....	30 Atlantis street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500

MAYOR SENDS MESSAGE OF CONDOLENCE TO NEW YORK MAYOR ON DEATH OF TAMMANY LEADER.

Mayor Curley sent the following telegram on April 25 on learning of the death of Charles F. Murphy of Tammany Hall:

HON. JOHN F. HYLAN,
Mayor of New York,
City Hall, New York, N. Y.:

I mourn with you in the loss of a loyal, stalwart and devoted leader, Charles F. Murphy of Tammany Hall. His high character and integrity, his loyalty and fidelity to his friends, his untiring service to those within the shadow of adversity, and his devoted labors in behalf of the City of New York leave an inspiring memory which will live forever.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

OPPOSES WHITE WAYS IN SUB-URBAN DISTRICTS.

Mayor Curley received the following report from the City Planning Board on April 28:

DEAR MR. MAYOR,—In answer to your letter of April 15, regarding the problem dealing with the increasing demand for "white ways" in various sections of the city and especially in connection with that suggested on Centre and South streets from Pond street to the Arborway, the City Planning Board desires to point out certain general facts and also existing conditions in this special locality.

Centre street from Pond street to the monument at South street is already well lighted. From this point along South street to the Arborway no conduits for lighting purposes exist, the lamps being served by overhead wires. The installation of a "white way" on this portion of South street, therefore, would be unduly expensive, as it would necessitate the tearing up of the street and the placing of conduits, in addition to the expense of the lamps and posts for the "white way." Figures of the cost for this suggested improvement are being prepared at the present time by the Public Works Department.

In several instances in the city proper where "white ways" have already been established either the whole or a greater part of the expense has been borne by merchants and residents along the line. In local districts out of the general heart of the city it is a different type of locality that would receive service from "white ways." If the residents and merchants in these local districts are willing to bear the greater part of the expense in establishing "white ways" in their neighborhoods, the city might co-operate in this extra service, but if the whole burden of expense is to fall on the city a precedent is established that may, and probably will, be repeated in untold demands.

It is the opinion of the City Planning Board, therefore, that unless the residents and merchants in local districts are willing to bear the greater part of the expense, the establishment of "white ways" in local districts are an expense which the city is not warranted in assuming.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERIC H. FAY,
Chairman.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED APRIL 24 TO APRIL 30.

APRIL 29.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Harold Richardson	82 Woodrow avenue	21	New fixtures	\$200
Joseph P. Vogel & Son	1800 Washington street	12	New fixtures	125
Joyce & Travers	83 Tower street	22	New fixtures	340
E. J. Farley	1217 Commonwealth avenue	25	New fixtures	300
Edward J. Roach	44 Stillman road	23	New fixtures	1,100
M. Cohen	30 Stanford street	5	New fixtures	300
M. S. Pann	15 Malta street	24	New fixtures	1,500
A. J. Hughes	138 Lasell street	23	New fixtures	400
Ben Roberts	30 Jeshurum road	23	New fixtures	500
R. W. Crediford	44 Hyde Park avenue	22	New fixtures	50
E. A. Erickson	13 Fulton street	20	New fixtures	200
Morse Brothers	180 Friend street	5	New fixtures	300
A. I. Russell	35 Foster street	26	New fixtures	150
M. H. Myers	31 Ferry street	5	New fixtures	100
Wilford H. Gray	28 Fairmount street	21	New fixtures	975
Charles H. Green	388 Dorchester street	11	New fixtures	85
Joseph P. Vogel & Son	18 Cumberland street	7	New fixtures	400
W. F. Garvey	26 Coffey street	20	New fixtures	800
H. S. Trethewey	1531 Centre street	23	New fixtures	790
John J. Vogel	171 Belgrade avenue	23	New fixtures	300
M. W. Nelligan	86 Baxter street	9	New fixtures	400
William T. Hanigan	58 Allen street	5	New fixtures	900
John J. Vogel	117 Pinckney street	8	New fixtures	300
Edward J. Roach	89 Forest Hills street	22	New fixtures	1,100
A. E. Scrivens	589 Metropolitan avenue	23	New fixtures	800
A. E. Scrivens	198 Fairmount avenue	24	New fixtures	3,000

APRIL 30.

A. Gordon & Co.	75 Brainerd road	25	New fixtures	\$1,400
H. Weiss	31 Ellington street	19	New fixtures	1,200
H. Weiss	33 Ellington street	19	New fixtures	1,200
A. Gordon & Co.	660 Huntington avenue	14	New fixtures	13,000
R. Hoffman	23 Sonoma street	16	New fixtures	2,200
R. Hoffman	27 Sonoma street	16	New fixtures	2,200
Samuel Barron	48 Waunbeck street	16	New fixtures	1,800
A. Gordon & Co.	49 Worthington street	14	New fixtures	13,000
Schwehr & Co.	East Springfield street	12	New fixtures	1,200
Edward J. McGrath	3 Brookford street	17	New fixtures	500
Albert E. Roberts	407 Boylston street	8	New fixtures	1,000
D. J. Farrell Company	2 Wilbur street	17	New fixtures	350
A. Yorks	147 Webster street	2	New fixtures	250
Frank M. Flynn	106 Waltham street	6	New fixtures	250
D. J. Seward McCurdy	5 Virginia street	17	New fixtures	350
David E. Mulcahy	45 North Crescent circuit	25	New fixtures	400
Frank E. Carlson	12 Newbury street	8	New fixtures	400
C. H. Flanagan	262 Lexington street	1	New fixtures	350
A. Yorks	138 Lexington street	1	New fixtures	400
Henry J. Gurl	7 Burke street	13	New fixtures	290
Henry J. Gurl	9 Burke street	13	New fixtures	290
K. W. McManus	108 Bickford street	15	New fixtures	275
J. H. Kurhan	31 Stanhope street	7	New fixtures	100

MAYOR URGES COUNCIL TO PROVIDE ATHLETIC FIELD IN FENWAY AND BROADCASTING OF SUMMER CONCERTS FROM PARKMAN BANDSTAND.

The Mayor on April 28 addressed the following communication to the City Council:

To the City Council:

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to forward herewith communication of Park Commission and order providing for the expenditure and distribution of income of the Parkman Fund now available.

The driveway at present in use at Franklin Park is but 20 feet in width and constitutes a menace both to operators of motor vehicles and pedestrians. It was originally constructed to provide for horse-drawn pleasure vehicles, which no longer obtain in large numbers upon our highways. It is necessary, provided that the public are to be afforded an opportunity to enjoy the park system, that suitable roadways be provided and for the purpose the sum of \$53,000 is made available.

The sum of \$10,000 is provided for grading and drainage of athletic field in the Fenway; bleachers with accommodation for seating 2,000 have been provided in this section of the city where so many educational and scientific institutions

are located, and where the number of students in attendance is in excess of 7,000.

The sum of \$20,000 is provided for a system of amplifiers and radio equipment at the Parkman Bandstand in order that a larger number of persons may be privileged to enjoy the summer concerts and outdoor exercises which from time to time are held under the auspices of the city. It is estimated that through the adoption of the system of broadcasting of Sunday concerts opportunity may be afforded for 400,000 persons to enjoy a musical concert, which, under the present conditions, is seldom patronized by more than 3,000 persons.

In view of the possible advantages that may result from the adoption of the program as submitted by the Park Commission I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

MAYOR AWARDS FIRST CONTRACT IN MOVE TO PROVIDE SANITARY AND OFFAL REMOVAL IN GERMANTOWN DISTRICT OF WEST ROXBURY.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Your approval is respectfully requested to the award of a contract to the

lowest bidder, the C. & R. Construction Company, for the construction of sewerage works in the Germantown district, West Roxbury, and the main outlet to the state metropolitan sewer in Dedham, at an estimated cost of \$165,742.50.

At present there are no sewers in this district, and the old privy system is the only method of sewage collection and disposal; and not only will the health of this district be protected but the entire city will be freed of the possibilities of typhoid and other communicable diseases originating from defective sewerage conditions in this rocky district and transmitted from that source.

The award of this contract at \$165,742.50 will be the beginning of the expenditure of \$1,000,000 necessary to provide modern sewerage works for this community which has been grossly neglected for the past twenty-five years.

The work to be done under this contract is to be completed on or before June 1, 1925.

The following bids, which include fixed prices, were received on April 25, 1924, after advertisement:

C. & R. Construction Company, \$65,742.50; V. Barletta, \$173,430.50; A. Baruffaldi, \$174,534.50; J. Williams & Co., \$177,198.70; William Barrett Company, \$178,172.25; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$178,902; V. Grande, \$190,624; M. H. Loonie, \$191,974; A. Cefalo, \$194,556; Bruno & Petitti, \$211,536.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

MAYOR SOLE ARBITER IN MATTER OF CONTINGENT FUND EXPENDITURES.

The opinion of the Corporation Counsel having been sought as to the purposes for which the Mayor's contingent fund may be executed, the Corporation Counsel, on April 28, called the attention of the Mayor to an opinion rendered in 1874 by the then City Solicitor, J. P. Healy, relative to contingent expenses incurred by his Honor the Mayor, which is as follows, and is concurred in by the present Corporation Counsel:

BOSTON, September 8, 1874.

A. T. TURNER, Esq., Auditor:

DEAR SIR,—I answer your question in the affirmative. In my opinion the Mayor is alone responsible for the expenditure of his contingent fund, and his drafts drawn against it, if they do not exceed in the aggregate the amount of the appropriation, are to be paid without reference to the purposes for which he makes the expenditures.

Yours truly,

J. P. HEALY,
City Solicitor.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch, 12-inch, 18-inch earthen pipe, and a 4-foot 6-inch circular concrete surface drain in Hallowell street, from 65 feet northeast of Oakland street to a point 575 feet northeasterly and in private land, between Hallowell and Favre streets in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$18,000.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

April 21, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:35 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Hogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

Oct. 1, 1923, on page 155, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of George E. Sheperd, as shop instructor, Department of Manual Arts, to take effect Oct. 16, 1923, shall read "George E. Sheperd."

Feb. 25, 1924, on page 21, to provide that the leave of absence without loss of pay granted to John A. O'Shea, Director of Music, to attend the Eastern Music Supervisors Conference to be held at Rochester, New York, shall read March 5, 6 and 7, three days, instead of "March 4 to 7, 1924, four days."

Mar. 17, 1924, on page 34, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Alice K. Cummings, as assistant, Chapman District, to take effect Apr. 1, 1924, shall read "fifth year."

Mar. 17, 1924, on page 34, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Anna I. Danahy, as assistant, Henry Grew District, to take effect Apr. 1, 1924, shall read to take effect Apr. 7, 1924, second year, instead of "Apr. 1, 1924."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

DEATHS

The Superintendent reported the death of the following named teacher:

Dillaway District—Katherine C. Burns, assistant, Apr. 10, 1924.
Placed on file.

The Superintendent also reported the death of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Lowell District—Flora J. Perry, Mar. 2, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Alice M. Ryan, Mar. 19, 1924.

Placed on file.

RETIREMENT.

The Superintendent reported the retirement from active service of the following-named member of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect Apr. 30, 1924, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board under date of Apr. 17, 1924:

Harvard-Frothingham District—Abbie C. McAuliffe, assistant.

Placed on file.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Eliot District—Henry M. Cunney, Apr. 9, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Carmel E. Rose, Apr. 1, 1924.
Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Eva L. Jordan, teacher of cookery, Apr. 10, 1924.
Placed on file.

REAPPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Brighton High School—Albert C. Dove, co-operative instructor, Apr. 7, 1924.

Dorchester High School—Cyril D. Norton, junior master, Apr. 7, 1924.

East Boston High School—Katherine H. Faxon, assistant, Apr. 25, 1924.

English High School—Julius G. Finn, junior master, Apr. 3, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Paul L. Hartnett, shop instructor, Apr. 10, 1924; Patrick I. McQuillan, shop instructor, Apr. 10, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Irene McGuire, teacher of cookery, Mar. 31, 1924; Helen W. Currier, teacher of cookery, Apr. 3, 1924; Elizabeth Conley, teacher of sewing, Apr. 1, 1924.
Approved.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Hugh O'Brien District—Agnes L. McQueeney, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924.

Continuation School—Charles A. Bossi, shop instructor, May 5, 1924.

Laid over.

(By Promotion)

Mechanic Arts High School—Joseph B. Dunn, junior master (from instructor, mechanical department) Apr. 30, 1924.

Laid over.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1923-24.

Bigelow Evening School—Mary L. Brennan, assistant, Apr. 1, 1924 (one evening).

Dearborn Evening School—Helen R. Campbell, assistant, Apr. 7 to 10, 1924 (three evenings).

Washington Evening School—James P. Collins, assistant, Apr. 1 to 10, 1924 (three evenings).

Trade School for Girls, Extension Classes—Myrtle A. Ruggles, trade assistant, Feb. 4, 1924.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Charles J. Cronin, Miriam H. Doherty, Grace R. Jerardi, Kathryn G. McCoy, Grace E. Moulton, Natalie Plant.

Approved.

SCHOOL GARDENS

Season of 1924.

Assistants, School Gardens—Kenneth A. Bartlett, Anthony P. Farrell,

Melvin D. Hirshorn, John R. Kay, Daniel J. Mulhern, Anton A. Scholz.
Approved.

TRANSFER.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District.—Ellen A. Leahy, assistant, to the same position in the Emerson District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Approved.

ATTENDANT, SCHOOL LUNCHES

Hancock District (Paul Revere School)—Margaret Meccini, Mar. 11, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the term specified:

Roxbury High School—Roy E. Moorar, assistant, from Jan. 2 to Mar. 31, 1924; Ethel N. Pope, assistant, Apr. 8, 9, 1924, two days, funeral.

Eliot District—Annie E. Regan, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Emerson District—Mary L. Sweeney, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Grace M. Toland, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Margaret Viles, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Francis Parkman District—Agnes C. Brennan, assistant, Apr. 9, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Hancock District—Wilhelmina M. Crosson, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Phyllis E. Geary, assistant, Apr. 9, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Prescott District—Mary C. Culhane, prevocational assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Mary A. Donahue, assistant, Apr. 10, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Joseph A. F. O'Neil, master, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Thomas N. Hart District—Edith E. Toland, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

William Lloyd Garrison District—A. Josephine Bogan, assistant, from Apr. 7 to June 19, 1924; Mary E. Keyes, master, Apr. 7, 1924, one day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Frances A. Burnham, school nurse, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; William F. Dolan, M. D. school physician, Apr. 4, 1924, one day, court summons; Harry B. Levine, M. D. school physician, Apr. 7, 8, 11, 1924, three days, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Harvard-Frothingham District—Abbie C. McAuliffe, assistant, from Apr. 1 to 30, 1924, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, the following leave of absence, granted at the meeting of Dec. 3, 1923, (p 209), was discontinued on the date stated at the request of the teacher:

Charlestown High School—Maurice J. Moriarty, co-ordinator, Feb. 11, 1924.

ASSIGNMENT OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of April 21, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board he has assigned the following-named

teacher to a class attended exclusively by boys in a grade above the third in the district herein stated:

Quincy District—Mary A. Geary, assistant, Mar. 1, 1922.
Placed on file.

ESTABLISHMENT OF ADDITIONAL AFTERNOON CLASS IN LIP READING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized in his discretion and until otherwise ordered, to conduct an additional after-school class in lip reading in the Horace Mann School, for upper grade pupils of the day elementary schools, making three in all.

COURSE OF STUDY IN ENGLISH FOR COOPERATIVE COURSES IN DAY HIGH SCHOOLS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying course of study in English for Cooperative Courses in Day High Schools is hereby adopted, and that one thousand (1,000) copies be printed as a school document.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT, SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 21, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board and with the approval of the Commission on Administration and Finance, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, he has appointed Elizabeth D. Duffy as assistant in his office, by transfer from the office of the Commission on Administration and Finance, to take effect Apr. 1, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Elizabeth D. Duffy, assistant, Superintendent's Office, is hereby established at the rate of twenty dollars (\$20) per week, to take effect Apr. 1, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

AMENDMENT TO APPROPRIATION FOR ADDITIONAL SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the order relative to appropriations for schoolhouse accommodations as passed on Apr. 7, 1924 be amended by inserting immediately after the numerals 1920 the following:

"as amended by Chapter 488 of the Acts of 1923"

so that the order as amended shall read as follows:

"ORDERED, That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919, as amended by Chapter 524 of the Acts of 1920, as amended by Chapter 488 of the Acts of 1923, the following appropriations are hereby made for the purpose of meeting the administration expenses of the Schoolhouse Department; for the additional cost

of accommodations previously authorized, and for additional school accommodations;"

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

CERTIFICATION AND APPOINTMENT OF ATTENDANCE OFFICER.

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Apr. 21, 1924, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible for appointment as attendance officer:

Arlita D. Parker, Agnes T. Doyle, and Mary T. Mahoney.

Placed on file.

On motion, the Board proceeded to the election of an attendance officer.

In connection therewith, Mr. Sullivan submitted the following statement:

From the earliest times nations and states have conferred honors and offices upon those of their citizens who have rendered distinguished service in time of war. So it is that our own Commonwealth has enacted a Veterans' Preference Act, which appears in General Laws, Chapter 31, section 23 and following.

This Committee contemplates the appointment of a non-veteran woman to the position of Attendance Officer in the public schools.

In my opinion, such an appointment would constitute a violation of the Veterans' Preference and would serve as a distinct hardship to non-veteran male candidates.

Section 23, Chapter 31, which reads as follows:

"The names of veterans who pass examinations for appointment to any position classified under the Civil Service shall be placed upon the respective eligible lists in the order of their respective standing, above the names of all other applicants, and upon receipt of a requisition not especially calling for women, names shall be certified from such lists according to the method of certification prescribed by the Civil Service rules applying to civilians"

does not permit this Committee under the guise of exercising its discretion to call for non-veteran women without substantial proof that the position or positions in question are of such a feminine nature as to positively and exclusively call for the appointment of a woman. Otherwise we shall be substituting our discretion for the law and the apparent intent of the legislature.

The creation of the double list system by the Civil Service Commission is alleged to be a mere matter of convenience, but in my opinion it is a violation of said section 23 and an invitation to appointing authorities to defeat the Veterans' Preference.

In these times of equality of opportunity to all alike, both men and women, there should also be equality of responsibility, because with equality of opportunity and privilege there necessarily must be equality of responsibility and obligation.

The arbitrary appointment of a woman at this time is not only a subterfuge to circumvent the Veterans' Preference Act, but it is also an injustice to non-veteran men who were disqualified from service in

time of war by circumstances and reasons in which they had no voice, no will, and over which they had no control, just as compelling and just as vital as existed in the case of non-veteran women.

The appointment of a woman at this time, in my opinion, is an outrage to the thirty veterans who appear at the head of the list and to the thirteen non-veteran men, all candidates for appointment.

I sincerely hope that veteran organizations will see to it that the Courts determine for once and for all the preference of veterans as Civil Service candidates under the law. Else we shall witness the gradual, yet irresistible and complete breakdown of the Veterans' Preference and the substitution of the discretion, desire or whim of appointing authorities, for the law.

Placed on file.

The Secretary was directed to call the roll.

The members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows:

For AGNES T. DOYLE—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Scannell—4.

NOT VOTING—Mr. Sullivan—1.

The Chairman declared Agnes T. Doyle duly elected attendance officer, to take effect Apr. 28, 1924.

RETIREMENT OF ASSISTANT, BUSINESS AGENT'S OFFICE.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Apr. 8, 1924, reporting that the Boston Retirement Board, at a meeting held on Jan. 16, 1924, retired J. Frederick Sayer from active service, effective at the close of business on Jan. 31, 1924.

Placed on file.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Apr. 21, 1924, recommending that the leave of absence granted Michael E. Colleary, custodian, Wendell Phillips School-house, be extended for the period Mar. 28, to Apr. 30, 1924, inclusive, on one-half net compensation.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation extended for the period specified.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Apr. 21, 1924, recommending that George L. Chessman, custodian of the Old Edward Everett and Richard C. Humphreys School-houses, be allowed and paid the sum of five dollars (\$5) for extra services required of him because of an epidemic of a communicable disease in the Old Edward Everett School-house.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was ORDERED, That George L. Chessman, custodian, Old Edward Everett and Richard C. Humphreys School-houses, be allowed and paid the sum of five dollars (\$5) for extra services required in washing furniture, desks, floors, etc., in a class room in the Old Edward Everett School-house because of an epidemic of communicable disease.

CERTIFICATION OF AREAS, DEARBORN SCHOOL-HOUSE

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Apr. 21, 1924 recommending that the certification of the areas upon which the salary of the custodian of the Dearborn School-house is based be changed by substituting 40,597 square feet as the areas of the yards and sidewalks, instead of 25,849 square feet, to take effect Apr. 1, 1923.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

REPORT ON AUDIT OF BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS.

A communication was received from Ernst & Ernst, under date of Apr. 8, 1924, submitting their report on the examination of the books and accounts of the Business Agent, the Secretary, and the principals of the Boston Trade School, the Trade School for Girls, and the Continuation School, for the year ending Jan. 31, 1924.

Placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The following petitions for increases in salaries, laid over at the meetings specified, were taken up and referred to the Board of Apportionment for consideration and report:

Meeting of Dec. 17, 1923, page 220: Attendance officers. Custodians.

Meeting of Jan. 21, 1924, page 235: Boston Trade School teachers. Intermediate School teachers.

Meeting of Jan. 28, 1924, page 241: Intermediate School Principals.

Meeting of Apr. 7, 1924, pages 57 and 58:

Model School teachers.
Masters' Assistants.
Boston Elementary Teachers' Club.
School Nurses.
Vocational Guidance Department.

The order laid over at the meeting of Apr. 7, 1924 (see p. 53), amending section 153, paragraph 5 of the regulations relative to the no-school signal, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Apr. 7, 1924 (see p. 53), amending section 221, paragraph 2 of the regulations relative to reports from principals on out-of-district pupils, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Apr. 7, 1924 (see p. 53), amending section 287, paragraph 2 of the regulations relative to the quota of pupils to a teacher in the Horace Mann School, was taken up and passed.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary.

ASSESSED VALUATION OF REAL ESTATE PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES.

Boston, \$1,765; Detroit, \$1,708.70; San Francisco, \$1,561.90; New York, \$1,534.60; Pittsburgh, \$1,384.13; Buffalo, \$1,181.40; Philadelphia, \$990.84; St. Louis, \$990.71; Baltimore, \$779.90.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending April 26:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Boston Consolidated Gas Co...	235 East Eighth street.....	11	Gas holder.....	Unused.
T. N. Stevens.....	Rear of 101 Dakota street..	19	Garage.....	New building.
Mary M. O'Brien.....	30-34 Washington street...	26	Dwellings.....	New building.
Mary M. O'Brien.....	Rear of 32 Washington st...	26	Garage.....	New building.
N. Martin.....	5 Pine street.....	4	Dwelling.....	Unsafe.
American Building Company.	Wrecking 872 Centre street.....	22	Dwelling.....	New building.
American Building Company.	Wrecking Rear of 872 Centre street...	22	Stable.....	New building.
Central Building Company.	Wrecking 611-615 Rutherford avenue.	3	Stores.....	New building.
Central Building Company.	Wrecking 617 and 619 Rutherford avenue.	3	Stores.....	New building.
Central Building Company.	Wrecking 621 Rutherford avenue.....	3	Stores.....	New building.
William Himmebreich.....	Rear of 283 Western avenue,	26	Stable.....	

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending April 26, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
776,783, United States Census estimate.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 193; nonresidents, 32; total,
225.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 15.11; nonresidents deducted,
12.96.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 16.64; corresponding week
last year, 17.87.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 28; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 10; sixty years and over, 87;
total deaths, male, 121; female, 104;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 105;
deaths of colored, 7.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended April 26, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended April 28, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	2	—
Diphtheria.....	64	2	72	—
Encephalitis lethargica.....	4	3	3	1
Influenza.....	3	—	1	3
Measles.....	185	—	334	1
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	—	1	2
Pneumonia (lobar).....	52	14	27	12
Scarlet fever.....	94	2	80	3
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	43	19	40	22
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	15	1	7	3
Typhoid fever.....	3	—	1	—
Whooping cough.....	2	—	73	5

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

SANITARY ENGINEERING ASSISTANT, DE- PARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, MAY 6, 1924.

The salary is \$1,200 per year. It is desirable that applicants should either be graduates of a course in sanitary engineering given by a recognized technical institution, or should have had a year's experience in sanitary engineering in addition to a general engineering education.

The duties of this position require that applicants be capable of making sanitary surveys of watersheds and assisting in the examinations of water supplies, sewage disposal works and rivers under the direction of the chief engineer or his principal assistants. Appli-

cants should have a knowledge of hydraulics and of interpretation of water and sewage analyses and be able to make plans or sketches of works under investigation without being called upon to make designs.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 8; penmanship, 1; mathematics, 4; questions on duties, 7; total, 20.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Preference granted under the law to disabled veterans is applicable to this examination.

SEALERS, DEPUTY SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, MAY 9, 1924.

This examination is for the service of all cities in the state and such towns as are classified under civil service. The salaries range from \$800 to \$1,600 per year.

The sealer of weights and measures is required to enforce the laws pertaining to weighing and measuring devices and to the giving of false or insufficient weight or measure; to the licensing of hawkers, pedlers, and transient vendors; to wholesale milk containers, ice cream cans and moulds, cranberry barrels and crates, standard boxes for farm produce, berry baskets, and other containers used as measures; to the weights of bread and to the labeling of loaves of other than standard unit weight.

It is also his duty to test all weighing or measuring devices used for buying or selling, for public weighing, or for hire or reward, and to seal or condemn them in accordance with the results of his tests; also to investigate complaints and to prosecute violations of law when the evidence warrants such action. Pamphlets including the general laws relating to weights measures, licenses, etc., and a "Sealer's Manual," containing instructions for the inspection, testing and sealing of weighing and measuring devices, may be obtained upon request to the Director of Standards, 194 State House, after application for examination has been filed.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; simple arithmetic, including simple percentage, decimals and the metric system, 2; report, 1; technical questions aimed to test applicant's knowledge of (a) the law governing the inspection of weights and measures; (b) the construction and types of mechanical weighing and measuring apparatus; (c) ability to present cases in court; (d) general knowledge of the duties of the position, 3; total, 10.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

Preference granted under the law to disabled veterans is applicable to this examination.

WATCHMEN, GATEMEN, GUARDS AND PRISON OFFICERS, MAY 15, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. This service includes watchmen and guards in public parks, grounds, institutions and departments, gatemen for ferries; turnkeys and guards in prisons, houses of detention and reformatories.

Applicants for appointment as officers in the State Prison and Massachusetts Reformatory must be not less than twenty-five and not over forty years of age at the time of filing application. Applicants for appointment as officers in Prison Camp and Hospital must be not less than twenty-three nor over forty years of age at the time of filing application. All applicants for these places must be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height and weigh not less than 135 pounds. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the applications for this service.

There are no age, height or weight limits for watchman service other than those mentioned above.

The examination for watchmen, gatemen and guards will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; memory test, 1; arithmetic, 1; handwriting, 1; accuracy, 1; total, 10.

The examination for prison officers will be as follows: Training and experi-

ence, 4; practical questions covering general disciplinary and penological methods, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants who pass the examination for prison officers will, upon request, also be placed on the list for watchmen.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

FIRST ASSISTANT ASSESSOR, BOSTON, MAY 20, 1924.

The salary is \$1,600 a year. There are four vacancies.

The duties of this position are approximately as follows: The City of Boston is divided into districts for assessing purposes. Each first assistant assessor has charge of a district. Beginning April 1 it is his duty to examine all real property and all tangible personal property in his district and put a fair valuation thereon for tax purposes. This generally takes from six to eight weeks. During the period after May 15, which is the completion of the street work, the assessors are in daily sessions at a dooming board until about August 1. From about the first of October to the first of January the first assistant assessors are required to give about one day a week for hearings in regard to abatement of taxes in their district. It is desirable that applicants should have a good general knowledge of real estate matters, with experience in buying and selling, and that they should be good judges of value, both of improved and unimproved real estate. A knowledge of tax laws is also desirable, as is experience as a builder or ability to judge value of new buildings. There is no objection to the assessors having other employment in their spare time.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in the oral interview and in general average in order to become eligible.

DENTISTS, MAY 21, 1924.

This examination is for the service of the state, all cities in the state and such towns as are classified under civil service. From the eligible list established as a result of this examination names will be certified to fill vacancies in institutions, schools and other positions as they occur. The salaries range from \$1,000 to \$1,400 per year.

Applicants are required to be registered to practise dentistry under the Board of Dental Examiners, Department of Civil Service and Registration.

The examination will consist of the filing of a statement of training and experience. The mark given on experience will be combined with the mark given applicants by the State Board of Dental Examiners, and an average will be taken to determine their standing on the list.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

JANITORS, MAY 23, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. There are several vacancies at the present time.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; practical questions on the duties of the position, 5; total, 10. Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

UNDERGROUND RAPID TRANSIT IN BOSTON.

The Boston Transit Commission, consisting of five members, two appointed by the Governor and three by the Mayor, began its official existence, July 1, 1894, and ended it July 1, 1918, after seven extensions of the original term. It constructed, under the authority of Acts of the Legislature, the following subways and tunnels, the ownership of which is vested in the City of Boston, and all costs to be covered by revenue from same, not by taxation; Tremont Street Subway, from Broadway and Tremont street, South End, to North Station, and from Boylston street, near Charles, to Park street, 1.68 miles, open to Park street, September 1, 1897, and to North Station on Sept. 3, 1898, costing with subsequent alterations, \$4,416,000, the first transportation subway in the United States; East Boston Tunnel, from Maverick square, East Boston, under Boston Harbor and State street to Scollay square, Boston Proper, 1.42 miles, opened December 30, 1904, costing \$3,336,000, the first all-concrete under-water transportation tunnel in the world; Washington Street Tunnel, from Ash street, opposite Nassau, South End, to Traverse street, near North Station, 1.16 miles, opened November 30, 1908, costing \$8,496,700 (including \$2,850,000 land damages); Cambridge Connection Subway from under Park street station of Tremont Street Subway to Grove street near Cambridge Bridge, 0.47 miles, opened March 23, 1912, costing \$1,465,000; Boylston street subway, from Commonwealth avenue, near Kenmore street, Back Bay, to Tremont Street Subway, near Charles street, 1.5 miles opened October 13, 1914, costing \$5,485,639; East Boston Tunnel Extension, from Scollay square to North Russell street, 0.41 miles, opened March 18, 1916, approximate cost, \$2,450,000; Dorchester Tunnel, from Park street, Boston Proper, to Andrew square, South Boston, 2.26 miles, opened December 3, 1916, as far as South Station; on December 15, 1917, to Broadway, South Boston, and on June 29, 1918, to the Andrew Square terminal. Trains of four or six cars are run in the Washington Street Tunnel, continuing on elevated track to Forest Hills, also in Dorchester Tunnel from Andrew square, South Boston, connecting with Cambridge Tunnel, to Harvard square, Cambridge, while only single or double street cars are run in the other tunnels and subways; amount borrowed to 1922 for the Dorchester Tunnel, \$10,750,000. Total gross debt for all subways and tunnels, \$37,558,700 (incl. loans of \$1,210,000 for new Arlington Station of Boylston Street Subway, opened on November 13, 1921), against which a sinking fund of \$6,369,630 has been accumulated from the revenue, payable mostly in 40 years from date of each loan (loans since 1911 payable in 45 years), annual interest averaging 3.8 per cent. These underground ways, about 8.9 miles in all with total of 19.27 miles of single track were leased to the

Boston Elevated Railway Company (which furnished the equipment) for term of 25 years (except Tremont street, 20 years) at annual rental of $4\frac{1}{2}$ to $4\frac{3}{4}$ per cent of net cost (except East Boston Tunnel which was at $\frac{3}{4}$ of one per cent of all annual gross receipts of said company). In accordance with Chapter 741, Acts of 1911, the various leases were extended to July 1, 1936, the rental to be $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent of net cost after expiration of the first-term leases.

By Chap. 185, Special Acts of 1918, the powers of the Transit Commission, whose term expired that year, were transferred to the Mayor, Commissioner of Public Works and City Treasurer, or such person or persons, not exceeding three, as the Mayor might appoint. By Chap. 3, Ordinances of 1918, the Transit Dept. was established as a regular City department, to be in charge of three commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN BECKET, NORWELL, FAIRVIEW STREETS, DORCHESTER; BAYSWATER STREET, EAST BOSTON; BOWEN STREET, SOUTH BOSTON; RANDOLPH AND LEVERETT STREETS, CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 3,200 feet of 8-inch, 10-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Becket, Norwell, Fairview streets, Dorchester; Bayswater street, East Boston; Bowen street, South Boston; Randolph and Leverett streets, city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirty-three hundred (3,300) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Becket Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, May 12, 1924, with a certified check for four hundred (400) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 1, 1924. (May 3.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COMMITTEES,
CITY HALL, April 30, 1924.

The Committee on Jitney Licenses will give a public hearing on Monday, May 5, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on the petition of the Boston Elevated Railway Company for license to operate motor vehicles between Park square and Belgrade avenue and Centre street, West Roxbury, viz.:

Outbound: Boylston street, Arlington street, Commonwealth avenue, Charlesgate West, Fenway, Brookline avenue, park system and Centre street to Belgrade avenue.

Inbound: Centre street, park system, Brookline avenue, Fenway, Charlesgate West, Commonwealth avenue, Arlington street to Beacon street, Beacon street to Charles street, Charles street to Park square.

By order of the Committee.

JOHN E. BALDWIN,
Clerk of Committees.
(May 3.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS AND WATER WORKS IN HARRISHOF STREET, BETWEEN WARREN STREET AND HUMBOLDT AVENUE, ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works and water works in Harrishof street, between Warren street and Humboldt avenue, Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fourteen thousand (14,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works and Water Works in Harrishof Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, May 13, 1924, with a certified check for fourteen hundred (1,400) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 1, 1924. (May 3.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT OR BITULITHIC PAVEMENT ON FENWAY, FROM FORSYTH WAY TO NEAR MUSEUM ROAD; FENS BRIDGE APPROACHES, FROM FENWAY TO AUDUBON ROAD; ARBORWAY, FROM SOUTH STREET TO FOREST HILLS STREET; WILLOW POND ROAD, FROM JAMAICAWAY TO BROOKLINE LINE; FRANCIS PARKMAN ROAD, FROM JAMAICAWAY TO PERKINS STREET; CHESTNUT STREET, WEST ROXBURY, FROM PERKINS STREET TO THE BROOKLINE LINE.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement on Fenway, from Forsyth way to near Museum road; Fens Bridge approaches, from Fenway to Audubon road; Arborway, from South street to Forest Hills street; Willow Pond road, from Jamaicaaway to Brookline line; Francis Parkman road, from Jamaicaaway to Perkins street; Chestnut street, West Roxbury, from Perkins street to the Brookline line. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Sheet Asphalt or Bitulithic Pavement on Fenway, from Forsyth way to near Museum road; Fens Bridge approaches, from Fenway to Audubon road; Arborway, from South street to Forest Hills street; Willow Pond road, from Jamaicaaway to Brookline line; Francis Parkman road, from Jamaicaaway to Perkins street; Chestnut street, West Roxbury, from Perkins street to the Brookline line," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 15, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$4,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$25,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(May 3-10.) Commissioners.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR APPROXIMATELY 1,500,000 New GRANITE PAVING BLOCKS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Paving Service, Public Works Department, approximately 1,500,000 new granite paving blocks, according to the specifications, a copy of which may be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the above office and deposit his bid with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office before 12 m., Friday, May 9, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(May 3.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for moving present cooking room from the Farragut School, Huntington avenue, to the Martin School, Huntington avenue, Boston, Mass., doing all alterations, etc., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday, May 7, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, May 16, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(May 3.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND SPREADING LOAM ON PLAYGROUNDS, PARKS AND CEMETERIES.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, for furnishing and spreading loam on playgrounds, parks and cemeteries, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 15, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of \$2,000, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(May 3-10.) Commissioners.

READVERTISEMENT

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO FINISHED HARDWARE CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of Boston, Mass., invites proposals for furnishing finished hardware in Police Station No. 2 Building, Milk and Sears streets, Boston, Mass., according to specifications, and giving bond therefor of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent in the sum of 45 per cent of the contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon of Friday, May 9, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed, marked "Proposals for Finished Hardware, Police Station No. 2 Building, Milk and Sears Streets." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above, the duplicate without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening of bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, or to accept all or any part thereof according to the appropriation available therefor, or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest.

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(May 3.) Superintendent of Public Buildings.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LEASING COIN LOCK PRIVILEGES IN CONVENIENCE STATIONS ON BOSTON COMMON AND REFECTORY BUILDING, FRANKLIN PARK.

Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, for leasing for a term of three years the coin lock privileges in the convenience stations on Boston Common and Refectory Building, Franklin Park, as follows:

- Men's Convenience Station, Park street, Boston Common, three locks.
- Women's Convenience Station, Park street, Boston Common, two locks.
- Men's Convenience Station, Flagstaff Hill, Boston Common, two locks.
- Women's Convenience Station, West street, Boston Common, two locks.
- Men's Convenience Station, Refectory Building, Franklin Park, two locks.
- Women's Convenience Station, Refectory Building, Franklin Park, one lock.

Proposals signed by the bidder and left with a sample lock before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, May 7, 1924, at the said office, with a certified check for \$50, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(May 3.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, May 1, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public convenience and necessity require that building lines be established on both sides of Beacon street, Boston proper, between Arundel and Miner streets on the east and the boundary line between the City of Boston and the town of Brookline on the west, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of May 14, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(May 3-10.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN CLEVELAND CIRCLE, SUTHERLAND ROAD, COMMONWEALTH AVENUE AND COLONIAL ROAD, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 3,000 feet of 24-inch water pipe in Cleveland circle, Sutherland road, Commonwealth avenue and Colonial road, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twelve thousand (12,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Cleveland circle, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, May 14, 1924, with a certified check for twelve hundred (1,200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 1, 1924. (May 3.)

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, May 1, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening and construction of the southeasterly corner of Tremont and Edgeworth streets, Charlestown district, as a highway, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of May 14, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(May 3-10.) Secretary.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LEAD-COVERED CABLE.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Fire Department

Lead-covered cable as per specifications.

Blank proposals to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. Surety bond in an amount equivalent to one quarter the contract price will be required from the successful bidder. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$400, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Monday, May 12, 1924, at Room 801, City Hall Annex at 12 o'clock noon. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(May 3.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR EXCAVATING AND GRADING FOR EXTENSION OF FOUR-GRAVE LOT SECTION, MT. HOPE CEMETERY, WEST ROXBURY.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invite proposals for excavating and grading for extension of four-grave lot section, Mt. Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Excavating and Grading for Extension of Four-grave Lot Section, Mt. Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Monday, May 5, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$3,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(May 3.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REFRESHMENT PRIVILEGES.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, for leasing for a term of three years the refreshment privilege in the booth located at the corner of L street and the Strandway, South Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, May 7, 1924, at the said office, with a certified check for \$50, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(May 3.) Commissioners.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN PRICE ROAD, BETWEEN GLENVILLE AVENUE AND LONG AVENUE, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Price road, between Glenville avenue and Long avenue, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twelve hundred (1,200) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Price Road," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, May 14, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 1, 1924. (May 3.)

AUTOMOBILE STATISTICS.

Registration and licensing of motor vehicles and operators in Massachusetts is in charge of the State Department of Public Works, Registrar of Motor Vehicles. In year ending November 30, 1921, there were registered 360,732 automobiles, an increase of 56,101 over the total in 1920 and 90.58 per cent more than 5 years ago, also 12,058 motor cycles. New York ranks first among the states in number of automobiles in use November 1, 1921, viz., 651,796; (2) Ohio, 616,800; (3) Pennsylvania, 570,164; (4) California, 568,892; (5) Illinois, 568,759; (6) Iowa, 437,300; (7) Texas, 427,434; (8) Michigan, 412,717; (9) Minnesota, 364,312; (10) Indiana, 332,707; (11) Massachusetts, 304,631; (12) Missouri, 295,817; (13) Wisconsin, 293,298; (14) Kansas, 265,396; (15) New Jersey, 226,459. The West leads in ratio of automobiles to population, the farmers being the most numerous users. In Iowa, California, Nebraska and South Dakota there is one to every 6 inhabitants and most of the other western states show from one to 7 to one to 9. In Massachusetts the ratio is one to 13 and in New York State, one to 16. Reported (unofficially) owned in Boston alone, in 1921, 46,725 or 36,706 passenger cars and 10,019 trucks. Persons licensed to operate in State, 380,519 (*i. e.*, 18,940 more than in 1920), of which 247,769 were classed as operators and 132,750 as chauffeurs; licenses revoked, 1,119. Total received by State in 1921 for all fees, \$4,712,890 or \$852,659 more than in 1920. Number of deaths from accidents in State in year ending November 30, 1921, 544 (*i. e.*, 63 more than in 1920); injured, 11,486 or 9,696 less than in 1920; in Boston alone, 88 killed and 1,914 injured. Prosecutions by Boston police for violation of automobile laws in year ending November 30, 1921, 9,408 (1,000 less than in 1920), of which 4,513 were of non-residents and 995 of minors.

Deaths from automobile accidents in cities in year 1920: New York, 773; Chicago, 472; Philadelphia, 226; Detroit, 175; Cleveland, 155; Los Angeles, 142; St. Louis, 104; Boston, 89. Highest death rate per 100,000 population in California, 21.1; (2) Connecticut, 15.6; (3) New York, 13.5 and Washington the same; (4) Rhode Island, 12.8; (5) New Jersey, 12.7; (6) Colorado, 12.4; (7) Ohio, 12.3; (8) Pennsylvania, 11.9; (9) Massachusetts, 11.7.

The automobile industry, begun about 23 years ago, now ranks fourth (if not third) in this country. In 1921, the production was approximately 1,668,500 vehicles or 1,514,000 passenger cars and 154,500 trucks, all valued (wholesale) at \$1,260,000,000. Total automobiles in operation in United States in 1921, 9,187,572; in 1918, 4,941,276; in 1915, 1,754,570; in 1910, about 400,000; in 1905, about 85,000. Total fees paid by owners in U. S. in 1921 \$102,000,000 (approx.), about 90 per cent of same being used for highway improvement.

Total exports of automobiles and parts of, from United States in year ending Dec. 31, 1920, \$298,219,875 in value (*i. e.*, 96.6 per cent more than in 1919).

In year 1921 the total exports fell to \$81,922,357 in value, or 7,478 commercial (\$10,329,903) and 30,950 passenger (\$32,533,725); automobile parts, exclusive of engines and tires, \$39,058,729; tires, \$15,954,515; gasoline engines, \$1,821,120. Imports of automobiles and parts in year 1921, \$2,044,568.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN BOSTON.

Number of permanent school buildings in use in 1922 for school purposes, 265; or 217 brick and 48 wooden; portable houses, 216; besides these, 14 rented quarters; in 1922 day schools contained 3,315 class-rooms and 137,673 sittings, also 96 assembly halls and 15 drill halls and gymnasias; 3,601 teachers in all schools, or 3,031 women and 570 men; evening schools, 28, with 397 regular teachers. Playground teachers, 175, having charge of games, gymnastics, etc., in 56 park and 34 schoolyard playgrounds; school physicians, 48; school nurses, 52; attendance officers, 29. Number of pupils registered in regular day schools year ending June 30, 1922, 131,789, of which 5,849 were registered again in the Summer Review Schools; in evening schools, 15,309; Continuation School, 6,753; Day School for Immigrants, 1,522; total registration, 155,373 or 5,218 increase over 1921. Average number belonging in day schools, 118,970 or 5,560 more than in 1921; average number in evening schools, 8,271; in Continuation School, 3,422.

On September 30, 1922, the school membership was as follows: Normal School and 16 high and Latin schools, 22,393 or 1,871 more than same date in 1921; in 241 elementary and intermediate schools, by districts:—East Boston, 11,026; Charlestown, 3,766; North End, 5,743; West End, 6,094; City Proper, 4,370; South End, 3,993; South Boston, 9,174; Roxbury, 15,505; Brighton, 4,655; West Roxbury, 7,794; Dorchester, 24,162; Hyde Park, 2,508; in special schools, 1,403. Total in elementary grades I to VIII, 88,846; Kindergartens, 7,948; intermediate, 1,996; Continuation School, 3,600; total for all day schools, 126,186 or 2,675 more than in 1921. Number of graduates in 1922, 8,425; elementary school pupils promoted, 87,088; not promoted, 10,959. Average number of day-school pupils per teacher in elementary grades, 41.8; in high schools, 30.1; in kindergartens, 27.1.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$11,778,471 or \$610,550 more than in 1921 and \$1,880,543 ahead of 1920; expenditure for construction of new schools, etc., \$1,778,844 all from Tax Levy, or \$918,019 (106.64 per cent) more than in 1920, also \$551,060 from loan for new Public Latin School. Gross debt outstanding for Schoolhouses and Sites, Feb. 1, 1923, \$15,912,500 or \$539,500 more than in 1922. Annual maintenance cost per attending pupil in Latin and high schools (day), \$124.66; in elementary schools (day), \$78.21.

The registration of minors, 5 to 15 years (inclu.), also illiterates over 15, April 1, 1923, as directed by Chap. 102, General Acts of 1916, showed a total of 144,619 (*i. e.*, 1,851 more than in 1922) or 24,273 of 5 and 6 years of age; 91,532 of 7 to 13 (inclu.); 26,568 of 14 and 15, and 2,246 illiterates 16 years of age and over. Total minors under 16 belonging to public day schools, 112,262; to parochial schools, 27,089; other private schools, 2,724; defectives (not in any school), 30. The illiterates attend the elementary evening schools.

The School Centers for educational and social improvement of other than school pupils started in 1912. There are now 9 having evening and 5 afternoon sessions in the larger school halls, with 159 paid leaders and assistants and 30

to 40 study and entertainment clubs or groups in each; total attendance during the 10 months' sessions in 1921-22, 475,048, mostly evenings. Cost of this "extended use of public schools" in 1921-22, \$52,537. For "Non-School Center" activities 70 of the school halls are used by various social groups, moderate rental fees being charged.

Per capita (of Boston population) cost in 1922 of schools approximately \$16.38 (including special appropriations from taxes, etc., for new schoolhouses), which is \$3.08 higher than in 1920 and nearly double that of 1916.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

POLICE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS.

Number of police force, December 1, 1922, was 1,901 (55 more than 1921), viz., the Superintendent, 3 deputy superintendents, 26 captains, 37 inspectors, 41 lieutenants, 135 sergeants, 1,652 patrolmen and 6 patrolwomen, distributed in 19 divisions, and a traffic squad, the latter numbering 156. The policewomen are a new addition to the force in 1921. Signal service men, 17, and clerks, janitors, etc., 114. Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$4,072,533 or \$62,730 more than in 1921. Total number of arrests in year ending November 30, 1922, 77,653 or 5,492 more than in 1921, but 1,901 less than the average for past five years; those arrested on warrants numbered 10,786; without warrants, 49,372; summoned by the court, 17,495; held for trial, 73,838 and 3,815 discharged; foreign-born persons arrested, 29,078; boys, under 15 years of age, 1,411 or 287 less than in 1921; women and girls of all ages, 5,081 or 61 more than in 1921; non-residents, 26.4 per cent of all arrested; drunkenness the cause of 48.47 per cent of all arrests, the total for this offence being 37,643 or 6,656 more than in 1921, but 5,690 less than the average for past five years. The prosecutions for homicide numbered 164 or 26 more than in 1921. Sick and injured persons assisted, 7,946; insane persons taken in charge, 434; lost children restored to homes, 1,839; persons imprisoned, 3,021 or 71 more than in 1921; persons fined, 18,673, the fines amounting to \$236,215; stolen property recovered, \$1,616,820; licenses granted, 21,823 (including 8,620 for dogs and 8,430 for vehicles and drivers), for which \$57,964 was received. Of 3,128 applications for license to carry loaded revolvers, 2,916 were granted, and 184 rejected. Accidents from all causes in the streets, parks and squares caused death of 125 persons and injury to 3,767 or 5 less killed and 232 more injured than in 1921. By automobile accidents alone 90 persons were killed and 2,157 injured.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$8,000; Superintendent, \$7,000; Deputy Superintendents, \$4,000; Chief Inspector, \$3,800; captains, \$3,500; inspectors and lieutenants, \$2,500; sergeants, \$2,300; patrolmen, \$1,400 the 1st year, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

In the year ending November 30, 1922, the Police Department made 3,371 prosecutions in the State court and 93 in the United States court for violation of the liquor law (not including drunkenness), a total of 3,464 cases or 1,265 more than in 1921. For violation of the drug laws there were 376 prosecutions.

DELINQUENT TAX SALES.

CITY OF BOSTON.

CITY COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes and assessments thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed by the assessors of taxes of said City to me as collector of taxes for said City, including assessments for the suppression of gypsy and brown-tail moths, remain unpaid, and that the smallest undivided part of said land sufficient to satisfy said taxes and assessments, with interests and all legal costs and charges, or the whole of said land if no person offers to take an undivided part thereof, will be offered for sale by public auction at the City Collector's office, on the second floor of the City Hall Annex on Court street, in said City of Boston, on Wednesday, May 14, 1924, at 9.30 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and assessments with interest, costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

The sums set against the following descriptions of the several parcels of land show the amounts due thereon respectively for the taxes and assessments for the nonpayment of which each of said parcels of land is to be sold, but not including the costs and interests thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale:

WARD ONE.

James Alley Heirs—About 6,140 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Orient avenue, being lot 6, block A, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... \$14 82

Florence K. Barry—Buildings and about 1,349 feet of land on the southerly side of East Eagle street, numbered 337, between an estate of John DeStefano and another and an estate of Robert Hodson, Junior, heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... \$86 45
Paid on account..... 40 00

Balance due..... 46 45

Also buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, numbered 267 between an estate of Ansley R. Hooper Heirs or Devisees and an estate of Maria Penque, tax for 1923..... 76 57

Mary A. Barry—About 6,875 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, making the northerly corner of Washburn avenue, being lot 15, H. T. Whitman plan, dated May, 1888, recorded Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 1873, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 2 49

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 16, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 2 66

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 2 58

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 2 49

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 17, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 2 66

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 2 58

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 2 49

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 18, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 2 66

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 2 58

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 2 49

Irving M. Bickford—About 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Overlook street, being lot 77, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Harriet P. Brown—Buildings and about 3,550 feet of land on the westerly side of Border street, numbered 318, between an estate of Harold J. Coolidge and another, trustees, and an estate of W. S. Rendle and Sons Company, tax for 1923..... 91 39

Amelia Bruno, Trustee for Irena and Emma Bruno—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 793, between an estate of Joe Cuneo and an estate of Eliza F. Sullivan, tax for 1923..... 69 16

Ellsworth D. Bundy—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Border street, numbered

327, between an estate of Annie M. Cull and an estate of Mary Martin, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Robert Butler—About 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 15, block D, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 21 76

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 60

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 21 76

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 60

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 21 76

Catterina Callarino—Buildings and about 4,389 feet of land on the southerly side of Gladstone street, adjoining an estate of Henry A. Lawler, being lot 2, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 41, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 98 80

John W. Carter—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 437, between an estate of East Boston Company and an estate of Catherine Carter, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 5 40

Charles H. Cavender—About 7,809 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot 30, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 45, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Catherine Celiberti—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Trenton street, numbered 189, between an estate of Sarah L. Preble and an estate of Elroy W. Francis, tax for 1923..... 222 30

Harry P. Chadwick—About 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Wordsworth street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Rachel Bennett; southerly by an estate of Fergus Farrell heirs or devisees; westerly by an estate of Henry M. Williams and others, trustees; northerly by Wordsworth street, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 2 59

Also about 14,003 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street between an estate of East Boston Company and an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923..... 51 87

Also about 12,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Boardman street, between an estate of Giuseppe Visconte and an estate of Angelina Sacco, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 19 59

Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 22, Block C, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Also about 8,650 feet of land on the southerly side of Condor street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Lina Lagarowick; southerly by estates of Matthew E. Cardoza, Antonio S. Mello, Annie Rome and Mario E. Arango; westerly by an estate of Josephine Rendle; northerly by Condor street, tax for 1923..... 32 11

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 5 38

William H. Chapman—About 3,975 feet of land on the northerly side of Overlook street, being lot 2, Block D, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Michael F. Crosson—About 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot B, William J. Sullivan plan, September 5, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12416, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 75

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 20 30

Vincenzo D'Addario—Buildings and about 2,857 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neptune road, num-

bored 24, making the northerly corner of Frankfort street, adjoining an estate of Gracoma Puzo and another, tax for 1922..... \$153 14
Paid on account..... 150 14

Balance due..... 3 00

Lloyd G. Davis—Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 11, block E, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Sophia A. Dingwell—Buildings and about 1,013 feet of land on the northerly side of Butler avenue, between an estate of Pietro Indrisano and the location of Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad, tax for 1923..... 12 35

George L. Duncan—Buildings and about 4,375 feet of land on the northerly side of East Eagle street, numbered 242, between an estate of Esther Hirschberg and an estate of Richard J. Butler and another, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Blanche M. Duntun—About 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 18, block C, H. T. Whitman plan dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Warren E. Fisher—Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Overlook street, being lot 44, block G, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Allan R. Frederick—Also about 7,309 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, being lot 44, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 44, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1921, Moth assessment for 1921..... 27 17
Tax for 1922..... 27 17
Tax for 1923..... 27 17

Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1921..... 27 17
Tax for 1922..... 27 17
Tax for 1923..... 27 17

Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, being lot 60, same plan, tax for 1921..... 27 17

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921..... 11 76
Tax for 1922..... 27 17
Apportionment of sidewalk construction for 1922..... 11 12
Tax for 1923..... 27 17

Teresa Frederick—Buildings and about 11,398 feet of land on the northerly side of Gladstone street, numbered 17, between an estate of Allan R. Frederick and an estate of Lina Giordano and another, tax for 1923..... 175 37

Also buildings and about 6,076 feet of land on the northerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 968 and 970, making the northwesterly corner of Boardman street, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Bonzagni and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 36 28

Sarah A. Gaffney—Buildings and about 4,950 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Princeton street, numbered 326 (now 336), making the westerly corner of Shelby street, adjoining another estate of said Gaffney, tax for 1923..... 108 68

Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Princeton street, numbered 322 and 324, between another estate of said Gaffney and an estate of Anthony J. Gill, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Also buildings and about 1,235 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Shelby street, numbered 22 and 24, making the easterly corner of Princeton street, adjoining an estate of Agrippino Liniolo, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Charles E. J. Gallant—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Trenton street, numbered 90, between an estate of Alice J. Dwyer and an estate of George Layton and another, tax for 1923, \$61 75
Paid on account..... 20 00

Balance due..... 41 75

Pasquale Gallo—Buildings and about 2,407 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 474, 474A and 476, making the northerly corner of Shelby street, adjoining an estate of Angelo Copinigo, tax for 1923..... \$296 40
Paid on account..... 70 00

Balance due..... 226 40

Also about 3,622 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 3A, Rowland H. Barnes plan, dated March, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number, tax for 1923.....	\$34 58	
Paid on account.....	10 00	
Balance due.....	24 58	
Frank J. Gavin—About 4,637 feet of land on the northerly side of Sea View avenue, being lot 2, block B, H. T. Whitman plan, dated May, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Charles A. Gillespie—About 6,402 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennington street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Mary A. Torrens, northerly by an estate of Thomas D. Walsh heirs, easterly by an estate of Lucia Ciampa; southerly by Bennington street, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Edith A. Glover—About 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 13, block E, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Frank Goldberg—Buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Meridian street, numbered 326, between an estate of John Hallett and an estate of Mary Martin, tax for 1923.....	\$111 15	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....	61 15	
Nellie R. Gorman—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Saratoga street, being lot 1, William E. Hannan plan, July 20, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4486, page 384, tax for 1923.....	22 23	
James M. W. Hall—About 10,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Homer street, being lot 242, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 30 on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	37 05	
James N. Hamilton, Junior—About 3,228 feet of land on the northerly side of Overlook street, being lot 37, block G, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Leona M. Higgins—Buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 809, making the easterly corner of Wordsworth street, adjoining an estate of William and Ann O'Neil, tax for 1923.....	\$135 85	
Paid on account.....	111 05	
Balance due.....	24 80	
Mildred J. Hunter—Buildings and about 8,750 feet of land on the westerly side of Putnam street, making the northwesterly corner of East Eagle street, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	41 99	
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,896 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Trenton street, numbered 126, between an estate of Hannah Yudelman and an estate of Susan M. Cousens, tax for 1923.....	74 10	
Charles J. Kelley, Junior—About 5,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Leyden street, being lot 29, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 46, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Also about 5,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Leyden street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Margaret T. Lavery and Mary C. Jackson—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street, adjoining an estate of John H. Grady, being the southerly part of lot 6, remaining after the taking for the widening of Bennington street, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2146, tax for 1923.....	39 52	
Rufina Maffei—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 647, between an estate of Nicola Coriolari and an estate of Fannie Finkelstein, tax for 1923.....	98 80	
Also buildings and about 4,220 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, numbered 125, between an estate of East Boston Company and another estate of said Maffei, tax for 1923.....	66 69	
Also buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 39, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Julia A. Marshea—Buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Faywood avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 30, block E, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1921.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
William F. McClellan—Buildings and about 434 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, numbered 434, between an estate of Alexandra Graziano and an estate of Bridget O'Shea, tax for 1923.....	37 05	
Catherine McGuinness—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Faywood avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 46, block C, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 60	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 76	
Mary A. McHugh—Buildings and about 17,611 feet of land on the northerly side of Saratoga street, numbered, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Charles N. Capillo, tax for 1923.....	111 15	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	34 56	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	84 43	
Charles C. McNamara—Buildings and about 2,187 feet of land on the southerly side of Condor street, numbered, between an estate of Antonio Amirto and another and an estate of Josephine Rendle, tax for 1923.....	37 05	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 65	
Francis J. Nelson—Buildings and about 12,634 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Short street, numbered 1, making the westerly corner of Colebridge street, adjoining an estate of Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad, tax for 1923.....	34 58	
Nicholas E. and Herbert J. O'Brien, one half each—About 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chaucer street, adjoining an estate of John J. Curran and another, being lot C, Joseph R. Carr and Sons plan, dated May 26, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3464, page 352, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Also about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chaucer street, making the southerly corner of Curtis street, adjoining an estate of Minnie E. Dunn, being lot D, Joseph R. Carr & Sons plan, dated May 26, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3464, page 352, tax for 1923.....	22 23	
Mary Orio—About 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Waldemar avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 47, block H, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Joseph Pimentel—Buildings and about 800 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Lexington street, numbered 226 rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Charlotte L. Rowe and another, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Josephine Rendle—Buildings and about 8,750 feet of land on the northerly side of Falcon street, numbered 188, between an estate of Mary J. Hicks and an estate of Matthew E. Cardoza, tax for 1923.....	140 79	
Also about 6,038 feet of land on the southerly side of Condor street, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and an estate of Charles C. McNamara, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 75	
W. S. Rendle and Son—Buildings and about 113,765 feet of land and flats on the westerly side of Border street, numbered 322-326, 328 and 332, between an estate of The State Wharf and Storage Company and an estate of Harriet P. Brown, tax for 1923.....	2,153 84	
George T. Rendle Company—Buildings and about 100,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Condor street, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being a lot shown on F. L. Tibbetts plan, dated February 26, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3616, page 581, tax for 1923.....	412 49	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	30 11	
Tax for 1922.....	412 49	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	31 08	
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chaucer street, numbered 47, between an estate of Mary A. Martin and an estate of Frank Velardo, tax for 1923.....	39 52	
Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, numbered 187, between an estate of Edward J. Murray and another and an estate of Lena Glassman, tax for 1923.....	86 45	
Annie Rome (reassessed from Annie Rowe)—About 256 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Glendon street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Harry P. Chadwick; easterly by an estate of Peter J. Stapleton and another; southerly by an estate of Mary J. Meuse; westerly by an estate of Antonio S. Mello and another, tax for 1921.....	2 47	
Annie Rome—About 256 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Glendon street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Harry P. Chadwick; easterly by an estate of Peter J. Stapleton and another; southerly by an estate of Mary J. Meuse; westerly by an estate of Antonio S. Mello and another, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Pietro and Maria Salerno—Buildings and about 2,143 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lovell street, numbered 378, between an estate of Rocco Amato and an estate of Cesira Galarani, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 18	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 93	
Catherine Stanwood—About 4,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Waldemar avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 53, block D, H. T. Whitman plan, dated, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 4,905 feet of land on the southerly side of Montmorenci avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Florence D. Sullivan—About 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Overlook street, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 46, block G, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
James H. and Farwell J. Thayer—About 8,097 feet of land on the northerly side of Orient avenue, adjoining an estate of East Boston Company, being lot 5, block E, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
George W. Towne, Trustee of Etna Realty Trust—About 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 27, block A, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 5,932 feet of land on the northerly side of Orient avenue, being lot 5, block A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Thomas C. Tyrrell—Buildings and about 2,989 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennington street, numbered 1114, between an estate of Catherine M. Cunningham and an estate of Annie C. Miller, tax for 1923.....	160 55	
Joseph A. Vesce, one half, and Elisco Masucci, one half—Buildings and about 3,780 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 1129, making the westerly corner of Wauppello road, adjoining an estate of Rose Blum, tax for 1923.....	172 90	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 28	
Willard Welsh—About 6,100 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of East Eagle street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of John Egan (numbered 211), tax for 1923.....	22 23	
Annie White—Buildings and about 1,697 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bennington street, numbered 309, between another estate of said White and an estate of Eli Swartz, tax for 1923.....	74 10	
Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bennington street, numbered 311, between another estate of said White and an estate of Eva I. Solari, tax for 1923.....	56 81	
Mary M. White—Buildings and about 1,908 feet of land on the southerly side of Trenton street, numbered 21, between an estate of Sarah B. Thompson and an estate of Vincenzo Marri-fino, tax for 1923.....	71 63	

Henry M., Sidney, Arthur S. and Henry M. and Arthur S. Williams, Trustees under will of Elizabeth A. Williams—About 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodworth street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Wordsworth street; easterly by an estate of Harry P. Chadwick; southerly by an estate of Fergus Farrell devisees and westerly by an estate of George King, tax for 1923.....

12 35

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....

2 59

Horace B. L. Williams, Trustee under will of Horace P. Williams—About 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot 21, shown on assessors' plans, volume 5, page 45, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Also about 7,809 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Also about 7,809 feet of land on the southerly side of Orient avenue, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....

9 88

William Williams—About 938 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prescott street, between an estate of Bernard J. Farley and an estate of John F. O'Connor (numbered 94), tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also buildings and about 7,174 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street, numbered 965, between an estate of James H. Doyle and another, trustees, and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....

360 62

Also buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the southerly side of Condon street, numbered 87, between an estate of George Corbett and an estate of William L. Scott, tax for 1923.....

54 34

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

1 63

Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 7,174 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street, numbered 965, between an estate of James H. Doyle and another, trustees, and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1922.....

360 62

Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Marion street, numbered 56, between an estate of Sarah F. Lee and an estate of Gilbert M. Stalker and others, tax for 1922.....

37 05

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Vincent Baldwin—Buildings and about 665 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chelsea court, numbered 10, at end, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of said Baldwin, tax for 1923.....

\$17 29

Also buildings and about 665 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chelsea court, numbered 8, between an estate of Michele Colotti and another estate of said Baldwin, tax for 1923.....

19 76

Michael J. Barry—Buildings and about 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 184, between an estate of Ellen E. O'Brien and an estate of Mary E. Roberts and others, tax for 1923.....

24 70

Also buildings and about 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 188 and 190, between two estates of Ellen E. O'Brien, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16398, tax for 1923.....

24 70

Florence K. Barry—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 106, between an estate of Agrippino Belino and an estate of Florence K. Barry, tax for 1923.....

133 38

Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 102 and 104, between two other estates of said Barry and another, tax for 1923.....

32 11

Also buildings and about 1,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 94, between an estate of Annie Wakley and another estate of said Barry, tax for 1923.....

12 35

Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Morris street, numbered 103, between another estate of said Barry and an estate of Antonio Barbanti, tax for 1923.....

76 57

Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Morris street, numbered 107 and 109, making the southerly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Barry, tax for 1923.....

41 99

Also buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of

Bremen street, numbered 298 and 300, between another estate of said Barry, and an estate of William Weinberger, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16227, tax for 1923.....

24 70

Also buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 296, between another estate of said Barry and an estate of Angelo Boncore and another registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16227, tax for 1923.....

49 40

Catherine Bell—About 702 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Burke's court, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly and easterly by an estate of said Bell; southerly by an estate of Carmela De Nunzio, numbered 92 Everett street; westerly by an estate of William J. Doherty; northwesterly by Burke's court; northerly by another estate of said Bell, tax for 1923.....

2 47

Also about 702 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Burke's court, numbered 4, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said Bell; easterly by an estate of said Bell; southerly by an estate of Carmela De Nunzio, numbered 92 Everett street; westerly by an estate of said Bell and northwesterly by Burke's court, tax for 1923.....

2 47

Also about 819 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Burke's court, numbered 5, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and easterly by an estate of Vincent N. Bellizico; southerly by Burke's court; westerly by an estate of Rose McGonagle heirs; northwesterly by an estate of Haninna Cipriano, tax for 1923.....

2 47

Also about 819 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Burke's court, numbered 6, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of George R. Hobbs; easterly by an estate of George R. Hobbs; southerly by an estate of Carmela De Nunzio, numbered 92 Everett street, westerly by Burke's court, tax for 1923.....

2 47

Eva Berson—About 100 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street, bounded and described as follows, northerly by Bennington street, easterly by an estate of Louis Cohen, numbered 41 Bennington street, southerly and westerly by an estate of Margaret J. McGrath, tax for 1923.....

2 47

Giuseppe Campana—Buildings and about 1,707 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 29, between an estate of Catherine G. Small and an estate of Michele Calafato and another, tax for 1923.....

148 20

Anna R. Cappello—About 666 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Bremen street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of said Cappello; southeasterly by an estate of Rose Magee; southwesterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; and northwesterly by a passageway, tax for 1921.....

2 47

Ada Cardosi—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Decatur street, numbered 43, between an estate of Philopena Martine and an estate of Antonio Caggiano and another, tax for 1923.....

\$98 80

Paid on account.....

50 00

Balance due.....

48 80

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 970 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cross street, numbered 4, between an estate of Anthony Guida and an estate of Marciano Di Anglis, tax for 1923.....

34 58

Also buildings and about 1,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Paris place, numbered 1, between an estate of Ellen R. Morris and an estate of Pasquale La Sala, tax for 1923.....

24 70

Mabel E. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Paris place, numbered 1, between an estate of Ellen R. Morris and an estate of Pasquale La Sala, tax for 1922.....

24 70

Antonio and Angiolina Chianca—Buildings and about 1,150 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 144, between an estate of Giuseppe Giovino and an estate of Lena Cimino, tax for 1923.....

\$74 10

Paid on account.....

40 00

Balance due.....

34 10

Nicola Ciampa and Antonio Ardito—Buildings and about 1,190 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Putnam

street, numbered 142, between an estate of Nicola Sarno and an estate of Sadie Goldstein, tax for 1923.....

Paid on account.....

30 00

Balance due.....

19 40

Leah Cohen—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 235, adjoining an estate of Mary and John A. Cantalupo and an estate of Domine Mighionico, tax for 1923.....

138 32

Mary E. Cotter—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 65, between an estate of Antonio D'Agostino and an estate of Matteo Vocino and another, tax for 1923.....

123 50

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....

5 12

Domenico and Angiolina Croce—Buildings and about 2,210 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 85, making the southerly corner of Porter street, adjoining an estate of Ernesto Cataldo, tax for 1923.....

195 13

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

4 80

Amedis and Mary DiChristoforo—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 134, between an estate of Gutel Bodkins and an estate of Annie R. Weinstein, tax for 1923.....

153 14

Martino and Concetta DiGesa—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Everett street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of John H. Crafts and another, numbered 301 Maverick street; easterly by an estate of Mary Smiddy; southerly by an estate of Lena Cimino; westerly by an estate of Carmela Gravallesse, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Nicola DiGiovanni—Buildings and about 3,115 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 170, between an estate of Nicola DiGiovanni and another and an estate of Antonio Rotandi, tax for 1923.....

229 71

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

9 68

Nicola and Silomena DiGiovanni—Buildings and about 3,145 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 172, between an estate of Nicola DiGiovanni and an estate of Emilio Caiani and another, tax for 1923.....

222 30

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

9 68

Bernardino Divalo—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, numbered 164, between an estate of Bridget G. Moynihan and an estate of John Pagharulo, tax for 1923.....

98 80

Federal Wharf and Storage Company—Buildings, docks, flats and about 378,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Border street, numbered 148 to 172, inclusive, between an estate of the Suffolk Coal Company and an estate of Oakley C. Curtis and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....

8,126 30

William J. Ferguson—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Emmons street, numbered 29, making the easterly corner of Paris street, adjoining an estate of Giuseppe Velardo, tax for 1923.....

103 74

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

8 35

Annie Fiangelo—Buildings and about 945 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Liverpool avenue, numbered 1, between an estate of Daniel P. J. Gallagher and an estate of Angelo R. Ciampa, tax for 1923.....

\$24 70

Paid on account.....

10 00

Balance due.....

14 70

Also buildings and about 945 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 5, between an estate of Daniel P. J. Gallagher and an estate of Manuel Rodrigues, tax for 1923.....

24 70

Jennie Fine—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 296, between an estate of Angelo Boncore and another estate of said Fine, tax for 1922.....

49 40

Also buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 298 and 300, between another estate of said Fine and an estate of William Weinberger and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16227, tax for 1922,

24 70

Also buildings and about 6,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 336, between an estate of Sarah Cohen and an estate of Jacob Perlmuter and another, tax for 1923.....	101 27	McGlinn and an estate of Charles H. Mattlage Devises, tax for 1923.....	59 28	bered 131-135, extending through to and numbered 146 Liverpool street, between an estate of Benjamin J. Graham and another and an estate of Thomas F. Croak and another, tax for 1923.....	543 40
Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Morris street, numbered 103, between an estate of Jennie Schwartz and an estate of said Fine, tax for 1922.....	76 57	Also buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sumner street, numbered 512, between an estate of Anna Saponaro and an estate of Anastasia G. Adams, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Israel Leventhal—About 665 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chelsea court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of the City of Boston, easterly by a passage-way, southerly by an estate of Maria Serino and another, and westerly by Chelsea court, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 106, between an estate of said Fine and an estate of Agrippino Belino, tax for 1922.....	133 38	Julius Hecht—About 1,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Davis court, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly and easterly by an estate of Laura E. Cashman northwesterly by an estate of Annie Katz and southerly by an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and westerly by Davis court, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Elizabeth Levine—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 139, between an estate of Louis Cripio and an estate of Joseph Goldberg, tax for 1922.....	113 62
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Morris street, numbered 107 and 109, between another estate of said Fine and an estate of Floriano Clericuzio, tax for 1922.....	41 99	Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,240 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 39, making the southerly corner of a passage-way, adjoining an estate of Antonio De Stefano, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Julia Lynch—Buildings and about 1,062 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 11, between an estate of said Lynch and an estate of Harris Wolfe, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Samuel Fine—Buildings and about 1,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 94, between another estate of said Fine and an estate of Annie Wakley, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also about 760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Appian place, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly and easterly by an estate of Fannie Pearlman and another, southerly by an estate of Patrick Fitzpatrick; westerly by an estate of Raffaele De Matteo and another; northwesterly by Appian place, and northerly by Appian place, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also buildings and about 1,134 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 13, between an estate of said Lynch and an estate of Crescenzo Barrasso, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 102 and 104, between another estate of said Fine and an estate of Jennie Fine, tax for 1922.....	32 11	Also about 1,058 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Davis court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Julius Hecht; easterly by an estate of Laura E. Cashman; southerly by an estate of Francesco Diognardi, and westerly by Davis court, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Mary Malony—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 233, between an estate of Gustaf Anderson and an estate of Sophia O. Peterson, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16253, tax for 1922,.....	29 64
Nathan and Etta Fingerman, undivided—Buildings and about 1,290 feet of land on the easterly side of Meridian street, numbered 111, between an estate of Harry Greene and an estate of Francis A. Herman and another, tax for 1923.....	234 65	Also buildings and about 5,292 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington avenue, numbered 6, at end, adjoining an estate of Raffaele Matarazzo, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Elizabeth J. Marquard—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Princeton street, numbered 111, between an estate of Augustino Bianco and another and an estate of John T. M. O'Connell and others, tax for 1923.....	93 86
James D. Fulginiti—Buildings and about 1,265 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Havre street, numbered 186, making the westerly corner of Sharon court, adjoining an estate of Luigi Farsone and another, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Annie M. Kelley—About 1,330 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pearl place (formerly numbered 1), making the easterly corner of Public Alley 2001, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Leo and Isabella Maske—Buildings and about 1,155 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 98, between an estate of Michael and Louis T. Leverone and an estate of Michele Gigliello and another, tax for 1923.....	\$56 81
John and Nellie Gallo—Buildings and about 1,035 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Havre street, numbered 194, between an estate of Catherine V. Nealon, and an estate of John Gallo and another, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 1,330 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pearl place, (formerly numbered 2), between two other estates of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Paid on account.....	20 00
Also about 1,035 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sharon court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said John Gallo and another; easterly by an estate of said John Gallo and another; southerly by Havre street, and westerly by Sharon court, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 1,330 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pearl place, (formerly numbered 3), between two other estates of said Kelley, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Balance due.....	36 81
Also buildings and about 2,430 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sharon court (formerly numbered 6), between an estate of said John Gallo and another and an estate of Thomas O'Rourke, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Rosina Mastrolia—Buildings and about 5,625 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 168, between an estate of Prisco Martinello and an estate of Carmine Colorusso and another, tax for 1923.....	150 67
Elizabeth Gallo—Buildings and about 2,722 feet of land on the southerly side of Webster street, numbered 265, between an estate of Michael L. Sarne and another, and an estate of Domenic Aliprandi, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Also about 1,330 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pearl place, (formerly numbered 4), between two other estates of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Ralph Mazzarella—Buildings and about 1,866 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 307, between an estate of Agnes Merri-cantanti and an estate of Moses Trahan and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Benjamin Goodman and Kate Miller—Buildings and about 2,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 93, between an estate of Thomas Berlogiere and an estate of Angelina Maccaria and others registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6377, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Also about 1,330 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pearl place, at end, formerly numbered 5), adjoining another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Frank D. McCarthy—Buildings and about 1,701 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 152, making the easterly corner and numbered 3 Havre street, adjoining an estate of Francesco Contentia and another, tax for 1923.....	101 27
Mary J. Gourley—Buildings and about 945 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Liverpool avenue, numbered 4, between an estate of Richard Morrissey and an estate of Giovanni Scopa, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Charles J. Kelley—About 2,850 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shrimpton street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Annie Murphy; southwesterly by an estate of East Boston Company; southwesterly by an estate of Alfred Bruny and another; northwesterly by Shrimpton street, tax for 1922.....	14 82	Rosa McGonigle Heirs—About 819 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Burke's court (formerly numbered 3), bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Catherine Bell; southeasterly by Burke's court; southwesterly by an estate of Irene Di Nunzio; northwesterly by an estate of Nannina Cipriano, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Vincenzo Grosso—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marion street, numbered 194 and 194A, between an estate of Ida Berly and an estate of Antonio and Mary Crusco, tax for 1923.....	125 97	Tax for 1923.....	14 82	Mary E. and Nellie M. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 109, making the southerly corner of and numbered 21 and 23 Decatur street, adjoining an estate of Antonio Di Angelis and another, tax for 1923.....	\$130 91
Mary Handy—Buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the southerly side of Elbow street, numbered 1, between an estate of Sumner Savings Bank and an estate of Francesco Tranfaglia, and another, tax for 1923.....	172 90	Also about 920 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Marginal street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Brigham street; easterly by an estate of Mary A. Ryan; southerly by Marginal street, and westerly by an estate of John Fagan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Paid on account.....	50 00
Floria Head—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sumner street, numbered 64, 66 and 68, between an estate of Margaret A. Prescott and an estate of said Head, tax for 1923.....	\$390 26	Also about 666 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Bremen street and (formerly numbered 176), between an estate of Anna R. Cappello and an estate of Serafino De Fronzo, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Balance due.....	80 91
Paid on account.....	200 00	Helen G. Keough—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 28, between an estate of Abigail F. McDonald, and an estate of Michael O'Meara, tax for 1923.....	125 97	Richard McLaughlin—About 1,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, making the southerly corner of Noble court, adjoining an estate of Giovanni Grazianno, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Balance due.....	190 26	Antonio Laquaglia—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 319, between an estate of Louis Pattipas and an estate of Giuseppe Ruotolo and another, tax for 1923.....	71 63	Elizabeth A. Murphy—Buildings and about 1,435 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 221, making the southerly corner of Alna place and adjoining an estate of Elizabeth F. Leonard, tax for 1923.....	66 69
Pridget Henley—Buildings and about 1,980 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 193, between an estate of William A. Morrison and an estate of Nicola Carangelo and another, tax for 1923.....	116 09	Rosario La Rosa—Buildings and about 1,001 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marion street, numbered 186, between an estate of Dora Ganek and an estate of Luigi De Palma, tax for 1923.....	40 93	Anna B. Nazzaro—About 2,398 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 222, between an estate of said Nazzaro and an estate of Angelo and Rosa Oleviero, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12237, tax for 1923.....	24 70
William C. S. Healy—Buildings and about 1,753 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 551, between an estate of John		Sylvanus T. Le Baron—Buildings and about 14,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Border street, num-			

Also buildings and about 688 feet of land on the northeasterly side of London court, numbered 1, between an estate of Salvatore Rizza and an estate of Rosie Bernhout and another, tax for 1923.....	17 29	joining an estate of Angelina Macarana, tax for 1923.....\$123 50 Paid on account..... 108 00		an estate of Antonio Toseano and others, trustees, and an estate of Christian Rausch, tax for 1923.....	44 46
Ellen E. O'Brien—Buildings and about 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 186, between two estates of Michael J. Barry, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Balance due.....	15 50	Harris Wolfe—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 5, making the southerly corner of Orleans street, adjoining another estate of said Wolfe, tax for 1923.....	83 98
Also buildings and about 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 194, between an estate of Michael J. Barry and another estate of said O'Brien, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also buildings and about 2,812 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 299, between an estate of George Constantina and another estate of said Segal, tax for 1923.....	128 44	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, between an estate of Julia Lynch (numbered 11) and another estate of said Wolfe (numbered 5), tax for 1923,.....	39 52
Also buildings and about 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 196 and 198, between another estate of said O'Brien and an estate of Michael Connell and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Annie Shaffer—Buildings and about 2,150 feet off land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 157, between an estate of Mary Cassin and an estate of Domenico Genovese and another, tax for 1923.....	111 15	Also buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 30, between an estate of Samuel Klein and an estate of Sabino Batista, tax for 1923,.....	39 52
William and Edward A. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,852 feet of land on the southerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 13, between an estate of Joseph L. Shannon and another and an estate of E. Coleman Brown, tax for 1923..... \$66 69 Paid on account..... 30 00	24 70	Barnet Silverman—About 1,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Putnam street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Max Fine; northeasterly and easterly by Putnam street; southerly by an estate of Bessie Smith; westerly by an estate of Rebecca Shannon, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Also buildings and about 9,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Maverick street, numbered 205-209, between an estate of Frederick N. Tirrill and an estate of Rosina I. Di Pietro, tax for 1923.....	321 10
Balance due.....	36 69	Edward Steinbrugge—Buildings, docks and about 90,750 feet of land and flats on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 123, 125 and 127, between an estate of John E. Lynch and an estate of Isabelle K. Racich, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Frederick F. Young—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 157, between an estate of Fred F. Hodgkins and an estate of William L. Hirschberg and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22
John Pagliarulo—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, numbered 166, between an estate of Cecelia B. Ring and an estate of Bernardino Divalo, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Annie I. Thompson—About 8,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Marginal street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of City of Boston; easterly by an estate of John Fagin; southerly by Marginal street; westerly by an estate of Edward B. Merriman, tax for 1923,.....	2,981 29	WARD THREE.	
Armando and Esmeralda Palermo—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Putnam street, numbered 177, making the southerly corner of Morris street, adjoining an estate of Ida S. Perlmuter, tax for 1923..... \$83 98 Paid on account..... 45 00	38 98	Michele and Leonardi Tisi—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frankfort street, numbered 18, between an estate of Francesco Dimase and an estate of Anna Marino, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Francis P. Adams—About 800 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Beach street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Jacob Blakely; southeasterly by an estate of Margaret F. Crowley; southwesterly by an estate of Joseph Berkowitch; northwesterly by an estate of Joseph Berkowitch, tax for 1923.....	\$2 47
Balance due.....	38 98	Antonio Tranfaglia—Buildings and about 1,130 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 16, between an estate of Antonio Milano and another and an estate of Francesco Tranfaglia and another, tax for 1923.....	106 21	Mary T. Anthony—Buildings and about 1,179 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Main street, numbered 395, between an estate of Marietta McDonald and an estate of Charles J. Shannon and another, tax for 1923.....	91 39
Louis Finansky—About 600 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Prescott street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Annie Bonito; easterly and southeasterly by a passageway; southwesterly and northwesterly by an estate of Raffaele Masciola and another, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Angelo M. and Palma G. Tucci (set off to Valentine Little)—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 391, making the southerly corner of Sumner place, adjoining an estate of Caroline Massa, tax for 1923,.....	96 33	Bay State Petroleum, Inc.—Buildings and about 3,768 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Main street, numbered 369, 371 and 371½, making the northerly corner of Mead street, adjoining an estate of E. J. Hickey, tax for 1923.....	111 15
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 106, between an estate of Carmela Turca and another and an estate of Enrichetta Cogliano, tax for 1923.....	61 75	Giovanni Vernacchia—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 228, between an estate of Albert O. Titcomb and another and an estate of Dora Aronson, tax for 1923.....\$98 80 Paid on account..... 60 00	27 17	William K. Bean—About 1,406 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Avery place, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 3, Charles A. Pearson plan, dated October 7, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3878, page 266, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Mary E., Theodore B. and Frederick D. Roberts—About 920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street (formerly numbered 182), between an estate of Michael J. Barry and an estate of Mary A. Ryan, tax for 1923,.....	14 82	Balance due.....	38 80	Also about 1,056 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Avery place, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Maria Rocco—Buildings and about 1,805 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Havre street, numbered 156, between an estate of James Wallace and an estate of Giuseppe Casoletto, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Flaviano Vitro—About 2,488 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Geneva street, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Salini, being lot 3, Whitman and Howard plan, April 16, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4360, page 253, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 1,459 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Auburn avenue, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Teresina Rosetti—Buildings and about 2,525 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 219, between an estate of Ferdinando Salerno and an estate of Theresa Giardello, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10756, tax for 1923..... \$118 56 Paid on account..... 60 00	58 56	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 21	Also about 975 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Auburn avenue, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Balance due.....	58 56	Bernardino Vivolo—Buildings and about 1,235 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 24, between an estate of Michele Cardelle and an estate of Pietro Mco and another, tax for 1923.....	153 14	Also about 5,856 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Avery place, adjoining another estate of said Bean, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Teresa Rufrano—Buildings and about 2,399 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 42 and 42A, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Jane McGettigan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7103, tax for 1923.....\$172 90 Paid on account..... 40 00	132 90	Maria Voci—Buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 33, between an estate of John Berglund and an estate of Carl Christensen, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Robert E. Bello—About 1,407 feet of land lying in the rear from northwesterly side of Mead street, adjoining an estate of John Kennedy and another, being lot A, Charles A. Pearson plan, dated August 9, 1902, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13052, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Balance due.....	132 90	Annie Wakley—Buildings and about 1,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morris street, numbered 92, between an estate of Florence K. Barry and an estate of Florence D'Ambrosia and another, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Marion F. Blue—About 7,348 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North Mead street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates of David H. Jacobs and Sons, Inc.; northerly by estates of Margaret T. McEnery; southeasterly by North Mead street; southwesterly by an estate of James M. McEnery heirs and John E. Doherty and another; northwesterly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Vincent Salamone—Buildings and about 3,145 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 77, between an estate of Michelle Fuccillo and another estate of said Salamone, tax for 1923.....	271 70	Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 1,125 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 291 rear, between an estate of Thomas Boardman and an estate of Carmine A. Pisaturo and another, tax for 1923,.....	22 23	Alma G. Bowen—Buildings and about 976 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lincoln street, numbered 9, making the northerly corner of Adams place, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Mullen, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Louisa Salerno—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Liverpool street, numbered 41, making the southerly corner of Maverick street, adjoining an estate of Eleanor W. Nugent heirs, tax for 1923.....	101 27	William Williams—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 139, between an estate of Louis Criño and an estate of Joseph Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	113 62	Walter H. Broadhead (supposed present owner Waldo S. Plastridge)—Buildings and about 915 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Badger place, numbered 3, between an estate of Sarkis Airasian and an estate of Charles L. Edwards, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Angelo and Carmela Sciarappa—Buildings and about 1,349 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 92, making the northerly corner of Chelsea place, ad-		Also buildings and about 1,920 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 68, between			

Charles J. Kelley, Junior—Buildings and about 2,033 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sullivan street, numbered 46, between an estate of Richard L. Melvin and an estate of Charlestown Five Cents Savings Bank, tax for 1923.	54 34		
Nora M. Rice—Buildings and about 1,144 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Allston street, numbered 41, between an estate of Mary L. Tweedy and an estate of John H. Murphy heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.	17 29		
Also buildings and about 1,340 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lincoln street, numbered 18, between an estate of Michael Fitzgerald and an estate of Dennis Swanson, tax for 1923.	81 51		
Louisa Langone—Buildings and about 2,178 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cross street, numbered 16 and 18, between an estate of Lucy J. Hayden and an estate of Margaret T. Van Wart and others, tax for 1923.	108 68		
Michael O. Lucash (supposed present owner James A. Palmer)—Buildings and about 1,290 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Elm street, numbered 124, between another estate of said Lucash and an estate of Mary E. Lewis, tax for 1923.	41 99		
John B. Mackay—Buildings and about 1,098 feet of land on the southwest- erly side of Mill street, numbered 16, making the southwest corner of Mill Street court, adjoining an estate of Nora M. O'Brien, tax for 1923.	74 10		
William and Julia Magner—Buildings and about 1,238 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Allston street, numbered 38, between an estate of Annie F. Brown and an estate of Ellen M. Readdy Heirs, tax for 1923.	\$49 40		
Paid on account.	29 00		
Balance due.	20 40		
Frank S. Mason and Edward M. Dailey Trustees of Allen Realty Trust (supposed present owner Louis Kalender)—Buildings and about 3,716 feet of land on the southwest side of Main street, numbered 468, 470 and 472, making the southerly corner of and (numbered 1 and 2 Thorndike dike street, extending to and making the easterly corner of Allen place, tax for 1923.	150 67		
Guy H. Maynard—About 1,407 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Eagle Pass, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by an estate of Robert E. Bello; southwesterly by an estate of Lucy C. Toomey; northwesterly by an estate of Walter Nash; northeasterly by an estate of St. Francis de Sales School Association of Charlestown, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Martha McCree—Buildings and about 2,387 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oak street, numbered 15, between an estate of Carl Carbone and another and an estate of Benjamin P. Hollis, trustee, tax for 1923.	71 63		
James M. McEnery Heirs or Devises—About 2,582 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North Mead street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and northeasterly by an estate of Marion F. Blue; southeasterly by North Mead street; southwesterly by another estate of said McEnery heirs; northwesterly by an estate of Mary A. Rice, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 844 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North Mead street, making the northerly corner of a 10-foot passageway and adjoining another estate of said McEnery, heirs, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Also about 1,160 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North Mead street, making the westerly corner of a 10-foot passageway and adjoining an estate of Bridget Lynch (numbered 24), tax for 1923.	7 41		
Mary O. McIsaac—Buildings and about 1,335 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 421, making the easterly corner of Irving place, adjoining an estate of Martin Healy (numbered 419), tax for 1923.	37 05		
John Meade Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwest side of and at end of Marshall place, numbered 8, between an estate of Annie M. Kelley and an estate of Peter F. Cavanaugh, tax for 1923.	4 91		
John Meaney—About 405 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mystic place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of the Warren Institution for Savings; easterly by an estate of William Powers; southerly by Mystic place; westerly by an estate of John Meaney and another, tax for 1923.	4 94		
John and Bridget Meaney—About 405 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mystic place, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Warren Institution for Savings; easterly by an estate of John Meaney; southerly by an estate of Mary A. Green, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Michael S. Morgan—Buildings and about 3,820 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Polk street, numbered 30 and 30 rear, between an estate of Thomas J. Brennan and an estate of Carrie R. Todd, tax for 1923.	54 34		
Charles F. Morrill—Buildings and about 20,068 feet of land on the westerly side of Rutherford avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the location of the Boston & Maine Railroad; easterly by Rutherford avenue; southerly by an estate of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; westerly by the location of the Boston & Maine Railroad, tax for 1923.	592 80		
Ella E. Morse—About 614 feet of land on the southwest side of a 10-foot passageway leading from the northwesterly side of North Mead street, adjoining an estate of Simon Liner, being lot 1, Fuller and Whitney plan, August 1, 1883, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1602, page 394, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Sarah V. Murray—Buildings and about 1,150 feet of land on the westerly side of Irving place, numbered 1, between an estate of Timothy J. Reardon and an estate of Mary Simonian, tax for 1923.	49 40		
Also buildings and about 1,385 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sullivan street, numbered 26, between an estate of Margaret Bickford and an estate of Bridget M. Doherty and another, tax for 1923.	81 51		
John Nugent—Buildings and about 480 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Short Street place, numbered 1, making the northerly corner of Short Street, adjoining an estate of John Nugent (numbered 2), tax for 1923.	12 35		
Mary and John Nugent—Buildings and about 575 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Short Street place, at end, numbered 4, between an estate of Stephen Nugent heirs or devisees and an estate of Ruth M. Ely, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Stephen Nugent Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Short Street place, numbered 2, between an estate of John Nugent and an estate of said Nugent, heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Also buildings and about 500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Short Street place, numbered 3, between another estate of said Nugent, heirs or devisees and an estate of John Nugent, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Mary O'Brien Heirs or Devises—About 2,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walker avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of John B. Lewis; southeasterly by Walker avenue; southwesterly by an estate of Mary G. A. Monaghan; northwesterly by an estate of William H. Breen, tax for 1923.	12 35		
John O'Connor—Buildings and about 1,993 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bunker Hill street, numbered 427, between an estate of Sidney A. Scammon and an estate of Ruth M. Ely, tax for 1923.	\$69 16		
Paid on account.	50 00		
Balance due.	19 16		
Chester M. Perry—About 2,762 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Belmont street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Belmont street; northeasterly by an estate of J. Frank Wellington; southeasterly by an estate of Jeremiah Harrigan and another; southwesterly by an estate of Helen A. Aubin, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Edward J. and Cecelia M. Potter—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Austin street, numbered 63, between an estate of William C. Tiernan and an estate of Francis Raynes devisees, tax for 1923.	44 46		
Also buildings and about 794 feet of land on the southerly side of Rutherford avenue, numbered 182, between an estate of Francis Raynes devisees and an estate of Patrick Manley, tax for 1923.	44 46		
William Powers Heirs or Devises—About 410 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mystic place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of the Warren Institution for Savings; easterly by an estate of Julia Hewitt heirs or devisees; southerly by Mystic place; westerly by an estate of John Meaney, tax for 1923.	4 94		
by an estate of John Meaney, tax for 1923.	4 94		
Assunda Puzo—Buildings and about 600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of High street, numbered 133, making northerly corner of Bolton place, adjoining an estate of Stephen C., Frederick M. Holmes and another, tax for 1923.	27 17		
Nora Quinlan—Buildings and about 1,305 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Baldwin street, numbered 55, between an estate of Michael J. Graney and an estate of Theresa G. Young, tax for 1923.	91 39		
Frances L. Richards—Buildings and about 1,239 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 29, between an estate of Catherine Hoban and another and an estate of Ella W. Pendergast, tax for 1923.	50 28		
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 1,680 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walker street, numbered 62, between an estate of Harry C. Wadleigh and an estate of Perkins Institution and Massachusetts School for Blind, tax for 1923.	37 05		
Harlow H. Rogers—About 844 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North Mead street, between an estate of James M. McEnery and a ten (10) foot passageway, leading from the northwesterly side of North Mead street, being lot C, Fuller and Whitney plan, dated August 1, 1882, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1602, page 394, tax for 1923.	2 47		
Josephine S. Romano—About 2,418 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Charles Street place, adjoining an estate of the City of Boston, being lot 6, C. B. Humphrey plan, March 29, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13289, tax for 1923.	17 29		
Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 445, between an estate of George T. Horan, trustee, and an estate of Thomas W. Looker, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13289, tax for 1923.	59 28		
Also buildings and about 6,477 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 453, 455, 455A, 457, 459 and 459A, extending through to and numbered 15, 17 and 19 Charles Street place, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of Charles Cumene, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13289, tax for 1923.	247 00		
Also buildings and about 1,282 feet of land on the northerly side of Medford street, numbered 555, 557, 559 and 561, making the easterly corner of Beach street, adjoining an estate of Miles Muldoon, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13289, tax for 1923.	111 15		
Also buildings and about 3,177 feet of land on the southwest side of Bartlett street, numbered 94A, making the westerly corner of and numbered 52 Sullivan street, adjoining an estate of Narcizo Martin, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13289, tax for 1923.	143 26		
Caroline Roundy—Buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Parker street, numbered 35, extending through to Hadley street, between an estate of Catherine Miskell and an estate of Annie Kiley, tax for 1923.	24 70		
Mary A. Savage—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southwest side of School-house court, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by School-house court; southeasterly by an estate of Catherine F. O'Brien; southwesterly by Rand and Byan, Incorporated, and northwesterly, Rand and Byan, Incorporated, tax for 1923.	9 88		
Elizabeth J. Seanlon—About 785 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of George S. Tomlinson, trustee; easterly by a 3-foot passageway; southerly by an estate of Daniel J. Kane; westerly and southwesterly by Exeter place, tax for 1923.	7 41		
Thomas M. Smith (reassessed from Patrick O'Riordan Heirs—About 1,640 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chappie street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Patrick O'Riordan; easterly by an estate of John J. Doherty; southerly and westerly by estates of Thomas M. Smith and Elizabeth Lafavette and Mabel C. Welch and northwesterly by Chappie street, tax for 1923.	19 76		

Thomas A. and Annie O. Smith (supposed present owner Robert Stutzman)—Buildings and about 802 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charles Street place, numbered 13, between an estate of David P. Doolan and an estate of Josephine S. Romano, tax for 1923..... 17 29

James W. Spratt Heirs and Devises—Buildings and about 5,479 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Middlesex street, numbered 9, between an estate of Globe Iron Works and an estate of Stanley, Harlow, Hamlin, Inc., tax for 1923..... 116 09

Charles A. Stewart—About 900 feet of land on the easterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Edward Kennedy; southerly by a 4-foot passageway leading from Wesley street; westerly by Exeter place; northerly by an estate of Alfred S. Hill, trustee, tax for 1921..... 7 41

George F. Sweeney—Buildings and about 540 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wellington place, numbered 2, between an estate of Patrick J. Grealey and an estate of Lillie M. Cruickshank, tax for 1923, Thomas Swithin and John F. Merrill—About 3,294 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chappie street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Patrick H. McCormack, trustees; easterly by an estate of William A. Verge and an estate of Daniel Hurley; southerly by an estate of Jan Sangailo, and westerly by Chappie street, tax for 1923..... 19 76

Anna J. Tolman, five sixths, and Beatrice M., one sixth, undivided—About 1,588 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charles street place, making the southerly corner of Charles street, adjoining an estate of Alice J. Rego, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Sophia Tomfohrde—Buildings and about 2,240 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pearl street, numbered 25 and 27, between an estate of John H. Tomfohrde and an estate of The Realty Company, tax for 1923, William H. Walsh—Buildings and about 1,049 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Russell street, numbered 41, between an estate of Florence A. Bickford and an estate of Carrie S. Macbay, tax for 1923..... 49 40

Mabel C. Welch—Buildings and about 1,445 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bunker Hill street, numbered 383, between an estate of Elizabeth Lafayette and an estate of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923..... 64 22

Willard Welsh—About 755 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beach street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Joseph Berkowitch; southeasterly by an estate of Joseph Berkowitch; southwesterly by an estate of Joseph Berkowitch, and northwesterly by Beach street, tax for 1923..... 9 88

J. Frank Wellington, Trustee under will of Samuel Cutter—About 4,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Meade street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Mary E. Doyle; southeasterly by Mead street; southwesterly by an estate of Bay State Petroleum Incorporated; northwesterly by an estate of E. J. Hickey, tax for 1923..... 49 40

William Williams—Buildings and about 551 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chappie street, numbered 44, making the northerly corner of Marshall place, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of Patrick Linehan, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chappie street, numbered 50, making the westerly corner of Marshall's Block, adjoining another estate of the said Williams, tax for 1923..... 27 17

Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marshall's Block, numbered 6, between an estate of Mary Norris and another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Clarence P. Wilson—About 1,440 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Exeter place; southeasterly by a passageway, extending from Wesley street; southwesterly by an estate of John H. Winslow; northwesterly by an estate of Emanuel J. Carey, tax for 1923..... 9 88

John H. Winslow—About 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wesley street, making the northerly corner of a four (4) foot passageway, adjoining another estate of said Winslow, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wesley street,

bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of George D. Thomas; easterly by an estate of Clarence P. Wilson; southerly by another estate of said Winslow; southwesterly and westerly by Wesley street, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 1,680 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wesley street, between another estate of said Winslow and an estate of Mary A. Burke, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Also about 1,838 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, between an estate of William C. Hanson and another and another estate of said Winslow, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Also about 3,360 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, extending through to Wesley street, between another estate of said Winslow and an estate of George Meade, tax for 1923..... 39 52

WARD FOUR.

Maurice E. Andelman—About 638 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pine street, between an estate of said Andelman and an estate of Cornelius M. Doherty, tax for 1922..... \$4 94

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pine street, between an estate of said Andelman and an estate of Ellen Reardon, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pine street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by an estate of said Andelman; northwesterly by an estate of Julia M. Clarke; northeasterly by an estate of said Andelman, and southeasterly by Pine street, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pine street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by an estate of said Andelman; northwesterly by an estate of James E. McLaughlin; northeasterly by an estate of said Andelman, and southeasterly by Pine street, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Tax for 1923..... 4 94

Jennie T. Bolster—About 1,372 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Scott's court, formerly numbered 6, adjoining an estate of Catherine Brennan, being a lot on a plan by Thomas Doane, dated 1855, on file in Street Laying-Out Department, volume C. C., page 1026, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Ellen Calleen—About 800 feet of land on the northerly side of Tufts Street avenue, between an estate of said Calleen and an estate of Myles Muldoon, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 800 feet of land on the northerly side of Tufts Street avenue, between an estate of said Calleen and an estate of Fred J. Weyland, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Edward F. Cassell—Buildings and about 843 feet of land on the westerly side of Fremont place, numbered 7, between another estate of said Cassell and an estate of Delia A. O'Riordan, trustee, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Also buildings and about 843 feet of land on the westerly side of Fremont place, numbered 5, between another estate of said Cassell and an estate of Bridget O'Malley, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 2,608 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Decatur street, numbered 3, between an estate of said Chadwick and northerly corner of a 10-foot passageway, tax for 1923..... 74 10

Also buildings and about 1,447 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Decatur court, numbered 5, between an estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Esther Cohen, tax for 1923..... 41 99

Mabel E. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the westerly side of Corey street, numbered 56, between an estate of Catherine Guilfoyle heirs or devisees and an estate of Alice H. Davis, tax for 1923..... 32 11

Gertrude M. Cole—Buildings and about 3,254 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Main street, numbered 134 and 136, between an estate of Fred Gahn and an estate of Constantino Saccardo heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... 197 60

Celia L. Crilley—Buildings and about 2,450 feet of land on the westerly side of Tufts street, numbered 32 and 34, between an estate of Catherine A. McNamee and others and an estate of Nora E. Feeney, tax for 1923..... 96 33

William J. and Margaret A. Curtis—Buildings and about 835 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tremont

street, numbered 51, making the westerly corner of Edgeworth street, adjoining an estate of Kate Hickey, tax for 1923..... 106 21

Wilhelmina Davidson—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, numbered 47, between an estate of Annie M. Griffin and an estate of Bridget A. Smith, tax for 1923..... 49 40

Alice H. Davis—Buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Corey street, numbered 58, making the westerly corner of an estate of Corey court, adjoining an estate of Mabel E. Chadwick, tax for 1921..... 24 70

Tax for 1923..... 24 70

Octavius Desmazer—About 1,232 feet of land in the rear of northeasterly side of Tremont street, between an estate of Ellen Riorden, numbered 30, and an estate of John F. Townsend heirs or devisees, numbered 22, and others, tax for 1921..... 9 88

Tax for 1923..... 9 88

Margaret M. Donnelly—Buildings and about 1,550 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Medford street, numbered 15 and 15 rear, between an estate of Annie T. Montgomery and an estate of Margaret C. Donoghue, tax for 1923..... 66 69

Elizabeth M. Dougherty—About 1,872 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street, between an estate of Hyman Stillman and an estate of Patrick J. McGonagle, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Catherine T. Dunn and George and Catherine Roe—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, numbered 25, adjoining an estate of James J. Mellen and another, making the easterly corner of a 10-foot passageway, tax for 1923..... 46 93

Jennie Finn—About 4,620 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Medford street, making the southwesterly corner of Lexington street, between an estate of Catherine H. Kelly and an estate of Frank T. Paron, tax for 1923..... 61 75

Catherine T. Flanagan (supposed present owner William S. McKendry)—Buildings and about 1,592 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 8, between an estate of George F. Hunter and others and an estate of Mary L. Hall, trustee, tax for 1922..... 44 46

James A. Frazier—About 561 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rutherford avenue, between an estate of Nellie Gibbons and an estate of Hannah J. McDonald and another, tax for 1923..... 11 82

Edward W. Fuller—About 1,439 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Thomas M. Smith; easterly by a 5-foot passageway; southerly by an estate of John H. Flynn *et al.*, and westerly by Corey street, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Annie M. Griffin—Buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, numbered 61, between an estate of Frank T. Barron and an estate of Francis Lewis, tax for 1923..... 49 40

Also buildings and about 2,700 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, numbered 49 and 49 rear, between an estate of Wilhelmina Davidson and an estate of James E. Cuthbertson and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 66 69

Catherine Guilfoyle Heirs—About 1,546 feet of land on the westerly side of Corey street, numbered 54 and 54A, between an estate, now or formerly of Patrick Seali and an estate of Mabel E. Chadwick, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Mary A. Hart, Trustee under will of Ellen M. Woods—Buildings and about 927 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Concord avenue, numbered 5, between an estate of Patrick Doherty and another and an estate of Julia Murphy, tax for 1923..... 19 76

Joseph S. Hart—Buildings and about 1,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Union street, numbered 25, between an estate of Terrance W. O'Connor, trustee and an estate of Daniel F. Maloney registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3044, tax for 1923..... 212 42

Mary Hickey—Buildings and about 912 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, numbered 31, between an estate of Isabelle E. McLaughlin and an estate of Elizabeth S. Whidden, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Ida M. Holsken—Buildings and about 941 feet of land on the southerly side of Medford street, numbered 74, between an estate of Melissa E. Downer, trustee under will of Philander S. Briggs and an estate of Fortini Tsiacklowia and another, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Also buildings and about 1,643 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ferrin street, numbered 24 and 26, adjoining an estate of Ellen Callahan and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15681, tax for 1923..... 59 28

Harry I. Holsken—Buildings and about 1,220 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 115 and 115A, between an estate of Silas Coluci and another and an estate of Hyman Miller, tax for 1923.... 155 61

Johanna E. Hurley, one half, Mary J. and Ellen F. Fitzgerald, one fourth each—Buildings and about 3,172 feet of land on the easterly side of Chestnut street, numbered 59, between an estate of Ellen F. Pierce and an estate of Patrick Falvey, tax for 1923..... \$143 26

Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 68 26

Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Concord street, numbered 17, between an estate of Charles H. Buxton and an estate of Bridget F. Campbell, tax for 1923..... 46 93

John Kyle Devises—About 1,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Scott's court, formerly numbered 8, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Grace W. Conant, tax for 1923..... 9 88

John F., Patrick J. and Catherine Kyle, Mary A. Doherty, Elizabeth J. Monahan and Theresa Molloy, one sixth each under will—About 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Scott's court, making the westerly corner of a 10-foot passageway, adjoining an estate of Henry E. Bemis, tax for 1923..... 27 17

Frederick H., Katherine C. and Katherine M. McGrath—Buildings and about 1,416 feet of land on the northerly side of Chelsea street, numbered 119 and 119A, between an estate of Kate Williams and an estate of Mary A. McNamara, tax for 1923..... 39 52

William S. McKendry—Buildings and about 1,592 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 8, between an estate of George T. Hunter and others and an estate of Mary L. Hall, trustee, tax for 1923.... 44 46

Isabelle E. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Medford street, numbered 29, between an estate of Mary Hickey and an estate of James A. Smart, tax for 1923..... 44 46

Charles Michaels—Buildings and about 720 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hudson street, numbered 10, between an estate of Sabina Colantunoi and an estate of John J. McAdams, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut street, numbered 30, between an estate of Theodore H. Castor and an estate of Mary E. Carey, tax for 1923, 123 50

Hyman Miller—Buildings and about 1,280 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 114, between an estate of Harry L. Holcombe and an estate of Sabina Zarella and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14237, tax for 1923..... 158 08

John L. Morgan, Guardian for Eleanor Morgan—Buildings and about 1,583 feet of land on the westerly side of Moulton street, numbered 34, between an estate of Michael Guilfoyle and an estate of Ellen G. Kelley, tax for 1923..... 46 93

Charles F. Morrill—Buildings and about 6,833 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington Street North, numbered 263, 265, 265A, 267, 269 and 271 making the northeasterly corner of Water street, extending to and making junction of Chambers street, adjoining an estate of John D. Graham, tax for 1923..... 765 70

Also buildings and about 1,035 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 5, between an estate of Margaret F. Fitzgerald and another estate of said Morrill, tax for 1923..... 88 92

Elizabeth F. Murray—Buildings and about 560 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Vine street, numbered 5, making the easterly corner of a 10-foot passageway, adjoining an estate of Isabella G. Driscoll, tax for 1923, 27 17

New England Lumber Company—Buildings and about 36,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, numbered 163, 165, 167, 169, 171 and 173, between an estate of James G. Ripley heirs or devisees and an estate of Amy P. Wild, tax for 1923..... 575 51

Celia Nolan—Buildings and about 1,275 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard street, numbered 42, extending through to Prescott street, between an estate of Mary E. Doyle, and an estate of Elizabeth King, tax for 1923..... 113 62

Julius Samuel and Joseph Novakoff, one half, and William Kaplan and Ida Novakoff, one half—Buildings and about 3,961 feet of land on the southerly side of Wapping street, numbered 33, 35-39 and 41, making the junction of and numbered 114 Water street, adjoining an estate of Lillian Hann, tax for 1923.....\$469 30

Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due..... 319 30

Delia A. O'Riorden, Trustee under Will of Jeremiah P. O'Riorden—Buildings and about 2,004 feet of land on the southerly side of Henley street, numbered 59-63, making the junction of and numbered 60, 62, 64 and 66 Chelsea street, adjoining an estate of Mary E. Burns, trustee (numbered 45 Henley street), apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 46 79

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 105 46

Also buildings and about 2,730 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutherford avenue, numbered 109, 111, and 113, between an estate of Hannah Kelleher and an estate of Hannah E. Dinneen, tax for 1923..... 79 04

Patrick O'Riorden—Buildings and about 630 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gray street, numbered 12, adjoining an estate of George F. Chapin heirs, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 57

Also buildings and about 630 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gray street, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Patrick O'Riorden heirs or devisees, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921, 5 97

Sarah M. Pickering—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Common street, numbered 10, making the westerly corner of Park street, adjoining another estate of said Pickering, tax for 1923..... 71 63

Also buildings and about 1,423 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Common street, numbered 9, adjoining another estate of said Pickering and an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923..... 81 51

Domenico Pullaro—Buildings and about 750 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hudson street, numbered 18, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Irving Herbert and another (numbered 16), tax for 1923..... 27 17

Mary E. Quigley, Trustee under Will of William Sullivan (set off to Walter F. and Mary Lange—Buildings and about 1,768 feet (assessed as 1,678) feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prospect street, numbered 5, between an estate of Hyman Miller and an estate of Cornelius and Mary Donovan, tax for 1923..... 116 09

Mary E. Quigley, Trustee under Will of William Sullivan (set off to Annie F. Brown)—Buildings and about 1,706 (assessed as 1,651) feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prospect street, numbered 9, between an estate of Cornelius and Mary Donovan and an estate of John A. and Ellen T. McInnis, tax for 1923..... 118 56

Frances L. Richards—Buildings and about 1,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 56, between an estate of Mary E. Hanson and an estate of Bridget Curran, tax for 1923..... 69 16

Patrick Scalla—Buildings and about 840 feet of land on the westerly side of Corey street, numbered 52, making the northwesterly corner of Tufts Street avenue, adjoining an estate of Catherine Guilfoyle heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Anton Schaefer—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the westerly side of Tufts street, numbered 18, between an estate of Timothy J. Ryan and an estate of William Harrington and others, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Richard J., Thomas S. and Annie T. Schofield—Buildings and about 1,382 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 27 and 29,

making the southerly corner of Joiner street, adjoining an estate of said Schofield and an estate of P. O'Riorden heirs, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 89

James P. Shea Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lexington street, numbered 38, between an estate of Charles W. Schneider and an estate of Margaret Dwyer, tax for 1923..... 11 99

Thomas M. Smith—About 1,439 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Stephen C. Holmes and others; easterly by a passageway; southerly by an estate of Edward W. Fuller, and westerly by Corey street, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Also about 1,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said Thomas M. Smith; easterly by a passageway; southerly by an estate of Stephen C. Holmes and others; westerly by Corey street, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Also about 3,348 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street and making the southeasterly corner of Corey park, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Corey park; easterly by a passageway; southerly by an estate of the said Thomas M. Smith, and westerly by Corey street, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Also about 2,738 feet of land on the northerly side of Corey park, formerly Criminin place, numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4, making the northeasterly corner of Corey street, adjoining an estate of Neil Doherty heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... 29 64

Peter Snyder—Buildings and about 2,514 feet of land on the southerly side of Wapping street, numbered 19, 19A, 21 and 23, between an estate of Patrick O'Riorden heirs and an estate of Mary R. Briney, tax for 1923..... 123 50

Also buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 10 and 12, between an estate of American Trust Company and an estate of Rebecca Cohen and another, tax for 1923..... 135 85

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 7 52

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 17 00

Also buildings and about 5,080 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 79, 79A and 79 rear, between an estate of James S. Duval and an estate of Kate Hickey, tax for 1923..... 69 16

Snyders Naval Outfitters, Inc.—Buildings and about 5,063 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 15, 17, 19 and 21, between an estate of Richard J. Schofield and an estate of Edith P. Waters and others, tax for 1923..... 889 20

Hyman Stillman—About 2,009 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street, between another estate of said Stillman and an estate of Josephine L. Farrell, tax for 1921..... 19 76

Tax for 1922..... 19 76

Tax for 1923..... 19 76

Also about 2,087 feet of land on the easterly side of Corey street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Elizabeth M. Dougherty; easterly by an estate of Peter J. McElroy; southerly by an estate of Hyman Stillman, and westerly by Corey street, tax for 1921..... 19 76

Tax for 1922..... 19 76

Tax for 1923..... 19 76

John F. Tomfohrde—Buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Jefferson avenue, numbered 23, extending through to and numbered 24 and 26 Concord street, between an estate of Elizabeth G. Riorden and an estate of Mary Porter, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Thomas E. Walsh—Buildings and about 1,612 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutherford avenue, numbered 131, 131 rear, 133, between an estate of Francis Raynes devisees and an estate of Bridget A. Townsend, tax for 1923.....\$96 33

Paid on account..... 40 00

Balance due..... 56 33

Salvino and Theresa Zarella—Buildings and about 1,286 feet of land on the northerly side of Chelsea street, numbered 113 and 113A, between an estate of Hyman Miller and an estate of Annie E. Williams heirs or devisees, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1316, tax for 1923..... 158 08

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William H. Agey, Trustee—Buildings and about 881 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wendell street, numbered 38, between an estate of Hannah Quinn heirs or devisees and an estate of Albert R. Rosenthal, tax for 1923..... \$419 90

Samuel Altman—Buildings and about 2,111 feet of land on the northerly side of Broadway, numbered 226, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 902 and 908 Washington street, adjoining an estate of George Boggie and another, tax for 1923..... 1,393 08

Bertha E. Arseno—Buildings and about 921 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 3, between an estate of Mary G. Adams, and an estate of Kevie Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 69 16

Samuel Arvedon—Buildings and about 1,766 feet of land on the southerly side of Wiget street, numbered 4, 6 and 8, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 88 and 90 Salem street, adjoining an estate of Mile Barren, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12880, tax for 1923..... 958 36

Carlo, Augustino and Vincenzo Bacigalupo—Buildings and about 451 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chambers street, numbered 205, making the easterly corner of Barton street, adjoining an estate of Rosie Osterow, tax for 1923..... 64 22

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 2 79

Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc.—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Leverett street, numbered 38, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Hyman Green and another, tax for 1923..... 345 80

Ida Blander—Buildings and about 1,178 feet of land on the easterly side of Hudson street, numbered 126, between an estate of Anna M. Brickley and others and an estate of Mary H. Terrio, tax for 1923..... 88 92

Boston Construction Company—Buildings and about 3,207 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington street, numbered 864, 866 and 868, making the northeasterly corner of Oak street, adjoining an estate of George S. Winslow and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... \$1,830 27

Paid on account..... 850 00

Balance due..... 980 27

Anna M., Florence T. and Margaret Brickley—Buildings and about 1,414 feet of land on the easterly side of Hudson street, numbered 132, between an estate of Ida Blander and an estate of George A. Boussard and another, tax for 1923..... 123 50

Annie Bronstein—Buildings and about 2,466 feet of land on the easterly side of Norman street, numbered 49, 51 and 53, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 140A, 140C and 142 Merrimack street, adjoining an estate of Rachael Yanofsky, tax for 1923..... \$1,089 27

Paid on account..... 500 00

Balance due..... 589 27

Herman and Zlata Bucks—Buildings and about 958 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Barton street, numbered 74, making the easterly corner of Milton street, adjoining an estate of Norton F. Ginsberg, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Thomas J. Burke—Buildings and about 1,304 feet of land on the easterly side of India square, numbered 3 and 5, at junction of and numbered 5, 7 and 9 Storer street, between an estate of Amasa Stetson heirs or devisees and Rufus A. Thayer and an estate of Louis R. Spinney, tax for 1923..... 666 90

Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, trustees will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 650 feet of land on the northerly side of Curve street, numbered 41, between another estate of said Butler and another, trustees, and an estate of Joseph Emmeo, tax for 1923..... 64 22

Also buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the northerly side of Curve street, numbered 39, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 142 and 144 Hudson street, adjoining another estate of said Butler and another trustees, tax for 1923..... 128 44

Also buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard street, numbered 25, 25A, 25 rear and 27, between an estate of Bernard A. McMahon and another estate of said Butler and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 256 88

Also buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Butler and another, trustees, and an estate of Taurus Simeon Towk, tax for 1923..... 158 08

Luigi Caini—Buildings and about 949 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Unity street, numbered 18, between an estate of Pietro Folinos and an estate of Maddaleno Manfra and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6496, tax for 1923..... 185 25

Alphonse Cangiano—Buildings and about 2,099 feet of land on the southerly side of Cooper street, numbered 12, 14 and 16, making the southeasterly corner of Bartlett place, adjoining an estate of Michael Soldani, tax for 1923..... 778 05

Kevie Carmen and Ira W. Shapiro, trustees of Carmen Realty Trust—Buildings and about 2,667 feet of land on the westerly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 257, 259, 261 and 263, making the northwesterly corner of Noanet street, adjoining another estate of said Kevie Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 543 40

Also buildings and about 8,988 feet of land on the northerly side of Noanet street, numbered 12, 13 and 14, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... \$1,062 10

Paid on account..... 696 54

Balance due..... 365 56

Also buildings and about 980 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 1, between an estate of Boston Elevated Railway Company and an estate of Gregory Adams and another, tax for 1923..... 81 51

Also buildings and about 922 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 4, between an estate of Bertha E. Arseno and another estate of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 69 16

Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 61 75

Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 61 75

Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 61 75

Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 59 28

Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 9, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 59 28

Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 59 28

Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 10½ and 11, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 267 Harrison avenue, adjoining another estate of said Carmen and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 123 50

Kevie Carmen, Ira W. Spapira and Thomas Nutile, Trustees of the Commercial Building Trust—Buildings and about 2,775 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Henchman street, numbered 14 and 16, extending through to Goodridge alley, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Giuseppe Grande and others, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12587, tax for 1923..... 691 60

Also buildings and about 5,404 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prince street, numbered 91, 91A and 93, extending through to and numbered 6 Cleveland place, between an estate of Consiglia Giarla and an estate of Giovannia Angiulo, tax for 1923..... 1,654 90

Also buildings and about 1,601 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Salem street, numbered 152, between an estate of Angelo Ciampa and another and an estate of Tommaso Sorrentina, tax for 1923..... 494 00

Also buildings and about 723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thacher court, at end, numbered 15,

adjoining an estate of James Costanza and another, tax for 1923..... 111 15

Frances Cataldo—Buildings and about 1,387 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Salem street, numbered 167, 169 and 171, making the southerly corner of and numbered 48 North Bennet street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Gioacchino and Graziella Nardone, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12707, tax for 1923..... 642 20

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 63, between an estate of William Williams and an estate of Louise F. Sinclair, tax for 1923..... 140 79

Also buildings and about 710 feet of land on the northerly side of Hanover avenue, numbered 22 and 22A, between an estate of Charles A. Gillespie and an estate of P. Robert Green and others, tax for 1923..... 160 55

William Chang—Buildings and about 1,440 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tyler street, numbered 10, between an estate of Henry C. Thacher heirs or devisees and an estate of Chew Park and others, tax for 1923..... 251 94

Bridget Clougherty—About 408 feet of land on the southerly side of Commercial street, formerly numbered 534 Commercial street and 6 Copp's Hill terrace, making the southwesterly corner of Copp's Hill terrace, adjoining an estate of Alessandro Martino, tax for 1923..... 34 58

Domenico and Ansilia Cristiano—Buildings and about 1,245 square feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 391 and 393, making the southeasterly corner of Clark street, adjoining an estate of Joseph A. Langone, tax for 1923..... 741 00

Robert B. Crocker—Buildings and about 7,338 square feet of land on the southerly side of Lincoln street, numbered 210, 212, 214 and 216, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 144 Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Harry M. Aldrich, tax for 1923..... \$12,740 26

Paid on account..... 10,000 00

Balance due..... 2,740 26

Carminella D'Ambrosio—Buildings and about 1,082 square feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sheafe street, numbered 5, between an estate of Cleonice De Ieso and others and an estate of Pasquale Rosetto, tax for 1923..... 106 21

Also buildings and about 1,933 feet of land on the westerly side of Margaret street, numbered 12, 12½ and 14, between an estate of Arazio Bevilacqua and an estate of Tomaso Sacco, tax for 1923..... 432 25

Algerino De Angelis—Buildings and about 2,308 feet of land on the northerly side of Charter street, numbered 95 and 97, between an estate of Filipo Dimattia and an estate of Mary T. Grennan, tax for 1923..... 335 92

Mary M. Deraney, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tyler street, numbered 109, between an estate of Sarkis N. Leasher and an estate of Summerfield Company, tax for 1923..... 118 56

Joseph A. De Simone and Michael C. Bellucci, Trustees, one half, and Ralph Jannini, one half—Buildings and about 3,780 feet of land on the westerly side of North street, numbered 278, 280 rear, 280, 282 and 284, between an estate of Bessie Burgillo and another and an estate of Teresa Marotta, tax for 1922..... 716 30

Tax for 1923..... 716 30

Andrea DiPietro—Buildings and about 6,525 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 422, 424, 426 and 428, making the northwesterly and southwesterly corners of and numbered 3 and 4 Fountain place, tax for 1921..... 1,746 29

Tax for 1922..... 1,877 20

Also buildings and about 964 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 404, making the westerly corner of Holden court, tax for 1921..... 256 88

Tax for 1922..... 256 88

Also buildings and about 845 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1921..... 133 38

Tax for 1922..... 133 38

Also buildings and about 720 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 4, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1921..... 98 80

Tax for 1922..... 98 80

Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 3, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	148 20	adjoining an estate of Charles W. Rowell, tax for 1923.....	\$10,497 50	side of Portland street, numbered 11 and 11½, between an estate of P. Robert Greene and others and an estate of Suburban Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$543 40
Tax for 1922.....	148 20	Paid on account.....	5,000 00	Paid on account.....	143 40
Also about 1,035 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holden court, numbered 2, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	160 55	Balance due.....	5,497 50	Balance due.....	400 00
Tax for 1922.....	160 55	Romolo Ferrara—Buildings and about 891 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom street, numbered 21, between an estate of Frank Collazzo and another and an estate of John C. Taylor, trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$222 30	Hannah Greenwood—Buildings and about 400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chapel place, numbered 4, between an estate of Theodore E. Clark and an estate of Catherine Farley, tax for 1923.....	140 79
Also buildings and about 810 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Holden court, numbered 1, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	135 85	Paid on account.....	60 00	Mary A. Harnedy—Buildings and about 3,775 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 193 and 195, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 1 Blossom street, adjoining an estate of Mary Meltzer and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13949, tax for 1923.....	758 29
Tax for 1922.....	135 85	Balance due.....	162 30	David I. Herman—Buildings and about 2,899 feet of land on the southerly side of Merrimac street, numbered 128 and 134, between an estate of Rachel Yanofsky and an estate of H. Traiser & Co., Inc., registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13696, tax for 1923.....	1,331 33
Also buildings and about 821 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 402, making the southerly corner of Holden court, adjoining another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	222 30	Also buildings and about 1,330 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Willard street, numbered 19, between an estate of Sarah J. Hootstein and an estate of Benjamin Freedman and others, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Edward J. Hickey and John J. Ahern, Trustees—Buildings and about 2,038 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Friend street, numbered 232 and 234, between an estate of New England Trust Company, trustee, and an estate of Edward J. and Mary E. Butler, trustees, tax for 1923.....	913 90
Tax for 1922.....	222 30	Also buildings and about 1,324 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Willard street, numbered 23, between an estate of Sarah L. Hootstein and an estate of Boston Elevated Railway Company, tax for 1923.....	209 95	Mary G. Hirschberg—Buildings and about 511 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Staniford street, numbered 122, extending through and numbered 14 Prospect street, between an estate of Donald Stahl and an estate of Evelyn Lamprey, tax for 1923.....	202 54
Also buildings and about 1,765 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 416, 418 and 420, between an estate of Andrea DiPietro and another and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1921.....	528 58	Domenico Florio—Buildings and about 1,402 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Fulton street, numbered 77 and 79, between an estate of Paul B. Watson and others, trustees, and an estate of Charles A. Pastene and another, tax for 1923.....	869 44	Also buildings and about 979 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Staniford street, numbered 124 and 126, making the westerly corner of South Margin street, adjoining another estate of said Hirschberg, tax for 1923.....	543 40
Tax for 1922.....	605 15	Annie C. Foppiano—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Endicott street, numbered 158 and 158A, making the westerly corner of and numbered 23 and 25 Thacher street, adjoining an estate of Amelia A. Scigliano, tax for 1923.....	\$301 34	Ida M. Hodsdon—About 800 feet of land on the southerly side of Curve street, making the southwesterly corner of Albany street, adjoining an estate of Frederick W. Rogers, trustee, tax for 1923.....	59 28
Also buildings and about 972 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Leverett street, numbered 148 and 150, between an estate of Ralph F. Russell and an estate of Samuel A. Levenson, tax for 1922.....	296 40	Paid on account.....	150 00	Also buildings and about 844 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lewis street, numbered 52, making the easterly corner of and numbered 15 and 17 Moon street, adjoining an estate of Angiolina Galasso, tax for 1923.....	197 60
Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 406 to 418 (inclusive), between another estate of said DiPietro and an estate of Andrea DiPietro, tax for 1922.....	716 30	Balance due.....	151 34	Janet Hollander—Buildings and about 2,012 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 41A and 43, between another estate of said Hollander and an estate of Sarah Greenstein, tax for 1923.....	345 80
Also buildings and about 1,687 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 479 to 483 (inclusive), between another estate of said DiPietro and an estate of Ann Louise Hatfield heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....	486 59	Robert H. Ford—Buildings and about 603 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington Street North, numbered 163, between an estate of M. Louisa Hughes and an estate of John J. Bench, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Hyman Hootstein—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom street, numbered 63, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 38 and 38A Allen street, adjoining an estate of Ida Levenson, tax for 1923.....	370 50
Also buildings and about 1,517 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 491-495½ inclusive, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1922.....	395 20	Leah Franklin—Buildings and about 1,026 feet of land on the southerly side of Parkman street, numbered 12, between an estate of Abram Krasousky and an estate of Jennie Levine, tax for 1922.....	185 25	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 27
Also buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 485-489 inclusive, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1922.....	526 11	Tax for 1923.....	185 25	Philomena Ianniello—Buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southerly side of Noyes place, numbered 7, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Carlo Demarco and another, tax for 1923.....	88 92
Also buildings and about 935 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 497 and 499, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 420 Commercial street, adjoining another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1922.....	444 60	Arthur P. French, Trustee under will of Harriet Hallett—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Commercial street, numbered 206 and 208, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 1 and 1½ Lewis street, adjoining an estate of Harry H. Ham and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	716 30	Insurance Building Corporation—Buildings and about 25,960 feet of land on the southwesterly side of India street, numbered 11, making the southerly corner of and numbered 52 and 52A Central street, adjoining an estate of William J. Stober, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15450, tax for 1923.....	28,857 01
Andrea and Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 1,780 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 408, between another estate of said DiPietro and another and an estate of Giuseppe Farziale, tax for 1923.....	654 55	Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,271 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pitts street, numbered 26, between an estate of Mary C. Howard and an estate of Albert Brown heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Bella Isenberg and David, Maurice M., Meyer and Hyman M. Goldstein—Buildings and about 1,195 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Salem street, numbered 65, between an estate of Davis Krokyn and an estate of Jacob S. Heller, tax for 1923.....	\$508 82
Anna F. Doherty—Buildings and about 1,065 feet of land on the northerly side of Thacher street, numbered 33 and 35, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 95 and 97 Washington Street North, adjoining an estate of Giovanni Lepore, tax for 1923.....	444 60	Marcellina Gentile—Buildings and about 1,830 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Salem street, numbered 153 and 158A, between an estate of Generoso DeStefano and others and an estate of Rosina R. Petraglia, tax for 1923.....	\$753 35	Paid on account.....	258 82
Rachel Emanuel—Buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, numbered 16, making the westerly corner of Public Alley No. 12, adjoining an estate of Jennie Moses, tax for 1923.....	271 70	Paid on account.....	200 00	Balance due.....	250 00
Marion Epstein—Buildings and about 3,012 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brighton street, numbered 78 and 80, between an estate of Louis Levenson and an estate of Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923.....	\$476 71	Balance due.....	553 35	Murch Judd—About 2,369 feet of land on the northerly side of Merrimac street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estate of Luther W. Puffer; southerly by Merrimac street; easterly by estate of Gustavus H. Judd; westerly by estate of William B. Cohen, tax for 1923,	644 67
Paid on account.....	200 00	Ralph Giannato—Buildings and about 1,329 feet of land on the westerly side of North Margin street, numbered 60A, between an estate of Giovanni Catalano and another estate of said Giannato, tax for 1923.....	251 94		
Balance due.....	276 71	Max Ginsburg—Buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 151, between an estate of Lottie Harth and an estate of Annie M. Lynch and others, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Also buildings and about 1,152 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Minot street, numbered 11, between an estate of Mary Szabada and an estate of Sarah Cohen, tax for 1923.....	\$259 35	Albert A. Golden—Buildings and about 2,813 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 179-185, between an estate of Isreal A. Ratshesky and another and an estate of Abraham C. Ratshesky, tax for 1923.....	2,395 90		
Paid on account.....	200 00	Antonio Gonalves—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the southerly side of Harris street, numbered 23, between an estate of Roberto Leverone and an estate of Placido Amaru, tax for 1923.....	187 72		
Balance due.....	59 35	Annie Goodman—Buildings and about 965 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chambers street, numbered 149, making the easterly corner of and numbered 18 and 20 Ashland street, adjoining an estate of Louis H. Levenson, tax for 1923.....	\$370 50		
Federal Development Company—Buildings and about 5,366 feet of land on the southerly side of Dock square, numbered 24, 24A, 25 and 26, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 20-26 Faneuil Hall square,		Paid on account.....	100 00		
		Balance due.....	270 50		
		Daniel Goodnow—Buildings and about 736 feet of land on the northeasterly			

James Kanher—Buildings and about 780 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennard avenue, numbered 14, between an estate of Bruni Handler and an estate of Clara H. Litchfield, tax for 1923.....	197 60
Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 921 feet of land on the southerly side of Noanet street, numbered 3, between an estate of Mary G. Adams and an estate of George H. Penniman and others, tax for 1922.....	69 16
Knickerbocker Realty Company, Incorporated—Buildings and about 1,754 feet of land on the southwestly side of Cross street, numbered 93 and 95, between another estate of said Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., and an estate of Ralph B. Williams and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... Also buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the southwestly side of Cross street, numbered 89 and 91, between an estate of Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., and another estate of said Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., tax for 1923..... Also buildings and about 1,061 feet of land on the southeastly side of Hanover street, numbered 193 and 195, making the southerly corner of and numbered 85 Cross street, adjoining another estate of said Knickerbocker Realty Company, Inc., tax for 1923.....	696 54 1,091 74 1,195 48
Julius Krinsky—Buildings and about 3,339 feet of land on the northeastly side of Green street, numbered 35, 37, 39 and 41, between an estate of Minnie Levenson and an estate of Abraham Marcus, tax for 1923..... Also buildings and about 1,862 feet of land on the westerly side of Staniford street, numbered 36 and 36A, between an estate of Annie Ziskind and an estate of said Krinsky, tax for 1923..... Also buildings and about 1,863 feet of land on the westerly side of Staniford street, numbered 38 and 38A, between another estate of said Krinsky and an estate of John Spalvaro, tax for 1923.....	424 84 494 00 494 00
Gaetano LaMarca—Buildings and about 3,665 feet of land on the southerly side of North street, numbered 199, 201 and 207, between an estate of George A. Richards and an estate of Giuseppe Maravigno and another, tax for 1923..... Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	988 00 13 26
Joseph A. Langone, three eighths, Katherine, one eighth, Julia, one eighth, Maria A., one eighth, Lucia, one eighth, and Agostola Vaccaro, one eighth—Buildings and about 409 feet of land on the northerly side of Douglass court, numbered 6, between an estate of Michael Masselli heirs and another and an estate of Michael Langone and another, tax for 1923....	27 17
Barack M. and Raymond M. Leasher—Buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hudson street, numbered 133, between another estate of said Leasher and another and an estate of Mary S. J. Sayr, tax for 1923..... Paid on account.....	\$133 38 50 00
Balance due.....	
Also buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hudson street, numbered 135, between another estate of said Leasher and another and an estate of George A. Boussard, tax for 1923..... Paid on account.....	\$121 03 25 00
Balance due.....	
Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Oak street, numbered 87, between an estate of Minnie L. Hildebrand and an estate of Asia K. Aboozbeeb, tax for 1923..... Paid on account.....	\$93 86 25 00
Balance due.....	
Kate Lerner—Buildings and about 1,457 feet of land on the northeastly side of Leverett street, numbered 69, between an estate of Hyman Brown and another and an estate of Joseph Fisher, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12664, tax for 1923.....	291 46
Katie Lerner—Buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northeastly side of Leverett street, numbered 125, between an estate of Fannie Kramer and an estate of Victor H. and Eli H. Tarlin, trustees, tax for 1923..... Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	219 83 9 90
Joseph Lifland and Leah Shraier—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 248, making the westerly corner of Auburn street, adjoining an estate, now or formerly of Lena Krinsky, tax for 1923..... Paid on account.....	\$370 50 150 00
Balance due.....	220 50
William F. Lowe—Buildings and about 1,115 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 39, making the northwesterly corner of Allen place, adjoining an estate of Boston Music School Settlement, Inc., tax for 1923..... Paid on account.....	\$229 71 107 71
Balance due.....	122 00
Edward H. Lowell—Buildings and about 58,712 feet of land on the northerly side of Hanover street, at end, between an estate of Quincy Market Cold Storage and Warehouse Company and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	2,106 91
Christopher P. McCaffrey—Buildings and about 901 feet of land on the northeastly side of Harvard street, numbered 72, between an estate of John C. L. Dowling and an estate of Michael Solomon, tax for 1923.....	135 85
Maria and Pantaleone Mercurio, one half each—Buildings and about 1,655 feet of land on the northeastly side of Endicott street, numbered 175, 177 and 179, extending through to and making the westerly corner of North Margin street, adjoining another estate of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923..... Also buildings and about 671 feet of land on the northeastly side of Endicott street, numbered 181, extending through to North Margin street, between two other estates of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923..... Also buildings and about 719 feet of land on the northeastly side of Endicott street, numbered 183, extending through to North Margin street, between two other estates of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923..... Also buildings and about 724 feet of land on the northeastly side of Endicott street, numbered 185, making the easterly corner of Lafayette avenue, extending through to and making the southerly corner of North Margin street, adjoining another estate of said Mercurio and another, tax for 1923.....	489 06 172 90 192 66
Carmine Montuori—Buildings and about 5,344 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 432, 434, 440, 442 and 444, between an estate of Savarese & Co., and an estate of Vincenzo Nitilo, tax for 1923..... Paid on account.....	\$1,976 00 400 00
Balance due.....	1,576 00
Also buildings and about 1,165 feet of land on the northerly side of Baldwin place, numbered 5, between an estate of Maurice Bearser and an estate of Gracie Finklestein, tax for 1923..... Paid on account.....	\$172 90 100 00
Balance due.....	72 90
Mendel Morse—Buildings and about 1,350 feet of land on the southwestly side of Wall street, numbered 23, extending through to and numbered 2 Ransom court, between an estate of Mendel Morse and an estate of Giuseppe Borriello and another, tax for 1923..... Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwestly side of Wall street, numbered 29 and 31, between an estate of said Morse and an estate of Israel Berman, tax for 1923..... Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwestly side of Wall street, numbered 27, between an estate of said Morse and an estate of said Morse, tax for 1923..... Also buildings and about 1,080 feet of land on the southwestly side of Wall street, numbered 47, between an estate of Sebastino Buccieri and another and an estate of Julius Gloriosa, tax for 1923..... Also buildings and about 616 feet of land on the southwestly side of Wall street, numbered 9, making the westerly corner of Cushman avenue, adjoining an estate of Bailie Crovov, tax for 1923.....	296 40 180 31 180 31 205 01 148 20
Adolph and Max H. Morse—Buildings and about 1,143 feet of land on the southwestly side of Lowell street, numbered 13, between an estate of	
Annie Woronoff and an estate of Etta Laibovitz, tax for 1923.....	269 23
Adolph and Mendel Morse—Buildings and about 1,842 feet of land on the northeastly side of Wall street, numbered 40 and 42, between an estate of Maurice Coron and an estate of Giuseppe and Concetta Valente, tax for 1923.....	451 48
Mortgage Indemnity Corporation—Buildings and about 2,743 feet of land on the easterly side of Wharf street, numbered 21, making the southeastly corner of and numbered 44, 45 and 46 India street, adjoining an estate of John Morrissey, tax for 1923.....	1,951 30
Charles H. and Mary I. Moseley, Trustees under the will of Joseph B. Glover—Buildings and about 1,479 feet of land on the southwestly side of Oliver street, numbered 55 and 57, making the westerly corner of Wendell street, adjoining an estate of Charles W. Sherburne, tax for 1923.....	1,506 70
William P. Murray—Buildings and about 1,270 feet of land on the northly side of State street, numbered 178 and 180, extending through to Commerce street between an estate of Fifty Associates and an estate of Luke W. Towle, tax for 1922.....	1,605 50
Ralph E. Nowell—Buildings and about 2,132 feet of land on the easterly side of Leverett street, numbered 5, 5A, 5B and 7, between an estate of Elisia F. Ames heirs and an estate of Julius Robbins, tax for 1923.....	652 08
Chester J. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northly side of State street, numbered 150 and 152, between an estate of William J. McDonald and others and an estate of Alfred Hemenway and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	2,223 00
Margaret O'Connell—Buildings and about 743 feet of land on the westery side of Snow Hill street, numbered 55, making the northwesterly corner of North Hudson street, adjoining an estate of Salvatore Coglian, tax for 1923.....	98 80
William C. and John F. O'Kelly—Buildings and about 1,210 feet of land on the northeastly side of Prince street, numbered 9 and 11, making the easterly corner of and numbered 333 and 335 Hanover street, adjoining an estate of Julius Cohen, tax for 1923..... Paid on account.....	\$913 90 460 37
Balance due.....	453 53
Owner or Owners Unknown—About 1,412 feet of land on the northeastly side of Creek square in the rear of and adjoining an estate of George N. Black, tax for 1923.....	417 43
Alice B. Packard—Buildings and about 660 feet of land on the easterly side of Snow Hill street, numbered 9, between an estate of Arcangelo Cataldo and an estate of Michele Casoli and another, tax for 1923.....	88 92
Sadie W. Peckerman—Buildings and about 1,023 feet of land on the southwestly side of Lowell street, numbered 49, between an estate of David Cohen and an estate of Wolf Davis and another, tax for 1923.....	195 13
Etta Permuth—Buildings and about 660 feet of land on the southwestly side of Lowell street, numbered 37, between an estate of Philip Mendelsohn, and an estate of Jacob L. Green and another, tax for 1923.....	209 95
Samuel Pitchel—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwestly side of Chambers street, numbered 154, between an estate of Harry Isaacson and another and an estate of Fannie Tarlinsky, tax for 1923.....	222 30
Jacob and Fannie Pollack—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northwestly side of Barton street, numbered 47, between an estate of Agnes T. Flood and an estate of Max Uroff, tax for 1923..... Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	148 20 4 02

Meyer Rosenblatt—Buildings and about 1,146 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chambers street, numbered 177, between an estate of William A. Dunn and an estate of Judith Levenson, tax for 1923.....	229 71	another estate of said Sonnabend, tax for 1923.....	140 79	Carmela Vana—Buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the northerly side of Prince street, numbered 3, between an estate of Placido Amaro and an estate of Louisa DiGennaro, tax for 1923.....	247 00
Harry Sachs—Buildings and about 1,462 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leverett street, numbered 89 and 91, extending through to and numbered 8 Ransom court, between an estate of Lena Glassman and an estate of Simon Barnard, tax for 1923.....	365 56	Also buildings and about 1,364 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 213, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Solomon Myers, tax for 1923.....	494 00	Carmine A. Vana—Buildings and about 990 feet of land on the southerly side of Prince street, numbered 2, between two estates of Antonio A. Solari heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	370 50
Agnes Salerno—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Unity court, numbered 20, between an estate of James Cavanaugh and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, Junior, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 92	Rebecca Sonnabend—Buildings and about 4,407 feet of land on the southerly side of Commercial street, numbered 440-448 (inclusive), making the southwesterly corner of Greenough lane, adjoining an estate of Pasquale Rosetti, tax for 1923.....	1,096 68	Lillian T. Walsh—Buildings and about 2,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Haymarket square, numbered 7 and 8, between an estate of Robert H. Gardiner et als., trustee, and an estate of Louville V. Niles, tax for 1923.....	\$1,235 00 Paid on account..... 400 00
Sang Bom and Yee Hing Foo, one half each—Buildings and about 3,483 feet of land on the easterly side of Oxford street, numbered 34 and 36, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 60 and 62 Beach street, extending through to and numbered 15 Oliver place, adjoining an estate of David Collins heirs or devisees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14577, tax for 1923.....	995 41	Joseph Stanetsky—Buildings and about 1,680 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington Street North, numbered 55, extending through to Lynn street, between an estate of Russell and Edith Bradford and an estate of Leet W. Bissell, trustee, tax for 1922.....	728 65 728 65	Balance due.....	835 00
Filippo and Concetta Sardo—Buildings and about 242 feet of land on the southerly side of Commercial street, numbered 540 and 542, between another estate of said Sardo and another and an estate of Allesandro Martino, tax for 1923.....	49 40	Tax for 1923.....		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 56
Mary A. Sears—About 603 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom court, formerly numbered 11, between an estate of John F. Howard and others and an estate of Hannah E. Riordan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Bernard Stanetsky—Buildings and about 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington Street North, numbered 44, between an estate of E. Sohler Welch and others, trustees, and an estate of Paul B. Watson and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	802 75	E. Sohler Welch, Trustee under deed, Jennie R. Tyler—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the southerly side of State street, numbered 105, extending through to and numbered 26 Doane street, adjoining an estate of Richards M. Bradley and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	\$3,458 00 Paid on account..... 3,087 50
Michael Seretto—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Staniford street, numbered 25 and 27, making a southeasterly corner of and numbered 52, 54 and 56 Green street, adjoining another estate of said Seretto, tax for 1923.....	518 70	Jennie D. Steuer—Buildings and about 1,121 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brighton street, numbered 81, between an estate of David Mancovitz and another estate of said Jennie D. Steuer, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Balance due.....	370 50
Also buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the easterly side of Staniford street, numbered 23, between two other estates of said Seretto (numbered 21 and 25), tax for 1923.....	461 89	Also buildings and about 1,121 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brighton street, numbered 79, between another estate of said Steuer and an estate of Barnet Balin, tax for 1923.....	190 19	Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wall street, numbered 30, between an estate of United Congregation Beth Jacob and an estate of Mendall Morse, tax for 1923.....	121 03
Also buildings and about 1,430 feet of land on the easterly side of Staniford street, numbered 21, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway and extending through to and numbered 50 Green street, adjoining another estate of said Seretto (numbered 23), tax for 1923.....	432 25	William J. Stober—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of India street, numbered 12 and 13, between two estates of Insurance Building Corporation, tax for 1923.....	891 67	William Williams—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Endicott street, numbered 221 and 223, between an estate of Daniel McLaughlin and another and an estate of St. Elizabeth's Hospital of Boston, tax for 1923.....	370 50
Arthur I. Shain—Buildings and about 1,786 feet of land on the easterly side of Chambers street, numbered 49, between an estate of Esther Robbins and an estate of Cosino Mascari, tax for 1923.....	523 64	Also buildings and about 5,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Broad street, numbered 78, 78A, 80 and 82, making the northwesterly corner of Franklin street adjoining an estate of Daniel G. Finnerty and others, tax for 1923.....	4,174 30	Wing Chin She—Buildings and about 1,076 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tyler street, numbered 67, adjoining another estate of said Wing, tax for 1923.....	217 36
Jacob Short—Buildings and about 2,049 feet of land on the westerly side of North Russell street, numbered 34A, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Wolf Zimmerman and another, tax for 1923.....	444 60	Also buildings and about 880 feet of land on the northerly side of Broad street, numbered 54 and 56, between an estate of Harry H. Hubbard and an estate of Charles F. Adams, 2d, and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	839 80	Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard street, numbered 53 and 53 1/2, making the westerly corner of Tyler street, adjoining an estate of John George, tax for 1923.....	217 36
Also buildings and about 2,004 feet of land on the westerly side of North Russell street, numbered 34B, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Max Gruber, tax for 1923.....	444 60	Also buildings and about 3,541 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oliver street, numbered 110-118, making the easterly corner of and numbered 157 and 159 High street, adjoining an estate of Ray C. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	3,112 20	Esther Wolf and Sarah Sontag—Buildings and about 1,485 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fulton street, numbered 112 and 114, between an estate of John H. Lyons and an estate of Benjamin Rogolsky and another, tax for 1923.....	543 40
Leah Shraier and Joseph Lifand—Buildings and about 1,975 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Poplar street, numbered 85, between an estate of Sarah Horowitz and an estate of Celia Shapiro, tax for 1923.....	\$321 10 Paid on account..... 150 00	Also buildings and about 3,334 feet of land on the easterly side of Federal street, numbered 32-36, extending through to and numbered 131-135 Congress street, between an estate of William H. Agry, trustee, and an estate of Henry H. Gilman and another, tax for 1923.....	5,187 00	Francesco Yulla—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southerly side of Endicott court, numbered 6, between an estate of Carmelo Cirino and an estate of Francesco and Angelina Yulla, tax for 1923.....	34 58
Balance due.....	171 10	Meyer Stoler—Buildings and about 1,187 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Auburn street, numbered 16, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Jacob Weinerman, tax for 1923.....	247 00	Francesco and Angelina Yulla—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southerly side of Endicott court, numbered 8, between an estate of Francesco Yulla and an estate of Edward E. Blodgett and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Louise F. Sinclair—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 61 and 61A, making the westerly corner of a passageway running through to north-easterly side of Wall street, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	140 79	Dominico Tamasi—Buildings and about 2,312 feet of land on the northerly side of Clark street, numbered 32, 34 and 36, between an estate of Placido Awarn and an estate of Leonardo Squillacioti, tax for 1923.....	676 78	Also buildings and about 918 feet of land on the westerly side of Endicott street, numbered 164, between an estate of Giovanni Lepore and another estate of said Yulla and another, tax for 1923.....	276 64
Louis Skliarsky—Buildings and about 857 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 130, between another estate of said Skliarsky and an estate of Harry Leshevsky, tax for 1923.....	172 90	Gilman Tyng—Buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the easterly side of Staniford street, numbered 3, between an estate of Marietta C. Wright and an estate of Frank and Domenico Imbroglia, tax for 1923.....	\$249 47 Paid on account..... 200 00	Also buildings and about 1,491 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prince street, numbered 138, making the southerly corner of LaFayette avenue, adjoining an estate of Salvatore Bruno, tax for 1923.....	328 51
Also buildings and about 976 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chambers street, numbered 134, between an estate of Victor H. Tarlin and another, trustees, and another estate of said Skliarsky, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Balance due.....	49 47	Max and Dora Zuman—Buildings and about 1,585 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Cambridge street, numbered 297 and 299, between an estate of James F. Ellis and an estate of Max Zuman, tax for 1922.....	419 90
Julia E. Sonnabend—About 1,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mechanic street (numbered formerly 7), between an estate of Charles F. Adams, 2d and others, trustees and		Also buildings and about 1,205 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Causeway street, numbered 34 and 36, between an estate of Ida Shapiro and an estate of Richard Morrison devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$506 35 Paid on account..... 309 00	Tax for 1923.....	419 90
		Balance due.....	206 35	WARD SIX.	
		Max Uroff, reassessed from John C. Taylor, Trustee—Buildings and about 918 feet of land on the easterly side of Blossom street, numbered 23, between an estate of Harrey W. Mehan and an estate of Romolo Ferrara, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Goldie Adler—Buildings and about 2,346 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, between an estate of Harris Goldman and an estate of Bernard Steuer and another, tax for 1923.....	\$135 85 Paid on account..... 95 00
				Balance due.....	\$40 85
				Edgar P. Benjamin (Marion F. Gage, supposed present owner)—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Canton street, numbered 9, between an estate of Joseph O'Kane and an estate of Joseph F. Mellor, tax for 1923.....	113 62

Samuel Berkman—Buildings and about 871 feet of land on the northerly side of Wilkes street, numbered 4, between another estate of said Berkman and an estate of Robert Spitzer and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4146, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Also buildings and about 871 feet of land on the northerly side of Wilkes street, numbered 3, between another estate of said Berkman and an estate of Blazev Slobinsky and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4146, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Minnie C. Bishop—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ryan street, numbered 27, between an estate of Mary A. McLaughlin and another (numbered) 25) and an estate of William D. Sohler, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Alma G. Bowen—Buildings and about 1,266 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ivanhoe street, numbered 12 and 14, making the southerly corner of Fabin street, adjoining an estate of John W. Jones (numbered 125 and 127 West Canton street), tax for 1922.....	41 99		
Thomas Buckley—Buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the northerly side of East Newton street, numbered 68, between an estate of James Gordon and an estate of Minnie E. Dallen, tax for 1923.....	\$106 21		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	56 21		
Peter T. Callahan, Margaret Thompson, Mary Gehue, Catherine Sughrue, Annie Cross, Helen Keenan and John Joseph Callahan (reassessed from Annie M. Kelley) Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 36, making the southerly corner of Ryan street, adjoining an estate of Max Werbalski, tax for 1922.....	44 46		
Peter T. Callahan, Margaret Thompson, Mary Gehue, Catherine Sughrue, Annie Cross, Helen Keenan and John Joseph Callahan—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 36, making the southerly corner of Ryan street, adjoining an estate of Max Werbalski, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 66 and 68, between an estate of Charles F. Bates heirs and an estate of Ephraim Lissner heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Trumbull street, numbered 2, between an estate of Joseph O. Hobbs heirs, numbered 4 and an estate of Harris Frank, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Robert S. Clisby—Buildings and about 728 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stevens street, numbered 3, between an estate of Helen I. Lincoln and an estate of George R. Blinn, trustee, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Gertrude N. Cole—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Dedham street, numbered 24, between an estate of Mary A. Tighe and an estate of Gertrude B. Pollard and others, tax for 1923.....	118 56		
Ellen N. Cummings—Buildings and about 1,062 feet of land on the southerly side of Bond street, numbered 17, making the southeasterly corner of Hanson street, adjoining an estate of Joseph W. Phelan and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	116 09		
Michael M. Cuniff—Buildings and about 2,363 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 545, 547, 549 and 551, making the northerly corner of and numbered 1 and 3 Waltham street, adjoining an estate of Horace W. Baxter and Agnes E. Bigelow, trustees, tax for 1922.....	345 80		
Katerina Dadourian—Buildings and about 1,144 feet of land on the westerly side of Village street, numbered 41, between an estate of Maurice Murphy, tax for 1923.....	69 16		
Rose S. Daley—Buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Dedham street, numbered 58, between an estate of Benjamin E. Van Ness and an estate of Alma G. Bowen, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
Mary M. Deraney—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Dedham street, numbered 37, between an estate of Sarah J. Regan and an estate of Agnes M. Cronin, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Also buildings and about 1,611 feet of land on the southerly side of Norwich street, numbered 17, between an estate of Charles Milkey and another and an estate of Najieb N. Meshaka, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also buildings and about 2,730 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 1490, making the easterly corner of and numbered 2 East Canton street, adjoining an estate of Flora Leverone, tax for 1923.....	264 29		
John A. DiPesa, Trustee—Buildings and about 6,110 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Concord street, numbered 68, making the westerly corner of and numbered 1641, 1643 and 1645 Washington street, extending to and making the southerly corner of Deacon street, adjoining an estate of Robert T. Paine, tax for 1923.....	\$1,729 00		
Paid on account.....	500 00		
Balance due.....	1,229 00		
Mary A. Dracousis—Buildings and about 1,473 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 262 and 264, between an estate of Emma K. Shibley and an estate of Joseph Spear, tax for 1923.....	318 63		
Empire Manufacturing Company, Massachusetts Corporation—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Malden street, numbered 47, making the westerly corner of and numbered 587, 589, 591 and 595 Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Patrick and Margaret M. Harrington, tax for 1923.....	741 00		
Ernest Estes—Buildings and about 670 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 30, making the easterly corner of Ryan street, adjoining an estate of Hannah E. Hobbs, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ryan street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said Estes, northeasterly by an estate of City of Boston, southeasterly by an estate of G. Willard Bartlett, and southwesterly by Ryan street, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Mary L. Fish—Buildings and about 1,125 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 56 and 58, between an estate of Michael J. Quigley and others and an estate of Eustina Brown, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Charles A. Fitzpatrick—About 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ryan street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Ryan street, southeasterly by an estate of John J. Comerford, southwesterly by an estate of Annie L. Walsh, and northwesterly by an estate of Samuel Bierch, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Catherine J. Flaherty—Buildings and about 2,386 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 700, between an estate of Lizzie J. Allen and an estate of William A. Nazzaro, tax for 1923.....	284 05		
Ellis L. Gates—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newland street, numbered 25, between two estates of Helen V. Donoghue, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Max Goldman—Buildings and about 950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seneca street, numbered 38, between an estate of Shirree Haboush and an estate of Israel Strymsk, tax for 1923.....	108 68		
Frederick Green—Buildings and about 1,190 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Springfield street, numbered 16, between an estate of Daniel J. Sullivan and an estate of William H. Griffith, tax for 1923.....	96 33		
Fannie E. Hatch—Buildings and about 1,596 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sharon street, numbered 28, between an estate of Gezla Davidson and an estate of Edward Doherty, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Louis E. and Cora L. Henderson—Buildings and about 975 feet of land on the southerly side of East Brookline street, numbered 37, making the westerly corner of Public Alley No. 710, adjoining an estate of Elias Hook and another, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 95		
Edward J. Hickey, Trustee—Buildings and about 686 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 7, between another estate of said Hickey, trustee, and an estate of Nathan Spigel, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Also buildings and about 677 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 9, between an estate of Abraham L. Gordon and another estate of said Hickey, trustee, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 5,003 feet of land on the easterly side of Meander street, numbered 17, 19 and 21, between an estate of J. J. Connolly and others and an estate of Josephine M. Hicks, trustee, tax for 1923.....	333 45		
Also buildings and about 900 feet of land, on the southwesterly side of Worcester street, numbered 40, making the southerly corner of Newland street, adjoining an estate of Edgar P. Benjamin, tax for 1923.....	113 62		
Robert L. Hosmer and George H. Babbitt—Buildings and about 676 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Paul street, numbered 55, between an estate of Elizabeth E. Ruck and an estate of Dora A. Dukes, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
James H. Howard—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Norwich street, numbered 14, between an estate of Wilhelmina E. Gremson and an estate of George L. Stratton, trustee, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Charles H. Jennings—Buildings and about 543 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Canton street court, numbered 1, between an estate of Mary Berry and an estate of William Cataldo and another, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Harold E. Jones—About 1,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Way street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Way street, easterly by an estate of Zella Greenwood, southerly by an estate of Sarah Harris, westerly by an estate of Zibranza Mackla, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Shahe V. Kastarian—Buildings and about 6,084 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 401, between another estate of said Kastarian and an estate of Elia Hoosepian and others, tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Misak Kazarian—Buildings and about 2,033 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Concord street, numbered 61, making the westerly corner of Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Celia A. Gilson, tax for 1923.....	385 32		
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,053 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ringgold street, numbered 4, between an estate of Minnie Croan and an estate of Clara B. Gould and another, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 808 feet of land on the northerly side of Medford court, numbered 3, between an estate of Blanche Cohen and an estate of John McCarthy heirs, tax for 1923.....	59 28		
Isaac Krasnick—Buildings and about 894 feet of land on the southerly side of Acton street, numbered 6, between an estate of Guiseppa Tortorella and others and an estate of Gaspar Roccaforte and another, tax for 1923.....	66 69		
Joseph A., Cecelia and Elizabeth J. Krim—Buildings and about 992 feet of land on the westerly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 153 and 155, between an estate of Manual Gulesian and another and another estate of said Krim and others, tax for 1923.....	192 66		
Also buildings and about 980 feet of land on the westerly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 157 and 159, between two other estates of said Krim and others, tax for 1923.....	192 66		
Also buildings and about 786 feet of land on the westerly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 161 and 163, between another estate of said Krim and others, and an estate of Sam Simon, tax for 1923.....	138 32		
Sarah Levine—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Decatur street, numbered 11, between an estate of Lena Ascher and an estate of Max and Ethel Weinberg, tax for 1923.....	\$197 60		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	97 60		
Frank P. Lyons—Buildings and about 1,421 feet of land on the southerly side of Garland street, numbered 2, making the southwesterly corner of Garland place, adjoining an estate of Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustee, tax for 1923.....	143 26		
Augustus I. Marini—Buildings and about 594 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 83, between another estate of said Marini and an estate of Etta Bilan-sky, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Also buildings and about 645 feet of land on the westerly side of Middlesex street, numbered 85, making the northwesterly corner of Hingham street, adjoining another estate of said Marini, tax for 1923.....	86 45		

Israel Miller, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seneca street, numbered 16, between an estate of Philip Rosen and an estate of Flora Applestein, tax for 1923.....	158 08
Bridget Murphy—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worcester street, numbered 35, between an estate of Lester H. Dana and an estate of Arthur H. Damon, trustee, tax for 1923. \$167 96 Paid on account.....	140 00
Balance due.....	27 96
William A. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 704, between an estate of Constance E. Eaton and another estate of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923.....	284 05
Alma E. Nelson (reassessed from Sarkis Garabedian and another)—Buildings and about 1,266 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ivanhoe street, numbered 12 and 14, making the southerly corner of Fabin street, adjoining an estate of John W. Jones, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Mary T. O'Donnell (supposed present owner Joseph N. St. Charles and another)—Buildings and about 1,410 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 209 and 211, between an estate of Philip Magnet and another estate of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	251 94
Also buildings and about 1,409 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 213 and 215, between two other estates of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	244 53
Also buildings and about 1,410 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 217 and 219, between two other estates of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	244 53
Also buildings and about 1,408 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 221 and 223, between two other estates of said O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	244 53
Also buildings and about 1,455 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 225 and 227, between another estate of said O'Donnell and an estate of Mollie Miller, tax for 1923.....	247 00
Elizabeth O'Rourke—Buildings and about 1,139 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rutland street, numbered 10, between an estate of George F. Williams and an estate of Clement D'Andria, tax for 1923.....	\$148 20
Paid on account.....	55 00
Balance due.....	93 20
Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rutland street, numbered 11, between an estate of Louis C. Pazolt and an estate of Joseph E. Jadoon and another, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	73 50
William Phillips—Buildings and about 1,269 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Village street, numbered 76, between an estate of Mary L. Sullivan and an estate of Margaret McAlpine, tax for 1923.....	\$190 19
Paid on account.....	150 00
Balance due.....	40 19
Domenick Robatto—Buildings and about 1,244 feet of land on the southerly side of Asylum street, numbered 6, between an estate of Ida Burg and an estate of Mary Rahal, tax for 1923.....	130 91
Harlow H. Rogers—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rollins street, numbered 27, making the westerly corner of and numbered 543 Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Michael M. Cuniff, tax for 1923.....	217 36
Also about 800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ryan street, between an estate of James McLaughlin, 2d, devisee of, and an estate of Bernard Doherty heirs or devisees, being lot 28, S. P. Fuller plan, April 3, 1843, on file at assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Helen G. Sheehan—Buildings and about 1,845 feet of land on the southeasterly side of James street, numbered 8, extending through to Public Alley 710, between an estate of Sophie Kurko and an estate of Lena B. Wade, tax for 1923.....	202 54
Apportionment of street assessment for 1923.....	17 16
Philip Shurdut—Buildings and about 600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fabin street, numbered 17, between an estate of Jeremiah Riley heirs or devisees and an estate of	

Daniel Shannon heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	12 35
John K. Simpson—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 437, making the westerly corner of West Newton street, adjoining an estate of Thomas J. Haskin and another, tax for 1923.....	247 00
Albert C. Smith—Buildings and about 2,640 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Middlesex street, numbered 65 and 67, between an estate of Samuel Litvak and an estate of Max and Jennie Friedman, tax for 1923.....	316 16
Jennie Spack—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oneida street, numbered 38, between an estate of Onofrio LaScala and another and an estate of Bertha Simons and others, tax for 1923.....	\$150 67
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	50 67
Lillian F. Williams—Buildings and about 3,327 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union Park street, numbered 16, 18, 20 and 24, between an estate of Moses Williams and another, trustees, and an estate of Boston Penny Savings Bank, tax for 1923.....	496 47
William Williams—Buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Troy street, numbered 30 and 34, between an estate of Donald M. Blair, surviving trustee, and an estate of Samuel Berman, tax for 1923.....	217 36
Williams Realty Company—About 1,452 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fabin street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Benjamin E. Van Ness; southeasterly by an estate of William Collier heirs or devisees and others, southwesterly by Fabin street, and northwesterly by an estate of Provident Realty Company, tax for 1922.....	19 76
Tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also about 2,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 503, between an estate of Katherine A. Clark and an estate of Ida A. McGreevey, tax for 1923.....	150 67
Edith B. Woodman—Buildings and about 552 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cumston place, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Edith B. Woodman, tax for 1923.....	54 34
Also buildings and about 552 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cumston place, numbered 1, making the westerly corner of Cumston street, adjoining another estate of said Woodman, tax for 1923.....	56 81

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William N. Ambler (supposed present owner Edward J. Ball—Buildings and about 3,291 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 84, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of Isaac B. Mills, tax for 1923.....	\$1,185 60
Also buildings and about 3,305 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 86, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of A. Carlton Potter, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,202 89
William N. Ambler—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 96, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of Henry M. Channing, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,012 70
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 98, between two other estates of said Ambler, tax for 1923.....	1,012 70
Also buildings and about 2,748 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 100, between another estate of said Ambler and an estate of Fred H. Williams, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,012 70
Helen Athans (supposed present owner George H. Raptelis and another)—Buildings and about 1,497 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 20, between an estate of Melick Savastano and an estate of James S. Athans, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Ida Batchelor—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Newton street, numbered 215 and 215A, between an estate of Augusta Nelson and an estate of Thomas H. Hinkley, tax for 1923.....	177 84
Ida Berkman—Buildings and about 3,655 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Batavia street, numbered 17, between an estate of Charles F. Tirrell and another, trustees, and an	

estate of Mary M. Alebord, tax for 1923.....	494 00
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 93
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, Trustees under will of William Mixer, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 1,716 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 588, between an estate of Hannah C. Hutchinson and an estate of William M. Black, tax for 1923.....	259 35
Marcus Brownstein—Buildings and about 4,368 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Westland avenue, numbered 69 and 71, between an estate of Thomas S. Maloof and another and an estate of James Howard and another, tax for 1923.....	\$1,185 60
Paid on account.....	1,000 00
Balance due.....	185 60
James M. Burr—Buildings and about 2,166 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 57, between an estate of Mary L. McDonough and an estate of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	284 05
Tax for 1922.....	284 05
Fannie Clayton—About 13,684 feet of land on the easterly side of Parker street adjoining an estate of John F. McDevitt, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 7, page 71, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	340 86
Annie E. Coton—Buildings and about 2,112 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Canton street, numbered 207, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Alice M. Derby, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55
Paid on account.....	75 00
Balance due.....	85 55
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60
Fred P. Davis—Buildings and about 1,492 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 10, between another estate of said Davis and an estate of Mary T. O'Donnell, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Also buildings and about 1,505 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 12, between an estate of said Davis and an estate of Fred E. Davis, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Fred E. Davis—Buildings and about 1,501 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Batavia street, numbered 14, between an estate of Elizabeth M. Daniels and an estate of Fred P. Davis, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Mary Donovan—Buildings and about 1,504 feet of land on the easterly side of Leon street, numbered 33, between another estate of said Donovan and an estate of United Drug Company, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Also buildings and about 1,539 feet of land on the easterly side of Leon street, numbered 35, between two other estates of said Donovan, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Also buildings and about 1,577 feet of land on the easterly side of Leon street, numbered 37, between another estate of said Donovan and an estate of Margaret E. McKenna, tax for 1923.....	98 80
J. Sumner Draper—Buildings and about 2,955 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stanhope street, numbered 50, between an estate of Sarah E. Hodson and an estate of Willard Dalrymple and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	879 32
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 33
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 20, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1923.....	71 63
Peter and Josephine Fontes—Buildings and about 2,090 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Canton street, numbered 215, between an estate of Delia De Long and an estate of George A. Brown and others, tax for 1923.....	158 08
Ellen C. Furlong (supposed present owner Erik V. Alexander)—Buildings and about 2,164 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 609A, making the westerly corner of and numbered 6 Dartmouth street, adjoining an estate of John and Marcella Bourke, tax for 1923.....	518 70
Mary L. Galleni—Buildings and about 1,302 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pembroke street, numbered 109, between an estate of James R. Sexton and another and an estate of William A. Hardwick, tax for 1923.....	185 25

George and Amanda Green—Buildings and about 1,350 feet of land on the southerly side of Buckingham street, numbered 38, between two estates of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923..... \$170 43
Paid on account..... 35 00

Balance due..... 135 43

William A. Hampshire and William Hirsh Trustees of the Hemenway Trust—Buildings and about 7,497 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 30, between another estate of said Hampshire and another trustees and an estate of Lena Levine and others, tax for 1923..... 2,173 60

Rebecca Harris—Buildings and about 2,142 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Newton street, numbered 212, between an estate of Louisa McCarthy and an estate of Annie L. Hunter, tax for 1923..... 214 89

Ella F. Hawkins—Buildings and about 2,205 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 210, between an estate of Annie L. Clark and an estate of James E. Kelley, trustee, tax for 1923..... 158 08

Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 20, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1921..... 71 63

Ida M. Hodsdon (supposed present owner Catherine Ablewhite)—Buildings and about 1,036 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon street, numbered 54, making the southerly corner of Lawrence street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Stutz, tax for 1923..... 170 43

Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,102 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 63 and 63A, between an estate of John H. Devine, trustee, and an estate of Mamie Kanovitz, tax for 1922..... 195 13
Tax for 1923..... 195 13

Sarah E. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 3,338 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Clarendon street, making the easterly corner of Stanhope street, adjoining an estate of J. Sumner Draper, mortgagee in possession, tax for 1923..... 988 00

Daniel E. Holland (supposed present owner Edward T. Brown)—Buildings and about 2,189 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Concord square, numbered 45, making the northerly corner of Public Alley 503, adjoining an estate of James M. Robinson, trustee, tax for 1923..... \$271 70
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 171 70

Ray C. Johnson (supposed present owner Annie E. Kenney)—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southerly side of St. Germain street, numbered 19, between two other estates of said Johnson, tax for 1923..... 172 90
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 5 44

Frederick D. Johnson—Buildings and about 2,205 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holyoke street, numbered 22, between an estate of Isaac W. Crozier and an estate of Sophronia C. Squires, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Bertha F. Kennedy—Buildings and about 1,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 5, between an estate of William D. Sohler and another and an estate of Louise P. Hill, tax for 1921..... 76 57
Tax for 1922..... 76 57
Tax for 1923..... 76 57

Also buildings and about 1,890 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Canton street, numbered 223, between an estate of Annie A. O'Neill and an estate of Maggie F. Garland, tax for 1922..... 148 20
Tax for 1923..... 148 20

Oscar Kerney—Buildings and about 2,080 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wellington street, numbered 7, between an estate of Cyril A. Harvey and another and an estate of Emma S. Gray, tax for 1922..... 148 20
Tax for 1923..... 148 20

William D. Lee—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 47, between an estate of Frank A. Connors and an estate of David Yarchin and another, tax for 1921..... 308 75

Albert Lewenberg—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 207, between an estate of Frances E. Gardner and an estate of Garabed H. Caragulian, mortgagee in possession, tax for 1923..... 130 91

Virginia R. Lewis—Buildings and about 2,142 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Rutland square, numbered 81, between an estate of Louisa A. Hall devisees and an estate of Watt S. Oliver, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Chinlata W. and Albertha Martin—Buildings and about 2,184 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Greenwich park, numbered 25, between an estate of Phebe S. Olmstead heirs or devisees and an estate of John Brown, tax for 1923..... \$172 90
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 72 90

Edward D. McCollum (supposed present owner Isador Meyer, Trustee)—Buildings and about 3,465 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 157, between another estate of said McCollum and an estate of Harry Fairchild, tax for 1923..... 988 00

Also buildings and about 3,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hemenway street, numbered 163, between another estate of said McCollum and an estate of John C. Bishop, tax for 1923..... 988 00

Esther M. Meserve—Buildings and about 1,350 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren avenue, numbered 145, between an estate of Annie McIsaac and an estate of Sarah Clark, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Isaac B. Mills (supposed present owner Augusta I. Weisberg)—Buildings and about 3,303 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 82, between an estate of William N. Ambler and an estate of Frank E. Greene heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... 1,128 79

Gardner Murphy—Buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 587, between an estate of Joshua H. Liverpool and an estate of Elizabeth L. Keane, tax for 1922..... 247 00
Tax for 1923..... 247 00

Mary Nashawaty—Buildings and about 1,157 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Warren avenue, numbered 194 and 196, making the southerly corner of and numbered 206 and 206A West Brookline street, adjoining another estate of said Nashawaty, tax for 1923..... 308 75

Also buildings and about 982 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Warren avenue, numbered 198, 200 and 202, between another estate of said Nashawaty and an estate of Minnie A. Burlingame, tax for 1923..... 271 70

Newburyport Five Cents Savings Bank, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 114, between an estate of Albert N. Wood and an estate of Helen H. Torrey, tax for 1921..... 345 80

Also buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 118 and 118A, between an estate of Albert N. Wood and an estate of Henry H. Hart and others trustees, tax for 1921..... 358 15
Tax for 1922..... 358 15

Louville V. Niles (supposed present owner Herman N. Cleval)—Buildings and about 2,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 505 and 505A, between an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz and an estate of Roland H. Shuman and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... \$382 85
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 182 85

Louville V. Niles (supposed present owner Galey Shama and others)—Buildings and about 1,760 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 747, between an estate of Eliza Scott heirs and an estate of William Hoag, tax for 1923..... \$247 00
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 47 00

Arthur J. Phalen (supposed present owner Lester B. Hirsch)—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Bickerstaff street, numbered 20 and 22, between another estate of said Phalen and another estate of Jennie M. White, tax for 1923..... \$321 10
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 221 10

Also buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Bickerstaff street, numbered 24 and 26, between another estate of said Phalen

and an estate of Joseph Stanga and another, tax for 1922..... \$321 10
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 221 10

Scott Pickett—Buildings and about 1,890 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 238, between an estate of Catherine Lavin and an estate of Sarah E. Harrell, tax for 1923..... 150 67

Plymouth Realty Company—Buildings and about 3,182 feet of land on the southerly side of Batavia street, numbered 72, making the southeasterly corner of Public Alley No. 811, adjoining an estate of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923..... 1,309 10

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 23 46

Also buildings and about 5,402 feet of land on the northerly side of Norway street, numbered 103, making the northeasterly corner of Stoneholm street, adjoining another estate of said Presbrey and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 1,235 00

Also buildings and about 5,355 feet of land on the northerly side of Norway street, numbered 99, between another estate of said Presbrey and another, trustees, and an estate of Bencion Moskow, tax for 1923..... 1,235 00

Anne D. Price—Buildings and about 1,716 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 480, between an estate of Kate A. Kerr and an estate of Yoes Sausean, tax for 1923..... 308 75

A. Carleton Potter—Trustee under will of Henry Potter—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 92, between another estate of said Potter, trustee, and an estate of Henry M. Channing, trustee, tax for 1923..... 988 00

Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 90, between another estate of said Potter, trustee, and an estate of William N. Ambler, tax for 1923..... 988 00

Edgar S. Randolph—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northerly side of St. Germain street, numbered 46, between an estate of Sarah E. Milton and an estate of Catherine G. Colbritt, tax for 1923..... 185 25

Mary Reilly—Buildings and about 2,880 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 212, between an estate of Helen C. Atwood and an estate of Lena Levine and others, tax for 1923..... 988 00

Also buildings and about 2,794 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Botolph street, numbered 96, making the easterly corner of West Newton street, adjoining an estate of Emma J. Carr, tax for 1923..... 429 78

George A. Richards—Buildings and about 1,065 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, at end, numbered 23, adjoining an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1921..... 71 63

Also buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 10, between an estate of Jacob Tarpin and an estate of Howard K. Brown, trustee, tax for 1921..... 71 63

Frances L. Richards—Buildings and about 1,890 feet of land on the northwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 223, between an estate of Annie O'Neill and an estate of Maggie F. Garland, tax for 1921..... 148 20

Putnam H. Ropes—Buildings and about 6,676 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Yarmouth street, numbered 17, between an estate of Carroll E. Thomas and an estate of Toney Vass, tax for 1923..... 864 50

Reddick J. Royster—Buildings and about 2,310 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holyoke street, numbered 30, between an estate of Asdour Arzooanian and an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Theresa Saulnier, reassessed from Mary Martin—Buildings and about 1,738 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 552, between an estate of said Saulnier and an estate of Patrick Burke, tax for 1923..... 247 00

Also buildings and about 1,734 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 554, between another estate of said Saulnier and an estate of John J. Crosby and another, tax for 1923..... 247 00

Second Universalist Church—About 12,141 feet of land on the easterly side of Columbus avenue, making the northeasterly corner of Clarendon street, adjoining an estate of John T. Keefe (numbered 262 and 264 Columbus avenue), tax for 1923..... 2,099 50

F. C. Sherry and George D. Crossman
supposed present owner James M.
Sims and others—Buildings and
about 2,100 feet of land on the south-
westerly side of Greenwich park, num-
bered 28, between an estate of Mary
Sutton and an estate of Mary E.
Bell, tax for 1923.....\$155 61
Paid on account..... 140 00

Balance due..... 15 61

Griffin H. Sims—Buildings and about
1,056 feet of land on the northeasterly
side of Hemenway street, numbered
216, between an estate of Edwin M.
White and another estate of said Sims,
tax for 1923..... 148 20

Also buildings and about 1,056 feet
of land on the southeasterly side of
Hemenway street, numbered 218, be-
tween another estate of said Sims and
an estate of Ida M. Brown, tax for
1923..... 148 20

Thomas M. Smith—Buildings and about
3,828 feet of land on the southerly
side of Batavia street, numbered 70,
between an estate of Celia Green,
trustee and an estate of Joseph L.
Presby and another, apportionment
of street construction assessment for
1923..... 24 12

Thomas M. Smith (supposed present
owner John F. Sullivan)—Buildings
and about 2,600 feet of land on the
northwesterly side of Falmouth street,
numbered 47, between an estate of
Frank A. Connors and an estate of
David Tarchin and another, tax for
1922..... 308 75

Also buildings and about 1,020 feet
of land on the southeasterly side of
Dartmouth place, numbered 10, be-
tween an estate of Jacob Tarplin and
an estate of Howard K. Brown,
trustee, tax for 1922..... 71 63

Also buildings and about 1,020 feet
of land on the southeasterly side of
Dartmouth place, numbered 12, be-
tween two other estates of said Thomas
M. Smith tax for 1922..... 71 63

Also buildings and about 1,020 feet
of land on the southeasterly side of
Dartmouth place, numbered 14, be-
tween another estate of said Smith
and an estate of Owen J. Munn, tax
for 1923..... 71 63

Also buildings and about 1,040 feet
of land on the southeasterly side of
Dartmouth place, numbered 17, be-
tween an estate of M. Emmie
Quincy, trustee and an estate of
Francis N. Coghlan and another, tax
for 1923..... 71 63

Also buildings and about 1,020 feet
of land on the southeasterly side of
Dartmouth place, numbered 12, be-
tween an estate of Howard K. Brown,
trustee and another estate of said
Smith, tax for 1923..... 71 63

Also buildings and about 1,065 feet
of land on the southeasterly side of
Dartmouth place (at end), numbered
23, adjoining an estate of Abram J.
Berkwitz, tax for 1922..... 71 63

Also buildings and about 2,166 feet
of land on the northwesterly side of
Falmouth street, numbered 39, be-
tween an estate of James M. Burr and
an estate of Helen H. Torrey, tax for
1922..... 284 05

Also buildings and about 1,827 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 196, between an estate of Sigrid Carlson and an estate of Irene Hawkins, tax for 1923..... 158 08

Jacob Tarplin—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon street, numbered 38, between an estate of Mary Roche, and an estate of Katherine J. McLean, tax for 1921..... 148 20

Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 36, between an estate of Daniel Swan and another estate of said Torrey, tax for 1921..... 286 52

Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 38, be-
tween another estate of said Torrey and an estate of John Ferrari, tax for 1921, 286 52
Tax for 1922..... 311 22
Tax for 1923..... 311 22

Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 38, be-
tween another estate of said Torrey and an estate of John Ferrari, tax for 1921, 286 52
Tax for 1922..... 311 22
Tax for 1923..... 311 22

Also buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dalton street, numbered 19, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of John J. McGlinchey, tax for 1921..... 284 05

Also buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 41, between two estates of Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1921..... 308 75

Also buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dalton street, numbered 21, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of John S. Cronin, tax for 1921, 284 05
Tax for 1922..... 308 75
Tax for 1923..... 308 75

Also buildings and about 2,025 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 44, between another estate of said Torrey and an estate of J. Rose Anzalone, tax for 1921..... 286 52

Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of St. Botolph street, numbered 127, between an estate of Lucie L. Anderson and an estate of Mary A. Webb, tax for 1923..... \$469 30
Paid on account..... 449 54

Balance due..... 19 76

Ellen A. Turpin—Buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 583 and 583A, between an estate of Caroline A. Benton heirs or devisees of and an estate of Elizabeth L. Keane tax for 1923..... 237 12

Toney Vass—Buildings and about 2,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Yarmouth street, numbered 21, making the easterly corner of Truro street, adjoining an estate of Charles D. Turnbull and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 637 26

Julia Weir—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 193, between an estate of Fulton P. Wesson and another and an estate of Celia Shapira, tax for 1923..... \$130 91
Paid on account..... 95 00

Balance due..... 35 91

Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 1,097 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Burbank street, numbered 1, between another estate of said Williams Realty Company and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923..... 116 09

Also buildings and about 1,054 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Burbank street, numbered 2, between another estate of said Williams Realty Company and an estate of Jacob Saunders, tax for 1923..... 113 62

William Williams (supposed present owner Maude E. Morrison)—Buildings and about 1,664 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claremont park, numbered 30, between an estate of William T. Randolph and an estate of Mary T. Fisher, tax for 1923..... 123 50

William Williams (supposed present owner Elizabeth M. McGovern)—Buildings and about 3,144 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Rutland square, numbered 89, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of Nathan Matthews and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Also buildings and about 2,091 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Rutland square, numbered 87, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of George W. Johnson, tax for 1923..... 160 55

William Williams—Buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Braddock park (formerly Pembroke street), numbered 28 (formerly numbered 178 Pembroke street), between an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz and an estate of Morris L. Zeiderman, tax for 1923..... 153 14

Eva Winslow—Buildings and about 2,415 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Newton street, numbered 243, between another estate of

said Winslow and an estate of John M. Whalen, tax for 1923..... 296 40

Louis Wolk—Buildings and about 3,736 feet of land on the westerly side of Hemenway street, numbered 119, between an estate of Fannie Goodman and an estate of Francis Peabody, Jr., and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... \$1,654 90
Paid on account..... 500 00

Balance due..... 1,154 90

Charles S. Wynn—Buildings and about 2,289 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Berkeley street, numbered 119, making the northerly corner of Cortes street, adjoining an estate of Robert Simpson and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... 679 75

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William H. Agry, Trustee (supposed present owner Orion H. Green)—Buildings and about 3,735 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 37, between an estate of Rodman P. Snelling and another and an estate of Katherine E. Bullard heirs, tax for 1923..... \$1,803 10
Paid on account..... 400 00

Balance due..... \$1,403 10

Thomas Barrie (reassessed from Rebecca Horowitz)—Buildings and about 4,950 feet of land on the easterly side of St. Mary's street, numbered 24, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Antonio Gracobbé, tax for 1923..... 889 20

Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc.—Buildings and about 2,058 feet of land on the easterly side of Anderson street, numbered 34 and 34A, between an estate of Celia Fisher and another estate of Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923..... 321 10

Also buildings and about 2,041 feet of land on the easterly side of Anderson street, numbered 36 and 36A, between an estate of Abraham P. Levin and another estate of Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923..... 321 10

Also buildings and about 2,583 feet of land on the westerly side of Joy street, numbered 44, 44A and 44B, between an estate of the City of Boston and an estate of James M. Beebe heirs and others, tax for 1923..... 617 50

Joshua Bennett Heirs—Buildings and about 2,714 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Joy street, numbered 36 1st rear, 36 2d rear and 36 3d rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Prescott Townsend, tax for 1923..... 167 96

Abram G. Borenson—Buildings and about 3,758 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 140, 142 and 144, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 Auburn court, adjoining an estate of George W. Peniman, tax for 1923..... 617 50

Abraham Berkman—Buildings and about 666 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden street, numbered 43, between an estate of Rebecca Krinsky and an estate of Jennie Karmazine, tax for 1923..... 140 79

Rose B. Blume—Buildings and about 882 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arundel street, numbered 12, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Robert F. Sanderson, tax for 1923..... 143 26

Max Bookstein—Buildings and about 5,819 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Audubon road, numbered 81, between two other estates of said Bookstein, tax for 1923..... \$2,297 10
Paid on account..... 250 00

Balance due..... 2,047 10

Also buildings and about 5,822 feet of land on the northerly side of Audubon road, numbered 85, between another estate of said Bookstein and an estate of Samuel Rudnick and another, tax for 1923..... \$2,321 80
Paid on account..... 250 00

Balance due..... 2,071 80

Also buildings and about 5,837 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Audubon road, numbered 77, between an estate of Samuel Rudnick and another, trustees, and another estate of said Bookstein, tax for 1923..... \$2,321 80
Paid on account..... 500 00

Balance due..... 1,821 80

Winslow B. P. Briggs, Junior, and Edna G. Wadsworth—Buildings and about 3,563 feet of land on the easterly side of Miner street, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Alonzo M. Burbank, tax for 1923..... 180 91

Henry C. Brookings (supposed present owner James M. Burr)—Buildings and about 2,464 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 272, extending through to Public Alley No. 442, between an estate of Charles W. Smith and an estate of Christine C. Wilson, tax for 1923.....	548 34	
James M. Burr (supposed present owner Mary T. Bailie, Trustee)—Buildings and about 1,896 feet of land on the northerly side of Marlborough street, numbered 425, between an estate of Maude L. G. Everett and an estate of Herbert G. Sumner and another, trustees, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 00	
Kevie Carmen, Ira Shapiro and Thomas Nutile, Trustees of Commercial Building Trust—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 857, making the southeasterly corner of Aberden street, adjoining an estate of Sarah M. Richardson, tax for 1923.....	3,112 20	
Harry P. Chadwick—About 806 feet of land on the westerly side of a passageway leading from the westerly side of Grove street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Mary Szathmary; easterly by said passageway leading from Grove street; southerly by an estate of Joseph F. Otis and westerly by an estate of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Samuel K. and Fannie Chaskes—Buildings and about 920 feet of land on the easterly side of Grove street, numbered 44 and 44A, between an estate of Louise A. Hobbs and an estate of Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., tax for 1923.....	155 61	
Lillian S. Clark—Buildings and about 670 feet of land on the westerly side of South Russell street, numbered 33, between an estate of Dora Pollack and an estate of Henry H. Litchfield, tax for 1923.....	111 15	
Max Cohen and Simon Florentz—Buildings and about 1,522 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden street, numbered 27, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Benjamin Florence and another, tax for 1923.....	333 45	
George W. Coleman Heirs—Buildings and about 2,576 feet of land on the southerly side of Marlborough street, numbered 390, extending through to Public Alley No. 429, between an estate of Mary B. Boardman and an estate of Frederick A. Marsden, tax for 1923.....	703 95	
Tax for 1921.....	703 95	
William L. Crosby—Buildings and about 3,490 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 435, making the southerly corner of Hereford street, adjoining an estate of Maria L. Aldrich, tax for 1923.....	728 65	
Frederic Cunningham, Augustus Hemenway, John S. and William Lawrence, Trustees under will of Sarah E. Lawrence (supposed present owner Jacob Canner)—Buildings and about 3,358 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 295, between an estate of William Lawrence and others, trustees, and an estate of George A. Draper heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	1,605 50	
Frances Curtis—Buildings and about 2,688 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 447, extending through to Public Alley No. 908, between an estate of Oliver L. Briggs heirs or devisees and an estate of Mary C. Hardy, tax for 1923.....	555 75	
Fred P. Davis—Buildings and about 2,461 feet of land on the northerly side of Ivy street, numbered 5, extending through to Mountfort street, between an estate of Isabelle B. Woods and an estate of Grace F. Ferrand, tax for 1923.....	296 40	
Edith M. Dennison—About 4,298 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, making the north-easterly corner of Sherborn street, adjoining an estate of Riverbank Improvement Company, being lot 23, block C, Morton and Quimby plan, dated January 9, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2182, tax for 1923.....	318 63	
Eastern States Land Company—About 4,612 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Burlington avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Hilda M. Brown; northwesterly by an estate of Wolverine Realty Corporation; southeasterly by an estate of W. J. O'Connell Company; southwesterly by Burlington street, tax for 1923.....	340 86	
John Faust Trustees—Buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Mountfort street, numbered 75, between an estate of Mae R. Cousins and an estate of Grace H. Jennings, tax for 1923.....	185 25	
Federal Real Estate Corporation (supposed present owner Bertha H. Watson)—Buildings and about 4,036 feet of land on the westerly side of Joy street, numbered 52, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	\$642 20	
Paid on account.....	342 20	
Balance due.....	300 00	
Salome A. Frost, Trustee under will of Thomas M. Bassett—Buildings and about 2,805 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 819, between an estate of Israel Nesson and an estate of Salome A. Frost, tax for 1923.....	555 75	
Antonio Giacobbe (supposed present owner Samuel Weisberg)—Buildings and about 4,674 feet of land on the northerly side of Mountfort street, numbered 121, making the northeasterly corner of St. Mary's street, adjoining an estate of Abbie E. McCobb, tax for 1923.....	1,037 40	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 30	
Rosario Giacobbe (supposed present owner Samuel Weisberg)—Buildings and about 5,886 feet of land on the northerly side of Ivy street, numbered 55, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 75 St. Mary's street, adjoining an estate of Ellen Childs, tax for 1923.....	1,210 30	
Harry W. Goodall—Buildings and about 3,129 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 512, between an estate of Fred A. Whitney heirs or devisees and an estate of Ezra M. Rideout, tax for 1923.....	666 90	
Rose Gray—Buildings and about 934 feet of land on the easterly side of Phillips court, numbered 4, between another estate of said Gray, numbered 5 and an estate of Michael Andelman, numbered 68 and 70 Phillips street, tax for 1923.....	39 52	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 24	
Also buildings and about 932 feet of land on the easterly side of Phillips court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Gray, tax for 1923.....	34 58	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 24	
Also about 1,140 feet of land on the southerly side and at end of Phillips court, between another estate of said Gray, numbered 5, and an estate of Henry J. Danby and another (numbered 4 Goodwin place), tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Hannah Greenwood—Buildings and about 404 feet of land on the westerly side of Auburn court, numbered 5, between an estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Abram G. Berenson, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Also buildings and about 412 feet of land on the westerly side of Auburn court, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Also buildings and about 408 feet of land on the westerly side of Auburn court, numbered 7, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Also buildings and about 855 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 9, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	29 64	
Also buildings and about 542 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	29 64	
Also buildings and about 497 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 11, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Also buildings and about 510 feet of land on the easterly side of Auburn court, numbered 12, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Luther W. Puffer, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Also buildings and about 630 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden Street arch, numbered 1, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Frederick M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden Street arch, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Also buildings and about 552 feet of		
land on the westerly side of Garden Street arch, numbered 3, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Henry H. Litchfield, tax for 1923.....	22 23	
Clarence G. Guild—Buildings and about 2,626 feet of land on the southerly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 92, between an estate of Helen G. French and an estate of Mary E. Bradley, tax for 1923.....	\$654 55	
Paid on account.....	300 00	
Balance due.....	354 55	
Joseph L. Hermanson, Matthew A. N. Shaw and Butler R. Wilson, Trustees, Nathaniel Springfield Estate—Buildings and about 650 feet of land on the easterly side of Irving street, numbered 28, between an estate of Jacob Charm and an estate of Charlotte Thomas, tax for 1923.....	98 80	
William Hirsh—Buildings and about 5,040 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 282, making the southeasterly corner of Gloucester street and extending through to Public Alley No. 442, adjoining an estate of Sarah L. Day and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	3,087 50	
Also buildings and about 6,902 feet of land on the northerly side of Queensberry street, numbered 31, between an estate of Rebecca Rose and another and another estate of said Hirsh, tax for 1923.....	1,284 40	
Also buildings and about 6,903 feet of land on the northerly side of Queensberry street, numbered 35, between another estate of said Hirsh and an estate of Frank O. Thaxter, tax for 1923.....	1,284 40	
Helen E. Hopkins—Buildings and about 400 feet of land on the northerly side of a passageway in the rear of Bay State road, adjoining an estate of Martin Edwards, being lot 9A, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, dated January 29, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3376, page 261, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Charles E. Hubbard—About 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of a passageway in the rear of Bay State road, adjoining an estate of Riverbank Improvement Company, being lot 45, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, dated August 31, 1908, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2502, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Tax for 1921.....	4 94	
Harold E. Jones—About 1,368 feet of land on the easterly side of Lindall court, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Morris Kamberg, easterly by an estate of Rosa Zimmerman, southerly by estates of Joseph Green, and westerly by Lindall court, tax for 1923.....	51 87	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 81	
Abraham B. Kagen—Buildings and about 1,102 feet of land on the southerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 84, between an estate of Jessie S. Raymond and another estate of said Kagen, tax for 1923.....	296 40	
Also buildings and about 1,564 feet of land on the southerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 82, adjoining an estate of G. Glover Crocker and another, trustees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15012, tax for 1923.....	407 55	
Benjamin and Sarah V. Kagan—Buildings and about 958 feet of land on the northerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 125, between another estate of said Benjamin and Sarah V. Kagan and an estate of Morris and Ida Segal, tax for 1923.....	\$271 70	
Paid on account.....	150 00	
Balance due.....	121 70	
Also buildings and about 995 feet of land on the northerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 127, between another estate of said Benjamin and Sarah V. Kagan and an estate of Jennie Primock, tax for 1923, \$271 70		
Paid on account.....	150 00	
Balance due.....	121 70	
Morris and Annie Katzeff—Buildings and about 6,419 feet of land on the southerly side of Peterborough street, numbered 89, between two other estates of said Katzeff and another, tax for 1923.....	1,482 00	
Also buildings and about 6,423 feet of land on the southerly side of Peterborough street, numbered 82, between another estate of said Katzeff and another and an estate of Louis S. Kaufman, trustee, tax for 1923.....	1,482 00	

Rose C. Kehew—Buildings and about 2,990 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, numbered 70, between an estate of Benjamin W. Rudman and an estate of Maria T. Ranney, devisees of, tax for 1923.....	432 23	
Wilhelmina S. Kennard—About 7,500 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Bay State road, outside of sea wall, adjoining an estate of Riverbank Improvement Company, being lot 42, Fuller Whitney Corporation plan, dated August 31, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2354, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Nasim Khouri (supposed present owner Good Realty Company)—Buildings and about 2,428 feet of land on the northerly side of Mountfort street, numbered 49, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Khouri, numbered 51, tax for 1923.....	296 40	
Also buildings and about 2,255 feet of land on the northerly side of Mountfort street, numbered 51, between another estate of said Khouri and an estate of Harris Wolf, tax for 1923.....	284 05	
Louis S. Koufman—Buildings and about 6,046 feet of land on the southerly side of Queensberry street, numbered 98, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Koufman, tax for 1922.....	1,111 50	
Louis Levine (supposed present owner James Howard)—Buildings and about 10,855 feet of land on the southerly side of Ivy street, numbered 6, between an estate of Benjamin Snider and another, and an estate of Robert F. Sanderson, tax for 1923..... \$1,951 30 Paid on account..... 1,000 00		
Balance due.....	951 30	
Liberty Hand Laundry Company—(Mass. Corp.). Buildings and about 2,520 feet of land on the northerly side of Newbury street, numbered 331, extending through to Public Alley 430, between an estate of William Tufts and another and an estate of Susan M. Loring, tax for 1923.....	550 81	
C. Frederic Lyman (supposed present owner Henry C. Brookings)—Buildings and about 3,808 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 315 and 317 extending through to Public Alley 417, between an estate of Katherine Stanton, trustee, and an estate of Frances E. Pratt, tax for 1923.....	1,111 50	
Mollie A. McCarthy—Buildings and about 2,520 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Broadway, numbered 77, 79 and 81, making the southerly corner of and numbered 6 and 8 Piedmont street, adjoining an estate of Patrick Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	629 85	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	128 70	
Agnes M. McCormack—Buildings and about 1,216 feet of land on the northerly side of Myrtle street, numbered 31, between an estate of Bessie Rosen and an estate of Maria Fusto, tax for 1923.....	170 43	
William F. McDonough—Buildings and about 831 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wheeler street, numbered 21, between an estate of Elliot Stoddard and an estate of Lawrence J. Towle, tax for 1923.....	39 52	
Also buildings and about 880 feet of land on the westerly side of Strong place, numbered 4, between an estate of Walter B. Goode and an estate of E. Edith Rounds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5093, tax for 1923.....	46 93	
Ethel Miller—Buildings and about 2,023 feet of land on the westerly side of West Cedar street, numbered 88 and 88A, between an estate of Abraham Isenberg and an estate of Louis Gray, tax for 1923.....	335 92	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 02	
Joseph F. Otis—Also about 982 feet of land on the westerly side of a passageway, leading from the westerly side of Grove street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Harry P. Chadwick; easterly by a passageway; southerly and westerly by an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Joseph L. Peabody et al., Trustees of Bristol County Trust—Buildings and about 9,638 feet of land on the westerly side of Audubon road, numbered 51, making the southwesterly corner of Queensberry street, adjoining an estate of Louis H. Lansky, tax for 1923.....	3,136 90	
Jeanette Peyser—Buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Temple street, numbered 14, between an estate of Daniel A. Cronin		
and an estate of Jennie H. Wallace, tax for 1923.....	271 70	
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 879 feet of land on the southerly side of Phillips street, numbered 66, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Sarah Goldman, tax for 1923.....	93 86	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 03	
Elizabeth A. Riley—About 5,100 feet of land on the northerly side of a passageway lying in rear of Bay State road, being lot 21A, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, January 29, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3376, page 261, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Philip T. Ripley—About 5 feet of land on the southerly side of Stuart street, making the junction of Grenville place, being lot 181, F. O. Whitney plan, July 15, 1921, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Augustus O. Roberts—About 320 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kirkland street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Zelda Greenhood; southeasterly by an estate of Joshua A. Smallwood and another; southwesterly by an estate of Albert E. Hinds; northwesterly by Kirkland street, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston—About 105,472 feet of land on the northerly side of Boylston street, being lot B, H. C. Mildram plan, February 5, 1923, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	3,907 54	
Rose Sawyer—Buildings and about 1,209 feet of land on the northerly side of Phillips street, numbered 73 and 73A, between an estate of M. Josephine Snow and an estate of Annie Buchman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2408, tax for 1923.....	247 00	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	2 53	
William H. Shea—Buildings and about 1,960 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marlborough street, numbered 74, extending through to Public Alley 423, between an estate of Alexander S. Wheeler heirs or devisees of, and an estate of Lyon Weyburn and another, tax for 1923.....	518 70	
Joseph Shelevsky—Buildings and about 2,625 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 141, 141A, 143 and 143A, between an estate of Margaret Courtland and another estate of said Shelevsky, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, Also buildings and about 2,167 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 145 and 145A, between an estate of Leon David and another estate of said Shelevsky, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923, Nellie H. Sherley—Buildings and about 824 feet of land on the easterly side of Joy street, numbered 79, between an estate of Nora A. Jeffers and an estate of Esther Winisky, tax for 1923, Bryant G. Smith and Sons Company—Buildings and about 6,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 661, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Martha C. Codman, tax for 1923.....	9 90	
Kaprell Soghomonian—Buildings and about 733 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wheeler street, numbered 11, between an estate of Michael P. Murphy and an estate of William J. Stober, tax for 1923.....	98 80	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 72	
Shirley C. Speed—Buildings and about 2,352 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 109, extending through to Public Alley 421, between an estate of Mary D. Turnbull and an estate of Frederick W. Bradlee, tax for 1923.....	642 20	
William J. Stober—About 3,509 feet of land on the southerly side of Stuart street, making the southwesterly corner of Warrenton street, being lot 112, F. O. Whitney plan, July 15, 1921, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	1,556 10	
Edith L. Stone (supposed present owner Martha Cogan)—Buildings and about 1,507 feet of land on the easterly side of Fairfield street, numbered 44, making the northeasterly corner of Public Alley No. 441, adjoining an estate of Anna D. Bangs, tax for 1923.....	555 75	
George F. Swain—About 14,100 feet of land lying in the rear from northerly side of Bay State road outside of sea wall, being lot 10, Fuller-Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, August 31, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7925, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Mary H. Swain, Devisees of—About 14,100 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Bay State road, outside of sea wall, being lot 10, Fuller Whitney Surveys Corporation plan, August 31, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7925, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
John C. Taylor, Trustee of New England Realty Trust—Buildings and about 5,694 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Audubon road, numbered 463, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Henry W. Estabrook and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	1,432 60	
Hannah I. Tarplin—Buildings and about 831 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wheeler street, numbered 21, between an estate of Elliot Stoddard and an estate of Lawrence J. Towle, tax for 1921.....	39 52	
Hannah I. Tarplin (supposed present owner William F. McDonough)—Buildings and about 880 feet of land on the westerly side of Strong place, numbered 4, between an estate of Walter B. Goode and an estate of E. Edith Rounds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5093, tax for 1921.....	46 93	
Tax for 1922.....	46 93	
Annie J. Varney—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 513, between another estate of said Varney and an estate of Beatrice M. Woods, tax for 1923.....	605 15	
Also buildings and about 2,480 feet of land on the southerly side of Beacon street, numbered 515, between an estate of Elliott P. Joslin and another estate of said Varney, tax for 1923.....	592 80	
Also buildings and about 2,632 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newbury street, numbered 115, extending through to Public Alley 435, between an estate of Eleanor Mell and an estate of Lilla A. Collins, tax for 1923.....	876 85	
Also buildings and about 2,464 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newbury street, numbered 234, extending through to Public Alley 441, between an estate of Thomas H. Cabot and an estate of Wilbur A. Reynolds, tax for 1923.....	494 00	
Also buildings and about 2,576 feet of land on the northerly side of Newbury street, numbered 261, extending through to Public Alley 432, between an estate of Shirley C. Speed and an estate of Harriet Miesusset, tax for 1923.....	531 05	
Howard and Virginia Wainwright (supposed present owner Agnes B. McEnaney)—Buildings and about 1,215 feet of land on the easterly side of Gloucester street, numbered 5, between an estate of Sarah A. Haskell and an estate of Charlotte H. Denny, tax for 1923.....	321 10	
Kenneth C. Webb—Buildings and about 995 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Jefferson street, numbered 5, between an estate of Florence Loudon and an estate of Norman D. Sheffren, tax for 1923.....	86 45	
Berkeley Wheeler—about 3,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 26, block C, Morton and Quimby plan, January 9, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2182, tax for 1923.....	150 67	
Also about 3,029 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 25, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	167 96	
Also about 3,071 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 27, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	150 67	
Also about 3,092 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 28, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	153 14	
Also about 3,113 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 29, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	153 14	
Also about 3,134 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 30, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	155 61	
Also about 3,029 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 31, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	150 67	
Also about 3,048 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 32, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	150 67	
Also about 900 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being the westerly part of lot 33, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	44 46	

Also about 5,255 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being the easterly part of lot 33 and all of lot 34, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	259 35	John Mullins and another, tax for 1923.....	88 92	numbered 19, between an estate of Thomas A. Jackson and another and an estate of Domenick Szanezinna and another, tax for 1923.....	56 81
Also about 3,106 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 35, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	153 14	Theresa E. Blue and Margaret L. Bunton—Buildings and about 819 feet of land on the southeasterly side of D street, numbered 239 and 241, making the southerly corner of Silver street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Kazulis and another, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also buildings and about 1,163 feet of land on the northwesterly side of D street, numbered 136, between an estate of Catherine A. Barry and another and an estate of Bolesu Yakubansky, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Also about 3,266 feet of land on the southerly side of Bay State road, being lot 36 and the westerly part of lot 37, block C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	160 55	Also buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bolton street, numbered 230, between an estate of Mary A. Sutherland and an estate of Mary Laraway, tax for 1923.....	9 86	Francis Crilly—Buildings and about 1,073 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 70, between an estate of Bridget O'Neill and an estate of William J. Delap, tax for 1923.....	22 23
William Williams—Buildings and about 522 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 3, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of John F. Wood, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Evaline Brackett—Buildings and about 1,018 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bowen street, numbered 172, between an estate of Dennis J. Hogan and an estate of Charles D. Marselis and another, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Alice H. Davis—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 12, between an estate of Jacinta Dicho and an estate of said Davis, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also buildings and about 514 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 58, between an estate of said Brackett and an estate of Eva Oback, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Also buildings and about 1,249 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 10, between another estate of said Davis and an estate of Thomas A. Jackson and another, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also buildings and about 370 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 1, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 108 West Cedar street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also buildings and about 952 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 60, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of Mary A. Carr, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Herbert J. and Hilda M. Devine—About 4,087 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tudor street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest-erly by an estate of John D. Bates Heirs; southwesterly by estates of Frederick Berg, Michael Foley and another and Winnifred A. Kelly; southeasterly by an estate of Patrick H. Tobin; northeasterly by Tudor street, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 11	Also buildings and about 454 feet of land on the southeasterly side of B street, numbered 59, between an estate of Eva Oback and another estate of said Evaline Brackett, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Jacinta Dicho—Buildings and about 742 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 16, making the northerly corner of a pas-sageway adjoining another estate of said Dicho, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Williams Realty Co.—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newbury street, num-bered 123, extending through to Public Alley 435, between an estate of Edward M. Beals and an estate of Edith M. McCabe, tax for 1923.....	\$839 80	Also buildings and about 2,139 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 59, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of E. Mertain Hatch, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Also buildings and about 742 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 16 first rear, between two other estates of said Dicho, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Paid on account.....	500 00	Also buildings and about 1,485 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 57, between two estates of said Brackett (numbered 55 and 59), tax for 1923.....	34 58	Also buildings and about 742 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Gold street, numbered 16 second rear, between an estate of said Jacinta Dicho and an estate of James Welch, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Balance due.....	339 80	Also buildings and about 1,445 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 55, between two other estates of said Brackett, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Also buildings and about 742 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of West First street, between an estate of Florence M. De Vito and an estate of Washington I. Tuckerman, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also buildings and about 1,829 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 133 and 133A, be-tween another estate of said Williams Realty Co. and an estate of Isaac Gold-enberg, tax for 1923.....	247 00	Also buildings and about 1,296 feet of land on the southeasterly side of B street, numbered 61 and 63, making the southerly corner of Gold street, adjoining another estate of said Brackett, tax for 1923.....	66 69	John A. Duggan—About 1,785 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of West Fifth street, between an estate of Florence M. De Vito and an estate of Washington I. Tuckerman, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also buildings and about 1,423 feet of land on the easterly side of Charles street, numbered 131, between another estate of said Williams Realty Co., and an estate of Rachel L. Allen devisees, tax for 1923.....	202 54	Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, Trustees under will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 161,416 feet of land on the easterly side of West First street, numbered 340 and 342, making the southeasterly corner of a pas-sageway adjoining an estate of Edmund G. Pond, tax for 1923.....	1,037 40	Mary A. England—Buildings and about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Silver street, numbered 236, between an estate of Charles Mignosa and another and an estate of Calman Koeing, tax for 1923.....	27 17
John F. Wood—Also about 700 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, bounded and described as fol-lows: Northerly by an estate of Com-monwealth of Massachusetts; east-erly by another estate of said Wood; southerly by Gilson court; westerly by an estate of James Bowen heirs, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 11,447 feet of land on the northwesterly side of passageway leading from the north-esterly side of West First street, be-tween another estate of said Butler and another and an estate of Robert E. Harrison and others, tax for 1923.....	190 19	Edward Farren—Buildings and about 840 feet of land on the northwesterly side of D street, numbered 156, making the westerly corner of Tudor street, adjoining another estate of said Farren, tax for 1923.....	30 52
Also buildings and about 700 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 4, between an estate of William Williams and another estate of said Wood, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also buildings and about 5,653 feet of land on the northwesterly side of passageway leading from the north-esterly side of West First street, be-tween another estate of said Butler and another and an estate of E. B. Badger & Sons Company, tax for 1923.....	192 66	Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Third street, numbered 347 and 349, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of Mary Lut-kus, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Also buildings and about 700 feet of land on the northerly side of Gilson court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Wood, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Mary A. Carr—Buildings and about 925 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Silver street, numbered 60, between an estate of Andrius Katovousky and another and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Also about 968 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tudor street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Tudor street; south-esterly by another estate of said Farren; southwesterly by an estate of Patrick J. Shields, and northwesterly by an estate of Thomas Lee and another, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 91	William H. Cavanagh Heirs or Devisees—About 1,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, between an estate of Metropolitan Trust Company, trustee, and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1922.....	7 41	John Faust—Buildings and about 770 feet of land lying in the rear from northeasterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 256 rear, in rear of and adjoining an estate of John E. Galvin and another (numbered 256), tax for 1923.....	12 35
WARD NINE.		John and Jennie Cerullo—About 994 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dresser street, bounded and de-scribed as follows: Northwest-erly by another estate of said Cerullo and another; northeasterly by an estate of Harold S. Small; southeasterly by Catherine A. Casey, and southwesterly by Dresser street, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Lewis Flanders & Co.—About 6,224 feet of land on the easterly side of Granite street, between an estate of American Sugar Refining Company and another estate of said Flanders & Co., tax for 1923.....	207 48
Adelbert H. Allen—About 483 feet of land lying in the rear of the southwesterly side of Silver street, adjoining another estate of said Allen, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of John S. McGann, southeasterly by an estate of Victoria Melekia and another, southwesterly by an estate of said Allen, northwesterly by an estate of Michael D. Geaney, tax for 1923.....	\$4 94	Also about 994 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dresser street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest-erly by an estate of Antonio De Feo; northeasterly by an estate of Harold S. Small; southeasterly by another estate of said Cerullo and southwesterly by Dresser street, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also buildings and about 11,015 feet of land on the easterly side of Granite street, numbered 68, between two other estates of said Flanders & Co., tax for 1923.....	617 50
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Frank J. Bertish, Matilda E. Wessinger and Mary F. Hickey—Buildings and about 1,798 feet of land on the southwesterly side of D street, numbered 238 and 240, making the southerly corner of Silver street, adjoining an estate of					

Sarah A. Foley—Buildings and about 1,080 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Athens street, numbered 213, between an estate of Mary O'Mara and an estate of Tekla Ambroz, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Also buildings and about 1,080 feet of land on the easterly side of O street, numbered 70, between an estate of Alexander W. Thompson and an estate of Giuseppe Mosea and another, tax for 1923.....	19 40
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Paid on account.....	29 49	Also about 1,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Matthew Kennedy heirs; southwest-erly by estates of Elizabeth Barry and others and Morris Freedman; southeasterly by an estate of Elizabeth F. Healey, and northeasterly by Bolton street, tax for 1923.....	9 88
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Also about 1,125 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Eighth street, bounded and described as fol-lows: Northwesterly by estates of Mary E. Ford and an estate of Catherine M. King and an estate of Charles S. Thorne; northeasterly by estates of Joseph W. Orchard and Metropolitan Trust Company; south-esterly by an estate of Metropolitan Trust Company, and southwesterly by West Eighth street, tax for 1923.....		William W. Kennard—About 2,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of The Little House, Inc. (Massachu-setts corporation); northeasterly by two estates of Catherine A. O'Brien and another and an estate of Timothy Crowley; southeasterly by an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; southwesterly by Athens street, tax for 1923.....	19 76
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Horace Manson Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 2,614 feet of land on the northerly side of East Third street, numbered 402 and 404, making the southeasterly corner of Dorchester street, adjoining an estate of Lucy F. Little (numbered 406, 408 and 408½ East Third street), tax for 1923.....			81 11

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Also about 740 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Baxter street; southeasterly by an estate of William H. Cavanagh heirs; southwesterly by an estate of said Metropolitan Trust Company, trustee, and an estate of Charles J. Kelley; northwesterly by an estate of Joseph W. Orchard, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Ralph Rand (reassessed from Phillip Rand)—About 1,310 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, between an estate of Maurice Gerstein and others and another estate of said Rand, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 2,430 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Broadway, numbered 310, 310A, 312 and 312A, making the northerly corner of Payson court adjoining another estate of said Torrey, tax for 1923.....	200 07
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Also about 1,029 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West First street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said Murphy; southwesterly by an estate of Lucia Abbrugese; southeasterly by another estate of said Murphy, and northeasterly by West First street, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Ida M. J. Richwood—About 1,575 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, making the northerly corner of a passageway and adjoining an estate of Rosalie Y. Parker, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of C street, numbered 289, making the southerly corner of and numbered 209 West Second street, adjoining an estate of Martin J. Ford, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Also about 1,025 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West First street, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Nora L. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Margaret M. Riley—About 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, making the easterly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Riley, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Harry L. Wheeler—About 1,643 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, between an estate of Stanislaw Kurovitzky and an estate of Catherine Galvin, tax for 1923.....	14 82
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Mary E. Dailey—Buildings and about 5,229 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 628-636, between an estate of Charles A. Dailey and an estate of Thomas J. Gordon, tax for 1923.....	125 97		
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John Dennis—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of K street, numbered 397 rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of John J. Henwood, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Michael P. and Hannah E. Diggin—Buildings and about 1,798 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 266, between an estate of Margaret A. Tarbett and an estate of Edward G. Moore, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
James P. and Mary Doyle—Buildings and about 1,095 feet of land on the westerly side of Springer street, numbered 15, between an estate of Walter A. Kennedy and an estate of Antonio Brescia and another, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Joseph A. Duffley—Buildings and about 4,125 feet of land on the northerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 654, between an estate of Elizabeth J. Maliff and an estate of Nora Mullen, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Celina Ghilain—About 1,837 feet of land on the northerly side of Columbia road, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Columbia road; westerly by land of Mary E. Creed; northerly by an estate of Denis J. Hogan (numbered 8 Covington street); easterly by an estate of Vincas Yankaukas (numbered 1322 Columbia road), tax for 1922.....	14 82		
Tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Cynthia J. Gore and Ellen Yeaton—Buildings and about 2,405 feet of land on the westerly side of Mercer street, numbered 39, between an estate of Bridget Welsh and an estate of Gaetano Silvestro, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the easterly side of G street, numbered 64, making the northeasterly corner of East Fifth street, between an estate of George P. Rich and another estate of said Hodsdon, tax for 1923.....	96 33		
Also buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fifth street, numbered 390, between an estate of Harry W. Stark and another estate of said Hodsdon, tax for 1923.....	69 16		
Edward M. and Jessie B. Hood—Buildings and about 1,610 feet of land on the southerly side of East Fifth street, numbered 671, adjoining another estate of Charles Zappala and others and an estate of John J. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	66 69		
Howe Memorial Association—About 125,148 feet of land on the southerly side of East Eighth street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by East Eighth street; easterly by N street; southerly by Marine road; westerly by M street, tax for 1923.....	926 25		
Clara B. Hull—Buildings and about 1,912 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 528, between another estate of said Hull and an estate of Annie E. Higgins, tax for 1923.....	96 33		
George and Fortini Karthas—Buildings and about 903 feet of land on the northerly side of James avenue, numbered 3, between an estate of George Zagaphos and an estate of Charles F. Wyman, trustee, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Fred Keenan—About 589 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden place, adjoining another estate of said Keenan, being lot 8, Abel C. Small plan, dated April 8, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1102, page 58, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 589 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden place, adjoining another estate of said Keenan, being lot 7, Abel C. Small plan, dated April 8, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1102, page 58, tax for 1923.....	4 91		
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,045 feet of land on the westerly side of I street, numbered 169, between an estate of Barbara C. Eichorn and an estate of Frank Russo, tax for 1923.....	66 69		
Mary A. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,909 feet of land on the westerly side of G street, numbered 55, between an estate of Anna E. Godfrey and an estate of Annie Theresa Redmond, tax for 1923.....	101 27		
Henry J. Kennedy—About 38,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Columbia road, extending through to East Eighth street, between an estate of John West Thread Company and an estate of Netherland American Recreation Club, tax for 1923.....	261 82		
Magdalena Kogel—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 551, between an estate of George Holmes and an estate of Margaret Daly, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Dennis F. and Bridget Mahoney—Buildings and about 1,462 feet of land on the westerly side of Linden street, numbered 20, making the northwesterly corner of Thomas park, numbered 11, adjoining an estate of Chrisella E. O'Brien, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Horace Manson Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,725 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 536, between an estate of Bernard Capen and an estate of Margaret C. O'Connor, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Also buildings and about 1,515 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dorchester street, numbered 133, between an estate of Horace Manson and an estate of Bethesda Lodge No. 30, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Also buildings and about 1,068 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dorchester street, numbered 135, mak-			
ing the northerly corner of Gold street, adjoining an estate of said Horace Manson, tax for 1923.....	91 39		
Bridget K. McDonough—Buildings and about 2,605 feet of land on the westerly side of Tieknor street, numbered 16, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12739, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 00		
Dennis J. and Thomas McGillicuddy—Buildings and about 19,225 feet of land on the southerly side of East Sixth street, numbered 885, extending through to Columbia road, adjoining an estate of Eva F. Hartnett and others, tax for 1923.....	461 89		
Charles B. McHannon—Buildings and about 1,196 feet of land on the westerly side of G street, numbered 148, between an estate of Everett B. Henderson and another and an estate of Ellen McCarthy heirs, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Michael and Sarah McKeon—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, numbered 299 and 301, between an estate of Clara Geary and an estate of James Cavanagh, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Mary E. Miller—Buildings and about 1,191 feet of land on the northerly side of East Eighth street, numbered 552, between an estate of Lena M. Stofflet and an estate of Israel Goldstein, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
John M. and Helen M. Moore—Buildings and about 1,015 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fifth street, numbered 612, between an estate of William J. Mahoney and another and an estate of said Moore, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Nora Noonan—Buildings and about 2,059 feet of land on the westerly side of K street, numbered 267, between an estate of trustees of Hawes Fund and an estate of George L. Whitehouse, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Arthur J. Phalen—Buildings and about 817 feet of land on the southerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 3, between another estate of said Phalen and an estate of Annie M. White, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Also buildings and about 755 feet of land on the southerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 1, between another estate of said Phalen and an estate of Samuel W. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Also buildings and about 834 feet of land on the northerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 12, between an estate of William J. Burke and another and an estate of Julia Ward Howe devisees, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Also buildings and about 817 feet of land on the southerly side of Howe avenue, numbered 13, between an estate of said Phalen and an estate of Francis P. Willcutt and another, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
George Rumba—About 589 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden place, adjoining another estate of said Rumba, being lot 5, Abel C. Small plan, dated April 8, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1102, page 58, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 589 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden place, adjoining another estate of said Rumba, being lot 6, Abel C. Small plan, dated April 8, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1102, page 58, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Hannah Scott—Buildings and about 2,332 feet of land on the northerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 536, between an estate of Trustees of Phillips Church Society and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
John M. Shea—Buildings and about 1,046 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 279, between an estate of Margaret Moore and an estate of Winifred B. Sharkey, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Also buildings and about 1,354 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, numbered 272, between an estate of Edward G. Moore and an estate of Charles M. Ambrose, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
Leonard J. and Mabel Smith—Buildings and about 802 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowen street, between an estate of Julia F. O'Hearn and an estate of Mary Cady, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Standard Tire and Rubber Company—Buildings and about 17,500 feet of land on the southerly side of East Sixth street, numbered 803, between an estate of Boston Yacht Club and an estate of George W. Thomas, tax for 1923.....	768 17		
Madeline C. Stroessel—Buildings and about 1,620 feet of land on the southerly side of Thomas park, numbered 60, between an estate of William A. Egan and an estate of John Bratenas and another, tax for 1923.....	98 80		

Also about 3,867 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Thomas Park, adjoining another estate of said Stroessel (numbered 60), being a lot shown on William Kelly plan, dated March, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2268, page 522, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Patrick F. and Julia A. Sughrue—Buildings and about 881 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Eighth street, numbered 226A, extending through to Telegraph street and an estate of John W. O'Connell and an estate of Albina E. Donovan, tax for 1923.....	56 81
James A. Tehan—Buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bowen street, numbered 284, between an estate of James H. Boyle and an estate of Peter Plansky and another, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Helen H. Torrey—Buildings and about 1,977 feet of land on the southerly side of East Fifth street, numbered 621, between an estate of Mary Courtney and an estate of Peter Chaplick and another, tax for 1923.....	69 16
John P. and Annie M. Tunilo—Buildings and about 4,081 feet of land on the northerly side of Columbia road, numbered 1626 and 1628, between an estate of Joseph Greviszskis and another and an estate of Anthony M. Ivaszkevics and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8402, tax for 1923.....	207 48
Nellie Waldron—Buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the westerly side of N street, numbered 141, between an estate of Mary I. Lynch and another and an estate of James Costello, tax for 1923.....	69 16
William E. S. Whitman, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,339 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Broadway, numbered 473, between an estate of Mary A. B. Gray and another estate of said Whitman, tax for 1923.....	200 07
Also buildings and about 1,662 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Broadway, numbered 475 and 477, between an estate of Henry J. Bowen and another estate of said Whitman, tax for 1923.....	227 24
James Wuchie—Buildings and about 589 feet of land on the westerly side of Linden place, numbered 6, between an estate of Mary I. McCarthy and an estate of Francesco D'Addio, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Anthony Yesineskas—Buildings and about 1,642 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of East Sixth street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of William J. Dwyer and Sarah Bohane (numbered 556 and 558 East Sixth street), tax for 1923.....	19 70

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Richard F. Andrews, Junior—About 2,862 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, being a lot shown on Morton & Quimby plan, September 22, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2406, page 114, tax for 1923.....	\$34 58
Bertha, Maurice and Sidney Bergman 1/3 each, undivided—About 492 feet of land on the westerly side of Old Colony avenue, making the northwesterly corner of Boston place, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Fleming (numbered 12 Boston place), tax for 1923.....	2 47
Donald M. Blair, surviving Trustee under will of John S. Blair—Buildings and about 1,539 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ward court, numbered 1, between an estate of Hattie E. Carver and an estate of Bernice Bulkowski, tax for 1923.....	46 93
Richard T. Block—Buildings and about 865 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, numbered 141, making the westerly corner of Earl street, adjoining an estate of Michael McGann, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Eveline Brackett (supposed present owner Samuel Munflower)—Buildings and about 1,530 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Eighth street, numbered 265, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of Antonio Arrichiello, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Also buildings and about 1,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Eighth street, numbered 267, between an estate of Everett M. Taylor and another estate of said Brackett, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Also buildings and about 1,540 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Ninth street, numbered 264 and 264A, between another estate of said	

Brackett and an estate of William Lynch, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Also buildings and about 1,509 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Ninth street, numbered 262, between two other estates of said Brackett, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Also buildings and about 1,569 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Ninth street, numbered 260, between another estate of said Brackett and an estate of Victor Kaylauski and another, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Enrico and Louisa Brebbia—Buildings and about 13,828 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 84 and 84 rear, between another estate of said Brebbia and another and an estate of Mary E. McDonald, tax for 1923.....	\$232 18
Paid on account.....	120 00
Balance due.....	112 18
Also buildings and about 11,298 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 78 and 78 rear, between an estate of M. Braboni and another estate of said Brebbia and another, tax for 1923.....	\$202 54
Paid on account.....	120 00
Balance due.....	82 54
Also about 5,563 feet of land at the end of passageway, leading from and in the rear of the northerly side of East Cottage street and another, being lot 1, E. L. Moulton plan, October 24, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4415, page 93, tax for 1923.....	\$19 76
Paid on account.....	10 00
Balance due.....	9 76
Mary B. Bright—About 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newman court, being lot 125, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newman court, being lot 123, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newman court, being lot 124, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Thomas J. Broderick, John F. Barry and Thomas J. Keegan, Trustees of Clifton Associates—About 3,308 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holden street, bounded and described as follows: northerly by Holden street; easterly by an estate of Mary T. Sprague, southerly by an estate of Samuel R. Field and westerly by an estate of Bernard Hughes, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 70
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	26 99
Percival L. Caine—Buildings and about 22,560 feet of land on the westerly side of Sumner street, numbered 59, between an estate of Lillian A. Douse and another estate of said Caine, tax for 1923.....	234 65
Frank Campbell Devisees—Buildings and about 14,770 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 8, between an estate of said Campbell devisees and an estate of Mary A. Shea, tax for 1922.....	232 18
Also about 4,905 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Mt. Vernon street; southeasterly by another estate of said Campbell devisees; north-easterly by an estate of Paul Rubinskas and another and Benjamin F. Cleary heirs and northwesterly by an estate of Mary E. Lane, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Francis A. Campbell, James Sullivan and William J. Gallivan, Trustees—About 5,157, assessed as 5,187 feet of land on the easterly side of Boston street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Boston street; northerly by an estate of Charles T. Reed heirs; easterly by an estate of John M. Chmielinski and southerly by an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Charles R. Cavanagh, Trustee of Gerald Cavanagh and William Cavanagh—Buildings and about 36,562 feet of land on the southerly side of Alger street extension, numbered 9, between an estate of S. A. Wood Machine Company and an estate of Metropolitan Trust, trustees, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	76 12
Harry P. Chadwick (supposed present owner Felix Milona)—Buildings and about 3,360 feet of land on the southerly side of Kemp street, numbered 4, between an estate of William H. Kemp and another estate of William H. Kemp, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Harry P. Chadwick (supposed present owner Vincenzo and Giovanna Guarcello)—Buildings and about 2,400 feet	

of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, numbered 33, making the southerly corner of Champney court, adjoining an estate of Frank L. Cook, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 3,462 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humphrey street, numbered 48, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1 Quincefield street, adjoining an estate of Martha J. Ferson, tax for 1923.....	172 90
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	6 93
Also about 1,505 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, making the southerly corner of Kemp street, being lot A, C. F. Baxter plan, May 21, 1883, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 1,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 1,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, being lot C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 1,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, being lot D, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 834 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, being lot 3, shown on assessors' plans, dated December 15, 1876, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41
John M. Chmielinsky—About 5,556 feet of land on the westerly side of Albert street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Albert street, southerly by an estate of Polish Industrial Association; westerly by estates of Barbara Radzowski and other estates of John M. Chmielinsky and northerly by another estate of said of said Chmielinsky, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Also buildings and about 4,486 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 666, between an estate of Barbara Radzowski and another estate of said Chmielinsky, tax for 1923.....	81 51
Also about 9,604 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, extending through to Albert street, between an estate of William H. Kemp and another estate of said Chmielinsky, being a lot shown on an unnamed plan, dated June 30, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	71 63
Also about 26,110 feet of land on the northerly side of Kemp street, making the northeasterly corner of Albert street, adjoining an estate of Harry W. Cotton and others, same plan, tax for 1923.....	96 33
Also about 6,134 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, extending through to Boston street, between an estate of John R. Chapman and others (numbered 615), and an estate of John F. Gualina (numbered 625), tax for 1923.....	76 57
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	17 31
Julia and Edward B. Clapp and Mary L. Blake—About 73,304 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Boston street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Frank E. Buxton, trustee; northerly by an estate of Jeremiah J. McCarthy and another; easterly by sundry estates fronting on Boston street, and southerly by West Bellflower street, tax for 1923.....	363 09
Also about 1,672 feet of land on the easterly side of Boston street, between an estate of William C. Clapp and an estate of Julia E. Sheehan (numbered 146), tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 7,415 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Willow court, being lot B. F. O. Whitney plan, May 5, 1885, (revised by F. L. Clapp) October 20, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4418, page 158, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	18 95
Martha M. Clapp Heirs or Devisees—Buildings and about 15,343 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Boston street, numbered 169, between an estate of Edward B. Clapp and another estate of said Clapp, tax for 1923.....	202 54
Also about 82,591 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Boston street, between another estate of said Clapp heirs or devisees (numbered 169) and an estate of Michael O'Donnell (numbered 159), and another, tax for 1923.....	407 55
David Collins—Buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the northerly side of Locust street, numbered 36, between an estate of Mary S. Smith and an estate of Meisel Press Manufacturing Company, tax for 1923.....	14 82

Mary J. Condon—Buildings and about 3,697 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 845, between an estate of Alice M. Muldowney and an estate of Esther F. Condon, tax for 1923.....\$150 67
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 100 67
Patrick Connelly—Buildings and about 975 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, numbered 215, between an estate of Eugene B. Hamilton and an estate of Jakob Littera and another, tax for 1923..... 51 87
Frank L. Cook (supposed present owner Giovanni Geraculo)—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, being lots 103 and 104, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922..... 29 64
Tax for 1923..... 29 64

Mary J. Corbett—About 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 68, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 9 88
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88
Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88
Harry W. Cotton, Arria F. C. Morrison, Frank B. Cotton, Heirs, Elizabeth A. Cotton, Jane E. Merchie, Charles B. Prince, Walter B. Grant, Trustee under will of Arria Cotton, benefit Elizabeth A. Cotton—About 31,109 feet of land on the northerly side of Hyde street, making the northwesterly corner of Old Colony avenue, adjoining an estate of Marceline Robison, tax for 1923.....\$116 09
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 66 09
Also about 67,855 feet of land on the southerly side of Hyde street, extending through to Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, between an estate of Gustave Hauk (numbered 626 Dorchester avenue) and an estate of Annie O'Brien, tax for 1923.....\$335 92
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 135 92
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 156 79
Also about 75,386 feet of land on the southerly side of Hyde street, making the southwesterly corner of Old Colony avenue, extending to and making the northwesterly corner of Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, adjoining an estate of Marceline Robison (numbered 1 Washington avenue), tax for 1923.....\$279 11
Paid on account..... 135 88

Balance due..... 143 23
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 209 62
Also about 98,762 feet of land on the southerly side of Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, making the southwest corner of Washington avenue, extending to and making the southeasterly corner of Albert street, shown on an unnamed plan, June 30, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....\$365 56
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 165 56
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 118 63
Also about 85,876 feet of land on the southerly side of Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, making the southeasterly corner of Washington avenue, extending to and making the northeasterly corner of Kemp street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....\$316 16
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 116 16
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 130 10
Also about 15,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly and southerly by an estate of Frederick F. Ayer heirs, trustees; westerly by Washington avenue and northerly by Kemp street, tax for 1923.....\$56 81
Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 31 81
Also about 18,620 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Kemp street, adjoining an estate of John J. Collins, tax for 1923.....\$66 69
Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 41 69

Also about 15,920 feet of land on the southerly side of Ralston (formerly Abbot) street, making the southwest corner of Albert street, being a lot shown on an unnamed plan, June 30, 1918, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....\$98 80
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 48 80
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 49 24

Also about 6,012 feet of land on the westerly side of Old Colony avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Ralston street (formerly Abbot) street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....\$29 64
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 19 64
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 15 87

George W. Cuddy—About 2,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Howell street, being lot 4, F. A. Tracey plan, March 21, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2147, page 36, tax for 1923..... 19 76

Thomas Dalby—About 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 65, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Champney street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 2,010 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Champney court, being lot 123, same plan, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Also about 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Champney street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Champney street; northeasterly by an estate of Michael F. O'Connor and another and other estates fronting on Newman street; northwesterly by an estate of Louis Shales and southwesterly by an estate of Alexander McKenna and another, tax for 1923..... 7 41

John D'Angelo—Buildings and about 1,070 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frederick street, between an estate of Harriet T. Concannon (numbered 7 Frederick street) and an estate of Albert C. Haley and another (numbered 179 West Ninth street), tax for 1923..... 14 82

Margaret J. Doherty—About 1,526 feet of land on the southerly side of East Cottage street, being lot B, William Kelley plan, July 31, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3833, page 201, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Mary E. Dolan—Buildings and about 1,583 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hamlet street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Dolan and an estate of Catherine M. McKenna, tax for 1923..... 41 99

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 7 02

Also buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hamlet street, numbered 14, between another estate of said Dolan and an estate of Benjamin Pope and another, tax for 1923..... 49 40

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 11 53

Climena H. Drake—About 1,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newman court, being lot 128, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 9 88

J. Sumner Draper, Henry B. Day, Willard Welsh Realty Company (Incorporated), George P. Hamlin and Edward Hamlin—About 62,628 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Thomas Cavanagh Company; southwesterly by an estate of John P. Howe and another estate of said J. Sumner Draper and others, and easterly by an estate of George N. Putnam and others, trustees, tax for 1923, \$185 25
Paid on account..... 130 91

Balance due..... 54 34
Also about 13,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, bounded and described as

follows: Northwesterly by an estate of John P. Howe; northeasterly and southeasterly by other estates of said J. Sumner Draper and others, and southerly by Mt. Vernon street, tax for 1923.....\$19 40
Paid on account..... 16 05

Balance due..... 33 35
Also about 47,685 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot B, John H. Rice plan, March 21, 1903, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2893, page 200, tax for 1923.....\$175 37
Paid on account..... 160 55

Balance due..... 14 82

Mary C. Fairbanks, one half; Louise White, one sixth; Sarah B. Huershoff, one sixth; Trustees of Kimball Union Academy, one sixth—About 1,052 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, bound and described as follows: Northeasterly by West Ninth street; southwesterly by an estate of Ellen Noonan; northwesterly by an estate of Mary McGrath; southeasterly by an estate of Abbott and Fernald Company, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Giovanni Fallano—Buildings and about 1,198 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 117, between an estate of Charles H. Dolan and an estate of Martin Jennings, tax for 1923..... 32 11

Bartholomew J. Flaherty—Buildings and about 2,336 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, extending through to Old Colony avenue, between an estate of Mary Manning and an estate of Michael J. Riordan, tax for 1923..... 615 03

Sarah Flaherty—Buildings and about 1,310 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, between an estate of Zofia Jasiak and an estate of Eugene P. Hamilton, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Eleanor Fontaine—Buildings and about 2,621 feet of land on the westerly side of Sydney street (numbered 186), between another estate of said Fontaine and an estate of Martha L. Richardson and others, tax for 1923..... 101 27

Also about 2,707 feet of land on the westerly side of Sydney street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Sydney street; northerly by an estate of Allen L. Cleveland; westerly by estates of Alvah G. Sleeper, trustee, and David Alexander and southerly by another estate of said Fontaine, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Marion F. Foster—Buildings and about 4,221 feet of land on the southerly side of Taft street, numbered 26, between an estate of Jeremiah Cadigan and another and an estate of Catherine Ahearn, tax for 1923.....\$172 90
Paid on account..... 160 00

Balance due..... 12 90
Margaret A. Fraser—Buildings and about 4,658 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dexter court, numbered 1 and 2, between an estate of Charles E. Whitney and another and an estate of Mabel Gould, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Paul J. Fuller—Buildings and about 2,068 feet of land on the westerly side of Columbia road, numbered 664, making the southwesterly corner of Eastman street, adjoining an estate of Emma Clark, tax for 1923.....\$98 80
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 48 80

Joseph Geary—Buildings and about 1,491 feet of land on the northwesterly side of E street, numbered 156, making the northerly corner of Old Colony avenue, adjoining an estate of Joseph Geary, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 15 36

Also buildings and about 1,218 feet of land on the northwesterly side of E street, numbered 160 and 160 rear, between an estate of Bridget Feehey and an estate of Joseph Gary, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 9 08

Richard I. and Florence J. Gifford—Buildings and about 1,368 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 3, between an estate of Catherine Sullivan and an estate of Joseph O'Donnell and another, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Edmund and Beatrice Grundy—Buildings and about 2,465 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 205, between an estate of John W. Lavery and an estate of Mary A. Arnold, tax for 1923..... 49 40

Thomas P. Higgins—Buildings and about 1,349 feet of land on the westerly side of Moseley street, numbered 8, between an estate of Joseph Farnalare and another and an estate of Emma J. Noonan, tax for 1923.....	108 68	Charles J. Kelley, Junior—Buildings and about 7,210 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humphreys street, numbered 41, making the northerly corner of Harrow street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Goodwin, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston—Buildings and about 5,130 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 655, between another estate of said Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston and an estate of Emilia Kleimowicz, tax for 1923.....	224 77
Ida M. Hodsdon—About 1,428 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Ninth street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by West Ninth street; southeasterly by an estate of Edward M. Smith; north-easterly by an estate of Antonio Orlando and Barbara Mackevicz and northwesterly by another estate of said Hodsdon, tax for 1922.....	9 88 9 88	James A. Kemp—About 1,852 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, between an estate of Polish Industrial Association and an estate of Barbara Radzikowski (numbered 670), being a lot shown on an un-named plan June 30, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Daniel Russell Boiler Works, Incorporated—Buildings and about 38,332 feet of land on the westerly side of Boston street, numbered 97 and 105, between an estate of Jacob F. Brown and an estate of South Bay Company, tax for 1923.....	531 05
Also about 1,426 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Ninth street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by West Ninth street; southeasterly by another estate of said Hodsdon northeasterly by an estate of Antonio Orlando and northwesterly by an estate of Fred M. Lowe, trustee, tax for 1922.....	9 88 9 88	William and Minnie A. Laburn (set off to Nathan and Esther Miller)—Buildings and about 11,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 822 and 824, between another estate of said Laburn and an estate of William P. Tenney, tax for 1923.....		Angelina St. Charles, one half, and Abraham Oransky, one half—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the north-erly side of Stoughton street, num-bered 15, making the northwesterly corner of Pleasant street, adjoining an estate of Anton Koerner, tax for 1923.....	419 90
Tax for 1923.....		Balance due.....	72 90	Joseph Silk—About 1,182 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeas-terly side of Dorchester street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest-erly and northeasterly by two other estates of said Silk; southeasterly by an estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company; southwesterly by an es-tate of Margaret Daley and another and an estate of George Nelson, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Morrill street, numbered 11, between an estate of Katherine T. Marr and an estate of Julia A. Carey and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Aleksander Lada, Sophie H. Lada and Mary Michalowski (supposed present owner Joseph and Agatha Lewon)—Buildings and about 3,060 feet of land on the easterly side of Raven street, numbered 22, between an estate of Bridget Calahan and an estate of Frederick Baranow and another, tax for 1923.....	133 38	Edward M. Smith—About 1,428 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Ninth street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by West Ninth street; southeasterly by an estate of Sadie G. Farley; North-easterly by an estate of Barbara Mackevicz and northwesterly by an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Anthony Holbrook, Junior, (supposed present owner John F. and Julia Mason)—Buildings and about 2,644 feet of land on the easterly side of Grant street, numbered 28 and 30, between an estate of John A. McChesney and another and an estate of Margaret Shea, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Albert Lewenberg—Buildings and about 1,943 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 160, 162 and 164, between an estate of Teresa Violanti and an estate of M. Wilbur Gillespie, tax for 1922.....	116 09	Henry J. and Edward F. Smith—About 865 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and de-scribed as follows: Southeasterly by Earl street; northwesterly by estates of Michael McGann and Richard T. Block; northwesterly by an estate of Michael McGann and another, and southwesterly by an estate of Alice B. Lynch, tax for 1922.....	4 94 4 94
Independent Rendering Company—Buildings and about 11,495 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Damrell street, numbered 63, between an estate of S. A. Woods Machine Company and an estate of Domenico De Stefano, tax for 1923.....	197 60	Alice B. Lynch—About 865 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and described as fol-lows: Southeasterly by Earl street; northeasterly by an estate of Henry J. Smith; northwesterly by an estate of William H. Quirk heirs, and south-westerly by an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	
Richard E. Jefferey—About 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, being lot 100, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 92, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Peter and William Marini—Buildings and about 5,872 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 540-544, between an es-tate of Patrick J. Kennedy and an estate of Alexander Gargulinski, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Albert C. Smith—About 500 feet of land on the easterly side of Buttonwood street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Buttonwood street; northerly by an estate of Michael F. Sullivan; easterly by an estate of Francis B. Wheaton and an- other, trustees, and southerly by an estate of William G. Harrington, tax for 1923.....	2 47
James F. Kavanagh Company—Build-ings and about 10,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of D street, numbered 27, between an estate of Patrick F. Burke and an estate of James E. Davis, trustee, tax for 1923, John M. Keane (supposed present owner Catherine A. Keane)—Buildings and about 14,518 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 1264 and 1272, between an estate of Rose Edelman and an estate of The Shepard Company and others, tax for 1923.....	259 35	Alice C. McGowan—Buildings and about 4,053 feet of land on the westerly side of Sumner street, numbered 7, between an estate of John J. Connolly and another and an estate of Mary Wright, tax for 1923.....	197 60 50	Also about 133 feet of land leading from the southwesterly side of Quince-field street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Leslie R. Brown (num-bered 722 to 726 Dudley street), tax for 1923.....	2 47
Annie M. Kelley—About 1,060 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Old Colony avenue, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly and north-westerly by Old Colony avenue; north-easterly by Champney street, and southeasterly by another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....		Charles H. Souther Heirs or Devises—About 137,490 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being a lot shown on Whitman and Howard plan, December 17, 1918, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4176, page 401, tax for 1923.....	338 39
Also about 970 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Champney street; southeasterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; southwesterly by Old Colony avenue, and northwesterly by another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Alexander and Mary E. McKenna—About 300 feet of land on the southerly side of Champney street, making the southwesterly corner of Newman court, adjoining an estate of Frank L. Cook, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Katherine Thorne—About 980 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frederick street, formerly numbered 6, between an estate of Periclis Georgeiadis and another and an es-tate of Henry T. McGrady, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Annie M. Kelley (supposed present owner Nora Burke)—Buildings and about 950 feet of land on the south-easterly side of D street, numbered 103, between an estate of Ellen L. Dixon and others and an estate of Bridget Hyder, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Also buildings and about 1,043 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Champney street, numbered 7, making the northerly corner of Old Colony avenue, adjoining an estate of Thomas Dalby, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 28	Aldona Vasil—About 1,566 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jenkins street, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 113, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Annie M. Kelley (supposed present owner Martin J. and Annie Joyce)—Buildings and about 1,197 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mitchell street, numbered 28, between an estate of Mary Jenness and an estate of Margaret E. Barrett, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 76 4 17	James A. and Bridget McKenna—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of E street, numbered 159, between an estate of Mary Recanzone and an estate of Charles C. Gleason, apportionment of sidewalk construction assess-ment for 1923.....	9 34	Willard Welsh Realty Company, one half, and J. Summer Draper, one half—Buildings and about 2,361 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being a lot shown on Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal plan (sheet 2), November, 1919, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4181, page 464, tax for 1923.....	\$12 35 6 18
Charles J. Kelley—About 1,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Eighth street, bounded and de-scribed as follows: Northeasterly by East Eighth street, northwesterly by sundry estates of Israel Margolis; southeasterly by an estate of Cath-erine Noonan, and southwesterly by William Kohansky and another, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Charles Meade—About 1,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vale street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Vale street; southeasterly by an estate of Julia Kuhn; northeasterly by an estate of Everett M. Taylor, and northwesterly by an estate of Thomas W. Roulston, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Balance due.....	6 17
Also about 1,302 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, bounded and described as fol-lows: Northeasterly by Champney street; southeasterly by an estate of Richard E. Jefferey; southwesterly by Old Colony avenue, and northwesterly by Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Edward A. Morse—Buildings and about 3,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Dudley street, numbered 730, 730A and 732, making the north-easterly corner of Holden place, ad-joining an estate of Florence A. Bird, tax for 1923.....	350 74	Willard Welsh Realty Company—About 295,130 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being a lot shown on Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal plan, November, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4181, page 464, tax for 1923.....	\$298 87 111 56
		Peter J. Mullin—Buildings and about 908 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frederick street, numbered 20, between an estate of Jane E. Warren and an estate of Eliza Cavanaugh, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Balance due.....	187 31
		Annie M. Murphy—Buildings and about 4,862 feet of land on the east-erly side of Newport street, numbered 36, between an estate of Alice M. Foley and an estate of Mary M. Mahoney, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Also about 25,885 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, same plan (sheet 2), registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11392, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50 111 56
		Sadie Petrijski—Buildings and about 918 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, numbered 221, making the southerly corner of Mit-chell street, adjoining an estate of Michael Foley, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Balance due.....	11 99

Joseph A. Whalen (supposed present owner Estates Realty Company)—Buildings and about 2,385 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1031 and 1033A, making the southwest corner of Victoria street, adjoining an estate of William H. Boodro, tax for 1923..... 370 50

William Williams—About 867 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and described as follows: Southeast by Earl street; northeasterly by an estate of Alice B. Lynch; northwesterly by an estate of William H. Quirk heirs, and southwesterly by an estate of Philip H. Sullivan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

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Jacob Alpert—Buildings and about 7,192 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 662, 664 and 666, between an estate of Winifred R. Guarante and an estate of Mary J. McMahon, tax for 1923..... \$652 08

Peter E. Aronis—Buildings and about 4,425 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vine street, numbered 38 and 40, between an estate of said Aronis and an estate of Margaret C. Tominey, tax for 1923..... 271 70

Also buildings and about 6,075 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vine street, numbered 30 and 34, making the southerly corner of and numbered 45 Forest street, adjoining another estate of said Aronis, tax for 1923..... 716 30

Edith M. Bangs—Buildings and about 665 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chadwick street, numbered 69, between an estate of Samuel Garlitz and an estate of Mary F. McNamee and others, tax for 1923..... 74 10

Joseph Berenberg—About 6,304 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shirley street, extending through to Sherwood street, being lot A. C. H. W. Wood Company plan, July 9, 1907, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 54 34

Also about 4,787 feet of land on the westerly side of Sherwood street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Andreas Blume Heirs or Devises—About 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast by an estate of said Blume; easterly by an estate of Roxbury Neighborhood House Association; southerly by an estate of City of Boston; southwesterly by an estate of Katherine Gabel and another; westerly by an estate of Edith M. Wiley; northwesterly by Albany street, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Also about 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Albany street, easterly; southerly and westerly by other estates of said Blume, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Also about 40 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Albany street; easterly by an estate of Daniel J. Leonard; southerly and westerly by other estates of said Blume, tax for 1923..... 2 47

William Breslin, Devises of—Buildings and about 1,785 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Springfield street, numbered 33, between an estate of Lizzie Cohen and an estate of William Shapiro, tax for 1923..... 103 74

Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, Trustees under will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 1,728 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 287, between another estate of said Butler and others, trustees, and an estate of Daniel Swan, tax for 1923..... 244 53

Also buildings and about 1,698 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 289, between another estate of said Butler and others, trustees, and an estate of J. Herbert Brooks and others, tax for 1923..... 244 53

Julius L. and Robert P. Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 9,258 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 72 and 74, making the southerly corner of Reed street, adjoining another estate of said Julius L. Cabelinsky and another (numbered 66 and 70, respectively), tax for 1923..... 456 95

Simon Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 5,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 75, 77, 79 and 81, extending through to Trask street and making the northerly corner of Gage street, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick (numbered 83-87), tax for 1923..... 600 21

Catherine G. Camack—Buildings and about 5,688 feet of land on the north-

erly side of Shirley street, numbered 94 and 96, between an estate of Star Brewing Company and an estate of Patrick F. Cox, tax for 1923..... 34 58

Gustave E. Carlson—Buildings and about 2,148 feet of land on the southerly side of Adams street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Carlson and an estate of Patrick F. Curley, tax for 1923..... 41 99

Also buildings and about 2,527 feet of land on the southerly side of Adams street, numbered 18, between another estate of said Carlson and an estate of Cornelius Cotter, tax for 1923..... 44 46

Ray H. Carver—About 908 feet of land on the southerly side of Thorndike street, being lot 9 on a plan not named, dated January 31, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2110, page 564, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 7,417 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 21 and 23, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of William Barrett, tax for 1923..... 143 26

Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 17, between two other estates of said Chadwick (numbered 15 and 21 to 23), tax for 1923..... 34 58

Also buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 15, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Samuel Lipson, tax for 1923..... 34 58

Also about 1,738 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chadwick street, bounded and described as follows: Northeast by an estate of Anna G. Breen; southeasterly by an estate of William Hanrahan; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston (Chadwick park); northwesterly by Chadwick street, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Also buildings and about 1,856 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Yeoman street, numbered 61, making the westerly corner of Adams street, adjoining an estate of Waldo F. Gleason, tax for 1923..... 49 40

Also buildings and about 1,065 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden place, numbered 15, between an estate of Henry N. Moody and an estate of Antonio Caggiano, tax for 1923..... 44 46

Also buildings and about 4,402 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 83, 85 and 87, between an estate of Simon Cabelinsky and an estate of St. Patrick's Church, tax for 1923..... 607 62

Joshua Cohen—Buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Reed street, numbered 64, between an estate of C. Theodore Hardwick and an estate of Marguerite West, tax for 1923..... 69 16

Also buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Reed street, numbered 76, between an estate of Jacob Goldberg and an estate of Philip Vinick, tax for 1923..... 64 22

Also about 741 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newcomb street, being lot 24, shown on H. H. Moses plan, March 15, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2143, page 594, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Francis M. Conant—Buildings and about 1,204 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 932A and 932B, making the easterly corner of Ormond court, adjoining another estate of said Conant, numbered 928 and 930, tax for 1923..... 86 45

Also buildings and about 953 feet of land on the southerly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 928 and 930, between another estate of said Conant and an estate of Salvatore and Anna Rosselli, tax for 1923..... 81 51

Mary D. Connelly—Buildings and about 1,880 feet of land on the westerly side of Clifton street, numbered 9 and 11, between an estate of Patrick McMahon and an estate of Alexander McLeod, tax for 1923..... 81 51

Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923..... 10 84

Mary F. Connelly—About 1,987 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Dudley street, in the rear of (numbered 279), being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood plan, July 18, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2387, page 440, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Mary L. Connelly (reassessed from Mary C. Connelly, Trustee)—Buildings and about 888 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, num-

bered 937 and 939, between an estate of Minnie Eisenstadt and an estate of Abraham Fogel, tax for 1921..... 101 27

Mary L. Connelly, Trustee—Buildings and about 725 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Gertrude street, numbered 8, between an estate of Abraham Yukelewitz and an estate of Peter Draffone, tax for 1923..... 88 92

Mary R. Connor—Buildings and about 7,391 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mall street, numbered 24, making the easterly corner of Douglass avenue, adjoining an estate of Susan Mulcahy, tax for 1923..... \$135 85

Paid on account..... 24 70

Balance due..... 111 15

Timothy Connors—Buildings and about 2,517 feet of land on the northerly side of Prescott street, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Martin Syverstein and an estate of R. Elmer Townsend, tax for 1923..... 37 05

Jessie V. Cram—About 2,898 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Winthrop street, being lot C, Henry F. Bryant plan, September 17, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3907, page 332, tax for 1923..... 29 64

William J. Cronin—Buildings and about 68,133 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Southampton street, numbered 113, between an estate of Leonard C. Wason and an estate of Augustine F. Ryan, tax for 1923..... 1,704 30

Carmella De Sisto—Buildings and about 6,305 feet of land on the northeasterly side of George street, numbered 132, making the easterly corner of Langdon street, adjoining an estate of Nora Fallon, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 15 64

William H. Dunbar, Trustee—Buildings and about 2,794 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 101, between an estate of Mary J. Crahan and another and an estate of Florence E. Bates, tax for 1923..... 93 86

Julia E. Dwyer—Buildings and about 27,449 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 251 rear, between an estate of Hugh D. Kelley and an estate of Fred H. Roberts and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... \$358 15

Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 158 15

Eastern Building Finish Company, The—Buildings and about 10,839 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 2178 rear, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Henry Crine, (numbered 2178), tax for 1923..... 449 54

Edwin J. Fairbanks—Buildings and about 4,786 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Eustis street, numbered 58, extending through to Mall street, between an estate of John F. Martin and another and an estate of Harry Richmond, tax for 1923..... 91 39

Nora Fallon—Buildings and about 1,495 feet of land on the northeasterly side of George street, numbered 134, between an estate of Mary A. C. Keene and an estate of Carmella Di Sisto, tax for 1921..... 9 88

Tax for 1923..... 9 88

Marion E. Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 904 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Yeoman place, at end of and numbered 1, adjoining an estate of Thomas H. Joyce and another (numbered 40 Yeoman street), tax for 1923..... 17 29

Esther Flexman—Buildings and about 2,224 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker park, numbered 22 and 24, between an estate of Nils G. Sandgren and another estate of said Flexman, tax for 1923..... \$101 27

Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 51 27

Also buildings and about 2,252 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker park, numbered 18 and 20, between another estate of said Flexman and an estate of Ellen Cannon, tax for 1923..... \$101 27

Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 51 27

Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,776 feet of land on the easterly side of George street, numbered 106, making the northeasterly corner of Jarvis place, adjoining an estate of Maria S. Cafano, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12227, tax for 1923..... 39 52

Joseph Fuller—Buildings and about 2,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Longmeadow street, numbered 8, between an estate of Cornelius McCarthy and an estate of Katherine Mitchell Lally, tax for 1923. 96 33

Mary J. Gallagher—Trustee for Mary F. Reardon—Buildings and about 2,184 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Leyland street, numbered 29, between two estates of Charles Coulter (numbered 29 and 31 respectively), tax for 1923. 148 20

Walter F. Gallagher—About 1,484 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Jarvis place, being lot 14, T. B. Moses plan, May 18, 1868, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1821, page 455, tax for 1921. 2 47

Also about 4,664 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Jarvis place, rear of and being lots 12 and 13, same plan, tax for 1921. 12 35

Delia T. Margaret E. and Elizabeth Garrity—About 1,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows street (formerly numbered 75 and 81), making the northerly corner of Fellows court, adjoining an estate of Bridget Dooley, heirs, tax for 1922. 12 35

Also about 1,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows court (formerly numbered 10), between an estate of Alice J. Conlin (numbered 8) and an estate of Domenico Lardo (numbered 16 Tileston street), tax for 1922. 12 35

Tax for 1923. 12 35

Also about 1,217 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fellows place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Julia F. McDonough; easterly by Fellows place; southerly by an estate of Owen Mullane; westerly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1922. 9 88

Tax for 1923. 9 88

Also about 630 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tileston street (formerly numbered 14), between an estate of Domenico Lardo (numbered 16 and 18), and an estate of Alice J. Conlin (numbered 8 Fellows court), tax for 1922. 7 41

Tax for 1923. 7 41

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923. 17 27

Eva Ginsberg—Buildings and about 13,374 feet of land on the southerly side of Fellows street, numbered 18 and 20, between an estate of A. A. Knight and Sons Corporation and an estate of Essie Schwatzer, tax for 1923. \$303 81

Paid on account. 100 00

Balance due. 203 81

Pearl Ginsberg—Buildings and about 4,147 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 368, between an estate of Timothy J. Murphy and an estate of Ellen C. Davis, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12208, tax for 1921. \$113 62

Paid on account. 13 62

Balance due. 100 00

Waldo F. Gleason—Buildings and about 1,755 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Yeoman street, numbered 59, between an estate of Augusta Scharbins and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923. 29 64

Jacob Goldberg—Buildings and about 760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Reed street, numbered 74, between an estate of Elizabeth P. Franzen and an estate of Joshua Cohen, tax for 1923. 64 22

Malichi J. Good—Buildings and about 2,548 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 68, between an estate of Katherine A. Good and an estate of Agnes Hudson, tax for 1923. 172 90

Katherine A. Good—Buildings and about 2,284 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 66, making the easterly corner of Moreland street, adjoining an estate of Malachi J. Good (numbered 68), tax for 1923. 197 60

Max Govenar—Buildings and about 3,157 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winslow street, numbered 10, between an estate of James A. Kelly heirs and an estate of Henry Hock, tax for 1923. 54 34

Eugene P. Grant—About 800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orange court, at end, bounded and described as follows: northerly by an estate of Minnie J. Smith; easterly by an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon; southerly by Orange court; westerly by an estate of Minnie J. Smith, tax for 1923. 7 41

Freda Hamburg—Buildings and about 1,279 feet of land on the southeasterly

side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 90, between an estate of Joanna F. Walsh and an estate of Abraham L. Potter, tax for 1923. 111 15

Florence E. Hamilton—Buildings and about 1,115 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockford street, numbered 8, between an estate of Florence E. Bates and an estate of Guiseppe Butria and another, tax for 1923. 49 40

Bridget M. Higgins—Buildings and about 2,160 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Magazine street, numbered 54, making the westerly corner of Howard street, adjoining an estate of John F. Dimock (numbered 50), tax for 1922. 49 40

Ida M. Hodsdon—About 800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orange court, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Eugene P. Grant; northerly by an estate of Frank Draferio; southeasterly by an estate of Antonio Bonamo, southerly by Orange court, tax for 1923. 7 41

Also buildings and about 3,669 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1102, making the southerly corner of and numbered 41 Eustis street, adjoining an estate of Charles S. Walkup, tax for 1923. 106 21

Also buildings and about 650 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prescott place, numbered 4, between two estates of Clara B. French, tax for 1921. 49 40

Also about 1,467 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Palmer street, adjoining an estate of John Burke, being a lot shown on a plan (not named; not dated), recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1575, page 112, tax for 1923. 32 11

Also about 1,491 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Palmer street, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being a lot shown on a plan (not named; not dated), recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1578, page 112, tax for 1923. 32 11

Also buildings and about 840 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 89 and 91, making the westerly corner of Fellows street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Loscocco and another (numbered 87), tax for 1923. 64 22

Also about 20,780 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fairland street, making the northerly corner of Moreland street, being the southerly and easterly parts of lot 88, shown on assessors' plans, volume 8, page 69, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, 128 44

George H. Holden—Buildings and about 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, numbered 880, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1 and 1A Yeoman street, adjoining an estate of Alvin G. Bartlett (numbered 886), tax for 1923. 111 15

Everett J. Holmes—Buildings and about 1,561 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 3 and 5, between an estate of C. Herbert Johnson and an estate of Boston Elevated Railroad Company, tax for 1923. 86 45

John W. Johnson—About 2,124 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Reed's court, making the northerly corner of Ambrose street, adjoining an estate of Harry Geller (numbered 12 Ambrose street), tax for 1923. 32 11

John H. Joy—Buildings and about 6,626 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 62, 66, 70, 72, 76 and 78, making the southeasterly corner of Dudley street (numbered 155 and 157) and the southwesterly and northwesterly corners of and numbered 1191 Harrison avenue, being the whole of block 144, tax for 1923. 1,761 11

Simon Kanter—Buildings and about 1,176 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 953 and 955, making the northerly corner of Mall street, adjoining an estate of Abraham Fogel, numbered 951, tax for 1923. 148 20

Esther Kaufman—Buildings and about 5,522 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 2048, 2050, 2052, 2054 and 2056, between an estate of Abigail H. Pratt and an estate of Samuel Lipson, tax for 1923. \$358 15

Paid on account. 200 00

Balance due. 158 15

John J. Keegan—About 1,557 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marshfield street, making the southerly corner of Robey street, bounded

and described as follows: Northerly by Marshfield street; southerly by an estate of Charles F. Lester and others; easterly by Robey street; westerly by an estate of Mary J. Donaghy, tax for 1923. 12 35

Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,870 feet of land on the southerly side of Winthrop street, numbered 11, between an estate of Campfield Washington and another and an estate of William M. Paul, tax for 1923. 101 27

Mary Kelliher—About 760 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fellows court, between an estate of William N. Ambler and an estate of Catherine Menz, tax for 1923. 9 88

Anthony M. Koeller—Buildings and about 5,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clifton street, numbered 32, making the southerly corner of Marshfield street, adjoining an estate of Harry Rosenthal (numbered 34), tax for 1923. 602 68

Evelyn Lamprey—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chesterfield street, numbered 10, between an estate of Giuseppe LaFauci and an estate of Antonelli Raffaella, tax for 1923. 56 81

Albert W. Lang, Trustee for Mary Leyland—Buildings and about 3,665 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 14, between an estate of Jennie Gifford and an estate of Richard Leahy, tax for 1923. \$111 15

Paid on account. 86 00

Balance due. 25 15

Also buildings and about 5,504 feet of land on the southerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 15, making the easterly corner of Dudley street, adjoining another estate of said Lang, trustee (numbered 17), tax for 1923. \$222 30

Paid on account. 150 00

Balance due. 72 30

Also buildings and about 4,216 feet of land on the southerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 17, between another estate of said Lang, trustee, and an estate of Edward J. Collins, tax for 1923. \$172 90

Paid on account. 150 00

Balance due. 22 90

Morris Levy—Buildings and about 615 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thorndike street, numbered 8, between another estate of said Morris Levy and an estate of Samuel Striberg, tax for 1923. 29 64

Also buildings and about 1,507 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thorndike street, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Morris Levy (numbered 8 to 12), tax for 1923. 135 85

Also buildings and about 1,791 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thorndike street, numbered 12, between another estate of said Morris Levy and an estate of Jennie Peters, tax for 1923. 140 79

Theresa R. Lewis—Buildings and about 773 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows street, numbered 9, making the westerly corner of Tileston street, adjoining an estate of Giacomina Damico, tax for 1923. 32 11

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923. 4 61

Annie Lowenberg—Buildings and about 1,952 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 688, between an estate of John J. Whoresky and another, trustees, and an estate of Orin S. Green, tax for 1923. 222 30

Ida B. Lucas—Buildings and about 1,077 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newcomb street, numbered 31, between an estate of Herbert A. Buck and an estate of Frances L. Richards, tax for 1923. 44 46

William E. Lynskey—Buildings and about 814 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakland avenue, at end, numbered 7, adjoining an estate of Alice A. Abar (numbered 5), tax for 1923. 71 63

Joshua L. MacDonald—Buildings and about 2,340 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Longmeadow street, numbered 2, adjoining an estate of Harry Rosenthal, tax for 1923. 118 56

James Maguire—Buildings and about 2,117 feet of land on the westerly side of Hampden street, numbered 57, 57 first rear and 57 second rear, between another estate of said Maguire and an estate of Margaret Honen, tax for 1921. 69 16

Patrick T. Mahoney—Buildings and about 2,199 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clifton street, numbered 19, between an estate of Charles H. Howard and another and an estate of Robert Roulston devisees, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	19 21		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	16 75		
John P. Manning—Buildings and about 7,653 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Moreland street, numbered 56, making the easterly corner of Whiting street, adjoining an estate of Katherine A. Chelius, tax for 1923.....	\$259 35		
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	59 35		
Also about 2,420 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Moreland street, adjoining another estate of said Manning, being the southwest-erly part of lot 88, shown on assessors plans, volume 8, page 69, on file in assessors office, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Christopher J. McCaffrey, Trustee—Buildings and about 3,282 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wood-ward avenue, numbered 47 and 49, between an estate of Hyman Shen-berg and an estate of Robert J. Ramsay and another, tax for 1921.....	111 15		
Tax for 1923.....	111 15		
James F., Matthew H., Andrew J., Thomas J. and John F. McEttrick—About 6,300 feet of land on the south-erly side of Taber street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Taber street; easterly by an estate of Philip J. O'Donnell and another; southerly by an estate of Charles H. Jennings; westerly by an estate of James Cahen, tax for 1921.....	140 79		
Tax for 1922.....	140 79		
Tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Daniel A. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 2,927 feet of land on the east-erly side of Dudley street, numbered 524A and 524J, making the southeast-erly corner of Burrell street, adjoining an estate of Pasquale Callisando and another, tax for 1923.....	158 08		
Mary J. McMahon—Buildings and about 2,678 feet of land on the north-erly side of Dudley street, num-bered 650, between an estate of Jacob Alpert and an estate of Eliza Keefe, tax for 1923.....	\$108 68		
Paid on account.....	40 00		
Balance due.....	68 68		
John W. Milligan—Buildings and about 2,587 feet of land on the easterly side of Batchelder street, numbered 5, between an estate of Eugene Baratta and others and an estate of Hugh McNulty, tax for 1923.....	69 16		
Minnie A. Mitchell—Buildings and about 689 feet of land on the south-erly side of McLellan street, num-bered 1, between another estate of said Mitchell and an estate of Mary L. Connelly, trustee, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 2, be-tween two other estates of said Mit-chell, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 4, be-tween two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 5, be-tween two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 6, be-tween two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 7, be-tween two other estates of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also buildings and about 689 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McLellan street, numbered 8, at end, adjoining another estate of said Mitchell, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Henry P. Nawn—Buildings and about 20,818 feet of land on the southeast-erly side of Magazine street, num-bered 121, 121 rear, 125 and 125 rear, extending through to Proctor street, between an estate of Daniel T. Cun-ningham and an estate of John L. Kelly and another, tax for 1923.....	407 55		
Henry P. Nawn and R. Elmer Townsend—About 5,452 feet of land on the			
westerly side of Magazine street, ad-joining another estate of said Nawn and another, being lot 6, Henry C. Midlram plan, May 13, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4106, page 74, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
Also about 5,527 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Allerton street, making the northerly corner of Maga-zine street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn and another, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
Also about 8,387 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Allerton street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn and another, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Michael B. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 1,952 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 662, between an estate of Margaret A. Grady and an estate of Mary E. Walsh and others, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Minnie Neville—Buildings and about 1,602 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orchard Park street, numbered 5, between an estate of Bridget Mc-Keon and an estate of Nora Mahoney, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Arthur H. Nichols—Buildings and about 10,343 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Eustis street, numbered 184, 186, 188 and 190, making the easterly corner of Adams street, adjoining an estate of Daniel J. Schlipp, tax for 1923.....	\$1,111 50		
Paid on account.....	600 00		
Balance due.....	511 50		
Also buildings and about 3,837 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prescott street, numbered 2, between an estate of Clara B. French and an estate of Daniel J. Schlipp, tax for 1923, Eliza O'Brien—Buildings and about 3,313 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 56 and 56A, between an estate of Philip Bornstein and an estate of Rebecca Kanner, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
Martina Pagani—Buildings and about 2,812 feet of land on the northerly side of Marshfield street, numbered 30, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 61 Batchelder street, ad-joining an estate of Marie Grassa, tax for 1923.....	106 21		
John B. Panebianco—Buildings and about 3,440 feet of land on the north-erly side of Leyland street, num-bered 18, between an estate of Michael P. Tully and another and an estate of Samuel J. Thompson and another, tax for 1923.....	113 62		
Banayiotoula Pappageorge—Buildings and about 2,460 feet of land on the westerly side of Dudley street, num-bered 547 and 549, between an estate of Esther Z. Small and an estate of James Valsam, tax for 1923.....	150 67		
Tax for 1922.....	\$160 55		
Paid on account.....	25 00		
Balance due.....	135 55		
Paulino Parenti—Buildings and about 12,410 feet of land on the northerly side of Burrell street, numbered 14, between an estate of Edith Howard and an estate of Raffaele Munichello and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Katherine E. Phelps—About 4,585 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifton street, adjoining an estate of Nellie C. Marty, being the westerly part of lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, C. H. W. Wood plan, May 20, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3400, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Apportionment of sidewalk con-struction assessment for 1923.....	35 34		
Meir W. Pictchell—Buildings and about 612 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 14, between another estate of said Pictchell and an estate of Lena Rose, tax for 1923.....	14 64		
Paid on account.....	15 00		
Balance due.....	14 64		
Also buildings and about 612 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 12, making the easterly corner of Sanford place, adjoining another estate of said Pictchell, tax for 1923.....	14 64		
Paid on account.....	10 00		
Balance due.....	14 70		
Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of San-			
ford place, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Pictchell, tax for 1923.....	\$24 70		
Paid on account.....	15 00		
Balance due.....	9 70		
Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sanford place, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Pictchell, tax for 1923.....	\$24 70		
Paid on account.....	15 00		
Balance due.....	9 70		
Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sanford place, numbered 7, at end, adjoining another estate of said Pictchell, tax for 1923.....	\$24 70		
Paid on account.....	15 00		
Balance due.....	9 70		
Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of San-ford place, numbered 8, at end, adjoin-ing another estate of said Pictchell, tax for 1923.....	\$29 64		
Paid on account.....	15 00		
Balance due.....	14 64		
Helen S. Prasinos—Buildings and about 14,439 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, num-bered 51 and 51 rear, between an es-tate of James W. Woodward and an estate of Carmelite Convent, tax for 1923.....	\$247 00		
Paid on account.....	117 65		
Balance due.....	129 35		
Bessie Raccoff—About 38 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Randall street, bounded and described as fol-lows: Southwesterly by Randall street; northwesterly by an estate of Samuel Oppen; southeasterly by an estate of David P. Doolan; north-erly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of street con-struction assessment for 1923.....	36		
John T. Regan et al.—About 1,138 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orange court, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Orange court; easterly by an estate of Rose A. Kane; southerly by an estate of Hercules Iron and Supply Company; westerly by an estate of Giovanni Andronico, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Edward E. Richards—Buildings and about 625 feet of land on the south-erly side of Clarence street, num-bered 17, between another estate of said Richards and an estate of Peter F. Assums and another, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Also buildings and about 643 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarence street, numbered 19, be-tween another estate of said Richards and an estate of Catherine Curran, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
George A. Richards—About 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Randall street, adjoining an estate of Trustees of Tufts College, being lot 8, C. H. W. Wood plan, September 27, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2310, page 161, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Apportionment of street con-struction assessment for 1923.....	11 91		
Augustus O. Roberts—About 789 feet of land lying in the rear from the south-erly side of Albany street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Alvin G. Bartlett, being lot 6, C. H. W. Wood plan, June 12, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2959, page 561, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Anna L. Robinson—Buildings and about 1,224 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orchard Park street, numbered 16, adjoining an estate of City of Bos-ton and an estate of John O'Brien and another, tax for 1923.....	118 56		
Also buildings and about 1,490 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Palmer street, numbered 67, making the southerly corner of Palmer place, adjoining an estate of Margaret J. O'Connor, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
William E. Robinson—About 745 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sing-leton street, adjoining an estate of Giuseppe Scibia and another, being lot 20, plan (no name, no date), re-corded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2182, page 40, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Lena and Morris Rodnetsky—Buildings and about 2,427 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Eustis street, numbered 250, between an estate of Margaret A. Hudson and an estate of Catherine S. McCabe, tax for 1923.....	\$74 10		
Paid on account.....	40 00		
Balance due.....	34 10		

Harlow H. Rogers—About 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thorndike street, making the southerly corner of Singleton street, adjoining an estate of Ray H. Carber, being lot 8, plan not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2182, page 40, tax for 1923.....	19 76	326 04
Pearl Sherman—Buildings and about 922 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1113, between another estate of said Sherman and an estate of Don J. Pinheiro, tax for 1923.....	61 03	46 93
Paid on account.....	60 00	
Balance due.....	61 03	
Also buildings and about 922 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1115, between two other estates of said Sherman, tax for 1923.....	61 03	51 87
Paid on account.....	60 00	3 84
Balance due.....	61 03	
Also buildings and about 956 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 1117, making the northerly corner of Renfrew street, adjoining an estate of said Sherman, tax for 1923.....	48 82	121 03
Paid on account.....	64 80	14 82
Balance due.....	48 82	11 52
Arny Silverman—Buildings and about 1,301 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 1, between another estate of said Silverman and an estate of Peter Draffone, tax for 1923.....	41 45	14 82
Paid on account.....	45 00	22 32
Balance due.....	41 45	
Also buildings and about 1,301 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Silverman, tax for 1913.....	41 45	172 90
Paid on account.....	45 00	56 81
Balance due.....	41 45	54 34
Also buildings and about 1,553 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 3, at end, between two other estates of said Silverman, tax for 1923.....	38 98	33 16
Paid on account.....	45 00	9 88
Balance due.....	38 98	
Also buildings and about 1,180 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 4, at end, between two other estates of said Silverman, tax for 1923.....	335 92	232 18
Paid on account.....	45 00	93 86
Balance due.....	335 92	
Also buildings and about 1,589 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Reed terrace, numbered 5, between another estate of said Silverman and an estate of Mazzara S. Andrea, tax for 1923.....	758 29	
Paid on account.....	45 00	
Balance due.....	758 29	
Esther Z. Small—Buildings and about 6,151 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 535, 537 and 541, between another estate of said Small and an estate of Orley A. Whitcomb, tax for 1923.....	464 36	
Also buildings and about 5,722 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 543, between another estate of said Small and an estate of Ganaviotoula D. Pappageorge, tax for 1923.....	66 69	
Albert C. Smith—about 724 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows court, adjoining an estate of William N. Ambler, being lot 12, F. O. Whitney plan, April 4, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2308, page 279, tax for 1923.....	3 88	
Charles G. Smith and William H. Gaston, Trustees under will of Samuel Weld—About 62,568 feet of land on the northerly side of Langdon street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Proctor street; easterly by C street; southerly by Langdon street; westerly by D street, tax for 1923.....	66 69	
Minnie J. Smith—Buildings and about 965 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Connolly street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Smith and an estate of Frank Diaferio, tax for 1923.....	3 88	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 88	
Also buildings and about 970 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Connolly street, numbered 18, making the southerly corner of Harrison terrace, adjoining another estate of said Smith, tax for 1923.....	66 69	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 88	
Joseph Sonnabend—Buildings and about 2,605 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 2138 and 2140, between an estate of Mary T. Grennan and an estate of Wolf Shapiro and another, tax for 1923.....	326 04	
Also buildings and about 790 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Eustis street, numbered 17, adjoining an estate of Mary E. Mulrey and others, tax for 1923.....	46 93	
Salvatore and Calogero Stella—Buildings and about 1,508 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lansdowne street, numbered 28, between an estate of Gaetano Taibi and an estate of Salvatore Mogavero, tax for 1923.....	51 87	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 84	
Domenica Sturniola—Buildings and about 2,176 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifton street, numbered 18 and 18A, making the northeasterly corner of Burrell street, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Connelly and another, tax for 1923.....	121 03	
Annie F. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fellows court, numbered 16, extending through to Tilton street, adjoining an estate of Julia Murphy, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 52	
Timothy J. Sullivan—About 1,656 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifton street, making the northeasterly corner of Lester street, adjoining an estate of Katherine E. Phelps, being lot 9, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, August 13, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3100, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	22 32	
Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Emanuel Church—About 5,663 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Warren street, making the southerly corner of Kearsarge avenue, adjoining an estate of Isadore Tucker and another, tax for 1923.....	172 90	
Also about 3,792 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Kearsarge avenue, adjoining another estate of said Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Emanuel Church, being lot B, Herbert L. Patterson plan, July 7, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4304, page 192, tax for 1923.....	56 81	
Obediah and Elizabeth Thomas—Buildings and about 819 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Lenox street, numbered 79, between an estate of Salvatore Bruno and an estate of Sabino Di Stasio and others, tax for 1923.....	59 28	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 76	
Ella J. and James P. Toy—Buildings and about 1,450 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newcomb street, numbered 20, between an estate of Charles P. Kelly and an estate of James P. Toy, trustee, tax for 1923.....	54 34	
Annie K. Trant—Buildings and about 1,738 feet of land on the southerly side of Burgess street, numbered 19, between an estate of Aaron S. Skolnick and an estate of Emery B. Moore, trustee, tax for 1923.....	36 00	
Paid on account.....	36 00	
Balance due.....	33 16	
Union Institution for Savings—About 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Orange court (formerly numbered 14), between an estate of Giovanni and Mary Andronico and an estate of John T. Regan and others, tax for 1921.....	9 88	
Giuseppe Viggiano—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Adams street, numbered 36, between an estate of William E. Ferguson and an estate of Mary J. Donohue, tax for 1923.....	232 18	
William H. White—Buildings and about 3,120 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, numbered 102, between an estate of John J. Connelly and an estate of Francis R. Keenan and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Frank W. Wildes and Ralph A. Stewart, Trustees under will of Susan S. Mann—Buildings and about 1,081 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 99, between an estate of said Wildes and another, trustees, and an estate of David J. Coburn, tax for 1923.....	93 86	
William Williams (Joseph J. McWeeney owns equity)—Buildings and about 347 feet of land on the northerly side of Ambrose street, numbered 4, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of		
Harry Geller, being lot A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, November 11, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2649, page 209, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
William Williams—Buildings and about 3,238 feet of land on the southerly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 988 and 990, between an estate of Anna W. Jones and an estate of Trustees of Tufts College, tax for 1923.....	86 45	
Also about 2,383 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Fellows street, making the easterly corner of Spring court, adjoining an estate of Margaret T. McLean, being lot 12, Garbett and Wood plan, May 15, 1885, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1722, page 195, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Williams Realty Company (supposed present owner Martin Syversten)—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prescott street, numbered 8, making the northerly corner of Prescott place, adjoining an estate of Martin Syversten, tax for 1921.....	64 22	
Winslow Real Estate Trust, Giuseppe Bisagnano and Antonio Lioni, Trustees—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winslow street, numbered 32 and 34, between an estate of John J. Madden and an estate of Warren Lathrop, tax for 1923.....	98 80	
Michael Witnasky and Frank Weichanowicz—Buildings and about 1,850 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Adams street, numbered 19, between an estate of said Witnasky and another and an estate of William J. Logan, devisees, tax for 1923.....	79 04	
Anna Zisman—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 46 and 48 rear, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and an estate of James W. Gerard, trustee, tax for 1923.....	41 99	
WARD THIRTEEN.		
Stephen Arsenault—Buildings and about 1,709 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 562, between an estate of Tom Wing and an estate of Irene M. Dick, tax for 1923.....	\$214 89	
Bertha E. Arseno—About 4,371 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 99 and 105, extending through to and numbered 2397, 2399, 2401 and 2403 Washington street, adjoining an estate of Anna J. Keefe (numbered 95 Dudley street), tax for 1923.....	1,304 16	
Elmer E. Bain—About 1,575 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot F, D. W. Hyde plan, May 18, 1910, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3463, page 441, tax for 1923.....	27 17	
Also about 1,575 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17	
Also about 1,913 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot D, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	
Also about 1,948 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot C, same plan, tax for 1923.....	34 58	
Also about 2,137 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	37 05	
Also about 2,137 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, being lot A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	41 99	
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	45 72	
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	48 36	
Edgar Benjamin and Alexander Nicholson—Buildings and about 994 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Windsor street, numbered 53, between another estate of said Benjamin and another and an estate of Jesse Goode and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	74 10	
Lillian Berkman—Buildings and about 1,005 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 78, between an estate of Honora Kingston and an estate of Joseph M. Kelly, trustee, tax for 1923.....	66 69	
Boston Belting Company, Trustees—Buildings and about 9,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dunlow street, numbered 42, making the southerly corner of Elmwood street, adjoining another estate of said Boston Belting Company, trustees, tax for 1923.....	111 15	
Also buildings and about 2,120 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunlow street, numbered 39, between an estate of West End Street Railway Company and an estate of James R. Turner, tax for 1923.....	29 64	

Also buildings and about 2,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, numbered 40, between another estate of Boston Belting Company, trustees, and an estate of Luke Glennon heirs, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Also about 11,520 feet of land on the northeasterly side of King street, making the easterly corner of Nawn court, adjoining an estate of Robert R. Morrow, tax for 1923.....	143 26		
Also about 10,176 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Texas street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by a passageway; easterly by another estate of said Boston Belting Company, trustees; southerly by a passageway; westerly by Texas street, tax for 1923.....	175 37		
About 84,550 feet of land on the southerly side of Tremont street, making the southwesterly corner of Linden Park street, extending through to Elmwood street, adjoining an estate of William A. Gaston trustee, tax for 1923.....	6,303 44		
Sarah S. Brennan—Buildings and about 1,053 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Windsor street, numbered 13, between an estate of George R. Nutter and an estate of Charles H. Roush trustee, tax for 1923.....	91 39		
Hester N. Burgess—Buildings and about 3,461 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1285 and 1287 and making the westerly corner of and numbered 6 Prentiss street, adjoining an estate of William J. Minsk and another, tax for 1923.....	871 91		
Robert Butler and Charlotte L. Moore, Trustees under will of Ira L. Moore—Buildings and about 2,700 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 572 making the southerly corner of Lyon place, adjoining an estate of Bessie Kaplan, tax for 1923.....	106 21		
Julius L. and Robert P. Cabel—Buildings and about 8,974 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 2121, 2123, 2129 and 2131, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 10 Williams street extending through to Adams place, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Henry C. Pickering, tax for 1923,.....	2,470 00		
Julius L. and Robert P. Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 1,641 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Adams place, numbered 7, between an estate of Robert P. Cabel and an estate of Joseph E. Waitt, trustee, tax for 1923,.....	69 16		
Simon Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 1,207 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Williams street, numbered 16, between an estate of Joseph E. Waitt, trustee and an estate of Julius L. and Robert P. Cabel, tax for 1923,.....	44 46		
Keive Carman, Ira W. Shapiro and Thomas Nuttle, Trustees of the Commercial Building Trust—Buildings and about 11,328 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 2159, 2161 and 2163, making the northerly corner of and numbered 4 Winthrop place, adjoining an estate of Augustus Bacon heirs and others, tax for 1923.....	2,003 17		
Tax for 1921.....	2,003 17		
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, numbered 36, between an estate now or formerly of Ann Murray and an estate now or formerly of Luke Glennon, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also buildings and about 1,613 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 178, extending through to Public Alley 804, between an estate of Martha A. Green and an estate of Anna C. Palmer, tax for 1923.....	96 33		
Also buildings and about 1,237 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Smith avenue, numbered 4, between an estate of Myer Plovnick and an estate of Eugene Ferris, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Edith R. Chandler—Buildings and about 1,007 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, numbered 56, between an estate of Anna DeLuca and an estate of Annie Graham, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Church of God and Saints of Christ—Buildings and about 1,850 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Arnold street, numbered 20, between another estate of Church of God and Saints of Christ and an estate of Henry C. Meade, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Tax for 1922.....	49 40		
Joseph Cohen—Buildings and about 2,193 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hammond street, numbered 31 and 31½, between another estate now or formerly of			
said Cohen and an estate now or formerly of James H. Anderson, tax for 1923.....	128 44		
Also buildings and about 2,218 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hammond street, numbered 33 and 33½, between another estate now or formerly of said Cohen and an estate now or formerly of Mary P. Hall, tax for 1923.....	128 44		
Arthur W. Cole—Buildings and about 1,017 feet of land on the southeastwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 548, making the easterly corner of Northampton street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Bridget O'Keefe heirs, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 229, between two estates now or formerly of Gertrude M. Cole, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Gertrude M. Cole—Buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 227, between an estate now or formerly of Arthur W. Cole and an estate now or formerly of Mabel R. Worthy, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 231, between another estate now or formerly of said Cole and an estate now or formerly of Arthur W. Cole, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 235, between two other estates now or formerly of said Cole, tax for 1923,.....	93 86		
Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 237, between another estate now or formerly of said Cole and an estate now or formerly of Edmund H. Talbot, Jr., tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Woodbury street, numbered 24, between two estates now or formerly of Louis Yankelevitz, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Concord Baptist Church—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 997 and 999, between another estate now or formerly of said Concord Baptist Church and an estate now or formerly of Abraham Finn and another, tax for 1921.....	\$135 85		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	85 85		
Also buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 991 and 993, between another estate now or formerly of said Concord Baptist Church and an estate now or formerly of Harris Pearlstein, tax for 1921.....	\$135 85		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	85 85		
Mary L. Connell—About 1,122 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westminster street, making the easterly corner of Hubert street, extending through to and making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Joseph Neustadt, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	4 35		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 53		
Catherine Connors—Buildings and about 5,981 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 769 and 771, between an estate now or formerly of Mary S. Dean and an estate now or formerly of Episcopal City Mission, tax for 1923.....	395 20		
Tasker C. Crosson and Andrew P. Hazlewood—About 3,036 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Windsor street in the rear of and adjoining an estate now or formerly of George W. Timber and another, being a lot shown on Whitman and Howard plan, dated December 18, 1894, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9792, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Edwin U. Nelson and George O. Curtis (reassessed from Edwin U. Nelson and others)—Buildings and about 4,503 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 2304 to 2310, inclusive, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Frank Ferdinand, tax for 1923.....	1,235 00		
Meyer Dalins (reassessed from Meyer Galins)—Buildings and about 1,800			
feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kendall street, numbered 53½ and 53A, between an estate of Martin F. Mulligan and an estate of Myer Plovnick, tax for 1923.....	40 93		
John L. Dickerson—Buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 102, adjoining an estate of John A. Menard, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10418, tax for 1923.....	\$66 69		
Paid on account.....	46 69		
Balance due.....	20 00		
William and Fannie Doksir—Buildings and about 947 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 833, between another estate of said Doksir and an estate of Carl L. W. Nelson, tax for 1923.....	\$96 33		
Paid on account.....	70 00		
Balance due.....	26 33		
Also buildings and about 971 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 855, between two other estates of said Doksir, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80		
Paid on account.....	70 00		
Balance due.....	28 80		
Also buildings and about 3,222 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 19, 12 and 44, making the southerly corner of Grinnell street, adjoining an estate of Carl L. W. Nelson, tax for 1923.....	\$232 18		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	132 18		
Also buildings and about 1,012 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 857, between another estate of said Doksir and an estate of Jeremiah J. McNamara, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80		
Paid on account.....	60 00		
Balance due.....	38 80		
Anastasia J. Doyle—About 381 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newbern court, numbered 00, between an estate of Thomas Giblin heirs and an estate of Samuel Spector, being lots 6 and 7 shown on assessors volume 8, page 44, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
George W. Estabrook Trustee—Buildings and about 819 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a passageway, leading from the southeasterly side of Hampshire street, adjoining an estate of Martin F. Mulligan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
John Faust—About 1,400 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Walpole street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Walpole street, easterly and southerly by an estate now or formerly of Susan A. Cotter, southwestwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Andrew F. McGettrick, and westerly and northwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Mary E. Anderson, tax for 1923.....	27 17		
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,006 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 81 and 81½, between an estate of John M. Burrell and an estate of Josephine M. Coughlin, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Suze C. French—Buildings and about 5,040 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 101, 106, 108A, 110 and 112, making the westerly corner of Guild row, adjoining an estate of Harriet M. Drake, tax for 1923.....	\$1,049 75		
Paid on account.....	250 00		
Balance due.....	799 75		
Ellis L. Gates—About 1,991 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lincoln place in the rear of and adjoining an estate of John McCaull, being lot 14, shown on assessors' plans, volume 7, page 75, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 2,967 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of West End Street Railway Company; easterly by Dunlow street; southerly by an estate of Martha M. Schuster and westerly by an estate of Samuel Lofor and an estate of Mary J. Kenney, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Ada M. Gifford—Buildings and about 448 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Sussex street, numbered 24, between an estate of Margaret T. Tobin and an estate of Edgar Howe, tax for 1923.....	34 58		

Gertrude S. Glickson—Buildings and about 1,533 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hubert street, numbered 21, between two estates of Abraham Geller, tax for 1923.....	39 52	992, between an estate of Mary F. Ballou and an estate of David Channer, tax for 1923.....	123 50	August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 85	Mary A. Healy—About 1,332 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marble street, formerly numbered 6, between an estate of Mary Healy and an estate of Arthur J. Phalen, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 613 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot I, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 91
Hannah Goldberg—Buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Motley street, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	50 81	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 91	Also about 613 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot H, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 91
Also buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Motley street, numbered 4, between two other estates of said Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Also buildings and about 1,343 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marble street, numbered 7, between an estate of Mary A. Healy and an estate of Henry C. Smith, tax for 1923, 22 23	22 23	Also about 456 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot K, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 91
Also buildings and about 1,170 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Motley street, numbered 2, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 710 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dillon street, numbered 15, between an estate of Daniel J. O'Connell and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Also about 612 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot L, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 968, making the southerly corner of Motley street, adjoining another estate of said Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	41 99	Also buildings and about 1,021 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sterling street, numbered 37, between an estate of Kirkov Kezerian and an estate of Harry Geller, tax for 1923.....	34 53	Also about 618 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot M, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Motley street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said Goldberg, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Also buildings and about 1,673 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sterling street, numbered 65, between an estate of Lucy Burchmeyer and an estate of James N. Bryant and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Also about 636 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot N, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated August 13, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2552, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Louis Gray—Buildings and about 1,462 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warwick street, numbered 25 and 25A, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of C. Foster Brown, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Also buildings and about 600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodbury street, numbered 23, between an estate of Warren Gowen and an estate of Louis Yankelwitz, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Helen E. Laughlin—Buildings and about 1,426 feet of land on the easterly side of King street, numbered 11, between an estate of Mary J. Kenney and an estate of Patrick Lynch and another, tax for 1923.....	34 58
Palma Greco—Buildings and about 2,480 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1050, 1050A, 1050B, 1052 and 1052A, making the easterly corner of and numbered 11 Cunard street, adjoining an estate of Morris Cohen and another registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15624, tax for 1923, \$338 39 Paid on account.....	200 00	Also about 1,782 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westminster street (formerly numbered 104), making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of William Charak, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Annie Lefebvre—Buildings and about 1,875 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Madison street, numbered 17, between an estate of Florence McCarthy and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, trustee, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 20
Balance due.....	138 39	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	13 62	Fannie Levin—Buildings and about 4,219 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 2137, 2141, 2143 and 2145, making the westerly corner of and numbered 8 Adams place, adjoining an estate of Harriet Davenport, tax for 1923.....	\$1,756 17
Hannah Greenwood—Buildings and about 1,402 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Camden street, numbered 21, between an estate of Isaac L. Wright and an estate of Rebecca Jenkins, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Also buildings and about 1,617 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Camden street, numbered 53, making the northerly corner of Public Alley 805, adjoining an estate of George A. Davis, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Paid on account.....	1,000 00
Jacob Grossman—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sarsfield street, numbered 13, between another estate of said Grossman and an estate of Mary C. Bernhard, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15678, tax for 1923.....	\$66 69	Also buildings and about 1,440 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warwick street, numbered 117, between an estate of Thomas Mallory and others and an estate of Delia Lundy, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Balance due.....	756 17
Paid on account.....	25 00	Everett J. Holmes—Buildings and about 2,074 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kenilworth street, numbered 7, between an estate of George H. Brown and another and an estate of Simon Neuhoff, tax for 1923, 64 22	64 22	Leola V. Mason—Buildings and about 1,280 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 86, between an estate of Charles L. Smith heirs and another and an estate of Alfred M. Chandler and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Balance due.....	41 69	Nina D. Johnson—Buildings and about 1,007 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 92, between two estates of Daniel H. Miner, tax for 1923.....	66 69	Catherine F. McGlynn—Buildings and about 1,713 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1344 and 1344A, between an estate of James Chico and an estate of William F. McGowan, tax for 1923.....	\$279 11
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 60	Mary A. Kelley—Buildings and about 2,546 feet of land on the westerly side of Lamont street, numbered 37, between an estate of Mary W. Kelley and an estate of Anna M. Schmidt, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Paid on account.....	100 00
Also buildings and about 1,918 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sarsfield street, numbered 15, between another estate of said Grossman and an estate of Carl L. W. Nelson, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15678, tax for 1923.....	\$66 69	Charles J. Kelley—Buildings and about 930 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer street, numbered 86, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of William O. Childs and another trustee, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Balance due.....	179 11
Paid on account.....	25 00	Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,975 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Madison street, numbered 23, between an estate of Frederick P. Fairfield and an estate of Twelfth Baptist Church, tax for 1923.....	39 52	James McMahon Heirs or devisees—About 391 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Downing street, adjoining an estate of Julia L. Heimberg, being a lot shown on H. H. Moses plan, dated May 15, 1879, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Balance due.....	41 69	Also buildings and about 1,470 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cabot street, numbered 56, between an estate of Hilda Carlson and an estate of Amanda E. Milmore, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Edward B., Frank W. and William A. Merriam, one third each (Undivided)—Buildings and about 902 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alpine terrace, adjoining an estate of Alice G. Hayes, being lot B, W. H. Whitney plan, dated July 20, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2221, page 262, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 48	Ella G. Knapp—About 1,407 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Coventry street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly and easterly by Coventry street; southeasterly and southerly by an estate of Mary E. Morse; southwesterly and westerly by an estate of Michael F. Barry and northwesterly by an estate of John D. O'Connor, tax for 1923.....	19 76	John Miller—Buildings and about 1,390 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Kendall street, numbered 50, between an estate of James H. Allen and another and an estate of Fannie Geller, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Annie Gutman—Buildings and about 1,457 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 109 and 109A, between another estate of said Gutman and an estate of Collie B. Drake, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 58		
Also buildings and about 1,448 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 111 and 111A, between another estate of said Annie Gutman and an estate of Alice L. Gaertner and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Duncan A. Kildare (reassessed from Edmund Rochester)—Buildings and about 1,371 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 673 and 675, making the northerly corner of Windsor street, adjoining an estate of Fannie D. Morse and others, tax for 1923.....	145 73		
Henry M. Harding, William A. Cox and Alexander M. Martin, Trustees of Harding, Cox and Martin Syndicate—Buildings and about 3,226 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sarsfield street, numbered 39 and 41, adjoining an estate of David Groman and an estate of Philip Dexter and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	222 30	Celia S. Krewe—About 626 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, adjoining another estate of said Krewe, being lot J, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated			
Also buildings and about 1,801 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 800, between an estate of Frank R. Coursey and another and an estate of Jesse Goode and others, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9694, tax for 1923.....	187 72				
Also buildings and about 1,493 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 990 and					

Virgi Morlian (now set off to Thomas Ciracci)—Buildings and about 2,793 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 68, between two other estates of said Morlian, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Virgi Morlian (now set off to Diranian Mazely)—Buildings and about 3,877 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 62, making the corner of Fenwick street, adjoining another estate of said Morlian, tax for 1923.....	116 09		
Thomas F. and Mary S. Murphy, one half each (Undivided) About 819 feet of land on the northerly side of Alpine terrace, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Augusta B. Doherty; westerly by an estate of Eliot Savings Bank, mortgagee in possession; easterly by an estate of Edward B. Merriam, and southerly by Alpine terrace, tax for 1921.....	7 41		
Mary F. and Thomas L. Murphy—About 849 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alpine terrace, being lot A, W. H. Whitney plan, July 20, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2221, page 267, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Ann Murray—About 2,029 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, formerly numbered 32, between an estate of Patrick Padden and an estate of Grace C. Tewksbury, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood plan, dated March 20, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2146, page 260, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
John S. Myrick—Buildings and about 1,986 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 220, extending through to Public Alley 804, between an estate of Royal Whiton and an estate of Edmund N. Harding and another, tax for 1923.....	103 74		
Elizabeth A. Nawn—Buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 27, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Catherine Gallagher, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 25, between two other estates of said Nawn, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Also buildings and about 850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Nawn and an estate of Joseph T. Ryan and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Hugh Nawn Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 9,225 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, numbered 177 rear, 179, 181, 183, 185, 187, 191, 193 and 193½, making the northwesterly corner of Stanton place and the southerly corner of a passageway, tax for 1923.....	481 65		
Also buildings and about 3,014 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 15, between an estate of Harriet Wiswall and another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	76 57		
Also buildings and about 2,358 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 11 and 13, between another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees and an estate of Annie J. Dorr, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Mary E. and Edward J. O'Connor—Buildings and about 1,884 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hammond street, numbered 27 and 27½, between an estate of James H. Anderson and an estate of Mary V. Cox, tax for 1923.....	113 62		
Patrick Padden—Buildings and about 1,234 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Dunlow street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Arthur J. Phelan—Buildings and about 1,325 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marble street, numbered 5, between an estate of Mary A. Healy and an estate of Charles H. Johnson and another, tax for 1923.....	66 69		
Harry Poloshook—Buildings and about 8,973 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hammond street, numbered 32 and 34, between an estate of Frank B. Fay and others, trustees, and an estate of Mary J. Frederickson, tax for 1923.....	321 77		
Paid on account.....	150 00		
Balance due.....	171 77		
Annie Pugh—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 537, between an estate of Paul B. Djiniurus and an estate of Mary E. Perry, tax for 1923.....		239 59	
Paid on account.....		100 00	
Balance due.....		139 59	
Ralph B. Rodgers—About 1,642 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walpole street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Walpole street; easterly and southerly by an estate now or formerly of Mary E. Anderson; southwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Carl L. W. Nelson, and northwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Ralph B. Rodgers, tax for 1923.....		51 87	
Also about 1,034 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walpole street, making the southerly corner of Columbus avenue, adjoining an estate of Carl L. W. Nelson, tax for 1923.....		41 09	
Harlow H. Rogers—About 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dallas place, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate now or formerly of Bridget Kelley; southerly and southwesterly by Dallas place; southeasterly by an estate now or formerly of Cynthia W. Batchelder; easterly by an estate now or formerly of Emma M. Nichols, trustee; northerly by an estate now or formerly of Thomas Jackson, tax for 1923.....		14 82	
Also about 991 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Windsor place, adjoining an estate of said Rogers and others, trustees, being lot 11, shown on a plan recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1034, page 169, tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Also about 945 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Windsor place, adjoining an estate of said Rogers and others, trustees, being lot 12, shown on a plan recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1034, page 169, tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Also about 800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Windsor place, adjoining an estate of said Rogers and others, trustees, being lot 13, shown on a plan recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1034, page 169, tax for 1923.....		4 94	
Reddick J. Royster—Buildings and about 1,040 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lenox street, numbered 69, between an estate of John Beck and an estate of Edward Gagler, tax for 1923.....		86 45	
Alice G. Safford—Buildings and about 3,475 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Regent street, numbered 39, between an estate of Martin Riordan and an estate of Daniel F. Crowley and another, tax for 1923.....		71 63	
Jake Sandler—Buildings and about 2,017 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hubert street, numbered 25, making the easterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Abraham Geller, tax for 1923.....		44 46	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		27 43	
Max Sherman—Buildings and about 7,447 feet of land on the side of Camden street, numbered 16, 16A, 18, 22 and 24, making the westerly corner of and numbered 1, 2 and 3 Wirth place, adjoining an estate of John Currie, tax for 1923.....		385 32	
Paid on account.....		250 00	
Balance due.....		135 32	
Mollie Showstack—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lenox street, numbered 129, between an estate of John Quinn and an estate of John F. Putnam, tax for 1923.....		175 37	
Harry R. Simpson—Buildings and about 809 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Adams place, numbered 10, between an estate of C. E. Osgood Company and an estate of Fannie Levin, tax for 1923.....		14 82	
Clara C. F. Steele—Buildings and about 1,198 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 957 and 957A, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Annie Neustadt, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		7 28	
Grace E. Tewksbury—About 1,822 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunlow street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Ann Murray; easterly by Dunlow street; southerly by an estate of West End Street Railway Company and westerly by an estate of Boston Ice Cream Company, tax for 1923.....		12 35	
Tax for 1922.....		12 35	
United States Trust Company, Trustees under will of Reuben Green—Buildings and about 960 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer street, numbered 34, between an estate of Rose A. Stanley and an estate of Ellis L. Jones, tax for 1923.....		41 99	
William and Mary E. Walsh—Buildings and about 1,626 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cliff street, numbered 52, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Patrick T. J. Callahan and an estate of another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		13 41	
Ralph B. Webber—Buildings and about 69,010 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 2595, making the southwesterly corner of Guild street, extending through to Juniper street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Normile, tax for 1923.....		498 94	
Willard Welsh—Buildings and about 1,956 feet of land lying in the rear of a passageway from the southwesterly side of Linden Park street, adjoining an estate of Linden Park Garage, Inc., being lot E, H. C. Mildram plan, dated July 6, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2454, page 529, tax for 1922.....		12 35	
Tax for 1923.....		12 35	
William Williams—Buildings and about 700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lenox street, numbered 124, extending through to Sawyer street, between an estate of Patrick Casey heirs or devisees, and an estate of John B. Howan, tax for 1923.....		19 76	
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westminster street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly and southeasterly by Westminster street; southwesterly and westerly by sundry estates of Susan and Mabel E. Jewett; northwesterly by an estate of the City of Boston, and northerly by estates of Estune Z. Rountree, George Munroe, Amelia Greenbaum, Matthew W. Bullock and Frank L. Mitchell, tax for 1923.....		39 52	
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....		5 50	
Alexander W. Wood—Buildings and about 816 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parnell street, numbered 15, between an estate of Mary Doherty and an estate of Exchange Realty Company, tax for 1923.....		27 17	
WARD FOURTEEN.			
William N. Ambler—About 43,747 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hillside street, making the northerly corner of Wait street, through to Frawley street, adjoining an estate of Feinstein and another, being lot C, Henry F. Bryant plan, dated November 1, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4277, page 410, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		\$14 40	
Also about 19,611 feet of land on the easterly side of Mission street, adjoining an estate of Patrick J. Kelley, being lot E, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		19 20	
Apartment Sales Corporation, Trustees, Under Deed, Riverway Apartment Trust—Buildings and about 6,781 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Riverway, numbered 390, between an estate of said Riverway Apartment Trust and an estate of Joseph Newman, tax for 1923.....		1,536 34	
Also buildings and about 8,277 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Riverway, numbered 394, making the easterly corner of Huntington avenue, adjoining another estate of said Riverway Apartment Trust, tax for 1923.....		1,857 44	
Mabel E. Berry—Buildings and about 3,748 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1571, 1573 and 1575, between an estate of John H. Casey and an estate of Julia T. Baker, tax for 1923.....		377 91	
Fannie S. Boyd—About 59,641 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Colburn street, adjoining an estate of William E. Litchfield, being lots 51 to 64, inclusive, William E. Hannan plan, dated March 19, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2534, page 193, tax for 1923.....		219 83	
Also about 32,804 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colburn street, being lots 65 to 72 (inclusive), same plan, tax for 1923.....		96 33	
Andrew Carroll—About 3,762 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Arthur O'Leary, being lot 78, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923,		19 76	

John Carly—About 2,976 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kenney street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates of Lawrence J. Hackett and another and Clara M. Manning; easterly by an estate of Ann Fischer; southerly by Kenney street; westerly by an estate of Hannah M. McCarthy, tax for 1923.	17 29	Patrick J. Cronon—Buildings and about 14,699 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Longwood avenue, numbered 91 and 93, extending through to the southerly side of Ward street, adjoining an estate of Hugh McLaughlin and an estate of Margaret A. Wallace, tax for 1923.	358 15	and 68, between an estate of Catherine Foley and an estate of Bryan Tangney, tax for 1923.	172 90
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	13 56	M. Etta Crowley—Buildings and about 8,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Smyrna street, numbered 7, making the southerly corner of Brookline avenue, adjoining an estate of Hulda A. Olsen, tax for 1922, \$242 06 Paid on account.	216 86	James J. Galvin—Buildings and about 3,450 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 52, between an estate of Patrick Byrne and an estate of Catherine Keane, tax for 1923, \$148 20 Paid on account.	120 00
Edward F. Cassell—About 1,540 feet of land on the southerly side of Edgar street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Edgar street; easterly by an estate of John C. Kiley; southerly by a 15-foot passageway leading from the northwesterly side of Halleck street; westerly by an estate of Charles T. Ward heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.	12 35	Balance due.	25 20	Charles H. Gosse—About 25,814 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bucknam street, making the southerly corner of Wensley street, adjoining an estate of Etta Myers, being lot 45 to 52 (inclusive), C. H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2242, page 417, tax for 1923.	28 20
Also about 1,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Edgar street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Edgar street; easterly by an estate of John C. Kiley; southerly by a 15-foot passageway leading from the northwesterly side of Halleck street; westerly by another estate of John C. Kiley, tax for 1923.	12 35	Roderick A. and Susan A. Cummings—Buildings and about 2,034 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Heath street, numbered 162, between an estate of John J. Kippenberger and another and an estate of Edward P. Maguire and another, tax for 1923.	61 75	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	11 87
Also about 1,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Edgar street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Edgar street; easterly by an estate of Charles P. Webber and others, trustees; southerly by a 15-foot passageway leading from the northwesterly side of Halleck street; westerly by an estate of John C. Kiley, tax for 1923.	12 35	Catherine Cunniffe—Buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Whitney street, numbered 42 and 46, making the westerly corner of Smith street, adjoining an estate of Delia J. Manning, tax for 1921.	148 20	Manuel S. Grassie—About 4,446 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lawn street, between an estate of Hugh J. Kilday and an estate of Domenick Doherty, tax for 1923.	22 23
		Paid on account.	145 00	Lawrence J. Hackett—About 1,954 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Arcola street, adjoining an estate of Martin M. Lomasney and another, being lot 22, Walter C. Stevens plan, October, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2458, page 228, tax for 1923.	14 82
		Balance due.	3 20	Etta Hailparr—Buildings and about 1,610 feet of land on the easterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 32, between an estate of Ida Miller and an estate of Jessie Goode and others, tax for 1923.	143 26
		Tax for 1922.	148 20	Thomas H. Hall—About 2,497 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prentiss street, between an estate of A. J. Houghton Company and an estate of Christine F. McIntyre, tax for 1923.	37 05
		Tax for 1923.	148 20	Mary A. and Annie J. Harmon—Buildings and about 5,010 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 733 to 739, between an estate of Charles H. Winn and an estate of John B. Lyons, tax for 1923.	617 50
		Also buildings and about 2,705 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Smith street, numbered 126, adjoining another estate of said Cunniffe (numbered 42 and 46 Smith street), tax for 1921.	175 37	Walter M. Hayes—About 7,468 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Parker Hill avenue, between an estate of Mary Cushing and others and an estate of Otis Shepard heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.	17 29
		Paid on account.	145 00	Ida M. Hodsdon—About 4,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Parker street, making the northwesterly corner of Conant street, adjoining an estate of Charles J. Munchbach, tax for 1923.	76 57
		Balance due.	30 37	Also about 4,366 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Cronin, being lot 1, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.	27 17
		Tax for 1922.	175 37	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	16 60
		Tax for 1923.	175 37	Also about 2,507 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mindoro street, between an estate of Margaret M. Mills and an estate of Jonas Huber and another, tax for 1923.	54 34
		Michael M. Cunniff Heirs or Devisees—Buildings and about 2,496 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 643 and 645, making the northeasterly corner of Worthington street, adjoining an estate of Albert H. French, tax for 1921.	741 00	Also about 6,408 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mindoro street, between an estate of said Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of Stefan Hacunda and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5191, tax for 1923.	79 04
		Tax for 1923.	741 00	Elizabeth M. Kelleher—Buildings and about 1,163 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Terrace street, numbered 44, between an estate of James Grainew and another estate of said Kelleher, tax for 1923.	81 51
		John M. Dempsey—Buildings and about 1,589 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wigglesworth street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Dempsey and an estate of John Dorney and others, tax for 1923.	139 91	Also buildings and about 1,159 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Terrace street, numbered 46, between another estate of said Kelleher and an estate of Roxbury Crossing Realty Company, tax for 1923.	86 45
		Gordon Dexter (supposed present owner Mary Ferris)—About 3,640 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calumet street, being lot 15, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.	14 67	John L. Kelley—About 3,956 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 15, H. C. Mildram plan, dated June 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2444, tax for 1923.	19 76
		Gordon Dexter (supposed present owner George T. Pitts)—About 3,650 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calumet street, being lot 12, William D. Badger plan, dated May 25, 1896, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2367, page 439, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.	14 71	Also about 2,713 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.	14 82
		Mary E. Donaldson Heirs—About 2,103 feet of land on the westerly side of Worthington street, making the southwesterly corner of Smith street, adjoining an estate of Margaret Reilly, being a lot shown on Thomas W. Davis plan, dated December 20, 1890, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	51 87	Also about 2,668 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35
		Jeremiah A. and Mary L. Donohoe—About 3,880 feet of land on the southerly side of Iroquois street, adjoining an estate of Mary J. Donohue, being lot 87, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.	12 35		
		Federal Trust Company, Trustee of the Faneuil Realty Trust—About 4,066 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining an estate of Mary Butler, being lot 31, C. H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2242, page 417, tax for 1923.	24 70		
		Israel A. Feinstein and Sam J. Samuels—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Frawley street, (formerly Kempton street), being lot 14, Henry F. Bryant plan, dated June 23, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3898, page 415, tax for 1923.	39 52		
		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	4 80		
		Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Frawley street, (formerly Kempton street), being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.	39 52		
		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	4 80		
		G. Isabel Flint—Buildings and about 2,941 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Whitney street, numbered 66			
Cornelius J. Connelly—About 2,211 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Patrick Kilday and another, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Ellingwood street; easterly by an estate of William Williams; southerly by estates of William Jacobs, and westerly by an estate of Patrick Kilday and another, tax for 1923.	7 41				
Stephen and Margaret Connolly—About 3,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Daniel Lorden, being lot 83, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	9 88				
Frank A. Connors—About 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Oswald street, making the northeasterly corner of Paker Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Bridget Riley, being lot 114, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.	19 76				
Cosmopolitan Trust Company—About 435 feet of land on the easterly side of Wait street, making the northeasterly corner of Sachem street, adjoining an estate of Minnie T. Sheehy, being a lot shown on F. A. McInnes plan, January 31, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4288, tax for 1923.	22 23				
Apportionment for street construction assessment for 1923.	7 71				
Also about 3,182 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wait street, between an estate of Nora Trant and another estate of said Cosmopolitan Trust Company, tax for 1923.	24 70				

Also about 2,622 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	nue, numbered 14, adjoining an estate of Josephine T. Hart, tax for 1923.....	86 45	corded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1598, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 2,577 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	27 79	Tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 2,532 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Ayoub and Mulaky Maloof—Buildings and about 1,556 feet of land on the easterly side of Heath place, numbered 12, making the southeasterly corner of Heath avenue, adjoining an estate of said Maloof (numbered 31 Heath avenue), tax for 1923.....	\$61 75	Mary E. O'Connor—About 5,130 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, adjoining an estate of Bridget McCarthy, being lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1922.....	27 17
Also about 3,338 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle avenue, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Paid on account.....	25 00	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	20 86
Also about 2,975 feet of land on the westerly side of Burney street, between an estate of Julia F. Coleman and an estate of Arthur A. O'Leary, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Balance due.....	36 75	Elizabeth O'Driscoll—About 527 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sewall street, between an estate of Annie M. Kelley (numbered 10) and an estate of Lillian Salter, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	2 47 2 47
Mary A. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,445 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parker street, numbered 686, between an estate of Eva Patmalnic and an estate of Dominico Sacco, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Also building and about 1,197 feet of land on the southerly side of Heath avenue, numbered 31, between an estate of said Maloof and another, and another estate of said Maloof and another, tax for 1923.....	\$79 04	Mary A. M. Owens—Buildings and about 5,087 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath street, numbered 267 and 269, between another estate of Mary A. M. Owens and an estate of William Jacobs, tax for 1923.....	202 54
Walter H. Kelly—About 2,484 feet of land on the westerly side of Fisher avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of George F. Weaver; easterly by Fisher avenue; southerly by an estate of Patrick J. Downey, and westerly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1922.....	14 82	Balance due.....	54 04	Also buildings and about 5,082 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath street, numbered 271, between an estate of Anna C. Tomlinson and another and another estate of said Owens, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	8 90	Arthur E. Marcus—Buildings and about 4,076 feet of land on the easterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 6, making the southerly corner of Huntington avenue, adjoining an estate of Rae A. Lewis, tax for 1923.....	605 15	Alice A. Pickering—About 2,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Jamaica-way, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Mary C. Broderick; easterly by an estate of Mary T. Dolan; southerly by an estate of Eugene M. Niles and westerly by Jamaica-way, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Tax for 1923.....	14 82	Borush W. Mastasky Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,276 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 296, between an estate of Frederick H. Stevens and another and an estate of Charles J. Paine and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Charles E. Pierce—About 222 feet of land on the westerly side of Halleck street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Halleck street; westerly and southerly by an estate of Nathan Cushing heirs or devisees and northerly by an estate of Nathan Cushing heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 58	Margaret V. McAuley—Buildings and about 2,023 feet of land on the southwesterly side and at end of Wait place, numbered 10, between an estate of John Blucker and another and an estate of Mary E. Walsh, tax for 1923.....	69 16	George T. Pitts—About 3,650 feet of land on the easterly side of Calumet street, adjoining an estate of Daniel J. Murphy, being lot 13, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4141, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Hugh J. Gilday—About 4,537 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lawn street, being lot 7, C. H. W. Wood plan, August 22, 1899, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2631, page 472, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Catherine E. McGrady—About 2,507 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mindora street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Mindora street; northeasterly by an estate of Jonas and Walbuga Huber; southeasterly by New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company; southwesterly by an estate of Margaret G. Comer and others, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 72
William E. Litchfield—About 77,000 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Colburn street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Fannie S. Boyd; southeasterly by an estate of Massachusetts Women's Hospital; southwesterly by an estate of Otis Shepard, heirs or devisees and northwesterly by a passageway in the rear of Sundry estates (numbered 46 to 82 inclusive). South Huntington avenue, tax for 1923.....	76 57	Daniel A. McLaughlin—About 2,399 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Darling street, between an estate of Patrick Blaney and another being lot 8, A. W. Sargent plan, dated April 11, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2524, page 386, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Clayton E. Rockwell—About 363 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sachem street extended, adjoining an estate of Louis F. Abbott, being a lot shown on F. A. McInnes plan, dated June 31, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47
Albert A. Little—About 1,451 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Estey street, making the southerly corner of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Little, being lot A, William O. Badger plan, dated April, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2751, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Harry H. Miller—Buildings and about 4,461 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Minden street, numbered 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9, making the northerly corner of Bickford street, adjoining an estate of William M. Waul, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15007, tax for 1923.....	\$247 00	Lillian Salter—About 800 feet of land on the westerly side of Parker street, between an estate of Edward J. and Annie N. Harte and an estate of Jessie O. B. Goldsmith and Ethel Gryzmish, tax for 1922.....	19 76 19 76
Also about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Estey street, adjoining another estate of said Little, being lot B, William O. Badger plan, dated April, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2751, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Paid on account.....	100 00	Tax for 1923.....	200 07
Also about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Estey street, adjoining another estate of said Little, being lot B, William O. Badger plan, dated April, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2751, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Balance due.....	147 00	Clinton B. Sherwood—Buildings and about 2,014 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1613 and 1613A, between an estate of Joseph Christos and an estate of Mary Fishman, tax for 1923.....	200 07
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Lawrence A. Moran Heirs—Buildings and about 2,353 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Phillips street, numbered 15 and 17, between an estate of Lawrence A. Moran heirs or devisees and an estate of Willard Welsh, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Albert C. Smith—About 690 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mechanic street, adjoining an estate of James T. Gilligan, trustee, being a lot shown on William Jackson plan, July 18, 1902, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 96	Hanorah Normile—Buildings and about 3,540 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 64, between an estate of Rose Shea and an estate of Thomas and Catherine Moore, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	2 87
Also about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Estey street, adjoining an estate of Catherine Bates, being lot C, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Catherine Norton—Buildings and about 1,478 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kempton street, numbered 9, between an estate of Winifred Rooney and an estate of John A. McAleer and another, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	3 44
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also buildings and about 3,480 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath avenue, numbered 20, between an estate of Bridget Dolan, tax for 1923, Anna A. O'Connell—Buildings and about 2,880 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 176, between another estate of said O'Connell and an estate of James Johnson, tax for 1923.....	195 13	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Lund Bradley Construction Company—About 4,760 feet of land on the northerly side of Bynner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 15, S. L. Leftovich plan, dated August 18, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4398, page 152, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Also buildings and about 2,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 178, between another estate of said O'Connell and an estate of Dennis J. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	195 13	Eliot E. Smith and William A. McLean, Trustees of Chauncey Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 5,686 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 877, between an estate of Myer L. and Melie R. Elberg and an estate of Harris Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....	916 37
Also about 4,750 feet of land on the northerly side of Bynner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Catherine O'Connell—Buildings and about 4,030 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Longwood avenue, numbered 61, between an estate of Louis Giller and Israel Izkman and an estate of John J. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	153 14	Catherine E. Spence, set off to Caroline M. Cowee—About 575 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Craft street, adjoining another estate of said Cowee, being northerly part of lot 30, shown on Whitman and Breck plan, June 15, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1114, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,744 feet of land on the northerly side of Bynner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Daniel T. O'Connell—About 3,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath avenue, adjoining an estate of Mary Kane, being lot 9, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 18, 1883, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1598, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Lillian M. Southard—Mortgage in possession—About 74,278 feet of land on the northerly side of Heath street, extending through to Wensley street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Wensley street; easterly by estates of Nicola Maffei and C. George Armstrong and another; southerly by Heath street and westerly by estates of Theresa V. Martin and Charles H. Gosse, tax for 1922.....	2,766 40
Also about 5,284 feet of land on the northerly side of Bynner street, adjoining another estate of said Lund Bradley Construction Company, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	44 46			Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	128 95
Sarah Lyons—Buildings and about 5,983 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Binney street, numbered 47, between an estate of John J. Toomey and an estate of Abbie Corbett, tax for 1923.....	125 97				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 50				
Nicola Maffei—Buildings and about 10,910 feet of land, lying in the rear from the westerly side of Bickford ave-					

George F. and Sarah O. Weaver, Trustees Weaver Club—About 5,005 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Weaver and another trustee, being lot 103, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated July 10, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 38
Also about 4,306 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fisher avenue, adjoining another estate of said Weaver and another, trustees, being lot 102, same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 38
Willard Welsh—About 639 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Longwood avenue, making the northerly corner of Phillips street, adjoining an estate of Ellen Dolan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Weymouth Savings Bank—Buildings and about 1,870 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 553, between an estate of Anna B. Freeley and an estate of James C. Ayer and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	219 83
Lillian E. Williams—Buildings and about 1,665 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 7, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of Abraham S. Weinstein, tax for 1923.....	222 30
Also buildings and about 1,802 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 9, between two other estates of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	222 30
Also buildings and about 1,797 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 11, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	222 30
Also buildings and about 1,802 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 15, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	222 30
Also buildings and about 1,949 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delle avenue, numbered 17, making the easterly corner of Sewall street, adjoining another estate of said Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....	229 71
William Williams—About 4,190 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Arthur O'Leary, being lot 80, Charles H. W. Wood plan, July 10, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2242, page 417, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 3,495 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Day street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Coughlin heirs, being lot 27, Garbett and Wood plan, dated June 13, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1842, page 391, tax for 1923.....	29 64
WARD FIFTEEN.	
Franco Andreotti—Buildings and about 1,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1479 and 1481, between an estate of Gaetano G. Andreotti and an estate of Grant B. Oakman and another trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$81 51
Paid on account.....	25 00
Balance due.....	\$56 51
Gaetano G. Andreotti—Buildings and about 1,498 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1483 and 1485, between an estate of Franco Andreotti and an estate of Edward C. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	\$81 51
Paid on account.....	25 00
Balance due.....	56 51
Arthur M. Ayvazian—Buildings and about 2,239 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cedar street, numbered 107, making the northerly corner of a passageway and adjoining an estate of Mary Russo, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Johannah Barrett—Buildings and about 1,520 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Marcella street, numbered 100, between two estates of Arthur S. Dearborn, tax for 1923.....	61 75
Edgar P. Benjamin—Buildings and about 4,581 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dixwell street, numbered 21 and 23, between an estate of Mary A. Rice and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	\$407 55
Paid on account.....	200 00
Balance due.....	207 55
William Bourne Heirs or Devisees—Buildings and about 3,359 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamar-	
time street, numbered 123, making the northerly corner of Wyman street, adjoining an estate of Hugo Schindler, tax for 1923.....	49 40
William E. Brigham, three sixths, Ada D., one sixth, and Margherite, two sixths—About 4,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Lamartine street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Alice F. Boyden; easterly by Lamartine street; southerly by an estate of John E. Hannon; westerly by an estate of Ida Fishman, tax for 1923.....	44 46
Frances Cataldo—Buildings and about 6,341 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre Street terrace, numbered 2, between an estate of said Cataldo and an estate of Joseph P. O'Connell, tax for 1923.....	442 13
Also buildings and about 5,242 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre Street terrace, numbered 1, between another estate of said Cataldo, and an estate of Horace K. Batchelder, tax for 1923.....	434 72
Morris Center—Buildings and about 1,431 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 56, between two other estates of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28
Paid on account.....	26 77
Balance due.....	32 51
Also buildings and about 1,431 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 54, between two other estates of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28
Paid on account.....	26 77
Balance due.....	32 51
Also buildings and about 1,431 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 52, between two other estates of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28
Paid on account.....	26 77
Balance due.....	32 51
Also buildings and about 1,405 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 50, between another estate of said Center and an estate of Miller Candy Company, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28
Paid on account.....	26 77
Balance due.....	32 51
Also buildings and about 1,431 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 58, between two other estates of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28
Paid on account.....	26 77
Balance due.....	32 51
Also buildings and about 1,402 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bickford street, numbered 60 and 60A, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Center, tax for 1923.....	\$64 22
Paid on account.....	26 77
Balance due.....	37 45
Harry P. Chadwick—About 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 47, Garbett and Wood plan, September 24, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 596, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also buildings and about 2,380 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1579, between two other estates of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	54 34
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	12 59
Also about 2,380 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, making the northerly corner of a 40-foot street, being lot 5, Charles F. Baxter plan, June 26, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2851, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	12 59
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Alice R. Allen; easterly by Washington street; southerly by an estate of Mary Munier, and westerly by a passageway, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also about 2,583 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a 40-foot street, making the northerly corner of Columbus avenue, being a lot shown on Charles F. Baxter plan, June 26, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2851, at end, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	12 59
Also about 2,380 feet of land on the westerly side of Columbus avenue,	
making the northwesterly corner of a 40-foot street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	12 59
Also buildings and about 1,125 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bickford street, numbered 49, between an estate of Deborah Selipsky and an estate of Benjamin Schneider, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also buildings and about 1,007 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bickford street, numbered 63, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Sarah Winer, tax for 1923.....	59 28
Also buildings and about 1,008 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bickford street, numbered 65, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Isaac Simon, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Mathilda Clare—About 3,741 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cranston street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Joseph Colbe and another; southeasterly by Cranston street; southwesterly by an estate of Frederick Trapue; northwesterly by an estate of Christopher Kevorkian, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Owen F. Clasby—Buildings and about 814 feet of land lying in the rear from the easterly side of Ellsworth avenue, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Thomas D. Lavelle, trustee, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Patrick J. Cunningham Heirs or Devisees—Buildings and about 2,541 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Valentine street, numbered 9, between an estate of William A. Carey and an estate of Margaret T. Burns, tax for 1923.....	88 92
Michael W. Dempsey Devisees—Buildings and about 1,950 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashley street, numbered 20, between an estate of Nicholas H. Timmerman and an estate of Ann J. Hogarty, tax for 1923.....	\$98 80
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	48 80
Domenico and Antonetta DeSimone—Buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bromley park, numbered 31, between an estate of Ida Fishman and an estate of Rosie Langer, tax for 1923.....	\$71 63
Paid on account.....	45 00
Balance due.....	26 63
Mary E. Doherty—Buildings and about 4,424 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mozart street, numbered 49, between an estate of Catherine Sullivan and an estate of Timothy C. O'Neil, tax for 1923.....	\$133 38
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	83 38
Eliza A. Donovan—Buildings and about 2,610 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thornton place, numbered 4, between an estate of Agnes W. Schubach, adjoining an estate of Clara I. Galvin, tax for 1923.....	74 10
John M. Erskine—About 6,804 feet of land on the westerly side of Dennison street, being lot 25, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, June 8, 1898, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	34 58
Sarah V. Fitzsimmons—Buildings and about 3,354 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sheridan street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Fitzsimmons and an estate of Jacob H. Mock, tax for 1923.....	\$121 03
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	71 03
Sarah W. Fitzsimmons—Buildings and about 3,246 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Sheridan street, numbered 18, between an estate of John J. Donovan and another estate of said Fitzsimmons, tax for 1923.....	\$118 56
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	68 56
Edward W. Fuller—About 10,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Dennison street, being lot 27, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, June 8, 1898, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Ellis L. Gates—About 7,928 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Dennison street, being the southwesterly part of lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Bradford Gay—Buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Vale street, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Edward M. Kehoe and another and an estate of Irene S. McCaffrey, tax for 1923.....	76 57

Alfred Gismondi—Buildings and about 894 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Heath street, numbered 6 and 6A, between an estate of Angelo Cirino and an estate of Louise M. Davies, tax for 1923.....	\$81 51	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....		31 51
Katie Glass—Buildings and about 1,006 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1267, between an estate of Thomas T. Quirk and another and an estate of trustees of the grammar school in the easterly part of the town of Roxbury, tax for 1923.....		59 28
Catherine M. Goodenow—Buildings and about 1,343 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bromley park, numbered 8, between an estate of David Kozody and an estate of Alex George Lepelos, tax for 1923.....	\$69 16	
Paid on account.....	20 00	
Balance due.....		49 16
Michael F. Green—Buildings and about 2,316 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Walden street, numbered 28 and 28 rear, between an estate of Frederick Bleiler and an estate of James Henderson, Junior, tax for 1923, John and Margaret E. Hanbury—Buildings and about 4,079 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Paul Gore terrace, numbered 1, adjoining an estate of Joseph L. Audette, tax for 1923.....	\$111 15	
Paid on account.....	50 00	
Balance due.....		61 15
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 8,523 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ritchie street, numbered 13, making the westerly corner of Columbus avenue, adjoining an estate of John C. Coleman heirs, tax for 1923, Also buildings and about 1,606 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fort avenue, numbered 59, between an estate of James Postell and another and an estate of Philip J. Corrigan, tax for 1923.....		202 54
Agnes M. Holl—Buildings and about 27,737 feet of land on the westerly side of Cedar street, numbered 70, between another estate of said Holl and an estate of Frances M. Donahue, tax for 1923.....		83 98
Also buildings and about 15,584 feet of land on the westerly side of Cedar street, numbered 74, between another estate of said Holl and an estate of Schyler S. Bartlett and another, trustees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12742, tax for 1923.....		160 55
Balance of tax for 1922.....	135 85	
Bresford and Edna L. Jackman—Buildings and about 2,975 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Notre Dame street, numbered 20 and 20A, between an estate of Westcott Farrington and an estate of Edith L. Pitchard, tax for 1923.....	86 72	
John S. and Lillian R. Jumpre—Buildings and about 11,371 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thornton street, numbered 93 rear, between an estate of Charles C. Wheelwright and an estate of Stanley M. Bolster, trustee, tax for 1923.....		51 87
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 3,274 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 98, between an estate of Mary M. Hermis and an estate of Lena Neddleman, tax for 1923.....		93 86
Also buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Codman park, numbered 21, between an estate of Jane T. Doherty and an estate of Henry Sondeman, tax for 1923.....		61 75
Louise F. Koehler—About 3,659 feet of land on the northerly side of Priesing street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Mathilda Haid; easterly by an estate of William A. Gaston; southerly by Priesing street; westerly by an estate of Peter A. Peters and another and another estate of said Koehler, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		49 40
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....		4 99
Frank Landa—Buildings and about 1,440 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bromley street, numbered 61, between an estate of Benjamin Weiner and an estate of Joseph Robinson, tax for 1923.....	\$61 75	
Paid on account.....	40 00	
Balance due.....		21 75
Owen A. Lynch—Buildings and about 2,199 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3150, between another estate of said Lynch and an estate of Josef Rothner, tax for 1923.....		130 91
Also buildings and about 2,209 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3148, between two other estates of said Lynch, tax for 1923.....		130 91
Also buildings and about 2,192 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3146, between another estate of said Lynch and an estate of Ada E. Nuell, tax for 1923.....		130 91
Giovanni Malgeri—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 57, making the northerly corner of and numbered 1, 3 and 5 Sunny court, adjoining an estate of Burt W. Parmenter, tax for 1922.....	395 20	
Tax for 1923.....	395 20	
James T. Martin—Buildings and about 2,890 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Codman park, numbered 55, between another estate of said Martin and an estate of George W. McFadden, tax for 1923.....		56 81
Also buildings and about 2,778 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Codman park, numbered 53, between another estate of said Martin and an estate of Joseph M. Slaman, tax for 1923.....		49 40
Mary C. McCue—Buildings and about 1,497 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weld avenue, numbered 4, between another estate of said McCue and an estate of Ida Beder and another, tax for 1923.....		76 57
Also buildings and about 1,513 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weld avenue, numbered 4A, between another estate of said McCue and an estate of Addie F. Hall, tax for 1923.....		153 14
Daniel G. McDonald and Frank Imhoff—Buildings and about 13,630 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1260, between an estate of New England Brewing Company and an estate of Massachusetts Brewing Company, tax for 1923.....		370 50
Thomas and Catherine McHugh—Buildings and about 1,292 feet of land on the southerly side of Bromley park, numbered 28, between an estate of Delia Murphy and an estate of Everett J. Holmes, tax for 1923.....		71 63
Mabel E. Morrill—Buildings and about 1,635 feet of land on the easterly side of Highland avenue, numbered 19, between an estate of Christopher Zirul and an estate of Julia Cremins, tax for 1923.....		123 50
Mary R. Munier—About 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 44, Garbett and Wood plan, September 24, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 596, tax for 1923.....		24 70
John T. Murphy—Buildings and about 3,121 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 113, making the westerly corner of Mozart street, adjoining an estate of Hugo Schindler, tax for 1923.....		103 74
Catherine Murphy—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mozart street, numbered 93, between an estate of Anna Fritz and an estate of John T. Murphy, tax for 1923.....		130 91
Henry P. Nawn—Buildings and about 145,547 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Boylston street, between an estate of Mary A. Kelly, numbered 30 Boylston street, and another estate of said Nawn, numbered 159 Chestnut avenue; buildings numbered 1 and 2 Beecher street, tax for 1923.....		612 56
William and Catherine Nawn—About 249 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of John J. Barrett and another; easterly by Chestnut avenue; southerly by an estate of Michael B. De Lorey and another; westerly by an estate of William A. Gaston, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Michil B. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 970 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 259, between two other estates of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923.....		46 93
Also buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 261, between another estate of said Nazzaro and an estate of Dymitry Botulinski, tax for 1923.....		49 40
Also buildings and about 861 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 257, between two other estates of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923.....		46 93
Also buildings and about 752 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Highland street, numbered 255, between another estate of said Nazzaro, and an estate of Joseph F. Cole, tax for 1923.....		44 46
Rosanna O'Neil—Buildings and about 3,834 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parker street, numbered 894, 896, 898 and 900, making the southerly corner of and numbered 64 and 66 New Heath street, adjoining an estate of Rueter & Company, tax for 1923.....		308 75
Mary A. Owens—Buildings and about 5,258 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Dorset street, numbered 13 rear, between an estate of Bernard H. Wohrman and another, and an estate of Martin J. Ford, tax for 1923.....		74 10
Joseph Pittorino—Buildings and about 3,825 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3080, 3080A and 3082, making the easterly corner of Columbus avenue, adjoining another estate of said Pittorino, tax for 1923.....		392 73
Also buildings and about 3,842 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3084, 3086, 3086A and 3086B, between another estate of said Pittorino and an estate of Sophia Lener, tax for 1923.....		187 72
Walter A. Porter—About 8,400 feet of land on the westerly side and at end of Thwing street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Elizabeth Mulvey (numbered 1 Mulvey terrace), tax for 1923.....		4 91
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		15 56
John C., Margaret E., James E. and Rose J. Prendergast—Buildings and about 2,599 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mozart street, numbered 72 and 74, between an estate of Theodore R. Felsch and another and an estate of Francis McLaughlin, tax for 1923.....		158 08
John A. Quigley—About 1,454 (assessed as 1,128) feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway, leading from the southwesterly side of Codman Hill street, between another estate of said Quigley and an estate of John Shilday heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....		4 94
Tax for 1923.....		4 94
Also about 1,128 feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway leading from the southwesterly side of Codman Hill street, between another estate of said Quigley and an estate of Albert C. Smith, tax for 1922.....		4 94
Tax for 1923.....		4 94
Mary A. Rice—Buildings and about 3,928 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dixwell street, numbered 17 and 19, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Edgar P. Benjamin, tax for 1923.....	\$395 20	
Paid on account.....	150 00	
Balance due.....		245 20
Augustus O. Roberts—About 4,698 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Linwood street, being a lot shown on assessors' plan, volume 8, page 56, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Hugo Schindler—Buildings and about 6,480 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 121, between an estate of William Bourne and an estate of John T. Murphy, tax for 1923.....		247 00
Albert C. Smith—About 1,128 feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway, leading from the southwesterly side of Codman Hill street, between another estate of said Smith and an estate of John A. Quigley, tax for 1922.....		4 94
Tax for 1923.....		4 94
Also about 1,128 feet of land on the southeasterly side of a passageway leading from the southwesterly side of Codman Hill street, between an estate of Margaret Cassell and another estate of said Smith, tax for 1922.....		4 94
Tax for 1923.....		4 94
Mary E. Sullivan—Buildings and about 4,013 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Haley street, numbered 1, making the westerly corner of Harris-hof street, adjoining an estate of Alice M. Herlihy, tax for 1923.....	\$163 02	
Paid on account.....	100 00	
Balance due.....		63 02
John and Christine E. Swanson—About 6,249 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Paul Gore street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Elizabeth Pelley; easterly by an estate of Julius Kreidell; southerly by an estate of Patrick J. Doyle and another; westerly by Paul Gore street, tax for 1923.....		54 34

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	14 05
Max Uroff—Buildings and about 1,826 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 36, between an estate of Samuel Washington and an estate of James W. Kenney, tax for 1923	83 98
Etta M. Walther—Buildings and about 7,475 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 150, 152 and 152½, between an estate of Bernard Zellar and another and an estate of James Galvin and another, tax for 1923	249 47
Williams Realty Company—About 2,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Buckley avenue, between an estate of Mathilda Haid and an estate of Alexander Mann and another, tax for 1923	24 70
Also buildings and about 5,670 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut park, numbered 17 and 19, between an estate of Katherine V. O'Brien and an estate of Henry Dahl, devisees, tax for 1923	180 31
Also buildings and about 1,983 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 28, making the westerly corner of Thornton street, adjoining an estate of Grant M. Franklin, tax for 1923	103 74
A Ziegler and Sons Company—Buildings and about 26,674 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1257, making the northerly corner of and numbered 4 Decatur avenue, adjoining an estate of trustees of Grammar School in the easterly part of town of Roxbury, tax for 1923	\$778 05
Paid on account	400 00
Balance due	378 05
Harry Zukow and Max Fine—About 60,864 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Townsend street, being lot 3, S. L. Leftovith plan, June 12, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4378, page 446, tax for 1923	380 38
Moth assessment for 1923	65

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Marion Alkins—Buildings and about 982 feet of land on the easterly side of Bower street, numbered 107, between another estate of said Marion Alkins (numbered 109) and an estate of Ralph P. Goldthwait (numbered 103 Bower street and 39 and 41 Humboldt avenue), tax for 1923	\$135 85
Paid on account	70 00
Balance due	\$65 85
Also buildings and about 889 feet of land on the easterly side of Bower street, numbered 109, between two other estates of said Marion Alkins (numbered 107 and 111, respectively), tax for 1923	\$135 85
Paid on account	70 00
Balance due	65 85
Also buildings and about 974 feet of land on the easterly side of Bower street, numbered 111, between another estate of said Marion Alkins (numbered 169) and an estate of Tazuell Goode and another (numbered 113), tax for 1923	\$135 85
Paid on account	70 00
Balance due	65 85
Solomon Apt. set-off to Joseph Ryack—About 6,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Schuyler street, adjoining an estate of said Solomon Apt. being a lot shown on S. L. Leftovith plan, dated May 15, 1923, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923	79 04
Marie L. Arcand—Buildings and about 2,868 feet of land on the westerly side of Sherman street, numbered 7, between an estate of William J. Joyce and an estate of Anna F. Josselyn, tax for 1923	\$79 04
Paid on account	25 00
Balance due	54 04
Dora Barr—Buildings and about 3,090 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 18, between another estate of said Barr and an estate of Israel Alport, tax for 1923	\$167 96
Paid on account	75 00
Balance due	92 96
Also buildings and about 3,002 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 16, between two other estates of said Barr, tax for 1923	\$167 96
Paid on account	75 00
Balance due	92 96
Also buildings and about 3,026 feet	

of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 14, between two other estates of said Barr, tax for 1923	\$167 96
Paid on account	75 00
Balance due	92 96
Also buildings and about 3,106 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 12, between another estate of said Barr and an estate of Harry Kaizer, tax for 1923	\$167 96
Paid on account	75 00
Balance due	92 96
Bessie Berkowitz—Buildings and about 5,985 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 100, making the easterly corner of Dale street, adjoining an estate of Max E. Knopp, tax for 1923	192 66
Sarah S. Berman (reassessed from Charles J. Kelley, Junior)—Buildings and about 540 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Segel street, numbered 4, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Berman, tax for 1923	54 34
Sarah S. Berman (reassessed from Annie M. Kelley)—Buildings and about 540 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Segel street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Berman, being a lot shown on Leon B. Murray plan, July 6, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3294, page 90, tax for 1921	54 34
Boston Suburban Real Estate Corporation—Buildings and about 2,892 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Quincy street, numbered 33, between an estate of Margaret M. McCarthy and another and an estate of Jewell I. Parmenter, tax for 1923	185 25
Bertha H. Burt—Buildings and about 2,852 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 95A, between two other estates of said Burt, tax for 1923	59 28
Also buildings and about 3,440 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 97, between two other estates of said Burt, tax for 1923	111 15
Also buildings and about 4,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 99, between another estate of said Burt and an estate of Charles Gaston Smith and another, trustees, tax for 1923	111 15
Samuel and Jennie Charik—Buildings and about 4,794 feet of land on the northerly side of Garden street, at end, numbered 20 and 22, adjoining an estate of Rose Rubin, tax for 1923	444 60
Charles T. Cogswell—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Waumbeck street, numbered 64, between an estate of Gertrude Mann and an estate of Matilda G. Addelson, tax for 1923	197 60
Esther Cohen—Buildings and about 10,672 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 105, 105A, 107, 107A, 109, 109A, 109B, 111 and 111A, between an estate of Joseph Gersh and an estate of Michael Rosenbaum, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15978, tax for 1923	1,012 70
Sarah Cohen—Buildings and about 4,175 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Waumbeck street, numbered 31, between an estate of Anne E. Keliher and an estate of Winnie B. Ward, tax for 1923	\$172 90
Paid on account	100 00
Balance due	72 90
Myer Cohen Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 9,345 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hutchings street, numbered 25, between an estate of Mary L. Drisko and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz and another, moth assessment for 1922	50
Tax for 1923	370 50
Gertrude M. Cole—Buildings and about 4,305 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wyoming street, numbered 12, between an estate of Annie M. Kelley and an estate of Catherine V. Howlett, tax for 1923	86 45
Congregation Adath Jeshurun—About 117,562 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly corner of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated December, 1919, as modified and approved by the court as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate number 11733, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, moth assessment for 1921	2 17

Congregation Adath Jeshurun (now set off to Congregation Adath Jeshurun)—About 111,415 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly corner of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated December, 1919, as modified and approved by the court as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate number 11733, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, tax for 1922	750 88
Moth assessment for 1922	1 96
Congregation Adath Jeshurun (now set off to Congregation Adath Jeshurun)—About 111,415 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly side of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated December, 1919, as modified and approved by the court, as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate number 11733, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, tax for 1921	1,368 38
Congregation Adath Jeshurun—About 61,415 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, making the northwesterly corner of Howland street, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Company plan, as modified and approved by the court, as plan numbered 7476A, a copy of which is filed with certificate of title numbered 11733, being that part of said lot not exempted as shown on Blackall Clapp and Whittemore plan, on file in assessors' office, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11742, tax for 1923	758 29
Moth assessment for 1923	65
Bartholomew J. Connolly—About 643 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Walnut avenue, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Joseph D. Stukas and another (numbered 182 and 184), bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates now or formerly of Joseph D. Stukas; easterly by an estate of Mary R. Paul; southerly by an estate of Harry B. Quint; westerly by an estate of Sophia Lerner, tax for 1923	4 94
Also buildings and about 1,807 feet of land on the northerly side of Harold street, numbered 29, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Connolly, tax for 1923	140 79
Also buildings and about 1,576 feet of land on the northerly side of Harold street, numbered 27, between another estate of said Connolly and an estate of Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923	140 79
William F. Cook—Buildings and about 1,484 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Maywood terrace, numbered 2, between an estate of Ethel Medved and an estate of Katherine Finnegan, tax for 1923	98 80
Mary J. Crosby—Buildings and about 10,646 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 63, making the westerly corner of Montrose street, between an estate of Fred Morse and another and an estate of Barbara A. Streider, tax for 1923	296 40
Mary Davidson—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Intervale street, numbered 8, between an estate of Federated Jewish Charities and an estate of James Barrett, tax for 1923	148 20
Kallman Davidson—Buildings and about 2,265 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clifford street, numbered 71, between another estate of said Davidson and an estate of Edwin B. Gadsby and another, tax for 1923	76 57
Rosina and Filomena DeNapoli—Buildings and about 7,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harrishof street, numbered 140, between an estate of Bertha Wolpert and an estate of Mary A. Elston, tax for 1923	185 25
Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 8,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Homestead street, numbered 72, between an estate of Matilda Day and an estate of Rose Shrago, tax for 1923	185 25
Moth assessment for 1923	50
Alice Dooley—Buildings and about 2,698 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Laurel street, numbered 31, extending through to Humboldt avenue, between an estate of Mary A. Brown and an estate of Anabale Bertolucci and another, tax for 1923	93 86

Marie M. Eagan—Buildings and about 5,187 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 49 and 19A, between an estate of Mary Perlis and an estate of Harry J. Eagan, tax for 1923.....	118 56	Theodore F. Kase—Buildings and about 4,992 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ottawa street, numbered 26 and 28, between another estate of said Kase and an estate of David Fleming, tax for 1923.....	197 60	northwesterly side of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Maywood street, numbered 90 and 92, making the easterly corner of Loyola street, adjoining an estate of Hugh Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923....	185 25	Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,717 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, numbered 391 and 391A, between an estate of Jennie M. Mooney and an estate of Eugene J. Farley, tax for 1923.....	\$197 00	Also about 1,970 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also buildings and about 7,644 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rockland street, numbered 50, 52, 66 and 68, between an estate of George H. Carter, trustee and an estate of John Kavalianskas and another, tax for 1923.....	271 70	Balance due.....	97 60	Also buildings and about 6,304 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Maywood street, numbered 98, 100 and 102, making the northerly corner of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	395 20
Harry J. Eagan—Buildings and about 2,715 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 63 and 65, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Eagan, tax for 1923.....	140 79	Also buildings and about 428 feet of land on the northerly side of Harold street, numbered 25, between an estate of Mary A. Curley and an estate of Bartholomew J. Connolly, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 4,125 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Maywood street, numbered 94 and 96, between another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees and an estate of Marie M. Eagan, tax for 1923.....	197 60
Also buildings and about 6,873 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 51, 53, 55, 57, 59 and 61, between another estate of said Eagan and an estate of Marie M. Eagan, tax for 1923.....	407 55	Also land on the southwesterly side of Wyoming street, numbered 14, between an estate of Maurice J. O'Connell and an estate of Gertrude M. Cole, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Also buildings and about 4,691 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Savin street, numbered 58 and 60, between an estate of William J. Hagerty and another and an estate of Frank S. McAlister, tax for 1923, Henry P. Nawn, Rose E. A. Nawn, Susan S. Eagan and Katherine Nawn—Buildings and about 3,867 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 75 and 77, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	209 95
Myer I. Eilberg—Buildings and about 4,416 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 19, between an estate of Frank Bruning and an estate of Eleanor N. Clough, tax for 1923.....	192 66	Martha E. Kendall—About 3,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, adjoining another estate of said Kendall, being lot 5, the C. H. W. Wood Company plan, March 9, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2754, page 157, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Also buildings and about 3,867 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maywood street, numbered 75 and 77, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Annie Eilenberg—Buildings and about 9,102 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 165, between an estate of Moses Brody and an estate of Mt. Pleasant Home, tax for 1923.....	296 40	Also about 3,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, adjoining another estate of said Kendall, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922.....	39 52	Hugh Nawn—Buildings and about 10,880 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brookledge street, numbered 70, making the northerly corner of Elm Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Nawn heirs, tax for 1922.....	494 00
Walter F. Gallagher—About 217 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Garden street, adjoining an estate of Katie Cohen (numbered 9), being a lot shown on H. H. Moses plan, January 10, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1912, page 17, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Fedora Kozolofsky—Buildings and about 16,835 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Townsend street, numbered 232, between an estate of Gilbert H. Shepard and an estate of The Association for the Work of Mercy in the Diocese of Massachusetts, tax for 1923, David Lasker—Buildings and about 5,313 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 179 and 181, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Jennie Nigrosh, tax for 1923.....	284 05	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Abraham and Rebecca Geller—Buildings and about 5,205 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 338, 340 and 342, between an estate of Louis Prince and an estate of Thomas F. Whaien, tax for 1923.....	395 20	Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 175 and 177, making the northerly corner of a passageway, extending through to and making westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining in the rear an estate of Jennie Nigrosh, tax for 1923.....	558 22	Tax for 1923.....	494 00
Miriam B. Gerstein—Buildings and about 10,116 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Warren street, numbered 466, making the easterly corner of Holborn street, adjoining an estate of Myer S. Olin, tax for 1923.....	321 10	James H. and Mattie P. Madison—Buildings and about 2,357 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harold street, numbered 64, between an estate of William Hack and an estate of Maude Stuart Hack, tax for 1923.....	555 75	Elizabeth A. Nawn—Buildings and about 42,011 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seaver street, numbered 188, making the northerly corner of Elm Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Adelaide L. Spring, tax for 1921.....	997 88
Israel Goldberg—Buildings and about 4,577 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crawford street, numbered 97, between an estate of Congregation Beth Hamedrash Harodal of Roxbury and an estate of Kalman M. Davidson, tax for 1923.....	180 31	Ethel Medved—Buildings and about 1,338 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Maywood terrace, numbered 4, between an estate of William F. Cook and an estate of Dominick Spinnelli, tax for 1923.....	140 79	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	57 13
Annie Greenfield—Buildings and about 6,550 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Munroe street, numbered 51, between an estate of Sophia Kalinsky and an estate of Ida Snider and another, tax for 1923.....	135 85	Esther M. Meserve—Buildings and about 4,408 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Clifford Street, numbered 80, between an estate of E. J. Owen Hardware Company and an estate of Hyman Fish and another, tax for 1923.....	138 32	Tax for 1922.....	997 88
Zelda Greenwood (supposed present owner Ernest A. Giorosa)—Buildings and about 1,736 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, numbered 397, between an estate of William J. Foley and an estate of Mitchell S. Regal and another, tax for 1923.....	98 80	William H. Mitchell—About 807 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Georgia street, adjoining an estate of Catherine McNally, being a lot shown on H. H. Moses plan, dated June 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2214, page 107, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	55 45
Fannie Herbert—Buildings and about 4,550 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Parkview street, numbered 18, between an estate of Irving H. Upton and an estate of Frederic W. O'Connor, tax for 1923.....	259 35	Hugh Nawn Heirs or Devisees—Buildings and about 4,017 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rockland street, numbered 42, making the southerly corner of Wakullah street, adjoining an estate of Emma J. Weston, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 96
Balance due.....	100 00	Also buildings and about 6,797 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 235, 235A, 237, 239, 241 and 243, extending through to Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	111 15	Tax for 1923.....	997 88
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 6,318 feet of land on the easterly side of Otisfield street, numbered 2, between an estate of Mary C. Menes and an estate of Jacob Edelstein, tax for 1922.....	148 20	Also buildings and about 5,140 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 245, 247 and 249, making the northwesterly corner of Maywood street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	543 40	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	33 20
Tax for 1923.....	148 20	Also about 2,442 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, being lot 14, Garbett and Wood plan, dated February 1, 1876, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1314, page 209, tax for 1923.....	296 40	Also buildings and about 6,176 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Savin street, numbered 74 and 76, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Louis Campedelli and others, tax for 1921, Also buildings and about 7,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Homestead street, numbered 49, making the southerly corner of Harold street, adjoining an estate of Dora Niditch, tax for 1921.....	148 20
Also about 4,089 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, adjoining an estate of Lena Glauser, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Lena Glauser; northeasterly by estates of Jennie Fine and Patrick A. Kearns and another; southeasterly by an estate of Abraham Schwartz; northwesterly by Quincy street, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Also about 1,970 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Moth assessment for 1921.....	50
Jacob Kaplan—Buildings and about 9,889 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 77 and 81, between an estate of Sarah Olansky and an estate of Rebecca Rubin, tax for 1923.....	3395 20	Also about 1,970 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maywood place, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs or devisees, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....		Henry P. Nawn, Estate of—About 7,740 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brookledge street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Brookledge street; southeasterly by an estate of Trustees of the Grammar School in the easterly part of the Town of Roxbury; southwesterly by an estate of Joseph H. O'Neil; northwesterly by estates of Ida Leventall, tax for 1922.....	91 39
Balance due.....	295 20			Also about 9,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brookledge street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Samuel Berkowitz; southeasterly by an estate of Hugh Nawn; southwesterly by Brookledge street; northwesterly by an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1922.....	93 86
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65			Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	32 01

Also buildings and about 6,176 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Savin street, numbered 74 and 76, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Louis Campedelli and others, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Also buildings and about 7,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Homestead street, numbered 49, making the southerly corner of Harold street, adjoining an estate of Dora Niditch, tax for 1922.....	197 60		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Henry P. Nawn Heirs—Buildings and about 7,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Homestead street, numbered 49, making the southerly corner of Harold street, adjoining an estate of Dora Niditch, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Also about 9,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brookledge street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Samuel Berkowitz; southeasterly by an estate of Hugh Nawn, southwesterly by Brookledge street, northwesterly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	30 87		
Also buildings and about 6,176 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Savin street, numbered 74 and 76, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Louis Campedelli and others, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Also buildings and about 19,290 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Savin street, numbered 82, making the northerly corner of Blue Hill avenue, extending through to and making the westerly corner of Maywood street, adjoining another estate of said Nawn heirs, tax for 1923.....	1,556 10		
Abraham and Bessie Palder—Buildings and about 8,166 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruthven street, numbered 144, between another estate of said Palder and an estate of Gertrude E. Brightman, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
William Pearlmutter—Buildings and about 2,341 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollander street, numbered 52, between an estate of Jennie Pearlmutter and an estate of Daniel M. Herlihy and another, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Harris Pearlstein—Buildings and about 8,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Howland street, numbered 70, between an estate of Dora Rosenblatt and an estate of Clara Lief, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Nellie J. Reagan—Buildings and about 1,425 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 46, between an estate of Mary J. Eaton and another estate of said Reagan, tax for 1923.....	\$69 16		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	19 16		
Also buildings and about 1,438 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 48, making the southwesterly corner of Regent street, adjoining another estate of said Reagan, tax for 1923.....	\$69 16		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	19 16		
Abraham Richman—Buildings and about 8,349 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crawford street, numbered 13 and 15, between an estate of George S. Haddock and an estate of Etta A. Shalit, tax for 1923.....	543 40		
Rose Jane Robins—Buildings and about 8,319 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, numbered 489 making the northerly corner of Wyoming street, adjoining another estate of said Robins, tax for 1923.....	271 70		
Also about 6,679 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warren street, adjoining another estate of said Robins, being a lot shown on Charles H. W. Wood Company plan, January 12, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2422, page 554, tax for 1923.....	81 51		
George E. Rogers—About 3,127 feet of land on the southerly side of Bainbridge street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Bainbridge street and an estate of Helen S. Whiteman; easterly by an estate of Nathan Katz; southerly by estates of Jennie Nigrosh and Julia O'Brien; westerly by an estate of Samuel K. Weiner and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Maurice S. Rogers—Buildings and about 1,906 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 87, between an estate of St. Clair A. Ward and an estate of Mortgage Indemnity Corporation, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Abraham Rosenberg—Buildings and about 11,874 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 225, making the northerly corner of Homestead street, adjoining an estate of Rose Shrago, tax for 1923.....	247 00		
Reddick J. Royster, Trustee for Robert G. and Annie E. Royster—Buildings and about 5,164 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harold street, numbered 177, between an estate of Israel Goldberg and another and an estate of Bessie Rosenzweig, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Jacob Short—Buildings and about 4,440 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gaston street, numbered 36, between an estate of Thomas H. Maguire and an estate of Gertrude Silberman, tax for 1923.....	133 38		
Christina Showstead—Buildings and about 2,933 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 83, between an estate of Christine Lamken and an estate of Eugene Clapp and another, tax for 1923.....	\$93 86		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	43 86		
Rose Shrago—Buildings and about 8,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Homestead street, numbered 76, between an estate of Katie DiPietro and an estate of Abraham Rosenberg, tax for 1923.....	\$177 84		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	77 84		
Bennett Snyder—Buildings and about 9,350 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Elm Hill avenue, numbered 51, between an estate of Louis Rubin and an estate of Jacob Pearl, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Joseph A. and Olga W. Tiexiera—Buildings and about 4,994 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Otisfield street, numbered 6, between an estate of Mary C. Menes and an estate of Mary Alter, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Neil J. and Catherine J. Tolan—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbine street, numbered 47, between an estate of Frances L. Cram and an estate of Mabel L. Kennedy and another, tax for 1923.....	\$79 04		
Paid on account.....	60 00		
Balance due.....	19 04		
Anastasia E. Vogel—Buildings and about 3,745 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wenonah street, numbered 30, between an estate of Sarah R. Einstein and an estate of Andrew J. Legg, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Susan S. Vossahlik—Buildings and about 1,828 feet of land on the westerly side of Regent square, numbered 3, between another estate of said Vossahlik and an estate of Sarah Burchill and another, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Also buildings and about 1,335 feet of land on the westerly side of Regent square, numbered 5, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Vossahlik, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Max Wanes, Joseph Horwitz and Morris B. Silverman, Trustees of Silverman Trust—Buildings and about 6,008 feet of land on the easterly side of Crawford street, numbered 129, between an estate of Rose Barron and an estate of Florida Bevilacqua, tax for 1923.....	190 19		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Pauline Weinstein—Buildings and about 2,618 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 321, between an estate of Giuseppe Furnari and another and an estate of Julius Goldman, tax for 1923.....	271 70		
Frances L. Whipple—Buildings and about 2,459 feet of land on the southerly side of Whiting street, numbered 43, between an estate of Charles C. Earle and an estate of Mary A. Whynot, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Lillian E. Williams—Buildings and about 1,198 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 40 and 40A, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Also buildings and about 641 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 42 and 42A, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Also buildings and about 1,352 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 38 and 38A, making the southerly corner of Bower street and numbered 102, adjoining another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	234 65		
Also buildings and about 1,251 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 44 and			
44A, between two other estates of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Also buildings and about 1,617 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 46, 46A and 46B, making the easterly corner of Humboldt terrace, adjoining another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Dorothy Windheim—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Edgewood street, numbered 63, making the westerly corner of and numbered 215, 215A and 215B Blue Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Joseph Epstein, tax for 1923.....	741 00		
Abraham M. Wolfman, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 1,923 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 310, between an estate of William M. Collins and an estate of Jacob Manatsky, tax for 1923.....	175 37		
Also buildings and about 1,858 feet of land on the easterly side of Warren street, numbered 314, between an estate of Jacob Manatsky and an estate of Ellen J. Foley, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
WARD SEVENTEEN.			
William M. Ambler—About 43,574 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining estate of Peter J. Mahan and another trustees, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, dated December 20, 1900, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2729, page 148, tax for 1923.....	\$108 68		
Richard F. Andrews—Trustees—Buildings and about 3,408 feet of land on the southerly side of Dudley street, numbered 703, 705, 707 and 709, making southwesterly corner of Nonquit street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Maletz, tax for 1923.....	234 65		
Emily A. Beale—About 393 feet of land on the easterly side of Sydney street, adjoining an estate of Albert H. Goss, being the northerly part of lot 15, shown on Whitman and Breck plan, dated November, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1803, page 273, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Sarah D. Belson—Buildings and about 4,521 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 419, 421, 423, 425, 427 and 429, making the junction of Hancock street, between an estate of Johanna Johnson and an estate of James A. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Tillie Berenson—Buildings and about 26,540 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Quincy street, numbered 220 rear, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Aaron Guber, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Myron L. Billings—Buildings and about 4,332 feet of land on the westerly side of Treadway road, numbered 16, between an estate of James J. Wilcox and another and an estate of Rosa H. Stevens, tax for 1923.....	76 57		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 37		
Tobie Bloom—Buildings and about 2,829 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wayland street, numbered 89, between an estate of Sarah Kaplan and an estate of Sonis Pritzky, tax for 1923.....	\$135 85		
Paid on account.....	75 00		
Balance due.....	60 85		
Henry A. Brown—About 4,996 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Robinson court, between an estate of Mary Behan and an estate of Nathan W. Robinson and others, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Harriet B. C. Butler—Buildings and about 15,582 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbia road, numbered 478, making the northerly corner of and numbered 7 and 9 Sayward street, adjoining an estate of Warren E. Kennedy and another, tax for 1921.....	\$494 00		
Paid on account.....	70 00		
Balance due.....	424 00		
Moth assessment for 1921.....	87		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 19,236 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot A, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 7, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Also about 19,806 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Alice T. Jones, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Also buildings and about 2,555 feet of land on the westerly side of Greenmount place, numbered 5, between an estate of Francis S. Cummings Company and an estate of Ellen L. Hickey, tax for 1923.....	61 75		

Mabel E. Chadwick—About 4,298 feet of land on the westerly side of Auckland street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 26, shown on a plan not named, dated April 1, 1885, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1678, page 213, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Frank A. and Annie C. Gaffney—Buildings and about 3,330 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Danube street, numbered 43, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Ida Brooks, tax for 1923.....	167 96
Also about 4,357 feet of land on the westerly side of Auckland street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Celia Green, Trustees of Back Bay Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 841 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dunkeld street, numbered 9 and 9A, between an estate of Israel Siegel and an estate of Kofman Nesman, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also about 4,534 feet of land on the westerly side of Auckland street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Clougherty, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Aaron Guber and Louis Sherman—About 1,550 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Quincy street, adjoining an estate of Bloome Shiprazky, being a lot shown on M. Porosky and L. S. Stone plan, dated December 29, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3340, page 566, tax for 1922.....	7 41 7 41
William I. Chase—Buildings and about 11,380 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Grampian way, numbered 72 and 74, between an estate of John L. Cudmore and an estate of Clandine R. Stanley, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Max Heitin, one half, and Max Richmond, one half—Buildings and about 4,593 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fayston street, numbered 38 and 40, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Leah Baker, tax for 1923.....	170 50
Patrick S. Conlon—Buildings and about 6,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Savin Hill avenue, numbered 300, between an estate of Frances P. Conlon and another and an estate of John J. Conlon, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Julian street numbered 17, between an estate of David Carey and an estate of John T. Moran and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Minnie E. Connor—About 46,335 feet of land on the northerly side of Grampian way, between two estates of William B. Sherman, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	59 28 59 28	Also buildings and about 3,417 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mascota street, numbered 11, making the northerly corner of and numbered 86 Fayston street, adjoining an estate of Patrick A. Kearns, tax for 1923.....	\$209 95 Paid on account..... 109 95
Annie Cotter—Buildings and about 2,453 feet of land on the westerly side of Coleman street, numbered 5, between an estate of Adeline Cohen and an estate of Paul N. Legendoe and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	12 70	Balance due.....	100 00
William C. Cotton and Frank B., Trustees Aria Cotton Estate, eight twelfths, William C. and Frank B. Cotton, two twelfths, Charles B. Prince, one twelfth, and Aria C. Morrison, one twelfth—About 8,960 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between another estate of Cotton and others, trustees, and an estate of Aaron Guber and another, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Bibianna A. Hudon—Buildings and about 5,260 feet of land on the westerly side of Monadnock street, numbered 5, between an estate of Eliza Hurst and an estate of Isaac Nesson, tax for 1923, Benjamin Jacobs Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 27,280 feet of land on the northwesterly and southwest-erly side of Downer court, at end, not numbered, between an estate of Louis Garcello and an estate of John Donohoe, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	5 67 5 71
Also about 10,370 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between an estate of Martin L. Cate and another and another estate of said Cotton and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	5 71
Catherine E. Crowley—Buildings and about 3,608 feet of land on the easterly side of Tuttle street, numbered 43, between an estate of Katherine Gorman and an estate of Kerna Sperling, tax for 1923.....	\$93 86 Paid on account..... 50 00	Alice T. James—About 18,702 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, being lot C, shown on Assessors' plans, volume 9, page 7, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Balance due.....	43 86	Annie M. Kelley—About 3,066 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Woodcliff street extension, being lot G, D. W. Hyde plan, March 1, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3433, page 225, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Margaret L. Edlund—Buildings and about 6,684 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Howard avenue, numbered 58 and 58A, between an estate of Charlotte M. Stronach and an estate of Charlotte M. Stronach, tax for 1923.....	\$128 44 Paid on account..... 50 00	Also about 3,869 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Rockdale street, being lot 7, C. E. Varney plan, March, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2748, page 262, tax for 1923.....	14 82 25 35
Balance due.....	78 44	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	25 35
Francis J. Farrar—Buildings and about 2,980 feet of land on the southerly side of Russ terrace, numbered 1, between an estate of Sarah J. Ross and an estate of John E. Buteau, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Margaret L. Kerrigan—About 544 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between another estate of said Kerrigan and an estate of Dennis Higgins, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also buildings and about 2,413 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fox Point road, numbered 10, between an estate of Mary E. Hinckley and an estate of Alice M. Rogers, tax for 1923.....	51 87	Rose Lato and Sarah Miller—Buildings and about 2,338 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Howard avenue, numbered 111, between an estate of Rachel Heymann and an estate of Daniel Friedberg, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 68	Morris Levy—Buildings and about 2,949 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fayston street, numbered 70, between another estate of said Levy and an estate of Kofman Nesman, tax for 1923.....	170 43
Devises of Julia Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 374, between an estate of Ella I. Sullivan and an estate of Thomas and Agnes B. Hession, tax for 1923.....	91 39	Alice E. Linnell—Buildings and about 16,417 feet of land on the easterly side of Savin Hill avenue, not numbered, between another estate of said Linnell and an estate of Charles H. Bartlett, balance of tax for 1922.....	2 70
Mary C. Foster—About 19,236 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Savin Hill avenue; westerly by an estate of Anna B. Robinson; easterly by an estate of Minnie T. Connor and southerly by another estate of said Foster, tax for 1921.....	37 05	Also about 4,400 feet of flats on the easterly side of Old Colony parkway, outside the Bulkhead line, extending to the 100 Rod line, adjoining an estate of Frederick L. Stark, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 1,845 feet of land on the easterly side of Dacia street, numbered 67, between an estate of Bessie Weiner and another estate of said French, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Amy W. MacDonald—Buildings and about 4,387 feet of land on the westerly side of Belvue street, numbered 29, between an estate of Annie B. James and an estate of Margaret L. Ferrin, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Also buildings and about 1,422 feet of land on the easterly side of Dacia street, numbered 69, between an estate of Myer and Lillian Grodzen and another estate of said French, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Alfred Maling—Buildings and about 5,107 (assessed as 5,121) feet of land on the northerly side of Robin Hood street, numbered 17, making the junction of Folsom street, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth J. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	\$165 49 Paid on account..... 70 00
		Balance due.....	95 49
		Abram V. Mann—About 540 feet of land on the northerly side of Ingleside street, adjoining an estate of Michael Rock, being a lot shown on C. H. W. Wood plan, dated May 27, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2369, tax for 1923.....	2 47 2 47
		Tax for 1922.....	2 47
		William F. McCarthy—About 3,731 feet of land on the easterly side of Danube street, adjoining another estate of said McCarthy, being lot G, as shown on William H. Whitney plan, dated May 22, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3140, page 35, tax for 1923.....	27 17
		Also about 3,776 feet of land on the easterly side of Danube street, adjoining another estate of said McCarthy, being lot F, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23
		Evan J. and Alice H. McDonald—About 5,351 feet of land on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Tilda Hanson, being lot 4, as shown on S. W. McLean plan, dated May 16, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2899, page 297, tax for 1923.....	22 23
		Ella E. Melotti—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Castle Rock street, numbered 3, between an estate of James A. Boyd and another, trustees, and an estate of Richard V. Olson, tax for 1923.....	185 25
		Also buildings and about 2,934 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1084, 1084A and 1084B, between an estate of John A. Brett and an estate of Maria L. Betts, tax for 1923.....	197 60
		James T. and Clara A. Ming—Buildings and about 2,293 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 24, making the northeast-erly corner of Jerome street, adjoining another estate of said Ming, tax for 1923.....	69 16
		Also buildings and about 2,409 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 22, between two other estates of said Ming, tax for 1923.....	66 69
		Also buildings and about 2,328 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 20, between two other estates of said Ming, tax for 1923.....	66 69
		Also buildings and about 2,668 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 18, between two other estates of said Ming, tax for 1923.....	66 69
		Also buildings and about 2,864 feet of land on the easterly side of Hancock street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Ming and an estate of Daniel F. McCormack, tax for 1923.....	66 69
		James A. Moriarty—About 2,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Savin Hill avenue, between an estate of Maud Baxter and others and an estate of Andrew J. Hanson and another, tax for 1923.....	9 83
		Ella E. Morse—About 321 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Fayston street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Lena Pearlman, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, November 28, 1904, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3007, page 42, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Anthony F. Murray—About 2,258 feet of land on the westerly side of Sea View terrace, being lot 9, and the northerly part of lot 8, William Kelly plan, September 3, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2385, page 35, tax for 1923.....	4 94
		Henry P. Nawn, Rose E. Nawn, Catherine Nawn and Susan E. Egan—Buildings and about 5,822 feet of land on the northerly side of Woodcliff street, numbered 32, 34 and 36, making the northwesterly corner of Glenbrook street, adjoining an estate of Lewis S. McQuade, tax for 1923.....	284 05
		Rosanna O'Neil—Buildings and about 27,119 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 409, between an estate of Charles A. Upham, heirs or devisees of, and an estate of Isidor Wexler, tax for 1923.....	333 45
		Sebastian F. Pepi—About 4,162 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer avenue, being lot C, George H. Sherman plan, March 8, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3866, page 303, tax for 1923.....	9 88

J. Homer Pierce, Joseph W. Homer and James R. Carret, Trustees, under will of Sydney Homer—About 43,574 feet of land on the easterly side of Savin Hill avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Pettr J. Mahon and another and an estate of John Tully (numbered 384), and an estate of Michael Tully (numbered 384 rear), and an estate of Anna B. Robinson: westerly by Savin Hill avenue; southerly by an estate of Francis Peabody, Junior, and another (numbered 136); easterly by an estate of George Wright (numbered 24 Grampian way), tax for 1922..... 108 68

Elizabeth A. Power—About 45,093 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, making the easterly corner of Bellevue street, extending through to Cornell street, being lot A, John H. Rice plan, December 14, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3504, page 221, tax for 1923..... 113 62

Also about 22,180 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornell street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923..... 44 46

Arthur B. Rigney—About 40 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dromey street, making the easterly corner of Judson street, adjoining an estate of Alice W. Pope (numbered 45 Julian street), tax for 1923..... 2 47

Anna L. Robinson—Buildings and about 5,178 feet of land on the westerly side of Hartford street, numbered 55, making the northwesterly corner of Cunningham street, adjoining an estate of Chancellor C. Allen, tax for 1923..... 140 79

Annie B. Royster—Buildings and about 4,133 feet of land on the westerly side of Tuttle street, numbered 12, between an estate of Thomas F. Healy and an estate of Catherine T. Daly, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Fannie Schwartz—Buildings and about 6,852 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ceylon street, numbered 11, between an estate of Annie C. Whalen and an estate of Robert S. Johnson, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Morris Spack—Buildings and about 2,582 feet of land on the westerly side of Maryland street, numbered 25, between an estate of Margaret A. Fox and an estate of Antonio Luizzo and another, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Kerna Sperling—About 16,652 feet of land on the easterly side of Tuttle street, being lots 38, 39, 40 and 41, H. T. Whitman plan, dated June, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2002, page 422, tax for 1923..... 143 26

Mary B. Strauss—Buildings and about 5,993 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hancock street, numbered 118, between an estate of Katie Smith and an estate of Rocco Filicicchia, tax for 1923..... 209 95

Florence M. Trainor—Buildings and about 3,124 feet of land on the easterly side of Rowell street, numbered 7, between an estate of John J. O'Shea and an estate of Walter F. Keen, tax for 1923..... \$185 25

Paid on account..... 85 00

Balance due..... 100 25

Also about 4,460 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sawyer avenue, being lot 26, Whitman & Howard plan, dated January 9, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3255, tax for 1923..... \$9 88

Paid on account..... 4 37

Balance due..... 5 51

Wilbur Land Company—About 7,540 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilbur street, being lot B, H. C. Mildram plan, dated November 30, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4332, page 309, tax for 1923..... 93 86

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 36 20

Florence E. Wilkins—Buildings and about 3,302 feet of land on the southerly side of Thornley street, numbered 10, between an estate of Martha A. A. Ward and an estate of Margaret T. O'Connell, tax for 1923..... 86 45

William Williams—About 2,377 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, being lot 2, F. S. Hunter plan, dated December, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 19 76

Also about 5,921 feet of land on the northerly side of Woodcliff street, being lot 73, William H. Whitney plan, dated June 16, 1891, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 44 46

Alexander W. Woods—Buildings and about 3,934 feet of land on the easterly side of Saxton street, numbered 31, between an estate of Anastasia Roman and an estate of Gertrude H. Nelligan, tax for 1923..... 138 32

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Hyman Balin—About 207 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Levant street, being lot L. C. B. Humphrey plan, dated December 13, 1921, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14657, tax for 1923, \$2 47

Dora Blumenthal—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Fenton street, numbered 9, between an estate of Patrick J. Burke heirs or devisees and an estate of Daniel Riley, tax for 1923..... 49 40

Also about 2,715 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Downey, being lot 24, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 175, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also buildings and about 2,865 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, numbered 23, between another estate of said Dora Blumenthal and an estate of Ansley M. Johnson, trustees, tax for 1923..... 56 81

Also about 1,114 feet of land on the northerly side of Orchardfield street, adjoining an estate of Catherine J. Moore and another, trustees, being lots 161 and 162, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 176, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 848 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orchardfield street, adjoining an estate of Ansley M. Johnson, trustee, being lot 1, William E. Hannan plan, dated May 22, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also buildings and about 6,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1374 to 1378, inclusive, making the north-easterly corner of and numbered 2, 4, 6 and 8 Orchardfield street, adjoining another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 1370 and 1372 Dorchester avenue), tax for 1923..... 456 95

Also buildings and about 1,269 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1370 and 1372, between another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 1374 to 1378 Dorchester avenue) and an estate of Teresa McDonough (numbered 1366 and 1368 Dorchester avenue), tax for 1923..... 61 75

Max Blumenthal—Buildings and about 2,865 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, numbered 7, between another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 9 and 11) and an estate of William Finnigan, tax for 1923..... \$59 28

Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 34 28

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Also buildings and about 2,835 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, numbered 9 and 11, between another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 7), and an estate of Bridget Lilly (numbered 13), tax for 1923..... \$19 40

Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 24 40

Also buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Orchardfield street, numbered 9, between an estate of John Harvey heirs or devisees (numbered 13) and an estate of Henry E. Cohen (numbered 5), tax for 1923..... \$14 46

Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 19 46

Also buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Greenwich street, numbered 18, between an estate of John J. Crowley and another and an estate of Giacomo Di Stefano, tax for 1923..... \$111 15

Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 86 15

Ida Bromberg—Buildings and about 1,817 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 338 and 338A, between an estate of Annie Miller and an estate of Ida Cabelinsky, tax for 1923..... 303 81

Alice C. and Florence E. Bryan—Buildings and about 4,950 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 94, between an estate of Lena Rosenthal and an estate of Ida Levenson, tax for 1923, 177 84

Ida Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 2,037 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 336, 336A and 336B, between an estate of Ida Bromberg and an estate of Albert Colmes and another, tax for 1923..... 308 75

Simon Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 5,860 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 44, between an estate of Harry Brown and an estate of Samuel Baker and another, tax for 1923..... 163 02

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 10 23

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Harry P. Chadwick—About 10,572 feet of land on the southerly side of Lyon street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Lesser, being a lot shown on F. P. Hall plan, dated February, 1903, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 64 22

Henry Clark—Buildings and about 6,877 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stanley street, numbered 39, between an estate of George H. Foley and another and an estate of Governors of St. Francis Xavier's College, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, trustees of the Neil McNeil Endowment Fund (numbered 43), tax for 1923..... 153 14

Louis Clayton—About 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Arcadia street, adjoining an estate of Fannie Clayton, being lot A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated January, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4444, page 241, tax for 1923..... 49 40

Samuel Cohen and Louis Silverstein—Buildings and about 7,135 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 312, 314, 314A and 316, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1 Fayston street, adjoining an estate of Barnett Lesser, tax for 1923..... \$538 46

Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 338 46

Columbia Investment Company—About 1,974 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 3, William E. Hannan plan, March 5, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2844, page 213, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 2,015 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 2,015 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 2,015 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Greenwich street, adjoining an estate of Catherine L. Deane, being lot 58, shown on assessors' plans, Volume 9, page 176, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923, 14 82

Also about 5,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Fenton street, making the northwesterly corner of Clayton street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923, 19 76

Also about 4,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Clayton street, adjoining another estate of said Columbia Investment Company, being lot 1, William E. Hannan plan, March 5, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2844, page 213, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Mary E. Connolly—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blakeville street, numbered 37, between an estate of Julia A. Rockett and an estate of Arthur M. Greene and another, tax for 1923..... 111 15

Mary E., Alice M. and John J. Donnelly, one sixth each and William J. Emerson, three sixths—About 2,970 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 12, not named plan, dated August 1, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3063, page 91, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 2,970 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 2,940 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 2,825 feet of land on the southwesterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 2,545 feet of land on the southwesterly side of a proposed street leading from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41		
Also about 2,280 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street on the southwesterly side of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41		
Also about 2,830 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bowdoin street, making the southerly corner of a proposed street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923....	34 58		
Also about 6,692 feet of land on the easterly side of Toplift street, making the southeasterly corner of Bowdoin street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923....	98 80		
Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923....	28 13		
Also about 2,460 feet of land on the easterly side of Toplift street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923....	9 88		
Also about 2,750 feet of land on the easterly side of Toplift street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,050 feet of land on the easterly side of Toplift street, adjoining another estate of said Donnelly and others, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Julia J. Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 3,611 feet of land on the northerly side of Westville street, numbered 156, between an estate of Lizzie Nishuler and an estate of Rebecca Kandib, tax for 1923....	83 98		
Philip Fogarty Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Fenton street, numbered 37, adjoining an estate of Catherine Gearighty, numbered 33, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9987, tax for 1922....	37 05		
Tax for 1923....	37 05		
William M. Foley—Buildings and about 3,999 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarkson street, numbered 58, between an estate of Hannah Donovan and an estate of Governors of St. Francis Xavier's College, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, tax for 1923....	160 55		
Paid on account....	100 00		
Balance due....	60 55		
Tilly E. Freidman—Buildings and about 3,440 feet of land on the northerly side of Charles street, numbered 47, making the northwesterly corner of a proposed street, adjoining an estate of James J. Vaughan and another (numbered 51), tax for 1923....	209 95		
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 7,507 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 39, between an estate of Lena Pearlstein and an estate of Isaac and Harry N. Goldberg, tax for 1923....	160 55		
Moth assessment for 1923....	59		
Isaac and Harry N. Goldberg—About 6,032 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence avenue, between an estate of Clara B. French, (numbered 39) and an estate of Ida Raphael (numbered 45), tax for 1923....	34 58		
Moth assessment for 1923....	50		
Charles E. and Leila A. Harberg (re-assessed from Frank H. Dooley)—Buildings and about 3,550 feet of land on the southerly side of Holiday street, numbered 9, between an estate of Annie E. Manson and an estate of Ellen C. Crowley, tax for 1923....	98 80		
Mary R. Haugh—Buildings and about 2,364 feet of land on the southerly side of Hecla street, numbered 10, between an estate of Maurice Downey and an estate of Frank A. Hugal and another, tax for 1923....	98 80		
Paid on account....	50 00		
Balance due....	48 80		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 4,256 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Devon street, numbered 91, between an estate of David Miller and an estate of Rose Harris, tax for 1923....	172 90		
Thomas and Henry Howard, Trustees—Buildings and about 15,962 feet of land on the northerly side of Charles street, numbered 11, between an estate of Charles E. Floerke and an estate of Margaret Echeen, tax for 1923....	192 66		
Sarah Isaacs—Buildings and about 3,887 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 34, between an estate of Jennie K. Waters and an estate of Congregation Agudas Achum, tax for 1922....	145 73		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922....	9 37		
Tax for 1923....	145 73		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923....	9 07		
John L. Kelley—About 14,493 feet of land on the easterly side of Normandy street, between an estate of Ida Carp (numbered 80 Devon street) and another estate of said Kelley, tax for 1923....	71 63		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923....	83 34		
Moth assessment for 1923....	50		
Also about 8,085 feet of land on the easterly side of Normandy street, between another estate of said Kelley and an estate of Julius Kalmanowitz (numbered 36 and 38), tax for 1923....	9 88		
Also about 2,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side and at end of Brunswick street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being a lot shown on a plan, not named, November 4, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2406, tax for 1923....	7 41		
Also about 2,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being the northeasterly part of lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923....	9 88		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923....	9 88		
Also about 4,206 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, making the westerly corner of Lorraine street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923....	9 88		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, making the southerly corner of Lorraine street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 46, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Charles J. Kelley, Junior—About 3,131 feet of land on the southerly side of Arcadia park, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Arcadia park; southerly by an estate of Rose Klous, numbered 25 Charles street; westerly by an estate of Michael L. Fallon and another; easterly by an estate of Edward J. McDevitt and another, tax for 1922....	14 82		
Also buildings and about 8,033 feet of land on the northerly side of Dickens street, numbered 42, between an estate of James Walsh and an estate of Margaret Nash, tax for 1923....	59 28		
Also about 11,649 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Westville street, being lot 3, William E. Hannan plan, dated July 3, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4000, page 81, tax for 1923....	56 81		
Moth assessment for 1923....	50		
William A. Kern—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Barry street, numbered 58, between an estate of Mary J. Bourne and an estate of Mary E. Ramisch, tax for 1923....	247 00		
Paid on account....	97 00		
Balance due....	150 00		
Sadie Libman—Buildings and about 4,660 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Magnolia street, numbered 233, making the westerly corner of Greenheys street, between an estate of Jacob Nathanson and an estate of Annie T. Wolfson, tax for 1923....	8138 32		
Paid on account....	50 00		
Balance due....	88 32		
Lincoln Oil Company—Buildings and about 3,663 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, numbered 27, between an estate of J. Homer Pierce and another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, tax for 1923....	32 11		
Also about 3,201 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 10, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated June 10, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2926, page 371, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 11, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated June 10, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2926, page 371, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 4,672 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westwood street, making the northwesterly corner of a proposed street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923....	12 35		
Also about 2,855 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41		
Also about 2,748 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41		
Also about 2,669 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41		
Also about 2,614 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41		
Also about 2,584 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westwood street, adjoining another estate of said Lincoln Oil Company, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41		
Maurice J. Maloney, Sub-survivor Beneficiary under will—Buildings and about 3,374 feet of land on the southerly side of Longfellow street, numbered 33, between an estate of John Besties and an estate of John Downey, tax for 1923....	123 50		
Gerardo Mazzucco—Buildings and about 2,050 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 240, 240A and 240B, between another estate of said Mazzucco and an estate of Neal J. O'Donnell, tax for 1923....	209 95		
Paid on account....	100 00		
Balance due....	109 95		
Also buildings and about 2,050 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 242A, between an estate of Mary V. Kelley and another estate of said Mazzucco, tax for 1923....	100 00		
Paid on account....	100 00		
Balance due....	109 95		
Helen M. McGrady—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Hamilton street, numbered 198 and 198A, between an estate of Mary E. Caddigan and an estate of Peter Freely and another, tax for 1923....	148 20		
Cornelius J. Murphy—Buildings and about 2,768 feet of land on the easterly side of Inwood street, numbered 23, making the southeasterly corner of Norton street, adjoining an estate of Annie Galligan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923....	3 83		

Henry P. Nawn—Buildings and about 2,490 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Creston street, numbered 5, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Morris Segel, tax for 1923.....	197 60		Also about 2,795 feet of land on the easterly side of a passageway, leading from the northerly side of Homes avenue in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Sullivan (numbered 108 Homes avenue), tax for 1923,.....	7 41		22 and 24, between another estate of said Berns and an estate of Charles H. Jenkins, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2857, tax for 1923.....	130 91
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	5 59		Henry C. Taylor—Buildings and about 5,188 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1291 to 1,303 inclusive, making the southwesterly corner of Lyon street, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	496 47		Also buildings and about 4,272 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Merrill street, numbered 18 and 20, adjoining another estate of said Berns (numbered 22 and 24), registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2857, tax for 1923.....	93 86
Also buildings and about 13,865 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 267, adjoining another estate of said Nawn, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11789, tax for 1922.....	123 50		Max Uroff—About 5,743 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hamilton terrace, adjoining another estate of said Uroff, being lot 10, S. L. Leftovith plan, dated July 7, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 585, tax for 1923.....	27 17		Also buildings and about 2,179 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Merrill street, numbered 16, adjoining another estate of said Berns (numbered 18 and 20), registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2857, tax for 1923.....	76 57
Tax for 1923.....	123 50		Also about 6,192 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hamilton terrace, adjoining another estate of said Uroff, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	37 05		Also buildings and about 3,947 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Merrill street, numbered 8, between an estate of Isaac Smith and an estate of Louis Shatz and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2857, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Also buildings and about 13,438 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 273, between two other estates of said Nawn, tax for 1922.....	172 90		Also about 3,612 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, making the southerly corner of Columbia park, adjoining an estate of Abraham Lender and another being lot 4 same plan, tax for 1923.....	34 58		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66		Anastasia E. Vogel—Buildings and about 3,196 feet of land on the southerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 141, between an estate of Bessie L. Sleeper and an estate of Michael Marino, tax for 1923.....	172 90		Julius and Sarah Block (supposed present owner Bertha Steinberg)—Buildings and about 3,027 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 566, between an estate of Nina Lax and an estate of Harris Ricles and another, tax for 1923.....	247 00
Tax for 1923.....	172 90		George F. and Virginia Weddleton—Buildings and about 11,741 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Quincy street, numbered 401, making the westerly corner of and numbered 37 Bellevue street, adjoining an estate of Edward H. Delano, moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Alfred Bowditch Heirs—About 4,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Rupert street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of William N. Ambler, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, dated 1897, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2513, page 251, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Lillian E. Williams—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 78, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of Morris Hershon and another, tax for 1923.....	185 25		Samuel and Rose Bower—Buildings and about 10,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wales street, numbered 11, between an estate of John H. Casey and an estate of Tobias Kolow, tax for 1923.....	143 26
Also buildings and about 48,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 295, extending through to trail location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, adjoining another estate of said Nawn, tax for 1923.....	666 90		Paid on account.....	50 00		Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	10 50
Betsy Neustadt—Buildings and about 5,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 85, between an estate of Sarah Kaizer and an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	247 00		Balance due.....	135 25		Julius L. and Robert P. Cabelinsky—Buildings and about 25,571 feet of land on the southerly side of Melville avenue, numbered 11, between an estate of Dora Meyers and an estate of Margaret E. Peeney, tax for 1923.....	461 89
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Also buildings and about 3,069 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 80, between an estate of Gabriel Backer and another estate of said Williams, tax for 1923.....	185 25		Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 2,667 feet of land on the southerly side of Erie street, numbered 34, between an estate of James Malley and an estate of Elias Gretskey, tax for 1923.....	71 63
John A. O'Connell—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Dakota road, numbered 5, between an estate of Emma W. Chase and an estate of Harriet A. Doherty, tax for 1923.....	81 51		Paid on account.....	50 00		Also buildings and about 5,035 feet of land on the easterly side of Whitfield street, making the north-easterly corner of West Tremlett street, adjoining an estate of Riecke Glass (numbered 133 Whitfield street), tax for 1923.....	111 15
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 80		Balance due.....	135 25		Also buildings and about 2,657 feet of land on the northerly side of Alpha road, numbered 43, between an estate of James McLaughlin and another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923,.....	180 31
Owner or Owners Unknown—About 83 feet of land on the northerly side of Orchardfield street, adjoining an estate of Henry C. Little, being the southerly part of lot 28, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 175, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Eva Abramson—Buildings and about 7,920 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Esmond street, numbered 4 and 6, making the easterly corner of and numbered 750 Blue Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Annie J. Collins, tax for 1923.....	\$1,193 01		Andrew E., one third, Minnie E., one sixth, Angenette, one sixth, Leroy H., one sixth and Harold L. Chambers, one sixth (reassessed from Walter H. Sherwin, mortgage)—Buildings and about 2,498 feet of land on the northerly side of Athelwold street, numbered 43, between an estate of Redmond McDonough and another and an estate of George D. Wellington, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	33		Fannie Albertson and Clara Sibrilkin (supposed present owner Hyman Gorin and another)—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, numbered 239, between an estate of Louis Canter and an estate of Rubin Handel, tax for 1923.....	163 02		Rachel Chertook—Buildings and about 9,647 feet of land on the easterly side of Bowdoin avenue, numbered 96, making the junction of and numbered 164 and 166 Rosseter street, adjoining an estate of Walter F. Keen, tax for 1923.....	\$713 47
William H. Pearson and Walter F. Hill, Trustees for the Twenty-five Associates—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Westville street, numbered 107, between an estate of John J. Connors and an estate of Thomas F. Harvey, tax for 1923.....	148 20		Joseph and Annette Amia—Buildings and about 2,186 feet of land on the northerly side of Alpha road, numbered 51, between an estate of George G. Gallop and an estate of Mabel B. Buckner, tax for 1923.....	192 60		Paid on account.....	350 00
William Phipps Heirs or Devises—About 1,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, adjoining an estate of Etta Grossman, being lot C, Garbett and Wood plan, dated October 22, 1892, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2091, page 364, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Esther J. Aronson—Buildings and about 3,326 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Michigan avenue, numbered 2, between an estate of Wolf Parger and an estate of Charlotte V. Cunio, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10731, tax for 1923.....	209 95		Balance due.....	393 47
Also about 1,021 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lawrence avenue, adjoining an estate of Sarah Tumarkin, being lot B, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated March 21, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2120, page 301, tax for 1923.....	7 41		Olive Rachelder—About 400 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Norwell street, on the northerly side of a passageway, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, November 19, 1897, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2487, page 450, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Ada J. Coffin—Buildings and about 10,053 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 232, between an estate of Joseph Engel and an estate of Jasper Cook and another, tax for 1923.....	205 01
Frederick J. Rockwell—About 327 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Richfield street, adjoining an estate of Lawrence J. Fallon, being the southerly part of lot 3, on a plan not named, dated July 2, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3825, page 213, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Steven A. Bassak—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 858, 858A and 860, between an estate of Stephen Poppiano and an estate of Rosa Lagorio, tax for 1923.....	442 13		Mary E. P. Croke—Buildings and about 2,021 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 98, making the southwesterly corner of Millet street, between an estate of Anna Applebaum and an estate of Arthur E. Marcus, tax for 1923.....	177 84
Gedelle Rozavsky—Buildings and about 3,135 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Grove park, numbered 7 and 7A, at end, adjoining another estate of said Rozavsky, tax for 1923,.....	160 55		Lillian Berkman—Buildings and about 10,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Wales street, numbered 25, between an estate of John Henry Casey and an estate of Alonzo B. Cook, tax for 1923.....	229 71		William H. Crosby—About 152 feet of land on the southerly side of Dunlap street, being lot 18, E. L. Moulton plan, dated August 20, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3342, page 172, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 09		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	1 20
Annie Segel—Buildings and about 6,431 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 29, between an estate of William Phipps heirs or devisees and an estate of Hattie Brooker, tax for 1923.....	192 66		Charlotte Berns—Buildings and about 4,380 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Merrill street, numbered				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50						
Lea Shraier and Joseph Lipland—Buildings and about 5,188 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 318, 318A and 320, between two estates of Frederick Green and another, tax for 1923.....	\$617 50						
Paid on account.....	200 00						
Balance due.....	417 50						
Sarah Shulman—Buildings and about 5,625 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lawrence avenue, numbered 98, between an estate of Celia Shurdut and an estate of Alice Benrino, tax for 1923.....	\$140 55						
Paid on account.....	100 00						
Balance due.....	60 55						

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Catherine I. Cusick—Buildings and about 2,890 feet of land on the easterly side of Norwell street, numbered 118, between another estate of said Cusick and an estate of William W. Towle, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	34 80	street, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, dated September, 1896, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2388, page 377, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 2,768 feet of land on the easterly side of Norwell street, being lot 34, Frank A. Foster plan, dated August 22, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2309, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also buildings and about 12,330 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1921.....	111 15	Fannie E. Feinstein—Buildings and about 5,187 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Drummond street, numbered 8, between another estate of said Feinstein and an estate of Florence Goldstein, tax for 1923.....	187 72
Also buildings and about 2,950 feet of land on the westerly side of Radcliffe street, numbered 89, between another estate of said Cusick and an estate of John E. Malloney and another, tax for 1923.....	111 19	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	39 66	Also buildings and about 7,650 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Drummond street, numbered 12 and 10 rear, between another estate of said Feinstein and an estate of Ellen A. Blake, tax for 1923.....	180 31
Also about 3,055 feet of land on the westerly side of Radcliffe street, being lot 15, Frank A. Foster plan, dated August 22, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2309, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Tax for 1922.....	111 15	Also about 4,787 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Drummond street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Feinstein, being lot 4, E. L. Moulton plan, April 18, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3126, page 217, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Joseph P. Cussen—Buildings and about 6,120 feet of land on the southerly side of Kenwood street, numbered 65, between an estate of Mary N. Miller and an estate of Frances A. Neilson, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	35 19	Charles A. Ferguson (supposed present owner James A. Cantin)—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Maybrook street, numbered 11, between an estate of Margaret E. Fields and an estate of Frederick Phillips, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	61 75	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
James J. Donnelly and William J. Emerson—About 13,149 feet of land on the northerly side of Browning avenue, making the northeasterly corner of Wales street, being a lot shown on F. O. Whitney plan, April 3, 1914, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	113 62	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	32 88	Morris Freedman and Eli Wolkon—Buildings and about 1,913 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 55, between another estate of said Freedman and another estate of Simon Glickman and another, tax for 1923.....	150 67
Also about 5,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wales street, making the easterly corner of Browning avenue, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1923.....	54 34	Tax for 1922.....	56 81	Also buildings and about 2,283 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbia road, numbered 57, between another estate of said Freedman and another and an estate of Charlotte A. Powell, tax for 1923.....	155 61
Mary E., Alice M. and John J. Donnelly, one sixth each and William J. Emerson, three sixths—About 20,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Talbot avenue, making the northerly corner of Wales street, being a lot shown on William Jackson plan, March 15, 1910, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	27 76	Harry C. Garland—About 3,442 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Castlegate road, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly and northwesterly by other estates of said Garland; north-easterly and southeasterly by an estate of Henry S. Dowe Company, tax for 1923.....	24 70
The Dorchester Club—Buildings and about 22,853 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Talbot avenue, numbered 28, making the northerly corner of Nightingale street, adjoining an estate of Congregation Chevra Chai Odum, tax for 1923.....	494 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Albert A. Golden—Buildings and about 3,624 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Wolcott street, numbered 11, between an estate of Joseph L. Jacobson and an estate of Harris Gorfinkle heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	180 31
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 60	Also about 11,504 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1921.....	56 81	Solomon and Annie R. Goldman—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Page street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Louis Isaacson; northeasterly by estates of Harry P. Chadwick and Hannah Goldberg; southeasterly by an estate of Solomon Goldman and another, and southwesterly by an estate of William S. Leven, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Sarah J. Duff—Buildings and about 4,125 feet of land on the northerly side of Centre street, numbered 74, making the northeasterly corner of Seaborn street, adjoining an estate of Charles H. Heller and another, tax for 1923.....	172 90	Also about 13,229 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1921.....	64 22	A. Morris Greenblatt—Buildings and about 5,004 feet of land on the south-westerly side of Esmond street, num-bered 51, between an estate of Sarah A. Miller and an estate of Dora Marzynski, tax for 1923.....	234 65
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	41 77	Roswell G. Hall—Buildings and about 18,877 feet of land on the northerly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 10, 12, 14, 16, 16A, 18, 20 and 20A, between an estate of Margaret F. Baldwin and an estate of Harrie Lepie and others, tax for 1923.....	958 36
Annie S. B. Dunham—Buildings and about 6,350 feet of land on the southerly side of Moultrie street, numbered 26 and 26A, between an estate of Margaret N. Anderson and another estate of said Dunham, tax for 1923.....	197 69	Tax for 1922.....	64 22	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
James H. Dunphy—Buildings and about 2,374 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, numbered 241, between an estate of Joseph J. Holleran and an estate of John L. Mahan, tax for 1923.....	118 56	Also about 17,534 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1921.....	64 22	Also about 2,871 feet of land on the easterly side of Bowdoin avenue, being lot 3, H. C. Mikram plan, July 1, 1897, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3329, tax for 1923.....	34 58
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 07	Tax for 1922.....	19 76	Also about 3,894 feet of land on the easterly side of Bowdoin avenue, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	39 52
William J. Emerson—About 5,982 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 4, Henry Nelson plan, April 30, 1884, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2061, page 518, tax for 1921.....	37 05	Tax for 1923.....	19 76	Rose Harris—Buildings and about 5,248 feet of land on the westerly side of Wales street, numbered 41, between another estate of said Harris and an estate of Henry Mastero, tax for 1923.....	130 92
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	32 83	Also about 10,548 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1921.....	39 52	Also about 5,002 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, making the northwesterly corner of Wales street, being lot 2, S. L. Leftovitch plan, January 30, 1922, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	49 40
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Tax for 1922.....	29 64	William E. Harris—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 174, between an estate of Frank W. Gilman and an estate of Mary Sklad moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	37 05	Also about 7,890 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1921.....	29 64	William J. Healy (supposed present owner Irving B. Mittel)—Buildings and about 8,810 feet of land on the easterly side of Standish street, numbered 18, 20, 22, 24 and 26, between an estate of Sarah Shaw and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	333 45
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	29 13	Tax for 1922.....	29 64		
Tax for 1923.....	37 05	Also about 10,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1921.....	39 52		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	27 71	Tax for 1922.....	39 52		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	39 52		
Also about 7,708 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1921.....	37 05	Also about 19,690 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1921.....	71 63		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1921.....	36 94	Tax for 1922.....	71 63		
Tax for 1922.....	37 05	Tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	32 77	Also about 6,745 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar avenue, being the westerly part of lot 18, same plan, tax for 1921.....	24 70		
Tax for 1923.....	37 05	Tax for 1922.....	24 70		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	30 89	Tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Also about 9,782 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rosseter street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1921.....	49 40	Also about 171,196 feet of land bounded and described as follows: Northerly and northeasterly by Geneva avenue; southerly and southwesterly by Cedar avenue and northwesterly by Olney street, being the whole of assessors' block 60, tax for 1921.....	758 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	41 21	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	188 16		
Tax for 1922.....	49 40	Tax for 1922.....	758 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	36 57	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	181 44		
Tax for 1923.....	49 40	Tax for 1923.....	758 29		
		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	174 72		
		Georgietta Emerson—About 680 feet of land on the southerly side of Alpha road, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Alpha road; easterly by an estate of William C. Miller and another; southerly by an estate of Herbert L. Hildreth and westerly by an estate of William H. Day, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
		Ester Epstein and Rosie Goldman—Buildings and about 5,022 feet of land on the northerly side of Browning avenue, numbered 47 and 49, between another estate of said Epstein and another and an estate of James J. Donnelly and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922, John Faust—About 770 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington	22 93		

Ida M. Hodson—About 11,419 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Geneva avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Geneva avenue, northwesterly by estates of Albert G. Morse and Albert Morse heirs or devisees, southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston and southeasterly by an estate of Elizabeth A. Minchin, tax for 1922.....	41 99		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	33 53		
Tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	32 26		
Eliza A. Huntoon—About 15,115 feet of land on the easterly side of Hooper street, being a lot shown on C. F. Baxter plan, May 5, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1771, page 286, tax for 1921.....	93 86		
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50		
Tax for 1922.....	93 86		
Tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Julie B. Isaacs—Buildings and about 6,849 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 488, between two estates of Harry C. Garland, tax for 1923.....	943 54		
Max M. Kalman—Buildings and about 6,664 feet of land on the easterly side of Bicknell street, numbered 41, between an estate of Jeanette T. Howe and an estate of Max Goldberg and another, tax for 1923.....	227 24		
Joseph R. Keeble—Buildings and about 5,063 feet of land on the easterly side of Westcott street, numbered 18, between an estate of Margaret A. Carroll and an estate of Joseph Dowd and another, tax for 1923.....	88 92		
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 2,966 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, numbered 229 and 231, making the northwesterly corner of West Park street, adjoining an estate of Leslie L. Brown, tax for 1923.....	66 69		
Also buildings and about 8,551 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Geneva avenue, numbered 451 and 453, making the westerly corner of Bloomfield street, adjoining an estate of Gertrude V. Stillman, tax for 1923.....	214 89		
Also about 280 feet of land on the easterly side of Norwell street, being a lot shown on J. N. McClintock plan, November 19, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Mary G. Knight—Buildings and about 2,905 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, numbered 153, between an estate of Christie Shillady and an estate of Mary E. Knight, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 81		
Benjamin Lancy—About 2,382 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, between an estate of Sarah A. Marsh and an estate of Anna A. Reisman, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Annie J. Lane—Buildings and about 3,743 feet of land on the northerly side of Mather street, numbered 51, between an estate of Margaret Ryan and an estate of Georgianna Hotchkiss, tax for 1923.....	88 45		
Paid on account.....	50 00		
Balance due.....	36 45		
Gabriella T., Georgette G. and Henry I. Lavit (supposed present owner Morris Spack)—Buildings and about 6,511 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Elmo street, numbered 47 and 49, between an estate of Jennie Resnick and an estate of Joseph B. Green, tax for 1923.....	296 40		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	196 40		
Max Learman—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Fenelon street, numbered 16, between an estate of Marcella J. Hicks and an estate of Alexander M. Glennie, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	60 55		
Thomas E. and Mary J. Leen—Buildings and about 4,419 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowdoin avenue, numbered 87 and 89, between an estate of Ida Rubin and an estate of Mary J. McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Hyman Levowich—Buildings and about 3,352 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenway street, numbered 39 to 43, inclusive, between an estate of Minnie Golden and an estate of Ida Cabelinsky and another, tax for 1923.....	271 70		
William London—Buildings and about 4,373 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 730, 734, 736, 738, 740 and 742, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of United Amusement Company, tax for 1923.....	681 72		
Also about 6,553 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charlotte street, being lot 27, C. H. W. Wood plan, August 3, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2301, page 531, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Also about 4,895 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charlotte street, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Arthur E. Marcus—Buildings and about 4,286 feet of land on the southerly side of Fowler street, numbered 77 and 79 between an estate of Lena Feldman and another estate of said Marcus, tax for 1923.....	163 02		
Also about 4,148 feet of land on the southerly side of Fowler street, being lot 43, John N. McClintock plan, dated, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2241, at end, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Mary E. Marden—Buildings and about 3,463 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 42, between an estate of Margaret Wood and an estate of Sarah Davidson, tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Catherine U. Martin—Buildings and about 4,424 feet of land on the easterly side of Spencer street, numbered 44, between an estate of Beda Erikson and an estate of Margaret E. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	135 85		
Elizabeth M. McGovern—Buildings and about 6,794 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, numbered 162, between an estate of Henry Pearson and an estate of Bertha Leventhal, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Leonore E. Morrill—About 140 feet of land on the northerly side of Alpha road, being the westerly part of lot 25, Charles F. Baxter plan, dated July, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2500, page 289, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Mary E. Morse—About 495 feet of land on the southerly side of Lyndhurst street, being a lot shown on E. L. Johnson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Annie H. Morton—About 1,274 feet of land on the northerly side of Bullard street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Bullard street, easterly by an estate of Hilda Smith, northerly by an estate of William Brode and westerly by an estate of John E. Frieberg and another, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Edward F. O'Brien, Laurence Bond and Thomas F. Patterson, Trustees under will of Edward A. White—Buildings and about 5,768 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 310 and 312, between another estate of said O'Brien and others, trustees and an estate of Bessie Feldman, tax for 1923.....	284 05		
Also buildings and about 7,873 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 314, 316 and 318, between an estate of Annie L. Wyman and another estate of said O'Brien and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	407 55		
John H. Parker—About 2,683 feet of land on the westerly side of Norwell street, being lot 39, Frank A. Foster plan, August 22, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2309, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
William and Theresa J. Parr (supposed present owner James A. and Gertrude R. Aicardi)—Buildings and about 3,362 feet of land on the northerly side of Dunlan street, numbered 39, between an estate of Henry G. Vackert and an estate of Charles Bartlett, tax for 1923.....	177 84		
Paid on account.....	60 00		
Balance due.....	117 84		
Apportionment for street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 96		
Catherine E. Powers—Buildings and about 2,289 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, numbered 525, making the northeasterly corner of Allerton road, adjoining an estate of Hiram R. Chubbuck, 621 feet of this estate, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7408, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Catherine E. Reid—Buildings and about 4,700 feet of land on the southerly side of Park street, numbered 372, between an estate of Hilda Goldstein and an estate of Fitzgerald M. O'Lalor and another, tax for 1923.....	158 08		
Rose R. Robinson—Buildings and about 12,395 feet of land on the northerly side of Harlem street, numbered 44 to 50, making the northwesterly corner of Greenwood street, adjoining an estate of Benjamin S. Gainsboro and another, tax for 1923.....	817 50		
Joseph Rothchild—About 1,014 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Michigan avenue, being lot B. C. H. Gannett plan, March 18, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3534, page 543, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Julia E. Russell—Buildings and about 7,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowdoin avenue, numbered 67, between an estate of Margaret A. Keen and an estate of Thomas F. Whalen, tax for 1923.....	165 49		
Thomas E. Ryan Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 3,811 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Waterlov street, numbered 2, making the westerly corner of Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Fannie R. Silbert, tax for 1923.....	140 79		
Mollie Saklad—Buildings and about 5,119 feet of land on the easterly side of Charlotte street, numbered 40, between an estate of Samuel U. Goldberg and an estate of Rebecca Kuposky, tax for 1923.....	234 65		
Henrietta Schindler—Buildings and about 5,474 feet of land on the easterly side of Charlotte street, numbered 56, between an estate of Nathan M. Silverman and an estate of Clara M. Akerman, tax for 1923.....	217 36		
Bessie Schneiderman—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott street, numbered 48, making the northerly corner of Eric street, adjoining an estate of William Saltzman, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Ida Shrago—Buildings and about 4,848 feet of land on the southwesterly side of McEllen street, numbered 51, between an estate of Hyman B. Levine and an estate of Fannie Goldman, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Sarah Simanofsky—Buildings and about 3,410 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, numbered 115, 115A, 117 and 117A, between an estate of Arthur J. Nelson, trustee and the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.....	\$214 89		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	114 89		
Also buildings and about 3,571 feet of land on the northerly side of Harvard street, numbered 147, 147A, 147B and 147C, between an estate of Mary L. Dailey and an estate of Zundel Gray and another, tax for 1923.....	\$286 52		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	186 52		
Mary E. Smart—Buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the southerly side of Bullard street, numbered 8, between an estate of Abraham Beriman and an estate of John C. Means and another, tax for 1923.....	103 74		
Thomas and Mary Smith—Buildings and about 6,236 feet of land on the easterly side of Whitfield street, numbered 71, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 50 Rosedale street, adjoining an estate of Nellie Dillon, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Sarah M. Spear—Buildings and about 7,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Bloomfield street, numbered 46, between an estate of Walter F. Holmes and an estate of Caroline G. Brazer, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Mary Spector—Buildings and about 4,972 feet of land on the northerly side of York street, numbered 24, between an estate of Bessie Rutherg and an estate of Minna Wizer, tax for 1923.....	214 89		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	46 86		
Annie Spiegel—Buildings and about 3,502 feet of land on the southerly side of Erie street, numbered 12, 12A, 14 and 14A, between an estate of Abe Tvisher and an estate of Jeremiah Connor and another, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Bertha Steinberg—Buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the northerly side of Page street, numbered 5, between an estate of Morris Abrams and an estate of Barnard Epstein and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13539, tax for 1923.....	139 91		
Suffolk Real Estate Mortgage Corporation (supposed present owner Max Bloom)—Buildings and about 1,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Ellington (formerly Elmo) street, numbered 132, between another estate of said Suffolk Real Estate and Mortgage Corporation and an estate of Morris R. Frank, tax for 1923.....	138 32		

Also buildings and about 1,720 feet of land on the northerly side of Ellington (formerly Elmo) street, numbered 136, between another estate of said Suffolk Real Estate and Mortgage Corporation and an estate of Peter Murtagh heirs or devisees, moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Samuel Swartz and Myer Peraner—Buildings and about 10,100 feet of land on the southerly side of Harvard street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Harvard street; easterly by estates of Margaret J. Hickey, Solomon Eisenman and Thomas A. Matthews; southerly by an estate of Mary X. Cohan, and westerly by estates of Mary A. Collins, Edmond Donlan and Cornelius Shea, tax for 1923.....	249 47
Ida Synofsky—Buildings and about 4,303 feet of land on the westerly side of Wales street, numbered 83 and 85, between an estate of Rosa Neidleman and an estate of William Bloom, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15091, tax for 1923.....	247 00
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 29
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 07
James C. Tennant—About 5,668 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ellington street, being lot 27, Whitman and Howard plan, March 26, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3123, page 527, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Ida Weinberg—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Page street, numbered 19, between an estate of Rebecca Sharas and an estate of Jennie Isaacson, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Morris Weisman—Buildings and about 3,985 feet of land on the easterly side of Greenwood street, numbered 60, between an estate of Ida Goldstein and another and an estate of Wolf Cohen, tax for 1923.....	148 20
David A. Westcott—Buildings and about 7,341 feet of land on the easterly side of Bernard street, numbered 86 and 88, between an estate of Alice G. McNerney and an estate of Frank T. Westcott, moth assessment for 1921.....	50
Mary D. Whitaker—Buildings and about 6,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Aspinwall road, numbered 28, making the southwesterly corner of Hopestill street, adjoining an estate to Etta E. Fessenden, tax for 1923.....	209 95
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50

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Martha C. Alden—Buildings and about 9,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Dix street, numbered 99, between an estate of Frances A. Keyes and an estate of Helen S. King, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	\$111 15
Carl B. Anderson—About 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, being lot 16, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 52, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Isoline Averill—Buildings and about 3,210 feet of land on the northerly side of Lincoln street, numbered 4 and 6, between an estate of James J. Hughes and another and an estate of Dina Colmes, tax for 1923.....	123 50
George D. and Jane H. Bagg—Buildings and about 5,688 feet of land on the southerly side of King street, numbered 163, between an estate of Elizabeth Feeney and an estate of Maude E. Johnson, tax for 1923.....	\$111 15
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	61 15
Richard Barry (reassessed from Henry S. Moody)—About 3,601 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, being lot 130, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Emily Blackwell Heirs—About 430 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Freeport street, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, March 18, 1890, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, Merritt E. Bradley—Buildings and about 18,732 feet of land on the southerly side of Adams street, numbered 828, making the southeasterly corner of Milwood street, adjoining an estate of Victoria P. McNally, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	217 36
Ella L. Bowker, one half, and Minnie R. L. Alden, one half—About 686 feet of land on the westerly side of a 35-foot street, making the southwesterly corner of Water street, adjoining an estate of Anna M. Nugent and another (numbered 30 Water street), tax for 1923.....	4 94

Building Trades Unions Co-operative Construction and Housing Council, Inc.—About 4,651 feet of land on the westerly side of a proposed street, leading from the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 11, P. H. Mosher plan, March 23, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4290, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 4,593 feet of land on the westerly side of a proposed street, leading from the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 4,574 feet of land on the westerly side of a proposed street leading from the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,230 feet of land on the northerly side of Boutwell street, adjoining another estate of said Building Trades Unions Co-operative Construction and Housing Council, Inc., being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 3,192 feet of land on the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 3,192 feet of land on the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Curtis H. Burt, Trustee—Buildings and about 14,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Templeton street, numbered 97, 99, 101 and 103, between an estate of Martha McKay and an estate of William E. Bell, tax for 1923.....	494 00
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Thomas G. Bury—About 2,447 feet of land on the easterly side of Ainsley street, being lot 88, and northerly part of lot 87, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Timothy J. Callahan—Buildings and about 3,055 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brook street, numbered 2, between an estate of William S. McGregor and another and an estate of Luke F. Norton, tax for 1923, Frank R. Carroll—Buildings and about 6,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Nixon street, numbered 12, between an estate of Georgina M. Mansfield and an estate of Cornelia Snow, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Paid on account.....	\$123 50
Balance due.....	69 50
Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 5,180 feet of land on the easterly side of Houghton street, numbered 106, making the northeasterly corner of Pope's Hill street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	54 00
Moth assessment for 1923.....	64 22
Also about 3,614 feet of land on the westerly side of Adams street, being lot 9, R. P. Souther plan, October 7, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3354, tax for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	22 23
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Tenean street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Tenean street; northerly by an estate of Annie E. Fay, guardian; easterly by an estate of City of Boston, and southerly by an estate of Delia C. Ford, tax for 1923.....	50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 3,030 feet of land on the easterly side of Guild road, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Guild road; northerly by an estate of George N. Douse; easterly by an estate of Edward H. Wiggin and others, trustees, and southerly by another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923.....	4 86
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the northerly side of Pope's Hill street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Pope's Hill street; westerly by another estate of said Chadwick; northerly by an estate of James H. Goodwin, and easterly by an estate of Joseph Morris, tax for 1923, Harry P. Chadwick (supposed present owner Francis M. Shea)—Also about 3,150 feet of land on the westerly side of Verdon street, adjoining an estate of Annie A. White, being lot 15, Eri Olmstead plan, dated March 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9358, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Cornelius G. Collins—Buildings and about 3,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Samoset street, numbered 48, between an estate of Andrew F.	9 88

Jones and an estate of John A. Hanley, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Annie M. Connelley—About 7,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Coffey street, being a lot shown on E. Warren Hayden plan, December 2, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Richard W. Costello and Mary A. Costello—About 4,315 feet of land on the easterly side of Melbourne street, being lot 44, Henry C. Mildram plan, October 5, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3680, tax for 1923.....	22 23
George W. Cummings—About 3,546 feet of land on the southerly side of Fairview street, being lot 167, F. T. Westcott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	9 88
James G. Curtis—Buildings and about 6,822 feet of land on the northerly side of Dix street, numbered 68, between an estate of Mary L. Kane and an estate of Mary E. Callahan, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Patrick Doherty—About 9,928 feet of land on the southerly side of Wrentham street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Wrentham street; easterly by an estate of Margaret Minton and another; southerly by an estate of John Edwards, and westerly by an estate of Daniel McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Charles H. Donahue—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Centrevale park, numbered 10, between an estate of Cora L. Eddy and an estate of Alfred F. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 81
Thomas F. Donahue—About 4,333 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, being lot 53, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
James Donovan—Buildings and about 29,747 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 374, between an estate of Nettie A. McKeen and an estate of Mary E. Herene, tax for 1923.....	101 27
George N. Douse—About 3,990 feet of land on the southerly side of Whitten street, being lot 60, Philip C. Nash plan, November 30, 1915, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3924, page 206, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 3,990 feet of land on southerly side of Whitten street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 4,064 feet of land on southerly side of Whitten street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76
William J. Emerson—About 112,008 feet of land on the southerly side of Minot street, making the southeasterly corner of Glide street, being a lot shown on F. P. Hall plan, July, 1900, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2700, page 637, tax for 1923.....	165 49
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Elin M. Erickson—Buildings and about 3,812 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Verdun street, numbered 10, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10558, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60
Temple H. Fay and George W. Field—About 4,238 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, being lot 54, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
John A. Finigan Devises—Buildings and about 4,310 feet of land on the northerly side of Roseland street, numbered 4, between an estate of Laura L. Mahan and an estate of Alice M. Maloney, tax for 1923.....	93 86
Katherine Flanagan—About 6,649 feet of land on the northeasterly side of and at end of Clover street, adjoining an estate of Margaret Donelan (numbered 12), tax for 1923.....	14 82
Caroline S. Freeman—Buildings and about 30,021 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Minot street, numbered 110, making the southerly corner of Glide street, an estate of Maria O'Reilly heirs (numbered 114), moth assessment for 1921.....	66
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 11,795 feet of land on the easterly side of Granite avenue, numbered 8, making the southeasterly corner of Marsh street, an estate of Charles A. Dillar, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7236, tax for 1923.....	81 51

Caroline H. Fryer—Buildings and about 13,445 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1707, making southwesterly corner of Centre avenue, adjoining an estate of M. Edith House, tax for 1923.....\$232 18 Paid on account..... 99 50		Registry District of Land Court, cer- tificate number 14250, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Marion McGettrick—About 2,041 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wainwright street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Bessie M. Batchelder (numbered 25), tax for 1923.....	4 94
Balance due..... 132 68		Annie M. Kelley—About 3,281 feet of land on westerly side of Manley street, making the southwesterly corner of Newkirk street, being lot 7, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated October 15, 1908, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3469, page 250, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Mary C. McGrath—About 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, being lot 15, as shown on F. T. Westcott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Leopold G. Greene, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,570 feet of land on the westerly side of Adams street, num- bered 411, making the northwesterly corner of Centre street, adjoining another estate of said Greene, trustee, tax for 1923..... 79 04		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 80	Also about 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also buildings and about 2,470 feet of land on the westerly side of Adams street, numbered 407, between an estate of George Harvey Boles, Incorpo- rated and another estate of Greene, trustee, tax for 1923..... 123 50		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Mary E. McKenna (supposed present owner Guy E. Brazier)—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the south- easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1820 and 1822, making the southerly corner of Edwin street, ad- joining an estate of Kenneth S. DeWitt, tax for 1923.....	209 95
William Halloran—Buildings and about 4,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 451, making the southwesterly corner of Parker terrace, adjoining an estate of Bessie Winestock, tax for 1923,\$185 25 Paid on account..... 140 00		Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Manley street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 82	Malcolm H., one quarter, George B., one quarter, John J. A., one quarter, and Robert P. McLella, one quarter —Buildings and about 9,693 feet of land on the southerly side of Pierce avenue, numbered 97, between an estate of John J. McGrail and an es- tate of John D. Bryant and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Balance due..... 45 25		Also about 2,998 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Manley street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 80	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Merchants Mutual Association, Inc.— About 4,412 feet on the northeasterly side of Myrtlebank avenue, being lot 103, as shown on W. A. Mason & Sons plan, dated October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Winifred and Mary Harper (supposed present owner Julia Glynn)—Build- ings and about 3,029 feet of land on the southerly side of Rosemont road, west, numbered 5, between an estate of Mary A. Lane and an estate of Ida C. Berninger, tax for 1923.....\$172 90 Paid on account..... 90 00		Also about 34,000 feet of land on the easterly side of a proposed street, lead- ing from the northerly side of Mill street (now Victory road), being lot 15, H. C. Mildram plan, April 24, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3360, page 228 tax for 1923.....	49 40	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 28
Balance due..... 82 90		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Methodist Episcopal Church Trustees of —Buildings and about 9,582 feet of land on the southerly side of Parkman street, between an estate of Lawrence Larsen and another and an estate of David F. Doyle and another, moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Mary E. Herene—Buildings and about 4,104 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 342, making the easterly corner of Florida street, adjoining an estate of James Donovan, tax for 1923..... 271 70		Also about 9,274 feet of land on the northerly side of Victory road, mak- ing junction of proposed street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	44 46	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Charles E., one third, Charles H., two ninths, Lyman B., two ninths, and Walter P. Hewins, two ninths (sup- posed present owner Conway Realty Company)—About 9,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Old Colony Rail- road, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the location of the Old Colony Railroad Company; southerly by a tributary of Great creek, easterly by estate of Mary J. Reddy, westerly by an estate of Con- way Realty Company, tax for 1923,	12 35	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Clara H. Mills—Buildings and about 9,323 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carruth street, numbered 22, between an estate of Ellen O'Brien and an estate of Mabel H. Todd, tax or 1923.....	185 25
John F. Hickey—Buildings and about 6,309 feet of land on the westerly side of Bushnell street, numbered 77, be- tween an estate of Agnes F. Sullivan and an estate of Geraldine N. Rush, tax for 1923..... 135 85		Also buildings and about 5,092 feet of land on the easterly side of Frank- lin street, numbered 18, between an estate of Laban Pratt and an estate of Alessandro Balboni and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40	David Milne—About 4,265 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marsh street, being lot 85, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	John A. E. Moroney (supposed present owner John J. Kerrigan and another) —Buildings and about 4,230 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Car- ruth street, numbered 88, making the northerly corner of Codman street, registered in the Suffolk Registry Dis- trict of Land Court, certificate number 14869, tax for 1923.....	172 90
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 3,900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Park street, numbered 40 and 42, making the easterly corner of and numbered 2 Ashland street, adjoining an estate of Bertha Ruth, tax for 1923..... 135 85		Annie M. Kelley—Also about 3,497 feet of land on the easterly side of Free- port street, making the northeasterly corner of Plymouth street, between an estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company and an estate of Hugh Riley, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Free- port street, numbered 331 and 333, making the southwesterly corner of Everdean street, adjoining an estate of Fannie Pitonof, moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Ida M. Hodsdon (supposed present owner Garvey Transportation Compa- ny)—About 22,124 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Freeport street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Walter S. Blanchard heirs or devisees; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston and estate of Joseph Zuracek and another; southeasterly by estate of Emma Sampson, tax for 1923..... 81 51		Also about 3,497 feet of land on the easterly side of Freeport street, making the northeasterly corner of Plymouth street, between an estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company and an estate of Hugh Riley, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 72
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50		Tax for 1923.....	12 35	Clifford M. Mowatt—About 520 feet of land on the northerly side of Radford lane, between an estate of Mary E. Doyle and an estate of Josephine E. Cody, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Rollo Hudson—Buildings and about 4,922 feet of land on the northerly side of Brent street, numbered 66, between an estate of John Tomasello and another and another estate of said Hudson, tax for 1923..... 123 50		Charles J. Kelley—About 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, being lot 16, G. H. Sherman plan, September 20, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8091, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Apportionment of street construc- tion assessment for 1923.....	2 35
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50		Also about 3,095 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, being lot 22, registered in the Suffolk Reg- istry District of Land Court, certificate number 5236, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Jennie R. Muldoon—Buildings and about 9,671 feet of land on the south- westerly side of Everett street, num- bered 1, making the southerly corner of Park street, adjoining an estate of Martha L. Roedel, tax for 1923.....	96 33
Flora R. Hughes—Buildings and about 3,120 feet of land on the easterly side of Clematis street, numbered 6, be- tween an estate of Gertrude T. Baker and an estate of John T. Daley, tax for 1923..... 111 15		Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Mary L. Kane—Buildings and about 4,425 feet of land on the northerly side of Dix street, numbered 72, be- tween an estate of Anthony Novitzky and another and an estate of James G. Curtis, tax for 1923..... 160 55		Mary F. Killian—Buildings and about 12,625 feet of land on the northerly side of Mather street, numbered 19, between an estate of Ann Needham and an estate of Catherine C. Camp- bell and another, tax for 1923, \$98 80 Paid on account..... 49 50		Also buildings and about 11,212 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, numbered 1, making the southerly corner of Park street, adjoining an estate of Margaret M. O'Connor, tax for 1923.....	103 74
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50		Balance due..... 49 30		Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Mary Keenan—About 7,431 feet of land on the southerly side of Milton street, making the southwesterly corner of Adams street, registered in the Suffolk		Karin Larson—About 3,367 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foss road, being lot 2, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Peter J. Mullen—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Myrtlebank avenue, being lot 40, on W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
		James E. and Annie B. Lawler (supposed present owner Harry Lubin)—About 1,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Gustine street, being lot 66, P. T. Wescott plan, dated May, 1912, re- corded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	4 94	John B. Mulvey—Buildings and about 2,775 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm street, numbered 17 and 19, between another estate of said Mulvey and an estate of Massachu- setts Homeopathic Hospital Trustees, tax for 1923.....	98 80

land on the northerly side of Templeton street, making the northeasterly corner of Templeton way, being lot D, on Frank A. Foster plan, November 9, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2570, tax for 1923.....	24 70	estate of Mathew J. Fox; southerly by Templeton street; easterly by an estate of Herman F. Rosche and another, and westerly by an estate of Mary A. Byrnes, tax for 1923.....	14 82
about 4,924 feet of land on the westerly side of Alban street, numbered 110, between an estate of Ida Angel and an estate of Frank G. White, tax for 1923, Catherine Murray—About 1,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Gustin street, being lot 67, on F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3655, page 152, tax for 1923.....	247 00	Annie C. Rommell—Buildings and about 5,320 feet of land on the southerly side of Lonsdale street, numbered 125, making the southwesterly corner of Adams street and numbered 537 and 539, adjoining an estate of Susan A. Hannon, tax for 1923.....	276 64
Catherine Murray (reassessed from Henry S. Moody, Trustee)—About 1,702 feet of land on the westerly side of Gustin street, being lot 68, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	11 46
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Fannie Rosenberg—About 783 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Edwin street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by an estate of Annie Levine; westerly by an estate of Harry P. Azadian; northerly by an estate of Arthur E. Jones, and easterly by an estate of Henry E. Hardwick, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Margaret E. Nichols—About 5,949 feet of land on the southerly side of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Centre street; westerly by an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company; southerly by an estate of Frances P. Farrell and easterly by an estate of Catherine M. Manning and other estates fronting on Samoset street, tax for 1923.....	24 70	David F. and Mary E. Ryan—Buildings and about 4,042 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carruth street, numbered 78, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16524, tax for 1923, Domenico and Flavia Sergi—Buildings and about 9,055 feet of land on the westerly side of Salisbury park, numbered 6, making the northwesterly corner of Park street, adjoining an estate of John J. Daly and another, tax for 1923.....	160 55
Johanna O'Shaughnessy—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Edwin street, numbered 24, making the northeasterly corner of Denver street, adjoining an estate of Benjamin Poole, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Edward, one eighth, Howland, one eighth, Everett, one eighth, Elizabeth, Sharp, one eighth and James E. Sharp heirs or devisees, four eighths—About 18,100 feet of land on the easterly side of Brook street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Matha L. Tolman; easterly by the City of Boston; westerly by Brook street, and southerly by an estate of Alice McMorrow and others, tax for 1923.....	123 50
John J. Printon—About 2,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Tenean street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; southerly by an estate of Edward Hamlin and another; westerly by an estate of the Old Colony Railroad, and easterly by Tenean street, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Charles A. and Mary G. Sheehy—About 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar Grove, being lot 178, William E. Hannan plan, December 21, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4120, tax for 1923.....	4 94
James A. Quigley—About 600 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Park street; westerly by an estate of Bridget Burke; northerly by an estate of Caroline Joski, and easterly by an estate of Rebecca Sprinsky, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Samuel J. Sigel—About 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 26, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
George F. Quimby—Buildings and about 10,916 feet of land on the southerly side of Shenandoah street, numbered 1, making the southwesterly corner of Carruth street, adjoining an estate of Lois M. Manson heirs and others, tax for 1923.....	177 84	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Bernard C. and Margaret Raymond—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Mallet street, numbered 24, between an estate of Ada F. Keith and an estate of Annie J. Cunningham and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10	Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 08
Carolyn F. Richards—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of South Munroe terrace, numbered 20, between an estate of Carrie M. Lord and an estate of Michael Gurnett heirs or devisees and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50	Samuel Simons and Nathan Weiner—Buildings and about 20,483 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1475, 1475A, 1479, 1479A, 1481 and 1483, adjoining an estate of Harris Swartz, Max L. Goldblatt plan, August, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4247, page 483, tax for 1923, \$1,729 00 Paid on account.....	889 78
Balance due.....	9 00	Balance due.....	830 22
Lucy Rober—About 5,399 feet of land on the easterly side of Train street, being lot 52, C. F. Baxter plan, dated November 1, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3485, page 137, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Morris Slotnick—Buildings and about 14,869 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1726, 1726A, 1728, 1728A, 1730, 1730A, 1732, 1732A, 1734 and 1736, making the southwesterly corner of Rosemont road southwest and the easterly corner of Rosemont road southwest, adjoining an estate of Mary E. Weaver, tax for 1923.....	1,175 72
Robert Robinson—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 9, between another estate of said Robinson and an estate of Christina J. Berry, tax for 1923.....	190 19	John D. Smith—About 302 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Neponset avenue, between an estate of Patrick Kelliher and an estate of William N. Hackett, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Mary B. Smith—About 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Lenoxdale avenue, being lot 8, W. A. Mason and Sons plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Anna E. Schaefer—Buildings and about 4,488 feet of land on the southerly side of Mather street, numbered 10, between an estate of Augusta D. Doherty and an estate of John T. Daly, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	John F. and Lawrence E. Villard—Buildings and about 5,154 feet of land on the westerly side of Granville street, numbered 11, between another estate of said Villard and another and an estate of Charles Johnson, Junior, trustee, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Also buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 11, between an estate of Annie J. Cain and another estate of said Robinson, tax for 1923, Martha L. Roedel (supposed present owner Jennie R. Muldoon)—About 6,523 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Everett street, being lot 2, Frederick P. Hall plan, December, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2650, page 209, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 15
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,265 feet of land on the westerly side of Granville street, being lot 3, William E. Hannan plan, September 27, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3076, page 386, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Catherine L. Rogers—About 3,240 feet of land on the northerly side of Templeton street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 34
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Anastasia E. Vogel—Buildings and about 3,120 feet of land on the southerly side of Edwin street, numbered 9, between an estate of Ada F. L. Harvey and an estate of Charles F. Carroll and another, tax for 1923.....	135 85
		Vernon J. Vove—Buildings and about 8,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richview street, numbered 20, between an estate of Francis M. Shea and an estate of Roswell G. Hall, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90
		Paid on account.....	52 49
		Balance due.....	120 41
		William N. Ward and Margaret E. Cram—About 4,625 feet of land on the westerly side of a 20-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by a 30-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place; southerly by an estate of Charles A. Harlan; and westerly by an estate of Christina Adduci and northerly by an estate of Roscoe Eldridge, tax for 1923.....	4 94
		Hannah Watson—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Allendale avenue, being lot 80, W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Ida M. Wentworth—About 3,758 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, being lot 126, F. T. Westcott plan, May, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	12 35
		Mary A. Whelan—Buildings and about 5,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carruth street, numbered 40, making the northerly corner of Minot street, adjoining an estate of Henry L. Urann, moth assessment for 1922.....	50
		Robert P. Williams—About 40,105 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Hill Top street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Old Colony Railroad Company; easterly by Conway Realty Company; southerly by Great creek; westerly by an estate of Markes Angel, moth assessment for 1923.....	4 65
		William Williams—About 1,150 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beaumont street, between an estate of Charles M. Reed (numbered 11) and an estate of Alice O. Jacques (numbered 30 Carruth street), tax for 1922.....	7 41
		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	2 17
		Tax for 1923.....	7 41
		Samuel G. Wood—Buildings and about 42,812 feet of land on the southerly side of Minot street, numbered 30, 32 and 34, between an estate of Henry P. Oakman and an estate of Mary A. Glavin heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$242 06
		Paid on account.....	50 00
		Balance due.....	192 06
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Franklin A. Wyman—About 5,992 feet of land on the westerly side of T-3rd avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Talbot avenue; northerly by an estate of Mary C. Wyman; westerly by an estate of Charlotte Caldwell and others, and southerly by an estate of Mary A. A. Lynch, tax for 1923.....	41 46
		Marcella Zanellato and Joseph Lapinelli—About 3,288 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being a lot shown on E. L. Moulton plan, July 10, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3061, page 114, tax for 1923.....	7 41
		Also about 3,970 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
		Also about 4,336 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88

Also about 4,297 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Also about 4,283 feet of land on the easterly side of Adams street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Adams street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Marcella Zanellato and Joseph Lupinelli (supposed present owner Giuseppe Zanellato) landholders and about 11,107 feet of land on the northerly side of Delmont street, being lots 10, 11 and 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	50
Max Zax—About 3,711 feet of land on the westerly side of Becket street, being lot 6, H. T. Whitman plan, May 8, 1896, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2358, page 174, tax for 1923.....	14 82

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Mary M. Adams—Buildings and about 5,180 feet of land on the northerly side of Callender street, numbered 57 and 57A, between an estate of Isabella Kidd and an estate of Dora Paisner, tax for 1923.....	\$69 16
Abraham Alpert—Buildings and about 3,102 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1282A, 1282B and 1282C, making the northeasterly corner of Evelyn street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Seletzky, tax for 1923.....	234 65
Joseph Atkins—About 3,314 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 11, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 11, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 2,723 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 12, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,138 feet of land on the northerly side of Courtland road, making the junction of Harvard street, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also about 2,666 feet of land on the northerly side of Courtland road, being lot 14, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 3,281 feet of land on the northerly side of Courtland road, being lot 15, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9558, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 3,796 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 3,779 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 3,762 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,608 feet of land on the southerly side of Estella street, making the junction of Harvard street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 4,677 feet of land on the northerly side of Estella street, making the northeasterly corner of Harvard street, being the southerly part of lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Samuel Balder—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wilcock street, numbered 47, between an estate of Jacob Liptzer and an estate of Nathan Bornstein, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	38 14
Sarah Bamel—About 8,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Theodore street, being lots 23 and 24, Frederick P. Hall plan, March, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3546, page 43, tax for 1923.....	64 22
James Barrett—Buildings and about 2,868 feet of land on the easterly side of Oakwood street, numbered 20, between an estate of William Barrett and an estate of Mary E. Goodwin, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakwood street, numbered 39, between an estate of Helen J. McCrackin and an estate of Catherine M. Salter, tax for 1923.....	118 56
Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakwood street, numbered 31 and 33, between an estate of William K.	

Corey and an estate of Helen J. McCrackin, moth assessment for 1921.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	203 01
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 4,271 feet of land on the easterly side of Tucker street, being lot 9, William O. Badger plan, May 2, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1875, page 357, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	65
Also about 4,070 feet of land on the easterly side of Tucker street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Mary A. Barrett—Buildings and about 4,106 feet of land on the northerly side of Callender street, numbered 25 and 27, between two estates of Surpuhie Aznive, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	50
William J. Barry (supposed present owner Abraham Levitch and Nellie Bloom)—Buildings and about 5,381 feet of land on the northerly side of Morton street, numbered 646 and 648, making the easterly corner of Havelock street, adjoining an estate of Sarah Cadiff, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	11 44
David Baskin and Michael Staller—About 3,820 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk street, being lot A, Barney B. Levy plan, June 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3950, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 18
Also about 3,490 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk street, being lot B, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 62
David Baskin—About 1,982 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk street, being lot C, Barney B. Levy plan, June 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 3950, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 78
Also about 1,613 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk street, being lot D, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 77
William J. Bassett—About 6,485 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lorna road, being lots 33 and 34, part lot 35, H. A. Millhouse plan, January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	1 45
Charles H. Belledeu—About 4,622 feet of land on the northerly side of Burt street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by estates of Florence L. Hamblin, Joseph T. Madden and another and Margaret S. Tobey; northeasterly by an estate of Helena T. Shortell; southerly and southwesterly by Burt street and an estate of Francis X. Julien; westerly by an estate of Boston Elevated Street Railway Company, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Tax for 1922.....	22 23
Mothe assessment for 1922.....	87
Nathan Bernstein and David Lerman—About 6,162 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 1, J. F. Connell plan, dated January, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Also about 5,210 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Also about 5,210 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Also about 5,143 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	46 93
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	56 81
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	81 51
Also about 5,402 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Floyd street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	108 68
Mary J. Bowes—Buildings and about 4,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazleton street, numbered 97, between two estates of Albert B. Carey, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55
Paid on account.....	95 88
Balance due.....	64 67
Sahag and Arias Boyvian—About 1,895 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, being lot 35A, Russell H. Whiting plan, December 19, 1919,	

recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4173, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 1,895 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, being lot 35B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Emma E. Brigham, Mortgagee in possession—About 6,462 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 8, H. C. Mildram plan, March 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13886, tax for 1922.....	24 70
Tax for 1923.....	24 70
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	34 45
Also about 6,354 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13886, tax for 1922.....	24 70
Tax for 1923.....	24 70
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	21 77
Also about 4,472 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O 9, Henry C. Mildram plan, March 3, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,558 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O 10, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 9,520 feet of land on the southerly side of Duke street, being lot 46, Ernest W. Bowditch plan, March 1, 1898, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14111, tax for 1922.....	27 17
Also about 3,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Outlook road, being lot A, H. C. Mildram plan, November 5, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3778, page 53, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Harry L. and Theodore W. Buckley—About 4,275 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delhi street, being lot 13, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	95
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 98
Also about 4,275 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Delhi street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	95
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96
Margaret T. Burke—About 3,515 feet of land on the easterly side of Groveland street, being lot 93, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 51
Also about 3,515 feet of land on the easterly side of Groveland street, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	65
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 51
Also about 3,471 feet of land on the easterly side of Manchester street, making the southeasterly corner of Groveland street, being lot 91, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Mothe assessment for 1923.....	65
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 51
Florence M. Cain—Buildings and about 35,280 feet of land on the westerly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Samuel M. Safford; westerly by an estate of Ruth C. Spargo; easterly by the location of a proposed street, tax for 1922.....	29 04
Tax for 1923.....	29 04
Also about 41,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Manchester street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly and southwesterly by another estate of said Cain and the location of Sanford street; easterly by the location of a proposed street, and northerly by Manchester street, tax for 1922.....	37 05
Tax for 1923.....	37 05
William G. and Catherine Carpenter reassessed from Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,602 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rock avenue, between an estate of Clarence W. Albee, numbered 229 Norfolk street, and an estate of Joseph P. Eccleston, numbered 1 Rock avenue, tax for 1923,	12 35

Michael J. and Kate Carroll—About 4,670 feet of land on the southerly side of Golding street, being lot 87, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 00		
Mauritz Caspersen—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Ballou avenue, numbered 160 and 162, between an estate of Lillian F. Levine and an estate of Carl E. Lofgren, tax for 1923.....	113 02		
Paid on account.....	59 78		
Balance due.....	53 84		
Max C. Atfield and Bridget J. Downey—About 2,672 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the northeastern corner of Norfolk street, adjoining an estate of Margaret E. Higgins, numbered 1372 Blue Hill avenue, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 34		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,202 feet of land on the southerly side of Manchester street, being lot 50, George A. Kimball plan, dated October, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 10		
Also about 3,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 15,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Ruggles place, bounded and described as follows: Northwesternly by Ruggles place, northeasternly by estates of Michael J. Flaherty, William J. Kennally and Mary H. O'Brien, easterly by an estate of Catherine Glynn westerly and southwesterly by an estate of William and Catherine Keenan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also buildings and about 9,406 feet of land on the southerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 131, between an estate of William Douse and an estate of Arthur E. Benson and another, tax for 1923.....	143 26		
Also about 6,045 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fuller street, being lot 23, L. Briggs & Co. plan, May 21, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1679, page 186, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,872 feet of land on the westerly side of Violet street, making the southwesterly corner of French street, being lot 151, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 3,384 feet of land on the easterly side of Ferndale street, being lot 26, Henry C. Mildram plan, March 28, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3275, page 26, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 5,792 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crossman street, being lot 9, William O. Badger plan, September 26, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2087, page 246, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45		
Also about 3,674 feet of land on the southerly side of Glenmore street, being lot 96, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 3,655 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 25, William E. Hannan plan, July 28, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4017, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,766 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,842 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,010 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,085 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,198 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ormond street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,711 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,119 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 2,025 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, being the westerly part of lot 39, B. L. Moulton plan, March 31, 1908, re-			
corded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3305, page 582, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 5,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hosmer street, being lot 67, W. I. Mather plan, January, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3104, page 466, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Fremont Chase—About 3,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 98, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, at end, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 2,582 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Ray Chertok—Buildings and about 3,157 feet of land on the northerly side of Torrey street, numbered 77, between an estate of Edna N. Pope and another and another estate of said Chertok, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Also buildings and about 2,516 feet of land on the easterly side of Wentworth street, numbered 42, making the northeasterly corner of Torrey street, adjoining another estate of said Chertok, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Also buildings and about 2,770 feet of land on the easterly side of Wentworth street, numbered 40, between another estate of said Chertok and an estate of Kate A. Harris, tax for 1923.....	150 67		
Linis C. Coggan—About 5,065 feet of land on the westerly side of Bernard street, between an estate of Moses Richmond and an estate of Marion Smith, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Barnet Cohen—About 2,719 feet of land on the northerly side of Estrella street, being the easterly part of lot 22, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 11, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3948, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Harriet F. Cole—Buildings and about 10,222 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 209, between an estate of Percy G. Bolster and an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	23 71		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Jeanette M. Coleman and Ruth C. Stewart—About 5,623 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Nelson street, between an estate of William E. Burns and an estate of Mary E. Harrington, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Eva M. Collins—About 5,704 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Astoria street, being lot 20, Charles F. Baxter plan, July 26, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2314, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Dennis H. Collins—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Nelson street, between an estate of Michael J. Raftus and another and an estate of Michael J. Doyle and another, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Martha L. Constable—About 2,025 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington street, extending through to Avandale place, being a lot shown on Fred P. Hall plan, December, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2572, page 295, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Louis A. Cook—About 4,984 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 141, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 143, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 144, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 5,126 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 145, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 5,159 feet of land on the northeasterly side of French street, being lot 146, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the northeasterly side of French street being lot 147, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the northeasterly side of French street, being lot 148, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 5,175 feet of land on the northeasterly side of French street, being lot 149, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,793 feet of land on the northeasterly side of French street, being lot 150, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Emily D. Cox—About 4,526 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 91, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 73		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,783 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 73		
Also about 4,813 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 73		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,843 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,873 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 95, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,903 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,933 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 97, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Lillie M. Cruickshank—Buildings and about 4,327 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Carlos street, numbered 1, between an estate of Nellie J. Taylor and an estate of Louis Lipsky, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Catherine Curley—Buildings and about 9,234 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 1284, making the southerly corner of Evelyn street, adjoining another estate of said Curley, moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Walter and Catherine E. Curley—About 7,607 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot D. C. B. Humphrey plan, August 1, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16032, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Patrick Doherty—About 5,778 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being lot 208, William O. Badger plan, June 1, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2097, page 35, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 39		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 5,137 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones construction being lot 209, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 39		
Also about 4,496 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being lot 210, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 39		
Also about 4,292 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being lot 211, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 83		

Also about 5,705 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jones avenue, being the northeasterly part of lot 212, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	30 74				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50				
Patrick Donahoe—About 3,509 feet of land on the easterly side of Groveland street, being lot 7, George A. Kimball plan, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Mary E., Alice M. and John J. Donnelly—About 30,077 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Canterbury street, between an estate of Mary E. Brady devisees and an estate of Mary L. McDonald, tax for 1923.....	74 10				
Also about 5,150 feet of land on the northerly side of Churchill place, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Carrie J. Draper; easterly and northeasterly by an estate of Agnes L. Dodge; southerly by Churchill place and westerly and southwesterly by an estate of Annie J. Reed, tax for 1922.....	12 35				
Catherine Elms (set off to John A. E. Moroney)—Buildings and about 10,390 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 451, between another estate of said Elms and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1922.....	96 33				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	36 70				
Michael Fallon—About 2,856 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Mellich road, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Old Colony System); westerly by sundry estates on Mellich road, and northeasterly by Mellich road, tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Tax for 1922.....	2 47				
John Faust, T. T.—About 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 70, John H. Rice plan, August 14, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2232, page 55, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 13				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 90				
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 13				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 90				
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 13				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 90				
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 74, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 13				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 90				
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 75, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 13				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 90				
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 76, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 13				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 90				
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 77, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 13				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 90				
Also about 4,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 78, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 13				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 90				
Also about 4,643 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 79, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 13				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 90				
David Feldman—Buildings and about 6,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 24, between another estate of said Feldman and an estate of Bessie Feldman, tax for 1923.....	380 38				
Paid on account.....	200 00				
Balance due.....	180 38				
Leone A. Field—Buildings and about 13,707 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, numbered 459, between an estate of Edith T. Baker and an estate of George E. Glover, tax for 1923.....	108 68				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50				
Abraham Finn—About 5,300 feet of land on the easterly side of Lucerne street, between an estate of Abraham Sisinovich and an estate of Rose Bellou and another, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 04				
Joe Fishelstein—About 3,755 feet of land on the southerly side of Burt street, being lot 17, T. J. McCarthy plan, March 26, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3643, page 9, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Also about 4,012 feet of land on the southerly side of Burt street, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
William H. Fitzpatrick Heirs—About 7,325 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crest avenue, being lot 101, Whitman and Breck plan, September, 1881, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1540, tax for 1921.....	12 35				
Moth assessment for 1921.....	1 30				
Tax for 1922.....	12 35				
Moth assessment for 1922.....	87				
Tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50				
Thomas E. and Margaret A. Flanagan—About 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 4, H. C. Mildram plan, May 2, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14269, tax for 1923.....	7 41				
Everett A. Flynn—About 6,346 feet of land on the northerly side of Jones avenue, being lot E, on a plan not named and not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1631, page 113, tax for 1923.....	24 70				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 25				
John R. Forgie—About 9,303 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stratton street, between an estate of Maximilian Kaiser (numbered 27 and 29) and an estate of Louis Green (numbered 37), apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	15 62				
James J. and Mary Freaney—Buildings and about 4,091 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Edson street, numbered 72, between an estate of Thomas Tobin and another and an estate of Catherine Lucas, tax for 1923.....	198 08				
Alfred D. Freeman—About 285 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, being a lot shown on J. S. Crossman plan, dated August, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4050, page 23, tax for 1922.....	2 47				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	94				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	1 43				
Tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	91				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	1 38				
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 2,775 feet of land on the southerly side of Talbot avenue, numbered 291, making the southwest corner of Whitfield street, adjoining an estate of Wilsey Savings Bank, tax for 1923.....	165 49				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 34				
Also buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Rockwell street, numbered 35, between an estate of Agnes I. Quirk and another and an estate of Fannie T. Harkness, tax for 1923.....	148 20				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50				
Also buildings and about 5,065 feet of land on the northerly side of Duke street, numbered 19, adjoining an estate of Robert O. Brittain, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13907, tax for 1923.....	185 25				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50				
Samuel Gerrish—About 4,066 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 41, William E. Hannan plan, July 19, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 482, tax for 1923.....	17 29				
Also about 4,050 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilbert road, being the westerly part of lot 28 and the easterly part of lot 29, H. A. Millhouse plan, June 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 347, tax for 1923.....	17 29				
Francis Goldin—Buildings and about 4,862 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot 4, Whitman and Howard plan, May 12, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4314, page 92, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 38				
Also about 5,122 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 38				
Also about 5,455 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 38				
Also about 5,858 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	36 39				
John J. Good Heirs—About 4,582 feet of land on the easterly side of Ogden street, being lot 7, H. T. Whitman plan, dated December, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2308, page 385, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 61				
Also about 4,891 feet of land on the southerly side of Wilmington avenue, making the junction of Ogden street, being lot 13, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 01				
Morris Goren—Buildings and about 4,547 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lucerne street, numbered 124, between an estate of Doah Postar and an estate of Abram Rubin and another, tax for 1923.....	202 54				
John J. Grant, Trustee—About 2,675 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, being lot B, S. L. Leftovith plan, May 2, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4369, page 258, tax for 1923.....	7 41				
Also about 4,700 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 04				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 00				
Hyman Green—About 6,665 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hazleton street, being lot D, S. L. Leftovith plan, November 8, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4414, page 394, tax for 1923.....	24 70				
Also about 6,616 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hazleton street, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50				
Also about 6,840 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hazleton street, being lot H, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50				
Also about 6,787 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hazleton street, being lot J, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70				
Jacob L. and Pauline Green—Buildings and about 2,963 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 420 and 422, between another estate of said Green and another and an estate of Sarah T. Halpert, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 19				
Margaret M. and John A. Gregor—About 5,867 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and northwesterly by West Selden street; northeasterly by an estate of William T. Buller and another trustees, and southwesterly by an estate of Margaret A. Maybury, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	6 53				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45				

Isidore Guttel—Buildings and about 3,602 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brookview street, making the southerly corner of Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Corch, north, tax for 1923.....	\$177 84	
Paid on account.....	100 00	
Balance due.....	77 84	
Charles E. Hall—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Chipman street, numbered 19, between an estate of Mary E. Donovan and others and an estate of John Porter, tax for 1923.....	\$66 69	
Paid on account.....	22 59	
Balance due.....	44 10	
Hamacom Construction Company—About 4,973 feet of land on the easterly side of West Selden street, being a lot shown on John H. Burroughs plan, April 14, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3908, page 263, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
William Hardy—About 2,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 9, H. A. Millhouse plan, January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,683 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,676 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50	
Also about 2,686 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Anna M. Harvey—Buildings and about 6,120 feet of land on the westerly side of Whitman street, numbered 13, between an estate of George R. Murdock and an estate of John P. Barker, tax for 1923.....	123 50	
Henry T. and Abbott L. Hatch—About 3,876 feet of land on the westerly side of Violet street, being lot 152, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	98	
Ada T. Hayden—About 9,198 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 114, Whitman and Breck plan, dated September, 1881, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1540, tax for 1922.....	12 35	
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 3,021 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 115, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 3,761 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 116, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 4,501 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 117, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 5,241 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 118, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 5,982 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 119, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 9,424 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 124, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 5,241 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 125, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 4,501 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 126, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 3,761 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 127, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 3,021 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Vose street, being lot 128, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Edward Herman—About 10,470 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the southeasterly corner of Wilmore street, being lot B, S. L. Leftovich plan, dated July 5, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4380, page 281, tax for 1923.....	103 74	
Celia Herman—Buildings and about 5,420 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Angell street, numbered 26, between an estate of Rose Sigilman and an estate of Lazarus Davis, tax for 1923.....	234 65	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Clarence E. Hill—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Theodore street, being lot 35, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated March, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3546, page 43, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Ida M. Hodadon—Buildings and about 6,676 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 78, between an estate of Alice J. Anderson and an estate of John J. Delay, tax for 1923.....	83 98	
Also buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Edson street, numbered 52, between an estate of Max Shepard and an estate of Jennie Naiserseg, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Wellington, John B. and Grace Holbrook, Trustees—About 4,371 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 99, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923,.....	9 88	
Also about 4,138 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 101, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 3,954 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 103, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 4,122 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 105, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 3,919 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 106, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 107, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 108, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 109, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 110, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 31, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 2, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 32, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 33, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 34, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, being lot 35, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 4,996 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Westmore road, making the northerly corner of Hazelton street, being lot 36, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 4,012 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hazelton street, being lot 37, Henry C. Mildram plan, February 8, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 5,547 feet of land on the northerly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 42, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 3,863 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 41, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 4,273 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 40, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 4,203 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 39, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 3,837 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hillsboro road, being lot 38, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8201, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 3,890 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 66, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 4,052 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 67, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 4,090 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 68, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 4,238 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 69, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 1,364 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 70, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 4,455 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 71, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 4,467 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 72, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 4,601 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 73, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 4,427 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westmore road, being lot 74, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 3,723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot G, block R, Henry C. Mildram plan, October 5, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.....	4 94	

Also about 3,780 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goodale road, being lot C, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15116, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 8,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ormond street, extending through to Blue Hill avenue, being lots 9 and 10, Ernest W. Bowditch plan, March 1, 1898, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....

27 17
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Moth assessment for 1923.....

Also about 4,050 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot H, block Q, Henry C. Mildram plan, October 5, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

3 32

Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot I, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot J, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot K, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot L, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot M, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot N, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8596, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 3,240 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goodale road, being lot O, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15882, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 4,368 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O8, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Also about 4,312 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Also about 80,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Byers road, being lot V, assessed as lots 201-217, inclusive, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....

98 89
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Moth assessment for 1923.....

Also about 5,066 feet of land on the westerly side of Byers road, making the northwesterly corner of Hillsboro road, being lot N, Henry C. Mildram plan, February 3, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Also about 4,196 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Byers road, being lot N2, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also about 4,325 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Byers road, being lot N3, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, being lot T4, Henry C. Mildram plan, March 9, 1918, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15768, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, being lot T6, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15768, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also about 4,611 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, making the westerly corner of a passageway, being lot T7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15768, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also about 43,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Byers road, making the southerly corner of Outlook road, being lots 177 to 184, Henry C. Mildram plan, November 15, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1494, tax for 1923,.....

44 46

Dora Hootstein—Buildings and about 6,677 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Angell street, numbered 50, between an estate of Samuel Goldman and an estate of Mary Zisman, tax for 1923.....

160 55

Moth assessment for 1923.....

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Nellie F. Howard—Buildings and about 4,812 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 20 and 30, between an estate of Tarrant P. King and the location of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.....

140 79

Charles H. and William D. Humphrey—Buildings and about 6,127 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond street, numbered 84, between two other estates of Albert K. Teele and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....

74 10

Paid on account.....

40 64

Balance due.....

33 46

International Trust Company, Mortgage in Possession—About 4,444 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wellington Hill street, being lot 40A, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16578, moth assessment for 1923.....

50

Louis J. Jaffee—About 7,041 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Groveland street, being lot 49, R. B. Bellamy plan, dated March, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3890, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Julia T. Joyce—Buildings and about 3,194 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 339, making the westerly corner of Masoot street, adjoining an estate of Solomon Sacks, tax for 1923.....

128 44

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

17 38

Rosie Kastel—Buildings and about 5,550 feet of land on the northerly side of Callender street, numbered 109, between an estate of Rebecca W. Tessin and another estate of said Kastel, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15262, tax for 1923, \$298 87

148 87

Paid on account.....

150 00

Balance due.....

151 34

Also buildings and about 5,750 feet of land on the northerly side of Callender street, numbered 111, making the northeasterly corner of Lyford street, adjoining another estate of said Kastel, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15262, tax for 1923.....

25 77

Paid on account.....

11 28

Balance due.....

172 90

Lena Kaufman—Buildings and about 3,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wildwood street, numbered 80, between an estate of Samuel Silverstein and another and an estate of Harry Marcus and others, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Margaret Kehoe—About 4,809 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Patrick O'Hearn; southwesterly by another estate of said Kehoe, and northwesterly by West Selden street, tax for 1922.....

9 88

Also about 4,835 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, bounded and described as fol-

lows: Northeasterly by another estate of said Kehoe; southwesterly by an estate of Ellen E. Eichorn, and northwesterly by West Selden street, tax for 1922.....

9 88

Tax for 1923.....

9 88

Charles J. Kelley—About 2,022 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, being the westerly part of lot 40, E. L. Moulton plan, March 31, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3305, page 582, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also about 4,897 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, being lot 15, W. O. Badger plan, September 20, 1886, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1744, page 338, tax for 1923.....

12 35

Moth assessment for 1923.....

50

Also about 6,570 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....

17 29

Also about 5,490 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....

19 76

Also about 4,436 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, adjoining an estate of Esther F. Seletzky, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9/45, tax for 1923.....

22 23

Annie M. Kelley—About 3,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Groveland street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1921.....

9 88

Also about 6,230 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Selden street, between another estate of said Kelley and an estate of Mary E. Harrington, numbered 82 Nelson street, tax for 1923.....

14 82

Also about 6,584 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crossman street, being lot 64, John H. Rice plan, April 2, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2195, page 334, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

8 74

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....

15 27

Moth assessment for 1923.....

95

Also about 7,232 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crossman street, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

16 77

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....

10 24

Moth assessment for 1923.....

95

Also about 4,711 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 104, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also about 4,726 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 105, same plan, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Moth assessment for 1923.....

95

Also about 6,461 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Selden street, between another estate of said Kelley and an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....

17 29

Also about 115,723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, between an estate of Isaac Dantowitz, numbered 808, and an estate of Israel Goldstein, numbered 782, tax for 1923.....

286 52

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

93 53

Moth assessment for 1923.....

85

Walter H. Kelley—About 2,500 feet of land lying in the rear of from the northwesterly side of Woodrow avenue, being the northerly part of lot 53, Whitman and Breck plan, dated July, 1885, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1693, page 178, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Moth assessment.....

50

James W. Kenney and Michael H. Curley—About 9,843 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wildwood street, being lot 6, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, July 22, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2376, page 596, tax for 1923.....

29 64

Moth assessment for 1923.....

85

Also about 9,873 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wildwood street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....

29 64

Also about 19,614 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wildwood street, being lots 7 and 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....

59 28

Moth assessment for 1923.....

65

Theodore C. Knott—About 1,764 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glenhill road, being lot 166, H. A. Millhouse plan, January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.....

2 47

Also about 1,775 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glenhill road, being lot 165, same plan, tax for 1923.....

2 47

Moth assessment for 1923.....

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Also about 1,786 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glenhill road, being lot 164, same plan, tax for 1923.	2 47	southerly side of Mora street, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35	John A. Moroney—Buildings and about 10,390 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 451, between an estate of David L. Schoolman and an estate of Catherine Elms, tax for 1923.	96 33
Lora Kovinsky—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Wilcock street, numbered 23 and 25, between an estate of Theresa R. Frank and an estate of Harry Erick, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1102, tax for 1923.	185 25	Also about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Mora street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	35 82
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	38 14	Also about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Mora street, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35	Moth assessment for 1923.	50
Mary Landers—About 3,521 feet of land on the northwesterly side of West Selden street, being the northwesterly part of lot 3, William O. Badger plan, September 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2087, page 246, tax for 1922.	9 88	Also about 4,250 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.	1 91	John J. Mullen—About 5,297 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, being the southeasterly part of lot 6, William O. Badger plan, September 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2087, page 246, tax for 1922.	12 35
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.	7 46	Moth assessment for 1923.	50	Moth assessment for 1922.	85
Moth assessment for 1922.	50	Also about 4,250 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94	Tax for 1923.	12 35
Tax for 1923.	9 88	Also about 4,250 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.	1 91	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.	7 07
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.	7 06	Also about 4,247 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923.	1 91	Moth assessment for 1923.	50
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	Also about 4,390 feet of land on the northerly side of Fuller street, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923.	4 94	About 3,331 feet of land on the easterly side of West Selden street, being the northeasterly part of lot 7, same plan, tax for 1922.	7 41
Also about 3,524 feet of land on the northwesterly side of West Selden street, being the northwesterly part of lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922.	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.	50	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.	7 48
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.	7 36	Bessie Levenson—Buildings and about 2,630 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woolson street, numbered 14, making the northerly corner of Leslie street, adjoining an estate of Philip Siegel, tax for 1923.	145 73	Moth assessment for 1922.	7 11
Moth assessment for 1922.	50	Etta Levenson and Dora Greenburg—Buildings and about 3,550 feet of land on the southerly side of Johnston road, numbered 66, between an estate of Annie Bell and an estate of Annie Packer, tax for 1923.	195 13	Tax for 1923.	7 07
Tax for 1923.	9 88	Elizabeth G. Lynds—Buildings and about 5,079 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 106, adjoining an estate of Annie Small, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11503, tax for 1923.	123 50	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.	7 07
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.	6 96	Moth assessment for 1923.	50	Moth assessment for 1923.	50
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	George W. Macauley—About 3,536 feet of land on the southerly side of Norfolk street, between another estate of said Macauley and an estate of City of Boston, moth assessment for 1922.	50	Lora C. Merrill—About 3,571 feet of land on the easterly side of Wentworth street, being lot 10, Burdon Gaylord plan, June 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2464, page 337, tax for 1923.	12 35
Also about 5,104 feet of land on the southeasterly side of West Selden street, being lot 100, William O. Badger plan, May 20, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2154, page 104, tax for 1923.	12 35	Gustave Mahler—Buildings and about 4,115 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Morton street, numbered 619, making the westerly corner of Courtland road, adjoining an estate of David Rice, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7920, tax for 1923.	205 01	Also about 4,910 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.	17 29
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.	6 34	Moth assessment for 1923.	50	Also about 3,739 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.	17 29
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	George W. Macauley—About 3,536 feet of land on the southerly side of Norfolk street, between another estate of said Macauley and an estate of City of Boston, moth assessment for 1922.	50	Also about 3,739 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, making the southwesterly corner of a proposed terrace, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.	22 23
Also about 4,556 feet of land on the northwesterly side of French street, making the easterly corner of Delbi street, being lot 53, John H. Rice plan, dated 1895, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.	7 41	Dennis F. Mahoney—About 4,795 feet of land on the southerly side of Calender street, making the southeasterly corner of Lauriat street, being lot 7, Charles F. Baxter plan, August 1, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2294, tax for 1923.	24 70	Also about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	8 00	Margaret A. McCarthy—About 2,100 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Fuller street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said McCarthy (numbered 77 Fuller street), tax for 1922.	1 91	Also about 3,272 feet of land on the southerly side of Clarence terrace, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.	14 82
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	Ronald A. and Catherine J. McCormack—Buildings and about 6,005 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Astoria street, numbered 75, between an estate of Harriet S. Withington heirs or devisees and an estate of Margaret E. Morse, tax for 1923, \$86 45 Paid on account.	75 00	Also about 3,272 feet of land on the southerly side of Clarence terrace, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.	14 82
Also about 3,978 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Crossman street, making the northerly corner of West Selden street, being the westerly part of lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88	Balance due.	11 45	Also about 3,921 feet of land on the southerly side of Clarence terrace, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.	14 82
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.	16 85	Frank C. McInerney—About 2,289 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Theodore street, being lot 17, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated March, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3546, page 43, tax for 1923.	7 41	Also about 3,693 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.	14 82
Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.	9 96	Samuel Miller—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Don street, numbered 11, between an estate of Harriet G. Keen and an estate of Agnes J. Swan, tax for 1923.	\$11 15	Also about 5,025 feet of land on the northerly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923.	19 76
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	9 23	Paid on account.	84 10	Also about 3,085 feet of land on the southerly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35
Moth assessment for 1923.	95	Balance due.	27 05	Also about 2,371 feet of land on the southerly side of a proposed terrace, leading from the westerly side of Wentworth street, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.	9 88
William R. Landers—About 5,023 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Leslie street, being lot B, M. L. Goldblatt plan, dated November, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3996, page 408, tax for 1923.	12 35	Also buildings and about 3,300 feet of land on the easterly side of Lucerne street, numbered 92, between an estate of Sarah Shuber and an estate of Annie Perlmuter, tax for 1923.	190 19	Hadley Newman—Buildings and about 2,824 feet of land on the northerly side of Fremont street, numbered 12, making the northeasterly corner of a proposed street, adjoining an estate of Frances M. Cosgrove, tax for 1923.	98 80
Also about 3,151 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Leslie street, being lot 3, H. A. Sherman plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3956, page 10, tax for 1923.	7 41	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	22 44	Nellie V. O'Leary—About 1,869 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the southeasterly corner of Norfolk street, between another estate of said O'Leary and an estate of Martin L. Cate, tax for 1923.	22 23
Also about 3,151 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Leslie street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	Sarah Miller—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Hansborough street, numbered 11, between an estate of Morris Miller and an estate of Rebecca Saperstein, tax for 1923.	\$202 34	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.	12 71
Moth assessment for 1923.	50	Paid on account.	87 89		
Also about 3,171 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Leslie street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.	7 41	Balance due.	114 65		
Moth assessment for 1923.	50				
Ellen C. Larson—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Bailey street, numbered 37, between an estate of Ellen J. Collins and an estate of William R. Crump, tax for 1923.	\$148 20				
Paid on account.	99 50				
Balance due.	18 70				
Samuel Lebowich—About 3,848 feet of land on the southerly side of Mora street, being lot 20, Charles F. Baxter plan, October 5, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2231, tax for 1923.	12 35				
Also about 3,756 feet of land on the southerly side of Mora street, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.	12 35				
Also about 3,750 feet of land on the					

Samuel Smorack and Samuel Poverman—About 1,032 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodrow avenue, between an estate of Joseph Lasoff and an estate of Georgia N. Mayberry, tax for 1923.....	1 91	
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50	
Lena Snerson—Buildings and about 3,969 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woolson street, numbered 74, making the easterly corner of Verrill street, adjoining an estate of Samuel I. White, tax for 1923.....	197	60
Ida Snyder—Buildings and about 3,443 feet of land on the northerly side of Arbutus street, numbered 14, between an estate of Ida Berkowitz and an estate of Jacob Beecof, tax for 1923.....	180	31
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50	
Harry H. Spevack—Buildings and about 3,483 feet of land on the southwest side of Morton street, numbered 797, between an estate of Hyman Douglas and an estate of Fannie Roffman, tax for 1923.....	185	25
Louis H. Steinberg and Harry Snider—About 5,379 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 38, William E. Hannan plan, July 19, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 482, tax for 1923.....	7	41
Also about 6,801 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9	88
Also about 6,118 feet of land on the easterly side of Ormond street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9	88
Joseph W. Stern and Abraham Kutnick—Buildings and about 6,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Norfolk street, numbered 155, 157 and 159, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 8, 10 and 12 Milton avenue, adjoining an estate of Emilio M. Bianca, tax for 1923.....	395	20
Dora Sternberg—Buildings and about 4,344 feet of land on the southwest side of Woolson street, numbered 49, between an estate of Thomas E. P. Rice and an estate of Fannie Bocholtz, tax for 1923.....	185	25
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50	
Peter Theophilopoulos—About 5,431 feet of land on the southeasterly corner of Westmore road, making the southerly corner of Deering road, being lot 75, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7726, tax for 1923.....	17	29
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13	96
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50	
C. Adele Tibbetts—About 21,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lots 79 to 84, Henry C. Mildram plan, May 2, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14434, tax for 1923.....	41	99
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	33	72
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65	
Also about 3,816 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 86, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14434, tax for 1923.....	9	88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5	62
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 17,280 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lots 88 to 91, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14434, tax for 1923.....	34	58
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	22	48
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65	
Joseph T. and Alice J. Treloar—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lanark road, being lots 226 and 227, H. A. Millhouse plan, January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.....	4	94
Nathan Ullian—Buildings and about 4,167 feet of land on the easterly side of Ferndale street, numbered 7 and 9, between an estate of Bella Cohen and an estate of David Yarchin and another, tax for 1923.....	165	49
Also buildings and about 3,948 feet of land on the easterly side of Ferndale street, numbered 23 and 25, between an estate of Ethel Kaezer and another and an estate of Abraham I. Rudnick, tax for 1923.....	165	49
Esther Volin—Buildings and about 4,759 feet of land on the southwest side of Stratton street, numbered 65, be-		
tween an estate of Harris Gertlin and an estate of Isaac Schneider and another, tax for 1923.....	\$160	55
Paid on account.....	85	04
Balance due.....	75	51
May Walters—About 13,829 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, October 11, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2090, page 106, tax for 1923.....	19	76
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	26	27
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95	
Andrew J. Ward—About 20,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Balsam street, making the northeasterly corner of Ashton street, extending to and making the southeasterly corner of Arbutus street, adjoining an estate of Hyman Cohen, moith assessment for 1922.....	66	
Also about 4,867 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Callender street, being lot 5, J. F. Connell plan, January 16, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3515, page 510, tax for 1922.....	24	70
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	28	30
Moith assessment for 1922.....	66	
Also about 58,500 feet of land on the southwest side of Floyd street, extending to and making the junction of Callender street, adjoining an estate of Max S. Ourieff, moith assessment for 1922.....	66	
David B. Weinstein and Rose Stein—Buildings and about 3,821 feet of land on the southwest side of Mascot street, numbered 45, between an estate of Annie Barry and an estate of Leonide Rivard and another, tax for 1923.....	\$74	10
Paid on account.....	50	00
Balance due.....	24	10
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50	
Augusta I. Weisberg—About 9,508 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Callender street, being lots 1 to 3, inclusive, S. L. Leftovith plan, October 27, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4326, page 279, tax for 1923.....	106	21
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	26	75
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65	
Morris White—Buildings and about 4,018 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Norfolk street, numbered 376, making the southerly corner of a proposed street, adjoining an estate of Bartholomew J. Connolly, tax for 1923.....	93	86
Willey Savings Bank—Buildings and about 2,404 feet of land on the southwest side of Talbot avenue, numbered 287, between an estate of Edna Adamson and an estate of Clara B. French, tax for 1922.....	167	96
Tax for 1923.....	167	96
William Williams—About 5,565 feet of land on the westerly side of Groveland street, being lot 40, George A. Kimball plan dated, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	12	35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9	86
Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 8,844 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, making the northwesterly corner of Mora street, adjoining an estate of Delia A. Kavanaugh, tax for 1923.....	437	19
Also buildings and about 5,801 feet of land on the southwest side of Evelyn street, numbered 55, between an estate of Silvio Vitale and an estate of Maria G. Fitzgerald, tax for 1923, Moith assessment for 1923.....	118	56
Joseph J. W. F. Wilson—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the easterly side of Corbet street, being the westerly part of lot 27, shown on assessors' plan, volume 9, page 280, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2	47
Tax for 1923.....	2	47
Mamie Woldman—About 1,872 feet of land on the westerly side of Ballou avenue, being the northerly part of lot 141, William O. Badger plan, June 1, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2097, page 35, tax for 1921.....	9	88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	5	70
Tax for 1922.....	9	88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	5	52
Tax for 1923.....	9	88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	5	34
William Wood—Buildings and about 10,743 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 2269, 2269A, 2271, 2273 and 2275, making the southwest corner of and numbered 1 Adirondack place, adjoining an estate of Frederick W. Archer, tax for 1923.....	471	77
Also buildings and about 14,996 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 2275, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Adeline Smith, tax for 1923.....	86	45
George H. Wood—About 4,776 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 106, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1923.....	9	88
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95	
Garabed Yerganian and Sarkis Krikorian—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 48 and 50, between another estate of said Yerganian and another and an estate of Louis Berman, tax for 1923.....	148	20
Also buildings and about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Johnson terrace, numbered 10 and 12, between another estate of said Yerganian and another and an estate of Hans M. Hansen and another, tax for 1923.....	135	85
Also buildings and about 3,595 feet of land on the westerly side of Johnson terrace, numbered 14 and 16, between another estate of said Yerganian and another and an estate of Frederick T. Jenness, tax for 1923.....	140	79
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William M. Ambler—Buildings and about 5,160 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Prince street, numbered 55, between an estate of Ansel Craft and an estate of Helen E. Buckley, tax for 1923.....	\$185	25
Bertha E. Arseno—Buildings and about 9,825 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, numbered 656, 658, 658A, 660 and 660A, making the southeasterly corner of Starr lane, adjoining an estate of William F. Fallon, tax for 1923.....	1,538	81
Agnes Bagley—About 4,505 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marmion street, adjoining an estate of Charles A. Getz, being lot 36, W. C. Bates plan, January 1, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17	29
Charles A. Belford—About 2,450 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Washington street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Thomas F. Ward; easterly by an estate of Annie E. Kenney and another; southerly by an estate of Israel Brannan and westerly by an estate of Margaret Green, tax for 1922.....	14	82
Tax for 1923.....	14	82
George N. Benoit—Buildings and about 8,623 feet of land on the westerly side of Everett street, numbered 7, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Grati A. Thurston and another, tax for 1923.....	\$175	37
Paid on account.....	100	00
Balance due.....	75	37
James H. Brennan—About 4,175 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachuset street, making the easterly corner of Rodman street, adjoining an estate of Alice A. Kiander, being a lot shown on Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, September 9, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2398, page 328, tax for 1923.....	24	70
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19	87
Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,720 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mosgrove avenue, adjoining another estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot 2, William E. Hannan plan, dated April 10, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 176, tax for 1921.....	9	88
Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 7, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1923.....	12	35
Also about 5,892 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14	82

Also about 2,945 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodlawn street, adjoining an estate of Annie M. Hannon, being lot 170, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2174, page 164, tax for 1923.....	24 70				
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 3,720 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mosgrove avenue, adjoining an estate of Blue Hill Realty Company, Inc., being lot 2, the William E. Hannon plan, April 10, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3974, page 176, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Also about 5,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Carolina place, between an estate of James Doonan and an estate of Annie E. Craffey and others, being lot 7, Garbett and Wood plan, October 27, 1884, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1658, page 6, tax for 1923.....	27 17				
Also about 6,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Patten street, making the easterly corner of Wachusett street, adjoining another estate of Mabel E. Chadwick, being lot 1, W. C. Bates plan, April 10, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2922, page 499, tax for 1923.....	37 05				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 77				
Also about 3,870 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76				
Apportionment for street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 74				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	26 31				
Stanley Chmiell—Buildings and about 4,675 feet of land on the westerly side of Lee street, numbered 17 and 19, between an estate of Mary T. Ward and an estate of Minnie G. Cruft, tax for 1923.....	71 63				
John E. Chute—About 4,400 feet of land on the northerly side of St. Rose street, adjoining the estate of Dawson Johnson, being lot 17, Edmund K. Brown plan, April 13, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2892, tax for 1922.....	17 29				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	16 06				
Tax for 1923.....	17 29				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 53				
Elizabeth S. Clark—About 2,850 feet of land on the southerly side of Parley Vale street, adjoining an estate of Ida L. Mosely, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, April 1, 1904, on file in the assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	27 17				
Edward M. and Nora J. Croak—Buildings and about 4,630 feet of land on the westerly side of Rockview street, numbered 15, between an estate of Catherine Hanna and an estate of Jennie E. Corbels and others, tax for 1923.....	83 98				
Daniel Cronin (reassessed from Catherine J. Rowen and Edward Duffy)—Buildings and about 4,615 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 311, making the westerly corner of Marlow terrace, adjoining an estate of Alice E. Buff, tax for 1923.....	133 38				
Catherine Donlon—Buildings and about 6,630 feet of land on the easterly side of Franklin place, numbered 11 and 12, between an estate of Giacomo Bernazzani and an estate of Margaret Haskins and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70				
George H. Dornhofer—About 3,522 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Jamaica street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Mary E. Rock, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Catherine Kelly; northerly by a 20-foot passageway, extending from the easterly side of Arborway; easterly by an estate of George H. Dornhofer and another, and southerly by an estate of Thaddeus F. Rock and another, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
John Faust—About 3,807 feet of land on the southwest side of Jamaica street, adjoining an estate of James Johnston, being lot 2, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 3, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1832, page 295, tax for 1922.....	14 82				
Tax for 1923.....	14 82				
Sarah A. Feeley—Buildings and about 5,420 feet of land on the easterly side of Lee street, numbered 38 and 40, between an estate of Daniel Packenham and another and an estate of					
Malachi Blye and another, tax for 1923.....	44 46				
George W. Fowle—About 5,524 feet of land on the southerly side of Chestnut square, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Chestnut square; easterly by an estate of Thomas Robenette; westerly by an estate of William T. Haverty, and southerly by an estate of Alice B. Stephenson heirs, tax for 1923.....	17 29				
Also buildings and about 25,441 feet of land on the easterly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 214, making the northeasterly corner of Chestnut square, adjoining another estate of said George W. Fowle, tax for 1923.....	187 72				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 30				
Also buildings and about 20,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 212, extending through to and numbered 19 and 21 Chestnut square, between two other estates of said George W. Fowle, tax for 1923.....	259 35				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 30				
Olivia C. French—About 400 feet of land on the southerly side of Parley Vale at junction of Parley Vale avenue, adjoining an estate of Ida L. Mosely (numbered 3 Parley Vale), tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Mary J. Goggin—About 2,911 feet of land on the northerly side of Nathan street, adjoining an estate of Martha E. O'Neill, being lot 70, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, dated July, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3133, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50				
Katherine M. Gormley—About 7,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Louder's lane, adjoining an estate of Louis A. White, being lot 7, Walter C. Bates plan, September 20, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4405, page 438, tax for 1923.....	27 17				
Sarah Gould—Buildings and about 3,973 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, numbered 144, 144A, 144B, 146, 146A, and 146B, making the northeasterly corner of Hall street, adjoining an estate of John A. Brett, tax for 1923.....	370 50				
Grammar School in the easterly part of the Town of Roxbury, Trustees of—About 3,198 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, making the easterly corner of Leland street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82				
Also about 2,798 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Also about 3,467 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35				
Also about 3,467 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Also about 3,684 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Barlow street, adjoining another estate of said trustees, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88				
Hannah Greenwood—Buildings and about 1,305 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seaverns avenue, numbered 54, making the easterly corner of Alfred street, adjoining another estate of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	74 10				
Also buildings and about 1,281 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alfred street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	93 86				
Also buildings and about 904 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alfred street, numbered 6, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	86 45				
Also buildings and about 1,029 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alfred street, numbered 4, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Antonio Bensaia, tax for 1923.....	88 92				
Also buildings and about 1,297 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sylvia street, numbered 2, making the easterly corner of and numbered 3288 Washington street, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	133 38				
Also buildings and about 1,195 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3284					
and 3286, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	116 09				
Also buildings and about 1,154 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3280 and 3282, between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	116 09				
Also buildings and about 1,596 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3278 between two other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	121 03				
Also buildings and about 1,744 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3276 and 3276 rear, between another estate of said Greenwood and an estate of Louise Jaeger, tax for 1923.....	123 50				
Also buildings and about 2,910 feet of land on the westerly side of Forest Hills street, numbered 47, between an estate of Adelaide T. Watson and an estate of Elizabeth McKay, tax for 1923.....	51 87				
Also about 2,020 feet of land on the northerly side of Sylvia street, adjoining another estate of said Greenwood, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Sylvia street, easterly northerly, and westerly by other estates of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	19 76				
Also buildings and about 3,788 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sylvia street, numbered 8, between an estate of Elizabeth McKay and another estate of said Greenwood, tax for 1923.....	116 09				
Harvard College, President and Fellows of—Buildings and about 3,025 feet of land on the northeasterly side of May street, numbered 19, between an estate of Emma S. Hammell and an estate of Cecilia B. Dolan, tax for 1923.....	234 65				
Ethel A., Robert W., Helena A. and Mildred R. Haslam—Buildings and about 7,180 feet of land on the southerly side of Sedgwick street, numbered 55 and 55 rear, between an estate of Delia F. Spellman and an estate of Lillian C. Fouhey, tax for 1923.....	160 55				
Nellie L. Hemman—About 9,980 feet of land on the easterly side of Cedarwood road, adjoining an estate of Paul C. Annis, being lot 9, Dana F. Perkins plan, dated April, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4365, tax for 1923.....	37 05				
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,828 feet of land on the northerly side of Atwood square, numbered 21, at end, between an estate of Anna I. Webster and an estate of Auguste King and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10				
Cecilia A. Holland—Buildings and about 10,035 feet of land on the northerly side of Greenough avenue, numbered 40, between an estate of Helen W. Capen and an estate of William G. Cunningham and another, tax for 1923.....	234 65				
Ray C. Johnson—About 20,990 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bourne street, making the westerly corner of Patten street, extending through to and making the southerly corner of Nathan street, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being a lot shown on F. O. Whitney plan, November 15, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4433, page 235, tax for 1923.....	76 57				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	40 77				
James Johnston—About 4,361 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jamaica street, adjoining an estate of John Faust, being lot 1, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 3, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1832, page 295, tax for 1923.....	17 29				
Anne M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,396 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Call street, numbered 67, between an estate of Bessie Kelly and an estate of John Medvid and another, tax for 1923.....	86 45				
Hannah M. King—Buildings and about 2,767 feet of land on the southerly side of Carolina avenue, numbered 7, making the southwest corner of a passageway extending from the southerly side of Carolina avenue, adjoining an estate of Irving Sobotky, tax for 1923.....	177 84				
Arthur Lewenberg—About 4,621 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Lewenberg, being lot 1, S. F. Leftovich plan, March 1, 1918, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14129, tax for 1922.....	69 16				

Edward M. Larch—About 2,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining an estate of J. W. W. Churchill plan, dated September, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14531, tax for 1923.....	22 23	
Also buildings and about 1,343 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Call street, numbered 73, making the westerly corner of Carolina avenue, adjoining an estate of James A. Frazer, tax for 1923.....	61 75	
Mary Malley—Buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, numbered 76, between an estate of Thomas F. McCall and another and an estate of Julius Beriman, tax for 1923.....	190 19	
Charles J. McCarthy—About 3,252 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tower street, adjoining an estate of Rose McComish, being lot 196, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2174, page 614, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	5 43	
Nora V. McCarthy—About 4,427 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wachusett street, being lot 99, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, dated June, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2766, page 593, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	29 22	
Annie McDonald—About 2,892 feet of land on the southerly side of Jamaica street, adjoining an estate of Barbara E. Gillis, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Jamaica street; easterly by an estate of Mary T. Flynn; southerly by an estate of Ellen Roan and westerly by an estate of Barbara E. Gillis, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
John and Kornela Medrud—Buildings and about 1,570 feet of land on the westerly side of Call street, numbered 65, between an estate Margaret Glenon and an estate of Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	34 58	
Isadore Meyer—About 60,018 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lotus street, adjoining an estate of Fred H. Webster, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by estates of the Burbank Paint Company and the Walberg Brewing Company; southwesterly by an estate of the Boston Elevated Railway Company; southeasterly by an estate of Fred H. Webster, and northeasterly by an estate of John Parkinson, tax for 1923, Bernard J. Moore—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brookside avenue, numbered 60, between an estate of Bernard J. Moore and an estate of Thomas J. Lynch and another, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	118 56	8 78
John W. Morrison—About 6,461 feet of land on the westerly side of South street, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Ellen T. McMorrow and another, being lot 1, French and Bryant plan, April 27, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2623, page 385, tax for 1923.....	71 63	
Patrick C. Mulvey—Buildings and about 12,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Carolina avenue, numbered 101, making the southeasterly corner of Lee street, adjoining an estate of Franklin B. Blackstone, tax for 1923.....	116 09	
Patrick L. Murphy—Buildings and about 10,019 feet of land on the easterly side of Rockview street, numbered 38, 40 and 42, between an estate of Annie M. Rowen and an estate of Charles N. Snow, tax for 1923.....	634 79	
Patrick J. and Annie M. Murphy—Buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Eldridge road, numbered 5, between an estate of Annie G. Magnier and an estate of Andrew J. Peters, trustee, tax for 1923.....	140 79	
Regulus L. Mustoe—Buildings and about 2,622 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Minton street, numbered 5, between an estate of Clifton Manufacturing Company and an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	24 70	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 30	
John Nazzero—Buildings and about 5,660 feet of land on the southeasterly side of South street, numbered 608, between an estate of Agnes G. Buckley and an estate of John J. Fein and another, tax for 1923.....	106 21	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 44	
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	23 10	
Ellen T. and Catherine F. Norton—About 3,947 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, being the remainder after the widening of Stony brook, adjoining an estate of John J. Meehan and others, trustees, being lot 31, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Nellie L. Norton—Buildings and about 3,165 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Southbourne road, numbered 32, between an estate of Paul L. Butler and an estate of James Russell, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6912, tax for 1923.....	108 68	
Thorley and Laura M. Norwald—Buildings and about 2,876 feet of land on the northerly side of Spring Park avenue, numbered 60, between an estate of James W. Campbell and an estate of Margaret C. Walsh, tax for 1923.....		\$148 20
Paid on account.....		100 00
Balance due.....	48 20	
Alice B. Packard—Buildings and about 19,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris avenue, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Julia Henry and another and an estate of Carrie A. Seaver, tax for 1923.....	239 59	
Ernest H. Parker one half and George N. Parker one half—Buildings and about 13,162 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Spring Park avenue, numbered 22, 24, 26 and 28, between an estate of Mary R. Enzle and an estate of Gottlieb F. Merzle, tax for 1923.....	227 24	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Joseph Pittorino—Buildings and about 3,425 feet of land on the southerly side of Montebello road, numbered 73, between an estate of James W. McKeown and an estate of Mary A. Northway, tax for 1923.....	190 19	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 88	
Edna N. Pope—About 3,666 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, making the southeasterly corner of Rosemary street, being lot A, shown on George H. Witherbee, Junior, plan, dated December, 1921, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4334, page 308, tax for 1923.....	44 46	
Also about 3,705 feet of land on the easterly side of South street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	37 05	
James F. Powers and Mary J. Henckley—About 280 feet of land on northerly side of Arborway terrace, adjoining estate of Colonial Filling Station, Inc., being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, March 19, 1910, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3571, page 624, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Progress Wholesale Grocery Company—Buildings and about 2,617 feet of land on the westerly side of Call street, numbered 105 and 107, between an estate of Bridget Kelley and an estate of Eliot L. May and others, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12478, tax for 1923.....		\$150 67
Paid on account.....		57 83
Balance due.....	92 84	
Progress Wholesale Grocery Company, Massachusetts Corporation—Buildings and about 5,568 (assessed as 5,518) feet of land on the southeasterly side of Call street, making the southerly corner of McBride street, adjoining an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company, being lots 1 and 2, W. C. Bates plan, dated February 2, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12479, tax for 1923.....		\$1,057 16
Paid on account.....		550 00
Balance due.....	507 16	
Mary T. Quinn—Buildings and about 5,166 feet of land on the westerly side of Jamaica street, numbered 100 and 100 rear, between an estate of Thomas Kilduff and an estate of Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	54 34	
Mary M. Riley—About 8,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Louder's lane, adjoining an estate of Mary F. Laughlin, being lot 2, shown on Walter C. Bates plan, May 10, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4365, page 587, tax for 1923.....	29 64	
George E. Rogers—Buildings and about 6,764 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oakdale street, numbered 31 and 33, making the northerly corner of Green street, adjoining an estate of Mary J. and Alice R. Capen, tax for 1922.....	353 21	
Tax for 1923.....	353 21	
Christina L. Rose Devises and Kittie L. Haslam—Buildings and about 9,831 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Goldsmith place, numbered 10, between an estate of Joseph J. Leonard, trustee, and an estate of Catherine H. Keane, moth assessment for 1921.....		50
Tax for 1923.....		192 66
Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.....		37 73
Also buildings and about 7,340 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, numbered 763, between an estate of Sarah E. Troit, and an estate of Benjamin F. Godfrey, moth assessment for 1921.....		50
Tax for 1923.....		185 25
Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thomas street, numbered 10, between an estate of Herbert T. Pierce and another and an estate of Henry E. Hammond and another, trustee, tax for 1923.....		61 75
Roger F. Scannell—About 8,848 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, adjoining an estate of Julia O'Brien, being lot 23, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2394, tax for 1922.....		86 45
Moth assessment for 1922.....		66
Tax for 1923.....		86 45
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....		37 80
Samuel Schuppel—Buildings and about 3,860 feet of land on the northerly side of Green street, numbered 92, 94, 96 and 98, making the northerly corner of Lamartine street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Crowley and another, tax for 1923.....		419 90
Joseph R. Scott et al., Trustees under will of Mary A. Scott—Buildings and about 49,039 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 263, making the northwesterly corner of Fessenden street, between an estate of Ellen A. Kelly and an estate of Frank L. Barnes, tax for 1923.....		395 20
Moth assessment for 1923.....		1 30
Joseph R. Scott—About 6,442 feet of land on the northerly side of Glen road, making the northeasterly corner of Washington street, adjoining an estate of John J. Meehan and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....		79 04
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Joseph R., Fannie L. S., Isabel A., and Richard W. A. Scott, Trustees under will of Mary A. Scott—About 61,542 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining another estate of said Scott and others, trustees, being lot D, Henry C. Mildram plan, February 14, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3999, page 21, tax for 1923.....		182 78
Also about 119,108 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Washington street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Joseph R. Scott and others, trustees, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1923.....		323 57
Moth assessment for 1923.....		65
Katherine V. Shinnars—Buildings and about 3,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3981, between an estate of Henry C. Gottschalk and an estate of Catherine T. Sinnott and another, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		9 28
John I. Shurman—Buildings and about 780 feet of land on the westerly side of Call street, numbered 534, between an estate of James McHale and an estate of Margaret M. Leyden, tax for 1923, Albert C. Smith—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Williams street, adjoining an estate of William J. McMackin, being lot 22, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1922.....		19 76
Tax for 1923.....		9 88
Jessie R. Stevens—About 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Westbourne terrace, between two estates of Boston Dwelling House Company, being lot 110, W. C. Bates plan, August 1, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15176, tax for 1923, Agnes J. Sweeney—About 6,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Moraine street, adjoining an estate of James F. Gaffey and an estate of John J. O'Brien, tax for 1923.....		180 31
Samuel Tarplin—Buildings and about 2,123 feet of land on the northerly side of Woodside avenue, numbered 4 and 6, between an estate of Melville Cobb and an estate of Adela E. Snow, tax for 1923.....		81 51
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		261 82
		40 83

Mary A. Taylor—About 7,839 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hampstead road, adjoining an estate of Carolina Gerber, being lot F4, H. S. Adams plan, July 1, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7705, tax for 1923.....	46 93		
R. G. Van Vranken—Buildings and about 8,196 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Greenough avenue, numbered 2, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 754 Centre street, adjoining an estate of Lena Levine and another, tax for 1923.....	1,667 25		
John J. Vogel—About 3,825 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 65, W. C. Bates plan, January 15, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3787, page 161, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 53		
Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.....	20 31		
Anna I. Webster—Buildings and about 2,638 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Atwood square, numbered 9 and 11, between an estate of Francis P. Broderick and another estate of said Webster, tax for 1923.....	108 68		
Also buildings and about 2,487 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Atwood square, numbered 15, between two other estates of said Webster, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
Also buildings and about 1,863 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Atwood square, numbered 19, between another estate of said Webster and an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Also buildings and about 3,697 feet of land on the southerly side of Atwood square, numbered 20, between an estate of Agnes M. Doyle and another and an estate of Auguste King and another, tax for 1923.....	195 13		
Joanna C. Wester—About 665 feet of land on the southerly side of Sedgwick street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Sedgwick street; easterly by an estate of Charlotte W. Norton; southerly by Carolina avenue; and westerly by an estate of Mary E. Hollis, tax for 1921.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Helen M. Wood and Susan W. Haynes—Buildings and about 4,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Green street, numbered 27, extending through to Starr lane, between an estate of Patrick Donahue and another and an estate of Wallace W. Brown and another, moth assessment for 1921.....	50		
Sarah Wunderbaldinger (supposed present owner Paolo Salomone)—About 6,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Rose street, making the easterly corner of Arborway, being lot 31, Edmund K. Brown plan, April 13, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2892, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Magdalena E. Zeigler—Buildings and about 11,785 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Greenough avenue, numbered 36, between an estate of Helen W. Capen and an estate of Dora E. Wheeler, tax for 1923.....\$375 44			
Paid on account.....	109 35		
Balance due.....	266 09		
Also buildings and about 13,221 feet of land on the southerly side of a passageway leading from the southerly side of Roanoke avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the estates of Francis Dole and Elizabeth P. Matthews; easterly by an estate of Francis A. Holmes and southerly by the estates of Edward L. Strong heirs or devisees, Helen W. Capen and another estate of said Zeigler, tax for 1923.....\$143 26			
Paid on account.....	90 00		
Balance due.....	53 26		
WARD TWENTY-THREE.			
Patrick Abberton—About 6,768 feet of land on the southerly side of Gardner street, being lot 29, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated June 7, 1886, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1731, page 223, tax for 1922.....	\$12 35		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 6,628 feet of land on the southerly side of Gardner street, making the southeasterly corner of Rand street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Thomas Ahearn—About 5,927 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Heron street, being lot 103, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Catherine Ahearn—About 4,128 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker street, being lot 8, block 5, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 91		
Sarah J. Allen—About 7,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moreland street, being lot 25, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 9,610 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Prospect street, making the easterly corner of Moreland street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Lillian A. Ames—About 5,412 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Spring street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; northerly by an estate of the Old Colony Railroad Company; northeasterly by an estate of John A. Whittemore and others; southeasterly by an estate of Dimitro Henes, and southwesterly by an estate of Gardner O. North and another, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Lillian A. Ames and Walter S. Pierce (supposed present owner Philip Teevan and others)—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lorette street, being lot 47, Garbett and Wood plan, July 6, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2080, page 625, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	28 80		
John, Charles J. and George P. Anderer—About 3,557 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, making the southerly corner of Newfield street, being lot 191, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 192, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,580 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newfield street, making the westerly corner of Furbush road, being lot 248, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,918 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 249, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Genevieve D. L. Anderson—About 958 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, being lot 37, block K, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1921.....	50		
Tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Richard F. Andrews, Jr.—About 8,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Anawan avenue, adjoining an estate of Annie P. Glynn, being a lot shown on a plan dated November 3, 1916, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	61 75		
Mary E. Askin—About 3,974 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 2, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 7,040 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newfield street, at angle being lot 230, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Frederick Ayer—About 11,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington avenue, adjoining an estate of Winslow B. Clark and others, trustees, being lot 217, shown on a plan not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Mary Ayer—About 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 218, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95		
Florence G. Bailey—Buildings and about 6,625 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Temple street, numbered 179, between an estate of Henry E. West and an estate of Alger H. Smith and another, tax for 1923.....	98 89		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 48		
Rudolph C. B. Bartsch—About 6,090 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sanborn avenue, being lot 190, Varney and Churchill plan, August, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3109, page 419, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Flora T. Berggreen—About 1,787 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Island Terrace, adjoining an estate of David P. Doolan, being lot 10, shown on a plan not named, dated October 25, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2683, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Christine E. Bettoney—About 9,837 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot F, Charles D. Elliott plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 9,294 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1924.....	2 47		
Howard L. Blackwell and Anna B. and Charles T. D. Belden—About 685,439 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of George C. Rosenbeck and by Washington street; southwesterly by an estate of James H. Stack and others, trustees; southeasterly by an estate of Jacob W. Wilbur and northeasterly by an estate of Alice L. Blackwell and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	3 90		
Also about 6,321 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 2, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 1, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	95		
Emma L. Blackwell—About 206,300 feet of land on the westerly side of West Roxbury Parkway, adjoining an estate of Eugene N. Foss, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, March 27, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3872, page 396, tax for 1921.....	229 71		
Tax for 1922.....	229 71		
Tax for 1923.....	229 71		
Also buildings and about 5,739 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 5018, making the southerly corner of Washington Heights avenue east, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Flora L. Blue—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sherwood street, being lot 11, Whitman and Howard plan, January 2, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2589, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	13 70		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Arthur Book—Buildings and about 10,512 feet of land on the southerly side of Belgrade avenue, numbered 142, 144, 146, 148, 150 and 152, between an estate of Rudolph O. Pacht and an estate of Sarah M. Casilli, tax for 1923.....\$368 03			
Paid on account.....	200 00		
Balance due.....	168 03		
Also about 3,660 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Firth road, being lot 26, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8896, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Simon Bouchie—About 1,874 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 19, block D, Hodges and George plan, May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of land court, certificate number 6078, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1921.....	50		
Tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Grace Bowditch and Ellen F. Cronin—About 7,686 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sherman street, being lot 39, J. Edwin Jones plan, July 18, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2154, page 627, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Nathaniel W. Bowes—About 4,547 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 233, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		

Charlotte Bragg—About 1,703 feet of land on the westerly side of Ansonia road, being lot 39, Robert C. Hunter plan, September, 1915, recorded Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,884 feet of land on the westerly side of Ansonia road, being lot 40, same plan, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,064 feet of land on the westerly side of Ansonia road, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Anna H., Florence T. and Margaret G. Brickley—Buildings and about 4,312 feet of land, on the northeasterly side of Temple street, numbered 299, making the easterly corner of Keith street, adjoining another estate of said Brickley and others, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 76		
Also buildings and about 4,437 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Keith street, being lot 75, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Anna V. Brockbank—About 2,360 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 17 and 18, block 8, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,840 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 19, 20, 21, and 22, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,735 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 23, 24 and 25, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,159 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lot 26, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,886 feet of land on the westerly side of Cherry road, being lots 27, 28, 29 and 30, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,660 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dana road, being lots 34 and 35, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,538 feet of land on the easterly side of Walnut road, being lot 38, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,618 feet of land on the easterly side of Walnut road, being lots 39, 40, 41 and 42, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,850 feet of land on the easterly side of Walnut road, being lots 43, 44 and 45, block 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Annie M. Brown and Rhoda E. Young—About 1,660 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, at angle, being lot 40, block 10, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,087 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, being lot 41, block 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,107 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, being lot 42, block 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,126 feet of land on the easterly side of Dana road, being lot 43, block 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
John J. Callagy (supposed present owner John V. Fleming)—Buildings and about 4,550 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Newburg street, numbered 118, between a estate of Angela L. Vergona and an estate of Helen F. Spooner, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
James Campbell—About 2,410 feet of land on the northerly side of Cottage road, being lots 28 and 29, block C, Hodges and George plan, not dated recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Alberto Cantoni—About 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 129, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 3,585 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 119, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the easterly side of La Grange street, being lot 212, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the easterly side of La Grange street, being lot 213, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Charles Capone—About 6,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hemlock street, being lot 202, shown on assessors' plan, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Alvin Carlson—About 2,061 feet of land on the westerly side of Oak road, being lots 48 and 49, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Alice H. Carlson—About 4,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Landseer terrace, being lot 36, C. H. Gannett plan, December, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4012, page 281, tax for 1923.....	17 20		
John D. Carroll—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, being lot 7, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 40		
Florence Carter—About 46,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Caledonia avenue, being lots 239, 240, 241 and 242, shown on a plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 46,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Caledonia avenue, being lots 243, 244, 245 and 246, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 34,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Caledonia avenue, being lots 247, 248 and 249, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Walter H. Caswell—Buildings and about 18,220 feet of land on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 338, making the northeasterly corner of Mansur street, between an estate of Ida M. Hodsdon and an estate of George S. Lee, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,212 feet of land on the westerly side of Wright road, being lot 24, block G, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9858, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 6,601 feet of land on the westerly side of Baker street, being lot 57, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,483 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker street, making the southeasterly corner of Keith street, extending to and making the southwesterly corner of Frances street, being lot 59, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also buildings and about 9,523 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, numbered 130, between an estate of John Craig and another and an estate of Erdman Bauch, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,973 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Park terrace, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by Park terrace; north-easterly by an estate of Elizabeth G. McLoughlin; southeasterly by estate of Mabel F. Wood; southerly by estate of Jesse B. Osgood and southwesterly by estate of Helen A. Shaw and others, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 9,335 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Cornell street; northwesterly by an estate of said Chadwick; southwesterly by an estate of Bertha L. Gahn and southeasterly by an estate of John Craig and another, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 141, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated January, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, making the northerly corner of Baker street, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 7,097 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Temple street, northwesterly by an estate of Laura K. Ellis; southwesterly by an estate of Michael Burke and others trustees, and southeasterly by an estate of George H. Stevens and another, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 7,095 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Temple street; northwesterly and southwesterly by estates of Michael Burke and others, trustees, and southeasterly by an estate of Laura K. Ellis, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 2,184 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 1, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated August, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4304, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,283 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grove street, making the southerly corner of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,379 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, making the westerly corner of Grove street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,715 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grove street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,075 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,073 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,072 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,941 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,935 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,043 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Delos street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,197 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,620 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delos street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 438,431 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, between an estate of Mabel F. Chadwick (numbered 788) and an estate of Sherman L. Whipple, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95		
Also buildings and about 1,037 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, numbered 69, between an estate of John B. Robinson and an estate of Neil Donahue, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 6,222 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dent street, being lot 213, Garbett and Wood plan, April 15, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50		

Also about 6,142 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 22, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 5,060 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot E, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 30, 1888, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1822, page 76, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hemlock street, being lot 199, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Harry P. Chadwick (supposed present owner Joseph F. Hurley)—About 5,580 feet of land on the southerly side of Tyndale street, being lot 65, French and Bryant plan, May 28, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3239, page 49, tax for 1923.....	14 82	
Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lasell street, making the southerly corner of Dent street, being lot 5, block 3, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 5,725 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, making the westerly corner of Cushing street, being lot 58, Charles D. E. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Carroll street, being lot 89, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 14,849 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Potomac street, being the southwesterly part of lot 20, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 81, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	27 17	
Also buildings and about 11,648 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hemman street, numbered 57, between an estate of Hazel Hemman and an estate of John J. Mullen, tax for 1923.....	74 10	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also buildings and about 253,488 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, numbered 788, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and the Newton line, tax for 1923.....	61 75	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95	
Alberta M. Charles—Buildings and about 6,274 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, numbered 1463, between an estate of James Gaskins and an estate of John B. McAleer, tax for 1923.....	54 34	
Helen A. Cheney—About 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 222, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 221, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 220, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	
Constantino F. Ciampa—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grouse street, being lot 193, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grouse street, being lot 195, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Curtis Clapp, Junior—Buildings and about 5,293 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, numbered 24, between an estate of Ora M. Lewis and an estate of Margaret C. Warren, tax for 1923.....	160 55	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Winslow B. Clark—About 16,049 feet of land on the westerly side of Caledonia avenue, being lot 149, George H. Wetherbee plan, dated October, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14882, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Congregation Chebra Tillem—Buildings and about 19,784 feet of land on the westerly side of Centre street, numbered 2667, adjoining an estate of United Hand in Hand Association, moth assessment for 1923.....	2 56	
Patrick and Alice G. Colleran—About 3,438 feet of land on the easterly side of Nut street, being lot 6, block C. Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	2 47	
John H. Conant Heirs or Devises—About 5,697 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mendum street, being lot 35, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 28, 1898, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3093, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 6,183 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mendum street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
James W. Condon—About 4,307 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Heathcote street, being lot 35, J. Edwin Jones plan, May 8, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2198, page 298, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Elizabeth W. Costello—About 83,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Baker street, making the easterly corner of Ansonia road, extending to and making the southerly corner of Cambria road, adjoining an estate of John H. Gilbert, tax for 1922.....	51 87	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 30	
Tax for 1923.....	51 87	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Michael W. Costello—About 3,186 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, making the southerly corner of Federal road, being lot 96, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Sadie E. Cotter—About 990 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, being lot 30, block K, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Thomas Coulter—About 6,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Auburn street, being lot 179, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Sarah E. Crocker—About 32,670 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Baker place, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Cecelia A. Barrows, trustee and an estate of Timothy Sullivan; northwesterly and southwesterly by an estate of the Edison Electric Illuminating Company and southeasterly by an estate of Peter Rudnick, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Edward V. and Gertrude V. Cronan, supposed present owner, Edward J. Kelley—About 6,261 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Perkins street, being lot 25, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Charles T. Crowley, Louis F. Cappelle, William J. Sands and Thomas J. McElaney—About 1,340 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bungalow road, being lot 22, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,999 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bungalow road, making the easterly corner of Camp road, being lots 23 and 24, block F, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Michael J. Crowley—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hayden street, making the northerly corner of Washington street, being lot 176, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 5, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2018, page 497, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 36	
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brahma street, making the northerly corner of Washington street, being lot 152, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 68	
Also about 10,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot B, George H. Wetherbee, Junior, plan, dated April 22, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	18 19	
Also about 11,145 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot A, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	14 72	
J. Wesley Cullen—About 5,570 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, making the northerly corner of Brook Farm road, being lot 201, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Thomas H. Cummings and Augustus Andrews—About 9,570 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 2, G. L. Richardson plan, dated August, 1882, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1576, page 588, tax for 1922.....	34 58	
Tax for 1923.....	34 58	
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, making the easterly corner of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35	
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 7,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Also about 11,035 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, being lot 5, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1883, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1604, page 518, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 9,710 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, being the southwesterly part of lot 107, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 10,630 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarendon park, making the southerly corner of Clarendon avenue, being the northwesterly part of lot 107, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	87	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 9,887 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 106, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 9,662 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 105, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Kathleen Cummings—Buildings and about 7,650 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 4094, between an estate of Harry Snyder and an estate of Paul Beigbeder and another, tax for 1923.....	\$385 32	
Paid on account.....	150 00	
Balance due.....	235 32	
William E. Cunniff—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brook Farm road, number 154, making the southerly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Anna M. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Ellen A. Curran—About 1,205 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lot 25, block 11, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 1,188 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lot 26, block 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,323 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana road, being lots 27 and 28, block 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Edith M. Darling—About 1,391 feet of land on the southerly side of Cross road, being lot 18, block L, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Lois P. Davis—About 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Edgemere road, being lot 93, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Edgemere road, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Caroline E. Davy—About 3,800 feet of land on the northerly side of Cushing street, being lot 88, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	

Catherine, May and Clitheroe Dean, one third each—About 9,277 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 16, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 7,874 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	66		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 6,180 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	66		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Iacopo Olimpia Della Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walworth street, numbered 71, between an estate of Anna J. Justheim and an estate of Domenica Gingo and another, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 14		
Franzilio Dellomaceno—About 6,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orange street, being lot 309, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 188, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923,.....	4 94		
Rudolph Demkel—About 6,351 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Albano street, being lot 12, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated February 4, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1763, page 79, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Raffaella DeNapoli—Buildings and about 4,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley avenue, numbered 140, between an estate of Nicola Nuzzola and another and an estate of Gertrude L. Bowen, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Harvey A. Dennison—About 3,707 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 295, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 3,535 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 296, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,362 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 297, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Antonetta DeRosa—About 2,345 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Birch road, being lots 3 and 4, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Francis Devine—About 4,210 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, February 1, 1900, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2666, page 519, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 09		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 70		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 4,210 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 95		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 40		
Also about 4,340 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 95		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 40		
Also about 4,460 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 95		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 40		
Luigi DiCiste—About 10,782 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Curlew street, being lots 19 and 20, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 10,098 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Petrel street, being lots 31 and 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 10,908 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Petrel street, being lots 33 and 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Fred A. Dix—About 4,704 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, being lot 3, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated April 3, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2540, page 566, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 4,137 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	12 35		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
James W. Doherty—About 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 18, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 4, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 19, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 20, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,096 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 21, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,440 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hodgdon terrace, being lot 22, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12232, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Catherine F. Dolaher—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Manthorne road, numbered 140, adjoining an estate of Richard J. Walsh, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14155, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 39		
Daniel Dolan—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Caspar street, being lot 30, block 18, J. W. Morrison plan, April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Caspar street, being lot 29, block 18, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Mary E., Alice M. and John J. Donnelly, one-third each—About 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glendower street, being lot 25, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	23 04		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 32		
Katherine F. Donovan—About 3,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 6, block 12, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
David P. Doolan—About 1,787 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Island terrace, being lot 9, shown on a plan, not named, October 25, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2683, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Josephine W. Dufoa—About 3,968 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Florence street, being lot 64, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 15, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 27		
James Dunbar—About 3,645 feet of land on the westerly side of Wright road, being lot 3, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Patrick F. Dundas—About 4,100 feet of land on the westerly side of Rowe street, being lot 10, W. C. Bates plan, February 1, 1900, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2666, page 519, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 09		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 40		
Wilton A. Dunham—About 986 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cedar road, being lot 31, block 7, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,154 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cedar road, being lot 30, block 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Sadie S. Duran—Buildings and about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Elgin street, numbered 10, between an estate of William J. Roche and another and an estate of Margaret Murray, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90		
Paid on account.....	146 78		
Balance due.....	26 12		
Charles H. Eastman—About 5,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sanborn avenue, being lot 118, Varney and Churchill plan, August, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3109, page 419, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Effie S. Erime—About 3,181 feet of land on the easterly side of Camp road, being lots 25 and 26, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Louisa J. Estey—About 5,165 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Corey street, being lot 127, W. C. Bates plan, October 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2478, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Rose T. Farley—About 4,296 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 59, White and Wetherbee plan, February 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
John T. and Jennie M. Farnham—Buildings and about 8,216 feet of land on the southwesterly side of South street, numbered 830, making the southerly corner of Brookfield street, adjoining an estate of Willard P. Whittemore, tax for 1923.....	247 00		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
James F. M. Farquar—About 8,620 feet of land on the easterly side of Grew avenue, making the southeasterly corner of Cliffmont street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the location of Cliffmont street; easterly by an estate of the Boston & Providence Railroad Company; southerly by the location of the Boston & Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, and westerly by the location of Grew avenue, tax for 1921.....	14 82		
Also about 79,287 (assessed as 83,367) feet of land on the northerly side of Mansur street, being lots 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46 and 47, shown on Plan , Book 7, plate 14, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1921.....	19 76		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	17 07		
Also about 29,919 feet of land on the northerly side of Mansur street, making the northwesterly corner of Grew avenue, adjoining another estate of said Farquar, tax for 1921.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	8 84		
James F. M. Farquar Heirs or devisees—About 8,620 feet of land on the easterly side of Grew avenue, making the southeasterly corner of Cliffmont street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the location of Cliffmont street; easterly by an estate of the Boston & Providence Railroad Company; southerly by the location of the Boston & Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, and westerly by the location of Grew avenue, tax for 1922.....	14 82		
Also about 79,287 (assessed as 83,367) feet of land on the northerly side of Mansur street, being lots 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46 and 47, shown on Plan Book 7, plate 4, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	19 76		
Also about 29,919 feet of land on the northerly side of Mansur street, making the northwesterly corner of Grew avenue, adjoining another estate of said Farquar, heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....	14 82		

Also about 309,037 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Poplar street, making the southerly corner of Grew avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northwesternly by Poplar street; southerly and southeasterly by other estates of said Farquar heirs or devisees; easterly by Grew avenue and westerly and southwesterly by other estates of said Farquar heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....		153 14
James F. M. Farquar Heirs or Devisees (set off to James F. M. Farquar Heirs or Devisees)—About 40,000 (assessed as 43,138) feet of land on the westerly side of Grew avenue, being lots 75, 76, 77 and 78, shown on Plan, Book 7, plate 14, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....		22 23
James F. M. Farquar Heirs or Devisees (set off to Marion B. Campbell)—About 245,699 (assessed as 265,899) feet of land on the westerly side of Grew avenue, being lots 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, part lots 50, 51, 52, 53 and lot 54, shown on plan, Book 7, plate 14, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923, John Faust—About 8,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, being lot 54, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....		130 91
Moth assessment for 1922.....		7 41
Tax for 1923.....		50
Moth assessment for 1923.....		7 41
Also buildings and about 4,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newburg street, being lot 74, J. Edwin Jones plan, November 9, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2027, page 67, tax for 1922.....		19 76
Moth assessment for 1922.....		66
Tax for 1923.....		19 76
William T. Fee—About 4,965 feet of land on the southerly side of Temple street at angle, being lot 6, block 5, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....		7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		3 17
Also about 4,287 feet of land on the southerly side of Temple street, being lot 7, block 5, same plan, tax for 1923, Emil B. and Frances Ficker—Buildings and about 3,860 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Denton terrace, numbered 17, between an estate of John Barrett and another and an estate of Mabel H. Manning, tax for 1923.....		7 41
Paid on account.....		\$163 02
Balance due.....		148 20
John J. Finn—About 2,565 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 287, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1922.....		14 82
Tax for 1923.....		2 47
Also about 2,463 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 286, same plan, tax for 1922.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....		2 47
Tax for 1923.....		50
Moth assessment for 1923.....		2 47
Emma C. Fisher—About 1,736 feet of land on the easterly side of Salmon street, being lot 40, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number.....		2 47
Also about 1,681 feet of land on the easterly side of Salmon street, being lot 41, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number.....		2 47
Edward A. Fitzgerald—About 2,000 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 40, block D, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13667, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 41, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13667, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Edward J. Fitzgerald—About 2,846 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 7, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13667, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Sarah E. Flaherty—About 4,954 feet of land on the westerly side of Vogel street, being lot 3, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
James Flynn—About 1,712 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alta crest, being lot 62, Robert C. Hunter plan, September, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1922.....		2 47
Tax for 1923.....		2 47
Also about 1,730 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alta crest, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1922.....		2 47
Tax for 1923.....		2 47
Edward F. Foley—About 3,748 feet of land on the southerly side of Weld street, being lot 272, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 6, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number.....		14 82
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
John M. Foley—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Primrose street, numbered 34, between an estate of Helen M. Brown and an estate of Ignatius J. Fichter and another, tax for 1923.....		123 50
Elsie C. Folsom—About 4,896 feet of land on the northwesterly side of South street, being lot 28, W. C. Bates plan, January 1, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3774, at end, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		10 44
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....		23 37
John Forsythe—About 5,700 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 42, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1844, page 527, tax for 1922.....		7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		10 08
Tax for 1923.....		7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		9 77
William Forsythe—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westover street, being lot 53, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated August 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1838, page 11, tax for 1923.....		4 94
David and Caroline S. Foster—Buildings and about 14,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oriole street, numbered 45, between an estate of W. Stanley Campbell and an estate of Adelle M. Gibbons, tax for 1923.....		148 20
Moth assessment for 1923.....		65
Also about 4,940 feet of land on the easterly side of a passageway leading from the northeasterly side of Bellevue street, being lot 1, Walter C. Bates plan, November 21, 1921, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....		17 29
Walter F. Gallagher—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Morrison street, being lot 117, Charles H. W. Wood plan, September 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, page 433, tax for 1922.....		2 47
Tax for 1923.....		2 47
Mary Galvin—About 4,965 feet of land on the southerly side of Temple street, being lot 6, block 5, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....		7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....		3 27
Also about 4,287 feet of land on the easterly side of Baker street, being lot 7, block 5, same plan, tax for 1922.....		7 41
John R. Gehman—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goethe street, being lot 15, W. F. Whitman plan, August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1922.....		4 94
Tax for 1923.....		4 94
Emma Gelphe Heirs—About 8,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, being lot 57, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....		7 41
Moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Tax for 1923.....		7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
James H. Gerlach—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Willow street, being lot 105, J. Edwin Jones plan, August 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1838, page 11, tax for 1923.....		4 94
F. Nerton Gesner—About 2,218 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage road, being lots 25 and 26, block 5, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, Book 3570, page 242, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1921.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1921.....		50
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Lucinda F. Gibbons—Buildings and about 16,559 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley avenue, numbered 182, between an estate of Betty Sedgewick and an estate of William G. Haberland and another, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....		98 80
Orlando P. Godfrey—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glenham street, being lot 13, block 7, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....		7 41
Tax for 1923.....		7 41
Edwin O. Goodwin—About 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glendower road formerly James street, being lot 31, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....		4 94
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....		23 04
Tax for 1923.....		4 94
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		22 32
Emma F. Goodwin—Buildings and about 227,607 feet of land on the northerly side of Washington street, numbered 4,959, between an estate of Mary A. Holland and an estate of Ayoub Malool, tax for 1923.....		111 15
Moth assessment for 1923.....		9 75
John Gordwine (supposed present owner John Blandis)—About 11,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot 1, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 25, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Also about 12,279 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot K, same plan, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
George H. and Winnifred B. Guyette—Buildings and about 4,608 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wyman street, numbered 6, between an estate of Otto H. Schmidt and another and an estate of Marguerite D. Grueter, tax for 1923.....		81 51
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Rudolph F. Haffonreffer—About 5,682 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Harwood street, being lot 1, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 137, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....		7 41
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 138, same plan, tax for 1923, Stanley P. Hall—About 3,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 40, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....		2 47
Carl A. Hallain—About 3,742 feet of land on the westerly side of Wright road, being lot 19, block G, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8336, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Rose M. Halloren—Buildings and about 3,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 4811, between an estate of Agnes Walsh and an estate of Edsea George and another, tax for 1923.....		123 50
Isaac A. Hamm—About 2,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Overlook road, being lots 2 and 3, block L, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
John J. Hammill—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thrush street, being lot 121, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thrush street, being lot 122, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....		2 47
Alice M. Handley—About 4,694 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre street, being lot 5, Garbett and Wood plan, May 7, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1998, tax for 1923.....		17 29
Walter D. Hannigan—About 4,089 feet of land on the easterly side of Salmon street, being lot 50, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11747, tax for 1921.....		2 47
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Tax for 1923.....		2 47

Managers A. Harrington—About 7,196 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cornhill street, between Bond C. Whittmore and Howard plan, not 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1267, page 349, tax for 1921 4 94
Tax for 1923 4 94

William P. Harrington—About 10,915 feet of land on the easterly side of Cornhill street, being lot 81, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922 9 88
Moth assessment for 1922 66
Tax for 1923 9 88
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Also about 11,915 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornhill street, being lot 82, same plan, tax for 1922 12 35
Moth assessment for 1922 66
Tax for 1923 12 35
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Mary B. Harris—About 3,470 feet of land on the northerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 19, W. C. Bates plan, November 1, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2682, page 538, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 3,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Mary B. Harris—supposed present owner Henry K. Dwyer—About 2,230 feet of land on the southerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Mary B. Harris—About 2,370 feet of land on the southerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Palfrey street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

John E. V. Hayden—supposed present owner Ada T. Hayden—About 6,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Montclair avenue, being lot 53, Garbett and Wood plan, May 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1922 7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922 8 70
Moth assessment for 1922 50
Tax for 1923 7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 8 40
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Arthur E. and Helen M. Hayes—Buildings and about 5,260 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Birch street, numbered 45, between an estate of Eva W. Baxter heirs or devisees and an estate of Clarence W. Wilson and another, tax for 1923 118 56
Moth assessment for 1923 50

George Heaton—About 6,473 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage avenue, being lot 1, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922 2 47
Tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 12,960 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sparrow street, being lot 99, J. Edwin Jones plan, March 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1782, page 8, tax for 1922 4 94
Tax for 1923 4 94
Moth assessment for 1922 1 00
Moth assessment for 1923 1 00

Dimirov House—Buildings and about 18,333 feet of land on the northerly side of Spring street, numbered 37, 39 and 41, between an estate of Gardner O. North and others and an estate of John A. Whittmore and others, tax for 1923 222 30
Moth assessment for 1923 50

John Herbert, Trustee under will of William H. Bowditch—About 4,510 feet of land on the southerly side of Cornhill street, being lot 8, T. B. Moses plan, July 29, 1886, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1744, page 284, tax for 1923 7 41

Highland Ice Company—Buildings and about 601,965 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gardner street, numbered 217, between an estate of John J. G. Thompson and an estate of Mary D. McLean, tax for 1923 197 60
Moth assessment for 1923 1 95

Also buildings and about 510,019 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, numbered 262, making the southerly corner of Morrison street, between an estate of Andrew H. Hodgdon and an estate of the Town of Brookline, tax for 1923 1,037 40

Amelia I. Hobart—About 5,861 feet of land on the westerly side of Cottage avenue, being lot 27, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923 2 47
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Andrew H. Hodgdon—Buildings and about 210,718 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, numbered 206 and 206 rear, between another estate of said Hodgdon and another estate of said Hodgdon, tax for 1923 172 90

Also buildings and about 12,560 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, numbered 192, between another estate of said Hodgdon and an estate of John S. Fryberg and another, tax for 1923 37 05
Moth assessment for 1923 65

Also about 87,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gardner street, between another estate of said Hodgdon and an estate of Highland Ice Company, tax for 1923 32 11
Moth assessment for 1923 2 40

Ida M. Hodson—Buildings and about 3,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 16, making a junction with Bellevue avenue, adjoining an estate of John J. Jordan and another, tax for 1923 49 40
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Also about 11,145 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot A, George H. Wetherbee plan, dated April 22, 1921, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, tax for 1923 17 29
Moth assessment for 1923 50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 14 24

Also about 10,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kittredge street, being lot B, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9312, tax for 1923 14 82
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 17 58
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 24 48

Also buildings and about 14,603 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Anawan avenue, numbered 120, making the southerly corner of Stratford street, between an estate of Elizabeth G. McLaughlin and an estate of Nellie M. Koopman, tax for 1923 227 24
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 13 25
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 11 85
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Also about 11,565 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stratford street, being lot 72, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923 41 99
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 10 44
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 14 22
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ardale street, being lot 45, Garbett and Wood plan, September 8, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1838, tax for 1923 9 88

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 13 27
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vermont street, numbered 311, between an estate of Emma B. Smiley and an estate of Catherine A. Callahan, tax for 1923 49 40

Also buildings and about 31,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 336, between an estate of Walter H. Caswell and an estate of Barbara A. Carroll, tax for 1923 86 45

Also about 7,375 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ardale street, being lot B, W. C. Bates plan, August 16, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3768, page 161, tax for 1923 9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 6 35
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Alice E. Howard—About 791 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Overlook road, being lot 10, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923 2 47

Alice E. Howard (supposed present owner Edward H. Hackett)—About 2,866 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, being lots 42, 43 and 44, block K, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Also buildings and about 1,404 feet of land on the easterly side of Overlook road, numbered 6, making the southeasterly corner of Grove road, adjoining an estate of Alice E. Howard and another, tax for 1923 24 70

Laura F. Hoyt—About 3,490 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being the easterly part of lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3351, page 539, tax for 1922 7 41
Tax for 1923 7 41

Also about 2,250 feet of land on the northerly side of a 20-foot street, leading from the easterly side of Rowe street, being the westerly part of lot 9, same plan, tax for 1922 4 94
Tax for 1923 4 94

Also about 900 feet of land on the northerly side of a 20-foot street, leading from the easterly side of Rowe street, being the easterly part of lot 9, same plan, tax for 1922 2 47
Tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 4,190 feet of land on the northerly side of a 20-foot street, leading from the easterly side of Rowe street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1922 7 41
Moth assessment for 1922 87
Tax for 1923 7 41
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Ida M. Hubbard—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Symmes street, numbered 9, between an estate of George R. and Annie M. Porter and an estate of Nathaniel McCreary, trustee, tax for 1923 86 45
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Also buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ivory street, numbered 36, between an estate of Mary A. Griffin and an estate of Helen M. Holbrook, tax for 1923 74 10
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Mary J. Hudd—About 636 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Spring road, being lot 3, block N, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1922 2 47
Tax for 1923 2 47

William D. Irving—About 2,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pond road, being lots 9 and 10, block 4, F. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1921 2 47
Moth assessment for 1921 50
Tax for 1922 2 47
Moth assessment for 1922 50
Tax for 1923 2 47
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Annie E. Jameison—About 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 211, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923 2 47
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Also about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 212, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Merton E. Jenkins—About 1,341 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Spring road, being lot 16, block M, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 1,436 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Spring road, being lot 17, block M, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47
Moth assessment for 1923 50

John Jennings (reassessed from J. W. Wilbur Company, Inc.)—About 497 feet of land on the easterly side of Grove street, being the westerly part of lot 46, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1923 2 47

John A. Johnson—About 6,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Montclair avenue, being lot 47, Garbett and Wood plan, May 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1923 14 82
Moth assessment for 1923 50

William H. Johnson—About 4,380 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 49, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, moth assessment for 1922 50

Also about 3,978 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 64, same plan, moth assessment for 1922 50

Lawrence F. Johnson—About 6,906 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 23, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1922 7 41
Moth assessment for 1922 66
Tax for 1923 7 41
Moth assessment for 1923 50

Harry J. Johnston—About 2,942 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 23, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3732, page 11, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Achilleas Karleris—About 5,769 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 36, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Also about 6,897 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Also about 6,999 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Stephen F. Keane—About 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Nut street, being lot 19, block C, Hodges and George plan, March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14986, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Mary L. Keefe—Buildings and about 5,566 feet of land on the southerly side of Tyndale street, numbered 48, between an estate of Catherine A. Millin and an estate of Bertha A. Elliott, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	16 24		
Charles J. Kelley—About 3,314 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Durant street, being lot 119, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Also about 4,873 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lasell street, being lot 20, block 18, J. W. Morrison plan, April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being part of lot 32, F. S. H. plans, dated October, 1912, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 73		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 47		
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being part of lot 33, same plans, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 73		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 47		
Also about 1,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being part of lot 34, same plans, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	1 55		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	1 50		
Also about 4,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 83, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated February, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3610, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 5,244 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Newfield street, being lot 8, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,625 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bungalow road, being lot 11, block L, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Annie M. Kelley—About 6,475 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being the southeasterly part of lot 34, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 224, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 18		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 97		
Also about 2,745 feet of land on the easterly side of Bellevue avenue, being lot 143, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 189, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also buildings and about 3,110 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 121, between an estate of James A. Cotter and an estate of Louis A. Bieber, tax for 1923.....	103 74		
Also buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 169, between an estate of Daniel A. Barry and another and an estate of Mary J. Sayce, tax for 1923.....	\$160 55		
Paid on account.....	77 07		
Balance due.....	83 48		
Lawrence C. Kelly—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alder street, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 189, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Catherine C. Kenney—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grouse street, being lot 189, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grouse street, being lot 191, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
James A. and Anna M. Kent—Buildings and about 5,108 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Amherst street, numbered 92, between an estate of Frank Hampe and an estate of Franz Latsch and another, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Jane K. Kerr—About 4,563 feet of land on the southwesterly side of South street, being lot 50, French and Bryant plan, May 28, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3239, page 49, being the same premises designated by the Commissioner of Public Works as 968 South street, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Dorothy Kerrigan and Thomas Pollack—About 3,543 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 1, block 12, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Harry T. and Delia R. Kershaw—Buildings and about 2,416 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Pond road, numbered 17, being lots 35 and 36, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,222 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Pond road, being lot 34, block 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Winifred G. Kerwin—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Liszt street, being lot 121, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 5, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2018, page 497, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Liszt street, being lot 122, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Nassim M. Khouri—Buildings and about 3,828 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 5027 and 5029, between an estate of Patrick Carroll and an estate of Emil J. Koehner, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12213, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Delia N. Khouri—Buildings and about 4,815 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 5083, between an estate of Agnes Walsh and an estate of Ayoub Maloof, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45		
John F. and Kathryn E. Kindelan—Buildings and about 4,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Belgrade avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Esther A. Wetmore; southerly by the location of Belgrade avenue; westerly by an estate of Irving W. Adams Post No. 36, Massachusetts State Branch of the American Legion, and northerly by the location of the Boston & Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	135 85		
Joel G. and Thomas W. Knapp and John C. Harrington, Trustees of the Citizens Realty Trust—About 13,155 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly road, being lots 93, 94, 95, 96, 97 and 98, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3732, page 11, moth assessment for 1922.....	2 00		
Tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45		
Also about 4,984 feet of land on the easterly side of Waverly road, being lots 92 and the southerly part of lot 91, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,790 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being the northerly part of lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,074 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Also about 650 feet of land on the westerly side of Waverly road, being the northeasterly part of lot 86, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,520 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, being the northeasterly part of lot 58, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, being lot 57, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,880 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Baker street, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 400 feet lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Baker street, being the northeasterly part of lot 87, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,953 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Baker street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,130 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wedgemere road, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,953 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wedgemere road, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 900 feet of land on the southwesterly side and at end of Wedgemere road, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,363 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Centre street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 2,718 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodbine road, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 5,710 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ashland avenue, being lot 11, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5577, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Henrietta A. Kreppl Devises—About 3,257 feet of land on the westerly side of Keystone street, being lot 31, block A, Hodges and George plan, March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4700, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,294 feet of land on the westerly side of Keystone street, being lot 32, block A, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4699, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Alfred W. LaCharity—About 2,116 feet of land on the westerly side of Vogel street, being lot 28, block F, Hodges and George plan, May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10278, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Athanasie LaCharity—About 2,138 feet of land on the westerly side of Vogel street, being lot 29, block F, Hodges and George plan, May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3199, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Margaret C. Lamphere—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Thrush street, being lot 116, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 7,867 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Thrush street, being lot 117, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		

Benjamin Lacey—About 5,877 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, being lot 21, G. L. Richardson plan dated June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1922.....	4 91	Edwin F. Luce—About 807 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cedar road, being lot 33, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Alexander Mapp—About 3,025 feet of land on the easterly side of Ellerton road, being lot 312, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	4 91	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	David and Annie Mark—Buildings and about 4,012 feet of land on the northerly side of Belgrade avenue, numbered 47, between an estate of Elizabeth C. Bickford and an estate of Robert A. McPherson, tax for 1923, 96 33	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Ellen H. Marshall—About 1,463 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oak road, being lot 51, block 2, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 150 feet of land on the northeasterly side and at end of a 30-foot street, leading from the north-easterly side of Clarendon avenue, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, July 6, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2462, page 316, tax for 1922.....	2 47	John S. Lufty—About 2,795 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Willers street, being lot 268, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Matthew and Agata Matjoshaitis—Also about 3,200 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Chestnut road, being lots 4-5, block 5, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 2,793 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Willers street, being lot 269, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 680 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Oswald I. V. Matthews—Also about 2,681 feet of land on the easterly side of Ellerton road, being lot 310, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	1 60	Thomas I. Lynch—About 4,512 feet of land on the westerly side of Cliffmont street, being lot 122, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 170, on file with Suffolk Deeds, moth assessment for 1922.....	87	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,032 feet of land on the southerly side of Canterbury street, being the southerly part of lot 123, same plan, moth assessment for 1922.....	87	Ida Maxwell—About 9,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Walnut street, being lot 31, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	1 55	Frederick L. and Agnes V. Lyons—About 10,000 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Grouse street, being lots 160 and 162, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Annie E. McCarthy—About 9,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saville street, being lot 59, shown on assessors' plan, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 9,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Walnut street, being lot 35, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, on file with Suffolk Deeds, page 97, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Eva L. Macdonald—About 11,321 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot I, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 64
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	34 56
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 4,478 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 54, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Helen McCauley—About 5,150 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eldredge street, being lot L, W. C. Bates plan, February 12, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14781, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Alfonse Maching—About 4,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Keith street, being lot 121, Nathaniel Smith plan, June 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 94
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 5,098 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eldredge street, being lot R, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 94
Also about 3,686 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Sigre McClean—About 10,790 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Moreland street, being lot 5, shown on assessors' plan, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Blanche S. MacInnes—About 6,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vermont street, being lot V, C. B. Humphrey, December 21, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14781, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Ellen A. McCourtney (supposed present owner Freida J. Gately)—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Francis street, numbered 9, between an estate of Thomas H. Lynch and another and an estate of Lars Anderson and another, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Isabelle MacIsaac—About 2,030 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, being lot 78, Robert C. Hunter plan, dated September, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Alice G. McDermott—About 8,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glendower street, being lot 49, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 2,040 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, being lot 79, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	23 04
Also about 6,785 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Carroll street, being lot 46, W. F. Whitman plan, dated August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Anna L. MacMillan (supposed present owner Morton A. Yexxa)—Buildings and about 5,364 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, numbered 201, making the southerly corner of Howitt road, adjoining an estate of Esther B. Coffin, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 31	Tax for 1923.....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Mary Maguire—About 3,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Rowe street, being lot 5, W. C. Bates plan, May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3354, page 539, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 32
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 6,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Beech street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Also about 6,785 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Carroll street, being lot 46, W. F. Whitman plan, dated August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Mary M. Maguire—About 1,325 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being the westerly part of lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3354, page 539, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 6,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Beech street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Annie M. Mahoney—About 3,170 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Edgemere road, being lot 6, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 00	Also about 4,092 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cheriton road, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cheriton road, being lot 341, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worley street, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Emilie M. McDonald—About 6,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Auburn street, being lot 180, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Joseph Maloof—About 3,565 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Overlook road, being lot 9, block N, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worley street, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Worley street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 90				
Tax for 1923.....	2 47				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60				

Marie E. McDonald—About 3,120 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 127, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Ellen Morse—Also about 10,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Billings street, making the northerly corner of Hamilton street, being lot 116, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 197, on file with Suffolk Deeds, moth assessment for 1922.....	1 30	Also about 5,475 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Zellar street, being lot 13, Garbett and Wood plan, September 8, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1838, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	George A. Monroe—Also about 4,014 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 63, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 5,475 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Zellar street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 50
Peter McDonald—About 3,460 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Johnson road, being lot 8, Whitman and Howard plan, January 2, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4138, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Louise W. Moody—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hamilton street, numbered 17, between an estate of Ellen Morse and another estate of said Louise W. Moody, tax for 1923.....	41 46	Also about 4,575 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Zellar street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Martin and Margaret B. Moran—About 2,185 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oak road, being lot 54, block 2, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Mary C. McGrath—About 6,054 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Grove street, being lot 5, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,475 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Zellar street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Elizabeth McLean—About 13,269 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stratford street, being lot 77, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	49 40	John B. Morgan (supposed present owner Vincenzo Angilevi)—Also about 10,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut street, being lot 89, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Thomas Murphy—About 4,734 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cotton street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Cotton street; northwesterly by an estate of Patrick O'Rourke and an estate of Arthur E. and Mabel C. Woodward; southwesterly by an estate of Isaac H. Bogart and others, trustees; south-easterly by an estate of George H. Mullis, tax for 1923.....	11 82
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 22	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Elizabeth Murphy (supposed present owner Frank L. Gustafson)—About 6,375 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Perham street, being lot 128, Garbett and Wood plan, April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	23 81
Elizabeth J. McKenna—About 3,018 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oak road, being lots 52 and 53, block 2, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Marion E. Morse—Buildings and about 16,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pomfret street, numbered 10, between an estate of Annie D. Bailey and an estate of Alice C. Shea, tax for 1923.....	197 60	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	23 11
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Edith E. McKenzie—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kittredge street, numbered 176, between an estate of Eunice T. Robinson and an estate of Natalie Henning, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Harriet I. B. Moss—Buildings and about 5,035 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oriole street, numbered 40, between an estate of Robert T. Hathaway and another and an estate of Mary F. Tucker and others, tax for 1923.....	180 31	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 36	Mary J. Muchensturm—Buildings and about 5,524 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pierpont road, numbered 61, between two estates of Frederick W. Baldan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16704, tax for 1923.....		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
William H. McLaren—About 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Perham street, being lot 79, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Paid on account.....	38 00	Margaret Murphy—About 4,630 feet of land on the easterly side of New Haven street, being lot 37, block E, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3124, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Mary McLean—About 22,300 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 32, W. C. Bates plan, March 20, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12337, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Balance due.....	110 20	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
John M. Merkel (supposed present owner Charles P. D. Desmond)—About 5,193 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vermont street, being lot 8, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94	John J. Mullen—About 5,824 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hemmann street, being lot 52, J. Edwin Jones plan, July 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2250, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Amelia P. Murray—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arthur street, being lot 150, J. Edwin Jones plan, August 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1838, page 11, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Arthur J. Merlin—Buildings and about 11,468 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, numbered 100, between an estate of Mary A. McIntyre and an estate of Daniel G. Merlin, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 11	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Paid on account.....	60 00	Thomas W. Mulvey—About 3,016 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 29, block D, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15076, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50	Catherine Murray—About 4,950 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newfield street, being lot 38, block 17, J. W. Morrison plan, April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Balance due.....	26 45	Also about 2,997 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 30, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15076, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 40
Najeib Meshaka (supposed present owner Good Realty Company)—About 5,899 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cowing street, being lot 74, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated February, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3610, tax for 1923.....	14 82	John J. Mundo—About 3,727 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 150, Charles D. Elliot plan, August, 29, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Grace V. Murray—About 3,232 feet of land on the westerly side of Wright road, being lot 26, block G, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14790, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Henry E. Miller, Junior—Buildings and about 16,100 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Wren street, numbered 52, between an estate of Charles H. Bailey heirs or devisees and an estate of Mary C. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	197 60	Also about 14,224 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lots 139, 140, 141 and 142, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Lois H. Murray—About 9,330 feet of land on the southerly side of Landseer extension, being lot 54, C. H. Gannett plan, dated December, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4012, page 281, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Anna M. Murphy, Trustee—About 5,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Parkvale road, being lot 37, W. C. Bates plan, August 1, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4021, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60
Jessie R. Minot—About 2,000 feet of land on the westerly side of New Haven street, being lot 42, block D, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5533, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,460 feet of land on the westerly side of Parkvale road, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95
William H. Mitchell—About 11,768 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 112, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 179, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also about 3,440 feet of land on the northerly side of Belgrade avenue, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Carmine Musto—Buildings and about 5,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Taft place, numbered 26, between an estate of Philip Basile and another estate of said Musto, tax for 1923.....	150 67
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also buildings and about 7,478 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Centre street, numbered 1741, between an estate of Willard P. Whittemore and an estate of Leah Payson, tax for 1921.....	39 52	Also about 3,950 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Taft place, being lot 4, Walter C. Bates plan, June 1, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4417, page 443, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	19 84	Also about 2,340 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Taft place, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1921.....	1 74	George Nassiff—About 6,160 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 8, W. C. Bates plan, March 20, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9697, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Louis and Augusta Mix—About 1,146 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dana road, being lot 82, block 11, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	James A. Murphy—About 6,327 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, being lot 15, Garbett and Wood plan, May 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Also about 1,209 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dana road, being lot 83, block 11, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		

Frederick H. Newell—About 42,436 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, being lot 31, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 192, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	51 87		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	85		
Margaret E. Nichols—About 9,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Walnut street, being lot 33, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Ella L. Nickerson—About 1,470 feet of land on the easterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on F. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 10		
Modesta Nicoli—About 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, being lot 259, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, being lot 260, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47		
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, being lot 261, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47		
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, being lot 262, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47		
Katherine Nilson—About 1,280 feet of land on the southerly side of Chestnut road, being lot 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,385 feet of land on the southerly side of Chestnut road, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,715 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,687 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,656 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,624 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,592 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,560 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,528 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,496 feet of land on the westerly side of Walnut road, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,395 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,430 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,465 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,501 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 57, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,536 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 58, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,572 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 59, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,642 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,607 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden road, being lot 60, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Estelle A. Noble—About 6,750 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glen-dower road (formerly James street), bounded and described as follows: Southwest by Glen-dower road; northwesterly by an estate of Albert J. Flannagan; northeasterly by an estate of Frank H. Spear; southeast-erly by an estate of Alice G. McDermott, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	18 60		
Carl G. Nord—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mendel-sohn street, being lot 192, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 5, 1891, re-corded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2018, page 497, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Forris W. Norris—About 107,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, being a lot shown on William Jackson plan, November 25, 1896, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	185 25		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	1 30		
Tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65		
Catherine Norton—About 4,648 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harwood street, being lot 7, block 9, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Michael J. Norton—About 2,561 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cherry road, being lots 11 and 12, block 8, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 2,804 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cherry road, being lots 9 and 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
John W. Nutting—Buildings and about 3,150 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, numbered 290, between an estate of Anna Sittig and an estate of Harry M. Strickland and another, tax for 1923.....	\$86 45		
Paid on account.....	40 00		
Balance due.....	46 45		
Edward O'Connell—About 4,107 feet of land on the easterly side of Vogel street, being lot 36, block G, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12770, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Bessie Ollman and Rosie Friedberg—Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Schubert street, being lot 107, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 5, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2018, page 497, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Ann M. Olson—About 1,662 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 16, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Maria Olson—About 1,579 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 15, block F, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,537 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 17, block F, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Gertrude E. O'Neill—Buildings and about 8,342 feet of land on the west-erly side of Stratford street, num-bered 9, between an estate of Alice G. Fleming and an estate of Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trust-ees, tax for 1923.....	158 08		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
John O'Neill—About 2,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Crosstown avenue, being lot 16A, block K, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3171, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
John H. O'Rourke—About 10,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut street, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, May 15, 1906, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14729, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65		
Also about 10,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prospect street, being lot 164, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	1 00		
Also about 4,524 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Prospect street, being lots 1 and 2, G. W. Bartlett plan, June 10, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Kathleen A. O'Rourke—About 10,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Walnut street, adjoining an estate of Alexander F. Wilson, being lot 79, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65		
Margaret F. Osborne—Buildings and about 4,600 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Boston terrace, num-bered 7, between an estate of Bertha M. Day and an estate of Rudolph G. Widmer, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10182, tax for 1923.....	111 15		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Inga C. Osborne—About 1,633 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Linden road, at angle adjoining another estate of said Osborne, being lot 9, block 10, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,553 feet of land on the westerly side of Linden road, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 1,536 feet of land on the westerly side of Linden road, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Ellen O'Sullivan—Buildings and about 5,884 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Redlands road, numbered 31, adjoining an estate of Willard P. Whittemore, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11822, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	72 90		
Alice B. Packard—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fletcher street, numbered 64, between an estate of Ellen C. Carney and an estate of Lillian M. Stone, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Charles L. Paine and James E. Freeman—About 6,000 feet of land on the north-westerly side of Winslow street, adjoining an estate of Albert C. Smith, being lot 145, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Also about 5,987 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winslow street, being lot 205, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Ella N. Palm—About 4,410 feet of land on the easterly side of Salmon street, adjoining an estate of Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc., being lot 14, block J, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8121, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Helen F. Parker—About 9,331 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gould street, adjoining another estate of said Parker, being lot 52, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Also about 9,331 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gould street, adjoining an estate of Abbie M. Du-quet, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Also about 7,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hart street, ad-joining an estate of Ellen V. Murphy and others, being lot 43, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated July 12, 1882, re-corded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1597, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Also about 7,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hart street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1922.....	1 94		
Also about 10,633 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hart street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1922,.....	7 41		
Nellie J. Parsons—About 10,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Eagle street, adjoining an estate of William F. Nye, being lots 42 and 43, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Lawrence Perkins—About 3,025 feet of land on the westerly side of Nut street, adjoining another estate of said Perkins, being lot 29, block B, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16298, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,084 feet of land on the westerly side of Nut street, being lot 30, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, cer-tificate number 16298, tax for 1923.....	2 47		

Belle M. Peters—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Deldorf street, making the easterly corner of Westmoor street, adjoining another estate of said Peters, being lot 240, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 239, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....		2 47
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Alexander Phillips—About 3,478 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, adjoining an estate of Harry Potter, being lots 2 and 3, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Also about 1,179 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Mary I. Poland—About 5,818 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brook Farm road, making the easterly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of said Poland, being lot 1, block 17, J. W. Morrison plan, dated April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2220, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....		7 41
Benjamin Pope—About 10,843 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, adjoining another estate of said Pope, being lot H, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Also about 10,362 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barnes street, being lot G, same plan, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Eli Porter—About 6,767 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Altair road, adjoining an estate of Brenda V. Bennett and others, being lot 43, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Lovett Porter—Buildings and about 5,979 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, numbered 131, between an estate of Najen J. Maloof and an estate of Charles Houli, tax for 1923,.....		7 41
Helen L. Potter—About 1,350 feet of land, lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wren street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss; northeasterly by an estate of Margaret F. Tinker; southeasterly by an estate of Agnes M. Finneran and southwesterly by an estate of Robert T. Hathaway, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
James A. Quigley—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Capital street, adjoining another estate of said Quigley, being lot 8, William E. Hannan plan, dated October 12, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3279, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Capital street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Also about 5,001 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Selwyn street, adjoining an estate of State Street Trust Company, trustees, being lot 107, Charles H. W. Wood plan, dated September 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, page 433, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Also about 5,878 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dent street, adjoining an estate of Wilbur F. Beale, being lot 237, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Frederick Rasmussen—About 3,094 feet of land on the northerly side of Brook Farm road, adjoining an estate of Annie E. Higgins, being lot 123, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 76, same plan, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Also about 2,960 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 78, same plan, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Tax for 1922.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Catherine Ratigan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glenham street, making the northerly corner of Perham street, adjoining an estate of Francis G. Washburn, being lot 1, block 14, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....		4 94
John J. Reardon—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eagle street, adjoining an estate of George J. Foran, being lot 128, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Robert F. Reissman—About 3,064 feet of land on the northerly side of Cheriton road, adjoining an estate of said J. W. Wilbur Company, Inc., being lot 331, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated August 14, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3765, moth assessment for 1922.....		50
Horace B. Rice—About 4,412 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Amesbury street, making the southerly corner of Baker street, adjoining an estate of Hannah M. Sullivan, being lot 1, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....		7 41
Tax for 1922.....		7 41
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 6,374 feet of land on the easterly side of Hawthorne street, numbered 20, between an estate of Sophie Molsen and an estate of Lulla A. Eaton, tax for 1923.....		79 04
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Walter G. Richardson—About 5,337 feet of land on the westerly side of Willowdean avenue, adjoining an estate of Annie M. Murphy, being lot 47, W. C. Bates plan, dated August 1, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4021, page 594, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Also about 5,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Willowdean avenue, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Also about 9,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Parkvale road, making the junction of Willowdean avenue, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....		14 82
Also about 4,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, making the southerly corner of Ferndale road, adjoining an estate of Adeline F. Thomas, being lot 331, Walter C. Bates plan, dated March 1, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4337, page 476, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....		29 65
Celia Richman—Buildings and about 5,274 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Maple street, numbered 6, making the westerly corner of Centre street, adjoining an estate of John M. Lane, moth assessment for 1922.....		66
William L. Roberts—About 5,593 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dent street, adjoining an estate of Frank Holland, being lot 246, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Also about 5,656 (assessed as 5,626) feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dent street, being lot 244, same plan, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Also about 6,028 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, adjoining another estate of said Roberts, being lot 14, Walter C. Bates plan, dated November 1, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4426, page 254, tax for 1923.....		29 64
Moth assessment for 1923.....		85
Also about 3,284 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Roberts avenue, adjoining an estate of Guy P. Walton, being lot 16, George H. Wood plan, dated May 29, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2359, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Also buildings and about 7,210 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oriole street, numbered 63, between an estate of said Roberts and an estate of Arthur M. Wyman and another, tax for 1923.....		98 80
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		10 85
Augustus O. Roberts—About 4,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Martin T. Daley, being lot 202, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....		4 94
Tax for 1923.....		4 94
William A. Roberts—About 3,453 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Park terrace, adjoining an estate of Helen A. Shaw and others, being lot 8, C. H. W. Wood plan, dated May 31, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3603, page 523, tax for 1923.....		12 35
John B. Robinson, Trustee Charles River Real Estate Trust—About 14,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Rand street, being a lot shown on J. Edwin Jones plan, September 16, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2310, page 131, tax for 1923.....		9 88
Also about 124,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Rand street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Robinson, trustee, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1923.....		39 52
Albert J. and Eunice T. Robinson—Buildings and about 6,796 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, numbered 101 and 103, between an estate of Eunice T. Robinson and an estate of Joseph Oldfield, tax for 1923.....		111 15
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50
Eunice T. Robinson—Buildings and about 6,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kittredge street, numbered 172, between an estate of Edith E. MacKenzie and another estate of said Robinson, tax for 1923.....		192 66
Also about 7,905 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, making the southerly corner of Kittredge street, being lot 4, J. Edwin Jones plan, July 2, 1892, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2148, page 257, tax for 1923.....		64 22
John G. Rosborough—About 5,577 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Welton road, making the westerly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Oscar Johnson and another, being lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, January 15, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14794, tax for 1923.....		17 29
George W. Rosnosky—About 8,090 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Partridge street, adjoining another estate of said Rosnosky, being lot 8, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated March 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1782, page 8, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Also about 7,320 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Partridge street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....		2 47
Alice F. Rushton—About 5,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Hill street, adjoining another estate of said Rushton, being lot 28, shown on assessors' plan, on file with Suffolk Deeds, volume 10, page 189, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....		13 83
Moth assessment for 1923.....		1 00
Also about 5,400 feet of land on the westerly side of Hill street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....		4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....		1 00
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Hill street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....		7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....		1 50
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Hill street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....		7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....		1 50
Maria V. T. Russo—Buildings and about 13,165 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dudley avenue, numbered 194, between an estate of William G. Haberland and another and an estate of Ida L. Hemmann, tax for 1923.....		123 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....		50

Maurice F. Ryan—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Capital street, adjoining an estate of Albert J. Sawyer, being lot 20, William F. Hannan plan, dated October 12, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3279, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Chester E. Sampson—About 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Birch road, adjoining an estate of Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc., being lots 3 and 4, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Leona M. Savage—About 3,444 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 147, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,698 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 148, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Also about 4,248 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, being lot 133, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Also about 4,296 feet of land on the southerly side of Ellswood street, making the junction of Farragut street, being lot 131, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Also about 4,712 feet of land on the southerly side of Ellswood street, being lot 127, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Gerald J. Savage—About 4,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, adjoining another estate of said Savage, being lot 132, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,322 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, making the junction of Ellswood street, being lot 169, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Albert J. Sawyer—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Capital street, adjoining another estate of said Sawyer, being lot 19, William E. Hannan plan, dated October 12, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3279, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Capital street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Robert Schlosky—About 4,253 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rawston road, making the northerly corner of Ethel street, adjoining an estate of Ernest M. Flint and another, being lot 13, and a strip of 578 feet shown on W. C. Bates plan, dated October 1, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3492, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	13 49
Joseph A. Schneider—About 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dent street, adjoining an estate of Mary Murray, being lot 6, block 7, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	4 94 4 94
Robert E. Scott—About 4,346 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Schiller road, adjoining an estate of Allan MacDonald, being lot 53, W. F. Whitman plan, dated August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 85
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1922.....	4 94
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	21 55
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 00
Securities Real Estate Trust, Inc.—About 2,622 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bungalow road, being lots 4 and 5, block M, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12398, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,205 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bungalow road, being lot 6, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4415, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,857 feet of land on the easterly side of Wright road, adjoining an estate of Axel J. Pearson, being lot 5, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9665, moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00
Also about 4,865 feet of land on the easterly side of New Haven street, being lot 33, block E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15795, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 95
Also about 4,233 feet of land on the westerly side of Centre street, being lot 11, block H, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9665, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 95
Also about 3,683 feet of land on the easterly side of Salmon street, being lot 51, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3734, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,541 feet of land on the easterly side of Pine road, adjoining an estate of Mary J. Driscoll, being lots 13 and 14, block 3, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Also about 3,647 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, being lot 86, block 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Also about 2,340 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove street, adjoining an estate of John Albert Addison, being the westerly side of lot 4, block I, the part remaining after widening, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Thomas C. and Bertha M. Sellon—About 4,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, making the westerly corner of Alta Crest, adjoining an estate of Jessie H. Christie, being lot 73, Robert C. Hunter plan, dated September, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1923.....	9 88 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	11 93 66
Annie G. Sewall—Buildings and about 4,050 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brookdale street, numbered 37, between an estate of John McEvoy and another and an estate of Ida A. Wahlberg, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	25 34
Moth assessment for 1921.....	27 54
Elizabeth Shannon—About 6,410 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, adjoining another estate of said Shannon, being the northwesterly part of lot 2, Garbett and Wood plan, dated April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	17 29 17 29 1 30
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	27 54
Also about 6,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, being lot 3, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	27 54
Also about 6,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, being lot 4, same plan, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	27 54
Hamlin J. Shaw—About 15,076 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, making the westerly corner of Lark street, adjoining an estate of Catherine F. Prescott and another, being lot 58, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 193, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922,.....	17 29 17 29 1 30
Tax for 1922.....	50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Johanna L. Shea—About 2,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Edgemere road, adjoining another estate of said Shea, being lot 70, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, moth assessment for 1921.....	50
Arthur J. Shedden—About 563 feet of land on the westerly side of Pine road, adjoining an estate of Andor J. Sandvold, being lot 14, block 7, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47 50
Tax for 1921.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1921.....	2 47 50
Margaret Sheehan—About 4,632 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harwood street, adjoining another estate of said Sheehan, being lot 17, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,922 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harwood street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
James Sheehan—About 4,883 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harwood street, adjoining an estate of Margaret Sheehan, being lot 19, block 10, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47
Tax for 1923.....	160 55 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Anna Shubert—About 3,109 feet of land on the easterly side of Keystone street, adjoining another estate of said Shubert being, lot 22, block B, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14445, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Also about 3,049 feet of land on the easterly side of Keystone street, being lot 23, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11445, tax for 1921.....	2 47
John G. Sikora—About 5,032 feet of land on the northwesterly side of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Almon H. Small, being lot 15, block 17, J. W. Morrison plan, dated April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	6 61
Antonius M. Simon—About 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 220, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 222, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Also about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 221, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Also about 2,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 223, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Albert C. Smith—About 4,490 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, adjoining an estate of Herbert Boyce, being lot 55, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47 50
Also about 3,880 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47 2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47
Also about 3,457 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Seymour road, being lot 82, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47 50
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furbush road, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47 50
Also about 2,910 feet of land on the northerly side of Seymour road, being lot 104, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47 2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47
Also about 3,180 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 149, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47 50
Also about 3,260 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 148, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47 50
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 146, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Tax for 1922.....	2 47 50
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 144, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 47 50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 47 50
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 140, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47 2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47 2 47

Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 138, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Benjamin T. Soule—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Alder street, being lot 100, Nathaniel Smith plan, January, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	George A. Spear—About 4,247 feet of land (assessed as 4257) feet of land on the northeasterly side of McKenna terrace, being lot 9, Nathaniel Smith plan, June 3, 1884, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Vincent E. Stuart—Buildings and about 3,360 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sycamore street, numbered 75, between another estate of said Stuart and an estate of Sun Chemical Company, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,567 feet of land on the northeasterly side of McKenna terrace, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Paid on account.....	50 00
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,090 feet of land on the northeasterly side of McKenna terrace, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Balance due.....	83 50
Also about 3,960 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 116, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 24,508 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasant street, being lot 38, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 81, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 27,673 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of William T. Seegar; northeasterly by another estate of said Spear; southeasterly by estates of Harriet A. Wiswall and William T. Condey and southwesterly by La Grange street, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Also about 3,492 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wright street, making the easterly corner of Sycamore street, being lot 20, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated July 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2154, page 627, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	27 71	Also about 8,166 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Prospect street, being lot 23, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,186 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wright street, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 11,562 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Prospect street, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 7,696 feet of land on the southerly side of Moreland street, making the southeasterly corner of Prospect street, being lot 59, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,947 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wright street, being lot 22, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,870 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winslow street, being lot 204, Garbett and Wood plan, April 15, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1774, page 111, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 9,100 feet of land on the southerly side of Moreland street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 9,100 feet of land on the southerly side of Moreland street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,782 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wright street, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	David Spellman—About 3,410 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Furber road, being lot 193, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Arthur F. Stucklen—About 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glendower road, being lot 26, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	23 04
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 3,509 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 149, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	22 32
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Mary Sullivan—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dent street, being lot 7, block 14, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Mary Sullivan—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dent street, being lot 7, block 14, Nathaniel Smith plan, August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Sun Chemical Company—Buildings and about 12,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Sycamore street, numbered 77, between an estate of Mary E. Gorham and another and an estate of Vincent E. Stuart, tax for 1923.....	64 22
Also about 3,509 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 149, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Swiss Embroidery Company—Buildings and about 10,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut street, being lot 78, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16389, tax for 1921.....	46 93
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Charles F. D. Tabler—About 2,975 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 304, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
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Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
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Also about 3,509 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 149, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	13 53
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 08
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Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	13 12
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Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	4 94
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Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Webster avenue, making the northerly corner of Moloney street, adjoining an estate of Donald G. McPhee, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 1,772 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being a lot shown on T. B. Moses plan, December 4, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1495, page 2, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
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Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 1,830 feet of land on the					

William E. Tappan—About 3,171 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chertan road, making the southerly corner of Edgencere road, being lot 10, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,732 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chertan road, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Alfred Thibodeau—About 1,788 feet of land on the westerly side of S. Union road, being lot 5, block D, Rodgers and George plan, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3510, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Charles Thibodeau—About 2,433 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pond road, being lots 11 and 12, block A, T. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Edward Thomas—About 1,863 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Birch road, being lot 19, block 1, L. A. Joyce plan, August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Elizabeth H. Triss—About 5,275 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pierpont road, making the westerly corner of Manthorne road, adjoining an estate of Hattie L. Titus and another, being a lot shown on W. C. Bates plan, May 6, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 125-H, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 48	
Hannah Trafford—About 4,249 feet of land on the southerly side of Manchester street, making the southwest corner of Newfield street, being lot 35, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Charles E. Tucker (supposed present owner Leona M. Savage)—About 3,191 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 116, Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,966 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 141, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 2,745 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Farragut street, being lot 143, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Cushing street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Henry Tulip—About 2,748 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Edgencere road, being lot 36, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Thomas Van Dyl Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 3,668 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornell street, numbered 261, making the easterly corner of Bellevue avenue, adjoining an estate of Louise W. S. Rausch, tax for 1923.....	29 64	
Also about 5,807 feet of land on the easterly side of Bellevue avenue, being lot 218, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 186, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
John J. Vogel—About 5,820 feet of land on the southerly side of Fowle street, being lot 6, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 21, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2051, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Anastasia P. Vogel—Buildings and about 5,459 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cornell street, numbered 334, adjoining an estate of Frances C. Gorman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7924, tax for 1923.....	185 25	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	21 20	
James C. Walsh—About 1,953 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 281, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1921.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Guy P. Walton—About 3,359 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Roberts avenue, being lot 17, George W. Wood plan, May 29, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2359, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Abby A. Waters—Buildings and about 6,529 feet of land on the northerly side of South street, numbered 909, adjoining the northwesterly corner of Fletcher street, adjoining an estate of Alexander M. Chute, tax for 1923.....	172 90	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
J. Franklin Waters—Buildings and about 2,340 feet of land on the southwesterly side of South street, numbered 754 and 754A, between an estate of Jacob Burger and another and an estate of William H. Jenness, tax for 1923.....	296 40	
James Waters Heirs—About 5,374 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Frances street, extending through to Baker street, being lot 58, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
John F. and Abbie A. Waters (supposed present owner Frederick H. Jackson)—Buildings and about 5,564 feet of land on the southerly side of South street, numbered 1000, between an estate of Anton Anderson and an estate of Etta C. Ames, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Florence E. Watts (reassessed to Caroline P. Krebs)—About 3,669 feet of land, assessed as 5,002 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cohasset street, between another estate of said Krebs and an estate of Charles Krebs, tax for 1922.....	19 76	
A. M. Charlotte Weeber—Buildings and about 4,298 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Howitt road, numbered 15, between an estate of Louis M. Hammond and an estate of Winifred R. Martin, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 43	
Also buildings and about 5,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Church street, numbered 17, between an estate of Orasmus H. Hodgkins and an estate of Anna J. Nichols, tax for 1923.....	197 60	
Willard Welsh—About 55,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ansonia road (formerly Ansonia street), making the northerly corner of Baker street, adjoining an estate of Erick H. Olson, tax for 1921.....	54 34	
Moth assessment for 1921.....	1 52	
Tax for 1923.....	54 34	
Also about 5,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Belle avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Joseph B. Thomas heirs or devisees, westerly by an estate of Simon Singer, southerly by an estate of John F. Keyes and easterly by Belle avenue, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
S. Belle Wetherbee—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Willet street, being lot 106, J. Edwin Jones plan, September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
John L. Wetmore (reassessed for Francis W. and Bertina V. Roberts)—Buildings and about 5,139 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Landseer street extension, numbered 84, between an estate of George L. Fisher and another and an estate of Francis W. Robertson and another, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 90	
John H. White—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Carroll street, being lot 37, W. F. Whitman plan, August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Robert J. White—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goethe street, being lot 13, W. F. Whitman plan, August, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3157, page 259, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 00	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
George T. Whittier—About 10,870 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prospect street, being lot 11, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 14,146 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prospect street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
J. W. Wilbur, Inc.—About 315,844 feet of land on the northeasterly side of the East Boundary Road of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly and southeasterly by an estate of Edward W. Grew and another; northwesterly by an estate of William F. Crafts and others and an estate of Abby B. Hogan and southwesterly by the Stony Brook Reservation, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Also about 32,690 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, being a lot shown on C. G. Norris and A. W. Badger plan, December, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3860, page 639, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 00	
Also about 4,341 feet of land on the easterly side of Grove street, being lot 15, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Also about 6,185 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Edgencere road, being lot 27, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Adam Wilhauck—About 6,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Beech street, being lot 8, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
William Williams—About 4,671 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, making the westerly corner of Vermont street, being lot 33, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 6,459 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Edgencere road, adjoining an estate of Helen M. Gobron and an estate of Victor J. Miller, tax for 1924.....	66 69	
Also about 4,731 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Libbey street, making the northerly corner of Vermont street, being lot 34, Nathaniel Smith plan, January 1, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2112, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Leah Witt—About 1,934 feet of land on the westerly side of Oakbrook road, being lot 4, Hodges and George plan, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3510, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
James G. Wolfe—About 1,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Seymour road, being lot 128, White and Wetherbee plan, February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1921.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	
Tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Katherine W. Woodson and Lillian L. Leveaux—About 71,900 feet of land on the southerly side of Alandale street, making the westerly corner of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Alandale street; easterly by Centre street; southerly by an estate of Howe Contracting Company; and westerly by an estate of Clarence W. Souther, tax for 1923.....	106 21	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	7 05	

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William L. B. Adams—Buildings and about 7,570 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 965, between an estate of Annie J. Anderson and an estate of Grace C. Adams, tax for 1923.....	\$71 63	
Antonio Aiello—Buildings and about 4,569 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, numbered 1799, adjoining an estate of Osia F. Bond, tax for 1923.....	\$69 16	
Paid on account.....	15 95	
Balance due.....	53 21	
Ellen Allen—About 4,255 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Burmah street, adjoining an estate of Martha A. E. Pierce, being lot 64, Charles E. C. Breck plan, dated January, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2336, page 511, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 82	
Eva J. Allen—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orlando street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Boie, devisees, being lot 32, block U, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 486, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Daniel L. Anderson—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 11, block U, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8656, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	

Mary Anderson—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blake street, adjoining an estate of Edwin F. Bernard and another, being lot 114, C. E. Varney plan, dated December, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Michael Andrychewski—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lot 243, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Sebastino Angelico—About 3,829 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, making the westerly corner of Currier street, adjoining an estate of Dominico Siesou, being lots 138 and 139, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Frank Anustase—About 6,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Messina, being lots 86, 87 and 88, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Mary Etta Aronson—Buildings and about 47,097 feet of land on the easterly side of Arlington street, numbered 55, between an estate of Augusta L. Dowley and an estate of Alfred W. Newell and another, tax for 1923.....	\$261 82	
Paid on account.....	214 55	
Balance due.....	47 27	
Margaret E. Baker—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody trustee, being lots 279 and 280, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Louis E. Barber—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Bessie Walsh, being lot 70, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	9 88	
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Annie M. Barrar—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tampa street, adjoining an estate of Frank Grant, being lots 310 and 311, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Apportionment of sewer assessment 1923.....	8 16	
Also about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Canaan street, adjoining an estate of William J. McGregor, being lot 54, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Margaret F. Barry—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stoughton avenue, adjoining an estate of Hiram E. S. Waldron, being lot 47, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in assessors' office, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	
Clinton Beckwith and John B. Quackenbush—About 9,711 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattakeeset street, making the northerly corner of Edgewater drive, adjoining an estate of Burgess Penio, being lot 8 and the northwesterly part of lot 9, Charles C. Richardson plan, dated May, 1894, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
John Bell—About 30,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Baker street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley; southwesterly by an estate of Daniel McLaughlin; southeasterly by an estate of Samuel Myers <i>et al.</i> , and northwesterly by Baker street, tax for 1921.....	12 35	
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Rebecca Bermack and Helen Kalant—Buildings and about 6,275 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hiawatha road, numbered 63, between an estate of James McKenna and an estate of Helen B. McNeill, tax for 1923.....	148 20	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 36	
Harry C. Bickmore, reassessed from Elizabeth C. Bickmore, Heirs or Devisees.—About 888,819 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Upton street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Upton street; northwesterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston, and southeasterly by an estate of Nathaniel Safford, tax for 1923.....	59 28	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	9 75	
Also about 181,101 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Alfred Foster heirs or devisees and the Stony Brook Reservation; northwesterly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard; southwesterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, and southeasterly by an estate of Alfred Foster, trustee, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 65,000 feet of land on the easterly side of the boundary line which divides the City of Boston from the town of Dedham, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by the boundary line of Boston and Dedham; northeasterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; and southeasterly by an estate of City of Boston (Fairview Cemetery), tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Clarence W. and Ruth Bigney—About 9,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Neponset avenue, adjoining an estate of Sarah J. Scrivens, being lot 44, Charles Brock and Sons plan, dated October, 1858, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 93, plan Book 3, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	19 76	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	
Mary Blaney—About 3,711 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Elenc street, making the northerly corner of Wabash street, being lot 4, block I, E. P. Sellev plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3767, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Rebecca Blinderman—About 4,494 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hallowell street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Heller, being lot 7, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated July, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3498, page 149, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Stella Boghosian—About 5,834 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, adjoining an estate of Alfred Earle, being lot 13, block J, E. P. Seller plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1404, tax for 1922.....	4 94	
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	
John Boland—About 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, adjoining an estate of Patrick F. Mulhern, being lot 73, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 86	
George A. Bowley—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wood avenue, adjoining an estate of Edson J. Steward, being lots 489 and 490, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Anna C. Bradeen—About 4,037 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hiawatha road, adjoining an estate of Frederick W. Abbott, being lot 75, Granger and Hobart plan, dated October 31, 1871, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1078, page 269, tax for 1922.....	12 35	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	11 19	
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85	
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 79	
James Brennan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, adjoining an estate of Mary T. Shea, being lot 124, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 56	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	
Dennis A. Bresnahan—About 5,936 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Austin street, making the northerly corner of Chestnut street, adjoining an estate of Louis Averbuck, tax for 1923.....	22 23	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45	
Jennie L. Brown—About 4,196 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of said Brown, being lot 127, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3136, page 433, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96	
Also 4,262 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining another estate of said Brown, being lot 128, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96	
Also about 5,435 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of said Brown, being lot 129, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 48	
Also buildings and about 12,459 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, numbered 41, between an estate of Thomas E. Nolan and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1923.....	59 28	
Alfred C. and Helena Bryan—About 6,956 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, adjoining another estate of said Bryan and another, being lot 43, F. A. Foster plan, dated September 20, 1887, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 798, page 622, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 6,858 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 6,846 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 6,833 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 46, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 6,821 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	
Also about 6,809 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 6,797 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 6,784 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 6,772 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 6,760 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 6,748 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 6,736 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	
Also about 6,724 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Frazer street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	
Also about 4,878 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 4,863 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 4,848 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 69, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	
Also about 4,832 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 70, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 4,817 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Also about 4,802 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	
Agrippino Buchieri—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 76 and 77, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	4 94	
Robert E. Buffum—About 4,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, being lot 71, E. L. Moulton plan, February 8, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3136, page 433, tax for 1923.....	7 41	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 08	
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	
Kate P. Bullard—About 90 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jefferson street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of George A. Kelley and another, tax for 1922.....	2 47	
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	

Curtis H. Burt—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street, leading from the northeasterly side of Randolph road, being lot 16, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street, leading from the northeasterly side of Randolph road, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 6,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richmond road, being lots 26 and 27, same plan, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 18 56

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Lawrence Cafarella—Buildings and about 5,609 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fairmount avenue, numbered 166, 168 and 170, making the northerly corner of Beacon street, adjoining an estate of Della E. Higgins, tax for 1923..... \$160 55

Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 135 55

Moth assessment for 1923..... 1 40

Daniel Callahan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harmon street (formerly Roland road), adjoining an estate of Timothy Callahan, being lot 93, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922..... 7 41

Moth assessment for 1922..... 85

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

William Campbell—About 3,978 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Roseberry road, making the southerly corner of Randolph road, being lot 375, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Patrick J. Carroll Heirs—About 3,291 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakwood street, adjoining an estate of John W. B. Wenstedt, being lot 16, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923..... 4 94

Michael Cendola—About 6,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, making the southerly corner of Messinger street, adjoining an estate of Henry A. Turner, being lots 267, 268, 269 and 270, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Harry P. Chadwick—About 7,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Bradlee street, adjoining an estate of Carl Stohn, Inc., being lot 119, G. L. Richardson plan, dated May 1, 1893, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 11,875 feet of land on the southerly side of Brooks street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Brooks street; easterly and southerly by location of Stony brook, and westerly by an estate of John L. Mayer, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 5,936 feet of land on the westerly side of Austin street, making the northwesterly corner of Chestnut street, adjoining an estate of Louis Averback, tax for 1921..... 22 23

Moth assessment for 1921..... 1 01

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 66, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 67, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Foster street, adjoining an estate of William B. Foster, being lot 78, same plan, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 16

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, adjoining an estate of Thomas H. Logan, being the southeasterly part of lot 135, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Moth assessment for 1923..... 2 00

Also about 11,551 feet of land on the westerly side of Grew avenue, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 36, shown on a plan dated December 12, 1906, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 12,530 feet of land on the westerly side of Grew avenue, adjoining another lot of said Chadwick, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Michael Cendola, being lots 264, 265 and 266, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 246, 247 and 248, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 262 and 263, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 8,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, between an estate of Michael J. Mulkerin and an estate of William B. Toomey, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 12 58

Also about 8,950 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 41, G. L. Richardson plan, dated February, 1870, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 8,950 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, adjoining an estate of Alexo Dascho, being lots 39, 40 and 41, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 13 44

Also about 6,922 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, adjoining an estate of Gaetano Celi, being lots 125, 126 and 127, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, adjoining an estate of Francesco Pino, being lots 155 and 156, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vernon street, adjoining an estate of J. Henry Leger, being lot 65, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book number 61, plan 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakwood street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 67, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oakwood street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakwood street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 69, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakwood street, adjoining an estate of John J. Mogan, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,317 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orchard street, adjoining an estate of Even Gronlund, being lot 143, C. E. Varney plan, dated December, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 5,039 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ridge road, adjoining an estate of Frank Woodhead, being lot 234, J. H. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,132 feet of land on the westerly side of Seminole street adjoining an estate of Peter McClenen, being lots 248 and 249, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 8 16

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Seminole street, adjoining an estate of Peter Fossa, being lots 200 and 201, same plan, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 8 16

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Also about 17,622 feet of land on the northerly side of a proposed street, adjoining an estate of Caroline F. Seaverns, being lot 38, on a plan, dated December 12, 1906, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 4,987 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thatcher street, adjoining an estate of Sarah A. Macdonald, being lot 46, as shown on assessors' plan 4, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 12 25

Also about 5,227 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, adjoining an estate of said Chadwick, being lot 162, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 5,220 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 163, same plan, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 5,212 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, adjoining an estate of said Chadwick, being lot 164, same plan, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 5,207 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 165, same plan, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Moth assessment for 1923..... 1 50

Also about 4,164 feet of land on the easterly side of Weybosset street, making the southeasterly corner of Randolph road, adjoining an estate of Daniel Kenney, being lots 91 and 92, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 150,718 feet of land on the southeasterly side of the D. Ham parkway and the line which divides Dedham and Boston, adjoining an estate of Emma F. Goldsmith, as shown on John R. Rablin plan, January 20, 1914 recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3788, page 481, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Mabel E. Chadwick—About 8,426 feet of land on the northerly side of Haven avenue, adjoining an estate of John H. Stark heirs or devisees, being lot 170, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Also buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hyde Park avenue, adjoining an estate of Charlotte W. Gilman, being lot 65, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 156, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Also about 7,454 feet of land on the easterly side of Wood avenue, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Wood avenue, northerly by an estate of Elmer R. Fernald, easterly by an estate of Alexander H. Gray and southerly by estates of Jacob Stanger and Paul V. Wajeik, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Ethel Chapper—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walk Hill street, numbered 701, between an estate of Sarah E. L. Meyer and an estate of Rose Elkin, tax for 1923..... 192 66

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 21 76

Michael F. Clarke—About 3,622 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 11, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 3,637 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 3,621 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Also about 5,062 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pinewood street, being lot 100, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	4 94 4 94	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	16 08	Amato Domenico—About 2,031 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 134 and 135, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 5,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orchard street, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922.....	4 94 1 00	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 55	William Donegan—About 6,560 feet of land on the westerly side of Tyler street, making the southwesterly corner of Water street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Kelliher, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Catherine H. Donovan—About 3,943 feet of land on the westerly side of Upton street, being lots 71 and 72, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded Norfolk Deeds, plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Also about 5,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orchard street, being lot 97, same plan, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 85	Also about 7,321 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 174, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1869, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 29	James K. Durning—About 4,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, being lot 55, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00	Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 60
Robert S. Clisby—About 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Parker street, being lot 23, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Mary Covey—About 2,954 feet of land on the northerly side of Jefferson street, being lot 69, shown on assessors' plan 4, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Francis W. Eldridge—About 5,227 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, being lot 162, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Charlotte M. Cole—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 64 and 65, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Mary Covey Heirs or Devises—About 7,300 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Jefferson street, being the southwesterly part of lot 69, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	9 88 9 88	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Also about 6,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 71, 72 and 73, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Arthur W. Crane—About 5,238 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wood avenue, making the easterly corner of Oakwood street, being lot 57, C. E. Varney plan (not dated), on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Gertrude V. Corby—About 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of George street, being lot 5, unnamed plan, December 6, 1895, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 750, page 304, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 91	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being the southeasterly part of lot 135, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Also about 6,600 feet of land on the easterly side of George street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 5,030 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 58, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Francis P. Cosgrove—About 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 2, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1865, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,630 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wood avenue, making the southerly corner of Rutledge road, being lot 59, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Mary C. Erickson—About 6,732 feet of land on the westerly side of Newburn street, being lot 202, Whitman and Breck plan, June, 1886, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1736, page 507, tax for 1922.....	9 88
James S. Covey—About 5,514 feet of land on the northerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 6, G. L. Richardson plan, dated August, 1870, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, at end of Book 402, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Lillian Davis—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 19, block R, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 29	Lorenzo DeBenedictes—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 10 and 11, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Thomas M. Evans—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rutledge road, numbered 23, between an estate of Daniel Morgan, tax for 1923.....	44 46
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	18 88	William E. L. Dillaway and Michael M. Cuniff—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, making the easterly corner of Washington street, being lot 87, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 83
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Thomas Fallon, Trustee—Buildings and about 34,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Coleman street, numbered 9, making the easterly corner of Cleveland street, adjoining an estate of Thomas P. Sweeney, tax for 1922.....	891 39
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Paid on account.....	88 92
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 06	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 88, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Balance due.....	2 47
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 25	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Also about 4,705 feet of land on the southerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	John Faust—About 10,493 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Canterbury street, being lots 15, 16, 16A, 17 and 18, E. A. W. Ham-matt plan, May 4, 1880, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1873, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 75	Also about 4,900 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 90, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	24 70
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	17 02	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 5,202 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tyler street, being lot 166, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 91, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 45	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 8,807 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 88, same plan, tax for 1922.....	17 29
Also about 5,270 feet of land on the southerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	William E. L. Dillaway—About 200 feet of land on the southwesterly side and at end of Washington street, being a lot shown on G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 68
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 20	Also about 2,752 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being the northeasterly part of lot 178, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 63
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	11 30	Nicola F. and Helma D. DiPietro—Buildings and about 57,630 feet of land on the southerly side of River street, numbered 1326 and 1330, making the southwesterly corner of Business street, adjoining an estate of John D. Rooney, trustee, tax for 1923.....	335 92	Tax for 1923.....	17 29
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	11 50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 63
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 00	Irving P. Dodge—About 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 105, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 93	Also about 4,750 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 64, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 34
Also about 5,760 feet of land on the southerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 97, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 07				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	12 89				
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 84				
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 46				
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00				
Also about 4,445 feet of land on the southerly side of Lockwood street, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 75				

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 06	Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 164, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 1 00	Also about 10,234 feet of land on the westerly side of Metropolitan avenue, being the easterly part of lot 68, G. L. Richardson plan, dated October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	24 70 1 95
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 86	Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 165, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	7 41 1 50	Also about 46,700 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lots 181, 182 and 183, C. L. Richardson plan, June, 1867, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 3, plan number 153, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1921.....	56 81 11 50 56 81 1 95
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 98, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 16, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1887, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Moth assessment for 1921.....	11 50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 06	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03	Tax for 1923.....	56 81
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 86	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03	Also about 83,510 (assessed as 82,000) feet of land on the northeasterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being the southwesterly part of lots 184, 185, 186 and 187, same plan, tax for 1921.....	81 51 16 50 81 51 2 90
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 73, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94 1 00	Moth assessment for 1921.....	16 50
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 06	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00	Tax for 1923.....	81 51
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 74, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 90
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 9,300 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 75, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41 95	Also about 16,838 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, being lot 37, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	29 64
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 86	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 08
Also about 9,463 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eustis terrace, being a lot shown on Frederick P. Hall plan, August, 1909, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also about 10,300 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 87, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 8,175 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 21, G. L. Richardson plan, dated October 1, 1887, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88 1 95
Moth assessment for 1922.....	2 13	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 95
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 10,300 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 88, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 6,465 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 262, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	Also about 6,358 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 263, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 18,517 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Eustis terrace, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1922.....	22 23	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Also about 6,252 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 264, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 6,375 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, being the westerly part of lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41 1 50	Also about 6,145 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 265, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 85	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50	Also about 6,039 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 266, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
John Fieichy—Buildings and about 6,660 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Davison street, numbered 77, making the southerly corner of West street, adjoining an estate of Mary Keegan, tax for 1923.....	98 80	Also about 8,453 feet of land on the southerly side of Arlington street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 5,932 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 267, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Paid on account.....	80 00	Also about 5,274 feet of land on the southerly side of Arlington street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 5,816 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 268, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Balance due.....	18 80	Also about 12,482 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Central avenue, being the southerly part of lot 64, same plan, tax for 1921.....	14 82	Also about 5,719 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 269, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Moth assessment for 1921.....	2 53	Also about 5,613 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 270, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
James J. Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 2,858 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Nelson street, numbered 5, between an estate of Rita Wheelwright and another estate of said Fitzgerald, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 03	Tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 5,506 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 271, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also buildings and about 5,243 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Nelson street, numbered 7, making the northerly corner of Damrell avenue, adjoining another estate of said Fitzgerald, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 03	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 85	Also about 5,400 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 272, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
James E. Fitzgibbon—About 3,726 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Richards avenue, between an estate of Alfonso Cairtarese and another (numbered 36) and an estate of Frank Piccozzi, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 5,950 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Central avenue, being the northwesterly part of lot 66, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 5,293 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 273, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Frances A. Forsyth—Buildings and about 10,175 feet of land on the easterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 460, between an estate of Robert Brown and an estate of James S. Roberts and another, tax for 1923.....	86 45	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 54	Also about 5,187 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 274, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 35	Also about 900 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Nott street, between an estate of Ann Smith heirs or devisees (numbered 11) and an estate of John W. Hudson (numbered 15), tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 5,750 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot 275, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Joseph J. Forsyth—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a proposed street, leading from the northeasterly side of Randolph road, being lot 15, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 6,820 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 70, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1887, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35 1 45	Also about 7,030 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 14, G. L. Richardson plan, January 29, 1890, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 5054, plan number 2552, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 7,032 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the easterly part of lot 153, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 7,035 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 7,037 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Richmond road, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Also about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the easterly part of lot 154, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 7,040 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 7,042 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 6,225 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Reservoir street, being lot 28, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January 29, 1890, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 54, plan number 2552, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 7,045 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 20, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28	Moth assessment for 1923.....	70	Also about 7,752 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farwell avenue, being lot 21, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Also about 6,275 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Reservoir street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 19,638 feet of land on the westerly side of Metropolitan avenue, making the southwest corner of Jefferson street, adjoining an estate of Thomas F. Callahan (numbered 681 Metropolitan avenue), tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	39 52 1 40
Alfred Foster—About 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 161, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 9,389 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Summit street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 20		
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 162, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 1 00	Also about 9,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Summit street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88 1 20		
Also about 6,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 163, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94 95				

Also about 13,954 feet of land on the northerly side of Walnut street, between an estate of Harriet P. Goodhue (numbered 87) Maple street and an estate of Sylvester A. Gardella, tax for 1923.....	19 76		Also about 8,474 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923....	9 88
Also about 7,730 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Nott street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said Foster; northeasterly by an estate of John W. Hudson; southwesterly by an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; southwesterly by an estate of Margaret E. Ryan, tax for 1923.....	54 34		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923....	9 88
Alfred Foster (reassessed from Benjamin N. and H. Louise Beck)—About 7,517 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Metropolitan avenue; northwesterly by another estate of said Foster; southwesterly by an estate of Francis E. Grant and southeasterly by an estate of Benjamin N. Beck and another, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 00
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 79, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41
Alfred Foster, Heirs or Devises, two thirds; Marion B. Campbell, and Alice B. Hope, one third—About 10,858 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 22, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 16
Also about 18,700 feet of land, on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, making the easterly corner of Washington street, being lot 23, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 77, same plan, tax for 1923....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 16
Also about 11,895 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 49,730 feet of land on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being a lot shown on Clarence G. Norris plan, July 27, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4309, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Also about 11,887 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Alfred Foster—About 4,454 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the westerly part of lot 238, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	8 70
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 5,870 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Favre street, being lot 119, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922.....	4 91
Also about 11,882 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	3 72
Also about 11,880 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 5,870 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Favre street, being lot 118, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Also about 11,882 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	3 72
Also about 14,036 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 60
Also about 483,952 feet of land, being two lots of land, one on the easterly side and one on the westerly side of Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Dedham Parkway); the westerly lot has a frontage of 429 feet on Dedham Parkway, between the Dedham Parkway and an estate of Elizabeth C. Beckmore, heirs or devisees; the easterly lot has a frontage of 164 feet on Dedham Parkway, and is between an estate of Marion B. Campbell and another, and an estate of Ida C. Hyde, being two lots shown on John R. Rablin plan, April, 1914, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	29 64		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 3,335 feet of land on the southerly side of Oakland street, being the southerly part of lot 28, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	6 00		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 08
Daniel Foster, President Hyde Park Improvement Association—About 3,067 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Upton street, being lot 8, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessor's office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Also about 3,038 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Upton street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Sarah E. Foster Heirs or Devises—About 10,005 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasant street, making the westerly corner of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 35, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1868, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan Book 5, plan number 166, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 74
Also about 10,990 feet of land on southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		George H. Fowle and George E. Healey, Trustees for George W. Fowle—About 300 feet of land on the southerly side of Oakland street, making the southeasterly corner of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Crawford E. Jennings and another, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Also about 10,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	1 44
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 9,491 (assessed as 9,581) feet of land on the southwesterly side of Metropolitan avenue, making the junction of Erie street, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	1 39
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40		Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Bertha J. Francis—About 2,896 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasant street, being lots 763 and 764, E. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Frank J. Frederick—About 2,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 360, John N. McCintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Tax for 1923.....	2 47
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Clara B. French—About 20,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Vaughan street, between another estate of said French (numbered 15 and 17) and an estate of Mary E. Burke (numbered 23 rear), tax for 1923.....	19 76
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 00
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 65
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also buildings and about 4,375 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Vaughan street, numbered 15 and 17, between two other estates of said French, tax for 1923.....	64 22
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 56
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 65
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also buildings and about 15,625 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Vaughan street, numbered 13, between an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston and another estate of said French, tax for 1923.....	41 99
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 44
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 85
			Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southerly side of Westminster street, being lot 97, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Max M. Friedman—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 34, block L, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11369, tax for 1923.....	4 91

Julia E. Fuller—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 107, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 108, same plan, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 16,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Royal road, being lots 3, 4 and 5, and the southwesterly part of lots 1 and 2, John N. McClintock plan, October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1921, Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	8 96		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	8 96		
Tax for 1922.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 68		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 68		
Tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	25 20		
Also about 10,592 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage street, being lots 3 and 4, G. L. Richardson plan, July 29, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 822, page 15, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	2 10		
Wilbur H. Fulton—Buildings and about 9,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Loring street, numbered 65, making the northerly corner of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Fulton, tax for 1923.....	71 63		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	1 15		
James Galvin—About 4,111 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 1, block N. E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 961, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Mina J. Gardner—About 8,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moody street, being lots 592, 593, 594, 595 and 596, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	95		
Helen Garrity—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chester street, numbered 71, between an estate of Alexander T. Burgess and an estate of William J. Cleary, tax for 1923.....	153 14		
Ellis L. Gates—About 12,350 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 2, S. D. Kelley plan, July, 1871, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 448, page 232, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	22 23		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	13 28		
Mo'th assessment for 1922.....	1 28		
Tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 82		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	1 40		
Frank L. George Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dell avenue, numbered 16, between an estate of Eleanor Dunbar and an estate of Ruth A. Day heirs, tax for 1923.....	96 33		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	1 65		
Caroline Gerber—About 9,200 feet of land on the easterly side of the Dedham-Hyde Park boundary line, being a lot shown on H. S. Adams plan, July 15, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7990, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Napoleon J. Giroux Heirs—About 4,462 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Manning street, being lots 31 and 35, E. A. W. Hammatt plan, May 4, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1873, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Walter H. Gleason and Edwin C. Jenney—About 1,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Linwood street, making the southerly corner of Child street, adjoining an estate of Sarah Johnson and another (numbered 58 Child street), tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Christina M. Glover—About 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 91, G. L. Richardson plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03		
Also about 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03		
Also about 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03		
Also about 6,240 feet of land on the westerly side of Bradlee street, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03		
Gabriel Goldberg—About 8,003 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West street, being lots B and C, J. Lewis Carr plan, August, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4004, page 115, tax for 1923.....	29 64		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	2 10		
Peter Gorgines—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 99 and 100, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 48		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 48		
Alexander Goski—About 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 83, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 84, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Barnet Greenfield, Rachel and Bessie Polonsky, Eva Waxman and Harry Motorin—About 6,150 feet of land on the southerly side of River street, being the location of Adams avenue, shown on a plan dated July 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3969, page 15, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Rachel Greenfield—About 225 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Pierce street, between another estate of said Greenfield (numbered 15) and an estate of Mary A. Farrell, (numbered 19), tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Hannah Greenhood—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, numbered 52, between an estate of Frank Schene and another and an estate of Williams Realty Company, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Phoebe Guertin—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vernon street, being lot 67, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book number 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Vernon street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Thomas E. Guild—About 1,136 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ralston road, being lot 24, John N. McClintock plan, October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Israel Gurtin—About 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 94, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book number 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Herbert R. Habenicht and Everett F. Annis—Buildings and about 29,435 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fairmount avenue, numbered 247, making the westerly corner of Summit street, adjoining an estate of Robert C. Morse (numbered 113 Summit street), tax for 1923.....	135 85		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	2 85		
Sarah L. Hall—About 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruskin road, being lot 147, C. E. Carney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	50		
Angus M. Hamilton Heirs or Devises—About 3,674 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Royal road, being lot 9, John N. McClintock plan, October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1921.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	7 17		
Tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	6 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 72		
Eugene B. Hamilton—About 4,493 feet of land on the westerly side of Pleasantview street, being lots 719, 720 and 721, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Herman Hansen—About 5,266 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Livermore street, being lots 607 and 608, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Bolette P. Hansen—About 4,208 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hallowell street, being lots 352 and 353, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Edgar W. Hardy—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Matapan street, being lot 7, shown on assessors' plans, volume 9, page 310, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Lillian F. Harrington—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Laurel avenue, being lot 134, C. E. Varney plan, December, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Ellen V. Harrington—About 4,946 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Canterbury street, adjoining an estate of Anders P. Lawson (numbered 641 Hyde Park avenue), tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Ada T. Hayden—About 21,656 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oakland street, being the southwesterly parts of lots 55, 56, 57 and 58 and all of a triangular lot which adjoins, C. E. C. Breck plan, April, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2060, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	22 32		
C. O. Haynes Heirs or Devises—About 8,736 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Charles street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Henry N. Bates and others, trustees; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of St. Charles street, southwesterly by an estate of Ellen Jordan and southeasterly by an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	1 50		
William F. and Margaret M. Healy—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prescott street, numbered 14 and 16, between an estate of James J. Powers, and an estate of Olive L. G. La Croix, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Ella C. Hill, Clara E. Webster, Frances E. Eldridge and Alba W. Dwight—About 26,608 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, making the easterly corner of Garfield avenue, adjoining an estate of Margaret Rogers (numbered 92 and 94 Water street), tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	65		
Also about 11,487 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 3, G. L. Richardson plan, January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 11,562 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	1 50		
Also about 11,637 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Garfield avenue, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Foster street, being lot 65, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 130, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenwood avenue, being lot 131, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 19,900 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tyler street, being lot 145, Clarence G. Norris plan, April 24, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 2848, Book number 59, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Mo'th assessment for 1923.....	2 10		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 12,406 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Mt. Hope street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon (numbered 103), tax for 1923.....	19 76		

Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Hope street, numbered 103, between an estate of Michael J. Driscoll and another and another estate of said Hodsdon, tax for 1923.....	24 70	District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 14, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also buildings and about 5,605 feet of land on the northeasterly side of New Bedford street, numbered 26, between another estate of said Hodsdon and an estate of Mabel L. Leonard, tax for 1923.....	83 98	Also about 4,018 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 4, block N, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 2,405 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 17, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 40	Also about 3,628 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 5, block N, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 6,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 18, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 5,578 feet of land on the northeasterly side of New Bedford street, being lot 49, shown on a plan, not named and not dated, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 751, page 600, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 2, block N, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,498 feet of land on the westerly side of Almont street, being lot 20, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	8 25
John Hogan—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Rockingham road, being lot 105, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 88	Also about 5,762 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Currier street, being lot 18, block K, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,840 feet of land on the westerly side of Almont street, being lot 21, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	6 60
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 15, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 56	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,918 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 31, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	6 60
Wellington, John B. and Grace Holbrook, Trustees—About 5,595 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Colorado street, being lot 7, block Q, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 16, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 3,927 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 32, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 4,677 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 8, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 17, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,958 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Colorado street, being lot 7, block O, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 19, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Also about 4,286 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 9, block Q, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 20, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,452 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Colorado street, being lot 11, block O, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 6,138 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, being lot 25, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 60
Also about 4,623 feet of land on the southerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 14, block S, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,558 feet of land on the northerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 27, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,170 feet of land on the westerly side of Almont street, being lot 10, block O, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 5,407 feet of land on the northerly side of Monterey avenue, being lot 1, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 60
Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 8, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 11, block M, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,858 feet of land on the westerly side of Almont street, being lot 12, block O, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 60
Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 9, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,199 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 5, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 6, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,057 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, being lot 17, block O, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 10, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 7, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,067 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, being lot 19, block O, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 4,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 12, block U, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,174 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 9, block L, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, being lot 22, block O, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		

Also about 3,901 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Almont street, being lot 10, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 29 and 30, same plan, tax for 1922.....	2 47	E. P. Sellev plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1802, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 62	Thomas E. Horsfield—Buildings and about 5,250 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1823 and 1825, between an estate of Christian Miller and another and an estate of James A. Shaffer and another, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 43
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Annie C. Hubbard—About 3,215 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 2, Whitman and Howard plan, July 25, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2917, page 387, tax for 1923.....	138 32	Edwin C. Jenney, Trustee Five Associates—About 4,390 feet of land on the southerly side of Stoughton avenue, being lot 69, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in the assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Also about 3,288 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dyer avenue, being lot 7, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,263 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 8,184 feet of land on the southerly side of Curley street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 4,240 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 1, block E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 4,398 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Also about 5,083 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Boleslaw Jeroma—Buildings and about 3,240 feet of land on the northerly side of Easton avenue numbered 13, between an estate of James Dugan and another and an estate of Adolph Radulski, tax for 1921.....	44 46
Also about 3,921 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 2, block E, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,232 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Alwinas Jipner—About 3,092 feet of land on the easterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 1, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 3,293 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 15, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,704 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 3,160 feet of land on the easterly side of Wood avenue, being lot 2, same plan, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,213 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00
Also about 4,022 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Savannah avenue, being lot 14, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Mary Johnson—About 3,051 feet of land on the westerly side of Pleasant-view street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 757 and 758, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 4,211 feet of land on the easterly side of Almont street, being lot 2, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 3,532 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Peter Johnson—About 1,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, being lot 164, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 43	Also about 6,533 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Fritz Johnson, Gunner Swanson and Andrew G. Johnson, Trustees of Argus Real Estate Association—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattapan street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Johnson and others, trustees, and an estate of Louis S. White, tax for 1923.....	192 66
Also about 5,468 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot A, block D, Henry C. Midram plan, December 20, 1913, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,088 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	James B. Jordan—About 5,128 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Church street, making the easterly corner of Hillside street, adjoining an estate of Harold V. Jordan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 32	Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Arthur Katsines—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, adjoining an estate of John Katsines, being lots 28 and 29, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 5,413 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot B, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,274 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94	John Katsines—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, being lots 26 and 27, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 32	Also about 1,437 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Charles J. Kelley—About 196,020 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly end of Baker street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Benjamin Goldsmith; easterly by an estate of Kate G. Bullard and an estate of Alfred Foster and another, trustees; southerly by another estate of said Charles J. Kelley and westerly by the dividing line between West Roxbury and Hyde Park, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 5,360 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot C, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,162 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 196,020 feet of land lying in the rear, from the north-easterly side of Baker street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Annie M. Kelley; westerly by the dividing line between Boston and Dedham, easterly by an estate of John D. Bullard and southerly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 32	Also about 5,122 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,787 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, adjoining an estate of Alfred C. Bryan and another, being lot 73, F. A. Foster plan, dated September 20, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 798, page 622, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 5,306 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot D, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,288 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Annie M. Kelley—About 16,380 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Adams avenue, adjoining an estate of Joseph Salekis and another, being lot D. S. L. Moulton plan, dated July 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3969, page 15, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 32	Also about 6,318 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, adjoining an estate of Julia E. Russell, being lots 191 and 192, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Also about 5,306 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot D, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1200, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Mary W. Hudson—About 20,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, between an estate of Mary E. McKinnon (numbered 96) and an estate of Helen A. Scaife, tax for 1922.....	34 58	Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 32	Also about 4,631 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	34 58		
Also about 5,251 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Itasca street, being lot E, block D, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6448, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Albert A. Hurst—About 1,700 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Catherine J. Callahan; southerly by an estate of David Callahan and another; easterly by an estate of Catherine J. Callahan and westerly by the easterly line of Hyde Park avenue, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 32	Stillman B. Hyde—About 128,502 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southerly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Katie P. Bullard and an estate of Elizabeth C. Bickmore, heirs or devisees; easterly by Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Dedham Parkway); southerly by an estate of Alvah Whiting, heirs or devisees, and an estate of Samuel Myers and others and westerly by an estate of Katie P. Bullard, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Charles S. Holcomb—Buildings and about 4,007 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Messinger street, making the easterly corner of Colorado street, adjoining an estate of Thomas L. Hayes, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	9 88		
William P. Holcomb—About 5,175 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the southeasterly part of lot 12, T. B. Moses plan, December 15, 1870, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1655, page 314, tax for 1922.....	17 29	Sebastiano Imprescia—About 2,620 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kennebec street, making the southerly corner of Currier street, being lots 136 and 137, F. J. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Tax for 1923.....	17 29	David H. Irving—About 3,927 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Almont street, being lot 3, block D,	4 94		
Agnes E. Holleman—About 4,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Radcliffe road, being lot 407, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88		4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95				
Robert J. Hook—About 8,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, F. T. Westcott plan, September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	4 94				
Tax for 1923.....	4 94				

Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, adjoining another estate of said Larcha, being lot 82, E. W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 61, plan number 2926, tax for 1923.....	2 47	District of Land Court, certificate number 1554, tax for 1923.....	4 94	road, being lot 137, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Jessie M. Leavitt—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, adjoining an estate of Florence L. G. Davis, being lots 259 and 260, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.....	2 47 50	John D. McLaughlin, Josephine Cun- niff and John Cuniff, Executors and Trustees under will of Michael M. Cuniff—About 5,368 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 2, G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, in file in assessors' office, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 138, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....		Also about 4,498 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 139, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Ann A. Lever—About 4,122 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Mt. Hope street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Ellen F. Berran and an estate of Matthew F. McGarry and another, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 6,202 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94 51	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 140, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1921.....	51	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 141, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47 50
Charles A. Logue—Buildings and about 7,337 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, num- bered 60, between two estates of John W. McAfee, tax for 1923.....	64 22	Also about 4,631 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Water street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 142, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Bridie Lonergan—About 3,650 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, making the westerly corner of Wood avenue, being lots 466 and 465, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	9 88 50	Also about 6,056 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94 51	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 143, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		Moth assessment for 1921.....	51	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 144, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94 51
Joseph LoRusso—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 20 and 21, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47 50	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 153, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 154, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
William J. and Mary Loughan—Build- ings and about 9,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Paine street, numbered 55, between an estate of John Norton heirs and an estate of John J. Wittekind and another, tax for 1923.....	24 70 50	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47 50	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 155, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....		Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 156, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47 50
Lavenia F. Lyman—About 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chester street, being lot 314, W. F. Whitman plan, dated August, 1910, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, at end of Book 1152, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Moth assessment for 1921.....	50
John Lynch—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lot 397, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47 50 2 47	Also about 4,488 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1921.....	7 41	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 157, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....		Also about 4,499 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1921.....	7 41	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 158, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....		Also about 4,511 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1921.....	7 41 51	Moth assessment for 1921.....	50
Mary E. Lynch—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 500 and 501, John M. McClintock, plan dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1921.....	51	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 159, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Agnes B. Madden—Buildings and about 2,560 feet of land on the easterly side of Whitney park, numbered 17, be- tween an estate of Peter H. Babbins and an estate of Margaret M. Waker, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Also about 4,523 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1921.....	7 41	Also about 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 160, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Mary A. Manning—About 7,491 feet of land on the southerly side of Can- terbury street, being lot A, Charles H. W. Wood plan, September 21, 1897, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2470, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 4,534 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1921.....	7 41	Also about 5,477 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 195, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Thomas McCormack—About 3,979 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mattapan street, being lot 8, Block A. E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1893, registered in the Suffolk Registry, District of Land Court, certificate number 15650, tax for 1923,	4 94	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 5,475 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 196, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Margaret McDonald—About 3,949 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oakland street, being lots 409 and 410, F. T. Wescott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 5,472 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 197, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28	Moth assessment for 1921.....	51	Also about 5,470 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 198, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 45	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 5,468 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 199, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Nathan F. and Catherine E. McGarry— Buildings and about 5,632 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Hope street, numbered 19, adjoining an es- tate of Annie M. Chase, tax for 1923,	29 64	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 97, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 5,466 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 200, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Mary P. McKenna—About 5,979 feet of land on the easterly side of Clifford street, making the southeasterly cor- ner of Stanley street, being lot 231, H. T. Whitman plan, January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan numbered 816, Plan Book num- bered 3, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Moth assessment for 1921.....	51	Also about 5,463 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 201, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Maria McLaren—About 5,864 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orland street, being lot 21, block V, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry		Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 98, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 5,461 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 202, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47
		Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47 50
		Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 100, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1921.....	50
		Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wolcott road, being lot 101, same plan, tax for 1921.....	4 94	Frank P. Merrill—About 1,967 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Can- terbury street, being lot 29, E. A. W. Hammatt plan, May 4, 1889, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1873, tax for 1922.....	4 94 4 94
		Also about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott		Tax for 1923.....	4 94
				Maud M. Miner (supposed present owner Max Greenberg)—About 7,475 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Collins street, being lot 183, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, re- corded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922.....	9 88

Michael F. Moran—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orlando street, being lot 34, block U, F. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 493, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Mabel E. Morrill—About 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Pleasant street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Mt. Pleasant street; northwesterly by an estate of Edward H. Cunningham; southwesterly by an estate of Charles Felch; southeasterly by an estate of James E. Savage, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 75
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40
Ellen C. Morton—About 6,121 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 2, Henry A. Sherman plan, May 6, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4382, page 4, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,255 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,132 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mt. Hope street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Bothilda N. Moysse—About 7,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Rutledge road, being lots 78 and 79, C. E. Varney plan (not dated), on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	16 74
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Wincenty Mrowiecki—About 4,810 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, making the northerly corner of Messenger street, being lots 364, 365 and 366, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
John B. Mulvey, Junior—Buildings and about 2,942 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walk Hill street, numbered 641, making the westerly corner of Mulvey street, adjoining an estate of Irene P. Mulvey, tax for 1923.....	123 50
Ellen S. Murphy—About 7,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Meyer street, adjoining an estate of E. M. Dartwell, being lot 48, John H. Masehold plan, dated December 6, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1813, page 595, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Josephine Myer—About 3,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Ruskin road, adjoining an estate of Frederick A. Taylor, being lot 134, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Ruskin road, adjoining another estate of said Myers, being lot 135, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 08
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Irad W. Myers—Buildings and about 5,306 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hallowell street, numbered 52, between an estate of Anthony Ashmanský and an estate of Eva Freedman, tax for 1923, \$51 87 Paid on account.....	15 00
Balance due.....	36 87
James J. Naughton—About 3,605 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, adjoining an estate of Michael F. Clarke, being lot 14, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
John H. Neas—Buildings and about 14,560 feet of land on the easterly side of Lakeside avenue (numbered 16), between an estate of Sarah M. Caldwell and an estate of Albert Davenport, tax for 1923, \$39 52 Paid on account.....	19 35
Balance due.....	20 27
John Nestorak—About 3,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Messenger street, being lots 87 and 88, F. T. Westcott plan, September, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Alfred W. and Bertha L. Newell—Buildings and about 8,987 feet of land on the easterly side of Arlington street,	
numbered 61, between an estate of Mary Etta Aronson and an estate of Nellie F. Sanborn, tax for 1923.....	88 92
New England Newspaper Publishing Company—About 5,257 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Prairie street, adjoining an estate of Thomas J. Stevenson, being the southerly part of lot 18, block G, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1830, tax for 1923.....	7 41
William Norton—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, being lots 132 and 133, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 70
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Francis W. Noyes—About 7,457 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, making the southerly corner of Chase street, being lots 43 and 44, G. L. Richardson plan, May 1, 1893, recorded Norfolk Deeds, Book 706, page 572, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 00
Francis W. and Edith H. O'Brien—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Colorado street, adjoining an estate of George P. Connor, being lot 22, Block M, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14385, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Edith S. Olson—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wood avenue, being lots 504, 505 and 506, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Owner or Owners Unknown—About 3,000 feet of land on the northwesterly and southwesterly side, and at end of Oak place, adjoining an estate of Maria Rausa, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 5,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stanley street, making the easterly corner of Chester street, adjoining an estate of Mary C. Bowen, being lot 308, H. T. Whitman plan, January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan number 816, plan book 3, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 2,510 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining an estate of William A. Matthews, being a lot shown on N. J. Holland plan, dated July, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94
William H. Parsons, Surviving Trustee of Estate of Susan Gliddin—About 4,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Roseberry road, being lot 394, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Florence M. Pasternak—Buildings and about 23,763 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1612 and 1614, between an estate of Hartman Brothers, Inc., and an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, tax for 1923.....	106 21
Moth assessment for 1923.....	4 75
William P. and Judith Pearson—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1474 and 1476, between an estate of Emilio Arnautucci and an estate of Patsey Moschello and another, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 40
F. R. Pendleton—About 50,940 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tileston street, making the southerly corner of Locust street, adjoining an estate of Philip P. Coveney, trustee, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 60
Dennis J. Pettepit—About 3,572 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakland street, making the westerly corner of Hebron street, being lots 152 and 153, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 20
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 86
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Tony Piscillo—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 72, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 73, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 74, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Katherine A. Keating, being lot 76, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Robert Pittorino—About 5,680 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wyvern street, being lot 18, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated June, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3965, page 295, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 36
Polish American Institute—About 6,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, being lots 156, 157, 158 and 159, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Henry W. Prescott Heirs or Devises—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Radcliffe road, being lot 426, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Tax for 1923.....	7 41
George W. Proal—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Estelle M. Kent, being lot 66, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Mary H. Burgess, trustee, being lot 67, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96
Stanislaw Rakowsky—Buildings and about 34,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Coleman street, numbered 9, making the easterly corner of Cleveland street, adjoining an estate of John L. Sweeney, tax for 1923.....	91 39
Moth assessment for 1923.....	5 30
Also about 19,480 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Coleman street, making the northerly corner of Cleveland street, adjoining Stony brook reservation, being the whole of assessors' block 480, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Margaret G. Reynolds—About 10,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott road, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being a lot shown on G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Arthur B. Rigney—About 5,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a 40-foot street leading from the northwesterly side of Gordon avenue, being lot 90, C. H. W. Wood plan, September 20, 1870, recorded Norfolk Deeds, Book 397, page 320, tax for 1921.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 45
Joseph J. Riley—About 3,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattapan street, being lot 10, block A, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 878, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Thomas F. Riley—About 3,064 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dyer avenue, being lot 6, block F, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9734, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50

Frank P. Rogers Heirs or Devises—About 4,995 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining an estate of John P. Naughtman, being a lot shown on N. J. Holland plan, dated July, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		Thompson street, being lot 43, T. B. Moses plan, January 9, 1869, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 381, page 125, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		Livermore street, being lots 581 and 582, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50		Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
George E. Rogers—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stark avenue, numbered 12, between an estate of James N. Spencer and an estate of Daniel F. Wallace and another, tax for 1923.....	56 81		Also about 5,625 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thompson street, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	7 41		Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 76		Mary T. Shea—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, being lot 123, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41		Carl Otto Sundel—About 2,553 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Acton street, being lot 112, E. W. Branch plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Joe Rose—About 3,200 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hebron street, being lots 130 and 131, F. T. Westcott plan, date June, 1912, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 56		Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
James A. Ross—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rutledge road, numbered 40, between an estate of James A. Ross and another and an estate of Seth M. Handy, tax for 1923.....	44 46		Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 83		Agnes E. Sherman—Buildings and about 11,962 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Arlington street, numbered 77, between an estate of Edwin J. Tuckerman and an estate of Dasy M. Chittick, tax for 1923.....	135 85		Also about 2,553 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Acton street, being lot 113, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		Nicholas Skwarck—About 6,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kennebec street, making the northerly corner of Messinger street, being lots 181, 182, 183 and 184, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1923.....	4 94		James Sweeney—About 5,717 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Randolph road, making the easterly corner of Harmon street, being lot 81, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	14 82
James A. and Virginia A. Ross—About 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rutledge road, being lot 111, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Albert C. Smith—About 5,870 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bismarck street, being lot 124, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922.....	4 94		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	13 68
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 83		Also about 2,469 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, being lot 62, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	4 94		Christopher Tangen—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 31, Ernest W. Branch plan, September, 1911, recorded Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 61, plan number 2926, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Anna V. Ross—About 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rutledge road, being lot 114, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	7 20		Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	2 47
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8 10		Moth assessment for 1922.....	85		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		Tax for 1923.....	4 94		Also about 3,088 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96		Also about 3,263 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weston street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 83		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		George H. and Carrie J. Smith—About 3,665 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Orlando street, being lot 19, block V, E. P. Sellen plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3963, tax for 1923.....	2 47		Frank A. Thain—About 4,508 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasantview street, being lots 726, 727, 728, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Walter B. F. Rowe—About 5,975 feet of land on the northerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the southerly part of lot 16, T. B. Moses plan, December 15, 1870, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1655, page 314, tax for 1921.....	22 23		Celia Smith—Buildings and about 4,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wyvern street, numbered 16, between two estates of Gertrude L. Kotzen, tax for 1923.....	167 96		George E. and Blanche Thiessen—Buildings and about 4,214 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walk Hill street, numbered 629, between an estate of Dinah S. DeNat. and an estate of Clara B. French, tax for 1923.....	160 55
William F. Rowe—About 10,350 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ashland street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, northeasterly by an estate of John Sheehan heirs, and southeasterly by an estate of Albert F. Frey, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 24		Louis and Mary J. Thorpe—Buildings and about 5,370 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Grover avenue, numbered 18, making the westerly corner of Grover street, adjoining an estate of William J. A. Fubel, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	10 56
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		Leta G. Smith—Buildings and about 3,590 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodland park, numbered 55, adjoining another estate of said Smith, being lot 25, C. E. Varney plan, dated December 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29		Mary B. Townsend—Buildings and about 7,860 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Webster street, numbered 37, between an estate of Robert Miller and another and an estate of Dick Paginton, tax for 1923.....	86 45
Julia E. Russell—About 4,713 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Itasca street, being lots 189 and 190, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1923.....	4 94		Also about 3,878 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodland park, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923,.....	4 94		Jennie L. Troop—About 7,400 feet of land on the southerly side of Thacher street, being the southeasterly part of lot 67, shown on a compiled plan by G. R. Richardson, on file in street commissioners' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Roger F. Scannell—About 184,041 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Randolph road, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, southwesterly and northwesterly by an estate of Annie M. Kelley, northeasterly by an estate of Thomas L. Hayes, tax for 1923.....	49 40		Charles H. Spencer—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stark avenue, numbered 8, between an estate of James N. Spencer and an estate of Agostino Qualtieri and another, tax for 1923.....	64 22		Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 65
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50		Jens and Julia Usarwicz—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tina avenue, numbered 16, between an estate of Samuel C. Silver and an estate of Seth N. Handy, tax for 1923.....	66 69
Also about 30,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Royal road, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; southwesterly by an estate of Ellen A. Hamblin, northwesterly by an estate of Thomas E. Guild and sundry estate on Royal road and northeasterly by the Old Boston Line, tax for 1923.....	22 23		Frederick J. Stark, Trustee for Sixteenth Ward Land Company—About 6,789 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bismarck street, being lot 153, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	3 60		Giovanni and Louisa Valli—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hebron street, numbered 87, between an estate of Charles R. Gallagher and an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, tax for 1922.....	49 40
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 60		Flora B. Stewart—About 6,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Radcliffe road, making the northwesterly corner of Locust street, being lots 108 and 109, C. E. Varney plan, dated December, 1890, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	9 88		Rollin J. Van Houten—About 4,705 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oakland street, being lot 131, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	4 94
Elizabeth Sharp—About 87,120 feet of land on the easterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Edward W. Grew and another, trustees; easterly by an estate of Walter D. Brooks; southerly by an estate of Sadie M. Lorrie and another and westerly by Stony Brook Reservation (Commonwealth of Massachusetts) tax for 1923.....	17 29		Salome A. Stubbs—About 2,969 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ralston road, making the northerly corner of Ruskin road, being lot 354, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	2 47		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	12 40
James C. Sharp Heirs or Devises—About 65,340 feet of land on the easterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of Walter D. Brooks; southerly by an estate of Edward W. Grew and another, trustees; westerly by Stony Brook Reservation (Commonwealth of Massachusetts) and northerly by an estate of Marion B. Campbell and another, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Moth assessment for 1922.....	85
William G. Shaw—About 5,625 feet of land on the northwesterly side of			Joseph and Annie Suchecki—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moody street, being lots 606 and 607, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94		Tax for 1923.....	4 94
			Timothy J. Sullivan—About 3,456 feet of land on the southeasterly side of			Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 98
						Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
						Frank X. Vincent—About 4,516 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Savannah avenue, being lots 23 and 24, John N. McClintock plan, April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47
						Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
						Tax for 1923.....	2 47
						Moth assessment for 1923.....	50

Lyman T. Vose—About 6,250 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rexford street, being lot 30, C. E. C. Breck plan, dated April, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2528, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 8,309 feet of land on the westerly side of George street, adjoining an estate of Willard H. Sawtelle heirs or devisees and another, being lot 13, S. D. Kelley plan, dated July, 1871, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 448, page 232, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	17 29	erly by an estate of James M. Woods; westerly by an estate of Mary O'D. Campbell, in the assessment for 1921....	85 13
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 10	Also about 6,192 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, between an estate of William Camfill and an estate of James Campbell devisees and another, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	22 23	Tax for 1922.....	661 96
Hannah Wallace—About 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Prescott street, adjoining an estate of Samuel J. Dunn and another, being lot 23, H. T. Whitman plan, January 20, 1896, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan numbered 816, Plan Book 3, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 8,390 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dana avenue, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 5, C. Fred Joy, Junior, plan, dated August 14, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4324, page 576, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
John H. Walsh—About 2,668 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, adjoining an estate of James H. Molineaux, being lot 3, block K, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1902, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Also about 10,248 feet of land on the northerly side of Walnut street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Annie G. Allen—Buildings and about 2,573 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Orkney road, numbered 45, between two estates of said Allen, tax for 1923.....	545 87
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 9,182 feet of land on the northerly side of Walnut street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	12 35	American Surety Company of New York—Buildings and about 5,659 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dighton street, numbered 46, between an estate of David C. Seager and an estate of George A. Warren and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	46 93
Mary Waznia—Buildings and about 7,366 feet of land on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Lynch, being a lot shown on N. J. Holland plan, July 16, 1921, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15027, tax for 1923.....	88 92	Also about 9,407 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dana avenue, adjoining an estate of said Williams, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	1 40	Also buildings and about 65,735 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 35, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 75 Academy Hill road, extending to and making the northerly corner of and numbered 11 to 19 Mt. Vernon street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company, tax for 1923.....	1,143 61
Moth assessment for 1923.....	85	Moth assessment for 1923.....	19 76	Moth assessment for 1923.....	85
Patrick Welch—About 10,000 feet of land on the northerly side of River-side square, at angle, adjoining an estate of Alvin C. White and another, being a lot shown on assessors' plan 4, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Also about 6,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Loring street, making the easterly corner of Foster street, adjoining an estate of Marietta G. Andrews, numbered 51 Garfield avenue, tax for 1923.....	1 85	Also about 35,669 feet of land on the westerly side of Academy Hill road, making the southwesterly corner of Mt. Vernon street, adjoining an estate of Delia A. Elbery, tax for 1923.....	79 04
Laura M. Westall—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lot 401, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 88	Christian P. and Bertha M. Anderson—Buildings and about 10,780 feet of land on the southerly side of Kilsyth road, numbered 82 and 84, between an estate of Frieda A. Bencks and an estate of Rose F. Weiner, tax for 1923..	427 31
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 18,750 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Loring street, making the westerly corner of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 101, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January, 1882, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	27 99	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 56	Barbara Ballou—Buildings and about 2,369 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1737, between an estate of Althea A. Tougas and an estate of Alice C. Bailey, tax for 1923.....	133 38
Anna M. Whelan—Buildings and about 3,225 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mulvey street, numbered 4 and 6, between another estate of said Whelan and an estate of Annie F. Mulvey, tax for 1923.....	121 03	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40	Louis Berkovitz—Buildings and about 3,745 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1878 and 1880, making the easterly corner of Chestnut Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Sophie Cadiff, tax for 1923.....	1,204 28
Mabel E. Whitehouse—About 3,025 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Pleasantview street, adjoining an estate of Frederick Bussey, being lots 739 and 740, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 18,750 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glenwood avenue, east, making the northerly corner of Loring street, adjoining another estate of said Williams, being lot 121, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11	Mary Brady—Buildings and about 1,314 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hano street, numbered 55, between another estate of said Brady and an estate of James A. Cody, tax for 1923.....	44 46
Horatio E. Williams and N. Marks—Buildings and about 28,414 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Factory street, making the easterly corner of Jackson street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Ventola, tax for 1923.....	560 69	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 88	Also buildings and about 1,313 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hano street, numbered 57, between two other estates of said Brady, tax for 1923.....	44 46
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 53	Jennie Wolfe—About 9,552 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Davison street, numbered 71, extending through to and numbered 88 Pierce street, between an estate of David Strachan and another and an estate of Mary Keegan, tax for 1923.....	108 68	Also buildings and about 1,546 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hano street, numbered 59, between another estate of said Brady and an estate of Deonisia Cantoni, tax for 1923.....	11 16
George T. Whittier—About 13,070 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cleveland street, making the northerly corner of Child street, adjoining an estate of Mary Tracey heirs or devisees, numbered 35, tax for 1923.....	24 70	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Frances H. L. Brady—Buildings and about 3,799 feet of land on the southerly side of Larch street, adjoining an estate of Frances E. Sullivan, being lot 24, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....	81 51
Moth assessment for 1923.....	3 75	Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ellis street, between an estate of Edward P. Millett heirs or devisees and another estate of said Arthur Wood and another, tax for 1923.....	54 34	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 44
Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 10,983 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1149, between an estate of Mary C. McLean and a estate of Gennaro Piculo, tax for 1923.....	143 26	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	William H. Burgess and Howard W. Lang, Trustees of City Building Trust—Buildings and about 13,413 feet of land on the southerly side of Brighton avenue, numbered 128, between an estate of John J. Collins and an estate of Lena D. Rittenberg, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923.....	4,352 14
Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 80	George H. Wood—About 7,332 feet of land on westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, between an estate of Annie Southern and an estate of Virginia Cataldo and another, being the westerly part of lot 25, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 156, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922.....	11 82	Maude D. Butler—Buildings and about 3,104 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1767, making the junction of Wallingford road, between an estate of Eugenia H. Simmons and an estate of Meta D. Ross, tax for 1923.....	158 08
Also about 7,676 feet of land on the westerly side of New Allen street, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Moth assessment for 1922.....	24 70	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 95
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	Tax for 1923.....	1 51	Margaret C. Campbell—About 1,656 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Upper Crescent circuit, adjoining another estate of said Campbell, being westerly part of lot 41, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also buildings and about 26,487 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Milton square, at end, extending through to Glenwood avenue, between an estate of Hannah Greenwood and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	256 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	24 70	Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,612 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Snow street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot K, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated May 12, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2522, tax for 1922.....	14 82
Also about 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Damrell avenue, being lot 200, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, making the easterly corner of Neponset court, adjoining an estate of Bernard Gannon, tax for 1922.....	1 51	Tax for 1923.....	14 82
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	Tax for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,927 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Snow street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot I, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated May 12, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2522, tax for 1922.....	17 29
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Damrell avenue, being lot 199, G. L. Richardson plan, dated July, 1896, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Arthur M. Young—About 8,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Poydras street, adjoining an estate of Minnie Alpert, being a lot shown on Robert B. Bellamy plan, dated February 10, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4374, page 3, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	17 29
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 50	Moth assessment for 1923.....			
William Williams—About 4,392 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Delle terrace, between an estate of Lucy S. Reynolds and an estate of Edith L. Barnard, tax for 1923.....	9 88				

WARD TWENTY-FIVE.

Aberdeen Realty Corporation—About 32,437 feet of land lying in the rear on the passageway leading from the northerly side of Lanark road, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and easterly by another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation; south-

Also about 4,709 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Snow street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot J, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated May 12, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2522, tax for 1922.....

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17 29

Tax for 1923.....
Also about 4,032 feet of land on the westerly side of Wade street, adjoining an estate of Louville V. Niles, being the northerly part of lot 8, C. H. Gannett plan, dated January, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 22, tax for 1922.....

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24 70

Tax for 1923.....
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....

12 15

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Upper Crescent circuit, adjoining an estate of Oak Square Realty Incorporated, being the easterly part of lot 41, shown on O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1922.....

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Tax for 1923.....
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....

7 90

Also about 3,018 feet of land on the westerly side of Breck avenue, adjoining an estate of Charles J. O'Donnell, being lot 35, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3810, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 16, between an estate of Corah W. Wohltman and an estate of Joseph Kaufman and another, tax for 1922.....

160 55

Mabel E. Chadwick—supposed present owner Mary M. McDonald)—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 16, between an estate of Corah W. Wohltman and an estate of Joseph Kaufman and another, tax for 1923.....

160 55

George C. Coyle, Reassessed from Max E. Wyzanski et al.—Buildings and about 5,653 feet of land on the northerly side of Colonial road, numbered 42, between an estate of Max E. Wyzanski and another and an estate of George H. Bonelli, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12426, tax for 1923.....

296 40

Also about 5,653 feet of land on the northerly side of Colonial road, between another estate of said Coyle and an estate of Max E. Wyzanski and another, being lot 10 and part of lot 9, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated June 7, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12126, tax for 1923.....

12 35

Florence K. Dana, Marion A. Knight and Ethel A. Knight—About 11,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Washington street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Cyrus W. Alger and another, numbered 416 and 418 Washington street, tax for 1922.....

31 58

James Daniels—Buildings and about 10,531 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 599, between an estate of Simon B. Sawin and an estate of Sisters of St. Joseph, tax for 1923.....

175 37

Walter E. Erickson—About 5,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Emery road, adjoining an estate of Fred H. King, being lot 21, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated August 20, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2845, page 129, tax for 1921.....

14 82
14 82

Tax for 1923.....
Gertrude M. Fay—Buildings and about 5,580 feet of land on the southerly side of Nottingham road, at end, numbered 24, between an estate of Francis L. Colpoys and an estate of Carolyn W. Lebowich, tax for 1922.....

125 97

Edgar E. Payous—About 800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Beacon street, adjoining an estate of Octavia N. Vaas, being the northeasterly part of lot A, Henry C. Meldram plan, dated September 30, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4258, page 393, tax for 1922.....

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4 94

Tax for 1923.....
Ancha and Irene Ferrarone—About 5,176 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Frederick L. Briggs, being lot 76, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16376, tax for 1923.....

24 70

Annie E. Flint—Buildings and about 6,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harvard avenue, numbered

215, between an estate of Patrick J. O'Toole and an estate of Ida Wiland, tax for 1923.....

881 79

Clara B. French—Also about 4,570 feet of land on the easterly side of Nottingham road, adjoining another estate of said Clara B. French, being lot 61 section A, C. H. W. Wood plan, dated October 24, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3312, tax for 1923.....

17 29

Also about 4,832 feet of land on the easterly side of Nottingham road, adjoining another estate of said Clara B. French, being lot 62, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....

17 29

Robert W. Frost and James A. Hathaway, Trustees of the Brighton and Bristol Real Estate Trust—About 16,845 feet of land on the southwest side of Chestnut Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Academy Hill road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Travis, being lot A, William E. Hannon plan, dated July 9, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....

83 98
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Moat assessment for 1923.....
Jake Gilman—Buildings and about 8,952 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, at the Brookline line, numbered 1056, adjoining an estate of Ella A. Osgood, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15344, tax for 1923.....

3,102 32

Susan S. Grace—Buildings and about 2,635 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union street, numbered 143 and 145, between an estate of Elizabeth Ford and another estate of said Susan S. Grace, tax for 1923.....

39 52

Also buildings and about 9,207 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Union street, numbered 147 and 149 rear, between another estate of said Susan S. Grace and an estate of David Smart and another, tax for 1923.....

123 50

Also about 2,549 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Union street, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Susan S. Grace, being lot T, D. W. Hyde plan, dated July 28, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2918, page 17, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Susan Grace—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Shannon street, numbered 30, between an estate of Mary E. Barrett and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....

76 57

Also about 4,320 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Susan Grace, being lot 7, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated July, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3300, page 281, tax for 1923.....

7 41

Also about 3,746 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Susan Grace, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....

7 41

William E. Grace—Buildings and about 6,220 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Union street, numbered 52 and 54, between an estate of Mary E. Knight and an estate of Bridget T. Burns, tax for 1923.....

113 62

Also about 7,392 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Union street, adjoining an estate of Jeremiah T. Cronin, being lot 14, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated February 21, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9567, tax for 1923.....

14 82

Orin S. Green—Buildings and about 7,018 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1406 and 1408, between an estate of said Green and an estate of Michael F. Kelly, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16474, tax for 1923.....

1,311 21

Also buildings and about 7,462 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1402 and 1404, between another estate of said Green and an estate of Carrie E. M. Gifford, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16474, tax for 1923.....

1,351 09

Evelyn H. Green—Buildings and about 2,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Summit avenue, numbered 328, between an estate of J. Scott McLearn and an estate of Frank S. Lane, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8289, tax for 1923.....

291 46

Merrill M. Hammond and Marie L. Green—Buildings and about 1,781 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 60, be-

tween another estate of said Hammond and another and an estate of Katherine Winchester, tax for 1923.....

138 32

Also buildings and about 2,430 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashford street, numbered 58, making northeast corner Hammond terrace, between two other estate of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....

145 73

Also buildings and about 2,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 9, making the southeasterly corner of Wadsworth street, adjoining another estate of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....

143 26

Also building and about 1,948 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....

140 79

Also buildings and about 1,966 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....

140 79

Also buildings and about 2,017 feet of land on the easterly side of Hammond terrace, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Hammond and Green, tax for 1923.....

140 79

Kate Hickey—Buildings and about 3,780 feet of land on the westerly side of Monastery road, numbered 23 and 25, making the northerly corner of La Rose place, adjoining an estate of John J. Lee and another, tax for 1923.....

83 98

Ida M. Hodsdon—About 18,775 feet of land on the southerly side of Mt. Vernon street, between an estate of Kate McNamara and an estate of American Surety Company of New York, tax for 1922.....

56 81
56 81

Tax for 1923.....
Also about 13,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Corey road, between an estate of Margaret J. Corcoran and an estate of Margaret G. Lane, tax for 1923.....

24 70

Also about 5,448 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining an estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 59, section A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated October 24, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3312, tax for 1923.....

19 76

Also about 5,602 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 58, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....

19 76

Also about 5,602 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 57, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....

19 76

Also about 5,377 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, making the northwesterly corner of Nottingham path, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 81, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....

32 11

Also about 5,049 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 80, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....

32 11

Also about 4,815 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining an estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 77, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....

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Moat assessment for 1923.....
Also about 5,223 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 76, section C, tax for 1923.....

32 11

Also about 5,286 feet of land on the northerly side of Leamington road, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 75, section C, same plan, tax for 1923.....

32 11

Also about 19,232 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Elizabeth avenue, making the westerly corner of Allston street, adjoining an estate of Bartholomew J. Connolly, being lot CA, A. S. N. Estes plan, dated April, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3573, tax for 1923.....

187 72

Frank Holland—About 898 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenville avenue, adjoining an estate of William Harvey, being lot D, S. L. Leftovitch plan, dated January 1, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8516, tax for 1923.....

14 82

International Trust Company, Trustees of the Park Vale Avenue Apartments Trust—Buildings and about 7,980 feet of land on the westerly side of Park Vale avenue, numbered 38, between an estate of Bridget E. McGinnis and an estate of William H. Murray, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number, 15442, tax for 1923.....

1,126 32

Henry W. Jackson—About 5,287 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Brainerd road, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Jackson, being lot 12, French and Bryant plan, dated February 25, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3359, page 21, tax for 1922.....	98 80	another estate of said Logan, tax for 1923.....	2,647 84	Louville V. Niles, now set off to Louville V. Niles—About 2,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being northerly part lot 15, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 08
Tax for 1923.....	98 80	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Louville V. Niles—About 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being lot 16, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 19
Also about 5,750 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brainerd road, adjoining an estate of Norman S. Waite, being lot 11, French and Bryant plan, dated February 25, 1909, tax for 1922.....	106 21	Florence London—Buildings and about 9,763 feet of land on the westerly side of Fordham road, numbered 7 and 15, between an estate of Fred J. Weeks and another and an estate of John E. Fay, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16495, tax for 1923.....	988 00	Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being lot 17, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	18 23
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	18 86	Michael and Mary Mack—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 61, between an estate of Joseph Perlitsch and an estate of Joseph Perlitz, tax for 1923.....	1,625 26	Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being southerly part of lot 18, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	15 19
Tax for 1923.....	106 21	Joseph A. MacKay and Others, Trustees—About 5,463 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, making the southwesterly corner of Colonial path, adjoining another estate of said Mackay and others, trustees, being lot 49, section A, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated October 24, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3312, tax for 1923.....	56 81	Cecelia A. O'Brien—Buildings and about 4,190 feet of land on the southerly side of High Rock way, numbered 30, between an estate of Herbert S. Weaver and an estate of Mary E. Collins, tax for 1923.....	172 90
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 21	Also about 5,462 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Mackay and others, trustees, being lot 50, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	20 40
Harry and Annie Katz—Buildings and about 8,375 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1238, between another estate of said Harry and Annie Katz and an estate of James A. Murphy, Junior, tax for 1923.....	\$1,363 44	Also about 4,836 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Mackay and others, trustees, being lot 51, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Horace J. Phipps—Buildings and about 27,305 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chiswick road, numbered 92, making the southerly corner of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of Benjamin Phipps heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	931 19
Paid on account.....	1,000 00	Also about 4,731 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Mackay and others, trustees, being lot 53, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 30
Balance due.....	363 44	Also about 4,986 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Mackay and others, trustees, being lot 55, section A, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 20,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chiswick road, making the easterly corner of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of Orville W. Butter, being a lot on Ernest W. Bowditch plan, dated July 9, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2007, page 285, tax for 1923.....	296 40
Also buildings and about 8,375 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1242, between an estate of Anna F. Corcoran and another estate of said Katz and another, tax for 1923.....	\$1,363 44	Also about 5,242 feet of land on the southerly side of Colonial road, adjoining another estate of said Mackay and others, trustees, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Benjamin Phipps Heirs or Devisees—About 14,150 feet of land on the northerly side of Strathmore road, adjoining an estate of Mary R. P. Hatch, being a lot shown on Roland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal plan, dated October, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4413, page 84, tax for 1923.....	244 53
Paid on account.....	1,000 00	Margaret H. McMakin—About 6,992 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wade street, adjoining an estate of Louville V. Niles, being the southerly part of lot 4 and all of lot 5, shown on C. H. Gannett plan, dated January, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 22, tax for 1923.....	41 99	Lilly H. Pushee—Buildings and about 3,655 feet of land on the easterly side of Strathmore road, numbered 45, between an estate of George M. Clough and an estate of Elsie G. Richter, tax for 1923.....	553 28
Balance due.....	363 44	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	21 22	Edward L. Rafuse (supposed present owner Gertrude L. Murray)—About 3,605 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Breck avenue, being lot 6, on a plan (not named, not numbered), recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3207, page 378, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	17 89
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Braintree street, numbered 27, between an estate of West End Street Railway Company and an estate of E. T. Ryan Iron Works, Inc., tax for 1923.....	54 34	Albert J. McMurtry—Buildings and about 12,228 feet of land on the westerly side of Winship street, numbered 3 and 5 and 3 and 5 rear, between an estate of Donato Pellegriani and an estate of Mary A. Harnedy, tax for 1923.....	286 52	Harry Ratner—Buildings and about 10,430 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429, 431 and 433, making the northeasterly corner of Denton road, adjoining an estate of Abraham Rome, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12001, tax for 1923.....	617 50
Raymond P. Kennedy—About 5,191 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilson park, adjoining an estate of Boston Mutual Life Insurance Company, being a lot shown on F. L. Roache plan, dated March 12, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4017, page 275, tax for 1922.....	64 22	Catherine A. Morrow—About 3,749 feet of land on the northerly side of Colonial road, adjoining an estate of George H. Bonelli, being lot 20, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated October 6, 1913, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9140, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Mary A. Rice—About 198,900 feet of land on the southerly side of Langley road, making the southeasterly corner of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Boston Cenacle Society, tax for 1923.....	244 53
Tax for 1923.....	64 22	Patrick J. and Nellie S. Murphy—About 8,600 feet of land on the southerly side of Brayton road, west, adjoining an estate of Camille M. Fisher, being lot 39, O. W. Rugg plan, dated July 31, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13599, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 60
Francis M. Kiggen—Buildings and about 3,445 feet of land on the westerly side of Cambridge terrace, numbered 9, between an estate of Ernest F. Mundy and an estate of Mary McCarthy, tax for 1923.....	145 73	Gertrude E. Murray—About 4,029 feet of land on the southerly side of lower Crescent circuit, making the easterly corner of Regent street, adjoining an estate of Wesley A. Kinney, being lot 149, O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	30 55
Frank S. Lane—Buildings and about 3,231 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Summit avenue, numbered 324, between an estate of Evelyn H. Green and an estate of Lillian Meyers, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11663, tax for 1923.....	306 28	Louville V. Niles—About 6,507 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wade street, adjoining another estate of said Niles, being lot 12, C. H. Gannett plan, dated January, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 22, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	22 79	George A. Richards—Buildings and about 5,327 feet of land on the southerly side of Langley road, numbered 11, between an estate of Ernest Puhpol and an estate of Laura Bulgen, tax for 1923.....	138 32
Evelyn H. Green and an estate of Lillian Meyers, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11663, tax for 1923.....	306 28			Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	19 44
Helen Leavitt—Buildings and about 1,302 feet of land on the northerly side of Brighton avenue, numbered 81, between an estate of Edwin C. Morton and an estate of Delia A. Quigley, tax for 1923.....	205 01			Julius Rosen—Buildings and about 21,448 feet of land on the easterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1478, 1480, 1482, 1486 and 1488, making the southeasterly corner of Commonwealth terrace, extending to and numbered 26 Commonwealth terrace, extending to and making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 4 and 6 Sunnymede street, adjoining an estate of Mary E. Mahan, tax for 1923.....	4,693 00
Harris Levine (mortgage in possession)—Buildings and about 9,346 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1334, between an estate of Charles H. Spring and an estate of Benjamin Levine, tax for 1923.....	\$2,129 14			Harris Rosenthal—Buildings and about 4,657 feet of land on the westerly side of Buckminster street, numbered 8, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....	1,062 10
Paid on account.....	929 14			Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	35 87
Balance due.....	1,200 00				
Thomas Levine and Julius Rosen—Buildings and about 7,127 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Cummings road, adjoining an estate of Sarah Pearlstein and another, being lot 6, James Adam plan, dated April, 1914, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	326 04				
Margaret E. Levy—Buildings and about 5,468 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1122, between an estate of Isidore Israel and an estate of William H. Nicholson and another, tax for 1923.....	800 28				
Jacob S. Litter—Buildings and about 4,828 feet of land on the southerly side of Washington street, numbered 394 and 394½, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 2 and 4 Dighton street, adjoining an estate of William H. Monroe, tax for 1923.....	256 88				
Laura Logan—About 12,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, extending through to Boston-Brookline boundary line, between another estate of said Logan and an estate of Franklin Motor Car Company, tax for 1923.....	894 14				
Also about 42,890 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, making the northwesterly corner of Thorndike street, adjoining					

Also buildings and about 4,276 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1429 and 1431, making the northwesterly corner of Buckminster street, adjoining another estate of said Rosenthal, tax for 1923.....	\$1,128 79	
Paid on account.....	389 02	
Balance due.....		739 77
Lena Rottenberg—Buildings and about 6,677 feet of land on the northerly side of Price road, numbered 7, between another estate of said Rottenberg and an estate of Joseph G. Cohen, tax for 1923.....	\$753 35	
Paid on account.....	750 88	
Balance due.....		2 47
Also buildings and about 6,119 feet of land on the northerly side of Price road, numbered 11, adjoining another estate of said Rottenberg and an estate of Helen C. Fitzpatrick, tax for 1923.....	\$745 94	
Paid on account.....	743 47	
Balance due.....		2 47
Morris Rotman and Barney Hurwitz—Buildings and about 13,073 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, making the northwesterly corner of Colonial road, between two other estates of said Rotman and another, being lot 1, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		654 55
Also about 12,052 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining another estate of said Rotman and another, being lot 2, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		103 74
Also about 10,668 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, making the easterly corner of Colonial road, being lot 18, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		79 04
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		22 32
Ransom Rowe—About 12,880 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, being lot 3, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		111 15
Also about 13,417 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, being lot 4, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		116 09
Also about 13,671 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, being lot 5, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		135 85
Also about 13,635 feet of land on the westerly side of Commonwealth avenue, being lot 6, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		135 85
Also about 16,060 feet of land on the westerly side of Commonwealth avenue, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		197 60
Also about 5,301 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 11, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		32 11
Also about 5,288 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 12, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		32 11
Also about 5,253 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		32 11
Also about 5,179 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 14, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		32 11
Also about 5,106 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 15, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		32 11
Also about 5,049 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road,		
being lot 16, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		32 11
Also about 4,901 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 17, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		29 64
Also about 6,653 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 33, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		41 99
Also about 5,430 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 34, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		27 17
Also about 5,397 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 35, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		27 17
Also about 5,295 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 36, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		27 17
Also about 5,133 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 37, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		24 70
Also about 4,591 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 38, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Also about 4,266 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 39, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Also about 4,351 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 40, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Also about 4,462 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ransom road, being lot 41, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Ransom Rowe (supposed present owners Morris Rotman and Barney Hurwitz)—About 10,668 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 18, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....		23 04
Ransom Rowe—About 5,291 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 10, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		32 11
Also about 5,260 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 9, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		39 52
Also about 5,291 feet of land on the southeasterly corner of Claymoss road, being lot 8, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		39 52
Also about 5,356 feet of land on the easterly side of Colonial avenue, being lot 42, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		32 11
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		12 40
Also about 4,584 feet of land on the easterly side of Colonial avenue, being lot 43, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....		14 39
Also about 4,843 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 45, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		24 70
Also about 4,647 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 46, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Also about 4,882 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 47, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		24 70
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 48, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		24 70
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 49, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		24 70
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 50, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		24 70
Also about 5,228 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Euston road, being lot 51, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		32 11
Also about 5,271 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 52, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		27 17
Also about 5,785 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Euston road, being lot 58, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		29 64
Also about 6,210 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 59, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		39 52
Also about 5,899 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 60, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		29 64
Also about 5,788 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 61, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		29 64
Also about 5,835 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 62, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		29 64
Also about 5,955 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 64, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		29 64
Also about 6,046 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 65, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		29 64
Also about 6,138 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 66, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		29 64
Also about 6,244 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 67, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		29 64
Also about 5,568 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 68, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		27 17
Also about 4,486 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monastery road, formerly Union street, being lot 69, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		27 17
Also about 4,318 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monastery road, formerly Union street, being lot 70, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		22 23
Also about 4,461 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Monastery road, formerly Union street, being lot 71, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....		27 17

Also about 4,404 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 80, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 33		
Also about 4,406 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 81, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 33		
Also about 4,474 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 82, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 83, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 84, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Also about 5,961 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 89, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Also about 6,132 feet of land on the easterly side of Monastery road (formerly Union street), being lot 90, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Also about 5,593 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 29, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Also about 5,436 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 28, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	46 93		
Also about 6,642 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Claymoss road, being lot 27, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Adelaide J. and Arthur H. Sargent and Harry L. Sampson, Trustees of the Sargent Trust—Buildings and about 31,243 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 372, making the northerly corner of Sutherland road, adjoining an estate of Susan E. Wadsworth, tax for 1923.....	1,837 68		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Joseph H. Shuman—Buildings and about 8,190 feet of land on the westerly side of Idlewild street, numbered 5, between an estate of Isadore Neckes and an estate of Prentiss Howard, tax for 1923.....	\$2,721 94		
Paid on account.....	1,100 00		
Balance due.....	1,621 94		
Cleveland Sleeper, Eva G. Sleeper and Etrel G. Huntington—About 16,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Lake street, between an estate of Anna Flewelling and an estate of the City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 46, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 47, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 48, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 49, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also about 5,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rodney street, adjoining another estate of said Sleeper and others, being lot 50, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Also buildings and about 138,791 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, numbered 104, making the southeasterly corner of Mt. Vernon street, adjoining an estate of Henry H. Sullivan, trustee, tax for 1923.....	397 67		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	3 45		
Thomas M. Smith—About 10,305 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of said Smith, being lot A, H. C. Mildram plan, dated November 23, 1904, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3005, page 95, tax for 1923.....	217 36		
Also about 10,201 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining another estate of said Smith, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923.....	214 89		
Edwin L. Stone, Trustee of the Nonantum Hill Trust—About 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Larch street, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Larch street, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 6,015 feet of land on the northerly side of lower Crescent circuit, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 179, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 3,268 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Langley road, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 180, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 4,163 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Langley road, adjoining another estate of said Stone, trustee, being lot 181, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Edward L. Stone, reassessed to Catherine P. King—About 4,029 feet of land on the southerly side of lower Crescent circuit, making the southwesterly corner of Regent street, adjoining an estate of Wesley A. Kinney, being lot 150, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Frances E. Sullivan—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Kenrick street, numbered 54, adjoining an estate of the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 85		
Also about 3,584 feet of land on the southerly side of Larch street, adjoining an estate of Margaret T. Sullivan, being the westerly part of lot 25, shown on O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, taxes for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	13 95		
Margaret F. Sullivan—About 3,126 feet of land on the southerly side of Larch street, adjoining an estate of Frances E. Sullivan, being easterly part of lot 25, shown on O. Willis Rugg plan, dated 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3815, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Henry T. Sullivan, Trustee for Harold D. Goodenough—Buildings and about 45,196 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, numbered 120, between an estate of Horace W. Baxter heirs and an estate of Cleveland Sleeper and others, tax for 1923.....	288 99		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 75		
William C. and Nellie M. Tanner—Buildings and about 5,255 feet of land on the westerly side of Highgate street, numbered 19 and 21, between an estate of Nancy Spitz and an estate of Laura M. Wingate, tax for 1923.....	128 44		
Margaret Timmons—Buildings and about 1,879 feet of land on the northerly side of Armington street, numbered 33, between an estate of Amelia C. Tykeson and another estate of said Timmons and another, tax for 1923.....	88 92		
Edward F. Timmins, Trustee of the Commonwealth Development Company (reassessed from Ellen J. Lane)—Buildings and about 6,705 feet of land on the westerly side of Foster street, numbered 255, making the southerly corner of Lane park, adjoining an estate of James A. Monroe, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Nathan Ullian—Buildings and about 6,496 feet of land on the easterly side of Quint avenue, numbered 76, making the northeasterly corner of Glenville avenue, between an estate of said Ullian and an estate of Charles D. and Katherine A. Norris, tax for 1923.....	1,062 10		
Also buildings and about 7,008 feet of land on the northerly side of Glenville avenue, numbered 27, between two other estates of said Ullian, tax for 1923.....	1,086 80		
Also buildings and about 6,496 feet of land on the westerly side of Park Vale avenue, numbered 4, making the northwesterly corner of Glenville avenue, between an estate of said Ullian and an estate of International Trust Company, trustee of the Spoford Apartments Trust, tax for 1923.....	1,062 10		
Susan E. Wadsworth—About 2,168 feet of land on the southerly side of Englewood avenue, between another estate of said Wadsworth and an estate of Mary F. Downes, being lot C, H. F. Bryant plan, dated August 15, 1913, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	32 11		
Dexter C. Washburn, Trustee for Dexter C. Washburn, Lizzie C. Washburn and William H. L. Washburn—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden street, numbered 76 and 78, between an estate of Charles H. Stephenson and another and an estate of Edward M. Warner, tax for 1923.....	256 88		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	36 99		
Harriet A. Waterman—About 20,082 feet of land on the westerly side of Wallingford road, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being lot Q18, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated September 27, 1918, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10652, tax for 1923.....	128 44		
John G. West—Buildings and about 5,029 feet of land on the westerly side of Chester street, numbered 74, between an estate of Bettie Markus and another estate of said West, tax for 1923.....	209 95		
Ralph F. Whitehead—About 100 feet of land on the westerly side of Harvard terrace, at end, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth L. Cox (numbered 17 Harvard terrace), tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
William Williams—Buildings and about 7,315 feet of land on the northerly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 15, between an estate of Mary Ivory and another and an estate of American Surety Company of New York, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Also about 16,845 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Academy Hill road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Travis, being lot A, William E. Hannan plan, dated July 9, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	83 98		
Sophia Winch—Buildings and about 2,008 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blaine avenue, numbered 4 and 6, between another estate of said Winch and an estate of Michael Fonseca, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
Also buildings and about 1,883 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blaine avenue, numbered 8 and 10, between another estate of said Winch and an estate of Mary A. Smith, tax for 1923.....	64 22		
James M. Woods—Buildings and about 4,766 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot G, John H. Burroughs plan, dated May 11, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923.....	108 68		
Also buildings and about 5,633 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot H, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923.....	207 48		
Also buildings and about 6,623 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot K, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923.....	222 30		
Harold B. and Winifred H. Wright—Buildings and about 4,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Pratt street, numbered 30, between an estate of Dennis J. and Mary A. O'Leary and an estate of John L. Beauchain heirs, tax for 1923.....	98 80		

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American Surety Company of New York	
—About 2,093 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, making the southwesterly corner of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 29, D. W. Hyde plan, dated August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3760, tax for 1921.....	\$4 94
Tax for 1922.....	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,896 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	4 94
Also about 1,167 feet of land on the northerly side of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	2 47
Also about 1,494 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1921.....	
	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,451 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1921.....	
	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,408 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1921.....	
	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,365 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923....	
	2 47
Also about 1,322 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	2 47
Also about 1,194 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	2 47
Also about 1,151 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	2 47
Also about 3,321 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, making the southwesterly corner of Hubbard street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	7 41
Also about 2,050 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923....	
	4 94
Also about 1,981 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	4 94
Also about 1,912 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	4 94
Also about 2,765 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, making the northwesterly corner of Hubbard street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1922.....	
	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 1,873 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1921....	
	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 1,879 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1923....	
	2 47
Also about 1,885 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 69, same plan, tax for 1923....	
	2 47
Also about 1,891 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 70, same plan, tax for 1923....	
	2 47
Also about 1,897 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923....	
	2 47
Also about 1,903 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923....	
	4 94
Also about 1,909 feet of land on the northerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said American Surety Company of New York, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1923....	
	4 94
Also buildings and about 10,711 feet of land on the easterly side of North Harvard street, numbered 216, making the southeasterly corner of Bertam street, adjoining an estate of Robert W. Frost and another trustee, tax for 1922.....	
	61 75
Tax for 1923.....	61 75
Mary P. Anthony—Buildings and about 3,450 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Murdock street, numbered 151 and 153, between another estate of said Anthony and an estate of Jessie Tirrell, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4014, tax for 1923.....	
	148 29
Also buildings and about 3,326 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Murdock street, numbered 155 and 157, making the southerly corner of North Beacon street, adjoining another estate of said Anthony, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4014, tax for 1923.....	
	148 20
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	
	13 57
Kate L. Babeuf Heirs—About 15,700 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunboy street, adjoining an estate of Columbia DiPersio, being part of lots 10, 11 and 12, F. A. Garvin plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4241, page 578, tax for 1923.....	
	39 52
Charles W. Badger—About 3,027 feet of land on the westerly side of Falkland terrace, adjoining an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot 5, John H. Rice plan, dated January 1, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2801, page 250, tax for 1923.....	
	12 35
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	
	18 48
Anthony A. Baia—About 3,012 feet of land on the westerly side of Fletcher street, being lot 26, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	
	4 94
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, making the northwesterly corner of Fletcher street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	7 41
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, being lot 28, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	4 94
Phillip Barlas—About 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 60, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	
	9 88
Also about 3,985 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	9 88
Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	9 88
Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	9 88
Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	9 88
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923....	
	4 94
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Bronsdon street, making the northeasterly corner of Lawrence street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	7 41
Also about 2,927 feet of land on the easterly side of Bronsdon street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	4 94
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Bronsdon street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	4 94
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	7 41
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	7 41
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Fletcher street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	4 94
Charles E. Bemis and Abby V. Young—About 300 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Charles River Reservation, adjoining an estate of Charles E. Willard, tax for 1921.....	
	2 47
Tax for 1922.....	2 47
Tax for 1923.....	2 47
Bonelli Adams Company—About 2,270 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Seattle street, being lot 374, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	4 94
Also about 2,200 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Seattle street, being lot 375, same plan, tax for 1923....	
	4 94
Also about 2,790 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Seattle street, being lot 376, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	7 41
Katherine L. Brannagan—About 5,503 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corinne road, adjoining another estate of said Brannagan, being lot 15, E. S. Smilie plan, dated January, 1899, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2589, page 401, tax for 1923.....	
	14 82
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corinne road, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	
	14 82
Joseph Bruno, Frank Pettiti and Alphonso Bruno—Buildings and about 70,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Western avenue, numbered 371 and 373, between an estate of Albert J. Jones and an estate of John August and another, tax for 1923.....	
	259 35
Helen E. Bumford—Buildings and about 3,850 feet of land on the northerly side of Electric avenue, numbered 10 and 12, between an estate of Annie Jeffery and an estate of Ervin R. Dix, tax for 1923.....	
	140 79
William R. Carlson and Eric A. Hallstrand—About 3,314 feet of land on the southerly side of Bellamy street, adjoining an estate of Shirley R. Dunbar, being lot 46, John N. McClintock plan, dated October, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3798, tax for 1923.....	
	7 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	
	9 90
Harry P. Chadwick—About 29,604 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Weit street, making the easterly corner of Franklin street, extending to and making the southerly corner of North Harvard street, being lot A, George H. Sherman plan, dated June 9, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14062, tax for 1922.....	
	163 02
Also about 1,918 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Windom street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 409, H. A. Millhouse plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3722, tax for 1922.....	
	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 1,925 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Windom street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 410, same plan, tax for 1922.....	
	4 94
Tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also buildings and about 8,840 feet of land on the southerly side of Smith street, numbered 37, making the southeasterly corner of Smith street, at angle, adjoining an estate of Antonio Polanco, tax for 1922.....	
	19 76
Tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also about 4,068 feet of land on the northerly side of School street, adjoining an estate of Philip Barlos, being lot 59, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922.....	
	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,739 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly street, being lot 7, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1922.....	
	17 29
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	
	9 60
Tax for 1923.....	17 29
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	
	9 28
Also about 3,927 feet of land on the easterly side of Arden street, adjoining an estate of Harvey R. Ruggles, being lot 86, E. W. Bowditch plan, dated November, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1999, page 593, tax for 1922.....	
	17 29
Tax for 1923.....	17 29
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 21, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1923.....	
	12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	
	9 28

Also about 1,889 feet of land on the westerly side of North Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Hart, being lot 105, D. W. Hyde plan, dated August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3760, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 1,690 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 29, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28
Also about 1,812 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Waverly street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28
Also about 2,882 feet of land on the westerly side of Falkland terrace, adjoining an estate of Louise I. Foley, being lot 6, John H. Rice plan, dated January 1, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2801, page 250, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 59
Also about 15,244 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Backlaw street, adjoining an estate of Allen W. Webber, being lot 51, Whitman Brook & Co. plan, dated October, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1815, tax for 1923.....	19 76
Also about 5,305 feet of land on the easterly side of North Harvard street, making the northeasterly corner of Kingsley street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Hart, being lot 75, D. W. Hyde plan, dated August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3760, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Also about 3,748 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 9, John N. McIntock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 3,745 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Burton street, adjoining an estate of James E. Noonan, being lot 3, John N. McIntock plan, dated October, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3793, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 11
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 4,928 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennett street, adjoining an estate of Louisa W. Lewis, being the easterly part of lot 62 and the northerly part of lot 61, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Julia H. Cody—About 764 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street (at Newton line), adjoining an estate of Julia A. Lehman, being the westerly part of lot 12, E. S. Smilie plan, dated October 2, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4000, page 320, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Charles A. Cowan—About 5,390 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, adjoining an estate of Theresa Magnuson, being lot 73, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated January 3, 1905, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13471, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, adjoining an estate of Theresa Magnuson, being lot 71, same plan, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13471, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, adjoining an estate of Theresa Magnuson, being lot 75, same plan, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13471, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Mabel M. Dalton—Buildings and about 5,814 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Everett street, numbered 12 and 14, making the westerly corner of Summer road, adjoining an estate of Mary A. McDonald, tax for 1923.....	212 42
Ervin R. Dix—About 80 feet of land on the easterly side of Converse street, at end, adjoining an estate of Thomas F. and Mary C. Bowles, being a lot shown on F. O. Whitney plan, dated May 1, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4040, page 263, tax for 1923.....	2 47
John J. Duffy—About 764 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, adjoining an estate of Julia A. Lehman, being the westerly part of lot 12, E. S. Smilie plan, dated October 2, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4000, page 320, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Charlotte F. Ericson—About 6,056 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Newton street, adjoining an estate of Rose Landay, being lot 53, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 92, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Allen S. Farwell—About 4,775 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being a lot shown on F. A. Foster plan, dated January 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, page 597, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 3,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Elba street, in rear adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 3,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Elba street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1922.....	14 82
Lemoine Farwell—About 4,775 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being a lot shown on F. A. Foster plan, dated January 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, page 597, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Elba street (in rear), adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Elba street, adjoining another estate of said Farwell, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Federal Trust Company, Trustees of the Faneuil Realty Trust—About 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Hobart street, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustee, being lot 109, W. A. Mason & Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 5,832 feet of land on the southerly side of Faneuil street, making the southeasterly corner of Hobart street, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 110, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 4,886 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Faneuil street, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 111, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,753 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Faneuil street, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 112, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1921.....	1 01
Also about 4,644 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Faneuil street, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 113, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Faneuil street, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 114, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,061 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Faneuil street, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 115, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,523 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Faneuil street, making the southerly corner of Made-line street, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 116, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 4,938 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Duncklee road, making the westerly corner of Made-line street, adjoining another estate of Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 117, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,521 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Duncklee road, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 118, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,204 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Duncklee road, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 119, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,877 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Duncklee road, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 120, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 6,520 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Duncklee road, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 121, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 8,515 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Duncklee road, adjoining another estate of Federal Trust Company, trustees, being lot 122, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Joseph Fieman—Buildings and about 3,465 feet of land on the westerly side of Antwerp street, numbered 90, making the northwesterly corner of Elba street, between an estate of Lemoine Farwell and an estate of Rose Fieman, tax for 1923.....	368 03
Rose Fieman—Buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Elba street, numbered 5, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 26 Gould street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Fieman, tax for 1923.....	101 27
John B. Folger and Lawrence Minot, Trustees under will of John E. Atkins, three quarters, and William W. Vaughn and Lawrence Minot Trustees under will of Henry H. Atkins, one quarter—About 10,353 feet of land on the northeasterly side of North Beacon street, making the northerly corner of Market street, adjoining another estate of said Folger and others, trustees, being lot A, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated March 3, 1923, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15427, tax for 1923.....	111 15
Also buildings and about 83,737 feet of land on the northeasterly side of North Beacon street, numbered 221, between two other estates of said John B. Folger and other trustees, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15039, tax for 1923.....	323 57
Mary Frazier—About 405 feet of land on the northerly side of Ricker terrace, being the easterly part of lot 26, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June 9, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2836, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Clara B. French—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Vineland street, numbered 42, between an estate of Angelo Pisaturo and an estate of Catherine M. Hayes, tax for 1923.....	32 11
Robert W. Frost and James A. Hathaway, Trustees of the Brighton and Bristol Real Estate Trust—About 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said Frost and another, trustees, being lot 10, D. W. Hyde plan, dated August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3760, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said Frost and another, trustees, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said Frost and another, trustees, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said Frost and another, trustees, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Also about 2,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Rena street, adjoining another estate of said Frost and another, trustees, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94

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Morris Frye—Buildings and about 7,532 feet of land on the southerly side of Cypress road, numbered 58 and 60, making the southeasterly corner of Market street, adjoining an estate of John C. Taylor, trustee, tax for 1923.....	716 30		Also about 2,584 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garden street, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Henry B. Goodenough Heirs or devisees—About 10,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Brooks street, being the southerly part of lot 141, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 79, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	30 12		Also about 3,401 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Murdock street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	29 50
Junia A. Goodenough, Ethel M. and Eva G. Sleeper, Abbie B. and Margaret A. Simpson—About 16,985 feet of land on the northerly side of Raymond street, making the northwesterly corner of Westford street, adjoining an estate of George W. Thurston, being lot 22, shown on assessors' plan, volume 11, page 26, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1921.....	76 57		Also about 3,287 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garden street, being lot 41, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	76 57		Also about 2,584 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garden street, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 10,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Brooks street, being lot 143, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Junia A. Goodenough, Ethel M. and Eva G. Sleeper—About 3,084 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, making the northeasterly corner of Elmira street, adjoining another estate of said Goodenough and others, being lot 83, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 536, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Also about 2,584 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Garden street, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	29 50
Also about 3,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 82, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Also about 3,876 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glencoe street, being lot 58, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 3,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 81, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Also about 4,067 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Glencoe street, being lot 61, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	George W. Gordon—About 4,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Waverly street extension, adjoining another estate of Harry P. Chadwick, being lot 19, D. W. Hyde plan, dated November 26, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2111, page 168, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 80, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 70	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 28
Also about 3,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 79, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 61	William L. and Lillian C. Greene (Undivided)—Buildings and about 2,584 feet of land on the northerly side of Cushman road, numbered 25 and 27, between an estate of Ellen L. Beedle (numbered 23) and an estate of Junia A. Goodenough and others, tax for 1923.....	\$93 86
Also about 3,406 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 78, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Also about 4,076 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Murdock street, being lot 19, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Paid on account.....	60 00
Also about 6,059 feet of land on the southerly side of Elmira street, being lot 101, same plan, tax for 1923.....	32 11		Also about 3,953 feet of land on the northerly side of Saybrook street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76	Balance due.....	33 86
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	19 98		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	10 18	Victor M. Hall—Buildings and about 2,777 feet of land on the southerly side of Cushman road, numbered 8, between an estate of Thomas Connaughton (numbered 10) and an estate of Margaret A. Collins, tax for 1923.....	93 86
Also about 2,688 feet of land on the westerly side of Calef street, being lot 87, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Also about 3,668 feet of land on the northerly side of Saybrook street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Eugene B. Hamilton—Buildings and about 3,375 feet of land on the northerly side of Weitz street, numbered 21-25, between an estate of Agnes L. Finley (numbered 13) and an estate of Mary E. Murray, trustee, tax for 1923.....	106 21
Also about 3,007 feet of land on the westerly side of Calef street, being lot 86, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 06	Charles E. Hamilton—About 4,745 feet of land on the easterly side of Haskell street, adjoining an estate of Grace D. Snow, being lot 112, E. W. Bowditch plan, dated November, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1999, page 593, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Also about 3,007 feet of land on the westerly side of Calef street, being lot 85, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 76	Sarah E. Hart—Buildings and about 5,012 feet of land on the easterly side of North Harvard street, numbered 220, between two estates of Robert W. Frost and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....	108 68
Also about 3,024 feet of land on the westerly side of Calef street, being lot 84, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Also about 6,733 feet of land on the southerly side of Garden street, being lot 95, same plan, tax for 1923.....	34 58	James A. Hathaway, Trustee of the Brighton and Bristol Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 259,673 feet of land on the northerly side of Western avenue, numbered 411, 413-417, 419-431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441 and 443, between an estate of Baldaro DiRoccia and others and an estate of Anna M. J. Sullivan, tax for 1923.....	1,081 86
Also about 3,085 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 69, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	22 21	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Also about 3,103 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 68, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Also about 3,066 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calef street, being lot 94, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 4,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cambridge street, numbered 161, between an estate of Clement Lorenzo and an estate of William A. and Daisy E. Price, tax for 1923.....	108 68
Also about 3,103 feet of land on the easterly side of Calef street, being lot 67, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calef street, being lot 93, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 1,601 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, making the southeasterly corner of Hubbard street, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 41, D. W. Hyde plan, August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3760, at end, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,704 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dustin street, being lot 27, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calef street, being lot 92, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 1,579 feet of land on the southerly side of Kingsley street, adjoining another estate of said Hodsdon, being lot 39, D. W. Hyde plan, August 29, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3760, at end, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Also about 3,579 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saybrook street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calef street, being lot 91, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 75, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	8 96		Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calef street, being lot 90, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 74, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 37		Also about 3,385 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calef street, being lot 89, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 3,372 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ridge road, being lot 24, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		Also about 3,699 feet of land on the northerly side of Elmira street, being lot 88, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 3,579 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ridge road, being lot 25, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Also about 5,264 feet of land on the easterly side of Market street, being lot 100, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 71, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	22 80	Also about 3,725 feet of land on the southerly side of Garden street, being lot 77, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Also about 3,426 feet of land on the southerly side of Elmira street, being lot 66, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Also about 5,999 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 3,085 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 76, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,086 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glencoe street, being lot 65, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	20 34	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 75, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 3,409 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glencoe street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 98, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 74, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 3,406 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glencoe street, being lot 63, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	20 34	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 3,426 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glencoe street, being lot 62, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 5,288 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 103, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70		Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	20 22	Also about 3,725 feet of land on the southerly side of Garden street, being lot 77, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	18 04		Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 97, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 3,085 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 76, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 5,323 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 102, same plan, tax for 1923.....	24 70		Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	20 34	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 75, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	18 04		Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 74, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 3,579 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ridge road, being lot 26, same plan, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	20 22	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 73, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 3,312 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Garden street, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		Also about 6,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Market street, being lot 96, same plan, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Also about 3,407 feet of land on the westerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 72, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88

Also buildings and about 4,597 feet of land on the easterly side of Royal street, numbered 53, between an estate of William Carter and another and an estate of William L. Staples, tax for 1923.....	185 25	Also about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Bronsdon street, adjoining another of said Kelley, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 2, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
James E. Houppoulis—Buildings and about 4,060 feet of land on the northerly side of Easton street, numbered 11, between an estate of Mary M. Love and an estate of Josephine De Grasse, tax for 1923.....	224 77	Also about 6,326 feet of land on the easterly side of Portsmouth street, adjoining an estate of Peter Centola, being lot 7, J. F. Wadleigh plan, dated May 27, 1884, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1045, page 322, tax for 1922.....	24 70	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 3, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	34 15	Tax for 1923.....	24 70	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 4, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Rufus S. Jaques—About 3,101 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seattle street, adjoining another estate of Rufus S. Jaques, being lot 77, W. A. Mason & Son plan, June 24, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2003, page 338, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Also about 3,083 feet of land on the westerly side of Waverly street, making the southwesterly corner of School street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 38, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 5, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
G. Arthur Kayo—About 4,902 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hobart street, adjoining an estate of John E. Condon and another, being lot 35, shown on a plan not dated, and not named on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 84	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 6, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Annie M. Kelley—About 2,806 feet of land on the westerly side of Bronsdon street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 13, John N. McClintock plan, June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, making the northwesterly corner of Bronsdon street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 51	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 8, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Also about 2,732 feet of land on the westerly side of Waverly street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 9, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 84	Also about 5,258 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 11, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 12,000 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, being lots 19, 20-33 and 34, N. J. Holland plan, May 6, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15723, tax for 1923.....	29 64	Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 12, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Ellen T. Kelley—About 5,103 feet of land on the southwesterly side of North Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Fannie Sherman, being lot 126, E. W. Bowditch plan, November, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1999, page 593, tax for 1923.....	34 58	Also about 3,742 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Charles J. Kelley—About 2,950 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Smith street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 8, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 7, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 14, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,887 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Smith street, making the northerly corner of Duck place (now Stadium place), being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 3,739 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 15, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 16, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, making the southeasterly corner of Fletcher street, being lot 35, John N. McClintock plan, June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 3,736 feet of land on the southerly side of Lawrence street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 17, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Fletcher street, adjoining an estate of Phillip Bailas, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 18, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 4,205 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Newton street, adjoining another estate of said Landay, being lot B, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15437, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 19, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Annie M. Kelley—About 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 18, John N. McClintock plan, June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Also about 4,934 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Newton street, adjoining another estate of said Landay, being lot A, Frank A. Foster plan, dated October 13, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15437, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 20, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 5,753 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cambridge street, numbered 141, between an estate of Dora Welsh and an estate of James C. Keith, tax for 1923.....	158 08	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 21, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of School street, making the southwesterly corner of Bronsdon street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Katherine L. Lyons—Buildings and about 3,270 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brooks street, numbered 130 and 130A, between an estate of Susannah Austin and an estate of Mary G. Melody, tax for 1923.....	148 20	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 22, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Tax for 1923.....	12 35	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	23 86	Also about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 23, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Annie M. Kelley—About 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Bronsdon street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 16, John N. McClintock plan, dated June 13, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3257, page 442, tax for 1922.....	7 41	Theresa Magnuson—About 5,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Hobart street, being lot 1, Charles D. Elliot plan, January 3, 1905, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41				
Also about 2,800 feet of land on the westerly side of Bronsdon street, adjoining another estate of said Kelley, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1922.....	7 41				
Tax for 1923.....	7 41				

Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 28, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 29, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 30, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 32, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 33, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 34, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 5,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Donnybrook road, being lot 35, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 5,355 feet of land on the northerly side of Newcastle road, being lot 40, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, moth assessment for 1922.....

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Tax for 1923.....

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Moth assessment for 1923.....

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Also about 5,613 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Faneuil street, being lot 65, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

19 76

Also about 5,239 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, making the northwesterly corner of Faneuil street, being lot 66, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

19 76

Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 68, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

12 35

Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 72, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

12 35

Also about 5,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 74, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

12 35

Also about 5,894 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 77, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

14 82

Also about 4,850 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 79, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

12 35

Also about 3,688 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 81, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 3,428 feet of land on the southerly side of Bothwell road, being lot 82, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Also about 4,688 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 86, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Also about 4,060 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 87, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

9 88

Also about 4,591 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 89, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11834, tax for 1923.....

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Margaret B. Maher—About 17,755 feet of land on the easterly side of Brentwood street, making the north-easterly corner of Appian way, adjoining an estate of Margaret A. Parker, tax for 1921.....

79 04

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....

34 21

Tax for 1923.....

79 01

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

32 01

Mary H. Mahoney—Buildings and about 4,912 feet of land on the westerly side of Bigelow street, numbered 40, between an estate of Nellie O. Hall and an estate of Mary E. Keyler, tax for 1923.....

101 27

John A. and Helen W. Martin—Buildings and about 3,293 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hopedale street, numbered 11, between an estate of Annie T. Davis and an estate of Bridget Golden, tax for 1923.....

76 57

Paid on account.....

40 00

Balance due.....

36 57

Nellie M. McCarthy—Buildings and about 10,055 feet of land on the northerly side of Waverly place, numbered 3 and 5, between an estate of Mary W. Abell and an estate of John G. Corson, tax for 1923.....

88 92

Paid on account.....

45 00

Balance due.....

43 92

Johanna McDonald—Buildings and about 3,910 feet of land on the southerly side of Arlington street, numbered 28 and 30, between an estate of Patrick McDermott and an estate of Abigail F. Burns, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....

39 59

Joseph F. McManus—Buildings and about 3,428 feet of land on the southerly side of Litchfield street, numbered 91, between an estate of Mary Gallagher and an estate of James Townsend, tax for 1923.....

61 75

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....

9 87

Julia A., Louis G. and Hobart G. Mead and Emma A. Wright—About 1,880 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northerly side of Franklin street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Elizabeth Warren (numbered 166 Franklin street), tax for 1923.....

12 35

Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 29, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 30, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 31, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 32, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 33, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 34, Franklin Mead plan, dated May 23, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1888, page 393, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 1,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Mead street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....

4 94

Ethel R. Millner—Buildings and about 2,520 feet of land on the southerly side of Empire street, numbered 73, between an estate of Commonwealth Real Estate and Investment Company and an estate of Etta M. Moore and another, tax for 1923.....

301 34

Stephen F. Monahan—Buildings and about 7,824 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Market street, numbered 343, 345 rear and 347, between an estate of Michael Rafferty and an estate of Pardo Vannelli, tax for 1923.....

153 14

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....

6 36

Honora A. Morrison—Buildings and about 18,718 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wexford street, numbered 64 and 66, between an estate of Jonathan E. Harlow and an estate of Domenico Lombardo, tax for 1923.....

79 04

Mary Moutouris—Buildings and about 5,043 feet of land on the easterly side of Royal street, numbered 11 and 15, between another estate of said Moutouris and an estate of George L. Flanders, tax for 1923.....

531 05

Paid on account.....

187 50

Balance due.....

343 55

Also buildings and about 5,816 feet of land on the easterly side of Royal street, numbered 5 and 7, making the north-easterly corner of Cambridge street, adjoining another estate of said Moutouris, tax for 1923.....

568 10

Paid on account.....

187 50

Balance due.....

380 60

Mary E. Murray, Trustee of the Sudbury Real Estate Trust—About 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Weitz street, being lot D², C. B. Humphrey plan, dated May 29, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14062, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 29,604 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Franklin street, being lot A, George H. Sherman plan, dated June 9, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14062, tax for 1923.....

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Francis J. O'Gorman—About 3,876 feet of land on the southerly side of Glencoe street, being lot 60, E. S. Smilie plan, dated June, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3500, page 636, tax for 1923.....

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Old South Trust Company—About 5,537 feet of land on the easterly side of Duncklee road, being lot 126, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 9,388 feet of land on the southerly side of Duncklee road, being lot 132, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 5,766 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 137, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 7,671 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 136, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....

14 82

Also about 7,551 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 135, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....

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Also about 6,047 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 134, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 4,057 feet of land on the northerly side of Harriet street, being lot 133, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
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WILLIAM M. McMORROW, Collector of Taxes for the City of Boston.			
ASSESSED VALUATION AND TAX RATE.			
Valuation April 1, 1922, \$1,677,861,774, or increase over 1921 of \$82,114,831; of real estate alone, \$1,501,615,100, or \$80,635,500 more than in 1921; of personalty, \$176,246,674, or increase of \$1,479,331 over 1921. Tax rate for 1922 same as for 1921, viz., \$24.70 per \$1,000 of valuation, divided thus: City tax, \$20.37; County tax, \$1.49; State tax, \$2.84.			

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CITY TO BE PROVIDED WITH NEW TYPE FIRE-FIGHTING APPARATUS.

MOTORCYCLE FITTED FOR COMBATTING BRUSH FIRES IN OUTLYING DISTRICTS INSPECTED AND APPROVED BY MAYOR CURLEY AND COMMISSIONER GLYNN.

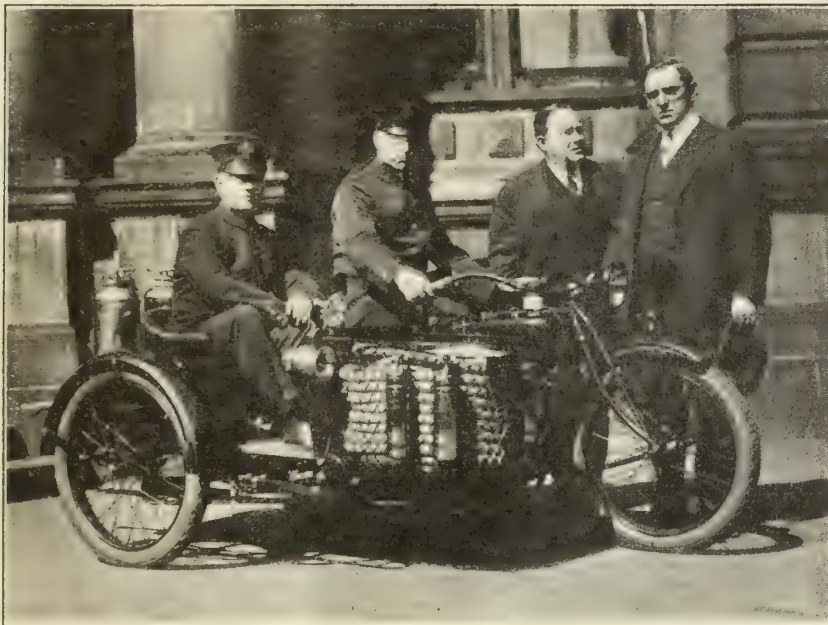


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MOTORCYCLE FIRE-FIGHTING SQUAD SOON TO BE PART OF APPARATUS TO PROVIDE FOR PROTECTION OF CITIZENS OF BOSTON.

Mayor Curley, who is always seeking to improve the city and safeguard the interests of the public has planned to provide another protection in the case of fire in the outlying districts, in the form of quick-moving especially equipped motorcycle apparatus for the purpose of fighting blazes in grass plots.

The apparatus was exhibited for the first time on Saturday, May 3, before the Mayor and Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

These vehicles cost \$750 apiece, and in service obviously will save much wear and tear to the bigger pieces of apparatus, by responding in their stead to spring and summertime grass fire alarms, of which there are about 500 annually.

There are 300 feet of $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch chemical hose, with hydrant coupling, in the basket carried in front of the little machine. Two fire extinguishers, holding

seven gallons between them, are attached to the back of the side-car seat.

The vehicle also conveys two special type fire-guns for use in fighting grease-fires, and two for grass fire fighting. A steel axe, rake and broom, also a siren whistle, make up the rest of the equipment.

The Mayor asserted he means to purchase several of these machines for outlying fire stations.

MAYOR CURLEY MOVES TO PROTECT CHILDREN FROM RADIO TAX.

Mayor Curley is in hearty sympathy with the protests of children that their radio sets shall not be subject to taxation either federal, state or municipal, and is especially in sympathy with the appeal of those boys and girls who by intelligent work before and after school

hours, and careful saving, have been enabled to secure radio instruments. Mayor Curley is firm in the belief that no tax should be levied upon the children's radio apparatus, or that of other persons, unless such instruments are operated for profit. The protest of the children was well voiced by Robert T. Cutler, of the Amarad Big Brother Club, who resides at The Ledges, Charles River, Mass. Master Cutler's letter to the Mayor was as follows:

To Mayor Curley, Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I am a member of the Amarad Big Brother Club at Station WGI. I have written to you to please not put a 10 per cent tax on all radios because it is very hard on some little boy who has saved \$5 to buy a crystal set and he finds he has to pay \$6 or \$6.50.

Sincerely yours,

AMARAD BIG BROTHER CLUB MEMBER,
ROBERT T. CUTLER.

Mayor Curley, after due consideration of Master Cutler's letter, replied as follows:

MR. ROBERT T. CUTLER, The Ledges,
Charles River, Mass.:

DEAR MR. CUTLER,—I am duly in receipt of your letter protesting, as a member of the Amarad Big Brother Club at Station WGI, against a 10 per cent tax upon radios and radio supplies, and that boys, who by careful saving and intelligent work have accumulated a little money to buy a crystal set, should not be compelled to pay a tax thereon.

I am in thorough sympathy with your arguments in so far that no tax should be levied upon radios unless the instruments are operated for profit. I beg to advise that the Assessing Department of the City of Boston has taken no step in this matter, and the proposed taxation on radio sets is, according to my advice, solely a matter for consideration at the present time by the federal government. I am inclined to think that it would be of excellent service if you would write a letter setting forth your protest in detail to Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge and Hon. David I. Walsh, United States Senate, Washington, D. C., and who are in a position to protect your interests and that of other boys who are interested in radio development in the United States. I will indorse your proposal.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor.

When Master Cutler has advised United States Senators Lodge and Walsh of his contention in behalf of the children Mayor Curley will heartily indorse the young man's case.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday,
May 12, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department
are held on Monday and Thursday of
each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for

telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and

PUBLIC LIBRARY MUSIC EXHIBITION.

Landmarks of the first three centuries of Boston's musical activities will be exhibited during Music Week at the Public Library. Musical manuscripts, publications, diaries, and books by persons intimately connected with Boston, and works illustrating the musical history of the city will be shown.

Of early items of interest, the "Bay Psalm Book" takes first place, but to show the musical background of the settlers, several of the Sternhold and Hopkins "Version of the Psalms" (1562) are shown with the musical editions by various editors, such as Parson, Este and Ravenscroft. It was the latter that the editors of the "Bay Psalm Book" had in mind, and it is interesting to note that there is a copy of Ravenscroft, 1621, in the library of the Massachusetts Historical Society, containing the autograph of Governor John Endicott.

The "Bay Psalm Book" contains no music, but it mentions some forty-nine common tunes in six different meters as being available. When tunes were added in 1698 they copied from John Playford's "Brief Introduction" (1662) several tunes in two parts "with the base set under each tune." It was the meter of these tunes which determined the form of John Eliot's metrical version for the Indians, as well as for Cotton Mather's "Psalterium Americanum" later.

In the Rev. John Tufts' "Introduction to the Singing of Psalm Tunes" (1712), —the first music instruction book published in America—letters are used upon the staff instead of notes.

Benjamin Franklin's brother published Thomas Walter's "Grounds and Rules" in 1721, and another patriot, Paul Revere, engraved Josiah Flagg's collection in 1764, as he did Billing's "New England Psalm Singer" in 1770. In Bickerstaff's "Boston Almanack" for 1769 can be seen a copy of the first national song.

If the music heretofore has been main-

ly psalmody, we can see how the European influence was introduced in the "Old Colony Collection" which was used in the beginning by the Handel and Haydn Society. Here are choruses by Handel, Mozart, Beethoven and others.

Instrumental music was introduced by Graupner, whom Elson calls the father of American orchestral music. Lowell Mason was a pioneer in introducing music into the public schools. Composers of the period—Webb, Eichberg, Buch, Paine—are represented by the original scores, but no printed book can indicate the importance of Carl Zerrahn, B. J. Lang and George L. Osgood.

Coming to a later day we see Arthur Foote's "Quartette" copied by Allen A. Brown, to whom Boston was to owe its wonderful music collection; works by Chadwick, Mrs. Beach, Loeffler, Hadley, Keller, and, crowning all, the autograph scores of McDowell, Parker, Converse, Gilbert and Hill.

Here are autographs of "My Country, 'tis of Thee," and "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," Boston's own contribution to the literature of national song.

But of equal importance in telling Boston's story are the histories of Hood, Gould, Dwight, and Elson; and for intimate glimpses nothing can surpass the reminiscences of Henschel, Rogers, Damrosch and others. The story of the Symphony Orchestra by Howe and of its founder by Perry take a high place in the annals of American literature. Chapters here and there tell the romance of the music industries.

The influence and importance of Boston demands that mention be made of noteworthy books, not about Boston but by Bostonians, and it is only necessary to mention Thayer's "Life of Beethoven," Goodrich's "Organ in France," Downe's "Lure of Music," Lang's "Musical Accompaniment of Moving Pictures," Engel's "Alla Breve," Henry L. Mason's "Opera Stories," Gallo's "Bard Book," Dorothy Meyers' "Introduction to Music Appreciation," to show the wide range of their interest and scholarship.

CALLS ON CITIZENS TO SINGLE OUT AND BANISH ALL TRAITORS TO AMERICAN LIBERTY.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS SOUL-STIRRING ADDRESS BEFORE SPRINGFIELD LODGE OF ELKS ON OCCASION OF WELCOMING THEM TO BOSTON FOR CONVENTION.

Mayor Curley speaking before the Springfield Lodge of Elks, Wednesday evening, April 30, at the Hotel Kimball, said in part:

It is a pleasure as an humble member of Boston Lodge No. 10 and as Mayor of the capital city of the Commonwealth to extend an invitation to my brother Elks of Springfield to visit our city upon the occasion of the National Convention of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks in July. The invitation to this splendid patriotic American organization to convene in that city was extended for the primary purpose of arousing Americans through the instrumentality of Elksdom to the realization of the true meaning and responsibility of American citizenship.

In 1925, or one short year after the adjournment of the convention, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts will observe the 150th anniversary of those events out of which the American Republic came into existence and through which the divine right theory of any group of individuals to rule over other individuals without their consent was destroyed in the United States.

It is a sincere hope of Boston Lodge that the assemblage may be the largest in the history of our order and that all who attend may sacrifice just a little time in a visit to liberty's shrines, Concord, Lexington, Bunker Hill, the Old South Church, Faneuil Hall, the Old North Church and the scene of the Boston massacre and to return to their homes fortified with patriotic inspiration and sow the seeds of a crop whose fruition will be a broader and better understanding of the true meaning of Americanism.

During the period of the World War, under the inspiring leadership of a truly great American and in response to a supremely great summons, America developed a degree of spiritual idealism in keeping with the best traditions of the colonial fathers and which now unhappily is apparently fast disappearing. In response to the spiritual idealistic summons of the late lamented former President Woodrow Wilson, distinction because of race, creed or color ceased to exist in America.

It represented an hour in the life of the nation when the institutions of which we in our day are custodians were threatened with destruction, and when to preserve that for which Washington and the colonial fathers and mothers had sacrificed, that for which Lincoln and three million Americans had fought to preserve and could only be saved and perpetuated by a rigid observance of the principle of equality, the selective draft was adopted; and despite an inherent antipathy of people to the thought of conscription, ten million Americans in every city and town of the Union enrolled for service wherever that service might be required.

They were mustered in the various military camps of America, marched on board transports and to the number of four million landed in France. Today 70,000 white crosses, emblematic of the

purity of their devotion to God and country, dot the hillsides of France and Belgium.

No visitor ever asks the race, the creed or the color of him over whose grave a white wooden cross has been placed. All are content to know that in the hour of trial they met death as Americans have ever met death in every crisis, in keeping with the best traditions of our beloved republic.

On that dread day in early June of 1918, when the supreme test came and the American citizen soldiery were required to infuse courage by example into the harried and beaten allied soldiery of Europe, when the hour came to advance, the commanding officer did not single out the Jew, the Catholic, or the Negro, and say to him, "You are an inferior, you are an undesirable, you are not good enough to die for liberty." No, in that hour of crisis, when the preservation of liberty was at stake these questions were not asked. The only requisites for service in the hour of trial have ever been physical fitness and willingness to serve, and if these are the essentials which the hour of crisis demands, they should be sufficient with character and patriotism, in the hour of peace. It was the firm hope of every American that the World War would end for all time the divine right theory. This hope was predicated on the most democratic institution ever created from the beginning of the world, the selective draft system.

Under this system all men mustered under the flag of our country were required to wear the same character of uniform, eat the same character of food, and be exposed to the same character of service and punishment.

Thoughtful men believed that the mingling of these millions of men from every section of the land, representing every race, creed and color in our population, would result in a better common understanding, in a higher appreciation of the responsibilities which each man should hold for his fellow man, and that as a consequence of service and sacrifice these men, rendered thoughtful by their service in the shadow of death, would return and contribute to the life of America and idealism such as no nation had previously enjoyed.

Less than six years have passed since the hour of trial and in this short period of time we have almost forgotten the meaning, in certain sections, of the term "Equality," that word that has meant so much to humanity and through which America has become the Mecca for the pure womanhood and the sturdy manhood of every land in the entire world. Through the guarantee of equality and liberty we have grown from three millions of souls in 1775 to about one hundred and twenty-two millions under the American flag in our day.

We have become the wealthiest and the most progressive nation in the whole world. This progress would have been impossible if unnatural divisions because of race, creed or color had been permitted during the short period of our national life.

Today we find in our own enlightened and progressive Commonwealth the spawn of ignorance masquerading in the sheets within which they hid their cowardly carcasses during the period of the World War and from which they now emerge to disrupt and divide and, if permitted, destroy the United States of America.

I have always been a partisan in politics, but if I lived in the fair city of Springfield I should assume it my duty as an American familiar with the history of my country and interested in its integrity and progress to uphold the hand, stiffen the spine and strengthen the resolution of your courageous mayor, Mayor Leonard, in his determination to foster and perpetuate real Americanism.

I say the time has arrived to single out the traitors to American liberty and to drive them into the darkness of obscurity away from the flag and country which by their very presence they profane. So, my friends, I urge every member of this organization to visit the birthplace of American liberty to renew allegiance to God and to country, to rekindle the fires of patriotism; and let us as Americans without regard to race, creed or color welcome the 150th anniversary of the movement for American liberty as Americans, animated by the spirit of co-operation and firm and unyielding in our allegiance to the principle of equality.

If we do this we can truly say we have been worthy of the great heritage which is ours through the service and sacrifice and devotion of those who have gone before us.

MAYOR SENDS CONDOLENCES.

Mayor Curley telegraphed from New York, Thursday, May 8, a message of sympathy and condolence upon the death of J. Mitchel Galvin, as follows:

MRS. J. MITCHEL GALVIN, 12 Lyndhurst Street, Dorchester, Mass.:

DEAR MRS. GALVIN,—I pray you will accept assurances of my sympathy and condolence. In the death of your beloved husband a familiar figure whose presence radiated sunshine and good cheer has passed from the life of Boston. He had the happy faculty of making and never losing friends. His loss will be mourned by thousand into whose lives he brought good cheer and fellowship by his splendid attributes.

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

MAYOR EXTENDS LIFE OF HOUSING COMMITTEE.

Mayor Curley sent an order to the City Council Monday afternoon seeking \$7,000 to continue the life of the Rent and Housing Commission for one year. There had been previous extensions and it had been expected that the commission would soon pass out of existence. Much work is still being accomplished, however, and the Mayor believes that there will be no settled conditions in the housing situation for at least twelve months.

LOCAL LABOR UNIONS.

On January 1, 1922, number of local unions reporting, 348, with 114,883 members (14,480 less than in 1921) or 101,745 men and 13,138 women. Percentage of local union members unemployed on March 31, 1921, 30.3; on June 30, 23.1; on September 30, 20.0; December 31, 24.8.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing and spreading loam on playgrounds, parks and cemeteries. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 15, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement on Fenway, from Forsyth way to near Museum road and other driveways as indicated in advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$4,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 15, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for leasing the beach chair concessions privilege at Marine Park and Columbus Park. Blanks for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 22, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for loaming and concrete bleachers at William E. Carter Playground, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$7,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 22, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertisers for proposals for sewerage works and water works in Harrishof street, between Warren st. and Humboldt av., Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$14,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, May 13, at 12 m.

Advertisers for sewerage works in Price road, between Glenville avenue and Long avenue, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,200. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate

bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, May 14, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertisers for the laying and relaying of water pipes in streets in Dorchester. East Boston, South Boston, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 12, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Cleveland circle, Sutherland road, Commonwealth avenue and Colonial road, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$12,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, May 14, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertisers for proposals for selling land to the city for an elementary school in the Warren-Bunker Hill District, Charlestown. Bids to be submitted on or before Tuesday, May 27.

Bids opened Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for selling land to the city for an elementary school in the Shurtleff District, South Boston. Bids to be submitted on or before Tuesday, May 27.

Bids opened Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for alterations to printing room, etc., in the Prince School, Newbury street, corner of Exeter street, Back Bay, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, after April 30. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, May 13, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for moving the present cooking room from the Farragut School, Huntington avenue to the Martin School, Huntington avenue, Boston, doing all the alterations, etc. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, May 7. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 16, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for installing and completing oil-burning apparatus in the various schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45

per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, May 20, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for alterations, etc., in the Continuation School, 25 Lagrange street, city proper. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday, May 14, at 12 m. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$1,600, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 23, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing lead-covered cable to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 12, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing the public buildings and the several departments of the city with coal. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 16, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing coal to the fire boats and the police boats. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 16, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing 18,000 tons of bituminous coal to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 16, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing fire hose to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex,

Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 19, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, May 8:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Eileen P. Barke has been continued in employment as temporary clerk for a period of about thirty days, at \$4 a day.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been appointed at the Boston Sanatorium:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Christine Ouellette, nurse, \$900 a year; Carrie Fagan, maid, \$468 a year; Mary Griffin, assistant cook, \$480 a year; Thomas Croft, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Fred Heath, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Mary T. Downey has been continued in temporary employment as stenographer for a period of two months at \$25 a week.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Dennis H. Shillue has been appointed permanent male clerk at \$1,000 a year.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Ida Crowley has been appointed temporary hospital helper, at \$15 a week, for service at the Detention Hospital.

Andrew J. Murphy has been appointed caretaker of convenience stations at \$4 a day. He has been transferred from the Public Works Department.

Joseph F. Kelly has been appointed constable at \$1,400 a year.

Dr. John A. Cecconi has been designated to visit the New York City and State Health Department to observe and study the Dick test in connection with the prevention and control of scarlet fever, at a cost of \$75.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons were employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, May 1:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Joseph Tierney, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; John MacDougall, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; George McCellan, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Dan J. Mulligan, house porter, \$11.50 a week; James Dalyrimple, porter, \$17.50 a week; Florence Painter, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Florence Cassidy, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Gertrude Minnock, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Mary Tierney, cleaner, \$11 a week; Raymond B. McDonald, male nurse, \$9.33 a week; Edyth Yorke, ward assistant, \$11 a week.

Temporary.—Nathalie Upton, social worker, \$21.39 a week; Catherine E. Conway, affiliated nurse, \$6 a month; Cecelia G. Beer, affiliated nurse, \$6 a month; Frances M. Bramley, affiliated nurse, \$3 a month; Caroline I. Horton, affiliated nurse, \$6 a month; Gertrude H. Jackson, affiliated nurse, \$8 a month; Catherine Wilkie, affiliated nurse, \$12 a month; Jessie Sutherland, affiliated nurse, \$16.67 a month.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Sliding Scale.—Josephine Grant, nurse,

\$10 to \$12.50 a month; Gunhild Ahlstrom, nurse, \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Marion Spillar, nurse, no pay to \$10 a month; Margaret Morton, nurse, no pay to \$10 a month; Maria Conley, ward helper at \$11 to cleaner at \$11.50 a week; Henry Kerwin, transfer porter at \$11 to supply laundryman at \$18 a week; Opal Bates, ward helper at \$11 to cleaner at \$11.50 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments were made for the week ending Thursday, April 24:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

John J. Donovan, attendant, at a salary of \$500 a year, temporary.

Norah Harrington, attendant, transferred from institution employee, at \$500 a year, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Francis McCarthy.

Carl Kath, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Charles McInnis.

Annie T. McGrath, head nurse, at a salary of \$1,080 a year, to succeed Sadie Shepherd.

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

Andrew Baker, fireman, from assistant engineer, temporary, at a salary of \$920 a year, reinstated.

James Ahearn, assistant engineer, from fireman, temporary, at a salary of \$1,500 a year, reinstated.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Isaiah L. Hinckley has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,600 to \$1,900 a year.

John W. McMahon and George C. Sawyer have been promoted from the group of visitors now receiving \$1,900 a year to the group now receiving \$2,000 a year.

John J. Bench and Isaiah L. Hinckley are promoted to the \$1,900 a year group.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made:

Cora A. Gibson, monotype keyboard operator and compositor at \$38.50 a week.

Pasquale H. DeMuzio, monotype keyboard operator and compositor at \$38.50 a week.

Anna M. Whitney, copyholder at \$24 a week.

Miss Julia T. Donohue has been appointed copyholder at \$24 a week.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

John P. Coady has been appointed janitor at \$4 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

William J. Brown has been given extension of employment as assistant draw-tender at \$28.77 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Walter J. Malloy, employed as rodman at \$1,000 a year, has been given an extension of employment.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

James Doherty has been employed as laborer at \$4 a day for a period of three months, beginning May 2.

Michael Stapleton has been transferred from the Transit Department to the Sewer Service as construction inspector at \$1,800 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

George F. Ryan has been promoted from teamster at \$4 a day to mechanic at \$4.25 a day.

Patrick Caulfield, Edward McLaughlin, Philip McLaughlin and Martin McQuinn, employed as permanent bracers in the Transit Department, have been transferred to the Water Service as permanent laborers at \$4 a day.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Commissioner Mahar, Herbert L. Patterson, civil engineer, and J. George Herlihy, chief clerk, have been granted leave of absence, without loss of pay, from May 10 to 18, inclusive, as special representatives of the Schoolhouse Department to attend the annual convention of the National Association of Public School Business Officials, at Indianapolis, Indiana, on May 13, 14, 15 and 16. The total expense for this trip will not exceed \$600.

SINKING FUNDS DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds has organized by the election of Edmund L. Dolan, chairman; Rupert S. Carven, secretary, and John J. Curley, treasurer.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Edwin A. Wall has been designated to act as Acting City Treasurer during the absence of the treasurer during the four weeks commencing May 8.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, May 1: Edgar B. Coombs, assistant engineer, \$39; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, \$9; Daniel Sweeney, fireman, \$24.75.

Collecting Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 1: John W. Barry, 14 days, \$42; Daniel A. Grant, 15 days, \$45; James J. Maloney, 14 days, \$42; Louis Needel, 17 days, \$51; Francis J. O'Connell, 25 days, \$75; John P. O'Connor, 19 days, \$57. Total, \$312.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 1:

Main Department.

Walter Shea, laundryman, 7½ hours, \$5.63; John Lorden laundryman, 6 hours, \$3.63; John Scaduto, laundryman, 7½ hours, \$3.91; Albert Howard, 7½ hours, \$3.30; Thomas Ryan, laundryman, 7½ hours, \$3.60; Edward Laskey, laundryman, 7½ hours, \$3.13; M. Saunders, gauze sorter, 7½ hours, \$3.13; W. Barrett, James Kerrigan, L. Lindloff, T. Paternaud, porters, 7½ hours, \$2.19 each; M. Davis, laundry assistant, 6 hours, \$2.25; A. Taura, laundress, 6 hours, \$1.82; G. Baker, L. Brickley, M. Devlin, C. Farren, M. Keegan, N. Keegan, S. Koldys, M. Okenwska, C. Peterson, B. Sparrow, A. Siendiewicz, A. Stanulys, V. Ziemba, K. Zilyte, laundresses, 6 hours, \$1.75 each; E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 6 hours, \$5; R. Johnson, V. Pepe, firemen, 12 hours, \$8.25 each; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours,

\$10; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; C. Harlow, carpenter, 6 hours, \$3.75; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; Ella Sealey, elevatorwoman, 12 hours, \$2.76; J. McCormick, elevatorman, 12 hours, \$2.76; William Murphy, elevatorman, 12 hours, \$2.76.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

R. Keith, laundryman, 7½ hours, \$4.54.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Harkins, laundress, 6 hours, \$1.75.
Total, \$129.11.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, May 1:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

Fairview Cemetery.

Thomas D. Faherty, Joseph T. McDonough, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 1:

Tax Sales.—Daniel L. Cadigan, compositor, 5½ hours, \$7.53; Emanuel J. DeFreitas, compositor, 1 hour, \$1.31; James J. Dolan, compositor, 5 hours, \$6.55; John Fisher, compositor, 5½ hours, \$7.43; Christopher J. Fitzgerald, compositor, ¾ hour, \$0.98; Kerrens J. Finn, compositor, 5½ hours, \$7.21; Abraham J. Rosen, compositor, 5½ hours, \$7.21; John F. Ward, compositor, 1 hour, \$1.31; Edward J. Stanton, proofreader, 6 hours, \$7.86; Daniel F. Sullivan, apprentice, 1½ hours, \$0.83.

City Record.—John J. Cosgrove, cylinder pressman, 2 hours, \$2.72; Frederick McCarthy, cylinder pressman, 2 hours, \$2.72; Arthur J. Sennett, cylinder pressman, 2 hours, \$2.72; John J. Carey, press feeder, 2 hours, \$2.28; John Foley, press feeder, 2 hours, \$2.28; Thomas Ryan, press feeder, 2 hours, \$2.28; John Birch, helper, 2 hours, \$2.46; Frank Coughlin, chauffeur, 2 hours, \$2.04.

Total, \$67.72.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 5:
Drawtender.—C. J. Thompson, 1 day, \$4.93.

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. F. Barrett, T. J. Gillispie, 1 day, \$4.11 each.

Sub-foreman.—P. J. Henebury, 4½ days, \$24.74.

Carpenters.—F. McConn, J. J. O'Hearn, P. O'Toole, M. J. Donohue, A. W. Clancy, C. E. Melanson, W. J. Walker, 4½ days, \$22.50 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Green, 4½ days, \$17.36.
Total, \$212.76.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 5:
Fireman.—Thomas Murphy, ¾ day, \$3.44.

Gateman.—John D. Collins, ¾ day, \$1.80.

Deckhand.—Rufus W. Scott, 1 day, \$4.25.

Total, \$9.49.

Net cost for the week ending May 5, 1924, \$3.57.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 5:
Laborers.—Michael J. King, ⅙ day, \$0.75; Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4.

Pavers.—John T. McCarthy, ¾ day, \$1.88; Patrick J. Keeley, ⅙ day, \$0.94.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 5:
Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, M. S. Ryan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Teamster.—A. P. Charbonnier, ½ day, \$2.

Blacksmith.—M. F. Sullivan, 2 days, \$10.

Blacksmith's Assistant.—C. J. Sullivan, 2 days, \$8.50.

Laborer.—A. R. Gaffey, 2 days, \$8.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Yard Laborer.—J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.
Total, \$52.75.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, May 6:
Steam Engineer.—Michael Duffee, ¾ day, \$3.13.

Paver.—Thomas Gavin, ⅙ day, \$3.13.

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, James Clancy, John Driscoll, 1 day, \$4.50 each; John Graham, ⅙ day, \$2.81; James McCarthy, 2 days, \$8.

Laborers.—Stephen Connolly, Patrick Fitzgerald, Louis Brunetto, 1½ days, \$6 each; Cornelius Sullivan, Peter Keenan, James McNabb, Dennis Collins, Joseph Brown, 1 day, \$4 each; Albert Bachofner, John Sheehy, John Waters, ⅙ day, \$2.50 each; Daniel McKenna, ¾ day, \$3.
Total, \$83.57.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 5:
Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, M. Fitzpatrick, E. Keller, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, F. R. Deacon, J. T. O'Leary, M. Gilmartin, B. J. Doherty, B. J. Manning, J. J. Jones, C. J. Sullivan, W. Dwyer, N. Albano, J. F. Brown, D. J. Callahan, W. P. Donnelly, J. J. Dowdal, J. J. Driscoll, P. Dunn, C. Gallagher, J. M. Kramer, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each; C. J. Sweeney, ½ day, \$2.
Total, \$98.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 5:
Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; T. Norton, 1½ days, \$6.75; J. Supple, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Emergency men.—W. Lonergan, W. Rice, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4 each; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each.

Repairers.—J. Moran, 2½ days, \$10.31; E. Rafferty, 2 days, \$9; J. Casey, 2 days, \$8.50; H. Campbell, 2 days, \$10; P. Linehan, 2 days, \$8.50; D. Burke, 2½ days, \$10.39; D. Hanlon, 1½ days, \$7.50; P. O'Hare, 1½ days, \$7.13; W. Scanlon, 1½ days, \$7.50; M. Daley, 2 days, \$9.50; M. O'Day, 1½ days, \$6.75; E. Sullivan, 2 days, \$9; A. Brennan, ⅙ day, \$0.84; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$7.59; S. Mariani, 1½ days, \$6.75; J. Carmody, 2½ days, \$10.31; E. Hasenfus, ¾ day, \$1.41; P. Ippolito, 1½ days, \$2.34; R. Kelley, ¾ day, \$1.20; P. Clougherty, 1½ days, \$7.50; D. Kirby, 3½ days, \$17.72; J. Blessington, ¾ day, \$3.38; T. Byrnes, 1½ days, \$7.13; A. McDougall, ¾ day,

\$3.19; J. Cummings, ¼ day, \$4.69; M. Rizzo, ⅙ day, \$3.98; G. Cataldo, ⅙ day, \$3.75; E. DeAngelis, 1½ days, \$6.75; S. Mickiewicz, 2½ days, \$11.81; M. Burke, 1 day, \$4.75.

Laborers.—M. Barron, T. Gallagher, G. Goodwin, E. Hart, J. Burke, J. Durand, P. Loftus, P. Mulkern, J. O'Toole, W. Whelton, M. Shea, G. Waters, 1½ days, \$6 each; M. Connolly, H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4 each; J. Feely, 1½ days, \$4.50; H. Cauley, ¾ day, \$1.69; W. Shields, ¾ day, \$3.38; B. McManus, ¾ day, \$3; R. Bolsted, ¾ day, \$1.50; J. O'Brien, ¾ day, \$3; F. Kernon, ¾ day, \$1.50; J. McGee, 2½ days, \$10.50; H. Killoron, 1½ days, \$6; F. Laskey, 2½ days, \$10.50; J. Lonergan, 1½ days, \$4.50.

Total, \$395.24; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$4.75; net total, \$390.49.

**ASKS PUBLIC TO ATTEND
BRIDGE HEARING.**

The following notice was sent out by Mayor Curley in the interest of a war memorial bridge over the Charles river

BOSTON, May 3, 1924.

DEAR SIR,—As a member of the committee appointed by his Honor, Mayor Andrew J. Peters, in December, 1918, on the form of a memorial to soldiers, sailors and marines to be erected by the City of Boston, your attention is called to a hearing before the Committee on Ways and Means on Tuesday, May 6, Room 245, State House, at 10.30 a. m., relative to House Bill No. 1682, providing for patching the present Harvard Bridge with the idea of its being utilized for an indefinite period.

The very excellent report submitted by your committee provided for the erection in connection with the reconstruction of Harvard Bridge, which was universally conceded to be an absolute necessity, of a dignified and impressive memorial in keeping with the great spirit of patriotism, loyalty and sacrifice which it was designed to typify. This report met with very general commendation on the part of the thinking men and women of the community, but met with opposition on the part of others who have felt that pecuniary considerations were paramount to a proper recognition of human sacrifice.

Harvard Bridge is the main thoroughfare between Boston, the capital city of Massachusetts, and Cambridge one of the leading educational centers of the world. It is a matter of civic pride to both of these communities that this bridge when reconstructed shall be in keeping with the dignity and traditions of these two important communities. Certainly this can never be accomplished by patching the present structure.

The Committee on Ways and Means is in a position to secure an amendment to House Bill No. 1682 if warranted by a manifestation of public opinion. It is hoped, therefore, that you will make every effort to be present at this hearing and that you will at that time voice your opinion of the entire inappropriateness of the present proposition as compared with the plan proposed by the Committee on Memorial to Boston Soldiers, Sailors and Marines, which provides not only for an adequate and fitting recognition of our heroic dead, but at the same time provides for a dignified, impressive and entirely necessary means of communication between Boston and Cambridge, as well as a direct benefit to the metropolitan district and a credit to the entire Commonwealth.

Yours very truly,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

MAYOR CURLEY BEARS BOSTON'S GREETINGS TO NOTED AND MUCH REVERED PRELATE.

REPRESENTS CITY OF BOSTON AT GOLDEN JUBILEE OF VERY REVEREND FATHER JAMES F. O'REILLY OF LAWRENCE IN TENDERLY THRILLING ADDRESS.

Address of Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, at the Golden Jubilee of Very Reverend Father O'Reilly, Lawrence, May 6, 1924:

I am here this evening to bring the congratulations of a great American community to a great American citizen, who has served his God and country in every crisis in war and peace, with honor, loyalty and fidelity, and to say to him on this golden anniversary, "well done, thou good and faithful servant."

For fifty years he has lived and wrought in this busy hive of industry for the glory of God and the betterment of man. For fifty golden years he has walked the straight and narrow path of duty, transforming it into a broad and sunlit highway of Christian activity. For half a century he has taught the faith and charity that were his without fear or favor, refusing to attenuate truth or compromise morality, when opportunism smiled and expedience whispered. Through fifty years of work and worry he has preached the gospel of obedience to and reverence for God and his law, inculcating peace between men, respect for obligation, submission to constituted authority, and firm and unyielding opposition to the forces of disloyalty and dishonor, treason and turbulence.

Priest of his church, pastor of his flock, prophet of his people, his valiant leadership has been proof against the voices of slander and the whisper of misrepresentation, and his courage and unselfishness have made him in this busy community an exemplar of good citizenship. Coming here in the dark days following the disastrous financial panic of 1873, his preaching and example gave heart to the discouraged, confidence to the doubting and resolution to the wavering, inspiring and strengthening his people with his own courage and loyalty. An invincible faith in the wisdom, mercy and justice of God, an unflinching confidence in the sense, sanity and stability of his country, and an abiding belief in the honesty and good faith of his countrymen, were the elements of an optimism that made him find hope in the darkest hour and patience in days of defamation and defraction.

When stealthy slander and religious prejudice sought to question the loyalty of his co-religionists in the days of the Spanish War, by his speeches and activities he filled the ranks of his country's defenders and demonstrated to all that the faith and fatherland of the American Catholic are the objects of his unchangeable allegiance and that they are one and undivided in his heart. The lesson of the Spanish War and the record of the World War cannot be forgotten or obliterated; and when the secret foes of faith and fatherland, of America and its precious principles, gather in dark places to renew their campaign of falsehood and misrepresentation, as they do today, here in the person of this venerable priest, pastor and prophet, they will find a living proof of the falsity and futility of their treason and traducing.

His fifty golden years of service to peace and good citizenship are written into the heart of Lawrence.

When Bolshevism raised its ugly head in the streets of this city, when the prophets of treason and trouble, of class hatred and irreligion sought to foment civil war in the community, to wreck industry, mock law, destroy faith, shatter allegiance and preaching the gospel of anarchy under the red banner labeled "No God and No Master," this splendid citizen organized his people into an army of loyalty and righteousness, and led them 30,000 strong, bearing American flags, to give testimony of their allegiance to God and country, to right and religion, to peace and principle; and lo, the forces of evil and their allies fled.

Will Lawrence and Massachusetts forget the courage and service of this venerable priest? This splendid gathering of all the elements of good citizenship and loyal Americanism is the answer to the question. He who promised the church he founded on earth that "The gates of Hell shall not prevail against it" still reigns on earth and in the hearts of Christian people. His promise is still true and neither the gate of Hell nor the nocturnal agencies of Hell can prevail against truth, honor, humanity and justice, nor against the church that teaches their worth, nor the republic in whose principles and government these graces are reflected.

The promises of God are not written in water; they survive the disasters of the world. He who promised safety to the wicked cities of the valley if but one good man could be found among them will not desert this city and Commonwealth in their days of stress, for here God is revered and faith revered by many men; and here in Lawrence you have this venerable priest whose work and words have risen to Heaven like fragrant incense in his long and useful life, and whose worth during this golden half-century is written in the pages of the Golden Book.

His presence in Lawrence is a pledge of safety to this community that the threats of treason, falsehood and fanaticism shall not prevail against the peace and prosperity of its people. And so I rejoice I am the ambassador of the capital of the Commonwealth to carry to this splendid meeting and man the message "Well done, thou good and faithful servant."

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon May 2 the Mayor approved a contract with S. J. Tomasello for granite block pavement in Claflin street, from

C street to D street, South Boston. Bids for the work, opened April 24, were as follows:

Samuel J. Tomasello, \$6,391; J. J. McCarthy & Co., \$6,492; M. F. Gaddis, \$6,515.90; J. McCourt Company, \$6,535.50; V. Grande, \$6,865; J. A. Singarella, \$7,221.50; R. McDonough & Sons, \$7,543.60; H. F. Malley, \$7,604.50; Thomas F. Meaney, \$7,627; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$8,023.50; John T. Shea, Jr., \$8,140; J. F. Kennedy Company, Inc., \$8,906.50; Charles Capone, \$9,180.50.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 1 the Mayor approved a contract with the Berger Manufacturing Company for sixty steel lockers for the Fire Department. Bids for the supply, opened April 25, were as follows:

Federal Steel Fixture Company, \$19.49 each; discount, 10 days, 2 per cent; delivery in thirty days. Lyon Metallic Manufacturing Company, \$19.75 each; delivery, June 25. Durabilt Steel Locker Company, \$20.34 each; delivery in seventy-five days. Bank and Office Equipment Company, \$33.50 each; delivery in sixty days. Berger Manufacturing Company, \$19 each; delivery in sixty days. Hart and Hutchinson Company, \$21.65 each; delivery in four weeks.

Upon May 5 the Mayor approved a contract with E. F. Mahady Company for furnishing surgical supplies to the Boston City Hospital. Bids for the supply, opened May 2, were as follows:

One Surgical Kit.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$55; E. F. Mahady Company, \$6.

Two Small Knives.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$2 each; E. F. Mahady Company, \$1.50 each; B. S. Carmody, \$1.50 each.

Two Hermostats.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$2.60 each; E. F. Mahady Company, \$3 each; B. S. Carmody, \$2.50 each.

Two Forceps.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$1.70 each; E. F. Mahady Company, \$1.10 each; B. S. Carmody, \$2.25 each.

One Pair Scissors.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$1.25; E. F. Mahady Company, \$1; B. S. Carmody, \$1.

One Needle Holder.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$3; E. F. Mahady Company, \$2.40; B. S. Carmody, \$2.50.

One Chest Stamp.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$1.65; E. F. Mahady Company, \$2; B. S. Carmody, \$4.50.

One Test Stamp.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$6.25.

Twelve Boxes Cover Slips.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$12 per box; B. S. Carmody, \$6 per box.

Twelve Packages Filter Paper.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$6 per package; E. F. Mahady Company, \$4.32 per package; B. S. Carmody, \$6 per package.

One Copper Sterilizer.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$18; E. F. Mahady Company, \$5.60; B. S. Carmody, \$5.

One Count Chamber.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$18; E. F. Mahady Company, \$9; B. S. Carmody, \$10.

Twelve Glass Cylinders.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$3 each; E. F. Mahady Company, \$4.32 each; B. S. Carmody, \$6 each.

Three 3-Inch Funnels.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$0.84 each; E. F. Mahady Company, \$0.65 each; B. S. Carmody, \$1.50 each.

Three 2-Inch Funnels.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$0.60; E. F. Mahady Company, \$0.54 each; B. S. Carmody, \$1.50 each.

Twenty-five Feet 5 by 4 Rubber Tubing.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$2; E. F. Mahady Company, \$2; B. S. Carmody, \$7.50.

Ten Feet 4 by 2 Rubber Tubing.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$0.70; E. F. Mahady Company, \$0.80; B. S. Carmody, \$2.

Three B.D. 10 c.c. Syringes.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$5.50 each; E. F. Mahady Company, \$5.50 each; B. S. Carmody, \$7.50 each.

Two 20 c.c. B.D. Syringes.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$4.66 each; E. F. Mahady, \$4.66 each; B. S. Carmody, \$7 each.

Two 30 c.c. B. D. Syringes.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$6 each; E. F. Mahady Company, \$6 each; B. S. Carmody, \$9 each.

One Salv. Syringe.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$1.50; E. F. Mahady Company, \$1.50; B. S. Carmody, \$2.

One Luer Syringe.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$4.67; E. F. Mahady Company, \$4.66; B. S. Carmody, \$3.50.

One Hypodermic Syringe.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$1.87; E. F. Mahady Company, \$1.66; B. S. Carmody, \$1.50.

Six Dozen 15-Gauge B. & D. Needles.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$15 per dozen; E. F. Mahady Company, \$14.50 per dozen; B. S. Carmody, \$18 per dozen.

Six Dozen 16-Gauge B. & D. Needles.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$15 per dozen; E. F. Mahady Company, \$14.70 per dozen; B. S. Carmody, \$18 per dozen.

One Gross 18-Gauge B. & D. Needles.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$22.80; E. F. Mahady Company, \$22.50; B. S. Carmody, \$35.

Three Mirrors.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$7.20; E. F. Mahady Company, \$6.75; B. S. Carmody, \$7.50.

Twelve Blue Bulbs.—E. F. Mahady Company, \$15.

Two Septs. Frames.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$34.50 each; E. F. Mahady Company, \$26 each.

Six Dozen Solution Flasks.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$72 per dozen; E. F. Mahady Company, \$72 per dozen.

Four Operating Cushions.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$18 each; E. F. Mahady Company, \$20 each; B. S. Carmody, \$22 each.

Two Dozen Inst. Sterilizers.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$127.50 per dozen; E. F. Mahady Company, \$108 per dozen; B. S. Carmody, \$75 per dozen.

Two Dozen 5 by 8 Glass Jars.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$55 per dozen; E. F. Mahady Company, \$70 per dozen; B. S. Carmody, \$60 per dozen.

Six Dozen 6 by 6 Glass Jars.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$84 per dozen; E. F. Mahady Company, \$102.60 per dozen; B. S. Carmody, \$84 per dozen.

Four Dozen 4 by 4 Glass Jars.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$36 per dozen; E. F. Mahady Company, \$36 per dozen; B. S. Carmody, \$28 per dozen.

One Dozen Sponge Bowls.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$5 per dozen; E. F. Mahady Company, \$4.50 per dozen; B. S. Carmody, \$6 per dozen.*

One Gross Bed Pans.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$360 per gross; E. F. Mahady Company, \$300 per gross; B. S. Carmody, \$400 per gross.

Six Dozen Eureka Pans.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$135; E. F. Mahady Company, \$108.

One Gross Hot Water Bags.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$180 per gross; E. F. Mahady Company, \$216 per gross; B. S. Carmody, \$216 per gross.*

Forty Thousand Tongue Depressors.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$48 per M.; E. F. Mahady Company, \$50 per M.; B. S. Carmody, \$50 per M.

Twelve Dozen Sanitary Covers.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$90 per dozen; E. F. Mahady Company, \$78 per dozen.

Four Dozen Invalid Cushions.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$21.60 per dozen; E. F. Mahady Company, \$91 per dozen; B. S. Carmody, \$96 per dozen.

One Gross Ice Caps.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$180 per gross; E. F. Mahady Company, \$144 per gross; B. S. Carmody, \$226 per gross.

One Gross Dressing Basins.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$69 per gross; E. F. Mahady Company, \$90 per gross; B. S. Carmody, \$144 per gross, discount 2 per cent.

Total.—Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$1,723.14† E. F. Mahady Company, \$1,676.01; B. S. Carmody, \$1,545.82.†

*On Auditor's copy only.

†Did not quote on all time.

Upon May 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for furnishing meats to the various city departments during May. Bids for the supply, opened April 29, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Two Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Veal.—Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 14 cents per pound.

Thirty-eight Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Chucks.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 9 cents per pound.

Thirteen Hundred Pounds Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 28 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound.

Fifty Pounds Bacon.—Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Hams.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 33 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 33 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 32 cents per pound.

Twenty-five Pounds Salt Pork.—Mohawk Packing Company, 12 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,961.50; William A. Doe Company, \$1,945; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,834.60.

Institutions Department.

Infirmiry Division.

Thirty-two Hundred Pounds Corned Beef Stickers.—Mohawk Packing Com-

pany, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 9½ cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Corned Beef Brisket.—Mohawk Packing Company, 19½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Fifty Pounds Rib Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Hams.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 33 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 31 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound.

Twenty-seven Hundred Pounds Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 28 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Frankfurts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Twenty Pounds Pork Sausage.—Mohawk Packing Company, 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 30 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 25 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Bacon.—Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Seventy-two Pounds Fores Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$2,780.42; William A. Doe Company, \$2,757.18; Merchants Provision Company, \$2,600.46.

Penal Division.

Two Thousand Pounds Corned Beef Stickers.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 9½ cents per pound.

One Thousand Pounds Under Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Pounds Saddles Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 33 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 31 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 32 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 33 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 33

cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 32 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Seventy-five Pounds Frankfurts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Sixteen Pounds Short Ribs.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Forty Pounds Fore-quarters.—Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 11 cents per pound; Mer-

chants Provision Company, 11 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Bologna.—Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,210.14; William A. Doe Company, \$1,171.62; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,136.30.

Park Department.

Two Thousand Pounds Chucks.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$200; William A. Doe Company, \$200; Merchants Provision Company, \$200.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 5 the Mayor approved the purchase of hay, grain and straw to the various city departments in the open market. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

On account of the wide variance in the prices submitted by the various dealers on No. 2 and No. 3 grades of hay, I respectfully recommend that the bids be rejected, and that I be given permission to purchase hay and grain in the open market. I feel that in granting this request, considerable saving over the prices submitted will be effected.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

DISTRICTS.	No. 2 Hay.	No. 3 Hay.	Straw.	No. 2 Oats.	Shorts.	Corn.
SOUTH BOSTON.						
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	\$32 00	\$31 00				
Lord & Webster Company.....			\$28 00	\$0 66	\$37 50	\$1 25
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	34 50	28 50	69½	36 50	1 25
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	33 00	32 50	26 25	64	32 50	
John J. White Company.....		28 00	26 50	64½	35 00	
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.....				63½	33 00	
EAST BOSTON.						
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	32 00	31 00				
Lord & Webster Company.....			28 00	66	38 00	1 25
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	33 00	32 50	26 25	64	32 50	
John J. White Company.....		27 75	26 75	64½	35 00	
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.....				63½	33 00	
CHARLESTOWN.						
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	32 00	31 00				
Lord & Webster Company.....			27 50	66½	37 50	1 25
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	34 50	28 50	69½	36 00	1 25
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	33 00	32 50	26 25	64½	32 50	
John J. White Company.....		28 00	26 50	64½	35 00	
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.....				63½	33 00	
CITY PROPER.						
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	32 00	31 00	28 00			
Lord & Webster Company.....			27 00	66	36 50	1 25
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	34 50	28 00	69½	35 50	1 25
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	33 00	32 50	26 25	64	32 50	
John J. White Company.....		27 50	25 75	64	35 00	
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.....				63½	33 00	
ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	34 50	28 50	69½	36 50	1 25
Landy Brothers.....	35 00	34 00	28 00	69	36 00	1 20
DORCHESTER.						
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	35 00	28 50	69½	36 50	1 25
WEST ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	35 00	28 50	69½	36 50	1 25
BRIGHTON.						
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	35 00	28 50	69½	36 50	1 25
Ogden & Thompson.....	31 50		27 50	65½	37 00	1 15
HYDE PARK.						
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	35 00	28 50	69½	36 50	1 25

Lord & Webster Company will supply State of Maine hay at \$28 per ton in Charlestown, South Boston, East Boston and city proper.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Upon May 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the E. S. Butterfield Company for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 2, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to E. S. Butterfield Company, 88 Broad street, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon May 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Rugo for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 5, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Joseph Rugo, 173 Magnolia street, Dorchester, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon May 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Max Dublin for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 5, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Max Dublin, 569 Norfolk street, Dorchester, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon May 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Wolfson & Ruggiero for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 5, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Wolfson & Ruggiero, 677 Saratoga street, East Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary

greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon May 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Charles Capone for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 5, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Charles Capone, 18 Hemlock street, West Roxbury, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the H. P. Hood Company for furnishing the City Hospital with Grade "A" milk. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 1, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Since your award of the milk contract for the Boston City Hospital on March 31, 1924, to H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., that concern submitted a proposal to the trustees for furnishing Massachusetts Standard Grade "A" market milk for \$0.0889 per quart in twenty-quart jugs for the Main Hospital and in the most convenient sized receptacles for the Convalescent Home and Relief Stations for cooking purposes in place of the 73,000 quarts of pasteurized milk at \$0.0989 per quart.

The trustees of the Hospital Department have agreed with me that the best interests of the city will be served and the hospital protected, and at the same time a considerable saving effected by accepting this proposal for furnishing Massachusetts Standard Grade "A" market milk for cooking purposes, and for these reasons your permission is respectfully requested to this change.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

John Bowen Company has been ordered to add to this contract for the erection and completion of additions and alterations to the out-patient building, ambulance entrance and drive, and subway to surgical building, at the Boston City Hospital, the sum of \$168.56 for the following: Cost of wiring up motors for compressed air and vacuum systems which should have been included in the John Bowen Company's figure for this work as authorized in order No.

2, but which was overlooked by them in making up their price, \$83.56; Cost of outlet boxes which were part of the electric fixtures and were included in allowance for same, but which had to be purchased in advance in order to build them in, and when fixtures were contracted for should have been included as part of the cost of the fixtures, but were overlooked by the architects, \$85. Total, \$168.56.

Statement of Contract to Date: Amount of contract, at signing, \$493,000; Order 1 (addition), \$54,245.95; Order 2 (addition), \$10,108.57; Order 4 (addition), \$4,210; Order 6 (addition), \$1,775; Order 7 (addition), \$1,283; Order 8 (addition), \$3,716.83; Order 9 (addition), \$373.75; Order 12 (addition), \$168.56—\$568,881.66. Order 3 (deduction), \$8,236; Order 5 (deduction), \$619.69; Order 10 (deduction), \$202.80; Order 11 (deduction), \$315; total deductions \$9,375.49. Amount of contract to date, \$559,508.17.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

M. H. Loonie has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works in Congress street, between Atlantic avenue and Purchase street, city proper. Items ordered: Substitute 24-inch D. S. pipe for 2-foot by 3-foot concrete sewer, excavation to be paid for under Item 16 of the proposal and pipe to be furnished at list price, 30 per cent discount; cart away about 50 cubic yards unsuitable material for backfill, excavated above grade at agreed upon price of \$2.50 per cubic yard. Estimated cost of extra work, \$525.

Joseph A. Singarella has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in East Fourth, I, East Fifth, etc., streets. Items ordered: Remove the existing flag crosswalks where directed on Old road, between Glenway and Ellington streets; to be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$50.

FOR TELEPHONE INVESTIGATION.

Corporation Counsel E. Mark Sullivan, representing Mayor Curley of Boston in the city's fight against the proposed increase in telephone rates, at a hearing before the Public Utilities Commission, asked the commission to request the Legislature for an appropriation for a general investigation of the telephone company.

Mr. Sullivan informed Chairman Henry C. Atwill of the commission that "if the commission fails to make such a request, the city itself will ask the Legislature to provide the funds for the investigation."

"I would remind this commission," said Mr. Sullivan, "that its predecessor, the Public Service Commission, for several years urged the Legislature to provide funds for a general investigation of the telephone company, but its request was not granted. I ask now that this commission renew the request of the old commission."

Mr. Sullivan declared that should the commission and the Legislature fail to take these steps toward an investigation, Mayor Curley will ask the City Council to appropriate money for an investigation by experts for the city. The city, however, Mr. Sullivan said, should not be obliged to carry the burden alone.

"The city has been carrying the consumers' petition against the Edison Electric Illuminating Company," said

the city's legal representative, "and has already appropriated \$125,000 for this fight. But if the state won't do the job, then the Mayor will see that the city does it."

Mr. Sullivan demurred at the idea of going forward today with testimony from the city's expert, Samuel H. Mildram, in opposition to the petition of the telephone company for an increase in private branch exchange rates. He pointed out that these rates are interwoven with the fundamental questions of the justice of the 4½ per cent which the telephone company pays to the American Telephone & Telegraph Company, and with the big depreciation which the company is setting aside each year.

PUBLIC RECREATION IN BOSTON.

Number of large parks, 24; separate playgrounds, 44, with total of 324.5 acres, also 13 playgrounds in parks, with area of 155 acres; small parks and squares, 72.8; total area, 2,686.79 acres. Cost of Main Park System, i. e., 1,386 acres (including Common and Public Garden, 72.85 acres) land and construction (since 1877 when begun), \$12,204,876; of Marine Park System, i. e., 457.9 acres (since 1883), \$4,601,045; of all other parks and public grounds, \$2,537,898; of separate playgrounds, \$4,458,331. Total cost, \$23,802,150, of which \$9,789,096 is for land alone.

The leading attraction of the Main Park System is Franklin Park (named for Benjamin Franklin), acquired in 1883-84, and containing 527 acres, about 80 of which are occupied by the Zoological Garden, 15 miles of walks, 8 miles of driveways, etc., the entire cost up to 1921 being \$4,496,801. There are also within the City limits 964 acres of Metropolitan parks and parkways under State control, chief of which is Stony Brook Reservation in West Roxbury, containing 464 acres of wild forested hill and dale with many rocky knolls and an extensive view of the Charles River valley and beyond.

Number of public indoor baths open all the year, 14; 9 beach baths and 7 floating baths open during summer; indoor gymnasias, 11; total number of indoor baths taken in year 1921, 1,527,171, of which 74.3 per cent were by men and boys.

Park Department maintenance for 1921-22 (including Cemetery Division), \$1,366,048 or \$63,260 less than in 1920. Outlay for playground improvements, \$72,885; for park improvements, \$394,748, of which \$254,575 was from Parkman Fund income. Gross debt for parks, public grounds, etc., outstanding February 1, 1922, \$9,681,050; for playgrounds, \$2,224,300; total, \$11,905,350 or \$794,250 less than in 1921. By Chap. 13, Ord. 1920, the Cemetery Department was merged with the Park Dept., the latter title being substituted for Park and Recreation Department.

Including the State assessments of \$948,310 for Metropolitan parks, boulevards, etc., and \$238,073 for Charles River Basin improvements, the total expended for public recreation purposes in 1921 was \$2,903,689 or \$82,782 more in 1920.

Total valuation of City properties devoted to recreation \$69,306,900 (including \$55,112,400 for Boston Common and Public Garden), which far exceeds that of any other American city except New York.

TABLE SHOWING NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1924.

CHARACTER	APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES		APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES AND STORES		BANKS.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		GARAGES.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class													95	\$335,050
Second Class	18	\$866,000					1	\$25,000					44	69,300
Third Class	4	80,000							135	\$1,388,900			60	31,815
Special Class													8	3,230
Total New Work	22	\$946,000					1	\$25,000	135	\$1,388,900			207	\$439,395
Alterations	25	77,275	18	\$40,750	1	\$8,000	2	34,000	494	262,116	22	\$20,990	13	15,660
Grand Totals	47	\$1,023,275	18	\$40,750	1	\$8,000	3	\$59,000	629	\$1,657,016	22	\$20,990	220	\$455,055

CHARACTER.	HOTELS.		HOSPITALS.		LODGING HOUSES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.		OFFICE BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class							2	\$91,000	1	\$350,000				
Second Class							16	139,500	3	129,500	3	\$28,200		
Third Class							3	15,750			1	300		
Special Class							1	250						
Total New Work							22	\$236,500	4	\$479,500	4	\$28,500		
Alterations	1	\$2,500	2	\$200,625	7	\$17,150	71	132,125	14	12,225	20	683,575	1	\$500
Grand Totals	1	\$2,500	2	\$200,625	7	\$17,150	93	\$368,625	18	\$491,725	24	\$712,075	1	\$500

CHARACTER.	PUBLIC HALLS.		SCHOOL HOUSES.		STABLES.		THEATERS.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class									3	\$215,650	101	\$991,700
Second Class			1	\$44,000	1	\$7,000			3	\$61,000	90	1,369,500
Third Class									38	45,115	241	1,551,880
Special Class									6	4,730	15	8,210
Total New Work			1	\$44,000	1	\$7,000			50	\$326,495	447	\$3,921,290
Alterations	2	\$5,300	1	990	11	15,050	4	\$10,750	21	11,680	730	1,551,261
Grand Totals	2	\$5,300	2	\$44,990	12	\$22,050	4	\$10,750	71	\$338,175	1,177	\$5,472,551

NO POSSIBILITY OF STATLER HOTEL FOR BOSTON YET.

Mayor Curley received the following letter May 6 from Mr. E. M. Statler:

DEAR MR. CURLEY,—Your wire to Buffalo has just been received by me here. Unfortunately a change in the building height now would only result in putting

us to added expense in having to prepare new plans and would in no way relieve the situation, as the problem is not one of more rooms,—which only could be gotten from increased height,—but is a question of excessive costs of site, building, equipment, taxes, operating costs, etc., which, as a whole, make the returns or profits wholly inadequate or doubtful on so large an investment.

I am afraid—from the experience and statistics we have before us—that until conditions radically change or relief of some kind be given, Boston will not be able to get for many years what she so badly needs, namely, a splendid, large, modern, up-to-date hotel.

Sincerely yours,
E. M. STATLER.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 1 TO MAY 7.

MAY 1.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. R. Freedman	42 A street	9	New fixtures	\$150
L. R. Freedman	44 A street	9	New fixtures	150
Denis Grady	712 Harrison avenue	6	New fixtures	60
John F. West	14 Leamington avenue	25	New fixtures	400
James A. Kent	158 Perham street	23	New fixtures	450
D. J. Farrell	11 Sherwood street	23	New fixtures	1,900
John F. West	151 Sutherland road	25	New fixtures	100
Phineas Levi	184 West Canton street	6	New fixtures	275
Boydén & Co.	41 Winter street	5	New fixtures	100
P. G. Finnerty	95 Waltham street	6	New fixtures	250
L. R. Freedman	27 Silver street	9	New fixtures	150
H. F. Fillebrown	1551 Centre street	23	New fixtures	800

MAY 2.

George W. Rigby	345 West Third street	9	New fixtures	\$150
Phineas Levi	241 Washington street	5	New fixtures	300
R. W. Credford	6 Taylor terrace	18	New fixtures	100
Louis H. Jacobs	325 Ruggles street	7	New fixtures	290
George H. Maynard	43 Robinwood avenue	22	New fixtures	500
Lawrence M. Vail	156 Newbury street	8	New fixtures	400
John J. Tierney	30 Moraine street	22	New fixtures	900
David E. Mulcahy	55 Monastery road	25	New fixtures	500
John J. O'Toole	60 Metropolitan avenue	23	New fixtures	950
P. H. McCormack	220 and 222 Medford street	3	New fixtures	250
L. E. Marchant	642 Main street	3	New fixtures	700
H. Weiss	74 Luceine street	21	New fixtures	2,000
Kenneth P. Palmer	252 Hyde Park avenue	22	New fixtures	1,200
Kenneth P. Palmer	250 Hyde Park avenue	22	New fixtures	1,200
M. J. Murphy	143 Federal street	5	New fixtures	125
D. J. Rull	533 East Third street	9	New fixtures	200
John C. Lynch	703 Dudley street	17	New fixtures	40
P. H. McCormack	6 Cook street	3	New fixtures	450
John W. Slane	71 Cass street	23	New fixtures	80
E. M. Duggan	74 Camden street	13	New fixtures	200
Edward Bevelander	373 Cambridge street	25	New fixtures	325
A. T. Hapenny	216 Broadway	5	New fixtures	100
Michael J. Conley	34A Harrison avenue	5	New fixtures	150

MAY 3.

Edward J. Piotti	24 Willow court	11	New fixtures	\$100
H. S. Triethewey	14 Walter street	23	New fixtures	750
H. M. Appleby	237 Tremont street	8	New fixtures	800
David H. Lane	Rear of 26 Shannon street	25	New fixtures	125
Robert A. Matthews	88 Roanoke road	24	New fixtures	500
Hatch Plumbing Company	15 Osceola street	24	New fixtures	1,200
Patrick T. Malley	197 Marion street	2	New fixtures	125
Hatch Plumbing Company	4 Kemp street	11	New fixtures	450
P. F. Russo	1285 Hyde Park avenue	24	New fixtures	60
Joseph Locke	253-261 Brookline avenue	14	New fixtures	650
Joseph P. Vogel & Son	383 Boylston street	8	New fixtures	200
John S. Powers	6 Becket street	20	New fixtures	1,150
John E. Stanley	35 Fox street	18	New fixtures	1,200
John E. Stanley	43 Percival street	18	New fixtures	1,200
Charles Lang	15 Westbourne road	22	New fixtures	500

MAY 5.

Thomas F. Riley, Jr.	1240A River street	24	New fixtures	\$750
W. H. Allmon	124 Western avenue	26	New fixtures	650
C. J. B. Boden	26 Playstead road	17	New fixtures	550
John Gillespie	59 Fairmount street	21	New fixtures	1,075
P. W. Donoghue	80 Pond street	22	New fixtures	6,000
Patrick F. Russo	57 Austin street	24	New fixtures	3,000
Patrick F. Russo	466 East Third street	9	New fixtures	350
Frank C. Goldberg	61 Oliver street	5	New fixtures	400
Joseph H. McCarthy	4 Granger place	18	New fixtures	150
D. J. Rull	137 L street	10	New fixtures	50

MAY 6.

T. A. Matthews	54 Wilmington avenue	21	New fixtures	\$600
Francis D. Carr	7 Walnut street	8	New fixtures	5,000
A. J. Callahan	93 Tyler street	5	New fixtures	75
Everett L. Magee	63 Tampa street	24	New fixtures	350
Eli Parad	27 Shafter street	19	New fixtures	200
A. E. Scrivens	31 Neponset avenue	24	New fixtures	100
C. H. Hobson	30 Kinross road	25	New fixtures	3,500
C. H. Hobson	34 Kinross road	25	New fixtures	3,500
M. Cohen	62 Green street	5	New fixtures	50
J. B. Fainsworth Company	9 Glenville terrace	25	New fixtures	700
A. Smith & Co.	47 Chickatawbut street	20	New fixtures	600
M. S. Penn	226 Chelsea street	2	New fixtures	600
Victor Feinberg	70 Canterbury street	21	New fixtures	2,700
Victor Feinberg	72 Canterbury street	21	New fixtures	2,700
Victor Feinberg	74 Canterbury street	21	New fixtures	2,700
W. J. Cook Company	267 Bowen street	10	New fixtures	110
M. S. Pann	318 Blue Hill avenue	18	New fixtures	750
Benjamin Port	16 Blossom court	5	New fixtures	1,050
John M. Hannigan	37 Babson street	21	New fixtures	200
D. J. Barrell Company	5 Maywood street	16	New fixtures	700
John S. Powers	26 Stockton street	21	New fixtures	1,150
E. M. Duggan	373 Warren street	16	New fixtures	90
Samuel Gilman	2054 Washington street	12	New fixtures	85

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 526.

The resignation of Patrolman Harold F. Alexander of Division 9 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Thursday, May 1, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 527.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, McConnell and Laffey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Edward J. Carroll of Division 7, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Edward J. Carroll was, on April 19, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on April 19, 1924, to the said Edward J. Carroll.

On the twenty-third day of April, 1924, the said Edward J. Carroll requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Monday, April 28, 1924, at 2.30 o'clock p. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Edward J. Carroll.

The said Edward J. Carroll was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said Edward J. Carroll guilty as charged, and further finds that the said Edward J. Carroll shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 528.

A trial board consisting of Captains McConnell, Kneeland and Laffey having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman John J. Coffey of Division 5, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, neglect of duty and being absent without leave, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman John J. Coffey was, on April 26, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on April 26, 1924, to the said John J. Coffey.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 529.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, Hickey and McConnell having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Martin A. Keeley of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Martin A. Keeley perform one hundred and forty hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 1 TO MAY 7.

MAY 7.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Stephen A. Cleaves.....	92 Bernard street.....	19	New fixtures.....	\$250
W. I. Ambrose.....	3 Elm street.....	20	New fixtures.....	150
William N. McKenna.....	34 Charles street.....	8	New fixtures.....	100
Albert E. Roberts.....	300 Berkeley street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,595
Joseph Katz.....	33 Madison street.....	14	New fixtures.....	500
F. D. Kirby.....	48-52 West Second street.....	9	New fixtures.....	700
Edward J. Rzech.....	731 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	1,150
John A. Donlan.....	134 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	800
John Mulready.....	79 Cabot street.....	21	New fixtures.....	200
P. A. Foley.....	554 Columbia road.....	17	New fixtures.....	100
William F. Joyce.....	86 Buttonwood street.....	11	New fixtures.....	300
T. E. Johnston.....	12 Berkeley street.....	7	New fixtures.....	100
Hugh M. Appleby.....	237 Tremont street.....	8	New fixtures.....	800
Daniel F. Maher.....	1437 River street.....	24	New fixtures.....	400
Bernard T. Clancy.....	1064-1068 Boylston street.....	7	New fixtures.....	200
F. D. Kirby.....	20 West First street.....	9	New fixtures.....	400
Abraham M. Smith.....	373 Charles street.....	5	New fixtures.....	15

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 1 TO MAY 7.

MAY 1.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Margaret Dunn.....	16 Tatt court.....	23	First-class storeroom.....	\$1,650
Rene Pannier.....	22 Trescott street.....	11	First-class garage.....	1,000
Patrick C. Mulvey.....	Rear of 101 Carolina avenue.....	22	First-class garage.....	1,000
Bartholomew Murray.....	Rear of 55 Easton street.....	26	First-class garage.....	1,450
Gustav E. Olson.....	30 Dalrymple street.....	15	First-class garage.....	550
Annie Aptaker.....	12 and 14 Normandy street (No. 1).....	18	First-class garage.....	500
Annie Aptaker.....	12 and 14 Normandy street (No. 2).....	18	First-class garage.....	500
David Feldman.....	1217-1225 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Second-class stores.....	15,000
Catherine Sullivan.....	55 and 57 Franklin street.....	26	Second-class stores.....	10,000
Sells-Loto Circus Company.....	495-593 Dorchester avenue.....	11	Special, circus seats.....	200
Jeanne Corbelle.....	Rear of 9 Rockview street.....	22	Special, garage.....	400
Virginia Graziana.....	Rear of 47 Maxwell street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	350
Bessie Feldman.....	Rear of 28 Wellington Hill st.....	21	Third-class garage.....	1,000
C. C. Mitchell.....	Rear of 49 Wachuset street.....	22	Third-class garage.....	600
Ada M. Davis.....	Rear of 44 Parkman street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
William G. Huckman.....	Rear of 23 Hayden street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
Albert H. Hyde.....	Rear of 149 Temple street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
John F. Sullivan et al.....	Rear of 29 Farquhar street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Eleanor S. Moon.....	Rear of 36 Mendelssohn st.....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
Max F. Kleindienst.....	Rear of 90 Westminster st.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
Elof Monson.....	Rear of 79 Landseer street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
Pope Lumber Company.....	45 Railroad street.....	23	First-class baling house.....	2,000
Phillip McMorrow.....	326 Adams street.....	20	Third-class filling station.....	350
Mary D. Thoreson.....	28 Bertram street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	10,500
Robert Fowler.....	8 Cataumet street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Walter D. Brownell et al.....	144 Huntington avenue.....	7	Alterations, stores and apartments.....	20,000
New York Building Wrecking Company.....	55 Hampden street.....	12	Take-down, dwelling.....	75
Max Buaz.....	Rear of 133 Callender street.....	21	Take-down, storage.....	100

MAY 2.

G. B. Ratto.....	Rear of 1088 Bennington st.....	1	First-class garage.....	\$1,500
A. V. Mullen et al.....	Rear of 1092 Bennington st.....	1	First-class garage.....	1,800
Louis Baker.....	34 Elm Hill park.....	16	First-class garage.....	1,500
Lena Zukas.....	Rear of 82 Whitfield street.....	19	First-class garage.....	625
Paul Zukas.....	Rear of 86 Whitfield street.....	19	First-class garage.....	625
John Crisafi.....	Rear of 37 and 39 Payson avenue.....	17	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Byron O. Downing.....	Rear of 20 Thurston street.....	1	Special garage.....	295
M. R. Thomas.....	7 Granfield avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	10 Granfield avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	11 Granfield avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	12 Granfield avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	14 Granfield avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	15 Granfield avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	16 Granfield avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	17 Granfield avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	18 Granfield avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	19 Granfield avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Rose Barton.....	12 Hadwin way.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Paul Wojcik.....	328 Wood avenue.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	5,500
Willard P. Whittemore.....	Rear of 434 West Roxbury Parkway.....	23	Third-class storage.....	1,000
Paul Cavita.....	94 Blue Hill avenue.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	600
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.....	381 Dorchester street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Catherine A. Flynn.....	40 Mather street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
E. Z. Roundtree.....	14 Moreland street.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
A. L. Glassett.....	693 Washington street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	900
N. E. Brewing Company.....	1220 Columbus avenue.....	15	Alterations, storage.....	400
Colonial Realty Trust.....	136 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	Alterations, theater.....	4,000
Mahler's Specialty Shop.....	2167-2171 Washington st.....	13	Alterations, store and offices.....	1,000
Jacob J. Flashman.....	Rear of 1868 Dorchester ave.....	20	Alterations, carpenter shop.....	600
E. Sohler Welch et al., trustees.....	35 Court street.....	5	Alterations, store and offices.....	8,000

MAY 3.

Abraham Goodman.....	37 Fowler street.....	19	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Jennie Daniels.....	Rear of 4 Harlem street.....	19	First-class garage.....	1,000
Minnie Gormley.....	Rear of 45 Mountfort street.....	8	First-class garage.....	1,450

MAYOR RENEWS EFFORT TO GET STATLER HOTEL HERE.

Mayor Curley sent the following telegram May 5:

Mr. E. M. Statler, Pennsylvania Hotel, New York, N. Y.:

The Central Labor Union of Boston published a statement in the Press on Saturday, May 3, which would indicate that prevailing wage schedules are not likely to be subject to a reduction for many years.

Boston is extremely desirous that you construct a hotel here and I believe I voice the prevailing sentiment of the people of our city when I state that not only is the city prepared to aid in every way that is legal, but, in addition, the General Court, which will probably adjourn within two weeks, is not only sympathetic but desirous of aiding Boston and you in the present predicament.

It is possible that the recently enacted height limit on buildings, namely 155 feet, might be extended in the case of the Statler Hotel to 200 feet provided that would be sufficient inducement to warrant your beginning construction at once.

In the event that this proposition is sufficiently meritorious to justify you in going ahead with your building program, wire me at once and the necessary bill will be drafted for submission to the Legislature.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

MAYOR SEEKS NOTED AIR MEET FOR BOSTON.

Mayor Curley has been earnestly requested by Mr. F. P. Lahm, chairman of the international air races of 1925, including the Pulitzer races, and who is prominently associated with the National Aeronatic Association of the United States at Washington, to have Boston compete as a site for these noted international events. Chairman Lahm is particularly anxious that the safety of the course that Boston could offer from the airport in East Boston shall be clearly outlined, especially the arrangement of a triangular course, with three separate legs of 50 kilometers.

The committee on the races must be assured that all courses will be arranged over open territory and of such nature that forced landings upon the part of the aviators can be made without undue hazard to the pilots.

Landing fields should be approximately one mile square, perfectly level, well drained, and with ample hangar facilities. Hotel accommodations, facilities for reaching the field, the roads approaching the site of the races, and the ability of car lines to handle the traffic are also necessary requisites.

Mayor Curley has requested Porter H. Adams, chairman of the Municipal Air Board, and his associates to make careful study of the availability of Boston as a site for the proposed races, and the excellent conditions attending the airport in East Boston, in the event that Boston's participation in the race competition may be assured at an early date. The site of the international races will be announced soon after July 1, 1924.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 1 TO MAY 7.

MAY 3.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. W. Palmer.	61 Oakland street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	\$8,000
M. W. Palmer.	63 Oakland street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	8,000
M. W. Palmer.	65 Oakland street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	8,000
Annie L. Chase.	30 Stockton street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
A. Peterson.	68 Halifax street.	22	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Hugh Burns.	29 Bostonia avenue.	25	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
M. W. Palmer.	98 Bennett street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	8,000
M. W. Palmer.	102 Bennett street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	8,000
Olive Bradwood.	Rear of 18 Richfield street.	18	Third-class garage.	450
Samuel F. Levenson.	Rear of 14 Crowell street.	21	Third-class garage.	600
William F. Howell.	Rear of 88 Minot street.	21	Third-class garage.	330
James Rounding.	64 Oriole street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	2,800
Grace M. Foley.	106 River street.	21	Alterations, garage.	300
Albany Carpet Cleaning Company.	18 Penniman road.	25	Alterations, light manufacturing.	14,000
F. H. Roberts Company.	128 Cross street.	5	Alterations, candy manufacturing.	250
Holmes, Luce & Co.	66-70 Hanover street.	5	Install elevator.	2,000
Annie Broderick et al.	470 Massachusetts avenue.	7	Erect fire escape.	168
Annie Broderick et al.	474 Massachusetts avenue.	7	Erect fire escape.	168
B. A. Fernald.	495 Columbus avenue.	7	Erect fire escape.	350
Mr. Young.	14 Phillips street.	14	Erect fire escape.	225
Curtis Johnson et al.	45 and 47 Rutland square.	7	Erect fire escape.	130

MAY 5.

W. H. Kenney.	51 Cornwall street.	22	First-class garage.	\$1,400
Anna J. Butler.	45 South Munroe terrace.	20	First-class garage.	1,000
Leonora Lydon.	Rear of 59 Dunster road.	22	First-class garage.	750
William H. Hubbard.	Rear of 40 Holborn street.	16	First-class garage.	4,000
Gaston, Mooney & Morgan.	136 Arborway.	22	Second-class apartments.	25,000
Hilda F. Garvin.	Rear of 546 East Broadway.	9	Second-class garage.	1,000
Mary E. Craddock.	Rear of 411 Neponset ave.	20	Special garage.	600
Mary E. Craddock.	Rear of 411 Neponset ave.	20	Special garage.	600
Mary E. Craddock.	411 Neponset avenue.	20	Special garage.	600
Diamond Realty Company.	6 Lorna road.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Edward Brown.	Rear of 1072 Washington st.	21	Third-class garage.	400
Frederick M. Gilliland.	93 Florence street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Louis F. Abbott.	32 Hobson street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,500
Gertrude S. White.	1980 Beacon street.	8	Alterations, tenements and office.	1,000
Rebecca S. Roberts.	102 Crawford street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	500
Dora Cramer.	4 Glenway street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	440
Emily G. Horgan.	68 Fayette street.	8	Alterations, stores.	2,200
Emily G. Horgan.	70 Fayette street.	8	Alterations, stores.	2,200
Emily G. Horgan.	72 Fayette street.	8	Alterations, stores.	2,200
Emily G. Horgan.	74 Fayette street.	8	Alterations, stores.	2,200
Emily G. Horgan.	76 Fayette street.	8	Alterations, stores.	2,200
Emily G. Horgan.	78 Fayette street.	8	Alterations, stores.	2,200
Emily G. Horgan.	80 Fayette street.	8	Alterations, stores.	2,200
Eastern Salt Company.	41 Terminal street.	4	Alterations, salt warehouse.	200
John J. Round.	734 Washington street.	5	Alterations, store and light storage.	5,000
Minnie G. Trull.	39 West Tremlett street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	3,500
Annie M. Dolan.	Rear of 3835 Washington st.	22	Alterations, auto storage.	400
Max Sater.	186 Magrovia street.	17	Alterations, stable.	250
Myer Dana.	1242-1252 River street.	24	Alterations, stores.	2,500
John F. Costello.	12 Huckins street.	12	Alterations, tenements.	150

MAY 6.

L. Schwalb.	110 Folsom street.	24	First-class garage.	\$2,000
Jeanette Shapiro.	5 Deering road.	21	Second-class store.	1,875
Ellen M. Sheehan.	Rear of 79 Claymoss road.	25	Second-class garage.	1,000
Union Realty Trust.	14 Linden street.	25	Second-class machine shop.	111,000
The Winsor School.	102 Pilgrim road.	14	Second-class gymnasium.	50,000
Helen L. Noonan.	Rear of 78 Hobart street.	26	Second-class garage.	1,000
Mrs. L. B. Brown.	Rear of 16 Sayward street.	17	Special garage.	300
Emily J. Preising.	144 Aldrich street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
C. L. Murray.	104 Maple street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	7,000
William P. Cotter.	50 Moraine street.	22	Third-class dwelling.	18,000
Miss Mary Sweeney.	34 Pontiac street.	14	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Rose A. Sheehy.	31 Colonial road.	25	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
A. D. Shapiro.	28 Schuyler street.	16	Third-class dwelling.	15,000
Mary I. Leonard.	Rear of 64 Percival street.	18	Third-class garage.	350
Louis Radlo.	17 Schuyler street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	350
W. V. Smith.	105-109 Homes avenue.	18	Alterations, garage.	600
E. Clark.	75 Linden street.	18	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
Ivan W. Riss.	31 Liszt street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	2,800
Central Building Wrecking Company.	237 C street.	9	Take-down, tenements.	250
Central Building Wrecking Company.	239 C street.	9	Take-down, tenements.	250
Central Building Wrecking Company.	241 C street.	9	Take-down, tenements.	250
Central Building Wrecking Company.	243 C street.	9	Take-down, tenements.	250
Central Building Wrecking Company.	195 Athens street.	9	Take-down, tenements.	100
Central Building Wrecking Company.	197 Athens street.	9	Take-down, dwelling.	50

MAY 7.

Mary T. Kelley.	Rear of 37 Goldsmith street.	22	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Harry Thresher.	Rear of 58 Aldie street.	25	First-class garage.	900
Frank Berkowitz.	Rear of 8 Grove park.	18	First-class garage.	700
Lawrence J. Fallon.	Rear of 70 Richfield street.	18	First-class garage.	2,000
Hyman Lechtman.	Rear of 11 Esmond street.	19	First-class garage.	1,000
One Hundred Associates.	Rear of 868 and 870 East Fourth street.	10	First-class garage.	4,000
Kathryn L. Pearlman.	Rear of 107 Bynner street.	14	Second-class garage.	1,200

MAYOR OPPOSES YOUNGMAN LOAN PLAN FOR SCHOOL.

Mayor Curley issued the following statement over the telephone concerning his opposition to the petition of Senator Youngman for a loan, outside of the debt limit, for replacing the Bennett School, destroyed by fire.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Pakulski was directed to appear in opposition to the bill. The Mayor believed that the policy adopted in 1916, during his previous administration, of constructing school buildings out of the tax levy, rather than by bond issue, should be continued, and any authorization by bond issue for school construction or replacement, no matter how meritorious, would be destructive of the pay-as-you-go policy now in effect. The adoption of this policy in 1916 has resulted in the appropriation of over \$15,000,000 for new buildings out of the tax levy, that otherwise would have been reflected in the increased debt of the city. The Mayor indicated that during his administration there would be no variation of this policy.

MAYOR SUBMITS BUDGET OF \$38,726,261, TO COUNCIL.

Asking \$38,726,261, Mayor Curley sent his new city and county budget to the City Council Monday, May 5. The Committee on Finance took it up Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. The budget is an increase of \$2,319,079 over last year's. Wage and salary increases make up about half of this sum.

Should the Council pass the budget as it stands, thirteen city departments will get increases over last year's allowances and seven departments will receive less. Of these last, General Dunn of the Soldiers' Relief Department estimates that his work can be carried on with a reduction of \$48,522 from last year. This is the largest cut.

The Public Works Department calls for \$700,000 more than last year, due to its extended activities. The Fire Department asks \$316,000 more, due to the two-platoon system.

The City Hospital needs \$335,000 more than last year, and the Park Department \$267,000.

On account of the several elections occurring this year, the Election Department requests \$92,000 more than it did last year. The Library Department wants \$49,000 more; the Police Department's bill is \$113,000 greater, and the Public Buildings Department needs \$51,000 more.

For the Boston Sanatorium, the Collecting and City Planning Departments the bill for each this year will be about \$20,000 greater than that of last year.

The budget as it now stands shows a decrease from last year's appropriations for the Boston Conservation Bureau of \$15,000, for the Finance Commission of \$10,000, and for much smaller amounts for the Art, Auditing and Budget Departments. City Council proceedings this year will cost \$530 less than last year's total, it appears.

The county budget shows the customary heavy increase, being \$251,919 greater than last year's total. The Superior Court, Criminal Session, is to

cost \$62,000 more, and the Registry of Deeds \$25,000 more.

BUDGET ALLOCANCES FOR 1924-25, CLASSIFIED BY GENERAL ACTIVITIES OR FUNCTIONS.

Police and fire departments and property,	\$8,019,468 97
Deeds, registry and interest	6,381,881 82
Highways and bridges	1,649,050 96
Sanitation	3,564,016 00
Conservation of health	3,065,286 89
Charities and correction	2,390,366 65
Recreation and entertainment	2,388,243 57
Administration of justice	2,048,888 05
General government	2,047,957 18
Education	828,567 00

\$36,383,707 09

CUTS MADE NECESSARY BY 25 CENT REDUCTION IN TAX LIMBS.

Bridge repairs	\$100,000 00
Reserve Fund	75,000 00
Furnishing and equipping new Out-Patient Department	70,000 00
Streets and parkways	65,000 00
Granolithic sidewalks	50,000 00
New books and pneumatic tubes at library	40,000 00
	\$400,000 00

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY BROWNING'S WORKS EXHIBITION.

To commemorate the 112th anniversary of Robert Browning's birthday, there is now at the Boston Public Library an exhibition of the autograph letters and first editions of the poet's works. The exhibition is arranged in the Barton Room, where the library of the Boston Browning Society is deposited. Most of the books now shown belong to this large and valuable collection.

The most valuable — and indeed unique — object in the exhibition is an album of caricatures, sketched by the poet "whilst lost in thoughts." There are twenty-nine examples of these highly amusing drawings, most of which are illustrations of clever puns. It might be said that they are most characteristic of Browning's comical vein, as revealed in many of his paradoxical poems. These little good-humored caricatures bring the poet even nearer to us; they show him in his simple, joking mood.

The collection is very rich in first editions. The "Paraceleous" (1835), "Strafford" (1837), the Poems (1849), "Christmas Eve and Easter Day" (1850), "Men and Women" (1855), "Dramatis Personæ" (1864), "The Ring and the Book" (1868-69), are all represented in first editions, including the first American, and especially the first Boston editions. Some of the more recent publications are richly illustrated.

The Browning collection at the library, together with the works of Elizabeth Barrett Browning, comprises over 700 items. It is very rich in rare copies, but its distinguishing feature is its wealth in reference works, in critical, biographical and expository studies. The collection reflects the love and studious labor of the Browning Society of Boston, which has brought it together in the course of many years. This is eminently a working collection; and, being in daily use, is a great help to students.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority:

To scarify and grade Old road, between Columbia road and Glenway street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$3,500.

To scarify and grade Mt. Vernon street, between Charles street and Charles River Parkway, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$3,500.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 1 TO MAY 7.

MAY 7.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Congregational Sons of Abraham.	70 Wayland street.	17	Second-class synagogue.	\$25,000
Fossate Realty Trust.	Rear of 534 Beacon street.	8	Second-class storage.	2,000
Children's Hospital.	Rear of 320 Longwood ave.	14	Special storage.	350
Michael Kanne.	38 Heath street.	14	Special garage.	600
Frank O. Hedke.	57 Mozart street.	15	Special garage.	600
Margaret O. Grady.	Rear of 44 Richards street.	26	Third-class garage.	600
Chandler A. Humphreys.	Rear of 7 Parkvale road.	23	Third-class garage.	600
Theresa S. Hoppe.	Rear of 67 Baker street.	23	Third-class garage.	600
Angus J. Smith.	Rear of 30 Colberg avenue.	23	Third-class garage.	450
Bernard Ekberg.	15 Foss road.	20	Third-class dwelling.	13,000
William Bufley.	34 Winthrop street.	4	Alterations, dwelling.	300
T. M. Sinclair.	81 South Market street.	5	Alterations, wholesale beef.	9,000
Myer Plovnick.	2 Smith avenue.	13	Alterations, dwelling.	650
Rosa Velardo.	160 Havre street.	2	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
Orlando Giglio.	22 Unity court.	5	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
A. J. Robinson.	172 Kittredge street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	400
Morris Stoll.	122 Blue Hill avenue.	12	Alterations, garage.	150
John Canavan.	60 Virginia street.	17	Alterations, dwelling.	100
Aetna Building Wrecking Co.	49 Forest street.	12	Take down, dwelling.	200
Lillian J. Carpenter.	1 Moss Hill road.	22	Take-down, garage.	100
Atlantic Building Wrecking Company.	228-240 West Broadway.	9	Take-down, dwelling.	600

SEEK DISCHARGE OF CITY EMPLOYEE.

Claiming that Frank E. Magullion, a city employee, did work also for an insurance company while he was a rodman in the Street Laying-Out Department, the Finance Commission, in a report to Mayor Curley recommended that Magullion be discharged and that the money he received be recovered. He is said to have entered the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company on September 29, 1919, without informing that concern that he was on the municipal pay roll.

Mayor Curley returned the report with the following letter:

BOSTON, May 6, 1924.

HON. MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN, *Chairman, Finance Commission*, 410-416 Tremont Building, Boston, Mass.:

DEAR SIR,—Upon receipt of report this day in the case of one of the sixteen thousand city employees whom it is charged collected wages unlawfully, I am returning the communication received, as the usual expected and customary blunder has been made again by your commission.

The employee in question, according to the report received this day, if true, accepted of an outside position in September, 1919, and it is a reflection upon the sleuthing powers of your smelling department that this double dealing was not discovered and made public under the administration of my predecessor, where it originated.

Upon inquiry I find that this city employee served the nation during the World War and in conformity with the provisions of chapter 31, section 26, of the General Laws, his case must be passed upon by the City Council rather than the Mayor.

The indications are that the General Court will shortly prorogue, and the Governor having failed to reappoint you as yet, I am returning the communication to you in this case so that your action and recommendation may have proper judicial flavor and be in accordance with statute provisions.

Yours truly,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Joseph Rugo has been allowed to amend his contract for erecting and completing the John L. Motley Addition, Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, by striking out the words, "a special bond in the sum of 50 per cent of the cost of the roofing will be

required, guaranteeing the roof for a period of twenty years from the completion of the work," as set forth in section 3, page 29, paragraph (V), and inserting in lieu thereof the guaranty of the New England Felt Roofing Company covering the above work for a period of twenty years from the date of completion of the contract.

MAYOR WINS APPROVAL IN HIS DEMAND FOR NEW HARVARD BRIDGE.

Mayor Curley was heartily commended for his address before the House Ways and Means Committee on the matter of a new bridge on the Charles river at Massachusetts avenue, which would add to the beauty of the basin.

The Mayor made the point that Boston, which will pay the larger share of the cost of the bridge, is entitled to have some voice in the form it is to take. No one regrets that the new West Boston Bridge adds to the beauty of the basin, he said, even though it probably cost more than an ordinary steel span.

He still believes in the plan to erect an island in the middle of the basin, on which to erect an impressive World War Memorial, but if the Legislature will not approve the island suggestion he favors the Andrews plan, for a new bridge, with small promontories at either end, for under passes.

"This city of ours is going to endure," he said, "and I don't know anybody that wants to go backward, unless it is the commission that wants to patch a bridge connecting the city with two of the greatest educational institutions in the world, Harvard and the Institute of Technology. It would certainly be a strange contribution to the institution founded for the purpose of increasing the store of mechanical and scientific knowledge in the world to have as an approach to it a patched up bridge such as this commission and a committee of the Legislature has proposed."

The Mayor's views were echoed by practically all the architects who spoke, including H. J. Carlson, R. Clipston Sturgis, C. Howard Walker and Edward Hoyt. Several persons interested in rowing, including Coach Stevens of the Harvard varsity, opposed the promontory idea.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending May 3:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Joseph Tutanjian.....	Rear of 11 Harvest street....	11	Garage.....	New building.
Charles Pallas.....	322 Tremont street.....	8	Dwelling.....	New building.
Barry Building Wrecking Com- pany.	410 Albany street.....	6	Office.....	New building.
Max Brass.....	Rear of 133 Callender st....	21	Storage.....	Unsafe.
New York Building Wrecking Company.	55 Hampden street.....	12	Dwelling.	

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending May 3, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
776,783, United States Census estimate.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 210; nonresidents, 35; total,
245.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 16.45; nonresidents deducted,
14.10.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 15.11; corresponding week
last year, 14.95.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 27; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 12; sixty years and over, 90;
total deaths, male, 138; female, 107;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 145;
deaths of colored, 10.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 3, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 5, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	52	3	56	3
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	1	—	—
Influenza.....	2	—	—	—
Measles.....	194	—	242	3
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	35	13	29	20
Scarlet fever.....	96	1	74	4
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	40	13	50	18
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	8	2	8	1
Typhoid fever.....	1	2	1	—
Whooping cough.....	19	—	45	3

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE
EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

WATCHMEN, GATEMEN, GUARDS AND
PRISON OFFICERS, MAY 15, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. This service includes watchmen and guards in public parks, grounds, institutions and departments, gatemen for ferries; turnkeys and guards in prisons, houses of detention and reformatories.

Applicants for appointment as officers in the State Prison and Massachusetts Reformatory must be not less than twenty-five and not over forty years of age at the time of filing application. Applicants for appointment as officers in Prison Camp and Hospital must be not less than twenty-three nor over forty years of age at the time of filing application. All applicants for these places must be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height and weigh not less than 135 pounds. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the applications for this service.

There are no age, height or weight limits for watchman service other than those mentioned above.

The examination for watchmen, gatemen and guards will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; memory test, 1; arithmetic, 1; handwriting, 1; accuracy, 1; total, 10.

The examination for prison officers will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions covering general disciplinary and penological methods, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants who pass the examination for prison officers will, upon request, also be placed on the list for watchmen.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

FIRST ASSISTANT ASSESSOR, BOSTON,
MAY 20, 1924.

The salary is \$1,600 a year. There are four vacancies.

The duties of this position are approximately as follows: The City of Boston is divided into districts for assessing purposes. Each first assistant assessor has charge of a district. Beginning April 1 it is his duty to examine all real property and all tangible personal property in his district and put a fair valuation thereon for tax purposes. This

generally takes from six to eight weeks. During the period after May 15, which is the completion of the street work, the assessors are in daily sessions at a dooming board until about August 1. From about the first of October to the first of January the first assistant assessors are required to give about one day a week for hearings in regard to abatement of taxes in their district. It is desirable that applicants should have a good general knowledge of real estate matters, with experience in buying and selling, and that they should be good judges of value, both of improved and unimproved real estate. A knowledge of tax laws is also desirable, as is experience as a builder or ability to judge value of new buildings. There is no objection to the assessors having other employment in their spare time.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in the oral interview and in general average in order to become eligible.

DENTISTS, MAY 21, 1924.

This examination is for the service of the state, all cities in the state and such towns as are classified under civil service. From the eligible list established as a result of this examination names will be certified to fill vacancies in institutions, schools and other positions as they occur. The salaries range from \$1,000 to \$1,400 per year.

Applicants are required to be registered to practise dentistry under the Board of Dental Examiners, Department of Civil Service and Registration.

The examination will consist of the filing of a statement of training and experience. The mark given on experience will be combined with the mark given applicants by the State Board of Dental Examiners, and an average will be taken to determine their standing on the list.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

JANITORS, MAY 23, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. There are several vacancies at the present time.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; practical questions on the duties of the position, 5; total, 10. Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

ELECTRICAL DRAUGHTSMAN FOR BOSTON
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT, MAY 26,
1924.

The salary is \$1,500 a year.

Applicants should have a general knowledge of building construction on first, second and third class buildings, be able to draw and lay out electrical plans and to read building plans, have a working knowledge of electricity, both on low tension (bells, clocks, telephones and fire alarm) and on light and power circuits, a knowledge of the rules governing elec-

trical installations as issued by the Boston Board of Fire Underwriters and the Fire Department, Wire Division, of the City of Boston, and sufficient information, both electrical and educational, to write out specifications for electrical work of various kinds in an intelligent manner.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

COAL INSPECTOR, SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, BOSTON, MAY 26, 1924.

The salary is \$1,800 a year.

Applicants should have a general knowledge of the laws relating to the sale of coal in Massachusetts and the general laws relative to coal, and should have a knowledge of the qualities of various grades of coal, the testing, mining, and shipping of coal, etc.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; arithmetic, 2; report, 1; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; total, 10.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

INSPECTOR OF DAIRY PRODUCTS, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, DIVISION OF DAIRYING, MAY 27, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$5 per day. The duties of this position are to inspect and investigate the methods and conditions of production, manufacture, handling, sampling, branding, transportation and sale of dairy products and imitation dairy products for the purpose of enforcing the laws relating thereto. It is desirable that applicants have a knowledge of the oleomargarine and dairy laws, and have had dairy farm and creamery experience.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

VISITOR TO OLDER BOYS (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE, MAY 27, 1924.

The salary is \$1,440 per year. Applicants must be not less than twenty-five nor over forty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The duties of this position are to have charge of the work of placing and supervising boys over twelve in the district to

which the visitor may be assigned, to find suitable homes and investigate applications of people who desire to board the boys, to visit the boys at least four times a year as guardian, and to attend court hearings on complaints against boys and girls being neglected children and against boys for delinquency. It is desirable that applicants have had previous training and experience in some form of social work and have a knowledge of the laws relating to neglected, delinquent and dependent children.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

SOCIAL INSURANCE WORKER, DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE, DIVISION OF SAVINGS BANK LIFE INSURANCE, MAY 27, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$2,100 per year. Applicants must be not less than 30 nor more than 50 years of age at the time of filing applications. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The duties of this position are as follows: To interview employers and employees regarding organization of mutual benefit associations for voluntary insurance against sickness and for group life insurance under policies issued by the savings banks. Applicants should be familiar with the principles of life insurance, have had practical experience in selling life insurance, be familiar with the Savings Bank Life Insurance Law, and be familiar with rates, dividends, and the surrender values of the several kinds of policies offered by the insuring banks. Applicants should have a high school education or its equivalent.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

APRIL LABOR REPORT.

During the month the number of people called for by employers was 1,533, an increase of 315, or 26 per cent over March but a decrease of 621, or 29 per cent, when compared with April, 1923. The number of positions reported filled was 1,345, an increase of 313, or 30 per cent, over March but a decrease of 194 or 13 per cent from April last year. The attendance of applicants for employment during the month was 21,608, a decrease of 1,442, or 6 per cent, from

March but an increase of 367, or 2 per cent, over April last year.

Of the 1,840 service men (1,269 soldiers and 571 sailors) who visited the office in April in search of work, 232 (177 soldiers, 55 sailors) were given introduction cards to firms and 180 (134 soldiers, 46 sailors) secured positions.

The number of people called for by employers was 1,533 as compared with 2,154 in 1923, 1,363 in 1922; 1,407 in 1921; 3,006 in 1920 and 2,137 in 1919.

The number of positions reported filled was 1,345 as compared with 1,539 in 1923; 1,016 in 1922; 1,033 in 1921; 1,772 in 1920 and 1,215 in 1919.

EXPENDITURES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR.

Total ordinary and extraordinary, \$63,066,243 or \$5,588,333 more than in 1920-21. For maintenance of departments (excluding Water Service and Printing Department), \$36,128,513 (including \$11,167,921 for School Departments); for City and County interest, \$3,415,646; sinking-fund requirements, \$783,318; serial loan payments, \$1,528,914 (making all debt requirements, excluding Rapid Transit, \$5,727,878); for Water Service (including Metropolitan water assessment, interest on debt and extension of mains), \$3,233,728 (covered by water revenue) State tax, \$4,262,300 (regular) and \$200,937 (special for benefit of soldiers and sailors of World War); other regular Metropolitan and State assessments, \$1,725,285; Printing Department, \$387,706 (covered by revenue); special appropriations from Tax Levy, \$4,128,151; special appropriations from Parkman Fund income, \$254,575. Total ordinary expenditures, \$56,049,073 or \$4,295,285 more than in 1920-21. Total expenditures for departments only, \$2,342,270 more than in 1920-21. Department increases of expenditure in excess of \$25,000 over the year 1920-21, were Assessing Dept., \$26,190; Fire Dept., \$63,672; School Depts., \$1,269,993; Police, \$307,766; County of Suffolk, \$143,481; Overseers of Poor, \$259,881; Soldiers' Relief, \$614,157; Library, \$67,670; Health, \$38,887.

Regular appropriations unexpended by the departments and accounted as surplus reached the noteworthy total of \$596,579. Decreases of expenditure from 1920 were Public Works Dept., \$447,590; Institutions Dept., \$85,262; Election Dept., \$69,562; Park Dept., \$63,260; Hospital Dept., \$7,120; Collecting Dept., \$4,534; Weights and Measures Dept., \$3,209.

Extraordinary expenditures for permanent improvements (i. e., loan appropriations, etc., including unused portions from previous year), \$5,433,676, of which \$934,252 was for Rapid Transit construction; \$987,294 for Stuart St., land damages and construction; \$974,138 for sewer construction; \$939,918 for making of highways; \$582,783 for East Boston Ferry improvements; \$95,041 for sea wall, etc., Roxbury Canal; \$56,322 for Jail hospital; \$72,988 for playgrounds; \$169,214 for park and recreation buildings; \$43,805 for High Pressure Fire Service; \$427,236 for public buildings and sites; \$150,686 for other objects. For Rapid Transit debt requirements, \$1,583,494. Total extraordinary, \$7,017,170 or \$1,327,097 more than in 1920-21. Of the 1921 loans, the amount expended within the same fiscal year was \$3,715,223 or 67.92 per cent.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, April 28, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair and all the members present.

EXPENDITURE OF PARKMAN FUND INCOME.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 28, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to forward herewith communication of Park Commission and order providing for the expenditure and distribution of income of the Parkman Fund now available.

The driveway at present in use at Franklin Park is but twenty feet in width and constitutes a menace both to operators of motor vehicles and pedestrians. It was originally constructed to provide for horse-drawn pleasure vehicles, which no longer obtain in large numbers upon our highways. It is necessary, provided that the public are to be afforded an opportunity to enjoy the Park System that suitable roadways be provided and for this purpose the sum of \$53,000 is made available.

The sum of \$10,000 is provided for grading and drainage of athletic field in the Fenway; bleachers with accommodation for seating 2,000 have been provided, in this section of the city where so many educational and scientific institutions are located, and where the number of students in attendance is in excess of 7,000.

The sum of \$20,000 is provided for a system of amplifiers and radio equipment at the Parkman Bandstand in order that a larger number of persons may be privileged to enjoy the summer concerts and outdoor exercises which from time to time are held under the auspices of the city. It is estimated that through the adoption of the system of broadcasting of Sunday concerts opportunity may be afforded for 400,000 persons to enjoy a musical concert, which, under present conditions, is seldom patronized by more than 3,000 persons.

In view of the possible advantages that may result from the adoption of the program as submitted by the Park Commission I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Park Department, April 25, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—By vote of the Board of Park Commissioners you are respectfully asked to request the City Council to appropriate from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund the sum of \$83,000, which is now available, as follows:

Boston Common, Improvements: For amplification and radio equipment at the Parkman Bandstand.....	\$20,000
Fens, Improvements: For grading, drainage, etc., in the Athletic Field in the Fens.....	10,000
Franklin Park, Reconstructing Road, etc.: For improvements at Franklin Park, including the construction of a driveway from Forest Hills street to Columbia road and the completion of the Greeting.....	53,000
	\$83,000

Very truly yours,

DANIEL J. BYRNE,
Secretary.

Ordered, That the sum of \$83,000 be and hereby is appropriated from the income of the Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners, for the maintenance and improvement of the Common and parks in existence on January 12, 1887, as follows:

Boston Common and Public Garden, Improvements	\$20,000
Fens, Improvements	10,000
Franklin Park, Reconstructing Roads, etc.	53,000

Referred to the Executive Committee, on motion of Coun. Brickley.

VETO—DEPUTY SOLDIERS' RELIEF COMMISSIONERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 28, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to return, without my approval, the amendment to the ordinances adopted by your honorable body under date of April 21, making provision for the appointment of two deputy commissioners of soldiers' relief.

I have conferred with the commissioner and it is his opinion that an additional deputy would be superfluous and represent an expense that is both unwarrantable and unjustifiable.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATION FOR BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 24, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The trustees of the Boston Sanatorium have submitted a communication, a copy of which is herewith appended. I cannot too strongly emphasize the importance of providing the funds necessary to combating tuberculosis.

I have a profound realization of how great the demand is for municipal improvements of every character but there is no improvement that approaches in importance that which has for its importance the conservation of public health.

The City Council, in response to a recent recommendation, made an appropriation of \$150,000 for the erection of an out-patient department building for the Boston Sanatorium. A site has been selected, the properties taken, the plans drafted by the architect, and they find now that \$100,000 additional will be necessary to complete the work. I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Boston Sanatorium,
Boston, April 23, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—Last year the Boston Sanatorium Trustees were given the sum of \$150,000 with which they were instructed to build an out-patient department.

After investigation, they arrived at the conclusion that this building should be centrally located and within the present hospital atmosphere. Accordingly, land was taken at the corner of Harrison avenue and East Concord street, and the owners of buildings already existing there were recompensed from the sum of \$150,000. Subsequently, plans for the new building were drawn by Messrs. Maginnis & Walsh. These plans, when pushed to completion, will, in the judgment of the trustees, cover the needs of the city so far as the ambulant tuberculosis sufferer or suspected sufferer is concerned for many years.

They will give the Boston Sanatorium a unity of organization that it needed but which it never enjoyed. In addition to the ordinary out-patient needs which we have now, the installation of an X-ray equipment is deemed necessary. This will make for speedier and more certain diagnosis.

Children early in tuberculosis or living in a tuberculosis environment who need surgical treatment for large or diseased tonsils and obstructive adenoid growths will be treated speedily and under satisfactory surroundings never possible previously.

In other words, a real comprehensive grasp of the situation demands the acceptance of the plans submitted, which embrace these different features.

The amount already appropriated will be insufficient to warrant our proceeding along such definite lines.

The trustees, therefore, would respectfully petition you for a further grant of \$100,000 so that they may carry on this work to a successful issue.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN F. O'BRIEN,
Chairman.

Ordered, That an additional sum of \$100,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the trustees of the Boston Sanatorium for the establishment of an out-patient building, and that to meet said appropriation, the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from

time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORT FROM CITY PLANNING BOARD.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 28, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith report received from the City Planning Board, the same constituting a reply to the order adopted by your Board under date of April 14, which is here appended.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City Planning Board,
Boston, April 24, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—In answer to your letter of April 15, regarding the problem dealing with the increasing demand for "white ways" in various sections of the city and especially in connection with that suggested on Centre and South streets, from Pond street to the Arborway, the City Planning Board desires to point out certain general facts and also existing conditions in this special locality.

Centre street, from Pond street to the monument at South street is already well lighted. From this point along South street to the Arborway no conduits for lighting purposes exist, the lamps being served by overhead wires. The installation of a "white way" on this portion of South street, therefore, would be unduly expensive as it would necessitate the tearing up of the street and the placing of conduits, in addition to the expense of the lamps and posts for the "white way." Figures of the cost for this suggested improvement are being prepared at the present time by the Public Works Department.

In several instances in the city proper where "white ways" have already been established either the whole or a greater part of the expense has been borne by the merchants and residents along the line. In local districts out of the general heart of the city, it is a different type of locality that would receive service from "white ways." If the residents and merchants in these local districts are willing to bear the greater part of the expense in establishing "white ways" in their neighborhood, the city might co-operate in this extra service, but if the whole burden of expense is to fall on the city a precedent is established that may, and probably will, be repeated in untold demands.

It is the opinion of the City Planning Board, therefore, that unless the residents and merchants in local districts are willing to bear the greater part of the expense, the establishment of "white ways" in local districts are an expense which the city is not warranted in assuming.

Respectfully submitted,

THE CITY PLANNING BOARD,
FREDERIC H. FAY,
Chairman.

Placed on file.

SALE OF CITY LAND, ETC.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 28, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith report of the municipal auctioneer, also the report of the chairman of the Board of Assessors, with reference to the sale of properties of the City of Boston which were recently advertised for sale at public auction.

The parcel of land located on Alford street, Charlestown, was offered for sale at public auction on March 19, 1924, but no bids were received. In the opinion of the municipal auctioneer, this was due to the fact that the upset price established by the city was excessive.

I accordingly forward the consideration of your honorable body an order providing for the sale of the property in question at a price which the chairman of the Board of Assessors believes equitable.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$13,000 a parcel of land on Alford street, Charlestown district, containing 67,671 square feet, more or less, and to execute a

deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.
The following letter also refers to the two following messages.

Boston, April 17, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley.

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—Permit me to make the following report in regard to sales held of city property: Alford street land in Charlestown was not sold. There were no bids received. The upset price was \$20,300.

41-45 Arch street, brick building, was not sold. There were no bids received. The upset price was \$160,000.

Seaver street land, near Harold street, Roxbury, was not sold. There were no bids received. The upset price was \$1,600.

East Ninth street land, South Boston, was sold for \$2,600. The upset price was \$2,000.

These parcels were liberally advertised and the sales were well attended. Might I be permitted to say that I think the upset price was the reason that I received no bids, it being the consensus of opinion that the properties were listed too high. Awaiting your pleasure allow me to remain

Very respectfully yours,

EDWARD W. FOYE,

Municipal Auctioneer and Appraiser.

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 28, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen.—I transmit herewith report of the municipal auctioneer, also the report of the chairman of the Board of Assessors with reference to the sale of properties of the City of Boston which were recently advertised for sale at public auction.

The property located at 41-45 Arch street, Boston proper, was offered for sale at public auction on March 26, 1924, but no bids were received. In the opinion of the municipal auctioneer, this was due to the fact that the upset price established by the city was excessive.

I accordingly forward for the consideration of your honorable body an order providing for the sale of the property in question at a price which the chairman of the Board of Assessors believes equitable.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$135,000, the property numbered 41-45 Arch street, city proper, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 28, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen.—I transmit herewith report of the municipal auctioneer, also the report of the chairman of the Assessing Department, with reference to the sale of properties of the City of Boston which were recently advertised for sale at public auction.

The parcel of land located on Seaver street, near Harold street, Roxbury district, was offered for sale at public auction on March 21, 1924, but no bids were received. In the opinion of the municipal auctioneer, this was due to the fact that the upset price established by the city was excessive.

I accordingly forward for the consideration of your honorable body an order providing for the sale of the property in question at a price which the chairman of the Board of Assessors believes equitable.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$800, a parcel of land on Seaver street, near Harold street, Roxbury district, containing 1,643 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 28, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Jeremiah E. Connor, 118 Wrentham street, Dorchester, to the

position of Constable of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1923, also Fred G. Trask, 146 Byron street, East Boston.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Laid over under the law.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Edward T. Bannon, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in School street.

Thomas J. Donohue, for compensation for damage to property at 20 Carmen street caused by water being shut off on street.

Honora Feeney, for compensation for damage to property at 112 Gold street caused by a leak in the highway.

Samuel Gerson, for compensation for damage to wagon caused by an alleged defect in Commercial street.

Margaret Graham, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Commercial street.

Sadie Grow, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Tremont street.

Rose F. Hayden, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Temple place.

Della A. Heintz, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Washington street.

J. G. Klier, for compensation for damage to property at 425 Bunker Hill street caused by fire engine.

Catherine E. Kopple, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in Prison Point Bridge.

Pauline D. Loreta, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Hanover street.

John H. O'Neill, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Beacon street.

Samuel Stern, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in North street.

Mary E. Sullivan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Saratoga and Marion streets.

Daniel J. Vaughan, for compensation for property at 14 Moulton street taken by ash collector.

Beatrice Whincup, for compensation for property at 14 Moulton street taken by ash collector.

Beatrice Whincup, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Kinross road.

Julia A. Willock, for compensation for damage to property at 23 Gates street caused by a falling tree.

Executive.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.:

Mary Sullivan, Steinert Hall, May 23.

Gertrude Murphy, Municipal Building, South Boston, May 23.

Lilla Viles Wyman, Mechanics Building, May 10.

Maybelle Lyman, Fine Arts Theater, May 6.

Ralph W. Taylor, Fine Arts Theater, May 2.

Anne R. Nickerson, Roslindale Municipal Building, May 12.

JITNEY LICENSES.

Jacob B. Herman, for a license to operate jitneys from Upham's Corner and from Franklin Park to the Milton line.

STREET TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of change in traffic regulations relating to Avon street.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF SECOND ASSISTANT ASSESSOR.

Notice was received from the Assessing Department of the appointment of John M. McDonald as second assistant assessor.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearings on May 5 on various petitions for permits for the storage and sale of gasoline.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS.

Notice was received from the Civil Service Commission of approval of the following appointments by the Mayor, viz.:

Thomas A. Forsyth, trustee of Boston City Hospital.

Frederic H. Fay, City Planning Board.

Robert Dysart, Statistics Trustee.

William S. Besarick, Board of Examiners.

Louis E. Kirstein, Library Trustee.

Morris Bronstein, Overseer of Public Welfare.

Sophie M. Friedman, Overseer of Public Welfare.

Joseph F. Feeney, Overseer of Public Welfare.

George A. Rockwell, Overseer of Public Welfare.

Thomas F. Sullivan, Transit Commissioner.

Francis E. Slattery, Transit Commissioner.

Louis K. Rourke, Transit Commissioner.

Placed on file.

CLERK HIRE.

Notice was received from the Register of Deeds, in accordance with law, that work had been performed in his office from March 17 to April 18 to the amount of \$11,030.50.

Approved and ordered paid.

PAYMENT TO PARENTS OF JAMES O'MALLEY.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That the City Council of Boston hereby accepts chapter 282, Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to pay a sum of Money to the Parents of James O'Malley." Referred to the Executive Committee.

LAYING OUT OF GORHAM STREET.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to accept and lay out Gorham street, Allston, between Commonwealth avenue and Braintree road, as a public highway.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

ACCEPTANCE OF ARLINGTON STREET, BRIGHTON.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Street Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to accept as a public way Arlington street, Brighton, from 350 Parsons street to Faneuil street.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SIDEWALK ORDERS.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Border street, southeasterly side, from North Ferry to Sumner street, Ward 2, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Whittier street, from Columbus avenue to Ruggles street, both sides, Ward 13, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

LEGISLATION FOR THOMAS F. DENNING..

President DONOGHUE offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston favors legislation for the reinstatement of Thomas F. Denning in the Public Works Department of the City of Boston.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 2.44 o'clock p. m., on motion of the President, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.35 o'clock p. m.

JITNEYS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Jitneys, submitted the following, viz:

1. Report on petition of Jacob B. Herman (referred today), for license to operate jitneys from Upham's Corner to Mattapan square—that a license be granted.
Report accepted; license granted.

2. Report on petition of Boston Elevated Railway Company (referred March 3) for a license to operate jitneys on High and other streets—that a license be granted.

The question came on the acceptance of the report and granting the permission asked for.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I cannot vote for this proposition, because it means added congestion in a territory that is very congested today. I cannot see the necessity of putting the buses on, either. The Street Commissioners are endeavoring to remedy congestion in our streets and to take hold of the traffic problem, and here we are voting to add to it in Batterymarch street, High street, Franklin street, Hawley street and Summer street. Today in the busy hours it is absolutely prohibitive for an automobile to move in that territory, and I certainly cannot vote for this proposition, although I realize that in all probability it will receive sufficient votes to pass. I do desire, however, to go on record as to so casting my vote as to attempt to relieve congestion of traffic in Boston.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I appreciate the councilor's difficulty, and I wish to say that the chairman of the Street Commissioners in the hearing before the committee stated that the congestion in the downtown section would not be appreciably affected by the granting of this permission. One more bus in ten minutes would not appreciably affect the traffic and this is a thing that will help the people coming from Orient Heights to Boston by the Revere Beach & Lynn route in the ferry boats.

Coun. MORIARTY—Do you believe that the chairman of the Street Commissioners recommendation should have some weight here?

Coun. HEALEY—Why, as in the case of the chairman of the Park Department, Mr. President, of course, I have absolute confidence in the chairman of the Street Commission.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I desire at this time to reiterate what I said at the hearing, that I did not think the opinion of the chairman of the Street Commissioners was particularly valuable as enunciated in his statement to the effect that there would be no appreciable addition to the congestion by putting on these buses. These buses will carry twenty-two people each. They are much broader, broader by 3 or 4 feet, than any automobile, and broader than any truck. They will be operated by a man in front and nobody at the back to see what is going on in the rear. All told, I am satisfied, with my understanding and knowledge of traffic conditions in Boston, that the addition of these twenty-two-seated buses on such a line or lines as we have indicated here will add to congestion tremendously. I think the addition to the congestion will be very noticeable, notwithstanding the fact that the chairman of the Street Commissioners is presumed to know something about traffic problems.

The report was accepted and leave was granted, Coun. WATSON stating that he desired to register his vote as in the negative.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz:

1. Reports on petitions (referred today), for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement—that permits be granted, viz:

Mary Sullivan, Steinert Hall, May 23.
Gertrude Murphy, South Boston Municipal Building, May 23.
Lilla Viles Wyman, Mechanics Building, May 10.

Maybelle Lyman, Fine Arts Theater, May 6.
Ralph W. Taylor, Fine Arts Theater, May 2.
Anne R. Nickerson, Roslindale Municipal Building, May 12.

Reports severally accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on order (referred today) accepting chapter 282, Acts of 1924, for payment of a sum of money to the parents of James O'Malley—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

3. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today), for appropriation of \$83,000 from income of Parkman Fund—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

4. Report on order (referred March 24) to include Cambridge Bridge employees in retirement system—that the order ought to pass.

Coun. HEALEY in the chair.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I want to reiterate what I had to say when this matter came before the Council at a previous session, that I feel that we should not perpetuate the placing of these residents of Cambridge on the backs of the citizens of Boston by including them in this retirement fund. All of you here realize, the same as I do, that we do not have a fair proportion of the men who are working on those bridges among the citizens of Boston. Probably twenty-one of them live in Cambridge and four or five of them live in Boston. Yet they go to the Legislature and ask the Legislature to saddle this expense on the taxpayers and citizens of Boston. Of course, the Legislature agrees, because they have done everything possible to injure our city while the Republican party has been in control on Beacon Hill. I feel that it is an outrageous piece of procedure for the members of this Council to accept any such act. If those interested in this legislation were sincere in their attitude toward the residents of our city, they would have seen to it that an order was submitted to the Legislature providing that the city of Cambridge would take care of its own citizens working on these bridges while Boston might be expected to take care of its citizens under the retirement act. But under this act, which was voted for by the Legislature, we are expected to pay from now until such time as they cease to work for the city of Cambridge men who reside in the city of Cambridge. We are expected to pay salaries of residents of Cambridge, and also to pay out amounts for them under the retirement fund, as well as making payments for citizens of Boston. I am absolutely and unqualifiedly opposed to paying the salary of any resident of any other section of our state than the City of Boston. I do not believe there is a member of this Council who would dare stand on a public platform and admit that he had voted to saddle onto the backs of the taxpayers and citizens of Boston the salaries of residents of Cambridge. There has been too much of this sort of thing going on. We now have on our pay roll men who live in our section, and whom we are supposed and are willing to take care of; but I believe, with the unemployment that exists today, with citizens of Boston walking the streets looking for work, such legislation as proposed here is a most outrageous thing, and it is a particularly outrageous thing to come in here and ask the Council to vote for any such proposition. I hope the Council will see the matter as I do and that they will remember the things they say to the people when they ask for their votes on election day, that they are interested primarily in the affairs of the citizens of our city, that they believe whatever positions there are here should be held by the residents of our city, and that they will not under any circumstances vote to saddle onto the backs of our people persons living in Cambridge or any other section of the state, having the people of Boston pay their salaries. We claim to believe in home rule for Boston, and this would simply mean saying that we do not believe in what we say we believe in, that we are not practicing what we preach, that we are not carrying out what we say is our position when we take office. I believe we should defeat this legislation and that we should state clearly that if there are any positions to be given out in this city we have citizens of Boston to take them. What are the conditions in Cambridge? There is some man over there by the name of Smith, who in connection with our Public Works Commissioner, and under this two-headed commission, turns whatever jobs offer themselves on the bridges over to Cambridge men. John Scully, who is directing that work, hires Cambridge men. A Cambridge man sent in by Mr. Smith is put to work on these jobs, while a man from Boston, the city which pays half the expense of these bridges, when sent to him is not even considered. I certainly think that this is a thing which should be remedied, that it is a condition which should not exist, and the way to stop it practically is to vote against the proposition here today. When men from Cambridge come over here to whip the Council into line to vote for a thing of this sort, it is high time that we resented such interference from outside. We are intelligent enough to know the situation. We represent the citizens of Boston, and I

think they are watching the Council in this matter. We have been preaching home rule since I have been here, and when a matter like this comes up we see these continual attempts to drive us into line to vote for pernicious pieces of legislation. I hope the matter will be defeated, and I ask that the roll be called.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I feel that there is a lot of merit in some of the things that the last speaker has said. Personally, however, I am willing to take the responsibility when I go on record on any vote here. We are in a very unfortunate position here, in so far as some of the residents of our city are concerned. We are put in that position because the pension bill when it was drawn up was drawn up by the Finance Commission, and we find that the Finance Commission did not take care of all the citizens of Boston who are employed by the City of Boston and paid by the City of Boston. We find that unfortunately there are four or five of those men working in this part of the Bridge Department. In so far as our pension act is concerned, unless we take favorable action Boston men employed upon the Boston and Cambridge bridges will not come under the pension system, and any Boston resident so named tomorrow in the employ of the Boston and Cambridge Bridge Division, will not be entitled to get compensation from the city. Unfortunately, the Public Works Commissioner now and those who have served in the past have not protected the citizens of the City of Boston as they should have done. If this bill is defeated here we are penalizing five citizens of Boston at least and saying that, notwithstanding the fact that we have accepted a pension act to take care of city employees, we forgot about them and that they can paddle their own canoe. I, as an elective member of this Council, feel that if the only way to pension those men is to carry along other men on the Cambridge bridges, we are doing as we ought to do. There was a legislative act passed that was to be accepted by either this government or some other government elected by residents of Boston, if it was to go into effect. The Boston and Cambridge Bridge Commission were excepted. We are not responsible for that, and if they have not acted right in the protection of all the residents and all the employees of Boston, it is now for us to protect them. There is only one way in which they can be protected now and that is by the acceptance of the act that is now before us. If we are doing an injustice to the City of Boston, we will only have to protect them from now until the first day of January, and then if it is the desire of any citizen of Boston to do so he may file a petition with the Massachusetts Legislature to amend the act that is now here for our acceptance and have the wording changed, so that, in so far as our pension system is concerned, pensions shall only go to those who are residents of Boston. But I believe, as far as the action of Boston is concerned, that those five men and their families are entitled to their protection. I agree that there have been many things saddled upon us. I want to say another thing, that I believe that the councilor who has just taken his seat in so far as the information he has received is concerned, may be correct. I want to say that the Scully Company does not employ only residents of Cambridge. It is a contracting firm and employs other than Cambridge residents. I don't know how the members of the Council are going to vote, but I am going to vote to accept the act, and I shall be glad to vote "yes" when my name is called, and I will be willing to go any place and answer for my vote.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I want to say in connection with this proposition that this is not the only way in which this matter can be handled. It is the way in which those who are desirous of saddling Cambridge residents onto the backs of the citizens of Boston desire that it shall be handled. Why did not those interested in the matter introduce an act into the Legislature to have only those who were residents of Boston taken under the Boston retirement act? They state to us that they introduced some sort of bill the year previous, and it was defeated, but when they introduced a bill taking in other than citizens of Boston it was passed by a Republican Legislature onto a Democratic city. I feel that nobody is going to be hurt by our defeating this proposition. This retirement act, in my opinion, is not the great thing that it was supposed to be, and I do not think that those men who come under the retirement act will receive any more benefit than if they did not come under it, in so far as the men who are working on the Boston and Cambridge Bridges are concerned. There are only five of them who are Boston men, and they will receive, as I understand it, the pension that goes to city laborers, and the matter can be handled in such a manner, without our placing

upon the backs of our citizens other than residents of our own city. I am particularly keen about this matter because I believe thoroughly in what I preach, that every Boston job belongs to a Boston boy or a Boston girl, and I shall not under any circumstances vote to give a Cambridge resident a job which in my opinion belongs to a resident of our city. I shall be glad to vote against the proposition.

The order was passed, and the act accepted, yeas 7, nays 2, Coun. Donoghue and Watson voting nay.

FINANCE.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Finance, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for appropriation of \$100,000 for out-patient building, Boston Sanatorium—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

The order will be given its final reading not later than fourteen days from date.

2. Report on order (referred March 3) for loan of \$500,000 for Hospital Buildings—that the order ought to pass.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, in voting for this appropriation for the City Hospital I desire to reserve my right to vote "no" when the question comes up for second reading. I say that understanding that in the loan order for \$3,000,000 now before the Legislature there is a certain agreement that the Legislature is going to allow the City of Boston to borrow \$2,000,000 outside of the debt limit, with the understanding that the other million can come from taxes within five years. I feel that if there is any certain understanding of that kind and this is going to interfere with it, I should reserve the right to vote "no" when the matter comes up for second reading.

Coun. HEALEY—The Chair would state he understands the bill to state that for every appropriation within a year the City Council must appropriate half the amount within the debt limit or outside the tax limit. But the thing has not passed, and I have put in that order so that the Mayor might perhaps send to the Council a veto and explain what he wants.

The report was accepted and the order was passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

COUNTY ACCOUNTS.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on County Accounts, submitted a report on communication from the justices of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston (referred April 7) as to salaries of probation officers—recommending the passage of the following, viz.:

Ordered, That the salaries of the deputy male and assistant male probation officers of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston, as fixed by the justices of said court, be at the rate of \$2,800 per annum, to date from April 4, 1924, be and the same hereby are approved.

Report accepted; order passed.

GREAT WHITE WAY, SHAWMUT AVENUE.

Coun. DONOGHUE offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to consider the advisability of installing the Great White Way system of lighting in conjunction with the reconstruction of Shawmut avenue from Broadway to Roxbury street.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I ask for suspension of the rules. I am introducing that order at this time because I noticed in the papers during the last week that a contract has been let to resurface Shawmut avenue, from Broadway to Roxbury street, and I feel if that is going to be done it is going to make an improvement in the old South End district, and at the same time we might just as well install these new types of street lamps as wait until the street is completed and then dig up the new street that has been laid and install them later on.

The rule was suspended and the order was passed.

REPAIRING OF ELEVATED STRUCTURE.

President DONOGHUE offered an order—That the trustees of the Boston Elevated Railway Company be requested to make some arrangement with their working force so that the repairing of the Elevated structure during

the early morning hours shall be discontinued, and that this work be done in the daytime.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I ask for a suspension of the rule on this order. I am introducing that order with the realization that, possibly, it may not be practical to comply with it; but, however, I feel that the trustees of the Boston Elevated Railway Company ought to make some provision whereby some of this work that is done on the Elevated structure along through the South End and Charlestown practically every night of the week from one o'clock until four or five o'clock in the morning could be done at some other time. If a gang of schoolboys started whistling after one o'clock they would be arrested if they did not stop. Still, the Boston Elevated can come through that district, which is comprised practically entirely of working people, and pound with sledges for four or five hours during the hours when people must sleep. I feel they ought to take into consideration the feelings of the people of the district in which I happen to live just as much as they take into consideration the feeling of people who live in any other section of the city, and that they ought to make some arrangements whereby this work can be done at some other time and not disturb the sleep, during the early morning hours, of the people in that district.

The rule was suspended and the order was passed.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

The President called up No. 1, unfinished business, viz.:

1. Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor April 14 of constables authorized to serve civil process for the term of one year beginning with the first day of May, 1924, as contained in Document 44.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Moriarty and Brickley. Whole number of ballots cast 9, yeas 8, nays 1, and the appointments were confirmed with the exception of Saverio Di Donati and True William Hunt, which were laid on the table on motion of Coun. MORIARTY.

It was voted, on motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, to consider Nos. 2 and 3, unfinished business, viz.:

2. Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor April 21, 1924, of minor officers paid by fees for the term of one year beginning with the first day of May, 1924, as contained in Document 45.

3. Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor April 21, 1924, of Samuel Smith, John F. Halligan, George A. Borofski, Michael Russell, Charles F. Hanson, Atlante Campagna and Leopold Lepore, to be Constables.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Moriarty and Brickley. Whole number of ballots cast 9, yeas 8, nays 1, and the appointments were confirmed.

LOAN FOR WILLIAM EUSTIS PLAYGROUND.

The President called up No. 4, unfinished business, viz.:

4. Ordered, That the sum of \$100,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners for the extension and improvement of William Eustis Playground, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On March 18, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Laid on the table, on motion of Coun. MORIARTY.

LOAN FOR PLAYGROUND, ROXBURY.

The President called up No. 5, unfinished business, viz.:

5. Ordered, That the sum of \$85,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the Park Commission for the purpose of acquiring land for playground purposes in the vicinity of the Jefferson School, Roxbury, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On April 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 6, nays 0, the vote being:

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—6.

QUESTION OF INFORMATION.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I would like to ask if a member has the right to sit here and not vote on a loan order, as far as our laws are concerned, in the Council.

The PRESIDENT—Of course I do know that it has not been observed at the last several meetings.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I would like to find that out.

The PRESIDENT—Do you object to taking up No. 6 on the calendar in the meantime?

Coun. MORIARTY—No.

Later in the session Coun. MORIARTY rose on his request for information.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I asked for some information. I would like to be able to get it.

Chairman HEALEY—Perhaps the Clerk can give the information on that. I will ask Coun. Donoghue to take the chair.

President DONOGHUE in the chair.

President DONOGHUE—Rule 23 of the City Council says: "Every member who shall be present when a question is put, where he is not excluded by interest shall give his vote unless the council for special reasons shall excuse him. Application to be so excused on any question must be made before the council is divided, or before the calling of the yeas and nays; and such application shall be accompanied by a brief statement of the reasons, and shall be decided without debate."

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I feel that if any of the rules are worth anything then they are all worth something. I came in here about three weeks ago and I found the place very nice and clean—the seats taken out. I asked who did the job. The City Messenger informed me that he was carrying out the rules of the City Council. Nobody was to be allowed upon the floor of the Council other than members of the Council and those attached to the Council and the newspaper men. And that rule has been carried out for three weeks. If that rule is being carried out by the attaches of our department, then I believe that the rules in so far as they meant members of the Council, the rules pertaining to their limitations, should also be carried out, and I feel I am either against the proposition or I am for it. When it comes to voting you cannot be neutral. That is not what we were sent here for. We were sent here to vote either "yes" or "no" on all questions. If any member desires not to be recorded he has the right of not doing so; but on all questions members should be made to live up to the rules. And I request that hereafter on all votes that all members of the Council, on a roll call vote, if they are in the chamber, be compelled to vote either "yes" or "no" on all questions.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, what he says is right, but it is so easy to overcome the rule by walking out the door. The reason I did not vote on that loan order is because I could not feel right in letting the City of Boston get a ledge for a playground without plans being made by the Park Department as to the way they were going to fill in and lay out that particular part of the city for a playground. I think it was one of those orders that went through because it was a playground. More or less, every councilor feels that a vote against a playground puts him in bad with the people. If you insist on my voting, I will vote "no," because if there was ever a gold brick sold to the City Council for a playground that ledge is the gold brick. The city will wait a long, long time before they will lay that out and fill it in and blast those rocks that the business men could not get out of there when they were running it as a crusher. I know that it looks unusual for a man not to vote on some proposition, and it looks unusual to vote sometimes for a proposition. I would vote for almost anything for a playground, but I could not conceive of voting for a ledge, an unused ledge, for a playground, some parts of it 10 feet above the street and others 15 feet below the street. If the Park Department had brought in a general plan to lay that out, why, of course, I could have voted for it but there wasn't any general plan. They were simply going to buy the property. There was no general plan the same as there was in the Eustis Playground for bleachers and the running track, and there wasn't any letter from the Mayor saying exactly what they were going to do; and I thought that the nicest way and the best way and the most amicable way was to remain silent. But if the rules are put up to me, I would request the Council to allow me to vote "no" on that proposition, because while I will vote for playgrounds and for the improvement of all districts, I will never vote for a proposition such as was contained in that unused ledge property for playground purposes.

Coun. LANE—Mr. President, a few weeks ago we had a number of loan orders which were introduced in the Council which more than exhausted the borrowing capacity of the city. Coun. Watson, at that time, and myself stated that we were unwilling to vote upon those propositions, not upon their merits as playgrounds or public improvements as such, but because the financial condition of the city would not permit the borrowing of that amount of money. We did not vote when those questions came up and I do not think that our motives were questioned at that time. On this present occasion there came a question also of a playground. I was unwilling to vote against giving the boys that district playground but, like Coun. Healey, I did not believe that that piece of property was adapted for use as a playground. Just as Coun. Healey has said, it is a ledge, in some places 10 feet above ground and in some places 15 feet below, and I believe it would take half a million dollars, which I do not think the city will ever expend, to make that playground fit for such use. Therefore, I thought the easiest way was not to vote; but, if I am transgressing the rules of the Council and it is demanded that I go on record, I, too, will vote against the order on the ground that the land is not fit for a playground and that it will take probably half a million dollars to make it such, and I do not believe that the city is in a position to expend, or that the Mayor and the Park Commissioners will feel like appropriating, that amount of money, and therefore, if they desire, I will vote against it.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I take an opposite view to the view of the last speaker. I do not propose to vote on a proposition before this Council unless I am reasonably certain that I am doing that which I should do. I believe it is absolutely incorrect, it is illogical and ridiculous to compel a man to vote on any proposition here on which he does not want to vote. There is no other branch in the country that does it. I think, probably, in the Legislature they do compel them to vote if they get them inside; but I do not think it is logical to compel me to vote on a proposition, for or against, if I feel I cannot vote either way and save my conscience. I shall refrain from voting regardless of the rules, and I know the only way you can get me to vote is by writ of mandamus. I am going to continue to reserve my vote, for or against, regardless of the rules of the Council.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I am not interested in how Coun. Lane or Coun. Healey vote. They may vote "yes" or "no" as much as they want—I am not interested in that. You have a rule there. If the rule isn't any good, wipe it out. If everybody is going to do what he wants to do, I am going to bring some chairs in here if I have to bring them in myself, and I am going to say to the people, "Go ahead and sit in there," and I am going to tell the policemen to open the door and let them come in. If other people are going to do anything they want to in here, I believe I have that same right. If they see fit to break one rule, I have the same right to break the whole of them as they have to break one. So far as going on record is concerned, I do not care what they do. I do not care whether they vote. I did not bring up the point for that purpose. But I feel that hereafter any member of the Council who is in the chamber, on roll call, should be compelled to leave the chamber. That is his choice. Or he has the right to take that provision out of the rules. Of course, they would have to go to the Legislature and take it out of the charter, because I believe the same rule is in the charter. Now I do not want to criticize anybody for taking that right. I am not doing it because Coun. Lane did not vote today, or because Coun. Healey did not vote today. I am not taking it up for that reason. There isn't anybody in here that I am after or have any intentions of going after, but I feel if we are going to carry out one rule they should all be carried out. If that one is not going to be carried out, I think we ought to tear the rest of them up and throw them out the window.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I think he is absolutely right. I think we ought to run this Council with a rigid observance of the law. However, it will make a rather sad place for us to live in. There will be no smoking and other things, and there will be some puritanical methods of legislation here which are practically unheard of throughout the rest of the United States. I think everybody agrees that rules are made not to be broken but to be observed under the ordinary conditions of life. We know that. If all men acted right at all times, there would not be any necessity for any rules. But there are times when order may be obtained sometimes by nonobservance of rules and matters will reach a right end. I feel that it would have

been much better for the standing of the Council if the statements which Coun. Lane and myself have made had not been made. I think it would have been better if the Council was not on record as having voted in favor of a rock pile for a playground. I did not want to make that statement. I have an honorable view of the standing of the Council. They have done pretty well in the last several years that I have been in here, and I did not like, naturally, to see a statement made that they so far forgot their observance of public comity, you might say, as to allow the Mayor or anybody else to put over this lot on them for a playground. I do not think that anybody that ever looked upon that lot would say that it is a proper place for children to play. Two or three hundred thousand cubic yards of filling will be required before it can be made suitable for playground purposes. At one time, I was in favor of giving a playground out there if they changed the wording of the act; instead of having "the lot adjoining the school," have it read "in the neighborhood of the school," but when the chairman of the Park Department said that the ledge was the place they were going to take for the playground, I said that is out of consideration, and so far as I was concerned I would not vote. I bow, of course, to my genial friend on the right, and I realize that we have been chastened somewhat by his statement that we have broken the rule.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, Coun. Healey has said much concerning the playground referred to as being a ledge. Now I will admit that, if there were other sites nearby, this particular site is not ideal; but he has rather exaggerated the condition concerning the so-called playground in the Jefferson School district. It is not a ledge. A part of it is not 15 feet below the surface and a part of it above the street. That particular section of the property facing on Heath street, on which the Jefferson School stands, is level with Heath street. The playground is about 10, 12 or 15 feet below Heath street but on a level with all the adjoining streets except Heath street. The entrance to the playground will not be from Heath street. It may be from Heath street but it will be by steps. It is not a ledge in the way portrayed by Coun. Healey. He has exaggerated it beyond reasonableness. It is not any such thing as he claims it is. If he had seen it at all, well, then, he would have exaggerated with his eyes wide open and would have seen that it is a tremendous exaggeration. The playground will not have to be filled in; it is very near down to grade now. It probably will have to have a surface in order to make it a decent playground, and perhaps to level, but it will take very little fill. Now, understand, I do not think it is the ideal place, but the Planning Board says it is O. K., the Park Department says it is O. K., and I know that there is no other locality there, no more large vacant land where a playground can be located. Consequently, I am satisfied that eventually, like all the playgrounds we have had, it will be a very good playground and will serve the purpose for which it has been taken. There has not been a playground taken in Boston that was not considered a poor taking and a ridiculous location. It is the development of it that makes the difference. Eventually, they will have a playground there which I believe will suit the needs and be a credit to the locality; and while I have no desire to enter into any debate concerning the proposition, I could not sit here and permit Coun. Healey to exaggerate the condition which he says exists there, and he certainly has exaggerated it beyond reason, and he knows it.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I want to say that I voted for the so-called ledge, and I have no apologies to make to anybody. I wish it were possible to cut Franklin Park up and bring it in to the residential sections. Then we would have ideal playgrounds in every section. The masses of the people do not have the selection of the places where they live. Those were long ago selected by the real estate promoters of this town. The real estate promoters, some years ago, with the assistance of the Boston Elevated, introduced a bill in the Legislature to get the people out of all congested districts, to the outlying districts, and promised the people if they would go out in the outlying districts, where the Elevated was then running, that they would have a 5-cent fare for twenty-five years. That was the promise by a legislative act. But what do we find? We find out that after the people went out into those communities the act was changed; after they went out to God's country, then they were compelled to pay the 10-cent fare. In the congested districts where the masses live, sites are not available, with green grass on them as we see in many playgrounds like Franklin Field and Franklin Park. I will agree that if

there was one of those places in the near neighborhood I would vote for it. But we had a petition here with 5,000 names on it, I am informed, of people desiring that specific playground be given to those people. That specific playground. The petition, as I understand, read "adjoining the Jefferson School." That is the only place available—adjoining the Jefferson School. So, while it did not say so in language, it meant it in reality; and if those 5,000 people in that district wanted a playground, I voted for it, and I hope to have the opportunity in my time here to vote for a lot more of them in that kind of community. Now, the councilor on my left said that he had great condence in a gentleman who sat here this afternoon—the chairman of the Park Department. The chairman, so far as my hearing is concerned, said that although the money now appropriated would not be sufficient, he thought by grading they would make a fairly good playground out of that, if I am using his language correctly. There isn't any misunderstanding on this matter here. I think I held it up when it was held up first. I asked the members of the Council to go and look at it. I think that is true. I thought from what I had heard that it was a ledge, and that it was being foisted on the city; but I got some information; I found out that there was a political uprising out there, that they were starting to use it against some one for election to political office and in favor of some political position, and I said I wasn't going to get mixed up in their fight, and I agreed to vote for it, and did vote for it. The only thing I hope is that it does not take as long to put it in shape as some of the other playgrounds for which the money has already been appropriated. We want it to go into something that has been bought for a playground. We appropriated \$50,000 for Eagle Hill in East Boston. Was there anything more outrageous in spending \$50,000 on Eagle Hill to make it a playground than there is for the Bleiler Playground?

Coun. HEALEY—I wasn't here then.
Coun. MORIARTY—Well, I was. I voted against it, not because I did not want to appropriate the money for Eagle Hill, but they were taking \$50,000 from something which I had already put over. But, nevertheless, I think you agree with me that there were places in the near vicinity of Eagle Hill which were more adapted for playground purposes than Eagle Hill. So, to satisfy a community, I said all right. But I had no intention of bringing out the fact of making any criticism of Coun. Healey, or Coun. Lane, or Coun. Watson for not voting on any specific thing. My contention is this, that if the rule is there we should be compelled to live up to the rule.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I would like to ask the gentleman a question.

Coun. MORIARTY—I reserve the right to answer it or not.

Coun. WATSON—I would like to ask the gentleman whether he is acting in accordance with the rules by talking now when no order or anything is before the Council? Is he observing the rules?

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I will say in answer to that, that I am acting within my rights.

Coun. WATSON—With no motion before the house?

Coun. MORIARTY—And I say this with no criticism, that we elected a presiding officer to conduct our meetings, and he is supposed, when any member transgresses the rules, to enforce the rules.

Coun. WATSON—Absolutely.

Coun. MORIARTY—And if he has not enforced the rules, that is not my violation—that is his.

Coun. WATSON—Oh, no. You know you are violating the rules.

Coun. MORIARTY—I will say that, until the member called it to my attention, I did not realize that I was violating the rules.

Coun. WATSON—You realize it now?

Coun. MORIARTY—I do, yes.

Coun. WATSON—Well, let us adjourn.

Coun. MORIARTY—So, Mr. President, with all of them being out of order I will say that the member who asked me the question was continually out of order by talking to me while I was talking. As I say, I am not interested but I feel, with no feeling against the presiding officer, because the presiding officer was not in the chair when the vote was taken, so I couldn't have it against him, but I am going to say that as a member of the Council during the remainder of my term while I am here I am going to insist on every roll call that the vote not be declared until every member inside of the chamber is recorded as voting.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair might state that he stepped into the chair in the middle of this condition, and, of course, he realizes that a great deal of latitude has been taken, but it has been taken by all the mem-

bers of the Council who have participated in the debate, and that includes practically everyone here; so, therefore, the Chair did not feel that he could shut off the trend of talk of the members. The Chair will now entertain a motion to reconsider matters acted upon today.

LOAN FOR PLAYGROUND, FOREST HILLS.

The President called up No. 6, unfinished business, viz.:

6. Ordered, That the sum of \$17,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the establishment of a playground on Wachusett street, Forest Hills district, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On April 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CHARLESTOWN.

The President called up No. 7, unfinished business, viz.:

7. Ordered, That the sum of \$75,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Superintendent of Public Buildings for the purchase of a site and preparation of plans for a Municipal Building, in the Charlestown district, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On April 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. WATSON moved a general reconsideration on all matters transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 5.20 o'clock p. m. on motion of Coun. WATSON, to meet on Monday, May 5, at two o'clock p. m.

EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOL MAINTENANCE PER CAPITA (RANKING FROM HIGHEST).

Los Angeles, \$14.82; New York, \$12.32; Boston, \$12.10 (as corrected); Pittsburgh, \$11.82; Cleveland, \$10.42; St. Louis, \$9.40; Chicago, \$8.88; San Francisco, \$8.20; Philadelphia, \$7.73. (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1920, Preliminary Reports.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FIRE HOSE TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Fire Department the following:

5,000 feet of 2½-inch double jacket fire hose,
3,000 feet of 3-inch double jacket fire hose,

according to specifications. The bidder must use the form to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The bid, with a certified check for \$400, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before Monday, May 13, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(May 10.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the City Council and approved by the Mayor, January 2, 1924, I will sell at public auction upon the premises, Broadway, South Boston, on Tuesday, May 13, 1924, at 11 a. m., the brick station house and stable, known as Station Six, and 4,250 feet of land, more or less, extending through to Athens street, subject to restrictions of record, if any there be, at an upset price of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000). A deposit of \$500 will be required at the time of sale and the balance in thirty days. For further particulars inquire of

EDWARD W. FOYE,

Municipal Auctioneer,

(May 10.) 28 School Street, Boston, Mass.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, MAY 8, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of the estate at the northeasterly corner of Washington street and Melville avenue, numbered 512 Washington street, with the building thereon, containing approximately 20,208 square feet; the estate numbered 2 Melville avenue with the building thereon, containing approximately 8,750 square feet, and the estate numbered 508 and 510 Washington street, with the building thereon, containing approximately 17,053 square feet, Dorchester district, for courthouse purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board; that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints twelve o'clock m. of May 27, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,

Secretary.

(May 10-17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAND.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston will receive sealed proposals for selling to the city land for an elementary school in the Shurtleff District, South Boston, Mass., in the territory bounded by East Eighth, Mercer, Newman and Dorchester streets, to contain 50,000 square feet of land, more or less. All proposals must be submitted at or before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, May 27, 1924, at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Court square, Boston. Said proposals will at that time be publicly opened and read, and thereafter a public hearing will be given by the Commissioners at said office, Tuesday, June 3, 1924, at 12 o'clock m., at which hearing the proposals and suitability of the land offers therein will be considered. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,

JAMES J. MAHAR,

CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,

Commissioners.

(May 10.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO OIL-BURNING EQUIPMENT CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for installing and completing oil-burning apparatus in various schools, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, May 20, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,000 payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,

JAMES J. MAHAR,

CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,

Commissioners.

(May 10.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for alterations, etc., in the Continuation School, 25 La Grange street, city proper, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors, Wednesday, May 14, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, May 23, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,

JAMES J. MAHAR,

CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,

Commissioners.

(May 10.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LEASING THE BEACH CHAIR CONCESSION PRIVILEGE AT MARINE PARK AND COLUMBUS PARK, SOUTH BOSTON.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, for leasing the beach chair concession privilege at Marine Park and Columbus Park, South Boston, for a term of one year, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 22, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$50, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

Commissioners.

(May 10-17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, MAY 8, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of a highway in the Hyde Park district, from River street southwesterly alongside the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad location to the private way known as as Poydras street, with the name of Poydras street or some other distinctive name, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints twelve o'clock m. of May 21, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,

Secretary.

(May 10-17.)

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAND.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston will receive sealed proposals for selling to the city land for an elementary school in the Warren-Bunker Hill District, Charlestown, Mass., in the territory bounded by High, Cedar, Bartlett and Cross streets, to contain 2,500 square feet of land, more or less. All proposals must be submitted at or before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, May 27, 1924, at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Court square, Boston. Said proposals will at that time be publicly opened and read, and thereafter a public hearing will be given by the Commissioners at said office, Tuesday, June 3, 1924, at 12 o'clock m., at which hearing the proposals and suitability of the land offers therein will be considered. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,

JAMES J. MAHAR,

CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,

Commissioners.

(May 10.)

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 o'clock noon Friday, May 16, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read for furnishing and delivering 18,000 tons, more or less, of semi-bituminous steam coal. The coal delivered will be paid for on the basis of the prices named in the proposal for coal specified, corrected for variations in the heating value, and ash as shown by the analyses, above and below the standard established by the contractor. Forms of bid and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, and only bids on these forms will be considered. Institutions Department, Infirmary Division, Almshouse and Hospital, Long Island, 4,500 tons, more or less, in bins; Institutions Department, Penal Division, Deer Island, 4,500 tons, more or less, alongside; Ferry Service, 9,000 tons, more or less, in bins. The coal is to be delivered as ordered from time to time by the Superintendent of Supplies, before May 1, 1925. Proposals must state the kind and price per ton (2,240 pounds) delivered as above, including the cost of weighing and stevedoring, to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Supplies. Said proposals must be accompanied by a properly certified check for \$1,000, made payable to the City of Boston, to be forfeited to the City of Boston in case of failure to appear and sign the contract within five days after date of award. A bond of one quarter the total amount of the contract must be furnished by the successful bidder or bidders with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(May 10.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND SPREADING LOAM ON PLAYGROUNDS, PARKS AND CEMETERIES.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, for furnishing and spreading loam on playgrounds, parks and cemeteries, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 15, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of \$2,000, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

(May 10.) JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, May 1, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public convenience and necessity require that building lines be established on both sides of Beacon street, Boston proper, between Arundel and Miner streets on the east and the boundary line between the City of Boston and the town of Brookline on the west, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of May 14, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(May 10.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT OR BITULITHIC PAVEMENT ON FENWAY, FROM FORSYTH WAY TO NEAR MUSEUM ROAD; FENS BRIDGE APPROACHES, FROM FENWAY TO AUDUBON ROAD; ARBORWAY, FROM SOUTH STREET TO FOREST HILLS STREET; WILLOW POND ROAD, FROM JAMAICAWAY TO BROOKLINE LINE; FRANCIS PARKMAN ROAD, FROM JAMAICAWAY TO PERKINS STREET; CHESTNUT STREET, WEST ROXBURY, FROM PERKINS STREET TO THE BROOKLINE LINE.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement on Fenway, from Forsyth way to near Museum road; Fens Bridge approaches, from Fenway to Audubon road; Arborway, from South street to Forest Hills street; Willow Pond road, from Jamaica way to Brookline line; Francis Parkman road, from Jamaica way to Perkins street; Chestnut street, West Roxbury, from Perkins street to the Brookline line. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Sheet Asphalt or Bitulithic Pavement on Fenway, from Forsyth way to near Museum road; Fens Bridge approaches, from Fenway to Audubon road; Arborway from South street to Forest Hills street; Willow Pond road, from Jamaica way to Brookline line; Francis Parkman road, from Jamaica way to Perkins street; Chestnut street, West Roxbury, from Perkins street to the Brookline line," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 15, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$4,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$25,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

(May 10.) JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, May 1, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening and construction of the southeasterly corner of Tremont and Edgeworth streets, Charlestown district, as a highway, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of May 14, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(May 10.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, May 8, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Estella street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Harvard street to Morton street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints eleven o'clock a. m. of May 21, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(May 10-17.) Secretary.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL, FIRE AND POLICE BOATS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing 3,700 tons, more or less, of Pocahontas or New River coal to the police or fire boats, as follows: Fire boats, 2,500 tons; police boats, 1,200 tons. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and furnish a certified check for \$500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bidder must state the price per ton of 2,000 pounds, and leave his proposal at the office of the Supply Department on or before Friday, May 16, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Deliveries to be made as per specifications. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(May 10.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LOAMING AND CONCRETE BLEACHERS AT WILLIAM E. CARTER PLAYGROUND, ROXBURY.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invite proposals for loaming and concrete bleachers at William E. Carter Playground, Roxbury. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Loaming and Concrete Bleachers at William E. Carter Playground, Roxbury," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 22, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$7,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

(May 10.) JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Buildings and the several departments of the City of Boston not otherwise provided for from May, 1924, to April 30, 1925, as follows:

4,000 tons, more or less, egg coal.
4,000 tons, more or less, stove coal.
12,000 tons, more or less, semibituminous coal.

The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and deposit his bid with a properly certified check for \$1,000, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, May 16, 1924, at 12 m., at the above named office. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. Surety bond will be required from the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price.

(May 10.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

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CITY ADOPTS NEW AND NOVEL METHOD OF WARNING OWNERS AS TO IMPROVEMENTS.

USES TEAM AND HUGE SIGN TO NOTIFY SHAWMUT AVENUE PROPERTY OWNERS TO MAKE PLANS FOR GAS, WATER AND ELECTRICITY WHILE PAVING IS BEING DONE.



[Photo by Harry Kelley.]

NEW METHOD ADOPTED BY PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT FOR NOTIFYING CITIZENS OF CONTEMPLATED STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

The above photograph shows a new scheme of notifying alutters and owners along a street which it is proposed to repave so that arrangements can be made for gas, electric, water and sewer connections or changes before the surface is finished and avoid digging up and retain for a longer period the unbroken pavement surface. This sign was paraded up and down Shawmut avenue for about four weeks.

The work on Shawmut avenue includes the replacement of the present pavement, from Castle street to Roxbury street, and comprises approximately 40,000 yards of bitulithic pavement on a 6-inch concrete base and 114,300 square feet of artificial stone sidewalks, one of the largest contracts awarded in this city for some time. The cost of the work, including the reconstruction of catch-basins, will be \$230,000.

MAYOR CURLEY APPEALS TO SENATOR WALSH FOR CHEAPER COAL.

Mayor Curley on May 10 forwarded the following letter to Hon. David I. Walsh, United States Senate, Washington, D. C.:

Boston, May 10, 1924.

HON. DAVID I. WALSH, United States Senate, Washington, D. C.:

MY DEAR SENATOR,—I beg to forward herewith circular letter which the Staples Coal Company is sending to consumers of coal in Boston. The letter clearly in-

dicates that the coal dealers propose to again gouge the public.

In the interest of this New England section of the United States where anthracite coal has long been a necessity because of the construction of the homes, I beg to suggest the advisability of governmental control of this great national necessity for the protection of the public from a system of pillage which in the past has been regularly conducted and which, if I read the communication I am forwarding you aright, will again be undertaken.

Very truly yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

The following is a copy of the Staples Coal Company letter:

Boston, April 29, 1924.

We announce our opening prices on anthracite coal for delivery prior to July 1, in the City of Boston, as follows:

Broken, \$15 per ton; egg, \$15.50 per ton; stove, \$15.50 per ton; nut, \$15.50 per ton; pea, \$12 per ton.

The price of hard coal at the mines for the month of April, 1924, is about 35 cents per ton higher than the price a year ago, and we have already been advised that the price will be further advanced on May 1. Our local operating costs have also advanced during the year. We therefore feel that the above prices are as low as can be expected this spring.

We solicit your orders for immediate delivery, and guarantee that should we make any lower prices for similar coal and delivery your price will be adjusted accordingly.

STAPLES COAL COMPANY OF BOSTON,
EDWARD C. WILLIAMS,
Sales Manager.

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS FRED J. KNEELAND DEAD.

Funeral services for Fred J. Kneeland, Superintendent of Public Buildings for the City of Boston, who died suddenly in his office chair at City Hall Thursday morning were held from St. Andrew's Church, Jamaica Plain, this morning at 10 o'clock. A requiem mass was celebrated. Interment was at Calvary.

Mr. Kneeland's death, caused by acute indigestion, came Thursday morning within a half hour after he conferred with Mayor Curley in regard to the laying of the cornerstone of the new Hyde Park Police Station.

Engaged in the preparation of the program for the cornerstone exercises, the superintendent suddenly collapsed and toppled over on his desk. He is mourned by a host of friends and acquaintances and all the city was deeply touched by the news of his demise.

MAYOR WINS PEOPLE'S BATTLE FOR CHEAPER ELECTRICITY AT SAVING OF \$5,000,000.

Mayor Curley issued the following statement on May 14:

As a result of conferences held during the week at which were present Mr. Barrett Andrews, representing the Boston American Publishing Company, which publishing company through its attorney, the late Grenville S. MacFarland, had instituted proceedings against the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston for a revision of rates, the Hon. E. Mark

(Continued on page 874.)



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, May 19, at two o'clock p. m.

Regular meeting of the School Committee, Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, Monday, May 19, at 6.30 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marqueses, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

ANNUAL REPORT OF BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

The Board of Examiners have presented the following annual report which has been received by the Mayor:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston,

DEAR SIR.—In compliance with your request the Board of Examiners submits herewith the report of the activities of the department during the year 1923:

During the year the Board held 112 meetings, at which 3,960 applicants for new license, renewal and special license were examined and passed upon. In addition, twelve complaint cases presented by the Building Commissioner were heard. These were disposed of by the Board or passed on to the Law Department for prosecution. Included among the above-mentioned applications were those of 300 mechanics in charge of the installation and alteration of elevators, steel stacks, hoists, etc. Formerly the law as applying to this type of mechanic had not been strictly enforced; but realizing that proper control of these classes of work is necessary in carrying out a prevention-of-accident policy, the Building Commissioner, in July, 1923, referred to the Board of Examiners the matter of passing upon the qualifications of men in charge of such work. These men were examined in compliance with section 5 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1914.

The number of applications for license and for renewal exceeded those of any previous year. Since responsibility for proper completion of building operations is distinctly placed upon the license holder, the qualifications of each applicant must be passed upon most carefully. Men appearing for renewal of previously issued licenses were re-examined and their records investigated. For two years the Board had been impressing upon license holders the necessity

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

of being familiar with the building law, with the result that all available copies of the building law have been purchased. Examinations during the past year have shown a decided improvement, and this opinion is concurred in by the building inspectors who report better understanding and improved workmanship among mechanics and superintendents.

At Franklin Union and at Wentworth Institute where, at the suggestion of the Board, last year classes were formed for the instruction of those men who were desirous of becoming superintendents of construction, two classes have been organized this year for the same purpose. In preparation for this work the Board held at its office classes of preliminary instruction. These classes had the indorsement of builders, architects and engineers, several of whom addressed the classes on subjects having to do with construction work.

During the year communications from various parts of the country have been received; they come from persons and organizations interested in the result of a law allowing other than professional control of building operations. Records show that better results have been gained by the enforcement of a law requiring the constant supervision of a practical superintendent on the work.

The following is a summary of applications acted upon by the Board during 1923:

New Licenses.—655 approved; 290 rejected.

Renewals.—1,832 approved; 21 rejected.

Special Licenses.—1,059 approved; 104 rejected.

Total.—3,546 approved; 414 rejected. Total, 3,960.

The fees collected amounted to:
New licenses, \$3,275; renewals, \$3,664; special licenses, \$1,059. Total, \$7,998.

Very truly yours,

BOARD OF EXAMINERS,
by JOHN F. HICKEY, *Chairman.*

APPEALS TO PRESIDENT COOLIDGE TO STOP KILLING NEW ENGLAND INDUSTRY.

MAYOR CURLEY PROTESTS AGAIN AGAINST AWARD OF ARMY SHOE CONTRACT TO PRISON LABOR AND THE MAKING OF CLOTH FOR UNIFORMS TO AN ENGLISH FIRM WHILE NEW ENGLAND CITIZENS ARE IDLE AND FACTORIES WANTING THAT WORK ARE CLOSED.

Mayor Curley sent the following letter to President Calvin Coolidge May 10:

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT, Under date of April 7, 1924, I deemed it my duty to the industrial and business interests of Boston and the Commonwealth it serves, to call your attention to certain transactions and conditions that were affecting the life and happiness of our workers, with the hope that they might be corrected by your personal interposition.

The business of clothing, equipping and supplying the personnel of the army and navy of the United States constitutes a great industry of various character, that gives profitable employment to many employers and workers in this Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and is the main dependence of their homes and happiness.

At that time I called the attention of the President to the executive action which deprived the factories of Massachusetts of the business of supplying the army and navy with shoes—a specialized industry—and diverted it to the convict labor of the Federal Prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. I called the attention of the President to the real, economic hardship this policy involved and to the dubious industrial morality of taking the honest labor of American citizens from them and transferring it to the criminal who were paying the penalty of lawlessness of many kinds.

I regret to state that my protest up to date has remained unnoticed and unacknowledged, and what is of more importance than official discourtesy, the economic wrong has remained unchanged, at a time when unemployment is increasing and social hardship grows harsher and more acute.

Since then, when many of the textile industries of this Commonwealth have slowed down and the workers are suffering from lack of work and wages, the whole state is shocked and angered to learn that a contract for 500,000 yards of uniform khaki cloth has been awarded to an alien manufacturer, Skinner & Co. of Manchester, England, in preference to an American competitor, the Amoskeag Mills of Manchester, N. H.

It is a time honored policy of American government to protect the industries of its own people against the competition of the foreigner; and to give back to its own industrial interests something of the taxes they pay to support their own government; and this contract, entered into with alien interests at a time when industrial depression was breeding idleness, the mother of unrest and discontent, is at its best a piece of folly and stupidity that must be very embarrassing to your administration. It has been the boast of your own, the Republican party, that it stood pre-eminently for the protection of American industry and its workers; the opportunity for giving this political pledge a practical demonstration has come to your administration in these days of depression and idleness and in each instance the promise has been broken.

Is it too late for the President of the United States to right these two great wrongs? Is it too late to restore to the free honest, law-abiding, home-building, tax-paying, shoe workers of Massachusetts the work and bread and butter taken from them and handed over to the convict, criminal prison labor of Fort Leavenworth, Kansas? Has the time passed when the contract entered into between the Secretary of the Navy and Skinner & Co., of Manchester, England, can be cancelled and given to the Amoskeag Mills of Manchester, N. H., that work and wages be provided for American operatives?

May I not say with propriety that the aroused and indignant sentiment of New England asks and must have an answer to these questions, since these two transactions of your administration are staggering blows to American industry. I might without any suggestion of discourtesy remind the President of the United States that the votes of the idle operatives of Manchester, N. H., have more political significance and weight in American affairs than those of Manchester, England; and that the free idle workers of the Old Bay State count more potently at the polls than the criminal convict laborers of Leavenworth Prison; and I respectfully submit that these facts are worth time and attention of the administration in this year 1924.

The people of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts have a right to expect a kindlier consideration from your administration than they have received; for while recognizing the fact that you are not alone President of New England but of all the United States, they cannot forget that they were the most important factor in your political career; and that they hearkened to your appeal "Have Faith in Massachusetts" with a belief that you who had profited by that faith, would respond to them in kind on their day of stress by the grace of official gratitude.

The people of New England—Massachusetts and New Hampshire—have asked for industrial bread, and your administration has given them a stone—given them convict labor for free labor, work and wages to alien British labor, idleness and privation to American labor.

In the distribution of public money for the improvement of rivers and harbors, as an aid to maritime commerce, a contemptible \$40,000 is allotted to Boston, one of the great ports of the country, out of the many millions appropriated. Yet Massachusetts is supposed to be represented in the White House, the Cabinet, and the chief places of the Senate and House. With the beggarly results such eminence secures must our faith in Massachusetts be transferred from her representatives to men whose faith is shown in their good works.

No condition is so perilous to American Democracy and representative government as the idleness and discontent of its workers; and if these workers should

translate the blunders of their government into a deliberate betrayal of their vital interests, how can the lovers of law and order avert the results of such betrayal and find reasonable answer and logical explanation for such amazing things as convict labor and foreign industrial preference.

American industry may lose its strength and activity by the indifference, and worse, of national legislation and administration. To break down the wage scale of American labor by the employment of prison labor and the utilization of the product of sweated foreign industry would be a dangerous and stupid policy; and to close up American shops and factories that these two agencies may thrive, would be little short of treason; and yet that seems to be the road upon which the administration in Washington is started.

I sincerely trust the President of the United States will awake to the danger of present day conditions and apply the remedies that lie in his authority; that he will realize that the prosperity of the common weal is of greater importance than the success of any party or partisan; and give us some substantial reason for broadening our faith in Massachusetts into faith in the United States and confidence in him who owes all he has and all he is to the people of this state.

I ask for action that will litigate the troubles into which we are drifting and which unless shortly corrected may result in soup kitchens and bread lines in New England industrial centers.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

ROYAL ARCANUM PAYS MAYOR CURLEY HIGH TRIBUTE IN SET OF RESOLUTIONS.

Mayor Curley received the following communication May 10:

ROYAL ARCANUM, GRAND COUNCIL
OF MASSACHUSETTS,
BOSTON, May 8, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor,
City Hall, Boston, Mass.:

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR,—In accordance with a unanimous rising vote, it is with very much pleasure that I send a copy of resolutions adopted at our forty-seventh annual session, April 24 and April 25, 1924, held at the American House, Boston.

Yours very sincerely,

WILLIAM L. KELT,
Grand Secretary.

RESOLUTIONS.

The Grand Council of Massachusetts recognizing the fact that the Mayor of a city the size of Boston is carrying at all times a tremendous burden, and that countless demands are made upon his time and strength, feels that Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, paid our Order a signal honor in coming to our session on April 24, to extend to this body a welcome to the city and to present us the key to the city.

The splendid inspirational address which he delivered, the patriotic thoughts which he uttered, the tribute he paid to the order for its forty-seven years of service to humanity and fraternity were all in keeping with our highest ideals. His generosity in inviting us to dinner was another evidence of the honor he wished to show the Royal Arcanum.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Grand Council are due and are hereby given to his Honor James M. Curley.

THE NEED FOR DAY TRAINING AT FRANKLIN FOUNDATION EMPHASIZED.

DIRECTOR OF FRANKLIN UNION STRESSES IMPORTANCE OF NEW FORCE FOR GOOD IN REPORT AT ANNUAL MEETING.

The sixteenth annual report of the director of Franklin Union, presented at the annual meeting of the Franklin Foundation, at the office of the president, Hon. Nathan Matthews, Tremont Building, Monday, May 12, was as follows:

Boston, May 12, 1924.

The Franklin Foundation,
Boston, Mass.:

GENTLEMEN,—In accordance with Article III of the By-laws, I beg leave to submit the following report:

Vocational training which has been conducted for the last five years for the United States Government is rapidly drawing to a close. During the past year there have been slightly over five hundred trainees and there are now less than one hundred and fifty. The evening registration has been sixteen hundred and fourteen (1,614) different individuals, 12 per cent larger than last year, and the total of both day and evening classes is twenty-one hundred and eighty-three (2,183) different students. Fifteen of this number are women.

Franklin Union exists to train adults. It is one of the few institutions built and equipped solely for adult instruction. Only a small number of those of high school age ever graduate from high school and still fewer complete the four years additional at university or engineering school. The majority of adults must look to evening classes for further training. Are there not many, however, who might spend one or two years in vocational day training following high school, as a preparation for entrance into industry, provided that such training were available and could be procured at a nominal charge? Are there not also others who have left school early and have met difficulties in advancement due to insufficient preparation, who could return for further day instruction, which would enable them to rise ultimately at least to the lower grades of executive positions?

Franklin Union evening classes have long been a fact; its day classes remain a dream. There are two reasons for this condition: First, because in 1908, when the school was opened, the field of evening training was clearly defined, and it was only necessary to adapt proven methods to the local industrial needs of Boston; second, because the modest income from invested funds, which has never exceeded \$25,000 annually, precluded anything but evening classes.

Flexibility to individual needs is perhaps the most striking characteristics of successful evening classes. Within its chosen field, the oft-quoted words of Ezra Cornell might apply to Franklin Union with but slight qualification. He desired to "found an institution where any person can find instruction in any study." It is probably true that no institution offers more nearly individual instruction than Franklin Union. Six distinct evening courses are opened annually, in October, in electricity alone, varying in the approach to the subject and in the intensity of instruction, each course intended for a different group of

workers. Where men are helped, there are always those who do not succeed, either through lack of time or brains, and there will always be sufficient such to keep instructors from becoming conceited. A stiff weeding out might make for more scholarship records, but the successful evening school dealing with adults must recognize that efficient men and women, already at work, cannot be classified by academic standards, and that months of industrial experience have given them many equivalents to high school or even college training. An inflexible standard would crowd out some who are destined to become at least corporals and sergeants, and perhaps even captains of industry. Evening instruction is permeated with optimism. Every student is ambitious. There is a spirit of mutual helpfulness. Men are more nearly equal than elsewhere. A college graduate helps the so-called practical man beside him with the theory, and receives in return invaluable pointers on shop practice. There is an atmosphere of achievement and accomplishment. It is team work with a common objective. Appreciative and grateful students report progress and advancement. The class pulls, the instructor steers.

Evening classes must not only be flexible to individual needs, but must be sensitive to the constant changes in industrial demands. Courses must change from year to year to correspond with industrial progress. With the perfection of automobile engines and the introduction of self-starting and lighting, the demand for instruction has largely shifted from engine to ignition. The continued introduction of central power plants has caused a decrease in the demand for steam engineering, while there is an increased demand for heating and ventilating design. The increase in building construction has been reflected by unprecedented demands during the past year for architectural and construction courses and for electric wiring. The further application of chemistry to manufacturing is shown by increasing calls for industrial chemistry. A course in metallography, a subject unknown a few years ago, is now in its third season, and is meeting a specific need of men connected with the metal trades. Every room of the Franklin Union building is now in use five nights a week during the winter months. The demand for evening instruction is thus being met, subject only to the limitations of space.

No institution has ever faced a more definite call for specific day instruction than Franklin Union now faces. No institution, in organizing a comparatively new type of instruction, has known more clearly what it proposed to do. The needs for such day training are urgent. Modern youth does not see the inside, nor as a rule, know anything of practical industry until he is plunged into what, to him, is an unknown world. Formerly the boy in his home town might, from daily observation, acquire a fairly good idea of many lines of production before he finished the country school. Moreover, industry is constantly taking on more of

an engineering aspect, with endless diversities and more exacting requirements. The untrained man will soon find himself out of the race. Pre-war conditions of employment are returning, and men are now being hired on a basis of skill and achievement, and no longer because they possess two legs and two arms. Moreover, there are at present almost no facilities for thorough training, except the four-year engineering courses, which, on account of time and expense involved, are out of the reach of the majority of adult workers. Hardly half a dozen cities in the United States have any day vocational instruction for adults. This city has only one endowed school fitting for productive industry with one and two year courses, in spite of the fact that Boston is the greatest educational center of the world. Franklin Union stands ready and equipped to provide further day vocational instruction for men seventeen years of age and over, who cannot attend college and university, but who should be fitted to enter industry, and should be provided with a background which will enable them to advance later. The lack of endowment is the only serious obstacle to be surmounted. The call for funds for day courses is to meet a distinctly modern exigency. The need is not only recent but increasingly serious. The type of training required is different from that which has long been familiar to New England educators and philanthropists. Thoughtful students of education and of industrial conditions predict a rapid development of this type of instruction, which will ultimately occupy an important place as a constructive force in the community. Are there not those in Boston who will join hands with the two far-sighted benefactors of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries,—Benjamin Franklin and Andrew Carnegie,—and provide the next step in the development of the philanthropic institution which these men have established?

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER B. RUSSELL,
Director.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for the following construction work:

A 12-inch and 15-inch earthen pipe sanitary sewer and surface drain and six catch-basins in Harrishof street, between Warren street and Humboldt avenue in the Roxbury district, and that he estimates that the cost thereof will be \$21,069.

A 10-inch pipe surface drain in Price road, between Glenville road and Long avenue in the Brighton district, and that he estimates that the cost thereof will be \$1,897.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

John B. Dolan has been ordered to make the following changes in contract for municipal garage, Albany street.

Items ordered: Deduct the sum of \$500 for finished hardware according to Section 12, page 65, of specifications. Hardware is being furnished by the owner. Deduct the sum of \$500 for electric lighting fixtures according to Section 31, Article 1, page 101, of specifications. Fixtures are being furnished by owner.

Deduct the sum of \$2,000 for gasoline storage equipment according to Section 14, page 90, of specifications. Equipment is being furnished by owner. Total deductions, \$3,000.

CALLS FOR SENATORIAL PROBE OF COOLIDGE CAMPAIGN FUNDS COLLECTION.

MAYOR CURLEY SENDS REQUEST TO SENATOR DAVID I. WALSH AFTER DISCOVERY OF SINISTER LETTER SHOWING BUSINESS CONCERNS ARE BEING SOLICITED WITH DECLARATION OF PURPOSE TO EVADE THE LAW.

Mayor Curley sent on May 13 the following letter to Hon. David I. Walsh, United States Senator, Washington, D. C.:

The Senatorial Committee investigating the existence of certain corrupt transactions, activities and persons, of which you are a member, would do a much-needed public good at this time by turning its attention to and its light on an organized plan for corruption, designed to "solicit" contributions from business firms, corporations, manufacturing concerns and trade organizations, the funds so collected to be spent to secure the nomination and election of federal and state officers—Republicans from the presidency of the United States down.

This organization is known as the Massachusetts Calvin Coolidge Finance Committee and its announced purpose, as can be seen by the inclosed copy of the original letter of solicitation, is that of "collecting funds to make sure of the nomination and election of Calvin Coolidge." I assume the Massachusetts organization is duplicated in every other state where tariff-protected interests can be reached; and without doubt the mind and man back of this nation-wide corruption campaign is the chairman of the Republican Committee, William Butler of New Bedford, mill owner and millionaire, and one of the notorious industrial group of Massachusetts, fat and growing fatter, by the exploitation of child labor and underpaid, overworked mill operatives in certain Southern cotton factories.

The following paragraph has a sinister significance and indicates a cynical determination to evade the provisions of the Corrupt Practices laws and get around the limitations of expenditures for political purposes incorporated in federal legislation:

"There is no limit to the amount an individual may give the committee. Large contributions will be so divided as to give full observance to the requirements of the statutes."

An eminent American has said "Public office should represent the result of the voluntary act of the people and not be the sequence of an auction." The intimate private and political relations of the Republican National Chairman and the pseudo-prophet of law and order, who dictated Mr. Butler's appointment as his own choice as campaign manager, leaves no doubt in the mind of any honest and self-respecting American that the President of the United States is not only the inspiration of this scandalous plan to corrupt the American constituencies, but is fully cognizant of its purposes and aims and is aiding and abetting this audacious attempt to buy the national election of 1924. This document and the bold campaign of corruption it visualizes illustrates the sustained hypocrisy and manifest unfitness of their authors, organizers and beneficiaries, and the exposure of the plot to make the 1924 election "the sequence of an auction" is a paramount duty that must not be delayed. The sooner the people of the

United States learn something of the subterranean activities of the Republican Party, its candidates and leaders, the better for the safety of the country. If the public offices of the United States can be bought and sold in 1924, the beneficiaries of the foul transaction will transfer the control of national legislation and administration to the industrial, commercial and financial underwriters of this outrageous bargain.

You, my dear senator, have a personal as well as a public interest in this treasonable scheme; you are one of the targets of the dirty dollars of the Massachusetts Calvin Coolidge Finance Committee; but I am certain your sense of public duty will outweigh any personal consideration and guide your actions.

Coming as it does on the heels of the betrayal of New England's industrial interests—the preference shown by the Washington administration for convict prison labor over free labor, the transfer of the army shoe industry from the factories of Massachusetts to the Federal Prison at Fort Leavenworth, the gift of contracts for navy khaki cloth to British mills in Manchester, England, and the refusal to give contracts to the Amoskeag Mills of Manchester, N. H., where unemployed American workers walk the streets idle and hungry—it becomes evident that this conspiracy of corruption to which the aid and sympathy of Calvin Coolidge and his friends are pledged, is a well-considered plot to crush and degrade the American worker.

The constant stream of phrase and flummery, humbug and hypocrisy that flows from the White House is intended to conceal the iniquity and baseness of this scheme to Europeanize American labor and cripple American democracy and its stealthy progress can only be arrested by a swift and thorough senatorial investigation that the American people may know the peril they are in; for it is idle to expect that the engineers of this corrupt scheme will set the machinery of law in motion to embarrass themselves. You can do the work they will not, dare not, do.

The Walworth Manufacturing Company of Boston from which the corrupt correspondence emanated is a highly-protected concern, whose head is President of the Boston Chamber of Commerce; the signer of the circular letter "G. F. Elliott, Chairman, Pipe Fittings and Allied Material Group," is some inconsequential figurehead behind whom the corruptionists work; and I believe an early descent on this group of conspirators will serve the public good. The sale of Massachusetts must not be permitted; its consummation would be a victory for the deadliest enemies of American liberty.

I earnestly ask early and effective investigation of this audacious scheme to destroy the good name of Massachusetts and the integrity of representative government in America.

With the assurance of my personal regard, I am,

Sincerely yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

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WALWORTH MANUFACTURING COMPANY,
(Established 1842.)
General Offices, Boston, Mass.
Boston Branch,
142 High Street.

Boston, April 24, 1924.

DEAR SIR,—The Massachusetts Calvin Coolidge Finance Committee has delegated to me the chairmanship of the pipe fittings and allied material group in the matter of collecting funds to make sure of the nomination and election of Calvin Coolidge.

The money goes — first, to the National Coolidge preconvention fund for maintaining Calvin Coolidge headquarters and organization work; secondly, to pay a proportion of the National Committee expense; thirdly, to maintain the Massachusetts State Committee's active work of registration and Americanization throughout all our districts, and to carry on the active campaign for all federal and state offices as soon as nominations are over.

There is no limit to the amount an individual may give to this committee. Large contributions will be so divided as to give full observance to the requirements of the statutes. All contributions must be voluntary.

I assume that you will wish to have a share in making sure of the election of Calvin Coolidge, and I am inclosing a card furnished me by the Finance Committee.

Your check should be made to Louis K. Liggett, and if you will send it to me for forwarding to him I can keep correctly my records of our group. In any event, whether your response is a check or a signature of promise on the inclosed card, will you kindly make it promptly, so I may make full report without much delay.

Yours truly,

G. F. ELLIOTT,

Chairman,

Pipe Fittings and Allied Material Group.

MAYOR CURLEY WARNS REPUBLICAN FUNDS COLLECTOR L. K. LIGGETT AGAINST DUBIOUS FINANCIERING.

Mayor Curley sent the following reply to Mr. Louis K. Liggett in answer to Mr. Liggett's statement to the press in Wednesday morning's papers:

MR. LOUIS K. LIGGETT, Chairman, Calvin Coolidge Finance Committee, Boston, Mass.:

MY DEAR LOUIE,—The Boston morning papers of Wednesday carry an interview with you designed to explain and defend certain stealthy and sinister activities of the Calvin Coolidge Finance Committee to which I called the attention of Senator David I. Walsh with a request for investigation. There is an obvious imprudence in rushing into print with explanation and defence that might better be reserved for the Senatorial Investigating Committee and the Federal Grand Jury. This particular phase of questionable finance may be new to your experience, and were your common sense more robust and your moral sense more acute, you might be in a position to appreciate the danger and depravity of the work you are engaged in.

I imagine a habit of skating on thin ice at the border line of lawlessness is not the best kind of training for a raw recruit in the ranks of Republican righteousness; and I would suggest that you take counsel with your Christian keepers and

guardians on Devonshire street before again venturing into type, for it is perilous to rely on gratitude of the beneficiaries of your political panhandling, when the limelight is turned on your dubious financiering. You should know by this time that signing incriminatory circular letters is a dangerous practice; that financial solicitation for lawless purposes has its perils; and that the collection and emission of corruption funds is frowned on by law. You are not a guileless innocent. *Experientia docet.*

I note with interest a personal appeal in your interview. You express an eager curiosity to learn the origin of the funds with which I finance my pledge-card campaign; and were your curiosity not so transparently an attempt to draw a herring across the trail that will lead the Senate and Grand Jury to a knowledge of your corrupt plans and purposes, I might be tempted to take you into my confidence. As Shakespeare said "Thou almost persuadest me."

However as between man and man I will say this—the funds that intrigue you were not collected from dependent employees, panicky creditors and the holders of dubious stocks wished on them for good money and whose tape value was wrecked by questionable transactions. Nothing like that, my dear Mr. Louis K. Liggett; nothing like that.

However, I am of the opinion that if you will keep out of the public press and make a clean breast of things to the constituted authorities, in view of your political youth and inexperience, you may be treated with clemency.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

SENATOR WALSH REPLIES TO MAYOR ON SLUSH FUND CHARGE.

Mayor Curley has received the following telegram from Senator David I. Walsh:

May 15, 1924.

Telegram received. Have conferred with my colleagues on the matter. It is very evident the federal law needs amending to prevent campaign slush funds. Though several bills to this end, including a resolution by myself some time ago, no action has been taken. Your calling public attention to the methods described in your letter will I hope expedite legislative action. Of course if state laws have been violated action may be taken locally.

DAVID I. WALSH.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Mayor has approved the following order of the Board of Street Commissioners:

That in the matter of Katherine McNally, petitioner for damages caused by the relocation of North Beacon street, Brighton district, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of August 22, 1921, after consultation with the Law Department, and on its advice, the Board agrees to abate one-half of the betterment assessment of seventeen hundred and ten (1,710) dollars levied January 10, 1923, on the estate of said McNally for said relocation, the petitioner to give to the City of Boston an agreement dismissing her petition for land damages on account of said improvement; and the Board consents that the Corporation Counsel agree to judgment in said case on the terms herein stated.

MAYOR WINS PEOPLE'S BATTLE.

(Continued from page 869.)

Sullivan, Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston, Mr. C. L. Edgar, representing the Edison Company, and his Honor the Mayor, an agreement was reached:

First.—That in the arbitration now pending before the Public Utilities Commission in regard to the price to be paid by the city for its street lighting, that the company would waive all claim to an increase up to June 1 of the present year and accept the sums already paid by the city under the rate established by the last arbitration which took place in 1919, as a full discharge of the city's obligations under its street lighting contract. The claims waived by the Edison Company amount to approximately \$600,000 for the period since 1919. In consideration of this waiver the city agrees from June 1 next to accept the rate which is paid by other municipalities as fixed by the Public Utilities Commission.

Second.—Upon petition brought by the Boston American Publishing Company and the city for a revision of the company's rates, the terms agreed upon, subject at all time to the control of the Public Utilities Commission, provide for an immediate reduction in the A rate (household lighting) from 9½ cents to 9 cents per kilowatt hour, to be followed upon December 1, 1924, by a further reduction to 8½ cents and on December 1, 1925, to 8 cents.

This agreement terminates the litigation between the Boston American Publishing Company, formerly represented by Mr. MacFarland, and the City of Boston, represented by Hon. E. Mark Sullivan, the Corporation Counsel, and Mr. Arthur D. Hill, as special counsel, which has lasted over a period of years. During that time reductions have been secured which to date approximate \$3,500,000 of saving to the people. Under the present agreement the annual saving to the people up to the time when the 8-cent schedule goes into operation will be about \$5,000,000. After the 8-cent schedule goes into operation \$1,500,000 a year additional will be saved over the cost to the community at the present rate. When this is contrasted with the charges approximating 12 cents per kilowatt hour, which were in force when the litigation began, the result is an extremely satisfactory one.

NEW HOTELS FOR BOSTON.

It is pleasing to announce that a favorable reaction resulted in consequence of the decision of E. M. Statler, with reference to the establishment of additional hotel accommodations in Boston, word having been received at the office of the Mayor that plans are being drawn for a 700-room modern and up-to-date hotel and also plans are about completed and financing has been assured for a 350-room hotel in Boston.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for repairing, cleansing, pressing uniform overcoats of the Fire Department. Surety bond will

be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Headquarters, Bristol street. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close, Tuesday, May 27, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for leasing the beach chair concessions privilege at Marine Park and Columbus Park. Blanks for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for loaming and concrete bleachers at William E. Carter Playground, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$7,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and spreading sand on bathing beaches. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, Room 33, Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 22, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for granite block pavement in Border street, from North Ferry to Saratoga street, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$30,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Canterbury street to River street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$65,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$6,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close, Monday, May 26, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for selling land to the city for an elementary school in the Warren-Bunker Hill District, Charlestown. Bids to be submitted on or before Tuesday, May 27.

Bids opened Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

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ECONOMIC JUSTICE AND PLANS FOR FUTURE ON CONSTRUCTIVE LINES URGED.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS NOTABLE ADDRESS BEFORE NEWBURYPORT LODGE OF ELKS AT MEETING MONDAY, MAY 12.

Address of Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, before the members of Newburyport Lodge of Elks, at Newburyport, Monday, May 12, 1924:

Ours indeed has been a most glorious past but what of the present and what of the future. Surely a nation with such a wealth of achievement must realize the necessity not only for economic justice in the present hour but the adoption of a constructive program for the future. The leadership achieved by America during the World War, the unity that obtained in the land and the patriotism shared by women and men alike must be revived. Less than six years have passed since the close of the World War and today in every portion of the land the wheels of industry are silent, the obligation to the patriots who served in the World War is disregarded and where optimism should be the keynote, pessimism alone obtains. Periods of depression due to over-production have been common in this and every other land from the beginning of time. Their presence is invariably accompanied by an increased death rate and by crime waves. The question for this great patriotic organization whose splendid service in the period of the World War is a blessed memory, is what can and what should be done to aid Americans and by aiding Americans promote the happiness and preserve the peace of the nation. There is no question that approaches in importance that of the stabilizing of industry. Stabilizing of industry means contentment in the land, happiness in the house.

The question for us to consider is, how much longer the conduct of the most important business in the land shall be delegated to political organizations. During the period of the World War the necessity for employing brains and talent outside the narrow confines of politics was nationally recognized. When we wanted the finances of the nation adjusted we called to the aid of the government the foremost financial experts in America, Baruch and Morgenthau; when we wanted a bridge of ships extending from America to Europe we called to our aid the foremost shipbuilder in the world, Charles M. Schwab; when we recognized the necessity for improvement to our railroad service we employed that great engineer who built the tunnel under the East river, William McAdoo; when we assayed the task of transporting four million of our citizen soldiery across an expanse of water sown with undersea boats we called to the aid of the government Admiral Benson, who transported the four million Americans without the loss of a single transport.

If the services of these men were necessary in the hour of crisis for the preservation of our heritage, it becomes both a duty and an obligation to employ a similar character of service in the hour of peace for the preservation of national welfare, prosperity and progress.

I personally know of no more valued service this splendid organization can render than to transfer from the field of partisan politics the welfare of the nation through the creation of a National Plan-

ning Board as an adjunct to the conduct of governmental affairs.

Congress unquestionably is well intentioned but lacks only the spur of an intelligent program which represents the intelligent crystallized thought of the great body of patriotic American citizens. The futility of the tariff due to the increased production developed in America as a consequence of the war is today apparent to every thoughtful man. This increased production renders it possible in substantially every line of activity to provide in seven working months the nation's requirements for a full twelve-month period.

Despite this we have disregarded the imperatively essential necessity for either the development of foreign markets or the establishment upon a sound and sane basis of an American merchant marine. In response to the voice of pessimism and the plea of economy, a merchant marine created at enormous expense has been permitted to lie idle and rot in every waterway upon both the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts. This condition has been permitted in America, while in other nations, governmental aid has supplied the incentive which not only opened foreign markets but made possible a permanent outlet for excess production.

The American merchant has never sought other than a fair fighting chance; to this he is entitled, but he will never be permitted to enjoy that to which he is entitled until an aroused American public compels recognition of present national needs.

Under our system of government, the most ideal in the world, it is essential that there be continuity of program rather than the system which obtains at the present time of sacrificing national welfare to partisan advantage. I look forward to the time in the life of America when there will be continuity of program, when seasonal unemployment will no longer obtain, when the toiler, the laborer whose brains and hands have been the creative source of national prosperity and greatness, will have some prospect other than the poorhouse in the closing years of his existence to look forward to, when the exploitation of children in industry will be at an end and when, animated by a common purpose and public weal, America will face the future with a people united and patriotic, whose love of country is based on economic justice and equality of opportunity and liberty.

DIRECTOR OF SCHOOL MUSIC REPORTS ON CONFERENCE.

John A. O'Shea, Director of Music, has made the following report on his attendance at the Eastern Music Supervisors' Conference, held at Rochester, N. Y., March 4 to 8.

Boston, May 5, 1924.

To the School Committee:

The following is a report of my visit to the Eastern Music Supervisors' Conference held at Rochester, N. Y., on March 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, 1924.

I arrived in Rochester on the morning of March 5, and each day and evening visited the various schools as mentioned in the inclosed programs.

It was very evident that choral practice was being neglected because of the directing of attention almost solely to the development of bands and orchestras. Although it was to be regretted that choral practice was slighted, there was no doubt but that Rochester had accomplished very admirable results in instrumental work.

It seems that the Music Department at Rochester is able to procure any of the different instruments they desire through the wonderful beneficence of Mr. Eastman of Kodak fame. He has an agreement with the Board of Education by which he will supply the instruments and the Board will supply the instructors for children to whom these instruments are assigned. If the Board fails to supply the instructors the instruments revert to the Eastman School of Music.

To carry on their music work they have a director, Mr. Charles H. Miller, and fifty assistants to the director.

Peculiarly, in this country we have been beset with people who undertake to conduct orchestral and band groups even though they have very little knowledge of music. Rochester's advance has been due chiefly to the recognition of the importance of securing experts for class instruction of each instrument, and all in charge of orchestral or band groups have the advantage of instruction in conducting by some eminent conductor. This year it is the great English conductor, Albert Coates.

From a musician's standpoint the most impressive work was seen at the instrumental session of seventy classes on Saturday morning, where bands and orchestras were separated according to instruments and specialized instruction given on each instrument by an expert.

Of course I recognize that Boston has no "Mr. Eastman" who will devote much of his wealth to these things, but the success of Rochester in instrumental work is convincing evidence that whatever can be done along the lines of specialized instruction should be undertaken in Boston.

For instance, to demonstrate the development of the trombone, "The Lost Chord" was played exclusively by a class of 150 trombones and the result was indeed inspiring.

Instrumental work has developed in Rochester to such an extent that on the roof of one of the high schools a sound-proof hall was constructed where practice may be conducted without annoyance to the rest of the school.

The junior high program allows two periods per day for extra curricula work. By this plan students are allowed to undertake work in subject in which they are especially interested, such as language, dramatics, debating, music (vocal and instrumental), etc.

All in all, the visit to Rochester was extremely valuable to me in seeing work which is highly developed in that city, perhaps beyond the ability of the average city.

I desire to take this opportunity to thank the School Committee for making it possible for me to take the trip to the Eastern Music Supervisors' Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. O'SHEA,
Director of Music.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

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SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for installing and completing oil-burning apparatus in the various schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, May 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for alterations, etc., in the Continuation School, 25 Lagrange street, city proper. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday, May 14, at 12 m. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$1,600, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, May 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for building a manual training stock room in the Henry L. Pierce School, Washington street and Welles avenue, Dorchester, doing all the alterations, etc. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blanks for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, May 21. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for selling land to the city for an elementary school in the Shurtleff District, South Boston. Bids to be submitted on or before Tuesday, May 27.

Bids opened Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing fire hose to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Paving Service of the Public Works Department 50,000 wood blocks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close, Friday, May 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for supplying the various city departments with ice. Surety bond will be required in an amount

equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 26, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, May 15:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has granted permission to sell 90,000 addressograph frames and drawers, no longer required, at \$400, said amount to be credited to general revenue, City of Boston.

Joseph G. O'Malley has been elected secretary of the Board of Assessors for one year.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been appointed at the Boston Sanatorium.

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Michael Foley, maid (patient), \$240 a year; John Kent, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; James Burns, maid (patient), \$240 a year.

Temporary.—Edward Gibbons, choreman (patient), \$240 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending May 3:

Arthur Ross, attendant nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Fred Heath, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Thomas Walsh, male nurse (temporary), \$540 a year; Henry Mallok, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Joseph P. Manning has been elected president and Thomas A. Forsyth secretary of the Board of Trustees of the City Hospital for a year.

George H. Jonah, supervisor-in-chief, has been granted a month's leave of absence with pay.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the past week:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Marion Doherty, clerk, \$14 a week; Marjorie Doers, elevatorwoman, \$11 a week; Ada Bell, elevatorwoman, \$11 a week; Dr. John E. Hopkins, resident anesthetist, \$23.33 a week; Charles McInnes, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Walter Campbell, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Florence Johnson, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Irene Lyons, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Mary G. Brophy, ward helper, \$11 a week; Anna Wells, ward helper, \$11 a week; Marion O'Brien, ward helper, \$11 a week; Mary Boyle, ward helper, \$11 a week; John T. Henry, floor polisher, \$12 a week; Ellen Cunningham, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Mary E. Thurston, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Virginia M. Pfiefer, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Helen O'Connell, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Marion Goodnow, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Bartley M. Gorham, painter, \$5 a day; Timothy Sullivan, porter, \$17.50 a week; Mary Driscoll, laundress, \$14 a week; William T. Kerwin, housecleaner, \$12 a week; Thomas Gately, housecleaner, \$12 a week; Wilhelm Thormahlen, housecleaner, \$12 a week; William O'Malley, housecleaner, \$12 a week.

Temporary.—Maurice Powers, jobber, \$3.50 a day; Patrick Lawless, jobber,

\$3.50 a day; Patrick Mahoney, jobber, \$3.50 a day; Simon Fisher, house porter, \$11.50 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Margaret Donnelly, cleaner at \$11.50 to supply cook at \$15 a week; Florence Painter, cleaner at \$11.50 to table girl at \$9.50 a week; Gertrude O'Halloran, head nurse at \$21 a week to \$18.67 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending May 8:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Catherine Donohue, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed James Conley; Leo Mooney, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed George Gately; Chrissie M. MacKenzie, pupil nurse \$300 a year, to succeed Alice K. Meeley.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

The Board of Overseers of the Public Welfare reorganized Monday, May 5, with the following officers: Simon E. Hecht, chairman (re-elected); Franklin P. Daly, treasurer (re-elected); Walter V. McCarthy, secretary.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Margaret B. Kenney has been granted the temporary appointment for a period of six months as matron with wages at \$18 a week.

Elsie Randall has been given temporary employment for a period not longer than thirty days, as a stenographer in the Cemetery Division.

The following citizens have been given temporary employment for a period of three months as gardener-laborers at \$4.50 a day:

James M. O'Rourke, Augustus P. Devaney, Henry J. King, John Dillon, Alfred T. Repucci, Joseph F. Riley, Thomas J. O'Connell, James E. Heffron, John D. Connors, M. Archileas Gouleas, Carl A. Jansen, Patrick J. Mahoney, William J. Muldoon, Albert J. Walter, James D. Carroll, John Reid, John Flynn, Angelo DeMarco, John A. Gallagher, Andrew J. McKeon, Francis A. Donnelly, Patrick Thornton, Peter J. McKenzie-John Toosi, Peter Wynne, Denis Mori, arty, Charles L. Mellen.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

George M. Wren has been appointed errand boy at \$10 a week.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Bernard J. Gannon has been appointed temporary janitor for a period of ten days, county buildings.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Central Office).

John H. Nolan has been transferred from laborer at \$4 a day in the Street Cleaning Service to assistant to cement tester at \$1,400 a year in the Central Office.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

John H. Bockelman has been continued in temporary employment as inspector at \$1,600 a year in the Bridge Service.

William J. Reagan has been continued in temporary employment as assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week in the Bridge Service.

Peter F. Griffin has been employed as assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week in the Bridge Service.

John J. Davison has been employed as assistant drawtender in the Bridge Service for thirty days with wages at \$28.77 a week, beginning May 10.

John J. Campbell has been given employment as temporary assistant drawtender at \$28.77 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Lawrence L. Brennan has been appointed permanent deckhand at \$4.25 a day in the Ferry Service.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

John J. Trayers has been transferred from the Transit Department to the Paving Service as subforeman at \$1,700 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Peter J. O'Rourke has been continued in temporary employment as teamster in the Sanitary Service at \$4 a day for thirty days.

Edward F. Cummings has been given extension of temporary employment as teamster at \$4 a day in the Sanitary Service for thirty days from May 14.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Frank J. Toomey has been continued in temporary employment as laborer at \$4 a day in the Sewer Service for thirty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

James J. Carlin has been appointed mechanic at \$4.25 a day in the Water Service.

RENT AND HOUSING COMMISSION.

An extension of the temporary provisional employment of the following-named adjusters for a period of not exceeding six months, beginning May 1, has been approved: Herbert E. Ellis, \$75 a week; Harry E. Casey, \$50 a week; Henry A. Doherty, \$25 a week.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

John A. Sullivan, Joseph F. Daly and Leo J. Hill have been reappointed as clerks with knowledge of stenography, for a period of sixty days, from May 4, at \$1,200 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Charles F. Harding has been granted leave of absence from June 2 to June 7, to attend the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine at Kansas City.

James J. Murphy employed as a transitman has been granted an extension of employment at \$1,400 a year for three months.

Rudolph F. Watson has been appointed a draughtsman for a period of three months at the rate of \$1,500 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, May 8: Edgar B. Coombs, assistant engineer, \$9; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, \$27.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 8:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, engineer, 11½ hours, \$9.38; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 22½ hours, \$14.63; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 35½ hours, \$22.45; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 23½ hours, \$14.88; M. Donovan, elevator helper, 12 hours, \$3.50; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$3.75; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; G. Roache, J. Burns, ambulance drivers, 4½ hours, \$2.53 each; J. F. McCormick, E. McKeon, C. Clancy, elevator men, 12 hours, \$2.76 each.

East Boston Relief Station.

F. Ruggiero, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75.
Total, \$91.45.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 8: Jeremiah Sweeney, machinist, 1 day, \$5.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, Edward F. Curley, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, Hugh McDonough and Henry J. Moylan, laborers, \$4 each.
Henry L. Dolan, freeman, \$4.50.

Fairview Cemetery.

Thomas Kilduff, James Kingston, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, \$4 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph T. Harrington, Peter F. Kean, Michael Norris, laborers, \$4 each.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 8: *Tax Sales.*—Daniel Cadigan, Joseph Cotter, James Dolan, compositors, 5 hours, \$6.55 each; John Fisher, compositor, 5 hours, \$6.75; Edward Stanton, proofreader, 5 hours, \$6.55; Daniel Sullivan, apprentice, 1 hour, \$0.55. Total, \$33.50.

City Record.—John Cosgrove, cylinder pressman, 1 hour, \$1.36; John Foley, cylinder press feeder, 1 hour, \$1.14; Frank Coughlin, chauffeur, 1 hour, \$1.02; John Birch, helper, 1 hour, \$1.23. Total, \$4.75.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 1: N. McSheffrey, fireman, 13½ hours, \$9.28; J. McDonough, elevatorman, 7½ hours, \$3.75; H. McLaughlin, elevatorman, 7½ hours, \$3.75.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 12: Laborer.—Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 10 the Mayor approved a contract with the American Coin Lock Company for leasing for a term of three years the coin lock privilege in the convenience stations on Boston Common and Refectory Building, Franklin Park. Bids for the right, opened May 7, were as follows:

American Coin Lock Company, \$2,525; Hygienic Coin Lock Company, \$2,100; Keystone Coin Controlling Lock Company, \$1,900; Advance Sales Company, \$1,850.

Upon May 10 the Mayor approved a contract with J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for excavating and grading for extension of four-grave lot section, Mt. Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened May 5, were as follows: J. C. Coleman & Sons Co., \$6,530; Bruno & Bettitti, \$7,045; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$7,595; Martino DeMatteo, \$8,060; C. & R. Construction Company, \$8,575; Charles Caponi, \$14,925.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon May 10 the Mayor approved a contract with M. DeMatteo for sewerage works in Hallowell street, between Oakland and Newcastle streets and outlet in private land, from Favre street to Hallowell street, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened May 5, were as follows:

M. DeMatteo, \$9,365.55; A. Cefalo, \$10,490.20; Joseph Todesca, \$10,832.90; A. Baruffaldi Company, \$11,036.50; M. H. Loonie, \$12,265.40; V. Grande, \$12,270.20; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$12,361.50; A. Daddario, \$12,420.95; A. D. Daddario, \$12,745; C. & R. Construction Company, \$13,331.20; J. Guarino & Co., \$13,366.25; James J. Conway, \$13,491; J. Williams & Co., \$13,516.50; A. Grande, \$13,927.50; M. D. Russo, \$15,426.50; George J. Regan, \$15,589.45; C. Russo, \$16,810.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon May 10 the Mayor approved a contract with M. DeSisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Alhambra road, Granfield avenue, Orange street, Roslindale avenue, Washington street, West Roxbury Parkway, Willow street, West Roxbury; Lane park, Orchard and Fenniman roads, Brighton. Bids for the work, opened May 6, were as follows:

M. DeSisto Company, \$5,555; A. Grande, \$5,700; M. D. Russo, \$6,030; J. Williams & Co., \$6,660; Vozzella & Caponi, \$6,679; John T. Shea, Jr., \$6,735; J. Guarino & Co., \$6,805.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 7 the Mayor approved a contract with the Great Eastern Products Company for furnishing metal polish to the various city departments. Bids for the supplies, opened May 5, were as follows:

One-Gallon Cans.—Grady Manufacturing Company, 52½ cents per can; Heaney Manufacturing Company, 75 cents per can, 20 cents for cans returned; Great Eastern Products Company, 50 cents per can.

Half-Gallon Cans.—Grady Manufacturing Company, 37½ cents per can; Heaney Manufacturing Company, 40 cents per can, 10 cents for cans returned; Great Eastern Products Company, 33 cents per can.

One-Quart Cans.—Grady Manufacturing Company, 21 cents per can; Heaney Manufacturing Company, 25 cents per can; Great Eastern Products Company, 22 cents per can.

One-Pint Cans.—Grady Manufacturing Company, 12½ cents per can; Heaney Manufacturing Company, 17 cents per can; Great Eastern Products Company, 16 cents per can.

Discount 10 Days.—Grady Manufacturing Company, 2 per cent.

Upon May 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company for furnishing approximately 200 tons of 24-inch

cast-iron water pipes for the Water Service, Public Works Department. Bids for the work, opened May 8, were as follows:

Two Hundred Tons Twenty-four Inch Pipe.—Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$62.10 per ton; United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$61 per ton.

Upon May 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the Standard Underground Cable Company for furnishing lead-covered cable to the Fire Department. Bids for the work, opened May 12, were as follows:

Three Thousand Feet Thirty-seven Conduit.—F. M. Ferrin, 62.6 cents per foot; Standard Underground Cable Company, 55½ cents per foot; Western Electric Company, 63.9 cents per foot; Hazard Manufacturing Company, 63.2 cents per foot; Safety Insulating Wire and Cable Company, 69 cents per foot.

Five Thousand Feet Twenty Conduit.—F. M. Ferrin, 35 cents per foot; Standard Underground Cable Company, 32.7 cents per foot; Western Electric Company, 35.7 cents per foot; Hazard Manufacturing Company, 35.2 cents per foot; Safety Insulating Wire and Cable Company, 37.9 cents per foot.

Five Thousand Feet Nineteen Conduit.—F. M. Ferrin, 33.5 cents per foot; Standard Underground Cable Company, 31 cents per foot; Western Electric Company, 33.3 cents per foot; Hazard Manufacturing Company, 33 cents per foot; Safety Insulating Wire and Cable Company, 35.7 cents per foot.

Five Thousand Feet Ten Conduit.—F. M. Ferrin, 23.12 cents per foot; Standard Underground Cable Company, 22.3 cents per foot; Western Electric Company, 24.1 cents per foot; Hazard Manufacturing Company, 23.9 cents per foot; Safety Insulating Wire and Cable Company, 25 cents per foot.

Seven Thousand Feet Six Conduit.—F. M. Ferrin, 16.85 cents per foot; Standard Underground Cable Company, 16.2 cents per foot; Western Electric Company, 17.3 cents per foot; Hazard Manufacturing Company, 16.7 cents per foot; Safety Insulating Wire and Cable Company, 18.2 cents per foot.

Discount, Ten Days.—F. M. Ferrin, 1 per cent; Standard Underground Cable Company, ½ per cent; Western Electric Company, 1 per cent; Hazard Manufacturing Company, 1 per cent; Safety Insulating Wire and Cable Company, 1 per cent.

Total.—F. M. Ferrin, \$7,616; Standard Underground Cable Company, \$7,189, f. o. freight station; Western Electric Company, \$7,783; Hazard Manufacturing Company, \$7,673; Safety Insulating Wire and Cable Company, \$8,274, f. o. b. cars, Boston.

Upon May 14 the Mayor approved a contract with William Levy Company and the lowest bidders for furnishing dry goods to the Boston City Hospital. Bids for the work, opened April 25, were as follows:

Long Island Hospital.

One Thousand Yards Gray Flannel.—D. F. Holland Linen Company, 20½ cents per yard, 27 cents per yard; William Levy, 14½ cents per yard; Taylor-Symonds Company, 15 cents per yard; J. G. Bowden & Son, Inc., 14½ cents per yard; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, 16 cents per yard; Blodgett, Ordway & Webster, 16½ cents per yard; Levin Brothers, 14½ cents per yard; Brown-Durrell Company, 19 cents per yard.

Five Hundred Yards Canton Flannel.—D. F. Holland Linen Company, 17½ cents per yard, 24½ cents per yard; William Levy, 14½ cents per yard; Taylor-Symonds Company, 18½ cents per yard; J. G. Bowden & Son, Inc., 14 cents per yard; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, 24 cents per yard; Blodgett, Ordway Webster, 13½ cents per yard; Levin Brothers, 14½ cents per yard.

Ten Gross White Bone Buttons.—Taylor-Symonds Company, 35 cents per gross; J. G. Bowden & Son, Inc., 50 cents per gross; Michaelson Brothers, 35 cents per gross; Brown-Durrell Company, 40 cents per gross.

Five Gross White Pearl Buttons.—Taylor-Symonds Company, 35 cents per gross; Michaelson Brothers, 35 cents per gross; Brown-Durrell Company, 37½ cents per gross.

Pequot Sheeting, Brown, 1 Case, 8 by 4.—D. F. Holland Linen Company, 45 cents per yard; Taylor-Symonds Company, 45 cents per yard; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, 44½ cents per yard; Blodgett, Ordway & Webster, 47½ cents per yard; Levin Brothers, 43½ cents per yard.

City Hospital.

Two Hundred Bates Spreads, Green Ticking.—D. F. Holland Linen Company, \$2.25 each; William Levy, \$2.25 each; Taylor-Symonds Company, \$2.10 each; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, \$2.25 each; Blodgett, Ordway & Webster, \$2.15 each; Levin Brothers, \$2.30 each.

Twenty-five Gross No. 10 White Tape.—Taylor-Symonds Company, \$1.25 per gross; J. G. Bowden & Son, Inc., \$1.05 per gross; Michaelson Brothers, 35 cents per dozen; 3 yard roll; Brown-Durrell Company, \$1.25 per gross.

Two Pieces Linen Damask, 7½-Inch.—D. F. Holland Linen Company, \$2 per yard; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, \$1.50 per yard; Blodgett, Ordway & Webster, 97½ cents per yard, \$1.37½ cents per yard; \$1.07½ cents per yard.

Forty Dozen No. 40-30 White Thread.—Taylor-Symonds Company, 50 cents per dozen; Michaelson Brothers, 57½ cents per dozen; Brown-Durrell Company, 50 cents per dozen.

Three Thousand Doctor's Towels.—D. F. Holland Linen Company, \$1.08 per dozen; William Levy, 9 cents each, 11½ cents each, 10½ cents each, 13 cents each; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, \$1.10 per dozen; Blodgett, Ordway & Webster, 16 cents per yard, Booth crash.

Five thousand B. C. H. Towels.—D. F. Holland Linen Company, \$1.93 per dozen cotton, \$2.48 per dozen, linen; William Levy, 16½ cents, 14 cents, 17½ cents each; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, \$2.85 per dozen; Blodgett, Ordway & Webster, 16 cents per yard.

One Case Bird's Eye Cotton.—Taylor-Symonds Company, \$1.15 ten yards; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, \$1.15 ten yards; Blodgett, Ordway & Webster, 11 cents per yard; Levin Brothers, 11½ cents per yard.

Three Hundred Yards White Flannelette.—William Levy, 14 cents per yard; Taylor-Symonds Company, 15 and 13½ cents per yard; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, 16 cents per yard; Blodgett, Ordway & Webster, 15 cents per yard; Brown-Durrell Company, 19 and 22 cents per yard.

Two Thousand Needles Nos. 6-7.—Taylor-Symonds Company, \$2.25 per M.; Michaelson Brothers, \$2.50 per M.; Brown-Durrell Company, \$2.50 per M.

Forty-eight Gross Safety Pins No. 3.—Taylor-Symonds Company, 30 cents per gross; Michaelson Brothers, 35 cents per

gross; Brown-Durrell Company, 53 cents per gross.

Total.—D. F. Holland Linen Company, \$1,956.67; William Levy, \$1,517; Taylor, Symonds Company, \$1,342.90; J. G. Bowden & Sons, Inc., \$246.25; Michaelson Brothers, \$85.55; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, \$2,900.50; Blodgett, Ordway & Webster, \$1,800; Levin Brothers, \$1,233.75; Brown-Durrell Company, \$330.

Discount Ten Days.—D. F. Holland Linen Company, 3 per cent; Taylor-Symonds Company, 3 per cent; J. G. Bowden & Sons, Inc., 2 per cent; Michaelson Brothers, no check; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, 3 per cent; Blodgett, Ordway & Webster, 3 per cent; Brown-Durrell Company, 2 per cent.

None of the bidder quoted on all items.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Upon May 10 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Todesca for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 7, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Joseph Todesca, 105 Walworth street, West Roxbury, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (\$1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon May 12 the Mayor approved a contract with James Collins for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 9, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to James Collins, 38 Linden street, Roslindale, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (\$1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Charles Hvass & Co. for furnishing nine trailers to the Sanitary Service. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 6, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Under date of April 10 you approved a contract for Charles Hvass & Co., Inc., for furnishing nine trailers to the Sanitary Service, Public Works Department, at \$1,650 each. The Commissioner of Public Works has found that it will be necessary to have these trailers equipped with brakes on all four wheels at \$150 per pair, making the total additional cost on the contract \$1,350.

The original contract amounted to \$14,850, which with the addition of \$1,350 for brakes, makes the total amount of the contract as it now stands, \$16,200.

Trusting that this meets with your approval, I am,

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon May 10 the Mayor approved a contract with Castner, Curran and Bullitt, Inc., for furnishing coal to Deer Island and Long Island institutions. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 7, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising the same, to Castner, Curran & Bullitt, Inc., for furnishing: Approximately 500 tons of semibituminous coal to be delivered alongside Deer Island at \$5.95 per gross ton; approximately 500 tons of semibituminous coal to be delivered in the bins at Long Island at \$6.50 per gross ton.

This request is made owing to the fact that we haven't any contract at present and it is necessary to obtain the coal at once. Various dealers were asked for prices and the above were the lowest bids received. In view of same, I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PARK DEPARTMENT.

P. J. Dinn Company have been ordered to do the following additional work on contract for wire fence at Arnold Arboretum, signed February 1, 1924:

Furnish and install extra rail at curve for 8-foot wire fence, four (4) gateposts for two (2) additional gates, and relocate thirty (30) feet of 8-foot fence.

Estimated cost of this work \$200.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners to issue an order of addition to the contract of Joseph Rugo, for erecting and completing addition to the Thomas Gardner School, in an amount of approximately \$10,000.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John B. Dolan has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for erecting garage, Albany street, Boston, from May 10, 1924, to June 10, 1924.

V. Barletta has been granted on extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in Well street between Board of Survey Street No. 1779 and Parkvale road, West Roxbury, from May 1, 1924, to September 6, 1924 (126 days).

WANTS NATIONAL CELEBRATION OF 150TH ANNIVERSARY OF REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

Mayor Curley on May 10 sent the following communication to the chairmen of the Board of Selectmen of the following towns, Arlington, Lexington, Concord and Brookline, and the Mayors of Medford, Somerville and Cambridge:

DEAR SIR,—The 150th anniversary of the Revolutionary War and of incidents connected therewith, centering about Patriots' Day, April 19, next year, 1925, present possibilities for a celebration of national importance and significance that may be built without undue labor or expense upon the efforts which have been devoted the past few years to stimulating general interest in a worthy observance of each annual Patriots' Day, through the initiative and persistence of the Citizens' Public Celebrations Association of Boston.

Therefore, it has seemed wise to the joint committee on Patriots' Day this year, at their final meeting a few days ago, to recommend that preparations be started now for dealing with the problem involved, and to recommend that the Mayor of Boston extend an official invitation at this time to the several mayors and selectmen of the towns and cities that have been in the habit of co-operating each Patriots' Day in arranging a joint celebration, asking them to designate representatives who may meet right away to start next year's plans.

It is expected that there will be the customary harmonious co-operation of the several towns and cities through which passes the rides of Revere and Dawes to Lexington and Concord, and that the latter two towns will have elaborate observances of the day, but the 150th anniversary seems to call for more than that, in the opinion of the Patriots' Day Committee which has just completed its work for the holiday recently observed. You have doubtless received a report from your representative on that joint committee and information from him of the future plans proposed.

To the recommendation I am pleased to give hearty approval as far as Boston is concerned and to comply with the request of the committee that I send an official letter to each mayor and chairman of selectmen, which I am now doing. May I count on you, therefore, to submit as promptly as possible the name and address of the individual who may be selected to represent your community at this time, in order that he may be notified of a meeting to be held as soon as the several town and city representatives shall be named.

The great success which has marked the yearly joint observances of Patriots' Day, and patriotic stimulus derived therefrom by the men, women, and children of our respective localities, appears to me to increase our responsibility to make every effort in 1925 to spread far and wide the gospel of liberty and freedom first preached in our own eastern Massachusetts and to proclaim to the nation and to the world those great principles upon which our republic is founded and in the conservation of which

our future must rest. With sincerest thanks for your generous and willing co-operation in the past, I have the honor to remain,

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

FIRST ASSISTANT ASSESSOR, BOSTON,
MAY 20, 1924.

The salary is \$1,600 a year. There are four vacancies.

The duties of this position are approximately as follows: The City of Boston is divided into districts for assessing purposes. Each first assistant assessor has charge of a district. Beginning April 1 it is his duty to examine all real property and all tangible personal property in his district and put a fair valuation thereon for tax purposes. This generally takes from six to eight weeks. During the period after May 15, which is the completion of the street work, the assessors are in daily sessions at a dooming board until about August 1. From about the first of October to the first of January the first assistant assessors are required to give about one day a week for hearings in regard to abatement of taxes in their district. It is desirable that applicants should have a good general knowledge of real estate matters, with experience in buying and selling, and that they should be good judges of value, both of improved and unimproved real estate. A knowledge of tax laws is also desirable, as is experience as a builder or ability to judge value of new buildings. There is no objection to the assessors having other employment in their spare time.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in the oral interview and in general average in order to become eligible.

DENTISTS, MAY 21, 1924.

This examination is for the service of the state, all cities in the state and such towns as are classified under civil service. From the eligible list established as a result of this examination names will be certified to fill vacancies in institutions, schools and other positions as they occur. The salaries range from \$1,000 to \$1,400 per year.

Applicants are required to be registered to practise dentistry under the Board of Dental Examiners, Department of Civil Service and Registration.

The examination will consist of the filing of a statement of training and experience. The mark given on experience will be combined with the mark given applicants by the State Board of Dental Examiners, and an average will be taken to determine their standing on the list.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

AUTOMOBILE STATISTICS.

Registration and licensing of motor vehicles and operators in Massachusetts is in charge of the State Department of Public Works, Registrar of Motor Vehicles. In year ending November 30, 1921, there were registered 360,732 automobiles, an increase of 56,101 over the total in 1920 and 90.58 per cent more than 5 years ago, also 12,058 motor cycles. New York ranks first among the states in number of automobiles in use November 1, 1921, viz., 651,796; (2) Ohio, 616,800; (3) Pennsylvania, 570,164; (4) California, 568,892; (5) Illinois, 568,759; (6) Iowa, 437,300; (7) Texas, 427,434; (8) Michigan, 412,717; (9) Minnesota, 364,312; (10) Indiana, 332,707; (11) Massachusetts, 304,631; (12) Missouri, 295,817; (13) Wisconsin, 293,298; (14) Kansas, 265,396; (15) New Jersey, 226,459. The West leads in ratio of automobiles to population, the farmers being the most numerous users. In Iowa, California, Nebraska and South Dakota there is one to every 6 inhabitants and most of the other western states show from one to 7 to one to 9. In Massachusetts the ratio is one to 13 and in New York State, one to 16. Reported (unofficially) owned in Boston alone, in 1921, 46,725 or 36,706 passenger cars and 10,019 trucks. Persons licensed to operate in State, 380,519 (*i. e.*, 18,940 more than in 1920), of which 247,769 were classed as operators and 132,750 as chauffeurs; licenses revoked, 1,119. Total received by State in 1921 for all fees, \$4,712,890 or \$852,659 more than in 1920. Number of deaths from accidents in State in year ending November 30, 1921, 544 (*i. e.*, 63 more than in 1920); injured, 11,486 or 9,696 less than in 1920; in Boston alone, 88 killed and 1,914 injured. Prosecutions by Boston police for violation of automobile laws in year ending November 30, 1921, 9,408 (1,000 less than in 1920), of which 4,513 were of non-residents and 995 of minors.

Deaths from automobile accidents in cities in year 1920: New York, 773; Chicago, 472; Philadelphia, 226; Detroit, 175; Cleveland, 155; Los Angeles, 142; St. Louis, 104; Boston, 89. Highest death rate per 100,000 population in California, 21.1; (2) Connecticut, 15.6; (3) New York, 13.5 and Washington the same; (4) Rhode Island, 12.8; (5) New Jersey, 12.7; (6) Colorado, 12.4; (7) Ohio, 12.3; (8) Pennsylvania, 11.9; (9) Massachusetts, 11.7.

The automobile industry, begun about 23 years ago, now ranks fourth (if not third) in this country. In 1921, the production was approximately 1,668,500 vehicles or 1,514,000 passenger cars and 154,500 trucks, all valued (wholesale) at \$1,260,000,000. Total automobiles in operation in United States in 1921, 9,187,572; in 1918, 4,941,276; in 1915, 1,754,570; in 1910, about 400,000; in 1905, about 85,000. Total fees paid by owners in U. S. in 1921 \$102,000,000 (approx.), about 90 per cent of same being used for highway improvement.

Total exports of automobiles and parts of, from United States in year ending Dec. 31, 1920, \$298,219,875 in value (*i. e.*, 96.6 per cent more than in 1919).

In year 1921 the total exports fell to \$81,922,357 in value, or 7,478 commercial (\$10,329,903) and 30,950 passenger (\$32,533,725); automobile parts, exclusive of engines and tires, \$39,058,729; tires, \$15,954,515; gasoline engines, \$1,821,120. Imports of automobiles and parts in year 1921, \$2,044,568.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN BOSTON.

Number of permanent school buildings in use in 1922 for school purposes, 265; or 217 brick and 48 wooden; portable houses, 216; besides these, 14 rented quarters; in 1922 day schools contained 3,315 class-rooms and 137,673 sittings, also 96 assembly halls and 15 drill halls and gymnasias; 3,601 teachers in all schools, or 3,031 women and 570 men; evening schools, 28, with 397 regular teachers. Playground teachers, 175, having charge of games, gymnastics, etc., in 56 park and 34 schoolyard playgrounds; school physicians, 48; school nurses, 52; attendance officers, 29. Number of pupils registered in regular day schools year ending June 30, 1922, 131,789, of which 5,849 were registered again in the Summer Review Schools; in evening schools, 15,309; Continuation School, 6,753; Day School for Immigrants, 1,522; total registration, 155,373 or 5,218 increase over 1921. Average number belonging in day schools, 118,970 or 5,560 more than in 1921; average number in evening schools, 8,271; in Continuation School, 3,422.

On September 30, 1922, the school membership was as follows: Normal School and 16 high and Latin schools, 22,393 or 1,871 more than same date in 1921; in 241 elementary and intermediate schools, by districts:—East Boston, 11,026; Charlestown, 3,736; North End, 5,743; West End, 6,094; City Proper, 4,370; South End, 3,993; South Boston, 9,174; Roxbury, 15,505; Brighton, 4,655; West Roxbury, 7,794; Dorchester, 24,162; Hyde Park, 2,508; in special schools, 1,403. Total in elementary grades I to VIII, 88,846; Kindergartens, 7,948; intermediate, 1,996; Continuation School, 3,600; total for all day schools, 126,186 or 2,675 more than in 1921. Number of graduates in 1922, 8,425; elementary school pupils promoted, 87,088; not promoted, 10,959. Average number of day-school pupils per teacher in elementary grades, 41.8; in high schools, 30.1; in kindergartens, 27.1.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$11,773,471 or \$610,550 more than in 1921 and \$1,880,543 ahead of 1920; expenditure for construction of new schools, etc., \$1,778,844 all from Tax Levy, or \$918,019 (106.64 per cent) more than in 1920, also \$551,060 from loan for new Public Latin School. Gross debt outstanding for Schoolhouses and Sites, Feb. 1, 1923, \$15,912,500 or \$539,500 more than in 1922. Annual maintenance cost per attending pupil in Latin and high schools (day), \$124.66; in elementary schools (day), \$78.21.

The registration of minors, 5 to 15 years (inclu.), also illiterates over 15, April 1, 1923, as directed by Chap. 102, General Acts of 1916, showed a total of 144,619 (*i. e.*, 1,851 more than in 1922) or 24,273 of 5 and 6 years of age; 91,532 of 7 to 13 (inclu.); 26,568 of 14 and 15, and 2,246 illiterates 16 years of age and over. Total minors under 16 belonging to public day schools, 112,262; to parochial schools, 27,089; other private schools, 2,724; defectives (not in any school), 30. The illiterates attend the elementary evening schools.

The School Centers for educational and social improvement of other than school pupils started in 1912. There are now 9 having evening and 5 afternoon sessions in the larger school halls, with 159 paid leaders and assistants and 30

to 40 study and entertainment clubs or groups in each; total attendance during the 10 months' sessions in 1921-22, 475,048, mostly evenings. Cost of this "extended use of public schools" in 1921-22, \$52,537. For "Non-School Center" activities 70 of the school halls are used by various social groups, moderate rental fees being charged.

Per capita (of Boston population) cost in 1922 of schools approximately \$16.38 (including special appropriations from taxes, etc., for new schoolhouses), which is \$3.08 higher than in 1920 and nearly double that of 1916.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

POLICE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS.

Number of police force, December 1, 1922, was 1,901 (55 more than 1921), viz., the Superintendent, 3 deputy superintendents, 26 captains, 37 inspectors, 41 lieutenants, 135 sergeants, 1,652 patrolmen and 6 patrolwomen, distributed in 19 divisions, and a traffic squad, the latter numbering 156. The policewomen are a new addition to the force in 1921. Signal service men, 17, and clerks, janitors, etc., 114. Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$4,072,533 or \$62,730 more than in 1921. Total number of arrests in year ending November 30, 1922, 77,653 or 5,492 more than in 1921, but 1,901 less than the average for past five years; those arrested on warrants numbered 10,786; without warrants, 49,372; summoned by the court, 17,495; held for trial, 73,838 and 3,815 discharged; foreign-born persons arrested, 29,078; boys, under 15 years of age, 1,411 or 287 less than in 1921; women and girls of all ages, 5,081 or 61 more than in 1921; non-residents, 26.4 per cent of all arrested; drunkenness the cause of 48.47 per cent of all arrests, the total for this offence being 37,643 or 6,656 more than in 1921, but 5,690 less than the average for past five years. The prosecutions for homicide numbered 164 or 26 more than in 1921. Sick and injured persons assisted, 7,946; insane persons taken in charge, 434; lost children restored to homes, 1,839; persons imprisoned, 3,021 or 71 more than in 1921; persons fined, 18,673, the fines amounting to \$236,215; stolen property recovered, \$1,616,820; licenses granted, 21,823 (including 8,620 for dogs and 8,430 for vehicles and drivers), for which \$57,964 was received. Of 3,128 applications for license to carry loaded revolvers, 2,916 were granted, and 184 rejected. Accidents from all causes in the streets, parks and squares caused death of 125 persons and injury to 3,767 or 5 less killed and 232 more injured than in 1921. By automobile accidents alone 90 persons were killed and 2,157 injured.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$8,000; Superintendent, \$7,000; Deputy Superintendents, \$4,000; Chief Inspector, \$3,800; captains, \$3,500; inspectors and lieutenants, \$2,500; sergeants, \$2,300; patrolmen, \$1,400 the 1st year, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

In the year ending November 30, 1922, the Police Department made 3,371 prosecutions in the State court and 93 in the United States court for violation of the liquor law (not including drunkenness), a total of 3,464 cases or 1,265 more than in 1921. For violation of the drug laws there were 376 prosecutions.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 8 TO MAY 14.

MAY 8.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Winfred J. White	786-802 Huntington avenue.	14	First-class garage	\$50,000
George C. Freeman	Rear of 27 Summer street	11	First-class garage	750
Albert Whitehead	Rear of 41 Danforth street.	15	First-class garage	2,300
Abu Sack	Rear of 48 Waumbuck st.	16	First-class garage	1,200
Margaret A. Buckley	Rear of 12 Chester street.	25	First-class garage	1,000
Green Brothers	2224 Washington street.	12	Second-class stores	15,000
Philip Blatt	Rear of 66 Floyd street.	21	Second-class garage	1,000
Philip Blatt	Rear of 70 Floyd street.	21	Second-class garage	1,000
Griffith, Keiver Company	118-121 Western avenue.	26	Second-class storage	800
George L. Parker	Rear of 807 Washington st.	21	Second-class garage	1,500
Grace A. Ellis	Rear of 331 Ashmont street.	20	Second-class garage	1,000
Thomas Babey et al.	Rear of 58 Readville street.	24	Third-class garage	300
Mrs. Mary Hession	Rear of 36 Ballou avenue.	21	Third-class garage	489
Martin F. Dunlap et al.	Rear of 5 Howes street.	11	Third-class garage	400
Joseph Snider	Rear of 81 Greenwood street.	19	Third-class garage	400
Catherine Lins	Rear of 64 Stockton street.	21	Third-class garage	700
M. J. Kelly	30 Iona street.	23	Third-class dwelling	13,600
Berson & Berrish	624 Norfolk street.	21	Third-class dwelling	15,000
Israel Shagren	1441 Centre street.	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
William H. Hardy	63 Greenbrier street.	19	Third-class dwelling	11,000
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S. W. Markel	3112 and 3114 Washington street	15	Alterations, stores and dwelling	5,000
Mary M. O'Brien	Rear of 36 Washington st.	25	Alterations, garage	400
National Laundry Company	1208 Dorchester avenue.	17	Alterations, boiler house	135
Giovanni Imperdugli	129 Chelsea street	2	Alterations, dwelling	200
William F. Lowe	60 Allen street.	5	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
John H. Storer	222 Beacon street.	8	Alterations, lodging house.	12,500
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W. H. Ballard, agent.	211 Congress street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	2,400
Alpha Lunch Company.	62 Summer street.	5	Install elevator	3,800
Board of Trade Building Trust.	131 State street.	5	Install six elevators.	38,000

MAY 9.

Annie Bloude	Rear of 203 Brunswick street.	18	First-class garage	\$1,000
John J. Connolly et al.	Rear of 53 Paul Gore street.	15	First-class garage	1,000
Mary C. Downing	Rear of 574 Weld street.	23	First-class garage	1,000
Lina Gulat	Rear of 308 Belgrade avenue.	23	First-class garage	800
Mary A. Monahan	Rear of 24 Colonial avenue.	21	First-class garage	1,000
T. G. Buckley	55 Humphreys street.	11	First-class storage	80,000
Cora L. Hallenbrook	Rear of 28 Haskell street.	25	First-class garage	650
John G. Frech	Rear of 53-59 Dearborn st.	12	First-class garage	2,500
Gertrude Levowich	Rear of 69 McLellan street.	19	First-class garage	1,000
James Caragan	20 Humphreys street.	11	First-class garage	1,000
Louis Canali	Rear of 24 Harrow street.	11	First-class garage	1,000
Robert G. Thompson	9 Saco street.	20	First-class garage	1,200
Jeremiah DeOfone	Rear of 59 Rosemont street.	20	First-class garage	800
Jenny Sater	Rear of 186 Magnolia street.	17	First-class garage	1,200
Rubin Steinberg	87 Deering road.	21	Second-class garage	1,000
Sarah Libman	13 Greenheys street.	18	Second-class garage	1,000
M. F. McGrath	Rear of 604 Norfolk street.	21	Second-class garage	1,500
James J. Sullivan	281-287 Norfolk street	21	Second-class stores	4,000
May Donovan	61 Dudley street.	13	Second-class garage	1,300
Frank O. Trainor	Rear of 19 Nixon street.	20	Second-class garage	1,300
Malcolm A. McKenna	Rear of 57 Dix street.	20	Second-class store	1,300
W. A. Higgins	Rear of 21 Eldridge street.	23	Third-class garage	344
Grace H. Nichols	Rear of 15 Fletcher street.	23	Third-class garage	500
Mrs. A. Langevin	Rear of 68 Readville street.	24	Third-class storage	400
Andrew Pearson	Rear of 76 Bigelow street.	26	Third-class garage	800
Margaret C. Sullivan	7 Navillus terrace.	17	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Daniel MacLeod	95 Landseer street.	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Margaret C. Sullivan	5 Navillus terrace.	17	Third-class dwelling	12,000
John Crehan	21 Fairview street.	20	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Thomas R. Butler	21 Dane street.	22	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Agnes Hart	1080 Adams street.	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Harris H. Etter	1 Jones avenue.	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
E. F. Delaney et al.	184 Washington street.	25	Third-class dwelling	12,000
E. F. Delaney et al.	176 Washington street.	25	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Jack T. Scott	66 Wood avenue.	24	Third-class dwelling	1,000
Frank J. Obert	79 Rockdale street.	24	Third-class dwelling	11,600
Edward T. Powers et al.	10 Saco street.	20	Third-class garage	250
Boston Elevated Railroad Company.	3600 Washington street.	22	Alterations, passenger shelter	1,000
Hamilton Associates	88 Essex street.	5	Alterations, store and shops.	5,000
Armour Leather Company	186-190 South street.	5	Alterations, warehouse and office.	7,500
Guaranty Security Corporation.	8-10 Pitts street.	5	Alterations, stable.	8,500
Mrs. Bessie McCormack	32 Eastburn street.	25	Alterations, dwelling	125
Sons of Abraham	3 Sweet Fern terrace.	17	Alterations, dwelling and synagogue.	600
Charles P. Carter	244 Beacon street.	8	Alterations, dwelling	2,500
Antonio Alham	95 Tonaanda street.	19	Alterations, dwelling	500
Alpha Lunch	62 Summer street.	5	Alterations, store	2,500
J. Neustadt	61 Williams street.	13	Alterations, dwelling	500
H. W. Robart	62 Western avenue.	26	Alterations, cleansing	500
L. J. McGuire	8 St. Margaret street.	11	Alterations, dwelling	320
Joseph Kovacic	422 Meridian street.	1	Alterations, dwelling	350
Mrs. Grace Grace	55 Monastery road.	25	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Joseph D. Zengelaski	92 Claybourne street.	19	Alterations, dwelling	300
Morris Rudnick	1175 Boylston street.	8	Alterations, apartment house.	400
James Scerzie	191 Brooks street.	2	Alterations, dwelling	600
Harriet G. Strauss	66 Robinwood avenue.	22	Alterations, dwelling	2,500
Olympia Realty Company	315 Washington street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	500
E. D. Codman	420 Boylston street.	7	Alterations, offices.	12,200
Yarchin & Gluck	66 Fenway.	7	Install elevator.	5,500
National Shawmut Bank	31 St. James avenue.	7	Install elevator.	5,000
L. V. Niles	255 Atlantic avenue.	5	Repair, elevator.	590
S. Lebowich	371 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Repair, elevator.	145
Ralph Snider	10 and 12 Ivy street.	8	Install, elevator.	5,000
Commonwealth Atlantic Bank.	94-102 Milk street.	5	Install, two elevators.	12,000

MAY 10.

Lawrence Rugo	Rear of 56 Linden street.	18	First-class garage	\$1,500
S. Davidson et al.	Rear of 19 Gaston street.	16	First-class garage	1,000
Cornelius Ryan	Rear of 37 Marine road.	10	Special store	250
Samuel Spector	232-244 Faneuil street.	26	Second-class store	17,000

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Joseph Calabro, 14 Henley street, Ward 17, one car.

Morris Chasen, 4A Baird street, Ward 21, one car additional.

Caroline J. Converse, 57 Fulton street, Ward 20, one car.

Loretta J. Curran, 51 Green street, Ward 23, one car.

Mrs. M. D. E. Fennessy, 32 Garfield avenue, Ward 24, one car.

Mary A. Kearns, trustee, 21 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Ward 12, one car additional.

Nettie Keltie, 75 Highland street, Ward 24, one car additional.

Everett F. Mann, 292 Fairmount avenue, Ward 24, one car additional.

Thomas F. McCaffrey et al., 1873 Hyde Park avenue, Ward 24, one car.

Herbert A. Wilson, Police Commissioner, 84 Joy street, Ward 8, one car.

Annie Averbuch, 71 Willowood street, Ward 21, two cars.

Mrs. Ellen G. Baker, 33 Selden street, Ward 11, two cars.

Dora Breeding, 95 Ardale street, Ward 23, two cars.

Adolf Buller, 64 Catherine street, Ward 24, two cars.

Anna M. Cannata, 7 Byron court, Ward 15, two cars.

Walter J. Croft et al., 11-15 Kingsboro park, Ward 22, two cars.

Mary M. Decelle, 15 Rexham street, Ward 23, two cars.

Edward A. Driver, 548 West Park street, Ward 19, two cars.

John J. Galinas, 78 Marine road, Ward 10, two cars.

Angus Gillis, 41 Schiller road, Ward 23, two cars.

Ceilia Grob, 150 Stanwood street, Ward 18, two cars.

Lars P. Hanson, 10 Iowa street, Ward 18, two cars.

Isaac Hart et al., 37 Warner street, Ward 19, two cars.

Annie A. Hurney, 9 Redwood street, Ward 20, two cars.

Albert C. Jacobs, 4089 Washington street, Ward 23, two cars.

James Keening, 40 and 42 Orchard road, Ward 25, two garages, two cars each.

Katie Kundy, 79 and 81 Glenwood avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

Daniel MacLeod, 44 Manthorne road, Ward 23, two cars.

Eva Magat et al., 14 Merrill street, Ward 19, two cars.

Catharine E. Martin, 37 Wheatland avenue, Ward 19, two garages, two cars each.

Cornelius McCarthy, 38 Sargent street, Ward 17, two cars.

John M. Miller, 21 Seymour street, Ward 23, two cars.

Virginia Moatedo, administratrix, 23 and 25 Breed street, Ward 1, two cars.

Peter J. Murphy, 48 Wood avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

T. Frank Nicholson, Burton street, Ward 26, two cars.

Michael J. Nolan et al., 650 and 652 East Third street, Ward 9, two cars.

Jeremiah O'Brien, 12 Crescent circuit, Ward 25, two cars.

Emma T. Powers, 75 Tower street, Ward 22, two cars.

P. S. Raab, 12 Clive street, Ward 23, two cars.

Maud E. Riedel et al., 1 and 3 Centerville park, Ward 20, two cars.

John Schonberg et al., 5 and 6 Nason place, Ward 14, group garage, two units.

Catherine Shea, 107 Rosseter street, Ward 19, two cars.

Joseph Silk, 168 Humboldt avenue, Ward 16, two cars.

Nora T. Sullivan, 20 Levant street, Ward 18, two cars.

Johanna M. Walsh, 8 Iowa street, Ward 18, two cars.

John G. Whidden, 73 Stockton street, Ward 21, two cars.

Sahag Ashjian, 101 Bernard street, Ward 21, group garage, three units, three cars.

Genevffa Catanese, 204 East Eagle street, Ward 1, three cars.

Louis D'Allesandro *et al.*, 22 Dacia street, Ward 17, group garage, three units, three cars.

Joseph Goldman, 137 Callender street, Ward 21, three cars.

Agota Karpowich, 40 King street, Ward 20, group garage, three units, three cars.

Bridget D. McLaughlin, 128 Minden street, Ward 14, group garage, three units.

Theresa M. Ciccone *et al.*, 550 East Third street, Ward 9, four cars.

John W. Broderick, 315 North Harvard street, Ward 26, five cars.

David Pearlstein, 56 Gardner street, Ward 25, five cars.

Francis L. Colpoys, 271 East Eighth street, Ward 11, group garage, eight units.

Seavey Realty Trust, 7-15 Scottfield road, Ward 25, public garage and 3,000 gallons gasoline.

Daniel P. O'Neill, 1422 Centre street, Ward 23, 2,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Robert P. Williams, 60 Hill Top street, Ward 20, 280 gallons gasoline.

Mack Motor Company, 75 North Beacon street, Ward 26, 2,500 gallons fuel oil.

Ernest W. Perkins, 490 La Grange street, Ward 23, one car.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Snow street, Ward 25, time extension.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, East Third street, Ward 9, erect four poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Cass street, Ward 23, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Metropolitan avenue, Ward 23, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, G street, Ward 10, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Beech Glen street, Ward 15, erect six poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Saybrook street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Webster street, Ward 2, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Water street, Ward 20, erect four poles.

James Palladino, 1401 Centre street, Ward 23, public garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.

LOCATION OF STREET.

The Mayor has approved the following order of the Board of Street Commissioners:

Voted, That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, at West Roxbury, designated as Stedman street, leading southwesterly from Brook road for a distance of about 230 feet, as shown on a plan approved in writing by this Board, and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 8 TO MAY 14.

MAY 10.—*Concluded.*

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Walter H. Milton <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 73 Minot street	20	Second-class garage	\$700
Frank Pool	17 Becket street	20	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Frank Pool	8 Becket street	20	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Christopher Rau	361-365 Belgrade avenue	23	Alterations, garage	11,000
J. J. Vogel	117 Pinckney street	8	Alterations, dwelling	600
Long Wharf Corporation	55 and 56 Long Wharf	5	Alterations, mercantile	20,000
Swift-McNutt Company	196 Lake street	25	Take-down, dwelling	400
Swift-McNutt Company	128 Quiney street	17	Take-down, hospital	5,000
Swift-McNutt Company	428 Quiney street	17	Take-down, dwelling	500
Swift-McNutt Company	428 Quiney street	17	Take-down, barn	400
Swift-McNutt Company	155 Ruggles street	15	Take-down, dwelling	200
American Building Wrecking Company	551 Main street	3	Take-down store	25
American Building Wrecking Company	Rear of 551 Main street	3	Take-down, stable	75
Mary E. Maguire	43 and 45 Chadwick street	12	Take-down, shed	75
Nora F. Barnes	432 Columbia road	17	Take-down, garage	50

MAY 12.

Z. B. Cameron	Rear of 211 Wachusett st.	24	First-class garage	\$1,700
James R. O'Connor	Rear of 28 Summer street	11	Second-class garage	1,650
Joseph H. Ware, trustee	Rear of 42 Mather street	20	Special garage	300
Lillian W. Hunt	Rear of 67 Minot street	20	Third-class garage	400
Mary M. Regan	Rear of 17 Babson street	21	Third-class garage	600
Gertrude E. Campagna	48 Gordon avenue	24	Third-class garage	500
John Donovan	Rear of 131 West street	24	Third-class garage	400
Harry F. Colwell	15 Greenough avenue	22	Third-class garage	217
Ada H. Howard	Rear of 11 Hallett street	20	Third-class garage	200
Dora M. Hannon	8 Burr street	22	Third-class dwelling	10,000
John E. Kickham	111 Birch street	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Estate M. O. Adams	4 and 6 Alden court	5	Alterations, mercantile	2,100
Annie B. Welch	11 Parker Hill avenue	14	Alterations, wagon shed	100
S. J. McCarthy	916 Beacon street	8	Alterations, apartments	5,600
Fred Dunne	20 Ricker terrace	26	Alterations, dwelling	900
L. A. Seigel	400 Norfolk street	21	Alterations, dwelling	400
Hannah Driscoll	31 Winsip street	25	Alterations, dwelling	225
A. Galpin	22 Hopedale street	26	Alterations, dwelling	135
John S. Cronin	34 Yarmouth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	800
The Foundation Company	301 Berkeley street	8	Install dumb waiter	162
Ada M. Emerson	99 Pinckney street	8	Install dumb waiter	225
George M. Flint	9 Joy street	8	Install dumb waiter	160
Andrew, Rantoul & Jones	50 Congress street	5	Install dumb waiter	2,000
J. C. Pushee Company	3 Randolph street	6	Repair elevator	150
Nathan Simons	49 and 51 Rutland square	7	Erect fire escapes	180
T. B. McKeagney	66 Dover street	6	Erect sign	100

MAY 13.

John F. Ivanson	63 Woodlawn street	22	First-class garage	\$1,000
Hebrew Teachers' College	12 Crawford street	16	Second-class school	44,000
B. Coughlin	Rear of 29 Sparhawk street	26	Special garage	275
Josephine F. King	Rear of 77 Bigelow street	26	Third-class parly house	250
Emanuel Episcopal Church	21 Stratford street	23	Third-class parly house	33,000
Robert Fowler	4 Midvale road	23	Third-class dwelling	9,000
Frank Orlando	7 Seaview avenue	1	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Mason & Hamlin Company	146 Boylston street	8	Alterations, stores	52,000
City Fuel Company	202 Border street	1	Alterations, storage building	5,000
Mrs. Corrine Button	41 and 43 Port Norfolk st.	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Boston University	675 Boylston street	8	Alterations, dwelling	4,000
Dominic Chiocolla	217 Webster street	2	Alterations, tenements	400
Mildred G. Reardon	1161 Hyde Park avenue	24	Alterations, dwelling	200
Abraham Isenberg	54 Gainsborough street	7	Alterations, dwelling	6,000
Abraham Isenberg	56 Gainsborough street	7	Alterations, dwelling	10,000
Abraham Isenberg	52 Gainsborough street	7	Alterations, dwelling	6,000
Abraham Isenberg	50 Gainsborough street	7	Alterations, dwelling	6,000
William Wheaton	130 Poplar street	23	Alterations, dwelling	1,250
Harold W. Wood	26 Playstead road	17	Alterations, dwelling	300
Jasper Stone	118 West Fourth street	9	Take-down, store and dwelling	100
New York Building Wrecking Company	Rear of 372 Chestnut Hill avenue	25	Take-down, stable	50
New York Building Wrecking Company	372 Chestnut Hill avenue	25	Take-down, dwelling	400

MAY 14.

Morris Bronstein	Rear of 480 Jamaica way	22	First-class garage	\$2,000
Fred Robinson	Rear of 39 Turner street	26	First-class garage	1,000
Dahag Ashjian	Rear of 101 Bernard street	21	First-class garage	1,700
Bessie Kakas	Rear of 65 Sawyer avenue	17	First-class garage	1,000
Harry K. Goldstein	6 Florence avenue	25	Second-class tenement	35,000
Boston Dwelling House Company	11 Westbourne road	22	Third-class dwelling	7,300
C. B. Havey	136 Church street	23	Third-class dwelling	8,000
T. H. Randlov	23 Braden street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,000
Mary McPherson	17 Woodside avenue	22	Third-class dwelling	12,000
J. T. Fuhrman	39 Fairview avenue	20	Third-class dwelling	11,000
Thomas J. Begley	17 Cuffin street	24	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Howard H. Curtis	63 Beech street	23	Third-class dwelling	12,000
John H. Whidden	Rear of 73 Stockton street	2	Third-class garage	800
M. J. Thoenmel	Rear of 26 Saranac street	20	Third-class garage	5,000
K. Kundy	Rear of 79 and 81 Glenwood avenue	24	Third-class garage	600
S. dePasquale	Rear of 584 South street	23	Third-class garage	600
J. Delaney	Rear of 55 1/2 Bakersfield st.	11	Third-class garage	150
E. R. Rush	Rear of 45 Cedar street	21	Third-class garage	330
C. J. Cannell	70 Bennett street	26	Alterations, garage	200
Angel Miceli	19 Shirley street	12	Alterations, dwelling	450
Morris Hatoff	53 and 55 Hyde Park avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	400
L. E. Cowan	568 Newbury street	8	Alterations, dwelling	950
M. Hershman	67 Esmond street	19	Alterations, dwelling	400
M. J. Marks	304 and 306 Medford street	3	Alterations, shop	500
A. Miceli	21 Shirley street	12	Alterations, dwelling	450
Mrs. Ida Borr	198 Marion street	2	Alterations, store	2,000
Massachusetts Trust Association	106-120 Franklin street	5	Repair elevator	2,500
Eastern Salt Company	41 Terminal street	4	Install elevator	1,450
Masonic Lodge	41-45 Fairmount avenue	24	Install elevator	200
Old Colony Trust	17-29 Court street	5	Install builder's hoist	400
D. J. Salami	345 Shawmut avenue	6	Erect fire escape	185

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

JANITORS, MAY 23, 1924.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. There are several vacancies at the present time.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; practical questions on the duties of the position, 5; total, 10. Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

ELECTRICAL DRAUGHTSMAN FOR BOSTON SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT, MAY 26, 1924.

The salary is \$1,500 a year.

Applicants should have a general knowledge of building construction on first, second and third class buildings, be able to draw and lay out electrical plans and to read building plans, have a working knowledge of electricity, both on low tension (bells, clocks, telephones and fire alarm) and on light and power circuits, a knowledge of the rules governing electrical installations as issued by the Boston Board of Fire Underwriters and the Fire Department, Wire Division, of the City of Boston, and sufficient information, both electrical and educational, to write out specifications for electrical work of various kinds in an intelligent manner.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

COAL INSPECTOR, SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, BOSTON, MAY 26, 1924.

The salary is \$1,800 a year.

Applicants should have a general knowledge of the laws relating to the sale of coal in Massachusetts and the general laws relative to coal, and should have a knowledge of the qualities of various grades of coal, the testing, mining, and shipping of coal, etc.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; arithmetic, 2; report, 1; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; total, 10.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

INSPECTOR OF DAIRY PRODUCTS, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, DIVISION OF DAIRYING, MAY 27, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$5 per day. The duties of this position are to inspect and investigate the methods and conditions of production, manufacture, handling, sam-

pling, branding, transportation and sale of dairy products and imitation dairy products for the purpose of enforcing the laws relating thereto. It is desirable that applicants have a knowledge of the oleomargarine and dairy laws, and have had dairy farm and creamery experience.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

VISITOR TO OLDER BOYS (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE, MAY 27, 1924.

The salary is \$1,440 per year. Applicants must be not less than twenty-five nor over forty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The duties of this position are to have charge of the work of placing and supervising boys over twelve in the district to which the visitor may be assigned, to find suitable homes and investigate applications of people who desire to board the boys, to visit the boys at least four times a year as guardian, and to attend court hearings on complaints against boys and girls being neglected children and against boys for delinquency. It is desirable that applicants have had previous training and experience in some form of social work and have a knowledge of the laws relating to neglected, delinquent and dependent children.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

SOCIAL INSURANCE WORKER, DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE, DIVISION OF SAVINGS BANK LIFE INSURANCE, MAY 27, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$2,100 per year. Applicants must be not less than 30 nor more than 50 years of age at the time of filing applications. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The duties of this position are as follows: To interview employers and employees regarding organization of mutual benefit associations for voluntary insurance against sickness and for group life insurance under policies issued by the savings banks. Applicants should be familiar with the principles of life insurance, have had practical experience in selling life insurance, be familiar with the Sav-

ings Bank Life Insurance Law, and be familiar with rates, dividends, and the surrender values of the several kinds of policies offered by the insuring banks. Applicants should have a high school education or its equivalent.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

ELECTRICIAN, PUBLIC LIBRARY, JUNE 3, 1924.

The salary is \$40 per week. The duties of the position are to take charge of the book railway which is operated electrically and look after all the motors and lights used in the building. Applicants should have a license as electrician under the State Board of Electricians and be able to make repairs and replace broken parts of the book railway when necessary.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

TOTAL REVENUE RECEIPTS PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES (BY RANK).

Los Angeles, \$73.52; Boston, \$65.93 (as corrected according to approx. population); Pittsburgh, \$54.28; New York, \$53.49; San Francisco, \$51.99; Philadelphia, \$45.27; Chicago, \$40.89. (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1920, Preliminary Reports.)

AREA OF BOSTON.

Area to ward lines (26 wards), 30,598 acres (i. e., 47.81 square miles), 2,944 acres being filled land, 1,143 acres water area and 1,484 acres flats. Land area only 27,971 acres (i. e., 43.70 square miles). Included in the latter are 154 acres of filled flats added to the land area of South Boston in 1919 and 1920 and 133 acres to that of East Boston. Original Boston contained about 780 acres of land. Of the twelve leading American cities, eight are larger in land area than Boston, viz., Los Angeles (365.7 sq. miles), New York (318), Chicago (199.4), Philadelphia (129), Baltimore (91.9), Detroit (80), Cleveland (56.6) and St. Louis (61.25). The only city in Massachusetts with larger land area is Taunton (50 sq. mi.).

If Boston should expand by annexations as New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Los Angeles and others have expanded, its total area, in case of including the 39 cities and towns within the 15-mile radius, would exceed the largest, viz., Los Angeles, the present land area of "Greater Boston" being 409.5 square miles.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 530.

The resignation of Patrolman John D. Corbett of Division 16 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Friday, May 9, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 531.

The following promotions and assignments are hereby ordered, to take effect Tuesday, May 13, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.:

TO THE GRADE OF CAPTAIN.

Lieut. James P. Smith, Division 14, assigned to Division 17.

Lieut. John F. Ahearn, Office of Inspector of Claims, assigned to Office of Inspector of Claims.

Lieut. Louis E. Lutz, Superintendent's Office, assigned to Superintendent's Office.

Lieut. John W. Pyne, Superintendent's Office, assigned to Superintendent's Office.

Lieut. Inspector Gustaf Gustafson, Bureau of Criminal Investigation, assigned to Bureau of Criminal Investigation.

TO THE GRADE OF LIEUTENANT.

Serg. Michael Healy, Division 13, assigned to Division 12.

Serg. Archibald F. Campbell, Division 2, assigned to Division 9.

TO THE GRADE OF DETECTIVE-SERGEANT

Patrolman Elkanah W. D. LeBlanc, Bureau of Criminal Investigation, assigned to Bureau of Criminal Investigation.

Patrolman William R. Connolly, Bureau of Criminal Investigation, assigned to Bureau of Criminal Investigation.

Patrolman John E. Geary, Bureau of Criminal Investigation, assigned to Bureau of Criminal Investigation.

Patrolman Michael A. Kelley, Bureau of Criminal Investigation, assigned to Bureau of Criminal Investigation.

TO THE GRADE OF SERGEANT.

Patrolman Walter D. Thompson, Division 12, assigned to Division 17.

Patrolman Frank E. Gilman, Division 10, assigned to Division 2.

Patrolman Cornelius Brennan, Division 1, assigned to Division 13.

Patrolman John T. Clifford, Division 2, assigned to Division 17.

Patrolman Dennis F. Desmond, Division 5, assigned to Division 12.

Patrolman Timothy F. Kellard, Division 8, assigned to Division 8.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 532.

The following transfers are hereby ordered, to take effect, Tuesday, May 13, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.:

Lieut. Wesley W. Chandler, from Division 9 to Division 14.

Serg. Denis J. Casey, from Division 12 to City Prison.

Serg. Norman S. Ramsay, from Division 17 to Division 20.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending May 10:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Central Building Wrecking Com-pany.	195 and 197 Athens street (2)	9	Tenements.....	New building.
Central Building Wrecking Com-pany.	237-241 C street (4).....	9	Tenements.....	New buildings.
Atlantic Building Wrecking Com-pany.	228-240 West Broadway...	9	Stores, dwelling	New building.
Aetna Building Wrecking Com-pany.	49 Forest street.....	12	Dwelling.....	Unsafe.
Lillian J. Carpenter.....	1 Moss Hill road.....	22	Garage.....	New building.
Sarah E. Gaffney.....	Rear of 336 Princeton street,	2	Shed.....	Unsafe.
Swift-McNutt Company.....	196 Lake street.....	25	Dwelling.....	New building.
American Building Wrecking Company.	Rear of 551 Main street....	3	Store and stable...	New building.
Swift-McNutt Company.....	428 Quincy street.....	17	Hospital.	
Swift-McNutt Company.....	Rear of 428 Quincy street, No. 1.	17	Dwelling.	
Swift-McNutt Company.....	Rear of 428 Quincy street, No. 2.	17	Stable.	
Swift-McNutt Company.....	155 Ruggles street.....	13	Dwelling.....	Unsafe.
Nora F. Barnes.....	Rear of 432 Columbia road,	17	Stable.....	New building.
Mary E. McGuire.....	43 and 45 Chadwick street..	12	Shed.....	Unsafe.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 8 TO MAY 14.

MAY 8.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Austin Arey.....	539 East First street.....	9	New fixtures.....	\$200
D. J. Rull.....	567 East Broadway.....	10	New fixtures.....	100
Louis Monto.....	632 East Third street.....	9	New fixtures.....	325
Pagington Brothers.....	1114 River street.....	24	New fixtures.....	75
C. G. Stellberger.....	316 Longwood avenue.....	14	New fixtures.....	700
M. Riceman.....	39 Mozart street.....	15	New fixtures.....	225
M. Riceman.....	41 Mozart street.....	15	New fixtures.....	225
M. Riceman.....	43 Mozart street.....	15	New fixtures.....	225
S. Gould.....	13 Greendale road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,050
Edward E. Berry.....	52 Dana avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	250
W. J. Callaghan.....	44 Cedar street.....	15	New fixtures.....	100
William H. Welch.....	191-215 Tremont street....	8	New fixtures.....	50
Edward J. McGrath.....	79 Savin Hill avenue.....	17	New fixtures.....	200
Louis H. Jacobs.....	20 Porter street.....	22	New fixtures.....	550
George A. Renshaw.....	742 Dudley street.....	11	New fixtures.....	150
William J. Doldt.....	144 Smith street.....	14	New fixtures.....	200
D. J. Farrell Company.....	36 Cushing avenue.....	17	New fixtures.....	600

MAY 9.

P. J. Sullivan.....	27 Wellington Hill street.	21	New fixtures.....	\$1,500
P. J. Sullivan.....	29 Wellington Hill street.	21	New fixtures.....	1,500
John E. Stanley.....	16 Verdun street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,100
William H. Browne.....	4 Tiverton road.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
Abraham Shuman.....	138 Prince street.....	5	New fixtures.....	600
W. S. Emerson.....	41 Pinckney street.....	8	New fixtures.....	395
P. J. Sullivan.....	16 Ormond street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,500
William F. McAuliffe.....	52 N street.....	9	New fixtures.....	300
Leo Charles Levy.....	210 Lincoln street.....	5	New fixtures.....	550
Charles W. Rittenhouse.....	63 Lexington street.....	1	New fixtures.....	750
J. M. Nihen.....	635 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	60
John Y. Gillespie.....	125 Homes avenue.....	18	New fixtures.....	1,050
John Y. Gillespie.....	127 Homes avenue.....	18	New fixtures.....	1,050
Rudolph O. Mahr.....	15 Holbrook street.....	22	New fixtures.....	500
Matto & Rosen.....	44 Henley street.....	4	New fixtures.....	625
Harry D. Pollard.....	54 Edwin street.....	20	New fixtures.....	275
John J. Daniels.....	191 Dana avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	1,000
Carl I. Stevens.....	142 Cambridge street.....	3	New fixtures.....	800
M. J. Murphy.....	633 Atlantic avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	300
John A. Wilson.....	43 Albion street.....	6	New fixtures.....	25
John A. Wilson.....	39 Albion street.....	6	New fixtures.....	25
Charles King.....	66 Falcon street.....	1	New fixtures.....	200

MAY 10.

Kelley & Gaffey.....	37 Williams street.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$500
Kelley & Gaffey.....	2360 Washington street.	13	New fixtures.....	200
John J. Murphy.....	327 Tremont street.....	8	New fixtures.....	125
J. P. Perry & Co.....	335 Washington street....	5	New fixtures.....	300
B. F. Godfrey.....	16 Thomas street.....	22	New fixtures.....	300
Badeleh Leon.....	49 Swallow street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
Arthur A. Harding.....	126 Summer street.....	5	New fixtures.....	60
Henry J. Gurl.....	1744 Washington street....	12	New fixtures.....	50
C. E. Hatch.....	3 Hyde Park avenue.....	22	New fixtures.....	200
L. W. Polit.....	10 Greenheys street.....	18	New fixtures.....	750
H. E. Blaisdell.....	47 Fremont street.....	21	New fixtures.....	175
George W. Rigby.....	228 E street.....	9	New fixtures.....	125
Stanley G. Crawford.....	142 Dudley street.....	13	New fixtures.....	390
J. P. Perry & Co., Inc.....	103 Arch street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150

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MAY 12.

PLUMBER	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. W. Polit.	516 Warren street.	16	New fixtures.	\$100
P. L. Egan.	135 Rockwell street.	21	New fixtures.	500
R. A. MacDonald.	12 Hudson way.	24	New fixtures.	800
Gardner W. McDonald.	912 Dorchester avenue.	11	New fixtures.	125
Charles Lang.	58 Bradeen street.	23	New fixtures.	850
F. D. McCarthy.	77 Bennett street.	26	New fixtures.	950

MAY 13.

H. C. Greenlaw.	675 Boylston street.	8	New fixtures.	\$150
Arthur L. Mann.	132 Arlington street.	8	New fixtures.	300
Abraham Kellen.	1 Minot street.	5	New fixtures.	800
H. L. Scotton.	88 and 90 Nonantum street.	25	New fixtures.	1,200
P. A. Lang.	164 Blackstone street.	5	New fixtures.	300
Thomas F. Hurley.	59 Ashland street.	23	New fixtures.	1,200
R. W. Credford.	51 Bellevue street.	18	New fixtures.	200
David H. Lane.	32 Bradford street.	23	New fixtures.	250
John F. McGloan.	15 Chestnut street.	8	New fixtures.	600
Charles H. Flanagan.	136 Coleridge street.	1	New fixtures.	192
D. M. Murphy.	103-107 Court street.	5	New fixtures.	1,000
William N. McKenna.	105 Federal street.	5	New fixtures.	500
Joseph Seigel.	36 Quint avenue.	25	New fixtures.	4,000
Joseph Seigel.	40 Quint avenue.	25	New fixtures.	4,000
Joseph Seigel.	44 Quint avenue.	25	New fixtures.	4,000
Charles H. Flanagan.	641 Saratoga street.	1	New fixtures.	400
F. B. McKeagney.	127 Shawmut avenue.	6	New fixtures.	130
M. S. Pann.	143 Washington street.	19	New fixtures.	150
E. M. Gearty.	21 Wright road.	23	New fixtures.	500

MAY 14.

John W. Slane.	104 Baker street.	23	New fixtures.	\$480
George H. Cox.	63 Bainbridge street.	16	New fixtures.	425
Edward J. Roach.	311 Belgride avenue.	23	New fixtures.	1,100
Samuel Barron.	352 Blue Hill avenue.	18	New fixtures.	300
Samuel Barron.	372 Blue Hill avenue.	18	New fixtures.	200
E. J. Fennessey.	31 Castleton street.	14	New fixtures.	1,190
Otis Wells.	10 Copeland street.	16	New fixtures.	50
William H. Welch.	1684 Dorchester street.	20	New fixtures.	200
John W. Slane.	15 Elmwood street.	23	New fixtures.	1,300
Michael Grandone.	176 Florence street.	23	New fixtures.	1,500
James J. Sweeney.	26 Fairbanks street.	26	New fixtures.	950
Powers & McEgan.	64 Glendale street.	17	New fixtures.	600
T. W. Quinn.	72 and 74 Hunnewell street.	26	New fixtures.	50
Joseph Locke.	14 Lansing street.	16	New fixtures.	290
Edward Bevelander.	27 Maple avenue.	26	New fixtures.	500
Joseph Vogel & Sons.	27 Overland street.	8	New fixtures.	200
Edward J. Roach.	16 Sillman road.	23	New fixtures.	1,100
George H. Pentz.	660 Shawmut avenue.	13	New fixtures.	25
R. W. Tobin.	213 West Canton street.	7	New fixtures.	200

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Devlin Brothers, in the sum of \$3,164.60, in an action to recover for flooding of premises Nos. 121 and 123 South street on account of broken water pipe, October 5, 1923.

James Brown, No. 161 Court street, Boston, in the sum of \$137.75, as compensation for clothing lost in the Boston City Hospital, 1923-24.

The Temple Tours, No. 443 Park Square Building, in the sum of \$3, as refund for refuse tickets.

Abraham Stearn, No. 3 Dana street, Revere, in the sum of \$42.50, as compensation for damage to automobile commandeered by a patrolman of the Traffic Squad to convey injured man to hospital, August 21, 1923.

Mary Faulkner, No. 17 Thacher street, in the sum of \$25, as compensation for personal injuries caused by collision of auto with fire chief's car at Audubon road and Brookline avenue, December 20, 1923.

Bernard Maraghy, No. 10 Ludlow street, Charlestown, in the sum of \$25, as compensation for personal injuries caused by collision of auto with fire chief's car at Audubon road and Brookline avenue, December 20, 1923.

Matthew A. Maraghy, No. 10 Ludlow street, Charlestown, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for personal injuries caused by collision of auto with fire chief's car at Audubon road and Brookline avenue, December 20, 1923.

Mae Taisner, No. 49 Callender street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk at or between No. 129 and No. 137 Callender street, December 5, 1923.

David N. Blakely, No. 15 Beech road, Brookline, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus on West Newton street, December 25, 1923.

Elizabeth G. White, No. 123 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by unsafe condition of curbing and sidewalk and snow and ice on Woodville street, in front of J. E. Fuller's residence, January 22, 1923.

Elizabeth A. Roach, No. 15 Sumner street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in highway on Broadway, South Boston, near Dorchester street, July 24, 1923.

Agnes T. Roche, No. 227 Harold street, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for damage to property at No. 30 Leyland street caused by stoppage of sewer, October 1 to November 15, 1923.

Bettina DelGizzi, No. 224 Hanover street, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defective condition of crosswalk in front of No. 220 Hanover street, October 5, 1923.

Anna L. Connors, No. 56 Chestnut Hill avenue, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defective paving in front of Boston fire station,

No. 22 Chestnut Hill avenue, December 24, 1923.

Charles Kile, No. 15 Pembroke street, Boston, in the sum of \$25, as compensation for personal injuries caused by fall in front of No. 972 Tremont street, owing to defect in sidewalk, December 29, 1923.

Mamie Scioli, No. 89½ Chelsea street, Charlestown, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk in front of No. 73 Chelsea street, Charlestown, October 28, 1922.

P. O'Riorden Forwarding Company, No. 146 Beverly street, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for injury to horse on Atlantic avenue, near Eastern avenue, by going through manhole, January 25, 1924.

Bridget Faulkner, No. 17 Thacher street, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for personal injuries caused by collision of auto with fire chief's car at Audubon road and Brookline avenue, December 20, 1923.

Copley Square Hotel, Huntington avenue, in the sum of \$12.30, as payment for the refund of refuse tickets.

Joseph Seudney, No. 132 Hanover street, in the sum of \$35, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by defect in highway opposite the F. W. Webb and the Potter-Wrightington Company, Washington Street North, August 17, 1923.

William McDonald, No. 119 Saratoga street, East Boston, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for personal injuries caused by dropping of movable platform of ferryboat at North Ferry slip, Boston side, December 1, 1923.

Mercantile Wharf Corporation, No. 88 Clinton street, Boston, in the sum of \$85.20, as compensation for damage and expense incurred on account of depression of sewer which caused a stoppage at No. 44 Mercantile street.

C. & J. Company, No. 696 Columbia road, Dorchester, in the sum of 99 cents, as payment for the refund of eight garbage tickets.

Arthur J. Peterson, Boston City Hospital, in the sum of \$34.50, as compensation for loss of overcoat at the City Hospital, February 4, 1924.

John F. White, No. 85 Wellington Hill street, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for damage to property caused by leaky water meter installed by employees of the Water Division, July 6, 1923.

Aguglia Brothers, No. 98 Commercial street, Boston, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for injury to horse caused by Water Division horse and team, December 26, 1923.

Harry G. Blazo and daughter, Irma E., 22 Olympia Building, No. 3A Tremont row, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for damage to automobile and personal injuries caused by hole in Lexington street, near Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, November 20, 1923.

W. D. Byron & Sons Leather Company, No. 20 South street, in the sum of \$1.87, as payment for refund of seventeen ash tickets.

Felicia Graglia, No. 7 Jarvis place, Roxbury, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for expense incurred for opening drain at said address, owing to stoppage of sewer, May 21, 1923.

Bessie Galetsky, No. 50 Staniford street, Boston, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk in front of No. 16 Leverett street, December 10, 1923.

J. W. Hubbard, Warrenton street, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for damage to property at said address caused by

break in water main on Tremont street, July 24, 1923.

Solomon Heller, No. 15 Park View street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$100, at compensation for damage to property as No. 1435 Columbus avenue, caused by broken water pipe, December 11-14, 1923.

George A. and Amelia A. Gridley, No. 28 Charles street, Hyde Park, in the sum of \$168.64, as compensation for damage to property at said address, November, 1922, caused by stoppage of sewer.

Ernest H. Hurd, No. 168 Dartmouth street, Room No. 204, in the sum of \$8.47, as payment for refund of refuse tickets.

Frank Long, No. 19 Hale street, Boston, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for personal injuries caused by being thrown from team of Sewer Service on East Cottage street, January 15, 1924.

James J. Kerwan, No. 273 Webster street, East Boston, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for injuries caused by snow and ice falling from City Hall, February 7, 1924.

Minnie Leavitt, No. 59 Lorne street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk in front of No. 279 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, January 21, 1924.

B. L. Makepeace Company, No. 394 Boylston street, Boston, in the sum of \$1.76, as refund for refuse tickets.

Mary R. DeShon, No. 77 Florence street, Roslindale, in the sum of \$127.35, as compensation for damage to property at said address, November 4, 1923, caused by stoppage of sewer.

Mrs. James Powers, No. 28 Valentine street, in the sum of \$25, as compensation for damage to clothing caused by ash barrel at corner of Valentine and Washington streets, January 15, 1924.

MAYOR HIGHLY PRAISED FOR CHAMPIONING NEW ENGLAND'S TRADE CAUSE IN LETTER TO PRESIDENT.

Mayor Curley on Tuesday, May 13, received the following letter from Mr. R. Campbell, treasurer of the Kenwood Company of 161 Summer street, Boston.

Please accept a few words of earnest appreciation for your masterly letter which was published in yesterday's papers. Our voice is very small and weak, but such as it is we have raised it to the statesmen (?) who are representing (?) us in Washington. More power to you!

We take the liberty of inclosing herewith a copy of the letter which we have sent to Washington.

"Being one of a multitude of business concerns suffering from the present stagnation of New England industries, we respectfully call your attention to the pertinent remarks made by his honor James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, in the inclosed letter.

"If Mr. Curley's statements in this letter be true, why would not a petition be in order for Great Britain to assume a protectorate over these poor helpless United States?

"It would seem not only that we have prohibition as regards liquor, but also that the present administration is looking toward prohibition of all further growth of New England Industries.

"Our letter mailed to Calvin Coolidge, Henry Cabot Lodge, David I. Walsh, Louis A. Coolidge, James A. Gallivan."

MAYOR CURLEY CALLS FOR MEN OF BROAD AND NOBLE VISION TO GOVERN.

TELLS MEMBERS OF ATTLEBORO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE THAT OUR INDUSTRIES AND GOVERNMENT NEED MEN LOYAL TO THE IDEALS OF JUSTICE AND DEMOCRACY, WITH RESOLUTION ENOUGH TO MAINTAIN THEM.

Mayor Curley addressed the Chamber of Commerce at Attleboro, Mass., on the evening of May 15, speaking in part as follows:

Attleboro lives and has its being because of its peculiar and specialized industries; and as these industries thrive or decay this town is happy and contented, or given over to unrest and discontent. In a broad sense Attleboro caters to a luxurious trade; it seeks to supply demands that are not necessities; it caters to beauty, to the decorative and artistic tastes of the people; and it follows, since the indulgence in these products is a luxury, they come after the purchase of necessities and are financed by the savings and surplus that remain after rent, insurance, clothing, bread and butter and the other practical things of our domestic economy are satisfied.

When hard times come, when business depression hits this country, industry slows down, unemployment shows its ugly head and the conditions that may for a prosperous Attleboro vanish, this busy and ingenious community is the best business barometer in Massachusetts.

Today business is depressed in Massachusetts; the textile industries are marked by short time and unemployment; workers are walking the streets in idleness, without work and wages; unrest and discontent are the evil product of unemployment; they mean hardship and unhappiness and the conditions that are dangerous to a free democratic government.

I always dislike to carry a hard luck story into a happy business community; but the time has come for us to face the industrial conditions of the day and take an account of stock; Massachusetts is a distinctly industrial Commonwealth; we take raw materials and transform them into articles of necessity and utility for other communities; and upon our ability to compete successfully with other states, find markets for our products and enter them on an equality of opportunity, we are able to live and thrive; and the economic conditions that give Massachusetts and her sister Commonwealths employment for their men and women, all the year round, that bring them prosperity and contentment, happy homes and social security are reflected here in Attleboro.

It is the duty of representative government to foster and protect the interests of its people, for upon the prosperity and contentment of the people rest the safety and stability of republic. When politics and partisanship enter into the consideration of business and industry, they are endangered; they become footballs to kick instead of interests to foster; fair play goes out when favoritism comes in; and the things most vital to the life and happiness of the citizenry are jeopardized.

No matter what the political complexion of our representatives in Congress may be, they must be made to understand that business, industry and commerce are not matters of party politics, but questions of life and living, and that the legislation dealing with them and the

political policies adopted for their protection and preservation, must be American, and not Republican or Democratic.

Waste in administration of government, the adoption and pursuit of paternalistic projects, the squandering of the public funds in schemes and theories that are in no sense national and public, and are really matters that concern private initiative, at best are state affairs; these are things that vitally affect us all. The government as such cannot make money; every dollar it receives and spends comes out of the pockets of the people, out of the work and sweat of the men and women of America, out of the life's blood of industry and commerce; and the greater the waste of public money, the more extravagantly the affairs of government are administered, the heavier the burden placed on every energy of the people.

This is the condition we are confronted with today; and because of waste and extravagance in government, because of favoritism in treatment, indifference to public protest, a cynical contempt for administrative fair play and a proper consideration for public duty, American industry is coming to a standstill and every vital interest of the employer and worker is being sacrificed to certain personal ambitions and private enrichments.

This may be pessimism, but it is the naked truth; and it is time for all of us, regardless of parties and political predilections, to gird up our loins, get rid of illusions, partisanship and prejudice and look to the safety of our home. We are being fed with empty phrases that pay no dividends, with fine words that butter no parsnips. Every public interest and private enterprise is being subordinated to the ambitions and desires of political aspirants; and trade and traffic are being pushed off the highway to make room for the chariots and cohorts of the conquering candidates.

To serve purposes that are obscene and persons that are concealed, the shoe industry of Massachusetts is being sacrificed that prison contractors may grow rich; the criminal convict labor of Leavenworth Prison displaces the honest shoe operative of this Commonwealth; and we are calmly advised that a transaction that drives the self-respecting worker into the street to idleness, hunger and discontent has the consent and approval of the majority party in control at Washington.

A contract for the manufacture of khaki cloth for the American Marine Corps is given to a British mill and refused to an American manufacturing concern, and the plea in excuse is that the English concern can do it cheaper and provide the right dye. Which, think you, is eventually the more desirable—giving American work to alien mills to save a few dollars, or giving it to American mills to keep American workers from idleness, suffering and discontent?

I ask you again — are the vital interests of this Commonwealth served by this sort of thing? Is it wise to degrade and beggar the American worker that the ambition of some politician may be gratified? Attleboro should have something to say in this matter, some answer to make to this betrayal of our industrial fortunes, for the tide of disaster that flows over American industry eventually swamps Attleboro.

We need a radical change of policy and treatment, and that change can only come by a radical change in government and administration; those we have trusted have proven unfaithful and we must change our servants and our service, or perish.

Our domestic market through economic evils cannot consume our production and keep the wheels of industry turning; and the foreign markets needed to supplement our home consumption have slipped out of our hands, through congressional indifference, inefficiency and stupidity. The shipping that should carry our industrial products abroad is rotting at the wharves, through administrative neglect and congressional ignorance; and metaphorically Washington is fiddling while industry is dying.

Until we introduce into our affairs a robust, vigorous American maritime policy, that will fight for foreign markets, that will carry American products in American ships, so aided and protected as to compete successfully on every sea and in every market of the world, we must expect to see silent mills, arrested wheels, idle men and stark adversity all over this great country, and witness the amazing spectacle of the richest and most powerful republic in the world paralyzed and destroyed by the inefficiency of its own government, the greed of the parasites, sucking out the blood of industry and commerce, and the indifference of our representatives to conditions that spell suffering, hardship and ruin for all.

The way out is so plain that those who run may read. I am not here preaching calamity, a voice calling in the wilderness; I am here to warn and waken you; to urge you to early action to remedy the needless evils we are suffering from. A drastic, political, surgical operation is necessary, if the worker, his home and happiness are to be preserved from disaster; if industry is to function, if capital, that is our accumulated thrift, is to be saved from waste; if our resources are to be utilized and our prosperity restored. I know no danger so terrible to visualize as a vast army of workers transformed into a hungry horde of idlers through the arrogance and stupidity of political administration. This is a democracy, a government of the people; every worker is a unit of the government; employed, contented, happy, he is a bulwark for law and order; idle, discontented, unhappy he is a threat to our safety and stability. He is the government; upon him rests the whole fabric of the United States; he is the blind Samson in the snare of the political Delilah; when he moves in anger and despair he may pull down the pillars of the Temple of Liberty. When the sleeping giant awakes — then tremble.

This is the paramount question of the day and it must be settled; but it will not be settled by continuing the conditions we have. This is Attleboro's question and the question of every hamlet, town and city all over the United States, and we must settle it ourselves. Not only must we revert to older and better ideals of government, but we must discard the authors of our present evils and supplant

them by men of broader, nobler vision, loyal to the ideals of justice and democracy and resolute enough to secure and maintain them.

I am not a pessimist. I am an invincible optimist. I am diagnosing our ills that we proceed to cure them. I am advising you to clean house, to get rid of the politicians that make it untenable. Let us be up and doing. Give us workers not word-mongers; men not machines. The sun is still in the heavens and the blood of America is still red. Our salvation is in our own hands.

Under our system of government, the most ideal in the world, it is essential that there be continuity of program rather than the system which obtains at the present time of sacrificing national welfare to partisan advantage. I look forward to the time in the life of America when there will be continuity of program, when seasonal unemployment will no longer obtain, when the toiler, the laborer whose brains and hands have been the creative source of national prosperity and greatness, will have some prospect other than the poor house in the closing years of his existence to look forward to, when the exploitation of children in industry will be at an end and when, animated by a common purpose and public weal, America will face the future with a people united and patriotic whose love of country is based on economic justice, and equality of opportunity and liberty.

FINANCE COMMISSION ASKS COUNCIL TO DELAY STREET LIGHTING ACTION.

The Finance Commission has made the following request of the City Council:

BOSTON, May 14, 1924.

To the Honorable the City Council:

GENTLEMEN,—In response to the request of the Committee on Finance of your honorable body for any information relative to the lighting contract, the Finance Commission submits the following:

On April 3 the Finance Commission had a conference with Mr. Frederick M. Ives, attorney, representing the Edison Electric Illuminating Company in the absence of President Edgar, and with Mr. Elden, the electrical engineer of the company. At that conference Mr. Ives stated that the company could furnish the necessary electricity for 10,000 street lamps to replace the existing street gas lamps by electric lamps right away, but that the prices and conditions under which the Edison Company would be willing to undertake the service could not be stated until a study of the locations was made.

Later a letter was received from President Edgar, under date of April 10, 1924, in which he states that:

"It may be stated generally, therefore, that the company will undertake to supply any business at prices which are remunerative; provided, where new investment is required, a certain degree of permanency is assured.

"We have made no special study of the cost involved in substituting electric lamps for the 10,000 gas lamps now operated by the gas company. It is certain, however, that the initial investment expense would be considerable and it would require many months and probably years to make the entire change. I believe that all the gas lamps are in the outlying districts of Boston, but we have no record of their exact locations; if informed of the locations of the gas

lamps, which it is desired to have changed, we shall be glad to have our engineers figure on the cost, and will advise further regarding the most desirable form of service and the prices and guaranties which we should expect to receive."

A few days later the Finance Commission furnished the Edison Company with plans showing the location of the street gas lamps and it understands that a study by the company for the purpose above outlined is now in progress, although it has not proceeded far enough to base an authoritative statement as to what the proposal of the Edison Company will be.

The Finance Commission believes, however, that a very large part, if not all, of the present gas lamps can be taken over by the Edison Company at prices that will result in a very great financial saving to the city over the cost of the proposed contract for street lighting by gas, and also secure much better street lighting.

There is no urgent need of any action by the Council at the present time, or until the study of the Edison Company has been completed and its proposal made.

Respectfully,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner to be allowed to construct fifty catch-basins, eleven manholes and 600 feet of minor drains in Shawmut avenue, between Warrenton street and Roxbury street, in the city proper and Roxbury districts, and that he estimates that the cost thereof will be \$19,908.

CONTRACT TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works to relay granite block paving with grout joints in Columbus avenue, from Arlington street to Tennyson street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost being \$10,000.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

M. F. Gaddis has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying bitulithic pavement in Washington street, West Roxbury, from Denton terrace to West Roxbury Parkway. Items ordered: Haul surplus paving blocks to West Roxbury Paving Yard. Price to be paid for hauling blocks, the sum of \$0.25 (twenty-five cents) per square yard. Estimated cost of extra work, \$90.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been allowed to amend their contract for grading of lot of proposed East Boston High School in the Chapman District, East Boston (White street), by striking out the words and figures, "October 1, 1923," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "June 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about August 6, 1923, and is to be completed on or before June 1, 1924."

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending May 10, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
776,783, United States Census estimate.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 175; nonresidents, 41; total,
216.
Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 14.50; nonresidents deducted,
11.74.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 16.45; corresponding week
last year, 15.57.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 31; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 16; sixty years and over, 76;
total deaths, male, 107; female, 109;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 106;
deaths of colored, 4.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 10, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 12, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	46	4	56	5
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	1	—
Influenza.....	4	1	1	2
Measles.....	193	—	378	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	1	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	45	10	21	9
Scarlet fever.....	99	1	94	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	49	16	38	22
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	6	5	12	3
Typhoid fever.....	7	—	2	—
Whooping cough.....	13	—	58	2

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE
EXAMINATIONS.

ELECTRICAL DRAFTSMAN, SCHOOLHOUSE
DEPARTMENT, MAY 26, 1924.

The salary is \$1,500 a year.

Applicants should have a general
knowledge of building construction on
first, second, and third class buildings,
be able to draw and lay out electrical plans
and to read building plans, have a working
knowledge of electricity, both on low
tension (bells, clocks, telephones and fire
alarm) and on light and power circuits, a
knowledge of the rules governing elec-
trical installations as issued by the Boston
Board of Fire Underwriters and the Fire
Department, Wire Division, of the City
of Boston, and sufficient information, both
electrical and educational, to write out
specifications for electrical work of various
kinds in an intelligent manner.

The subjects of examination with their
respective weights will be as follows:
Training and experience, 3; practical
questions on the duties of the position, 2;
total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a
mark of at least 65 per cent in training
and experience and in general average in
order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required
to file a certificate from a reputable
physician as to their physical fitness for
the position.

COAL INSPECTOR, SEALER OF WEIGHTS
AND MEASURES, MAY 26, 1924.

The salary is \$1,800 a year.

Applicants should have a general
knowledge of the laws relating to the
sale of coal in Massachusetts and the
general laws relative to coal, and should
have a knowledge of the qualities of
various grades of coal, the testing, mining,
and shipping of coal, etc.

The subjects of examination with their
respective weights will be as follows:
Training and experience, 4; arithmetic,
2; report, 1; practical questions on the
duties of the positions, 3; total, 10.

Successful applicants will be required
to file a certificate from a reputable
physician as to their physical fitness for
the position.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY
COUNCIL.

Monday, May 5, 1924.

Meeting of the City Council held in the
Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock
p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair.
Absent, Coun. Moriarty.

RENT AND HOUSING COMMISSION'S
FUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 5, 1924.

To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—The funds available for the
continuance of the Rent and Housing Com-
mission are about exhausted and it being
desirable, in the interests of the public, that
this safeguard against usurious property own-
ers be maintained, I respectfully recommend
the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$6,000 be and the
same hereby is appropriated to be expended
by the Committee on Rent and Housing, un-
der the direction of the Mayor, in the prosecu-
tion of its duties, said sum to be charged
to the Reserve Fund, when made.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

EQUIPPING OUT-PATIENT
DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 5, 1924.

To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—The Out-Patient Department
building of the Boston City Hospital is about
completed, at a cost estimated at \$600,000.
The City Hospital Trustees estimate that an
additional appropriation of \$70,000 will be
necessary to furnish and equip the building.

I had sincerely hoped that the General
Court of Massachusetts would permit of the
\$13 tax limit so that this additional \$70,000
might be provided for out of taxes; due to
the failure of the General Court to allow the
amount which in the opinion of the financial
authorities of the city was necessary, I am
obliged to request that you approve the ac-
companying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$70,000 be and
hereby is appropriated to be expended by the
City Hospital Trustees for the furnishing and
equipping of the new Out-Patient Department,
and that to meet said appropriation the City

Treasurer be authorized to issue from time
to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or
certificates of indebtedness of the city to said
amount.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

VETO OF NEYLON ANNUITY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 29, 1924.

To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I return herewith, without my
approval, your order for the payment of an
annuity to the widow of Patrick J. Neylon,
late a member of the Boston Fire Department.
The opinion of the Corporation Counsel in a
similar case permits of no other action on
my part.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

THE ANNUAL BUDGET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 5, 1924.

To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—In accordance with section 3 of
chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909 I submit here-
with the estimates of the several departments
for the fiscal year 1924-25, with my recom-
mendations thereon.

This year the statutory tax limit for general
municipal purposes is identical with that of
last year, namely, \$12.75 on the thousand.
The amount that can be raised by taxes with-
in the \$12.75 limit is \$21,052,805.51, to which
should be added the estimated income and cash
in treasury of \$6,148,142.34, making a total
available for general municipal purposes of
\$27,200,947.85, and I recommend the appro-
priation of the total amount.

Provision has been made in the municipal
budget as here submitted for wage increases
and salary adjustments affecting 9,200 persons
in the employ of the city. These advances
represent a greater increase in the number of
persons to be benefited and in the amount of
money represented by the benefits to be en-
joyed than ever previously accorded in the
history of the City of Boston.

The increases in the case of the lower paid
workers represent a measure of justice to
which they are entitled, not only because of
the character of labor performed but because
of the living costs which prevail at the pres-
ent time.

I sincerely trust the Council in its wisdom
will see fit to approve the increases as recom-
mended and which I regard as an important
factor in the stabilizing of the saving wage
which resulted from the shortage of man power
during the period of the World War and the
economic necessity for which is today recog-
nized by every student of economic conditions.

The salary increase schedule contained in
the budget for 1924-25 this day submitted pro-
vides that salary increases of all city em-
ployees shall be effective as of April 4, with
the exception of patrolmen and firemen, whose
salary increases will be as of August 1, 1924.

The number of persons affected by the salary
and wage changes and the amount in each
case is here presented:

3,000	Laborers, janitors, teamsters, etc. (\$4 to \$4.50 per day).
1,000	Mechanics, gardeners, etc. (\$5 to \$5.50 per day).
1,729	Patrolmen, \$100 flat increase as of August 1, and \$100 step rate increase to men below maximum.
1,103	Firemen, \$100 flat increase as of August 1 and \$100 step rate increase to men below maximum.
650	Hospital employees, \$100 per annum.
471	Nurses, \$100 per annum.
400	Clerks, \$100 per annum.
212	Library employees, \$100 per annum.
207	Matrons, \$100 per annum.
150	Drawtenders, \$100 per annum.
80	Custodians, \$100 per annum.
70	Stenographers \$100 per annum.
30	Telephone operators, \$100 per annum.
93	Miscellaneous ratings, \$100 per annum.

9,200

I regret the delay I have necessarily been
put to in submitting the budget, but the bill
increasing the tax limit of the City of Boston
did not become law until May 1, and without
definite knowledge of what appropriating
power would be available I was unable to
transmit the budget estimates to your honor-
able body. It will now require extraordinary
effort on the part of the City Council to pass
the budget in order that funds may be pro-

vided necessary for the execution of departmental work, as we are now close to the time when the expenditures permitted by law prior to the adoption of the appropriation bill will be exhausted.

This budget is submitted in substitution for the one filed with your honorable body on February 29, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES AND AMOUNTS ALLOWED 1924-25.

	Estimated.	Allowed.
Art Department	\$2,070 00	\$1,735 00
Assessing Department	277,923 57	272,415 05
Auditing Department	76,557 16	73,998 99
Boston Conservation Bureau.....	94,000 00	14,951 45
Boston Retirement Board.....	20,676 01	19,718 50
Boston Sanatorium	461,232 88	419,925 56
Budget Department	8,566 00	8,556 00
Building Department	219,447 92	216,905 23
Board of Examiners.....	5,031 67	4,948 33
Board of Appeal.....	6,920 50	6,328 33
City Clerk Department.....	49,890 02	48,909 51
City Council	39,358 63	39,018 63
City Council Proceedings.....	10,550 00	10,000 00
City Documents	46,000 00	43,000 00
City Planning Board.....	33,341 15	26,793 16
Collecting Department	203,500 49	189,552 04
Election Department	264,347 78	262,586 48
Finance Commission	40,000 00	40,000 00
Fire Department	4,043,738 00	3,896,081 29
Wire Division	96,705 87	94,884 63
Health Department	568,762 50	557,553 70
Hospital Department	1,862,688 00	1,665,604 54
Institutions Department:		
Central Office	67,350 00	64,566 99
Boston Almshouse and Hospital.....	440,213 35	407,241 64
Child Welfare Division.....	164,597 72	160,323 36
Steamer "George A. Hibbard".....	26,413 67	25,912 00
Suffolk School for Boys.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Law Department	73,804 78	72,841 43
Library Department	905,614 00	828,567 00
Licensing Board	37,820 55	38,042 66
Market Department	16,806 39	16,262 71
Mayor, Office Expenses.....	75,005 17	75,005 17
Public Celebrations	79,050 00	78,000 00
Conventions, etc.	100,000 00	90,000 00
Overseeing of the Public Welfare Department.....	1,342,741 45	1,307,743 25
Temporary Home	7,037 84	9,951 23
Wayfarers' Lodge	11,352 26	11,340 59
Park Department	1,668,267 00	1,510,338 38
Cemetery Division	181,789 82	163,644 63
Police Department	5,080,109 18	4,530,286 92
Public Buildings Department.....	613,151 93	514,260 56
Public Works Department:		
Central Office	92,413 86	88,933 91
Bridge Service	449,751 90	443,570 77
Ferry Service	531,627 36	521,688 80
Lighting Service	877,753 45	814,857 73
Paving Service	1,551,126 97	1,502,997 89
Sanitary Service	3,010,884 80	2,898,443 36
Sewer Service	746,912 93	665,572 64
Registry Department	51,382 77	50,854 74
Reserve Fund	500,000 00	425,000 00
Sinking Funds Department.....	2,880 00	2,850 00
Soldiers' Relief Department.....	464,264 51	413,810 12
Statistics Department	13,571 41	12,875 73
Street Laying-Out Department.....	179,241 59	177,979 30
Supply Department	46,470 05	43,944 05
Treasury Department	61,595 67	61,347 23
Weights and Measures Department.....	42,097 16	38,406 64
Bridges, Repairs, etc.	235,000 00	125,000 00
Ferry Improvements, etc.	79,500 00	60,000 00
Granolithic sidewalks	100,000 00	50,000 00
Reconstructing and Repairing Streets by Contract.....	1,000,000 00	950,000 00
Playground, Eagle Hill District, East Boston.....	32,000 00	32,000 00
	\$29,393,907 69	\$27,200,947 85
City Debt requirements.....	\$6,247,355 32	\$6,247,355 32
Jail	\$191,240 28	\$184,646 84
Suffolk County Courthouse, Custodian.....	140,194 82	139,723 88
Suffolk County Courthouse, County Buildings.....	72,292 00	67,847 00
County Buildings	107,557 97	87,711 80
Supreme Judicial Court.....	59,851 08	59,726 05
Superior Court, Civil Session, General Expenses.....	460,731 00	460,731 00
Superior Court, Civil Session, Clerk's Office.....	145,828 28	141,008 00
Superior Court, Criminal Session.....	509,392 06	470,024 24
Probate Court	37,820 00	24,470 00
Municipal Court	340,116 04	339,780 98
Municipal Court, Charlestown District.....	26,440 12	25,590 00
East Boston District Court.....	29,014 60	27,793 54
Municipal Court, South Boston District.....	23,399 87	23,289 87
Municipal Court, Dorchester District.....	23,103 54	22,755 64
Municipal Court, Roxbury District.....	63,375 05	61,086 00
Municipal Court, West Roxbury District.....	34,998 85	27,903 75
Municipal Court, Brighton District.....	14,993 07	14,226 60
Boston Juvenile Court.....	26,016 70	24,389 80
District Court of Chelsea.....	25,941 80	25,154 90
Registry of Deeds.....	162,024 29	153,097 62
Index Commissioners	18,959 00	18,360 00
Insanity Cases	30,100 00	30,100 00
Land Court	4,850 00	4,675 00
Medical Examiner, Northern District.....	22,896 55	22,003 99
Medical Examiner, Southern District.....	14,496 42	14,487 33
Associate Medical Examiner, Northern District.....	2,088 00	2,098 00
Associate Medical Examiner, Southern District.....	1,953 00	1,898 00
Miscellaneous Expenses:		
Auditing Department	940 00	940 00
Collecting Department	1,170 00	1,170 00
Treasury Department	5,355 22	5,349 86
Sheriff	3,200 00	3,200 00
Granite Avenue Bridge.....	3,021 47	2,936 47
Social Law Library.....	1,000 00	1,000 00

APPOINTMENT OF CONSTABLES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, May 5, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons to the position of constable of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1925:

Louis Goldberg, 54 Auburn street, Boston;
Joseph E. Ferreira, 15 Parnell street, Boston;
John A. Anderson, 17 Radford lane, Dorchester;
Alfred R. Mitchell, 726A Dudley street, Roxbury;
Thomas Cannizzaro, 177 K street, South Boston.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Laid over under the law.

APPOINTMENT OF WEIGHERS OF COAL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, May 5, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint William J. O'Hearn, 298 Boylston street, Brookline, and John B. Keaney, Brattle street, Arlington, Weighers of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Laid over under the law.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz:

Claims.

Antonio Ammendolia, for compensation for damage to property at 31 East Lenox street, caused by police officers.

Bertha Arnold, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Beach street.

Jacob Bickofsky, for compensation for damage to personal property at 317 Harrison avenue, caused by leak in water pipe.

Rebecca Bickofsky, for compensation for damage to real property at 317 Harrison avenue, caused by leak in water pipe.

William F. Boos, for compensation for professional services rendered in 1919.

Margaret E. Doherty, for compensation for damage to clothing on Stoughton street, caused by paint on hydrant.

David R. Donaldson, for refund on permit to build a maternity building for the Massachusetts Woman's Hospital.

Ambrose J. Donohue, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Adams street.

Sadie Eldred, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at corner of Chestnut street and Charles street.

H. J. Fandel, for compensation for damage to property at 59 Burnett street, caused by garbage wagon.

James G. Farrell, for compensation for damage to property at 26 St. Germain street caused by bursting of water meter.

J. P. Foley, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an ash wagon.

Margaret Foley, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Middle street.

Edward A. Foster, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Reed street.

Julius P. Frazier, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Genesee street.

Frances Jones, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at West Newton and Washington streets.

Sakis Kayikjian, for compensation for damage to property at 48 School street, Roxbury, caused by ash team.

Annie M. Lowies, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Boston Common.

Elizabeth F. Murray, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Grove and Anderson streets.

Priscilla Newcomb, for compensation for injuries at 87 Gainsborough street caused by gas fumes.

Ralph Rand, for refund on buildings on West Third street torn down by city.

Razio Sacco, for refund for duplicate payment on licenses.

Lawrence J. Tobin, for compensation for damage to property 197 Green street, Jamaica Plain, caused by ash team.

C. W. Whittie & Brothers, for compensation for expenses incurred on work done in the New England Building, caused by stopped-up drains.

Dora Wolfer, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Blue Hill avenue.

Executive.

Cecile A. Mara, for children to appear at Jordan Hall, May 15, 1924.

Jennie M. Trainor, for children to appear at Convention Hall May 24, 1924.

Nellie Ferguson, for children to appear at Jordan Hall, May 23, 1924.

Gertrude D. De Petro, for children to appear at Jordan Hall, May 26 and 27, 1924.

HEARING ON GASOLINE PETITIONS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioner of hearing May 12, 1924, on the following petitions:

L. Henry Sturgis, 6 and 8 Swift streets, etc., Ward 1, 2,000 gallons.

Charles H. Miles, 433 Rutherford avenue, Ward 3, 1,000 gallons.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

ACCEPTANCE OF LORNA ROAD.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That the Street Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to accept and lay out Lorna road, Mattapan, as a public highway.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

BOND FOR JITNEY LICENSE.

A bond for jitney license of Abraham S. Caplan, with the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York as surety, was received.

Bond approved.

CONSTABLES' BONDS APPROVED.

The bonds of the following-named constables, having been duly approved by the City Treasurer, were received and approved, viz.:

Charles E. Ahern, Chester A. Bailey, Carleton N. Baker, George W. Brooke, Sherman H. Calderwood, Daniel B. Carmody, Thomas C. Carr, George G. Drew, Michael S. Drew, Thomas Fee, Levi P. Fernald, Harris Friedberg, Paul R. Gast, James W. Gilmore, George W. Green, William C. Gregory, Joseph Gutten-tag, Charles F. Hale, St. Clair E. Hale, John F. Halligan, Walter Isidor, Charles H. Jackson, Thomas J. Killian, Clarence H. Knowlton, Leopold Lepore, Andrew W. Murphy, William I. Paine, Philip S. Phillips, Benjamin F. Powell, William J. Pritchard, Robert Reid, Raphael Rosnosky, Herbert D. Sawyer, Barnett Serkin, Joseph P. Silsby, Abraham S. Singer, Jeremiah A. Twomey, John J. Walsh, Martin Welch, Frank Yennaco.

Bonds approved.

PAYMENT TO CIRO GENNALDO.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered the following: Resolved, That the City Council of Boston hereby approved the enactment of legislation authorizing the city to pay a sum of money to the father of Arthur Gennaldo.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

SIDEWALK ON LAKE STREET.

Coun. WALSH offered the following: Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along both sides of Lake street, from Washington street to Commonwealth avenue, Ward 25, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

LAYING OUT BENNETT STREET.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested to lay out Bennett street, from Parsons street to Hobart street, as a public highway.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

	Estimated.	Allowed.
House of Correction.....	259,658 42	249,863 86
Steamer "Michael J. Perkins".....	53,116 58	52,687 40
Early Court Records.....	12,000 00	12,000 00
	<u>\$2,929,136 08</u>	<u>\$2,803,727 42</u>
County Debt Requirements.....	\$131,676 50	\$131,676 50
Printing Department	\$423,234 54	\$419,204 36
City Record, Publication of.....	\$30,559 92	\$30,559 92
Public Works Department, Water Service.....	\$1,571,639 66	\$1,445,252 32
Collecting Department, Water Division.....	61,249 15	56,858 12
Water Service, Debt Requirements.....	40,680 00	40,680 00
Service Mains and Relaying Mains.....	175,000 00	175,000 00
High Pressure Fire System Extension.....	175,000 00	175,000 00
	<u>\$2,023,568 81</u>	<u>\$1,892,790 44</u>

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS RECOMMENDED BY THE MAYOR FOR 1924-25.

From Taxes:		
For City Purposes within the Tax Limit.....	\$27,200,947 85	
City Debt Requirements.....	6,247,355 32	
		\$33,448,303 17
County of Suffolk:		
General Purposes	\$2,803,727 42	
Debt Requirements	131,676 50	
		2,935,403 92
City and County total.....		\$36,383,707 09
From Revenue:		
Printing Department		419,204 36
City Record, Publication of.....		30,559 92
Public Works Department, Water Service.....	\$1,445,252 32	
Collecting Department, Water Division.....	56,858 12	
Water Service Debt Requirements.....	40,680 00	
Service Mains and Relaying Mains.....	175,000 00	
High Pressure Fire System Extension.....	175,000 00	
		1,892,790 44
Grand total		<u>\$38,726,261 81</u>

BASIS OF ESTIMATES, 1923-24.

Average valuation, \$1,606,575.806.95.	
\$12.75 on the thousand brings.....	\$20,483,841 54
Estimated income	5,095,000 00
	<u>\$25,578,841 54</u>
Amount available for appropriations inside tax limit.....	
	<u>1924-25.</u>
Average valuation, \$1,651,200.431.88.	
\$12.75 on the thousand brings.....	\$21,052,805 51
Estimated income and cash in treasury.....	6,148,142 34
	<u>\$27,200,947 85</u>
Amount available for appropriations inside tax limit.....	

WAYS AND MEANS OTHER THAN TAXES FOR 1924-25.

An estimate of the ways and means, other than taxes, of meeting expenditures of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk for the financial year 1924-25.

Boston Sanatorium	\$80,000 00
Building Department	60,000 00
City Clerk Department	16,000 00
Collecting Department	30,000 00
Fire Department	80,000 00
Health Department	18,000 00
Hospital Department	220,000 00
Institutions Department:	
Infirmary Division	7,500 00
Child Welfare Division	6,000 00
Interest	350,000 00
Library Department	15,000 00
Licensing Board	45,000 00
Market Department	148,000 00
Mayor	40,000 00
Overseeing of the Public Welfare Department	325 000 00
Park Department	75 000 00
Pedlers' Licenses	5,000 00
Police Department	40,000 00
Public Buildings Department	17,000 00
Public Works Department	300,000 00
Registry Department	11,500 00
Soldiers' Relief Department	61,000 00
Street Laying-Out Department	65,000 00
Weights and Measures Department	10,000 00
County of Suffolk	425,000 00
Corporation Tax	2,500,000 00
Street Railway Tax	200,000 00
	<u>\$5,150,000 00</u>

Available Cash in Treasury Jan-uary 31, 1923	998,143 34
	<u>\$6,148,142 34</u>

APPROPRIATIONS AND TAX ORDERS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 1924-25.

Ordered, That to meet the current expenses payable during the financial year beginning the first day of February, 1924, or performing the duties and exercising the powers devolved by statute or ordinance, or by vote of the City

Council during the year, upon the City of Boston or the County of Suffolk, or the departments or officers thereof, and to meet their respective obligations for interest on debt, sinking fund requirements and maturing debt not provided for by sinking fund, the respective sums of money specified in the tables and schedules hereinafter set out be and the same are hereby appropriated for the several departments and for the objects and purposes hereinafter stated.

Ordered, That the appropriations for Water Service, current expenses, and the payment to the state under the provisions of chapter 488 of the Acts of 1895 and acts in addition or amendment thereto, and for the interest and debt requirements for loans issued for water purposes, be met by the income of said works and any excess over income from taxes; that the appropriation for Printing Department be met by the department income and any excess over income from taxes; that the appropriation for City Record be met by the income of said publication and any excess over income from taxes; that the other appropriations hereinafter specified be met out of the money remaining in the treasury at the close of business on January 31, 1924, exclusive of the money raised by loan or need to carry out the requirements of any statute, gift, trust or special appropriation, and by the income of the financial year, beginning February 1, 1924, and taxes to the amount of \$30,235,564.75, and that said amount be raised by taxation on the polls and estates in the City of Boston.

Ordered, That all sums of money which form no part of the income of the city, but shall be paid for services rendered or work done by any department or division, or for any person or corporation other than the City of Boston, be paid into the general treasury, and that all contributions made to any appropriation be expended for the objects and purposes directed by the several contributors thereof.

Ordered, That all taxes raised to meet the appropriations of the city and all taxes assessed for meeting the city's proportion of the state tax of the year 1924, or any other

taxes or assessments payable to the Commonwealth, be due and payable on the fifteenth day of October, 1924; that interest shall be charged on all taxes remaining unpaid after the first day of November, 1924, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 59, section 57, of the General Laws, until paid, except the taxes assessed upon shares of national banks, which shall bear interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the fifteenth day of October, 1924, until paid; and that all interest which shall have become due on taxes shall be added to and be part of such taxes.

Ordered, That except as the appropriation for any purpose or item shall be increased by additional appropriations or by transfers lawfully made, no money shall be expended by any department for any of the purposes or items designated in the tables and schedules hereinafter set out in excess of the amount set down as appropriated for such specific purpose or item; and except as aforesaid, no salaries or wages shall be paid in excess of the rates specified in said tables and schedule.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriation.

PAYMENT TO PARENTS OF PETER P. OGINSKIS.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby accepts an act, chapter 283 of the Acts of 1924, authorizing a payment of a sum of money to the parents of Peter P. Oginskis.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LAYING OUT NEW MINOT STREET.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the Board of Street Commissioners lay out New Minot street, between Carruth and Adams streets, as a public highway.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

CONFIRMATION OF EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

Coun. WALSH called up No. 1, under unfinished business, viz.:

1. Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor April 28, 1924, of Jeremiah E. Connor, Fred G. Trask and Thomas F. Coffey, Jr., to be Constables.

The question came on confirmation. Committee, Coun. Lane and Walsh. Whole number of ballots 7, yeas 7, and the appointments were confirmed.

SALE OF EASEMENT IN WEST ROXBURY.

President DONOGHUE called up under unfinished business, No. 5, viz.:

5. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the City of Boston to sell at private sale an easement, and the right to use a certain parcel of land situated at the corner of Washington street and Tower street in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury, containing six thousand two hundred and eighty-one (6,281) square feet of land, more or less, to Patrick J. Brady, his heirs and assigns, for the sum of four thousand dollars, and to execute and deliver in the name and behalf of the City of Boston a deed of said easement in said premises to the said Patrick J. Brady, his heirs and assigns, satisfactory in form to the Law Department of the City of Boston. Said premises are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Washington Street, Tower Street, West Roxbury, January 26, 1917, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and the said plan is on file in the office of said department.

Said easement shall be so limited that the City of Boston and its assigns shall at all times have control of the sewerage works now located in and passing through said premises, and all manholes, coverings and appurtenances thereto belonging, and the right to forever maintain and use said sewerage works as they are now located or may hereafter be located on said premises for all the purposes of a public sewer and the right of the City of Boston to enter upon said premises or any part thereof at any and all times to maintain, repair, construct or reconstruct said sewerage works, and the said easement shall be limited so that no structure or building shall be placed or erected upon said premises which shall in any way interfere with the use and maintenance of said sewerage works or be placed or rested upon any part thereof, and that no building or structure shall be placed or erected upon said premises which shall interfere with or impede the right of the City of Boston to enter upon the said premises for the purpose of maintaining, repairing, constructing or reconstructing said sewerage works as they are now located or may hereafter be located, and said easement shall be so limited that no

building or structure shall be placed or erected upon said premises without the written approval of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston with the written assent of the Mayor.

On April 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its second and final reading and passage, yeas 7, nays none.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Lane, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

RECESS.

President DONOGHUE ordered a recess at 2.32 o'clock p. m. and the Council reassembled and was called to order by the President at 2.45 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Reports recommending that leave be granted on the following petitions (referred today), allowing children to appear in places of public amusement:

Cecile A. Mara, Jordan Hall, May 15, 1924.
Jennie M. Trainor, Convention Hall, May 24, 1924.

Nellie Ferguson Jordan Hall, May 28, 1924.
Gertrude D. DePetro, Jordan Hall, May 26 and 27, 1924.

Reports accepted, leave granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on order (referred today) to accept act of the Legislature authorizing payment of a sum of money to the parents of Peter P. Oginskis,—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed.

3. Report on order submitted by his Honor the Mayor today appropriating \$6,000, for the Committee on Rent and Housing—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

4. Report on order submitted by his Honor the Mayor today appropriating \$70,000 for furnishing and equipping the new Out-Patient Department of the City Hospital—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed yeas 8, nays 0.

FENCE FOR JOHN W. MURPHY PLAYGROUND.

Coun. PURCELL offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to provide an appropriation of \$5,000 for the purpose of providing a suitable fence at the John W. Murphy Playground for the protection of the adjoining property.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, this is something very much needed in the district. Windows are broken there every day. In one house a woman has had twenty-two baseballs come through her windows. Sitting at the window the other day she had a baseball hit her between the eyes. Under the conditions a wire fence should be put up to protect people. It is on two streets. I move a suspension of the rule.

The order was passed under a suspension of the rule.

RECONSIDERATION REFUSED.

On motion of Coun. WALSH reconsideration of all action taken today was refused.

Adjourned at 2.50 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. HEALY, to meet on Monday, May 12, at 2 o'clock p. m.

NOTICE.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, May 15, 1924.

That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public convenience requires the making of specific repairs on Exchange street, city proper district, from State street to Dock square, by substituting granite block pavement with asphalt joints for the present wooden block pavement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of May 28, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LEASING THE BEACH CHAIR CONCESSION PRIVILEGE AT MARINE PARK AND COLUMBUS PARK, SOUTH BOSTON.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, for leasing the beach chair concession privilege at Marine Park and Columbus Park, South Boston, for a term of one year, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 22, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$50, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(May 17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, May 8, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of a highway in the Hyde Park district, from River street southwesterly alongside the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad location to the private way known as Poydras street, with the name of Poydras street or some other distinctive name, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints twelve o'clock m. of May 21, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(May 17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, May 8, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Estella street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Harvard street to Morton street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints eleven o'clock a. m. of May 21, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(May 17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing ice to the various city departments for the ensuing year. A copy of the proposal can be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal at the above mentioned office with a certified check for \$400, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at this office on Monday, May 26, 1924, at 12 m. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(May 17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN BORDER STREET, FROM NORTH FERRY TO SARATOGA STREET, EAST BOSTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for granite block pavement in Border street, from North Ferry to Saratoga street. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirty thousand (30,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope sealed, marked "Proposals for Granite Block Pavement, Border Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Friday, May 23, 1924, with a certified check for three thousand (3,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 15, 1924. (May 17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for building a manual training stock room in the Henry L. Pierce School, Washington street and Welles avenue, Dorchester, Boston, Mass., doing all alterations, etc., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors, Wednesday, May 21, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, June 3, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.
(May 17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND SPREADING SAND ON BATHING BEACHES.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for furnishing and spreading sand on bathing beaches. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Furnishing and Spreading Sand on Bathing Beaches", and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 22, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of \$1,000 to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.
(May 17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT OR BITULITHIC PAVEMENT IN BLUE HILL AVENUE (WEST SIDE), FROM CANTERBURY STREET TO RIVER STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sheet asphalt of bitulithic pavement in Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Canterbury street to River street, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of sixty five thousand (65,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sheet Asphalt or Bitulithic Pavement, Blue Hill Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Monday, May 26, 1924, with a certified check for six thousand (6,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 15, 1924. (May 17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS — UNDERGROUND CONSTRUCTION.

Proposals for doing work in connection with underground construction of the Fire Alarm Branch of the Fire Department of the City of Boston, comprising the laying of about 808 feet of eight-duct conduit and the building of three man-holes according to plans and specifications which may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Fire Alarm, Fire Headquarters, Bristol street, will be received and the same will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon, May 27, 1924, at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street. Proposals must be sealed and marked "Proposals for Underground Construction," and made in duplicate, one to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time stated for the opening of the bids, the other, containing a certified check for \$500, made payable to the City of Boston, to be forfeited if the proposal is not carried out, is to be deposited at the office of the Fire Commissioner. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a bond of \$2,500 of an approved surety company doing business in Massachusetts. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the City.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.
(May 17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, MAY 8, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of the estate at the northeastern corner of Washington street and Melville avenue, numbered 512 Washington street, with the building thereon, containing approximately 20,208 square feet; the estate numbered 2 Melville avenue with the building thereon, containing approximately 8,750 square feet, and the estate numbered 508 and 510 Washington street, with the building thereon, containing approximately 17,053 square feet, Dorchester district, for courthouse purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board; that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints twelve o'clock m. of May 27, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.
(May 17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, May 15, 1924.

That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of the following parcels of land in the Hyde Park district: Readville street, lots numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12 and 13; Cross street, lot numbered 17, at the southwesterly corner of Bullard street; Bullard street, northwesterly side, lots numbered 18 to 25, inclusive; Fleet street, lot numbered 28 at the southeasterly corner of Bullard street; Bullard street, southeasterly side, lots numbered 29 to 38, inclusive; Regent street, northwesterly side, lots numbered 39, 40 and 41; Milton street, northwesterly side, lots numbered 42 to 48, inclusive; the parcel of land supposed to belong to Theodore S. Slater and Anna R. Countryman, located on Cross street, at the end of Bullard street, containing approximately 860 square feet; also the private way known as Cross street, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of June 3, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(May 17.) Secretary.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WOOD BLOCKS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Paving Service, Public Works Department,

50,000 wood blocks

as per specifications, to be delivered as required. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$200, must be left at the office of the Supply Department, before 12 m., Friday, May 23, 1924, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(May 17.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING, CLEANSING, AND PRESSING OVERCOATS.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for the repairing, cleansing, and pressing of approximately 1,400 uniform overcoats of the Boston Fire Department. These proposals must be in accordance with forms and specifications which may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, Boston. Proposals will be received at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, until 12 m., Tuesday, May 27, 1924, and at that time will be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be sealed and made in duplicate, one to be deposited with the City Auditor at City Hall previous to the time stated for opening the bids and the other is to be deposited at the office of the Fire Commissioner. The latter proposal shall contain a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, made payable to the City of Boston, and to be forfeited if the accepted proposal is not carried out. All proposals should be marked on the outside, "Proposal for Repairing, Cleansing and Pressing Overcoats." A bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to award the contract as he deems best.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.
(May 17-24.)

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BOSTON'S EXPERIMENT WITH RUBBER PAVING FOR STREETS MEETING WITH SUCCESS.

SECTIONS LAID TWO WEEKS AGO ON THE NORTHERN AVENUE BRIDGE WHERE TRAFFIC IS HEAVY SHOWS NO SIGNS OF TRACKING AND IS NOISELESS.



SECTION OF NORTHERN AVENUE BRIDGE ON WHICH RUBBER PAVING WAS LAID FOR TEST. (Photo by Harry Kelly.)

Boston is making a special test of rubber pavement and is the second city of the country to undertake to find a more suitable paving material for general wear than is at present employed and is apparently succeeding.

Sections of rubber street pavement were laid on Northern avenue draw span on May 7 and on May 14, 1924, where traffic, both horse-drawn and motor vehicle, is extremely heavy.

This is the second section of rubber pavement laid in the United States, a very small section having been laid in Racine, Wis. The section laid in Racine was 2 inches thick, whereas the rubber pavement laid on Northern Avenue Bridge is but 1 inch thick.

The pavement is laid on two sections of roadway, one of which is confined wholly to the traffic of horse-driven vehicles and the other section confined wholly to the traffic of motor vehicles, so that a test can be obtained of the wear under both kinds of traffic.

The paving consists of blocks 6 inches wide, 12 inches long and 1 inch thick. Underneath the paving is a layer of 2-inch tongued and grooved plank to which it

is nailed and this tongued and grooved plank is in turn spiked to the 5-inch plank floor of the bridge.

The paving blocks are constructed with two semicircular flaps on the side, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch thick and one flap on each end, which project out from the blocks at the base and fit into corresponding recesses in the base of another block. A rubberized cement is used to cement the blocks to the plank floor and to the adjacent blocks and drive screws are driven through the circular flaps to hold the block in place. The blocks are laid close so that the paving is made very nearly watertight.

A crew of four men, unfamiliar with the work, laid the paving at the rate of 100 square feet per hour and with increased familiarity with the work the cost of laying this paving, including the cement and spikes, but excluding the cost of the block itself, would be considerably under 10 cents a square foot. The cost of the block itself is at present somewhat problematical and would depend on the demand that would develop, but from present indications paving of

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MAYOR CHARGES ELECTION AUCTION BY REPUBLICANS.

Mayor Curley sent the following communications May 16:

HON. DAVID I. WALSH, United States Senate, Washington, D. C.:

MY DEAR SENATOR,—Your telegram addressed to me this day in answer to communication forwarded you under date of May 13, relative to solicitation of campaign funds for the Republican Party and in which communication was included a paragraph clearly indicating that it was the purpose of those in charge of the raising of funds to violate the statutes, both federal and state, has resulted in the receipt by this office of additional requests for funds and would rather strengthen the opinion expressed in the original communication that it is the purpose to conduct an auction rather than an election, unless the federal and state authorities intervene.

I have taken the liberty of forwarding copies of all communications to your colleague, Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, in addition to forwarding copies to you, and have likewise directed the attention of the Attorney-General of Massachusetts to a request for funds which has been circulated in the city of Newton in the name of Thomas W. White, Supervisor of Administration in the Department of Administration and Finance of this state, a Republican office holder, and which communication is clearly in violation of the Corrupt Practices Act.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

HON. JAY R. BENTON, Attorney-General of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State House, Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I beg to forward herewith copy of communication received by me this day and signed by a member of the Massachusetts Board of Finance and Administration.

A communication of this character, circulated through the mails by an employee of the state, is clearly a violation of section 11, chapter 55, of the General Laws, and I am forwarding the same for such action as you may deem proper.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

SECTION 11, CHAP. 55, GENERAL LAWS.

No person holding any public office of employment under the Commonwealth or any country, city or town, shall directly or indirectly demand, solicit, or receive any gift, payment, contribution, assessment, subscription or promise of money or other things of value for the political campaign purposes of any candidate or for any political purpose whatever, but this section shall not prevent such persons from being members of political organizations or committees.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, May 26, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

MAYOR NAMES TEMPORARY COMMITTEE FOR 300TH ANNIVERSARY OF SETTLEMENT OF BOSTON.

A preliminary survey committee on plans for the City of Boston Tercentenary has been appointed by Mayor Curley to be the official custodian of suggestions and ideas of all sorts which may be possibly and appropriately employed in the final completed plan for the observance in 1930 of the 300th anniversary of the settlement of Boston. In the opinion of the Mayor six years is none too long for making adequate preparations for an event of such magnitude and one which suggests so many possibilities.

The preliminary committee has been named and the present plan of procedure approved as an outcome of recommendations submitted by the Citizens' Public Celebrations Association.

The committee, which is made up of several men and women who have done much for public celebrations and civic betterment, is purely temporary in character and will cease to function after making its final report unless the Mayor should choose to continue its existence for a longer period. The members of the committee are:

Frank Chouteau Brown, chairman; John B. Archibald, Edward L. Curran, Elisabeth M. Herlihy, Frank Leveroni, James H. Phelan, Walter K. Watkins, Eva Whiting White. Advisors to the committee: J. Philip O'Connell and Wilfred F. Kelley. Secretary to the committee, E. B. Mero.

The immediate purposes are as follows:

"The committee will assemble information from various sources, it may encourage advance discussion of ways in which the anniversary should be observed, receive and classify plans or suggestions from various sources, consult individuals and organizations, consider personnel and other details of a permanent committee, and finally formulate and

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

submit to the Mayor a report as complete as may be possible to serve as the basis of the organization that will deal with the actual preparation for the events of 1930."

Arrangements will be made for several meetings at which suggestions from citizens of Boston from organized groups and other sources to be considered by the committee relative to methods of giving proper municipal recognition to the Tercentenary. Due notice will be given publicly of the time and place for presenting plans and ideas. As soon as these suggestions can be considered and assembled, the preliminary survey committee will complete its report to the Mayor with recommendations for the observance in 1930 and for such permanent form of organization as will seem best adapted to carry out the recommendation.

The City Council has made a small appropriation for current incidental expenses of the official Tercentenary Committee and no financial contributions are solicited or desired at this time.

RUBBER PAVING FOR STREETS.

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this type, 1 inch thick, may be laid for \$14 a square yard.

The rubber paving has been down for a couple of weeks and so far there is no sign of any failure on either section of the roadway. The calks of the horses' shoes and the heavy steel tires apparently make no impression on the rubber surface. It is noiseless and according to indications is not slippery, although it was thought that it might in wet weather become slippery and for this reason some the paving is grooved.

The blocks were furnished without cost to the city, through the courtesy of the Wright Rubber Products Company of Racine, Wis.

The Mayor has been very much interested in the possibilities of this type of pavement and has encouraged everybody connected with the making of the experiment.

MAYOR CURLEY APPEALS DIRECT TO LEGISLATURE FOR MORE HUMANE STATE PRISON.

POINTS TO FACT THAT DESPITE ADVERSE ACTION OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS IT IS NOT COMPATIBLE WITH HUMANE PROGRESS IN PRISON WELFARE AND ASKS FAVORABLE ACTION ON DEER ISLAND SITE.

To the Members of the General Court:

House 1270 is the report of the Special Commission on a new state prison. This report carries with it recommended legislation, which, if passed, would make effective the will of the Legislature of 1923, and the almost unanimous wish of all persons in the Commonwealth who have publicly manifested any special interest in giving the Commonwealth a modern, humane state prison.

The Committee on Public Institutions has reported unfavorably upon the bill recommended to the Legislature by the Special State Prison Commission. It was manifest to all persons present at the public hearing given by the Committee on Public Institutions on March 27 that most of the members of that committee were opposed to a change in location of the state prison, despite their effort to mask their real hostility to the Special Commission's report and recommended bill.

The Committee on Public Institutions seems to have misconceived its functions with respect to the matter now pending before them. The Legislature of 1923 authorized the appointment of a special commission with instructions to make a study of the sites available for a state prison and to report to the next Legislature the results of their investigations, together with a recommendation of a proper site other than Charlestown, and adequate and definite plans for a new state prison.

That special commission has made its report. It finds and so reports that Deer Island in Boston Harbor is the best available site for a state prison. With its report it submits a bill authorizing the state to take over Deer Island at a price to be determined by a board of arbitrators, one of whom shall be appointed by the Governor, one by the Mayor of Boston, and the third by these two so appointed. Expecting that this report would be accepted by this Legislature, the Governor and the Mayor each appointed a representative and these two in turn selected a third, who acted as an informal commission to determine the fair price to be paid by the Commonwealth to the City of Boston for Deer Island and the buildings thereon. Mr. Maurice H. Maney, an architect, construction engineer and expert appraiser on property values of forty years' experience, representing the City of Boston, after a very careful and lengthy investigation of the properties at Deer Island and the market value of island property, made a detailed report to the effect that these properties were worth over a million and a half dollars, but without fixing any definite or final price therefor. Mr. Homer Loring, chairman of the State Commission on Administration and Finance, the Governor's appointee to this board of arbitrators, recommended approximately \$500,000, and was frank to state to his associates that he fixed this price on the theory that the state prison should not be moved from

its present location and that the property was being offered for sale by an "anxious seller," the City of Boston, to an "indifferent buyer," the Commonwealth. The third member of this board, who was Mr. Howard Coonley, suggested the price of \$850,000.

The Legislative Committee on Public Institutions gave a public hearing which was attended by the members of the New State Prison Commission, the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston, representing myself, and some few other persons. The members of the committee took occasion to remark that the slim attendance at that hearing indicated an indifference on the part of the public toward the proposed removal of the state prison. Mrs. Fearing, one of the members of the Special Commission, adequately replied that the Legislature of 1923 had practically settled the question and for that reason the hundreds of persons who attended the hearing on this question in 1923 did not feel any necessity of appearing before the committee of this year, whose only function was to accept or reject the specific recommendation of the Special Commission, the major question itself having already been very definitely settled by the Legislature of the previous year. At that hearing the Corporation Counsel was asked if the City of Boston would accept \$1,000,000 for Deer Island and his reply was that the City of Boston would set no price that could be regarded as obstructive of the will of the people and the express wish of the Legislature of Massachusetts; that we would content ourselves with permitting the Legislature, or any board appointed by it to fix a price, the true value of the property owned by the city at Deer Island. Mr. Sullivan further observed that Mr. Loring, who had expressed his indifference, in fact, his opposition to moving the state prison from its present site, had accurately characterized the attitude of the City of Boston and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, when he said that it was the case of an "indifferent buyer" and an "anxious seller"; that if the Committee on Public Institutions and other persons representing the state accurately reflect the attitude of the state toward the removal of the state prison from Charlestown, the state was an indifferent buyer, and in view of the fact that the City of Boston and myself as its Mayor were both very anxious to co-operate with those responsible for this humanitarian movement, that would give to the Commonwealth a modern state prison, sanitary, healthful and fit for human habitation and measuring up to the standards set by modern penologists, that indeed the City of Boston was an "anxious seller" and so anxious was the City of Boston to let the Commonwealth have Deer Island that neither I nor the city government of Boston would neglect any opportunity to further this humane project.

Property in Boston Harbor in recent years sold at varying prices, the lowest of

which, if accepted as a fair standard of value for the property at Deer Island, would place the value of this property far above the million dollar mark, the figure suggested by the Committee on Public Institutions to the city's representative.

If the Legislature of this year shall fail to carry out the wish of the people and its own expressed determination of last year, then it must be made clear that any blame therefor does not rest upon the people of Boston or their Mayor and City Council. The blame will fall just where it belongs, upon the Massachusetts Legislature. The Special Commission has done its work well, intelligently and sympathetically with the wish of the people as it has already been expressed. I, myself, stand ready to give every aid and assistance in pleading this great humanitarian work.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

NEW PLAYGROUND FOR SOUTH BOSTON CHILDREN.

THOMAS P. GLYNN, *Chairman, School-house Department, 1009 City Hall Annex:*

DEAR SIR,—The City of Boston on two occasions has endeavored to dispose of old Police Station 6 on Broadway, South Boston, without success. In my opinion the razing of old Police Station 6, with the stable adjoining, would provide an excellent play space for the children attending the Parkman School at South Boston, and I would appreciate your conferring with the chairman of the School Committee at once with a view to securing the assent of the School Committee to this program.

In the event that it meets with the favor of the School Committee kindly inform me and I shall have the necessary order presented to the City Council for the transfer of this property without expense to the School Committee.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

THANK MAYOR FOR AID IN MILITARY TRAINING CAMPS FOR CITIZENS.

Mayor Curley received the following letter May 17:

HEADQUARTERS FIRST CORPS AREA, ARMY BASE.

BOSTON, May 15, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR MAYOR CURLEY,—I was very much pleased to learn from General Brewster that your son would attend the training camp at Devens this year. I have heard from different sources of his outstanding qualities and he will be a real asset to the camp.

May I take advantage of this opportunity to thank you for the many ways in which you have been assisting us in our campaign for enrollment this year. Every few days I hear of something that you have done to further the movement that has brought appreciable results.

BLANTON WINSHIP,

Colonel, J. A., D. O. L.,
Officer in Charge, C. M. T. C. Affairs.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisements in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for repairing, cleansing, pressing uniform overcoats of the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Headquarters, Bristol street. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, May 27, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing underground cables. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department headquarters, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing the ferry piers. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 26, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Canterbury street to River street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$65,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$6,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 26, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for granite block pavement in Chelsea street, Charlestown, from Vine street to Chelsea Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$11,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, June 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for granite block pavement in Border street, from North Ferry to William J. Kelly square. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508,

City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, June 5, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Harvard street 160 feet southerly to 390 feet southerly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$900. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 2, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for selling land to the city for an elementary school in the Warren-Bunker Hill District, Charlestown. Bids to be submitted on or before Tuesday, May 27.

Bids opened Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for building a manual training stock room in the Henry L. Pierce School, Washington street and Welles avenue, Dorchester, doing all the alterations, etc. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, May 21. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for selling land to the city for an elementary school in the Shurtleff District, South Boston. Bids to be submitted on or before Tuesday, May 27.

Bids opened Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the Winship School, Dighton street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for selling to the city land for an elementary school in the Everett District, South End, Boston, bounded by Shawmut avenue, Tremont, Rutland and West Concord streets. Proposals must be submitted to the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on or before June 10, 1924.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for supplying the various city departments with ice. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a

certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, May 26, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Paving Service, 400,000 granite paving blocks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meat to the various city departments for the month of June. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Building Department two new Ford sedans. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, May 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for supplying the City Hospital with dry goods. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for furnishing 375 tons of coke to the Institutions Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 2, at 12 m.

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BOSTON FAR AHEAD OF BALANCE OF COUNTRY IN MATTER OF SPRINKLER REQUIREMENTS.

BUILDING COMMISSIONER JOHN H. MAHONY MAKES REPORT TO MAYOR CURLEY ON RESULT OF BUILDING OFFICIALS' CONFERENCE IN LOUISVILLE, KY., IN APRIL.

BOSTON, May 19, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR:—With your approval I attended the tenth annual meeting of the Building Officials' Conference in Louisville, Ky., on April 8, 9, 10 and 11, 1924.

The Building Officials' Conference was composed of approximately one hundred members; twenty subscribing members representing manufacturers of building material, and the others representing the largest cities of this country, extending as far south as Dallas Tex.; as far west as Los Angeles, Cal., and Portland, Ore.; northwest to Minneapolis, Minn.; and north to Boston, Mass., and it even extends its membership to Toronto, Canada.

All cities with over twenty-five thousand inhabitants are eligible for membership. This includes cities presided over by one man to the larger departments of New York with its five burroughs, to Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit and Boston.

With this scattered membership one comes in contact with men of varied experiences, of various degrees of competency in engineering, building construction, architecture and legal requirements, and also with men of ability along administrative lines.

With a group of such men assembled in a conference, all taking a particular interest in all the proceedings of the program, the amount of knowledge thus obtained is of great value; in other words, one sees how the same problems are handled by other commissioners.

In this respect it is interesting to know that about the same problems are engaging the attention of the heads of the building departments throughout this country, the only difference being as to the degree. These problems are as follows:

All the cities of the country are rearranging, codifying or writing a new building code. It seems as though we will never arrive at a time when we are all satisfied with a complete commonsense law on building construction. The code is either out of date or made up of so many amendments, or being revised, that it is almost impossible to understand, and in most every city the head of the department is required to have legal knowledge as well as a knowledge of engineering, architecture and mechanics.

The city of New York has one of the most complete codes of this country. This code is the result of long scientific study, costing between two and three hundred thousand dollars, and it is even now undertaking some changes.

No code is able to stand in force (with many changes each year) a very long time. In most cities these changes are made by the local city authorities or by the state legislature as is the case with the City of Boston.

The subject of building codes is of such importance as to engage the attention of the United States Department of Commerce. Secretary Hoover is attempting to standardize building construction throughout this country so that the Ameri-

can people will be able to construct buildings of similar occupancy along standard lines of construction with a minimum cost. The work already done is of great value to cities contemplating a complete revision or to other cities that are revising their codes.

The results of the studies made by the United States Department of Commerce and the United States Bureau of Standards are of such value and importance to the building trade that it should be encouraged and strengthened by all those who take an interest along these lines.

The next subject of importance that is engaging the attention of the building officials is the subject of municipal zoning. Almost every city is struggling with its problem and in many cities like Boston, the subject is entirely a new one, and consequently it will take some time to work out all its many and varied problems.

Many problems present themselves to the building commissioner because he is the official who must, in most all the cities, enforce the zoning requirements. The zoning law, like all new laws, at the first study, presents many perplexing problems and in many cities the first few years of its enforcement is met with great opposition.

For instance, the city of New York is now operating under a zoning law that is about seven years old. The zoning director told the legislative committees that during the first year of the zoning law in the city of New York the law was amended with a view of lessening the requirements at a ratio of three to one; last year strengthening amendments were taken at a ratio of three to one, thus showing that when the people understand the benefits obtained under the zoning law, it is almost universally approved.

Some of the opponents to the zoning law were heard to say that zoning was only applicable to new communities, but this is not so. It is also necessary in the old congested cities.

It might be interesting to know that the City of Boston was the first city of this country to zone the city for height of buildings in certain sections. This work so well begun is now to be continued by the introduction of your Honor's bill now before the State Legislature for a complete zoning of the whole city.

The third subject of importance was the relation of the architect with the building department. As this is a subject on which a paper was read, I will deal with this more in detail later.

The fourth subject that was considered more especially in round-table gossip, or in the conversation of small groups, was the question of responsibility after disaster sometimes resulting in loss of lives. It is the history of municipal building departments throughout the country that the commissioner, at some time in his tenure, has to meet a building disaster. Immediately the public demands an investigation, and if the disaster causes the loss of life the building inspector or the building commissioner sometimes is indicted by the local grand jury. After a most complete investigation it is generally found

that the building department used reasonable care in the examination of the plans or was reasonably diligent in the inspection of the building during erection, and that the cause of disaster was some imperfect piece of construction performed by some unlicensed mechanic, very few cities requiring building mechanics to be licensed, Boston being one of the few that does require them to be licensed.

Sometimes the public demands far too much from the building inspector. All he can hope to accomplish is to so arrange his many inspections each day as to give a reasonable amount of time to each job. He is not expected to be a clerk of works or a general superintendent.

The next subjects taken into consideration were the amount of time that the building department should take in the examination of plans, the completeness of plans, the checking of first-class and steel construction, the granting of partial approvals so as to commence construction, the number of employees, the cost of maintenance, the use of automobiles for large districts or districts of great distance from the head office. All these subjects were discussed in detail; many will never be settled, but in all of them information of great value is obtained.

The "National Monthly Building Survey," prepared by S. W. Straus & Co., dated April 1, 1924, contains the figures for the first quarter of this year which amounted to approximately \$984,055,102, or approximately three and one half billions of dollars for the year. This shows a gain of over 11 per cent of the first quarter of 1923 which was about 40 per cent ahead of the first quarter of 1922. As this organization represents over one billion and a half dollars in permits granted, one can readily see the importance of this conference.

The conference opened on Tuesday, April 8, at 10 o'clock a. m., with an address of welcome by Mayor Huston Quin, who extended the courtesy of the city government and local building commissioner. He informed the members of the conference of the manufacturing and railroad importance of the city, and in a well-chosen, witty speech acquainted the commission with the city's history and what it hoped to accomplish in the future.

The first paper read was on "Building Exits Code" and was read by Mr. Charles McDermott, State Inspector of School Buildings at Trenton, New Jersey. This paper was submitted only as a progressive report and was not complete. It contained much valuable information as regards egress from school buildings.

On the subject of elevators a most complete and lengthy report was read by a representative of Mr. Charles Brady of the Borough of Manhattan, New York City. The following are the most important features of his report:

The number of passenger elevators in the Borough of Manhattan has increased from 2,800 in the year 1898, to 12,375 at the close of the year 1922, and the estimated daily passenger traffic has correspondingly increased from 1,260,000 to 9,275,000. The estimated number of miles traveled daily by the elevator cars is more than 48,000 miles.

The number of accidents reported in connection with passenger and freight elevators during the year 1922 was 74, of which 89 per cent were of a preventable nature, 69 per cent occurred at the entrance to the hoistway, 54 per cent due to carelessness of the operator and 9 per cent to carelessness of the passenger.

The relation of the number of fatal

accidents to the number of passengers carried during the year 1922 was as 1 to 168,750,000, and the corresponding relation of the total number of accidents to the total number of passengers carried was as 1 to 50,000,000.

In the year 1923, 120 accidents in connection with passenger and freight elevators were reported. This is an increase

of 38 per cent over the number reported in 1922; 95 per cent of these accidents were of a preventable nature; 75 per cent occurred at the entrance to the hoistway; 64 per cent due to carelessness of the operator, and 10.8 per cent to the carelessness of the passengers; 15.83 per cent due to defects in machines, equipment and maintenance, but notwithstanding

this fact not one fatality occurred on passenger elevators as a result of the failure of machine ropes or equipment, and only fourteen passengers were injured from such failures during 1923.

The following are the elevator statistics relative to elevators and elevator operation in the City of Boston for the years 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923:

CITY OF BOSTON BUILDING DEPARTMENT, ELEVATOR STATISTICS FOR THE YEARS 1920-23 (INCLUSIVE).

YEAR.	NUMBER OF ELEVATORS.			ACCIDENTS.							NUMBER OF LICENSED OPERATORS.		FATAL ACCIDENTS, PASSENGER ELEVATORS.*		RATIO.
	Total.	Passengers.	Freight.	Total.	Passengers.	Fatal.	Nonfatal.	Freight.	Fatal.	Nonfatal.	Passenger.	Freight.	Licensed Operator.	Unlicensed Operator.	
1920	10,979	3,643	7,336	69	37	4	70	32	4	26	4,419	422	None.	—	1 to 159
1921.	11,113	3,698	7,415	49	23	3	77	26	6	20	4,216	400	1.†	—	1 to 226
1922 ...	11,272	3,787	7,485	49	22	4	18	27	8	18	3,966	412	None.	—	1 to 250
1923 ..	11,522	3,910	7,612	61	27	2	26	34	6	27	4,635	445	None.	2	1 to 188

* From July, 1915, to date (nearly nine years), the period covered by licensed freight elevator operators, there have been no deaths on freight elevators under the control of licensed operators.

† Court held operator partially responsible.

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PASSENGERS CARRIED ON PASSENGER ELEVATORS DURING THE YEAR 1923.

Total number carried.....	1,686,866,500
Number carried illegally (unlicensed operators) two fatal accidents.....	14,028,000
Number carried by licensed operators with no fatal accidents.....	1,672,838,500

One hundred and twenty-six times as safe with licensed operators as with unlicensed operators.

In estimating the number of passengers carried on passenger elevators actual count was taken in several typical buildings and this formed a basis from which to derive the total number carried. Allowances were made for Sundays and holidays, for apartment houses and for private dwellings.

You will note that according to the report of the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, for the year 1923, that the ratio of the number of fatal accidents to the number of passengers carried was one to fifty millions, while in the City of Boston for the same period it was none in one thousand six hundred and seventy-two millions. On freight elevators our records show that during the past nine years there has been no fatal accident on freight elevators under the control of licensed operators.

In New York (Borough of Manhattan) for he year 1923 the percentage of increase of elevator accidents over 1922 was 38 per cent; in Boston for the same period it was only 24.5 per cent. These remarkable figures bear out the contention of the department that as far as elevator travel is concerned, conditions of safety and security in Boston are far superior to conditions in other cities of the country.

The paper on "Walkway Surfaces," a very interesting progressive report, was read by H. W. Mowery, secretary, Sectional Committee. The report was only in part as the subject embraced such a large amount of detail matter and the committee working on the same coming from great distances, it was impossible to complete the subject at this time.

Some headway has been accomplished on the subject of walkway surfaces in stairways of hotels, theaters, railway stations, and department stores. It was recommended that rough surfaces be substituted in all cases for slippery, highly-polished surfaces of marbles and mosaic

and when these surfaces are substituted the number of accidents have been greatly reduced.

It was interesting to know that a number of elevator accidents are due to slippery, highly-polished elevator thresholds, and on this particular point considerable information was recommended for safety.

The committee hopes to be able to complete its work by the next annual conference and, when published, it will contain a most complete and valuable specification on this subject of walkway surfaces.

Rudolph P. Miller read a good report on the subject of "Fire Tests" on different building materials.

The report on the subject of "Simplified Practice" was read by Frank P. Cartwright, technical secretary, Building Code Committee, United States Department of Commerce. Mr. Cartwright explained that it was the purpose of the committee after research and investigation to so report its findings to the manufacturers of building materials, that a great saving of labor, and cost of machinery, should result in a more simplified method of producing the same results.

For instance, it was found on investigation that of the one hundred and twenty-five different kinds of metal lath, twenty-four would in most all cases be sufficient.

Reductions should be made along the following lines: Range boilers from 130 to 13; paving bricks from 66 to 6; asphalt paving bricks from 102 to 10; face building bricks from 39 to 1; common bricks from 36 to 1, and an equal reduction could be made in all plumbing fixtures.

If these results can be obtained a saving of millions of dollars would result.

Mr. Ira H. Woolson of the National Board of Fire Underwriters read a progressive report on the work of the Building Code Committee, United States Department of Commerce. He explained that

the subject was so gigantic that the committee has not been able to finish its work on the subject of building codes. It has practically completed its work on frame dwellings and brick dwellings and has distributed quite a complete volume on this subject. Mr. Woolson expressed a desire for any information on this subject that would be helpful to the committee, or any other building construction information that the committee needs for compiling a building code.

Mr. J. F. Downey, Building Commissioner of Cambridge, Mass., read a paper on the building code requirements for the proper use of lime. This paper contained information on the proper mixing and best preparations for use of lime mortar in brick and stone masonry, and also the amount of time and proper conditions for slacking of lime.

"Sprinkler Requirements." James G. Houghton, Inspector of Buildings, Minneapolis, Minn., submitted a partial report on requirements that a building code should contain relative to sprinkler equipment in buildings of a hazardous occupancy.

The City of Boston is so far in advance of most cities of this country on this subject that little of value was obtained from this paper.

The City of Boston is one of the few cities that contains a sub-division in its Building Department inspecting nothing but sprinkler installations.

Mr. Frank Burton, commissioner, Department of Buildings and Safety Engineering, Detroit, Mich., read a paper on "Limestone Requirements." As this subject was of great importance only a progressive report was submitted at this time.

"Minimum Live Load Requirements for Use in Design of Buildings." This subject has been dealt with in great detail by the United States Department of Commerce, Building Code Committee,

and they have recently issued a pamphlet on this subject that contains some surprising information.

Almost every building code in this country contains a live-load section, and in many cases quite a range of live loading is indicated; for instance, in office buildings, the number of building codes examined numbered one hundred and six; in floors not used by the public the live load requirements ranged from twenty-five pounds to one hundred and fifty pounds per square foot. This wide difference is shown in the table in most all the different occupancies of buildings.

Now, as is the case in designing an office building, either twenty-five pounds per square foot is too low, or one hundred and fifty pounds per square foot is too excessive; so the United States Department of Commerce is endeavoring to standardize all live load requirements for the same occupancy throughout the country. When this is accomplished and a reasonable live load numeral arrived at, the first step will be accomplished in the reduction of the high cost of construction.

"Efficiency in a Building Department." This paper was read by H. E. Plummer, Inspector of Buildings, Portland, Ore., and it was one paper that was widely discussed by the conference. It contained much that was important and much that was highly impracticable and never could be carried out to a logical conclusion.

With the exception of the paper on the legal aspects, it was the most lengthy report and contained much information in office requirements and inspection data.

Its main lines of thought were almost identical with the office organization of the Boston Building Department or any like department of equal size and importance.

The author of the paper stated that the cost of maintenance of municipal building departments varied from 25 cents to 75 cents per capita. Boston's cost comes between the points—42 cents.

"The Relation Between the Architect and the Building Department" was submitted by Brinton B. Davis, architect, of Louisville, Ky., and it was shown by this report that many architects show a complete misunderstanding of their cities' building codes, and by incomplete plans increase the difficulties of their local department.

It was also shown that with most architects their duties end with the granting of the building department and it was suggested that all architects be either licensed or be obliged to register.

The need of greater restrictions in the issuance of permits to persons competent to design and willing to assume responsibility for safe construction was again emphasized as it has been at previous meetings.

"The Building Inspector as he Appears to the Public." This paper was read by Mr. Frank P. Cartwright, technical secretary, Building Code Committee, United States Department of Commerce. He indicated that the functions of the building inspector and the place occupied by the building regulations in the general scheme of municipal administration, are generally misunderstood. Among the points made are: That many building codes are out of date; that appropriations for the administration of the building laws are inadequate; that building permits are issued to persons of questionable competence and responsibility to carry out safe construction; that the public generally regard the inspector as nothing more than a job holder; that the official has not adequate discretion; and that

building officials are often unjustly held responsible for failure to anticipate unsafe construction and to apprehend violations of law.

The officials were guests of the Board of Trade of Louisville at a luncheon held at the Brown Hotel on Wednesday, April 9, Arthur D. Allen, president, presiding.

Mr. Rudolph P. Miller, president of the Building Officials' Conference, also addressed the meeting, calling attention to the dangers of too large a city, and he also called attention to the officials of small cities that they should endeavor to use all their energy to guard against construction of large buildings in small areas with a view of spreading them out into the suburbs.

A paper on "The Scope and Limitations of a Building Code" was read by George R. Hauser, Building Commissioner, Cincinnati, O.

Mr. Hauser cautioned the framers of new codes in the brevity of codes, the plain language of codes, and the proper use of building language that can be readily understood by laymen and mechanics.

Mr. Fred W. Lumis, Building Commissioner of the City of Springfield, Mass., read a paper on "Non-Occupancy Structures," such as gas holders, storage tanks, coal elevators and such like structures.

Mr. Lumis called the attention of the conference to the collapse of the molasses tank in the City of Boston as an example as to the importance of building codes to contain more stringent laws governing the construction of such like structures.

Mr. R. G. Kimbell read a most complete paper on the subject of "Building Code Limitations on Floor Areas in Buildings." His paper was submitted in a printed form and the whole subject is contained in the "American Architect" under date of March 26, 1924, with formulas and tables which show how complete this subject has been studied.

"The Standardization of Specifications for Steel Construction" was presented by Lee H. Miller of Cleveland, O, who explained by lantern slides and formulas the necessity of standard practice in the construction and design of steel framed buildings.

Among other things the reasons for using in these new specifications a column formula which is deemed theoretically correct, as against an empirical straight-line formula, were outlined, but they were not received as conclusive.

Mr. T. J. Foster, president, National Bridge Works, Long Island City, New York, submitted plans and details of a "Lattice Rolled Steel Beam," which he claimed was a new development in steel shapes with a view of reducing the cost of building construction.

"Investigations on Stucco by the United States Bureau of Standards" was read by Mr. J. C. Pearson, Washington, D. C., who pointed out that the chief factors in the successful use of that construction are thorough workmanship, the use of an absorptive base for stucco, and proper water content.

A scholarly paper on "Legal Aspects" was presented by Frank Burton, Commissioner of Buildings of Detroit, Mich., reviewing fully the basis in law for the exercise of police powers as related to building work.

This subject was handled so masterly by Mr. Burton that it was the leading paper presented at this conference; it was indicative of a great research work

and study and contained many citations from decisions of the supreme courts of different states; it is a paper that should be found in the libraries of building attorneys throughout this country.

The conference concluded its work by visiting the plant of the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company at Louisville and a visit to the Louisville Cement Company's plant at Speeds, Ind. It adjourned at 5 o'clock p. m., April 11, 1924.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Building Commissioner.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

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SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertisers for proposals for steel shelving for the City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Joseph Todesco has been granted extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Columbia park, between Lawrence avenue and Hamilton place, Dorchester, from May 10, 1924, to July 26, 1924, 77 days, on account of the fact that the rock is of such a difficult nature that a much longer time will be required than was anticipated.

The McCulloch Manufacturing Company have been granted a further extension of the time of completion of the contracts for assembling 6-inch and 8-inch gate valves; and 10-inch and 12-inch valves (both contracts dated August 24, 1923), from May 20, 1924, to July 30, 1924.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Warren Foundry and Pipe Company has been granted extension of the time of completion of the contract for furnishing cast-iron water pipes and special castings to the Water Service, from May 15, 1924, to July 15, 1924.

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims.

Marjorie F. Ready, in the sum of \$1,200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in highway at corner Causeway and Beverly streets, June 9, 1923.

Irene Glaser, 79 Walworth street, Roslindale, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by fall over coal hole cover on Corinth street, near Washington street, November 8, 1923.

Stephen Sansone, 30 South Margin street, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by being struck by city automobile at corner of Staniford and Green streets, January 23, 1924.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, May 22:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The following-named temporary street clerks have been granted an extension of time for a period of fifteen days: Albert Soosman, John M. Devine, John A. Reagan, James L. Cluney, Joseph Bianco, Andrew Fay, James F. Cheever, Daniel J. O'Sullivan, Clement F. Reardon, William H. Doherty, Charles Foley, John L. McKay, Jeremiah M. Collins, Thomas J. Meldon, James P. Maguire, John J. King, Jr., Robert C. Murray and John W. Walsh, upon piece-work basis, as follows: Counter book, $1\frac{1}{2}$ cents per item; indexing, 20 cents per page; corporations, 5 cents per item.

James A. Sweeney, Jr., has been continued in employment for a period of fifteen days upon piece-work basis, as follows: Counter book, $1\frac{1}{4}$ cents per item; indexing, 20 cents per page; corporations, 5 cents per item.

Catherine J. Moore has been continued in employment as temporary clerk, for a period not exceeding ten days at \$4 a day.

POSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, May 8:

To Fill Vacancies.—Thomas E. Crosby, male nurse, \$540 per year; Dora Hunt, nurse (patient), \$240 per year; Isabel Scott, maid, \$468 per year; Emma Murphy, cook, \$480 per year; Annie Hatch, maid, \$468 per year; Marie Whalen, cook, \$480 per year; Arthur Ross, attendant nurse (patient), \$240 per year; George Wright, choreman (patient), \$240 per year; Luke Kelley, choreman (patient), \$240 per year; Julia J. Wall, laundress, \$420 per year; Ellen Washburn, laundress, \$420 per year; John Mahoney, maid (patient), \$240 per year; Edward Ross, choreman (patient), \$240 per year; Richard Coughlin, assistant farmer, \$600 per year; William Hessen, assistant farmer, \$600 per year; Cornelius Lee, maid (patient), \$240 per year.

Temporary.—Essie Joyce, maid, \$468 per year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Annie Cullen, nurse (patient), \$240 per year; Eliza Kane, assistant cook, \$480 per year; Emma Murphy, assistant cook, \$420 per year; Marie Whalen, maid, \$468 per year; Thomas Bannigan, attendant nurse (patient), \$240 per year; Edward Ross, maid (patient), \$240 per year; Michael Calnan, choreman, \$240 per year.

Hollis French and Allen Hubbard, consulting engineers, have been appointed engineers for the new Out-Patient Department Building.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Margaret L. Lang, clerk and stenographer has been granted an increase in pay, from \$840 a year to \$1,100 a year.

Increase in salaries of the following 33 assistant registrars and three carpenters have been granted.

Assistant Registrars.—Joseph J. Burke, John H. Campbell, Charles W. Harrington, Austin F. O'Malley, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year; Harry L. Breed, James Doyle, Kathleen G. Ennis, Helen J. Fitzgerald, Daniel B. Hurley, William H. Murphy, John P. Roach, Frank F.

Tripp, John Young, Jr., from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year; Patrick M. Costello, Rocco Leone, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year; Joseph A. Calkins, Jr., John J. Capelle, John C. Crossen, John C. Davis, Frederick A. Hopkins, David Jacobs, William T. Jones, Paul D. Kane, Edward P. Kennedy, Michael F. McLaughlin, Thomas J. McMackin, John F. Monahan, George H. Norton, John H. Quinlan, Frank A. Sughrue, William H. Tighe, C. Alford Wilton, Ambrose Woods, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Carpenters.—Michael J. Harkins and George W. Knight from \$5 to \$5.50 a day; James J. Ahearn, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Catherine McLaughlin, clerk with knowledge of typewriting, has been transferred from the Division of Civil Service, Department of Civil Service and Registration, at \$840 a year, to the Boston Health Department at \$1,000 a year.

The following changes in the compensation of the employees have been approved.

Weekly.

In effect from April 4, 1924 (except as noted):

Max Stone, caretaker, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Michael Ahern, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

George W. Boylen, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Dennis J. Coleman, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

John F. Doherty, caretaker and chauffeur, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

William D. Hayward, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

John J. Lindsey, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

William J. Murphy, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Frank Riseman, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Max Becowsky, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

William T. Caffrey, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Patrick Curran, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

James R. Gallivan, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Edward J. Gill, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Michael J. O'Kane, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

John J. Mellyn, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

James A. O'Rourke, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Richard F. Stack, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Daniel P. Connor, caretaker, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Andrew J. Murphy, caretaker (in effect May 6), from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Michael J. Fallon, chauffeur and mechanic, from \$29 to \$32 a week.

James T. O'Hara, chauffeur, from \$28 to \$31 a week.

Maurice P. Newman, chauffeur, from \$28 to \$31 a week.

William A. McNulty, chauffeur, from \$28 to \$31 a week.

John A. Canniff*, clerk, \$1,800 a year.

Daniel P. Ego, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Alice G. Balfe, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William A. Bothwell, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Jeremiah Carroll, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William J. Healey, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Ellen A. Heffernan, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Mary H. Spillane, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Rose A. Doherty, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Fidelia Fisk, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Mary F. Murphy, clerk, (in effect May 20), from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Sophie Finkelstein, clerk, from \$14.00 to \$1,500 a year.

Margaret E. Mahan, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Anna E. Smith, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Thomas A. Collins, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

William J. Fallon, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Helen B. O'Donnell, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Edward F. Byrne, clerk, (charge against 4 at \$1,200), from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

James D. Carney, clerk (charge against 4 at \$1,200), from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Adrian E. Crampton, clerk, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Leo E. Diamond, clerk (charge against 4 at \$1,200), from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

John F. Fitzpatrick, clerk (charge against 4 at \$1,200), from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Margaret B. Maraghy, clerk (charge against 5 at \$1,200-\$1,300), from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

William F. Grady, collector of samples, from \$4.85 to \$5 a day.

James C. McNally, collector of samples, (in effect May 2), from \$4.85 to \$5 a day.

Joseph E. O'Neil, collector of samples (in effect May 2), from \$4.85 to \$5 a day.

Barney C. DeLuca, constable, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Joseph F. Kelly, constable, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

James F. Neville, constable, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Walter R. Tarbett, constable, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Morgan J. Dwyer, custodian, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

James F. Kaveney, fireman, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Mollie Davies, hospital helper, from \$15 to \$16 a week.

Elizabeth O'Brien, laboratory helper, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Joseph F. Walsh, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

James A. Carr, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Thomas A. English, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

John F. Riley, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Edward A. Campana, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

William G. Maloney, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

John McGlinchey, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Daniel J. Flanagan, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

George Costanza, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

James J. Pontuso, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Richard F. Sheehan, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Michael T. Harrington, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Francis J. Boylan, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

* Promoted to fill a vacancy. In effect April 25.

Paul C. Disario, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Henry M. Emmons, inspector, medical, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

James A. Keenan, inspector, medical, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Peter J. Connor, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Francis A. Berrigan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Frank J. McFarland, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Martin F. Haverty, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William F. Blood, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John J. Reardon, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William F. Brown, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Walter V. Campbell, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John C. Clougherty, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Wilfred J. Gaudreau, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

David R. MacSwain, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James M. Murphy, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John M. Sullivan, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John M. O'Hara, inspector, dairy, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Alexander R. Tolland, inspector, dairy, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

John A. Cunningham, inspector, dairy, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Walter A. Feeley, inspector, dairy, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Arthur W. Clarke, inspector, dairy, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Herbert S. Robinson, inspector, dairy, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

George H. Brophy, inspector, food, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Henry J. Hart, inspector, food, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

John F. Linchan, inspector, food, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

John J. Carr, inspector, food, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Frederick A. Stiles, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

William J. Gleason, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

James V. Murphy, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Henry P. Walsh, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William J. Cotty, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frank Gaffey, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John F. Fitzgerald, Jr., inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John T. Manning, inspector, dairy, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Alfred L. Moron, inspector, dairy, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Patrick H. Cannon, inspector, sanitary, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Joseph C. Troy, inspector, food (May 2), from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Louis T. Farrell, settlement investigator, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Edward P. Stanton, investigator, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Annie Bartley, matron, from \$18.50 to \$20 a week.

Hannah Cahill, matron, from \$18.50 to \$20 a week.

Catherine Grogan, matron, from \$18.50 to \$20 a week.

Susan Hodgdon, matron, from \$18.50 to \$20 a week.

Margaret Hurley, matron, from \$18.50 to \$20 a week.

Mary Lee, matron, from \$18.50 to \$20 a week.

Hannah Morris, matron, from \$18.50 to \$20 a week.

Bridget Nagle, matron, from \$18.50 to \$20 a week.

Nellie O'Brien, matron, from \$18.50 to \$20 a week.

Mary E. Gallagher, matron, from \$18.50 to \$20 a week.

James A. Wall, media man, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Patrick J. O'Riordan, media man, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Frederick L. O'Neil, media man, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Elizabeth G. Phillips, supervising nurse, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Mary A. Callanan, supervising nurse, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Mary J. Byrne, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Maude B. Corkery, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Margaret E. Coyle, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Louise R. Lundy, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Anna K. McLaughlin, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Anna O'Connell, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Sarah Barry, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Margaret J. Connolly, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Barbara L. Coughlin, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Helen L. Donahue, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Isabel Imrie, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Kathryn F. Kelley, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Helen McLaughlin, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Louise Mogensen, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Grace A. Moran, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Mary K. O'Malley, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Margaret M. Murphy, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Lola Reyner, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Margaret A. Connolly, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Sophie T. Raport, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Margaret M. Ryan, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Julia E. Moynihan, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Marie G. Dwyer, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Anne M. Smith, nurse, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Mary G. Moran, nurse, from \$1,400 to \$1,600 a year.

Mary A. Curley, nurse, from \$1,400 to \$1,600 a year.

Mary McKeown, nurse, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Anna F. Regan, nurse, from \$1,400 to \$1,600 a year.

Lottie A. Suszczynski, nurse, from \$1,400 to \$1,600 a year.

Julia A. Murphy, nurse, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Edward J. Kennedy, rat catcher, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Francis L. Donovan, rat catcher, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

William E. Jamieson, hospital superintendent, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Fred R. Bartlett, technical assistant, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John R. Fallon, technical assistant, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Monthly.

In effect April 1, 1924.

Charles F. Wilinsky, director, health unit, from \$2,500 to \$3,000 a year.

Stephen L. Maloney, secretary, from \$2,500 to \$2,700 a year.

Aubrey J. Collins, medical inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John G. Downing, medical director, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Walter T. Fuller, medical inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Harry Goldman, medical inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

William B. Keeler, medical inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Gaetano Praino, medical inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

James Siragusa, medical inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Luigi P. Verde, medical inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Henry F. R. Watts, medical inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Charles L. Moran, medical inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, May 15:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Ethel Skanes, baker's assistant, \$11 a week; Josephine Foley, clerk, \$14 a week; Marie C. Parker, social worker, \$21.39 a week; Helen Harrison, reconstruction aid, \$28 a week; Helen Doyle, laundress, \$14 a week; Charlotte Ross, laundress, \$14 a week; Margaret Goggin, laundress, \$14 a week; Delia Tansey, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Mary Devlin, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Jennie B. Martin, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Elsie B. Griffen, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Bessie Allen, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Frankie Walters, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Anna Coleman, ward helper, \$11 a week; Mary Marceau, ward helper, \$11 a week; Anna Lanone, ward helper, \$11 a week; A. Shaughnessy, ward helper, \$11 a week; Catherine Devine, ward helper, \$11 a week; Lucy Callanan, ward helper, \$11 a week; Margaret Cohane, ward helper, \$11 a week; Marion Bornstein, ward helper, \$11 a week; Mary Lucy, ward helper, \$11 a week; Susan Lambert, ward-maid, \$11 a week; Patrick Curran, porter, \$17.50 a week; Dennis Murphy, porter, \$17.50 a week; E. Wentworth, porter, \$17.50 a week; Charles Cunningham, transfer porter, \$11 a week.

Temporary.—Peter Dempsey, telephone operator, \$20 a week; Donald McClosky, telephone operator, \$20 a week; Charles Kelley, out-patient orderly, \$21.50 a week; Bridget Mazickian, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Ralph Craft, kitchenman, \$20 a week; Andrew Flanagan, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Patrick Lawless, jobber, \$3.50 a day.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Margaret Donnelly, supply cook at \$15 to cleaner at \$11.50 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, May 15:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Frank Davey, attendant, \$600 a year, temporary.

Edward Woodford, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed John Hicks.

Lawrence W. Nutley, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Selma Reinap.

Edith O. Mogk, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Margaret Downey.

MARKET DEPARTMENT.

The following named employees have been granted increases in salary:

Thomas F. O'Brien, messenger, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 year; John J. Dodd, watchman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 year; Israel H. Young, watchman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 year; Thomas F. Breen, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day; Patrick Collins, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day; Elizabeth M. Conboy, matron, from \$9.59 to \$18 a week.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

James F. McNamara has been granted temporary employment as a gardener-laborer for a period of about three months, at \$4 a day.

Sarah Mackin has been granted further temporary employment for a period of three months, as a matron and seamstress at \$18 a week, for special work, *i. e.*, the making of fig leaves.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Thomas LeMoura has been given employment as temporary electrician at \$5.60 a day for thirty days in the Ferry Service.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Henry W. Gay has been given employment as temporary rodman at \$18 a week in the Paving Service.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Francis J. Bergen has been appointed permanent meter reader at \$1,300 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Frank M. Fraine has been granted an extension of employment as a transitman at \$1,400 a year for three months.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, May 15: Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 1½ days, \$9; Daniel Sweeney, fireman, 3 days, \$16.50; Thomas Melley, fireman, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 15, 1924:

Main Department.

P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 6 hours, \$3.90; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 12 hours, \$7.56; F. Creehan, elevator helper, 12 hours, \$4; C. Clancy, elevatorman, 36 hours, \$8.28; F. Woodward, elevator-woman, 12 hours, \$2.76; G. Roache, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$3.75; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; M. Saunders, gauze sorter, 6 hours, \$2.50; J. Kerrigan, L. Lindlof, T. Sullivan, W. Barrett, porters, 6 hours, \$1.75 each; W. Shea,

laundryman, 6 hours, \$4.50; A. Imbrato, laundryman, 6 hours, \$3.63; J. Lorden, laundryman, 4½ hours, \$2.72; J. Scaduto, laundryman, 6 hours, \$3.13; T. Ryan, laundryman, 6 hours, \$2.88; A. Howard, laundryman, 6 hours, \$2.64; E. C. Laskey, laundryman, 6 hours, \$2.50; M. Keating, laundry assistant, 2½ hours, \$0.78; A. Taura, laundress, 2½ hours, \$0.68; M. E. Callaghan, G. Baker, L. Brickley, M. Cotter, M. Falvey, C. Farren, E. Frieburg, M. Keegan, M. Driscoll, N. Keegan, S. Koldys, M. Lange, C. Peterson, H. Reardon, A. Sienkiewicz, B. Sparrow, A. Stanulys, V. Ziemba, laundresses, 2½ hours, \$0.66 each.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

R. Keith, laundryman, 3½ hours, \$2.27; A. McGonagle, laundress, 2½ hours, \$0.66.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Harkins, laundress, 2½ hours, \$0.66; J. Keohane, laundress, 2½ hours, \$0.66. Total, \$87.17.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 15: Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

Charles W. Russell, chief engineer, 15 hours, \$14.06; William Silinsky, oiler, 15 hours, \$10.31; John Doherty, fireman, 1½ days, \$8.25; Patrick Lawlor, fireman, 1½ days, \$8.25; John Murphy, assistant engineer, temporary, 1½ days, \$8.25. Total, \$49.12.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, May 15: Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each; Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$4.50.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 15: James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 2 hours, \$1.78; Edward R. Morris, apprentice, 2 hours, \$1.22. Total, \$3.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 15: J. McDonough, elevatorman, 3 hours, \$1.50.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 12: Draughtsmen.—J. E. Murray, 1 day, \$4.93; C. J. Thompson, 5 days, \$24.65.

First Assistant Draughtsmen.—W. J. Doherty, 2 days, \$8.77.

Assistant Draughtsmen.—D. J. Flynn, W. T. O'Neil, 2 days, \$8.22 each; T. F. Reilly, J. J. Skayhan, F. P. Farren, 1 day, \$4.11 each; P. J. McGonagle, ½ day, \$2.06.

Subforemen.—J. D. O'Brien, P. J. Henebury, 3 days, \$16.50 each.

Carpenters.—F. McConn, J. J. O'Hearn, P. O'Toole, M. J. Donohoe, A. W. Clancy, C. E. McLanson, W. J. Walker, 3 days, \$15 each.

Chauffeurs.—J. J. Green, T. J. Hannon, 3 days, \$11.57 each. Total, \$230.32.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 12: Deckhand.—John J. Pugh, ¾ day, \$1.59.

Quartermaster.—Thomas A. O'Hare, ⅝ day, \$3.40.

Fireman.—John P. Vallen, ⅝ day, \$3.44.

Total, \$8.43.

Net cost for the week ending May 12, \$3.95.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 19: Laborer.—Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4.50.

Paver.—John Murray, ½ day, \$2.75.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 12: Yard Laborers.—W. J. McCarthy, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeder.—J. Canney, 1 day, \$4.

Teamster.—W. J. McMackin, 1 day, \$4.

Teamster.—J. F. Maloney, 2 days, \$8.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each. Total, \$36.25.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, May 13: Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2½ days, \$11.25 each; Stephen Manning, Jeremiah O'Brien, Michael Neary, 1½ days, \$8.44 each; James Clancy, Michael Foley, Richard Connolly, 1½ days, \$5.63 each; John Graham, Joseph Rafferty, 1½ days, \$5.06 each; Dennis Burke, ½ day, \$2.25; Thomas Byrne, 1½ days, \$7.97; George Caswell, 1½ days, \$5.31.

Chauffeur.—James McCarty, 1½ days, \$5.63.

Laborers.—Joseph Brown, 27½ days, \$11.50; Cornelius Sullivan, 2½ days, \$10; Dennis Collins, 1½ days, \$7; Patrick Fitzgerald, Thomas McDonough, Joseph Clougherty, Benjamin Gorman, 1½ days, \$6 each; Peter Keenan, James McNabb, John McDonald, 1½ days, \$5; John Barry, 1½ days, \$4.50; William Mullin, 1 day, \$4; Daniel McKenna, John Sheehy, ¾ day, \$3 each; James Barrett, John Waters, ¾ day, \$1.50 each. Total, \$180.99.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 12: Teamsters.—J. Hennessey, J. Moynihan, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, F. R. Deacon, J. F. Brady, C. F. Sullivan, J. F. Brown, G. Corcoran, J. J. Daley, M. Finn, C. F. Flaherty, M. Gateley, P. Glynn, F. Granville, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 12: Chauffeurs.—J. Supple, 1½ days, \$6.75; R. Fitzgerald, 1½ days, \$5.06; J. Broderick, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Emergency men.—M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.25 each; W. Rice, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4 each; W. Lonergan, 1 day, \$4.

Repairers.—J. Moran, 1½ days, \$7.50; R. Overton, 1½ day, \$4.69; P. Donovan, 1½ day, \$4.22; J. Murphy, 1½ days, \$6.38; J. O'Hara, 1½ days, \$6.38; F. Ware, 2½ days, \$11.95; George Flanagan, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Hourihan, 1½ days, \$7.50; P. O'Hara, 1½ days, \$8.02; M. O'Day, 1½ days, \$6.75; B. Dellorusso, 1½ day, \$4.22; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$6.75; J. Lonergan,

2 days, \$13.20; C. Driscoll, 3½ days, \$15.47; P. Clougherty, 1 day, \$1.88; D. Kirby, 2½ days, \$10.27; W. Shocks, 1½ days, \$7.50; H. Conley, 1½ days, \$2.11; J. Feeley, 1½ day, \$1.88; T. Byrnes, 1½ days, \$8.02; T. Rose, 1 day, \$4.22; J. Gallagher, 1½ day, \$4.22; D. Shea, 1½ day, \$3.75; J. Blessington, 1 day, \$1.69; A. McDougall, 1 day, \$3.19; M. Burke, 1 day, \$4.75; J. Cummings, 1½ days, \$7.50; M. Matthews, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Laborers.—J. Durand, H. Holland, M. Brown, J. Mulhearn, P. Mulkearn, J. O'Toole, J. Lonergan, J. McGee, F. Laskey, H. Killoran, F. Gaimmito, A. Citrone, 1½ days, \$6 each; M. Barron, 1½ days, \$6.75; M. Connolly, 2 days, \$8; T. Gallagher, 1½ day, \$1.88; G. Goodwin, 1½ day, \$0.75; E. Hart, 1 day, \$1.50; J. Burke, 1½ day, \$0.75; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4; P. Loftus, 1½ day, \$0.75; A. Martin, 1½ day, \$3.75; W. Corbett, 1 day, \$1.50; S. Mickewicz, 1½ days, \$6.75; E. DeAngelis, 1½ days, \$6.75; M. Shea, 1 day, \$1.50; W. Whelton, 1½ day, \$2.25.

Total, \$351.54; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$4.75; paid by Transit Department, \$14.25; net total, \$332.54.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon May 17 the Mayor approved a contract with John Guarino Company for sewerage works in Price road, between Glenville avenue and Long avenue, Brighton. Bids for the work, opened May 14, were as follows:

John Guarino & Co., \$1,477; M. D. Russo, \$1,517.25; M. DeSisto Company, \$1,538.25; C. Iacozza, \$1,593.50; V. Grande, \$1,616.95; George J. Regan, \$1,688.50; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$1,782; S. J. Tomasello, \$1,943; Vozzella & Capone, \$2,150.75.

Upon May 20 the Mayor approved a contract with the John Williams & Co. for sewerage works and water works in Harrishof street, between Warren street and Humboldt avenue, Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened May 13, were as follows:

John Williams & Co., \$20,806.75; De Cristoforo & Brothers Company, \$23,925.25; A. Baruffaldi Company, \$25,524.75; J. Guarino & Co., \$25,947.60; A. Cefalo, \$26,162.25; V. Grande, \$26,949.75; James J. Conway, \$27,495.75; George J. Regan, \$27,712.25; C. & R. Construction Company, \$29,799.75; S. J. Tomasello, \$32,227.25; Charles Capone, \$33,075.50; M. D. Russo, \$33,453.75.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon May 16 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Grande for laying and relaying water pipes in Becket, Norwell and Fairview streets, Dorchester; Bayswater street, East Boston; Randolph street and Leverett street, city proper, and Bowen street, South Boston. Bids for the work, opened May 12, were as follows:

A. Grande, \$5,531.50; M. D. Russo, \$5,724; Vozzella & Caponi, \$5,921.50; J. Guarino & Co., \$5,991.50; John T. Shea, Jr., \$6,186.50; John Williams & Co., \$6,394.

Upon May 19 the Mayor approved a

contract with DeCristoforo & Brothers Company, for laying and relaying water pipes in Cleveland circle, Sutherland road, Commonwealth avenue and Colonial road, Brighton. Bids for the work, opened May 14, were as follows:

DeCristoforo & Brothers Company, \$16,912.50; V. Barletta, \$18,290; A. Baruffaldi Company, \$18,975; J. Williams & Co., \$20,150; V. Grande, \$21,362; Vozzella & Capone, \$21,813.50; J. Guarino & Co., \$23,035; A. Cefalo, \$23,835; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$26,580.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Thomas O'Connor Company for erecting and completing (all trades) the Roxbury High School for Girls. Bids for the work, opened April 25, were as follows:

Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$1,437,130; A. Piotti Company, \$1,484,468; I. F. Woodbury & Sons, Item 1, \$1,488,707; Item 2, \$1,471,707; C. S. Cunningham & Sons Construction Company, \$1,497,400; Joseph Rugo, \$1,569,000; Alco Contracting Company, \$1,647,675; John Bowen Company, \$1,725,000.

Upon May 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Walter Curley & Son for alterations for printing room, etc., at the Prince School. Bids for the work, opened May 13, were as follows:

Walter Curley & Son, \$2,090; C. H. Holmes Construction Company, \$2,246; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$2,291; R. J. Connolly, \$2,412; Casey & Darcy Company, \$2,800.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved the contract with the Dewell Company for preparation of poll tax bills. A communication from Edward T. Kelly, of the Assessing Department, was as follows:

BOSTON, May 16, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—We desire your permission to make a contract with M. A. Dewell, known as the Dewell Company, in the preparation of poll tax bills.

The limited time between the earliest delivery of the completed lists and the date when the bills must be issued renders the operation within the department liable to seriously interfere with the work of property assessments. The Dewell Company have done work of a similar character in the past and their familiarity with our books and forms make it desirable to have them do the work.

From the figures submitted by other concerns competent to do the work, I am unable to find anyone who is willing to do it at a less cost.

For these reasons permission is requested to make the contract, without advertising, at a price of 1 cent per item, the total cost to be approximately \$2,500.

Respectfully,

EDWARD T. KELLY,
Chairman.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

A. Piotti Company has been ordered to make a change in contract for the restoration of Faneuil Hall, said change being as follows:

To remove existing brick sidewalks on north and west sides of building. To bring curb to proper level and line. To furnish all materials and labor and lay a granolithic sidewalk on substantial sub base over all area from which brick has been removed. Sidewalk and sub base to meet requirements of the Paving Division of the City of Boston.

Sidewalk to be squared off to match existing work, alternate squares to be left unpoured until first pouring has reached final set. Surface to be treated with master builders' hardener, or equal, and to line with existing work from curb to building line.

The amount to be added to contract on account of this work is \$540.

To furnish all materials and labor and change the location of north sprinkler riser to location as directed by architects.

To conceal the sprinkler supply lines and extend the heads through ceiling of exhibition room on south side and gun room on north side of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company's Hall.

To omit the sprinkler lines under the seat inclines on Faneuil Hall floor.

The amount to be deducted from contract on account of the above work is \$19.68.—\$520.32. Contract price, \$191,472; total additions, \$98,782.31; total deductions, \$4,269; amount of contract, \$285,985.31.

Joseph Rugo has been ordered to make a change in contract for the erection and completion of West Roxbury Court-house, as follows:

Make the following changes in your contract dated November 5, 1923: 1, for placing new auxiliary rafters between the old ones in the flat roof, \$225; 2, for increasing the weight of steel roof beams, \$138; 3, for relining portion of brick wall in cell room with solid brick where hollow brick is now laid up, \$250; 4, for underpinning and foundation work in the old police station due the lowering of the boiler room floor, \$1,279; 5, for installing Steadman natrized flooring in the guardroom, sergeants' lobby, and library instead of the composition floor specified (Alternate 1 in the contract \$1,900.

The following deductions are to be made for work which has been omitted: 1, for the omission of two cubic yards of concrete foundation, \$24; 2, for the omission of twelve yards of fill on first floor, \$108; 3, for the substitution of White Diamond steel for the tool proof steel specified, \$237; 4, for use of old brick in garage walls, \$95; 5, for changing one shower receptor from 42 inches to 36 inches, \$14—\$478. Net addition, \$3,314. Contract price, \$99,200; total additions, \$3,314; amount of contract, \$102,514.

Alco Contracting Company, Inc., have been ordered to make a change in contract for erecting and completing Police Station, Hyde Park, as follows:

Certain foundation work below the depth called for by the present contract, required to meet acceptable bearing soil, and indicated on foundation plan as revised this date. This includes excavation, sheet piling, pumping, forms and concrete work, and is to be done at actual cost of labor and materials plus 15 per cent, but

this order covers only such items of work above described as shall be done within a limit of cost to the city of \$5,000. Contract price, \$151,916; total additions, \$5,000; total deductions, \$1,000; amount of contract, \$165,916.

Also Contracting Company, Inc., have been allowed to make a change in contract for erecting and completing police station, Hyde Park, as follows:

Extra excavation for removal of rock tunnel encountered, \$644; extra excavation for removal of concrete platform, \$1,021.20; extra foundation work to reach acceptable bearing soil in excess of the addition of \$5,000 already provided for this item in Form 298, \$8,234.59. Total, \$9,899.79. Contract price, \$181,916; total additions, \$14,899.79; total deductions, \$1,000; amount of contract, \$195,815.79.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

An addition, amounting to \$14,875, on contract with J. Edward Ogden Company, Inc., for two sets of ferry bridge gallows frame and accompanying machinery for the South Ferry, on account of rebuilding ends of the ferryboat "John H. Sullivan," as per letter of May 12, 1924. Original contract, \$210,000; total additions, \$26,912; contract as standing, \$236,912.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$50, on contract with J. A. Singarella for artificial stone sidewalks in East Fourth and East Fifth streets, South Boston; Magazine and Sunnyside streets, Roxbury; Robinhood and Hartford streets, Old road, Roslin street, Dorchester; Oriole and Wren streets, West Roxbury, on account of removing the existing flagging crosswalks where directed. Original contract, \$8,630.15; total additions, \$3,007; contract as standing, \$11,637.15.

An addition, amounting to \$9,000, on contract with B. E. Grant Company for laying bitulithic, wood block and recut granite block pavements in West and Bedford streets, Shawmut avenue and Charles street, city proper, on account of regulating edgestone; recutting and relaying granite blocks with grout joints on a 6-inch Portland cement concrete base, and constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Leverett street, from Charles street across Brighton street. Prices are to be the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$52,388.36; total additions, \$11,430; contract as standing, \$63,818.36.

An addition, amounting to \$90, on contract with M. F. Gaddis for laying bitulithic pavement in Washington street, West Roxbury, on account of hauling surplus paving blocks to West Roxbury paving yard. Original contract, \$49,880.70; total addition, \$90; contract as standing, \$49,970.70.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$525, on contract with M. H. Loonie for sewerage works in Congress street, city proper, on account of substituting 24-inch D. S. pipe for 2-feet by 3-feet concrete sewer, excavation to be paid for under Item 16 of the proposal and pipe to be furnished at list price, 30 per cent discount; and carting away about 50 cubic yards unsuitable material for backfill, excavated above grade. Original contract, \$4,268.50; total addition, \$525; contract as standing, \$4,793.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

A. Piotti Company have been allowed for alterations, changing and extra material and service on window operating devices on the Charles Sumner District School, the sum of \$246.40, as per architects' letter of April 5, 1924. Contract price, \$239,708; total additions, \$10,505.85; total deductions, \$16,233.50; amount of contract, \$233,980.35.

C. & R. Construction Company have been ordered to deduct allowance for hardware, section 12, page 97, the sum of \$1,200 for the addition to the Julia Ward Howe School. Contract price, \$120,500; total additions, \$16,704.10; total deductions, \$1,200; amount of contract, \$136,004.10.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been allowed the following changes in their contract for grading lot of the East Boston High School:

Add for 1,056 cubic yards rock excavation, \$10,560; deduct for 1,056 cubic yards earth excavation, \$897.60; net addition, \$9,662.40, as per civil engineer's letter of May 1, 1924. Contract price, \$97,000; total additions, \$9,662.40; amount of contract, \$106,662.40.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. Edward Ogden Company, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for two sets of ferry bridge gallows frames and accompanying machinery, for the South Ferry. Items ordered: Rebuilding ends of the ferryboat "John H. Sullivan," as per your letter of May 12, 1924. Agreed price, \$14,875.

Martin F. Gaddis has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repaving Washington street, from Denton terrace to West Roxbury Parkway. Items ordered: Grade approach at Liszt street. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$150.

Martin F. Gaddis has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repaving Shawmut avenue, from Warrenton street to Roxbury street. Items ordered: (1.) Remove tree at corner of Marvis street. Price to be paid, \$250. (2.) Remove tree near Sterling street. Price to be paid, \$125. Estimated cost of extra work, \$375.

MAYOR NAMES P. HARRY JENNINGS AS SUPERINTENDENT, PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

P. Harry Jennings, for seven years the Central Labor Union's business agent, has been nominated to the Civil Service Commission by Mayor Curley to succeed to the \$4,500 superintendency of Public Buildings made vacant by the death last week of Fred J. Kneeland.

Nominated by the Mayor for a \$3,500 post on the Street Commission in February, 1923, Mr. Jennings was refused civil service confirmation.

Mr. Jennings makes his home with his family on Dorchester avenue, South Boston, having been born in this city fifty years ago. For twelve years he was secretary-treasurer of the Teamsters' and Chauffeurs' Union. He was president of the Central Labor Union, 1914-1917. In 1919 he was a candidate for the City Council.

BUILDINGS RAZED.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Building Commissioner to raze the following buildings as constituting fire menaces and nuisances:

To take down the building on premises 50 Silver street, Ward 9. The owner, John G. Morris of 503 East Broadway, has been served with a notice of the condition of the building but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 37 Seneca street, Ward 6. A notice of the unsafe condition of the building was left at the last and usual place of abode of Nathan Chapman for the Abraham J. Lamb estate, but same was returned to this office by mail.

To take down the building on premises 35 Newland street, Ward 6. The owner, the E. Brown estate, care of A. M. Lloyd of 19 Garrison street, Chestnut Hill, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 45 Dresser street, Ward 9. The owner, the Galvin estate, care of James F. Walsh & Son of 382 Broadway, South Boston, was served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 202 H street, Ward 10. The owner, Annie Kelly of 202 H street, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 13 Meander street, Ward 6. The owner, Josephine M. Hicks, trustee, care of J. Henry Russell of 18 Tremont street, has been served with a notice of the condition of the building but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 11 Meander street, Ward 6. The owner, Josephine M. Hicks, trustee, care of J. Henry Russell of 18 Tremont street, has been served with a notice of the condition of the building but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 288 Bolton street, Ward 9. We have been unable to locate the owner, Fred S. Mitchell, or to find his address, so we have tacked a notice of the condition existing on the building.

To take down the building on premises 371 Tremont street, rear, Ward 8. The owner, Henry C. Brookings of 18 Webster street, Medford, has been served with a notice of the condition of the building but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 24 Meander street, Ward 6. The owner, Grace L. Stratton of 234 Clarendon street, has been served with a notice of the condition of the building but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 15 Meander street, Ward 6. The owner, Josephine M. Hicks, trustee, care of J. Henry Russell of 18 Tremont street, has been served with a notice of the condition of the building but neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 15 Fabian street, Ward 6. The owners, the Jeremiah Riley heirs and devisees of 17 Roslin street, Dorchester, have been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building but they neglect to remove the cause of complaint.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 15 TO MAY 21.

MAY 15.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Benjamin Post	74 Astor street	7	New fixtures	\$75
Charles Rosenthal	11 Bardwell street	22	New fixtures	1,200
Charles Rosenthal	15 Bardwell street	22	New fixtures	1,200
Harold Richardson	59 Chambers street	5	New fixtures	50
Joseph H. Jacobs	129 Columbus avenue	7	New fixtures	150
Samuel Barron	816 Dorchester avenue	11	New fixtures	400
Charles Rosenthal	34 Elm street	16	New fixtures	600
A. I. Russell	275 Market street	36	New fixtures	400
John L. Turner	76 Montview street	23	New fixtures	150
August Arey	41 Marine road	10	New fixtures	250
A. E. Seriyens	1117 River street	24	New fixtures	100
James A. Dickenson	152 State street	5	New fixtures	300
Max Hyman	5 Sutton street	21	New fixtures	2,100
James H. Gerow	655 Washington street	21	New fixtures	75
The McVarish Company	73 Pearl street	3	New fixtures	295
Abraham Kellen	21 Milton avenue	21	New fixtures	500

MAY 16.

Joseph A. Trainor	135 Emerson street	10	New fixtures	\$75
Leo Charles Levy	26 Schuyler street	16	New fixtures	2,500
Leo Charles Levy	28 Schuyler street	16	New fixtures	2,500
James A. Cotter	206 Clarendon street	7	New fixtures	500
C. J. B. Boden	245 Savin Hill avenue	17	New fixtures	450
W. E. Maynard	84 State street	5	New fixtures	150
Samuel Bowie	253 Saratoga street	2	New fixtures	200
Maurice S. Pann	32 Woodville street	12	New fixtures	260
Philip Ligums	462 Meridian street	1	New fixtures	700
Philip Ligums	460 Meridian street	1	New fixtures	700
H. S. Trethewey	8 Cataumet street	22	New fixtures	672
H. S. Trethewey	21 Abbott street	23	New fixtures	790
Leo Charles Levy	135 Main street	4	New fixtures	750
William O'Brien	848 Wash ng on street	3	New fixtures	100
W. H. Myers	2 Kingston street	3	New fixtures	150
A. J. Hughes	31 Liszt street	23	New fixtures	400
John A. Toland	12A Acadia street	18	New fixtures	125
Matlo & Rosen	6 Sackville street	3	New fixtures	300
Matlo & Rosen	11 Belmont street	3	New fixtures	200
Matlo & Rosen	13 Belmont street	3	New fixtures	200
William Dustin	2760 Washington street	16	New fixtures	75

MAY 17.

Samuel Barron	818 Dorchester avenue	11	New fixtures	\$300
G. H. R. nshaw	113 Hancock street	17	New fixtures	425
Victor Viner	22 Harmon street	24	New fixtures	500
T. P. Travers	70 Marine road	10	New fixtures	150
Terence Hannon	44 Porter street	8	New fixtures	210
F. D. Carr	69 Sawyer street	13	New fixtures	600
F. D. Carr	67 Sawyer street	13	New fixtures	600
James J. Logan	840 Shawmut avenue	13	New fixtures	50
Joseph E. Smith	136 Wilmington avenue	21	New fixtures	2,000
George H. Pentz	2040 Washington street	12	New fixtures	300

MAY 19.

Fred Johnson	693 Beacon street	8	New fixtures	\$500
J. Flynn Company	11 Belvidere street	7	New fixtures	50
F. D. Kirby	426 Boylston street	7	New fixtures	1,500
F. B. Woods	20 Linden street	25	New fixtures	200
R. T. Berry	17 Melrose street	8	New fixtures	700
A. Yorks	420 Meridian street	1	New fixtures	800
P. G. Finnerty	Northern avenue	9	New fixtures	200
E. H. Marchant	2 Park street	5	New fixtures	400
A. E. Touchet, Inc.	Rockwood street	22	New fixtures	4,000
F. D. Kirby	59 Thomas park	10	New fixtures	500
James A. Kent	14 Rowe place	23	New fixtures	350
A. Yorks	37 South Margin street	5	New fixtures	625
Maurice Pann	255 Saratoga street	2	New fixtures	700
H. S. Trethewey	800 Canterbury street	24	New fixtures	550
Badeeh Leon	30 La Grange street	23	New fixtures	900
John J. Vogel	44 Jamaica street	22	New fixtures	440
Ed n Ri gs	9 Fowle street	23	New fixtures	50
E. H. Marchant	56 Franklin street	5	New fixtures	850
E. H. Marchant	41 Bromfield street	5	New fixtures	1,000
James Kelley	Braddock street	7	New fixtures	150
John J. Vogel	657 West Roxbury Parkway	23	New fixtures	760

MAY 20.

John C. Kelly	174 Baywater street	1	New fixtures	\$1,400
R. O. Mahr	330 Belgrade street	23	New fixtures	75
M. S. Fratus	131 Beverly street	5	New fixtures	850
Percy Bates	110 Broadway	8	New fixtures	326
C. J. Donohue	52 Brooks street	2	New fixtures	680
Charles King	191 Brooks street	1	New fixtures	500
Kelly & Gaffney	126 Brookside avenue	22	New fixtures	500
Wilfrid Garvey	17 Coffey street	20	New fixtures	600
Samuel Barron	29 Fayston street	18	New fixtures	400
S. Gould	4 Florence avenue	25	New fixtures	3,800
Charles Flanzan	204 Gladstone street	1	New fixtures	250
T. A. Matthews	29 Helena road	20	New fixtures	500
Joseph H. Sihlichti	71 Hilburn street	23	New fixtures	789
Dick Pagington	Rear of 214 Huntington ave.	24	New fixtures	250
A. Yorks	294 Meridian street	2	New fixtures	80
J. P. Landers	24 Richfield street	18	New fixtures	300
Stephen Connolly	36 St. Rose street	22	New fixtures	500
Morse Brothers	496 Tremont street	6	New fixtures	150
Edward Bevelander	8 Westford street	26	New fixtures	450
Charles Lang	24 Walker street	23	New fixtures	925

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners.

William H. Abbott, 568 River street, Ward 21, one car.

Bessie Vinal Arey, 9 Larchmont street, Ward 19, one car.

Mrs. Ethel I. Barrows, 9 Westbourne road, Ward 22, one car.

James Clark, 24 Forest Hills street, Ward 22, one car.

William P. Condon, 12 Romsey street, Ward 11, one car.

Helen J. Hamilton, 25 Evans street, Ward 20, one car.

James J. Higgins, 70 Sawyer avenue, Ward 17, one car.

Edward J. Pine, 7 Lee Hill road, Ward 23, one car.

Thomas J. Shields, 51 Hartford street, Ward 17, one car.

Joseph F. Wesolowski, 51 Readville street, Ward 24, one car additional.

Susan R. Bailey, 28 Morrill street, Ward 11, two cars.

William F. Brooks, 595 La Grange street, Ward 23, two cars.

Andrew Carey, 2 Dunford street, Ward 15, two cars.

Mary M. Drummond, 12 Lefevre street, Ward 24, maintaining two cars.

Simon Golden, 124 Glenway street, Ward 9, two cars.

Mary E. Hennessy, 104 King street, Ward 20, two cars.

Clarence E. Hyde, 15 Fairlawn avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

Mary Louise Keefe, 17 Fletcher street, Ward 23, two cars.

Clayton L. Lent, 477 La Grange street, Ward 23, two cars.

Rose A. Leonard, 8 Verona street, Ward 22, group garage, two units additional.

Bessie Margolis, 10 Gaston street, Ward 16, two cars.

Jennie McIntosh, 8 Marcella street, Ward 15, two cars.

Louis V. Melotti *et al.*, 3 Castle Rock street, Ward 17, two cars.

Samuel G. Myers, 701 Metropolitan avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

Julia L. Pearson, 171 Wilmington avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Frank Powell, 63 Armandine street, Ward 21, two cars.

Emily J. Priesing, 144 Aldrich street, Ward 23, two cars.

John D. Saser, administrator, 35 Selden street, Ward 21, two cars.

Svea A. Scoug, 623 La Grange street, Ward 23, two cars.

M. J. Scully, 12 Walk Hill street, Ward 22, two cars.

Frank Seminara *et al.*, 44 Wilcock street, Ward 21, two cars.

Carl A. Sundell, 14 Tesla street, Ward 24, two cars.

Luise H. Wulz, 49 Catherine street, Ward 24, two cars.

Estate of Helen F. Berran, 11 and 13 Mt. Hope street, Ward 24, group garage, three units.

James Ferrara, 41 Breed street, Ward 1, group garage, three units.

Joe Isgur, 1200 and 1202 Massachusetts avenue, Ward 11, three cars.

James H. Mahoney *et al.*, 853 East Broadway, Ward 10, group garage, three units.

Annielo Pasquale, 19 Dacia street, Ward 17, group garage, three units.

Vincent Rose, 3960 Washington street, Ward 22, group garage, three units, three cars.

Mrs. Rose Salvi, 3421 Washington street, Ward 22, group garage, three units, three cars.

Duncan H. Stewart, 265 Faneuil street, Ward 26, group garage, three units.

David Swartz, 290 Hyde Park avenue, Ward 22, three garages, two cars each.

Ludwik Meiczniakeski *et al.*, 614 and 616 Dorchester avenue, Ward 11, group garage, six units.

Nathan Bernstein *et al.*, 2005-2025 Smith avenue, Ward 25, garage, eighteen units, eighteen cars.

L. Henry Sturgis, 6 and 8 Swift street, Ward 1, group garage and 2,000 gallons gasoline.

Dorchester Plumbing Supply Company, 1341 Columbus avenue, Ward 15, business garage.

Charles H. Miles, 433 Rutherford avenue, Ward 3, 1,000 gallons gasoline, additional.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, 41 Belvidere street, Ward 7, 550 gallons gasoline.

Rev. Joseph V. Tracy, 330 Market street, Ward 26, 5,000 gallons fuel oil.

Bay State Electric Welding Company, 3 Texas street, Ward 13, acetylene and oxygen.

Aaron Deiff, 1613 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 24, acetylene and oxygen.

C. M. White Iron Works, 20 Brighton street, Ward 5, oxygen.

Brockway-Smith Corporation, 465 Bedford street, Ward 3, varnoline.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Norwell street, Ward 19, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Hazelwood street, Ward 16, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Beach street, Ward 20, erect thirteen poles, remove one pole.

Frank Baltusis, 682 East Eighth street, Ward 10, one car.

William T. Barry, 37 Hamilton street, Ward 18, one car.

Ada Duffie, 12 Sturges road, Ward 23, one car.

Ellen Fitzgerald, 13 Centre terrace, Ward 23, one car.

Mary FitzMorris, 324 Beech street, Ward 23, one car.

Mathilde L. Hesse, 3 Penfield street, Ward 23, one car.

Leonor Lydon, 59 Dunster road, Ward 22, one car.

Thomas Riley, 58 Readville street, Ward 24, one car.

John H. Sanders, 11 Denton terrace, Ward 23, one car.

West Roxbury Congregational Society, 9 March terrace, Ward 23, one car.

John J. Anderson, 52 Raymond street, Ward 26, two cars.

Ercole Cavicchi, 68 Walnut street, Ward 20, two cars.

Robert E. L. Chapman, 16 Wade street, Ward 25, two cars.

Bertha N. Chase, 186 Stratford street, Ward 23, two cars.

Helen B. Colpitts, 61 Aldworth street, Ward 22, two cars.

Josephine E. Cotter, 50 Moraine street, Ward 22, two cars.

Jennie Daniels, 4 Harlem street, Ward 19, two cars.

John Donovan, 131 West street, Ward 24, two cars.

Maud E. Emerson, 25 Lochstead avenue, Ward 22, two cars.

Agnes M. Finneran, 113 Wren street, Ward 23, two cars.

R. Frieckione, 253 Quincy street, Ward 18, two cars, additional.

Sophia Goldstein, 72 Columbia road, Ward 19, two cars.

Abraham Goodman, 37 Fowler street, Ward 19, two cars.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 15 TO MAY 21.

MAY 21.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
S. P. Williams.	16 Taft court.	23	New fixtures.	\$75
P. R. Winter.	103 Nottinghill road.	25	New fixtures.	500
P. J. Maguire.	283 Gold street.	9	New fixtures.	275
W. L. Ambrose.	571 East Third street.	9	New fixtures.	200
Victor Feinberg.	1163 Boylston street.	8	New fixtures.	13,000
Victor Feinberg.	1167 Boylston street.	8	New fixtures.	13,000
Victor Feinberg.	1171 Boylston street.	8	New fixtures.	13,000
Pierce & Cox.	86 C street.	9	New fixtures.	300
H. F. Fillibrown.	1889 Centre street.	23	New fixtures.	40
Charles Lang.	22 Goodway road.	24	New fixtures.	485
John Mulcahy.	12 Jerome street.	17	New fixtures.	150
W. H. Broune.	6 Lorna road.	21	New fixtures.	850
Powers & McEgan.	80 Russett road.	23	New fixtures.	1,200
W. H. Mitchell & Son.	186-190 South street.	5	New fixtures.	2,200
William O'Brien.	364 Washington street.	5	New fixtures.	350

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 15 TO MAY 21.

MAY 15.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimate Cost.
G. M. Kelley.	Rear of 51 Homes avenue.	18	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Nora F. Barnes.	Rear of 432 Columbia road.	17	First-class garage.	1,200
Elsie Rosen.	37 Bromley park.	15	First-class garage.	600
P. J. Flanagan.	Rear of 212 Hamilton street.	18	First-class garage.	1,000
H. B. Lundy.	Rear of 112 Allston street.	25	First-class garage.	1,200
Michael Nolan <i>et al.</i>	650 and 652 East Third st.	9	First-class garage.	1,200
I. & F. Hart.	Rear of 37 Warner street.	19	First-class garage.	1,000
Forest Hills Laundry Co.	8 Lanesville terrace.	22	Second-class laundry.	10,000
Margaret A. Flynn.	Rear of 14 Whitfield street.	21	Second-class garage.	1,200
Murray Iron Foundry.	Rear of 19 Barnes street.	20	Second-class pattern storage.	1,000
Josephine E. Cotter.	Rear of 50 Moraine street.	22	Second-class garage.	1,700
Annie Libman.	Rear of 54 Harwood street.	21	Second-class garage.	2,000
Margaret E. Garvin.	Rear of 67 Fairbanks street.	26	Second-class garage.	1,000
Isaac Sheinberg.	Rear of 50 Harwood street.	21	Second-class garage.	2,000
Joseph Gabrunas.	151 P street.	10	Third-class dwelling.	9,000
Julius Worschnoech.	151 Beaver street.	24	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Harry Swartz.	6 Bowdoin square.	5	Alterations, moving picture theater and hotel.	5,000
Rickard Ratcliffe.	1551 Centre street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	350
John J. Winters.	39 Vineland street.	26	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Thomas Thatcher.	11 Hudson street.	5	Alterations, dwelling and restaurant.	1,200
Stella DeMarteo.	14 Rowe place.	24	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Margaret A. Brannick.	147 Charles street.	8	Alterations, dwelling and restaurant.	8,000
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.	3 and 4 Head place.	5	Install elevator.	11,600
William H. Shea.	9 and 11 Rutland square.	7	Install fire escape.	300
William F. J. Fittz <i>et al.</i>	19 and 21 Rutland square.	7	Erect fire escape.	450
Mrs. S. J. Sinnott <i>et al.</i>	25 and 27 Rutland square.	7	Erect fire escape.	300
J. W. Ward <i>et al.</i>	33 and 35 Rutland square.	7	Erect fire escape.	350
Louis Sandler.	35 Blue Hill avenue.	12	Erect fire escape.	250
John Timini.	30 and 32 Newcomb street.	12	Erect fire escape.	150
Herbert B. Bailey.	61 Mountfort street.	7	Erect fire escape.	200
Sigrid Carlson.	206 and 208 West Springfield street.	7	Erect fire escape.	230
Rachel Rosenthal.	44 and 46 Lowell street.	5	Repair fire escape.	40
L. Zuriana.	9 and 11 Florence street.	6	Erect fire escape.	200

MAY 16.

John J. Anderson.	52 Raymond street.	26	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company.	365 C street.	9	First-class storage.	200,000
Edward A. Driver.	548 West Park street.	19	First-class garage.	1,000
H. M. Davis.	Rear of 7 Larchmont street.	19	Second-class garage.	1,200
T. L. Ormsby.	216 and 218 Bowen street.	9	Second-class factory.	3,000
Kazmir Sadlauskas.	Rear of 56 Harvest street.	11	Second-class garage.	2,000
Mrs. M. D. E. Fennessy.	Rear of 29 Garfield avenue.	24	Third-class garage.	350
Topham & Staula.	18 and 20 Greenwood avenue.	24	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
Nora T. Sullivan.	Rear of 20 Levant street.	20	Third-class garage.	490
Daniel McLeo.	44 Manthorne road.	23	Third-class garage.	500
Daniel Schreck.	16 Merlin street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
William J. Bellineau.	52 Salmon street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	5,000
B. Reinhart.	Rear of 15 Ridge street.	23	Third-class garage.	500
Johanna M. Walsh.	Rear of 8 Iowa street.	18	Third-class garage.	600
Lars P. Hanson.	Rear of 10 Iowa street.	18	Third-class garage.	600
Catherine E. Martin.	Rear of 37 Wheatland avenue, No. 1.	19	Third-class garage.	600
Catherine E. Martin.	Rear of 37 Wheatland avenue, No. 2.	19	Third-class garage.	600
Herman G. Bryan.	86-90 Boylston street.	15	Alterations foundry, two stores and tenements.	1,200
J. P. Haynes estate.	122-132 Arlington street.	8	Alterations, garage.	1,000
Ida J. Strupney.	Rear of 69 Maple street.	23	Alterations, garage.	300
G. S. Hoagland.	Belgrade avenue.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	900
Mrs. Mary B. Brandegge.	Commonwealth avenue.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	10,000
Mrs. James H. Means.	15 Chestnut street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	3,700
Annie Dubinsky.	55 West Eagle street.	2	Alterations, dwelling.	100
Michael F. Fallon.	87 Jamaica street.	22	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Adam Bletzer.	29 Conway street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Julius Conweisen.	477 and 489 Cambridge st.	25	Alterations, stores.	2,600
Lewis Wharf Company.	21 and 22 Lewis Wharf.	5	Alterations, mercantile.	1,000
Marcia B. Uford.	2 Uford street.	20	Alterations, shop.	1,500
Mary E. Maynes.	355 and 357 Adams street.	20	Alterations, tenements.	500
Lans Byer.	355 Norfolk street.	21	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Newman Richards.	135B Spencer street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	450
L. S. Lewis.	75 Centre street.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	1,500

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 15 TO MAY 21.

MAY 16.—*Concluded.*

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
George Harbison	66 Harvard avenue.	25	Alterations, dwelling.	\$70
William A. Carpenter	237 Tremont street.	8	Elevator.	307
City of Boston.	76 Dunbar avenue.	21	Elevator.	1,200
City of Boston.	Pencevale road.	21	Elevator.	3,000
Lincolnshire Realty Corporation.	20 Charles street.	8	Elevator.	11,800
Carney Hospital.	30 Old Harbor street.	10	Elevator.	2,500
Patrick J. McSweeney.	146 and 148 North Harvard street.	26	Alterations, dwelling.	500
Ciriaco Soricelli	166 and 168 North Harvard street.	26	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Patrick O'Connor.	71 Charles street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Annie Seigel.	11 South Russell street.	8	Alterations, apartments.	400
Louis Libman.	633 Washington street.	21	Alterations, stores and offices.	1,000
F. H. Roberts Company.	128-134 Cross street.	5	Alterations, candy factory.	1,200
Harry Sachs.	150 Woodrow avenue.	21	Alterations, dwelling.	500

MAY 17.

Louisa Guarino.	Rear of 29 Burrill street.	12	First-class garage.	\$700
Patrick O'Rourke.	Rear of 107 Walter street.	23	First-class garage.	1,000
S. Gallo.	59 Porter street.	2	Alterations, store and dwelling.	1,200
Carman D. Harris.	818-824 Washington street.	5	Alterations, store and lodging.	350
Louis Rapport.	176 Glenway street.	19	Alterations, garage.	250
Harry L. Clark <i>et al.</i>	123 Walnut street.	20	Alterations, dwelling.	150
W. J. Carlson.	12 Moreland street.	23	Alterations, manufacturing.	3,000
Mystic Building Wrecking Company.	57 South street.	22	Take-down, dwelling.	100
John Florillo.	26 Maverick street.	2	Take-down, dwelling.	50
Central Building Wrecking Company.	37 Harrishof street.	16	Take-down, storage.	100
Central Building Wrecking Company.	49 Harrishof street.	16	Take-down, storage.	50
Central Building Wrecking Company.	55 Harrishof street.	16	Take-down, poultry house.	1

MAY 19.

Kobler Company.	445 C street.	9	First-class warehouse.	\$90,000
M. de Santis.	Rear of 527 East Seventh street.	10	First-class garage.	1,700
C. McCarthy.	Rear of 38 Sargent street.	17	First-class garage.	1,200
Phillip Silberstein.	100 Brainerd road.	25	Second-class tenement.	50,000
Phillip Silberstein.	110 Brainerd road.	25	Second-class tenement.	50,000
Phillip Silberstein.	33 Walbridge street.	25	Second-class tenement.	50,000
C. J. Coyne.	Rear of 667 East Fourth street.	10	Special garage.	410
A. J. Reilly.	168 Stratford street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	11,500
Hyman Green.	57 Hazleton street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	15,000
Hyman Green.	61 Hazleton street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	15,000
Jerome J. Russo.	172 Florence street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Joseph Nevickas.	1836 Columbia road.	10	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Albert C. Hugal.	Rear of 45 Perham street.	23	Third-class garage.	750
Bruno Brunelli.	43 Mill street.	20	Alterations, dwelling.	1,500
Colonial Realty Company.	136 Massachusetts avenue.	7	Alterations, theatre.	1,000
G. Gioffi.	191 Maverick street.	2	Alterations dwelling and store.	2,000
P. Murphy.	14 Pontiac street.	14	Alterations, dwelling.	300
E. R. Whitman Company.	649 and 651 Main street.	3	Alterations, dwelling and store.	1,700
Bunker Hill Brewery Company.	52 68 Alford street.	4	Alterations, brewery.	350
Eli Shostak.	Rear of 53 Nightingale street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
Carlton H. Lee.	245 Savin Hill avenue.	17	Alterations, dwelling.	650
M. M. Willis.	315 Huntington avenue.	7	Alterations, stores and tenement.	6,000
M. M. Willis.	309 Huntington avenue.	7	Alterations, stores and tenement.	6,000
M. M. Willis.	311 Huntington avenue.	7	Alterations, stores and tenement.	4,000
M. M. Willis.	313 Huntington avenue.	7	Alterations, stores and tenement.	4,000
Frank Logan.	333 Tremont street.	8	Alterations, store and lodging.	150
E. J. Lang & C. J. Sullivan.	185 Northern avenue.	9	Alterations, restaurant.	125

MAY 20.

Francis Colpoys.	271 East Eighth street.	10	First-class garage.	\$7,000
Nathan Miller.	Rear of 824 Dorchester ave.	11	First-class garage.	825
Samuel Berman.	1 Helena road.	20	First-class garage.	600
Ellen G. Baker.	33 Belden street.	11	First-class garage.	1,000
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.	317 Cambridge street.	5	First-class transformer station.	200,000
J. B. Sheehan.	Rear of 67 Sawyer avenue.	17	First-class garage.	700
S. W. Johnson.	Rear of 402 K street.	10	First-class garage.	2,000
Morris Chasen.	Rear of 4A Baird street.	21	First-class garage.	700
William T. Barry.	Rear of 37 Hamilton street.	18	Second-class garage.	850
Blanche Fitzpatrick.	22 Alaska street.	16	Second-class garage.	1,000
Thomas J. Morrisey.	Rear of 34 Clifford street.	24	Special garage.	190
Anna M. Cannata.	Rear of 7 Byron court.	15	Special garage.	410
Mary J. Morrisey.	Rear of 66 West Milton st.	24	Special garage.	190
Fred C. Alderman.	55 Caledonia avenue.	23	Third-class dwelling.	775
William R. Brown <i>et al.</i>	74 Patten street.	22	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Chester D. Cross.	7 Voss avenue.	24	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Mrs. A. Thelin.	77 Farquhar street.	23	Third-class garage.	490
Dora Buding.	Rear of 95 Ardale street.	23	Third-class garage.	490
Jane and Michael Queenan.	Rear of 22 Levant street.	18	Third-class garage.	490
Mary M. Decelle.	Rear of 15 Rexham street.	23	Third-class garage.	600
Diamond Realty Company.	4 Lorna road.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Robert C. Wills.	29 Mendelssohn street.	22	Third-class dwelling.	9,800
Catherine F. Riordan.	28 Ashcroft street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	11,400
George Bailey.	18 Alarie street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	8,000

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

Catherine E. Harrington, 81 Powder street, Ward 18, two cars.

Thomas F. Hearty, 40 Saunders street, Ward 25, two cars.

Catherine Egan, 67 Stockton street, Ward 21, two cars.

William H. Kenney, 51 Cornwall street, Ward 15, two cars.

Max F. Kleindienst, 90 Westminster street, Ward 24, two cars.

Katharine A. McManus, 19 Whiting street, Ward 16, two cars.

A. L. Morris, 76 Florence street, Ward 23, two cars.

Joseph Neviackas, 1830 Columbia road, Ward 10, two units, two cars.

Katharine B. Nolan, 12 Lorette street, Ward 23, two cars.

Helen L. Noonan, 78 Hobart street, Ward 26, two cars.

Christian F. Plett, 12 Saxton street, Ward 17, two cars.

Mary M. Ryan *et al.*, 387 Huntington avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

Jennie Sater, 186 Magnolia street, Ward 17, two cars.

Sarah Seserman, 22 Fayston street, Ward 17, two cars.

Rebecca Shea, 725 Hyde Park avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

Chester C. Topham *et al.*, 14 and 16 Greenwood avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

Frances M. Twohey *et al.*, 24 and 26 Upland road, Ward 26, two cars.

Thomas Tyrell, 17 Blackwell street, Ward 20, two cars.

Joseph Waldman, 70 Floyd street, Ward 21, two cars.

Julia E. Wallace, 38 Wellington Hill street, Ward 21, two cars.

E. F. Wilmot, 64 Ridgemont street, Ward 25, two cars.

Lena Zukas *et al.*, 82-86 Whitfield street, Ward 19, two garages, one car each.

Kazimer Sidlauskas, 56 Harvest street, Ward 11, group garage, three units.

Mary E. McCormack, 21 Oak street, Ward 3, group garage, four units, four cars.

Harrison Square Foundry Company, 110 Gibson street, Ward 20, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Mulvaney & Anderson, 477 Cambridge street, Ward 25, 500 gallons gasoline.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Bainbridge st., Wd. 4, erect 1 pole.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Gray street, Ward 4, erect one pole.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Dupont street, Ward 4, erect 1 pole.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Kingston street, Ward 3, erect 1 pole.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Washington street, Ward 4, erect one pole, remove one.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Sayward street, Ward 17, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Bailey street, Ward 21, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Batchelder street, Ward 12, erect 2 poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Lorenzo street, Ward 20, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Marshfield street, Ward 12, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Newbern street, Ward 22, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Carolina avenue, Ward 22, erect six poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Cedar street, Ward 15, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Cedar street, Ward 15, erect one pole.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 15 TO MAY 21.

MAY 20—*Concluded.*

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
G. A. Rolland	163 Milton street	20	Third-class dwelling	\$8,000
Shapiro Brothers	350 Harrison avenue	6	Alterations, store and dwelling.	900
Victor Crelowitz	278 Norfolk street	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Mrs. L. M. Nelson	121 Charles street	8	Alterations, apartments	4,000
John E. Fay	60 Brighton avenue	25	Alterations, tenements	10,000
Prescott Townsend	36 Joy street	8	Alterations, studio and restaurant.	2,000
Mary Montgomery	19 Greenville street	12	Alterations, dwelling	100
Annie Chalpen	1451-1457 Columbus avenue	15	Alterations, store and tenements	5,000
Abbie Lovejoy	10 and 12 Concord square	7	Erect fire-escape	125
Thompson & Durkee	Rear of 83 Braintree street	25	Alterations, storage	1,000
A. K. Robinson	496 and 498 Columbus ave.	7	Erect fire-escape	300
Segrud Carlson	209 and 211 West Springfield street	7	Erect fire-escape	225
E. F. Smith	19 Allston street	25	Alterations, dwelling	100
Wigglesworth estate	417 423 429 Washington st.	5	Install elevator	49,994
Leus White	38 Louder lane	22	Alterations, dwelling	175
F. H. Roberts Company	30-40 Ferry street	5	Alterations, factory	25,000
A. W. Perry, Inc.	40-44 Bromfield street	5	Alterations, store and office	2,000

MAY 21.

John J. Galinas	78 Marine road	10	First-class garage	\$1,000
Frederick Tilton	20 Park street	4	Second-class filling station	900
Alfred L. Stevens	4356 Washington street	23	Second-class garage	875
Eva Saftel	109 Wellington Hill street	21	Third-class garage	475
P. Peterson & C. Olson	9 and 11 Donnybrook road	26	Third-class dwelling	8,000
Anna Lally	128 Randolph road	24	Third-class dwelling	5,200
Anna Lally	130 Randolph road	24	Third-class dwelling	5,200
Harry A. Doolittle	278 Beech street	23	Third-class dwelling	8,000
Ernest Perkins	490 La Grange street	23	Third-class garage	300
Helen Hamilton	25 Evans street	21	Third-class garage	150
Mrs. Ellen Hennessey	365 South Huntington ave.	14	Third-class dwelling	8,000
Loretta Curran	Rear of 51 Browne avenue	23	Special garage	190
C. J. Re	106 Roxbury street	13	Special garage	400
C. E. Currier	17 and 19 Dalkeith street	17	Alterations, dwelling	800
Leeds Estate	69 High street	5	Alterations, store and storage	3,000
Massachusetts Historical Society	1154 Boylston street	7	Alterations, offices	400
H. W. Gustafson	1416 and 1418 River street	24	Alterations, garage	100
Bunn Brothers	615 Washington street	5	Alterations, restaurant	2,800
Letitia Garofato	3 Davis street	6	Alterations, tenement	100
Tilestone Estate trustees	604-610 Atlantic avenue	5	Alterations, stores	10,000
Charles Cabaldo	7 Boardman street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
M. Eisenberg	92 Maple street	16	Alterations, dwelling	5,000
C. Borrone	285 Meridian street	1	Alterations, store and tenement	2,500
Joseph Yiendzil	76 and 78 Waverly street	26	Alterations, dwelling	100
Lewis Wharf Corporation	25-28 Lewis wharf	5	Erect fire escape	500
Federal Hardware Company	152 Federal street	5	Erect sign	120
Helen T. Mosely	Rear of 62 St. James street	13	Take-down, coal shed	30
Aetna Building Wrecking Company	264 Freeport street	20	Take-down, shed	50

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 534.

The resignation of Patrolman Lester D. Hill of Division 15 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Thursday, May 15, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m. Seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 535.

A trial board consisting of Captains Driscoll, Hickey and McConnell, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Quentin L. Dever of Division 15, charging him with neglect of duty, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Quentin L. Dever was, on May 3, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on May 3, 1924, to the said Quentin L. Dever.

On the sixth day of May, 1924, the said Quentin L. Dever, by his attorney, requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Tuesday, May 13, 1924, at eleven o'clock a. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time

and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Quentin L. Dever.

The said Quentin L. Dever was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said Quentin L. Dever guilty as charged and further finds that the said Quentin L. Dever shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 536.

In accordance with the rules and regulations governing the Police Department, Captain John F. Ahearn attached to the office of the Inspector of Claims is hereby designated as Inspector of Claims, to take effect as of May 13, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 537.

Whereas, By the provisions of chapter 195 of the Acts of 1924, the City of Boston is authorized to retire from active service Patrolman Michael J. Curran of Division 6 who was shot and totally in-

capacitated while in the performance of duty on January 8, 1922, and may pay him an annual pension equal to his present annual compensation; said act having been accepted by the City Council and Mayor of this city on April 21 and May 2, 1924, respectively, the Police Commissioner

Ordered, That the said Patrolman Michael J. Curran, who had performed faithful service in the Police Department previous to his total disability, be retired from active service and that his name be placed upon the department pension roll with pay at the rate of eighteen hundred (1,800) dollars per annum, said sum being equal to his annual compensation as a patrolman in this department; to take effect at 5.45 o'clock p. m., Friday, May 16, 1924.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 538.

The resignation of Patrolman Frank F. Doloff of Division 20 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Wednesday, May 21, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for authority to repair macadam surface on Lake street, Brighton, east and west of Kenrick street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$2,500.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Public Works Commissioner for authority to have the Boston Elevated Railway Company do labor required in taking up the old wooden flooring of Meridian Street Drawbridge and replacing same with new timber, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$2,410.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT REPORT.

The following is the report of Dr. F. X. Mahoney, Health Commissioner, on the activities of the department for the month of April:

BOSTON, May 15, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I have the honor to submit a report of special activities of the Health Department for the month of April, 1924, in accordance with instructions contained in your circular letter of March 13, 1922:

The majority of the common communicable diseases reported during the month of April, 1924, showed a decrease in number when compared with the preceding month. Whooping cough is running low, only thirty-seven cases were reported during April of this year, whereas during April of last year 344 cases were reported. Scarlet fever showed a decrease of almost 200 cases when compared with the previous months of this year. Diphtheria cases continue to be reported in about the same number, although the number of deaths have increased slightly. This disease shows no

increase over the same period of last year. One case of pellagra was reported in a Boston hospital. There was also one case of hookworm. Up to the first of May, 24,263 children in the public schools have been Schick tested in twenty-four working days.

There were no special activities in the Division of Child Hygiene for this month. The work of visiting babies and mothers is being carried on in the same intensive manner.

In this month the Food Division began and completed the inspection of applications for licenses for the sale of denatured alcohol and wood alcohol. There are about 250 places holding this class of licenses. Particular attention is paid to see that the fire hazards are limited, and also to see that receptacles used in the sale of the alcohol are properly labelled to comply with the law.

The dry stem orange reappeared again this year on the Boston market. It was first discovered by an inspector who found a peddler with a push cart load of fruit. Twenty-two dozen oranges were condemned. Efforts are being made, in co-operation with the federal authorities, to ascertain the source of shipment and to prevent any further offering for sale of this type of fruit here.

A Dorchester resident on the top floor of a three-flat house was found to be engaged in a full-fledged meat market business in his kitchen. He was convicted and fined \$30 on a suspended sentence.

During April, as compared with March, 1924, increases were noted in the reported cases of lobar pneumonia and diphtheria. Decreases were shown in the reported cases of influenza, measles, scarlet fever, typhoid fever and whooping cough.

During the same comparative period, increases were shown in the reported deaths from lobar pneumonia and diphtheria, although slight. Decreases were shown in the deaths from measles and pulmonary tuberculosis. The total deaths from all causes showed an increase, while the deaths of infants also showed an increase.

During April, 1924, 1,190 burial and 65 removal permits were issued, as compared with 1,185 burial and 34 removal permits during April, 1923.

Total number of routine examinations made, 5,396, of which 4,576 were in duplicate and 820 in quadruplicate. In addition to the routine examinations, 124 milk bottles have been examined for bacteria, and 107 caps for milk bottles have also been examined for bacteria. The regular examination of water from swimming pools for pollution has been made.

There were no special activities in the Sanitary Division for the month of April. The usual routine of inspections and prosecutions was carried on.

An interesting meeting and discussion of juvenile delinquency was held on April 30. As a result, a representative committee was appointed to study and endeavor to solve the problem of existing delinquency in the West End.

A splendid clean-up campaign is being conducted in the West End with an excellent local working committee, in conjunction with the Women's Municipal League.

During the month two groups of students from the Harvard School of Public Health visited the unit and received a demonstration of its activities and service.

A meeting of the Medical Advisory Committee of the Health Unit was held

at the unit, and plans are under way for the immediate functioning of the periodic health clinic and examinations for adults.

During the month of April, the following appointments were made: A deputy commissioner of the Laboratory Division was appointed, *vice* Dr. Castleman, deceased; a dental hygienist was appointed for three months, one sanitary inspector, and one caretaker of convenience stations.

Respectfully submitted,

F. X. MAHONEY,
Health Commissioner.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Thomas O'Connor & Co. have been allowed to amend their contract for erection and completion of an elementary school in the Hugh O'Brien District, Shirley street, Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "January 1, 1924," on page 25, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "August 15, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 25, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about May 11, 1923, and is to be completed on or before August 15, 1924."

J. A. Singarella has been allowed to amend his contract for grading addition to yard of the Dillaway School, in the Roxbury district, Washington street, by striking out the words and figures, "May 1, 1924," on page 12, Section 4, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "July 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the third paragraph of said Section 4, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about December 11, 1923, and is to be completed on or before July 1, 1924."

Nichols-Egan Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the finish hardware for an elementary school in the Hugh O'Brien District, Shirley street, Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "January 21, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "June 15, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about December 23, 1923, and is to be completed June 15, 1924."

MAYOR SCORES BUYING POLICE DEPARTMENT SUPPLIES MADE IN GERMANY.

The Mayor sent the following communication May 20:

HON. E. MARK SULLIVAN, *Corporation Counsel*, Boston, Mass.:

DEAR SIR,—I beg to forward herewith a pair of gloves purchased for use by the City of Boston Police Department, with a stamp "Made in Germany." Upon inquiry I find that it is customary for the Police Department to purchase uniforms for the men in the service from a firm by the name of Snellingsburg of Philadelphia. A general depression in industry now obtains in Massachusetts and while the manufacture of these goods here would not greatly lessen unemployment in Massachusetts, it would at least not contribute to it.

You are accordingly directed to draft an amendment to the Charter Bill at present pending before the Legislature so that in future materials for the Police Department, the maintenance of which is borne by the City of Boston, shall be purchased through the purchasing department of the City of Boston. The

fact that the purchases of the Supply Department for 1923 represented \$4,300,000 should be sufficient justification for the inclusion of such materials as may be required by the Police Department.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The estate of Catherine Farley, Robert B. Farley, trustee, has agreed to accept the sum of \$2,775 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate on Gove street by the taking made for school purposes on Gove street and Paris court, East Boston, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of July 8, 1922.

Benjamin F. Wooley has agreed to accept the sum of \$500 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate on Paris court by the taking of said estate for school purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of July 8, 1922.

FOREIGN TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE PAST YEAR WITH RANK OF TEN LEADING PORTS.

Exports, \$4,485,122,696 or \$3,742,893,611 (*i. e.*, 45.5 per cent) less than in 1920; to European countries, 52.71 per cent; to North American, 25.19 per cent; Asian, etc., 14.39 per cent; South American, 6.09 per cent; African, 1.62 per cent.

Imports, \$2,509,025,403 or \$2,769,456,087 (*i. e.*, 52.5 per cent) less than in 1920; from European countries, 30.49 per cent; from North American, 30.08 per cent; Asian, etc., 26.04 per cent; South American, 11.78 per cent; African, 1.61 per cent. Total foreign commerce in 1921, \$6,994,148,099 (*i. e.*, 48.2 per cent) less than in 1920. Excess of exports over imports, \$1,976,097,293.

New York, ranking first among U. S. ports, handled 43.79 per cent of total commerce or 1.95 per cent less than in 1920; New Orleans (2d) 7.64 per cent; Galveston (3d) 6.74 per cent; Philadelphia (4th) 3.62 per cent; Detroit (5th) 3.45 per cent; San Francisco (6th) 3.24 per cent; Boston (7th) 3.22 per cent; Norfolk (8th) 3.13 per cent; Buffalo (9th) 3.06 per cent; Ogdensburg (10th) 3.00 per cent. Of value of all imports 62.26 per cent free of duty. Total duties collected \$305,475,485 or \$25,755,956 less than in 1920. Of total export value, 61.54 per cent applied to manufactured and partly manufactured materials, 22.47 per cent to crude materials for use in manufacturing and 15.81 per cent to foodstuffs (crude) and food animals.

Exports in American ships, 36.04 per cent of total in 1921; 43.65 per cent in 1920. Imports in American ships, 34.98 per cent of total in 1921; 42.02 per cent in 1920.

Net tonnage entered in 1921, total of 62,284,997, of which 50.07 per cent was American; cleared in 1921, 62,657,167 and 48.17 per cent American.

Boston's rank for many years as the second importing port changed to fourth place in 1917, Seattle taking second place and San Francisco third, probably due to war conditions. In 1918 Boston advanced to third place and was but slightly behind Seattle. In 1919 it regained its former rank of second and held it in 1920 and 1921.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending May 17, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
776,783, United States Census estimate.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 197; nonresidents, 41; total,
238.
Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 15.98; nonresidents deducted,
13.22.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 14.50; corresponding week
last year, 12.81.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 29; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 12; sixty years and over, 74;
total deaths, male, 138; female, 100;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 126;
deaths of colored, 3.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 17, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 19, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	44	9	54	3
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	1	—
Influenza.....	5	—	2	—
Measles.....	164	1	246	1
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	1	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	41	10	27	16
Scarlet fever.....	101	1	51	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	44	15	49	15
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	7	1	4	2
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	—	—
Whooping cough.....	13	—	15	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE
EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

ELECTRICAL DRAUGHTSMAN FOR BOSTON
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT, MAY 26,
1924.

The salary is \$1,500 a year.

Applicants should have a general knowledge of building construction on first, second and third class buildings, be able to draw and lay out electrical plans and to read building plans, have a working knowledge of electricity, both on low tension (bells, clocks, telephones and fire alarm) and on light and power circuits, a knowledge of the rules governing electrical installations as issued by the Boston Board of Fire Underwriters and the Fire Department, Wire Division, of the City of Boston, and sufficient information, both electrical and educational, to write out specifications for electrical work of various kinds in an intelligent manner.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

COAL INSPECTOR, SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND
MEASURES, BOSTON, MAY 26, 1924.

The salary is \$1,800 a year.

Applicants should have a general knowledge of the laws relating to the sale of coal in Massachusetts and the general laws relative to coal, and should have a knowledge of the qualities of various grades of coal, the testing, mining, and shipping of coal, etc.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; arithmetic, 2; report, 1; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; total, 10.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

INSPECTOR OF DAIRY PRODUCTS, DEPART-
MENT OF AGRICULTURE, DIVISION OF
DAIRYING, MAY 27, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$5 per day. The duties of this position are to inspect and investigate the methods and conditions of production, manufacture, handling, sampling, branding, transportation and sale of dairy products and imitation dairy products for the purpose of enforcing the laws relating thereto. It is desirable that applicants have a knowledge of the oleomargarine and dairy laws, and have had dairy farm and creamery experience.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

VISITOR TO OLDER BOYS (MALE), DEPART-
MENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE, MAY 27,
1924.

The salary is \$1,440 per year. Applicants must be not less than twenty-five nor over forty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The duties of this position are to have charge of the work of placing and supervising boys over twelve in the district to which the visitor may be assigned, to find suitable homes and investigate applications of people who desire to board the boys, to visit the boys at least four times a year as guardian, and to attend

court hearings on complaints against boys and girls being neglected children and against boys for delinquency. It is desirable that applicants have had previous training and experience in some form of social work and have a knowledge of the laws relating to neglected, delinquent and dependent children.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

SOCIAL INSURANCE WORKER, DEPARTMENT
OF BANKING AND INSURANCE, DIVI-
SION OF SAVINGS BANK LIFE INSUR-
ANCE, MAY 27, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$2,100 per year. Applicants must be not less than 30 nor more than 50 years of age at the time of filing applications. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The duties of this position are as follows: To interview employers and employees regarding organization of mutual benefit associations for voluntary insurance against sickness and for group life insurance under policies issued by the savings banks. Applicants should be familiar with the principles of life insurance, have had practical experience in selling life insurance, be familiar with the Savings Bank Life Insurance Law, and be familiar with rates, dividends, and the surrender values of the several kinds of policies offered by the insuring banks. Applicants should have a high school education or its equivalent.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

ELECTRICIAN, PUBLIC LIBRARY, JUNE 3.

The salary is \$40 per week. The duties of the position are to take charge of the book railway which is operated electrically and look after all the motors and lights used in the building. Applicants should have a license as electrician under the State Board of Electricians and be able to make repairs and replace broken parts of the book railway when necessary.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, May 12, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock, p. m. President DONOGHUE in the chair and all the members present.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Thirty-six traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, First Session, to appear June 2, 1924:

George W. Goodearl, Ward 1; Gratian R. Johnson, Ward 2; Arthur MacCully, Ward 3; David J. McGill, Ward 3; James B. Doherty, Ward 4; Albert L. Ferullo, Ward 5; William E. Ryan, Ward 7; James E. Odell, Ward 8; John J. Beatty, Ward 9; Michael J. Osborn, Ward 9; John T. Courtney, Ward 11; Timothy A. Murphy, Ward 11; Herman L. Slack, Ward 11; Timothy J. O'Connor, Ward 12; William J. Roulston, Ward 12; George H. Young, Ward 12; Martin Downey, Ward 14; Patrick Keane, Ward 14; Otto Albrecht, Jr., Ward 15; John B. Given, Ward 16; Charles W. Rafuse, Ward 16; Russell E. Sprague, Ward 16; James A. Gildea, Ward 17; Michael H. Sullivan, Ward 17; James A. Holohan, Ward 18; Edward P. Kelley, Ward 20; William D. McCauley, Ward 21; George Sharples, Ward 22; Frederick E. Attwood, Ward 23; Samuel F. Banks, Ward 23; Joseph F. Luppold, Ward 23; Edward E. Perry, Ward 24; Charles F. Welch, Ward 24; Harold A. McKenna, Ward 25; Matthew J. Curtin, Ward 26; George A. McCulloch, Ward 26.

Thirty-seven traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Second Session, to appear June 2, 1924:

John F. Bartlett, Ward 1; John J. Rahall, Ward 1; Frank H. Gordon, Ward 3; Louis J. Abramoff, Ward 5; Samuel Lippman, Ward 5; Michael Onessimo, Ward 5; William D. Kilday, Ward 6; John Ahlstrom, Ward 7; Arthur S. Boardman, Ward 7; Henry F. Spurr, Ward 7; John C. Walker, Ward 7; Charles King, Ward 8; Henry F. Corkery, Ward 9; Walter D. Dwelley, Ward 11; George R. Hicks, Ward 12; James H. Murphy, Ward 12; Joseph E. Moynihan, Ward 13; John V. Page, Ward 13; Arthur J. Baker, Ward 16; Frank Elbridge Currier, Ward 17; Frederick J. Eeles, Ward 17; Daniel C. Keller, Ward 17; Jacob Hackman, Ward 19; John M. Jackson, Ward 19; Benedetto Solari, Ward 19; Arthur Polack, Ward 21; Almond W. Tyler, Ward 21; William Albrecht, Ward 23; Rudolph F. Gerlach, Ward 23; James Alfred Donley Ward 24; Carl G. H. Johnson, Ward 24; George C. Ketchum Ward 24; Robert H. Beckley, Ward 25; John C. Staples, Ward 25; Walter C. Billings, Ward 22; Ralph E. Dean, Ward 26; Henry P. Wahlberg, Ward 26.

Thirty-six traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Third Session, to appear June 2, 1924:

John F. Caton, Ward 2; John J. Malley, Ward 2; Patrick Long, Ward 3; Maurice Casper, Ward 5; George W. Frongillo, Ward 5; George P. Lindsey, Ward 5; John Pardi, Ward 5; Rowland D. Crook, Ward 7; Thomas Doyle, Ward 7; John J. Moran, Ward 7; Francis H. Appleton, Jr., Ward 8; Harry R. Chisholm, Ward 8; Frank Crawford, Ward 11; Michael J. Connors, Ward 12; Edward F. Gibbons, Ward 12; Ernest L. Walkup, Ward 12; Clayton L. Sargent, Ward 13; Maurice F. O'Brien, Ward 14; Walter C. Whitney, Ward 15; Frederick L. Brock, Ward 16; Charles H. Duston, Ward 16; Carlin F. Harrington, Ward 16; Louis Jolles, Ward 16; Horace S. Corey, Ward 17; Dennis J. Hurley, Ward 19; Harry Mann, Ward 19; George W. Ross, Ward 19; Thomas Ward, Ward 19; George H. Cox, Ward 20; Fred J. Merkle, Ward 21; Arthur C. Wallace, Ward 21; Jeremiah J. Sullivan, Ward 22; Walter C. Huenig, Ward 23; Frank Tyner, Ward 23; William C. Dillon, Ward 25; Ernest R. Kittredge, Ward 25.

Thirty-two traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fourth Session, to appear June 2, 1924:

James E. Bagley, Ward 1; Michael J. Barry, Ward 1; Edward B. Goldenberg, Ward 1; Jacob Wilson, Ward 4; John H. Farley, Ward 5; George R. Hill, Ward 6; James F. McCarthy, Ward 7; Henry M. Choate, Ward 7; William J. McWilliams, Ward 7; Charles K. Lawton, Ward 8; Joseph T. Miller, Ward 8; Daniel J. O'Connor, Ward 10; Jeremiah J. Nihan, Ward 12; Thomas J. Smith, Ward 12; Frederick E. Kenney, Ward 13; John J. McCourt, Ward 14; Percy William Day, Ward 15; William F. Hackett, Ward 15; Alexander A. Scholtmer, Ward 15; Nathan Alberts, Ward

16; Alfred C. Boudreau, Ward 16; Jerome B. Gearin, Ward 17; William J. Baker, Ward 18; Theodore L. Souther, Ward 19; John Taylor, Ward 19; Warren E. Trott, Ward 19; Thomas M. Mortimer, Ward 20; August C. Walter, Ward 20; George L. Lamb, Ward 22; Charles E. Lamb, Ward 22; Clayton H. Clancy, Ward 25; Willard D. Pitcher, Ward 25.

Thirty-six traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fifth Session, to appear June 2, 1924:

Thomas J. Quigley, Jr., Ward 1; Sebastian A. Schwarz, Ward 2; Denis D. Kelly, Ward 4; Philip Litcofsky, Ward 5; Thomas S. Maloof, Ward 6; William P. Ross, Ward 7; Clarence B. Kimball, Ward 8; Frederick L. Munson, Ward 8; Chauncey D. Parker, Ward 8; Munroe R. Pevear, Ward 8; George J. W. Sewell, Ward 8; John Sullivan, Ward 9; William J. Orr, Ward 10; Lewis E. Look, Ward 11; Frank A. Sweeney, Ward 11; James A. McDonald, Ward 12; Albert G. Waibel, Ward 13; William Murphy, Ward 14; Jacob Haeberle, Ward 14; Francis McLaughlin, Ward 15; Elbert A. McMillan, Ward 15; Percy W. Lantz, Ward 18; Karl S. Ward, Ward 18; Bertram C. Arey, Ward 19; Frank J. Beck, Ward 20; Daniel P. J. Walsh, Ward 20; Thomas F. Fitzpatrick, Ward 22; Arthur S. Higgins, Ward 22; George M. Loux, Ward 22; Fred H. Safford, Ward 22; Frederic G. Sherman, Ward 22; Arthur J. Coughlin, Ward 23; Clarendon C. Cutler, Ward 23; Charles H. Schworm, Ward 23; Harry E. Stevens, Ward 24; W. Frederick Coppinger, Ward 26.

Thirty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Sixth Session, to appear June 2, 1924:

S. Benjamin Smith, Ward 1; Charles B. Corleto, Ward 2; Joseph L. Rose, Ward 4; Archie W. Todd, Ward 4; Edmund Billings, Ward 7; Dennis H. Mitchell, Ward 7; Frank H. Carpenter, Ward 8; James Cunningham, Ward 8; Alfred G. Matless, Ward 8; Michael F. O'Brien, Ward 8; Richard E. Traiser, Ward 8; James B. Gately, Ward 10; James P. Holland, Ward 10; Jeremiah L. McCarthy, Ward 10; Charles L. Corman, Ward 11; Peter G. Dowling, Ward 11; Lawrence F. Corbett, Ward 12; Henry C. Goehl, Ward 12; Isaac Simon, Ward 12; Frank H. Snell, Ward 12; Fred L. Ross, Ward 12; Patrick Olson, Ward 13; Karl E. Hohmann, Ward 15; Thomas J. O'Brien, Ward 15; Alexander Spitzer, Ward 15; Henry L. Abbott, Ward 16; Joseph E. Gregori, Ward 16; Edward F. Havlin, Ward 16; George C. Shea, Ward 17; Michael P. Hickey, Ward 18; Carl W. Larson, Ward 18; Frederick Alton Giles, Ward 21; Harry E. Morgan, Ward 21; John A. Stahl, Ward 21; Harold L. Blake, Ward 23; John H. Preble, Ward 23; William T. Dunn, Ward 24; Fred-eric W. Rice, Ward 26.

Thirty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Seventh Session, to appear June 2, 1924:

William J. Greine, Ward 1; Raphael Naiherseg, Ward 1; Dennis G. Kane, Ward 3; William P. Mahoney, Ward 3; John F. Brady, Jr., Ward 4; Hugh F. Granger, Ward 5; Otto Beltzer, Ward 6; William M. Pike, Ward 7; Franklin L. Fay, Ward 8; Henry A. Hildreth, Ward 8; William O. Taylor, Ward 8; Patrick T. Farrell, Ward 9; John J. Kelsch, Ward 9; John H. Geddis, Ward 11; William Shute, Jr., Ward 11; John J. Walsh, Ward 11; Anthony V. Doyle, Ward 13; John H. Griffin, Ward 13; Thomas F. Dolan, Ward 14; Ernest G. Bacon, Ward 15; Robert W., Whiteacre, Jr., Ward 15; John F. Doherty, Ward 18; Edward P. Gilmartin, Ward 18; Albert J. Holland, Ward 19; John J. Kelly, Ward 19; Robert J. Mayhard, Ward 19; Frank W. Bates, Ward 20; Harrison H. Dwight, Ward 20; Wesley S. Helme, Ward 20; Patrick J. McMahon, Ward 21; Charles R. Baker, Ward 22; Guy L. Harvey, Ward 22; William R. Ford, Ward 23; Addington B. Hamilton, Ward 23; Edward A. Drugan, Ward 25; Charles A. Snow, Ward 25; Frederick W. Bennett, Ward 26; Frederick C. Prussman, Ward 26; Stephen H. Taylor, Ward 26.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following were received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, May 12, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Herbert C. Davis, 366 Dudley street, Roxbury, a weigher of boilers and heavy machinery for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, May 12, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named

persons weighers of coal for the term ending April 30, 1925: Paul Craig, 10 Hamblen street, Charlestown; Charles A. Hamann, 40 Central street, Boston.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, May 12, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons weighers of goods for the term ending April 30, 1925: Thomas A. Holt, 24 Savin street, Dorchester; Harry G. Dow, 343 Geneva avenue, Dorchester; Robert A. Todd, 9 Sumner street, Dorchester; August G. Acker, 15 Roselin avenue, Quincy; Walter Henderson, 35 Lexington avenue, Hyde Park; Walter A. Stoddard, Austin street Charlestown.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Severally laid over under the law.

SALE OF OLD MATERIAL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, May 12, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, requesting authority to sell, at public auction, a quantity of old material, the property of the Public Works Department, and respectfully recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Public Works Department, May 8, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

I respectfully recommend that the permission of the City Council be obtained for the Superintendent of Supplies to sell to the highest bidder at public auction after due advertisement, a quantity of old material which has accumulated in the various yards of this department, having an estimated value of \$2,300. The Public Works Department has no further use for this material, which consists of old cast-iron pipe, brass, composition, etc.

Yours respectfully,

J. A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Ordered, That the Superintendent of Supplies be and hereby is authorized to sell, after due advertisement, a quantity of old materials, the property of the Public Works Department, and consisting of old cast-iron pipe, brass, composition, etc., valued at approximately \$2,300.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SALE OF CITY LAND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, April 28, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith communication from Herbert R. Morse, Esq., representing the Clifton Manufacturing Company, the same being a tender for 375 square feet of land, the property of the City of Boston, located on Minton street, Jamaica Plain, also a communication from the municipal real estate expert recommending the sale of the land by the city.

The land in question having been originally taken for Stony brook and being no longer required for the protection of the Stony brook channel, I respectfully recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Public Works Department, May 12, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

The city has no further use for a piece of land containing 380 square feet, abutting on Stony brook taking, in the rear of lot on the southerly side of Minton street, West Roxbury, now or formerly owned by E. T. and C. F. Norton.

There are no city structures in this land, and as far as the Public Works Department is concerned it may be sold.

Yours respectfully,

J. A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

53 State Street,

Boston, January 7, 1924.

Mr. John Beck, 30 State Street, Boston, Mass.: Dear Sir—The Clifton Manufacturing Company desire to offer the sum of \$65, being 15

cents a foot for 375 feet, that being the city's assessment for lot on Minton street. This is the lot I have been speaking to you about and my people would appreciate it if you could recommend this offer.

Yours truly,

H. R. MORSE.

30 State Street,
Boston, April 28, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir—The Clifton Manufacturing Company of Brookside avenue, Jamaica Plain, wishes to buy about 375 square feet of land owned by the city, which is located in the rear of its land on Minton street.

This small lot was acquired when takings were made for Stony brook, and is not needed to protect the channel as it is outside of the area reserved for protection.

The land is of little value to the city, therefore I advise that the offer of 15 cents a square foot be accepted, which is the assessed value of the front land.

I enclose a communication from Herbert R. Morse relative to the matter and sketches showing location of land.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN BECK.

City of Boston, in City Council.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city to release and quitclaim by private sale for the sum of sixty-five (65 dollars) to the Clifton Manufacturing Company, its successors or assigns, by an instrument in writing satisfactory to the Law Department, all the right, title and interest which the City of Boston may have in the following parcel of land, containing 380 square feet of land, more or less, located on Minton street, in Jamaica Plain, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on Stony brook, thirty and thirty-six one hundredths (30.36) feet from Minton street, thence running southwestwardly on said Stony brook, thirty and twenty-eight one hundredths (30.28) feet to land now or formerly of Kelly; thence turning and running southeasterly on land now or formerly of said Kelly, fourteen and seventy-four one hundredths (14.74) feet; thence turning and running northeasterly thirty (30) feet on land now or formerly of Norton; thence turning and running northwesterly on land now or formerly of said Norton ten and sixty one hundredths (10.60) feet, to the point of beginning; containing three hundred and eighty square feet more or less.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

PLAYGROUND, SOUTH BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, May 12, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith for the consideration of your honorable body a recommendation and order providing for the establishment of a public playground in that section of South Boston bounded by Bolton, D and West Third streets.

This recommendation, as set forth in the appended communication from the City Planning Board, provides for the elimination of certain structures some of which are in use as stables and which today constitute a menace to the health of the people living in this section.

The recommendation here made is in conformity with the custom adopted in 1916 of appropriating a sum of money annually for the elimination of sources of infection in the city and the establishment in place thereof of additional lungs for the city in the shape of parks.

I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City Planning Board,
Boston, April 6, 1923.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir—The City Planning Board has given careful consideration to your letter of March 14, 1923, asking for an investigation and report with regard to the advisability of creating a neighborhood playground in the territory lying between D and E streets, Bolton and West Third streets, South Boston (Block 66) and submits herewith its conclusions with reference thereto.

The area in question, exclusive of the church property located at the southeasterly end of the block, comprises 33,410 square feet, or approximately three-fourths of an acre, with

an assessed valuation, land and buildings, of \$43,500. In shape, it is long and narrow, or about 335 feet long by 100 feet wide.

The buildings, which are used for dwelling purposes and for stables, are of wooden construction, and some of them are in exceedingly bad repair. There is also a considerable amount of open space, totalling approximately 9,000 square feet, or more than 25 per cent of the entire area, which is largely utilized at the present time for the storage of vehicles.

According to the 1920 census, there are 200 persons living in the block. In blocks immediately adjoining, the density of population is much greater. In fact, it is in a highly congested section of the district, and at the present time is not served by existing playgrounds.

There is no question but what the establishment of a community play space in this locality would be a desirable improvement, particularly in view of the fact that, since the withdrawal of the Commonwealth playground four blocks away, no substitute area has been set apart for recreation purposes.

The desire of the larger boys for athletics is met by the unusual facilities at Columbus Park and at the Christopher J. Lee Playground which has been recently enlarged and developed.

So far as the locality immediately under consideration is concerned, two small community playgrounds already exist for the benefit of the younger children in the vicinity of each, i. e., between West Fifth street and Gold street, 20,244 square feet; and B street at West Third street, 12,014 square feet; but these are too remote from the Bolton street site to be available for the children of that neighborhood.

In addition to providing a much needed play space for the little children of the neighborhood, the acquisition of this area by the city would serve to bring into desirable use an otherwise unsightly and unattractive area. At the same time, but very few people would be dispossessed, since much of the property in the proposed taking is either occupied by stables or entirely free from buildings.

The City Planning Board feels that the establishment of a community play space in the area bounded by Bolton, D, West Third and E streets would be an entirely feasible and desirable act on the part of the City of Boston, and recommends therefore that the matter have your Honors favorable consideration.

Yours very truly,

THE CITY PLANNING BOARD,

FREDERIC H. FAY,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the sum of \$65,250 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Commission for the establishment of a neighborhood playground at Bolton and West Third streets, South Boston district, and that the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

MONEY FOR PLAYGROUND, MATTAPAN.

The following was received:

Office of the Mayor, May 12, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—After ten years of deliberation and investigation the citizens of the Mattapan section of Boston and the Boston Park Commission have determined upon land known as Collins Field as a site for playground in this section of the city.

A tender has been accepted of the assessed valuation, namely, \$20,500 the land in question being assessed as pasture land and containing nearly a million square feet.

Under the statutes it is necessary that a sum 50 per cent in excess of the assessed valuation must be appropriated before taking can be made and I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Park Department, May 6, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley:

Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—I am directed by the Board of Park Commissioners to inform you that at their last meeting they stated they intend to pass a vote to request the Street Commissioners to make a taking of land in Mattapan, known as Collins Field, which is located on Almont street.

The land is assessed for \$20,500, and as the appropriation for the purchase of a playground in Mattapan is but \$25,000, it will be necessary to have an additional appropriation of

\$7,500 before a request can be made to have the land purchased.

Very truly yours,

DANIEL J. BYRNE,
Secretary.

Ordered, That the sum of \$7,500 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners for playground, Mattapan, and that the City Treasurer be authorized to issue from time to time upon request of the Mayor bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Hazel Baker, for compensation for damage to coat at Boston City Hospital caused by fumigation.

John Bowen Company, for compensation for damage to truck at corner of Massachusetts avenue and Albany street caused by ash cart.

James G. Connor, for compensation for injuries at 87 Gainsborough street caused by gas fumes.

William H. Curley, for compensation for damage to coat at 97 Templeton street, caused by paint on hydrant.

Frank A. Duffy, for compensation for loss of fowls killed by dogs.

William J. Galley, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Dorchester avenue.

C. E. Giles Company, for compensation for damage to wagon on State street, near Kilby street caused by city cart.

David Glashaw, for compensation for damage to automobile on Cambridge street caused by fire engine.

H. C. Hanson, for compensation for damage to lawn at 49 Pond street caused by city truck.

Patrick Hayes, for compensation for damage to property at 14 Oakland street caused by city team.

Harry Heller, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Tremont street.

Irving Herman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Northern avenue.

Harry C. Isaac, Jr., for compensation for damage to automobile on Carver street, near Boylston street, caused by ash cart.

Morris Mascot, for refund on lodging house license at 526 Columbus avenue.

Thomas Elias Mitchell, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Hudson street.

Otto B. Olson, for compensation for damage to property, 6 and 8 Chestnut terrace, Jamaica Plain, caused by ash cart.

Morey Pearl, for compensation for damage to automobile while assisting police in chasing car.

Rudolph Santini, for compensation for articles destroyed at Boston City Hospital by bursting of pipe.

Mary Stewart, for compensation for injuries caused by fall on back stairs of the Chardon Street Home.

Patrick F. Sullivan, for compensation for damage to automobile at 566 Washington street caused by city team.

Harry Sundook, for compensation for loss of baby carriage taken from 51 Allen street by ash collector.

William E. Trainor, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in East Concord street.

Alexander K. Young, by widow Louisa M. Young, for compensation for injuries resulting in death of her husband caused by an alleged defect at corner of Pitts and Merrimac streets.

JITNEYS.

Petitions for licenses to operate jitneys, viz.: Boston Bus Transportation Company, from West Roxbury Parkway to Church street, West Roxbury.

The same company, from Belgrade avenue and Centre street, West Roxbury, to Eliot circle, Jamaica Plain.

Rawding Auto Bus Company, for license to operate buses from Atlantic avenue to Fish Pier.

Executive.

Petitions for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.:

James T. Sullivan, Mechanics Hall, May 12.

Amelia Burnham, Jordan Hall, May 20.

Anna M. Gurney, Huntington Chambers, May 22.

Anna McGonagle, K. of C. Hall, May 8.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of notice of hearings on Monday, May 19, on various petitions for licenses to keep and sell gasoline.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of James J. Mahar as Schoolhouse Commissioner, a certified copy of the same having been sent to the Civil Service Commission.

Placed on file.

ORGANIZATION OF HOSPITAL TRUSTEES.

Notice was received from the Hospital Trustees of their organization, viz.: Joseph P. Manning, President; Thomas A. Forsyth, Secretary.

Placed on file.

CAMBRIDGE BRIDGES EMPLOYEES.

Notice was received from the City of Cambridge of acceptance of chapter 89, Acts of 1924, relative to Cambridge Bridges employees.

Placed on file.

STREET RAILWAY POLICE.

Notice was received from the City of Cambridge of appointment of George W. Browne, and various others, as street railway police officers, the notice being in accordance with the law.

Placed on file.

CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The bonds of the following named constables, having been duly approved by the City Treasurer, were received and approved, viz.:

David Belson, Matthew W. Chait, William K. Coburn, Thomas F. Coffey, Jr., Hyman Collier, William A. Collupy, James B. Cushing, Joseph P. Cutter, Frank R. Farrell, Kallman Fishline, John H. French, Edmund C. Grady, Sears H. Grant, Charles F. Hanson, Bronis Kontrim, Abraham Krinsky, Salvatore Maffei, Patrick J. Monahan, Michael W. Ober, Corrado Palladino, Davis Reinherz, William B. Santosuoso, Frank Shaw, Joseph M. Torr, Roman J. Vasil, Maurice Zeeman.

Approved by the City Council.

LEGISLATION CONCERNING CITY COUNCIL.

Coun. WATSON offered the following:

Whereas, Under the recent charter of the City of Boston, the City Council is elected at large, and at two elections within ten years, the voters have decisively rejected a proposed change to the district system.

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston hereby protests against the enactment of any legislation to amend the city charter in the matter of the election of a City Council unless such legislation has a referendum so arranged as to give the voters an opportunity to vote to retain the present system if they so desire.

The question came on the adoption of the preamble and resolution.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I will take but a moment or two of the Council's time in speaking to this resolution. The charter which provided for the election of nine members at large, three to be elected each year, was accepted by a referendum. That selection was made as a choice between two charters, and the voters expressed their opinion by accepting the present charter, which provided for nine members at large. I appreciate the fact that in introducing this resolution myself, or if any other member of the Council introduced it, we are liable to be criticised for having a selfish motive in view. Be that as it may, I want to say that there is another motive that also enters into it, and that is the question that the acceptance of a change in the charter should be decided in the same manner in which the act itself was accepted. The Committee on Cities of the present Legislature has reported a bill, I am informed through the press, I think correctly, that two systems are to be referred to the voters of Boston, one of which shall be selected by them as the system they desire. One system will provide for a member from each of the wards, twenty-six in all, and the other will provide for five boroughs, with three members for each borough. I have nothing

to say concerning the merits of either of the two plans proposed, except that the borough system will provide positively nine Republicans in this body as against six Democrats, and the district system will provide for a good round majority for the Democrats. That is nothing against either proposition, but there is a greater question involved. The people will be given an opportunity to select one of two plans of City Council for the City of Boston, but will have no opportunity to directly decide whether or not they desire to do away with the present method of electing the City Council. In view of the fact that the voters accepted the present charter by referendum, they should have the same opportunity of deciding whether or not it should continue. We all know that the question of continuing the present City Council has been twice referred to the voters and by decisive vote they have voted to retain the present Council. The advocates of a change are crying that it will raise the standard of membership here. As an ordinary, practical individual, one who has been in touch with the political situation for some years and who has been a pretty keen student, I think I can say without fear of contradiction, of city affairs, I feel that the so-called standard of the City Council will remain about as it is under any system. Those who claim that the standard should be raised have in mind big business men or men of affairs, men who are big taxpayers, coming in here; but those gentlemen will not make any sacrifice to become members of this body. I challenge the opponents of this body, those who criticise the standard of the membership, individually and collectively to point out an elective body in the country that has been more faithful to its constituency, taking in the entire city, than this body has been. Every improvement that deserved favorable action has received it at the hands of this Council since it has been in existence. We do not play favorites with any particular section of Boston. The most extreme end of the city, with or without a councilor, gets the attention of the entire nine members, and there is positively no logrolling. Every single measure we act on here stands on its own foundation and is passed or defeated on merit alone. I believe the Legislature is going to be fair in this matter. I know the chairman of the Committee on Cities, and he is a very fair gentleman. I believe if the matter is properly brought to their attention that they will see the wisdom of giving the people of Boston an opportunity to determine "yes" or "no" on the question of whether they desire to do away with the present system. I realize that no words of mine will hasten favorable action. I don't know whether I have even started anything. For the sake of argument I will admit that there is a selfish motive on our part, perhaps, in passing this resolution; but I will say, and without fear of contradiction, that neither of the two systems proposed will ever be any improvement on the present. Even if they were both better, the question of whether the people should do away with the present system should be presented to them for their action. I trust that the Legislature in its wisdom will give the people of Boston a true referendum on this question, having the question of whether or not the people shall do away with the present system placed on the ballot at the very earliest opportunity, for their determination. I move a suspension of the rule that the resolution may be passed at this time.

Coun. MORIARTY in the chair.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I am glad that Coun. Watson introduced that resolution, because I also am interested in that particular piece of legislation which is being enacted by the Legislature or has been reported upon favorably by the Committee on Cities. When they ask the citizens of Boston to raise the standard of the membership of this Council, I say to the Republican Legislature, first raise the standard of the type of men who are elected to the Legislature, because, when you come to think of it seriously, and when you stop to think that a lot of hicks from West Burlap and East Henniker are legislating for the intelligent electorate of Boston, it is a most outrageous and outlandish condition. I think the Republican party are going one step too far when they are attempting to dictate practically entirely the way in which the people of Boston shall conduct themselves. Today we have the spectacle of a Police Commissioner appointed from Beacon Hill for the citizens of the City of Boston, with jurisdiction over the entire police affairs of Boston, and with the Mayor of our city absolutely without any question the choice of the people as representing this city of ours, without any word to say as to how the Po-

lice Department shall be conducted. We have the Finance Commission appointed by a Republican Legislature, which has no place in Boston's affairs. We have the Licensing Board appointed by a Republican Legislature, which has no reason for existence today other than to provide jobs for a few lame Republican ducks. Then we have the Republican Legislature making the citizens of Boston every year think they are going to make the tax limit what the citizens of Boston want it to be, and then giving us what they want. Just go to the Legislature and see the type of men who sit there on the committees, and compare them with some of the men who are elected to legislative office in our city. Gentlemen, there is no comparison whatsoever. In my opinion, those who have been elected to the City Council are so far superior to those hayshakers, as I might say, from West Dennis or some other outlying section, who don't see in their lifetimes probably 200 people, that there is no possible comparison. And yet they attempt to legislate for us. It is an almost ridiculous condition. I don't care what they do, what system they want to put into effect, but when they attempt to make this Council a Republican Council, against the wishes of a Democratic city, I say that the answer will be given to them on the next election day, when they are seeking to put over their candidate for governor and when they are seeking to put over their candidate for United States senator. The democracy of Boston will rise in its might and crush them to earth, where they should have been relegated years and years ago. They do not represent the true sentiment of our people, and I feel that the time is not far distant when those now in control on Beacon Hill will be swept into political oblivion forever. I hope the resolution will pass.

The preambles and resolutions were adopted.

PAYMENT TO PARENTS OF PETER P. OGINSKIS.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That under the provisions of chapter 283 of the Acts of 1924, the sum of \$2,500 be allowed and paid to Joseph A. Oginskis and Barbara B. Oginskis, parents of Peter P. Oginskis, a police officer of the City of Boston, who died in consequence of injuries received while in the performance of his duty.

The rule was suspended, on motion of Coun. WALSH, and the order was passed.

SIDEWALK ORDERS.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Pratt street, both sides, from Linden street to Ashford street, Ward 25, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Savin Hill avenue, at No. 10, Ward 17, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, from Canterbury street to River street, Wards 21 and 24 in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Cushing avenue at No. 51, Ward 17, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

The orders were passed under a suspension of the rule.

SALE OF CITY YARD, JAMAICA PLAIN.

Coun. PURCELL offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works, through his

Honor the Mayor, be requested to inform the City Council whether or not it is possible, without seriously crippling the department business, to abandon the city yard on Child and Centre streets, Jamaica Plain, and dispose of the property.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, this city yard for which I have asked for the removal is on the corner of Child and Centre streets, directly opposite one of the prominent churches of that district. I don't think there is a yard in the whole city of Boston that is in the dilapidated condition that this yard is in. It is a disgrace to the city to see conditions as they are there today. It is on a main thoroughfare and the people of that district are very, very much opposed to it. Coming from that district, I would like some information regarding the removal of it. I think every man, woman and child in the district is in favor of the removal.

The order was passed under a suspension of the rule.

RETIREMENT OF ELLEN LEAHY.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That the Retirement Board for Laborers be hereby authorized and requested to retire, under the provisions of chapter 765 of the Acts of 1914, as amended by chapter 63 of the Special Acts of 1915, Ellen Leahy, employed in the labor service of the City of Boston in the Park Department.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

RETIREMENT OF MICHAEL J. CURRAN.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That under the provisions of chapter 195 of the Acts of 1924, the Police Commissioner be hereby authorized to retire Michael J. Curran, a member of the Police Department, who was shot and totally incapacitated while in the performance of his duty at an annual pension equal to his present annual compensation, said pension to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, submitted a report recommending the payment of soldiers' relief to soldiers and sailors and their families in the City of Boston for the month of May, 1924.

Report accepted; order passed.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 3.02 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. MORIARTY, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members reassembled in the chamber and were called to order at 4.20 o'clock p. m. by the President.

TRANSFERS FOR POLICE STATION NO. 2.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 12, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The completion of Police Station No. 2 building will require additional funds in the sum of \$5,000.

I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order providing transfer from unexpended balances to appropriation for Police Station No. 2 Building.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, Site, \$2,500; Courthouse, Forest Hills, \$2,500, to the appropriation for Police Station 2, Building, \$5,000.

The order was passed under a suspension of the rule, yeas 8, nays 0.

ACTION AGAINST BRIGHAM HOSPITAL TRUSTEES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 12, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The Corporation Counsel in connection with the action brought by the

City of Boston against the trustees of the Robert B. Brigham Hospital for Incurables is required to undergo certain expenditures, and I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That a sum not exceeding one thousand (1,000) dollars be authorized to be expended by the Corporation Counsel for the purpose of meeting all necessary charges and expenses in connection with the present petition pending before the Attorney General of the Commonwealth, filed by his Honor the Mayor, requesting the Attorney General to file an information in the Supreme Court of Massachusetts against the officials of the Robert B. Brigham Hospital for Incurables because of their misuse and misapplication of the funds left by the late Robert Breck Brigham, said amount to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

COST OF TELEPHONE PROCEEDINGS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 12, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen—The proceedings instituted by the City of Boston before the Department of Public Utilities, the purpose of which is to prevent what appears to be an unwarranted increase in telephone charges, makes necessary an expenditure not in excess of \$5,000.

I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That a sum not exceeding five thousand (5,000) dollars be authorized to be expended by the Corporation Counsel for the purpose of meeting charges and expenses for expert services, stenographic services and other necessary and proper expenditures in connection with the investigation of telephone rates and petition filed by his Honor the Mayor now pending before the Department of Public Utilities in connection with such investigation, said amount to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

EXCHANGE OF CITY LAND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 5, 1924.
To the Honorable City Council:

Gentlemen,—Harriet H. Waterman is the present owner of land on Wallingford road, Brighton, contiguous to the land owned by the City of Boston on Wallingford road used by the Public Works Department for a city yard. She is now erecting an apartment building on her land and is desirous of exchanging a small triangular portion of her land for a small triangular plot of land owned by the city adjacent to her land.

This exchange will result in straightening the west side line of Wallingford road, will also permit of a larger entrance to the present yard owned by the city on this street, and will also prevent a claim against the city on account of the present use by the City of Boston of land belonging to the said Harriet H. Waterman and which has long been used by the Public Works Department in connection with its entrance into the present city yard on Wallingford road. In my opinion this exchange will result in a decided advantage to the city.

I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Very truly yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston, In City Council.
Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city to convey unto Harriet H. Waterman the following described parcel of land situated on Wallingford road in that part of Boston called Brighton, and bounded and described as follows:

A certain triangular shaped parcel of land bounded westerly by other land of the City of Boston three hundred (300) feet; northerly by other land of the said City of Boston, twenty-one and 62-100 (21.62) feet; easterly by land of Harriet H. Waterman by three lines, seven and 38-100 (7.38) feet, thirty-nine and 84-100 (39.84) feet, and two hundred and fifty-six (256) feet, containing forty-two hundred and thirty-five (4,235) square feet, more or less,

as shown on a plan entitled "subdivision of land, Wallingford road, Brighton, Boston, January, 1924, Pierce and Barnes Company, C. E.," in exchange for the following described parcel of land on said Wallingford road, bounded and described as follows:

A certain triangular shaped parcel of land bounded southerly by land of said Harriet H. Waterman, nineteen and 93-100 (19.93) feet; westerly by other land of said City of Boston, ninety-nine and 90-100 (99.90) feet; and easterly by a curved line, one hundred (100) feet, containing seven hundred and fifty (750) square feet, more or less, as shown on said plan, which the said Harriet H. Waterman shall convey unto the City of Boston simultaneously upon the conveyance by the city to the said Harriet H. Waterman of the parcel of land hereinbefore authorized to be conveyed to her. The deeds of the said conveyances by the City of Boston and the said Harriet H. Waterman are to be in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Reports on petitions (severally referred today) for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement—that permits be granted, viz.:

James T. Sullivan, Mechanics Hall, May 12.
Amelia Burnham, Jordan Hall, May 20.
Anna M. Gurney, Huntington Chambers, May 22.

Anna McGonagle, K. of C. Hall, May 8.
Reports severally accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on order (referred today) for the retirement of Mrs. Ellen Leahy from position of matron in the Park Department—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

3. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred May 12) that the Superintendent of Supplies sell old materials, valued at approximately \$2,300—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

4. Report on communications from the Street Commissioners (referred April 7 and April 21, respectively) giving notice of hearings on petitions to store and sell gasoline—that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; communications placed on file.

FINANCE.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Finance, submitted a report on communication from the Finance Commission (referred March 31) relative to loan for William Eustis Playground—that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; communication placed on file.

2. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for appropriation of \$7,500 for playground, Mattapan—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

3. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for appropriation of \$65,250 for establishment of neighborhood playground at Bolton and West Third streets, South Boston—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

JITNEYS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Jitneys, submitted a report on petition of Rawding Auto Bus Line (referred today) for license to operate buses from Atlantic avenue, foot of State street, and Northern avenue at Fish Pier—that a license be granted.

Report accepted; license granted on the usual conditions.

PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on message of Mayor, communications and order (referred December 23, 1923) for sale of land on Wade street—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

2. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred December 31, 1923) for sale of land on Berry street—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

3. Report on message of Mayor, communications and order (referred March 24) for sale of land on Commercial street, Police Station 8—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

4. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred April 28) for sale of land on Alford street—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

5. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred April 28) for sale of land on Seaver street, near Harold street—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

6. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred April 28) for sale of city property at 41-45 Arch street—recommending the passage of the order in the following new draft, viz.:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$150,000, the property numbered 41-45 Arch street, city proper, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

Report accepted; order passed.

IMPROVEMENT OF WILLIAM EUSTIS PLAYGROUND.

Coun. WATSON called up unfinished business, No. 6, viz.:

6. Ordered, That the sum of \$100,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners, for the extension and improvement of William Eustis Playground, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On March 18, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The question came on giving the order its second and final reading and passage.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I desire to vote "yes" on the order, although, of course, I do not approve of the methods adopted in acquiring various pieces of land. On the playground proposition, however, of course, I vote "yes." Therefore, I shall vote "yes."

Coun. LANE—Mr. President, I am voting "yes" for the same reason that Coun. Healey has stated. I believe in the playground, but I did not believe in the method of procuring the land. However, I am going to vote for this as a playground proposition.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I am going to vote "yes" but I am not protecting myself by voting "yes." It is a playground, and it is the only playground for which an appropriation has been made this year where we have heard anything from the Finance Commission. There have been other playgrounds sent in here upon which they have made no report whatsoever; and I say openly here today that if this were a matter in which the Edison Company was interested the chairman of the Finance Commission would not have made any report on this playground. That is proven by the Edison now making an offer to buy the piece of land that this same agent, Mr. Andrews, desired to swap for the land in question. If the Edison man was not interested in the Cottage street piece of land, and if the chairman of the Finance Commission was not interested in the Edison, we would have heard no protest. I think it is about time that the Finance Commission got down to real business, instead of being in the employ of large corporations within our city.

The order was given its second and final reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—8.
Nays—0.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

Coun. GILBODY called up unfinished business, Nos. 3 and 4, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor May 5, 1924, viz.:

3. Louis Goldberg, Joseph E. Ferreira, John A. Anderson, Alfred R. Mitchell, Thomas Cannizzaro and Morris Chalfin, to be Constables.

4. William J. O'Hearn and John B. Kearney, to be Weighers of Coal.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Healey and Walsh. Whole number of ballots cast 8, yeas 7, nays 1, and the appointments were confirmed.

Coun. WATSON called up unfinished business, Nos. 1 and 2, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor April 14, 1924, of the following-named Constables:

1. Saverio Di Donato.

2. True William Hunt.

The question came on confirmation. Committee, Coun. Healey and Walsh.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I understand that this Di Donato has been held up. I understand that there are charges on which he has been sued in court. If that is so, and if that is the type of fellow he is, going out and working in the interests of these instalment houses, I don't think you fellows ought to vote to give him a commission here. Of course, I realize that perhaps it may mean political death, in some instances, to oppose these fellows, but if I have to go to political death because I am going to hold back on the likes of these fellows, I am going to political death. This fellow just called me out and pleaded with me to let him go by, and I have received letters from some of these men saying that they were not hangmen. Well, I may have called them the wrong name, and perhaps I have been a little lenient in calling them that name. I think some of them are worse than that. I think we ought to be very, very careful. I don't think we are running into the best of times, and with the number of people who are unemployed and who owe some of these instalment houses money, I have a good deal of sympathy with the poor unfortunate foreigner who comes into our midst and who does not know the law and does not realize what he is up against. Some of these men are going out with their badges and scaring a number of people in the residential sections. I think it is time that we made an example of some of them. I realize that taking two perhaps out of 100 is not much of an example, but I do want to say that I now reiterate every remark I made three or four weeks ago in regard to constables, and I feel that you members here ought to vote against these fellows. Perhaps we ought also to take some other action. I feel, with regard to every complaint that has been made in the Law Department against any man serving as a constable in the city, that we ought to have the Law Department report to us, and where they have found that that man has done things he should not have done with his commission, I don't think he should receive a constable's commission from the City of Boston. I realize that there are some men here who work for the city, where we have to serve writs. I have no objection to those men going through. But I am referring to those men who are outside working, who will take any kind of a job that is possible to be covered with the commission that they receive at your hands. The trouble is that there is no adequate investigation made of these fellows. Anybody in public life may go into the Mayor and ask that a certain name be sent in as a constable, and nobody knows whether the man came from Sing Sing, whether he has served a term in State Prison or some other place, or what his antecedents have been. For all that is known, such men may have served a term in prison and, if not, a lot of them ought to do so, and, if you allow them to hold a commission, some of them will eventually do so. It may be rather late at this date to simply take up the matter of these two constables, but I do think we should be cautious and where there is an opportunity to protect those responsible for us being here that we should protect them. In so far as this case is concerned, I am going to move that the matter be laid on the table, and that the Law Department send us a list of all the constables against whom there have been charges and concerning whom the charges have been found to be true.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I don't know either one of these two men. They may be all that Coun. Moriarty says they are. But a murderer is entitled to a chance. The most evil individual is entitled to defend himself. I think perhaps the better way to do

with these two names is to lay them on the table and to serve notice on these two men to be present next Monday before the Council, giving them an opportunity to defend themselves against the charges, if there are charges, and that the Law Department be requested to send down such information as they have against the applicants. Of course, if there have been charges preferred against any men and proven, I don't think the Law Department would attempt to protect them as constables or otherwise. If they should, it would be entirely wrong. If they prove to be men who are unfit, who are not doing their duty properly, of course we can vote against them. I am entirely agreeable to having the matter lie on the table until the next meeting and having these two men appear before the Council and defend themselves against charges, if there are charges made against them.

It was voted that action upon the two names referred to be assigned to the next meeting; that the two appointees be requested to appear at that time, and that the Law Department be requested to send to the Council information concerning charges which have been made against them.

OUT-PATIENT BUILDING, BOSTON SANATORIUM.

President DONOGHUE called up unfinished business, No. 5, viz.:

5. Ordered, That an additional sum of \$100,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the trustees of the Boston Sanatorium for the establishment of an out-patient building, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On April 28, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. WALSH moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 4.40 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. HEALEY, to meet on Monday, May 19, at two o'clock p. m.

Monday, May 19, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair and all the members present.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, First Session, to appear June 2, 1924:

Joseph Goldinger, Ward 1; Alfred J. Murphy, Ward 1; Walter R. Tarbett, Ward 6; Charles E. Oliver, Ward 8; Victor M. Pelletier, Ward 8; Charles J. Vuilleumier, Ward 10; Frank R. Hall, Ward 11; Louis D. Kelley, Ward 11; John E. Murphy, Ward 12; Harry W. Theall, Ward 12; E. Herman Gumprecht, Ward 13; William Richey, Ward 14; Louis Greenich, Ward 15; Ambrose T. Waul, Ward 15; Irving H. Wilde, Ward 16; Charles R. Duncan, Ward 17; Joseph J. Riley, Ward 17; Hugh Earley, Ward 18; Henry John Fogel, Ward 18; Daniel J. Prendergast, Ward 22; Carl H. Ericson, Ward 21; Jeremiah A. Fitzgerald, Ward 21; Solomon Frankford, Ward 21; Thomas McKenzie, Ward 21; Charles Adams Reed, Ward 21; Thomas F. Dowd, Ward 22; Roger J. Ernst, Ward 22; Thomas K. Reynolds, Ward 22; Roger W. Smith, Ward 22; John Westberg, Ward 22; Andrew Whelan, Ward 22; William J. Cheeseman, Ward 23; John M. Costello, Ward 23; Archibald C. Hobbs, Ward 23; James D. Kerr, Ward 23; Henry O. Lynch, Ward 23; William E. Oberacker, Ward 23; Simeon P. Williams, Ward 23; Percival A. Littlefield, Ward 24; George O. Wilson, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Third Session, to appear June 2, 1924:

James A. Allan, Ward 1; Charles F. Holman, Ward 4; Joseph Darrigo, Ward 5; Charles Goldfarb, Ward 5; Chester F. Brown, Ward 6; John H. Matz, Ward 6; F. Gordon Patterson, Ward 8; William F. Healey, Jr.,

Ward 10; James H. McCarthy, Ward 10; Peter Conley, Ward 11; Thomas Nolan, Ward 11; Frederick A. Morton, Ward 12; Michael J. White, Ward 12; Charles B. Heintz, Ward 13; Ernest Hunter, Ward 13; Frank H. Brophy, Ward 15; John Louis Vierkant, Ward 15; Frederick E. Hall, Ward 16; David J. Ford, Ward 17; Philip Klayman, Ward 17; LeRoy Stewart Thayer, Ward 17; Perley M. Walker, Ward 17; Edmund A. Davis, Jr., Ward 18; Joseph M. McMorrow, Ward 18; Max Schubert, Ward 18; Alexander J. Cummings, Ward 20; Daniel J. Sullivan, Ward 20; Leonard W. M. Christianson, Ward 21; Thomas I. Stedfast, Ward 21; Walter B. Bushway, Ward 22; William C. F. Krone, Ward 22; William K. Beardsley, Ward 23; Louis W. Blakney, Ward 23; Howard J. Clark, Ward 23; Frederic H. Newton, Ward 23; Arthur W. Wills, Ward 23; Richard E. Hildebrand, Ward 24; William Shedd, Ward 24; Johar Swenson, Ward 24; William J. Brown, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fourth Session, to appear June 2, 1924:

Daniel J. Driscoll, Ward 1; Frank C. Harrington, Ward 1; John F. Murphy, Ward 1; Manuel B. Thomas, Ward 1; Thomas King, Ward 3; John T. Irwin, Ward 4; James Daley, Ward 5; William Prescott, Ward 5; John T. Rigg, Ward 6; Paul B. Cheever, Ward 7; Lawrence H. Healy, Ward 7; Robert McGahey, Ward 8; Garnet W. Stanley, Ward 8; Peter J. Conley, Ward 9; Frank C. Nolen, Ward 9; Martin Scully, Ward 11; Thomas Barrett, Ward 13; C. Ignatius Plagemann, Ward 13; William H. Crane, Ward 14; George E. Fairbanks, Ward 14; Louis Hurwitz, Ward 15; Joseph E. McNamara, Ward 15; John Candeu, Ward 16; John Corley, Ward 17; John F. Daly, Ward 17; Fred R. Segee, Ward 17; Frank A. Bates, Ward 18; Samuel H. Ellis, Ward 18; Perlie F. Hatch, Ward 18; Edward J. Reilly, Ward 18; Patrick J. Thornton, Ward 18; Walter E. Henry, Ward 19; William J. Hickey, Ward 19; John J. Galvin, Ward 20; Theodore C. Haffenreffer, Ward 22; Frank A. Larson, Ward 22; Michael F. Walsh, Ward 23; William B. Foster, Ward 24; John A. Callahan, Ward 25; Henry W. George, Ward 26.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following were received:

Office of the Mayor, May 19, 1924.

To the City Council:

Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint John J. Buckley, 110 St. Botolph street, Boston, to the position of Constable of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

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City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, May 19, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Albert F. Wilkins, 28 Magnolia street, Dorchester, a Weigher of Beef for the term ending April 30 1925.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

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City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, May 19, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Thomas J. Drummond, 372 Lovell street, East Boston, a Weigher of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

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City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, May 19, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Francis A. Trayers, 4 Linwood street, Roxbury, and Bernard McArdle, 242 Leyden street, East Boston, Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Severally laid over under the law.

VETO—PENSION FOR THOMAS F. DENNING.

The following were received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, May 19, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith report of the Commissioner of Public Works, same

constituting answer to the resolution adopted by the City Council under date of April 28, 1924.

In view of the facts as set forth by the Commissioner of Public Works, who is conversant with the case, great as my sympathies might go out to the individual in question, it is impossible for me to approve the order adopted by your honorable body. The main purpose to be served through the adoption of this order would be to establish a pensionable status for one individual at the possible expense of the entire pension system and there is no way to justify such action.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,

Boston, May 7, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor:

Replying to your letter of May 2, regarding the resolve of the City Council favoring the enactment of legislation for the reinstatement of Thomas F. Denning, beg to advise that he was employed in this department from 1905 to 1908 and from 1912 to 1920 as a teamster and laborer in the Sanitary and Paving Services.

He left on account of sickness on September 30, 1920, and failing to return within six months, he resigned under the civil service rules on March 30, 1921.

He is now sixty-five years of age and served the department for eleven years and it appears to me that his reinstatement at this late date is for the purpose of applying for a pension later. If this is so he would be obliged to serve the city for fourteen years under the old and fifteen years under the new pension act.

The man is beyond the period where his services could be used to advantage and if this legislation is approved it will pave the way for several hundred similar requests from men who have left the city service and failed to apply for reinstatement within the time limit required under the civil service rules.

I would recommend that the Law Department oppose any such requests.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Dr. E. E. Bowen, for compensation for professional services rendered city employee.

Harry Broudy, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Dominick Calderone, for compensation for injuries caused by plate glass falling from window of the Eliot School, Tileston street.

Caprobiano & Company, for compensation for damage to truck on Richmond street caused by city team.

John S. Codman, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Cottage avenue.

Cornelius J. Desmond, for compensation for mistake in opening for sewer at 109 and 111 Stratton street, Dorchester.

William G. Donnelly, for compensation for damage to property at 22 Smith street caused by firemen unable to secure water.

Dorchester Awning Company, Inc., for compensation for broken window at 1548-1558 Dorchester avenue caused by ball striking window.

Wallace B. Freeman, for compensation for broken window at 1128 Washington street caused by police.

Louis Furry, for refund on pool and billiards license at 1709 Washington street.

Freida Galvin for compensation for injuries caused by collision of Eastern Massachusetts car and city truck.

Eva Goldman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Castle street.

Mrs. Edward Hardy, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Danforth street.

Orra F. Humphrey and others, for compensation for injuries caused in collision between automobile and fire engine on Saratoga street.

Christina Kennedy, for compensation for injuries at 13 Vinton street caused by shade of street lamp.

Katherine H. Kett, for compensation for injuries at 570 Washington street caused by defective manhole cover.

Sarah Lichter, for compensation for damage to property at 2788-2792 Washington street caused by ash team.

Albert Lucianelli, for compensation for damage to automobile at corner of Dudley and Warren streets caused by city truck.

William H. McNulty, for compensation for damage to coat caused by an alleged defect in Huntington avenue.

W. L. Rollins, for compensation for damage to automobile on Harrison avenue, near Dudley street, caused by Sanitary Service wagon.

Mary A. Ryan, for compensation for articles taken from 174 Third street by men cleaning sewer and cellar.

James T. Sullivan, for compensation for tools taken from 240 West Sixth street by ash man.

Marguerite Turner, for compensation for damage to automobile at corner of Jersey street caused by city dray.

Executive.

Petitions for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.:

Hazel Boone, Copley-Plaza Hotel, May 23.

Lillian E. Brown, Fine Arts Theater, June 6. Miss Gertrude Murphy, Bloomfield Hall, June 12.

M. Theresa Connell, Jordan Hall, May 19.

Grace M. Marden, Dudley Street Opera House, June 3.

J. J. Richards, Copley-Plaza Hotel, June 9.

Marion Hennessey, Gorman's Theater, May 22.

Emma G. Tunnicliffe, Boston Opera House, May 27.

Irene E. Rules, Huntington Chambers Hall, June 12.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constables' bonds of Warren A. Brown, Atlante Campagna, Thomas Cannizzaro, William H. Kenney, Fred G. Trask.

Approved by the City Council.

APPROVAL OF VOUCHER.

A voucher was received for the salary of John F. Sullivan, court officer of the District Court of Chelsea, for the month of May, amounting to \$166.66.

Approved by the City Council.

SIDEWALK ASSESSMENTS.

Notices were received from the Commissioner of Public Works of sidewalk assessments on the following named streets, viz.:

Centre street, Ward 20; Centre avenue, Ward 20; Main street, Ward 3; Morton street, Ward 22; Spring street, Ward 23.

Orders were passed on the above at the request of the commissioner.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

A communication was received from the Street Commissioners giving notice of hearings on various petitions for storage and sale of gasoline at different locations said hearings to be held on May 26.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

JITNEY BOND.

The jitney bond of the Rawding Auto Bus Line was received, after having been duly approved by the City Treasurer.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Mayor, by the City Clerk, of the appointment of John H. Mahony as Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.

Placed on file.

GYMNASIUM, FRANKLIN FIELD SECTION.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor request the Park Commissioners to consider the advisability of erecting a gymnasium in the Franklin Field section of Dorchester.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

AMENDMENT TO LIGHTING CONTRACT.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works be informed, through his Honor the Mayor, that the City Council is of the opinion that the following amendment should be added to the proposed contracts with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for furnishing gas and for the equipment and lighting of gas lamps:

"In consideration of the execution of two contracts dated March 6, 1924, for the supply of gas for street lighting purposes and for the maintenance of street lamps, the Boston Consolidated Gas Company hereby agrees that said contracts be terminated on April 1, 1929, by the City of Boston, in pursuance of a vote of the City Council approved by the Mayor after a public hearing held as provided by section 6, of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, provided written notice of such vote to terminate is given by the Mayor of Boston to the Boston Consolidated Gas Company any time between March 1, 1928, and July 1, 1928; otherwise said contracts shall continue in full force and effect for the full term provided therein.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 2.38 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.48 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Reports on petitions (referred today) for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement—that permits be granted, viz.:

Hazel Boone, Copley-Plaza Hotel, May 23.
Lillian F. Brown, Fine Arts Theatre, June 6.
Miss Gertrude Murphy, Bloomfield Hall, June 12.
M. Theresa Connell, Jordan Hall, May 19.
Grace M. Marden, Dudley Street Opera House, June 3.
J. J. Richards, Copley-Plaza Hotel, June 9.
Marion Hennessey, Gorman's Theater, May 22.

Emma G. Tunncliffe, Boston Opera House, May 27.
Irene E. Redes, Huntington Chambers Hall, June 12.

Reports severally accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions.

2. Reports on communications from the Street Commissioners (referred April 28 and May 5, respectively) as to notice of hearings for permits for storage and sale of gasoline—that the same be placed on file.

Reports accepted; communications placed on file.

3. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred May 12) for appropriation of \$1,000 for action against officials of Brigham Hospital—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 9.

PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted a report on message of Mayor and order (referred May 12) to exchange land on Wallingford road—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 9.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

CONTRACTS FOR STREET LIGHTING.

Coun. WATSON submitted the following—The Committee on Finance to which was referred the proposed contracts with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company for furnishing gas and for the equipment and lighting of gas lamps for lighting streets having considered the subject respectfully recommends that said contracts be approved.

The report was accepted, and the question came on the approval of the contracts.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, there is no use in making a double-headed fight but I just want to say that the records of the hearing before the Committee on Finance show on page 9 that Mr. Barnum would have been

willing to renew the five-year optional contract for supplying the gas. He said that, of course, he would have to get in touch with the Welsbach concern before he could tie them up. So the statement made in committee by two councilors that the gas company was unwilling to go through on that, is not absolutely sound. Of course, as I say, there is no use in going through here again the same fight that we had in committee, but I would ask if the same report, "ought to pass," is made by the committee on the order I put in?

Coun. WATSON—The Committee on Finance voted that that ought not to pass. Consequently, it has not come before us.

Coun. HEALEY—It is not before the Council?

Coun. WATSON—No. No other motion was made at that time.

The Council voted to approve the contracts with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company, yeas 7, nays 2.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—7.

Nays—Coun. Healey, Watson—2.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President—

President DONOGHUE—For what purpose does the councilor rise?

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I move to recall my order from the Committee on Finance, the order looking to a five-year optional contract.

The motion to recall was declared carried. Coun. Brickley doubted the vote and asked for the yeas and nays.

The motion to recall was lost, yeas 4, nays 5:

Yeas—Coun. Healey, Lane, Walsh, Watson—4.

Nays—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Moriarty, Purcell—5.

SALARY INCREASE.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That until otherwise ordered the annual salaries of the officers connected with the City Council be established as follows, beginning with the fourth day of April 1924:

Clerk of Committees.....	\$4,500
Secretary to the City Council and Assistant Clerk of Committees.....	3,000
City Messenger.....	4,500
Assistant in the office of the City Messenger	2,400

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

ANNUAL BUDGET PASSED.

Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Appropriations, reported recommending the passage of the annual budget (City Document 49).

Report accepted, budget adopted, yeas 9, nays 0.

CONFIRMATION OF EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

President DONOGHUE called up the following, under unfinished business:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor April 14, 1924, of the following-named Constables:

1. Saverio Di Donato.
2. True William Hunt.
Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, May 12, 1924, viz.:

3. Paul Craig and Charles A. Hamann, to be Weighers of Coal.
4. Thomas A. Holt, Harry G. Dow, Robert A. Todd, August G. Asker, Walter Henderson and Walter A. Stoddard, to be Weighers of Goods.

5. Herbert C. Davis, to be a Weigher of Boilers and Heavy Machinery.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Brickley and Lane. Whole number of ballots 8; yeas, 8, and the appointments were confirmed.

APPROPRIATION FOR OUT-PATIENT DEPARTMENT.

Under unfinished business, President DONOGHUE called up the following:

6. Ordered, That the sum of \$70,000 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the City Hospital Trustees for the furnishing and equipping of the new Out-Patient Department, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On May 5 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its second and final reading and passage, yeas 9, nays 0.

CHILDREN'S HEALTH CAMPS.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That section 62-A and the six following sections of chapter 111 of the General Laws, as set forth in chapter 248 of the Acts of 1924, relative to Children's Health Camps, be and the same hereby are accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. WATSON moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 5 o'clock p. m. on motion of Coun. LANE, to meet on Monday, May 26, at two o'clock p. m.

BOSTON'S RANK AMONG AMERICAN CITIES.

First in value of property per capita, second in municipal assets per capita, the first shoe and leather center, the first wool market, the first fresh fish market (i. e. on Atlantic shores), the second importing seaport, the second textile center, fourth in total assessed valuation and in bank clearings, also the fourth postal district, fifth in Federal Reserve Bank System as to resources, capital paid in, surplus, reserve and gross deposits, fifth (probably) in population, seventh in total foreign trade and ninth in value of its manufactures.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

EXAMINATIONS FOR ADMISSION TO THE TEACHERS COLLEGE, LATIN AND DAY HIGH SCHOOLS.

Boston Public Schools.—The 1924 examinations for admission to the Teachers College of the City of Boston, Latin and Day High Schools will be held this year as follows:

The Teachers College of the City of Boston.—For the regular four-year college courses open to high school graduates who have completed the preparatory course: On Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 12, 13 and 14, at 9 o'clock a. m., at the Teachers College of the City of Boston, on Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue. All candidates are required to be present on the first day of the examination.

For the regular three-year courses open to high school graduates who have completed the preparatory course: On Friday and Saturday, June 13 and 14, at 9 o'clock a. m., at the Teachers College of the City of Boston. All candidates are required to be present on the first day of the examination.

For the one-year course open to graduates of approved colleges: On Friday, September 12, at 9 o'clock a. m., at the Teachers College of the City of Boston.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.
Latin Schools.—For admission to the six-year course: On Friday, June 6 and on Monday, September 8, at 9 o'clock a. m. Boys will be examined at the Public Latin Schoolhouse, on Avenue Louis Pasteur; girls, at the Girls' Latin Schoolhouse, on Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue.

Candidates are required to pass an examination equivalent to that required for admission to the seventh grade of the elementary schools. The subjects of the examination will be English (including Reading, Literature and Spelling); Arithmetic, Geography; and History and Civics.

For admission to the four-year course: Candidates for admission to the four-year course in the Public Latin or Girls' Latin Schools, will be examined only on September 12, at the place, and in the subjects indicated under High Schools, below:

High Schools.—On Friday, September 12, at 9 o'clock a. m. Boys and girls will be examined at the Teachers College of the City of Boston, on Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue. The subjects of examination will be: English Language, including Reading, Writing and Spelling, Grammar and Composition; History and Civil Government of the United States; Geography and Arithmetic.

THORNTON D. APOLLONIO,
Secretary, School Committee.

(May 24.)

15 Beacon Street, Boston.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR STEEL SHELVING FOR BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Boston City Hospital:

168 plain clear openings, 36 inches by 11½ inches by 12½ inches,

as per specifications to be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, 801 City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$200, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., Tuesday, June 3, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(May 24.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEAT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments during June, 1924, as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals with a certified check for \$200 payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 noon, Thursday, May 29, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(May 24.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COKE FOR THE INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing

Approximately 375 tons of coke to the Institutions Department, Long and Deer Islands.

The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and furnish a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bidder must state the price per ton of 2,000 pounds, and leave his proposal at the office of the Supply Department on or before Monday, June 2, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(May 24.)

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRANITE PAVING BLOCKS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Paving Service, Public Works Department, 400,000 granite paving blocks.

to be delivered as required. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$300, must be left at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., Thursday, May 29, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(May 24.)

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Boston City Hospital dry goods as per proposals. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Monday, June 2, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(May 24.)

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HAY, GRAIN AND STRAW.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Thursday, May 29, 1924, when they will be publicly opened and read for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during the month of June, 1924. The bidder must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on United States No. 2 and No. 3 timothy hay, United States No. 2 and No. 3 light grass mixed, and United States No. 2 and No. 3 light clover mixed, the straw to be rye straw in good condition. The grade of hay must comply with the federal hay grades and straw must comply with the National Hay Association and shall be weighed and inspected by the federal hay inspector. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, clipped to test 36 to 38 pounds, graded under the federal standards. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts for one quarter the amount of the contract, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. No reservations or stipulations submitted by the various bidders will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(May 24.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN BLUE HILL AVENUE (WEST SIDE), FROM HARVARD STREET 160 FEET SOUTHERLY TO 390 FEET SOUTHERLY, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for sewerage works in Blue Hill Avenue (West Side), from Harvard Street, 160 feet southerly to 390 feet southerly, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of nine hundred (900) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Blue Hill Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, June 2, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 22, 1924. (May 24.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN BORDER STREET, FROM NORTH FERRY TO WILLIAM J. KELLY SQUARE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for granite block pavement in Border street, from North Ferry to William J. Kelly square. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty thousand (20,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Granite Block Pavement, Border Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor City Hall Annex before 12 m. on Thursday, June 5, 1924, with a certified check for two thousand (2,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 22, 1924. (May 24.)

ASSESSED VALUATION OF REAL ESTATE PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES.

Boston, \$1,765; Detroit, \$1,708.70; San Francisco, \$1,561.90; New York, \$1,534.60; Pittsburgh, \$1,384.13; Buffalo, \$1,181.40; Philadelphia, \$990.84; St. Louis, \$990.71; Baltimore, \$779.40.

CITY OF BOSTON.
FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING, CLEANSING, AND
PRESSING OVERCOATS.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for the repairing, cleansing, and pressing of approximately 1,400 uniform overcoats of the Boston Fire Department. These proposals must be in accordance with forms and specifications which may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, Boston. Proposals will be received at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, until 12 m., Tuesday, May 27, 1924, and at that time will be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be sealed and made in duplicate, one to be deposited with the City Auditor at City Hall previous to the time stated for opening the bids and the other is to be deposited at the office of the Fire Commissioner. The latter proposal shall contain a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, made payable to the City of Boston, and to be forfeited if the accepted proposal is not carried out. All proposals should be marked on the outside, "Proposal for Repairing, Cleansing and Pressing Overcoats." A bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to award the contract as he deems best.

(May 24.) THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAND.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston will receive sealed proposals for selling to the city land for an elementary school in the Everett District, South End, Boston, Mass., in the territory bounded by Shawmut avenue, Tremont, Rutland and West Concord streets to contain 30,000 square feet of land, more or less. All proposals must be submitted at or before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, June 10, 1924, at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Court square, Boston. Said proposals will at that time be publicly opened and read, and thereafter a public hearing will be given by the Commissioners at said office, Wednesday, June 18, 1924, at 12 o'clock m., at which hearing the proposals and suitability of the land offers therein will be considered. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

(May 24.) THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING FERRY PIERS.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for repairing ferry piers, and giving bond thereof of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, on and after Monday, May 26, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope sealed, marked "Bid for Ferry Piers," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Wednesday, May 28, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal, after acceptance, is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 22, 1924. (May 24.)

NOTICE.
CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE
CITY OF BOSTON, May 15, 1924.

That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public convenience requires the making of specific repairs on Exchange street, city proper district, from State street to Dock square, by substituting granite block pavement with asphalt joints for the present wooden block pavement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of May 28, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(May 24.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.
STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE
CITY OF BOSTON, May 15, 1924.

That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of the following parcels of land in the Hyde Park district: Readville street, lots numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12 and 13; Cross street, lot numbered 17, at the southwesterly corner of Bullard street; Bullard street, northwesterly side, lots numbered 18 to 25, inclusive; Fleet street, lot numbered 28 at the southeasterly corner of Bullard street; Bullard street, southeasterly side, lots numbered 29 to 38, inclusive; Regent street, northwesterly side, lots numbered 39, 40 and 41; Milton street, northwesterly side, lots numbered 42 to 48, inclusive; the parcel of land supposed to belong to Theodore S. Slafter and Anna R. Countryman, located on Cross street, at the end of Bullard street, containing approximately 890 square feet; also the private way known as Bullard street and a portion of the private way known as Cross street, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of June 3, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(May 24.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN
CHELSEA STREET, CHARLESTOWN, FROM
VINE STREET TO CHELSEA BRIDGE SOUTH.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for granite block pavement in Chelsea street, Charlestown, from Vine Street to Chelsea Bridge South. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eleven thousand (11,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Granite Block Pavement," Chelsea street, and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Wednesday, June 4, 1924, with a certified check for eleven hundred (1,100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 22, 1924. (May 24.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR TWO FORD SEDANS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposal for furnishing to the Building Department:

Two new Ford sedans.

The bidders must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$200, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, before 12 m., Thursday, May 29, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(May 24.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.
FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO CABLE INSTALLERS.

The Fire Commissioner invites bids for installing underground cables of the following approximate lengths:

9,375 feet 91 conductor.
16,099 feet 80 conductor.
11,517 feet 61 conductor.
15,572 feet 37 conductor.
5,425 feet 19 conductor.

This work is to be done in accordance with specifications which may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Fire Alarm, Fire Headquarters, Bristol street, Boston. Proposals will be received and be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon, June 3, 1924, at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street. Proposals must be sealed and marked "Proposals for Installing Underground Cables," and made in duplicate, one to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time stated for the opening of the bids, the other containing a certified check for \$500, payable to the City of Boston, to be forfeited if the proposal is not carried out, is to be deposited at the office of the Fire Commissioner. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a bond of \$2,500 of an approved surety company doing business in Massachusetts. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to award the contract as he deems for the city's best interest.

(May 24.) THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO METAL WORKING MACHINERY CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the Winship School, Dighton street, Brighton District, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, June 3, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$200, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check, will be required for a set of specifications, said sum to be refunded upon return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
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CONTRACTORS START WORK ON NEW ROXBURY HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING SITE.

MONUMENTAL TASK OF DIGGING AWAY LEDGE OF OVER 17,000 CUBIC YARDS OF ROCK BEGINS. WILL REQUIRE AT LEAST FOUR MONTHS TO PREPARE FOR FOUNDATION OF WHAT WILL BE THE FINEST STRUCTURE OF KIND IN COUNTRY.



THREE VIEWS OF ROCKY LEDGE AT WARREN, TOWNSEND AND HARRISHOF STREETS, TO BE HEWN AWAY FOR FOUNDATION OF NEW ROXBURY HIGH SCHOOL.

(Photos by Harry Kelly.)

Work has been begun by contractors under the direction of Mayor Curley and the Schoolhouse Department on the site on which will be erected the new \$3,000,000 Roxbury High School for Girls, at Warren, Townsend and Harrishof streets.

The contractor has begun to dig and cart away the huge ledge of the Williams homestead. This ledge is estimated to contain more than 17,000 cubic yards of rock and the job of excavating for the schoolhouse will extend over four months. At present it is intended to erect only half the building at a cost of \$1,437,000. Harrishof street will have to be extended and contracts for sewer and water will have to be let at an expense of \$20,000.

The building when completed will be the finest in the country and possibly in the world. There will be 54,000 square feet of floor space in the building and the lot covers 241,480 square feet or a little more than six acres. The building will be one of the greatest monuments to the present administration of Mayor Curley and under his direction the structure will also house a branch library, as well as a ward room and a voting precinct.

The building will have a seating capacity of 1,800 pupils.

WOULD WIDEN ADAMS STREET.

CITY PLANNING BOARD MAKES REPORT TO MAYOR SUGGESTING IMPROVING HIGHWAY LEADING TO SOUTH SHORE.

Mayor Curley received the following report from the City Planning Board on May 24:

DEAR MR. MAYOR,—In reply to your request for investigation and report by this board, as to the advisability of widening on the easterly side to about seventy feet, Adams street, from Park street to Dorchester avenue, the City Planning Board submits herewith a report as to its findings.

Adams street in the Dorchester district, between Park street and Dorchester avenue at the present time is approximately 50 feet in width. From Park street southerly to King square the width increases to approximately 65 feet. Vehicular traffic bound for the south shore from Dorchester avenue follows Adams street in order to reach Neponset avenue.

To make this southerly artery more efficient by a uniform flow of traffic, Adams street, between Park street and Dorchester avenue ought to be widened. This proposed widening would fall most logically on the easterly side of Adams street so as to continue its present line south of Park street. This would mean cutting back approximately 20 to 25 feet on the easterly side, making the total

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, June 16, at two o'clock p. m.

Regular meeting of the School Committee, Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, Monday, June 2, at 6.30 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public

streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination

of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO ROOM 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

JENNINGS DECLINES MAYOR'S OFFER OF SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS BERTH.

MICHAEL J. REIDY NAMED IN HIS STEAD.

Mayor Curley received the following letter May 28:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR,—After consideration of your kind selection of my name for the position as Superintendent of Public Buildings in the City of Boston, permit me to extend to you my sincere thanks and to assure you that I would deem it an honor to serve under your successful administration. The labor movement of this city at this time needs every tried and true leader, and I believe that my long affiliation would not justify the confidence they have in me if at this time with so many important issues affecting labor were I to retire from the movement. As an international officer of the Brotherhood of Teamsters and Chauffeurs elected by a vote of the delegates all over the country for the last fourteen years and as the secretary business representative of the Boston Central Labor Union, I feel that I must decline your generous offer and trust that your Honor will receive this letter in the spirit that it is sent. With best wishes, I remain,

Respectfully yours,

P. H. JENNINGS.

The Mayor this day appointed Michael J. Reidy, 4 Harvest terrace, Dorchester, to the position of Superintendent of Public Buildings.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board held on Thursday, May 15, 1924, the retirement of the following named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at close of business Saturday, May 31:

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Louis P. Pfau, deputy collector, salary at time of retirement, \$2,000 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Mary R. Roche, clerk, salary at time of retirement, \$1,500 a year.

James H. Haynes, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

John McGreil, blacksmith, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

James Sweeney, gardener, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Paving Service.

John J. Fitzpatrick, paver, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

John McCann, yardman, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Daniel Mahoney, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Water Service.

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James McMahon, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

Income Branch.

Frank Donnelly, chief clerk, salary at time of retirement, \$2,300 a year.

Street Cleaning Service.

Martin L. Boyle, stableman, salary at time of retirement, \$4 a day.

STREET WIDENINGS PROPOSED BY MAYOR TO RELIEVE TRAFFIC WINNING IN LEGISLATURE.

FAVORABLE REPORT ON PLANNING BOARD BILL FOR KNEELAND STREET AND TREMONT STREET CAUSES MEASURE TO BE MOVED RAPIDLY ON TO ENGROSSMENT.

The first step in the intermediate thoroughfare proposed by the City Planning Board has received the approval of the Legislative Committee on Municipal Finance with the result that they have reported favorably upon the bill providing for the widening of Kneeland street, from Washington and Stuart streets, to Atlantic avenue, to a width of not less than eighty feet, and the widening of Tremont street, from Arlington square to its intersection with Stuart street to a width of not less than eighty feet, together with a resolve providing for a special commission to investigate the entire proposition.

The bills for the widening of Kneeland and Tremont streets have passed three readings in the House and the first two readings in the Senate this week.

Each member of the Legislature has been furnished a copy of statement signed by representatives of different organizations in the city setting forth the reasons for immediate action in the matter of the Kneeland and Tremont street widenings, looking toward comprehensive plan for the relief of street traffic conditions in the City of Boston.

A copy of this statement, the original of which is on file in the office of the City Planning Board, is attached herewith.

May 12, 1924.

The widening of Kneeland street to a width of not less than eighty feet is greatly needed and its value will be immediate and will not conceivably be lessened by any further thoroughfare improvements made in the future, whatever their nature may be.

At present Stuart street stops abruptly at Washington street and therefore does not induce traffic to use it to anywhere near its full capacity.

Traffic from the west seeking to get down town or to the South Station still naturally prefers to use Boylston and Tremont streets or Boylston and Essex streets. If Kneeland street is widened, from Washington street to Atlantic avenue, it will offer a direct continuation of Stuart street to the South Station, a route that will be far freer of congestion than narrow Essex street and which therefore will tend to draw all South Station, as well as South Boston traffic to Stuart street rather than Boylston street, and so provide an appreciable relief to the present serious congestion at Boylston and Tremont streets and beyond.

It will also divert similar traffic entering the city on Tremont and Washington streets which now is more likely to continue to Essex or Summer streets.

This is one of the very greatly needed street widenings and will be an important factor in the future street plan of the city. At the present time new buildings are projected and permits applied for or granted which will interfere with the proper lines of such widening and which will increase the cost of such widening, if it is deferred. It is important, therefore, that it should be authorized without delay.

In addition to the widening of Kneeland street, the widening of Tremont street, from Arlington square to Stuart street, to a width of not less than eighty feet should also be authorized at this time. Tremont street, from Arlington square westward, is now eighty feet or more in width, but only about sixty feet between Arlington square and Stuart street. It is clearly desirable that this important thoroughfare should be made fully effective by making it of uniform width throughout. A new building operation on the corner of Hollis street and Tremont street costing in the neighborhood of \$7,000,000 is now underway, clearly making it impossible to widen Tremont street on that side.

The entrance incline to the subway at Pleasant street also makes it necessary to widen Tremont street, when it is widened on the westerly side of the street. A new building for the Elks is being planned on their property on the west side of Tremont street just beyond Hollis street, which it is contemplated will cost between two and three million dollars. This building operation is planned to go forward this summer.

Unless Tremont street widening is determined upon at this time, this one building will increase the cost of the entire widening by fully 100 per cent, and may very well make impossible or at least impracticable the proper widening of this thoroughfare.

In addition, other real estate operations on this side of Tremont street in the vicinity of Stuart street are developing and will undoubtedly still further increase the cost of this widening if it is delayed.

It is essential, therefore, in the interests of economy and the eventual development of a consistent street plan that this widening be authorized at this time. Approval of the above two street widening projects is respectfully urged by the undersigned.

CITY PLANNING BOARD OF BOSTON,
FREDERIC H. FAY, *Chairman*.

BOSTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
HOWARD COONLEY, *President*.

DIVISION OF METROPOLITAN PLANNING,
H. I. HARRIMAN, *Chairman*.

RETAIL TRADE BOARD,
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United Building Trades Council,
Boston.

THE MASTER BUILDERS' ASSOCIATION OF BOSTON,
WILLIAM H. SAYWARD, *Secretary*.

MASSACHUSETTS AUTOMOBILE DEALER AND GARAGE ASSOCIATION,
DAY BAKER, *Chairman Legislative Committee*.

MOTOR TRUCK CLUB OF MASSACHUSETTS, INCORPORATED,
DAY BAKER, *Treasurer*.

BOSTON COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE ASSOCIATION,
J. S. HATHAWAY, *President*.

BOSTON CENTRAL LABOR UNION,
P. H. JENNINGS, *Secretary Business Representative*.

ALTON E. BRIGGS, *Executive Secretary Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange*.

UNITED IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION,
H. S. UPHAM, *President*.

A true copy:

Attest:

E. M. HERLIHY,
Secretary City Planning Board.

AUTO PARKING BANNED.

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners on May 22 it was voted "That the Street Commissioners be requested through his Honor the Mayor to prohibit parking at the junction of Beacon street and Commonwealth avenue." The Mayor has approved the vote.

WOULD WIDEN ADAMS STREET.

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street width 70 feet between property lines, with a roadway 54 feet in width and 8-foot sidewalks on either side. Inasmuch as this street is used mainly for traffic and the foot travel on sidewalks is light, 8-foot sidewalks should be sufficient to serve this locality. Ordinarily the City Planning Board is not in favor of streets 70 feet wide, especially in business sections where the sidewalks from necessity are of such width as to permit only five lines of traffic instead of six, as is the case at present on Stuart street.

The estimated expense for the taking of land and building, based on the present assessed valuations, plus 25 per cent, together with the construction cost for a street 70 feet wide, would come to approximately \$113,600. In addition to this sum any street widening between Park street and Dorchester avenue would necessitate the rearrangement and rebuilding of the bridge now carrying the railroad tracks used by the Shawmut Branch of the Old Colony Railroad Company on the overhead structure between Dickens and Lincoln streets. The estimated cost for such a bridge rebuilt to the average width of 70 feet for the street is \$75,000.

The City Planning Board is of the opinion, therefore, that in order to provide Adams street with a more uniform width, from King square to Dorchester avenue, an additional widening should be made at this time on the easterly side between Park street and Dorchester avenue in advance of any new building operations. This improvement would facilitate the increasing flow of motor traffic, especially trucks, to the south shore inasmuch as the route—Dorchester avenue, Adams street and Neponset avenue—is the most easterly of the southerly routes leading from the heart of the city to the south shore towns.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERIC H. FAY,
Chairman.

A UNIT SYSTEM OF VALUATIONS.

CHAIRMAN EDWARD T. KELLY OF THE BOSTON BOARD OF ASSESSORS OUTLINES BASIS IN "REAL ESTATE BULLETIN" ARTICLE.

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In the present period of high real estate values, one pauses to think of what the real solid basis of value really is. Sales, leases, rents, improvements, future prospects, all are considered by those having to deal with valuing.

Fair market value is a term, used in the statutes, and defined by the courts. The taxpayer is interested in the meaning of these terms, and the assessors must recognize them in fixing values.

Market value has been defined to be the value at which a property would sell singly and alone for cash at a *bona fide* sale, after full public notice.

Also, it is at least the highest price which a normal purchaser, not under peculiar compulsion, will pay at the time and place in question, in order to get the thing.

Value is determined by need and desire and has some relation to supply and demand.

Trained exponents of land values use a unit foot 80-100 or 150 feet deep in arriving at values. The unit adopted must be expressed for the depth generally found.

As the front of a lot is more valuable than the rear, it sometimes becomes necessary to determine where the front ends and the rear begins.

Many tables have been prepared, namely: The Hoffman-Neill, Lindsay-Bernard, Somers, Pleydell, where front foot values are used; and the so-called Cambridge system, where square foot values are the basis.

The underlying principle of all of the tables is that a lot 50 feet deep was worth two-thirds of the value of an adjacent lot of the same frontage 100 feet deep.

A simple rule and one easily remembered that can be readily applied is the so-called 4-3-2-1 rule. In substance this means that the first 25 feet of a lot is worth 40 per cent of the whole. The second 25 feet is worth 30 per cent of the whole (making the first half worth 70 per cent of the whole). The third 25 feet is worth 20 per cent of the whole (making the first 75 feet worth 90 per cent of the whole), and the last 25 feet is worth 10 per cent of the whole, or 100 per cent for the whole 100 feet deep.

The objection has frequently been raised that because the more valuable lots in Boston were so irregular in shape and so cut up with streets, passageways, etc., that no basis of land values could be established that could be compared.

This is true, but it would not prevent the establishment of common factors that could be applied under normal conditions and then depart from the rule as the particular case required. The man of experience would have a common basis to start with and then would apply his expert knowledge by adding to the normal, something for corners, passageways, plot-tage and the like.

While the general theory of unit land values receives little attention from Boston experts, there are some simple principles that are worth more than passing notice.

An intelligent application of them would equalize values in matters of taxation and give force to the expression "just proportion."

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing underground cables. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department headquarters, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for grading and loaming at Fens Athletic Field, Back Bay. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, June 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for grading and loaming at Dorchester park, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, June 18, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing fender piers of the Northern avenue draw and building pile supports. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for granite block pavement in Chelsea street, Charlestown, from Vine street to Chelsea Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$11,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, June 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for granite block pavement in Border street, from North Ferry to William J. Kelly square. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the

Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, June 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Grove street, from Centre street to Washington street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$31,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, June 11, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Harvard street 160 feet southerly to 390 feet southerly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$900. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for Portland cement, concrete pavement and sewerage works in South Sanitary Yard, Albany street, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$13,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Paris street, between Sumner street and manhole 275 feet easterly. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$150, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, June 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for filling sewerage works and water works in Ashley street, from Breen street to Boardman street, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$18,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,800, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 13, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in various streets as indicated in advertisement in this issue

Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 9, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for selling land to the city for an elementary school in the Warren-Bunker Hill District, Charlestown. Bids to be submitted on or before Tuesday, May 27.

Bids opened Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for building a manual training stock room in the Henry L. Pierce School, Washington street and Welles avenue, Dorchester, doing all the alterations, etc. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blanks for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, May 21. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for selling land to the city for an elementary school in the Shurtleff District, South Boston. Bids to be submitted on or before Tuesday, May 27.

Bids opened Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the Winship School, Dighton street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing work benches in the various schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing printing equipment on the second floor of the Abraham Lincoln School, Fayette and Ferdinand streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close, Tuesday, June 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing woodworking machinery in the Ralph Waldo Emerson School, Shirley street, Roxbury. Surety bond

will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for selling to the city land for an elementary school in the Everett District, South End, Boston, bounded by Shawmut avenue, Tremont, Rutland and West Concord streets. Proposals must be submitted to the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on or before June 10, 1924.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for supplying the City Hospital with dry goods. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for furnishing 375 tons of coke to the Institutions Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for steel shelving for the City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for supplying ice to the various drinking fountains of the city. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 6, at 12 m.

MORALS NOT IMPROVED.

Mayor Curley has received the following letter from Hon. Thomas J. Walsh, United States Senator from Montana:

I am in receipt of your esteemed favor of May 16, inclosing copies of letters sent out by the Calvin Coolidge Finance Committee asking for contributions. They do not indicate any very material improvement upon the moral standards of the men who made the Harding administration notorious.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, May 29:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Catherine M. Carpenter has been continued as temporary clerk for a period of thirty days. The rate of compensation will be \$4 a day.

The following assignments of clerks have been made:

Budget Classifications.

Francis T. Browne, Edward M. J. Burke, Hugh T. Gartland, John B. Kelley, John H. A. Krauss, Oscar L. Lomasney, William E. Mock, from special clerks and tax examiners at \$2,100 a year to special clerks and tax examiners at \$2,100 a year, during period from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work from April 1 to September 30.

John F. Grant, from special clerk and tax examiner at \$2,000 a year, to special clerk and tax examiner at \$2,000 a year, from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work, April 1 to September 30.

Charles F. Morrison, from special assessment clerk at \$2,000 a year to piece-work April 1 to September 30, and to special clerk and tax examiner at \$2,000 a year, from October 1 to January 31.

Thomas A. Ryan, from special clerk and tax examiner at \$1,900 a year, to special clerk and tax examiner at \$1,900 a year, from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work, April 1 to September 30.

Edgar O. Haddock, John J. Hastry, Joseph P. Sheerin, from clerks at \$1,900 a year to clerks at \$1,900 a year, from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work, April 1 to September 30.

John P. Donovan, Thomas A. Lynch, from special clerks and tax examiners at \$1,800 a year, to special clerks and tax examiners at \$1,800 a year, from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work, April 1 to September 30.

Edward L. Doyle, from clerk at \$1,700-\$1,800 a year to clerk at \$1,700-\$1,800 a year, from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work, April 1 to September 30.

Henry T. Hartmere, Francis X. Hurley, Arthur J. Leary, Michael A. Mulvey, William F. Morrissey, Francis J. Turcot, Henry P. Ireland, from clerks at \$1,600-\$1,700 a year to clerks at \$1,600-\$1,700 a year, from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work, April 1 to September 30.

William J. Nash, Frank J. Williams, from clerks at \$1,500-\$1,600 a year to clerks at \$1,500-\$1,600 a year, from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work, April 1 to September 30.

Philip E. Conroy, Thomas O. Scottron, from clerks at \$1,400-\$1,500 a year to clerks at \$1,400-\$1,500 a year, from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work, April 1 to September 30.

Joseph V. Mahan, from clerk at \$1,300-\$1,400 a year to clerk at \$1,300-\$1,400 a year, from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work, April 1 to September 30.

John B. Buckley, Maurice M. Hurley, from clerks at \$1,200-\$1,300 a year to

clerks at \$1,200-\$1,300 a year, from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work, April 1 to September 30.

The following schedule of compensation of the clerks employed upon piece-work basis for six months.

Street Work.—Thirty clerks, 40 days at \$6 per day, counter books, real estate items, 1½ cents per item; index, real estate pages, 20 cents per item; corporations, 5 cents per item.

Transferring.—Real and personal items, 6 cents per item; single items 5 cents per item; duplicate items, 3 cents per item; administrators, etc., 2 cents per item, special items, 3 cents per item.

Extending and Proving Rate.—Per item 1 cent per item.

Bills.—Real and personal items, 3 cents per item; single items 2 cents per item; duplicate items, 1 cent per item; administrators, etc., 1½ cents per item; special items, 1 cent per item; 1 coupon item, 1 cent per item; extra coupon items, 1 cent per item.

Collector's Manuscript.—Real and personal items, 4 cents per item single items, 3 cents per item, duplicate items, 1 cent per item; administrators, etc., 1½ cents per item; special items, 1 cent per item.

Extra Hours.—Seventy-five cents per item.

BOARD OF APPEAL.

Mary R. Scanlan, employed as a stenographer and clerk, has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Saturday, May 17:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Minnie Epstien, laundress, \$420 a year; Margaret Allison, laundress, \$420 a year; John Larkin, choreman (patient) \$240 a year; Mary Donoghur, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Ellen Dunne, nurse, \$900 a year; Josephine Cavanaugh, head nurse, \$960 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

William Healy, choreman (patient). \$240 a year; Mary E. Milan, head nurse, \$960 a year; Ellen Hallessey, laundress, \$420 a year; Christine Ouellette, nurse, \$900 a year; Margaret Allison, laundress, \$420 a year; Ellen Washburn, laundress, \$420 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the past week:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Roland E. Bryant, technician, \$25 a week; John Connors, porter, \$17.50 a week; Cornelius Shea, porter, \$17.50 a week; D. Harrington, porter, \$13 a week; A. McKenzie, elevator woman, \$11 a week; M. L. White, ward helper, \$11 a week; J. G. Pierce, ward helper, \$11 a week; L. DeSario, ward assistant, \$11 a week; A. Tomei, ward assistant, \$11 a week; M. A. Cannon, ward assistant, \$11 a week; C. Matera, ward assistant, \$11 a week; M. Hamilton, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; C. Foley, chambermaid, \$9.50 a week; M. Harrington, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; M. Conroy, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; H. Murphy, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; M. Daley, ward helper, \$11 a week.

Temporary.—J. J. White, jobber, \$3.50 a day; R. Busteed, house porter, \$11.50 a week.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Martin Welch has been appointed constable at \$1,400 a year.

Francis J. O'Connell has been appointed teller at \$2,800 a year.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Charles J. McCarthy has been appointed clerk of the works at the Fire Alarm Signal Station in the Back Bay Fens, at \$1,500 a year.

The following have been appointed on probation at an annual salary of \$1,400 a year:

John E. Govoni, James F. Mackey, Henry J. Hogan, Frederick E. Gottwald, Francis J. Sheehan, William W. McCormack.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Alexander R. Tolland has been appointed from dairy inspector at \$2,000 a year to the position of supervisor of pasteurization and dairy inspector at \$2,200 a year.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

William J. Welch, officer at the House of Correction, has been granted an extension of leave of absence without pay.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, May 22:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

John O'Connell, attendant, \$600 a year.

Maurice F. O'Connell, resident physician, transferred from assistant resident physician, \$2,300 a year, to succeed George K. Carpenter, M. D.

Peter J. Larkin, institution employee, \$520 a year, to succeed Peter F. Kenney. Nellie C. Pastercsyk, head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Daphne MacDonald.

Orrin Polk, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Pierce Nagle.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Francis J. McDonald has been granted temporary appointment for a period of three months as a gardening laborer at \$4 a day.

Mary E. Hagerty has been appointed clerk at \$1,600 a year.

Mary E. Donovan has been appointed stenographer at \$1,700 a year.

Cecelia A. Cody, stenographer at \$1,400 a year, has been appointed clerk at \$1,500 a year.

Edward Reardon has been granted temporary employment for a period of three months as a storekeeper at \$4 a day.

PARK DEPARTMENT (Cemetery Division).

Helen M. Sheehan has been appointed stenographer at \$840 a year.

PLANNING BOARD.

The following list of expert temporary employees who have been engaged in zoning and street plans for the month ending Thursday, May 15:

Arthur C. Comey, zoning director, 13 days, \$260; L. G. Hall, 4½ weeks, \$173.33; E. F. Delaney, 3½ weeks, \$153.33; J. M. Hinds, 3 weeks, \$105.

The following resignations have been received: J. M. Hinds

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

The following named have been appointed for a period not to exceed sixty days:

Leonard T. Gleason, monotype keyboard operator at a salary of \$40.50 a week; Charles J. Claffey, book and job

compositor at a salary of \$40.50 a week; Peter J. Mulvee, book and job compositor at a salary of \$40.50 a week; Patrick I. Norton, book and job compositor at a salary of \$40.50 a week.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Mulhall & Holmes have been appointed as architects of the proposed courthouse, Dorchester, an appropriation for which in the sum of \$75,000 was approved.

John J. Bresnahan has been appointed janitor in the Public Buildings Department (County Buildings) at \$4.50 a day.

John J. McDermott has been appointed janitor in the Public Buildings Department (County Buildings) at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Edward F. Murphy, Division Engineer of the Sewer and Sanitary Division has been designated as Deputy Commissioner of Public Works during the absence of the Commissioner.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Maurice J. Fitzgerald has been employed as temporary assistant drawtender for thirty days with wages at \$1,600 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Matthew Donovan has been employed as temporary chauffeur at \$30 a week for thirty days in the Sewer Service.

Cornelius J. Goggin has been employed as mason's tender at \$4.50 a day in the Sewer Service.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

John J. Carmody has been transferred from blacksmith at \$5.50 a day in the Water Service to blacksmith and wheelwright at \$2,000 a year in the Sanitary Service.

STATISTICS DEPARTMENT.

Anna E. B. Cassidy, stenographer has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Charles H. Reinhart has been appointed constable at \$1,400 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 22:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, engineer, 6½ hours, \$5.63; H. O'Donnell, fireman, 12 hours, \$8.25; C. Skory, electrician, 16½ hours, \$13.75; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$7.80; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$3.75; C. Clancy, elevatorman, 12 hours, \$2.76; J. S. Gill, baker, 6 hours, \$3.63; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.53; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.63.

South Department.

J. Daley, laundryman, 6 hours, \$3.63; H. Kerwin, laundryman, 6 hours, \$2.25. Total \$59.28.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 15:

House of Correction.

Thomas Finn, fireman, 4½ hours, \$8.25.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, May 22:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahaney, Henry T. Brennan, Edward F. Curley, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe and Henry J. Moylen, laborers, \$4 each. Henry L. Dolan, freeman, \$4.50.

Fairview Cemetery.

Thomas Kilduff, James Kingston, Joseph T. McDonough and Dennis Sullivan, laborers, \$4 each.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 22: James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 2 hours, \$1.78; Edward R. Morris, apprentice, 2 hours, \$1.22. Total, \$3.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 22: N. McSheffrey, fireman, 6 hours, \$4.13; J. McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 19: Drawtenders.—C. J. Thompson, 4 days, \$19.72; J. E. Murray, 1 day, \$4.93.

First Assistant Drawtenders.—W. J. Doherty, 3 days, \$13.15; J. F. McKeon, W. M. Tracey, 1 day each, \$4.38.

Assistant Drawtenders.—L. O'Donnell, 3 days, \$12.33; W. F. Stanley, 2 days, \$8.22; F. P. Farren, B. J. Haggerty, 1 day each, \$4.11.

Subforemen.—J. D. O'Brien, P. J. Henebury, 5½ days each, \$31.63.

Carpenters.—J. T. Mahan, F. McConn, J. J. O'Hearn, P. J. O'Toole, M. J. Donohoe, C. E. Melanson, W. J. Walker, A. W. Clancy, J. J. Murphy, 5½ day, each, \$28.75; J. J. McInnis, 4½ days, \$22.50.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Green, 5½ days, \$22.18.

Laborer.—H. F. McLaughlin, 5½ days, \$23.

Total, \$465.02.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 19: Captain.—Owen Shields, ¾ day, \$2.88.

Quartermaster.—Thomas F. Carter, ¾ day, \$2.04.

Engineer.—James M. Walsh, ¾ day, \$2.81.

Deckhands.—William F. Hollander, William A. Joyce, ¾ day \$1.59 each; Thomas A. O'Hare, 1 day, \$4.25.

Firemen.—James Kelly, John J. Rananhan, ¾ day, \$2.06 each; John Kelly, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Gateman.—Arthur F. Keefe, ¾ day, \$1.80.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1½ days, \$9.38.

Total, \$38.71.

For the week ending Monday, May 26: Captain.—William J. Ivers, 1 day, \$7.67.

Quartermaster.—Thomas F. Carter, 1 day, \$6.

Fireman.—John Kelly, 1½ days, \$9.

Total, \$22.67.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 19: Laborers—Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, B. F. Lyons, 1 day, \$4 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.25.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4 each.

Yard Laborer.—J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4. Total, \$24.25.

For the week ending May 26, 1924:

Laborers—Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, M. S. Ryan, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Yard Laborer.—J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$27.25.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, May 20:

Sewer Cleaner.—Michael Foley, 1½ days, \$6.75; John Burke, 1 day, \$4.50; Stephen Manning, Jeremiah O'Brien, Michael Neary, ¾ days, \$3.38 each; John Graham, ¾ day, \$1.69; Thomas Byrne, ¾ day, \$3.19.

Laborers.—Joseph Brown, 1½ days, \$7; Herman Hodapp, Patrick Fitzgerald, Michael McMahon, 1½ days, \$6 each; Dennis Collins, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4 each; Daniel McKenna, Benjamin Gorman, ¾ day, \$3 each; James Barrett, ¾ day, \$1.50.

Coal Passers.—Alexander Kennedy, John McNeill, 1½ days, \$7 each.

Total, \$80.77.

For the week ending Tuesday, May 27:

Sewer Cleaners.—James Clancy, Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, Dennis Collins, 1 day, \$5 each; John Graham, Stephen Manning, Jeremiah O'Brien, Michael Neary, ½ day, \$2.50 each; Dennis Burke, John Driscoll, ¾ day, \$1.88 each; Peter Keenan, 1 day, \$4.75; Thomas Byrne, ½ day, \$2.38.

Laborers.—Edward Flaherty, Patrick Fitzgerald, Stephen Connolly, Patrick McDonough, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; James McNabb, Cornelius Sullivan, Benjamin Gorman, Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4.50 each; James Barrett, John Waters, 1½ days, \$2.25 each; James O'Neil, ¾ day, \$1.69.

Total, \$92.08.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 19:

Teamsters.—W. Cosgrove, J. D. Hill, J. H. Lane, B. Callahan, B. G. McCollan, C. J. Crowley, J. F. Brady, J. W. Collins, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, J. T. O'Leary, E. J. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, W. Batts, J. F. Brown, D. J. Callahan, M. Connolly, W. J. Curley, J. J. Curtin, L. Davis, T. Fitzmorris, J. B. Foley, J. A. Hartigan, R. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, P. Keon, L. Kilduff, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4 each.

Total, \$112.

For the week ending Monday, May 26:

Teamsters.—G. McCollan, C. J. Crowley, J. F. Brady, F. R. Deacon, J. O'Leary, J. Collins, M. Gilmartin, J. J. Jones, P. J. Manning, C. J. Sullivan, B. J. Doherty, J. Monahan, J. F. Brown, J. J. Daley, J. J. Hines, M. Hughes, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, D. Kobycski, J. M. Kramer, K. Lahey, J. D. Lyons, T. McClatchey, W. McGlynn, W. T. Maloney, M. Connolly, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, May 19:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Emergency men.—M. Carney, T. Kina-

han, 1 day, \$4.25 each; W. Lonergan, W. Rice, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4 each.

Repairers.—J. Moran, 1½ days, \$7.50; A. LoPilato, 1½ days, \$5.58; J. McCormack, 3½ days, \$14.34; J. O'Hara, 1½ days, \$6.38; M. O'Day, 1½ days, \$8.44; J. Dolan, 1½ days, \$7.03; M. Burke, 1 day, \$4.75; J. Lonergan, 2 days, \$13.20; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$5.91; S. Mariani, 1½ days, \$5.91; R. Doyle, 1½ days, \$6.56; P. Lynch, 1½ days, \$5.58; W. Shields, ¾ day, \$0.84; J. Feeley, ¾ day, \$0.75; N. McPhee, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. McDonald, ¾ day, \$1.50; T. Byrnes, 1½ days, \$6.23; A. McDougall, ¾ days, \$2.39; R. Bolster, ¾ days, \$2.25; M. Matthews, 1½ days, \$6.33; J. McLaughlin, 1½ days, \$5.63; S. Mickewicz, ¾ day, \$1.27; J. Lonergan, ¾ day, \$1.13; J. McLean, ¾ day, \$2.39; F. Schena, ¾ day, \$1.78; P. Murphy, 1½ days, \$4.64; M. Hart, 2½ days, \$10.13; T. Dolan, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Tierney, 2½ days, \$11.83; E. Murphy, ¾ day, \$1.50; G. Carroll, ¾ days, \$4.01; T. Regan, 1 day, \$5; E. Cray, ¾ day, \$3.72; J. Ryan, ¾ day, \$1.33.

Laborers.—M. Barron, G. Goodwin, J. Burke, H. Holland, M. Brown, J. Mulhearn, 1½ days, \$6 each; M. Connolly, H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4 each; C. King, 1½ days, \$6.75; J. O'Toole, 2½ days, \$11.25; P. Mulkearn, 1½ days, \$6.75; F. Kernan, ¾ day, \$2.25; B. McManus, ¾ day, \$3; J. O'Brien, ¾ day, \$3.

Total, \$288.77; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$4.75; net total, \$284.02.

For the week ending Monday, May 26:

Chauffeurs.—J. O'Brien, J. Broderick, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. Supple, F. Bonang, 1 day, \$5 each.

Emergency men.—W. Lonergan, W. Rice, T. J. Flanagan, \$4.50 each; M. J. Carney, T. F. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Repairers.—R. J. Welch, 1½ days, \$8.25; F. T. Ware, ¾ day, \$3.56; D. Burke, 1½ days, \$7.88; D. Hanlon, 1½ days, \$10.31; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. J. O'Day, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Picardi, ¾ day, \$1.78; A. Brennan, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$8.44; C. M. Driscoll, ¾ day, \$4.13; P. Ippolito, ¾ day, \$2.06; P. F. Clougherty, 3½ days, \$18.11; D. T. Kirby, 3 days, \$15; G. Waters, 1½ days, \$6.75; G. Greer, ¾ day, \$0.94; J. Williamson, ¾ day, \$0.84; G. Conday, ¾ day, \$0.84; H. Cauley, ¾ day, \$0.94; W. Shields, ¾ day, \$3.28; J. Blessington, ¾ day, \$3.75; T. Byrnes, ¾ day, \$1.97; J. McLean, 1½ days, \$6.56; L. Morgan, 1½ day, \$4.45; C. Kane, 1½ day, \$4.45; D. Murphy, 1½ day, \$4.22; P. Conley, 1½ day, \$4.22; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.25.

Laborers.—P. J. Barry, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Burke, 1½ days, \$8.91; M. Connolly, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Burns, 1½ days, \$6.75; B. Doherty, 1 day, \$4.50; P. Finnerty, ¾ day, \$3.38; G. F. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$8.44; J. Durand, 1 day, \$4.50; C. Joyce, 1½ days, \$6.75; C. King, 1 day, \$4.50; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; S. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.50; H. J. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.50; P. McGuinness, ¾ day, \$3.38; P. Mulkearn, 1½ days, \$6.75; P. Loftus, 1½ days, \$6.75; J. Phipps, ¾ day, \$2.53; J. E. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50; J. O'Toole, 2½ days, \$12.94; J. Roust, 1½ days, \$6.75; F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50; L. Stetson, 1½ days, \$6.75; F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50; L. Stetson, 1½ days, \$6.75; H. Cassidy, ¾ day, \$0.84; T. Higgins, ¾ day, \$0.84; R. McDonough, ¾ day, \$0.84; J. Feeley, ¾ day, \$3.80; J. O'Brien, ¾ day, \$1.69; B. McManus, ¾ day, \$1.69.

Total, \$333.70; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.25; net total, \$328.45.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Warren Brothers Company for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement on Fenway, from Forsyth way to near Museum road; Fens bridge approaches, from Fenway to Audubon road; Arborway, from South street to Forest Hills street; Willow Pond road, from Jamaica-way to Brookline line; Francis Parkman road, from Jamaica-way to Perkins street; Chestnut street, West Roxbury, from Perkins street to the Brookline line. Bids for the work, opened May 15, were as follows:

A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$68,975.50; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$68,-612.75; Warren Brothers Company, \$63,-128.25.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with M. McGinnis & Company for furnishing and spreading loam on playgrounds, parks and cemeteries. Bids for the work, opened May 15, were as follows:

Martino DeMatteo, \$13,750; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$12,250; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$9,500; M. McGinnis & Co., \$9,400.

Upon May 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Christopher J. Halligan, Jr., for leasing for a term of three years the refreshment privilege at L street and the Strandway, South Boston. Bids, opened May 7, were as follows:

Christopher J. Halligan, Jr., \$955; J. B. Saliba, \$900; Thomas A. Barry, \$875; Austin W. Moran, \$853; George M. Ayoub, \$750; Michael Crowley, \$75.

Upon May 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Louis H. Burack for leasing for a term of one year the beach chair privilege at Marine Park and Columbus Park, South Boston. Bids for the rights, opened May 22, were as follows:

Stuart McKenzie, \$215; Louis H. Burack, \$850.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Warren Brothers Company for bitulithic pavement in Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Canterbury street to River street. Bids for the work opened May 26 were as follows:

Warren Brothers Company, \$129,236; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$132,944.50; Samuel J. Tomasello, \$135,470; John McCourt Company, \$136,553.15.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Walter Curley & Son for moving cooking room from the Farragut School to the Martin School, doing all alterations, etc. Bids for the work, opened May 16, were as follows:

Walter Curley & Son, \$2,798; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$2,800; R. J. Connolly, \$2,937.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 26 the Mayor approved a contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for furnishing approximately 50,000 wood blocks to the Paving Service,

Public Works Department. Bids for the work, opened May 23, were as follows:

Delivered 636 Albany Street.—C. & R. Construction Company, \$67* per M; The Jennison Wright Company, \$68.95 per M; H. O. Bletzer, \$71.50 per M.

F. O. B. Massachusetts Avenue Siding, New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.—C. & R. Construction Company, \$63 per M; The Jennison Wright Company, \$66 per M; H. O. Bletzer, \$70 per M.

Discount Ten Days.—C. & R. Construction Company, 2 per cent; The Jennison Wright Company, 2 per cent.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with the Metropolitan Coal Company for furnishing semi-bituminous coal to the police and fire boats. Bids for the supplies, opened May 16, were as follows:

Fire Boats (2,500 tons).—City Fuel Company, \$6 per ton; Metropolitan Coal Company, \$5.95* per ton.

Police Boats (2,500 tons).—City Fuel Company, \$6 per ton; Metropolitan Coal Company, \$5.95* per ton.

* Awarded contract.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with the Metropolitan Coal Company for furnishing semi-bituminous coal to the Public Buildings and various departments of the City of Boston. Bids for the supplies, opened May 16, were as follows:

City Proper.

City Fuel Company, \$6.40 per ton; 14350 B. T. U.; 5½ per cent ash; East Boston Coal Company, \$6.35 per ton; 12500 B. T. U.; 6 per cent ash; Pratt Coal Company, \$6.43 per ton; 14400 B. T. U.; 6 per cent ash.

South Boston.

City Fuel Company, \$6.45 per ton; 14350 B. T. U.; 5½ per cent ash; Pratt Coal Company, \$6.43 per ton; 14400 B. T. U.; 6 per cent ash.

East Boston.

City Fuel Company, \$6.35 per ton; 14350 B. T. U.; 5½ per cent ash; Pratt Coal Company, \$6.43 per ton; 14400 B. T. U.; 6 per cent ash.

Roxbury.

City Fuel Company, \$6.40 per ton; 14350 B. T. U.; 5½ per cent ash; Pratt Coal Company, \$6.43 per ton; 14400 B. T. U.; 6 per cent ash.

Dorchester.

Godfrey Coal Company, \$6.17 per ton; 14400 B. T. U.; 7 per cent ash; City Fuel Company, \$6.70 per ton; 14350 B. T. U.; 5½ per cent ash; Pratt Coal Company, \$6.58 per ton; 14400 B. T. U.; 6 per cent ash.

Charlestown.

City Fuel Company, \$6.40 per ton; 14350 B. T. U.; 5½ per cent ash; Pratt Coal Company, \$6.43 per ton; 14400 B. T. U.; 6 per cent ash.

Brighton.

City Fuel Company, \$7 per ton; 14350 B. T. U.; 5½ per cent ash; Pratt Coal Company, \$6.58 per ton; 14400 B. T. U.; 6 per cent ash.

West Roxbury.

City Fuel Company, \$7 per ton; 14350 B. T. U.; 5½ per cent ash; Pratt Coal Company, \$6.58 per ton; 14400 B. T. U.; 6 per cent ash.

Hyde Park.

Godfrey Coal Company, \$6.17 per ton; 14400 B. T. U.; 7 per cent ash; City Fuel Company, \$7 per ton; 14350 B. T. U.; 5½ per cent ash.

The Whole City.

Metropolitan Coal Company, \$6.32* per ton; 14400 B. T. U.; 5½ per cent ash; City Fuel Company, \$6.54 per ton; 14350 B. T. U.; 5½ per cent ash.

Pratt Coal Company, no bid at auditor's office.

* Awarded contract.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company for furnishing 2½-inch and 3-inch double jacket fire hose to the Fire Department. Bids for the work, opened May 19, were as follows:

	5,000 Feet 2½ Inches.	3,000 Feet 3 Inches.	Approximate Amount of Contract.	Best Delivery Date.	Discount, 10 Days. (Per Cent.)
U. S. Rubber Company, Eureka Fire Hose Department.	\$0 75	\$1 35	\$7,800 00	30 days.	2
Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company....	593	835	* 5,464 00	30 days.	2
B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company.....	6375	885	5,842 50	3 to 4 weeks.	2
The Manhattan Rubber Manufacturing Company.	71	90	6,250 00	2 weeks.	2
United & Globe Rubber Corporation.....	6333	91	5,896 50	30 days.	2
Bi-Lateral Fire Hose Company.....	1 14	1 45	10,050 00	45 days.	2
Murray Rubber Company.....	662	1 02	6,370 00	.....	2
Hewitt Rubber Company of Massachusetts, coupled.	95 } 801 }	1 14 } 9975 }	Alternate Bid. 7,005 00	.....	† 2
Hamilton Rubber Manufacturing Company...	664	819	5,777 00	40 days.	† 2

* Awarded contract.

† Hewitt heavy municipal.

‡ Both bids here. Irregular.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

James Wilkinson & Co. has been ordered to make the following change in

contract for completion of electric lighting system for library book stacks in addition to Boston Public Library Building. Item deducted: Allowance for temporary lighting, \$100. Contract price, \$1,507; amount deducted by this order, \$100; amount of contract to date, \$1,407.

SALARY INCREASES.

The following salary increases have been approved by the Mayor to take effect April 1, except as otherwise specified:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John P. Ego, clerk, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
Edward A. Hocoy, clerk, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
Henry J. Phinn, clerk, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
Edward F. Sullivan, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
John B. Hynes, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
John E. Lee, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
James J. Duffy, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
Thomas J. Murphy, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
John J. Chapman, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.*Monthly.*

Edwin H. Oliver, building inspector chief application desk, from \$2,300 to \$2,500 a year.
James W. Flynn, superintendent of gasfitting, from \$2,400 to \$2,500 a year.
William A. Wheeler, superintendent of plumbing, from \$2,400 to \$2,500 a year.
Katherine L. Wells, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
Winnie D. Harrison, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
Florence L. Preble, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
Elizabeth R. Johnson, telephone operator, from \$1,000 to \$1,150 a year.

Weekly.

John G. Monahan, building inspector, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.
James A. Howlett, building inspector, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.
Austin A. O'Toole, building inspector, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.
James J. Malone, elevator inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
William E. Malone, elevator inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
George H. Brickley, elevator inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
Frank B. Been, elevator inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
Wallace K. Addison, elevator inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
George H. Minehan, elevator inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
John J. McNeil, elevator inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
Daniel F. Lamphier, elevator inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
Edward Lamphier, elevator inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
Joseph E. Norton, elevator inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
James H. Foley, gasfitting inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
William Kempton, gasfitting inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
Frank C. Guinasso, gasfitting inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
James G. Bolles, plumbing inspector, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.
Hector McInnes, plumbing inspector, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.
John J. O'Brien, plumbing inspector, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.
Josaphat C. Blain, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.
John F. Fogerty, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.
James P. Molloy, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Arthur M. Greene, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Margaret A. Faulkner, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Charles B. McMackin, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Thomas F. O'Brien, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Josephine C. Sullivan, clerk, from \$1,040 to \$1,200 a year.

William W. K. Campbell, photographer and constable, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph F. Goode, constable, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Melville R. Eastman, constable, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

William H. Mealey, constable, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Chauffeur, from \$1,400 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas F. Bruen, laborer, from \$1,200 to \$1,400 a year.

CITY CLERK DEPARTMENT.

Katherine Kelley, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Barbara J. Morrison, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Adora Collison, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Charlotte Rebholz, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

John B. Lynch, clerk, from \$2,700 to \$3,000 a year.

Kate O'Neil, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Nellie G. Barnett, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Mary C. Boyle, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Margaret T. Connell, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Florence A. Howe, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Mary T. Ingalls, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Margaret A. Leary, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Anna I. Mansfield, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Thomas J. O'Neil, messenger, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

James J. Maloney, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Henry J. Daly, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Daniel J. McLaughlin, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Thomas A. Leonard, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

M. Irene Ennis, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Peter H. Rogers, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Abraham Levy, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

George H. Murray, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Lillian L. Feurtado, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Edward T. Croke, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Henry W. Mueller, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

William P. Burns, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Thomas J. Killian, constable, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Patrick J. Monahan, constable, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Charles Cuneo, constable, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Joseph J. O'Mara, constable, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Michael S. Drew, constable, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Effective April 4, 1924.

Water Division.

Frank R. A. Pingree, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Charles F. Smith, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. McCaffrey, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William P. Mahoney, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Joseph F. Fitzgerald, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Joseph B. Tracey, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

William L. Roberts, Jr., clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Philip A. Grant, Jr., clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

James P. Kelly, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

John F. Travers, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Charles W. Mahoney, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Fred J. McCarthy, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Joseph P. Hickey, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Dennis H. Shillue, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Effective April 4, 1924.

L. A. Hall, Jr., clerk and bookkeeper, from \$300 to \$600 a year.

James E. Moore, clerk, from \$200 to \$300 a year.

Effective April 1, 1924.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.*Wire Division.*

John F. Flanagan, chief clerk, from \$2,000 to \$2,300 a year.

Celina A. O'Brien, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,800 a year.

Peter F. Dolan, chief inspector, from \$2,500 to \$2,600 a year.

William McSweeney, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Martin P. Cummings, stenographer, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Mary E. Fleming, stenographer, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Charles S. Carroll, stenographer, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

May D. Marsh, clerk, from \$1,240 to \$1,340 a year.

John M. Walsh, engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

James J. Foley, chauffeur, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

James T. McKenney, stenciller, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

John J. Kelleher, inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Patrick H. Kilroe, inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Frank L. Kelley, inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Augustine C. Neville, inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

John W. Sheehan, inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Jeremiah A. Field, inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

James W. Collins, inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

James Friel, inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Patrick J. Larkin, inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

John H. O'Connor, inspector, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Charles D. Reagan, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Terrence Desmond, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

James F. Kennerly, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 Thomas J. Lythgoe, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 Patrick F. McMahan, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 James W. Reid, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 John A. Richardson, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 Martin F. Ryder, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 William A. Haberlin, inspector, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 Frederick L. Lanigan, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 Stephen J. Murphy, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 James E. Timility, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 Bernard B. Whelan, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 James T. Hennessey, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Christopher F. Hughes, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Joseph F. Landers, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Leo F. Murphy, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Philip F. Cuniff, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Frank H. Gately, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Retroactive from April 4, 1924.

Central Office.

Margaret T. Walsh, bookkeeper, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Katherine G. McBride, bookkeeper, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 John J. Higgins, clerk and investigator, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Estelle A. Sweeney, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Helen V. Curley, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Esther M. Gilboy, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 Alma W. B. Holdt, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.
 Mary F. Kelly, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.
 Eva C. Holland, clerk and stenographer, from \$900 to \$1,000 a year.
 Mary E. Murphy, clerk and stenographer, from \$800 to \$900 a year.
 Philip J. Brennan, constable (court officer and constable), from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Edward L. Ahern, investigator, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 George J. Uriot, investigator, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Mary J. Prescott, matron, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 Edward O'Keefe, officer, from \$1,750 to \$1,800 a year.
 Henry M. Quinn, parole agent, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Elizabeth E. Kelley, parole agent and visitor, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 John H. Burke, transportation officer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Nathan Prescott, transportation officer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Mary C. Hart, visitor, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Child Welfare Division.

Helen M. O'Neill, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Elizabeth C. O'Brien, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.
 Lillian R. Carney, matron (matron and visitor), from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Louise McCloskey, visitor, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Alice M. Rawding, visitor, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Ellen R. Scanlan, visitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 Mary J. Reidy, visitor, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Julia V. Driscoll, visitor and assistant agent, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Charles H. Christian, captain, from \$1,825 to \$2,000 a year.
 John E. McCarthy, mate, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.
 Walter A. Wicks, chief engineer, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 James J. Ahearn, engineer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Andrew J. Baker, fireman, from \$920 to \$1,000 a year.
 John J. Carey, fireman, from \$920 to \$1,000 a year.
 Joseph H. Powers, deckhand, from \$18 a week to \$1,000 a year.
 Peter J. Johnston, deckhand, from \$18 a week to \$1,000 a year.
 William P. Linskey, deckhand, from \$18 a week to \$1,000 a year.
 Thomas H. Lyons, deckhand, from \$18 a week to \$1,000 a year.

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

David J. Lamie, assistant engineer, from \$33 to \$35 a week.
 Edward J. Dolan, deckhand, from \$25.50 to \$27 a week.
 James L. Foley, deckhand, from \$25.50 to \$27 a week.
 John Landrigan, deckhand, from \$25.50 to \$27 a week.
 John Thornton, deckhand, from \$25.50 to \$27 a week.
 John Doherty, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week.
 Patrick J. Lawler, fireman, from \$33 to \$35 a week.
 Katherine Dale, matron, from \$800 a year to \$17 a week.
 Thomas G. Hooper, wharfinger, from \$25.50 to \$28.50 a week.
 James Reardon, watchman, from \$29.75 to \$31 a week.
 James Rogers, watchman, from \$29.75 to \$31 a week.
 John Putwain, second mate, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 Richard Plunkett, deckhand, temporary, from \$25.50 to \$27 a week.

House of Correction.

Thomas J. Reidy, blacksmith (officer and blacksmith), from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 James F. Leary, S. J., chaplain, from \$760 to \$800 a year.
 George E. Stokes, chaplain, from \$760 to \$800 a year.
 P. Emmet Gavin, chief clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 John J. Donovan, clerk, from \$1,280 to \$1,380 a year.
 Peter J. McGarry, clerk, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.
 Kate Keneely, cook, from \$1,000 to \$1,050 a year.
 Catherine McCormick, cook, from \$1,000 to \$1,050 a year.
 Arthur Bowes, chief engineer, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 Patrick Shea, engineer-assistant, from \$6 to \$6.50 a day.
 John Fay, engineer-assistant, from \$6 to \$6.50 a day.
 William O'Melia, engineer-assistant, from \$6 to \$6.50 a day.
 Walter Purdy, engineer-assistant, from \$6 to \$6.50 a day.

Ernest Rousseau, engineer-assistant, from \$6 to \$6.50 a day.
 David J. Tobin, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 Bernard Feeney, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 Thomas Finn, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 Timothy J. Hurley, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 Frederick Morse, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 Patrick J. Gleason, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 Carrie Bragg, matron and cook, from \$750 to \$850 a year.
 Nellie O'Keefe, matron and laundress, from \$500 to \$600 a year.
 Timothy Barrett, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 William Barrett, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Louis Baker, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Daniel J. Barry, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Peter J. Barry, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Edward L. Boland, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Michael J. Cunningham, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Michael J. Doyle, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Michael J. Creaney, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Daniel A. Herlihy, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 James Kelley, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Bernard F. Mellen, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 William H. Morgan, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Thomas Mulligan, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 James Murray, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 John F. McNamara, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 James McQuillan, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 William F. O'Neill, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Bartholomew J. Savage, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Timothy T. Sullivan, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Lester L. Whitehead, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 George A. Nelson, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Walter A. S. Hutchins, officer, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 John W. Nolan, officer, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 Coleman Martin, officer, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.
 Francis Randolph, officer, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.
 Charles A. Clune, officer, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.
 John McGowan, officer, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.
 Neil Sweeney, officer, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.
 Christian Belzer, officer and baker, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Frederick Williams, officer and butcher, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Edward L. Kenney, receiving officer and nurse, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 John J. Walsh, officer and roofer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 Sarah A. Quinn, organist, from \$800 to \$850 a year.
 Clara W. Baker, organist, from \$400 to \$425 a year.

Moses L. Sedar, religious instructor, from \$380 to \$400 a year.

James Farrell, officer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Josephine Donnelly, cook (from institution employees, housemaid), from \$500 to \$675 a year.

William H. Anderson, attendant-chief, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Hubert Dolan, baker, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Joseph C. Viles, carpenter, from \$1,050 to \$1,150 a year.

Edward F. Hoynes, chief clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,650 a year.

Margaret C. Sherman, cook, from \$950 to \$1,050 a year.

Mary Anderson, cook, from \$650 to \$700 a year.

Michael Donaher, cook, from \$650 to \$700 a year.

William White, cook, from \$650 to \$700 a year.

Nellie Kearney, cook (attendant), from \$600 to \$700 a year.

Ellen Smith, cook (attendant), from \$600 to \$700 a year.

Patrick J. Flaherty, druggist, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Jeremiah F. Shea, electrician, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Joseph Cox, engineer, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

William G. Feeney, engineer, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

John Melley, engineer, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

William S. Robinson, engineer, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

Walter J. West, engineer, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

John J. Adams, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

Richard A. Bishop, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

Andrew Para, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

Eugene Leonard, fireman (temporary), from \$33 to \$36 a week.

John F. Smith, general mechanic, from \$1,050 to \$1,150 a year.

Emma Murphy, housekeeper, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

John H. Kane, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Institution Employees.

Sadie Cusick, institution employee (attendant), \$600 a year.

Marie Boisvert, laundress, from \$560 to \$575 a year.

Sadie Howard, laundress, from \$560 to \$575 a year.

Mary A. Lynch, laundress, from \$560 to \$575 a year.

Marie Morris, laundress, from \$560 to \$575 a year.

Norah Mullane, laundress, from \$560 to \$575 a year.

Laura A. Stuart, laundress, from \$560 to \$575 a year.

Agnes Robinson, housekeeper, from \$540 to \$575 a year.

Hattie E. Towle, housekeeper, from \$540 to \$575 a year.

Marion Golis, waitress, from \$520 to \$550 a year.

Mabel Hunt, waitress, from \$520 to \$550 a year.

Mildred Hunt, waitress, from \$520 to \$550 a year.

Agnes Maye, waitress, from \$520 to \$550 a year.

Margaret J. Roughsedge, waitress, from \$520 to \$550 a year.

Elizabeth F. Boyle, housemaid, from \$500 to \$525 a year.

Josephine Lawrence, housemaid, from \$500 to \$525 a year.

Catherine Reid, housemaid, from \$460 to \$500 a year.

William H. Kennelly, cement worker, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

John Deignan, teamster, from \$850 to \$900 a year.

Cornelius J. Kelleher, choreman, from \$850 to \$900 a year.

William Mulligan, choreman and painter, from \$850 to \$900 a year.

Fred G. Barrows, gardener, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

Joseph B. Carey, choreman, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

Patrick Collins, hostler and gardener, from \$650 to \$700 a year.

Norman R. Doyle, barber, from \$650 to \$700 a year.

Joseph L. Perry, gardener, from \$650 to \$700 a year.

John A. Welch, choreman, from \$650 to \$700 a year.

Peter J. Larkin, waiter, from \$520 to \$550 a year.

John Fitzpatrick, helper in store, from \$500 to \$550 a year.

Nellie C. Berrigan, laundry assistant, from \$670 to \$700 a year.

Margaret E. Coleman, head matron, from \$780 to \$850 a year.

Mary L. Sharkey, matron (head assistant matron), from \$600 to \$700 a year.

Margaret B. Burke, matron, from \$600 to \$675 a year.

Catherine L. Crane, matron, from \$600 to \$675 a year.

Kathleen A. Horgan, matron, from \$600 to \$675 a year.

Nellie C. Lynch, matron, from \$600 to \$675 a year.

Elizabeth J. Smith, matron, from \$600 to \$675 a year.

Mary J. Sullivan, matron, from \$600 to \$675 a year.

Josephine English, matron (attendant), from \$600 to \$675 a year.

Mary J. Walsh, matron (attendant), from \$600 to \$675 a year.

Charles A. Storin, meatcutter, from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year.

Margaret J. Fallon, superintendent of nurses, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Mary A. Morris, assistant superintendent of nurses, from \$1,300 to \$1,350 a year.

Adelaide Donohue, organist, from \$800 to \$850 a year.

Clara W. Baker, organist, from \$400 to \$425 a year.

Helen Goodell, pathological technician, from \$800 to \$900 a year.

Maurice F. O'Connell, assistant resident physician, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Hrant S. Kebabjian, first assistant resident physician, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James A. Crowley, porter, from \$500 to \$600 a year.

Thomas J. Donnelly, porter, from \$500 to \$600 a year.

Michael O'Connell, porter, from \$500 to \$600 a year.

James Splaine, porter, from \$500 to \$600 a year.

John J. Sullivan, porter, from \$500 to \$600 a year.

William J. Sullivan, porter, from \$500 to \$600 a year.

Daniel S. Sweeney, porter, from \$500 to \$600 a year.

Patrick H. Toole, porter, from \$500 to \$600 a year.

Maria A. Higgins, seamstress, from \$720 to \$750 a year.

Della F. Flynn, seamstress, from \$720 to \$750 a year.

Rose V. McNamara, stenographer, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

John H. Keogh, storekeeper, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Margaret E. O'Neill, supervisor (Alms-house), from \$800 to \$850 a year.

Margaret Molloy, assistant supervisor (almshouse attendant), from \$600 to \$700 a year.

John H. Newman, supervisor of mechanics (male almshouse), from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Sarah C. Doll, supervisor of sewing, from \$800 to \$850 a year.

James W. Curran, watchman, from \$900 to \$950 a year.

Patrick Costello, watchman, from \$800 to \$850 a year.

Charles C. Ware, X-Ray technician, from \$900 to \$1,000 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

John A. Lane, assistant physical director, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Charles A. Houghton, assistant engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Katherine M. Fitzgerald, bookkeeper and stenographer, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Henry J. Fitzpatrick, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

James H. Follen, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Mary E. Roche, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Timothy H. Sullivan, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Margaret T. Carley, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Eva L. Connor, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Agnes C. Cronin, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Mary E. Donovan, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Veronica A. Murphy, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Mary E. Hagerty, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Luke J. Doogue, clerk and draughtsman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

James W. Hurley, collector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

James E. Dunn, chief carpenter, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John W. Lawton, chief custodian, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Patrick J. Gorman, chief engineer, Aquarium, from \$39 to \$40 a week.

Louis L. Chenette, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Dennis Daly, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

William J. Donley, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Thomas J. Foley, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Frank P. Guthrie, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Albert Libbey, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Fred P. Scanlon, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

James N. Brady, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas H. Casey, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph E. Denton, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Maurice J. Dinneen, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. Donovan, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James P. Gibbons, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph F. Goode, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Terrence N. Griffin, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Richard Hartigan, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph A. Havey, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William J. Healy, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James H. Kelley, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John A. Long, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Bartholomew J. McNamara, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John F. McQuillen, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John M. O'Brien, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Michael J. O'Leary, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Michael J. O'Meara, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frank M. Segal, custodian, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Michael V. Tuohy, custodian, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

James D. Conboy, draughtsman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Daniel J. Byrne, Jr., draughtsman and transitman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John G. Dowler, electrician, from \$5.10 to \$5.60 a day.

Johann Fleischer, elephant attendant, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Maurice J. Cotter, elephant attendant, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Peter McDonough, engineer-in-charge, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

Kieran McManus, engineer-in-charge, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

Michael Reardon, engineer-in-charge, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

John E. Roche, engineer-in-charge, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

Thomas Ryan, engineer-in-charge, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

John Finn, engineer, from \$35 to \$38 a week.

Thomas J. Lynch, engineer, from \$35 to \$38 a week.

Patrick McCann, engineer, from \$35 to \$38 a week.

Patrick J. McDermott, engineer, from \$35 to \$38 a week.

John J. McNulty, engineer, from \$35 to \$38 a week.

Edward J. Moriarty, engineer, from \$35 to \$38 a week.

John Stephens, engineer, from \$35 to \$38 a week.

John J. Tatten, engineer, from \$35 to \$38 a week.

John J. Mahoney, engineer, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

John J. Quigley, engineer, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

William H. Smith, engineer, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

Thomas Collins, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

James Fitzgerald, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

Thomas F. Lomasney, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

Alexander McFaul, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

Patrick O'Melia, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

Patrick Sheerin, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

Bernard J. Conley, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Michael V. Dailey, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

William Dowling, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

James E. Edgeworth, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Richard J. Hayden, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

John F. McKernan, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Michael McNulty, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Philip Monahan, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

John P. O'Connell, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Richard Tyler, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Harry Shaw, foreman, from \$1,700 to \$2,000 a year.

John J. Walsh, foreman, from \$1,600 to \$2,000 a year.

William T. Bibbey, foreman, mechanics, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Peter McManus, forester, from \$1,700 to \$2,000 a year.

Sixty-six gardeners, mechanics, etc., from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Forty-two gardeners, mechanics, etc., from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Joseph P. Howe, greenkeeper, from \$1,700 to \$2,000 a year.

Addie C. Gunn, head matron, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Elizabeth Stearns, head matron, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

James E. O'Reilly, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William E. Connell, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William Hartnett, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John J. McManus, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Augustus J. Rasmussen, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Three hundred and forty laborers, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Warren B. Marden, master mechanic, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Ellen J. Morley, matron-in-charge, from \$20 to \$22 a week.

One hundred and thirty matrons, plant cleaners, etc., from \$18 to \$20 a week.

Twenty-nine matrons, etc., from \$3 to \$3.33½ a day.

Twelve pianists and matrons, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

Frederick D. Byrnes, physical instructor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

George T. Connell, physical instructor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William H. Cronin, physical instructor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Edward J. Fisher, physical instructor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

George E. Frazer, physical instructor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Thomas H. Hines, physical instructor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Edward W. Kohler, physical instructor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William M. Mullen, physical instructor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

James J. O'Brien, physical instructor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Maurice R. Smith, physical instructor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Samuel Smith, physical instructor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Eugene I. Corbett, subforeman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Moses A. Coulter, subforeman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John F. Carlin, subforeman, mechanics, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Walter J. Byrnes, swimming instructor, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

George E. Cuddihy, swimming instructor, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Harry A. Grainger, swimming instructor, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Daniel W. Harrington, swimming instructor, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

John J. Hurley, swimming instructor, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Dennis J. Swanson, swimming instructor, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Margaret M. Maguire, telephone operator and complaint clerk, from \$1,150 to \$1,250 a year.

Emma A. Watson, telephone operator, from \$20 to \$22 a week.

Thomas J. Murphy, transitman, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Jeremiah F. O'Connor, zoo attendant, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Thomas F. Curtin, zoo attendant, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

John T. Donoghue, zoo attendant, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Joseph W. Harrington, zoo attendant, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Joseph H. McElroy, zoo attendant, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

John H. McLaughlin, zoo attendant, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

John J. Reardon, zoo attendant, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Paul Spiessert, zoo attendant, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Thomas J. Veasey, zoo attendant, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

All temporary men are to be increased to \$4.50 a day commencing May 20.

PARK DEPARTMENT (Cemetery Division).

Cecelia A. Cody, bookkeeper and stenographer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Mary F. Upton, bookkeeper and stenographer, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Nellie V. Norton, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John J. Burnes, custodian, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Frank T. Donovan, custodian, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Jeremiah D. Morrill, custodian, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Freeman A. Perkins, engineer, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

John J. Manning, foreman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Thomas Cunniff, gardener, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Philip J. Donovan, gardener, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Jeremiah J. Driscoll, gardener, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

John J. Flynn, gardener, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Patrick J. Fox, gardener, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Patrick Glennon, gardener, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Michael J. Kerins, gardener, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Frank A. Main, gardener, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Thomas F. O'Brien, gardener, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Marion W. Addison, custodian and cemetery keeper, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Henry L. Dolan, custodian and cemetery keeper, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Timothy F. Murphy, custodian and cemetery keeper, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

James J. Murray, custodian and cemetery keeper, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Patrick H. Redding, custodian and cemetery keeper, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Joseph A. Barrett, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Enrico Binda, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Thomas H. Brahany, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

George T. Buckley, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Thomas J. Burke, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

John J. Caddigan, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Thomas F. Conniff, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Michael J. Conway, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Patrick F. D. Cunningham, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Edward F. Curley, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

John J. Desmond, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

James B. Dolan, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

George J. Duffy, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Thomas D. Faherty, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Daniel T. Flynn, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

George J. Flynn, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

James J. Godvin, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Martin L. Godvin, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Thomas J. Godvin, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

John Gormley, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Russell L. Grant, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

James Hagerty, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Joseph T. Harrington, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Joseph Horgan, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Peter Kean, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

John J. Kelley, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Austin Kelly, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

William S. Kenney, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Thomas Kilduff, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

James A. Kingston, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Walter J. Lannon, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Frank A. Lynch, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Michael Mack, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Daniel J. Mahoney, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Bernard McCabe, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Joseph T. McDonough, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Hugh McDonough, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Peter McGarry, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

John J. McGrath, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Thomas McLaughlin, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Thomas A. McManus, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Arthur J. Moore, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Henry J. Moylan, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Joseph T. Mulrey, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Michael Morris, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Dennis Sullivan, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Ellen Adams, matron, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

Helen V. Tynan, matron, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

John Walsh, stonemason, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

John E. Mulrey, sexton, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

Thomas J. Carey, stableman-chauffeur, from \$29 to \$32 a week.

Robert E. Wagner, stonecutter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

David H. Crowley, tool sharpener, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

John E. Carney, treeman, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

John F. Flynn, treeman, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

All temporary laborers, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day, effective from May 20, 1924.

PLANNING BOARD.

Elisabeth M. Herlihy, secretary, from \$2,200 to \$2,700 a year.

Henry L. Whitney, investigator, from \$2,100 to \$2,500 a year.

Gertrude M. Ryan, stenographer, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

Frances G. Lambert, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Mary C. Connell, clerk, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Martin P. Higgins, general foreman, from \$2,800 to \$2,900 a year.

Daniel F. Pierce, stockman, from \$2,200 to \$2,300 a year.

Frederick Ziegler, foreman, from \$2,600 to \$2,700 a year.

Arthur O'Leary, foreman, from \$2,400 to \$2,500 a year.

Felix McManus, assistant foreman, from \$2,400 to \$2,500 a year.

Renforth Bleakney, compositor, from \$39.50 to \$41.50 a week.

Cornelius Driscoll, compositor, from \$39.50 to \$41.50 a week.

John Fisher, compositor, from \$39.50 to \$41.50 a week.

Mary M. Brennan, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

John T. Callan, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Joseph Ciccola, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Daniel Cadigan, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Thomas Clifford, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Mary Cronin, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Cornelius Collins, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

John E. Cotter, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Annie M. Delaney, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Kerrens J. Finn, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Robert J. Hunter, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Daniel Lamont, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Francis Quinn, compositor, from \$33 to \$35 a week.

John Moroney, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Abraham Rosen, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Catherine Crowley, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

John F. Ward, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Christopher Fitzgerald, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

James E. Lockhart, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

James Dolan, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Veronica Shanney, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Joseph De Castro, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Emanuel De Freitas, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Elizabeth Grant, proofreader, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Edward J. Stanton, proofreader, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Francis J. Sullivan, proofreader, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Julia G. Tobin, proofreader, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Helen Duggan, copyholder, from \$24 to \$26 a week.

Dorothy Schlicht, copyholder, from \$24 to \$26 a week.

Theresa Lyons, apprentice, from \$24 to \$26 a week.

Theresa Morrison, apprentice, from \$24 to \$26 a week.

Mildred Manser, apprentice, from \$24 to \$26 a week.

Lillian T. Gallagher, apprentice, from \$24 to \$27 a week.

William C. Gibbs, apprentice, from \$24 to \$32.50 a week.

Paul T. Burke, apprentice, from \$14 to \$16 a week.

Patrick Foley, linotype operator, from \$43 to \$45 a week.

Mary Mulry, linotype operator, from \$40.50 to \$42.50 a week.

Margaret Casey, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Annie T. Carnes, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Jennie Dyer, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Harriet Fairchild, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Mary F. Hurley, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Annie Lawler, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Rose Lee, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Rose Mellen, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Alice Sullivan, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Marion Toomey, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Katherine Tierney, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Rose Kelley, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Anna Pfeiffer, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Mary Mitchell, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Katherine Roche, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Thomas L. Sullivan, caster, from \$40 to \$44 a week.

Michael McKeen, monotype caster operator, from \$28 to \$30 a week.

James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, from \$26 to \$28 a week.

Patrick Kelley, monotype caster operator, from \$22 to \$24 a week.

Edward Morris, apprentice, from \$18 to \$22 a week.

Daniel Sullivan, apprentice, from \$16 to \$18 a week.

John R. Cadogan, foreman, from \$2,600 to \$2,700 a year.

William McCarthy, assistant foreman, from \$2,400 to \$2,500 a year.

Henry P. Barry, cylinder pressman, from \$40 to \$42 a week.

John J. Cosgrove, cylinder pressman, from \$40 to \$42 a week.

Frederick McCarthy, cylinder pressman, from \$40 to \$42 a week.

Peter C. Nelson, cylinder pressman, from \$40 to \$42 a week.

Arthur J. Sennett, cylinder pressman, from \$40 to \$42 a week.

Charles Clayton, job pressman, from \$36 to \$38 a week.

Edmund J. Connolly, job pressman, from \$36 to \$38 a week.

Moses P. Doyle, job pressman, from \$36 to \$38 a week.

John E. McDonald, job pressman, from \$36 to \$38 a week.

William Murray, job pressman, from \$36 to \$38 a week.

Owen Early, job pressman, from \$36 to \$38 a week.

John Foley, pressfeeder, from \$33.50 to \$35.50 a week.

William Hagan, pressfeeder, from \$33.50 to \$35.50 a week.

Thomas Ryan, pressfeeder, from \$33.50 to \$35.50 a week.

James McGee, pressfeeder, from \$33.50 to \$35.50 a week.

Thomas Driscoll, pressfeeder, from \$33.50 to \$35.50 a week.

Frederick Mooney, pressfeeder, from \$33.50 to \$35.50 a week.

John J. Carey, pressfeeder, from \$33.50 to \$35.50 a week.

David O'Neill, cutter, from \$36 to \$38 a week.

Jeremiah Connolly, cutter, from \$36 to \$38 a week.

John F. Birch, sheet stockman, from \$36 to \$38 a week.

Henry McQuade, shipper, from \$32 to \$34 a week.

Frank Coughlin, truck chauffeur, from \$30 to \$32 a week.

Patrick Keefe, helper, from \$24 to \$26 a week.

Arthur Whalen, apprentice, from \$17 to \$19 a week.

Francis McAteer, apprentice, from \$17 to \$19 a week.

John J. Doyle, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Mary Foley, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Helen Walsh, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Isaac Kramer, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Julia T. Donohue, copyholder, from \$24 to \$26 a week.

Anna M. Whitney, copyholder, from \$24 to \$26 a week.

Pasquale H. DeMuzio, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Cora A. Gibson, operator, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

Patrick O'Leary, compositor, from \$38.50 to \$40.50 a week.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Jeremiah W. O'Brien, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Katherine A. Driscoll, cleaner, from \$22 to \$24 a month.

John B. Hoar, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph J. Goode, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frank Kelly, custodian, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Patrick Toomey, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

William P. Malloy, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Henry Drury, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

James A. Cunliff, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Walter J. Harrington, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Thomas Seabury, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Joseph H. Butt, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

William Conroy, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Richard Kent, janitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Twenty janitors, watchmen and laborers, each, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day, as follows:

Michael Cavanaugh, Patrick H. Campbell, Thomas B. Ward, William J. Cunningham, James J. Lynch, Edward L. Coady, Jerome E. McMullen, Jeremiah F. McCarthy, William A. Kelly, Edward H. Carr, Peter J. Walsh, Edward J. Doherty, Donimic S. Cannata, Arthur G. Palmer, David J. Barry, Charles T. Norton, James J. Dunn.

Lucy A. Driscoll, cleaner, from \$15 to \$18 a week.

Sarah A. Ryan, cleaner, from \$15 to \$18 a week.

Helen McCarthy, cleaner, from \$15 to \$18 a week.

Anna J. Putnam, cleaner, from \$15 to \$18 a week.

Bridget Hess, cleaner, from \$15 to \$18 a week.

Lillian Mulrean, cleaner, from \$14 to \$18 a week.

Mary A. Donovan, cleaner, from \$14 to \$18 a week.

Ellen M. Troy, cleaner, from \$14 to \$18 a week.

Katherine Leahy, cleaner, from \$14 to \$18 a week.

Elizabeth Carey, cleaner, from \$14 to \$18 a week.

Katherine A. Driscoll, cleaner, from \$10 to \$12 a week.

Josephine Sexton, assistant janitress, from \$16 to \$18 a week.

Mary F. Sullivan, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Francis E. Mahoney, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Edward F. X. McCarthy, inspector of metal work, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Thomas W. Fitzgerald, wire inspector and electrician, from \$6 to \$6.50 a day.

John J. Hassett, steamfitter, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

John Logue, carpenter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Duncan McKinnon, carpenter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Joseph R. Galvin, furniture polisher, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Herbert M. Hammett, locksmith, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

John J. White, engineer, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

John J. Powers, engineer, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

Thirteen firemen and oilers, each from \$5.50 to \$6 a day as follows: James Campbell, John F. Beale, Michael A. Martin, Neil McSheffrey, Thomas J. Swift, William J. Brooks, Patrick Coreoran, John Murray, George T. Maloney, James Brodigan, Michael F. Bricke.

Daniel J. Sheehan, chief janitor, from \$1,775 to \$2,000 a year.

Thirteen chief janitors, custodians and janitors, each from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year as follows: James F. Conboy, Thomas F. Murphy, Charles A. Guidi, John Hagerty, James J. Dolan, Benjamin D. Drohan, James A. Carroll, Daniel J. Fitzpatrick, Thomas F. Flanagan, Henry T. Dray, James F. Mealey, Jeremiah W. O'Brien (on monthly roll).

Hugh J. W. McLaughlin, assistant chief janitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Thirty-six janitors, laborers, etc., each from \$4 to \$4.50 a day as follows: Thomas J. Barry, Peter Clancy, James J. Porter, Henry J. Foster, Ferdinand W. Webber, Jacob L. Whiteman, George T. Perry, Henry Clark, Peter J. O'Connor, John F. Houlton, Thomas J. Finnerty, William J. Harrison, John Mahan, Richard A. Wren, Daniel Connolly, William A. McCarthy, John J. Fogarty, John I. VanTassel, James J. Burns, William H. Gilson, George F. Cahill, Charles Folan, William A. Foley, James S. Reardon, John J. Curley, Cyrus B. Brown, John A. Callanan, Maurice

Fitzgerald, George A. Lydon, William F. Burrell, William P. Costello, George B. Nee, Francis J. Sheehan, Walter F. McLeod, John P. Coady, John Foley.

John J. Goodfellow, chief elevator operator, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Eight elevators and elevator attendants, each from \$4 to \$4.50 a day as follows: John E. Fleming, John J. McDonough, John J. Murray, George F. Kerrigan, William F. Burke, Francis J. Kerrigan, William H. Harris, John J. Walsh.

John L. Devereaux, driver, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

Peter J. Curley, driver, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

John A. Jennings, driver, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Uranus Young, driver, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Joseph Kelly, driver, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Agnes E. Daly, telephone operator, from \$23 to \$25 a week.

Nine telephone operators, each from \$20 to \$22 a week as follows: Annie L. Casey, Mary A. Delaney, Alice Ryan, Mary E. Dooley, Augusta M. Elliott, Catherine Corrigan, Margaret M. Denvir, Katherine E. McManus, Anna E. Steele.

Eighty-nine women cleaning, each \$16 to \$18 a week as follows: Catherine Bell, Catherine Cargill, Mary E. Barrett, Margaret Dooling, Annie I. Edwards, Margaret Fitzgerald, Mary Cleary, Helena Gaffney, Josephine F. Gilmore, Mary E. McWhinnie, Mary A. Kane, Ellen F. Kelleher, Annie Green, Catherine E. Lavin, Annie Barry, Margaret Foley, Mary A. Martin, Adele McDonough, Mary J. McElroy, Mary A. Morgan, Mary Motto, Mary E. Oliver, Rose E. Martin, Sarah Roche, Catherine Riley, Mary J. Sullivan, Flora Sylvester, Ellen J. Riley, Mary A. Driscoll, Sarah A. Shipsey, Margaret M. Barnes, Julia Bowman, Margaret Canning, Catherine Cunliff, Margaret Newell, Margaret C. Clayton, Martha F. McVey, Annie L. Carr, Catherine Goodwin, Helen F. Libby, Lena Rielly, Mary Hennessey, Minnie Esdaile, Catherine A. Loveless, Barbara Curley, Mary Isaacs, Ellen King, Margaret McPhee, Mary Meehan, Ellen O'Brien, Mary Sullivan, Catherine Welch, Fannie J. Dolan, Margaret A. Perry, Nellie M. Buckley, Catherine Murray, Mary E. Sullivan, Ellen Bayers, Ellen L. Murphy, Ellen Doherty, Ellen F. Devereaux, Mary Donohue, Margaret M. Brack, Mary Holloran, Rose Kelly, Mary May, Cathrine Bennett, Catherine Craven, Margaret Dolan, Catherine Gately, Elizabeth McTaggart, Hannah Scully, Mary S. Goodwin, Marie McCarthy, Bridget Lynch, Mary Trites, Mary C. McGillicuddy, Josephine R. Nagel, Isabel von Schoppe, Anna E. Carver, Helen J. Sweeney, Catherine Manning, Nellie Gage, Nora V. Curry, Margaret F. Sloane, Catherine E. Ward, Helen B. Holden, Margaret F. Sullivan.

Bridget McNulty, woman cleaning, from \$12 to \$14 a week.

Margaret Hoar, woman washing towels, from \$13 to \$15 a week.

Four women washing towels, each from \$12 to \$14 a week as follows: Elizabeth Bannett, Nellie McCool, Mary A. Hughes, Margaret Savage.

Barbara Hartnett, woman washing towels, from \$11 to \$13 a week.

Six matrons, each from \$18 to \$20 a week as follows: Catherine L. Coughlin, Catherine S. McCaffrey, Mary C. Driscoll, Mary M. Kane, Catherine T. Good and Molly Honey.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

James A. Desmond, contract clerk, from \$2,000 to \$2,200 a year.
 Henry J. Brennan, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Richard N. Power, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Jacob Gediman, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Timothy L. Sullivan, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Louis J. Sullivan, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Terrence P. O'Donnell, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.
 Thomas F. O'Leary, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.
 Mary L. MacCool, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.
 Ellen Berrane, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Mary L. Becker, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,350 to \$1,450 a year.
 Arthur J. Kiley, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 Edward F. Irwin, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 John F. Lane, clerk, from \$840 to \$1,000 a year.
 Frank B. McDonough, clerk, from \$720 to \$840 a year.
 Patrick H. Welsh, assistant to cement tester, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 John H. Nolan, assistant to cement tester, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 William J. A. Doherty, blueprinter, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 Joseph P. Logue, blueprinter, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 Louis J. Holler, blueprinter, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 Raymond K. Eugley, chauffeur, from \$29 to \$32 a week.

Bridge Service.

Rudolph J. Thanisch, assistant engineer, from \$2,700 to \$2,800 a year.
 George A. Clough, senior engineer, from \$2,200 to \$2,300 a year.
 * Robert P. Shea, junior engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
 Samuel J. Pattison, junior engineer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 John de Meulenaer, junior engineer, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 Thomas J. Haggerty, junior engineer, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 George W. Currier, senior draughtsman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.
 Otis A. B. Skinner, senior draughtsman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 Matthew L. Insogna, senior draughtsman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 John J. Steele, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.
 Harry B. Farrell, transitman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.
 Charles C. Cassidy, transitman, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 James J. Hart, transitman, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Victor J. Enright, transitman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 Frederick W. Jackson, transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.
 John J. Hayes, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 Timothy F. Hayes, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 Joseph R. Hews, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 William E. Connors, supervisor of construction, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.
 Charles A. Gallagher, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

* Charge against \$2,100 to \$2,200 item.

John J. Green, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Thomas J. Hannon, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Charles M. McGowan, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Timothy Sullivan, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Henry Bolan, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John F. Kinnaly, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

James E. Murray, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Dennis J. O'Connor, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Augustine P. Turnbull, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

James J. Sweney, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Joseph R. Downey, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

William C. Donovan, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Charles J. Thompson, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Michael F. Doyle, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Timothy J. Shea, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

James J. Galvin, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John E. Fitzgerald, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Francis R. Hickey, drawtender, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

William J. Doherty, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John Rick, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Robert E. Burrill, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John F. Collins, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John J. Graham, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John J. Foley, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John A. Lynch, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Richard H. Alexander, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Patrick W. Cummings, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Denis C. Mahoney, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William C. Tirrell, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

James J. Meaney, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Thomas C. McCarthy, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Harry H. White, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John F. McKeon, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Cornelius S. O'Connor, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Thomas J. Fitzgerald, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William H. Dowd, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Joseph F. O'Neil, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Timothy J. Sheehan, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Jeremiah A. Healey, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Timothy Myron, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Bernard F. Tague, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Daniel L. O'Connell, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William M. Tracy, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Daniel J. Shea, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Francis E. Kaveney, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Frank W. Harvey, first assistant drawtender, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John F. Coffey, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph Mullins, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Daniel J. Donovan, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph P. Shea, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Patrick J. Crowley, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Daniel J. Lane, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Dennis J. Manning, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Miles Koen, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William T. O'Neil, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas J. Sullivan, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William L. Waterman, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James R. Coyle, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Mathew J. McBreen, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Francis F. Morse, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Dennis N. Clifford, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Edward T. Landers, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Edward F. Cotter, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William J. Lynch, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas P. Driscoll, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

George W. Egan, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Elroy W. Francis, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas H. Edes, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frederick A. Lynch, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John Doran, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. Fitzgerald, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frank A. Howell, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Edward L. McHugh, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Charles H. Powers, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John A. Hayes, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Charles J. McFeeley, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William A. Donovan, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Charles F. Holmes, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Alexander J. Sutton, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Patrick J. Fitzgerald, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Denis M. Calnan, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frank W. Dwyer, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. Delay, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Walter L. Skavhan, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Bernard J. Dillon, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Patrick J. Clark, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas F. Lyden, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John Cosgrove, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Patrick H. Clancy, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James F. Murphy, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James B. Reilly, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John P. Stack, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Edward F. Brennan, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph B. Shea, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John A. Nagle, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William Higgins, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John F. Hasson, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas E. Neary, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William P. Kelleher, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frank P. Farren, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Timothy T. Colbert, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Bernard J. Haggerty, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William Ambrose, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William E. Osborne, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frank B. Rogers, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Leo A. Foley, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Luke A. O'Donnell, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

George S. Storrin, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William Bragan, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas F. Kelley, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John F. Barrett, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas J. Gillespie, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William B. Thomas, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

W. J. Condon, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

George W. Bloomfield, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James P. Collins, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas H. Linton, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. Powers, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Patrick J. McGonigle, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Francis J. Sherry, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. Crowley, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas McGovern, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Samuel J. Broderick, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Maurice L. Fitzgerald, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John F. O'Neil, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. Gilmartin, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph J. Skayhan, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph P. Curry, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William C. Fein, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Daniel J. Flynn, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William F. Hanlon, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William F. Stanley, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James H. Driscoll, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas J. Driscoll, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Dennis L. Terry, assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph V. Maddock, electrician, from \$5.60 to \$6.10 a day.

Ten laborers, janitors, etc., from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Eighteen mechanics, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Patrick J. Henebury, subforeman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

John D. O'Brien, subforeman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Theodore F. Paquette, subforeman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

William J. Brown, temporary assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas F. Reilly, temporary assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. Campbell, temporary assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. Davison, temporary assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Peter F. Griffin, temporary assistant drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Four carpenters, temporary, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Above increases effective May 20, 1924.

Boston and Cambridge Bridges.

John J. Kelleher, bridge caretaker, from \$12.80 to \$14.50 a week.

Dominick Connors, bridge caretaker, from \$12.75 to \$13.50 a week.

Charles W. Kenney, bridge caretaker, from \$12.75 to \$13.50 a week.

Daniel C. Sweeney, bridge caretaker, from \$12.75 to \$13.50 a week.

James A. Gorman, drawtender, from \$900 to \$950 a year.

Hugh J. Mullen, drawtender, from \$900 to \$950 a year.

Joseph G. Toland, drawtender, from \$900 to \$950 a year.

Patrick A. Berkeley, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

George J. Dunn, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

Edward V. Maddigan, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

John H. Tukey, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

Timothy Crowley, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

John J. O'Connell, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

John A. Solari, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

Thomas F. Toomey, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

George F. Beucher, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

Henry L. Cunningham, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

Howard R. Burgess, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

Patrick J. Logue, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

Francis E. Conley, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

Walter B. Hoitt, assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

Francis Donovan,* temporary assistant drawtender, from \$750 to \$800 a year.

The above increases in salary are paid by the City of Boston. Similar amounts are paid by the city of Cambridge in each case.

Granite Avenue Bridge Commission.

Michael J. Devin, drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Timothy H. Lyons, drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

* This increase effective May 20, 1924.

Thomas B. Gordon, drawtender, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

One half the salaries of the above men are paid by the County of Suffolk.

One half the salaries of the above men are paid by the town of Milton.

Ferry Service.

Pauline A. Leahy, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Twenty-six deckhands, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

James A. Douglass, electrician, \$5.60 to \$5.10 a day.

Fifteen gatemen, from \$28.80 a week to \$5.25 a day.

Fourteen laborers, janitors, etc., from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Fourteen mechanics, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Forty-four oilers and firemen, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Arthur J. Payzant, pipe fitter's helper, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Twelve quartermasters, from \$32.60 a week to \$6 a day.

Eight scrubwomen, from \$16 to \$18 a week.

Timothy Harrington, stockkeeper, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Twelve tollmen, from \$30.75 a week to \$5.50 a day.

Thomas LeMours, temporary electrician, from \$5.60 to \$6.10 a day.

Three firemen, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Two deckhands, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

These increases effective May 20, 1924.

Paving Service.

Jerome H. Moore, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Thomas Ring, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

James A. Sugrue, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

John F. Gilmore, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Luke H. Leonard, clerk, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

John F. Donovan, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James F. Molloy, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Daniel W. Moore, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Michael L. Connors, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Henry P. Sutliff, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Jacob Gofonovitz, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

James J. O'Neill, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

James M. Callanan, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Robert G. Davis, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Philip L. Hegerick, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Joseph A. Simpson, clerk, from \$1,150 to \$1,250 a year.

John E. Connor, senior draughtsman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.*

Walter A. Maloy, senior draughtsman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.*

Peter Kerr, senior draughtsman, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frank Monahan, senior draughtsman, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Benjamin F. Bates, assistant engineer in charge, from \$3,000 to \$3,100 a year.

Patrick J. Malley, assistant engineer in charge, from \$2,600 to \$2,700 a year.

Clarence G. Norris, junior engineer, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

John V. Corbett, junior engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

* New positions in budget previously charged to loan.

Thomas J. Fitzgerald, junior engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Adolph J. Post, junior engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Arthur W. Hunt, senior engineer, from \$2,200 to \$2,300 a year.

Harmon R. Chubbuck, senior engineer, from \$2,300 to \$2,400 a year.

Dwight L. Hubbard, senior engineer, from \$2,300 to \$2,400 a year.

Roland N. Cutter, senior engineer, from \$2,300 to \$2,400 a year.

Edwin T. Heisington, senior engineer, from \$2,300 to \$2,400 a year.

Alfred E. Hyskell, senior engineer, from \$2,300 to \$2,500 a year.

Twelve steam engineers from \$5 to \$5.70 a day.

Nine firemen from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Patrick J. Kyle, general foreman, from \$2,700 to \$3,000 a year.

Joseph J. Comfrey, foreman, from \$2,300 to \$2,400 a year.

John J. Costello, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Michael T. Cuddy, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

John J. McGinn, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Jerome O'Neil, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

John F. Owen, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Maurice Condon, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Patrick H. Connolly, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Thomas Burke, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Martin Padden, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

George H. Foss, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

James McCallum, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Edward M. Richardson, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Charles J. Regan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Patrick A. Dolan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William J. Donahue, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Francis H. Maloney, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Michael F. O'Brien, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John M. Conboy, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. Connell, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Frank A. Corcoran, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James P. Coyle, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William J. Donovan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Jeffrey Eager, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Ralph E. Reardon, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William T. Morrissey, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Timothy Flaherty, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James D. Gorman, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John E. Herrington, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Frank J. Hasson, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Edward J. Hayden, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

George W. Jepson, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Thomas J. Magner, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Daniel F. Murphy, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John W. Green, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John H. Murphy, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James F. McCabe, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James J. McMorow, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Henry J. O'Neil, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Frederick C. Power, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Charles E. Sheeche, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Joseph F. McLean, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Joseph J. Vogel, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Michael F. Barry, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James A. Keveney, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. Tully, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Robert J. Mason, inspector of horses, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Four hundred forty-nine laborers, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

One feeder, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day; new position.

One hundred thirty-two mechanics from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Five mechanics from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Frank Lonergan, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Timothy J. O'Connor, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Timothy P. Reardon, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Bertram K. Williams, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Arthur L. Gavin, transitman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Charles H. Nelson, transitman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

James J. Doyle, transitman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a day.

Wayland Fleming, transitman, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James J. Hooley, transitman, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Arthur A. Madden, transitman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Cornelius F. Collins, transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

Edward J. Fowler, transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

Francis A. Johnson, weigher, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Michael Doyle, yardman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Frank J. Leslie, yardman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

James McGregor, yardman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Thomas H. Rorke, yardman, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

John R. Power, subforeman, from \$1,600 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. Devlin, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Daniel J. Callaghan, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James J. McEleney, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John T. Sweeney, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. Norton, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. Connell, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Patrick H. Fallon, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John H. McCarthy, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Dennis C. Crowley, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Edmond Donlon, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. Hoey, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Charles Logue, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William J. Mealey, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Edward S. Coyle, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Alexander T. King, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William Gilmartin, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William H. Jeffrey, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Thomas G. Farron, subforeman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Thomas H. Cullinan, subforeman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William L. Carty, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Lighting Service.

Elizabeth J. Collins, stenographer and clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Sanitary Service.

Michael J. Carmody, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Thomas F. Kerrigan, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Albert H. Brown, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John L. Carven, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Joseph L. Connell, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Daniel F. Connors, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John D. Costello, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Bernard L. Donovan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Joseph J. Downing, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Timothy J. Driscoll, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John Duggan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James J. Farrell, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

George H. Feeney, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John H. Finneran, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Michael J. Foley, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William J. Griffin, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Robert H. Hill, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Joseph F. Keyes, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Augustine G. Kerrigan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Thomas F. McDonald, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Ernest W. McDowney, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James F. Maguire, Jr., inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Dennis T. Mahoney, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James R. Mountain, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Dominick J. Murray, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James H. Nolan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Michael J. O'Brien, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

George H. O'Donnell, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Michael C. O'Hare, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William J. O'Leary, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William J. Reagan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John A. Roe, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Henry J. Savage, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Antonio Silva, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Bartholomew E. Spellman, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Florence A. Sullivan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William Webb, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Frank H. Wilson, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Richard Wood, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William E. Young, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John P. Concannon, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

James E. Crowley, wharfinger, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John C. Fitzgerald, constable, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Vincenzo Musto, constable, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Henry Santosuosso, constable, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Daniel W. Kearns, weigher, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James Leonard, yardman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

William Gediman, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Charles H. Molloy, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

William H. Bragg, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Charles J. Burns, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Daniel H. Callahan, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Michael J. Callahan, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Patrick J. Carroll, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

William J. Cronin, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

George H. Cunningham, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Thomas Cunningham, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Michael F. Danihy, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

John F. Duddy, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

John J. Dulleck, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Edward D. Fitzgerald, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

William H. Gallagher, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Thomas A. Gilbody, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

John J. Glynn, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

William C. Hughes, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Francis J. Kerrigan, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

James J. Lavin, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Timothy J. McCarthy, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Michael McGovern, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Thomas McInerney, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

William A. Mahoney, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

William J. O'Brien, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Thomas M. O'Leary, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Jeremiah P. O'Leary, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Daniel P. O'Sullivan, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Benjamin L. Power, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Thomas P. Riley, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Austin Ronan, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

John Rowan, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

John Shaw, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

William Silva, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Thomas Stanton, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Augustus H. Staudigle, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Dennis D. Sullivan, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

James J. Sullivan, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Jerry Sullivan, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Michael F. Sullivan, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Michael J. Sullivan, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

John R. Wall, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

John S. York, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Patrick J. Kellard, wharfman, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Patrick J. Brickley, mechanics' assistant, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

David F. Crowley, mechanics' assistant, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Thomas Gaffney, mechanics' assistant, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Patrick Garvey, mechanics' assistant, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

William J. McDermott, mechanics' assistant, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Terrance P. McGrath, mechanics' assistant, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Andrew P. Malloy, mechanics' assistant, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Charles J. Sullivan, mechanics' assistant, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

James E. Burns, feeder, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

William Cassell, feeder, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

John Gallagher, feeder, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

John L. Hennessey, feeder, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Five hundred and eight laborers, teamsters, yardmen, stablemen, watchmen, etc., from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Thirty-five temporary laborers-teamsters, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Increased from May 20, 1924.

Street Cleaning and Oiling Service.

John J. Carey, foreman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Simon J. Cavanagh, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

William V. Quinn, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Thomas J. Watson, foreman, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Nicholas Bergh, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James N. Brennan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Vincent J. Brennan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John E. Brophy, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. Clark, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Patrick H. Conley, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

David J. Cronin, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Frank DiPesa, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John F. Dillon, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William J. Dotten, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Francis J. Dowd, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. Fahey, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Benjamin J. Fitzpatrick, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Thomas J. Flanagan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Thomas F. Gargan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Patrick Geoghegan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John F. Higgins, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Jonas Hoff, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Daniel C. Hurley, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John T. Kane, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James H. Keenan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Patrick Logan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Jeremiah J. Moynahan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Nunizatto Mondello, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James F. Mullen, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James P. O'Mara, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John H. Riley, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Eugene F. Sullivan, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Richard Welch, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Francis G. Glennon, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William J. Galvin, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

Charles J. McCoy, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

John H. Neary, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

James E. Pendergast, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

John J. Welch, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

Nicholas Fleming, inspector, from \$1,400 to \$1,600 a year.

Edward W. McHugh, inspector, from \$1,400 to \$1,600 a year.

Richard J. Morgan, inspector, from \$1,400 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. Creamer, inspector, from \$1,200 to \$1,400 a year.

Joseph Sullivan, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Arthur J. Cunningham, telephone operator, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Joseph J. O'Brien, medical inspector, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Arthur Davison, medical inspector, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

George W. Schwartz, medical inspector, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Thomas McDonald, chauffeur, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

Hugh Barry, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

John J. Toomey, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Mortimer J. Coakley, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

James J. Connors, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

Thomas C. Earl, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

William G. Earlet, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

John J. Considine, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

John J. Lendrihan, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

Joseph Z. Lamothe, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

James A. McCabe, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

John H. McGrath, Jr., chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

John J. Marshall, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

Frank Murphy, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

Nicholas Schaaf, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

Martin Giovenella, chauffeur-teamster, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

William J. Henderson, chauffeur-teamster, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Thomas J. Murphy, chauffeur-teamster, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Lawrence McGahan, feeder, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

James J. Shea, feeder, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Patrick Sweeney, feeder, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Four hundred and eighteen laborers, teamsters, stablemen, etc., from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Three temporary laborers (May 20, 1924), from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Sewer Service.

Frank D. Carmody, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Edward A. Kennedy, Jr., clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William J. H. Woods, draughtsman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Alexander L. Kidd, engineering inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Fred A. Fales, inspector and clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James J. Devlin, inspector and clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Robert J. Pumphret, inspector and subforeman, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John J. Collins, inspector and subforeman, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Hugh Shannon, inspector and subforeman, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John H. Driscoll, house inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

George E. Phalan, house inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Henry J. Howard, house inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Augustus S. Quinn, house inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Frank J. Johnson, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James J. Conboy, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William E. Cooney, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Frank P. Gillooly, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John W. Higgins, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John L. Leveroni, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Francis H. Maloney, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

George E. Rogers, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Thomas McDonald, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

William J. Nutley, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John J. Lorden, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Edward J. Ryan, instrumentman and inspector, from \$1,760 to \$1,860 a year.

John F. Traynor, yardman, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Nathan F. O'Neil, yardman, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

William H. Duffy, yardman, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Six chauffeurs, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Three steam engineers, from \$40 to \$43 a week.

One steam engineer, from \$36.50 to \$40 a week.

Two steam engineers, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

Two electricians, from \$5.60 to \$6.10 a day.

Thirty-four firemen, oilers, gatemen and filth hoist men, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

One hundred two laborers, teamsters, etc., from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Eleven masons, from \$6.60 to \$7 a day.

Four mechanics, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Nine mechanics, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

One paver, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

One repairer,* from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

One sewer cleaner, from \$4 to \$5 a day.

Eighteen sewer cleaners, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

One sewer cleaner, from \$4.25 to \$5 a day.

Two sewer cleaners, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

One sewer cleaner, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

Increases to be Paid From Sewerage Works Loan.

Frederick A. Lovejoy, first assistant engineer, from \$2,500 to \$2,700 a year.

William V. P. Hoar, first assistant engineer, from \$2,300 to \$2,700 a year.

Daniel J. Lynch, assistant engineer, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Mark E. Putman, assistant engineer, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Ernest M. Young, assistant engineer, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

Frank O. Holmes, assistant engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Arthur J. Lennon, assistant engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

John J. Burke, assistant engineer, from \$1,900 to \$2,100 a year.

Richard J. McNulty, draughtsman, from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

George F. Haskell, draughtsman, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

John J. Cusick, draughtsman, from \$1,760 to \$1,860 a year.

John P. Crotty, draughtsman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Joseph G. Curry, draughtsman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Bartholomew E. Hackett, draughtsman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Walter L. Ford, draughtsman, from \$1,200 to \$1,440 a year.

Walter I. Brown, instrumentman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Francis A. Garvin, instrumentman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

James A. Ackland, instrumentman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

James A. Bell, instrumentman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Douglas C. Fagin, instrumentman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Austin C. Woodside, instrumentman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

William H. Cunningham, instrumentman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

James P. Hogan, instrumentman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Timothy F. Spillane, instrumentman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

* Wages to be charged to maintenance beginning May 19, 1924.

Thomas J. Kelly, instrumentman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. Lane, instrumentman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Richard A. Scannell, instrumentman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Lawrence R. Flynn, instrumentman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Edward J. Logan, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Peter F. Costello, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Daniel J. Cadigan, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Leonard J. Rollins, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John E. Brosnahan, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James J. Connors, transitman (on leave of absence), from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Otto J. Riedle, transitman, from \$1,500 to \$1,800 a year.

Joseph Colahan, transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

Hilard C. Donovan, transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

James E. Martin, transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

Joseph A. Kane, rodman and transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

Michael J. O'Brien, rodman and transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

Thomas F. O'Brien, rodman and transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

Vincent B. Brady, rodman and transitman, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Thomas Canfield, rodman and transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

Edward F. Mitchell, rodman and transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

William J. O'Brien, rodman and transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

Robert D. Roche, rodman and transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

John L. Barry, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Joseph P. Crotty, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Matthew H. Doyle, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

John J. Denning, inspector and instrumentman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

Samuel J. Coleman, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Daniel Cotter, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Michael J. Dagle, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Jere Doyle, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

William F. Finneran, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Michael A. Flynn, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

William E. Flynn, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Thomas Glennon, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

James J. Hughes, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Walter McDonough, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John McMorro, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John P. Meehan, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John E. Mooney, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John F. Mullin, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John W. O'Neil, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John Ring, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Michael Stapleton, inspector, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

One laborer from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

One laborer, temporary, beginning May 20, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Provision has been made in the budget for the following charges to maintenance on account of engineering work:

One draughtsman from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

One assistant engineer from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Three transitmen from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Three transitmen from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Two rodmen (transitmen) from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

One assistant engineer, new position, \$2,700 a year, beginning May 19, 1924.

Water Service.

Fred Bonang, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

John J. Broderick, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

John J. Conlon, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Timothy J. Kelleher, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Thomas A. Norton, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

James J. O'Brien, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

George J. Shea, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Michael J. Walsh, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Richard T. Fitzgerald, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

James J. Supple, chauffeur, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

John Burns, chauffeur, from \$4 a day to \$30 a week.

John F. Burke, chauffeur, from \$4 a day to \$30 a week.

Joseph Phipps, chauffeur, from \$4 a day to \$30 a week.

Patrick F. Clougherty, chauffeur, from \$4.25 a day to \$30 a week.

James F. Anderson, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Daniel J. Kinnally, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Thomas Redgate, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. McCabe, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John J. L. Flynn, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Michael J. Morrison, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William F. O'Donnell, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Jeremiah O'Leary, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Edward J. Houghton, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Mark Corwin, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Charles F. Burley, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Lawrence W. Carr, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Samuel Kostiuk, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Charles H. McMahan, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Albert J. Sexton, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John Hurley, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William J. Green, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Annie F. McCarthy, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James J. McSorley, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Samuel Hartners, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Thomas J. Hogan, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

George F. Leahy, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Joseph J. O'Brien, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Catherine Farrell, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Patricia Gleason, clerk, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

George J. Walters, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year.

Catherine Kelly, clerk, from \$520 to \$800 a year.

John A. Anderson, constable, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Alfred R. Mitchell, constable, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph Ferreira, constable, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

George M. Murray, constable, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Samuel I. Blum, draftsman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Frank W. Tucker, draftsman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Daniel H. Curley, emergencyman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

John Doherty, 2d, emergencyman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Morgan Donohue, emergencyman, from \$4.50 to \$5.50 a day.

Arthur Christie, emergencyman, from \$4.25 to \$5.50 a day.

James Kelly, emergencyman, from \$4 to \$5 a day.

Michael J. Carney, emergencyman, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Thomas F. Kinahan, emergencyman, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Walter Rice, emergencyman, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

Raffaele Curcio, emergencyman, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

William J. Fitzimmons, emergencyman, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

William Lonergan, emergencyman, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

John Mahan, emergencyman, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Moses McCue, emergencyman, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Thomas Flanagan, emergencyman, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Patrick Clougherty, emergencyman, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

James H. Roust, emergencyman, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

James M. McNulty, district engineer, from \$2,600 to \$2,700 a year.

Henry M. Carven, district engineer, from \$2,500 to \$2,600 a year.

Daniel M. Sullivan, district engineer, from \$2,500 to \$2,600 a year.

Thomas E. Lally, senior engineer, from \$2,200 to \$2,300 a year.

Thomas R. Melville, assistant to engineer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

William Abbott, steam engineer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Robert McLaughlin, fireman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Peter Fernandes, fireman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Patrick F. Mullen, general foreman, from \$2,300 to \$2,500 a year.

Timothy V. Sullivan, general foreman, from \$2,300 to \$2,500 a year.

Timothy Casey, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Patrick Kelley, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Patrick J. Kelley, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Thomas Neville, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Thomas C. McDonald, foreman, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Martin J. Flaherty, subforeman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Patrick H. Burke, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

James J. Doherty, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Patrick J. Feeney, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Patrick A. Foley, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John J. Humphrey, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Thomas J. Lane, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Lawrence E. Murphy, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Antony R. Connor, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Patrick Douglas, 2d, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Patrick F. Gateley, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

James E. McMullen, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Timothy Murphy, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Frank A. Roche, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William E. Townsend, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Patrick J. Foley, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Benjamin Feldman, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

George H. McDavitt, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Michael McGrail, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. Sheehan, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas F. Donovan, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Richard J. Kelly, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

John W. Magoon, inspector, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

John P. Gateley, meter reader-inspector and clerk, from \$1,500 a year to \$5.25 a day.

John E. Tierney, master mechanic, new position, from \$5 a day to \$1,800 a year.

William Lonergan, mason, from \$6.60 to \$7 a day.

Dennis Sullivan, master machinist, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Michael Hurley, assistant master machinist, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Forty-three mechanics, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Jeremiah Linehan, mechanic, from \$4.75 to \$5.50 a day.

Cornelius Hogarty, mechanic, from \$4.75 to \$5.50 a day.

William Scanlan, emergencyman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Thirteen mechanics, from \$4.75 to \$5.25 a day.

Stan. Mickewicz, mechanic, from \$4.50 to \$5.25 a day.

Thomas J. Sullivan, mechanic, from \$4.50 to \$5.25 a day.

Forty-five mechanics, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Frank Petrocelli, mechanic, from \$4.25 to \$5 a day.

William F. Powers, mechanic, from \$4.25 to \$5 a day.

Patrick J. Flynn, mechanic, from \$4.25 to \$5 a day.

Patrick J. Linehan, mechanic, from \$4.25 to \$5 a day.

John McCormack, 2d, mechanic, from \$4.25 to \$5 a day.

Joseph McLean, mechanic, from \$4.25 to \$5 a day.

John P. O'Hara, mechanic, from \$4.25 to \$5 a day.

John P. Murphy, mechanic, from \$4.25 to \$5 a day.

Joseph Glennon, mechanic, from \$4.25 to \$5 a day.

Richard Kelly, mechanic, from \$4.25 to \$5 a day.

Thomas H. Doherty, mechanic, from \$4 to \$5 a day.

Thirty-one mechanics from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

Hugh McCauley, mechanic, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

John C. Dolan, mechanic, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

John J. Reynolds, mechanic, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

George F. Goodwin, mechanic, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

George M. Mulvey, mechanic, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

Anthony B. Trayers, mechanic, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

William Corbett, mechanic, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

John G. Reilly, mechanic, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

James E. Feeley, mechanic, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

George F. Waters, mechanic, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

Alfred Rolfe, mechanic, from \$4 to \$4.75 a day.

Daniel P. Thornton, meter reader (clerk), from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John P. Buckley, meter reader (clerk), from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James J. Hayes, meter reader (inspector), from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Patrick R. Kenney, meter reader (inspector), from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

James J. McKillop, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Edward H. Gilmore, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William Kelley, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. McGlinchey, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Stephen J. Mills, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

George A. Murphy, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Bernard Norton, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Edward F. O'Brien, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Patrick F. Burke, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Walter M. Campbell, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Warren T. Drury, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Bernard J. Flaherty, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John McKeon, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John A. Tyrrell, meter reader, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John E. Doherty, meter reader, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Joseph F. Gateley, meter reader, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Hugh Carroll, meter reader, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Patrick F. Geary, meter reader, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

John F. Griffin, meter reader, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

John F. Mullen, meter reader, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Joseph L. Reagan, meter reader, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Patrick J. Clougherty, paver, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Patrick Lydon, paver, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Thomas J. Sullivan, paver, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Harry Herra, sealer, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Patrick Higgins, sealer, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Dennis Lynch, sealer, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.

Patrick H. Bates, stableman, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.

John J. Connor, storekeeper, from \$1,600 to \$1,800 a year.

Agnes Fetherstone, switchboard operator, from \$20 to \$21 a week.

John F. Gorman, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John F. Bean, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Leo Godvin, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William Galvin, transmitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John L. McGrath, transitman, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

William F. Donnelly, transitman, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

Edmond J. Miles, transitman, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

Thomas F. Crowley, yardman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

John F. Cunningham, yardman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

James Gaughran, yardman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

William Kilty, yardman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Terrence McNulty, yardman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

William J. Dawley, yardman, from \$4 a day to \$1,500 a year.

One hundred eighty-four laborers from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

One carpenter, temporary, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day, effective May 20, 1924.

One plumber, temporary, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day, effective May 20, 1924.

One plumber, temporary, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day, effective May 20, 1924.

One pipefitter, temporary, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day, effective May 20, 1924.

Two laborers, temporary, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day, effective May 20, 1924.

REGISTRY DEPARTMENT.

Daniel J. Carney, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

Gerald J. Thompson, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Elizabeth F. Hurley, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Isabelle C. O'Brien, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Agnes J. Murray, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Mary J. McGuigan, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Charlotte F. McKenney, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Anna T. McCormick, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Grace E. Bliss, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Katherine I. Corbett, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Sarah F. McMurphy, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Bessie Smith, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Margaret M. Barry, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Gertrude L. A. Fitzgerald, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Marguerite Ego, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Elizabeth R. Kiley, clerk, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Margaret M. Scannell, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

RETIREMENT BOARD.

Katherine H. Creighton, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Margaret E. Fahey, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Esther L. Sullivan, clerk and stenographer, from \$900 to \$1,000 a year.

Anna J. Flanagan, clerk, from \$840 to \$1,000 a year.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

Ellen M. Reilly, chief clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Emily F. Dore, clerk and visitor, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Mary E. Slattery, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Sarah J. McBrien, stenographer and visitor, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Fannie N. Welch, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Mary E. Leahy, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Lillian C. Hennessey, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Mary Morante, clerk and interpreter, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Elizabeth V. Wilkie, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Mary R. Sullivan, stenographer and typist, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Mary E. Mulvey, clerk and visitor, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Joseph E. Reilly, clerk and visitor, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Mary E. Crowley, stenographer and visitor, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William H. O'Brien, clerk and visitor, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Mary E. Gleason, visitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Margaret I. Mitchell, visitor, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Charles R. Armour, visitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Albert J. Carey, visitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Michael A. Driscoll, visitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Frank J. Flaherty, visitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

George T. Latimer, visitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

George T. Sullivan, visitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Elizabeth M. Duffy, clerk, from \$1,050 to \$1,150 a year.

Josephine C. Fitzgerald, clerk, from \$1,050 to \$1,150 a year.

Nora T. Spillane, clerk, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Elizabeth M. Doherty, stenographer, from \$1,050 to \$1,150 a year.

Ruth A. Peterson, stenographer, from \$1,050 to \$1,150 a year.

Gwendolyn M. Nelson, stenographer, from \$1,050 to \$1,150 a year.

John F. Fitzgerald, clerk and visitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Helen A. Donovan, clerk, from \$1,100 to \$1,150 a year.

Florence M. McDonough, stenographer, from \$16 a week to \$1,150 a year.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Henry A. Barry, clerk and paymaster, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Margaret M. Begley, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Mary C. Norton, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Catherine G. Foley, addressograph operator, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DEPARTMENT.

Fred A. Thissell, deputy sealer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Louis Hertgen, deputy sealer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

John A. Gargan, deputy sealer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Thomas A. Kelley, deputy sealer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Charles E. Walsh, deputy sealer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

John J. Martin, deputy sealer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Benjamin P. Hutchinson, deputy sealer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

James A. Sweeney, deputy sealer, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Martin J. Travers, deputy sealer, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

William D. Fay, deputy sealer, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Edward J. McManus, deputy sealer, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Lawrence J. Lewis, deputy sealer, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Philip F. Leonard, mechanic, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

MAYOR CHIDES FULLER FOR PLAGIARISM OF CAMPAIGN IDEAS.

Mayor Curley sent the following letter: May 26:

HON. ALVIN T. FULLER, State House, Boston, Mass.:

MY DEAR MR. FULLER,—You have been such a pronounced public advocate of efficiency and economy in the administration of the affairs of the Commonwealth that I believe it my duty to direct your attention to an example of waste and extravagance upon your part in the present campaign for Republican nomination for Governor of Massachusetts.

A number of city employees have forwarded me communications addressed to them upon the stationery of the Commonwealth in behalf of your candidacy and assuming that your mailing department has made an error and is using the City of Boston Municipal Employees list instead of the State List of Employees for the mailing of cards in behalf of your candidacy, I take this occasion to direct your attention to what apparently is an error.

My Secretary, Standish Willcox, was the recipient of one of your communications and really felt offended that he should be singled out as a possible supporter of your candidacy for Governor. Mr. Willcox desires me to inform you that he has been an enrolled Democrat for thirty-three years and recalls having voted for Grover Cleveland and is really greatly disturbed that you should select him, as has been done in this case. I believe it but proper that you should extend him a written apology for forwarding cards to him.

Also, in the event that your adoption of the pledge card system, as introduced by me to the people of the Commonwealth some eight months ago, should prove beneficial to you, I trust I may at least receive a letter of thanks.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

BRIDGE TENDERS THANK MAYOR.

Mayor Curley on May 24 received the following letter from President Francis F. Morse, of the Bridge Tenders Union, A. F. of L., 12333:

At a meeting of the Bridge Tenders Union held Thursday, May 22, a unanimous vote of thanks was tendered your Honor for granting the members of our Union an increase of \$100 a year and for making provision to allow time off on account of illness without loss of pay.

With best wishes for your future success,

GREATEST BOOK ON BOSTON DEVELOPMENT YET PRODUCED TO BECOME CITY DOCUMENT.

CITY PLANNING BOARD HAS GATHERED INTO ONE VOLUME FACTS AND DIGESTS OF REPORTS AND STUDIES OF ALL MUNICIPAL PROBLEMS INVESTIGATED IN THE PAST EIGHTY YEARS. VALUABLE ASSET TO CITY FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS.

At Monday's meeting of the City Council, his Honor Mayor Curley transmitted a document of somewhat unusual character, which has been prepared by the City Planning Board. It is called a "Compendium of Reports and Studies Relating to the Commerce and Industries of Boston," but this title gives only a general idea of its scope and of the interest of its contents.

The work, as it happens, originated in the City Council. Some time ago that body passed an order, requesting the City Planning Board to compile "a list and synopsis of the various investigations and reports which have been made in the past twenty or thirty years in connection with the commercial, maritime and industrial development of Boston." After a preliminary study the Board presented a partial list but reported that the task was "stupendous" and pleaded lack of financial resources sufficient to carry it to completion.

Recently, with the approval of the Mayor, who has interested himself to an unusual degree in these commercial problems, the Board returned to the subject and engaged William A. Leahy to undertake the work, with the assistance and co-operation of its own office staff.

The compendium in its completed form amounts to much more than "a list and synopsis." The reports and studies condensed, numbering about 150, span the whole field of investigations during the last eighty years into this vast and many-angled subject. The modern period, of course, did not begin until some fifty years ago, when the Commonwealth outlined its first plans for the development of the waterfront and it is this later period that has received particular attention.

"It has seemed best," says the preface to the compendium, "while not ignoring the earlier period, to subordinate matters that have today only a historical interest. Even for the past three decades the material is so abundant that a selection had to be made. It is hoped, however, that no really essential documents have been overlooked."

This preface, consisting of thirty or more closely written pages, is a valuable feature of the volume. It not only explains the plan and purposes of the work but offers a general analysis of the material comprised in its 350 to 400 pages. Here, for example, are brought together and classified the principal remedies proposed for backward conditions in the city's commerce and industry, a list of some fifty distinct projects and programs, astonishing in its variety and suggestiveness. Many of them have been live issues for decades and were never more alive than today.

A certain "curious retardation" in the adoption of progressive measures is emphasized in the compendium and a possible explanation is offered. After describing the substantial progress that has been made, especially in the virtual transformation of the waterfront, the preface qualifies this record somewhat by calling

attention to "the deliberate and even cautious manner in which the state and the city have approached their commercial problems" and illustrates this tendency by citing several characteristic instances of the postponement of necessary improvements.

It is curious that, in spite of the deserved reputation of our citizens for initiative, ideas in this practical field must undergo so long a probation. No one in particular can be blamed, because no one public body is responsible for the prosperity of our commerce and industry. As with most improvements for which a consensus of separate authorities is required, time seems to be needed to effect a compromise between the divergent opinions.

One is led to think that the very wide differences of opinion and the absence of any central authority to pass upon them explain many of these singular hesitations. We have numberless plans, formulated and argued, but they are all, so to speak, hanging in the air. Such a central authority would necessarily be public, and as far back as 1893 the merchants of Boston, several hundred strong, petitioned for some form of public supervision of the waterfront; but the distrust felt by the business community for political control has availed, with other causes, to prevent the establishment of such a system, except in a fragmentary way, though it is the accepted usage in Europe, and in many American seaports.

With a scattered responsibility the very multiplicity of the remedies proposed must have served to bewilder those in authority. We read in the annual report for 1914 of the directors of the port of Boston that they had collected "thirty-five elaborately worked out schemes for the development of the East Boston side of the harbor." It is not surprising that the native hue of resolution should have paled before this avalanche of counsel. With such an embarrassment of projects before them, each supported by more or less convincing diagrams, estimates and predictions, the Legislature naturally hesitated to commit itself definitely and to vote the millions of public money that each enthusiast required for his scheme. Yet all this ferment of ideas testifies to an active interest in the subject and to a manifest need.

In another paragraph this subject is developed further.

"The outstanding feature to which one returns amid all these discussions is the variety of plans proposed. They range from the imposing proposition of the directors of the port to take over all the railroad water terminals, with their connections, at a cost of \$25,000,000 or more and operate them as a public utility to a simple suggestion for the movement of trolley freight cars to and from the Fish Pier over the viaduct. We read of belt lines, outer, inner and intermediate, of cross-town and under-harbor tunnels, of lighterage and car-float systems, of public ownership and private or a mixture of

both, of terminals creating business and business creating terminals. These and other choices and alternatives supply the substance of a running debate in which now and then some successful result is achieved and automatically removed from the field of controversy.

"The larger purposes underlying this collective effort are clear and simple. They are, in a few words, to get freight and passengers moving through the port both ways. More specifically, the aims are to attract grain and other food products from Canada and the West; to recover for Boston the half million or more tons of New England manufactures that are sent every year to New York for shipment; to keep open at easy rates with good service the rail and water lines essential for the reciprocal flow of raw materials and finished goods; and to promote in Boston the industrial enterprises for which our tidewater frontage and other facilities offer exceptional advantages."

These paragraphs are followed by the list of proposed remedies, which occupies several pages; but these are not the only interesting features in the preface. The ups and downs of our commercial prosperity are reflected in the tone, now confident, now anxious and complaining, of the documents, as illustrated by typical quotations.

"The tone and tenor and even the number of the reports reflect these vicissitudes. While the agitation has been practically continuous, it has come to a maximum at certain critical periods. In 1897 steamers could not find berths in the harbor. The tonnage of foreign trade was greater than it has been in some recent years. Exports, as a rule, exceeded imports in value. It was predicted that Boston would take business from New York and that the latter port would suffer, if not actually decline. The problem of the authorities was, not to seek commerce, but to provide for the vessels making and clearing the port.

"But this period, which lasted until about 1908, was brought to an end by a series of unfavorable developments. The exports of livestock from this country fell off and Boston no longer sent out her loaded cattle steamers. The rate decisions of the Interstate Commerce Commission, especially those of 1905 and 1912, were uniformly adverse to the interests of this port. Two of the leading New England railroads met with reverses which affected the quality of their service. The whole situation gradually changed until in 1909 the value of exports was the lowest in nineteen years and all but one of the next five years recorded a decline over its predecessor. The problem now was not so much to accommodate vessels as to furnish the cargoes that would induce them to call."

This interplay of conditions, often external and remote in origin, and the remedial measures which represent the struggle of the city to maintain its footing, gives an interest that is almost dramatic to what seems on the surface a plain, straightforward record of prosaic commercial issues. The national government, the state, the city, the Chamber of Commerce, have all been participants in the contest. The state, for reasons that are clearly set forth, has furnished the bulk of the reports bearing directly on commerce and industry, but the city is creditably represented in the collateral documents, those that are related more indirectly to the general theme. Private individuals have also contributed valuable studies. "The reports, proceeding

from so many different sources, vary in length, merit and character. Men of many professions and of most dissimilar outlook have contributed to them. Among the writers are found engineers, architects, merchants, manufacturers, executives, legislators, traffic experts, economists, labor leaders, publicists, professors."

In its concluding paragraphs the preface recites the objects of the compendium. "It is not the province of this compendium to originate plans or to express a preference among them. Its aim, once more, is to compile the existing material so as to make it more available and to give it such order and arrangement that a summary of the documents themselves will reveal the commercial problems of the city, the forces approaching them, the solutions thus far proposed and the efforts made to carry them into effect. On this basis of clarified understanding it may be that further effort will be more concentrated and correspondingly more effective."

A warm tribute is paid to "the men of vision who have labored in this practical field, not wholly without success, for the welfare of Boston. Their achievements speak for themselves and their published documents constitute a storehouse of valuable information and constructive ideas. If technical skill is required for the solution of problems, it is always at hand. In the study of electrification contained in the report of the Joint Board of 1911 or the discussion in the report of the Charles River Dam Commission of 1903, of the sanitary and hydraulic effects of that improvement, to take two examples almost at random, the public is served by the same expert knowledge that has given this community its unexcelled water supply, its reliable sewerage system, its pioneer traffic tunnels, its matchless parks and pleasure beaches and its well-kept harbor. While the older generations have not solved all our problems for us, they have bequeathed us inspiring models of the method and the spirit with which they solved their own."

Following the preface, the abstracts, which form the bulk of the volume, are arranged in chronological order under two main heads with several subdivisions. A brief chapter, entitled "Some Pioneers," leads up to the Abstracts of Reports and Studies relating to Commerce and Industry. These are followed by Abstracts of Publications on Related Subjects, which include General City Planning, Metropolitan Unity, Metropolitan Highways, Metropolitan Transportation, Industrial Education, Market Problems, Housing and Zoning.

There are several appendices, containing matter of especial value to students, a reference list of about eighty maps and plans, a selected list of important publications, a list of descriptive manuals, a chronological summary of the principal investigations, a statement on differential rates, and a list of notable improvements affecting commerce and industry.

In this part of the book there is scarcely a question among the legion that have been debated in this domain that does not receive treatment in one or more of the abridgments. On the consolidation of the New England railroads, for example, there are abstracts of the voluminous Storrow report, the original report of the Interstate Commerce Commission, containing a special study by Professor Ripley, another study by Professor Cunningham, and two monographs by John E. Oldham, so that every point of view is fully and impartially presented. This is true of other questions connected with

waterfront development, railroad connections, tunnels, traffic congestion, the street system, metropolitan unity and many more similar problems.

Besides serving as a magazine of information, useful especially to public officials and students, the compendium restores to public notice several documents that are, in its own language, "classics of their kind." Among these are the remarkable plans for the future city, sketched by Robert Fleming Gourlay, a Scotchman, who lived here in 1843; the brilliant suggestions of Pierre Humbert, city surveyor, in 1893; the able report of the Rapid Transit Commission, headed by former Mayor Nathan Matthews, in 1892; the pamphlet on Greater Boston by Sylvester Baxter, published in 1901; the epoch-making report of the Commission on Industrial Education appointed by Governor Douglas in 1906; that of the Charles River Dam Commission headed by President Pritchett in 1903; the report of the Metropolitan Improvements Commission in 1909 and the Metropolitan Plan, by Arthur A. Shurtleff, incorporated in this report, but treated separately in the compendium.

The work of the first Board of Survey, of which ex-Mayor Hugh O'Brien was chairman; studies on the subject of docks by Robert S. Peabody and Desmond Fitzgerald and on railroad and waterfront problems by Professor Clapp and Professor Cherington; the intensive labors of the directors of the port, including such well-known figures as Admiral Bowles, Hugh Bancroft, Edward F. McSweeney and Joseph A. Conry, are analyzed in this compendium. Due credit is given to the thorough and courageous report of the Terminal Commission of 1916, the secretary of which was Edward J. Dunn of the Boston Post. The City Planning Board itself, under the chairmanship of Ralph Adams Cram and Frederic H. Fay, has published notable surveys of East Boston and the North End, as well as studies of the market problem, the metropolitan street system, the zoning plan, and a series of annual reports that are read by experts all over the United States.

The 1907 report of the Boston Society of Architects, the publications of the Boston 1915 movement largely guided by James P. Munroe, are among the scores of interesting documents summarized in the compendium. The points of view are various and the spice of occasional controversy is not wanting to season the mass of solid information.

Many of the works mentioned were pioneer and foundational in their several spheres and as such are widely known to serious students and have reflected distinction on this city and the Commonwealth. Not a few of them were the basis of important legislation. It is an incidental service of the compendium to have rescued them from comparative neglect and to have recognized their enduring value.

Due recognition is also given to the work of the various mayors of Boston in promoting commercial development. The names of mayors Lincoln, Matthews, O'Brien, Quincy, Fitzgerald, Peters and Curley occur in connection with legislation or municipal efforts designed to advance the mercantile interests of the city.

Mayor Curley accompanied his message to the City Council with an order providing for the publication of the compendium as a city document. In this form it would be accessible to the general public and it is expected that there will be a large demand for it among specialists in this city and elsewhere.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 22 TO MAY 28.

MAY 22.

OWNER	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimate Cost.
Dorothy Schwartz	Rear of 724 Morton street.	21	First-class garage	\$1,200
Annie Gerstein	Rear of 52 Waldeck street.	19	First-class garage	1,000
Helen T. Volk	Rear of 102 Bynner street.	14	Second-class garage	900
Hyman Rosenfeld	Rear of 23A Sonoma street.	16	Second-class garage	1,500
Hyman Rosenfeld	Rear of 27A Sonoma street	16	Second-class garage	1,500
Hyman Rosenfeld	Rear of 23B Sonoma street.	16	Second-class garage	1,500
Hyman Rosenfeld	Rear of 27B Sonoma street.	16	Second-class garage	1,500
Peter J. Murphy	48 Wood avenue.	24	Third-class garage	300
Joseph Gould	494 Ashland street.	20	Third-class dwelling	10,000
J. H. Trask	181 Walnut street.	20	Third-class store	600
C. J. Jacobs	19 Boxford terrace.	23	Third-class dwelling	7,000
C. J. Jacobs	17 Boxford terrace.	23	Third-class dwelling	7,000
C. J. Jacobs	15 Boxford terrace.	23	Third-class dwelling	7,000
C. J. Jacobs	11 Boxford terrace.	23	Third-class dwelling	7,000
C. J. Jacobs	257 Park street.	23	Third-class dwelling	7,000
C. J. Jacobs	9 Oriole street.	23	Third-class dwelling	7,000
C. J. Jacobs	7 Oriole street.	23	Third-class dwelling	7,000
Lucien Beckowski	21 Eastern avenue.	24	Alterations, dwelling	100
Arthur Marcus	900 Huntington avenue.	14	Alterations, store and tenements.	2,000
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.	26 Waverly street.	16	Erect builders' hoist.	100
Masonic Building Association.	47 Fairmount avenue.	24	Erect fire escape.	800
E. H. Eldredge & Co.	728 Washington street.	5	Erect marquee.	1,000

MAY 23.

Mary Ahern	Rear of 330 Saratoga street.	2	First-class garage	\$900
Andrew Jensen	Rear of 19 Harwood street.	21	First-class garage	1,200
Carmene Nappa	Rear of 150 London street.	1	First-class garage	1,500
M. A. Christian	Rear of 151 Willow street.	23	First-class garage	1,100
M. A. Christian	Rear of 147 Willow street.	23	First-class garage	1,100
Ernest Schoenfeld	Rear of 31 Elder street.	11	First-class garage	1,000
Ernest Schoenfeld	29 Elder street.	11	First-class garage	1,000
Charles J. Jacobs	Rear of 29 Oriole street.	23	Second-class garage	1,000
Charles J. Jacobs	Rear of 257 Park street.	23	Second-class garage	1,000
Elizabeth Birmingham et al.	Rear of 38 Mayhew street.	11	Second-class garage	1,000
Thomas King	79 Bennett street.	26	Third-class dwelling	9,000
Thomas King	88 and 90 Nonantum street.	25	Third-class dwelling	8,500
Andrew Risem	26 Congreve street.	23	Third-class dwelling	6,000
Johannes Larsen	11 Foss road.	20	Third-class dwelling	9,500
Gleason & Marshall	124 Blake street.	24	Third-class dwelling	7,500
N. M. Sheehan	75 Claymoss road.	25	Third-class dwelling	15,000
Elizabeth Kratzer	218 Metropolitan avenue.	23	Third-class dwelling	10,800
Marion F. Harrigan	190 Bayswater street.	1	Third-class dwelling	6,500
Diamond Realty Company.	5 Lorna road.	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Edmond Grondin	15 Eastbourne street.	23	Third-class dwelling	7,000
Margaret Beecher	28 Larch street.	25	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Margaret Beecher	32 Larch street.	25	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Margaret Beecher	36 Larch street.	25	Third-class dwelling	10,000
John Vignola	116 Waldemar avenue.	1	Third-class dwelling	5,000
J. M. Falla	623 Tremont street.	7	Alterations, lodging and store.	500
Nathan Winstanley	9 Hopedsale street.	25	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Wigglesworth Real Estate Trust.	56 Franklin street.	5	Alterations, store and offices.	1,000
H. P. Nawn	239 Blue Hill avenue.	16	Alterations, bakery.	1,350
Mrs. Dennis Murray	541 East Fourth street.	10	Alterations, dwelling	350
Joseph Buschini	26 Bellevue avenue.	17	Alterations, dwelling	800
F. V. Niles	114 Broad street.	5	Alterations, store and offices.	11,917
Globe Newspaper Company.	248 Washington street.	5	Alterations, Publishing Co.	3,000
The Ginter Company	9 and 11 Shawmut street.	8	Alterations, bakery	100
Antonio Cerullo	84 Endicott street.	5	Alterations, dwelling	75
John Moschella	23 Bradstreet avenue.	24	Alterations, dwelling	2,500
Charles Fottler	Rear of 78 Canterbury st.	21	Move dwelling	600
Charles Fottler	Rear of 76 Canterbury st.	21	Move dwelling	500
Charles Fottler	Rear of 72 Canterbury st.	21	Move dwelling	600
John T. Kelly	Rear of 534 Dudley street	12	Take-down, storage.	25
American Building Wrecking Company.	280 and 282 Hancock street	17	Take-down, dwelling	100

MAY 24.

Frank F. Whitecross	42 Aldworth street.	22	First-class garage	\$800
John P. Whitecross	41 Aldworth street.	22	First-class garage	800
Mrs. Jennie Isaacson	11 Page street	19	First-class garage	1,250
Bridget McLaughlin	128 Minden street.	14	First-class garage	1,550
Ada Duffie	12 Sturgis road.	23	First-class garage	800
L. Campedella	Rear of 72 Savin Hill street.	16	First-class garage	1,800
R. Markovsky	839-851 Washington street.	21	Second-class garage	35,000
William F. Brooks	Rear of 595 La Grange st.	23	Third-class garage	600
Andrew Stack	Rear of 36 Cottage street.	24	Third-class tool shed	100
Julia Pearson	Rear of 171 Wilmington st.	21	Third-class garage	600
Joseph Schlaich	163 Bellevue avenue.	23	Third-class henry.	50
Bessey V. Arey	Rear of 9 Larchmont street.	19	Third-class garage	400
M. J. Scully	Rear of 12 Walk Hill street.	22	Third-class garage	600
David Schwartz	Rear of 290 Hyde Park ave.	22	Third-class garage	600
David Schwartz	Rear of 290 Hyde Park ave., No. 2.	22	Third-class garage	600
David Schwartz	Rear of 290 Hyde Park ave., No. 1.	22	Third-class garage	600
Mary L. Keefe	Rear of 17 Fletcher street.	23	Third-class garage	600
Svea A. Scoug	Rear of 623 La Grange st.	23	Third-class garage	600
B. V. Dorsey	12 Jerome street.	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
Fred Graham	1903 Hyde Park avenue.	24	Alterations, dwelling	700
William O'Brien	32 Prince street.	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Susan M. Gattuma	44 Sheffield road.	23	Alterations, dwelling	300
Joseph Newman	49 Worthington street.	14	Install elevator	4,500
Joseph Newman	660 Huntington avenue.	14	Install elevator	4,500
Park Square Building	39 St. James avenue.	7	Install dumb waiter.	450

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 25.

I. FIREMEN'S MEMORIAL SUNDAY.

Deputy chiefs will detail twelve men from their divisions to act as escort to the various organizations on Firemen's Memorial Sunday, June 8, 1924. The detail will report to the chief marshal, Deputy Chief Edward J. Shallow of this department, at 9 a. m., sharp, at Headquarters Building, Bristol street. The regulation uniform, with sack coat and white gloves will be worn on this occasion.

The detail will be made, as far as possible, from the trustees of the Boston Firemen's Charitable Association. Exchange of days off and shifts will be permitted to conform with this, and time will be allowed to report to the chief marshal.

Members who are on the night shift Saturday, June 7, 1924, and who are to participate in this service, will be allowed to leave quarters before 8 a. m. Sunday, and will be excused from roll call, if relieved by members of the on-coming shift prior to eight o'clock.

Members of the department who are on day off or who are on the off shift on Sunday, June 8, 1924, are requested to participate in the memorial exercises.

The committee on arrangements is anxious to know how many members of the department are to attend the services. Owing to the two-platoon system a large attendance is expected. In order that the committee may have some idea as to the attendance on Sunday, June 8, all members who propose to attend are requested to submit their names to their company commanders, who will forward them to the Fire Commissioner on Form 5, not later than Wednesday, June 4, 1924.

II. CHANGES IN FIRE ALARM BOXES.

The following changes have been made in fire alarm boxes:

Box 3445, formerly located at Florida and Mallet streets, has been moved to Florida and Templeton streets.

Box 3491, formerly located at the Victory plant, Squantum, has been permanently removed from service.

III. NEW FIRE ALARM BOXES.

The following new fire alarm boxes will shortly be established:

Box 63: Maverick and London streets, connected into circuit No. 48. Assignments will be the same as for Box 628, with the exception that Engine 47 will be dropped on first alarm and Engine 31 will be dropped on second alarm.

Box 3576: Colorado and Messenger streets, connected into circuit No. 31. Assignments will be the same as for Box 3548.

Box 3577: Kennebec and Canaan streets, connected into circuit No. 30. Assignments will be the same as for Box 3573.

Box 7143: Claflin and C streets, connected into circuit No. 32. Assignments will be the same as for Box 7121.

IV. BASEBALL TEAM.

The first meeting of candidates for the Fire Department baseball team will be called at Dorchester Town Field at 10 a. m. on Wednesday, May 28, 1924. All members of the department who are off duty and who play ball are requested to appear at the field at that time. There is enough material in the Boston Fire Department for a fast team, and the commissioner would like to see such a team

organized. It is hoped therefore that there will be a good attendance at this meeting.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 539.

The resignation of Patrolman Martin C. Welch of Division 2 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, May 26, 1924, at 7:45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 540.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Goff and Gallivan, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman John Savage of Division 9, charging him with leaving his route and entering a building, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman John Savage perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 541.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Gallivan and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Robert Priestly of Division 13, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Robert Priestly perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 542.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Goff and Gallivan, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Joseph P. Patenaude of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Joseph P. Patenaude perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 543.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Gallivan and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Wayland H. Blanding of Division 6, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Wayland H. Blanding perform one hundred and forty hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 22 TO MAY 28.

MAY 26.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Eva Margat and Bertha Cohen	14 Merrill street.	19	First-class garage.	\$1,100
Thomas J. Shields	Rear of 51 Hartford street.	11	First-class garage.	600
Elizabeth Barnes	Rear of 22 Linden street.	25	First-class garage.	3,000
S. E. Robinson	Rear of 1232 Dorchester ave.	17	First-class garage.	1,400
John Schonberg	Rear of opposite 6 Nason pl.	14	First-class garage.	1,000
Bessie Margolis	Rear of 10 Gaston street.	16	First-class garage.	1,000
Giuseppe Calabro	14 Stanley street.	17	Second-class garage.	1,000
Community Service Wash	7 Willow street.	23	Second-class garage.	4,000
Thomas Schuyler	Rear of 38 Williams street.	13	Second-class garage.	450
A. E. Fitzgerald	2149 Dorchester avenue.	21	Third-class garage.	369
Ethel Burrows	9 Westbourne road.	22	Third-class garage.	204
John Torretta	16 Holden street.	11	Third-class dwelling.	9,000
Jennie Goldberg	62 Harwood street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	475
L. May	5 Temple street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
James J. Sullivan	275 Norfolk street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Mary E. Hennessy	104 King street.	20	Third-class garage.	450
H. Rosenfeld	205-209 Shawmut avenue.	6	Alterations, store.	500
Edward Malmberg	307 Bellevue street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	150
J. Gregush	Rear of 15 Locust street.	11	Alterations, garage.	40
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.	125 Milk street.	5	Alterations, Telephone Exchange.	2,50
A. Eisenberg	25 Charlotte street.	19	Alterations, garage.	100
Joseph Antice	1873 River street.	24	Alterations, dwelling and store.	5,000
Central Building Wrecking Company	235 C street.	9	Take down store.	10
F. L. Taylor	Rear of 45 Centre street.	15	Take down barn.	50

MAY 27.

Annie B. Cronin et al.	746 Saratoga street.	1	First-class garage.	\$1,300
Mathilde L. S. Hesse	3 Penfield street.	23	First-class garage.	900
D. Fishtin	35 Lawrence avenue.	17	First-class garage.	1,000
Andrew Corey	Rear of 2 Dunford street.	15	First-class garage.	1,000
Sophie Niditch	185-191 Humboldt avenue.	16	First-class garage.	35,000
George Zahka	39 Haskell street.	26	First-class garage.	1,475
Nishon H. Armorian	14 Harvard avenue.	18	Second-class garage.	1,850
Hunt, Spiller Corporation.	383 Dorchester avenue.	11	Special shelter.	1,000
Mrs. E. J. Smith	786 La Grange street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	4,000
G. W. Peacock	604 Weld street.	23	Third-class store.	600
Ragy Rahmany	1401 Centre street.	23	Third-class office.	400
Annie L. Cossaboom	111 La Grange street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
Max Steinberg	37 Brookledge street.	16	Third-class dwelling.	15,000
Elias Camille	179 Weld street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Mrs. H. P. King	35 Marlborough street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	200
C. Crawford Hollidge	9 Temple place.	5	Alterations, store and offices.	1,000
William Amory	179 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	6,000
A. W. Perry	44 Bromfield street.	5	Alterations, store and offices.	2,000
Abraham Shuman	76 Kingsdale street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	120
Thomas Hession	16 Richmond street.	18	Alterations, garage.	300
Frank J. Robinson	72 Myrtle street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	500
Felice Abbruzzese	15 Cooper street.	5	Alterations, store and tenements.	6,000

MAY 28.

Agata Karpowich	40 King street.	20	First-class garage.	\$2,000
Susan R. Bailey	28 Morrill street.	11	First-class garage.	1,200
H. F. Nelson	Rear of 14 Lane park.	26	First-class garage.	1,000
John M. Miller	21 Seymour street.	23	Second-class garage.	900
Robert E. Chapman	16 Wade street.	26	Second-class garage.	1,200
Charles Kallas	322 Tremont street.	6	Second-class stores.	12,000
Edward A. McLaughlin	Rear of 92 Walnut avenue.	16	Special garage.	400
William H. Abbott	Rear of 568 River street.	24	Special garage.	400
Jessie Todd	Rear of 12 Munroe street.	16	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
John T. Carr	Rear of 21 Weld Hill street.	22	Third-class garage.	500
Anna B. Filling	10 Wade street.	25	Third-class dwelling.	16,000
Rev. Frederick Heath	Rear of 629 Centre street.	22	Third-class garage.	234
Emil M. Echlert	2426 Centre street.	23	Third-class gas station.	400
Mrs. M. C. Fennessey	635 Walk Hill street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Arthur Nourse	12 Allenwood street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	7,400
Frank L. Churchill	42 Rockwell street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	8,500
Mary J. Flynn	149 West Selden street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
C. A. Lundell	Rear of 14 Tesla street.	24	Third-class garage.	419
Edward F. Baker	74-78 Canal street.	5	Alterations, store and manufacturing.	75
Henrick Lauk	54 Danforth street.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	100
James M. Daly	Rear of 10 Saunders street.	25	Alterations, garage.	50
J. Wallace	68 Paul Gore street.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	365
Alexander Keltie	Rear of 75 Highland street.	24	Alterations, garage.	800
State Street Exchange	53 State street.	5	Alterations, offices and bank.	300,000
James Ellis Company	403 West Broadway	10	Alterations, store.	1,000
W. R. Munn	328 Beacon street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
Harold Gerlick	11 Allenwood street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	350
Salvator DeFrank	6 Cottage park.	18	Alterations, dwelling.	1,100
Snider & Druker	10-18 Ivy street.	8	Alterations, apartments.	400
Chinese Merchants' Association.	1 Hudson street.	5	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Charles P. Curtis	244 Beacon street.	8	Install elevator.	3,950
City of Boston	270 Faneuil street.	25	Erect builders' hoist.	100
Kohler Company	445 C street.	9	Install elevator.	3,700
George R. White Fund.	39 North Margin street.	5	Install elevator.	5,000
Freeman & Lawrence, agents,	12 Huntington avenue.	7	Erect fire-escape.	100
George W. Killam	158-160 West Newton street.	7	Erect fire-escape.	200
Joseph Andrews	394 West Broadway.	9	Alterations, store and dwelling.	3,000
Swift-McNutt Company	189 Humboldt avenue.	16	Take-down, garage.	500
John J. Sullivan	163 Washington Street North.	5	Take-down, tenements.	250
John J. Sullivan	7 Medford street.	5	Take-down, mercantile.	100
John J. Sullivan	9 Medford street.	5	Take-down, mercantile.	100
John J. Sullivan	11 Medford street.	5	Take-down, mercantile.	100

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 22 TO MAY 28.

MAY 22.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
James E. Burke.....	147 Charles street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$445
Edward Silberman.....	30 Chiswick road.....	25	New fixtures.....	4,000
Isaac Carlin.....	1360 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	20
M. J. Murphy.....	45 Bay State road.....	8	New fixtures.....	150
David H. Laue.....	2 Wyoming street.....	16	New fixtures.....	150
R. Hoffman.....	36 Woolson street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,150
John E. Heath.....	34 Winthrop street.....	4	New fixtures.....	600
Harry Kingsberg.....	16 Waumbek street.....	16	New fixtures.....	75
Andrew Granara.....	3112 and 3114 Washington st.....	15	New fixtures.....	475
E. I. Silberman.....	98 Strathmore road.....	25	New fixtures.....	4,000
E. M. Duggan.....	671 Shawmut avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	25
John F. McGloan.....	24 Pinekney street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,000
D. H. Nettles.....	94 Portland street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
Albert Roberts.....	156-162 Massachusetts ave.....	7	New fixtures.....	450
Samuel Barron.....	84 Maple street.....	16	New fixtures.....	1,500
John Mulcahy.....	12 Huckins street.....	12	New fixtures.....	300
H. Weiss.....	67 Esmond street.....	19	New fixtures.....	375
Edward McGrath.....	1310 Dorchester avenue.....	18	New fixtures.....	800
John A. Gerrity.....	56 Chiswick road.....	25	New fixtures.....	200
Edward Silberman.....	34 Chiswick road.....	25	New fixtures.....	4,000

MAY 23.

D. J. Seward McCurdy.....	2 Balmoral park.....	10	New fixtures.....	\$325
Orren C. Poole.....	224 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	4,000
Orren C. Poole.....	222 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	3,000
M. H. H. Collins.....	126 Calumet street.....	14	New fixtures.....	250
E. J. Farley.....	63 Centre street.....	15	New fixtures.....	400
Lorenzo Young.....	2257 Dorchester avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	195
W. J. Cook.....	777 East Fourth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	200
A. J. Hughes.....	46 Fairbanks street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,100
A. J. Hughes.....	48 Fairbanks street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,100
Ernest J. MacLeod.....	5 Highland place.....	15	New fixtures.....	90
Charles Baldwin.....	8 Highland street.....	15	New fixtures.....	75
P. H. McCormack.....	28 Lexington street.....	4	New fixtures.....	450
Orr Heating and Plumbing Company.....	568 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,500
John Edgerton.....	15 Oakland street.....	15	New fixtures.....	75
James H. Boyd.....	26 Pitts street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
J. E. Cassidy.....	164 St. Alphonsus street.....	14	New fixtures.....	2,700
Bernard Clancy.....	221 Tremont street.....	8	New fixtures.....	175
Samuel Gilman.....	512-518 Tremont street.....	6	New fixtures.....	850
B. A. MacDonald.....	3600 Washington street.....	22	New fixtures.....	250

MAY 24.

Schwehr & Co.....	429 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$600
A. M. Donoghue.....	381 Dorchester avenue.....	11	New fixtures.....	250
A. J. Weiss.....	145 and 147 Harrison ave.....	5	New fixtures.....	400
John J. Vogel.....	8 Lee Hill road.....	23	New fixtures.....	450
Alexander Campbell.....	38 Orchard street.....	12	New fixtures.....	250
Henry J. Gurl.....	18 and 20 Richards street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,200
J. E. Cassidy.....	30 and 32 Washington street.....	25	New fixtures.....	2,200
H. F. Rice.....	371 Washington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	600

MAY 26.

C. J. B. Boden.....	244 Savin Hill avenue.....	17	New fixtures.....	\$250
H. S. Trethewey.....	111 Birch street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,050
C. H. Cronin.....	1103 Boylston street.....	8	New fixtures.....	4,500
J. S. Cassidy.....	445 C street.....	9	New fixtures.....	1,200
A. E. Touchet, Inc.....	179 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	3,800
H. S. Trethewey.....	93 Florence street.....	23	New fixtures.....	988
A. E. Roberts.....	76 Fulton street.....	5	New fixtures.....	83
Charles King.....	238 Havre street.....	2	New fixtures.....	500

MAY 27.

B. Fliegelman.....	1208A Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$200
John J. Vogel.....	182 Boylston street.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,175
Albert N. Hird.....	80 Gustine street.....	20	New fixtures.....	500
John Edgerton.....	2727 Washington street.....	15	New fixtures.....	300
Powers & Mehegan Company.....	44 Rockwell street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,100
C. J. Murphy.....	27 and 29 Park street.....	4	New fixtures.....	75
Harry D. Pollard.....	2 Fredericka street.....	20	New fixtures.....	275
Louis H. Jacobs.....	68 Paul Gore street.....	15	New fixtures.....	490
Pagington Brothers.....	1803 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	400
O. J. Morlock.....	139 Wachusett street.....	24	New fixtures.....	800
W. F. Arkinson & Co.....	651 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	90
Edward J. Roach.....	41 Stillman road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
Patrick A. Foley.....	66 Robinwood avenue.....	22	New fixtures.....	600
Charles H. Hobson.....	120 Lanark road.....	25	New fixtures.....	3,000
Edward J. Roach.....	56 Jamaica street.....	22	New fixtures.....	400
William N. McKenna.....	224 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	100

MAY 28.

James O'Neil.....	21 Dover street.....	6	New fixtures.....	\$100
John F. Seannell.....	146 Boylston street.....	8	New fixtures.....	250
J. Henry Kurban.....	40 Dover street.....	6	New fixtures.....	600
John H. Adeock.....	365-369 Charles street.....	5	New fixtures.....	175
Abraham Kellm.....	203 Chambers street.....	5	New fixtures.....	175
W. P. Wilson Company.....	19 Russell street.....	3	New fixtures.....	500
J. B. Farnsworth Company.....	3 Province street.....	5	New fixtures.....	25,000
John R. Barrett.....	128 Pearl street.....	5	New fixtures.....	50
Jensen Plumbing Company.....	839 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	85
Charles W. Rittenhouse.....	408 Meridian street.....	1	New fixtures.....	800
M. T. Kelly.....	211 Gladstone street.....	1	New fixtures.....	700
P. F. Russo.....	1896 River street.....	24	New fixtures.....	200
Harry F. Nation.....	21 Arbutus street.....	21	New fixtures.....	2,000
P. F. Russo.....	151 Washington street.....	24	New fixtures.....	250
Thomas P. McCarthy.....	665 Boylston street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,600
James L. Walleston.....	32 Prince street.....	22	New fixtures.....	750
Albert R. Houghton.....	19 Elm street.....	22	New fixtures.....	25
John J. Vogel.....	6 Eastbourne street.....	23	New fixtures.....	380

JAPANESE THANK MAYOR AND ALL BOSTON CITIZENS FOR EARTHQUAKE RELIEF AID.

Mayor Curley received the following communication May 27:

YOKOHAMA CITY OFFICE.

YOKOHAMA, April 25, 1924.

DEAR SIR.—On behalf of the people of this city, with the vote of thanks of the City Assembly of Yokohama, I have the honor to express to you my profound gratitude for your various aids given to our destitute sufferers of the unprecedented calamity which overwhelmed the entire city of Yokohama on the first of September, last year.

The most prompt and timely relief forwarded here by your people and government have been great encouragement to facilitate rehabilitation and reconstruction of this city, and at present all of our people are eagerly engaged in their former occupations or new enterprises to upbuild greater and more prosperous city. And the port of Yokohama which was badly crippled as well as the city by that great earthquake and fire is recovering fast, and its capacity and facilities will be enlarged and improved for foreign trade and shipping.

As the Mayor of this city, I will be very much obliged if you kindly convey my sincere thanks to all of our friends in your city who were so kind to help us in time of great need, and inform them that their sympathy and generosity shown to us will be remembered by our people forever, and they have surely cemented the cordial relations existing between your country and Japan.

I avail of this opportunity to assure, your honor, my highest consideration.

K. WATANABE,
Mayor of Yokohama.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

B. E. Grant Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repaving West street, Bedford street, Shawmut avenue and Charles street. Items ordered: Regulate edgestone, recut and lay granite blocks with grout joints on a 6-inch Portland cement-concrete base and construct artificial stone sidewalks in Leverett street, from Charles street across Brighton street. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$9,000.

MAYOR CONGRATULATES RED SOX ON BASEBALL ACHIEVEMENT.

Mayor Curley on May 27 addressed the following telegram to Robert Quinn, President of the Boston American Baseball Club:

ROBERT QUINN, President, Boston American Baseball Club, Shibe Park, Philadelphia, Pa.:

I desire to congratulate you and every member of the Red Sox team upon your leadership of the American League race after the finest exhibition of winning baseball our city has known in many years. There is no better place for the World Series pennant than at Fenway Park where I feel assured we shall enjoy a splendid ceremony in October. May every possible success attend you and the team.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending May 24, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
776,783, United States Census estimate.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 169; nonresidents, 34; total,
203.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 13.63; nonresidents deducted,
11.34.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 15.98; corresponding week
last year, 13.07.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 21; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 11; sixty years and over, 76;
total deaths, male, 95; female, 108;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 109;
deaths of colored, 3.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 24, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 26, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	57	2	74	4
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	2	1
Influenza.....	—	—	—	1
Measles.....	183	1	270	2
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (bact.).....	48	8	14	4
Scarlet fever.....	81	2	117	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	40	13	38	9
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	13	5	10	2
Typhoid fever.....	1	—	4	—
Whooping cough.....	24	—	25	2

* Residents and nonresidents included.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the two weeks ending May 24:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
New York Building Wrecking Company.	Rear of 372 Chestnut Hill avenue.	25	Stable.....	New building.
New York Building Wrecking Company.	Rear of 372 Chestnut Hill avenue.	25	Dwelling.....	New building.
Jasper Stone.....	118 West Fourth street.....	9	Store-dwelling.....	Unsafe.
Mystic Building Wrecking Co.,	57 South street.....	22	Dwelling.....	New building.
John Fiorillo.....	26 Maverick street.....	2	Dwelling.....	
Central Building Wrecking Co.,	37, 49, 55 Harrishof street..	16	Sheds.....	New building.
Helen T. Mosely.....	62 St. James street.....	12	Shed.....	Unsafe.
Aetna Building Wrecking Co.,	264 Freeport street.....	20	Shed.....	Unsafe.
John T. Kelley.....	Rear of 534 Dudley street..	12	Storage.....	New building.
American Building Wrecking Co.,	280 and 282 Hancock street,	17	Dwelling.....	New building.
F. L. Taylor.....	Rear of 45 Centre street....	15	Stable.....	New building.
Central Building Wrecking Co.,	235 C street.....	9	Store.....	Unsafe.
Swift-McNutt Company.....	189 Humboldt avenue.....	16	Garage.....	New building.
John J. Sullivan.....	7, 9, 11 Medford street.....	5	Sheds, shops.....	New building.
John J. Sullivan.....	163 Washington Street North.	5	Tenement.....	New building.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

ELECTRICIAN, PUBLIC LIBRARY, JUNE 3.

The salary is \$40 per week. The duties of the position are to take charge of the book railway which is operated electrically and look after all the motors and lights used in the building. Applicants should have a license as electrician under the State Board of Electricians and be able to make repairs and replace broken parts of the book railway when necessary.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical

questions on the duties of the position 2; total, 5.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

INSTRUCTOR IN CLOTH MAKING (MALE),
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, MASSACHUSETTS REFORMATORY, JUNE 13, 1924.

The salary is \$1,900 per year. The duties of this position are to supervise the inmates on the carding machines and teach them the proper methods of running the machines.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical

questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

BLISTER RUST INSPECTOR (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, JUNE 13, 1924.

There are fifteen vacancies at a salary of \$4 to \$4.50 per day. The positions are for a period of six months. The work of a blister rust inspector involves the rendering of assistance to local property owners in the protection of areas of white pine against the attack of the fungous disease known as the white pine blister rust. Applicants should have a knowledge of the disease and methods of preventing its further spread.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT INVESTIGATOR,
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS, JUNE 14, 1924.

(Requisition is for a male but the examination is open to both males and females.)

The salary ranges from \$1,680 to \$2,160 per year. Applicants should be not less than thirty years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application. Applicants should have a high school education or its equivalent. It is desirable that applicants have at least five years' experience as a newspaper reporter or equivalent experience in investigating and reporting facts, and have a knowledge of the Workmen's Compensation Act and basic decisions.

The duties of the position are to report the facts in all cases involving injuries or death of employees, having in mind the law applicable thereto as determined by the Supreme Judicial Court of the Commonwealth.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

NURSERY INSPECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, DIVISION OF PLANT PEST CONTROL, JUNE 18, 1924.

The salary of this position is \$5 per day. The duties of this position are to inspect growing nursery stock, and importations of stock from other states and abroad. The inspector should have training in economic entomology and should be able to identify and name the common insect pests; be able to recom-

mend control measures; should be familiar with spraying and fumigation; identify the common trees and shrubs; identify the diseases that are likely to be found on fruit and shade trees and recommend measures for controlling them, and be able to identify and recommend control measures for garden as well as greenhouse pests.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, the oral interview and in general average, in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

POLICE SERVICE (MALE) CITIES AND TOWNS OUTSIDE OF BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, JUNE 21, 1924. BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, JUNE 28, 1924.

Applicants for the police service of Boston and Metropolitan Park are required to be not less than twenty five nor over thirty five years of age at the time of filing their applications and must be not less than 5 feet 8 inches in height in bare feet, and weigh not less than 135 pounds without clothing.

Applicants for Metropolitan Park police service must be able to swim and will be given practical tests in swimming.

Applicants for service in the cities and towns outside of Boston are required to be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height, not less than 135 pounds without clothing, and not less than twenty one nor over forty years of age at the time of filing applications, except in those cities which have provided for the retirement of police officers by pension under statute, in which cases applicants shall be not less than twenty one nor over thirty five years of age.

The subjects of examination with their weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; report, 1; practical questions 4; total, 10. Applicants must obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions in order to become eligible. Successful applicants will also be required to pass a physical examination and strength tests. Educational qualifications, 1; physical qualifications, 1; total, 2.

The practical questions will be based upon information contained in a manual, known as the "Blue Book." This manual may be obtained from the Secretary of State, Room 118, State House, at ten cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Persons who possess the requisite qualifications as to age, height, and weight may have their names placed on any three eligible lists in addition to the original list for which they apply. Preference in certification will be given to applicants who, at the time of certification, have been domiciled for six months in the city or town from which requisition is received.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Commissioner of Public Works for authority to repair macadam roadway in Ceylon street, from Quincy street to Bird street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$1,100.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works to repair macadam roadway in Renfrew street, from Harrison avenue to Eustis street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$1,100.

The Mayor has granted permission to the Public Works Commissioner to make repairs and alterations by cutting plank-ing, driving piles, etc., to the south pier, South Ferry, East Boston, employing W. H. Ellis & Son Company, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$1,500.

Also to make repairs to the middle pier, South Ferry, Boston, by pulling up piles, redriving some old ones, driving new ones, chaining head clump, etc., employing Rendle Stoddard Contracting Company, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$1,500.

BOARD RESCINDS ORDER TO CHANGE NAME BROADWAY.

The Mayor has approved the following order of the Board of Street Commissioners:

That the order of this Board of February 19, 1924, approved by the Mayor March 3, 1924, changing the name of the public way known as East Broadway, South Boston district, from Dorchester street to Farragut road, and the name of the public way known as West Broadway, South Boston district, from Dorchester avenue to Dorchester street, be and the same hereby is rescinded.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Mayor has approved the following order of the Board of Street Commissioners:

That, in the matter of Alice J. Whittemore, petitioner for damages on account of taking made for school purposes on Florence street, West Roxbury, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of May 2, 1923, after consultation with the Law Department, and on its advice, the Board assesses the petitioner's damages in the sum of \$20,000 flat; and consents that the Corporation Counsel agree to judgment in said case on the terms herein stated.

William H. Gilson, administrator of the estate of Celia A. Gilson, has agreed to accept the sum of \$9,100 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to her estate at 59 East Concord street, by the taking made for hospital purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of August 2, 1923.

Isabelle E. McLaughlin has agreed to accept the sum of \$4,000 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to her estate on 29 Medford street by the taking of said estate for playground purposes, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of June 16, 1923.

Delia Martin, by Thomas F. Martin, has agreed to accept the sum of \$1,200 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to her estate on Ashland

street by the widening of said street, under the order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor of December 14, 1921; it being agreed that any assessments upon said property for said widening shall be assumed by the City of Boston.

MAYOR CURLEY FLAYS SENATOR LODGE.

Using as his theme the present criticism of Henry Cabot Lodge by Republicans, Mayor Curley, in a speech at the banquet of the Democratic members of the Legislature Monday night bitterly arraigned the Senator for opposing the Wilson League of Nations and now proposing his own scheme for a world court, which he described as a thin cloak of shoddy to cover the beautiful idealism of the late President.

He also attacked Senator Lodge as being selfish and "as one individual who could not permit himself to shine in the reflected glory of another."

In the absence of Senator David I. Walsh, announced as the principal speaker at the banquet of Democratic legislators at the City Club, the Mayor predicted glorious victory for the party in the November election.

Senator Walsh sent a telegram that the possibility of action on the proposed increase in compensation for postal employees made it impossible for him to leave Washington.

The Mayor was given an enthusiastic reception by the legislators on his arrival and at the conclusion of his speech.

MAYOR HONOR GUEST AT TWO RECEPTIONS.

Mayor and Mrs. Curley were guests Monday at two receptions held in their honor in Roxbury, one by the Ward 14 Democratic Women's Club at the Girls' Normal School and the other at the High School of Practical Arts, Greenville street, Roxbury.

The need of registration of all men and women of the Democratic party if they wish to control the city, was emphasized by the Mayor to the women of Ward 14.

At the Practical Arts High School he reviewed his present administration in office.

LIGHTING SERVICE, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Total lamps, January 1, 1923, 20,133, or 10,260 electric and 9,873 gas, the electric consisting of 5,517 magnetite arc and 4,743 tungsten incandescent, including 3,349 of 40 c. p., 1,329 of 60 c. p., 21 of 100 c. p., 25 of 200 c. p., 8 of 250 c. p., and 11 of 500 c. p.; the gas, 9,730 single mantle and 143 open flame. Increase over 1922: 101 arc lamps, 32 tungsten incandescent, and 17 gas (single mantle). Total miles of public and private streets and alleys, also park roads lighted, 907.64 (approx.). Cost of electric lighting for year 1922, \$514,579 or \$9,858 more than in 1921; of gas-lighting, \$206,484 or \$173 decrease. Under existing 10-year electric lighting contract, expiring in 1924, price of the magnetite arc lamps, multiple, \$87.52, series, \$79.60. Cost per year of single mantle 60 c. p. gas lamps, \$21; of 40 c. p. tungsten incandescent multiple, \$18.33; series, \$15.92; 60 c. p. tungsten incandescent multiple, \$21.14; series \$11.28; of 100 c. p. multiple, \$33.43, of 200 c. p., series, \$63.28; of 500 c. p. tungsten incandescent multiple, \$84.08.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

May 5, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6.35 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of the meeting of Mar. 24, 1924, on pages 41-42, were amended to provide that the assignment of Rose H. Riley, assistant, Eliot District, to a class attended exclusively by boys in a grade above the third, shall read to take effect Mar. 6, 1922, instead of "Nov. 6, 1922."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

APPROVAL OF COURSE IN MASONRY, BOSTON TRADE SCHOOL, EVENING CLASSES.

A communication was received from Robert O. Small, Director, Division of Vocational Education, notifying the School Committee of the approval in advance, of the course in Masonry at Boston Trade School, Evening Classes.

Placed on file.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the deaths of the following-named teachers:

Chapman District—Irene K. M. Crowley, assistant, Apr. 20, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Helen F. Burgess, assistant, Apr. 17, 1924.

Washington-Allston District—Elmer E. Sherman, sub-master, Apr. 14, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Katherine M. Mahoney, teacher of sewing, Apr. 19, 1924.

Placed on file.

The Superintendent also reported the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Bowditch District—Elizabeth L. Stodder, Apr. 13, 1924.

Franklin District—Margaret J. T. Crosby, Apr. 13, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Margaret McDonald, teacher of sewing, Apr. 15, 1924; Esther C. Povah, teacher of sewing, Mar. 22, 1924.

Placed on file.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Abraham Lincoln District—John J. Connors, Apr. 21, 1924 (one day).

Bennett District—Grace R. Jerard, Apr. 3 to 4, 1924 (two days); Florence Williams, Apr. 7, 1924 (one day).

Chapman District—Helen R. Donohue, Apr. 21, 1924.

Christopher Gibson District—Kathryn McGovern, Apr. 1, 1924; Esther Shannon, Apr. 2 to 4, 1924 (two and one-half days); Clara M. Dorr, Apr. 7, 1924 (one day).

Dearborn District—Alice K. Desmond, Apr. 28, 1924.

Dillaway District—Florence B. Crowell, Apr. 1, 1924.

Dudley District—Elizabeth M. Forman, kindergarten, Apr. 1, 1924.

Eliot District—Marion E. Clink, Apr. 25, 1924 (one day); Edwin M. Shannon, Apr. 28, 1924.

Everett District—Daisy B. Moulton, Apr. 2 to 4, 1924 (three days).

Franklin District—Lucy E. Wright, Apr. 30, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Isabel Connelly, Apr. 2, 11, 1924 (two days); Doris E. Jennings, Apr. 21, 1924 (one day); Charles J. Cronin, Apr. 22, 1924.

Horace Mann School—Doris K. Eastman, Apr. 8 to 11, 1924 (four days); Doris K. Eastman, Apr. 28, 1924.

Jefferson-Comins District—Mary I. McKay, Apr. 3, 1924 (one day); Mary S. Mallahan, Apr. 4, 1924 (one day); Lawrence Siegel, Apr. 7, 1924 (one day); Emily V. White, Apr. 8 to 11, 1924 (four days); Carolyn A. Shea, Apr. 21 to 25, 1924 (five days).

John Marshall District—Isabel Shattuck, Apr. 9 to 11, 1924 (two and one-half days).

Martin District—Maud T. Bailey, Apr. 1, 1924 (one-half day); Helen M. Delaney (Robert Breck Brigham Hospital), Apr. 29, 1924.

Mary Hemenway District—Anna Brenner, Apr. 21, 1924.

Mather District—Maryalice Devoe, Apr. 30, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Eleanor C. Reid, Apr. 9 to 11, 1924 (three days).

Thomas Gardner District—Doris K. Eastman, Apr. 21 to 25, 1924 (five days).

Thomas N. Hart District—Helen R. Murray, Apr. 28, 1924.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Ethel B. Otto, special class, Apr. 7 to 11, 1924 (five days); Clara M. Dorr, special class, Apr. 22, 1924.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Francis E. Falvey, Apr. 2 to 4, 1924 (three days).

Washington Allston District—Maryalice Devoe, Apr. 10, 1924 (one day); Philip J. Dwyer, Apr. 21, 1924.

Wells District—Hannah D. Levy, Apr. 1, 1924; Maud T. Bailey, special class, Apr. 3, 1924 (one day).

William E. Endicott District—Margaret Lynch, Apr. 23, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Eleanor C. Fee, kindergarten, Apr. 28, 1924 (one day).

Day School for Immigrants—Alice L. Devery, Apr. 21, 1924; Kathleen V. Martin, Apr. 28, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Dorchester High School—Frank L. Alciere, assistant, Apr. 7 to 9, 1924 (three days); John J. Hoban, assistant, Apr. 21 to 22, 1924 (two days).

Girls' High School—Grace A. Evans, assistant, Apr. 22, 1924 (one day); Frank L. Alciere, assistant, Apr. 30, 1924.

High School of Commerce—Edwin L. Crowley, assistant, Apr. 22, 1924 (one day); Thomas O. Giles, assistant, Apr. 22, 1924 (one day).

High School of Practical Arts—Rosalynde Hammons, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—John

J. May, assistant, Apr. 3 to 4, 1924 (two days); Grace A. Evans, assistant, Apr. 28, 1924.

Washington Allston District—John W. Ryan, sub-master, Apr. 21, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Alberta T. Thomas, teacher of cookery, Apr. 8 to 11, 1924 (four days); Eva L. Jordan, teacher of cookery, Apr. 21 to 22, 1924 (one and one-half days); Beatrice Fickett, teacher of sewing, Apr. 21, 1924.

Placed on file.

Continuation School—John R. Gillen, toolkeeper, Apr. 28, 1924.

Approved.

APPOINTMENT.

(By Promotion.)

Jamaica Plain High School—Katherine French, assistant (physical training) from assistant instructor, physical training, April 8, 1924.

Laid over.

GARDENING

Season of 1924.

Supervisors—Catherine T. Hunt, Mary A. Leary, Henry G. Wendler.

Garden Teachers—Ella L. Bresnahan, Grace M. Broaders, Josephine Broderick, Mary J. Carroll, A. Elizabeth Crowell, Marietta H. Delaney, Anna H. Donnelly, Helen M. Gidney, Kathryn Holland, L. Gertrude Howes, Alice L. Kenney, Frances Keyes, Katherine Kenney, Esther Larson, Marion Leary, Anna Lyons, Agnes J. Martin, Virginia McKillop, Frances B. Mea, Bertha Pierce, Florence Ridlon, Edith Rodgers, Frances Rodgers, Mary E. Roome, Rita Sherry, Viola Soelle, Edith I. Swanson, Stella F. Thomas, Ellen Watts, Helen Wilkinson.

Garden Assistants—Margaret L. Cosgrove, Marguerite G. Crowley, M. Olive Duval, Grace E. Holbrook, Marion Hughes, Ruth G. Hunt, Helen G. Keefe, Anna L. Kelly, Helen MacNeil, Florence Magner, Margaret McHugh, Mildred R. Sargent, Mary Tierney, Isabelle A. Timmins.

Assistants in School Gardens—Marjorie Crimmings, Elizabeth Curran, Marion Foley, Agnes McNulty, Sibyl U. Murphy, Emily J. Wall.

Approved.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Extension of Term 1923-24.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Joseph E. Lynch as acting principal in the Bigelow Evening School (Extension of the term 1923-1924) is hereby authorized to take effect May 1, 1924, and that he be paid for his services at the rate of six dollars (\$6) per evening.

Eliot Evening School—Abigail A. Scannell, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924.

Franklin Evening School—Leonora E. Scolley, assistant, Apr. 28, 1924 (one evening).

Approved.

EXTENDED USE OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Term 1923-24.

Helper—Margaret Gallagher, Mar. 1, 1924.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Mary Elizabeth Doherty, Mary Eunice Doherty, Minna Rosen.

Approved.

TRANSFER.

Comins Evening School—Mabel F. Dunn, assistant, to the same position

in the Franklin Evening School, Apr. 21, 1924.

Approved.

ATTENDANTS, DAY SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS.

Dorothy W. Conway, Apr. 30, 1924; Muriel R. McKeever, Apr. 21, 1924.

Approved.

ATTENDANTS, SCHOOL LUNCHES.

Franklin District (Wait School)—E. Hazel Fay, Apr. 2, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion, the leave of absence granted to Mary L. Bradley, assistant, Robert Gould Shaw District, for Mar. 10, 1924, one-half day, funeral, at the meeting of Apr. 7, 1924 (p. 51), is hereby rescinded.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

The Teachers College of the City of Boston—Mary C. Shute, first assistant, head of department, May 5 to 9, 1924, five days, without loss of pay, (to attend and participate in convention of International Kindergarten Union, Minneapolis).

Hyde Park High School—Ruby G. Allen, assistant, May 15, 16, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to attend convention of Eastern Arts Association); Andrew J. Leahy, co-operative instructor, May 15, 16, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to attend convention of Eastern Arts Association).

Jamaica Plain High School—Caroline W. Trask, first assistant, head of department, Apr. 9, 1924, one day, funeral.

Roxbury High School—Roy E. Moar, assistant, from Apr. 1 to 30, 1924.

Boston Trade School—Ethel M. Wykes, clerical assistant, Apr. 21, 1924, one day, without pay.

Trade School for Girls—Marie E. Jobin, trade assistant, Apr. 25 to 30, 1924, four days, without pay; Marie E. Jobin, trade assistant, May 15, 16, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to attend convention of Eastern Arts Association); Sarah G. McGee, helper, from Mar. 28 to Apr. 30, 1924.

Continuation School—Louise C. Keyes, assistant, Apr. 7, 1924 (one day, without pay); Julia R. O'Brien, assistant, Apr. 23, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Abraham Lincoln District—Alice T. McNamara, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924, one day, without pay; Theresa G. O'Brien, assistant, Apr. 4, and 8, 1924, one and one-half days, without pay; Helen Wilson, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Bennett District—Bernice A. Hill, first assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Blackinton—John Cheverus District—Ruth N. Kenney, assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 2, 1924, one day, without pay; Catherine E. McCarthy, master's assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Eliza L. Osgood, first assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 2, 1924, one day, without pay.

Chapman District—Irene K. M. Crowley, assistant, from Apr. 1 to 19, 1924.

Charles Sumner District—Josie E. Evans, assistant, Apr. 22, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Dillaway District—Helen R. Pengilly, assistant, Apr. 22, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Elliot District—Margaret A. Foley, first assistant in charge, Apr. 21, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Margaret A. Foley, first assistant in charge, Apr. 28, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Everett District—Marie O. Day, assistant, Apr. 2 and 7, 1924, one-half day each, without pay; Annie H. Gardner, assistant, from May 7 to June 19, 1924; Bertha L. Mulloney, master's assistant, Apr. 1, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Franklin District—Anna M. Hooke, assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 2, 1924, one day, without pay.

Hancock District—Gertrude E. Bigelow, master, Apr. 25, 1924, one day, funeral; Mary W. O'Brien, assistant, Apr. 23, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Gertrude A. Coffey, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Horace Mann School for the Deaf—Grace D. Hall, assistant, from Apr. 21 to 30, 1924.

Hyde District—Arvilla T. Harvey, master's assistant, from Apr. 1 to 30, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Hannah E. McDonough, assistant, May 15, 16, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to attend convention of Eastern Arts Association).

Lewis Intermediate District—Marie G. Hassett, assistant, Apr. 30, 1924, one day, wedding.

Longfellow District—Margaret E. O'Connor, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924, one day, funeral.

Lowell District—Gerardine A. Hagerty, instructor, special class, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Mary Hemenway District—Mary W. Foley, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Mary Polk, first assistant, grammar, from Apr. 1 to 30, 1924.

Oliver Hazard Perry District—Florence N. Creed, assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 4, 1924, one day, funeral.

Phillips Brooks District—Mary L. McNamara, assistant, Apr. 9, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Irene H. Walsh, assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 22, 1924, one day, court summons.

Quincy District—Mary A. Geary, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Grace H. Smith, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Roger Wolcott District—Genevieve C. Grass, assistant, Apr. 28, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Sherwin District—Katherine E. Hurley, assistant, Apr. 23, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Mary N. Regan, assistant, Apr. 22, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Shurtleff District—Rose A. Carrigan, master, Apr. 28, 29, 1924, two days, without pay.

Theodore Lyman District—Helen E. Burns, assistant, Apr. 30, 1924, one day, wedding.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Helen E. Freeman, assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 2, 1924, one day, without pay; Helen E. Freeman, assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 21, 1924, one day, court summons.

Thomas Gardner District—Etta G. Clarke, assistant, Apr. 21 to 30, 1924, eight days, without pay; Maria E. Rick, instructor, special class, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Helen M. Sughrue, assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 2, 1924, one day, without pay.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Mary T. Laughlin, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924, one day, without pay.

Washington District—Jessie M. Baker, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Theresa E. Fraser, master's assistant, Apr. 9 and 30, 1924, two days, without pay.

Washington Allston District—Louise A. Keeler, assistant, Apr. 1 to 11, 1924, nine days; Margareta M. Muldoon, assistant, from Apr. 1 to 30, 1924; Eleanor L. Sullivan, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Wendell Phillips District—Susan A. McKenna, assistant, Apr. 21, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Gertrude G. O'Brien, assistant, Apr. 30, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

William E. Endicott District—Marie E. Murray, assistant, Apr. 23, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

William E. Russell District—Murray H. Ballou, master, Apr. 9, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Lillie M. M. Loughlin, assistant, Apr. 30, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Florence Herbsman, assistant, from June 1 to 19, 1924; Willa E. Wingate, assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 21, 1924, one day, without pay.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Marion A. Driscoll, teacher of sewing, from Apr. 15 to May 2, 1924, Mary F. Dutton, teacher of sewing, Apr. 24, 25, 1924, two days, without pay; Mary A. Geary, teacher of cookery, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Helen MacNeil, trade assistant, Apr. 8, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Agnes E. McDonald, teacher of sewing, Apr. 21, 1924, one-half day, wedding; Beatrice McGovern, teacher of cookery, Apr. 21, 1924, one day, without pay.

Department of Manual Arts—Sarah M. Aldrich, assistant instructor in manual training, May 15, 16, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to attend convention of Eastern Arts Association); Mabel E. Bemis, assistant instructor in manual training, Apr. 28, 1924, one day, without pay; Ella L. Bresnehan, assistant instructor in manual training, May 15 and 16, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to attend convention of Eastern Arts Association); Delia E. Donahue, assistant instructor in manual training, Apr. 30, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Olive I. Harris, instructor, manual training, Apr. 25, 1924, one day, funeral.

Department of Medical Inspection—Frances A. Burnham, school nurse, Apr. 26, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Jennie R. Dix, school nurse, Apr. 26, 1924, one-half day, without loss of pay (to attend state convention of A. U. S. W. V.); Anna B. McCue, school nurse, Apr. 22, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Ethel S. Fletcher, vocational assistant, Apr. 18, 1924, one-half day, without loss of pay (vacation); Susan J. Ginn, director, Apr. 18 to 25, 1924, six days, without loss of pay (vacation); Thomas D. Ginn, vocational instructor, Apr. 15 to 21, 1924, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Bessie MacBride, vocational assistant, Apr. 7 and 14 to 18, 1924, six days, without loss of pay (vacation); Eleanor J. O'Brien, vocational assistant, Apr. 28 to May 2, 1924, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Mercedes E. O'Brien, vocational assistant, Apr. 7 and 14 to 18, 1924, six days, without loss of pay (vacation); Margaret M. Sallaway, vocational assistant, Apr. 14 to 18, 1924, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Irving O. Scott, vocational instructor, Apr. 15 to 18, 1924, four days, without loss of pay (vacation); Abigail D. Steere, vocational assistant, Apr. 2, one-half day, and Apr. 14 to 18, 1924, five and one-half days, without loss of pay (vacation); Henry Wisansky, vocational instructor, Apr. 18 and 22 to 28, 1924, six days, without loss of pay (vacation).

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence for study,

study and travel, or rest, was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

High School of Commerce—Gertrude M. Hall, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for study.

High School of Practical Arts—Amy L. Burbank, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for rest.

Charles Sumner District—Louise M. Cottle, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for rest.

Lewis Intermediate District—Katherine M. Schubarth, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for study.

Department of Manual Arts—Fannie B. Prince, assistant instructor in manual training, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for study and travel.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Nida F. Vesper, teacher of sewing, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for rest.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Roxbury High School—Roy E. Moorar, assistant, from May 1 to June 30, 1924, without pay.

Trade School for Girls—Sarah G. McGee, helper, from May 1 to June 19, 1924, without pay.

Norcross District—Helen T. Noonan, assistant, from Apr. 1 to June 19, 1924, without pay.

DESIGNATION OF A TEACHER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 5, 1924, reporting the following designation of a teacher, to serve in the position indicated, until such time as it shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations:

Bowdoin District—Catherine E. O'Mara, assistant, as acting first assistant in charge (vice Sarah E. Brown, absent on leave), Apr. 21, 1924.

Placed on file.

ASSIGNMENT OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 5, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board he has assigned Anna M. Rogers, helper, Trade School for Girls, to the special class in the Ulysses S. Grant District, without change of rank or salary, said assignment to take effect May 12, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1924, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file, and the assignment approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 5, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Mary L. Thurston, assistant, Eliot District, to special classes, John Marshall District, without change of rank or salary, said assignment to take effect Apr. 28, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1924, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file, and the assignment approved.

RETIREMENT ON PENSION.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the following-named person be retired on pension

in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908, as amended by Chapter 617 of the Acts of 1910, Chapter 569 of the Acts of 1912, and Chapter 304 of the Special Acts of 1915, the date of retirement and rate of pension to be as herein-after specified:

Chapman District—Catherine F. Atwood—Length of service 29 yrs. 1 mo.—Apr. 30, 1924—\$580.

Passed, a majority of the Board voting in the affirmative.

ATTENDANCE AT ANNUAL MEETING OF EASTERN ARTS ASSOCIATION.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to grant leave of absence, without loss of pay, on May 15 and 16, 1924, for attendance at the annual meeting of the Eastern Arts Association at Atlantic City, N. J., to not more than six teachers and members of the supervising staff whose subjects are included in the program of the Eastern Arts Association, provided such leave is recommended by the principal or director concerned.

COMPENSATION OF SUBSTITUTE TEACHER, FORT STRONG SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be allowed and paid to Joanna B. Galvin compensation at the rate of six dollars (\$6.) per day for service as substitute for the regular teacher at the Fort Strong School on April 10, 1924, one day.

EMPLOYMENT OF SUBSTITUTE TEACHER OF PHYSICAL TRAINING, EAST BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Matilda E. Cogan, substitute teacher of physical training in the East Boston High School, is hereby authorized on Thursday, May 15, 1924, upon which day the field day for the girls will be held.

EMPLOYMENT OF EXAMINERS OF OUTSIDE STUDY IN MUSIC.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of examiners in connection with the granting of diploma credit for outside study in applied music to pupils in the day high and day intermediate schools is hereby authorized at an expense not to exceed four hundred fifty dollars (\$450.); and provided that no examiner shall receive compensation in excess of seventy-five dollars (\$75) for such services.

PAYMENT OF SALARIES DUE AT DEATH.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due Irene K. M. Crowley, late assistant, Chapman District, be paid to her father, Michael H. Crowley.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due Eimer E. Sherman, late Sub-master,

Washington Allston District, be paid to his widow, Helen S. Sherman.

HALL FOR CLASS DAY AND GRADUATION EXERCISES, HYDE PARK HIGH SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners is hereby requested to secure the use of the hall in Municipal Building, Hyde Park, for the class day exercises of the Hyde Park High School, on Wednesday afternoon, June 4, 1924; and for the graduation exercises of the Hyde Park High School on Thursday morning, June 19, 1924.

AUTHORIZED LIST OF TEXT AND SUPPLEMENTARY BOOKS.

The Superintendent offered the following seventeen orders authorizing changes in and additions to the authorized list of text and supplementary books:

1. ORDERED, That the following-named books are hereby authorized for use as text books as indicated:

CIVICS-HISTORY-GEOGRAPHY

Bishop, Avard Longley and Keller, Albert Galloway. Industry and Trade. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1918. Grade VIII. ....net	\$1.05
Forman, S. E. The American Democracy. The Century Co. cpt. 1920. Grades X, XI, XII. ....net	1.40
Long, Joseph Ragland. Government and the People. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1922. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. ....net	1.28
Morgan, DeWitt S. Living and Working Together. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1923. Grade IX. ....net	.80
Turkington, Grace A. Community Civics. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1923. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. ....net	1.05
Woodburn, James Albert and Moran, Thomas Francis. The American Community. Longmans, Green & Co. cpt. 1924. Grade IX. ....net	1.18
Bourne, Henry Eldridge, and Benton, Elbert Jay. Story of America and Great Americans. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1923. Grades VI, VII. ....net	.80
Corson, David B. and Cornish, Hubert R. Founders of Freedom in America. Hinds, Hayden & Eldredge, Inc. cpt. 1922. Grades VI, VII, VIII. ....net	.84
Hunt, Albert Bushnell. We and Our History. The American Viewpoint Society, Inc. cpt. 1923. Grades VII, VIII. ....net	1.35
Southworth, A. T. The Common Sense of the Constitution. Allyn and Bacon, cpt. 1924. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. ....net	.45
Woodburn, James A. and Moran, Thomas F. The Makers of America. Longmans, Green & Co. cpt. 1922. Grades VI, VII, VIII. ....net	.77
Carpenter, Frank G. Carpenter's New Geographical Reader, Africa. American Book Co. cpt. 1924. Grades VI, VII, VIII. ....net	.75
Fairgrieve, James and Young Ernest. Children of Many Lands. (Human Geography by Grades—Book One). D. Appleton & Co. cpt. 1923. Grade IV. ....net	.57½
Fairgrieve, James and Young, Ernest. Homes Far Away. (Human Geography by Grades—Book Two). D. Appleton & Co. cpt. 1923. Grade V. ....net	.64
Redway, Jacques W. Geography, Commercial and Industrial. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1923. Grade VIII. ....net	1.37½
Whitbeck, R. H. High School Geography. The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1922. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. ....net	1.50

COMMERCIAL

Admire, Harry F. Progressive Typewriting. The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1923. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. ....net	1.20
Cahill, Mary F. assisted by Ruggeri, Agnes C. Office Practice. The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1917. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. ....net	1.05
Harned, William E. Typewriting Studies. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1923. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. ....net	1.05
Neal, E. Virgil and Moore, John H. Modern Illustrative Banking. American Book Co. cpt. 1904. Grades XI, XII. ....net	.68

Lapp, John A. Economics and the Community. Ill. The Century Co. 1922. Grades IX, X, XI, XII.	1.40
Splawn, W. M. W. and Bizzell, W. B. Introduction to the Study of Economics. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1923. Grades XI, XII.	1.29
ENGLISH.	
Adams, Sherred Wilcox. Five Little Friends. Ill. The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1922. Grades II, III.	.80
Arcott, Louisa M. Little Women, school ed. Ill. Little, Brown & Co. cpt. 1913. Grades VI, VII.	.68
Amicis, Edmondo de. The Heart of a Boy (Cuore). Trans. by Sophie Jewett. Rand McNally & Co. cpt. 1912. Grades V, VI.	.64
Ball, Francis Kingsley. Constructive English. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1923. Grades IX, X, XI, XII.	.96
Boas, Ralph, Philip and Hahn, Barbara M. Social Backgrounds of English Literature. The Atlantic Monthly Press. cpt. 1923. Grades XI, XII.	1.32
Puhlig, Rose. Junior English. D. C. Heath & Co. Book I. cpt. 1923. Grade VII.	.768
Book II. cpt. 1923. Grade VIII.	.768
Book III. cpt. 1923. Grade IX.	.768
Burke's Speech on Conciliation with America, ed. by Howard Bement. F. M. Ambrose & Co. cpt. 1922. Grades XI, XII.	.39
Burke's Speech on Conciliation with America, ed. by Edwin L. Miller. J. B. Lippincott Co. cpt. 1920. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. cloth	.48
Burns' Life and Poems ed. by Edwin L. Miller. J. B. Lippincott Co. cpt. 1923. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. cloth.	.48
Buswell, Guy Thomas and Wheeler, William H. The Silent Reading Hour. Third Reader. Wheeler Publishing Co. cpt. 1923. Grade V.	.65
Churchill, Winston. Richard Carvel. ed. by H. G. Paul. The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1923. Grades IX, X, XI, XII.	.38
Clarke, Richard A. Paul in Picture Land. Ill. Little, Brown & Co. cpt. 1923. Grades III, IV.	.60
Cobb, Bertha B. and Cobb, Ernest. Clematis. Ill. The Arlo Publishing Co. cpt. 1917. Grade III.	.60
Coe, Ida and Dillon, Alice Christie. Story Hour. Readers Revised. American Book Co.	.45
Primer. Ill. cpt. 1923. Grade I. net	.45
Book I. Ill. cpt. 1923. Grade I. net	.54
Book II. cpt. 1923. Grades II, III.	.57
Book III. cpt. 1923. Grades III, IV.	.64
Colodi, O. Pinocchio. Trans. from the Italian. ed. by Sidney G. Firman. The John C. Winston Co. cpt. 1923. Grades IV, V.	.64
Cowan, Esther Marshall, Betz, Annette, and Charters, W. W. Essential Language Habits. Silver, Burdett & Co.	.57
Book I, cpt. 1923. Grade IV.	.60
Book II, cpt. 1923. Grade V, VI. net	.72
Book III. cpt. 1923. Grades VII, VIII.	1.024
Davis, John W. Modern Readings, Silent and Oral. D. C. Heath & Co.	1.024
Book I. cpt. 1923. Grades VII, VIII, IX.	.56
Book II. cpt. 1923. Grades VIII, IX.	.64
Deffendall, P. H. Junior English Course. Little, Brown & Co.	.75
Book I. cpt. 1923. Grades VII, VIII.	.66
Book II. cpt. 1923. Grade IX. net	.45
DeMille, A. B. ed. American Poetry. Allyn & Bacon. cpt. 1923. Grades VII, VIII, IX.	1.19
Dressel, Herman, Robbins, May, and Graff, Ellis U. The New Barnes Readers. Ill. Book Four. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1921. Grade V.	.63
Dunn, Fannie Wyche, Baker, Franklin T. and Thorndike, Ashley H. Everyday Classics. Primer. Ill. The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1922.	.48
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Grades IV, V, VI.net	.45
Fifth Year Music. cpt. 1917.	
Grades VII, VIII.net	.45
Dunn, Hollis, Junior Songs. American Book Co. cpt. 1924. rev. ed.	
Grades VII, VIII, IX. ....net	.75
Towner, Earl and Hesser, Ernest. Glee and Chorus Book for Male Voices. Silver, Burdett & Co. cpt. 1921. rev. ed. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. ....net	.90
SCIENCE	
Black, N. Henry. Laboratory Experiments in Practical Physics to accompany the rev. ed. of Black and Davis' "Practical Physics." The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1923. Grades X, XI, XII. ....net	.75
Hessler, John O. The First Year of Science. Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co. cpt. 1915. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. ....net	1.218
Higgins, Lethrop D. Introductory Physics. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1923. Grades X, XI, XII. ....net	1.11
SPANISH	
Azorin, Les Confesiones de un Pequeno Filosofo, ed. by Louis Imbert. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1923. Grades X, XI, XII. ....net	.71
Perez Escrich, Enrique. Fortuna. Tony. ed. by M. A. DeVitis. Allyn & Bacon. cpt. 1922. Grades VIII, IX. ....net	.60
Ford, Elizabeth C. and Ford, J. D. M. ed. Spanish Fables in Verse. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1918. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. ....net	.61
Hills, Elijah Clarence and Morley, S. Griswold, ed. Modern Spanish Lyrics. Henry Holt & Co. cpt. 1913. Grades X, XI, XII. ....net	.992
Jimenez, Juan Ramon. Platero y yo. ed. by Gertrude M. Walsh, with a critical introduction by Federico de Onis. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1922. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. ....net	.68
Romera-Navarro, M. Historia de Espana. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1923. Grades X, XI, XII.net	1.12
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2. ORDERED, That the following named books are hereby authorized for use as text books in the Trade School for Girls:	
Center, Stella Stewart. Workaday English. The Century Co. cpt. 1923. ....net	\$.72
Davis, Nettie Stewart. Vocational Arithmetic for Girls. Bruce Publishing Co. cpt. 1920. ....net	\$.56
Jenks, Jeremiah Whipple, and Smith, Rufus Daniel. We and Our Government. The American Viewpoint Society. cpt. 1922. ....net	\$ 1.05
Johnson, Joseph French. We and Our Work. The American Viewpoint Society Inc. cpt. 1923.net	\$ 1.55
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3. ORDERED, That the following named books are hereby authorized for use as text books in evening elementary schools:	
Boas, Ralph Philip, and Boas, Louise Schutz. Leading Facts for New Americans. American Book Co. cpt. 1923. ....net	\$.51
Castle, A. W. Reader and Guide for New Americans, The Macmillan Co. Book I, cpt. 1923. ....net	\$.75
Book II, cpt. 1923. ....net	\$.90
Cohen, I David. The Gateway to English. Rand McNally & Co. cpt. 1920. ....net	\$.80
Goldberger, Henry H. America for Coming Citizens. Ill. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1922. ....net	\$.80
Goldberger, Henry H. Second Book in English for Coming Citizens. Ill. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1921.net	\$.80
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4. ORDERED, That the following named books are hereby authorized for use as text books in the Horace Mann School:	
Beattie, G. M. The Story of America for Young Americans. The American School for the Deaf, cpt. 1917. net \$7.75 per dozen, single copy \$.75.	
Crane, John E. Bits of History. The American School for the Deaf, cpt. 1890. net \$7.80 per dozen, single copy \$.70.	

Hammond, Ida V., comp. Story Reader. The American School for the Deaf.

No. 1, cpt. 1893, net \$3.84 per dozen, single copy \$.40.

No. 2, printed 1915, net \$4.20 per dozen, single copy \$.40.

Jenkins, W. G. Talks and Stories. The American School for the Deaf. cpt. 1888. net \$6.00 per dozen, single copy -.60.

Kellogg, Jane Bartlett, comp. Stories for Language Study. The American School for the Deaf. cpt. 1896. net \$4.20 per dozen, single copy \$.40.

Sweet, Caroline C. First Lessons in English for the Deaf. The American School for the Deaf.

Book I, 1915 rev. cpt. 1915. net \$4.80 per dozen, single copy \$.40.

Book II, 1916, rev. cpt. 1916. net \$4.80 per dozen, single copy \$.40.

Book III, 1916 rev. cpt. 1916. net \$4.80 per dozen, single copy \$.40.

Book IV, 1917 rev. cpt. 1917. net \$4.80 per dozen, single copy \$.40.

The Teachers' Association of the American School for the Deaf.

First Lessons in English for the Deaf. The American School for the Deaf. Book V. cpt. 1918. net \$4.80 per dozen, single copy \$.40.

5. ORDERED. That the following-named books are hereby authorized for use as text books in the Boston Trade School:

Armitage, M. Teresa. The Laurel Unison Book. C. C. Birchard & Co. cpt. 1924. Students' rev. ed.net .64

Black, N. Henry. Laboratory Experiments in Practical Physics, to accompany the rev. ed. of Black & Davis' "Practical Physics." The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1923.net .15

Coleridge, Samuel Taylor. The Rime of the Ancient Mariner and Other Poems. Also includes Lochiel's Warning and Other Poems by Thomas Campbell. Houghton Mifflin Co. cpt. 1895.net .352

Davis, Roy and Getchell, Frederick G., ed. Stories of The Day's Work. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1921.net .72

Franklin, Benjamin. Autobiography. Houghton Mifflin Co. cpt. 1896.net .418

Gray, William Beall and Ball, Charles B. Plumbing. Ill. American Technical Society. cpt. 1919.net .127

Hallek, Reuben Post, and Harbott, Elizabeth Graeme, ed. Readings from Literature. American Book Co. cpt. 1915.net .96

Hawthorne, Nathaniel. Tanglewood Tales. Houghton Mifflin Co. cpt. 1887.net .448

Heydrick, Benjamin A. ed. Types of the Short Story. Scott, Foresman & Co. cpt. 1913.net .48

Hughes, Thomas. Tom Brown's School Days, ed. by Charles Swain Thomas. The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1908.net .36

Kehl, Robert J. Oxy-Acetylene Welding Practice. Ill. American Technical Society. cpt. 1920.net .65

Laselle, Mary A. ed. Short Stories of the New America. Henry Holt & Co. cpt. 1919.net .64

Moulton, Leonard B. ed. Short Stories. Houghton Mifflin Co. cpt. 1915.net .448

Oxweld Acetylene Co. Oxwelding and Cutting. Oxweld Acetylene Co. cpt. 1919. Fifth ed.net .35

Redway, Jacques W. Geography, Commercial and Industrial. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1923.net 1.378

Rittenhouse, Jessie B., ed. The Little Book of Modern Verse. Houghton Mifflin Co. cpt. 1917.net .64

Schwarzkopf, Ernst. Plain and Ornamental Forging. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. cpt. 1916.net 1.60

Shakespeare, William. The Merchant of Venice, ed. by H. L. Withers (Arden Shakespeare). D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1916.net .48

Smith, L. Raymond. Industrial Physics-Mechanics. McGraw-Hill Book Co., Inc. cpt. 1922.net 1.15

Speare, Morris Edmund, and Norris, Walter B., ed. Vital Forces in Current Events. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1920.net .66

Stevenson, Robert Louis. Treasure Island, ed. by Stuart P. Sherman. Henry Holt & Co. cpt. 1911.net .676

Tower, Samuel F. and Lunt, Joseph R. The Science of Common Things. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1922.net 1.28

Trotter, Spencer. The Geography of Commerce, ed. by Cheesman A. Herrick. The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1903.net 1.85

6. ORDERED. That the following-named books are hereby authorized for use as text books in The Teachers College of the City of Boston:

Davis, Calvin Olin. Junior High School Education. World Book Co. cpt. 1924.net 1.76

Hines, Harlan C. A Guide to Educational Measurements. Houghton, Mifflin Co. cpt. 1923.net 1.52

Parker, Samuel Chester. Types of Elementary Teaching and Learning. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1923.net 1.50

Pressey, Sidney L. and Pressey, Lucella Cole. Introduction to the Use of Standard Tests. World Book Co. cpt. 1922.net 1.44

Snedden, David. Educational Applications of Sociology (rev. of parts III and IV of the Writer's Educational Sociology). The Century Co. cpt. 1924.net 2.20

DRAWING

Sargent, Walter. The Enjoyment and Use of Color. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1923.net 1.60

ENGLISH

Bernbaum, Ernest, ed. English Poets of the Eighteenth Century. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1918.net .75

Brawley, Benjamin. A Short History of the English Drama. Harcourt, Brace & Co. cpt. 1921.net 1.20

Cook, Howard Willard. Our Poets of Today. Moffat, Yard & Co. cpt. 1923.net 1.67

Neilson, William Allan. Essentials of Poetry. Houghton Mifflin & Co. cpt. 1912.net 1.60

Perry, Bliss. A Study of Prose Fiction. Houghton Mifflin & Co. cpt. 1920; rev. ed.net 2.00

FRENCH

Gauthier-Ferrieres, ed. Anthologie Des Ecrivains—Francais Du XIX. Siecle Poesie, Tomes 1 & 2, Bibliotheque Larousse, Paris.net 1.45

Hugo, Victor, Ruy Blas; ed. by Samuel Gorner. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1894.net .96

Hugo, Victor. Les Miserables; ed. by F. C. deSumichrast. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1896.net .84

Lamartine, A. de, Graziella; ed. by F. M. Warren. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1900.net .71

Musset, Alfred de. Trois Comedies; ed. by Kenneth McKenzie. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1901.net .68

Saint-Pierre, Bernardin de. Paul et Virginie; ed. by Oscar Kuhns. Henry Holt & Co. cpt. 1897.net .64

Sand, George. La Mare au Diable; ed. by F. C. deSumichrast. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1892.net .58

GEOGRAPHY.

Smith, E. Ehrlich. Teaching Geography by Problems. Doubleday, Page & Co., cpt. 1921.net 1.20

HISTORY

Bowman, Isalah. The New World. World Book Co. cpt. 1921. Ill. (In. Supplement to The New World, cpt. 1923).net 4.00

MUSIC

Assembly Songs. Comp. for use in The Teachers College of the City of Boston. C. C. Birchard & Co. n. d.net 1.15

SPANISH

Calderon, de la Barca. El Alcalde de Zalamea; ed. by James Geddes, Jr. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1918.net .80

Cervantes, Saavedra, Miguel de. Don Quixote; ed. by Daniel da Cruz and J. W. Kuhne. Ill. Allyn and Bacon. cpt. 1922.net .75

Cuyas, Arturo. Appleton's New Spanish-English and English-Spanish Dictionary. D. Appleton & Co. cpt. 1903, imprint 1923.net 2.80

Echegaray, Jose. O Locura O Santidad; ed. by James Geddes and Joseph C. Palamontain. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1923. new ed.net .74

Galdos, R. Perez. Mariamela; ed. by James Geddes and Joseph C. Palamontain. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1923. new ed.net 1.00

Garcia Gutierrez, Antonio. El Trovador; ed. by H. H. Vaughan. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1908.net .58

Nunez de Arce, Gaspar. El Haz de Lema; ed. by Rudolph Schevill. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1903.net .71

Valera, Juan. Pepita Jimenez; ed. by G. L. Lincoln. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1908.net .90

7. ORDERED. That the following-named book is hereby authorized for use as a text book in prevocational classes:

Stillwell, Katherine M. The School Printshop, Rand McNally & Co. cpt. 1919.net \$1.08

8. ORDERED. That the following-named books are hereby authorized for use as text books in the Special English Classes:

Fisher, Annie. Learning English. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1923.net \$.75

O'Toole, Rose M. Practical English for New Americans, advanced series. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1923.net 1.216

9. ORDERED. That the following-named book is hereby authorized for use as a text book for Special Classes:

Cobb, Bertha B. and Cobb, Ernest, Who Knows. Ill. Arlo Publishing Co. cpt. 1924.net .50

10. ORDERED. That the following-named books, now authorized for use as text or supplementary books in Latin and day high schools, are hereby dropped from the list, no further copies to be purchased:

Bookkeeping and Accounting Exercises. Parts I and II. R. J. Bennett. American Book Co.

Modern Illustrative Bookkeeping, Introductory Course with blanks, forms, and vouchers. L. L. Williams and F. E. Rogers. American Book Co.

Civic Science in the Home. George W. Hunter and Walter C. Whitman. American Book Co.

Government in the United States. James W. Garner. American Book Co.

Industry and Trade. Historical and descriptive account of their development in the United States. Alvard Longley Bishop and Albert Galloway Keller. Ginn & Co.

Economics of Business. Norris A. Brisco. The Macmillan Co.

Outlines of Economics. Richard T. Ely and others; rev. by T. S. Adams, M. O. Lorenz and A. A. Young. The Macmillan Co.

The Administration of Industrial Enterprises, with Special Reference to Factory Practice. Edward D. Jones. Longmans, Green & Co.

Elementary Social Science. Frank M. Leavitt and Edith Brown. The Macmillan Co.

A General History of Commerce. W. C. Webster. Ginn & Co.

Enunciation and Articulation. Ella M. Boyce. Ginn & Co.

Modern Business Punctuation, with accompanying Exercises, for Punctuation. Benjamin I. Campbell. Bobbs-Merrill Co.

Rhetoric and English Composition. G. R. Carpenter. The Macmillan Co.

An Advanced Rational Speller. Ida M. Daly. Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co.

The Business Letter. Ion E. Dwyer. Houghton, Mifflin Co.

Elements of Debating. Leverett S. Lyon. University of Chicago Press.

Practical English Composition. E. L. Miller. Houghton, Mifflin Co.

Elementary English Composition (rev. ed.) F. N. Scott and J. V. Denney. Allyn & Bacon.

New Composition-rhetoric. F. N. Scott and J. V. Denney. Allyn & Bacon.

Briefs for Debate. ed. by W. Du-

Bois Brookings and Ralph C. Ringwalt. Longmans, Green & Co.

Words and Sentences. Alfred M. Hitchcock. Henry Holt & Co.

An Introduction to the Study of American Literature. B. Matthews. American Book Co.

Chronological Outlines of English Literature. F. Ryland. The Macmillan Co.

Outline Studies in Literature, in books for admission to New England colleges. M. E. Kingsley. Palmer Publishing Co.

Selections from The Cruise of the Dolphin, Baby Bell, and Other Verse and Prose. T. B. Aldrich. Houghton, Mifflin Co. (Riverside Literature Series).

Fables. J. de La Fontaine. Henry Holt & Co.

American Poems. (With biographical sketches and notes), ed. by H. E. Scudder. Houghton, Mifflin Co.

The Absentee. Maria Edgeworth. Allyn & Bacon; American Book Co.; D. Appleton & Co.; Ginn & Co.; D. C. Heath & Co.; Henry Holt & Co.; Houghton, Mifflin Co.; Longmans, Green & Co.; The Macmillan Co.; Charles E. Merrill Co.; Charles Scribner's Sons; Scott, Foresman & Co.; Silver, Burdett & Co.

Castle Rackrent. Maria Edgeworth. Allyn & Bacon; American Book Co.; D. Appleton & Co.; Ginn & Co.; D. C. Heath & Co.; Henry Holt & Co.; Houghton, Mifflin Co.; Longmans, Green & Co.; The Macmillan Co.; Charles E. Merrill Co.; Scott, Foresman & Co.; Charles Scribner's Sons; Silver, Burdett & Co.

The Excursion. W. Wordsworth. Houghton, Mifflin Co.

The American Republic. S. E. Forman. The Century Co.

Outlines of Greek History, With a Survey of Ancient Neutral Nations. William C. Morey. American Book Co.

Outlines of Roman History. William C. Morey. American Book Co.

The Modern Age. P. Van N. Myers. Ginn & Co.

Supplementary and Review Work in Plane Geometry. Anna K. McGibbon. Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co. Complete Business Arithmetic. George H. Van Tuyl. American Book Co.

The Human Body. H. Newell Martin. With Practical Exercises by George W. Fitz. Henry Holt & Co. General Chemistry (Complete). Parts I and II. Lyman C. Newell. D. C. Heath & Co.

A Laboratory Outline of Elementary Chemistry. Alexander Smith. The Century Co.

A Text-Book of Elementary Chemistry. Alexander Smith. The Century Co.

Laboratory Manual of Chemistry in the Home. H. T. Weed. American Book Co.

Shop Mechanics and Mathematics. James F. Johnson. John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

Descriptive List of Elementary Exercises in Physics. E. H. Hall. Harvard University Press.

Lessons in Physics. L. D. Higgins. Ginn & Co.

Everyday Physics. A Laboratory Manual. John C. Packard. Ginn & Co.

A Laboratory Manual in Physics. N. Henry Black. The Macmillan Co. Clarendon Dictionary. William H. Brown and S. S. Haldeman. American Book Co.

The Science of Everyday Life. Edgar F. Van Buskirk and Edith L. Smith. Houghton, Mifflin Co.

11. ORDERED, That the following-named book, now authorized for use as a text book in the Boston Trade School, is hereby dropped from the list, no further copies to be purchased.

A Laboratory Manual in Physics. N. Henry Black. The Macmillan Co.

12. ORDERED, That the following-named book, now authorized for use as a supplementary book in evening high schools, is hereby dropped from the list, no further copies to be purchased.

Chapters on the Theory and History of Banking. C. F. Dunbar. G. P. Putnam's Sons.

13. ORDERED, That the following-named books, now authorized for use as text or supplementary books in day intermediate schools or classes, are hereby dropped from the list, no further copies to be purchased.

Business Speller and Technical Word Book. Carl C. Marshall. Good-year-Marshall Publishing Co.

Elementary English, Spoken and Written. Book Two. Lamont F. Hodge and Arthur Lee. Charles E. Merrill Co.

Elementary English Composition, rev. F. N. Scott, and J. V. Denney. Allyn & Bacon.

English Composition. Book I. Stratton D. Brooks. American Book Co.

James Russell Lowell. Modern Classics No. 31. Includes My Garden Acquaintance, A Good Word for Winter, A Moosehead Journal, At Sea, The Farmer's Boy, by Robert Bloomfield. Houghton, Mifflin Co.

Laboratory Exercises of the First Year of Science. John C. Hessler. Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co.

Modern Americans. Chester M. Sanford and Grace A. Owen. Laurel Book Co.

Modern Europeans. Chester M. Sanford and Grace A. Owen. Laurel Book Co.

Punctuation Leaves for Use with Sentence and Theme, C. H. Ward. Scott, Foresman & Co.

Types of the Essay, selected and ed. by Benjamin A. Heydrick. Charles Scribner's Sons.

What Can Literature Do for Me. C. A. Smith. Doubleday, Page & Co.

14. ORDERED, That the following-named books, now authorized for use as text or supplementary books in evening elementary schools, are hereby dropped from the list, no further copies to be purchased.

A Civic Reader for New Americans. American Book Company.

A Guide to the English Language. Azniv Beshgaturian, Hairenik Press.

Civics for Americans in the Making. A. A. Plass. D. C. Heath and Co.

History and Government of the United States for Evening Schools. W. E. Chancellor. American Book Co.

How to Obtain Citizenship. Nathaniel C. Fowler. Sully & Kleinteich.

Studies in English for Evening Schools. W. E. Chancellor. American Book Co.

The Bailey-Manly Spelling Book. Books 1, 2. E. R. Bailey, J. M. Manly. Houghton, Mifflin Co.

15. ORDERED, That the following-named books, now authorized for use as text or supplementary books in day elementary schools, are hereby dropped from the list, no further copies to be purchased:

Geographical Reader on Africa. Frank G. Carpenter. American Book Co.

Story Hour Primer. Ida Coe and Alice J. Christie. American Book Co.

Story Hour Readers. Book I. Ida Coe and Alice J. Christie. American Book Co.

Story Hour Readers. Book II. Ida Coe and Alice J. Christie. American Book Co.

Story Hour Readers. Book III. Ida Coe and Alice J. Christie. American Book Co.

16. ORDERED, That the revised editions of the following-named text books are hereby authorized for use in the Boston Trade School to take the place of the old editions of the same:

Smith, J. Russell. Commerce and Industry. Henry Holt & Co. cpt. 1922. rev. ed. 1.376
Thompson, Charles Manfred. History of the United States, Political, Industrial, Social. Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co. cpt. 1922. rev. ed. Grades X, XI, XII. 1.568

17. ORDERED, That the revised editions of the following-named text and supplementary books are hereby authorized for use as text books as indicated, to take the place of the old editions of the same:

COMMERCIAL.

Ely, Richard T. and Wicker, George Ray. Elementary Principles of Economics. The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1923. Third ed. rev. Grades XI, XII. 1.26

ENGLISH.

Boardman, Lester W., ed. Modern American Speeches. Longmans, Green & Co. cpt. 1923. new ed. enlarged. Grades IX, X, XI, XII.60

Noyes, Minna B. Twilight Stories. Parker P. Simons Co. cpt. 1920. Grades IV, V.70

Pancoast, Henry S. and Shelly, Percy Van Dyke. A First Book in English Literature. Henry Holt & Co. cpt. 1924. rev. ed. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. 1.80

Ward, C. H. Sentence and Theme. Scott, Foresman & Co. cpt. 1923. rev. ed. Grades IX, X. 1.06

GERMAN.

Vos, B. J. Essentials of German (5th ed.) Henry Holt & Co. cpt. 1923. Grades IX, X, XI, XII. 1.28

CIVICS—HISTORY—GEOGRAPHY.

Beard, Charles A. and Bagley, William C. The History of the American People. The Macmillan Co. cpt. 1923. rev. ed. Grades VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII. 1.20

Cheyney, Edward P. A Short History of England. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1919. rev. ed. Grades X, XI, XII. 1.47

Fite, Emerson David. History of the United States. Henry Holt & Co. cpt. 1923. second ed. rev. with maps and ill. Grades X, XI, XII. 1.472

Mowry, William A. and Mowry, Arthur May. First Steps in the History of Our Country, enlarged by Alex Mathews Arnett. Silver, Burdett & Co. cpt. 1923. Grades VI, VII.90

Rocheleau, W. E. The Geography of Commerce and Industry. Educational Publishing Co. cpt. 1923. rev. ed. Grades VII, VIII. 1.23

Smith, J. Russell. Commerce and Industry. Henry Holt & Co. cpt. 1922. rev. ed. Grade X. 1.376

Thompson, Charles Manfred. History of the United States, Political, Industrial, Social. Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co. cpt. 1922. rev. ed. Grades X, XI, XII. 1.568

Turkington, Grace A. My Country. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1923. rev. ed. Grades VI, VII, VIII, IX.81

LATIN.

Ritchie's First Steps in Latin. rev. by John C. Green, Jr. Longmans, Green & Co. cpt. 1924. Grades VII, IX.70

Ritchie's Second Steps in Latin. rev. by John C. Green, Jr. Longmans, Green & Co. cpt. 1924. Grades VIII, IX, X.80

MATHEMATICS.

Durell, Fletcher and Arnold, E. E. New Plane Geometry. Charles E. Merrill Co. cpt. 1924. Grades X, XI, XII.....net	1.12
Hawkes, Herbert E., Luby, William A. and Touton, Frank C. Second Course in Algebra. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1918. rev. ed. Grades X, XI, XII.....net	.96

SPANISH.

Hills, E. C. and Ford, J. D. M. First Spanish Course. Ill. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1917. Grades IX, X, XI, XII.....net	1.25
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The foregoing seventeen orders were laid over.

ADDITIONAL SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of May 5, 1924, recommending the passage of the accompanying orders to provide additional appropriations in compliance with request of the Schoolhouse Department, to cover the additional cost of accommodations previously authorized.

Placed on file.

The following preamble and order were offered:

WHEREAS, Payments on account of the erection of the Public Latin School to the amount of \$107,356.13 were charged to the appropriation for Land and Buildings for Schools—and such payments should have been charged to the appropriation for Public Latin School, it is

ORDERED: That the sum of \$107,356.13 be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation for Public Latin School to the appropriation for Land and Buildings for Schools, for

Item 37, 1924—Lewis District, Roxbury: Land and construction of a thirty-six class room girls' high school and a thirty-six class room boys' high school (Item 11, 1922, as amended Dec. 18, 1922; Item 27, 1923; Item 25, 1924), \$107,356.13

The preamble was adopted and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That of the amounts appropriated by the School Committee under dates of June 21, 1920 (page 105) and May 8, 1922 (pages 57 and 58), the following amount is hereby transferred to 1924 items of permanent school accommodations as set forth below:

From Item 10, 1922—Phillips Brooks District, Dorchester: Construction of intermediate school building, twenty class- rooms, hall and shops (Item 32, 1920)	\$108,253.44
To Item 37, 1924— Lewis District, Rox- bury: Land and con- struction of a thirty- six class room girls' high school and a thirty-six class room boys' high school (Item 11, 1922, as amended Dec. 18, 1922; Item 27, 1923; Item 25, 1924).....	\$103,994.19
Item 38, 1924—Samuel Adams District, East Boston: Land and construction of inter- mediate school build- ing, thirty class rooms and shops (Item 18, 1922, as amended June 19, 1923; Item 33, 1923) ..	4,259.25

\$108,253.44

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

AMENDMENT TO REGULATIONS.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 305, paragraph 1, Item d.—Strike out the footnote and substitute in place thereof the following: "Consecutive calendar days which period shall include and may also immediately precede or immediately follow the day of the death."

Section 324, paragraph 1, Item d.—Strike out the footnote and substitute in place thereof the following: "Consecutive calendar days which period shall include and may also immediately precede or immediately follow the day of the death."

Laid over.

REPORT ON ATTENDANCE AT EASTERN MUSIC SUPERVISORS CONFERENCE.

A communication was received from John A. O'Shea, Director of Music, under the date of May 5, 1924, submitting a report on his attendance at the Eastern Music Supervisors Conference, held at Rochester, N. Y., Mar. 4 to 8, 1924.

Placed on file.

AMENDMENTS TO SCHEDULE OF EXTRA COMPENSATION FOR CUSTODIAN SERVICE.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Apr. 26, 1924, recommending that the Schedule of Extra Compensation for Custodian Service be amended in accordance with the accompanying orders, to take effect Mar. 1, 1924.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Schedule of Extra Compensation for Custodian Service, School Document No. 13, 1921, is hereby amended as follows:

Section 9. Strike out the section and substitute the following:

Section 9. Compensation for custodian service for moving furniture:

1. There shall be no compensation for moving ten pieces of furniture or less from one place to another on the same floor of a building and replacing same.

2. For additional moving of furniture required the compensation shall be as follows:

a. For each setttee moved from one room to another or to a corridor on the same floor or from one floor to another five cents, and for each additional flight, five cents extra.

b. For each setttee moved or stacked within the same room, three cents.

3. The following shall each be reckoned as the equivalent of one setttee:

1 portable desk with chair.

1 table.

1 blackboard or similar piece of furniture.

2 single ordinary chairs.

4 single folding chairs.

1 set of folding chairs containing four or less seats.

4. No compensation shall be allowed for moving and stacking kindergarten furniture within the same room and replacing same.

5. No compensation shall be allowed for moving furniture for regular day school purposes, but when such furniture is moved for the purpose of holding entertainments at which an admission fee is charged, this schedule shall apply.

Passed, to take effect Mar. 1, 1924.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Schedule of Extra Compensation

for Custodian Service, School Document No. 13, 1921, be amended as follows:

Section 3. Strike out the section and substitute the following:

Section 3. Compensation of custodians employed in buildings used by Classes of the Day School for Immigrants shall be fixed at the rate of \$1.00 per day per class, which compensation shall include all services including moving furniture.

Passed, to take effect Mar. 1, 1924.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Schedule of Extra Compensation for Custodian Service, School Document No. 13, 1921, be amended as follows:

Section 8. Strike out the section and substitute the following:

Section 8. Compensation of custodians employed in buildings used by Day Practical Arts Classes shall be fixed at the rates established in Section 3 of this schedule.

Passed, to take effect Mar. 1, 1924.

RETIREMENT OF A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian under date of May 5, 1924, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named member of the Boston Retirement System:

Michael E. Colleary, custodian, Wendell Phillips Schoolhouse, Apr. 30, 1924.

Placed on file.

DEATH OF A CUSTODIAN

Communications were received from the Schoolhouse Custodian under date of May 5, 1924, reporting the death, on March 24, 1924, of Patrick F. Powers, a school custodian, and recommending that the salary due him be paid to his widow, Ellen Powers.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due Patrick F. Powers, late custodian of the Paul Revere Schoolhouse, be paid to his widow, Ellen Powers.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, recommending that William M. Kendrick, custodian of the Samuel G. Howe Schoolhouse, be granted leave of absence on one-half his net compensation for the period April 20 to 24, 1924, inclusive, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, recommending that Michael H. Murphy, custodian of the Mather Schoolhouse be granted leave of absence on one-half net compensation for the period May 4 to 31, 1924, inclusive, because of physical inability to perform his duties.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, recommending that Charles D. Gallagher, custodian of the Wells Schoolhouse, be granted leave of absence on one-half

net compensation for the period Apr. 20 and 21, 1924 (two days), because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, recommending that the leave of absence for personal illness granted to Walter F. Conley, custodian of the Joseph Tuckerman School-house, be extended for the further period May 4 to 31, 1924, inclusive, on one-half net compensation.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

TRANSFERS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, recommending that the appointment of James F. Cooper as custodian of the Bigelow School-house, approved at the meeting of Mar. 17, 1924, be rescinded.

Placed on file and the recommendation adopted.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Benjamin Dean School-house, and recommending that Lawrence F. Connelly, custodian of the Drake School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect May 11, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Lawrence F. Connelly approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Charles C. Perkins School-house, and recommending that James D. McMahan, custodian of the Hillside School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect May 2, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of James D. McMahan approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Curtis Guild School-house, and recommending that Martin P. Breen, custodian of the Lowell Mason School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect May 2, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Martin P. Breen approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Fairmount School-house and Portable No. 173, and recommending that Charles V. Gillis, custodian of the Hull School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect May 2, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Charles V. Gillis approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring

transfer to the custodianship of the Hull School-house and Portable No. 49, and recommending that Martin B. Hayes, custodian of the Choate Burnham School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect May 11, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Martin B. Hayes approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Lucretia Crocker School-house and recommending that Neil J. Doherty, custodian of the Albert Palmer School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect May 11, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Neil J. Doherty approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Paul Revere School-house, and recommending that Denis J. Lenehan, custodian of the Quincy E. Dickerman School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect May 4, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Denis J. Lenehan approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Wendell Phillips School-house, and recommending that William O'Connell, custodian of the John Greenleaf Whittier School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect May 11, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of William O'Connell approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 5, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the William E. Russell School-house and recommending that John J. Kearns, custodian of the Gaston School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position to take effect May 11, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of John J. Kearns approved, to take effect on the date stated.

USE OF ACCOMMODATIONS IN ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the use of accommodations in the Administration Building for a committee meeting of the Training Camps Association, on May 1, 1924, at 4 o'clock p.m., is hereby approved.

CLOSING OF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Administrative Offices of the School Committee be closed on Saturdays, May 31, and July 5, 1924.

HEARING RELATIVE TO ATTENDANCE OFFICERS, THEIR APPOINTMENT, QUALIFICATIONS AND SEX.

On motion, a hearing was appointed for Monday, May 12, 1924, at 4:30

o'clock p.m. for consideration of various questions affecting attendance officers, their duties, qualifications, acquaintance with foreign languages, and sex; including various petitions previously received relating thereto.

Mr. Sullivan, on a question of personal privilege, presented the following:

I rise to a point of personal privilege. The Boston Post in its editorial of April 24, 1924, commented upon the appointment of a woman attendance officer by the Boston School Committee. The editorial which took exception to my opposition to the appointment reads in part as follows:

"A JOB FOR A WOMAN"

"When newspaper readers noticed in the head lines that Boston had elected its first woman attendance officer, we do not believe that many of them felt that it was an 'outrage' to the men who were candidates for the post, as Edward M. Sullivan charged."

This editorial might well be dismissed as "rank tommyrot" were it not for the fact that it is a deliberate, garbled misrepresentation from beginning to end. Reference to the Boston Post of April 23, 1924, clearly sets this forth:

"The appointment of a woman at this time is, in my opinion, an outrage to the thirty veterans who appear at the head of the list, and to the thirteen non-veteran men, all candidates for appointment," said Mr. Sullivan in the course of a statement to the Committee, in which he denounced the action of the Committee as a 'subterfuge to circumvent the Veterans' Preference Act.'"

The editorial above referred to scrupulously avoids all reference to the Veteran, and to the Veterans' Preference Law. Nowhere is there a single reference to the Veteran. Nowhere appears the slightest suggestion that there is a Veterans' Preference Law. The Boston Post with studied indifference avoids and ignores the Veteran. He does not even merit passing, honorable mention. The editorial is an open insult to every American Veteran. It refuses to recognize the Veteran and the Law that gives him preference. It praises the Law's violation and ridicules its proper application as "absurd." Perhaps the Boston Post has an impressive personal prejudice for such insulting indifference. The article of April 23, 1924, above referred to begins:

"Over the vehement protest of Edward M. Sullivan of Dorchester, who declares it marks the end of Veterans' Preference, the Boston School Committee last night elected as its first woman attendance officer in this City, etc."

"The end of Veterans' Preference!" The editorial in the Boston Post of yesterday, May 4, 1924 sustains, and lends substance to the above. The Boston Post of Sunday urged that linguistic ability (facility in foreign languages), be recognized by this Committee as a special qualification in the appointment of attendance officers. It so happens that there is now a person on the list for appointment as attendance officer whose candidacy has been vigorously urged because of the same special qualification of linguistic ability, and this person is a non-veteran.

Sunday's inspired editorial is as full of nonsense as its sister editorial of April 24, 1924.

May I suggest that the Boston

Post confine itself to legitimate editorial comment?

As a duly elected public official, I refuse to be coerced by the "persuasion" of social job-hunters who interpret the responsibility of public office and the law in terms of convenience and self-interest. They are not above the law. Nor is the Boston Post. And I here serve notice that its libelous assaults and inspired attacks shall cease.

Placed on file.

ADJOURNMENT

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary

LATEST BOSTON BANK STATISTICS, ETC.

Bank clearings or exchanges in calendar year, 1922, \$16,452,605,137, an increase of \$2,125,040,474 over 1921, or 14.83 per cent. Total clearings for first six months of 1923, \$10,012,000,000 (approx.) or 28.16 per cent ahead of same period in 1922. On April 3, 1923, the 14 national banks showed aggregate capital of \$38,150,000; surplus and undivided profits, \$51,694,018; deposits, \$482,666,021; loans and discounts, \$399,578,956. On same date, the 17 trust companies showed aggregate capital of \$21,950,000; surplus and undivided profits, \$32,994,893; deposits, \$340,398,436; loans and discounts, \$276,303,148. Twelve trust companies each have a savings department with total deposits of \$58,451,948. Total resources of the national banks, \$676,409,686 or \$107,457,735 more than in 1922; of the trust companies (both commercial and savings) \$489,012,488; grand total of the 31 banks, \$1,165,422,174. Savings banks, 24, with \$402,025,611 deposits (as of October 31, 1922); co-operative banks, 46, with total assets of \$53,526,745 (as of October 31).

Among the twelve Federal Reserve banks that of Boston on July 18, 1923, ranked fourth in these respects, viz., total resources (\$432,433,000), total gold reserves and F. R. notes in circulation and fifth as to capital paid in, surplus and total deposits. Total gold reserves of all F. R. banks, \$3,099,720,000.

On June 30, 1922, the number of national banks in United States had increased to 8,249, with aggregate capital of \$1,307,216,000; deposits, \$16,320,564,000; loans and discounts, \$11,248,214,000 and total resources of \$20,706,010,000.

The Boston Clearing House, established in 1856, ranks fourth in total clearings. Its highest record was the 1920 total of \$18,816,978,696. The highest record for clearings in United States was also in 1920, viz., \$451,103,066,629, an increase of 140.95 per cent over 1915 total. In year ending September 30, 1921, the total fell to \$376,779,945,000. In calendar year 1922 it rose again to \$404,576,065,000.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

PUBLIC CONTROL OF BOSTON ELEVATED RAILWAY.

By Chapter 159, Special Acts of 1918, a State board of five trustees was created to assume control of the Elevated Railway Co. for the term of 10 years, the need being imperative to improve its unfortunate condition and impaired service in the interest of a very large traveling public. Regular divi-

dends were continued and the raising of \$3,000,000 of new capital was provided for by the issue and sale of preferred stock. It was also provided that if the income should be insufficient to meet the cost of service and the reserve fund proved inadequate, any deficit should be paid by the State and assessed upon the cities and towns in which the railway was operated. The fare was raised from 5 cents to 7, then to 8 and again to 10. The total deficit for year ending June 30, 1919, was \$4,980,152, which was covered by extra taxation, as ordered, Boston paying \$2,905,931 or 71.9 per cent of total levy. According to the said act of 1918, the cities and towns were to be reimbursed for assessments paid by them as soon as the financial condition of the Elevated Co. permitted.

By Chapter 369, General Acts of 1919, the purchase by the State from the Elevated Co. of the Cambridge Subway was ordered as an emergency law, the capital thus made available being needed by the trustees. The property was conveyed to the State May 1, 1920, on payment of \$7,868,000 and 4½ per cent of this cost is payable by the B. E. Co. annually for rental.

The report of the Trustees of B. E. Railway Co. for year 1920 showed a notable financial improvement as compared with 1919, the cost of service exceeding receipts by \$347,167 or only one-seventh of the deficit in 1919.

The Trustees' report for 1921 showed total receipts for that year of \$33,277,026, exceeding the total cost of service, depreciation, debt requirements and dividends by \$1,171,445. This surplus permitted certain reimbursements in 1922, Boston receiving \$372,035 or 12.8 per cent of the assessment paid in 1919. Under the act of 1918, the general 10-cent fare cannot be reduced until all reimbursements are completed. On June 10, 1922, the consolidation of the West End Street Railway Co. with the Boston Elevated Co. went into effect, as provided by Acts of 1911, Chap. 740, the lease to the Elevated not expiring until the said date.

POPULATION BY GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRICTS, UNITED STATES CENSUS.

East Boston (i. e., Wds. 1 and 2, including the island) 63,051 or 2,629 less than in 1915; Charlestown (Wds. 3 and 4) 34,272 or 5,329 less; Boston Proper (Wds. 5, 6, 7 and 8 and northern corner of Wds. 12 and 13) 170,637 or 25,663 decrease; South Boston (Wds. 9, 10 and northern part of Wd. 11 to Howell St.) 64,144 or 5,601 decrease; Roxbury (most of Wds. 12, 13, 14, 15 and all of Wd. 16) 135,024 or 7,341 increase; Dorchester (most of Wd. 11, Wds. 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and part of 24) 157,932 or 19,813 increase; West Roxbury (including Jamaica Plain and Roslindale, i. e., Wds. 22 and 23) 63,190 or 7,119 increase; Brighton (Wds. 25 and 26) 41,724 or 6,942 increase; Hyde Park (most of Wd. 24) 18,086 or 628 increase. According to these unprecedented census returns, the five districts constituting the most densely inhabited part of Boston (i. e., from the northern boundary to Franklin Park, including Roxbury and South Boston) showed a net decrease from 1915 to 1920 amounting in all to 31,881, while the other four districts showed an increase of only 34,502. In the preceding five years, 1910-1915, the same five districts increased by 16,373 and the other

four by 58,481, a total increase (omitting the 15,936 gained by annexation of Hyde Park in 1912) of 58,918, or more than 22 times the increase from 1915 to 1920 as shown by last U. S. Census.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT OR BITULITHIC PAVEMENT IN GROVE STREET, FROM CENTRE STREET TO WASHINGTON STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Grove street from Centre street to Washington street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirty-one thousand (\$31,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sheet Asphalt or Bitulithic Pavement, Grove street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Wednesday, June 11, 1924, with a certified check for thirty-one hundred (\$3,100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 28, 1924. (May 31.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN PARIS STREET, BETWEEN SUMNER STREET AND MANHOLE 275 FEET EASTERLY, EAST BOSTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Paris street, between Sumner street and manhole 275 feet easterly, East Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Paris Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, June 12, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred fifty (\$150) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 28, 1924. (May 31.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

SALE OF OLD METALS AND MATERIALS.

By order of the City Council the Superintendent of Supplies authorizes me to sell at Public Auction on Wednesday, June 4, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m. at 710 Albany Street Water Yard, City of Boston the following list of old metals and materials:

- About 75 tons of cast-iron junk, Albany Street Water Yard.
- About 5 tons of old iron, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- About 1½ tons of old horseshoes, North Grove Street Sanitary Yard.
- About 17 tons of old iron, Pumping Station, Mt. Vernon street.
- About 6 tons of old M. H. & C. B. covers and frames, Codman Street Paving Yard.
- About 8 tons of old iron, Albany Street Sewer Yard.
- About 5 tons old iron in Boston Gas Company's Yard, Hilton street, Roxbury.
- About 1½ tons old iron in Boston Gas Company's Yard, Keyes street.
- About 2 tons old iron in Boston Gas Company's Yard, Freeport street.
- About 500 pounds old iron in Boston Gas Company's Yard, Eagle street, East Boston.
- About 600 pounds old iron in Boston Gas Company's Yard, Arlington avenue, Charlestown.
- About 3,000 pounds composition and brass chips, Albany Street, Water Yard.
- About 10,000 pounds heavy composition and brass, Albany Street Water Yard.
- About 1,000 pounds light composition and brass, Albany Street Water Yard.
- About 1,500 pounds, light brass, Albany Street Water Yard.
- About 2,000 pounds old automobile tires, Albany Street Water Yard.
- About 700 pounds old inner tubes, Albany Street Water Yard.
- About 300 pounds old rubber (vulcanized), Albany Street Water Yard.
- About 500 pounds old rubber valves, Albany Street Water Yard.
- About 200 pounds old rubber boots, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Spencer damper regulator, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Return tank, 18-inch diameter, 36 inches deep, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Worthington steam pump duplex, 5½ by 3½ inches by 5 inches, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Blake steam pump, No. 1½, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Curtis pressure reducing valve, 2 inches, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Steam valve, 4½ inches, Albany Street Water Yard.
- Electrical apparatus, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Direct current Weston duplex voltmeter and ammeter, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Direct current Weston ammeter, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Direct current Thompson General Electric voltmeter, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Direct Current Thompson General Electric ammeter, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Direct current General Electric battery charging rheostat, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 2 Direct current General Electric circuit breakers, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Alternating current Western Electric double gong bell, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Cutler Hammer field rheostat, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Marvel one-fire electric forge blower with motor, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Marvel No. 40 electric forge blower without motor, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 3 General Electric speed regulating rheostats, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 2 100-ampere 500-volts single throw knife switches, mounted on slate, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 2 75-ampere 500-volt single throw knife switches, mounted on slate, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 3-inch black enamel conduit bend, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 2 3½-inch black enamel conduit bends, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 2 Hodge boilers, 14 feet long 4 feet diameter, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 2 Tanks, 12 feet deep, 4 feet diameter, Albany Street Water Yard.
- 1 Blacksmith iron block, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 3 Old bellows, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Miscellaneous lot of old harness, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Miscellaneous lot in upper loft of barn, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 125 Feet, old leather belting, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old section roller, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 15 Section iron roller wheels, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 2 Old section rollers, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Part of old section roller, West Roxbury Paving Yard, Centre street.
- 1 Old section roller, Codman Street Paving Yard.
- 2 Old Ingersoll steam drills, Codman Street Paving Yard.
- 5 Steam drill weights, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.

- 1 Old blasting battery, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old Fairbanks scale, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old road scraper, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old mud scraper, Highland Street, Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old road scraper, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old road scarifier, Codman Street Paving Yard.
- 1 Low dump wooden offal wagon body, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old wooden paper wagon, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 2 Old paper wagons, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Single express wagon, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old paper cart, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Light express wagon in loft, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 3 Old single sleighs, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Light Democrat wagon, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Covered wagon, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 3 Double sleds, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Express wagon, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 3 Horse-drawn flushing tanks, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Street watering cart, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 2 Old watering carts, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old canopy buggy top, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 3 Offal iron bodies, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 3 Old top buggies, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 3 Double sleds, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old iron tank, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old bolt cutting machine, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 3 Old watering carts, Centre Street, West Roxbury Paving Yard.
- 1 Miscellaneous lot in loft of main stable, Albany Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old watering cart, Albany Street Paving Yard.
- 1 Old steel body watering cart, Albany Street Paving Yard.
- 1 Old horizontal boiler, Albany Street Paving Yard.
- 1 Old vertical boiler, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old concrete mixer, Albany Street Paving Yard.
- 1 Old concrete mixer, Centre Street, West Roxbury Paving Yard.
- 1 Old concrete mixer, Child Street, Jamaica Plain Paving Yard.
- 2 Old snow levellers, Centre Street, West Roxbury Paving Yard.
- 3 Old wooden snow plows, Centre Street, West Roxbury Paving Yard.
- 250 Empty tar barrels, Brighton Paving Yard.
- 1 Worthington steam pump, Highland Street Sanitary Yard.
- 10 Douglas pumps, Highland Street, Sanitary Yard.
- 1 Old tractor, Centre Street, West Roxbury Paving Yard.
- 1 Old tractor, Highland Street Paving Yard.

Materials can be inspected at the different yards where located, and will be sold at the Albany Street Water Yard of the City of Boston, 710 Albany street. Cash or certified check to be paid for goods before delivery, which must take place immediately. Storage charges will be assessed on any or all articles not removed from the premises by July 1, 1924.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
28 School Street, Boston.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND LOAMING AT DORCHESTER PARK, DORCHESTER.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street Boston, invite proposals for grading and loaming at Dorchester park, Dorchester. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Loaming at Dorchester Park, Dorchester," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, June 18, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$5,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(May 31-June 7, 14.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO WOODWORKING MACHINERY CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing woodworking machinery in the Ralph Waldo Emerson School, Shirley street, Roxbury district, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, June 10, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. A deposit of \$5, cash or certified check, will be required for a set of specifications, said sum to be refunded upon return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(May 31.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CABINETMAKERS AND MANUFACTURERS OF INTERIOR FINISH.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing work benches in various schools, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, June 10, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. A deposit of \$10, cash or certified check, will be required for a set of specifications and plan, said sum to be refunded upon return of specifications and plan. Mutilation of the specifications or plan will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(May 31.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO PRINTING MACHINERY CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing printing equipment on the second floor of the Abraham Lincoln School, Fayette and Ferdinand streets, Boston Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, June 10, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(May 31.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, May 28, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that in said city public improvements should be made consisting of:

The laying out and construction of Kingsboro park, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Centre street, southeasterly; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Richards street, Brighton district, as a highway, from Washington street northeasterly, with the name of Ramsdell street or some other distinctive name; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Gorham street, Brighton district, as a highway, from Commonwealth avenue to Brainerd road; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of an extension of Landseer street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from La Grange street to Centre street; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Sturges road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from La Grange street to Bellevue street; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11:30 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Rosemont road, N. W., and part of Rosemont road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dorchester avenue to Florida street, with the name of Seamount road or some other distinctive name; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11:30 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Johnswood road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Prospect avenue to Prospect avenue; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11:30 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Sonoma street, Roxbury district, as a highway, from Elm Hill avenue to Maple street; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11:30 o'clock a. m.

All substantially as shown on plans in the office of this Board; that it intends to pass orders for making said improvements and that it appoints the office of this Board, 401 City Hall Annex, and the dates and hours specified above as the place and time for public hearings in the matters.

A true copy of an order passed by said board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(May 31-June 7.) Secretary.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING FENDER PIERS AND BUILDING PILE SUPPORTS OF NORTHERN AVENUE DRAW.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for repairing fender piers and building pile supports of Northern Avenue Draw, and giving bond thereof of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, after Tuesday, June 3, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Northern Avenue Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. of Thursday, June 12, 1924, with a certified check for one thousand (1,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal, after acceptance, is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 28, 1924. (May 31.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE PAVEMENT AND SEWERAGE WORKS IN SOUTH SANITARY YARD, ALBANY STREET, CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for Portland cement concrete pavement and sewerage works in South Sanitary Yard, Albany street, city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirteen thousand (13,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Portland Cement Concrete Pavement, etc., in South Sanitary Yard," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, June 10, 1924, with a certified check for thirteen hundred (1,300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 28, 1924. (May 31.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN BRANCH STREET, MEDWAY STREET, DORCHESTER; ATLANTIS STREET, CHURCH STREET, GOODWAY ROAD, MOODY STREET, PIERPONT ROAD, WELD STREET, WEST ROXBURY; LARCH STREET, PERLE STREET, PERTHSHIRE ROAD AND REDFORD STREET, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 3,800 feet of 8-inch, 10-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Branch street, Medway street, Dorchester; Atlantis street, Church street, Goodway road, Moody street, Pierpont road, Weld street, West Roxbury; Larch street, Perle street, Perthshire road and Redford street, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Branch Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, June 9, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 28, 1924. (May 31.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FILLING, SEWERAGE WORKS AND WATER WORKS IN ASHLEY STREET, FROM BREED STREET TO BOARDMAN STREET, EAST BOSTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for filling, Ashley street, from Breed street to Boardman street, East Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eighteen thousand (18,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Filling, Sewerage Works and Water Works, Ashley Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, June 13, 1924, with a certified check for eighteen hundred (1,800) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, May 28, 1924. (May 31.)

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND LOAMING AT FENS ATHLETIC FIELD, BACK BAY.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for grading and loaming at Fens Athletic Field, Back Bay. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "For Grading and Loaming at Fens Athletic Field, Back Bay," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, June 12, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$1,000 payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$5,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(May 31-June 7.) Commissioners.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing ice to the drinking fountains of the City of Boston for the ensuing year. A copy of the proposal can be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal at the above mentioned office, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at this office on Friday, June 6, 1924, at 12 m. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(May 31.)

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EAST BOSTON'S NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING TO BE FINEST IN STATE.

STRUCTURE TO BE LOCATED AT WHITE AND BROOKS
STREETS TO BE BEGUN SOON. SITE IS NOW ALL
PREPARED, EAGLE HILL HAVING BEEN CUT DOWN
FROM PLAYGROUND.



NEW EAST BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL, ON WHICH WORK IS SOON TO
BE BEGUN, WILL BE ONE OF THE FINEST IN THE STATE.

(Photo by Harry Kelly.)

The new high school building for East Boston is to be built on the property located at the corner of White and Brooks streets, a former park, on a high elevation overlooking the harbor. The lot has a frontage of 570 feet on White street and is 390 feet on Brooks street.

The school provides accommodations for about fourteen hundred pupils, with a large assembly hall and gymnasium. The building faces the south, with a central entrance located on White street, with side entrances and stair halls at each end.

The ground floor contains woodworking and machine shops, room for machine drawing, blueprinting, lockers and toilets for boys at the west end of the building, a lunch room for boys and girls, domestic science, sewing, millinery and class rooms for girls at the east end of the building.

On axis with the central entrance is the assembly hall or auditorium, accommodating about one thousand, with modern stage and dressing rooms. The assembly hall is so planned that it may be used by the community without interfering with the classes. At the rear of the assembly hall is the gymnasium, 53 feet wide and 133 feet long, entered from two corridors and directly accessible for the community by an outside entrance, with locker rooms and showers for boys and girls in the basement.

The gymnasium is to have a running track and spectators' balconies. Because the auditorium floor is pitched, the stage

floor is on a line with the gymnasium floor. The architects have taken advantage of this condition, and have provided a large opening equipped with folding doors on the rear wall of the stage between the auditorium and gymnasium that the stage may be enlarged for pageants and drills.

On the second floor is the office, master's room and health office, centrally located, the library directly opposite stairs with reference room adjoining, bookkeeping and typewriting rooms, study rooms, commercial geography with display rooms, and the necessary complement of class rooms. Lockers and toilets are provided at ends of corridor and convenient to stairs, for boys and girls on each floor, boys at the west end and girls at the east end of the building. Each floor has rooms for men and women teachers with toilet adjoining.

The third floor provides chemistry, physical and biological laboratories, an elementary science room, a lecture room located in the center of the building. All laboratories have adjoining work rooms and apparatus and store rooms. A free-hand and mechanical drawing room and thirteen class rooms, together with the boys' and girls' lockers and toilets and teachers' rooms as on the floors below, complete this floor.

The basement provides a boiler room with oil burners, storage rooms and a

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STREET WIDENINGS TO BEGIN SOON.

Mayor Curley despite the serious handicap in the legislative provisions for the widening of Tremont and Kneeland streets, which oblige the city to contribute from taxes or other sources of revenue 10 per cent of the total cost, is determined that the money will be found and the street operations will begin soon.

The street bills call for \$2,400,000, all but \$240,000 to be raised outside the debt limit. How will the \$240,000 be provided, in view of the fact that all money from taxes has been appropriated and that City Auditor Carven made what he deems most liberal estimates of other sources of revenue?

That official refuses to revise his estimates of revenue, but he is confident that within a short time he can put his hand on the amount needed and thus provide against any delay in the street plans. It is understood that work cannot be delayed, except at great additional cost, in view of the plans in hand for the erection of two large buildings, a fourteen-story building on Kneeland street and the Elks' Building on Tremont street.

Though it has been customary for the Legislature to require cities and towns to make a 10 per cent contribution from taxes, other sources of revenue or from their borrowing capacity for public improvements to be financed with state authority, not until the hospital bill was passed was such a restriction placed upon Boston.

The Cambridge-Court street improvement, involving \$3,500,000, contained no such provision, nor did the bill authorizing the new Police Headquarters Building at \$1,000,000.

The authorized loan which the city sought for the City Hospital buildings was for \$3,000,000, and the Legislature granted \$2,000,000 and obliged the city to contribute \$1,000,000. The \$1,000,000 will be provided by loan within the limit, but it will not prove a burden inasmuch as the buildings are to be constructed in units and the money will not be raised at one time.

APPEALS TO SENATOR WALSH TO SAVE WORK FOR NAVY YARD AT CHARLESTOWN.

His Honor the Mayor June 5 dictated telegrams to Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge and Hon. David I. Walsh, United States Senate, Washington, D. C., as follows:

I have this day received a telegram from Congressman Tague informing me that the Naval Appropriation Bill has passed the House and that provision has been made for the repair of the "Utah" and "Florida," which work it is proposed shall be at the Boston Navy Yard. The construction of one of the new cruisers and

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, June 16, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of

licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination

CALLS FINANCE COMMISSION'S ATTENTION TO BOSTON PORT NEEDS.

The Mayor has addressed the following letter to the Boston Finance Commission:

BOSTON, May 28, 1924.

HON. MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman, Finance Commission:

DEAR SIR,—The necessity for restoring the commercial standing of Boston in order that permanency and activity in industry may be secured is an imperative and vital issue at the present time.

The City Planning Board has prepared a "Compendium of Reports and Studies Relating to the Commerce and Industries of Boston," which compiles and abstracts more than 150 separate and distinct reports which have been made in the last seventy-five years. In this compendium there has been brought together and classified the principal remedies proposed for backward conditions in the city's commerce and industry, a list of some fifty different projects and programs, many of which have been live issues for decades and are more than ever alive at the present time.

The seriousness of the present situation has been apparently recognized by the Boston Chamber of Commerce who have recently appointed a "Committee on Street Traffic, Industrial Freight and Metropolitan Planning," with the idea of formulating a program which shall be free from the retardation which has been evident in the past in the adoption of progressive measures.

The Affiliated Technical Societies of Boston has also recently appointed a committee to work for the advancement of the Port of Boston, co-operating with

of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

other existing agencies. The Division of Metropolitan Planning of the Metropolitan District Commission has had referred to it by the present Legislature a number of resolves providing for studies of transportation conditions in the metropolitan district.

It occurs to me that it might be very properly considered to be within the province of the Finance Commission, with the co-operation and assistance of other existing bodies, to work out a program for the development of the resources and the promotion of the general commercial and industrial situation throughout the city.

The city of Houston, although forty miles inland, has built a forty mile ship channel to the open sea and as a result points to an increase in tonnage of 355 per cent in 1922 as compared with 1919. The city of New Orleans, located 110 miles from the mouth of the Mississippi river, lays claim to being the second port in the country. It has recently built an inner harbor navigation canal five and one-half miles in length as the first step in a short route from the river to the Gulf of Mexico, shortening the distance by about one-half. In each case the city has overcome a handicap which at no time has confronted our own municipality. If radical measures are needed in other directions the City of Boston should approach them on the same courageous basis which have actuated other municipalities to their ultimate advantage.

I hope it will be possible to arrive at some solution upon which we can all unite in order that Boston may take its rightful place among the great commercial cities of the world.

Yours very truly,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

MAYOR DEFENDS AWARDING OF PAVING CONTRACTS AGAINST FINANCE COMMISSION CHARGES.

SHOWS THAT REJECTION OF LOW BIDS BY FIRMS DEEMED UNQUALIFIED TO SERVE CITY'S BEST INTEREST HAS BEEN JUSTIFIED IN ALL CASES AT GREAT PROFIT.

Mayor Curley made the following reply to the report of the Finance Commission received June 4:

June 4, 1924.

HON. MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN, *Chairman, Finance Commission, Boston, Mass.:*

DEAR SIR, Your letter of June 4 referring to other voluminous reports of the Finance Commission with reference to bituminous pavements and making a further attack upon Warren Brothers Company and Warrenite bitulithic pavement is received. All previous reports referred to which were addressed to me have been answered, and require no further discussion, as my views on the subject matter are so different from those so frequently expressed by your commission.

The rejection of low bids by the Public Works Department during my administration in every case has been to the distinct advantage of the city and the losses claimed in your previous reports have been on paper rather than in the actual cost of a good pavement.

There is no single paving job done by the Warren Company in this city for which any city official need apologize, either as to the character of the work or the cost of same, which unfortunately is not the case with a number of Topeka and other pavements laid under the advice and upon the recommendation of your consulting engineer.

The bids received on April 22 for the paving of Blue Hill avenue and Columbia road were rejected because the tax rate had not been fixed by the Legislature, nor had the budget been approved by the City Council. Owing to the activities of your commission to have the tax rate requested by me disapproved there was no assurance that sufficient funds would be available to include this work, and the bids were therefore rejected. The Commissioner of Public Works advises me that the low bidder, Hudson Paving Company, did not make any examination of the profiles and cross-sections of the proposed work, and probably bid much lower than reasonable because of lack of information.

After the budget has been approved by the City Council, bids were again asked for Blue Hill avenue, omitting Columbia road because it was deemed best to expend the funds required for Columbia road upon other streets in the city. Bids were opened on May 26 and although the Hudson Paving Company were mailed copies of bidding blanks and specifications they did not see fit to submit a bid and could not therefore be considered as bidders. The contract was awarded to Warren Brothers Company for Warrenite bitulithic pavement, that company being the lowest bidder, and the type of pavement contracted for has given better service to the city than the types which your commission has from time to time recommended to be used, many of which are now in unsatisfactory condition and a source of continued expense and annoyance to the city.

It is true that several companies who laid Topeka pavements in the preceding

administration have gone out of existence and it is also true that in awarding these contracts to incompetent contractors the city is now saddled with poor pavements at continuous and increased maintenance cost.

With reference to the lower price bid for Warrenite bitulithic pavement at the Park Department bidding on May 15, the Commissioner of Public Works advises me that the character of the existing pavement on Blue Hill avenue is such that the cost of preparation of the site will be sufficiently greater than on the park roadway to substantially account for the difference in the bids.

The prices paid by this administration for bituminous paving compares favorably with the prices paid by other municipalities in this vicinity for work of the same character as was pointed out in a previous communication to your commission. Furthermore, the prices paid by this administration are much lower than were secured by your chief engineer when he was Superintendent of Streets in 1909, taking into consideration the well known increase in cost of construction and materials since that time.

I beg to say in conclusion that the report which you have this day submitted, and which is a re-hash of what has been many times submitted in the past with reference to bitulithic paving, has aroused grave doubts in my mind as to whether I could justify answering similar communications in future.

To be frank, I am at a loss to understand whether the Finance Commission is spoofing me or whether its engineering head is acting in the capacity of advertising agent for the Warren Brothers Company. To require me to continually sound the praises of a road construction material of proven superiority to any other, with the exception of granite block, can serve no other purpose than that which either your engineer is serving or for the mirth which my answers may produce in the quarters of the Finance Commission.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

FINANCE COMMISSION'S LETTER.

The letter of the Finance Commission was as follows:

BOSTON, June 4, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor:*

SIR,—The Finance Commission from time to time has issued reports regarding provisions in the form of contract and specifications used by the Park and Public Works Departments that have limited competition for street pavements, with consequent increase in cost. Such reports are contained in Vol. XIII, pages 42-49; Vol. XVI, pages 268-273; and Vol. XVIII, pages 139-140, and 192-217, of the Finance Commission's reports.

In addition to the reports above enumerated, the Finance Commission has also called your Honor's attention at various times to the action of the heads of the Public Works and Park Departments

in arbitrarily rejecting the bids of responsible lowest bidders for bituminous pavements, with the object of awarding contracts, either directly or indirectly, to a favored contractor without regard to the cost to the city or the quality of the pavements secured. These reports show the approximate loss to the city of this policy. (See Vol. XIX, pages 89-101, and 117-119.) The action of the city officials so far in regard to bids for bituminous pavements to be laid during the present season indicates that the improvident and unjustified policy of the past two seasons is being continued.

At the beginning of your Honor's present administration there were five local contractors having plants for the preparation of bituminous pavements, and there was in some cases actual competition. On account of the various conditions, but principally on account of the action of the heads of the Public Works and Park Departments in arbitrarily rejecting the lowest bids of responsible contractors and awarding to favored contractors, competition for bituminous pavements has been practically eliminated in the past two years.

On April 22, 1924, bids were opened by the Public Works Department for approximately 63,000 square yards of asphalt or Warrenite-bitulithic pavement on Columbia road and Blue Hill avenue. Five contractors submitted bids, four being local companies and the fifth the Hudson Paving Company of New York, which was doubtless induced by the high prices to enter the competition.

The bid of the Hudson Paving Company, a responsible and skilled company, was \$30,762.30 lower than the bid of the Warren Brothers Company of Boston, the next lowest bidder. Instead of taking advantage of this low bid, with an opportunity of securing a pavement at a saving of approximately \$31,000 below the price of the local contractor, the Commissioner of Public Works rejected all bids.

Recently the Park Department has advertised for bids for approximately 25,545 square yards of asphalt or Warrenite-bitulithic pavement on various parkways. Bids were opened on Thursday, May 15. Three bidders submitted bids as follows: Warren Brothers Company, \$63,128.25; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$68,612.75; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$68,975.50.

An inspection of these bids shows that only one of the bidders has a plant for the preparation of bituminous pavements, viz., Warren Brothers Company. The work of furnishing and laying the pavement comprises more than 70 per cent of the entire work under the contract and, whichever of the bidders was the lowest, the actual laying of the pavement would doubtless be done by Warren Brothers Company as in the past. There was thus in fact only one independent bidder. A significant feature of this last bid of Warren Brothers Company as compared with its bid for Columbia road and Blue Hill avenue, previously noted, is that this company's aggregate bid for reshaping and laying pavement is \$2 per square yard, whereas in its Blue Hill avenue and Columbia road bid the price was \$2.37 per square yard. The greater part of this reduction in price of 37 cents per square yard, or approximately 15½ per cent, is undoubtedly due to the fear of competition, instilled by the bid of the Hudson Paving Company for the work on Columbia road and Blue Hill avenue. Thus fear of competition has in this

single instance resulted in a saving to the city of \$9,500.

On Monday, May 26, bids were opened for paving with sheet asphalt or Warrenite-bitulithic Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester, from Canterbury street to River street. This was approximately two-thirds of the same contract for which bids were received on April 22 and rejected, and where the Hudson Paving Company was the lowest bidder. Bids were received as follows:

	Warrenite-Bitulithic	Sheet Asphalt.
Warren Brothers Co.	\$129,236 00	
A. G. Tomasello & Son.	132,944 50	\$132,944 50
S. J. Tomasello	135,470 00	136,296 00
John McCourt Co.	136,553 15	136,553 15

As with the bids of the Park Department, previously referred to, only one of the bidders has a plant for laying bituminous pavements, viz., Warren Brothers Company. In this contract the laying of the pavement, together with the necessary grading, constituted approximately 72 per cent of the entire contract. Whoever received the contract, Warren Brothers Company would do 72 per cent of the work as heretofore in the past two years. It therefore appears that there was only one independent bidder in the competition.

By applying the prices bid by the Hudson Paving Company in the competition of April 22 to the quantities of the latest bids, it is apparent that if this contract is awarded to Warren Brothers Company it will cost the city approximately \$14,000 more than if the same area had been awarded to the Hudson Paving Company under the previous competition. A most serious incident in this whole matter is the eliminating of a responsible outside bidder.

The policy followed by the Commissioner of Public Works and the Park Commissioners during the past two years has completely eliminated competition for bituminous pavements. The prices paid have been exorbitant, as shown by the figures of actual cost in the Finance Commission's report, dated March 14, 1924. The city has in some cases secured a markedly inferior pavement. The confidence of contractors in the good faith of the city has been destroyed, so that real competition has practically disappeared and cost to the city has increased.

The remedy for the conditions herein disclosed has already been many times pointed out by this Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of time until October 1 for the completion of contract for Columbus Park improvements.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

A. D. Daddario has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in School street, Brighton, between Waverly street and Fletcher street, from May 20, 1924, to May 26, 1924 (6 days).

WORK FOR NAVY YARD.

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the repairs on the "Utah" and "Florida," as proposed would insure permanent work for employees of the Navy Yard for at least eighteen months. The passage of the Naval Appropriation Bill with these items included is important to this section of Massachusetts in view of present unsettled industrial conditions.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for grading and loaming at Fens Athletic Field, Back Bay. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, June 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for grading and loaming at Dorchester park, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, June 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for renting boats and refreshment privileges for a term of three years, at the public landing, City Point, South Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston.

Bids close Thursday, June 19, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the construction and finishing of the reviewing stand to be erected on Boston Common, facing Tremont street. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Buildings Department, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Saturday, June 14, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for rebuilding the middle pier at Boston landing at the South Ferry. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$800, to be filed

at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 16, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Grove street, from Centre street to Washington street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$31,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, June 11, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for Portland cement, concrete pavement and sewerage works in South Sanitary Yard, Albany street, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$13,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Paris street, between Sumner street and manhole 275 feet easterly. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$150, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, June 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for filling sewerage works and water works in Ashley street, from Breen street to Boardman street, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$18,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,800, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 13, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for catch-basins, manholes and minor drains in Ifley road, between Washington street and Walnut avenue, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$750. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 16, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Weld street outlet in Montclair avenue; private land and Board of Survey street Nos. 1778 and 1779, between Merlin street and Weld street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$7,000. Blank forms for

proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$700, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, June 19, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in various streets as indicated in advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 9, at 2 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing work benches in the various schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing printing equipment on the second floor of the Abraham Lincoln School, Fayette and Ferdinand streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing woodworking machinery in the Ralph Waldo Emerson School, Shirley street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for selling to the city land for an elementary school in the Everett District, South End, Boston, bounded by Shawmut avenue, Tremont, Rutland and West Concord streets. Proposals must be submitted to the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on or before June 10, 1924.

Advertises for proposals for doing painting work at the East Boston High School, Marion street, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by

MAYOR CURLEY ACCEPTS CHALLENGE OF HOOD MENACE TO CITIZENSHIP.

ACCEPTS DEFY OF KU KLUX KLAN AS ISSUED, SINGLING HIM OUT FOR ATTACK DURING MEETING AT ROCHESTER, N. H.—MAYOR TELLS KNIGHTS OF THE COTTON CLOTH TRADITIONS OF MASSACHUSETTS HAVE NOTHING IN COMMON WITH THEIR ORDER.

A news dispatch from Rochester, N. H., the lair of the Ku Klux Klan, states that the Knights of the Night Shirt, in darkness assembled, had nominated Governor Smith of New York and Mayor Curley of Boston to the "Who's Through in America" Club.

Mayor Curley said after reading the dispatch:

"The action of the night-blooming gentry is a challenge that I accept for it puts the campaign for the governorship of Massachusetts upon an American basis and will be waged out in the open under the sun in the daylight by self-respecting Americans and not in the cellars of the city nor in the shadows and darkness of the woods and secret places by the enemies of America and Americanism.

"The united and harmonious Democratic Party of Massachusetts will renominate the Hon. David I. Walsh for United States Senator and Hon. James M. Curley for Governor of the Commonwealth, without opposition, and the party will march to the polls and register a victory of 100,000 majority. While it was believed that the campaign in Massachusetts would be fought on the palpable inefficiency, unfitness, infidelity to principle and promise and maladministration of their political trust by the Republican Party and its nominees, the Ku Klux Klan and its aiders and abettors are drawing a herring across the trail of Republican crime and corruption and seeking to make race and religion the tests of a man's fitness for public office.

"I accept the challenge of these misguided, malignant, midnight enemies of the American Constitution, foes of the honor and good name of this Commonwealth, with full confidence in the character, courage, manhood and Americanism of the people of Massachusetts, who are still faithful to the memory of the Fathers who founded the United States and the principles they proclaimed and practiced and proud that they have sustained and defended their country in every crisis from all enemies at home and abroad.

"I have full faith in the honor and patriotism of my fellow citizens of Massachusetts where I was born and bred; they will accept or reject candidates on their merits, on their loyalty to the Constitution and laws of the state, on their record

and performance; and will never permit this Cradle of American Liberty to be transformed into a cesspool of bigotry and lawlessness, where the American flag is used to shelter the nocturnal enemies of law, order, justice and Americanism.

"The people of Massachusetts have never been faithless to the constitutional rights of all men regardless of race, creed and color; their fathers fought and died on a hundred fields to preserve government of the people, by the people, for the people; they will never permit the government of this Commonwealth of Warren, Otis, Adams, Hancock, Webster, Garrison and Hoar to be captured, ruled and degraded by any sect or society, clique or Klan; and they can be depended upon to beat from the Stars and Stripes the nocturnal vermin hiding in its folds.

"Whenever the Klan pokes its head out of its holes and cellars it will find me and the party I represent waiting out in the middle of the road in the broad sunlight of the American day, ready to drive it back into the obscurity and ignorance from which it emerged, and they will find back of me the manhood and Americanism of Massachusetts, which has never compromised with treason or accepted fellowship with ignorance and bigotry.

"The government that saw its birth in this old Commonwealth, which was baptized in the blood of the men of all races and creeds who died in the Revolution from Lexington to Yorktown, which was cradled by Adams and Hancock, led to battle and guided to victory and stability by Washington, counseled and directed by Jefferson, defended by Jackson, saved and preserved by Lincoln and enthroned in the hearts of a free people by American valor and loyalty, will not surrender its principles and honor to an aggregation of midnight marauders, intolerant bigots and ignorant dupes seeking the destruction of the fairest and freest land on top of God's footstool.

"That is my answer to the Ku Klux Klan and those who live and serve Massachusetts in honor and loyalty will stand with me. That they may not be permitted to poison and rot this splendid land, degrade our flag and destroy our government, we must destroy them root and branch."

a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, June 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing and completing new boilers and making certain other changes in the heating system in the Paul Revere School, Prince street. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accom-

panied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing addition and alterations to the George T. Angell Elementary School, Sherwin-Hyde District, Hunne-man street and Harrison avenue, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009,

City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the Grant School, Phillips street, West End. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing wood working machinery in the Henry L. Pierce School, Washington street and Welles avenue, Dorchester district. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing printing equipment in the Prince School, Exeter and Newbury streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for making certain changes in the heating system in the Sherwin School, Sterling street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Teachers College, formerly the Normal Group, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, the Fenway. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, June 11. Bids accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 3, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing electric lamps to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in

an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 13, at 12 m.

LAND-TAKING IN CHARLESTOWN.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of the southeasterly corner of Tremont and Edgeworth streets, Charlestown district, as a highway.

The highway named Tremont street is hereby widened at the southeasterly corner of Edgeworth street, and ordered constructed.

The part of said highway as widened herein, and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northeast by the southwesterly line of Tremont street as it existed previous to this widening, thirty-four and 88-100 feet; south by the southerly line of Tremont street as hereby widened, thirty-seven and 47-100 feet; and northwest by the southeasterly line of Edgeworth street as it existed previous to this widening, twelve and 50-100 feet; containing two hundred and eighteen square feet, more or less.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned estate sustains damages by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of the southeasterly corner of Tremont and Edgeworth streets, Charlestown district, as a highway, under the order of the board of even date herewith, in the amount hereinafter set against it, and awards said amount therefor.

Amount.

Kate E. Crogan Heirs, 218 square feet, \$136 25

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner for the following construction work:

To construct a 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer in Blue Hill avenue, northwesterly side, between a point about 180 feet southwest of Harvard street and a point 232 feet southwest in the Dorchester district, at a cost of \$2,300.

NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING.

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polling booth. The building is to be fire-proof throughout.

The exterior is a modern adaptation of Tudor architecture, of brick with stone cornice, quoins and trim. Over the central entrance is a carved stone bay window flanked by two octagonal towers of brick and stone. The architects have taken into consideration possible future extensions, and the building is designed with this in view.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, June 5:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The following-named temporary clerks have been granted an extension of time:

John J. Mahoney, for a period of thirty days, for abstracting deeds at the Suffolk Registry, upon piece-work basis at 10 cents per deed.

John M. Devine, for a period of ten days, at \$1 a day.

William H. Doherty, for a period of ten days, at \$1 a day.

Eileen P. Burke, has been appointed clerk and stenographer, at \$900 a year.

Lawrence D. Riley, has been transferred from special clerk and tax examiner at \$2,100 to special assessment clerk at \$2,100 a year.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been appointed at the Boston Sanatorium:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Catherine Simmons, assistant, \$420 a year; Henry Sheehan, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; John McCarthy, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; John Kenny, maid, \$480 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Stephen Morrissey, maid (patient), \$210 a year; Minnie Epstein, laundress, \$120 a year; Margaret Allison, laundress, \$420 a year; Mary Donoghue, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Catherine Simmons, assistant cook, \$420 a year.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Edgar B. Coombs, assistant engineer, from \$36 to \$39 a week; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, from \$36 to \$39 a week; William Jennings, assistant engineer, from \$36 to \$39 a week; Alfred Ericson, assistant engineer, from \$36 to \$39 a week; Daniel Sweeney, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week; Thomas Melley, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week; Michael Dolan, fireman, from \$33 to \$36 a week; Frank Healy, chauffeur, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year; Mary O'Leary, stenographer, from \$940 to \$1,000 a year; Florence Byrne, stenographer, from \$940 to \$1,000 a year.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

John F. Fogarty, clerk, on leave of absence without pay on account of sickness has been granted an extension of three months.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

James F. Anderson, clerk in the Public Works Department, Water Service, Income Division, has been transferred to clerk in the Collecting Department, at \$1,800 a year.

Francis J. O'Connell has been granted the following payment for services as acting teller from May 1 to May 22, inclusive, nineteen days, \$57.

Michael F. Gearin has been promoted from clerk at \$1,900 to deputy collector at \$2,000.

Joseph J. Callahan, clerk, at \$1,800, has been promoted to clerk at \$1,900.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

John J. Mahoney has been given a provisional appointment as chief food inspector at \$2,300 a year.

George W. Comerford has been given a permanent appointment as chief sanitary inspector at \$2,500 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, May 29:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Arthur Boston, porter, \$17.50 a week; Otto C. Yens, technician, \$25 a week; Katie Crenn, ward helper, \$11 a week; Nellie Kelley, ward helper, \$11 a week; Mary Donnelly, ward helper, \$11 a week; Catherine Connor, ward helper, \$11 a week; Cora Boyd, ward helper, \$11 a week; Elizabeth Doran, ward helper, \$9.50 a week; Isabel Kippenhan, ward helper, \$9.50 a week; Mary Magill, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Louise Loplatto, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Pearl Laskey, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Daniel Coakley, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Thomas Seeley, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; John Talieri, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; George McClellan, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Charles Redish, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Dr. Joseph Resnik, assistant physician, therapeutics, \$34.52 a week, \$1,800 a year; Clarence Orne, male nurse, \$9.33 a week; Dr. D. McKinnon, executive assistant, \$34.52 a week, \$1,800 a year; Charles Lynch, refrigerator man, \$15 a week; Gladys Leavitt, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Mary Massey, cleaner, \$9.50 a week; Mary McDonald, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Elmer T. Gray, elevatorman, \$11 a week.

Temporary.—Carl G. Muhle, reconstruction aid, \$28 a week; Kathleen Walsh, reconstruction aid, \$28 a week; Minnie Toomey, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Patrick Mealey, porter and tending furnace, \$27 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Edward F. Cronin, refrigatorman at \$15 to plumber's helper at \$17.50 a week; Margaret Donnelly, supply cook at \$15 to cleaner at \$11.50 a week.

Dr. Robert C. Cochrane has been appointed on the Radium Committee and sent to the Radium School in Pittsburgh for four or five days, at an expense not to exceed \$150.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, June 5:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Esther F. Shannon, social worker, \$1,000 a year; Elizabeth Rice, social worker, \$1,000 a year; Harry Conley, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; John Pievold, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Frances Bolger, ward assistant, \$11 a week; Agnes M. Regan, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Margaret Murphy, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Kathleen Regan, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Sophie White, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Mary Brophy, laundress, \$14 a week; Evelyn Emerson, laundress, \$14 a week; George L. Cavanaugh, cook's assistant, \$16 a week; Margaret Bradford, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Florence Shoales, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Ellen Kimball, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Gertrude McGee, laundress, \$14 a week; Lillian Finlay, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Peter Coleman, jobber, \$18 a week; Peter Sheughnessy, center orderly, \$11.50 a week; Edwin Kerwin, center orderly, \$10 a week; George Cavanaugh, kitchenman, \$19 a week; Margaret M. Hickey, affiliate nurse, \$16.67 a month; Sylvie Worthington, affiliate nurse, \$6 a month; Alice McCreight, affiliate nurse, \$16.67 a month; Mary

Van Vleck, head nurse, \$85 a month; Alida Keith, nurse, \$12 a month.

Temporary.—Donald McCloskey, telephone operator, \$22 a week; Peter Breen, assistant engineer, \$40 a week; Bridget Glynn, chambermaid, \$9.50 a week; William Bonner, house cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Jane Brennan, chambermaid, \$9.50 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Jessie Angus, nurse, no pay, to \$10 a month; Marguerite Doucette, nurse, no pay, to \$10 a month; Mary Feeney, nurse, no pay, to \$10 a month; Kathleen Foley, nurse, no pay, to \$10 a month; Rita Lenglille, nurse, no pay, to \$10 a month; Louise McCarthy, nurse, no pay, to \$10 a month; Anna O'Leary, nurse, no pay, to \$10 a month; Ester Boyd, nurse no pay, to \$10 a month; Jeannette Bowman, nurse, \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, May 29:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

James Conley, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed John Boyle.

Margaret J. Roughsedge, attendant, at a salary of \$500 a year, to succeed Orrin Polk.

Marion Carey, institution employee, at a salary of \$520 a year, to succeed Margaret Roughsedge.

House of Correction, Deer Island.

Joseph A. McVey, officer, at a salary of \$1,200 a year, to succeed John P. Egan.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Michael F. O'Connor, employed as night fireman, has ceased work.

Andreas DeMarco has been appointed permanent clerk with a knowledge of stenography at \$800 a year from May 20.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Cornelius J. Murphy, gardener of the second class at \$5 a day, has been promoted to gardener of the first class at \$5.50 a day.

John J. Murphy, 2d, gardener of the second class at \$5 a day, has been promoted gardener of the first class at \$5.50 a day.

Thomas O'Brien, gardener of the second class at \$5 a day, has been promoted to gardener of the first class at \$5.50 a day.

Martin F. Walsh, tree climber at \$4.50 a day, has been promoted to gardener of the second class at \$5 a day.

John H. Flynn, tree climber at \$4.50 a day, has been promoted to gardener of the second class at \$5 a day.

Daniel J. Harkins, headkeeper of animals, at \$2,000 a year has been promoted to curator with salary of \$2,500 a year.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

Maurice F. Murphy has been appointed temporarily, for two months, as a key-board operator at \$40.50 a week.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Anna Steele, telephone operator, has been granted leave of absence, with loss of pay, for a period of three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Charles C. Cassidy, transitman, has been granted an increase from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

Louis T. Luzio has been employed as temporary assistant drawtender at \$1,600

a year for a period of thirty days to fill a temporary vacancy.

Carlton J. Bell has been appointed a rodman at \$18 a week for a period of three months.

Michael J. McLaughlin and Dennis J. Coughlin have been employed as temporary assistant drawtenders at the rate of \$1,600 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

John J. Kerrigan has been appointed boilermaker at \$5.50 a day in the Ferry Service.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

James F. Hayde, subforeman has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

The following promotions have been made in the Paving Service:

John E. Connor and Walter A. Maloy, from senior draughtsmen at \$1,800 a year, to designing draughtsmen at \$1,860 a year.

Timothy J. O'Connor, from transitman at \$1,800 a year, to designing draughtsman at \$1,860 a year.

Edmund P. Tobin has been appointed temporary rodman at \$18 a week in the Paving Service for a period of four months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Patrick A. Egan, Sanitary Service, has been given a change of rating from stableman at \$4.50 a day to feeder at \$4.75 a day.

William J. Sullivan has been transferred from the Department of the State Secretary to the Roxbury Sanitary District as clerk at \$1,100 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Patrick J. Brennan has been appointed as inspector at \$1,400 a year for three months.

William H. Lythgoe has been appointed sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year in the Sewer Service for a period of six months.

John J. Cusick has been promoted from draughtsman at \$1,800 a year, to designing draughtsman at \$1,860 a year.

Thomas J. Henry has been appointed as temporary rodman at \$18 a week in the Sewer Service for a period of three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

James P. Nolan, Philip V. Canavan and John F. Morgan have been appointed permanent water meter readers at \$1,300 a year to fill existing vacancies.

The following promotions have been made in the Water Service:

Martin Burke, mechanic, from \$5.25 to \$5.50 a day.

Patrick Shea, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.25 a day.

Alessandro Iula, mechanic, from \$4.75 to \$5 a day.

George Cunningham, from laborer at \$4.50 a day to mechanic at \$4.75 a day.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

James H. McInerney has been granted an additional extension of three months as rodman, at \$1,100 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day

* Provided for in budget.

it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, May 29: Edgar Coombs, assistant engineer, 10½ hours, \$5.25; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 8½ hours, \$4.25; Alfred Ericson, assistant engineer, 1 hour, \$0.50; Daniel Sweeney, fireman, 8½ hours, \$4.25; Thomas Melley, fireman, 1½ hours, \$0.75; Michael Dolan, 2½ hours, \$1.25.

For the week ending Thursday, June 5: Fred Sullivan, William Jennings, Alfred Ericson, assistant engineers, 1 day, \$6.50 each; Thomas Melley, Daniel Sweeney, Michael Dolan, firemen, 1 day, \$6 each.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 29:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 3 hours, \$2.50; R. Johnson, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$8.52; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$4.37; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$2.67; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; C. J. Doran, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62; C. Clancy, elevatorman, 24 hours, \$5.52; E. McKeon, elevatorman, 12 hours, \$2.76; A. McKenzie, elevatorwoman, 12 hours, \$2.76; F. Woodward, elevatorwoman, 12 hours, \$2.76; E. Skanes, baker's assistant, 6 hours, \$1.38; J. S. Gill, baker, 10½ hours, \$6.62; J. Burke, house cleaner, 3¾ hours, \$0.94.

South Department.

J. Daly, laundryman, 9 hours, \$5.44; H. Kerwin, laundryman, 9 hours, \$3.38; J. Bean, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62.

Total, \$81.77.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 29:

House of Correction.

David J. Tobin, fireman, 1½ days, \$8.25

Steamers "Michael J. Perkins" and "George A. Hibbard."

Charles W. Russell, chief engineer, 6¾ hours, \$6.33.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, May 29:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, custodian, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Fairview Cemetery.

Thomas Faherty, James Kingston, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

For the week ending Thursday, June 5:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Thomas H. Brahany, Henry T. Brennan, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Joseph Horgan, Bernard McCabe, Charles Ring, Henry J. Moylan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, custodian, one day, \$5.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, May 29: Stephen E. Merrick, errand boy, 16 hours, \$5.44; Patrick T. Kelly, monotype

caster operator, 3 hours, \$2.46; James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 3 hours, \$2.85. Total, \$10.75.

Retroactive, appearing on payrolls, from April 4 to and including May 22:

Edward J. Stanton, proofreader, \$1.15; Joseph Ciccola, compositor, \$0.14; John Cotter, compositor, \$0.70; Emanuel J. DeFreitas, compositor, \$0.42; James Dolan, compositor, \$1.05; Kerrens J. Finn, compositor, \$0.52; Robert J. Hunter, compositor, \$0.14; John Ward, compositor, \$0.42; Daniel Cadigan, compositor, \$1.11; John Fisher, compositor, \$0.93; Christopher Fitzgerald, compositor, \$0.06; Abraham Rosen, compositor, \$0.38; Daniel F. Sullivan, apprentice, \$0.15; John Cosgrove, cylinder pressman, \$0.21; Frederick McCarthy, cylinder pressman, \$0.14; Arthur Sennett, cylinder pressman, \$0.14; John J. Carey, press feeder, \$0.14; John Foley, press feeder, \$0.21; Thomas Ryan, press feeder, \$0.14; John Bireh, sheet stockman, \$0.21; Frank Coughlin, truck chauffeur, \$0.21; James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, \$0.24; Edward R. Morris, apprentice, \$0.56.

Total, \$9.37.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 5: J. Conlon, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; F. Twitchell, engineer, 1 day and 12 hours, \$16.67; J. Campbell, M. Bricke, T. Swift, firemen, 1 day, \$6 each.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service.)

For the week ending Monday, June 2: *Captains.*—Andrew A. Greer, Timothy A. Toohig, William J. Ivers, James J. Kelly, Edward R. Gray, Adin C. Small, 1 day, \$7.67 each.

Quartermasters.—Joseph B. Nealon, William Hogan, Patrick F. Kirley, William J. Wilkie, Charles Stafford, Edward C. Crouse, 1 day, \$6 each.

Deckhands.—William A. Joyce, Dennis G. Sheehan, John J. Pilcher, John Sweeney, Frank N. McGee, Henry J. Hayes, Thomas Doyle, John J. Cooper, Batista Forgione, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Tollmen.—James D. Coughlin, Thomas F. Lynch, William J. Timmins, John D. Mahoney, Henry H. McCarthy, William G. Greenall, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Gatemen.—John D. Collins, James A. Quinn, William C. McMullen, Joseph A. Browne, Thomas A. O'Hare, Arthur F. Keefe, Walter H. Noyes, 1 day, \$5.25 each.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—Alfred N. Wesberg, John J. Pugh, Christopher T. Leonard, Jeremiah Donahue, Edward J. O'Brien, Joseph O. White, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Engineers.—George F. Keating, John T. Quinn, John H. Sullivan, Daniel F. Rowen, Richard J. Shaw, John J. Reardon, 1 day, \$7.50 each.

Firemen.—George B. Roddy, Simon Collins, James Porter, Owen Moore, Charles Doherty, Nathan McConn, John Gannon, Christobal Fradau, Ernest L. Yocum, John Turvanen, Dennis T. Horgan, John W. O'Connell, Timothy F. Tierney, John Kelly, Morgan J. Sullivan, Owen F. Cox, James Reilly, Patrick McDevitt, Jeremiah McCarthy, Thomas Baggott, Edward P. Donahue, Thomas Murphy, Francis M. Donahue, Philip F. Gallagher, James Carlin, August J. Sommers, John J. Ranahan, John J. Sullivan, 1 day, \$6 each; James Daerie, 2 days, \$12.

Total, \$452.02.

Net cost for the week ending June 2, 1924, \$452.02.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 2: *Laborers.*—Elmer Kendall, Garrett Sullivan, William Hurley, Michael Sweeney, Timothy Donovan, Christopher Sullivan, Vincent X. Fallon, Daniel McCormack, Patrick Dolan, Thomas Dolan, George McCormack, Timothy Reardon, Daniel Higgins, John Devlin, Timothy McCarthy, Peter Riordon, Thomas Sheeran, Michael Caine, Arthur Connor, David Pyne, William Hyde, James Hall, James McDonough, John McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Barnet Bejeches, William Carolan, Michael Fitzgerald, Matthew J. Russell, Sebastian Selvitella, 1+ days, \$4.64 each; William Jeffers, 1½ days, \$5.06; Patrick Doherty, 1½ days, \$5.06.

Stablemen.—Maurice Fitzgerald, Alexander McCarthy, Richard O'Neill, Richard Howard, John J. Carroll, Michael Doyle, Charles Jacobs, John Ring, James McKenney, James Fitzgerald, Charles Bleiler, Thomas Conboy, Thomas Clarke, Thomas Heavey, Michael Barry, William Corrigan, Bartholomew Dunn, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Fireman.—Timothy Lyons, 1 day, \$5.

Teamsters.—Frank Haley, George Currie, John Doherty, William Doyle, Thomas Walsh, Charles Devine, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Watchmen.—Timothy Callahan, James Noonan, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—William Shaughnessy, 1 day, \$4.75.

Carpenters' Helpers.—John T. Kelley, Michael Maguire, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Yardmen.—Charles Hennrikus, Daniel Crowley, Daniel Anglin, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Pavers.—Philip McGinn, William Donahue, 1+ days, \$5.67 each; Arcangelo Faiella, 1½ days, \$6.19.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 2: *Feeders.*—P. A. Eagan, J. Gallagher, J. Canny, W. Cassell, J. E. Burns, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Stablemen.—P. Lane, J. J. O'Connor, G. Stapleton, T. J. Berrane, M. Campbell, J. H. Carey, P. Coffey, J. Donnelly, P. J. Downey, 2d, M. S. Ryan, F. Calbag, J. Curran, J. H. Kelly, J. Keyes, W. Knightley, W. Magee, J. McCaffrey, J. O'Halloran, J. Sullivan, F. W. Annis, C. J. Haley, F. H. Kane, W. Quirk, J. L. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers, Teamsters.—J. Campbell, J. A. McNutt, E. Currie, M. J. Fitzpatrick, F. M. Williams, P. R. Tully, F. G. Kramer, J. A. Callahan, W. F. Carmody, T. F. Carroll, P. Cassino, J. J. Curran, J. J. Dolan, J. J. Donelan, J. Dumphy, N. J. Dunn, J. Fahey, J. J. Fitzgerald, E. F. Gardner, A. E. Jose, E. F. Keefe, T. F. Landrigan, J. J. McEnrue, P. Norton, P. O'Hea, M. O'Meara, J. D. Reagan, J. T. Westwater, J. W. Wilmouth, J. F. Cavinaro, T. Cunningham, R. J. Hughes, K. F. Kenney, L. W. Lawler, M. F. McGrath, J. O'Brien, L. Powers, M. Shaller, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Yard Laborers.—W. J. McCarthy, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborer, Teamster.—B. F. Lyons, 2 days, \$9.

Watchmen.—E. Collins, W. F. Ryan, P. J. Downey, 1st, P. Doyle, J. Moore, J. Fay, M. J. Gately, P. Griffin, J. J. O'Neill, T. Riley, P. J. Griffin, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Wharfinger.—J. A. Thomas, 1 day, \$4.50.

Wharfmen.—P. J. Kellard, J. L. Burk, J. F. Fay, J. Fleming, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 2 days, \$9 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 2 days, \$9.50. Total, \$420.25.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, June 3:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Collins, 2 days, \$10; Michael Foley, 1½ days, \$7.50; Stephen Manning, Jeremiah O'Brien, Michael Neary, 1 day, \$5 each; Thomas Byrne, 1 day, \$4.75.

Laborers.—Patrick Fitzgerald, 2½ days, \$11.25; James McCarthy, 2 days, \$9; Michael McMahon, Herman Hodapp, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Patrick Barry, John English, John O'Neil, John Connor, Thomas Coughlin, Andrew Flaherty, Peter Connolly, Thomas McDonough, Joseph Clougherty, James McFarland, Thomas Kirby, Bernard Brady, James Barrett, Patrick Egan, James Keelan, Patrick Lombard, Michael Vaughan, Edward Francis, Malachi Hanley, Timothy Driscoll, John Crowley, Thomas Kelly, Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Assistant Engineers.—William Bragger, Thomas Maher, John McCarthy, 1 day, \$7.17 each.

Firmen, Oilers, etc.—Joseph Sullivan, 3 days, \$18; John Jordan, Philip Lamb, Jeremiah Delaney, John Drillo, Edward Collins, Timothy Scully, Michael Reilly, Thomas McLaughlin, Patrick Curley, John Doherty, James Conlon, Garrett Connolly, Neil Grant, Joseph Quilty, John Hennessey, Patrick Keating, John Francis, William Mullin, Patrick Thornton, Christopher Kenney, 1 day, \$6 each. Total, \$334.01.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 2:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, P. F. Scanlan, J. M. McGrath, T. O'Malley, T. Dahill, R. Coughlin, M. O'Connell, T. Ormand, B. Callahan, J. O'Donnell, W. O'Brien, D. Powers, J. L. Gould, J. De Coursey, P. F. McManus, P. Daley, T. Downey, J. F. Brady, F. R. Deacon, J. O'Leary, J. Collins, M. Gilmartin, O. Doherty, J. J. Golden, M. S. Healey, J. J. Jones, B. J. Manning, J. J. Schoen, M. J. Kennedy, G. Geegan, W. Batts, W. Dwyer, W. Gorman, W. Hartnett, M. McCormack, J. J. McHugh, J. Monahan, C. Sullivan, J. Whelton, J. Holland, C. Noon, S. Sawyer, R. Burke, J. J. Carroll, F. Dysart, P. Canny, J. Donahue, J. B. Sullivan, H. McCarron, N. Albano, F. Certosimo, F. DiAmbrosio, J. J. Daley, P. J. Hartigan, P. Hogan, R. M. Jennings, L. Kilduff, T. M. McClutchey, J. McGarry, T. McGuinness, B. Maraghy, E. Moore, M. Norton, D. F. O'Keefe, J. Robertson, J. Rogers, N. Ryan, J. T. Slattery, J. H. Smith, B. Sullivan, F. T. Taylor, J. P. Touhy, M. Weidman, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—J. Dahill, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, C. J. Sullivan, E. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, G. Riley, J. F. Brown, D. J. Callahan, L. Davis, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, 2 days, \$9 each.

Chauffeurs.—M. J. Coakley, W. G. Earley, J. J. Landrigan, J. J. McGrath, T. Earl, J. Z. Lamothe, J. J. Marshall, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Chauffeur.—W. Henderson, 1 day, \$5.

Feeders.—J. J. Shea, L. McGahan, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Total, \$494.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending June 2:

Chauffeurs.—J. O'Brien, J. Supple, J. Conlon, J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Burns, T. Kelleher, 2 days, \$10 each.

Emergencymen.—J. Doherty, D. Curley, M. Donohue, 1 day, \$5.50 each; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, 2 days, \$9.50 each; W. Fitzsimmons, 1 day, \$4.50; M. Walsh, 1½ days, \$7.50; W. Lonergan, 2 days, \$9; W. Rice, 2 days, \$9.50; P. Clougherty, 2 days, \$10; H. McCauley, T. Flanagan, 2 days, \$9 each; A. Christie, 1 day, \$5.50; J. Mahan, J. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. Kelley, 1 day, \$5; R. Curcio, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Gateley, 1 day, \$5.25; M. McCue, 1 day, \$4.50; W. Scanlon, 2 days, \$11.

Repairers.—A. LoPilato, 2 days, \$9.50; J. Roust, 2 days, \$9; J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.75; M. Hogarty, 1 day, \$5; E. Rafferty, 2½ days, \$11.56; J. Hurihan, 1½ days, \$7.22; P. Flynn, 1½ days, \$6.56; P. Clougherty, 1½ days, \$8.25; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$7.50; P. Ippolito, 1½ days, \$7.22; R. Kelley, 1½ day, \$4.69; C. Driscoll, ¾ day, \$2.06; A. Martin, 1 day, \$4.50; W. Shields, 2½ days, \$13.91; T. Brynes, ¾ day, \$5.25; W. McDougall, ¾ day, \$1.78; J. Blessington, ¾ day, \$1.88; D. Shea, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. O'Brien, ¾ day, \$1.69; B. McManus, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Cummings, 2½ days, \$12.38; M. Rizzo, 2½ days, \$10.69; J. Fenton, 2½ days, \$10.13; M. Matthews, 3½ days, \$16.25; S. Mickewicz, ¾ days, \$1.97; F. Laskey, ¾ day, \$1.69; F. Giammito, ¾ day, \$1.69; H. Killoran, ¾ day, \$1.69; A. Citrone, ¾ day, \$1.69; C. Pratt, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Lonergan, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. McLean, 1 day, \$5; D. McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50; M. McGrail, 1 day, \$4.50; J. O'Brien, ¾ day, \$0.50; P. F. Clougherty, ¾ day, \$0.95; J. Burke, ¾ day, \$0.47; J. Burns, ¾ day, \$0.75; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.25; J. Cummings, 2 days, \$11; M. Matthews, 2 days, \$10; M. Rizzo, 2 days, \$9.50; G. Cataldo, 2 days, \$9; N. De Eso, 2 days, \$9; J. Fenton, 2 days, \$9; F. Schena, 1 day, \$5.25.

Laborers.—P. Martello, 1 day, \$4.50; J. O'Toole, 2½ days, \$12.66; F. McGuinness, 1½ days, \$5.91; J. Curtin, 1½ days, \$5.91; E. Hart, 1½ days, \$6.75; T. Gallagher, 1½ days, \$6.75; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; J. F. Burke, 1½ days, \$6.75; M. Barron, 1½ days, \$6.75; F. Willhauch, 2 days, \$9; T. Toolin, 1 day, \$4.50; B. Doherty, 2 days, \$9; P. Waters, 1 day, \$4.50; C. King, 2 days, \$9; S. LoPilato, 2 days, \$9; E. Pyne, 1 day, \$4.50; J. M. O'Toole, 2 days, \$9; J. Cunningham, 1 day, \$4.50; J. O'Leary, 1 day, \$4.50; P. Cassidy, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Feeley, ¾ day, \$1.27; G. Cataldo, 1½ days, \$5.06; N. De Eso, 1½ days, \$5.06; W. Gallagher, 1½ days, \$5.06; G. Gravellese, 1½ days, \$5.06; J. McLaughlin, 1½ days, \$5.06; D. Ring, 1 day, \$4.50; C. Gannon, 1 day, \$4.50; D. Hegarty, 1 day, \$4.50; E. Kelley, 1 day, \$4.50; E. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.50; J. McGee, 1 day, \$4.50; T. Klein, 1 day, \$4.50; E. DeAngelis, ¾ day, \$1.69.

Total, \$664.33; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.25; paid by Transit Department, \$57.50; net total, \$601.58.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 5:

T. J. McNally, N. MacPherson, W. Thompson, J. Deery, M. F. Crosson, H. J. Brown, engineers, 8 hours, \$6.67 each; M. Kelley, J. Norton, D. Bransfield, V. Pepe, E. Darcy, R. S. Johnson, J. McDonough, firemen, 8 hours, \$6 each; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours,

\$6.75; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 8 hours, \$4.50; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 8 hours, \$5.52; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 9 hours, \$6.39; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 9 hours, \$6.39; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; G. Roache, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; H. Wilson, elevatorwoman, 16 hours, \$4; J. Wood, jobber-grounds, 1 day, \$3; J. Burke, house cleaner, 3 hours, \$0.75; J. Sheedy, house porter, 3 hours, \$0.88; L. Cobb, house porter, 3 hours, \$0.88; J. Gill, baker, 9 hours, \$5.67.

South Department.

M. Sinclair, head laundress, 6 hours, \$2.50; M. Rattray, M. Whalen, K. Harkins, J. Sullivan, J. Mayne, laundresses, 6 hours, \$1.75 each; J. Daly, laundryman, 6 hours, \$3.75; H. Kerwin, laundryman, 6 hours, \$2.25.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

J. McKenzie, W. Nolan, P. Joyce, P. Mealy, porters and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50 each.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Kane, M. Fitzgerald, J. Corcoran, porters and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$193.69.

MAYOR CURLEY ASKS FOR ACTION ON "DIFFERENTIALS" BEFORE CONGRESS ADJOURNS.

Mayor Curley sent the following telegram to Senators Lodge and Walsh June 5:

Dispatches advise that an adjournment of Congress is imminent and the time for securing the rectification of certain grievances of the Port of Boston is very short.

The matter of "Differential Rates" to and from Boston and the Middle West has been before the Interstate Commerce Commissioner for nearly two years and since the question is purely industrial and commercial and only political in a remote sense, I wire to ask that some action be taken to give the commerce and industry of New England relief from this transportation incubus before adjournment. I am addressing a similar letter to the senior (junior) senator.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

MAYOR IS THANKED BY NEW YORK SCHOOL VISITORS.

Mayor Curley received the following letter signed by pupils of the Speyer Experimental Junior High School, of 94 Lawrence street, New York City, who visited Boston on Saturday, May 31.

Please accept our heartiest thanks for your most cordial welcome on our visit to your office on Saturday last. Your treat was the outstanding feature of a wonderful trip. Your city ought to indeed feel proud of you and we hope that the future will bring continued happiness and success.

If you should visit our city please call at our school and meet the boys whom you so royally welcomed.

Very truly yours,

Miss Lillian Forsyth Coffey.

David Levy, Robert Sloane, Daniel Bernard Stern, Woodrow W. Sandler, Richard Stern, Edmund Lospitalier, George Hepenstal, Alvin Morris, Carlo Liggio, Alvin Miller.

CALLS FOR BROADMINDED LEADERSHIP IN WORLD RELATIONSHIP IF FOREIGN TRADE IS TO GROW.

MAYOR CURLEY WELCOMES DELEGATES TO CONVENTION WITH RINGING ADDRESS AT COPLEY-PLAZA HOTEL. POLICIES OF DOMESTIC WASTE AND FOLLY MUST BE CHANGED, HE TELLS AUDIENCE.

Mayor Curley speaking before the Foreign Trade Convention at the Copley Plaza Hotel June 4 said in part:

The fundamental bases of all commerce, whether it be domestic or foreign, are peace, courtesy and understanding between peoples and governments; without these everything else is valueless. Peace is the normal condition in which industry and commerce alone can function and thrive; war, dissension and distrust are the abnormal conditions that disrupt the relations of men and nations.

The questions of materials, commodities, distribution, ships, transportation, markets, credits and all the other incidents of commerce, cannot be considered and answered unless they are posited upon the basic conditions of commerce — the peace between nations that keeps free and unhampered the highways of trade, the civilized courtesy that respects and compels respect, and the understanding that teaches a wise knowledge of the characteristics and psychology of other peoples, their peculiarities, tastes, religious faiths, and inspires an intelligent tolerance and acceptance of national and human differences.

Commerce elementally is an exchange of materials and commodities; but if the machinery of commerce is to work smoothly and successfully it must be lubricated by a recognition of the human factor in all its various phases and manifestations and an application of the fact that under the skin all men are pretty much alike, their kinship is fundamental, and the things that differentiate men and nations — language, habits, customs, religion, color, laws, are merely incidental and the accident of climate, country, environment and so forth.

Intelligent commerce sees in this infinite variety of human nature and conditions not a barrier to trade and exchange, but an aid to them, more a reason for it. Nature abhors uniformity; no two things in creation are alike; and the greatest incentive to industry, the mother of commerce, which comes next in importance to human necessity, is human diversity.

Here in America, rich in resources of all kinds, varied in climate and production, extensive in its territorial reach and with the soil and product of arctic, temperate and tropic regions, numerous in population of many racial origins, with advantages few others possess, endowed with great mineral wealth and surpassing fertility of soil, a highly developed industrial system and a wonderful capacity for commerce, if we measure capacity by resources, skill and production, and yet with the potential commercial mastery of the world in our grasp we seem to lack the ability to seize and utilize the opportunities that are ours and we grow feeble and futile when we go forth upon the seas.

What is the matter with America? What evil circumstance is paralyzing our energies and nullifying the generosity of God and nature? These questions can

be answered only when we are ready to hear the truth and face its nakedness, when the men of substance, sense and real Americanism are willing to aid in the rehabilitation of our country and the restoration of its ideals of leadership and purpose; when Americans are prepared to supplant provincial vanity and intolerance by national sanity, pride and self-respect, and return to the principles and practices of the fathers and founders of this great Republic. Every evil this country is suffering from today is the outgrowth of petty leadership, provincial policies and politics, and the constant tendency in national legislation to reject the lessons of experience, to hearken to the voices of unwisdom and do the things that misrepresent the Republic and its people in the eyes of the world.

We produce in seven months enough to serve our own markets and unless we can secure foreign markets to consume the products of the other five months we must have closed mills, shops, factories and mines, idle men without work or wages and the most dangerous element that can face a self-governing democracy — unemployment, suffering, discontent and all the dangers of social unrest.

Can we secure foreign markets in which to sell our surpluses? Can we convince the world to trade with us in preference to others because of our friendliness, generosity and humanity? It is doubtful. We have a tariff system that bars our foreign customer from our ports and discourages commerce with us. We have an immigration law that says to the world "Keep out. You are our inferiors. You are dangerous and criminal and not fit to mingle with the supermen we raise in America and call native sons, Ku-Klux Klan and 100 per cent Americans"; and we in every way seek to discourage commerce, trade, and international intercourse. We set up all the features of war, non-intercourse, isolation, repulsion, scorn and insult — and without firing a gun we get all the evils of war and destruction.

South of us extends a continent peopled by one of the oldest, historic races of Europe, professing the oldest form of Christianity and inhabiting a continent that might be a great American market. What do we do? We pronounce in press and pulpit our scorn of these people, insult their race and spit on their religion, and we wonder why they do not love us and trade with us.

If we permit the least desirable elements in America to dictate policies and legislation and if we are too cowardly to reproach and stop those who misrepresent America and Americans to the outer world, we must pay the penalty in industrial depression and commercial atrophy; and see the strange spectacle of a rich, skilful, intelligent people idle and hungry in the midst of plenty. Isn't it time for our people to dethrone the worthless and mischievous from leadership and replace them by the sanity and

intelligence of America. If we insist on finding our leadership in the canebrakes and backwoods we must pay the price in national decay.

We produce of the materials and commodities of the world: 54 per cent iron, 65 per cent steel, 50 per cent copper, 65 per cent oil, 70 per cent cotton, 52 per cent lumber, 43 per cent coal, 41 per cent typewriters, 92 per cent automobiles, 90 per cent corn, and use 65 per cent of the telephones of the world, and in like proportions all along the line of raw and industrial production. What are we going to do with them? We cannot eat them. If we export them nobody wants them. Even inferior foreigners will not trade with those who insult them and refuse their fellowship and we cannot use our guns to compel traders to buy our goods. We must change our policies and leaders, and exchange our policy of domestic waste and folly for one of common sense and international courtesy; we must have foreign markets to consume our surplus or shrivel up into comparative helplessness.

BUYS GARAGE PUMP EQUIPMENT.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved the request of the Public Works Department to buy pump equipment for the Albany Street Garage. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 20, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Your approval is respectfully requested to the attached proposal of the Wayne Tank and Pump Company for furnishing and installing, for the sum of \$1,975, the following equipment at the garage being erected by this department on Albany street: Two gasoline air-operated pumps; one gasoline storage tank; three underground lubricating oil storage tanks; three lubricating oil pumps; one air compressor.

Section 14 of the specifications in the contract of John B. Dolan for erecting the garage gives the city the right to select this equipment. The department has availed itself of this right and has made the necessary deduction from the Dolan contract, which deduction has previously received the approval of your Honor.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Henry F. Malley has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone steps in Northwood street, from Leyden street to Gladstone street, East Boston. Items ordered: Build retaining wall to support the foundation of house at 198 Leyden street. Price to be paid, \$150. Estimated cost of extra work, \$150.

Henry F. Malley has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone steps in Northwood street, from Leyden street to Gladstone street, East Boston. Items ordered: Rebuild artificial stone steps and relay artificial stone walk at 196 Leyden street, rebuild retaining wall and rebuild wooden steps at 94 Gladstone street. Price to be paid \$250. Estimated cost of extra work, \$250.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 4 the Mayor approved a contract with J. A. Singarella for loaming and concrete bleachers at the William E. Carter Playground, Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened May 22, were as follows: Seretto Construction Company, \$34,317.20; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$21,368.75; Joseph Rugo, \$21,278.65; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$20,729.30; Thomas Mulcare, \$20,559.50; John MacDonald Construction Company, \$20,107.65; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$19,904.50; J. A. Singarella, \$17,950.75.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 19 the Mayor approved a contract with Burditt & Williams Company for finish hardware for the Police Station 2 building. Bids were as follows: Burditt & Williams Company, \$7,295; Nichols-Egan Company, \$9,000.

There is an allowance in the contract in the sum of \$7,500 for this work.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Upon June 4 the Mayor approved a contract with the Rindle Stoddard Construction Company for repairing ferry piers. Bids for the work, opened May 28, were as follows:

Rendle Stoddard Construction Company, \$4,667.50; W. H. Ellis & Sons Company, \$5,580.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon June 4 the Mayor approved a contract with A. D. Daddario for sewerage works in Blue Hill avenue, west side, from Harvard street 160 feet southerly to 390 feet southerly, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened June 2, were as follows:

A. D. Daddario, \$2,642; J. Williams & Co., \$2,695; J. Guarino & Co., \$2,762.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,762.90; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$2,806.50; A. Cefalo, \$2,945; C. Iacuzzo, \$3,078; M. H. Loonie, \$3,153.50; George J. Regan, \$3,849.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 29 the Mayor approved a contract with M. S. Kelliher Company for alterations, etc., in the Continuation School, 25 LaGrange street. Bids for the work, opened May 23, were as follows:

M. S. Kelliher Company, \$4,359; New England Building Company, \$5,557; Casey & Darcy Company, \$5,687; Walter Curley & Son, \$5,943; R. J. Connolly, \$6,082; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$7,428.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the lowest bidders as shown for furnishing ice to the various city departments. Bids for the supply, opened May 26, were as follows:

Hospital Department.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$7.50 per ton; Independent Ice Company, \$7 per ton*; the Boston Ice Company, \$7.50 per ton;

Fire Department.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$10 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$10 per ton.*

Public Works Department, Paving Service.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$10 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$10 per ton.*

Public Works Department, Water Service.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$10 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$10 per ton.*

Public Works Department, Street Cleaning and Oiling Service.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$10 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$10 per ton.*

Public Works Department, Sanitary Service.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$10 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$10 per ton.*

Public Works Department, Ferry Service.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$10 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$10 per ton.*

Public Works Department, Bridge Service.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$10 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$10 per ton.*

Public Works Department, Sewer Service.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$10 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$10 per ton.*

Public Buildings Department.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$7.50 per ton; Independent Ice Company, \$8 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$7.50 per ton.*

Annex, Health Department.—The Boston Ice Company, \$7.50 per ton.*

Units, Health Department.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$10 per ton; Independent Ice Company, \$8 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$10.00 per ton.

Library Department.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$10 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$10 per ton.*

Park Department.—Winter Hill Ice Company, \$10 per ton; the Boston Ice Company, \$10 per ton.*

* Awarded contract.

Upon June 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Stanley Harlow, Inc., for furnishing two Ford sedans to the Building Department. Bids for the supplies, on which an allowance on two old Ford sedans was to be made, opened May 29, were as follows:

1924 Two-Door Ford Sedan.—Murray & Jones, Inc., \$651 each; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$651 each; Stanley Harlow, Inc., \$651 each; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$651 each.

July, 1922, Ford Sedan.—Murray & Jones, Inc., \$250 each; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$285 each; Stanley Harlow, Inc., \$320 each; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$225 each.

September, 1922, Ford Sedan.—Murray & Jones, Inc., \$250 each; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$285 each; Stanley Harlow, Inc., \$335 each; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$250 each.

Best Date of Delivery.—Murray & Jones, Inc., immediately; Irwin Motors, Inc., immediately; Stanley Harlow, Inc., immediately; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., immediately.

Total.—Murray & Jones, Inc., \$802; Irwin Motors, Inc., \$732; Stanley Harlow, Inc., \$647*; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., \$827.

* Awarded contract.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Castner, Curran & Bullitt, Inc., for furnishing approximately 18,000 tons of semi-bituminous coal to the Harbor Institutions. Bids for the supplies, opened May 20, were as follows:

Four Thousand Five Hundred Tons, Infirmary Division, Long Island.—Maritime Coaling Company, \$7.08 per ton; E. N. Coal and Coke Company, \$7.10 per ton; Castner, Curran & Bullitt, Inc., \$6.79* per ton.

Four Thousand Five Hundred Tons, Penal Division, Deer Island.—Maritime Coaling Company, \$6.49 per ton; E. N. Coal and Coke Company, \$6.55 per ton; Castner, Curran & Bullitt, Inc., \$6.14* per ton.

Nine Thousand Tons, Public Works Department, Ferry Service.—Maritime Coaling Company, \$6.80 per ton; E. N. Coal and Coke Company, \$6.90 per ton; Castner, Curran & Bullitt, Inc., \$6.54* per ton.

B. T. U.—Maritime Coaling Company, 14,400; E. N. Coal and Coke Company, 14,400; Castner, Curran & Bullitt, Inc., 14,400.

Ash.—Maritime Coaling Company, 6 per cent; E. N. Coal and Coke Company, 5 per cent; Castner, Curran & Bullitt, Inc., 7 per cent. Both copies at Supply Department. Bid irregular.

* Awarded contract.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Upon May 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Hardy and Streeter for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke was as follows:

Boston, May 15, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Hardy and Streeter, 12 Pearl street, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon May 19 the Mayor approved a contract with Charles Latorella for artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, May 19, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Charles Latorella, 15 Orange street, Roslindale, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 16 the Mayor approved the payment of \$10,200 for extra work under contract of J. Edward Ogden Company.

A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 14, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

In connection with the work to be done under the contract with the J. Edward Odgen Company for two sets of Ferry bridge gallows frame and accompanying machinery for the South Ferry, your Honor approved an extra work order upon January 12, 1924, in the sum of \$11,000, to cover the furnishing and installing of mooring hooks and necessary appurtenances and doing the necessary strengthening to hold the mooring hooks in place on the ferryboats "Ralph J. Palumbo," "Lieutenant Flaherty" and "John H. Sullivan."

Since the approval of the above work order a letter submitting a lump sum figure for doing this work has been received which is somewhat lower than the estimate as shown on the work order, and for that reason your approval is now respectfully requested to the cancellation of this work order and to the acceptance of the lump sum figure of \$10,200 as submitted by the contractor in the attached letter.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon May 28 the Mayor approved a contract with the American Car Sprinkler Company for one street car sprinkler. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke, Commissioner of Public Works, was as follows:

BOSTON, May 26, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

I respectfully request permission to award a contract to the American Car Sprinkler Company, Worcester, Mass., without inviting proposals therefor by public advertisement, for one street car sprinkler to operate eight hours a day, flushing from June 1 to October 31, 1924, both dates inclusive, at a price of \$32 per day. The estimated total cost of this work during the season is \$4,388.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 20 the Mayor approved a contract with the Library Bureau for special library equipment. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Commission was as follows:

BOSTON, May 16, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners has received requests, approved by the Superintendent of Public Schools, for special library equipment, etc., for the Teachers College of the City of Boston and the Girls' Latin School, the money for which equipment has been appropriated under Items 3, 4 and 5 of the segregated item list passed by the School Committee on March 24, 1924. The Board respectfully requests the approval of your Honor, under the provisions of chapter 486, section 30, of the Acts of 1909, to awarding a contract, without advertising, to the Library Bureau, 89 Federal street, for furnishing and installing this equipment, in the sum of three thousand one hundred and eighty-three and 45-100 (3,183.45) dollars.

As this is the only concern in this sec-

tion of the country specializing in this kind of work, and it has satisfactorily performed work of a similar character for the Department in the past, the Board believes that no advantage would result to the city from advertising, and has therefore voted, subject to the approval of your Honor, to award the contract as stated.

Trusting this will be satisfactory, I remain,

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

Upon May 24 the Mayor approved the purchase of a seven-passenger Bay State sedan car, at a cost of \$1,805.17 delivered, in addition to allowance for old Buick sedan car.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 20 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Buick Company for one touring car. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 16, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising for same, to the Boston Buick Company for furnishing to the Assessing Department: One 1924 six-cylinder Buick touring car, delivered in Boston, with full factory equipment, at \$1,425; less allowance on 1922 Buick touring car with winter top at \$400. Total amount of contract, \$1,025. As this is the car that best meets the requirements of the Assessing Department, I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

F. P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PARK DEPARTMENT.

John McDonald Construction Company have been ordered to do the following additional work on contract for pergola at rose garden, Franklin Park: Furnish labor and materials for laying fifty-five (55) lineal feet of eight-inch (8-inch) drain pipe and for building one (1) catch-basin.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$375, on contract with M. F. Gaddis for bitulithic pavement and sewerage works in Shawmut avenue, city proper and Roxbury, on account of removing trees. Original contract, \$205,317.45; total addition, \$375; contract as standing, \$205,692.45.

An addition, amounting to \$150, on contract with M. F. Gaddis for laying bitulithic pavement in Washington street, West Roxbury, on account of grading approach at Liszt street. Original contract, \$49,880.75; total additions, \$240; contract as standing, \$50,120.75.

An addition, amounting to \$9,000, on contract with B. E. Grant Company for laying bitulithic wood block and recut granite block pavement in West street, Bedford street, Shawmut avenue and Charles street, city proper, on account of regulating edgestone; recutting and

laying granite blocks with grout joints on a 6-inch Portland cement concrete base and constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Leverett street, from Charles street across Brighton street. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$52,388.36; total additions, \$11,430; contract as standing, \$63,818.36.

A deduction, amounting to \$3,000, on contract with J. B. Dolan for erecting and completing garage at yard of the Public Works Department, Albany street, on account of omitting the furnishing of finished hardware, according to Section 12 of the specifications; omitting the furnishing of electrical lighting fixtures according to Section 31, Article 1, of the specifications; and omitting the furnishing of gasoline storage equipment according to Section 14 of the specifications. Original contract, \$152,490; total additions, \$22,780.48; total deductions, \$3,000; contract as standing, \$172,270.48.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

J. Slotnik Company has been allowed to make an addition to his contract for erecting and completing the new Dorchester High School for boys, in the sum of \$3,308.80, for necessary acoustical treatment of the assembly hall.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Michael Serretto has been allowed to amend his contract for the erecting and completing, including plumbing, heating, ventilation and electric work, of Police Station 2 Building at the corner of Milk and Sears streets, by striking out under the sub-head "Certificates for Payments" on page 14 of said contract, at the beginning of the second paragraph thereof, the following: "Each certificate shall be for not exceeding 85 per cent of the proportional value of the work since the date to which the preceding certificate was computed, and in the case of the first certificate since the work was begun," and substituting in place thereof the following: "Each certificate shall be for not exceeding 100 per cent of the proportional value of the work since the date to which the preceding certificate was computed, and in the case of the first certificate, since the work was begun." And by striking out on page 25 thereof, where the marginal notation reads "Completion" the following: "The work is to be commenced on or about February 1, 1923, and is to be completed on or before June 1, 1924," and substituting therefor the following: "The work is to be commenced on or about February 1, 1923 and is to be completed on or before October 1, 1924."

MAYOR CURLEY CONTRIBUTES HUGH SUM TO COOLIDGE CAMPAIGN (IN MARKS.)

Mayor Curley sent the following letter June 5:

HON. JOHN BARRETT, University Club,
Chicago, Ill.:

MY DEAR MR. BARRETT,—I am in receipt, through the kindness of a friend, of a copy of your survey as to the condition of the Republican Party nationally and the necessity for funds to stay the progress of the communistic movement which threatens the success of the Republican Party in the Northwest. I have a fear that the unrest and the discontent at the failure of the Republican Party to justify its continued control nationally is

manifest even in our more settled and conservative New England section.

I never before fully realized how necessary money was in the campaign; frankly, I am somewhat fearful as to whether the National Republican treasurer will receive all that may be collected because of the number of collectors at present engaged in sending out requests for funds.

I am this day in receipt of a vast sum of money, the total being nearly ten billion dollars. However, it is in marks. Nevertheless, with a realization of the pressing financial needs of the party which you hope to save and impelled by generous impulses, I am taking the liberty of forwarding you two billion marks. I have a profound realization that even if this were by some magic process transformed into American dollars it would still be insufficient with which to purchase the necessary votes to prevent the Hon. A. Smith from being elected President of the United States.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

MAYOR AIDS GERMAN FAMILY ASKING FOR HELP.

Mayor Curley received the following letter June 5:

HONORED SIR,—You will pardon me, if, under dire distress I ask you for a small contribution.

I, the undersigned, a German, and only provider for my mother and four brothers and sisters, unemployed for one year, turn to humane people in America for aid. As a token of my gratitude I send you a quantity of the now worthless money of our country, in the hope that you may grant my prayer.

I remain gratefully and respectfully,

OTTO KOHN,
121 Allee Street, Hamborn, Germany.

In reply Mayor Curley sent \$5 and said in part "that the money arrived at a most opportune time as the Republican Party were in dire need of money and he had forwarded them two billions marks and begged to enclose \$5 in payment of the amusement derived from the receipt of the marks."

MAY LABOR REPORT.

The records of business at the Massachusetts Public Employment Office, 23 Pearl street, for the month of May shows no improvement. There are decreases of from 6 per cent to 10 per cent when compared with last month's figures and decreases of from 23 per cent to 34 per cent when compared with the figures of May, 1923.

During the month the number of people called for by employers was 1,426, a decrease of 107, or 7 per cent from April and a decrease of 598, or 30 per cent when compared with May of last year. The number of positions reported filled for May was 1,258, a decrease of 87 or 6 per cent from last month and a decrease of 383 or 23 per cent when compared with last May.

The attendance of applicants for employment during the month was 21,155, a decrease of 453 or 2 per cent from April, but an increase of 1,011 or 5 per cent over May a year ago. The attendance of service men looking for work was 1,806 (1,224 soldiers, 582 sailors). Of these 182

(139 soldiers, 43 sailors) were referred to employers and 174 (131 soldiers, 43 sailors) secured positions.

There was a noticeable falling off in the demand for boys for errands, office and factory work with a good supply of applicants calling daily. Business in the women's departments continued quiet.

The number of people called for by employers was 1,426 as compared with 2,024 in 1923; 1,828 in 1922; 1,599 in 1921; 3,215 in 1920, and 2,543 in 1919.

The number of positions reported filled was 1,258 as compared with 1,641 in 1923; 1,362 in 1922; 1,169 in 1921; 1,825 in 1920, and 1,611 in 1919.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 26.

I. ASSIGNMENTS.

The following assignments of new members on probation are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Saturday, May 31, 1924:

John E. Govoni to Ladder 2.
James F. Mackey to Engine 53.
Henry J. Hogan to Engine 32.
Frederick J. Gottwald to Engine 45.
Francis J. Sheehan to Engine 48.
William W. McCormack to Engine 44.

II. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Saturday, May 31, 1924:

Lieut. John J. Donohoe, from Engine 38-39 to Engine 22.
Lieut. John J. Murphy, from Engine 6 to Engine 38-39.
Lieut. Roger T. White, from Engine 4 to Engine 6.
Lieut. Tracy B. Littlehale, from Ladder 19 to Engine 4.
Lieut. James Gavagan, from Ladder 5 to Ladder 19.
Assistant Engineer George F. Moore, from Engine 38-39 to Engine 48.
Assistant Engineer Paul C. Rodd, from Engine 48 to Engine 38-39.
Hoseman Percy L. Richardson, from Engine 48 to Engine 22.
Hoseman William F. Walsh, from Engine 53 to Ladder 4.
Ladderman John F. Howard, from Ladder 4 to Engine 1.
M. O. P. John J. Butler, from Engine 1 to Ladder 20.
Ladderman Harold B. Bannon, from Ladder 24 to Engine 34.
M. O. P. Joseph J. McGovern, from Engine 22 to Ladder 24.
Hoseman Charles Laubenstein, from Engine 52 to Engine 15.
M. O. P. William Gottwald, from Ladder 5 to Engine 15.
M. O. P. John F. Gillbrook, from Ladder 1 to Engine 9.
M. O. P. Charles L. McEachern, from Engine 38-39 to Ladder 1.
M. O. P. Frank J. Burke, from Ladder 8 to Engine 45.
Hoseman Francis L. Towle, from Engine 32 to Engine 46.
M. O. P. Joseph G. Doyle, from Engine 46 to Engine 38-39.
Hoseman George B. S. Kewer, from Engine 6 to Engine 18.
M. O. P. David Cleary, from Engine 36 to Engine 6.
M. O. P. Joseph W. O'Brien, from Engine 18 to Ladder 26.
Hoseman William J. Nolan, from Engine 12 to Tower 2.
Hoseman Michael J. Griffin, from Engine 25 to Tower 2.

Ladderman Thomas J. Cavanaugh, from Ladder 23 to Tower 2.

Hoseman John J. Riley, from Engine 34 to Tower 2.

Hoseman James J. Donovan, from Engine 1 to headquarters.

Aid-to-Chief John H. Coakley, from Engine 26-35 to headquarters.

Aid-to-Commissioner Frank D. Cook, from Tower 2 to headquarters.

Aid-to-Commissioner John J. Crehan, from Tower 2 to headquarters.

Ladderman John J. Buckley, from Ladder 1 to Ladder 9.

M. O. P. Edward J. Russell, from Ladder 9 to Ladder 1.

M. O. P. James G. Boles, from Ladder 27 to Engine 52.

M. O. P. Coleman G. Clougherty, from Ladder 27 to Engine 17.

Acting Aid-to-Chief William F. Ryan, from Engine 26-35 to headquarters.

M. O. P. Frank H. Daly, from Ladder 15 to Engine 33.

M. O. P. Patrick M. Griffin, from Ladder 15 to Engine 33.

Ladderman Daniel P. Connor, from Ladder 26 to Engine 43.

M. O. P. George D. Hellen, from Engine 43 to Ladder 26.

Hoseman Joseph F. Wallace, from Engine 9 to Engine 36.

Ladderman John C. Kennedy, from Ladder 20 to Ladder 4.

M. O. P. John F. Donovan, from Engine 44 to Engine 2.

M. O. P. George A. Stewart, from Engine 53 to Engine 45.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

PUBLIC LIBRARY EXHIBITIONS.

VICTOR HERBERT.

A memorial exhibition of the works of the late Victor Herbert has been arranged and is on view in the Boston Public Library. It consists mainly of the vocal scores of his musical comedies, but some of his more serious compositions are included. Additional interest is supplied by portraits, clippings, pictures of stage settings, etc. The force of inheritance is suggested by the portrait of his grandfather, Samuel Lover, an important literary figure of his time. The exhibition is open to the public.

EUROPEAN TRAVEL POSTERS.

For three weeks, beginning June 3, the Boston Public Library will display in its lecture hall, under the auspices of the Transatlantic Steamship Conference, a large collection of European travel posters.

The walls of the great room are brilliant with the vivid colors of more than one hundred fifty of these posters, which picture in fascinating fashion the beauties of Europe's resorts. From Sweden to Sicily the gamut runs—Great Britain, Holland, Belgium, France, Switzerland, Czechoslovakia and Italy are there. On one side soars an Alpine peak; here the noble aisles of York Minster open a suggestive vista, there the Riviera glows, or feudal chateau of "La Belle France" lifts its turrets to the sunset sky. The old world's history, its legends, poetry, romance and art call to the traveler through these richly-hued posters, many of which are themselves works of art. The slogan, "See America First," must needs be loudly sounded to overcome their appeal.

TABLE SHOWING NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1924.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES. AND STORES.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		GARAGES.		HOTELS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....											112	\$379,825		
Second Class.....	13	\$770,000					3	\$75,000			41	87,865		
Third Class.....							100	969,375			64	32,371		
Special Class.....											17	6,740		
Total New Work.....	13	\$770,000					103	\$1,044,375			234	\$506,801		
Alterations.....	11	29,550	16	\$35,575	1	\$5,500	507	202,250	35	\$59,822	34	28,846	3	\$5,400
Grand Totals.....	24	\$799,550	16	\$35,575	1	\$5,500	610	\$1,246,625	35	\$59,822	268	\$535,647	3	\$5,400

CHARACTER.	HOSPITALS.		LODGING HOUSES.		LODGING HOUSES AND STORES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.		OFFICE BUILDINGS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....	1	\$100,000					1	\$195,000			1	\$75,000
Second Class.....			1	\$55,000			8	52,500	2	\$118,000		
Third Class.....							2	1,200				
Special Class.....							1	300				
Total New Work.....	1	\$100,000	1	\$55,000			12	\$249,000	2	\$118,000	1	\$75,000
Alterations.....			6	4,300	1	\$50	47	143,521	12	13,850	10	84,575
Grand Totals.....	1	\$100,000	7	\$59,300	1	\$50	59	\$392,521	14	\$131,850	11	\$159,575

CHARACTER.	PUBLIC BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC HALLS.		STABLES.		THEATERS.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....	1	\$268,000							3	\$72,600	119	\$1,090,425
Second Class.....									4	60,900	72	1,219,265
Third Class.....					1	\$2,000			39	6,055	206	1,011,001
Special Class.....									3	7,000	21	14,040
Total New Work.....	1	\$268,000			1	\$2,000			49	\$146,555	418	\$3,334,731
Alterations.....			1	\$10,000	5	1,015	1	\$1,000	30	143,805	720	769,059
Grand Totals.....	1	\$268,000	1	\$10,000	6	\$3,015	1	\$1,000	79	\$290,360	1,138	\$4,103,790

MAYOR SENDS CONDOLENCES TO CAPTAIN BOWLEY'S WIDOW.

Mayor Curley addressed a letter of sympathy and condolence to Mrs. Clinton E. Bowley, widow of the late Police Captain Bowley, of Roslindale. Mayor Curley and the late Captain Bowley were very good friends.

MRS. CLINTON E. BOWLEY, 123 Selwyn Street, Roslindale, Mass.:

DEAR MRS. BOWLEY,—The death of your devoted husband brings to me a sense of deep personal loss in the passing of a dear friend of the highest honor, character and integrity, and who served the City of Boston, which he so much loved, in a manner that won the respect of our citizens and especially those who came within the embrace of his friendship.

Captain Bowley gave loyal and splendid service in the Police Department, and I know of no finer tribute paid your husband than the fact that he materially shortened his life by his devotion to duty.

Everyone at City Hall loved the man for his splendid qualities of heart and mind, and may I assure you my prayers and sympathy are with you during these sad hours of your life's greatest sorrow.

Faithfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

SALARY INCREASES.

The following salary increases have been approved by the Mayor to take effect April 1, except as otherwise specified:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Joseph M. Smart, from executive clerk at \$2,700 to assistant secretary at \$3,000 a year.
 Harrison G. O. Browning, from clerk at \$2,500 to executive clerk at \$2,700 a year.
 Margaret M. Walsh, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.
 Katherine M. Martin, conveyancer, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.
 B. Louise McVey, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.
 James F. Welch, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 Frank J. Cadigan, chauffeur and messenger, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.
 James J. Gallagher, second assistant assessor, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 James J. Sullivan, second assistant assessor, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 Frank A. Gafney, second assistant assessor, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 John F. Kinney, second assistant assessor, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 Francis J. McBarron, second assistant assessor, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 John M. McDonald, second assistant assessor, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 Maurice J. Walsh, second assistant assessor, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Administration Force.

W. F. Fenlon, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 H. J. Egan, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.
 W. D. Slattery, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Greene, janitress, from \$20 to \$22 a week.
 J. E. Gillis, elevatorman and assistant janitor, from a 6-day man at \$4 to a 7-day man at \$4.50 a day.

Fire Prevention Bureau.

J. J. O'Brien, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,400 a year.
 M. F. Cavanaugh, constable, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Bureau of Supplies and Repairs.

J. H. Finnerty, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.
 J. J. Shea, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.
 J. P. McKenna, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100.
 W. C. Bailey, engineer in charge, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 H. T. Brennan, engineer in charge, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 James Wall, engineer in charge, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 J. P. Jones, engineer in charge, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 D. J. Cadigan, engineer in charge, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 W. J. Northway, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 P. F. Hogan, fireman, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 V. B. Buckley, master plumber, from \$1,900 to \$2,200 a year.
 R. J. Cronin, master house painter, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 Leonard Murdock, master carpenter, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 C. W. Nicholson, master steamfitter, from \$1,800 to \$2,100 a year.
 E. C. V. Hernandez, master apparatus painter, from \$5.25 a day to \$1,800 a year.

A. J. Gorham, foreman auto repairers, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.
 R. T. Lonergan, leading auto repairer, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 T. J. Ahern, leading auto repairer, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 J. P. Forde, leading auto repairer, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 G. H. Conner, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 J. F. Connors, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 E. G. Corliss, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 D. J. Flynn, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 J. J. Gannon, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 L. T. Griffin, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 W. J. Lannigan, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 Patrick Madden, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 H. J. Phelan, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 D. A. Sullivan, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 L. P. Sullivan, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 J. F. Teahan, auto repairer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 C. J. Buckley, blacksmith, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 T. J. Collins, blacksmith, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 T. F. Feeney, blacksmith, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 Arthur Finney, blacksmith, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 Hiram Averell, painter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 D. A. Diamond, painter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 W. J. Gillogly, painter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 T. A. Kelly, painter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 Anthony Lopardi, painter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 T. E. Lyons, painter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 M. J. McGrath, painter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 C. T. Randall, painter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 W. T. Whalen, painter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 R. A. Finley, carpenter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 Cornelius McKinnon, carpenter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 John Tibbetts, carpenter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 J. A. Wall, carpenter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 J. J. Norris, steamfitter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 John McArdle, machinist, from \$5.40 to \$6 a day.
 J. J. Monahan, machinist, from \$5.40 to \$6 a day.
 A. K. Paradise, machinist, from \$5.40 to \$6 a day.
 John Smith, machinist, from \$5.40 to \$6 a day.
 T. J. Goode, plumber, from \$5.40 to \$6 a day.
 J. E. McConologue, plumber, from \$5.40 to \$6 a day.
 C. C. Gately, wheelwright, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 F. F. Logan, wheelwright, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.
 Francis Carr, auto trimmer and canvas worker, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 T. W. Kennedy, hose and harness repairer and auto trimmer, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

F. A. Nickerson, hose and harness repairer, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.
 J. J. Scanlan, vulcanizer, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day.
 J. J. O'Brien, chauffeur, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 Hugh Gallagher, helper, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.
 T. J. Dolan, helper, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.
 P. J. Donelan, helper, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.
 N. J. Greeley, helper, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.
 Dennis McGowan, helper, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.
 J. J. O'Brien, helper, from \$4.25 to \$4.75 a day.
 D. R. A. Milliken, helper, from 7 days at \$4 to 6 days at \$4.75 a day.
 M. F. Hart, laborer, 7-day man, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.
 P. J. Sullivan, laborer, 7-day man, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.
 C. C. Wilfert, laborer, 7-day man, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.
 Frank Esposito, laborer, 6-day man, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Fire Alarm Branch.

P. M. Kendrick, supervising operator, from \$2,400 to \$2,600 a year.
 John Galway, principal operator, from \$2,300 to \$2,500 a year.
 H. A. Guttermuth, principal operator, from \$2,300 to \$2,500 a year.
 D. J. Collins, principal operator, from \$2,300 to \$2,500 a year.
 W. J. Martin, operator, from \$2,200 to \$2,300 a year.
 J. H. Finneran, operator, from \$2,200 to \$2,300 a year.
 J. E. Laughlin, operator, from \$2,200 to \$2,300 a year.
 O. W. Flynn, assistant operator to operator, from \$1,800 to \$2,100 a year.
 J. M. Ahern, assistant operator to operator, from \$1,800 to \$2,100 a year.
 W. H. Griffin, assistant operator, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 W. H. Sullivan, Jr., assistant operator, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.
 C. E. Randall, machinist, 7 days, from \$5.25 to \$5.50 a day.
 H. L. Landers, machinist, 7 days, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 M. J. Connolly, machinist, 7 days, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 Edward Rigney, cable splicer, from \$5.75 to \$6.25 a day.
 J. F. McMahon, cable splicer, from \$5.75 to \$6.25 a day.
 F. J. Harris, cable splicer, from \$5.75 to \$6.25 a day.
 G. F. Daley, inside wireman, from \$5.60 to \$6.10 a day.
 J. J. Devlin, inside wireman, from \$5.60 to \$6.10 a day.
 J. E. Downey, inside wireman, from \$5.60 to \$6.10 a day.
 W. A. Murray, inside wireman, from \$5.60 to \$6.10 a day.
 J. F. Prophet, inside wireman, from \$5.60 to \$6.10 a day.
 J. G. Culhane, repairer and lineman, from \$5 to \$5.75 a day.
 A. F. Campbell, repairer and lineman, from \$5 to \$5.75 a day.
 J. A. Fraser, repairer and lineman, from \$5 to \$5.75 a day.
 W. J. Pendergast, repairer and lineman, from \$5 to \$5.75 a day.
 T. J. Cadigan, lineman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 James Ellsworth, lineman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 A. H. MacDonald, lineman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.
 M. J. McDermott, lineman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

D. A. McGillivray, lineman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

J. J. Monahan, lineman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

J. J. Murray, lineman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

A. J. Owens, lineman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

James Tanner, lineman, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Joseph Hinchey, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Fire Fighting Force.

J. H. Coakley, aide-to chief, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

F. B. Cook, aide-to-commissioner, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

J. J. Crehan, aid-to-commissioner, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Ten privates, motor squad, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year, effective May 25.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Beginning May 23, 1924, not retro-active (year consists of 52½ weeks):

Dr. Edmund W. Wilson, from \$77.77 a week to \$4,000 a year.

Doctor Mallory, from \$106.94 a week to \$5,500 a year.

Dr. Francis Peabody, from \$81.67 a week to \$4,200 a year; \$3,500 limit, 10 months.

Doctor Jackson, from \$68.05 a week to \$3,500 a year.

Doctor Nye, from \$68.05 a week to \$3,500 a year.

Doctor Wearn, from \$68.05 a week to \$3,500 a year.

Dr. P. Butler, X-ray, from \$68.05 a week to \$3,500 a year.

Dr. F. Parker, from \$68.05 a week to \$3,500 a year.

Doctor Buckman, from \$48.61 a week to \$2,500 a year.

Dr. Richard Ohler, from \$48.61 a week to \$2,500 a year.

X-ray technician,* from \$40 a week to \$2,100 a year.

Two assistant physicians, pathology, from \$38.89 a week to \$2,000 a year.

Dr. L. Betteridge, from \$35 a week to \$1,800 a year.

One assistant physician, X-ray, from \$35 a week to \$1,800 a year.

One resident surgeon, from \$29.17 a week to \$1,500 a year.

One anesthetist, from \$23.33 a week to \$1,200 a year.

Second assistant pathological laboratory, from \$19.44 a week to \$1,000 a year.

One assistant resident physician, Thorndike, from \$19.44 a week to \$1,000 a year.

Two assistant resident physicians, Thorndike, from \$9.72 a week to \$500 a year.

Miss L. Leavitt, from \$38.89 a week to \$2,000 a year.

Superintendent of nurses, from \$48.61 a week to \$2,500 a year.

Mr. Isaac B. Mills, from \$48.27 a week to \$2,500 a year.

South Department.

Dr. Edwin Place, from \$67.50 a week to \$4,500 a year.

First assistant physician, from \$29.17 a week to \$1,500 a year.

Two assistant physicians, from \$23.33 a week to \$1,200 a year.

Weekly roll to take effect April 4, 1924:

Doctor Muller, assistant physician, from \$29.17 to \$38.36 a week, \$2,000 a year, effective May 23.

Dr. E. Walsh, clinic bacteriologist, from \$39.17 to \$34.52 a week, \$1,800 a year.

* Called physician in budget.

Doctor Broun, assistant resident physician, from \$19.44 to \$28.77 a week, \$1,500 a year.

Doctor Davidson, assistant resident physician, from \$9.72 to \$19.18 a week, \$1,000 a year.

Miss Traiton, secretary, from \$30 to \$32.60 a week, \$1,700 a year.

Miss G. Lane, head bookkeeper, from \$29 to \$31.64 a week, \$1,650 a year.

Miss McNulty, stenographer, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Miss Green, head clerk, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Miss M. Lane, clerk, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Miss Wright, clerk, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Miss Carolan, clerk, from \$25 to \$27 a week.

Miss Sweeney, registrar, from \$24.44 to \$26.85 a week, \$1,400 a year.

Miss Hayes, secretary, from \$23.33 to \$25.89 a week, \$1,350 a year.

Miss Stanton, stenographer, from \$23.33 to \$25.89 a week, \$1,350 a year.

Miss Robinson, clerk, from \$22 to \$24 a week.

Miss Mahoney, clerk, from \$22 to \$24 a week.

Miss Lawless, clerk, from \$22 to \$24 a week.

Mr. Costello, clerk, from \$22 to \$24 a week.

Miss Barteaux, clerk, from \$21 to \$23 a week.

Miss Moore, clerk, from \$21 to \$23 a week.

Miss Church, clerk, from \$21 to \$23 a week.

Miss Hagan, clerk, from \$20 to \$22 a week.

Miss Gallagher, clerk, from \$20 to \$22 a week.

Miss Tarpey, clerk, from \$20 to \$22 a week.

Miss Conway, clerk, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

Miss Keenan, clerk, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

Miss Powers, clerk, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

Miss Sullivan, clerk, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

Miss O'Brien, clerk, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

Miss McGovern, clerk, from \$16 to \$18 a week.

Miss Fuhs, clerk, from \$15 to \$17 a week.

Miss Scholl, clerk, from \$15 to \$17 a week.

Miss Sigismond, clerk, from \$15 to \$17 a week.

Miss Anderson, clerk, from \$15 to \$17 a week.

Miss Healey, clerk, from \$14 to \$16 a week.

Miss A. Croke, clerk, from \$14 to \$16 a week.

Miss Hughes, clerk, from \$14 to \$16 a week.

Miss Duffley, clerk, from \$14 to \$16 a week.

Miss M. Croke, clerk, from \$14 to \$16 a week.

Miss Reid, clerk, from \$14 to \$16 a week.

Miss Johns, clerk, from \$14 to \$16 a week.

Miss Lyons, technician, from \$24 to \$25 a week.

Miss Kenway, technician, from \$24 to \$25 a week.

Miss Nash, technician, from \$24 to \$25 a week.

Miss Lamb, technician, from \$21 to \$23 a week.

Miss Nuttall, technician, from \$20 to \$22 a week.

Miss Magee, technician, from \$20 to \$22 a week.

Miss Van Dyke, technician, from \$19 to \$21 a week.

Mr. Leonard, technician, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

Miss Emmons, technician, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

Miss Harris, technician, from \$16 to \$18 a week.

Miss Mason, X-ray technician, from \$15 to \$25 a week.

Miss Norton, pathological stenographer, from \$15 to \$17 a week.

Miss McDermott, technician, from \$15 to \$17 a week.

Miss Ogden, technician, from \$14 to \$17 a week.

Nine firemen, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

Two steamfitters, from \$31 to \$34 a week.

Mr. Meehan, storekeeper, from \$29 to \$32 a week.

Mr. J. S. Gill, baker, from \$29 to \$30 a week.

Miss Wheeler, reconstruction aid, from \$28 to \$35 a week.

Mr. Connorton, ambulance foreman, from \$33 to \$35 a week.

Mr. Burns, ambulance driver, from \$28 to \$31 a week.

Nine ambulance drivers, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Nine social workers, from \$23.33 to \$24.93 a week, \$1,300 a year.

One social worker, from \$21.39 to \$23.01 a week, \$1,200 a year.

One social worker, from \$19.44 to \$21.10 a week, \$1,100 a year.

Two plumbers, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

One head carpenter, from \$5.25 to \$5.75 a day.

Five carpenters, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Two painters, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Miss Cramer, head nurse, from \$18.67 to \$20.71 a week.

Miss McCarthy, head nurse, from \$18.67 to \$20.71 a week.

Miss Manning, head nurse, from \$18.67 to \$20.71 a week.

Miss Moxon, head nurse, from \$18.67 to \$20.71 a week.

Miss O'Halloran, head nurse, from \$18.67 to \$20.71 a week.

Miss A. Sullivan, head nurse, from \$18.67 to \$20.71 a week.

Miss M. Sullivan, head nurse, from \$18.67 to \$20.71 a week.

Miss Conley, head nurse, from \$17.50 to \$19.31 a week.

Miss McKeavitt, head nurse, from \$17.50 to \$19.31 a week.

Dr. Joseph Resnik, assistant visiting physician for physical therapeutics, \$1,800 a year.

Miss Callan, clerk, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

Miss Flanagan, clerk, from \$15 to \$17 a week.

Mr. Smith, head cook, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

Mr. Daly, laundryman, from \$29 to \$30 a week.

Mr. Field, carpenter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Three ambulance drivers, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

Doctor Breslin, resident surgeon, from \$52.50 to \$53.70 a week, \$2,800 a year.

Doctor Devine, resident surgeon, from \$35 to \$40.27 a week, \$2,100 a year.

T. Clark, ambulance foreman, from \$28 to \$31 a week.

Three ambulance drivers, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

East Boston Relief Station.

Doctor Allen, resident surgeon, from \$35 to \$47.95 a week, \$2,500 a year.

Doctor Holland, assistant resident surgeon, from \$29.17 to \$38.36, a week, \$2,000 a year.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Monthly Pay Roll.

Samuel Silverman, assistant corporation counsel, from \$4,000 to \$4,500 a year.

Daniel B. Carmody, messenger and docket clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Margaret G. O'Neill, stenographer, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Weekly Pay Roll.

Hale Power, assistant corporation counsel, from \$2,500 to \$3,000 a year.

Mary A. Glynn, stenographer, from \$24 to \$26 a week.

Mary L. Melody, stenographer, from \$23 to \$25 a week.

Anna Magrath, telephone operator, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

James S. O'Brien, office boy, from \$16 to \$18 a week.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Central Office.

Charles W. Twombly, visitor, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Edward F. Kenney, visitor, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Horatio W. Nelson, visitor, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Bartholomew J. Bresnahan, visitor, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Thomas A. Regan, visitor, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Joseph DeMarco, visitor, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

George C. Sawyer, visitor, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

John W. McMahon, visitor, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Walter E. Butler, visitor, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Daniel A. Murphy, visitor, from \$1,900 to \$2,100 a year.

Florence E. Sullivan, paymaster, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William R. G. Doyle, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Catherine M. Noonan, visitor, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

Emily C. Black, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Esther P. Dutton, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Mary T. Coleman, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Rita M. McLaughlin, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Ethyl M. Leahy, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Gertrude J. Leahy, clerk, from \$1,140 to \$1,300 a year.

Rose A. Coughlin, clerk, from \$980 to \$1,100 a year.

Catherine G. Kelley, clerk, from \$880 to \$1,000 a year.

Margaret P. Quinn, clerk, from \$700 to \$900 a year.

Margaret G. Hennessey, clerk, from \$800 to \$1,000 a year.

Alice M. Shea, clerk, from \$1,050 to \$1,150 a year.

Marian Rosenthal, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

Patrick Clancy, fireman, from \$27 to \$29 a week.

Timothy J. Good, settlement visitor, from \$2,500 to \$2,600 a year.

Catherine L. Delaney, visitor, from \$1,400 to \$1,700 a year.

Emma W. Burnstead, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Wayfarers' Lodge.

Thomas Kelley, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Charles F. O'Brien, swimming instructor, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day from April 4 to May 19; and promotion to position of custodian with salary at \$1,600 a year, same to take effect May 20.

John P. Nagle, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day from April 4 to May 19; and promotion to position of chauffeur with wages at \$5 a day, same to take effect May 20.

Stephen H. McCarthy, Jr., laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day from April 4 to May 19; and promotion to position of chauffeur with wages at \$5 a day, same to take effect May 20.

Fred M. Newall, laborer, from \$4 to \$4.50 a day from April 4 to May 19; and promotion to position of zoo attendant at \$5 a day, same to take effect May 20.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Paving Service.

James F. Goggin, rodman-transitman, from \$1,200 to \$1,400 a year.

John B. Seminari, rodman-transitman, from \$1,200 to \$1,400 a year.

Charles F. Campbell, rodman-transitman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

The following employees of the Paving Service have been assigned temporarily as cement finishers:

James Lally, paver, District No. 6, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

John Waldron, paver, District No. 7, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

William Monahan, paver, District No. 7, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Thomas Sruhan, paver, District No. 8, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Arcangelo Faiella, paver, District No. 8, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

John Murray, paver, District No. 9, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

Thomas Manderville, stonecutter, District No. 5, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Frank L. Murphy, chief clerk-cashier, from \$2,000 to \$2,200 a year.

Charles F. Bogan, chief conveyancer, from \$3,000 to \$3,200 a year.

Thomas J. Hurley, chief, Permit Division, from \$3,000 to \$3,200 a year.

Thomas W. Malone, clerk, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Joseph T. Towle, clerk, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

Gertrude A. Burke, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

David H. Noonan, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John C. Johnson, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Joseph H. Lahey, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Mary G. Shaughnessy, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Elizabeth A. Clayton, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,900 to \$2,100 a year.

John P. Sullivan, constable, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Edward L. McBarron, constable, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Michael F. Curley, constable, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Lawrence J. Kelley, constable-clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Aaron H. Werner, conveyancer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frank J. McNulty, conveyancer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frank N. Dunnells, conveyancer, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Arthur Howland, junior engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Edward L. Moulton, junior engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Frederick G. Floyd, junior engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

John H. Burroughs, junior engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

John W. Fraser, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Martin J. Lee, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

Frederick J. Sullivan, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

Thomas E. Lydon, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

Henry D. Semon, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

George W. Poggi, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

Francis R. Mullin, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

John M. Cooney, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

George W. Connell, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

John F. Levins, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

Patrick A. Malloy, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

James J. Barry, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

Dennis H. Daley, laborer, \$1,100 a year.

John F. McDermott, messenger, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Frank R. Gillespie, messenger, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Martin J. Foley, messenger, from \$1,136 to \$1,236 a year.

Jeremiah Lynch, painter, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

Joseph P. Miley, rodman, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Joseph McCabe, rodman, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Henry O. Walsh, rodman, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

John L. Campbell, senior draughtsman, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

William L. Austin, senior engineer, from \$2,300 to \$2,400 a year.

Lawrence J. Monahan, senior engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

William E. Hannan, senior engineer, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

Henry A. Brawley, from junior engineer at \$2,000 to senior engineer at \$2,100 a year.

William N. Carroll, from junior engineer at \$2,000 to senior engineer at \$2,100 a year.

Timothy J. McCarthy, from junior engineer at \$2,000 to senior engineer at \$2,100 a year.

Michael D. O'Farrell, from junior engineer at \$2,000 to senior engineer at \$2,100 a year.

George B. Smith, from junior engineer at \$2,000 to senior engineer at \$2,100 a year.

Michael J. Driscoll, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Harrie R. Burrell, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

George L. Philpott, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

George H. Sherman, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

William G. Joy, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

James S. Murray, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

John F. Sullivan, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Thomas F. Sullivan, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Joseph J. Grady, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

George L. Grainger, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Frank P. McCarty, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

John T. Daly, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Michael J. McCarron, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Michael H. Drinkwater, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Bartholomew F. Clougherty, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Patrick J. Dolan, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Henry L. Wightman, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Alfred M. Shevlin, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Mortimer F. Toomey, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Walter R. Luby, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

John F. Hurley, transitman, from \$1,760 to \$1,800 a year.

Edward T. Burke, transitman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

John C. Tobin, transitman, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William C. Flaherty, transitman, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Charles A. Kelley, transitman, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

John J. Russell, transitman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

George H. Gilboy, transitman, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Arthur G. Fogarty, from rodman at \$1,300 to transitman at \$1,400 a year.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Ida Allen, stenographer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Katherine H. Flynn, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Margaret T. Buckley, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Frank A. Duggan, stenographer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Helen E. Ivers, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Marion G. Cameron, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Ethel B. Gillis, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Charles Fopiano, clerk and stenographer, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

Joseph W. Fellows, clerk, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

James Kieran, Bureau of Supplies and Repairs, from \$5.50 to \$6 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Service.

John F. Coffey, prison wagon driver, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year; James J. Dolan, prison wagon driver, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

John Williams & Co. have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for Congress, South, Kneeland, Burnham and Moore streets, South Bay avenue, Burgoyne and Province streets and Province court. Items ordered: Removing 120 feet of old foundation walls and old catch-basin, replacing two defective castings, locating and abandoning service pipes, cutting through manhole and cutting out old steam heating pipes, salvaging four Smith sleeve castings and offsetting 8-inch low service pipes. Estimated cost of extra work, \$625.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 29 TO JUNE 4.

MAY 29.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. P. Tancered.....	308 West Broadway.....	9	New fixtures.....	\$500
Terence J. Hannon.....	325 Tremont street.....	8	New fixtures.....	40
Frank C. Goldberg.....	17 Schuyler street.....	16	New fixtures.....	1,000
Carl I. Stephens.....	115 St Stephen street.....	7	New fixtures.....	16,000
T. J. Connolly.....	168 St Botolph street.....	7	New fixtures.....	200
Walter P. Jones.....	92 Peterborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	100
James J. Logan.....	43 Mill street.....	20	New fixtures.....	500
L. P. Bresnahan.....	1 King terrace.....	13	New fixtures.....	125
E. M. Duggan.....	57 Windsor street.....	13	New fixtures.....	225
John C. Patterson.....	160 Havre street.....	2	New fixtures.....	400
Eli Parad.....	102 Crawford street.....	16	New fixtures.....	1,000
Edward Bevelander.....	6 Braintree street.....	25	New fixtures.....	120
Charles Lang.....	34 Bexley road.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
Charles Lang.....	330 Belgrade avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	180
T. A. Matthews.....	39 W. Tremlett street.....	19	New fixtures.....	850
K. W. McManus.....	6 Edson street.....	21	New fixtures.....	300
Charles Lang.....	12 Waldon road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,125
James A. Sullivan.....	8 Burgoyne street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,000

MAY 31.

Stephen A. Cleaves.....	19 Roslin street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$25
David Carlin.....	56 Queensberry street.....	8	New fixtures.....	6,000
David Carlin.....	60 Queensberry street.....	8	New fixtures.....	6,000
Wilfred F. Garvey.....	36 Melbourne street.....	20	New fixtures.....	900
Robert A. Matthews.....	18 Holden street.....	11	New fixtures.....	800
Gregory M. Duggan.....	58 Fairmount street.....	21	New fixtures.....	850

JUNE 2.

Samuel Barron.....	100 Crawford street.....	16	New fixtures.....	\$750
P. F. Carley.....	31 Knoll street.....	23	New fixtures.....	600
F. H. Densmore.....	28 Brookside avenue.....	22	New fixtures.....	2,800
A. Yorks.....	62 Bennington street.....	2	New fixtures.....	500
Morse Brothers Company.....	38 Allen street.....	5	New fixtures.....	85
James A. Dickerson.....	18 Stuart street.....	5	New fixtures.....	50
J. W. Foster.....	26 Lane park.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,000
James J. Crowley.....	3135 Washington street.....	15	New fixtures.....	150

JUNE 3.

Samuel M. Harris.....	346 Seaver street.....	19	New fixtures.....	\$125
E. M. Duggan.....	626 Shawmut avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	50
Denis Grady.....	771 Tremont street.....	7	New fixtures.....	350
Ronan Brothers.....	40 Walk Hill street.....	22	New fixtures.....	175
John A. Wilson.....	90 Wareham street.....	6	New fixtures.....	1,300
Henry J. Gurl.....	47 Worcester street.....	6	New fixtures.....	150
Daniel E. Walsh.....	76 Atherton street.....	15	New fixtures.....	450
Joseph Seigel.....	231 Audubon road.....	8	New fixtures.....	10,000
Joseph Seigel.....	235 Audubon road.....	8	New fixtures.....	10,000
F. D. McCarthy.....	84 Bennett street.....	26	New fixtures.....	900
R. W. Crediford.....	428 Geneva avenue.....	18	New fixtures.....	100
Vincent B. Buckley.....	442 Harrison avenue.....	6	New fixtures.....	100
James H. Gerow.....	127 Milton street.....	20	New fixtures.....	50
John M. Hannigan.....	5 Neponset avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	275
S. Gould.....	620 Norfolk street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,050
S. Gould.....	624 Norfolk street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,050
George H. Cox.....	5 Pembroke street.....	6	New fixtures.....	175
David Carlin.....	58 Queensberry street.....	8	New fixtures.....	6,000
Paginton Brothers.....	1189 River street.....	24	New fixtures.....	35
K. W. McManus.....	36 Ripley road.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,200
Carl I. Stephens.....	117 St Stephen street.....	7	New fixtures.....	8,000
A. Gordon & Co.....	572 Huntington avenue.....	14	New fixtures.....	12,750
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R. A. LaCentra.....	55 Franklin street.....	26	New fixtures.....	500

JUNE 4.

William E. Maynard.....	11 Yarmouth street.....	7	New fixtures.....	\$200
M. H. Myers.....	394 West Broadway.....	9	New fixtures.....	600
Harry F. Nation.....	23-31 Washington street.....	25	New fixtures.....	600
John E. Stanley.....	18 Verdun street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,125
John E. Stanley.....	22 Verdun street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,125
Emilio Puopolo.....	18 Unity court.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
Abraham Kellem.....	548 Tremont street.....	6	New fixtures.....	100
Albert E. Roberts.....	110 Tremont street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
E. M. Duggan.....	664 Shawmut avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	25
Percy E. Bates.....	785 Saratoga street.....	1	New fixtures.....	600
M. Cohen.....	5 and 6 Russell place.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
R. P. Slattery & Co.....	26 Pearl street.....	3	New fixtures.....	75
Edward H. Marchant.....	247 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	304
Louis H. Jacobs.....	11 Mechanic street.....	7	New fixtures.....	200
Maurice Gray.....	39 McLellan street.....	19	New fixtures.....	250
Boyd & Co., Inc.....	49 Massachusetts avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
R. W. Crediford.....	481 Geneva avenue.....	19	New fixtures.....	75
F. L. Murphy.....	155 Cummings street.....	9	New fixtures.....	600
Morse Brothers Company.....	12 Circuit street.....	16	New fixtures.....	200
A. E. Roberts.....	40 Alford street.....	3	New fixtures.....	375
E. S. DuCett.....	5 Deering road.....	21	New fixtures.....	190
Denis Grady.....	124 Blake street.....	24	New fixtures.....	450
Charles Rosenwald.....	7 Bardwell street.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,400
Edward E. Berry.....	1086 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	250
John J. Vogel.....	107 Russett road.....	23	New fixtures.....	725
M. W. Boles.....	292 Main street.....	3	New fixtures.....	250
E. M. Duggan.....	597 Shawmut avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	35
J. Harry Kurhan.....	71 Stanhope street.....	7	New fixtures.....	100

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 29 TO JUNE 4.

MAY 29.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimate Cost.
Emma Powers.	Rear of 75 Tower street.	22	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Samuel Grace <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 448 Audubon road.	8	First-class garage.	7,000
Walter J. Craft.	11-15 Kingsboro park.	22	Second-class garage.	1,000
Albert C. Jacobs.	Rear of 4089 Washington st.	23	Second-class garage.	1,000
Philip Siegel.	42 Harriet street.	25	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Philip Siegel.	46 Harriet street.	25	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Philip Siegel.	50 Harriet street.	25	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
H. C. Lund.	18 Mildred avenue.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
H. C. Lund.	20 Mildred avenue.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
H. C. Lund.	22 Mildred avenue.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
H. C. Lund.	24 Mildred avenue.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
H. C. Lund.	26 Mildred avenue.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
H. C. Lund.	28 Mildred avenue.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
John Hanson.	351 Savin Hill avenue.	17	Third-class garage.	600
Margaret McCormick.	Rear of 15 Guild road.	20	Third-class garage.	600
John O'Reilly.	Rear of 22 Carson street.	11	Third-class garage.	600
John E. Kickham.	81 Florence street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Francis Lombard.	100 Faneuil street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Elarie Grenier.	129 West street.	24	Alterations, dwelling.	75
R. Berrenberg.	16 Thwing street.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	400
Margaret Harrington.	67 Washington street.	4	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Peter Rubinovitch.	39 McLellan street.	19	Third-class dwelling.	900
DeBlois & Maddison.	28 Tremont street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	4,000
Kane Furniture Company.	740 Washington street.	5	Erect sign.	1,000
Owen J. Onke.	325 Belgrade avenue.	23	Install elevator.	2,000
John H. Storer.	222 and 224 Beacon street.	8	Install elevator.	3,900

MAY 31.

J. DeBeneditto.	Rear of 678 Bennington st.	1	First-class garage.	\$600
Green Shoe Manufacturing Company.	960 Harrison avenue.	12	Second-class manufacturing.	115,000
Giovanni Razeto.	Rear of 56 Hyde Park ave.	22	Third-class garage.	500
Anna Heald.	Rear of 241 Savin Hill ave.	17	Third-class garage.	275
John Meehan.	177 Train street.	20	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Dionisia Bertini.	137 B street.	9	Alterations, dwelling.	875
Philip Frank.	817 and 819 Shawmut ave.	13	Alterations, garage.	7,000
Kidder-Peabody Company.	115 Devonshire street.	5	Install elevator.	4,250
Mack Motor Truck Company.	75 North Beacon street.	26	Install elevator.	2,600
Samuel Rudnick.	210-214 Riverway.	14	Install two elevators.	7,000
Anderson & Patterson.	62 Summer street.	5	Install dumb waiter.	600
Northeastern Publishing Co.	100 Summer street.	5	Install elevator.	4,925
Manning, Maxwell & Moore.	23 Watson street.	7	Install elevator.	2,310

JUNE 2.

Roselyn E. Silverman.	Rear of 691 Morton street.	21	First-class garage.	\$1,500
Snider & Druker.	15-23 Kneeland street.	5	First-class light manufacturing.	350,000
Maud Reidel.	1 Centerville park.	20	First-class garage.	900
Robert Reidel.	3 Centerville park.	20	First-class garage.	900
David Pearlstein.	56 Gardner street.	25	First-class garage.	2,000
Patrick F. Barrett.	Rear of 30 Rosemont road.	20	First-class garage.	1,750
Rose Salvi.	3421 Washington street.	22	First-class garage.	1,600
Annie Steinberg.	Rear of 58 Wellington Hill st.	21	First-class garage.	1,500
Blanche McIntyre.	Rear of 114 Hewlett street.	23	Second-class garage.	1,000
Philip Basile.	4541 Washington street.	23	Second-class stores.	9,000
Celia Grob.	Rear of 150 Stanwood st.	18	Second-class garage.	1,000
H. Tasker.	57 South street.	22	Second-class stores.	12,000
Coleman & Gilbert.	337 Huntington avenue.	7	Second-class apartments.	100,000
Coleman & Gilbert.	3 Opera place.	7	Second-class apartments.	100,000
Tremont Coal Company.	1019 Columbus avenue.	13	Third-class coal pocket.	5,000
Joseph Gabruna.	153 P street.	10	Third-class dwelling.	9,000
Alexander Dewar.	76 Oriole street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	9,000
T. Proctor Estate.	124 High street.	5	Alterations, mercantile.	1,500
Elizabeth Peabody House.	357 Charles street.	8	Alterations, community service.	5
Rose Sahl.	8 Bower street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	50
Isabella H. Leard.	1908 Centre street.	23	Alterations, stores and offices.	13,000
Sarah Green.	109 Warren street.	13	Alterations, store and dwelling.	1,500

JUNE 3.

Mollie Weinstein.	67 Devon street.	18	First-class garage.	\$900
Michael Spinnelli.	Rear of 257 Quincy street.	8	First-class garage.	8,000
Ellen N. Anderson.	Rear of 27 Kemberma road.	19	Second-class garage.	1,500
Antonio Domenico.	247 Faneuil street.	26	Second-class stores and dwelling.	12,000
Laura W. Seaman.	7 Rockland avenue.	16	Second-class garage.	800
Mrs. Louise H. Wulz.	Rear of 49 Catherine street.	24	Second-class garage.	790
John Hershon.	8 Hallet street.	20	Third-class dwelling.	15,000
Giovani Daddario.	15 Agnes avenue.	24	Third-class dwelling.	8,500
Joseph W. Doucette.	Rear of 19 Minot place.	20	Third-class shop.	500
New Boston Music Hall.	249 Huntington avenue.	7	Alterations, music hall.	2,500
C. W. Whittier & Brother, agents.	120 Newbury street.	8	Alterations, lodging.	300
C. W. Whittier & Brother, agents.	122 Newbury street.	8	Alterations, lodging.	300
C. W. Whittier & Brother, agents.	124 Newbury street.	8	Alterations, lodging.	300
C. W. Whittier & Brother, agents.	126 Newbury street.	8	Alterations, lodging.	300
H. P. King.	35 Marlborough street.	8	Erect fire escapes.	400

JUNE 4.

Clayton E. Lent.	Rear of 477 LaGrange street.	23	First-class garage.	\$1,300
W. H. Partridge.	18 and 20 Blue Hill avenue.	17	First-class garage.	10,000
Sarah Bobrick.	695 Morton street.	21	First-class garage.	1,500
Solomon Merin.	6 Prescott street.	12	First-class garage.	40,000

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Mary A. Finneran, 28 Glenwood street, Ward 13, one car.

Catherine A. Flanagan, 43 School street, Ward 3, one car.

Mrs. J. B. Lohnes, 215 Savin Hill avenue, Ward 17, one car.

F. S. Murray, 2119 Dorchester avenue, Ward 21, one car.

Stanislava Petrikaite, 291 West Third street, Ward 9, one car.

John Torretta, 16 Holden street, Ward 11, one car.

Ida C. C. Berninger, 55 Centre street, Ward 20, two cars.

John J. Boyle *et al.*, 585 Centre street, Ward 22, two cars.

Joseph A. Clausen, 43 Robinwood avenue, Ward 22, two cars.

John Coughlan, 66 Harvard street, Ward 24, two cars.

Catherine P. Curley, 77 Hilburn street, Ward 23, two cars.

Lewis J. Dickey *et al.*, 73 Stratford street, Ward 23, two cars.

Nora Doyle, 6 Wallace park, Ward 24, two cars.

Helen L. Driscoll, 36 Saranac street, Ward 20, two cars.

Christin E. Farsberg, 10 Treadway road, Ward 17, two cars.

Alice E. Fowler, 4 Cataumet street, Ward 22, two cars.

Estate of Mary F. Gately, 133 Redlands road, Ward 23, two cars.

Isaac J. Goodman, 10 Helen street, Ward 21, two cars.

Hyman Goldman *et al.*, 15 Devon street, Ward 16, two cars.

James V. Gorman *et al.*, 24 Sudan street, Ward 11, two cars.

Catherine Higgins, 3 Rosa street, Ward 24, two cars.

Catherine A. Hubbard *et al.*, 91 Glen road, Ward 22, two cars.

Thomas M. Keefe, 41 Groaton road, Ward 23, two cars.

Eda E. Kelley, 19 Oakwood street, Ward 21, two cars.

Michael R. Kinsella, 70 Riverview road, Ward 26, two cars.

J. A. Johnson, 65 Montclair avenue, Ward 23, two cars.

Rudolph Lauterbach, 14 Sheffield road, Ward 23, two cars.

John D. Lawler *et al.*, 24 Halifax street, Ward 22, two cars.

Robert J. Matthews, 20 Chapin avenue, Ward 23, two cars.

Daniel A. McCarthy, 130 Theodore Parker road, Ward 23, two cars.

Joseph Ober, 147 Manthorne road, Ward 23, two cars.

Algot J. Olson, 30 and 32 Mattakeset street, Ward 24, two cars.

Saverio Penta, 152 London street, Ward 2, three car garage, granted for two.

Joseph Pitkofsky, 7 Richfield street, Ward 18, two cars.

Albert D. Price, 54 Stockton street, Ward 21, two cars.

Kenneth E. Roeder, 73 Chestnut Hill avenue, Ward 25, two cars.

Jacob Sanaf, 192 Neponset avenue, Ward 20, two cars.

Annie M. Shaw, 19 Roslin street, Ward 21, two cars.

John Stark, 421 East Sixth street, Ward 10, two cars.

Andrew J. Strellis *et al.*, 16 Linwood square, Ward 15, One two-car garage.

Anna R. B. Summer, 25 Pinehurst street, Ward 23, two cars.

Robert N. K. Svedeman, 131 Grampian way, Ward 17, two cars.

John Talbot, 10 Bellows street, Ward 21, two cars.

Mary C. Toomey, 1650 Columbia road, Ward 10, two cars.

William N. Bruhmuller, 96 Bynner street, Ward 14, three cars.

John J. Igo, 106 Bynner street, Ward 14, three cars.

Ella A. Kelley *et al.*, 33 Mt. Vernon street, Ward 11, three cars.

Joseph P. Manning, 80 Pond street, Ward 22, three cars.

Frank Marotta, 15 and 17 Ford street, Ward 1, group garage, three units.

Leo A. Reardon, 246 Fuller street, Ward 21, three cars.

Kirkor H. Sahagian, 8 Browning avenue, Ward 19, group garage, three units, three cars.

James P. Shaughnessy, 21 Boylston street, Ward 22, three units, three cars.

Elizabeth A. Sullivan, 58 and 60 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Ward 12, group garage, three units.

John J. Survilis, 65 Millet street, Ward 19, group garage, three units, three cars.

Anthony Yasinckas, 159 Rowen street, Ward 9, three cars.

Jennie F. Drake, 40 and 42 Eutaw street, Ward 1, group garage, four units, four cars.

Agnes L. Kelly, 42 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Ward 12, four cars.

Dudley G. Kimball, 55 Clifton street, Ward 12, group garage, four units.

Samuel Molica *et al.*, 539 East Third street, Ward 9, group garage, four units.

Nicola Cavaliesi, 655 Saratoga street, Ward 1, group garage, six units, six cars, 250 gallons gasoline.

Shapiro & Brown, 787 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 21, public garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.

William Berlo, 170 M street, Ward 10, 500 gallons gasoline.

H. Levenbaum, 1859 Dorchester avenue, Ward 20, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Morris Schwartz, 6-10 Northampton street, Ward 12, 500 gallons gasoline.

N. Ward Company, 500 East First street, Ward 9, 500 gallons gasoline.

Edward I. Brown, 1155 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 21, repair shop.

Oliver W. Fales, 50 Torrey street, Ward 21, additional group garage, four units.

Howard C. Davis, 720 East Broadway, Ward 9, public garage.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Hill Top street, Ward 20, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Eldora street, Ward 14, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Myricks street, Ward 26, erect two poles.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, Belgrade avenue, Ward 23, erect and remove one pole.

Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company, Spring street, Ward 23, alterations and additions.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, Maverick square, Ward 2, alterations and additions.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Turner street, Ward 26, erect one pole, remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Freeport street, Ward 20, erect and remove two poles.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED MAY 29 TO JUNE 4.

JUNE 4.—*Concluded.*

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Eugene N. Foss.....	20 Brookline avenue.....	8	First-class mercantile.....	\$195,000
P. J. Okunevich.....	818 East Sixth street.....	10	Second-class store.....	4,000
J. Scott McLearn.....	116 Sutherland road.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
J. Scott McLearn.....	120 Sutherland road.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
J. Scott McLearn.....	124 Sutherland road.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
J. Scott McLearn.....	130 Sutherland road.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
Fannie Wish.....	Rear of 41 Angell street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Duncan H. Stewart.....	265 Faneuil street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,400
Patrick Derchan.....	Rear of 8 Westford street.....	26	Special garage.....	275
Samuel G. Myers.....	701 Metropolitan avenue.....	24	Third-class garage.....	1,000
Thomas F. Fleming.....	109 Gustine street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
H. M. Mahoney.....	101 and 103 Nottinghill road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
E. P. H. Morrissey.....	122 Milton avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
E. P. H. Morrissey.....	73 and 75 Fairmount street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Mrs. Elizabeth Melver.....	128 Blake street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
Elizabeth C. Johnson.....	154 Perham street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Angus Gillis.....	41 Schiller road.....	23	Third-class garage.....	950
J. W. Sullivan.....	15 Bentley street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Mrs. Mary A. Monahan.....	Rear of 1400 River street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	199
Max Uroff.....	315 and 317 Tremont street.....	8	Move sign.....	100
E. C. McWeeny.....	2451 Centre street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
Weeks Real Estate Trust.....	551 and 553 Boylston street.....	8	Alterations, store and school.....	4,800
John A. Banda.....	69 Harvest street.....	11	Alterations, garage.....	500
J. DeBeniditto.....	678 Bennington street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
James W. Moran.....	274 Norfolk street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
Associated Dental Supply Company.....	5-11 Avery street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.....	3,000
Harvard Club.....	374 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Alterations, club house.....	100,000
Rose Barton.....	208 Itasca street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
Harry Slager.....	567 Warren street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Margaret Denehy.....	111 Putnam street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	100
S. C. Mouradian.....	24 Auburn street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
S. C. Mouradian.....	22 Auburn street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
R. H. Booth Sales Company.....	43 Lansdowne street.....	8	Install elevator.....	2,500
H. C. Leeds, trustee.....	69 High street.....	5	Install elevator.....	2,500
Pricilla Adams Lunch Company.....	23 Central street.....	5	Install dumb waiter.....	130
E. V. Earle & Sons, Inc.....	269-285 Columbus avenue.....	7	Install elevator.....	5,000

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Cleveland street, Ward 24, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Bragdon street, Ward 15, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, McCraw street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Rosecliff street, Ward 23, erect two poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Birchwood street, Ward 23, erect two poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Clayton street, Ward 18, erect four poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Callender street, Ward 21, erect one pole.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 544.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Goff and Gallivan, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Martin A. Keeley of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, reported to the Commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Martin A. Keeley was on May 15, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on May 15, 1924, to the said Martin A. Keeley.

On the nineteenth day of May, 1924, the said Martin A. Keeley, by his attorney, requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Tuesday, May 27, 1924, at 2.30 o'clock p. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Martin A. Keeley.

The said Martin A. Keeley was not present at said time and place and was not represented by counsel. Whereupon the Police Commissioner finds the said Martin A. Keeley guilty as charged and further finds that the said Martin A.

Keeley shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 545.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Goff and Gallivan, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman William J. Bradley of Division 11, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman William J. Bradley was on May 27, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on May 27, 1924, to the said William J. Bradley.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 546.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Gallivan and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman John E. Striplin of Division 3, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman John E. Striplin be placed on file.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 547.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Gallivan and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against

Patrolman Francis L. Cotter of Division 6, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect of duty, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which the said Patrolman Francis L. Cotter was on May 28, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on May 28, 1924, to the said Francis L. Cotter.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 548.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Gallivan and Fitzgerald having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Paul F. Halleran of Division 4, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Paul F. Halleran perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

LAND-TAKING IN HYDE PARK.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works, the lands, rights and easements hereinafter described to be constructed are as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings, or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston, formerly Hyde Park, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Ralston road, bounded:

Southwest by another part of Ralston road, eight feet; northwest by the same, two hundred and ten feet; northeast by the same, eight feet; and southeast by the same, two hundred and ten feet: containing sixteen hundred and eighty square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 200 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Ralston road, from Rutledge road to Ruskin road.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lot of abutting land at the northerly corner of Ralston road and Rutledge road, and the lots of abutting land on the south-

easterly side of Ralston road, between points opposite Rutledge road and Ruskin road, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 559, Sewerage Works, Ralston Road, Hyde Park, April 25, 1924, Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

	Amount.
Lot 1. Charles J. Sauder.....	\$70 00
Lot 3. Alfred Anderson.....	80 00
Lot 4. Alice M. Hamblen.....	80 00
Lot 5. Alice M. Hamblen.....	80 00
Lot 6. Alice M. Hamblen.....	80 00
Lot 7. Bella Neustadt.....	80 00
Lot 8. Bella Neustadt.....	80 00
Total.....	\$550 00

TRAVEL AND TRANSPORTATION STATISTICS.

Number of passengers on steam railroads to and from Boston, year ending Dec. 31, 1921, Boston & Maine, 31,491,731 (*i. e.*, 2,421,871 less than in 1920); New York, New Haven & Hartford, 31,564,856; Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn, 12,939,918; Boston & Albany, 10,112,010; total railroad passengers, 86,108,515 or 6,096,684 less than in 1920. Passenger trains in and out of South Station, 645 a day, 458 of which are N. Y. & N. H. and 187 B. & A.; North Station, 500 a day; Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn, 432 a day (maximum) during summer season. Passengers carried by Boston Elevated Company in 1921 numbered 337,252,080 or 1,725,519 more than in 1920 and 12,493,395 more than in 1919; miles of single track operated by B. E. Co., 517.7 or 475 surface and 42.7 third-rail track (about 315 miles within City limits and 202 outside); number of employees, 8,528; surface cars, 1,649; third-rail cars, 416; electric car motors, 7,067. Passengers carried by Eastern Mass. Street Railway Company in same year, 134,000,000 (estimated); miles of track operated, 701, or 22 in Boston and 679 outside, serving 71 cities and towns; number of employees, 2,381; cars, 763. Boston & Worcester Street Railway Company, 11,100,464 passengers carried; 83.2 miles of track operated; 326 employees; 74 cars. The Bay State Company was reorganized in 1918, as provided by Chapter 188, Special Acts of 1918, the new company taking the name Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company. A State board of five trustees was created to manage it for period of 10 years and \$3,000,000 new capital was raised.

Miles of steam railroads in United States in 1920, 253,152 or 34 per cent of total railroad mileage in the world. Total number employees, 2,031,927; passengers carried in year 1920, 1,234,222,889; tons of freight, 2,234,547,672. Capitalized value of railroads in United States, \$18,900,000,000, according to the Railway Age. Miles of electric railways in 1917, 32,547, owned by 1,307 companies, operating 79,914 passenger cars, which carried 11,304,660,462 paying passengers during year.

PUBLIC HOSPITALS IN BOSTON.

Number of patients admitted in year ending January 31, 1922, to City Hospital, its South Department and other branches, 22,564 or 2,236 more than in

year next preceding. Daily average of patients in charge, 899; out-patients treated, 65,019; number of beds, 1,207 (797 in Main Hospital, 338 in South Department); average days' stay of patients, 14 in Main Hospital, 32 in South Department (for contagious diseases); daily average of officers and employees boarded, 713; of all patients discharged, 20 per cent were well and 63 per cent relieved. Total income from paying patients in year ending January 31, 1922, \$188,488 or \$21,479 more than in preceding year. This total is 15.3 per cent of the maintenance expenditures in 1921 or \$1,232,172. The great majority of the patients plead inability to pay and are cared for free. Cost per day for each ward patient in Main Hospital, \$3.68. In the past five years the total cost of the City Hospital has increased 54.3 per cent. Since its opening on June 1, 1864, 513,289 house patients and 1,955,271 out-patients had been cared for in the 56 years and 8 months ending Jan. 31, 1921. Boston Sanatorium (formerly Consumptives' Hospital) patients admitted at Mattapan in year ending Jan. 31, 1922, 585; 352 in charge previously; total cared for, 937, including 116 in Children's Ward; out-patients treated, 9,733; average daily number at Mattapan, 344; number of beds in Mattapan wards, 422. Total cost of maintenance for 1921-22, \$367,795 or \$16,527 more than in 1920. Receipts for board of patients and State allowance of \$5.00 per week for those having tubercle bacilli, \$70,391. Increase in cost of maintenance in past 5 years, 65 per cent.

RECEIPTS OF THE FISCAL YEAR 1922-23.

Total ordinary and extraordinary (less refunds of \$128,841), \$66,640,914 or \$4,132,879 more than in 1921-22, of which excess \$2,653,000 was due to increased loans. Balance on hand from previous year, *i. e.*, cash not appropriated, \$2,294,030. Total available for expenditure, \$68,934,944. Net general income (including school revenue, \$437,903), \$52,172,608 of which \$42,356,046 was from property and poll taxes (including City bank tax, \$433,128); \$3,244,867 from income tax (from State) and \$2,881,414 (less by \$2,104,107 than in 1921) corporation and other taxes from State, street railways, etc., or \$48,482,328 total net tax receipts, which exceeds 1921 total by \$357,607; repayment by Boston Elevated of assessment in part, \$372,035; miscellaneous income of departments, etc., \$3,318,246. Total income of Water Service, \$3,775,948; other income credited to appropriations (including \$386,688 to Printing Dept.) \$523,456; Parkman Fund income transferred to Park Dept. for special appropriations, \$211,330.

Total ordinary income, \$56,683,342 or \$1,368,766 more than in 1921-22.

Net general income (\$52,172,608) plus unexpended appropriations, etc. (\$748,405) amounted to \$52,921,013 or \$625,724 short of total estimated income, including school revenue.

At close of year, there were accounts receivable, or uncollected taxes of 1922 and prior years, amounting to \$7,068,753.

Extraordinary receipts: From loans \$8,122,500; Rapid Transit revenue, \$1,703,937; miscellaneous, \$131,135. Total, \$9,957,572. Balance of unexpended appropriations from preceding year, \$3,085,041. Total available for extraordinary purposes, \$13,042,613. [Statistics Dept's revision.]

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works in Highborn street, Brighton, as follows:

The right to exclusively occupy and use for a period of eight months and to work therein for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works and leave in substantially the same condition as at the present time to the full ownership and control of the present owners thereof, their successors, heirs and assigns when said sewerage works shall have been made, the parcels of land bounded and described as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Mack Motor Truck Company, bounded:

Northwest by Highborn street and by land supposed to belong to Craviotto, fourteen and 5-100 feet; northeast by other land of said company, by two measurements, one hundred eight and 40-100 feet and one hundred forty and 35-100 feet; east by land hereinafter described as taken from Harvey Company, and from owners unknown (passageway) by two measurements, thirteen and 82-100 feet and 58-100 feet; and southwest by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes August 23, 1923, by two measurements, one hundred forty-four and 43-100 feet and one hundred ten and 47-100 feet; containing thirty-five hundred twenty-seven square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Mack Motor Truck Company, bounded:

Northwest by other land of said company and by Highborn street, ten feet; northeast by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes August 23, 1923, by two measurements, one hundred twelve and 84-100 feet and one hundred forty-two and 32-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (passageway), ten and 19-100 feet; and southwest by other land of said company, by two measurements, one hundred forty-one feet and one hundred fourteen and 32-100 feet; containing twenty-five hundred and fifty-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Arthur C. Harvey Company, bounded:

West by land hereinafter described as taken from the Mack Motor Truck Company, thirteen and 82-100 feet; northeast by other land of said Harvey Company, five and 93-100 feet; and southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (passageway), thirteen and 69-100 feet; containing forty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of a passageway, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from the Mack Motor Truck Company and from the Harvey Company, fourteen and 27-100 feet; northeast by land of Harvey Company, twenty-four and 47-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from the International Harvester Company of America, fourteen and 27-100 feet; and southwest by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes August 23, 1923, twenty-four and 47-100 feet; containing three hundred forty-three square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of a passageway, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from the Mack Motor Truck Company, ten and 19-100 feet; northeast by easement taken by the City

of Boston for sewerage purposes August 23, 1923, twenty-four and 47-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from the International Harvester Company of America, ten and 19-100 feet; and southwest by another part of said passageway, twenty-four and 47-100 feet; containing two hundred and forty-five square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the International Harvester Company of America, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (passageway), fourteen and 27-100 feet; northeast by land of said company, two hundred nineteen and 33-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Drake, fourteen and 3-100 feet; and southwest by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes August 23, 1923, two hundred twenty-one and 28-100 feet; containing three thousand eighty-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the International Harvester Company of America, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (passageway), ten and 19-100 feet; northeast by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes August 23, 1923, two hundred twenty-three and 50-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Ovans and by other land of said Ovans, ten and 2-100 feet; and southwest by other land of said company, two hundred twenty-four and 89-100 feet; containing twenty-two hundred and forty-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Louis S. Drake, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from the International Harvester Company of America, fourteen and 3-100 feet; northeast by other land of said Drake, two hundred ninety-two and 54-100 feet; southeast by Everett street, fourteen feet; and south west by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes August 23, 1923, two hundred ninety-three and 63-100 feet; containing forty-one hundred and four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to David Ovans, bounded:

Northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from the International Harvester Company of America, seven and 52-100 feet; northeast by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes August 23, 1923, two hundred ninety-three and 90-100 feet; southeast by Everett street, ten and 4-100 feet; southwest by other land of said Ovans, two hundred feet; northwest by the same, two and 50-100 feet; and again southwest by the same, ninety-three and 48-100 feet; containing twenty-seven hundred and four square feet, more or less.

The above described premises is private land between Highborn and Everett streets.

CLAIMS.

The Mayor upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel has approved the following claims:

Marion Abercrombie, 3 Islington street, Allston, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk in front of 31 Howard avenue, Roxbury, March 9, 1924.

Mabel L. Ahearn, 23 East Concord street, in the sum of \$124, as compensation for damage to property at said

address caused by backing up of sewer, October 3, 1923.

Louise DeLuca, 161 Endicott street, Boston, in the sum of \$175, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk opposite No. 179 Endicott street, September 16, 1923.

Mary DeLuca, 161 Endicott street, Boston, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk opposite 179 Endicott street, September 16, 1923.

Edward W. Egan, 311 Tremont street, Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for damage to property at said address caused by break in water main, November 11, 1923.

Ethel D. Ellis, 1334 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for personal injuries caused by projecting pavement in gutter on Brighton avenue, near corner of Harvard avenue, March 21, 1924.

Mrs. Sime Gougouian, 10 School street, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in front of 621 Harrison avenue, October 15, 1923.

Joseph Hana, 64 Hudson street, Boston, in the sum of \$15, in return of license fee for license which was never used.

Frances Maley, 165 Dorchester street, South Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in street on Broadway, near Dorchester street, January 29, 1924.

Dora Kotarski, *per pro ami*, 53 Oswego street, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in front of 1 Oswego street, Boston, December 30, 1923.

Lieberman Brothers, 39 Salem street, Boston, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for damage to property at said address caused by defective sewer, July 28, 1923.

Edward A. Malone, 12 Brewer street, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of \$10, as compensation for damage to property at said address caused by negligence of city employees putting in water meter, January 18, 1924.

Angelina Monarco, 169 Hanover street, Boston, in the sum of \$175, as compensation for damage to clothing and personal injuries, at North Ferry, March 1, 1923, caused by gate on ladies' side.

ASKS CONGRESSMAN TAGUE TO AID NAVY YARD WORKERS.

Mayor Curley sent the following telegram to Hon. Peter F. Tague, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.:

A delegation of workmen from the Boston Navy Yard, Charlestown, called and stated that it is imperative that naval bill providing for building cruisers and reconditioning old battleships shall pass Congress before adjournment, or eight hundred men will be discharged from service at Boston Navy Yard prior to September 15, 1924.

If modernizing of U. S. S. "Florida" or any other battleship can be undertaken at Charlestown, the greater part if not all of the force now employed there can be retained. The building of one of the cruisers provided for in the naval bill at Charlestown would stabilize work for several years. Boston Navy Yard during the past year has attained the highest position from the standpoint of cost of work and the overhead rate attained by any navy yard in the United States, and Boston is entitled to first consideration in maintaining its present working force.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

May 19, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6.53 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of the meeting of Mar. 17, 1924, page 34, were amended to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Margaret M. Hosman to the Phillips Brooks District, shall read assistant, third year, to take effect April 28, 1924, instead of "April 21, 1924"; and to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Alice E. Connelly, assistant, Ulysses S. Grant District, shall read "fourth year."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

ESTABLISHMENT OF TUITION OF NON-RESIDENT PUPILS, CONTINUATION SCHOOL.

A communication was received from Robert O. Small, Director, Division of Vocational Education, reporting that that department has approved a tuition rate of twenty-six cents (26c) per hour of service for non-resident pupils attending the Boston Continuation School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1923.

Placed on file.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the deaths of the following named teachers:

Wells District—Josephine H. Calef, first assistant, kindergarten, May 9, 1924.

Wendell Phillips District—William H. Ryan, sub-master, May 12, 1924. Placed on file.

The Superintendent also reported the deaths of the following named principal emeritus and teacher who had been retired on pension:

Bennett District—Henry L. Sawyer, principal emeritus, May 12, 1924.

Eliot District—Rose M. E. Regio, Feb. 11, 1924.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

Bennett District—S. Matilda Daniell, assistant, Mar. 31, 1924.

Emerson District—Dorothy J. McNally, assistant, Apr. 30, 1924.

Accepted.

A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of May 19, 1924, reporting that the services of the following named person were discontinued on the date set opposite her name:

Trade School for Girls—Nancy A. Wentworth, student aid, Apr. 30, 1924.

Placed on file.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Abraham Lincoln District—Helen K. Travers, May 5, 1924.

Dillaway District—Maryalice Devoe, May 5, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Pearl Larson, kindergarten, May 5, 1924.

Emerson District—Olive C. Kelly, May 1 to 2, 1924 (two days); Mary L. Mahoney, May 5, 1924 (one day).

Francis Parkman District—Mabel L. Langworthy, May 12, 1924.

Sherwin District—Mary E. Walsh, special class, May 19, 1924.

Washington-Allston District—Arthur L. Morrissey, May 12, 1924.

Wells District—Anna Whelton, May 9, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Wendell Phillips District—John S. Kane, sub-master, May 14, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Rita M. Sherry, teacher of sewing, April 21, 1924.

Placed on file.

REAPPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Public Latin School—Lawrence J. Curtin, junior master, May 6, 1924.

Charlestown High School—George A. Reardon, junior master, June 2, 1924.

English High School—Karl Bell, junior master, May 2, 1924.

High School of Commerce—William J. Murphy, junior master, May 2, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—Bertha Swift, assistant, May 19, 1924.

Mechanic Arts High School—Freeman D. Shepherd, emergency shop instructor, June 2, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Everett J. McIntosh, emergency assistant instructor, May 23, 1924; Frank A. Hurley, emergency shop instructor, May 26, 1924; George G. Larsson, emergency assistant instructor, May 28, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Laura H. Johnston, teacher of sewing, May 21, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY NURSES.

Department of Medical Inspection—Mary Nolan Dee, school nurse Apr. 11, 1924; Rose A. Murphy, school nurse, Apr. 7, 1924; Lucy T. O'Kane, school nurse, Apr. 5, 1924. Placed on file.

SUBSTITUTE NURSE.

Department of Medical Inspection—Anna A. Ramsey, school nurse, Mar. 10, 1924.

Approved.

SUMMER REVIEW SCHOOLS

(Term of 1924.)

To take effect June 23, 1924

Summer Review High School—C. Ross Appler, Elmer R. Bowker, John H. Card, Anastasia B. Connor, Ralph M. Corson, George A. Cushman, F. Louise Dacey, Frederick H. Dole, Marion A. Fitch, Agnes M. Gallivan, Harold B. Garland, Frances W. Given, Abraham H. Gretsche, Marion A. Guilford, James H. Holland, Frank A. Kennedy, Carey P. Ladd, Joseph A. Leary, Margaret Little, William F. Looney, Martha P. Luther, George F. McCarthy, Norman A. Moss, Charles F. Murphy, William H. H. Peirce, Basil N. Perkins, Fred P. H. Pike, Mary J. Quigley, James D. Ryan, William J. Sands, Alma F. Silsby, Orren H. Smith, Ambrose B. Warren, assistants.

Bigelow Summer Review Elementary School—Walter T. Durnan, M. Elizabeth Fleming, Isabelle M. Harvey, Mary H. Hilton, Katherine A. Kenney, Susan H. Lynch, Ella R. Lyons, Margaret M. J. McAndrew, Grace L. Pomeroy, assistants.

Charlestown Summer Review Elementary School—Louise F. Barry, Paul Cloues, Mabel I. Cormack, Daniel M. Daley, Anna C. Hughes, Ellen A. Leahy, Julia J. McCarthy, Mary E. Rockwood, Edith A. West, assistants.

City Summer Review Elementary School—Alice R. Beiger, Mary G. Bellamy, Nellie K. Bishop, Agnes C. Brennan, Joseph F. Burch, Helen K. Burke, Margaret M. Casey, Agnes R. Collier, Thomas D. Craven, Joseph E. Dalton, Mary M. Fitzgerald, Winifred A. Fohlin, Anastasia M. Ford, Mary L. Gallagher, Mary T. Gallagher, Mary H. Healey, Frances M. Hendrick, Katherine G. Kelley, Kathryn F. Mahoney, Eleanor A. McNamara, Grace W. Mitchell, Margaret M. Moore, Maude W. Nelson, Isabel F. Sullivan, Helen V. Weisbach, assistants.

Dorchester Summer Review Elementary School—Laura A. Campbell, Alice L. Carroll, John J. Connolly, Rosanna M. Dowd, Winifred M. Doyle, Madeline M. Eich, Mary A. Fletcher, Eunice C. Hearn, Marion T. Hughes, Evelyn H. Manley, Lillian M. McCormick, George L. McKim, Marion B. Mooney, Katherine Moran, Frances M. Murphy, Bridget C. Ridge, Anne Sheridan, Gertrude A. Smith, Caroline J. Trommer, assistants.

East Boston Summer Review Elementary School—Ellen A. Barry, Philip J. Bond, Katherine E. Cagney, Joanna Z. Connell, Livia De Simone, Joseph A. Donahoe, Helen M. Dooley, Ellen A. Dwyer, Margaret M. Flaherty, Emma M. Gardner, Anna V. Grady, Rose M. Hickey, Mary B. Kirby, Sara E. Kirwen, Agnes C. Lavery, Berenice E. Reardon, Elizabeth G. Savage, Catherine R. Sullivan, assistants.

Hugh O'Brien Summer Review Elementary School—Mary J. Boyhan, Helen F. Denehy, Cecelia F. Doherty, Marjory T. Doherty, Elsie F. Eagan, Agnes R. Hurley, Mary V. Kane, Mary L. Kelly, Marguerite MacKay, Margaret M. McDonald, John P. McEleney, Nelson I. Mixer, Mary M. Russell, Mary M. Tierney, assistants.

Hyde Park Summer Review Elementary School—Julia A. Barrett, Anna C. Gallagher, Genevieve C. Grass, Mary R. Greeley, Alice C. Kapples, Anna Kapples, John J. Murray, assistants.

Lewis Summer Review Elementary School—Adelaide R. Burke, Mary

Callahan, Alice C. Coleman, Florence M. Duncan, Marion E. Gallagher, Mary S. Garrity, Selma C. Gronquist, E. May Hastings, Margaret M. Joyce, B. Hazel Kane, Lucy H. Littlefield, Philip F. Mackey, LeRoy T. Martin, Eleanor H. Malson, Agnes F. McCarthy, Ellen V. McLaughlin, Marie M. McLaughlin, Mary A. McLaughlin, Clara I. Metcalf, Helen M. Nolan, Margaret M. Patterson, Frank J. Roland, Mary J. Ryan, Sabina M. Ryan, Frances E. Taylor, Gertrude M. Wyeth, assistants.

Shurtleff Summer Review Elementary School—William J. Dee, Jr., Geraldine I. Donoghue, Gordon F. Irons, Agnes McCloskey, Margaret C. McCloskey, Mary F. Nolan, Mary E. O'Kane, Mary F. Roome, assistants.

West End Summer Review Elementary School—Ruth E. Clarke, Mary E. D. Devereaux, Marie C. Doherty, Jennie A. Drew, Mary A. Dunbar, Gertrude L. Feeley, Edward W. Giblin, Florence M. Halligan, Mary J. Leonard, Margaret B. Lynch, Marion G. MacKay, Katherine A. McCarron, Rose L. McCarthy, Adelina G. Misite, Esther R. Noone, Margaret V. O'Connor, Francis O. Wood, Clare L. Zimmerman, assistants.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Summer Review High School—Lillian H. Austin, Ellen A. Barry, Edward Berge-Soler, Walter F. Burt, Margaret E. Campbell, Charles A. Cederberg, Marguerite Condon, Mildred P. Cummings, Mary M. Devlin, Edward W. Giblin, Mary C. Harrington, Barnaby M. Hogan, Mary B. Killion, Avis A. Kingston, Henry P. Moore, Alice E. Murphy, John J. Murray, Leroy M. Rand, Thomas A. Scanlon, Mary Stuart, Alfred B. Sullivan, Mary M. Sullivan, Alice M. Twigg.

Summer Review Elementary Schools—Margaret M. Biggy, Catherine F. Cahill, Esther L. Carley, Charlotte Z. Church, Victoria R. Cotichini, Marie O. Day, Mary B. Doherty, Rose L. Donohoe, Mary W. Dunlevy, Johanna Eagan, M. Grace English, Mary F. Finan, Margaret M. Finnegan, Bertha L. Fleming, Gertrude A. Flynn, Mary A. Gallivan, Helen V. Gill, Eva Gordon, Margaret M. Horgan, Mary G. Hughes, Florence E. Hurley, Margaret A. Johnson, Mary H. Keefe, Mary E. Kelleher, Edward C. Keller, Esther B. Larson, Mildred V. Lavelle, Helen M. Leonard, Mary E. Loughman, Margaret C. Lyons, Mary O. Mackey, Florence M. Magner, Mary G. Maloney, Marie G. Mann, Mary L. McNamara, Margaret M. Moriarty, Isabelle L. Morrissey, Mary J. Murphy, Helen M. Nolan, Cecelia G. Norton, Mary V. O'Keefe, E. Gertrude O'Reilly, Dorothea L. O'Shea, Dorothy C. Peterson, M. Winnifred Reilly, Henrietta W. Sheinker, S. Catherine Smith, Katherine D. Sullivan, Mary A. Sullivan, Grace M. Toland, Mary E. Vaughan, Everett C. Yates.

Approved.

SUMMER VACATION SCHOOLS.

Season, 1924.

(To take effect June 23, 1924.)

Michelangelo Vacation School—Katherine Bergen, Mary L. Bishop, Sarah N. Boyce, Grace M. Broaders, Ruth A. Carter, Mary A. Collins, Mary A. Connors, Eva M. Cotton (half-time), Bessie F. Crimmins, Mildred A. Dacey, Anna M. Doherty, Melania E. Ford, Frances M. Hagerty, Mary B. Howard, Har-

riet L. Jewell, Dora Kalish, Alice S. Kenyon, Agnes C. King, Grace F. Laughlin, Gladys M. MacKay, Helen MacNeil, Margaret McHugh, Alice Meston, Vivian Milmore, Mary A. Moore, Helen R. Murphy, Mary E. Osborne, Mary C. Redican, Nellie W. Riley, Mary G. Strachan, Rose B. Sullivan, Mary L. Thurston, Arvid J. Wahlstrom, assistants.

Rice Vacation School—Adelaide R. Becker, Evangeline F. Conza, Josephine M. Friery, Violet C. Goetz, Anastasia O. Hynes, Leonora P. Lordan, Kathleen MacHugh, Gertrude L. Mazur, Anna E. McCoy, Elizabeth C. McGinty, Elizabeth C. Menn, Gunnar Munnick, Jennie B. Murphy, Dorothy M. O'Brien, Margaret J. O'Brien, Dorothy E. Reilly, Elsie V. Soelle, Viola C. Soelle, Idabel N. Thureson, Margaret F. Tivnan, Marion Turner, Louise W. Vaughan, Eleanor M. Whelton, Dorothy L. Winchenbach, assistants.

Theodore Lyman Vacation School—Mary V. Benson, Regina M. Cronin, Mary A. Donahue, Frances Forte, Louise A. Gilbert, Eileen R. Griffin, Emeline V. Holahan, Helen G. Keefe, J. Irene E. Kelley, Margaret M. Loschi, Mary A. Loschi, John J. McCarthy, Anna E. McFarland, Margaret R. McLaughlin, Mary C. McLaughlin, Frances K. Moriarty, Catherine T. O'Connor, Margaret E. Power, Anna G. Riordan, Esther M. Ryan, Mary A. Salmon, Helen I. Thompson, Catherine A. Vanier, assistants.

Approved.

PLAYGROUNDS

Season, 1924

Play Teachers—Leo J. Aicardi, William F. Barry, Walter A. Cremen, George A. Cushman, Francis J. Dillon, William F. Dowling, Frederick L. Eames, Ethel T. English, William L. Hughes, B. Hazel Kane, Grace D. Lennon, Forest Levis, Thomas F. Luby, Leroy T. Martin, John J. McCarthy, Patrick J. McGuinness, John J. Norton, John J. O'Brien, Hugh H. O'Regan, William A. Reed, John A. Rice, Francis R. Sheehan.

Playground Teacher—Mary E. Donovan.

Approved.

TRANSFERS

Dearborn District—Mary Connolly, assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Lewis Intermediate District, May 21, 1924; Mary Fitzgerald, first assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Wells District, May 21, 1924.

George Putnam Evening School—Francis A. O'Brien, principal, to the same position in the Dearborn Evening School, May 13, 1924.

Edward Everett Evening School—Bertha F. Gavett, assistant, to the same position in the Franklin Evening School, May 13, 1924.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Leo W. Banks, Frances C. Creedon, Augustin D. Curado, John J. Danahy, Martha E. Geer, Geraldine N. Peck, Lucy A. Quinlan, Alfred C. Sheehan, Winifred Slocum, Anna Whelton.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On motion, the leave of absence granted to Ella L. Bresnahan, assistant instructor in manual training, for May 15 and 16, 1924, two

days, without loss of pay (to attend convention of Eastern Arts Association), at the meeting of May 5, 1924, is hereby rescinded.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Girls' High School—Herbert M. Thayer, junior master, from June 1 to 19, 1924.

High School of Commerce—Francis J. DeCelles, junior master, May 13, 1924, one day, without pay.

Trade School for Girls—Bertha D. Tucker, vocational assistant, May 15, 16, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to attend convention of Eastern Arts Association).

Dearborn District—Carrie M. Wellington, assistant, May 9, 1924, one day, without pay.

Everett District—Florence A. Perry, assistant, from June 1 to 19, 1924.

Gaston District—Edith M. Allen, assistant, from June 1 to 19, 1924.

Hancock District—Phyllis E. Geary, assistant, May 14, 1924, one day, funeral.

Henry Grew District—Louise E. McLaughlin, assistant, May 14, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Martin District—Annie A. Doran, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Prince District—Kate A. Raycroft, assistant, from June 1 to 19, 1924.

Rice District—Helen R. Murphy, assistant, May 12, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Thomas N. Hart District—Florence Harlow, assistant, May 13, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Department of Manual Arts—Grace E. Hackett, assistant, Apr. 8, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Frances A. Burnham, school nurse, May 1, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Hulda Cederstrom, school nurse, May 5, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Mary B. O'Donnell, school nurse, May 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following named teacher for the term specified:

Department of Household Science and Arts—Anna G. Flynn, teacher of cookery, from Mar. 6 to 28, 1924, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence for study, study and travel or rest was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Girls' Latin School—Eva Z. Prichard, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924 to Aug. 31, 1925, for study.

Brighton High School—Sidney Peterson, master, head of department, from Sept. 1, 1924 to Aug. 31, 1925, for rest.

Charlestown High School—Margaret J. Griffith, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924 to Aug. 31, 1925, for study and travel.

Dorchester High School—Maud A. Hartwell, first assistant, head of department, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for rest.

Roxbury High School—Ethel N. Pope, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for rest.

South Boston High School—Mary C. Grandfield, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for study.

Bennett District—Helen L. Arnold, first assistant, kindergarten, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for rest.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Mary E. Hallinan, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for study.

Lowell District—Marguerite J. Martin, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for rest.

Department of Manual Arts—Ellen F. Coffin, assistant instructor in manual training, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for study and travel; John Knight, shop foreman, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for study and travel.

DESIGNATION OF A TEACHER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 19, 1924, reporting the following designation of a teacher to serve in the position indicated until such time as it shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations:

Wells District—Katherine A. Kigen, assistant, as acting first assistant in charge (vice Jeannette A. Nelson, absent on leave), Apr. 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

EMPLOYMENT OF PLAY TEACHERS IN HIGH SCHOOLS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of the following-named play teachers is hereby authorized in the high schools as indicated, to take effect May 19, 1924, and to continue for the remainder of the current school term, compensation for said services to be at the rate of two dollars, twenty-five cents (\$2.25) per session:

Public Latin School—Edward F. McKay.

High School of Commerce—Walter L. McLean.

Mechanic Arts High School—Francis J. Horgan.

Dorchester High School—Gerald Deeley.

ESTABLISHMENT OF CLASSES IN RECREATIONAL HANDICRAFTS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to establish classes in recreational handicrafts in the Elihu Greenwood, John A. Andrew, Mary Hemmeway, and Wendell Phillips Districts during the months of July and August, 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the daily sessions of classes in recreational handicrafts during the summer of 1924 shall be not more than two sessions of not less than three hours each, to begin not earlier than eight o'clock A. M. and to close not later than eight o'clock P. M.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to appoint teachers of recreational handicrafts of the following ranks for the season of 1924: crafts instructor, crafts assistant.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to make such emergency appointments

as may be necessary for service in the recreational handicraft classes during the summer of 1924.

PAYMENT TO TEMPORARY INSTRUCTOR OF DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS AND SIGNALING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be paid the sum of ninety six dollars (\$96) to Francis A. Mahan for services rendered as temporary instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling during the month of April, 1924, upon certification by the Director of Physical Training to the Superintendent that the services covered by said amount have been rendered.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO SCHOOL PHYSICIANS WHO ASSISTED WITH SCHICK TESTING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That in addition to the regular salary of their rank there be paid to each of the following-named school physicians the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) for additional services rendered in connection with Schick testing in the Boston Public Schools:

Dr. David P. Hayes
Dr. Harold Q. Gallupe
Dr. Herman Petterson
Dr. Bernard W. Pond
Dr. William H. Robinson
Dr. Charles E. Shay
Dr. Joseph P. Tynan

HALL FOR GRADUATION EXERCISES, EAST BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners is hereby requested to secure the use of the Central Square Theatre for the graduation exercises of the East Boston High School on the afternoon of Thursday, June 19, 1924.

AUTHORIZED LIST OF TEXT AND SUPPLEMENTARY BOOKS.

The Superintendent offered the five following orders making changes in and additions to the authorized list of text and supplementary books:

1. ORDERED, That the revised edition of the following-named text book is hereby authorized for use in Grades VII, VIII, IX to take the place of the two volume edition of the same:

Hodgdon, Daniel Russell. Elementary General Science.
Hinds, Hayden and Eldredge, Inc. cpt. 1922
net \$ 1.35

2. ORDERED, That the revised edition of the following-named book is hereby authorized for use in the Boston Trade School to take the place of the two volume edition of the same:

Hodgdon, Daniel Russell. Elementary General Science.
Hinds, Hayden and Eldredge, Inc. cpt. 1922
net \$ 1.35

3. ORDERED, That the following-named books, now authorized for use as text or supplementary books in Latin and day high schools, are hereby dropped from the list, no further copies to be purchased:

Practical English Composition. Books I, II, III, IV. E. L. Miller. Houghton, Mifflin Co.
Punctuation Leaves for Use with Sentence and Theme. C. H. Ward. Scott, Foresman & Co.

4. ORDERED, That the following-named books, now authorized for use as text books in intermediate schools or classes, are hereby dropped from the list, no further copies to be purchased:

Outlines of Greek History, With a Survey of Ancient Neutral Nations. William C. Morey. American Book Co.

Practical English Composition. Book I. E. L. Miller. Houghton, Mifflin Co.

Selections from The Cruise of the Dolphin, Baby Bell, and Other Verse and Prose. T. B. Aldrich. Houghton, Mifflin Co. (Riverside Literature Series.)

The Science of Everyday Life. Edgar F. Van Buskirk and Edith L. Smith. Houghton, Mifflin Co.

5. ORDERED, That the following-named books, now authorized for use as text books in Grade VIII, are hereby dropped from the list, no further copies to be purchased:

An Advanced Rational Speller. Ida M. Daly. Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co.

Lessons in Physics. L. D. Higgins. Ginn & Co.

The foregoing five orders were laid over.

APPOINTMENT OF FULL-TIME CLERICAL ASSISTANT, CO-OPERATIVE COURSE, CHARLESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 19, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has appointed Agnes C. McCormick, clerical assistant, Charlestown and Brighton High Schools, on full time in the Charlestown High School for work in connection with the co-operative industrial courses in this school, to take effect May 15, 1924.

Placed on file, and appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

ELIGIBLE LIST.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of May 19, 1924, reporting that it has amended School Document No. 15, 1923—List of Candidates Eligible for Appointment as Teachers, as follows:

Page 14. High School Certificate. Mathematics. 900. Ray D. Farnsworth. Name temporarily removed by request.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of May 19, 1924, submitting the list of successful candidates of December, 1923, for the certificates of qualification VIII. Elementary School, Class B; X. Kinder-

garten; XI. Special: Valid in Day Elementary or Day Intermediate Schools and Classes, Cookery and Sewing; XI. Special: First Assistant in Charge, Special Classes; XI. Special: Special Classes; and XXI. Nurse.

These names do not constitute separate eligible lists, but should be inserted in School Document No. 15, 1923, at the points indicated by the several ratings.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, CLASS B CERTIFICATE

(Certificate covers Grades I to VI, inclusive)

Rat- ing	Name	Certificate Expires
.889	Katharine E. Holland.....	June 30, 1930
.846	*Frederick S. Whelton.....	June 30, 1930
.844	Ada V. Dolan.....	June 30, 1930
.841	Mary J. Barry.....	June 30, 1926
.840	Helen L. Whalen.....	June 30, 1930
.838	Mary E. Donnelly McCor- mick.....	June 30, 1929
.838	*Louise Sullivan.....	June 30, 1930
.838	E. Madeline Toner.....	June 30, 1930
.836	Elizabeth V. Hinds.....	June 30, 1930
.833	*Joseph P. Fox.....	June 30, 1930
.827	Joyce H. Young.....	June 30, 1930
.819	*Alice M. Nolan.....	June 30, 1930
.818	Elizabeth F. Byrne.....	June 30, 1930
.815	Mary Beatty.....	June 30, 1930
.813	Mary T. P. Eagan.....	June 30, 1930
.812	Esther J. Yoken.....	June 30, 1930
.810	Josephine F. O'Connell.....	June 30, 1930
.806	Miles G. Lee.....	June 30, 1930
.801	Anastasia M. Kelly.....	June 30, 1930
.796	Mollie E. Collins.....	June 30, 1924
.795	Marie P. Denihan Sullivan.....	June 30, 1930
.790	Belle Wisansky.....	June 30, 1930
.788	Martha J. E. Volk.....	June 30, 1930
.787	Hugh H. O'Regan.....	June 30, 1930
.782	Theresa O'Neil.....	June 30, 1930
.777	Anna K. M. Coughlin.....	June 30, 1930
.766	Ellen J. McGowan.....	June 30, 1930
.766	*Dorothy H. Norris.....	June 30, 1930
.762	Dora Cohen.....	June 30, 1930
.756	Rose R. Braxton.....	June 30, 1930
.754	*Dorothy F. Burke.....	June 30, 1930
.744	Anna G. Byrne.....	June 30, 1930
.739	*Thomas J. F. Teehan.....	June 30, 1930
.738	Agnes G. Fox.....	June 30, 1929
.731	Eleanor M. O'Dowd.....	June 30, 1930
.727	Esther M. FitzGerald.....	June 30, 1930
.724	Florence A. Agnew.....	June 30, 1930
.724	*Adelaide M. McGovern.....	June 30, 1930
.722	Elizabeth A. Marsano.....	June 30, 1930
.718	Mary F. Casey.....	June 30, 1928
.716	William J. Cunningham.....	June 30, 1930
.714	Mary V. Coughlin.....	June 30, 1930
.714	Frances H. Gunning.....	June 30, 1930
.714	Martha V. O'Neil.....	June 30, 1930
.713	*John B. Kelley, Jr.....	June 30, 1930
.710	*Hannah D. Levy.....	June 30, 1930
.709	*Cecilia A. O'Shea.....	June 30, 1930
.708	Mary W. O'Maley.....	June 30, 1930
.704	Mary F. McCourt.....	June 30, 1930
.703	Gertrude Slater.....	June 30, 1930
.702	*Margaret H. Griffin.....	June 30, 1930

KINDERGARTEN CERTIFICATE

Rat- ing	Name	Certificate Expires
.889	Roberta J. Golden.....	June 30, 1929
.789	*Anna V. Doyle.....	June 30, 1930
.777	Christine Hamburger.....	June 30, 1930
.759	*Christine M. Murphy.....	June 30, 1930
.752	*Elinor Glynn.....	June 30, 1930
.750	*Mary M. Rourke.....	June 30, 1930
.738	*Eileen M. McCarthy.....	June 30, 1930
.733	Frances L. Quinn.....	June 30, 1930
.732	*M. Louise Whelan.....	June 30, 1930
.728	Lewette H. Spence.....	June 30, 1930
.721	*Helen Z. Whiteman.....	June 30, 1930
.719	Irene G. Woodward.....	June 30, 1930
.717	Muriel A. Johnson.....	June 30, 1930
.714	*Margaret E. McKenna.....	June 30, 1930
.704	Mabelle S. Chapman.....	June 20, 1930
.702	*Pauline G. Davenport.....	June 30, 1930
.701	*Kathleen T. Murphy.....	June 30, 1930
.700	*Ruth E. Minton.....	June 30, 1930

SPECIAL CERTIFICATES VALID IN DAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Cookery		
Rat- ing	Name	Certificate Expires
.891	Helen S. Hyde.....	June 30, 1930
.835	Elizabeth M. O'Connor.....	June 30, 1930
.790	Miriam W. Crowley.....	June 30, 1930
.782	*Irene M. F. McGuire.....	June 30, 1930
Sewing		
.894	Mary V. Connors.....	June 30, 1930
.870	*Violet L. Russell.....	June 30, 1930
.862	*Mary R. O'Malley.....	June 30, 1930
.835	*Mary C. Gaudrault.....	June 30, 1930

SPECIAL CLASS CERTIFICATES

First Assistant in Charge

Rat- ing	Name	Certificate Expires
.904	Mary A. McNaught.....	June 30, 1930
Instructors		
.861	Eileen R. Marshall.....	June 30, 1930
.853	*Dorothee V. Clark.....	June 30, 1930

Rat- ing	Name	Certificate Expires
.841	Christine M. Cole.....	June 30, 1930
.840	*Hazel E. Crane.....	June 30, 1930
.831	*Doris L. Carroll.....	June 30, 1930
.805	*A. Viveca Mattox.....	June 30, 1926
.791	*Ruth Murphy.....	June 30, 1930
.765	*Marion Manley.....	June 30, 1930
.741	*Esther Quint.....	June 30, 1930
.726	Esther M. Sheehan.....	June 30, 1930
.705	*Violet M. Harenden.....	June 30, 1930

SCHOOL NURSE CERTIFICATE

.910	Mabel C. Sheridan.....	June 30, 1929
.888	Agnes J. Trainor.....	June 30, 1928
.860	Sally Givner.....	June 30, 1930
.819	Julia G. Cronin.....	June 30, 1930
.766	Evelyn L. Gardner.....	June 30, 1928
.748	Margaret C. Doherty.....	June 30, 1930

*Eligible for appointment after June 30, 1924.

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATION FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of May 19, 1924, recommending the passage of an accompanying order appropriating in full the balance available for the financial year Feb. 1, 1924 to Jan. 31, 1925, for the alteration and repair of school buildings, for furniture, fixtures and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection for existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That to provide funds for the Alteration and Repair of school buildings, for furniture, fixtures and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection for existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards, during the financial year Feb. 1, 1924, to Jan. 31, 1925, the following sum is hereby appropriated in addition to the sums appropriated for such purposes on Mar. 24, 1924:

c. Unassigned\$647,592.39

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

PAYMENT OF SALARIES DUE AT DEATH

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due William H. Ryan, late Sub-master in the Wendell Phillips District be paid to his widow, Mae C. Ryan.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due Katherine C. Burns, late assistant in the Dillaway District, be paid to her brother, James R. Burns.

RESIGNATION AND APPOINTMENT OF TELEPHONE OPERATOR, ADMINISTRATION BUILDING.

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of May 9, 1924, transmitting the resignation of Kathryn McCaffrey, telephone operator, Administration Building, to take effect June 21, 1924.

Placed on file, and the resignation accepted, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That Agnes L. Dolan, noon-relief telephone operator, Administration Building, is hereby appointed telephone operator, Adminis-

tration Building, at a salary of twenty-four dollars (\$24) per week, to take effect June 9, 1924.

CERTIFICATION OF AREAS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 19, 1924, submitting a certification of the areas of the Washington Irving Schoolhouse, upon which the salary of the custodian is based, to take effect Jan. 27, 1924.

Placed on file, and the Chairman authorized to approve such certification, to take effect on the date stated.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 19, 1924, recommending that Martin W. Green, custodian of the Hull Schoolhouse, be granted leave of absence on one-half net compensation because of personal illness for the period May 1 and 3, 1924.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian under date of May 19, 1924, recommending that James J. Smith, regular substitute custodian, be granted leave of absence without loss of pay because of personal illness for the period May 12 and 13, 1924.

Placed on file and leave of absence without loss of pay granted for the period specified.

APPOINTMENT OF A CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 19, 1924, recommending that Patrick F. X. Nagle, custodian of the Warren Schoolhouse, be also appointed custodian of the Oliver Holden Schoolhouse, to take effect May 16, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

APPOINTMENTS OF CUSTODIANS TO PORTABLES.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 19, 1924, recommending the appointment of the following-named custodians to the portables indicated, to take effect Apr. 16, 1924:

John McCloskey, Portable No. 161, located in the yard of the Damon School.

Frank J. Leonard, Portables Nos. 120 and 165, located in the yard of the Everett School.

Edward J. Peterson, Portable No. 117, located in the yard of the Henry Grew School.

Thomas B. Morgan, Portable No. 201, located in the yard of the Richard Olney School.

Seth Ganong, Portable No. 202, located in the yard of the Sherwin School.

Placed on file, and the appointments approved, to take effect on the date stated.

TRANSFER OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, un-

der date of May 19, 1924, recommending that John Cunningham, custodian of the Hillside School-house, the only applicant in the service desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Longfellow School-house, be appointed to the position, to take effect May 16, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of John Cunningham approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 19, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Quincy E. Dickerman School-house and Portable No. 119, and recommending that John J. Holthaus, custodian of the Benedict Fenwick School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect June 20, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of John J. Holthaus approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 19, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Gaston School-house and Portables Nos. 39, 70, 73 and 187, and recommending that James E. Johnson, custodian of the William Cullen Bryant and Louis Prang School-houses, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect June 20, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of James E. Johnson approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 19, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Sarah J. Baker School-house, and recommending that Jeremiah Murphy, custodian of the Austin School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect May 16, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Jeremiah Murphy approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of May 19, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Choate Burnham School-house and Portable No. 101, and recommending that William O'Brien, custodian of the Lafayette School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect May 16, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of William O'Brien approved, to take effect on the date stated.

SALE OF SMITH STREET SCHOOL ESTATE.

On motion, it was unanimously ORDERED, That it is desirable to sell the following-named school property, which is not now required for school purposes, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 259 of the Acts of 1906:

Smith Street School, Roxbury, land and building.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The seventeen orders, laid over at the meeting of May 5, 1924, making

changes in the authorized list of text and supplementary books, were taken up.

On motion, Order No. 1 was amended by striking out the following:

MUSIC.

Armitage, M. Teresa. The Laurel Unison Book. C. C. Birchard & Co. cpt. 1924. Students' rev. ed. Grades IX, X.....net	\$.64
Damrosch, Walter; Gartland, George H. and Gehrkins, Carl W. Universal School Music Series. Hinds, Hayden & Eldredge, Inc. Primer, cpt. 1923. Grades I, II...net	.42
Book II, cpt. 1924, rev. ed. Grades III, IV, V.....net	.54
Book III, cpt. 1924, rev. ed. Grades V, VI.....net	.60
Dann, Hollis. Junior Songs. American Book Co. cpt. 1924. rev. ed. Grades VII, VIII, IX.....net	.75
Towner, Earl and Hesser, Ernest. Glee and Chorus Book for Male Voices. Silver, Burdett & Co. cpt. 1924. rev. ed. Grades IX, X, XI, XII.....net	.90

Order No. 10 was amended by striking out the following:

Civic Science in the Home. George W. Hunter and Walter C. Whitman. American Book Co.

Practical English Composition. E. L. Miller. Houghton, Mifflin Co.

The seventeen orders, as amended, were passed collectively and unanimously.

The order laid over at the meeting of May 5, 1924, amending sections 305 and 324 of the regulations relative to leaves of absence in case of death in immediate family, was taken up and passed.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

INSTRUCTOR IN CLOTH MAKING (MALE),
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, MASSACHUSETTS REFORMATORY, JUNE 13, 1924.

The salary is \$1,900 per year. The duties of this position are to supervise the inmates on the carding machines and teach them the proper methods of running the machines.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

BLISTER RUST INSPECTOR (MALE),
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, JUNE 13, 1924.

There are fifteen vacancies at a salary of \$4 to \$4.50 per day. The positions are for a period of six months. The work of a blister rust inspector involves the rendering of assistance to local property owners in the protection of areas of white pine against the attack of the fungous disease known as the white pine blister rust. Applicants should have a knowledge of the disease and methods of preventing its further spread.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT INVESTIGATOR,
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS, JUNE 14, 1924.

(Requisition is for a male but the examination is open to both males and females.)

The salary ranges from \$1,680 to \$2,160 per year. Applicants should be not less than thirty years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application. Applicants should have a high school education or its equivalent. It is desirable that applicants have at least five years' experience as a newspaper reporter or equivalent experience in investigating and reporting facts, and have a knowledge of the Workmen's Compensation Act and basic decisions.

The duties of the position are to report the facts in all cases involving injuries or death of employees, having in mind the law applicable thereto as determined by the Supreme Judicial Court of the Commonwealth.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

NURSERY INSPECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, DIVISION OF PLANT PEST CONTROL, JUNE 18, 1924.

The salary of this position is \$5 per day. The duties of this position are to inspect growing nursery stock, and importations of stock from other states and abroad. The inspector should have training in economic entomology and should be able to identify and name the common insect pests; be able to recommend control measures; should be familiar with spraying and fumigation; identify the common trees and shrubs; identify the diseases that are likely to be found on fruit and shade trees and recommend measures for controlling them, and be able to identify and recommend control measures for garden as well as greenhouse pests.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3;

personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, the oral interview and in general average, in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

POLICE SERVICE (MALE) CITIES AND TOWNS OUTSIDE OF BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, JUNE 21, 1924. BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, JUNE 28, 1924.

Applicants for the police service of Boston and Metropolitan Park are required to be not less than twenty five nor over thirty five years of age at the time of filing their applications and must be not less than 5 feet 8 inches in height in bare feet, and weigh not less than 135 pounds without clothing.

Applicants for Metropolitan Park police service must be able to swim and will be given practical tests in swimming.

Applicants for service in the cities and towns outside of Boston are required to be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height, not less than 135 pounds without clothing, and not less than twenty one nor over forty years of age at the time of filling applications, except in those cities which have provided for the retirement of police officers by pension under statute, in which cases applicants shall be not less than 21 nor over 35 years of age.

The subjects of examination with their weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; report, 1; practical questions 4; total, 10. Applicants must obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions in order to become eligible. Successful applicants will also be required to pass a physical examination and strength tests. Educational qualifications, 1; physical qualifications, 1; total, 2.

The practical questions will be based upon information contained in a manual, known as the "Blue Book." This manual may be obtained from the Secretary of State, Room 118, State House, at ten cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Persons who possess the requisite qualifications as to age, height, and weight may have their names placed on any three eligible lists in addition to the original list for which they apply. Preference in certification will be given to applicants who, at the time of certification, have been domiciled for six months in the city or town from which requisition is received.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 5, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and buildings supposed to belong to the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of America, located on Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury district, containing approximately 196,202 square feet, for hospital and infirmary purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of June 24, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(June 7-14.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 5, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening, relocation and construction of Cambridge street and Court street, Boston proper district, as highways, from Charles street to Brattle street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of June 18, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(June 7-14.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 5, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land in the Roxbury district, bounded by Proctor street, Massachusetts avenue and Shirley street, adjoining the William Eustis Playground, containing approximately 96,065 square feet, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of June 24, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(June 7-14.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 5, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and buildings thereon, bounded by Condor, East Eagle and Glendon streets, East Boston district, and supposed to belong to Alice M. Coleman, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of June 24, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(June 7-14.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for doing painting work at the East Boston High School, Marion street, East Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Wednesday, June 18, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a copy of the specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the specifications.

Attest: THOMAS P. GLYNN,
(June 7.) JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ELECTRIC LAMPS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the various City Departments tungsten, nitrogen, and carbon lamps needed by the various departments until January 31, 1925, as per specifications. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read on Friday, June 13, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part of a proposal and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

Attest: FRANK P. ROCK,
(June 7.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO METAL WORKING MACHINERY CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the Grant School, Phillips street, West End, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, June 20, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$200, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a set of specifications, said sum to be refunded upon return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

Attest: THOMAS P. GLYNN,
(June 7.) JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO HEATING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for making certain changes to the heating system in the Sherwin School, Sterling street, Roxbury, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, June 24, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city of the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The plans and specifications will be ready Wednesday, June 11, 1924. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of said deposit.

Attest: THOMAS P. GLYNN,
(June 7.) JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO WOODWORKING MACHINERY CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing wood working machinery in the Henry L. Pierce School, Washington street and Welles avenue, Dorchester district, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, June 20, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$200, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a set of specifications, said sum to be refunded upon return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the City Council and approved by the Mayor May 27, 1924, I will sell at public auction, Friday, June 13, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m., upon the premises, Berry street, West Roxbury, southwest corner of Manning street, a parcel of land containing 5,262 square feet of land, more or less, subject to restrictions of record if any there be, at an upset price of six hundred dollars (\$600).

Terms: A deposit of \$100 will be required at time of sale, balance in thirty days. For further particulars inquire of

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
28 School Street, Boston, Mass.

(June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO PRINTING MACHINERY CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing printing equipment in the Prince School, corner Exeter and Newbury streets, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, June 20, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$200, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR RENTING BOATS AND REFRESHMENT PRIVILEGE.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, for leasing for a term of three years the refreshment privilege and rental of boats concession at the public landing, City Point, South Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, June 19, 1924, at the said office, with a certified check for \$100, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman,*
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(June 7-14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT

TO MANUFACTURERS OF STEEL LOCKERS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Teachers College, formerly the Normal Group, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, Fenway, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for the contractors Wednesday, June 11, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Thursday, July 3, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500 payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN WELD STREET OUTLET IN MONTCLAIR AVENUE, PRIVATE LAND AND BOARD OF SURVEY STREETS, No. 1778 AND NO. 1779, BETWEEN MERLIN STREET AND WELD STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Weld street outlet in Montclair avenue, private land and Board of Survey streets, No. 1778 and No. 1779, between Merlin street and Weld street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seven thousand (7,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Weld Street Outlet, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, June 19, 1924, with a certified check for seven hundred (700) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 5, 1924. (June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

The Board of Street Commissioners in accordance with chapter 393 of the Acts of 1906 has passed orders for the laying out and construction of the following highway:

EAST BOSTON.

Ashley street, from Breed street to Boardman street.

Notice is hereby given that the Public Works Department is about to do the work contemplated in said order, and that all work to be done in said highways by all persons or corporations having rights in the same to lay or repair either sewer, gas, water or other pipes must be done before Monday, July 7, 1924, as after that time no permits for openings will be granted until two years after said highways are completed.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 5, 1924. (June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR CATCH-BASINS, MANHOLES AND MINOR DRAINS IN IFFLEY ROAD, BETWEEN WASHINGTON STREET AND WALNUT AVENUE, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for catch-basins, manholes and minor drains in Iffley road, between Washington street and Walnut avenue, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Catch-basins, Etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, June 16, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 5, 1924. (June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

FOUR OLD WOODEN VOTING BOOTHS FOR SALE.

The Board of Election Commissioners invite bids for sale of four wooden voting booths located as follows:

- One on lot, Charlestown, Sprague street, corner Princeton street.
- One on lot, Dorchester, Fayston street, near Blue Hill avenue.
- One on lot, Dorchester, Welles avenue, opposite Samoset street.
- One on lot, Dorchester, Homes avenue, next to No. 105.

Said booths are 25 feet long, 12 feet wide, and 12 feet to peak of roof. To be sold as is. Full particulars and keys to booths may be had at the office of the Election Commissioners, 111 City Hall Annex. Bids will be opened on Thursday, June 12, 1924, at 12 o'clock noon. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Terms cash. Booths to be removed from said lots within three days of purchase.

MELANCTHON W. BURLIN,
THOMAS E. GOGGIN,
FRANK SEIBERLICH,
JAMES F. EAGAN,
(June 7.) *Board of Election Commissioners.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of Boston, invites proposals for the construction and finish of a reviewing stand, to be erected on Boston Common, facing Tremont street, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the Public Buildings Department and giving a bond therefor of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent in the sum of \$1,000. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston, filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, June 14, 1924, at said office with certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes, properly sealed and marked "Proposals for Reviewing Stand." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above, the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening of bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest.

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO HEATING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for installing and completing new boilers and making certain other changes in the heating system in the Paul Revere School, Prince street, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, June 20, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. NAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals to erect and complete addition and alterations to the George T. Angell Elementary School, Sherwin-Hyde District, Hunneman street and Harrison avenue, Roxbury, giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Board therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, 1007 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, June 20, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$5,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a set of heating and ventilating or electrical plans, with specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. NAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the City Council and approved by the Mayor May 27, 1924, I will sell at public auction, on Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11 a. m., on the premises, 41-45 Arch street, the land with buildings upon it, containing 3,862 square feet, more or less, and subject to restrictions of record if any there be, at an upset price of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000).

Terms: A deposit of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) will be required at the time of sale and the balance in thirty days. For further particulars inquire of

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer.
(June 7.) 28 School Street, Boston, Mass.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the City Council and approved by the Mayor May 27, 1924, I will sell at public auction, Monday, June 9, 1924, at 11 a. m., upon the premises, Alford street, Charlestown district, a parcel of land containing 67,671 square feet, more or less, subject to restrictions of record if any there be, at an upset price of thirteen thousand dollars (\$13,000).

Terms: A deposit of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) will be required at the time of sale and the balance in thirty days. For further particulars inquire of

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer.
(June 7.) 28 School Street, Boston, Mass.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the City Council and approved by the Mayor May 27, 1924, I will sell at public auction, Tuesday, June 10, 1924, at 11 a. m., on the premises, Seaver street, near Harold street, Roxbury district, a parcel of land containing 1,643 square feet, more or less, subject to restrictions of record if any there be, at an upset price of eight hundred dollars (\$800).

Terms: A deposit of two hundred dollars (\$200) will be required at the time of sale and the balance in thirty days. For further particulars inquire of

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer.
(June 7.) 28 School Street, Boston, Mass.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND LOAMING AT FENS ATHLETIC FIELD, BACK BAY.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for grading and loaming at Fens Athletic Field, Back Bay. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "For Grading and Loaming at Fens Athletic Field, Back Bay," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, June 12, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$1,000 payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$5,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman,*
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND LOAMING AT DORCHESTER PARK, DORCHESTER.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street Boston, invite proposals for grading and loaming at Dorchester park, Dorchester. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Loaming at Dorchester Park, Dorchester," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, June 18, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$5,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman,*
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.
(June 7, 14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the City Council and approved by the Mayor May 27, 1924, I will sell at public auction on Thursday, June 12, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m., on the premises, on Wade street, Brighton district, a parcel of land containing 247.5 square feet of land, more or less, subject to restrictions of record if any there be, at an upset price of one hundred and twelve dollars (\$112).

Terms: Cash or certified check for \$50 to be paid at time of sale, balance in thirty days. For further particulars inquire of

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer.
(June 7.) 28 School Street, Boston, Mass.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REBUILDING THE MIDDLE PIER AT THE BOSTON LANDING OF THE SOUTH FERRY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for rebuilding the middle pier at the Boston landing of the South Ferry, and giving bond thereof of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eight thousand (\$8,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, after Monday, June 9, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Middle Pier, Boston Landing, South Ferry," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, June 16, 1924, with a certified check for eight hundred (\$800) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal, after acceptance, is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should be deemed it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 5, 1924. (June 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, May 28, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that in said city public improvements should be made consisting of:

The laying out and construction of Kingsboro park, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Centre street, southeasterly; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Richards street, Brighton district, as a highway, from Washington street northeasterly, with the name of Ramsdell street or some other distinctive name; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Gorham street, Brighton district, as a highway, from Commonwealth avenue to Brainerd road; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of an extension of Landseer street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from La Grange street to Centre street; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Sturges road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from La Grange street to Bellevue street; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11:30 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Rosemont road, N. W., and part of Rosemont road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dorchester avenue to Florida street, with the name of Seamount road or some other distinctive name; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11:30 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Johnswood road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Prospect avenue to Prospect avenue; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11:30 o'clock a. m.

The laying out and construction of Sonoma street, Roxbury district, as a highway, from Elm Hill avenue to Maple street; hearing Wednesday, June 11, 1924, at 11:30 o'clock a. m.

All substantially as shown on plans in the office of this Board; that it intends to pass orders for making said improvements and that it appoints the office of this Board, 401 City Hall Annex, and the dates and hours specified above as the place and time for public hearings in the matters.

A true copy of an order passed by said board on said day.

Attest:

(June 7.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

PORT OF BOSTON.

Best of natural harbors, sheltered, spacious for anchorage, main ship channel 35 feet in depth at low tide, near open sea, total area of harbor about 47 square miles; waterfront (*i. e.*, lineal pier space) 40 miles, 6 miles fronting on 30 feet depth at low water. A 45-foot channel from entrance of harbor to President Roads and 40-foot from there to wharves will be dredged in the near future.

The three principal freight terminals are those of the Boston and Maine R. R. in Charlestown, Cambridge and E. Somerville; the Boston and Albany R. R. in East Boston; the New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R. in South Boston, interchange of freight between terminals effected by Union Freight R. R. with tracks on waterfront streets. New Commonwealth Pier No. 5, South Boston, 1,200 feet long, 400 feet wide, accommodating five 600-foot ships at one time, 40 feet depth at mean low water on both sides, with three 2-story fireproof buildings of steel and concrete construction, containing 900,000 square feet of floor space, total cost of this enterprise to State, \$4,500,000. Commonwealth Pier No. 6, South Boston (Fish Pier), buildings on same erected by lessee, Boston Fish Market Corporation, cost to State, \$1,487,361. New Commonwealth Pier, No. 1, East Boston, 900 feet long, costing State \$764,600 for site and about \$345,000 for construction. New dry dock at South Boston (probably the largest in world), completed in 1919, 1,200 feet long and 120 wide, costing over \$3,000,000 and taken by U. S. Government at total cost of same to State. Islands in Boston Harbor over 3 acres in area, 17, with total area of 965 acres; Long Island the largest, or 215.5 acres. Owned by United States, 392 acres; by City of Boston, 334 acres. Number of wharves, 143, of which 8 are owned by the City. There are 24 foreign steamship lines with regular sailings to and from Boston and 19 coastwise lines (5 to Pacific ports). In 1915 a revision of the harbor lines was made and the project undertaken whereby 600 acres of flats between Governor's Island and Jeffries Pt., E. Boston, will be filled in and used for extensive commercial development under State control. At the close of 1922 about 120 acres had been filled.

In April, 1918, the Government established its Army Supply Base on a portion of the Commonwealth lands in South Boston. About 57.6 acres were purchased of the State, the price being \$1,317,510, quickly followed by the construction of two pier sheds, each 920 feet long, a wharf shed and other buildings, including one of the largest storehouses in the world, built of reinforced concrete, eight stories high, 1,638 feet long, 126 feet wide and with floor space of over 1,650,000 square feet or about 38 acres. The total outlay for the plant was \$26,000,000.

Total Federal expenditure for improvement of Boston Harbor from 1790 to June 30, 1918, \$12,525,981; total expended and provided for by State, \$18,364,947 since 1859.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

BOSTON'S MUNICIPAL YEAR.

The municipal year begins on the first Monday in February, which fell on February 5, in 1923.

TELEPHONE STATISTICS.

Boston served by one company, viz., New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, organized in 1883 and formed by the consolidation of numerous companies, with plant now valued at \$119,121,301, extending through the states of Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont; total miles of wire, 2,129,347 or 1,400,882 miles in underground cable, 393,757 in aerial cable, 305,727 of aerial wire, 24,744 of phantom circuit and 4,237 in submarine cable; centrals or exchanges, 477; total stations, 866,271, of which 2,794 were private line stations and 1,979 service stations; total employees, 18,731.

In the Central District of Boston there were on January 1, 1922, 97,259 stations (*i. e.*, 2,047 more than in 1921), as follows: Back Bay Exchange, 25,040; Beach, 19,060; Congress, 15,434; Haymarket, 12,724; Main, 18,589; Richmond, 6,412; Suburban exchanges in Boston: Brighton, 7,530; Charlestown, 3,460; Columbia (Roxbury) 2,380; Dorchester, 15,215; East Boston, 4,794; Hyde Park, 2,520; Jamaica Plain, 6,160; Parkway (West Roxbury) 5,149; Roxbury, 15,298; South Boston, 5,583; total stations, 68,089; City total, 165,348.

In the Metropolitan Division, including Boston, there were 213,576 main stations; 66,498 private branch exchanges; 26,670 extension and 6,224 public stations, making total of 312,968. State regulation of telephone business is in charge of Department of Public Utilities.

Of all telephones in the world, 64 per cent are in the United States; 9.5 per cent in Germany; 5.2 per cent in Great Britain; 3.3 in Canada; 2.2 in France. Number of telephones (estimated) per 100 population:—Los Angeles, 21.3; Chicago, 20.5; Boston, 20.0; Cincinnati, 17.1; Cleveland, 16.0; New York, 15.6; Pittsburgh, 15.2; St. Louis, 14.8; Copenhagen, 13.9; Philadelphia, 13.6; Detroit, 13.6; Baltimore, 11.6; Berlin, 10.5; Montreal, 9.2; London, 4.3; Paris, 3.2; Petrograd, 3.0; Rome, 2.1; Tokio, 2.0.

Patent for invention of telephone obtained on March 17, 1876, by the late Professor Alexander Graham Bell, who first demonstrated its success in Boston on the 10th of same month. The Bell System (*i. e.*, American Telephone & Telegraph Company), originating in Boston, had 8,333,979 telephone stations, January 1, 1921, and there were 4,267,956 connected stations, all constituting 90 per cent of total in United States, and 25,377,404 miles of wire (60.5 per cent underground) with about 33,162,000 messages daily (average).

Total number of telephones in use in United States in January, 1921, 13,411,380 or one to every eight persons (approximately).

REDIVISION OF BOSTON INTO WARDS.

Chapter 630, Acts of 1914, required the redivision of Boston, by the City Council, into not less than 24 nor more than 36 wards, so arranged as to contain as nearly as could be ascertained an equal number of voters in each ward. On December 28, 1914, the City Council enacted as an Ordinance, by vote of 6 to 3, the plan submitted by its Committee on Redivision of Wards. This plan describes the new boundaries of the 26 wards. (See Municipal Register for 1921, pages 196-207.) The changes effected by the redivision of wards were mainly these, viz., Wards 1 and 2, East Boston, are divided by Prescott and

Princeton streets instead of as before; Charlestown has two wards (3 and 4) instead of three; Ward 5 covers the old Wards 6, 7 and 8; Ward 6 in place of old Ward 9; Ward 7 in place of old 10; Ward 8 in place of old 11; Wards 9 and 10 cover the old South Boston Wards 13, 14 and 15 mostly; Ward 11 takes in the northern half of old Ward 16 and western end of old Ward 15; Ward 12 is similar to old Ward 17 and Ward 13 to old 18; Ward 14 includes old Ward 19 and adjacent part of old Ward 22 (as far as Perkins and Centre streets); Wards 15 and 16 cover old Ward 21 and the northern part of 22 (as far as Boylston street); Wards 17, 18 and 19 cover that part of old Ward 16 south of Dudley street and all of old Ward 20; Wards 20 and 21 cover the eastern half and western half respectively of old Ward 24 (as far as Blue Hill avenue and Walk Hill street); Ward 22 includes the southern half of old 22 below Boylston street and the northern end of old Ward 23 to Whipple avenue, Walk Hill, South and Allendale streets; Ward 23 is unchanged except as to its northern boundary just stated, and Ward 24 takes in Mount Hope section, east of railroad, Mattapan and Hyde Park. Wards 25 and 26 cover the southern half and northern half respectively of old Ward 25, Brighton.

LATEST PUBLIC DEBT STATISTICS.

Gross funded debt, February 1, 1923, \$126,576,800.99; sinking funds, \$41,898,891.76; other redemption means, \$1,147,322.06; net debt, \$83,530,587.17 or \$3,617,576.61 more than in 1922; of said total \$49,471,830.76 (59.23 per cent) was City Debt, \$32,424,969.18 (38.82 per cent) Rapid Transit debt (representing 4½ per cent investment); \$1,351,787.23 (1.62 per cent) County debt and \$282,000 (0.33 per cent) Water debt.

Net debt per capita \$99.69 (approx.); net debt exclusive of Rapid Transit investment debt, \$51,105,618 or \$60.90 per capita. Loans authorized but not issued (within debt limit), \$1,254,000; same outside of debt limit, \$496,000.

In the fiscal year 1922-23, the net City debt was increased by \$2,478,014 and the net Rapid Transit debt by \$1,235,900; the net County debt was reduced by \$80,337 and the net Water debt by \$16,000.

Total debt contracted, \$8,122,500; total debt paid, \$6,246,650; total increase of gross debt, \$1,875,850; of net debt, \$3,617,577.

Total debt incurred in the ten years 1913 to 1922 inclusive, \$54,508,850, of which \$17,982,000 or 32.99 per cent was Rapid Transit debt, while \$22,601,100, or 41.46 per cent was for streets, sewers and bridges.

Total amount of debt incurred by the City in the 100 years since its incorporation (in 1822), \$272,257,638, of which more than half (*i. e.*, 52.74 per cent) was added in the last 25 years, 18.79 per cent in last 10 years. From 1822 to 1870 the amount borrowed was \$31,916,010 or a yearly average of \$664,917. From 1870 to 1920 the total borrowed was \$230,253,427 or a yearly average of \$4,605,068. The maximum for a 10-year period was from 1896 to 1905, when the yearly average was \$7,188,493. Yearly average for last 10 years, \$5,450,885; for last 5 years, \$4,373,600.

No other large city has been subjected to such a drastic reduction of debt-incurring power. [Statistics Dept's revision.]

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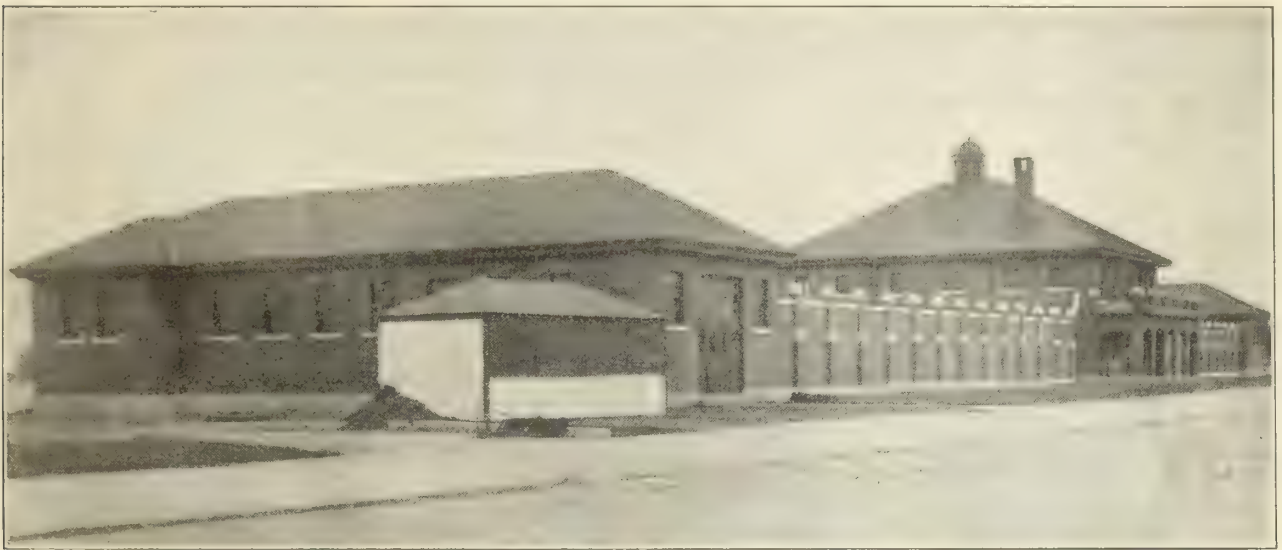
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BOSTON'S LARGEST BATH HOUSE, LOCATED ON COLUMBUS PARK, STRANDWAY, SOUTH BOSTON, NOW READY FOR ITS FIRST SEASON.

STREET PAVED AND LAWN GRASSED TO PLEASE AESTHETIC SENSE AND 4,000 BATHERS MAY FIND COMFORT AND ACCOMMODATION AT ONCE WHEN HOT SPELLS COME. PARK DEPARTMENT ANTICIPATES BUSY SEASON.



BOSTON'S LARGEST AND NEWEST HOME FOR BATHERS, AT COLUMBUS PARK, READY FOR SEASON'S RUSH. WILL ACCOMMODATE 4,000 BATHERS AT ONE TIME. [Photo by Harry Kelly.]

Boston's most distinctive public bath house is now ready for its first season. It is also the largest in the country. It is located at Columbus Park, South Boston, and is a feature of the extensive Strandway improvements which were started in Mayor Curley's first administration. The entire front plot has been made into a beautiful lawn and the wide street way paved.

The bath house, which is thoroughly fireproof, was constructed by the Alco Contracting Company, at a cost of \$215,000. The architect was Harrison H. Atwood.

The South Boston building is in three sections, including an administration building in the center, a section for men and boys at the left and a section for women and girls at the right. The length is 370 feet and width 90 feet. The new building will accommodate 4,000 bathers at once, and it has such facilities that the largest crowds can be handled without confusion.

Columbus Park was reclaimed from the Old Harbor. It is a tract of forty-seven acres.

There is a centralization of the plans,

so that all bathers must go through the middle building for their bathing material, for their keys and for the giving up of keys. The L street structure was often in confusion during days of rush. The Columbus Park building contains two large receiving and distributing counters, at each of which lines may form and be quickly cared for.

The administration believes that Columbus Park will prove to be Boston's most popular center for sports, and to that end the bath house has been provided with facilities for the care of football, baseball and other athletic teams.

MAYOR RENEWS FIGHT WITH EDISON COMPANY FOR LOWER RATES — TENTATIVE AGREEMENT BROKEN.

The tentative settlement made by the Edison Electric Illuminating Company with the City of Boston in the matter of reduced rates for household electric lighting has been abandoned, according to Corporation Counsel E. Mark Sullivan in a letter to Chairman Conrad W.

Crooker of the Liberal Party of Massachusetts.

This information was forwarded to Chairman Crooker upon his request for data regarding the status of the Edison cases now pending before the Public Utilities Commission.

The compromise, as announced by Mayor Curley on May 14, provided for an immediate reduction in the price of household lighting of from 9½ cents to 9 cents per kilowatt hour. Further reductions to 8 cents an hour December 1,

1926, were guaranteed by the agreement. The city itself was to be benefited by the waiving of claims aggregating \$600,000.

The reduced rates only affected the retail lighting of households in the Class A service. Because of the Edison Company's refusal to grant reductions for all customers in the Class A service, which also includes small office lighting, Mayor Curley has refused to accept the tentative agreement and has instructed Arthur D. Hill, counsel for the city, to continue the fight against the increased rates.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,

From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,

May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,

Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, June 16, at two o'clock p. m.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston will be held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, on Monday, June 16, 1924, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the cleaning of public

streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout

MAYOR LIKELY TO WIN FOR BOSTON IN "DIFFERENTIALS" CASE.

Mayor Curley in answer to his telegram, received, on June 7, a reply from Senator Lodge indicating the possibility of an amendment to the Long and Short Haul Bill which is now before Congress, whereby the differential in export freight rates may be removed and the handicap which has arrested the growth, prosperity and commerce of the Port of Boston done away with.

The differential whereby a preference in freight rates has been given to the ports of Philadelphia and Baltimore has resulted in the decay of industry in Massachusetts and a decrease in population. Boston at one time had a maritime pre-eminence based upon her natural resources for the work, her geographical position, her superior contiguity to European and South American markets, her deep waterways, her harbor within easy reach of the open sea, her safe and ample anchorage, her generous docks and pier accommodations equipped with modern facilities for handling cargoes with expedition and economy and served by three railroad systems, her unsurpassed docking facilities, her supply of labor schooled in the service of the shipping business and her merchants eager for business.

All these advantages remain with Boston and if the differentials are removed Boston will once again attain her proper place in the ports of America. It is encouraging to note that Congress has begun to appreciate the handicap that Boston has labored under for the past twenty years by reason of the differentials.

The natural and geographical advantages of Boston, enhanced by the knowledge, enterprise and shrewdness of her merchants and manufacturers, gave

the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

Boston her proud eminence in the commerce she enjoyed until the port differentials, sanctioned by the Interstate Commerce Commission, gradually destroyed her prestige and minimized her maritime importance. Boston is today a startling example of an unjust and unfair rate structure.

Its commerce is a shadow of its former greatness, its shipping driven to other ports and its New England hinterland in industrial decay and the hope of remedial adjustment gone unless Congress at once makes proper provision for the elimination of the unjust and unfair port differentials in freight rates against Boston and in favor of Philadelphia, Baltimore and other South Atlantic ports.

The City of Boston has striven a long time to have these differentials removed. The Mayor, through the Law Department, has joined with the Maritime Association of the Chamber of Commerce in the present petition pending before the Interstate Commerce Commission to have these differentials removed. The City of Boston in February, 1923, strenuously urged to the commission that steps be taken at once to have this obstacle to Boston's progress and industry removed and since that time has continued in this demand. The Mayor is hopeful that the suggested amendment if adopted by Congress will solve the problem and Boston again be given her commercial pre-eminence that she so justly is entitled to.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for authority to lay granite blocks with mastic joints in Exchange street, from 173 feet north of State street to Dock square, with division forces without advertisement, the estimated cost being \$2,000.

MAYOR MAKES EARNEST EFFORT TO PREVENT TIE-UP OF CITY'S CONSTRUCTION WORK.

ISSUES STATEMENT AFTER CONFERENCE WITH LABOR LEADERS OVER QUESTION OF UNION EMPLOYEES ON JOBS OF WARREN BROTHERS. MAYOR POINTS TO FACT THAT IT IS OUT OF HIS JURISDICTION, BEING A STATE-WIDE MOVE.

Mayor Curley issued the following statement June 11, relative to the Building Trades strike on city work:

Contractors performing work for the City of Boston, under the statutes of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, are required to pay the prevailing rate of wages to teamsters and mechanics but there is no provision relative to common laborers. The contention has not at this time been made by the officials of organized labor that this provision of the statutes was being violated.

The only question at issue has been the refusal of the Mayor and the department heads to act as organizers for labor unions and to compel contractors doing work for the city to insist that their mechanics and teamsters join labor unions or be blacklisted as city contractors. The city has, whenever requested, done everything that it had the legal right to do, even going so far as to request many times that mechanics and teamsters not affiliated with labor unions be required to join labor unions. Under the law neither the Mayor nor any official of the city has the right to remove or order the contractor to remove any employee because of his refusal to join a labor union.

A conference was held at the office of the Mayor upon Monday, June 9, 1924, at which were present, Mr. E. A. Johnson, Secretary of the Building Trades Branch, A. F. of L.; Mr. Walsh, President of the Building Trades Branch, A. F. of L.; Councilor Moriarty, Commissioner Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department and Schoolhouse Commissioner Thomas P. Glynn. At that meeting I requested that representatives of the Building Trades Council submit in writing a statement of any grievance and that I would make every endeavor to adjust the same.

Mr. Johnson, speaking for the Building Trades Council, stated that the only grievance existing was with the Warren Brothers Company which were employing engineers that were not members of the labor unions but whom he later stated had formerly been members of labor unions and further stated that if the engineers employed by the Warren Brothers Company were unionized everything would be satisfactory.

I informed Mr. Johnson that I would be very pleased to request such action by the Warren Brothers Company but that there was no way in which I could compel them to unionize their men. I called the vice president of the Warren Brothers Company upon the telephone and he agreed to confer with the delegation representing organized labor with a view to adjusting the differences existing. The result of the conference is set forth in the communication received this day from the Warren Brothers Company and which reads as follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—We were waited upon yesterday by a committee from the United Building Trades Council, who were de-

sirous of having us employ exclusively union engineers and cement finishers on all of our work within the jurisdiction of their council, which we understand to be within a radius of fifty miles of the City of Boston, and including New Bedford, Fall River and other points where we have already entered into contracts for the season's work. This committee states that if we failed to agree with their suggestions that a strike would be called upon contracts between the City of Boston and other parties in which we are not in any way concerned.

It is entirely impractical for us to accede to the request of the committee, except in the City of Boston. We advised them that we were willing in the City of Boston to pay the prevailing union rates for engineers and cement finishers and to request such men at present employed by us not already members of the union to make application for admission to the union, and if we should need more of such men in the City of Boston we would employ union men provided they were competent and acceptable. We are not willing to discharge competent men already in our employ.

The committee did not feel that they could co-operate with us in the City of Boston unless we would recognize the union throughout their jurisdiction, and the matter was left for further consideration by both sides. We have heard no further from the committee.

Very truly yours,

WARREN BROTHERS COMPANY,
RALPH L. WARREN,
Vice President.

The letter of the Warren Brothers Company indicates clearly that the existing differences between the Building Trades Council and contractors doing business with the City of Boston is a political move since the present development is outside my jurisdiction in that the labor representatives did not feel that they could co-operate with Warren Brothers Company in the City of Boston, unless the Warren Brothers Company would recognize the union throughout their jurisdiction, which included a radius of about fifty miles from the City of Boston. It is therefore not a legal issue controlled by the Mayor but an issue that is to a large extent state-wide and the failure of the representatives of the Building Trades Council to submit any communication in writing to any city official dealing with this issue strengthens this belief.

The friendly relations and the hearty co-operation through which the two-year agreement granting an increased wage and improved conditions for all persons in the building trades industry resulted, coupled with the helpful attitude which the present administration has ever extended towards organized labor at least justified, providing an honest difference existed, further conference before adopting an arbitrary course.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for grading and loaming at Dorchester park, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, June 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for renting boats and refreshment privileges for a term of three years, at the public landing, City Point, South Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston.

Bids close Thursday, June 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing approximately ten double teams with dump carts, six single team express wagons and two-ton and five-ton auto trucks when required. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for concrete surface on terrace around the refectory building, Franklin Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, June 26, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for rebuilding the middle pier at Boston landing at the South Ferry. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$800, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 16, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for wood block pavement in State street, from Devonshire street across Merchants row, City proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the

amount of \$800, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for Portland cement concrete pavement in Centre street, from John Eliot square to Columbus avenue, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$35,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 24, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for catch-basins, manholes and minor drains in Ifley road, between Washington street and Walnut avenue, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$750. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 16, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Weld street outlet in Montclair avenue; private land and Board of Survey street Nos. 1778 and 1779, between Merlin street and Weld street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$7,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$700, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, June 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Canterbury street, between existing sewer west of Angell street and point 250 feet westerly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 23, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for assembling 650 gate valves. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$7,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$700, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Bismarck street, Germania street, La Grange street, West Roxbury; Ruskin road, Hyde Park, and Wabash street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000.

Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for doing painting work at the East Boston High School, Marion street, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, June 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing and completing new boilers and making certain other changes in the heating system in the Paul Revere School, Prince street. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing addition and alterations to the George T. Angell Elementary School, Sherwin-Hyde District, Hunne-man street and Harrison avenue, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the Grant School, Phillips street, West End. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing wood working machinery in the Henry L. Pierce School, Washington street and Welles avenue, Dorchester district. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing printing equipment in the Prince School, Exeter and Newbury streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing new heating system in the Parkman School, Broadway, South Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for making certain changes in the heating system in the Sherwin School, Sterling street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing finish hardware for the equipment of the elementary school, Roger Wolcott District, Blue Hill avenue and Harvard street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing a heating system in the Hobart School, near Brook street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for doing painting work at the High School of Commerce, Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 27, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for alterations, etc., in the Teachers College or Normal Group, comprising the following schools: P. A. Collins, Girls' Latin, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, Fenway, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for alterations, etc., to the Lewis School building at 300 Walnut avenue, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Teachers College, formerly the Normal Group, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, the Fenway. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, June 11. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 3, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing butter to the city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Water Service, Public Works Department, three new Ford runabouts. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 20, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, June 12:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

William H. Cuddy, deputy assessor, has been granted leave of absence with pay, for six weeks, to represent the City of Boston at the Olympic games, to be held

at Paris, France, and will report upon his return the customs, systems and arrangements of public celebrations in different European cities.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been appointed at the Boston Sanatorium.

Thomas Halloran, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Nicholas Quinlan, male nurse (patient), \$180 a year; Yeiguma Toyosa, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; John Corbett, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Michael Callahan, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Hannah Attridge, maid, \$468 a year; Terrence C. Ryan, M. D., assistant resident medical officer, \$1,200 a year; Maine C. Andersen, M. D., assistant resident medical officer, \$1,200 a year; Agnes O'Connor, nurse, \$720 a year; Stephen Morrissey, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Margaret Joyce, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Margaret Joyce, assistant cook, \$480 a year; Hannah Attridge, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Helen Ayers, Katherine Shea, Mary Conroy, Martha Moore, Mable Matheson, Ella Harper, laundresses, \$420 a year.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Frank J. Coughlin has been appointed temporary clerk and his appointment extended for three months beginning June 1 at \$1,200 a year.

Board of Examiners.

Mary C. Dowd, clerk, has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

COMMITTEE FOR AMERICANISM.

The following persons have been given temporary positions as clerks for a period not exceeding five (5) weeks:

Catherine Coleman, Edith Sullivan, Elizabeth McCann, George L. Dowd, at \$20 a week each.

Lillian Foley and Marguerite McNeil, stenographers, at \$25 a week.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Emil A. Thielsch has been employed, as an investigator, for a period not exceeding ten days, at \$5 a day.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Robert Barrett, laborer in the Public Works Department, has been transferred to this department as a caretaker of convenience stations, for a period of seven weeks commencing June 9, at \$4.50 a day.

Frank Roach, laborer in the Public Works Department, has been transferred to this department as a caretaker of convenience stations, for a period of seven weeks commencing June 9, at \$4.50 a day.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, June 5:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

John P. Carey, watchman from attendant, \$800 a year, temporary.

John J. Donovan, porter from attendant, temporary, \$600 a year, to succeed William J. Sullivan.

Annie Hickey, head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Elizabeth Maguire.

Catherine B. McPherson, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed June Wass.

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

Andrew J. Baker, fireman from fireman on "George A. Hibbard," \$36 a week, temporary.

House of Correction.

John Sullivan, fireman, \$36 a week, temporary.

Daniel McGrory, officer (carpenter), \$1,000 a year, new position.

The following changes have been made in the personnel of this department for the week ending Thursday, June 5:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Appointments.

Mary A. Anderson, institution employee, from attendant, temporary, \$525 a year.

Sadie Cusick, institution employee, from attendant, \$600 a year.

Josephine Donnelly, cook, from institutions employee, \$675 a year.

Josephine M. English, matron, from attendant, \$675 a year.

Nellie Kearney, cook, from attendant, \$700 a year.

Margret Malloy, assistant supervisor, from attendant, Almshouse, \$700 a year.

John H. Newman, supervisor of mechanics, from supervisor, Almshouse, \$1,500 a year.

Ellen Smith, cook, \$700 a year.

Mary J. Walsh, matron, from attendant, \$675 a year.

Mary L. Sharkey, head matron-assistant, from matron, \$700 a year.

Bridgid D. Reidy, supervisor of nurses, from head nurse, \$1,200 a year.

John F. Carey, watchman, temporary, from attendant, \$800 a year.

John J. Donovan, porter, from attendant, temporary, \$600 a year.

Annie Hickey, head nurse, \$1,080 a year.

Catherine B. McPherson, pupil nurse, \$300 a year.

Resignations.

Annie F. Boyle, attendant, \$600 a year.

Leo Mooney, attendant, \$600 a year.

Carl Kath, attendant, \$600 a year.

Lawrence W. Nutley, attendant, \$600 a year.

House of Correction.

Appointments.

John Sullivan, fireman, temporary, \$36 a week.

Daniel McGrory, officer and carpenter, \$1,000 a year.

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

Appointments.

Andrew J. Baker, fireman, temporary, \$36 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Edward A. McGrath, claim agent in the Public Works Department, at \$2,300 has been transferred to the Law Department at \$2,500 a year.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

James A. Quinn has been granted an increase in salary from \$980 a year to \$1,160 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Joseph Yout, laborer in the Street Cleaning Division of the Public Works Department at \$4.50 a day has been transferred to the Park Department as laborer at \$4.50 a day.

John L. Kelley has been granted further employment as temporary clerk of the works at \$40 a week, for a period of three months.

William P. Joy has been given temporary employment for a period of about three months as a physical instructor at a salary of \$1,700 a year.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Margaret T. Alexander has been appointed cleaner at \$18 a week.

Patrick J. Sheehan has been temporarily appointed for a period of sixteen weeks as a second-class engineer in the Public Buildings Department at \$40 a week for eight weeks and \$36 a week for the other eight weeks.

Julia A. Bowman has been given a change of designation and rate of compensation from a woman cleaner to matron at \$20 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Michael J. McLaughlin has been granted an extension of temporary employment as assistant drawtender from June 8 to June 16 at \$1,600 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Charles Desmond has been appointed as temporary fireman at \$6 a day in the Ferry Service for a period of three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

The following citizens have been appointed permanent teamster-laborers, at \$4.50 a day, in the Paving Service:

William J. Mahoney, Charles B. McNulty, James N. Gallagher, John H. Galvin, John J. Kenzie, William P. Dolan, Matthew J. Russell, Joseph H. Monahan, Daniel P. McGoldrick.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

The following citizens have been appointed to fill permanent vacancies as teamster-laborers at \$4.50 a day each in the Sanitary Service:

Thomas Dooley, James J. Coughlin, Thomas Tweasy, Nicholas J. Domegan, John J. McKenna, Charles P. McGregor, Alexander J. McGilvary, Richard A. Montgomery, Henry McFadden, John H. Reardon, Patrick W. Collins, John T. Connor, Fergus J. Caulfield, John J. Dwyer, James J. Hurley, Patrick Killoran, John P. McLaughlin, Austin P. Stinson, James J. Welch and Joseph D. Coughlin.

Dominick Bottino has been continued in employment as temporary teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day in the Sanitary Service, for thirty days.

John A. Dillon, foreman, Sanitary Service has been granted increase in salary from \$2,100 to \$2,200 a year.

James Canney has been promoted from stableman at \$4.50 a day to feeder at \$4.75 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

James J. Flynn has been continued in temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year.

Samuel Koupehik has been appointed as rodman at \$18 a week in the Sewer Service for three months.

Thomas H. Leahy has been employed as temporary laborer at \$4.50 a day for 60 days.

John F. J. McKay has been appointed temporary sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year for a period of three months.

Frank J. Toomey has been granted an extension of temporary employment as laborer at \$4.50 a day.

Thomas Duffy has been appointed permanent bracer at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

William H. Kekham and Dennis McCarthy have been appointed temporary carpenters at \$5.50 a day for sixty days.

John E. Johnson has been granted an extension of temporary employment as plumber at \$5.50 a day.

James L. Sweeney, inspector, has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Carl D. Goodwin has been appointed as temporary auto mechanic at \$6.25 a day for three months.

Reinhold Eckardt has been appointed as temporary painter at \$5 a day for thirty days.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Frank S. Wilson, transitman at \$1,500 a year has been granted an extension of employment for three months.

Joseph J. Murphy has been appointed rodman at \$1,100 a year for three months.

William F. Conway has been granted an extension of employment as a draughtsman at \$1,300 a year.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Cecille F. O'Connell, clerk and stenographer in the Conservation Bureau has been transferred to the same position at a salary of \$1,400 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Collecting Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 5: Henry J. Daly, 130 hours, \$130; H. Irene Ennis, 70 hours, \$70; Michael F. Gearin, 75 hours, \$75; L. A. Hall, Jr., 125 hours, \$125; John J. Hennessey, 145 hours, \$145; James E. Moore, 155 hours, \$155; John F. Travers, 85 hours, \$85. Total, \$785.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 5: *Chief Engineer.*—Patrick J. Gorman, 1 day, \$6.67.

Engineers.—John Finn, Patrick McCann, Patrick McDermott, 1 day, \$6.33 each.

Fireman.—Thomas F. Lomasney, 1 day, \$6.

Laborer and Plumber's Helper.—Henry J. Alexander, 1 day, \$5. Total, \$30.66.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 5: James Conlon has been granted one extra day's salary for the week ending June 5, amounting to \$6.67.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 9: *Laborers.*—Vincent X. Fallon, Patrick Sweeney, James Moran, James Magee, John McCarthy, Cornelius Courtney, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Matthew Russell, Edward Barnes, Nicholas Walsh, Charles McNulty, Walter Wenzel, Frederick Jenness, George King, 3 days, \$13.50 each; Barnet Bejeches, Michael Fitzgerald, Louis Johnson, Luke Kilduff, William McLaughlin, James McDonough, Michael McDonald, Abraham Minsky, William

Jeffers, 3½ days, \$15.19 each; Patrick Doherty, James Henneberry, 3½ days, \$16.88 each; William McGee, Andrew Foley, William Carolan, 2+ days, \$9.28 each; James Gallagher, William Cluff, Donato DeVincenzo, Patrick Carroll, 2+ days, \$12.66 each; John Cain, George Lynch, 1½ days, \$8.44 each; Michael Maguire, 2+ days, \$10.97; Anthony Deamore, Richard McGrath, John Galvin, John Kenzie, Sebastian Selvitella, ¾ day, \$1.69 each; Thomas Manning, Owen Winn, Edward Walsh, John Cronin, William Sruhan, Bernard Rogan, Daniel O'Keefe, 1½ days, \$8.44 each.

Pavers.—Coleman McDonough, Michael Mogan, Cornelius O'Connor, Edward Doherty, William McCartney, Patrick Mulcahy, John O'Brien, 3 days, \$16.50 each; Arcangelo Faiella, 3+ days, \$17.54; Coleman Feeley, William Donahue, John Clancy, Timothy O'Sullivan, John Mahoney, 2+ days, \$13.41 each.

Engineers.—John Mahoney, Thomas McManaman, 3 days, \$16.50 each; John McGee, 5½ days, \$30.94.

Stonecutter.—John Barry, 1+ days, \$9.28.

Yardman.—Daniel Crowley, 3½ days, \$16.88.

WORKERS THANK MAYOR FOR INCREASES.

Mayor Curley received the following communications June 9:

CITY INSPECTORS UNION No. 15833.
Affiliated with American Federation of Labor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
BOSTON, June 6, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—At a meeting of the City Inspectors Union held Sunday, June 1, it was decided to extend a vote of thanks to your Honor for granting the members of our union an increase of \$100 a year. With best wishes for your future success.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH L. CONNELL,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON EMPLOYEES, LOCAL
No. 149, BENEVOLENT ORGANIZATION,
BOSTON, June 6, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—At the regular meeting of City Men's Union, Local No. 149, it was voted to extend you thanks for the increase in pay to the laborers and mechanics.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. BURNS, Secretary,
29 Webber Street, Roxbury.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner for the following construction work:

A surface drain of 10-inch, 12-inch, 15-inch earthen pipe, 1 foot 6 inch by 1 foot 8 inch, 1 foot 6 inch by 2 foot concrete, and eleven catch-basins in Ashley street, between Boardman street and 943 feet southeasterly, in the East Boston district, at an estimated cost of \$12,457.

A sanitary sewer of 20-inch earthen pipe in Paris street, between Sumner street and 275 feet northeasterly, in the East Boston district, at an estimated cost of \$3,281.

SEEK ADVICE OF BOSTON CITIZENS ON QUESTION OF CITY'S 300TH ANNIVERSARY.

MAYOR CURLEY'S COMMITTEE MAKES GENERAL APPEAL FOR EXPRESSION OF OPINION AS TO OBSERVANCE BEING PLANNED FOR 1930.

In order to secure a general advance expression of opinion relative to the observance in 1930 of the 300th anniversary of the settlement of Boston, copies of a letter and a questionnaire have been mailed this week to several hundred men and women of the city by the "Preliminary Survey Committee on Plans for the Boston Tercentenary" recently appointed by the Mayor.

The purpose of the questionnaires is to enable all concerned to have "an opportunity to submit ideas or suggestions that will help in formulating such plans as may be adopted later." The committee proposes that no official plan shall be formulated until a considerable number of expressions of opinion have been received from the citizens and organized groups. A careful study of the replies to its questionnaire will guide the committee in preparing its report and the recommendations as to what form the official observance of the tercentenary should ultimately assume.

Any citizen of the city who has not received a letter and who may wish to express an opinion on the subject is welcome to receive a copy of the questionnaire by mailing a request with addressed envelope to the committee at Room 52, City Hall, Boston. Applications and inquiries should be made by mail only as the committee does not consider that it is yet necessary to maintain open headquarters, as may be done later if there appears to be sufficient reason.

The letter being mailed today explains that the committee has been appointed by Mayor Curley upon recommendations by the Citizens' Public Celebrations Association to prepare a preliminary report concerning plans for the observance in 1930 of the 300th anniversary of the settlement of Boston and then continues:

"The observance of this tercentenary is a matter in which every citizen and every organization in the City of Boston should take an active interest. In order that the present committee may have the advice and assistance of as representative a group as possible, a questionnaire is being sent out with the request that the inquiries noted thereon be answered as fully as possible and that additional suggestions be submitted.

"The main object of this questionnaire is to indicate certain definite channels along which information may be received," says the letter, but adds that this need not restrict the scope of replies.

The questionnaire contains the following questions:

1. Should Boston celebrate in 1930 the 300th anniversary of its settlement?
2. If there is to be a celebration, at what time of the year and for how long a period should it be held?
3. Suggest a slogan!
4. Can you suggest a central feature for such a celebration?
5. What features should be emphasized in the celebration of such an anniversary in Boston such as: Home life, music, art, education, historical, religious,

recreation, athletics, pageantry, cultural commercial or business, civic welfare?

6. Should such a celebration be financed from public or private funds, by city, state, subscription, or jointly?

7. Should the celebration plans result in some permanent achievement or will a temporary celebration be sufficient?

8. Is the committee at liberty to make use of your name in connection with your reply to this questionnaire?

9. Should the celebration, if held, be confined to Boston, to the metropolitan district, to Massachusetts, to New England, or should it be made a national event?

Additional comments are invited, as well as the names of individuals or organizations to whom the questionnaire might be sent with useful results.

The official City of Boston committee in charge of the matter consists of Frank Chouteau Brown, chairman; John B. Archibald, Edward L. Curran, Elisabeth M. Herlihy, Frank Leveroni, James H. Phelan, Walter K. Watkins, Eva Whiting White, Secretary E. B. Mero. Advisors, J. Philip O'Connell, City Director of Public Celebrations, and Wilfred F. Kelley, historical advisor. The committee also has the active assistance of Frank H. Chase, reference librarian of the Boston Public Library, and of William Carroll Hill who was secretary of the Pilgrim Tercentenary Commission.

CHAUNCEY STREET WIDENING.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of Chauncey street, Boston proper, as a highway, on the southeasterly side, between Summer street and Bedford street, described as follows:

The highway named Chauncey street is hereby widened on the southeasterly side, between Summer street and Bedford street, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is taken in the following described land exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Charles Chauncey Company, bounded:

Northwest by the southeasterly line of Chauncey street as it existed previous to this widening, one hundred eighteen and 21-100 feet; northeast by common passageway, nine and 47-100 feet; southeast by other land of said company, one hundred seventeen and 97-100 feet; and southwest by another part of Chauncey street (highway), eight and 80-100 feet; containing eleven hundred and twenty-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of a common passageway, bounded:

Northwest by the southeasterly line of Chauncey street as it existed previous to this widening, five and 78-100 feet; northeast by land supposed to belong to Sarah C. Sears, trustee, *et al.*, ten and

29-100 feet; southeast by another part of said common passageway, five and 70-100 feet; and southwest by land supposed to belong to Charles Chauncey Company, nine and 47-100 feet; containing fifty-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Sarah C. Sears, trustee, one third and Sarah C. Sears two thirds, bounded:

Northwest by the southeasterly line of Chauncey street as it existed previous to this widening, twenty-eight and 31-100 feet; northeast by another part of Chauncey street (highway), ten and 23-100 feet; southeast by other land of said Sears, twenty-eight and 31-100 feet; and southwest by common passageway, ten and 29-100 feet; containing two hundred and ninety square feet, more or less.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said highway as hereby widened is bounded:

Southwest by the northeasterly line of Chauncey street as it existed previous to this widening, eight and 80-100 feet; northwest by the southeasterly line of Chauncey street as it existed previous to this widening, by three measurements, one hundred eighteen and 21-100 feet, five and 78-100 feet and twenty-eight and 31-100 feet; northeast by the southeasterly line of Chauncey street as it existed previous to this widening, ten and 23-100 feet; and southeast by the southeasterly line of Chauncey street as hereby widened, one hundred fifty-one and 98-100 feet; containing one thousand four hundred and seventy square feet, more or less.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northwesterly side of Chauncey street, from Bedford street to Summer street, and the lots of abutting land on the southeasterly side of Chauncey street, from Bedford street to Summer street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots within said limits to the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Chauncey Street, Boston Proper, Assessment Plan, April 23, 1915, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
2. Charles Francis Adams <i>et al.</i> , trustees of the Francis Real Estate Trust.....	\$3,950
3. Herbert B. Cushing <i>et al.</i> , trustees of the Avon Associates.....	6,816
1. Moses Williams and Adelbert E. Buffum, trustees.....	19,378
5. Israel A. Ratchesky and Abraham C. Ratchesky.....	2,563
7. The First National Bank of Boston <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	3,379
8. Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	2,206
9. Charles Chauncey Company.....	9,220
10. Charles Chauncey Company.....	4,544
11. Charles Chauncey Company.....	4,512
12. Charles Chauncey Company.....	3,560
13. Sarah C. Sears, trustee, one third and Sarah C. Sears, two thirds....	4,420
14. Sarah C. Sears, trustee, one third and Sarah C. Sears, two thirds....	4,556
Total	\$69,101

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned estates sustain damages by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of Chauncy street, Boston proper, as a highway, on the southeasterly side, between Summer street and Bedford street, under the order of the Board of even date herewith, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

	Amount.
Charles Chauncy Company, 1,180 square feet.....	\$59,000
Sarah C. Sears, trustee, one third and Sarah C. Sears, two thirds, 290 square feet and building.....	32,500
Total.....	<u>\$91,500</u>

ESTABLISHING BUILDING LINES.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners that building lines be established on both sides of Beacon street, Boston proper, between Arundel and Miner streets on the east and the boundary line between the City of Boston and the town of Brookline on the west, as follows:

On the northwesterly side, between Arundel street and the boundary line between the City of Boston and the town of Brookline, substantially parallel with and distant twenty (20) feet from the northwesterly exterior side line of said Beacon street, and substantially parallel with and distant twenty (20) feet from the curved lines of that part of Beacon street, on the said northwesterly side thereof, known as Audubon circle.

On the southeasterly side, between Miner street and Audubon road, substantially parallel with and distant twenty (20) feet from the southeasterly exterior side line of said Beacon street, and substantially parallel with and distant twenty (20) feet from the curved lines of that part of Beacon street, on the said southeasterly side thereof, known as Audubon circle, to a point fifty-five (55) feet distant, from the aforesaid southeasterly line of said street projected, thence running westerly and parallel with the aforesaid southeasterly line of said street projected to the aforesaid curved line of Audubon circle.

On the southeasterly side, between Audubon road and the boundary line between the City of Boston and the town of Brookline, substantially parallel with and distant twelve (12) feet from the southeasterly exterior side line of said Beacon street.

Said building lines are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Beacon Street, Boston proper, December 1, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer Street Laying-out Department," and on file in the office of the Street Laying-out Department.

And this Board further orders that existing steps, windows, porticos and the other usual projections appurtenant to the front wall of existing buildings, and parts of existing buildings, so far as they lie between the building lines herein established and said Beacon street, may remain as they are at the time of the passage of this order, intending hereby to sanction all existing projections over said line including any necessary foundations and walls supporting said projections.

And this Board further orders, as to future projections, that steps, porticos, balconies, eaves and other usual projections, except bay windows, appurtenant to the front walls of buildings with the necessary foundations to support the same,

may project over said lines, and that bay windows or swell fronts with the necessary foundations to support the same may project over the said building lines for a distance not exceeding three (3) feet.

LAND-TAKING FOR DORCHESTER COURTHOUSE.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement as follows:

The taking of the estate at the north-easterly corner of Washington street and Melville avenue, numbered 512 Washington street, with the building thereon, containing approximately 20,208 square feet; the estate numbered 2 Melville avenue, with the building thereon, containing approximately 8,750 square feet and the estate numbered 508 and 510 Washington street, with the building thereon, containing approximately 17,053 square feet, Dorchester district, for courthouse purposes.

Whereas, The Board of Street Commissioners has passed the aforesaid order of notice and has caused a copy of said order to be published May 10 and 17, 1924, in the *City Record*, and has given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order; and

Whereas, The Public Buildings Department of said City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, has selected, designated and requested the Board of Street Commissioners of said city to take for said city for courthouse purposes the lands hereinafter described, in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester; it is

Voted, That the Board of Street Commissioners of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1909, and chapter 79 of the General Laws, and all other authority thereto enabling, hereby takes in fee for said city, for courthouse purposes, the following described parcels of land, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Delia V. Curran, bounded:

West by Washington street, one hundred fifty-five and 12-100 feet; north by land hereinafter described as taken from Edward M. Curran, heirs, by two measurements, eighty-six and 26-100 feet and forty-five feet; northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Delia V. Curran, one hundred and twenty-five feet; and southeast by Melville avenue, one hundred seventy-one feet; containing twenty thousand one hundred and ninety square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Delia V. Curran, bounded:

Southeast by Melville avenue, seventy feet; southwest by land hereinbefore described as taken from Delia V. Curran, one hundred twenty-five feet; northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Edward M. Curran, heirs, seventy feet; and northeast by land supposed to belong to Delia V. Curran, one hundred twenty-five feet; containing eighty-seven hundred and fifty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Edward M. Curran heirs, bounded:

West by Washington street, ninety-three and 38-100 feet; north by land supposed to belong to Ida R. Woodward, one hundred seventy-three and 81-100 feet; northeast by land supposed to belong to Delia V. Curran, eighty-seven and 85-100 feet; and south by land hereinbefore described as taken from Delia V. Curran,

by two measurements, forty-five feet and eighty-six and 26-100 feet, containing eighteen thousand one hundred and forty-five square feet, more or less.

Said parcels are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Washington Street, Melville Avenue, Dorchester, May 2, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned estates sustain damages by the taking made for courthouse purposes on Washington street and Melville avenue, Dorchester district, under the order of the Board of even date herewith, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

	Amount.
Delia V. Curran, 20,190 square feet and building.....	\$24,375
Delia V. Curran, 8,750 square feet and building.....	11,875
Edward M. Curran heirs, 18,145 square feet and building.....	19,000
Total.....	<u>\$55,250</u>

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

McCulloch Manufacturing Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for furnishing labor to assemble 10-inch and 12-inch gate valves. Items ordered: Assemble one 12-inch gate valve. Estimated cost of extra work, \$32.

Anthony Baruffaldi Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for furnishing and laying 30-inch steel pipe and laying 30 and 24 inch cast-iron pipe in Massachusetts avenue. Items ordered: Raise and relay 86 feet of existing 24-inch water pipe outside limits of contract to a proper grade to connect with new work. Estimated cost of extra work, \$950.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John B. Dolan has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the erection and completion of the new fire station for Engine Company No. 40 until July 15, 1924. The contract is dated October 6, 1923, and was to have been completed February 16, 1924.

This is the second extension under this contract and is necessary because of the delay in getting started and the inclement weather that has been encountered during the progress of the work.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of time until July 1, 1924, for the completion of contract for grading, drainage and concrete bleachers at World War Memorial Park, East Boston.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of time until August 1, 1924, for the completion of contract for filling and grading at Orient Heights Playground, East Boston.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Singarella has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for repairs to city stable, Highland street, Roxbury, dated March 31, 1924, from May 30 to July 1, 1924, thirty-two days. This extension of time is occasioned by delay in receiving the five large ventilators which are being made to special order of 18-gauge Toncan metal instead of the usual 20-gauge galvanized steel.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with the Hugh Nawn Construction Company for installing underground construction in connection with the new Fire Alarm Signal Station in the Fenway. Bids for the work, opened May 27, were as follows:

Engineering Service and Construction Company, \$2.88 per conduit foot; \$225 per manhole; total, \$3,002.04. Hugh Nawn Construction Company, \$2.80 per conduit foot; \$250 per manhole; total, \$3,012.40. S. J. Tomasello, \$3.40 per conduit foot; \$175 per manhole; total, \$3,272.20. John T. Shea, Jr., \$3.25 per conduit foot; \$250 per manhole, total, \$3,376. Charles M. Callahan, \$3.50 per conduit foot; \$210 per manhole; total, \$3,458.

A communication from Theodore A. Glynn, Fire Commissioner was as follows:

"These figures are based on an estimate of 808 feet 8-duct conduits and three manholes. There is a very slight difference in the bid of the Engineering Service and Construction Company and the bid of the Hugh Nawn Construction Company. As the Hugh Nawn Construction Company is a reliable and well established concern, I recommend that the contract be awarded to that company for doing this work. But little is known of the lowest bidder and I would recommend that the lowest bid be rejected.

"With your Honor's approval, therefore, I will award the contract for doing this underground construction to the Hugh Nawn Construction Company.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner."

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with Isaac Simon for cleaning and pressing uniforms. A communication from Theodore A. Glynn of the Fire Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 3, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—On May 17 and 24 the Fire Department advertised in the *City Record* for proposals for cleaning and pressing approximately 1,400 uniform overcoats and reefers and for repairing approximately 1,200 uniform overcoats and reefers. On y one bid was received, namely, that of Isaac Simon, 16 Blue Hill avenue, who submitted a figure of 95 cents per garment for cleaning and pressing and \$1.75 per garment for making the necessary repairs. The total contract is estimated to be \$3,430.

Mr. Simon has done this work for the department in the past and it has been entirely satisfactory.

With your Honor's approval, therefore, I will award the contract for cleaning, pressing and repairing the uniform overcoats and reefers of the Boston Fire Department to Isaac Simon.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with B. E. Grant Company for granite block pavement in Chelsea street, from Vine street to Chelsea Bridge South,

the second bidder. Bids for the work, opened June 4, were as follows:

B. E. Grant Company, \$19,712.50; J. W. O'Connell, \$19,420; M. F. Caddis, \$19,987; G. Ferullo Company, \$20,707; J. McCourt Company, \$21,208.90; Coleman Brothers, Inc., \$22,065.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$22,534.50; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$22,754; M. H. Loonie, \$25,723.50; V. Grande, \$28,462.50; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$29,308; M. DeMatteo, \$33,461.

Upon June 10 the Mayor approved a contract with John McCourt Company for granite block pavement in Border street, from North Ferry to William J. Kelly square. Bids for the work, opened June 5, were as follows:

Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$35,069.25; M. F. Gaddis, \$35,347.55; John McCourt Company, \$35,927.50; M. H. Loonie, \$36,051.15; Coleman Brothers, Inc., \$36,253.05; E. J. McHugh & Son, \$36,357.10; J. J. Lane, \$36,749.45; B. E. Grant Company, \$37,297.60; S. J. Tomasello, \$38,441.15; V. Grande, \$41,278.90; J. A. Singarella, \$45,162.20; M. DeMatteo, \$46,522.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

The Mayor has approved a contract with M. DeSisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Branch and Medway streets, Dorchester; Atlantis, Church streets, Goodway road, Moody street, Pierpont road, Weld street, West Roxbury; Larch and Perle streets, Perthshire road and Redford street, Brighton. Bids for the work, opened June 9, were as follows:

M. DeSisto Company, \$5,416; M. D. Russo, \$5,584; J. Williams & Co., \$5,909; C. Iacuzzi, \$5,955.50; A. Baruffalli Company, \$6,021.80; J. Guarino & Co., \$6,139.65; Vozzella & Caponi, \$6,205.90; J. A. Costello & Co., \$6,364.50; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$6,374.

Upon June 7 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Ice Company for furnishing ice to the drinking fountains of the Water Service. Bids for the supply, opened June 6, were as follows:

Approximately Six Hundred Fifty Tons Ice.—Boston Ice Company, \$7.50 per ton; four fountains crossed off; Winter Hill Ice Company, \$7.50 per ton; bid on two districts only.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Beal & Co. for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the Winship School. Bids for the work, opened June 3, were as follows:

Joseph Beal & Co., \$4,425.75; Lynd-Farquhar Company, \$4,652; Henry Pren-tiss & Co., Inc., \$6,179.50.*

* Substitute bid.

Upon June 7 the Mayor approved a contract with R. J. Connolly for building a manual training stock room at the Henry L. Pierce School. Bids for the work, opened June 3, were as follows:

R. J. Connolly, \$1,241; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$1,351; Walter Curley & Son, \$1,483; John P. Curley, \$1,981; Arch-Deacon & Sullivan, \$1,990.

* No bid in Auditor's office.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with the New England Coal and

Coke Company for furnishing coke to Long and Deer Islands. Bids for the supply, opened June 2, were as follows:

One Hundred Seventy-five Tons, Deer Island.—New England Coal and Coke Company, \$8.85* per ton, alongside.

Two Hundred Tons, Long Island.—New England Coal and Coke Company, \$9.50* per ton, in the bin.

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated below, for furnishing road rollers to the Public Works Department, Paving Service. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

The rollers the Acme Road Machinery Company, Inc., are going to furnish the city comply with the specifications contained in the proposals, which call for four-cylinder motor. While the rollers that the Buffalo Springfield Roller Company propose to furnish are quoted at a lower price, they are only a two-cylinder motor and therefore do not comply with the specifications. The rollers the Austin Western Road Machinery Company propose to furnish, while a four-cylinder motor, and may comply with the specifications, have not been used by any municipality or contractor in New England, and therefore it was impossible for either the Commissioner of Public Works or myself to see this roller in operation. The difference in price between the Austin Western Road Machinery Company roller and the Acme Road Machinery Company, Inc., roller is less than \$40, and as the Acme Road Machinery Company, Inc., roller has been demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works, I feel that the best interests of the city will be served by awarding these contracts as recommended.

Two Twelve-ton Gasoline Road Rollers with Scarifier.—Acme Road Machinery Company, Inc., \$6,120 each*; Austin Western Road Machinery Company, \$5,960 each; Buffalo Springfeld Roller Company, fifteen-ton, \$5,740—twelve-ton, \$5,480.

One Fifteen-ton Road Roller with Scarifier.—Buffalo Springfield Roller Company, \$6,850*.

Discount Ten Days.—Acme Road Machinery Company, Inc., 2 per cent.

Best Delivery Date.—Acme Road Machinery Company, Inc., fifteen days; Austin Western Road Machinery Company, about sixty days; Buffalo Springfield Roller Company, see specifications, within ten days.

* Awarded contract.

Upon June 7 the Mayor approved a contract with H. Decker Lee Company for furnishing steel shelving to the Boston City Hospital. Bids for the work, opened June 3, were as follows:

One Hundred and Sixty-eight Plain, Clear Openings 36-inch by 11½-inch by 12½-inch.—Library Bureau, \$1,350; Andrew Wilson Company, \$1,075; Art Metal Construction Company, \$1,173; the Shaw Walker Company, \$913; Bank and Office Equipment Company, \$743; H. Decker Lee Company, \$667.50.

Best Date of Delivery.—Library Bureau, twelve weeks; Andrew Wilson Company, thirty days; Art Metal Construction Company, sixty to seventy-five days the Shaw Walker Company, six weeks; Bank and Office Equipment Company, August 7, 1924; H. Decker Lee Company, sixty days.

Discount Ten Days.—Andrew Wilson Company, 1 per cent; the Shaw Walker Company, 2 per cent.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the Standard Coal Company for furnishing hard coal to the Public Buildings and other city departments. Bids for the supply, opened May 16, were as follows:

	Egg. Ton.	Stove. Ton.
CITY PROPER.		
City Fuel Company.....	\$14 60	\$14 60
Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company.....	14 33	14 33
SOUTH BOSTON.		
Doherty Coal Company.....	13 69	13 89
City Fuel Company.....	14 60	14 60
Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company.....	14 33	14 33
EAST BOSTON.		
City Fuel Company.....	14 60	14 60
Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company.....	14 33	14 33
ROXBURY.		
Doherty Coal Company.....	13 69	13 89
City Fuel Company.....	14 60	14 60
Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company.....	14 33	14 33
DORCHESTER.		
Doherty Coal Company.....	13 69	13 89
City Fuel Company.....	14 60	14 60
Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company.....	14 33	14 33
CHARLESTOWN.		
City Fuel Company.....	14 60	14 60
Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company.....	14 33	14 33
BRIGHTON.		
City Fuel Company.....	14 60	14 60
Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company.....	14 33	14 33
WEST ROXBURY.		
City Fuel Company.....	14 60	14 60
HYDE PARK.		
City Fuel Company.....	14 60	14 60
THE WHOLE CITY.		
City Fuel Company.....	14 60	14 60
East Boston Coal Company.....	13 88	13 88
Standard Coal Company.....	* 13 74	* 13 74
THE WHOLE CITY.		
Metropolitan Coal Company.....	Cobbles. \$14 20	Nuts. \$14 20

* Awarded contract.

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with the lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during June, 1924. Bids for the supply, opened May 29, were as follows:

DISTRICTS.	No. 2 Hay.	No. 3 Hay.	Straw.	No. 2 Oats.	Shorts.	Corn.
SOUTH BOSTON.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*\$33 75		*\$26 50	\$0 64	\$31 50	
John J. White Company.....			27 00	*64	32 50	
The Whittemore Company.....			27 00	67	*27 50	*\$1 25
Lord & Webster Company.....			28 00	66	34 00	1 26
EAST BOSTON.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*33 75		*26 50	*64	*31 50	
Lord & Webster Company.....			28 00	66	34 00	*1 26
CHARLESTOWN.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*33 75		*26 50	*64	*31 50	
John J. White Company.....			27 00	*64	32 50	
The Whittemore Company.....			27 50	67	*27 50	*1 25
Lord & Webster Company.....			26 50	66	34 00	1 26
CITY PROPER.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*33 75		*26 00	64	31 50	
John J. White Company.....			26 50	*63 1/2	31 75	
The Whittemore Company.....			27 00	66 1/2	*27 50	*1 25
Lord & Webster Company.....			26 25	66	32 00	1 26
ROXBURY.						
Landy Brothers.....	*35 00		*26 50	66 1/2	30 00	*1 25
John J. White Company.....			27 50	*61 1/2	32 50	
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	\$34 50	27 50	67	*27 50	1 25
Lord & Webster Company.....			28 00	66	34 00	1 26
DORCHESTER.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*35 45		28 00	*65 1/2	35 00	
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	34 50	*27 50	67	*27 50	*1 25
Lord & Webster Company.....			28 00	66	34 00	1 26
WEST ROXBURY.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*35 45		28 00	*65 1/2	35 00	
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	34 50	*27 50	67	*27 50	*1 25
Lord & Webster Company.....			28 00	66	34 00	1 26
BRIGHTON.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	35 45		28 00	*65 1/2	35 00	
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	34 50	27 50	67	*28 00	1 25
Ogden & Thompson.....	*33 50		*24 50	67	32 00	*1 15
HYDE PARK.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*35 45		28 00	*65 1/2	35 00	
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	34 50	*27 50	67	*28 00	*1 25

* Awarded contract.

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with the Rockport Granite Company for approximately 400,000 granite paving blocks. Bids for the supply, opened May 29, were as follows:

Groton Granite Company, \$144 per M., delivered; discount, ten days, 1 per cent; total, \$57,600, less 1 per cent, \$57,024; Rockport Granite Company, \$144.40 per M., delivered; discount, ten days, 2 per cent; total, \$57,760, less 2 per cent, \$56,604.80.

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for furnishing meats to the various city departments during June, 1924. Bids, opened May 29, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Two Hundred Eighty Pounds Pork Loins.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 17 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Veal.—Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound.

Thirty-seven Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Chucks.—Mohawk Packing Company, 16 1/2 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9 cents per pound.

Thirteen Hundred Pounds Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 28 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 28 cents per pound.

Fifty Pounds Bacon.—Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Hams.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 33 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 32 1/2 cents per pound.

Twenty-five Pounds Salt Pork.—Mohawk Packing Company, 12 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 11 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,927.70; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,878.25; William A. Doe Company, \$1,905.60.

Institutions Department.

Infirmiry Division.

Forty-seven Hundred Fifty Pounds Corned Beef Stickers.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9 1/2 cents per pound.

One Thousand Pounds Corned Beef Brisket.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound.

Two Thousand Pounds Rib Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound.

Fifteen Hundred Pounds Haws.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Fifty Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 31 cents per pound.

Twenty-two Hundred Fifty Pounds Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound.

Thirty-three Hundred Seventy-five Pounds Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 28 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 28 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Seventy-five Pounds Frankfurts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Bacon.—Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Forty Pounds Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$3,620.50; Merchants Provision Company, \$3,617.38; William A. Doe Company, \$3,556.10.

Penal Division.

Twenty-one Hundred Pounds Stickers.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9½ cents per pound.

Eleven Hundred Pounds Under Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Fifty Pounds Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 33 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 32 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Sixty Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 33 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 32½ cents per pound.

Four Hundred Seventy-five Pounds Frankfurts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Sixteen Pounds Short Ribs.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Forty Pounds Forequarters.—Mohawk Packing Company, 12½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 11 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Bologna.—Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,279.32; Merchants Provision Com-

pany, \$1,255.09; William A. Doe Company, \$1,218.17.

Park Department.

Two Thousand Pounds Chucks.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$210; Merchants Provision Company, \$210; William A. Doe Company, \$200.

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with low bidders and D. F. Holland Linen Company for furnishing dry goods to the Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened June 2, were as follows:

Five Hundred Yards Crash.—Taylor, Symonds Company, 13½ cents per yard; William Levy, 13 cents per yard*; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, 19½ cents per yard; Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, 13 cents per yard.

Six Pieces Furniture Covering.—J. G. Bowden & Son, Inc., 42½ cents per yard; Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, 39½ cents per yard.*

Six Dozen Undervests.—Taylor, Symonds Company, \$2.25 per dozen; John R. Ainsley Company, \$2.12½ cents per dozen*; Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, \$2.10 per dozen.

Three Thousand Needles.—Taylor, Symonds Company, \$2.25 per M.; John R. Ainsley Company, \$2.50 per M.*; Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, value.

Ten Great Gross Sanitary Pads.—J. G. Bowden & Son, Inc., \$5.50 per great gross; John R. Ainsley Company, \$45 per great gross; Williamantic Knitting Company, \$34 per great gross*; Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, value.

Forty-eight Gross Safety Pins.—Taylor, Symonds Company, 30 cents per gross*; John R. Ainsley Company, 45 cents per gross; Vulcan, \$5 cents per gross; Clinton; Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, value.

Two Hundred Bates Spreads.—Taylor, Symonds Company, \$2.10 each*; William Levy, \$2.25 each; D. F. Holland Linen Company, \$2.35 each; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, \$2.20 each; Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, \$2.17½ each.

Ten Dozen No. 50 White Thread.—Taylor, Symonds Company, 47 cents per dozen*; John R. Ainsley Company, 52 cents per dozen; Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, value.

Twenty Dozen No. 40 White Thread.—Taylor, Symonds Company, 47 cents per dozen*; John R. Ainsley Company, 52 cents per dozen; Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, value.

Five Dozen No. 30 White Thread.—Taylor, Symonds Company, 47 cents per dozen; John R. Ainsley Company, 52 cents per dozen; Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, value.

Three Hundred Dozen Napkins.—Taylor, Symonds Company, No. 1, 92½ cents per dozen; J. G. Bowden & Son, Inc., No. 2, \$1.05 per dozen; William Levy, \$5.62½ per dozen; D. F. Holland Linen Company, \$4.27½ per dozen*; \$4.37½ per dozen; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, \$4.40 per dozen.

Discount Ten Days.—Taylor, Symonds Company, 3 per cent; J. G. Bowden & Son, Inc., 2 per cent; John R. Ainsley Company, 7 per cent; Williamantic Knitting Company, 2 per cent; D. F. Holland Knitting Company, 3 per cent; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, 3 per cent.

* Awarded orders and in case of D. F. Holland Linen Company for napkins awarded contract as this item amounts to over \$1,000.

† On auditor's copy.

Best Delivery Date.—Taylor, Symonds Company, immediately; John R. Ainsley Company, ten days; Williamantic Knitting Company, five days; William Levy, five to seven months; napkins; D. F. Holland Linen Company, start three months; Sparrow-Chisholm Company, at once.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Upon June 5 the Mayor approved a contract with Isadore Zieman for construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 3, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Isadore Zieman, 25 Abbot street, Dorchester, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon June 10 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Violante for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 9, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to A. Violante, 575 River street, Mattapan, Mass., is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is to be divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon June 11 the Mayor approved a contract with Pulz, Inc., for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 11, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Pulz, Inc., 173 Milk street, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly the expense of construction is divided by the city and abut-

ters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,
JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon June 11 the Mayor approved a contract with John T. Shea, Jr., for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 9, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to John T. Shea, Jr., 142 Maple street, West Roxbury, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,
JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with John Guarino & Co. for laying and relaying water pipes in Old Colony parkway, between Tolman and Conley streets, Dorchester.

A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Informal bids for doing this work were requested from practically all contractors doing work for the Water Division and were opened June 2, 1924.

The work to be done under this contract, if publicly advertised, would probably not be started for four weeks, and for that reason John Guarino & Co's bid has been accepted in order that operations can start immediately.

The following bids were received June 2: John Guarino & Co., \$1,219; A. Grande, \$1,222; Vozzella & Caponi, \$1,334; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$1,377.50; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$1,452.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Petroleum Heat and Power Company for oil-burning apparatus. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 24, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—There was but one bid submitted to the Schoolhouse Commissioners and opened on May 20, in response to advertisement of the Board inserted in the *City Record* of May 10, 1924, for installing and completing oil-burning apparatus in various schools. This was from the Petroleum Heat and Power Company, in the sum of \$14,500. The Petroleum Heat and Power Company has done considerable work for the department in the past, and its work has been satisfactory. The Board has therefore voted, subject to the approval of your Honor, to award the contract to Petroleum Heat and Power Company, 100 Boylston street, in the amount named.

Respectfully yours,
THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with the American LaFrance Fire Engine Company, Inc., for fire apparatus for the Fire Department. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 23, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the American LaFrance Fire Engine Company, Inc., for furnishing the following to the Fire Department:

Four type 75-750 gallons pump and hose cars at \$12,247 each; one type 14-6 combination motor service ladder truck at \$9,581; one type 17-6 four-wheel aerial truck tractor at \$8,700. Total amount of contract, \$67,269.

Pumpers to be equipped with Sewell wheels and cellular tires and tractor to be equipped the same as the pumpers. Service ladder truck will have chemical tank, artillery wheels with cord pneumatic tires. Tractor will be attached to Ladder Truck No. 4 by the above concern without charge.

As the City of Boston has standardized, after a thorough investigation, on this type of fire apparatus, and as the American LaFrance Fire Engine Company, Inc., are the manufacturers, no advantage would be obtained by publicly advertising for same.

Respectfully yours,
FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Buick Company for furnishing cars to the Fire Department. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 4, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising, to the Boston Buick Company for furnishing the following to the Fire Department:

Three 1924 Buick roadsters with full factory equipment, delivered in Boston, at \$1,400 each, \$4,200; one 1924 Buick touring car with full factory equipment, delivered in Boston, at \$1,425; total, \$5,625; less allowance on three 1918 Buick roadsters at \$75 each, \$225; less allowance on one 1916 Buick roadster at \$40; total, \$265. Net amount of contract, \$5,360.

As this type of car best suits the requirements of the Fire Department, I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,
FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon May 26 the Mayor approved a contract with the Troy Laundry Machine Company for furnishing machinery to the Hospital Department. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 23, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Troy Laundry Machinery Company, located at 514 Atlantic avenue, Boston, for furnishing to the Hospital Department:

One Troy overdriven extractor at \$1,895; one new Henrici J-2 washing machine at \$2,650. Net amount of contract, \$4,545.

The Hospital Department has standardized on this type of laundry machinery, and the machines that are to be replaced have been in the service of the Hospital Department between twenty-five and thirty years, and have always given complete satisfaction.

As the Troy Laundry Machinery Company are the manufacturers and agents for this equipment, no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for same.

The Hospital Department are in urgent need of this machinery, and I trust that the permission asked for will be granted.

Yours respectfully,
FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon May 26 the Mayor approved a contract with the Springfield Motor Sweeper Company for furnishing the Public Works Department with two motor-driven sweepers. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 23, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Springfield Motor Sweeper Company, Springfield, Ohio, for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Street Cleaning and Oiling Service, two (2) Springfield motor-driven street sweepers, equipped with four aluminum brooms and one aluminum rear broom, at a price of \$7,500 each, f. o. b. Boston.

This department purchased similar machines for the Public Works Department in 1923, and they have been in continuous service since their purchase, and have always given complete satisfaction. It is desired to standardize purchases as far as possible, and I think the best interests of the city will be served by approving this award. As this concern is the manufacturer of this sweeping machine, no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for same.

Trusting that the permission will be granted, I am,

Respectfully yours,
FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon May 31 the Mayor approved a contract with John F. Byers Machine Company for one bear cat crane for the Public Works Department. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, May 29, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the John F. Byers Machine Company of Ravenna, Ohio, for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service, one Model 1 Byers bear cat crane with 25-foot steel latticed boom, for a price of \$4,965, less 2 per cent for payment in ten days, delivered to the Water Department yard, 710 Albany street. The Water Department have selected this make crane as being best suited for the work required of it, and I feel that the best interests of the city will be served by granting the permission.

As this concern is the manufacturer of this crane, no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for same.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon June 7 the Mayor approved a contract with the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing machines to the Sewer Service. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 5, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing the following machines to the Sewer Service, Public Works Department:

No. 680 Albany Street: One Reo Model F, equipped with Metro cab and 1½ yards dump body with wood hydraulic hoist with sideboards, painted and lettered, delivered, \$2,250; one Reo Model F, equipped with Metro cab and covered express body, painted and lettered, delivered, \$2,105.

Child Street Yard: Two Reo Model F chassis, equipped with Metro cabs, 1½ yard dump body with wood hydraulic sideboards, painted and lettered, delivered, at \$2,250 each, \$4,500.

Total amount of contract, \$8,855.

As the above types are the ones best suited for the needs of the Sewer Service, I trust the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing the Printing Department one Reo speed wagon. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 5, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract to the Linscott Motor Company, without publicly advertising, for furnishing to the Printing Department:

One Reo speed wagon, parcel delivery, painted gray and lettered in gold leaf, shaded, "City of Boston, Printing Department," with sliding doors back of driver's seat at \$1,695; allowance on old Ford truck, \$150; total amount of contract, \$1,545.

As this is the type of delivery wagon which the Printing Department feels will best meet the needs of the department, I trust that the permission required will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

MAYOR SAVES EMPLOYMENT FOR NAVY YARD WORKERS.

Mayor Curley was especially gratified to receive a telegram from Senator Henry Cabot Lodge on June 7 favorably advising in the matter of the Mayor's earnest request, that the Naval Bill providing for building cruisers and reconditioning old battleships should pass, and the discharge of 800 men from the service of the

Boston Navy Yard prior to September 15 might be prevented.

The Mayor particularly called to the attention of Senator Lodge the fact that the modernizing of the United States Steamer "Florida" or any other battleship at Charlestown, would mean practically that the entire force of men now employed at the Boston Navy Yard would be retained.

Senator Lodge in the telegram to the Mayor declared "the bill for the navy, to which you refer, has passed with my strong support, as I happen to be a member of the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs. You may rest assured I shall do everything possible to have a portion of this work sent to the Boston Navy Yard."

MAYOR CURLEY INVITES STUDENT DEMOCRATS TO HIS INAUGURATION.

Mayor Curley declared Saturday night that he will be inaugurated Governor of Massachusetts next January on Boston Common. He invited the members of the Massachusetts Interscholastic Democratic Club to attend.

The Mayor made the announcement in reply to three long cheers given him as he was leaving the mahogany room at the American House where the club met to devise plans for taking an active part in the coming contest.

Never were Democratic chances of winning a contest better than they are this year, according to the Mayor. He said that President Coolidge's veto of the postal bill killed his chance of election. He said that the men who were deprived of their expected increase in wages will call upon every householder in the land between now and election and will boost the Democratic nominees and denounce the Republican candidates.

The Mayor outlined his plan of campaign in winning a contest as: First, get the votes; second, announce your issues; third, attack.

He said that never in the history of America has there been an occupant of the White House who was so vulnerable as President Coolidge, with the possible exception of Andrew Johnson.

The Mayor urged the members to get behind the campaign to register 225,000 additional Democrats before the election. He said that the active participation of college men in politics is a great service to the American people.

ASSESSMENT SUSPENDED.

The Mayor has approved the following order received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

May 26, 1924.

Whereas, By an order dated May 25, 1922, the Board of Street Commissioners in accordance with the provisions of chapter 359 of the Acts of the year 1896, ordered suspension of the collection of the following described assessment for sewerage works Annapolis street, Dorchester, levied under date of March 27, 1919.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Mary L. Myrick.....	\$330 00

Whereas, The Board of Street Commissioners deem it just and proper that the collection of said assessment should be further postponed;

Ordered, That the collection of the aforesaid assessment be, and the same hereby is suspended for one year from date hereof.

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT.

The following report was received from the Fire Commissioner relative to the activities of the Fire Department for the month ending May 31:

BOSTON, June 6, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I submit below a report of the activities of the Boston Fire Department for the month ending May 31, 1924.

During the month the pumps at High Pressure Station No. 1 were started in response to nine alarms and were in operation for one hour and ten minutes. The pumps at High Pressure Station No. 2 were started in response to fourteen alarms and were in operation for two hours and forty-six minutes. New fire alarm boxes were established at the following locations:

Box 246, Wil liams and Plainfield streets.
Box 248, St. Rose and Jamaica streets.
Box 2484, Jamaica street, opposite No. 45.

Box 63, Maverick and London streets.
Box 3576, Colorado and Messenger streets.

Box 3577, Kennebec and Canaan streets.

Box 7143, Claflin and C streets.

Thirty-seven members on probation successfully passed the drill school course and a new class was inaugurated. We have had as members during the past month a representative of the Taunton Fire Department and the assistant chief of the Daytona, Fla., Fire Department.

An intensive inspection by the entire inspection force of the department, covering cellars and yards of stores and tenement houses containing three or more suites, was conducted with a view to remove all of the rubbish and fire hazard.

In the Bureau of Supplies and Repairs 316 calls were responded to by the emergency crew, and 326 repairs were made on apparatus by shop mechanics. Three hundred and twenty-three jobs were completed by inside mechanics, other than motor apparatus repairers, during the month.

In the Wire Division 1,985 permits were issued for interior electrical construction and \$7,621.89 was collected for same. Eighty-two grants for underground conduits were passed and plans approved for same.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Council has approved the following claims:

John Liddel, *per pro ami*, in the sum of \$200, for personal injuries caused by projecting bricks on Miller street June 20, 1923.

John H. O'Neill, 84 State street, Boston, in the sum of \$55.85, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by hole in street opposite 280 Beacon street, February 12, 1924.

George W. Shea, 119 Radcliffe street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$20, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by defect in highway on Nightingale street, near corner of Wales street, January 29, 1924.

Caleb S. Spencer, 80 Kingston street, Boston, in the sum of \$85, as compensation for damage to car by city truck on Prospect avenue, Roslindale, July 5, 1923.

**LIST OF PETITIONS FOR HEARING BEFORE STREET COMMISSIONERS,
ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.**

MONDAY, JUNE 16.

NAME.	Location.	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Ellen Connors.....	110 Dakota street.....	19	One car.
Fred C. Gevalt <i>et al.</i>	62 Park street.....	23	One car.
Charles N. Labonte.....	12 and 14 Downing street.....	13	One car.
Katharine Schorle.....	83 Glen road.....	22	One car.
Fred Swirkel.....	63 Tampa street.....	21	One car.
William M. Carlyle.....	24 Redlands road.....	23	Two cars.
Minnie Cohen.....	27 Floyd street.....	21	Two cars.
Walter H. Crosby.....	304 Faneuil street.....	26	Two cars.
Louise V. Curry.....	368 Arborway.....	22	Two cars.
Catherine F. Golden.....	95 Bynner street.....	14	Two cars.
Demetra Henes.....	1 Chapin avenue.....	23	Two cars.
Joseph L. Jacobson.....	15 Wolcott street.....	19	Two cars.
Margaret Lemist.....	47 Jamaica street.....	22	Two cars.
Charles S. Little.....	99 Farquhar street.....	23	Two cars.
Carmello Orlando.....	7 Seaview avenue.....	1	Two cars.
Elizabeth O'Sullivan.....	11 Aldworth street.....	22	Two cars.
Ida Perlmuter.....	12 and 14 Wilcock street.....	21	Two cars.
Sam Pfau.....	62 Hutchings street.....	16	Two cars.
Sadie B. Quint.....	17 Browning avenue.....	19	Two cars.
Lena Ross.....	89 Mountain avenue.....	21	Two cars.
Eva D. Sesmon.....	35 Dennison street.....	15	Two cars.
Mrs. Joseph Shanker.....	19 Browning avenue.....	19	Two cars.
Max Syeinberg.....	37 Brookledge street.....	16	Two cars.
James Terhaney.....	82 Forest Hills street.....	22	Two cars.
Jennie Weisman.....	1099 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Two cars.
Joseph S. Battaglia.....	43 Pearl street.....	11	Group garage, three units.
Witold Dobrowolski.....	7 and 9 Richardson street.....	26	Group garage, three units, three cars.
Patrick Dolan.....	41 Pearl street.....	11	Group garage, three units.
Mary Kelliher.....	21 North Munroe terrace.....	20	Group garage, three units.
Agnes G. Long.....	18 Thornley street.....	17	Three cars.
Luciana Nicolazzo.....	27 Winship street, etc.....	25	Group garage, three units, three cars.
Thomas J. O'Grady <i>et al.</i>	17 Dalkeith street.....	17	Three units, three cars.
Dora Topol.....	8 Richfield street.....	19	Group garage, three units, three cars.
Gertrude H. Wood.....	155 Kilsyth road.....	25	Three cars.
Eli Heffron.....	16 Sullivan street.....	2	Group garage, four units.
Bruno Kroetzsh.....	121 Howard avenue.....	17	Group garage, four units.
Eugenie M. Valler <i>et al.</i>	87 Dakota street.....	19	Group garage, four units, four cars.
Rose Wood.....	87 and 89 Harrishof street.....	16	Group garage, four units, four cars.
Pasquale A. Constanza.....	73 Everett street.....	2	Group garage, ten units.
Walter E. Delorey.....	581-589 Warren street, etc.....	16	Public garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.
Donnelly and Emerson heirs.....	195 Bowdoin street.....	18	Public garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.
Havelock Association.....	11 Rhoades street.....	21	Public garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.
Edward Dale.....	862 and 864 Morton street.....	21	Business garage.
Merchants Terminal Company.....	465 Medford street.....	3	Business garage and 2,230 gallons gasoline.
B. Gilman.....	358 and 360 Norfolk street.....	21	1,000 gallons gasoline.
Anna B. McGonagle.....	833 Columbia road.....	11	500 gallons gasoline.
Charles F. Morse.....	30 Ifley road.....	15	300 gallons gasoline.
Albert T. Perry.....	963 Dorchester avenue.....	11	500 gallons gasoline.
Standard Coal Company.....	10-36 Lamartine street.....	22	500 gallons gasoline.
New England Spun Silk Corporation.....	342 Western avenue.....	26	Acetylene and oxygen.
E. T. Ryan Iron Works, Inc.....	9-25 Braintree street.....	25	Acetylene and oxygen.
John J. Shaw, Inc.....	388 Market street.....	26	Acetylene and oxygen.
Estate of Thomas E. Proctor.....	Pearl and High streets.....	5	6,000 gallons fuel oil.

SALARY INCREASES.

The following salary increases have been approved by the Mayor to take effect April 1, except as otherwise specified:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The Mayor has approved the following increases in salaries, retroactive as of April 4 unless otherwise indicated:

Trustees' Office.

Catherine A. Sullivan, executive clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Sanatorium at Mattapan.

Thomas E. Mitchell, baker, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Joseph Howard, carpenter, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Rev. William Daley, chaplain, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Rev. Charles Eaton and Rabbi Moses L. Sedar, chaplains, from \$520 to \$570 a year.

Frank Healey, chauffeur, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Thomas McCourthney, choreman, from \$600 to \$660 a year.

Bessie Daley, clerk, from \$580 to \$640 a year.*

Elmer Proctor, diener, from \$720 to \$780 a year.*

One housekeeper, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

Edgar B. Coombs, Fred Sullivan, William Jennings and Alfred Ericson, assistant engineers, from \$36 to \$39 a week.

Patrick Rogers, William Sheehan, Patrick Halloran, Henry Healy and Patrick Kelly, assistant farmers and laborers, from \$600 to \$700 a year.

Daniel Sweeney, Thomas Melley and Michael Dolan, firemen, from \$33 to \$36 a week.

Mary Kelmont, Pauline Gaedraty, Catherine Murray and Sadie Burke, laundresses, from \$480 to \$540 a year.

Helen Adamitis, Jennie Hall, Minnie Epstein, Margaret Allison, Delia Flarety, Ellen Hallsesey, Katherine Flaherty, Nora Joyce, Mary McDonald, Agnes Hurley, Mary Church, Mary Gallagher, Julia J. Wall, Julia McElman, Ellen Washburn, Ellen Sweetland and Mary Foley, laundresses, from \$420 to \$480 a year.

Elizabeth Connolly, night supervisor, from \$990 to \$1,090 a year.

Gertrude Folan, stenographer, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

Arthur Murphy, supervisor, from \$1,150 to \$1,250 a year.

Albert Ehrenfried, M. D., surgical assistant, from \$300 to \$600 a year.

X-Ray technician, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.*

Telephone operator, from \$580 to \$640 a year.

*After one year's service.

Out-Patient Department.

Catherine Lawton and Mary Sabona, cleaners, from \$2.87½ to \$3 a day.

Charles M. Shay, M. D., laryngologist, from \$900 to \$1,200 a year.

Samuel Cline, M. D., assistant laryngologist, from \$500 to \$600 a year.

Grace Warnock and Violet Kipling, nursing maids, from \$720-\$840 to \$840-\$940 a year.

Maria Campbell, Dora Deutch, Mary E. Thompson, Annie M. Jarvis, Teresa Cullen, Maude R. Crawford, Clara E. Chamberlain, M. Agnes Leahy, Alice B. Giles, Helen C. Lipps, Abigail M. Mara, Anna L. Noonan, Josephine V. Beaton, Mary B. Traynor, Leora M. Sullivan, Catherine Sheehan, Minnie Robertson

Morson, Mary M. McDonald, Susan B. Courtney, Mary H. Donovan, Maude E. Papineau, Genevieve L. Logan, Bertha V. Connors, Susan A. Raper, Loretta Maxwell, Nettie B. Kibur, Margaret Stenzil, Helen M. Butler, Frances L. Churchill, May R. Armstrong, Jane Sullivan, nurses, from \$1,400-\$1,500 to \$1,500-\$1,600 a year.

Nora Holland, attendant nurse, from \$940 to \$1,040 a year.

Alice M. Brearton, special investigator, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Florence L. Byrne and Mary F. O'Leary, stenographers, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.*

*After one year's service.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Beginning May 30, 1924. Not retroactive.

Doctor Manary, executive assistant, from \$58.33 a week to \$3,500 a year.

Doctor O'Connell, executive assistant, from \$29.17 a week to \$2,500 a year.

Weekly Pay Roll.

To take effect April 4, 1924.

Doctor Broderick, assistant executive, from \$44.72 a week to \$2,500 a year.

Mr. French, boiler room helper, from \$28 to \$31 a week.

Mr. Fontes, temporary ambulance driver, from \$27 to \$30 a week.

Mr. McPherson, assistant cook from \$27 to \$28 a week.

Mr. Sawyer, out-patient supervisor, from \$26 to \$28 a week.

Mr. Harran, supervisor, from \$24.50 to \$26 a week.

Mr. Levy, supervisor, from \$24.50 to \$26 a week.

Mr. Higgins, nurse, from \$24.50 to \$26 a week.

Mr. McLaughlin, supervisor, from \$24.50 to \$26 a week.

Mr. Ottenheimer, supervisor, from \$24.50 to \$26 a week.

Mr. Ballem, supervisor, from \$24.50 to \$26 a week.

Miss McGovern, dietitian, from \$23.33 a week to \$1,300 a year.

Mr. Creehan, electrician's helper, from \$19.50 to \$27 a week.

Two steamfitter's helpers, from \$17.50 to \$27 a week.

Two plumber's helpers, from \$17.50 to \$27 a week.

Mr. Donovan, electrician's helper, from \$17.50 to \$27 a week.

Mr. Mahoney, porter, from \$23.50 to \$25 a week.

Miss Welch, head telephone operator, from \$23 to \$25 a week.

Mr. Millett, nurse, from \$22.17 to \$24.50 a week.

Mr. Williams, nurse, from \$21.50 to \$23 a week.

Mr. Souza, assistant supervisor, from \$21.50 to \$23 a week.

Mr. Gately, assistant supervisor, from \$21.50 to \$23 a week.

Mr. Angell, nurse, from \$21.50 to \$23 a week.

Mr. E. Cronin, plumber's helper, from \$17.50 to \$27 a week. (Temporary, from May 26.)

Mr. DeCosta, nurse, from \$22.17 to \$24.50 a week.

Mr. Hannigan, nurse, from \$21 a week to \$1,200 a year.

J. G. Gill, assistant baker, from \$19 to \$20 a week.

Seven telephone operators, from \$20 to \$22 a week.

Mr. Brown, gardener, from \$20 to \$22 a week.

Mr. Robertshaw, nurse, from \$18.50 to \$23 a week.

Mr. Peterson, X-ray orderly, from \$18.50 to \$20 a week.

Mr. Spencer, pathological laboratory assistant, from \$18 to \$19.50 a week.

S. J. Welch, assistant cook, from \$17.50 to \$18.50 a week.

Mr. Harrington, out-patient assistant supervisor, from \$17.50 to \$18.50 a week.

Two house porters (Vose House), from \$16.50 to \$17.50 a week.

Four jobbers on the grounds, from \$16 to \$18 a week.

Miss Barry, night cook, from \$15 to \$16 a week.

Four kitchenmen, from \$15 to \$16 a week.

I. Kelly, parcel porter, from \$14.50 to \$15.50 a week.

Six kitchenmen, from \$14 to \$15 a week.

Three house porters from \$13 to \$14 a week.

Mr. Jackson, dispensary porter, from \$13 to \$14 a week.

Seven out-patient orderlies, from \$13 to \$14 a week.

J. Lane, center assistant, from \$12.50 to \$13 a week.

J. Lawrence, center assistant, from \$12.50 to \$13 a week.

Five assistant housekeepers, from \$12 to \$13 a week.

Two elevator men, from \$12 to \$13 a week.

Mr. Nissen, director of massage, from \$11.67 to \$14 a week.

Thirteen elevator men and women (one temporary), from \$11 to \$12 a week.

M. J. Campbell, seamstress, from \$11 to \$12 a week.

Thirty-nine ward helpers, from \$11 to \$11.50 a week.

Seventeen ward maids and ward assistants, from \$11 to \$11.50 a week.

Six kitchenwomen, from \$11 to \$11.50 a week.

Three assistant seamstresses, from \$9 to \$11 a week.

C. Gately, assistant supervisor, from \$21.50 to \$23 a week.

South Department.

Mr. Curtin, assistant cook, from \$23 to \$25.50 a week.

F. C. Way, supervisor, from \$21 to \$22.50 a week.

Mr. Varney, day lodge orderly, from \$19 to \$20 a week.

Miss Sinclair, head laundress, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

W. Callery, assistant cook, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

H. Luther, assistant cook, from \$18 to \$20 a week.

J. Klein, supervisor, from \$18 to \$19.50 a week.

J. Buxton, supervisor, from \$18 to \$19.50 a week.

Four kitchenmen, from \$17 to \$19 a week.

D. Marchand, nurse, from \$15 to \$19.50 a week.

J. Callery, jobber, from \$16 to \$18 a week.

Miss Cullinane, apothecary, from \$15 to \$17 a week.

M. Flynn, center orderly, from \$15 to \$17 a week.

Hannah Clubb, seamstress, from \$11 to \$12 a week.

Three kitchenwomen, from \$11 to \$11.50 a week.

Four center orderlies, from \$8 to \$10 a week.

Four ward helpers, from \$11 to \$11.50 a week.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

V. A. Burton, supervisor, from \$21 to \$22.50 a week.

H. Thompson, X-ray orderly, from \$15 to \$19.50 a week.

J. Cole, desk orderly, from \$11 to \$15 a week.

E. Mansfield, night supervisor, from \$12 to \$18.50 a week.

M. Cunningham, desk orderly, from \$11 to \$15 a week.

Minnie Mead, cook, from \$15 to \$17 a week.

Sarah Winston, ward helper, from \$11 to \$11.50 a week.

East Boston Relief Station.

Mr. Whitford, supervisor, from \$18 to \$22.50 a week.

Catherine McDonough, cook, from \$12.50 to \$14 a week.

C. Gately, acting supervisor, April 4 to 13, inclusive, from \$18 to \$19.50 a week.

Convalescent Home.

Mary Creed, cook, from \$12 to \$14 a week.

Lillian Nickerson, housemaid, from \$8.50 to \$9.50 a week.

John Thompson, choreman, from \$11 to \$16 a week.

Martha Buckley, head nurse, from \$18.67 to \$20.71 a week.

Monthly nurses, beginning April 1.

Miss E. Dwyer, head nurse operating floor, from \$100 to \$110 a month.

Miss E. Bandura, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss M. Battis, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss M. Fletcher, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss A. Gatins, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss D. Hackett, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss E. Herrett, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss A. MacDonald, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss M. McFadyen, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss E. Prendergast, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss M. Ziegler, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss F. Burton, head nurse, from \$75 to \$85 a month.

Miss A. Callahan, head nurse, from \$75 to \$85 a month.

Miss M. Fitzmaurice, head nurse, from \$75 to \$85 a month.

Miss C. Honey, head nurse, from \$75 to \$85 a month.

Miss B. MacDougall, head nurse, from \$75 to \$85 a month.

Miss M. Whitley, head nurse, from \$75 to \$85 a month.

South Department.

Miss G. Barlow, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss S. Connell, head nurse, from \$75 to \$85 a month.

Miss A. Marks, head nurse, from \$75 to \$85 a month.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

Miss L. Reidell, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

Miss A. Teague, head nurse, from \$75 to \$85 a month.

East Boston Relief Station.

Miss H. Crosby, head nurse, from \$80 to \$90 a month.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Retroactive from April 4.

Richard Brandt, watchman, from \$800 to \$900 a year.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 5 TO JUNE 11.

JUNE 5.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
James H. Boyd.....	866 Washington street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$1,000
Richard J. Spencer.....	17 Waldemar avenue.....	1	New fixtures.....	500
Louis W. Mulkern.....	19 Prince street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
James A. Kent.....	186 Pernam street.....	23	New fixtures.....	600
Kelley & Gaffey.....	608 Norfolk street.....	21	New fixtures.....	100
J. F. Murphy.....	206 Norfolk street.....	21	New fixtures.....	500
Robert Murray.....	35 Newton street.....	26	New fixtures.....	200
R. Hoffman.....	149 Millet street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,050
Albert E. Roberts.....	23 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	850
John J. Vogel.....	143 Blake street.....	24	New fixtures.....	410
Daniel J. McCluskey.....	278 Beech street.....	23	New fixtures.....	900
M. Pass & Co.....	115 Audubon road.....	8	New fixtures.....	13,500
Powers & Mehegan.....	1080 Adams street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
Powers & Mehegan.....	30 Stockton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,275
Edward J. Piotti.....	17 Boston street.....	11	New fixtures.....	100
Edward J. Piotti.....	21 Boston street.....	11	New fixtures.....	90
James J. McCarthy.....	1483 Columbus avenue.....	15	New fixtures.....	95
J. S. Cassedy.....	58 South Russell street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,100

JUNE 6.

Joseph Seigel.....	6 Braintree street.....	25	New fixtures.....	\$75
M. S. Pann & Co.....	326 Blue Hill avenue.....	18	New fixtures.....	400
M. S. Pann & Co.....	328 Blue Hill avenue.....	18	New fixtures.....	235
A. I. Russell.....	Rear of 14 Winship street.....	25	New fixtures.....	300
M. B. Gradone Company.....	172 Florence street.....	23	New fixtures.....	900
Jacob Pilvin.....	9 Holborn street.....	16	New fixtures.....	400
Walter P. Jones.....	41 Kimball street.....	18	New fixtures.....	200
M. H. Myers.....	57 Waltham street.....	6	New fixtures.....	700
Jacob Pilvin.....	57 Sherman street.....	16	New fixtures.....	125

JUNE 7.

D. B. Marston.....	2200 Washington street.....	12	New fixtures.....	\$565
J. A. Finley.....	1192 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	175
B. F. Godfrey.....	81 Sedgwick street.....	22	New fixtures.....	300
R. J. Rodday Company.....	114 Queensberry street.....	8	New fixtures.....	40
J. P. Shaughnessy.....	5 Park terrace.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
J. B. Curry.....	55 Murdock street.....	26	New fixtures.....	950
J. B. Curry.....	59 Murdock street.....	26	New fixtures.....	950
Edward O. Irving.....	40 Mather street.....	20	New fixtures.....	85
Napoleon Desmarais.....	15 Eastbourne street.....	23	New fixtures.....	300
John J. Payne.....	146 Chelsea street.....	4	New fixtures.....	300
P. R. Winters.....	471 Washington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	200
Thomas F. Riley.....	10 Becket street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,000
M. W. Palmer.....	61 Oakland street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
M. W. Palmer.....	63 Oakland street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
M. W. Palmer.....	65 Oakland street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800

JUNE 9.

Richard H. Doyle.....	33 Vine street.....	4	New fixtures.....	\$45
D. B. Donovan.....	2 Rollins place.....	8	New fixtures.....	800
S. J. Cort.....	451 Main street.....	4	New fixtures.....	800
S. J. Cort.....	457 Main street.....	4	New fixtures.....	800
S. J. Cort.....	459 Main street.....	4	New fixtures.....	1,400
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	7 Clarence street.....	12	New fixtures.....	650
P. H. McCormack.....	8 Cedar street.....	4	New fixtures.....	700
John E. Heath.....	105 Warren street.....	3	New fixtures.....	200
P. H. McCormack.....	22 Trenton street.....	3	New fixtures.....	350
P. H. McCormack.....	17 Ferrin street.....	4	New fixtures.....	150
George W. Rigby.....	218 West Sixth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	1,185
William N. McKenna.....	180 Tremont street.....	5	New fixtures.....	500
R. P. Slattery & Co.....	174 Harrison avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	50
R. J. Rodday Company.....	21 Harrison avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
Frank C. Lewis.....	23 Central street.....	5	New fixtures.....	750
Cox & Johnson.....	11 Avery street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,500
William N. McKenna.....	560 Atlantic avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	900
Benjamin R. Gillis.....	11 Dixfield street.....	20	New fixtures.....	175
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	4 Michigan avenue.....	19	New fixtures.....	287

JUNE 10.

George P. Sennott.....	89 Florence street.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$550
H. F. Fillebrown.....	31 Rockford street.....	12	New fixtures.....	50
J. A. Finley.....	137 Brighton avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	75
James A. Kent.....	5 Brookfield street.....	23	New fixtures.....	350
Edward Bevelander.....	20 Ashford street.....	25	New fixtures.....	390
John J. O'Toole.....	44A Edison green.....	11	New fixtures.....	325
Abraham Katz.....	9 Esmond street.....	19	New fixtures.....	4,000
Charles Rosenwald.....	53 Freeport street.....	20	New fixtures.....	100
Charles Rosenwald.....	55 Freeport street.....	20	New fixtures.....	100
Charles Rosenwald.....	57 Freeport street.....	20	New fixtures.....	100
Charles Rosenwald.....	59 Freeport street.....	20	New fixtures.....	100
Charles Rosenwald.....	61 Freeport street.....	20	New fixtures.....	100
Charles H. Hobson.....	100 Lanark road.....	25	New fixtures.....	3,000
Charles H. Hobson.....	110 Lanark road.....	25	New fixtures.....	3,000
J. A. Costello.....	147 Lexington street.....	1	New fixtures.....	250
Thomas W. Casserly.....	186 Magnolia street.....	17	New fixtures.....	150
O. J. Morlock.....	104 Maple street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
O. J. Morlock.....	49 Moraine street.....	22	New fixtures.....	500
Frederick Yeager.....	53 Newman street.....	11	New fixtures.....	500
Louis H. Jacobs.....	35 Oakview terrace.....	15	New fixtures.....	232
D. J. Furden.....	365 South Huntington ave.....	14	New fixtures.....	700

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Carlotta Blanford, 45 Lyndhurst street, Ward 19, one car.

L. C. Bowering, 41 Bexley road, Ward 23, one car.

Annie F. Craig, 9 Maple park, Ward 20, one car.

Mable J. Jewett, 187 Sycamore street, Ward 23, one car.

Estate of Walter V. Matthews, 18 King street, Ward 20, one car.

Angelo Pedrolis, 48 Shirley street, Ward 12, one car.

Edward F. Roach, 4 Darling street, Ward 21, one car.

Richard Zapff, 54 Birchwood street, Ward 23, one car.

Morris D. Bell, 425 Seaver street, Ward 19, two cars.

Hedwig Bohner, 31-37 Hawthorne street, Ward 15, three garages, two cars each.

Frank Bova, 145 Chiswick road, Ward 25, two cars.

James A. Burt, 36 Tremlett street, Ward 19, two cars.

Lillian Chase, 21 Brookledge street, Ward 16, two cars and 300 gallons gasoline.

John Connery *et al.*, 15 Archdale street, Ward 23, two cars.

Elvina Day, 62 Thetford avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

James W. Dudley *et al.*, 39 Glen road, Ward 22, two cars.

Florence Dwyer *et al.*, 22 Greenview avenue, Ward 22, two cars.

Louis Falcone, 72 Willowwood street, Ward 21, two cars.

Nathan Fishman, 11 Lorne street, Ward 21, two cars.

Mary E. Flynn, 41 Westbourne street, Ward 23, two cars.

Francis Friedman, 19 Brookledge street, Ward 16, two cars.

Frank Gellant, 10 Leroy street, Ward 18, two cars.

Lillian D. Gillson, 29 Vassar street, Ward 19, two cars.

Rebecca Gilman, 68 Lucerne street, Ward 21, two cars.

Rose Glashow, 23 Brookledge street, Ward 16, two cars.

Clara M. Gwynn, 577 South street, Ward 23, two cars.

Ellen Halloran, 55 Ottawa street, Ward 16, two cars.

Emma Harris, 131 Dunster road, Ward 22, two cars.

John J. Henderson, 311 Codman street, Ward 20, two cars.

Arthur T. Howard, 76 Falcon street, Ward 1, two cars.

George Johnson, 50 Carroll street, Ward 23, two cars.

P. M. Kendrick, 19 Vinson street, Ward 20, two cars.

George Kutzer, 45 Nightingale street, Ward 19, two cars.

J. E. Lyons, 38 Garfield avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

John McNiff, 19 Arden street, Ward 26, two cars.

Merryhert Ober, 15 Lorne street, Ward 21, two cars.

Mary H. O'Brien, 102 Wheatland avenue, Ward 19, two cars.

Carl H. Olson, 40 Mountain avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Christina Pottinger, 80 Stratford street, Ward 23, two cars.

George E. Rollock, 26 Neponset avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

Hyman Rosenfield, 1424 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Luigi Santora, 8 Chesterfield street, Ward 24, two cars.
 Sarah Scotch, 16 and 18 Wilcock street, Ward 21, two cars.
 Lillian A. Siegal, 400 Norfolk street, Ward 21, two cars.
 Jacob Silevsky, 74 Lucerne street, Ward 21, two cars.
 Adelaide Stevens *et al.*, 8 and 10 Westville road, Ward 18, two cars.
 Thomas Troy *et al.*, 249 Market street, Ward 26, two cars.
 Wilhemina M. P. Wallace, 4 Buena Vista street, Ward 16, two cars.
 Goldie R. Webb, 70 Howland street, Ward 16, two cars.
 Jacob Berson, 11 Greendale road, Ward 21, three cars.
 Mary J. Cardoza, 191 Falcon street, Ward 1, three cars.
 B. E. Christianson, 106 Dakota street, Ward 18, group garage, three units.
 Flora A. Freeman, 49 Humphreys street, Ward 11, two units, three cars each.

Stephen Gabrofsky *et al.*, 55 Thetford avenue, Ward 21, group garage, three units, three cars.

M. T. McGovern, 529 Washington street, Ward 19, three cars.

Mary A. McLean, Jamaicaaway, Ward 22, three cars, and 500 gallons gasoline.

Rubina M. Needham, 25 Sheridan street, Ward 15, three cars.

K. W. Pearlman, 124 Bynner street, Ward 14, group garage, three units, three cars.

Curtis & Pope Lumber Company, 783 Massachusetts avenue, Ward 12, four cars.
 Fred Arata, 1867 Commonwealth avenue, Ward 25, group garage, four units, four cars.

Helen L. Dickinson *et al.*, 128 Train street, Ward 20, four-car unit garage.

Andrew Strekas *et al.*, 54 and 56 Fuller street, Ward 21, group garage, four units, four cars.

William H. Wilson, 330 Newbury street, Ward 8, business garage.

Mary A. Scott, 1 and 3 Emery road, Ward 25, repair shop addition and 500 gallons gasoline.

Thompson & Norris Company, 119 Braintree street, Ward 25, 500 gallons gasoline.

Lincolnshire Realty Company, 12-20 Charles street, Ward 8, 5,000 gallons fuel oil.

Acme Ventilating Corporation, Linden Park street, etc., Ward 13, acetylene and oxygen, 1,000 gallons.

LOCATION OF STREETS.

The Mayor has approved the following order of the Board of Street Commissioners:

That the locations, directions, widths and grades of the private ways, in the West Roxbury district, designated as follows:

Alpheus road, from Beech street to Bates street;

Bates street, westerly from Beech street and thence southerly;

Mansfield street, from Alpheus road to Jeffers street;

Weeks avenue, from Alpheus road to Mansfield street;

Jeffers street, from Alpheus road to Bates street;

Beech street, southeasterly from Poplar street and thence southwesterly;

Glendower street, southeasterly from Poplar street;

as shown on plans approved in writing by this Board and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 5 TO JUNE 11.

JUNE 11.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. I. Russell.....	71 Henshaw street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$150
David B. Maister.....	161 A street.....	9	New fixtures.....	100
Henry H. Pickernell.....	29 Albano street.....	23	New fixtures.....	150
John J. Vogel.....	136 Arborway.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,825
Harry F. Nation.....	12 Canterbury street.....	21	New fixtures.....	5,000
John F. Stanley.....	785 Columbia road.....	11	New fixtures.....	2,300
Abraham Katz.....	2021 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	2,500
A. J. Cooper & Son Company.....	33 Glenarm street.....	19	New fixtures.....	900
H. Weiss.....	145 Harrison avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	65
Thomas W. Casserly.....	186 Heath street.....	14	New fixtures.....	300
J. P. Perry & Co., Inc.....	144 High street.....	5	New fixtures.....	500
W. J. Cook Company.....	269 K street.....	10	New fixtures.....	650
Austin Avey.....	123 N street.....	10	New fixtures.....	200
James H. Boyd.....	6 Notre Dame street.....	15	New fixtures.....	293
E. M. Duggan.....	13 Oregon street.....	14	New fixtures.....	200
John J. Vogel.....	21 Pierpont road.....	23	New fixtures.....	885
Harry F. Nation.....	75 Poplar street.....	5	New fixtures.....	300
J. P. Tancred.....	712 Shawmut avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	50
L. W. Pohl.....	11 South Russell street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,200
F. D. Carr.....	615 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,000
Edward E. Berry.....	27 Weston street.....	24	New fixtures.....	160
John A. Wolson.....	13 Wormwood street.....	9	New fixtures.....	900
John J. Vogel.....	30 Iona street.....	23	New fixtures.....	850
L. W. Blakney.....	168 Stratford street.....	23	New fixtures.....	800
Louis Monto.....	434 Bunker Hill street.....	3	New fixtures.....	200
John J. Hogan.....	5 Dixfield street.....	10	New fixtures.....	400
Jacob Pilvin.....	223 Harvard avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	200
Rudolph O. Mahr.....	29 Round Hill street.....	14	New fixtures.....	300

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 5 TO JUNE 9.

JUNE 5.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
William F. McDonough.....	62 Egremont road.....	25	First-class garage.....	\$100,000
R. Frichione.....	Rear of 253 Quincy street.....	18	First-class garage.....	1,000
Nathan Bornstein.....	Rear of 55 Wilcock street.....	21	First-class garage.....	1,000
Nathan Bornstein.....	Rear of 59 Wilcock street.....	21	First-class garage.....	1,000
J. W. Roche.....	Rear of 89 Perthshire road.....	26	First-class garage.....	1,000
Anna E. Wilson.....	698 East Sixth street.....	10	Second-class garage.....	2,000
John Lucas.....	Rear of 3 Bishop street.....	22	Second-class garage.....	900
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, Stephen Bulco, lessee.....	155 Southampton street.....	12	Special store.....	300
Harvard College.....	99 North Harvard street.....	26	Special reviewing stand.....	1,000
Archibald Anstey.....	116 Kenrick street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Hanson Condon.....	119 Franklin street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	475
Jacob Stone.....	64 Leverett street.....	5	Alterations, storage.....	400
Mente & Co.....	386 West First street.....	9	Alterations, storage.....	2,500
John W. Suter.....	773-785 South street.....	23	Alterations, stores.....	600
M. V. Marshall.....	15 Holiday street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
Arnold Bornstein.....	86 Dover street.....	6	Alterations, dwelling and store.....	400
A. Leuthy.....	41 Cliffmont street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
Cohen & Wolbarslet.....	6 Geneva avenue.....	18	Alterations, garage.....	5,000
David Cohen.....	30 Brookview street.....	21	Alterations, garage.....	100
Union Realty Trust.....	20 Linden street.....	25	Alterations, manufacturing and storage.....	2,000
Katherine F. Linnon.....	11 Spring Park avenue.....	23	Alterations, tenements.....	1,600
Stephen Truskevich.....	6-10 Victory road.....	20	Take-down, stable.....	50
D. Pearlstein.....	Rear of 56 Gardner street.....	25	Take-down, stable.....	15
American Building Wrecking Company.....	15-23 Kneeland street.....	5	Take-down, store and dwelling.....	250
American Building Wrecking Company.....	3-6 Whitmore street.....	5	Take down, four dwellings.....	400
Aetna Building Wrecking Company.....	220 Freeport street.....	20	Take-down, stable.....	150

JUNE 6.

Catherine Lennon.....	Rear of 11 Spring Park avenue.....	22	First-class garage.....	\$1,750
John Soretta.....	Rear of 16 Holden street.....	11	First-class garage.....	600
Angelina and Ralph Munchiello.....	Rear of 24 Burrell street.....	12	First-class garage.....	2,400
W. O. Smith.....	Rear of 32 Bayard street.....	26	First-class garage.....	900
Frank F. Powell.....	Rear of 63 Armandine street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,200
Julia Prainaitis.....	Rear of 75 Evans street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	625
Jerome J. Russo.....	164 Florence street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Hayward Realty Trust.....	2 Hayward place.....	2	Alterations, offices and store.....	300
Massachusetts General Hospital.....	249-321 Charles street.....	5	Alterations, hospital.....	200,000
S. D'Allessandro.....	44 North Bennet street.....	5	Alterations, store and tenement.....	5,000
P. Larkin.....	47 Turner street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	100
H. E. Lodge.....	163 Blackstone street.....	5	Install elevator.....	1,400
W. J. Sullivan.....	335 Washington street.....	5	Install dumbwaiter.....	150

JUNE 7.

John T. Kane.....	Rear of 115 H street.....	10	First-class garage.....	\$600
Jacob Sanaf.....	Rear of 192 Neponset ave.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
Kenneth E. Roeder.....	Rear of 73 Chestnut Hill ave.....	25	Third-class garage.....	600
Robert J. Matthews.....	Rear of 20 Chapin avenue.....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Michael R. Kinella.....	Rear of 70 Riverview road.....	26	Special garage.....	600
Andrew H. Strellis <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 16 Linwood square.....	15	Special garage.....	600
Peabody Building Trust.....	247 and 249 Berkeley street.....	8	Alterations, stores and offices.....	45,000

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 5 TO JUNE 9.

JUNE 7.—*Continued.*

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Elesio Martino.....	40 London street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
M. Cohen.....	2 Batavia street.....	7	Alterations, dwelling and store,	7,000
Vina B. Wood.....	31 Saxton street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	240
Charles & Arthur Adams.....	10 Province court.....	5	Alterations, manufacturing...	657
Samuel Topaz.....	16 Poplar street.....	5	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Nicola Nazzano.....	212 East Eagle street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling and store,	2,000
Nicola Nazzano.....	210 East Eagle street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling and store,	2,000
M. Martineaux <i>et al.</i>	150 and 152 West Newton street.	7	Erect fire escape.....	300
I. N. Learned <i>et al.</i>	132 and 134 West Newton street.	7	Erect fire escape.....	250
I. N. Learned.....	128 and 130 West Newton street.	7	Erect fire escape.....	250
Mrs. Evans <i>et al.</i>	4-6 Wellington street.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	200
Margaret Richardson.....	23 Rutland square.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	150

JUNE 9.

Joseph Silk.....	Rear of 168 Humboldt ave.,	16	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Joseph B. Grossman.....	113-117 King street.....	20	Second-class stores.....	10,000
Esther A. Wetmore.....	135 Bellevue street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Jordan Marsh Company.....	432-472 Washington street..	5	Alterations, department store	3,000
Simon Weiner.....	282-290 Blue Hill avenue..	17	Take-down, store and tenements.	100

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending June 7:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Stephen Trussenick.....	6-10 Victory road.....	20	Stable.	
D. Pearlstein.....	Rear of 56 Gardner street...	25	Stable.....	New building.
American Building Wrecking Company.	15-23 Kneeland street and 3, 4, 5, 6 Whitmore street...	5	Stores and lodgings.	New building.
Aetna Building Wrecking Company.	220 Freeport street.....	20	Stable.....	Unsafe.
Simons & Weiner.....	282-290 Blue Hill avenue..	17	Stores and tenements.	New building.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending June 7, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 168; nonresidents, 35; total, 203.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.22; corresponding week last year, 15.77.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 21; one year to five years, inclusive, 10; sixty years and over, 76; total deaths, male, 110; female, 93; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 106; deaths of colored, 11.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 7, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 9, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	52	—	58	7
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	1	—
Influenza.....	3	—	—	—
Measles.....	165	2	203	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	1	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	31	8	14	4
Scarlet fever.....	86	—	98	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	44	14	49	19
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	7	1	3	1
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	3	—
Whooping cough.....	7	—	25	1

* Residents and non-residents included.

MAYOR CURLEY PAYS TRIBUTE TO BOSTON UNIVERSITY.

Mayor Curley, picturing the qualities of independent leadership possessed by New Englanders, boasted to the representatives of the American Bond and Mortgage Company at the Copley-Plaza that this section of the country has given the United States "one of our most prominent citizens as President," adding that few typify the Puritan so well as Calvin Coolidge.

"I might amplify that if I were of another political party," said the Mayor, "but being of a different party I can not honestly go further."

Mr. Curley, claiming the educational supremacy of New England, declared that Boston's greatest boast, rather than the fame of Harvard and Technology so near her, is Boston University with its record total of 11,000 students, and the Suffolk Law School with its phenomenal membership.

Among other things Mr. Curley pointed out that the city expects to possess, without indebtedness, in ten years, about \$70,000,000 worth of school property, and also that the Health Department expects to restrict the deaths from tuberculosis this year far below 600, in contrast with the total of 1,160 a decade ago.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 549.

Section 27 of Rule 27 of the Rules and Regulations of the Police Department, relating to "patrolmen," is hereby amended by striking out the whole of said section and inserting in place thereof the following new section which shall be known as Section 27:

27. When an officer discovers that a murder, burglary, highway robbery, automobile theft or other serious offence has been committed and the person committing the offence has escaped, he shall immediately telephone from the nearest signal box full particulars of the crime, with a description if possible, of the perpetrator. The officer in charge of the station shall at once inform headquarters and shall then notify his men when they signal for orders and at roll calls, the details of the crime reported, with the description, if any, of the perpetrator of the same. Numbers of stolen automobiles given at this or any other time shall be written by patrolmen on the memorandum pads of their pocket manuals. Immediate apprehension of persons committing crime and speedy recovery of stolen automobiles are expected as a demonstration of efficiency on the part of the Police Department.

The officer in command at headquarters shall forthwith inform all divisions of the crimes reported to him with details of the crimes reported and descriptions, if any, of the perpetrators of the same, and the officers in charge of divisions shall communicate such information received, to their men as they signal for orders and at roll calls.

Particular attention shall be given to watching streets and railroads leading from the city proper, and, if necessary, officers shall be specially detailed to cover any points which a criminal might be likely to pass in trying to escape.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Joseph Rago has been allowed to amend his contract for erecting and completing (all trades) addition to Thomas Gardner Elementary School, Broadway and Athol streets, Allston, by adding after the word "begun" in the fifth last line on page 12, Section 1, under the sub-head "Certificates for Payments," the following: "Provided, however, that the Schoolhouse Commission may at any time before the completion of this contract or any addition thereto, authorize the entire payment for the value of all work done, not already paid for, and may order the payment of the whole or any part of the 10 per cent unpaid for work already done, where a certificate has been given by the architect."

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON
AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL
OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen, in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of

removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being abolished. For these was substituted a single City Council of nine members to be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, *i. e.*, whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, *i. e.*, establishing a single term of four years, but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL
PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (*i. e.*, the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for

prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor which licensees claimed the right to sell was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on June 7, 1920. The result of this decision was that former applicants for liquor licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (*i. e.*, prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topeka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 26 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, *i. e.*, adjacent to Boston, are these, *viz.*, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and 45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has 44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water District, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, *viz.*,

the Fire Prevention District, was organized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston," but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates, the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or \$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921, and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$846,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products; (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

On February 1, 1923, total number of volumes 1,284,094, or 958,931 in Central Library and 325,163 in 17 branches and 14 reading-rooms, a net increase of 25,883 volumes since the previous year. Statistical Department, about 24,000 volumes; Patent Department, 16,293 volumes. Special Collections (rare) about 65,000 volumes. The Fine Arts Department has a collection of 66,671 photographs of works of art and 9,736 lantern slides. It circulates yearly over 22,000 volumes and 2,000 portfolios of pictures. Reading-rooms (*i. e.*, minor branches), 14, besides those in the 18 libraries, and each of them is also a delivery station. Periodicals and newspapers in various reading-rooms, 3,059. Number of books circulated in 1922, 2,768,984, of which 44 per cent were for children. Number of borrowers' cards in use, 114,340.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$723,197 or \$11,695 less than in 1921. Expenditure for Central Library extension, \$328,140; for new West Roxbury Branch building, \$64,902, and site, \$6,500. Valuation of library property, \$7,000,000 approximately. Central Library building on Copley square costing \$2,756,384, opened on March 11, 1895.

STATE OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES.

Total number (receiving pay) on Nov. 30, 1921, 11,269 or 676 more than in 1920 and 2,301 more than in 1918. Total amount of salaries paid in year to Nov. 30, 1921, \$15,223,171 or \$1,794,700 more than in 1920 and \$5,250,683 more than in 1918, an increase of 52.65 per cent from 1918 to 1921. Dept. of Mental Diseases, maintaining 14 hospitals, etc., has largest number (3,563); (2) Dept. of Education, maintaining 15 normal schools, etc. (1,330); (3) Metropolitan District Commission (1,183); (4) Dept. of Public Welfare (980); (5) Dept. of Public Works (771); (6) Dept. of Public Health (689); (7) Dept. of Correction (514); (8) Dept. of Corporations and Taxation (332); (9) Dept. of Banking and Insurance (204); (10) Dept. of Conservation (182); (11) Dept. of Public Safety (174); (12) Dept. of Labor and Industries (162); total in said 12 departments, 10,084; all others, 1,185.

CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES.

Total number (receiving pay) on June 1, 1921, 16,256 (about 5,300 being women), or 482 more than in 1920, of which increase 63.5 per cent was in two departments not under control of Mayor, *viz.*, Police Dept. and School Committee. Largest number in School Dept. (4,805); (2) Public Works Dept. (3,189); (3) Police Dept. (2,036); (4) Fire Dept. (1,373); (5) Hospital Dept. (875); (6) Park Dept. (844); (7) County of Suffolk (763); (8) Library Dept. (599); (9) Boston Sanatorium (242); (10) Institutions Dept. (240); 29 other departments (1,290). Notable changes since 1920:—Increase of 190 in Dept. of School Committee; 116 in Police Dept.; 12 in Public Works Dept.; 77 in Hospital Dept.; 22 in Boston Sanatorium; 37 in Library Dept.; 6 in Transit Dept.; 8 in Election Dept.; 15 in Institutions Dept.; 14 in Overseeing of Public Welfare Dept. Decrease of 16 in Assessing Dept.; 7 in Printing Dept.; 7 in Street Laying-Out Dept. Total increase 1920 to 1921, 525; total decrease, 43. Total net increase in 5 years, 1916-1921, 1,312, of which 396 were in departments under Mayor's control and 916 in departments of School Committee and Police.

Total pay-roll disbursements in fiscal year 1921-22, \$27,361,735 or 75.84 per cent of gross expenditures for maintenance of departments (after deducting pay-roll items of loan appropriations). Per cent of salaries and pensions to total maintenance cost in Police Dept. in 1921 was 87.42; Fire Dept., 82.72; Park Dept., 72.12; Dept. of School Committee, 88.30; Public Works Dept., 55.67; Hospital Dept., 48.10; Institutions Dept., 50.03. In addition to those mentioned above there were 76 officials who served on various municipal boards and commissions without pay.

Total paid for pensions to retired employees, etc., in year 1921-22, was \$743,323 (\$44,760 more than in 1920-21) or \$234,636 by Fire Dept.; \$195,740 by Police Dept.; \$142,040 by School Committee; \$111,679 by Public Works Dept.; \$31,297 by Suffolk County; \$27,931 by other departments. Total number of pensioners, Sept. 1, 1922, 1,305, divided as follows: Teachers, 353; firemen, 314; police, 261; laborers, 236; war veterans, 98; county officers, 43. Of the laborers 198 were from the Public Works Dept. and 38 from the Park and several other departments.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending May 31, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924,
776,783, United States Census estimate.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 160; nonresidents, 37; total,
197.
Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 13.22; nonresidents deducted,
10.74.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 13.63; corresponding week
last year, 13.07.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under
one year, 25; one year to five years, in-
clusive, 12; sixty years and over, 65;
total deaths, male, 104; female, 93;
deaths in hospitals and institutions, 106;
deaths of colored, 9.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 31, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 26, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	47	1	74	4
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	2	1
Influenza.....	2	1	—	1
Measles.....	117	—	270	2
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	1	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	19	6	14	4
Scarlet fever.....	73	1	117	9
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	31	13	38	9
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	14	2	10	2
Typhoid fever.....	2	1	4	—
Whooping cough.....	16	—	25	2

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE
EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

NURSERY INSPECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE, DIVISION OF PLANT
PEST CONTROL, JUNE 18, 1924.

The salary of this position is \$5 per day. The duties of this position are to inspect growing nursery stock, and importations of stock from other states and abroad. The inspector should have training in economic entomology and should be able to identify and name the common insect pests; be able to recommend control measures; should be familiar with spraying and fumigation; identify the common trees and shrubs; identify the diseases that are likely to be found on fruit and shade trees and recommend measures for controlling them, and be able to identify and recommend control measures for garden as well as greenhouse pests.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, the oral interview and in general average, in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

POLICE SERVICE (MALE) CITIES AND
TOWNS OUTSIDE OF BOSTON AND
METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, JUNE 21,
1924. BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN
DISTRICT, JUNE 28, 1924.

Applicants for the police service of Boston and Metropolitan Park are required to be not less than twenty five nor over thirty five years of age at the time of filing their applications and must be

not less than 5 feet 8 inches in height in bare feet, and weigh not less than 135 pounds without clothing.

Applicants for Metropolitan Park police service must be able to swim and will be given practical tests in swimming.

Applicants for service in the cities and towns outside of Boston are required to be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height, not less than 135 pounds without clothing, and not less than twenty one nor over forty years of age at the time of filling applications, except in those cities which have provided for the retirement of police officers by pension under statute, in which cases applicants shall be not less than 21 nor over 35 years of age.

The subjects of examination with their weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; report, 1; practical questions 4; total, 10. Applicants must obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions in order to become eligible. Successful applicants will also be required to pass a physical examination and strength tests. Educational qualifications, 1; physical qualifications, 1; total, 2.

The practical questions will be based upon information contained in a manual, known as the "Blue Book." This manual may be obtained from the Secretary of State, Room 118, State House, at ten cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Persons who possess the requisite qualifications as to age, height, and weight may have their names placed on any three eligible lists in addition to the original list for which they apply. Preference in certification will be given to applicants who, at the time of certification, have been domiciled for six months in the city or town from which requisition is received.

ASSESSED VALUATION OF REAL
ESTATE PER CAPITA IN LEADING
CITIES.

Boston, \$1,765; Detroit, \$1,708.70; San Francisco, \$1,561.90; New York, \$1,534.60; Pittsburgh, \$1,384.13; Buffalo, \$1,181.40; Philadelphia, \$990.84; St. Louis, \$990.71; Baltimore, \$779.40.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY
COUNCIL.

Monday, May 26, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, President DONOGHUE presiding and all the members present.

APPOINTMENT OF CONSTABLE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 26, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Joseph Frank, 160 Stanwood street, Roxbury, to the position of Constable of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Laid over under the law.

APPOINTMENT OF WEIGHERS OF COAL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 26, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body I appoint Irene L. Mitchell, 16 Neponset avenue, Hyde Park, and J. Arthur Spencer, 20 Rockview road, Milton, Weighers of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Laid over under the law.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Laying-Out Department that petitions for storage and sale of gasoline will be heard on Monday, June 2.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Frances M. Belmarsh, for compensation for damage to automobile at East Boston Ferry.

Rocco Brindise, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at corner of Blackstone and Cross streets.

Charles Bullard, for compensation for damage to clothing, caused by paint on hydrant in front of Codman Square Theater.

Bartholomew F. Costello, for compensation for damage to automobile on Joy street, caused by auto patrol.

Dana Estes Real Estate Trust, for compensation for expenses incurred in connection with stoppage of sewer in Estes place.

Michael DelloRusso, for refund on unused soft drinks license.

Catherine Doherty, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Shawmut avenue.

Helen Stevens Francis, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at corner of Washington and Franklin streets.

Ruby S. Gyger, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Tremont street.

Elizabeth A. Harron, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Gladstone street.

Benjamin Krzeminiski, for compensation for damage to automobile on Washington street, caused by city truck.

S. Richmond, for compensation for damage to property at 271 Humboldt avenue, caused by ash team.

Wing Sing, for compensation for window broken at 262 Dudley street by city team.

Executive.

Petition of Royal B. Farnum for children to appear at Copley Theater June 4 and 6, 1924.

Petition of Annette E. Cooper for children to appear at Huntington Chambers Hall, June 2, 1924.

Jitneys.

Petition of Conway Tours, Inc., for license to operate jitneys from Boston to Providence.

TAKING OF PROPERTIES IN HYDE PARK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Transit Department, May 23, 1924.
Hon. James Donovan,
City Clerk,

Dear Sir,—I am forwarding with this note plan of taking by the Transit Department, in the name and behalf of the City of Boston, of properties located in Hyde Park district of Boston, under chapter 405 of the Acts of 1923.

Yours very truly,

T. F. SULLIVAN, Chairman.

Placed on file.

STREET TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
In Board of Street Commissioners,
May 20, 1924.

Voted, That section 1, Article 5, of the Street Traffic Regulations be and the same, hereby is amended, by adding at the end of said section the following new paragraphs:

On Union street, from North street to Haymarket square, drivers of vehicles shall not stand the same on Saturdays, between 3 o'clock p. m. and 10 o'clock p. m., unless said vehicles are placed at an angle of forty-five degrees with the roadway with the rear right wheel to the curb, and vehicles so parked may stand without time limit between said hours.

On Stuart street, southerly side from Washington street to Warrenton streets, drivers of vehicles shall not stand the same between 7 o'clock p. m. and 12 o'clock midnight, unless said vehicles are placed at an angle of forty-five degrees with the roadway with the rear right wheel to the curb, and vehicles so parked may stand without time limit between said hours.

JOHN H. L. NOYES,
JOHN J. O'CALLAGHAN,
CHARLES T. HARDING,
Street Commissioners.

A true copy:
Attest:

JOSEPH P. SULLIVAN, Secretary.

Placed on file.

CARS IN PEABODY SQUARE.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities inclosing copy of order of the commission disapproving petition of City Council for approval of regulation relative to standing and stopping of street railway cars in Peabody square in the Dorchester district.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Commissioners of Civil Service approving appointment of James J. Mahar as Schoolhouse Commissioner.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF INSPECTOR.

Notice was received from the Health Department of appointment of Thomas J. Curry as inspector in the Sanitary Division, effective April 25, 1924.

Placed on file.

CONTABLES' BONDS.

Notice was received that constables' bonds of Joseph W. Bennett, Paul V. DiCicco, Saverios Didonato, Louis Goldberg, Bernard H. Magee and Henry J. D. Small had been approved by the City Treasurer.

The bonds were approved.

BAXTER BEQUEST.

A communication was received from the Mayor transmitting a copy of the will of James Phinney Baxter.

Placed on file.

PAY ROLL OF REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

Pay roll of employees of the Registry of Deeds, County of Suffolk, was submitted by William T. A. Fitzgerald, Register, stating that work had been performed to the amount of \$10,974.60.

Approved.

MINORS' LICENSES.

President DONOGHUE submitted petitions for licenses for twenty-eight newsboys and twenty-two vendors. Approved on the usual conditions.

NAMING OF ALLEN BEST SQUARE.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the open space at the junction of Walk Hill street and Blue Hill avenue be named and hereafter known as Allen Best square, in honor of Allen Best who was killed in action in the service of the United States in the World War.

Passed.

NAMING OF GERALD J. JOHNSON SQUARE.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the open space at the junction of Blue Hill avenue and Babson street be named and hereafter known as Gerald J. Johnson square, in honor of Gerald J. Johnson who lost his life in the service of the United States in the World War.

Passed.

LAYING OUT OF PUBLIC STREETS.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:

That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested to accept and lay out as a public street Florence avenue, Ward 2, between Commonwealth avenue and Allston street.

Passed.

That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested to accept and lay out as a public street Maple avenue, from Murdock street to Duston street.

Passed.

SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along both sides of Haskell street, from Hooker street to Coolidge road, Ward 26, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Rules suspended; order passed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Coun. GILBODY called up Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 on the calendar, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor May 19, 1924, viz.:

1. John J. Buckley, to be a Constable.
2. Thomas J. Drummond, to be a Weigher of Coal.
3. Albert F. Wilkins, to be a Weigher of Beef.

4. Francis A. Trayers and Bernard McArdle, to be Weighers of Goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Gilbody and Purcell. Whole number of ballots cast 7, yeas 6, nays 1, and the appointments were confirmed.

Coun. GILBODY called up No. 5 on the calendar, viz.:

5. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, \$2,500, to the appropriation for Police Station 2, Building, \$5,000.

On May 12, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its second and final reading and passage, yeas 9, nays 0.

Coun. MORIARTY called up Nos. 6 to 13, inclusive, on the calendar, viz.:

6. Ordered, That the sum of \$7,500 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioners for playground, Mattapan, and that the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On May 12, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

7. Ordered, That the sum of \$65,250 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Park Commission for the establishment of a neighborhood playground at Bolton and West Third streets, South Boston district, and that the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from

time to time, upon the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness to said amount.

On May 12, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

8. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$112, a parcel of land on Wade street, Brighton district, containing 247.5 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On May 12, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

9. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$600, a parcel of land on Berry street, West Roxbury, southwest corner of Manning streets, containing 5,262 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On May 12, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

10. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city to sell by public auction at an upset price of \$37,300, a parcel of land and buildings located thereon at Commercial, Battery and Salutation streets, formerly occupied for police station purposes and containing 5,323 square feet of land, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On May 12, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

11. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$800, a parcel of land on Seaver street, near Harold street, Roxbury district, containing 1,643 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On May 12, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

12. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$13,000, a parcel of land on Alford street, Charlestown district, containing 67,671 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On May 12, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

13. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction at an upset price of \$150,000, the property numbered 41-45 Arch street, city proper, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On May 12, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The orders were given their second and final reading and passage, yeas 9, nays 0.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Chair declared a recess at 2.16 p. m. The members of the Council reassembled in the Council Chamber at 2.41 p. m. and were called to order by the President.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, offered the following:

1. Reports on petitions for children to appear, viz.:

Petition of Royal B. Farnum, Copley Theater, June 4 and 6, 1924.

Petition of Annette E. Cooper, Huntington Chambers Hall, June 2, 1924.

Report accepted; permits granted on usual conditions.

OPPOSITION TO PROPOSED NEW CHARTER.

Coun. GILBODY in the chair.

Coun. DONOGHUE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Excellency the Governor be requested to veto any legislation passed by the Legislature which deprives the citizens of Boston of the rights of self-government and home rule.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I ask a suspension of the rule so that the order may go on its passage at this time. I have introduced the order at this time for the reason

that I feel that his Excellency the Governor before he is a party man is first a Bostonian. I feel that the Legislature on Beacon Hill is passing the most pernicious legislation that has ever been foisted on the people of our city during the closing days of this legislative session. We pick up the papers every day and find that they are reaching more and more, deeper and deeper, into the affairs of our city, legislators who happen to come from rural communities, in small outlying sections of the state. For instance, I find that two of the illustrious senators who took issue with a few of my remarks a few weeks ago are, one, the chairman of the Committee on Cities, Senator Haigis, who comes from Greenfield, with a population of about 15,000, and Senator Moran, who comes from Mansfield, with a population of 5,000. I might refer to them, coming from Mansfield and Greenfield, as a couple of "field" mice. They don't know what it is all about, and yet they are attempting to legislate for a city of over 750,000 inhabitants. I get the term "hayshaker" from Haigis, from the "green fields." In fact, I would like to suggest to his Honor the Mayor that he set aside a part of Franklin Park where the sheep graze, putting a lot of arrows on the way out so that these men can find their way, where they can go out and munch their noonday meal on the benches, enjoying home conditions. So far as their attempting to legislate for Boston is concerned, it is high time that we retaliated. I feel that if we refused to pay any state assessments or pay any county appropriations for others than those who live in our city or in Suffolk County, we would soon get action and relief from these people in the Legislature who are attempting to legislate for us. We are intelligent enough, have an intelligence far beyond theirs, in my opinion, to legislate for our people. Now, not content with changing the charter, they do so without even giving the citizens of Boston the right to say whether or not we should retain our present system of government. They do not even allow the submission of a question on the ballot which will allow us to decide whether we shall retain the present system or shall have another; but, ignoring the present system entirely, they propose to simply allow us to decide whether we shall have a borough system or a system under which the Council shall be elected one from each ward to represent the citizens here. I say that they should at least have given the citizens of Boston the right to say whether or not the present form of government, the present method of electing councilors, should be continued. That, it seems to me, is only a fair proposition. Then they even reach in here and say at what hours we shall open our polls, that we shall open at six o'clock in the morning and close at four o'clock in the afternoon. What business is it of theirs what time we close the polls here in Boston? They have been trying on Beacon Hill for years to get the people out to vote, and now these progressive leaders, in spite of that attempt, are trying to foist this system on the people of our city. If they are going to limit the opening of the poles to ten hours, they might have the hours from ten in the forenoon until eight in the evening, so that those of us who have to work for a living might have an opportunity to vote after we got home from work. But they want to inconvenience democratic Boston, and I feel that they have gone altogether too far. The only solution of the problem, in my opinion, is to have his Honor the Mayor refuse to pay any assessments, refuse to pay any state tax, refuse to pay anything that they ask for, until some recognition is given to Boston, not paying a single nickel that we do not have to pay until such time as they legislate fairly on Beacon Hill for our city. I hope the order will pass.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, it is unfortunate that I have not got a clipping of the article I got this morning from a very eminent lady in the Commonwealth, a resident of Boston, Alice Stone Blackwell, who I think has presented to the Governor in her letter as strong an argument as we could make to have him veto the proposed charter act. She said, very properly, as every intelligent and fair-minded man and woman would say, that before they attempt to change the charter with reference to election of councilors, they should permit the City of Boston to draw the ward lines. I don't know as I can say much more concerning the matter. I think the proposed legislation is a very, very vicious piece of legislation. I think the state representatives of the Republican organization feel in their heart that it is pernicious and dangerous, but it has got beyond them. I am satisfied that Beacon Hill intends to harass and undermine the Democratic Party in Boston as far as it can do so, in every particular. I haven't anything to say further concerning that, except

that they are handling something they know nothing about. They are looking at the matter from one point of view only, and that is to please an element in Boston which desires to send members to this body who will control the body. I will have served in this body for twelve years at the end of my term, and I want to say that I have been just as free as any man in public life could be. I have not been controlled or intimidated by any cliques or influences. I have voted on the matters which have come before us on their merits, from start to finish, on all measures. The fact even that Ward 8 has not given me many votes on election day has not influenced me to vote against proper improvements in that ward. I have not at any time been influenced against such improvements, when I thought they were desirable, by the fact that the voters of the ward have not been strongly for me, but have acted solely with regard to the merits of the propositions that have come before us. I have not permitted my feelings to run away with me, as has been the case with members of the Legislature on this particular matter. I am satisfied that before many years have passed, if this act goes into effect, the Republican Party in Boston and the few Democrats who have been working hand in hand with them will regret the passage of either of these proposed methods of electing councilors for the City of Boston. I have some harsh things in mind that I might say, but I realize it would be like throwing water on a duck's back. They have made up their minds on the hill, and they are going through with the plan, and we are simply wasting our time when we set up a protest. They have said that the people of Boston shall not have an opportunity by referendum to decide whether or not they wish a change from the present system. They are submitting two plans upon which the people can vote. If they accept the borough system the Republican Party will have control of the legislative branch of the City of Boston. But that plan will never be accepted. There will be a body of twenty-six councilors in this chamber, elected by the people, one from each individual ward, and there will be a Democratic majority. Under the borough system, of course, if that were accepted, there would be a Republican majority, but what we will see will be a body of twenty-six members, one from each ward, and it will be a Democratic body. Certainly the standard of the City Council will not be improved one iota. If the standard of the Council is not high, or is not as high as the press or some others would like to have it, the fault lies in just one place, and that is with the voters. The voters of Boston are entitled to just the kind of government they vote for,—good, bad or indifferent. If it is desirable to have big business men in the City Council, and they are not there, it is the fault of those men themselves and of the voters. If such men want the position, why don't they become candidates for office and come here, giving, if elected, their service as we are giving ours? Each member here sacrifices just as much as a business man would by sitting in this body. It is no sinecure; it is a hard position to fill. We are at everybody's beck and call, and refusing none. A man who comes to me or any other member for assistance does not have to secure the help of any outside politician in order to get our assistance. I know that is so with me, and I am sure it is the same with other members. As I have said, my terms of service in this body will total twelve years. I have seen one or two big business men here, and they have fallen down terribly. I saw one man, sat here with him for one term, James J. Storrow, a gentleman high in the financial world and a man of presumed unblemished character in the business and political world. He sat here for three years, gave his services, and rendered no different service, as far as I can see, from what other members rendered, and at the end of his three years' term he decided that he could not make further sacrifices and be a candidate again. So, as I say, if the caliber and standard of the men here is not what some of the highbrows and others would like, the fault is not with those here but with the electorate. They are the ones who should bear the blame if we are not doing the right thing—and I claim that we are. There is not a man in Boston, who is fair-minded, who can point to a more efficient legislative body than has sat in this chamber since Boston became a city than has sat here under the present charter, and I offer no apologies for myself or for my colleagues. In conclusion, I desire to refer respectfully to Senator Moran, from Attleboro, I believe—

Coun. DONOGHUE—From Mansfield.

Coun. WATSON—From Mansfield—who says he would rather be a hay shaker than a dough chaser. My final word regarding him is that

perhaps he and others can be classed in a dual capacity, both as hay shakers and dough chasers.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I am very, very heartily in accord with what our President and Coun. Watson have said in this matter regarding the proposed change of the City Council. But I cannot for the life of me see where we are going to get any redress from the Governor's office, through the Mayor of the City of Boston. We all know—it is a matter of public record—that the man behind this bill is a man who has the key to the Mayor's office at any time he wants to go in there, and that gentleman, Mr. Innes, will tell the Governor to sign that bill, and he will be like the little dog in the phonograph picture, whom we see listening to his master's voice." I think it is all poppycock for us to stand here and do these things and say this or that. That bill will be signed by the Governor because Mr. Innes wants it, and Mr. Innes wants control of the city government if he can get it. The only way in which he can get it is to try to put a borough system through. It does not make any difference to me personally whether this City Council lives for one minute or one year. It would not worry me for one moment if five minutes after my election the City Council had been wiped out. I simply wanted to be elected to this body for one specific reason—to show a certain man in this town that I could be elected. I think it is all foolishness for us to act the way we are acting. The City Council is going to be changed, but instead of a borough system it will be a ward system, because the people of the city will never stand for Charlic Innes and a few more of them running the City of Boston.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I want to say just one more word in connection with this order, and it is this, that personally I think the question is a bigger one than the question of what the form of government in this Council is going to be, whether nine members, twenty-six members or forty-seven members. That does not make any particular difference. The outstanding feature of this proposed legislation, as I see it, is that representatives from rural communities are attempting to legislate for Boston, and I resent their interference in Boston's affairs. I believe in home rule for Boston, not interference by any outsiders, no matter whence they may come. We ought to be allowed, being chartered as a city, to conduct our own affairs without interference by any small, picayune legislators from any of these outlying sections of the state. The question has been brought vividly to our attention this year because of the fact that these people have been reaching in to redivide Boston. They want to gerrymander Boston; they don't want to re-divide it fairly. They want to gerrymander Boston as they have gerrymandered Massachusetts. What is the situation today? With the Commonwealth of Massachusetts practically an even proposition between Democrats and Republicans, the Republicans outnumber the Democrats in the Legislature three to one. And why? Because the Republicans have gerrymandered the state so that no Democrat can be elected in communities where, if there was a fair dividing line, they would have a chance to be elected. They want to do the same thing here in Boston. They want to redivide Boston into wards, not having a continuity of surrounding sections that should run together, but dividing so that Republicans can be elected in Boston, where the Democrats outnumber them ten to one. That is their scheme. They want to make Boston a Republican rather than a Democratic city; or, if they fail in that, they want to get Republican representation here that they are not entitled to. I feel that the question has gone beyond the point of whether this Council is going to exist or not. It probably makes no difference to us sitting here whether or not they change the method of electing members of this Council; but the big, outlying, outstanding question, is the fact that Republican legislators from rural communities are interfering with home rule in our city. I protest against it, and I think the time has come when others are going to be sufficiently interested in the affairs of Boston so that the feeling of all of us as Bostonians will be aroused against this sort of thing. The Governor of our Commonwealth is, first, a Bostonian before he is a Republican. This question is a bigger one than that of the parties. The question is, whether the Governor of our Commonwealth, a resident of Boston for years, is going to allow the Legislature to come in and interfere with home rule in Boston. I think, as a Bostonian, he is not going to see any such legislation as is proposed enacted without his protest. For that reason I introduce this order.

Coun. LANE—Mr. President, I feel very

strongly that the Legislature is going altogether too far in trying to force on the citizens of Boston a choice between two different charters without giving them an opportunity to say whether they desire to retain the charter they have been operating under for the past five years. I beg to differ, however, with the councilor who has just spoken with regard to the right of the Legislature to impose these conditions upon the City of Boston. The councilor has evidently forgotten that every city in the Commonwealth only has its charter granted by the Legislature in order to separate the different parts of the state for governmental purposes. Years ago, when this country was founded, the state was the unit, and everything came under the state. As our population increased in the different centers, it was absolutely necessary to have some subdivisions, and by going to the Legislature, the Great and General Court, certain charters or rights were given to the communities to be self-governing, but always with the proviso that if they did not exercise their functions properly they could be withdrawn. However, in this case I think it is an outrage that they should try, after our acting under the present charter for fifteen years, to tell us that we must take one of two other forms of charter, without giving the citizens a chance to say whether they wish to retain the present form of charter. Before going further on this matter I would like to call the attention of the councilor who has just spoken to the fact that he has made an error with reference to hours of opening and closing the polls. The Legislature proposes to put through a measure saying that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock and shall be opened ten hours, but does not say that they shall not remain open until six or eight in the evening. That is up to the cities and towns themselves. One of the councilors here has said that back of this bill is a Mr. Innes. I wish to say that I don't believe that is a fact. Since Coun. Donoghue has been speaking, I have been called to the telephone by a prominent Democrat in the House who tells me that he has offered an amendment on the floor of the House this afternoon striking out the borough scheme and substituting in its place the retention of the present council, and John I. Fitzgerald, the Democratic leader, has been to him and told him that if he does that it will spoil the whole thing. This legislator who has called me has asked me to get in touch with members of the Council, and ask them, if they care anything about the present charter, to communicate with any friends they have in the Legislature either among the Democrats or Boston Republicans, and get them to speak in favor of the amendment which he has put on the calendar. I think that shows that there is somebody besides Mr. Innes who is back of this bill.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I would suggest, through the Chair, that Coun. Lane can probably do much more good than we can, because I think the trouble will be with the Republicans. If the leader of the Democratic Party in the House is opposed to the present charter, and doesn't wish that amendment to go in, how are we going to stand here and say that the Republicans are putting it over on Democratic Boston, if the Democrats themselves are opposed to the present charter?

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I was not going to say anything, but I do wish to say at this time that it would be better, in my estimation, for all the people to allow the Legislature to go as far as it likes. I realize that by its action individual members of this Council may lose something, but I feel that there has got to be something done for the people of Boston to make them realize what the situation is, and I feel that perhaps it might be a good thing if the Legislature would wipe the Council out. It might make the people of Boston realize that an organization known as the Republican State Committee controls things. The only place where they are not strong in the state is in the City of Boston. Of course, their headquarters are in Boston, but practically every man of influence who is a member of that state committee is not a resident of Boston. He may be in business in Boston, but not a resident. If what the councilor who has just taken his seat says is true, the so-called leader of the Democratic Party at the State House is against us. I want to say that he is not my leader, and if he assumes to be the leader of the Democratic Party on Beacon Hill I feel that he is assuming something that he has absolutely no right to assume. He certainly has no right to speak for me as a Democrat because he is elected from a district, and in so far as his actions are concerned he is answerable to that district, and that district only. This is no new story. Some years ago the same Legislature gave to the citizens of Boston the right to

choose between two charters, one bad and the other worse. They did not give the citizens of Boston any real choice, because certain groups had met and decided that they were going to turn over the government of the city to a certain group, and there was a certain leader to be elected to the majority of this city, the charter being absolutely satisfactory to him. Unfortunately some cog slipped, and instead of landing in the Mayor's chair that gentleman one or two years later landed in one of the chairs of the City Council. I happened during my term to serve one year with that member, and he was absent more in that year than any member of the entire Council, the only year that I served with him. And still they speak of big business men. I refer to the same James Jackson Storrow, and I believe my words can be proven by going back to the records of 1918, showing that he was absent from more meetings of the City Council during that year than he was present. Of course, it was during the war, and, of course, it was during the time when these men gave up their time for one dollar per year. But current events have proven that the fellow who gave his service for one dollar a year was a wonderful man to our national government. They talk about big business men. Well, we know something about the big business men who have had to do with the government of the United States, in Congress and elsewhere. We have heard something from such men as Moran from Mansfield, who said he would rather be a hay shaker than a dough chaser. As long as my memory goes back, the place where he is now sitting has been called the House of the Forty Thieves, the Massachusetts Senate, where there has been more pernicious legislation railroaded through than within any other four walls in our country. We are now laboring under a transportation act, by which the junk pile of the Boston Elevated railroad and of the West End Street Railway were turned over to us, and we have guaranteed to the stockholders 6 per cent. Under the act we are also building up the road, so that at the end of ten years they will be getting back a new dollar for the same weight in junk. I don't know Mr. Moran, and I don't think personally that the gentleman knows many members of this body. He certainly cannot know much about the workings of the charter under which we have been living here in Boston for some years. I believe his Honor the Mayor and his predecessor in office agree that the charter we are now working under is a proper one, and I suppose if some individual whom certain legislators have in mind was fortunate enough to be elected Mayor of Boston they would not desire to have the charter changed, because the Mayor of Boston is absolute in himself. He is practically the only man holding such a position. He is not responsible to the other part of the government elected by the citizens, in any respect whatever, and his position in that regard is, I think, different from that of any official elected in any city, town or state in the nation. To my best knowledge there is no other individual holding a similar position who can carry on without being hampered at all by the veto power. That position is occupied by the Mayor of Boston alone. The President of the United States may have his action vetoed, the Governor of the Commonwealth may have his action vetoed. Practically every other mayor in our state or in our nation may have his actions vetoed, but the action of the Mayor of Boston cannot be vetoed, being absolute. I say that with no ill feeling toward the man holding that office now; but I do say, in so far as the Legislature is concerned, individually and collectively, "Continue with your harsh treatment of the citizenship of Boston, and in the very near future, instead of Massachusetts being in the Republican column, the old pendulum will swing and the people will place old Massachusetts on the Democratic side, with a Democratic Legislature and a Democratic Governor, and Boston will continue on the Democratic side. I wish to say that by no action of mine would I intervene with any member of the Legislature, if I knew that I could stop him, from taking a certain position by speaking to him. I would not walk up to Beacon Hill to make that request. It may be all right for us to talk here. As I understand it, that amendment that has been added this afternoon is another step towards doing a job on the citizens of Boston. I agree that it is all right to argue in favor of allowing the people to vote on the question of whether this Council shall be allowed to remain or not, and I understand that that is the amendment that has been introduced this afternoon. That means that there are going to be three questions on the ballot,—first, shall the present Council stand intact? Second, shall we elect councilors under a borough system? Third, shall each ward be represented in this Council by

a man from that ward? The men who are behind the borough system, in my estimation, have decided that if only the two latter questions go on the ward system shall be defeated, and to further confuse the voters of Boston they are going to allow that third question to go on the ballot; and when the ballots are counted, while many men in the public eye and in public office are taking it for granted that the ward plan is going through, many of the so-called leaders in the districts in Boston are not going to turn their hand for the defence of the citizens of Boston, and the borough system is going to slip through. When the borough system does slip through, with the changing of the ward lines, we are going to find fifteen men here sitting as representatives of Boston, which is better than 75 per cent Democratic, with a Democratic minority representation, in spite of the fact that it is a strongly democratic city. I heartily agree with Coun. Purcell in regard to the able politician on State street. Politics has become a business now. It is not a calling. We have leading politicians on both Democratic and Republican sides sitting down at a round table to legislate while the Legislature is not in session. Just imagine! Four days before the Legislature adjourns for the year, we are having acted upon some of the most important legislation that has been before the body within the entire year. We have the insurance bill, compelling every individual who owns an automobile to insure his car, between Monday and Thursday nights. They call members of the Boston City Council dough chasers, but if the insurance companies are putting that bill through the Legislature without giving some one some money, then I don't know anything about legislation, —and I don't know whether Moran is in on it or not. I have never seen a hayseed yet that was not in. Again, there is going to be a Recess Committee sent out again in connection with this pernicious railroad bill. If they have so many people up there who have the interests of the people at heart, why don't they go into the insurance business? Why don't they start a state fund and allow the citizens of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to pay their insurance into that state fund? Why should we allow these big insurance companies with their home offices across the water, in England, to control the insurance business of our state? That is what it means, that the old line companies, owned and controlled by English powers, will compel every individual in this state to bow to the English peerage, across the water. Of course, there isn't anything wrong going on up at the Legislature! But just to keep the people blind they use the old smoke screen, Boston. It isn't only in the Republican Party; it is in the Democratic Party. Everybody outside of the City of Boston says, "Don't let the Boston Democratic pol in let us keep him out." And the Republicans take up the cry of the Democrats outside of Boston, and they keep us out. I feel that our job is not done. There are eight Democratic members of the Council and one Republican. I think it is up to the eight of them as Democrats to use their efforts to go out and put twenty-six members from the different wards into this Council, and when you do that job and get them in here, it will not be more than one or two years before a Republican Legislature will want to change that form of government. They won't let it go for fourteen or fifteen years, as they have this one. They criticized the old Common Council, they criticized the old Board of Aldermen, when they wanted to change to the present charter. They are now criticizing this Council rightfully, in my estimation, from their point of view. There wasn't any criticism for the first nine years because they were successful for nine years in absolutely holding Goo Goo control. We have practically eliminated that organization in the town, now. We now have, out of nine members, two Goo Goos left, my friend Coun. Healey and my friend Coun. Lane. It always was a wonder to me how they ever continued to get the indorsement. Coun. Healey has not jumped over the traces yet, but it is expected that he will very, very soon. So far as trying to change the minds of the legislators on Beacon Hill is concerned, it is almost impossible, because I was told by a very prominent Republican who is now sitting in the Senate that during the time when the bill was up word went out that everybody should be in his seat on the day when the Council measure came up, and should go along with the committee's report. And they did. Whether they have seen their mistake in the House or not I don't know, but I feel, as I said on rising, that in so far as the citizens are concerned it might be a good thing for them to allow the Legislature not only to throw the dust in their eyes but to continue to rub it in. That

is what the Legislature has done and that is what the Legislature here is going to continue to do, and it may finally awaken the good people of our city to rise up in arms, showing by electing a council of twenty-six that the Legislature has made a mistake in throwing overboard the best form of government Boston ever had, the Council as it is constituted at the present time.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I again want to reiterate that what I said about Mr. Innes is true. Mr. Innes, in my estimation—and I guess that is the feeling of about everybody in the city who has studied the situation—realizes that, while he controls the Legislature of Massachusetts, he does not control this body. Mr. Innes and a few more men in this town want to control this city, and in order to do so they want to put over the borough system. I remember back in the old days that I sat for the last three years in the old Common Council, and I knew how they did jobs then. I can remember one night when we wanted to put through an order for \$28,000 to finish the bathhouse on North Bennet street, North End. It had been built and it lay there for three years without any shower baths being put into it. I asked the gentlemen coming from the same ward that Mr. Innes lives in now to go through with it and to give the people of the North End the shower baths and they said, "No, there is only one way in which you will get that \$28,000 through, and that is to vote for \$40,000 to beautify Copley square." That is the way it went through, and that is the way those gentlemen play the game. It is the Back Bay first. They want to run this body, and it looks as though they would run it if they can put through the borough system. I want to say that if such a bill is enacted I will tour this town from one end to the other for the ward system.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I did not intend to say anything further in connection with the order, but in view of the fact that the so-called leader of the Democratic Party of Boston has been attacked here today by the only Republican member of this Council, I refuse to sit in my seat and let it go by without any answer. Of course, what the councilor has said regarding the Democratic chairman of our city committee in Boston is merely hearsay. I don't know whether it is so or not, but, whether it is so or not, I think a false impression was attempted to be created by the remarks along that line. Of course, the chairman of the Democratic City Committee is entitled to his view as to how this Council should be constituted, whether or not it should be composed of twenty-six members, one from each ward, or of nine members, as it is. He has a right to his own opinion on that matter. That does not remove the blame that is justly placed on the shoulders of the Republican Party for interfering in Boston's affairs, simply because they are in a vast majority in the Senate and the House of Representatives on Beacon Hill. They established the tax limit for Boston, the capital of this Commonwealth, and the only city which has been hampered in any such way, under the claim that we might be able to conduct the city's activities properly. Just think of what that means! Every little rural community in the state has the right to spend its own money, but Boston is denied that right by a Republican Legislature. They appointed a Police Commissioner for the City of Boston. The only other city in the state which has a police commissioner appointed by the Governor is the Democratic city of Fall River, the two Democratic cities, Fall River and Boston, the capital of Massachusetts, are the only two cities in the state that have a police commissioner appointed by the Governor to handle the affairs of the police department in those two cities. They appointed a Finance Commission for Boston, the only city in the state to have a finance commission. They are to appoint a redistricting committee, a recess committee, presumably to be composed of not less than eight Republicans and three or four Democrats—a Republican committee, again, to redistrict Democratic Boston, the capital of Massachusetts. With regard to the bill establishing the hours for voting, saying that the polls must open at six o'clock in the morning, I have been corrected, have been told that I did not know what the bill in the Legislature meant. But I still claim that I am right, that the intention of the bill is that the polls shall open at six o'clock in the morning and shall continue open for ten hours. It is unbelievable to think that they are going to open at six o'clock in the morning and close, say, at twelve o'clock noon, and then open again at five o'clock in the afternoon and continue for four hours. Of course, it must mean ten continuous hours of voting, or else you are going

to again inconvenience the Democratic voters of Boston. Then, we have the Metropolitan District Commission, for which Boston pays practically 75 per cent of the maintenance, inflicted on the citizens of Boston by a Republican Legislature. I cannot make my position on this matter too emphatic. I am glad of the opportunity to stand on my feet and try to focus public attention on the Republican legislation which is being enacted on Beacon Hill to the detriment of Boston. Let us send to them a copy of this order, embodying our action. I don't care what they do with it. At least something will be accomplished by this agitation. I believe the people are beginning to realize that there is too much interference by the Republican Legislature in Boston's affairs, and that is the primary thing in which I am interested. I believe there should be no interference, and if they do interfere that there should be no taxation. The foundation of our government is that without representation there shall be no taxation, and if I had my way I would make them go to the courts for every ten-cent piece they get from Boston's citizens until they realized that they could not interfere in Boston's affairs as they are doing, that Boston, the capital of this Commonwealth, is at least entitled to a square deal.

The order was passed under a suspension of the rule.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. WALSH, the Council refused a general reconsideration of all action taken today.

Adjourned at 3.37 p. m., on motion of Coun. HEALEY, to meet on Monday, June 16, at two o'clock p. m.

WATER DIVISION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Miles of supply and distributing mains, 885.71 on February 1, 1923; number of services in use, 101,731, of which about 75 per cent were metered; fire hydrants 9,886; public drinking fountains, 150, of which 117 are bubble fountains.

Total receipts for year 1922, \$3,791,948 or \$318,889 more than in 1921. Total expenditures \$3,174,367 or \$109,958 less than in 1921. Current expenses and extension of mains, \$1,355,660 or \$122,313 more than in 1921; interest on water debt, \$34,449; Metropolitan water assessment for 1922, \$1,784,257 or \$174,271 less than in 1921. Metropolitan Water Works owned by State and costing since inception in 1895, \$43,761,870, supply 18 cities and towns of Metropolitan District (including Boston), the distribution pipe line being 131.18 miles in length. In the year 1922, total supply furnished, 43,532,488,000 gallons or about 94 gallons per capita daily. Total in the 10 storage reservoirs on January 1, 1923, 70,795,200,000 gallons; total capacity of same, 80,680,100,000 gallons. Of all used, about 80 per cent comes from Wachusett reservoir, an artificial lake of 4,135 acres surface area, situated in the Worcester County towns of Clinton and Boylston, about 37 miles west of Boston at an elevation of 395 feet (*i. e.*, high-water mark) above Boston "City Base" and added to the Metropolitan System in 1905. There are also 12 distribution reservoirs with capacity of 2,400,680,000 gallons and five pumping stations in which 30,471,400,000 gallons of water were pumped during the year 1922. Daily average amount of water used in Boston during 1922, 85,871,000 gallons (262,000 gallons more daily than in 1921) or 103 gallons per capita. Net water debt (*i. e.*, for Hyde Park Water Works), February 1, 1923, \$282,000 or \$16,000 less than in 1922. Cochituate debt, \$355,350, covered by sinking fund.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

June 2, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6.30 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scanneil and Sullivan.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENTS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 2, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has withdrawn the appointments from the emergency list of Catherine F. Cahill and Katherine D. Sullivan to the Summer Review Elementary Schools, to take effect June 23, 1924, as reported at the meeting of May 19, 1924.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 2, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has withdrawn the appointment of Eileen R. Griffin to the Theodore Lyman Vacation School, to take effect June 23, 1924, as reported at the meeting of May 19, 1924.

Placed on file.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teachers:

Hyde District—Arvilla T. Harvey, master's assistant, May 28, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Annie F. Keating, assistant, May 26, 1924.

Placed on file.

The Superintendent also reported the death of the following-named Master Emeritus, who had been retired on pension:

William E. Russell District—Edwin T. Horne, June 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATION

The following resignation reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the date stated, was presented:

Agassiz District—Margherita R. Milliken, assistant, May 23, 1924. Accepted.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Bennett District—Margaret S. Hyde, Apr. 1, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Lucy E. Wright, May 12, 1924 (one

day); George D. Leavitt, May 21, 26, 1924 (two days); John N. Cody, May 27, 1924 (one day).

Bowdoin District—Jane T. O'Brien (Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children), May 28, 1924.

Dearborn District—Hattie E. Fisher, kindergarten, May 21, 1924; Olive Wolff, kindergarten, May 21, 1924.

Hyde District—Nellie A. Mea, May 28, 1924.

Prescott District—Roberta J. Golden, kindergarten, Jan. 7 to 9, 1924 (three days).

Prince District—Ellen G. Phillimore, May 19 to 23, 1924 (five days).

Robert Gould Shaw District—Helen K. Travers, May 19, 1924; Eleanor C. Fee, kindergarten, May 22, 1924.

Wendell Phillips District—Edward J. Markham, May 19, 1924.

Approved.

SUBSTITUTE NURSE.

Department of Medical Inspection—Mabel Sheridan, May 21 1924.

Approved.

TRADE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

Summer Term, 1924.

Helpers—Jennie M. Carlson, Magdalen C. Columbus, Anna C. Craft, Genevieve Delagana, Agnes F. Graham, Adeline A. Kanz, Rose A. Moran, Myrtle A. Ruggles, Anna E. Silva, Ruth U. Weld, Eleanor G. Wright.

Student Aids—Mary A. Cassio, Frances Elizabeth Mooney Marie C. Tortora.

Approved.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

(Extension of Term 1923-24.)

Franklin Evening School—Mabel F. Dunn, assistant lip reading, April 21, 1924.

Approved.

GARDENING.

Season, 1924.

Garden Teachers—Henry E. Loring, James H. Nolan.

Garden Assistants—Ruth A. Carter, Helen Rita Donohoe, Ida Feldman.

Assistants in School Gardens—Kenneth F. McKittrick, Taylor M. Mills.

Approved.

PLAYGROUNDS.

Season, 1924.

Play teachers—John S. Kane, Bernard H. McGrath, George L. McKim, Arthur W. Murphy.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST

Morris H. Hewitt.

Approved.

TRANSFERS.

Bowdoin Evening School—Florence Driscoll, assistant, to the same position in the Washington Evening School, Apr. 21, 1924.

Bowdoin Evening School—Frances B. Mea, assistant, to the same position in the Washington Evening School, Apr. 21, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On motion, leaves of absence as granted at the meetings of Mar. 17, 1924, (p. 35) and May 5, 1924, (p. 67), respectively, are hereby rescinded:

Roxbury High School—Annie C. Johnson, assistant instructor, commercial branches, Mar. 12, 1924, one day, without pay; Edith A. Parkhurst, first assistant, head of department, Mar. 12, 1924, one day, without pay.

Trade School for Girls—Marie E. Jobin, trade assistant, Apr. 25 to 30, 1924, four days, without pay.

Abraham Lincoln District—Theresa G. O'Brien, assistant, Apr. 4 and 8, 1924, one and one-half days, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Public Latin School—Louis W. Arnold, master, June 18, 19, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board); Winburn S. Canrell, junior master, June 18, 19, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board); Henry R. Gardner, junior master, June 19, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board); Joseph W. Hobbs, junior master, June 18, 19, 1924, two days without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board); William R. Morse, master, head of department, June 18, 19, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board); Charles F. Murphy, junior master, June 18, 1924, one day, without pay; Albert F. Reed, junior master, June 16, 18 and 19, 1924, three days, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board).

Girls' Latin School—Margaret C. Cotter, assistant, June 18, 19, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board); John E. Denham, master, head of department, June 19, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board); Carolyn M. Gerrish, first assistant, head of department, June 18, 19, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board); Adeline G. Simmons, assistant, June 19, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board); Mary R. Stark, assistant, June 19, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board).

English High School—J. Albert Brack, junior master, May 19, 1924, one day, without pay; Merrill C. Hill, junior master, June 18, 19, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board); Elwin M. Randolph, junior master, June 18, 19, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board); Charles H. Stone, Jr., junior master, Apr. 21, 22, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board).

High School of Commerce—Samuel B. Trumbull, junior master, May 25, 1924, one day, court summons.

Mechanic Arts High School—James H. Holland, Jr., junior master, May 26, 1924, one day, funeral.

Roxbury High School—Louise A. Forrest, assistant, June 18, 19, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board).

Continuation School—Clara H. Franke, assistant, May 16, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Stewart J. Shaw, shop foreman, May 7, 1924, one day, without pay; Francis R. Sheehan, shop foreman, May 1, 1924, one day, without pay.

Abraham Lincoln District—Gertude A. Flynn, assistant, May 28, 1924, one day, without pay; Elinor E. Gethins, clerical assistant, May 19, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Grace W. Mitchell, assistant, May 14, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Marie J. Alexander, assistant, May 2, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Caroline E. Nutter, assistant, from June 2 to 19, 1924.

Bowditch District—Nellie I. Lapham, assistant, from June 1 to 19, 1924; Anna C. Shea, assistant, from June 1 to 19, 1924.

Dearborn District—Elsie F. Eagan, assistant, May 21, 1924, one day, wedding; Marguerite F. Maloney, assistant, May 19, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Dudley District—Lena C. Johnson, instructor, special class, June 2, 1924, one day, without pay; Josephine Marston, assistant, June 16, 1924, one day, without pay; Mary A. McCarthy, first assistant in charge, June 4, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Edward Everett District—C. Margaret Browne, assistant, May 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Hattie Browne, first assistant, kindergarten, May 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Edmund P. Tileston District—Charles I. Gates, master, May 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Elihu Greenwood District—Barbara M. Murphy, assistant, May 20, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Everett District—Emily T. Kelleher, assistant, May 5, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Laura L. Newhall, first assistant in charge, May 9, 12, 1924, two days, without pay.

Horace Mann School for the Deaf—Grace D. Hall, assistant, from May 1 to 21, 1924; Amy M. Pleadwell, assistant, May 1, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Hyde District—Arvilla T. Harvey, master's assistant, from May 1 to 28, 1924.

John Marshall District—Mary L. Thurston, assistant, May 12, 1924, one day, wedding.

Lawrence District—Julia V. Dee, assistant, May 23, 1924, one-half day, funeral; C. Louise Shea, assistant, May 22, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Lowell District—Mildred A. Bradley, instructor, special class, May 29, 1924, one day, without pay.

Mary Hemenway District—Agnes M. Golden, assistant, May 28, 1924, one-half day, wedding; Mary Polk, first assistant, grammar, from May 1 to 16, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Alice E. Donoghue, assistant, May 23, 1924, one-half day, ordination.

Roger Wolcott District—Frances A. Neilson, assistant, May 14, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Samuel Adams District—Ruth M. Haynes, assistant, May 19, 20, 1924, two days, without pay.

Sherwin District—Katherine E. Hurley, assistant, May 28, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Ellen M. Mantle, assistant, May 21, 1924, one-half day, court summons; Anna C. Murdock, instructor, special class, May 29, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Harriet L. Jewell, assistant, April 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Margaret M. McGowan, assistant, May 2, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Rose M. Cole, assistant, from June 2 to 19, 1924.

Washington District—Sophia G. Whalen, first assistant in charge, May 12, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Washington Allston District—Margaret M. Muldoon, assistant, from May 1 to 9, 1924.

William E. Indicott District—Regina Hearn, assistant, May 29, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Jeannette A. Wall, assistant, May 23, 1924, one-half day, ordination.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Alice C. Kapples, assistant, May 23, 1924, one-half day, ordination.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Roberta M. Cummins, teacher of cookery, from May 29 to June 19, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Francis L. Bain, assistant director, May 12, 1924, one-half day, court summons; Florence O. Bean, first assistant, May 12, 1924, one day, without pay; George F. Hatch, assigned teacher, May 12, 1924, one-half day, court summons; Cyril W. Shoveller, shop instructor, May 21, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Simon F. Curran, M. D., school physician, May 28, 1924, one day without pay; Anna E. Donovan, school nurse, May 21, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Eugene E. Everett, M. D., school physician, May 26, 1924, one day, without pay; Charles F. Stack, M. D., school physician, from May 28 to June 19, 1924; Marion C. Sullivan, school nurse, May 23, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence for study, study and travel, or rest, was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

High School of Commerce—George A. Fellows, junior master, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for study and travel.

High School of Practical Arts—Agnes L. Callaghan, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for study.

Jamaica Plain High School—Mary K. Tibbits, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for rest.

Charles Sumner District—Pauline F. Smith, first assistant, kindergarten, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, for study.

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of June 2, 1924, reporting the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated, until such time as they shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations:

Wells District—Mary R. McNamara, assistant, as acting first assistant in charge (vice Sarah G. Fogarty, absent on leave), May 23, 1924.

Wells District—Elizabeth A. Millerick, assistant, kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten (vice Josephine H. Calef, from Apr. 28, 1924 to May 20, 1924, inclusive.)

Placed on file.

ESTABLISHMENT OF WASHINGTON ALLSTON DISTRICT ON ONE-SESSION PLAN.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That beginning Sept. 1, 1924, and until otherwise ordered, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to operate the seventh, eighth and ninth grade classes of the Washington Allston District upon the one-session plan.

COMPENSATION OF SUBSTITUTE TEACHER, FORT STRONG SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the year ending Aug. 31, 1924, the rate of compensation for substitute teacher, Fort Strong School, is hereby established at the rate of six dollars (\$6) per day of service.

PAYMENT OF SALARY DUE JOSEPHINE H. CALEF.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the money due Josephine H. Calef, late first assistant, kindergarten, Wells District, be paid to her mother, Mary Calef.

ADOPTION AND PRINTING OF SPECIAL SYLLABUS IN ART FOR HIGH SCHOOLS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying Special Syllabus in Art for High Schools is hereby adopted as a School Document; and that one thousand (1,000) copies be printed.

ADOPTION AND PRINTING OF OUTLINE IN MERCHANDISING AND SPECIAL SYLLABUS IN SALESMANSHIP.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying Outline in Merchandising and Special Syllabus in Salesmanship for Grades XI and XII is hereby adopted as a School Document; and that one thousand (1,000) copies be printed.

ELIGIBLE LIST

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of June 2, 1924, submitting the list of successful candidates of December, 1923 for the certificates of qualification IV. High School; Special Certificates Valid in Day High Schools: Commercial Branches; Manual Arts; Physical Training; XXXIII. Intermediate Certificate; VII. Elementary School, Class A Certificate; VIII. Elementary School, Class B Certificate; Day Clerical School Certificate; and Assistant in Music certificate; also the successful candidates of April, 1924, for the High School Certificate, majoring in French.

These names do not constitute separate eligible lists, but should be inserted in School Document No. 15, 1923 at the points indicated by the several ratings.

HIGH SCHOOL CERTIFICATE

Ancient Languages		
Men		
Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
961	*Robert R. Drummeey	June 30, 1930
829	John H. Ward	June 30, 1930
789	*Gerard B. Cleary	June 30, 1930
Women		
737	Helen A. Austin	June 30, 1930
Botany-Zoology		
867	*Alice M. Kerrigan	June 30, 1930
838	Laurice E. Flagg	June 30, 1930
832	*Marion E. Anthony	June 30, 1930
Commercial Branches		
Bookkeeping and Commercial Arithmetic		
Men		
846	*Francis P. Glavin	June 30, 1930
774	Joseph M. Sullivan	June 30, 1930
Women		
843	Alice J. Healy	June 30, 1930
811	Grace L. Eyrick	June 30, 1930
801	*Sylvia M. Murray	June 30, 1930
779	*Margaret T. Crowley	June 30, 1930
774	Bertha M. Swift	June 30, 1930
713	*Grace E. Ryan	June 30, 1930
708	*Alice Reynolds	June 30, 1930
Phonography and Typewriting		
Men		
714	James L. O'Brien	June 30, 1930
Women		
847	M. Gertrude Gould	June 30, 1930
796	*Shirley Smalley Brown	June 30, 1930
Dressmaking		
809	Eveline B. Cook	June 30, 1930
English		
Men		
Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
885	*Robert G. Simmons	June 30, 1930
830	Thomas J. McCabe	June 30, 1929
802	*Nathaniel J. Hasenfus	June 30, 1930
777	*Eugene J. O'Neil	June 30, 1930
773	John J. Brennan	June 30, 1930
773	Charles E. McCool	June 30, 1930
740	*Joseph A. Moran	June 30, 1930
721	William J. Hayes	June 30, 1927
704	Cyril D. Norton	June 30, 1930
703	Charles F. Coveney	June 30, 1930
700	*William L. Hughes	June 30, 1930
Women		
890	*Mary M. Mallard	June 30, 1930
865	Gladys E. Heyl	June 30, 1930
847	Rosanna M. Dowd	June 30, 1930
847	Regina D. Madden	June 30, 1930
837	*Nora E. Lyons	June 30, 1930
833	Irene P. Zaha	June 30, 1930
831	Agnes G. Doggett	June 30, 1930
830	*Freda F. Berlin	June 30, 1930
828	Virginia E. Turnbull	June 30, 1930
806	Angela M. Pearce	June 30, 1930
797	*Mildred F. MacIsaac	June 30, 1930
773	Elinor J. Fowie	June 30, 1930
769	*Mary M. Sullivan	June 30, 1930
751	Mary L. Roberts	June 30, 1930
735	Rosalynde Hammons	June 30, 1930
724	Lillian F. Conroy	June 30, 1930
713	Irene M. Bragan	June 30, 1930
French		
Men		
789	*Albert I. Maguire	June 30, 1930
712	*Charles S. Fitzgerald	June 30, 1930
733	Ralph G. Gilbert	June 30, 1930
702	Joseph Stanton	June 30, 1930
Women		
844	Theresa M. Callahan	June 30, 1927
842	Harriet E. Ellis	June 30, 1930
832	Ruth E. McHale	June 30, 1930
797	*Mildred P. Cummings	June 30, 1930
761	Marguerite L. Murphy	June 30, 1930
760	*Laura A. Ellis	June 30, 1930
743	Mary L. Reilly	June 30, 1927
701	Mary J. Gately	June 30, 1930
701	Mary E. Hickey	June 30, 1930
General Science		
Men		
776	Charles M. Frolio	June 30, 1930
Women		
923	*Marion H. Kidder	June 30, 1930
German		
706	Helen E. Mayer	June 30, 1930
History		
Men		
850	*George L. McKim	June 30, 1930
825	Elmer H. Phelps	June 30, 1930
815	*George F. Barry	June 30, 1930
770	Emmett J. Reardon	June 30, 1930
757	William J. Murphy	June 30, 1930
Women		
840	Caroline J. Trommer	June 30, 1930
799	*Anna E. Scott	June 30, 1930
787	*Katherine A. Ryan	June 30, 1930
784	Helen S. S. Wilkinson	June 30, 1930
782	Ethel O. Lomasney	June 30, 1930
780	Jane R. Woods	June 30, 1926
758	Katharine B. MacMillan	June 30, 1930

Household Science		
Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
703	*Frances R. Bacharach	June 30, 1930

Mathematics

833	*Arthur F. Leary	June 30, 1930
826	John D. Shore	June 30, 1930
769	David N. Rubin	June 30, 1930
700	George A. Reardon	June 30, 1930

Physics-Chemistry

933	Laurence R. Atwood	June 30, 1930
910	Waldemar S. McGuire	June 30, 1930
885	Ralph B. DeLano	June 30, 1926
855	*Walter T. Durnan	June 30, 1930
844	Frank V. Gordon	June 30, 1928
844	Shipley W. Ricker	June 30, 1927
815	William J. Dee, Jr.	June 30, 1930
752	*Francis S. Quinlan	June 30, 1930
700	John J. Condon	June 30, 1930

Spanish

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
769	Joseph F. Kelley	June 30, 1930
746	Charles L. Milward	June 30, 1930

SPECIAL CERTIFICATES VALID IN DAY HIGH SCHOOLS

Commercial Branches

Bookkeeping and Commercial Arithmetic		
Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
Men		
836	Richard A. McCarthy	June 30, 1930
723	Arthur M. Larsen	June 30, 1930
714	Arthur L. Ross	June 30, 1930
702	David Hamblen	June 30, 1930

Women

811	Monica L. Hall	June 30, 1930
818	*Elizabeth C. Horan	June 30, 1930
806	Constance Tenney	June 30, 1930
766	Mary M. Gainard	June 30, 1930
710	Gertrude P. Twombly	June 30, 1930

Phonography and Typewriting

723	*Edward M. Balfe	June 30, 1930
Women		
815	Ruby I. Coombs	June 30, 1930
754	Mary Kelly	June 30, 1930

Manual Arts

Drawing

Men

902	Robert W. Watts	June 30, 1930
Women		
830	*Katharine L. Mannix	June 30, 1930

Manual Training

828	Joseph R. Parker	June 30, 1930
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Printing

783	Frederick L. Eames	June 30, 1930
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Physical Training

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
881	*Margaret G. O'Brien	June 30, 1930
880	Diana W. Anderson	June 30, 1930
877	Ruth P. Sweet	June 30, 1930
831	Helen S. Conkling	June 30, 1930
827	Matilda E. Cogan	June 30, 1930
820	*Alice P. McClare	June 30, 1930
819	Virginia E. Pierce	June 30, 1930
771	Sara T. Biggane	June 30, 1930

INTERMEDIATE CERTIFICATES

Clerical Practice

Men

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
889	Howard Wilbur	June 30, 1930
858	John W. Corcoran	June 30, 1930
834	*Arthur W. Murphy	June 30, 1930
829	*Francis J. Dillon	June 30, 1930

Women

862	Elizabeth Beatty	June 30, 1930
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Drawing

Men

736	George O. Carrington	June 30, 1930
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Women

866	Marie G. Mann	June 30, 1930
851	Marion Leary	June 30, 1930
818	Mary C. Welch	June 30, 1930
811	Kathryn M. Hubbard	June 30, 1930

English

Men

810	Forrest Levis	June 30, 1930
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Women

799	Ruth L. Quinn	June 30, 1930
788	Lucy H. Hearne	June 30, 1930
764	Minnie A. Kennedy	June 30, 1930
706	Anna A. Urban	June 30, 1930

History-Geography

Men

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
891	George S. McCabe	June 30, 1930
888	*Robert G. O'Connell	June 30, 1930
851	George E. Caswell	June 30, 1927
845	John F. Barnicle	June 30, 1930
845	*Walter A. Cremen	June 30, 1930
839	*Edward J. Gill	June 30, 1930
814	Francis J. Lyons	June 30, 1930

Women

930	Esther L. McNellis	June 30, 1930
885	Julia M. Fitzpatrick	June 30, 1930
873	Augusta A. Jackson	June 30, 1930
822	Helen B. Peterson	June 30, 1930
812	Anne Sheridan	June 30, 1930
801	Marguerite V. Murphy	June 30, 1930
795	Madaline Small	June 30, 1930
790	Grace P. Lynch	June 30, 1930
787	Virginia D. Rankin	June 30, 1930
786	Ella L. Bresnehan	June 30, 1930
763	Eleanor E. O'Brien	June 30, 1928

Mathematics

Men

819	George C. O'Brien	June 30, 1930
772	Arnold L. Ganley	June 30, 1930
771	Francis J. Cahill	June 30, 1930

Women

915	Helen M. Connelly	June 30, 1930
880	*Mary E. Walsh	June 30, 1930
845	Mary F. Thornton	June 30, 1930
795	Lucy A. Beatty	June 30, 1930
707	Claire L. Zimmerman	June 30, 1930

Music

899	Florence R. Murphy	June 30, 1930
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Science

780	*Thomas H. Luby	June 30, 1930
710	Everett C. Yates	June 30, 1930

Spanish

784	Sara B. Dreney	June 30, 1930
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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CLASS A CERTIFICATE.

901	Howard Wilbur	June 30, 1930
900	*Robert G. O'Connell	June 30, 1930
871	George E. Caswell	June 30, 1927
841	*Edward J. Gill	June 30, 1930
817	John F. Barnicle	June 30, 1930
813	*Francis J. Dillon	June 30, 1930
812	*Walter A. Cremen	June 30, 1930
793	Forrest Levis	June 30, 1930
795	George C. O'Brien	June 30, 1930
791	Francis J. Lyons	June 30, 1930

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, CLASS B CERTIFICATE.

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
827	Alice M. Burke	June 30, 1930

DAY CLERICAL SCHOOL CERTIFICATE

704	Jessie Kalter	June 30, 1930
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ASSISTANT IN MUSIC CERTIFICATE

929	Mary A. Kennedy	June 30, 1930
895	Helen J. Lynch	June 30, 1930

*Eligible for appointment after June 30, 1924.

Placed on file.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of June 2, 1924, recommending that Arthur B. Callahan, custodian of the John J. Williams School-house, be granted leave of absence for the period May 21 to 27, 1924, on one-half his net compensation because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of June 2, 1924, recommending that the leave of absence granted Michael H. Murphy, custodian, Mather School-house, be extended for the further period June 1 to June 30, 1924, inclusive, on one-half net compensation because of his physical condition.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

APPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of June 2, 1924, reporting that he has considered the candidates certified by the Division of Civil Service as eligible for appointment to the custodianships of schoolhouses, and recommending the following appointments:

James J. Keane, who stands at the head of the list, to the Sharp School-house, to take effect June 2, 1924.

John J. McDonough, number two on the list, to the Nahum Chapin School-house, to take effect June 15, 1924.

Arthur G. Weymouth and Joseph Ginty, number four and five on the list, as regular substitute custodians, to take effect June 15, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointments approved, to take effect on the date stated.

COMPLAINT AGAINST A SCHOOL CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of June 2, 1924, reporting a school custodian for neglect of duty. Referred to the Trial Board for investigation and report.

APPROVAL OF CHAPTER 330, ACTS OF 1924.

On motion, it was unanimously ORDERED, That Chapter 330 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Relative to the Salaries of the Members of the Board of Commissioners of the Schoolhouse Department of the City of Boston," is hereby approved.

REPORT ON AUDIT OF BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS.

A communication was received from Grimes, Clarkson & Co., under date of May 21, 1924, submitting a report on their examination of the books and records of the Business Agent for the three months ended Apr. 30, 1924.

Placed on file.

PETITION FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF EVENING SCHOOL IN EVERETT SCHOOL.

A petition, signed by various residents of the Everett School District, for the establishment of an evening school for the teaching of elementary subjects and domestic science in the Everett School in the fall of 1924, was received.

Referred to the Superintendent.

SALARIES OF ASSISTANTS IN ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES AND SUPPLY ROOM.

A communication was received from the Salary Board, under date of May 24, 1924, submitting its report and recommendations relative to the classification and salaries of employees in the administrative offices and the supply room.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was ORDERED, That the classification and the compensation of the persons employed in the Administrative Offices and the Supply Room and the chauffeurs are hereby established

for the year beginning Feb. 1, 1924, except as otherwise indicated and until otherwise ordered as follows:

Class A	Per week
Louise Kane.....	\$36
Helen E. Kent.....	35
Helen W. McMahon..	35
Margaret Flynn.....	35
Ellen T. Ryan.....	35
Annie M. Burke.....	35
Katherine T. King...	35
Alice E. E. Taylor...	35
Elizabeth T. McSweeney	35
Class B.	
Bessie I. Towne.....	32
Edna F. Flynn.....	26
Elizabeth T. Jenkins	20
M. Isabel Mace.....	27
Florence Turkington..	32
Claude H. Bates.....	30
Mary M. Bowen.....	31
Dorothy E. Brooks...	22 from Sept. 4, 1924
Helen L. Buckley....	24
Mary G. Cleary.....	27
Margaret V. Conway...	22 from Sept. 4, 1924
Elizabeth T. Cooney...	28
Marie T. Corkery	32
Margaret E. Donovan	24
Elizabeth D. Duffy...	20 from Apr. 1, 1924
Adelaide P. English	27
Mildred E. Fitzgerald	31
Marion L. Foster	31
Josephine A. Hanlon ..	24
Gertrude M. Harkins..	27
Catherine T. K. Healy	28
Frances Kenealy	32
Agnes G. Lawless	32
Margaret J. Lee	22
Lillian I. Levy	22 from Sept. 4, 1924
Grace A. Loring	27
Margaret F. Lynch	32
Mary T. Mahoney	32
Katherine T. McCarthy	32
Genevieve McCarthy ..	22 from Oct. 1, 1924
Kathryn E. Merrill ..	27
Dorothea C. Morris ..	28
Mary A. O'Brien	32
Mary L. O'Brien	32
Theresa B. O'Connell..	26
Mary E. Shepherd....	27
Anna M. Toomey	25
Esther F. Wolfson	20 from Apr. 23, 1924
Ruth Yankelewitz	20 from Mar. 10, 1924
Alice E. McCormack ..	23 from Oct. 15, 1924
Agnes E. Reynolds	32
John E. Whelan	20
Ellen M. Barry	32
Anna R. Carnoy	28 from Nov. 5, 1924
Mary B. Crotty	32
Mary E. Farrell	23
Mary E. Ford	20 from Mar. 4, 1924
Mary J. Hennessey ..	32
Margaret E. Hicks	32
Annie V. Hillis	32
Mary C. Madden	31
Helena C. Mahony	32
Rose A. McBrien	32
Mary T. McDermott ..	22 from Oct. 15, 1924
Mary T. McKenna	22 from May 14, 1924
Alice G. Mulvey	22 from Sept. 4, 1924
Lillian Shaw	22 from Sept. 4, 1924
Louisa A. Whelan	22 from Oct. 26, 1924
Elsie I. Winsor	24
Assistants, Supply Room, and Chauffeurs.	
William F. Butler	32
Amos M. Kierstead ..	32
Frank L. Kelliher	32
William L. Reardon ..	35
Fred L. Wetherbee ..	45
George A. McKendry ..	30
Rae A. Sweet	30
Thos. Murphy, chauff'r	31
John A. Walsh, chauff'r	32

PETITION FOR PERMANENT APPOINTMENT OF A TEMPORARY TEACHER.

Mr. Sullivan presented a communication from Lieut. Harry B. Roche, temporary instructor of drum and bugle corps, addressed to the School Committee under date of Apr. 4, 1924, petitioning for permanent appointment.

Mr. Sullivan moved that the prayer of the petitioner be granted. A roll call being ordered, the motion failed of passage by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. O'Hare, Mr. Sullivan—2.

NAYS—Miss Curtis, Dr. Scannell, Dr. Bogan—3.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The five orders laid over at the meeting of May 19, 1924, making changes in the authorized list of text and supplementary books were taken up and passed collectively and unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.
Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 5, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening, relocation and construction of Cambridge street and Court street, Boston proper district, as highways, from Charles street to Brattle street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of June 18, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(June 14.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 5, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and buildings supposed to belong to the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of America, located on Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury district, containing approximately 196,202 square feet, for hospital and infirmary purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of June 24, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(June 14.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FOUR NEW FORD TRUCKS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Water Service, Public Works Department, 710 Albany street,

Three new Ford runabouts with bodies.
Seven old trucks offered in exchange.

The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$200, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies before Friday, June 20, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(June 14.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT IN STATE STREET, FROM DEVONSHIRE STREET ACROSS MERCHANTS ROW, CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for wood block pavement in State street, from Devonshire street across Merchants row, city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eight thousand (8,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Wood Block Pavement in State Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor City Hall Annex before 12 m. on Monday, June 23, 1924, with a certified check for eight hundred (800) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 12, 1924. (June 14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO HEATING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing a heating system in the Hobart Street School, near Brooks street, Brighton, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, June 24, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(June 14.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR BUTTER.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the City of Boston, butter, as per specifications, to be delivered as required for a period ending January 31, 1925. Blank proposals can be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read on Friday, June 20, 1924, at 12 o'clock m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part of a proposal and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(June 14.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN CANTERBURY STREET, BETWEEN EXISTING SEWER WEST OF ANGELL STREET AND POINT 250 FEET WESTERLY, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Canterbury street, between existing sewer west of Angell street and point 250 feet westerly, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Canterbury Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, June 23, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works
Boston, June 12, 1924. (June 14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE SURFACE ON TERRACE AROUND THE REFECTORY BUILDING, FRANKLIN PARK.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for concrete surface on terrace around the refectory building, Franklin Park. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Concrete Surface on Terrace Around the Refectory Building, Franklin Park" and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, June 26, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,500 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(June 14-21.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO HEATING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston, invite sealed proposals for installing new heating system in the Parkman School, Broadway, South Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, June 20, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(June 14.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND LOAMING AT DORCHESTER PARK, DORCHESTER.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street Boston, invite proposals for grading and loaming at Dorchester park, Dorchester. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Loaming at Dorchester Park, Dorchester," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, June 18, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$5,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(June 14.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 10, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land on the southwesterly side of Heath street, adjoining the Jefferson School, Roxbury district, supposed to belong to Frederick Bleiler, containing approximately 180,900 square feet, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of July 1, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(June 14-21.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 10, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, West Roxbury district, supposed to belong to Franciscan Monastery of St. Clare, containing approximately 88,418 square feet for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of July 1, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(June 14-21.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR RENTING BOATS AND REFRESHMENT PRIVILEGE.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, for leasing for a term of three years the refreshment privilege and rental of boats concession at the public landing, City Point, South Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, June 19, 1924, at the said office, with a certified check for \$100, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(June 14.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN BISMARCK STREET, GERMANIA STREET, LA GRANGE STREET, WEST ROXBURY, RUSKIN ROAD, HYDE PARK AND WABASH STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 2,000 feet of 8-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Bismarck street, Germania street, La Grange street, West Roxbury; Ruskin road, Hyde Park, and Wabash street, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Bismarck Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, June 20, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 12, 1924. (June 14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CONTRACTORS FOR HARDWARE.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required or necessary for the complete equipment of the elementary school, Roger Wolcott District, Blue Hill avenue and Harvard street, Dorchester, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, June 24, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(June 14.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 5, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land in the Roxbury district, bounded by Proctor street, Massachusetts avenue and Shirley street, adjoining the William Eustis Playground, containing approximately 96,065 square feet, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of June 24, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(June 14.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PORTLAND CEMENT CONCREE PAVEMENT IN CENTRE STREET, FROM JOHN ELIOT SQUARE TO COLUMBUS AVENUE, ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for Portland cement concrete pavement in Centre street, from John Eliot square to Columbus avenue, Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirty-five (35,000) thousand dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Portland Cement Concrete Pavement in Centre Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, June 24, 1924, with a certified check for thirty-five hundred (3,500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 12, 1924. (June 14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ASSEMBLING 200 6-INCH GATE VALVES; 200 8-INCH GATE VALVES; 50 10-INCH GATE VALVES; 200 12-INCH GATE VALVES.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for assembling 200 6-inch gate valves; 200 8-inch gate valves; 50 10-inch gate valves; 200 12-inch gate valves. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company, approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seven thousand (7,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Assembling Gate Valves," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, June 20, 1924, with a certified check for seven hundred (700) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 12, 1924. (June 14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the Trustee of the Boston Sanatorium I shall sell at public auction upon the premises, Wednesday, June 18, 1924, at 11 a. m. the brick buildings Nos. 57, 59 and 61 East Concord street, Boston, the same to be demolished and removed from the lots on or before July 18, 1924. The successful bidder must furnish a bond satisfactory to the Trustees of the sanatorium for the full completion of the work, and to protect the City of Boston against all damages. Also remove all dirt caused by removing building and erect a temporary fence along the property lines of Harrison avenue and East Concord street and allow for party wall between 55 and 57 East Concord street. The city authorities reserve the right to confirm bids.

Terms: Cash at time of sale.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer.
(June 14.) 28 School Street, Boston, Mass.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for doing painting work at the High School of Commerce, Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, June 27, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a copy of the specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the specifications.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 10, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land on the southwesterly side of Almont street, Dorchester district, known as "Collins Field," containing approximately 675,688 square feet for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of July 1, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(June 14-21.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 5, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and buildings thereon, bounded by Condor, East Eagle and Glendon streets, East Boston district, containing approximately 147,476 square feet, and supposed to belong to Alice M. Coleman, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of June 24, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(June 14.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 10, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and buildings adjoining property of the City of Boston (library) and bounded by Academy Hill road, Chestnut Hill avenue and Winship street, Brighton district, supposed to belong to Delia M. Cauley, for courthouse purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of July 1, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(June 14-21.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING APPROXIMATELY TEN DOUBLE TEAMS WITH DUMP CARTS, SIX SINGLE TEAM EXPRESS WAGONS, ONE TWO-TON AUTO TRUCK AND TWO OR MORE FIVE-TON TRUCKS, WHENEVER REQUIRED.

Proposals on separate blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, for furnishing approximately ten double teams with dump carts, six single team express wagons, one two-ton auto truck and two or more five-ton trucks, whenever required, for one year, with suitable drivers, all twenty years of age or older, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, June 24, 1924, at the said office, with a certified check for \$200, with each separate proposal, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for \$3,000 as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. Before an award is made of this contract, the Commissioners will insist upon an examination of the stock and equipment of each bidder and a report of the same must be made by a veterinarian assigned for this purpose. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(June 14-21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for alterations, etc., in the Teachers College or Normal Groups comprising the following schools: Normal, P. A. Collins, Girls' Latin, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, Fenway, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday, June 18, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 1, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$2,500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for alterations, etc., to the building at 300 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, Lewis District, giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Board therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, 1007 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 1, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$5,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a set of heating and ventilating or electrical plans, with specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 14.)

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CALLS VETO OF POSTAL CLERKS' SALARY BILL BY PRESIDENT COOLIDGE MEANEST TO COME OUT OF WHITE HOUSE.

MAYOR CURLEY, IN ADDRESS AT LAWRENCE, BITTERLY SCORES AS MOST UNJUST THE ACT WHICH DENIED TO A PATIENT, LOYAL GROUP OF CITIZENS AND THEIR FAMILIES A FAIR, LIVING, AND SAVING WAGE.

Mayor Curley, speaking before the postoffice employees at Lawrence June 15, bitterly scored President Coolidge for failure to grant to letter carriers the increase in pay provided for in bill passed by Congress. He said in part:

I know of no body of workers, public or private, that come into more intimate touch with the American people than the employees of the United States Postal Service. Day after day, year in and year out, the heavy-laden letter carrier comes to our homes and offices, smiling and cheerful, bringing us the letters and the news that affect our fate and fortunes, our business and happiness. No class of men in the public service is better known. Everybody knows the long hours and constant labor of the letter carrier; in all and every kind of weather he comes to our doors laden like a pack horse; everybody is his friend and he is everybody's friend. The little children hail him and the frisking dogs run to him; he is the best known man in every neighborhood in the broad republic from city street to country pike; his name is legion; useful, regular, constant, he is part and parcel of our daily life; there are 300,000 of him scattered up and down the United States and there are 120,000,000 people interested in him, and concerned about his work and welfare. Everybody knows this plodding, cheery man in gray, who tramps from door to door. He is a fine combination of physical strength, mental intelligence and constant courtesy. To the majority of our democracy he is the United States Government, for he is the only visible representative of it they come in contact with; they respect him and like him; they wish him well and want him well treated, for the letter carrier is a man of the people.

All through the broad land the people have gone to their representatives in Congress and said to them, "The letter carrier is the most poorly paid man in the government service; he is hard put to it to keep his home and raise his family in decency and self-respect and we want our representative to remedy this neglect and provide for him as a rich and powerful government should provide for its useful and worthy servants."

The people asked for it; Congress translated this wide public demand into the legislation called the Kelly-Edge Bill and passed it by handsome majorities with Senate and House; and in the teeth of a popular mandate President Calvin Coolidge vetoed the bill, and instead of the bread that was asked for the letter carrier and his little ones he gave them a stone.

It is one of the meanest and most unjust vetoes that has come out of the White House in years; it is another of those financial injustices inflicted on the plain people upon which President Coolidge has sought to build up a sham reputation for patriotism and political courage in the name of a cold and calculating economy. The application of the peculiar thrift of the President is variable; for letter carriers, disabled veterans, widows and orphans and those who have no influence or weight in banks and stock exchanges it becomes political penury; it fades away when it is in contact with protected industries, bogus welfare and educational schemes, international banking demands and the urgent needs of greasy grafters and powerful plunderers.

Translated into plain language Coolidge economy means "Millions for the rich and powerful, not one cent for the common people, who merely work and serve." Let us examine this bill, its purpose, and its strangulation by the cool, calculating Coolidge veto.

The Kelly-Edge Bill was widely advertised as an increase of salary for some 300,000 postal employees, the average increase being set at \$300. What the bill was really intended to do was to readjust the salaries of the postal employees, so that every dollar paid them by the government would be a real dollar worth 100 cents. When these salaries were fixed in other days the dollar was worth 100 cents; but while the face of the dollar is still 100 cents, its purchasing power is only 69 cents. And what you can buy for your dollar is its real value. The food, clothing and shelter that cost a dollar in 1914 when the war started, cost \$1.43 today, and the purpose of the Kelly-Edge Bill was to give the postal em-

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CHICAGO POSTAL CLERKS, IN LETTER TO MAYOR CURLEY, SCORE LODGE FOR COLDNESS IN MATTER OF PAY BILL.

Mayor Curley received the following communication on June 19:

CHICAGO, June 17, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—We wish on behalf of the 3,700 members of Local No. 1, and the 350,000 postal employees throughout the country to express our sincere thanks to you for the noble spirit you manifested in extending the key of welcome to that grand old warrior and champion of the cause of the working man and the brave patriotic defenders of our country, the Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge.

We believe the same chilly feeling from which he suffered and the lack of regard for the welfare and comfort of more than a million dependent wives and children was the cause of the defeat of our pay increase bill.

Yours sincerely,

CHICAGO POST OFFICE CLERKS' UNION,
LOCAL NO. 1, NATIONAL FEDERATION OF POST OFFICE CLERKS.

DAVID W. JOHNSON,
CARL G. TAFLE,
P. S. McHUGH,
Committee.

SOL COHEN,

President.

WILLIAM F. STELZER,
Secretary.

STRIKE ON CITY WORK ENDS.

Following a day of conference at City Hall Thursday and with contractors, Secretary Johnson of the Building Trades Council informed Mayor Curley that the strike on many city contracts, which has been in operation for a week, have ended and the men returned to work Friday morning.

The basis of settlement is an agreement that the prevailing wage shall be paid on all future contracts, for teamsters, laborers and mechanics, and that contractors now at work on jobs for the city shall observe the union schedules.

The strike has caused much embarrassment to the various city departments, but upon all contracts where there is a specific time limit the time will be extended as necessary.

Mayor Curley has addressed the department heads as follows:

"As a result of conference held with the representatives of the Building Trades Council of the A. F. of L., an agreement was reached by which all future contracts awarded by municipal departments shall contain a provision that the prevailing rate of wages be paid, not only to teamsters and mechanics but also to laborers.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, July 7, at two o'clock p. m.

A special meeting of the School Committee Monday, June 23, at 6.30 o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

BUNKER HILL DAY EXHIBITION AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

To commemorate the anniversary of Bunker Hill Day, there was arranged in the Barton Room at the Boston Public Library an exhibition of manuscripts, documents and broadsides relating to the battle.

The resolution of the Committee of Safety to Defend the Hill—drawn up two days before the battle, at the headquarters in Cambridge—was perhaps the most interesting among the exhibited papers. "Whereas it appears of Importance to the Safety of this Colony, that possession of the Hill called Bunker's Hill in Charlestown, be securely kept, and defended; . . . therefore Resolved Unanimously that it be recommended to the Council of War, that the above mentioned Bunker's Hill be maintained by sufficient force being posted there . . ." runs the manuscript, in the hand writing of J. Ward, secretary of the committee.

A letter by Gen. Israel Putnam, written on the morning of the day of the battle, was the next piece in the exhibition case. The general notifies the Committee on Supplies at Watertown of the sending to them of "Eighteen Barrels of powder which he received from the Gov. & Council of Connecticut for the use of the Army . . ." etc. This letter belongs to the Chamberlain autograph collection of the library. Bound in the volume are many original notes by Col. William Prescott, who shared the command at Bunker Hill with General Putnam. Some of these little notes were written during the actual fight containing orders or asking for more guns and powder.

Among the printed documents the broadside published by Francis Bailey at Lancaster, on the 26th of June, 1775, was of the greatest interest. "By an

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

Express arrived at Philadelphia on Saturday evening, last we have the following account of the battle at Charlestown . . ." begins the narrative. The account was taken, and told in terse, crisp language, by Elijah Hide, of Lebanon, who "was a spectator on Winter's Hill, during the whole action."

A large "Sketch of the Action," with the positions of the British and the Revolutionary forces, and of their ships and batteries, gave a vivid idea of the strategic events of the day. It contains the maps of the whole peninsula and seems to be drawn with technical accuracy. There is perhaps room for doubt as to its historical accuracy. The sketch was published in England and speaks of "his Majesty's troops" in distinction to the "Rebels." But an engraving published in the "Pennsylvania Magazine," two months after the battle, shows "to the subscribers the Correct View of the late Battle at Charlestown. . . ." The engraving with its simple drawing of the hills, the troops, frigates, cannons, etc., is exceedingly charming.

Of the literary publications of the day—now on exhibition—"The Battle of Bunker Hill, a dramatic piece of five acts, in heroic measure," is the rarest. The drama was written "By a gentleman of Maryland" (Hugh Henry Brackenridge), and was printed and sold by Robert Bell, in Philadelphia, 1776. John Daly Burk's "Bunker Hill; or, the death of General Warren, an historic tragedy," is of later date. It was published in 1797, by Greenleaf in New York.

It is, perhaps, worth while to point once more to the origin of the name of "Bunker." James Froude, the eminent English historian, mentioned once to a friend that when at Boston he had not been able to find anyone who could tell him how the hill received its name.

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FLAG DAY TIME FOR COUNTRY TO TAKE STOCK OF ITS PATRIOTISM.

MAYOR CURLEY RECALLS TO BOSTON CITIZENS THE FACT THAT OLD GLORY IS DEDICATED TO PRINCIPLES OF EQUALITY AND DESTRUCTION OF OLD DIVINE RIGHT THEORY.

In his Flag Day address on Boston Common, Mayor Curley spoke as follows:

Boston has furnished in every crisis examples of courage and of patriotism that have been an inspiration to every portion of the United States and to the people of the whole world over, but I question if during her long history a better example of courage and of patriotism has ever been furnished than you good women and men have provided today by your presence here despite the inclement weather. I wish there were some method by which we might transfer to the seat of our government some of that courage, some of that self-reliance, some of that patriotism which you good women and men exemplify here today. Flag Day, made sacred and observable through the auspices of the B. P. O. E., will today be observed in every portion of America where a lodge of Elks may be found.

The story of the American Flag and the history of the American Republic will be told and retold and no story written by men in the last nineteen centuries will approach in interest or inspiration the story of our flag and the story of our country. After all it represents something more than the self-sacrifice of the women and men, less than three million in number, through whose service the American Republic became a reality and the American flag became something to conjure with in the history of the long, toilsome and the bloody, uphill march of humanity, covering a period of 1800 years of struggle and sacrifice by good women and men for the creation of government dedicated to the principle of equality, dedicated to the liberation of the individual and the destruction of the old divine right theory. Just so long, my friends, as the world is constituted as at present, despite our present friendly foreign relations, and as long as the world is made up of republics and of monarchies, just so long as it is necessary to preserve this republic and perpetuate the privileges which we have enjoyed and the heritage we are the custodians of we must so safeguard our national integrity that it will be possible to transfer to posterity the rights, privileges and heritages that are ours through the sacrifice of those who have gone before.

Flag Day is a time, as the business man would say, to take an account of stock and when we do so we are shocked at the conditions that confront us. As Americans, charged with the grave responsibility of preserving our national heritage intact, we have before us the spectacle of our national governing body adjourning without action on the vital question of national defence; and we have before us the amazing spectacle of a nation, proud of its education, refinement, intelligence and wealth becoming a party to a disarmament program that promises to leave America defenceless. How are you going to rectify it? There is no way to change it, except by a change in the control of affairs of our government nationally. The 5-5-3 trade was

right in principle, it was alluring in theory, but how about its practical operation? At the close of the World War there was only one nation in the whole world in a position to carry on a major program of naval defence, America. The only solvent nation in the world was our own America; and yet we agreed to restrict our ships of war until there should be a more even distribution among the powers. What has happened? You recall when the news came during the Spanish-American War that Admiral Dewey had sunk the Spanish fleet without the loss of a single American ship, we all cheered and threw our hats in the air. How many of you realize that on neither Spanish ship nor Spanish fortification that day in Manila Bay was there a single gun that had a range within one mile of the range of the guns on Dewey's fleet. It wasn't a battle. It was a potting exhibition. Dewey stood beyond the three mile range of the Spanish guns and destroyed them without fear of injury. The 5-5-3 trade is simply another potting exhibition. Great Britain today has a range of a mile further on her battleship guns than America, and what Dewey did at Manila Great Britain could do tomorrow to us. Congress knew this, but it adjourned without carrying through the battle cruiser program that would have created equality between the nations and protected the rights of America.

How about the nation across the water to whose defence we rushed during the World War, our sister republic? She was honorable so far as stripping ships was concerned, but she began a program of aeroplane armament that gives her the mastery of the air today with 100 planes to every one in the possession of America.

You remember a short while ago a beautiful ship looking like a huge cigar, sailed over our city,—the "Shenandoah." Did you ever stop to think that if the "Shenandoah" had five tons of luxite, or five tons of T. N. T. and dropped either into the heart of a city that it could absolutely annihilate Boston, New York, or any other community on the Atlantic seaboard.

What else have we done? We have prohibited the Japanese to come in here. They have been building aeroplanes; they have ten to our one, and their naval superiority over America is unquestioned. It is all right to tell any one to go way back and sit down—provided you have the strength to compel compliance. We are like a blind man in the midst of a forest. We are groping around without sense of direction, without objective. We are without a constructive program that will safeguard the most precious heritage of the whole world, the American Republic and the American flag. It is about time for a change.

Switzerland taught us a lesson during the recent World War. It is only a small country and has not a very large population but for a period of 100 years there has not been a cowardly bully among all the nations of Europe that dared invade little Switzerland. And

why? Every man of military age knows not only how to shoulder a gun but how to use it.

The sooner we learn in America how to fire a gun the more certain is our heritage.

We have got an interesting situation in America. We have the Bolsheviks and Reds of the Northwest, who want to destroy all means of National defence, who pledge themselves to peace on earth at any price and good will to all except America. We have another element, a very powerful religious organization, which like the Quakers of old, don't believe in fighting anybody; but the time always comes in the life of a man when he must fight whether it is with a nation or a finance commission. When the time does arrive we should be prepared. What are we doing? These good men here who are in the uniform of Uncle Sam have dedicated their lives to the service of their country and their government. After years of intensive military training, service and experience, what is their future to be? Never more than \$7,000 a year, never sufficient money to own a home of their own, never anything but the knowledge that they are rendering a service money cannot buy to the best land in the whole world—America and the stars and stripes. They are entitled to an encouragement and support as loyal as they give. We have got the American army down to the vanishing point. There are less men in the American army than there are officers in the Mexican army. We have so reduced and hamstringed the American navy that today it is not much more potent than the swan-boats on the Frog Pond. A pretty nice situation. What can we do? The citizen soldiery system of Switzerland is declared to be the best example of intelligent military thought and organization for national defence. From our public high schools of Boston we turn out ten thousand pupils a year, with the number increasing as we go on, unless we abandon the custom and tradition; with ten times that number from the city of New York, four times that number from the city of Chicago, three times that number from Philadelphia, and an equal number from Cleveland and Detroit, six American cities can turn out 70,000 men with a year's military training and discipline from our public high schools, and if we send those boys into the federal training camps at the end of their school study, building them up physically and morally, teaching them habits of discipline and good citizenship, and if we adopt that plan and program in every city and town of the nation, in ten years we will have a reserve of ten million well-trained Americans, familiar with the facts of history, appreciative of the blessings enjoyed by them as Americans, eager and ready, if the necessity arises, to make the supreme sacrifice for the preservation of all that is humanly worth while that exists under and is symbolized by the best flag in the whole world, the stars and stripes.

CITY WORKERS MAY ATTEND CONVENTION.

BOSTON, June 12, 1924.

To the Heads of Departments:

You are hereby authorized to grant leave of absence, without loss of pay, to all employees of the city who are delegates to the American Legion Convention, to be held in Pittsfield, Mass., August 21, 22 and 23, 1924.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing approximately ten double teams with dump carts, six single team express wagons and two-ton and five-ton auto trucks when required. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for concrete surface on terrace around the refectory building, Franklin Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, June 26, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for alterations at the Parkman Bandstand for broadcasting system. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 2, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing piers and fender guards of Summer Street Bridge, over Reserved Channel, South Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for two electrically operated ferry bridges with gallows frames and accompanying machinery. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$50,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for foundations for ferry bridges for the South Ferry. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000,

to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bids, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, June 25, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for wood block pavement in State street, from Devonshire street across Merchants row, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$800, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for Portland cement concrete pavement in Centre street, from John Eliot square to Columbus avenue, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$35,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for artificial stone sidewalks in various streets as indicated in accompanying advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$15,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for Portland cement concrete pavement in the several streets named in accompanying advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$50,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 2, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Canterbury street, between existing sewer west of Angell street and point 25) feet westerly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 23, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for making certain changes in the heating system in the Sherwin School, Sterling street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent

of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing finish hardware for the equipment of the elementary school, Roger Wolcott District, Blue Hill avenue and Harvard street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing a heating system in the Hobart School, near Brook street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, June 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for doing painting work at the High School of Commerce, Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 27, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for alterations, etc., in the Teachers College or Normal Group, comprising the following schools: P. A. Collins, Girls' Latin, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, Fenway, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for alterations, etc., to the Lewis School building at 300 Walnut avenue, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

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VETO OF POSTAL CLERK'S SALARY BILL.

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ployees a square deal and not to pay them in 69-cent dollars. By calling the measure a raise in salaries instead of an adjustment of values, the President attempted to deceive the American public and transform a piece of chicanery and word-juggling into economy and patriotism. Let us illustrate this matter so that anybody and everybody can understand the purpose of the bill and the purpose of the President.

The salaries to be adjusted by the Kelly-Edge Bill range from \$1,400 to \$2,000 a year, from \$27 to \$39 a week, on paper. Reckoned in the actual value of its purchasing power and in 69-cent dollars, the \$1,400 salary becomes \$966; the \$1,500 drops to \$1,035; the \$1,700 to \$1,173 and the \$2,000 becomes \$1,380; and written in terms of weekly wages these salaries become \$18.60, \$20, \$22.50 and \$26.50. These are the actual values; they represent what the 69-cent dollar means in the grocer and butcher shop; in the office of the landlord and the clothing dealer.

Will any self-respecting American citizen say that the scale of wages, paid by the richest government on earth to the most useful and hard-working employees in its service, is just, equitable and in harmony with the rates prevailing in private employment? Can we expect public servants receiving such starvation wages to maintain their homes and families in decency and comfort? And yet when the people of America and the Congress of the United States undertake to correct this crying evil and to do simple justice to them, the President of the United States denies it and condemns an army of 300,000 employees and their families to standards of wage and work that no private employer would dare to pay and no government concerned for the national honor should.

This in the sacred name of economy, an economy that has neither the heart of mercy nor the bowels of compassion, an economy whose temple is in Wall street, and whose high priests are in the stock exchanges. The thrift that is sheer meanness cannot be transformed into even a shadow of patriotism or a shred of courage; it has pure unadulterated meanness, only that; and the veto is as cold and callous as its author.

Meantime we must contain our souls in patience, until the days of November when vetoes can answer vetoes, and the American citizen who loves decency and fair play—and there are 300,000 of them in the postal service—can register his opinion of the economy that spells dishonor and betrayal. In November we can decide many things. We can then say unmistakably what is courage and what is patriotism. We can then tell the world of America what forces and influences are to be dominant and decisive in this republic; the voice of the people and the action of Congress, or the hand guided and directed by those who serve the brazen god of mammon and the twisted god of thrift, by them who are the industrial sweaters of children, the degraders of labor and the pinchers of bellies. In November the mandate of the people can rid us of Postmaster General New, the discarded politician repudiated by indignant Indiana, rehabilitated by President Harding and retained by President Coolidge in a

cabinet he has lacked the conscience to rebuke and the courage to restrain; yet New, joining hands with the forces of reaction and bogus economy, was persuasive enough to dash the hopes and happiness of 300,000 of his employees.

The shallow sophistry of the Presidential veto, its pharisaical appeal to those who place cash above conscience and money above man, the hypocrisy that makes ingratitude and injustice do duty for honor and patriotism, are apparent to all. The President in his anxiety to pose as economist, patriot and hero has ignored the verdict of the United States Department of Labor, which after thorough investigation has reported that the average American family consists of five persons and that it cannot be maintained in comfort and decency on less than \$2,500 a year; and this sum is less than any salary contained in the Kelly-Edge Bill. But what are the comfort and decency of an American home and family to a candidate on the edge of an election, anxious to establish a reputation for courage, patriotism, and economy? November will readjust his views.

From the personal life experiences of President Coolidge one might expect to find a more human and kindly outlook on the conditions of his fellows. The man who has passed by luck and accident from the leanness of a Vermont hill town and the overalls and milking pail of a farmer's boy to the fatness of the White House and the spats and silk hat of a President, must have learned in the journey from obscurity to acclaim something of the anxieties and difficulties that beset the road of underpaid postal employees, disabled veterans, poverty-stricken widows and orphans, and that great helpless army he has sacrificed by his vetoes and the shabby shrine of a shabby economy. Apparently he has learned nothing; the sorrows and trials of other and less fortunate men and women do not touch his heart; he has spurned the flesh and blood of warm humanity to serve other interests as cold as selfish; and made the deprivation and discomfort of millions of homes and families the price of his own aggrandizement.

A great wrong has been done to an army of useful and patriotic public servants by President Coolidge; he has denied them justice and consideration and he has added insult to injury by attempting to exhibit them as raiders of the public treasury. The remedy, or shall I say the punishment, for the disservice lies in the hands of the postal service employees and their friends, the citizens of the United States, who can and will register their opinion of the presidential acts in the ballot boxes next November.

It is impossible to avoid making these vetoes political questions, even though they are primarily administrative and economic; but do not lose sight of the expenditures hidden from view and eliminated from public discussion in considering the stress laid by Mr. Coolidge's friends on the economic significance of his acts. He has signed and permitted to go into effect bills that are a sheer waste of public money and which are practically handed over to professional philanthropists and uplifters, educators and reformers, bogus farmers and plain grafters, to waste on enterprises that are as needless as they are noxious. This class of people, who meddle and man-

handle, war and waste and hang like flies on the national sugar barrel are close to his heart; but those who have served and sacrificed for this republic in peace and war, who are undervalued and underpaid, whose poverty is as palpable as the ingratitude of the government is apparent, are denied and derided, sacrificed and slandered that a reputation for election purposes may be manufactured.

Your own self-respect and manhood, your duty to your family and home, the good name of the country and the service urge you to organize and work, to appeal to your friends, to the conscience of America, that you may go to the polls in November, in unity and strength to teach to our temporary rulers the lesson that all politicians, big and little, high and low, must learn sooner or later, that public opinion cannot be defied with safety, that public honor cannot be smirched with impunity and that public duty cannot be neglected and denied without penalty.

A presidential reputation for courage, patriotism, thrift and financial vigilance may be established on humbug, hypocrisy and false pretence, but it will be a very fragile reputation, one that will stand very little wear and tear. As the immortal Lincoln has so shrewdly said, "You may fool some of the people some of the time, but you can't fool all the people all the time."

Yours is a work of education and enlightenment, to establish your good name and the justice of your case; and to show the enemies of your just demands to the country in their true light.

Go to it. Begin today.

SALARY INCREASES.

The following salary increases have been approved by the Mayor to take effect April 1, except as otherwise specified:

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Suffolk School for Boys.

Retroactive from April 4:

Michael Doherty, watchman, from \$900 to \$1,000 a year.

James Costello, watchman, from \$900 to \$1,000 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Service.

The following increases in the Water Service have been approved (effective from April 4):

John P. Gately, from meter reader at \$1,500 a year to meter reader inspector and clerk at \$5.25 a day, 7 days per week.

John E. Tierney, from mechanic at \$5 a day to master mechanic at \$1,800 a year.

John Burns, from laborer at \$4 a day to chauffeur at \$5 a day.

John F. Burke, from laborer at \$4 a day to chauffeur at \$5 a day.

Joseph A. Phipps, from laborer at \$4 to chauffeur at \$5 a day.

Patrick F. Clougherty, from mechanic at \$4.25 a day to chauffeur at \$5 a day.

PUBLIC LIBRARY EXHIBITION.

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Now the name is from George Bunker, an early land owner in Charlestown. In the same historical writing which tells the story it is also remembered that "Breed's Hill was the real scene of the operations; Bunker's Hill, which was intended to be fortified, being considerably more distant from Boston."

STRIKE ON CITY WORK ENDS.*(Continued from page 1025.)*

"The prevailing rate of wages paid to laborers at the present time is 65 cents per hour, and you are hereby directed to inform all contractors doing business with your department that they must anticipate payment of this wage and conform to it in connection with bids which they from time to time submit on work to be done for the city.

"I am desirous that you further instruct all contractors who submit bids that a complaint of failure to pay the prevailing rate of wages, when proven, in future, will constitute sufficient grounds for refusal to make award to the offending firm."

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.*(Continued from page 1028.)***SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.**

Advertises for proposals for painting work at the Miles Standish School, Roxbury street. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing a heating system in the Quincy Street School, corner Stanley street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for painting work at the Julia Ward Howe School, Dale and Sherman streets, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the finish hardware for the equipment of the elementary school, Edmund P. Tileston District, Walk Hill street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering furniture to the various schoolhouses. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department,

Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering furniture to the various schools. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing new heating system in the Horace Mann School, Exeter and Newbury streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for painting the interior of Bowdoin School, Myrtle street, West End. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for reconstruction and alteration of the Bennett School, Chestnut Hill avenue and Dighton street, Brighton district. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Teachers College, formerly the Normal Group, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, the Fenway. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, June 11. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

*Bids close Thursday, July 3, at 12 m.***SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.**

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room

801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, June 27, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

*Bids close Friday, June 27, at 12 m.***CONTRACTS AMENDED.**

Carmine Russo has been allowed to amend his contract for building wall and fence at the Ellen Richards School in the Dorchester District, Beaumont street, by striking out the words and figures: "December 1, 1923," on page 12, Section 4, and substituting therefor the words and figures: "June 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 4, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about October 6, 1923, and is to be completed on or before June 1, 1924."

Carmine Russo has been allowed to amend his contract for building wall and fence at the Charles Bulfinch School in the Roxbury District, Parker street and Fisher avenue, by striking out the words and figures: "December 1, 1923," on page 12, Section 4, and substituting therefor the words and figures: "June 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 4, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about November 6, 1923, and is to be completed on or before June 1, 1924."

EMPLOYEES THANK MAYOR.

Mayor Curley received the following letter June 13:

MUNICIPAL SEWER INSPECTORS' ASSOCIATION.

BOSTON, June 12, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—At the sixty-sixth regular meeting of the Municipal Sewer Inspector's Association, held at St. Rose Hall, Wednesday evening, June 11, I was instructed to send you a letter of appreciation for the increases in salaries which we have received and to thank you for the same. Also, to let you know that the association voted to indorse your candidacy for Governor 100 per cent strong.

With best wishes from the members, I am,

Respectfully yours,

HENRY J. HOWARD,
Recording Secretary.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Highland Contracting Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Holton, etc., streets. Items ordered: Remove three (3) trees as directed in Holton street. Price to be paid, \$105. Estimated cost of extra work, \$105.

MAYOR CURLEY INVITES PITTSFIELD ELKS TO SHOW COUNTRY USEFULNESS DURING BOSTON CONVENTION.

TELLS THEM LATCH-STRING OF CITY IS OUT TO THEM AND A WARM HOSPITABLE GREETING AWAITS ALL GUESTS DURING GREAT ASSEMBLY NEXT MONTH.

Mayor Curley speaking before the Pittsfield Lodge of Elks on June 15 said in part:

Now that the great noiseless, well-oiled, time-clocked, chloroformed Cleveland Convention has folded its tents like the Arabs and silently stolen away from mere man and Americanism, it is a genuine pleasure to come to such a gathering as this where the ennobling spirit of humanity, brotherhood, friendship and kindness dominate, and the dignity of manhood, the worth of democracy, and where the grandeur of Americanism are never forgotten.

Up here in the atmosphere of the eternal Berkshire Hills, far from the tawdry ideals of the department store, the creeds of the mill magnate and the hokum of the financier, and in the company of men and brethren, a man may breathe freely, speak the truth that is in him, invite his soul and acclaim with confidence and sincerity the everlasting principles which the order of Elks preaches and practices, principles which have made life worth living, civilization worth conserving, and America worth preserving.

The principles of life and conduct which the Order of Elks professes, teaches and has constantly lived up to, constitute a code that appeals to every right-thinking, right-living man in whom the milk of human kindness is found; and because within its ranks and in its lodge rooms, equality, democracy and comradeship grow and flourish like sturdy oaks, it has become a typical American society, as great in numbers as it is in good works, which has demonstrated its right to live and last.

There are certain creeds of conscience and conduct that move and mark the heart and mind of the world and its civilization; they belong to all religions and to no religion; they represent the standards which all men agree on but which all men do not live up to; and they visualize a code of human relationship that embraces certain social fundamentals without which human association is impossible.

These fundamentals the Fathers of the republic sought to translate into the teaching of America if not into its laws; and these fundamentals, the binding cement of civilization—equality of treatment and opportunity, the brotherhood of men, the helping hand, the kindly word, duty to our fellow man, restraint of the strong, protection of the weak, fidelity to good causes, patriotism, respect for law and order, good government, the dignity of citizenship, liberty of action and opinion, and all that body we call Americanism. These things constitute the creed and code, the preaching and the practice of the Elks, the fundamentals they have never deviated from, the essentials they have sustained in peace and war by word and work; and because the order has translated its creed into practical activities, it has grown mightily into the esteem of the nation and the respect of the generations.

It is a proud honor today to be an Elk; the order has made its influence felt throughout the length and breadth of the land. The evidence of the sincerity of its principles is written in its benevolences, in the institutions it has established for the benefit of humanity, in its hospitals and asylums; in the constant stream of helpfulness flowing silently and healingly from the individual lodges; in its devotion to men and country in peace and war; and in that glorious roster of its members who have served and sacrificed that democracy might live, human liberty be preserved, America safeguarded and government of the people, for the people, by the people, be perpetuated on earth.

Every American community is made better and sweeter by the presence of a lodge of Elks in its midst, for that meeting place of men and brethren is a center of influence for good. There men meet in fellowship and kindness, under the blazing lights to plan the betterment of their fellows and preach the gospel of the helping hand. There none meet in darkness and disguise to preach hatred and intolerance, to plot and plan the injury of their neighbors and the curtailment of their rights and liberties; for every lodge of Elks is a vignette of the United States, where its Constitution is honored, its laws obeyed, its principles practiced and its spirit applauded. In a word wherever there is a lodge of Elks there is the United States of America; wherever an Exalted Ruler calls a meeting to order he speaks to a body of Americans loyal to God and Country and devoted to the Flag and Constitution. A great gathering of Elks from the four quarters of the republic will be held in Boston in the first week of July. It is fitting that this convention of a typically American order should be held in the cradle of American liberty, and as it gives promise to be the high tide of the progress of the fraternity, it is the duty of every loyal Elk to be in Boston to add to the success and glory of the week.

The latch-string of the ancient capital of Massachusetts will hang outward; all roads will lead to the old city; Boston has much to offer to every pilgrim seeking her hospitable environs; her monuments and associations can stir the heart of him who loves his country and would look over the scenes of its birth and cradling; the hospitality of Boston is proverbial and unailing; and as Mayor of the city and an Elk in good standing I can pledge you a warm welcome. Come to us in those pleasant days of summer, when nature is at her best and the beauty of hill and vale and sea and shore is a thing to see and an experience to carry away that will never fade from your hearts.

Come and show America in Boston the spectacle of a great and useful American fraternity in convention assembled, whose work and welfare carry in them the promise of safety and stability to our country.

TENANTS MAY REMAIN TILL FALL.

Tenants in the approximately 200 business buildings and dwellings to be affected by the projected Court-Cambridge streets widening probably will not be asked to vacate their respective premises before next fall, it developed at a public hearing by the Street Commissioners Thursday.

No opposition to the undertaking was voiced in the hearing, conducted by Chairman John Noyes. Answering a question of Representative John I. Fitzgerald, Public Works Commissioner Joseph A. Rourke affirmed that work on the subterranean conduits of one kind and another might be started this summer, but that families and business concerns in buildings to be sliced will not be called upon to quit the premises until afterward. Mr. Rourke said the start will be made in the Scollay square end of the job.

The Street Commissioners must, within ninety days of June 6, have the arrangements completed for settlements with various properties affected, the settlements to be approved by the Mayor. A resurvey of all properties involved must be made.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, June 19:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

John A. Reagan has been granted an extension of time for a period of 10 days upon piece work basis, as follows:

Counter book, 1½ cents per item; indexing, 20 cents per page; corporations, 5 cents per item.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, June 12:

Hanna Attridge, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Julia Norton, maid, \$468 a year; James Walsh, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Joseph Carney, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Michael McNally, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Jeremiah Lane, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, June 12:

Patrick McKinny, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Edward Gibbons, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Patience Libby, nurse, \$900 a year; Joseph Carney male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; John Corbett, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Hannah Attridge, maid, \$468 a year.

COMMITTEE FOR AMERICANISM.

Bernice Rein has been named in place of Margaret McNeil, as stenographer, at a salary of \$25 a week.

Audrey Lundy has been appointed temporarily, for a period of not more than five weeks, at a salary of \$20 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The following named masters on the fireboats have been granted increases in salary from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year:

William F. Slauenwhite, Engine 31; Thomas E. Morrissey, Engine 31; John D. McDonough, Engine 44; Lester N. Rob-

inson, Engine 44; Francis A. Nugent, Engine 47; Charles C. McNamara, Engine 47.

The following assistant engineers in the High Pressure Fire Service to engineers, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year:

John J. McNamara, Joseph F. Coleman, William J. Linskey, Egbert R. Murphy.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Dr. Charles F. Wilinsky has been detailed to attend the Fifty-first Annual Conference of Social and Health Agencies in Toronto, Canada, June 25 to July 2, at a cost of \$120.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Florence E. Kenway, employed in the Thorndike Laboratory, has been sent to the Rockefeller Institute to study photomicrography and electrocardiography, that she might do certain types of photography in connection with the research which is now being done in the research laboratories at a cost of \$140.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending June 12:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Henry H. April, assistant superintendent, \$23 a week; Abraham Wolf, assistant superintendent, \$23.06; a week; Arthur Rooney, porter, \$17.50 a week; Cleophas Henderson, porter, \$17.50 a week; George Nolan, porter, \$17.50 a week; Herbert Page, porter, \$17.50 a week; Timothy Hodges, kitchenman, \$15 a week; Daniel Horgan, cook's assistant, \$15 a week; David J. McCloskey, house porter, \$14 a week; Catherine Fitzgerald, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Bridgt Nazickian, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Catherine Cullen, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Brunette Tomei, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Margaret Madden, laundress, \$14 a week; Alice Riley, laundress, \$14 a week; Mary Margon, laundress, \$14 a week.

Temporary.—Lillian Duggan, telephone operator, \$22 a week; Mary Webber, kitchenwoman, \$15 a week; Arthur Sullivan, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week.

South Department.

Mary LaBelle, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Lena Pardy, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Letitia McBride, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

Temporary.—Margaret Griffin, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Catherine Joyce, laundress, \$14 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Edward Laskey, laundryman at \$20 a week to \$23 a week; Philip Ottenheimer, supervisor, at \$26 a week to \$1,800 a year; Charles J. Gately, assistant supervisor at \$23 a week to supervisor at \$26 a week; Arthur L. Boston, laundry porter, at \$17.50 a week to laundryman at \$20 a week.

South Department.

Alice Callahan, head nurse, at \$85 a month to day supervisor of nurses, at \$22 a week; Edith M. Grant, day supervisor of nurses at \$22 a week to assistant supervisor of nurses at \$26.25 a week.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

Margaret Donnelly, cleaner, at \$11.50 to temporary cook at \$17 a week; Chester Wood, house cleaner at \$11.50 to trans. porter at \$11 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, June 12:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Pierce Nagle, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Carl Kath.

William J. Sullivan, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Lawrence Nutley.

Delia O'Toole, institutions employee, at a salary of \$600 a year, new position.

Mary Welch, institutions employee, at a salary of \$600 a year, new position.

William Coughlin, attendant, at a salary of \$600 a year, to succeed Leo Mooney.

Mary A. Anderson, institutions employee, at a salary of \$525 a year, to succeed Josephine Donnelly.

House of Correction.

James A. Griffin, officer (clothes cutter), at a salary of \$1,100 a year, new position.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Michael Connor, fireman, at a salary of \$1,000 a year, temporary.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Thomas Dooley has been promoted from laborer at \$4.50 a day to second-class gardener at \$5 a day.

Patrick J. McDermott has been promoted from laborer at \$4.50 a day to machinist's helper at \$5 a day.

Francis X. McLaughlin has been granted temporary appointment for a period of three months as a physical instructor at \$1,700 a year.

Michael Cashman has been given permanent appointment, as a laborer (with experience as locksmith) at \$4.50 a day.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

James A. Gately has been appointed as a monotype runner at \$18 a week for a temporary period of sixty days.

Gertrude F. Driscoll has been appointed clerk at a salary of \$1,000 a year.

James S. Quinn has been given temporary appointment for sixty days as a linotype operator at \$45 a week.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Agnes Crowley has been employed for a temporary period, not exceeding ten days, as telephone operator at \$22 a week.

John J. White, engineer in the Public Buildings Department at \$39 a week, has been granted leave of absence for a period of one month with loss of pay.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

At the annual meeting of the Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston held Friday afternoon, June 13, Louis E. Kirstein was elected president and Judge Michael J. Murray, vice president.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Martin J. Giovannella, chauffeur-teamster in the Sanitary Service, has been employed as chauffeur at \$33 a week, on sprinkling and flushing machine for two weeks.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

The following citizens have been appointed assistant drawtenders at \$1,600 a year, for a period of fifteen weeks:

Peter J. Griffin, William J. Brown, Andrew J. Cannata, Thomas F. Reilly, Patrick J. Keenan, James J. Flynn, War-

ren C. Guinee, Hugh E. Sloane, James J. Leonard, Charles E. Carney, Daniel F. Fagan.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

John J. McDonough and Theodore P. Panopoulos have been granted an extension of temporary employment as firemen employed in the Ferry Service at \$6 a day for thirty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

The following citizens have been appointed as laborers at \$4.50 a day, for a period of three months:

John H. Norton, Thomas Long, James J. Bell, William J. Hammond, Joseph F. Wall, James J. Ferris, Joseph A. Alberti, Patrick J. Sheehan, Martin J. Connolly, Pasquale Napoletano, Michael Botte, Michael J. Costello, William J. McQuinn, Frank Gilida, Thomas F. Broderick, Harold J. Brown, Seymoure H. Watts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Thomas F. Kelly has been appointed temporary telephone operator at \$4.50 a day for a period of six months.

Edward F. Cummings has been granted an extension of temporary employment as teamster at \$4.50 a day.

Peter J. O'Rourke has been appointed as permanent horseshoer at \$5.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Walter P. Steele has been given an appointment as provisional rodman in the Sewer Service at \$1,000 a year.

Matthew Donovan has been appointed sewer inspector at \$1,600 a year, for a period of six months.

Thomas Kilduff, laborer at \$4.50 a day, has been transferred from the Park Department to the Sewer Service in a similar position at the same salary.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Charles Shea has been given provisional appointment for three months, as rodman in this department, at \$1,000 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Carl Meyer has been given an extension of employment as draughtsman at \$1,500 a year, for three months, from June 19.

Mary G. Shaughnessy has been promoted to clerk at \$1,400 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Assessing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 19: Arthur H. Fogarty, 122 hours, \$122.

Collecting Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 12: John W. Barry, 11 hours, \$11; Francis H. Cochran, 11 hours, \$11; Edward J. Dixon, 11 hours, \$11; Joseph F. Fitzgerald, 15 hours, \$15; John J. Leahy, 11 hours, \$11; James J. Maloney, 11 hours, \$11; John H. McElroy, 15 hours, \$15; James J. McNamee, 15 hours, \$15;

James E. Moore, 15 hours, \$15; Frederick R. Mulloney, 15 hours, \$15; Louis Needel, 12 hours, \$12; Timothy J. O'Connell, 11 hours, \$11; John P. O'Connor, 11 hours, \$11; Aaron Pinkofsky, 4 hours, \$4; William H. Spain, 15 hours, \$15.
Total, \$183.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 12:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, assistant engineer, 7½ hours, \$6.25; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; J. J. Eisen, P. A. Curran, steamfitters, 10½ hours \$7.46 each; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; G. Roach, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; W. Shea, laundryman, 8½ hours, \$6.18; A. Imbrato, laundryman, 8½ hours, \$4.99; J. Lorden, laundryman, 7½ hours, \$4.54; J. Scaduto, laundryman, 8½ hours, \$4.30; T. Ryan, laundryman, 8½ hours, \$3.96; A. Howard, laundryman, 8½ hours, \$3.63; E. Laskey, laundryman, 8½ hours, \$3.44; M. Saunders, gauze sorter, 3½ hours, \$1.56; L. Lindlof, porter, 3½ hours, \$1.35; L. Boston, porter, 8½ hours, \$2.97; D. Murphy, porter, 8½ hours, \$2.97; J. Connors, porter, 8½ hours, \$2.97; W. Barrett, porter, 3½ hours, \$1.35; M. Keating, laundry assistant, 4½ hours, \$1.55; A. Taura, laundress, 4½ hours, \$1.36; G. Baker, L. Brickley, laundresses, 4½ hours, \$1.31 each; M. Devlin, laundress, 2½ hours, \$0.66; M. Falvey, C. Farren, N. Keegan, S. Koldys, M. Langev, A. Sienkiewicz, B. Sparrow, A. Stanulys, M. Okemvska, C. Peterson, V. Zemba, laundresses, 4½ hours, \$1.31 each.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

A. McGonagle, laundress, 4½ hours, \$1.31; M. Ham, laundress, 2½ hours, \$0.66.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Harkins, laundress, 4½ hours, \$1.31; J. Keohane, laundress, 2½ hours, \$0.66. Total, \$121.12.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 12:

Fred Brown, gardener, 1 day, \$5; Harry N. Blackwell, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50; James Murphy, gardener, 1 day, \$5.00; Frank Jefferson, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50; Carmine Cataldo, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50. Total, \$23.50.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, June 12:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Henry T. Brennan, Michael J. Conway, John J. Desmond, Joseph Horgan, Bernard McCabe, Henry J. Moylan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Fairview Cemetery.

Thomas D. Faherty, Thomas Kilduff, James Kingston, Joseph T. McDonough, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 12:

Stephen R. Merrick, errand boy, 20 hours, \$6.80; Julia T. Donohue, copy-

holder, 4½ hours, \$3.75; Elizabeth F. Grant, proofreader, 4½ hours, \$5.87; Mary F. Hurley, operator, 4½ hours, \$5.87; Patrick Kelly, monotype caster operator, 4 hours, \$3.23; Edward Morris, apprentice, 9 hours, \$6.75; James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 5 hours, \$4.75. Total, \$37.10.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 9:

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 2½ days, \$13.75.

Captain.—Owen Shields, 1 day, \$2.88.

Engineers.—Maurice F. Neville, 1 day, \$2.81; Jeremiah P. Casey, 1½ days, \$11.25; Ernest L. Yocum, 1 day, \$7.50.

Firemen.—Thomas Murphy, 1½ days, \$9; August J. Sommers, 3 days, \$18.

Quartermaster.—Frank M. Moore, 1 day, \$1.50.

Deckhand.—Thomas Barry, 1 day, \$1.19.

Total, \$67.88.

Net cost for the week ending June 9, 1924, \$34.88.

For the week ending Monday, June 16:

Captain.—Charles F. Crocker, 1 day, \$2.88.

Quartermaster.—Florence W. Sullivan, 1 day, \$2.25.

Deckhands.—Fred P. Craven, James Murphy, 1 day, \$1.78 each; Thomas Barry, 1½ days, \$7.13.

Engineer.—Patrick W. Mackey, 1 day, \$2.81.

Firemen.—James C. Fitzpatrick, Theodore Panopoulos, 1 day, \$2.25 each.

Tollman.—William C. McMullen, 1 day, \$2.06.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 2 days, \$11.

Total, \$44.44.

Net cost for the week ending June 16, \$44.44.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 16:

Laborers.—Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4.50; John Cossomo, 3 days, \$13.50; Matthew Russell, Daniel O'Keefe, William Cluff, William Carolan, 1 day, \$1.69 each.

Engineer.—John McGee, 2½ days, \$11.44.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 9:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, B. F. Lyons, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamster.—M. S. Ryan, 2 days, \$9.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—J. E. Burns, 1 day, \$3.56.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. P. W. Callahan, J. M. Casserly, P. Cataldo, P. J. Connolly, M. J. Connor, D. J. Dalton, T. Donovan, T. Dwyer, J. A. Foley, H. F. Furey, D. Gallagher, G. Guifredo, V. Guliano, P. C. Kanairy, E. A. Kehoe, K. F. Kenney, J. J. Lannon, J. P. Leonard, B. McCool, W. McGahey, D. F. McLaughlin, E. L. McLaughlin, P. J. McLaughlin, R. J. Nugent, J. F. O'Brien, F. Ruggieor, J. M. Ryan, W. F. Shea, J. E. Southern, J. P. Sullivan, C. S. Villelo, F. Zirpollo, A. Rogers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$154.73.

For the week ending Monday, June 16: *Teamsters, Laborers*.—W. J. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, M. S. Ryan, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Blacksmith.—W. F. Mahoney, 2 days, \$11.

Laborer.—A. R. Gaffey, 2 days, \$9.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$51.75.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, June 10:

Stone Cutters.—John Riley, Richard Fitzgerald, 2½ days, \$15.13 each.

Coal Passers.—John McNeill, Alexander Kennedy, Patrick Murray, 2½ days, \$12.83 each.

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2 days, \$10 each; James Clancy, Dennis Collins, 1 day, \$5 each; Michael Neary, 1 day, \$1.88; Thomas Byrne, 1 day, \$1.78.

Laborers.—Thomas Foley, Albert Bachofner, James Lynch, 2½ days, \$12.38 each; Patrick Fitzgerald, Patrick McDonough, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Cornelius Sullivan, Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$162.05.

For the week ending Tuesday, June 18:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2 days, \$10 each; Dennis Collins, Hugh Clark, 1 day, \$5 each; James Clancy, 1 day, \$3.75; Peter Keenan, 1 day, \$3.56.

Laborers.—Cornelius Sullivan, 2 days, \$9; Patrick Fitzgerald, Edward Flaherty, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Albert Bachofner, Thomas Foley, Frank Desmond, James Fagan, Patrick Gorman, John Joyce, James Lynch, William Ryan, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Daniel Sullivan, John Dolan, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each; James McNabb, 1 day, \$3.38.

Carpenter.—Matthew Taylor, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Masons.—James Duffy, John Shea, 1½ days, \$10.50 each.

Coal Passers.—Alexander Kennedy, Thomas Lavin, Patrick Murray, John McNeil, 1½ days, \$7 each.

Total, \$187.94.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 9:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, J. Dahill, J. Ferguson, P. Keefe, G. McGolgan, C. J. Crowley, J. F. Brady, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, J. Collins, J. O'Leary, B. F. Doherty, C. J. Sullivan, J. J. Ones, J. J. Golden, B. J. Manning, J. J. McHugh, J. Brown, P. Barry, J. Cahill, G. Cappelzo, J. J. Carey, J. A. Carr, F. Certosimo, P. Conlin, P. Connolly, J. J. Daley, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, E. Grant, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamster.—B. Callahan, 2 days, \$9.

Teamsters.—E. F. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, S. J. Coughlin, F. M. Kelley, J. J. Curtin, 1½ days, \$8.44 each.

Teamsters.—N. Albano, D. J. Callahan, T. W. Christopher, G. Corcoran, F. D'Ambrosio, L. Davis, C. F. Flaherty, J. B. Foley, P. J. Hartigan, P. Keon, L. V. Kilduff, J. M. Kramer, M. Lahey, T. M. McClutchev, W. McGlynn, J. J. McGarry, W. H. Mahoney, B. Maraghy, D. O'Keefe, J. J. Slattery, B. Sullivan, J. Touhy, M. Weidman, 1½ days, \$6.75 each.

Chauffeur.—T. J. Murphy, 1½ days, \$9.38.

Teamster.—G. Salemi, 1 day, \$3.38.

Total, \$358.71.

For the week ending Monday, June 16:

Teamsters.—J. F. O'Toole, J. Zuccola, B. Callahan, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, J. Collins, T. F. Graham, J. T. O'Leary, G. Keegan, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, G. H. Corcoran, J. J. Curtin, F. D'Ambrosio, J. J. Daley, L. Davis, J. T. Delaney, J. J. Doherty, W. P. Donnelly, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. J. Donovan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25.

Chauffeurs.—F. Murphy, J. Z. Lamothe, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Total, \$121.25.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 9:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, P. Clougherty, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. F. Burke, 3 days, \$15; J. Phipps, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.34; G. Shea, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.44.

Emergencymen.—W. T. Lonergan, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, W. Rice, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Repairers.—J. Moran, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25; T. Thureson, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$14.44; J. Murphy, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; J. Casey, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$10.69; H. Campbell, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$12.38; D. Burke, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$12.38; J. Hourihan, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$15.47; D. Hanlon, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$12.38; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Daley, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$11.81; P. Flynn, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$11.25; M. Hogarty, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$0.94; M. O'Day, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$11.25; J. Dolan, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$14.06; J. Leonard, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$10.31; E. Sullivan, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$11.25; A. Brennan, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$11.25; S. Mariani, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$10.31; P. Clougherty, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25; P. Casey, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.58; D. Kirby, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; P. Coleman, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.02; J. Feeley, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$0.07; J. Blessington, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.75; D. Crowley, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, \$3.38; D. Shea, 1 day, \$4.50; T. Byrnes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.91; P. Gorman, 1 day, \$4.50; T. Donovan, 1 day, \$4.50; A. McDougall, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.34; M. Matthews, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.88; J. McLaughlin, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.69; J. McLean, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, \$3.75; E. DeAngelis, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.19; M. Burke, 2 days, \$10.50.

Laborers.—M. Barron, T. Gallagher, G. Goodwin, E. Hart, M. Shea, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; M. Connolly, 2 days, \$9; J. Durand, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$9.28; W. Dolan, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$10.13; P. Mulkern, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$9.28; C. King, S. LoPilato, J. O'Toole, B. Doherty, E. Pyne, J. Roust, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; A. LoPilato, H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75 each; A. Martin, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.84; J. Mulhearn, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.96; G. Mulvey, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13.

Total, \$482.63; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$10.50; net total, \$472.13.

For the week ending Monday, June 16:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burke, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50.

Emergency.—M. Carney, T. Kinahan, W. Rice, 1 day, \$4.75 each; B. Clougherty, 1 day, \$5; T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Gateley, 1 day, \$5.25; W. Lonergan, 1 day, \$4.50.

Repairers.—G. Flanagan, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$11.34; J. Moran, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25; J. Murphy, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$10.31; B. Donohue, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.28; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; J. McKay, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, \$1.19; C. Magee, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.88; M. Sullivan, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.88; P. Clougherty, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$13.23; P. Casey, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25; D. Kirby, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$12.38 each; P. Coleman, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; J. Blessington, $1\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$6.56; T. Rose, $\frac{3}{8}$ day,

\$1.88; B. McManus, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$3.38; A. McDougall, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.78; J. O'Brien, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$3.38; T. Byrnes, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$4.92; D. Shea, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, 1.69; M. Matthews, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.81; M. Rizzo, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.67; J. Cummings, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, \$4.13; J. McLean, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$3.75; F. Schena, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.48; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50; T. Reagen, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$3.09; P. Shea, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.46; G. Carroll, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.40; P. McCarthy, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.94; J. Conley, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.41; G. Griffin, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.27; P. Murphy, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63.

Laborers.—P. Barry, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.69; M. Connolly, 2 days, \$9; T. Gallagher, $2\frac{3}{8}$ days, \$12.23; G. Goodwin, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; E. Hart, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$10.83; B. Doherty, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Hennessey, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.84; C. King, 1 day, \$4.50; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75; J. M. O'Toole, 1 day, \$4.50; J. O'Toole, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; S. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.50; E. Pyne, 2 days, \$9; J. Roust, 1 day, \$4.50; M. Shea, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.83; P. Waters, 1 day, \$4.50; F. Willhauck, 1 day, 4.50; J. Feeley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.77; G. Greer, $\frac{3}{8}$ days, \$4.64; H. Cauley, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.88; G. Waters, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; J. Gannon, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.84.

Total, \$348.28; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total \$342.78.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

POLICE SERVICE (MALE), BOSTON AND METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, JUNE 28, 1924.

Applicants for the police service of Boston and Metropolitan Park are required to be not less than twenty five nor over thirty five years of age at the time of filing their applications and must be not less than 5 feet 8 inches in height in bare feet, and weigh not less than 135 pounds without clothing.

Applicants for Metropolitan Park police service must be able to swim and will be given practical tests in swimming.

Applicants for service in the cities and towns outside of Boston are required to be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height, not less than 135 pounds without clothing, and not less than twenty one nor over forty years of age at the time of filing applications, except in those cities which have provided for the retirement of police officers by pension under statute, in which cases applicants shall be not less than 21 nor over 35 years of age.

The subjects of examination with their weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; report, 1; practical questions 4; total, 10. Applicants must obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions in order to become eligible. Successful applicants will also be required to pass a physical examination and strength tests. Educational qualifications, 1; physical qualifications, 1; total, 2.

The practical questions will be based upon information contained in a manual, known as the "Blue Book." This manual may be obtained from the Secretary of State, Room 118, State House, at ten cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Persons who possess the requisite qualifications as to age, height, and weight may have their names placed on any three eligible lists in addition to the original list

for which they apply. Preference in certification will be given to applicants who, at the time of certification, have been domiciled for six months in the city or town from which requisition is received.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER, METROPOLITAN PLANNING BOARD, JULY 7, 1924.

The salary is \$2,700 per year. Applicants should be not less than 30 years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application. Applicants should have had at least ten years' experience on construction and design of rapid transit routes and facilities.

The duties of this position require that applicants be competent to make designs and estimates of proposed rapid transit routes and facilities and be familiar with the laying out and estimating of highway and boulevard work.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

TRAVELING ENGINEER AND FIREMAN, DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE, JULY 7, 1924.

The salary is \$2,520 per year. Applicants should have a license as first-class engineer and should have had at least five years' experience while holding such a license. The duties of this position are to visit the various state institutions and inspect the boiler, engine, and electrical plants, also the refrigerating and heating plants. Applicants should be capable of operating any of these outfits, make suggestions for the betterment of operation, and also make suggestions with reference to changes in design and construction that will increase the economy and thus decrease the cost. Applicants should have a knowledge of firing of boilers and knowledge of flue gases and the analysis thereof with reference to maximum efficiency of combustion.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in the practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

TAX LIMIT RAISED FOR THREE YEARS.

As in 1918 and 1919 at the Mayor's urgent request, the tax limit of \$6.52 on each \$1,000 of valuation for general City purposes was raised to \$10.52 for 1920 by authority of Chap. 252, Special Acts of 1919, and to \$11.00 for 1921 (see Chap. 401, Acts of 1920). The additional amount thus made available for appropriations in 1921 was \$6,838,119. In 1922 another raise was authorized, viz., to \$12.25 (see Chap. 205, Acts of 1922).

CALLS FOR TRUE ALLEGIANCE AND GREATER LOYALTY TO THE AMERICAN FLAG.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS THRILLING ADDRESS BEFORE LEOMINSTER LODGE OF ELKS DURING CELEBRATION OF FLAG DAY EXERCISES.

This is Flag Day, a day set apart to commemorate the adoption of our national banner and celebrate its glory and inspiration.

The Stars and Stripes, whose silken folds salute the American skies from a hundred thousand staffs today, is the symbol of the nation, the insignia of its power and authority, the emblem that brings to our minds a vision of the republic's greatness and to our hearts a new dedication to its service. At home or abroad the sight of that flag of beauty with its significant stars and stripes is to every American an assurance of peace and protection, of freedom and faith, of safety and security, and as it waves in the free air of heaven it wakes in the breast the loyalty of the citizen and the pride in our country and its glorious mission on earth; and its bravery and beauty are a call to patriotic duty and devotion.

Nevertheless with all its appeal, with all its associations, with all the heroic deeds it recalls, and the historic memories it revives, we must not forget that the flag of our country, the Stars and Stripes, is after all only a sign, a symbol, an emblem of something greater, higher, nobler—the United States of America, the greatest republic on earth, the fairest effort made by men to bring justice, humanity, equality and freedom to the race, and frame it in a scheme of human government. In honoring the flag, in our insistence that it shall be treated with respect by all our citizens on all occasions because of its symbolism and significance, in demanding that it be treated with a usage commensurate with the pride and power, the dignity and decorum it represents, we must remember that back of the flag is the fatherland—the nation. The Stars and Stripes is a symbol of our country and not a synonym for it. The flag and the fatherland march down the years together; and while we honor the flag and hail it with patriotic emotion, our duty and devotion, our sacrifice and service, must be given to the republic, to the land that has given to the world government of the people, by the people, for the people. This is an age of unrest, an age marked by much shallowness and superficiality; of much talking and little thinking; and here in this magnificent country of ours there is too easy an acceptance of the shadow for the substance, of the promise for the performance and a growing habit of evading the realities and responsibilities of our citizenship and the obligations we owe to good government. It is not sufficient answer to the call to public duty, to the need of maintaining good government, and the correction of the evils that creep into public administration, to wave the Stars and Stripes, to hail it and cheer it, and to shelter ourselves in its folds, while evils afflict the government it is the emblem of. Patriotism is a work of conscience and conduct that calls for service and sacrifice that will keep our country free from peril and disaster in peace and war. Flag-flapping,

shouting, cheers and unthinking emotions do not constitute patriotism. No land was ever saved by the lungs and tongues of its people; and when people convince themselves that shouting is the whole duty of American citizens the flag ceases to be an emblem of honor; and the country is in danger.

Every rightly constituted American loves and honors the flag of his country; it has been in the forefront of all his country's triumphs; it has emerged from disaster and defeat when they have come, without stain or dishonor; and the suffering and sacrifice of the long years of the nation's life have endeared it to the American heart. To love and honor the flag is a passion of every American worth his salt; and because of this consuming passion he is open to the arts and crafts of the traitors and rascals in the American community, who degrade and dishonor our beautiful symbol of Americanism by flaunting the American flag, behind whose ambush they plot the destruction of American liberty, the perversion of American principle, the nullification of the American Constitution and the end of that peace, justice and equality that have made our country what it is. This is one of the great evils that grows out of the conduct that makes the worship of the flag the supreme duty of an American, instead of making the respect and honor we give the Stars and Stripes subordinate to the preservation of our government and its principles, which is the first duty of the real patriot.

It is well to remember that in the 141 years of this republic's existence there have been only ten years of warfare, foreign and domestic, and 131 years of peace. War as a rule comes unexpectedly, like a flash of lightning from the skies; and while untoward events have led up to war, the Declaration itself has come suddenly and has usually found us unprepared; and that false economy which put off the day of preparation and that delusive folly that seeks to convince us that war will never come again, have combined in all our history to increase the horrors of war and multiply the waste of human life and treasure when the battle is on.

War is the horror of national life; peace is the normal condition of the country's days; and because we have found no way yet to avoid war, the common sense of America demands that we put the sentimentalism and theory of visionaries and dreamers behind us and by serious and practical measures prepare ourselves for the inevitable. America loves peace; conscious of its strength, power and resources of men and money it seeks quarrel with no nation; and for the honor of the land and flag it meets the weak with justice and consideration and the powerful with confidence and dignity; but it has learned that the country that is rich and peaceful and unprepared is never safe from the encroachments of the powers that are predatory and prepared and seeking imperial domination.

Brief as the years of war have been in the life of the nation they have placed a heavy burden on the years of peace. The waste of war has arrested the onward march of the nation; it has crippled industry, handicapped commerce, multiplied misery and made life harder for every man and woman in the republic; and the practical and sensible thing to do is to so prepare ourselves in peace that the powers that prey will hesitate long before they strike.

Flag waving is folly when it becomes a substitute for practical patriotism; it is treason when it is made an excuse to cover up weakness and unpreparedness.

If we want our country made safe from damage and our flag to fly in honor and security, let us do the work that will make these conditions possible in these days of peace. Are there any who did not view with swelling pride the parade of our schoolboy soldiers the other day; marching with the pride of Napoleon's grenadiers through our peaceful streets, trained in the military virtues of order, discipline and obedience, in the habits that are the foundations of good citizenship and physical vigor. There are 10,000 schoolboys in Boston who receive a year's military training; New York has 70,000; Chicago, 30,000; Philadelphia, 40,000; in four cities of the north 150,000 boys learning the enduring lessons of respect for law and authority and reverence for country and flag. Supplement this military school discipline with a month's intensive training in our national army camps and making due allowance for mishaps, we can in ten years have a potential army of four million young, vigorous, intelligent, trained Americans ready to rally to the flag when the call of the country comes, ready to march and meet our country's foes wherever they come from. Here at our hands is the soundest of plans for national preparation, inexpensive but valuable, the building up of an ever increasing army of defenders for our hour of danger, an army of intelligent citizens, physically fit, law-abiding, loyal, efficient, ready for every national emergency, prepared to serve the republic in peace and war. Therein lies the solution of the major problem of preparedness and the answer to the questions that disturb the wisest minds. Multiply the military school system of Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Detroit and St. Louis, apply it to every city and town in America and unite it with the intensive national military camp training and an army of willing, worthwhile men, is scattered throughout the republic waiting the call to service—the peaceful call of business or the bloody call of battle.

One battalion of these young, clear-eyed, schoolboy soldiers is worth a million sheet-clad bogus patriots, prowling in the darkness of the night; the boys marching in the sunlight behind the flag are patriotism incarnate; the prowlers of the night desecrating the flag are concrete treason.

Today we have treasonable and disruptive societies and organizations who preach doctrines subversive to the stability and honor of the United States and they maintain their propaganda and practices in the very shadow of the flag and claiming to be the defenders of that glorious emblem. The armies of treason and dissension must not be permitted to protect their infamy by the use and in the name of the national symbol and

when we find such it is our duty to our country to take down the stars and stripes and cleanse it by beating from its silken fabric the vermin hiding in its folds.

We must never permit the flag of our country to be made the rallying place of sham patriotism or the emblem of treason and betrayal. Under that beautiful flag the brave and true have served and sacrificed, fought and died; it has been even as a pillar of smoke by day and of flame by night to the armies of freedom. It was consecrated by the labor and wisdom of Washington and his heroic soldiers; it was held aloft by Lincoln and the armies of liberation in the battles that freed the slave and preserved the union; it fluttered in the flame and smoke of the titanic World War and was borne in triumph from Chateau Belleau to the Argonne; and it has become to all the world and its people, par excellence, the symbol of free government and free people.

Honor and salute the flag of America; keep it sweet and clean from the soil and stain of the secret plotter, the slinking conspirator, and the nocturnal traitor. Hold it aloft in the light of the sun and proclaim it the oriflamme of liberty, equality and good government; and add to its honor and acclaim by adding to the honor, greatness and fame of the republic whose emblem it is.

Honor the American flag and bring it the unbought honor of the world by making the honor of the American Republic secure and stainless by our service and devotion. As long as that splendid flag waves over a country conceived in liberty and dedicated to government of the people, for the people, by the people, administered in the spirit of the Fathers and sustained in the loyalty and honor of its citizens, the Stars and Stripes will salute the heavens in honor, secure in the faith of its people.

The American flag is one to follow, to fight for, to fall for if need be, for it symbolizes in its folds and its history a record of work well done for the liberation of a world from age-old wrong, the rescue of a race from the oppressions of kings and conquerors, the severing of a people from the corrosions of feudal systems and the degradations of hereditary rule; with its unfolding to the free skies of America that glorious flag told to the earth that a new dispensation had come to men, which was the flower and fruit of the seed sowed on the mount of Calvary, when He died who came to liberate the souls of men.

Salute the flag of America, the symbol of liberty. Hail it and honor it, and so live in loyalty and serve in allegiance that none can stain or dishonor it.

LODGE THANKS MAYOR.

His Honor the Mayor on June 13 received the following telegram from Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge:

CLEVELAND, OHIO, June 12, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

I am not in the least uneasy or disturbed but I am none the less obliged for your telegram.

H. C. LODGE.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

John B. Dolan has been ordered to make the following changes in contract for the municipal garage, Albany street. Items ordered: Letter-cast stone panel at center portion of front elevation as per detail submitted. The price to be \$110.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 12 TO JUNE 18.

JUNE 12.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
James A. Kent.....	11 Central street.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$350
H. S. Scotton.....	79 Bennett street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,200
Samuel Segel.....	281-287 Norfolk street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
J. W. Foster.....	46 and 48 Ridgemont street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
J. J. Vogel.....	15 Euclid avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	150
J. P. Vogel & Son.....	218 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	325
J. Y. Gillespie.....	74 Halifax street.....	22	New fixtures.....	600
Harry Natrou.....	163 Allston street.....	25	New fixtures.....	100
H. S. Trethewey.....	288 Beech street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
H. S. Trethewey.....	143 Willow street.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
Charles Lang.....	73 Baker street.....	23	New fixtures.....	885
H. S. Trethewey.....	136 Church street.....	23	New fixtures.....	667
Charles Lang.....	11 Westbourne road.....	22	New fixtures.....	500
W. F. McAuliff.....	585 East Broadway.....	10	New fixtures.....	325
W. F. McAuliff.....	580 East Broadway.....	10	New fixtures.....	300

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Edward J. Roach.....	17 Woodside avenue.....	22	New fixtures.....	\$2,000
Edward H. Marchant.....	11 Tremont row.....	5	New fixtures.....	800
Samuel Barron.....	18 Oak terrace.....	21	New fixtures.....	600
David H. Lane.....	402 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	130
Leo Charles Levy.....	210 Lincoln street.....	5	New fixtures.....	225
John F. Rooney.....	43 Lansdowne street.....	8	New fixtures.....	2,500
A. E. Scrivens.....	487 La Grange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,000
John F. Rooney.....	1164 Hyde Park avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,000
Max Hyman.....	57 Hazleton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,300
Max Hyman.....	61 Hazleton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,300
William H. Mitchell & Son Company.....	185 Franklin street.....	5	New fixtures.....	140
John Fogarty.....	141-163 Franklin street.....	5	New fixtures.....	300
Samuel Gilman.....	2A Florence street.....	6	New fixtures.....	1,500
Max Hyman.....	232-244 Faneuil street.....	26	New fixtures.....	750
Joseph Segel.....	100 Charles street.....	8	New fixtures.....	500
James J. Culhane.....	372 Cambridge street.....	25	New fixtures.....	75
Edward H. Marchant.....	131 Bromfield street.....	5	New fixtures.....	400
S. P. Williams.....	23 Bradstreet avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	175
P. F. Capper.....	141 Bay State road.....	8	New fixtures.....	50

JUNE 14.

Samuel Barron.....	328 Wood avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	\$800
Morse Brothers Company.....	41 Winter street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
Albert L. Neveux.....	1 Sumner street.....	11	New fixtures.....	200
A. I. Russell.....	57 and 59 Shannon street.....	25	New fixtures.....	170
John Vogel.....	74 Park street.....	23	New fixtures.....	700
M. Cohen.....	125 Norfolk street.....	21	New fixtures.....	125
Robert Murray.....	Rear of 7 and 9 Mechanist.....	25	New fixtures.....	75
Edward J. McGrath.....	75 Linden street.....	18	New fixtures.....	500
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	53 Hyde Park avenue.....	22	New fixtures.....	700
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	55 Hyde Park a enue.....	22	New fixtures.....	700
James J. Culhane.....	9 Hopedale street.....	26	New fixtures.....	300
A. J. Cooper & Son Company.....	57 Homestead street.....	16	New fixtures.....	875
M. J. Conley.....	20 Groton street.....	6	New fixtures.....	150
B. M. Black.....	35 Freeland street.....	21	New fixtures.....	500
John F. Rooney.....	35 Everett street.....	24	New fixtures.....	300
Pierce & Cox.....	36 Edinboro street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
Alexander Campbell.....	38 Edinboro street.....	5	New fixtures.....	75
Otis C. Wells.....	1900A Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	150
J. P. Perr & Co., Inc.....	50 Arch street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
O. J. Morlock.....	553 Columbia road.....	17	New fixtures.....	425
Louis Monto.....	133 Dale street.....	16	New fixtures.....	200
H. Myers.....	325C Tremont street.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
J. P. Tancred.....	159 H street.....	10	New fixtures.....	100

JUNE 16.

J. P. Shaughnessy.....	229 Park street.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$1,850
Edward V. O'Neill.....	52 Greenwich street.....	18	New fixtures.....	250
Kenneth P. Palmer.....	39 Fairview street.....	20	New fixtures.....	800
Max H. Cohen.....	407 Seaver street.....	19	New fixtures.....	400
H. C. Greenlaw.....	20 Beacon street.....	5	New fixtures.....	550
M. H. Myers.....	1488 Columbia road.....	10	New fixtures.....	150

JUNE 18.

Joseph Edelstein.....	6 Wise street.....	15	New fixtures.....	\$400
L. R. Freedman.....	332 West Broadway.....	9	New fixtures.....	400
Richard J. Spencer.....	21 Waldemar avenue.....	1	New fixtures.....	500
Harry F. Nation.....	10 Sonoma street.....	16	New fixtures.....	2,500
Harry F. Nation.....	12 Sonoma street.....	16	New fixtures.....	2,500
Harry F. Nation.....	14 Sonoma street.....	16	New fixtures.....	2,500
Harry F. Nation.....	16 Sonoma street.....	16	New fixtures.....	2,500
Joseph Edelstein.....	Rear of 26 Shannon street.....	25	New fixtures.....	75
Vincent A. Bolger.....	224 River street.....	21	New fixtures.....	625
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	15 Reed's court.....	12	New fixtures.....	50
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	17 Reed's court.....	12	New fixtures.....	50
Walter P. Wilson Company.....	32 Oak street.....	3	New fixtures.....	510
Daniel T. Mahoney.....	11 Lyndeboro street.....	3	New fixtures.....	250
The McVarish Company.....	10 Lawrence street.....	4	New fixtures.....	160
Robert A. Matthews.....	16 Holden street.....	11	New fixtures.....	1,000
Lorenzo E. Young.....	60 Fremont street.....	21	New fixtures.....	500
J. S. Cassidy.....	95 Etna street.....	26	New fixtures.....	900
P. T. Buckley.....	59 Commercial Wharf.....	5	New fixtures.....	400
Otto J. Morlock.....	16 Merlin street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
D. J. Seward McCurdy.....	15 Malden street.....	6	New fixtures.....	300
L. R. Freedman.....	4 Maple place.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
Lorenzo E. Young.....	65 Sanford street.....	21	New fixtures.....	500
Francis D. Carr.....	4 Shurtleff court.....	3	New fixtures.....	300
L. R. Freedman.....	21 Gates street.....	10	New fixtures.....	200
John J. Vogel.....	3 Burroughs street.....	22	New fixtures.....	250
John J. Vogel.....	51 Belgrade avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	300

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending June 14:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
American Building Wrecking Company	177 Tremont street.....	5	Stores.....	New building.
Julius Darish	35 Newland street.....	6	Storage.....	Unsafe.
D. J. Ballister.....	287 Savin Hill avenue.....	17	Shed.....	New building.
Emanuel Episcopal Church	21 Stratford street.....	23	Dwelling.....	New building.
New York Building Wrecking Company	58-62 Hunneman street....	12	Tenements.....	Unsafe.
Central Building Wrecking Company	26-30 Federal street.....	5	Stores, offices.....	New building.
Central Building Wrecking Company	32-36 Federal street.....	5	Stores, offices.....	New building.
Vincent Ragostino.....	Rear of 14 Winship street..	25	Shop.....	Unused.
R. & S. Machine Company.....	102 and 122 West Fifth st..	9	Storage.....	Dilapidated.
Walter R. Wheeler.....	26 East Dedham street.....	6	Shed.....	Unsafe.

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JUNE 12.

OWNER	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	25 Marmion street.....	22	Second-class dwelling.....	\$55,000
John H. Horan.....	277 Dorchester street.....	11	Second-class store.....	4,500
Edmond Grondin.....	22 Hobson street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Mary L. O'Brien.....	34 Moraine street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
C. Crawford Hollidge.....	141 Tremont street.....	5	Alterations, store.....	1,000
Henry H. Gilman.....	42 and 44 Federal street..	5	Alterations, lunch room and office.	1,000
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.	39 Boylston street.....	5	Construct radio shack.....	6,500
St. Elizabeth's Hospital....	748 Cambridge street.....	25	Install two elevators.....	11,000
American Building Wrecking Company.	177 Tremont street.....	5	Take-down, stores.....	400

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Annie L. Chase.....	44 Stockton street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	\$12,000
Hilda McGill.....	27 Foss road.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Charles P. Stetson.....	141 Bay State road.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Luigi Scigliano.....	96 Porter street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling and store.	600
Ford Creamery Company.....	19 Roland street.....	3	Alterations, milk bottling.....	500
Paul Topalian.....	498 Adams street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Waldorf System, Inc.....	492 and 494 Boylston street.	7	Alterations, studio.....	2,750
American Furniture Company	850 Washington street.....	5	Erect sign.....	150
Central Building Wrecking Company.	26-30 Federal street.....	5	Take-down, stores, offices....	2,000
Central Building Wrecking Company.	32-36 Federal street.....	5	Take-down, stores, offices....	1,500
New York Building Wrecking Company	58-62 Hunneman street....	12	Take-down, tenements.....	200
Emmanuel Episcopal Church,	21 Stratford street.....	23	Take-down, dwelling.....	500
New York Building Wrecking Company.	58-62 Hunneman street....	12	Take-down, tenements.....	200
Emmanuel Episcopal Church,	21 Stratford street.....	23	Take-down, dwelling.....	500
Dr. J. Ballister.....	287 Savin Hill avenue.....	17	Take-down, shed.....	40
Julius Darish.....	35 Newland street.....	6	Take-down, storage.....	50

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William Young.....	36 Bexley road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	\$6,500
Meyer Poress.....	857 Blue Hill avenue.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	300

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Catherine Higgins.....	Rear of 3 Rosa street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	\$800
I. Sheinberg.....	71 Wildwood street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
I. Sheinberg.....	67 Wildwood street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Marion B. Evans.....	96 Montclair avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,100
A. E. Christensen.....	Rear of 2445 Centre street..	23	Third-class garage.....	200
Frederick M. Gilliland.....	27 Hewlett street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Harry C. Korelitz.....	1243 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Alterations, repair shop.....	125
W. E. Ladd et al.....	66 Commonwealth avenue..	8	Alterations, dwelling and office.	4,000
L. Kaplan.....	1306-1316 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Alterations, stores.....	400
Mary J. Ryan.....	1767 Commonwealth avenue	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,200
Carlos Pinfield.....	60 Pinckney street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	7,000
J. and P. A. Zahka.....	243 North Harvard street..	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Elizabeth Herlihy.....	155 Harold street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Ames Estate.....	48 and 50 Winter street....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	2,000
Fred S. Mitchell.....	288 Bolton street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Joseph Finestine.....	35 Glenarm street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Joseph Finestine.....	33 Glenarm street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Women's Service Club.....	464 Massachusetts avenue..	7	Erect fire escape.....	180
Walter R. Wheeler.....	26 East Dedham street.....	6	Take-down, dwelling.....	200
R. S. Machine Company.....	120 and 122 West Fifth st..	9	Take-down, storage.....	100
V. Dagostino.....	Rear of 14 Winship street..	25	Take-down, shop.....	25

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Helena M. Brennan, 80 Standard street, Ward 21, one car.

Sadie Clifford, 62 West Eagle street, Ward 1, one car.

Joseph L. Garcia, 159 Princeton street, Ward 2, maintaining one car additional.

Gustaf R. Linberg, 10 Maple park, Ward 16, one car.

Mary R. Gardner, 77 Myrtle street, Ward 8, one car.

Millard A. Westover, 142 St Botolph street, Ward 7, one car.

Louis A. White, 38 Louder's lane, Ward 22, one car.

Rina Van Aartsen, 18 Westbourne street, Ward 23, two cars.

John W. Barnes, 42 Orchard street, Ward 22, two cars.

Nicholas L. Burke, 155 Western avenue, Ward 26, two garages, two cars each.

W. J. Carlson, 205 Bellevue street, Ward 23, two cars.

Margaret A. Caseley, 64 Willowwood street, Ward 21, two cars.

William P. Connors et al., 36 Johnswood road, Ward 23, two cars.

Peter J. Dempsey, 9 Dunn court, Ward 17, two cars additional.

Alexander J. Earley, 55 Maxwell street, Ward 21, two cars.

John Edgerton, 23 Marcella street, Ward 15, two cars.

Celia Ellis, 622 West Park street, Ward 19, two cars.

Max Goldberg, 24 Normandy street, Ward 18, two cars.

Elizabeth A. Greer, 23 Montvale street, Ward 23, two cars.

Agnes J. Harte, 1076 Adams street, Ward 21, two cars.

Agnes J. Harte, 1080 Adams street, Ward 21, two cars.

Margaret J. Hickey, 372 Ashland street, Ward 22, two cars.

Estate of N. W. Holt, 70-72 Minot street, Ward 20, two cars.

Martin Joyce et al., 28 Sudan street, Ward 11, two cars.

James Kenney, 620 River street, Ward 24, two cars.

Thomas P. Kimmett et al., 30 Wade street, Ward 25, two cars.

Chauncey C. Lee, 36 Moultrie street, Ward 19, two cars.

Alice McMahon, 60 Davison street, Ward 24, two cars.

Mary J. O'Brien, 28 Aldworth street, Ward 22, two cars.

David O'Malley, 217 Parsons street, Ward 26, two cars.

Lena Ross, 87-89 Mountain avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Louis S. Rubin, 628 West Park street, Ward 19, two cars.

John Skudris, 402 East Fifth street, Ward 10, group garage, two units.

Ernesta Strazziero, 24 Frankfort street, Ward 2, two cars.

Johanna F. Tierney, 30 Moraine street, Ward 22, two cars.

C. C. Topham, 18-20 Greenwood avenue, Ward 24, two cars.

Adele R. West, 77 Dakota street, Ward 19, two cars.

Alice Wirth, 91 Bragdon street, Ward 15, two garages, two cars each.

Peter Yankun, 922 Dorchester avenue, Ward 11, two cars.

Antonette Zavesky et al., 130 Wilington avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

S. Castriaciano, 42 Swallow street, Ward 10, three cars.

Evelyn A. Davis, 73 Cohasset street, Ward 23, group garage, three units, three cars.

Cornelius J. Desmond, 5 Mountain avenue, Ward 21, three cars.

John J. Duchini, 317 Norfolk avenue, Ward 11, three cars.

Mendall Katsoff, 23 Ormond street, Ward 21, three cars.

Ellen Moss, 18 Sewall street, Ward 20, group garage, three units, three cars.

Thomas J. O'Grady *et al.*, 19 Dalkeith street, Ward 17, group garage, three units, three cars.

Catherine Tierney, 619 East Sixth street, Ward 10, three cars.

John Andersen, 217 Florence street, Ward 23, group garage, four units.

Margaret J. Linton *et al.*, 429 Adams street, Ward 20, four-car unit.

Fred C. Rankin *et al.*, 54 Princeton street, Ward 2, four cars.

Maurice F. Armstrong, 257-259 Princeton street, Ward 1, group garage, six units, six cars.

Perry, Buxton, Doane Company, 211 West First street, Ward 9, 1,000 gallons gasolene.

Joseph A. Rohen, 6 Eliot street, Ward 8, 3,000 gallons gasolene.

David Segal, 79 Halleck street, Ward 14, 300 gallons gasolene.

Traverse Building Trust, 32-38 Traverse street, Ward 5, 4,500 gallons fuel oil.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 28.

I. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, June 13, 1924:

M. O. P. Joseph W. O'Brien, from Ladder 26 to Engine 18.

Hoseman William E. Devine, from Engine 18 to Ladder 26.

Ladderman Joseph V. O'Donnell, from Ladder 17 to Ladder 13.

M. O. P. John M. Shugrue, from Ladder 13 to Ladder 17.

Ladderman John F. Sampson, from Ladder 18 to Engine 29.

Hoseman Michael G. Foley, from Engine 25 to Ladder 18.

M. O. P. Richard J. Mahoney, from Engine 29 to Engine 25.

Assistant Engineer Paul H. Juenger, from Engine 46 to Engine 38-39.

M. O. P. John P. Driscoll, from Engine 28 to Ladder 10.

Engineer Thomas F. Callahan, from Engine 38-39 to Engine 28.

M. O. P. Edward J. Russell, from Ladder 1 to Ladder 9.

Ladderman John J. Buckley, from Ladder 9 to Engine 4.

Hoseman Joseph P. Newman, from Engine 8 to Engine 32.

M. O. P. John A. Connerty, from Engine 32 to Ladder 1.

M. O. P. John T. McNamara, from Ladder 10 to Engine 46.

Ladderman Archibald W. McInnes, from Ladder 28 to Engine 8.

Per order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

General Orders No. 29.

1. JUNE 17TH PARADES.

Members who have volunteered to march in the morning parade in Charlestown, on Tuesday, June 17, will report to the Chief of Fire District No. 2 at the quarters of Ladder Company 9, Main street, Charlestown, at 9.30 a. m.

Members of the department who have volunteered to march in the afternoon parade in Charlestown on Tuesday, June

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 12 TO JUNE 18.

JUNE 18.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Mary A. Scott.....	1 and 3 Emery road.....	26	First-class reapir shop.....	\$7,700
Joseph Pikofsky.....	7 Richfield street.....	18	Second-class garage.....	700
Agnes Bellerose.....	145 Theodore Parker road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Columbia Filling Station, Inc.	295 Columbia road.....	18	Third-class gas station.....	408
Diamond Realty Company.....	15 and 17 Lorna road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Diamond Realty Company.....	19 and 21 Lorna road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Dr. Richard S. Eustis.....	103 Revere street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	880
Domenico Vassello.....	58 Green street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	30
A. W. Perry, lessee.....	178 Federal street.....	5	Alterations, store and offices.....	500
Elliott Henderson.....	54 Revere street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
H. G. Bryan.....	86-90 Boylston street.....	15	Alterations, dwelling and stores.....	2,000
Ignazio Gentuso.....	111 Eutaw street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	950
Charles Gallagher.....	285 Walnut avenue.....	15	Alterations, garage.....	560

17, will report to the Chief of Fire District No. 2 at 1.45 p. m., on High street, at Cordis street.

The apparatus which has been assigned to this parade will report at the above mentioned locations at the same time.

Members participating in the parade will wear sack coats and white gloves.

II. CHANGE IN LOCATION OF FIRE ALARM BOX.

Box 3713, formerly located on River street, at the Paper Mills, has been re-located at River street and Reddy avenue.

By Order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 550.

The following transfers are hereby ordered to take effect Saturday, June 14, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.:

Patrolman Frederick I. Morrill, from Division 5 to Division 8.

Patrolman William J. Fitzpatrick, from Division 9 to Division 20.

Patrolman James R. McLaughlin, from Division 11 to Division 20.

Patrolman Daniel V. Milligan, from Division 11 to Division 16.

Patrolman Frederick J. MacCormack, from Division 11 to Division 16.

Patrolman James V. Crowley, from Division 12 to Division 16.

Patrolman John L. Fleming, from Division 12 to Division 20.

Patrolman Lester M. Brackley, from Division 15 to Division 21.

Patrolman Michael J. Davenport, from Division 15 to Division 18.

Patrolman Eugene D. Guthreau, from Division 17 to Division 16.

Patrolman Arthur L. J. Pelletier, from Division 21 to Division 18.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 551.

The following-named persons are hereby appointed patrolmen, to take effect Friday, June 13, 1924, at ten o'clock a. m., and they are assigned as follows:

Frank H. Pare, to Division 12.

William C. Flannery, to Division 3.

John O'Leary, to Division 14.

Thomas F. Burke, to Division 11.

Gregorio Torres, to Division 10.

William J. Dooley, to Division 5.

Luke A. Farley, to Division 9.

Verne W. Mabey, to Division 10.

Joseph F. Dever, to Division 2.

Bernard P. Tierney, to Division 6.
William L. Carney, to Division 17.
Patrick J. Morrissey, to Division 6.
Canice J. Fennelly, to Division 7.
Philip F. Dennehy, Jr., to Division 12.
William J. Hartigan, to Division 5.
Michael A. C. Fitzgerald, to Division 5.
James P. Murphy, to Division 6.
Joseph G. Hudson, to Division 5.
Joseph Brooks, Jr., to Division 2.
John W. Conway, to Division 5.
John J. Mortelle, Jr., to Division 3.
William M. Gustin, to Division 5.
Leopold A. Charland, to Division 17.
Peter I. Furey, to Division 11.
John J. Feeney, to Division 12.
Charles J. Ohrenberger, to Division 11.
Charles H. Newell, to Division 2.
John J. O'Connor, to Division 17.
Eleazer G. Saunders, to Division 15.
Cornelius F. O'Brien, to Division 1.
Patrick J. Connelly, to Division 9.
John J. Donnelly, to Division 2.
John C. Malone, to Division 11.
Laurence M. Murphy, to Division 10.
Stephen F. Finnegan, to Division 12.
Reginald C. Millett, to Division 9.
Martin Burke, to Division 15.
Henry L. Cole, to Division 2.
John J. Smith, to Division 9.
Walter J. Walsh, to Division 1.
Bartholomew A. McDonough, to Division 15.
Carl G. Lundberg, to Division 12.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 552.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Goff and Gallivan, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Dyson Kring of Division 9, charging him with being absent without leave and conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Dyson Kring perform one hundred and five hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 553.

The resignation of Patrolman Arthur B. Olson of Division 6 having been presented while charges are pending against him, it is hereby accepted, to take effect as of Monday, June 16, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m. Seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 13 the Mayor approved a contract with J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for furnishing and spreading sand on bathing beaches. Bids, opened May 22, were as follows:

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$4 per cubic yard, approximate estimate, \$7,000.

Upon June 14 the Mayor approved a contract with J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for grading and loaming at Fens Athletic Field Back Bay. Bids for the work, opened hursday, June 12, were as follows:

Edward J. McHugh & Son, \$8,988; S. J. Tomasello \$8,594; J. A. Singarella, \$8,430; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$8,270; M. McGinnis & Co., \$6,748; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$6,620.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 18 the Mayor approved a contract with Archdeacon & Sullivan for the erection of a review stand on the Common. Bids, opened June 24, were as follows:

Archdeacon & Sullivan, \$6,635; Ray J. Connolly, \$7,140; J. V. M. Hatfield, \$7,800; Casey & Darcy Company, \$9,870; W. A. Norton Company, \$9,950; John P. Curley, \$11,316; Patrick A. Colerain, \$11,897.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Upon June 14 the Mayor approved a contract with W. S. Rendle & Son Company for repairing fender piers and building pile supports of Northern Avenue Bridge. Bids for the work, opened June 12, were as follows:

W. S. Rendle & Son Company, \$17,805; Rendle Stoddard Construction Company, \$18,522; W. A. Norton Company, \$19,028; W. H. Ellis & Son, \$19,235; William L. Miller Company, \$19,748.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon June 13 the Mayor approved a contract with J. J. McCarthy & Co. for Portland cement concrete pavement and sewerage works in South Sanitary Yard, Albany street. Bids for the work opened June 10, were as follows:

M. DeMatteo, \$15,456.25; J. J. McCarthy & Co., \$18,810; S. J. Tomasello, \$19,071.25; J. W. O'Connell, \$19,292.50; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$19,487.50; A. D. Daddario, \$20,925; M. H. Loonie, \$21,073.75; M. F. Gaddis, \$21,876.25; Alco Contracting Company, Inc., \$22,361.50; John McCourt Company, \$22,587.50; V. Grande, \$22,892.50; J. A. Singarella, \$23,360.

Upon June 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Samuel J. Tomasello for laying bitulithic pavement in Grove street, from Centre street to Washington street, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened June 11, were as follows:

Samuel J. Tomasello, sheet asphalt, \$57,859; bitulithic, \$57,859; West Roxbury Trap Rock Company, bitulithic, \$60,692; M. De Matteo, sheet asphalt, \$68,242; bitulithic, \$60,700; M. H. Loonie, bitulithic, \$61,114; John McCourt Company, sheet asphalt, \$62,503.30; bitulithic, \$62,503.30; John J. Lane, bitulithic, \$62,569; Coleman Brothers, Inc., bit-

ulithic, \$63,288; A. G. Tomasello & Son, sheet asphalt, \$66,030; bitulithic \$66,030; Warren Brothers Company, bitulithic, \$68,448.25; M. F. Gaddis, sheet asphalt, \$70,662.50; bitulithic, \$70,662.50; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., bitulithic, \$71,465.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved a contract with the John H. Nelson Company for furnishing military equipment for the Public Schools. Bids, opened March 10, were as follows:

Rifles. Harrington & Co.,¹ \$1,031.25; John H. Nelson,² No 1, \$3,870;³ No. 2, \$3,762.⁵

Bells.—Boston Regalia Company,³ \$705.⁴

¹ Delivery thirty days from acceptance of order.

² Delivery thirty days from signing of contract.

³ Delivery in or within twenty-one days from receipt of order.

⁴ All bids rejected.

⁵ Sample inferior.

⁶ Contract awarded.

The School Committee has rejected a bid for furnishing Welsh anthracite coal for the Boston Public Schools. One bid received as follows:

The whole city, Metropolitan Coal Company, \$14.22 per ton.

The School Committee has approved a contract with the City Fuel Company and the Doherty Coal Company for furnishing bituminous coal for the public schools. Bids, opened April 28, were as follows:

District 1, City Proper.—Glendale Coal Company,† \$6.95 per ton; J. A. Whittemore Sons, \$6.60 per ton; Stetson Coal Company, \$6.36 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$6.20 per ton.*

District 2, South Boston.—J. A. Whittemore Sons, \$6.50 per ton; Stetson Coal Company, \$6.36 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$6.20 per ton.*

District 3, East Boston.—East Boston Coal Company,† \$6.60 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$5.86 per ton.*

District 4, Roxbury.—Doherty Coal Company, \$6.49 per ton; J. A. Whittemore Sons, \$6.60 per ton; Stetson Coal Company, \$6.42 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$6.31 per ton.*

District 5, Dorchester.—Doherty Coal Company, \$6.49 per ton; J. A. Whittemore Sons, \$6.60 per ton; Stetson Coal Company, \$6.42 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$6.40 per ton.*

District 6, Charlestown.—East Boston Coal Company,† \$6.60 per ton; Glendale Coal Company, \$6.60 per ton; Stetson Coal Company, \$6.42 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$6.06 per ton.* E. S. Morse Company, \$6.70 per ton.

District 7, Brighton.—Glendale Coal Company, \$6.95 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$6.55 per ton.*

District 8, West Roxbury.—Roxbury Coal Company,§ \$6.90 per ton; J. A. Whittemore Sons, \$6.95 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$6.81 per ton.*

District 9, Hyde Park.—Doherty Coal Company, \$6.49 per ton; Roxbury Coal Company, \$6.90 per ton; J. A. Whittemore Sons, \$6.95 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$6.81 per ton.

Whole City.—J. A. Whittemore Sons, \$6.70 per ton; Metropolitan Coal Company, \$6.34 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$6.29 per ton.

* Contract awarded.

† Neither the bid deposited with the City Auditor nor the one sent to the School Committee was signed.

‡ No check deposited with bid. No bid deposited with City Auditor.

§ Bid not signed in the proper place.

The School Committee has approved a contract with the Hub Coal Company and the City Fuel Company for furnishing American anthracite coal for the Public Schools. Bids, opened April 29, were as follows:

District 1, City Proper.—Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company, \$14.62 per ton; East Boston Coal Company, \$14.25 per ton; Tremont Coal Company, \$14.20 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$13.90 * per ton; Stetson Coal Company, \$14.40 per ton.

District 2, South Boston.—Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company, \$14.62 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$13.90 * per ton; Stetson Coal Company, \$14.25 per ton; Doherty Coal Company, \$14.04 per ton.

District 3, East Boston.—Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company, \$14.62 per ton; East Boston Coal Company, \$14 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$13.90 * per ton.

District 4, Roxbury.—Hub Coal Company, \$13.75 * per ton; Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company, \$14.62 per ton; East Boston Coal Company, \$14.25 per ton; Tremont Coal Company, \$14.20 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$13.90 per ton; Doherty Coal Company, \$14.04 per ton.

District 5, Dorchester.—Hub Coal Company, \$13.75 * per ton; Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company, \$14.62 per ton; Tremont Coal Company, \$14.20 per ton; Roxbury Coal Company,† \$14.10 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$13.90 per ton; Lamartine Coal Company, \$13.90 ‡ per ton; Doherty Coal Company, \$14.04 per ton; Godfrey Coal Company, \$13.87 per ton.

District 6, Charlestown.—Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company, \$14.62 per ton; East Boston Coal Company, \$14 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$13.90 * per ton; E. S. Morse Company, \$14.40 per ton.

District 7, Brighton.—Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company, \$14.62 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$14.30 * per ton.

District 8, West Roxbury.—Hub Coal Company, \$13.75 * per ton; Tremont Coal Company, \$14.20 per ton; Roxbury Coal Company,† \$14.10 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$14.30 per ton; Lamartine Coal Company, \$13.90 ‡ per ton.

District 9, Hyde Park.—Hub Coal Company, \$13.75 * per ton; Roxbury Coal Company,† \$14.10 per ton; City Fuel Company, \$13.90 per ton; Doherty Coal Company, \$14.24 per ton; Godfrey Coal Company, \$13.87 per ton.

The whole city.—City Fuel Company, \$14 per ton; John A. Whittemore Sons, \$14.20 per ton.

* Contract awarded.

† Bid not signed in proper place.

‡ Sales subject to strikes, accidents, embargoes, shortage of cars, delayed in transportation or other causes beyond our control.

The School Committee has approved a contract with the Boston Paper Board Company and the John A. De Vito Company for furnishing news paper and blocks for the public schools. Bids, opened April 8, were as follows:

Plain News Paper.—Old Dominion Paper Company, \$704.98 †, \$658.35; William A. Russell, \$1,530; Boston Paper Board Company, \$570; John A. DeVito Company, \$460. ‡

News Paper Blocks.—Old Dominion Paper Company, \$3,914.64; William A. Russell, \$6,490; Boston Paper Board Company, \$3,300*.

* Contract awarded.

† If not awarded contract for blocks.

‡ Check for \$115 only; no bid deposited with City Auditor.

§ All bids rejected, contract awarded to John A. DeVito Company without further advertising.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved contracts with the Cutter & Wood Supply Company, R. B. McKim & Co., S. H. Davis Company, A. J. Wilkinson & Co. and Albert K. Sheldon Company for furnishing hardware, oil, shellac, etc., for the public schools. Bids, opened January 28, were as follows:

ITEMS.	Cutter & Wood Supply Company.	A. J. Wilkinson & Co.	S. H. Davis Company.	Sherwin-Williams Company.	Rogers Isinglass and Glue Company.\$	R. B. McKim & Co., Inc.	Watson-Hallett Company.	Albert K. Sheldon Company.\$	S. C. Johnson Company.†
1. Alumishine		*\$24 00							
2. Awls	\$44 70	*42 60	\$44 00						
3. Bit and bit braces	499 36	533 66	504 88			*\$487 56			
4. Brads	*59 32	75 55	61 50						
5. Brushes	*64 46	165 40	80 00				\$64 53	\$79 61	
6. Burnishers	10 30	*6 20	13 40						
7. Butts	20 25	*18 00	21 25			7 24			
8. Cans, kerosene, 1-gallon size..	9 00	*6 72	9 00						
9. Chisels	88 68	71 24	81 93			*67 26			
10. Clamps	*38 70	44 40	51 30			54 00			
11. Drill and drill points	192 00	165 40	185 20			*160 80			
12. Emery cloth	283 75	*266 72	287 00			284 40		303 95	
13. Emery wheel dressers	*45 69	60 24	45 94			49 30			
14. Erasers, "Polita"	117 00	*86 40	96 00						
15. Escutcheon pins	39 70	*39 00	41 75						
16. Files	*92 44	131 24	154 59			139 40			
17. Gauges	311 65	*214 98				*126 00			
18. Glass cutters	5 50	*4 76	5 60						
19. Glue	218 00	192 50	214 25		*\$170 00	244 50	214 25	235 00	
20. Gouges	54 40	*52 88	65 00						
21. Hammer and hammer handles,	128 15	169 27	172 10			*141 00			
22. Handles	12 24	11 28	*9 00			19 32			
23. Hand screws	122 00	*98 40	117 00			127 12			
24. Hinges	*16 00	16 70	45 00						
25. Hooks	39 50	*34 13	41 45						
26. Knives	110 65	*86 68	108 50						
27. Letter clips	30 00	*18 40							
28. Mallets	44 40	*40 08	57 00						
29. Marline	47 25	*33 75	45 00						
30. Nails	25 50	*13 00	22 00						
31. Oil	31 50	*28 50	41 25				37 50	37 50	
32. Oil stones	106 80	*71 28	93 00						
33. Planes	57 60	*48 24	54 12			56 40			
34. Plane parts	396 26	*304 17	313 74						
35. Pliers	97 05	95 76	*92 60						
36. Pumice	7 50	*4 75	7 50				6 00	5 25	
37. Sandpaper	116 25	*108 98	110 00			110 11		110 50	
38. Saws	159 10	*133 56	155 75			152 30			
39. Saw parts	623 23	*272 02	348 00			283 44			
40. Screw eyes	57 50	*60 80	*54 00						
41. Screws	384 38	*365 90	376 00						
42. Shellac	617 50	599 25	636 00	\$621 75			543 75	477 75	
43. Snips	*83 68	126 00	103 00						
44. Soldering paste	13 50	12 75	*11 10						
45. Spokeshaves	26 60	*17 44							
46. Squares	178 00	158 12	160 34			*138 56			
47. Stains	690 25	*450 50	620 00	456 25			1396 25	564 75	\$403 75
48. Thumb tacks	19 50	36 00	*17 50						
49. Vise screws	*64 80	94 80							
50. Wrenches	*154 00	174 44	272 88						

* Lowest bid. Contract awarded.

† All bids rejected. Contract awarded to A. K. Sheldon Company.

‡ All bids rejected.

§ Bid defective. No copy deposited at Auditor's office. (Rogers Isinglass and Glue Company's bid, February 19, 1924, reported found at Auditor's office.)

¶ Two items omitted. * Five items omitted. † Bid defective; not signed; proposal not filled in; no copy deposited with Auditor; prices only inserted on schedule.

‡ Lowest bid on tools in compliance with specifications. Contract awarded.

§ Contract abrogated for the reason that this firm intended to furnish but one item in the group. Order placed with A. J. Wilkinson & Co., lowest bidder on entire group.

The School Committee has approved a contract with the L. E. Knott Apparatus Company, Schaar & Co., the Chemical Rubber Company and the Cambridge Botanical Supply Company for furnishing science apparatus and supplies for the public schools. Bids, opened April 2, were as follows:

GROUPS.	Doe & Ingalls, Inc.	L. E. Knott Apparatus Company.	Cambridge Botanical Company.	E. F. Mahady Company.	W. M. Welch Company by Ryan & Baker.	Charles S. Bush Company.	Will Corporation. ^{2a}	Eimer & Amend. ^{3a}	Schaar & Co.	Chemical Rubber Company.	Bausch & Lomb Optical Company.
1		\$19 65	*\$17 02		\$22 47		\$18 30	\$27 46	\$19 20	\$19 08	
2	1 \$37 59	71 60	81 15	\$86 76			76 81	79 30		*27 86	
3		99 70	104 00		114 99		112 85		*98 30		41 \$70 52
4		*25 80	40 46		19 25 82		7 01		30 86		
5		27 15	29 58		38 40		33 78	36 55	*26 50	30 94	
6		*5 98	8 50		8 37		7 19	9 75		6 47	
7		18 00	14 66		16 93		21 01	26 13	*13 51	15 00	
8		*26 40	29 63		32 19		27 44	38 48	27 32	27 34	
9		3 70	5 21		4 96		4 87	7 00		*3 35	
10		*193 00			20 153 42						41 20 10
11	12 17	10 15	12 38	14 14			9 42	13 90		*8 93	
12		*69 80			21 1 85						
13		*21 60			22 38 40						
14		19 70	19 08		27 00		23 06	24 07	*18 05	21 55	
15		6 25	*3 90		4 44		5 50		4 09		41 54
16		12 45	10 40		12 90		13 90	20 21	*9 80	11 85	
17		4 70	4 75		5 35		4 12	7 88		*3 18	
18	2 27 53	26 40	25 27	27 61			22 72	32 60		*22 63	
19		24 85	*22 86		36 29		30 40	41 85	23 33	28 90	
20		9 60	*9 44		11 30		9 95	14 53	9 63	14 17	
21 §		9 40	9 12		7 72		7 97	13 88			
22	2 26 21	27 00	30 26	38 30			†22 69	35 75		*24 68	
23		74 65	*57 85		68 10				61 93		41 12 50
24		34 80	32 74		32 38		33 63	52 05	*30 29	33 47	
25		*24 90	26 76		35 00		36 48	38 25	27 90	27 35	
26		*5 95	7 75		9 30		6 75	9 34			
27	3 34 77	33 00	30 98	43 01			24 97	21 35 65		*23 69	

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28	\$19 18	\$19 00	\$16 50	\$18 75	\$42 08		\$16 84	\$18 05		*\$14 40	
29		46 25	38 30		42 75		42 75	75 61	*\$33 70	41 20	
30		* 112 00	116 22		21 47 25		112 01	133 50	131 55	112 79	
31		7 25	7 60		6 27		5 66	13 10		* 4 57	
32		* 48 00	63 81		22 24 95				52 98		
33		9 85	* 7 10		21 7 20		10 13				\$10 16
34		139 50	165 16		21 197 05		161 99	175 42	* 132 27	146 04	
35		* 139 15	141 00		195 20		166 33	181 50	149 17	144 57	
36		* 46 75	48 61		22 44 98				71 60		
37	* 139 81	* 136 00	151 32	194 75			171 91	21 174 00		137 16	
38		14 90	* 14 82		17 72		17 47	18 50	15 78	15 29	
39		3 95	4 78		4 17		3 53	6 70		* 2 89	
40		2 45	2 80		1 41		1 97	3 00	2 00	* 1 25	
41		12 00	8 40		11 68		8 76		* 7 80	8 30	8 77
42		* 16 50	16 15 09		19 8 69		41 24		22 49		
43	* 28 13	28 25	29 30	34 57			26 35	33 25		* 22 47	
44		* 56 00	57 19		74 35		67 50	80 80	60 17	37 56 04	
45		21 50	17 89		21 46		19 01	27 38	* 17 12	17 69	
46		* 19 75	23 70		31 62		24 59	30 53		20 83	
47		14 35	7 91		22 7 15		41 3 92		* 7 65		
48		110 00	116 47		22 101 68				* 86 83		
49	18 52 88	45 00	56 86	74 93			85 09	22 62 40		* 39 14	
50	33 53	48 00	36 13	37 68			151 48	29 10		* 23 73	
51		86 00	89 26		21 88 97		93 60	114 29	* 83 29	88 35	
52	* 152 91	150 60	144 34	196 35				172 82		* 133 22	
53		* 89 25	98 62		146 79		110 71	129 38	95 97	96 33	41 1 67
54		11 75	13 20		20 70		15 30	22 90		* 11 60	
55		31 90	* 25 74		25 90		41 13 75		26 00		
56		* 98 00	115 33		146 50		120 26		126 18	113 45	
57		* 5 90	7 10		7 36		6 93	13 50	6 16	7 35	
58		1 95	2 30		1 25		1 78	2 75		* 78	
59		69 50			54 75						
60	* 35 61	36 00	34 45	42 37			32 29	45 60		* 30 22	
61		32 25	29 19		32 52		31 16	42 14	28 16	* 25 82	
62		* 49 00	53 54		71 26		56 10	67 18	52 02	35 50 24	
63	17 49 70	45 75	44 92	67 52			37 88	58 50		* 35 66	
64		23 75	23 28				19 89	49 12		* 18 82	
65		* 49 50			19 55 40						
66		15 50	* 8 46		21 5 41		13 94				
67	* 169 92	159 75	165 52	218 32			161 42	21 207 05		39 * 146 17	
68		17 80	18 18		27 28		24 29	36 73		* 15 96	
69		13 39 80	13 42 55		56 80		46 85	72 71	42 87	41 81	
70		29 50	* 24 72		56 02		29 88	45 80	25 75	30 17	
71		83 75	* 63 74		21 51 40						
72		* 174 40			24 97 78				200 20		
73		* 218 25	246 30		21 307 69		243 59	321 27	238 38	239 13	
74		14 274 00	280 48		25 193 56		41 147 40		301 01	* 252 32	
75		5 95	* 5 57		6 30		5 99	9 50		7 50	41 4 24
76		19 80	19 88		19 94		16 14	35 27		* 13 02	
77	* 222 35	222 50	* 215 22	287 51			223 66	22 251 40		227 87	
78		67 40	75 55		32 74 80				* 63 66		41 2 40
79			* 37 96		26 4 30		33 33 78				
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* Contract awarded.

† All bids rejected. Contract awarded to L. E. Knott without further advertising.

‡ Bid withdrawn.

§ All bids rejected.

1 Letter dated April 3, 1924, stating that this firm has omitted to bid on 250 grams of Hematoxylin.

2 One case returnable at \$1, f. o. b., 99 Central street.

3 One acid case returnable at \$2.

4 Two carboys returnable at \$5 each and one ten-gallon can at \$2, f. o. b., 99 Central street.

5 Two acid cases returnable at \$1 each, f. o. b., 99 Central street.

6 Two acid cases returnable at \$2 each, f. o. b., 99 Central street.

7 Three acid cases returnable at \$1 each, f. o. b., 99 Central street.

8 Five acid cases returnable at \$2 each, f. o. b., 99 Central street.

9 One ounce carbon bichloride omitted. One carboy returnable at \$5, and four acid cases at \$1 each, f. o. b., 99 Central street.

10 Six potash iodide sheets omitted; two acid cases returnable at \$1 each, f. o. b., 99 Central street.

11 One acid case returnable at \$2, and three cases at \$1 each, f. o. b., 99 Central street.

12 Bid on two pounds copper wire, No. 20, instead of twenty-one pounds which they state is an error on our part.

13 Quoting on funnel 2½ inches diameter instead of 21 inches as specified which they state is an error on our part.

14 Substituting their charts No. 3975 and No. 3976 instead of charts E. & A. 1992, 1996.

15 Credit to be given when two carboys are returned, \$8.

16 Omitted to quote on one clamp for lift pump.

17 Quoted on Geryk oil sealed air pump instead of one specified.

18 Will allow \$4 credit if carboy is returned in good condition.

19 Three items omitted.

20 Fifteen items omitted.

21 One item omitted.

22 Two items omitted.

23 Four items omitted.

24 Twelve items omitted.

25 Fourteen items omitted.

26 Five items omitted.

27 Nine items omitted.

28 Note on Auditor's copy reads: "Net subject to prior sale." Bid withdrawn April 18, 1924.

29 No bid on School Committee copy.

30 School Committee copy, \$19.90.

31 Bid in words on School Committee copy, \$197.25.

32 Two items omitted; bid in figures on School Committee copy, \$74.

33 Bid of \$33.78 on Auditor's copy, no bid on School Committee copy. According to figures in the specifications, this was intended for Group 80.

34 Bid of \$33.78 on School Committee copy; no bid on Auditor's copy.

35 Bid on School Committee copy \$80.

36 Prices hold good only in the case that 25 per cent of the portion of order quoted is placed with them; prepaid to Boston, otherwise prices quoted are f. o. b., New York. Delivery three to four weeks.

37 Words read "Fifth, six and 4-100ths."

38 Words on School Committee copy read "Fifth and 24-100ths."

39 Words on School Committee copy read: "One hundred and forty-six and 17-100."

40 See letter qualifying the bid.

41 Bid on part of group only.

42 In cases.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Herbert W. Doten for furnishing and installing work benches in various schools in the sum of \$3,819. There was but one bid.

Upon June 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Samuel Stephens & Wickersham Quoin Company for furnishing and installing printing equipment in Portable No. 226 at the Abraham Lincoln School. Bids, opened on June 10, were as follows: Samuel Stephens & Wickersham Quoin

Company, \$2,047.63; H. C. Hansen Type Foundry, \$2,102.85.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved contracts with J. L. Hammett Company, Milton Bradley Company and Edward E.

Babb & Co. for furnishing pens and pencils for the public schools. Bids, opened March 19, were as follows:

Pens.—J. L. Hammett Company's Esterbrook, \$5,671; Miller Brothers, \$4,280; Edward E. Babb & Co., \$3,638, \$3,531†; Milton Bradley Company, \$3,531‡.

Pencils.—Wallace "Writing" \$6,000§; Wallace No. 324, \$5,250§; Kenney Brothers & Wolkins, \$3,750||; J. L. Hammett Company, \$6,750*; Edward E. Babb & Company, \$6,750*; Milton Bradley Company, \$6,750.*

* Contract awarded (one third to each.)
† If allowed four months for delivery.
‡ Contract awarded (one of two low bids and in accordance with specifications).
§ Sample unsatisfactory.
|| Bid withdrawn (made a mistake of \$3,000).
See letter March 19, 1924.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Warren Brothers Company have been ordered to make the following additions to contract for bitulithic pavement on Fenway, from Forsythway to near Museum road; Fens bridge approaches, from Fenway to Audubon road; Arborway from South street to Forest Hills street; Willow Pond road, from Jamaica way to Brookline line; Francis Parkman road, from Jamaica way to Perkins street; Chestnut street, West Roxbury, from Perkins street to the Brookline line.

Resurface with bitulithic pavement in the Fens, Boylston street, from Ipswich street, approximately 120 feet easterly and Audubon road narrow drive from Boylston street, approximately 100 feet southerly, all at the same unit prices as called for in contract and all work to be done in accordance with the specifications of contract.

Estimated cost of this additional work, \$3,000; contract price, \$63,128.25; addition as per this order, \$3,000; contract as standing, \$66,128.25.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$1,900, on contract with the Highland Contracting Company for laying artificial stone sidewalks in Holton street, Brighton; Sachem, Hayden and Schiller streets, Roxbury; Woodcliff, Dacia, Blakeville and Bullard streets, Dorchester; and West Milton street, Hyde Park, on account of setting edgestone and constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Everett street, easterly side, from Holton street to Brentwood street; setting edgestone and constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Athol street to Appian way; setting edgestone and constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Athol street, westerly side, from Holton street to Brentwood street. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$13,304.70; total additions, \$1,900; total deductions, \$1,080; contract as standing, \$14,124.70.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$625, on contract with John Williams & Co. for laying and relaying water pipes in Congress, South and Kneeland streets, city proper; Burnham and Moore streets and South bay, Roxbury; Province street and

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending June 14, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 174; nonresidents, 35; total, 209.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 14.03; nonresidents deducted, 11.68.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 12.66; corresponding week last year, 15.77.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 28; one year to five years, inclusive, 13; sixty years and over, 73; total deaths, male, 108; female, 101; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 109; deaths of colored, 5.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 14, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 16, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	48	3	59	2
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	1	—
Influenza.....	2	1	—	—
Measles.....	104	—	210	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	2	1	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	45	15	6	11
Scarlet fever.....	73	1	60	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	40	9	43	19
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	12	2	6	2
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	—	—
Whooping cough.....	10	1	23	1

* Residents and nonresidents included.

Province court, city proper, on account of removing 120 feet of old foundation walls and old catch-basin; replacing two defective castings; locating and abandoning service pipes; cutting through manhole and cutting out old steamheating pipes; salvaging four smith sleeve castings, and offsetting 8-inch low service pipes. Original contract, \$8,703; total addition, \$325; contract as standing, \$9,328.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for authority to widen, reset edgestone, construct artificial stone sidewalks and prepare subgrade for asphalt top in Sterling street, from Newbern street to Tremont street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$2,500.

This widening was ordered by the Board of Street Commissioners with no order for construction.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Martin F. Gaddis has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying Bitulithic pavement in Washington street, West Roxbury, from Denton terrace to West Roxbury Parkway, from June 1, 1924, to June 15, 1924.

J. Edward Ogden Company has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for two sets of ferry bridge gallows frame and accompanying machinery for the South Ferry, from July 1, 1924, to September 1, 1924.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

The Gibby Foundry Company have been granted an extension of the comple-

tion of the contract for furnishing sewer castings to the Public Works Department, from June 1, 1924 to August 1, 1924.

BOSTON AS A TOWN.

From its foundation until 1755, or a period of 125 years, Boston was not only the most outstanding but the most populous town in the American colonies. In 1760, Philadelphia's population was ahead, viz., 18,756, Boston's then being 15,631 and New York's about 14,000. In the last year of town government, viz., 1821, Boston's population was about 45,000 and its public debt \$100,000, all incurred for new county buildings.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for painting the interior of the Bowdoin School, Myrtle street, West End, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Thursday, July 3, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 10, 1924.

Ordered. That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land on the southwesterly side of Heath street, adjoining the Jefferson School, Roxbury district, supposed to belong to Frederick Bleiler, containing approximately 180,900 square feet, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of July 1, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(June 21.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 19, 1924.

Ordered. That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Perkins street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Canterbury street to Grew avenue, with the name of Pinedale street or some other distinctive name, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of July 2, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(June 21-28.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO FURNITURE CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering furniture of various kinds in the various schoolhouses throughout the city for a period of one year beginning July 18, 1924, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of \$1,000. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 1, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a copy of the specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,

(June 21.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 10, 1924.

Ordered. That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land on the southwesterly side of Almont street, Dorchester district, known as "Collins Field," containing approximately 675,688 square feet for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of July 1, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(June 21.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 10, 1924.

Ordered. That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and buildings adjoining property of the City of Boston (library) and bounded by Academy Hill road, Chestnut Hill avenue and Winship street, Brighton district, supposed to belong to Delia M. Cauley, for court-house purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of July 1, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(June 21.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 19, 1924.

Ordered. That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Christopher street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dorchester avenue to Bispham street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of July 2, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(June 21-28.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 19, 1924.

Ordered. That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Ramsey street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dudley street to Hamlet street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of July 2, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(June 21-28.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for doing painting work at the Miles Standish School, Roxbury street, Roxbury, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 1, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a copy of the specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the specifications.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ARTIFICIAL STONE SIDEWALKS IN LAKE STREET (WEST SIDE), FROM WASHINGTON STREET TO 715 FEET SOUTHERLY; SHANNON STREET FROM WASHINGTON STREET TO UNION STREET, BRIGHTON; WATER STREET (WEST SIDE), AT NOS. 46-50, CHARLESTOWN; CONLEY STREET (SOUTH SIDE), FROM OLD COLONY PARKWAY TO TENEAN STREET; DIX STREET (SOUTH SIDE), FROM DORCHESTER AVENUE TO 142 FEET EASTERLY; EVANS STREET (NORTH SIDE), FROM STANTON STREET TO 130 FEET WESTERLY; PERCIVAL STREET (WEST SIDE), FROM EATON SQUARE TO FOX STREET; ROBIN HOOD STREET (SOUTH SIDE), FROM 192 TO 367 FEET EAST OF HARTFORD STREET; ROSLIN STREET (NORTH SIDE), AT NOS. 28-32; WINDERMERE ROAD (WEST SIDE), FROM STOUGHTON STREET TO CUSHING AVENUE; WRENTHAM STREET, FROM DORCHESTER AVENUE TO BRUCE STREET, DORCHESTER; EVERGREEN STREET (NORTH SIDE), FROM DAY STREET TO SOUTH HUNTINGTON AVENUE; MARSHFIELD STREET, FROM ROBEY STREET TO NORFOLK AVENUE; ROUND HILL STREET, FROM GAY HEAD STREET TO DAY STREET, ROXBURY; ST. ROSE STREET, FROM NO. 15 TO NO. 45 AND NO. 16 TO NO. 44; WILLIAMS STREET (WEST SIDE), FROM WASHINGTON STREET TO FOREST HILLS STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for artificial stone sidewalks in Lake street (west side), from Washington street to 715 feet southerly; Shannon street, from Washington street to Union street, Brighton; Water street (west side), at Nos. 46-50, Charlestown; Conley street (south side), from Old Colony parkway to Tenean street; Dix street (south side), from Dorchester avenue to 142 feet easterly; Evans street (north side), from Stanton street to 130 feet westerly; Percival street (west side), from Eaton square to Fox street; Robin Hood street (south side), from 192 to 367 feet east of Hartford street; Roslin street (north side), at Nos. 28-32; Windermere road (west side), from Stoughton street to Cushing avenue; Wrentham street, from Dorchester avenue to Bruce street, Dorchester; Evergreen street (north side), from Day street to South Huntington avenue; Marshfield street, from Robey street to Norfolk avenue; Round Hill street, from Gay Head street to Day street, Roxbury; St. Rose street, from No. 15 to No. 45 and No. 16 to No. 44; Williams street (west side), from Washington street to Forest Hills street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Artificial Stone Sidewalks in Lake Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, June 30, 1924, with a certified check for fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, June 19, 1924. (June 21.)

LOCAL LABOR UNIONS.

On January 1, 1922, number of local unions reporting, 348, with 114,883 members (14,480 less than in 1921) or 101,745 men and 13,138 women. Percentage of local union members unemployed on March 31, 1921, 30.3; on June 30, 23.1; on September 30, 20.0; December 31, 24.8.

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HAY, GRAIN AND STRAW.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Friday, June 27, 1924, when they will be publicly opened and read for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during the month of July, 1924. The bidder must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on United States No. 2 and No. 3 Timothy hay, United States No. 2 and No. 3 light grass mixed, and United States No. 2 and No. 3 light clover mixed, the straw to be rye straw in good condition. The grade of hay must comply with the federal hay grades and straw must comply with the National Hay Association and shall be weighed and inspected by the federal hay inspector. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, clipped to set 36 to 38 pounds, graded under the federal standards. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts for one quarter the amount of the contract, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. No reservations or stipulations submitted by the various bidders will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(June 21.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE SURFACE ON TERRACE
AROUND THE REFECTORY BUILDING, FRANK-
LIN PARK.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for concrete surface on terrace around the refectory building, Franklin Park. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Concrete Surface on Terrace Around the Refectory Building, Franklin Park," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, June 26, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,500 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(June 21.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEAT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments during July, 1924, as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 noon, Friday, June 27, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(June 21.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE
PAVEMENT IN AYR ROAD, FROM BEACON
STREET TO ORKNEY ROAD, BRIGHTON;
DALKEITH STREET, FROM HOWARD AVENUE
TO NORTHWEST OF BALFOUR STREET;
STANDARD STREET, FROM RIVER STREET, 1,253
FEET NORTHERLY, DORCHESTER; BERYL
STREET, FROM ALDRICH STREET TO CORNELL
STREET; POND VIEW AVENUE FROM PERKINS
STREET TO 300 FEET SOUTH OF MORaine
STREET; REDLANDS ROAD, FROM CENTRE
STREET TO ABBOT STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, from Beacon street to Orkney road, Brighton; Dalkeith street, from Howard avenue to northwest of Balfour street; Standard street, from River street 1,253 feet northerly, Dorchester; Beryl street, from Aldrich street to Cornell street; Pond View avenue from Perkins street to 300 feet south of Moraine street; Redlands road, from Centre street to Abbot street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Portland Cement Concrete Pavement in Ayr Road, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, July 2, 1924, with a certified check for five thousand (5,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 19, 1924. (June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR TWO ELECTRICALLY OPERATED
FERRY BRIDGES WITH GALLOW FRAMES AND
ACCOMPANYING MACHINERY FOR THE
SOUTH FERRY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for building two electrically operated ferry bridges with gallow frames and accompanying machinery at the South Ferry, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, after Wednesday, June 25, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed marked "Bid for Ferry Bridges," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Thursday, July 10, 1924, with a certified check for ten thousand (10,000) dollars payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 19, 1924. (June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING PIERS AND FENDER
GUARDS OF SUMMER STREET BRIDGE OVER
RESERVED CHANNEL, SOUTH BOSTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing piers and fender guards of Summer Street Bridge over Reserved Channel, South Boston, and giving bonds therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, after Monday, June 23, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Summer Street Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, July 1, 1924, with a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 19, 1924. (June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING APPROXIMATELY
TEN DOUBLE TEAMS WITH DUMP CARTS,
SIX SINGLE TEAM EXPRESS WAGONS, ONE
TWO-TON AUTO TRUCK AND TWO OR MORE
FIVE-TON TRUCKS, WHENEVER REQUIRED.

Proposals on separate blanks obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, for furnishing approximately ten double teams with dump carts, six single team express wagons, one two-ton auto truck and two or more five-ton trucks, whenever required, for one year, with suitable drivers, all twenty years of age or older, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, June 24, 1924, at the said office, with a certified check for \$200, with each separate proposal, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for \$3,000 as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. Before an award is made of this contract, the Commissioners will insist upon an examination of the stock and equipment of each bidder and a report of the same must be made by a veterinarian assigned for this purpose. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(June 21.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.
STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE
CITY OF BOSTON, June 19, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Kennerma road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Washington street to Allerton road, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a m. of July 2, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(June 21-28.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

To CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for reconstruction and alteration of the Bennett School, Chestnut Hill avenue and Dighton street, Brighton district, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Thursday, July 3, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$5,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

To CONTRACTORS FOR HARDWARE.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required or necessary for the complete equipment of the elementary school, Edmund P. Tileston District, Walk Hill street, Dorchester, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1007, City Hall Annex signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 1, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

To PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for doing painting work at the Julia Ward Howe School, Dale and Sherman streets, Roxbury, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 1, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a copy of the specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the specifications.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AT THE PARKMAN MEMORIAL BANDSTAND ON BOSTON COMMON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for alterations at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand on Boston Common, in connection with the installation of amplifiers for a public address system. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineers' office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Alterations at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand on Boston Common," and left before 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, July 2, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for doing the work in the sum of \$5,000, of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman,*
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

To HEATING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston, invite sealed proposals for installing new heating system in the Horace Mann School, Exeter and Newbury streets, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 1, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

To HEATING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing a heating system in the Quincy Street School, corner Stanley street, Dorchester, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 1, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

The Board of Street Commissioners in accordance with chapter 393 of the Acts of 1906 has passed orders for the laying out and construction of the following highway:

BRIGHTON.

Ayr road, from Beacon street to Orkney road.

DORCHESTER.

Dalkeith street, from Howard avenue to northwest of Balfour street.
Standard street, from River street northerly.

WEST ROXBURY.

Beryl street (formerly Berry street), from Cornell street to Aldrich street.
Pond View avenue, from Perkins street to a point about 300 feet south of Moraine street.
Redlands road, from Centre street to Abbott street.

Notice is hereby given that the Public Works Department is about to do the work contemplated in said order, and that all work to be done in said highways by all persons or corporations having rights in the same to lay or repair either sewer, gas, water or other pipes must be done before Wednesday, July 23, 1924, as after that time no permits for openings will be granted until two years after said highways are completed.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, June 19, 1924. (June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 10, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, West Roxbury district, supposed to belong to Franciscan Monastery of St. Clare, containing approximately 83,418 square feet for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of July 1, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(June 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FOUNDATIONS FOR FERRY BRIDGES FOR THE SOUTH FERRY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one-half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for building foundations for ferry bridges at the South Ferry, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, after Wednesday, June 25, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Foundations for Ferry Bridges," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Thursday July 10, 1924, with a certified check for one thousand (1,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, June 19, 1924. (June 21.)

PORT OF BOSTON.

Best of natural harbors, sheltered, spacious for anchorage, main ship channel 35 feet in depth at low tide, near open sea, total area of harbor about 47 square miles; waterfront (*i. e.*, lineal pier space) 40 miles, 6 miles fronting on 30 feet depth at low water. A 45-foot channel from entrance of harbor to President Roads and 40-foot from there to wharves will be dredged in the near future.

The three principal freight terminals are those of the Boston and Maine R. R. in Charlestown, Cambridge and E. Somerville; the Boston and Albany R. R. in East Boston; the New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R. in South Boston, interchange of freight between terminals effected by Union Freight R. R. with tracks on waterfront streets. New Commonwealth Pier No. 5, South Boston, 1,200 feet long, 400 feet wide, accommodating five 600-foot ships at one time, 40 feet depth at mean low water on both sides, with three 2-story fireproof buildings of steel and concrete construction, containing 900,000 square feet of floor space, total cost of this enterprise to State, \$4,500,000. Commonwealth Pier No. 6, South Boston (Fish Pier), buildings on same erected by lessee, Boston Fish Market Corporation, cost to State, \$1,487,361. New Commonwealth Pier, No. 1, East Boston, 900 feet long, costing State \$764,600 for site and about \$345,000 for construction. New dry dock at South Boston (probably the largest in world), completed in 1919, 1,200 feet long and 120 wide, costing over \$3,000,000 and taken by U. S. Government at total cost of same to State. Islands in Boston Harbor over 3 acres in area, 17, with total area of 965 acres; Long Island the largest, or 215.5 acres. Owned by United States, 392 acres; by City of Boston, 334 acres. Number of wharves, 143, of which 8 are owned by the City. There are 24 foreign steamship lines with regular sailings to and from Boston and 19 coastwise lines (5 to Pacific ports). In 1915 a revision of the harbor lines was made and the project undertaken whereby 600 acres of flats between Governor's Island and Jeffries Pt., E. Boston, will be filled in and used for extensive commercial development under State control. At the close of 1922 about 120 acres had been filled.

In April, 1918, the Government established its Army Supply Base on a portion of the Commonwealth lands in South Boston. About 57.6 acres were purchased of the State, the price being \$1,317,510, quickly followed by the construction of two pier sheds, each 920 feet long, a wharf shed and other buildings, including one of the largest storehouses in the world, built of reinforced concrete, eight stories high, 1,638 feet long, 126 feet wide and with floor space of over 1,650,000 square feet or about 38 acres. The total outlay for the plant was \$26,000,000.

Total Federal expenditure for improvement of Boston Harbor from 1790 to June 30, 1918, \$12,525,981; total expended and provided for by State, \$18,364,947 since 1859.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

BOSTON'S MUNICIPAL YEAR.

The municipal year begins on the first Monday in February, which fell on February 5, in 1923.

TELEPHONE STATISTICS.

Boston served by one company, viz., New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, organized in 1883 and formed by the consolidation of numerous companies, with plant now valued at \$119,121,301, extending through the states of Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont; total miles of wire, 2,129,347 or 1,400,882 miles in underground cable, 393,757 in aerial cable, 305,727 of aerial wire, 24,744 of phantom circuit and 4,237 in submarine cable; centrals or exchanges, 477; total stations, 866,271, of which 2,794 were private line stations and 1,979 service stations; total employees, 18,731.

In the Central District of Boston there were on January 1, 1922, 97,259 stations (*i. e.*, 2,047 more than in 1921), as follows: Back Bay Exchange, 25,040; Beach, 19,060; Congress, 15,434; Haymarket, 12,724; Main, 18,589; Richmond, 6,412; Suburban exchanges in Boston: Brighton, 7,530; Charlestown, 3,460; Columbia (Roxbury) 2,380; Dorchester, 15,215; East Boston, 4,794; Hyde Park, 2,520; Jamaica Plain, 6,160; Parkway (West Roxbury) 5,149; Roxbury, 15,298; South Boston, 5,583; total stations, 68,089; City total, 165,348.

In the Metropolitan Division, including Boston, there were 213,576 main stations; 66,498 private branch exchanges; 26,670 extension and 6,224 public stations, making total of 312,968. State regulation of telephone business is in charge of Department of Public Utilities.

Of all telephones in the world, 64 per cent are in the United States; 9.5 per cent in Germany; 5.2 per cent in Great Britain; 3.3 in Canada; 2.2 in France. Number of telephones (estimated) per 100 population:—Los Angeles, 21.3; Chicago, 20.5; Boston, 20.0; Cincinnati, 17.1; Cleveland, 16.0; New York, 15.6; Pittsburgh, 15.2; St. Louis, 14.8; Copenhagen, 13.9; Philadelphia, 13.6; Detroit, 13.6; Baltimore, 11.6; Berlin, 10.5; Montreal, 9.2; London, 4.3; Paris, 3.2; Petrograd, 3.0; Rome, 2.1; Tokio, 2.0.

Patent for invention of telephone obtained on March 17, 1876, by the late Professor Alexander Graham Bell, who first demonstrated its success in Boston on the 10th of same month. The Bell System (*i. e.*, American Telephone & Telegraph Company), originating in Boston, had 8,333,979 telephone stations, January 1, 1921, and there were 4,267,956 connected stations, all constituting 90 per cent of total in United States, and 25,377,404 miles of wire (60.5 per cent underground) with about 33,162,000 messages daily (average).

Total number of telephones in use in United States in January, 1921, 13,411,380 or one to every eight persons (approximately).

REDIVISION OF BOSTON INTO WARDS.

Chapter 630, Acts of 1914, required the redivision of Boston, by the City Council, into not less than 24 nor more than 36 wards, so arranged as to contain as nearly as could be ascertained an equal number of voters in each ward. On December 28, 1914, the City Council enacted as an Ordinance, by vote of 6 to 3, the plan submitted by its Committee on Redivision of Wards. This plan describes the new boundaries of the 26 wards. (See Municipal Register for 1921, pages 196-207.) The changes effected by the redivision of wards were mainly these, viz., Wards 1 and 2, East Boston, are divided by Prescott and

Princeton streets instead of as before; Charlestown has two wards (3 and 4) instead of three; Ward 5 covers the old Wards 6, 7 and 8; Ward 6 in place of old Ward 9; Ward 7 in place of old 10; Ward 8 in place of old 11; Wards 9 and 10 cover the old South Boston Wards 13, 14 and 15 mostly; Ward 11 takes in the northern half of old Ward 16 and western end of old Ward 15; Ward 12 is similar to old Ward 17 and Ward 13 to old 18; Ward 14 includes old Ward 19 and adjacent part of old Ward 22 (as far as Perkins and Centre streets); Wards 15 and 16 cover old Ward 21 and the northern part of 22 (as far as Boylston street); Wards 17, 18 and 19 cover that part of old Ward 16 south of Dudley street and all of old Ward 20; Wards 20 and 21 cover the eastern half and western half respectively of old Ward 24 (as far as Blue Hill avenue and Walk Hill street); Ward 22 includes the southern half of old 22 below Boylston street and the northern end of old Ward 23 to Whipple avenue, Walk Hill, South and Allandale streets; Ward 23 is unchanged except as to its northern boundary just stated, and Ward 24 takes in Mount Hope section, east of railroad, Mattapan and Hyde Park. Wards 25 and 26 cover the southern half and northern half respectively of old Ward 25, Brighton.

LATEST PUBLIC DEBT STATISTICS.

Gross funded debt, February 1, 1923, \$126,576,800.99; sinking funds, \$41,898,891.76; other redemption means, \$1,147,322.06; net debt, \$83,530,587.17 or \$3,617,576.61 more than in 1922; of said total \$49,471,830.76 (59.23 per cent) was City Debt, \$32,424,969.18 (38.82 per cent) Rapid Transit debt (representing $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent investment); \$1,351,787.23 (1.62 per cent) County debt and \$282,000 (0.33 per cent) Water debt.

Net debt per capita \$99.69 (approx.); net debt exclusive of Rapid Transit investment debt, \$51,105,618 or \$60.90 per capita. Loans authorized but not issued (within debt limit), \$1,254,000; same outside of debt limit, \$496,000.

In the fiscal year 1922-23, the net City debt was increased by \$2,478,014 and the net Rapid Transit debt by \$1,235,900; the net County debt was reduced by \$80,337 and the net Water debt by \$16,000.

Total debt contracted, \$8,122,500; total debt paid, \$6,246,650; total increase of gross debt, \$1,875,850; of net debt, \$3,617,577.

Total debt incurred in the ten years 1913 to 1922 inclusive, \$54,508,850, of which \$17,982,000 or 32.99 per cent was Rapid Transit debt, while \$22,601,100, or 41.46 per cent was for streets, sewers and bridges.

Total amount of debt incurred by the City in the 100 years since its incorporation (in 1822), \$272,257,638, of which more than half (*i. e.*, 52.74 per cent) was added in the last 25 years, 18.79 per cent in last 10 years. From 1822 to 1870 the amount borrowed was \$31,916,010 or a yearly average of \$664,917. From 1870 to 1920 the total borrowed was \$230,253,427 or a yearly average of \$4,605,068. The maximum for a 10-year period was from 1896 to 1905, when the yearly average was \$7,188,493. Yearly average for last 10 years, \$5,450,885; for last 5 years, \$4,373,600.

No other large city has been subjected to such a drastic reduction of debt-incurring power. [Statistics Dept's revision.]

AUTOMOBILE STATISTICS.

Registration and licensing of motor vehicles and operators in Massachusetts is in charge of the State Department of Public Works, Registrar of Motor Vehicles. In year ending November 30, 1921, there were registered 360,732 automobiles, an increase of 56,101 over the total in 1920 and 90.58 per cent more than 5 years ago, also 12,058 motor cycles. New York ranks first among the states in number of automobiles in use November 1, 1921, viz., 651,796; (2) Ohio, 616,800; (3) Pennsylvania, 570,164; (4) California, 568,892; (5) Illinois, 568,759; (6) Iowa, 437,300; (7) Texas, 427,334; (8) Michigan, 412,717; (9) Minnesota, 364,312; (10) Indiana, 332,707; (11) Massachusetts, 304,631; (12) Missouri, 295,817; (13) Wisconsin, 293,298; (14) Kansas, 265,396; (15) New Jersey, 226,459. The West leads in ratio of automobiles to population, the farmers being the most numerous users. In Iowa, California, Nebraska and South Dakota there is one to every 6 inhabitants and most of the other western states show from one to 7 to one to 9. In Massachusetts the ratio is one to 13 and in New York State, one to 16. Reported (unofficially) owned in Boston alone, in 1921, 46,725 or 36,706 passenger cars and 10,019 trucks. Persons licensed to operate in State, 380,519 (*i. e.*, 18,940 more than in 1920), of which 247,769 were classed as operators and 132,750 as chauffeurs; licenses revoked, 1,119. Total received by State in 1921 for all fees, \$1,712,890 or \$852,659 more than in 1920. Number of deaths from accidents in State in year ending November 30, 1921, 544 (*i. e.*, 63 more than in 1920); injured, 11,486 or 9,696 less than in 1920; in Boston alone, 88 killed and 1,914 injured. Prosecutions by Boston police for violation of automobile laws in year ending November 30, 1921, 9,408 (1,000 less than in 1920), of which 4,513 were of non-residents and 995 of minors.

Deaths from automobile accidents in cities in year 1920: New York, 773; Chicago, 472; Philadelphia, 226; Detroit, 175; Cleveland, 155; Los Angeles, 142; St. Louis, 104; Boston, 89. Highest death rate per 100,000 population in California, 21.1; (2) Connecticut, 15.6; (3) New York, 13.5 and Washington the same; (4) Rhode Island, 12.8; (5) New Jersey, 12.7; (6) Colorado, 12.4; (7) Ohio, 12.3; (8) Pennsylvania, 11.9; (9) Massachusetts, 11.7.

The automobile industry, begun about 23 years ago, now ranks fourth (if not third) in this country. In 1921, the production was approximately 1,668,500 vehicles or 1,514,000 passenger cars and 154,500 trucks, all valued (wholesale) at \$1,260,000,000. Total automobiles in operation in United States in 1921, 9,187,572; in 1918, 4,941,276; in 1915, 1,754,570; in 1910, about 400,000; in 1905, about 85,000. Total fees paid by owners in U. S. in 1921 \$102,000,000 (approx.), about 90 per cent of same being used for highway improvement.

Total exports of automobiles and parts of, from United States in year ending Dec. 31, 1920, \$298,219,875 in value (*i. e.*, 96.6 per cent more than in 1919).

In year 1921 the total exports fell to \$81,922,357 in value, or 7,478 commercial (\$10,329,903) and 30,950 passenger (\$32,533,725); automobile parts, exclusive of engines and tires, \$39,058,729; tires, \$15,954,515; gasoline engines, \$1,821,120. Imports of automobiles and parts in year 1921, \$2,044,568.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN BOSTON.

Number of permanent school buildings in use in 1922 for school purposes, 265; or 217 brick and 48 wooden; portable houses, 216; besides these, 14 rented quarters; in 1922 day schools contained 3,315 class-rooms and 137,673 sittings, also 96 assembly halls and 15 drill halls and gymnasias; 3,601 teachers in all schools, or 3,031 women and 570 men; evening schools, 28, with 397 regular teachers. Playground teachers, 175, having charge of games, gymnastics, etc., in 56 park and 34 schoolyard playgrounds; school physicians, 48; school nurses, 52; attendance officers, 29. Number of pupils registered in regular day schools year ending June 30, 1922, 131,789, of which 5,849 were registered again in the Summer Review Schools; in evening schools, 15,309; Continuation School, 6,753; Day School for Immigrants, 1,522; total registration, 155,373 or 5,218 increase over 1921. Average number belonging in day schools, 118,970 or 5,560 more than in 1921; average number in evening schools, 8,271; in Continuation School, 3,422.

On September 30, 1922, the school membership was as follows: Normal School and 16 high and Latin schools, 22,393 or 1,871 more than same date in 1921; in 241 elementary and intermediate schools, by districts:—East Boston, 11,026; Charlestown, 3,766; North End, 5,743; West End, 6,094; City Proper, 4,370; South End, 3,993; South Boston, 9,174; Roxbury, 15,505; Brighton, 4,655; West Roxbury, 7,794; Dorchester, 24,162; Hyde Park, 2,508; in special schools, 1,403. Total in elementary grades I to VIII, 88,846; Kindergartens, 7,948; intermediate, 1,996; Continuation School, 3,600; total for all day schools, 126,186 or 2,675 more than in 1921. Number of graduates in 1922, 8,425; elementary school pupils promoted, 87,088; not promoted, 10,959. Average number of day-school pupils per teacher in elementary grades, 41.8; in high schools, 30.1; in kindergartens, 27.1.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$11,778,471 or \$610,550 more than in 1921 and \$1,880,543 ahead of 1920; expenditure for construction of new schools, etc., \$1,778,844 all from Tax Levy, or \$918,019 (106.64 per cent) more than in 1920, also \$551,060 from loan for new Public Latin School. Gross debt outstanding for Schoolhouses and Sites, Feb. 1, 1923, \$15,912,500 or \$539,500 more than in 1922. Annual maintenance cost per attending pupil in Latin and high schools (day), \$124.66; in elementary schools (day), \$78.21.

The registration of minors, 5 to 15 years (inclu.), also illiterates over 15, April 1, 1923, as directed by Chap. 102, General Acts of 1916, showed a total of 144,619 (*i. e.*, 1,851 more than in 1922) or 24,273 of 5 and 6 years of age; 91,532 of 7 to 13 (inclu.); 26,568 of 14 and 15, and 2,246 illiterates 16 years of age and over. Total minors under 16 belonging to public day schools, 112,262; to parochial schools, 27,089; other private schools, 2,724; defectives (not in any school), 30. The illiterates attend the elementary evening schools.

The School Centers for educational and social improvement of other than school pupils started in 1912. There are now 9 having evening and 5 afternoon sessions in the larger school halls, with 159 paid leaders and assistants and 30

to 40 study and entertainment clubs or groups in each; total attendance during the 10 months' sessions in 1921-22, 475,048, mostly evenings. Cost of this "extended use of public schools" in 1921-22, \$52,537. For "Non-School Center" activities 70 of the school halls are used by various social groups, moderate rental fees being charged.

Per capita (of Boston population) cost in 1922 of schools approximately \$16.38 (including special appropriations from taxes, etc., for new schoolhouses), which is \$3.08 higher than in 1920 and nearly double that of 1916.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

POLICE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS.

Number of police force, December 1, 1922, was 1,901 (55 more than 1921), viz., the Superintendent, 3 deputy superintendents, 26 captains, 37 inspectors, 41 lieutenants, 135 sergeants, 1,652 patrolmen and 6 patrolwomen, distributed in 19 divisions, and a traffic squad, the latter numbering 156. The policewomen are a new addition to the force in 1921. Signal service men, 17, and clerks, janitors, etc., 114. Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$4,072,533 or \$62,730 more than in 1921. Total number of arrests in year ending November 30, 1922, 77,653 or 5,492 more than in 1921, but 1,901 less than the average for past five years; those arrested on warrants numbered 10,786; without warrants, 49,372; summoned by the court, 17,495; held for trial, 73,838 and 3,815 discharged; foreign-born persons arrested, 29,078; boys, under 15 years of age, 1,411 or 287 less than in 1921; women and girls of all ages, 5,081 or 61 more than in 1921; non-residents, 26.4 per cent of all arrested; drunkenness the cause of 48.47 per cent of all arrests, the total for this offence being 37,643 or 6,656 more than in 1921, but 5,690 less than the average for past five years. The prosecutions for homicide numbered 164 or 26 more than in 1921. Sick and injured persons assisted, 7,946; insane persons taken in charge, 434; lost children restored to homes, 1,839; persons imprisoned, 3,021 or 71 more than in 1921; persons fined, 18,673, the fines amounting to \$236,215; stolen property recovered, \$1,616,820; licenses granted, 21,823 (including 8,620 for dogs and 8,430 for vehicles and drivers), for which \$57,964 was received. Of 3,128 applications for license to carry loaded revolvers, 2,916 were granted, and 184 rejected. Accidents from all causes in the streets, parks and squares caused death of 125 persons and injury to 3,767 or 5 less killed and 232 more injured than in 1921. By automobile accidents alone 90 persons were killed and 2,157 injured.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$8,000; Superintendent, \$7,000; Deputy Superintendents, \$4,000; Chief Inspector, \$3,800; captains, \$3,500; inspectors and lieutenants, \$2,500; sergeants, \$2,300; patrolmen, \$1,400 the 1st year, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

In the year ending November 30, 1922, the Police Department made 3,371 prosecutions in the State court and 93 in the United States court for violation of the liquor law (not including drunkenness), a total of 3,464 cases or 1,265 more than in 1921. For violation of the drug laws there were 376 prosecutions.

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URGES WAKEFIELD CITIZENS TO KEEP REPUBLIC POWERFUL, PROGRESSIVE, PEACEFUL AND PROSPEROUS.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS THRILLING AND INSPIRING ADDRESS BEFORE THE WAKEFIELD LODGE OF ELKS AT FLAG DAY EXERCISES.

Mayor Curley delivered the following address before the Wakefield Lodge of Elks on Saturday, June 14:

It is a great pleasure to be here as the guest of the Wakefield Lodge of Elks on this day set apart to the cause of history by America's foremost patriotic organization in our day, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

This great organization, numbering nearly two million men in America, will today in every section of the country, sheltered by the most inspiring emblem that ever animated a people in the world's history, the flag of our common country, hold exercises similar in character and purpose to those which prompts the assemblage here of the women and men of Wakefield on this day. This organization, which prior to the World War was largely a social and semi-fraternal organization, was as a consequence of the war and the opportunity for service it presented, transformed into a great organization for the common good of America and for the promotion of those broader and more human relations, so necessary in a cosmopolitan country like ours, whose ideals of service and sacrifice are symbolized by the flag of our common country. Wherever a Lodge of Elks assembles, upon whose altar draped by the flag of our common country rests the Bible, there gathers an organization dedicated to God and country, with a constitution as broad, inspiring and as replete with promise as the Constitution of the nation itself, with its guarantee of the rights of a membership open to all men without regard to race or creed. I wonder if we fully realize just the importance that attaches to this particular organization and the part it has played in the history of our country during the last half-century?

I am reminded of the part it has played by the presence here in such goodly numbers for this late day, the survivors of that once great host numbering nearly three million who responded to the call of the great Emancipator—Abraham Lincoln. The men of the G. A. R. were the material force that made possible the creation in America of the B. P. O. E. The close of the Civil War found feeling of the most bitter character engendered by the greatest internecine struggle ever waged in the history of the world. It found the northern mother with bitterness in her heart because of the loss of a

son or father or husband as a consequence of the war. It saw the southern mother equally bitter not only because of the loss of kin and kind but because of the waste and destruction sustained through a war waged on southern fields. Some great force was needed in America to bring these divided elements together, to promote a spirit of peace and fraternity, a spirit to which religion should bring understanding and the patience and generosity to heal and sweeten the life of the nation. Inspired by the principle of the second commandment, "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself," under the leadership of that God-given father of Elksdom, Brother Vivian, this great organization found its place, in the American Republic; and for nearly a half-century, hand in hand with the G. A. R., it has sown the seeds of patriotism and service. Today throughout America under its administration and through its instrumentality and influence Americans in every city and town are assembled to do homage to the flag of our common country and recount the tales that national emblem recalls; to sow the seeds of a broader and a better Americanism, and a nobler brotherhood in this land of ours. Few organizations in any land have been animated by a loftier purposes or higher ideals than the B. P. O. E.; and coming to this town of Wakefield to speak to this splendid gathering I was peculiarly touched not only by the spirit of those splendid old heroes and patriots who marched today in the parade of the Elks, but by the assemblage on yonder common of the future men of America, the high school boys of Wakefield. The monument raised to commemorate the patriotism of those who gave four years to the service of the country and who, and in such numbers, made the supreme sacrifice that the Union might be preserved, that the principles of the Declaration of Independence, liberty and equality, might become realities and the common heritage of all who live under the American flag, through whose service and sacrifice—that shaft is a constant reminder of them—a tremendous struggle was brought to a triumphant close without the loss of a state to the union or star of the flag. We assemble here, therefore, to consider the past, measure the present and visualize the future. What of the past? Ride through the town of Wakefield and we see the past written in

the patriotism and the citizenship of its people who have named in honor of one of the greatest sons of the French Republic one of their thoroughfares, Lafayette street. The name of Lafayette recalls the days of trial more than 145 years ago when the American flag first saluted the sun in the throes of the nation's birth. From the skilled hands of Betsy Ross came that emblem of the nation, destined to be the greatest in the world, into the making of which went the tears of a devoted woman, tears for the boys who carried it in the fire and flame of battle. Its story is part of the epic of the long, toilsome, uphill and bloody march of humanity.

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CITY COLLECTOR McMORROW HAS OPENED TAX OFFICES IN EVERY WARD OF CITY IN ORDER TO AID CITIZENS.

Branch offices of the Boston tax collecting department have been established in every ward of the city, where poll taxes can be paid between 1 and 3 p. m. every day, excepting Saturday and Sunday, until July 1. After that date the collection department at City Hall will be the only available place to pay the taxes.

The branches are located as follows:

Wards 1 and 2, East Boston Court House; 3 and 4, Court House, City square; 6, old Franklin School; 7, Franklin Union building; 9 and 10, Municipal building, Broadway, South Boston; 11, polling booth at Buttonwood street and Columbia road; 12, Municipal building, Vine street; 13, Roxbury Court House; 14, old schoolhouse, 25 Smith street; 15, and 16, Roxbury Court House; 17 and 18, Municipal building, Columbia road; 19, 20 and 21, Library building, Codman square; 22, Curtis Hall, Jamaica Plain; 23, Municipal building, Roslindale; 24, Municipal building, Hyde Park; 25 and 26, old Town Hall, Brighton.

LIBRARIAN BELDEN IS PRESENTED WITH CASA DI DANTE MEDAL.

Charles F. D. Belden, director of Boston Public Library, has been presented the Casa di Dante medal. The award was made by Senator Corrado Ricci and the Council of the Casa di Dante in Rome in recognition of the importance of the Dante collection in the Public Library and as a token of appreciation of the lively interest taken by the director in promoting the study of the great Italian poet and Italian literature in America.

The Boston Public Library has on its shelves about 1,000 works by or about Dante of which approximately 500 are in Italian and the remainder in other languages. Of these thousand items a third or more consist of editions of Dante's works, complete or separate, in the original Italian or Latin, or in translations.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, July 7, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

LAND-TAKING IN HYDE PARK.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners that a land-taking for public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of a highway in the Hyde Park district, from River street southwesterly alongside the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad location to the private way known as Poydras street, with the name of Poydras street or some other distinctive name, described as follows:

A highway named Poydras street is hereby laid out, from River street southwesterly alongside the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad location to the private way now known as Poydras street.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is taken in the following-described land exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, situated at the easterly end of the private way now known as Poydras street, now or formerly owned by the Bay State Insulated Wire and Cable Company, containing five thousand sixty-nine square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, situated on the southeasterly side of River Street Station, now or formerly owned by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, containing nine thousand five hundred and eighty-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, situated between Belnel road and River street, owners unknown, containing three thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine square feet, more or less.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said highway is bounded and described as follows:

Northeast by River street, eighty-eight and 85-100 feet; south by the southerly line of said Poydras street as hereby laid out, eighty-eight and 21-100 feet on a curve of twelve hundred and fifteen feet radius; southeast by the southeasterly line of said Poydras street as hereby laid out, by two measurements, one hundred twenty-one and 78-100 feet on a curve of two hundred and five feet radius and three hundred two and 55-100 feet on a curve of twenty-three hundred seventy-three and 26-160 feet radius; west by the westerly line of said Poydras street as hereby laid out, fifty-four and 95-100 feet; and northwest by the northwesterly line of said Poydras street as hereby laid out, by two measurements, two hundred sixty and 9-100 feet on a curve of twenty-three hundred thirty-three and 26-100 feet radius and one hundred forty-five and 54-100 feet on a curve of two hundred and forty-five feet radius; and north by the northerly line of said Poydras street as hereby laid out, ten and 49-100 feet.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned estates sustain damages by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out of a highway in the Hyde Park district, from River street southwesterly alongside the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad location to the private way known as Poydras street, with the name of Poydras street, in the amounts herein-after respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor:

Bay State Insulated Wire and Cable Company, 5,069 square feet.	\$506 90
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, 9,582 square feet.	Nothing.
Owners unknown.	Nothing.

COMPREHENSIVE CITY PLANNING IS SPREADING ALL OVER THE COUNTRY.

REPORT BY MISS ELISABETH M. HERLIHY OF BOSTON PLANNING BOARD AS, RESULT OF TRIP TO CALIFORNIA CONFERENCE SHOWS BOSTON IS KEEPING UP WITH PROCESSION. INVESTING MONEY IN CIVIC IMPROVEMENTS WITH VISIONARY DETERMINATION BY MUNICIPALITIES MANIFESTED EVERYWHERE.

Miss Elisabeth M. Herlihy has made the following report to Mayor Curley concerning her trip to the California Conference on City Planning:

Boston, June 18, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR, In compliance with the provisions of chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, I submit herewith report in connection with my attendance at the sixteenth annual conference on city planning which was held in Los Angeles, Cal., April 7, 8, 9 and 10, 1924, which I had the privilege of attending as the representative of the Planning Board of the City of Boston.

The itinerary arranged for the Eastern delegates provided for stop-overs at a number of cities en route, so that opportunity was afforded to observe the spread of the city planning movement throughout the entire country. While it is obviously impossible to give a complete résumé of the activities underway in each locality, space, time and inability all combining to prevent, a few of the outstanding features will be touched upon briefly.

The dominant topic of discussion in every city was ways and means of working out an adequate and effective zoning law and ordinance. Zoning is an accomplished fact in approximately two hundred and fifty cities and towns throughout the country today affording protection for more than one quarter of the entire population. It is safe to say that plans are being studied at the present time for twice as many more, thus leaving at the most but a very small percentage of our citizens subject to haphazard development and unregulated growth.

Comprehensive street plans, civic centers, harbor development, recreational activities, regional planning and billboards were all emphasized in observation and in discussion. In the presidential address given at one of the sessions of the conference, it was reported that in at least forty cities street widenings or extensions had been executed or adopted during the last year or two, in almost every case being carried out as an integral part of the city planning program. While admitting that some of these plans might have been carried out any way, they are undoubtedly given impetus and direction through their relation to the broader program.

In Memphis, Tenn., with a population of 175,000 people, an opportunity was given to see a comprehensive street plan, prepared by Mr. Harland Bartholomew of St. Louis in 1921, in actual working operation. A zoning plan has been in effect for fifteen months; a bond issue of \$17,500,000 has been authorized for public improvements, including pumping station, municipal building, streets and terminals, school buildings, etc., some of which are completed and others underway; while 3,500 houses are said to have been built in 1923. A 40 per cent increase

in population is estimated in the next twenty-five years, and a corresponding increase in civic development and prestige.

New Orleans points with pride to its group of buildings about Jackson square, built in 1792, as the earliest civic center in America. While every effort is being made by the people of New Orleans to perpetuate their various historical landmarks, they are at the same time meeting present day problems and looking ahead to the future with a courage, a vision and an optimism that must bring results. With a population of 400,000 people, located on the banks of the Mississippi river, 110 miles inland from the Gulf of Mexico, New Orleans still lays claim to being the second port of the nation in value of commodities and tonnage of foreign trade.

More than \$40,000,000 has been spent on developing the public wharves along the river front and in building the inner harbor navigation canal. This canal is five and one half miles in length, crossing the city and connecting the Mississippi river with Lake Pontchartrain, an arm of the Gulf of Mexico. The canal will be developed into a spacious inner harbor and will eventually, it is expected, shorten by about one half the distance to the sea.

Houston, Tex., located fifty miles inland, has a similar project in its ship channel to the Gulf of Mexico, of sufficient depth and width to accommodate the largest vessels calling at ports of the Gulf. The fact that this channel cost more than \$25,000,000 is entirely lost sight of in the much more important fact that the increase in tonnage for 1922, as compared with 1919, was 355 per cent. This marvelous growth was specifically emphasized by the fact that not a bale of cotton was exported from Houston previous to 1919, while elaborate preparations were being made to celebrate, on the day following the visit of the City Planning delegation, the shipment of the millionth bale in the first eight months of the season of 1923-24. This port development has been accompanied by an increase in population of from 16,513 in 1880, to 195,000 in 1923, less than a fifty year interval. New building construction and other improvements authorized June 1, 1923, many of the projects being already underway, total \$36,450,000. In home building alone, nearly three thousand permits were issued for the twelve month period ending April 30, 1923, by far the larger portion of which was for single-family houses. While this remarkable growth may not be directly due to the construction of the ship channel and the corresponding port development, it must be admitted that it has taken place long parallel lines, and has certainly been largely influenced by Houston's demonstrated right to recognition in the commercial world.

The development of San Diego has been in accordance with a plan proposed by

Mr. John Nolen, of Cambridge, Mass., in 1908. Mr. Nolen has been again engaged to bring this plan up to date, with particular emphasis upon certain harbor and waterfront features.

The question of harbor terminals and their approaches was emphasized at one of the sessions of the conference by Mr. Charles J. Cobden, newly appointed president of the Board of Harbor Commissioners of Los Angeles, who declared that the tendency at the present time appeared to be decidedly toward the unification of rail and harbor terminals, together with municipal or state control. The discussion of this subject was led by Mr. M. O'Shaughnessy, city engineer of San Francisco.

Mr. O'Shaughnessy's name is inseparably linked with the Hetch Hetchy water and power project built by the city and county of San Francisco, said to be of greater magnitude than any similar systems in the United States, except those of New York and Boston. To finance this project a \$45,000,000 issue of 4½ per cent bonds was authorized by the voters of San Francisco in 1910. The principal reservoir site is 168 miles distant from San Francisco and the project is designed to furnish 400,000,000 gallons of water daily to 4,000,000 people.

Our visit to San Francisco was significant in that it was also the eighteenth anniversary of the fire which swept the city, burning all the downtown business buildings and destroying a large part of the dwellings of its inhabitants, entailing a property loss of \$350,000,000. The work of reconstruction shows an increase of nearly one hundred and fifty per cent in the assessed valuation of property, which includes, in addition to the Hetch Hetchy water project and other features, a municipal railway with sixty miles of trackage, representing an investment of \$7,250,000; more than \$20,000,000 in new street pavements; the development of a sewerage system in accordance with a comprehensive plan embracing the entire city; new schools, hospitals, tunnels and playgrounds, and a group of public buildings forming a civic center which has challenged the admiration of the country.

This civic center covering approximately twenty acres of land includes a city hall, an auditorium, a library, a state building and a plaza, representing a total expense of more than \$11,000,000.

Almost equally well known is the civic center in Denver, Colo., where sixteen acres of land are devoted to a group of public buildings erected and proposed. While much yet remains to be done in building operations, the development thus far represents an investment of approximately \$3,225,000.

Pasadena, Cal., founded in 1874, is at the present time observing its golden jubilee. Although its business growth and industrial development has been in many respects remarkable, Pasadena is primarily a city of homes. The year 1923 is expected to stand out conspicuously for a double achievement, the adoption of a city plan and zoning ordinance and provision of the sum of \$3,500,000 for the creation of a civic center which is regarded as "The Heart of the City Plan." Three buildings will be included in this group, a city hall, a municipal auditorium and a library, together with the necessary approaches and area for appropriate setting. In addition Pasadena has a municipal stadium that seats more than fifty thousand people and a citizenry that has responded with promptness and unanimity to a "practical vision of a planned city;

a city in which a civic center, an art center, a park system, a boulevard system and a transportation system should contribute an economic and artistic whole.

Colorado Springs, also settled fifty years ago, has erected a new city hall and a municipal auditorium. In addition to the value of these auditoriums from a utilitarian and from an aesthetic viewpoint, in every instance it is claimed that they are a paying proposition, the revenue received from rental being more than sufficient to offset interest and maintenance expense.

The city of Los Angeles, measured by its population figures, is making unprecedented progress. Starting with approximately one hundred thousand people a quarter of a century ago, the million mark has been easily passed and the end is by no means in sight. This is in a measure accounted for by the annexations which have taken place as the result of circumstances. The big problem on the Pacific Coast today is a sufficient water supply, a situation which has been met by Los Angeles in the construction of a great aqueduct to the Sierra Nevada Mountains, approximately two hundred and thirty miles to the north. The charter provisions specify that the water shall not be furnished outside the city limits, and inasmuch as the smaller communities are not in a position to finance a similar project of their own, a vote of annexation naturally follows. Although its present water supply is sufficient to take care of a population of three million people, Los Angeles is already looking forward to some day being compelled to traverse the entire distance to the Colorado river for its water supply in order to keep pace with its rapidly growing population.

Los Angeles has also gone so far as to annex a harbor by running a "shoe string" one half mile in length through unincorporated territory to San Pedro where the growth of the port in the tonnage and value of goods passing through since 1920 has been remarkable.

Los Angeles is already thinking in regional terms with regard to those problems which make of the district a composite unit rather than a series of disconnected communities.

Forty-two cities and more than fifty unincorporated towns are included in its metropolitan area and a regional planning commission is already functioning with the idea of welding these separate municipalities into a unity of metropolitan consciousness; a realization of the magnitude of the task of adequate planning for the future and a willingness to work together that will carry forward to a successful completion a great and fundamental problem.

One of the most complete transportation surveys ever projected by any municipality is about to be undertaken by Los Angeles city and county, acting jointly. Experts have been engaged with the idea of providing a working program for a period of at least twenty-five years covering the entire metropolitan district and indicating an expenditure of probably \$700,000,000. The survey which will be predicated upon a population of three million people will first determine the capabilities of the present transportation systems and the demands made upon them by the public, to be followed by recommendations relative to every kind of transportation facility available, or desired, including subways, elevated roads, open cuts, motor bus and stage lines, and main traffic arteries leading from Los

Angeles to the surrounding municipalities. Fifty thousand dollars has been pledged to the survey work which will cover a period of eight months.

The plan of Chicago, prepared in 1909, by Daniel H. Burnham and Edward H. Bennett, has pointed the way for millions of dollars worth of public improvements. Conspicuous among these is Michigan Boulevard, which when complete will mean a waterfront drive of approximately thirty miles; the electrification of railroad lines already underway, and the construction of a new Illinois Central Railroad station fronting on Grant Park, and in harmony with the Art Museum building at present located there.

Chicago's zoning plan was adopted in April, 1923. Of the other cities visited, Memphis, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Pasadena have adopted zoning plans. Denver's plan is partially prepared. New Orleans, Houston, San Diego and Colorado Springs have the matter under consideration pending the appropriation of necessary funds.

Another practically universal topic of discussion was the billboard situation. A type prevailing in Houston was possessed of three dimensions, width, length and depth, with life-size figures, scenery, etc., protected by a screen in front and illuminated at night. The extent to which billboards have developed throughout the country, however, in the absence of regulation with regard to size, location and appearance, has brought about a revulsion of feeling on the part of the public which has been reflected in the action of the advertisers themselves, until at the present time nearly a score of companies have pledged themselves to abandon highway billboards that mar the scenery and obstruct the public view.

The extent to which public golf courses are being recognized as a necessary factor of recreational work was also noticeable in every city visited. Although this phase of municipal activity was not formally discussed, it is a fact that public golf courses have been adopted in more than one hundred municipalities throughout the country as part of their recreational program.

Not the least impressive feature of the entire trip was the hospitality extended to the visiting delegates by city governments, civic organizations and individuals. Their greeting was more than perfunctory; they gave of themselves and of their communities freely and graciously. While it is to be hoped that the interchange of ideas will be mutually profitable, it is entirely certain that the courtesies extended and received developed a cordial spirit of appreciation and good will.

The few facts recorded here by no means represent the extent of my observations. A copy of the program of the conference is attached; an itemized statement of my expenses has been filed with the City Auditor, and as the last required duty in connection with the trip, this brief statement of city planning activities throughout the country is submitted. No attempt has been made to record features other than those which came under my own observation and which impressed themselves upon my mind as having some bearing either in comparison with, or by contrast to, specific problems in our own municipality.

Respectfully submitted,

E. M. HERLIHY,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS.

Fire-fighting force, 1,217, viz., the Chief, 4 deputy chiefs, 15 district chiefs, 63 captains, 98 lieutenants, 62 engineers, 52 assistant engineers and 922 privates divided into 88 companies or 53 engine (3 marine), 30 ladder and 3 water tower companies, a chemical engine company and a rescue company; the engine companies generally consisting of 14 or 15 men, including a captain and a lieutenant; other employees, 14 at headquarters, 96 men in repair shop, 42 in fire-alarm branch and 4 in veterinary hospital. Fire stations, 62; various engines in service, 53, of which 30 are auto combination gasoline pumping engines, 13 tractor-drawn steamers, 1 steam-propelled and 6 horse-drawn steamers; also 3 marine pumps or fireboats; auto combination chemical and hose cars, 31; horse-drawn hose wagons, 6; auto ladder trucks, 23 (10 aerial); 7 horse-drawn ladder trucks; 3 auto water towers; 29 officials' cars; 8 auto delivery and 4 emergency trucks; 1 rescue company auto with pulmotors, etc., and 1 auto wrecker; total automobiles in service, 143, of which 101 are apparatus. Leading hose, 141,016 feet and suction hose, 2,137 feet; horses, 62; 2-ton fuel wagons, 29; fire alarm boxes, 1,268. In reserve are 23 engines or 9 auto and 14 horse-drawn; 8 horse-drawn chemicals; 12 hose wagons (6 auto); 13 ladder trucks (8 auto); 1 water tower (auto) and 8 officials' cars.

Total alarms in calendar year 1922, 6,134 or 887 more than in 1921, of which total 646 were needless and 279 were false alarms. Total fires, 5,209 or 801 more than in 1921, of which 2,927 were in buildings, 2,232 outside of buildings and 50 out of City limits. In one case the building was totally destroyed, in 77 cases the damage was considerable and in 1,861 the damage was slight.

The Boston Protective Department (not a City department) reported the total fire losses in 1922 on buildings as \$1,214,435 and on contents as \$2,090,161, or total of \$3,304,596, which is \$703,536 less than in 1921. Of total loss, the amount not covered by insurance was \$129,273. The B. P. D. also reported that of the 2,109 fires involving losses, 518 were caused by carelessness with matches, 256 by smoking, 70 by sparks from combustion, 113 by open lights, 145 by stoves, furnaces, etc., 66 by explosions, 102 by electricity, 61 by petrolum and its products, 51 by overheated or defective flues and chimneys, 51 by spontaneous combustion, 14 by fireworks, etc., 28 by hot ashes.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$3,337,506 (including Wire Division), or \$47,341 more than in 1921. Value of land and buildings, \$2,325,600; of equipment, \$1,800,000.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$7,500; Chief, \$5,000; deputy chiefs, \$4,000; district chiefs, \$3,500; captains, \$2,500; lieutenants, \$2,300; engineers, \$1,900; assistant engineers, \$1,800; 1st-year privates, \$1,400; with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

By Chap. 4, City Ordinances of 1917, the firemen have one day off in three instead of one in five, as before.

By Ordinances of 1919, Chap. 2, the Wire Dept. became the Wire Division of the Fire Dept.

New motor apparatus added and ordered will make the department 90 to 95 per cent motorized. Appropriation of \$283,000 in 1923 budget for this purpose.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertisers for proposals for alterations at the Parkman Bandstand for broadcasting system. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 2, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for repairing Cottage Farm Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for wire fence at Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 10, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertisers for proposals for repairing and strengthening the Commercial Point Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 7, at 12 m.

Advertisers for two electrically operated ferry bridges with galleys frames and accompanying machinery. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$50,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 10, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertisers for proposals for artificial stone sidewalks in various streets as indicated in accompanying advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$15,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same

office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, June 30, at 12 m.

Advertisers for Portland cement concrete pavement in the several streets named in accompanying advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$50,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 2, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for recut granite block pavement in various downtown streets, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertisers for proposals for sewerage works in Mark street, from Day street about 203 feet easterly, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$900. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 7, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for sewerage works in Florence avenue, between Allston street and Commonwealth avenue, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for sewerage works in Colorado street, from Currier street 315 feet northeasterly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 9, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertisers for proposals for alterations, etc., in the Teachers College or Normal Group, comprising the following schools: P. A. Collins, Girls' Latin, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, Fenway, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accom-

panied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for alterations, etc., to the Lewis School building at 300 Walnut avenue, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for painting work at the Miles Standish School, Roxbury street. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing and installing a heating system in the Quincy Street School, corner Stanley street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for painting work at the Julia Ward Howe School, Dale and Sherman streets, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing the finish hardware for the equipment of the elementary school, Edmund P. Tileston District, Walk Hill street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing and delivering furniture to the various schools. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the

same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing new heating system in the Horace Mann School, Exeter and Newbury streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for painting the interior of Bowdoin School, Myrtle street, West End. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for reconstruction and alteration of the Bennett School, Chestnut Hill avenue and Dighton street, Brighton district. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Teachers College, formerly the Normal Group, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, the Fenway. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, on and after Wednesday, June 11. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing, delivering and setting up opera chairs in the halls and galleries of the various schoolhouses. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing a heating system in the Walnut Street School, near Neponset avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same

office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for making additions and alterations to the present heating system in the Dorchester High School, Talbot avenue and Washington street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for painting the interior of the Winchell School, corner Blossom and Parkman streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$250, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for doing roofing and metal work at the Girls' High School, West Newton street, South End, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing new sanitation in the boys' end of the basement of the Amos Webster School, Hilton street, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the furnishing and setting up of steel lockers in the Jamaica Plain High School, Elm street, Jamaica Plain. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 11, at 12 m.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACT.

John A. Costello & Co. have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Arthur street, Charles River Reservation, etc., from June 21, 1924, to August 1, 1924.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, June 26:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, June 19:

To Fill Vacancies, Temporary.—Emily M. Gaffney, technician, \$1,000 a year; Gertrude Morrissey, clerk, permanent, \$1,040 a year; George Wright, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Luke Kelly, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Arthur Ross, maid (patient), \$360 a year; Helen Whelton, nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Teresa Compton, nurse, \$1,900 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Luke Kelly, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Owen Winterson, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Rose Seltzer, maid, \$468 a year; Edith Greeke, nurse, \$720 a year.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Carl Meyer has been appointed Republican emergency assistant registrar of voters for a period of ninety days, at \$1,500 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, June 19:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Sidney Stone, apothecary assistant, \$25.50 a week; Harry Plenty, special nurse, \$35 a week; May Langford, special nurse, \$35 a week; Isabel Thompson, special nurse, \$35 a week; Marion Bernsten, laundress, \$14 a week; Helen Costongay, laundress, \$14 a week; Winifred Otto, laundress, \$14 a week; A. Flanagan, porter, \$17.50 a week; Michael Keenan, porter, \$17.50 a week; John L. Sullivan, porter, \$17.50 a week; Susan McNamee, assistant housekeeper, \$13 a week; William J. Ward, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Thomas McGrath, house cleaner, \$12 a week; William Bonner, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Michael McGarry, house cleaner, \$12 a week; John Hamilton, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Mary Reid, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Dorothy Ward, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Mary Murray, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Margaret Keating, ward helper, \$9.50 a week; Annie Burns, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Mary Cullinane, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

Temporary.—Patrick Gavin, fireman, \$36 a week; Michael Barry, porter, \$17.50 a week; Edward J. Owens, kitchenman, \$19 a week.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, June 26:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Herbert Gunning, laundryman, \$20 a week; William A. Ott, porter, \$17.50 a week; John J. McDonald, porter, \$17.50 a week; John Sampey, center orderly, \$11.50 a week; Stephen Brennan, center orderly, \$11.50 a week; John Thornton, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Louis Caulfield, transfer porter, \$8 a week; William Ayers, transfer porter, \$11 a week; James Sachette, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Catherine Geoghegan, ward helper,

\$11.50 a week; Julia T. Joyce, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Catherine Matthews, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Mary Oliver, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Catherine Doherty, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Daniel J. Sheehan, out-patient orderly, \$14 a week; Kathryn F. Stafford, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Annie O'Brien, cook, \$17 a week; James Carlton, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Joseph Olsen, night lodge attendant, \$6.25 a week; Ronald Hallett, night lodge attendant, \$6.25 a week.

Temporary. Lillian Hines, telephone operator, \$22 a week; Mary Leitchman, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

John C. Padelford, nurse at \$21 to \$23.06 a week; Mary Donnelly, supply cook at \$17 to cleaner at \$11.50 a week; James Farrell, transfer porter at \$11 to supervisor at \$22.50 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Joseph P. Lyons has been appointed Acting Corporation Counsel from Friday, June 20, to Tuesday, June 24.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

The following women have been granted temporary employment as matrons, laundresses, seamstresses, etc., for a period of three months at \$20 a week:

Helen G. Kelleher, Mary A. Curley, Catherine E. Martin, Nellie A. Hogan, Mary E. Mahoney, Margaret R. Burke, Helen T. Cornier, Matilda Peterson, Mary Green, Mary A. McCarthy, Mary A. Conlon, Katie E. Holland, Mary R. McNiff, Catherine E. McCarthy, Anna T. Garrity, Mary E. Martin, Catherine Boodro, Sarah J. Dolan, Grace M. Mitchell, Sarah E. Dunlap, Ellen M. Delaney, Annie E. Luby, Elizabeth A. Gilligan, Hannah F. Ryan, Margaret Hartigan, Catherine A. Dolan, Catherine McNamara, Mary A. Flynn, Margaret Kilduff, Mary E. Athridge, Clara Coveney, Elizabeth J. McCarthy, Mary A. Keough, Mary E. Millin, Margaret T. Shea, Mary Joyce, Mary J. Lucas, Catherine M. Carpenter, Emma M. Owens, Mary A. McMahan, Catherine McCormack, Anna C. Gaffney.

The following citizens have been given temporary employment as life guards and helpers for a period of three months at \$4.50 a day:

Jeremiah E. Galvin, William E. O'Connor, Martin P. Breen, William R. Flynn, Francis B. McDonald, George H. Niland, Bernard F. Devine, Thomas E. Barry, Patrick J. McCarthy, James P. Kelley, Charles D. Povah, William J. Dee, Jr., Samuel A. Swanson, Alfonso DeSantis, Thomas J. McDonough, Bert LeCorn, John M. Keeley, John F. Coyne, Frank A. Conway, John J. Connors, Thomas L. Burns, Edward F. Winston, Matthew J. Walsh, John J. Cunniff, Everett Conway, John J. Dorgan, Guido Bacigalupo.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Agnes Crowley has been continued in employment for another ten-day period as telephone operator at \$22 a week.

Ethel M. Chaplik has been appointed to a temporary position as telephone operator for a period of three months.

Timothy Shannasey has been appointed to a temporary position as second-class engineer for a period of sixteen weeks, eight weeks at \$40 and eight weeks at \$36 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Ethelbert Revons has been continued in employment for a period of six weeks at \$28.76 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

John J. Ahern has been promoted from clerk at \$2,000 a year to clerk at \$2,300 a year in the Water Income Branch.

The Mayor has approved the following increases in pay:

Walter E. Welch, clerk, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

John E. Hurley, clerk, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John J. McCabe, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Lawrence W. Carr, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Samuel E. Hartmere, clerk, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Thomas J. Hogan, clerk, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year.

George J. Walters, clerk, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

Catherine M. Kelly, clerk, from \$800 to \$900 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Joseph B. Kelley has been appointed rodman at \$1,100 a year for three months.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, June 19: Edgar B. Coombs, Fred Sullivan, William Jennings, assistant engineers, 1 day, \$6.50 each; Daniel Sweeney, Florence McCarthy, Daniel J. Crane, firemen, 1 day, \$6 each.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 19:
Main Department.

J. Deery, assistant engineer, 20 hours, \$18.67; E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 7½ hours, \$6.25; W. Thompson, assistant engineer, 16 hours, \$13.33; P. Breen, N. MacPherson, R. W. Jaeger, M. F. Crosson, assistant engineers, 8 hours, \$6.67 each; M. Kelley, E. Darcy, P. Gavin, H. O'Donnell, J. Norton, D. Bransfield, V. Pepe, firemen, 8 hours, \$6 each; C. Skory, electrician, 8 hours, \$6.67; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 8 hours, \$5.68; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$8.52; M. Denovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; J. Murphy, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$7.56; W. Shea, laundryman, 1½ hours, \$1.13; Am. Imbrato, laundryman, 1½ hours, \$0.91; J. Lorden, laundryman, 1½ hours, \$0.91; J. Scaduto, laundryman, 1½ hours, \$0.78; E. Laskey, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$3.24; A. Boston, laundryman, 1½ hours, \$0.63; D. Murphy, J. Connors, C. Henderson, G. Nolan, porter, 1½ hours, \$0.54 each; M. A. Davis, laundry assistant, 5½ hours, \$1.97; A. Taura, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.59; G. Baker, L. Brickley, C. Farren, N. Keegan, M. Falvey, S. Koldys, M. Langev, M. Morgan, M. Okemvaska, C. Peterson, A. Sienkiewicz,

B. Sparrow, A. Stanulys, V. Zemba, laundresses, 5½ hours, \$1.53 each.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

P. Joyce, J. Corcoran, J. McKenzie, porters and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50 each; R. Keith, laundryman, 1½ hours, \$0.91; A. McGonagle, laundress, 5½ hours, \$1.53.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Kane, P. Mealey, F. Ruggiero, porters and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$217.20.

For the week ending Thursday, June 26:

Main Department.

P. Green, assistant engineer, 12 hours, \$10; E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 12 hours, \$10; M. F. Crosson, assistant engineer, 12 hours, \$10; R. Jaeger, assistant engineer, 12 hours, \$10; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$8.52; F. Crechan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; C. Clancy, elevator man, 24 hours, \$6.

South Department.

C. Daly, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62. Total, \$80.80.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 19:

House of Correction.

John Fay, Ernest Rosseau, Walter Purdy, Patrick Shea, engineers, 1 day, \$6.50 each.

Bernard Feeney, Patrick Gleeson, David J. Tobin, John Sullivan, Frederick Morse, firemen, 1 day, \$6 each.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Joseph Cox, William G. Feeney, John Melley, William S. Robinson, Walter J. West, 1 day, \$6.50 each.

John J. Adams, Eugene Leonard, Andrew Para, 1 day, \$6 each.

Emergency Work.—Joseph Cox, 4½ hours, \$3.65.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, June 19:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 2 days, \$9 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, custodian and cemetery keeper, 2 days, \$10.

Fairview Cemetery.

Joseph McDonough, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 19:

T. H. Joyce, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; J. Conlon, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; M. F. Bricke, J. Campbell, T. J. Swift, firemen, 1 day, \$6 each.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 19: Stephen R. Merrick, errand boy, 19½ hours, \$3.57; Julia T. Donohue, copyholder, 4 hours, \$3.56; Catherine T. Crowley, proofreader, 4 hours, \$5.52; Elizabeth F. Grant, proofreader, 4 hours, \$5.52; Mary F. Hurley, operator, 4 hours, \$5.52; Patrick Kelly, monotype caster

operator, 4 hours, \$3.28; James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 4 hours, \$3.80.

Total, \$30.77.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 23:
Captains.—Owen Shields, Edward R. Gray, Adin C. Small, Andrew A. Greer, Timothy A. Toohig, William J. Ivers, John J. Belton, 1 day, \$7.67 each.

Quartermasters.—Thomas F. Carter, Charles Stafford, Edward C. Crouse, Joseph B. Nealon, William Hogan, Patrick F. Kirley, Francis B. Morrison, 1 day, \$6 each.

Deckhands.—William F. Hollander, William A. Joyce, Thomas Doyle, John J. Cooper, Patrick J. A. Conway, Rufus W. Scott, Thomas Barry, Peter Milano, William J. Stinson, Frederick L. Allevesson, Dennis G. Sheehan, John Sweeney, Lawrence L. Brennan, John J. Driscoll, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Tollmen.—William G. Greenall, William J. Timmins, Henry H. McCarthy, Edward L. Fitzgerald, Thomas F. Lynch, Frederick L. Heffron, John E. Brown, Michael F. Powers, Lendall P. Rollins, Fred C. Horner, Michael J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Gatemen.—William C. McMullen, Christopher T. Leonard, John E. Nagle, John R. Dugan, Jeremiah F. McCarthy, Walter L. Brown, James E. Green, Thomas A. O'Hare, Edward L. Bonner, John T. Callahan, 1 day, \$5.25 each; Arthur F. Keefe, 1½ days, \$7.22; Joseph A. Browne, 1½ days, \$8.53.

Laborers.—Alfred N. Wesberg, John J. Pugh, Jeremiah Donahue, John H. Tyrer, James L. O'Neil, John J. Forrest, Christopher T. Leonard, Edward J. O'Brien, Joseph O. White, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 2 days, \$11.

Engineers.—James M. Walsh, George F. Keating, John J. Reardon, John J. Sullivan, Richard J. Shaw, John T. Quinn, Jeremiah P. Casey, 1 day, \$7.50 each.

Firemen.—John Gannon, Christobal Fradau, James Reilly, Patrick McDevitt, Charles Doherty, Nathan McConn, James Kelly, John J. Ranahan, George B. Roddy, Simon Collins, Michael D. Hurley, James Porter, James Dearie, John J. McDonough, Owen F. Cox, Edward F. Donahue, Morgan J. Sullivan, Philip F. Gallagher, John Kelly, Dennis T. Horgan, Francis M. Donahue, Daniel H. Marliave, Jeremiah J. McCarthy, Thomas Murphy, Timothy F. Tierney, John J. Sullivan, James Carlin, James P. Connors, John P. Vallen, 1 day, \$6 each.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, ½ day, \$2.75.

Total, \$571.69.

Net cost for the week ending June 23, \$568.41.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, June 24:

Feeders.—P. Egan, J. Gallagher, J. Canny, W. Cassell, J. E. Burns, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Stablemen.—P. Lane, J. O'Connor, G. Stapleton, T. J. Berrane, J. Carey, P. Coffey, J. Donnelly, P. J. Downey 2d, O. Kelly, R. G. Purcell, P. J. Downey 1st, F. Calbag, J. Curran, J. H. Kelly, J. Keyes, W. Knightley, J. McCaffrey, H.

O'Halloran, T. J. Shea, J. Sullivan, F. W. Annis, F. J. Kane, M. Quirk, J. L. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. Campbell, J. McNutt, W. McCarthy, M. S. Ryan, W. F. Carmody, P. Cassino, J. J. Cribben, J. J. Curran, J. Humphy, J. Fahey, J. J. Feeney, G. F. Harrington, E. A. Keefe, P. J. Nee, P. Norton, F. J. O'Brien, J. T. Westwater, J. Wilmouth, J. J. Spillane, J. F. Cavinaro, F. Cunningham, W. A. Crawford, R. J. Hughes, K. F. Kenney, L. W. Lawler, W. McGahey, M. F. McGrath, J. O'Brien, M. Shaller, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—A. P. Charbonnier, B. F. Lyons, J. J. Barrett, T. J. Maher, A. R. Gaffey, F. S. O'Brien, 2 days, \$9 each.

Watchmen.—S. Croake, P. Doyle, J. Moore, J. Fay, M. J. Gately, P. Griffin, J. J. O'Neill, T. Rieley, P. J. Griffin, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Carpenters.—M. J. Callahan, W. C. Hughes, M. J. Sullivan, 2 days, \$11 each.

Wharfman.—P. J. Kellard, 1 day, \$5.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 2 days, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, C. J. Haley, 2 days, \$9 each.

Wharfmen.—J. Fay, J. L. Burke, J. Cassell, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$444.75.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, June 24:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Collins, 2 days, \$10; James Clancy, 1½ days, \$6.25; Michael Foley, 1 day, \$5; Peter Keenan, 1½ days, \$5.94; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, ½ day, \$2.25 each.

Laborers.—Peter King, Louis Brunetto, 4½ days, \$20.25 each; Thomas Foley, 3 days, \$13.50; Patrick Fitzgerald, Frank Desmond, 2½ days, \$9; Michael McMahon, 1½ days, \$6.75; James McNabb, Thomas Duffy, 1½ days, \$5.63 each; Daniel McKenna, ¾ day, \$3.38; Cornelius Sullivan, ½ day, \$2.25; Patrick Barry, John English, John O'Neill, John Connor, Thomas Coughlin, Andrew Flaherty, Peter Connolly, Albert Bachofner, William Dunlea, Bernard Brady, Patrick Egan, John Delaney, James Keelan, James Fagan, Patrick Gorman, John Joyce, James Lynch, Patrick Murray, William Ryan, Thomas Kelly, John Henson, Patrick Foley, Michael Vaughan, James McCarthy, Timothy Driscoll, John Crowley, Malachi Hanley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Chauffeurs.—James McCarthy, 1 day, \$5.

Assistant Engineers.—John Mahoney, 1 day, \$6.67; Thomas Maher, John McCarthy, 1 day, \$7.17 each.

Oilers, Firemen, etc.—John Powell, Andrew Calnan, Martin Mullin, Timothy Scully, Thomas McLaughlin, Thomas Burden, Jeremiah Delaney, John Drillio, Edward Collins, Patrick Powell, John McGowan, Patrick Griffin, Neil Grant, James Conlon, Garrett Connolly, James Fitzgerald, Michael Donovan, Patrick Keating, Richard Tobin, Christopher Kenney, William Mullin, 1 day, \$6 each.

Coal Passers.—John McNeil, 3 days, \$14; Thomas Naughton, 2 days, \$9.33; Patrick Keeley, Thomas Lavin, 1 day, \$4.67 each.

Masons.—James Duffy, John Shea, 1 day, \$7 each.

Mechanics.—Matthew Taylor, 3 days, \$16.50; Richard Fitzgerald, John Riley, John Barry, William Brennan, Thomas Walsh, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Total, \$505.51.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 23:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, J. M. McGrath, T. O'Malley, W. Doherty, M. O'Brien, T. F. Scanlan, M. J. O'Connell, T. Ormand, J. O'Donnell, W. O'Brien, D. Powers, J. L. Gould, L. Divita, H. J. Kane, M. Levine, F. H. McMackin, M. F. Shea, J. DeCoursey, P. F. Daley, P. McManus, T. Downey, F. R. Deacon, J. F. Brady, M. Gilmartin, J. W. Collins, J. T. O'Leary, B. J. Doherty, M. S. Healey, G. Keegan, W. Batts, W. Gorman, W. Hartnett, M. McCormack, J. McHugh, J. Monahan, C. Sullivan, J. Whelton, C. Riley, J. Holland, M. T. Clougherty, J. B. Sullivan, H. J. McCarron, J. Donahue, E. Grant, P. Barry, J. A. Carr, F. Certosimo, L. Davis, J. J. Doherty, J. P. Driscoll, J. J. Dowdal, P. F. Dunn, M. Fallon, M. Finn, C. F. Flaherty, J. B. Foley, J. Gallagher, M. Gately, P. Glynn, F. H. Granville, T. F. Hart, E. Guider, J. A. Hartigan, R. Higgins, P. H. Hogan, L. V. Kilduff, T. McClutchey, J. J. McDonald, D. F. O'Keefe, P. Canny, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$315.

Teamsters.—J. Dahill, B. Callahan, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, E. F. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, W. Dwyer, J. F. Brown, J. J. Daley, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, 2 days, \$9 each.

Feeders.—J. J. Shea, P. Sweeney, L. McGahan, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Chauffeurs.—J. J. Connors, M. Giovenella, J. J. Marshall, F. Murphy, ¾ day, \$2.06 each.

Total, \$445.49.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 23:

Chauffeurs.—J. Burns, 3½ day, \$0.47; J. Broderick, 1 day, \$5; F. Bonang, 2 days, \$10; J. F. Burke, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Conlon, 2 days, \$10; T. J. Kelleher, 2 days, \$10; J. J. O'Brien, 2 days, \$10; T. A. Norton, 1½ days, \$9.38; J. Supple, 1 day, \$5; M. J. Walsh, 1 day, \$5.

Emergency men.—J. Doherty, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Donohue, 1 day, \$5.50; W. Lonergan, 1 day, \$4.50; M. Carney, 2 days, \$9.50; R. Curcio, 1 day, \$4.50; W. J. Fitzsimmons, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Kelly, 1 day, \$5; T. H. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.75; J. Mahan, 1 day, \$4.50; M. McCue, 1 day, \$4.50; W. Rice, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Clougherty, 2 days, \$9; J. Gateley, 1 day, \$5.25.

Repairers.—J. McGregor, 1 day, \$5; E. Hansenfus, ¾ day, \$2.06; P. Ippolito, ¾ day, \$2.06; P. J. Clougherty, 1 day, \$5.50; P. Casey, 1½ day, \$1.03; O. T. Kirby 3¼ day, \$17.19; J. J. Barry, 2½ days, \$11.81; B. Donahue, 1½ days, \$9.38; A. Lopilato, 1 day, \$4.75; F. Petrocelli, ¾ day, \$0.47; P. Heffernan, ¾ day, \$2.06; W. Scanlon, 2 days, \$10; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$6.88; S. Mariani, 1½ days, \$6.88; G. F. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; H. McCauley, 2 days, 9.50; L. Morgan, 1 day, \$4.75; J. Blessington, 1 day, 5; T. Byrnes, 1½ days, \$10.17; T. Rose, 1½ day, \$4.69; M. Matthews, 2½ days, \$11.56; J. Cummings, ¾ day, \$4.13; M. Rizzo, ¾ day, \$1.78; F. Schena, 1 day, \$5.25; W. Shields, 3¼ days, \$19.06; H. Cauley, 1½ days, \$6.56; P. Coleman, 1½ days, \$6.23; J. E. Feeley, 2½ days, \$10.98; N. McPhee, ¾ day, \$1.88; J. Williamson, ¾ day, \$1.78; G. Grier, ¾ day, \$1.88; J. McLean, ¼ day, \$1.25; A. McDougall, 1½ day, \$4.45; P. J. McCarthy, 1 day, \$5; F. Golding, 1 day, \$4.75; G. F. Carroll, ¾

day, \$0.98; T. J. Regan, 1½ days, \$6.19; J. J. Callahan, 1½ day, \$4.50.

Laborers.—T. Gallagher, 1 day, \$4.50; E. Hart, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Durand, 2½ days, \$12.94; C. King, 1 day, \$4.50; S. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.50; J. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.50; J. M. O'Toole, 2 days, \$9; T. McGuinness, 1 day, \$4.50; B. Doherty, 2 days, \$9; E. Pyne, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Roust, 2 days, \$9; M. Shea, 1 day, \$4.50; T. Toolin, 1 day, 4.50; P. Waters, 2 days, \$9; F. Willhauch, 2 days, \$9; P. Walsh, 1 day, \$4.50; D. Murphy, 1 day, \$4.50; E. Kelley, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Magee, 1 day, \$4.50; P. McLaughlin, 1 day, 4.50; E. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.50; D. Shea, 1 day, \$4.50; P. Gorman, 1 day, \$4.50; T. Donovan, 1 day, \$4.50; P. McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50; D. Hegarty, 1 day, \$4.50; G. Cataldo, ½ day, \$1.69; G. Gravellee, ½ day, \$1.69; W. Gallagher, ½ day, \$3.38; N. DiEso, ½, \$1.69; C. Cannon, ⅞ day, \$2.53; P. Cassidy, 1 day, \$4.50; J. Cunningham, 1 day, \$4.50; T. Mulrey, 1 day, \$4.50; J. McDonald, ½ day, \$1.69; G. Condon, ½ day, \$1.69.

Total, \$543.98.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Massachusetts Street Railway Company, Chelsea South drawbridge, cross-over and relocation.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, Cambridge street, Brighton, etc., alterations and additions.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, Washington street, etc., Ward 23, alterations and additions.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, East Seventh street, Ward 10, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Park street, Ward 20, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Porter street, Ward 22, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Railroad street, Ward 13, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Barry street, Ward 24, erect one pole.

LOCATION OF STREET.

The Mayor has approved the following order of the Board of Street Commissioners:

Voted, That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in West Roxbury, designated as Boxford terrace extension, between Boxford terrace and Wren street, as shown on a plan approved in writing by this Board and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 19 the Mayor approved a contract with the Connor Electric Company, Inc., for installing underground cables. Bids for the work, opened Tuesday, June 3, were as follows:

Ninety-one Conductor.—Connor Electric Company, Inc., 16.5 cents per foot; James Sugden Company, 19 cents per foot; McGunigle & Tounge, 21.6 cents per foot.

Eighty Conductor.—Connor Electric Company, Inc., 13.75 cents per foot; James Sugden Company, 17 cents per foot; McGunigle & Tounge, 21.6 cents per foot.

Sixty-one Conductor.—Connor Electric Company, Inc., 12.5 cents per foot; James Sugden Company, 15 cents per foot; McGunigle & Tounge, 21.6 cents per foot.

Thirty-seven Conductor.—Connor Electric Company, Inc., 11 cents per foot; James Sugden Company, 15 cents per foot; McGunigle & Tounge, 16.5 cents per foot.

Nineteen Conductor.—Connor Electric Company, Inc., 9.75 cents per foot; James Sugden Company, 8 cents per foot; McGunigle & Tounge, 11.8 cents per foot.

Figuring the total on the estimated amount of cable to be installed the bids are as follows:

Connor Electric Company, Inc., \$7,441.88; James Sugden Company, \$9,015.43; McGunigle & Tounge, \$11,199.58.

These totals are approximate as the lengths of cables may vary from the lengths given, but the variation will be small.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with the Murray Engineering Company for repairs on the steamer "George A. Hibbard." A communication from Dr. David J. Johnson was as follows:

"On June 16 the "Hibbard" became incapacitated for service on account of a leaking condenser. Other repairs were reported necessary and five firms were requested to submit a proposal for doing the work.

"The department has not advertised in the *City Record*, as it would be an unnecessary delay and expense. A substitute boat costs about \$50 per day and the department sometimes is unable to secure one."

Murray Engineering Company.—Item 1, \$590; Item 2, \$85; Item 3, \$836; Item 4, \$1,150. Total, \$2,661. (10 working days.)

Richard T. Green Company.—Item 1, \$690; Item 2, \$95; Item 3, \$967; Item 4, \$3,573. Total, \$5,325.

Atlantic Works.—Item 1, \$691; Item 2, \$94; Item 3, \$707; Item 4, \$3,137. Total, \$4,629. (21 working days.)

Bethlehem Steel Company.—Item 1, \$510; Item 2, \$85; Item 3, \$815; Item 4, \$2,985. Total, \$4,405. (21 working days.)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Rendle Stoddard Construction Company for the rebuilding middle pier at the Boston landing of the South Ferry. Bids for the work, opened June 16, were as follows:

Rendle Stoddard Construction Company \$13,057.50; W. H. Ellis & Son Company, \$13,940.50; William L. Miller Company, \$17,108.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon June 19 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Baruffaldi Company for filling, sewerage works and water works in Ashley street, from Breed street to Boardman street, East Boston. Bids

for the work, opened June 13, were as follows:

A. Baruffaldi Company, \$26,969.60; E. J. McHugh & Son, \$27,372; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$32,580; V. Grande, \$36,257.50; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$36,169.25.

Upon June 19 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Baruffaldi Company for sewerage works in Paris street, between Sumner street and manhole 275 feet easterly, East Boston. Bids for the work, opened June 12, were as follows:

A. Baruffaldi Company, \$2,662.50; M. D. Russo, \$2,749; William Barrett & Co., \$2,805; A. D. Daddario, \$2,916; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2,926.25; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$2,974.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$3,057.25; C. Iacuzzo, \$3,218.75; M. H. Loonie, \$3,455.

Upon June 19 the Mayor approved a contract with the M. D. Russo for sewerage works in Iffley road, between Washington street and Walnut avenue, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened June 16, were as follows:

M. D. Russo, \$1,537.50; A. D. Daddario, \$1,823; James J. Conway, \$1,877.50; C. Iacuzzo, \$1,877.50; M. De Matteo, \$1,911.50; J. Williams & Co., \$1,957.50; C. Russo, \$1,977.50; M. H. Loonie, \$2,000; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,119.50; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$2,196; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2,205; A. Grande, \$2,367.50; J. Guarino & Co., \$2,370.

Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Zoppo & Civitarese for sewerage works in Weld street outlet, between Merlin street and Weld street, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened June 19, were as follows:

Zoppo & Civitarese, \$11,480; A. Cefalo, \$12,750; C. Russo, \$12,264; A. D. Daddario, \$13,214; A. Grande, \$13,694.60; J. J. Conway \$13,697; M. D. Russo, \$13,991.90; A. Daddario, \$14,652.25; V. Barletta \$16,870; M. De Matteo, \$17,170; V. Grande, \$22,821; J. Williams & Co., \$25,619; P. A. Colleran, \$26,640.75.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with the McCulloch Company for assembling gate valves. Bids for the work, opened June 20, were as follows:

McCulloch Company, \$13,350.

Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Russo for laying and relaying water pipes in Bismark, Germania, La Grange streets, West Roxbury, Ruskin road, Hyde Park, and Wabash street, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened June 20, were as follows:

C. Russo, \$3,220; A. Grande, \$3,610; J. Williams & Co., \$3,735; C. Iacuzzo, \$3,800; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$4,117.50; M. D. Russo, \$4,175.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 21 the Mayor approved a contract with M. L. McDonald Company for painting work at the East Boston High School. Bids for the work, opened June 18, were as follows:

M. L. McDonald Company, \$4,790; J. D. Henchey & Co., \$4,980; T. F. McGrath & Co., \$5,337; Thomas F. Connor, \$5,900; A. D. Howlett Company, \$6,300; American Painting and Decorating Company, \$7,500; P. Holdensen Company, \$8,373; Boston Painting Company, \$8,500.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved a contract with several firms as indicated below for furnishing manual arts supplies for the public schools. Bids, opened March 4, were as follows:

ITEM.	Technical Supply Company.	J. H. Weil Company.	Edward E. Babb Company.	F. Weber & Co.	Prang Company.	Art Crayon Company.	Eugene Dietzgen Company.	Spaulding Moss Company.	P. & P. Chemical Company.	Abbott Educational Company.	W. H. Clafin Company.	Milton Bradley Company.	J. L. Hammett Company.	Kenney Brothers & Wolkins.
1.....	\$0 25	\$0 22	\$0 245		\$0 285							\$0 229	* \$0 224	\$0 29
2.....	* 51	* 44	48		57							450	* 448	23
3.....	* 29	* 22	245		285							12 \$0 23-\$024		49
4.....	* 55	* 44	* 48		57							23- 243	* 224	45
5.....	525		49		568			\$0 47	* \$0 35			24- 31		29
6.....	1 05		98		1 12			89	* 69			46- 467	* 448	49
7.....			* 104									* 46 - 48		45
8.....			* 084									463- 62		45
9.....		063	07		06					07		46	38	49
10.....		1 52	49									46	43	475
11.....			* 20									455	76	90
12.....			* 1 48	\$1 50		1 \$1 56		* 1 42				90	86	96
13.....			2 30									90		
14.....		* 1 92	\$2 07- 2 50		2 26							90		
15§.....		2 40	2 17- 2 90				\$0 93					90		
16.....		* 20	1 30											
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19.....			28	30	315			27						
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37.....			1 50	1 50			2 75							
38.....			125											
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40.....			2 15											
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* Contract awarded. † Bid rejected—not in accordance with terms of specifications. ‡ Bid withdrawn. § All bids rejected.

1 No bid on auditor's copy. 2 Bid on 8-inch instead of 7-inch. 3 Bid on 3½-inch by ½-inch as per supplementary letter dated February 21, 1924.

Can furnish same crayons in folding box at \$1.35 dozen boxes. Copy of this letter not deposited with City Auditor.

4 Sample unsatisfactory. 5 100 packages only. 6 2,000 packages only. 7 200 packages only. 8 100 packages only.

9 One half of contract. 10 Japanned. 11 Plus. 12 Special.

The School Committee has approved contracts with the Boston Envelope Company, Carter, Rice & Co., J. L. Hammett Company, Edward E. Babb & Co., John S. Cheever Company, Harris & Gilpatric, the Old Dominion Paper Company and the Milton Bradley Company for furnishing stationery to the public schools. Bids, opened March 3, were as follows:

GROUP.	Smith Tablet Company.	Milton Bradley Company.	Old Dominion Paper Company.	Boston Envelope Company.	Harris & Gilpatric.	J. L. Hammett Company.	Carter, Rice & Company. ²	John S. Cheever Company. ³	Edward E. Babb & Co.
1	\$36,142 70	\$31,910 00	(1) \$11,389 11 (2) 39,023 80 (3) 40,698 95		\$26,300 00	*1 \$33,745 55	\$37,799 00		\$36,255 00
2	\$,598 85		(1) 9,904 77 (2) 10,336 61		9,940 40	*7,997 00			
3		†2,818 00	(1) 3,439 80 (2) 3,378 70		*2,918 50	†2,899 00	2,928 00		2,925 00
4				\$603 70		592 00	607 00	†\$577 00	
5		†1,498 00	2,180 00		1,561 00	†1,323 50	†1,496 00		*1,560 00
6			527 80			*500 00		587 00	
7				*486 90		585 00	†422 00	†450 95	
8		145 00	171 60		155 00	148 00	*145 00	192 00	156 00
9		239 00	(1) 263 20 (2) 217 60		253 50	242 40	*222 00	264 00	252 00
10		*1,785 00	(1) 1,985 00 (2) 1,985 00 (3) 1,863 00		1,849 00	1,820 00	2,500 00	1,900 00	1,850 00
11			†99 00			187 50	†129 80	†142 00	
12						250 00	*236 50		
13		651 00	717 80		681 50	662 62	*625 00	691 00	679 00
14		*118 00	(1) 142 20 (2) 155 70		125 00	119 40	168 00		126 00
15			(1) *557 20 (2) 299 50			†480 00	699 00	729 00 624 00	
16			(1) *1,089 00 (2) *699 00		900 00	990 00	771 00	760 00	
17		*3,550 00	(1) 4,781 70 (2) 5,149 70 (3) 4,369 77		3,748 00	3,611 00	4,111 00		3,749 00
Proposal for entire quantity.						55,867 00			

* Contract awarded.

† All bids rejected. Contract awarded to John S. Cheever Company without further advertising.

‡ Sample unsatisfactory.

§ Bid defective — not filed with City Auditor. Proposal not signed.

¹ On Auditor's copy the sum in words is \$33,745.50 and the figures \$33,745.55.² Bid not signed in proper place (same on Auditor's copy).³ Withdrawn.

Bid of Massachusetts Envelope Company received at the Business Agent's office March 3, 1924, at 12.40 p. m.; copy left at City Hall at Auditor's office, at 12.35 p. m. (Group 4, \$865; Group 7, \$553.34.)

The School Committee has approved a contract with Edward E. Babb Company, J. L. Hammett Company, Ryan & Buker, Milton Bradley Company and Kenney Brothers & Wolkins for furnishing stationery to the public schools. Bids, opened March 10, were as follows:

ITEM.	Wells-Lodge Speci- alty Company.	Association Manu- facturers Com- pany.	E. E. Babb Com- pany.	Supremacy Ink Company.	Ryan & Buker.	J. L. Hammett Company.	Howard Chemical and Manufactur- ing Company.	Milton Bradley Company.	King's Ink Com- pany.	S. S. Stafford Ink Company.	Kenney Brothers & Wolkins.	Globe Ink and Mucilage.	Barbour Tablet Ink.	Old Dominion Paper Company.
1	\$0.55 .52		*\$0.16 * .14	\$0.1599		\$0.20			\$0.38	\$0.35 .32 .37 .34	\$0.18	\$0.234		\$0.4158 .26
2	†.42	\$0.065	.32			*.03	\$0.03	\$0.0316	.09		.033	.07	\$0.04	.044
4	†.70		.20	.2099		.48			.40	.53 .50	.25	.235		.433 .27
5	†.50	.20	†.04			.0499	.05	*.043	.095		.06	.08	.10	.329
6			.34		*\$0.31	.34		.31			.34			.3169
7			.25		.22	.25		*.22			.25			.269
8			.23		.20	.23		*.20			.23			.3169
9		12.80 14.75 \$ 10.30	12.60 13.35 15.90			12.69		\$12.90-\$12.00 12.60-12.65 *7 11.85-11.85 14.00-13.00			15.30			16.74
10								*.85			†.57			1.99
11			2.20 2.95			1.85 2.50 *1.50		†1.37-142 †1.14 †1.195			†1.57 *1.67			†\$0.794-\$0.994 †1.99-1.492 †2.33-1.249
12			.44			\$0.67-\$0.62 \$0.53-\$0.57		.4475 * \$0.41-\$0.47			.485			.5249
Allowances on empty bottles.	.05			.02										

* Contract awarded.

† All bids rejected.

‡ Sample unsatisfactory.

§ No sample submitted.

¹ This price on 125 gross only.² Metal container, sufficient to make 3½ quarts.³ Metal container, sufficient to make 2½ quarts.⁴ Corrugated case.⁵ Sample No. 6.⁶ No. 2 B.⁷ Quantity not that called for in specifications.⁸ Wood case.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 22 the Mayor approved a contract with Murray & Jones, Inc., for furnishing three Ford runabouts to the Water Service. Bids, opened June 20, were as follows:

	Three Ford Runabouts, Each.	ALLOWANCE ON							Net Amount Bid.
		Ford Truck No. 130.	Ford Truck No. 136.	Ford Truck No. 154.	Ford Runabout No. 148.	Ford Runabout No. 157.	White Truck No. 100.	White Truck No. 176.	
Murray & Jones, Inc.....	\$419 50	\$75 00	\$75 00	\$100 00	\$75 00	\$75 00	\$25 00	\$25 00	* \$808 50
Coombs & McBeath, Inc.....	389 50	25 00	15 00	25 00	50 00	60 00	25 00	25 00	943 50
Stanley, Harlow, Inc.....	415 19	50 00	50 00	35 00	45 00	45 00	100 00	85 00	835 57

* Awarded contract.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts, awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon June 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Louis Neceto for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 19, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Louis Noceti, 179 Herman street, Winthrop, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with W. F. Esterhill for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 23, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalk in the public streets, without advertising, to W. F. Esterhill, 106 Buttonwood street, Dorchester, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Thomas O'Connor & Co. for the construction of two additional class rooms in the Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate School. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 5, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor, under the provisions of chapter 486, section 30 of the Acts of 1909, to awarding a contract, without advertising, to Thomas O'Connor & Co., Kendall square, Cambridge, for the construction of two additional class rooms to the Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate School, Roxbury district, the cost of said work to exceed one thousand (1,000) dollars.

The reason for making this request is as follows: The Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate School was erected by Thomas O'Connor & Co., having been completed in October, 1923. The School Committee has now requested the construction of these two additional rooms which they wish to have ready for occupancy at the reopening of the schools in September. The Board feels that this work will be facilitated by the employment of the same contractor as on the original building, and therefore requests the approval of your Honor as above stated.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 13 the Mayor approved a contract with the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing the Public Works Department, Paving Service, three Reo speedwagons. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 12, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract to the Linscott Motor Company, without advertising, for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Paving Service, three Reo speedwagons equipped with Metro cab, 1½ yard dump bodies and wood hydraulic hoists, painted and lettered as required, at \$2,250 each.

As this is the type of car which the Paving Service requires, I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon June 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the Noyes-Buick Company for furnishing apparatus to the Fire Department. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 18, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Noyes-Buick Company for furnishing to the Fire Department, one Model K-41 GMC 2-ton chassis, equipped with electric lights, generator, battery, high tension magneto, 36 by 5 front and 36 by 8 rear Goodrich semi-pneumatic tires, Metropolitan all weather cab, and body of same dimensions as one now in use in the Fire Alarm Branch with exception that it is to be 6 inches lower, to be painted Fire Department red and lettered according to our specifications, at \$4,381.

Several concerns were requested to submit prices on this truck and equipment, and I have selected the G. M. C. truck on account of the fact that we have G. M. C. trucks now in use in the Public Works Department, and they have given complete satisfaction.

The price submitted by the Noyes-Buick Company on a registered two-ton truck was lower than that of the other concerns. As this truck is needed at once, and no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for same I feel that the best interests of the city will be served by granting this permission.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon June 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing the Water Service, Public Works Department, two Model F. Reo chassis. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 13, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing to the Water Service, Public Works Department, No. 2 Model F Reo chassis equipped with Metro cap and special open express bodies, painted and lettered according to requirements, at seventeen hundred forty-five (1,745) dollars each, making net amount of contract \$3,490.

As this type of chassis best meets the requirements of the Water Service, I trust the permission requested will be granted.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon June 19 the Mayor approved a contract with the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing the Public Works

Department, Street Cleaning and Oiling Service, three Reo trucks. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 16, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Street Cleaning and Oiling Service: Three Reo trucks equipped with special dump bodies, wood hydraulic hoists with sideboards, painted and lettered as per our specifications at \$2,250 each. As this type of machine best meets the requirements of the department, I trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon June 21 the Mayor approved a contract with the Pierce Arrow Truck Sales Corporation for three trucks and equipment. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 20, 1924.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Pierce Arrow Truck Sales Corporation, 882 Commonwealth avenue for furnishing:

Three 5-ton Pierce Arrow trucks, completely equipped, for the sum of twenty-four thousand twenty-one and 30-100 dollars (\$24,021.30), including tax and freight, to the Public Works Department:

The following additional equipment other than standard equipment is to be furnished with the trucks:

Three 62-inch Metro vestibule all weather cabs, mounted; special 8½ yards steel dump bodies, mounted; wood underbody heavy duty hoists and subframes, mounted, and three sets Sewell cushion wheels, mounted, including tax. Bodies, hoists, cabs, Sewell wheels and chasses completely painted and varnished standard battleship gray, and delivered to Albany street yards.

Two of these trucks are for the Street Cleaning and Oiling Service and the other one is for the Paving Service.

This department has standardized on this make of truck for all the departments of the city where heavy duty trucks are required. As this company is the manufacturer of these trucks, no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for same. Trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am,

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

SPEECH AT WAKEFIELD.

(Continued from page 1049.)

It is more than the silken emblem of a people's progress, of a nation's greatness. It is the oriflamme of the most glorious chapter of that story of nearly 1,800 years of struggle on the part of good women and good men in every land on earth for the creation of a government in which the supreme test of fitness should be the character of the individual, and his unchallenged right to liberty and equality of opportunity. When

Thomas Jefferson wrote the word "equality" into the Declaration of Independence, and it later was incorporated into the Constitution and the Bill of Rights and the right of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness was guaranteed to all men without regard to race, creed or color, there was created a magnet powerful enough to draw to the weak and struggling republic of the past Revolutionary days the pure womanhood and the hardy manhood of every land in the entire world; and because of the knowledge that in America the old Divine Right theories thereof no longer existed, and that no man had a God-given right to rule other men without their approval or consent men sought and still seek our shores. It took eight long, weary years to establish that ideal and making of it a reality; it took four long, weary years as these brave heroes here can testify to make a reality of the right of equality withheld to Americans because of the accident of birth.

Then came the hour when that flag first saw the light of day carried on sea by these men whose deed and daring Americans still conjure with. But for the courage and character of the men who gave to the world the American Republic, the movement for human liberty would have died before aborning.

Then came that day at Valley Forge, when the Father of our country watched the decrease in the ranks of the army and nightly prayed for the success of that movement. To Washington, at Valley Forge, where the trail of the army might be traced by the bleeding feet of his soldiers, ragged and shoeless, when desertions were common, when dissension was rife, came that great man that Wakefield honors by naming one of its thoroughfares after, the Marquis Lafayette, and the pledge of French aid and alliance which gave courage, hope and determination to America and made possible the dissipation of the gloom of Valley Forge and the radiant sun of Yorktown. During the recent World War a like condition obtained. The armies of the Allied soldiery had experienced no thrill of victory for a period of over three years. America was pictured as a nation devoid of unity, so cosmopolitan in character, so divided by racial and religious lines as to render impossible a united America. The Central Empires believed that the men in America, the peace soldiery of the world, would resent conscription. There was and always has been something repulsive in the word conscription, taking from the mother her son, from the wife her husband and from the widow her only boy, yet the time came in the life of America, under the leadership of Woodrow Wilson, when the selective draft system was adopted and was accepted by the American people as the fairest and most democratic method of securing an army. Only those were called to serve who were physically and mentally fit, and ten million men responded. Of course there were whispers that America would not answer the national call, but there was no bloodshed, no riot. Then it became the duty of America to conscript the railroads so that they might for the national service and carry to the seaboard supplies for all the people of the Allied countries. It was necessary for America to build a bridge of ships from America to France and it was built. It was necessary that some one man take charge of the Atlantic transport service and the man

was found; a single transport was lost. It became imperative that American finance the needs of the warring world and the savings of the people backed the credit of the nation and saved the situation.

In May, 1918, American troops occupied the third line trenches of the battle-front and veteran European strategists hoped in a year to train them to fighting efficiency. Later in that month the advancing enemy carried the first and second lines of defence, driving the seasoned allied soldiers before them; the third line became the front line and as the cry went up "The Boches are coming," the order for retreat was given. The American commander replied, "There is no such word as retreat in the American Soldier's Manual. We are here to advance and advance we will."

That was the spirit of the American soldier and freeman. They had come to France to fight and win and end the war and they never stayed their conquering advance until the enemy cried truce and signed the armistice and the war was won. Seventy thousand white crosses standing in the fields and forests of France and Flanders, the thousands who crowd our hospitals and institutions maimed in body and mind, oblivious to friends and relatives and loved ones, the battered battalions hidden in homes, their usefulness destroyed, the many ignored and forgotten by the land they served, the debt of billions and the huge burden of taxation—these constitute the price America has paid for her fidelity to democracy and humanity.

No people can pay too high for the preservation of its ideals and principles and the security of its government; and the lessons taught by the World War must not be forgotten, nor should those who gave us victory with honor be neglected. It has been said that "Everybody's business is nobody's business"; yet the Government of America is the business of the nation and everybody's business is the business of every individual citizen, his personal business; and only as we make it our personal business and insist that the vital business of the country, the things that make its progress and prosperity possible and its stability a certainty, shall be separated from the peculiarly political affairs of the land and be no longer the football of partisanship. The trade industry, commerce and transportation of America are business matters not political; the safeguarding of the republic from foreign invasion and domestic disturbance is a national duty not a partisan obligation; and only as we realize these distinctions, make the public business our personal business, and insist that attachment to a party must be subordinated to devotion to our country and its paramount interests, can we hope to keep our beloved republic powerful, progressive, peaceful, prosperous, honored abroad, secure at home, able to meet every obligation, neglecting no duty, and marching into the future with the love, loyalty and allegiance of its citizens.

No chain is stronger than its weakest link; no stream rises higher than its source. The American citizen is the link in the national chain, the source of the national stream; and as we train and guide his intelligence, strengthen his devotion, safeguard his rights and privileges and quicken his sense of civic duty and political, so shall we best serve and preserve this Republic.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 19 TO JUNE 25.

JUNE 19.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Louis H. Jacobs.....	5 Westerly street.....	14	New fixtures.....	\$225
P. G. Finnerty.....	11 Worcester square.....	6	New fixtures.....	325
J. S. Cassidy.....	59 Fenway.....	7	New fixtures.....	5,200
William T. O'Brien.....	315 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,500
Samuel Adams.....	1 Ward court.....	11	New fixtures.....	300
P. R. Winters.....	12 Nottinghill road.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,200
A. J. Cooper & Son Com- pany.....	145 Harrison avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	25
S. Gould.....	6 Florence avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	3,650
John T. Driscoll.....	1767 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	250
Harry F. Nation.....	25 Arbutus street.....	21	New fixtures.....	2,000
Edward O. Irving.....	314 West Second street.....	9	New fixtures.....	150
Albert B. Hultgren.....	70 Hallowell street.....	24	New fixtures.....	500
Edward H. Marchant.....	604-610 Atlantic avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	5,000

JUNE 20.

M. Cohen.....	11 and 13 Norman street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$800
Powers & McHegan.....	1575 Blue Hill avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	1,900
J. P. Tancred.....	304 West Broadway.....	9	New fixtures.....	500
R. A. LaCentra.....	7 Sea View avenue.....	1	New fixtures.....	1,500

JUNE 21.

H. S. Trethewey.....	74 Patten street.....	22	New fixtures.....	\$750
D. J. Seward McCurdy.....	849 Harrison avenue.....	12	New fixtures.....	100
J. P. Tancred.....	157 H street.....	10	New fixtures.....	100
M. Pass & Co.....	37 Brookledge street.....	16	New fixtures.....	1,600
David Carlin.....	79 Rockdale street.....	24	New fixtures.....	1,000
Abraham Kellem.....	443 Shawmut avenue.....	6	New fixtures.....	850
H. S. Trethewey.....	4 Midvale road.....	23	New fixtures.....	650
Otto J. Morlock.....	1908 Centre street.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,000
Powers & McHegan.....	8 Burn street.....	23	New fixtures.....	900
John W. Slane.....	17 Wright road.....	23	New fixtures.....	225

JUNE 23.

M. T. Kelley.....	50 Prince street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$1,650
Bernard T. Clancy.....	1064 Boylston street.....	7	New fixtures.....	125
Charles E. Baldwin.....	489 Tremont street.....	7	New fixtures.....	150
John J. Vogel.....	218 Metropolitan avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	780
Charles Lang.....	1443 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	825
John J. Vogel.....	205 Bellevue street.....	23	New fixtures.....	635
John J. Vogel.....	161 Belgrade avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	280
John J. Vogel.....	786 La Grange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	385

JUNE 24.

A. Frank Bonney.....	32 Penniman road.....	25	New fixtures.....	\$160
T. J. Murphy Company.....	26 Penniman road.....	25	New fixtures.....	500
L. J. Hickman.....	176 Washington street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	21 Shirley street.....	12	New fixtures.....	550
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	19 Shirley street.....	12	New fixtures.....	550
Harry D. Pollard.....	60 Ocean street.....	21	New fixtures.....	125
Alexander Campbell.....	42 Moreland street.....	12	New fixtures.....	500
Abraham Kellem.....	38 Lovering street.....	6	New fixtures.....	250
David E. Mulcahy.....	103 Arlington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	500
John Y. Gillespie.....	71 Locust street.....	11	New fixtures.....	2,500
Wilford H. Gray.....	1 Jones avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	825
Louis Molledo.....	1412 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	25
Louis Molledo.....	19 Gordon avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	1,000
F. W. Poole.....	3 Davis street.....	6	New fixtures.....	400
Louis Molledo.....	58 Central avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	350
D. J. Seward McCurdy.....	110 Buttonwood street.....	11	New fixtures.....	500
Max H. Cohen.....	1217-1225 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	625
M. S. Pann.....	1280C Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	60
P. J. Sullivan.....	41 Atkins street.....	26	New fixtures.....	3,500
Edward J. Roach.....	43 Stillman road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
C. E. Hatch.....	31 Roslindale avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	600
P. F. Russo.....	38 Johnson street.....	23	New fixtures.....	350
David Carlin.....	9 Jackson place.....	22	New fixtures.....	250
Edward J. Roach.....	107 Belgrade avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	300
John J. Walters.....	453 Shawmut avenue.....	6	New fixtures.....	450
George B. Harris.....	526 Western avenue.....	26	New fixtures.....	200
M. Cohen.....	78 Poplar street.....	5	New fixtures.....	735
John Y. Gillespie.....	15 Wales street.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,375
Harry D. Pollard.....	183 Centre street.....	20	New fixtures.....	45
David J. Cole.....	607 Washington street.....	19	New fixtures.....	150

JUNE 25.

R. Hoffman.....	74 Wildwood street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$650
H. S. Trethewey.....	138 Poplar street.....	23	New fixtures.....	850
M. & H. H. Collins.....	50 Lakeville place.....	22	New fixtures.....	350
Max H. Cohen.....	900 Huntington avenue.....	14	New fixtures.....	250
Solomon Tack.....	22 Hobson street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
Joseph P. Vogel & Son.....	12 Fairfield street.....	8	New fixtures.....	650
Joseph Locke.....	48 Crescent circuit.....	25	New fixtures.....	750
J. A. Finley.....	1190 Commonwealth ave.....	25	New fixtures.....	200
A. T. Hapenny.....	2565 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
Henry Smith.....	12 Burrell street.....	12	New fixtures.....	400
W. G. Cornell Company.....	25-29 Bromfield street.....	5	New fixtures.....	4,900
Browning & Riley.....	494 Boylston street.....	7	New fixtures.....	250
L. R. Freedman.....	188 Bowen street.....	9	New fixtures.....	300
J. W. Foster.....	15 Bentley street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,000
John J. O'Toole.....	27 Ashcroft street.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,085

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 554.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Gallivan and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference two complaints against Patrolman Joseph H. Bird of Division 4, charging him with (1) conduct unbecoming an officer, and (2) neglect of duty, absence from city, and conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Joseph H. Bird was, on June 14, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on June 14, 1924, to the said Joseph H. Bird.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 555.

The resignation of Patrolman Peter J. O'Malley of Division 1 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Friday, June 20, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 556.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Goff and Gallivan, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Michael McEllin of Division 12, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Michael McEllin perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 557.

The following promotions and assignments are hereby ordered to take effect Tuesday, June 24, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m.

TO THE GRADE OF SERGEANT.

Patrolman Corelius Shea, of Division 3, assigned to the Superintendent's office.

Patrolman Charles C. Ridlon, of Division 11, assigned to the Superintendent's office.

Patrolman John F. Montague, of Division 15, assigned to the Superintendent's office.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Estella street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Harvard street to Morton street, described as follows:

A highway named Estella street is here-

by laid out, from Harvard street to Morton street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwest by Harvard street, by two measurements, forty-eight and 38-100 feet and thirty-two and 90-100 feet on a curve of six hundred and ninety-four and 39-100 feet radius; northeast by the northeasterly line of said Estella street as hereby laid out, twenty-four and 41-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius; north by the northerly line of said Estella street as hereby laid out, three hundred fifty-one and 63-100 feet; east by Morton street, forty and 13-100 feet; and south by the southerly line of said Estella street as hereby laid out, four hundred twenty-four and 25-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Estella street, from Harvard street to Morton street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Estella street, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, May 2, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Joseph Atkins.....	\$233 85
2. Samuel L. Griff.....	172 62
3. Gertrude Sperling.....	168 77
4. Gertrude Sperling.....	95 13
5. Barnett Cohen.....	95 20
6. Fannie Matt.....	210 07
7. Rebecca Levy.....	224 00
8. Joseph Atkins.....	180 40
9. Joseph Atkins.....	263 34
10. Joseph Atkins.....	264 53
11. Joseph Atkins.....	265 72
12. Victor and Annie Kramer.....	266 91
13. Simon Millman and Victor Pernuth.....	268 03
14. Harry and Samuel Shriberg.....	269 22
15. Harry and Samuel Shriberg.....	270 41
16. Max Gordon.....	165 45
Total.....	\$3,413 65

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Estella street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Harvard street to Morton street, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A 120-foot minor drain, two manholes and five catch-basins in Ifley road, between Washington street and Walnut avenue in the West Roxbury district, at a cost of \$2,400.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Canterbury street, between a point about 115 feet west of Angell street to 250 feet westerly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$2,250.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Ralston road, between Ruskin road and Rutledge road in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of \$1,920.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending June 21:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Central Building Wrecking Company.	1-11 West Seventh street.	9	Storehouse.....	Unsafe.
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.	150 Forsyth street.....	7	Repair shop.	
Annie Grisley.....	69 B street.....	9	Store, dwelling.....	Unsafe.
Boston & Albany Railroad.....	131 Kneeland street.....	5	Freight office.....	Damaged.
American Building Company.	Wrecking 37 Seneca street.....	6	Dwelling.....	Unsafe.
American Building Company.	Wrecking 57 East Concord street.....	6	Dwelling.....	New building.
American Building Company.	Wrecking 59 East Concord street.....	6	Dwelling.....	New building.
American Building Company.	Wrecking 61 East Concord street.....	6	Dwelling.....	New building.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 19 TO JUNE 25.

JUNE 19.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.	415 Dorchester avenue.....	11	First-class transportation station.	\$40,000
Simons & Weiner.....	282-290 Blue Hill avenue...	17	Second-class stores and offices,	50,000
Lewis J. Durkie <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 73 Stratford street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	800
James T. Bjornson.....	59 Bradeen street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
George F. Williams.....	61 Moraine street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
Frederick J. Rockwell.....	156 Wilmington avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Martin Rooney.....	44 Fairbanks street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Paul A. Schindler.....	175 Grove street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Charles H. McKenney.....	354 Spring street.....	23	Third-class store.....	400
Mary E. Farmer.....	584 East Broadway.....	9	Alterations, store and dwelling.	463
Betty T. Carpenter.....	22 Garden street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
George M. Cushing, trustee.....	115 Water street.....	5	Alterations, office and restaurant.	1,850
Joseph Zaktaky.....	731 Tremont street.....	7	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,800
M. E. Cardoza.....	194 Bennington street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	500

JUNE 20.

Huntington Trust.....	25-29 Bromfield street.....	5	First-class stores and offices..	\$75,000
Albert D. Monroe.....	241 Foster street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Anna S. McCarthy.....	33 Bostonia avenue.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Diamond Realty Company.....	953 and 955 Morton street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Henry F. Springer <i>et al.</i>	716 West Roxbury Parkway,	23	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
Christopher Austin.....	60 Bradeen street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Theresa O. Lang.....	2077 Centre street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
W. J. Carlson.....	205 Bellevue street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Florence McCarthy.....	20 Harriet street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
Sentry Hill Trust.....	86 and 88 Phillips street.....	8	Alterations, apartments.....	15,000
Sentry Hill Trust.....	82 Phillips street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	6,000
Eastern Oil and Rendering Company.	17 Furbush court.....	3	Alterations, storage.....	1,000
Georgian Cafeteria Company,	21 Kingston street.....	5	Alterations, cafeteria.....	1,000
Boston Y. M. C. A.....	320 Huntington avenue.....	7	Alterations, Y. M. C. A.....	3,000
Bernard Kennedy.....	402 Centre street.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	550
James M. Burr.....	48 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
George C. Barnes estate.....	197 Dudley avenue.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Williams & Bangs.....	1074 Boylston street.....	7	Alterations, stores and offices,	250
S. Gold.....	514 Tremont street.....	6	Alterations, stores and offices,	400

JUNE 21.

Henry C. McDonald.....	21 Hobart street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	\$10,000
E. K. B. Snow.....	3 Smith court.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
E. K. B. Snow.....	5 Smith court.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
A. J. Granara.....	328 Washington street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling and bakery.	200
Sarah McCool.....	504 West Park street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Barney Schef.....	43 Allen street.....	5	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Anne Grisley.....	69 B street.....	9	Take-down, store and dwelling.	50

JUNE 23.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company.	1135 Massachusetts avenue..	11	Second-class storage warehouse.	\$160,840
Mrs. Mary Donlan.....	50 Lochstead avenue.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
John Beck.....	78 and 80 Leverett street...	5	Alterations, stores.....	600
South Terminal Trust.....	222 Summer street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	50,000
William Wolf.....	46 and 48 Stuart street.....	5	Alterations, store.....	375
Samuel Goldman.....	40 Floyd street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Harry P. Barrows.....	18 Aspinwall road.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
P. J. Sullivan.....	60 Cohasset street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
R. H. Gardiner, trustee.....	36 and 38 Beverly street.....	5	Alterations, garage and shop..	600
Harry Taylor.....	18 Holbrook street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Warren Institutions for Savings.	3 Park street.....	5	Erect marquee.....	4,875

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 19 TO JUNE 25.

JUNE 24.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
City of Boston.....	59 Fenway.....	7	First-class fire alarm station,	\$268,000
International Harvester Co.,	63-71 North Beacon street,	26	First-class service station....	50,000
Leo Isgur.....	1200 Massachusetts avenue,	11	Second-class garage.....	2,000
Joseph A. Clauson.....	43 Robinwood avenue.....	22	Special garage.....	430
Susan B. Hyland.....	110 Gustine street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	4,800
Peter DiRocco <i>et al.</i>	20 Litchfield street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Elias Halpern.....	173 Train street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Mary McNeil.....	7 Rock road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Robert G. Johnson.....	Rear of 66 and 68 Adams st.,	26	Third-class dwelling.....	10,500
Agnes J. Harte.....	Rear of 1076 Adams street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	600
Agnes J. Harte.....	Rear of 1080 Adams street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	600
P. M. Kendrick.....	Rear of 19 Vinson street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
J. E. Lyons.....	Rear of 38 Garfield avenue,	24	Third-class garage.....	600
J. Scarpace.....	86 Hancock street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
E. F. Condon.....	843 Columbia road.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Eliza B. MacQuarrie.....	673 Tremont street.....	7	Alterations, store and lodging,	800
Oliver Building Trust.....	141 Milk street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	5,000
Tremont Temple.....	76-88 Tremont street.....	5	Build radio towers, etc.....	600
Mary Chmiel.....	561-579 Centre street.....	22	Alterations, store.....	3,000
Freeport Marble and Tile Company.....	268 Adams street.....	20	Alterations, laundry.....	250
Frederick Bleiler.....	301 Ruggles street.....	14	Alterations, dwelling.....	995
West Roxbury Post American Legion.....	1996 Centre street.....	23	Alterations, clubhouse.....	400
William Gormley.....	2660 Washington street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	100
Boston University.....	18 and 20 Beacon street.....	5	Alterations, library.....	2,000
Charles F. Adams.....	11-13½ Bromfield street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices,	50
Mystic Building Wrecking Company.....	59 Conant street.....	14	Take-down, gas holder.....	650
Sleeper & Dunlop, agents.....	11-13½ Bromfield street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices,	200
Boston Fish Market Corporation.....	282 Northern avenue.....	9	Alterations, store.....	300
Harriet Babcock.....	16 Allston street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	80
Frank DeMarzio.....	92 Folsom street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling and store.....	1,500
John Wojciechowiec.....	Rear of 33 Winslow street.....	24	Alterations, garage.....	150
Michael Lavin.....	71 Easton street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Mrs. Frank B. Curry.....	72 and 74 East Dedham st.,	6	Alterations, mill and office....	100
Aida Costa.....	23 East Lenox street.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Mrs. W. A. Hylton.....	28 and 30 Everett street.....	22	Erect fire escape.....	100
Miss Lee's School, Inc.....	105 and 107 Marlborough st.,	8	Erect fire escape.....	300

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Luigi Santoro.....	Rear of 8 Chesterfield st....	24	Second-class garage.....	\$750
Margaret Prior.....	19 Champney street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
M. Louise Curry <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 368 Arborway.....	22	Third-class garage.....	500
J. B. Sohens.....	Rear of 215 Savin Hill ave.,	17	Third-class garage.....	180
F. S. Morray.....	Rear of 2119 Dorchester avenue,	21	Third-class garage.....	160
Joseph Ryack.....	34 Schuyler street.....	16	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Mary MacManus.....	40 Lyndhurst street.....	19	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Mary E. Dow.....	174 Wilmington avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
John Kelly.....	46 and 48 Blenford road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Marlborough Real Estate Trust.....	483 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, offices.....	5,000
Francesco Garguilo.....	14 Kennebec street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
G. Cincotti.....	39 Cooper street.....	5	Alterations, store and dwelling.....	2,000
Robert F. Cousins.....	760 Tremont street.....	6	Alterations, suites.....	900
Mary N. Curran.....	183 Centre street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Maud D. Mcledones.....	869 South street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
M. B. Beals.....	143 Tonawanda street.....	19	Alterations, suites.....	6,500
Post Publishing Company.....	8 Williams court.....	5	Alterations, publishing.....	2,000
James J. Boyd.....	27 H street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Manker & Brodie.....	459 Main street.....	3	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
H. P. Newell.....	333 Columbia road.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Phyllis Robins.....	44 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Install elevator.....	1,000
New England Contracting Company.....	103 Beacon street.....	8	Take-down, school.....	300

LAND-TAKING IN HYDE PARK.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston, formerly Hyde Park, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Rutledge road, bounded:

Northwest by Wood avenue, six and 21-100 feet; northeast by another part of Rutledge road, eighty-four and 82-100 feet; southeast by taking made by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes in Rutledge road September 16, 1921, six feet; and southwest by another part of Rutledge road, eighty-three and 20-100 feet; containing five hundred four square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

Eighty-five linear feet of 10-inch sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Rutledge road, leading southeasterly from Wood avenue for a distance of about eighty-four feet.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and con-

struction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lot of abutting land on the north-easterly side of Rutledge road, at the corner of Wood avenue, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, in the amount hereinafter set against it; said lot and the supposed owner thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 561, Sewerage Works, Rutledge Road, Hyde Park, May 10, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Nellie Koeteki.....	\$90 00

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

ASSISTANT ENGINEER, METROPOLITAN PLANNING BOARD, JULY 7, 1924.

The salary is \$2,700 per year. Applicants should be not less than 30 years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application. Applicants should have had at least ten years' experience on construction and design of rapid transit routes and facilities.

The duties of this position require that applicants be competent to make designs and estimates of proposed rapid transit routes and facilities and be familiar with the laying out and estimating of highway and boulevard work.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

SOCIAL WORKER, CITY HOSPITAL.

REQUISITION IS FOR A FEMALE, BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES, JULY 16, 1924.

The salary is \$1,000 a year.

Applicants must be not less than twenty-three nor over fifty years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants have had training and experience in some form of recognized social case work, preferably in connection with hospitals.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending June 21, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, Boston Statistics Department estimate, 835,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 179; nonresidents, 27; total, 206.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 13.83; nonresidents deducted, 12.02.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 14.03; corresponding week last year, 13.20.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 24; one year to five years, inclusive, 8; sixty years and over, 74; total deaths, male, 115; female, 91; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 110; deaths of colored, 5.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 21, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 23, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	55	—	57	3
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	1	2
Influenza.....	—	—	—	—
Measles.....	111	—	140	2
Meningitis epidemic.....	2	2	1	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	35	8	4	6
Scarlet fever.....	55	—	57	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	31	18	29	7
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	6	2	8	3
Typhoid fever.....	5	1	1	—
Whooping cough.....	8	—	21	2

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

TRAVELING ENGINEER AND FIREMAN, DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE, JULY 7, 1924.

The salary is \$2,520 per year. Applicants should have a license as first-class engineer and should have had at least five years' experience while holding such a license. The duties of this position are to visit the various state institutions and inspect the boiler, engine, and electrical plants, also the refrigerating and heating plants. Applicants should be capable of operating any of these outfits, make suggestions for the betterment of operation, and also make suggestions with reference to changes in design and construction that will increase the economy and thus decrease the cost. Applicants should have a knowledge of firing of boilers and knowledge of flue gases and the analysis thereof with reference to maximum efficiency of combustion.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in the practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

ONE-WAY STREETS.

Between 7 a. m. and 6 p. m. daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), to prevent congestion of traffic, vehicles must go in one direction only in the streets named alphabetically below, by order of the Street Commissioners—Albany street, southerly from Beach street to Broadway; Ashburton place, westerly from Somerset street; Asylum street, westerly from Harrison avenue; Avery street, easterly from Tremont; Avon street, easterly from Washington; Beacon street, easterly from Bowdoin street to Somerset; Bedford street, westerly from Summer; Billerica street, northwesterly from Causeway; Blackstone street, northwesterly from North street to Hanover on Saturdays and on the day just before a holiday; Brattle street, westerly from Washington to Court; Bromfield street, westerly from Washington; Carruth street, Dorchester, southerly from Ashmont street to Codman (applying every hour of every day); Central street, westerly from Broad to Kilby; Chauncy street, southwesterly from Summer street; Cornhill, easterly from Court street; Court square, entering on westerly side, leaving on easterly side; Court street, westerly from Washington to Tremont and Cornhill; Devonshire street, southerly from Dock square to Franklin street and northeasterly from Summer street to Winthrop square; Edinboro street, southerly from Essex street; Elm street, northwesterly from Dock square to Hanover street; Exchange street, northerly from State; Friend street, southeasterly from Causeway; Hanover avenue, westerly from North street; Harris street, easterly from Hanover; Hawley street, southerly from Franklin; Howard street, easterly from

Bulfinch; Hudson street, northerly from Curve to Beach street; Kingston street, southerly from Summer to Beach; Lovering street, easterly from Washington; Main street, Charlestown, southeasterly from Thompson square to City square; Mason street, easterly from Tremont and northeasterly from Avery; Merchants Row, northerly from North Market street; Morton street, easterly from Endicott street; Nashua street, south-easterly from Minot; North street, easterly from Union to Blackstone; Otis street, southwesterly from Winthrop square; Pemberton square, westerly from southeast corner of Courthouse to Somerset street; Province street, northerly from Bromfield; Salutation street, easterly from Hanover; School street, easterly from Tremont; Somerset street, northerly from Beacon street to Ashburton place; State street, westerly from Devonshire, on north of Old State House; State street, easterly from Washington to Devonshire, on south of Old State House; Stillman street, westerly from Salem; Temple place, easterly from Tremont; Tileston street, northwesterly from Hanover; Tyler street, northerly from Curve to Beach; Wall street, south-easterly from Minot; Warren street, Charlestown, northwesterly from Henley street to Thompson square; Washington street, northerly from Essex street to Cornhill; Water street, easterly from Liberty square to Broad street; West street, westerly from Washington; Winter street, westerly from Washington. This list is revised to August 1, 1922.

OFFICE HOURS IN CITY DEPARTMENTS.

City offices are required to be open for business from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m. on every day except Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, and Bunker Hill Day. Department offices are required to be closed on Saturday at 12 (noon) in June, July, August and September, and at 1 p. m. during the other months of the year; but the City Treasurer and the City Collector are not required to disburse or receive money after 2 p. m. on any day.

The office of the Health Department is open daily from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. (except Saturdays, when the hours are from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 5 to 10 p. m.); on Sundays and holidays from 10 a. m. to 12 m. and 5 to 10 p. m. for the reporting of cases of communicable diseases, issuing of burial permits, distribution of antitoxins and vaccines and receiving of cultures, etc.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for painting the interior of the Winchell School, corner Blossom and Parkman streets, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 8, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$250, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN MARK STREET, FROM DAY STREET ABOUT 203 FEET EASTERLY, ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Mark street, from Day street about 203 feet easterly, Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of nine hundred (900) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Mark Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, July 7, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 26, 1924. (June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN COLORADO STREET, FROM CURRIER STREET 315 FEET NORTHEASTERLY, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for sewerage works in Colorado street, from Currier street 315 feet northeasterly, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Colorado Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, July 9, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 26, 1924. (June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS.

Contractors are hereby notified that the opening of sealed proposals for reconstruction and alteration of the Bennett School, Chestnut Hill avenue, and Dighton street, Brighton District, Boston, is hereby deferred and the day for opening of bids is extended to 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 8, 1924, and all of the terms and conditions contained in notice of June 21, 1924, shall apply to this notice.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.
(June 28.)

WANTED—FIRST CLASS DRAFTSMAN.

One with electrical knowledge preferred. Applicants must communicate in writing with Thomas P. Glynn, Chairman, Schoolhouse Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, stating their experience and asking appointment for personal interview.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO FURNITURE CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing, delivering and setting up in the halls and galleries of the various schoolhouses throughout the city for a period of one year beginning August 1, 1924, opera chairs of the kind and quality as per specifications and samples on exhibition in the office of the Schoolhouse Commissioners, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of \$1,000. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 8, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a copy of the specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the specifications.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.
(June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING AND STRENGTHENING COMMERCIAL POINT BRIDGE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for repairing and strengthening Commercial Point Bridge, and giving bond thereof of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Commercial Point Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, July 7, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal, after acceptance, is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 26, 1924. (June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO HEATING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for making additions and alterations to present heating system in the Dorchester High School, Talbot avenue and Washington street, Dorchester, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 8, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.
(June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WIRE FENCE AT EVERGREEN CEMETERY, BRIGHTON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for wire fence at Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Wire Fence at Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, July 10, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,500, of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.
(June 28-July 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO MANUFACTURERS OF STEEL LOCKERS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Jamaica Plain High School, Elm street, Jamaica Plain, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday noon, July 2, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, July 11, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.
(June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN FLORENCE AVENUE, BETWEEN ALLSTON STREET AND COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Florence avenue, between Allston street and Commonwealth avenue, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Florence Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, July 8, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 26, 1924. (June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAND.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston will receive sealed proposals for selling to the city land for an intermediate school in the Minot District, Dorchester, Mass., in the territory bounded by Ashmont and Newhall streets; Newhall street extended, Minot and Adams streets, to contain 60,000 square feet of land, more or less. All proposals must be submitted at or before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 15, 1924, at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Court square, Boston. Said proposals will at that time be publicly opened and read, and thereafter a public hearing will be given by the Commissioners at said office Tuesday, July 22, 1924, at 12 o'clock m. at which hearing the proposals and suitability of the land offers therein will be considered. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR RECUR GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN CONGRESS STREET, FROM FRANKLIN STREET TO ATLANTIC AVENUE; HIGH STREET, FROM FEDERAL STREET TO SUMMER STREET; KINGSTON STREET, FROM SUMMER STREET TO No. 24 and FROM BEDFORD STREET TO ESSEX STREET; SOUTH STREET, FROM SUMMER STREET TO KNEELAND STREET, CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for recut granite block pavement in Congress street, from Franklin street to Atlantic avenue; High street, from Federal street to Summer street; Kingston street, from Summer street to No. 24 and from Bedford street to Essex street; South street, from Summer street to Kneeland street, city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Recut Granite Block Pavement, Congress Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, July 8, 1924, with a certified check for twenty-five hundred (2,500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, June 26, 1924. (June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO ROOFING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for doing roofing and metal work at the Girls' High School, West Newton street, South End, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 8, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a copy of the specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the specifications.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 19, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Christopher street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dorchester avenue to Bispham street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of July 2, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 19, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Ramsey street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dudley street to Hamlet street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of July 2, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 19, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Kennerma road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Washington street to Allerton road, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of July 2, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO HEATING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing a heating system in the Walnut Street School, near Neponset avenue, Dorchester, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 8, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING COTTAGE FARM BRIDGE.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing the Cottage Farm Bridge, Commonwealth avenue, over B. & A. R. R., and giving bonds therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineers' office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, after Monday, June 30, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Repairing Cottage Farm Bridge," and left at the office of the Park Department before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, July 8, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioners to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should they deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(June 28-July 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO PLUMBING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for installing new sanitation, boys' end of basement, etc., in the Amos Webster School, Hilton street, Hyde Park, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday noon, July 2, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, July 11, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposals shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(June 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, June 19, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Perkins street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Canterbury street to Grew avenue, with the name of Pinedale street or some other distinctive name, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of July 2, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(June 28.)

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PRINTING DEPARTMENT CAN NOW BOAST OF TRUCK EQUAL TO ITS NEEDS AND AS GOOD AS ANY OTHER BRANCH OF CITY SERVICE.

WITH CONSENT OF MAYOR CURLEY, MAJOR WILLIAM J. CASEY, SUPERINTENDENT, HAS PURCHASED HANDSOME REO TRUCK FOR PLANT'S USE.



NEW REO SPEED TRUCK NOW THE PRIDE OF CITY PRINTING DEPARTMENT PURCHASED TO TAKE CARE OF INCREASED BUSINESS.

Boston's municipal printing plant has secured a present from the city. It is in the form of a new truck. This is the third truck secured by the department in eight years. The other two were products of the Ford Plant and served the city well. Owing to the fact that because of increasing business the old truck was disintegrating rapidly it was thought best to replace it.

Accordingly, Major William J. Casey, superintendent of the plant, secured consent of the Mayor to buy one and the

above car was secured from the Reo concern. It was built on plans devised by Major Casey, looking to caring for the increased business of the plant. Due largely to the granting to women of the right to vote the business of the plant has jumped more than one hundred per cent, the voting lists and police lists adding as much as this to the work. The work in other features also has increased so that it is only a question of time when another truck will be needed. All the Printing Department are proud of the acquisition.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority to relay granite block pavement, grout joints, in Warren street, Charlestown, from Park street to Thompson square, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$10,000.

Also repair macadam roadway in Chelsea street, East Boston, from Saratoga street to Chelsea Bridge, with division force, without advertisement, the esti-

mated cost for labor and material being \$6,000.

Also to repair macadam roadway in Day square, East Boston, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$2,000.

Also to relay granite block pavement, grout joints, in Park street, Charlestown, from City square across Henley street, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$4,000.

MAYOR CURLEY WELCOMES SHOE AND LEATHER MEN TO BOSTON FOR ANNUAL FAIR.

MAYOR CURLEY HAS EXTENDED THE FOLLOWING WELCOME TO THE SHOE AND LEATHER TRADE UPON THE OCCASION OF THE OPENING OF THE ANNUAL SHOE AND LEATHER FAIR, MONDAY, JULY 14:

CITY OF BOSTON,
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

To the Shoe and Leather Trade:

It has been exceedingly gratifying to me to note the gradual expansion and success of the Shoe and Leather Exposition and Style Revue held annually in the City of Boston under official manufacturers' auspices. This diversified market fair has proved a most valuable method of acquainting the American public with the merits and usefulness of a great and distinctly national industry; for the great impetus that transformed the humble work of the shoe maker into a vast and expanding industry to meet the increasing necessities of the world, had its origin in the inventive genius and mechanical ingenuity of America, and notably of New England.

I trust the coming exposition, to be held in this city in the week of July 14, may be as successful in attendance and results as those in previous years; and I can assure you of a cordial welcome in behalf of the City of Boston.

Yours very truly,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT TO AID CITY YOUNGSTERS TO KEEP COOL. MAYOR CURLEY REMEMBERS THEM.

Boston youngsters who can't go to the beaches for a cool swim during the hot weather this summer will get the next best thing to it — a cool shower within a few blocks of their homes.

Fire Commissioner Theodore Glynn, at the direction of Mayor Curley, has issued orders to the department through Chief John O. Tabor to prepare the Fire Department sprinklers for service.

During the hot weather the firemen will go to various hydrants in different sections of the city and set up the sprinklers. The firemen seem to know where the children gather or *vice versa* as they never fail to have half a hundred joyous youngsters paddling about under the stream of water wherever they go.

Most of the showers will be in the congested sections of the city where the children have little or no chance to see a beach from one end of the summer to the other and the "kiddies" will be on the watch for the first appearance of the firemen.

The sprinklers used will be the ones purchased more than a year ago by the city for this purpose and which were used last year with great success.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, July 7, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marqueses, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

CITY PLANNING BOARD TO SELL NEW ZONING LAW.

The Mayor has received the following communication from Chairman Frederick H. Fay of the City Planning Board:

BOSTON, June 24, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The City Planning Board has on hand a limited number of copies of the zoning law for the City of Boston, together with maps showing the classification in the different districts of the city. In order to regulate the distribution of these pamphlets until such time as the law is incorporated in the volume containing the building law issued by the Building Department, the City Planning Board believe that a charge proportionate to the cost should be made for each copy.

At a meeting of the City Planning Board on Monday, June 23, it was accordingly:

Voted, That with the approval of his Honor the Mayor, copies of the zoning law for the City of Boston, together with the accompanying maps, shall be sold by the City Planning Board on the basis of \$1 for each complete set; 50 cents for each separate copy of the law, and 10 cents for each separate map, the proceeds from such sale to be credited to general revenue, City Planning Board.

Respectfully yours,

FREDERIC H. FAY,
Chairman.

PUBLIC LIBRARY EXHIBITION OF CHURCH MUSIC.

An exhibition designed to show the evolution of church music is now on view at the Boston Public Library. Manuscripts, facsimiles and printed scores reveal the course of music notation through

the ages. From the earliest known Christian hymn with notation indicated by letters of the Greek alphabet, dating from the third century, recently discovered on a papyrus roll in Egypt; through the manuscripts of the middle ages, noted with neums which look like shorthand and which reminded the singers of the tunes they knew by heart; through the square-note music of the Renaissance, with beautiful illuminations, all stages of notation can be seen down to our own day.

Songs of the Crusaders and liturgical music of historical cathedrals and monasteries; psalms of the Roundheads, hymns of the French Huguenots and Puritans of New England are all to be seen here. The first book printed in America, the "Bay Psalms Book," is shown together with Wesley's collection of hymns, the first original hymns printed in America in English. Then come James Lyon's "Urania" and the works of Billings, whose quaint "By the Rovers of Watertown" gives an insight into musical activities of Revolutionary days. Samuel Adams sang in the choir with Billings and Paul Revere engraved the plates for his books.

Bostonians who know the Holden organ in the Old State House will be amused to see pictures of organs in foreign museums and churches. Indeed a walk through the exhibition is equivalent to the survey of many a European museum and one gets almost the same thrill that rewards the Egyptian excavator. Here is a picture of the Montpellier manuscript which gives the key to the notation of the neums in the same way that the Rosetta stone was the key to the Egyptian hieroglyphics.

The exhibition is of interest to the general public as well as to the student. The Victor Herbert exhibition which has attracted so much attention is still on view.

BOSTON'S INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION BEST EVER HELD BY CITY IN HISTORY.

FLAG RAISING, ORATORY AT COMMON, OLD STATE HOUSE AND OLD SOUTH MEETING HOUSE. PAGEANT, SPORTS, FIREWORKS HELPED TO ENTERTAIN THOUSANDS.

Boston's Fourth of July celebration this year was better and bigger than ever; for in addition to the celebration in the center of the city, fifteen committees in various sections and wards also had celebrations on the city playgrounds.

From early in the morning until late at night there was something going on, including oratory to fireworks, free ice cream and a pageant of nationalities.

The official opening of the city celebration was at 9.30 a. m. when Mayor Curley raised the national colors and the municipal flag on the staff on Boston Common.

Mayor Curley, with his guests and the committee in charge of the day's celebration, escorted by a detachment of marines and bluejackets and a band from the United States ship "Utah," and a color guard from the Boston Latin School cadets, started from City Hall at 9 a. m. and proceeded to the Common by way of School and Tremont streets.

The program at the Common included music by the band, an introduction by Edward L. Curran, chairman on this occasion, an address by Mayor Curley, the raising of the colors, the singing of "The Star-Spangled Banner," and the return march to the Old State House by way of Tremont street, Scollay square and Court street.

At the Old State House, at 10 o'clock, Joseph F. Donoghue, a student at the English High School, in colonial dress, read the Declaration of Independence from the same balcony from which it was read in 1776. The program included selections by the band, an introduction by Henry J. D. Small, a brief address by the Mayor, and the reading of the Declaration of Independence, followed by "America," sung by the audience.

At the Old South Meeting House the Independence Day oration was delivered by Rev. Dudley Hays Ferrell, A. M., Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, A. F. and A. M. Mayor Curley was presented as presiding officer by John J. Keenan, chairman of the general committee in charge of the day's celebration.

Rev. L. Toma, C. S. C. B., of the Church of the Sacred Heart, North square, delivered the invocation, the audience sang "America" and the Declaration of Independence was read for the second time by Joseph F. Donoghue of the English High School. After the oration the exercises ended with "The Star-Spangled Banner." This also ended the morning's celebration.

The general committee in charge of the entire celebration, beside the chairmen already mentioned, includes Frederic C. Bauer, Harry N. Guterman, Frank Leveroni, Joseph A. F. O'Neil, Charles P. Putnam, John J. Sawtelle, John A. Scanga and Louis Watson, with ex-officio members, John B. Archibald and E. B. Mero, president and secretary of the Citizens' Public Celebrations Association.

A pageant, "The Pied Piper," featured the afternoon celebration at Frog Pond on the Common at 3.45 to 5.15 p. m.

This was the third annual event of this character and was arranged by the Boston Social Union; it included as participants children from the various settlements of the city. The pageant was written by Miss Imogene Hogie Putnam and was directed by her. Wilfred F. Kelley was chairman in charge of this event on the day's program.

At 5.30 p. m. the colors ceremony took place again at the flagstaff as the flag was taken down for the day. A living flag was formed by 700 school children from the Mission Church School, organized for the occasion by Rev. John O'Leary, C. S. S. R., rector of the church and Sister Mary John, principal of the school.

Capt. Edward F. O'Dowd acted as director and the formation of the flag was immediately followed by the evening military ceremony, conducted by a battalion and a band from the United States Army, with a salute to the colors by a field artillery detachment. The ceremony was followed by a review of the troops present.

The evening celebration consisted of a community demonstration on the slopes of Monument Hill, from 8 to 10 p. m. It was the thirteenth event of this kind in the history of the city, and was more elaborate than that of last year. Special effects were arranged in the illumination of the fountain in the center of the pond, an electrical display and amplifying apparatus so that the words of the speakers were audible all over the Common.

Several groups took part in it, representing the cosmopolitan character of the present population of Boston, with group and solo dancing, mass singing, music by a band stationed on a special stage, and a finale appropriate to the day.

Mayor Curley made an address. Exalted Ruler James G. McFarland of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks was the special guest of honor and also spoke. Frank Chouteau Brown was chairman of the committee in charge of the spectacle. It closed with a display of fireworks on the athletic field at 10 p. m.

In addition to this official all-day celebration of July Fourth there were a number of private or municipally conducted events. At 10 a. m. there was an athletic carnival on Boston Common with handicap events, open to registered amateurs. Medals were awarded in each event. The meet was held under the sanction of the N. E. A. A. U., James H. Phelan, chairman.

At 9 a. m. on the Charles River Basin, there was a rowing regatta, under the auspices of the New England Rowing Association; at 11 a. m. yacht races off City Point under the auspices of the Yacht Racing Union of Massachusetts, and at 2.30 p. m. swimming races on the Charles River basin at the foot of Chestnut street, with events for both men and women, including New England A. A. U. championships.

The district celebrations in fifteen sections of the city under local committees were in charge of the following chairmen: East Boston, Michael A. Laurano; Forest Hills, Daniel A. Donahue; West

Roxbury, Richard J. Cronin; Metropolitan Hill, William J. McAuliffe; North End, Nicholas Cefalo; South Boston, Hector McInnes; Neponset, Matthew Cummings; Brighton-Allston, Francis A. McLaughlin; Jamaica Plain, Mrs. Katharine A. Sullivan; Roslindale, John W. Reth; Roxbury, Patrick J. Sullivan; South End, Patrick J. Melody; West End, John Farley; Dorchester, Michael J. Norton; Hyde Park, Frank L. Kelley.

Band concerts were rendered during the afternoon and evening in the following centers: Marine Park, South Boston, 2.30 p. m.; North End Park, 3 p. m.; Forest Hills, 3.30 p. m.; Wood Island Park, East Boston, 3 p. m.; in the evening, uniformly at 8 o'clock, at Orient Heights, East Boston; Everett square, Hyde Park; Wilson Park, Brighton; Smith Park, Brighton; Ronan Park, Dorchester; Franklin Field; Billings Field, West Roxbury; Blackstone square, South End; Mission Hill Playground; at Ruggles and Cabot streets, Roxbury; at Dunmore and Magazine streets, Roxbury; at Neponset Playground, at Metropolitan Hill, at Jamaica Pond, and at Fallon Field, Washington street, Roslindale.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Summer street, Ward 9, remove two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Baker street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, East Ninth street, Ward 11, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Millet street, Ward 19, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, F street, Ward 10, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Church street, Ward 18, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Milton avenue, Ward 21, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Coolidge road, Ward 26, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Lorette street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Ceylon street, Wards 17 and 18, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Tupelo street, Ward 16, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Appian way, Ward 26, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Blanchard street, Ward 15, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Rockledge street, Ward 13, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Eustis street, Ward 12, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Lorenzo street, Ward 20, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Hall street, Ward 22, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Tolman street, Ward 20, erect one pole, remove one.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for repairing Cottage Farm Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for wire fence at Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 10, at 12 m.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing 2,140 tons, more or less, of coal, as specified in accompanying advertisement in this issue. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, Quincy Hall, South Market street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 11, at 12 m. at the office of the Police Commissioner, Pemberton Square.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing and strengthening the Commercial Point Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 7, at 12 m.

Advertises for two electrically operated ferry bridges with galleys frames and accompanying machinery. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$50,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 10, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for recut granite block pavement in various downtown streets, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be ob-

tained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for Portland cement concrete pavement in Blenford road, from Melton road to Priscilla road; Nottingham road, from Melton road, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 14, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Mark street, from Day street about 203 feet easterly, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$900. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 7, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Florence avenue, between Allston street and Commonwealth avenue, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Colorado street, from Currier street 315 feet northeasterly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 9, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Locust street, between Washington avenue and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,400. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 15, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing heavy fuel oil to the various school buildings, to the amount of approximately 849,000 gallons. Surety bond will

be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 14, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the various schools approximately 45,000 gallons of light fuel oil. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be led at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 14, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing, delivering and setting up opera chairs in the halls and galleries of the various schoolhouses. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing a heating system in the Walnut Street School, near Neponset avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for making additions and alterations to the present heating system in the Dorchester High School, Talbot avenue and Washington street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for painting the interior of the Winchell School, corner Blossom and Parkman streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$250, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for doing roofing and metal work at the Girls' High School, West Newton street, South End,

Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing new sanitation in the boys' end of the basement of the Amos Webster School, Hilton street, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the furnishing and setting up of steel lockers in the Jamaica Plain High School, Elm street, Jamaica Plain. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for doing the metal and roofing work at the John Winthrop School, Brookford and Dacia streets, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for doing the metal and roofing work on the Mary Hemenway School, Adams street, corner of King street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing and completing the new boilers in the Robert Swan School, Thetford avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the hardware required for the alterations

to the Teachers College, comprising the Normal, Patrick A. Collins and the Girls' Latin School, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, the Fenway. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 18, at 12 m.

SUFFOLK COUNTY JAIL.

Advertises for proposals for installation of plumbing fixtures in the east wing of the Suffolk County Jail. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Sheriff, Charles street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 14, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing iron castings to the Water Service of the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing iron castings to the Water Service of the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 15, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, July 3:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been appointed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, June 26:

Permanent.—To Fill Vacancies.

Hannah Attridge, assistant cook, \$480 a year; Mary O'Reilly, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Mary Hand, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Margaret Gallagher, assistant cook, 2d, \$600 a year; Ellen Harper, laundress, \$420 a year; Julia Norton, maid, \$468 a year.

Temporary.—Mary Landry, maid, \$468 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Julia Norton, assistant cook, \$420 a year.

The following are the changes in salary:

Thomas Haheloran, male nurse (patient), from \$240 to \$480 a year; William Lyons, male nurse (patient), from \$240 to \$480 a year; John Morse, choreman (patient), from \$240 to \$480 a year; Arthur Ross, choreman, from maid at \$240 to choreman (patient), at \$360 a year.

The following is a list of changes made during the month of June that have not already been reported:

Mary E. Tully, supervisor of playgrounds, \$60 a month; A. Belle Morse, nurse, \$720 a year; Elizabeth Shillue, maid, \$468 a year; Veronica Sinigis, laundress, \$480 a year; Mary O'Malley, assistant cook, \$420 a year.

The following persons have been increased from \$420 to \$480 a year:

Katherine Shea, Helen Ayers, Martha Moore, Mary Conroy, Mable Matheson, Ella Harper, laundresses.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

James D. Carney, clerk in the Health Department at \$1,200 a year, has been transferred to clerk in the Collecting Department, at \$1,300 a year.

Albert Soosman has been appointed temporary clerk for a period of ten days at \$4 a day.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, July 3:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Fred Bucholz, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Herbert J. Ott, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Thomas Dempsey, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Henry Thompson, house cleaner, \$12 a week; John J. Hanly, house cleaner, \$12 a week; George Sumpter, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Robert Wood, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Theres J. Steele, chambermaid, \$9.50 a week; John Welch, center orderly, \$10 a week; Dr. A. W. Wright, second assistant in pathology, \$1,000 a year; William Whitford, male nurse, \$23.06 a week; Roy N. Casavant, male nurse, \$23.06 a week; Jessie Wilber, special nurse, \$35 a week; Fred H. Gardner, porter, \$17.50 a week; Joseph Carvaglia, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Sophia Bolser, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week.

Permanent.—Gertrude M. Forbish, affiliated nurse, \$16.75 a month; Dorothy I. Geele, affiliated nurse, \$16.67 a month; Elizabeth Green, affiliated nurse, \$16.67 a month; Mildred Lafin, affiliated nurse, \$16.67 a month; Helen Brady, head nurse, \$85 a month; Mary Mahan, affiliated nurse, \$10 a month; Etta Linehan, affiliated nurse, \$8 a month; Mertie I. Gassman, head nurse, \$90 a month; Evelyn W. Patterson, affiliated nurse, \$12 a month; Eleanor Kenney, affiliated nurse, \$6 a month; Martha Hakkinen, affiliated nurse, \$6 a month; Mary A. MacDonald, nurse, no pay; Margaret A. Sullivan, nurse, no pay; Mary Healey, nurse, no pay; Anne Gillis, nurse, no pay.

Temporary.—James Fitzgibbons, assistant supervisor, \$23.06 a week; Levin Waltz, assistant supervisor, \$23.06 a week; Nellie V. Cutler, head nurse, \$20.71 a week; Edward A. Swendeman, kitchenman, \$15 a week; Elizabeth Humphries, wardmaid, \$11.50 a week; Jennie Kelly, wardmaid, \$11.50 a week; Helen Harrison, reconstruction aid, \$28 a week; Mary A. Corwell, technician, \$16 a week;

John McDonald, house cleaner, \$12 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Dr. Shields Warren, first assistant in pathology to research assistant in pathology, at \$2,000 a year; Dr. Herman Blumgart, assistant resident physician at \$500 a year to assistant in Thorndike, at \$2,500 a year; Mary Magee, technician, at \$22 a week to technician at \$25 a week to fill vacancy; Florence MacPhee, nurse, at \$12.50 to \$16.07 a month; Margaret J. Collins, nurse, at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Nora Grady, nurse, \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Anna S. Holland, nurse, at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Margaret Madden, nurse, \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Persis Greene, nurse, \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Priscilla G. Doe, nurse, \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Evelyn Gillispie, nurse, \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Mary MacDonald, 1st, nurse, \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Margaret Brown, nurse, no pay to \$10 a month; Mary J. O'Brien, nurse no pay to \$10 a month.

South Department.

Adolph Brozda, night lodge attendant, at \$6.25 to temporary laundryman at \$18 a week; Kathleen Smith, nurse, at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Madeline Lawrence, nurse, at \$10 a month to \$12 a month.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

George F. H. Murray, agent in the Child Welfare Division, ill since May 15, has been granted leave of absence, with pay, until July 15.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, June 19:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Amelia Martin, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Annie F. Boyle.

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

William P. Linsky, deckhand, transferred from deckhand Steamer "Hibbard," \$27 a week, to succeed John Coleman.

Richard Plunkett, deckhand, \$27 a week, temporary.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Fred Harrison, deckhand, \$1,000 a year, temporary.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, June 26:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Richard DeBest, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Lewis Wilkinson.

Helen N. Carruth, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Margaret M. Hickey.

Sadie J. Scott, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Margaret Downey.

Anne Fay, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Jessie B. Sutherland.

John Burton, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed John O'Connell.

Edward Eaton, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Pierce Nagle.

Julia Kelley, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Mary J. Walsh.

Lewis Wilkinson, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed John Collins.

Mary E. Faunce, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Margaret Malloy.

Michael O'Connor, fireman, transferred from fireman, temporary, steamer "Hibbard," \$30 a week and board, temporary.

Betsey Page, attendant, \$600 a year.

Ida R. Oke, M. D., assistant resident physician, transferred from interne, \$1,100 a year, to succeed Maurice J. O'Connell.

House of Correction.

William Johnson, officer, \$1,200, a new position made permanent, from \$1,300 to \$1,200 a year.

James A. Goggin, officer, \$1,200 a year, temporary.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

William P. Rooney has been granted a temporary transfer for a period of about three months from the Printing Department, at \$10 a week, to the Park Department, Bath Division, as a life guard and helper at \$4.50 a day.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved an extension of employment for three months from June 28, of the following temporary men: William P. Sheehy, rodman, \$1,000 a year; Michael J. Griffin, draughtsman, \$1,400 a year; Edward F. O'Donnell, transitman, \$1,400 a year.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Edwin A. Wall has been designated to act as Acting City Treasurer during the four weeks commencing July 3 in the absence of the City Treasurer.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DEPARTMENT.

Robert E. Sexton has been appointed expert coal inspector at \$1,800 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Collecting Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 26:

For services rendered preparing, sorting and listing city deeds: John J. Connors, 15 hours, \$15.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 3:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 54 hours, \$4.38; Charles Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; J. Murphy, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$7.56.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

R. Keith, laundryman, ¾ hour, \$0.45. Total, \$43.58.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 19:

Aquarium Building.

Patrick J. Gorman, chief engineer, 1 day, \$6.67.

John Finn, Patrick J. McDermott, Thomas J. Lynch, engineers, 1 day, \$6.33 each.

Thomas F. Lomasney, fireman, 1 day, \$6.

Henry J. Alexander, laborer and plumber's helper, 1 day, \$5. Total, \$36.66.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, June 26:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Henry T. Brennan, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, custodian cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

For the week ending Thursday, July 3:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Henry T. Brennan, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Fairview Cemetery.

Dennis Sullivan, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph T. Harrington, Peter F. Kean, Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Henry L. Dolan, custodian and cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, June 26:

Stephen R. Merrick, errand boy, 12 hours, \$4.08; Catherine T. Crowley, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52; Elizabeth F. Grant, proofreader, 4 hours, \$5.52; Julia T. Donohue, copyholder, 4 hours, \$3.56; Mary F. Hurley, operator, 4 hours, \$5.52; Patrick Kelly, monotype caster operator, 5 hours, \$4.10; Daniel F. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 4 hours, \$2.44; James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 5 hours, \$4.75. Total, \$35.49.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 30: Captain.—Edward R. Gray, ¾ day, \$2.88.

Quartermaster.—Charles Stafford, ¾ day, \$2.25.

Deckhands.—Thomas Doyle, John J. Cooper, Thomas Barry, ¾ day, \$1.78 each.

Engineer.—George F. Keating, ¾ day, \$2.81.

Firemen.—Simon Collins, Charles Desmond, ¾ day, \$2.25 each; Edward P. Donahue, 1 day, \$6; James C. Fitzpatrick, Timothy F. Tierney, 1½ days, \$9 each.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, ¾ day, \$4.13.

Gatekeepers.—Thomas A. O'Hare, 1½ days, \$7.88; Christopher T. Leonard, 1 day, \$5.25; John R. Dugan, ¾ day, \$1.97.

Tollman.—Fred C. Horner, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Total, \$69.26.

Net cost for the week ending June 30, \$38.05.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 30:

Laborers.—Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4.50; Patrick Carroll, 2½ days, \$10.15; Bernard Rogan, William Sruhan, Daniel O'Keefe, William Cluff, Edward Walsh, Owen Winn, 2½ days, \$9.28 each; William McGee, James Henneberry, George King, Abraham Minsky, John McCarthy, Nicholas Walsh, Michael McDonald, John Wilkinson, Edward Barnes, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; William Carolan, 1½ days, \$7.59; Thomas King, 1½ days, \$5.06; Barnet Bajeches, Anthony Deamore, Michael Fitzgerald, John Galvin, Louis Johnson, William McLaughlin, Matthew Russell, ¾ day, \$2.95 each; Patrick Doherty, Sebastian Selvitella, 2½ days, \$9.70 each.

Engineers.—John McGee, 2½ days, \$14.44; John Mahoney, 1½ days, \$9.28.

Pavers.—Arcangelo Faiella, 1½ days, \$8.25; Timothy O'Sullivan, 1½ days, \$7.50; John Mahoney, ½ day, \$2.75.

Yardman.—Daniel Crowley, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 30:
Laborers-Teamsters.—W. J. McCarthy, M. S. Ryan, J. J. Galvin, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—A. P. Charbonnier, J. F. Nagle, J. F. Sweeney, ½ day, \$2.25 each.

Carpenters.—M. J. Callahan, W. C. Hughes, M. J. Sullivan, 2 days, \$11 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—A. R. Gaffey, J. J. Barrett, T. J. Maher, F. S. O'Brien, 2 days, \$9 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, J. Sullivan, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.
Total, \$112.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, July 1:
Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Collins, 2½ days, \$12.50; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, James Clancy, Thomas Flaherty, 2½ days, \$11.25 each; Michael Foley, 1½ days, \$7.50; Peter Keenan, 2½ days, \$10.69.

Laborers.—Cornelius Sullivan, James McNabb, Stephen Connolly, 2½ days, \$10.13 each; John Gilligan, Marimus Walraven, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; John O'Neil, Cornelius Goggin, Thomas Kirby, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Daniel McKenna, ¾ day, \$3.38.

Filth Hoist.—James Fitzgerald, Patrick Keating, 2 days, \$12 each.
Total, \$164.96.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 30:
Teamsters.—J. Dahill, P. McDonough, P. L. Moynihan, G. McColgan, J. F. Brady, J. W. Collins, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, J. T. O'Leary, J. J. Golden, J. J. Jones, P. Meyers, M. Lally, E. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, C. J. Sullivan, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, P. Collieran, F. D'Ambrosio, J. Driscoll, J. Hines, M. Hughes, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, L. V. Kilduff, J. M. Kramer, M. Lahey, J. D. Lyons, W. McGlynn, J. J. McGarry, W. T. Maloney, J. H. Smith, M. J. O'Connell, 1 day, \$4.50 each; C. J. Crowley, 1½ days, \$6.75; D. P. Stacks, S. J. Coughlin, ½ day, \$2.25 each; J. J. Connors, M. Giovenella, J. J. Marshall, F. Murphy, ¾ day, \$2.06 each.
Total, \$172.49.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, June 30:
Chauffeurs.—F. Bonang, J. Conlon, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Broderick, 2 days, \$10; R. Fitzgerald, ¾ day, \$3.75; J. Phipps, 2½ days, \$13.59; J. Supple, 2 days, \$10.

Emergencymen.—D. Curley, A. Christie, 1 day, \$5.50 each; W. Lonergan, 1 day, \$4.50; M. Carney, 1 day, \$4.75; T. Kinahan, W. Rice, 2 days, \$9.50 each; P. Clougherty, 1 day, \$4.50; T. Flanagan, 2 days, \$9.

Repairers.—T. Barry, ¾ day, \$1.97; E. Rafferty, 2½ days, \$11.25; B. Donohue,

¾ day, \$1.88; A. LoPilato, 2 days, \$9.50; H. Campbell, 2½ days, \$12.38; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. O'Day, 1½ days, \$5.56; M. Daley, 2½ days, \$11.81; E. Sullivan, 2½ days, \$11.25; J. Dolan, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Leonard, 2½ days, \$10.78; M. White, ¾ day, \$1.09; S. Mariani, 2 ¾ days, \$10.78; C. Driscoll, 1½ days, \$7.73; E. Hasenius, 1½ days, \$6.19; P. Casey, 2½ days, \$14.44; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$7.50; T. Byrnes, 1½ days, \$7.88; T. Rose, ¾ day, \$1.88; B. McManus, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. O'Brien, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Blessington, 1½ days, \$7.50; D. Shea, ¾ day, \$1.69; A. Jenness, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. McKenney, ¾ day, \$2.06; W. Shields, ¾ day, \$1.41; P. Coleman, 1½ days, \$7.13; G. Condon, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Cummings, ¾ day, \$3.09; M. Matthews, ¾ days, \$2.95; J. McLaughlin, ¾ day, \$1.27; J. McLean, ¾ day, \$1.88; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50; B. Doherty, 1 day, \$4.50; M. Barron, 1½ days, \$6.75; M. Connolly, 2 days, \$9; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; J. Durand, 2 ¾ days, \$9.70; C. Joyce, 1½ days, \$6.75; C. King, 2 days, \$9; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75; S. LoPilato, 2 days, 9; P. Mulkern, 1½ days, \$5.06; P. Loftus, 1½ days, \$5.06; T. McGuinness, 1 day, \$4.50; E. Pyne, 2 days, \$9; J. Curtin, ½ day, \$2.25; J. O'Toole, J. Roust, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; A. Rolfe, ¾ day, \$1.69; W. Corbett, ¾ day, \$1.78; F. Joyce, ¾ day, \$1.69; D. Crowley, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Feeley, ¾ day, \$2.67.
Total, \$413.17; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$407.67.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Fred W. Esterhill for leasing the refreshment privilege and rental of boats concession at the public landing, City Point, South Boston, for a term of three years. Bids, opened June 19, were as follows:

Fred W. Esterhill, \$2,203 a year; James T. Mooney, \$1,506 a year.

Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for grading and loaming at Dorchester Park, Dorchester.

Bids for the work, opened June 19, were as follows:

A. G. Tomasello & Sons, \$11,930; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$10,121.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with B. E. Grant Company for wood block pavement in State street, from Devonshire street to Merchants row. Bids for the work, opened June 23, were as follows:

B. E. Grant Company, \$13,170.50; John McCourt Company, \$14,611; S. J. Tomasello, \$14,995.50; M. F. Gaddis, \$14,790.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with John Williams Company for sewerage works in Canterbury street, between existing sewer near Angell street

and point 250 feet, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened June 23, were as follows:

J. Williams & Co., \$1,665; C. Iacuzza, \$1,709; A. D. Daddario, \$1,840; R. Buonopane Company, \$1,904; C. Russo, \$1,974; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$1,979; S. J. Tomasello, \$1,987.50; A. Grande, \$2,078; P. A. Collieran, \$2,169; George J. Regan, \$2,193; J. Guarino & Co., \$2,205.60; Vozzella & Capone, \$2,212.80.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the H. C. Hansen Type Foundry for furnishing and installing printing equipment in the Prince School. Bids for the supply, opened June 20, were as follows:

H. C. Hansen Type Foundry, \$1,732.13; American Type Founders Company, \$1,809.67; Samuel Stephens & Wicksam Quoin Company, \$1,812.12.

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the Lynd-Farquhar Company for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the Grant School. Bids, opened June 20, were as follows:

Hill, Clarke & Co., \$1,278*; Lynd-Farquhar Company, \$4,119.06; Joseph Beal & Co., \$4,323.20.

*Did not bid on all items.

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the Acme Heating and Ventilating Company for furnishing and installing heating system in the Hobart Street School. Bids, opened June 24, were as follows:

Acme Heating and Ventilating Company, \$1,469; General Construction and Repair Company, \$1,585; J. P. Dwyer Company, \$1,595; J. J. Hurley & Co., \$1,632; Capital Plumbing and Heating Company, \$1,823; Henry N. Clark Company, \$2,120.60.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with the General Sales and Trading Company for furnishing electric lamps to the various city departments. Bids for the supply, opened June 13, were as follows:

Tungsten Lamps, Discount from List.—F. S. Hardy & Co., 32 per cent; R. V. Pettingell Electrical Supply Company, 37 per cent; Pettingell Andrews Company, 29 per cent; Wetmore Savage Company, 29 per cent; General Sales and Trading Company, 27 per cent broken packages; 37 per cent standard packages.

Nitrogen Lamps, Discount from List.—F. S. Hardy & Co., 32 per cent; R. V. Pettingell Electrical Supply Company, 37 per cent; Pettingell Andrews Company, 29 per cent; Wetmore Savage Company, 29 per cent; General Sales and Trading Company, 27 per cent broken packages; 37 per cent standard packages.

Carbon Lamps, Discount from List.—F. S. Hardy & Co., 36 per cent; R. V. Pettingell Electrical Supply Company, 37 per cent; Pettingell Andrews Company, 25 per cent; General Sales and Trading Company, 40 per cent.

Discount Ten Days.—F. S. Hardy & Co., 2 per cent; R. V. Pettingell Electrical Supply Company, 2 per cent; Pettingell Andrews Company, 2 per cent; Wetmore Savage Company, 2 per cent, standard package; General Sales and Trading Company, 2 per cent.

The School Committee has awarded contracts for furnishing lumber for the public schools to Palmer & Parker Company and to the Blacker & Shepard Company. Bids, opened February 8, were as follows:

	Thickness.	Widths Not Less Than.	PALMER & PARKER COMPANY.			BLACKER & SHEPARD COMPANY.		
			Price per M Board Feet.	Total Price for Each Item.	Total Each Group.	Price per M Board Feet.	Total Price for Each Item.	Total Each Group.
GROUP 1.								
500 Board Feet Ash, P2S.....	1 1/2"	7"	\$137 50	\$68 75		\$157 00	\$78 50	
600 " " " ".....	1 1/2"	7"	167 50	100 50		177 00	106 20	
600 " " " " Rough.....	1 1/2"	7"	160 00	96 00		172 00	103 20	
300 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	8"	167 50	50 25		197 00	59 10	
500 " " " " ".....	2"	8"	170 00	85 00	* \$400 50	202 00	101 00	\$448 00
GROUP 2.								
150 Board Feet, Bass, P2S.....	1 1/2"	6"	75 00	\$11 25		127 00	\$19 05	
250 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	6"	105 00	26 25		127 00	31 75	
200 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	6"	125 00	25 00		127 00	25 40	
300 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	6"	135 00	40 50	* 103 00	150 00	45 00	121 20
GROUP 3.								
100 Board Feet Birch, P2S.....	1 1/2"	6"	140 00	\$14 00		174 00	\$17 40	
100 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	8"	177 50	17 75	* 31 75	220 00	22 00	39 40
GROUP 4.								
600 Board Feet Butternut, P2S.....	1 1/2"	6"	145 00	\$87 00		250 00	\$150 00	
1,300 " " " " Rough.....	1 1/2"	6"	170 00	221 00		245 00	318 50	
400 " " " " P2S.....	1 1/2"	8"	185 00	74 00	* 382 00	265 00	106 00	574 50
GROUP 5.†								
600 Board Feet Chestnut, P2S.....	1 1/2"	8"	130 00	\$78 00		162 00	\$97 20	
4,000 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	8"	150 00	600 00		162 00	648 00	
1,500 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	8"	160 00	240 00		192 00	288 00	
5,500 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	10"	185 00	1,017 00		192 00	1,056 00	
200 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	8"	195 00	39 00		205 00	41 00	
3,500 Running Feet Chestnut, P2S.....	1 1/2" x 2"		3 90 00	315 00		3 80 00	280 00	
275 " " " " ".....	1 1/2" x 1 1/2"		3 85 00	23 38	* 2,312 88	3 100 00	27 50	2,437 70
GROUP 6.								
400 Board Feet Cottonwood, P2S.....	1 1/2"	8"	105 00	\$42 00	* 42 00	150 00	\$60 00	60 00
GROUP 7.								
200 Board Feet Cypress, P2S.....	1 1/2"	9"	195 00	39 00	39 00	135 00	27 00	* 27 00
GROUP 8.†								
4,000 Board Feet Gum, Red, Figured, P2S.....	1 1/2"	7"	140 00	560 00		175 00	700 00	
1,300 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	7"	90 00	117 00		175 00	227 50	
500 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	7"	130 00	65 00		175 00	87 50	
1,500 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	6"	142 50	213 75		170 00	255 00	
4,200 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	7"	167 50	703 50		190 00	798 00	
150 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	6"	172 50	25 88		175 00	26 25	
200 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	6"	177 50	35 50		215 00	43 00	
150 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	7"	172 50	25 88		210 00	31 50	
1,000 Running " ".....	1 1/2" x 2"		3 90 00	90 00	1,836 51	3 80 00	80 00	2,248 75
GROUP 9.								
150 Board Feet Hickory, P2S.....	1 1/2"	6"	200 00	\$30 00	* 30 00	200 00	\$30 00	30 00
GROUP 10.†								
500 Board Feet Mahogany, African, Plain, P2S.....	1 1/2"	7"	182 50	91 25		240 00	170 00	
1,300 " " " " Rough.....	1 1/2"	6"	180 00	234 00		235 00	305 50	
2,000 " " " " Plain, P2S.....	1 1/2"	8"	230 00	460 00		290 00	580 00	
150 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	8"	220 00	33 00		285 00	42 75	
550 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	7"	225 00	123 75		285 00	156 75	
550 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	7"	222 50	122 38		295 00	162 25	
1,500 " " " " ".....	Random.		170 00	255 00		225 00	337 50	
1,000 Running Feet Mahogany, African, Plain, P2S.....	1 1/2" x 2"		3 110 00	110 00	1,429 38	3 100 00	100 00	1,854 75
GROUP 11.†								
750 Board Feet Maple, P2S.....	1 1/2"	4"	40 00	\$30 00		150 00	\$112 50	
400 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	9"	85 00	34 00		200 00	80 00	
2,000 " " " " or Birch, P2S.....	1 1/2"	Not over 12"	117 50	235 00		182 00	364 00	
600 " " " " P2S.....	1 1/2"	6"	137 50	82 50		169 00	101 40	
300 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	6"	180 00	54 00		175 00	52 50	
1,100 Running Feet Maple, 2 1/4" x 2 1/4".....			3 115 00	126 50	562 00	3 100 00	110 00	820 40
GROUP 12.†								
1,500 Board Feet Oak, White, Plain, Soft Grade, P2S.....	1 1/2"	8"	127 50	\$191 25		172 00	\$258 00	
250 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	9" to 12"	97 50	24 38		200 00	50 00	
2,000 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	8"	157 50	315 00		189 00	378 00	
600 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	8"	167 50	100 50		212 00	127 20	
200 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	9"	177 50	35 50		227 00	45 40	
650 Running " ".....	1 1/2" x 2"		3 100 00	65 00	731 63	3 100 00	65 00	923 60
GROUP 13.†								
4,500 Board Feet Pine, Country, 1st Grade, P2S.....	1 1/2"	8"	100 00	\$450 00		75 00	\$337 50	
1,750 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	8"	125 00	218 75		75 00	131 25	
5,000 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	10"	150 00	750 00		75 00	375 00	
5,500 " " " " Pattern Clear, P2S.....	1 1/2"	8"	155 00	852 50		132 00	836 00	
5,000 " " " " White, Pattern Clear, P2S.....	1 1/2"	7"	190 00	950 00		2 75 00	2 375 00	
8,000 " " " " ".....	1 1/2"	8"	200 00	1,600 00	4,821 25	2 75 00	2 600 00	† 2,654 75
GROUP 14.								
400 Board Feet Spruce, Rough.....	1"	5" to 7"	57 50	\$23 00	* 23 00	80 00	\$32 00	32 00

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Lump sum bid, Downes Lumber Company, \$17,186 50.

* Contract awarded.

† All bids rejected. Contract awarded to Palmer & Parker Company.

‡ All bids rejected. Contract awarded to Blacker & Shepard at \$3,655.75.

¹ Bid on Whitewood under Group 15. Bid defective in that Section 3 of proposal is not filled in either on auditor's copy or Business Agent's copy.

² Supplementary letter from Blacker & Shepard correcting this to \$3,655.75.

³ Price per thousand lineal feet.

⁴ Not clearly set forth that this is lineal feet.

^b If figured at unit prices submitted in schedule this would be \$18,382.55

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with Huey Brothers Company, Inc., for making certain changes to the heating system in the Sherwin School. Bids, opened June 24, were as follows:

Huey Brothers Company, Inc., \$5,942;

T. J. Duff & Co., \$6,297; Acme Heating and Ventilating Company, \$6,389; J. F. Dwyer Company, \$6,430; J. J. Hurley & Co., \$6,518; General Construction and Repair Company, \$6,567; E. T. Keefe Company, \$6,826; Capital Plumbing and Heating Company, \$7,094.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the lowest bidders as specified for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during July, 1924. Bids, opened June 27, were as follows:

	No. 2 Hay.	No. 3 Hay.	Straw.	No. 2 Oats.	Shorts.	Corn.
SOUTH BOSTON.						
The Whittemore Company.....			\$26 00	\$0 73		* \$1 40
John J. White Company.....			* 24 50	68½	\$35 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* \$33 45		25 00	* 65½	* 31 50	
EAST BOSTON.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* 33 45		* 25 00	* 65½	* 31 50	
CHARLESTOWN.						
The Whittemore Company.....				73½		
John J. White Company.....			24 75	68½	36 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....			* 24 50		36 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* 33 45		25 00	* 65½	* 31 50	
CITY PROPER.						
The Whittemore Company.....				72½	35 00	
John J. White Company.....			24 00	68	34 50	
Lord & Webster Company.....			* 23 95		35 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* 33 45		25 00	* 65½	* 31 50	
ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	\$35 00	27 00	73	35 00	
John J. White Company.....			* 25 00	* 69	36 00	
Landy Brothers.....	* 35 00	34 50	26 00	72	* 34 00	* 1 35
DORCHESTER.						
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	35 00	26 50	73	35 00	* 1 35
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* 34 65		* 26 00	* 67	* 32 00	
WEST ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	35 25	34 75	26 50	73	35 00	* 1 35
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* 34 65		* 26 00	* 67	* 32 00	
BRIGHTON.						
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	35 00	27 00	73	35 00	1 35
Ogden & Thompson.....	* 33 75		* 24 25	69½	34 00	* 1 20
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	34 65		26 00	* 67	* 32 00	
HYDE PARK.						
The Whittemore Company.....	35 50	35 00	27 00	73	35 00	* 1 40
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	* 34 65		* 26 00	* 67	* 32 00	

* Lowest bidder.

CLAIMS DISAPPROVED.

The Law Department has disapproved fifty-nine claims against the city; aggregating in all \$9,525.49, and they are classified as follows:

Against the Building Department, one, amounting to \$250; against the Fire Department, five, amounting to \$472.80; against the Hospital Department, one, amounting to \$500; against the Park and Recreation Department, two, amounting to \$275; against the Police Department, one, amounting to \$24; against the Public Works Department, forty-eight, amounting to \$7,503.69; against the Schoolhouse Department, one, amounting to \$500.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company,
Beech street, Ward 23, erect one pole,
remove one.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company,
Parsons street, Ward 26, erect one pole,
remove one.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company,
East Ninth street, Ward 11, erect one
pole, remove one.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Plainfield street, Ward 22, erect two poles.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

John Guarino has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Old Colony parkway. Items ordered: Move cracked stone out of line of pipe laying at Howe street and Bertram street and replace and level same to grade. Plug 6-inch pipe at Tolman street. Estimated cost of extra work, \$100.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending June 28:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Barry Building Wrecking Com-pany.	281 and 283 Ruggles street...	7	Store.....	Unsafe.
Mystic Building Wrecking Com-pany.	59 Conant street.....	14	Casometer.....	Unused.
New England Contracting Com-pany.	100 Beacon street.....	8	School.....	New building.
Julius Darish.....	663 Main street.....	3	Dwelling.....	New building.
American Building Wrecking Company.	Rear of 9 Stanley street....	17	Stable.....	Unsafe.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 26 TO JULY 2.

JUNE 26.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. W. Stephens.....	101 and 103 Kilsyth road....	26	Second-class garage.....	\$1,000
J. W. Stephens.....	105 and 107 Kilsyth road....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,000
J. A. Lowell Blake.....	Rear of 37 Beacon street....	8	Fence and steps, special....	1,400
The Oliver Building Trust....	141 Milk street.....	5	Install elevators.....	56,000
T. N. Metcalf.....	12 Louisburg square.....	8	Install dumb waiter.....	200
S. P. B. Robbins.....	95 Mt Vernon street.....	8	Install elevator.....	3,000
L. Rosoff.....	11 and 131 Bromfield street..	5	Install dumb waiter.....	90
Adam Bletzer.....	29 Conway street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	125
Avon Street Trust Company.....	19-51 Avon street.....	5	Alterations, store.....	3,000
Timothy Noonan et al.....	38 Portland street.....	5	Alterations, shop.....	900
William Kline.....	1916 Beacon street.....	25	Alterations, apartn. cnts....	800
Kate R. Evans.....	5 and 7 Codman park.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	50
P. J. Cunningham.....	81 and 83 West Cottage st.,	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Selma Gilman.....	34 Causeway street.....	5	Alterations, restaurant and light manufacturing.....	7,000
Brazer Building Trust.....	25-29 State street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	850
Maria Donahue.....	251 Hancock street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	15
Stark Supply Company.....	1889-99 Washington street..	13	Alterations, stores.....	4,000
Edward White.....	37 Seneca street.....	6	Take-down.....	75

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Beacon Grocery Company....	20 Phipps street.....	3	First-class garage.....	\$2,000
Beacon Grocery Company....	20 Phipps street.....	3	First-class garage.....	3,000
Rosen & Rudnick.....	370 Chestnut Hill avenue....	25	Second-class tenement.....	100,000
Rosen & Rudnick.....	374 Chestnut Hill Avenue....	25	Second-class tenement.....	100,000
Rosen & Rudnick.....	2 Sutherland road.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	100,000
John J. Swift.....	569 Dorchester avenue.....	11	Second-class store.....	3,000
The Salvation Army.....	16 Harvard avenue.....	24	Second-class auditorium.....	17,000
Alice Wirth.....	Rear of 91 Bragdon street....	15	Special garage.....	410
Alice Wirth.....	Rear of 91 Bragdon street....	15	Special garage.....	410
Thomas F. Murphy.....	83 Hampden street.....	12	Special garage.....	540
William London.....	1782 Commonwealth avenue....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	25,000
William London.....	1788 Commonwealth avenue....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	25,000
John Grimaldas.....	92 Radcliff road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
Mrs. Alice McNamee.....	97 Fletcher street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Francis M. Schneider.....	1 Bills court.....	7	Alterations, dwelling.....	100
Allen G. Mower.....	9 Harvard park.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	325
Frank A. Burke.....	75 Franklin street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	185
American Building Wrecking Company.	57 East Concord street.....	6	Take-down dwelling.....	150
American Building Wrecking Company.	59 East Concord street.....	6	Take-down dwelling.....	150
American Building Wrecking Company.	61 East Concord street.....	6	Take-down dwelling.....	200
Barry Building Wrecking Co.	281-283 Ruggles street.....	7	Take-down store.....	175
Julius Darish.....	663 Main street.....	3	Take-down dwelling.....	50
American Building Wrecking Company.	9 Stanley street.....	17	Take-down stable.....	75
Washington-Essex Real Estate Trust.	588-622 Washington street..	5	Alterations, stores and offices	20,000
C. Axel Hessing.....	36 Burnett street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	125
A. Ockelmer.....	174 Highland street.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	6,000
City of Boston.....	84 Joy street.....	8	Alterations, patrol house....	2,000
One Hundred Associates.....	594 East Fourth street.....	10	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
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Rebecca Eifman.....	32 Crawford street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Katherine W. Pearlman.....	Rear 121 Lymer street.....	14	First-class garage.....	1,500
Merchants Terminal Com-pany.	465 Medford street.....	3	First-class garage.....	22,000
Eli Heffron.....	12 Sullivan street.....	3	First-class garage.....	2,000
H. Tasker.....	34 Waumbek street.....	16	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
Maurice Cashman.....	17A Bennington street.....	1	Second-class store.....	2,000
Leon Manfredi.....	55 Sanford street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Leon Manfredi.....	51 Sanford street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
John P. Barzil.....	40 Bexley road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	4,500
John T. Hosford.....	548 LaGrange street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	11,150
John T. Hosford.....	619 LaGrange street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,500
John L. Henderson.....	Rear 311 Codman street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	500
N. Dawysshiba.....	125 Randolph road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
John T. Hosford.....	611 LaGrange street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,800
John Zani.....	207 Gladstone street.....	1	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Pauline Charak.....	140-148 Dudley street....	13	Alterations, stores and offices	500
George A. Carpenter.....	443 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, stores.....	4,000
Rocco DiSimone.....	1183 Columbus avenue.....	15	Alterations, store and tenement.....	75
Frederick G. Freiburger....	372 Metropolitan avenue....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,800
Eli H. Tarlin.....	27 Lowell street.....	5	Alterations, store and tenement.....	1,500
Harry and Julius Arcdon....	44 and 46 Portland street..	5	Alterations, light manufactur-ing.....	700
Boston Square and Compass Club.	448 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, club.....	860

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 558.

The resignation of Patrolman James J. Stacey of Division 20 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Friday, June 27, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 559.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Goff and Gallivan, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Michael J. Farron of Division 5, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Michael J. Farron perform one hundred and five hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 560.

The commanding officers of Divisions 11 and 13 have brought to my attention the following excellent pieces of police work performed by officers in their several divisions:

I. At about eight o'clock in the evening of March 27, 1924, Patrolman Patrick J. Crowley of Division 11, learning that there was a fire in the three-family dwelling at 45 Corona street, at once repaired to the building, arriving there before the fire apparatus had appeared. Having been told that every one was out of the house, he went into the first suite and opened the windows and as he was coming out, met a woman who told him that her baby was still in the suite on the first floor.

Although the smoke had become very dense, Patrolman Crowley at once returned to the suite and groping his way into the bedroom, found the child lying face down in its crib. The officer, with great presence of mind, tore down a window curtain, and wrapping it around the child, brought it out in safety to its grateful mother. Had it not been for the officer's prompt action, the child would undoubtedly have been suffocated.

It has given me great pleasure to learn of this brave act on the part of Patrolman Crowley, and I heartily commend him not only for his courage but for his quickness of thought and action which enabled him to save the life of this little child.

II. On January 2, 1924, at about half past two in the afternoon, as Patrolman Patrick L. Harrington of Division 13 was pulling his box at the corner of Washington and Williams streets, his attention was attracted by two men on the opposite side of the street, one of whom was carrying a woman's suitcase. As the officer crossed the street to question them, the men entered a barber shop with a pool room in the rear. Patrolman Harrington followed them, and as their replies to his inquiries concerning their business were unsatisfactory, placed them under arrest as suspicious persons and brought them to the patrol box, where Patrolman Lawrence L. Riley of Division

13, who was passing in a street car, observed them and came to the officer's assistance.

As they were waiting for the patrol wagon, a third man came down Williams street, and the officers, noticing signs of recognition pass between him and the prisoners, also placed him under arrest, taking from him a loaded revolver. On the arrival of the wagon, the prisoners were placed inside and the officers searched the barber shop, where they found a loaded revolver placed there by one of the men. Upon examination of the prisoners at the station house, it was found that they had broken into and entered premises in Williams, South and Castleton streets and had stolen property to the value of over twelve hundred dollars, all of which property was recovered at the time by the officers.

After trial in the Superior Court, these men were given one year, each, in a penal institution.

III. About three o'clock in the morning of May 24, 1924, Patrolman William G. Dunn of Division 13 saw an automobile with dim headlights coming east towards Forest Hills on the parkway and noticed that its registration numbers were the same as some which had earlier been given out as belonging to a Maxwell touring car, stolen in Cambridge at two o'clock a. m., and which at 2.50 a. m. had been used in connection with a break on Division 11.

The officer drew his revolver and ordered the operator to stop, and as the latter showed no sign of complying, swung himself on to the side of the machine, stopped the car, placed the two passengers, who answered to the description of the two men wanted, under arrest, and with the assistance of Patrolman George J. Gibbs of the same division, who had been chasing the car, brought them to the station house. Patrolman Samuel F. Bowman of Division 17, who was also at the box, noticed the two men drop something, which he picked up and found to be several rolls of pennies, fifty to each roll. These men were held in the sum of \$5,000 each for the Grand Jury.

It is highly gratifying to learn of such admirable police work on the part of these officers, and I warmly commend Patrolmen Harrington, Riley and Dunn for their intelligent alertness, quickness of observation and courage in apprehending these criminals.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BOOK SERVICE IN THE COURTYARD OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Books and periodicals are available on pleasant days in the courtyard of the Public Library for those who wish to use them during the hours of twelve to two. The director, with the approval of the trustees, has begun the service in the hope that it will meet favor with a large number of persons who drop into the courtyard during the lunch hours. Volumes of short stories, fiction, plays, essays, poetry, travel, memoirs and periodicals will be found ready for distribution in the court. Chairs and benches have been provided for the comfort and pleasure of library patrons.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 26 TO JULY 2.

JUNE 30.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
	Rear of 18 Sewall street....	20	Second-class garage.....	\$1,500
		25	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
York Apartment Corpora-	19 York street.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
	Rear of 12 and 14 Downing street.	13	Special garage.....	200
	Rear of 166 Western avenue (1).	26	Special garage.....	410
	Rear of 166 Western ave-	26	Special garage.....	410
C. H. Sprague & Son.....	651 East First street.....	9	Third-class coal storage.....	10,000
Freeport Marble & Tile Com-	261 Adams street.....	20	Alterations, marble storage...	900
W. B. H. Dowse.....	412 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	4,500
Roy J. Perry.....	166 Falcon street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Bertha Swift.....	75 Roberts street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
E. H. Roundtree.....	36 Greenwich park.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	200
I. N. Learned.....	123 and 125 West Newton street.	7	Erect fire escape.....	300
George A. Tell <i>et al.</i>	12 and 14 Claremont park...	7	Erect fire escape.....	150
	83 West Rutland square....	7		95
J. B. Kavanaugh.....	751-755 Centre street.....	22	Alterations, stores and apart-	1,000

JULY 1.

Reardon Building Trust....	1886-1896 Columbus avenue,	15	First-class garage.....	\$50,000
Elmer L. Lang.....	Rear 31 Fairview street....	22	Second class garage.....	900
Diamond Realty Company...	949 and 951 Morton street...	21	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Brighton Construction Com-	25 Ilanewell avenue.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	7,500
pany.				
Allan McVarish.....	45 Linwood street.....	15	Alterations, apartments.....	1,400
Charles F. Bere.....	3108 Washington street....	15	Alterations, apartments and stores.	2,000
James E. Sheridan.....	19 Gordon avenue.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,200
P. Salamona.....	71 Porter street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
E. Wagner.....	131 Dakota street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
F. B. & L. D. Wright.....	9 Mendum street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	225
Park Square Building Com-	39 St. James avenue.....	7	Alterations, bank and safe deposit.	50,000
pany.				
Frank S. Lawler, trustee....	7 Eliot street.....	22	Alterations, hall.....	10,000
Carmel Saprenza.....	306 Norfolk street.....	21	Alterations, store and dwelling.	138
Thomas J. Sheridan.....	87 Washington street.....	4	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Daniel McNamara.....	145 Albany street.....	5	Alterations, store.....	67
John F. Costello.....	69 Centre street.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
L. W. Puffer.....	28 and 30 Lancaster street..	5	Erect fire escape.....	500

JULY 2.

Rudolph Dunkel.....	4 Cohasset street.....	24	Second-class stores and bakery.	\$69,000
Jacob Berson.....	Rear of 11 Greendale road..	21	Second-class garage.....	1,500
A. F. Leatherby.....	100 Cummings street.....	9	Special office.....	600
Ferrie & Tims.....	196 Dorchester avenue.....	9	Special filling station office...	325
	30 Regina road.....	14	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Margaret Lemist.....	Rear of 47 Jamaica street...	22	Third-class garage.....	350
Rudolph Dunkel.....	Rear of 8 Cohasset street...	24	Alterations, bakery.....	1,000
Thompson, Norris Company,	119-127 Braintree street....	25	Alterations, factory.....	18,000
W. E. Schrauts & Sons, Inc.,	150 Washington Street North	5	Alterations, factory.....	2,851
Vincenzo Bono.....	351 North street.....	5	Alterations, store and tenements.	500
Lena Mendel.....	73 Hazleton street.....	21	Alterations, tenements.....	250
Pietro Pasciucio.....	416 Quincy street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,800
P. J. Smyth.....	1291 Commonwealth avenue,	8	Alterations, office and tenements.	500

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 26 TO JULY 2.

JUNE 26.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. J. Hughes.....	90 Wood avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	\$800
James J. Kelley.....	115 Ruskin road.....	24	New fixtures.....	800
Henry J. Gurl.....	36 and 38 Park street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,000
Alexander Campbell.....	16 Oak terrace.....	21	New fixtures.....	200
William L. Browne.....	4 Lorna road.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
David E. Muleahy.....	122 Dustin street.....	26	New fixtures.....	125
David Craig.....	55 Chatham street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,200
George C. Tornaren.....	114 and 116 Bayswater st...	1	New fixtures.....	1,000
R. P. Slattery & Co.....	173 Bay State road.....	8	New fixtures.....	100

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John J. Murphy.....	3 Smith court.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$1,225
Joseph Adams.....	69 Kilmarnock street.....	8	New fixtures.....	35
Edward H. Marchant.....	259 Friend street.....	5	New fixtures.....	428
Albert E. Touchet, Inc.....	278 Clarendon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	370
Henry J. Lyons Company.....	52 Allen street.....	5	New fixtures.....	35,000
John J. Norris.....	482 Tremont street.....	6	New fixtures.....	230
L. J. Towle Company.....	139 Massachusetts avenue...	7	New fixtures.....	200
A. J. Cooper & Son.....	111 Glenway street.....	19	New fixtures.....	100
Samuel Adams.....	494 Ashmont street.....	20	New fixtures.....	800

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JUNE 26 TO JULY 2.

JUNE 28.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
William N. McKenna.....	1151 Washington street.....	6	New fixtures.....	\$300
T. B. McKenney.....	422 Tremont street.....	6	New fixtures.....	400
B. F. Donohue.....	39 Gainsborough street.....	7	New fixtures.....	100
John J. Tierney.....	301 Rungles street.....	7	New fixtures.....	300
T. B. McKenney.....	77 Dover street.....	6	New fixtures.....	250
P. M. Donohue.....	510 516 Columbia road.....	17	New fixtures.....	500
K. W. McManus.....	631 and 633 Washington st.....	21	New fixtures.....	600
John Mulcahy.....	130 Randolph road.....	21	New fixtures.....	300
Everett L. Nages.....	80 Paris street.....	2	New fixtures.....	300
Terrence J. Hannon.....	330 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	60
Vincent A. Belger.....	122 Milton avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
Harvey E. Eichel.....	21 Colonial avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	375
George C. Torngren.....	17 Cuffin street.....	26	New fixtures.....	950
William N. McKenna.....	344 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	350

JUNE 30.

John F. Donlan.....	60 Pinckney street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$2,500
Austin Arvey.....	55 P street.....	10	New fixtures.....	100
John E. Heath.....	10 Monument square.....	4	New fixtures.....	175
M. Pass & Co.....	121 A Leverett street.....	5	New fixtures.....	125
B. F. Donohue.....	21 Hudson street.....	5	New fixtures.....	225
Harry F. Nation.....	9 Holborn street.....	16	New fixtures.....	140
John A. Powers.....	37 Farragut road.....	9	New fixtures.....	1,000
Abraham Katz.....	2025 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	2,500
P. J. Sullivan.....	1144 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	14,000
P. J. Sullivan.....	1140 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	14,000
M. Riceman.....	1451-1457 Columbus avenue.....	15	New fixtures.....	1,200
H. Weiss.....	1014-1026A Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	800
A. Gordon & Co.....	43 Allen street.....	5	New fixtures.....	250
M. Cohen.....	179 Athens street.....	9	New fixtures.....	110
William J. Cronin.....	53 Charles street.....	8	New fixtures.....	275
A. W. Short.....	250 1/2 West Sixth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	250
Charles Lang.....	171 Highland street.....	15	New fixtures.....	1,100
Paul Liftman.....	6 Otisfield street.....	16	New fixtures.....	425
Ernest J. MacLeod.....	8 Bromley park.....	15	New fixtures.....	325
James H. Boyd.....	15 Wilfing street.....	16	New fixtures.....	60

JULY 1.

John I. Henderson.....	136 Wilmington avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$975
Kelley & Gaffey.....	Rear of 37 Williams street.....	13	New fixtures.....	100
Edward V. O'Neil.....	10 Victory road.....	20	New fixtures.....	300
Louis Freedman.....	5 and 7 Scottfield road.....	25	New fixtures.....	150
Wilford H. Gray.....	42 Rockwell street.....	21	New fixtures.....	975
Edward P. Cleveland.....	8 Richardson street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,500
John H. Brodeur.....	22 Oak street.....	24	New fixtures.....	90
Harry F. Nation.....	21 Mascot street.....	21	New fixtures.....	150
James J. Logan.....	98 Magnolia street.....	17	New fixtures.....	700
L. V. Shaw.....	42 Hutchings street.....	16	New fixtures.....	20
John Y. Gillespie.....	65 Crawford street.....	16	New fixtures.....	875
Jacob P. Ryan.....	1556 Commonwealth ave.....	25	New fixtures.....	400
M. C. Short.....	333 Columbia road.....	18	New fixtures.....	300
A. J. Hughes.....	23 Bradeen street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
A. J. Hughes.....	8 Becket street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,100
David Craig.....	15 Water street.....	5	New fixtures.....	600
James A. Dickerson.....	5335 Washington street.....	23	New fixtures.....	50
David Carlin.....	161 Temple street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,000
D. J. Rull.....	153 P street.....	10	New fixtures.....	1,050
W. J. Gallagher.....	50 Moraine street.....	22	New fixtures.....	2,123
David Craig.....	283 La Grange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
Thomas F. Riley, jr.....	60 Jamaica street.....	22	New fixtures.....	500
Joseph W. Ahern.....	18 Holbrook street.....	22	New fixtures.....	500
D. J. Rull.....	549 East Seventh street.....	10	New fixtures.....	260
J. P. Tancred.....	236 D Street.....	9	New fixtures.....	50
D. J. Rull.....	1836 Columbia road.....	10	New fixtures.....	1,050
P. F. Russo.....	16 Brookdale street.....	23	New fixtures.....	200
David B. Karger.....	40 Floyd street.....	21	New fixtures.....	375
L. R. Freedman.....	515 East Sixth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	200
L. R. Freedman.....	513 East Sixth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	200
Abraham Katz.....	93 Montebello road.....	22	New fixtures.....	400

JULY 2.

R. Hoffman.....	153 Violet street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$1,050
Vax E. Ryan.....	57 South street.....	22	New fixtures.....	450
P. A. MacDonald.....	128 Wood avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	600
F. H. Densmore.....	41 Vernon street.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,760
James F. Dacey.....	12 Norwood street.....	20	New fixtures.....	400
P. R. Winters.....	109 and 111 Nottingham rd.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,200
W. J. Cook.....	56 Telegraph street.....	10	New fixtures.....	400
Charles H. Flanagan.....	1098 Bennington street.....	1	New fixtures.....	816
I. W. Crozier.....	34 Causeway street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,000
Cornelius Mahoney.....	26 Decatur street.....	4	New fixtures.....	500

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

ASSISTANT ENGINEER, METROPOLITAN PLANNING BOARD, JULY 7, 1924.

The salary is \$2,700 per year. Applicants should be not less than 30 years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application. Applicants should have had at least ten years' experience on construction and design of rapid transit routes and facilities.

The duties of this position require that applicants be competent to make designs and estimates of proposed rapid transit routes and facilities and be familiar with the laying out and estimating of highway and boulevard work.

The subjects of examination with their

respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

TRAVELING ENGINEER AND FIREMAN, DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE, JULY 7, 1924.

The salary is \$2,520 per year. Applicants should have a license as first-class engineer and should have had at least five years' experience while holding such a license. The duties of this position are to visit the various state institutions and inspect the boiler, engine, and electrical plants, also the refrigerating and heating plants. Applicants should be capable of operating any of these outfits, make suggestions for the betterment of operation, and also make suggestions with reference to changes in design and construction that will increase the economy and thus decrease the cost. Applicants should have a knowledge of firing of boilers and knowledge of flue gases and the analysis thereof with reference to maximum efficiency of combustion.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in the oral interview, at least 50 per cent in the practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

SOCIAL WORKER, CITY HOSPITAL. REQUISITION IS FOR A FEMALE, BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES, JULY 16, 1924.

The salary is \$1,000 a year.

Applicants must be not less than twenty-three nor over fifty years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants have had training and experience in some form of recognized social case work, preferably in connection with hospitals.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

NIGHT ELEVATOR INSPECTOR, BUILDING DEPARTMENT, JULY 16, 1924.

There are two vacancies at a salary of \$10 a night, not to exceed \$1,000 a year.

The duties of this position are to inspect passenger elevators at night. According to the provisions of chapter 332

of the Acts of 1924, no person shall simultaneously hold the position of day elevator inspector and special night elevator inspector.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 9; report, 2; arithmetic, 2; practical questions on the construction and inspection of elevators

and the laws governing the same, 7; total, 20.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in practical questions, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending June 28, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 175; nonresidents, 26; total, 201.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.49; nonresidents deducted, 11.75.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: Last week, 13.83; corresponding week last year, 13.60.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 27; one year to five years, inclusive, 12; sixty years and over, 64; total deaths, male, 114; female, 87; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 105; deaths of colored, 3.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 28, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 30, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	49	5	58	1
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	1	1
Influenza.....	1	1	—	—
Measles.....	70	—	110	2
Meningitis epidemic.....	2	—	1	2
Pneumonia (lobar).....	16	—	12	9
Scarlet fever.....	49	1	52	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	43	16	32	16
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	17	2	10	4
Typhoid fever.....	1	—	2	—
Whooping cough.....	8	—	24	1

* Residents and nonresidents included.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 26 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, *i. e.*, adjacent to Boston, are these, *viz.*, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per

square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and 45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has 44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of

said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water District, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, *viz.*, the Fire Prevention District, was organized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston," but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates, the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or \$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921, and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$846,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products; (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen, in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being abolished. For these was substituted a

single City Council of nine members to be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, *i. e.*, whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, *i. e.*, establishing a single term of four years, but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (*i. e.*, the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor which licensees claimed the right to sell was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on June 7, 1920. The result of this decision

was that former applicants for liquor licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (*i. e.*, prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topeka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards, or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

SETTLEMENT OF BOSTON.

Boston was settled in the latter part of August, 1630, by Puritan colonists under Governor John Winthrop. The name of the original settlement was changed to Boston from Trimountaine by order of the Court of Assistants on September 7 (O. S.), 1630. This date was moved forward by the New Style calendar in 1752 to Sept. 17, the recognized date of the founding of Boston. The name, Trimountaine, had been given because of the three peaks of the most prominent hill, afterward called Beacon Hill, much higher then than now. By the Indians the place was called Shawmut. The name, Boston, was derived from the English town of Boston in Lincolnshire, the home of some of the leading colonists and promoters of the enterprise.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

June 16, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:15 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present, Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the deaths of the following-named teachers:

Lawrence District—Katherine Haushalter, assistant, May 29, 1924.

Washington Allston District—Jessie W. Kelly, master's assistant, June 12, 1924.

Placed on file.

The Superintendent also reported the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Roxbury High School—Mabel L. Warner, June 2, 1924.

Bowditch District—Margaret W. Sayward, Dec. 20, 1923.

Washington District—Mary J. Jenkins, June 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATION.

The following resignation reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the date stated, was presented:

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Mabel I. Cormack, assistant, June 6, 1924.

Accepted.

The following appointments by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Agassiz District—Mary C. Farrell, June 18, 1924.

Bigelow District—Helen A. Wilson, June 18, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Florence A. Fitz, June 18, 1924.

Dearborn District—Edith Anderson, June 18, 1924.

Dillaway District—Florence A. Fitz, May 2, 1924, one day.

Dudley District—Helen E. Conroy, June 18, 1924.

Emerson District—Grace F. Stewart, May 6, 1924.

Francis Parkman District—Frances C. Creeden, May 13, 1924.

Franklin District—Mary L. Mahoney, May 16, 1924, one day.

Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District—Marcella F. O'Neil, May 21 to 23, 1924, three days; Grace A. Evans, May 26, 1924.

Gilbert Stuart District—Katherine Harrigan, June 18, 1924.

Hancock District—A. Marion McDonald, May 19, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Helen R. Shaughnessey, May 1 to 8, 1924, six

days; Catherine L. Haight, June 9, 1924; Mary E. A. Lynch, June 9, 1924; Florence Fischer, June 18, 1924.

Hyde District—Helen F. Lougee, June 18, 1924.

John Marshall District—Marion Carnegie, June 18, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Evelyn H. Greene, June 18, 1924; Minna Rosen, June 18, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—John J. May, May 5, 1924, one day; Ralph S. Monks, May 7, 1924, one day.

Martin District—Clara M. Dorr, June 18, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Thomas A. Phelan, Apr. 28, 1924, one-half day.

Quincy District—Walter L. McSwiney, May 12 to 16, 1924, five days.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Carolyn A. Shea, June 2, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Evelyn Mullen, June 2, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Eugenie G. Maguire, kindergarten, May 19, 1924; John J. Hoban, May 26, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Frank E. Morrissey, May 13, 1924, one day.

Thomas Gardner District—Theodora Donovan, May 9, 1924, one day.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Clara M. Dorr, May 1 to 9, 1924, seven days; Mary I. McKay, May 8 to 9, 1924, two days.

Wells District—Anna T. Joss, special class, May 1, 1924, one day.

William E. Endicott District—Evelyn B. Howe, May 22, 1924, one day; Elizabeth Burns, June 18, 1924; Evelyn B. Howe, June 18, 1924.

Charlestown High School—Paul M. Finan, mechanical department, May 13, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Latin and Day High Schools—Mary G. Lambe, assistant, speech improvement, May 19, 1924, one day.

Charlestown High School—Frank E. Morrissey, assistant, May 5, 1924, one day.

Dorchester High School—John J. May, junior master, May 9 to 13, 1924, three days.

High School of Commerce—John J. Connors, junior master, May 21, 1924, one day.

Wendell Phillips District—John J. May, sub-master, May 15, 1924, one day.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Louie Dunn, teacher of cookery, May 23, 1924; Mary Elizabeth Doherty, teacher of sewing, May 1 to 2, 1924, two days.

Trade School for Girls—Celia Blume, helper, July 7, 1924.

Placed on file.

REAPPOINTMENTS OF TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Hyde Park High School—Mary J. Connors, assistant, June 4, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Daniel J. Jameson, shop instructor, June 4, 1924; Raoul J. Burke, assistant instructor, June 6, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Eva L. Jordan, teacher of cookery, June 10, 1924.

Approved.

APPOINTMENTS.

Examiners—Robert B. Masterson, (from master, head of department, East Boston High School) Sept. 1, 1924; Alice M. Twigg, from first assistant, head of department, Girls' High School) Sept. 1, 1924.

Laid over.

GARDENING.

Season, 1924.

Garden Teacher—Livia DeSimone. Garden Assistants—Helen Hiron, Anne Sheridan.

Assistants in School Gardens—Robert J. Templeton.

Emergency List—Helen V. Crowley, Eleanor Cunningham, Mary A. Curran, Ida DeSantis, Sylvia DeSimone, Marian Donely, Isabelle H. Ehrlich, Blanche Feldman, Mary Flynn, Larabee Hanna, Florence Hawkins, Alice H. Kelley, Mary O'Leary, Sarra Rosenbaum, Alice F. Rosenthal, Mary F. O'Connell, Mollie Segel, Ruth M. Schobel, Edna Starnfield, Freda Weinberger.

Approved.

RECREATIONAL HANDICRAFT CLASSES.

Crafts Instructors—L. Halbert Brown, Arthur G. Hamilton, Edward W. Malone, Percy R. Stewart.

Crafts Assistants—John J. Coughlin, John B. Dunne, Gratton G. Howland, George E. Shepherd.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Edith Anderson, Margaret A. Gately.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Public Latin School—Louis W. Arnold, master, June 10, 1924, one day, without pay.

Charlestown High School—Mary F. Toland, assistant, June 16, 1924, one day, without pay.

Dorchester High School—Henry W. B. Arnold, master, June 10, 1924, one day, without pay; Fannie J. Yeaw, assistant, from Apr. 30 to June 19, 1924.

Hyde Park High School—Harold F. Stevens, junior master, June 16, 1924, one day, without loss of pay, military service.

Bowditch District—Irene M. Foster, assistant, kindergarten, June 10, 1924, one day, without pay.

Bowdoin District—May A. Treen, assistant, June 4, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Eliot District—Bertha R. Doyle, assistant, May 29, 1924, one day, without pay; Bertha R. Doyle, assistant, June 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral; John F. McGrath, master, June 10 to 12, 1924, three days without pay; Mary E. Smith, assistant, June 4, and June 10, 1924, one-half day each, without pay.

Emerson District—Laura A. Ells, assistant, May 29, June 2, 3, 1924, one-half day each, without pay.

Gilbert Stuart District—Constance McBride, assistant, June 11, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Henry Grew District—Florence N. Damon, assistant, kindergarten, June 11, 1924, one day, without pay; Mary L. Hersey, assistant, kindergarten, June 12, 1924, one day, without pay.

Hugh O'Brien District—Gertrude E. O'Neil, assistant, from June 2 to 19, 1924.

Julia Ward Howe District—Margaret M. Joyce, assistant, May 28, 1924, one day, without pay.

Phillips Brooks District—Mary E. Kelleher, assistant, from June 10 to 19, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Clara A. Burgess, instructor, special class, from June 1 to 19, 1924; Helen E. Burns, assistant, June 16, 1924, one

day, without pay; M. Loretta Kennedy, assistant, kindergarten, June 11, 12, 1924, two days, without pay.

Thomas N. Hart District—Mary E. Farrell, assistant, June 2, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

William E. Russell District—Mary G. Ellis, assistant, June 3, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Mary C. Mitchell, teacher of cookery, June 4, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Helen R. Smith, teacher of sewing, May 1, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Manual Arts—Herbert G. N. Forsell, instructor shopwork, May 16, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Grace M. Sawyer, assistant instructor in manual training, May 26, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Sarah M. Cahoon, school nurse, May 29, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Madeline V. Finnigan, school nurse, June 12, 1924, one day, wedding; Bradford Kent, M. D. school physician, June 16, 1924, one day, without pay.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Ethel S. Fletcher, vocational assistant, May 5 to 9, 1924, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Susan J. Ginn, director, May 29, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (vacation); Bessie MacBride, vocational assistant, May 13, 16, 23, 1924, three days, without loss of pay (vacation); Eleanor J. O'Brien, vocational assistant, May 1, 2, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (vacation); Mercedes E. O'Brien, vocational assistant, May 9, 14, 15, 16, 1924, four days, without loss of pay (vacation); Margaret M. Sallaway, vocational assistant, May 6, 16, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (vacation); Irving O. Scott, vocational instructor, May 16, 21, 1924, one-half day each, without loss of pay (vacation); Henry Wisansky, vocational instructor, May 14, 28, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (vacation).

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence on account of vacations as provided for under section 154 of the regulations, was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Trade School for Girls—Rebecca Anslow, head of department, from May 19 to June 13, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Millicent Edwards, trade assistant, May 5 to 29, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Josephine B. Tanck, trade assistant, from May 21 to June 19, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation).

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence for rest was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Bowditch District—Lena L. Carpenter, first assistant in charge, from Sept. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925.

Elliot District—S. Frances Jordan, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924 to Aug. 31, 1925.

Thomas Gardner District—Etta G. Clarke, assistant, Sept. 1, 1924 to Aug. 31, 1925.

Department of Music—Laura F. Taylor, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924 to Aug. 31, 1925.

On the report of the Superintendent, the following leave of absence granted at the meeting of Apr. 21, 1924, (p. 60) was discontinued on the date stated at the request of the teacher:

William Lloyd Garrison District—A. Josephine Bogan, assistant, June 2, 1924.

On the report of the Superintendent, the following leave of absence for study and travel granted at the meeting of Oct. 1, 1923, (p. 160), was discontinued on the date stated at the request of the teacher:

Sherwin District—Mary F. Roome, assistant, June 3, 1924.

ASSIGNMENTS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of June 16, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board he has assigned Frances B. Mea, assistant, Roger Wolcott District, to the Boston Disciplinary Day School, without change of rank or salary, said assignment to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, without the approval of the Board.

Placed on file and the assignment approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 16, 1924, reporting that Subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Rose A. Plunkett, assistant, Franklin District, to the Conservation of Eyesight Classes, without change of rank or salary, said assignment to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file and the assignment approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 16, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he was reassigned H. Ursula Mea, assistant, Henry L. Pierce I district, to Speech Improvement Classes, without change of rank or salary, said reassignment to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file and the reassignment approved.

EMPLOYMENT OF EFFIE OWEN ON PART TIME.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, Effie Owen, assistant instructor in manual training, Department of Manual Arts, be placed on one-half time and that she be paid one-half of her regular salary.

ANNUAL REAPPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS AND MEMBERS OF THE SUPERVISING STAFF.

The Superintendent submitted a list of reappointments of teachers and members of the supervising staff, under date of June 16, 1924, contained in School Document No. 6, 1924—Reappointments of Teachers and Members of the Supervising Staff.

In this connection, the Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the reappointment of two teachers in the Quincy District in excess of the number allowed under the regulations is here-

by authorized for the school year 1924-25, as recommended by the Superintendent in School Document No. 6, 1924—Reappointments of Teachers and Members of the Supervising Staff.

ORDERED, That the reappointment of one teacher in the Washington Irving Intermediate District in excess of the number allowed under the regulations is hereby authorized for the school year 1924-25, as recommended by the Superintendent in School Document No. 6, 1924—Reappointments of Teachers and Members of the Supervising Staff.

ORDERED, That the recommendations relative to the reappointments of submasters in the Elihu Greenwood, Frederic W. Lincoln, and Sherwin Districts in excess of the number allowed under the regulations, as submitted by the Superintendent and contained in School Document No. 6, 1924, are hereby approved.

ORDERED, That the recommendations relative to the reappointments of masters' assistants in the Abraham Lincoln and Blackinton-John Cheverus Districts in excess of the number allowed under the regulations, as submitted by the Superintendent and contained in School Document No. 6, 1924, are hereby approved.

ORDERED, That the recommendations relative to the reappointments of teachers with higher ranks than allowed under the regulations, as submitted by the Superintendent and contained in School Document No. 6, 1924, are hereby approved.

ORDERED, That the recommendations of the Superintendent relative to the re-establishment of conservation of eyesight classes, special classes, speech improvement classes, and disciplinary day classes for the school year 1924-25, as contained in School Document No. 6, 1924, are hereby approved.

ORDERED, That the recommendations of the Superintendent relative to the re-establishment of open-air, ungraded, special English, and rapid advancement classes for the school year 1924-25, as contained in School Document No. 6, 1924, are hereby approved, and it is hereby ordered that all such classes be discontinued at the close of the current school year and be re-established in the Fall only by special order of the Board.

The reappointments contained in said document were approved, and the seven foregoing orders in connection therewith were collectively passed, under a suspension of the rules.

ESTABLISHMENT OF SPEECH IMPROVEMENT CLASSES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to establish a speech improvement class in the Charles Sumner District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to

establish a speech improvement class in the Harvard-Frothingham District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

ESTABLISHMENT OF SPECIAL CLASSES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to establish a special class in the Mary Hemenway District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to establish a special class in the Mather District, making two in all, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

ESTABLISHMENT OF CLASS IN CONSERVATION OF EYESIGHT, HUGH O'BRIEN DISTRICT.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to establish a class in conservation of eyesight in the Ralph Waldo Emerson School, Hugh O'Brien District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

EMPLOYMENT OF CERTAIN SPECIAL ASSISTANTS AFTER CLOSE OF SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of special assistants, industrial and mechanical departments, in the High School of Practical Arts and the Mechanic Arts High School is hereby authorized for a period not to exceed two (2) days after the close of schools, these special assistants to be paid for such service upon certification of the head master in accordance with the salary schedule for the period ending August 31, 1924.

CONTINUANCE OF PRENDERGAST PREVENTORIUM CLASS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to continue provision for the instruction of children at the Prendergast Preventorium, Mattapan, the class to be known as the Prendergast Preventorium Class and attached to the Edmund P. Tileston District.

CONTINUANCE OF LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL CLASS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to continue the Long Island Hospital Class attached to the Eliot District

CONTINUANCE OF HOSPITAL CLASS FOR CONVALESCENT CHILDREN.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to

continue provision for the instruction of convalescent children in the House of the Good Samaritan, the class to be known as the Hospital Class for Convalescent Children and attached to the Martin District.

CONTINUANCE OF ROBERT BRECK BRIGHAM HOSPITAL CLASS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to continue provision for the instruction of convalescent children at the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital, the class to be known as the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital Class and attached to the Martin District.

CONTINUANCE OF CLASS AT MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN, 43 MT. VERNON STREET.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to continue provision for the instruction of children at the temporary home maintained by the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children at 43 Mt. Vernon Street, said class to be attached to the Bowdoin District; provided that the expense of said class to the city shall be limited to the compensation of the teacher assigned to said class.

AUTHORIZED LIST OF TEXT AND SUPPLEMENTARY BOOKS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Order No. 5 of the general orders authorizing changes in and additions to the authorized list of text and supplementary books is hereby amended by striking out the following-named book authorized for use as a text book in the Boston Trade School:

Armitage, M. Teresa. The Laurel Union Book. C. C. Birchard & Co., cpt. 1924. Students' rev. ed. net \$.64

BOUNDARY LINES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the boundary lines of the following-named districts are hereby amended to read as follows:

Abraham Lincoln District, for Girls.

Beginning at the junction of Charles and Beacon streets; thence by the centres of Beacon, Tremont, Court and State streets to the water; thence by the water to Dover-street bridge; thence by the centre of Dover street and the centre of Harrison avenue to the Boston & Albany Railroad; thence by the railroad to the rear of the easterly side of Village street; thence by the rear of the easterly side of Village street to the rear of the northerly side of Compton street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Compton street to the centre of Tremont street; thence by the centre of Tre-

mont street to the rear of the westerly side of Berkeley street; thence by the rear of the westerly side of Berkeley street to the Boston & Albany Railroad; thence by the railroad to Columbus avenue, Park square, and Charles street to the point of beginning.

Christopher Gibson District, for Boys and Girls.

Beginning at the junction of Quincy street and Columbia road; thence by the centre of Quincy street to Mt. Everett street; thence by the centre of Mt. Everett street to Hamilton street; thence by a direct line to Pilgrim place; thence by the centres of Pilgrim place, Richfield street, Puritan avenue, Wales place, Olney-street place, Olney and Blakeville streets to Bowdoin street; thence by the centre of Bowdoin street to Bullard street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Bullard street to the junction of Bullard street and Bowdoin avenue; thence by a direct line drawn from said junction to the junction of Vassar and Washington streets; thence by the rear of the easterly side of Washington street to the Midland Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence by said railroad to a straight line drawn across said railroad from Vassar to the junction of Greenwood and Harlem streets; thence by said straight line to said junction; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Harlem street to a point on Harlem street made by the intersection of said Harlem street and a straight line projecting Elmo street; thence by said straight projection of Elmo street to Elmo street, thence by the rear of the northerly side of Elmo street to Blue Hill avenue; thence by the centre of Blue Hill avenue to Stanwood street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Stanwood street to Normandy street; thence by the rear of the easterly side of Normandy street to the rear of the southerly side of Intervale street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Intervale street to Columbia road; thence by the centre of Columbia road to the point of beginning.

Dwight District, for Boys.

Beginning at the east end of Brookline street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of East and West Brookline streets to Shawmut avenue; thence by the centre of Shawmut avenue to the rear of the southerly side of West Brookline street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of West Brookline street to Warren avenue; thence by the centre of Warren avenue to Columbus square; thence by the centre of Columbus square and the rear of the southerly side of Braddock street to the Boston and Providence Railroad; thence by said railroad to Camden street; thence by the centre of Camden street to Columbus avenue; thence by the centre of Columbus avenue to Westfield street; thence by the centres of Westfield and Tremont streets to Kendall street; thence by the rear of the northeasterly side of Kendall street to Shawmut avenue; thence by the centre of Shawmut avenue to Woodbury street; thence by the centres of Woodbury and Thorndike streets to Harrison avenue; thence by the centres of Harrison avenue and Northampton street to the former boundary line between Boston and Roxbury; thence by said boundary line to South Bay; thence by the water to the point of beginning.

Everett District, for Girls.

Beginning at the east end of Brookline street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of East and West Brookline streets to Shawmut avenue; thence by the centre of Shawmut avenue to the rear of the southerly side of West Brookline street; thence by the southerly side of West Brookline street to Warren avenue; thence by the centre of Warren avenue to Columbus square; thence by the centre of Columbus square and the rear of the southerly side of Braddock park to the Boston and Providence Railroad; thence by said railroad to Camden street; thence by the centre of Camden street to Columbus avenue; thence by the centre of Columbus avenue to Westfield street; thence by the centres of Westfield and Lenox streets to Sawyer street; thence by the rear of the northeasterly side of Sawyer, Woodbury, and Thorndike streets to Harrison avenue; thence by the centres of Harrison avenue and Northampton street to the former boundary line between Boston and Roxbury; thence by the said boundary line to South Bay; thence by the water to the point of beginning.

Franklin District, for Girls

Beginning at the East end of Wareham street, thence by the rear of the southerly side of Wareham street to Harrison avenue; thence by both sides of Harrison avenue to Union Park street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Union Park street and Union Park to Tremont street; thence by the centre of Tremont street to the rear of the northerly side of Compton street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Compton street to the rear of the easterly side of Village street; thence by the rear of the easterly side of Village street to the Boston and Albany Railroad; thence by the latter railroad to Harrison avenue; thence by the centres of Harrison avenue and Dover street to the bridge; thence by the water to the point of beginning.

Henry L. Pierce District, for Boys and Girls.

Beginning at the point where Mather street crosses the Shawmut Branch Railroad; thence by said railroad to Welles avenue; thence by both sides of Welles avenue to Dorchester avenue; thence by both sides of Dorchester avenue to Wrentham street; thence by the rear of the northerly and easterly sides of Wrentham and Bruce streets to Ashmont street; thence by the centre of Ashmont street to Adams street; thence by the rear of the westerly side of Adams street to Beaumont street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Beaumont street to the intersection of Bates road and Beaumont street; thence in a direct line to Minot park; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Minot and Van Winkle streets to the Shawmut Branch Railroad; thence by said railroad to Fuller street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Fuller street to Milton avenue; thence by the rear of the westerly side of Milton avenue to the Midland Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence by the railroad to Bernard street; thence by the rear of the westerly side of Bernard street to Tonset street; thence by the rear of southerly side of Tonset street

to Westville street; thence by the rear of the westerly side of Westville street to Talbot avenue; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Talbot avenue to the Midland Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence by the line of said railroad to Wheatland avenue; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Wheatland avenue to Whitfield street; thence by the rear of the easterly side of Whitfield street to Aspinwall road; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Aspinwall road to Washington street; then by the rear of the easterly side of Washington street to Lyndhurst street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Lyndhurst and Mather streets to the point of beginning.

Phillips Brooks District, for Boys and Girls.

Beginning at the junction of Quincy street and Columbia road; thence by the centre of Columbia road to the rear of the southerly side of Intervale street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Intervale street to Normandy street; thence by the rear of the easterly side of Normandy street to the rear of the southerly side of Stanwood street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Stanwood street to Blue Hill avenue; thence by the centre of Blue Hill avenue to the rear of the southerly side of Intervale street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Intervale street to Warren street; thence by the centre of Warren street to the rear of the southerly side of Savin street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Savin street to Blue Hill avenue; thence by the centre of Blue Hill avenue to the rear of the northerly side of Quincy street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Quincy street to the point of beginning.

Rice District for Boys.

Beginning at the east end of Brookline street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of East and West Brookline streets to Shawmut avenue; thence by the centre of Shawmut avenue to the rear of the southerly side of West Brookline street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of West Brookline street to Warren avenue; thence by the centre of Warren avenue to Columbus square; thence by the centre of Columbus square and the rear of the southerly side of Braddock park to the Boston and Providence Railroad; thence by said railroad to the Boston and Albany Railroad; thence by the latter railroad to Berkeley street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Berkeley street and the centre of Dover street to South Bay; thence by the water to the point of beginning.

Rice District, for Girls.

Beginning at the east end of Brookline street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of East and West Brookline streets to Shawmut avenue; thence by the centre of Shawmut avenue to the rear of the southerly side of West Brookline street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of West Brookline street to Warren avenue; thence by

the centre of Warren avenue to Columbus square; thence by the centre of Columbus square and the rear of the southerly side of Braddock park to the Boston and Providence Railroad; thence by said railroad to the Boston and Albany Railroad; thence by the latter railroad to Berkeley street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Berkeley street to the centre of Tremont street; thence by the centre of Tremont street to the rear of the southerly side of Union Park; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Union Park and Union Park street to Harrison avenue; thence by the rear of the westerly side of Harrison avenue to Malden and Wareham streets; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Wareham street to South Bay; thence by the water to the point of beginning.

Roger Wolcott District, for Boys and Girls.

Beginning at the junction of Harvard and Hazleton streets; thence by the centre of Harvard street to Talbot avenue; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Talbot avenue to Westville street; thence by the rear of the westerly side of Westville street to Tonset street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Tonset street to Bernard street; thence by the rear of the westerly side of Bernard street to the Midland Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence by said railroad to Milton avenue; thence by the rear of the westerly side of Milton avenue to the rear of the northerly side of Fuller street; thence to the rear of Morton street; thence to the junction of Morton and Selden streets; thence by the line of the Gilbert Stuart District to the line of the Edmund P. Tileston District; thence by the northerly line of the Edmund P. Tileston District to West Selden street; thence by the centre of Woodlawn avenue to Delhi street; thence in a straight line to the junction of Fessenden and Norfolk streets; thence by the centre of Fessenden street to Blue Hill avenue; thence by the centre of Blue Hill avenue to Hazleton street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Hazleton street to the point of beginning.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the boundary lines of the following-named districts are hereby established as follows:

Frank V. Thompson, Intermediate District, for Boys and Girls.

The boundaries of this district are identical with those of the Roger Wolcott District.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District, for Boys and Girls.

Beginning at the junction of Washington and Codman Hill streets; then by the rear of the southerly side of Codman Hill street extended to Dennison street, but excluding both sides of Codman park, thence by the rear of the southerly side of Dennison street to Walnut avenue; thence by the centre of Walnut avenue to Westminster avenue; thence by the centre of Westminster avenue extended to Crawford street; thence by the centre of Crawford street to Hollander street; thence by the rear of the southerly

side of Hollander street to Humboldt avenue; thence by the rear of the westerly side of Humboldt avenue to Waumbeck street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Waumbeck street to Warren street; thence by the centre of Warren street to the rear of the southerly side of Intervale street; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Intervale street to Blue Hill avenue; thence by the centre of Blue Hill avenue to Seaver street; thence by the centres of Seaver street, Walnut avenue, Peter Parley road and Cornwall street extended to the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad; thence by said railroad to a point opposite Dimock street; thence in a direct line to Dimock street; thence by the rear of the northerly side of Dimock street to Washington street; thence by the centre of Washington street to the point of beginning.

Washington Irving Intermediate District, for Boys and Girls.

Beginning at the junction of Walk Hill and Harvard streets, thence by the rear of the westerly side of Harvard street to the former boundary line between Hyde Park and Boston; thence by said line to its junction with Poplar street; thence in a northwesterly direction to the junction of High and Washington streets; thence by the centre of the West Roxbury parkway to Church street; thence by the centre of Church street to the Brookline line; thence by said line to Allendale street; thence by the centres of Allendale, Centre, Walter, Bussey and South streets to the Dedham Branch Railroad; thence by said railroad to Archdale road; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Archdale road to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence by Stony Brook to Neponset avenue; thence by the rear of the southerly side of Neponset avenue to Canterbury street; thence by the rear of the westerly side of Canterbury street to Paine street; thence by the centres of Paine and Walk Hill streets to the point of beginning.

PAYMENT OF SALARY DUE AT DEATH.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due Annie F. Keating, late assistant, Samuel Adams District, be paid to her sister, Mrs. Hannah Ahern.

EMPLOYMENT OF TEMPORARY SCHOOL PHYSICIANS IN SUMMER REVIEW AND SUMMER VACATION SCHOOLS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Acting Director of Medical Inspection is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to employ two temporary school physicians for service in summer review schools and vacation schools during the summer term 1924, said physicians to be paid for their services at the rate of five dollars (\$5.00) per day of service.

COMPENSATION OF TEMPORARY INSTRUCTOR OF DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS AND SIGNALING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be paid the sum of one hundred and twenty

dollars (\$120) to Francis A. Mahan for services rendered as temporary instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling during the month of May, 1924, upon certification by the Director of Physical Training to the Superintendent that the services covered by said amount have been rendered.

ADOPTION AND PRINTING OF OUTLINE OF WORK IN GEOGRAPHY FOR INTERMEDIATE CLASSES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying revision of School Document No. 11, 1922, Outline of Work in Geography for Intermediate Classes is hereby adopted; and that five thousand (5,000) copies be printed as a School Document.

ADOPTION AND PRINTING OF A LIST OF BOOKS FOR HOME READING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying revision of a List of Books for Home Reading, School Document No. 9, 1919, is hereby adopted; and that fifteen thousand copies (15,000) be printed as a School Document, entitled Boston Reading Lists.

ASSIGNMENT OF PLAYGROUND TEACHER TO PRENDERGAST PREVENTORIUM CLASS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the Summer term ending August 31, 1924, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to assign one playground teacher to the Prendergast Preventorium Class, Mattapan, to take effect July 1, 1924.

ELIGIBLE LIST.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of June 16, 1924, submitting the list of successful candidates of September, 1923, and December, 1923, for the certificates of qualification V. High School, Special—Woodworking; XI. Special: Assistant Director of Music; XXVI. Continuation School; XXX. Day and Evening Industrial Schools; XXXI-A. Day and Evening Industrial Schools; and XXXI-B. Day and Evening Industrial Schools.

These names do not constitute separate eligible lists, but should be inserted in School Document No. 15, 1923, at the points indicated by the several ratings.

V. HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL CERTIFICATE.

Woodworking.

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
781	Joseph Hackett	June 30, 1930
784	Louis A. Van Ham	June 30, 1930
785	Oren R. Farr	June 30, 1930
784	William R. O'Connor	June 30, 1930
782	Harold R. Wise	June 30, 1930
789	Peter J. Gohagan	June 30, 1924
789	Harry W. Lawson	June 30, 1930
793	J. Maynard Cheney	June 30, 1930
790	Arvid J. Waldstrom	June 30, 1930

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF MUSIC CERTIFICATE

805-H. Dana Strother June 30, 1930

XXVI. CONTINUATION SCHOOL CERTIFICATE.

Instructors.

824	Frederick J. Murray	June 30, 1930
795	John B. Kelley, Jr.	June 30, 1930
749*	George F. Cronin	June 30, 1930

718	John F. Kerrigan	June 30, 1930
711	John A. Murphy	June 30, 1930
707	Thomas J. O'Leary	June 30, 1930
702	Leo J. Aicardi	June 30, 1930

Assistant

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
811	Constance Tenney	June 30, 1936

DAY AND EVENING INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS CERTIFICATES

XXX. (Shop Instructors, Helpers, and Trade Assistants in Day or Evening Industrial, Continuation, Intermediate, or Prevocational Schools or Classes and Vocational Assistants in the Trade School for Girls.)

Auto Mechanics

751	William F. Doherty	June 30, 1929
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Cabinet Making

792	Charles W. Stahl	June 30, 1930
774	Peter T. Flaherty	June 30, 1930
701	Freeman D. Shepherd	June 30, 1930

Pressmaking

729	Magdalena Columbus	June 30, 1930
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Electricity

812	Percy C. Peters	June 30, 1930
792	Chester S. Sevens	June 30, 1930
779	George C. McKeen	June 30, 1930

Machine Shop

713	Charles F. Rosen	June 30, 1930
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Millinery

773	Frances B. Haskell	June 30, 1924
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Printing

Men

703	William J. I. Brown	June 30, 1928
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Women

850	Bertha Shepard	June 30, 1925
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XXXI.—A. (Heads of Departments, both Shop and Academic, in the Trade School for Girls; Shop Foreman in Day and Evening Industrial, Continuation, Intermediate, or Prevocational Schools or Classes.)

Rating Name Certificate Expires

Auto Mechanics

774	Charles M. McKenzie	June 30, 1930
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Carpentry

808	Ralph F. Morrison	June 30, 1930
773	Arthur L. MacRae	June 30, 1930

Electricity

810	John D. McLanahan	June 30, 1930
786	Vashni N. Marchant	June 30, 1930

Machine Shop

889	Francis J. Lee	June 30, 1930
835	John T. Mendenhall	June 30, 1930
781	Albert J. Pfau	June 30, 1930

Sheet Metal Work

820	Daniel J. Jameson	June 30, 1930
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XXXI.—B. (Division Heads, Division Foremen, and Shop Superintendents in the Boston Trade School; Co-operative Instructors and Co-ordinators in Day High Schools; Division Foremen and Heads of Divisions in the Continuation School.)

Electricity

805	Harrie Goodwin	June 30, 1930
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Machine Shop

717	Reinhold L. Swan	June 30, 1930
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Pattern Making

756	George E. Shepherd	June 30, 1930
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Sheet Metal Work

822	Thomas A. Roche	June 30, 1930
717	Frank L. Oglvie	June 30, 1930

*Eligible for appointment after June 30, 1924.

Placed on file.

A N N U A L APPROPRIATION ORDER.

The Board took up for consideration the annual estimates and appropriation order, prepared and sub-

mitted by the Business Agent, in accordance with the rules, as follows:

BUDGET

APPROPRIATIONS 1924-25

Office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, Tenth Floor, 15 School Street, June 9, 1924.

To the School Committee:

In compliance with paragraph 2 of Section 99 of the Rules, I submit herewith the estimates and itemized appropriation order to cover the expenses of the public schools for the financial year February 1, 1924 to January 31, 1925, both included.

The average valuation of the city for the three years 1921, 1922, and 1923, with all abatements allowed up to December 31, 1923, as certified to His Honor the Mayor by the Board of Assessors, is \$1,651,200,431.88. This is the sum upon which all appropriations by the City Council and the School Committee for the financial year 1924-25 are based.

The school committee is authorized by law to appropriate the following sums:

(a) Six dollars and thirty cents upon each one thousand dollars of the valuation of the city for general school purposes. (Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919, chapter 249 of the Special Acts of 1919, and chapter 641 of the Acts of 1920.)

(b) Two dollars and thirty-three cents upon each one thousand dollars of the valuation of the city for the construction and furnishing of new school buildings, both temporary and permanent, including the taking of land therefor, and for school yards and the preparing of school yards for use, and for the rent of hired school accommodations. Chapter 488 of the Acts of 1923 limits the amount that may be appropriated under the provisions of this item during the fiscal years ending on the 31st day of January 1924 and 1925 to not more than \$3,500,000 in any one year. (Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919, Chapter 524 of the Acts of 1920, and Chapter 488 of the Acts of 1923.)

(c) Ninety-one cents upon each one thousand dollars of the valuation of the city for the alteration and repair of school buildings, and for furniture, fixtures and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection for existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards. (Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919, chapter 524 of the Acts of 1920, and chapter 488 of the Acts of 1923.)

(d) Eleven cents upon each one thousand dollars of the valuation of the city for organizing and conducting physical training and exercises, athletics, sports, games and play, and for providing apparatus, equipment and facilities for the same in buildings, yards and playgrounds under the control of the School Committee, or upon any other land which the committee may have the right to use for this purpose, under the provisions of chapter 295 of the Acts of 1907.

(Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919, chapter 249 of the Special Acts of 1919, and chapter 641 of the Acts of 1920.)

(e) Nine cents upon each one thousand dollars of the valuation of the city for the employment of one supervising female nurse and so many district female nurses as, in the opinion of said committee, are necessary in accordance with the provisions of chapter 357 of the Acts of 1907, and for the employment of such number of school physicians as in the opinion of the School Commit-

tee, may be necessary, and for the care of the teeth of school children. (Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919, chapter 249 of the Special Acts of 1919, and chapter 641 of the Acts of 1920.)

(f) Three cents upon each one thousand dollars of the valuation of the city for the purpose of conducting educational and recreative activities in or upon school property under the control of the School Committee, and the use thereof by individuals and associations in accordance with the provisions of chapter 195 of the Acts of 1912 and chapter 86 of the Special Acts of 1916. (Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919 and chapter 641 of the acts of 1920.)

(g) Seven cents upon each one thousand dollars of the valuation of the city for the payment of pensions to members of the teaching or supervising staff of the public schools of the city, and to persons who were annuitants of the Boston Teachers' Retirement Fund at the time when chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908 took effect, and other teachers who had retired prior to said time, in accordance with the provisions of said chapter 589, chapter 537 of the Acts of 1909, chapter 617 of the Acts of 1910, chapter 569 of the Acts of 1912, and acts in amendment thereof, and of the provisions of chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919. (Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919.)

(h) Two cents upon each one thousand dollars of the valuation of the city for promoting the Americanization and better training for citizenship of foreign-born persons. (Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919.)

(i) Two cents upon each one thousand dollars of the valuation of the city for vocational guidance. (Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919.)

(j) The unexpended balance for the financial year 1923-24.

(k) The excess of income, if any, for the financial year 1923-24 over that estimated.

(l) The estimated income for the financial year 1924-25.

(m) Estimated allotment, Smith-Hughes Fund 1924-25.

Estimated Total Money Available 1924-25.

Exclusive of the money available for new school buildings, lands, yards and furnishings, viz., \$3,500,000.00, the sums available for the financial year 1924-25 are as follows:

\$6.30 per \$1,000 for general school purposes.....	\$10,402,562.72
.91 per \$1,000 for the alteration and repair of school buildings	1,502,592.39
.11 per \$1,000 for physical education	181,632.04
.09 per \$1,000 for school physicians and nurses	148,608.03
.03 per \$1,000 for extended use of the public schools.	49,536.01
.07 per \$1,000 for pensions for teachers	115,584.03
.02 per \$1,000 for promoting Americanization	33,024.00
.02 per \$1,000 for vocational guidance	33,024.00
Unexpended balance, physical education, 1923-24	3,258.93
Unexpended balance, extended use of the public schools, 1923-24	3,919.65
Unexpended balance, school physicians and nurses, 1923-24 ..	8,119.92
Unexpended balance, general appropriation, 1923-24	411,116.00
Unexpended balance, appropriation Schoolhouse Department, 1923-24	.37
Excess of income over amount estimated (general)	24,102.60
Excess of income, physical education	1,888.81
Excess of income, extended use of the public schools	1,457.18
Estimated income 1924-25, general	434,012.00

Estimated income 1924-25 physical education	1,500.00
Estimated income 1924-25, extended use of the public schools	5,000.00
Smith-Hughes Fund (estimated allotment)	33,200.00

Estimated total amount available\$13,394,138.68

On March 24, 1924, the School Committee appropriated the sum of \$855,000 and on May 19, 1924, the sum of \$647,592.39 or a total appropriation of \$1,502,592.39 for the alteration and repair of school buildings, etc., making the total sum available for that purpose during the current year.

At the close of the past financial year after the payment of all the pensions to teachers there remained a balance of \$38,474.68. On February 4, 1924, the School Committee ordered this sum paid to the Treasurer of the Permanent Pension Fund for investment by the Board of Trustees of said fund. This sum is not included in the following estimates or appropriation orders.

The amounts as set forth in the following estimates should be appropriated and I recommend the passage of the accompanying order, which carries such intention into effect.

William T. Keough,
Business Agent.

SALARIES OF INSTRUCTORS

Teachers' College	
Teachers' College .. \$	78,053.20
4 additional junior masters, from September	5,460.00
8 additional assistants, from September	8,520.00
Promotion	60.00
Salary adjustments	2,144.00
	\$ 94,237.20
Latin and High Schools	
Public Latin	\$ 124,391.87
Girls' Latin	75,327.46
Brighton High	59,933.20
Charlestown High ..	73,192.21
Dorchester High	\$206,160.77
1 co-operative instructor instead of junior master from March 1, reduction ..	1,078.00
	205,082.77
East Boston High ..	95,320.61
English High	242,949.07
Girls' High	194,129.34
High School of Commerce	178,838.27
High School of Practical Arts ..	129,614.34
Hyde Park High	89,474.66
Jamaica Plain High ..	102,358.53
Mechanic Arts High	198,585.60
Roxbury High	111,145.70
South Boston High ..	76,803.20
Temporary teachers (for vacancies that will not be filled during the year)	13,020.00
1 Junior master (vacancy) from February 4	1,761.12
10 Junior masters (vacancies) from March 1	15,914.50
14 Junior masters (vacancies) from September 3	11,550.00
2 Assistants (vacancies) less 2 junior assistants from February 1	588.32
30 Junior masters (vacancies) from September 3 (less 30 junior assistants from September 3)	3,250.90
6 Instructors in military drill ..	15,171.33
Armorer	1,896.00
1 Temporary instructor of bugle corps and signaling, 150 days at \$8.00 a day	1,200.00
1 Temporary instructor of bugle corps and signaling, 88 days at \$8.00 a day	704.00
4 Additional junior masters from September 1	4,380.00
16 Junior masters promoted from lower ranks	3,804.00
1 additional armorer from April ..	1,183.00
1 Junior master promoted from instructor military drill from February	144.00

Additional clerical assistance...	1,512.50
Promotions 2 additional heads of departments from assistant and minor master.....	100.00
Promotion 1 industrial instructor to industrial assistant from February.....	90.00
Additional salary, Head Master, East Boston High.....	125.00
Laboratory assistance at 80c per pupil:	
Public Latin, 188 pupils.....	\$ 150.40
Girls' Latin, 107 pupils.....	85.60
Brighton High, 373 pupils.....	298.40
Charlestown High, 80 pupils.....	64.00
Dorchester High, 879 pupils.....	703.20
East Boston High, 561 pupils.....	448.80
English High, 1015 pupils.....	812.00
Girls' High, 1160 pupils.....	928.00
High School of Commerce, 646 pupils.....	516.80
High School of Practical Arts, 515 pupils.....	412.00
Hyde Park High, 230 pupils.....	184.00
Jamaica Plain High, 382 pupils.....	305.60
Mechanic Arts High, 808 pupils.....	646.40
Roxbury High, 711 pupils.....	568.80
South Boston High, 400 pupils.....	327.20
pupils.....	327.20
Salary adjustments.....	\$6,451.20
	2,041.00
Reduction in estimates.....	2,047,024.30
	2,666.32
	\$2,044,357.98

Intermediate and Elementary School Districts (Including Kindergarten Teachers)

Abraham Lincoln.....	\$106,190.05
Agassiz.....	44,913.40
Bennett.....	105,965.26
Bigelow.....	55,556.30
Blackinton-John	
Cheverus.....	90,766.00
Rowditch.....	60,426.63
Rowdoin.....	46,719.82
Chapman.....	67,817.30
Charles Sumner.....	63,439.38
Christopher Gibson.....	53,899.04
Dearborn.....	103,020.28
Dillaway.....	65,159.96
Dudley.....	76,376.48
Dwight.....	\$58,160.24
1 less instructor special classes from February 1, reduction.....	2,148.00
Edmund P. Tileston.....	56,012.24
Edward Everett.....	54,584.36
Elihu Greenwood.....	83,864.31
Elliot.....	71,430.13
Emerson.....	147,738.59
Everett.....	77,962.53
Francis Parkman.....	46,920.09
Franklin.....	42,845.52
Frank V. Thompson.....	58,937.02
Frederic W. Lincoln.....	46,332.75
Gaston.....	43,296.48
George Putnam.....	57,082.18
Gilbert Stuart.....	74,586.99
Hancock.....	44,265.32
Harvard-Frothingham.....	142,636.75
Ham.....	75,341.33
Henry Grew.....	\$50,150.53
1 assistant resigned from February 1, reduction.....	400.00
Henry L. Pierce.....	49,750.53
Hugh O'Brien.....	96,976.75
Hyde.....	82,891.33
Jefferson-Comins.....	40,984.61
John A. Drew.....	75,309.75
1 master's assistant resigned from September, reduction.....	80.00
John Marshall.....	54,780.39
John Winthrop.....	78,115.00
Julia Ward Howe.....	90,858.68
Lawrence.....	56,109.85
Lewis.....	48,919.48
Longfellow.....	94,676.84
Lowell.....	73,979.69
Martin.....	64,667.47
	46,099.69

Mary Hemenway.....	110,750.77
Mather.....	131,271.50
Minot.....	33,293.72
NOTES	67,035.16
Oliver Hazard Perry.....	40,706.25
Olive Wendell Holmes.....	57,962.07
Phillips Brooks.....	80,360.77
Prescott.....	41,646.72
Prince.....	62,208.32
Quincy.....	72,540.97
Rice.....	52,992.84
Robert G. Shaw.....	77,883.15
Roger Wolcott.....	117,845.36
Samuel Adams.....	138,890.54
Sherwin.....	\$64,800.39
1 sub-master retired from Sept. 1, reduction.....	225.00

Shurtleff.....	64,575.39
Theodore Lyman.....	51,911.54
Thomas Gardner.....	83,474.33
Thomas N. Hart.....	77,184.01
Ulysses S. Grant.....	65,457.12
Warren-Bunker Hill.....	74,242.86
Washington Allston.....	93,630.04
Washington Wells.....	92,844.32
Wendell Phillips.....	72,467.29
William E. Endicott.....	92,769.38
William E. Russell.....	79,197.43
William Lloyd Garrison.....	124,994.54
1 instructor Special Classes, from September.....	57,366.57
1 assistant Conservation of Eyesight Classes.....	53,797.21
Allowance for special and emergency assistants.....	575.00
2 assistants (vacancies) from February 1.....	320.00
1 assistant Conservator of Eyesight Classes.....	349,308.00
23 assistants (vacancies) from February 5.....	2,135.48
33 assistants (vacancies) from March 3.....	1,054.83
23 assistants (vacancies) from September 3.....	31,828.83
1 sub-master (vacancy) from February 5.....	11,500.00
2 sub-masters (vacancies) from February 5.....	1,761.58
1 first assistant grammar (vacancy) from February 5.....	4,578.00
7 instructors, special classes (vacancies) from September 3.....	2,098.89
2 assistants, kindergarten (vacancies) from February 1.....	4,025.00
9 assistants, kindergarten (vacancies) from September 3.....	1,921.92
Temporary teachers (for vacancies that will be filled during the year).....	4,050.00
Pupil clerical assistance.....	19,019.00
28 additional assistants.....	3,300.00
1 additional sub-master.....	21,050.00
1 sub-master in charge assigned from February 1.....	1,060.00
Promotions.....	240.00
Temporary teachers additional.....	7,020.00
Temporary clerical assistance.....	5,340.00
5 additional clerical assistants from September.....	50.00
Salary adjustments.....	2,050.00
	16,310.00
	5,684,030.25
Reduction in estimates.....	5,000.00

\$5,679,030.25

HORACE MANN SCHOOL

Principal and teachers.....	\$35,272.27
3 special assistants (not filling vacancies).....	3,348.00
additional assistants.....	1,668.00
Salary adjustments.....	600.00
	40,948.27

AFTERNOON CLASSES IN LIP READING.

Teachers' salaries.....	\$250.00
Teachers' salaries additional.....	75.00
	325.00

TRADE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

(Day, Extension and Summer Classes.)

Master, teachers and clerks.....	78,641.00
Student aids.....	2,712.00
Temporary helpers.....	13,610.00
Promotions.....	48.00
Salary adjustments.....	780.00
	95,791.00

BOSTON TRADE SCHOOL.

Master, teachers and clerks, day school (existing force).....	\$81,199.28
Toolkeepers.....	2,996.00
Special assistants.....	2,335.00
16 additional teachers.....	6,703.00
Promotions.....	308.00
Salary adjustments.....	60.00
	93,601.28

BOSTON CLERICAL SCHOOL.

Headmaster and teachers.....	\$25,141.33
Salary adjustments.....	60.00
	25,201.33

BOSTON DISCIPLINARY DAY SCHOOL.

Teachers.....	\$6,375.76
Salary adjustments.....	120.00
	6,495.76

TRAINING SCHOOL FOR TEACHERS OF MECHANIC ARTS.

Assistant Director of Manual Arts, assigned.....	3,564.00
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DEPARTMENT OF MANUAL ARTS.

Director \$3,996.00	
Vacancy March to September, reduction 1,775.00	
Associate Director.....	2,221.00
2 assistant directors.....	3,876.00
1 junior master, assigned.....	6,616.00
3 first assistants.....	3,468.00
9 assistants.....	8,041.07
1 instructor.....	22,286.12
1 assistant, assigned.....	2,167.92
8 shop foremen.....	1,999.92
5 foremen, shop work.....	18,720.00
11 instructors in manual training.....	11,700.00
34 assistant instructors in manual training.....	23,931.12
23 shop instructors.....	68,941.53
17 instructors, shop work.....	50,031.65
Emergency assistant instructors.....	34,598.81
Instructors in gardening, supervisors of gardening, and assistant supervisors of gardening.....	2,440.00
Vocational arts instructors (Art Museum).....	8,500.00
Instructors in recreational handicrafts.....	1,600.00
8 additional shop instructors from September.....	1,064.00
1 additional assistant director.....	6,720.00
Promotions.....	40.00
Vocational arts instructors, additional.....	60.00
Instructors in gardening, additional.....	294.00
Salary adjustments.....	1,800.00
	240.00
	281,357.14

Department of Household Science and Arts

Director.....	\$ 3,396.00
Assistant directors.....	2,556.27
42 teachers of cookery.....	78,949.97
69 teachers of sewing.....	126,814.83
1 teacher of millinery.....	1,320.27
1 trade assistant.....	2,140.00
Temporary teacher, cookery (not filling vacancy).....	1,490.00
Temporary teachers, sewing (not filling vacancies).....	1,344.00
4 additional teachers from September.....	2,666.00
1 additional assistant director from September.....	955.00
Salary adjustments.....	90.00
	\$221,722.24

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

Director	\$3,996.00	
6 assistant directors	17,448.00	
9 assistants	19,816.00	
Assistant elementary, assigned...	1,999.92	
Assignment of teachers, day schools, to instrumental instruction	697.50	
1 additional assistant from September	845.00	
1 supervisor of drum and bugle corps	845.00	
1 temporary instructor of drum and bugle corps and signaling at \$8.00 per day, 150 days	1,200.00	
1 temporary instructor of drum and bugle corps and signaling at \$8.00 per day 44 days	352.00	
Instrumental instructors	2,000.00	
Assignments of teachers additional	300.00	
Salary adjustments	760.00	
		50,259.42

Speech Improvement Classes

Instructor in charge..\$	2,448.00	
10 assistants.....	20,698.93	
1 assistant elementary, assigned..	1,416.00	
1 additional assistant	22.00	
2 additional assistants elementary, assigned	775.00	
Salary adjustments	410.00	
		25,799.93

Continuation School

Principal and teachers	\$130,911.09	
Temporary teachers and toolkeepers...	2,200.00	
Promotions	849.15	
Salary adjustments	1,340.00	
		135,300.24

Department of Evening Schools

Director	\$ 4,500.00	
Supervisor of Division C classes...	350.00	
Additional supervision Division C classes, from September	315.00	
Salary adjustments.....	60.00	
		5,225.00

Evening High Schools

Principals, teachers and clerical assistants.....	49,840.00	
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Evening Elementary Schools

Principals, teachers and clerical assistants	\$66,500.00	
Principals, teachers and clerical assistants additional	1,611.00	
Salary adjustments	6,000.00	
		77,141.00

Evening School Extension

Principals, teachers and clerical assistants	4,125.00	
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Day Practical Arts Classes

Teachers, afternoon classes....	\$2,856.00	
Teachers, afternoon classes additional	708.00	
		3,564.00

Boston Trade School Evening Classes

Teachers and clerks	\$11,332.50	
Teachers additional	1,367.50	
		12,700.00

Day School for Immigrants

Teachers	\$3,808.00	
Special assistants	15,606.00	
Attendants	918.00	
Additional teachers and special assistants	2,649.00	
Additional attendants	240.00	
		26,221.00

Summer Review Schools

High Review School

Principal and teachers	7,572.00	
Elementary Review Schools		
Principals and teachers	\$21,171.00	
Additional principals and teachers	454.00	
		21,625.00

Vacation School

Principal and teachers	3,185.00	
Additional principals and teachers	10,315.00	
		13,500.00

Department of Practice and Training

Director	\$ 3,322.33	
First assistant director	2,986.33	
3 assistant directors	7,697.33	
1 additional assistant director from September	1,100.00	
Salary adjustments	250.00	
		15,355.99

Primary Supervisors.

2 primary supervisors	\$ 5,400.00	
Salary adjustments	100.00	
		5,500.00

Department of Kindergartens.

Director	\$ 3,336.00	
Assistant director	2,522.40	
Salary adjustments	90.00	
		6,008.40

Department of Special Classes

Director	\$3,276.00	
Salary adjustments	100.00	
		3,376.00

Commercial Co-ordinator.

Commercial Co-ordinator	\$3,588.00	
Salary adjustment	60.00	
		3,648.00

Director of Penmanship

Director	\$3,036.00	
Assistant, elementary, assigned, from February 1	\$2,191.92	
Assistant elementary, assigned, from September only, reduction ...	1,280.00	
		911.92

1 assistant director from September	1,025.00	
Salary adjustments	50.00	
		5,022.92

Department of Vocational Guidance

Director	\$ 3,276.00	
6 vocational assistants	13,942.13	
3 vocational instructors	8,220.00	
1 temporary vocational assistant, to August 31	1,062.00	
1 additional instructor or assistant from September	1,125.00	
Salary adjustments	50.00	
		27,675.13

Chief Examiner

Chief Examiner	\$ 4,500.00	
2 Examiners from September	2,910.00	
Salary adjustments	60.00	
		7,470.00

Department of Educational Investigation and Measurement

Assistant director of educational investigation and measurement	\$ 3,276.00	
Salary of research assistant	2,160.00	
Correction and tabulation, intelligence tests	250.00	
Additional for correction and tabulation, intelligence tests	100.00	
Salary adjustments	100.00	
		5,886.00

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2 Examiners from September	2,910.00	
Salary adjustments	60.00	
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Correction and tabulation, intelligence tests	250.00	
Additional for correction and tabulation, intelligence tests	100.00	
Salary adjustments	100.00	
		5,886.00

Department of Educational Investigation and Measurement

Director, Modern Foreign Languages		
Director (in addition to salary as first assistant, head of department, modern foreign languages, Teachers' College)...	504.00	
Estimated cost of allowing credit for military service...	2,160.00	
		2,664.00

Total, salaries of instructors. \$9,102,316.58

SALARIES OF OFFICERS

Officers, Clerks, Assistants and Stenographers		
Superintendent	\$10,000.00	
Assistants (31 including one part time) to the Superintendent	45,797.42	
5 Assistants additional	2,508.00	
Temporary assistance	900.00	
Assistant Superintendents (5).....	30,000.00	
Secretary	5,496.00	
Assistant Secretary	3,300.00	
Assistants (8) to the Secretary	11,670.33	
Temporary assistance	400.00	
Librarian	1,800.00	
Business Agent	6,000.00	
Chief Accountant (1), assistants and store keeper (26), and chauffeurs (2) to the Business Agent..	45,274.08	
4 additional assistants	4,368.00	
Temporary assistance	3,600.00	
Schoolhouse Custodian	3,780.00	
Clerk to Schoolhouse Custodian	1,671.66	
Temporary assistance	100.00	
City Treasurer, Custodian of the Retirement Fund	1,500.00	
Telephone Operator	1,256.00	
Substitute telephone operator..	300.91	
Allowance for additions and salary adjustments	9,637.32	
		189,362.72

Attendance Officers

1 Chief attendance officer (vacancy)	\$ 2,916.00	
23 Attendance officers	61,171.80	
1 additional attendance officer ..	1,260.00	
Salary adjustments	1,945.00	
		67,292.80

Supervisor of Licensed Minors

Supervisor	2,652.00	
Salary adjustments	45.00	
		2,697.00

Newsboys' Trial Board

Salaries, judges ..	90.00	
Salary, clerk	40.00	
		130.00

Total, salaries of officers..... \$259,482.52

SALARIES OF CUSTODIANS

Teachers' College Group:		
Custodian	\$10,535.57	
Matron	862.71	
		\$11,398.28

Latin and High Schools:		
Public Latin	6,489.70	
English High	8,043.11	
Brighton High:		
Custodian	\$4,017.11	
Matron	862.71	
5 Portables.....	664.03	
		5,543.55

Charlestown High:		
Custodian	\$3,887.97	
Matron	862.71	
		4,750.68

Dorchester High:		
Custodian	\$7,701.69	
Additional compensation	600.00	
Matrons (2).....	1,725.42	
4 Portables	575.14	
		10,602.25

East Boston High:		
Custodian	\$3,881.69	
1 Portable	176.73	
		4,058.42

Girls High:		
Custodian	\$6,481.34	
Matron	862.71	
4 Portables	531.22	
Girls' High Colony	1,740.59	
		9,615.86

High School of Commerce:		
Custodian	\$6,513.56	
3 Portables	398.42	
		6,911.98

High School of Practical Arts:		
Custodian	\$6,047.89	
Matron	862.71	
		6,910.60

Hyde Park High	3,752.31	
Jamaica Plain High		
Custodian	\$4,166.64	
Matrons	862.71	
4 Portables	575.14	
Additional Com- pensation	132.81	
		5,977.30
Mechanic Arts High		9,198.10
Roxbury High		
Custodian	\$5,219.49	
Matron	862.71	
6 Portables	796.83	
Roxbury High Annex (Win- throp Street) ..	767.55	
3 Portables	398.42	
		8,075.00
South Boston High		
Custodian	\$5,217.92	
Matron	862.71	
		6,110.63
Teachers College, Latin and High Schools		\$107,475.10
Teachers College, Latin and High Schools, as above ..		\$107,475.10
255 Elementary School Buildings:		
Custodians	\$122,060.81	
Matrons (4)	3,450.84	
135 Portables	26,509.68	
		452,011.33
Hired Accommodations:		
Lane House		100.00
Special Schools		
Horace Mann School:		
Custodian	\$1,473.41	
Matron (including additional com- pensation	1,162.71	
		2,636.12
Trade School for Girls		3,921.43
Boston Trade School:		
Custodian	\$ 6,881.32	
Additional compen- sation	81.57	
1 portable	132.81	
		7,095.70
Continuation School:		
25 La Grange Street	\$ 1,676.52	
Brimmer Building	2,330.90	
2 Portables	353.45	
		4,360.87
Day Practical Arts Classes		390.00
Evening Schools, existing schools Summer review schools		22,730.00
Vacation school...		2,043.00
Supply Room, Dart- mouth Street...		199.00
Gardening, can- ning, and handi- craft classes...		661.98
Additional compen- sation for kinder- garden sweeping Day School for Immigrants		740.00
Custodian service, Administration Building		1,000.00
Vocational meet- ings and promo- tional courses, etc.		1,500.00
Exhibits and edu- cational meetings Custodians on leaves of absence Custodians, new buildings		10,604.06
Custodians, vaca- tion school, addi- tional		600.00
Custodian, Teach- ers College, sum- mer courses....		25.00
Salary adjustments		1,000.00
		533.00
Total salaries of Custodians and matrons		324.00
		28,547.39
Fuel and Light		
Bituminous Coal:		
2,000 tons under contract at \$8.71 per ton (average)		\$17,420.00
Estimated cost of storage, exis- ting reserve supply		116.70
Estimated cost of delivery, existing re- serve supply..		1,983.90
25,000 tons deliv- ered to school buildings at \$6.28 per ton.		157,000.00

2,000 tons to be purchased and put into stor- age at \$6.00 per ton	12,000.00	
Estimated cost of storage on same from Sep- tember, 1921..	1,000.00	
Estimated cost of delivery of same to Janu- ary 31, 1925..	1,700.00	
Total for bitu- minous coal.....		\$191,220.60
Anthracite Coal:		
8,700 tons at \$14.50 per ton.....		126,150.00
Fuel Oil:		
788,000 gallons heavy fuel oil at 4.7 cents per gallon.....	37,036.00	
16,000 gallons light fuel oil at 8.2 cents per gallon ..	3,772.00	
Total for fuel oil		40,808.00
Wood:		
511 cords at \$17.50 per cord (average) in- cluding saw- ing, splitting and delivery	8,942.50	
Estimated cost of expert serv- ices	2,500.00	
Estimated cost of moving coal and wood.....	2,957.00	
Total for fuel..		\$372,578.10
Gas	\$13,000.00	
Electric current rent for light...	85,880.00	
Mazda lamps.....	1,389.40	
Total for light.		100,269.40
Electric current for power.....		13,625.00
		486,472.50
Credit:		
Amount to be charged to ex- tended use of the Public Schools for fuel and light.....	6,000.00	
Total, fuel and light		\$480,472.50

SUPPLIES AND INCIDENTALS

Teachers' College		
493 pupils at \$10.00	\$4,930.00	
Additional allow- ance 1924.....	9,000.00	
Drawing supplies..	200.00	
Manual training supplies	75.00	
Total for Teachers' College..		\$14,205.00
Latin and High Schools		
21,330 pupils, as per schedule fol- lowing, from \$3.32 per pupil to \$4.07 per pupil (average \$4.94).	\$104,792.35	
Additional allow- ance 1924, 50c per pupil.....	10,665.00	
Manual training supplies (except Mechanic Arts High)	10,500.00	
Mechanic Arts High School for me- chanical depart- ments as per schedule follow- ing, from \$3.99 to \$3.05 per pu- pil	5,822.00	
Drawing supplies, art books, mod- els, etc.....	4,500.00	
Commercial ma- chines and type- writers	25,250.00	
Repairs to commer- cial machines and typewriters.	1,200.00	
High School of Practical Arts, 1924	800.00	
Cooking supplies and equipment (except High School of Practi- cal Arts).....	850.00	
Sewing Supplies and equipment (except High School of Practi- cal Arts).....	1,000.00	
Public Latin School, library	300.00	
Girls' Latin School, library	300.00	
Rifle practice....	1,800.00	

Additional allow- ance	36.00
Total for Latin and High Schools	\$167,915.35

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Grades I to VIII inclusive, 90,955 pupils as per schedule following, from \$2.10 to \$1.60 per pupil (average \$1.99)	\$182,308.70
Grade IX, 2161 pupils at \$5.00	10,805.00
Kindergarten, 8153 pupils (av- erage \$0.85)	6,930.05
Supplies and equipment for five new kindergartens	1,000.00
Additional allowances, 1924, as follows:	
Grades I to VI, 74,237 pu- pils at 50c.....	37,118.50
Grades VII to VIII, 16,718 pupils at \$1.00.....	16,718.00
Grade IX, 2161 pupils at 50c	1,080.50
Kindergartens, 8153 pupils at 25c	2,038.25
Floor blocks, kindergartens..	500.00
Wendell Phillips: special class supplies	200.00
Dwight: special class supplies	500.00
Dwight: hospital class supplies	100.00
Sherwin: special class supplies	350.00
Edmund P. Tleiston: hospital class supplies.....	200.00
Edmund P. Tleiston: Prender- gast Preventorium supplies..	100.00
Eliot: Long Island Hospital School supplies	100.00
John Marshall: special class supplies	150.00
Additional allowance, 1924....	60.00
Martin: supplies for hospital class for convalescent chil- dren	100.00
Supplies for R. B. Brigham Hospital class	150.00
Model School additional sup- plies	300.00
Washington Irving	2,600.00
Hugh O'Brien	1,200.00
Julia Ward Howe.....	400.00
Thomas Gardner	900.00
Theodore Lyman	800.00
Bennett	1,000.00
Francis Parkman	400.00
Robert G. Shaw	400.00
Manual training supplies and equipment:	
Regular	\$36,000.00
Additional al- lowance	6,700.00
Special class- es	2,500.00
Household Science and Arts	1,200.00
Gardening and recrea- tional han- dicraft ...	4,000.00
	50,400.00
Drawing supplies and equipment:	
Regular in- cluding vases, models, plants, charts, and il- lustrative ma- terials	24,600.00
Additional al- lowance ..	300.00
Special class- es	600.00
	25,500.00
Cookery supplies and equipment:	
Regular	13,500.00
Additional al- lowance ..	650.00
Special class- es	700.00
Additional al- lowance ..	200.00
	15,050.00
Sewing supplies and equipment, including prevocation classes	4,000.00
Sewing supplies for pupils un- able to purchase them.....	250.00
Supplies for other practi- cal arts	1,500.00
Supplies and incidentals for visual in- struction ...	2,500.00
Total for elementary schools	\$367,709.00
Boston Clerical School	
220 pupils at \$7.00	1,540.00
Repairs to com- mercial machines and typewriters.	100.00
	1,640.00
Horace Mann School	
157 pupils at \$4.00 (exclusive of traveling ex- penses)	628.00

Trade School for Girls (Day and Extension Classes)		
Books, supplies and equipment, printing and postage, etc.	10,500.00	
Additional allowance	1395.85	
		11,895.85
Boston Disciplinary Day School		
40 pupils at \$5.00.		200.00
Boston Trade School		
Books, supplies and equipment, printing and postage, etc.	16,500.00	
Additional allowance	8,761.00	
		25,261.00
Continuation School		
Books, supplies, printing and postage	\$ 5,500.00	
Additional allowance	250.00	
Commercial machines and typewriters	500.00	
Repairs to commercial machines and typewriters..	125.00	
		6,375.00
Evening Schools (High and Elementary)		
Supplies	6,500.00	
Additional allowance	600.00	
		7,100.00
Boston Trade School (Evening Classes)		
Supplies	2,900.00	
Additional allowance	300.00	
		3,200.00
Day Practical Arts Classes		
Supplies, etc.	110.00	
Additional allowance	50.00	
		160.00
Day School for Immigrants		
Supplies, etc.	650.00	
Additional allowance	100.00	
		750.00
Training School for Teachers of Mechanic Arts		
Supplies, etc.	150.00	
Additional allowance	350.00	
		500.00
Summer Review Schools		
Supplies for High Review School...	300.00	
Supplies for Elementary Review Schools	770.00	
Additional allowance	530.00	
Reimbursement to day schools for use of books and materials	480.00	
Additional allowance	70.00	
		2,150.00
Vacation School		
Supplies, etc.	350.00	
Additional allowance	900.00	
		1,250.00
Classes for Conservation of Eyesight.		
Books, apparatus and supplies	700.00	
Additional allowance	150.00	
		850.00
Speech Improvement Classes		
Books and supplies	225.00	
Additional allowance	200.00	
		425.00
Music Appropriation		
Pianos, kindergarten (7)	2,275.00	
Pianos, hall	2,275.00	
Pianos, rooms (7)	975.00	
Pianos, special classes (3)	650.00	
Pianos, speech improvement classes (2)	650.00	
Pianos, conservation of eyesight classes (2)	650.00	
Pianos, gymnasium (2)	650.00	

Orchestral and band instruments and music stands	10,000.00	
Orchestral music	300.00	
Repairs, regulation and reconstruction of pianos...	1,200.00	
Piano covers and stools	400.00	
Piano players and rolls	3,000.00	
Piano tuning and minor repairs	2,400.00	
Moving pianos	400.00	
		25,175.00
Printing, etc.		
Printing and stock for same	30,000.00	
Advertising	800.00	
Records, proceedings, newspapers, etc.	3,300.00	
		34,100.00
Custodians' supplies	27,900.00	
Additional allowance	2,500.00	
		30,400.00
School Committee		
Office supplies, printing and postage	100.00	
Superintendent		
Office supplies, printing and postage	1,500.00	
Additional allowance	500.00	
		2,000.00
Board of Superintendents		
Office supplies, printing and postage	1,100.00	
Additional allowance	400.00	
		1,500.00
Secretary		
Office supplies, printing and postage	1,100.00	
Additional allowance	200.00	
		1,300.00
Administration Library		
Office supplies, printing, postage, books and periodicals	500.00	
Additional allowance	2,000.00	
		2,500.00
Business Agent (Including Supply Room)		
Account books, office supplies, printing and postage	2,600.00	
Schoolhouse Custodian		
Office supplies, printing and postage	210.00	
Additional allowance	250.00	
		460.00
Attendance Officers		
Office supplies, printing and postage	500.00	
Additional allowance	100.00	
		600.00
Supervisor of Licensed Minors		
Office supplies, printing and postage	75.00	
Department of Manual Arts		
Office supplies, printing and postage	900.00	
Department of Practice and Training		
Office supplies, printing and postage	200.00	
Additional allowance	150.00	
		350.00
Primary Supervisors		
Office supplies, printing and postage	100.00	
Additional allowance	200.00	
		300.00
Department of Educational Investigation and Measurement		
Supplies for testing	2,100.00	
Additional allowance	900.00	

Printing in connection with testing	500.00	
Supplies for examiner in penmanship	100.00	
Office supplies, printing and postage	200.00	
Additional allowance	50.00	
		3,850.00
Director of Household Science and Arts		
Office supplies, printing and postage	200.00	
Director of Kindergartens		
Office supplies, printing and postage	200.00	
Additional allowance	50.00	
		250.00
Director of Modern Foreign Languages.		
Office supplies, printing and postage	100.00	
Director of Special Classes		
Office supplies, printing and postage	175.00	
Additional allowance	75.00	
		250.00
Commercial Co-ordinator		
Office supplies, printing and postage	75.00	
Additional allowance	425.00	
		500.00
Director of Penmanship		
Office supplies, printing and postage	210.00	
Director of Music		
Office supplies, printing and postage	275.00	
Additional allowance	225.00	
Examiners of pupils	275.00	
Additional allowance	175.00	
		950.00
Director of Evening Schools		
Office supplies, printing and postage	750.00	
Additional allowance	500.00	
		1,250.00
Vocational Guidance		
Office supplies, printing and postage	425.00	
Additional allowance	75.00	
		500.00
Express Charges		
Express charges..	2,500.00	
Transportation		
(a) Railroad and other fares (except street car tickets), Horace Mann School pupils	\$1,800.00	
(b) Car tickets as authorized by the Board	15,000.00	
Additional	300.00	
(c) Automobile hire for emergency use	150.00	
(d) Automobile mileage of officers of the Board and of such teachers and members of the supervising staff as may be designated by the Superintendent at rates to be fixed by the Business Agent	2,000.00	
		19,250.00
Tuition		
(a) Wards of the city	\$25,000.00	
(b) Others (pupils attending school in outside industrial and agricultural schools, etc.)	1,500.00	
		26,500.00

Miscellaneous

(a) Diplomas and certificates	\$4,000.00
Additional allowance	550.00
(b) Removing ashes and snow	2,500.00
(c) Surety bonds	120.00
(d) School Committee Contingent Fund	850.00
(e) Board of Superintendents' Contingent Fund, educational magazines, books, lectures, etc.	500.00
(f) Assistance, teachers' examinations	2,500.00
(g) School exhibits	500.00
(h) Telephone and telegraph (exclusive of schools)	7,000.00
(i) Bath expenses, soap and towels for use in kindergartens, vocational classes, etc.	2,500.00
(j) Badges, licensed minors	350.00
(k) Improvement and promotional courses for teachers	5,500.00
Additional allowance	6,700.00
(l) Services of certified public accountants, auditing accounts.	1,150.00
(m) Services of experts to the Business Agent	1,200.00
(n) Traveling expenses of officers, teachers, and members of the supervising staff	1,000.00
(o) Automobile supplies, equipment, repairs, replacements, etc.	1,500.00
Additional allowance	1,000.00
(p) Printing for publicity .....	.....
(q) Services of actuary	1,500.00
(r) Sundries	3,500.00
(s) Unassigned for special needs.	50,000.00
	94,420.00

Total supplies and incidentals \$965,204.20

Schedule for Supplies and Incidentals for Latin and High Schools.

1924-25

Each school shall be allowed \$5.32 for each pupil up to 400; for all pupils in excess of 400 each school is to be allowed \$5.07 per pupil up to 800; for all pupils in excess of 800 each school is to be allowed \$4.82 per pupil up to 1,200; for all pupils in excess of 1,200 each school is to be allowed \$4.57 per pupil up to 1,600; for all pupils in excess of 1,600 each school is to be allowed \$4.32 per pupil up to 2,000; and for all pupils in excess of 2,000 each school is to be allowed \$4.07 per pupil.

It should be understood that the allowance per pupil is the same in all schools up to the limit of the number of pupils.

Number of Pupils	Allowance Per Pupil	Total
Up to 400	\$5.32	\$2,128
401 to 800	5.07	4,156
801 to 1,200	4.82	6,084
1,201 to 1,600	4.57	7,912
1,601 to 2,000	4.32	9,640
2,000 and upwards	4.07	.....

Schedule for Supplies and Incidentals for Elementary Schools—
Grades, 1924-25.

Each school shall be allowed \$2.10 per pupil up to 600; for all pupils in excess of 600 each school is to be allowed \$2.00 per pupil up to 1,000; for all pupils in excess of 1,000 each school is to be allowed \$1.90 per pupil up to 1,400; for all pupils in excess of 1,400 each school is to be allowed \$1.80 per pupil up to 1,800;

for all pupils in excess of 1,800 each school is to be allowed \$1.70 per pupil up to 2,200; for all pupils in excess of 2,200 each school is to be allowed \$1.60 per pupil.

It should be understood that the allowance per pupil is the same in all schools up to the limit of the number of pupils.

Number of Pupils	Allowance Per Pupil	Total
Up to 600	\$2.10	\$1,260
601 to 1,000	2.00	2,060
1,001 to 1,400	1.90	2,820
1,401 to 1,800	1.80	3,540
1,801 to 2,200	1.70	4,220
2,201 and upwards	1.60	.....

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Salaries

Director of Physical Training	\$ 3,996.00
Clerk	1,360.66
Clerk, part time	628.00
Temporary clerical assistance .....	.....
1 Junior master, physical training	2,603.60
16 Assistants, physical training	38,157.03
10 Assistant instructors, physical training	19,312.00
12 Teacher coaches	9,600.00
3 Teacher coaches	500.00
12 Teacher managers	1,800.00
Play teachers, high schools	3,051.00
1 Assistant instructor, physical training (vacancy)	1,956.00
2 Additional assistant instructors, physical training	2,711.00
1 Additional instructor, physical training from September	905.00
3 Assistants, physical training, promoted from instructors, physical training	144.00
1 Play teacher to June	198.00
1 Swimming coach to April	216.00
Salary adjustments	100.00
	\$ 87,238.29

Supplies and Equipment

Office supplies, postage, printing, car tickets and incidentals	\$1,800.00
Reduction of estimates	800.00
	\$ 1,600.00
Supplies, equipment and incidentals, high school athletics, including sweaters	\$10,500.00
Additional allowance	2,100.00
Military supplies, annual parade, and exhibition drills	11,400.00
Additional allowance	600.00
Supplies for gymnastics, games and play	1,800.00
Additional allowance	1,200.00
Gymnasium apparatus and equipment and repairs on same	\$2,800.00
Reduction of estimates	1,000.00
	1,800.00
Athletic diplomas and certificates	150.00
Additional allowance	50.00
	30,600.00

Playgrounds—Salaries

Supervisor of playgrounds	\$ 2,186.40
Salaries of playground supervisors and teachers	89,200.00
Additional allowance	11,955.09
Salaries of custodians	5,000.00
Additional allowance	1,500.00
	59,841.49

Playgrounds—Supplies and Equipment.

New apparatus and repairs on apparatus	\$3,600.00
Supplies for games and play	4,550.00
Additional allowance	1,850.00
Printing, certificates and incidentals	310.00
Additional allowance	290.00
	10,500.00
Total physical education	\$188,279.78
Amount available:	
From the tax levy	\$181,632.04
Balance, appropriation, 1923-24	3,258.93
Excess of income, 1923-24, over that estimated	1,888.81
Estimated income, 1924-25	1,500.00
	\$188,279.78

SCHOOL PHYSICIANS AND NURSES

Department of Medical Inspection

Salaries

Director	\$ 3,516.00
Medical inspector	2,328.00
	\$5,844.00
52 School physicians	\$46,800.00
1 Additional school physician from September	375.00
1 School physician, certifying office	1,296.00
Temporary school physicians	2,600.00
Clerk	1,674.68
Additional compensation, Schick tests	4,000.00
Temporary clerical assistance	100.00
Salary adjustments	2,210.00
	\$59,055.66

Supplies and Incidentals

Special outfits, charts, and apparatus ..	\$ 600.00
Additional allowance	345.00
Office supplies, printing and postage	850.00
Additional allowance	1,764.55
Medical supplies and incidentals ..	150.00
Additional allowance	200.00
Schick testing outfits, printing, etc.	500.00
Additional allowance	500.00
	4,909.55

NURSES

Salaries

1 Supervising nurse	\$2,196.00
50 School nurses ..	77,645.05
1 Temporary nurse 4 weeks @ \$30 ..	120.00
Salary adjustments	2,290.00
	\$82,251.05

Supplies and Incidentals

Medical supplies and incidentals ..	\$800.00
Additional allowance	200.00
Car tickets	1,000.00
Additional allowance	300.00
Office supplies, printing and postage	250.00
Additional allowance	250.00
	2,800.00

Total school physicians and nurses	\$154,860.26
Amount Available:	
From the tax levy	\$148,606.03
Unexpended balance 1923-24 ..	8,119.92
	\$156,727.95

PENSIONS TO TEACHERS.

For pensions to retired teachers and payments to the Trustees of the Permanent Pension Fund, the amount available under chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908, chapter 617 of the Acts of 1910, chapter 304 of the Acts of 1915, and chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919, viz., 7 cents on each \$1,000 of the valuation of the city \$115,584.03

PENSIONS TO ATTENDANCE OFFICERS AND CUSTODIANS

Pensions to 1 retired attendance officer and 11 retired custodians \$5,935.60

EXTENDED USE OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Salaries, Administration
Director \$3,396.00
Clerk 1,121.33
Salary adjustments 164.00
4,681.33

Supplies and Incidentals, Administration
Office supplies \$50.00
Advertising, printing, and postage. 200.00
Car tickets 55.00
305.00

Salaries, Centers and Other Activities
Managers \$6,000.00
Associate managers 7,000.00
Leaders, helpers and other employees 15,836.00
Lectures, concerts, entertainments, patriotic meetings, etc. 3,000.00
31,836.00

Custodians' Salaries, Centers and Other Activities
Centers \$7,500.00
Schoolhouse accommodations 4,600.51
Lectures, concerts, entertainments, patriotic meetings, etc. 990.00
13,090.51

Supplies, Equipment, Etc., Centers and Other Activities.
Supplies \$1,500.00
Equipment 1,600.00
Supplies and incidentals for lectures, concerts, entertainments, patriotic meetings, etc. 900.00
Estimated cost of fuel and light.. 6,000.00
10,000.00

Total, extended use of the public schools \$59,912.84

Amount available:
From the tax levy, 3 cents 49,536.01
Unexpended balance, appropriation, 1923-24 ... 3,919.65
Excess of income over amount estimated, 1923-24.. 1,457.18
Estimated income, 1924-25 5,000.00
\$59,912.84

ORDERED, That to meet the current expenses of the School Committee during the financial year February 1, 1924, to January 31, 1925, the following sums are hereby appropriated for the purposes stated:

For general school purposes, including Americanization and Vocational Guidance:
Salaries of instructors..... \$9,102,316.58
Salaries of officers..... 259,482.52
Salaries of custodians..... 659,497.98
Fuel and light..... 480,472.50
Supplies and incidentals.... 865,204.20
Pensions to attendance officers and custodians..... 5,935.60
Physical education 188,279.78
School physicians and nurses 154,800.26
Pensions to teachers..... 115,584.03
Extended use of the public schools 59,912.84
Total \$11,891,546.29

The estimates submitted by the Business Agent were placed on file, and the order appended thereto passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

CERTIFICATION AND APPOINTMENT OF NOON-RELIEF TELEPHONE OPERATOR.

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of June 13, 1924, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible for appointment as noon-relief telephone operator, Administration Building:

Helen R. Gustus, Arlene M. Roberts, Margaret V. Lane, Elizabeth H. Porter, and Margaret M. Doyle.
Placed on file.

On motion, Margaret V. Lane, the candidate standing highest on the list willing to accept appointment, was appointed noon relief telephone operator, Administration Building, at a salary of \$5.75 per week, to take effect June 18, 1924.

PAYMENT OF SALARIES AND PENSIONS DUE AT DEATH.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due Jessie W. Kelly, late master's assistant, Washington Allston District, be paid to her sister, Anna Kelly.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the pension due Henry L. Sawyer, late master emeritus of the Bennett District, be paid to his widow, Martha A. Sawyer.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the pension due the late Affie T. Wier, a retired teacher, be paid her sister, Clara M. Hill.

ESTABLISHMENT OF PRINCE SCHOOL FUND

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Prince School Fund is hereby established which shall consist of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150) contributed by teachers and pupils in the Prince School as a gift to Frederic H. Ripley, who retired as a principal of that school on April 30, 1923, and donated by him for such fund, and forty dollars (\$40) additional thereto which had previously been presented by a graduating class, and such sums as shall from time to time be added thereto by gifts or legacies, which fund shall be held in trust by the person holding the office of treasurer of the city of Boston, who is hereby appointed as trustee of said fund, said trustee shall invest and reinvest the principal of said fund and shall from time to time, on demand, pay the income thereof to the principal of said school, who shall expend the said income at his discretion for the benefit of said school.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIANS ON DAY OF ANNUAL OUTING.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That all custodians whose services may be dispensed with be granted leave of absence, without loss of pay, on June 23, 1924, to attend the Annual Field Day of the Custodians' Association.

APPOINTMENT TO PORTABLES.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of June 16, 1924, recommending the appointment of the following-named custodians to the portables mentioned, to take effect April 16, 1924:

Michael T. Reagan, Portable No. 225, located in the yard of the Clinch School.

Hilary Johnson, Portable No. 224, located in the yard of the Sarah Greenwood School.

Placed on file, and the appointments approved, to take effect on the date stated.

APPOINTMENTS OF CUSTODIANS DURING SUMMER.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of June 16, 1924, recommending that he be authorized, during the summer months, to make appointments to fill vacancies in the custodianships of schoolhouses, provided such appointments are in accordance with Civil Service rules.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

AMENDMENT TO SCHEDULE OF EXTRA COMPENSATION FOR CUSTODIAN SERVICE.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of June 16, 1924, recommending that the Schedule of Extra Compensation for Custodian Service be amended.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Schedule of Extra Compensation for Custodian Service is hereby amended as follows:

Section 1, paragraph 10. Insert the following item:

	Sun., Mon.,	
	Tues., Thurs.,	
	and Sat. Wed.	
School.		
Washington Irving.		
Assembly hall	1.35	.45

COMPLAINT AGAINST A SCHOOL CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of June 16, 1924, reporting a custodian for general neglect of duty and recommending that the matter be referred to the Trial Board.

Referred to the Trial Board for investigation and report.

PETITIONS OF BOSTON ELEMENTARY TEACHERS' CLUB REGARDING INCREASES IN SALARIES.

A communication was received from Anne D. Allard, President, Boston Elementary Teachers' Club, under date of June 9, 1924, petitioning, on behalf of the Salary Committee of that Club, that the Board grant no increases of salary until sufficient funds are assured to grant increase to the elementary teachers; stating that the members of the Salary Committee consider that the proposed changes in salaries are the gravest injustice to their group that has been contemplated in many years; and earnestly requesting that the

Board reconsider the matter in the light of recent information with regard to the reaction among the teachers.

Referred to the Board of Apportionment.

The following preamble and resolve were received from Anne D. Allard, President, Boston Elementary Teachers' Club, under date of June 12, 1924:

The members of the Boston Elementary Teachers' Club in meeting assembled, have unanimously adopted the following resolutions, and have directed that copies be sent to your Honorable Committee:

Whereas, The object of the Boston Elementary Teachers' Club is "to promote a spirit of professional loyalty which shall lead the unity of action whenever required for the advancement of the best interests of all the members"—

Whereas, The Boston Elementary Teachers' Club whenever instrumental in securing funds from the Legislature for salaries has obtained a sufficient amount to increase the salaries of all groups,—

Whereas, In the last twelve years these funds have been used by the School Committees toward maintaining or decreasing the differences now existing between salaries of elementary assistants and those of other ranks—

Whereas, The tendency throughout the country is toward a uniform salary schedule for all grades with lessening of differences between salaries of teachers and those of executives and supervisors—

Whereas, The argument in favor of maintaining the present difference or lessening it, was used but a few months ago by the former chairman of the School Committee as the principal reason for opposing equal salaries for high school women and men—

Whereas, Investigators have frequently expressed the opinion that the schedule of salaries of the School Department of Boston is "too heavy"—

Whereas, Educators and public officials have continually reiterated the fact that the best work and the most valuable to our community, city, state, and nation is accomplished by the elementary assistants—

Whereas, The president of the Boston Elementary Teachers' Club has clearly and repeatedly stated the position of this organization which is composed of the large group of classroom teachers of the elementary school—

Be it Resolved, That the Boston Elementary Teachers' Club respectfully requests that no increases be granted until sufficient funds can be obtained from the Legislature to give increases to all, with due consideration for the lowest paid, the elementary teachers, who render such invaluable service.

Accompanying this petition were numerous other similar petitions signed by many teachers.

Referred to the Board of Apportionment.

PETITION FOR ADJUSTMENT OF LOSS SUSTAINED IN CHANGE FROM TEN-PAYMENT TO TWELVE-PAYMENT METHOD.

A communication was received from Anne D. Allard, President, Boston Elementary Teachers' Club, under date of June 15, 1924, offering the following suggestions for consideration in the distribution of

the surplus of the Committee's appropriation:

That the Committee take action on the petition of the Boston Elementary Teachers' Club that the Committee order such adjustments as will insure each teacher affected by the change in the method of payment the full amount of the step on the salary schedule to which she is entitled.

That the Committee order that teachers in the first year of service be put on anniversary September 1st, or that at the end of a full year of service, adjustments be ordered to insure the full amount of \$1,200 to each teacher affected.

That the Committee consider the suggestions that have been made to each member in conference that a uniform increment of \$120 and a general anniversary of September 1st, be established.

Referred to the Board of Apportionment.

AMENDMENTS TO RULES AND REGULATIONS.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That section 16, paragraph 1, of chapter I of the rules be amended to read as follows:

Section 16. 1. All sessions, conferences, meetings and hearings of the Board shall be open to the public, with the following exception:

The Board may by a majority vote, go into executive session for preliminary consideration of a particular case or matter of a nature universally accepted as peculiarly private, or involving the personal conduct, character or reputation of a member of the Committee, school official, teacher or other employee of the School Committee, parent, pupil or any other person; provided, however, that full record shall be duly taken of the proceedings and no vote shall be passed in such executive session.

Laid over.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rules are hereby amended as follows:

Chapter IX

Duties of Salary Board.

Sections 140 and 141. Strike out both sections and substitute in place thereof the following:

Section 140. Each officer of the School Committee shall annually consider the classification and salaries of clerks and stenographers employed in his office and shall recommend to the Board such changes in classification and salaries as in his opinion are expedient. These recommendations shall be in writing and shall specifically state the reasons for the changes desired, and be particularly specific if the promotion of an individual is retarded or a demotion involved. Such changes shall take effect on the first day of February or at such later date as the salary board may recommend, and shall continue for a period of one year. Such classification and salaries having once been established for an ensuing year shall not be changed during that year.

Laid over.

SALARIES OF ASSISTANTS, ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the order passed at the meeting of June 2, 1924 (see p. 99), establishing the compensation

of persons employed in the administrative offices and the supply room, be amended to provide for the following reclassification where necessary, and the weekly compensation here indicated:

Class A.	Per Week.
Annie M. Burke	\$40
Margaret E. Hicks	35
Mary J. Hennessey	35
Marie T. Corkery	35
Agnes E. Reynolds	35
Class B.	
Catherine T. R. Healy	29

On motion of Mr. O'Hare, the order was amended by inserting the name of Katherine T. McCarthy in Class A group, compensation to be at the rate of \$35 per week, and by inserting the designation of Annie M. Burke as pay roll clerk.

In support of the foregoing order, Mr. Sullivan offered the following statement:

I offer as authority for my order amending order of June 2, 1924, establishing salaries, the minutes of July 19, 1918, and July 5, 1922, amending salary order of February 1, 1922, and the following statement on my order:

Annie M. Burke—In the service of the School Committee since 1908, as payroll clerk. For sixteen years Miss Burke has carried on the work of payrolls for 4,000 regular teachers, involving a yearly salary expenditure of \$8,000,000. The responsibilities of her position have often compelled her to work overtime without compensation. All familiar with her work agree that her minimum salary should be at least \$40.00 per week. This capable, conscientious, loyal employee, has been the victim of the outstanding salary injustice of the entire system.

Margaret E. Hicks—A victim of the Business Agent's time-clock philosophy. In the words of the Business Agent she is a superior clerk of excellent attainments. Her zeal is attested by her record of overtime. Her work is of a supervisory nature, involving purchasing contracts and orders.

Mary J. Hennessey—Thirteen years in the employ. Has charge of the running account. Last year approved 26,000 requisitions. Her duties have necessitated much overtime work.

Marie T. Corkery—In the service since September, 1907, attached to the office of the Superintendent. Her stenographic superiority acknowledged and availed of at hearings and meetings, private and public, of the School Committee.

Agnes E. Reynolds—Serving since July, 1912, as assistant in the office of the Secretary. Handles work in connection with meetings of School Board and other related work assigned by Secretary.

Catherine T. R. Healey—A stenographer in the service in the School Committee since 1919, acting in the capacity of secretary to the Director of Physical Training. Her valuable service recommends her for recognition and reward.

The cases referred to are the only ones that have come to my notice. I am ready and willing to consider any others where equal justice obtains.

The statement was placed on file, and the question came on the passage of the order, as amended.

The order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Mr. O'Hare and Mr. Sullivan—3.

NAYS—Miss Curtis—1.

ABSENT—Dr. Scannell—1.

DISCONTINUANCE OF TIME-CLOCK IN BUSINESS AGENT'S OFFICE.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the assistants in the Business Agent's office be no longer required to stamp their time on a time-clock, on arriving at the Office of the Business Agent, until such time as the School Committee decides to provide a time-clock which would be used by all employees in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, on the days when they are required to be on duty at the opening hours of their respective offices.

In support of the foregoing order, Mr. Sullivan offered the following statement:

I offer the following statement for inclusion in the minutes. With reluctance I approach the duty of criticizing in public meeting the Business Agent and his administration of office; but in the light of recent events, there is no escape.

The Business Agent's time-clock is apparently his pride and his joy. It records to the second any and all lateness on arrival, but scrupulously ignores all reference to overtime. Of the seventy-five employees in the Administration Offices, but nineteen are privileged to stamp the time-clock, because its popularity from its installation has been closely confined to the Business Agent.

The fates of the nineteen clerks depend solely on this temporal automaton; the destinies of the fifty-six are not even interested—thus the discrimination is evident.

Perhaps the time-clock would have ticked merrily on, without interruption or stop, but for the Business Agent's disclosure of his time-clock philosophy. In his recent salary recommendations he withheld increases from deserving clerks because his time-clock found them wanting. He commended their excellence as clerks, but the time-clock's tick was fatal and final.

In the Business Agent's time-clock philosophy overtime without pay is in no sense compensation for lateness; undertime is a scandal and overtime a mere gratuity.

This one-way clock is an imposition and a positive injustice. Assuming the competence of our administrative officers as a premise, there is no need in our system for this discriminatory time-clock and its antiquated philosophy.

The statement was placed on file and the order passed.

TWELVE - PAYMENT SYSTEM NOT TO PREJUDICE RIGHTS OF TEACHERS TO UNPAID BALANCES UNDER PRE-EXISTING CONTRACTUAL RIGHTS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the introduction of the twelve-payment system and its acceptance by the School Committee shall not be construed in any way as prejudicial to the rights of teachers to unpaid balances, if any, accruing to the said teachers under their pre-existing contractual rights.

In support of the foregoing order, Mr. Sullivan offered the following statement:

One thousand teachers are affected by the change from the ten-payment to the twelve-payment system, and they allege a loss approximating \$200,000. There is mathematical conflict involved in this change.

The Business Agent asserts one thing; the teachers another. The Business Agent states that all differences will have resolved themselves by August 31st next. In all events the teachers are entitled to a saving clause at this time to protect their right to unpaid balances, if any, already earned by them, and I am offering the order for this purpose.

The statement was placed on file, and the order passed.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,

Assistant Secretary.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, June 16, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Watson.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

W. H. Ballard & Co., Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 262-268 Washington street, caused by broken water main.

Mrs. Marie A. Battis, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Audubon road.

Wm. J. Canavan for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect at Washington and Water streets.

Mrs. Julia Carr, for compensation for damage to property at 49 Brook avenue, caused by ash team.

Maria Colangelo, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Parkman street.

Julia Conlon, for compensation for collapse of boiler at 44 Atkins street, caused by water being shut off.

Mrs. Mary E. Doe, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Meade street.

John E. Dolaher, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 15 Malden street.

William A. Donnellan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Headhouse Pier, South Boston.

Mary E. Doyle, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Columbia road.

Amerigo Drago, for compensation for damage to automobile, caused by collision with City Hospital ambulance on Washington street.

Joseph Erin, for compensation for injuries caused by negligent operation of automobile of Public Works Department on Washington street.

Salvatore Ferlito, for compensation for damage to automobile by ash team.

Helen G. Ferris, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Washington street, Brighton.

Michael J. Fitzgerald, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 15 Dock square.

Caroline A. Fryer, for compensation for damage to coat in front of 20 Carpenter street, caused by paint on hydrant.

Frank A. Garvin, for compensation for damage to property at 67 Fairbanks street, Brighton, caused by bad condition of street.

Salvatore Giovanni, for compensation for injuries caused by negligent operation of ferryboat "John M. Sullivan."

Laurence H. Githens, for compensation for damage to automobile at Stuart and Arlington streets, caused by truck of Park Department.

Edward F. Gleason, M. D., for compensation for damage to automobile in front of Hotel Buckminster, caused by police officer.

Louise Graham, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 65 Cornhill street.

Alice Hall, for compensation for loss of articles at Boston City Hospital, caused by defective sterilizer.

Patrick Hastings, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Kirkland street.

Max Helman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 35 South Russell street.

J. J. Hurley & Co., for compensation for damage to property at 102-104 Broadway, caused by broken water main.

Harland F. Hussey, for compensation for damage to automobile, caused by an alleged defect in the Harvard Bridge.

Grace Mildred Jennings, for compensation for damage to clothing in Haymarket square, caused by city sprinkler.

Albert Johnson, for compensation for damage to automobile on Milk street, caused by city street cleaner.

Willard E. Jones, for compensation for loss of articles from locker at Franklin Park.

John J. Kelleher, for compensation for damage to business caused by delay in putting in sewer at 5330 and 5336 Washington street.

Georgia M. Kelley, for compensation for damage to property at 51 Homes avenue, caused by backing of water from sewer.

Mary A. Kelly, for compensation for damage to automobile by ball thrown from John F. Barry Playground.

William D. Kerr, for compensation for damage to property at 60 Putnam street, East Boston, caused by shot fired by police officer.

Michael Kilduff, for compensation for damage to property at 5 Lexington street, caused by falling tree.

Harry S. Koretz, for compensation for damage to car at Hampden street, caused by fire apparatus.

Elizabeth Krupp, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Massachusetts avenue.

Abraham Lifland, for compensation for injuries caused by defective board in swimming tank at Municipal Building, Jamaica Plain.

Frank J. Magin, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by collision with city truck at Cooper street.

Thomas F. Martin, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by collision with motorcycle at Dartmouth and Tremont streets, operated by officer.

Tyler T. McAdam, for compensation for damage to automobile at Brighton avenue and Quint street, caused by city team.

Charles J. McAdams, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 215 Condor street.

Joseph Moren, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in West Cedar street.

George A. Morris, for compensation for articles taken from 17 Braddock park by ash men.

Susan Murphy, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Russell street, Charlestown.

William L. Murphy, for compensation for damage to automobile at Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, caused by ash team.

George H. Noone, for compensation for shortage of payment on sand and gravel delivered to city.

Mrs. M. H. Pierce, for compensation for damage to property at 169 West Newton street, caused by city team.

Mrs. Florence Phelps, for compensation for expenses incurred in fixing drain at 12 Newton street.

Lucy E. Plympton, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Stuart street and Columbus avenue.

James F. Quest, for compensation for damage to automobile on Huntington avenue, caused by fire apparatus.

James Quinn, for compensation for damage to clothing at Hayes square, Charlestown, caused by street watering team.

Daniel T. Ring, for compensation for loss of overcoat from Brighton High School.

Mrs. Frank Rudkin, for compensation for damage to automobile at corner of Florence street and Harrison avenue, caused by city team.

Rudolph Santini, for compensation for loss of articles at Boston City Hospital, destroyed in fumigating room.

Ella V. Sullivan, for compensation for damage to clothing on Marion street, East Boston, caused by oil sprayer.

Christopher J. Sweeney, for compensation for expenses incurred on locating of wrong sewer pipe.

Katherine Szadai, for compensation for baby carriage taken from sidewalk of 40 Kirkland street by street cleaners.

John C. Thompson, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Arthur R. Von Balsan, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by carelessness of gate man on East Boston Ferry.

Timothy H. Wall, for compensation for in-

juries caused by an alleged defect at Blue Hill avenue and Clifford streets.

Ida Wolpert, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Lewis street, East Boston.

Clarence G. Young, for compensation for damage to clothing at Haymarket square, caused by city sprinkler.

Salvatore S. Zottoli, for compensation for damage to automobile at corner of Massachusetts avenue and Huntington avenue, caused by city team.

Executive.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement, viz.:

George W. White, Butler Hall, June 12.
Florence Stevenson, Recital Hall, June 12.
Maria Kedrino, Jordan Hall, June 4.

APPROVAL OF APPELLATE EXPENSE BILLS.

Communications were received from the Municipal Court of the West Roxbury District certifying to the following expense bills incurred at sitting of Appellate Division in said court, viz.:

Frank A. Milliken, \$10.38; Oscar A. Marden, \$7.50; Nathan Washburn, \$24.20.

Approved by the City Council acting as County Commissioners.

JURY LIST.

Notice was received from the City Clerk of list of inhabitants qualified to serve as jurors. In connection with the same Coun. PURCELL offered the following:

Ordered, That the City Clerk be hereby directed to cause the names on the jury list, as transmitted to him by the Election Commissioners, and contained in City Document No 46, to be written each on a separate ballot, and said ballots to be properly folded and placed in the box provided for the purpose.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constables' bonds of Carl Birger Berg, Louis Budd, John J. Cadigan, William E. Castaldo, Morris Chalfin, Anthony Laureana, Samuel Mandelstam, Samuel Shain, Francis J. Tobin, Harry A. Webber.

Approved by the City Council.

INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Courtenay Guild, in accordance with law, of interest in contract for advertising.

Placed on file.

ORGANIZATION OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

Notice was received from the Library Trustees of organization with Mr. Louis E. Kirstein as president, Michael J. Murray as vice president and Miss Della Jean Deery as clerk.

Placed on file.

ORGANIZATION OF BOSTON SANATORIUM TRUSTEES.

Notice was received from the Boston Sanatorium Trustees of organization with Dr. John F. O'Brien as chairman and Dr. James J. Minot as secretary.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. of proposed taking of land in Dorchester, said hearing to be held at the State House on June 2 at 10.30 a. m.

Placed on file.

Notice was received from the Board of Street Commissioners of hearings on Monday, June 9, on various petitions for storage and sale of gasoline.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SIDEWALK ASSESSMENTS.

Communications were received from the Street Commissioners recommending the passage of orders assessing certain people for their

proportionate parts of the cost of setting edgestones and constructing sidewalks in front of their estates, viz.:

Judson street, Ward 17, \$683.57; Dudley street, Ward 17, \$456.25.

The orders were passed.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENTS.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of P. H. Jennings as Superintendent of Public Buildings.

(In connection with the above notice was received from the Mayor of the withdrawal of the name of P. H. Jennings.)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Michael J. Reidy as Superintendent of Public Buildings, a certified copy of the same having been sent to the Civil Service Commissioners.

Placed on file.

Notice was received of the appointment of Charles D. Maginnis as Art Commissioner, a certified copy of the same having been sent to the Civil Service Commission.

Placed on file.

RAILWAY LOCATIONS.

Copies of orders were received from the Street Commissioners giving railway locations, viz.:

Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company, 11th location, Spring street.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, Maverick square, 35th location.

Placed on file.

ESCALATOR, BOWDOIN SQUARE STATION.

A communication was received from the Boston Elevated Railway Company concerning escalator at Bowdoin Square Station, stating that it was inadvisable to grant the request.

Placed on file.

ACCEPTANCE OF ACT.

Notice was received from the School Committee of acceptance of chapter 380, Acts of 1924, relative to salaries of Schoolhouse Commissioners.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF VOUCHER.

A voucher was received for the salary of John F. Sullivan, court officer of the District Court of Chelsea, for the month of June, amounting to \$166.66.

Approved by the City Council.

PAYMENT TO MILLIKEN BROTHERS.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 538 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to Pay a Sum of Money to the Brothers of Frank H. Milliken" be and the same hereby is accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 438 of the Acts of 1924, the sum of one thousand dollars be allowed and paid to Daniel R. and William H. Milliken, brothers of Frank H. Milliken, who was accidentally shot and killed by a police officer who was making an arrest, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

AMENDMENT TO JITNEY ORDINANCE.

Coun. LANE offered the following:

City of Boston

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-four.

An Ordinance Concerning Jitney Licenses.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Chapter six of the Ordinances of 1921 is hereby amended by striking out section one and inserting in place thereof the following: "Section 1. No person, firm or corporation shall, in the city of Boston, operate any motor vehicle upon any public way, for the carriage of passengers for hire, in such a manner as to afford a means of transportation

similar to that afforded by a railway company, by indiscriminately receiving and discharging passengers along the route on which the vehicle is operated or may be running, or for transporting passengers for hire as a business between fixed and regular termini without first obtaining a license therefor from the City Council, and unless such license is in force according to the provisions of and subject to this ordinance. Such license shall be subject to revocation at any time by order of the City Council, and the withdrawal or impairment of the surety on the bond required by section four of this ordinance shall be deemed to be a revocation without action by the City Council. The fee for such license shall be five dollars. Whenever the word "licenses" is used in this ordinance it shall mean the person, firm or corporation licensed under this section.

Coun. LANE—Mr. President, this is merely an amendment to our present ordinance to conform to the statute.

The rule was suspended, on motion of Coun. LANE, and the ordinance was passed.

LAYING OUT OF BYNNER STREET.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Board of Street Commissioners, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to lay out Bynner street, Ward 14, as a public way.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

LAYING OUT OF CONVERSE STREET.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to accept and lay out Converse street, Ward 26, as a public highway.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SIDEWALK ORDERS.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Newton street (both sides), from Brooks street to No. 56 Newton street, Ward 26, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Centre street (easterly side), from John Eliot square to Columbus avenue, Ward 15, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of Chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, submitted a report recommending the passage of an order for the payment of soldiers' relief to soldiers and sailors and their families, in the City of Boston, for the month of June, 1924.

Report accepted; order passed.

SALARY OF CLERK, CHARLESTOWN COURT.

Coun. HEALEY offered an order—That chapter 503 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Establishing the Salary of the Second Assistant Clerk of the Municipal Court of the Charlestown District in the City of Boston," be and the same hereby is accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SALARY OF DEPUTY SHERIFF, SUPERIOR COURT.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That chapter 417 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Establishing the Salary of the Deputy Sheriff in Charge of the Session of the Superior Court for Criminal Business in Suffolk County," be and the same is hereby accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PAYMENT TO JAMES J. AND AGNES F. O'MALLEY.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That under the provisions of chapter 282 of the Acts of 1924, the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars be allowed and paid in monthly payments of one hundred dollars each, to James J. O'Malley and Agnes F. O'Malley, parents of James O'Malley, who was accidentally drowned by falling into the Mystic river from city property; said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

ANNUITY FOR MRS. CHARLES C. SHEPARD.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That an annuity of \$600 per year be allowed and paid to the widow of Charles C. Shepard of the Boston Fire Department, who died from injuries received while in the performance of his duty, said annuity to last while Mrs. Shepard remains unmarried; the expense of the same to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

ANNUITY FOR MRS. THOMAS F. LYNCH.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That an annuity of \$600 per year be paid to Mrs. Mary E. Lynch, widow of Lieutenant Thomas F. Lynch of the Boston Fire Department who died from injuries received while in the performance of his duties, as long as said Mrs. Lynch remains unmarried; said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CLOSING OF REGISTRY OF DEEDS OFFICE.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That the office of the Registry of Deeds be closed on week days, except Saturdays, at four o'clock p. m., from July 1 to August 30, 1924, inclusive.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SALARY OF CLERKS, MUNICIPAL CIVIL COURT.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That chapter 506 of the Acts of 1924, entitled, "An Act Establishing the Salaries of the Clerk and Assistant Clerks of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston for Civil Business," be and the same hereby is accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at three o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.46 o'clock p. m.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

President DONOGHUE called up Nos. 1 and 2, unfinished business, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor May 26, 1924, viz.:

1. Joseph Frank, to be a Constable.
2. Irene L. Mitchell and J. Arthur Spencer, to be Weighers of Coal.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Lane and Walsh. Whole number of ballots cast 7, yeas 7, and the appointments were confirmed.

CONVEYANCE OF CITY LAND.

President DONOGHUE called up No. 3, unfinished business, viz.:

3. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city to convey unto Harriet H. Waterman the following described parcel of land situated on Wallingford road in that part of Boston called Brighton, and bounded and described as follows:

A certain triangular shaped parcel of land bounded westerly by other land of the City

of Boston, three hundred (300) feet; northerly by other land of the said City of Boston, twenty-one and 62-100 (21.62) feet; easterly by land of Harriet H. Waterman, by three lines, seven and 35-100 (7.38) feet, thirty-nine and 84-100 (39.84) feet, and two hundred and fifty six (256) feet, containing forty-two hundred and thirty-five (4,235) square feet, more or less, as shown on a plan entitled "Subdivision of land, Wallingford road, Brighton, Boston, January, 1924, Pierce and Barnes Company, C. E.," in exchange for the following described parcel of land on said Wallingford road, bounded and described as follows: A certain triangular shaped parcel of land bounded southerly by land of said Harriet H. Waterman, nineteen and 93-100 (19.93) feet; westerly by other land of said City of Boston, ninety-nine and 90-100 (99.90) feet; and easterly by a curved line one hundred (100) feet, containing seven hundred and fifty (750) square feet, more or less, as shown on said plan, which the said Harriet H. Waterman shall convey unto the City of Boston simultaneously upon the conveyance by the city to the said Harriet H. Waterman of the parcel of land hereinbefore authorized to be conveyed to her. The deeds of the said conveyances by the City of Boston and the said Harriet H. Waterman are to be in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On May 19, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

JITNEY LICENSES.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Jitneys, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on petition of Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company (referred April 14) for license to operate jitneys between Boston and Lowell—that a license be granted. Report accepted; license granted.

2. Report on petition of Frank J. Buckley (referred March 18) for license to operate jitneys from Boston to Providence—that a license be granted.

The report was accepted.

Laid on the table, on motion of Coun. PURCELL.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Reports on petitions (referred today) for permits for children under fifteen years of age to appear at various places of amusement—that permits be granted, viz.:

George W. White, Butler Hall, June 12.

Florence Stevenson, Recital Hall, June 12.

Maria Kedrino, Jordan Hall, June 4.

Reports accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on order (referred today) relative to closing of the office of the Registry of Deeds at four o'clock p. m., from July 1 to August 30, 1924—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

3. Reports on communications from the Board of Street Commissioners relative to hearings on petition for permits to store and keep for sale gasoline at various locations—that the same be placed on file, viz.:

Communication (referred May 12); communication (referred May 19); communication (referred May 26).

Reports accepted; communications placed on file.

4. Reports on orders (referred today) for the acceptance of certain acts—that the orders ought to pass, viz.:

Order for payment of a sum of money to the brothers of Frank H. Milliken.

Order establishing salary of second assistant clerk, Charlestown Municipal Court.

Order establishing salary of deputy sheriff in charge of the session of the Superior Court for Criminal Business.

Order establishing salaries of clerk and assistant clerks of Municipal Court for Civil Business.

Reports accepted; orders passed.

5. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred May 12) for transfer of \$5,000 for investigation of telephone rates—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. LANE moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

NEXT MEETING.

It was voted on motion of Coun. LANE, that when the Council adjourns it be to meet on Monday, July 7, at two o'clock p. m.

Adjourned at 4.53 o'clock p. m. on motion of Coun. LANE.

PUBLIC CONTROL OF BOSTON ELEVATED RAILWAY.

By Chapter 159, Special Acts of 1918, a State board of five trustees was created to assume control of the Elevated Railway Co. for the term of 10 years, the need being imperative to improve its unfortunate condition and impaired service in the interest of a very large traveling public. Regular dividends were continued and the raising of \$3,000,000 of new capital was provided for by the issue and sale of preferred stock. It was also provided that if the income should be insufficient to meet the cost of service and the reserve fund proved inadequate, any deficit should be paid by the State and assessed upon the cities and towns in which the railway was operated. The fare was raised from 5 cents to 7, then to 8 and again to 10. The total deficit for year ending June 30, 1919, was \$4,980,152, which was covered by extra taxation, as ordered, Boston paying \$2,905,931 or 71.9 per cent of total levy. According to the said act of 1918, the cities and towns were to be reimbursed for assessments paid by them as soon as the financial condition of the Elevated Co. permitted.

By Chapter 369, General Acts of 1919, the purchase by the State from the Elevated Co. of the Cambridge Subway was ordered as an emergency law, the capital thus made available being needed by the trustees. The property was conveyed to the State May 1, 1920, on payment of \$7,868,00 and 4½ per cent of this cost is payable by the B. E. Co. annually for rental.

The report of the Trustees of B. E. Railway Co. for year 1920 showed a notable financial improvement as compared with 1919, the cost of service exceeding receipts by \$347,167 or only one-seventh of the deficit in 1919.

The Trustees' report for 1921 showed total receipts for that year of \$33,277,026, exceeding the total cost of service, depreciation, debt requirements and dividends by \$1,171,445. This surplus permitted certain reimbursements in 1922, Boston receiving \$372,035 or 12.8 per cent of the assessment paid in 1919. Under the act of 1918, the general 10-cent fare cannot be reduced until all reimbursements are completed. On June 10, 1922, the consolidation of the West End Street Railway Co. with the Boston Elevated Co. went into effect, as provided by Acts of 1911, Chap. 740, the lease to the Elevated not expiring until the said date.

DIMENSIONS OF BOSTON.

Greatest length, 13.8 miles, i. e., from northern end of East Boston to southern end of Hyde Park; greatest width, 7.75 miles, i. e., from Marine Park shore to western end of Brighton; median transverse width, 5.75 miles, i. e., from Charles river at Harvard Bridge to Neponset river at Blue Hill avenue; width of business center, 1.2 miles, i. e., from Charles river at Cambridge Bridge to Fort Point channel at Summer street. Geographical center of city in Roxbury, corner Walnut and Westminster avenues.

BUILDING RAZED.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Building Commissioner to take down the building on premises 142 P street, Ward 10.

The owner, Catherine A. Casey of 299 K street, South Boston, has been served with a notice of the condition of the building but neglects to remove the cause of complaint. The building is in such a condition as to constitute a fire menace and a nuisance.

CITY OF BOSTON.**SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.****PROPOSALS FOR SOAP.**

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing to the Park Department,

500 boxes of bath soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce molded cakes, 1,000 cakes to the box.

Bidders are required to submit specifications and samples of soap bid upon to the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. Blank proposals may be obtained at the above mentioned office. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. Bids will be publicly opened and read on Friday, July 11, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,

(July 5.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.****PROPOSALS FOR PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN BLENFORD ROAD, FROM MELTON ROAD TO PRISCILLA ROAD; NOTTINGHILL ROAD, FROM MELTON ROAD, BRIGHTON.**

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for Portland cement concrete pavement in Blenford road, from Melton road to Priscilla road; Nottinghill road, from Melton road, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-five (25,000) thousand dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Portland Cement Concrete Pavement in Blenford Road etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, July 14, 1924, with a certified check for twenty-five hundred (2,500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, July 3, 1924. (July 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.**PARK DEPARTMENT.****PROPOSALS FOR WIRE FENCE AT EVERGREEN CEMETERY, BRIGHTON.**

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for wire fence at Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton. Formed proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Wire Fence at Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, July 10, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,500, of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(July 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.**SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.****TO HEATING CONTRACTORS.**

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for installing and completing one new boiler in the Robert Swan School, Thetford avenue, Dorchester, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans to be ready Wednesday, July 9, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 15, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(July 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.**SUFFOLK COUNTY JAIL.****PROPOSAL FOR INSTALLATION OF PLUMBING FIXTURES IN THE EAST WING OF THE SUFFOLK COUNTY JAIL.**

The Sheriff of County of Suffolk, City of Boston, Mass., invites sealed proposals for the installation of plumbing fixtures in the east wing of the Suffolk County Jail, Charles street, Boston, Mass., according to specifications. A bond of a surety company therefor satisfactory to the Sheriff in the sum of forty-five per cent (45 per cent) of the contract price must be furnished. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Sheriff, Charles street, Boston, Mass., filled out, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock noon on Monday, July 14, 1924, at said office, accompanied by a certified check for \$500 payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be placed in envelopes properly sealed and marked "Proposal for Installation of Plumbing Fixtures in the East Wing of the Suffolk County Jail, Charles Street, Boston, Mass." The bids must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as stated above, the duplicate, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening of bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best for the city's interest. Specifications will be ready for delivery on July 5, 1924.

JOHN A. KELHER,
Sheriff of County of Suffolk.

(July 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.**SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.****TO ROOFING CONTRACTORS.**

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for doing roofing and metal work at the John Winthrop School, Brookford and Dacia Streets, Dorchester district, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 15, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a copy of the specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the specifications.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(July 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.**SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.****TO CONTRACTORS FOR HARDWARE.**

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required or necessary for the alterations in the Teachers' College Group, comprising the Normal, Patrick A. Collins and Girls' Latin Schools, Huntington Avenue, near Longwood Avenue, Fenway, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans and specifications ready for the contractors Wednesday noon, July 9, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, July 18, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(July 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.**SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.****TO ROOFING CONTRACTORS.**

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for doing roofing and metal work at the Mary Hemenway School, Adams street, corner of King street, Dorchester district, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 15, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a copy of the specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the specifications.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(July 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING IRON CASTINGS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service:

360,000 pounds 2-part boxes.

Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$400, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Tuesday, July 15, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(July 5.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSAL FOR HEAVY FUEL OIL FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF BUSINESS AGENT, TENTH FLOOR, BOSTON, Saturday, July 5, 1924.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing heavy fuel oil required for the school buildings from August 1, 1924, to January 31, 1925, deliveries to be continued until June 15, 1925, provided appropriation is made therefor and the School Committee so orders. Proposals made on the form to be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, will be received until Monday, July 14, 1924, at twelve o'clock m. at said office, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Proposals should be plainly marked "Proposal for Heavy Fuel Oil." Each bid must be in duplicate, one to be sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee, as above, and the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The fuel oil is to be delivered in the tanks of the several buildings, and the price per gallon named in the proposal must include the delivery in said tanks in a manner satisfactory to the School Committee. The total estimated quantity of fuel oil required during the period August 1, 1924, to June 15, 1925, both dates included, is eight hundred forty-nine thousand (849,000) United States standard gallons. The buildings in which fuel oil is required and the estimated fuel oil consumption of each, are as follows:

	Gallons.
Girls' High School.....	96,000
Public Latin School.....	66,000
Dorchester High School.....	118,000
Dorchester High School for Boys.....	40,000
Roxbury High School.....	73,000
High School of Practical Arts.....	62,000
Hyde Park High School.....	86,000
Dearborn Elementary School.....	78,000
Dudley Elementary School.....	30,000
Everett Elementary School.....	22,000
Francis Parkman Elementary School.....	34,000
Frank V. Thompson Intermediate School.....	28,000
Franklin Elementary School.....	27,000
Old Mather Elementary School.....	22,000
Theodore Lyman Elementary School.....	22,000
Washington Allston Elementary School.....	22,000
Winship Elementary School.....	23,000
Total	849,000

A certified check for two hundred dollars (\$200) payable to the City of Boston, must be filed with the copy of bid sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee, and any bidder awarded a contract must furnish a satisfactory bond for not less than twenty (20) per cent of the estimated amount of the contract awarded him. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to accept a part and reject a part of any bid, and to accept any bid that it shall deem for the best interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(July 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSAL FOR LIGHT FUEL OIL FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF BUSINESS AGENT, TENTH FLOOR, BOSTON, Saturday, July 5, 1924.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing light fuel oil required for school buildings from August 1, 1924, to January 31, 1925, deliveries to be continued until June 15, 1925, provided appropriation is made therefor and the School Committee so orders. Proposals made on the form to be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, will be received until Monday, July 14, 1924, at twelve o'clock m. at said office, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Proposals should be plainly marked "Proposal for Light Fuel Oil." Each bid must be made in duplicate, one to be sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee, as above, and the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The light fuel oil is to be delivered in the tanks of the several buildings, and the price per gallon named in the proposal must include the delivery in said tanks in a manner satisfactory to the School Committee. The total estimated quantity of fuel oil required during the period August 1, 1924, to June 15, 1925, both dates included, is forty-five thousand (45,000) United States standard gallons. The buildings in which the fuel oil is required and the estimated fuel oil consumption of each, are as follows:

	Gallons.
Hillside Elementary School.....	11,000
Louis Prang Elementary School.....	11,000
Old Agassiz Elementary School.....	13,000
Tyler Street Elementary School.....	10,000
Total	45,000

A certified check for two hundred dollars (\$200) payable to the City of Boston, must be filed with the copy sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee, and any bidder awarded a contract must furnish a satisfactory bond for not less than twenty (20) per cent of the estimated amount of the contract awarded him. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to accept a part and reject a part of any bid, and to accept any bid that it shall deem for the best interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(July 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING COTTAGE FARM BRIDGE.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing the Cottage Farm Bridge, Commonwealth avenue, over B. & A. R. R., and giving bonds therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineers' office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston, after Monday, June 30, 1924. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Repairing Cottage Farm Bridge," and left at the office of the Park Department before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, July 8, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioners to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should they deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(July 5.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.
STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 2, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Sutton street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Morton street to Woolson street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of July 16, 1924, and the office of this board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(July 5-12.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.
POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing from July, 1924, to June 30, 1925, as follows:

2,000 tons, more or less, egg coal.
100 tons, more or less, stove coal.
40 tons, more or less, nut coal.

The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, Quincy Hall, South Market street, and deposit his bid with a properly certified check for \$500, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, July 11, 1924, at 12 m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, 29 Pemberton square. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. Surety bond will be required from the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price.

(July 5.) HERBERT A. WILSON,
Police Commissioner.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN LOCUST STREET BETWEEN WASHINGTON AVENUE AND NEW YORK, NEW HAVEN AND HARTFORD RAILROAD, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Locust street between Washington avenue and New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fourteen hundred (1,400) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Locust Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, July 15, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 3, 1924. (July 5.)

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MEMORABLE "ELEVEN O'CLOCK TOAST" DELIVERED BY HONORABLE JAMES M. CURLEY, MAYOR OF BOSTON, BEFORE ELKS CONVENTION. MOST SOUL-STIRRING IN HISTORY OF ORDER.

DELIVERED BEFORE SYMPHONY HALL ASSEMBLAGE IN STILLNESS OF MAGIC HOUR. IT STIRRED THE HEARTS OF ALL AUDITORS AS HAS NOTHING ELSE IN ENTIRE CONVENTION WEEK.—TO BE PRESERVED FOR ALL TIME.

The following is the "Eleven O'Clock Toast" delivered by Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, to the Elks Convention at Symphony Hall, Monday, July 7, 1924:

In every meeting place of Elkdom, eleven o'clock is the solemn hour, the hour of hush, the hour of silence and recollection when under the subdued light of the order's emblem, the star of hope, the brethren of our fraternity stand and wait the tolling of the bell that sounds the hour, and recalls the memory of them who come no more forever, and who now sleep in peace under the grass and stars, indifferent to the envy, greed and hatred that mar the human heart, and conscious in the eternal life only of the beauty, of the kindness, charity and fellowship that glorify the soul.

In the stillness of that silent hour, when the music of the tolling bell has ceased and passed like a breath of fragrance, the memory of our dead is with us green and vital; the forms and faces of our vanished friends come trooping out of a dead past and the remembrance of their mirth and laughter, their comradeship and worth, appeal to us to bear gently with the frailties of our fellows who survive; to look with charity on the weaknesses of them who are still here; and to seek out only the good that is in men, leaving to a higher tribunal the judgment of their error and misdeed.

Custom has sanctified, and tradition has endeared this solemn, silent hour to all our Brotherhood; it calls in voiceless entreaty for remembrance and forgetfulness; remembrance for the good, forgetfulness for the evil that men have done; it urges us in the sanctuary of our souls where only Heaven and Heaven's pity should enter in, to write into our lives the principles of a Brotherhood that will outlast the storm and stress on earth and pass, as we must pass, into a nobler world to bloom forever in fields eternal.

Eleven o'clock is an hour sacred to Brotherhood, when the souls of the living and the dead meet in spiritual reunion, when the bonds of living friends are drawn closer, and the memory of the absent and the dead is pledged in love and friendship to our absent Brothers.

MAYOR FELICITATES DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR PRESIDENCY.

James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, sent the following telegram on July 10:

HON. JOHN W. DAVIS, Locust Valley, Long Island, N. Y.:

With a remembrance of our very happy association during the term of the 61st Congress as members of the House of Representatives I send you my hearty

congratulation as the standard bearer of a militant democracy in the nation. There never was a time in our country's history when the enlightened service of the Democratic Party was more vitally needed in Washington in view of the notorious maladministration of the Republican Party. The day and the hour are at hand for a united and inspiring service for democracy that will eventuate in your triumphant victory in November.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

PRaises MAYOR FOR ADMINISTRATION AND CONTRIBUTES TO CAMPAIGN FUND.

His Honor the Mayor is in receipt of the following letter from Mr. James Kelly, of the firm of Kelly, Gardner and Staats, Tampico, Mexico:

Kelly, Gardner & Staats,
Drilling Contractors.

Mail Address: Apartado (P. O. Box) 667,
Tampico, Mexico.

TAMPICO, 16 June, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR MR. MAYOR,—I have watched, with a great deal of interest, your remarkable career in public life and have always been an ardent admirer even though I have been quite a distance from the scenes of your activities.

However, from time to time, I learned through the press of the excellent administration you are giving the people of the City of Boston, and also of your coming contest for the Governorship of that old Bay State.

I wish that it were possible for me to be present and cast a vote for you at the coming election, but as that is impossible by reason of the fact that I am a resident of Mexico, I trust that you will kindly accept the inclosed \$100 as my small contribution in behalf of your campaign.

Sincerely yours,
JAMES KELLY.

CITY WORK HALTS FOR ELKS' PARADE. MAYOR GIVES EMPLOYEES CHANCE TO WITNESS PAGEANT.

Boston, July 8, 1924.

To the Heads of Departments:

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, at present convening in Boston, are to parade through the streets of the city upon Thursday, July 10, 1924.

You are hereby directed to grant leave of absence, without loss of pay, from 1 to 5 p. m., Thursday, July 10, 1924, to all persons in the employ of the City of Boston whose services can be dispensed with, so that an opportunity may be afforded those who are members to participate in the parade and those who are not members the privilege of witnessing a demonstration of fraternal good-fellowship by the organization today recognized as the foremost exponent of this necessary essential to the promotion of harmony, good citizenship and true patriotism.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Advertising.

A rate of \$2 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the *City Record*. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by Thursday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, July 21, at two o'clock p. m.
Special meeting of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Monday, July 14, at 6.30 p. m.
Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of

trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquises, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination

of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right, to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Brighton and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Lane park, bounded:

East by Foster street, twelve and 8-100 feet; south by another part of Lane park, by five measurements, sixty and 52-100 feet, ninety and 7-100 feet, one hundred forty-two and 34-100 feet, one hundred forty-two and 54-100 feet and thirty-three and 34-100 feet; west by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes December 9, 1896, thirteen and 65-100 feet; and north by another part of Lane park, by five measurements, thirty-seven and 60-100 feet, one hundred thirty-nine and 8-100 feet, one hundred thirty-nine and 28-100 feet, eighty-nine and 73-100 feet and sixty-three and 40-100 feet; containing fifty-six

hundred and twenty-seven square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 430 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Lane park, westerly from Foster street.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land at the corners of Foster street and Lane park, and on both sides of the southerly branch of Lane park, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 562, Sewerage Works, Lane park, Brighton, May 14, 1924, Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Edward F. Timmons, trustee.....	\$150
2. Edward F. Timmons, trustee.....	200
3. Edward F. Timmons, trustee.....	180
4. Edward F. Timmons, trustee.....	180
5. Edward F. Timmons, trustee.....	180
6. Mary E. O'Neil, Genevieve J. O'Neil,	200
7. Edward F. Timmons, trustee.....	200
8. John F. Murray.....	200
9. Hjalmar F. Nelson.....	200
10. Hjalmar F. Nelson.....	200
11. Edward F. Timmons, trustee.....	200
12. Abbie M. Ahearn.....	200

Total\$2,290

BOSTON THROWS WIDE HER DOORS AND HEART FOR VISITING ELKS.

MAYOR CURLEY IN NOTABLE ADDRESS ON OPENING NIGHT OF CONVENTION WELCOMES DELEGATES AND GUESTS FROM ALL OVER WORLD, INVITING THEM IN NAME OF CITY TO PARTAKE OF HOSPITALITY.

The following is the Address of Welcome delivered by Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, to the National Convention of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks on July 7:

To welcome the delegates of the Convention of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and to extend to them the courtesy and hospitality of this historic City of Boston is both an honor and a pleasure.

Revere's message that made possible the firing of the shot at Lexington Green "heard 'round the world." Visit old Boston Common, Bunker Hill, and Dorchester Heights, where trod the immortal Washington.

Visit the Mount Hope Cemetery in whose peaceful shade, in the bosom of Mother Earth, rests the remains of that kindly and patriotic soul, Brother Vivian, founder of Elksdom. Breathe the at-



CITY HALL ASSUMED A VERY FESTIVE APPEARANCE FOR THE VISIT OF THE ELKS CONVENTION—THESE ARE THE DECORATIONS.

Here began that momentous struggle whose outcome was American Independence, the organization of the United States and the creation of a democracy, dedicated to the principles of government of the people, by the people, and for the people, and the doctrine of equality expressed in civil, political and religious liberty.

Today, Boston beckons with the extended arms of hospitality to this splendid organization and says: "Come, my children, to the Mother City of Liberty. Visit the spot where the blood of the white and black man mingled in the baptism of freedom. Visit the beacon light of hope to suffering humanity where the threat of gibbets failed to stifle the protest of righteously indignant patriots—old Faneuil Hall.

Visit the Old South Church, sacred to the memory of John Hancock and of Samuel Adams. Visit the Old North Church from which flashed forth Paul

mosphere where patriotic Americans dared and died that this nation might have its birth, and strengthened by the draught at Freedom's Fountain.

Go forth at the conclusion of your labors in our beloved city as zealous missionaries determined to teach by individual example the lesson of the fathers and to promote, by every possible means, that degree of economic justice which will instill a new meaning into the words "My Country 'Tis of Thee, Sweet Land of Liberty!"

In coming to this old city, every citizen of America imbued with the principles of American Liberty is returning to the spiritual home of the nation. Home, the sweetest and tenderest word in our language! Sweet because of the associations it recalls; tender because of the memories it evokes. It has inspired the song, "Home, Sweet Home," that has touched the heart of the world and given it a common meeting ground.

The murmurous babble of the cradled baby, the wondrous music of the child's innocent prattle and infectious laughter, the sweet and patient presence of one whose love and forbearance could ignore error, forget misdeed, magnify good, and the faith of her who daily brought to the throne of God her prayers for our future safety and success, this is the very soul of "Home, Sweet Home"; the spirit of the mothers of men pulsates in every line of the song; and what the mother is to her child Boston has been to liberty.

LAND-TAKING IN CHARLESTOWN.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Charlestown and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Crescent street, bounded:

Northwest by Cambridge street, six feet; northeast by another part of Crescent street, one hundred eighty-two and 30-100 feet; southeast by Roland street, six feet; and southwest by another part of Crescent street, one hundred eighty-two and 18-100 feet; containing ten hundred and ninety-three square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

One hundred fifty linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known, as Crescent street, between Cambridge street and Roland street.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lot of abutting land situated at the easterly corner of Crescent and Cambridge streets, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, in the amount hereinafter set against it; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 564, Sewerage Works, Crescent street, Charlestown, May 16, 1924, Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot 1. Stephens-Adams-Oyr Company, Incorporated \$300

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for plastering, brick and carpenter work in Engine House No. 12, Dudley street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 30, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing piers at the North Ferry. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$11,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 22, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for Portland cement concrete pavement in Blenford road, from Melton road to Priscilla road; Nottingham road, from Melton road, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 14, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for Portland cement concrete pavement in Ifley road, from Washington street to Walnut avenue, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$7,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$800, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for recut granite block pavement in Blue Hill avenue, from Dudley street to Quincy street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$27,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,700, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 23, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Locust street, between Wash-

ington avenue and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,400. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 15, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing heavy fuel oil to the various school buildings, to the amount of approximately 849,000 gallons. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 14, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the various schools approximately 45,000 gallons of light fuel oil. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 14, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing kindergarten supplies. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing educational material for the first three grades of the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for repairs and the reconstruction of pianos in the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 23, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for doing the metal and roofing work at the John Win-

throp School, Brookford and Dacia streets, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for doing the metal and roofing work on the Mary Hemenway School, Adams street, corner of King street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing and completing the new boilers in the Robert Swan School, Thetford avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for repairing and retubing horizontal return tubular boilers for the various schoolhouses throughout the city. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 16, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the hardware required for the alterations to the Teachers College, comprising the Normal, Patrick A. Collins and the Girls' Latin School, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, the Fenway. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for installing new and making alterations in existing electric wiring and apparatus in the Normal group, to be known hereafter as the Teachers College and the Girls' Latin School, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in

the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for moving six portable schoolhouses at various schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for moving seven portable school buildings at the various schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for alterations in the Horace Mann School, Newbury street, near Exeter street. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for moving six portable school buildings at various schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 23, at 12 m.

SUFFOLK COUNTY JAIL.

Advertises for proposals for installation of plumbing fixtures in the east wing of the Suffolk County Jail. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Sheriff, Charles street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 14, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing iron castings to the Water Service of the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the

same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the City of Boston butter for the year ending January 31, 1925. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hospital supplies to the City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 18, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, July 10:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Joseph G. O'Malley, who resigned as principal assessor at \$4,500 a year, has been restored to his former rating of clerk at \$1,900 a year.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Gateley has been designated to act as auditor during the four weeks beginning Monday, July 7, in the absence of the auditor.

BOSTON AND CAMBRIDGE BRIDGE COMMISSION.

Joseph C. Dolan and George Carney have been employed as temporary assistant drawtenders for from nine to twelve weeks, vacation season, at \$1,600 a year. One half of their wages paid by the City of Boston and one half by the City of Cambridge.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week of June 27 to July 2:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Mary Landry, maid, \$468 a year; Josephine Young, maid, \$468 a year; Margaret Anderson, maid, \$468 a year; Mary Lynch, supervisor of playground, \$60 a month; Nora Walsh, nurse, \$900 a year; Angelo Anzalone, choreman (patient), \$240 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Mary Tully, supervisor of playground, \$60 a month; Alice O'Brien, maid, \$468 a year; Lillian Smith, maid, \$468 a year; Julia Norton, maid, \$468 a year; Mary Hand, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Thomas McCourthney, choreman, \$660 a year; Manuel Canballel, choreman (patient), \$240 a year.

There have been the following changes:

Sadie Burke, laundress, \$540 to \$480 a

year; Catherine Shea, laundress, \$480 to \$540 a year; Margaret Gallagher, assistant cook, \$480 to \$600 a year.

Alice M. Brearton has been granted a change in rating from special investigator at \$1,500 a year to social worker in the Out-Patient Department.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Eugene Mirabelli has been appointed building inspector-construction engineer at \$2,600 a year for the temporary period of three months.

James W. Lynn has been appointed a permanent chauffeur at \$1,600 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

John F. Quinn, clerk, has been granted leave of absence, without pay, for two months, on account of sickness.

John J. McCarthy has been designated as Acting City Collector in the absence of the collector during the four weeks commencing July 2.

COMMITTEE FOR AMERICANISM.

Edith Sullivan, employed as temporary stenographer, has been granted the difference in salary from \$20 to \$25 a week from June 9 to expiration of employment.

CONSERVATION BUREAU.

J. K. Henney has been appointed laboratory assistant at the Long Island Hospital at a salary of \$200 a month. Also E. C. Kirk as physicist at the same institution at a salary of \$150 a month.

COMMITTEE FOR AMERICANISM.

The following persons have been given an extension of employment for four weeks:

Lillian G. Foley, stenographer, \$25 a week; Edith Sullivan, stenographer, \$25 a week; George Dowd, clerk, \$20 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Elinore L. Duffy, clerk and stenographer in the Registry of Motor Vehicles, Department of Public Works, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, has been transferred to a similar position in the Boston Fire Department, at \$1,000 a year.

Henry J. Eagan has been appointed clerk and stenographer at \$1,300 a year.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Lucy E. Gearin has been granted temporary appointment as a matron of convenience stations for a period of ten weeks, commencing June 30, at \$20 a week.

Melvin G. Carr, clerk in the Public Works Department, has been transferred to the Health Department at \$1,500 a year.

Mary McCaffrey has been given temporary appointment as a matron of convenience stations for a period of ten weeks, commencing June 30, at \$20 a week.

Walter Marchbank, institution employee (carpenter) at the Boston Almshouse and Hospital, has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,050 to \$1,100 a year.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, July 3:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Margaret R. Taff, head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Caroline Lampro.

Thomas P. Bannon, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed John Burton.

Walter Bishop, attendant, \$600 a year to succeed Arnold McNeil.

Patrick J. Nugent, attendant, \$600 a year to succeed Nellie Kearney.

Mary A. Hodge, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Margaret Murphy.

Gertrude R. Taff, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Bessie E. Briggs.

James R. Ritchie, M. D., interne, \$600 a year, to succeed Daniel G. Gill, M. D.

Genevieve G. Richards, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Ethel E. Maloney.

Frank J. Liddy, M. D., interne, \$600 a year, to succeed Ernest J. Radcliffe.

Frances M. Baker, M. D., interne, \$600 a year, to succeed Churchill Robertson, M. D.

Frederick W. Munro, M. D., interne, \$600 a year, to succeed Robert M. Paty.

Josephine S. Orr, M. D., interne, \$600 a year, to succeed Ida R. Oke.

Mary Slocum, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Mary E. Faunce.

Marion C. Brooks, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Hazel D. Cole.

House of Correction.

James Sullivan, officer, \$1,200 a year, temporary.

Central Office.

George Nelson, officer and messenger, \$1,700, to succeed Joseph O'Kane, transferred from House of Correction.

The following increases in salary at the House of Correction Industries have been allowed:

William J. Graham, clerk, \$100 to \$200; Robert F. Kernahan, officer-shoemaker, \$1,300 to \$1,400; John J. Gillespie, cutter-instructor, \$1,300 to \$1,400; Russell Walton, instructor, \$1,300 to \$1,450.

The following increases in salary have been allowed:

Marion Carey, attendant, from \$520 to \$550 a year; James L. Winn, institution employee, from \$600 to \$650 a year.

Brigid D. Reidy, head nurse, to supervisor of nurses, from \$1,080 to \$1,200 a year.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Joseph P. Lyons has been appointed as Acting Corporation Counsel for such periods as the Corporation Counsel is absent during the week commencing July 1, 1924.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

John J. Doherty, Francis McCauley, William G. Costello and John Yankowsky have been given temporary appointment for a period of about three months as laundrymen, to work nights at the Dover Street Bath House, with wages at \$4.50 a day.

Patrick F. Bagge has been granted temporary appointment for a period of about three months as a gardening-laborer in the Cemetery Division at \$4.50 a day.

George J. Reardon has been granted temporary appointment for a period of about three months as a laborer at \$4.50 a day.

Marie G. Maguire has been granted temporary appointment for a period of about three months as a pianist with wages at \$20 a week.

John Dunlap, John Grant and Frederick F. Higgins have been granted temporary employment for about three months as laborers at \$4.50 a day.

The following women have been given temporary appointment until September 15, as matrons and laundresses, etc., at a salary of \$20 a week:

Margaret M. Lydon, Mary A. Kenney, Mary A. Donahoe, Catherine Linnehan, Mary Tierney, Delia M. Flaherty, Catherine A. McManus, Catherine O'Brien, Margaret I. Conboy, Margaret M. Downey, Elizabeth V. Barrett, Alice V. Rooney, Alice Dolan, Annie Horan.

PLANNING BOARD.

Miss Mary F. Downey has been continued in temporary employment as stenographer for a period of two months, at \$25 a week.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

William Pierce has been appointed for a temporary period of sixty days as errand boy at \$12 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Arthur W. Dolan has been appointed temporary rodman at \$18 a week for three months.

The following citizens have been appointed as assistant drawtenders at \$1,600 a year in the Bridge Service, for twelve to fifteen weeks, to provide for the vacation season: Joseph P. Kelley, Edward J. Toland, John F. Roche, James J. Doherty, Michael J. McLaughlin, William Curran, James J. Carney, Dennis F. Coughlin, Joseph L. McKeen, John A. Walsh, Joseph E. Crosby, William J. Fallon, Maurice J. Fitzgerald, Timothy J. Clifford, James F. Reardon and Joseph Doyle.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Central Office).

Henry P. Sutliff, clerk at \$1,000 a year in the Paving Service, has been transferred to clerk at \$1,500 a year in the Central Office.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Theodore P. Panopoulos, temporary fireman in the Ferry Service, has been given permanent appointment at \$6 a day.

Harry T. Eldridge has been given an extension of temporary employment as inspector of the construction of new ferry drops and piers at \$6 a day, for three months from July 5.

John J. McDonough has been appointed as fireman at \$6 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Michael Joyce has been appointed temporary laborer at \$4.50 a day in the Paving Service for three months.

John J. Cheever has been appointed garage superintendent at \$2,500 a year of the new garage.

The following have been appointed as temporary rodmen at \$18 a week:

William J. Cadigan, Benedict T. Daly, George Verde, Joseph F. Higgins, James E. Moriarty, Joseph G. Barry.

Austin J. Freeley, laborer, West Roxbury paving district, has been employed as cement finisher at \$6 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

John A. Mullen has been transferred from the City Hospital Department to the Roxbury Sanitary Service as teamster at \$4.50 a day.

The Mayor has approved the appointment of fifty laborers at \$4.50 a day in the street cleaning branch of the Sanitary Service for one week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Lorenzo Bianco and Peter J. McDermott have been appointed as temporary rodmen in the Sewer Service at \$18 a week for three months.

The following have been appointed temporary rodman at \$18 a week for three months:

George W. Burke, Thomas Eustace, Thomas J. Francis, Gerard Gilroy, Francis J. Connors.

The following have been appointed temporary laborers at \$4.50 a day for three months:

George D. DeGrann, James E. Sullivan, Emilio Curcio, Joseph Faretro, James Gavin, Duncan M. Wright, Isaac Goldstein, Michael Clance, Joseph L. Howe, John J. Duran, John E. Murray.

Daniel Shea has been appointed as laborer at \$4.50 a day for a period of three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

The following increases in salary in the Water Service have been granted:

Patrick R. Kenney, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year; Michael J. O'Brien, inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

The following emergency men in the Water Service have been placed on a seven-day basis, commencing July 4, at \$4.75 a day each: Michael J. Carney, Thomas Kinahan, Walter Rice, Thomas J. Flanagan, James Roust, William Lonergan and Patrick J. Clougherty.

John A. Cummings has been appointed temporary rodman at \$18 a week for three months.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Raymond E. Delaney has been granted leave of absence, without loss of pay, on account of illness.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

Dr. Frederick W. Watkeys has been designated to act as Acting Soldiers' Relief Commissioner during the absence of the commissioner.

John A. Sullivan, Joseph F. Daly and Leo J. Hill have been reappointed as clerks with knowledge of stenography, for a period of two months, from July 4, at \$1,200 a year each.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Harold J. Coakley, clerk in the Division of University Extension, has been transferred to clerk and stenographer at \$1,300 a year.

William J. Mulcahy and Edward X. McDevitt have been appointed rodmen for a period of three months at \$1,100 a year each.

The following men have been granted an extension of employment:

Henry J. Jennings, rodman, \$1,100 a year; Frank P. Murphy, draughtsman, \$1,400 a year.

Robert E. Carey, now employed as a rodman at \$1,000 a year, has been appointed for an additional three months.

Daniel F. Coughlin has been appointed draughtsman for three months at \$1,400 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Institutions Department.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

For working holiday June 17:

Engineers.—William G. Feeney, Walter West, Joseph Cox, 1 day, \$6.50 each. Total, \$19.50.

Firemen.—Richard A. Bishop, Andrew Para, John Adams, 1 day, \$6 each. Total, \$18.

Emergency Work.—Joseph Cox, 4½ hours, \$3.64; Joseph Cox, John Molloy, Walter West, engineers, 7½ hours, \$6.08 each. Total, \$18.24.

For the week ending Thursday, July 10:

House of Correction.

Engineers.—William O'Melia, Patrick Shea, John Fay, 1 day, \$6.50 each. Total, \$19.50.

Firemen.—Timothy Hurley, Bernard Feeney, Patrick Gleeson, Thomas Finn, Frederick Morse, 1 day, \$6 each. Total, \$30.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 10:

Albert J. Libbey, chauffeur, 2 days, \$10; John Gallagher, gardener-laborer, 2 days, \$9; Louis Chenette, chauffeur, 1 day, \$5. Total, 24.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 3:

Stephen R. Merrick, errand boy, 12 hours, \$4.08; James A. Gately, monotype runner, 4 hours, \$2.44; Patrick Kelly, monotype caster operator, 3 hours, \$2.46; Daniel F. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 13 hours, \$7.93; James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 4 hours, \$3.80. Total, \$20.71.

POSTPONE ASSESSMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following order of the Board of Street Commissioners:

Whereas, By orders dated June 6, 1913, June 6, 1918, and June 6, 1921, the Board of Street Commissioners in accordance with the provisions of chapter 359 of the Acts of the year 1896, ordered suspension of the collection of the following described assessments for sewerage works in River street, Dorchester, levied under date of September 23, 1909.

Lot 5. Horatio N. Glover et al., trustees	\$1,100
Lot 17. Horatio N. Glover et al., trustees	1,935

Whereas, The Board of Street Commissioners deem it just and proper that the collection of said assessments should be further postponed;

Ordered, That the collection of the aforesaid assessments be and the same hereby is suspended for two years from date hereof.

THE GENESIS AND GENIUS OF AMERICA.

REV. DUDLEY H. FERRELL, INDEPENDENCE DAY ORATOR, AT OLD SOUTH CHURCH, THRILLS AUDIENCE WITH WARNING TO AMERICA THAT WE MUST LIVE IN HARMONY, JUSTICE, AND HONOR WITH OUR NEIGHBORS THAT TRUE BROTHERHOOD MAY PREVAIL.

Rev. Dudley H. Ferrell, of Lynn, who was the orator of the day at the Independence Day Exercises in Old South Church, spoke as follows:

MR. MAYOR, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Our remembrance of a glorious past constitutes the challenge of this hour. All of us are sensible of the significance of the occasion. It is not mere custom that draws us together; were it so, our celebration would be without value, a meaningless interlude in the business of living. It is not a conformity to conventional or legalized practice that distinguishes not only this audience but American citizenship, wherever resident, as today they and we celebrate the anniversary of our national beginning. The assemblage, the music, the marching hosts, even the noisy clamor of youth are the productions of an irresistible urge growing out of an ever living remembrance of men and women, whose devotion to liberty, whose sacrifices in behalf of her sovereignty remain one of the golden chapters in the record of human striving. Our feet have been guided to this place by hearts passionately grateful to those who achieved the distinctions of an unselfish patriotism, and richly endowed the generations yet to come with the reality of freedom.

There is something deeply reverent, then, in our recollection of those days that marked the launching of the most daring experiments in governmental administration that the world had ever seen. The auspices attendant upon the movement were not happy. No sympathetic attitude toward its sponsors gave them encouragement; but through the travail of war, through the pains and privations of conflict, a wondrous ideal was given substance, and time has proved its integrity.

Throughout the land wherein the purposes of a bygone generation have been made most substantial, the book of human effort will again be opened today, and from the pages thereof will be read the names of those who have provided an abiding home for man's love of liberty. And who are these, to whom distance, ever increasing, brings no shrinking in size; who remain of heroic stature in spite of the increase and expansion of man's accomplishments? These are the ones who immortalized themselves at Lexington and Concord, who fought the odds at Bunker Hill, who waited and starved and trudged, with bare feet, the snows of Valley Forge. These are the men who had within themselves and represented that indomitable soul that made America. If we could we would pay them honor in words of deserved praise, but language is here lacking, nor does it lie within the power of even a grateful posterity to add to the luster with which they have already invested themselves by honorable deed. Yet these pass before us today, a part of the great back-

ground against which we behold the proportions of the America of the present.

Did you ever stop to consider, ladies and gentlemen, that, as we give ourselves to the guidance of memory, not only are we allowed to view the past but the past is permitted to judge us. Today, those who build their faith into our national establishment stand watch over a people celebrating in various ways the beginning of nationhood, and across the unmeasured distance of eternity comes the voice of the past asking this question: "What have you done with the liberty that we gave you? How have you used the privileges and duties, the opportunities and responsibilities of the freedom that we bought and paid for?" Yes, we have, by the magic of remembrance, called the past back to life, and one of its prerogatives is to judge the use which the generations have made of a rich inheritance. The challenge of those deeds that now form an inspiring memory cannot be ignored. Our celebration of America's beginning compels an examination of her continuance and a determination of the destination at which she has arrived.

A survey shows the limited domain of colonial days changed into a vast empire that stretches far toward the setting sun. A few scattered inhabitants of one blood have become an international mingling of millions. The rude structures of hamlet and village have been transformed into the magnificent buildings of our many cities. Wealth incalculable, industry and commerce most complex have taken the place of meagre resource and simplicity of endeavor. Without exaggeration, we have, as his Honor has remarked, equalled in a few centuries, anything the world has ever seen. But, my friends, is this the measure of our greatness? Is this accumulation of the material, this unique and stupendous arrangement of it, the final analysis of our achievement? Is this the only legitimate return that we can show from our possession of freedom's opportunities? If it is, then our inheritance has been wasted. Liberty has a fairer form than this, a more substantial embodiment, else it is but the imagination of the deluded; a disappointing adventure, false in its promise to those whose lives were dedicated to its demands. Thus, as the voice of the past crosses the distance of many years, we echo to ourselves the question it asks: "Is this all?"

Ladies and gentlemen, the liberty conferred upon a citizen of the United States not only gives him the opportunity but presents to him the duty of doing something more than build magnificent cities and accumulate wealth. The genesis of the great American Commonwealth was of such a unique character that not only were the ordinary privileges of material progress vouchsafed the individual but the deeper satisfactions of a civilization

ornamented and furnished with the imperishable principles of honor and justice were guaranteed; and that, too, not for a favored few to whom the accident of birth had given special advantage, but for all who are fortunate enough to come beneath the shelter of that flag.

In all the story of the world's peoples, in the romance of empires as they have come and gone, there is nothing that equals the story of America. Emperors of the past have led their armies in conquest. New kingdoms were established with a consequent development of new forms of social and political philosophy. For our country the development has been along similar lines but the personnel in the adventure were a few ordinary folks, representative of the average of society, and the imperative of the adventure was not an ambition to conquer but a passion to be free. In listening to the reading of the Declaration of Independence which was just presented one phrase stands out above the rest, representing the integrity of the foundation upon which America was built. After citing the reasons for the ensuing declarations, the creators of our liberty thus spoke: "Appealing to the Supreme Judge of the world for the rectitude of our intentions, etc." Thus for the second time, the soul of what was to be America revealed itself. For it is a significant fact, and one never to be forgotten, that the Pilgrims had barely touched the shores of the new world before their hearts spoke to the Deity in terms of gratitude. This one act, a prayer, often forgotten in our contemplation of more startling deeds of national history, is the outstanding fact in America's story. It is an indication of the personal and social philosophy that has brought us progress and distinction. Here was a little group of folks breaking all existing ties; standing before an opportunity rough and rugged in appearance and in character; dreaming of carving therefrom a new and happier association; and, by the one act mentioned, they established the law for all social determinations, they enunciated a principle. We must be fundamental to any form of association that is contributory to the expansion and integrity of civilization. When we thus consider the fashion in which the forefathers placed their destiny in the hand of God, we catch something of the implications and imperatives of the freedom of which they dreamed, which they achieved, and which they transmitted to us. This circumstance so significant in America's genesis forecasted the genius that has made our nation the marvel of history; a genius that holds forth the promise of a greater tomorrow unless it is debauched and wasted by carelessness and neglect. When the founders of this nation placed their hopes and faith in the care of Deity, there were predicated two things that have remained vital to our life. There were enunciated two principles, both necessary in any form of government that is conservative of civilization, and especially demanded in a democracy. These two conclusions so boldly acknowledged were, first, "Behind all written statutes, there is a law of the spirit, whose integrity and authority is beyond question." Second, "Upon the individual there rests the law of moral responsibility for the welfare of society." Upon such a basis the United States could not have been anything but what she has been. And in the

peoples' observance of the authority of these principles, we read the promise of our tomorrow.

When men associate themselves in political relationships, it is both natural and necessary to formulate rules of procedure; and, the more complicated the relationship, the more multiplied the rules. But, too often, the written law is regarded as absolute in its embrace in itself the entirety of authority. If we will consider for a moment, we find that the written law is a determination of the mechanics of association, the form of personal expression; it has little to offer concerning the spirit of association. There are in human nature sentiments and ambitions, the urgings of vice and virtue for which no authority exists but the higher law of the spirit, whose imperative can be made articulate only in part by the enactments of legislatures. When a people forget this, when they lose their sentiments to the compulsion of honor and justice, as these principles seek to fashion not the actions but the thought of man toward man, then, instead of contributing to civilization, such a nation wastes the resources of the time. They lose their sense of proportion and read into the statutes what they want to find therein. The law is ignored, its provisions are evaded. Such a people come to the point when they read the law negatively. Outside of its prohibitions, anything is right.

My friends, even with their limitations, because they are within the boundaries of human wisdom, laws in their ordinary form are not mere negations. They represent not what one should not do to another, but what one should do for another. As the result of the idealism so substantial in our establishment, there has become ingrained in our national personality a real capacity for high thought and honorable deed, fundamental factors in a just and harmonious association. But that capacity will never be exercised and that association will never be enjoyed until the imperative of the written statutes are interpreted as the positive delineation and definition of the spirit of association as well as its form.

We must never forget that the unsurpassed attainments of hand or mind cannot, of themselves, be offered as the measure of our progress or even possessed as a basis of national pretensions. They are valid and valuable only when accompanied by the people's desire to write such laws as shall fairly distribute all duty and protect all rights and privileges; and then, by a desire, equally as earnest, to obey them. The law here is not to be worshipped because named law; it is the best expression and most authoritative of the people's faith in universal order, of their recognition of the necessity for men to live together in mutual dependence and with mutual helpfulness if society and civilization are to be served.

The second predication of our national beginning was the law of moral responsibility encompassing the individual in society, restraining his passions, making free his virtues for the benefit of all.

When the acknowledgment of this principle was first made upon American soil, certain of its evident implications were forcibly emphasized by the conditions and circumstances that surrounded the Pilgrims. For them, it was work together, fight together, play together or

perish. It was a very real compulsion which they felt in their primitively crude and limited environment. This co-operation was the law of their survival and their progress. Ladies and gentlemen, this is the law of all survival and all progress. We care not what refinements of culture may distinguish our society, the law of individual responsibility making a man's privilege (the offering of his liberty) his duty, and his duty (the measure of his responsibility) a privilege, cannot be removed from among the authorities of a democracy such as ours. When no longer is the authority of co-operation recognized, men lose their freedom. When men arbitrarily set themselves apart from or place themselves above the rest, they fling a challenge in the face of experience, which is quickly answered.

As we view the story of our nation, we find that its genius has ever been the accumulated genius of individuals. That is to say, here in America each man has been free to follow the lure of his ambition; to exercise his ability unhindered. Our record is crowded with the names of those who began with nothing but a vision and have attained the heights of accomplishment leaving deep in a national life the impress of their convictions and their deeds. It is a splendid story. Of it we are proud.

But, ladies and gentlemen, am I wrong in believing that the time is here for a revaluation of our individuality, and a remeasurement of our liberty; lest the one becomes individualism and the other license. Our memory of the Fathers of this Republic counsels us to scrutinize anew not the reality of our personal freedom (this is assured) but the fashion of its use.

Once again we ask, "For what was this liberty given?" The answer has been made by our citizenship, an answer whose validity is attested by our growth, our continued idealism and worth of purpose. But this is the answer of yesterday. What of today?

I may read incorrectly the signs of the time, but I believe the hour is here where the American citizen must renew an understanding of his individuality, remembering that his liberty is either restrained or urged forward by the law of moral responsibility which is the inevitable conclusion of all social experience.

When men live together the problem involving harmony, justice, honorable dealing is not how the mass may be controlled but rather how the individual controls himself. The soul of America is today threatened by a diminishing self-control. We are forgetting that we do not live alone. One result is that the public business which is everybody's business becomes nobody's business instead of each body's business. The success of a society such as ours depends upon men's ability and will to live together, each contributing something of his own to the common resource of high thinking and just conclusion. This provides the essentials of an authoritative public opinion which in a democracy is the court of final decision; the mysterious yet tangible expression of the mass, faith in the law that lies behind all laws.

Let us beware lest the trend toward an ignoring of such authority goes on unchecked. It is not the prerogative of any man or group of men in our political establishment to ignore the invitation to consideration offered by opinions differ-

ing from their own, nor to claim a monopoly of industrial, political or social wisdom. It lies not within the power of any to demand or to endeavor to compel conformity in determining conclusions. A sound public opinion is not dependent upon an identity of conviction; it is of necessity made up of a diversity of opinions, not in conflict with each other but each contributing something to the final decision through the medium of mutual respect. When we forget this, then walls of misunderstanding begin to rise, separating our citizenship into antagonistic groupings, each concerned with its own rights, each not only intolerant of but prejudiced against opinions that vary from its own. In such creations of passion and prejudice lies the only power that can sweep America into oblivion.

If the experiences of the past teach anything to us as a people, it is this: If her integrity is to be preserved, if she is to have the assurance of an honorable and orderly future, then America has within her borders no place for anyone, be he native or foreign born, who refuses to learn how to live with his fellow-citizens. She has no place for anyone who plays upon the passions or prejudice of ignorance to create divisions in our society and imperil the progress and prosperity of our people by a fostering of misunderstandings. We have no words strong enough with which to condemn those who, singly or associated, refuse to subordinate the passions of personal prejudice to an ambition for the common welfare. Such, whatever their name or profession, are unworthy of the privileges of American citizenship. In such conclusion we merely make vocal the judgment of those whom memory has today conjured from the past. If the Fathers of this Republic could speak they would cry out against those who are debauching the liberty so dearly bought, destroying the brotherhood which patriots thought they had confirmed.

Ladies and gentlemen, we have spoken thus today, presuming upon your courtesy, perhaps, to be somewhat didactic, because in this hour of grateful and reverent remembrance we would have you again attentive to those laws of the spirit which explain America's beginning and interpret her continuance. We would that these principles might be so read and understood that our thinking and striving would come within their control, and the life of each citizen be molded to their demand. For the danger that threatens America is no peril from without but a danger from within. Yet it is equally true that the salvation of America is not to be sought at the end of the world; rather is it in your hand and mine.

The past is a glorious retrospect, a story of heroic deed, of high and noble purpose. Our memory of it challenges our spirit to the same splendid adventures in liberty. The unformed tomorrow is ours to make as we will. Dare we do less, dare we be less than the patriots of yesterday? America, our America, invites us into the abiding satisfactions that await those who are free to give themselves to her service.

Before that flag which symbolizes the glory of our country's achievement and is emblematic of the principles and purposes of our national life, we bow most reverently in this hour of consecration to which memory urges us; and like those of a bygone time, we also will

place our destiny in the hand of God and dare the tomorrow with the prayer:

"America, America, God mend thine every
flaw,
Confirm thy soul in self-control,
Thy liberty in law,
... May God thy gold refine
Till all success be nobleness
And every gain divine.
America, America, God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with Brotherhood,
From sea to shining sea."

LAND-TAKING IN WEST
ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Stellman road, bounded:

Southeast by another part of Stellman road, eleven and 14-100 feet; southwest by another part of Stellman road, by two measurements, seven hundred forty-five and 53-100 feet and seventy-two and 22-100 feet; northwest by the same, ten feet; and northeast by the same, by two measurements, seventy and 25-100 feet and seven hundred forty-eight and 49-100 feet; containing eighty-one hundred and eighty-two square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed as follows: Eight hundred and ten linear feet of 20-inch, 18-inch and 15-inch pipe surface drain and 810 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Stellman road.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid easement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Stellman road, between Washington street and Stony brook, excluding the lots at the corners of Washington street and Stellman road, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No 565, Sewerage Works, Stellman Road, West Roxbury, May 19, 1924, Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
2. Joseph H. Snaphy.....	\$100
3. Andrew Mika, Josephine M. Mika.....	80

4. George Valatka, Medelen Valatka.....	80
5. Walter Balhushis.....	80
6. Emily Zaldoks.....	80
7. Joseph G. Zaldoks.....	80
8. Emily Zaldoks.....	80
9. Pauline Sabetsky.....	80
10. Marco Castagnoli, Bettina Castagnoli	80
11. Paul Staponkus, Anna Staponkus.....	80
12. Stanley M. Duffy.....	80
13. Stanley M. Duffy.....	80
14. Stanley M. Duffy.....	80
15. John Sawyer.....	80
16. Theodore H. Reichert.....	80
17. Ralph T. Carder.....	80
18. Stanley M. Duffy.....	80
19. Adaline F. Thomas.....	80
20. Walter G. Richardson.....	102
22. Delia A. Connolly.....	80
23. Mary McLaughlin.....	80
24. Lillian M. Milligan.....	80
25. Charles Urbon.....	80
26. Annie Urbon.....	80
27. Stanley Stanko, Vera Stanko.....	80
28. Helen Ketvirtis.....	80
29. Helen Ketvirtis.....	80
30. Peter Valukonis.....	80
31. Joseph Gabrunas.....	80
32. Jaranimas Dalalis, Adelle Dalalis.....	80
33. Julius Urszulis, Veronica Urszulis.....	80
34. Eva P. Thomas.....	80
35. Joseph H. Snaphy.....	80
36. Harry C. Lund.....	80
37. Adaline F. Thomas.....	80
38. Adaline F. Thomas.....	80
39. Adaline F. Thomas.....	80
40. Adaline F. Thomas.....	80
41. Adaline F. Thomas.....	36

Total\$3,118

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 561.

The resignation of Patrolman Henry M. Van Patten of Division 21 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, July 7, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 562.

The resignation of Patrolman Millard F. D. Eldredge of Division 16 having been presented, it is hereby accepted to take effect Wednesday, July 9, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock. Seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 563.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Goff and Gallivan, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Patrick J. Creighton of Division 16, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Patrick J. Creighton perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 564.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Goff and Gallivan, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Joseph A. Grimes of Division 12, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Joseph A. Grimes perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 3 the Mayor approved a contract with S. J. Tomasello for concrete surface on terrace around the Refectory Building, Franklin Park. Bids, opened June 26, were as follows:

A. G. Tomasello & Son, 68 Devonshire street, Boston, \$3,450; Charles Caponi, 18 Hemlock street, Roslindale, \$3,240; Thomas Mulcare, 414 Mt. Auburn street, Cambridge, \$2,640; Patrick A. Collieran, 43 Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury, \$2,500; John MacDonald Construction Company, 77 Summer street, Boston, \$2,450; Frank J. Gallagher, 580 Huron avenue, Cambridge, \$2,480; Joseph A. Singarella 110 High street, Boston, \$2,430; A. D. Daddario, 49 Edgewater drive, Mattapan, \$2,230; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, 1620 Tremont street, Roxbury, \$2,200; Martino DeMatteo, 14 Howe place, Roslindale, \$2,130; Hugh Nawn Contracting Company, 82 Savin street, Roxbury, \$2,120; John W. O'Connell, 73 Tremont street, Boston, \$2,070; Samuel J. Tomasello, 11 Cushing terrace, Dorchester, \$1,970.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Boston Engineering Company have been awarded the contract for the following work at the Boston Public Library: Leavitt engine, engine room, Boston Public Library; raise crank shaft, refill pedestal bearing; bore same and install crank shaft as original.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Upon July 3 the Mayor approved a contract with W. H. Ellis & Son Company for repairing piers and fender guards of Summer Street Bridge over Reserved channel, South Boston. Bids for the work, opened July 1, were as follows:

W. H. Ellis & Son Company, \$9,273; William L. Miller Company, \$9,901; Rendle-Stodard Construction Company, \$11,647; W. S. Rendle & Son Company, \$12,716.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon July 3 the Mayor approved a contract with A. G. Tomasello & Son for Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith street, Standard street, Beryl street, Pond View avenue, and Redlands road. Bids for the work, opened July 2, were as follows:

A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$90,803.50; M. F. Gaddis, \$92,939.75; John W. O'Connell, \$94,360; V. Grande, \$94,898.10; Alco Contracting Company, Inc., \$95,182.90; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$95,202.35; Joseph A. Singarella, \$99,218.75; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$105,890.30; S. J. Tomasello, \$107,185.50; M. H. Loonie, \$107,258.95.

Upon July 8 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph A. Singarella for Portland cement concrete pavement in Centre street, from John Eliot square to Columbus avenue, Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened June 24, were as follows:

Joseph A. Singarella, \$63,320.05; Martino DeMatteo, \$63,359.25; John McCourt Company, \$63,598.90; John W. O'Connell, \$66,105.85; Charles Caponi, \$66,247.80; Alco Construction Company, Inc., \$66,531.40; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$68,223.50; M. H. Loonie, \$69,709.05; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$71,174.50; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$71,251.60; M. F. Gaddis, \$74,021.55; V. Grande, \$83,740.30.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewerage Works).

Upon July 8 the Mayor approved a contract with William Barrett & Co. for sewerage works in Mark street, Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened July 7, were as follows:

William Barrett & Co., \$2,053.25; C. Iacuzzo, \$2,252.60; A. Grande, \$2,300.75; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,391.70; C. Russo, \$2,403.95; C. Caponi, \$2,467; J. Williams & Co., \$2,476.25; P. A. Collieran, \$2,637.26.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with J. J. Hurley & Co. for installing new heating system in the Parkman School. Bids for the work, opened June 20, were as follows:

J. J. Hurley & Co., \$1,850; Capital Plumbing and Heating Company, \$1,850; J. P. Dwyer Company, \$1,853; Acme Heating and Ventilating Company, \$1,996; General Construction and Repair Company, \$2,237.

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the Nichols-Egan Company for finish hardware for the Roger Wolcott District School. There was but one bid, \$2,801.15.

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with J. J. Hurley & Co. for installing and completing new boilers and making certain other changes in the heating system of the Paul Revere School. Bids for the work, opened June 20, were as follows:

J. J. Hurley & Co., \$10,263; J. P. Dwyer Company, \$10,300; Acme Heating and Ventilating Company, \$10,394; General Construction and Repair Company, \$11,837; Huey Brothers Company, \$11,987; E. T. Keefe Company, \$12,293; T. J. Duff & Co., \$12,300.

Upon July 3 the Mayor approved a contract with McDonald & Imhof for erecting and completing addition and alterations to the George T. Angell School. Bids, opened June 20, were as follows:

McDonald & Imhof, \$58,730; John Bowen Company, \$60,440; A. Piotti Company, \$60,972; Joseph Rugo, \$63,460; Alco Contracting Company \$64,400.

Upon July 3 the Mayor approved a contract with F. M. Rogers & Co. for painting work at the High School of Commerce. Bids, opened June 27, were as follows:

A. H. Rice, \$8,840; F. M. Rogers & Co., \$11,487; James I. Wingate & Son, \$12,920; Charles E. Bradley, \$13,987; A. D. Howlett Company \$16,490; M. L. McDonald Company \$17,796.

Upon July 8 the Mayor approved a contract with M. S. Kelliher Company for alterations, etc., in Teachers College

Group. Bids for the work, opened July 1, were as follows:

M. S. Kelliher Company, \$59,500; Casey & Darcy Company, \$64,491; Guiney & Hanson Construction Company, \$68,850; Walter Curley & Son, \$69,240; A. Piotti Company, \$85,509.

Upon July 8 the Mayor approved a contract with the Capital Plumbing and Heating Company for heating system in the Quincy Street School. Bids for the work, opened July 1, were as follows:

Capital Plumbing and Heating Company, \$1,850; Acme Heating and Ventilating Company, \$2,244; General Construction and Repair Company, \$2,377; Huey Brothers Company, \$2,424; R. B. Crocker Company, \$2,473; J. P. Dwyer Company, \$2,474; T. J. Duff & Co., \$2,690; J. J. Hurley & Co., \$2,890.

Upon July 8 the Mayor approved a contract with the Capital Plumbing and Heating Company for heating system in the Horace Mann School. Bids for the work, opened July 1, were as follows:

Capital Plumbing and Heating Company, \$2,335; General Construction and Repair Company, \$2,457; T. J. Duff & Co., \$2,775; J. J. Hurley & Co., \$3,138; R. B. Crocker Company, \$3,160; Huey Brothers Company, \$3,227; J. P. Dwyer Company, \$3,393; Acme Heating and Ventilating Company, \$3,487.

Upon July 8 the Mayor approved a contract with T. F. McGrath & Co. for painting work at the Julia Ward Howe School. Bids for the work, opened July 1, were as follows:

T. F. McGrath & Co., \$1,841; C. E. Bradley, \$2,330; M. L. McDonald Company, \$2,339; F. M. Rogers & Co., \$2,395; James I. Wingate & Son, \$2,945; John W. Graham & Son, \$3,255; A. D. Howlett Company, \$3,340.

Upon July 8 the Mayor approved a contract with A. D. Howlett Company for painting work at the Miles Standish School. Bids for the work, opened July 1, were as follows:

T. F. McGrath & Co., \$1,990; A. D. Howlett Company, \$2,745; C. E. Bradley, \$2,782; F. M. Rogers & Co., \$2,969; M. L. McDonald Company, \$3,240; John W. Graham & Son, \$3,450; James I. Wingate & Son, \$3,430.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 8 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for furnishing meats to the various city departments during July, 1924. Bids for the supply, opened June 27, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Two Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Veal.—William A. Doe Company, 12½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Hinds.—William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Chucks.—William A. Doe Company, 8 cents per

pound; Merchants Provision Company, 9 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound.

Thirteen Hundred Pounds Lamb.—William A. Doe Company, 24 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 26 cents per pound.

Fifty Pounds Bacon.—William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Hams.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Fowl.—William A. Doe Company, 31 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 30 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound.

Twenty-five Pounds Salt Pork.—William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 11 cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$1,806.45; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,846.10; Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,899.25.

Institutions Department.

Deer Island.

Twenty-four Hundred Pounds Sticks.—William A. Doe Company, 9 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 9½ cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Undercuts.—William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Forty Pounds Lamb Saddles.—William A. Doe Company, 27 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 32 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 30 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Twenty-five Pounds Fowl.—William A. Doe Company, 31 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 30 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Eighty Pounds Frankfurts.—William A. Doe Company, 13½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Pounds Short Ribs.—William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Hinds.—William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Sixty Pounds Fore-quarters.—William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 11 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 12 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Bologna.—William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$1,150.35; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,265.70; Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,277.40.

Long Island Hospital.

Thirty-eight Hundred Pounds Sticks.—William A. Doe Company, 9 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 9½ cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Brisket.—William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound.

Sixteen Hundred Pounds Rib Cuts.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Hams.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Eleven Hundred Pounds Fowl.—William A. Doe Company, 30 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 30 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 31 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Hinds.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Twenty-seven Hundred Pounds Lamb.—William A. Doe Company, 24 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 29 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 26 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Pounds Frankfurt Sausage.—William A. Doe Company, 13½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Bacon.—William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Seventy-two Pounds Lamb Fores.—William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$2,571.08; Merchants Provision Company, \$2,743.68; Mohawk Packing Company, \$2,686.96.

Park Department.

Two Thousand Pounds Chucks.—William A. Doe Company, 9 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10½ cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$180; Merchants Provision Company, \$210; Mohawk Packing Company, \$210.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the Petroleum Heat and Power Company for completion of the oil-burning apparatus at the City Hospital. A communication from Joseph P. Manning of the Board of Trustees was as follows:

BOSTON, June 24, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—At a meeting of the Board of Trustees held on June 20 a proposal for the completion of the oil-burning equipment at the power house of the Boston City Hospital, for boilers Nos. 1 and 2 was received from the Petroleum Heat and Power Company. A copy of said proposal is inclosed. The trustees believe that inasmuch as the Petroleum Heat and Power Company made the original installation and are thoroughly conversant with the layout, it would be wise to award the contract to that company without advertising. On behalf of the trustees, therefore, I respectfully request permission to award the contract for the completion of the oil-burning equipment at the Boston City Hospital to the Petroleum Heat and Power Company for the sum of \$7,885.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH P. MANNING,
President, Board of Trustees.

PETROLEUM HEAT AND POWER COMPANY,
OIL-BURNING EQUIPMENT,
100 BOYLSTON STREET,
BOSTON, June 12, 1924.

TRUSTEES OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, J. J. DOWLING, M. D., *Superintendent*, Boston, Mass.:

Re Oil-Burning Installation for B. & W. Boilers Nos. 1 and 2.

GENTLEMEN,—We propose to equip two (2) 350 horse power B. & W. water tube boilers for oil burning and to install therein Fesler patented down shot furnaces, furnishing labor and material as herein specified for the sum of seven thousand eight hundred eighty-five (7,885) dollars.

Burners.—Furnish and install two (2) Petroleum Heat and Power Company steam atomizing burners in each of the above boiler furnaces. These burners are to be of detachable housing locked yoke type, and are to be provided with the latest design Petroleum Heat and Power Company turbo-centrifugal burner tips.

Furnish at each burner two (2) firing cocks and two (2) control valves.

Piping.—Furnish and install the necessary steam and oil piping for connecting the burners to the existing steam and oil connections at boiler No. 3.

Insulation.—Furnish and install the necessary pipe covering of standard weight, 85 per cent magnesia for all hot oil and steam lines installed under these specifications.

Demolishing.—Remove the present metal parts of the Murphy stokers, together with the brick work included in Dutch ovens. These parts are to be removed from the boiler room and deposited at a point not exceeding 150 feet therefrom as directed by the superintendent, or they are to be removed from the premises altogether at our discretion.

It is understood that the metal parts belonging to these stokers are to become the property of and be salvaged by this company.

Furnace Work.—Furnish the necessary labor and material for installing the Fesler patented down shot furnaces on the above boilers, as follows:

Remove and rebuild side and center walls from front line of boilers back about 11 feet 6 inches. Remove present

bridge walls and rebuild in new location about 9 feet 9 inches from front line of boilers. Remove present front baffles; replace with inclined Johns-Manville baffles. Build new front walls under front headers to suit oil burners. Cut out concrete in furnaces to about 18 inches below boiler room floor and under side walls, front walls, and bridge walls to allow for a 9-inch fire brick facing. Pave furnace floors with 1 inch of sand, two flat courses of calcined Sil-O-Cel and two flat courses of fire brick. Rebuild front walls around boiler drums with common brick. Point up all cracks in the balance of these settings that we do not rebuild. Replace common brick arches over drums as found necessary. Coat all exterior walls of settings with Johns-Manville Aer-tite coating. Fill in present stoker pits in front of boilers and refinish floor. Remove all rubbish resulting from this work from premises to yard.

We propose to use Queens Run glass brand fire brick and lay same in Johns-Manville No. 31, or equal, high temperature cement. We propose to use our patented header and dusting door blocks for front headers and first dusting doors.

Progress of Work.—This work will be started upon notification from the superintendent of the hospital.

Yours very truly,

PETROLEUM HEAT AND POWER COMPANY,

F. H. JOHNSON,
District Engineer.

Approved.

GLENN ARNOLD,
District Manager.

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the M. B. Foster Electric Company for the removal of the switch board and electric wiring for the New Thorndike Memorial Hospital, X-Ray Department. A communication from Joseph P. Manning of the Board of Trustees was as follows:

BOSTON, June 24, 1924.

HON JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—When the contract for the construction of the Thorndike Memorial Building was entered into with the John Bowen Company the switch board for the various X-ray and electrical apparatus throughout the building was placed in the sub-basement. After the building was completed the Wire Department refused to grant permission for turning on electricity unless the trustees would agree to have the same removed from its present location to one that would be acceptable to them. This was agreed to by the trustees, and provision was made for the same in the budget. The electrical installation was made by the M. B. Foster Electric Company, who have agreed to remove the same to a location acceptable to the Wire Department, and complete the work without interfering with the conduct of the building. This latter is very important, as the X-Ray Department and Thorndike laboratories are now in operation. The trustees are of the opinion that inasmuch as the M. B. Foster Electric Company made the original installation and are thoroughly conversant with the layout of the conduits, etc., the work would be performed by them better than it could be done by any other electrical contractor wholly unacquainted with the work. We have

been assured by the M. B. Foster Electric Company that the sum named by them is reasonable, and as low or lower than would be bid by any other electrical contractor. Under the circumstances the trustees voted to request your approval of the award of the contract for this work to the M. B. Foster Electrical Company for the sum of \$5,452. A copy of the proposal of the M. B. Foster Electric Company is enclosed.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH P. MANNING,
President, Board of Trustees.

M. B. FOSTER ELECTRIC COMPANY,
514 ATLANTIC AVENUE,
BOSTON, June 10, 1924.

TRUSTEES BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 818
Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.:

Attention: Doctor Dowling, Superintendent.

GENTLEMEN,—We will be pleased to furnish the labor and materials necessary to install the electric work in connection with relocating the subfeeder switch board transformers, and other electrical apparatus, which are now located in the small room in the sub-basement of the Thorndike Memorial Building, to the location in the supply room and storeroom on the basement floor; all in accordance with the accompanying specifications for the sum of fifty four hundred fifty two dollars (\$5,452).

If our above quotation should be acceptable, we can guarantee that in doing this work there will be no shutdown or interference with the electrical service in this building.

We can further guarantee you that we will do this work and make it satisfactory in all its details to the Wire Department of the City of Boston.

Respectfully yours,

M. B. FOSTER ELECTRIC Co.,
by JOHN QUINLAN,
Vice President.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial
Stone Sidewalk).

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with John Bastile for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

To the Mayor of Boston.

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to John Bastile, 5 Taft court, Roslindale, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon July 2 the Mayor approved a contract with F. S. Casilli for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, July 2, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to F. S. Casilli, 154 Belgrade avenue, Roslindale, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon July 8 the Mayor approved a contract with William J. O'Brien for artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, July 7, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to William J. O'Brien, 17 Hastings street, West Roxbury, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon July 8 the Mayor approved a contract with Ralph Buonopane for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, July 7, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Permission is hereby requested to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Ralph Buonopane, 32 George street, Roxbury, on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving
Service).

Additions, amounting to \$400, on contract with Henry F. Malley for artificial stone steps in Northwood street, East Boston, on account of rebuilding artificial stone steps and relaying artificial stone walk at 196 Leyden street; rebuilding retaining wall and wooden steps at 94 Gladstone street; and building retain-

ing wall to support the foundation of house at 198 Leyden street. Original contract, \$12,300; total addition, \$400; contract as standing, \$12,700.

A deduction, amounting to \$2,721, on contract with the Highland Contracting Company for recut granite block pavement in Ruggles and Whitney streets, Roxbury, on account of omitting the laying of artificial stone sidewalks where directed in Ruggles and Whittier streets, and substituting the relaying of existing brick sidewalks. To be paid for under Item 8b, viz., 75 cents per square yard. Original contract, \$26,589; total deduction, \$2,721; contract as standing, \$23,868.

An addition, amounting to \$1,000, on contract with S. J. Tomasello for granite block pavement in Clafin street, South Boston, on account of omitting the laying of new granite block and substituting the laying of old deep granite block. On account of the extra depth of the block used, the contractor is to be paid for each square yard laid and grouted the sum of 50 cents in addition to price bid for Item 5e. Original contract, \$6,391; total addition, \$1,000; contract as standing, \$7,391.

An addition, amounting to \$105, on contract with the Highland Contracting Company for artificial stone sidewalks in Holton street, Brighton; Sachem, Hayden, Schiller streets, Roxbury; Woodcliff, Dacia, Blakeville and Bullard streets, Dorchester, and West Milton street, Hyde Park, on account of removing three trees where directed. Original contract, \$13,304.70; total additions, \$2,005; total deductions, \$1,080; contract as standing, \$14,229.70.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$32, on contract with the McCulloch Manufacturing Company for assembling 10-inch and 12-inch gate valves, on account of assembling one 12-inch gate valve. Original contract \$5,950; total addition, \$32; contract as standing, \$5,982.

An addition, amounting to \$150, on contract with M. DeSisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Blue Hill avenue, Hazleton street, Hiawatha road, Morton and Wildwood streets, Dorchester; Florence avenue, Brighton; Partridge street, Pond View avenue, Waldon road, West Roxbury Parkway and Woodbrier road, West Roxbury, on account of laying 70 linear feet of 8-inch pipe. Original contract, \$6,657.50; total addition, \$150; contract as standing, \$6,807.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Hart & Hutchinson Company have been allowed for furnishing, delivering and installing eighty additional double tier lockers for the Girls' High School, the sum of \$824, as per letter of supervisor of alterations and repairs dated May 23, 1924, making the account as follows: Contract price, \$7,142; total additions, \$824; amount of contract, \$7,960.

R. J. Connolly has been allowed the following addition to contract for moving four portable schools: For changing long window sections to other side of buildings, Portable No. 224-225, \$250; changing swing of doors, Portable No. 224-225, \$20; changing door, Portable No. 217, \$15; extra painting, Henry

Grew Portable, \$30; total addition, \$315; making the account as follows: Contract price, \$4,300; total additions, \$315; amount of contract, \$4,615.

Joseph Rugo has been allowed the following additions to contract for the Thomas Gardner School: For cutting through and building new entrance to boys' toilet room, \$1,300; for all grading work in old yard, \$4,779; for all grading work in new yard, \$13,321; making a total addition of \$19,400. Deduction: allowance for grading Section 4, page 35, paragraph 3 of contract, \$9,000; making a net addition to contract amount of \$10,400; making the account as follows: Contract price, \$135,475; total additions, \$10,400; total deductions, \$1,600; amount of contract, \$144,275.

Nichols-Egan Company have been allowed the following additions to the John L. Motley School:

Fifteen par 5 by 5 B. B. butts, \$59.40, in place of twelve sets of pivots, \$45.84; net, \$13.56; six pair 6 by 6 Br. butts F. W., \$108, in place of four sets of pivots, \$19.32; net, \$88.68; three pair extra heavy butts, 5 by 5 bronze, \$29.70; two lock sets (no cylinder), \$14.10; two Yale checks, \$24.48; two door straps, \$4; two Hoyt holders, 4½ inches, \$10; four kick plates, \$15; one lock set, \$6.68; net addition, \$216.26; making the account as follows: Contract price, \$1,848.93; total additions, \$216.26; amount of contract, \$2,065.19.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

P. F. Russo, Inc., have been granted an extension of the time of completion of contract for new piping for salt water system at the Aquarium, Marine Park, South Boston, to July 5.

R. A. Bossi Company have been granted an extension of time on their contract to complete the locker building for the World War Memorial Park to July 31.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John B. Dolan has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract, for erecting garage, Albany street, Boston, from June 10, 1924, to July 31, 1924.

Henry F. Malloy has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying artificial stone steps in Northwood street, East Boston, from Leyden street to Gladstone street, from July 1, 1924, to August 1, 1924.

B. E. Grant Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying bitulithic, wood block and recut granite block pavement in West street, from Tremont street to Washington street; Bedford street, from Washington street to Summer street; Shawmut avenue, from Broadway to bridge over Boston & Albany Railroad; and Charles street, from Allen street to Leverett street, from July 1, 1924, to September 1, 1924. West street, Bedford street and Shawmut avenue have been completed.

The Highland Contracting Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract, for laying artificial stone sidewalks in Holton street, Sachem street, Hayden street, Schiller street, Woodcliff street, Dacia street, Blakeville street, Bullard street and West Milton street, from July 1, 1924, to September 1, 1924.

M. H. Loonie has been granted an extension of time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Congress street, between Atlantic avenue and Purchase street, city proper, from May 15 to June 7, 1924, twenty-three days.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

The Kennedy Valve Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract of the Kennedy Valve Company for furnishing gate valves to the Water Service, from March 15, 1924, to June 10, 1924.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority to relay granite block pavement with grout joints and regulate in Cambridge street, Charlestown, from Parker street to Somerville line, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$4,000.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority to excavate and prepare sub-grade in Day street, between Hyde square and Heath street, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$5,000.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Public Works Commissioner for authority to have the Western Union Telegraph Company relocate cable house at Dartmouth Street Bridge, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$3,600.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department to repair macadam roadway in Arcadia street, Dorchester, from Adams street across Draper street, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$1,500.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

A. Piotti Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the erection and completion of an elementary school in the Bennett District, Strathmore road and Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton, by striking out the words and figures, "June 15, 1924," on page 23, section 3, and substituting the words and figures, "August 15, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 23, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about October 15, 1923, and is to be completed on or before August 15, 1924."

OMITTING AND ADDING WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

M. De Sisto Company have been directed to omit and add the following work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Alhambra road, Granfield avenue, Orange street, Roslindale avenue, Washington street, West Roxbury Parkway and Willow street, West Roxbury, also Lane park, Orchard road and Penniman road, Brighton. Items ordered: Omit 520 feet 8-inch pipe in Alhambra road, \$520; omit 450 feet 8-inch pipe in Granfield avenue, \$450—\$970. Add 300 feet 12-inch pipe in Lorna road, Dorchester; add 500 feet 12-inch pipe in Morton street, Dorchester, \$1,000. Estimated net cost of additional work, \$30.

LAND TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Leclerc Construction Company, bounded:

Southeast by Roslindale avenue, ten feet; southwest by other land of said company, one hundred feet; northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from said company, ten feet; and northeast by other land of said company, one hundred feet; containing one thousand square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Leclerc Construction Company, bounded:

Southeast by land hereinbefore described as taken from Leclerc Construction Company, ten feet; southwest by other land of said company, one hundred feet; northwest by Orange street, ten feet; and northeast by other land of said company, one hundred feet; containing one thousand square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

Two hundred linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 200 linear feet of 20-inch pipe surface drain, in the above described premises, being private land between Roslindale avenue and Orange street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, in the sum of \$1,066.66, as compensation for property damage caused by stoppage of sewer at 90 and 92 Court street, December 11, 1922.

United States Shipping Board, in the sum of \$1,990, as compensation for damage to property caused by collision of U. S. S. "Cowiche" with ferryboat "Governor Russell," March 17, 1920, in Boston Harbor.

Georgiana E. Murphy, in the sum of \$750, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in Public Alley 423 on Berkeley street, June 2, 1923.

Sanda R. Herson, 10 Long avenue, Allston, in the sum of \$5, as refund of poll tax paid for year 1921 (she being a woman).

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 3 TO JULY 9.

JULY 3.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Oscar F. Metcalf.....	92 West Newton street.....	6	New fixtures.....	\$175
L. J. Hickman.....	184 Washington street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
W. J. Gallagher.....	64 Moraine street.....	22	New fixtures.....	10
Emilio Puopolo.....	9 Lincoln street.....	3	New fixtures.....	150
Frank C. Lewis.....	19 and 21 Kingston street.....	5	New fixtures.....	750
A. D. Meltzer.....	311 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	300
L. W. Politt.....	165 Hampden street.....	12	New fixtures.....	600
Edward L. Driscoll.....	55 East Newton street.....	6	New fixtures.....	3,800
H. S. Trethewey.....	96 Church street.....	23	New fixtures.....	681
Otto R. Schultes.....	131 C street.....	9	New fixtures.....	146
John F. McGloan.....	14 Brimmer street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200

JULY 5.

John H. Callahan.....	53 West Dedham street.....	6	New fixtures.....	\$110
Edward E. Berry.....	9 Thompson street.....	24	New fixtures.....	275
R. Karger.....	72 Oakland street.....	26	New fixtures.....	400
A. Yorks.....	285 Meridian street.....	1	New fixtures.....	150
P. H. McCormack.....	72 Medford street.....	4	New fixtures.....	150
William B. Johnson.....	45 Devonshire street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
George A. Monohan.....	11 Bourne street.....	22	New fixtures.....	500
J. F. Murphy.....	10 Bellevue street.....	17	New fixtures.....	150
P. H. McCormack.....	15 Mystic street.....	3	New fixtures.....	200
P. H. McCormack.....	329 Bunker Hill street.....	3	New fixtures.....	150
P. H. McCormack.....	9 Trenton street.....	4	New fixtures.....	400
R. P. Slatery & Co.....	16 Ash street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200

JULY 7.

Hatch Plumbing Company..	677 Atlantic avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$500
Harry D. Pollard.....	42 Wrentham street.....	20	New fixtures.....	240
John C. Kelley estate.....	23 Wigglesworth street.....	14	New fixtures.....	300
T. T. Connolly.....	36 Larch street.....	25	New fixtures.....	900
Max Hyman.....	47 Hewins street.....	19	New fixtures.....	300
James A. Sullivan.....	15 Foss road.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,500

JULY 8.

Abraham Shleman.....	89 Waumbeck street.....	16	New fixtures.....	\$200
Harry F. Nation.....	32 Seaver street.....	16	New fixtures.....	6,500
William F. Joyce.....	45 Linwood street.....	15	New fixtures.....	250
David W. Ross.....	6 North Munroe terrace.....	20	New fixtures.....	500
P. T. Buckley.....	19 and 20 Lewis Wharf.....	5	New fixtures.....	2,300
Joseph Seigel.....	74 Howland street.....	16	New fixtures.....	900
Robert A. Matthews.....	9 Harvard park.....	19	New fixtures.....	550
P. J. Riley.....	109 Gustine street.....	20	New fixtures.....	800
John E. Stanley.....	63 Greenbrier street.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,000
Wilfred H. Garvey.....	11 Foss road.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,000
E. J. Fennessey.....	4 Cleveland street.....	12	New fixtures.....	415
Joseph Edelstein.....	32 Bardwell street.....	22	New fixtures.....	500
W. S. Emerson.....	5 Baldwin place.....	5	New fixtures.....	75
Herman E. Kraus.....	332 A street.....	9	New fixtures.....	1,000
J. P. Tancred.....	236 West Sixth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	200
Francis D. Carr.....	45 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	250

JULY 9.

P. G. Finnerty.....	97 Wes Concord street.....	6	New fixtures.....	\$65
Ralph F. Norwood.....	29 Bostonia avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	700
William H. Browne.....	15 and 17 Lorna road.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
William H. Browne.....	953 and 955 Morton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
Charles Lang.....	163 Milton street.....	20	New fixtures.....	860
M. J. Murphy.....	723 Washington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,350
John C. Kelly estate.....	18 Aspinwall road.....	19	New fixtures.....	400
F. D. Kirby.....	100 Summer street.....	5	New fixtures.....	500
R. J. Rodday Company.....	173 Summer street.....	5	New fixtures.....	450
Samuel Barron.....	353 Washington street.....	19	New fixtures.....	150

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 3 TO JULY 9.

JULY 3.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Dorchester Plumbing Com-pany.	Rear of 1341 Columbus ave..	15	First-class garage.....	\$25,000
G. E. Rollack.....	26 Neponset avenue.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
G. E. Rollack.....	Rear of 26 Neponset avenue.	24	Third-class gara e.....	500
The Ginter Company.....	39 and 41 Winter street....	5	Alterations, offices and stores.	100
DeBlois & Maddison.....	103 Blackstone street.....	5	Alterations, packing house...	700
S. Cabelinsky.....	2304-2308 Washington street.	12	Alterations, light manufactur-ing.	5,000
G. A. & R. G. Carpenter...	445 and 447. Washington, street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	1,925
Salzberger Manufacturing Company.	31 Walnut street.....	23	Alterations, manufacturing ..	2,000
Steinert & Co.....	10 and 12 Carver street....	8	Alterations, offices.....	1,500
Frances B. Boyle.....	167 King street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	375
James F. Dargon.....	20 Langdon street.....	12	Alterations, tenements.....	450
Agnes B. Donovan.....	26 Melrose street.....	8	Take-down dwelling.....	10
Joseph Gostonquay.....	39 Rockwell street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	642
Mason Regulator Company,	Rear of 15 Medway street...	21	Alterations, offices.....	800

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 3 TO JULY 9.

JULY 5.

OWNER	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
John T. Connor Company...	41-45 Pittsburg street.....	9	Second-class light storage....	\$26,000
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William F. Condry.....	191 LaGrange street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Caterina Calermo.....	136 Gladstone street.....	1	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
Mrs. Laura F. Leonard.....	87 Hedgesworth street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	4,000
Hilda P. McGill.....	23 Foss road.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Estate Henry A. Johnson.....	23 Chestnut street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,400
Joseph Rudnick.....	528 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Alterations, stores and offices.....	400
Jenny Goldstein.....	36 Eric street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Louis Silverman.....	53 Humboldt avenue.....	16	Alterations, dwelling and store.....	2,000
I. Kaplan.....	1138 Commonwealth ave.....	25	Erect sign.....	400

JULY 7.

L. V. Niles.....	87 and 89 Commercial street.....	5	Alterations, store and lofts....	\$2,500
M. Kondrat.....	179 Athens street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	10
Hay Realty.....	173 Summer street.....	5	Alterations, commercial.....	400

JULY 8.

Peter P. Graham.....	10 Marbury terrace.....	15	First-class garage.....	\$1,800
Margaret F. Reilly.....	Rear of 21 Child street.....	22	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Curtis & Pope Lumber Co.....	783 Massachusetts avenue.....	12	Second-class garage.....	4,000
P. H. Randlov.....	42 Bradeen street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Harold R. Rand.....	18 Conway street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Charles W. Rice.....	22 Arnold street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	6,500
Rose Barton.....	15 Hammatt road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Edmond Grondin.....	23 Hobson street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
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Grace A. Russo.....	499 Beech street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Salvatore Ciulla.....	63 Bradeen street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Harry F. Murray.....	62 Walker street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Frederick M. Gilliland.....	73 Florence street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Lyla E. Henderson.....	7 Marion road.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
M. Axerod.....	1226 Commonwealth ave.....	25	Alterations, stores and tenements.....	20,000
Frederick E. Moreshead.....	21 Walnut road.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,500
William H. and Thomas W. Slocum, trustees.....	96-100 Summer street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.....	2,500
Mrs. Herbert Lyman.....	229 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,200
Tonken & Kaufman.....	187 Glenway street.....	19	Alterations, tenements.....	8,000
Timothy Neville.....	4 Norwood street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Teresa Violanti.....	156 East Cottage street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	175
Estate W. B. Rice.....	37 and 39 Carver street.....	8	Erect fire escape.....	400
D. Gillis <i>et al.</i>	9 and 11 Spring street.....	5	Erect fire escape.....	150
Washington Electric Company.....	24 Stuart street.....	5	Erect sign.....	525
Mystic Building Wrecking Company.....	478 Neponset avenue.....	20	Take-down, dwelling.....	100

JULY 9.

George W. Shelley.....	Rear of 1 Richfield park....	18	Second-class garage.....	\$1,000
Amanda S. Nelson.....	329 Park street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
William I. Esterbrook.....	8 Chester street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
John P. Kenney.....	164 Lasell street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
S. L. Mortanson.....	390 Weld street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
Mary G. Fox.....	14 Conway street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
David M. Beeman.....	11 Monponsett street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Weld Estate.....	65-69 Summer street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.....	2,000
Grace B. McIntire <i>et al.</i>	40 Moreland street.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Max Stonberg.....	215 Harvard street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
Bunker Hill Breweries.....	60 Alford street.....	3	Alterations, storehouse.....	70
Maud P. Parker.....	23 Glendale street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Ellen Connors, 110 Dakota street, Ward 19, one car.

George J. Galbraith, 49 and 51 Harvard street, Ward 19, one car.

Fred C. Gevalt *et al.*, 52 Park street, Ward 23, one car.

Charles N. Labonta, 12 and 14 Downing street, Ward 13, one car.

Katharine Schorle, 83 Glen road, Ward 22, one car.

Fred Swirkal, 63 Tampa street, Ward 21, one car.

Louis A. Adduci, 56 Stockton street, Ward 21, two cars.

William M. Carlyle, 24 Redlands road, Ward 23, two cars.

Minnie Cohen, 27 Floyd street, Ward 21, two cars.

Walter H. Crosby, 304 Faneuil street, Ward 26, two cars.

Louise V. Curry, 368 Arborway, Ward 22, two cars.

Joseph Dzengeleski, 92 Claybourne street, Ward 19, two cars.

Catherine F. Golden, 95 Bynner street, Ward 14, two cars.

Hyman Green, 57 Hazelton street, Ward 21, two cars.

Hyman Green, 61 Hazleton street, Ward 21, two cars.

Jeremiah Kearns, 45 Fox street, Ward 18, two cars additional.

Margaret Lemist, 47 Jamaica street, Ward 22, two cars.

Joseph List, 146 Cedar street, Ward 15, group garage, two units and repair shop.

Charles S. Little, 99 Farquhar street, Ward 23, two cars.

Agnes G. Long, 18 Thornley street, Ward 17, two cars.

Jennie M. Morrison, 16 and 18 Bradfield avenue, Ward 23, two cars.

Jennie M. Morrison, 983 South street, Ward 23, two cars.

Carmello Orlando, 7 Seaview avenue, Ward 1, two cars.

Elizabeth O'Sullivan, 11 Aldworth street, Ward 22, two cars.

Ida Perlmutter, 12 and 14 Wilcock street, Ward 21, two cars.

Sadie B. Quint, 17 Browning avenue, Ward 19, two cars.

Lena Ross, 89 Mountain avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Eva D. Seamon, 35 Dennison street, Ward 15, two cars.

Thomas J. Sheahan, 11 Belmore terrace, Ward 15, two cars.

Max Steinberg, 37 Brookledge street, Ward 16, two cars.

James P. Sullivan, 36 Etna street, Ward 26, two cars.

James Terhaney, 82 Forest Hills street, Ward 22, two cars.

Jennie Weisman, 1099 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 21, two cars.

Witold Dobrowolski, 7 and 9 Richardson street, Ward 26, group garage, three units, three cars.

Luciana Nicollazo, 27 Winship street, Ward 25, group garage, three units, three cars.

Dana E. Sargent, 277 and 279 Hyde Park avenue, Ward 22, group garage, three units.

Eugenie M. Valler *et al.*, 87 Dakota street, Ward 19, group garage, three units, three cars.

Gertrude M. Wood, 155 Kilsyth road, Ward 25, three cars.

S. Zagarella, 57 Austin avenue, Ward 1, three cars.

Eli Heffron, 16 Sullivan street, Ward 3, group garage, four units.

Bruno Kroetzsh, 121 Howard avenue, Ward 17, group garage, four units.

Ellen J. Lally, 176 and 178 West Ninth street, Ward 11, group garage, four units, four cars.

Rose Wood, 87 and 89 Harrishof street, Ward 19, group garage, four units, four cars.

Margaret E. Spelman, 11 Taft place, Ward 23, five units.

Rose M. Maffeo, 465-467 Washington street, Ward 20, group garage, six units, six cars.

Fannie R. Parmenter, 81 Condor street, Ward 1, group garage, nine units, nine cars.

Katherine Travers (A), 70 Norfolk avenue, Ward 12, fifteen cars.

Hyman Klayman, 70-74 Canterbury street, Ward 21, group garage, eighteen units, eighteen cars.

McCabe & Giovannini, 123 East Dedham street, Ward 6, maintaining public garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Merchants Terminal Company, 465 Medford street, Ward 3, business garage and 2,000 gallons gasoline.

Standard Oil Company of New York, 172 Freeport street, Ward 20, business garage additional.

Atlas Service Corporation, 101-109 Beverly street, etc., Ward 5, 950 gallons gasoline, 500 gallons oil.

Joseph W. Chamberlin, 24 Mt. Vernon street, Ward 11, 1,000 gallons gasoline and repair shop.

Edward J. Doherty, 271 Main street, Ward 3, 1,000 gallons gasoline additional.

Emil M. Echter, 24 and 26 Centre street, Ward 23, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

B. Gilman, 358 and 360 Norfolk street, Ward 21, 1,000 gallons gasoline additional.

John M. Jackson, 1037 Bennington street, Ward 1, 1,000 gallons gasoline additional.

Anna B. McGonagle, 833 Columbia road, Ward 11, 500 gallons gasoline.

MAYOR PRESENTS SEVERAL ORDERS TO CITY COUNCIL FOR NEEDED IMPROVEMENTS.

PROVIDES FOR PAYMENT OF DRAWTENDERS AND ASSISTANTS WHEN ILL, THE BUILDING OF SEWERS IN OUTLYING DISTRICTS AND FOR HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION.

Mayor Curley has prepared the following orders for presentation to the next meeting of the City Council:

GENTLEMEN,—Upon the occasion of the consideration by the City Council of the budget for 1924-25 as adopted by the City Council and approved by the Mayor, a verbal agreement was entered into providing for the payment to drawtenders and assistant drawtenders in the service of the city when ill.

In accordance with the terms of this verbal agreement, I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer from the appropriation for Reserve Fund, \$4,500, to the appropriation for Public Works Department, Bridge Service.

GENTLEMEN,—The failure of municipal authorities in the past to provide adequate protection from epidemics which might result as a consequence of the failure to develop sanitary sewerage conditions in the outlying section of the city, and as a consequence of the activity in the building line, it is imperative that immediate action be taken upon a sewerage construction program in the West Roxbury section of Boston.

At the recent session of the Legislature a measure was introduced authorizing the city to increase the amount to be expended for sewerage purposes inside the debt limit from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000, but the Legislature did not approve the act as presented by the municipal authorities.

The amount appropriated by the city within the debt limit was \$800,000 and in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works it is vitally necessary that this amount be increased to at least \$1,000,000. In his opinion, which I share, the interests of public health are paramount to public convenience, and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

The adoption of this order will make possible at a later time the transfer of \$200,000 to the Public Works Department, for sewerage construction that otherwise would be expended for "Highways, Making of." The privy system that has obtained from the beginning of our city in the so-called Germantown section of West Roxbury, and the open sewerage system known as Stony brook, have so long been a possible source of contagion that it is imperative that the matter receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the right to borrow money for "Highways, Making of," un-

der the loan order passed March 18, 1924, and approved by the Mayor March 19, 1924, be limited to \$600,000, and that the authorization to borrow in excess of said amount for said purpose be and the same hereby is revoked.

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to submit for acceptance by your honorable body chapter 352 of the Acts of 1924, as approved by his Excellency the Governor, under date of May 12, 1924, which act makes the necessary provision which will permit of the adoption of the building program as recommended by the Boston City Hospital Trustees.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered,—That chapter 352 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to Borrow and to Raise by Taxation Money for Hospital Purposes," be and the same hereby is accepted.

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN,—The trustees of the Boston City Hospital about one year ago were authorized to employ architects to design plans for such buildings as might be required to meet present needs and in part anticipate future requirements.

The Legislature at the present session adopted a statute authorizing the expenditure of \$3,000,000 by the city to cover the cost of the building program as determined upon by the City Hospital Trustees. The legislative act provided that one third of the total be provided from the amount of money raised by taxation or within the borrowing power, the remaining two thirds to be raised outside of the debt-incurring power.

In conformity with the recommendations of the Boston City Hospital Trustees and in accordance with the provisions of the legislative act as adopted by the General Court of 1924, I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 352 of the Acts of 1924, the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the trustees of the Boston City Hospital, for the erection of a maternity building, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

Another order provides for the transfer of \$1,500 from the Reserve Fund, to be expended by Dr. Johnson, Institutions

Commissioner, for the purchase of a merry-go-round to be used at Rainsford Island for the benefit of the children of Boston who are taken there each year, under income received through the Randidge Trust Fund. This income is insufficient to provide other than the boat ride and luncheon and it is felt that the purchase of this merry-go-round will provide additional recreation for the children.

Another order provides for the adoption of chapters 475 and 476 of the Acts of 1924 which cover the laying out, widening and construction of Tremont and Kneeland streets. These acts require that \$2,400,000 shall be appropriated by the city outside the debt and 10 per cent of this amount, or \$240,000, shall be provided either within the debt limit or from other sources of revenue. Orders calling for the appropriation of these sums are also being submitted to the Council.

Approximately \$10,000 is being transferred from the Reserve Fund to the appropriations for the Building Department and the Board of Appeal to cover the expense of additional work placed on these departments by the adoption of the Zoning Act in this year's session of the Legislature.

The Mayor is also forwarding for the consideration of the City Council a contract between the City of Boston, entered through the Commissioner of Public Works, and the Charlestown Gas and Electric Company for furnishing gas and for the equipment and lighting and extinguishing the gas lamps in Charlestown for a ten-year period.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Mayor has approved of the following vote of the Board of Street Commissioners, awarding damages:

Voted, That in the matter of Herman Hindenlang, petitioner for damages occasioned his estate by the relocation of Grove street, West Roxbury, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of August 30, 1917, after consultation with the Law Department, and on its advice, the Board assesses the petitioner's damages in the sum of \$2,075; and consents that the Corporation Counsel agree to judgment in said case on the terms herein stated.

The Mayor has approved the following order of the Board of Street Commissioners:

Voted, That, in the matter of Domenico De Stefano, petitioner for damages on account of land taken for school purposes on Blue Hill avenue, near Harvard street, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of November 29, 1922, after consultation with the Law Department, and on its advice, the Board assesses the petitioner's damages in the sum of \$4,500 flat; and consents that the Corporation counsel agree to judgment in said case on the terms herein stated.

TO SELL MANHOLES.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department to sell to A. G. Tomasello & Son for \$220 ten manhole frames and covers, the property of the Sewer Service. This equipment is to be used on a sewer being constructed under a release by which it reverts to the city.

SETTLEMENT FOR EXTRA WORK.

The Mayor has received and approved the following communication from Joseph A. Rourke, Commissioner of Public Works:

Boston, June 25, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Under date of September 25, 1923, and October 6, 1923, your Honor approved extra work orders for \$800 and \$3,000 respectively, in favor of the Boston Bridge Works, Inc., under their contract dated June 22, 1922, for rebuilding Cambridge Street Bridge.

Inasmuch as it has been extremely difficult and almost impossible to check up on the details of the labor, time and materials and obtain accurate costs under these extra work orders, the contractor is willing, in order to clean up the contract, to take these orders at agreed prices; and since the estimated prices indicated in these orders are reasonable for the work, your approval is respectfully requested to the payment of the agreed upon prices of \$800 for order of September 25, 1923, and of \$3,000 for order of October 6, 1923.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

OMITTING AND SUBSTITUTING WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

The Highland Contracting Company have been directed to omit and substitute the following work under contract for paving with recut granite block, Ruggles street and Whittier street, Roxbury. Items ordered: Omit the laying of artificial stone sidewalks where directed in Ruggles street and Whittier street and substitute the relaying of existing brick sidewalks. To be paid for under Item 8b. viz., 75 cents per square yard. Estimated cost of omitted work, \$4,134; substitute work, \$1,413; estimated decrease in cost, \$2,821.

Samuel J. Tomasello has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under contract for constructing granite block pavement in Clafin street, from C street to D street. Items ordered: Omit the laying of new granite block and substitute the laying of old deep granite block. On account of the extra depth of the block used, the contractor is to be paid for each square yard laid and grouted the sum of fifty (50) cents in addition to price bid for Item 5e. Estimated cost of substituted work, \$1,000.

MAYOR CURLEY EXPRESSED BOSTON'S HOPE FOR PRESIDENT'S SON'S RECOVERY.

Mayor Curley on July 7 forwarded the following telegram to Honorable and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge:

HON. AND MRS. CALVIN COOLIDGE,

The White House, Washington, D. C.

I pray you will accept a very earnest assurance of the sympathy in the critical illness of your son of the people of Boston. Our prayers and hopes are that today may witness the successful passing of the crisis and that your child may soon be restored to his accustomed health and strength.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

SUNDAY BAND CONCERT.

BOSTON COMMON, JULY 13, 1924.

3.30 to 5.30 P. M.

Ives Band and Orchestra.

Program.

1. March. "Swedish Coronation." *Swendsen*
2. Overture. "Fest." *Leutner*
3. Selection. "Wizard of the Nile." *Herbert*
4. "Ballet Suite" from *Don Quixote* *Leutner*
5. Gems from "Modiste." *Herbert*
6. Entr' Acte. "Salut D'Amour." *Elgar*
7. Excerpts from "Aida." *Verdi*
8. "Largo" from New World Symphony. *Dvorak*
9. Grand Selection. "Lohengrin." *Wagner*
10. March. "Curley for Governor." *O'Brien*

Dedicated to His Honor James M. Curley.
"Star-Spangled Banner."

PUBLIC MEETING OF TERCENTENARY SURVEY COMMITTEE.

The Preliminary Survey Committee on plans for the Boston tercentenary of 1930, appointed by the Mayor three months ago, has been holding weekly meetings since May. The committee sent out several hundred letters and questionnaires to organizations and individuals representing various interests in the community, seeking their advice and suggestions.

The next meeting of the committee, to be held Tuesday evening, July 15, at eight o'clock, in the Council Chamber of City Hall, will be open to the public; to those who may desire to amplify the comments they have already made in response to the committee's questionnaire, and to others who may desire to express themselves on the subject of the observance of the 300th anniversary of the settlement of Boston.

Anyone interested is invited to ask for a questionnaire and fill it out. Requests should be sent by mail to the committee at 52 City Hall and the blank will be forwarded in the same manner.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in West Roxbury Parkway, southwesterly side, between Pelton street and a point 135 feet southeasterly in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$985.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Florence avenue, between Allston street and a point 300 feet northwesterly, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$3,000.

A sanitary sewer and surface drain of 10-inch and 12-inch earthen pipe in Mark street, between Day street and a point 203 feet easterly, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$3,241.

LOCATION OF STREET.

The Mayor has approved the following vote of the Board of Street Commissioners:

Voted, That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in the West Roxbury district, designated as Goodway road, from Bourne street to Florence street, as shown on a plan approved in writing by this Board and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Highland Contracting Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Holton street, Sachem street, Hayden street, etc. Items ordered: Remove three (3) trees on Holton street, in front of church as directed. Price to be paid, the sum of fifty (50) dollars for each tree removed. Estimated cost of extra work, \$150.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

New Car Equipment Company, 171 Brighton avenue, Ward 25, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Henry L. Sullivan, 2099 Centre street, Ward 23, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

John J. Shaw, Inc., 388 Market street, Ward 26, acetylene and oxygen.

C. H. Graves & Sons, 35 Hawkins street, Ward 5, 8,000 gallons alcohol.

E. T. Ryan Iron Works Company, 9-26 Braintree street, Ward 25, acetylene and oxygen.

Estate of Thomas E. Proctor, Pearl and High streets, Ward 5, 6,000 gallons fuel oil.

ANNEXATIONS TO BOSTON.

East Boston in 1637; South Boston in 1804, being set off from Dorchester; Roxbury in 1868, a city of Norfolk County since March, 1846; Dorchester in 1870, a town since September, 1630; Charlestown in 1874, a city of Middlesex County since February, 1847; Brighton in 1874, set off from Cambridge and incorporated as a town of Middlesex County in February, 1807; West Roxbury in 1874, set off from Roxbury and incorporated as a town of Norfolk County in May, 1851; Hyde Park in 1912, a town of Norfolk County since April, 1868.

These annexations, which added 24,312 acres of land to the original land of Boston, were by area as follows: East Boston, 1,435 acres; South Boston, 795; Roxbury, 2,450; Dorchester, 5,600; West Roxbury, 8,075; Brighton, 2,664; Charlestown, 424; Hyde Park, 2,869. Filled land increased the area later by 1,396 acres. In 1875 the annexed territory had a population of 201,250, or 58.86 per cent of City's total; in 1910 its population had increased to 477,311, or 71.18 per cent, Hyde Park not included. By 1915 the total was 549,139, or 73.67 per cent of City.

POPULATION OF OTHER NEW ENGLAND CITIES (BY RANK).

Providence, 237,595; Worcester, 179,754; New Haven, 162,519; Bridgeport, 143,538; Hartford, 138,036; Springfield, 129,563; New Bedford, 121,217; Fall River, 120,485; Lowell, 112,759; Cambridge, 109,694; Lynn, 99,148; Lawrence, 94,270; Somerville, 93,091; Waterbury, Conn., 91,410; Manchester, N. H., 78,384; Portland, 69,272; Brockton, 66,254; Pawtucket, R. I., 64,248; Holyoke, 60,203; New Britain, Conn., 59,316; Haverhill, 53,884. The 24 cities not included here have less than 50,000 population.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending July 5, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 152; nonresidents, 24; total, 176.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 11.82; nonresidents deducted, 10.20.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 13.49; corresponding week last year, 9.88.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 18; one year to five years, inclusive, 7; sixty years and over, 68; total deaths: male, 88; female, 88; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 100; deaths of colored, 6.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 5, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 7, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	33	2	45	—
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	1	—	—
Influenza.....	3	1	—	—
Measles.....	45	—	68	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	1	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	13	5	6	5
Scarlet fever.....	25	1	32	2
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	27	15	26	16
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	5	2	9	2
Typhoid fever.....	—	—	3	—
Whooping cough.....	11	—	9	2

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

SOCIAL WORKER, CITY HOSPITAL.
REQUISITION IS FOR A FEMALE, BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES, JULY 16, 1924.

The salary is \$1,000 a year.
Applicants must be not less than twenty-three nor over fifty years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants have had training and experience in some form of recognized social case work, preferably in connection with hospitals.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

NIGHT ELEVATOR INSPECTOR, BUILDING DEPARTMENT, JULY 16, 1924.

There are two vacancies at a salary of \$10 a night, not to exceed \$1,000 a year.

The duties of this position are to inspect passenger elevators at night. According to the provisions of chapter 332 of the Acts of 1924, no person shall simul-

taneously hold the position of day elevator inspector and special night elevator inspector.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 9; report, 2; arithmetic, 2; practical questions on the construction and inspection of elevators and the laws governing the same, 7; total, 20.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in practical questions, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

DEPUTY INSPECTOR OF GAS METERS, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES, JULY 30, 1924.

The salary is \$1,200 per year. It is desirable that applicants have had experience in testing gas meters.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 7; report writing, 2; arithmetic, 2; accuracy test, 2; penmanship, 1; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 6; total, 20.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

ASSISTANT IN HYGIENE (NUTRITION), DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, JULY 30, 1924.

There are three vacancies at a salary of \$1,440 per year. The duties of this position are to conduct nutrition classes for children, assist at tuberculosis clinics for children, give talks to groups of

mothers and children, and assist communities to start nutrition work.

It is desirable that applicants have a college degree in science, including courses in the physiology and chemistry of digestion and the problems of nutrition, and training in home economics.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

UNITED STATES EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, JUNE REPORT.

According to the figures at the Massachusetts Public Employment Office at 23 Pearl street, business during the month of June fell off from 3 per cent to 11 per cent from the previous month of May and from 11 per cent to 19 per cent from that of June a year ago. The attendance of applicants for employment was 11 per cent more than in May and 30 per cent more than in June, 1923.

There were 1,037 orders from employers, a decrease of 106, or 9 per cent from May and a decrease of 245, or 19 per cent, from June last year. The number of persons called for by employers was 1,378, a decrease of 48, or 3 per cent, from May and a decrease of 242, or 15 per cent, from June a year ago. The number of positions reported filled was 1,175, a decrease of 83, or 7 per cent, from May and a decrease of 151, or 11 per cent, from June of last year.

The attendance of applicants for employment was 23,411, an increase of 2,256, or 11 per cent, over May and an increase of 5,390, or 30 per cent, over June of last year. During the month of June 1,485 service men (985 soldiers and 500 sailors) visited the office in search of work. Of this number, 187 (127 soldiers, 60 sailors) were given cards to employers and 166 (120 soldiers, 46 sailors) secured employment.

Business in the boys' department has dropped to two or three orders a day, with a splendid supply of bright boys looking for vacation work but no demand for their services.

The number of people called for by employers was 1,378 as compared with 1,620 in 1923; 1,741 in 1922; 1,534 in 1921; 2,579 in 1920; and 2,801 in 1919.

The number of positions reported filled was 1,175 as compared with 1,326 in 1923; 1,319 in 1922; 1,143 in 1921; 1,602 in 1920 and 1,637 in 1919.

ADDITIONAL WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

M. DeSisto Company have been directed to perform the following additional work under contract for laying water pipes in Blue Hill avenue, Hazleton street, Hiawatha road, etc. Items ordered: Lay 70 linear feet 8-inch pipe in Rockdale street, Dorchester. Estimated cost, \$150.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, June 30, 1924.

Special meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., Coun. Lane, senior member in the chair. Absent—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh, Watson.

The Clerk read the call for the meeting, viz.:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, June 26, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—You are hereby requested to assemble in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, upon Monday, June 30, 1924, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of drawing jurors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present).

Twenty-two grand jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear June 7, 1924.

Daniel F. Hurley, Ward 2; Louis J. Pensa, Ward 5; Edward J. Riley, Ward 6; Charles J. Grace, Ward 7; David Hannigan, Ward 9; Charles Zulon, Ward 9; William O. Cleminson, Ward 10; Thomas J. Ahern, Ward 11; George H. Barnes, Ward 11; Charles Daley, Ward 11; Emory A. Ariel, Ward 12; John Mulvey, Jr., Ward 12; Patrick J. Gallagher, Ward 13; Burton Gilbert, Ward 14; Thomas A. Doherty, Ward 16; William B. Earley, Ward 18; Daniel Halloran, Ward 20; Thomas E. Alwell, Ward 21; John Carroll, Ward 21; John F. English, Ward 21; Patrick McMenimon, Ward 21; David H. Beattie, Jr., Ward 23.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, First Session, to appear July 7, 1924:

William P. McDonald, Ward 3; Frank C. Regan, Ward 3; John T. McCarthy, Ward 4; Edward J. Shanahan, Ward 4; John J. O'Donnell, Ward 6; Clifton Bates, Ward 7; Henry A. Chamberlain, Ward 7; Charles E. Guild, Ward 7; Joseph Remick, Ward 8; Michael P. Giblin, Ward 9; William N. Wells, Ward 9; Lester D. Allen, Ward 10; George D. Desmond, Ward 10; Cornelius P. Mahoney, Ward 10; William E. Rowe, Ward 10; James J. Sullivan, Ward 10; Thomas J. Garrett, Ward 11; Joseph R. Williams, Ward 12; Michael J. Conlin, Ward 13; Joseph W. Curry, Ward 14; John E. Kuhn, Ward 14; Jacob Rau, Ward 14; William John O'Brien, Ward 15; Frank J. Snyder, Jr., Ward 15; James H. Barry, Ward 16; David Perlstein, Ward 16; Francis A. Roach, Ward 16; John H. Carroll, Ward 17; Michael Casey, Ward 18; Thomas M. McGreevy, Ward 18; James P. Norton, Ward 18; Thomas O'Neil, Ward 18; Thomas A. Aylward, Ward 20; Charles S. De Groot, Ward 21; Frank A. McDonald, Ward 22; William F. Burke, Ward 24; James P. Butler, Ward 25; Stephen J. A. Moran, Ward 25; Richard F. O'Leary, Ward 25; Herbert O. Harding, Ward 26.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following were received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, June 16, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons Constables of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1925: Thomas A. Brannelly, 65 Whiting street, Roxbury; Charles B. Palmer, 1 Way place, Roxbury; Hector Palladino, 240 Hanover street, Boston; Timothy Kelly, 246 Warren street, Roxbury.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, June 16, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons Weighers of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1925: Edward R. McNeil, 10 High Street, Greenwood; Percy L. Dame, 68 Monadnock Street, Dorchester; Thomas Hazlett, 15 Bowers Street, West Medford; Carlton W. Ellms, South Sudbury, Mass.; Philip C. Shute, 25 Natalie avenue, Melrose.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, June 16, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Martin J. Walsh, 15 Spring street, West Roxbury, a Weigher of Coal and Measurer of Wood for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Severally laid over under the law.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Martha M. Curry, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Warren street, Roxbury.

Mary T. Dillon, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Center street, Roxbury.

Walter L. Dooley, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Morton street.

William W. Draper, for compensation for injuries caused by city team at corner of Cornhill and Washington streets.

Fedor Ebersbach, for compensation for damage to automobile at Washington and Bedford streets caused by fire apparatus.

Gaetano Peter Filabella, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Tremont street.

James F. Flaherty, for refund on water bill already paid.

J. W. Gardner and Co., for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Patrick M. Gleason, for compensation for loss of clothing at City Hospital.

Thomas C. Healey, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect at corner of Morton street and Blue Hill avenue.

Rose F. Healy, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Brookdale street.

Esther B. Heuser, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Columbus avenue.

Annette S. Hill, for compensation for collapse of boiler at 107 Charles street caused by neglect to draw water out of tank.

Maurice S. H. Hochberg, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Avery street.

Thomas J. Hynes, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Beaumont street, Dorchester.

Edna Johnson, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Warren and Townsend streets.

Fanie Kolikof, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at junction of Blue Hill avenue and Warren street.

H. L. Levine, for compensation for damage to stock at 137 Northampton street caused by leak in water pipe.

Mrs. Joseph T. Madden, for compensation for damage to clothing on Ashmont street caused by tar oil on street.

E. H. Mahoney, for compensation for damage to automobile on Boylston and Tremont streets caused by car of Signal Service.

Joseph McConville, for compensation for loss of baby carriage, at 35 Hillside street caused by spraying trees.

Jennie McMillen, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect near 589 Boylston street.

Howard Millet, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Harvard Bridge.

Gerard H. Moore, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Harvard Bridge.

Joseph Moren, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in West Cedar street.

Mike Muratore, for compensation for damage to automobile near Bowdoin square caused by city team.

John H. Norton, for compensation for damage to clothing which was ruined while assisting a police officer to hospital.

Corinne Okurian, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Washington and Groton streets.

John J. Regan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Washington street.

L. P. Steensen, for compensation for damage to automobile in front of 1171 Tremont street caused by fire apparatus.

Stone & Webster, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 147 Milk street caused by leaks in water mains.

J. Lawton Whitlock, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Charlestown Bridge.

Executive.

Institutions Commissioner David J. Johnson, for removal of Louis Grappi.

James H. Cahill *et al.*, for disapproval of gasoline permit at 39 Chestnut street, Charlestown.

Jitneys.

A. L. Weiner, for license to operate jitneys from Copley Plaza Hotel to Dedham line.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, for license to operate jitneys on Centre and Grove streets.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, for license to operate on Eliot pond, May and Centre streets.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, for license to operate from Ashby street to Commonwealth avenue.

Unclaimed Baggage.

Boston & Maine Railroad, for leave to sell unclaimed baggage.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Civil Service Commission of approval of appointment of Charles D. Maginnis as Art Commissioner.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Mayor of appointment of Mary Alma Cotter as Boston Sanatorium Trustee, a certified copy of the same having been sent to the Civil Service Commission.

Placed on file.

RAILWAY LOCATIONS.

Copies of orders were received from the Street Commissioners granting railway locations, viz.:

Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company, crossover north of Chelsea South Draw Bridge, twelfth location.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, tracks on Cambridge street and Western avenue, thirty-sixth location.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, tracks on Washington street, Ward 23, thirty-seventh location.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Board of Public Utilities of hearing on July 1, at 10.30 a. m., on petition of Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company to operate jitneys.

Placed on file.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearings on June 30 and July 7 on petitions for permits for storage and sale of gasoline at various locations.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CLERK HIRE.

Notice was received from the Register of Deeds, in accordance with law, certifying that certain persons had been employed in his office for the month of June and that work had been performed to the amount of \$10,383.88.

Approved and ordered paid.

SIDEWALK ORDERS.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered he following:
Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Shannon street, from Washington street to Union street, Ward 25, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Lake street, west side, from Washington street to about 715 feet southerly, Ward 25, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Williams street, west side, from Washington street to Forest Hills street, Ward 22, in front of the estate bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under

the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Round Hill street, from Gay Head street to Day street, Wards 14 and 15, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Water street, west side, at Nos. 46-50, Ward 4, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Chelsea street, from Vine street to Chelsea Bridge South, Ward 4, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along St. Rose street, from No. 15 to No. 45 and No. 16 to No. 44, Ward 22, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Evergreen street, north side, from Day street to Huntington avenue, Ward 14, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Marshfield street, from Robey street to Norfolk avenue, Ward 12, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following:
Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Roslin street, north side, from Nos. 28-32, Ward 21, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Windermere road, west side, from Stoughton street to Cushing avenue, Ward 17, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Wrentham street, from Dorchester avenue to Bruce street, Ward 20, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Conley street, south side, from Old Colony Parkway to Tenean street, Ward 20, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Evans street,

north side, from Stanton street to 130 feet westerly, Ward 21, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Dix street, south side, from Dorchester avenue to 142 feet easterly, Ward 20, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Robinhood street, south side, from No. 192 to 367 feet east of Hartford street, Ward 17, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Percival street, west side, from Easton square to Fox street, Ward 18, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

The several orders were passed under a suspension of the rule.

PENSION FOR CHARLES P. LEBON.

Coun. LANE offered the following:
Ordered, That chapter 378 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Relative to the Pension Paid to Charles P. Lebon by the City of Boston," be and the same hereby is accepted.

Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 378 of the Acts of 1924, there be allowed and paid to Charles P. Lebon, a retired school teacher, an annual pension of \$1,200 in addition to the pension now received by him under chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908.

The orders were passed under a suspension of the rule.

PAYMENT TO FATHER OF IRENE W. FALL.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following:
Ordered, That chapter 387 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to Pay a Sum of Money to the Father of Irene W. Fall," be and the same hereby is accepted.

Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 387 of the Acts of 1924, there be allowed and paid to James G. Fall, the father of Irene W. Fall, a minor, upon his being duly appointed her guardian, the sum of \$1,500 to her use, in compensation for injuries received by her by reason of the fall of snow and ice from the roof of the Henry Grew School; said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

CLOSING OF HALL JULY 5.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order that his Honor the Mayor be requested to direct the heads of departments to give leave of absence on July 5 to all city employees whose services can be dispensed with on that date.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

JOHN CLEARY PLAYGROUND.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order, That the Board of Park Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to change the name of the Smith Pond Playground, Hyde Park, to John Cleary Playground, in memory of said Cleary, who was killed at the battle of El Caney, July 3, 1898, and that suitable signs be placed to designate the same.

Passed under a supervision of the rule.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. BRICKLEY moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 2.30 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. MORIARTY, to meet on Monday, July 7, at two o'clock p. m.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

June 23, 1924.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, at 6:48 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.
Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

Bennett District — Frances E. O'Leary, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Edward Everett District — Martha L. Taylor, instructor, special class, May 31, 1924.

Longfellow District — Agnes R. Maloy, first assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1924.

William E. Endicott District — M. Carmelita Kavanagh, Margaret Smyth, assistants, Aug. 31, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts — Muriel T. Preble, teacher of cookery, Aug. 31, 1924; Helen Rowell, teacher of sewing, Aug. 31, 1924.

Accepted.

TEMPORARY NURSE.

Department of Medical Inspection — Mabel C. Sheridan (assigned to certificating office) July 1, 1924 to and including Aug. 31, 1924.

Approved.

The following appointments by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

APPOINTMENTS.

The Teachers College of the City of Boston — Henry L. Gerry, master, head of department, second year, Sept. 1, 1924; Helen E. Cleaves, first assistant, head of department (from first assistant in manual arts, Department of Manual Arts), Sept. 1, 1924; Dennis C. Haley, junior master from junior master, Roxbury High School) Sept. 1, 1924; Francis J. Horgan, junior master (from junior master, Mechanic Arts High School), Sept. 1, 1924; Katharine E. Barr, assistant (from assistant, Jamaica Plain High School), Sept. 1, 1924; A. Frances Brennan, assistant (from assistant, John Winthrop District), Sept. 1, 1924; Frances W. Given, assistant (from assistant, East Boston High School), Sept. 1, 1924; Mary J. Quigley, assistant (from assistant, East Boston High School), Sept. 1, 1924; Margaret M. Sallaway, assistant (from vocational assistant, Department of Vocational Guidance), Sept. 1, 1924; Caroline J. Trommer, assistant (from assistant, Mather District), Sept. 1, 1924.

Laid over.

(By Promotion.)

(Principal of an Elementary District)

Christopher Gibson District—Katharine C. McDonnell, master, (from master's assistant, Bigelow District) Sept. 1, 1924.

Approved under a suspension of the rules.

PLAYGROUNDS

Season, 1924.

Play Teacher—Marguerite F. Maloney.

Playground Teachers—Josephine E. Allen, Esther R. Bass, Dorothy M. Buck, Mary J. Burke, Emily A. Brady, Marie F. Broder, Margaret B. Clancy, Catherine G. Coleman, Mary I. Colwell, Elizabeth P. Condon, Lillian M. Connolly, Catherine G. Crane, Helen V. Crowley, Eleanor M. Cunningham, Ida A. DeSantis, Sylvia M. DeSimone, Emily F. Doherty, Helen L. Doyle, Mary E. Duffy, Madeline C. Dwyer, Isabelle H. Ehrlich, Katherine M. Fallon, Blanche Feldman, Josephine A. Finochiaro, Blanche E. Fitzpatrick, Mabel E. Fletcher, Mary E. Forrest, Eleanor S. Foster, Ann C. Geoghegan, M. Bernadine Gleason, Anna Glickstein, Frances M. Griffin, Catherine M. Hartnett, Loretta M. Hayes, Geraldine P. Hennessey, Gertrude Hurwitz, Eleanor M. Jennings, Esther K. A. Johnson, Margaret M. Kane, Margaret M. Kennedy, Mabel E. Leonard, Marion Levine, R. Lucy MacDonald, Mary I. MacGibbon, Alice M. MacLeod, Marion V. Mahan, Julia E. Matthes, Mary L. McDevitt, Grace A. E. McGowan, Katherine I. McKenna, Mary J. McMahon, Mary L. McGuire, Gertrude R. O'Doherty, Elizabeth M. O'Keefe, Miriam K. O'Shea, Dorothy J. Page, Bessie Perlmutter, Margaret L. Pratt, Anna E. Quinn, Sally A. Quinn, Catherine C. Roche, Mary M. Riordan, Anna P. Roe, Anna A. Rush, Esther Sampson, Isabel C. Scott, Roberta Selig, Evelyn C. Sheehan, Mollie Sirkin, Lillian Schaub, Margaret M. Steptoe, J. Dorothy Troy, Katherine N. Ulrich, Lauretta M. Walsh, Marian A. Warren, Annie F. Weiner, Muriel M. Whipple, Elizabeth J. Williams.

Approved.

SUMMER VACATION SCHOOLS.

Season, 1924.

Alice M. Brennan, Mary Brooks, Matilda E. Cogan, Mollie Collins, Minnie Darrow, Bertha Dion (half time), Mary A. Doherty, Mary Donovan, Katherine E. Hickey, Kathryn C. McCarthy, Mary A. O'Rourke, Emma D. Paresky, Marilla Ryder, Edna C. Ventura, Jeannette P. Vergona, Josephine G. Ward, George White.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent leave of absence was granted each of the following-named persons for the terms specified:

East Boston High School—Charles E. Simpson, junior master, June 10, 1924, one day, without pay.

English High School—Olivia M. Reynolds, clerical assistant, June 9, 1924, one day, without pay.

Girls' High School—Frank A. Kennedy, master, head of department, June 10, 1924, one day, without pay.

High School of Commerce—Laurence J. Jackson, junior master, June 18, 1924, one day, without pay.

Jamaica Plain High School—Anastasia B. Connor, assistant, June 5, 1924, without pay.

Mechanic Arts High School—Arthur R. Racine, junior master, June 18, 1924, without loss of pay (to act as reader for College Entrance Examination Board).

Abraham Lincoln District—Anna M. Doherty, assistant, kindergarten, June 18, 1924, one day, without pay; Mary M. McLaughlin, assistant, June 12, 1924, one day, without pay. Bigelow District—Madeline M. Fitzgerald, assistant, June 12, 1924, one-half day, June 16, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Bowdoin District—Mary J. Boyhan, assistant, June 16, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Chapman District—Pauline C. Luppold, assistant, June 16, 1924, one day, without pay.

Christopher Gibson District—Alice L. Kenney, assistant, June 16, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Dillaway District—Lucia A. Ferguson, assistant, June 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Edmund P. Tileston District—Henrietta W. Sheinker, assistant, June 16, 1924, one day, court summons.

Edward Everett District—Adele L. Stern, assistant, kindergarten, June 19, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Elihu Greenwood District—Agnes R. Collier, assistant, June 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Nellie M. Howes, first assistant in charge, June 10, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Everett District—Dorothy S. Glover, assistant, June 19, 1924, one day, without pay.

Francis Parkman District—Agnes C. Brennan, assistant, June 16, 1924, one day, without pay.

Hancock District—Mary L. Walsh, assistant, June 18, 1924, one day, without pay.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Frances J. Carroll, assistant, June 12, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Henry L. Pierce District—William W. Howe, master, June 19, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

John Winthrop District—Grace M. Hart, assistant, June 16, 1924, one day, without pay.

Lewis Intermediate District—Anastasia O. Hynes, assistant kindergarten, June 12, 1924, one day, court summons; Agnes C. King, assistant, June 16, 1924, one day, without pay.

Mary Hemenway District—Harlan P. Ford, sub-master, June 2 to June 19, 1924.

Mather District—Mary E. O'Kane, assistant, June 16, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Norcross District—Margaret L. Nolan, assistant, June 1 to June 9, 1924.

Prince District—Mabel G. Finlay, first assistant, kindergarten, June 18, 19, 1924, two days.

Roger Wolcott District—Mary M. O'Hearn, assistant, June 19, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Samuel Adams District—Esther M. Ryan, assistant, June 10, 1924, one day, funeral.

Sherwin District—Athelston Brandt, assistant, June 16, 1924, one-half day, wedding; Katherine C. Coveney, first assistant in charge, special classes, June 11, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Shurtleff District—Eleanor F. Gartland, assistant, kindergarten, June 16, 1924, one day, without pay.

Thomas Gardner District—Etta G. Clarke, assistant, May 1 to 23, 1924, without pay.

Washington District—Mary A. L.

Timony, assistant, June 4, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Washington Allston District—Jane V. Gearon, assistant, June 10, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

William E. Endicott District—Catherine G. Lenehan, clerical assistant, June 16, 18, 19, 1924, three days, without pay.

Department of Manual Arts—Mary E. Davin, assistant instructor in manual training, June 2 to 19, 1924, quarantine; Walter E. Shaughnessy, instructor shopwork, June 3, 1924, one day, funeral; Percy R. Stewart, instructor shopwork, June 4, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Longfellow District—Lila C. Fisher, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1924 to Aug. 31, 1925, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Edward Everett District—Martha L. Taylor, instructor, special class, from Sept. 1, 1922 to May 31, 1924, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence for rest was granted the following-named person for the term specified:

Eliot District—John F. McGrath, master, from Sept. 1, 1924 to Aug. 31, 1925.

ASSIGNMENTS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 23, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board he has re-assigned, Mary L. Green, teacher of sewing, to prevocational classes for girls in the Theodore Lyman District, said re-assignment to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file and the re-assignment approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 23, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board he has assigned Mary C. Levins and Mary A. Searle, assistants, Roger Wolcott District, to speech improvement classes, said assignments to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file and the assignment approved.

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 11, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board and in accordance with the salary schedule for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1924, he has made the following named designations to take effect Sept. 1, 1924:

English High School—Alfred B. Kershaw, junior master, to take charge of the English High School Annex in the Franklin Union Building.

Girls' High School—Alice E. Cook,

assistant, to take charge of the Girls' High School Annex at 620 Massachusetts Avenue.

Placed on file.

RETIREMENTS ON PENSION.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the following-named persons be retired on pension in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908, as amended by Chapter 617 of the Acts of 1910, Chapter 569 of the Acts of 1912, and Chapter 304 of the Special Acts of 1915, the date of retirement and rate of pension to be as herein-after specified:

Bowdoin District—May A. Treen, length of service, 40 yrs., 4 mos., Aug. 31, 1924, \$600.

Dudley District—Ella M. Hersey, length of service, 48 yrs., 7 mos., Aug. 31, 1924, \$600.

Emerson District—Susan A. Slavin, length of service, 47 yrs., 6 mos., Aug. 31, 1924, \$600.

Everett District—Annie H. Gardner, length of service, 44 yrs., Aug. 31, 1924, \$600.

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Helen A. Emery, length of service, 31 yrs., Aug. 31, 1924, \$600.

Wells District—Ada C. Williamson, length of service, 35 yrs., Aug. 31, 1924, \$600.

Passed, a majority of the Board voting in the affirmative.

ESTABLISHMENT OF SPECIAL CLASS, HANCOCK DISTRICT.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to establish a special class in the Hancock District, making four in all, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

CONDUCT OF SUMMER CLASSES, DAY SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to conduct classes of the Day School for Immigrants during the summer vacation, 1924, at such hours and in such buildings as he may determine.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to make such emergency appointments as may be necessary for service during the summer vacation, 1924, in classes of the Day School for Immigrants, and that persons so appointed upon certification of their service by the Director of Evening Schools to the Business Agent shall be paid in accordance with the salary schedule of the Evening School Department for similar classes conducted during the regular term.

ESTABLISHMENT OF EVENING SCHOOLS, TERM 1924-25.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That evening schools be established for the term 1924-25 as follows:

High Schools.

Brighton Evening Commercial High School, in the Brighton High Schoolhouse.

Central Evening High School, in the English High Schoolhouse.

Charlestown Evening Commercial High School, in the Charlestown High Schoolhouse.

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School, in the Dorchester High Schoolhouse.

East Boston Evening Commercial High School, in the East Boston High Schoolhouse.

Girls' Evening Commercial High School, in the Girls' High Schoolhouse.

Hyde Park Evening Commercial High School, in the Hyde Park High Schoolhouse.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School, in the Roxbury High Schoolhouse.

South Boston Evening Commercial High School, in the South Boston High Schoolhouse.

Elementary Schools.

Bigelow Evening School, in the Bigelow and John A. Andrew Schoolhouses.

Bowdoin Evening School, in the Bowdoin Schoolhouse.

Comins Evening School, in the Comins and Brighton High Schoolhouses.

Dearborn Evening School, in the Dearborn and Lewis Schoolhouses.

Edward Everett Evening School, in the Edward Everett Schoolhouse.

Eliot Evening School, in the Eliot and Christopher Columbus Schoolhouses.

Franklin Evening School, in the Franklin and English High Schoolhouses.

Frederic W. Lincoln Evening School, in the Frederic W. Lincoln Schoolhouse.

Hyde Park Evening School, in the Hyde Park High Schoolhouse.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School, in the Oliver Wendell Holmes Schoolhouse.

Phillips Brooks Evening School, in the Phillips Brooks Schoolhouse.

Roger Wolcott Evening School, in the Roger Wolcott Schoolhouse.

Theodore Lyman Evening School, in the Theodore Lyman and Samuel Adams Schoolhouses.

Theodore Roosevelt Evening School, in the Theodore Roosevelt Schoolhouse.

Washington Evening School, in the Washington and Charlestown High Schoolhouses.

Washington Irving Evening School, in the Washington Irving Schoolhouse.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent, subject to the approval of the State Board of Education is hereby authorized under the General Laws, Chapter 74, to conduct during the evening school term 1924-1925, evening trade classes in the Boston Trade School and in such branches thereof as he may determine.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the principal of the Hyde Park Evening Elementary School be placed in charge of the Hyde Park Evening Commercial High School during the evening school term 1924-25.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That principals of evening elementary schools who are placed in charge of evening commercial high schools shall receive for such service additional compensation at the rate of one dollar (\$1) per evening during the evening school term 1924-25.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That each evening school principal is hereby authorized to hold one evening school teachers' meeting in the schoolhouse occupied by his evening school previous to the opening of the evening school term 1924-25, the compensation for janitor service to be in accordance with the evening school schedule.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of additional first assistants is hereby authorized for the evening school term 1924-25 in such branches of the evening elementary schools as the Superintendent may determine.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That during the school term 1924-25 the Superintendent is hereby authorized, subject to the approval of the Board, to appoint temporary clerical assistants in the evening schools in excess of the number of clerical assistants authorized by the regulations.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Director of Evening Schools is hereby authorized to incur an expense not to exceed ninety dollars (\$90) for clerical work in connection with the registration in the evening high schools during the evening school term 1924-25.

EMPLOYMENT OF TEMPORARY ASSISTANT, GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Elizabeth F. Leach as temporary assistant, Girls' Latin School, is hereby authorized on June 6, 1924, the day of the annual street parade, for services in connection with the examinations given for admission to the Latin schools.

EMPLOYMENT OF TEMPORARY SUB-MASTER, WENDELL PHILLIPS DISTRICT.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of John S. Kane, temporary sub-master, Wendell Phillips District, is hereby authorized for one day, June 20, 1924, and that he be paid for said service at the rate of six dollars (\$6) per day of service.

EMPLOYMENT OF EMERGENCY SHOP INSTRUCTOR, CONTINUATION SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Thomas C. Walsh is hereby authorized as an emergency shop instructor in the Continuation School for one day, May 20, 1924, compensation for said service to be at the rate of six dollars, fifty cents (\$6.50) per day of service.

EMPLOYMENT AND COMPENSATION OF TOOLKEEPER, CONTINUATION SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Philip Maginnis as toolkeeper at

the Continuation School from Mar. 20 to Apr. 25, 1924, inclusive, is hereby authorized, compensation for said service to be at the rate of three dollars (\$3) per day of service.

EMPLOYMENT OF TEMPORARY ATTENDANCE OFFICERS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Austin L. Cannon as temporary attendance officer for service on Saturdays in the market district, at a compensation of five dollars (\$5) per day, is hereby approved for the further period July 26, 1924 to and including Oct. 30, 1924, subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of John W. Curley as temporary attendance officer for service on Saturdays in the market district, at a compensation of five dollars (\$5) per day, is hereby approved for the further period July 1, 1924, to and including Sept. 30, 1924, subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service.

ADOPTION AND PRINTING OF PROVISIONAL COURSE OF STUDY FOR EVENING HIGH SCHOOLS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying revision of School Document No. 8—1917, A Provisional Course of Study for the Evening High Schools, is hereby adopted; and that twenty-five hundred (2,500) copies be printed as a School Document.

ADOPTION AND PRINTING OF COURSE IN CITIZENSHIP THROUGH CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying Course in Citizenship through Character Development, for Grades I to VIII, is hereby adopted; and that ten thousand (10,000) copies be printed as a School Document.

AMENDMENT TO COURSE OF STUDY FOR MECHANIC ARTS HIGH SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That School Document No. 13, 1919, Course of Study for the Mechanic Arts High School, is hereby amended as follows:

Page 7, Second Year. Strike out the item

English 2½ periods
in both Group A and Group B, and substitute in place thereof:
English 5 periods

AMENDMENTS TO REGULATIONS.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the regulations be amended as follows:

Section 151, paragraph 5. Strike out the paragraph and substitute the following:

5. The term of the evening schools shall begin on the last Monday in September. The term of evening elementary and evening commercial high schools shall continue through the week immediately preceding the April vacation. The term of the Central Evening High School shall continue through the week in which May thirty-first falls. The term of the Evening Classes of the Boston Trade School shall continue through the week in which March thirty-first falls.

Laid over.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 154. Insert the following new paragraph as paragraph 3, and renumber paragraphs 3, 4, and 5, as paragraphs 4, 5, and 6:

3. Bookkeepers and clerical assistants employed in the Trade School for Girls shall be allowed the holidays and vacations specified in Section 152, paragraph 1, of the regulations, and in addition thereto, not more than eight weeks in each calendar year to be taken at such time or times as the principal of the school shall determine.

Section 253. Insert the following new paragraph as paragraph 1, and renumber paragraphs 1, 2, 3, and 4, as paragraphs 2, 3, 4, and 5.

Sect. 253. 1. The secretary of the Teachers College of the City of Boston shall be required to be on duty from 8:30 o'clock A. M., to 4:30 o'clock P. M., with one hour intermission for luncheon, on all regular school days during the year; on all other days throughout the calendar year on which courses for teachers are conducted; and on such other days as the principal may direct.

Paragraph 2. In the second line, strike out the word "Normal," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

2. Clerical assistants and bookkeepers in Latin and day high schools shall be required to be on duty from 8:30 o'clock A. M., to 4:30 o'clock P. M., with one hour intermission for luncheon on all school days during the year, and on such other days as their respective principals may direct, provided that services rendered on Saturdays may not extend later than 1 o'clock P. M.

Section 261, paragraph 2. In the fifth and sixth lines, strike out the words "first assistant, grammar; first assistant in charge," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

2. In the case of the death or disability of a co-ordinator; sub-master in charge; master's assistant in charge; sub-master; master's assistant; first assistant in charge, special classes; first assistant, kindergarten; the superintendent may, in his discretion, designate some person in the regular school service to perform the duties of the position thus made vacant until it is otherwise filled in accordance with the rules and regulations.

Section 281, paragraph 1. Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof the following:

Sect. 281. 1. Teachers of day elementary schools shall consist of one principal holding the rank of master for each district; sub-masters in charge; masters' assistants in charge; sub-masters; masters' assistants; assistants; first assistants in charge, special classes; assistants, special classes; assistant in charge

of speech improvement classes; assistants, speech improvement classes; assistant in charge of classes for conservation of eyesight; assistants, classes for conservation of eyesight; first assistants in charge of prevocational classes; and prevocational assistants.

Paragraph 2. Strike out the paragraphs (d.), (e.), and (f.), and substitute in place thereof the following:

(d.) One master's assistant in each district. One additional master's assistant in girls' districts where there is no sub-master. One additional master's assistant in girls' districts where the number of girls in grades above the third exceeds 800. One additional master's assistant in mixed districts where the number of girls in grades above the third exceeds 600. One master's assistant in each school building, other than the main building of the district, in which there are six or more teachers of any grade, including kindergarten, but no sub-master.

Renumber paragraph (g.) as paragraph (e.).

Section 290, paragraph 1. Insert in the third line to immediately follow the word "master," the words "a master's assistant," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Sect. 290. 1. Teachers in the Trade School for Girls shall consist of a principal, holding the rank of master; a master's assistant; heads of departments; vocational assistants; trade assistants; and helpers.

Add the following new paragraph as paragraph 6:

Evening Classes.

6. In the Trade School for Girls, evening classes, assistants in charge; assistants; and second assistants may be appointed.

Section 291, paragraph 1. Strike out the words "first assistants, grammar" in the fourth line, so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Sect. 291. 1. Teachers of day intermediate schools shall consist of one principal holding the rank of master for each intermediate school; sub-masters; masters' assistants; and assistants.

Section 292, paragraph 1. Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof, the following:

Sect. 292. 1. Teachers in the Boston Clerical School shall consist of a principal with the rank of head master, one head instructor in book-keeping, one head instructor in stenography, instructors, and assistants.

Section 300. Strike out paragraphs 5, 6, 8, 11, and 22, and substitute in place thereof the following new paragraphs:

5. A director of manual arts, one associate director of manual arts, four assistant directors in manual arts, three first assistants in manual arts, and ten assistants in manual arts.

6. A director of music, six assistant directors of music, nine assistants in music, and one supervisor of drum and bugle corps.

8. A director of penmanship and one assistant director of penmanship.

11. A director of educational investigation and measurement, an assistant director of educational investigation and measurement, a research assistant, and an examiner in penmanship.

22. A chief examiner and two examiners.

Laid over.

RANK AND SALARY OF SECRETARY, THE TEACHERS COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the year ending Aug. 31, 1924, the salary of the secretary of The Teachers College of the City of Boston is hereby established as follows:

Minimum, \$1176; annual increment, \$96; maximum, \$1656.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the rank of Mary E. Carney, clerical assistant Boston Normal School, is hereby changed to that of secretary of The Teachers College of the City of Boston, to take effect July 1, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Mary E. Carney, secretary, The Teachers College of the City of Boston, is hereby placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1656) per annum, to take effect July 1, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

CHANGES IN RANKS OF TEACHERS

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the rank of all first assistants, grammar, and first assistants in charge, day elementary and day intermediate schools, is hereby changed to that of master's assistant, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

Laid over.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the rank of all instructors, special classes, in permanent service, is hereby changed to that of assistant, special classes, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

Laid over.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the rank of all clerical instructors in permanent service in the Boston Clerical School is hereby changed to that of instructor, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

Laid over.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the rank of all clerical assistants and of all teachers of English in permanent service in the Boston Clerical School is hereby changed to that of assistant, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

Laid over.

ELIGIBLE LIST.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of June 23, 1924, submitting the list of successful candidates of December, 1923, for the certificates of qualification XI. Special: Vocational Instructor and Vocational Assistant; Industrial Instructor, Day High Schools, Dressmaking; XI. Special: Manual Training, Day Elementary Schools, (Instructor—Shop Work); XXX. Day and Evening Industrial Schools; XXXI-B. Day and Evening Industrial Schools; XI. Special: Assistant in Manual Arts.

These names do not constitute separate eligible lists, but should be inserted in School Document No. 15, 1923, at the points indicated by the several ratings.

VOCATIONAL INSTRUCTOR AND VOCATIONAL ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE.

Rating	Instructor		Certificate Expires
	Name		
829	Harold R. Foye		June 30, 1930

Assistant

773	Evelyn M. O'Bryan		June 30, 1930
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INDUSTRIAL INSTRUCTOR, DAY HIGH SCHOOLS, CERTIFICATE

Dressmaking

810	Jessie M. Howard		June 30, 1930
781	Jessie Guttentag	.....	June 30, 1930

SPECIAL CERTIFICATES VALID IN DAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Manual Training

Instructor, Shop Work

881	William H. Powers	.....	June 30, 1930
774	Wylie H. Stronach	.....	June 30, 1930
758	Max H. F. Senkel	.....	June 30, 1930
746	Leonard L. Curado	.....	June 30, 1930
745	William A. Collieran	.....	June 30, 1930
702	*J. Elwin Hobart	.....	June 30, 1930

DAY AND EVENING INDUSTRIAL CERTIFICATES

XXX. (Shop Instructors, Helpers, and Trade Assistants in Day or Evening Industrial, Continuation, Intermediate, or Vocational Schools or Classes and Vocational Assistants in the Trade School for Girls).

Electricity

705	John J. McSweeney	.....	June 30, 1930
XXXI-B. (Division Heads, Division Foremen, and Shop Superintendents in the Boston Trade Schools; Co-operative Instructors and Co-ordinators in Day High Schools; Division Foremen and Heads of Divisions in the Continuation School.)			

Electricity

807	Matthew F. Durgin		June 30, 1927
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ASSISTANTS IN MANUAL ARTS CERTIFICATE

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858	Mary U. Yaffee		June 30, 1930
770	Maud J. Bray		June 30, 1930

Manual Training

860	Bertha A. Pettee		June 30, 1930
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*Eligible for appointment after June 30, 1924.

Placed on file.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of June 23, 1924, recommending the passage of an accompanying order to provide additional appropriations in compliance with a request of the Schoolhouse Department to cover the additional cost of accommodations previously authorized.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That of the amount appropriated by the School Committee under date of May 8, 1922 (pages 57-58) the following amount is hereby transferred to the 1924 items of permanent school accommodations as set forth below:

From Item 10, 1922: Phillips Brooks District, Dorchester: Construction of intermediate school building, twenty classrooms, hall and shops (Item 52, 1920) \$12,000.00

To Item 21, 1924: George Putnam District, Roxbury (Theodore Roosevelt School): Land, plans and construction of eighteen-room intermediate school building (Item 9, 1920; Item 14, 1920) \$11,000.00

To Item 23, 1924: Edward Everett District, Dorchester: Construction of six-room addi-

tion to John Lothrop Motley School building (Item 37, 1920; Item 25, 1921, as amended Jan. 9, 1922; Item 6, 1923) 1,000.00

\$12,000.00

Passed by the following vote:
YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Dr. Scannell—1.

REPORT ON PETITION FOR ADJUSTMENT OF LOSS SUSTAINED IN CHANGE FROM TEN-PAYMENT TO TWELVE-PAYMENT METHOD.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, in response to reference at the meeting of June 16, 1924, of communication from the Boston Elementary Teachers Club submitting certain suggestions relative to readjustment of salaries because of the change from the ten-payment to the twelve-payment method; and a further suggestion that a uniform increment of \$120 be established with a general anniversary of September 1. The Board of Apportionment reported that it finds itself unable to make favorable recommendation on these several suggestions of the Boston Elementary Teachers Club.

Placed on file.

REPORTS ON PETITIONS OF BOSTON ELEMENTARY TEACHERS CLUB REGARDING INCREASES IN SALARIES.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of June 23, 1924, to whom was referred at the meeting of June 16, a preamble and resolve unanimously adopted by the Boston Elementary Teachers Club, as set forth in the communication to the School Committee of June 12, 1924, with reference to increases in salary of elementary teachers, reporting that in so far as the said preamble and resolve pertain to the salary schedule now under consideration by the School Committee, the Board finds it impossible to make favorable recommendation.

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A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of June 23, 1924, to whom was referred at the meeting of June 16, 1924, communication from the Boston Elementary Teachers Club of June 9, 1924, petitioning that the Board grant no increases of salary until sufficient funds are assured to grant increases to the elementary teachers, reporting that in the opinion of the Board the petition should not receive favorable consideration at this time.

Placed on file.

SALARY SCHEDULE FOR TEACHERS, MEMBERS OF SUPERVISING STAFF AND OTHERS, YEAR ENDING AUG. 31, 1925.

The following six orders, establishing a salary schedule for teachers, members of the supervising staff and others, for the year ending Aug. 31, 1925, were offered:

1. ORDERED, That the salaries of teachers, members of the supervising staff, and others, are hereby established for the year September 1, 1924, to August 31, 1925, inclusive, in accordance with the following schedule and subject to the following restrictions:

1A. ORDERED. That wherever the words "existing schedule" are used in the following orders, they shall be construed to mean the schedule for the year September 1, 1923 to August 31, 1924 inclusive, and wherever the words "following schedule" are used they shall be construed to mean the schedule for the year September 1, 1924 to August 31, 1925, inclusive.

1B. ORDERED. That the salaries of teachers, members of the supervising staff, and others who receive annual salaries which have been fixed by Order 1A, Order 1B, or Order 1D of the salary schedule for the year ending August 31, 1924, shall during the year September 1, 1924, to August 31, 1925, inclusive, be fixed and advanced in accordance with the provisions of said orders; provided, that the salaries of persons in those ranks in which the salaries in the following schedule have been changed from those provided in the existing schedule, shall on September 1, 1924, be established in the following manner.

Ranks in which Both the Minimum and Maximum Salaries Have Been Increased. Ranks in which the Maximum but not the Minimum Has Been Increased, and Ranks in which the Minimum Salary Has Been Reduced.

1. The salaries of such persons who have not reached the maximum salaries provided in the existing schedule on September 1, 1924, shall on that date be advanced by the amount of the annual increment provided in the following schedule and the salaries of such persons shall thereafter be advanced upon their respective anniversaries by the amount of such annual increment, until the new maxima of their ranks are reached; provided, that the final increment shall be such amount as shall place the person upon the maximum salary of the rank.

2. The salaries of such persons who have reached the maximum salaries of the existing schedule, shall on September 1, 1924, be advanced by the amount of the increment provided in the following schedule and the salaries of such persons shall thereafter be advanced upon the anniversaries of such date by the amount of the annual increment provided in the following schedule, until the new maxima of their ranks are reached; provided, that the final increment shall be such amount as shall place the person upon the maximum salary of the rank.

1C. ORDERED. That in the application of the following schedule the salaries of teachers, members of the supervising staff, clerical assistants, bookkeepers, chief attendance officer, attendance officers and supervisor of licensed minors, who do not serve the whole of the school year either because they do not begin on the first day of opening of school in September or those who do not complete the year because of death, resignation, retirement or discharge, shall be adjusted in accordance with the provisions of Section 318 of the Regulations.

THE TEACHERS COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

	Annual	First In-	Maxi-
	Year	ment	mum
Head Master	\$4284	\$144	\$5004
Dean	3996	144	4572

	Annual	First In-	Maxi-
	Year	ment	mum
Master Director of Model School	3996	144	4572
Masters, Heads of Departments	2988	144	3996
Junior Masters	2124	144	3420
First Assistants, Heads of Departments	2364	96	3516
Assistants	1884	96	2718
Secretary	1176	96	1656
Librarian	1800	96	1992

LATIN AND DAY HIGH SCHOOLS.

Head Masters	\$4284	\$144	\$5004
Masters, Heads of Departments	2814	144	3852
Co-ordinators	2868	144	3588
Junior Masters, appointed before June 1, 1906, who have attained the rank of Master	..	..	3636
Junior Masters, appointed after June 1, 1906	1980	144	3276
Co-operative Instructors (Brighton, Charlestown, Dorchester, East Boston and Hyde Park High Schools)	2100	144	3252
Instructors in Mechanical Department (Mechanics Arts High School)	1980	144	2988
First Assistants, Heads of Departments	2148	96	3300
Industrial Instructors, Heads of Departments (High School of Practical Arts)	2028	96	2820
Assistants	1668	96	2532
Co-operative Assistants	1764	96	2532
Industrial Instructors (Dorchester, East Boston and Hyde Park High Schools and High School of Practical Arts)	1668	96	2244
Industrial Assistants	1668	96	2340
Junior Assistants	1224	96	1416
Instructors, Commercial Branches	1980	144	2988
Instructors, Manual Arts	1980	144	2988
Assistant Instructors, Commercial Branches	1668	96	2148
Assistant Instructors, Manual Arts	1668	96	2148
Assistant Instructors in Salesmanship	1668	96	2148
(For teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No. 2.)			
Clerical Assistants	984	96	1272

BOSTON CLERICAL SCHOOL.

Head Master	\$1284	\$144	\$5004
Head Instructors in Book-keeping and Head Instructors in Stenography	2844	144	3852
Instructors	2088	144	3096
Assistants	1656	96	2424
(For teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No. 2.)			
Clerical Assistants	984	96	1272

*Final increment, \$32.

DAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS AND DAY INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS.

Masters	\$3708	\$144	\$4284
Sub-Masters	2124	144	3276
Masters' Assistants	2052	96	2532
First Assistants in Charge, Prevocational Classes	2196	96	2388
Prevocational Assistants	1596	96	2268
Assistants	1200	96*	2060
Junior Assistants, Grades VII, VIII, IX	1224	96	1416
Re-entrant Temporary Assistants	1200	96	1488
(For teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No. 2.)			
Clerical Assistants	984	96	1272

*Final increment, \$32.

HORACE MANN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

Principal	\$3708	\$144	\$4284
Assistant Principal	2340	96	2628
Assistants	1476	96	2244
(For teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No. 2.)			

BOSTON TRADE SCHOOL.

Master (including day, summer, evening, continuation and trade extension classes)	\$3996	\$144	\$5004
Vice-Principal (including day, summer, evening, continuation and trade extension classes)	2668	120	3588
Division heads	2580	96	3252
Senior Instructors	2124	120	2964
Division Foremen	2340	96	2724
Shop Foremen	2148	96	2810
Instructors	1800	96	2340
Shop Instructors	1764	96*	2268
Junior Assistants	1224	96	1416

(For teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No. 2.)

Bookkeeper (including evening term)	984	96	1368
Clerical Assistants	984	96	1272

*Final increment, \$24.

Evening Classes.

Assistants in Charge, per evening	..	..	\$6.00
Assistants, per evening	..	..	5.00
Second Assistants, per evening	..	..	3.00
Toolkeeper, per evening	..	..	1.25

TRADE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

Master (including day, summer, evening, continuation and trade extension classes)	\$3708	\$144	\$4284
Master's Assistant (including day, summer, evening, continuation and trade extension classes)	2364	96	2944
Heads of Departments	2172	96	2556
Vocational Assistants	1740	96	2316
Trade Assistants	1728	96	2208
Instructor in personal and shop hygiene	1668	96	1956
Helpers	1380	96	1668
(For teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No. 2.)			
Bookkeeper (including evening and summer terms)	\$984	\$96	\$1428
Clerical Assistant (including evening and summer terms)	984	96	1332

Evening Classes.

Assistants in charge, per evening	..	..	\$5.00
Assistants, per evening	..	..	4.00
Second Assistants, per evening	..	..	2.50

CONTINUATION SCHOOL.

Principal	\$3780	\$144	\$4788
Heads of Divisions	2532	120	3372
Division Foremen	2340	96	2724
Senior Instructors	2124	120	2964
Instructors, Boys' Classes	2028	96	2700
Shop Foremen	2148	96	2340
Instructors	1740	96	2316
Assistants	1740	96	2316
Vocational Assistant	1740	96	2316
Shop Instructors	1764	96*	2268
Trade Assistants	1728	96	2208
Helpers	1380	96	1668
Junior Assistants	1224	96	1416
(For Teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No.2)			
Clerical Assistants	984	96	1272

*Final increment, \$24.

DISCIPLINARY DAY SCHOOL.

Assistants	\$1488	\$96	\$2288
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SPEECH IMPROVEMENT CLASSES AND CLASSES FOR CONSERVATION OF EYESIGHT.

Assistant in Charge of Speech Improvement classes	\$2160	\$96	\$2544
Assistant in Charge of Classes for Conservation of eyesight	2148	96	2436
Assistants	1476	96	2244

SUMMER REVIEW SCHOOLS.

High Schools

Principal, per session ..	..	..	\$8.00
Assistants, per session ..	..	..	5.50

Elementary Schools.

Principals, per session ..	..	..	6.00
Assistants in Charge, per session ..	..	..	4.00
Assistants, per session ..	..	..	3.50

Summer Vacation Schools

Principals, per session ..	..	..	6.00
Assistants, per session ..	..	..	3.50

DEPARTMENT OF ATTENDANCE

Chief Attendance Officer ..	\$2916	\$120	\$3516
Attendance Officers	2004	108	2544
Part-time Attendance Officer, per week	..	..	6.00

DEPARTMENT OF EVENING SCHOOLS.

Director	\$3780	\$144	\$4788
Evening High Schools			
Principals, per evening ..	..	..	\$7.00
Assistants, per evening ..	..	..	5.90
Typewriting Assistants, per evening	..	..	3.00
Laboratory Assistants, per evening	..	..	3.00

Clerical Assistants, per evening	3.00
Temporary Clerical Assistants, per evening	2.00
Evening Elementary Schools	
Principals, per evening	\$6.00
Supervisors, Division O	
Classes, per evening	5.00
First Assistants, per evening	4.00
Assistants, per evening	3.50
Assistants, Classes in Lip	
Reading, per evening	4.00
Clerical Assistants, per evening	2.00

Day School for Immigrants.	
Assistant in Charge	\$1944 \$96 \$2520
Assistants	1644 96 2220
Special Assistants, per session (two hours)	3.00
Attendants, per session (two hours)	1.00
Day Practical Arts Classes	
Assistants, per session (two hours)	3.00

DEPARTMENT OF EXTENDED USE OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Director	\$2676	\$144	\$3684
School Centers.			
Managers, per hour		\$1.25	
(No School Center to exceed 800 hours per year.)			
Associate Managers in Charge, per day			8.00
(Not to exceed 200 days per year.)			
Associate Managers, per day.....			7.00
(Not to exceed 200 days per year.)			

General Leaders, per session.....	5.50
Orchestra Leaders, per session.....	4.50
Special Leaders, per session.....	4.00
Club Leaders, per session.....	3.50
General Helpers, per session.....	3.50
Leaders, per session.....	3.00
Helpers, per session.....	2.50
Attendants, per session.....	2.00
Assistant Leaders, per session.....	1.50
Assistant Helpers, per session.....	1.00
Lecturers for public lectures illustrated with uncolored slides, when lantern and operator are furnished by the School Committee, per lecture, not more than	10.00
Lecturers for public lectures illustrated with colored slides, when lantern and operator are furnished by the School Committee, per lecture, not more than	15.00
Lecturers for public lectures illustrated with both colored slides and motion pictures furnished by the lecturer, or lectures illustrated with songs or picture plays, character dramas or dramatic impersonations, per lecture, not more than	25.00
Workers, Additional Use of School Premises.	
Operators, per session	\$3.50
General Helpers, per session	3.00
Helpers, per session	2.50
Attendants, per session	2.00

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE AND ARTS.

Director	\$2556 \$120 \$3636
Assistant Director	2100 96 3060
Trade Assistants	1728 96 2208
Teachers of Cookery	1200 96* 2000
Teachers of Sewing	1200 96* 2000
Teachers of Millinery	1200 96* 2000

*Final increment, \$32.

DEPARTMENT OF KINDERGARTENS.

Director	\$2556	\$120	\$3636
Assistant Director	2100	96	3060
First Assistants (Two sessions)	1728	96	2016
Assistants (Two sessions)	1176	96	1752
First Assistants	1632	96	1824
Assistants	1080	96	1560
Re-entrant Temporary Assistants	1080	96	1272
(For teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No. 2.)			

DEPARTMENT OF MANUAL ARTS.

Director			
Associate Director	\$3132	\$144	\$4140
Assistant Directors	2364	120	3564
First Assistants in Manual Arts	2124	96	2892
Assistants in Manual Arts	2004	96	2580
Shop Foremen	2148	96	2340
Foremen, Shop Work	2148	96	2340
Shop Instructors	1764	96*	2268
Instructors, Shop Work	1764	96*	2268
Instructors in Manual Training, Special Classes	1964	96	2252

Instructors in Manual Training, Elementary Schools	1848	96** 2168
Assistant Instructors in Manual Training, Elementary Schools	1452	96** 2060

*Final increment, \$24.
**Final increment, \$32.

Gardening.		
Supervisors, per session	\$2.75	
Garden Teachers, per session	2.25	
First Assistants, per session	2.00	
Garden Assistants, per session	1.75	
Assistants in School Gardens, per session	1.35	
By "Session" is meant from the close of school on afternoons, Saturday mornings during school weeks, and one-half day during the summer term.		

Recreational Handicraft.		
Crafts Instructor, per session	3.00	
Crafts Assistant, per session	2.50	
By "Session" is meant one-half day during the summer term.		

DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL INSPECTION.

Director .....	.....	.....	.....
School Physician assigned to Certifying Office...	.....	1392	
School Physicians.....	.....	996	
Nurses.			
Supervising Nurse	2076	120	2436
School Nurses	1296	96	1776

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

Director	3708 144 4284
Assistant Directors	2364 120 3564
Assistants in Music	2004 96 2530
Supervisor of Drum and Bugle Corps	2004 96 2580

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL TRAINING

Director	3708	144	4284
Instructors of Military Drill	2220	120	2700
Junior Masters, Physical Training	1980	144	3276
Assistants, Physical Training	1068	96	2532
Instructors in Physical Training	2028	96	2316
Assistant Instructors in Physical Training	1608	96	1956
Armorer	1416	120	1896
Teacher Managers, Latin and day high schools and Boston Trade School (ten months, or 150 days)			150

Playgrounds.		
Supervisor in Charge...	1668	96 2532
Supervisors, per session.....		2.75
Play Teachers, per session.....		2.25
First Assistants, per session.....		2.00
Assistants, per session.....		1.75
Assistants in Sand Gardens, per session.....		1.35
By "Session" is meant from the close of school on afternoons, Saturday mornings during school weeks, and one-half day during the summer term.		

DEPARTMENT OF PRACTICE AND TRAINING.

Director	2556 120 3636
First Assistant Director	2460 120 3300
Assistant Directors	2340 120 3060

DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL CLASSES

Director	\$2556	\$120	\$3636
Medical Inspector			2424
First Assistants in Charge	2244	96	2436
Assistants	1476	96	2244

DEPARTMENT OF VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE

	Annual	
	First Year	Maxi-
Director	\$2556	\$120 \$3636
Vocational Instructors	1980	144 3276
Vocational Assistants	1668	96 2532

CHIEF EXAMINER

Chief Examiner	\$3780 \$144 \$4788
Examiners	2988 144 3996

COMMERCIAL CO-ORDINATOR

Commercial Co-ordinator	\$2868 \$144 \$3732
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EDUCATIONAL INVESTIGATION AND MEASUREMENT

Director			
Assistant Director	\$2556	\$144	\$3564
Research Assistant	1680	96	2352

MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Director (in addition to salary as first assistant, head of department, modern foreign languages, The Teachers College)	\$504	
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PENMANSHIP.

Director	\$3556 \$120 \$3636
Assistant Director	2100 96 3060

PRIMARY SUPERVISORS.

Primary Supervisors	\$2460 \$120 \$3300
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LICENSED MINORS.

Supervisor (including day, evening and summer service)	\$2328 \$108 \$2976
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TEACHERS SPECIALLY ASSIGNED.

To high school teachers designated to take charge of a branch or colony of a high school in a separate building, in addition to the regular salary of their rank, per year	\$300
To sub-masters in charge, in addition to the regular salary of their rank	300
To masters' assistants in charge, in addition to the regular salary of their rank	300
To the Model School, sub-master, in addition to the regular salary of his rank	300
To the Model School, master's assistant, first assistant in charge, assistants in grades, first assistant in kindergarten, and assistant kindergarten, in addition to the regular salary of their rank	240
To junior masters, day high schools, to assistant instructors, day high schools, to assistants, day elementary schools, to assistants, day intermediate schools and to prevocational assistants assigned to Normal, Latin or day high schools or to a special department, in addition to the regular salary of their rank	192
To assistants, day elementary schools, to assistants, day intermediate schools, to teachers of cookery and to teachers of sewing assigned to Continuation School or to Prevocational Classes, if employed six hours per day, in addition to the regular salary of their rank	\$192
To assistants, day elementary schools, and to assistants, day intermediate schools, assigned to Boston Disciplinary Day School, in addition to the regular salary of their rank	144
To masters' assistants and to assistants, day elementary schools, assigned to classes attended exclusively by boys in grades above the third in the Agassiz, Bigelow, Dudley, Dwight, Eliot, Frederic W. Lincoln, Lawrence, Quincy, Sherwin, Thomas N. Hart and Wendell Phillips Districts, in addition to the regular salary of their rank, beginning with the second anniversary of their assignment to such classes and continuing until the expiration of such assignment, per year	96
To assistants, day elementary schools, assigned to the Fort Strong School, in addition to the regular salary of their rank	96
To co-ordinators or acting co-ordinators in State-aided courses in day high schools, in addition to the regular salary of their rank, per day of actual service during the summer term	8

The additional compensation above provided for teachers specially assigned shall cease upon the return of said teachers to their former positions, and shall not be taken into consideration in determining the compensation to which they may be entitled upon appointment to any rank or grade covering service other than that which the teacher has been rendering on assignment.

SUBSTITUTE AND TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

2. ORDERED, That the compensation of substitute and temporary teachers is hereby fixed for the year ending August 31, 1925, at the following rates for each day of actual

service, one-session days being reckoned as whole days:—

The Teachers' College, Latin and Day High Schools.	
Masters and Junior Masters	\$7.00
First Assistants and Assistants	6.00
Instructors and Assistant Instructors in Commercial Branches or Physical Training	5.00
Instructors in Manual Arts and Co-operative Instructors	8.00
Emergency Shop Instructors	6.50
Assistant Instructors in Manual Arts	6.00
Industrial Instructors	6.00
Assistants, Speech Improvement classes	6.00
Instructors in Military Drill and Instructors of Drum and Bugle Corps and Signalling	8.00
Armorer	6.00
Special Assistants in Mechanical Departments:—	
First year	4.00
Second year	4.50
Third and subsequent years	5.00
Special Assistants, Industrial Departments:—	
First year	3.00
Second year	3.50
Third and subsequent years	4.00
Assistant Instructors in Salesmanship, per period	2.00
(The term "Period" is a teaching unit accompanied by a definite requirement of follow-up work.)	
Pianists in The Teachers' College and Public Latin School, per hour ..	0.75
Teacher Coaches or Coaches in Latin, Day High Schools, and Boston Trade School	4.00
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Boston Clerical School.	
Assistants	\$6.00
Aids	3.50
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Day Elementary and Day Intermediate Schools.	
Sub-masters	\$6.00
Masters' Assistants	5.50
Assistants and Special Assistants in grades	5.00
Assistants and Special Assistants, Horace Mann School	6.00
Assistants and Special Assistants, Fort Strong School	6.00
Assistants and Special Assistants, Long Island School	6.00
Assistants and Special Assistants, Spectacle Island School	6.00
Emergency Assistants	4.00
Prevocational Assistants	6.00
First Assistants, Kindergarten:	
One session	3.50
Two sessions	5.00
First Assistants, Kindergarten, for one session, and Assistants, Kindergarten, for one session, during the same day	4.50
Assistants and Special Assistants, Kindergartens:	
One session	3.00
Two sessions	4.00
Emergency Assistants, Kindergarten, per session	2.50
Assistants, Speech Improvement Classes and Classes for Conservation of Eyesight	6.00
Assistants, Special Classes	5.00
Teachers of Cookery and Sewing	5.00
Attendants, Open Air Classes	2.00
Lunch Attendants, Elementary Schools per Hour	.50

CONTINUATION SCHOOL, TRADE SCHOOLS AND MANUAL ARTS.

Senior Instructors, Boston Trade School, Instructors and Instructors, Boys' Classes, Continuation School ..	\$7.00
Vocational and Trade Assistants (Continuation School and Trade School for Girls):	
Per Hour	1.25
Not to exceed per day	5.00
Helpers (Continuation School and Trade School for Girls)	5.00
Toolkeepers (Continuation School and Boston Trade School):	
First year	3.00
Second year	3.50
Third and subsequent years	4.00
Special Instructors (Continuation School) per half day	4.00
Special Assistants and Teachers of Salesmanship (Continuation School) per half day	2.50
In this school, one two-hour session, together with such preparatory and follow-up work as may be required, shall constitute one-half day of service for teachers employed and paid on the basis of each half-day of service.	
Student Aids (Trade School for Girls):	
First year	2.50
Second and subsequent years	3.00
Special Assistants, Mechanical Department (Boston Trade School):	
First year	\$4.00

Second year	4.50
Third and subsequent years	5.00
Shop Foremen, Boston Trade School and Continuation School	10.00
Shop Instructors, Department of Manual Arts, Boston Trade School and Continuation School	8.00
Emergency Shop Instructors, Department of Manual Arts	6.50
Assistant Instructors, Department of Manual Arts	6.00
Emergency Assistant Instructors, Department of Manual Arts	5.00
Assistants, Manual Arts	6.00

Miscellaneous.

Assistant Director of Music	\$8.00
Assistant in Music	5.50
Examiner in Penmanship	5.00
Vocational Assistant	6.00

School Physicians and School Nurses.

School Physicians	\$5.00
School Nurses	5.00

Clerical Assistants, Day Schools.

Temporary clerical assistants, Latin, Day High, Continuation, Trade Schools, Day Intermediate, Day Elementary Schools	\$3.50
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PUPIL CLERICAL ASSISTANTS.

Pupil clerical assistants, assigned to elementary school principals, directors, supervisors, etc., per hour....	\$0.30
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ATTENDANCE OFFICERS.

Temporary Attendance Officers.....	\$6.00
and that the compensation of substitute and temporary teachers of other ranks than those enumerated herein shall be one four-hundredth part of the minimum salary of the respective ranks for each day of actual service.	

3. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1925, any teacher or member of the supervising staff who may be designated by the Superintendent in accordance with the regulations to fill a vacancy caused by the death, disability or absence of a principal of a school or district, or of a director, associate director, assistant director in charge of a department, or supervising nurse for a continuous period exceeding two weeks, shall be paid at the rate of \$1.30 per day of service in addition to the regular salary of his rank. A teacher or member of the supervising staff who may similarly be designated to fill the position of assistant director, co-ordinator, sub-master, master's assistant, first assistant in charge, special classes, or first assistant kindergarten (either one or two sessions), shall be paid at the rate of 50 cents per day for each day of service in addition to the regular salary of his rank.

4. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1925, or during such portion thereof as the Dorchester High School is conducted on the two-platoon system, the head master of that school shall be paid at the rate of three hundred dollars (\$300) per year in addition to the regular salary of his rank.

5. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1925, or during such portion thereof as the East Boston High School is conducted on the two-platoon system, the head master of that school shall be paid at the rate of three hundred dollars (\$300) per year in addition to the regular salary of his rank.

6. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1925, deductions on account of absence of temporary teachers serving on an annual salary shall be made on the same basis as that established for regular teachers.

Dr. Bogan offered the following motion:

That no increase in the compensation of academic groups be granted this year.

The motion was lost.

The following statement from Dr. Scannell was read:

I shall not be able to be present at the meeting of the Board on Monday, June 23, 1924. I do desire, however, to express myself definitely in favor of the Salary Schedule as discussed in conference several times and agreed to by a majority of the Board.

Placed on file.

Dr. Bogan offered the following motion:

That the School Committee go on record to the effect that it will do everything possible to obtain additional funds in order that the salaries of elementary assistants may be increased.

The motion was lost.

Mr. Sullivan submitted the following statement:

The proposed salary schedule for teachers and members of the supervising staff is of necessity a patch-work proposition, because of the small surplus available for distribution. I am voting for the amendments on the theory that justice ought not to be denied in toto merely because immediate relief is not available to all.

To refuse available relief is a sentiment to which I shall not subscribe; nor can I countenance the campaign of calumny, misrepresentation, and threat recently conducted by a "disappointed" group.

However, with the realization that the proposed schedule is but a makeshift temporary arrangement, and in no sense prejudicial to the elementary assistants and other ranks of teachers not benefited thereby, provision for them ought to appear in this Committee's earliest petition to the General Court for an increase in its appropriating power. I stand committed to such a program.

Placed on file.

Mr. O'Hare submitted the following statement:

I wish to state here publicly that I have consistently opposed this patch-paving method of readjusting salaries as it affects teachers and members of the supervising staff. Because I was outnumbered in belief concerning this matter, I aided in readjusting some academic salaries with relation to those agreed upon. In voting for this salary schedule I do so with the belief that it is not complete, that it does not completely remedy existing inconsistencies, and with the hope that in the Fall the School Committee will try to make an exhaustive study of salaries on a relative basis and consult representatives of groups of teachers and members of the supervising staff. From this study I trust that a fair academic salary schedule shall be worked out and that the Board shall petition the Legislature for sufficient funds to make it effective as of September 1, 1925.

Placed on file.

The question came on the adoption of the six orders establishing a general salary schedule for the year ending August 31, 1925, which orders were passed collectively by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Dr. Scannell—1.

RETIREMENT OF A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of June 23, 1924, reporting the retirement of the following:

named member of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect June 30, 1924:

Michael H. Murphy, custodian. Mather Schoolhouse.

Placed on file.

TRANSFER OF A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of June 23, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Bigelow Schoolhouse, and recommending that Peter A. Flynn, custodian of the Agassiz and Old Agassiz Schoolhouses, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect June 28, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Peter A. Flynn approved, to take effect on the date stated.

FIRE IN A SCHOOL BUILDING.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of June 23, 1924, reporting a fire which occurred in the Charles Sumner School on June 20, 1924.

Placed on file.

SALARY SCHEDULE FOR CUSTODIANS AND MATRONS.

The following eighteen orders were offered:

1. ORDERED, That the compensation for janitor service of the several buildings occupied by the City for school purposes and equipped with complete and independent systems of heating apparatus, unless otherwise ordered, shall be established in accordance with the schedule set forth in School Document, No. 10, 1918 and orders numbered 1, 2, 8, 14, 15 and 16 appended thereto, but provided that the weekly compensation so established shall be increased by 43 per centum (43%), and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924, and shall continue until otherwise ordered.

2. ORDERED, That the compensation for the janitor service of buildings containing not more than one class room and not in charge of the custodian of a larger school building and not occupied by classes in manual training or cookery shall be at the rate of four dollars and twenty-nine cents (\$4.29) per week, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

3. ORDERED, That the compensation for the janitor service of buildings containing not more than one class room and not in charge of the custodian of a larger school building and occupied by classes in manual training or cookery shall be at the rate of six dollars and twenty-two cents (\$6.22) per week, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

4. ORDERED, That the compensation for the janitor service of buildings containing not more than one class room, when in charge of the custodian of a larger school building, and not occupied by classes in manual training or cookery, shall be at the rate of two dollars and seventy-nine cents per week (\$2.79), and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

5. ORDERED, That the compensation for the janitor service of

buildings containing not more than one class room, when in charge of the custodian of a larger school building, and when occupied by classes in manual training or cookery, shall be at the rate of three dollars and seventy-two cents (\$3.72) per week, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

6. ORDERED, That the compensation for cleaning, heating, ventilation and superintendence service of a building containing not less than two class rooms and not in charge of the custodian of another building shall in no case be less than six hundred and forty-four dollars (\$644) per year, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

7. ORDERED, That during the occupancy of the Brimmer School Building as a Continuation school, the custodian of that building be paid at the rate of seventeen dollars and nineteen cents (\$17.19) per week, in addition to the regular schedule rate for that building, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924. Such compensation does not include payment for services which may be rendered because of evening occupancy of the building.

8. ORDERED, That in addition to the compensation provided by the salary schedule, the custodian of the Mechanic Arts High School be paid at the rate of forty dollars and thirty-three cents (\$40.33) per week for the additional cleaning of shops and lavatories required, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect September 1, 1924.

9. ORDERED, That in addition to the regular schedule rate for the building, the custodian of the Boston Trade School be allowed compensation at the rate of fifty-two dollars and thirty-nine cents (\$52.39) per week for the services of an engineer to operate the electric generating plant and for the daily sweeping of approximately 27,000 square feet of floor space used for shop work, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect September 1, 1924.

10. ORDERED, That in addition to the regular schedule rate for the building, the custodian of the English High School be paid at the rate of thirteen dollars and ninety-four cents (\$13.94) per week for janitor service in connection with the occupancy of part of the building for School Committee supply rooms, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect September 1, 1924.

11. ORDERED, That the custodian of the Paul Revere Schoolhouse be paid at the rate of eleven dollars and eighty-eight cents (\$11.88) per week, in addition to the regular schedule rate for that building, for the care and supervision of the elementary and intermediate school boys bathing in that building and the care of the baths therein, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect September 1, 1924.

12. ORDERED, That the custodian of the Abraham Lincoln Schoolhouse be paid at the rate of eight dollars and eighty-seven cents (8.87) per week, in addition to the regular schedule rate for that building, for the care and supervision of the elementary and intermediate school boys bathing in that building and the care of the baths therein, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect September 1, 1924.

13. ORDERED, That the custodian of the Bigelow Schoolhouse be paid at the rate of six dollars and ninety-four cents (\$6.94) per week, in addition to the regular schedule rate for that building, for the care and supervision of the elementary and intermediate school boys bathing in that building and the care of the baths therein, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

14. ORDERED, That during the occupancy of the building No. 25 La Grange Street as a Continuation School, the custodian be paid at the rate of twelve dollars and seventy-two cents (\$12.72) per week in addition to the regular schedule rate for that building; such compensation not to include payment for services which may be rendered because of evening occupancy of the building, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

15. ORDERED, That the compensation of the custodian of the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, is hereby established at the rate of ten thousand, two hundred and fifty-three dollars (\$10,253.) per annum, which amount shall be for all services rendered by him in that capacity as required by the Regulations. Such compensation does not include payment for services which may be rendered because of evening occupancy of the building, and such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

16. ORDERED, That the salaries of the regular substitute custodians (not more than three) are hereby established at the rate of twenty-eight dollars (\$28.00) per week, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

17. ORDERED, That the salary of school matrons is hereby established at the rate of eighteen dollars and fifteen cents (\$18.15) per week, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

18. ORDERED, That the compensation of the custodian of any building or group of buildings containing not less than four class rooms, shall in no case be less than twenty-eight dollars (\$28.00) per week, and that such rate of compensation shall take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

The foregoing eighteen orders were passed collectively.

SALARY OF ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Ellen M. Cronin, Assistant Secretary, is hereby established at the rate of thirty-six hundred dollars (\$3,600) per annum, to take effect Feb. 1, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

DESIGNATION AND SALARY OF ALEXANDER M. SULLIVAN.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the designation of Alexander M. Sullivan, Chief Accountant in the office of the Business Agent, is hereby changed to that of Assistant Business Agent.

ORDERED, That the salary of Alexander M. Sullivan, Assistant Business Agent, is hereby established at the rate of thirty-nine hundred dollars (\$3,900) per annum, to take effect Feb. 1, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

SALARY OF SCHOOLHOUSE CUSTODIAN.

On motion, it was ORDERED, That the salary of Mark B. Mulvey, Schoolhouse Custodian, is hereby established at the rate of thirty-nine hundred ninety-six dollars (\$3,996) per annum, to take effect Feb. 1, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

PAYMENT TO JOSEPH W. FERRIS

The following was offered: ORDERED, That in addition to the regular salary of his rank, there be paid to Joseph W. Ferris, Attendance Officer, the sum of one thousand forty-five dollars, thirty-three cents (\$1,045.33) for his services in the direction of the administrative work of the Attendance Officer force during the absence of the Chief Attendance Officer from Apr. 24 to June 30, 1922, inclusive, and from September 15 to 21, 1922, inclusive, and also during the period Sept. 22, 1922 to Feb. 26, 1924, pending the election of a Chief Attendance Officer.

Passed, Mr. Sullivan voting in the negative.

PAYMENT OF EMPLOYEES ON WEEKLY PAY ROLLS DURING SUMMER

On motion, it was ORDERED, That the Business Agent is authorized to pass for payment the salaries of all employees on the weekly payroll through Thursdays during the months of July and August, 1924, on Thursdays of each week.

AMENDMENTS TO RULES.

Mr. Sullivan offered the following: The Board of Apportionment as at present constituted and determined by the rules consists of the superintendent, two assistant superintendents assigned by the superintendent and the business agent. It seems very desirable to increase the membership of this Board so that all assistant superintendents will be enabled to take part in the deliberations affecting salary schedules of teachers, directors and supervisors. Budgetary matters affecting schools and salaries should come under the observation of all assistant superintendents whose knowledge and experience must be of great assistance.

The following order amending the rules comprehends what appears to me to be sound administrative procedure;

ORDERED, That section 125, paragraph 1 of the rules be amended to read as follows:

SECTION 125. 1. The board of apportionment shall consist of the superintendent, two assistant superintendents assigned by the superintendent, and the business agent; but when salary schedules of principals, teachers and members of the supervising staff and important budgetary matters affecting the school system are presented for consideration and deliberation, the superintendent shall invite all assistant superintendents to attend the meetings of the board of apportionment. At such meetings each assistant superintendent shall have a vote and a quorum shall consist of five.

Laid over.

The following was offered: ORDERED, That the rules are hereby amended as follows:

Section 85, paragraph 1. Strike out the words "thirtieth day of June" in the fourth and fifth and the

seventh lines, and substitute in place thereof the words—thirty-first day of December—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

SECTION 85. 1. Certificates shall cease to be valid as follows:

Certificates issued on examination after June 1, 1906, shall cease to be valid on the thirty-first day of December of the sixth year following the date of issue; provided, that no certificate shall remain valid after the thirty-first day of December next following the fortieth birthday of the holder thereof, except as hereinafter provided, and that this limitation as to age shall not affect the validity of certificates issued prior to January 1, 1909, nor the validity of certificates which do not render the holders eligible for appointment to permanent positions in the day school service, nor the validity of certificates hereafter issued to members of the supervising staff or teachers in permanent day school service.*

Laid over.

SALARIES OF ASSISTANTS, ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES.

Mr. O'Hare offered the following: ORDERED, That the order passed at the meeting of June 2, 1924 (see p. 99), establishing the compensation of persons employed in the administrative offices and the supply room, as amended by the order passed at the meeting of June 16, 1924, be and is hereby further amended to provide for the following reclassification and designation and the weekly compensation here indicated:

	Per week
Louise Kane, Chief Clerk, Superintendent's office	\$40
Helena W. McMahon, Assistant in charge of Certifying office	40
Laid over.	

Mr. O'Hare offered the following:

ORDERED, That the order passed at the meeting of June 2, 1924 (see p. 99), establishing the compensation of persons employed in the administrative offices and the supply room, as amended by the order passed at the meeting of June 16, 1924, be and is hereby further amended to provide for the following reclassification where necessary and the weekly compensation here indicated:

Class A	Per week
Mary L. O'Brien	\$35
Margaret F. Lynch	35
Mary A. O'Brien	35
Ellen M. Barry	35
Mary B. Crotty	35
Annie V. Hillis	35
Rose A. McBrinn	35
Florence Turkington	35
Bessie I. Towne	35
Agnes G. Lawless	35

Laid over.

ANNIVERSARY OF NEWLY APPOINTED TEACHERS.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That teachers or members of the supervising staff entering the employ of the School Committee of the City of Boston on or after Sept. 1, 1924, whose date of appointment is other than September first, shall, for the year ending Aug. 31, following their appointment, receive such compensation for such service as the following method of computation shall entitle them:

The days of actual service shall serve as a numerator of a fraction. The total number of school days shall serve as a denominator, and this fraction shall be multiplied by the salary per annum to which they have been appointed. On September 1st, following such appointment, they shall be placed on the next step

of the salary schedule to which they are entitled and this date, viz., September 1, shall be their common anniversary date thereafter.

Laid over.

TEN-PAYMENT VERSUS TWELVE PAYMENT PLAN: ESTABLISHMENT OF SEPTEMBER 1 AS FIXED ANNIVERSARY DATE.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That all teachers and members of the supervising staff who, between September 1, 1918, and August 31, 1923, received their salary under the so-called ten-payment plan and whose anniversary is other than September 1st, shall be placed on the next step of their respective salary schedule on September 1, 1924, and September 1 shall be their anniversary date for salary increase thereafter, provided, that this order shall not affect any person who is now or shall be on September 1, 1924, on the maximum of their respective ranks.

Laid over.

ADJOURNMENT

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary.

IMPORTANT LEGISLATIVE ACTS AND RESOLVES OF THE PAST YEAR WITH SYNOPSIS OF THOSE PERTAINING TO BOSTON.

The 143d General Court of Massachusetts completed its work in 161 days. Number of bills passed, 546; resolves passed, 55; total, 601 or 43 more than in 1921.

Chapter 245 (emergency law) authorizing the Boston and Maine Railroad to acquire the franchises and property of certain railroad corporations; Chap. 331, increasing the constabulary force in Dept. of Public Safety from 50 men to 140, not more than 60 appointments to be made in current year; Chap. 392, authorizing cities and towns to license the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages; Chap. 404 (emergency law) providing for the construction by the Dept. of Public Works of an aircraft landing field on State property in East Boston and the lease of same to U. S. Gov't; Chap. 427, to carry into effect the 18th Federal amendment, i. e., national prohibition (subject to referendum on Nov. 7, 1922); Chap. 485, regulating the sale and carrying of firearms; Chap. 486, making uniform the laws relating to partnerships by adding a new chapter thereon, viz., 108A to General Laws; Chap. 488, providing for the enforcement of the liabilities of stockholders of trust companies; Chap. 534, regulating and licensing the operation of aircraft; Chap. 535, concerning penalties for violation of laws as to narcotic drugs, also commitments of drug addicts.

The Resolves passed which are of unusual interest include these: Chap. 39, establishing a special commission of nine, to be known as the Commission on Municipal Expenditure and Taxation, its report to be filed by Jan. 10, 1923; Chap. 41, providing for an investigation, by a special commission of five, in order to devise a more efficient and convenient system of motor vehicle registration and licensing, with particular attention to branch registration agencies in all the counties or principal cities;

Chap. 43, establishing a commission of nine to investigate problems concerning unemployment, its prevention and relief, also as to minimum wage law; Chap. 55, providing for an investigation by Dept. of Public Utilities of plans for improving the transportation service in Dorchester, also between West Roxbury and Hyde Park, etc.

Acts of importance relating to Boston only (in numerical order) are: Chap. 126, authorizing the conversion of 3d class single or two-family dwellings into three-family dwellings, anywhere outside building limits, during the period of three years from April 1, 1922; Chap. 205, authorizing the raising of the tax limit for City purposes to \$12.25 on each \$1,000 of valuation in financial year ending Jan. 31, 1923; Chap. 390, as to assessing the taxes on City buildings and land leased for business purposes and collecting same from the lessees; Chap. 521, Boston Retirement Act, providing contributory pension for City and County employees, in effect on Feb. 1, 1923, subject to acceptance of Mayor and City Council prior to Sept. 1, 1922. Accepted by City Council (voting 6 to 3) on Aug. 7; by Mayor on Aug. 22.

Among the important bills and resolves that failed of passage by the 1922 Legislature were these:—To amend Boston's charter; to provide for election of judges instead of their appointment by Governor; to change direct primary laws and restore party conventions; to change legislative sessions from annual to biennial; to change back from biennial to annual elections; to change daylight-saving law; to abolish Boston's tax limit; to authorize new metropolitan water reservoir; to change administration of county institutions to State control; to provide for removal of dishonest mayors; to enact new fire-prevention law; to investigate telephone rates; to authorize new State Prison in place of old one; to change Elevated Railway control law; to increase motor truck fees; to compel automobile liability insurance; to levy tax on gasoline; to permit capitalization of premiums.

ASSESSED VALUATION OF REAL ESTATE PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES.

Boston, \$1,765; Detroit, \$1,708.70; San Francisco, \$1,561.90; New York, \$1,534.60; Pittsburgh, \$1,384.13; Buffalo, \$1,181.40; Philadelphia, \$990.84; St. Louis, \$990.71; Baltimore, \$779.40.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for moving six portable school buildings at various schools, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Wednesday, July 23, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO BOILER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for repairing and retubing horizontal return tubular boilers in various schoolhouses throughout the city, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Specifications to be ready Wednesday, July 16, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 22, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals to install new and make alterations in existing electric wiring and apparatus in the Normal Group, to be hereafter known as the Teachers College and Girls' Latin School, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, Back Bay district, Boston Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, July 18, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for alterations, etc., in the Horace Mann School, Newbury street, near Exeter street, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors, Tuesday, July 15, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, July 22, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SURGICAL SUPPLIES.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Boston City Hospital surgical supplies as per proposals, which may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out at the above mentioned office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read on Friday, July 18, 1924, at 12 o'clock noon at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN IFFLEY ROAD, FROM WASHINGTON STREET TO WALNUT AVENUE, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for Portland cement concrete pavement in Iffley road, from Washington street to Walnut avenue, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seven thousand (7,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Portland Cement Concrete Pavement in Iffley Road," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, July 21, 1924, with a certified check for eight hundred (800) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 10, 1924. (July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 2, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Sutton street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Morton street to Woolson street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of July 16, 1924, and the office of this board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.
(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS AND RECONSTRUCTION OF PIANOS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee invites bids for repairs and reconstruction of certain pianos in the public schools in accordance with specifications. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m., Wednesday, July 23, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$100, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Each proposal should be plainly marked, "Proposal for Repairs and Reconstruction of Pianos." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, and the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The bidder awarded the contract will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for a sum not less than 20 per cent of the contract, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR EDUCATIONAL MATERIAL FOR THE FIRST THREE GRADES OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the School Committee supply room, educational material for the first three grades as per schedule. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, July 22, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$100, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for not less than 25 per cent of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR KINDERGARTEN SUPPLIES FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the School Committee supply room, kindergarten supplies as per schedule. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, July 21, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$100, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for not less than 25 per cent of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

PROPOSALS FOR PLASTERING, BRICK AND CARPENTER WORK

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for laying up a brick dado, plastering walls and ceiling and all carpenter work incidental to finishing inside of Engine House 12, Dudley street, Roxbury, and giving a bond of surety company thereof in the sum of 25 per cent of proposal. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioner, signed by the bidder and left before 12 m. Wednesday, July 30, 1924, at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston, with a certified check for \$400 payable to the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time mentioned for the opening of the bids. Proposals must be marked "Proposal for Finishing Engine 12." The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids. A deposit of \$15 in cash will be required for each set of drawings and specifications taken for estimating purposes from the office of the Commissioner and obtainable at said office on July 18, 1924, such sum to be refunded provided the drawings and specifications are returned.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.
(July 12-19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for moving seven portable school buildings at various schools, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Monday, July 21, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.
(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING PIERS AT THE NORTH FERRY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing piers at the North Ferry, and giving bonds thereof of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eleven thousand (\$11,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Repairing Piers at the North Ferry," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, July 22, 1924, with a certified check for eleven hundred (\$1,100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROUERKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 10, 1924. (July 12.)

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR BUTTER.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the City of Boston, butter, as per specifications, to be delivered as required for a period ending January 31, 1925. Blank proposals can be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read on Friday, July 18, 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to let payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

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THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.
(July 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR RECUR GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN BLUE HILL AVENUE, FROM DUDLEY STREET TO QUINCY STREET, ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for recut granite block pavement in Blue Hill avenue, from Dudley street to Quincy street, Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-seven thousand (\$27,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Recut Granite Block Pavement, Blue Hill Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, July 23, 1924, with a certified check for twenty-seven hundred (\$2,700) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROUERKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 10, 1924. (July 12.)

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BOSTON'S BEACHES AND WATER PLAY SPOTS WELL PROTECTED BY LARGE CORPS OF EXPERIENCED LIFE GUARDS.

PARK DEPARTMENT, UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM MAYOR CURLEY, HAS GATHERED GROUP OF MOST ABLE PROTECTORS OF LIFE FOR THOSE INDULGING IN SWIMMING SPORT AT VARIOUS BEACHES UNDER CITY'S CONTROL—ALL EXPERTS ALSO IN ART OF REVIVING WATER VICTIMS.



ABLE-BODIED CORPS OF LIFE GUARDS OF PARK DEPARTMENT WHO WATCH OVER DESTINIES OF THOUSANDS OF CITIZENS DURING SUMMER AT VARIOUS BATHING BEACHES UNDER CONTROL OF CITY.

No city in the world or the country better provides for the saving of life at bathing beaches in the summer than does Boston. At every beach or swimming place the Park Department controls there are placed, from the start of the bathing season, one or more experienced and

expert life guards to look to the saving of lives.

Each man so employed is not only an expert swimmer but knows the best methods of resuscitation of those who have become victims of the waves or eel grass. They have been taught by ex-

perts and it is due to their efficiency that so few lives are lost each day during the summer. In addition to the men there are women attendants and experts at all the city's bathing spots as well. The photograph above is of a group of the more seasoned attendants at the bathing beaches.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, July 28, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of

trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquises, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination

CITY DEDICATES GRANITE CROSS TO MRS. MARIA BATEMAN FOR KINDNESS AND DEVOTION TO BOSTON SUFFERERS.

The City of Boston paid loving tribute at Long Island on Monday afternoon, July 14, to Mrs. Maria Bateman, of 56 Chambers street, Boston, who for a period of thirty-nine years has been visiting the unfortunate poor at Long Island, by the dedication of a granite cross, the handiwork of inmates of Deer Island.

It appears that Mrs. Bateman was born in the North End, and has always resided in Boston. Beginning thirty-nine years ago, with the late Margaret McInnis, a Boston newspaper reporter, Mrs. Bateman started to visit the old ladies, first at the Charlestown Almshouse, and subsequently at Long Island, after their transfer there.

In all kinds of weather and at all seasons of the year Mrs. Bateman has been a visitor at Long Island, caring for the poor and sick, and bringing them all kinds of food and necessities. Mayor Curley and Dr. David J. Johnson, Commissioner of the Institutions Department, have aided Mrs. Bateman in her loving and important labors by every service possible, and on holidays such as Easter, Thanksgiving and Christmas there has been entertainment, and in which ceremonies no inmate at Long Island has been forgotten.

The little children, wards of the city, living at Long Island, have enjoyed several parties each year, thanks to Mrs. Bateman's hospitality, and she has always provided them some kinds of toys to make the world seem better and brighter for them. This year a May party was given the children and they were pro-

vided a Maypole, souvenir dresses and ice cream and cake.

During the entire period of the World War Mrs. Bateman labored zealously with the Red Cross and other organizations in providing entertainment at the Soldiers' Home in Chelsea; at the United States Veterans' Hospital at West Roxbury; and during the operation of the hospital at Parker Hill Mrs. Bateman made several trips a week to extend cheer and render aid to disabled veterans.

Sister Fennell, Sister Superior of the Holy Ghost Hospital, Cambridge, has said of Mrs. Bateman that she is "a true woman of charity—real charity."

One of the important labors under the direction of Mrs. Bateman has been providing automobile rides for patients who were suffering from incurable physical ills and who are rarely provided any form of entertainment. Mrs. Bateman has likewise been a devoted friend of the Sisters of the Holy Ghost Hospital in extending every possible care to those suffering from incurable and wasting diseases.

For many years Mrs. Bateman served as an agent for the Massachusetts Home, visiting the courthouse daily and looking up the circumstances attending the cases of unfortunate women and their families, and meeting them at the Deer Island boat, and placing them on trains for their homes. For this service, which was performed for many years, Mrs. Bateman received absolutely no compensation.

Mrs. Bateman is a member of many military, naval, and fraternal organizations; is President of the Kearsarge Naval Auxiliary; Past President of the Woman's Relief Corp; Past President of Colonel Whitten Auxiliary of the Spanish American War; member of the Daughters of Veterans and Ninth Regiment Auxiliary.

BOSTON SCORES ANOTHER VICTORY IN BANK TAXATION BATTLE IN COURTS.

JUDGE BINGHAM OF FEDERAL COURT OF APPEALS HOLDS THAT CASES ARE NOT PROPERLY BEFORE THAT JURISDICTION FOR ADJUDICATION, THUS SUSTAINING CONTENTIONS OF CITY.

The question whether the four national banks in Boston that entered suit against the City of Boston in the United States District Court—the Seaworth, Citizens, Security and Fourth Atlantic—were illegally or erroneously assessed under the state statutes in sums ranging from \$30,000 to more than \$1,500,000, was not decided in an opinion handed down Thursday, July 17, by the United States Court of Appeals, but was remanded to the United States District Court for further action not inconsistent with the opinion, which held that the cases were not properly before the Federal courts and that demurrers filed by the city were well founded in law.

The opinion was written by Judge Bingham, Judges Johnson and Anderson also concurring, and states that as diversity of citizenship is not alleged, and that unless the allegations state a Federal question the United States courts have no jurisdiction in the matter.

The Court says:

"As the plaintiffs may be allowed to amend their declarations so as to state a Federal question, we deem it advisable, notwithstanding the conclusion we have reached on the question of jurisdiction, to pass upon the questions raised by the demurrers, and thus avoid, if possible, the necessity of bringing the cases here a second time."

The Boston assessors levied taxes on the four national banks named under a Massachusetts statute which authorized such taxation. The banks alleged that the city, purporting to act under this statute "assessed the stock in the said banks at a greater rate than was then

assessed upon other moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of the State of Massachusetts."

The taxes were paid for the years 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920 under protest and action was brought by the banks in the United States District Court against the city to recover for undue taxation. The city filed a motion to dismiss the action in the District Court and also filed demurrers. The motion to dismiss was denied but the demurrers were sustained. The motion to dismiss was made on the ground that the facts did not raise a Federal question. Judgment was entered for the defendant and these writs of error were taken to the Court of Appeals.

The Court of Appeals said that notwithstanding the lack of jurisdiction on the facts stated, it deemed it advisable to pass upon the demurrers and added; "In considering the questions raised by the demurrer we proceed on the assumption that the plaintiffs (banks) can and will amend their declarations so that they will state facts raising a Federal question and show that the taxes are illegally assessed and not merely erroneous. The only question then presented for consideration is whether, the taxes being illegally assessed and collected, the plaintiffs could recover them back without alleging and proving that their suits were commenced within three months after payment of taxes, and that they were paid either after an arrest, or a levy, or a notice of sale or a protest in writing. The plaintiffs (banks) having failed to allege compliance with the conditions of the statute, the objections to the maintenance of the actions were properly raised by demurrer."

same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for concrete walks and grading at Central square, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 31, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for resetting draw tracks of the Northern Avenue Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$700, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 29, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing piers at the North Ferry. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$11,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 22, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for Portland cement concrete pavement in Ifley road, from Washington street to Walnut avenue, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$7,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$800, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for recut granite block pavement in Blue Hill avenue, from Dudley street to Quincy street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$27,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,700, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for recutting and redressing old granite blocks, Atlantic avenue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$700, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Holden street, from Franklin street to Everett street, Brighton; Perkins street, from Centre street to Jamaica way West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$9,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for recut granite block pavement in Congress street, from Franklin street to Atlantic avenue; High street, from Federal street to Summer street; Kingston street, from Summer street to No. 24. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for plastering, brick and carpenter work in Engine House No. 12, Dudley street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 30, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for painting flying cage at Franklin Park Zoo. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the

bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 30, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Bolster street, between Mozart and Wyman streets, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$180, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Wesley street, between Hyde street and Freble street, South Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$170, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Ethel street, between Augustus avenue and Malverna road, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in New England avenue from Talbot avenue to Massasoit avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Leston street, from Morton street to Woolson street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, August 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Mill street, between Victory road and Greenhill street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,600. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Weld street, Parkvale road, Willowdean avenue and Realton road, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, August 6, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for furnishing all labor, materials etc., necessary to clean about 63,050 linear feet of water pipes in Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipe in Claymoss road, Eustis road, Ranscm road, Brighton; Hollingsworth street, Dorchester; Stratford street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 29, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing kindergarten supplies. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing educational material for the first three grades of the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for repairs and the reconstruction of pianos in the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for reproducing grand electric piano for Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount satisfactory to the business agent of the School Committee. Blank form for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, Business Agent, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing upright pianos for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 30 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 4, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for moving seven portable school buildings at the various schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 21, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for alterations in the Horace Mann School, Newbury street, near Exeter street. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for moving six portable school buildings at various schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 23, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Institutions Department, Penal Division, Deer Island, dry goods as per proposals. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, July 25, at 1 a. m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments for the month of August. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 29, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, July 17:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Margaret Dullea has been appointed a temporary clerk for a period of 30 days, at \$60 a month.

BOSTON AND CAMBRIDGE BRIDGE COMMISSION.

John L. Donoghue of Cambridge has been employed as temporary assistant drawtender for a period of about nine to twelve weeks, vacation season, at \$1,600 a year. One-half of his salary to be paid by the city of Boston and one-half by the city of Cambridge.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Edward W. Roemer has been appointed as Acting Building Commissioner during the absence of the Building Commissioner.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Albert Soosman has been employed as a clerk at \$4 a day to take the place of John F. Quinn, on leave of absence without pay for two months.

CONSERVATION BUREAU.

Shirley Tushins has been given part-time appointment as clerk at \$5 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The following men have been appointed as members on probation in the Boston Fire Department at \$1,400 a year each: James P. Shea, John A. McGranahan, Albert C. Hurley, John L. Galvin.

Daniel J. Heffernan has been transferred from the Schoolhouse Department to the Fire Department, as a brick mason, at \$5.50 a day.

Mary E. Lynch, widow of the late Lieut. Thomas F. Lynch, has been placed on the pension roll at \$600 a year.

John J. Blakeley of Ladder Company No. 2 has been promoted to lieutenant at an increase in salary from \$1,800 to \$2,300 a year.

BUILDING ACTIVITIES FOR FIRST SIX MONTHS OF YEAR AMOUNT TO \$27,469,543.

BOSTON'S HOUSING SITUATION WELL UNDER WAY TO RELIEF WITH MANY DWELLING AND APARTMENT HOUSES BEING CONSTRUCTED—MANY GARAGES ALSO BEING BUILT.

Building activities for the first six months of the present year in the City of Boston have totaled \$27,469,543, according to figures worked out by the Building Department, this despite the fact that times have been unprecedentedly dull.

Of this work \$21,090,949 is entirely new construction, the remainder being alterations and remodeling of buildings already up. Much of this work has been of the kind that will relieve the housing situation. For the first six months there have been a total of 99 pieces of construction work of the apartment and tenement house kind, alterations to 84 other buildings of the kind, making a total of 183 parcels of that kind of work.

Of combinations tenements and stores there have been alterations to 94 buildings. Of straight dwellings, however, there have

been 522 pieces of new construction, and alterations to 2,029 others, making a total of 2,551 pieces of construction looking to the easing directly of the housing situation. In addition to these there have been alterations to 153 combination dwellings and stores. Permits have been granted for 77 new mercantile buildings, 14 new manufacturing buildings and 23 office structures.

In this same period there have been permits for 831 garages issued for a total of \$1,929,381. With the realization that in territory adjacent to Boston building has been progressing at about the same rate as Boston it can be readily seen that the housing situation will be greatly relieved by fall and on this indication the reign of the rent gouger will soon be over.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Rose A. Sico has been appointed nurse at \$1,400 a year.

Thomas J. Donnellon, Deputy Commissioner, Sanitary Division, Health Department, has been permitted to visit New York, July 15 to 18 inclusive, to make a study of the lighting and ventilation of interior rooms in theaters in that city, at an estimated expense to the city of \$65.

Dr. David L. Williams has been given provisional appointment as assistant director of laboratory and bacteriologist at \$2,500 a year.

Dr. Charles L. Moran, medical inspector, has been granted an increase from \$1,700 to \$1,900 a year.

Alice P. Mayers, visitor, has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,020 a year to \$1,200 a year.

Kathleen E. Dolan has been granted an increase in salary from \$840 a year to \$1,200 a year.

Sara G. Finn, clerk, has been granted an increase in salary from \$840 a year to \$1,000 a year.

Phillip A. Herrick has been given temporary appointment as a chemist in the Boston Health Department at \$50 a week for two weeks.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, July 10:

*To Fill Vacancies.—Permanent.—*Dr. William B. Stevens, assistant resident physician, \$500 a year; Gertrude Morrison, special nurse, \$35 a week; Daniel Donovan, housecleaner, \$12 a week; Hugh McSherry, laundryman, \$23 a week; Jeremiah Sullivan, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Lawrence Campbell, transfer porter, \$11 a week; James Carney, housecleaner, \$12 a week; Ellen Joyce, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Anna Bayer, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Winifred Francis, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Helena Kennedy, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Esther Wesson, table girl, \$9.50 a week.

*Temporary.—*Corinne Simmons, elevator woman, \$12 a week; Anna McNally, assistant dietitian, \$12.83 a week; Frank W. Miller, out-patient orderly, \$23 a week; James A. Kent, kitchenman, \$16 a week; Edward Norton, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Donald McCloskey, telephone operator, \$22 a week; Lillian Hines, telephone operator, \$22 a week; May Sullivan, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Annie McGinnis, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred: James Sachette, transfer porter at \$11 to temporary supervisor at \$22.50 a week; Patrick Ryan, porter, at \$17.50, to temporary plumber's helper, at \$27 a week; Edward F. Cronin, temporary plumber's helper, at \$27 to X-Ray orderly at \$20 a week; Edward P. Doyle, X-Ray orderly, at \$21.50 to assistant X-Ray technician at \$25 a week; Agnes McCarron, assistant seamstress, at \$10, to temporary assistant housekeeper, at \$13 a week; Martin Woods, house cleaner, at \$12, to Ward Porter, at \$17.50 a week; Charles Beard, housecleaner, at \$12, to temporary watchman at \$12 a week; Mary Coughlin, tablegirl, at \$9.50, to cleaner, at \$11.50 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending July 10:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Frank Davey, institutions employee, transferred from attendant, temporary, \$750 a year, new position.

Theodore Kroh, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Joseph Conley.

Michael J. Lomasney, cook, \$700 a year, to succeed William White.

George Nolan, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Walter Bishop.

House of Correction.

Michael Buckley, officer, \$1,200 a year, temporary.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Paul Jones, deckhand, \$1,000 a year, temporary.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Margaret A. Papen has been appointed temporarily to substitute for vacations at the City Temporary Home as follows: Substitute for cook, July 18 to July 31, \$50 a month; substitute for night matron, August 1 to August 14, \$50 a month; substitute for assistant matron, August 16 to August 29, \$55 a month; substitute for matron, August 30 to September 12, \$55 a month.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

John J. Holland has been given temporary appointment as swimming instructor at \$4.50 a day.

PLANNING BOARD.

Kathleen C. Daly has been reinstated on the basis of \$1,100 a year, on leave of absence.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

John L. Martin has been appointed temporary ambulance driver for a period of fifteen weeks at \$30 a week.

Agnes Crowley has been continued in employment for another ten-day period as a telephone operator at \$22 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Edward F. O'Kane has been appointed temporary laborer at \$4.50 a day in the Bridge Service, for sixty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Edward F. Cummings has been granted a continuance of temporary employment as teamster at \$4.50 a day in the Sanitary Service for thirty days from July 14.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

John Tomasino has been appointed laborer at \$4.50 a day for three months in the Sewer Service.

Frank J. Toomey has been appointed laborer-locksman at \$4.50 a day, permanently in the Sewer Service.

Joseph F. Huber has been transferred from the Hospital Department to the South End Sewer Service as permanent laborer at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Reinhold Eckhardt has been continued in temporary employment as temporary painter, Water Service, at \$5 a day for thirty days.

Frank A. Cassidy has been employed as temporary laborer at \$4.50 a day in the Water Service for three months.

James C. Lonergan has been appointed temporary laborer at \$4.50 a day for sixty days in the Water Service.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Myer L. Alpert has been changed from provisional electrical draughtsman to permanent at \$1,500 a year.

Thomas Campbell has been appointed provisionally as a temporary rodman for three months at \$1,000 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, July 10:

Edgar Coombs, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6.50; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6.50; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 1½ days, \$9.75; William Jennings, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6.50; Daniel Sweeney, fireman, 1 day, \$6; Florence McCarthy, fireman, 1 day, \$6; D. J. Crane, fireman, 1 day, \$6.

Hospital Department.

Main Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 10:

W. Shea, laundryman, 24½ hours, \$18.56; A. Imbrato, laundryman, 38½ hours, \$23.14; W. Appleton, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$2.43; J. Lorden, laundryman, 22½ hours, \$13.61; J. Scaduto, laundryman, 24½ hours, \$12.87; H. Gunning, laundryman, 33½ hours, \$14.18; A. Howard, laundryman, 26½ hours, \$11.55; M. Saunders, gauze sorter, 22½ hours, \$9.45; H. McSherry, laundryman, 24 hours, \$1.08; E. Laskey, laundryman, 33 hours, \$15.84; C. J. Henderson, porter, 24½ hours, \$8.91; M. Barry, porter, 9½ hours, \$3.51; M. Lindlof, porter, 9½ hours, \$3.51; J. Connors, porter, 22½ hours, \$8.91; W. Barrett, porter, 22½ hours, \$8.10; D. Murphy, porter, 21½ hours, \$7.83; F. Gardner, porter, 12½ hours, \$5.14; J. McDonald, porter, 27 hours, \$9.72; M. Davis, laundry assistant, 11½ hours, \$4.22; M. Keating, laundry assistant, 9½ hours, \$3.32; C. Stepien, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.50; C. Barry, laundress, 19½ hours, \$5.85; A. Taura, laundress, 22½ hours, \$6.75; G. Baker, laundress, 24½ hours, \$7.22; L. Brickley, laundress, 9 hours, \$2.63; M. Cotter, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; H. Doyle, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; M. Devlin, laundress, 21½ hours, \$6.34; M. Falvey, laundress, 23½ hours, \$7.22; A. Fetter, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; E. Frieberg, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; M. Gannon, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; M. Ham, laundress, 14½ hours, \$4.28; C. Harkins, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; W. Hawly, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; M. Haynes, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; M. Keegan, (Mary), laundress, 17½ hours, \$5.03; N. Keegan, laundress, 24½ hours, \$7.22; S. Koldys, laundress, 22½ hours, \$6.56; M. Langev, laundress, 24½ hours, \$7.22; M. Medame, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; A. Miller, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; E. Murphy, laundress, 8½ hours, \$2.41; M. Okemvaska, laundress, 24½ hours, \$7.22; M. Schwolman, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; H. Reardon, laundress, 6½ hours, \$1.97; L. Schwolman, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; A. Sienkiewicz, laundress, 9 hours, \$2.63; B. Sparrow, laundress, 9 hours, \$2.63; A. Stanulys, laundress, 24½ hours, \$7.22; M. Wall, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; M. Witte, laundress, 18½ hours, \$5.47; V. Ziembra, laundress, 24½ hours, \$7.22; K. Zilyte, laundress, 17½ hours, \$5.03; G. McGee, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; M. Bernsten, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; A. Riley, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; E. Friedenberg, laundress, 17½ hours, \$5.03; W. Otto, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; C. Peterson, laundress, 24½ hours, \$7.22; M. Morgan, laundress, 24½ hours, \$7.22; A. Lynch, cleaner, 15 hours, \$4.38; T. J. McNally, assistant engineer, 8 hours, \$6.67; N. MacPherson, assistant engineer, 8 hours, \$6.67; W. Thompson, assistant engineer, 8 hours, \$6.67; J. Deery, assistant engineer, 8 hours, \$6.67; H. Brown, assistant engineer, 8 hours, \$6.67; R. Jaeger, assistant engineer, 8 hours, \$6.67.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Kane, porter and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50; M. Fitzgerald, porter and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50; J. Corcoran, porter and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50; E. Darcy, fireman, 8 hours, \$6; R. Johnson, fireman, 8 hours, \$6; H. O'Donnell, fireman, 8 hours, \$6; P. Gavin, fireman, 8 hours, \$6; J. McDonough, fireman, 8 hours, \$6; V. Pepe, fireman, 20 hours, \$15; J. French, helper, boiler room, 8 hours, \$5.20; W. Robbins, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; M. Lynch, plumber, 8 hours, \$5.52; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 13 hours, \$6.75; F. Crehan, electrician's helper, 8 hours, \$4.50; D. Hurley, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.32; J. R. Wood, jobber, 1 day \$3; C. Doran, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 15 hours, \$9.75.

South Department.

C. Daly, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

A. McGonagle, laundress, 9 hours, \$9.63; T. McKenna, laundress, 15 hours, \$4.38; C. Farren, laundress, 24½ hours, \$7.32; W. Nolan, porter and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50; J. McKenzie, porter and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50; P. Joyce, porter and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Harkins, laundress, 14½ hours, \$4.16; J. Keohane, laundress, 24½ hours, \$7.22; N. McKenzie, laundress, 19½ hours, \$5.60.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 10:

Steamer "Perkins," Substitute Work.—John Thornton, deckhand, 21½ days, \$12.66; Charles W. Russell, chief engineer 18½ days, \$13.36.

Emergency Work.—Matthew L. Kelly, captain, 1½ hours, \$2.52; Rufus J. Clark, mate, 1½ hours, \$2; John Putwain, second mate, 1½ hours, \$1.58; Charles W. Russell, chief engineer, 1½ hours, \$2.47; David J. Lamie, assistant engineer, 1½ hours, \$1.98; John Doherty, fireman 1½ hours, \$1.98; John Londrigan, deckhand, 1½ hours, \$1.49; John Thornton, deckhand, 1½ hours, \$1.49; Andrew J. Baker, fireman, temporary, 1½ hours, \$1.98; Edward J. Dolan, deckhand, 1½ hours, \$1.49; Katherine Dale, matron, 1½ hours, 93 cents; William Silinsky, oiler, 1½ hours, \$1.82; Richard Plunkett, deckhand, temporary, 1½ hours, \$1.49. Total, \$23.22.

For the week ending Thursday, July 10:

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

Emergency Work.—Matthew L. Kelly, captain, 1½ days, \$9.83; Rufus J. Clark, mate, 1½ days, \$7.78; John Putwain, second mate, 1½ days, \$6.15; Charles W. Russell, chief engineer, 1½ days, \$9.60; David J. Lamie, engineer's assistant, 1½ days, \$7.69; John Doherty, fireman, 1½ days, \$7.69; Andrew J. Baker, fireman, temporary, 1½ days, \$7.69; William Silinsky, oiler, 1½ days, \$7.05; John Thornton, deckhand, 1½ days, \$5.77; James L. Foley, deckhand, 1½ days, \$5.77; Edward J. Dolan, deckhand, 1½ days, \$5.77; Richard Plunkett, deckhand, temporary, 1½ days, \$5.77.

Total, \$86.56.

House of Correction.

Engineers.—Ernest Rousseau, John Fay, Walter Purdy, William O'Melia, 1 day, \$6.50 each. Total, \$26.

Firemen.—Bernard Feeney, Patrick Gleeson, David Tobin, Thomas Finn, John Sullivan, 1 day, \$6 each. Total, \$30.

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

For working holiday, June 17, 1924:

Charles W. Russell, chief engineer, \$7.50; David J. Lamie, assistant engineer, \$6; James L. Foley, deckhand, \$4.50; John Londrigan, deckhand, \$4.50; John Thornton, deckhand, \$4.50; John Doherty, fireman, \$6; William Linskey, deckhand, \$4.50; Richard Plunkett, deckhand, temporary, \$4.50; William Silinsky, oiler, \$5.50; Rufus J. Clark, mate, \$6.08; John Putwain, second mate, \$4.11; James Reardon, watchman, \$4.43; James A. Rogers, watchman, \$4.43; Thomas G. Hooper, wharfinger, \$4.75. Total, \$71.30.

Substitute Work.—John Thornton, deckhand, 2½ days, \$2.66.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Engineers.—Joseph Cox, William G. Feeney, John Melley, William S. Robinson, 1 day, \$6.50 each. Total, \$26.

Firemen.—John J. Adams, Andrew Para, Michael O'Connor, 1 day, \$6 each. Total, \$18.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 10:

Chief Engineer.—Patrick J. Gorman, 1 day, \$6.67.

Engineers.—John Finn, Thomas J. Lynch, Patrick J. McDermott, John J. McNulty, 1 day, \$6.33 each. Total, \$25.32.

Laborer and Plumber's Helper.—Henry J. Alexander, 1 day, \$5. Total, \$36.99.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, July 10:

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph Harrington, Peter F. Kean, Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 2 days, \$10.

Fairview Cemetery.

Patrick Bagge, Joseph McDonough, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 10:

Daniel L. Cadigan, compositor, 2 hours, \$2.76; Joseph E. Ciccola, compositor, 2½ hours, \$3.11; Joseph E. DeCastro, compositor, 2½ hours, \$3.80; James J. Dolan, compositor, 2½ hours, \$3.80; John Fisher, compositor, 2 hours, \$2.82; Isaac Kramer, compositor, 2½ hours, \$3.11; Patrick O'Leary, compositor, 2½ hours, \$3.45; Stephen R. Merrick, errand boy, 12 hours, 4.08; Catherine T. Crowley, proofreader, 1 hour, \$1.38; Julia T. Donohue, copyholder, ½ hour, \$0.45; Julia G. Tobin, proofreader, 2 hours, \$2.76; Patrick Kelly, monotype caster, 5 hours, \$4.10; Daniel F. Sullivan, apprentice, 4 hours, \$2.44; James H. Sullivan, assistant caster, 5 hours, \$4.75; Frederick McCarthy, cylinder pressman, 3 hours, \$4.29; William Hagan, press feeder, 3 hours, \$3.63; James E. McGee, press feeder, 3 hours, \$3.63; Arthur J. Sennett, cylinder pressman, 3 hours,

\$4.29; Frank Coughlin, chauffeur, 3 hours, \$3.27. Total, \$61.92.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 10:

T. H. Joyce, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; T. Shannessy, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; T. J. Swift, fireman, 1 day, \$6; M. F. Bricke, fireman, 1 day, \$6; J. Campbell, fireman, 1 day, \$6; John L. Devereaux, ambulance driver, 2 days, \$9.43.

Public Works Department (Boston and Cambridge Bridge Commission.)

For the week ending Monday, July 7:

Drawtender.—Hugh J. Mullen, 4 days, \$10.41.

Assistant Drawtenders.—Francis E. Conley, Howard R. Burgess, 1 day, \$2.19 each; Timothy Crowley, John J. O'Connell, 4 days \$8.76 each; John A. Solari, 6 days, \$13.15.

Total, \$45.46.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

From May 20, 1924, to July 17, 1924:

Drawtenders.—C. J. Thompson, 3 days, \$15.61; A. P. Turnbull, J. E. Murray, M. F. Doyle, Jr., F. R. Hickey, 1 day, \$5.20 each.

First Assistant Drawtenders.—W. J. Doherty, 4 days, \$18.63; J. F. O'Neil, W. H. Dowd, 2 days, \$9.31 each; J. J. Foley, C. S. O'Connor, J. F. McKeon, W. M. Tracey, 1 day, \$4.66 each.

Assistant Drawtenders.—W. B. Thomas, 4 days, \$17.53; J. F. O'Neil, 3 days, \$13.15; L. O'Donnel, W. T. O'Neil, W. Higgins, G. W. Egan, B. J. Haggerty, 2 days, \$8.77 each; T. F. Reilly, P. J. McGonagle, J. J. Skayhan, A. J. Sutton, Jr., W. P. Kelleher, R. L. McHugh, M. L. Fitzgerald, F. P. Farren, W. T. Stanley, T. L. Colbert, J. H. Driscoll, J. P. Stack, T. P. Driscoll, F. A. Howell, 1 day, \$4.38 each.

Electrician.—J. V. Maddock, 1 day, \$6.10.

Machinist.—P. F. Murphy, 14½ days, \$79.75.

Subforemen.—P. J. Henebury, J. D. O'Brien, 10 days, \$60 each.

Carpenters.—J. T. Mahan, F. McConn, A. W. Clancy, P. O'Toole, M. J. Donohue, J. J. Murphy, C. E. Melanson, W. J. Walker, 10 days, \$55 each; J. J. O'Hearn, 5½ days, \$30.25; C. J. Gorham, 4½ days, \$24.75.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Green, 10 days, \$42.85.

Watchmen.—H. M. McLaughlin, J. J. Griffin, E. F. Sullivan, 3 days, \$13.50 each; J. Clabby, 2 days, \$9; J. E. Carney, J. McManus, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$1,030.35.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, July 7:

Captains.—John J. Belton, ½ day, \$2.88; Charles F. Crocker, James Young, Richard L. Searle, Patrick J. Kelly, Andrew A. Greer, Timothy Toohig, Adin C. Small, 1 day, \$7.67 each.

Quartermasters.—Francis B. Morrison, ½ day, \$2.25; Florence W. Sullivan, Eugene G. Sullivan, Henry J. Scaife, Frank M. Moore, Joseph B. Nealon, William Hogan, Edward C. Crouse, 1 day, \$6 each.

Deckhands.—John J. Pilcher, John J. Driscoll, Thomas Barry, ½ day, \$1.78 each; Fred P. Craven, Louis F. Gray,

Batista Forgione, George M. Nagle, William J. Kinsman, John O'Brien, Lawrence L. Brennan, Peter Milano, Frederick L. Allevesson, Dennis G. Sheehan, Rufus W. Scott, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Gatemen.—John D. Collins, John R. Dugan, John T. Callahan, Joseph A. Browne, Arthur F. Keefe, Walter L. Brown, Edward L. Bonner, Walter H. Noyes, James A. Quinn, James E. Green, 1 day, \$5.25 each; Thomas A. O'Hare, 2 days, \$10.50.

Laborers.—Alfred N. Wesberg, John J. Pugh, Jeremiah Donahue, John H. Tyrer, Edward J. Wilkie, John J. Forrest, Edward J. O'Brien, Joseph O. White, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1 day, \$5.50.

Engineers.—Jeremiah P. Casey, ½ day, \$2.81; Patrick W. Mackey, Helmer G. Skonberg, Michael J. Kennedy, John J. Reardon, Maurice F. Neville, John H. Sullivan, Richard J. Shaw, 1 day, \$7.50 each.

Firemen.—James Dearie, John J. McDonough, ½ day, \$2.25 each; John J. Sullivan, 2½ days, \$15; Theodore P. Panopoulos, Dennis Hannigan, Thomas Nugent, Henry W. McCusker, John A. Harrison, Michael D. Hurley, James Porter, Thomas Murphy, Edward P. Donahue, John J. Ranahan, Jeremiah J. McCarthy, Timothy Tierney, Francis M. Donahue, Lawrence J. Keleher, John Turvanen, John Gannon, Christobal Fradau, James Reilly, Patrick McDevitt, James Carlin, August J. Sommers, John Kelly, Morgan J. Sullivan, Owen F. Cox, Henry T. McConnell, Dennis T. Horgan, John W. O'Connell, Owen Moore, Nathan McConn, 1 day, \$6 each.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 3 days, \$16.50. Total, \$528.22. Net cost for the week ending July 7, 1924, \$526.97.

For the week ending July 14:

Firemen.—James C. Fitzpatrick, 1 day, \$6; Ernest L. Yocum, 1½ days, \$9.

Tollman.—Frederick L. Heffron, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Gateman.—George M. Nagle, 1½ days, \$7.88.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Total, \$39.38.

Net cost for the week ending July 14, 1924, \$16.63.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, July 7:

Laborers.—James Flynn, Maurice Fitzgerald, Elmer Kendall, Alexander McCarthy, William Hurley, Richard O'Neill, Richard Howard, Timothy Donovan, Michael Sweeney, Christopher Sullivan, Vincent X. Fallon, John J. Carroll, Charles Jacobs, Michael Doyle, John Ring, Patrick Collins, Patrick Connolly, William Cowhig, Charles Sheehan, Dennis Desmond, Thomas Fogarty, James Fitzpatrick, Martin Craffey, John Kelleher, John Walsh, Daniel McCormack, Patrick Dolan, James Fitzgerald, George McCormack, Thomas Dolan, Timothy Reardon, Frank Haley, Peter Reardon, Daniel Higgins, Edward Breen, Thomas Minton, Timothy McCarthy, Brian McGowan, Patrick McKenna, Bernard Norton, Daniel Shea, Thomas Sheerin, John Devlin, William McNulty, Charles Bleiler, George Currie, John Doherty, Richard Kelley, Michael Caine, William Doyle, Peter O'Rourke, Patrick McDermott, Francis McGinnis, Arthur Connor,

Thomas Walsh, William Graham, James McDonough, John Cain, John Dacey, Edward Gallagher, John Desmond, John Leach, Patrick Healey, John Flynn, Patrick Burke, Thomas Brooks, John Murray, John Mahoney, William Downey, Joseph Monahan, Arthur Finley, Edward Cunningham, Thomas Clark, Thomas Heavey, Thomas Conboy, Charles Devine, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Edward Walsh, Patrick Carroll, 5½ days, \$22.64 each; Patrick Sheehan, Michael McDonald, Nicholas Walsh, William Hammond, William McQuinn, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; William Jeffers, 2½ days, \$12.23; William McGee, 2½ days, \$13.08; James Henneberry, William Sruhnan, Bernard Rogan, George King, 4½ days, \$18.14 each; Thomas King, 3½ days, \$13.92; Owen Winn, 2½ days, \$9.28; Donato DeVincenzo, 4½ days, \$18.70; Daniel O'Keefe, William Cluff, 3½ days, \$15.19 each; Charles McNulty, 1½ days, \$5.91; Edward Barnes, 2½ days, \$9.70; Patrick Doherty, 3½ days, \$15.61; John McCarthy, 3½ days, \$14.63; Sebastian Selvitella, ½ day, \$2.53.

Fireman.—Timothy Lyons, 1 day, \$5.

Watchmen.—Timothy Callahan, James Noonan, Thomas O'Keefe, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Yardmen.—Charles Hennrikus, Daniel Anglin, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Daniel Crowley, 2½ days, \$11.25.

Pavers.—Arcangelo Faiella, 1½ days, \$8.25; Timothy O'Sullivan, 3½ days, \$17.34.

Engineers.—John Mahoney, 1½ days, \$8.25; John McGee, 2½ days, \$12.38.

Carpenters' Helpers.—Michael Maguire, James Magee, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Stablemen.—Michael Barry, William Corrigan, Bartholomew Dunn, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

For the week ending Monday, July 14:

Laborers.—Vincent X. Fallon, Walter Wenzel, John J. Wilkinson, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Cornelius Courtney, Michael Fitzgerald, 1½ days, \$5.91 each.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, July 7:

Stablemen.—P. Lane, J. O'Connor, W. Burke, G. Stapleton, M. Campbell, J. H. Carey, P. Coffey, J. Donnelly, P. J. Downey, 2d, O. Kelley, R. G. Purcell, F. Calbag, J. H. Kelly, J. Keyes, W. Knightley, W. Magee, J. McCaffrey, J. O'Halloran, T. J. Shea, J. Sullivan, C. J. Haley, F. J. Kane, M. Quirk, J. L. Sullivan, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each. Total, \$112.50.

Feeders.—P. Eagan, J. Canney, J. E. Burns, 1 day, \$4.75 each. Total, \$14.25.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. McNutt, E. Currie, M. Fitzpatrick, W. McCarthy, J. J. Welch, J. A. Callahan, W. F. Carmody, P. Cassino, J. J. Corrigan, J. J. Curran, M. J. Dunn, J. Fahey, E. F. Gardner, E. A. Keefe, P. G. Kelly, T. P. Mahoney, P. Norton, P. O'Hea, D. F. O'Neil, E. P. Rowan, J. T. Westwater, J. Wilmouth, J. J. Dwyer, R. J. Hughes, K. F. Kenney, J. J. Lannon, L. W. Lawler, W. McGahey, M. F. McGrath, J. O'Brien, L. Powers, M. Shaller, J. F. Cavinaro, W. A. Crawford, F. Cunningham, J. J. Gavin, 1 day, \$4.50 each. Total, \$162.

Teamsters-Laborers.—A. P. Charbonnier, B. J. Lyons, 2½ days, \$11.25 each. Total, \$22.50.

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. Ballam, J. P.

Belisle, J. B. Carr, R. W. Lanahan, P. J. McCormack, J. F. Sweeney, 1½ days, \$6.75 each. Total, \$40.50.

Watchmen.—P. J. Downey, 1st, P. Doyle, J. Moore, J. Fay, M. J. Gately, P. Griffin, J. J. O'Neil, T. Riley, P. J. Griffin, 1 day, \$4.50 each. Total, \$40.50.

Carpenters.—J. Callahan, W. C. Hughes, M. J. Sullivan, 2 days, \$11 each. Total, \$33.

Laborers-Teamsters.—A. R. Gaffey, J. J. Barrett, T. J. Maher, F. S. O'Brien, 2 days, \$9 each. Total, \$36.

Wharfinger.—J. A. Thomas, 1 day, \$4.50. Total, \$4.50.

Wharfman.—P. J. Kellard, 1 day, \$5. Total, \$5.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 2 days, \$9.50. Total, \$9.50.

Stablemen.—J. Curran, T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 2 days, \$9 each. Total, \$27.

Yardman.—J. Cassell, 1 day, \$4.50. Total, \$4.50.

Wharfman.—J. Fay, 1 day, \$4.50. Total, \$4.50.

Total, \$516.25.

For the week ending July 14:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, J. J. Welch, J. J. Spillane, T. Donovan, B. F. Lyons, 1 day, \$4.50 each; total, \$22.50.

Laborers-Teamsters.—A. P. Charbonnier, J. F. Sweeney, 1½ days, \$5.63 each; total, \$11.26.

Laborers-Teamsters.—P. J. McCormack, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75 each; total \$9.50.

Watchmen-Stablemen.—W. F. Ryan, T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; total, \$13.50.

Carpenters.—M. J. Callahan, W. C. Hughes, M. J. Sullivan, 2 days, \$11 each; total, \$33.

Laborers-Teamsters.—A. R. Gaffey, T. J. Maher, F. S. O'Brien, 2 days, \$9 each; total, \$27.

Laborers-Teamsters.—P. Cataldo, H. F. Furey, F. Zirpolo, ½ day, \$2.25 each; total, \$6.75.

Total, \$130.26.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, July 7:

Sewer Cleaners.—James Barrett, Dennis Collins, 2 days, \$10 each; James Clancy, 1½ days, \$7.50; Michael Foley, John Graham, Joseph Rafferty, 1 day, \$5 each.

Laborers.—Michael McMahon, Patrick Foley, 2 days, \$9 each; James McFarland, John Keenan, James McNabb, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; James Smith, Peter Connolly, Patrick Barry, John English, John O'Neil, John Connor, Thomas Coughlin, Andrew Flaherty, Dennis Sullivan, John Delaney, Patrick Egan, James Keelan, Edward Francis, Patrick Lombard, John Henshon, Malachi Hanley, John Crowley, Timothy Driscoll, Thomas Kelly, James McCarthy, Michael Mullin, Daniel Reilly, Richard Moore, Patrick Muldoon, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Daniel McKenna, William Colbert, ½ day, \$2.25 each; Patrick Buckley, ½ day, \$1.69.

Mason.—John Gibbard, ½ day, \$3.50.

Chauffeur.—Charles McCarthy, 1 day, \$5.

Assistant Engineers.—William Bragger, 3 days, \$2.50; Thomas Maher, 1 day, \$7.17; John Mahoney, 1 day, \$6.67.

Firemen, Oilers, etc.—Timothy Scully, Thomas McLaughlin, Michael Reilly, Philip Lamb, Joseph Sullivan, John Jordan, John Powell, John Farley, Thomas Burden, Neil Grant, John Quilty, John Doherty, Patrick Griffin, John McGowan, Patrick Powell, John Francis, John Hennessey, James Fitzgerald, Christopher Kenney, William Mullin, Richard Tobin, 1 day, \$6 each. Total, \$372.79.

For the week ending July 14:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, 3½ days, \$16.25 each; James Clancy, Dennis Collins, Hugh Clark, 1 day, \$5 each; Peter Keenan, 1 day, \$4.75; Joseph Rafferty, John Graham, ½ day, \$1.88 each; Michael Foley, ½ day, \$2.50.

Chauffeur.—James McCarthy, ½ day, \$2.50.

Laborers.—Cornelius Sullivan, 3½ days, \$14.63; Patrick McDonough, 2 days, \$9; Stephen Connolly, 1½ days, \$6.75; James McNabb, Michael McMahon, Thomas Kirby, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Thomas Casey, Peter King, James Giblin, Thomas McDonough, Edward Flaherty, ½ day, \$2.50 each; John Sheehy, John Barry, ½ day, \$1.69 each.

Assistant Engineers.—John McCarthy, 2 days, \$14.33; Thomas Maher, 3½ days, \$25.08.

Total, \$163.43.

Public Works Department.

(Street Cleaning and Oiling Service.)

For the week ending Monday, July 7:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, J. M. McGrath, P. F. Scanlan, J. O'Donnell, W. O'Brien, D. Powers, J. De Coursey, P. McManus, J. P. Barnes, J. F. Brady, J. W. Collins, P. F. Daley, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, J. T. O'Leary, B. J. Doherty, D. J. Collins, J. Golden, B. J. Manning, C. J. Sullivan, G. F. Keegan, J. L. Hanley, J. Bowen, E. L. Fitzgerald, W. Milliken, E. Monahan, W. Dwyer, W. Gorman, W. Hartnett, M. J. McCormack, J. J. McHugh, J. Monahan, C. J. Sullivan, J. Whelton, J. Holland, G. P. Riley, B. Grant, M. T. Clougherty, J. Donahue, J. B. Sullivan, H. J. McCarron, J. Cahill, G. Cappozza, F. Certosimo, J. J. Daley, J. Dewdal, C. F. Flaherty, M. Lahèy, L. Landrigan, T. M. McClutchey, D. Mahoney, F. Granville, T. F. Hart, P. J. Hartigan, R. Higgins, P. H. Hogan, J. J. Slattery, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—P. J. Connolly, H. S. Lawrence, C. E. Anderson, M. Barry, H. Conroy, J. F. Cosgrove, F. Diaz, J. Donovan, J. Egan, W. Finn, D. Hamilton, J. H. Jeffrey, J. Kennedy, E. J. Murphy, A. Pourier, P. Quigley, J. Riley, J. W. Sheehan, R. T. Wills, E. Cummings, B. Coyne, L. Divita, J. C. Hourihan, H. J. Kane, M. Levine, F. H. McMackin, R. Mulcahy, M. F. Shea, D. P. Stack, H. McFadden, 1½ days, \$6.75 each.

Teamsters.—W. Cosgrove, M. Fitzpatrick, L. Gaeta, J. Hennessey, J. H. Lane, M. J. O'Brien, J. F. O'Toole, T. J. Whalen, J. Zuccola, J. J. Maguire, J. P. O'Rourke, ½ day, \$2.25 each.

Teamsters.—J. Dahill, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, T. Downey, J. J. Donovan, E. F. Noonan, W. Batts, N. Albano, P. Barry, D. J. Callahan, J. J. Carey, Jr., J. A. Carr, G. H. Corcoran, F. D'Ambrosio, L. Davis, J. Delaney, J. Doherty, W. P. Donnelly, M. Fallon, T. W. Fitzmorris, J. Gallagher, T. McGuinness, J. McNiff, W. T. Maloney, B. Maraghy, E. Moore, M. Norton, P. Glynn, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, D. Kobylski, B. Sullivan, J. J. O'Neil, 2 days, \$9 each.

Teamsters.—M. J. O'Connell, T. Ormand, J. L. Gould, 2½ days, \$11.25 each.

Teamster.—B. Callahan, 3½ days, \$15.75.

Teamster.—J. A. Hartigan, 3 days, \$13.50.

Feeders.—J. J. Shea, L. McGahan, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Teamsters.—A. P. Brown, J. T. Fee, J. J. Lombard, T. McCarthy, J. H. Robishaw, F. Shalley, ¾ day, \$1.69 each.

Teamsters.—G. H. Campbell, R. Dennehy, H. J. Gallagher, D. F. Keating, P. McKeon, J. J. Rogers, ¼ day, \$1.13 each.

Teamsters.—T. F. Hession, J. Scannell, J. J. Sweeney, ¾ day, \$3.94 each.

Chauffeurs.—J. J. Connors, T. C. Earl, N. Schaaf, J. A. McCabe, J. P. Considine, J. Z. Lamothe, J. J. Marshall, F. Murphy, M. J. Coakley, J. J. Landrigan, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

For the week ending July 14:

Teamsters-Laborers.—J. Dahill, C. J. Crowley, E. Noonan, T. F. Graham, 2 days, \$9 each; total, \$36.

Yardman.—M. Hurley, 1 day, \$4.50.

Teamsters-Laborers.—M. Fitzpatrick, J. Moynihan, G. McColgan, M. Gilmartin, J. O'Leary, J. Collins, F. R. Deacon, J. J. Ones, J. Golden, P. Meyers, M. Lally, B. J. Doherty, J. A. Kelley, M. T. Clougherty, N. Albano, J. F. Brown, M. Connolly, J. Doherty, J. Driscoll, C. F. Flaherty, J. Foley, P. F. Joyce, J. McDonald, T. McGuinness, W. H. Mahoney, W. T. Maloney, E. Moore, J. Tuohy, M. A. Weidman, J. Dowdal, 1 day, \$4.50 each; total, \$135.

Teamster.—B. Callahan, ½ day, \$2.25.

Laborers-Teamsters.—D. P. Stack, F. M. Kelley, S. Coughlin, J. Sweeney, P. Barry, J. Cahill, D. J. Callahan, J. J. Carey, J. A. Carr, G. H. Corcoran, W. Curley, J. J. Curtin, J. Delaney, W. P. Donnelly, A. Grimley, F. Granville, T. Hart, J. A. Hartigan, P. J. Hartigan, J. Hines, M. Hughes, P. Keon, M. Lahey, M. Raftery, J. Slattery, B. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; total, \$175.50.

Stablemen.—M. S. Healey, J. Monahan, 1 day, \$4.50 each; total, \$9.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. J. Donovan, L. Davis, R. M. Jennings, D. Kobyeloki, J. D. Lyons, B. Maraghy, M. Norton, 2½ days, \$11.25 each; total, \$78.75.

Chauffeurs.—J. J. Connors, T. Earl, J. A. McCabe, N. Schaaf, ¾ day, \$4.13 each; total, \$16.52.

Chauffeurs.—J. Coakley, J. J. Landrigan, 1½ days, \$8.25 each; total, \$16.50. Total, \$474.02.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, July 7:

Chauffeurs.—J. Supple, J. Broderick, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 2 days, \$10 each; F. Bonang, 1 day, \$5; J. Burke, 2½ days, \$12.50.

Emergency Men.—D. Curley, J. Doherty, M. Donohue, A. Christie, 1 day, \$5.50 each; W. Lonergan, R. Curcio, W. Fitzsimmons, J. Roust, J. Mahan, M. McCue, P. Clougherty, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4.50 each; H. McCauley, 2 days, \$9.50; J. Kelly, 1 day, \$5; M. Carney, W. Rice, T. Kinahan, 1 day, \$4.75 each; J. Gateley, 1 day, \$5.25.

Repairers.—J. Moran, 2½ days, \$13.75; T. Thureson, 1½ days, \$10.14; E. Rafferty, ½ day, \$0.94; P. Linehan, ½ day,

\$2.81; A. LoPilato, 2 days, \$10; G. Goodwin, 2½ days, \$11.88; D. Hanlon, ½ day, \$3.09; J. Hourihan, ½ day, \$3.09; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; J. Picardi, ½ day, \$2.67; C. Sullivan, ½ day, \$2.81; A. Brennan, ½ day, \$2.81; C. Driscoll, ½ day, \$2.75; D. Kirby, 2½ days, \$11.25; P. Cassidy, J. Cunningham, E. Kelly, I. Klein, E. Sullivan, P. McLaughlin, P. Conley, M. Reilly, 1 day, \$4.50 each; G. Waters, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Coleman, 1 day, \$4.75; M. White, ½ day, \$1.20; J. Glennon, ½ day, \$1.25; J. Feeley, ½ day, \$0.89; T. Byrnes, 2½ days, \$12.80; J. Gallagher, 1½ days, \$9.38; T. Rose, 2½ days, \$12.19; W. Corbett, 2½ days, \$11.58; B. McManus, 2½ days, \$10.13; D. Shea, 1½ days, \$8.44; J. Blessington ½ day, \$1.88; M. Adley, 1 day, \$5; J. Cummings, ¾ day, \$2.06; G. Cataldo, ¾ day, \$1.69; N. DeEso, ¾ day, \$1.69; F. Schena, 3½ days, \$19.03; J. McLaughlin, ¾ day, \$1.69; M. Burke, 2 days, \$11; M. Cozza, 1 day, \$5.

Laborers.—M. Barron, G. Cunningham, B. Hill, J. McCauley, F. DeAngelo, T. Toolin, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, E. Pyne, S. LoPilato, J. M. O'Toole, T. McGuinness, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 2 days, \$9 each; W. Dolan, J. Curtin, J. Horgan, J. Sheehan, P. Loftus, J. O'Toole, J. Sullivan, ½ day, \$2.53 each; J. O'Brien, ¾ day, \$1.69. Total, \$532.79; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$11; net total, \$521.79.

For the week ending Monday, July 14:

Chauffeurs.—J. Supple, J. Broderick, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burns, 1½ days, \$7.50; F. Bonang, 2 days, \$10; J. F. Burke, 1½ days, \$9.84.

Emergencymen.—W. Lonergan, T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4.50 each; A. LoPilato, H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Repairers.—G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$9.35; J. Moran, ½ day, \$1.03; W. Scanlon, 2 days, \$11; P. O'Hare, 1½ days, \$2.46; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$7.03; M. Vozzella, ½ day, \$1.03; S. Mariani, 1½ days, \$7.03; P. Clougherty, 1½ days, \$7.22; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$7.50; B. Brass, ½ day, \$0.89; H. Cauley, 1½ day, \$4.69; J. Sullivan, ¾ day, \$1.78; W. Shields, 2½ days, \$12.19; G. Waters, 1½ day, \$4.45; G. Greer, ¾ day, \$1.88; J. Feeley, 1½ day, \$4.45; H. Cassidy, 1½ days, \$5.91; T. O'Brien, ½ day, \$2.67; N. McPhee, ½ day, \$2.81; J. Williamson, ½ day, \$2.67; J. Blessington, 2½ days, \$14.38; J. McKenney, ½ day, \$3.09; A. McDougall, ½ day, \$2.67; T. Byrnes, 1½ days, \$6.89; A. Rolfe, ½ day, \$2.67; J. O'Brien, ¾ day, \$1.60; B. McManus, ¾ day, \$1.69; T. Rose, ½ day, \$2.81; W. Corbett, ½ day, \$2.67; F. Schena, ¾ day, \$1.97; M. Matthews, 2½ days, \$13.91.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, J. M. O'Toole, E. Pyne, J. O'Toole, P. Waters, E. Willhauck, D. Shea, P. Gorman, T. Donovan, P. McCarthy, H. Hagerty, 1 day, \$4.50 each; F. Driscoll, ½ day, \$0.84; T. Gallagher, 1½ days, \$5.91; W. Gannon, ½ day, \$0.84; E. Hart, 1½ days, \$5.91; J. Durand, 1½ days, \$6.33; R. McDonough, ¾ day, \$1.69; D. Crowley, ½ day, \$2.53; J. McLaughlin, 1½ days, \$7.59; J. Cummings, ¾ day, \$2.06; M. Rizzo, ¾ day, \$4.01.

Total, \$328.53.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 15 the Mayor approved a contract with Maurice M. Devine for repairing Cottage Farm Bridge, Commonwealth avenue, over the Boston & Albany Railroad. There was but one bid.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Upon July 10 the Mayor approved a contract with P. A. Colleran for repairing and strengthening Commercial Point Bridge. Bids, opened July 7, were as follows:

P. A. Colleran, \$1,874; W. A. Norton Company, \$2,360; J. P. Cavanaugh, \$2,640; Rendle Stoddard Construction Company, \$2,772; W. H. Ellis & Son Company, \$2,987.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Rendle Stoddard Construction Company for foundations for ferry bridges for the South Ferry. Bids, opened July 10, were as follows:

Rendle Stoddard Construction Company, \$17,780; W. H. Ellis & Son Company, \$20,305.

Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the J. Edward Ogden Company for two electrically operated ferry bridges with gallows, frames and accompanying machinery. Bids, opened July 10, were as follows:

J. Edward Ogden Company, Inc., \$234,000; The Watson Stillman Company, \$247,500.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon July 10 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Grande for sewerage works in Florence avenue, between Allston street and Commonwealth avenue, Brighton. Bids for the work, opened July 8, were as follows:

A. Grande, \$1,649.50; C. Iacuzzi, \$1,687.75; Joseph Todesca, \$1,866.50; V. Barletta, \$1,876.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$1,897.50; J. Williams & Co., \$1,921.50; C. Russo, \$1,961.50; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$2,001.50; P. A. Colleran, \$2,116.50.

Upon July 10 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Russo for sewerage works in Colorado street, from Currier street about 315 feet northeasterly, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened July 9, were as follows:

C. Russo, \$3,933.50; P. A. Colleran, \$4,121.50; Joseph Todesca, \$4,152; A. Grande, \$4,503.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$5,023.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 10 the Mayor approved a contract with T. F. Connor for painting interior of the Bowdoin School. Bids, opened July 3, were as follows:

T. F. Connor, \$2,455; F. M. Rogers & Co., \$2,987; A. D. Howlett Company, \$3,123; M. L. McDonald Company, \$3,145; John D. Henchey & Co., \$3,270; C. E. Bradley, \$3,291; John W. Graham & Son, \$3,298.

Upon July 10 the Mayor approved a contract with Hart & Hutchinson Company for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Teachers College. Bids, opened July 3, were as follows:

Hart & Hutchinson Company, \$4,242; Berger Manufacturing Company, \$5,063.

Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with J. P. Dwyer Company for making additions and alterations to present heating system in the Dorchester High School. Bids, opened July 8, were as follows:

J. P. Dwyer Company, \$3,683; R. B. Crocker Company, \$3,754; T. J. Duff & Co., \$4,240; Acme Heating and Ventilating Company, \$4,477; J. J. Hurley & Co., \$4,784.

Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with C. E. Bradley for painting interior of the Winchell School. Bids, opened July 8, were as follows:

C. E. Bradley, \$1,420; M. L. McDonald Company, \$1,561; John D. Henchey & Co., \$1,590; Albert D. Howlett Company, \$1,864.

Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with John Bowen Company for reconstruction and alteration of the Bennett School. Bids, opened July 8, were as follows:

John Bowen Company, \$82,440; C. S. Cunningham & Sons Construction Company, \$89,458; Joseph Rugo, \$98,200.

Upon July 16 the Mayor approved a contract with R. B. Crocker Company for furnishing and installing heating system in the Walnut Street School. Bids, opened July 8, were as follows:

T. J. Duff & Co., \$4,562; R. B. Crocker Company, \$4,575; Acme Heating and Ventilating Company, \$4,994; J. P. Dwyer Company, \$5,542; General Construction and Repair Company, \$5,543.

Upon July 16 the Mayor approved a contract with the Somerset Company for roofing and metal work at the Girls' High School. Bids, opened July 8, were as follows:

Somerset Company, \$1,938; John J. Hourihan, \$2,545; H. A. Smith, \$2,865; J. E. Long, \$4,600; S. Bobkin, \$6,950.

Upon July 16 the Mayor approved a contract with the Lyon Metallic Contracting Company for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Jamaica Plain High School. Bids, opened July 11, were as follows:

Hart & Hutchinson Company, \$2,760; Lyon Metallic Manufacturing Company, \$2,760.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 16 the Mayor approved a contract with J. Eavenson and Sons, Inc., for furnishing bath soap to the Park Department. Bid, opened April 11, were as follows:

Five Hundred Boxes in Half-ounce Cakes, One Thousand Cakes to the Box.—Armour & Co., \$4.25 per 1,000 cakes; Lever Brothers Company, \$4.25 per 1,000 cakes; Procter & Gamble Distributing Company, \$5.35 per 1,000 cakes; J. Eavenson & Sons, Inc., \$8.37 per 1,000 cakes.

Discount Ten Days.—Armour & Co., 2 per cent; Procter & Gamble Distributing Company, 2 per cent.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Kenney Brothers & Wolkins for furnishing and delivering miscellaneous furniture to various schools. Bids, opened July 1, were as follows:

ITEM.	Kenney Brothers & Wolkins.	Heywood-Wakefield Company.	J. L. Hammett Company.
1. Teachers' desks.....	\$39 00		
2. Teachers' chairs.....	13 50	\$11 00	
3. Visitors' chairs.....	5 50	4 15	
4. Rocking chairs, oak.....	7 50	6 35	
5. Rocking chairs, willow.....		6 90	
6. Chairs for teachers' rooms.....	5 50	3 85	
7. { Couches.....		13 20	
{ Couch covers.....		13 20	
8. Tablet arm chairs.....	7 50	6 50	* 6 50
9. Teachers' tables.....	26 00		† 5 25
10. Teachers' cabinets.....	90 00		94 47
11. Kindergarten chairs (dozen).....	19 36		
12. { Kindergarten tables, 6-foot.....	20 00		
{ Kindergarten tables, 4-foot.....	18 00		
13. Round kindergarten tables.....	7 00		
14. Kindergarten sand tables.....	30 00		
15. Kindergarten screens.....	45 00		
16. Kindergarten teachers' chairs.....	3 00		

* Bolted.

† Not bolted.

Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with J. L. Hammett Company for furnishing and delivering miscellaneous furniture to various schools. Bids, opened July 1, were as follows:

ITEM.	Kenney Brothers & Wolkins.	Heywood-Wakefield Company.	J. L. Hammett Company.
1. Teachers' desks.....	\$39 00		
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6. Chairs for teachers' rooms.....	5 50	3 85	
7. { Couches.....		13 20	
{ Couch covers.....		13 20	
8. Tablet arm chairs.....	7 50	6 50	* \$6 50
9. Teachers' tables.....	26 00		† 5 25
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15. Kindergarten screens.....	45 00		
16. Kindergarten teachers' chairs.....	3 00		

* Bolted

† Not bolted.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The Murray Engineering Company have been ordered to make the following additions to contract for repairs to the steamer "George A. Hibbard." Reinforce and patch bulkhead as directed by United States local inspectors; scale and paint bulkhead two coats red lead; clean and paint bilges beneath tank; fill in

holes on deck plate for rudder head; cut new holes and make new wrench to fit; all to be satisfactory to the commissioner for the sum of \$212. Hauling on marine railway: Repair copper sheathing on bottom; remove old sea valve; fill in; overhaul sea valves, new outboard connection; furnish and install new valve stem on sea valve; furnish and install new zinc on rudder; install and connect feed pumps; launching, \$274—\$486. Original contract, \$2,661; amount of this order, \$486; total contract to date, \$3,147.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the Heywood Wakefield Company for furnishing and delivering miscellaneous furniture to various schools. Bids opened July 1, were as follows:

ITEM.	Kenney Brothers & Wolkins.	Heywood- Wakefield Company.	J. L. Hammett Company.
1 Teachers' desks.....	\$39 00		
2 Teachers' chairs.....	13 50	\$11 00	
3 Visitors' chairs.....	5 50	4 15	
4 Rocking chairs, oak.....	7 50	6 35	
5. Rocking chairs, willow.....		6 90	
6. Chairs for teachers' rooms.....	5 50	3 85	
7. { Couches.....		13 20	
{ Couch covers.....		13 20	
8. Tablet arm chairs.....	7 50	6 50	* \$6 50
9. Teachers' tables.....	26 00		† 5 25
10. Teachers' cabinets.....	90 00		94 47
11. Kindergarten chairs (dozen).....	19 36		
12. { Kindergarten tables, 6-foot.....	20 00		
{ Kindergarten tables, 4-foot.....	18 00		
13. Round kindergarten tables.....	7 00		
14. Kindergarten sand tables.....	30 00		
15. Kindergarten screens.....	45 00		
16. Kindergarten teachers' chairs.....	3 00		

* Bolted.

† Not bolted.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Mayor has approved the following action by the Board of Street Commissioners:

Voted, That in the matter of the Schoenhof Book Company, Inc. petitioner for damage as lessee of the lower floor of the building at 15 Beacon street, taken for school purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of October 29, 1920, after consultation with the Law Department, and on its advice, the Board assesses the petitioner's damages in the sum of \$3,500 flat; and consents that the Corporation Counsel agree to judgment in said case on the terms herein stated.

James Koines has agreed to accept the sum of \$100 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate on 3 and 3A Prospect street by the relocation and construction of Chelsea street under the Street Commissioners' order of October 9, 1922.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has allowed the following petitions received, from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Walter H. Turner, 31-33 Field street, Ward 7, group garage, 4 units, 4 cars.

Walter Melvine Clark, 792 Adams street, Ward 20, 500 gallons gasoline.

National Can Company, 67 Von Hillern street, Ward 11, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

John J. Watson, 66 Hereford street, Ward 8, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Samuel Rudnick, 1197 Boylston street, Ward 8, 3,000 gallons fuel oil.

Samuel Rudnick, 1203 Boylston street, Ward 8, 3,000 gallons fuel oil.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Chestnut street, Ward 4; remove two poles.

James Coogan, 127 Dale street, Ward 15, group garage, four units, four cars.

Fred G. Trask, 165 Maverick street, Ward 2, 1,000 gallons gasoline, 500 gallons oil.

H. P. Welch, 11 Parker Hill avenue, Ward 14, 500 gallons gasoline.

THANKS MAYOR FOR FELICITATIONS.

Mayor Curley received the following telegram from Hon. John. W. Davis, Democratic standard bearer, July 12:

New York, July 12, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

I am most grateful for your message of congratulations and the expressions of your esteem and confidence. With a united and militant democracy I am confident that the great principles of our party will triumph in the coming elections.

JOHN W. DAVIS.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority to repair macadam roadway in Minot street, Dorchester, from Adams street to Neponset avenue, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$5,000.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Public Works Commissioner to rough grade Chauncy street, between Summer street and Bedford street, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$3,000.

CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Warren Brothers Company have been ordered to make the following changes in contract for bitulithic pavement in Fenway from Forsyth way to near Museum road, Fens Bridge approaches from Fenway to Audubon road, Willow Pond road from Jamaica way to the Brookline line, Chestnut street from Perkins street to the Brookline line, Francis Parkman road from Jamaica way to Perkins street, Arborway from South street to granite block pavement on line of Washington street, and from granite block pavement on line of Washington street to Forest Hills street.

Along the northerly side of Francis Parkman Drive for a distance of approximately 54 linear feet, lay granite block paving three blocks wide in concrete 6 inches in depth, composed of one part cement, three parts sand and six parts crushed stone, one quarter to three quarters of an inch in diameter. The granite paving blocks are to be set in the concrete before it has set, all to the required lines and grades. The joints between the paving blocks are to be filled with a half cement grout.

For each square yard of granite block paving laid in concrete, the sum of \$7 will be added to the contract price.

For each square yard of granite block paving on gravel foundation omitted, the contract price per square yard, \$1.80, will be deducted from the contract price.

Estimate of these changes: Addition, 60 square yards granite block paving in concrete at \$7, \$420; deduction, 60 square yards granite block paving on gravel at \$1.80, \$108; net addition, \$312; contract price, \$66,128.25; addition as per this order, \$312; contract as standing, \$66,440.25.

MAYOR GRANTS LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO CITY EMPLOYEES FOR MILITARY DUTY.

Boston, July 15, 1924.

To the Heads of Departments.

GENTLEMEN,—You are hereby directed to grant leave of absence, without loss of pay, to employees in your department who are members of the Army Reserve Corps, the Naval Reserve Force, the National Guard, or the United States Citizens' Training Camp, to attend the annual tour of duty or service school.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

B. E. Grant Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repaving Chauncy street, Essex street and Harrison avenue.

Items ordered: Recut and relay existing granite block pavement and furnish and lay necessary concrete base in Kingston street, between Bedford street and Essex street. Prices to be paid: the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. \$2 per yard for recutting and relaying and \$10.50 per cubic yard for concrete base. Estimated cost of extra work, \$2,800.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 10 TO JULY 16.

JULY 10.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
John A. Costello.	20 Greenwood avenue.	24	New fixtures.	\$900
M. H. Myers.	42 Harriet street.	26	New fixtures.	700
M. H. Myers.	46 Harriet street.	26	New fixtures.	700
M. H. Myers.	50 Harriet street.	26	New fixtures.	700
K. W. McManus.	40 Lyndhurst street.	19	New fixtures.	1,800
John Y. Gillespie.	177 Train street.	20	New fixtures.	1,100
George C. Tornegren.	28 Melrose street.	8	New fixtures.	300
Cornelius Mahoney.	72 Ferrin street.	4	New fixtures.	400
A. E. Scrivens.	103 Arlington street.	24	New fixtures.	100
Abraham Kellem.	48 Bailey street.	21	New fixtures.	500
John J. Murphy.	1 Bay View place.	10	New fixtures.	500
A. D. Meltzer.	313 Huntington avenue.	7	New fixtures.	300
A. D. Meltzer.	315 Huntington avenue.	7	New fixtures.	300
Pagington Brothers.	1849 Hyde Park avenue.	24	New fixtures.	300
John F. Donlan.	82 Phillips street.	8	New fixtures.	1,800
John F. Donlan.	86-88 Phillips street.	8	New fixtures.	4,500
Abraham Kellem.	232 Shawmut avenue.	6	New fixtures.	50
Samuel Adams.	39 Ward street.	11	New fixtures.	150

JULY 11.

H. T. Smith.	26 Shannon street.	25	New fixtures.	\$300
M. Riceman.	59 Lithgow street.	20	New fixtures.	75
Edward Bevelander.	218 Lincoln street.	26	New fixtures.	350
L. R. Freedman.	562 East Second street.	10	New fixtures.	250
W. L. Ambrose.	690 East Fifth street.	10	New fixtures.	800
W. L. Ambrose.	692 East Fifth street.	10	New fixtures.	400
B. Barnett.	526 West Park street.	19	New fixtures.	250
Charles Rosenwald.	504 West Park street.	19	New fixtures.	700
T. M. Garvey.	27 Colonial road.	25	New fixtures.	1,125
M. H. Myers.	287 Shawmut avenue.	6	New fixtures.	225
Charles Rosenwald.	341 Washington street.	19	New fixtures.	150
Maurice Pann.	1 Sprague street.	4	New fixtures.	500
B. Barnett.	528 West Park street.	19	New fixtures.	400
A. E. Roberts.	315 Marlboro street.	8	New fixtures.	500

JULY 12.

H. Weiss.	67 Wildwood street.	21	New fixtures.	\$1,100
H. Weiss.	71 Wildwood street.	21	New fixtures.	1,100
B. J. Martin.	30 Gordon street.	25	New fixtures.	100
Vincent A. Bolger.	57 Fairmount street.	21	New fixtures.	900
Robert T. Taylor.	1100 Commonwealth avenue.	25	New fixtures.	20
William H. Welch.	163 Allston street.	25	New fixtures.	65
A. E. Scrivens.	7 Vose avenue.	24	New fixtures.	800
Vincent A. Bolger.	230 Rver street.	21	New fixtures.	650

JULY 14.

Eben Riggs.	59 Bradeen street.	23	New fixtures.	\$820
Samuel Adams.	216 Bowen street.	9	New fixtures.	200
L. J. Towle Company.	7 LaGrange street.	5	New fixtures.	40
M. Cohen.	24 Green street.	5	New fixtures.	40

JULY 15.

P. R. Winters.	68 Halifax street.	22	New fixtures.	\$1,200
Alexander Campbell.	125 Cushing avenue.	17	New fixtures.	900
John J. Murphy.	66 Commonwealth avenue.	8	New fixtures.	900
Henry Smith.	10 Burrell street.	12	New fixtures.	400
Albert E. Touchet, Inc.	102 Pilgrim road.	14	New fixtures.	1,700

JULY 16.

Philip Ligums.	462 Meridian street.	1	New fixtures.	\$800
John W. Slane.	104 Lexington street.	1	New fixtures.	400
H. F. Bimbidel.	95 Landseer street.	23	New fixtures.	800
A. J. Hughes.	115 Kittredge street.	23	New fixtures.	800
H. S. Trethewey.	27 Hewlett street.	23	New fixtures.	1,000
H. S. Trethewey.	81 Florence street.	23	New fixtures.	1,000
Philip Ligums.	13 Condor street.	1	New fixtures.	700
Philip Ligums.	15 Condor street.	1	New fixtures.	700
Jacob Pilyin.	282 and 290 Blue Hill avenue.	17	New fixtures.	2,400
Edward E. Berry.	1531 and 1533 River street.	24	New fixtures.	400
D. J. Rull.	485 East Seventh street.	10	New fixtures.	482

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending July 12:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Robert R. McNutt Corporation,	26-40 Chauncy street (3)...	5	Stores and offices.	New building.
Central Building Wrecking Company.	79 Pilgrim road.	14	Dwelling.	New building.
Mystic Building Wrecking Company.	478 Neponset avenue.	20	Dwelling.	New building.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 565.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, Kneeland and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman George P. Milan of Division 10, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty.

Upon reviewing the testimony as presented, there appears to be such discrepancy between the testimony of Patrolman Milan and his witnesses, that the commissioner sets the finding aside and will hear the case himself at a time and place of which all parties will have due and sufficient notice.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 566.

A trial board consisting of Captains Grant, Gallivan and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Walter J. Donovan of Division 15, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty with the recommendation that Patrolman Donovan be reprimanded in General Orders.

I desire at this time to impress upon the members of the force the importance of exercising the utmost care in the handling of their revolvers. The case of Patrolman Donovan is a good example of what might result if patrolmen do not exercise the greatest care in this matter. In the present case, the patrolman left his police revolver and club in his automobile while he went into a lunch room. He says he put them under the rear seat cushion and when he came out, the car had been stolen, which accentuates the fact that he used very poor judgment in that it probably has been the means of putting at the disposal of some irresponsible person or persons an instrument from which violence may later result.

The members of the force are well aware of the fact that the type of person who steals an automobile is not the kind who could be trusted with a revolver which he might find at his disposal if he was not already armed. This should serve as a warning to the members of the force who are apt to be careless about the disposition of their weapons either on or off duty.

I am accepting in this instance the recommendation of the trial board to reprimand this officer but it is to be borne in mind that any future offence of this kind will be more severely dealt with.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 567.

The resignation of Patrolman Stephen J. Sheehan of Division 9 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, July 14, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 568.

A trial board, consisting of Captains Hickey, Kneeland and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Leslie M. Chubbuck of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty on the charge and first and third specifications thereunder, and not guilty on the second specification. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Leslie M. Chubbuck perform seventy hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 569.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, McDevitt and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Edmund J. Burke of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Edmund J. Burke perform one hundred and forty hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 570.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, McDevitt and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Edmund J. Burke of Division 9, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Edmund J. Burke be reprimanded in General Orders.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

MAYOR CALLS FOR ECONOMY IN THIS TIME OF DEPRESSION.

BOSTON, July 15, 1924.

To the Department Heads.

The increasing demands made upon the Overseers of Public Welfare, the Soldiers' Relief Department, the Institutions Department and the Employment Bureau, indicate that an industrial depression may be anticipated during the present year. There is no means of determining the duration of this condition but it is essential that every worthy case receive consideration.

With a desire to safeguarding the welfare of the less fortunate in the community, it is essential that the most rigid character of economy be practised in the administration of all departments of the city other than charities and corrections.

You are accordingly directed to be present at a special meeting of department heads, to be held at the Mayor's Office, City Hall, Boston, upon Friday, July 18, at 11.30 a. m.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 10 TO JULY 16.

JULY 10.

OWNER	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Agnes Rande....	126 and 128 Gladstone st...	1	Third-class dwelling.....	\$8,000
Peter Carcostons..	21 and 23 Massachusetts av.	8	Alterations, store and apartment.	4,000

JULY 11.

John J. Duchini.....	Rear of 317 Norfolk avenue.	11	First-class garage.....	\$1,800
H. Friedman.....	19-29 Troy street.....	6	First-class garage.....	7,000
Agnes L. Kelly.....	42 Mt. Pleasant avenue....	12	First-class garage.....	2,000
J. N. MacInnes.....	111 Vermont street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,500
Henry F. Templeton..	25 Tip Top street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Alex MacKenzie.....	140 Wrentham street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	65
Patrick Hackett.....	325 West Fourth street....	9	Alterations, stable.....	500
William Gately.....	820 Parker street.....	14	Alterations, dwelling.....	560
Israel H. Elkind.....	70 and 72 Hampden street..	12	Alterations, stores and tenements.	300
Ellis Memorial House.....	66 Berkeley street.....	7	Alterations, school.....	5,000
Ettore DeLeo.....	155 Endicott street.....	5	Erect sign.....	111
Robert R. McNutt Corporation.	26 and 28 Chauncy street...	5	Take down stores.....	1,000
Robert R. McNutt Corporation.	30 and 32 Chauncy street...	5	Take down stores.....	1,000
Robert R. McNutt Corporation.	34-40 Chauncy street.....	5	Take down stores.....	2,000
Central Building Wrecking Company.	79 Pilgrim road.....	14	Take down dwelling.....	200
Nicola Nazzaso.....	129 Eutaw street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling and store.	700
Charles B Slater.....	7 Byron street.....	8	Alterations, garage.....	none
T. Adams.....	19 Woodbury street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	300

JULY 12.

The Columbus Associates...	1540 Columbia road.....	10	Third-class dwelling.....	\$9,500
Ruben E. Cahn.....	29 Bradlee street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,800
Samuel Blotnick.....	18 Orkney road.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	350
King Terminal.....	21 Elkins street.....	9	Alterations, heating plant...	2,000
John Bronokowski.....	28 Harvest street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
Minnie Rosenfield.....	1071 and 1073 Washington street.	6	Alterations, store and manufacturing.	550
E. Sohler Welch, trustee...	2 and 4 Faneuil Hall square,	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	3,500
Morris Rudnick.....	1163 Boylston street.....	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
Morris Rudnick.....	1167 Boylston street.....	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
Morris Rudnick.....	1171 Boylston street.....	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
Y. D. Garage.....	341 Newbury street.....	8	Install elevator.....	11,000
David Levenson.....	80 and 82 Paris street.....	2	Install elevator.....	2,900
Myer Abrams.....	117 Audubon road.....	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
A. I. Rudnick.....	231 Audubon road.....	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
A. I. Rudnick.....	235 Audubon road.....	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
Rotman & Herwitz.....	572 Huntington avenue....	7	Install elevator.....	5,000
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Mary D. Brandegee.....	23 Commonwealth avenue...	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
W. H. Whitcomb Construction Company.	397 Commonwealth avenue	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
H. F. Winslow.....	665 Boylston street.....	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
Bereh & Caddigan.....	115 St. Stephen street....	7	Install elevator.....	5,500
R. H. White Company.....	518 Washington street.....	5	Install two elevators.....	10,500
Joseph Rudnick.....	193 Friend street.....	5	Install two elevators.....	11,500
Boston Consolidated Gas Company.	17 Hilton street.....	9	Install one elevator.....	2,500
Rush & Co.....	32 Oliver street.....	5	Alterations, elevator.....	600
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.	26 Waverly street.....	16	Install ash lift.....	1,200
Beacon Real Estate.....	62 Allen street.....	5	Erect fire escape.....	350
J. Cavallery.....	31 Dover street.....	6	Erect fire escape.....	270
E. F. O'Brien et al.....	314-318 Washington street,	19	Erect fire escape.....	400
E. F. O'Brien et al.....	310-312 Washington street,	19	Erect fire escape.....	200

JULY 14.

Harris Goldman.....	8-12 Troy street.....	6	First-class garage.....	\$15,000
Myer Feldman.....	219-225 Main street.....	3	Second-class store.....	12,000
H. Klayman.....	Rear of 70-74 Canterbury street	24	Second-class garage.....	6,000
Solomon Naisular.....	Rear of 160 Westville street,	18	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Helen J. Keane.....	Rear of 3813 Washington st.	22	Special garage.....	430
Lillian S. Kazanowski.....	46 Metropolitan avenue....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Michael J. Flaherty.....	Rear of 2171 Dorchester av.	21	Third-class garage.....	600
James Moran.....	276 Norfolk street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Daniel Barron.....	127 Crawford street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Annie Freedman.....	Rear of 65 Bower street....	16	Alterations, stable.....	300
Boston City Club.....	12 and 14 Somerset street..	5	Alterations, club.....	1,000
Miss L. Schroeter.....	1749 Commonwealth av.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,600
Annie Freedman.....	65 Bower street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	900
Ground Gripper Shoe Co....	84 Linden Park street.....	13	Install elevator.....	2,150
Julius Darish.....	44 Billerica street.....	9	Take-down, tenements.....	150
Barry Building Wrecking Co.,	443 West Second street....	9	Take-down, dwelling.....	50
Barry Building Wrecking Co.,	200 West Third street.....	9	Take-down, storage.....	50
Barry Building Wrecking Co.,	247 Ruggles street.....	7	Take-down, dwelling.....	25

JULY 15.

Edward Weiler.....	3600 Washington street....	22	First-class garage.....	\$11,000
Annie M. Bishop.....	476 Quincy street.....	17	First-class garage.....	1,000
John Survilus.....	Rear of 65 Millet street....	19	First-class garage.....	1,750
E. I. Brown.....	6 and 8 Rhoades street.....	21	Second-class office and supply room.	2,000

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 10 TO JULY 16.

JULY 15.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Holyhood Cemetery Association.	990 LaGrange street.	23	Second-class office.	\$26,000
Annie M. Shaw.	Rear of 19 Roslin street.	21	Third-class garage.	500
Security Real Estate Company.	51 Vogel street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	4,000
S. Sherman.	1 Dunreath street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Emil Fetting.	36 Atherton street.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	500
E. I. Brown.	Rear of 1155 Blue Hill avenue.	21	Alterations, auto repairs.	6,000
A. Natali.	57 Porter street.	2	Alterations, store and dwelling.	600
Joseph Cupinsky.	86 and 88 Phillips st.	8	Alterations, apartments.	1,000
Mrs. Gardiner H. Fiske.	Rear of 206 Beacon street.	8	Alterations, garage.	800
Grace B. Hodges.	63 Anawan avenue.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	700
Henshaw Motor Company.	989-997 Commonwealth ave.	25	Alterations, auto sales room.	500
City Building Wrecking Company.	311 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Take-down, dwelling.	500
Angelo Compagnone.	23 Pleasant street.	4	Take-down, ell.	20
Ira L. Moore estate.	Rear of 340 West First street.	9	Take-down, shed.	200
Otto Jaubert.	1529 Centre street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
John Lavelle.	271 Codman street.	21	Alterations, dwelling.	150

JULY 16.

Patrick McCarren.	Rear of 14 Walnut park.	15	First-class garage.	\$1,100
Frederick A. Kenney.	Rear of 23 Newbern street.	13	First-class garage.	1,200
Margaret A. McHugh.	796 Parker street.	14	First-class garage.	1,000
Philip H. Sheridan.	Rear of 91-95 Surrey street.	25	First-class garage.	2,300
Charles L. Clapp.	Rear of 46 Payson avenue.	17	First-class garage.	900
Francis M. Gorman.	251 E. Ninth street.	11	First-class garage.	15,000
Margaret Sullivan.	Rear of 551 Adams street.	20	Second-class garage.	1,300
Joseph A. Flynn.	Rear of 664A Dudley street.	12	First-class garage.	8,000
Joseph A. Flynn.	Rear of 664B Dudley street.	12	First-class garage.	8,000
C. Colorusso.	48 Frankfort street.	2	Special store.	565
John S. Troop.	43 Vale street.	11	Special garage.	410
Miss C. A. Trescher.	17 Champney street.	26	Special garage.	225
Philip Siegel.	54 Harriet street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
G. Brin.	70 Howland street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
John A. Johnson.	128 Birch street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	500
C. Z. Southard, trustee.	164 Blackstone street.	5	Alterations, store.	300
Washington-Essex Real Estate Trust.	588-622 Washington street.	5	Alterations, store and theater.	10,000
John H. McClary.	31 Massachusetts avenue.	8	Alterations, tenements.	1,500
Antonio Bossi.	271 Western avenue.	26	Alterations, dwelling.	50
Arthur L. Albee.	14 Parley vale.	22	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
William H. Wilson.	330 Newbury street.	8	Alterations, garage, store and office.	900
Stone & Webster, Inc.	147 Milk street.	5	Alterations, offices.	750
Ida Blander.	126 Hudson street.	5	Alterations, junk shop.	5,000
Fritzie Nitson.	81 and 83 Harrison avenue.	5	Alterations, store and tenements.	600
Louis Martinello.	49 Dighton street.	25	Alterations, dwelling.	500
John Carter & Co.	230 Purchase street.	5	Install elevator.	2,900
Boston Production Company.	80 Summer street.	5	Install dumb-waiter.	1,100
Charles Nutter.	6 and 8 West Cedar street.	8	Erect fire-escape.	225
Boston Consolidated Gas Company.	235 East Eighth street.	11	Take-down, gas holder.	500

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

M. DeSisto Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Blue Hill avenue, Hazleton street, Hiawatha road, Morton street, Wildwood street, Dorchester; Florence avenue, Brighton; Partridge street, Pond View avenue, Waldon road, West Roxbury Parkway and Woodbrier road, West Roxbury. Items ordered: Removing and rebuilding culvert, relocating house drains, trucking tools, rehauling pipe, setting piles and platform account bad trench bottom, removing broken gate box and replacing same. Estimated cost of extra work, \$125.

Martin F. Gaddis has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repaving Shawmut avenue, from Warrenton street to Roxbury street. Items ordered: Bar out and relay existing granite block paving with grout joints on a gravel base in Castle street, from Washington street to Tremont street. Price to be paid, the same as that bid for similar work in the contract, \$2 per square yard (item 5g). Estimated cost of extra work, \$7,000.

MAYOR CURLEY CONGRATULATES U. S. OLYMPIC TEAM ON VICTORY.

Mayor Curley, on July 14, cabled his hearty congratulations to Lawrence Robertson, director, and the members of the American Olympic Team at Colombes, France.

The cablegram of Mayor Curley read as follows:

LAWRENCE ROBERTSON,
Colombes, France.

Rejoice in triumph victory; hearty congratulations to our boys.

CURLEY, Mayor.

ADDITIONAL WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Carmine Russo has been directed to perform the following additional work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Bismarck street, Germania street, La Grange street, West Roxbury; Ruskin road, Hyde Park; Wabash street, Dorchester. Items ordered: Lay 840 feet 12-inch pipe in Lasell street, West Roxbury, between Newfield street and Caspar street under contract price for each item. Estimated cost of additional work, \$400.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

C. & R. Construction Company have been granted an extension of time until February 13, 1924, for the completion of contract for work on sanitary and locker building, Christopher J. Lee Playground, South Boston.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of time for the completion of contract for grading and concrete wall at Cherry Street Playground to July 15.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

The Boston Bridge Works, Inc., have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for rebuilding Cambridge Street Bridge, over the Boston & Albany Railroad, Brighton, from December 31, 1923, to May 20, 1924, on account of the difficulty in placing granite over the railroad track, which work could be done only during a few hours at night.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

B. E. Grant has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying recut granite block and wood block pavements in Chauncy street, from Summer street to Essex street; Essex street, from Oxford street to Atlantic avenue; and Harrison avenue, from Beach street to Harvard street, from July 1, 1924, to September 1, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

William Barrett and Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Moore street overflow outlet, East Boston, from June 14, 1924, to July 19, 1924 (35 days).

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

M. DeSisto Company has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Alhambra road, Granfield avenue, Orange street, Roslindale avenue, Washington street, West Roxbury Parkway and Willow street, West Roxbury; also Lane park, Orchard road and Penniman road, Brighton, from July 19, 1924, to September 1, 1924.

PRICE FIXED FOR COPIES OF ZONING LAW.

Acting Mayor James Donovan approved the request of the City Planning Board for the sale of copies of the "Zoning Law" for the City of Boston, together with maps showing the classification in the different districts of the city.

At a meeting of the City Planning Board on Monday, June 23, it was

Voted, That with the approval of his Honor the Mayor, copies of the "Zoning Law" for the City of Boston, together with the accompanying maps, shall be sold by the City Planning Board on the basis of one dollar for each complete set; fifty cents for each separate copy of the law, and ten cents for each separate map,—the proceeds from such sale to be credited to General Revenue, City Planning Board.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending July 12, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 178; nonresidents, 25; total, 203.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.63; nonresidents deducted, 11.95.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: Last week, 11.82; corresponding week last year, 11.10.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 25; one year to five years, inclusive, 11; sixty years and over, 68; total deaths: male, 110; female, 93; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 117; deaths of colored, 6.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 12, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 14, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	37	3	71	4
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	1	—	—
Influenza.....	2	1	1	—
Measles.....	41	—	49	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	—	3	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	18	5	4	—
Scarlet fever.....	24	3	27	2
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	45	8	43	11
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	9	6	7	3
Typhoid fever.....	—	1	1	1
Whooping cough.....	9	—	16	3

* Residents and nonresidents included.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 26 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, i. e., adjacent to Boston, are these, viz., Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and 45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has

44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water District, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, viz., the Fire Prevention District, was organized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston," but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in

charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates, the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or \$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921, and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$346,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products; (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

CITIZENSHIP, BOTH SEXES, ALSO FAMILIES.

Native white citizens, 246,816; foreign born whites naturalized, 102,822; Negro citizens, 12,086; total citizens, 361,724. Foreign born whites remaining aliens, 118,214. Only 56.30 per cent of the citizens registered for voting purposes in 1920 (for City Election) and of the 203,666 who did register only 30.53 per cent voted. Coming to the final facts to be remembered, only 17.2 per cent of the citizens of Boston took part in electing the three members of the City Council and two members of the School Committee in 1920, these five candidates taking office at the will of only 8.3 per cent of the citizens, which was more than sufficient to elect. On the question of permitting Sunday Sports and Games, 10.9 per cent of the citizens voted in favor and 4.3 per cent against, 7.7 per cent being more than sufficient for a majority in favor. The City Election of 1920 reveals the most flagrant case of minority rule ever noted in Boston, not more than one-ninth of the women citizens being interested enough to vote.

Total families in 1920, 164,785 or 3,679 more than in 1915. As this shows a larger increase of families than of persons (i. e., 2,621) since 1915, here is another discrepancy that discredits the 1920 Census. As 4.63 represents the average number of persons to a family, 3,679 families would contain 17,034 persons. The U. S. Census of 1920 shows a net increase of only 2,621 persons since 1915.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, July 7, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., Coun. LANE, senior member, presiding. Absent, Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Watson.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the City Council the Mayor submitted the following appointments, viz.:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons Constables of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1925:

Samuel Goldmeier, 236 Bremen street, East Boston.

Gadson W. Davis, 92 Camden street, Boston.

Morris Askin, 109 Deering road, Mattapan.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint Thomas Hanley, 121 M street, South Boston, a Weigher of Coal and Measurer of Wood for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint John Gillis, 534 Saratoga street, East Boston, a Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Severally laid over under the law.

TRANSFER FOR ZONING SYSTEM.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The adoption of the Zoning Act has increased the labors of the Building Department, the Board of Appeal, and the Law Department to such an extent as to render necessary the employment of additional help and the expenditure of additional monies.

At the time of the adoption of the budget no provision was made to cover the cost of the necessary organization for the carrying out of the provisions of the Zoning Act. It accordingly becomes necessary that action be taken at once to provide the necessary machinery so that the provisions of the Zoning Act may be complied with.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, \$10,394.95, to the appropriation for Building Department, A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerks, 2 at \$1,200 per year, \$1,301.70; Supervisor, Construction, 1 at \$2,900 per year, \$1,573.25; A-2 Temporary \$2,900; B-1, Printing and Binding, \$900; B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$100; C-10, Library, \$320; total, \$7,094.95. Building Department, Board of Appeal, A-1, Permanent Employees, Members of Board, 5 at \$10 per day, \$3,000; Secretary, 1 at \$2 per hour, \$100; Stenographer and Clerk, 1 at \$1,400-\$1,500 (\$1,600) per year, \$50; B-2, Postage, \$80; D-1, Office, \$70; total, \$3,300; grand total, \$10,394.95.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

GREAT WHITE WAY, SHAWMUT AVENUE.

The following was received.

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, June 5, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith order adopted by your Board at a recent meeting and report thereon as submitted by the City Planning Board.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston.

City Planning Board, May 28, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—I return herewith, on behalf of the City Planning Board, order passed by the City Council at its meeting April 28 relative to the advisability of installing a Great White Way system of lighting in conjunction with the reconstruction of Shawmut avenue from Broadway to Roxbury street, and would say in reply that in the opinion of the City Planning Board such action at this time is neither warranted nor necessary.

Shawmut avenue throughout its entire length is approximately 60 feet in width. Present plans provide for the removal of the existing car tracks and paving of the roadway with a bitulithic surface. At the same time provision has been made for the substitution of the boulevard type of lamp for the goose-neck type now in use, and for the installation of thirteen additional lamps of the boulevard type at points between the existing lights between Castle and Roxbury streets, with still another lamp between Broadway and Tremont street, so that with the completion of this new installation Shawmut avenue should be adequately lighted throughout its entire length. Inasmuch as the conduits are already established and the base connection for a greater part can be utilized without any alteration, the expense for this new installation should not be excessive.

The City Planning Board would point out, however, that while the substitution and new installation of these boulevard lamps should be entirely adequate for the purpose they will not in any sense of the word constitute a "White Way."

Along that portion of Shawmut avenue from Broadway to Dover street, local business is increasing, but from Dover street southwesterly a greater part of the distance is still devoted to residential purposes,—single-family houses, lodging houses, apartments and hotels, with local business intermingled. In a letter to his Honor, dated April 24, 1924, the City Planning Board reported that "unless the residents and merchants in local districts are willing to bear the greater part of the expense, the establishment of White Ways in local districts are an expense which the city is not warranted in assuming."

The City Planning Board is of the opinion, therefore, that conditions on Shawmut avenue from Broadway to Roxbury street do not warrant a Great White Way, but they do believe that the substitution of the boulevard type of lamp with fourteen new additional lamps will prove entirely adequate and satisfactory for the requirements of the district.

Respectfully submitted,

THE CITY PLANNING BOARD.

E. M. HERLIHY,

Secretary.

Placed on file.

TRANSFER FOR BRIDGE SERVICE.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, June 19, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Upon the occasion of the consideration by the City Council of the budget for 1924-25 as adopted by the City Council and approved by the Mayor, a verbal agreement was entered into providing for the payment to drawtenders and assistant drawtenders in the service of the city when ill.

In accordance with the terms of this verbal agreement, I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, \$4,500, to the appropriation for Public Works Department, Bridge Service, A-3, unassigned, \$4,500.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

ABANDONMENT OF CITY YARD, JAMAICA PLAIN.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, June 2, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to forward herewith report of the Commissioner of Public Works, the same constituting reply to order of the City Council adopted under date of May 12, 1924.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston.

Public Works Department, May 24, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor.

In reply to the attached order in Council as to "whether or not it is possible, without seriously crippling the department business, to abandon the city yard on Child and Centre streets, Jamaica Plain, and dispose of the property." The yard referred to is located at the corner of Child and South streets and accommodates the activities of the Sewer, Water and Paving Services for the district of West Roxbury.

Its geographical location at one end of the district is not suitable for handling the work in his district properly, and for some time past the writer has been investigating a new location, preferably where a siding could be provided along a steam railroad and situated approximately near the center of the district. For this considerable amount would have to be provided by loan to buy land and construct suitable buildings, and until this is done there is no possibility of abandoning the present yard.

It was the intention of the writer, if the \$100,000 loan were made available this year, to include for the present Child street yard a \$30,000 garage, fronting on South street and replacing the present unsightly shanties, voting booth and other buildings which are now so offensive an appearance. The entrance to this garage would be entirely from Child street and within the yard, which would render the yard's appearance much less objectionable and be an architectural improvement to the neighborhood, and which would postpone the necessity of seeking quarters elsewhere.

There is no possibility of abandoning the present yard until such time as another one has been provided.

Yours respectfully,

J. A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

GAS LIGHTING, CHARLESTOWN.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to transmit herewith for the consideration of your Board contracts entered into between the City of Boston, through the Commissioner of Public Works, and the Charlestown Gas and Electric Company for furnishing gas and for the equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps in Charlestown for a ten-year period.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

(Accompanying the message was the contract referred to.)

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TRANSFER FOR SPRINKLER SYSTEM, HOSPITAL.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith communication from the Board of Trustees of the Boston City Hospital, requesting the transfer of \$399.08 within the department appropriation for the completion of the sprinkler system, and respectfully recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston.

Hospital Department, June 4, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—You will remember that there was considerable delay in completing the Thorndike Memorial Building, and as a consequence C. H. Cronin, who installed the sprinkler system throughout the hospital, was delayed several months in completing his contract, due to his inability to go into the Thorndike Building before it was accepted by the trustees. As a consequence Mr. Cronin made a claim for \$1,176.73. At a conference with Mr. Cronin this was adjusted to \$400.73.

The trustees believe that this sum justly belongs to Mr. Cronin, and respectfully request that \$399.08 be transferred from the appropriation, "City Hospital Improvements," to the appropriation "Sprinkler System, Main Hospital," which sum, plus the small balance remaining in the appropriation, will allow us

to make an addition to contract of C. H. Cronin to cover the adjusted claim.

Yours respectfully,
JOSEPH P. MANNING,
President, Board of Trustees.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 201 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for City Hospital, Improvements, \$399.08, to the appropriation for Sprinkler System, Main Hospital, \$399.08. Referred to the Executive Committee.

ACCEPTANCE OF CHAPTER 352, ACTS OF 1924.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 19, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit for acceptance by your honorable body chapter 352 of the Acts of 1924, as approved by his Excellency the Governor, under date of May 12, 1924, which act makes the necessary provision which will permit of the adoption of the building program as recommended by the Boston City Hospital Trustees.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That chapter 352 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing The City of Boston to Borrow and to Raise by Taxation Money for Hospital Purposes," be and the same hereby is accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LOAN FOR HOSPITAL BUILDINGS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 19, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The trustees of the Boston City Hospital about one year ago were authorized to employ architects to design plans for such buildings as might be required to meet present needs and in part anticipate future requirements.

The Legislature at the present session adopted a statute authorizing the expenditure of \$3,000,000 by the city to cover the cost of the building program as determined upon by the City Hospital Trustees. The Legislative Act provided that one third of the total be provided from the amount of money raised by taxation or within the borrowing power, the remaining two thirds to be raised outside of the debt-incurring power.

In conformity with the recommendations of the Boston City Hospital Trustees and in accordance with the provisions of the Legislative Act as adopted by the General Court of 1924, I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 352 of the Acts of 1924 the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the trustees of the Boston City Hospital for the erection of a maternity building, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 352 of the Acts of 1924 the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the trustees of the Boston City Hospital, for the erection of a maternity building, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount, the same to be issued outside the limit of indebtedness.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

WIDENING OF TREMONT AND KNEELAND STREETS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith an order providing for the acceptance of chapter 475 of the Acts of 1924, an act entitled

"An Act Authorizing the Laying Out, Widening and Construction of Tremont Street from Arlington Square to its intersection with Stuart Street in the City of Boston," and also an order providing that chapter 476 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the Laying Out, Widening and Construction of Kneeland Street from a point at or near Washington and Stuart Streets to Atlantic Avenue in the City of Boston," and I accordingly recommend the adoption of these orders by your honorable body.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That chapter 475 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the Laying Out, Widening and Construction of Tremont Street, from Arlington Square to Its Intersection with Stuart Street in the City of Boston," be and the same hereby is accepted.

Ordered, That chapter 476 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the Laying Out, Widening and Construction of Kneeland Street, from a Point at or near Washington and Stuart Streets to Atlantic Avenue in the City of Boston," be and the same hereby is accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Under the provisions of chapter 475 of the Acts of 1924 and chapter 476 of the Acts of 1924, the City of Boston is authorized to expend a total of \$2,400,000 for the relief of traffic congestion in down-town Boston. These acts provide for the laying out, widening, and construction of Tremont street and of Kneeland street, which widenings are vitally necessary, not alone for public convenience, but for the protection of the city in the matter of property values.

Chapter 475 and chapter 476 of the Acts of 1924 represent the initial steps in a street widening program which must ultimately be adopted regardless of cost.

The acts, as adopted, provide that ten per cent of the amount provided in the acts shall be expended from revenue within the debt limit or other sources of revenue. The acts further provide that the city be authorized to raise outside the debt limit the sum of \$2,400,000, and I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying orders making provision for the raising of such money as may be required within the debt limit or from other sources of revenue, and the amount necessary to be raised outside the debt limit.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$120,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated for the laying out, widening and construction of Tremont street, in accordance with chapter 475 of the Acts of 1924, and that the amount so appropriated be met from the revenue to be received under chapter 480, Acts of 1924.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 475 of the Acts of 1924 the sum of one million two hundred thousand dollars (\$1,200,000) be and the same hereby is appropriated, to be expended by the Board of Street Commissioners, for the laying out, widening and construction of Tremont street, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount, the same to be issued outside the limit of indebtedness.

Ordered, That the sum of \$120,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated for the laying out, widening and construction of Kneeland street, in accordance with chapter 476 of the Acts of 1924, and that the amount so appropriated be met from the revenue to be received under chapter 480, Acts of 1924.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 476 of the Acts of 1924 the sum of one million two hundred thousand dollars (\$1,200,000) be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Board of Street Commissioners, for the laying out, widening and construction of Kneeland street, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount, the same to be issued outside the limit of indebtedness.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

MERRY-GO-ROUND, RAINSFORD ISLAND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 23, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The Randridge Excursion Fund Income, which is expended annually for the benefit of the children of Boston, is insufficient to provide other than the boat ride and luncheon.

In the opinion of the Institutions Department Commissioner Dr. David J. Johnson, some form of amusement should be provided for the children participating in these outings. It is possible to secure a merry-go-round at a cost not in excess of \$1,500 which can be utilized for the benefit and recreation of the children, and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the Institutions Commissioner be authorized to expend a sum not in excess of \$1,500 for the purchase and maintenance of a merry-go-round to be used on Rainsford Island in connection with outings provided under the Randridge Trust Fund, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CLOSING OF FANEUIL HALL MARKET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith a petition from the lessees of Faneuil Hall Market asking that the market be closed at 3.30 p. m. on July 10, 1924, and I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That Faneuil Hall Market be closed on July 10, 1924, at 3.30 o'clock p. m. Referred to the Executive Committee.

TRANSFER FOR SEWER CONSTRUCTION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 19, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The failure of municipal authorities in the past to provide adequate protection from epidemics which might result as a consequence of the failure to develop sanitary sewerage conditions in the outlying section of the city, and as a consequence of the activity in the building line, it is imperative that immediate action be taken upon a sewerage construction program in the West Roxbury section of Boston.

At the recent session of the Legislature a measure was introduced authorizing the city to increase the amount to be expended for sewerage purposes inside the debt limit from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000, but the Legislature did not approve the act as presented by the municipal authorities.

The amount appropriated by the city within the debt limit was \$800,000, and in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works it is vitally necessary that this amount be increased to at least \$1,000,000. In his opinion, which I share, the interests of public health are paramount to public convenience, and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

The adoption of this order will make possible at a later time the transfer of \$200,000 to the Public Works Department for sewerage construction that otherwise would be expended for "Highways, Making of."

The privy system that has obtained from the beginning of our city in the so-called Germantown section of West Roxbury, and the open sewerage system known as Stony brook, have so long been a possible source of contagion that it is imperative that the matter receive immediate attention.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the right to borrow money for Highways, Making of, under the loan order passed March 18, 1924, and approved by the Mayor March 19, 1924, be limited to \$600,000, and that the authorization to borrow in excess of said amount for said purpose be and the same hereby is revoked.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

VARIOUS DEPARTMENT TRANSFERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston.
Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen,—Requests for transfers within department appropriations have been received and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying orders, so that the requests may be complied with.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Public Works Department:

From the appropriation for Paving Service, A-1, Permanent Employees, Foremen-Chauffeurs, 4 at \$1,800 per year, \$1,400, to the appropriation for Paving Service, A-1, Permanent Employees, Garage Superintendent, 1 at \$2,500 per year, \$1,400.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Soldiers' Relief Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerk, 1 at \$1,400-\$1,200 per year, \$400, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary, \$400.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriation for Fire Department, Fire Alarm:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Assistant Operator (Assistant Operator and Clerk), 1 at \$1,800-\$2,100 per year, \$1,179.34, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Operators, 1 (2) at \$2,100 per year, \$1,179.34.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Weights and Measures Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Sealer, 1 at \$3,500 per year, \$1,079.78, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Coal Inspector, 1 at \$1,800 per year, \$1,079.78.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PUBLICITY FOR PORT OF BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen,—The Maritime Division of the Boston Chamber of Commerce have arranged an intensive publicity program, the purpose of which is to acquaint America with the availability and desirability of utilizing in a larger measure the port of Boston.

The Chamber and private interests have raised a considerable sum of money and are desirous that the city co-operate to the extent of \$3,000.

Believing that an expenditure of this character for the purpose as set forth is a good business investment for the city, I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and hereby is authorized to co-operate with the Maritime Association of the Boston Chamber of Commerce in the matter of a publicity campaign, relative to the port of Boston, at an expense not to exceed \$3,000, said expense to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Fannie Cohen, for compensation for injuries caused by reason of omission of light at bath house on Commercial Wharf.

Charles Condubes, for compensation for damage to automobile, caused by ball thrown from Dorchester Avenue Playground.

Mrs. E. C. Glover, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Mrs. Hannah Horgan, for compensation for

injuries caused by an alleged defect in Warren street and Monument avenue.

Esther Krupnick, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 58 Spring street.

Grace E. Lewis, for compensation for damage to property at 112 Newbury street, caused by bursting of water meter.

Liberato Mastrolia, for compensation for damage to automobile and injuries caused by fire apparatus, near corner of Moore and Saratoga streets.

Robey-French Company, for compensation for broken window at 38 Bromfield street, caused by city team.

William Sinclair, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Brent street and Talbot avenue.

Mrs. Margaret R. Smith, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Commonwealth avenue.

Madeline D. Vitelli, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Blue Hill avenue.

Fred White, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect at Talbot avenue and Brent street.

Mrs. Woods, for compensation for damage to property at 53 Hillside street, Roxbury, caused by city men spraying trees.

Jitneys.

John F. G. Eichorn, for license to run jitneys from Copley Square Hotel to the Newton line.

JITNEY BOND.

The jitney bond of Jacob B. Herman was received and filed with the City Treasurer. Placed on file.

CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constables' bonds of Thomas F. Brett and Samuel Goldkrand.

Approved by the City Council.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearings on Monday, July 14, on various petitions for storage and sale of gasoline.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

AMENDMENTS TO STREET TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of various amendments to street traffic regulations.

Placed on file.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted, at 2.55 o'clock p. m., to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 4.12 o'clock p. m.

UNCLAIMED BAGGAGE.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Unclaimed Baggage, submitted a report on petition of the Boston & Maine Railroad (referred June 30) for sale of unclaimed baggage—recommending the passage of the following, viz.:

Ordered, That the Boston & Maine Railroad be hereby authorized to sell at public auction, on or before August 15, 1924, and after publication of the time and place of the sale, according to law, the articles left and remaining unclaimed in the possession of said railroad in the City of Boston.

Report accepted; order passed.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of \$4,500 to Public Works Department, Bridge Service—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

2. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of \$399.08 for Sprinkler System, Main Hospital—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

3. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) accepting chapter 352 of the Acts of 1924—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

4. Report on message of Mayor and two orders (referred today) for loans of \$500,000 and \$250,000, respectively, for City Hospital—that the orders ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the two orders were given their first reading and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

The orders will take their final readings not less than fourteen days from date.

5. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of \$1,500 for merry-go-round on Rainsford Island—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed; yeas 6, nays 0.

6. Report on order (referred June 16) for payment of annuity to widow of Thomas F. Lynch, fireman, as long as she remains unmarried—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

7. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) that Faneuil Hall Market be closed on July 10 at 3.30 o'clock p. m.—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed.

8. Report on message of Mayor and orders (referred today) recommending the passage of various department transfers—that the orders ought to pass.

Report accepted; orders passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

9. Report on communication from Street Commissioners (referred June 16), giving notice of hearings on petitions for licenses for storage and sale of gasoline—that the same be placed on file.

JITNEY LICENSE.

Coun. WALSH called up unfinished business, No. 4 viz.:

4. Action on granting license to Frank J. Buckley for jitneys from Copley square over Huntington avenue to Brookline line.

The question came on granting the license.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I would like information on that.

Chairman LANE—We had a report three weeks ago "Ought to pass," and the matter was then laid on the table and has been hanging along until this meeting. Coun. Walsh has now brought it up, and the question is now on the acceptance of the report and granting of the license.

Coun. WALSH—Mr. President, the reason I have called it up is that the petitioner, Mr. Buckley, is here now, and wants to get a train back to New York tonight.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, this is a proposed line between Boston and Providence, at a cost of two dollars for each trip. There are to be hourly trips, with a seat for every passenger. It has been in the committee now for about two months, and we voted at the last meeting of the committee to grant it. At our last regular meeting it was put over to this meeting. That is the whole data. Does Coun. Brickley want any further information?

Coun. BRICKLEY—Well, I don't feel that I am in a position to vote on it, Mr. President. I don't know anything about it. I like to feel sure of things before I vote. I would like to know what type of car they are going to run and what streets they are going over.

Coun. PURCELL—Just Copley square, through Huntington avenue and then right out of the city. They are not going to pick up passengers anywhere except at the Copley Plaza Hotel and let them off in Providence. I think they are Pierce-Arrow buses. Is that right, Mr. Buckley?

Mr. BUCKLEY—Yes.

Chairman LANE—The route is on the petition, which also says that it shall be a "de luxe type of coach holding from eighteen to twenty passengers and fully equipped both as to heat, light and safety appliances of modern design. From six to sixteen of these coaches will be utilized depending upon the patronage as the same develops." That is, I understand that if more coaches are needed they will be added.

Coun. MORIARTY—What is the rate of fare?

Chairman LANE—Two dollars.

Coun. MORIARTY—Round trip?

Chairman LANE—No. One way. Children twelve years and under, accompanied by parents, one dollar single trip.

Coun. WALSH—It is late in the season, and if the permit is not granted today they probably will not want it at all.
Report accepted; license granted.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

The President called up unfinished business, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor June 30, 1924, viz.:

1. Thomas A. Brannelly, Charles B. Palmer, Hector Palladino and Timothy Kelly, to be Constables.

2. Edward R. McNeil, Percy L. Dame, Thomas Hazlett, Carlton W. Ellms and Philip C. Shute, to be Weighers of Goods.

3. Martin J. Walsh, to be a Weigher of Coal and a Measurer of Wood and Bark.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Brickley and Walsh. Whole number of ballots cast 6, yeas 6, and the appointments were confirmed.

LOAN FOR NEW HOSPITAL BUILDING.

Coun. HEALEY called up unfinished business, No. 5, viz.:

5. Ordered, That the sum of \$500,000 be and hereby is appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the City Hospital Trustees for a new hospital building, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of the city to said amount.

On April 28, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I move that No. 5 be indefinitely postponed, inasmuch as the Mayor's hospital building program has been accepted and the Legislature has also taken action allowing us to appropriate \$500,000 for the building of a maternity hospital. While there is doubt as to the proper procedure, I think No. 5 should not receive its second reading. I therefore move that it be indefinitely postponed.

The order was indefinitely postponed.

OPENING OF COPLEY SCHOOL BATHS.

Coun. PURCELL offered an order—Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to investigate and report as to the reason the Copley School baths are not open.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. WALSH moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

THE NEXT MEETING.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I move that when we adjourn it be to meet two weeks from today at 2 p. m.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I would like to make a request. I will not be here two weeks from today. That will be the 21st of July. I am going to ask the consent of the Council that that \$3,000 order concerning the Chamber of Commerce be laid over until I return to the city. I am going to a convention in Montreal and will be there the twenty-first day of July. I am going to request that the order appropriating \$3,000 for the Chamber of Commerce stay on the table until my return.

Chairman LANE—The Council will take notice of that.

Coun. HEALEY—Is that a request or a demand?

Coun. MORIARTY—A request.

The motion that when the Council adjourn it be to meet on Monday, July 21, at 2 p. m. was carried.

Adjourned at 4.25 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, to meet on Monday, July 21, at two o'clock p. m.

LOCAL LABOR UNIONS.

On January 1, 1922, number of local unions reporting, 348, with 114,833 members (14,480 less than in 1921) or 101,745 men and 13,138 women. Percentage of local union members unemployed on March 31, 1921, 30.3; on June 30, 23.1; on September 30, 20.0; December 31, 24.8.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

DEPUTY INSPECTOR OF GAS METERS, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES, JULY 30, 1924.

The salary is \$1,200 per year. It is desirable that applicants have had experience in testing gas meters.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 7; report writing, 2; arithmetic, 2; accuracy test, 2; penmanship, 1; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 6; total, 20.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

ASSISTANT IN HYGIENE (NUTRITION), DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, JULY 30, 1924.

There are three vacancies at a salary of \$1,440 per year. The duties of this position are to conduct nutrition classes for children, assist at tuberculosis clinics for children, give talks to groups of mothers and children, and assist communities to start nutrition work.

It is desirable that applicants have a college degree in science, including courses in the physiology and chemistry of digestion and the problems of nutrition, and training in home economics.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

DIETITIAN, BOSTON SANATORIUM, JULY 31, 1924. REQUISITION IS FOR A FEMALE, BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES.

The salary is \$1,800 per year and maintenance.

Applicants must be not less than 30 years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The duties of this position are to have charge of the diet kitchen, which includes everything to do with food, from the ordering until it is eaten. It is desirable that applicants have had experience in such work.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Work completed to February 1, 1922, including the old salt water fireboat line installed in 1898, a total of 11.63 miles, comprising 13,081 feet 12-inch 28,808 feet 16-inch and 19,512 feet 20-inch pipe, with 310 hydrants, all of which are ready for use, being supplied by domestic high service at Tremont street, near West, from a 16-inch gated connection.

Total mileage of system to be 18.89, covering the business district in Ward 5 and a part of Ward 8; two pumping stations, located on Commercial street, corner Battery, and on Atlantic avenue, opposite Pearl street, are now in use.

Total loan appropriations authorized \$1,000,000, all of which had been expended by 1920, when an additional appropriation of \$300,000 (from Tax Levy) was provided for building pumping stations. After the expenditure of the latter, another loan, viz. \$120,000, was issued in 1921 for completing the stations and other unfinished work.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS FINANCED FROM GENERAL INCOME INSTEAD OF LOANS.

In the five fiscal years, 1916 to 1920, inclusive, the total expenditures from General Income for various improvements (such as were formerly financed from loans) amounted to \$10,012,613, or \$5,588,187 for streets, sidewalks, and bridges; \$3,215,147 for new schoolhouses, etc., \$526,501 for parks, playgrounds, etc., and \$682,778 for other objects.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR RECUR GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN CONGRESS STREET, FROM FRANKLIN STREET TO ATLANTIC AVENUE; HIGH STREET, FROM FEDERAL STREET TO SUMMER STREET; KINGSTON STREET, FROM SUMMER STREET TO No. 24.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for recur granite block pavement in Congress street, from Franklin street to Atlantic avenue; High street, from Federal street to Summer street; Kingston street, from Summer street to No. 24. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Recur Granite Block Pavement, Congress Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, July 30, 1924, with a certified check for one thousand (1,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears in the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PLASTERING, BRICK AND CARPENTER WORK.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for laying up a brick dado, plastering walls and ceiling and all carpenter work incidental to finishing inside of Engine House 12, Dudley street, Roxbury, and giving a bond of surety company thereof in the sum of 25 per cent of proposal. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioner, signed by the bidder and left before 12 m. Wednesday, July 30, 1924, at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston, with a certified check for \$400 payable to the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time mentioned for the opening of the bids. Proposals must be marked "Proposal for Finishing Engine 12." The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids. A deposit of \$15 in cash will be required for each set of drawings and specifications taken for estimating purposes from the office of the Commissioner and obtainable at said office on July 18, 1924, such sum to be refunded provided the drawings and specifications are returned.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.
(July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN WELD STREET, PARKVALE ROAD, WILLOWDEAN AVENUE AND REALTON ROAD, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Weld street, Parkvale road, Willowdean avenue and Realton road, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Weld street, Parkdale road, Willowdean avenue and Realton road, West Roxbury," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, August 6, 1924, with a certified check for one thousand (1,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 17, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land on the south-westerly side of Heath street, Roxbury district, supposed to belong to Frederick Bleiler, and bounded by Heath street, Cranford street, Floyd street extension, and Board of Survey street No. 1349, excluding the Jefferson School property of the City of Boston, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of August 5, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(July 19-26.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN CLAYMOSS ROAD, EUSTON ROAD, RANSOM ROAD, BRIGHTON; HOLLINGSWORTH STREET, DORCHESTER; STRATFORD STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 3,000 feet of 8-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Claymoss road, Euston road, Ransom road, Brighton; Hollingsworth street, Dorchester; Stratford street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Claymoss Road, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, July 29, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

STREET LIGHTING CONTRACTS.

CITY OF BOSTON,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK.
July 16, 1924.

The City Council of the City of Boston will give a public hearing in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday, July 28, 1924, at 3 o'clock p. m., on the proposed contracts with the Charlestown Gas and Electric Company for furnishing gas for street lighting and for the equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the Charlestown District for a period of ten years.

By order of the City Council.
JAMES DONOVAN,
City Clerk.
(July 19-26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR REPRODUCING GRAND ELECTRIC PIANO FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing and delivering, in accordance with specifications, a reproducing grand electric piano for use in the public schools. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, August 4, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$100, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Each proposal should be plainly marked "Proposal for Reproducing Grand Electric Piano." The bid must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The bidder awarded the contract will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for such sum as the Business Agent of the School Committee may determine, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept such bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HAY, GRAIN AND STRAW.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 o'clock m., Tuesday, July 29, 1924, when they will be publicly opened and read for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during the month of August, 1924. The bidder must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on United States, New York, No. 2 and No. 3 Timothy hay, United States, New York, No. 2 and No. 3 light grass mixed and United States, New York, No. 2 and No. 3 light clover mixed, the straw to be rye straw in good condition. The grade of hay must comply with the Federal hay grades and straw must comply with the National Hay Association and shall be weighed and inspected by the Federal hay inspector. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, clipped to test 36 to 38 pounds, graded under the Federal standards. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one-quarter the total amount of bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interest of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. No reservations or stipulations will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Institutions Department, Penal Division, Deer Island, dry goods as per proposals. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Friday, July 25, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one-quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(July 19.)

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEAT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments during August, 1924, as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one-quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 noon, Tuesday, July 29, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN NEW ENGLAND AVENUE, FROM TALBOT AVENUE TO MASSASOIT AVENUE, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one-half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in New England avenue, from Talbot avenue to Massasoit avenue, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in New England Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, July 31, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN LESTON STREET FROM MORTON STREET TO WOOLSON STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one-half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Leston street from Morton street to Woolson street, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Leston Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, August 1, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

AUCTION SALE.

By vote of the School Committee, and on order from the Schoolhouse Department, I will sell at public auction, on Tuesday, July 22, 1924, at 11 o'clock, on the premises, the property known as the Smith Street School, located on Smith street, Roxbury District, Ward 14. There are 6,952 square feet of land, more or less, and a frame building which might be remodeled. Terms: \$300 cash; deposit at time of sale; balance in thirty days.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
(July 19.) 28 School Street, Boston, Mass.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN WESLEY STREET, BETWEEN HYDE STREET AND PREBLE STREET, SOUTH BOSTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Wesley street, between Hyde street and Preble street, South Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seventeen hundred (1,700) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Wesley Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, July 24, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred seventy (170) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE WALKS AND GRADING AT CENTRAL SQUARE, EAST BOSTON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for concrete walks and grading at Central square, East Boston. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Concrete Walks and Grading at Central Square, East Boston," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, July 31, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$3,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman.
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(July 19-26.) Commissioners.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING FLYING CAGE AT FRANKLIN PARK ZOO.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for painting flying cage at Franklin Park Zoo. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineers' office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "For Painting Flying Cage at Franklin Park Zoo," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, July 31, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,000, of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(July 19-26.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN MILL STREET, BETWEEN VICTORY ROAD AND GREENHILL STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Mill street, between Victory road and Greenhill street, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of sixteen hundred (1,600) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Mill Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, August 4, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

The Board of Street Commissioners in accordance with chapter 393 of the Acts of 1906 has passed orders for the laying out and construction of the following highways:

BRIGHTON.

Blanford road (formerly Colonial road), from Melton road northwesterly;
Nottingham road (formerly Nottingham road), from Melton road for its entire length.

WEST ROXBURY.

Ifley road, from Washington street to Walnut avenue.

Notice is hereby given that the Public Works Department is about to do the work contemplated in said order, and that all work to be done in said highways by all persons or corporations having rights in the same to lay or repair either sewer, gas, water or other pipes must be done before Saturday, August 23, 1924, as after that time no permits for openings will be granted until two years after said highways are completed.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSAL FOR UPRIGHT PIANOS FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing and delivery at school buildings, in accordance with specifications, upright pianos for use in the public schools. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, August 4, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$100, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Each proposal should be plainly marked "Proposal for Upright Pianos." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, and the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The bidder awarded the contract will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for a sum not exceeding 30 per cent of the contract, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(July 19.)

ABSENTEE VOTING AT STATE ELECTIONS.

By Chapter 289, General Acts of 1919, any registered voter absent from home at election time may vote by mailing an "official absent voting ballot" previously applied for and obtained from the Election Commissioners, to the lat-

ter so as to be received before the polls close. Said ballot must be marked by the voter privately but within the observation of an official authorized to administer oaths, and of no other person, in a municipality which is separated by at least two municipalities from that in which he is registered. The voter

must make affidavit before said official, enclose ballot in official envelope and mail same on or before day of election.

Of 868 Absentee ballots mailed to Election Dept., on or before Nov. 2, 1920, 570 were counted, 10 were rejected and 288 were uncounted because not received until after closing of polls.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN BOLSTER STREET, BETWEEN MOZART STREET AND WYMAN STREET, ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Bolster street, between Mozart street and Wyman street, Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eighteen hundred (1,800) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Bolster Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, July 24, with a certified check for one hundred eighty (180) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR RESETTling DRAW TRACK, NORTHERN AVENUE BRIDGE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing materials and resetting the draw track of Northern Avenue Bridge and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, on and after Monday, July 21, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Resetting Draw Track, Northern Avenue Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, July 29, 1924, with a certified check for seven hundred (700) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal, after acceptance, is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN ETHEL STREET, BETWEEN AUGUSTUS AVENUE AND MALVERNA ROAD, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Ethel street, between Augustus avenue and Malverna road, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seventeen hundred (1,700) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Ethel Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, July 25, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR RECUTTING AND REDRESSING OLD GRANITE BLOCKS.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for recutting and redressing old granite blocks. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-five hundred (2,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Recutting and Redressing Old Granite Blocks," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, July 25, 1924, with a certified check for seven hundred (700) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

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Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT OR BITULITHIC PAVEMENT IN HOLTON STREET, FROM FRANKLIN STREET TO EVERETT STREET, BRIGHTON; PERKINS STREET FROM CENTRE STREET TO JAMAICAWAY, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Holton street, from Franklin street to Everett street, Brighton; Perkins street from Centre street to Jamaicaaway, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of nine thousand (9,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sheet Asphalt or Bitulithic Pavement, Holton street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Monday, July 28, 1924, with a certified check for one thousand (1,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

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Boston, July 17, 1924. (July 19.)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR, MATERIALS, ETC., NECESSARY TO CLEAN ABOUT 63,050 LINEAR FEET OF 6, 8, 12 AND 16 INCH WATER PIPES IN BRIGHTON AND ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing all labor, materials, etc., necessary to clean about 63,050 linear feet of 6, 8, 12 and 16 inch water pipes in Brighton and Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Cleaning Water Pipes, Brighton and Roxbury," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m., on Friday, July 25, 1924, with a certified check for one thousand (1,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen, in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being abolished. For these was substituted a

single City Council of nine members to be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, *i. e.*, whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, *i. e.*, establishing a single term of four years, but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (*i. e.*, the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor which licensees claimed the right to sell was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on June 7, 1920. The result of this decision

was that former applicants for liquor licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (*i. e.*, prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topeka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

SETTLEMENT OF BOSTON.

Boston was settled in the latter part of August, 1630, by Puritan colonists under Governor John Winthrop. The name of the original settlement was changed to Boston from Trimountaine by order of the Court of Assistants on September 7 (O. S.), 1630. This date was moved forward by the New Style calendar in 1752 to Sept. 17, the recognized date of the founding of Boston. The name, Trimountaine, had been given because of the three peaks of the most prominent hill, afterward called Beacon Hill, much higher then than now. By the Indians the place was called Shawmut. The name, Boston, was derived from the English town of Boston in Lincolnshire, the home of some of the leading colonists and promoters of the enterprise.

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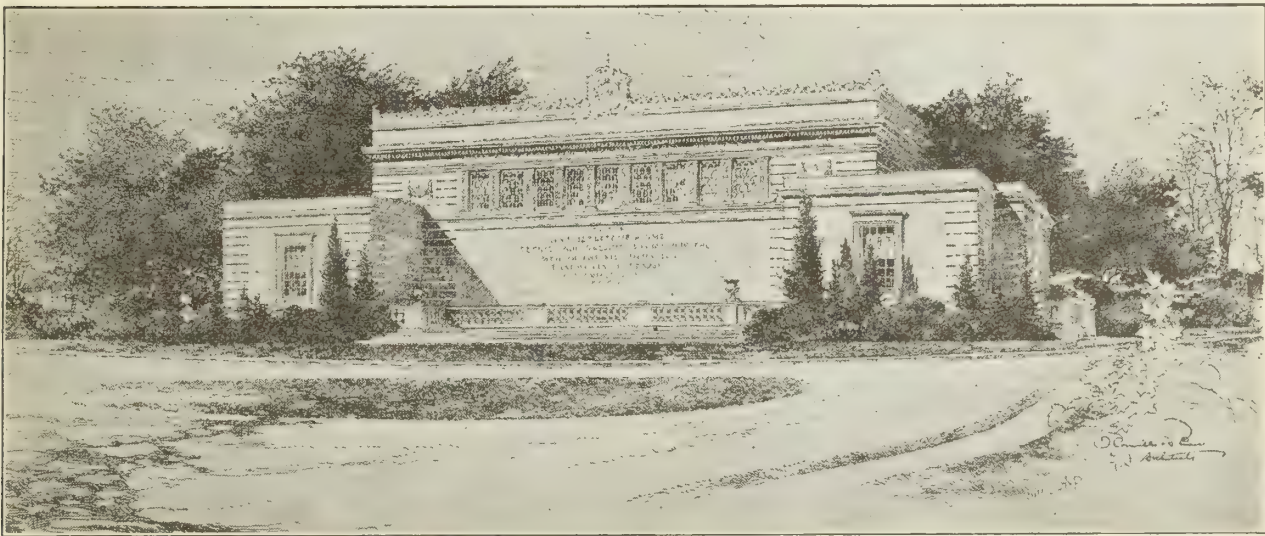
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CORNERSTONE FOR NEW FIRE ALARM STATION IN FENWAY LAID BY MAYOR CURLEY WITH BEFITTING CEREMONY.

PREDICTS, BEFORE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS AND GUESTS, THAT SYSTEM WILL HANDLE SIGNALS FOR ENTIRE CITY FOR NEXT FIFTY YEARS.—BUILDING OF SUCH ARTISTIC BEAUTY AS TO INCREASE ATTRACTIVENESS OF DISTRICT.



NEW HOME FOR BOSTON'S FIRE SIGNAL OPERATORS FORMALLY BEGUN IN FENWAY BY LAYING OF CORNERSTONE BY HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, MAYOR OF BOSTON, THURSDAY, JULY 24.

Mayor James M. Curley Thursday afternoon laid the corner stone for the new fire alarm station in the Fenway, opposite Westland avenue, following an address in which he informed a large number of visiting chiefs that the station will handle the fire alarm signals of metropolitan Boston for the next fifty years.

The station, which will blend with the other beautiful building in the Fenway, will cost more than \$600,000 to construct and equip.

Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn, as master of ceremonies, introduced Rev. Daniel D. Ryan, who offered prayer for the officers and men of the fire fighting force.

Alfred Davenport, ex-president of the Boston Board of Fire Underwriters, spoke of the need for the new station.

Among the papers placed in the copper box inside of the stone was a statement by Commissioner Glynn, which follows:

"For over thirty years the Fire Alarm Signal Station of the Boston Fire Department has been located in the Headquarters Building of the Boston Fire Department, Bristol street, Ward 6, a building located in the most hazardous section of the city, surrounded by lum-

ber yards, woodworking and milling plants, and many other hazardous buildings. The Fire Headquarters Building has been threatened on several occasions by serious fires in the vicinity, the most notable occasion being in August, 1910, when a general alarm fire destroyed buildings on two sides of the Headquarters Building. In this fire the repair shop of the Fire Department, a large three-story brick building adjoining the Headquarters Building, was completely destroyed. Previous to that fire there was talk of a new fire alarm station. After that fire there were more recommendations, but no action.

"His Honor Mayor James M. Curley, appreciating the importance of uninterrupted service in the fire alarm system and becoming aware of the exposure of the fire alarm station to serious hazards, issued instructions to the Fire Commissioner to make a study of the matter and report to him at an early date. After the report was submitted Mayor Curley selected a site in the Fenway, at Westland avenue for the erection of a modern fire alarm signal station. This site was selected because the building could be isolated from all other construction and hazards. Mayor Curley provided a special appropriation of \$650,-

000 to erect and equip the signal station, and gave orders that no expense was to be spared to make the building as fireproof as possible, to erect it in harmony with its surroundings, and to equip it with the most up-to-date machinery.

"It is significant to mention here that the first electric fire alarm system in the world was constructed and installed by the City of Boston, and the first alarm of fire was received over this system at 8.25 p. m. April 29, 1852.

"On July 24, 1924, his Honor Mayor James M. Curley, laid the corner stone of a new fire alarm signal station, a building and equipment which surpasses any fire alarm station in the world."

Among the guests and members of the Boston Fire Department who were present were Police Commissioner Herbert A. Wilson and his secretary, John Merrick; Assistant Chief Daniel F. Sennott, Deputy Chiefs Henry A. Fox, Albert J. Caulfield, District Chief William McCorkle, Supt. of Fire Alarm George L. Fickett and his assistant, Richard Donoghue, all of the Boston Fire Department; Superintendent Henry A. Thompson, Boston Protective Department; Chiefs James Casey of Cambridge; David De-

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, July 28, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of

trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination

MAYOR SCORES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION FOR ENTIRELY CLOSING HARVARD BRIDGE.

The Mayor issued the following statements on July 18, on learning of the closing of Harvard Bridge.

The action of the Metropolitan District Commission in closing to public travel the Harvard Bridge, one of the main arteries between Boston and Cambridge, and the principal artery for travel from Boston to the West, for, as they term it, a period of six months, will prove of tremendous injury to the interests of both Boston and Cambridge.

The promise of the commission that the work will be completed by December is rather hard to believe in view of the tardy character of conduct of work in connection with the Quincy-Boston Bridge, the construction of which has been under consideration for a period of eight years and in process of construction for nearly two years and is as yet uncompleted for through travel in both directions.

It has always been the policy of the Engineering Division of the City of Boston to build a temporary structure for the convenience of pedestrians and vehicles whenever major repairs or replacement of a bridge was being conducted and it has been found not only sound business policy but the only intelligent method of conducting work of this character.

Regardless of cost the Metropolitan District Commission, in the interests of public convenience and business, should either provide a temporary structure or make provision for the use of a portion of the Harvard Bridge during the period of reconstruction.

of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

BASEBALL CLUBS THANK MAYOR FOR TROPHY CUP.

His Honor the Mayor on July 18 received the following communication from the officers of the Inter-City League:

JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR MR. CURLEY,—The following clubs in the Inter-City League, Harlen Catholic Club of South Boston; Tigers and Eagle A. A. of North End; Mulhern Club of Dorchester; Sunnysides A. C. of Hyde Park; Boys' Club of Boston, including Charlestown; Roxdor B. B. C. of Roxbury; St. Stanislaus M. C. of Chelsea; Spruce A. C. of Chelsea; Lawrence Harps of Lawrence; Mohawk A. C. of Everett; Joyce Brothers of Lynn; Eastern A. A. of Malden; Hunting Club of Malden; Fellsmere C. C. of Malden; the Sumner Club of Medford; Hillsides of Revere; Atlantic A. A. of Revere; Oxford A. C. of Revere; Winter Hill Associates of Somerville; St. Joseph's J. H. N. S. of Wakefield; Pilgrim Club of Watertown; Riverdale A. C. of Wellesley; Marshall B. C. of Winthrop, and the Crystal A. C. of East Boston, unite in extending their sincere thanks to you for giving this league the beautiful "Mayor's Trophy" for the league champions.

With the kindest of best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

JOSEPH F. LEAHY,
Secretary-Treasurer.

JOHN FRANK KEATING,
President.

BENTON J. REEHLE,
Vice President.

MAYOR CURLEY STARTS BALL ROLLING TO EASE UNEMPLOYMENT SITUATION AND ACCOMPANYING DISTRESS.

CALLS ON HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS FOR STRICTEST ECONOMY AND THE SPEEDING UP OF WORK ON WHICH CITY IS PLANNING TO ENGAGE.

Boston must be ready to relieve distress caused by unemployment, Mayor Curley told his department heads at a meeting this week. Opportunity to work must be provided those who flock to the city with no means of livelihood, and the hand of charity must be extended to those migrants who are ill or unable to work, according to the Mayor. To that end he insisted that the departments save at least 20 per cent on their appropriations, other than for labor, so that the Soldiers' Relief, Hospital and Penal Departments may recoup their fast-vanishing funds, and that all plans for construction, buildings, streets and sewers be speeded up in the interest of labor.

At the meeting the Mayor declared that the Republican Party provided a high tariff which had hitherto benefited the industrial establishments of New England in times like these; but unfortunately the party had provided for no foreign policy to take up the excess production of American goods and unprecedented depression had affected Lawrence, Lowell, Haverhill, Newburyport, Fall River and New Bedford.

Already the municipal departments had felt the strain and were spending money so fast that additional funds would have to be provided.

"It is a fact," the Mayor said, "that when business is poor outside Boston, thousands of laborers flock to the city and become public charges. We must take care of these people the best we can, and if you departments heads do your duty we shall be able to provide, not only employment, but the aid of charity to thousands of persons who otherwise would suffer for long periods."

"There has seldom been a period when the Deer Island House of Correction and the Long Island Hospital and Almshouse have been so crowded. At Long Island there are 1,000 patients and at Deer Island between 700 and 750. The hospitals are also feeling the stress. The Overseers of the Public Welfare expect to have a shortage of \$200,000 and the Soldiers' Relief Department, \$50,000.

"So, gentlemen, you see that we must cut everything to the bone," the Mayor exclaimed. "We must save enough money to keep our charities and our hospitalization going till the end of the year. I shall not approve any recommendations unless they are vitally necessary. I believe it is possible to save from \$500,000 to \$600,000 in departmental work, and you will be convinced of it if you consider the reports I have received of the lower costs of the necessities and the capital expenditures made last year."

Reading from typewritten reports, Mayor Curley spoke of the reduction in the cost of coal to the city, from 7 to 20 per cent over last year; a similar reduction in the price of crushed stone, asphalt oil, paving blocks and bricks; a saving of from 6 to 11 per cent in milk supplies; a saving of 2 per cent in

lumber. All these savings indicated approximately \$10,000 up to the present. Furthermore, the Mayor declared that many improvements which the department heads consider necessary can undoubtedly be delayed. For instance, everybody could get along with the present vehicles.

To supplement his statement of costs, the Mayor called upon Frank P. Rock, Superintendent of Supplies, who gave a summary of the city purchases. Fuel for the departments has been provided until next May and fuel oil until October 1. Flour purchases will last until November 1 and general food consignments, which are bought from time to time, are expected to be higher in the fall.

This report led the Mayor to declare that "there has been a lot of stupidity at Washington to allow conditions to go on as they are without taking means to correct them." He feared that affairs may grow worse rather than better, and it was the city's duty to have every bit of her resources ready.

General John H. Dunn, head of the Soldiers' Relief Department, spoke for co-operation among the departments in the matter of employment of men who appeal to him for relief, and the Mayor asked Luke E. Shields, director of the Municipal Employment Bureau, to see to it that such cooperation is afforded, with the assistance of the Civil Service Commission.

When Dr. David J. Johnson, Commissioner of Institutions, was asked about conditions in the harbor, he indicated the growth of Deer Island and was asked by the Mayor to get in touch with Chief Justice Bolster and the chief probation officer to see if more persons could not be sent to the State Farm or placed on probation.

Public Works Commissioner Joseph A. Rourke volunteered the information that if the Cambridge street widening could start after the usual sixty days' notice for vacating buildings had been posted, much labor could be provided for this winter.

The Mayor then asked Chairman John H. L. Noyes of the Street Laying-out Department when this notice could be ready and the reply was early next month. The Mayor spoke of the unfortunate falling-off in building operations, 25 per cent less than two months ago and 20 per cent less than a year ago, and Chairman Noyes suggested that the zoning law was largely responsible. The Mayor would not admit it, replying that construction conditions were the same throughout the country.

Colonel Thomas F. Sullivan, chairman of the Boston Transit Department, was asked as to the progress in plans for the Dorchester tunnel, and he replied that they were ready with the exception of two changes to be made in track locations, the beginning of the project resting with the Elevated Trustees. In a month, the first section would be ready for advertising. The Mayor then asked James F.

Jackson, president of the Elevated Trustees, to do all he could toward facilitating the plans.

For the Schoolhouse Commission, Chairman Thomas P. Glynn reported the plans for the new Mather School would be ready for advertising next month and that one school would be advertised every two weeks thereafter.

Chairman James B. Shea of the Park Department was asked to hasten the \$100,000 additional work on the Strandway, South Boston, and Dr. Edmund W. Wilson, assistant superintendent of the City Hospital, was asked to see that the plans for the new maternity building are ready within three weeks.

Building Commissioner John H. Mahony informed the Mayor that the new Police Headquarters building seemed "dormant." He had no idea what was causing the delay. As for the new municipal buildings in Brighton and Dorchester, the plans ought to be ready for fall construction, he declared. Turning to Commissioner Rourke, the Mayor asked him to have plans ready for the Stony Brook extension and the Germantown sewer works at the earliest possible time.

When Chairman John F. O'Brien of the Boston Sanatorium explained that the plans for the out-patient department on East Concord street had been held up because of the failure of the law department to render a decision as to how far the trustees could go, Corporation Counsel E. Mark Sullivan was asked to explain the delay, which he did by saying that Mr. O'Malley, one of his assistants, had the matter in charge. The Mayor asked him to see that the decision was made at once.

The meeting dissolved after the Mayor had given a final warning as to economy, making it plain that there can be no more overtime work and that all municipal employees must be at work eight hours a day.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner for authority to repair macadam roadway in Lincoln street, Dorchester, from Dorchester avenue to Adams street, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$900.

Also to repair macadam roadway in D street, South Boston, from Claffin street to First street, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$5,000.

Also to repair macadam roadway in Business street, Hyde Park, from River street to Hyde Park avenue, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$7,500.

CANAL ZONE SWIMMERS GIVE EXHIBITION.

Exhibition by the red, white and blue juvenile swimmers from the Canal Zone was given at 3.30 p. m. Friday, July 25, at the Charles River Basin. Points, fancy diving and swimming.

The children are residents of Zone and of government employees working there. They are to visit the President immediately after this week.

Mayor Curley presented a beautiful cup as trophy to the troupe following the events.

NEW FIRE ALARM STATION.

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Courcay, Winchester; Frank Tracey, Woburn, and Selden B. Allen, Brookline.

Mayor Curley, speaking at the laying of the cornerstone of the new fire alarm signal station, said in part:

"In laying of the cornerstone of the building which is to be the headquarters of the Fire Alarm Signal System of the City of Boston, we are giving substance to a long contemplated plan of securing safety and protection for the very brain center of the Boston Fire Department; and applying to the department itself the theory and reason for its existence—the safeguarding of life and property—by the elimination of the dangers of a congested industrial area and the prevention by isolation of the destruction of the nerves that control and direct the militant activities of the department.

For long years this headquarters has been housed and stationed in South End; but the great industrial development of that district, and particularly the expansion of the wood-working industries, has multiplied the fire hazards and made it imperatively necessary to remove from these potential dangers the instrumentality controlling and directing the whole city's prevention and protective energies.

This structure when completed and fully equipped with the best and latest fire-signal apparatus that America knows, will represent the most modern and efficient fire alarm signal station on this continent, and that means the world. The building will be a combination of architectural beauty and practical efficiency; its isolation from the crowded centers insures its safety from the fire hazards of such neighborhoods; its surroundings of beautiful open spaces will add to the attractiveness of the structure and have their effect upon the pride and *esprit de corps* of the men serving here.

The cost of this enterprise when fully completed will be \$650,000; but its value in the safety it promises and the security it gives to all the workings of the department is hard to compute. The destruction of the fire alarm signal system would mean the disorganization of the whole Fire Department, and the presence of dangers and difficulties in the protection of life and property none of us cares to face. That threat hangs over the headquarters at all times in its present site and is a cause of anxiety and a stimulus to great precaution; and the completion of this building, its equipment and functioning will give the Boston Fire Department a sense of safety and a feeling of security it has never had in full measure in all these years.

So it is with singular pleasure that I come here today to lay the foundation stone of a structure that represents a promise and a pledge of a great safety and a surer protection for the lives and interests of this great community. This enterprise is Boston's contribution to the principle of preparedness, to the wisdom of getting ready in the days of safety for the future days of danger, the danger that is seldom absent from the life of a great city.

This building will be the watch-tower of the guardians of Boston's lives and property; from here its network of nerves will spread over the whole city, keeping

it in intimate touch with every spot in the city by day and night; its service constant, tireless, sleepless, ready when fire and danger threaten to call the protectors of life and property to instant action. This structure, its unsurpassed apparatus and the men who constitute its garrison, will represent to the city the unceasing vigilance that united with the discipline, courage and splendid spirit of the members of the Fire Department carries confidence and security to every citizen in the community and a pledge of protection to every house and home.

MAYOR STARTS INJUNCTION PROCEEDINGS AGAINST PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO HALT TELEPHONE RATE INCREASES.

Mayor Curley sent the following communication July 21 to the Corporation Counsel, Hon. E. Mark Sullivan:

DEAR SIR,—The action of the Public Utilities Commission of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in granting certain increases in telephone rates to the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company before the completion of the hearing conducted by you as Corporation Counsel, representing the people of Boston, and the chief executives of numerous Massachusetts cities, I had hoped and believed would result in a recommendation to the Governor's Council for the removal of the commission by his Excellency the Governor, Hon. Channing H. Cox.

The failure of his Excellency to file charges seeking the removal of the Public Utilities Commission of the Commonwealth leaves but one course open for the present, provided the interests of the people of Boston and the surrounding cities and towns are to be protected, namely, the filing of a petition seeking to enjoin the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company from putting into operation the proposed increases in telephone rates.

A more flagrant or insulting action to my knowledge has never been taken by any Board in the history of the Commonwealth. The City Council of Boston appropriated \$5,000 to conduct the present investigation which has been in process for more than a month and this action by the city was only taken when it became apparent that the Public Utilities Commission were considering the interests of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and disregarding the public welfare.

The attorneys for the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company to the present time have failed to present adequate evidence to support the increased rates now granted by the State Public Utilities Commission. The City of Boston and other objectors have been denied a hearing upon these particular rate increases which have been granted.

You are accordingly directed to file at once a petition seeking to enjoin the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company from putting into operation the increase in telephone rates granted by the State Public Utilities Commission to the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for plastering, brick and carpenter work in Engine House No. 12, Dudley street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 30, at 12 m.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing labor and materials for six hydraulic type and two automatic elevators in various stations. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the City Hospital Superintendent. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 5, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for painting flying cage at Franklin Park Zoo. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for concrete walks and grading at Central square, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 31, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for resetting draw tracks of the Northern Avenue Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$700, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 29, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for sheet asphalt or bitulithic pavement in Holden street, from Franklin street to Everett street, Brighton; Perkins street, from Centre street to Jamaica way West Rox-

bury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$9,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, July 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for recut granite block pavement in Congress street, from Franklin street to Atlantic avenue; High street, from Federal street to Summer street; Kingston street, from Summer street to No. 24. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, July 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for granite block pavement in Neponset avenue, from Minot street to Neponset Bridge approach, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 5, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in New England avenue, from Talbot avenue to Massasoit avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, July 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Leston street, from Morton street to Woolson street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, August 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Mill street, between Victory road and Greenhill street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,600. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Weld street, Parkvale road,

Willowdean avenue and Realton road, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, August 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Public Alley No. 544, between Public Alley No. 543 and Carleton street, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, August 7, 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipe in Claymoss road, Eustis road, Ranscm road, Brighton; Hollingsworth street, Dorchester; Stratford street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Poydras street and Tchaptoulas street, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 4, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for reproducing grand electric piano for Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount satisfactory to the business agent of the School Committee. Blank form for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, Business Agent, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing upright pianos for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 30 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office.

Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals from second-hand typewriting machine dealers and junk dealers, etc., for the purchase of machines at the several buildings. The successful bidder will be required to pay in full for the machines before they are removed. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, August 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering typewriters for use of the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 30 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, August 6, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for building a stone wall, fence and grading yard at the Grant School, Phillips street, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, August 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, in all trades, an intermediate school in the Mather District, Charles street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 109, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$20,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 12, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city

departments for the month of August. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, July 29, at 12 m.

Advertisers for proposals for furnishing groceries and canned goods to the Boston City Hospital and Long Island Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, August 1, at 12 m.

MAYOR CURLEY ISSUES PROCLAMATION ASKING CITIZENS TO WELCOME MEMBERS OF G. A. R.

To the Citizens of Boston.

The National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held in Boston during the week of August 10-16. Massachusetts was the first to answer the call of Lincoln in '61 and during this Encampment Boston will see the heroic survivors of the Union Armies and Navies organized as the Grand Army of the Republic marching our streets in military array for probably the last time. The ranks of this glorious body are dwindling rapidly; they are passing into history and memory before the onslaughts of a foe more irresistible than the forces of rebellion; and while they still remain they are deserving of the gratitude, honor and respect of the Republic they served so well.

I ask my fellow citizens to place their homes and buildings in festival attire during Encampment Week by a display of the national and state flags and by decorations of bunting and colored draperies and appropriate insignia that will say to the veterans they are in the city of their friends.

I appeal to you to supplement in your private capacity the official hospitality extended to the visiting veterans by the Commonwealth and City of Boston. The parade of the veterans will take place Tuesday, August 12, and a trip to historic Lexington and Concord is scheduled for Thursday, August 14.

All the delegates to the Encampment are aged; many are infirm; some are disabled and cannot march; the weather of mid-August is hot and trying. I suggest to patriotic Boston that it send its motor cars to take care of these heroic old men on these two occasions and I feel that I am not appealing in vain. I ask you to get in touch with Capt. Fred Bolton, chairman of the official committee, at Room 305, City Hall, in order that proper arrangements can be made.

Let our slogan be "They marched for us in '61. Let them ride with us today."

Make their visit a memorable one.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

BOSTON WASHES HANDS OF REPAIRING OF HARVARD BRIDGE AND ITS CLOSING.

MAYOR INFORMS METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION THAT CITY HAS NO JURISDICTION AT PRESENT AND WILL STOP REPAIRS ON ROADWAY AS WELL AS DRAWTENDERS SERVICES.

Mayor Curley sent the following letter July 22:

MR. JAMES A. BAILEY, Chairman Metropolitan District Commission, State House, Boston, Mass.

DEAR SIR,—Upon receipt of communication from the Metropolitan District Commission relative to Harvard Bridge, I communicated with the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston who has furnished me with certain information with reference to Harvard Bridge and which information is contained in a letter, copy of which I am inclosing to you.

I share the views as set forth by the Commissioner of Public Works.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

To the Honorable the Mayor.

In reply to the attached letter from the Metropolitan District Commission dated July 19, 1924, which refers to a conference held in their office on July 17, as a result of which the letter states that it is advisable to close Harvard Bridge during the progress of the work of reconstruction and repair, and requesting that authorization to close the bridge entirely to travel be taken by the Boston and Cambridge Bridge Commission and attaching to their letter a copy of affirmative vote that the bridge be closed to travel when the repairs are begun by the Metropolitan District Commission.

Section 4 of chapter 155 of the Acts of 1882, referring to the construction of the existing Harvard Bridge, states that the care and management of said bridge and draw shall be vested in a board of commissioners consisting of one person from each city, etc., Section 14 of chapter 467 of the Acts of 1898 which authorized the construction of West Boston or commonly known Cambridge Bridge states that the Cambridge Bridge and all other bridges and draws between the cities of Boston and Cambridge shall be policed and maintained by the said cities, and provides for the appointment of two commissioners, who are at present the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, designated by the Mayor of Boston, and F. J. Smith of Cambridge, appointed by the Mayor of Cambridge. Chapter 442 of the Acts of 1924 authorizes the Metropolitan District Commission to strengthen, repave and repair Harvard Bridge. To carry out its provisions this commission recently awarded a contract for doing all the work of repair and reconstruction, and on July 14 their contractor (Grande) began tearing up the bridge and established one-way traffic for vehicles and street car traffic in both directions. A sequence of operations was established in the specifications for carrying out these provisions.

The Chief Engineer of the Metropolitan District Commission, in a conversation with the writer, stated that an interpretation of the act (chapter 442) by his superiors required that the cities of Boston and Cambridge should continue to maintain and patch in safe condition for travel one of the roadways while the other was being reconstructed; and at

no time have we been notified by letter or otherwise by the Metropolitan District Commission that they were to proceed with the work.

The conference held at their office on the 17th, three days after the work had started, was to bring to their attention an opinion of the City of Boston's Corporation Counsel that their interpretation of the act providing for the cities continuing their activities on this bridge was not in accordance with the act, and for reasons ably explained by Joseph P. Lyons of our Law Department, who also attended the conference.

The Corporation Counsel has given an opinion to the writer, a part of which is as follows and in which the Corporation Counsel of Cambridge heartily concurs:

"I therefore advise you that you have no further control of the bridge as an entry for the purpose of repair has been made by the Metropolitan District Commission. If they desire to permit travel over the bridge while they are repairing the same, that is a matter for them to determine and is not at all under your control or direction."

The interpretation by the Metropolitan District Commission under which there are divided responsibilities and activities on a structure which they were authorized to practically completely reconstruct above the main girders is generally conceded to be very narrow and not in accordance with previous practice or methods of doing work. At the conference the writer called attention to the criticism which would result from completely closing this bridge to travel, particularly that from the cross-town car riders to and from Cambridge who lose valuable time in going and coming from work by being obliged to detour on elevated lines, as the inconvenience to this class is much greater than to automobiles and trucks.

We see no reason why the original sequence of operations incorporated in the commission's contract cannot be prosecuted, and if a 16-hour shift is maintained, as the cities of Boston and Cambridge would have adopted had the work been in their hands, the completion of the work with one-way vehicle and foot passenger traffic and two-way street car traffic would be within the date at which it is hoped to complete the work by closing the bridge to all traffic.

I therefore recommend:

1. That the request of the Metropolitan District Commission for a vote by the Boston and Cambridge Bridge Commission that Harvard Bridge be closed to travel be not complied with.

2. That a letter be written to the Metropolitan District Commission that the cities of Boston and Cambridge have no jurisdiction over any part of the bridge at present and will stop the work of repairs on the existing traffic roadway and discontinue the drawtenders' services.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works and Commissioner for Bridges of Boston and Cambridge.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, July 24:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been appointed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending June 16:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Anna Muldoon, laundress, \$480 a year; Edward Ross, choreman (patient), \$480 a year; Eva F. Hunt, dietitian, \$1,800 a year; Joseph Goldman, M. D., first assistant resident medical officer, \$2,500 a year; Rose Pinbease, laundress, \$480 a year; Katharine Charas, laundress, \$480 a year; Alice Perkins, assistant cook, \$480 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Hannah Attridge, assistant cook, \$480 a year; Alice Perkins, maid, \$468 a year; Anna Muldoon, laundress, \$480 a year; Edward Ross, choreman (patient), \$480 a year.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending July 9:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Kenneth Conkey, male nurse, \$540 a year; Celia Lexenberg, supervisor of playground, \$60 a month; James Kernan, choreman (patient), \$480 a year; Edmund White, choreman, \$660 a year; Thomas Haverty, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Madelina Sunvilas, laundress, \$480 a year; Annie Morris, maid, \$468 a year; Alice Perkins, maid, \$468 a year; George Peterson, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Elizabeth Baker, nurse, \$720 a year; Mary A. Curry, nurse, \$720 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Mary Lynch, supervisor of playground, \$60 a month; Ella Harper, laundress, \$480 a year; Mary Gallagher, laundress, \$480 a year; James Walsh, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Mary Fitzmaurice, maid (patient), \$120 a year; Esther Langon, maid, \$468 a year; Cornelius Driscoll, male nurse, \$480 a year.

The following changes in position have occurred:

Margaret Carr, nurse at \$900 a year to charge nurse at \$960 a year.

The following were off duty:

Rose Grande, attendant nurse, \$480 a year; Alice O'Brien, maid, \$468 a year.

Temporary Appointment.—Myra Guillet, nurse, Out-Patient Department, \$1,500 a year.

COMMITTEE FOR AMERICANISM.

Elizabeth McCann has been continued for a period of one week in temporary employment as clerk at \$20 a week.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Margaret L. Lang, clerk and stenographer, has been given an increase in salary from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, July 17:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Louise O'Callaghan, Gertrude A. Perry, Leah Adelman, record clerks, \$16 a week each; Walter Flannery, transfer porter, \$14.50

a week; Frank A. Barnard, William Kerwin, house cleaners, \$12 a week each; Katherine Collins, Margaret Dwyer, table girls, \$9.50 a week each; Sarah MacDougall, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Mary Chase, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Annie Joyce, kitchenwoman, \$9.50 a week; Eileen Fearon, chambermaid, \$9.50 a week; Mary McCarthy, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Timothy O'Brien, transfer porter, \$11 a week.

Temporary.—Patrick W. Finnegan, ambulance driver, \$30 a week; Evelyn Watson, assistant seamstress, \$10 a week; Joseph Leonard, helper, \$16 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Joseph Doran, male nurse at \$23.06 a week to male nurse at \$40 a week; Frank W. Miller, out-patient orderly, at \$23 a week, to out-patient orderly at \$14 a week.

Dr. Edmund W. Wilson, assistant superintendent, has been designated to act as superintendent at such times as the superintendent may be absent during the four weeks beginning July 21.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.*Central Office.*

Mary B. Koch, visitor, \$1,200 a year, new position.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, July 17:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

William J. Sullivan, attendant, \$600 a year, reinstated.

William J. Sweeney, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Patrick J. Nugent.

Margaret Farrell, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Adria M. Miller.

Mary Hooper, institutions employee, \$525 a year, new position.

Central Office.

J. Edward Johnson, parole agent, \$1,200 a year, to succeed J. Edward Johnson.

House of Correction.

Gerald F. Coughlin, officer, \$1,200 a year, temporary.

Randidge Trust Fund, Income.

George H. Carey, life guard, \$4.50 a day, temporary.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

The following citizens have been given temporary employment, during the municipal baseball league season, as umpires at \$2 a game; there will not be over three games a week: Joseph Dwyer, Farley Rosen, Louis Kilduff, Francis Keating, Arthur McLean, Charles Malley, Stephen McLean, Neal Curtin, George Grimm, Ralph R. Clifford, Edward Sullivan, John E. Lee, James Garrity.

The following citizens have been given temporary appointment for a period of about three months as gardening laborers, life guards and helpers, at \$4.50 a day: Michael Sweeney, Charles J. Carey, Frederick W. McAllister, Michael H. Maguire, Martin J. Mannion, John W. McLean, Ang. Antonio DiRosa, John Brennan, James Coleman, John L. Canney, Austin E. Gannon, John W. Goode, Thomas H. Kerrigan, Denis P. Kennedy, Patrick Cole, Richard Lanigan, John Walton, William Powers, Edward Finnerty, Charles B.

McCarthy, Earle Leroy Martin, Joseph D. Coughlin, Charles Hogan, Denis J. Downey, Dominick Bottino, John J. Sheehan, Frank D. Rooney, Alfred J. Moran.

Edwin Shannon and Henry O'Keefe have been given temporary employment (emergency) for a period of four days as life guards and helpers at \$4.50 a day.

Stephen J. Welch, cook's assistant, in the City Hospital at \$18.50 a week has been transferred to laborer at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Jacob W. Robinson has been appointed temporary janitor for a period of three months.

Josephine Sexton has been appointed provisional temporary assistant janitress at a salary of \$18 a week.

Agnes Crowley has been appointed telephone operator for a period of three months at \$22 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

George D. Leavitt has been appointed as permanent clerk at \$1,100 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Joseph Magennis has been appointed as temporary clerk at \$1,000 a year, for a period of three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

John F. Dempsey and Russell E. Gately have been given appointments as sewer inspectors at \$1,400 a year for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Daniel J. Goulding has been appointed as laborer at \$4.50 a day, for 60 days, effective July 18, in the High Pressure Water Service.

George L. Brown has been appointed as temporary clerk at \$1,000 a year for three months.

Louis Pinanski has been appointed as temporary laborer at \$4.50 a day in the High Pressure Service of the Water Division, for a period of three months.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

William Sullivan and Albert J. Vincent have been appointed as rodmen for a three months' period, at \$1,100 a year.

Joseph P. Donohoe, junior draughtsman, has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,200 to \$1,500 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, July 24:

Edgar B. Coombs, assistant engineer, 3 days, \$19.50.

Collecting Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 17:

Michael Cillo, 137 hours, \$137; Joseph J. O'Mara, 54 hours, \$54.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 17:

Main Department.

P. Gavin, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; H. O'Donnell, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; J. McDonough, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 21 hours, \$14.91; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 9 hours, \$6.39; D. J. Sullivan, steamfitter's helper, 9 hours, \$5.06; J. J. Mahan, steamfitter's helper, 9 hours, \$5.06; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; D. Hurley, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.32; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; J. Kelleher, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84. Total, \$81.10.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday July 17:

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

Andrew J. Baker, fireman, temporary, 1 day, \$6.

Central Office.

George A. Nelson, 1½ days, \$6.99.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Engineers.—Joseph Cox, Walter J. West, 4½ hours, \$3.65 each. Total, \$7.30.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 17:

Michael T. Quinn, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.
John Gallagher, garden laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

For the week ending Thursday, July 24:

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50; Albert Libbey, chauffeur, ½ week, \$5; total, \$9.50.

Park Department (Cemetery Division.)

For the week ending Thursday, July 17:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Fairview Cemetery.

Patrick F. Bagge, Joseph McDonough, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Dorchester South Ground.

James Hagerty, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Michael Mack, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Phipps Street—Bunker Hill Ground.

Michael Mooney, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Peter Kean, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Bennington Street Cemetery.

Jeremiah D. Morrill, custodian, 1 day, \$5.

This is correction of pay roll of July 4.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 17:

Renforth C. Bleakney, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.64; Daniel L. Cadigan, compositor, 8 hours, \$11.04; Joseph Ciccola, John E. Cotter, Annie M. Delaney, compositors, 4 hours, \$5.52 each; Cornelius Dris-

coll, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.64; James J. Dolan, compositor, 8 hours, \$11.04; John Fisher, compositor, 8 hours, \$11.28; Robert J. Hunter, 4 hours, \$5.52; Isaac Kramer, James Lockhart, compositors, 8 hours, \$11.04 each; Peter J. Mulvee, Patrick O'Leary, compositors, 4 hours, \$5.52 each; Abraham Rosen, compositor, 8 hours, \$11.04; Helen Walsh, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52; Patrick Foley, linotype operator, 8 hours, \$12.24; James S. Quinn, linotype operator, 4 hours, \$6.12; Catherine Crowley, compositor, 8 hours, \$11.04; Julia T. Donohue, copyholder, 8 hours, \$7.12; Helen Duggan, copyholder, 4 hours, \$3.56; Elizabeth Grant, proofreader, 4 hours, \$5.52; Rose Kelly, operator, 4 hours, \$5.52; Theresa Lyons, apprentice, 8 hours, \$7.12; Theresa Morrison, apprentice, 4 hours, \$3.56; Dorothy Schlicht, copyholder, 4 hours, \$3.56; Edward Stanton, Julia Tobin, proofreaders, 4 hours, \$5.52 each; Anna Whitney, copyholder, 4 hours, \$3.56; James Gately, monotype runner, 6 hours, \$3.66; Patrick Kelly, monotype caster operator, 5 hours, \$4.10; James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 5 hours, \$4.75; Mary Brennan, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52. Total, \$214.39.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 18 the Mayor approved a contract with P. J. Dinn & Co. for construction of wire fence at Evergreen Cemetery. Bids for the work, opened July 10, were as follows:

W. A. Snow Iron Works, Inc., \$3,854.10; Security Fence Erection Company, \$3,854.10; American Fence Corporation Company, \$3,544; P. J. Dinn Company, \$3,411.10; C. A. Gates & Co., \$3,366.80.

Upon July 22 the Mayor approved a contract with the various bidders as noted below for furnishing for a term of one year approximately ten double teams with dump carts, six single-team express wagons, one two-ton auto truck and two or more five-ton trucks whenever required. Bids, opened July 17, were as follows:

Item 1, Ten Double Teams.—M. McGinnis & Co., \$6.35 per day; Edward J. McHugh, \$6.49 per day; Edward J. Byrne, \$7.75 per day; M. Doyle & Co., \$8 per day; John J. McCarthy, \$6 per day.

Item 2, Six Wagons.—M. McGinnis & Co., \$5.75 per day; Edward J. McHugh, \$5 per day; Edward J. Byrne, \$5.75 per day; Arthur A. McNealy, \$5.25 per day; John J. McCarthy, \$5.75 per day.

Item 3, One Auto.—M. McGinnis & Co., \$13.50 per day; Edward J. McHugh, \$11 per day; Edward J. Byrne, \$23 per day; M. Doyle & Co., \$13.90 per day; John J. McCarthy, \$11.95 per day.

Item 4, Two Trucks.—M. McGinnis & Co., \$20.94 per day; Edward J. McHugh, \$20 per day; Edward J. Byrne, \$25 per day; M. Doyle & Co., \$26.50 per day; John J. McCarthy, \$19.75 per day.

Totals.—M. McGinnis & Co., \$153.38; Edward J. McHugh, \$145.90; Edward J. Byrne, \$185; John J. McCarthy, \$145.95.

The contracts were awarded as follows:

Ten double teams to M. McGinnis & Co., \$6.35 per day, \$63.50; six single teams to Arthur A. McNealy, \$5.25 per day, \$31.50; one two-ton auto truck to J. J. McCarthy, \$11.95 per day, \$11.95; two five-ton trucks to J. J. McCarthy, \$19.75 per day, \$39.50.

The awards as made with a total increase of 55 cents per day over the lowest bidders will obtain for the department a higher degree of service, and the cost will be less in actual results.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Upon July 24 the Mayor approved a contract with W. H. Ellis & Son Company for repairing piers at the North Ferry. Bids, for the work, opened July 22, were as follows:

W. H. Ellis & Son Company, \$17,820; W. S. Rendle & Son Company, \$18,594; Rendle Stoddard Construction Company, \$19,366.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon July 17 the Mayor approved a contract with John W. O'Connell for Portland cement concrete pavement in Blenford road, from Melton road to Priscilla road, and Nottinghill road, from Melton road. Bids for the work, opened July 14, were as follows:

John W. O'Connell, \$40,417.35; M. F. Gaddis, \$42,639.94; John McCourt Company, \$43,127.30; Coleman Brothers, Inc., \$43,479.20; S. J. Tomasello, \$43,923.50; C. Capone, \$44,089.67; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$44,485.45; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$44,675.20; Alco Contracting Company, Inc., \$45,507.95; J. A. Singarella, \$46,684.90; M. De Matteo, \$46,695.70; M. H. Loonie, \$48,463.80.

Upon July 24 the Mayor approved a contract with S. J. Tomasello for laying Portland cement concrete pavement in Ifley road, from Washington street to Walnut avenue. Bids for the week, opened July 21, were as follows:

Charles Capone, \$13,445.70; S. J. Tomasello, \$13,836.35; J. A. Singarella, \$13,914.10; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$13,947.10; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$14,854.90; Martino De Matteo, \$15,020.45; Michael H. Loonie, \$16,107.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon July 18 the Mayor approved a contract with M. H. Loonie for sewerage works in Locust street, between Washington avenue and the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened July 15, were as follows:

M. D. Russo, \$2,782; C. Russo, \$3,014.50; M. H. Loonie, \$3,093; A. Grande, \$3,127; P. A. Colleran, \$3,429.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$3,474; M. De Matteo, \$3,677.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 18 the Mayor approved a contract with P. F. Russo for new sanitation in the Amos Webster School. Bids for the work, opened July 11, were as follows:

P. F. Russo Company, Inc., \$1,297; Capital Plumbing and Heating Company, \$1,325; J. F. Murphy, \$1,342; George P. Sennott, \$2,240.

Upon July 18 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Hourihan for

roofing and metal work at the John Winthrop School. Bids for the work, opened July 15, were as follows:

John J. Hourihan, \$2,120; Cavanaugh & Earley, Inc., \$2,150; H. A. Smith, \$2,207; W. A. Murtfeldt Company, \$2,280; John T. Shea, \$2,450; Somerset Company, \$2,484; S. Dobkin, \$2,700.

Upon July 18 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Hourihan for roofing and metal work at the Mary Hemenway School. Bids for the work, opened July 15, were as follows:

John J. Hourihan, \$2,425; W. A. Murtfeldt Company, \$3,645; J. E. Morin, \$3,953; Cavanaugh & Earley, Inc., \$4,343; Somerset Company, \$4,888.

Upon July 18 the Mayor approved a contract with J. J. Hurley & Co., for installing and completing one new boiler in the Robert Swan School. Bids for the work, opened July 15, were as follows:

J. J. Hurley & Co., \$2,394; Acme Heating and Ventilating Company, \$2,584; J. P. Dwyer Company, \$2,736.

SUFFOLK COUNTY JAIL.

Upon July 18 the Mayor approved a contract with Edward C. Kelly for the installation of plumbing fixtures in the east wing of the Suffolk County Jail. Bids for the work, opened July 14, were as follows:

Edward C. Kelly, \$1,767; Frank H. Densmore Company, \$1,869; E. J. Farley, \$2,360; W. N. McKenna Company, \$2,550; Low and Robbins Company, \$2,605; S. J. Connelly, \$2,660; T. B. McKeagney, \$2,838; P. F. Russo Company, \$3,169.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 22 the Mayor approved a contract with the Foran Foundry and Manufacturing Company for furnishing approximately 360,000 pounds of iron castings (two-part iron boxes) to the Water Service. Bids, opened July 15, were as follows:

E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company, 5.45 cents per pound; Foran Foundry and Manufacturing Company, 4.83 cents per pound; Gibby Foundry Company, 5.75 cents per pound; Davis Foundry Company, 6 cents per pound; Lidgerwood Manufacturing Company, 6 cents per pound.

Upon July 22 the Mayor approved a contract with William A. Doe Company for furnishing butter to the various city departments. Bids, opened July 18, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Approximately Seventy-eight Hundred Pounds.—Batchelder & Snyder Company, 44.35 cents per pound; Lewis Mears Company, 43.9 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 43.39 cents per pound; Doe-Sullivan Company, Inc., 43.48 cents per pound.

Price June 20, 1922, 44.49 cents per pound. Price, 1923, 41.62 cents per pound.

Hospital Department.

Approximately Seventy Thousand Pounds.—Batchelder & Snyder Company, 44.35 cents per pound; Lewis Mears Company, 43.9 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 43.39 cents

per pound; Doe-Sullivan Company, Inc., 43.48 cents per pound.

Institutions Department (Infirmary Division).

Approximately Five Thousand Pounds.—Batchelder & Snyder Company, 44.35 cents per pound; Lewis Mears Company, 43.9 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 43.39 cents per pound; Doe-Sullivan Company, Inc., 43.48 cents per pound.

Institutions Department (Penal Division).

Approximately Twenty-five Hundred Pounds.—Batchelder & Snyder Company, 44.35 cents per pound; Lewis Mears Company, 43.9 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 43.39 cents per pound; Doe-Sullivan Company, Inc., 43.48 cents per pound.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$150, on contract with the Highland Contracting Company for artificial stone sidewalks in Holton street, Brighton; Sachem, Hayden, Schiller streets, Roxbury; Woodcliff, Dacia, Blakeville and Bullard streets, Dorchester, and West Milton street, Hyde Park, on account of removing three trees as directed. Original contract, \$13,304.70; total additions, \$2,155; total deductions, \$1,080; contract as standing, \$14,379.70.

An addition, amounting to \$2,800, on contract with B. E. Grant Company for recut granite block pavement in Chauncy and Essex streets and Harrison avenue, on account of recutting and relaying existing granite block pavement; and furnishing and laying necessary concrete base in Kingston street, between Bedford and Essex streets. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract: \$2 per yard for recutting and relaying and \$10.50 per cubic yard for concrete base. Original contract, \$35,284; total additions, \$7,020; contract as standing, \$42,304.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$7,000, on contract with M. F. Gaddis for sewerage works and bitulithic pavement in Shawmut avenue, on account of barring out and relaying existing granite block pavement with grout joints on a gravel base in Castle street, from Washington street to Tremont street. Price to be paid the same as that bid for similar work in the contract: \$2 per square yard (Item 5g). Original contract, \$205,317.45; total additions, \$7,375; contract as standing, \$212,692.45.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$30, on contract with M. De Sisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Alhambra road, Greenfield avenue, Orange street, Roslindale avenue, Washington street, West Roxbury Parkway and Willow street, West Roxbury; Lane park, Orchard road and Penniman road, Brighton, on account of omitting 970 feet of 8-inch pipe and adding 800 feet of 12-

inch pipe. Original contract, \$5,555; total addition, \$30; contract as standing, \$5,585.

An addition, amounting to \$100, on contract with John Guarino & Co. for laying and relaying water pipes in Old Colony Parkway, Dorchester, on account of moving cracked stone out of line of pipe laying; replacing and leveling the same to grade; and plugging 6-inch pipe. Original contract, \$1,219; total addition, \$100; contract as standing, \$1,319.

An addition, amounting to \$125, on contract with M. De Sisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Blue Hill avenue, Hazleton street, Hiawatha road, Morton street, Wildwood street, Dorchester; Florence avenue, Brighton; Partridge street, Pond View avenue, Walden road, West Roxbury Parkway, Woodbrier road, West Roxbury, on account of removing and rebuilding culvert; relocating house drains; trucking tools; rehauling pipe; setting piles and platform on account of bad trench bottom; removing broken gate box and replacing the same. Original contract, \$6,657.50; total additions, \$275; contract as standing, \$6,932.50.

NATIONAL GRAND ARMY OFFICERS ARRIVE AUGUST 7 FOR CONVENTION.

Gen. Gaylord M. Saltzgaber, Commander in Chief of the G. A. R., has notified Mayor Curley that he would arrive with his official staff at the South Station, Boston, upon the evening of Thursday, August 7, at 5.10 p. m.

The party will include Gen. Gaylord M. Saltzgaber and Mrs. Saltzgaber, Miss Marion G. Heckman, National Headquarters Secretary, G. A. R., Mrs. Charles E. Hockman, Andrew S. Burt, Adjutant-General of the G. A. R., and Miss Florence Burt, his daughter; Miss Flo Palmer, prominent in the encampments of the Women's Relief Corp.

Mayor Curley will arrange for the entertainment of General Saltzgaber and party for the three days prior to the assembling of the National Convention of the G. A. R., as well as later. Motor trips will be made to Concord and Lexington, North and South Shores and to the historic points in New England, accompanied by several informal luncheons and dinners.

RUBBER PAVING PROVING WORTH ON NORTHERN AVENUE BRIDGE.

The trial patch of rubber paving which the City of Boston laid early in May on the Northern Avenue Bridge is proving highly satisfactory thus far, according to Public Works Commissioner Joseph A. Rourke.

So tough is the composition that hardly a mark shows where a freight car jumped the track recently and rolled over the rubber surface, the sharp flanges of its heavy wheels sinking deep in the material, but causing no permanent injury.

Heavy traffic, both horse drawn and motorized, has yet produced little wear. The real test will come, however, with the severe changes in temperature of winter, Commissioner Rourke said. City officials will not be able to determine definitely for some time, therefore, whether it will be advisable to install the new type of paving more extensively in Boston.

MAYOR NAMES BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT.

The Mayor on July 18 appointed the following as members of the Board of Zoning Adjustment in compliance with chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924:

One member of the Associated Industries of Massachusetts, Theodore W. Little, vice president Walworth Manufacturing Company, 43 Carleton street, Brookline. Member Zoning Advisory Commission.

One member from Boston Central Labor Union, Patrick H. Jennings, secretary-business agent. Member Zoning Advisory Commission.

One member from Boston Society of Commerce, Robert A. Woods, 20 Union Park street. Member Zoning Advisory Commission.

One member from Boston Real Estate Exchange, Frank Brewster of Rackemann, Sawyer & Brewster, 54 Commonwealth avenue.

One member from Boston Society of Civil Engineers, Frank O. Whitney, Hotel Vendome, Boston; formerly chief engineer Street Laying-Out Department.

One member of Boston Society of Architects and Boston Society of Landscape Architects, Dana Somes, 85 River street. Member Zoning Advisory Commission.

One member Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange, Luther C. Greenleaf, 6 Upland avenue, Dorchester. Member Zoning Advisory Commission.

One member from Master Builders' Association, William H. Sayward, secretary and treasurer, 69 Monadnock street, Dorchester. Member Zoning Advisory Commission.

One member Team Owners Association, Inc., George F. Stebbins, secretary. Member Zoning Advisory Commission.

One member from United Improvement Association, H. S. Upham, president, 103 Munroe street, Roxbury.

One member to be selected by the Mayor, Leo Schwartz, 1742 Commonwealth avenue.

Frederick H. Fay, chairman, City Planning Board, *ex officio*.

MAYOR CURLEY SEVERELY SCORES TELEPHONE INCREASES.

Mayor Curley severely scored the Public Utilities Commission for granting temporary increases in certain toll charges in a statement following announcement of the increases.

The Mayor's statement, in full, follows:

"The Public Utilities Commission of the State has heard its master's voice—the telephone company. The commission, in a decision handed down, has temporarily allowed two of the increases asked for by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company in the petition which is now being heard by the commission.

"These increases effect all toll calls of 25 cents or over. The initial period of conversation is shortened from five minutes to three minutes.

"The result is that the five-minute toll conversation, which now costs 25 cents, will hereafter cost 35 cents.

"What these increases will mean to the company nobody definitely knows, except the company's own officials, and they have not as yet exhibited to the

commission the essential figures upon which an intelligent estimate can be based, nor has the commission required the attorneys of the Telephone Company to definitely establish what these increases will mean.

"This unintelligent action on the part of the Public Utilities Commission clearly indicates what it is disposed to do by way of favoring the Telephone Company when it shall make its final decision on the entire petition for increases which is now before it.

"This is another one of those farcical commissions created to give places to 'lame duck' politicians. This is the same commission that boosted the railroad rates charged to commuters, and was later compelled to reconsider that decision because of public protest and agitation.

"But that reconsideration was only another illustration of the farcical proceedings that are conducted by this commission. The buffoonery of this commission and the insipidity of its personnel is again illustrated in this 'temporary' order.

"This case has not yet been finished. The evidence has only been partly heard.

"The only real statistics that have yet been received by the commission are those introduced to the commission by the City of Boston.

"The company itself, in presenting its case, did it apparently upon the assumption that it had only to 'ask and ye shall receive.' The commission in making this 'temporary' decision is not serving the public but is serving a monopoly which is mulcting the public.

"Governor Cox congratulates himself that he has reduced the state tax for this year from twelve millions of dollars to ten millions of dollars, although nothing has been said of the two million dollar increase on the thirty-seven million dollars of revenue which the State is receiving from other sources.

"Now comes this new tax which the Telephone Company is permitted to lay upon the public by reason of the inutility of the Department of Public Utilities. This commission is a disgrace. It is responsible to no one except the big interests that always influence its selection and appointment by the Governor and its decisions as well.

LAND-TAKING IN ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works hereinafter described as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston, formerly Roxbury, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Penryth street, bounded:

Southeast by Centre street, six and 6-100 feet; southwest by another part of Penryth street, one hundred feet; northwest by the same, six feet; and northeast by the same, one hundred and 85-100 feet; containing six hundred two square feet more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

One hundred linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Penryth street, leading northwesterly from Centre street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

BUILDINGS RAZED.

The Mayor, upon request of John H. Mahony, Building Commissioner, has approved the razing of the following buildings as constituting a fire menace and a nuisance.

To take down the building on premises 85 Hemman street, Ward 23.

The owner, Frances A. C. Halstead of the Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, D. C., has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the premises, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 271 Heath street, rear, Ward 14.

The owner, Mary A. M. Owens of 13 Dorr street, Roxbury, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 269½ Heath street, Ward 14.

The owner, Mary A. M. Owens of 13 Dorr street, Roxbury, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down building on premises 85A Hemman street, Ward 23.

The owner, Frances A. C. Halstead of the Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, D. C., has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 36 and 38 Cambridge street, Ward 3.

The owner, John O'Leary of 7 Haverhill street, Charlestown, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 420 East Third street, junction of Emerson street, Ward 9.

We have been unable to locate the owner, Joseph A. Nagle, or to find his address, so we have tacked a notice of the unsafe condition that exists on the building.

To take down building on premises 7 Curtis street, Ward 1.

The owner, A. S. Bellucci of 84 Chelsea street, East Boston, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 19 Chaucer street, rear, Ward 1.

The owner, A. S. Bellucci of 84 Chelsea street, East Boston, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

BOSTON PLANNING FOR ATHLETIC TOURNAMENT UNDER AUSPICES OF PARK DEPARTMENT.

Boston is planning for its annual athletic meet under the auspices of the Park Department, to be held in August. Mayor Curley has donated a number of cups as prizes in the various tournaments and events.

The tennis tournament is to be held at Franklin Field, August 11; the handball tournament at the L. Street Baths, and the swimming meets at the various beaches, with the finals at Marine Park, South Boston.

The various events scheduled and for which entries are being received are:

TENNIS TOURNAMENT, FRANKLIN FIELD, DORCHESTER, AUGUST 11, 1924, AT 2 P. M.

Events.

Boys' singles. Junior singles. Girls' singles. Boys' doubles. Junior doubles. Girls' Doubles. Mixed doubles: Boys and girls under 15, January 1, 1924. Juniors 19 or under, January 1, 1924.

Entries close August 9 at 12 m. to James L. Walsh, Franklin Field, Dorchester, or John A. Lane, 33 Beacon street, city.

Gold and silver medals to winners.

Boston Municipal Championship, Men's Singles.

Boston Municipal Championship, Men's Doubles.

Entries for Municipal Championship close Saturday, July 19, at 2 p. m.

Play starts Monday, July 21, 1924, at Franklin Field.

Gold and silver medals to winners.

Entries to James L. Walsh, Franklin Field, or John A. Lane, 33 Beacon street, city.

HAND BALL TOURNAMENT, L STREET BATHS, AUGUST 1, 1924.

Men's Singles and Men's Doubles.—First prize, silver cup; second prize, silver medal; third prize, bronze medal.

Entries close July 30, 1924, at office, Men's Bath, L street, or John A. Lane, 33 Beacon street, Boston, Park Department.

PRELIMINARY SWIMMING MEETS.

World War Memorial Park, East Boston, Wednesday, August 6, at 2 p. m.

Dewey Beach and North End Park, at Dewey Beach, Charlestown, Wednesday, August 6, at 2 p. m.

Head House, L Street Baths and Columbus Park Bath, at L Street Baths, South Boston, Thursday, August 7, at 2 p. m.

Savin Hill, Freeport Street and Tenean Beach, at Freeport Street Bath, Dorchester, Thursday, August 7, at 2 p. m.

Events.

25 yards, boys under 12; 50 yards, boys under 16; 100 yards, boys under 16; 50 yards, breast stroke, boys under 16; 50 yards back stroke, boys under 16. Diving for boys.

25 yards, girls under 12; 50 yards, girls under 16; 100 yards, girls under 16; 50 yards, breast stroke, girls under 16; 50 yards, back stroke, girls under 16.

Gold, silver and bronze medals to winners.

Final Meet at Head House, Marine Park, Sunday, August 17, 1924, at 2.30 p. m.

Winners of Preliminary Events to enter Finals at Head House.

N. E. A. A. U. Men's Mile Championship to be held at Final Meet.

Gold, silver and bronze medals to winners.

MAYOR PROVIDES FOR COMFORT OF CITIZENS DURING HOT SPELL.

Mayor Curley sent the following communications July 24:

To the Superintendent of Public Buildings and the Chairman of the Park Commission:

It is desirable during the present heat spell that every opportunity be afforded the public to utilize the bathing facilities in municipal buildings and elsewhere and you are hereby directed to extend the hours of opening and closing of all municipal buildings in which showers or tanks are located and send notice of the change in hours to the press.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

To the Fire Commissioner:

During the present heat spell it is desirable that the Fire Department sprinkle the streets in the vicinity of the fire stations and outdoor shower baths be provided for children in the congested sections of the city.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

To the Commissioner of Public Works:

During the present heat spell you are hereby directed to wet down the streets in all of the congested sections of the city at night.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Kingsboro park, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Centre street, southeasterly, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Kingsboro park is hereby laid out, from Centre street southeasterly, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwest by Centre street, forty feet; northeast by the northeasterly line of said Kingsboro park as hereby laid out, by two measurements, two hundred and thirty-nine and 50-100 feet and two hundred eighty-four and 50-100 feet; southeast by the southeasterly line of said Kingsboro park as hereby laid out, forty-one and 9-100 feet; and southwest by the southwesterly line of said Kings-

boro park as hereby laid out, by two measurements, two hundred ninety-one and 45-100 feet and two hundred thirty-seven and 6-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northeasterly and southwesterly sides of Kingsboro park and the lot of land at the southerly corner of Kingsboro park and Centre street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the proposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Kingsboro Park, West Roxbury, Assessment Plan, May 27, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Clarence A. and Jennie B. Walden	\$375.00
2. Christian A. Molstad	116.70
3. Christian A. Molstad	243.00
4. Christian A. Molstad	210.00
5. Emily I. Skillings	211.50
6. Veronica F. Graham	211.50
7. Anna G. Donoghue	211.50
8. Josephine R. Burnes	211.50
9. Ernest C. Nickerson et al, trustees of the Kingsbury Realty Trust	211.50
10. Ernest C. Nickerson et al, trustees of the Kingsbury Realty Trust	204.54
13. Frank J. Paradise, Bertha E. Paradise	292.56
14. Clarence S. Day	230.58
15. Edmund J. Toohig, Gertrude M. Toohig	228.06
16. Margaret F. Magee	225.54
17. Erwin and Elizabeth Reitschler	223.02
18. Walter A. White	220.50
19. Walter J. and Mary A. Croft	216.24
20. Mary A. Croft	210.00
21. Annie Rose	196.80
22. Leon and Ellen B. Newman	194.64
23. Cecelia A. Barrows	25.00
24. George H. Johnson	210.00
Total	\$4,679.68

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Kingsboro park, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Centre street southeasterly, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

DEFINES TERM "GARAGE" FOR ZONING ACT RULINGS.

At a conference held at the office of the Mayor July 22, at which were present representatives of the Law Department, the Building Department and the Street Laying-Out Department, it was definitely determined that the word "garage" as used in the Zoning Act be construed to mean buildings to be used for the storage of five or more cars. This decision will permit of immediate construction of some three hundred or more garages, permits for which have been held up pending a definite legal interpretation as to this particular provision of the Zoning Act.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 17 TO JULY 23.

JULY 17.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
George W. Harvey Company.	70 Kilby street.	5	First-class offices.	\$2,600,000
E. D. Sturtevant.	Rear of 17 Pinehurst street.	23	First-class garage.	1,800
Ludwik Miecznikowski.	614 and 616 Dorchester ave.	11	First-class garage.	4,000
Bruno Kutzech.	121 Howard avenue.	17	First-class garage.	2,000
George Kutzer.	Rear of 45 Nightingale street.	19	Second-class garage.	1,000
John A. Finn.	Rear of 39 Lindsey street.	19	Second-class garage.	1,000
Daniel Buckley.	212 and 214 Washington st.	19	Second-class garage.	1,300
Boston Soccer Club, Inc.	775 Columbus avenue.	13	Special bleachers.	5,000
Hedwig Boehner.	Rear of 39A Hawthorne st.	15	Special garage.	400
Hedwig Boehner.	Rear of 39B Hawthorne st.	15	Special garage.	400
Hedwig Boehner.	Rear of 39C Hawthorne st.	15	Special garage.	400
Ellen Halloran.	Rear of 55 Ottawa street.	16	Special garage.	600
Nora Doyle.	Rear of 6 Wallace park.	24	Third-class garage.	625
A. H. Brown.	Rear of 223 Temple street.	23	Third-class garage.	200
Lillian A. Siegal.	Rear of 400 Norfolk street.	21	Third-class garage.	600
Carl H. Olson.	Rear of 40 Mountain avenue.	21	Third-class garage.	600
Mary H. O'Brien.	Rear of 102 Wheatland av.	19	Third-class garage.	600
James A. Burt.	Rear of 36 Tremlett street.	18	Third-class garage.	600
J. F. Russell.	Rear of 18 King street.	20	Third-class garage.	199
Francis S. Happnie.	65 Draper street.	18	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
Francis S. Happnie.	69 Draper street.	18	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
Brighton Construction Co.	35 Richards street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	7,500
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Henry Bimbidel.	125 Hewlett street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	9,000
Grace Burns.	22 and 24 Merrill street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	4,000
Miss Mary A. Roche.	1961-1967 Dorchester ave.	21	Alterations, tenements.	6,000
Charles E. Hall.	95 Haverhill street.	5	Alterations, manufacturing.	875
Margaret A. Carroll.	16 Westcott street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Thomas Aglio.	1137 Hyde Park avenue.	24	Alterations, dwelling.	700
Philip A. Carroll.	38 Maxwell street.	21	Alterations, dwelling.	100
Mary Murray.	35 Barry place.	24	Alterations, dwelling.	1,200
Louie Venooker.	67 Bower street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	500
Anna G. Shanney.	7 Jamaica place.	22	Alterations, dwelling.	1,935
Samuel J. Thompson.	20 Leyland street.	12	Alterations, dwelling.	100
Laura Wiley.	53 West Dedham street.	6	Alterations, tenements.	50
David Sheehan.	17 Tolman street.	20	Alterations, dwelling.	500
John A. Brett.	138-142 South street.	22	Alterations, stores.	400

JULY 18.

John C. Garvey.	Rear of 1592 Columbia road.	10	First-class garage.	\$750
Joseph Lucas.	620-628 East Eighth street.	10	First-class garage.	1,000
C. L. Berger & Sons, Inc.	Rear of 37 Williams street.	13	First-class garage.	2,000
James Ferrera.	41 Breed street.	1	First-class garage.	1,500
Annie Dvilinsky.	8 Maple street.	16	First-class garage.	1,000
Eutemia Mastiomanno.	Rear of 64 Brooks street.	1	First-class garage.	1,000
Fred Arata.	Rear of 1867 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Second-class garage.	2,000
Hyman Barron.	82 Canterbury street.	21	Second-class tenements.	45,000
H. K. Goldstein.	10 Florence avenue.	25	Second-class tenements.	30,000
H. K. Goldstein.	12 Florence avenue.	25	Second-class tenements.	30,000
Ameilo Pasquale.	Rear of 19 Dacia street.	17	Second-class garage.	2,000
C. Middleton.	Rear of 37 Larchmont street.	19	Second-class garage.	1,000
Carlotta Blandford.	Rear of 45 Lyndhurst street.	19	Third-class garage.	400
Edward F. Roach.	4 Darling street.	21	Third-class garage.	400
Emil Smith.	30 Baker street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
William Hanrahan.	2 Linden place.	10	Alterations, tenements.	500
William London.	8 Kinross road.	25	Alterations, dwelling.	4,000
Abraham Finn.	141 Harold street.	16	Alterations, dwelling and stores.	3,500
Charles A. Winchester.	35 Tremlett street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
Harriet L. Hemenway.	21 Kingston street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	5,000
Charles H. Hoyle.	35 Newbury street.	8	Alterations, Headquarters, Girl Scouts.	2,000
Margaret A. Diggin.	58 Clarendon street.	7	Alterations, store and tenement.	2,000
L. Barnett.	426 West Park street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	125
Paulina Clements.	566 Commercial street.	5	Alterations, stores and tenements.	400
Charlotte Baker estate.	205-209 Friend street.	5	Alterations, store.	1,900
American Trust Company.	21 City square.	4	Clock over sidewalk.	1,250
City Building Wrecking Company.	88 Poplar street.	23	Take-down, dwelling.	200

JULY 19.

E. G. Toomey.	1650 Columbia road.	10	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Helen L. Dickenson.	Rear of 128 Train street.	20	First-class garage.	2,000
Julia E. Wallace.	Rear of 38 Wellington Hill st.	21	First-class garage.	1,500
John Brennan.	86 Hunnewell street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	7,000
V. DeMello.	44 Stedman street.	22	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Barney Sidman.	20 Savin street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	100
L. Soldam.	142-148 Richmond street.	5	Alterations, store and dwelling.	2,000
O. G. Perry.	58 Central avenue.	24	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Harris and Carman.	818-824 Washington street.	5	Alterations, store and lodging.	3,000
J. J. Convisor.	477-489 Cambridge street.	26	Construct sign.	400
S. Silberberg.	16 Lowell street.	5	Alterations, store and sales-room.	10,000
V. Brosendorf.	1738 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Alterations, apartments.	180
Union Realty Trust Co.	14 Linden street.	25	Install elevator.	2,800
Washington-Essex Real Estate Trust.	588-622 Washington street.	5	Install elevator.	4,580
J. H. McClary.	31 Massachusetts avenue.	8	Install elevator.	4,866
Helen Carter.	153 and 155 West Newton street.	7	Erect fire escape.	100
Isaac Ruppert.	75 Poplar street.	5	Repair fire escape.	25
John F. Boles.	Rear of 294-298 Main street.	3	Install fire escape.	40
Felice Bruno.	295 Havre street.	2	Install fire escape.	750

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 571.

The resignation of Patrolman Daniel J. M. Cleary of Division 14 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Friday, July 18, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 572.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, Kneeland and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Walter J. Donovan of Division 15, charging him with disobedience of orders, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Walter J. Donovan perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 574.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, Kneeland and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Walter E. Schacht of Division 4, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty on Charge 1 and Specification 1 thereunder, not guilty on Specification 2, and guilty on Charge 2 and specification thereunder. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Walter E. Schacht perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No 575.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, Kneeland and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Sylvester W. Murphy of Division 4, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Sylvester W. Murphy perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 576.

The resignation of Patrolman James Tagliarino of Division 20 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, July 21, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 17 TO JULY 23.

JULY 21.

OWNER	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
T. Cicone and M. Augustino.	550 East Third street.	9	First-class garage.	\$2,900
M. T. McGovern.	529 Washington street.	19	First-class garage.	1,500
John Singer.	Rear of 1750 Centre st., No. 1	23	First-class garage.	1,500
John Singer.	Rear of 1750 Centre street, No. 2.	23	First-class garage.	1,500
J. Goldman.	Rear of 137 Callender street.	21	First-class garage.	1,000
Maurice Armstrong.	Rear of 257 Princeton street.	1	First-class garage.	3,000
E. F. Donahue.	Rear of 130 Dakota street.	18	First-class garage.	1,000
Ellen Flanagan.	Rear of 39 Wyman street.	15	First-class garage.	2,500
Lillian Gillson.	29 Vassar street.	19	First-class garage.	1,000
Anna Sommer.	Rear of 25 Pinehurst street.	23	First-class garage.	1,200
Sarah Scotch.	Rear of 16 and 18 Wilcock street.	21	First-class garage.	1,000
D'Andrea & Molicca.	539 East Third street.	9	First-class garage.	2,000
W. M. P. Wallace.	4 Buena Vista street.	16	First-class garage.	1,400
Hattie Brookier.	Rear of 31 Lawrence avenue.	18	Second-class garage.	1,000
A. A. Viles.	Rear of 28 Mendelssohn st.	23	Second-class garage.	600
J. M. Keefe.	Rear of 41 Greaton road.	23	Second-class garage.	2,500
S. Zbrofsky et al.	Rear of 55 Thetford street.	21	Second-class garage.	1,700
G. Fiorillo.	26 Maverick street.	2	Second-class store and dwelling.	10,000
Albert Mahan.	Rear of 10 Clematis street.	20	Second-class garage.	1,000
Annie Murphy.	6 Mapleton street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	13,500
Rudolph Anderson.	58 Landseer street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,500
Edward Frult.	11 Congreve street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
I. Stein.	31 Holborn street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
D. Eddy & Sons Company.	Rear of 336 Adams street.	20	Alterations, boiler house.	2,000
Charles Anton.	10 Sumner terrace.	11	Alterations, tenement.	550
Mary Zevitas.	60 Iffey road.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
New York Building Wrecking Company.	199 Market street.	26	Take-down, dwelling.	150
Hyman Klayman.	68 Canterbury street.	21	Take-down, dwelling.	25

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Rose A. Leonard.	8 Verona street.	22	First-class garage.	\$1,000
George C. Cook.	Rear of 535 East Seventh st.	10	First-class garage.	950
Louis Falcone.	Rear of 72 Willowood st.	21	First-class garage.	1,000
A. Vasinakas.	Rear of 153 Bowen street.	10	First-class garage.	1,800
Mrs. Guiseppe Farina.	Rear of 233 Freeport street.	20	First-class garage.	5,000
Josephine Zepp.	177 Metropolitan avenue.	23	First-class garage.	600
Catherine Shea.	Rear of 107 Rosseter street.	19	First-class garage.	1,200
T. J. O'Grady.	Rear of 19 Dalkeith street.	17	First-class garage.	1,500
G. Galbraith.	51 Harvard street.	19	First-class garage.	1,500
Mary C. Holderried.	Rear of 19 Maywood street.	16	First-class garage.	1,200
J. H. Kelly.	33 Mt. Vernon street.	11	First-class garage.	1,500
Esther Wasserman.	Rear of 37 Kingsdale street.	19	First-class garage.	1,000
Mary McDonald.	Rear of 16 Ashford street.	25	First-class garage.	1,250
Thomas E. McNiff.	Rear of 19 Arden street.	26	First-class garage.	1,000
C. A. Hubbard.	91 Glen road.	22	Second-class garage.	800
J. Resker.	Rear of 681 Metropolitan avenue.	24	Second-class garage.	750
Samuel Obelsky.	Rear of 21 Arbutus street.	21	Second-class garage.	1,000
Israel Weinstein.	Rear of 25 Arbutus street.	21	Second-class garage.	1,000
Rose Barton.	Rear of 208 Itasca street.	24	Second-class garage.	900
Annie Craig.	Rear of 9 Maple park.	20	Second-class garage.	500
Ida C. Beringer.	Rear of 55 Centre street.	20	Second-class garage.	1,000
Catherine Curley.	Rear of 77 Hilburn street.	23	Second-class garage.	1,000
A. C. Brady.	159 Readville street.	24	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
A. C. Brady.	161 Readville street.	24	Third-class dwelling.	5,000
I. M. Cornwell.	26 Westbourne street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
R. C. Newsome.	410 Weld street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	7,500
J. J. Higgins.	Rear of 70 Sawyer avenue.	17	Third-class garage.	330
Suburb Realty Company.	16 Hobson street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Joseph Hisano.	Rear of 808 River street.	24	Third-class storage.	200
H. M. Taylor.	511 Columbus avenue.	7	Alterations, dwelling.	685
Max Singer.	76 Hiawatha road.	24	Alterations, barn.	200
J. Reeves.	1 Rollins place.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	1,500
Estate Thomas Reynolds.	910 Huntington avenue.	14	Alterations, stores and offices.	20,000
F. S. Malouf.	411 Marlborough street.	8	Alterations, apartments.	1,400
Eleanor Titcomb.	48 Pinckney street.	8	Alterations, lodging.	5,000
Benjamin Green.	29 Ridgewood street.	18	Alterations, dwelling.	325
Mrs. Guiseppe Farina.	233 Freeport street.	20	Alterations, dwelling.	400
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	18 and 20 McLean street.	5	Alterations, school.	2,000
Washington-Essex Real Estate Trust.	588-622 Washington street.	5	Alterations, stores, theater and offices.	600,000
Helen Lindall.	62 Waldeck street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Myer Dana.	1230-1240 River street.	24	Alterations, stores.	500
Annie Grelsky.	21 Wolcott street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	600
Ida Grossman.	42 Lucerne street.	21	Alterations, dwelling.	250
Ida Grossman.	40 Lucerne street.	21	Alterations, dwelling.	250
Zuno Gabelnick.	14 Lowell street.	5	Alterations, stores and sales-rooms.	10,000
L. P. Kelsey.	84 Mt. Pleasant avenue.	12	Erect fire escape.	200
Nora McCarthy.	9 Concord square.	7	Erect fire escape.	340
Trustees of Cambridge Building.	483 Beacon street.	8	Install elevator.	8,460
Cabot, Cabot & Forbes.	66 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Install elevator.	3,600
Washington-Essex Real Estate Trust.	588-622 Washington street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	5,000
Samuel Silberberg.	21 Billerica street.	5	Take-down, tenement.	100
Zeena Gabelnick.	19 Billerica street.	5	Take-down, tenement.	100
J. J. Hazel.	4646 Washington street.	23	Take-down, car house.	200
Florence Granstrom.	72 and 74 Zeigler street.	12	Take-down, storage.	50
City Building Wrecking Co.	Rear of 8-18 Shirley street.	12	Take-down, school.	100
Ernesto Gavianni.	59 and 61 Burrill street.	12	Take-down, barn.	25

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 577.

The commanding officers of Divisions 1, 3, 10 and 16 have brought to my attention the following excellent police work performed by officers in their several divisions:

I. At about 3.30 a. m. on May 29, 1924, Patrolman Joseph T. Curry of Division 1, who lived at 19 Frawley street, Division 10, was awakened by the noise of a motor engine running, and stepping to the window saw two men stripping tires from an automobile parked in front of his door.

Asking his wife to telephone to the station house, Patrolman Curry dressed quickly and went out on the sidewalk, but the men on seeing him, jumped into a Buick sedan near by and started off, going towards Parker Hill. Patrolman Curry immediately cut across a field to Hillside street and there found one of the men running up the street and arrested him. As he was taking his prisoner to the nearest patrol box, Patrolman Curry met the Ford car of Division 10, and getting in with his prisoner, told the operator to drive up Hillside street. Near Calumet street, Patrolman Curry arrested the other man, who had just pulled the car to the roadside and was starting to run away. These men were later indicted for and convicted of larceny. The second man arrested was identified as having robbed a bank messenger of \$15,000 on the West Boston Bridge recently; the other man also has a record.

I am highly gratified to learn of this admirable piece of police work on the part of Patrolman Curry, and I take pleasure in commending him for the alertness, intelligence and zeal he displayed in making these important arrests, and for his evident appreciation of the fact that a police officer is always "on duty."

II. On January 24, 1924, at about six o'clock in the evening, a number of officers were sent with the wagon, in response to a telephone call received at Station 3, to a shop in Portland street, where they found the proprietor of the shop lying on the floor in a semi-conscious condition. Upon recovering, he stated that he had been assaulted, rendered unconscious and his gold watch and chain and ten dollars in cash taken from him by two men, of whom he gave a meager description to Patrolmen John D. Holmes and Edward P. O'Neill, both of Division 3, who were detailed on the case. These officers went to the North Station and there arrested a young man answering the description of one of the assailants, and the stolen watch was found in his pocket. The other criminal was arrested later at his home and brought to the station house, where both men were positively identified by the complainant as the two men who had assaulted and robbed him. Both men were held for the grand jury and later sentenced to a penal institution for substantial terms.

This was a most excellent piece of police work on the part of Patrolmen Holmes and O'Neill, the criminals having been arrested and the stolen property recovered within six hours after the commission of the crime. I take pleasure in commending these officers for the alertness, intelligence and perseverance displayed in making these arrests.

III. At about 11.15 on the morning of January 28, 1924, the manager of a

store in John Eliot square was held up at the point of a revolver and robbed of twenty-eight dollars in cash by a supposed customer, who then left the store and went up Centre street, where he met Patrolman Justin McCarthy of Division 10, who, although on his "day off" and in civilian clothes, immediately pursued the criminal to within a short distance of the station house when he placed him under arrest. When searched at the station house, a fully loaded revolver was found in the man's coat pocket. He was held for the grand jury.

I am highly gratified by this excellent piece of police work. I take pleasure in commending Patrolman McCarthy for his quickness of apprehension and courage, and for his evident appreciation of the fact that a police officer is always on duty, even on his "day off."

IV. Between five and six o'clock on the morning of May 31, 1924, Patrolman Charles E. Moore of Division 13 observed coming towards him a Ford sedan with three men in it and having on the front a cardboard number plate. When the operator saw the officer, he turned his machine and started back through Lakeville place. Knowing that the only other egress from this place was through Centre street, Patrolman Moore immediately ran for the corner where the car must come out, and meeting the automobile there ordered the operator to stop. The latter, however, speeded up the machine, going south, whereupon the officer discharged his revolver five times in the air in an attempt to stop the car and secure assistance. He then jumped into a Ford truck and pursued the fleeing car, picked up Patrolman Frederick L. Wilson of Division 13 on the way.

Losing sight of the car at Egleston square, the two officers separated, Patrolman Wilson continuing down Washington street in the truck, while Patrolman Moore commandeered a Buick automobile and proceeded along Columbus avenue. At Davenport street, Division 10, he found the sedan abandoned in the street and discovered two of the young men hiding in the hallway of a house near by. He placed them under arrest, the operator having escaped. Upon investigation it was found that these men had broken and entered five units of the Lakeville Garage and stolen property to the value of \$127, all of which was recovered at the time. The prisoners were later convicted of larceny, one receiving eighteen months on a suspended sentence, and the other was placed on probation.

I am greatly pleased to learn of this excellent piece of police work performed by Patrolman Moore, and I warmly commend him for the vigilance, perseverance and acumen he exhibited in making these arrests.

V. Early on the morning of January 18, 1924, two sample cases, containing jewelry, etc., to the value of over three thousand dollars, were stolen from an automobile in the rear of Childs' restaurant in Providence street. Station 16 being notified, Patrolman Frank McNabb of that division was detailed on the case and with the owner of the cases visited a number of pawnshops in the city, recovering considerable of the jewelry and obtaining a description of the person pawning them. At one of the pawnshops Patrolman McNabb saw a person whose appearance corresponded to the description of the pawnier given to him, and

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 17 TO JULY 23.

JULY 23.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
K. H. Sahagian.....	Rear of 8 Browning avenue..	19	First-class garage.....	\$1,800
Ann Downes.....	Rear of 547 and 549 East Eighth street.	10	First-class garage.....	1,000
Andrew Strekas <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 54 and 56 Fuller st.	21	First-class garage.....	1,875
E. A. Davis.....	Rear of 73 Cohasset street...	23	First-class garage.....	1,375
Mary Robinson.....	76 and 78 Moraine street....	22	First-class garage.....	1,250
Saverio Penta.....	Rear of 152 London street....	2	First-class garage.....	1,000
Jennie Drake.....	Rear of 40 and 42 Eutaw st....	1	First-class garage.....	2,000
Joseph Goldstein.....	Rear of 65 Woolson street....	21	First-class garage.....	1,300
Eva Silverman.....	Rear of 209 Brunswick street	20	First-class garage.....	1,000
B. E. Christianson.....	Rear of 106 Dakota street....	18	First-class garage.....	1,500
Frank Gellant.....	Rear of 10 Leroy street....	18	First-class garage.....	1,000
A. Sherman.....	Rear of 28 Gaston street....	16	First-class garage.....	2,000
J. J. Moore.....	Rear of 1446 Centre street....	23	First-class garage.....	1,000
J. J. Moore.....	Rear of 1442 Centre street....	23	First-class garage.....	1,000
G. W. Comerford.....	Rear of 55 Moseley street....	11	Second-class garage.....	500
Catherine Tierney.....	Rear of 610 East Sixth st....	10	Second-class garage.....	2,000
J. O'Brien.....	Rear of 12 Crescent circuit.	25	Second-class garage.....	1,500
Albert Boule.....	Rear of 53 Lorna road.....	21	Third-class garage.....	500
James Clark.....	Rear of 24 Forest Hills st....	22	Third-class garage.....	775
J. A. Johnson.....	Rear of 66 Montclairave.....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
C. C. Topham <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 18 and 20 Greenwood avenue.....	24	Third-class garage.....	700
H. L. Driscoll.....	Rear of 36 Saranac street....	20	Third-class garage.....	500
D. A. McCarthy.....	Rear of 130 Theodore Parker road.	23	Third-class garage.....	500
John Lawler.....	Rear of 24 Halifax street....	22	Third-class garage.....	500
Mary L. O'Brien.....	Rear of 34 Moraine street....	22	Third-class garage.....	500
J. A. Hanson.....	Rear of 22 Milton square....	24	Third-class garage.....	250
Daniel McLeod.....	91 Landseer street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
J. T. Hosford.....	33 Roberts street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,500
J. T. Hosford.....	26 Roberts street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,500
L. J. Lanata.....	22 Rockdale street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Martha Cannon.....	18 Thatcher street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
L. J. Lanata.....	8 Rockdale street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
L. J. Lanata.....	12 Rockdale street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
L. J. Lanata.....	16 Rockdale street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Gleason & Marshall.....	6 Ruxton road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. Kargin.....	39 Bothwell road.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
M. Kargin.....	31 Bothwell road.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
M. Kargin.....	23 Bothwell road.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
DeBlois and Maddison.....	222 Summer street.....	5	Install elevator.....	6,800
H. P. Pamboskian.....	488 Columbus avenue.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	400
E. W. Barrett.....	122 and 124 Pembroke street,	7	Erect fire escape.....	100
E. W. Barrett.....	146 and 148 West Newton st.	7	Erect fire escape.....	100
P. J. McDonough.....	135 West Eighth street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
T. L. Ormsby.....	167 West Fifth street.....	9	Alterations, garage.....	2,000
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.....	16 Wirt street.....	26	Alterations, telephone exchange.	75,000
Gertrude Dubb.....	22 and 24 Rexford street....	24	Alterations, tenement.....	70
Hotel Hamilton Trustee.....	260 Clarendon street.....	8	Alterations, apartments.....	1,500
Morandi Proctor.....	66-98 Washington street....	5	Alterations, manufacturing and store.	200
Paul Hamlin, lessee.....	147-151 Massachusetts ave.	7	Alterations, stores.....	3,000
A. Vecchione.....	297 Havre street.....	2	Alterations, store and dwelling.	1,800

placing the man under arrest, the officer brought him to the station house in an automobile operated by the owner of the cases. As they alighted from the car, the prisoner twisted away from Patrolman McNabb and ran, with the officer in hot pursuit. After chasing the prisoner for some distance, Officer McNabb recaptured the thief and brought him to the station house. As he was found to be only sixteen years of age, the prisoner was complained of in the Juvenile Court and sentenced to the Industrial School for Boys at Shirley for a period of two years. A large part of the stolen goods was recovered from the room where he lodged.

I am very much pleased to learn of such excellent police work on the part of Patrolman McNabb and I heartily commend him for his vigilance, courage and perseverance as shown in apprehending this young criminal.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The Jarvis Engineering Company have been granted an extension of time to July 31 for the completion of the contract for refrigeration.

BUYS FLYING HORSES.

The Mayor has approved the following request from Dr. David J. Johnson of the Institutions Department:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully ask permission to purchase from Alonzo Loring of 21 Rose street, Stoughton, flying horses and equipment for the sum of twelve hundred (1,200) dollars, without advertising, said amount to be charged to the Reserve Fund for the purchase and maintenance of a merry-go-round.

I feel that the city would be fortunate in securing this equipment, which has been offered at a very low figure only because the owner is obliged to discontinue the business on account of age. I ask permission to purchase without advertising so that the children will have advantage of these flying horses right away.

They are to be placed at Rainsford Island where they will afford amusement and pleasure to between twelve and fifteen thousand poor children from all parts of the city who yearly attend excursions provided from the income of the Randidge Trust Fund.

Very truly yours,

DAVID J. JOHNSON,
Commissioner.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS.

The following is a list of the buildings in the City of Boston for the demolition of which permits were issued by the Building Department during the week ending July 19:

OWNER OR CONTRACTOR.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Reason for Taking Down.
Meyer Feldman	219 Main street.....	3	Stores	New building.
Joseph Goldman	137 Callender street.....	21	Storage.....	New building.
City Building Wrecking Com- pany.	199 Market street	26	Store-dwelling.....	New building.
Hyman Klayman.....	68 Canterbury street.....	21	Dwelling	New building.
City Building Wrecking Com- pany.	88 Poplar street.....	23	Dwelling	New building.
Boston Consolidated Gas Com- pany.	235 East Eighth street	11	Gas holder.....	Unused.
City Building Wrecking Com- pany.	311 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Dwelling.....	New building.
Angelo Campagnone.....	23 Pleasant street.....	4	Shed.....	Unsafe.
Ira Morse estate.....	Rear of 340 West First street,	9	Shed.	Unsafe.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 17 TO JULY 23.

JULY 17.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. & H. H. Collins.....	171 Warren street.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$575
Edward V. O'Neil.....	33 Wade street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,700
Samuel Barron.....	61 Quincy street.....	16	New fixtures.....	800
J. G. Allmon.....	101 Halleck street.....	14	New fixtures.....	1,200
Samuel Segal.....	521 East Sixth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	650
Samuel Segal.....	148 D street.....	9	New fixtures.....	300
Abraham Katz.....	2009 Commonwealth ave.	25	New fixtures.....	2,500
Abraham Katz.....	2013 Commonwealth ave.	25	New fixtures.....	2,500
Abraham Katz.....	2017 Commonwealth ave.	25	New fixtures.....	2,500
Joseph Locke.....	253 Brookline avenue.....	14	New fixtures.....	200
Charles H. Smith.....	168 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	2,000
John A. Doherty.....	18 Ashford street.....	25	New fixtures.....	400
Samuel Segal.....	294 West Fourth street.....	9	New fixtures.....	115
Samuel Segal.....	358 K street.....	10	New fixtures.....	65
Charles H. Hobson.....	124 Sutherland road.....	25	New fixtures.....	3,000
Charles H. Hobson.....	130 Sutherland road.....	25	New fixtures.....	5,000
Louis C. Lipinsky.....	242 Webster street.....	2	New fixtures.....	150

JULY 18.

John J. Vogel.....	40 Orchard road.....	25	New fixtures.....	\$750
M. H. Myers.....	327 Tremont street.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
William N. McKenna.....	222 Summer street.....	5	New fixtures.....	3,000
Thomas J. Hennigan.....	65 Sullivan street.....	3	New fixtures.....	150
M. H. Myers.....	24 Rutland street.....	6	New fixtures.....	150
Solomon Tack.....	23 Hobson street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
Robert A. Matthews.....	37 Hartford street.....	17	New fixtures.....	875
Maurice Fann.....	189 Everett street.....	2	New fixtures.....	500
Powers & Mehegan.....	285 Emerson street.....	10	New fixtures.....	350
John C. Kelley estate.....	818 East Sixth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	225
P. R. Winters.....	12 Crescent circuit.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,200
James A. Cotter.....	374 Commonwealth avenue,	8	New fixtures.....	7,000
J. H. Larkin.....	121 Charles street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,350
W. J. Cook.....	43 Allston street.....	3	New fixtures.....	300

JULY 19.

Joseph Adams.....	12 Becket street.....	20	New fixtures.....	\$1,150
John I. Henderson.....	329 Park street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
John J. Vogel.....	42 Orchard road.....	25	New fixtures.....	920
E. J. McGrath.....	75 Claymoss road.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,050
Charles A. Whitney.....	81 Pinckney street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,000
L. P. Balentine.....	35 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,500

JULY 21.

Charles Flanagan.....	661 and 663 Bennington st..	1	New fixtures.....	\$400
Frank Flynn.....	293 Silver street.....	10	New fixtures.....	600
H. C. Greenlaw.....	86 Mt. Pleasant avenue.....	12	New fixtures.....	174
A. J. Hughes.....	8 Rodman street.....	22	New fixtures.....	400
A. E. Prescott.....	10 Fairfield street.....	8	New fixtures.....	175
Leo Charles Levy.....	100 Brainerd road.....	25	New fixtures.....	5,280
Leo Charles Levy.....	110 Brainerd road.....	25	New fixtures.....	5,610
Leo Charles Levy.....	33 Walbridge street.....	25	New fixtures.....	5,610

JULY 22.

L. W. Blakney.....	36 Bexley road.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$450
J. A. Dickerson.....	27 St. Stephen street.....	7	New fixtures.....	250
J. L. Kennedy.....	9 Harris avenue.....	9	New fixtures.....	600
W. B. Johnson.....	27 Rutland street.....	6	New fixtures.....	250
C. E. Baldwin.....	68 Appleton street.....	7	New fixtures.....	75
M. Pass.....	1797 Washington street.....	13	New fixtures.....	1,500
C. Lang.....	60 Bradeen street.....	23	New fixtures.....	850

PARK DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES PROGRAM OF SUMMER BAND CONCERTS.

The following is the complete list of band concerts submitted by Park Commissioners and approved by the Mayor:

July 27. Boston Common. Stone's Military Band.

July 27. Franklin Park. Letter Carriers' Band.

July 27. Marine Park. Goodwin's Elks' Band.

July 27. Jamaica Pond. Farrell's Military Band.

Aug. 3. Boston Common. First Corps Cadets' Band.

Aug. 3. Franklin Park. 101st Veterans' Band.

Aug. 3. Marine Park. Stone's Military Band.

Aug. 3. World War Memorial Park. Farrell's Military Band.

Aug. 3. McConnell Park. Hub City Military Band.

Aug. 3. Madison Park. Second Separate Battalion Band.

Aug. 10. Boston Common. Stone's Military Band.

Aug. 10. Franklin Park. Farrell's Military Band.

Aug. 10. Marine Park. Martino's Symphony Band.

Aug. 10. Jamaica Pond. Alhambra Band.

Aug. 17. Boston Common. First Corps Cadets Band.

Aug. 17. Franklin Park. Stone's Military Band.

Aug. 17. Marine Park. Alhambra Band.

Aug. 17. World War Memorial Park. Hub City Military Band.

Aug. 17. McConnell Park. Ive's Military Band.

Aug. 24. Boston Common. First Corps Cadets' Band.

Aug. 24. Franklin Park. Gallo's Symphony Band.

Aug. 24. Marine Park. 101st Veterans' Band.

Aug. 24. Jamaica Pond. Ward's Band.

Aug. 24. Hyde Park (Smith's Pond). Cecil W. Fogg Post Band.

Aug. 24. Madison Park. Old Colony Band.

Aug. 31. Boston Common. Gallo's Symphony Band.

Aug. 31. Franklin Park. Crook's Military Band.

Aug. 31. Marine Park. Letter Carriers' Band.

Aug. 31. McConnell Park. Ward's Band.

Aug. 31. World War Memorial Park. Farrell's Military Band.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed to amend their contract for the completion and erection of an elementary school in the Francis Parkman District, Northbourne road and Nathan street, Jamaica Plain, by striking out the words and figures, "July 1, 1924," on page 25, Section 3, and substituting the words and figures, "August 30, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 25, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about November 1, 1923, and is to be completed on or before August 30, 1924."

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 17 TO JULY 23.

JULY 22.—Concluded.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
C. Lang.....	2077 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$850
J. J. Campbell.....	47 Dundee street.....	7	New fixtures.....	100
C. H. Cronin.....	144 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	900
H. C. Greenlaw.....	27 Garrison street.....	7	New fixtures.....	368
O. R. Schultes.....	15 Mechanic street.....	7	New fixtures.....	125
Mt. Hope Plumbing Com- pany.....	40 Bexley road.....	23	New fixtures.....	400
F. C. Goldberg.....	460 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	50
J. O'Connell.....	234 Faneuil street.....	26	New fixtures.....	75
W. Duston.....	11 Batavia street.....	7	New fixtures.....	300
J. J. Vogel.....	33 Bostonia avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	635
J. O'Toole.....	5 Temple street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
W. H. Browne.....	1420 Boylston street.....	8	New fixtures.....	500
M. H. Myers.....	21 Hobart street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
J. P. Vogel & Son.....	693 Tremont street.....	6	New fixtures.....	125
E. J. Piotti.....	5 Wadleigh place.....	11	New fixtures.....	100
M. H. Myers.....	6 Bradford street.....	6	New fixtures.....	450
M. Hyman.....	8 Hallet street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,200
C. Rosenwald.....	29 Bradlee street.....	19	New fixtures.....	700
Charles Lang.....	2451 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	485
O. F. Metcalf.....	264 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	150

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A. M. Smith.....	236 Faneuil street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$38
A. M. Smith.....	136 Tremont street.....	26	New fixtures.....	35
M. B. Grandone.....	164 Florence street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,000
K. W. McManus.....	40 Ripley road.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,200
H. P. Murphy.....	28 Fairview street.....	20	New fixtures.....	700
H. D. Pollard.....	218 Ashmont street.....	20	New fixtures.....	370
Harold Richardson.....	205 Friend street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
L. J. Towle Company.....	46 Commercial street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
H. C. Greenlaw.....	72 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	150
J. J. Tierny.....	75 Pinckney street.....	8	New fixtures.....	350
M. C. Short.....	1583 Tremont street.....	15	New fixtures.....	300
Charles Stamm.....	30 Union avenue.....	22	New fixtures.....	450
Powers & Mehegan Company.....	5 Navillus terrace.....	17	New fixtures.....	1,000
T. F. Connolly.....	28 Larch street.....	25	New fixtures.....	800
J. W. Anderson.....	78 Brookline avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
A. Schleman.....	92 Maple street.....	16	New fixtures.....	1,500
R. O. Mahr.....	51 Minden street.....	14	New fixtures.....	300
M. Pann.....	21 Eutaw street.....	1	New fixtures.....	750
R. P. Slattey Company.....	191 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,200
D. N. Palmer.....	406 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	100
W. L. Clayton.....	7 Willow street.....	23	New fixtures.....	200
T. E. Casserly.....	3500 Washington street.....	22	New fixtures.....	275
F. C. Goldberg.....	41 Haverhill street.....	5	New fixtures.....	250
Edward Wren.....	604 Weld street.....	23	New fixtures.....	158
H. S. Trethewey.....	63 Beech street.....	23	New fixtures.....	790
H. S. Trethewey.....	7 Marion road.....	22	New fixtures.....	650
J. H. McCarthy.....	29 Orchard street.....	22	New fixtures.....	150
J. H. McCarthy.....	27 Orchard street.....	22	New fixtures.....	150
J. J. Vogel.....	26 Congreve street.....	23	New fixtures.....	430
J. J. Vogel.....	34 Moraine street.....	22	New fixtures.....	875
J. J. Vogel.....	22 Seymour street.....	23	New fixtures.....	200
J. H. Callahan.....	7, 8 and 9 Conant Street pl.....	14	New fixtures.....	348
J. H. Callahan.....	3 Conant Street place.....	14	New fixtures.....	116
J. H. Callahan.....	5 and 6 Conant Street place.....	14	New fixtures.....	332
S. W. Polit.....	403 Charles street.....	5	New fixtures.....	800
S. W. Polit.....	401 Charles street.....	5	New fixtures.....	800
S. W. Polit.....	399 Charles street.....	5	New fixtures.....	800
S. W. Polit.....	32 Crawford street.....	16	New fixtures.....	700
S. W. Polit.....	397 Charles street.....	5	New fixtures.....	800

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Ramsey street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dudley street to Hamlet street, described as follows:

A highway named Ramsey street is hereby laid out, from Dudley street to Hamlet street, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is taken in the following described land exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A part of a parcel of land, now or formerly owned by Benjamin Pope and Edgar W. Cottle, situated on the northwesterly side of Ramsey street, at the corner of Hamlet street, containing one hundred and thirty-five square feet, more or less.

The land, owners unknown, running from Dudley street to Hamlet street, now known as Ramsey street.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty

days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said highway is bounded and described as follows:

Southwest by Dudley street, forty feet; northwest by the northwesterly line of said Ramsey street as hereby laid out, by two measurements, one hundred feet and three hundred fourteen and 11-100 feet; northeast by Hamlet street, forty feet; and southeast by the southeasterly line of said Ramsey street as hereby laid out, by two measurements, three hundred seventeen and 55-100 feet and one hundred two and 84-10 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Ramsey street, from Dudley street to Hamlet street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots within said limits to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan

marked "City of Boston, Ramsey Street, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, June 16, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Almon L. Smith <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	\$216.00
2. Clara T. Carlisle.....	1,265.58
3. John F. Norton.....	207.48
4. William B. James <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	198.64
5. Upham's Corner Market Com- pany, Inc.....	590.88
6. Upham's Corner Market Com- pany, Inc.....	432.66
7. John M. McDonnell.....	307.32
8. Milly Harris.....	179.76
	<u>\$3,398.32</u>

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned estate sustains damages by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Ramsey street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dudley street to Hamlet street, under the order of the Board, and awards said amount thereof.

Benjamin Pope and Edgar W. Cottle, 135
square feet\$50

MAYOR CURLEY WOULD SPEND \$20,000,000 ON HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

Before 500 people in the Idle Hour Theatre at Hyannis on Tuesday evening, July 22, Mayor Curley declared that he favored spending \$20,000,000 to make Boston harbor the greatest exporting center of the North Atlantic coast, "and when I am Governor, I'll do it."

The Mayor said in part:

"The manufacturer who turns raw material into the finished product has a harder problem to solve than the American producer of raw materials; the industrial productivity of America has long outrun its consumptive capacity, and today seven months of productive industry is sufficient to meet all the needs of the American domestic market; and unless he can get new and foreign markets to consume the product of the other five months, he must close down his factory and subject his workers to five months' idleness out of every twelve.

"The solution of this problem of unemployment lies in only one direction, securing foreign markets, and the only known method of getting, having and holding our share of the markets of the world is to carry our goods in American ships under the American flag, keeping the American merchant marine alive, afloat and active, and able to compete in carrying freight and passengers with every other ship of every other nation on earth.

"We pride ourselves on being able to provide transportation for all our products, natural and artificial, to every market in the republic; we provide assistance to nearly every agency of American industry in the republic out of the national treasury; and yet when we come to the sea and the shore of this country we let our surplus pile up, our mills close down and our workers stand idle in the streets because we are too stupid to finance our own American shipping to carry our goods to market and sustain American commerce.

"Without successful commerce there can be no successful and prosperous industry."

TABLE SHOWING NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1924.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES AND STORES.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		GARAGES.		HOTELS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....											83	\$436,105		
Second Class.....	10	\$375,000			1	\$45,000					48	68,700		
Third Class.....							88	\$846,750			47	25,919		
Special Class.....											19	10,005		
Total New Work.....	10	\$375,000			1	\$45,000	88	\$846,750			197	\$540,729		
Alterations, etc.....	16	13,600	18	\$31,900	3	12,900	432	197,762	18	\$8,896	16	11,745	3	\$31,600
Grand Totals.....	26	\$388,600	18	\$31,900	4	\$57,900	520	\$1,004,512	18	\$8,896	213	\$552,474	3	\$31,600

CHARACTER.	LODGING HOUSES.		LODGING HOUSES AND STORES.		MOVING PICTURE HOUSES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.		OFFICE BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....					1	\$50,000			2	\$210,840	1	\$100,000		
Second Class.....							7	\$184,000			3	3,950		
Third Class.....							1	400						
Special Class.....											2	927		
Total New Work.....					1	\$50,000	8	\$184,400	2	\$210,840	6	\$104,875		
Alterations, etc.....	9	\$18,825	3	\$4,800			54	107,861	9	28,157	25	194,291	1	\$400
Grand Totals.....	9	\$18,825	3	\$4,800	1	\$50,000	62	\$292,262	11	\$238,997	31	\$299,168	1	\$400

CHARACTER.	PUBLIC HALLS.		SCHOOL HOUSES.		STABLES.		THEATRES.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....									2	\$47,700	89	\$844,645
Second Class.....	1	\$17,000							2	41,500	72	735,150
Third Class.....									34	14,272	170	887,341
Special Class.....									4	10,965	25	21,895
Total New Work.....	1	\$17,000							42	\$114,437	356	\$2,489,031
Alterations, etc.....			1	\$5,000	6	\$10,230	6	\$618,175	24	9,985	544	1,306,130
Grand Totals.....	1	\$17,000	1	\$5,000	6	\$10,230	6	\$618,175	66	\$124,422	1,000	\$3,795,161

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Crescent street, between Roland street and Cambridge street, in the Charlestown district, at an estimated cost of \$1,080.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch and 18-inch earthen pipe in Colorado street, between Currier street and a point 362 feet north-

easterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$3,620.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Allston street, between Florence avenue and a point 50 feet northeasterly, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$500.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch, 18-inch and 20-inch earthen pipe in Locust street, between Washington avenue and a point 243 feet easterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$3,000.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Max Uroff has agreed to accept the sum of \$4,944.60 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate on Hamilton terrace by the taking of said estates for school purposes under the order of August 2, 1923: 6,191 square feet on Hamilton terrace, northeasterly side; 4,797 square feet on Hamilton terrace, southwesterly side.

TABLE SHOWING APPLICATIONS, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDING JUNE 30, 1924.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES AND STORES.		BANKS.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		GARAGES.		HOTELS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....	1	\$375,000											378	1,502,000		
Second Class.....	93	4,980,000					2	\$70,000	6	\$140,000	1	\$14,000	177	286,665		
Third Class.....	5	95,000							516	5,191,025			220	114,906		
Special Class.....													50	25,410		
Total New Work.....	99	\$5,450,000					2	\$70,000	522	\$5,331,025	1	\$14,000	831	\$1,929,381		
Alterations, etc.....	84	163,030	94	168,570	3	29,600	10	82,475	2,029	1,053,415	152	164,293	40	66,791	12	60,600
Grand Totals.....	183	\$5,613,030	94	\$168,570	3	\$29,600	12	\$152,475	2,551	\$6,384,440	153	\$178,293	921	\$1,996,172	12	\$60,600

CHARACTER.	HOSPITALS.		LODGING HOUSES.		LODGING HOUSES AND STORES.		MOVING PICTURE HOUSES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.		OFFICE BUILDINGS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....	1	\$100,000					1	\$50,000	4	\$486,000	6	\$764,840	5	\$4,125,000
Second Class.....	1	100,000	1	\$55,000					61	724,350	8	459,500	10	95,150
Third Class.....									10	9,810			6	5,000
Special Class.....									2	550			2	925
Total New Work.....	2	\$200,000	1	\$55,000			1	\$50,000	77	\$1,230,710	14	\$1,264,340	23	\$4,226,075
Alterations, etc.....	5	210,875	47	83,652	14	\$7,721			378	1,053,137	76	270,357	103	1,912,373
Grand Totals.....	7	\$410,875	48	\$138,652	14	\$7,721	1	\$50,000	455	\$2,283,847	90	\$1,534,697	126	\$6,128,448

CHARACTER.	PUBLIC BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC HALLS.		SCHOOL HOUSES.		STABLES.		THEATRES.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....	1	\$268,000									11	\$409,950	408	\$8,081,190
Second Class.....	1	182,000	1	\$17,000	1	\$44,000	1	\$7,000			15	225,600	379	7,450,265
Third Class.....							1	2,000			180	81,250	938	5,498,998
Special Class.....											26	33,611	86	60,496
Total New Work.....	2	\$450,000	1	\$17,000	1	\$44,000	2	\$9,000			232	\$750,418	1,811	\$21,090,949
Alterations, etc.....	4	1,975	6	21,300	3	8,990	46	79,790	15	\$661,925	116	277,720	3,307	6,378,594
Grand Totals.....	6	\$451,975	7	\$38,300	4	\$52,990	48	\$88,790	15	\$661,925	368	\$1,028,148	5,118	\$27,469,543

MAYOR VETOES JITNEY BUS LICENSES.

Mayor Curley sent the following to the City Council on July 18:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to return herewith, without my approval, orders adopted by the City Council granting licenses for operation of jitney buses as follows:

John F. G. Eichorn, from Copley Plaza Hotel to Worcester.

A. L. Weiner, from Copley Plaza Hotel to Providence, R. I.

Conway Tours, Inc., from Boston to Providence, R. I.

Frank J. Buckley, from Boston to Providence, R. I.

These contemplated bus lines would enter into direct competition with the railroads which now furnish an adequate service, and would undoubtedly only operate during the season of favorable weather, leaving the railroads to bear the burden at the time when operating expenses are the highest.

The prosperity of Boston and New England is dependent in a large measure upon the efficiency and prosperity of the railroads, which now contribute an amount in excess of \$2,000,000 in taxes to the city, and I do not believe it wise to allow or encourage a form of competition which undoubtedly will reduce their revenue, tend to impair the value of their property and possibly result in an increase in rates for suburban service.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

BOSTON'S RIOT COMPANY OF POLICE OFFICERS REGISTER HIGH AS MARKSMEN AND SHARP-SHOOTERS—155 OUT OF 225 QUALIFY IN PRELIMINARY PRACTICE.

In General Order No. 573, issued by the Police Commissioner, the following is a list of the names of members of the riot companies of the Boston Police Department who qualified as sharpshooters and marksmen during the annual gun practice at Fort Standish in May, 1924.

Four hundred members had preliminary practice. Out of this number 225 were selected to shoot for record. Seventy qualified as sharpshooters and 85 as marksmen, making a total of 155 qualifications.

"Accompanying this general order," the order reads, "are sent to each division commander the medals to be awarded to these men by the National Rifle Association of America. Division commanders will see that they are distributed in accordance with the list. Any of the officers who are on vacation will be awarded the medal on their return to duty. Division commanders will keep the same in custody until that time."

"The commissioner wishes to congratulate the members of the riot companies who have shown proficiency in marksmanship, as it serves as an incentive for other members of the department to continue practice along these lines another year."

The list follows:

HEADQUARTERS.

Sharpshooters.—Capt. Louis E. Lutz, Lieut.-Inspector James R. Clafin, Sergt. Thomas S. J. Kavanagh.

Marksmen.—Patrolman Alfred Boucher,

DIVISION 1.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen Peter C. Drengberg, Fulton P. Wesson, Joseph Daukshta, Willis J. Flippin.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen Melvin A. Patterson, Hugh J. Sullivan, Stephen H. O'Meara, Laurence L. Loughlin.

DIVISION 2.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen Andrew K. Adair, Cecil V. Craig, Stephen J. Murphy.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen Clarence A. Pierce, William T. Desmond, Walter J. Lutz, Coleman P. Conroy, Albert J. Brickley.

DIVISION 3.

Sharpshooters.—Lieut. John M. Anderson, Patrolman John P. Gain,

Marksmen.—Patrolmen John E. Stripplin, Bernard J. Graham, Alfons G. Kollaitis, Joseph Decker, James E. Cochran, Harry J. Nelson, Thomas Conboy, Vincent V. Daniels.

DIVISION 4.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen Frank Tays, George F. Snell, Walter E. Schacht, Peter McDonough, Neil A. McDevitt.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen George W. Gardner, Thomas J. Shaw, Jr., William N. Fowler, Charles D. Bell, Harland E. Hall, Joseph B. Fallon.

DIVISION 5.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen John Crawford, Clarence E. Hyde, Michael J. Farron.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen Henry C. Elliott, James R. Hixon, Robert C. Garnett.

DIVISION 6.

Sharpshooter.—Patrolman Oscar L. Ramsdell.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen William E. McTighe, Patrick Davin, Burton W. Mullins.

DIVISION 7.

Sharpshooter.—Patrolman Benjamin F. Poole.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen Herbert J. Patterson, Albert F. Varner, Lieut. Martin H. King.

DIVISION 8.

Marksmen.—Lieut. Frederick J. Swendeman, Patrolmen James J. Crowley, William E. J. Driscoll.

DIVISION 9.

Sharpshooter.—Patrolman Charles L. Dunsford.

Marksmen.—Sergt. Harry N. Dickinson, Patrolmen Ottis J. Wynn, Joseph J. Callahan, Joseph P. Patenaude.

DIVISION 10.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen Felix F. Sharkey, James T. Hall, John J. Vadenboncour.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen Harold C. Bean, Hugh B. McBrien, Jacob M. Christensen, Vincent B. Cromwell, Francis W. Russell, Justin McCarthy.

DIVISION 11.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen Joseph T. Connelly, Charles A. Bostwick, William J. McCarthy, Frank J. Comeau, Clarence C. Strange, Ernest L. Worster.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen John L. Johnston, Frank P. Delaney, Norman W. Beaton.

DIVISION 12.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen Ralph F. Lockwood, Benjamin Hulka, Jr., William R. Black.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen Thomas E. Griffin, Paul I. Fraher.

DIVISION 13.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen George L. Klages, Daniel McCarthy, Aleck Nesky.

Marksmen.—Patrolman James P. O'Malley.

DIVISION 14.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen Albert E. Martel, William A. Dunsford.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen Harold E. Swanson, Edward J. Montague, Harry J. Hayes, John H. Gottschalk, William McSharry, Patrick J. Donahue.

DIVISION 15.

Sharpshooters.—Sergt. Patrick J. Magner, Patrolmen Edward J. Seibolt, Robert Lucy, William J. Wilkins, Alfred E. Metcalfe.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen James P. Malloy, Albert M. Gersony, John J. Hancotte, Glennie E. Kimbrell.

DIVISION 16.

Sharpshooters.—Sergt. Orrington Waugh, Patrolmen William H. Evans,

Samuel I. Williston, Clark D. Adair, Jacob Grosberg, Henry S. Muldoon.

Marksmen.—Sergt. Walter M. French, Patrolmen J. S. Granger, William A. Fox, Joseph W. McCue, John Allen, Walter R. Horsman.

DIVISION 17.

Sharpshooters.—Lieut. Dana W. Fisher, Patrolmen Patrick J. O'Brien, Clarence L. Ludwig.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen Thomas McGowan, David Priestly, Carl Nelson, William J. Locke.

DIVISION 18.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen John L. Haggerty, John A. Stanciar.

DIVISION 19.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen Albert E. Barrows, Thomas B. Goldie.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen John J. McMahon.

DIVISION 20.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen Patrick A. Hurley, Leo J. Herlihy, Rudolph E. Jensen, James Tagliarino, Jerome J. Lynch, Harold B. Titus.

Marksmen.—Patrolmen Patrick F. Concannon, Carl I. Dymling, James J. Coughlin, Edward H. Vail, Cecil E. Lewis, Frank M. Miller, Harry H. Benn, Owen O'Rourke, Sergt. John P. M. Wolfe.

DIVISION 21.

Sharpshooters.—Patrolmen Robert Tucker, Joseph A. Cote, Earl Colby, Thomas P. Walsh, Frank E. O'Reilly, Lester M. Brackley, Berton W. Jenkins, Clyde H. Avery.

Marksmen.—Patrolman Harold H. Sturtevant.

LAND-TAKING IN EAST BOSTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking for public improvement of land and buildings thereon, bounded by Condor, East Eagle and Glendon streets, East Boston district, containing approximately 147,476 square feet, and supposed to belong to Alice M. Coleman, for playground purposes, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John F. Coleman, bounded:

South by East Eagle street, three hundred ninety-one and 67-100 feet; west by Glendon street, four hundred feet; north by Condor street, three hundred forty-five and 51-100 feet; and east by Condor street, four hundred two and 66-100 feet; containing one hundred forty-seven thousand four hundred and thirty-six square feet, more or less.

Said parcel is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Condor street, East Eagle street, East Boston, June 12, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Dept.," and on file in the office of the said department.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned estate sustains damages by the taking made for playground purposes on East Eagle, Glendon and Condor streets, East Boston district, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners, in the amount hereinafter set against it, and awards said amount therefor.

John F. Coleman, 147,436 square feet and buildings\$66,800

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending July 19, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 128; nonresidents, 45; total, 173.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 11.61; nonresidents deducted, 8.59.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 13.63; corresponding week last year, 11.71.
Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 24; one year to five years, inclusive, 11; sixty years and over, 63; total deaths: male, 91; female, 82; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 98; deaths of colored, 3.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 19, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 21, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	3	—	1	1
Diphtheria.....	37	3	40	3
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	3	—
Influenza.....	—	—	—	—
Measles.....	22	1	69	3
Meningitis epidemic.....	2	1	2	2
Pneumonia (lobar).....	6	1	15	9
Scarlet fever.....	19	—	23	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	53	14	36	11
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	7	3	5	2
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	4	—
Whooping cough.....	17	—	16	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

DEPUTY INSPECTOR OF GAS METERS, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES, JULY 30, 1924.

The salary is \$1,200 per year. It is desirable that applicants have had experience in testing gas meters.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 7; report writing, 2; arithmetic, 2; accuracy test, 2; penmanship, 1; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 6; total, 20.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

ASSISTANT IN HYGIENE (NUTRITION), DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, JULY 30, 1924.

There are three vacancies at a salary of \$1,440 per year. The duties of this position are to conduct nutrition classes for children, assist at tuberculosis clinics for children, give talks to groups of mothers and children, and assist communities to start nutrition work.

It is desirable that applicants have a college degree in science, including courses in the physiology and chemistry of digestion and the problems of nutrition, and training in home economics.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required

to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

DIETITIAN, BOSTON SANATORIUM, JULY 31, 1924. REQUISITION IS FOR A FEMALE, BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES.

The salary is \$1,800 per year and maintenance.

Applicants must be not less than 30 years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The duties of this position are to have charge of the diet kitchen, which includes everything to do with food, from the ordering until it is eaten. It is desirable that applicants have had experience in such work.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

TUBERCULOSIS FIELD NURSE, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, DIVISION OF TUBERCULOSIS, AUGUST 7, 1924. REQUISITION IS FOR A FEMALE BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES.

The salary is \$1,680 per year. At the present time there is one vacancy and six new appointments to be made in the Division of Tuberculosis.

Applicants must be not less than 25 nor over 45 years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Applicants must be registered nurses with a high school education or its equivalent.

The duties of this position are to organize and arrange programs for school examination clinics and general field tuberculosis work, to check board of health and dispensary tuberculosis records, to make tuberculosis surveys of cities and towns, to assist local nurses in developing work, and to submit reports.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

PRINTING FOREMAN, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, CHARLESTOWN STATE PRISON, AUGUST 7, 1924.

The salary is \$2,400 per year. Applicants must have a knowledge of press work and must understand imposition of forms and rapid press work. The duties of the position are to have charge of the printing industry at the prison.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

DRAUGHTSMAN, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

There are two vacancies at a salary of \$2,100 a year.

The duties of this position include field investigations and surveys and charting and drafting of material so acquired.

ENGINEER, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year.

The duties of this position consist of general engineering work in connection with city planning studies. It is desirable that applicants have technical training in city planning work such as afforded by city planning courses in colleges or equivalent practical experience in city planning work. They should be familiar with the growth and development of the city planning movement in this country covering such matters as street planning, zoning, park and boulevard systems, recreational facilities and all other matters which logically pertain to city planning.

The subjects of the examinations with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; practical questions, 1; total, 2.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.*General Order No. 32.***I. PROMOTIONS.**

The following promotion which took effect June 26, 1924, is hereby announced: Assistant Operator Orlando W. Flynn of the Fire Alarm Branch to operator.

The following promotion which took effect July 14, 1924, is hereby announced: Assistant Operator John M. Ahern of the Fire Alarm Branch to operator.

The following promotion is hereby announced, to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, July 18, 1924:

Ladderman John J. Blakely of Ladder Company 2 to lieutenant.

II. ASSIGNMENTS.

The following assignments of men on probation are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, July 18, 1924:

John A. McGranachan to Ladder 25.

Albert C. Hurley to Engine 34.

John L. Galvin to Engine 40.

James P. Shea to Engine 44.

III. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, July 18, 1924:

Lieut. Walter H. Greene, from Tower 1 to Engine 19.

Lieut. Fred L. Sargent, from Engine 53 to Tower 1.

Lieut. Arthur L. Johnson, from Tower 3 to Engine 53.

Lieut. John J. Blakely, from Ladder 2 to Tower 3.

John F. O'Shea, from Engine 25 to Ladder 8.

Harold B. Bannon, from Engine 34 to Engine 44.

Carl A. E. Carlson, from Engine 44 to Engine 25.

Henry A. Dionne, from Engine 40 to Engine 24.

Richard F. Aylward, from Engine 25 to Ladder 8.

Francis J. McCabe, from Ladder 25 to Engine 49.

James F. Callahan, from Ladder 18 to Ladder 6.

Stephen T. Connolly, from Ladder 6 to Ladder 18.

Frank V. Falcone, from Engine 44 to Ladder 28.

IV. FIRE ALARM BOXES REMOVED FROM SERVICE.

The following fire alarm boxes have been removed from service:

Box 2255, formerly located in the Boston Elevated Railway Company car shops, Bartlett street.

Box 2374, formerly located in the New England Baptist Hospital, Parker Hill avenue.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN BOSTON.

Number of permanent school buildings in use in 1922 for school purposes, 265; or 217 brick and 48 wooden; portable houses, 216; besides these, 14 rented quarters; in 1922 day schools contained 3,315 class-rooms and 137,673 sittings, also 96 assembly halls and 15 drill halls and gymnasias; 3,601 teachers in all schools, or 3,031 women and 570 men; evening schools, 28, with 397 regular

teachers. Playground teachers, 175, having charge of games, gymnastics, etc., in 56 park and 34 schoolyard playgrounds; school physicians, 48; school nurses, 52; attendance officers, 29. Number of pupils registered in regular day schools year ending June 30, 1922, 131,789, of which 5,849 were registered again in the Summer Review Schools; in evening schools, 15,309; Continuation School, 6,753; Day School for Immigrants, 1,522; total registration, 155,373 or 5,218 increase over 1921. Average number belonging in day schools, 118,970 or 5,560 more than in 1921; average number in evening schools, 8,271; in Continuation School, 3,422.

On September 30, 1922, the school membership was as follows: Normal School and 16 high and Latin schools, 22,393 or 1,871 more than same date in 1921; in 241 elementary and intermediate schools, by districts:—East Boston, 11,026; Charlestown, 3,766; North End, 5,743; West End, 6,094; City Proper, 4,370; South End, 3,993; South Boston, 9,174; Roxbury, 15,505; Brighton, 4,655; West Roxbury, 7,794; Dorchester, 24,162; Hyde Park, 2,508; in special schools, 1,403. Total in elementary grades I to VIII, 88,846; Kindergartens, 7,948; intermediate, 1,996; Continuation School, 3,600; total for all day schools, 126,186 or 2,675 more than in 1921. Number of graduates in 1922, 8,425; elementary school pupils promoted, 87,088; not promoted, 10,959. Average number of day-school pupils per teacher in elementary grades, 41.8; in high schools, 30.1; in kindergartens, 27.1.

Cost of maintenance for 1922, \$11,778,471 or \$610,550 more than in 1921 and \$1,880,543 ahead of 1920; expenditure for construction of new schools, etc., \$1,778,844 all from Tax Levy, or \$918,019 (106.64 per cent) more than in 1920, also \$551,060 from loan for new Public Latin School. Gross debt outstanding for Schoolhouses and Sites, Feb. 1, 1923, \$15,912,500 or \$539,500 more than in 1922. Annual maintenance cost per attending pupil in Latin and high schools (day), \$124.66; in elementary schools (day), \$78.21.

The registration of minors, 5 to 15 years (inclu.), also illiterates over 15, April 1, 1923, as directed by Chap. 102, General Acts of 1916, showed a total of 141,619 (i. e., 1,851 more than in 1922) or 24,273 of 5 and 6 years of age; 91,532 of 7 to 13 (inclu.); 26,568 of 14 and 15, and 2,246 illiterates 16 years of age and over. Total minors under 16 belonging to public day schools, 112,262; to parochial schools, 27,089; other private schools, 2,724; defectives (not in any school), 30. The illiterates attend the elementary evening schools.

The School Centers for educational and social improvement of other than school pupils started in 1912. There are now 9 having evening and 5 afternoon sessions in the larger school halls, with 159 paid leaders and assistants and 30 to 40 study and entertainment clubs or groups in each; total attendance during the 10 months' sessions in 1921-22, 475,048, mostly evenings. Cost of this "extended use of public schools" in 1921-22, \$52,537. For "Non-School Center" activities 70 of the school halls are used by various social groups, moderate rental fees being charged.

Per capita (of Boston population) cost in 1922 of schools approximately \$16.38 (including special appropriations from

taxes, etc., for new schoolhouses), which is \$3.08 higher than in 1920 and nearly double that of 1916.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

PORT OF BOSTON.

Best of natural harbors, sheltered, spacious for anchorage, main ship channel 35 feet in depth at low tide, near open sea, total area of harbor about 47 square miles; waterfront (i. e., lineal pier space) 40 miles, 6 miles fronting on 30 feet depth at low water. A 45-foot channel from entrance of harbor to President Roads and 40-foot from there to wharves will be dredged in the near future.

The three principal freight terminals are those of the Boston and Maine R. R. in Charlestown, Cambridge and E. Somerville; the Boston and Albany R. R. in East Boston; the New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R. in South Boston, interchange of freight between terminals effected by Union Freight R. R. with tracks on waterfront streets. New Commonwealth Pier No. 5, South Boston, 1,200 feet long, 400 feet wide, accommodating five 600-foot ships at one time, 40 feet depth at mean low water on both sides, with three 2-story fireproof buildings of steel and concrete construction, containing 900,000 square feet of floor space, total cost of this enterprise to State, \$4,500,000. Commonwealth Pier No. 6, South Boston (Fish Pier), buildings on same erected by lessee, Boston Fish Market Corporation, cost to State, \$1,487,361. New Commonwealth Pier, No. 1, East Boston, 900 feet long, costing State \$764,600 for site and about \$345,000 for construction. New dry dock at South Boston (probably the largest in world), completed in 1919, 1,200 feet long and 120 wide, costing over \$3,000,000 and taken by U. S. Government at total cost of same to State. Islands in Boston Harbor over 3 acres in area, 17, with total area of 965 acres; Long Island the largest, or 215.5 acres. Owned by United States, 392 acres; by City of Boston, 334 acres. Number of wharves, 143, of which 8 are owned by the City. There are 24 foreign steamship lines with regular sailings to and from Boston and 19 coastwise lines (5 to Pacific ports). In 1915 a revision of the harbor lines was made and the project undertaken whereby 600 acres of flats between Governor's Island and Jeffries Pt., E. Boston, will be filled in and used for extensive commercial development under State control. At the close of 1922 about 120 acres had been filled.

In April, 1918, the Government established its Army Supply Base on a portion of the Commonwealth lands in South Boston. About 57.6 acres were purchased of the State, the price being \$1,317,510, quickly followed by the construction of two pier sheds, each 920 feet long, a wharf shed and other buildings, including one of the largest storehouses in the world, built of reinforced concrete, eight stories high, 1,638 feet long, 126 feet wide and with floor space of over 1,650,000 square feet or about 38 acres. The total outlay for the plant was \$26,000,000.

Total Federal expenditure for improvement of Boston Harbor from 1790 to June 30, 1918, \$12,525,981; total expended and provided for by State, \$18,364,947 since 1859.

[Statistics Dept's latest revision.]

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR RECONDITIONING AND APPLYING SAFETY DEVICES TO SIX HYDRAULIC ELEVATORS AND TWO ELECTRIC ELEVATORS.

The Trustees of the Boston City Hospital of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing all labor and material necessary to equip six (6) hydraulic elevators and two (2) automatic type electric elevators with new shaft doors, together with electric switches to prevent the operation of the elevators unless all shaft doors to each elevator are closed, in the following buildings: Haymarket Square Relief Station, Haymarket square; East Boston Relief Station, 14 Porter street, East Boston; and the Burnham Memorial Building, Medical Building, Surgical Building, Pavilion III, Wards E and N, and Wards A and I, at the main hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, and giving bond of a surety company therefor in the sum of \$1,000. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, August 5, 1924, at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital with a certified check for \$200, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, before 12 o'clock noon on the date given above for receiving proposals. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

(July 26.) EDMUND W. WILSON,
Acting Superintendent.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE WALKS AND GRADING AT CENTRAL SQUARE, EAST BOSTON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for concrete walks and grading at Central square, East Boston. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Concrete Walks and Grading at Central Square, East Boston," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, July 31, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$3,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

(July 26.) JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS, *Commissioners*.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING FLYING CAGE AT FRANKLIN PARK ZOO.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for painting flying cage at Franklin Park Zoo. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineers' office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "For Painting Flying Cage at Franklin Park Zoo," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, July 31, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,000, of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

(July 26.) JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman*,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS, *Commissioners*.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES AND CANNED GOODS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Boston City Hospital and Long Island Hospital, canned goods and groceries as per proposals to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200 payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at 12 m. at Room 801, City Hall Annex, on Friday, August 1, 1924. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(July 26.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for erecting and completing, including all trades, an intermediate school, Mather District, Charles street, Dorchester district, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, August 12, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$20,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

(July 26.) THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL, *Commissioners*.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO MASON CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for building a stone wall, fence and grading yard at the Grant School, Phillips street, city proper, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, August 1, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

(July 26.) THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL, *Commissioners*.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Scottfield road, Brighton district, as a highway, from Commonwealth avenue to Warren street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(July 26-Aug. 2.) *Secretary*.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Hyde street, South Boston district, as a highway, from Dorchester avenue to Old Colony avenue, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(July 26-Aug. 2.) *Secretary*.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Radnor road, Brighton district, as a highway, from Foster street to Kirkwood road, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(July 26-Aug. 2.) *Secretary*.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 17, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land on the south-westerly side of Heath street, Roxbury district, supposed to belong to Frederick Bleiler, and bounded by Heath street, Cranford street, Floyd street extension, and Board of Survey street No. 1349, excluding the Jefferson School property of the City of Boston, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of August 5, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(July 26.) *Secretary*.

CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

STREET LIGHTING CONTRACTS.

CITY OF BOSTON,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK.
July 16, 1924.

The City Council of the City of Boston will give a public hearing in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday, July 28, 1924, at 3 o'clock p. m., on the proposed contracts with the Charlestown Gas and Electric Company for furnishing gas for street lighting and for the equipment and the lighting and extinguishing of gas lamps for the Charlestown District for a period of ten years.

By order of the City Council.
JAMES DONOVAN,
City Clerk.
(July 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN NEPONSET AVENUE, FROM MINOT STREET TO NEPONSET BRIDGE APPROACH, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for granite block pavement in Neponset avenue, from Minot street to Neponset Bridge Approach, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eight thousand (8,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Granite Block Pavement, Neponset Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, August 5, 1924, with a certified check for one thousand (1,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 24, 1924. (July 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR THE PURCHASE OF USED TYPEWRITERS.

The School Committee has for sale used typewriting machines, and invites bids from second-hand typewriting machine dealers, junk dealers and others, on the purchase of these machines, now at the several school buildings, and which may be seen and inspected by any person proposing to submit bid. Proposals made on the form to be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, will be received until Wednesday, August 6, 1924, at 12 o'clock m., at which time they will be publicly opened and read. Proposals should be plainly marked "Proposals for Purchasing Used Typewriters." Each bid must be in duplicate, one copy to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening bids, and the other to be sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee at the above address. A certified check for \$100, payable to the City of Boston, must be filed with the copy of the bid sent to the Business Agent of the School Committee. The successful bidder will be required to pay in full for the machines before they are removed from the several school buildings. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be for the best interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(July 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR TYPEWRITERS FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing and delivering at school buildings on or before September 9, 1924, in accordance with specifications, typewriters for use in the public schools. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Wednesday, August 6, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$100, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Each proposal should be plainly marked, "Proposal for Typewriters." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, and the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The bidder awarded the contract will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for a sum not exceeding 30 per cent of the amount of the contract, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept such bids or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent of the School Committee.
(July 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN POYDRAS STREET AND TCHAPITOU-LAS STREET, HYDE PARK.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 900 feet of 12-inch water pipe in Poydras street and Tchaptoulas street, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirteen hundred (1,300) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Poydras Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, August 4, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 24, 1924. (July 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Kirkwood road, Brighton district, as a highway, from Foster street to South street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.
(July 26-Aug. 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN PUBLIC ALLEY NO. 544, BETWEEN PUBLIC ALLEY NO. 543 AND CARLETON STREET, CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Public Alley No. 544, between Public Alley No. 543 and Carleton street, city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Public Alley No. 544," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, August 7, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 24, 1924. (July 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Maple street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Weld street northwesterly, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

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CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Minot street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Adams street to Carruth street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

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Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
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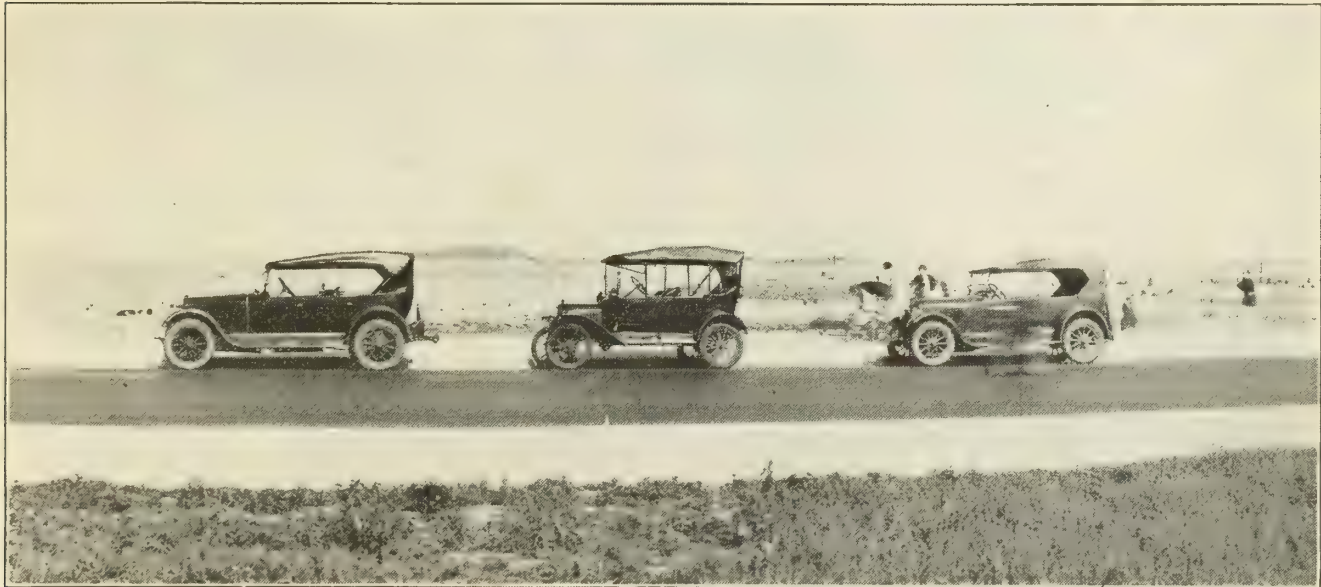
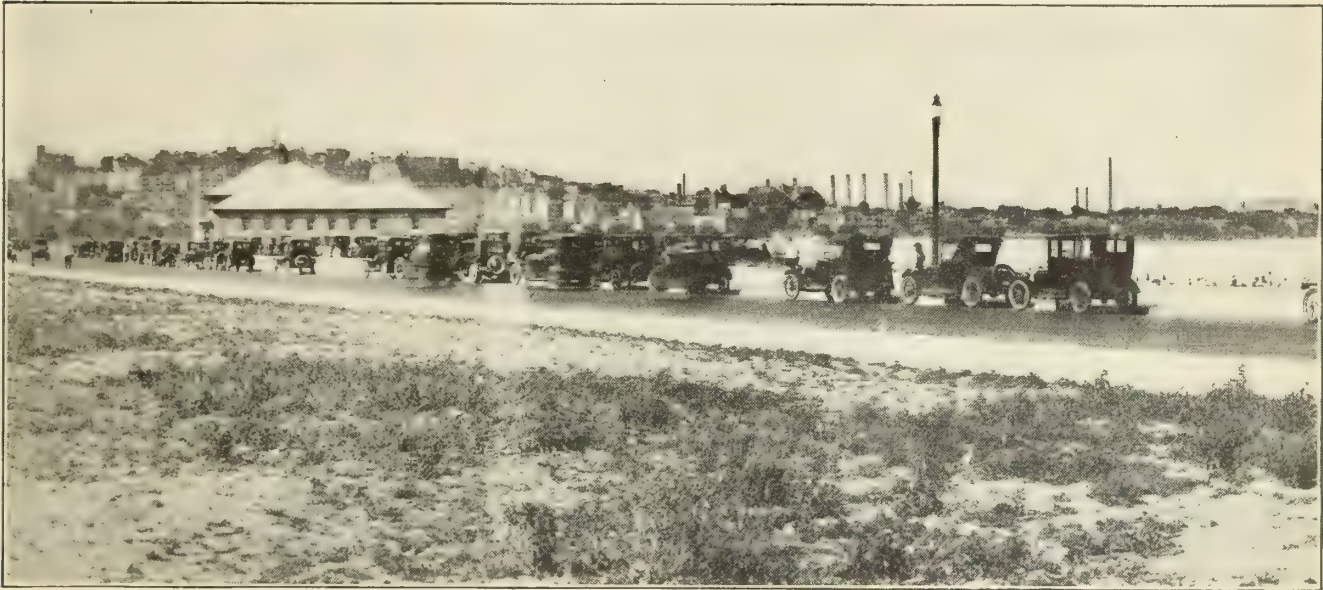
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STRANDWAY PROJECT ALREADY PROVING ITS VALUE WITH THOUSANDS OF BOSTON CITIZENS ENJOYING RELIEF FROM HEAT IN COOLING WATERS OF BAY.



Photos by Harry Kelly.

TWO VIEWS OF BOSTON'S STRANDWAY BATHING BEACH, GIVING IDEA OF EXTENT OF IMPROVEMENT.
UPPER VIEW—BATH HOUSE AND VICINITY. LOWER VIEW—STRANDWAY, OFF COLUMBIA CIRCLE.

Boston's strandway, the most magnificent and beautiful monument to the achievement of the present administration under Mayor Curley, has already proved its worth during the present hot spell, for, by the thousands, citizens and visitors have had relief from the heat by the bathing privileges here.

The bath house with its capacity for accommodating thousands has already been taxed to its capacity and more. The beach has attracted attention from tourists even from the far West and its fame is spreading to the ends of the earth. The \$2,000,000 being spent is well spent, since in addition to the two hun-

dred and sixty-five acres of reclaimed land added to the city's wealth, the walks and driveways, and the general view of the whole bay make for its increasing fame. This fame will grow as the years come until it will stand as the greatest open air space devoted to the use of all citizens provided any place in the world.



'O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, August 4, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

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and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marqueses, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

REFUSAL OF "BAY STATE ROAD" TO DO PAVING PROPERLY BLAMED FOR CHARLESTOWN TRAFFIC CONDITIONS.

DILLY-DALLYING TACTICS RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING NEW TRACK WORK ON ONE LINE OF TRAVEL AND FAILURE TO PROPERLY GROUT JOINTS GIVEN AS CAUSE BY PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT HEAD.

The following letter has been sent to the Boston *Post* placing blame for traffic conditions on Chelsea street, Charlestown, on the Eastern Massachusetts Railway:

Boston, July 30, 1924.

To the Editor of the Post:

In reply to article in the *Post* of July 30, quoting statement from the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company officials regarding the responsibility for traffic jams on Chelsea street, Charlestown, due to the repaving of that thoroughfare, the writer did not make the statement that the street railway company had been delayed in obtaining new car rails, but that it had taken considerable time for the railway company to establish new track work on one line of travel for the entire length of roadway to be paved, which we insisted upon at the beginning in order that the entire job would be completed earlier. When this stretch of track work was completed, the paving contractor for the city proceeded to pave this track area along with its side roadway.

This department decided that Chelsea street, at the beginning of the season when Chelsea Bridge was completed, and particularly after the Telephone and Edison companies had been ordered in there for their underground work, was in such condition as to require immediate resurfacing. The longer it was delayed the more numerous the complaints that would reach this office as to the condition of

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

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To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

the pavement; hence it was decided that although the street railway traffic might be interfered with more by starting early than by deferring it until after September 1, the greater benefit of the very large commercial traffic over the street would be accomplished by having the resurfacing done as speedily as possible.

It is impossible to resurface Chelsea street without interfering considerably with traffic, which is true of all similar work and particularly so for comparatively narrow roadways where track work must be reconstructed and car service maintained.

On a part of Chelsea street occupied by the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway tracks last year we repaved with grouted joints the entire roadway, with the exception of the space between the rails of the individual tracks which was done by the railway company which relaid the existing granite blocks on gravel base and without grout joints and which, as might be expected from this method, has been in disgraceful condition since shortly after it was placed.

His Honor the Mayor caused to be introduced into the last Legislature a bill compelling the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company to bear the cost of paving between its track rails just as the Boston Elevated is compelled to do within our city limits, and which was refused approval; and the city is now paving the entire roadway on Chelsea street, including the track area of the Eastern Massachusetts Company, at the expense of the taxpayers of the city and reducing thereby the amount of work to be done on other city streets by the cost of the track work paving in Chelsea street.

Yours very truly,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

BOSTON, OFFICIALLY AND UNOFFICIALLY, PLANS HUGE WELCOME TO AGED G. A. R. VETERANS.

LAST VISIT OF CIVIL WAR HEROES TO BE MADE MOST MEMORABLE ENTERTAINMENT OF THEIR ENTIRE LIVES.

Elaborate preparations are under way for the entertainment of the veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic, who are to hold their national encampment in Boston August 10 to 16, as well as of the delegates to the national encampment of the Women's Relief Corps and the National Association of Army Nurses of the Civil War, which are to meet at the same time.

Special medical attendance is to be provided at the several railroad stations and boat landings during the first two days of the week, while the delegates are arriving. Information booths also will be erected at these terminals, as well as at other points throughout the city, and on Tuesday, when the annual parade of the Grand Army will take place, relief stations will be erected at intersecting streets along the line of march.

This parade, which will be the principal public function of the week, is expected to be of far greater interest from the fact that without doubt it will be the last time such an affair will be held in Boston. Three hundred Boy Scouts have volunteered to do police duty on that day and to carry water to the veterans along the line of march.

The tentative route for the parade provides for its passage through Arlington street, from the corner of Beacon, to Boylston, to Tremont, to Temple place, to Washington, to Adams square, where it will disband.

Another function in which the public has been invited to participate will be a fireworks display on Boston Common on Friday evening, August 15. A band concert also will be held on the Parkman bandstand and speeches will be made by Mayor Curley and officers of the national convention.

On Thursday the beautiful estate of Miss Mary Bowditch Forbes on Adams street, Milton, is to be thrown open to the Civil War veterans for their inspection of a replica of the little log cabin in which Abraham Lincoln was born. This replica is complete, even to the last peg, every single detail being an exact counterpart of the original birthplace of the great emancipator. The younger members of the social set will act as guides and will assist the hostess in serving a special luncheon to the visiting veterans. The Elevated system is to furnish special cars to take the veterans to the Milton line, where automobiles driven by society girls will transport them to the Forbes estate.

Arrangements also have been completed for an old-fashioned clam bake at Plymouth, for Wednesday, August 13. Two big boats have been chartered for the occasion. This will give the delegates an opportunity to see the Massachusetts coast line, as well as the various points of historic interest at the landing place of the Pilgrims.

The events of the week will open formally at 1.30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, August 10, when the Relief Corps will hold public exercises in the Shawmut Congregational Church, Tremont and

West Brookline streets. On this occasion a silk flag will be presented the Armenian Church, which holds its regular services in that edifice. Mrs. Leura Inman, national patriotic instructor, will make the presentation address. A flag also will be presented to Faneuil Boy Scouts troop No. 2 at this service.

At three o'clock the same afternoon the Grand Army will conduct a patriotic service in the Old South Church.

On Monday morning, August 11, the national officers and past national commanders and a few invited guests are to be tendered a breakfast at the Wayside Inn in Sudbury. At 5.30 o'clock that afternoon will come the tree-planting exercises on Boston Common by the Grand Army, when an avenue of trees, presented by the City of Boston in honor of the Grand Army, will be dedicated. At the close of the Grand Army ceremonies, the National Women's Relief Corps will plant and dedicate trees in memory of Lincoln, Grant, Sherman and Sheridan.

On Monday evening there will be a semi-official meeting in Symphony Hall, when greetings will be presented the Grand Army by the various allied organizations.

The annual parade of the Grand Army will take place at 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning, August 12. The first session of the Women's Relief Corps is to take place at two o'clock on that afternoon, and is to be an open meeting to which the public will be admitted. Mrs. Bell W. Bliss, national president, will read her address and greetings will be extended by the various patriotic organizations.

That same evening a public camp fire will be held in Mechanics Building, in otic addresses by distinguished speakers, charge of the Grand Army, with patrisinging and other features.

Other interesting events in which the various organizations will have a part include the joint reception to Commander Gaylord M. Saltzgeber and staff of the Grand Army, by the National Women's Relief Corps, the Sons of Veterans, Ladies of the G. A. R., Daughters of Veterans, and Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary. This is to take place on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock at the First Corps Cadets armory on Columbus avenue. A special feature is to be the "trooping of the colors" under the direction of William L. Anderson, national patriotic instructor of the Sons of Veterans.

Another reception of interest is to be given to the Grand Army and friends by the department of Massachusetts Women's Relief Corps at the Hotel Vendome on Thursday from 8.30 to 10 p. m. Mrs. E. Louis Shapleigh, department senior aid, is chairman of the committee in charge.

The old Royall House in Medford, one of the most historic houses in New England, is to be open to the delegates to the Relief Corps convention on Friday, August 15. During this reception a tree in memory of Clara Barton, the only honorary member of the Women's

Relief Corps, will be planted on this historic ground.

In connection with the visit of the Grand Army veterans, the automobile committee, headed by Vice-Chairman Fred E. Bolton, is sorely in need of automobiles for parade day, as well as for the projected trip to Concord and Lexington. He will gladly accept the generosity of owners if they will notify him at Room 305, City Hall Annex, as to how many cars they may be able to provide.

URGES ATTENTION TO TRAFFIC SIGNALS TO AVOID CONGESTION.

Very few persons, whether driving a car or crossing the street on foot, know what the police whistles mean, or even the arm signals, as often practised, declares Chairman John H. L. Noyes, of the Boston Board of Street Commissioners. He has made an appeal to the public to pay strict attention to the police directions at street intersections.

"I firmly believe," said Chairman Noyes, "that if the public would take the police traffic signals as seriously as they do in New York, much of the street congestion troubles downtown, as well as the frequent accidents, would disappear."

"Every time we go to New York we are impressed with the way the police handle traffic. New Yorkers have been educated along the lines of patience and forbearance. They know what the signals mean and they obey them. Never do you see in that city either men or women dodging in and out of the traffic jams, in their haste to get from point to point."

Chairman Noyes declared that Boston's traffic arrangements can never be on such a comprehensive scale as those in New York, because of the different problems involved, but that the system now practised here has every possibility of achieving good results if the public will co-operate.

Gradually, the system has been evolved to include all parts of the city where there is the liability of traffic dangers or delays, and the traffic officers are now thoroughly schooled under the direction of Deputy Superintendent Goode and Captains Hoppe and Laffey.

One short, sharp blast of the traffic officer's whistle means that moving traffic shall stop and the pedestrians shall cross the street. Two blasts of the whistle indicate that a change is about to take place. Following the two blasts, warning hand signals are given to pedestrians to stop, followed by hand signals to traffic in opposite direction to move.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

The C. & R. Construction Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the erection and completion of an addition to an elementary school in the Julia Ward Howe District, Dale street, Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "December 15, 1923," on page 24, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "September 15, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 24, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about April 15, 1924, and is to be completed on or before September 15, 1924."

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing labor and materials for six hydraulic type and two automatic elevators in various stations. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the City Hospital Superintendent. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 5, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for gas pipe fence on easterly side of Everett street, Brighton; southerly approach to bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 11, at 12 m.

Advertises or proposals for repairing sidewalk and flooring of the Dorchester Avenue Bridge over Fort Point channel. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for building two concrete piers at the Dartmouth Street Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$12,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 19, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing ventilating system on ferryboat "Noddle Island." Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 12, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for granite block pavement in Neponset avenue, from Minot street to Neponset Bridge approach, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 5, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Mill street, between Victory road and Greenhill street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,600. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Weld street, Parkvale road, Willowdean avenue and Realton road, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, August 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Public Alley No. 544, between Public Alley No. 543 and Carleton street, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, August 7, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for wooden screen on Dorchester brook outlet. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$400. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, August 7, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Poydras street and Tchepitoulas street, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, ac-

companied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing electric valve-operating equipment on 36-inch valve at Copley square, Beacon street and Commonwealth avenue, Huntington avenue at South Huntington avenue. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, August 8, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for reproducing grand electric piano for Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount satisfactory to the business agent of the School Committee. Blank form for proposals may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, Business Agent, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing upright pianos for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 30 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals from second-hand typewriting machine dealers and junk dealers, etc., for the purchase of machines at the several buildings. The successful bidder will be required to pay in full for the machines before they are removed. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, August 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and delivering typewriters for use of the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 30 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, August 6, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, in all trades, an inter-

mediate school in the Mather District, Charles street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 109, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$20,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for painting the exterior and interior of 15 Beacon street, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 12, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing iron castings to the Public Works Department, Water Service. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 12, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, July 31.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

John A. Reagan has been employed as temporary clerk for a period of thirty days at \$4 a day.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been appointed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, July 24.

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Margaret Denham, maid, \$468 a year; Annie Sheehan, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Mary Fitzmaurice, nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Owen Winderson, choreman (patient), \$240 a year.

Temporary.—Myra Guillet, nurse, Out-Patient Department, \$1,500 a year; Cornelius Johnson, assistant engineer, \$39 a week.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium: Margaret Denham, maid, \$468 a year; Richard Coughlin, assistant farmer, \$700 a year; Alice Perkins, maid, \$468 a year.

The following changes in salary have been made:

Joseph Powers, technician, from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

John J. McCarthy has been designated to serve as Acting City Collector at such

times as the collector may be absent during the four weeks commencing July 30.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

The following named persons, have been appointed temporary assistant registrars, for a period of sixty days: Michael D. McLaughlin, Democrat; John J. Holland, Democrat; Arthur E. Bailey, Republican; Joseph A. Gately, Republican. All at \$5 a day each.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The following increases in pay in the fire-fighting force of the Boston Fire Department have been granted:

Fifty engineers, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year; 51 assistant engineers, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year; 1 assistant engineer, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year; 1 assistant engineer, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

Seven hundred sixty privates, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year; 27 privates, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year; 29 privates, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year; 50 privates, from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year; 226 privates, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

Five engineers in charge, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year: W. C. Bailey, H. T. Brennan, James Wall, J. P. Jones, D. J. Cadigan.

Ten engineers, motor squad, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year: J. S. Farley, J. A. Kennedy, J. J. Smith, J. A. Hassey, F. G. Menghi, J. E. Plunkett, P. G. Ferren, J. T. Hoppe, E. G. C. Learson, W. J. McCarthy.

Two aids to commissioner, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year: F. B. Cook, J. J. Crehan.

One aid to chief of department, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year: J. H. Coakley.

Seven engineers, High Pressure Service, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year: J. P. Gillogly, E. J. Twomey, E. S. Oresteen, W. H. Hildreth, Francis Dolan, J. J. Higgins, R. J. Brough.

Three marine engineers, from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year: Engine 31, E. E. O'Brien; Engine 44, H. D. Marsh; Engine 47, D. J. Gibbons.

One master, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year; Engine 31, T. E. Morrison, February 18, 1921.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, July 24:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Francis Dorney, clerk, \$16 a week; William Cody, plumber's helper, \$27 a week; Henry G. Vail, male nurse, \$23.06 a week; Frank L. Amann, Norman Atkinson, porters, \$17.50 a week; Adalina Tomei, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Mary Brophy, Alice Cooney, cleaners, \$11.50 a week; John J. Carey, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Robert Marks, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Frederick Miles, house cleaner, \$12 a week.

Temporary.—Julia Murphy, clerk, \$16 a week; Teresa McMahon, technician, \$21 a week; Lillian Hines, telephone operator, \$22 a week; Veronica N. McNamee, Out-Patient Department messenger, \$11.50 a week; Annie Leahy, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Margaret Haggerty, diet cook, \$11.50 a week; Cora Gross, apothecary, \$17 a week; Thomas Derby, kitchenman, \$19 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Dr. Charles F. Branch, second assistant and in pathology at \$1,000 a year to first assistant at \$2,000 a year; Daniel Horgan, cook's assistant at \$15 a week to kitchenman at \$16 a week; Patrick Ryan, plumber's helper at \$27 a week to jobber at \$18 a week; Hugh McSherry, temporary laundryman at \$23 a week to porter at \$17.50 a week; James A. Kent, kitchenman at \$16 a week to cook's assistant at \$18.50 a week; Charles Beard, temporary watchman at \$12 a week to house cleaner at \$12 a week; James B. Sachetti, temporary supervisor at \$22.50 a week to transfer porter at \$11 a week; Ellen O'Shea, kitchenwoman at \$9.50 a week to temporary cleaner at \$11.50 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following officers at the House of Correction have been granted increase in salary of \$100 each: John McGowan, officer, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year; Neil Sweeney, officer, from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending July 24:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Edith M. Fleming, head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Brigid D. Reidy.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Fred J. Harrison, fireman, \$1,000 a year, temporary.

John Murphy, assistant engineer, \$1,600 a year, temporary.

James L. Foley, mate, \$1,700 a year, temporary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Mary J. Donovan, stenographer, has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Elsie Randall has been given temporary appointment for a period of two weeks, as a stenographer and clerk in the Cemetery Division from August 18 to September 2, at \$25 a week.

The following have been granted temporary employment (emergency) for a period of about four days:

Mary Sullivan, Mary Collins, Nellie O'Connell, Alice Casey, Gertrude Bibbey, Bridget Adley, matrons, \$20 a week.

John Kelly, Roger Hall, Henry O'Keefe, bath attendants, \$4.50 a day.

Temporary employment (emergency) has been given the following men as life guards and helpers at the L Street Bath at \$4.50 a day:

Michael J. Flaherty, John J. Egan, Elmer Hardy, John Kelly, Frank Gilligan and Joseph W. Kennedy.

Annie Cronin and Sadie Verry have been granted temporary appointment until September 15, 1924, as matrons at \$20 a week.

William F. Dowling, John J. Egan and Michael J. Flaherty have been granted temporary appointment for a period of thirty days as life guards and helpers at \$4.50 a day.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

Charles J. Claffy and Peter J. Mulvee, compositors, and Leonard T. Gleason, monotype operator, have been granted an extension of temporary appointment for thirty days.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

David J. Barry, janitor in the Public Buildings Department (County Buildings), at \$4.50 a day, has been transferred to a similar position in the Public Buildings Department at the same rate of compensation.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

The Mayor has approved the appointment of twenty laborers for an emergency period of ten days at \$4.50 a day, commencing July 28.

The Mayor has approved the appointment of the following as emergency laborers in the Paving Service for a period of ten days, at \$4.50 a day:

Charles Brown, John Sharp, John Butler, Michael Norton, William Farrell, Lewis Richmond, Charles McAllen, Michael Vaccaro, William Frazer, Patrick McGlinchy, Francis Murphy, Edward Gleason, Jeremiah McDonald, Henry Devlin, John J. Hennessey, William J. Burke, Raymond F. McCoy, Peter McPhee, Louis Bresloff, Peter V. Costello, Morgan Hooley, Emanuel Crovo.

Edmund Donlon, subforeman, has been granted a thirty days' leave of absence, with pay, because of illness.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

James A. McCaffrey has been transferred from the Transit Department to the Water Service, as a laborer at \$4.50 a day.

STATISTICS DEPARTMENT.

Frederic W. Rugg has been designated to act as Acting Chairman, Statistics Trustees, during the absence of the chairman.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

John M. Leonard and Henry Finke have been granted an extension of employment as draughtsmen at \$1,500 a year for an additional three months.

Frank M. Fraine has been appointed clerk at \$1,100 a year.

George B. Morrison has been granted an extension of employment as rodman at \$1,000 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, July 24:

Edgar B. Coombs, assistant engineer, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.26; Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 2 days, \$13.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 24:

Main Department.

C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 21 hours, \$14.91; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 9 hours, \$6.39; D. J. Sullivan, steamfitter's helper, 9 hours, \$5.06; G. Roche, ambulance

driver, $4\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, $4\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$2.93; J. Wood, jobber, 9 hours, \$6.42.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

J. Corcoran, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75.
Total, \$53.30.

For the week ending Thursday, July 31:

Main Department.

J. Gill, baker, 6 hours, \$3.78; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; P. A. Curran, J. J. Eisen, steamfitters, $10\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$7.46 each; D. Sullivan, steamfitter's helper, $10\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$5.77; W. Cody, plumber's helper, $10\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$5.77; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; C. Clancy, elevatorman, 24 hours, \$6; E. F. Gray, elevatorman, 12 hours, \$3; E. M. Sealey, F. Woodward, elevatorwomen, 12 hours, \$3 each; J. Haley, ambulance driver, 15 hours, \$9.45; G. Roche, ambulance driver, $4\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$2.84; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

J. Scott, ambulance driver, 18 hours, \$11.34; P. Connors, ambulance driver, 24 hours, \$15.12; T. Clark, foreman, 18 hours, \$11.70; J. McKenzie, J. Corcoran, porters and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75 each; P. Joyce, porter and tending furnace, 18 hours, 10.13.

East Boston Relief Station.

F. Ruggiero, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75.
Total, \$144.10.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 24:

Emergency Work.—Thomas Finn, fireman, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 24:

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 24:

Renforth C. Bleakney, compositor, 20 hours, \$28.20; Daniel L. Cadigan, compositor, 16 hours, \$22.08; Joseph E. Cicola, compositor, 20 hours, \$27.60; John E. Cotter, compositor, 16 hours, \$22.08; Joseph E. DeCastro, Emanuel J. DeFreitas, compositors, 4 hours, \$5.52 each; Annie M. Delaney, compositor, 12 hours, \$16.56; Cornelius Driscoll, compositor, 20 hours, \$28.20; James J. Dolan, compositor, 16 hours, \$22.08; John Fisher, compositor, 20 hours, \$28.20; Christopher Fitzgerald, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52; Kerrens J. Finn, compositor, 8 hours, \$11.04; Mary J. Foley, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52; Robert J. Hunter, compositor, 16 hours, \$22.08; Isaac Kramer, compositor, 12 hours, \$16.56; Daniel Lamont, compositor, 8 hours, \$11.04; James E. Lockhart, compositor, 12 hours, \$16.56; Mary J. Mitchell, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52; Peter J. Mulvey, Patrick O'Leary, compositors, 12 hours, \$16.56; Abraham Rosen, compositor, $11\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$16.22; Helen Walsh, compositor, 8 hours, \$11.04; Paul T. Burke, errand boy and apprentice, $5\frac{1}{2}$ hours, \$3.03; Patrick Foley, lino-

type operator, 4 hours, \$6.12; Charles J. Claffy, Thomas A. Clifford, compositors, 4 hours, \$5.52 each; Mary M. Brennan, compositor, 12 hours, \$16.56; Catherine T. Crowley, compositor, 16 hours, \$22.08; Julia T. Donohue, copyholder, 12 hours, \$10.68; Helen F. Duggan, copyholder, 8 hours, \$7.12; Theresa V. Lyons, Theresa Morrison, apprentices, 12 hours, \$10.68 each; Anna M. Whitney, copyholder, 12 hours, \$10.68; Dorothy Schlicht, copyholder, 16 hours, \$14.24; Elizabeth F. Grant, proofreader, 16 hours, \$22.08; Rose A. Kelly, operator, 8 hours, \$11.04; Edward J. Stanton, proofreader, 12 hours, \$16.56; Catherine G. Tierney, operator, 4 hours, \$5.52; Julia G. Tobin, proofreader, 12 hours, \$16.56; James A. Gately, monotype caster runner, 5 hours, \$3.05; Patrick Kelly, monotype caster operator, 3 hours, \$2.40; Michael McKeen, monotype caster operator, 4 hours, \$4.08; Edward R. Morris, apprentice, 4 hours, \$3; Daniel F. Sullivan, apprentice, 15 hours, \$9.15; James H. Sullivan, apprentice, 5 hours, \$4.75. Total, \$581.42.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, July 28:
Assistant Drawtenders.—T. E. Neary, J. F. Reardon, 1 day, \$4.38 each.

Electrician.—J. V. Maddock, 1 day, \$6.10.

Watchman.—H. M. McLaughlin, 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$19.36.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, July 21:
Captain.—William Hogan, 1 day, \$7.67.
Engineer.—Henry W. McCusker, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$2.81.

Firemen.—Patrick McDevitt, $\frac{5}{8}$ day, \$3.75; John Kelley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Electrician.—James A. Douglass, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, \$1.53.

Gateman.—Thomas A. O'Hare, 1 day, \$5.25.

Total, \$21.22.

For the week ending Monday, July 28:
Captain.—Richard L. Searle, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$2.88.

Quartermaster.—Henry J. Scaife, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$2.25.

Engineers.—Michael D. Hurley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.25; Michael J. Kennedy, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$2.81.

Deckhands.—William J. Kinsman, Thomas Quigley, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$1.78 each.

Firemen.—Henry W. McCusker, John A. Harrison, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$2.25 each.

Tollman.—Arthur F. Keefe, $\frac{3}{8}$ day, \$2.06.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.31.

Gateman.—James A. Quinn, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.63.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Net cost for the week ending July 28, 1924, \$46.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, July 31:
Laborers.—Vincent X. Fallon, 1 day, \$4.50; M. Fitzgerald, C. Courtney, $13\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.17 each.

Engineer.—J. H. McGee, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, July 21:
Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, B. F. Lyons, J. J. Welch, J. J. Spillane, T. Donovan, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Teamsters.—J. J. Barrett, P. C. Kainary, 1 day, \$2.25 each; T. Dwyer, H. F. Furey, R. J. Nugent, 1 day, \$1.13 each.

Total, \$48.64.

For the week ending Monday, July 28:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, J. B. Carr, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers.—A. P. Charbonnier, 3½ days, \$16.88; B. F. Lyons, 1½ days, \$6.75; P. J. McCormack, J. F. Sweeney, 2½ days, \$10.13.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—J. Curran, T. J. Lewis, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—J. P. W. Callaghan, T. Dwyer, P. McLaughlin, R. Nugent, 1 day, \$3.38 each.

Total, \$89.16.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Thursday, July 24:

Chauffeur.—Charles Caffrey, 1 day, \$5.

Sewer Cleaners.—James Clancy, Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 1½ days, \$5.63 each; Michael Brady, Dennis Collins, 1 day, \$5 each; Peter Keenan, 1½ days, \$5.34.

Laborers.—Thos. McDonough, Stephen Connolly, Michael McMahon, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; James McNabb, Cornelius Sullivan, 1½ days, \$5.06 each; William Dunlea, 1 day, \$4.50.

Assistant Engineers.—William Bragger, 3½ days, \$25.08; John McCarthy, 2 days, \$14.33.

Total, \$111.51.

For the week ending Tuesday, July 29:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, Dennis Collins, Hugh O'Connor, 1 day, \$5 each.

Laborers, etc.—Malachi Hanley, John Crowley, James Schofield, 5½ days, \$24.75 each; Patrick Foley, 2 days, \$9; Stephen Connolly, Joseph Huber, Herman Hodapp, Thomas Duffy, James McFarland, Michael Clancy, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Edward Flaherty, 1½ days, \$5.63; James McCarthy, John McDonald, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Assistant Engineers.—Thomas Maher, 5½ days, \$39.41; John McCarthy, 3½ days, \$25.08; John Mahoney, 2 days, \$13.33.

Filth Hoist.—Michael Donovan, 2 days, \$12.

Coal Passer.—Patrick Keeley, 1 day, \$3.50.

Total, \$251.70.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, July 21:

Laborers-Teamsters.—R. Coughlin, W. Cosgrove, J. Dahill, B. Callahan, M. J. O'Connell, J. Collins, F. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, T. F. Graham, J. O'Leary, M. Lally, D. J. Collins, J. Golden, B. J. Manning, B. J. Doherty, G. Keegan, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, L. Davis, J. Hines, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, J. D.

Lyons, J. McNiff, W. T. Maloney, J. O'Leary, J. O'Neil, T. McClutchy, J. S. Plunkett, J. Robertson, J. Slattery, B. Sullivan, M. A. Weidman, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers.—J. J. Griffin, 1½ days, \$6.75; J. Barnes, 2 days, \$9; E. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, 1½ days, \$7.88 each; F. M. Kelley, S. Coughlin, 1 day, \$3.38 each.

Chauffeur.—T. Murphy, 1 day, \$2.50.

Stablemen.—G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$198.27.

For the week ending Monday, July 28:

Laborers-Teamsters.—T. Dahill, J. Lane, M. J. O'Connell, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, J. W. Collins, J. P. Barnes, B. Doherty, J. A. Kelley, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, P. Barry, D. J. Callahan, J. A. Carr, F. D'Ambrosio, J. J. Daley, C. F. Flaherty, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, L. V. Kilduff, M. Lahey, W. T. Maloney, J. O'Neil, B. Sullivan, J. Sullivan, J. Tuohy, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamster.—J. Dahill, 2½ days, \$11.25.

Teamsters-Laborers.—B. Callahan, M. F. Shea, 1 day, \$2.25 each; G. McColgan, S. Coughlin, F. M. Kelley, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; C. J. Crowley, 2½ days, \$10.13; L. Divita, 1½ days, \$5.63; D. P. Stack, 2½ days, \$12.38; T. F. Graham, 3 days, \$13.50; E. Noonan, J. T. Lyons, J. J. Donovan, 2 days, \$9 each.

Stableman.—J. McHugh, 1 day, \$4.50.

Chauffeur.—J. Considine, F. Murphy, J. J. Marshall, 1 day, \$5.50 each; J. Connors, 1 day, \$2.06; M. Giovenelli, 1 day, \$3.13.

Total, \$247.83.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, July 21:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, J. Supple, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burke, M. Walsh, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; J. Phipps, 1 day, \$3.75; P. Clougherty, 2½ days, \$13.13.

Repairers.—W. Fitzsimmons, 3½ day, \$12.7; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75; J. Moran, 2½ days, \$12.03; P. Linehan, 1½ day, \$1.41; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; P. Hefferan, 1 day, \$4.13; D. Burke, 2½ days, \$14.44; D. Hanlon, 3½ days, \$16.67; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. O'Day, 1 day, \$3.75; J. Picardi, 2½ days, \$10.84; C. Sullivan, 2½ days, \$13.13; A. Brennan, 2½ days, \$13.13; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$7.50; W. Shields, 3½ day, \$1.41; J. Feeley, 3½ day, \$1.34; G. Waters, 1½ days, \$7.13; T. Byrnes, 1½ days, \$8.86; P. Coleman, 1½ days, \$7.13; A. McDougall, 1 day, \$1.78; J. Blessington, 1½ days, \$8.44; M. Mathews, 1½ days, \$5.63; M. Rizzo, 1½ day, \$2.67; J. Cummings, 1½ day, \$3.09; S. Michewicz, 1½ day, \$4.92; E. DeAngelo, 1 day, \$1.88; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50; J. Hourihan, 1 day, \$2.06; P. Flynn, 1 day, \$1.88; J. Curtin, 1 day, \$1.69.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, L. LoPilato, P. McGuinness, J. M. O'Toole, E. Pyne, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; W. Dolan, 2½ days, \$10.27; J. Horgan, 2½ days, \$11.81; P. Mulkern, 1 day, \$3.38; J. O'Toole, 1½ days, \$8.44; J. Sheehan, 2½ days, \$10.27; Joseph Sullivan, 3½ day, \$1.27; J. Glennon, 1 day, \$1.88; D. Crowley, 1 day, \$1.69; J. Lonergan, 1½ day, \$4.22; J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$1.69; F.

Schena, 1 day, \$1.97; B. McManus, A. Citrone, H. Killoran, F. Giammetto, 1 day, \$1.69 each.

Total, \$346.87; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$341.37.

For the week ending Monday, July 28:

Chauffeurs.—J. Supple, J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burke, 1½ days, \$7.50; P. Clougherty, 1½ days, \$5.63.

Emergencymen.—T. Flanagan, 1 day, \$4.50; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—J. Moran, 1½ days, \$8.25; T. Barry, 3½ day, \$3.45; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; J. O'Hara, 1½ day, \$0.89; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; D. Hanlon, 1 day, \$4.13; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Hogarty, 1 day, \$1.88; J. Picarde, 1 day, \$3.56; J. Leonard, 2½ days, \$11.25; S. Mariani, 2½ days, \$11.25; E. Hasenfus, 1½ days, \$7.05; R. Kelly, 1½ days, \$5.63; C. Magee, 1 day, \$3.75; P. Clougherty, 1½ days, \$8.25; P. Casey, 1½ days, \$8.25; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$8.91; J. Sullivan, 1 day, \$1.78; T. Joyce, 1 day, \$1.69; G. Waters, 1½ days, \$8.91; T. Higgins, 1 day, \$1.69; J. Glennon, 1 day, \$1.88; E. Fay, 1 day, \$1.69; T. O'Brien, 1 day, \$1.78; T. Byrnes, 1 day, \$3.94; J. Blessington, 1 day, \$3.75; M. Mathews, 1 day, \$1.88; M. Rizzo, 1 day, \$1.78; F. Schena, 1½ day, \$4.92; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—M. Barron, T. Gallagher, E. Hart, C. Joyce, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, L. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, J. M. O'Toole, E. Byne, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; W. Dolan, 1 day, \$3.38; A. Martin, 1 day, \$1.69; J. Durand, 2½ days, \$10.13.

Total, \$275.15; paid by Transit Department, \$5.50; net total, \$269.65.

Treasury Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 24:

Arthur F. Swan, 50 hours, \$50.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 25 the Mayor approved a contract with Frank J. Lowe Company for alterations to the Parkman Memorial Bandstand. Bids, opened July 2, were as follows:

John McDonald Construction Company, \$17,679; Crane Construction Company, \$16,380; Frank J. Lowe Company, \$15,790.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon July 29 the Mayor approved a contract with John McCourt Company for laying recut granite block pavement in Blue Hill avenue, from Dudley street to Quincy street. Bids, opened July 23, were as follows:

John McCourt Company, \$50,783; Hugh Nawn Contracting Company, \$53,282.25; M. H. Loonie, \$53,746.80; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$54,283.60; B. E. Grant Company, \$54,387.70; M. G. Gaddis, \$56,717.90; Charles Capone, \$75,250.14.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon July 29 the Mayor approved a contract with J. Williams & Co. for sewerage works in Wesley street, between Hyde and Preble streets, South Boston. Bids, opened July 24, were as follows:

C. Iacozzi, \$2,778; J. Williams & Co., \$2,835; William Barrett & Co., \$2,917.75; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2,942.75; M. H. Loonie, \$3,014; S. J. Tomasello, \$3,087; M. D. Russo, \$3,219; C. Russo, \$3,399.

Upon July 29 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Iacozzi for sewerage works in Bolster street, between Mozart and Wyman streets, Roxbury. Bids, opened July 24, were as follows:

C. Iacozzi, \$2,651.50; Joseph Todesca, \$2,709.40; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2,875.10; L. Balboni, \$2,997.30; William Barrett & Co., \$3,005.40; S. J. Tomasello, \$3,030.40; J. Williams & Co., \$3,074.90; James J. Conway, \$3,205.90; M. D. Russo, \$3,250.90; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$3,322.80; C. Russo, \$3,362.30.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon July 28 the Mayor approved a contract for cleaning water pipes in Roxbury and Brighton to the National Water Main Cleaning Company, Inc., the only bidder, at an estimated cost of \$19,365.

The bid for the work was opened July 25.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 22 the Mayor approved a contract with Lamont Brothers for moving seven portable buildings at various schools. Bids, opened July 21, were as follows:

Lamont Brothers Company, \$6,400; R. J. Connolly, \$6,434; Walter Curley & Son, \$7,440; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$7,500.

Upon July 25 the Mayor approved a contract with R. J. Connolly for moving six portable buildings at various schools. Bids, opened July 23, were as follows:

R. J. Connolly, \$6,098; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$6,192; Walter Curley & Son, \$6,320.

Upon July 25 the Mayor approved a contract with Anderson-Coffey Company for installing new and making alterations in existing electric wiring and apparatus in the Teachers College group. Bids for the work, opened July 18, were as follows:

Anderson-Coffey Company, \$3,950; T. E. McCarthy, \$5,585*; Stanton Electric Company, \$6,295; Carlisle Electric Company, \$6,500.

*No bid in auditor's office.

Upon July 25 the Mayor approved a contract with H. T. Lindsay & Son for furnishing, delivering and setting up opera chairs in various schools. Bids for the work, opened July 8, were as follows:

Heywood-Wakefield Company.—Portable opera chairs, finished in golden, antique, fumed or walnut, \$4.20; opera chairs with steel standards, \$5.86.

H. T. Lindsay & Son.—Portable opera chairs, finished in natural, golden or

fumed, \$4.20; portable opera chairs, finished in mahogany, green, silver gray or special color, \$4.45.

Upon July 25 the Mayor approved a contract with Walter Curley & Son for alterations, etc., in the Horace Mann School. Bids, opened July 22, were as follows:

Walter Curley & Son, \$3,940; John P. Curley, \$4,666.

Upon July 25 the Mayor approved a contract with the Hodge Boiler Works for repairing and retubing horizontal return tubular boilers in various schools. Bids, opened July 22, were as follows:

Hodge Boiler Works, \$7,980; New England Iron Works, \$8,183; Daniel Russell Boiler Works, \$8,840; John F. Gray Boiler Works, \$8,910; Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation, \$9,275; James Russell Boiler Works, \$9,650.

Upon July 25 the Mayor approved a contract with Walter Curley & Son for moving six portable school buildings at various schools. Bids, opened July 18, were as follows:

Patrick A. Colleran, \$4,500; Walter Curley & Son, \$6,440; R. J. Connolly, \$6,450; Lamont Brothers Company, \$6,600; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$6,692; A. H. Rice, \$8,130.

The bid submitted by Patrick A. Colleran was withdrawn by him.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Charles B. Darnes for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, July 21, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Charles B. Darnes, 8 Fort avenue, Roxbury, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon July 28 the Mayor approved a contract with Peter Saro for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, July 28, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Peter Saro, 21 Wordsworth street, East Boston, is hereby requested

on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 18 the Mayor approved a contract with the M. S. Kelliher Company for repairs upon the Normal School. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

BOSTON, July 18, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor, under the provisions of chapter 486, section 30, of the Acts of 1909, to awarding a contract, without advertising, to M. S. Kelliher Company, 21 North Munroe terrace, for repairs to the Normal School, the cost of said work to exceed the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars.

The reason for making this request is as follows: On July 17 a fire occurred in this building, which practically gutted the chemical laboratory room on the third floor. The M. S. Kelliher Company is at present making alterations, etc., to the Normal Group under an advertised contract, and the Board considers it for the best interests of the city to have the same contractor make the repairs to this room also. The Board therefore requests the approval of your Honor to the awarding of this contract as stated.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

Upon July 23 the Mayor approved a contract with the Long Motor Sales Corporation for the purchase of two Bay State runabout cars. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

BOSTON, June 4, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor to the purchase, without advertising, of two Bay State runabout cars, at a cost of one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars each, delivered.

These cars are to be used by the chiefs of divisions of the department for inspection work.

The reason for requesting authority to contract, without advertising for bids, is that no advantage would result from advertising. The cars to be purchased are the type deemed most suitable for the requirements of the department, and the price is the lowest that could be obtained.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 25 the Mayor approved a contract with the Lidgerwood Manufacturing Company for furnishing screw

boxes to the Water Department. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, July 25, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising, to the Lidgerwood Manufacturing Company, for furnishing 150 two-part iron screw boxes to the Water Service, Public Works Department, the approximate total of same being \$1,500.

This concern owns the pattern for the making of these boxes, and as the Public Works Department are in urgent need of same, I believe it will be for the best interests of the city to award the contract to them. Trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am,

Yours respectfully,

F. P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon July 28, the Mayor approved a contract with the Long Motor Sales Corporation for furnishing the Park Department with one Bay State runabout. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Long Motor Sales Corporation for furnishing to the Park Department: One Bay State runabout at \$1,867.50; less allowance on old Ford coupe of \$667.50; net amount of contract, \$1,200.

As this is the type of car that the Park Department believes will best meet the requirements of their department, I trust the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

F. P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon July 29 the Mayor approved a contract with the Warren Foundry and Pipe Company for furnishing cast-iron water pipes and special castings. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, July 28, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to extend the completion date of the Warren Foundry and Pipe Company contract for furnishing cast-iron water pipes and special castings from July 15 to October 1, 1924.

This concern has been unable to make full deliveries owing to unforeseen conditions at the foundry, and I therefore trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

F. P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon July 29 the Mayor approved a contract with the Henley Kimball Company for furnishing the Medical Examiner one Hudson coach. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, July 28, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising for same, to the Henley Kimball Company for furnishing to the Medical Examiner, Suffolk County, one Hudson coach, \$1,635; less allowance on old Hudson coach of \$950; net amount of contract, \$685.

As this type of car best meets the needs of the Medical Examiner, I trust the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

F. P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PARK DEPARTMENT.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company has been ordered to do the following additional work on the contract for excavating and grading for extension of four-grave lot section at Mt. Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury, signed May 31, 1924: Develop two-grave lot section between Greenwood avenue and Birch avenue; all according to contract and at the same unit price for excavating and grading for extension of four-grave lot section at Mt. Hope Cemetery. Contract price \$6,530 (estimated); addition as per this order, \$3,600 (estimated); contract as standing, \$10,140 (estimated).

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company has been ordered to do the following additional work on contract for loaming and grading at Fens Athletic Field, Back Bay, signed July 3, 1924: Furnish, deliver and spread approximately 11,500 cubic yards of additional loam on the ballfield. For each additional cubic yard of loam furnished, delivered and spread the sum of \$1.90, the unit price per cubic yard as called for in contract, will be added to contract price. Contract price, \$6,620 (estimated); addition as per this order, 1,500 cubic yards at \$1.90, \$2,850 (estimated); contract as standing, \$94.70 (estimated).

Estate of E. C. Kelley has been ordered to do the following additional work on the contract for alterations to the refectory building, Franklin Park, signed January 4, 1924. Make repairs to gutters of building, install additional electric lights, change cut-out boxes, do additional painting, plastering, plumbing and heating work; all work to be done as directed by this department in accordance with Article 2; to be paid for under Article 8; the cost of labor plus 15 per cent and the cost of materials. Estimated cost of this addition, \$2,000; contract price, \$16,489, estimated; addition as per this order, \$2,000, estimated; contract as standing, \$18,489, estimated.

FAMOUS DOCUMENTS OF THE AMERICAN HISTORY EXHIBITED AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Hundreds of people from all over the country visit daily the library on Copley square. With special regard for the interests of summer visitors, the library has arranged an exhibition of old books,

broadside and manuscripts, illustrative of the early history of America. Documents of the history of old Boston, Massachusetts Bay, Plymouth Colony, the discoveries of Captain Smith, the Indian Wars, etc., have been put on exhibition, mainly such documents as are rare or unique. The Public Library is very rich in such manuscripts and old prints.

The letter of Columbus to Raphael Sanchez, treasurer of King Ferdinand, announcing the discovery of America, is the first item in the first show case. The copy belonging to the library is known as the Aspinwall-Barlow copy; it is of the very first impression, of which only a few are in existence.

The "Bay-Psalm Book," the first book printed in America (1640), follows next in the show case. The first edition of Eliot's "Indian Bible" is the third volume. The translation is in the dialect of the Natick Indians, and it was done entirely by Eliot, the "Apostle to the Indians." Surely, it would be difficult to find three items of "Americana" of greater interest than these three volumes. And few are the libraries which can boast of all three!

Several important new acquisitions, manuscripts and broadsides of the pre-Revolutionary and Revolutionary era, are now for the first time on exhibition. Perhaps the most interesting among these is a Minute Book of the meetings of Boston tea merchants, held on December 21 and 23, 1773, at the Royal Exchange Tavern. These meetings followed the Boston Tea Party which took place on December 16. A list of the merchants who attended the meetings is attached to the Minute Book.

Another broadside—also a new acquisition—sets forth the final preparations for an advance of the Revolutionists against Boston. "Whereas General Washington has applied for a temporary reinforcement . . . that the army investing Boston should be of strength sufficient to act offensively as well as defensively . . ." reads the document. It was printed on January 19, 1776. There are about thirty to forty other manuscripts and broadsides on exhibition relating to the early history of Boston and New England.

A row of books and maps tells of the voyages of Captain Smith. The earliest printed account of the settlement at Jamestown April 26, 1607—June 2, 1608) is to be found in a small volume written by the captain, who called himself "the Coronell of the said Collony." The book was printed in 1608 in London.

Of the books relating to Plymouth Colony, now on exhibition, a "Description of Plymouth Plantation" (London, 1624) is of special interest, as it belonged to the library of John Adams. A manuscript, written about 1667, contains the laws of the colony, then in operation.

Copies of the series of "American Tales" give the literary side of the Indian Wars. There is even a tragedy in verse (London, 1766) about no less a personage than "Poteach, the Indian Emperor" himself. The collection could not be complete, of course, without the novels of James Fennimore Cooper. An early edition of the "Pathfinder" is here, as well as "The last of the Mohicans," with the rest of these wonderful heroes who have thrilled the imagination of so many of the young in America and throughout the world.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 24 TO JULY 30.

JULY 24.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Matthias Gibbs.....	25 Beethoven street.....	15	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
J. Marcus.....	11 Kineo street.....	18	First-class garage.....	900
A. J. Galaineaux.....	Rear of 707 Walk Hill st..	24	First-class garage.....	1,500
A. Buller.....	Rear of 64 Catherine street..	24	First-class garage.....	1,000
John W. Broderick.....	Rear of 315 N. Harvard st..	26	First-class garage.....	2,800
John Henderson.....	217 Florence street.....	23	First-class garage.....	1,500
P. S. Raab.....	Rear of 12 Clive street.....	23	First-class garage.....	1,000
Simon Golden.....	Rear of 124 Glenway street..	19	Second-class garage.....	940
Quigley & Hines.....	Rear of 53 Woodbine street..	16	Second-class garage.....	500
Antonio Zavesky.....	Rear of 136 Wilmington ave..	21	Second-class garage.....	900
Thomas Tyrell.....	Rear of 17 Blackwell street..	20	Third-class garage.....	600
Estate of N. W. Holt.....	Rear of 70 and 72 Minot st..	20	Third-class garage.....	600
James Kenny.....	Rear of 620 River street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
Mary Murray.....	Rear of 609 River street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
A. H. Copley.....	Rear of 15 River st., No. 1..	21	Third-class garage.....	600
A. H. Copley.....	Rear of 15 River st., No. 2..	21	Third-class garage.....	600
F. R. Hines.....	Rear of 52 Lyndhurst street..	21	Third-class garage.....	400
Mrs. Ellen J. Johnson.....	Rear of 49 Wainwright st..	20	Third-class garage.....	400
A. F. Haffenreffer.....	Rear of 257 Pond street.....	22	Third-class garage.....	600
J. H. Mullins.....	Rear of 189 Beech street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Annie Averbach.....	71 Willowood street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	500
David Finkle.....	40 Wildwood street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
David Finkle.....	36 Wildwood street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Thomas Kimball.....	28 Oakridge street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	4,800
Alice Kenny.....	137 Faywood avenue.....	1	Third-class dwelling.....	3,800
A. H. Rice.....	11 Lenoxdale avenue.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
L. A. Bartols.....	47 Braden street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Margaret J. Hickey.....	Rear of 372 Ashland street..	24	Special class garage.....	410
F. H. Waldman.....	Rear of 31 Maywood street..	16	Special class garage.....	410
R. E. McClellan.....	Rear of 44 Hopedale street..	26	Special class garage.....	275
Sadie Clifford.....	Rear of 62 West Eagle st.,	1	Special class garage.....	315
Frederick Masserli.....	Rear of 1927 Beacon street..	25	Special class garage.....	600
J. F. Sullivan.....	Rear of 98 Warren street.....	25	Special class garage.....	400
Leander Gagnon.....	Rear of 21 Highgate street..	25	Special class garage.....	600
Horace Hickey.....	487 Massachusetts avenue...	13	Alterations, lodging house...	200
Salvatore Minice.....	54 Sunnyside avenue.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000

JULY 25.

Nathan Block.....	Rear of 346 Seaver street....	19	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
T. M. Krumscheid.....	Rear of 32 Marcella street..	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
M. E. Flynn.....	41 Westbourne street.....	23	First-class garage.....	1,000
J. H. Kenning.....	Rear of 40 Orchard road.....	25	First-class garage.....	1,000
J. H. Kenning.....	42 Orchard road.....	25	First-class garage.....	1,000
G. R. Linberg.....	Rear of 10 Maple park.....	20	First-class garage.....	1,000
M. A. Gately.....	Rear of 133 Redlands road..	23	First-class garage.....	1,000
Mary A. Seifert.....	Rear of 126 Dakota street...	18	First-class garage.....	750
Jessie Young.....	5 East Hastings street.....	23	First-class garage.....	11,500
A. R. West.....	Rear of 77 Dakota street.....	18	First-class garage.....	1,500
Childs Company.....	177 Tremont street.....	5	Second-class office and store (light manufacturing).....	100,000
J. V. & M. M. Gorman.....	Rear of 24 Sudan street.....	11	Second-class garage.....	1,200
N. Berlo.....	Rear of 100 Landseer street..	23	Second-class garage.....	1,000
A. Shapiro.....	Rear of 30 Schuyler street..	16	Second-class garage.....	1,000
J. Connery et al.....	Rear of 15 Archdale road.....	23	Second-class garage.....	1,000
A. Webber.....	50 Riverview street.....	23	Second-class garage.....	300
H. Rosenwald.....	124 Blue Hill avenue.....	24	Second-class garage.....	1,000
R. Lauterbach.....	Rear of 14 Sheffield road....	23	Third-class garage.....	500
J. Corman.....	19 Fessenden street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
J. Corman.....	21 Fessenden street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
J. Silevsky.....	72 and 74 Mora street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
F. C. & N. M. Gevalt.....	Rear of 52 Park street.....	3	Third-class garage.....	345
R. B. Brigham estate.....	5-15 Beach street.....	5	Alterations, hotel.....	30,000
Dorchester Plumbing Company.....	1341 Columbus avenue.....	15	Alterations, storage.....	2,000
G. Wilson.....	39 and 41 Belden street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Estate, John Foster.....	109-113 Broad street.....	5	Alterations, storage and mercantile.....	5,000
E. W. Fuller.....	455 Audubon road.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
T. E. Coulthurst.....	480 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	4,000
James McKenna.....	1128 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
E. S. Davis.....	19 Rockville park.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Joseph Bloan.....	1592 Hyde Park avenue.....	21	Alterations, factory.....	1,000
V. deVito.....	110 London street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
V. deVito.....	112 London street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
R. J. Gunther.....	Rear of 319 Kittredge street..	23	Alterations, stock room.....	200
H. M. Good.....	20 Commonwealth avenue....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
Mrs. Albert Moran.....	673 Tremont street.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	175

JULY 26.

J. M. Foley.....	Rear of 22 Bennett street...	26	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
J. Skudus.....	Rear of 402 East Fifth street..	10	First-class garage.....	1,200
J. Neviakas.....	Rear of 1836 Columbiaroad..	10	First-class garage.....	900
E. Vallen.....	Rear of 87 Dakota street.....	19	First-class garage.....	1,700
Shapiro & Brown.....	787 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	First-class garage.....	35,000
E. Cudmore et al.....	Rear of 72 Pleasant street..	17	Second-class garage.....	1,500
W. C. Sprague.....	Rear of 30 Cohasset street..	23	Special class garage.....	600
Mt. Bowdoin Fuel Company.....	63 Norwell street.....	19	Third-class barn.....	2,000
J. Silevsky.....	76 Mora street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
R. N. Svendman.....	Rear of 131 Grampan way.....	17	Third-class garage.....	550
Jerome Russo.....	179 Florence street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Ellis Memorial House.....	66 Berkeley street.....	7	Alterations, school.....	2,000
M. B. Beals.....	143 Tonawanda street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,800
F. Avellino.....	52 Porter street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
E. Clayton.....	213 Adams street.....	18	Erect sign.....	2,800

JULY 28.

H. F. Hayward.....	Rear of 22 Victoria street...	11	First-class garage.....	\$900
Anna Katzman et al.....	Rear of 50 Greenwood street..	19	First-class garage.....	1,650
Catherine Flanagan.....	43 School street.....	3	First-class garage.....	500
Henry Abrams.....	Rear of 31 Hazleton street...	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 578.

For the information of the department, the Police Commissioner states that a flat increase of pay this year of \$100 is granted to all patrolmen, to take effect Friday, August 1, 1924, thus establishing the minimum at \$1,500 and the maximum at \$1,900 for officers in that grade.

On August 1, 1925, a similar increase of \$100 will be granted to all patrolmen, thus establishing at that time the minimum at \$1,600 and the maximum at \$2,000 for that grade.

The anniversary step-rate increase plan for patrolmen, now in force, shall not be disturbed by these increases, and patrolmen on their anniversaries shall receive, in addition, the usual increase of \$100.

Thus, a patrolman appointed June 27, 1924, at \$1,400, on August 1, next, will go to \$1,500; on June 27, 1925 (his first anniversary), to \$1,600; on August 1, 1925, to \$1,700; on June 27, 1926 (his second anniversary), to \$1,800; on June 27, 1927 (his third anniversary), to \$1,900; and on June 27, 1928 (his fourth anniversary), to \$2,000.

Persons who prepare the time and pay rolls should so familiarize themselves with the new \$1,900 rate,—that is, how much is allowed for each day,—that there may be as few erasures on the rolls as possible.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 579.

The resignation of Patrolman Charles J. Ohrenberger of Division 11 having been presented, it is hereby accepted to take effect Wednesday, July 30, 1924, at 7:45 o'clock a. m. Seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land, for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Richards street, Brighton district, as a highway, from Washington street northeasterly, with the name of Ramsdell street or some other distinctive name, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Presentation road is hereby laid out, from Washington street to Bellamy street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southwest by Washington street, forty and 1-100 feet; northwest by the northeasterly line of said Presentation road as hereby laid out, eight hundred and eighty-seven feet; north by Bellamy street, forty-five and 58-100 feet; and southeast by the southeasterly line of said Presentation road as hereby laid out, nine hundred and eight feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land

shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the abutting lots of land on both sides of Presentation road, and Richards street, for a distance of about eleven hundred and seven feet northeasterly from Washington street, will receive benefit or advantage other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Presentation Road, Brighton, Assessment Plan, May 28, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Joseph T. Madden.....	\$277 60
2. Alma C. Dahlander.....	312 00
3. Helen H. Walsh.....	300 00
4. Charles A. Bonner and Frances G. Bonner.....	300 00
5. Katherine M. Kindregan.....	300 00
6. Sarah J. Corbett.....	230 60
7. Charles W. A. Madison.....	228 64
8. Helen C. Jeffrey.....	191 34
9. Julia J. Casey.....	240 00
10. Margaret O'Grady.....	240 00
11. Richard O'Hearn.....	240 00
12. Adolph Johnson.....	240 00
13. Annie Ray.....	186 30
14. Joseph H. and Mary A. Walsh.....	129 36
15. John Long, City of Boston T. T.,	118 92
16. Winnifred A. Murphy.....	74 25
17. Agatha G. Maguire.....	80 00
18. Agatha G. Maguire.....	40 00
19. William C. Quinn and Annie E. Quinn.....	40 00
20. Mary A. O'Connor.....	224 60
21. Mary A. O'Connor.....	282 00
22. Mary E. Looby et al.....	330 00
23. Charles H. Schwarm.....	300 00
24. Charles H. Schwarm.....	276 04
25. Katherine F. Hughes.....	169 92
26. Mabel Walsh.....	240 00
27. Julia C. Burke.....	240 00
28. Minnie E. O'Connor.....	240 00
29. John A. Gustafson, Mary Gustafson.....	360 00
30. William B. Chisholm and Lillian Chisholm.....	120 00
31. William B. Chisholm.....	240 00
32. David F. Gartin.....	240 00
33. Annie Mahoney.....	235 92
34. Margaret Wilson.....	240 00
35. Shirley R. Dunbar.....	131 08
36. Swen Johnson.....	67 26
37. Maria L. Hamill.....	38 66
38. Allie Rask.....	35 84
	\$7,730 33

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Presentation road (formerly Richards street), Brighton district, as a highway, from Washington street to Bellamy street, under the order of the Board, of even date herewith, and awards no damages therefor.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Nellie Turley, 559 Hyde Park avenue, Ward 24, group garage, four units, four cars.

Columbus Avenue Storage Company, 1270 Columbus avenue, Ward 15, 500 gallons gasoline.

Bellamy Company, Inc., 137 Purchase street, Ward 5, acetylene and oxygen.

Charles Burtman, 93 Heath street, Ward 14, acetylene and oxygen.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 24 TO JULY 30.

JULY 28—Continued.

OWNER	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Mary Brown	Rear of 8 Crowell street....	21	Second-class garage.....	\$1,500
S. Abramson	Rear of 107 Stratton street....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
E. M. Row	Rear of 225 Harold street....	16	Special class garage.....	600
E. M. Greer	Rear of 23 Montvale street....	22	Third-class garage.....	600
Tina Van Aarsten	Rear of 18 Westbourne st....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
M. V. Smith.....	Rear of 20 John A. Andrew street.	22	Third-class garage.....	500
A. J. Earley.....	Rear of 56 Maxwell street....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	600
Henry Abrams	31 Hazleton street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	21,000
Ready Operators, Inc.	35 Claymoss road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Ready Operators, Inc.	54 Claymoss road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company.	365 C street.....	9	Install freight elevator.....	16,900
M. Ruthstein	391-397 Harrison avenue....	6	Erect sign.....	250
New England Poultry Company.	97-101 Lowell street.....	5	Erect fire escape.....	250
M. McVarish	45 Linwood street.....	15	Erect fire escape.....	400
Trustees of Boston Real Estate Trust.	107 and 109 Kingston street.	5	Fire repair, mercantile.....	2,000
Sarah Ross.....	52 Ashford street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,800
A. Dorso.....	83 Porter street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Grover Cronin.....	141 Newbury street.....	8	Alterations, rooming house..	7,585
Anna Dubelinsky.....	8 Maple street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
F. Lazzarino.....	84 and 86 Sumner street....	2	Alterations, dwelling and store	1,500
J. M. Hunnewell.....	14 Chestnut street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Boston Elevated Railway....	696 East First street.....	9	Alterations, power station...	20,000
P. Leonard.....	9 Willis street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
L. Barnett.....	2 Herbert street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	135
Boston Dispensary.....	37 Bennett street.....	5	Alterations, nurses' home....	4,000
W. J. Toomey.....	39 Chaucer street *	1	Move dwelling.....	3,500
Joseph Ray.....	35 Marshfield street.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Louis Trilling.....	76 and 78 Georgia street....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	5,500
Morris Frank.....	173 Humboldt avenue.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Louis Goldstein.....	75 Homestead street.....	16	Alterations, tenements.....	7,000
Estate of T. E. Proctor.....	387-397 Boylston street....	8	Alterations, offices.....	1,900
David Rubin.....	1218 and 1220 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Alterations, stores and tenements.	100,000
William Quilty.....	168 West Ninth street.....	11	Take-down, dwelling.....	100

* Move from 496 Bremen street.

JULY 29.

J. L. Jacobson.....	Rear of 15 Wolcott street....	19	First-class garage.....	\$1,250
Luciano Nicolazzo.....	27 Winship street.....	25	First-class garage.....	1,600
Mary A. Fichtner.....	15 Greenville street.....	12	First-class garage.....	1,500
Doris B. Whitehouse et al....	Rear of 15 Montrose street.	16	First-class garage.....	1,000
John C. McDonald.....	Rear of 48 Stockton street....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Emma Cuneo.....	Rear of 476 Warren street....	16	Second-class garage.....	3,500
John Talbot.....	Rear of 10 Bellows street....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Allen Mulrey.....	Rear of 30 Longfellow street.	18	Special class garage.....	350
A. E. Fowler.....	Rear of 4 Cataumet street....	22	Third-class garage.....	500
Mary M. Ryan.....	Rear of 387 Huntington av....	24	Third-class garage.....	500
W. J. Barry.....	Rear of 431 Ashland street....	24	Third-class storage.....	7,500
C. M. Brier.....	Rear of 47 Bushnell street....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
Jane Adams.....	Rear of 23 Chelmsford st....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
C. V. Sharp.....	40 Victory road.....	20	Third-class garage.....	400
Mrs. Francis Short.....	102 Arlington street.....	26	Third-class garage.....	500
John Smith.....	242 Fuller street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
John Smith.....	244 Fuller street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
B. Unagroska.....	5 Ethel street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	4,200
M. J. Matron.....	26 Chestnut street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Cornelius Kailher.....	218 and 220 Ashmont street.	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Dr. W. W. Barker.....	25 Lyndhurst street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,200
F. H. Roberts.....	12-26 Ferry street.....	5	Alterations, candy factory...	500
Trustees of Boston Real Estate Trust.	152-164 Washington street..	5	Alterations, store.....	2,000
E. R. Safford.....	57 and 59 Cliftondale street	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	450
National Dock and Storage Warehouse Company.	19-23 Lewis street.....	2	Alterations, factory.....	4,700
G. R. Fearing.....	168 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	5,500
J. Brown.....	986-998 Blue Hill avenue....	21	Alterations, stores.....	3,000
F. J. Schuler.....	84 Hastings street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	250

JULY 30.

G. Catanere.....	Rear of 204 E. Eagle street....	1	First-class garage.....	\$1,500
W. H. Turner.....	Rear of 31 and 33 Field st....	7	First-class garage.....	2,500
R. R. Dauphinee.....	Rear of 38 E. Newton street..	6	First-class garage.....	1,000
Highland Garage.....	1794 Centre street.....	23	First-class garage.....	30,000
Adelaide Stevens.....	Rear of 10 and 12 Westville road.	18	First-class garage.....	500
Ethel Stevens.....	Rear of 6 and 8 Westville rd.	18	First-class garage.....	500
Ahlstrom & Enholm Co.....	40 Hallet street.....	20	Second-class factory.....	35,000
Martin Joyce et al.....	Rear of 28 Sudan street.....	11	Second-class garage.....	1,000
I. Lipson.....	99 Windsor street.....	13	Second-class store.....	1,000
I. Lipson.....	70 Cabot street.....	13	Second-class store.....	1,000
Isaac Goodman.....	12 Helen street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
John Lasman.....	68 Dale street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Julia Lynch.....	2 Bonad road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Ida Kelly.....	Rear of 19 Oakwood street....	21	Third-class garage.....	475
J. D. Ranier.....	4 Alaric street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Christine Pottinger.....	Rear of 80 Stratford street....	23	Third-class garage.....	700
Judith Gould.....	181 Train street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
W. M. Cameron, Jr.....	Rear of 44 Anawan avenue....	23	Third-class garage.....	300
J. F. Tierney.....	Rear of 30 Moraine street....	22	Third-class garage.....	1,000
Henry J. Tilden.....	Rear of 66 Oriole street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	1,000
H. F. Tobin.....	5 Hasket street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	1,000
Frank Dagostine.....	38 Shepard street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Domiano Orlando and A. Puzio.	19A Ashley street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Mary Mooney.....	34 Selden street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	300

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Sturges road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from La Grange street to Bellevue street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Sturges road is hereby laid out, from La Grange street northeasterly for a distance of five hundred eighty-five and 8-100 feet on the northwesterly side of said road and five hundred eighty-six and 10-100 feet on the southeasterly side of said road, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southwest by La Grange street, forty and 1-100 feet; northwest by the northwesterly line of said Sturges road as hereby laid out, five hundred eighty-five and 8-10 feet; northeast by the northwesterly line of said Sturges road as hereby laid out, forty feet; and southeast by the southeasterly line of said Sturges road as hereby laid out, five hundred eighty-six and 10-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the abutting lots of land on both sides of Sturges road, from La Grange street to Bellevue street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Sturges road, West Roxbury, Assessment Plan, April 3, 1924, Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. City of Boston.....	\$3,500 00
2. Henry F. Imminck.....	175 64
3. Kate M. Nicol.....	282 00
4. Mary K. Carroll.....	282 00
5. Conrad Schuerch.....	282 00
6. Meyer N. Levy.....	282 00
7. William R. Fairclough.....	282 00
8. Josephine F. O'Callaghan.....	282 00
9. Margaret A. Praetsch.....	282 00
10. Benjamin C. Lane.....	420 00
11. Benjamin C. Lane.....	300 00
12. Ada Duffie.....	300 00
13. Lillian T. Wade.....	150 00
	\$6,819 64

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Sturges road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from La Grange street northeasterly for a distance of five hundred eighty-five and 8-100 feet on the northwesterly side of said road and five hundred eighty-six and 10-100 feet on the southeasterly side of said road, under the order of the Board of even date herewith, and awards no damages therefor.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 24 TO JULY 30.

JULY 30.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
City Club Corporation.....	22 and 24 Central street....	5	Alterations, club, offices, lunch.	\$20,000
Waldorf System, Inc.....	492 and 494 Boylston street.	7	Alterations, stores and offices.	400
Reba Pfaff.....	35 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	Alterations, lodging house....	2,500
T. J. Newbold.....	119 Marlboro street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	5,000
Mercantile Wharf Company,	115-145 Atlantic avenue....	5	Alterations, mercantile building.	250
T. A. Tafrahan.....	48 and 50 Queensberry street.	8	Alterations, stores.....	100
Women's Educational and Industrial Union.	268 and 270 Boylston street.	8	Alterations, stores and offices.	700
Robert Wise.....	1060 Washington street....	6	Alterations, stores and tenements.	500
L. J. Carpenter.....	Rear of 1 Moss Hill road....	22	Alterations, garage.....	600

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 24 TO JULY 30.

JULY 24.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Cohen.....	50 Gainsborough street....	7	New fixtures.....	\$375
M. Cohen.....	54 Gainsborough street....	7	New fixtures.....	375
M. Cohen.....	52 Gainsborough street....	7	New fixtures.....	375
M. Cohen.....	56 Gainsborough street....	7	New fixtures.....	375
J. Preston Perham.....	50 River street.....	8	New fixtures.....	150
P. F. Russo Company.....	1399 River street.....	24	New fixtures.....	500
J. W. Foster.....	101 and 103 Nottingham rd.,	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
G. C. Watts Company.....	37 Gainsborough street....	7	New fixtures.....	20
G. T. Hapenny.....	6 Adams street.....	24	New fixtures.....	550
J. F. Rooney.....	1880 River street.....	24	New fixtures.....	350
S. A. Politsky.....	242 Blue Hill avenue.....	17	New fixtures.....	625
F. B. Woods.....	1749 Commonwealth avenue	25	New fixtures.....	525
B. A. McDonald.....	4541 Washington street....	23	New fixtures.....	400
J. P. Shaughnessy.....	62 Walker street.....	23	New fixtures.....	450
J. R. Barrett.....	80 Brown avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	60
A. J. Cooper & Son.....	35 Glenarm street.....	19	New fixtures.....	100

JULY 25.

W. O'Brien.....	76 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$200
W. O'Brien.....	78 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
W. O'Brien.....	80 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
W. O'Brien.....	74 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
H. F. Bimbidel.....	Granfield avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
H. S. Tretheway.....	17 Pierpont road.....	23	New fixtures.....	830
E. J. Fennessy.....	16 Jackson place.....	22	New fixtures.....	250
F. C. Lewis.....	63 May street.....	22	New fixtures.....	650
F. C. Lewis.....	37 Hillcrest street.....	23	New fixtures.....	400
G. H. Pentz.....	648 Shawmut avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	50
D. J. S. McCurdy.....	36 Atherton street.....	15	New fixtures.....	300
G. C. Watts Company.....	199 Marlborough street....	8	New fixtures.....	375
W. J. Cronin.....	145 Shawmut avenue.....	6	New fixtures.....	550
J. A. Finley.....	169 Allston street.....	25	New fixtures.....	50
H. Weiss.....	112 Homestead street.....	16	New fixtures.....	500
J. J. Sweeney.....	44 Fairbanks street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,200
Cox and Johnson.....	13 and 15 Stratford street.	23	New fixtures.....	2,500
B. Roberts.....	28 Warwick street.....	13	New fixtures.....	500
J. P. Tancred.....	277 Dorchester street.....	11	New fixtures.....	125
E. J. Fennessy.....	4 Cleveland street.....	12	New fixtures.....	525

JULY 26.

C. E. Hatch.....	5 Wenham street.....	22	New fixtures.....	\$250
D. W. Ross.....	978 Dorchester avenue....	11	New fixtures.....	150
E. J. Fennessy.....	4 Mt. Pleasant place.....	12	New fixtures.....	325
J. F. Buckel.....	178 Commonwealth avenue.	8	New fixtures.....	1,400
A. Kellen.....	205 Chambers street.....	5	New fixtures.....	85
H. C. French.....	169 Allston street.....	25	New fixtures.....	200
J. Y. Gillespie.....	15 Holiday street.....	18	New fixtures.....	575

JULY 28.

Walter P. Jones.....	48 Pinckney street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$1,200
L. R. Freedman.....	10 Noanet street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
L. R. Freedman.....	101 Noanet street.....	5	New fixtures.....	50
G. W. Rigby.....	200 E street.....	9	New fixtures.....	300
Samuel Segal.....	111 LaGrange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	850
Thomas J. Trainor.....	64 Moraine street.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,400
W. O'Brien.....	70 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
W. O'Brien.....	68 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
W. O'Brien.....	72 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
Samuel Barron.....	145 Kingston street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
Samuel Adams.....	48 Ellery street.....	11	New fixtures.....	125
H. C. French.....	1227 Commonwealth avenue	25	New fixtures.....	50
W. F. McAuliff.....	373 K street.....	10	New fixtures.....	190
J. F. Burke.....	469 Columbus avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	650
General Construction and Repair Company.	365 C street.....	10	New fixtures.....	7,500
L. Freedman.....	17 Hilton street.....	9	New fixtures.....	900
D. B. Donovan.....	1 Rollins place.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,000
J. E. Smith.....	69 Rutherford avenue....	4	New fixtures.....	125
T. E. Johnston.....	463 West Broadway.....	9	New fixtures.....	100
J. W. Anderson.....	351 Congress street.....	9	New fixtures.....	185
J. J. Murphy.....	300 Devonshire street....	5	New fixtures.....	100
E. H. Marchant.....	Rear of 212 Summer street..	5	New fixtures.....	1,000

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 24 TO JULY 30.

July 29.

PLUMBER.	Location	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost
Massey & Sons, Sprinkler	321 Centre street.	20	New fixtures.....	\$700
Plumbing and Heating Co.				
H. Weiss.....	33 Bradlee street.....	19	New fixtures.....	350
K. W. McManus.....	52 Evans street.....	21	New fixtures.....	200
J. F. Darcy.....	4 and 6 Norwood street..	20	New fixtures.....	450
R. A. Matthews.....	39 Rockwell street.....	21	New fixtures.....	350
Joseph L.	6 Primrose street.....	23	New fixtures.....	165
Samuel Scott.....	275 Norfolk street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,400
H. F. Bimbidel.....	20 Mulford avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,100
Isaac C.	1208 A Blue Hill avenue..	21	New fixtures.....	75
R. L.	5 Deering road.....	21	New fixtures.....	100
F. H. Densmore.....	10 Rock road.....	24	New fixtures.....	877
J. J. Daniels.....	22 Rockdale street.....	24	New fixtures.....	1,000
H. F. Natrou.....	278 Norfolk street.....	21	New fixtures.....	900
L. & H. J. Connell, Inc.	27 Parker street.....	3	New fixtures.....	400
E. D. Holland.....	100 Faneuil street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,350
General Construction and	465 Medford street.....	3	New fixtures.....	3,000
Repair Company.				
G. P. Wheelock.....	36 Joy street.....	8	New fixtures.....	800
M. C. Grant.....	551 Shawmut avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	200
C. F. Goodson.....	124 St. James avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	7,500
D. M. Murphy.....	916 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	2,600
T. A. Matthews.....	106 W. Washington street..	21	New fixtures.....	800
F. E. Carlson.....	43 Winthrop street.....	24	New fixtures.....	200
D. W. Palmer.....	274 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	300
G. A. Runham.....	566 Columbia road.....	17	New fixtures.....	100
Abraham Katz.....	2005 Commonwealth ave....	25	New fixtures.....	2,000
F. M. Duggan.....	100 Cummings street.....	9	New fixtures.....	170
J. F. Larcome.....	207 Gladstone street.....	1	New fixtures.....	900
S. Task.....	5081 and 5083 Washington	23	New fixtures.....	800
	street.			
S. Task.....	5805 and 5807 Washington	23	New fixtures.....	800
	street.			
K. W. McManus.....	24 Woodrow avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	50

July 30.

D. M. Goldstein.....	861 River street.....	24	New fixtures.....	\$400
W. G. Newman.....	Rear of 3640 Washington st.	22	New fixtures.....	400
J. J. Vogel.....	149 West Seldon street.....	24	New fixtures.....	725
H. Fleigelman.....	472 Norfolk street.....	21	New fixtures.....	500
F. H. Densmore.....	34 Fuller street.....	21	New fixtures.....	486
William Dunton.....	126 Thornton street.....	15	New fixtures.....	150
Joseph Seigel.....	786-802 Huntington ave....	14	New fixtures.....	3,500
A. T. Purdy.....	72 Myrtle street.....	8	New fixtures.....	894
T. F. Hurley.....	46 Bradstreet avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	400
W. R. Pitcher.....	1373 Dorchester avenue.....	18	New fixtures.....	275
A. J. Cooper & Son.....	46 Polk street.....	3	New fixtures.....	350
A. J. Cooper & Son.....	44 Polk street.....	3	New fixtures.....	350
P. F. Russo.....	112 Bayswater street.....	1	New fixtures.....	400
W. N. McKenna.....	43 Hawkins street.....	5	New fixtures.....	350

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Brighton and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Florence avenue, bounded:

Southeast by Allston street, six feet; southwest by another part of Florence avenue, two hundred and thirty-five feet; northwest by the same, six feet; and northeast by the same, two hundred and thirty-five feet; containing fourteen hundred and ten square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: Three hundred linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of

the private way known as Florence avenue, leading northwesterly from Allston street for a distance of two hundred and thirty-five feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northeasterly side of Florence avenue for a distance of about two hundred and seventy-eight feet northwesterly from Allston street and the lots of abutting land on the southwesterly side of Florence avenue for a distance of about two hundred and sixty feet northwesterly from Allston street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 566, Sewerage Works, Florence Ave., Brighton, June 12, 1924. Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Harry Sklaver	\$280 40
2. Exchange Realty Company.....	174 00
3. Harry K. Goldstein.....	159 80
4. Harry K. Goldstein.....	120 00
5. Harry K. Goldstein.....	120 00
6. Harry K. Goldstein.....	119 68

\$973 88

PARK DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES PROGRAM OF SUMMER BAND CONCERTS.

The following is the complete list of band concerts submitted by Park Commissioners and approved by the Mayor:

Aug. 3. Boston Common. First Corps Cadets' Band.

Aug. 3. Franklin Park. 101st Veterans' Band.

Aug. 3. Marine Park. Stone's Military Band.

Aug. 3. World War Memorial Park. Farrell's Military Band.

Aug. 3. McConnell Park. Hub City Military Band.

Aug. 3. Madison Park. Second Separate Battalion Band.

Aug. 10. Boston Common. Stone's Military Band.

Aug. 10. Franklin Park. Farrell's Military Band.

Aug. 10. Marine Park. Martino's Symphony Band.

Aug. 10. Jamaica Pond. Alhambra Band.

Aug. 17. Boston Common. First Corps Cadets Band.

Aug. 17. Franklin Park. Stone's Military Band.

Aug. 17. Marine Park. Alhambra Band.

Aug. 17. World War Memorial Park. Hub City Military Band.

Aug. 17. McConnell Park. Ive's Military Band.

Aug. 24. Boston Common. First Corps Cadets' Band.

Aug. 24. Franklin Park. Gallo's Symphony Band.

Aug. 24. Marine Park. 101st Veterans' Band.

Aug. 24. Jamaica Pond. Ward's Band.

Aug. 24. Hyde Park (Smith's Pond). Cecil W. Fogg Post Band.

Aug. 24. Madison Park. Old Colony Band.

Aug. 31. Boston Common. Gallo's Symphony Band.

Aug. 31. Franklin Park. Crook's Military Band.

Aug. 31. Marine Park. Letter Carriers' Band.

Aug. 31. McConnell Park. Ward's Band.

Aug. 31. World War Memorial Park. Farrell's Military Band.

TO RAZE DORCHESTER BUILDINGS.

The Mayor has approved the following request of Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings John H. Mahony.

Boston, July 28, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—With your approval, the Public Buildings Department will make arrangements with Mr. Edward W. Foye, 28 School street, to advertise and sell at public auction the buildings numbered 508 and 510 Washington street and 512 Washington street and 2 Melville avenue, Dorchester.

The department is anxious to have the buildings sold and razed at once in order to facilitate the erection of the new Dorchester Courthouse.

Yours very truly,

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.

LIST OF PETITIONS FOR HEARING BEFORE STREET COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.

MONDAY, AUGUST 4.

NAME.	Location.	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Walter K. Crawford <i>et al.</i>	95 Edgewater drive.....	24	One car.
Mrs. Ellen B. Means.....	56 Sturbridge street.....	21	One car.
Fred Prinze.....	121 Sycamore street.....	23	One car.
Robert J. Walsh.....	5 Pope's Hill street.....	20	One car.
Joseph G. Baxter.....	18 Whitby terrace.....	17	Two cars.
Mrs. James Croxon.....	11 Isabella street.....	7	Two cars and 500 gallons gasolene.
James A. DeLeskey.....	19 Sea View avenue.....	1	Two cars.
John Erickson.....	23 Massasoit street.....	24	Two cars.
Hattie C. Frech.....	236 Jamaica way.....	14	Two cars.
Richard J. Haberman.....	68 Prince street.....	22	Two cars.
E. T. Kenney.....	26 Forest Hills street.....	22	Two cars.
Margaret J. King.....	46 Newport street.....	11	Two cars.
Abraham Lewis.....	32 Linwood street.....	15	Two cars.
Ambrogio Nangeroni.....	17 Eastman street.....	11	Two cars.
Fredrico Petrillo.....	245 Beech street.....	23	Two cars.
Carrie M. H. Petterson.....	19 Mt. Vernon street.....	23	Two cars.
Burziney Smith.....	52 Pratt street.....	25	Two cars.
Bessie Talkov.....	57 Lithgow street.....	20	Two cars.
William Wolf.....	1419-1427 Columbus avenue.....	15	Group garage, two units, ten cars.
Margaret N. Crosby.....	747 Saratoga street.....	1	Group garage, three units.
Patrick J. Doyle.....	314 Amory street.....	22	Group garage, eight units.
Commonwealth Avenue Park Realty Company.....	Colon street.....	25	Commercial garage, eighty units, eighty cars.
Alfred J. Berkman.....	749A Shawmut avenue.....	13	1,000 gallons gasoline and oil.
Margaret Bernado.....	265 Stuart street.....	8	3,000 gallons gasoline and oil.
Stephen J. Bresnahan.....	12 Warren avenue.....	7	1,000 gallons gasoline.
James H. Mann <i>et al.</i>	48 Harvard street.....	19	1,000 gallons gasoline.
Bernard Merino.....	1 Vaughan avenue.....	18	500 gallons gasoline.
John Prior.....	115 Chelsea street.....	4	990 gallons gasoline and 100 gallons oil.
Samuel Rudnick.....	1209 Boylston street.....	8	3,000 gallons fuel oil.
Atlantic Wire Works.....	305 Western avenue.....	26	Acetylene and oxygen.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Beaumont road northwest and part of Beaumont road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dorchester avenue to Florida street, with the name of Seamont road or some other distinctive name, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named St. Marks road is hereby laid out, from Dorchester avenue to Florida street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

West by Dorchester avenue, seventy-two and 43-100 feet; north by the northerly line of said St. Marks road as hereby laid out, by six measurements, thirty-one and 49-100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius, four hundred fourteen and 75-100 feet, ninety-one and 32-100 feet on a curve of one hundred and twenty feet radius, eighty-seven and 39-100 feet on a curve of one hundred fifteen and 63-100 feet radius, seventy-two and 50-100 feet and twenty-three and 50-100

feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius; east by Florida street, seventy feet; and south by the southerly line of said St. Marks road as hereby laid out, by five measurements, twenty-three and 50-100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius, seventy-two and 50-100 feet, one hundred eighteen and 16-100 feet on a curve of one hundred fifty-five and 63-100 feet radius, sixty and 88-100 feet on a curve of eighty feet radius, and four hundred sixty-four and 21-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the abutting lots of land on both sides of St. Marks road, from Dorchester avenue to Florida street, and the abutting lot of land at the westerly corner of St. Marks road and Rosemont road, southwest, will receive benefit or advantage other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a

plan marked "City of Boston, St. Marks road, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, May 28, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Cosmos Lazar, Apostol Lazar.....	\$125 50
3. Bessie Dolan.....	210 00
4. Mary A. Beades.....	224 00
5. Maria Reed, Philomena Reed.....	224 00
6. Francis Burke.....	224 00
7. Elizabeth F. Tierney.....	224 00
8. Mary E. Johnson, Anna J. Coughlan.....	252 00
9. Stanistovas Wilkisis, and Antanina Wilkisis.....	259 63
10. Ora K. Schwill.....	174 09
11. Carl B. E. Nordlund, Selma C. Nordlund.....	240 87
12. Agnes M. Sullivan.....	280 56
13. Agnes E. Wood.....	51 10
14. Agnes E. Wood.....	173 25
15. Morris Slotnick.....	102 45
16. Mary Weaver.....	224 00
17. Joseph Lekys, Isabel Lekys.....	212 80
18. Peter Yankauskas, Adella Yankauskas.....	212 80
19. Anna C. Coyne.....	212 80
20. Bridget E. Haran.....	218 40
21. John E. Van Tassel.....	218 40
22. Hannah Nicholson.....	218 40
23. John Aleckna.....	218 40
24. Mary E. O'Brien.....	218 40
25. Patrick Chambers, Mary E. Chambers.....	218 40
26. Edna G. Bowman.....	302 40
27. Eric and Julia Johnson.....	123 20
28. Clara L. Larkin.....	152 70
29. Margaret Garvey.....	268 25

\$5,784 80

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of St. Marks road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dorchester avenue to Florida street, under the order of the Board, of even date herewith, and awards no damages therefor.

MAYOR MOVES TO AID BANKS.

The Mayor has approved the following request from the City Treasurer:

BOSTON, July 15, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—The rate of interest paid on city deposits, both on sinking fund and city monies, has been 3½ per cent. Owing to the low rate of money quoted today in the market, the vast majority of the banks have objected to paying the 3½ per cent.

I respectfully ask your consent to reduce the rate to 2½ per cent starting July 15, until the money market has steadied, which is generally expected to be along the early part of November, at which time the banks will be instructed to then pay the 3½ per cent again.

Awaiting your reply, I remain,

Respectfully yours,

JOHN J. CURLEY,
City Treasurer.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Joseph Verrochi, by Raymond P. Delano, has agreed to accept the sum of \$4,260.96 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate on Magnolia street by the taking of said estate for playground purposes under the order of the Street Commissioners of November 7, 1923.

MAYOR PROTESTS AGAINST INJUSTICE OF SUFFOLK COUNTY COST APPORTIONMENT.

SUBMITS STATEMENT TO CITY COUNCIL CALLING FOR SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET TOTALLING \$150,165.38.

Mayor Curley sent the following message to the City Council, Monday, July 28:

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to submit herewith supplementary appropriation order for the County of Suffolk departments.

In connection therewith I beg to submit certain facts relative to the injustice of the present system of apportioning of cost of administration in Suffolk county.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

STATEMENT ON SUPPLEMENTARY COUNTY BUDGET.

The largest supplementary county budget of recent years, totaling \$150,165.38, will be submitted to the City Council on Monday. The various items of expense making up this document may be grouped (according to origin or cause) as follows:

Due to Acts of the General Court,	\$83,000
Due to increased population at County Jail and House of Correction	39,000
Due to increased business of Courts and County Offices.....	28,000

The first item listed above represents the cost for the balance of the year of salary increases granted to jurors and county officials by the Legislature of 1924. In this connection it is interesting to note that while the Legislature is very careful to limit the expenditures of Boston, through fixing the tax limit, for strictly city purposes, it exercises no such care when fixing the expenses and salaries of county departments and officials, which must be paid by the city and enter into its tax rate.

Under the provisions of chapter 111 of the Acts of 1924 it is estimated that \$75,000 additional will be required during the balance of the year for the payment of jurors in both branches of the Superior Court. This act provides for an increase of \$2 per day in the pay of all jurors, together with a travel allowance of five cents per mile for each day's service as compared with the old custom of paying traveling expenses only at the beginning and end of each

week's term of service. These increases mean an approximate increase of 50 per cent in the allowance of jurors. For the past three years the total spent for jurors in both the civil and criminal branches of the Superior Court has been approximately \$250,000, hence this act of the Legislature will mean an additional annual expense in the future of between \$100,000 and \$125,000.

At the present time the population at the two county correctional institutions is approximately 50 per cent in excess of the figures of a year ago. This increase necessitates additional appropriations for food, clothing, bedding, care of dependents, additional officers and increased toilet facilities.

There seems to be no reduction in the number of cases being handled in the Superior, Municipal and District courts, hence additional monies are requested for masters' fees, temporary help, stationery and office supplies, and office furniture and equipment. The Registry of Deeds reports the greatest amount of business in the history of the office, necessitating the hiring of additional help and requiring additional appropriations for the printing and binding of records and the purchase of stationery and office supplies.

As the years go by the expense of supporting the various county departments is becoming a heavy drain on the city treasury and a powerful influence in preventing a reduction in the tax rate of the city. It is unfortunate that the Legislature cannot be made to realize this fact. During the present administration three pieces of legislation have been submitted each year for the consideration of the General Court, which if approved would have tended to relieve the burden which the City of Boston now has to bear. These proposals were as follows:

1. Apportion expenses of the county between Boston, Chelsea, Revere and Winthrop.
2. Increase fees of Registry of Deeds and other county offices rendering services for which fees are established by statute.
3. Removal from Suffolk county trial lists of all cases not originating within the county.

East by Washington street, twenty-nine feet; south by the southerly line of said Kenberma road as hereby laid out, by three measurements, one hundred seventy and 74-100 feet, two hundred sixteen and 22-100 feet and one hundred forty-three and 91-100 feet; southwest by Allerton road, thirty-three and 47-100 feet; and north by the northerly line of said Kenberma road as hereby laid out, by three measurements, one hundred sixty and 87-100 feet, one hundred forty-seven and 18-100 feet and two hundred forty and 84-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's in-

tention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the abutting lots of land on both sides of Kenberma road, from Washington street to Allerton road, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Kenberma road, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, March 31, 1924, Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Margaret E. Quincy.....	\$131 16
2. Mary A. Scanlon, Nora V. Scanlon	228 00
3. Joseph F. Arnold.....	228 00
4. Frank Heinlein	228 00
5. Frank Zaikis, Domicelo Zaikis....	228 00
6. Ellen W. Anderson.....	228 00
7. Filippo Marotta	228 00
8. Felice DeLeo	283 56
9. Mary Antelini	228 00
10. Elizabeth T. Lawrence.....	207 60
11. Michael L. Healy, Mary A. Healy,	175 50
12. Michael L. Healy, Mary A. Healy,	176 46
13. Lillian B. Myers.....	201 72
14. Harry Lepie, Barnett Lepie, Alexander Aptaker	124 80
15. Anders L. Anderson.....	96 52
16. M. Aline Holland.....	114 24
17. Samuel Neil	2,216 00
	<u>\$5,323 56</u>

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Kenberma road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Washington street to Allerton road, under the order of the Board, of even date herewith, and awards no damages therefor.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A surface drain of 10-inch earthen pipe and two catch-basins in Ethel street, between Augustus avenue and Malverna road, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$3,100.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe and three catch-basins in Bolster street, between Mozart street and Wyman street, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$4,228.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Jamaica way, between Pond street and a point 100 feet southwesterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$660.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe and one catch-basin in Wesley street, between Hyde street and Preble street, in the South Boston district, at an estimated cost of \$3,764.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe and three catch-basins in New England avenue, between Talbot avenue and Massasoit avenue, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$4,500.

A surface drain of 10-inch and 12-inch earthen pipe and five catch-basins in Leston street, between Morton street and Woolson street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$3,500.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Kenberma road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Washington street to Allerton road, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Kenberma road is hereby laid out, from Washington street to Allerton road, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

MAYOR PRESENTS PENS.

Mayor Curley sent the following communications on July 25:

HON. HERBERT A. WILSON, *Police Commissioner*, Boston, Mass.

MY DEAR COMMISSIONER: I beg to forward herewith quill pen with which I have this day signed the authorization to the auditor for increases in the maximum and minimum salaries of 1,729 patrolmen in the service of the City of Boston, same to become effective as of August 1, 1924.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

MR. JAMES P. GALLAGHER, *President*, *Russell Club*, Boston, Mass.

DEAR FRIEND,—I beg to forward herewith quill pen with which I have this day signed increases in the maximum and minimum salaries of 1,225 men in the fire service of the City of Boston, the same to become effective as of August 1, 1924.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

HARVARD BRIDGE TO BE KEPT OPEN ONE WAY.

Mayor Curley received the following communication on July 25 from the Metropolitan District Commission:

DEAR SIR,—I have been requested to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 22, addressed to Mr. Bailey, Metropolitan District Commissioner, relative to Harvard bridge. I would say that Mr. Bailey would acknowledge it personally if he had not been obliged to leave the city for Maine last night. Your letter was, however, before the Metropolitan District Commission at its meeting yesterday. In connection with this matter, I would say that the following vote was passed at the meeting:

Voted, That, the Commissioners of the Boston and Cambridge Bridges, not having concurred in the vote of July 17, 1924, to close the Harvard-Bridge to travel, said bridge be kept open for one-way travel, in accordance with the first vote of the commission and in accordance with the terms of the contract with V. James Grande, dated July 10, 1924.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE LYMAN ROGERS, *Secretary*.

CITY TO SELL PIGS.

The Mayor has approved the following request of Dr. David J. Johnson of the Institutions Department:

BOSTON, July 25, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to sell one hundred (100) pigs to the House of Correction, Deer Island, weighing approximately thirty (30) to forty (40) pounds each, through the City of Boston Supply Department to the amount of five hundred (500) dollars.

Very truly yours,

DAVID J. JOHNSON,
Commissioner.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

De Christoforo Brothers Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Cleveland circle, Sutherland road, Commonwealth avenue and Colonial road, Brighton. Items ordered: Assisting department masons building four brick chambers, oiling gates, testing pipe line, also placing concrete piers back of 24-inch bends and caps. Estimated cost of extra work, \$125.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company has been granted an extension of time for the completion of the contract for furnishing and spreading sand on bathing beaches.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company has been granted an extension of time until September 12, 1924, for the completion of the contract for grading and concrete bleachers at William J. Barry Playground, Charlestown.

CHARLESTOWN PEOPLE MAY USE COPLEY SCHOOL BATHS.

The differences between the School Department and the Park Department relative to the operation of the Copley School baths at Charlestown has been finally adjusted so that the people of the Charlestown district may receive in future the benefits of the bath facilities installed at the Copley School.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

ENGINEER, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year.

The duties of this position consist of general engineering work in connection with city planning studies. It is desirable that applicants have technical training in city planning work such as afforded by city planning courses in colleges or equivalent practical experience in city planning work. They should be familiar with the growth and development of the city planning movement in this country covering such matters as street planning, zoning, park and boulevard systems, recreational facilities and all other matters which logically pertain to city planning.

The subjects of the examinations with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; practical questions, 1; total, 2.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

UNDERGROUND RAPID TRANSIT IN BOSTON.

The Boston Transit Commission, consisting of five members, two appointed by the Governor and three by the Mayor, began its official existence, July 1, 1894, and ended it July 1, 1918, after seven extensions of the original term. It constructed, under the authority of Acts of the Legislature, the following subways and tunnels, the ownership of

which is vested in the City of Boston, and all costs to be covered by revenue from same, not by taxation; Tremont Street Subway, from Broadway and Tremont street, South End, to North Station, and from Boylston street, near Charles, to Park street, 1.68 miles, open to Park street, September 1, 1897, and to North Station on Sept. 3, 1898, costing with subsequent alterations, \$4,416,000, the first transportation subway in the United States; East Boston Tunnel, from Maverick square, East Boston, under Boston Harbor and State street to Scollay square, Boston Proper, 1.42 miles, opened December 30, 1904, costing \$3,336,000, the first all-concrete under-water transportation tunnel in the world; Washington Street Tunnel, from Ash street, opposite Nassau, South End, to Traverse street, near North Station, 1.16 miles, opened November 30, 1908, costing \$8,496,700 (including \$2,850,000 land damages); Cambridge Connection Subway from under Park street station of Tremont Street Subway to Grove street near Cambridge Bridge, 0.47 miles, opened March 23, 1912, costing \$1,465,000; Boylston street subway, from Commonwealth avenue, near Kenmore street, Back Bay, to Tremont Street Subway, near Charles street, 1.5 miles opened October 13, 1914, costing \$5,485,639; East Boston Tunnel Extension, from Scollay square to North Russell street, 0.41 miles, opened March 18, 1916, approximate cost, \$2,450,000; Dorchester Tunnel, from Park street, Boston Proper, to Andrew square, South Boston, 2.26 miles, opened December 3, 1916, as far as South Station; on December 15, 1917, to Broadway, South Boston, and on June 29, 1918, to the Andrew Square terminal. Trains of four or six cars are run in the Washington Street Tunnel, continuing on elevated track to Forest Hills, also in Dorchester Tunnel from Andrew square, South Boston, connecting with Cambridge Tunnel, to Harvard square, Cambridge, while only single or double street cars are run in the other tunnels and subways; amount borrowed to 1922 for the Dorchester Tunnel, \$10,750,000. Total gross debt for all subways and tunnels, \$37,558,700 (incl. loans of \$1,210,000 for new Arlington Station of Boylston Street Subway, opened on November 13, 1921), against which a sinking fund of \$6,369,630 has been accumulated from the revenue, payable mostly in 40 years from date of each loan (loans since 1911 payable in 45 years), annual interest averaging 3.8 per cent. These underground ways, about 8.9 miles in all with total of 19.27 miles of single track were leased to the Boston Elevated Railway Company (which furnished the equipment) for term of 25 years (except Tremont street, 20 years) at annual rental of $4\frac{1}{2}$ to $4\frac{3}{4}$ per cent of net cost (except East Boston Tunnel which was at $\frac{1}{2}$ of one per cent of all annual gross receipts of said company). In accordance with Chapter 741, Acts of 1911, the various leases were extended to July 1, 1936, the rental to be $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent of net cost after expiration of the first-term leases.

By Chap. 185, Special Acts of 1918, the powers of the Transit Commission, whose term expired that year, were transferred to the Mayor, Commissioner of Public Works and City Treasurer, or such person or persons, not exceeding three, as the Mayor might appoint. By Chap. 3, Ordinances of 1918, the Transit Dept. was established as a regular City department, to be in charge of three commissioners.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending July 26, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,027.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 141; nonresidents, 25; total, 166.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 11.11; nonresidents deducted, 9.46.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 11.61; corresponding week last year, 11.30.
Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 25; one year to five years, inclusive, 9; sixty years and over, 65; total deaths: male, 84; female, 82; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 95; deaths of colored, 2.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 26, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 28, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	1	—
Diphtheria.....	30	4	39	2
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	3	2
Influenza.....	—	—	1	—
Measles.....	18	—	36	2
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	1	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	9	6	8	—
Scarlet fever.....	22	1	30	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	34	15	37	10
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	10	4	9	1
Typhoid fever.....	2	1	3	—
Whooping cough.....	20	—	5	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, July 14, 1924.

Special meeting of the City Council in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent, Coun. Gilbody.

CALL FOR THE MEETING.

The Clerk read the call for the meeting, as follows:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 12, 1924.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen,—You are hereby requested to assemble in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday, July 14, 1924, at two o'clock p. m. to consider the financial orders now pending before your honorable body and such other business as may come before the meeting.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

SLEEPING ON THE COMMON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 14, 1924.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen,—The ordinance relative to sleeping on Boston Common presents a real hardship during the summer season for many persons who seek the Common as the only means of escaping from intolerable conditions in tenement and flat.
The custom of apprehending, fining and imprisoning persons who violate the provisions of section 80, chapter 40, of the Revised Ordinances of 1914, entails a hardship for which a remedy should be provided at once, and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying amendment to the ordinances.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Be it ordained by the City Council as follows:
Section 80, chapter 40, of the Revised Ordinances of 1914 is hereby amended by striking out the words "between sunset and seven o'clock in the morning," in the fifteenth and sixteenth lines, so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

"Section 80. No person shall in or upon the Common, Public Garden or other public grounds of the city, walk, stand or sit upon the grass, or upon any land planted or prepared for planting or upon a fountain, monument or statue, or a bandstand, wall, fence or other structure or within the basin of a pond otherwise than upon ice, or stand or lie upon a bench or sleep thereon, or, not being a woman

or child, occupy a bench designated for the exclusive use of women and children,—except that the Mayor may from time to time by proclamation and order permit walking, standing and lying upon the grassed land of the the grassed land of any other public grounds or any designated part thereof, except the Public Garden, for such days or such parts of days as he shall specify; and he may in like manner by proclamation and order permit sleeping on such days as he shall specify, on any of the benches and any of the grassed lands of the Common or other public grounds, except the Public Garden. Nothing contained in this section or in section eighty-two of this chapter shall be held to prohibit the doing of any act in the reasonable performance of his work or employment by any person acting under the authority or direction of any board or officer in charge of any of the places described in this section."

President DONOGHUE—The matter will be referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I move a suspension of the rule, and trust that the ordinance will put upon its passage. It seems to me a very proper ordinance.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I second the motion.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr President, I believe if we are going to amend the ordinance with reference to the Common, it is about time we also amended it with reference to some of the other parks in the city. I understand that on the Strandway a week ago Sunday a seventeen or eighteen year old boy was arrested for playing with a rubber ball. I would like to so amend the ordinance that it should apply to all the parks of the city.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I think the suggestion made by Coun. Moriarty is a good one. Therefore I move that the matter go to the Executive Committee, and perhaps we can put it in shape there. I did not think of the point he now makes at the time when I spoke before.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair thought that somebody might be interested in knowing what the ordinance was.

Coun. WATSON—Well, Mr. President, we all make mistakes.

The message and ordinance were referred to the Executive Committee.

GASOLINE PETITIONS.

Notice was received from the Street Laying-out Department that the following petitions for storage and sale of gasoline have been received and will be heard on Monday, July 21, 1924:

Bay State Garage, Inc., 264 Main street (3), 1,000 gallons.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, O and First streets (9), 2,000 gallons.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, Washington street (22), 4,000 gallons..
Referred to the Executive Committee.

COMPENSATION OF CHARLESTOWN PROBATION OFFICERS.

A communication was received from Justice Charles S. Sullivan, of the Municipal Court of the Charlestown district, fixing the annual compensation of the probation officers of the court as follows:

Chief Probation Officer (Captain James D. Coady), \$2,800.

Probation Officer (Mr. William E. Carney), \$2,200.

Probation Officer for Wayward and Delinquent Children (Mrs. Ellen M. Foley), \$2,200.

Such action was submitted for the approval of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Boston, acting as County Commissioners.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

BOSTONIANS LIABLE TO MILITIA ENROLLMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Assessing Department, July 7, 1924.
James Donovan, Esq., City Clerk.
Dear Sir,—At a meeting of the Board of Assessors, held today, it was voted to certify to the City Clerk, under General Laws, chapter 33 of section 6, that the number of persons in the City of Boston liable to enrollment in the militia in 1924 is found to be 143, 454.

Respectfully,
BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
by JOSEPH G. O'MALLEY, Secretary.
Placed on file.

CONFIRMATION OF EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

President DONOGHUE called up the following appointments of July 7, 1924:

Samuel Goldmeier, Gadsdon W. Davis and Morris Askin, to be Constables of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1925; John Gillis, to be a Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1925; Thomas Hanley, to be a Weigher of Goods and Measurer of Wood for the term ending April 30, 1925.

The question came on confirmation. Committee, Coun. Moriarty and Lane. Whole number of ballots, 8; yeas 6, nays 2, and the appointments were severally confirmed.

PAYMENT TO WIDOW OF CHARLES V. CAREY.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following orders:

Ordered, That chapter 486 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to Pay a Sum of Money to the Widow of Charles V. Carey," be and the same hereby is accepted.

Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1924 there be allowed and paid to Laura T. Carey, widow of Charles V. Carey, late a court officer in the Superior Court, the balance of the salary to which he would have been entitled had he lived and served in said capacity until December 31, 1924; said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Orders passed under suspension of the rule.

REQUESTED REMOVAL OF SCHOOL HISTORIES.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That the School Committee be requested to remove from use in the schools all histories dealing with American past and American patriots in a manner that in any way besmirches the memory of said patriots and is detrimental to American past.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I do not ask for a suspension of the rule, for the reason that I prefer to accomplish something with this resolution. I am going to be very brief in what I have to say because I realize that there is a great deal of business of real importance before the Council for us to consider today. But I do desire to have spread on the records of this body certain facts of which I have spoken before and certain conditions that exist in other great cities of our Commonwealth relative to the use of school

histories that are not fair to the early Americans. It will be remembered by those who have a memory at all that some months ago I introduced an order very similar to this which passed this body and was referred to the School Committee and there was used as a football by the members of the School Committee; and the elimination from the schools of Boston of certain books impregnated with un-American history was refused by the School Committee by a vote of 3 to 2. I would not introduce this order today were it not for the fact that one member of the School Board, Mr. Lane, who voted in opposition to the action I desired, is not now a member of the Board. In his place another member has been elected. I believe, if the two members who voted favorably before are of the same opinion now, that the gentleman elected last fall may make a majority in favor of removing the books referred to from our schools. At the time the School Committee acted on this question they said in their report as a sort of little bit of sop to those who favored the removal of these books, in substance,—I cannot remember the exact words,—that it was decided by a majority of the committee that the books were not the proper books for the schools and that in the near future they would be eliminated. The same books are in the schools today and they are just as un-American today as they were then. I had the pleasure of talking with some high officials in New York on the Board of Education recently, and they informed me that, because of the action of such societies as the Knights of Columbus, the Elks, and other truly American fraternal organizations, the educational board of the city of New York had removed many of these books to which I have reference, together with others that I did not think were quite as bad. Certainly, Mr. President, Boston is not second to New York in the matter of history—the Boston of Faneuil Hall fame, with nearby Concord and Bunker Hill,—and certainly if the city of New York cannot permit such histories, the City of Boston should not do so. Therefore, Mr. President, imbued with the desire to fight it out until I succeed, I am endeavoring today, with the assistance of my colleagues and that of the patriotic Americans on the School Board, with the aid of other fraternal American orders whom I believe will assist me, I am trying to conclude, successfully or otherwise, our work in this direction, at least stirring up sufficient public sentiment to make our School Board become awakened so that it will listen to the people's wish. I belong to the Knights of Columbus; I belong to the Elks. I already have the backing of the Knights of Columbus, and I propose at the next meeting of the Elks to offer a resolution that they back this Council up in the action I believe we will take today in attempting to remove from the schools of Boston and from our growing Americans the British-impregnated histories written by Mr. Albert Bushnell Hart of Harvard College and other historians who lean toward British propaganda. Let us all unite in bringing about conditions that we should have here as leaders of true American thought. Mr. President, this is only the beginning as far as I am concerned. I intend to continue this contest until the School Board either does or does not remove from the schools histories that I claim are positively un-American, histories that the city of New York do not think are fit for the American mind, either adult or minor, to read. I hope that we will be able to have such histories removed from our schools. We are but starting, now. I know that my colleagues will vote unanimously in favor of this order. I know that the Mayor of the city favors it. I know that native Americans and foreign-born Americans feel as I do in regard to the matter. I believe that even the broadminded British-American citizens feel as I do. They have to, in order to feel that they are Americans. I therefore move you, Mr. President, that my order be referred to the Executive Committee and that they give a public hearing upon the order, in order that we may be able to show the School Committee that in this movement we have the support of the citizenship of Boston, regardless of race, creed or color.

The order was referred to the Executive Committee.

LEASE OF LAND, ATLANTIC AVENUE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 7, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit for the approval of your honorable body an order drafted by the Corporation Counsel providing for the leasing of a portion of the premises now under

lease to the city as a dumping place for garbage on Atlantic avenue.

It is the purpose of the lessee in the event that approval is given to this lease to erect stores on Atlantic avenue and upon the vacant land adjoining the garbage dumping station to construct a building representing an expenditure in excess of \$1,000,000.

I trust the City Council in its wisdom may see fit to approve the order as here presented providing as it does a means of materially increasing the annual revenue of the city and making less objectionable one of the most unsightly structures in our city.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and hereby is authorized to execute and deliver for and in behalf of the City of Boston a lease running from said City of Boston to Henry E. Rothfield of Newton, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and Henry B. Day, of said Newton, trustees of the Middlesex Trust, of a certain parcel of land situate on Atlantic avenue, Boston, in said Commonwealth, being a portion of the premises now used by the City of Boston as a dumping station for garbage, at an annual rental the equivalent in amount to 5 per cent of the total valuation of the land so leased, appraised at \$10 per square foot, for such period as the adjoining premises now used by the said City of Boston as a dumping station for garbage shall continue to be so used by the said City of Boston, but the term of said lease is in no case to exceed twenty years.

Said leased premises are to consist of so much of the land fronting on Atlantic avenue and to a depth of not more than twenty feet therefrom as is not now needed by the said City of Boston for public or municipal purposes; the said trustees to have the right to build upon the leased premises a structure or building of one or more stories in height.

The aforesaid Middlesex Trust is to agree to pay taxes on the land and buildings to be erected thereon to the City of Boston at the current rates during the period of said lease and that the buildings erected thereon by the Middlesex Trust, or any other person holding under them, shall at the expiration or termination of said lease become the property of the City of Boston aforesaid.

The said lease is to contain such other restrictions and limitations, including a right of passage over and across the said leased premises from and to Atlantic avenue, as is satisfactory to the Law Department of the City of Boston, and the said lease is to be in such form as is satisfactory to said Law Department.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LOAN FOR SEWERAGE WORKS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 14, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The necessity for the protection of the public from an epidemic which may at any time arise owing to lack of adequate sewerage facilities in the West Roxbury section of Boston renders it imperative that early action may be taken in the matter of appropriating sufficient funds to meet a condition too long neglected. To install a sewerage system and eliminate the privy system will represent a total cost in excess of one million dollars. There are certain streets in the West Roxbury section upon which thirty or more three-family houses have been erected, with privy cesspools directly in front of each house, and in one case in the rear of certain of these houses may be found a public playground.

The Stony brook sewer, upon which more than a million and a half dollars has already been expended, must eventually be completed at a cost fully one half as great as the amount expended up to the present time.

Replacements at the Calf Pasture pumping station will require expenditure of at least forty thousand dollars which is most urgent.

While I appreciate the demands for additional monies for Highways, Making of, I nevertheless believe that the primary obligation should be public health, and to this end I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 426 of the Acts of 1897, as amended by chapter 204 of the Acts of 1908, the sum of

\$200,000 be and hereby is appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works for sewerage work, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TRANSFERS FOR HYDE PARK AVENUE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 14, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith report of the Street Laying-Out Department recommending a payment of claims in connection with the widening of Hyde Park avenue.

An unexpended balance of \$864.93 remains in the appropriation for the widening and construction of North Beacon street, Brighton, and the transfer of this sum to the appropriation for Hyde Park Avenue, Widening, would provide sufficient funds to cover the pending claims on the case of the Hyde Park Avenue, Widening.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for North Beacon street, Brighton, \$864.93, to the appropriation for Hyde Park Avenue, Widening, \$864.93.

City of Boston,
Street Laying-Out Department,
July 7, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—The special loan appropriation of \$175,000 made for the widening of Hyde Park avenue, under the order of October 24, 1916, has been reduced to an unexpended balance of \$818.52. There are four damage claims still unsettled on account of this improvement, and these amount to \$1,683.45.

To allow for the settlement of the remaining Hyde Park avenue claims I would respectfully suggest that a loan order be submitted to the Council providing for the transfer of \$864.93 from the special loan "North Beacon Street, Brighton," of which there is a large unexpended balance, to the special loan "Hyde Park Avenue, Widening."

Respectfully,
JOHN H. L. NOYES, Chairman.
Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Manong Aylaian, for compensation for injuries caused by being struck by a patrol wagon.

J. B. Cherry Company, for compensation for damage to property at 101 Shawmut avenue by city employees.

Anna Cohen, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 36 Spring street.

Louis Cohen, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 128 Shawmut avenue.

Cornelius M. Doherty, for compensation for damage to property at 134 Chelsea street by overflow of sewer.

James C. Fitzpatrick, for compensation for loss of shoes while employed on the ferry.

Sam Lederman, for compensation for damage to automobile by baseball.

Giuseppi Nastasio, for compensation for damage to property by fire apparatus.

Meyer Navisky, for compensation for damage to property 276 Cambridge street by city horse.

Mary E. O'Neill, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Columbia road.

George E. Phalan, for compensation for injuries received while removing manhole cover.

Charles Piazza, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 25 Prince street.

Durmit M. Sharbell, for compensation for damage to automobile by ambulance.

F. G. Shattuck Company, to be paid for unused refuse tickets.

Mark Staveinos, for compensation for damage to property at 8 Border street.

Lewis Stern, for compensation for damage to automobile by Police Department truck.

Rebecca Thompson, for compensation for damage to property at 18 Kendall street by stoppage of sewer.

Margaret Thornton, for compensation for damages caused by an alleged defect at Curtis and Saratoga streets.

Ephraim M. Wise, for compensation for damage to property at 12 Rochester street by defective main pipe.

TRANSIENT VENDORS' LICENSE.

Notice was received from the City Clerk of the issuing of a transient vendor's license to C. James Williams.

Placed on file.

The bond of C. James Williams in the sum of \$500 for a transient vendor's license was received and placed on file.

DANGEROUS DOG.

The complaint of Nellie Goudie against a dog, owned and kept by James E. Murray, was received and placed on file.

RECESS.

President DONOGHUE, at 3.20 p. m., declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled and were called to order by President DONOGHUE at 5.45 p. m.

JITNEY LICENSES GRANTED.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Special Committee on jitney licenses, submitted reports recommending that licenses be granted on the following petitions:

John F. G. Eichorn (referred July 7, 1924) to operate two Pierce-Arrow buses (for Worcester, Mass., from Copley-Plaza Hotel, Boston, Mass., through Dartmouth street to Beacon street to Kenmore square, thence Commonwealth avenue to the Newton line, taking on passengers only at the Copley-Plaza Hotel).

A. L. Weiner (referred June 30, 1924) for license to operate four buses to Providence, R. I., from Copley-Plaza Hotel, along Huntington avenue to Massachusetts avenue to Columbus avenue, to Egleston square, to Washington street to Dedham line.

Conway Tours, Inc. (referred May 26), for license to operate twelve buses (for Providence, R. I.) from Park square continuing along Columbus avenue to Washington street to Dedham line, passengers to be taken on at Park square only.

Reports accepted; licenses granted on the usual conditions.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on Mayor's message and order (referred July 7) to accept the act (chapter 475 of 1924) authorizing the laying out, widening and construction of Tremont street from Arlington square to its intersection with Stuart street in the City of Boston, with order that said chapter be and the same hereby is accepted,—that the said order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the question came on the passage of the order.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I would simply like to say in support of this measure that the members of the Council who vote favorably upon it will be doing something that will be of tremendous benefit in the future. I think it means a wonderful step in advance, and I am pleased to be one of those who is going to vote for it.

Report accepted; order passed.

2. Report on Mayor's message and order (referred July 7) to accept an act (chapter 476 of 1924) authorizing the laying out, widening and construction of Kneeland street from a point at or near Washington and Stuart streets to Atlantic avenue, in the City of Boston,—that the order accepting said act ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed.

3. Report on orders submitted by Mayor (and referred July 7) that \$120,000 be appropriated for the laying out, widening and construction of Tremont street in accordance with chapter 475 of the Acts of 1924, and that the amount so appropriated be met from the revenue to be received under chapter 480, Acts of 1924,—that the same ought to pass.

Ordered, That under the authority of chapter 475 of the Acts of 1924 the sum of \$1,200,000

be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Board of Street Commissioners for the laying out, widening and construction of Tremont street, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount the same to be issued outside the limit of indebtedness.

Report accepted, and the Clerk called the roll on the passage of the order.

When Coun. Moriarty's name was called, Coun. MORIARTY said:

"Mr. President, I am going to vote yes, but I am going to save the right to change my vote at the next meeting. I am going to vote yes for the purpose of not holding the matter up today and so that I may get more information in the next fourteen days. For the present I vote yes."

When Coun. Purcell's name was reached, Coun. PURCELL said:

"Mr. President, for the same reason that Coun. Moriarty is voting yes, I am going to vote the same, yes."

The orders were given the first reading and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

The orders will go over for two weeks for their second reading and passage.

4. Report "Ought to Pass" on the following orders (submitted by Mayor and referred July 7):

Order appropriating \$120,000 for the laying out, widening and construction of Kneeland street in accordance with chapter 476 of the Acts of 1924, the amount so appropriated to be met from the revenue to be received under chapter 480, Acts of 1924,—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 475 of the Acts of 1924 the sum of \$1,200,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Board of Street Commissioners for the laying out, widening and construction of Tremont street, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount, the same to be issued outside the limit of indebtedness.

The reports were accepted, and the question came on the passage of the orders. The Clerk called the roll, and when Coun. Moriarty's name was reached, he said:

"Mr. President, I am going to make the same statement that I did before. The Street Commissioner having been here and having stated that the street is going to be jumbled up, his statement signified to me that it is a matter that needs to be looked into. Therefore, I am going to vote yes today, although I may vote no at the next meeting."

Coun. PURCELL, when his name was reached, said:

"Mr. President, I am going to vote yes today for the same reason that Coun. Moriarty has given."

The orders were given their first reading and passage, yeas 7, nays 0:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

The orders will go over for two weeks for their second reading and passage.

5. Report on order (referred today) appropriating \$200,000, under the provisions of chapter 426 of the Acts of 1897, as amended by chapter 204 of the Acts of 1908, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works for sewerage work, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount,—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 7, nays 0:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

The order will come up for its second and final reading and passage in two weeks' time.

6. Report on proposed contracts with the Charlestown Gas and Electric Company for furnishing gas and for the equipment and lighting of gas lamps (referred July 7)—reporting in part recommending the passage of the accompanying order for a hearing before the City Council as required by law.

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section six of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, a public hearing be given by the City Council on Monday, July 28, 1924, at three o'clock p. m., on the proposed contracts with

the Charlestown Gas and Electric Company for furnishing gas and for the equipment and lighting of gas lamps; and that the City Clerk be directed to give notice of said hearing by advertising the same in the daily newspapers, and seven days before the date of the hearing in the City Record; the expense of said hearing and advertising to be charged to the appropriate items of the City Council appropriation.

Report accepted; order passed.

7. Report on order (referred July 7) that the right to borrow money for highways, making of, under the loan order passed March 18, 1924, and approved by the Mayor March 19, 1924, be limited to \$600,000, and that the authorization to borrow in excess of said amount for said purpose be and the same is hereby revoked,—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 7, nays 0:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

The order will come up for its second reading and passage in not less than two weeks.

8. Report on proposed transfer (referred today) from appropriation for North Beacon Street, Brighton, to appropriation for Hyde Park Avenue, Widening of, \$864.93,—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 7, nays 0:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

9. Report on communication from the justice of the Municipal Court of the Charlestown district fixing the annual compensation of the probation officers of said court (referred today)—that the same be approved.

Report accepted; said action approved.

10. Report on petition of David J. Johnson, Institutions Commissioner for the City of Boston, for the removal of Louis Grappi, World War Veteran, as an officer in the Suffolk County House of Correction, Deer Island, for breach of duty, etc.—recommending the passage of an order for a hearing on July 28, 1924.

Report accepted; order passed.

11. Report on the ordinance (referred today) relative to sleeping on the Common,—that said ordinance ought to pass.

Report accepted; said ordinance passed.

SALE OF LAND ON MINTON STREET.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted a report on the order (submitted by the Mayor and referred May 12) to sell 380 square feet of land on Minton street, Jamaica Plain, for \$65, to the Clifton Manufacturing Company,—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. Watson, for Coun. Gilbody, submitted a report for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, recommending the passage of an order for the payment of aid to soldiers and sailors and their families in the City of Boston for the month of July, 1924.

Report accepted; order passed.

AMOUNT FOR IMMEDIATE SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. WATSON, for Coun. Gilbody, offered an order—That there be allowed and paid to the Soldiers Relief Commissioner, and charged to the appropriation for Soldiers' Relief Department, the sum of \$300, said sum to be expended, subject to the approval of the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, by said commissioner in affording immediate relief to persons entitled to the same under the statute law.

Order passed under suspension of the rule.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. LANE, the Council refused a general reconsideration of all action taken today.

Adjourned at 5.57 p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to meet on Monday, July 28, at 2 p. m.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

July 14, 1924.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 7.25 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of June 16, 1924, were amended on page 110 to provide that the rating of Albert J. Pfau under Certificate XXXI-A, Machine Shop, shall read 784 instead of 781.

On motion, the minutes of June 23, 1924, were amended as follows:

SALARY SCHEDULE FOR TEACHERS, MEMBERS OF SUPERVISING STAFF AND OTHERS, YEAR ENDING AUG. 31, 1925.

Latin and Day High Schools.

Strike out the following items:

Instructors in Mechanical Department (Mechanic Arts High School) \$1980—144—2988.

Instructors, Manual Arts, \$1980—144—2988.

and substitute in place thereof to immediately follow "Cooperative Instructors" the following:

Instructors in Mechanic Arts \$1980—144—2988.

Insert the following to immediately follow "Assistant Instructors in Salesmanship":

Home Nursing Assistant (High School of Practical Arts) \$1668—96—2244.

Day Elementary Schools and Day Intermediate Schools.

Strike out the item

First Assistants in Charge, Prevocational Classes \$2196—96—2388, and substitute in place thereof the following:

Master's Assistants, Prevocational Classes \$2052—96—2532.

Strike out the salary for the rank of Prevocational Assistants,

\$1596—96—2268

and substitute in place thereof the following:

\$1740—96—2316

so that the item will read as follows: Prevocational Assistants, \$1740—96—2316.

Trade School for Girls.

Strike out the heading Evening Classes.

and substitute in place thereof the following:

Extension Classes.

Speech Improvement Classes and Classes for Conservation of Eyesight.

Strike out the salary for the rank of Assistant in Charge of Classes for Conservation of Eyesight.

\$2146—96—2436

and substitute in place thereof the following:

\$2052—96—2532

so that the item will read as follows: Assistant in Charge of Classes for Conservation of Eyesight, \$2052—96—2532.

Department of Evening Schools.

Under the heading "Day School for Immigrants," strike out the salary for the rank of Assistant in Charge,

\$1944—96—2520

and substitute in place thereof the following:

\$2052—96—2532

so that the item will read as follows: Assistant in Charge, \$2052—96—2532.

Strike out the salary for the rank of Assistant,

\$1644—96—2220

and substitute in place thereof the following:

\$1740—96—2316

so that the item will read as follows: Assistants, \$1740—96—2316.

Department of Physical Training.

Insert the following item to immediately precede "Instructors of Military Drill":

Junior Masters (Military Drill) \$1980—144—3276.

Insert the following items to immediately precede "Assistants, Physical Training":

Assistant (Physical Training) The Teachers College of the City of Boston \$1668—96—2724.

Assistant Instructors, Physical Training, The Teachers College of the City of Boston \$1668—96—2148.

Department of Special Classes.

Strike out the item

First Assistants in Charge \$2244—96—2436 and substitute in place thereof the following:

Master's Assistants, \$2052—96—2532.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed, as amended.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers to The Teachers College of the City of Boston, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

Charles Sumner District—Marion E. Kelley, assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Charles A. DuBois, submaster, Aug. 31, 1924.

Accepted.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

(Industrial Department, to take effect Sept. 8, 1924.)

High School of Practical Arts—Anastasia Blackwood, Dorothea Mulcahy, Gertrude Weckesser, Mary Zareiko, Reita Aronson, (second year from Sept. 10, 1924); Tomasina Ilacqua (second year from Sept. 10, 1924); Bertha W. Johnson (second year from Sept. 10, 1924); Lydia Kipp, (second year from Dec. 17, 1924); Rose M. Korman (second year from

Sept. 10, 1924); Mary O'Connor, (second year from Jan. 21, 1925); Hazel Reed, (second year from Sept. 12, 1924); Helen M. Anderson, (third year from Sept. 13, 1924); Victoria L. Baumgardner, (third year from Sept. 13, 1924); Martha L. Chase, (third year from Sept. 18, 1924); Annette M. Havey, (third year from Sept. 14, 1924); Eleanor R. Pettiti, (third year from Sept. 13, 1924); Marjorie Sargent, (third year from Sept. 18, 1924); Marjorie P. Taylor, (third year from Sept. 13, 1924); Bertha Winshman, (third year from Sept. 13, 1924); Harriet B. Alexander, (fourth year from Sept. 20, 1924); Vartoohy Bagdikian, (fourth year from Dec. 19, 1924); Affy W. McCoubrey, (fourth year from Sept. 20, 1924); Bertha I. Parker, (fourth year from Sept. 20, 1924); Mildred Bickmore, (fifth year from Sept. 13, 1924); Edna Fitzer, (tenth year from Oct. 4, 1924).
Hyde Park High School—Abigail J. Barry (second year, from Oct. 1, 1924); Priscilla H. Blampted (fourth year, from Sept. 22, 1924).
Approved.

(Mechanical Department, to take effect Sept. 8, 1924.)

Hyde Park High School—Martin J. Feeney, first year; Beatrice R. Lockhart, second year from Sept. 8, 1924.

Approved.

Agassiz District—Fannie B. Lin-sky, June 2, 1924.

Bennett District—Florence E. Bakewell, June 18, 1924.

Bowditch District—Mary L. Mahoney, June 18, 1924.

Charles Sumner District—Grace E. Penney, June 18, 1924.

Dearborn District—Edwin L. Crowley, June 11, 1924 (one day); Helen A. Wilson, June 12, 1924 (one day); George D. Leavitt, June 13, 1924 (one day); Marcella F. O'Neill, June 18, 1924; Helen R. Shaughnessy, June 18, 1924.

Emerson District—Francis E. Falvey, June 18, 1924; Sarah A. Newton, kindergarten, June 18, 1924.

Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District—Florence M. Fischer, June 11, 1924 (one day).

Howard-Frothingham District—Frank E. Morrissey, June 13, 1924, (one day); Louise F. Fine, June 18, 1924.

John Marshall District—Katherine W. Harrigan, June 16, 1924 (one day); Mary Shay, June 10, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Evelyn B. Howe, June 10, 1924 (one day).

Lawrence District—Morris H. Hewitt, June 11 to 12, 1924 (two days).

Longfellow District—Mabel Langworthy, June 18, 1924.

Martin District—Clara M. Dorr, June 16, 1924 (one day).

Robert Gould Shaw District—Helen K. Travers, June 2, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Ruth S. Hoepfner, kindergarten, June 16, 1924; Charlotte Adams, June 3, 1924 (one day); Evelyn B. Howe, June 4, 1924 (one day); Grace E. Penney, June 2, 1924 (one day).

Sherwin District—Margaret A. Gately, special class, June 9, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Elsie G. McDonald, kindergarten, June 18, 1924; Agnes S. Ordung, June 4, 1924 (one-half day).

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Serena G. Hall, June 2 to 3, 1924 (two days).

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Agnes S. Ordung, June 9, 1924; Lucy E. Wright, June 18, 1924.

Washington Allston District—Mary G. Lambe, June 9, 1924; Isabel Marsh, June 18, 1924.

William E. Embeott District—Mary G. Nissen, June 12 to 13, 1924 (two days).

Approved.

(Summer Vacation, 1924.)

Day School for Immigrants—Anne M. Dannenhoffer, Agnes G. Hurley, Catherine G. Murray, special assistants, June 23, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHER

Department of Household Science and Arts—Margaret Lally, teacher of sewing, June 3, 1924 (one-half day). Placed on file.

REAPPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Department of Manual Arts—Edward B. Flaherty, shop instructor, Nov. 5, 1923; Edward B. Flaherty, shop instructor, Mar. 5, 1924.

Approved.

APPOINTMENTS

The Teachers College of the City of Boston—Francis O'Meara, junior master, Sept. 1, 1924; Eleanor H. Quinlan, assistant instructor, physical training (from Girls' Latin School), Sept. 1, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

Hyde Park High School—Anna L. Cahill, assistant instructor, physical training (from assistant instructor, physical training, Normal and Hyde Park High Schools), Sept. 1, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

(From the Eligible List.)

Girls' High School—Margaret G. O'Brien, assistant instructor, physical training, Sept. 1, 1924.

John Marshall District—Mary A. MacNaught, master's assistant, special classes (from instructor, special class) Sept. 1, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Esther Quint, assistant, special class, Sept. 1, 1924.

Longfellow District—Marion Manley, assistant, special class, Sept. 1, 1924.

Mary Hemenway District — A. Viveca Mattox, assistant, special class, Sept. 1, 1924.

Mather District — Dorothee V. Clark, assistant, special class, Sept. 1, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Esther M. Sheehan, assistant, special class, second year, Sept. 1, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Ruth Murphy, assistant, special class, Sept. 1, 1924.

Sherwin District—Violet M. Harnden, assistant, special class, Sept. 1, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Sara B. Dreney, assistant, Sept. 1, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Doris L. Carroll, assistant, special class, Sept. 1, 1924; Hazle E. Crane, assistant, special class, Sept. 1, 1924.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Eileen R. Marshall, assistant, special class, fourth year, Sept. 1, 1924.

Wendell Phillips District—Mary A. Hartigan, prevocational assistant (from instructor, special class, Longfellow District), Sept. 1, 1924.

Boston Trade School—Ralph F. Morrison, shop foreman, Sept. 1, 1924.

Trade School for Girls—Magdalena C. Columbus, trade assistant, Sept. 1, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Frances R. Bacharach, teacher of cookery, fifth year, Sept. 1, 1924; Mary V. Connors, teacher of sewing, Sept. 1, 1924; Miriam W. Crowley, teacher of cookery, Sept. 1, 1924; Mary C. Gaudrault, teacher of sewing, Sept. 1, 1924; Helen S. Hyde, teacher of cookery, seventh year, Sept. 1, 1924; Irene M. F. McGuire, teacher of cookery, Sept. 1, 1924; Elizabeth M. O'Connor, teacher of cookery, Sept. 1, 1924; Mary R. O'Malley, teacher of sewing, Sept. 1, 1924; Violet L. Russell, teacher of sewing, Sept. 1, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—George F. Hatch, assistant director (from junior master, Brighton High School), Sept. 1, 1924; Bertha A. Pet-tee, assistant in manual arts (from instructor in manual training), Sept. 1, 1924; William H. Powers, instructor, shop work, Sept. 1, 1924.

Department of Music—Mary A. Kennedy, assistant in music (from assistant, Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District), Sept. 1, 1924; H. Dana Strother, assistant director, fifth year, Sept. 1, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

(By Promotion.)

Latin and Day High Schools—Albert J. Kelley, junior master, military drill (from instructor in military drill), Sept. 1, 1924; James J. Kelley, junior master, military drill (from instructor in military drill), Sept. 1, 1924.

Brighton High School—Percy A. Brigham, co-operative instructor (from division foreman, Boston Trade School), Sept. 1, 1924.

Trade School for Girls—Rebecca Anslow, master's assistant (from head of department), Sept. 1, 1924; Josephine B. Tanck, vocational assistant (from trade assistant), Sept. 1, 1924.

Continuation School—Francis J. Lyons, senior instructor (from instructor), Sept. 1, 1924; James L. O'Brien, senior instructor (from instructor), Sept. 1, 1924.

Classes for Conservation of Eyesight—Margaret L. Nolan, assistant (from assistant, Shurtleff District), Sept. 1, 1924.

Approved under a suspension of the rules.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

(Term 1924-25)

Principals.

High Schools—Brighton, Melville C. Freeman; Central, Robert F. Allen; Charlestown, John J. Cadigan; Dorchester, Henry W. B. Arnold; East Boston, Francis J. Conlin; Girls', Orren H. Smith; Roxbury, Joseph L. Powers; South Boston, Alva T. Southworth.

Elementary Schools — Bigelow, Francis M. Morrissey; Bowdoin, Anna A. Maguire; Comins, Walter C. Winston; Dearborn, Francis A. O'Brien; Edward Everett, J. Ellis Ames; Eliot, William S. Lenihan; Franklin, Eugene H. Dorr; Frederic W. Lincoln, John A. O'Keefe; Hyde Park, Charles H. Early; Oliver Wendell Holmes, Stanley A. Starratt; Phillips Brooks, John M. McDonnell; Roger Wolcott, Raymond H. Young; Theodore Lyman, John J. Boyan; Theodore Roosevelt, Edward M. McDonough; Washington, James E. Lynch; Washington Irving, Elizabeth W. O'Connor.

Approved.

GARDENING.

Season 1924

Supervisor—Frederick Eames. First Assistants—Ruth C. Keyes, Mary E. A. Lynch.

Garden Teachers—M. Olive Duvall, Helen MacNeil, Mary F. Tierney. Garden Assistants—Marion Foley, Margaret Morgan, Sibyl U. Murphy, Robert Templeton, Emily J. Wall. Approved.

TRANSFERS.

Girls' High School—Marjorie Wood, head, assistant instructor of physical training, to the same position in the Girls' Latin School, Sept. 1, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District —Marjory T. Doherty, assistant, to the same position in the Washington Irving Intermediate District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Bowdoin District—Mary J. Boyhan, assistant, to the same position in the Harvard-Frothingham District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Christopher Gibson District—Mabel A. Woodward, assistant, to the same position in the Washington Irving Intermediate District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Dearborn District—Mary S. Garrity, assistant, to the same position in the Washington Irving Intermediate District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Dillaway District—Elizabeth Beatty, assistant, to the same position in the Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Emerson District—Eva Shulman, assistant, to the same position in the Roger Wolcott District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Franklin District—Lucy A. Beatty, assistant, to the same position in the Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Hancock District—Margaret M. Horgan, assistant, to the same position in the Dillaway District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Harvard-Frothingham District — Celena E. Hoar, assistant, special class, to the same position in the Dwight District, Sept. 1, 1924.

John A. Andrew District—Mildred J. Hannon, assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Samuel Adams District, Sept. 1, 1924.

John Marshall District—Elizabeth P. Wright, assistant, special class, to the same position in the Wells District, Sept. 1, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Helen M. Reagan, assistant, to the same position in the Washington Irving Intermediate District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—F. Ethel Crowninshield, first assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Prince District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Norcross District—Theresa A. Larkin, assistant, to the same position in the Hugh O'Brien District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Susan M. Hosmer, assistant, to the same position in the Washington Irving Intermediate District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Margaret M. Flaherty, assistant, special class, to the same position in the Harvard-Frothingham District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Prince District—Mabel G. Finlay, first assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Theodore Lyman District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Harriet M. Gould, Marie G. Mann, Margaret C. McCloskey, assistants, to the same positions in the Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Beatrice E. Wittet, assistant, to the same position in the Horace Mann School for the Deaf, Sept. 1, 1924.

Shurtleff District — Mary G. O'Doherty, assistant to the same position in the Bennett District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Anna M. Rogers, assistant, special class,

to the same position in the John Marshall District, Sept. 1, 1924; Edith S. Roos, assistant, to the same position in the Bennett District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Washington District—Margaret L. Donahue, assistant, to the same position in the Robert Gould Shaw District, Sept. 1, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—Frances E. Fiske, first assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Dearborn District, Sept. 1, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Ida M. Fields, first assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Longfellow District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Boston Disciplinary Day School—Elizabeth A. Donahue, assistant, to the same position in the Sherwin District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion, the leaves of absence granted to the following-named teachers at the meetings of Apr. 21, 1924 (p. 60), May 5, 1924 (p. 67), May 19, 1924 (p. 86), and June 2, 1924 (p. 95), are hereby rescinded:

Hancock District—Wilhelmina M. Crosson, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Prescott District—Mary C. Culhane, prevocational assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Joseph A. F. O'Neill, master, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Frances A. Burnham, school nurse, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Catherine E. McCarthy, master's assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Franklin District—Anna M. Hooke, assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 2, 1924, one day, without pay.

Mary Hemenway District—Mary W. Foley, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Martin District—Annie A. Doran, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Dudley District—Josephine Marston, assistant, June 16, 1924, one day, without pay.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Harriet L. Jewell, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Bennett District—Bertha E. Davis, assistant, June 18, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Catherine E. McCarthy, master's assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, (misinformation regarding no school signal.)

Charles Sumner District—Katharine Macdanold, first assistant, kindergarten, from May 1 to June 30, 1924.

Franklin District—Anna M. Hooke, assistant, kindergarten, Apr. 2, 1924, one day, (misinformation regarding no school signal.)

Hancock District—Wilhelmina M. Crosson, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, (misinformation regarding no school signal.)

Martin District—Annie A. Doran, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, (misinformation regarding no school signal.)

Mary Hemenway District—Mary W. Foley, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, (misinformation regarding no school signal.)

Prescott District—Mary C. Culhane, prevocational assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, (misinformation regarding no school signal); Joseph A. F. O'Neill, master, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, (misinformation regarding no school signal.)

Ulysses S. Grant District—Harriet L. Jewell, assistant, Apr. 2, 1924, one-half day, (misinformation regarding no school signal.)

William E. Endicott District—Margaret M. Corcoran, assistant, June 13, 16, 1924, two days, without pay.

Department of Manual Arts—Henry G. Wendler, instructor, shop work, from Sept. 15, 1924 to Jan. 31, 1925, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Frances A. Burnham, school nurse, April 2, 1924, one-half day (misinformation regarding no school signal); Simon F. Curran, school physician, Aug. 5 to 23, 1924, without pay; Katharine FitzGerald, school nurse, June 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Anna B. McCue, school nurse, June 28, 30, 1924, one and one-half days, without pay.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Susan J. Ginn, director, June 13, 20, 23, 1924, one-half day each and June 24, 1924, two and one-half days, without loss of pay (vacation); Thomas D. Ginn, vocational instructor, June 18, 19, 23 to Aug. 1, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Bessie MacBride, vocational assistant, June 6 and 23 to July 3, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Eleanor J. O'Brien, vocational assistant, June 16 and 30, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (vacation); Margaret M. Sallaway, vocational assistant, June 5, to 20, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Irving O. Scott, vocational instructor, June 11, 1924, one-half day, without loss of pay (vacation); Abigail D. Steere, vocational assistant, June 30, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (vacation); Henry Wisansky, vocational instructor, June 19, and 20, 1924, one and one-half days, without loss of pay (vacation).

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence for study was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

William Lloyd Garrison District—Grace S. Mansfield, first assistant, kindergarten, from Sept. 1, 1924 to Aug. 31, 1925.

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of July 14, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board and in accordance with the salary schedule for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, he has made the following-named designations to take effect Sept. 1, 1924:

Roxbury High School—Myrtle C. Dickson, assistant, to take charge of the Roxbury High School Annex in Winthrop Street School; Prudence E. Thomas, assistant, to take charge of the Roxbury High School Annex in the Sarah J. Baker Schoolhouse. Placed on file.

ASSIGNMENT OF ADVISER TO STUDENTS, THE TEACHERS COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of July 14, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Margaret M. Sallaway, assistant, The Teachers College of the City of Boston, to act in the

capacity of adviser to students as part of her duties in that school.

Placed on file, and the assignment approved.

EMPLOYMENT OF LUNCH ATTENDANT THEODORE LYMAN VACATION SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the term of 1924 the employment of Rose Fratus as lunch attendant in the Theodore Lyman Vacation School is hereby authorized, compensation to be at the rate of fifty cents (\$.50) per hour for not more than two hours each school day of service.

ESTABLISHMENT OF PREVOCATIONAL CENTERS FOR BOYS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to establish prevocational centers for boys as follows, to take effect Sept. 9, 1924, said centers to offer courses as indicated:

Elihu Greenwood District—Amos Webster Schoolhouse—electricity.

Wendell Phillips District—Grant Schoolhouse—machine shop practice.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That until otherwise ordered, teachers in the prevocational centers for boys in the Elihu Greenwood and Wendell Phillips Districts shall in each district consist of not more than one shop instructor and one prevocational assistant.

CONTINUATION OF TRAINING SCHOOL FOR TEACHERS OF MECHANIC ARTS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to continue the Training School for Teachers of Mechanic Arts, said school to be conducted hereafter in connection with the Department of Manual Arts, in accordance with the general rules and regulations of the Board.

COURSES OF STUDY FOR THE TEACHERS COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the course of study for the Department of Elementary Education of The Teachers College of the City of Boston, as authorized at the meeting of July 2, 1923 (page 116), is hereby amended as follows:

In the third year, strike out the thirteenth line—

Penmanship 2

In the second year, insert to follow the item "Music.....1" the item—

Penmanship 1

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying outline of the course of study for the kindergarten-primary section of the Department of Elementary Education of The Teachers College of the City of Boston is hereby authorized to take the place of the

course authorized at the meeting of July 2, 1922 (page 117):

KINDERGARTEN-PRIMARY COURSE.
(Three Years.)
FIRST YEAR.

	Periods Per Week
Education I—Educational Psychology	3
Education X—Principles of Kindergarten	3
Education	3
English I	3
Nature Study	3
Kindergarten Technique	1
English III (One Semester)*	1
English VI (One Semester)	2
Music (One Semester)	2
Gymnasium	2
Observation	2

*Time taken from Education X in second semester.

SECOND YEAR.

Education X—Principles of Kindergarten	2
Education	3
Education II—Elementary Education (One Semester)	3
Kindergarten Technique	4
Primary Methods (One Semester)	3
Science II (One Semester)	3
Drawing and Manual Training (One Semester)	3
Music—Vocal and Instrumental	1
Gymnasium	2
Observation and Practice	6

THIRD YEAR.

One Semester devoted to Practice Teaching.

One Semester devoted to Normal School Instruction as follows:

Education IV—Principles and History of Education	3
Education XI—Problems of Kindergarten	4
Education and Educational Research	2
English IV	2
History VIII	2
Education XII—Americanization	1
Art Appreciation (One-half Semester)	2
Music (One-half Semester)	2
Gymnasium	2
Observation and Practice	3

AMENDMENT TO COURSE OF STUDY FOR CONTINUATION SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the course of study for the Boston Continuation School as contained in School Document No. 4, 1919, is hereby amended to include the following courses:

For the Boys' Division

Lettering and Sign Painting
Paper Box Making
Telegraphy
Picture Framing
Elements of Advertising

These courses to be open to all the boys of the school.

For the Girls' Division

Embroidery
Crocheting and Knitting
Bead Work
Novelty Work—including flower and lamp shade making
Basketry
These courses to be open to all the girls of the school.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the amendment to the course of study for the Boston Continuation School, as published on page 97 of the minutes of the School Committee of June 21, 1920, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Phonography

Courses in Phonography, essentially the same as those offered in the evening high schools are authorized. Admission to these courses is restricted to pupils who have completed English I with creditable marks in the day or evening high schools, or who have completed English I with creditable marks in the Continuation School and who have been enrolled in Phonography

courses in the day high schools or who are to enroll in similar courses in the evening high schools.

ADOPTION AND PRINTING OF COURSES OF STUDY.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying courses of study in French—First Unit, For Seventh and Eighth Grades of Intermediate Schools and Classes or First Year Classes in High Schools; Second Unit, For Ninth Grades of Intermediate Schools or Second Year Classes in High Schools; Third Unit, For Second or Third Year Classes in High Schools; Fourth Unit, For Third or Fourth Year Classes in High Schools—are hereby adopted as a school document; and that two thousand (2,000) copies be printed.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying courses of study in Spanish—First Unit, For Seventh and Eighth Grades of Intermediate Schools and Classes or First Year Classes in High Schools; Second Unit, For Ninth Grades of Intermediate Schools or Second Year Classes in High Schools; Third Unit, For Second or Third Year Classes in High Schools; Fourth Unit, For Third or Fourth Year Classes in High Schools—are hereby adopted as a school document; and that two thousand (2,000) copies be printed.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying one and two-year courses of study for the training school for teachers of mechanic arts in the Parkman School, South Boston, are hereby adopted:

One-Year Course		
Training School for Teachers of Mechanic Arts 1924-25.		
	Approx. Hours	No. of Home Hours Work
Woodworking	60	100
Printing	20	20
Elective Shop	90	20
Applied Psychology	60	120
Educational Psychology	30	60
English	30	60
Shop Mathematics	30	30
Mechanical Drawing	30	30
Design	30	30
Observation and Practice Teaching	90	30
Totals	1110	500

Two-Year Course		
Training School for Teachers of Mechanic Arts 1924-25.		
First Year		
	Approximate Hours	No. of Home Hours Work
Woodworking	60	90
Printing	20	15
Applied Psychology	60	120
Educational Psychology	30	60
English	30	60
Shop Mathematics	30	30
Mechanical Drawing	60	30
Design	30	30
Observation and Practice Teaching	100	15
Total	1110	450

Second Year		
	Approximate Hours	No. of Home Hours Work
Woodworking	60	90
Two elective shops	180	30
Psychology	60	120
English	30	60
Mechanical Drawing	60	60
Design	30	60
Observation and Practice Teaching	150	30
Total	1110	450

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the accompanying revised Special Syllabus-Shop-work, for Grades VI to IX, is hereby adopted for elementary schools, intermediate schools and classes and prevocational classes; and that eight hundred fifty (850) copies be printed as a school document.

PAYMENT TO TEMPORARY INSTRUCTOR OF DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS AND SIGNALING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be paid the sum of forty dollars (\$40) to Francis A. Mahan for services rendered as temporary instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling during the month of June, 1924, upon certification by the Director of Physical Training to the Superintendent that the services covered by said amount have been rendered.

EMPLOYMENT OF AUSTIN L. CANNON AS TEMPORARY ATTENDANCE OFFICER.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Austin L. Cannon as temporary attendance officer for service on May 22 and May 28, 1924, one-half day each, is hereby authorized, compensation for said service to be at the rate of five dollars (\$5.00) per day.

SALARY OF THOMAS C. WALSH, SHOP INSTRUCTOR, BOSTON TRADE SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Thomas C. Walsh, shop instructor, Boston Trade School, is hereby placed upon the maximum salary of the schedule of his rank, namely twenty-two hundred sixty-eight dollars (\$2268) to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

CHANGE IN RANKS OF CERTAIN TEACHERS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the rank of all first assistants in charge, prevocational classes, now in permanent service, is hereby changed to master's assistant, prevocational classes.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the rank of all first assistants in charge, special classes, now in permanent service, is hereby changed to master's assistant, special classes.

AMENDMENTS TO RULES AND REGULATIONS.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the Rules are hereby amended as follows:

Page 7. Glossary. Under "Groups," strike out the line "Normal School, Years I. to III., inclusive" and substitute in place thereof—

The Teachers College of the City of Boston . . . Department of Elementary Education (three-year courses) Department of Secondary Education (four-year courses)

Sect. 70. 2. In the fifth line, strike out the words "Boston Normal

School graduates" and substitute in place thereof—"graduates of The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

2. The board of superintendents shall establish lists of candidates eligible for appointment as teachers and members of the supervising staff who have been examined by said board; also eligible lists of graduates of The Teachers College of the City of Boston.

6. In the third line, strike out the words "the Boston Normal School" and substitute in place thereof—"The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

6. The board of superintendents shall issue certificates of qualification to graduates of The Teachers College of the City of Boston in accordance with the provisions of this chapter.

Sect. 73. 1. In the third line, strike out the words "the Normal" and substitute in place thereof—"The Teachers College of the City of Boston, the"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Sect. 73. 1. The board of superintendents shall conduct examinations of candidates for admission to The Teachers College of the City of Boston, the Latin, day and evening high schools in accordance with the regulations, and shall prepare the questions used in such examinations, and shall determine the admission of candidates.

Sect. 80. I. Strike out the following:

Normal School, Head Master: To head masters of the Boston Normal School.—

and substitute in place thereof:
I.—The Teachers College of the City of Boston, Principal: To principals of The Teachers College of the City of Boston.

II. Strike out the following:

Normal School: To masters, junior masters, first assistants, and assistants of the Boston Normal School.—

and substitute in place thereof:

II. The Teachers College of the City of Boston: To dean, masters, junior masters, first assistants, and assistants of The Teachers College of the City of Boston.

IV. In the paragraph which provides for the granting of the IV. High School certificate to teachers permanently employed under an XI. Special: Valid in Day High Schools certificate, who obtain a degree from a college or university approved by the Board of Superintendents, insert to follow the words "an XI. Special: Valid in Day High Schools certificate" in the fifteenth and sixteenth lines, the words "or under the certificate XIX. High School Limited," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Instructors and assistant instructors in commercial branches, in manual arts, in military drill, in physical training, and in salesmanship, in day high schools; industrial instructors in household science and vocational instructors and vocational assistants, in day high schools, who received such permanent appointment prior to November 1, 1924, and who have satisfactorily completed seven years of permanent service in the Boston public schools in any of these ranks, and teachers permanently employed under an XI. Special: Valid in Day High Schools

certificate or under the certificate XIX. High School Limited, who while so employed obtain a degree from a college or university apiece of those who receive the said High School certificate because of the obtaining of the college degree, except upon the first school day immediately prior to his anniversary.

VIII. Insert at the close of the paragraph which describes the eligibility requirements for this certificate, the words "or from The Teachers College of the City of Boston," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

The requirements for this certificate are: Graduation from a college or from a normal school approved by the board of superintendents, and evidence of two years' successful experience in teaching and governing regular graded day schools; or, graduation from the Boston Normal School or from The Teachers College of the City of Boston.

IX. Insert at the close of the paragraph which describes the eligibility requirements for this certificate, the words "or from The Teachers College of the City of Boston," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

The requirements for this certificate are: Graduation from a college or university approved by the board of superintendents, and graduation from the Boston Normal School or from The Teachers College of the City of Boston.

X. Strike out two paragraphs (b.), and substitute in place thereof, the following:

(b.) Kindergarten-Primary: To teachers of kindergartens and to assistants of day elementary schools in Grades I. to III., inclusive.

(b.) For the kindergarten-primary certificate: Graduation from the Boston Normal School or from The Teachers College of the City of Boston and completion of the kindergarten-primary course therein.

XI. Special. Under "Certificates Valid in Day High Schools," in the paragraph describing the eligibility requirements for the special certificate in manual arts, shop work, strike out the words "in manual arts, shop work" in the first and second lines, and substitute in place thereof—"in mechanic arts"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

For the special certificate in mechanic arts: Graduation from a high school, or evidence of an equivalent academic education; at least two years' supplementary education; three years' successful experience in teaching shop work; and two years of trade experience.

Insert the following to immediately precede the paragraph which establishes the eligibility requirements for the special certificate in physical training:

For the special certificate in home nursing: Graduation from a high school approved by the board of superintendents, or evidence of an equivalent academic education; graduation from a hospital or similar institution giving a course of instruction in nursing at least three years in length; evidence of completion of a course in teacher training approved by the board of superintendents; and evidence of three years' successful experience in public health nursing.

Under "Certificates Valid in Day

Elementary Schools, or Day Intermediate Schools or Classes," in the paragraph which describes the eligibility requirements for the cookery certificate, insert at the close of the paragraph the words "or of The Teachers College of the City of Boston," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

For the cookery certificate: Graduation from a high school approved by the board of superintendents, or evidence of an equivalent academic education, and graduation from an approved course of instruction in cookery which covers at least two years of professional training; and evidence of one year's successful experience in teaching cookery in regular graded day schools subsequent thereto, which teaching experience requirement may be waived for graduates of the Boston Normal School or of The Teachers College of the City of Boston.

Under "Certificates Valid in Day Elementary Schools, or Day Intermediate Schools or Classes," in the paragraph which describes the eligibility requirements for the sewing certificates, insert at the close of the paragraph the words "or of The Teachers College of the City of Boston," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

For the sewing certificate: Graduation from a high school approved by the board of superintendents, or evidence of an equivalent academic education; satisfactory completion of an approved one-year course of instruction in sewing; evidence of one year's successful experience in teaching sewing in regular graded day schools subsequent thereto, which teaching experience requirement may be waived for graduates of the Boston Normal School or of The Teachers College of the City of Boston.

Under "Special Class Certificates," in the paragraph which describes the eligibility requirements for teachers of special classes, strike out the word "instructors" in the first line of the second paragraph and substitute in place thereof the word "assistants," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

For assistants in special classes: Graduation from a high school approved by the board of superintendents, or evidence of an equivalent academic education; evidence of one year's successful experience in teaching a class of mentally defective children; or, evidence of one year's successful experience in a Boston public school as special assistant in a special class; or, evidence of two years' successful experience in teaching regular graded day schools, and successful completion of a course for teachers of mentally defective children, approved by the board of superintendents.

XXVI. In the opening paragraph, strike out the words "and to prevocational assistants" so that the paragraph will read as follows:

XXVI. Continuation School: To assistants, instructors, and heads of division (girls), Continuation School.

In the paragraph which describes the eligibility requirements for the Continuation School certificate, strike out the words "or of prevocational classes" in the eighth and ninth lines, so that the paragraph will read as follows:

The requirements for this certificate are: Graduation from a college or from a normal school approved by the board of superintendents, and evidence of two years' successful experience in teaching and governing schools of such grade or grades as the board of superintendents may determine; and successful completion of a course of training in the theory and practice of continuation schools

lines, strike out the words "clerical," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

XXVIII. To instructors and assistants in day clerical schools.

XXIX. Strike out the second and third paragraphs and substitute in place thereof "Certificate discontinued, June, 1924."—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

XXIX. Day Clerical School: To teachers of English in day clerical schools.

Certificate discontinued, June, 1924.

XXX. Strike out the several paragraphs which provide for the issue of the certificate and establish the eligibility requirements therefor, and substitute in place thereof the following:

XXX. Day and Evening Industrial Schools: To shop instructors, vocational assistants, trade assistants and helpers in day or evening trade, continuation and intermediate schools, and in prevocational classes.

The requirements for this certificate are:

I. Education.

Satisfactory completion of a four years' course in an approved secondary school, general or technical, or the equivalent of such education. Candidates may meet this requirement by

(a) Presenting a diploma from an approved general high school, technical high school, or trade school, covering a full four years' course; or

(b) Presenting complete documentary evidence of such private studies and of such courses of instruction as will make up a substantial equivalent of the work covered in an approved secondary school.

II. Trade Experience.

(a) Candidates who present a diploma from an approved trade school covering a four year course must furnish evidence of at least four years of approved experience in ranks above that of apprentice in the trade in which the candidate applies for certification. This experience must include one year as foreman or in charge of apprentices; provided that in lieu thereof the candidate may offer one year of experience in teaching trade processes in an approved day school, such year to be in addition to the four years specified above.

(b) Candidates who present a diploma from an approved general or technical high school, covering a four year course, must offer at least six years of approved trade experience of which not less than four full years must have been approved experience in ranks above that of apprentice in the trade in which the candidate applies for certification. This experience must include at least one year as foreman or in charge of apprentices; provided, that in lieu thereof the candidate may offer one year of experience in teaching trade processes in an approved day school, such year to be in addition to the six years specified above.

(c) Candidates who present evidence of the equivalent of the required secondary school education must submit evidence of at least eight years of approved trade experience of which not less than four full years must have been approved experience in ranks above that of apprentice in the trade in which the candidate applies for certification. This experience must include at

least one year as foreman or in charge of apprentices; provided, that in lieu thereof the candidate may offer one year of experience in teaching trade processes in an approved day school, such year to be in addition to the eight years specified above.

Note: Teachers of cookery may meet the experience requirement in part by the following equivalents:

(a) One year's experience as cook with wages from employer other than own family as the equivalent of one year's trade experience.

(b) Two years' service as home cook under carefully established conditions as the equivalent of one year's trade experience.

(c) Two years' satisfactory experience as student aid or special assistant in an industrial department in an approved school as the equivalent of one year's trade experience. Only one year's credit may be allowed under each of the foregoing items. (a), (b) and (c).

Special Training.

Candidates for this certificate, in addition to fulfilling the foregoing requirements, are required to have satisfactorily completed a training course approved by the board of superintendents. The teacher training courses offered by the Vocational Division of the Massachusetts State Department of Education are approved courses.

This certificate includes certificates designated XI. Special: Instructor—shop work; XVII—A. Evening school limited.

XXXI-A. Strike out the several paragraphs which provide for the issue of the certificate and establish the eligibility requirements thereof, and substitute in place thereof the following:

XXXI-A. Day and Evening Industrial Schools: To master's assistant in the Trade School for Girls; to heads of departments (both shop and academic) in the Trade School for Girls, and to shop foremen in day or evening trade schools; continuation school, intermediate schools and prevocational classes.

The requirements for this certificate are:

I. Education.

The satisfactory completion of a four years' course in an approved secondary school, general or technical, or the equivalent of such education; and, in addition, evidence of such approved supplementary education as will enable the candidate to teach shop-related subjects ordinarily presented in technical courses in high schools. Candidates for this certificate must present evidence of having completed substantial work in either algebra or geometry and related drawing in addition to English and history.

Candidates may meet these requirements by

(a) Presenting a diploma from an approved general high school, technical high school or trade school covering a full four years' course, and in addition, complete documentary evidence of the required supplementary education; or

(b) Presenting complete documentary evidence of such private studies and courses of instruction as will make up a substantial equivalent of the requirements described above.

II. Trade Experience.

(a) Candidates who present a diploma from an approved trade school covering a four year course must furnish evidence of at least four years of approved experience in

ranks above that of apprentice in the trade in which the candidate applies for certification. This experience must include at least two years as foreman or in charge of apprentices; provided, that in lieu of any part thereof the candidate may offer an equal amount of experience in teaching trade processes in an approved day school, such teaching experience to be in addition to the four years of trade experience specified above.

(b) Candidates who present a diploma from an approved general or technical high school, covering a four year course, must offer at least six years of approved trade experience of which not less than four full years must have been approved experience in ranks above that of apprentice in the trade in which the candidate applies for certification. This experience must include at least two years as foreman or in charge of apprentices; provided, that in lieu of any part thereof the candidate may offer an equal amount of experience in teaching trade processes in an approved day school, such teaching experience to be in addition to the six years of trade experience specified above.

(c) Candidates who present evidence of the equivalent of the required secondary school education must submit evidence of at least eight years of approved trade experience of which not less than four full years must have been approved experience in ranks above that of apprentice in the trade in which the candidate applies for certification. This experience must include at least two years as foreman or in charge of apprentices; provided, that in lieu of any part thereof the candidate may offer an equal amount of experience in teaching trade processes in an approved day school, such teaching experience to be in addition to the eight years of trade experience specified above.

See note under Certificate XXX.

Special Training

Candidates for this certificate, in addition to fulfilling the foregoing requirements, are required to have satisfactorily completed a training course approved by the board of superintendents. The teacher training courses offered by the Vocational Division of the Massachusetts State Department of Education are approved courses.

Candidates for Certificate XXXI-A must already hold Certificate XXX, or at the time of taking the examination of division in the Continuation nation take also that for Certificate XXX.

This certificate includes certificates designated XI. Special: Foreman—shop work and Certificate

XXXI-B. Strike out the several paragraphs which provide for the issue of the certificate and licenses thereunder, and establish the eligibility requirements thereof, and substitute in place thereof the following:

XXXI-B. Day and Evening Industrial Schools: To co-operative instructors and co-ordinators in day high schools; to division foremen, division heads and shop superintendent in the Boston Trade School; and to division foremen and heads School; and to instructors of mechanic arts in day high schools.

The requirements for this certificate are:

I. Education

The satisfactory completion of a four years' course in an approved secondary school, general or technical, or the equivalent of such education; and, in addition, evidence of

such supplementary education as will enable the candidate to teach shop-related subjects ordinarily presented in technical courses one year beyond high school. Candidates for this certificate must present evidence of having completed substantial work in algebra, geometry, physics, chemistry and related drawing in addition to English and history.

Candidates may meet these requirements by

(a) Presenting a diploma from an approved general high school, technical high school or trade school, covering a full four years' course, and in addition complete documentary evidence of the required supplementary education; or

(b) Presenting complete documentary evidence of such private studies and courses of instruction as will make up a substantial equivalent of the requirements described above.

II. Trade Experience

(a) Candidates who present a diploma from an approved trade school, covering a four-year course, must furnish evidence of at least four years of approved experience in ranks above that of journeyman, i. e., as foreman, or in charge of apprentices. Experience as executive in industry or as teacher of trade processes in an approved day school may be offered year for year as the equivalent of the experience as foreman or in charge of apprentices, provided that such experience be in addition to four years of trade experience.

(b) Candidates who present a diploma from an approved general or technical high school, covering a four year course, must offer at least six years of approved trade experience of which not less than four full years must have been approved experience in ranks above that of apprentice in the trade in which the candidate applies for certification. This experience must include at least four years' work of a type in advance of that of journeyman, i. e., as foreman, or in charge of apprentices. Experience as executive in industry or as teacher of trade processes in an approved day school may be offered year for year as the equivalent of the experience as foreman or in charge of apprentices, provided that such experience be in addition to six years of trade experience.

(c) Candidates who present evidence of the equivalent of the required secondary school education must submit evidence of at least eight years of approved trade experience of which not less than four full years must have been approved experience in ranks above that of journeyman in the trade in which the candidate applies for certification. This experience must include at least four years' work of a type in advance of that of journeyman, i. e., as foreman, or in charge of apprentices. Experience as executive in industry or as teacher of trade processes in an approved day school may be offered year for year as the equivalent of the experience as foreman or in charge of apprentices, provided that such experience be in addition to eight years of trade experience.

See note under Certificate XXXI.

Special Training.

Candidates for this certificate, in addition to fulfilling the foregoing requirements, are required to have satisfactorily completed a training course approved by the board of superintendents. The courses offered by the Vocational Division of the Massachusetts State Department of Education are approved courses.

Candidates for Certificate XXXI-B. must already hold Certificates XXX. and XXXI-A., or, at the time

of taking the examination must take also those for Certificates XXX. and XXXI-A.

This certificate includes certificate designated XXXI-A. Day and Evening Industrial Schools.

Licenses.

The board of superintendents may issue licenses to serve as student aids in the Trade School for Girls and as special assistants in mechanical or industrial departments in day high schools and in the Boston Trade School to persons who present satisfactory evidence of good character, health, and citizenship as follows:

(a) To serve as student aid in the Trade School for Girls:

To advanced students in that school.

(b) To serve as special assistant in mechanical or industrial departments in day high schools and in the Boston Trade School: To graduates of said schools.

XXXIII. At the close of the opening paragraph, insert the words "and to prevocational assistants," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

XXXIII. Intermediate. To assistants in day intermediate schools, and in Grades VII and VIII in day elementary schools, and to prevocational assistants.

Insert the following to immediately follow the Note:

Additional note: Candidates for appointment as prevocational assistant shall, in addition to the foregoing requirements, have completed an approved course in the theory and practice of prevocational instruction and shall present evidence of one year's successful experience in teaching and governing prevocational classes.

Sect. 81. 1. In the second line, insert to immediately follow the words "Boston Normal School" the words—"or from The Teachers College of the City of Boston,"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Sect. 81. 1. A satisfactory certificate in pedagogy or a diploma from the Boston Normal School or from The Teachers College of the City of Boston, or from a state normal school in Massachusetts, is accepted as equivalent to one year's successful experience in teaching and governing schools, except when two years' credit is allowed for the IV. High School certificate for work done for the master's degree in education.

Sect. 83. 2. In the second line, insert to immediately follow the word "School," the words—"or of The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

2. The names of graduates of the Boston Normal School or of The Teachers College of the City of Boston shall be arranged by the board of superintendents in suitable, graded eligible lists in the order of their respective qualifications, and shall annually in June be regraded upon such lists. Such graduates may obtain positions upon other eligible lists under the conditions prescribed for other candidates.

Sect. 85. 4. In the second line, insert to immediately follow the words "Normal School" the words—"or of The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

4. Certificates issued to graduates of the Boston Normal School or of The Teachers College of the City of Boston after June 1, 1906, shall cease to be valid on the thirtieth day of

June of the sixth year following the date of issue, except as hereinafter provided.

Sect. 87. 1. In the sixth and seventh lines, strike out the words "and who is willing to accept such appointment"—in the eighth line, strike out the words "such person" and substitute in place thereof—"the first person on any list"—in the tenth line, strike out the word "same" and substitute in place thereof the word—"regular"—in the eleventh line, strike out the word "second" and substitute in place thereof the word—"next"—in the sixteenth line, strike out the words "thirtieth day of June" and substitute in place thereof the words—"thirty-first day of December"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Sect. 87. 1. No person shall, after January 1, 1909, except as hereinafter provided in this section, be appointed to a permanent position as a member of the supervising staff or as a teacher in the public schools whose name does not head the proper eligible list; provided that if in the opinion of the superintendent there is good reason why the first person on any list should not be appointed, he shall so certify to the Board, whereupon the regular procedure shall be followed with respect to the next person on the list, but the person appointed shall be one of the first three on said list willing to accept appointment; nor shall any person be appointed in accordance with the provisions of this section to take effect later than the thirty-first day of December following the fortieth birthday of such person; provided, however, that these restrictions shall not affect the promotion of a permanent teacher to a higher rank in a school of the same class as that in which such teacher is already employed; and provided further, that the limitation as to age shall not affect the promotion of permanent teachers to any position in the public schools, nor the validity of certificates issued prior to January 1, 1909.

Sect. 87. 4. In the ninth line, insert to immediately follow the words "Boston Normal School" the words—"or of The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

4. The names of persons appointed to permanent positions in the day school service shall be removed from the eligible lists. A person whose name appears upon such lists, may, on request, have the same removed therefrom at any time, and may, upon written application, have it restored to the next eligible lists in June of any year during the life of the certificate with the same rating as before; or, if a graduate of the Boston Normal School or of The Teachers College of the City of Boston, with such rating as the board of superintendents may determine; provided that such restoration shall not affect the validity of the certificate, and shall not operate to extend the original period for which the certificate is valid.

5. In the second line, strike out the words "the Normal School" and substitute in place thereof—"The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

5. Appointments as principal or teachers in The Teachers College of the City of Boston, as director, associate director, first assistant director, or assistant director of a special subject or department, as supervisor or assistant supervisor of

a special subject or department, as medical inspector of special classes, as supervising nurse, and as supervisor in charge of playgrounds, shall not be subject to the restrictions of paragraph 1 of this section. Passed, under a suspension of the rules.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the Regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 151. Paragraph 1. Strike out the following sentence:

The Normal, Latin and day high schools shall close on Wednesday of the final week of the school term; all other day schools shall close on the following Thursday. and substitute in place thereof, the following:

All day schools shall close on Thursday of the final week of the term.

In the same paragraph, strike out the following:

Principals of Normal, Latin and day high schools may require the attendance of teachers on Thursday and Friday of the final week of the term for assistance at graduating exercises or for the completion of records and reports, and principals of all other day schools may require such attendance on Friday of the final week of the term for similar purposes— and substitute in place thereof, the following—

Principals may require the attendance of teachers on Friday of the final week of the term for assistance at graduating exercises or for the completion of records and reports—

so that the paragraph will read:

Section 151. 1. The regular term of all day schools shall begin on the second Tuesday following the first Monday in September, and shall continue for forty-two weeks, inclusive of the one week's vacation in December, one week's vacation in February, and one week's vacation in April. All day schools shall close on Thursday of the final week of the term. Teachers, except those whose vacations are otherwise established by the regulations, shall report for duty at 9 o'clock A. M. on the Monday preceding the opening day of school in September, and shall continue on duty except on such days as the sessions of the schools are suspended, or unless leave of absence is granted in accordance with the regulations, until the close of the term. Members of the supervising staff, except those whose vacations are otherwise established by the regulations shall continue on duty until the close of the term of the schools in which they are respectively employed, or if not employed in particular schools, up to and including the Friday of the final week of the term. Principals may require the attendance of teachers on Friday of the final week of the term for assistance at graduating exercises or for the completion of records and reports. The collection of text books and supplies shall not be begun earlier than Wednesday of the final week of the term.

Sect. 156. 10. In the first line, strike out the word "Normal," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

10. The sessions of the Latin and day high schools shall begin not earlier than 8.20 o'clock A. M., and close not later than 4 o'clock P. M.; provided, that no session shall be less than five and one-half hours in length, including the recess period.

(For term of The Teachers College of the City of Boston, see Chapter XXVII, Section 420.)

Sect. 157. 4. In the first line, strike out the word "Normal," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

4. In the Latin and day high schools one-half hour of the daily session shall be devoted to recess.

Sect. 162. Paragraphs 1 and 2. Strike out the paragraphs and substitute in place thereof, the following:

Sect. 162. 1. The graduating exercises of the day schools shall be held on Friday of the closing week of the term, at such hour as may be determined by the respective principals.

Paragraph 3. Renumber as paragraph 2.

Sect. 181. 1. Strike out the section and substitute in place thereof, the following:

Sect. 181. 1. Examinations of candidates for admission to Latin and day high schools shall be held annually by the board of superintendents as follows: Latin schools, on the first Friday in June and on the day immediately preceding the reopening of schools in September; day high schools, on the Friday immediately following the reopening of schools in September.

Strike out Section 184.

Renumber Sections 185, 186 and 187, as 184, 185 and 186.

Sect. 201. 7. Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof the following:

7. In the day elementary and day intermediate schools, a record of the room temperature shall be taken at 9:30 A. M., 11 A. M., and 2:15 P. M.; in The Teachers College of the City of Boston and in the Latin and day high schools, at 9:30 A. M., 11 A. M., and 1:30 P. M.

Sect. 238. 2. Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof the following:

2. She shall assign pupils of The Teachers College of the City of Boston to the day elementary, day intermediate, or Latin and day high schools for observation and practice in teaching, for such periods as the courses of study in The Teachers College of the City of Boston require.

3. In the third line, strike out the words "Normal School" and substitute in place thereof—"of The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

3. She may require from the training teachers and from the principals of schools in which the pupils of The Teachers College of the City of Boston observe and practice, reports in writing on the teaching and governing ability of such pupils; and similar reports from principals of Latin and day high schools concerning the work of junior assistants.

Sect. 247. 1. In the first line, insert to immediately precede the word "instructors" the words—"junior masters (military drill) and"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Sect. 247. 1. The junior masters (military drill) and instructors of military drill shall, under the general supervision of the director of physical training, have charge of instruction in that subject.

Sect. 256. 3. In the fourth line, strike out the words "the Boston Normal School" and substitute in place thereof—"The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

3. No person who does not hold a certificate of qualification of the proper grade shall give any instruction in the schools, except pupils attending The Teachers College of the

City of Boston, who may be assigned to observe and practice in the schools, and lecturers whose appointment shall have been approved by the Board.

Sect. 261. 4. Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof the following:

4. When teachers of any rank in The Teachers College of the City of Boston, in Latin or day high schools are absent, a substitute of equal or lower rank may be appointed, at the discretion of the superintendent.

Sect. 264. 2. In the tenth line, strike out the words "a Normal" and substitute in place thereof—"The Teachers College of the City of Boston, of a"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

2. Teachers and members of the supervising staff who are on tenure and who are promoted to a higher position, may on the completion of one year of satisfactory service in the higher position, be appointed on tenure in the new position, provided that any teacher serving on tenure who may be promoted to the position of principal of The Teachers College of the City of Boston, of a Latin, day high, day clerical, day intermediate, day elementary, continuation, or day industrial school, may be annually reappointed to such position for two years, and may then be appointed on tenure to take effect on the first day of September next following the completion of the prescribed length of service.

Sect. 281. 2 (e., formerly g.) In the first line, strike out the words "first assistant in charge of special classes" and substitute in place thereof—"master's assistant, special classes,"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

(e.) One master's assistant, special classes, in buildings exclusively occupied by not less than six special classes.

Sect. 293. 1. Insert in the seventh line to follow the words "first assistants, heads of departments;" the words—"industrial instructors, heads

Sect. 293. 1. Teachers in Latin and day high schools shall consist of a principal holding the rank of head master, and subordinate teachers as follows: Masters, heads of departments; masters; first assistants, heads of departments; industrial instructors, heads of departments; junior masters; assistants; co-operative assistants; instructors; assistant instructors; co-ordinators; instructors in cooperative branches; industrial instructors; and industrial assistants.

Sect. 294. 2. Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof the following:

2. Not more than two teachers of physical training in The Teachers College of the City of Boston who shall be assistants (physical training) or assistant instructors in physical training.

Sect. 298. 4. (c.) Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof, the following:

(c.) First assistants in Playgrounds.—An elementary school, Class B, or a higher certificate, or a kindergarten certificate, or a special, physical training high school certificate, or membership in the third or fourth year classes of The Teachers College of the City of Boston, and at least twelve weeks' successful experience in a playground, which experience shall include service during two different years; or a playground certificate.

4. (d.) Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof, the following:

(d.) Assistants in Playgrounds.—An elementary school, Class B, or a

higher certificate, or a kindergarten certificate, or a special, physical training high school certificate, or membership in the second, third, or fourth year classes of The Teachers College of the City of Boston, and at least six weeks' successful experience in a playground; or a playground certificate.

4. (e.) In the third and fourth lines, strike out the words "the Boston Normal School" and substitute in place thereof—"The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

(e.) Assistants in Sand Gardens.—A certificate qualifying for service as first assistant or assistant in playgrounds. Pupils in any class of The Teachers College of the City of Boston are also eligible.

4. (g.) In the third and fourth lines, strike out the words "Members of the senior class of the Boston Normal School are also eligible." — so that the paragraph will read as follows:

(g.) Teacher Coaches.—A certificate qualifying for service in Latin, day high, or day industrial schools.

Sect. 300. 18. Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof the following:

18. As many junior masters (military drill) and instructors of military drill as the Board may authorize.

Sect. 319. 3. In the first line, strike out the word "Normal" so that the paragraph will read as follows:

3. Clerical assistants in the Latin, day high, day intermediate and day elementary schools, the Boston Trade School, the Trade School for Girls and the Continuation School, and bookkeepers in the Boston Trade School and the Trade School for Girls shall begin service upon the minimum salary of their respective ranks, provided, that persons who may be transferred to any of the foregoing positions from the administrative offices of the Board, or from other city or State departments shall be placed upon that year of service in the new rank, the salary of which most nearly approaches the compensation they are receiving at the time of transfer.

Sect. 337. 9. In the fourth line, strike out the word "Normal" so that the paragraph will read as follows:

9. Diplomas of graduation, signed by the chairman of the Board, and by the principals of the respective schools, shall be granted to pupils in the Boston Clerical, day high and Latin schools who satisfactorily complete the course of study in those schools.

Sect. 395. 1. In the fourth line, strike out the words "the Normal School" and substitute in place thereof—"The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Sect. 395. 1. The income of the Eastburn School Fund shall be drawn from the city treasury, from time to time, as needed, by the principal of The Teachers College of the City of Boston, on the order of the business agent, approved by the chairman of the Board.

2. In the fourth line, strike out the words "the Normal School" and substitute in place thereof—"The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

2. The money thus received shall be expended by the principal, with the approval of the superintendent, for the benefit of deserving and indigent pupils attending The Teachers College of the City of Boston.

Sect. 396. 1. In the first and second lines, strike out the words

"the Normal School" and substitute in place thereof—"The Teachers College of the City of Boston"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Sect. 396. 1. The principal of The Teachers College of the City of Boston shall keep an account of such expenditures, with vouchers, which account shall be open to the inspection of the Board; and a statement of the expenditures shall be filed by him with the business agent on the first days of January and July in each year.

Sect. 405. 1. In the thirteenth line, strike out the word "janitors" and substitute in place thereof "custodians"; in the seventeenth line, strike out the word "Normal"; in the nineteenth line, strike out the word "janitor" and substitute in place thereof "custodian"—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Sect. 405. 1. School buildings shall be open to teachers on all school days for school purposes from 8 o'clock A. M. until one hour after the close of the afternoon session; on not to exceed one evening in each school term from 7 to 11 o'clock P. M. for graduation exercises; and on not to exceed two Saturdays in each school term, from 9 o'clock A. M. until 12 o'clock noon, on the request of the assistant superintendent in charge. On sweeping days class rooms shall be vacated in accordance with a schedule regulating the vacating of class rooms approved by the respective principals or teachers in charge; custodians shall be permitted to begin sweeping the first room not later than five minutes after the close of the day session in the day elementary and day intermediate schools; and not later than 3.30 o'clock P. M. in the Latin and day high schools, notice of the time at which such rooms shall be vacated shall be given by the custodian by placing a card in said room not later than 2 o'clock P. M.

Passed, under a suspension of the rules.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the Regulations are hereby amended by the insertion of the following new chapter.

Chapter XXVII.

The Teachers College of the City of Boston.

Sect. 420. 1. The regular term of The Teachers College of the City of Boston shall begin on the second Tuesday following the first Monday in September and shall continue for forty-two weeks, inclusive of the one week's vacation in December, one week's vacation in February, and one week's vacation in April.

2. The Teachers College of the City of Boston shall close on Thursday of the final week of the school term. Teachers shall report for duty at 9 o'clock A. M., on the Monday preceding the opening day of school in September, and shall continue on duty except on such days as the sessions of the schools are suspended, or unless leave of absence is granted in accordance with the regulations, until the close of the term. The principal may require the attendance of teachers on Friday of the final week of the term for assistance at graduating exercises or for the completion of records and reports.

3. The graduating exercises of the College shall be held on Friday of the closing week of the term at such hour as may be determined by the principal.

4. The sessions of the College shall be suspended on Saturdays, Sundays, and the following named holidays and vacations: The Twelfth of October; from 12 o'clock noon on the day before Thanksgiving Day until the fol-

lowing Monday; from 12 o'clock noon on the second calendar day immediately preceding Christmas to and including the first day of the following January; the week in which the Twenty-second of February falls; Good Friday; the week in which the Nineteenth of April falls; Memorial Day; and the Seventeenth of June. Whenever any of the aforesaid holidays falls upon Sunday, the College shall not be in session on the following Monday.

5. Teachers employed in the College shall be entitled to vacations as specified in Section 295, paragraph 1, of the regulations.

6. The sessions of the College shall begin not earlier than 8:20 o'clock A. M., and close not later than 5 o'clock P. M. One-half hour of the daily session shall be devoted to recess.

Sect. 421. 1. Teachers in the College shall consist of a principal; a dean, who shall be head of a department; masters who shall be heads of departments and of whom one shall be director of the Model School; junior masters; first assistants who shall be heads of departments; and assistants of whom one shall be an adviser of women.

2. The superintendent shall be president of the College, ex-officio.

3. There shall be as many teachers of subordinate ranks as the Board shall authorize on the recommendation of the superintendent.

4. One secretary may be appointed.

5. One librarian may be appointed.

Sect. 422. 1. The president shall formulate and execute the educational and administrative policies of the College in accordance with the rules, regulations, and orders of the Board. After consultation with the board of superintendents, he shall submit for the approval of the Board the courses of study to be pursued. He shall appoint, re-appoint, designate, assign, promote, transfer, and remove teachers and other persons employed in the institution, in accordance with the regulations. He shall act as the representative of the board in all matters of organization and control.

Sect. 423. 1. The principal shall be the responsible administrative and organizational head of the College, and shall be charged with the organization of instruction therein. He shall make nomination of teachers subject to the approval of the president. He shall be the chairman of the faculty, and shall preside at all faculty meetings. He shall discharge such other duties—administrative and otherwise—relating to the institution as may be designated by the president.

Sect. 424. 1. The dean shall be responsible for the general discipline of the College, and shall be in charge of all program details. He shall in conference with the board of superintendents, pass upon questions relative to admissions. He shall be charged with the administration of all extension courses. He shall supervise all publications of the student body. He shall discharge such other duties as may be assigned by the principal.

Sect. 425. 1. The adviser of women, in addition to her teaching assignment, shall have general supervision of all extra-curricular activities, and shall serve as consultant to the dean on matters relating to discipline. She shall supervise all social activities carried on in the name of the College. She shall give instruction to the students on professional ethics, social usage, manners and morals.

She shall discharge such other duties as may be assigned by the principal.
(For general duties of teachers, see Section 277.)

Sect. 426. 1. Young women who have completed the requirements for admission as established by the board of superintendents, who are of good moral character, good health, and with no physical characteristics likely to interfere with their success as teachers, are eligible for admission to the examination of candidates which are held by the board of superintendents on the second Friday and preceding Wednesday and Thursday in June of each year.

2. Men and women graduates of a university or college approved by the board of superintendents, and women graduates of a three-year course in a state normal school so approved, may be admitted to the College, subject to such examination as the board of superintendents may determine. The examinations for college graduates are held by the board of superintendents on Friday immediately following the reopening of schools in September.

3. Pupils are admitted to the College at the beginning of the school year and at no other time.

4. Pupils are admitted to the College on probation, and if, in the opinion of the board of superintendents, they prove to be unsatisfactory, may be dismissed from the school.

Sect. 427. 1. Diplomas of graduation signed by the chairman of the Board, the president, and the principal, shall be granted to pupils who satisfactorily complete any one of the prescribed courses of study.

Passed, under suspension of the rules.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the Appendix at the close of the Rules and Regulations is hereby amended as follows:

Page 175. Strike out the heading and the first line, and substitute in place thereof the following:

THE TEACHERS COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

The Teachers College of the City of Boston receives pupils from all parts of the city.

LATIN AND DAY HIGH SCHOOLS.

Passed, under a suspension of the rules.

ELIGIBLE LIST

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of July 14, 1924, reporting the removal from the eligible list of the name of Diana W. Anderson, successful candidate of December, 1923, for the certificate XI Special: Physical Training Day High Schools, as reported at the meeting of June 2, 1924, for the reason that Miss Anderson is not a citizen of the United States and, at the time of the examination, had not taken out first papers. She consequently had not fulfilled the eligibility requirements for the said certificate.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of July 14, 1924, submitting the following list of successful candidates of Dec. 27, 1923, for the Certificate of Qualification XI. Spe-

cial: Instructor of Military Drill. These names do not constitute a separate eligible list but should be merged with the names of the holders of the Military Drill Certificate which appear in School Document No. 15, 1923, at the points indicated by their respective ratings:

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
890	Leo W. Banks	June 30, 1930
884	William H. Meanix	June 30, 1930

The Board of Superintendents also reported an additional name of a successful candidate of December 28, 1923, for the Certificate of Qualification XXXI-B. Day and Evening Industrial Schools, said candidate having submitted to the Board of Superintendents satisfactory evidence of eligibility since the date of certification of the previous list. The name should be inserted in the list submitted at the meeting of June 16, 1924, page 110.

DAY AND EVENING INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS CERTIFICATES

Pattern Making
774—Louis A. VanHam.....June 30, 1930
Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of July 14, 1924, submitting the list of successful candidates for the certificate of qualification XXV. Junior Assistant. These names do not constitute a separate eligible list, but should be merged with the names of holders of valid certificates of the same grade and group which appear in School Document No. 15, 1923, at the points indicated by their respective ratings.

JUNIOR ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE

Bookkeeping and Commercial Arithmetic.

Men		
825	Thomas F. Gately.....	June 30, 1930
Women		
885	Mary A. Grandfield.....	June 30, 1930

English		
Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
893	Gerald F. Coughlin.....	June 30, 1930
862	Francis L. Ford.....	June 30, 1930
839	James J. Daly.....	June 30, 1930
834	John H. Treanor.....	June 30, 1930
791	Matthew P. Butler.....	June 30, 1930
Women		
882	Serena G. Hall.....	June 30, 1930
882	Helen A. Wilson.....	June 30, 1930
842	Eva M. Little.....	June 30, 1930
813	Constance R. Dowd.....	June 30, 1930

French		
Women		
Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
886	Margaret E. Burke.....	June 30, 1930
845	Grace A. Evans.....	June 30, 1930
836	Beatrice G. Hantz.....	June 30, 1930
818	Frances Laughrea.....	June 30, 1930
814	Honora G. Lynch.....	June 30, 1930

History		
752	Helen V. Hazen.....	June 30, 1930

Latin		
Men		
813	Francis X. Renahan.....	June 30, 1930
794	Lawrence J. Curtin.....	June 30, 1930

Women		
820	Helen G. Holland.....	June 30, 1930
820	Margaret M. Higgins.....	June 30, 1930
788	Katharyn E. MacNamara.....	June 30, 1930

Mathematics		
789	Gerald J. Deeley.....	June 30, 1930
Phonography and Typewriting		

Women		
884	Lillian D. McCarthy.....	June 30, 1930
883	Blanche R. Levy.....	June 30, 1930
867	Helen R. O'Brien.....	June 30, 1930
866	Alice P. Hennessey.....	June 30, 1930
837	Wilhelmina M. Clifford.....	June 30, 1930
855	Margaret M. Crowley.....	June 30, 1930
854	Mary M. Lee.....	June 30, 1930
828	Madeline A. Kelley.....	June 30, 1930
790	Eleanor J. Maguire.....	June 30, 1930
765	Anna R. Moylan.....	June 30, 1930

Physics-Chemistry		
Men		
789	John J. May.....	June 30, 1930

Women		
801	Margaret W. Lynch.....	June 30, 1930
Placed on file.		

REPORT OF BOARD OF APPORTIONMENT ON VARIOUS PETITIONS FOR INCREASE IN SALARIES.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of July 14, 1924, to whom were referred at the meetings of Dec. 17, 1923, Jan. 21, Jan. 28, Feb. 18, Mar. 3, Apr. 7 and June 16, 1924, various petitions for adjustments of ranks and increases of salary from teachers, members of the supervising staff and other employees of the School Department, reporting that these several petitions have been considered by that Board and have been reported upon to the School Committee in conference in connection with the Board of Apportionment's recommendations for budgetary provision for the current financial year, and recommending that these several petitions now be placed on file.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

ESTABLISHMENT OF TUITION OF NON-RESIDENT PUPILS.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of July 12, 1924, recommending that the charge for tuition of non-resident pupils in the public schools be fixed for the school year 1924-25 in accordance with the accompanying order, except for The Teachers College of the City of Boston, which the Business Agent recommended be established at \$221 per term.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the charge for tuition of non-resident pupils in the following public schools for the school year 1924-25 is hereby established at the following rates:—

The Teachers College of the City of Boston (per term).....	\$200.00
Latin and High Schools (per term).....	125.00
Elementary and Intermediate Schools (per term).....	81.00
Speech Improvement Classes (per hour of instruction).....	.09
Boston Clerical School (per term).....	148.00
Boston Disciplinary Day School (per term).....	310.00
Day School for Immigrants (per hour of instruction).....	.10
Recreational Handicraft Classes (per hour of instruction).....	.09
Training School for Teachers of Mechanic Arts (per hour of instruction).....	.15
Summer Review High School (per term).....	13.00
Summer Review Elementary Schools (per term).....	6.00
Vacation Schools (per term).....	6.00
Evening High Schools (per term).....	26.00
Evening Elementary Schools (per term).....	23.00
Evening School Extension (per term).....	7.00
Afternoon Lip Reading Classes (per session).....	.50
Lip Reading Classes in Evening Elementary Schools (per session).....	.50

Passed, the rate of tuition for The Teachers College of the City of Boston to apply only to those pupils whose date of entry is Sept. 1, 1924, or later.

AMENDMENT TO ANNUAL APPROPRIATION ORDER.

A communication was received from the Business Agent under date of July 11, 1924, reporting that in the budget for the current year in the "Estimated Total Money Available 1924-25" there was included through error, the sum of \$38,474.68 in the Unexpended Balance, General Appropriation, 1923-24. This latter sum was the unexpended balance of the appropriation for Pensions to Teachers 1923-24 and was available only for transfer to the Permanent Pension Fund and such transfer had

been ordered by the School Committee on Feb. 4, 1924. The foregoing estimates should, therefore, be amended to read as follows:

Unexpended Balance, General Appropriation 1923-24. \$372,641.32
(a reduction of \$38,474.68)

Insert the following:

Unexpended Balance, Pensions to Teachers \$38,474.68

As the entire estimated sum was appropriated, it becomes necessary to reduce the total appropriation by the amount of \$38,474.68 and the Business Agent recommends that such reduction be made on the item "Salaries of Instructors."

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the order making appropriations to meet the current expenses of the School Committee during the financial year Feb. 1, 1924, to Jan. 31, 1925, passed by the School Committee on June 16, 1924, is hereby amended as follows:

Salaries of Instructors—Strike out the sum \$9,102,316.58 and insert the sum \$9,063,841.90.

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

NOTICE TO BOARD OF ASSESSORS OF APPROPRIATIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Board of Assessors is hereby notified that the School Committee has appropriated under authority granted it by the Legislature of Massachusetts, the sum of \$13,355,664.00 for salaries of instructors, salaries of officers, salaries of custodians, fuel and light, supplies and incidentals, pensions to attendance officers and custodians, physical education, school physicians and nurses, pensions to teachers, extended use of the public schools, and the alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures, and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection for existing buildings, and for improving existing schoolyards, for the financial year beginning February 1, 1924.

Of this amount \$12,466,563.22 should be included by said Board in the total amount to be raised by taxation, the balance, \$889,100.78, to be obtained as follows:

Unexpended balance, physical education, 1923-24	\$3,258.93
Unexpended balance, extended use of the public schools, 1923-24 ..	3,919.65
Unexpended balance, school physicians and nurses, 1923-24	8,119.92
Unexpended balance, general appropriation, 1923-24	372,641.32
Unexpended balance, appropriation Schoolhouse Department	.37
Excess of income over amount estimated (general)	24,102.60
Excess of income, physical education	1,888.81
Excess of income, extended use of the public schools	1,457.18
Estimated income 1924-25, (general)	434,012.00
Estimated income 1924-25, physical education	1,500.00
Estimated income 1924-25, extended use of the public schools	5,000.00
Smith-Hughes Fund (estimated allotment)	33,200.00
Total	\$889,100.78

And the Board of Assessors is further notified that in addition the School Committee has appropriated the sum of \$3,500,000 for the purpose of constructing and furnishing new school buildings, including the tak-

ing of land therefor, and for school yards and the preparing of school yards for use, and for the rent of hired school accommodations for the financial year beginning February 1, 1924; and it hereby certifies to the Board of Assessors that of this said sum no amount shall be raised by taxation as necessary to meet the expenditures to be made during the year ending January 31, 1925.

And the Board of Assessors is further notified that of the sum of \$3,498,805.45 appropriated by the School Committee during the financial year 1923-24 for the purpose of constructing and furnishing new school buildings, including the taking of land therefor, and for school yards and the preparing of school yards for use and for the rent of hired school accommodations for the financial year beginning February 1, 1923, it hereby certifies to the Board of Assessors that of this said sum the amount of \$1,000,000 shall be raised by taxation as necessary to meet the expenditures to be made during the year ending January 31, 1925.

Passed unanimously.

RESIGNATION OF BUSINESS AGENT.

A communication was received from William T. Keough, Business Agent, under date of June 23, 1924, submitting his resignation from the office of Business Agent of the School Committee, to take effect Oct. 31, 1924.

Placed on file, the resignation accepted, to take effect on the date stated, Miss Curtis voting in the negative; and leave of absence with pay granted for the period Aug. 1 to Oct. 31, 1924.

DEATH OF A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of July 14, 1924, reporting the death, on July 2, 1924, of Michael H. Murphy, a custodian who had been retired on pension.

Placed on file.

CERTIFICATION OF AREAS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of July 14, 1924, transmitting a certification of the areas of the Ralph Waldo Emerson Schoolhouse, upon which the compensation for custodian service is based, to take effect June 20, 1924.

Placed on file, and the Chairman authorized to approve such certification, to take effect on the date stated.

APPOINTMENT OF A CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of July 14, 1924, recommending that Thomas J. Gill, custodian of the Hugh O'Brien Schoolhouse, be also appointed custodian of the Ralph Waldo Emerson Schoolhouse, to take effect June 20, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

REPORTS OF TRIAL BOARD.

A communication was received from the Trial Board, under date of June 21, 1924, to whom was referred at the meeting of June 2, 1924 (see p. 98), a communication from the Schoolhouse Custodian preferring charges against Martin W. Green,

custodian, Stephen M. Weld Schoolhouse, for failing properly to clean the school building under his charge as required by the rules and regulations and failing to appear on Monday morning, May 26, in time to open the gates and building for occupancy, reporting that the Trial Board held a hearing on the matter on June 20, 1924, which was attended by the custodian concerned and by the Schoolhouse Custodian, and it appears from the evidence submitted that the custodian went out of town with a friend over the weekend, fully persuaded that he would be back in sufficient time on Sunday night to have his building cleaned and ready for occupancy on Monday morning. He missed the train on which he was scheduled to return; endeavored unsuccessfully to report his absence by telephone; and did not reach the building until about noon on Monday. There was no heat in the building and the session was not suspended.

Mr. Green has been employed as custodian for one year and the Schoolhouse Custodian reports that with the exception of the occurrence under consideration, he has been a good custodian.

FINDING—That the custodian is guilty of the charge preferred against him of failing to have the building under his charge properly cleaned and ready for occupancy on May 26, 1924.

RECOMMENDATION—That the custodian be reprimanded.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

A communication was received from the Trial Board, under date of June 21, 1924, to whom was referred at the meeting of June 16, 1924, (see p. 123), a communication from the Schoolhouse Custodian preferring charges of general neglect of duty against George J. Thornton, custodian, George Frisbie Hoar Schoolhouse, reporting that the Trial Board held a hearing on the matter on June 20, 1924, which was attended by the custodian concerned, by the Schoolhouse Custodian, and by the principal of the Norcross District.

Mr. Thornton has been employed as custodian for about eight years. Previously complaints have been made against him while he was in charge of another building.

Miss Thomas, principal of the district, complained of the work of the custodian and the condition in which he left the building, failing to turn out lights, to lock doors and windows, to have the building properly heated, to take in the flag, and to be present as required by the regulations. The complaints of the principal were supported by statements of teachers, parents of pupils, and of neighbors.

The Schoolhouse Custodian reported that he has repeatedly admonished this custodian and feels that his work is not up to the standard required; he is careless and neglectful; he is polite in making promises of amendment, but falls down steadily in keeping them. Neither does the custodian admit that he does not do all the things required of him, which shows that he has not the proper viewpoint.

FINDING—That the custodian is guilty of the charge of general neglect of duty preferred against him.

RECOMMENDATION—That the custodian be fined the sum of ten dollars (\$10), to be deducted from his weekly compensation at the rate of five dollars (\$5) per week, and that he be disqualified for promotion for a period of one year.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

ACCEPTANCE OF ENGLISH HIGH SCHOOL, CLASS OF 1863 FUND

On motion, it was ORDERED, That the English High School, Class of 1863 Fund, is hereby established which shall consist of the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) contributed by the Class of 1863, said fund to be held in trust by the Old Colony Trust Company, Boston; the income to be paid once each year to such graduate of said English High School as shall be designated by the head master as worthy and in need of assistance in pursuing higher education at some recognized institution of learning.

CERTIFICATION TO TEACHERS' RETIREMENT BOARD OF AMOUNT PAID FOR PENSIONS.

On motion, it was ORDERED, That the Chairman of this Board is hereby authorized, in its behalf, and in accordance with the provisions of Section 16 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, to certify to the Teachers' Retirement Board, under oath, the amount of pensions paid by the city of Boston for the year ending July 1, 1924, to teachers who have been retired since July 1, 1914, on whose account the city of Boston is entitled to reimbursement.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The order laid over at the meeting of June 16, 1924 (see p. 124), amending Chapter IX. of the rules, relative to the duties of the salary board, was taken up.

Mr. Sullivan moved the acceptance of the following substitute order:

ORDERED, That the rules and regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Chapter IX. Strike out the chapter, and substitute in place thereof the following:

CHAPTER IX.

Duties of officers with respect to classification and salaries of clerks and stenographers.

SECTION 140. 1. Each officer of the Board shall annually consider the classification and salaries of clerks and stenographers employed in his office, and shall recommend to the Board such changes in classification and salaries as in his opinion are expedient. These recommendations shall be in writing and shall specifically state the reasons for the changes desired, and be particularly specific if the promotion of an individual is retarded or a demotion involved. Such changes shall take effect on the first day of February or at such later date as the Board may determine, and shall continue for a period of one year. Such classification and salaries having once been established for an ensuing year shall not be changed during that year.

The motion passed.

In connection with the foregoing, Mr. Sullivan offered the following statement:

This amendment is purposed to preclude the necessity of special orders on salaries of assistants, Administrative Offices, such as were offered by me and passed by this Committee at its meeting on June 16, 1924.

The organization of this Board for effective service is very unsatisfactory. Hence my amendment to abolish it. The amendment itself embodies its own appeal and argument. Each officer should be the judge of the respective abilities of his clerks and stenographers and

should make his recommendations directly to the School Committee. These recommendations should be made at the first meeting in February. If the School Committee has occasion to question such recommendations my amendment enables the members to deal directly with the responsible officer, instead of with an indifferent salary board.

The School Committee should fix the maximum salary of each class, and instruct its officers to keep their recommendations within such maxima salaries.

The passage of this amendment will eliminate in great measure individual reactions against classifications in salaries of assistants.

The statement was placed on file, and the substitute order laid over.

The order laid over at the meeting of June 23, 1924 (see p. 131), amending section 151, paragraph 5 of the regulations, relative to the term of the evening schools, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of June 23, 1924 (see p. 132), amending sections 154, 253, 261, 281, 290, 291, 292 and 300 of the regulations, was taken up.

The Superintendent offered the following:

That section 253, paragraph 1; section 281, paragraph 1; and section 290, paragraph 6, as presented at the previous meeting be further amended to read as follows:

Sect. 253. 1. The librarian and the secretary of The Teachers College of the City of Boston shall be required to be on duty from 8.30 o'clock A. M. to 4.30 o'clock P. M., with one hour intermission for luncheon, on all regular school days during the year; on all other days throughout the calendar year on which courses for teachers are conducted; and on such other days as the principal may direct.

Sect. 281. 1. Teachers in day elementary schools shall consist of one principal holding the rank of master for each district; sub-masters in charge; masters' assistants in charge; sub-masters; masters' assistants; assistants; masters' assistants, special classes; assistants, special classes; assistant in charge of speech improvement classes; assistants, speech improvement classes; assistant in charge of classes for conservation of eyesight; assistants, classes for conservation of eyesight; masters' assistants, prevocational classes; and prevocational assistants.

Extension Classes.

Sect. 290. 6. In the Trade School for Girls, extension classes, assistants in charge; assistants; and second assistants may be appointed.

The amendments to the original orders amending the rules and regulations, as presented at the meeting of June 23, 1924, were accepted, and the order as amended was passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of June 23, 1924 (see p. 142), amending section 125, paragraph 1 of the rules, relative to the membership of the Board of Apportionment, was taken up.

In connection with the foregoing, Mr. Sullivan offered the following statement:

The Board of Apportionment as at present constituted consists of the Superintendent, two Assistant Superintendents and the Business Agent. My proposed amendment would increase the membership of this Board

to include all Assistant Superintendents when salary schedules and important budgetary matters are presented for consideration and deliberation.

When we realize that the School Committee in 1923 expended in salaries the impressive sum of \$8,393,835.85, and when we recall the recent furor attendant upon salary adjustments, the vital import of salary schedules is evident.

It is my belief that the School Committee would be in a better and stronger position to pass on proposed salary changes when such have been considered and determined for reference by the Superintendent, Business Agent and all the Assistant Superintendents.

Criticism of that part of my amendment which reads "important budgetary matters affecting the school system" is offered for the alleged reason that there would be no authoritative definition of what "important budgetary matters" are. This objection is immaterial and must fall, because my amendment in respect to "important budgetary matters" presumes the proper exercise of discretion by the Superintendent and places the responsibility for such in him.

This amendment is proposed in no spirit of hostility, but rather in the interests of effective organization and sound progressive administration.

The statement was placed on file, and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—3.

NAYS—Dr. Bogan and Miss Curtis—2.

Mr. O'Hare offered the following:

That section 125, paragraph 1 of the rules be further amended by adding the following at the close of the paragraph:—In case of a tie vote in any matter considered by the board of apportionment, the chairman of said board shall report impartially the facts in the case involved to the Board.

Laid over.

The order laid over at the meeting of June 23, 1924 (see p. 142), amending section 85, paragraph 1 of rules, relative to the period of validity of certificates of qualification, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of June 23, 1924 (see p. 143), establishing the rank and salary of Louise Kane and Helena W. McMahon, employed in the administrative offices of the Board, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of June 23, 1924 (see p. 143), establishing the salaries of ten assistants employed in the administrative offices, was taken up.

On motion of Mr. O'Hare, the order was amended by inserting the name of Frances Kenealy in Class A group, compensation to be at the rate of \$35 per week.

Question came on the passage of the order, as amended, and the order failed of passage by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—2.

NAYS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis and Dr. Scannell—3.

The four orders laid over at the meeting of June 23, 1924 (see p. 133), making changes in certain ranks, were taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of June 23, 1924 (see p. 143), relative to the establishment of September 1 as the anniversary of newly appointed teachers, was taken up.

A roll call being requested, the order failed of passage by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. O'Hare—1.

NAYS — Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. Scannell and Sullivan—4.

The order laid over at the meeting of June 23, 1924 (see p. 143), relative to the establishment of September 1 as the anniversary of those teachers who were on the ten-payment plan, was taken up.

The order was lost.

The petition from the Class of 1923, Normal School, relative to deductions from salaries during the first year of service, laid over at the meeting of Jan. 28, 1924 (see p. 241), was taken up, and placed on file.

The communication from the Boston Elementary Teachers' Club, laid over at the meeting of April 7, 1924 (see p. 58), relative to computation of salaries in change from the ten-payment to the twelve-payment plan, was taken up and placed on file.

The Superintendent offered the following:

That Marion B. Foster, assistant, Washington Irving Intermediate District, be granted leave of absence on half pay for the school year 1924-25.

In connection with the foregoing, Mr. Sullivan offered the following:

I deplore the Committee's extravagant leniency to a deliberate discrimination and I refuse to join in it.

This teacher is alleged to have made rank racial and religious references. In a fair trial lasting several hours, with her attorney present, specific allegations were made and sustained by competent witnesses. She, herself, was her own worst witness. To the charge that she had ridiculed and slandered a great race that has struggled and suffered for centuries in the cause of liberty and a great Church that has carried on for centuries for human-kind, her only answer was a plea of ignorance.

It is not my present purpose to enumerate lest by repetition I aggravate the scandal already accomplished. Just one glimpse into this admitted ignorance which is as assumed and feigned as it is appalling.

A teacher for eleven years! Yet she has never heard of the Spanish Inquisition to which she is alleged to have made slurring reference and remark.

An educated woman! Yet she denied all knowledge of Martin Luther whom, as is alleged, she eulogized and proclaimed as the greatest figure in history, though she admitted teaching Luther's Christmas carol in class.

Her definite Nordic mania was well established in the trial.

To all this and more, this teacher has offered no adequate answer.

No defence. No justification. No extenuation. Such is the situation. I say there is no room in our public schools for any propaganda conceived in bigotry, prejudice, malice and ignorance. A substantial suspension is the only sanction that can adequately express and safeguard this primary American principle.

The statement was placed on file, and the motion was lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan and Miss Curtis—2.

NAYS—Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—2.

NOT VOTING—Dr. Scannell—1.

The following was offered:

That Marion B. Foster, assistant, Washington Irving Intermediate District, be suspended from service with loss of pay for a period of five months, namely, September, 1924, to January, 1925, inclusive.

The motion was lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—2.

NAYS—Dr. Bogan and Miss Curtis—2.

NOT VOTING—Dr. Scannell—1.

The following was offered:

That Marion B. Foster, assistant, Washington Irving Intermediate District, be removed from tenure, and that she be directed to take leave of absence on half pay for study for the school year 1924-25, and at the conclusion of such year's leave that she be transferred to some other district.

The question came on the passage of the motion, and the motion was lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan and Mr. O'Hare—2.

NAYS—Miss Curtis and Mr. Sullivan—2.

NOT VOTING—Dr. Scannell—1.

Mr. Sullivan asked to be recorded as opposed to the granting of leave for study, believing the order as presented does not adequately express the purpose of the Board.

The following was offered:

That Marion B. Foster, assistant, Washington Irving Intermediate District, be removed from tenure, and that she be directed to take leave of absence on half pay for the school year 1924-25, and at the conclusion of such year's leave that she be transferred to some other district.

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—3.

NAYS—Miss Curtis—1.

NOT VOTING—Dr. Scannell.

PROPOSED APPOINTMENT OF ADDITIONAL ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT.

The Chairman announced that the Board is seriously considering the appointment of a sixth assistant superintendent, and that it is hoped that a selection may be made early in the Fall.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Assistant Secretary.

HOMICIDE RATE PER ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND INHABITANTS IN AMERICAN CITIES.

Ranking from highest, as follows: Memphis, 63.4; Savannah, 44.0; Atlanta, 40.9; Charleston, S. C., 36.5; New Orleans, 16.9; Nashville, 16.0; St. Louis, 12.6 and Washington, D. C., the same; Cleveland, 12.5; Louisville, Ky., 11.1; Chicago, 10.3 and Pittsburgh, the same; Los Angeles, 9.8; Philadelphia, 6.2; New York, 5.9. Boston's rate, 5.1.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

TUBERCULOSIS FIELD NURSE, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, DIVISION OF TUBERCULOSIS, AUGUST 7, 1924.
REQUISITION IS FOR A FEMALE BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES.

The salary is \$1,680 per year. At the present time there is one vacancy and six new appointments to be made in the Division of Tuberculosis.

Applicants must be not less than 25 nor over 45 years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application. Applicants must be registered nurses with a high school education or its equivalent.

The duties of this position are to organize and arrange programs for school examination clinics and general field tuberculosis work, to check board of health and dispensary tuberculosis records, to make tuberculosis surveys of cities and towns, to assist local nurses in developing work, and to submit reports.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

PRINTING FOREMAN, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, CHARLESTOWN STATE PRISON, AUGUST 7, 1924.

The salary is \$2,400 per year. Applicants must have a knowledge of press work and must understand imposition of forms and rapid press work. The duties of the position are to have charge of the printing industry at the prison.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

DRAUGHTSMAN, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

There are two vacancies at a salary of \$2,100 a year.

The duties of this position include field investigations and surveys and charting and drafting of material so acquired.

DAIRY INSPECTOR SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

The entrance salary is \$1,400 per year. Applicants must be not less than twenty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants should have pursued sufficient study, including didactic, laboratory, and chemical or field instruction in veterinary medicine, animal husbandry, and dairying, to enable them to judge of the physical condition of the cows and to determine whether the sanitary conditions surrounding the production and handling of the milk, including the feeding of cows, are such as to endanger the quality thereof; and further, if any of the conditions are not up to the standard, the inspector should be competent to co-operate with the producer and improve them. He should be familiar with rules, regulations, and statutes applying to milk and dairy production.

The subjects of the examination, with their respective weights, will be as follows: Training and experience 6; report, 2; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 4; total, 15.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS FOR DEPENDENTS AND DELINQUENTS.

Total number of cases of aid in 1921, 31,432, viz., 2,039 Children; 1,590 in Infirmary; 6,995 by Soldiers' Relief Dept. (3,087 more than in 1920); 20,808 by Overseers of Public Welfare (714 more than in 1920), including 5,036 in Wayfarers' Lodge, 1,951 in Temporary Home, also 4,607 families, of which 1,391 were widows with dependent children, receiving regular allowances under Mothers' Aid Law. 1,508 persons confined in House of Correction (*i. e.*, 572 more than in 1920); 6,403 in Suffolk County Jail (*i. e.*, 1,245 more than in 1920). Expenditures for maintenance in 1921; Institutions Dept. (exclusive of Penal Div.), \$668,836 (\$57,136 less than in 1920); Soldiers' Relief Dept., \$1,061,797 (\$614,157 increase); Overseeing of the Public Welfare Department, \$1,216,807 (\$259,881 increase); County Jail and Penal Div. Institutions Dept. in charge of House of Correction, \$336,049 (\$21,095 decrease). Gross total of institutions for dependents, etc., \$3,283,489 or \$1,193,217 (*i. e.*, 57 per cent) more than in 1920, an increase without precedent.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Hyde street, South Boston district, as a highway, from Dorchester avenue to Old Colony avenue, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Aug. 2.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WOODEN SCREEN ON DORCHESTER BROOK OUTLET.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for wooden screen on Dorchester brook outlet, and giving bonds therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of four hundred (400) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Wooden Screen on Dorchester Brook Outlet," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Thursday, August 7, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 31, 1924. (Aug. 2.)

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Scottfield road, Brighton district, as a highway, from Commonwealth avenue to Warren street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Aug. 2.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING VENTILATING SYSTEM, FERRYBOAT "NODDLE ISLAND."

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and installing ventilating system on ferryboat "Noddle Island." A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Ventilating System 'Noddle Island'." and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Tuesday, August 12, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 31, 1924. (Aug. 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 31, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public improvements should be made consisting of:

The laying out and construction of an extension of Lucerne street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Woodrow avenue to Morton street.

The laying out and construction of Arundel street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Beaumont street to Elm road, with the name of Alcorn street or some other distinctive name.

The widening and construction of Morton street, Dorchester district, as a highway, at the southeasterly corner of said Morton street and West Selden street.

The discontinuance, widening, relocation and construction of parts of Lake street, Brighton district, as a highway, between Commonwealth avenue and Kenrick street.

The laying out and construction of North Munroe terrace, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Train street to Neponset avenue.

The laying out and construction of Brookstone street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Braden street over and including the private way known as Toll Gate road, to Washington street.

All substantially as shown on plans in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass orders for the making of said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 13, 1924, and the office of this Board, as the time and place for public hearings in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Aug. 2-9.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Radnor road, Brighton district, as a highway, from Foster street to Kirkwood road, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Aug. 2.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for painting the exterior and interior of 15 Beacon street, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, August 12, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(Aug. 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING ELECTRIC VALVE OPERATING EQUIPMENT ON 36-INCH VALVES AT COPLEY SQUARE, BEACON STREET AND COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, HUNTINGTON AVENUE AT SOUTH HUNTINGTON AVENUE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and installing electric valve operating equipment on 36-inch valves at Copley square, Beacon street and Commonwealth avenue, Huntington avenue at South Huntington avenue, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of three thousand (\$3,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Furnishing and Installing Electric Valve Operating Equipment on 36-Inch Valves at Copley Square, Beacon Street and Commonwealth Avenue, Huntington Avenue at South Huntington Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, August 8, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 31, 1924. (Aug. 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Minot street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Adams street to Carruth street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Aug. 2.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Maple street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Weld street northwesterly, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Aug. 2.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GAS PIPE FENCE ON EASTERLY SIDE OF EVERETT STREET, BRIGHTON, SOUTHERLY APPROACH TO BRIDGE OVER BOSTON & ALBANY RAILROAD.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for gas pipe fence on easterly side of Everett street, Brighton, southerly approach to bridge over Boston & Albany Railroad, and giving bonds therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eight hundred (800) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Gas Pipe Fence, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, August 11, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 31, 1924. (Aug. 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING SIDEWALK AND FLOORING OF DORCHESTER AVENUE BRIDGE, OVER FORT POINT CHANNEL.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing sidewalk and flooring of Dorchester Avenue Bridge, over Fort Point channel, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Dorchester Avenue Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, August 18, 1924, with a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal, after acceptance, is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, or to accept any proposal, should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 31, 1924. (Aug. 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COMMITTEES.
CITY HALL, July 20, 1924.

The Executive Committee of the City Council will give a public hearing on Monday, August 4, at three o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, City Hall, relative to the release of park restrictions on land at the junction of Beacon street and Commonwealth avenue.

For the Committee.

(Aug. 2.) JOHN E. BALDWIN,
Clerk of Committees.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Kirkwood road, Brighton district, as a highway, from Foster street to South street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Aug. 2.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING TWO CONCRETE PIERS AT DARTMOUTH STREET BRIDGE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for building two concrete piers at Dartmouth Street Bridge, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twelve thousand (\$12,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, after Monday, August 4, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Piers, Dartmouth Street Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, August 19, 1924, with a certified check for two thousand five hundred (\$2,500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, July 31, 1924. (Aug. 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING IRON CASTINGS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service:

100,000 pounds frames and covers.

Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Tuesday, August 12, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interest of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(Aug. 2.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 26 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, i. e., adjacent to Boston, are these, viz., Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and 45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has 44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water District, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, viz.,

the Fire Prevention District, was organized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston," but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates, the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or \$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921, and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$846,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products; (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

PUBLIC RECREATION IN BOSTON.

Number of large parks, 24; separate playgrounds, 44, with total of 324.5 acres, also 13 playgrounds in parks, with area of 155 acres; small parks and squares, 72.8; total area, 2,686.79 acres. Cost of Main Park System, i. e., 1,386 acres (including Common and Public Garden, 72.65 acres) land and construction (since 1877 when begun), \$12,204,876; of Marine Park System, i. e., 457.9 acres (since 1883), \$4,601,045; of all other parks and public grounds, \$2,537,898; of separate playgrounds, \$4,458,331. Total cost, \$23,802,150, of which \$9,789,096 is for land alone.

The leading attraction of the Main Park System is Franklin Park (named for Benjamin Franklin), acquired in 1883-84, and containing 527 acres, about 80 of which are occupied by the Zoological Garden, 15 miles of walks, 8 miles of driveways, etc., the entire cost up to 1921 being \$4,496,801. There are also within the City limits 964 acres of Metropolitan parks and parkways under State control, chief of which is Stony Brook Reservation in West Roxbury, containing 464 acres of wild forested hill and dale with many rocky knolls

and an extensive view of the Charles River valley and beyond.

Number of public indoor baths open all the year, 14; 9 beach baths and 7 floating baths open during summer; indoor gymnasias, 11; total number of indoor baths taken in year 1921, 1,527,171, of which 74.3 per cent were by men and boys.

Park Department maintenance for 1921-22 (including Cemetery Division), \$1,366,048 or \$63,260 less than in 1920. Outlay for playground improvements, \$72,885; for park improvements, \$394,748, of which \$254,575 was from Parkman Fund income. Gross debt for parks, public grounds, etc., outstanding February 1, 1922, \$9,681,050; for playgrounds, \$2,224,300; total, \$11,905,350 or \$794,250 less than in 1921. By Chap. 13, Ord. 1920, the Cemetery Department was merged with the Park Dept., the latter title being substituted for Park and Recreation Department.

Including the State assessments of \$948,310 for Metropolitan parks, boulevards, etc., and \$238,073 for Charles River Basin improvements, the total expended for public recreation purposes in 1921 was \$2,903,689 or \$82,782 more in 1920.

Total valuation of City properties devoted to recreation \$69,306,900 (including \$55,112,400 for Boston Common and Public Garden), which far exceeds that of any other American city except New York.

AREA OF BOSTON.

Area to ward lines (26 wards), 30,598 acres (i. e., 47.81 square miles), 2,944 acres being filled land, 1,143 acres water area and 1,484 acres flats. Land area only 27,971 acres (i. e., 43.70 square miles). Included in the latter are 154 acres of filled flats added to the land area of South Boston in 1919 and 1920 and 133 acres to that of East Boston. Original Boston contained about 780 acres of land. Of the twelve leading American cities, eight are larger in land area than Boston, viz., Los Angeles (365.7 sq. miles), New York (318), Chicago (199.4), Philadelphia (129), Baltimore (91.9), Detroit (80), Cleveland (56.6) and St. Louis (61.25). The only city in Massachusetts with larger land area is Taunton (50 sq. mi.).

If Boston should expand by annexations as New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Los Angeles and others have expanded, its total area, in case of including the 39 cities and towns within the 15-mile radius, would exceed the largest, viz., Los Angeles, the present land area of "Greater Boston" being 409.5 square miles.

AREA OF UNITED STATES, NEW ENGLAND, ETC.

Total of the 48 states in square miles, 3,026,719; Alaska, 590,884; making grand total of 3,617,603 sq. m. or 42.11 per cent of continent of North America and 6.32 per cent of the earth's land area. The six states of New England, 66,424 sq. m., i. e., Maine, 33,040; Vermont, 9,564; N. H., 9,341; Mass., 8,266; Conn., 4,965; R. I., 1,248. Land area of New England, 61,976 sq. m.; of Mass., 8,093 sq. m.

Total area of U. S. (inclu. Alaska) 112,000 sq. miles less than total of Canadian provinces, but total population is over 12 times as many.

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NEW CHELSEA SOUTH BRIDGE WORKING PERFECTLY AND PROVING BOON TO BOSTON-NORTH SHORE TRAFFIC VIA CHARLESTOWN.

STRUCTURE IS 365 FEET LONG AND 61 FEET WIDE—OPERATED BY ELECTRICITY IT IS ONE OF THE MOST PERFECT BRIDGES IN NEW ENGLAND.



NEW CHELSEA SOUTH BRIDGE ALREADY ADDING VALUE TO CHARLESTOWN AND ADMINISTRATION IS BEING PRAISED FOR COMPLETION..

Photo by Harry Kelly.

When the paving along Chelsea street in Charlestown has been completed, with the new Chelsea Bridge over the South Channel, Mystic river, in use, Boston citizens may well take pride in the traffic artery leading to the North Shore. The new bridge is working well and is a decided improvement over the one it replaces and the temporary bridge which has been in use for a number of years.

The length of the new bridge is 365 feet and the width is 61 feet. The bridge consists of a steel superstructure with a concrete floor slab and granite block paving, resting on masonry piers. The draw span is of the bascule type, composed of four leaves opening up on trunnions and provides for a channel 75 feet wide as against the existing width of 48 feet. This width of 75 feet is sufficient to take care of the largest naval colliers now built.

The channel depth is dredged to 25 feet instead of the existing depth of 22 feet and the piers are carried to such a depth (one of the channel piers being carried to 45 feet below low water) that the channel may be ultimately dredged to 35 feet at mean low water.

The draw span has a wood block surface and the leaves are operated by electricity. A type of roadway gate new to this section of the country is provided. It is a yielding barrier and is

designed to allow an impact of an ordinary touring car going at 30 miles an hour and provides for stopping the car in a distance of about 17 or 18 feet without undue jar. In connection with the gates, electrically operated warning bells and warning lights are installed. The gates and drawbridge are so interlocked that the drawbridge cannot be opened until the gates are lowered in position.

There were about 20,000 cubic yards of dredging required for the new bridge; about 4,000 cubic yards of concrete; about 450 cubic yards of granite masonry and about 1,000 tons of steel. The contract price was approximately \$521,000.

MAYOR CURLEY REFUSES TO INVOLVE CITY IN HARVARD BRIDGE RECONSTRUCTION MATTER—ADHERES TO HIS ORIGINAL DECISION.

Mayor Curley sent the following communication August 7:

MR. JAMES A. BAILEY, *Chairman, Metropolitan District Commission, State House, Boston, Mass.*

MY DEAR MR. BAILEY,—I beg to acknowledge receipt this day of communication with copy of opinion submitted by the Attorney General of the Com-

monwealth in the matter of repairs to Harvard Bridge.

Replying thereto, I beg to state that at no time have the officials in charge of highways of the City of Boston been consulted with reference to the proposed improvements. The specifications were drafted and the contract was awarded without consultation by your commission with either the officials of the City of Boston or the Boston and Cambridge Bridge Commission.

Under the circumstances, notwithstanding the opinion of the Attorney General, I have instructed the Public Works Commissioner of the City of Boston to disregard the ruling of the Attorney General and now desire to serve notice on the Metropolitan District Commission, through you as chairman, that the City of Boston proposes to adhere to its original position.

So far as the City of Boston is concerned, I believe that the entire responsibility for reconstruction and safeguarding of the bridge rests with the Metropolitan District Commission, who, by legislative act, are charged with the work. You are at liberty, therefore, to either provide the necessary protection or close the bridge, so far as the City of Boston is concerned.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*



O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, August 11, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

MAYOR APPEALS FOR NAVY FLOTILLA TO HONOR G. A. R. DURING CONVENTION.

The Mayor sent the following telegram August 7:

HON. CURTIS D. WILBUR, *Secretary of the Navy*, Washington, D. C.

The Fifty-eighth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will assemble in Boston on Monday, August 11, and will be featured by notable ceremonies. I regret to advise that we have no appropriate representation of the United States Navy for the Encampment although the veterans of the Kearsage and Alabama Battle will be present beside many other notable visitors.

Can you not immediately assign torpedo boat destroyers and submarines to report at Boston Navy Yard in honor of the veterans as this will be the last opportunity Boston will ever have to welcome them. Wednesday, the 13th instant, has been set aside as Navy Day, when Admiral deSteigner and other naval officers will honor the veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic.

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

THANKS MAYOR HYLAN FOR INVITATION TO JOIN NEW YORK OLYMPIC TEAM RECEPTION.

Mayor Curley received a very kind invitation from Hon. John F. Hylan, Mayor of New York, to serve on the committee of reception to the victorious American Olympic Team, who returned on the S. S. "America," and who were met at the quarantine station in New York Harbor by a distinguished national committee, who were in-

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

vited to greet the victors upon their arrival, by Mayor Hylan.

A municipal steamer of the City of New York was to convey the committee, first, to quarantine to greet the athletes, and then to Pier A, New York City, where a large delegation, representing the various athletic activities of the United States, greeted the American Olympic Team, and, under escort, proceeded to City Hall where a reception was tendered and medals presented the winning athletes.

Mayor Curley, by reason of the pressure of service incident to the 58th National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic was unable to visit New York and telegraphed Mayor Hylan as follows:

HON. JOHN F. HYLAN,
Mayor of New York,
New York, N. Y.

Absent from city when your kind invitation to serve on the reception committee for the returning victorious American Olympic Team was delivered. Greatly regret that the pressure of service incident to the forthcoming fifty-eighth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic precludes my acceptance. Kindly express to the victors returning from the most notable triumph in the international history of athletics my hearty congratulation and every good and sincere wish for their mutual happiness and welfare.

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John Guarino & Co. have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in Price road, Brighton, from July 1, 1924, to July 15, 1924, fifteen days.

MAYOR TELLS ORGANIZED LABOR TO BATTLE ON FOR NATIONAL CHILD LABOR LAW AND OLD AGE PENSION.

WELCOMES STATE BRANCH OF A. F. OF L. TO BOSTON FOR CONVENTION AND POINTS WITH PRIDE TO ACHIEVEMENTS OF ORGANIZATION FOR BENEFIT OF TOILERS OF COUNTRY.

I want to say it is a very great pleasure, as Mayor of Boston, to come here to extend the hospitality of the city to this splendid organization whose existence means so much to every single individual in our own Commonwealth and whose existence nationally means so much to every individual in the entire country. I trust that your deliberations may be useful and beneficial, not only to your organization, but your fellow men; that it may be conducted wisely and harmoniously, so that on the adjournment of the convention it may be possible, as it has been by every convention held by this organization, to write in large letters real progress.

I want to say personally it is a source of pleasure to come here and congratulate organized labor on the real worthwhile achievements that have been made through its existence in this country of ours.

I want to say that we have many institutions in our city in which we take pride, for there is no city in our section of the world that is comparable in its institutions to our own City of Boston, and when we desire something to conjure with, we always conjure with the traditions that speak of Bunker Hill, the old North Church, Faneuil Hall and the scene of the Boston Massacre; but when in our day we desire to point to some monument that attests the progress of the material and moral welfare of the people, we point to this institution here,—organized labor,—a monument to the unity, solidarity, prosperity and progress that man has made through the instrumentality of organized labor in this nation of ours.

I rejoice in every single bit of progress that labor has made, for I realize that it may be traced to organizations such as yours. It is true that in America all men enjoy the same measure of equality under our laws, and each and every individual enjoys equal power in the matter of the selection of public officials who make the laws; but without an organized movement in all probability we would have been required to wait for half a century longer before the worker in America would have enjoyed the blessings and advantages that are his today in larger measure through the American Federation of Labor than any or all other agencies combined. Sometimes I feel a little bit disheartened about the lack of speedy progress in America; yet, after all, it has been constant, steady progress. We have evolved from the serfdom of the twelve-hour day to the eight-hour day; and neither of the political parties dominant in the nation are responsible for their realization. Organized labor is responsible; it has kept up the fight and made it single-handed from the beginning. The adoption of the Workingmen's Compensation

Act cannot be credited to either one of the political parties. It was the force of organized labor that compelled the adoption of this humane legislation that gave to the women and the children the protection long denied in this nation of ours. It is inconceivable that we, who call this state progressive, waited in this state until 1913 before adopting the Mothers' Aid Act; but we would have been required to wait for half a century longer if it were not for the fight of organized labor, standing in the forefront, the only organization that did the work neglected by every other organization in America, the American Federation of Labor. When the Child Labor Law in America becomes a reality, as it must and will become, no organization will have a larger share in the honors of that victory than the American Federation of Labor. What is true of the protection of the child, is equally true of the protection of the worker, broken down in industry, and as I want to see that your child labor law becomes a reality, so I want to see an old age pension act adopted in America.

Some things have come out of the World War. First, the emancipation of the mind of the Negro; the old serf mind remained even if the Civil War had freed the body; but the opportunity for an enlarged perspective, the opportunity for association with men, the opportunity for travel, freed the Negro mind as the Civil War freed the body. The migration of more than two million Negroes north since the close of the World War means a progress made that is reflected even in our own city, and every other city, through the purchase by Negroes in Boston of more than a million dollars in realty in the last five months. They do not burn Negroes at the stake any longer in the South, and they do not lynch them. They are discovering they are an economic necessity and unless treated as human beings they migrate to some section of the country where they receive the treatment that American citizens are entitled to enjoy. The freedom of the Negro's mind and the stabilization of the saving wage that came out of the World War, were, in my opinion, two major achievements as far as mankind is concerned.

We have been very insistent in Boston to preserve and stabilize the saving wage through increasing the salaries this year of nearly ten thousand persons in the employ of the City of Boston. Stabilizing that saving wage means that you cannot go back again; and we should not go back, because the improved health of the nation, in my mind, can be traced to the better wage standard as the new method of combatting disease, the economic method of combatting disease, by giving the worker sufficient money to buy the necessary nour-

ishing food and the necessary warm clothing to protect the health of the family. That came out of the World War and must be preserved. There are agencies that would destroy it. We find these agencies active, even in our Commonwealth.

With the shoe industry in a condition of depression, within the last year we find the President of the United States approving a measure calling for an expenditure of \$26,000,000 for the establishment of a shoe manufacturing plant at the Leavenworth Prison, to put the labor of the convicts in competition with the labor of free men in America. We find mills closed down in the towns of New England, shut down for a long period of time and we find contracts awarded to firms in England for the manufacture of cotton cloth for the men in the army and the navy; and in our own Commonwealth, with a short-sighted policy of economy we find a recommendation for the establishment of a printing plant at Charlestown State Prison. I do not know just what that printing plant will cost but I am inclined to believe I will wreck it about the second week in January if installed.

So in all these fights for humane legislation, we find agencies that are helpful, agencies that are broad of vision, agencies that consider something of the present day and beyond their own personal welfare on the one hand, and other agencies whose vision is restricted, whose perspective is limited and who see only their own personal welfare and the accumulation of the almighty dollar regardless of the happiness or welfare of their fellow man. Every thoughtful citizen interested in our common country and in the progress and advancement of the human family can do nothing other than wish every success for the American Federation of Labor.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

The Gibby Foundry Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for furnishing sewer castings from August 1, 1924, to September 1, 1924, in order to complete delivery of orders now on hand.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Mill street, between Victory road and Greenhill street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$4,000.

A surface drain to be constructed of 10-inch to 12-inch earthen pipe and five catch-basins in Leston street, between Morton street and Woolson street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$3,500.

A sanitary sewer to be constructed of 10-inch earthen pipe and three catch-basins in New England avenue, between Talbot avenue and Massasoit avenue, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$4,500.

A sanitary sewer to be constructed of 18-inch to 20-inch earthen pipe in Locust street (to be built in old taking), between Washington avenue and Von Hillern street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$2,360.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for gas pipe fence on easterly side of Everett street, Brighton; southerly approach to bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for repairing sidewalk and flooring of the Dorchester Avenue Bridge over Fort Point channel. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for building two concrete piers at the Dartmouth Street Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$12,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 19, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing ventilating system on ferryboat "Noddle Island." Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 12, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for widening and resurfacing roads in Franklin Park, Section 1, Blue Hill avenue to Valley Gate triangle. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained from the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 26, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and completing the building, including plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating, for the Overseers of the Public Welfare and Temporary Home, Chardon, Hawkins and Bowker streets. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Buildings Department, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$7,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 26, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, in all trades, an intermediate school in the Mather District, Charles street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 109, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$20,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for painting the exterior and interior of 15 Beacon street, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the selling to the city of land for an elementary school in the Thomas Gardner District, Allston, in the territory bounded by Market street, Western avenue, Mackin, Waverly, Portsmouth and Lawrence streets. All proposals must be submitted at or before Tuesday, August 26, at the offices of the Schoolhouse Commission. A public hearing will be held at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, Tuesday, September 2, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing iron castings to the Public Works Department, Water Service. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 12, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing 750 concrete meter boxes. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be ob-

tained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 19, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, August 7.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

Alice M. Brearton has been appointed social worker at the Out-Patient Department at \$1,500 a year.

The following persons have been appointed at the Boston Sanatorium from July 22 to August 5:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Walter Beckwith, technician, \$1,000 a year; Robert Heenan, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; Rose Ambrose, Annie Tabriate, Annie Herkinskie, Theresa Joyce, laundresses, \$480 a year each; Margaret Murphy, Lena Murphy, assistant cooks, \$420 a year each; Josephine Tierney, Bessie Greenwood, assistant cooks, \$480 a year each; Theresa Rodden, Margaret Denham, Florence Grant, maids, \$468 a year each; James McNally, maid (patient), temporary, \$240 a year; Mary Fitzmaurice, attendant nurse, \$240 a year; Elizabeth Glassy, Charlotte Bell, nurses, \$720 a year each; Marion Flahive, nurse, \$900 a year.

The following change in position has been made:

Helen Ayers from laundress at \$480 to laundress at \$540 a year.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Frank J. Coughlin has been appointed clerk at \$900 a year.

Joseph D. Toomey has been appointed provisionally as a zoning inspector at \$2,000 a year.

John A. Sullivan has been appointed clerk at \$1,100 a year.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Hoseman Thomas A. O'Mara, of Engine Company 43, has been retired and his name placed on the pension roll at \$1,266.66 a year.

District Chief William H. McCorkle, in charge of the Bureau of Supplies and Repairs, has been detailed to attend the annual convention of the International Association of Fire Engineers at Buffalo, from August 19 to August 22, inclusive, at an expense of approximately \$150.

Chief of Department John O. Tabor has been detailed to attend the annual convention of the International Association of Fire Engineers at Buffalo, from August 19 to August 22, inclusive, at a cost of \$150.

Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn is to attend the annual convention of the International Association of Fire Engineers, at Buffalo, from August 19 to August 22, inclusive, at an expense of \$150. Assistant Chief of Department Daniel F. Sennott will be designated as Acting Fire Commissioner.

Eugene J. Sullivan, veteran, has been appointed stenographer at \$1,000 a year.

William J. Kane of Ladder Company 11 has been retired and his name has been placed on the pension roll at \$950 a year.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Police officers John S. Donahue, John R. Flynn and Thomas E. Smith have been granted an increase of \$100 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, July 31:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Louise M. Curry, record clerk, \$16 a week; Pearl Burton, special nurse, \$35 a week; Mary Moore, assistant cook, \$14 a week; John F. Maloney, porter, \$17.50 a week; Catherine Simms, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Beatrice Bedard, head nurse (temporary), \$85 a month; Helen Alice Benoit, nurse (affiliated), \$6 a month; Marion Horman, nurse (affiliated), \$8 a month; Marion Hanson, nurse (affiliated), \$6 a month; Edith Jeanette Holt, nurse (affiliated), \$6 a month; Helen M. Pattee, nurse (affiliated), \$6 a month; Dorothy Raymond, nurse (affiliated), \$6 a month; Helen Tarbox, nurse (affiliated), \$6 a month; Virginia Jordan, nurse (affiliated), \$14 a month; Mary Moran, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Charlotte Higgins, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Mary Miller, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

Temporary.—John Touraine, reconstruction aid, \$28 a week; Isabelle Kippenhan, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Mary A. Daley, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Mary A. Lynch, assistant seamstress, \$10 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Ida L. Allen, nurse at \$10 to nurse at \$12.50 a month; Helen Schofield, nurse at \$10 to nurse at \$12.50 a month; Lola Yearby, nurse at \$12.50 to nurse at \$16.67 a month (affiliated); Frank W. Miller, out-patient orderly at \$14 to out-patient orderly (temporary) at \$23 a week; Veronica M. McNamee, temporary out-patient messenger to clerk at \$16 a week; James Shugrue temporary porter at \$17.50 to house cleaner at \$12 a week.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, August 8:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—John Saleino, centre orderly, \$10 a week; Sarah Hopkins, technician, \$25 a week; Vincent Derne, Patrick Lavin, porters, \$17.50 a week each; Sophie White, Eleanor Cotter, Mary McDonald, ward assistants, \$11.50 a week each; Catherine Lynch, Mary Meade, ward helpers, \$11.50 a week each; Josephine Gantarz, laundress, \$10 a week; James C. Sylvester, John F. Keville, house cleaners, \$12 a week each; George McCullan, transfer porter, \$11 a week.

Temporary.—John Touraine, reconstruction aid, \$28 a week; Thomas Clancy, elevator man, \$12 a week; Joseph Kusikas, porter, \$14 a week; Helen G. Smith, out-patient messenger, \$11.50 a week; Dr. Charles Griffen, executive assistant, \$1,800 a year; Dr. Henry S. Finkel, assistant resident physician, \$1,000 a year; Christopher Murphy, porter, \$14 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Agnes McCarron, temporary assistant housekeeper at \$13 to assistant seamstress at \$10 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, July 31:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Catherine H. Reardon, head nurse, at \$1,080 a year, to succeed Bertha E. Whitney.

Charles Reilly, attendant, at \$600 a year to succeed James Conley.

Theresa Manning, at \$600 a year, to succeed William J. Sweeney.

Edith M. Adams, at \$600 a year, to succeed Amelia Martin.

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

John F. Colbert, fireman at \$36 week, temporary.

Thomas Colbert, deckhand at \$27 a week, temporary.

John J. Lamie, fireman at \$36 a week, temporary.

Andrew J. Baker, engineer-assistant, transferred from fireman, temporary, at \$36 a week.

David J. Lamie, chief engineer, transferred from assistant engineer, at \$45 a week, temporary.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

John D. Davis has been allowed the sum of \$150, for his expenses to Detroit, Mich., to represent the City of Boston in the tennis championships to take place from August 5 to 9 inclusive, 1924.

John H. Holleran has been given temporary appointment for a period of six weeks as a rodman at \$18 a week.

Edwin M. Shannon and William F. Green have been given temporary appointment, for a period, until September 15, as beach laborers at \$4.50 a day.

David A. Stevens has been transferred from laborer in the Water Division of the Metropolitan District Commission at \$4.25 a day, to the Park Department as laborer at \$4.50 a day.

Dorothy G. Campbell has been given temporary appointment for a period of about thirty days as telephone operator at \$24 a week.

Patrick J. Ryan has been transferred from laborer in the Paving Division of the Public Works Department at \$4.50 a day, to the Park Department as a laborer at \$4.50 a day.

Arthur Melville has been given temporary appointment as a gardening laborer with wages at \$4.50 a day for a period of about twelve days.

John F. Griffin has been given temporary appointment until September 15 as a life guard and helper at \$4.50 a day.

Frank E. Driscoll has been given temporary employment for a period of about 3½ months, as a rodman at \$18 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

William J. Galvin, inspector at \$1,700 a year in the street cleaning branch of the Sanitary Service, has been transferred to inspector at \$1,800 a year in the Paving Service.

Joseph J. Vogel has been promoted from inspector at \$1,800 a year to district foreman of the Charlestown paving district at \$2,100 a year, effective August 8.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

John F. O'Neill has been appointed temporary sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year, for a period of six months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

The following increases in salary in the Water Service, have been approved: Charles D. Forster, clerk, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

William F. O'Donnell, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Albert J. Sexton, clerk, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

John F. Griffin and Joseph L. Reagan have been granted an increase in salary as meter readers in the Water Service, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Charles E. Cadigan has been granted leave of absence for thirty days, without loss of pay, as assistant chief inspector in this department, on account of illness.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Rudolph F. Watson has been granted an extension of employment for an additional three months as provisional draughtsman at \$1,500 a year.

Charles E. Ahern and William G. Croke have been appointed rodmen for three months, beginning August 1, at \$1,100 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Collecting Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 31:

John W. Barry, 17 days, \$51; Daniel A. Grant, 20 days, \$60; James J. Maloney, 19 days, \$57; James J. McNamee, 23 days, \$69; Louis Needel, 23 days, \$69; John P. O'Connor, 27 days, \$81; Aaron Pinkofsky, 26 days, \$78. Total, \$466.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, August 8:

Main Department.

D. Bransfield, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; D. Sullivan, steamfitter's helper, plus \$0.14; W. Cody, steamfitter's helper, plus \$0.14; D. Hurley, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.32; G. Roache, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

W. Nolan, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75; P. Joyce, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Fitzgerald, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 31:

John Gallagher, gardening-laborer, 1 day, \$4.50; Patrick Sheehan, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50. Total, \$9.

William Mullen, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50. Albert J. Libbey, chauffeur, 3 days, \$15.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).
For the week ending Thursday, July 31:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Henry T. Brennan, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Martin L. Godvin, Joseph Harrington, Michael Morris, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

For the week ending Thursday, August 4:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Henry T. Brennan, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Thomas A. Curley, Martin L. Godvin, Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Fairview Cemetery.

Patrick F. Bagge, James Kingston, Joseph McDonough, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 31:

Stephen D. Merrick, errand boy, 16 hours, \$5.44; James A. Gately, monotype runner, 5 hours, \$3.05; Patrick Kelly, monotype runner, 6 hours, \$4.92; Michael McKeen, monotype caster operator, 4 hours, \$4.08; Edward R. Morris, apprentice, 4 hours, \$3; Daniel F. Sullivan, apprentice, 4 hours, \$2.44; James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 5 hours, \$4.75. Total, \$27.68.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, July 31:

J. Reynolds, engineer, 6 hours, \$5; J. McDonough, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3.38; J. Walsh, elevatorman, 4½ hours, \$2.53.

For the week ending Thursday, August 7:

C. H. Folan, janitor, \$12; J. Reynolds, engineer, 7½ hours, \$6.04; J. Walsh, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3.38.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 4:

First Assistant Drawtender.—B. F. Tague, 1 day, \$4.66.

Assistant Drawtenders.—D. J. Flynn, J. Doyle, J. P. Kelley, 1 day, \$4.38 each; T. F. Reilly, ½ day, \$2.19.

Total, \$19.99.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 4:

Electrician.—James J. Douglass, 2 days, \$12.20.

Gateman.—Christopher T. Leonard, 1 day, \$5.25.

Total, \$17.45.

Net cost for the week ending August 4, 1924, \$15.48.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 4:

Engincer.—John H. McGee, 1½ days, \$6.19.

Yardman.—Daniel Anglin, 1½ days, \$5.91.

Laborers.—John Cain, John Mullin, Edmund Gallagher, Thomas Ratchford, 1½ days, \$5.91 each.

Total, \$35.74.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 4:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. J. McCarthy, J. B. Carr, P. J. McCormack, J. F. Sweeney, J. J. Welch, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—A. P. Charbonnier, C. J. Haley, 2 days, \$9 each.

Teamster.—B. Lyons, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—J. Curran, T. J. Lewis, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—J. P. W. Callahan, M. J. Connolly, D. J. Dalton, T. Dwyer, H. F. Furey, V. Guliano, G. Guiffredo, H. J. Holmes, J. J. Lannon, J. P. Leonard, R. J. Nugent, W. Shea, J. P. Sullivan, C. E. Vilelo, F. Zirpollo, ½ day, \$2.25 each.

Total, \$99.25.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 4:

Sewer Cleaners.—Thomas Byrne, 1½ days, \$6.53; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2 days, \$10 each; Michael Foley, 1½ days, \$7.50; Stephen Manning, Michael Neary, 1½ days, \$6.88 each; John Graham, 1½ days, \$6.25; Dennis Collins, John Driscoll, 1 day, \$5 each; Joseph Rafferty, ½ day, \$3.13.

Laborers.—Isaac Goldstein, 2½ days, \$11.25; Cornelius Sullivan, Timothy Driscoll, John Crowley, James Schofield, 2 days, \$9 each; James Splaine, Michael McMahon, Stephen Connolly, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Thomas Kilduff, Benjamin Gorman, Joseph Brown, 1½ days, \$6.19 each; John Murray, Joseph Clougherty, Edward Flaherty, Michael Clance, Joseph Huber, James Barrett, John Waters, 1½ days, \$5.63 each; Cresenzio DeLuca, Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Daniel McKenna, ¾ day, \$3.38.

Total, \$267.77.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 4:

Yard Laborers.—M. Hurley, M. J. O'Connell, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. Hennessey, P. Keefe, B. Callahan, D. P. Stack, J. Barnes, F. R. Deacon, T. Graham, J. Collins, M. Gilmartin, J. O'Leary, B. J. Doherty, F. M. Kelley, J. A. Kelley, J. J. Donovan, M. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, J. Cahill, J. J. Carey, G. Capozza, F. Certisemo, P. Conlin, M. Connolly, G. H. Corcoran, J. J. Daley, L. Davis, J. Driscoll, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, J. Rogers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamster.—J. Dahill, 1½ days, \$7.88.

Laborers-Teamsters.—C. J. Crowley, E. Noonan, 2 days, \$9 each.

Stablemen.—G. McColgan, G. Riley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborer-Teamster.—S. Coughlin, ½ day, \$2.25.

Chaufeurs.—J. Connors, J. Considine, J. J. Marshall, F. Murphy, ¾ day, \$4.13 each.

Total, \$197.65.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 4:

Chaufeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burns, ½ day, \$0.94; J. Burke, 1½ days, \$7.50; P. Clougherty, 2½ days, \$11.25; T. Norton, 2½ days, \$13.13.

Repairers.—H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75; J. Murphy, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Casey, 1½ days, \$7.13; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Lynch, 4½ days, \$22.27; H. Campbell, 1½ days, \$8.25; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Daly, 1½ days, \$7.88; M. Hogarty, ¾ day, \$3.91; E. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Leonard, 2½ days, \$10.31; J. Dolan, 1½ days, \$7.50; S. Mariani, 2½ days, \$10.31; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; R. Doyle, 4½ days, \$25.78; G. Mulvey, 1½ days, \$7.13; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Glennon, 1½ days, \$6.09; G. Waters, ½ day, \$1.34; T. Joyce, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Feeley, 2½ days, \$11.58; H. Cauley, 1½ days, \$5.16; T. O'Brien, ¾ day, \$3.56; N. McPhee, ¾ day, \$3.75; W. Shields, 2½ days, \$11.25; J. Williamson, ¾ day, \$3.12; T. Byrnes, 3 days, \$15.75; J. Horgan, ¾ day, \$3.12; T. Rose, 1½ days, \$9.38; J. Reilly, 1½ days, \$8.91; J. Gallagher, 1½ days, \$9.38; A. McDougall, 1½ days, \$8.91; F. Joyce, 1½ days, \$8.44; J. Blessington, ¾ day, \$3.75; D. Shea, \$1.69; M. Matthews, 1½ days, \$5.31; J. Cummings, ¾ day, \$2.06; G. Cataldo, ½ day, \$2.25; J. McLean, 1½ days, \$8.44; L. Morgan, 1½ day, \$4.45; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, E. Pyne, J. M. O'Toole, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. Barron, J. McGee, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; J. Durand, 2½ days, \$9.28; A. Martin, ¾ day, \$3.52; J. O'Toole, ¾ day, \$1.83.

Total, \$426.43; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$420.93.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the Edward J. Carnes Company for resetting draw track, Northern Avenue Bridge. Bids for the work, opened July 29, were as follows:

Edward J. Carnes Company, \$6,450; Boston Bridge Works, Inc., \$7,400; Boston Structural Steel Company, \$8,184.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the Central Construction Company for laying sheet asphalt pavement in Holton street, from Franklin street to Everett street, and Perkins street, from Centre street to Jamaica-way, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened July 28, were as follows:

Central Construction Company, sheet asphalt, \$17,827.80; Warren Brothers Company, bitulithic, \$18,440; S. J. Tom-

asello, bitulithic, \$18,846.35; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., bitulithic, \$20,675.25.

Upon August 7 the Mayor approved a contract with M. H. Loonie for granite block pavement in Neponset avenue, from Minot street to Neponset Bridge approach. Bids, opened August 5, were as follows:

M. H. Loonie, \$14,650.05; R. McDonough & Sons, \$16,239.70; H. Nawn Contracting Company, \$16,614.80; S. J. Tomasello, \$16,727.60; J. J. McCarthy & Co., \$17,114.10; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$17,408.50; M. F. Gaddis, \$17,843.60; B. E. Grant Company, \$17,884; C. W. Dolloff & Co., \$18,258.20; Boston Contracting Company, Inc., \$18,571.50; M. DeMatteo, \$18,739.20; Simpson Brothers Corporation, \$18,884.50; Alco Contracting Company, Inc., \$18,898.80.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Todesca for sewerage works in Ethel street, between Augustus avenue and Malverna road, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened July 25, were as follows:

Joseph Todesca, \$2,155; L. Balboni, \$2,135; J. Williams & Co., \$2,142.50; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2,256.50; James J. Conway, \$2,272.50; M. D. Russo, \$2,277.50; C. Capone, \$2,280.50; C. Russo, \$2,305; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,325; C. Iacozza, \$2,432.50; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$2,507.50; William Barrett & Co., \$2,600.

Upon August 7 the Mayor approved a contract with James J. Conway for sewerage works in New England avenue, from Talbot avenue to Massasoit avenue, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened July 31, were as follows:

James J. Conway, \$3,577.60; L. Balboni, \$3,580.50; M. D. Russo, \$3,692.50; V. Barletta, \$3,750.50; A. Daddario, \$3,815.40; C. Russo, \$3,914.30; C. Iacozza, \$3,955.30; S. J. Tomasello, \$3,958.55; J. Williams & Co., \$3,981.85; A. D. Daddario, \$4,095.20; M. H. Loonie, \$4,304.25; John T. Shea, Jr., \$4,389.50; George J. Regan, \$4,588.75.

Upon August 7 the Mayor approved a contract with L. Balboni for sewerage works in Leston street, from Morton street to Woolson street, Dorchester. Bids, opened August 1, were as follows:

L. Balboni, \$3,271.10; Vozzella & Caponi, \$3,304.45; M. H. Loonie, \$3,534.30; C. Russo, \$3,538.70; S. J. Tomasello, \$3,587.90; C. Iacozza, \$3,597.60; A. D. Daddario, \$3,622.45; J. Williams & Co., \$3,622.60; J. J. Conway, \$3,691.30; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$3,755.55; George J. Regan, \$4,224.50.

Upon August 7 the Mayor approved a contract with William Barrett Company for sewerage works in Mill street, between Victory road and Greenhill street, Dorchester. The proposal of the lowest bidder has been rejected for the reason that he already has one job in progress in this service. Bids, opened August 4, were as follows:

C. Iacozza, \$3,661; William Barrett & Co., \$3,734; J. Williams & Co., \$3,870.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$3,871; C. Russo, \$3,873; Vozzella & Caponi, \$3,960.50; M. DeSisto Company, \$4,000.50; J. J.

Conway, \$4,034.50; M. H. Loonie, \$4,340.50; L. Balboni, \$4,511.50; M. D. Russo, \$4,572.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Grande for laying and relaying water pipes in Claymoss road, Euston road and Ransom road, Brighton; Hollingsworth street, Dorchester, and Stratford street, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened July 29, were as follows:

A. Grande, \$5,360; J. Williams & Co., \$5,505; Vozzella & Caponi, \$6,495; M. D. Russo, \$6,580; V. Barletta, \$6,617.50; J. T. Shea, Jr., 6,745; J. A. Costello & Co., \$6,792.50; P. Martiniello, \$6,912.50; L. Balboni, \$7,797.50; C. Russo, \$7,965.

Upon August 7 the Mayor approved a contract with John F. Shea, Jr., for laying and relaying water pipes in Poydras and Tchapioulas streets, Hyde Park. The two lowest bidders have now unfinished contracts with the city and it is imperative that operations be started immediately in order to relieve living conditions in these streets. Bids, opened August 4, were as follows:

J. Williams & Co., \$2,390; V. Barletta, \$2,520; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$2,680; M. DeSisto Company, \$2,955; M. D. Russo, \$3,137.50; L. Balboni, \$3,140; C. Russo, \$3,248.75.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Rugo for building stone wall, fence and grading yard at the Grant School. Bids, opened August 1, were as follows:

Joseph Rugo, \$5,685; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$5,750; Guiney & Hanson Construction Company, \$5,841; Martin F. Gaddis, \$6,100; Charles Capone, \$6,241; J. A. Singarella, \$7,725; Carmine Russo, \$8,000; S. J. Tomasello, \$8,950.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated below for furnishing dry goods to Deer Island. Bids for the supply, opened July 25, were as follows:

One Thousand Yards Bleached Cotton Cloth.—Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, Pequot, 49.5 cents per yard; J. G. Bowden & Sons, Inc., 44½ cents per yard; Taylor, Symonds Company, Peperell, 40½ cents per yard, Pequot, 49½ cents per yard; Leven Brothers, Pequot, 48 cents per yard, Peperell, 39 cents per yard; Sparrow Chisholm Company, Bradford Textile Company, Pequot, 47.5 cents per yard*; William Levy, No. 1, 35 cents per yard; No. 2, 45 cents per yard; Andrew Dutton Company†, 52 cents per yard.

Three Hundred Yards Blue Denim.—Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, Atlantic, 25½ cents per yard*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, Bradford Textile Company, 24½ cents per yard; Andrew Dutton Company†, 30 cents per yard.

Two Thousand Yards Khaki, Twenty-Eight Inches Wide.—Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, 20.75 cents per yard; J. G. Bowden & Sons, Inc., 19.75 cents per yard; Taylor, Symonds Company, 19 cents per yard; Sparrow Chisholm Company, Bradford Textile Company, 19½ cents per yard; William Levy, No. 1, 17½ cents per yard*; No. 2, 21½ cents per yard.

One Thousand Yards Unbleached Cotton Cloth.—Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, Pequot, 35½ cents per yard; J. G. Bowden & Sons, Inc., 35½ cents per yard; Taylor, Symonds Company, Peperell, 28½ cents per yard; Pequot 35½ cents per yard; Levin Brothers, Pequot, 34 cents per yard; Peperell, 28 cents per yard; Sparrow Chisholm Company, Bradford Textile Company, Pequot, 32½ cents per yard*; William Levy, No. 1, 23 cents per yard; No. 2, 42 cents per yard.

Discount Ten Days.—Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, 3 per cent; J. G. Bowden & Sons, Inc., 3 per cent; Taylor, Symonds Company, 3 per cent; Andrew Dutton Company†, 2 per cent.

Best Delivery Date.—Blodgett, Ordway & Webber, ten days; J. G. Bowden & Sons, Inc., ten days; Taylor, Symonds Company, at once; Levin Brothers, promptly; Sparrow Chisholm Company, Bradford Textile Company, 10 days; William Levy, 1-4 weeks; Andrew Dutton Company†, three weeks.

*Awarded orders.

†Bid irregular, received too late; both bids filed at Supply Department.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated below for furnishing groceries and canned goods to Long Island Hospital and Boston City Hospital. Bids for the supply, opened August 1, were as follows:

Hospital Department.

Fifty Dozen No. 10 Peaches.—Eldridge Baker Company, \$6.70 per dozen; Webster Thomas Company, \$8.15 per dozen†; Bay State Segal Company, \$7.50 per dozen; Haskell Adams Company, \$9.25 per dozen, \$5.50 per dozen*; Reid Murdock Company, \$6.75 per dozen, \$8.75 per dozen.

One Hundred Pounds Pearl Barley.—Eldridge Baker Company, 5 cents per pound; Webster Thomas Company, 3.9 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 3.75 cents per pound*; Haskell Adams Company, 4.5 cents per pound.

Six Boxes Paraffine.—Eldridge Baker Company, lot, \$2.45*; Webster Thomas Company, 57 cents per box; Bay State Segal Company, lot, \$3.75; Haskell Adams Company, lot, \$3.95.

Twelve Bags Corn Meal.—Eldridge Baker Company, \$3.35 per bag; Webster Thomas Company, \$3.55 per bag; Bay State Segal Company, \$3.25 per bag; Haskell Adams Company, \$3.25 per bag.

Fifty Dozen String Beans.—Eldridge Baker Company, \$6.40 per dozen; Webster Thomas Company, \$5.65 per dozen*; Bay State Segal Company, \$6.75 per dozen; Haskell Adams Company, \$10.25 per dozen, \$6.50 per dozen†; Reid Murdock Company, \$7.50 per dozen.

Fifty Dozen Pears.—Eldridge Baker Company, \$7.15 per dozen; Webster Thomas Company, \$7.75 per dozen; Bay State Segal Company, \$7 per dozen*; Haskell Adams Company, \$11 per dozen, \$8.76 per dozen†; Reid Murdock Company, \$7.50 per dozen.

Twelve Cartons Shredded Wheat.—Eldridge Baker Company, \$3.70 per carton; Webster Thomas Company, \$3.69 per carton*; Bay State Segal Company, \$3.74 per carton; Haskell Adams Company, \$3.75 per carton.

Ten Boxes Sardines.—Eldridge Baker Company, \$7.50 per box; Webster Thomas Company, \$8.25 per box; Bay State Segal Company, \$12.60 per box;

Haskell Adams Company, \$8.95 per box.
Fifty Cartons Ralstons.—Eldridge Baker Company, \$3.35 per carton; Webster Thomas Company, \$3.42 per carton; Bay State Segal Company, \$3.40 per carton; Haskell Adams Company, \$3.45 per carton.

Six Cases Baking Powder.—Eldridge Baker Company, \$4.375 per case*; Bay State Segal Company, \$7.75 per case; Haskell Adams Company, \$8.50 per case.

Long Island Hospital.

Five Hundred Pounds Apples.—Eldridge Baker Company, \$14.25 per pound*; Bay State Segal Company, 15 cents per pound; Haskell Adams Company, 16.5 cents per pound.

Five Hundred Pounds Prunes.—Eldridge Baker Company, 6½ cents per pound; Webster Thomas Company, 6 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 7 cents per pound; Haskell Adams Company, 7½ cents per pound; Reid Murdock Company, 7½ cents per pound.

One Thousand Pounds Pea Beans.—Eldridge Baker Company, 6 cents per pound; Webster Thomas Company, 5.9 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 5.9 cents per pound*; Haskell Adams Company, 5.9 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Rolled Oats.—Eldridge Baker Company, 4 cents per pound; Webster Thomas Company, 4.1 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 3.6 cents per pound*; Haskell Adams Company, 4½ cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Tapioca.—Eldridge Baker Company, 8½ cents per pound; Webster Thomas Company, 7½ cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 8½ cents per pound; Haskell Adams Company, 9 cents per pound; Reid Murdock Company, 8½ cents per pound.

Fifty Pounds Cream Tartar.—Eldridge Baker Company, 26 cents per pound*; Webster Thomas Company, 29.2 cents per pound; Bay State Segal Company, 27 cents per pound; Haskell Adams Company, 29.5 cents per pound.

Best Delivery Date.—Eldridge Baker Company, at once; Webster Thomas Company, spot; Haskell Adams Company, August 15; Reid Murdock Company, first half August.

Discount, Ten Days.—Eldridge Baker Company, 1 per cent; Webster Thomas Company, 1 per cent; Haskell Adams Company, 2 per cent; Reid Murdock Company, 2 per cent.

*Awarded contract. †Not on auditor's copy.
 ‡\$3.28 on auditor's copy.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing hay, grain, etc., to the various city departments during August, 1924. Bids, opened July 29, were as follows:

DISTRICTS.	No. 2 Hay.	No. 3 Hay.	Straw.	No. 2 Oats.	Shorts.	Corn.
SOUTH BOSTON.						
The Whittemore Company.....	\$34 00	\$33 00	*\$23 00	*\$0 69½	*\$33 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	33 45		26 50	72½	37 50	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*32 90		25 00	72	37 00	
John J. White Company.....			25 00	70	37 50	
EAST BOSTON.						
Lord & Webster Company.....	33 45		27 50	72½	37 50	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*32 90		*25 00	72	*37 00	
John J. White Company.....			26 50	70	37 50	
CHARLESTOWN.						
The Whittemore Company.....	34 00	33 00	*23 00	*69½	*34 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	33 45		24 50	72½	36 50	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*32 90		25 00	72	37 00	
John J. White Company.....			25 00	70	37 50	
CITY PROPER.						
The Whittemore Company.....	34 00	33 00	*23 00	68½	*33 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	33 45		24 00	72½	36 50	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*32 90		25 00	72	37 00	
John J. White Company.....			24 75	*69½	37 00	
ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	34 00	33 00	*23 00	*69½	*33 00	
John J. White Company.....			26 00	70	38 00	
Landy Brothers.....	*33 00		24 50	71	36 00	*\$1 40
DORCHESTER.						
The Whittemore Company.....	34 00	33 00	*23 00	*69½	*33 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*34 00		25 00	74	37 00	
WEST ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	34 00	33 00	*23 00	*69½	*33 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	34 00		25 00	74	37 00	
Landy Brothers.....	*33 00		24 50	71	36 00	
BRIGHTON.						
The Whittemore Company.....	34 00	33 00		*70½	35 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	34 00		25 00	74	37 00	
Ogden & Thompson.....	*33 00		*24 00	72½	*32 00	*1 45
HYDE PARK.						
The Whittemore Company.....	*34 00	33 00	*24 00	*70½	*33 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	34 00		25 00	74	37 00	

* Awarded contract.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for furnishing meats to the various city departments during August, 1924. Bids for the supply, opened July 29, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Two Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 17½ cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Veal.—William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 14 cents per pound.

Four Thousand Pounds Hinds.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Chucks.—William A. Doe Company, 8 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 9½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 8 cents per pound.

Thirteen Hundred Pounds Lamb.—William A. Doe Company, 24 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 26 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 26½ cents per pound.

Fifty Pounds Bacon.—William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Ham.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Fowl.—William A. Doe Company, 30 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 30 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound.

Twenty-five Pounds Salt Pork.—William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 11 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$1,837.20; Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,862.05*; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,830.20.

*Awarded contract.

Institutions Department.

Long Island Hospital.

Forty-seven Hundred Fifty Pounds Stickers.—William A. Doe Company, 8½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 8 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 8½ cents per pound.

One Thousand Pounds Brisket.—William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound.

Two Thousand Pounds Rib Cuts.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound.

Fifteen Hundred Pounds Ham.—William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound.

Fifteen Hundred Pounds Fowl.—William A. Doe Company, 29 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 29 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound.

Twenty-seven Hundred Pounds Hinds.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound.

Thirty-three Hundred Seventy-five Pounds Lamb.—William A. Doe Company, 24 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 26 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 26½ cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Bacon.—William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Fifty Pounds Lamb Fores.—William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 16 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 14 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Fifty Pounds Frankfurt Sausage.—William A. Doe Company, 31½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13½ cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$3,352; Mohawk Packing Company, \$3,377.50*; Merchants Provision Company, \$3,387.38.

Penal Division.

Two Thousand Four Hundred Pounds Stickers.—William A. Doe Company, 8½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 8 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 8½ cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Under Cuts.—William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Forty Pounds Lamb Saddle.—William A. Doe Company, 28 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 30 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Twenty-five Pounds Fowl.—William A. Doe Company, 30 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 30 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Eighty Pounds Frankfurts.—William A. Doe Company, 13½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13½ cents per pound.

Six Hundred Fifteen Pounds Short Ribs.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Hinds.—William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Forty Pounds Forequarters.—William A. Doe Company, 11 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 11½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 12 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Bologna.—William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 13½ cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$1,180.05; Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,198.95*; Merchants Provision Company, \$1,170.95.

Park Department.

Two Thousand Pounds Chucks.—William A. Doe Company, 9.9 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10½ cents per pound; Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound.

Total.—William A. Doe Company, \$198; Mohawk Packing Company, \$210*; Merchants Provision Company, \$200.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed an addition to the contract for erection and completion of the Francis Parkman District School, in an amount of approximately \$3,000, necessary to cover certain changes which had to be made at the front entrance, also for the substitution of terrazzo floors for wood floors in the corridors, for additional radiation, and for grading.

McDonald & Imhof have been ordered to deduct the sum of \$1,800 for the substitution of Gow caisson pile foundation in place of the pier foundation originally contracted for the Roger Walcott District school, as per architect's letter dated July 24, 1924, making the accounts as follows:

Contract price, \$259,000; total deduction, \$1,800; amount of contract, \$257,200.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Nichols-Egan Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the finish hardware of an elementary school in the Julia Ward Howe District, Dale street, Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "August 2, 1923," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "May 23, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 2, 1923, and is to be completed on or before May 23, 1923."

Nichols-Egan Company have been allowed to amend their contract for finish hardware of an elementary school in the Francis Parkman District, Northbourne road and Nathan street, Forest Hills, by striking out the words and figures, "March 30, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "May 15, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about February 4, 1924, and is to be completed on or before May 15, 1924."

Nichols-Egan Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the finish hardware of an elementary school in the Hugh O'Brien District, Shirley street, Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "January 21, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "May 23, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about December 23, 1923, and is to be completed on or before May 23, 1924."

Nichols-Egan Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the finish hardware of an elementary school in the Bennett District, Chestnut Hill avenue and Strathmore road, Brighton, by striking out the words and figures, "March 1, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "May 15, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about February 15, 1924, and is to be completed on or before May 15, 1924."

Nichols-Egan Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the

finish hardware of an elementary school in the Theodore Lyman District, Gove street, East Boston, by striking out the words and figures, "January 21, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "May 23, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about December 20, 1923, and is to be completed on or before May 23, 1924."

MAYOR FORCED TO DECLINE INVITATION TO DAVIS NOTIFICATION EXERCISES.

Mayor Curley, who had received an invitation to attend the notification exercises of the Hon. John W. Davis has sent the following reply:

MR. SAMUEL R. BENTLEY, *Chairman, Clarksburg Chamber of Commerce, Clarksburg, W. Va.*

MY DEAR MR. BENTLEY,—I am in receipt of your courteous invitation to be present in Clarksburg, W. Va., when the Hon. John W. Davis is formally notified of his nomination by the Democratic party as its candidate for the Presidency of the United States.

I regret very much that I cannot be present at that interesting ceremony; but as the 58th Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be in progress on that date and the veterans are the guests of the City of Boston, the duties of official hospitality will preclude me from honoring the candidate of our party and deprive me of the pleasure of offering my personal congratulations to one who became a member of Congress on the same day I did, April 11, 1911.

I desire to say that I hold Mr. Davis in high esteem. I have a deep respect for his character and a warm admiration for his talent, ability and devotion to public duty; and I am of the opinion that his patriotism, courage, sincerity and knowledge of the temper and needs of the country will commend him to Americans of all shades of political opinion and ensure his election in November.

Thanking you for your courtesy and trusting that you will convey my good wishes for his success to my honored friend and our distinguished candidate, I remain,

Very sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

PUBLIC STREETS, 1924.

Total length of the 2,490 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1924, 611.58 miles; total area, 11,557,218 square yards, or 8.54 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,900.

Miles of streets paved with macadam, 351.25 or 57.43 per cent of total, including 122.69 miles bituminous macadam; with granite block, 105.12; asphalt, 51.69; gravel, 30.10; bitulithic, 29.11; Topeka, 13.84; wood block, 12.21; asphalt concrete, 5.49; brick, 4.23; concrete, 3.05. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc. Granolithic sidewalk laid in 1923, 72,622 square yards or about 16 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending August 2, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 130; nonresidents, 28; total, 158.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 10.61; nonresidents deducted, 8.72.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 11.11; corresponding week last year, 10.22.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 20; one year to five years, inclusive, 8; sixty years and over, 50; total deaths: male, 77; female, 81; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 96; deaths of colored, 2.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended August 2, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended August 4, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	2	—	1	—
Diphtheria.....	21	2	42	—
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	2	1
Influenza.....	1	—	—	—
Measles.....	21	—	20	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	11	3	8	6
Scarlet fever.....	18	—	16	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	35	17	51	17
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	5	3	5	2
Typhoid fever.....	—	—	—	—
Whooping cough.....	17	1	8	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

LAND-TAKING IN HYDE PARK.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of the following parcels of land in the Hyde Park district: Readville street, lots numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12 and 13; Cross street, lot numbered 17 at the southwesterly corner of Bullard street; Bullard street, northwesterly side, lots numbered 18 to 25, inclusive; Fleet street, lot numbered 28 at the southeasterly corner of Bullard street; Bullard street, southeasterly side, lots numbered 29 to 38, inclusive; Regent street, northwesterly side, lots numbered 39, 40 and 41; Milton street, northwesterly side, lots numbered 42 to 48, inclusive; the parcel of land supposed to belong to Theodore S. Slafter and Anna R. Countryman, located on Cross street at the end of Bullard street, containing approximately 890 square feet; also the private way known as Bullard street and a portion of the private way known as Cross street, for playground purposes, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

The land bounded by Fleet street, Readville street, Cross street and Bullard street, comprising the lots numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25, and being exclusive of the lots numbered 8 and 9, supposed to belong to Alesio De Santis and Angioline De Santis.

The land, owner or owners unknown, being the private way known as Bullard street and the southeasterly portion of the private way known as Cross street for a distance of approximately forty-nine feet northwesterly from said Bullard street, all containing twenty-three thousand five hundred and sixty square feet, more or less.

The parcel of land, situated at the southeasterly end of the private way known as Cross street and the northeasterly end of the private way known as Bullard street, supposed to belong to Theodore S. Slafter and Anna R. Countryman, containing eight hundred and ninety square feet, more or less.

The land bounded by Regent street, Milton street, Fleet street, Bullard street and by land supposed to belong to Giuseppe Valentini and Maria Valenti and to Agnes Ferzoco, comprising the lots numbered 28 to 48, inclusive.

Said parcels are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Readville street, Bullard street, Milton street, Regent street, Hyde Park, March 21, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the taking made for playground purposes on Readville street, Cross street, Bullard street, Fleet street, Milton street and Regent street, Hyde Park district, under the order of the Board, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

Anna R. Countryman, 6,116 square feet...	\$600
Anna R. Countryman, 3,946 square feet...	400
Theodore S. Slafter, 4,366 square feet...	400
Anna R. Countryman, 4,743 square feet...	400
Theodore S. Slafter, 5,577 square feet...	500
Anna R. Countryman, 5,485 square feet...	500
Theodore S. Slafter, 5,288 square feet...	500
Anna R. Countryman, 5,718 square feet...	600
Theodore S. Slafter, 5,000 square feet...	400
Anna R. Countryman, 5,000 square feet...	400
Theodore S. Slafter, 5,000 square feet...	400
Anna R. Countryman, 5,000 square feet...	400
Theodore S. Slafter, 5,000 square feet...	400
Anna R. Countryman, 5,000 square feet...	400
Theodore S. Slafter, 4,740 square feet...	300
Anna R. Countryman, 4,220 square feet...	300
Theodore S. Slafter, 3,793 square feet...	300
Theodore S. Slafter, 5,917 square feet...	600
Anna R. Countryman, 3,443 square feet...	300

Theodore S. Slafter, 3,880 square feet...	300
Anna R. Countryman, 4,327 square feet...	300
Theodore S. Slafter, 4,774 square feet...	300
Theodore S. Slafter, 5,221 square feet...	400
Anna R. Countryman, 5,668 square feet...	400
Anna R. Countryman, 6,114 square feet...	400
Theodore S. Slafter, 6,361 square feet...	400
Anna R. Countryman, 6,409 square feet...	400
Theodore S. Slafter, Anna R. Countryman, 6,457 square feet...	500
Theodore S. Slafter, Anna R. Countryman, 6,507 square feet...	100
Anna R. Countryman, 6,559 square feet...	100
Theodore S. Slafter, 6,537 square feet...	100
Anna R. Countryman, 6,114 square feet...	100
Theodore S. Slafter, 5,668 square feet...	100
Anna R. Countryman, 5,221 square feet...	200
Anna R. Countryman, 4,774 square feet...	200
Theodore S. Slafter, 4,327 square feet...	200
Anna R. Countryman, 3,880 square feet...	300
Theodore S. Slafter, 3,433 square feet...	200
Theodore S. Slafter, Anna R. Countryman, 890 square feet...	89

\$13,189

PRAISES BOSTON PUBLIC GOLF LINKS.

Mayor Curley has received communications highly indorsing his interest in the recent New England Public Golf Tournament held at Franklin Park, from D. S. MacCallum, secretary and treasurer of the New England Public Golf Association, Hartford, Conn., and Thomas P. Varley, secretary of the Scarsboro Golf Club, as follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—In behalf of the New England Public Golf Association I wish to thank you for the splendid time you provided for the visiting golfers from Hartford, Worcester and Bridgeport, as well as the local Boston golfers. You have a wonderful golf course at Franklin Park and we were afforded every courtesy possible by the attendants at the park.

Thanking you again for your interest in public golf.

Yours sincerely,

D. S. MACCALLUM.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—The New England Public Golf Tournament which was held at Franklin Park on Saturday, August 2, was a most successful event, and we wish to thank you very much for making this event such a good time for all who took part.

First of all we wish to thank you for giving us the use of the golf links for that day, then we wish to thank you for your very nice lunch which was served on the roof of the locker building and then we wish to thank you and the Park Department for the souvenir medals which each player received.

It might interest you to know that the full list of 100 players took part in the tournament and we had about 140 at lunch. I hear much favorable comment on the condition of the links and the reception we gave the visiting boys, and you may be sure they will all be glad to come to Boston again.

We had one motor cycle officer on duty that day and the way in which he took care of the crowd on the golf course was a treat for all the visiting boys; they had never seen a course that was so free from outside interference.

Again thanking you for this and all the past favors that you have given us golfers at Franklin Park, I beg to remain,

Yours truly,

THOMAS P. VARLEY,
Secretary.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 31 TO AUGUST 6.

JULY 31.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. S. Pann.....	136 Chelsea street.....	4	New fixtures.....	\$750
T. M. Garvey.....	128 Randolph road.....	24	New fixtures.....	550
M. S. Pann.....	137 Chelsea street.....	4	New fixtures.....	750
Joseph P. Vogel & Son.....	173 Humboldt avenue.....	16	New fixtures.....	650
T. W. Hadey.....	20 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	300

AUGUST 1.

J. E. Stanley.....	67 Greenbrier street.....	19	New fixtures.....	\$1,100
Powers & McLaughlin.....	71 Navillus terrace.....	17	New fixtures.....	1,000
Kenneth Palmer.....	173 Train street.....	20	New fixtures.....	800
L. P. Balantine.....	33 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,500
Philip Ligums.....	49 Maverick street.....	2	New fixtures.....	300
Frank C. Golberg.....	62-78 Warren street.....	12	New fixtures.....	3,000
Joseph W. Buckley.....	1209 Boylston street.....	8	New fixtures.....	10,000
H. J. Farrell.....	2224 Washington street.....	12	New fixtures.....	1,100
William N. McKenna.....	119 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	50
Terence F. Feely.....	1200 Massachusetts avenue.....	11	New fixtures.....	225
J. J. Vogel.....	19 Dane street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,050
J. J. Vogel.....	619 LaGrange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	455
J. J. Vogel.....	111 Vermont street.....	23	New fixtures.....	550
H. A. Magazine.....	526 Medford street.....	3	New fixtures.....	85
George A. Runham.....	18 Richfield street.....	18	New fixtures.....	150
The McVarish Company.....	34 Russell street.....	4	New fixtures.....	145
A. B. Hultgren.....	27 Foss road.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,000
A. B. Hultgren.....	110 Gustine street.....	20	New fixtures.....	400

AUGUST 2.

P. M. Donoghue.....	13 and 15 Beach street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$1,200
Joseph Locke.....	71 Beach street.....	5	New fixtures.....	35
M. W. Palmer.....	98 Bennett street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
M. W. Palmer.....	102 Bennett street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
C. E. Baldwin.....	94 Chandler street.....	7	New fixtures.....	80
D. J. Rull.....	36 Covington street.....	10	New fixtures.....	556
L. R. Freedman.....	127 Crawford street.....	16	New fixtures.....	500
D. J. Rull.....	607 East Fifth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	85
E. Bevelander.....	55A Franklin street.....	25	New fixtures.....	350
D. J. S. McCurdy.....	27 H street.....	9	New fixtures.....	300
Jacob Pilvin.....	31 Holborn street.....	16	New fixtures.....	1,050
D. M. Goldstein.....	271 Humboldt avenue.....	16	New fixtures.....	550
F. Puopolo Company.....	202 K street.....	9	New fixtures.....	300
F. C. Lewis.....	21 Kingston street.....	5	New fixtures.....	2,000
W. H. Broune.....	949 and 951 Morton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
W. F. McAuliff.....	174 N street.....	10	New fixtures.....	250

AUGUST 4.

R. J. Roddy & Co.....	520 Tremont street.....	6	New fixtures.....	\$250
J. T. McCallum.....	66 and 68 Adams street.....	18	New fixtures.....	710
General Construction and Repair Company.....	465 Medford street.....	3	New fixtures.....	2,000
City Plumbing Company.....	995 Washington street.....	6	New fixtures.....	142
J. J. Murphy.....	5 Smith court.....	8	New fixtures.....	935
Boydell & Co.....	47 Massachusetts avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
D. H. Nettle.....	1475 Washington street.....	6	New fixtures.....	300
R. A. Matthews.....	62 West Selden street.....	21	New fixtures.....	150
T. L. Delaney.....	145 Theodore Parker road.....	23	New fixtures.....	700
Victor Viner.....	635 Walk Hill street.....	24	New fixtures.....	500
H. F. Bimidel.....	21 Woodside avenue.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,100
William McKenna.....	90 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	600

AUGUST 5.

Pierce & Cox.....	179 Longwood avenue.....	14	New fixtures.....	\$600
G. A. Runham.....	766 Dudley street.....	16	New fixtures.....	60
Edward Bevelander.....	375 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	425
J. J. Daniels.....	16 Rockdale street.....	24	New fixtures.....	1,000
General Construction and Repair Company.....	365 C street.....	9	New fixtures.....	8,000
T. T. Connolly.....	17 Wheeler street.....	8	New fixtures.....	250
M. S. Fratus.....	732 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	225
T. P. Travers.....	463 West Broadway.....	10	New fixtures.....	75
P. F. Russo.....	1240A River street.....	24	New fixtures.....	50
F. H. Densmore.....	55 Sanford street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,270

AUGUST 6.

Boydell & Co., Inc.....	49 Massachusetts avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$500
J. C. Raynes Company.....	76 Oriole street.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
A. Katz.....	84 Euston road.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,200
F. L. Driscoll.....	82 East Concord street.....	6	New fixtures.....	275
J. S. Cassidy.....	63-71 North Beacon street.....	26	New fixtures.....	3,000
W. S. Howe Company.....	229 Warren street.....	25	New fixtures.....	185
J. H. Brodeur.....	22 Arnold street.....	24	New fixtures.....	500
A. J. Hughes.....	42 Bradeen street.....	23	New fixtures.....	400
H. F. Natrou.....	29 Washington street.....	25	New fixtures.....	50
M. H. Myers.....	1332 Washington street.....	6	New fixtures.....	150
Pierce & Cox.....	673 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	300
T. P. Travers.....	2 Glover court.....	11	New fixtures.....	140
F. H. Densmore.....	230 Dartmouth street.....	7	New fixtures.....	978
Solomon Tack.....	27 Hobson street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
Solomon Tack.....	16 Hobson street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
Max Hyman.....	14 Michigan street.....	19	New fixtures.....	100
T. J. Hennigan.....	1-7 Furbush court.....	3	New fixtures.....	675
S. A. Cleaves.....	17 Brent street.....	20	New fixtures.....	325
Charles William Johnston.....	200 Dartmouth street.....	7	New fixtures.....	840

LABOR REPORT FOR JULY.

The figures for the month of July show that business at the Massachusetts Public Employment Office at 23 Pearl street declined as compared with the preceding month, likewise when compared with July, 1923.

There was a decrease of 19 per cent in the number of employers' orders as compared with June and a decrease of 28 per cent when compared with July, 1923. The number of people wanted decreased proportionately, 21 per cent less than June and 27 per cent less than July, 1923. The number of placements made was 28 per cent lower than June and 16 per cent lower than July, 1923. The number of applicants showed but a slight change, minus 988, or 40 per cent, as compared with June, 1924, and plus 1,464, or 7 per cent, as compared with July, 1923.

The number of service men applying for positions decreased 186, or 13 per cent, as compared with June and shows a slight increase over July of 1923, plus 338, or 4 per cent. The number of positions offered these men was minus 8, or 4 per cent, compared with June and plus 64, or 56 per cent compared with July, 1923. There was a decrease of 24, or 14 per cent, in the number of service men placed as compared with June, but an increase of 50, or 54 per cent, as compared with July, 1923.

In the men's skilled department a major portion of the orders were for building tradesmen, such as plumbers, painters, paperhangers, carpenters, masons and plasterers. The demand for painters was comparatively light and there was a good supply available throughout the month. The printing trade was the only other line to show any consistent activity. Compositors, pressmen and feeders were called for and the supply was ample. There was little or no demand from the metal trades and but few orders for engineers and firemen. A few rubber factories hired some general factory lumpers.

Heavy laborers, milking farmers and culinary workers comprised the demand in the men's unskilled department. The supply was sufficient, excepting for the milking farmers.

Boys were very plentiful as is usual at this season, but there were few orders received.

In the women's skilled department the orders were for waitresses, chamber maids and a few stitchers and general factory workers.

These orders were readily filled.

Housework girls, day workers, cooks, kitchen and laundry help made up the business in the women's unskilled department. With the exception of housework girls, the supply was quite sufficient to care for the orders received.

The number of people called for by employers was 1,089 as compared with 1,498 in 1923; 1,383 in 1922; 1,147 in 1921; 2,016 in 1920; 2,145 in 1919.

The number of positions reported filled was 861 as compared with 1,010 in 1923; 936 in 1922; 894 in 1921; 1,285 in 1920; 1,672 in 1919.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority to repair macadam roadway in Bourne street, West Roxbury, from Pelton street to Catherine street, with division force, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$3,000.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 31 TO AUGUST 6.

JULY 31.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Bridget G. Egan	Rear of 19 Walden street	14	First-class garage	\$1,500
Rose Leonard	Rear of 8 Verona street	22	First-class garage	1,500
Sophie Goldstein	Rear of 72 Columbia road	19	First-class garage	1,000
Rose McComish	Rear of 49 Tower street	22	First-class garage	600
Effie Young	4 Ferrin street	4	Second-class store	1,000
Anna D. Sale	Rear of 82 Astoria street	21	Second-class garage	700
Albert D. Price	Rear of 54 Stockton street	22	Second-class garage	1,000
J. W. Barnes	Rear of 42 Orchard street	22	Third-class garage	180
Mabel Jewett	Rear of 187 Sycamore street	23	Third-class garage	600
Annie MacKenzie	Rear of 111 McBride street	22	Third-class garage	600
W. H. Crosby	Rear of 304 Faneuil street	26	Third-class garage	600
Jessie Todd	10 Munroe street	16	Third-class dwelling	8,800
Susan Jones	5 Colorado street	14	Third-class dwelling	5,000
Jessie Todd	18 Munroe street	16	Third-class dwelling	8,800
Jessie Todd	14 Munroe street	16	Third-class dwelling	8,800
Jessie Todd	20 Munroe street	16	Third-class dwelling	8,800
Jessie Todd	26 Munroe street	16	Third-class dwelling	8,800
C. J. Desmond	111-115 Stratton street	21	Third-class dwelling	8,000
M. M. Walsh	50 Rosewood street	24	Third-class dwelling	10,500
W. L. & R. F. Buttner	65 Allendale avenue	21	Third-class dwelling	4,000
George Kaufman	334 Bremen street	1	Alterations, warehouse	500
Coleman & Gilbert	42-46 Westland avenue	7	Alterations, apartments	600
Teresa D. Butler	35 Bay State road	8	Alterations, dwelling and office	1,000
Shikes & Long	52 Hereford street	8	Alterations, tenements	3,500
A. I. & W. D. Holden	103 Evans street	21	Alterations, dwelling	175
Dorchester Plumbing Supply Company	1341 Columbus avenue	15	Alterations, storage	3,000
A. Violante	575 River street	24	Move to rear of present location.	1,000

AUGUST 1.

S. Zagarella	Rear of 57 Austin avenue	1	First-class garage	\$1,600
Salvatore Castriano	42 Swallow street	10	First-class garage	2,000
A. J. Driscoll	726 East Eighth street	10	First-class garage	3,000
M. J. Linton et al.	Rear of 429 Adams street	20	First-class garage	2,000
E. B. Pitts	Rear of 115 Bynner street	14	Second-class garage	1,000
Elizabeth Hussey	9 Brainard street	24	Special class garage	500
A. Yenson	72 Oriole street	23	Third-class dwelling	9,000
J. A. Harris	166 Waldemar avenue	1	Third-class dwelling	3,500
G. Blomquist	3 Edith street	24	Third-class dwelling	5,000
Thomas A. Ross	36 Elm street	22	Third-class dwelling	12,000
P. A. Keach	24 Sparrow street	23	Third-class dwelling	3,000
W. J. Hofmann	11 Ethel street	23	Third-class dwelling	8,000
N. G. Abramson	1670 Commonwealth ave.	25	Erect sign	275
Benny Caranchello	13 Charter street	5	Alterations, store and tenements	2,000
Benjamin Shuman	32 Hammond street	13	Alterations, dwelling	900
E. J. Ball	47 Massachusetts avenue	8	Alterations, store and tenements	1,800
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy	179 Longwood avenue	14	Alterations, college building	4,000
Georgian Cafeteria	252 Huntington avenue	7	Alterations, restaurant	500
B. O. Brown	20 Weld Hill street	22	Alterations, dwelling	500
R. M. Morse	5 West street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	600
Stanley M. Hurlow	49 Rockwell street	2	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Commercial Wharf Company	88-91 Commercial Wharf	5	Alterations, freight shed	10,000
Thomas E. Donegan	494 Centre street	22	Alterations, garage	55
Charles Urbon	264 Athens street	9	Alterations, dwelling	600
L. A. Taffalin	48-54 Queenberry street	8	Alterations, store	200
Robert R. McNutt Corporation	7 Newbury street	8	Take-down, dwelling	500
Robert R. McNutt Corporation	9 Newbury street	8	Take-down, dwelling	500

AUGUST 2.

Congregation Chevra Chai Odom	97-101 Nightingale street	19	Second-class synagogue	\$45,000
Hyde Park Current Events Club House Association	26 Central avenue	24	First-class club house	60,000
Rose Shalet	Rear of 4 Page street	19	First-class garage	1,650
Anna G. McNally	59 Dunboy street	25	Third-class dwelling	2,000
E. Harris	131 Dunster road	22	Third-class dwelling	1,000
L. K. True	Rear of 908 Metropolitan avenue	24	Third-class garage	600
A. P. Loring, trustee	572-580 Washington street	5	Alterations, stores and manufacturing	1,300
Sarah Effenson	16 Pasadena road	19	Alterations, dwelling	100
D. R. Fuggio	289 and 291 West Broadway	9	Alterations, dwelling and stores	1,330
A. Leibson	637 Tremont street	7	Alterations, dwelling and stores	500
Zeno Brothers	1093 and 1095 River street	24	Alterations, dwelling	6,500
Swift-McNutt Company	209 Normandy street	19	Take-down, dwelling	500
Swift-McNutt Company	48 Call street	22	Take-down, stable	1,000
Swift-McNutt Company	7 South Huntington avenue	14	Take-down, dwelling	250
Brookway-Smith Corporation	Rear of 455 Medford street	3	Take-down, barn	50
Brookway-Smith Corporation	Rear of 455 Medford street	3	Take-down, shed	50
Brookway-Smith Corporation	Rear of 455 Medford street	3	Take-down, storage shed	100

AUGUST 4.

Charles Chauncy Company	22-40 Chauncy street	5	First-class offices and stores	\$1,000,000
H. W. Spann	Rear of 25 Lorraine street	23	First-class garage	1,500
M. A. Westover	Rear of 142 St. Botolph st.	7	First-class garage	300
Henry Klusher	Rear of 22 Bradeen street	23	Second-class garage	800
Samuel Raphael	Rear of 26 Schuyler street	16	Second-class garage	1,500
Metropolitan Filling Station, Inc.	240 Stuart street	8	Second-class filling station and store	800

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No 580.

Whereas, it appears that Patrolman Patrick J. Logan of Division 9 has performed faithful service in the Police Department for two and six-twelfths years; and that the physician to the Health Department has certified that the said Patrolman Logan is physically incapacitated—it is the judgment of the Police Commissioner that the said Patrolman Logan is physically incapacitated for useful service in the Police Department on account of injuries received in the actual performance of duty as a police officer; therefore it is

Ordered, That with the approval of his Honor the Mayor, the said Patrolman Logan be retired from active service in the Police Department, under the provisions of chapter 353, Acts of the year 1892, as amended by chapter 6 of the Acts of 1920, and that his name be placed upon the department pension roll with pay at the rate of eight hundred and fifty (850) dollars per annum, said sum being one-half of the amount of compensation received by him in the office from which he is retired; to take effect Saturday, August 2, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 581.

Patrolman William E. Wiseman of Division 19 having performed faithful service in the Police Department for thirty-one and four-twelfths years, and it appearing to the Police Commissioner that the said Patrolman Wiseman is physically incapacitated for useful service in the Police Department, it is hereby

Ordered, His honor the Mayor having approved the same, that the said Patrolman William E. Wiseman be retired from active service and that his name be placed upon the department pension roll with pay at the rate of nine hundred and fifty (950) dollars per annum, said sum being one half of the amount of compensation received by him in the office from which he is retired; to take effect Saturday, August 2, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 582.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, McConnell and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Charles E. McCloskey of Division 5, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner, a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Charles E. McCloskey be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 583.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, McConnell and Smith, having

heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Harold R. Richmond of Division 5, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner, a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Harold R. Richmond be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 584.

Police Commissioner Wilson having heard a complaint made by Jeremiah F. Gallivan, captain commanding Division 10, against Patrolman George P. Milan, of that division, for conduct unbecoming an officer finds the said Patrolman George P. Milan guilty and orders that Patrolman George P. Milan perform seventy hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 585.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, Kneeland and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman George L. W. Reid of Division 10, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman George L. W. Reid be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 586.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, Kneeland and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman James B. Roche of Division 10, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman James B. Roche be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 587.

A trial board consisting of Captains Dailey, McConnell and Kneeland, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Louis B. Hennessey of Division 17, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Louis B. Hennessey perform thirty-five hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 31 TO AUGUST 6.

AUGUST 4.—Continued.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Minnie Blumenthal	1567 Centre street	23	Third-class dwelling	\$10,000
C. G. Converse	57 Fulton street	20	Third-class garage	500
C. E. Little	Rear of 99 Farquhar street	23	Third-class garage	475
W. D. Zachorne et al.	Rear of 93 Neponset avenue	24	Third-class garage	600
Annie M. St. Laurent	Rear of 275 Park street	23	Third-class garage	600
Annie M. Fitzgerald	Rear of 266 Park street	23	Third-class garage	600
Mrs. S. Bradshaw	48 Rosewood street	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
G. H. Frazer	Rear of 220 Savin Hill ave.	17	Third-class garage	200
Bertha M. Banister	Rear of 20 Vale street	23	Third-class garage	600
Frima Salzman	125 Woodrow avenue	21	Third-class tenements	15,000
Marie C. Page	Rear of 25 Westbourne st.	23	Third-class garage	600
G. H. Robertson	1486 Tremont street	14	Special shed	3,000
Carrie Grasso	Rear of 35 Windom street	7	Special garage	400
F. H. Putnam	284 Huntington avenue	8	Erect marquee	700
M. B. Long	6 West Cedar street	8	Alterations, dwelling	875
E. P. Brown et al.	81 Pinckney street	8	Alterations, lodging house	500
Estate of Helen Burke	24 Olmstead street	23	Alterations, dwelling	675
Louis Sklar	10 Linden street	18	Alterations, dwelling	800
Patrick Kitt	7 Lexington avenue	24	Alterations, dwelling	700
Noyes Buick Company	857 Commonwealth avenue	25	Erect sign	8,000
Alfonso d'Amore	25 Chelsea street	2	Alterations, dwelling	4,000
Noyes Buick Company	857 Commonwealth avenue	25	Erect bulletin board	450
L. V. Niles	146 and 148 Blackstone st.	5	Alterations, store	6,000
Max Friedman	4 Abbot street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
A. S. Bellucci	7 Curtis street	1	Take-down, dwelling	35
A. S. Bellucci	19 Chauncer street	1	Take-down dwelling	50
Joseph Vento	165 West Eighth street	11	Take-down, club house	50

AUGUST 5.

Rose Aginian	Rear of 342 Dorchester ave.	11	First-class garage	\$1,000
Mary Finneran	Rear of 28 Glenwood street	13	First-class garage	800
Grace Haussler	Rear of 4 Westerly street	14	First-class garage	1,000
Nathan Backler	189 and 191 Harold street	16	Second-class stores	4,000
Anna F. Shewhidge	Rear of 8 Maple park	20	Second-class garage	650
Metropolitan Filling Station	121 North Beacon street	26	Second-class store and filling station	1,500
Angelo Calligaris	6 Bronson street	26	Third-class dwelling	5,000
Mary L. Rigney	Rear of 34 Colberg avenue	23	Third-class garage	725
C. E. Hyde	60 Hamilton street	23	Third-class dwelling	6,500
Elizabeth McIntyre	Rear of 36 Lassell street	23	Third-class garage	600
H. R. Plimpton	51 Potomac street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,700
E. W. Barrett	149 and 151 West Newton street	7	Erect fire escape	100
Katherine Gibbs	90 Marlborough street	8	Erect fire escape	630
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston	330 Market street	26	Install elevator	3,200
L. V. Niles	116 Broad street	5	Install freight elevator	1,900
Massachusetts Bible Society	41 Bromfield street	5	Install dumb-waiter	1,300
Mrs. T. D. Butler	35 Bay State road	8	Install elevator	4,895
E. J. Prest, special administrator	96 Bay State road	8	Alterations, elevator	1,700
H. W. Goddard	60-68 Devonshire street	5	Erect clock	1,700
G. A. and R. G. Carpenter, trustees	588-622 Washington street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	18,000
J. M. Hodges	40 Spencer street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Mrs. N. M. Safford	89 Pinckney street	8	Alterations, dwelling	15,000
Thomas Thatcher	11 Hudson street	5	Alterations, dwelling and stores	125
M. A. Lally	684 East Fifth street	10	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Mary Tagen	46 and 48 Dorset street	11	Alterations, dwelling	200
Manson Lumber Company	1 and 3 Decatur street	2	Alterations, factory	300

AUGUST 6.

Louis Haase	Rear of 27 York street	19	First-class garage	\$1,000
Thomas J. O'Grady et al.	Rear of 17 Dalkeith street	17	First-class garage	1,800
John George	2 Union Park street	6	First-class garage	1,600
Elizabeth W. Hall	Rear of 533 West Park st.	19	First-class garage	1,000
Donnelly & Emerson et al.	Rear of 195 Bowdoin street	18	First-class garage	30,000
Minnie Cohen	Rear of 27 Floyd street	21	First-class garage	800
Katherine Schorle	Rear of 83 Glen road	22	First-class garage	600
E. J. Pine	Rear of 7 Lee Hill road	23	First-class garage	425
Julia Garbarino	Rear of 960 Saratoga street	1	First-class garage	1,000
William Walsh	Rear of 16 Saxton street	17	First-class garage	1,200
H. Klayman	64 Canterbury street	21	Second-class tenement	20,000
H. Klayman	66 Canterbury street	21	Second-class tenement	25,000
H. Klayman	68 Canterbury street	21	Second-class tenement	20,000
Rosa Reingold	Rear of 11 Harlem street	19	Second-class garage	1,400
Jacob Spelfogel	Rear of 32 and 34 Ditson street	20	Second-class garage	1,000
W. A. McPherson	1057-1067 Hyde Park ave.	24	Second-class store	15,000
Thomas and Katherine Troy	Rear of 249 Market street	26	Second-class garage	1,000
C. R. Nesky	Rear of 9 Wordsworth street	1	Special-class garage	265
J. May	Rear of 5 Temple street	23	Third-class garage	600
Annie K. Burns	307 Fuller street	21	Third-class garage	454
Paul Kellman	16 Kenneth street	23	Third-class garage	700
Joseph Powers	Rear of 47 Lexington avenue	24	Third-class garage	500
Olive and Ernest Browns	219 Spring street	23	Third-class garage	250
T. F. Nicholson	Rear of 723 Washington st.	23	Third-class garage	1,000
Nathan Bornstein	27 Leston street	21	Third-class tenements	15,000
Max Stoneberg	214 and 216 Callender street	21	Third-class tenements	15,000
Boston American	1-5 Winthrop square	5	Erect marquee	2,200
Roxbury Masonic Association	169-175 Warren street	13	Alterations, stores and apartments	100
Don and Ray Rosenbaum	383 Harrison avenue	6	Alterations, stores and offices	300
K. Price Misson	1612-1620 Blue Hill avenue	21	Alterations, stores	2,000
Boston Real Estate, trustees	25-29 Winter street	5	Alterations, mercantile	40,000
Sadie Wolf	103 Wheatland avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	2,500
Alexander Whiteside, trustee	97 and 99 State street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	2,500

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED JULY 31 TO AUGUST 6.

AUGUST 6.—*Concluded.*

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
D. Bandiero.....	54 Mt. Everett street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	\$50
Herman Robbins.....	66 and 68 Hutchings street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,800
N. R. McLeod.....	42 Kittredge street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Joseph Pollack.....	81 Freeport street.....	18	Alterations, light manufactur- ing.....	3,000
Lewis Kennedy Morse.....	20 Embankment road.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	42 Chauncy street.....	5	Alterations, substation.....	2,500
E. Breed.....	209 Poplar street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
American Building Wrecking Company.....	120 Sutherland road.....	25	Take-down, dwelling.....	150
New England Contracting Company.....	1009 and 1011 Columbus av.....	13	Take-down, dwelling.....	200
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company.....	102 and 104 Beverly street..	5	Take-down, storage.....	100

BOSTON TO TAKE OVER BABY
HYGIENE ACTIVITIES.COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSOCIATION,
PERFORMING NOTABLE AND AP-
PRECIATIVE CHARITY WORK IN
NEED OF AID.

The Community Health Association of Boston, which has been conducting district nursing, baby hygiene, mental hygiene, prenatal and preschool work during the past thirty-eight years, have submitted a request in effect that the City of Boston through its Health Department conduct the baby hygiene activities after September 1, 1924, in Charlestown, East Boston, North End, South End and West End Districts.

This work, which has been conducted by the Community Health Association for upwards of a quarter of a century and which has been such a contributing factor to the conservation of the health of the public generally, has been supported by voluntary contributions which of late have not been received in the volume anticipated and as a consequence the submission of the request.

The annual cost of conducting baby hygiene activities in the five districts enumerated, namely, Charlestown, East Boston, North End, South End and West End Districts, is approximately \$5,000 annually but in view of the fact that it is customary in some of the other American cities for municipalities to conduct these activities the city gladly assumes the expenditure entailed for the conduct of these activities and after September 1 the baby hygiene activities in the districts, Charlestown, East Boston, North End, South End and West End, will be conducted under the direction of the Boston Board of Health.

His Honor the Mayor expresses the sincere appreciation of the people of Boston for the painstaking and unselfish character of service rendered by the Community Health Association and more particularly to the officials in charge who have been both self-sacrificing and hard-working:

President, Mr. William Arthur Dupee.
Vice Presidents: Mrs. Robert L. De-
Normandie, Mr. Malcolm Donald.
Secretary, Mrs. Morton F. Prince.
Treasurer, Mr. Ingersoll Bowdoitch.
General Director, Mary Beard, R. N.
Director Nursing, Florence Pattenson,
R. N.
Medical Director, Director Child Hy-
giene, Robert D. Curtis, M. D.
Director Vital Statistics, Mac Chapin,
R. N.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 588.

A trial board consisting of Captains Dailey, McConnell and Kneeland, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman John E. Brundige of Division 17, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman John E. Brundige perform one hundred and five hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE
EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

DRAUGHTSMAN, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

There are two vacancies at a salary of \$2,100 a year.

The duties of this position include field investigations and surveys and charting and drafting of material so acquired.

DAIRY INSPECTOR SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

The entrance salary is \$1,400 per year. Applicants must be not less than twenty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants should have pursued sufficient study, including didactic, laboratory, and chemical or field instruction in veterinary medicine, animal husbandry, and dairying, to enable them to judge of the physical condition of the cows and to determine whether the sanitary conditions surrounding the production and handling of the milk, including the feeding of cows, are such as to endanger the quality thereof; and further, if any of the conditions are not up to the standard, the inspector should be competent to co-operate with the producer and improve them. He should be familiar with rules, regulations, and statutes applying to milk and dairy production.

The subjects of the examination, with their respective weights, will be as follows: Training and experience 6; report, 2; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 4; total, 15.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical

questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ENGINEER, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year.

The duties of this position consist of general engineering work in connection with city planning studies. It is desirable that applicants have technical training in city planning work such as afforded by city planning courses in colleges or equivalent practical experience in city planning work. They should be familiar with the growth and development of the city planning movement in this country covering such matters as street planning, zoning, park and boulevard systems, recreational facilities and all other matters which logically pertain to city planning.

The subjects of the examinations with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; practical questions, 1; total, 2.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

PARK DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES
PROGRAM OF SUMMER BAND
CONCERTS.

The following is the complete list of band concerts submitted by Park Commissioners and approved by the Mayor:

Aug. 10. Boston Common. Stone's Military Band.
Aug. 10. Franklin Park. Farrell's Military Band.
Aug. 10. Marine Park. Martino's Symphony Band.
Aug. 10. Jamaica Pond. Alhambra Band.
Aug. 17. Boston Common. First Corps Cadets Band.
Aug. 17. Franklin Park. Stone's Military Band.
Aug. 17. Marine Park. Alhambra Band.
Aug. 17. World War Memorial Park. Hub City Military Band.
Aug. 17. McConnell Park. Ive's Military Band.
Aug. 24. Boston Common. First Corps Cadets' Band.
Aug. 24. Franklin Park. Gallo's Symphony Band.
Aug. 24. Marine Park. 101st Veterans' Band.
Aug. 24. Jamaica Pond. Ward's Band.
Aug. 24. Hyde Park (Smith's Pond). Cecil W. Fogg Post Band.
Aug. 24. Madison Park. Old Colony Band.
Aug. 31. Boston Common. Gallo's Symphony Band.
Aug. 31. Franklin Park. Crook's Military Band.
Aug. 31. Marine Park. Letter Carriers' Band.
Aug. 31. McConnell Park. Ward's Band.
Aug. 31. World War Memorial Park. Farrell's Military Band.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Paris street, Ward 2; erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telephone Company, Enfield street, Ward 22, erect four poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Gilman street, Ward 24, erect four poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Carolina avenue, Ward 22, erect six poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Allenwood street, Ward 23, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Wrentham street, Ward 20, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Neponset avenue, Ward 20, erect and remove two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Austin street, Ward 24, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Thatcher street, Ward 24, erect and remove one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Hazelwood street, Ward 16, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Lorette street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Plainfield street, Ward 22, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, East Sixth street, Ward 10, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Clarence street, Ward 12, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Highland Park avenue, Ward 15, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, East Eagle street, Ward 1, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Hilton street, Ward 24, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Leyden street, Ward 1, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Wilmington avenue, Ward 21, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Byron street, Ward 1, erect four poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, West Seventh street, Ward 9, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, C street, Ward 9, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Burrell street, Ward 12, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Clapp street, Ward 11, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Bower street, Ward 16, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Cherokee street, Ward 14, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Cornell street, Ward 23, erect two poles.

Patrick J. Doyle, 314 Amory street, Ward 22, night units.

Charles F. Morse, 3 Ifley road, Ward, 15, 300 gallons gasolene.

Samuel Rudnick, 1209 Boylston street, Ward 8, 3,000 gallons fuel oil.

BUILDINGS RAZED.

Upon request of Commissioner John H. Mahony, of the Building Department, the Mayor has approved the razing of the following structures as constituting fire menaces and nuisances.

To take down the building on premises 6 Pulaski avenue, Ward 9.

Francis S. Hesseltine, T. T., care of Emery B. Gibbs of 704 Tremont Building, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 60 Silver street, Ward 9.

The owner, John Coughlin of 62 West Fifth street, South Boston, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 4 Pulaski avenue, Ward 9.

The owner, Bridget Gavin of 25 Dorchester street, South Boston, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 1 Pulaski avenue and 358 Athens street, Ward 9.

The owner, Annie G. Copper, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 7 Glover court, Ward 11.

The owner, Daniel I. Rotman of 45 Milk street, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 94 Albion street, rear, Ward 6.

The owners, the Solon W. Mansfield Estate Trust, care of Simeon J. Batchelder of 37 Harvard street, Boston, have been notified of the unsafe condition of the building, but they neglect to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 5 Pulaski avenue, Ward 9.

The owner, Ernest Hermel of 230 M street, South Boston, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 62 West Fifth street, Ward 9.

The owner, Mary Carr of 55 West Fifth street, South Boston, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 96 Albion street, rear, Ward 6.

The owners, the Solon W. Mansfield Estate Trust, care of Simeon J. Batchelder of 37 Harvard street, Boston, have been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but they neglect to remove the cause of complaint.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board held upon July 14, 1924, the retirement of the following named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at close of business Thursday, July 31, 1924.

BOSTON AND CAMBRIDGE BRIDGE COMMISSION.

James A. Gorman, drawtender, salary at time of retirement, \$1,900 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Annie T. Coffey, cleaner, salary at time of retirement, \$1.65 a day.

Frances E. Morley, theoretical instructor, salary at time of retirement, \$1,456 a year.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

John F. Murphy, forwarder, salary at time of retirement, \$45.35 a week.

William A. Wendell, forwarder, salary at time of retirement, \$41.50 a week.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Patrick J. Rinn, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.**Paving Service.**

Patrick H. Connolly, foreman, salary at time of retirement, \$2,100 a year.

Thomas F. Daly, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

Sewer Service.

Edgar S. Dorr, engineer in charge, salary at time of retirement, \$2,900 a year.

John H. Gibbard, bricklayer, salary at time of retirement, \$7 a day.

John Hennessey, oiler, salary at time of retirement, \$6 a day.

Water Division.

Benjamin T. Hall, clerk, salary at time of retirement, \$2,000 a year.

Dennis McCarthy, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

Thomas Denney, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

SUFFOLK COUNTY—SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

Mary A. B. Maher, clerk, salary at time of retirement, \$1,500 a year.

LAND-TAKING IN ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land in the Roxbury district, bounded by Proctor street, Massachusetts avenue and Shirley street, adjoining the William Eustis Playground, containing approximately 96,065 square feet, for playground purposes, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Richard F. Andrews, bounded:

North by Proctor street, seventy-nine and 33-100 feet; east by land hereinafter described as taken from said Andrews, two hundred sixty-three and 39-100 feet; south by land of the City of Boston, by two measurements, eight and 19-100 feet and sixty-nine and 27-100 feet; west by the same, two hundred fourteen and 86-100 feet; containing seventeen thousand seven hundred and twenty-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Richard F. Andrews, bounded:

North by Proctor street, thirty and 72-100 feet; east by land hereinafter described as taken from said Andrews, two hundred seventy-three and 74-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Langdon street), thirty three and 89-100 feet; west by land of the City of Boston and by land hereinbefore described as taken from said Andrews, two hundred eighty-two and 88-100 feet; containing eighty-three hundred and forty-nine square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Richard F. Andrews, bounded:

North by Proctor street, one hundred forty-eight and 50-100 feet; east by C street, two hundred twenty-nine and 60-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Langdon street), one hundred sixty-three and 80-100 feet; and west by land hereinbefore described as taken from said Andrews, two hundred seventy-three and 74-100 feet; containing thirty-six thousand four hundred and ninety-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owner or owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Langdon street, bounded:

Southwest by land of the City of Boston, forty feet; northwest by land hereinbefore described as taken from Richard F. Andrews, one hundred ninety-seven and 69-100 feet; northeast by another part of said Langdon street, forty feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Richard F. Andrews, one hundred ninety-seven and 69-100 feet; containing seventy-nine hundred and eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Richard F. Andrews, bounded:

Northeast by Massachusetts avenue, forty-three and 52-100 feet; southeast by Shirley street, one hundred eighty-six and 73-100 feet; south by land of the City of Boston, sixty-one and 38-100 feet; southeast by land of the City of Boston, one hundred eighty-five and 25-100 feet; southwest by land of the City of Boston, eighty feet; northwest by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown (Langdon street), and by Langdon street, four hundred fifteen and 30-100 feet; containing thirty-three thousand four hundred and ninety-nine square feet, more or less.

Said parcels are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Norfolk Avenue and Proctor Street, Roxbury, May 29, 1909, William Jackson, City Engineer" and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department.

Voted,—That this Board determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the taking made for playground purposes on Massachusetts avenue, Shirley, Langdon and Proctor streets, Roxbury district, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners, in the amounts hereinafter set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

Richard F. Andrews, 17,726 square feet,	
8,349 square feet, 36,492 square feet,	
33,499 square feet,	\$48,033
Owner or owners unknown, 7,908 square feet	Nothing
	\$48,033

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Samuel J. Tomasello has been directed to perform the following extra

work under contract for constructing bitulithic pavement in Grove street, from Centre street to Washington street. Items ordered: Excavate below subgrade for the catch-basin and manhole near Birch road. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$10.

The Central Construction Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repairing bitulithic pavement in any street upon which the maintenance guaranty has expired. Items ordered: Remove, where directed, the existing materials to the depth required for a new subgrade when repairing bitulithic pavement. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$500.

M. F. Gaddis has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works in Shawmut avenue, between Warrenton street and Roxbury street, city proper, and Roxbury. Items ordered: Build one manhole and remodel nine catch-basins, and set new frames and grates in Castle street, between Tremont street and Washington street; to be paid for under Items 28, 29, 45, 56, 64, 66 and 73 of the proposal. Estimated cost of extra work, \$500.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith, Standard, etc., streets. Items ordered: Construct with concrete pavement, Price road, from Glenville avenue to Long avenue, Brighton. Prices to be paid, the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$3,080.

Joseph A. Singarella has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in East Fourth, I, East Fifth, etc., streets. Items ordered: Remove tree roots in Roslin street, where directed. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$120.

J. J. McCarthy & Co. have been directed to perform the following additional work under contract for repairing artificial stone sidewalk blocks. Items ordered: Repair approximately 5,000 square feet in addition to the amount in the contract, at \$33 per square foot. Estimated cost of additional work, \$1,650.

Martin F. Gaddis has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repaving Shawmut avenue, from Warrenton street to Roxbury street. Items ordered: (1) Remove four (4) trees where directed. Price to be paid, the sum of \$6.75. (2) Relay wood block pavement at Marvin, Vernon and Rugles streets and at Massachusetts avenue. Price to be paid for each square yard relaid, including preparing site and concrete shivening, the sum of \$3. Estimated cost, \$1,200. Estimated cost of extra work, \$1,875.

The C. & R. Construction Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying high pressure pipe in Hawkins street, Bowker street, Chardon street, etc. Items ordered: Relocate 8-inch L. S. water pipe on Hawkins street at Chardon street. Relocate 8-inch L. S. water pipe on Chardon street at Bowker street, etc. Estimated cost of extra work, \$350.

MAYOR DEMANDS COURTESY FOR PUBLIC BY ALL CITY EMPLOYEES.

Mayor Curley has issued the following circular letter to heads of departments:

Boston 9, July 25, 1924

To the Heads of Departments:

From complaints received and other sources of information I have come to the conclusion that there is considerable room for improvement in the attitude of the employees of certain of the departments in dealing with the public.

I desire you to impress on the various employees of your department who meet the people doing business with the city that they are the servants of the citizens and not autocrats or czars, and if they are obliged by some provision of law to disapprove an application or refuse a privilege it should be done in a courteous and gentlemanly manner and with a reasonably full statement of the cause for the disapproval.

Every reasonable request of a citizen for a right or privilege that can be granted should be granted speedily and cheerfully and not grudgingly or churlishly, and where a doubtful question is involved it should be decided in favor of the citizen if possible.

It is apparent that some city employees conceive it is their office to find reasons why legitimate rights should not be granted to the public and to raise hair-splitting technicalities and unnecessary obstacles, and this attitude wherever it exists must be speedily corrected or I will correct it in a drastic manner.

This criticism is not as yet directed to any particular employee or employees or department, and does not apply to those employees who have a proper conception of their duty.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

MAYOR EXTENDS SYMPATHIES OF BOSTON TO ROUND-THE-WORLD AVIATORS IN ACCIDENT.

Mayor Curley sent a message of sympathy to Lieut. Leigh Wade, U. S. A., commanding the airship "Boston" on Tuesday, August 5:

Boston, August 5, 1924.

LIEUT. LEIGH WADE, U. S. A.,

Reykjavik, Iceland:

Citizens of Boston desire to extend expression of sympathy in unfortunate accident. Sincerely trust you can come to the ceremonies here in honor of the round-the-world aviators.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

ROUND-THE-WORLD AVIATOR SENDS MAYOR CURLEY THANKS FOR CITY'S GOOD WISHES.

Mayor Curley, on August 7, received the following message from Lieut. Leigh Wade, U. S. A., Round-the-World Aviator, through the Radio Communication Office of the Boston Navy Yard:

Mayor of Boston, through Boston Navy Yard.

Convey my thanks to citizens for kind message and personal regret at inability to pilot plane to home port.

LEIGH WADE, U. S. A.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, July 28, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair and all the members present.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with the provisions of law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear August 5, 1924:

Thomas J. Shea, Ward 1; Michael White, Ward 1; Simon McCarthy, Ward 2; Thomas W. Headly, Ward 5; William P. Ordway, Ward 5; John Ozden, Ward 7; Jerome J. Crowley, Ward 8; Edward E. Hoxie, Ward 8; Nicholas Koelsch, Ward 10; Konrad Schreffler, Ward 10; Edward H. Bridges, Ward 11; John B. Driscoll, Ward 11; Joseph F. William, Ward 11; Martin Hennessy, Ward 12; John J. O'Hare, Ward 14; George Schmalz, Ward 15; Waldo H. Chandler, Ward 16; Robert S. Johnson, Ward 17; James J. McQueeney, Ward 17; Malcolm C. M. Nevers, Ward 17; Patrick N. Leonard, Ward 18; Moses L. Dana, Ward 19; Louis J. Parker, Ward 19; George W. D'Arcy, Ward 20; Frank M. Pearson, Ward 20; Hurd E. Brown, Ward 21; Robert M. P. Chalmers, Ward 21; Charles E. Colcord, Ward 21; Harry R. Lowd, Ward 21; Fred G. Reed, Ward 21; Edward F. Roach, Ward 21; Thomas F. Keating, Ward 22; Howard H. Fisher, Ward 23; Thomas E. Hovey, Ward 23; Sinclair B. Palmer, Ward 24; Leon A. Pratt, Ward 24; Frederick Beachey, Ward 25; George Franklin Brandt, Ward 25; George H. Lilley, Ward 25; William E. Tully, Ward 25.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following named persons Constables of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1925:

William H. Collins, 22 Herrick street, Brighton; Russell King, 120 Hancock street, Dorchester; Dennis J. Collins, 597 Second street, South Boston.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following named persons Weighers of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1925:

Paul H. Snow, 30 Cary avenue, Chelsea; H. W. Pike, 17 Grosvenor street, Jamaica Plain; J. A. Spencer, Rockview road, Milton; Alice M. Clark, 55 Hall street, Jamaica Plain.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following named persons Weighers of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1925:

Jeremiah V. Murphy, 19 I street, South Boston; Patrick J. Baldwin, 19 Leroy street, Dorchester; David P. Power, 16 Sargent street, Dorchester; Andrew Beattie, Holton street, Brighton; John Kenney, 20 East street, Dorchester; Otto W. Youngren, 4 Hano street, Allston; Henry W. Bokelman, 20 Empire street, Allston; Charles E. Goode, 100 Winthrop street, Brookline; Albert J. Fitzpatrick, 72 Saybrook street, Brighton.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Severally laid over under the law.

VETO, JITNEY LICENSES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 18, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith, without my approval, orders adopted by the City Council granting licenses for operation of jitney busses as follows:

John F. G. Eichorn, from Copley Plaza Plaza Hotel to Worcester.

A. L. Weiner, from Copley Plaza to Providence.

Conway Tours, Inc., from Boston to Providence, R. I.

Frank J. Buckley, from Boston to Providence, R. I.

These contemplated bus lines would enter into direct competition with the railroads which now furnish an adequate service, and would undoubtedly only operate during the season of favorable weather, leaving the railroads to bear the burden at the time when operating expenses are the highest.

The prosperity of Boston and New England is dependent in a large measure upon the efficiency and prosperity of the railroads, which now contribute an amount in excess of \$2,000,000 in taxes to the city, and I do not believe it wise to allow or encourage a form of competition which undoubtedly will reduce their revenue, tend to impair the value of their property, and possibly result in an increase in rates for suburban service.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Placed on file.

COUNTY APPROPRIATION ORDER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith supplementary appropriation order for the County of Suffolk departments.

In connection herewith I beg to present certain facts relative to the injustice of the present system of apportioning of cost of administration in Suffolk County.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

STATEMENT ON SUPPLEMENTARY COUNTY BUDGET.

The largest supplementary county budget of recent years, totaling \$150,165.38 will be submitted to the City Council on Monday. The various items of expense making up this document may be grouped (according to origin or cause) as follows:

Due to Acts of the General Court..... \$83,000
Due to increased population at County Jail and House of Correction..... 39,000
Due to increased business of courts and county offices 28,000

The first item listed above represents the cost for the balance of the year of salary increases granted to jurors and county officials by the Legislature of 1924. In this connection it is interesting to note that while the Legislature is very careful to limit the expenditures of Boston, through fixing the tax limit for strictly city purposes, it exercises no such care when fixing the expenses and salaries of county departments and officials, which must be paid by the city and enter into its tax rate.

Under the provisions of chapter 111 of the Acts of 1924 it is estimated that \$75,000 additional will be required during the balance of the year for the payment of jurors in both branches of the Superior Court. This act provides for an increase of \$2 per day in the pay of all jurors, together with a travel allowance of 5 cents per mile for each day's service as compared with the old custom of paying traveling expenses only at the beginning and end of each week's term of service. These increases mean an approximate increase of 50 per cent in the allowance of jurors. For the past three years the total spent for jurors in both the civil and criminal branches of the Superior Court has been approximately \$250,000, hence this act of the Legislature will mean an additional annual expense in the future of between \$100,000 and \$125,000.

At the present time the population at the two county correctional institutions is approximately 50 per cent in excess of the figures of a year ago. This increase necessitates additional appropriations for food, clothing, bedding, care of dependents, additional officers and increased toilet facilities.

There seems to be no reduction in the number of cases being handled in the Superior, Municipal and District courts, hence additional monies are requested for masters' fees, temporary help, stationery and office supplies, and office furniture and equipment. The Registry of Deeds reports the greatest amount of business in the history of the office necessitating the hiring of additional help and requiring additional appropriations for the printing and binding of records and the purchase of stationery and office supplies.

As the years go by the expense of supporting the various county departments is becoming

ing a heavy drain on the city treasury and a powerful influence in preventing a reduction in the tax rate of the city. It is unfortunate that the Legislature cannot be made to realize this fact. During the present administration three pieces of legislation have been submitted each year for the consideration of the General Court, which if approved would have tended to relieve the burden which the City of Boston now has to bear. These proposals were as follows:

1. Apportion expenses of the county between Boston, Chelsea, Revere and Winthrop.
2. Increase fees of Registry of Deeds and other county offices rendering services for which fees are established by statute.
3. Removal from Suffolk county trial lists of all cases not originating within the county.

SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION ORDER FOR THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

In City Council, July 28, 1924.
Ordered, That to meet the current expenses payable during the financial year beginning with the first day of February, 1924, of performing the duties and exercising the powers devolved by statute or ordinance, or by vote of the City Council during the year upon the City of Boston, or the departments or officers thereof, the respective sums of money specified in the tables hereinafter set forth be and the same are hereby appropriated to be expended for the objects and purposes hereinafter stated, that the same be raised by taxation upon the polls and estates taxable in the City of Boston, and that all orders relating to appropriations, taxes and the interest thereon apply to the taxes herein provided for.

COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

Jail.

B. Service other than Personal.....	\$3,100 00
8. Light and Power, \$600 00	
39. General Plant.....	2,500 00
C. Equipment	900 00
7. Furniture and fittings	\$800 00
13. Tools and instruments	100 00
D. Supplies	300 00
15. Tobacco	\$300 00
E. Materials	1,000 00
13. General Plant.....	\$1,000 00
F. Special Items	400 00
9. Care of Dependents	\$400 00
	<u>\$5,700 00</u>

County Buildings.

B. Service Other than Personal.....	\$1,750 00
39. General Plant.....	\$1,750 00
Supreme Judicial Court.	
B. Service Other than Personal.....	\$21 00
12. Premium on Surety Bonds.....	\$21 00
Superior Court, Civil Session, General Expenses.	
B. Service Other than Personal.....	\$70,000 00
34. Jurors	\$60,000 00
35. Fees, Service of Venires, etc.....	10,000 00

Superior Court, Civil Session, Clerk's Office.	
B. Service Other than Personal.....	\$600 00
1. Printing and Binding	\$500 00
2. Postage	100 00
C. Equipment	1,100 00
9. Office	\$1,000 00
10. Library	100 00
D. Supplies	300 00
1. Office	
	<u>\$2,000 00</u>

Superior Court, Criminal Session.

A. Personal Service as per Schedule A.....	\$5,957 22
1. Permanent Employees	\$2,457 22
2. Temporary Employees	3,500 00
B. Service Other than Personal.....	15,250 00
13. Communication ..	200 00
34. Jurors	15,000 00
37. Photographic and Blueprinting.....	50 00
	<u>\$21,207 22</u>

Probate Court.

A. Personal Service as per Schedule A	\$2,318 67
1. Permanent Employees	\$2,318 67

Municipal Court.	
A. Personal Service as per Schedule A	\$4,164 76
1. Permanent Employees	\$3,988 32
2. Temporary Employees	176 44

Municipal Court, Charlestown District.	
A. Personal Service as per Schedule A	\$121 11
1. Permanent Employees	\$121 11

Municipal Court Dorchester District.	
D. Supplies	\$100 00
1. Office	\$100 00

Boston Juvenile Court.	
A. Personal Service as per Schedule A	\$1,566 67
1. Permanent Employees	\$1,566 67

Registry of Deeds.	
A. Personal Service as per Schedule A	\$5,500 00
1. Permanent Employees	\$500 00
2. Temporary Employees	2,000 00
3. Unassigned	3,000 00
D. Supplies	1,000 00
1. Office	\$1,000 00
	\$6,500 00

Land Court.	
B. Service Other than Personal.....	\$650 00
29. Stenographic, Copying and Indexing	\$500 00
35. Fees, Service of Venires, etc.....	150 00

Medical Examiner Service, Northern District.	
A. Personal Service as per Schedule A	\$450 00
1. Permanent Employees	\$450 00
C. Equipment	1,195 00
4. Motor Vehicles.....	\$1,195 00
	\$1,645 00

Granite Avenue Bridge.	
B. Service Other than Personal.....	\$60 00
8. Light and Power.....	\$10 00
39. General Plant.....	50 00
D. Supplies	20 00
3. Fuel	20 00
	\$80 00

Institutions Department (House of Correction).	
A. Personal Service as per Schedule A	\$4,052 39
1. Permanent Employees	\$4,052 39
B. Service Other than Personal.....	100 00
2. Postage	\$100 00
C. Equipment	7,250 00
2. Machinery	\$100 00
3. Electrical	100 00
4. Motor Vehicles.....	50 00
7. Furniture and Fittings	2,000 00
16. General Plant.....	5,000 00
D. Supplies	11,200 00
2. Food and Ice.....	\$10,000
5. Medical, Surgical Laboratory	100 00
8. Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet.....	300 00
15. Tobacco	500 00
16. General Plant.....	300 00
E. Materials	5,300 00
1. Building	\$4,000 00
10. Electrical	1,000 00
13. General Plant.....	300 00
F. Special Items	4,000 00
91. Care of Dependents	\$4,000 00
	\$31,902 39

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."	
A. Personal Service as per Schedule A	\$265 00
1. Permanent Employees	\$130 00
2. Temporary Employees	135 00
C. Equipment	250 00
11. Marine	\$250 00

E. Materials	100 00
11. Marine	\$100 00
	\$615 00

SCHEDULE A.

COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

Superior Court, Criminal Session.	
Probation Department.	
Probation Officer, Assistant, 1 at \$2,000 per year.....	\$2,000 00

Office of District Attorney.	
Court Officer, 1 at \$2,640 (\$2,840) per year	121 11
Messenger, 1 at \$1,600 (\$2,000) per year	200 00
Stenographer, 1 at \$2,100 (\$2,300) per year	136 11
	\$2,457 22

Temporary.	
Clerks, Assistant, 3 at \$4.020 per year	\$3,500 00

Probate Court.	
Officer, 1 at \$3,000 per year.....	\$2,216 67
Court Messenger, 1 at \$2,280 (\$2,484) per year	102 00
	\$2,318 67

(Municipal Court (Civil Business)).	
Clerk, 1 at \$5,000 (\$5,600) per year	\$363 33
Clerk, First Assistant, 1 at \$3,500 (\$3,920) per year.....	254 33
Clerk, Second Assistant, 1 at \$3,000 (\$3,360) per year.....	218 00
Clerk, Third Assistant, 1 at \$2,900 (\$3,360) per year.....	278 56
Clerk, Fourth Assistant, 1 at \$2,900 (\$3,360) per year.....	278 56
Clerk, Fifth Assistant, 1 at \$2,400 (\$2,800) per year.....	242 22
Clerk, Sixth Assistant, 1 at \$2,400 (\$2,800) per year.....	242 22
Clerk, Seventh Assistant, 1 at \$2,400 (\$2,800) per year.....	242 22
Clerk, Eighth Assistant, 1 at \$2,400 (\$2,800) per year.....	242 22

Probation Department.	
Clerks, 2 at \$1,200 per year.....	1,026 66
	\$3,988 32
Temporary	\$176 44

Municipal Court, Charlestown District.	
Clerk, Assistant, 1 at \$1,800 (\$2,000) per year	\$121 11

Boston Juvenile Court.	
Justice, 1 at \$4,000 (\$5,000) per year	\$666 67
Clerk, 1 at \$3,000 (\$3,750) per year, Probation Officer, 1 at \$2,500 (\$2,700) per year	500 00
Probation Officers, 2 at \$2,100 (\$2,300) per year.....	100 00
Probation Officer, 1 at \$1,800-\$1,900 (\$2,100) per year.....	200 00
	100 00
	\$1,566 67

Registry of Deeds.	
Clerk, 1 at \$2,000 (\$2,100) per year, Clerk, 1 at \$1,900 (\$2,000) per year, Clerk, 1 at \$1,800 (\$1,900) per year, Clerk, Registered Land, 1 at \$1,800 (\$1,900) per year.....	50 00
Clerk, 1 at \$1,600-\$1,700 (\$1,800) per year	50 00
Clerks, Registered Land, 2 at \$1,500-\$1,600 (\$1,700) per year.....	50 00
Clerks, 13 at \$1,500-\$1,600 (\$1,700) per year	100 00
Secretary, 1 at \$1,600-\$1,700 (\$1,800) per year	50 00
Superintendent of Work, 1 at \$1,900 (\$2,000) per year.....	50 00
	\$500 00

Temporary	\$2,000 00
Unassigned	\$3,000 00

Medical Examiner Service, Northern District.	
Clerk, Executive, 1 at \$1,452-\$1,700 (\$1,950) per year.....	\$125 00
Custodian, 1 at \$1,550-\$1,650 (\$1,700) per year	25 00
Custodian, Deputy, 1 at \$1,550-\$1,650 (\$1,700) per year.....	25 00

Custodians, Assistants, 3 at \$1,300-\$1,400 (\$1,500) per year.....	150 00
Secretary, 1 at \$1,452-\$1,700 (\$1,950) per year	125 00
	\$450 00

Institutions Department (House of Correction).	
Officers, 37 (42) at \$1,000-\$1,400 per year	\$4,000 00
Officer Receiving and Nurse, 1 at \$1,300-\$1,400 (\$1,500) per year.....	52 30
	\$4,052 39

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."	
Oiler, 1 at \$33 (\$36) per week.....	\$130 00
Temporary	\$135 00

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LIGHTING CONTRACT EXPENSES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen,—I beg to forward herewith order, communication and bill submitted to me by the Corporation Counsel in the matter of Edison Electric Illuminating Company lighting contract and respectfully recommend the adoption of the same.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Law Department, July 15, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:
My dear Mr. Mayor,—I am in receipt of a bill for \$10,000 from Mr. Arthur D. Hill for professional services rendered by him as special counsel for the City of Boston in the Edison rate investigation. This bill is inclosed herewith. The balance of the Edison appropriation is inadequate to meet this bill. It will be necessary, therefore, for your honor to ask the City Council to make an additional appropriation.

Since the tentative settlement of this case is now abandoned I assume that it is the will of your Honor and the City Council that the Edison investigation be resumed and brought, if possible, to an early close. If this is to be done the city should make adequate provision for the employment of engineering and stenographic services and other incidental expenses by the appropriation of a further sum of \$15,000, this in addition to the \$10,000 above referred to.

I am hopeful that the city's case with the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company may be soon ended. In that event your Honor may reasonably expect this department to resume the Edison case without the assistance of outside counsel; and for that reason I do not at this time suggest that any provision be made for the employment of extra counsel.

I do, therefore, recommend that your Honor submit to the Council at its next meeting an order providing for an appropriation of \$25,000 for the Edison case.

Very truly yours,
E. MARK SULLIVAN,
Corporation Counsel.

Ordered, That an additional sum, not exceeding \$15,000, be authorized to be expended for the purpose of meeting charges for expert services, stenographic services, additional legal assistance and other necessary and proper expenditures in connection with the hearing on the request for arbitration under the street lighting contract between the City of Boston and the Edison Electric Illuminating Company, dated December 7, 1914, and under the petition for a reduction in the prices of electricity filed by the Mayor with the Public Utilities Commission, said amount to be charged to the Reserve Fund. All expenditures shall be subject to the written approval of the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

ADDITIONAL MONEY FOR FINANCE COMMISSION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen,—Chapter 369 of the Acts of 1924 provides for an increase of \$10,000 in the appropriation of the Finance Commission.

I am in receipt of the attached communication from the chairman of the Finance Commission requesting that this additional sum be made available.

I accordingly submit the accompanying order for the consideration of your honorable body.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Finance Commission, July 18, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Sir,—The appropriation for the Finance Commission made for the present fiscal year by the City Council and approved by your Honor on May 20, 1924, was \$40,000.

By an act of the Legislature, chapter 369 of 1924, approved by his Excellency the Governor on May 16, 1924, the City Council and your Honor were authorized to appropriate for the use of the Finance Commission, including the salary of the chairman, the sum of \$50,000.

There remains, therefore, \$10,000 to be appropriated. Inclosed herewith please find the segregation that the commission desires made of the additional \$10,000, copies of which are being sent to the Budget Commissioner and the City Auditor.

Very respectfully yours,
MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET.

July 18, 1924.

Amount to be appropriated.....	\$10,000
Items.	Amounts.
B-1, Printing and Binding.....	\$500
B-2, Postage	100
B-8, Light and Power.....	50
G-2, Special Investigations.....	9,350
	<u>\$10,000</u>

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, \$10,000, to the appropriation for Finance Commission, B-1, Printing and Binding, \$500; B-2, Postage, \$100; B-8, Light and Power, \$50; G-2, Special Investigations, \$9,350.

EXPENSES OF REDIVISION COMMITTEE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Under the provisions of chapter 410 of the Acts of 1924 it is provided in section 1 that the City of Boston shall make available a sum not exceeding \$3,000 for clerk hire, stationery and incidental expenses of the State Commission for the redivision of the City of Boston into wards.

In conformity with the provision of chapter 410 of the Acts of 1924, I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$3,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended from the Reserve Fund in accordance with the provisions of chapter 410 of the Acts of 1924.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

USE OF COUNCIL CHAMBER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Under the provisions of chapter 410 of the Acts of 1924 the City of Boston is required to provide quarters for the conduct of the hearings upon the question of the redivision of the City of Boston into wards.

The City Council Chamber should serve this purpose admirably and the chairman of the Commission on Redivision informs me that arrangements can be made so that the hearings of his commission will in no way interfere in the conduct of the business of the City Council. Under the circumstances, I trust the City Council will approve the accompanying order which is here submitted.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the right of the use of the City Council Chamber for meetings and hearings in connection with the redivision of the City of Boston into wards as provided in chapter 410 of the Acts of 1924 be and the same is hereby granted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PARKMAN FUND EXPENDITURES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the accompanying recommendation of the Park Commission providing the sum of \$69,000, the same to be expended as set forth in the communication of the Park Commission, and I respectfully recommend adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Park Department, July 28, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Thursday, July 24, 1924, it was recommended that the following appropriations be made from the income of the Parkman Fund:

Franklin Park, improvements:	
Including rectory building, granolithic walks and development of parkways	\$22,000
Boston Common:	
Including improvements to Parkman Bandstand and radio equipment.....	17,000
Public Garden:	
Purchase of trees and granolithic walks and extension of water system	8,000
Fens, Improvements:	
Including athletic field and granolithic walks	10,000
Zoo and Aquarium:	
Purchase of animals and fish.....	7,000
Arnold Arboretum:	
Gate, building of walls and fences....	5,000
Total	<u>\$69,000</u>

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES B. SHEA,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the sum of \$69,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated from the income of the Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commission, for the maintenance and improvement of the Common and parks in existence on January 12, 1887, as follows:

Franklin Park: Building, Improvements, \$22,000; Boston Common and Public Garden, Improvements, \$25,000; Animals, Birds, etc., \$7,000; Arnold Arboretum, Improvements, \$5,000; Fens, Athletic Field, \$5,000; Fens, Improvements, \$5,000.

Referred to the Committee on Parkman Fund.

EASEMENT OF CITY LAND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith a communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, enclosing a notice to the City Council that so much of the rights acquired in the taking of land for sewerage purposes near the corner of Corinth and Cohasset streets, West Roxbury, by an instrument of taking, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 197, as would prevent the erection of a building as shown on a plan approved by the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston and dated July 21, 1924, is no longer needed for public purposes, and that one hundred (100) dollars is a fair and reasonable amount for the easement to erect, construct and maintain said building, and I therefore recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

To His Honor the Mayor.

Dear Sir,—In accordance with the provisions of section 15 of chapter 40 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, I enclose herewith notice to the City Council that the land taken for sewerage purposes near the corner of Cohasset street and Corinth street, in that part of Boston called West Roxbury, by an instrument of taking recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 197, will not be interfered with or damaged by reason of the building over the same in accordance with the plan approved by the Commissioner of Public Works of the said City of Boston, dated July 1, 1924, and I therefore notify you that so much of the rights acquired by said taking as would

prevent the erecting of the building, as shown on said plan, is no longer required for public purposes.

J. A. ROURKE,
Public Works Commissioner.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the City of Boston, to sell at private sale to Rudolph Dunkel of said Boston for the sum of one hundred (100) dollars the right to erect, construct and maintain a structure or building over a portion of the land taken for sewerage purposes by an instrument of taking recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 197, in accordance with a plan approved by the Commissioner of Public Works, dated July 21, 1924, and on file in the office of the Sewer Department of said City of Boston; and to execute and deliver in the name and behalf of the City of Boston a deed of said easement in said premises to said Rudolph Dunkel, satisfactory in form to the Law Department of the City of Boston. The said easement shall be so limited that no building or structure shall be erected or placed upon said premises which shall in any way interfere with the use and maintenance of said sewerage works or be placed or rested upon any part thereof; that no structure or building shall be placed or erected upon the said premises which shall interfere with the right of the City of Boston to enter upon the said premises or any part thereof for the purpose of maintaining, constructing or reconstructing said sewerage works as they are now located or may hereafter be located.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

COMPLETION OF COURTHOUSE, ETC., WEST ROXBURY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the accompanying communication submitted by the Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings requesting an additional amount in the sum of \$10,000 for the completion of reconstruction and alteration of the courthouse and police station at West Roxbury.

I find under original appropriation for Public Buildings Department unexpended balances totaling \$7,262.90, and in all probability, despite their request for \$10,000 additional, it may be possible for the department to complete the proposed improvements for this amount, and accordingly I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Public Buildings Department, July 28, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—I wish to advise you of the following facts pertaining to the Courthouse, West Roxbury, Remodeling:

The contract was awarded for the remodeling of this building to the Joseph Rugo Construction Company in the sum of \$99,200.

As the work proceeded it was discovered that it would be necessary to make certain corrections, alterations and revisions due to the old framing of the building, the renewing of the old heating plant, plastering and painting throughout the old police station, to replace the old lead plumbing supply with brass, to install concrete foundations under all brick walls in the basement, additional shoring, etc.

These facts make it absolutely necessary that a further appropriation be made for this building in order to meet these requirements.

I most respectfully request that an additional appropriation to the amount of \$10,000 be provided for the Courthouse, West Roxbury, Remodeling.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MAHONY.

Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, \$2,278.55; Municipal Building, Brighton Square, \$3,400; Municipal Building, Old Ward 12, Furnishings, etc., \$768.94; Branch Library, West Roxbury, Site, \$500; Branch Library, West Roxbury, \$62.68; Courthouse, Forest Hills, Completion and Furnishing, \$252.73, to the appropriation for Courthouse, West Roxbury, Remodeling, \$7,262.90.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

VARIOUS DEPARTMENT TRANSFERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 28, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of several requests for transfers within departmental appropriations, and I accordingly recommend adoption of the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Library Department:

From the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$107.45, to the appropriation for F-11, Workmen's Compensation, \$107.45.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Boston Sanatorium:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Special Investigator, 1 at \$1,500 per year, \$625, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Social Worker, 1 at \$1,500 per year, \$625.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Hospital Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Physician, 1 at \$77.77 per week, \$4,000 per year, \$316, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Hospital Employee, 1 at \$36-\$39 per week, \$70; Hospital Employees, 4 at \$29-\$32 per week, \$237.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriation for Election Department:

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, Inspectors, 1,096 at \$9-\$11 per day, \$4,560; Inspectors, 1,096 at \$9-\$11 per day, 000; to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, Assistant Registrars, 52 (108) at \$5 per day, \$4,560; Inspectors, 1,096 (1,644) at \$9-\$11 per day, 000.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Child Welfare Division, B-17, Care of Persons, \$2,100, to the appropriation for steamer "George A. Hibbard," B-39, General Plant, \$2,000; D-14, Marine, \$100.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Printing Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerk, 1 at \$1,500 per year, \$1,100; Compositors, 23 at \$38.50-\$40.50 per week, \$500, to the appropriation for A-3, Unassigned, \$1,600.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Building Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Inspectors, Building, 18 at \$2,200 per year, \$1,008.32, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Inspector (Zoning), 1 at \$2,000 per year, \$1,008.32.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Building Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Inspectors, Building, 18 at \$2,200 per year, \$1,008.32, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Inspector (Zoning), 1 at \$2,000 per year, \$1,008.32.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Boston Almshouse and Hospital, D-3, Fuel, \$700, to the appropriation for Boston Almshouse and Hospital, B-17, Care of Persons, \$700.

From the appropriation for D-3 Fuel, \$1,300; Child Welfare Division, B-17, Care of Persons, \$2,950, to the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$4,250.

From the appropriation for B-17, Care of Persons, \$1,075.34, to the appropriation for C-4, Motor Vehicle, \$100; D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, \$500; D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$100; F-11, Workmen's Compensation, \$375.34.
Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Israel Balis, for compensation for damage to property at 36 Seneca street caused by an alleged defect in Seneca street.

Mary G. Barry, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Washington street and Norfolk place.

Louis J. Block, for compensation for damage to car by East Boston Ferry.

Phoebe Blum, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Tremont street, near Stuart street.

Charles H. Burk, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by city cart.

Real D. Chainey, for compensation for damage to automobile at City Hospital caused by window screen falling on same.

Marian Christman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Minot School yard.

Mrs. Tina Clark, for compensation for damage to dress at City Hall Annex caused by nail in chair.

Alice M. Connors, for compensation for damage to property at 79 Preble street caused by bursting of sewer pipe.

Lillian D. Costi, for refund on unused lodging house license.

Francesco Floccer, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 244 Sumner street.

Leroy H. Gregory, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by defective condition of Kingston street.

John A. Hanson, for refund of fee paid for appeal from ruling.

Nellie Kerrigan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Huntington avenue.

Philip Lowenstein, for compensation for damage to property caused by water being turned on without notice.

Vincenzo Megna, for compensation for damage to property at 9 Vernon place caused by broken sewer.

Charles Myers, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Boston Common.

Henry C. O'Brien, for compensation for damage to automobile by city cart.

T. J. O'Connell, for compensation for damage to car by East Boston Ferry.

Mary E. O'Leary, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Station street.

Gennaro Paglinca, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Salem street.

Johanna M. Paris, for compensation for injuries caused by collision with patrol wagon.

William F. Paris, for compensation for damage to automobile and injuries caused by collision with patrol wagon.

Ernest Pearson, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Henry Sandler, for compensation for damage to automobile and injuries caused by collision with city truck.

Robert Sherman, for compensation for injuries caused by city car.

John Simpson, for compensation for damage to car caused by East Boston Ferry.

Morris Smith, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Cabot Street Bath House.

Raffaello Soldano, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Everett and Lamson streets.

Edward Spencer, for compensation for money taken while under arrest.

Elmer F. Stone, for compensation for loss of wrist watch at North End Park.

Michael J. Twohey, for compensation for wages due from Park Department.

Rita Winn, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Orchard Park.

County Accounts.

Communication from Justice of Boston Juvenile Court relative to probation officers' salaries.

Jitneys.

Conway Tours, Inc., for jitney licenses, viz.: Huntington avenue to Milton line; Copley square to Newton line.

Public Lands.

Chester Realty Company, for release of restrictions at 1777-1781 Washington street.

CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same submitted the constables' bonds of Morris Berkman, Thomas A. Brannely, John J. Buckley, George L. Gilbert, Hector Palladino.

Approved by the City Council.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Civil Service Commission of approval of appointment of Mary Alma Cotter as trustee of the Boston Sanatorium.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Joseph G. O'Malley as assessor, a certified copy of the same having been sent to the Civil Service Commission.

Placed on file.

INTEREST IN CONTRACTS.

Notice was received in accordance with law, of city officials having interest in contracts, viz.:

Robert Dysart, Statistics Trustee.

Louis K. Rourke, Transit Commissioner.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners that hearings will be given on July 28 and August 4 on various petitions for the storage and sale of gasoline at different locations.

Placed on file.

JITNEY BOND.

The jitney bond of Alphonso Roberto was received and filed with the City Treasurer.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF VOUCHER.

A voucher was received for the salary of John F. Sullivan, court officer of the District Court of Chelsea, for the month of July, amounting to \$166.66.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

WITHDRAWAL OF PETITION.

Notice was received from the Institutions Commissioner of withdrawal of petition for the removal of Louis Grappi, the commissioner acting upon the advice of the Law Department.

Placed on file.

CLERK HIRE.

Notice was received from the Register of Deeds, in accordance with law, certifying that certain persons had been employed in his office from June 16 to July 19, and that work had been performed to the amount of \$11,325.51.

Approved and ordered paid.

MINORS' LICENSES.

The president submitted reports on petitions for minors' licenses for thirty-six newsboys and thirty-eight vendors—recommending that licenses be granted.

Reports accepted; licenses granted on the usual conditions.

PARK FRONTAGES.

Coun. WATSON offered the following:

City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-four.

An Ordinance Concerning Park Frontages.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Chapter five of the ordinances of nineteen hundred and twenty-two, as amended by chapters two, eight and twelve, of the ordinances of nineteen hundred and twenty-three, is hereby further amended. In section one by striking out the words "Kenmore street" in the tenth line of said section, and inserting

in place thereof the words "A line one hundred and thirty feet westerly from Charlesgate West."

Referred to the Executive Committee.

REPLACING POLICE STATION 17.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That the Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to submit to the City Council an estimate of the cost of land and building to replace the present Police Station 17 building.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE OF C. J. VANDENHECKE.

Coun. WATSON offered the following:

Ordered, That his Excellency the Governor, or in his absence the Lieutenant Governor, be requested to grant a stay of the court order to electrocute C. J. Vandennecke during the week beginning July 27, in order that those interested in said Vandennecke may properly prepare their case that the death sentence be commuted to life imprisonment.

Ordered, That a copy of this order be sent to the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Executive Council.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, if I followed my own personal interests I perhaps would refrain from making any remarks regarding the order that you have just read, but I believe the circumstances are such that publicity is absolutely necessary in order that a man whom I believe to be innocent of the crime for which he is sentenced to the chair may have proper time to prepare his defense and apply for commutation of the sentence or a new trial. It may be said, and properly so, that the City Council of Boston has nothing to do with this particular case, but I see an opening by which I think I may properly argue that the City Council of Boston has a right to intercede in the way that I suggest. First of all, the Charlestown State Prison, where electrocution takes place, is within the confines of the city. It is true that it is state property, but, nevertheless, it is within the borders of the municipality. I am absolutely opposed to capital punishment, but that question is not before the Governor. The question before the Governor is, whether or not a man of whom there is good reason to believe he is innocent shall be given an opportunity through his attorney to present to the Governor's Council reasons for a commutation. I presume that no member of this Council aside from myself has ever had the proud privilege of being one who was in part instrumental in saving a human life. Twenty years ago a Roxbury boy was taken up in an affair in New York City where a death took place. The man who passed away was a brother of a detective sergeant of the New York Police Department. The death took place at a resort in New York where the then Chief Devery hung out. The man was at the edge of the gallows or of the electric chair five times. I will not use his name here, but Coun. Lane knows the man as well as I. The Governor of the State of New York was Theodore Roosevelt, and through the intercession of myself and another, and of Abraham Levy, an attorney, and a reporter of the New York World, we prevailed on Governor Roosevelt to commute the sentence to the electric chair to life imprisonment five hours before the man was to go to the chair. Later the man was pardoned from Ossining, and today he walks the streets of Roxbury a free man, pardoned by the Pardoning Board of New York State, because he was innocent of the crime for which he nearly went to the chair. Therefore, I have the proud distinction of being somewhat instrumental in saving a man from an untimely death. But that is not my only reason for taking the position I do in this matter. I am thinking of the children of that man now in the death chamber at Charlestown. I am thinking of his wife in Lawrence. I am thinking of his friends, who don't know the ways of this country and who are unable to act in his behalf. I am thinking also as a Christian. One of the commandments is, "Thou shalt not kill," and from my point of view the Government has no more right to act as agent to take a man's life than I have, under that Christian commandment. There is a commandment which says also, "Thou shalt not steal," but, nevertheless, we know that right under the Government there is grafting and thievery going on, and those guilty are not prohibited from doing it because they are high in official life. My experience with the

Governor's office in the absence of Governor Channing H. Cox, who is away in the Provinces on a hunting trip, leads me to believe that the secretary of the Governor is the Governor *de facto* and that Channing H. Cox is merely a little piece of machinery operated by Herman A. MacDonald, the secretary to his Excellency. I wrote on July 23 a letter addressed to "His Excellency the Governor," and, of course, I meant by that either Governor Cox or Acting Governor Alvan T. Fuller, as under the law of our Commonwealth the duties of the Governor in his absence from the Commonwealth devolve upon the Lieutenant Governor, who is Governor in fact in every particular and takes on the official rights and duties of Governor Cox. But this man, Herman A. MacDonald, writes me a letter stating that he has nothing to do with the matter of capital punishment, that that is a matter for the Legislature. Why, the nunny! I know that. I know more about law—and I am no lawyer—than Herman A. MacDonald, the Governor's secretary. Herman A. MacDonald should have turned my letter over to Alvan T. Fuller, the Governor of the Commonwealth in the absence of Channing H. Cox. But he does not do that. I then wrote him another letter, which I will put into the record without reading, and that has never been answered. I will have this correspondence put into the record, if there is no objection. Let me read for the benefit of the Council the closing lines in the letter written by this colossal mental giant, acting as Governor in the absence of Channing H. Cox:

"If you have any information as to the facts of the case I am sure the Governor will be very glad to hear you. The question, however, as you will readily understand, is not whether one is opposed or in favor of capital punishment. That question is for the Legislature to settle. The Governor has to enforce the law as it now stands."

Then, in the last paragraph of his letter of July 24, he says,

"For your information, I may say that I am confident that the only things the Governor will want to hear are facts which will establish the innocence of this man or change the degree of the crime for which he has been sentenced."

Just think of that! Herman A. MacDonald, the secretary of the Governor, says that the Governor can abrogate the law of Massachusetts. What does he know about law? Nothing. I then wrote a further letter to Alvan T. Fuller, the Governor of the Commonwealth in the absence of Channing H. Cox, and sent it Saturday by special delivery to Rye Beach, so that it might get immediately into the hands of the Lieutenant Governor, who would thereby be able to act immediately, asking that this man, whom I believe to be innocent, might have a chance to have his case proven in the proper way. I have taken altogether too much of the time of the Council. I am tired. I do not earn money by politics. I have to work for a living. I have been working since half past seven o'clock this morning at my daily work, besides attending to my Council duties. I might go on indefinitely in this case, but I saw now that I do not request the Governor of the Commonwealth to give further time to this matter I do not ask the Governor to save this man from the sentence of the court; but I demand of Governor Fuller, if he is acting as Governor, or of Governor Channing H. Cox, if he arrives home, that there be a stay in the carrying out of the sentence to electrocute Cyril J. Vandennecke, a man without friends or influence. I demand it, and, Mr. President, with these words I trust that there will be sufficient publicity to awaken the decent people of this community to the fact that if the man whose name I have mentioned passes to the Great Beyond without some action being taken the Governor of this Commonwealth will be guilty of murder, and the man who touches the switch that takes his life will, in my opinion, be as guilty as the blackest murderer who ever went to the chair in the United States of America. I ask, Mr. President, for a suspension of the rule in order that this order may go upon its passage at this time, and I ask, furthermore, that a special messenger take a copy of this order immediately to the office of Governor Cox or Governor Fuller, in order that it may get there in proper time.

The rule was suspended and the order was passed.

President DONOGHUE—I will request the Clerk to see that a copy of the order is taken to the Governor's office by special messenger.

Following is the full correspondence referred to by Coun. Watson in the course of the debate:

July 22, 1924.

To his Excellency the Governor, State House, Boston.

Dear Sir,—During the week of the 25th the prisoner is to be electrocuted. In 1910 while in the Legislature I advocated then the abolition of capital punishment. My views on the subject are just as strong today.

I respectfully ask you to arrange to give me and such others as may care to appear to protest against this electrocution a hearing.

Statistics in this country and in Europe prove that capital punishment is not a deterrent to murder. I can prove that.

Kindly advise me when you will grant a hearing on the above matter and oblige,

Respectfully yours,

JAMES A. WATSON.

July 23, 1924.

To his Excellency the Governor, State House, Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—I sent a letter to you July 22d and I wish you would kindly consider this letter an amendment to the same.

My purpose in writing you was to have you and the Governor's Council grant to me and others a hearing on the question of commuting the sentence of electrocution on Cyril J. Vandennecke to life imprisonment.

Trusting that I have made plain my purpose in writing this and the letter I have mentioned above, I remain,

Respectfully yours,

JAMES A. WATSON.

July 23, 1924.

Hon. James A. Watson, Boston City Council, City Hall, Boston, Mass.

My dear Councilor Watson,—In the absence of Governor Cox I beg to acknowledge receipt of your communication of July 22, asking for a hearing in protest against the electrocution of Cyril Vandennecke, and I shall be glad to call your letter to the Governor's attention upon his return to the executive offices.

If you have any information as to the facts of the case I am sure the Governor will be very glad to hear you. The question, however, as you will readily understand, is not whether one is opposed or in favor of capital punishment. That question is for the Legislature to settle. The Governor has to enforce the law as it now stands.

Very truly yours,

HERMAN A. MACDONALD,
Secretary to the Governor.

24th July, 1924.

Mr. James A. Watson, Council Chamber, City Hall, Boston, Mass.

My dear Mr. Watson,—I have your letter of July 23d and shall be glad to call it to the Governor's attention together with your letter of July 22, relative to the sentence of death of Cyril J. Vandennecke.

For your information I may say that I am confident that the only things the Governor will want to hear are facts which will establish the innocence of this man or change the degree of the crime for which he has been sentenced.

Very truly yours,

HERMAN A. MACDONALD,
Secretary to the Governor.

July 26, 1924.

Hon. Alvan T. Fuller, Lieutenant and Acting Governor, State House, Boston, Mass.

My dear Governor,—I have written two letters addressed to Governor Cox which were sent to the State House and acknowledged by his secretary. Will you kindly refer to them and consider the contents of this letter.

In the absence of Governor Cox from the state I believe that you have the powers that he has as Governor, by law delegated to you. I ask you, in the event of Governor Cox not acting, to stay the execution of Cyril J. Vandennecke, who according to a sentence meted out to him by the courts, is to be electrocuted some time in the week of July the 28th. This unfortunate individual evidently is without influence and without legal protection, and for further reason that I am opposed to capital punishment, I wish you would stay the carrying out of the court's order until I can communicate with those who are nearer to him than I am.

Respectfully,

JAMES A. WATSON.

SIDEWALK ORDERS.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Everett street, Brighton, west side,

from Holton street, about 250 feet northerly, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Neponset avenue, from Minot street to Neponset Bridge approach, Ward 20, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

ACCEPTANCE OF COLONIAL ROAD.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to lay out and accept as a public way Colonial road, from Chestnut Hill avenue to Wallingford road.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

MUNICIPAL PARKING SPACE.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor direct the proper department to consider the advisability of establishing a municipal parking space for motorists.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

PAYMENT TO GUARDIAN OF AGNES FLAHERTY.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following: Ordered, That chapter 474 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to pay a Sum of Money to the Legal Guardian and for the Benefit of Agnes Flaherty," be and the same hereby is accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 474 of the Acts of 1924, the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars be allowed and paid to the legal guardian and for the benefit of Agnes Flaherty, who sustained injuries while attending the public schools; said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SALARY OF PROBATE COURT MESSENGER.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order that chapter 415 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act to Establish the Salary of the Messenger of the Probate Court for County of Suffolk" be and the same hereby is accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

STATEMENT AS TO KU KLUX KLAN.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, in view of the fact that there has been a great deal of talk recently in the press and otherwise about the Ku Klux Klan, let me say that I have here a statement which I received today in the mail, in a paper called "Our Sunday Visitor, the Harmonizer," published in Huntington, Indiana, July 27, 1924.

It contains a wonderful article on the Ku Klux Klan by Aldrich Blake, of Oklahoma, and is entitled, "A Temperate Talk on the Ku Klux." I think the City Council of Boston, the city where liberty was born, could not perform a greater act of Americanism than to print this as a city document. Therefore, I move that the article in the "Sunday Visitor, the Harmonizer," of Huntington, Indiana, under date of July 27, 1924, by Aldrich Blake, entitled, "A Temperate Talk on the Ku Klux," be printed as a city document.

The motion was carried.

HEARING ON CHARLESTOWN GAS CONTRACT.

The Council gave a hearing on the question as to whether a contract should be made with the Charlestown Gas and Electric Company

for lighting Charlestown under practically the same arrangement that now exists with reference to other parts of the City of Boston under the contract recently concluded with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company. The Commissioner of Public Works, Joseph A. Rourke, Alexander Macomber of the Charlestown Company, Senator William F. Francis of Charlestown, Maurice J. Power of Charlestown, and School Committeeman William J. O'Hare were heard. The hearing was closed, subject to be reopened if the Council so decides.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted at 3.30 o'clock, on motion of Coun. WALSH to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 6.15 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Reports on communications from the Street Commissioners relative to hearings on petitions for storage and sale of gasoline that the same be placed on file, viz.:

Communication (referred March 31); communication (referred June 30).

Reports accepted; communications placed on file.

2. Report on orders (referred today) accepting chapter 474, Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to Pay a Sum of Money to the Legal Guardian and for the Benefit of Agnes Flaherty," and order for payment of sum of \$2,500 to the legal guardian and for the benefit of Agnes Flaherty—that the orders ought to pass.

Report accepted; orders passed.

3. Report on voucher (referred today) for payment of \$166.66 to John F. Sullivan, court officer of the District Court of Chelsea—that the voucher be paid.

The report was accepted and the voucher was ordered paid, yeas 8, nays 1, President Donoghue voting nay.

4. Report on order (referred today) accepting chapter 415, Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act to Establish the Salary of the Messenger of the Probate Court for the County of Suffolk"—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

5. Report on message of Mayor and supplementary appropriation order for the County of Suffolk (referred today)—that the order ought not to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was rejected, yeas 4, nays 4, the vote being as follows:

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Gilbody, Healey, Lane—4.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—4.

6. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred July 7) for transfer of \$3,000 for Maritime Division of the Chamber of Commerce—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

7. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for appropriation of \$15,000 for expenses in connection with street lighting contract between Boston and the Edison Electric Illuminating Company—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

8. Reports on messages of Mayor (two) and orders (referred today) for various transfers—that the orders ought to pass.

The reports were accepted and the orders were passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

Coun. WATSON in the chair.

9. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred July 7) for transfer of \$10,394.95 for zoning expenses—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

10. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for appropriation of \$3,000 under the provisions of chapter 410, Acts of 1924—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the question came on the passage of the order.

Coun. DONOGHUE.—Mr. Chairman, this is the order to which I referred at the meeting of the Executive Committee whereby the Republican Legislature, for the first time in the history of the Commonwealth of Massa-

chusetts, has taken away from a Democratic Council in a Democratic city, the right to redistrict our city and placed the same in the hands of a committee of legislators which is dominated by the Republican interests in the City of Boston, the chairman of which is Senator Clark of Dorchester, and the vice chairman of which is Representative Keniston of Ward 7 in our city, seven Republican members and four Democratic members. So that on the very face of it it shows that the Republicans intend to "gerrymander" the City of Boston as they have "gerrymandered" the State of Massachusetts, their purpose, of course, being to deprive Democratic Boston of its rightful representation in the matter of representatives and senators to the Great and General Court. And I feel that, in view of these things which have been saddled on to Boston and these things which have been passed by this Republican Legislature, we should not appropriate any money to help them carry out this most iniquitous scheme of the Republican leaders in our city. I think that no one has the right to grant the freedom of this chamber to this committee unless they receive the sanction of this City Council; and I have been given to understand that an arrangement has already been entered into whereby this Council chamber has been placed at the disposal of this committee for the purpose of depriving Boston of its rightful representation in the General Court of Massachusetts. I say that no one has the right to do so unless this Council gives them the right; I do not believe that this Council will give them the right; and I do not feel that this Council will appropriate \$3,000 in order to aid in any way their chance to "gerrymander" Boston. Under the recent ruling of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, which has defined that a legal voter must be a registered voter, the Republican machine in our city and in this Commonwealth is going to attempt to deprive our city of its rightful representation in the General Court, and I feel that we should in no way aid them but, rather, should impede them and obstruct them in every way that we possibly can, and I will not vote to appropriate any money for this purpose. This redistricting rightfully belongs to this Council, and they, in taking it away from us, have established a precedent which has never before occurred in the entire history of the State of Massachusetts. I think that it is about time that we in this Council stood up, ready to defend not alone our own rights, but the rights of Democratic Boston. I have made speeches here for some years pleading for "home rule" for Boston, and still we see, year after year, bills introduced by Democratic mayors of our city into a Republican Legislature, which practically never see the light of day, asking that the expenses of Suffolk County be apportioned between the cities of Chelsea, Revere, Boston and Winthrop, and every year they are refused by the Republican Legislature. Then the Democratic mayor of our city goes to their body every year, practically as a mendicant, with his hat in his hand, begging to increase the tax limit so that Boston might be able to pay the debts which it owes, and every year there is a most vicious fight in the Legislature before Boston is even given sufficient money to live on, because of the fact that ours is a Democratic city, and for no other reason. And then, on top of that, we have seen the spectacle today of this Republican Legislature saddling at the expiration of the Great and General Court, the additional expense of \$150,000 in connection with the Suffolk County expenses, onto the backs of the citizens of Boston. They do not take into consideration the special acts of legislation which they have passed compelling, practically, the City of Boston to pay those bills when we go there asking for the right which is given to every other town and hamlet in this Commonwealth, of establishing our own tax limit, but they establish the tax limit for the capitol city of the State of Massachusetts. I am making this contest here at every opportunity, even singling out the one man whom I did today, a resident of Chelsea who is receiving pay from our city. I say that that job does not belong to a Chelsea resident so long as the city of Chelsea does not contribute to the expenses, or help to defray the expenses, of Suffolk County; and until such time shall arise when the Legislature deals fairly with our city in the apportionment of those expenses, until the day shall arise when the Legislature allows the City of Boston to have that measure of "home rule" which it gives to every other small town and hamlet throughout this state, until that day arrives I am going to contest every one of those special pieces of legislation which come before this body. If the men in this Council, elected to represent Boston's citizens, elected by the citizenry of Boston, by the votes of Boston's men and women, vote to pay moneys to those who are not residents of our city without any protest, then

we are never going to receive relief. They are going to continue to saddle expense onto our backs just so long as we are going to stand for it. And until we stand up in our shoes and refuse to appropriate one penny for anyone who is not a resident of our city, and a bona fide resident, then, and not until then, are we going to be enabled to receive any relief from this Republican Legislature. I feel that the day is here now when this fight that I am making, even though it might be a lone one, meets with the approval of the rank and file of our citizenry. It meets, in my opinion, with the approval of every father, and it meets with the approval of every mother in our city. They expect that their children should have the right to be employed in our city rather than employ those who live in Gloucester, Beverly, Ipswich, Brookline, in preference to their boys and to their girls. We have passed legislation providing that war veterans be given the preference in positions in all the cities and towns in this Commonwealth; but, if we look through the pay roll book of our city, we will find that there are innumerable instances where men who are not residents of our city have received from the highest-paid jobs in our city to the lowest-paid jobs under every administration I have ever known of since I have become interested enough to know what politics meant. Everyone who has ever, in my opinion and within my hearing, been a candidate for the highest office in this city has always said that he believed that Boston was entitled to home rule and that every position in Boston belonged to a Boston boy or girl; and never have I seen anyone live up to what they preach; never have I seen anyone who had the temerity to stand up against the mandates of Supreme Courts, or Superior Courts, or anyone else, in order that they might further the things to which they pledged themselves when they sought the votes of the electorate of Boston. I feel that the time has come when this Council should take the initiative and refuse to appropriate one penny for the payment of the salary of any one who is not a resident of our city; that this Council should now refuse to appropriate one penny to pay the expenses of this creature of a Republican Legislature, acting under the guise of a committee appointed by the Great and General Court to redivide the City of Boston into wards but, in reality, a scheme of Republican leaders in our city to disenfranchise the Democratic voters of our city; and I feel that this Council, even if in its dying days, which has been legislated out of office because they knew we could not be controlled, they knew that we stood for the rights of our people as against the mandates of any bosses, and they legislated this Council out of office without even any referendum to our people as to whether or not they believed in this or some other form of government. It is going to be the same until we stand up and are counted, and I think that the men in this Council are possessed of sufficient calibre and sufficient red blood and American manhood to stand in their shoes and refuse to be dictated to by these machine politicians of the Republican Party who are attempting to drive wedges into the Democrats so as to divide and disrupt them as they have done in the past, and as they will do in the future if we are not alert and on the job. We are here to protect Boston's interests; we are not here to aid or abet any sinister schemes of sinister politicians. And when we think of the scandals in Washington by the Republican Party which have degraded the American nation as it has never before been degraded, if we dare to vote for these things that are sponsored and fostered by them, then we are giving aid and counsel to a party which has been degraded in the eyes of the American people, and which, in my opinion, is going to meet with an everlasting disgraceful defeat at the next election, and once more democracy, which is the hope of the plain and honest-thinking, right-thinking people, will be in the ascendancy. We have but to look back a few years to see that the most progressive, humanitarian legislation that was ever placed upon the statute books of our country, of our city or of our nation, has always been sponsored and fought for by the Democratic party, and we must live up to those traditions if our party is to continue. I feel that there are a great many men following the Republican banner in national affairs who, in our city, first of all are Bostonians, who believe that Boston is entitled to home rule, who believe that we have been discriminated against unfairly and unjustly, and who, in my opinion, will resent the insults of an imbecilic Legislature which has dared to pass the legislation which was enacted last year on Beacon Hill. I hope that this matter will fail of

passage, as I hope that every other matter of a special nature which is passed by a Republican Legislature to saddle additional expense of our city will be defeated by this body by our failure to appropriate moneys which we have. Then let them do as they see fit. We have been whispered to death that they are going to get whatever moneys they want to, at any time they want to, but let us see if they can get them. Let them get the moneys if they can, but don't let them get it with our votes. Let us stand up against such legislation as that. Let us first think of the obligations which we owe to the people who have elected us, and then, when we fulfill those obligations, our consciences are clear. I hope that the matter will fail of passage. The question came on the acceptance of the committee's report and the passage of the order. The roll was called, with the following result:

Yeas—Coun. Lane.

Nays—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healy, Purcell, Walsh, Watson.

The order was rejected.

11. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for use of City Council chamber in connection with redivision of city of Boston into wards—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was rejected, yeas 2, nays 7, Coun. Healey and Lane voting yea.

PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted a report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for use of city land in West Roxbury—that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. BRICKLEY moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

MOTION TO ADJOURN.

Coun. WALSH—Mr. Chairman, I move we now adjourn to one week from today.

Chairman WATSON—I would like to suggest, before the motion is put, that we have here several orders which are very important—for example, City Hospital improvements.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. Chairman, a motion to adjourn is always in order.

Chairman WATSON—The Chair has the power to put the motion or not as he sees fit.

Coun. BRICKLEY—No, I do not think he has.

Chairman WATSON—The Chair desires to make a statement. The Chair desires to say that there are nine orders on the calendar, many of which call for action this afternoon, and particularly one with respect to the City Hospital. If the member who made the motion to adjourn desires to press it the Chair will put the motion, understanding that there are very important matters here. Does the Chair understand Councilor Walsh to desire pressing his motion?

Coun. WALSH—Mr. Chairman, I do not think a week will hurt to hold these matters over.

The question being put, the Chair doubted the vote and the roll was called, with the following result:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Lane, Purcell, Walsh—5.

Nays—Coun. Healy, Watson—2, and the Council stood adjourned at 6.40 o'clock p. m., to meet on Monday, August 4, at two o'clock, p. m.

UNDERGROUND RAPID TRANSIT IN BOSTON.

The Boston Transit Commission, consisting of five members, two appointed by the Governor and three by the Mayor, began its official existence, July 1, 1894, and ended it July 1, 1918, after seven extensions of the original term. It constructed, under the authority of Acts of the Legislature, the following subways and tunnels, the ownership of

which is vested in the City of Boston, and all costs to be covered by revenue from same, not by taxation; Tremont Street Subway, from Broadway and Tremont street, South End, to North Station, and from Boylston street, near Charles, to Park street, 1.68 miles, open to Park street, September 1, 1897, and to North Station on Sept. 3, 1898, costing with subsequent alterations, \$4,416,000, the first transportation subway in the United States; East Boston Tunnel, from Maverick square, East Boston, under Boston Harbor and State street to Scollay square, Boston Proper, 1.42 miles, opened December 30, 1904, costing \$3,336,000, the first all-concrete under-water transportation tunnel in the world; Washington Street Tunnel, from Ash street, opposite Nassau, South End, to Traverse street, near North Station, 1.16 miles, opened November 30, 1908, costing \$8,496,700 (including \$2,850,000 land damages); Cambridge Connection Subway from under Park street station of Tremont Street Subway to Grove street near Cambridge Bridge, 0.47 miles, opened March 23, 1912, costing \$1,465,000; Boylston street subway, from Commonwealth avenue, near Kenmore street, Back Bay, to Tremont Street Subway, near Charles street, 1.5 miles opened October 13, 1914, costing \$5,485,639; East Boston Tunnel Extension, from Scollay square to North Russell street, 0.41 miles, opened March 18, 1916, approximate cost, \$2,450,000; Dorchester Tunnel, from Park street, Boston Proper, to Andrew square, South Boston, 2.26 miles, opened December 3, 1916, as far as South Station; on December 15, 1917, to Broadway, South Boston, and on June 29, 1918, to the Andrew Square terminal. Trains of four or six cars are run in the Washington Street Tunnel, continuing on elevated track to Forest Hills, also in Dorchester Tunnel from Andrew square, South Boston, connecting with Cambridge Tunnel, to Harvard square, Cambridge, while only single or double street cars are run in the other tunnels and subways; amount borrowed to 1922 for the Dorchester Tunnel, \$10,750,000. Total gross debt for all subways and tunnels, \$37,558,700 (incl. loans of \$1,210,000 for new Arlington Station of Boylston Street Subway, opened on November 13, 1921), against which a sinking fund of \$6,369,630 has been accumulated from the revenue, payable mostly in 40 years from date of each loan (loans since 1911 payable in 45 years), annual interest averaging 3.8 per cent. These underground ways, about 8.9 miles in all with total of 19.27 miles of single track were leased to the Boston Elevated Railway Company (which furnished the equipment) for term of 25 years (except Tremont street, 20 years) at annual rental of $4\frac{1}{2}$ to $4\frac{7}{8}$ per cent of net cost (except East Boston Tunnel which was at $\frac{1}{3}$ of one per cent of all annual gross receipts of said company). In accordance with Chapter 741, Acts of 1911, the various leases were extended to July 1, 1936, the rental to be $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent of net cost after expiration of the first-term leases.

By Chap. 185, Special Acts of 1918, the powers of the Transit Commission, whose term expired that year, were transferred to the Mayor, Commissioner of Public Works and City Treasurer, or such person or persons, not exceeding three, as the Mayor might appoint. By Chap. 3, Ordinances of 1918, the Transit Dept. was established as a regular City department, to be in charge of three commissioners.

MAYORS OF BOSTON.

In its 100 years of existence as a city Boston has had 36 elected Mayors and five *ex-officio* Acting Mayors. Of the 36 men who have held the office for one year or more, six were elected for other than consecutive terms and 25 were re-elected one or more times. Those born within the present limits of Boston numbered 21; in towns near Boston, 8; in neighboring New England States, 5; in Ireland, 2. The Mayor longest in office was Mayor Lincoln, who served 3 years ending 1860 and then 4 years ending 1866. Next in length of service were the first Mayor Quincy and Mayor Fitzgerald, who served 6 years each. Those who served 4 years were Mayors Prince, O'Brien, Matthews, (third) Quincy, Hart, Curley and Peters. Mayor Collins was in office nearly 4 years, his death occurring 3½ months before his second term expired. Those serving 3 years were Mayors Otis, Eliot, Chapman, (second) Quincy, Bigelow, Shurtleff and Cobb; 2 years, Mayors Wells, Lyman, Brimmer, Seaver, Smith, Rice, Wightman, Gaston, Pierce (22 months) and Hibbard; 1 year, Mayors Phillips, Armstrong, Davis, Norcross, Green, Palmer, Martin and Curtis. The five acting Mayors were Chairmen (Board of Aldermen) Parker, Leavitt, Allen, Cutter and Whelton.

Mayor Otis was Speaker of Massachusetts House of Representatives, President of Senate, United States Representative and United States Senator before becoming Mayor. Mayor Armstrong was Lieutenant-Governor and at times Acting Governor before serving as Mayor, Mayors Rice and Gaston served 3 years and 1 year (respectively) as Governor after their terms as Mayor; Mayors Collins, Curley, Fitzgerald, Peters, Pierce and Rice have represented Boston in the lower house of Congress, Mayor Peters having also served as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Ex-Mayor Curley was elected for the second time in December, 1921, to serve for term of four years.

Ex-Mayor Curtis was appointed Police Commissioner in 1919 for term of five years, but his service was terminated by his death in 1922. Ex-Mayor Quincy died in 1919, and Ex-Mayor Green in 1918. (See annual City Doc., Boston Municipal Register, for full list of Mayors from 1822 to 1922, with place and date of birth, years of service and date of death.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the Schoolhouse Commission, I will sell at public auction, upon the premises, Tuesday, August 12, 1924, at 11 o'clock, a. m., the building known as the Smith Street School, Smith street, Roxbury district, City of Boston; the same to be demolished and removed from the lot on or before September 12, 1924. The successful bidder must furnish a bond satisfactory to the Schoolhouse Commission for the full completion of the work and to protect the City of Boston against all damage; also remove all dirt caused by razing building. The city authorities reserve the right to confirm bid. Terms: Cash at time of sale.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
333 Washington Street, Boston.

(Aug. 9.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 750 CONCRETE METER BOXES.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department Water Service,

750 five-part concrete meter boxes.

Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal at the Supply Department, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at Room 801, City Hall Annex, on Tuesday, August 19, 1924, at 12 o'clock noon. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Aug. 9.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals to erect and complete, including the plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating work, the building for Overseers of Public Welfare and Temporary Home, at the corner of Chardon, Hawkins and Bowker streets, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, August 26, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$7,500, payable to the City if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, before the time of opening the bids. The Acting Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings and specifications. Mutilation of plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(Aug. 9-16-23.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAND.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston will receive sealed proposals for selling to the city land for an elementary school in the Thomas Gardner District, Allston, Mass., in the territory bounded by Market street, Western avenue, Mackin, Waverly, Portsmouth and Lawrence streets, to contain 40,000 square feet of land, more or less. All proposals must be submitted at or before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, August 26, 1924, at the office of the Commissioners, Room 109, City Hall Annex, Court square, Boston. Said proposals will at that time be publicly opened and read, and thereafter a public hearing will be given by the Commissioners at said office Tuesday, September 2, 1924, at 12 o'clock m., at which hearing the proposals and suitability of the land offers therein will be considered. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(Aug. 9.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, July 31, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public improvements should be made consisting of: The laying out and construction of an extension of Lucerne street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Woodrow avenue to Morton street.

The laying out and construction of Arundel street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Beaumont street to Elm road, with the name of Alcorn street or some other distinctive name.

The widening and construction of Morton street, Dorchester district, as a highway, at the southeasterly corner of said Morton street and West Selden street.

The discontinuance, widening, relocation and construction of parts of Lake street, Brighton district, as a highway, between Commonwealth avenue and Kenrick street.

The laying out and construction of North Munroe terrace, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Train street to Neponset avenue.

The laying out and construction of Brookstone street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Braeden street over and including the private way known as Toll Gate road, to Washington street.

All substantially as shown on plans in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass orders for the making of said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of August 13, 1924, and the office of this Board, as the time and place for public hearings in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(Aug. 9.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WIDENING AND RESURFACING ROAD IN FRANKLIN PARK, SECTION 1, BLUE HILL AVENUE TO VALLEY GATE TRIANGLE.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for widening and resurfacing road in Franklin Park, Section 1, Blue Hill avenue to Valley Gate triangle. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "Widening and Resurfacing Road in Franklin Park, Section 1, Blue Hill Avenue to Valley Gate Triangle," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, August 26, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$5,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$25,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(Aug. 9-16-23.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COMMITTEES,
CITY HALL, August 6, 1924.

The Executive Committee of the City Council will give a public hearing on Monday, August 11, 1924, at three o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, City Hall, relative to the proposed widening of Tremont street from Arlington square to Stuart street, and the proposed widening of Kneeland street from Washington street to Atlantic avenue.

For the Committee.
(Aug. 9.) JOHN E. BALDWIN,
Clerk of Committees.

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BOSTON MAKES FIFTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT OF G. A. R. MOST MEMORABLE EVENT EVER HELD.

CITY AND CITIZENS OPEN ARMS AND HOMES TO NATION'S BEST LOVED HEROES AND MEN AND WOMEN OF '61 ARE FETED TO SURFEIT. MAYOR CURLEY GIVEN UNSTINTED PRAISE FOR CITY'S HOSPITALITY.



PORTRAIT OF GEN. GAYLORD M. SALTZGABER, NATIONAL HEAD OF G. A. R., PRESENTED TO HIM BY CITY OF BOSTON THROUGH MAYOR JAMES M. CURLEY.

Boston, with its characteristic warm-heartedness and hospitality has taken into her arms for a final embrace the members of the G. A. R. and kindred organizations who have been here for the 58th annual last encampment, in this city. Boston wept with them in the joy of having them with her. She laughed with them for the spirit they showed in warding off the years and retaining their youth in such a way as to enjoy her

hospitality and she has cheered them at every turn both for the past and the future.

Remembering that there are but a few years left to any of them not a citizen but opened heart and home to these old grizzled and halting heroes who by their lives and sacrifices set the example of patriotism that has ever been the model of the youth of the land. The convention has come and gone but the memory

of these marching, laughing, trudging hosts who were the city's guests for the week will ever linger in the minds of those who took part in any of the many exercises or shook the hand of one.

From the presentation of the large oil painting of Gen. Gaylord M. Saltzgaber till the last veteran was placed on his train for home nothing has been too good for Boston to offer these old, loving and loveable heroes, the pets of the entire nation. They were welcomed to the city at Symphony Hall on Monday night by his Honor Mayor James M. Curley, and after a week filled with activities sent on their way to the next convention with a heartiest "God Bless You," from the bosom of us all.

Boston officially gave the veterans and their allied organizations automobile rides, dinners, banquets and general good times that concluded Thursday evening with a fire works display that was voted the greatest ever held, and a trip to Plymouth on Friday. Interspersed with these were dedications of tablets and the planting of trees for famous generals and in honor of encampments in the various states.

Tribute was paid to the nurses and the women of the G. A. R. as well as to the heroes themselves. As a token of the esteem in which these old heroes will be ever held keys to the city have been distributed to show that Boston will ever open her hearts to them and treasure their visits. As the result of their coming Boston cherishes a deeper and a warmer regard for them and they have left the city with a deeper love for the city of historic things than ever before. Every citizen wishes that this city might be the home of the veterans until the last one of them has answered the final bugle call.

MAYOR CURLEY JOINS WITH G. A. R. IN UNVEILING TABLET TO LINCOLN ON PROVINCE STREET.

On the site of the only building in this city which is known to have sheltered Abraham Lincoln—the old Washingtonian Hall at the corner of Bromfield and Province streets—a bronze tablet to the Great Emancipator was dedicated Monday afternoon, August 11, with impressive patriotic ceremonies in which Gen. Gaylord M. Saltzgaber, commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, participated, along with Mayor James M. Curley.

The tablet, which is upon the side of a building now under construction at the corner of the widened Province street, was dedicated by the commission on historical sites, of which Judge David A. Lourie is chairman, and was accepted in behalf of the city by Mayor Curley.

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'O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, August 18, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquises, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TREES FOR NOTED GENERALS ARE DEDICATED ON COMMON DURING G. A. R. EXERCISES.

Fully one thousand persons Monday evening watched the dedication of forty-eight trees on the Common in and around G. A. R. circle, by members of that body, the Women's Relief Corps, and Mayor Curley.

Four trees were set aside in honor of outstanding figures of Civil War days. Three of them are set at the corners of a triangle of lawn at the foot of Monument Hill toward Tremont street. They honor Lincoln, Grant and Sherman. The fourth, nearby, is in memory of Sheridan. The other trees are in recognition of each of the forty-four state departments of the G. A. R. and were dedicated by delegations from those states.

The main exercise was at that tree named for Lincoln. It was dedicated by Mrs. Flo J. Miller of Illinois, past national commander of the Women's Relief Corps. She was introduced by Mrs. Belle W. Bliss, also of Illinois, and present national commander, who in turn was introduced by Mayor Curley, who was the principal speaker at the observances.

Commander George A. Hosley of the Kearsage Naval Veterans presided, and after the Mayor's talk, called on Gen. Gaylord M. Saltzgaber, commander in chief.

Following this the other main trees were in turn dedicated, the ceremonies being performed by Judge James A. Willets, past commander in chief, and Mrs. Leura C. Inman, national patriotic instructor. Here, also, the exercises were in charge of Mr. Hosley, who is chief of staff to Gen. Saltzgaber.

The official party marched on the

Common and over to Monument Hill from Boylston street with firm tread behind the life and drum corps of the Department of Michigan, led by their state commander, M. C. Barney.

The sharp manner in which they rolled drums, and swung arms in time to every note coming true from fifes, gave little sign of the three-score years which have passed since first they slung drum straps over shoulders and placed pipes to lips. When they did stop for breath, the Massachusetts Glee Club of the Women's Relief Corps, led by Mrs. Flora Chapin, carried on with patriotic and army songs, which swelled to a great chorus with hundreds of younger voices.

ASKS CITY TO DECORATE FOR G. A. R.

The Mayor issued the following proclamation August 8:

To the Citizens of Boston:

The Fifty-eighth Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will open next Monday, August 11. The city and state are hosts of this historic patriotic body to which the country owes so much and which Americans delight to honor.

Their presence in Boston should be made a gala occasion; and I ask that the citizens of Boston show their appreciation of the service and sacrifice of these honored veterans by freely decorating their homes and houses with national flags, bunting and other evidences of their good will.

They served and saved the nation in its hour of peril. Hang out your banners today that the old heroes may know that Massachusetts and Boston do not forget.

Do it now.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF G. A. R. PAYS NOTABLE TRIBUTE TO MAYOR CURLEY.

SINGS PRAISES OF BOSTON FOR HAVING SUCH AN HOSPITABLE, ENERGETIC AND BIG HEARTED CHIEF EXECUTIVE TO CARE FOR VETERANS AND THEIR ALLIED BODIES. PRAISES CONTRIBUTION TO CONVENTION AND EXPENDITURE OF \$200,000 FOR PRESERVATION OF FANEUIL HALL.

Comrades.

The commander in chief gives you a cordial greeting and bids you welcome to the Fifty-eighth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic.

My wish is that each of you may have unloaded his cares and anxieties at home and that you may derive the greatest enjoyment from this renewed association with your comrades and friends.

We all have the feebleness of old age and its attendant maladies. Let us, however, with the confident spirit that carried us forward in battle for the preservation of our glorious Union, respond once more to the fanfare of the trumpets, the music from the bands, and the martial music from the fife and drum, carry ourselves proudly and happily during the days of this reunion.

The first thought that occurs to me is one of thankfulness to the splendid Mayor of the great City of Boston, who only seven years after we had been in Boston before, with patriotic ardor invited us back to share the great city's hospitality.

On the occasion of the visit to Boston by officers and members to make arrangements for the encampment, the Mayor with unbounded cordiality greeted and cared for us. He has been Chairman of the General Committee of Arrangements and has done everything within his power to make the present meeting of the members of the Grand Army of the Republic, their auxiliary, and allied societies a most joyous occasion. We owe him a great debt of gratitude.

The City of Boston has shared with its Mayor every evidence of hospitality, and great esteem of our noble order. Its officials, representing the patriotic sentiment on the part of its citizens, have voted \$25,000 for our entertainment, and have otherwise made great preparations to show their appreciation of that Grand Army which preserved national integrity and destroyed forever human slavery in America.

Boston has shown its wonderful spirit, and the depth of love conferred on America by past generations, in restoring to its original state at a cost of \$200,000 that shrine of American liberty, Faneuil Hall, in which the distinguished men of Boston kindled the fires of freedom and gave birth to the cherished doctrine that "all men are created equal," and have certain "unalienable rights, among which are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness."

Dear old historic Boston! Every American citizen ought to be proud to repair to its sacred precincts and here learn the lesson of our republic's birth and man's freedom from oppression. Let our ears be open to the story of the sacrifices and achievements of the fathers who founded a union of states, a union of hearts, and a union of hands which

they hoped would be indissoluble, and here let us thank God that we were the instruments in the hands of Divine Providence to recement more firmly the ties of union which rebellious subjects to save the wicked institutions of slavery, sought to destroy. Let us count this a pilgrimage to this birthplace of the American spirit, and while we enjoy its gracious kindness and generosity, let us here pledge anew our allegiance to the free institutions of America.

His Excellency, Channing H. Cox, Governor of Massachusetts, has nobly seconded the efforts of Mayor Curley and, largely through his influence, this great state has also voted the sum of \$25,000 to provide for the enjoyment of the comrades and their friends at this encampment.

Thoughts of Boston and Massachusetts are inseparable, and our hearts will beat with gratitude for the kindness of the Governor of the Commonwealth, its General Court, and indeed all of its citizens.

I believe it is my duty to herein acknowledge the kindness of the managers of the passenger traffic lines all over the United States in giving favorable rates to the members of the Grand Army of the Republic, members of their families, members of their auxiliary, and allied organizations.

For several years a rate of one cent a mile was allowed us, but the expense of operating railroads has increased enormously and perhaps they are justified in the present charge. However, we are allowed a great reduction from the ordinary rate and for this I am sure all of those who avail themselves of the privilege, will be very grateful.

The commander in chief visited as many state encampments as he was able. It is a matter of extreme regret that so many of them are held at the same time, or so close together at widely distant places that it is impossible for the commander in chief to meet with them all.

From the hearty welcome extended to me on the occasion of my visit at every state encampment I assume that the comrades in each department are glad to have the commander in chief with them on the occasion of their meetings. No scheme of itinerary has even been worked out so that department encampments may be conveniently arranged to follow each other in succession.

In addition thereto, the various orders including the auxiliary and allied organizations should all have their meetings at the same time and place; thus it would be easy not only for the commander in chief but also the national heads of the other orders to be in attendance all together at the meetings. Greetings back and forth are highly appreciated and thus could have ample opportunity afforded.

I bear testimony to the magnificent

spirit shown at the state encampments. I visited them as far north as New York and New Hampshire and as far south as Arkansas and Georgia. Although aged and infirm and with scant purses to pay their way, comrades, the auxiliary and allied orders all bore themselves proudly and greatly enjoyed the privilege of getting together. On each occasion there was the usual routine, the rivalry for office, and the transaction of necessary business, to all of which comrades called up again the vigor of their youth and the wisdom of experience. These meetings wherever held in the United States, with the old heroes clad in their blue uniforms, upon the lapels the bronze buttons, and over their hearts the insignia of our grand order; with their parades; their martial music; addresses by comrades and others at their meetings; the general observance of Memorial Day; work in the schools; the gifts of flags to schools with the appropriate exercises by the Woman's Relief Corps; the gifts of pictures of Lincoln by the ladies of the G. A. R.; the splendid spirit of co-operation by every committee where the meetings were held, all tended to radiate patriotism through every part of the republic.

These patriotic events give birth to and keep alive that wonderful love of country which in our young manhood filled our own hearts and induced us cheerfully to enlist and suffer the vicissitudes of a long and terrible war to save the union.

There can be no question about the far reaching influence of these encampments. They preserve and enlarge that love of our precious institutions which under all circumstances is the best bulwark of the nation's defense.

Too high praise cannot be given to our great auxiliary, the Woman's Relief Corps, and its contribution to the welfare of the Grand Army of the Republic, so magnificent and so great that without it the finances of many state encampments might be in a deplorable condition. Even our national organization has felt the quickening impulse of its munificent gifts.

Its labors extend beyond the Grand Army and find opportunity for patriotic undertakings in other directions. I believe that during the period of the World War its growth was at a standstill, but recently it has given evidence of a quickening impulse, added numbers, and increased activities, and the Woman's Relief Corps now numbers roundly two hundred thousands members, a great company of workers.

There is no reason why it should not have a million members at least, because its objects are so good, and the qualifications for membership so broad, that it should rapidly recruit its strength until its numbers will wield a wonderful power for blessing others.

Its national president, Mrs. Bell W. Bliss, has shown great ability and wise management in the administration of her high office. My association with her has proven her worthy of hearty commendation.

The society's very able secretary, Eliza Brown Daggett, because of her long experience and capable endeavor, is worthy of praise without stint.

The Ladies of the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans, Daughters of Veterans, and Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, are each and all entitled to very high praise. They give cheerful allegiance to the Grand

Army of the Republic, and also afford aid and helpfulness. They each have a restricted eligibility for membership and consequently their growth is not numerically as great as that of the Woman's Relief Corps. The Grand Army is under obligation to them for favors shown, and in the conduct of their affairs they inculcate the virtues of patriotism and good deeds. We have reason to be proud of each and all of them.

The only suggestion I have to offer is that the women should be all together in one organization. They would then be an increased power for doing good with no rivalries or antagonism.

The commander in chief expresses himself as under great obligation to all of those on his official staff. Every officer connected with the Grand Army performed each duty cheerfully and ably, and all are to be highly commended.

Care should be taken in the selection of members on the Committee on Resolutions. In past years so-called resolutions were adopted without care in editing, and considerable trouble was experienced by reason thereof. I recommend that the Committee on Resolutions be empowered to employ a stenographer to put in proper form such resolutions, the passage of which the committee recommends.

With the reports of officers is given in full the report of the Committee on Incorporation, together with a copy of the law adopted by Congress incorporating the Grand Army of the Republic. This has been sought for years and the efficient members of this committee, namely: Robert W. McBride, John M. Williams, and David F. Pugh, are each entitled to the thanks of the National Encampment for the judicious manner in which they endeavored to secure this legislation and have finally succeeded. Inasmuch as action of members of the encampment thereon is required, the law should be carefully considered.

John N. Stewart, a member of George G. Meade Post 444, Department of Illinois, G. A. R., was charged with being guilty of conduct unbecoming a soldier and gentleman in his relations with members of the Grand Army of the Republic. He was also charged with being guilty of conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline. Specifications were filed. He was tried by a post court martial in October and November, 1923, and found guilty as charged and sentenced to be dishonorably discharged from the Grand Army of the Republic. This occurred on the 5th day of November, 1923.

An appeal was taken by the accused to the Department Commander of Illinois, William J. Lioberton, who on the 12th day of December, 1923, approved the action of the court martial.

From this an appeal was taken to the commander in chief, who on January 5, 1924, after an examination of the charges, specifications, record of the trial, argument, findings, and sentence, did find that there were some technical errors but none which affected the substantial rights of the accused, who was present and took part in the trial, and did adjudge that said John N. Stewart was guilty as charged and determined, and that the findings and sentence should be and were thereby approved.

Comrade Stewart complained that the decision of the commander in chief was premature and filed arguments so called,

after which on April 30, 1924, the commander in chief informed him that the appeal dated April 30, 1924, in the matter of the so-called court martial by George G. Meade Post 444, Department of Illinois G. A. R., had been carefully considered, and upon further consideration of all the facts in the so-called appeal on the part of John N. Stewart, the commander in chief saw no reason why he should change the conclusions at which he formerly arrived; that the appeal was not sustained; and that the action of the court martial was approved.

Certain documents which purport to be a record of the charges, specifications, trial, findings, and a judgment of the Court, approval by the commander of the Department of Illinois, and afterwards by the commander in chief, are filed with the adjutant general for such action as the National Encampment may choose to take.

The penalty of treason is death.

The last Congress passed a law to aid in the construction of a statue to Jefferson Davis and other confederates, and President Coolidge signed the same. It is as follows:

An Act to authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the commencement on June 18, 1923, of the work of carving on Stone Mountain, in the State of Georgia, a monument to the valor of the soldiers of the South, which was the inspiration of their sons and daughters and grandsons and granddaughters in the Spanish-American and World Wars, and in memory of Warren G. Harding, President of the United States of America, in whose administration the work was begun.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in commemoration of the commencement on June 18, 1923, of the work of carving on Stone Mountain, in the State of Georgia, a monument to the valor of the soldiers of the South, which was the inspiration of their sons and daughters and grandsons and granddaughters in the Spanish-American and World Wars, and in memory of Warren G. Harding, President of the United States of America, in whose administration the work was begun, there shall be coined at the mints of the United States silver 50-cent pieces to the number of not more than five million, such 50-cent pieces to be of the standard troy weight, composition, diameter, device, and design as shall be fixed by the Director of the Mint, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, which said 5-cent pieces shall be legal tender in any payment to the amount of their face value.

SECT. 2. That the coins herein authorized shall be issued only upon the request of the executive committee of the Stone Mountain Confederate Monumental Association, a corporation of Atlanta, Georgia, and upon payment by such executive committee for and on behalf of the Stone Mountain Confederate Monumental Association of the par value of such coins, and it shall be permissible for the said Stone Mountain Confederate Monumental Association to obtain said coins upon said payment, all at one time or at separate times, and in separate amounts, as it may determine.

SECT. 3. That all laws now in force relating to the subsidiary silver coins of the United States and the coining or striking of the same, regulating and guarding the process of coinage, providing for the purchase of material and for the transportation, distribution, and redemption of coins, for the prevention of debasement or counterfeiting, for security of the coin, or for any other purposes, whether said laws are penal or otherwise, shall, so far as applicable, apply to the coinage herein authorized: *Provided*, That the United States shall not be subject to the expense of making the necessary dies and other preparations for this coinage.

I believe this is the first time in the history of the republic that the government of the United States has been called upon to aid in the construction of a monument to those who were leaders in the Great Rebellion against it. The statues are those of Jefferson Davis, Robert E. Lee, Stonewall Jackson, and other confederates.

It is plainly to be seen that the title of the act is a cunningly woven fable with intent to deceive. The project was conceived and carried forward by those who practice a cult of glorifying the lost cause and idolizing the heroes thereof. It was begun more than six years ago and why mention Harding's administration when it had nothing to do with it?

What has become of the boasted pride of the Southerner who would to the length of his purse build monuments to his leaders but would scorn to ask the aid of the government against which they fought? Would it be proper to suggest to the Secretary of the Treasury who is to determine the matter, that upon one side of the coin should be the face of Jefferson Davis, surrounded by his name and the words: "The head and front of the Great Rebellion," and on the opposite side the words: "The United States of America thus does honor to treason?"

Undoubtedly the great majority of Congress would have voted against the law if they had known of its real purport. We do not object to the Confederates building monuments to their heroes but is it not time to draw the line when the United States Government which they sought to destroy is asked to help build them?

We are still glad of the magnanimous treatment accorded by Lincoln and Grant to the Southern soldiers and there is no stint in our friendship for those who are within the limits of the former confederacy, but is it not going too far when the governments aids in extolling treason and builds monuments to those who were chief conspirators against it?

Should we not express our own sentiments on the subject and inform the patriotic citizens of our nations of this crime against loyalty? From sunrise to sunrise again we will be true to our love of America, but never! so help us God, never! shall we pay homage to treason.

I thank all of the comrades who had anything to do with giving me the office of commander in chief. I have regarded it as the highest office to which a Union soldier can aspire. Although the duties have been onerous I have derived much pleasure in the performance of them. It has given me the opportunity of visiting dear comrades in their home states and mingling everywhere with the mem-

bers of the Grand Army whom I esteem as the heroes of a great conflict in which they were victorious and by which, under the providence of God and the leadership of Abraham Lincoln, they preserved intact and undivided the greatest republic that ever blessed mankind.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Locust street, bounded:

West by another part of Locust street, eight feet; north by the same, ninety feet; east by the same, eight feet; and south by the same, ninety feet; containing seven hundred and twenty square feet more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 165 feet of 20-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 95 feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Locust street, between Von Hillern street and land of the Old Colony Railroad Company.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Locust street for a distance of about two hundred feet westerly from land of the Old Colony Railroad Company, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts herein-after respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 569, Sewerage Works, Locust Street, Dorchester, June 18, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department, and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.		Amount.
1.	Meisel Press Manufacturing Company	\$200 00
2.	Hyman, Harold S. and David Stern	200 00
		\$400 00

GRAND ARMY EXHIBITION AT THE LIBRARY.

CIVIL WAR MANUSCRIPTS, AND OLD PRINTS, PHOTOGRAPHS, LITHOGRAPHS, ETC., SHOWN.

In honor of the Grand Army veterans an exhibition on Civil War manuscripts, old prints, colored lithographs, engravings, photographs, etc., has been arranged at the Boston Public Library. Hundreds of veterans visit the library daily, and their curiosity—as they bend over the showcases—is not less than that of their grandchildren who are with and around them.

From the "View of Fort Sumter" (a pale lithograph) to the "Surrender of General Lee" many a battle is commemorated on these quaint colored old prints. On the engraving of the "Surrender" (with the figures of Grant and Lee under the big apple tree, and with the long lines of their respective armies stretching away in the background) the publisher modestly announces that "This memorable event terminated the 'Great Rebellion.' Memorable event surely a perfectly safe statement.

The battles of Bull Run, Spottsylvania, Antitam, Chattanooga, Gettysburg, the Battle of the Wilderness, etc., the Siege of Atlanta, capture of New Orleans, Sheridan's ride—all the memories of those stirring years are here depicted in the good romantic fashion with white horses and tasseled saddles, flying banners, glittering sabres and here, also, are the bodies of the slain lying in the fields. Some of these prints are respectfully dedicated by the publisher "to the Gallant Officers and Men whose valor and skill secured the Victory." Then there are other pictures showing the drills and exercises in the camps. Evidently, at the "Encampment at Neponset, Dorchester," a great many Massachusetts volunteers got ready for the southern fields. The "Independent Boston Fusiliers" in their red jackets and blue trousers seem to us so far removed in the past; and yet perhaps some of these very soldiers are with us today.

The naval battles are not less commemorated. An engraving depicts the first conflict between iron-clad vessels. The "Merrimac" and the "Monitor" are in the foreground; the other ships (with the "Rebel Tugs") are only half shown. The "Merrimac" itself is fully described on another print. We see the engine room, the wheel house, the wardroom, the turret machinery. And then prints of gunboats, the "Eutaw," "Manhattan," etc.

In the exhibition there are also to be found many posters ("Fall in Men! Recruits wanted, 50 good Men!") and photographs. The Public Library possesses hundreds of original photographs of the scenes and events of the Civil War. The Brady collection, which contains a large portion of them, in especially valuable today. Battlefields, photographed almost before the smoke had cleared, headquarters, tents, groups of officers and men, generals and their staffs. Above a small tent one reads the sign: "General post-office."

LETTERS BY LINCOLN AND HIS WIFE.

The Lincoln photographs themselves amount to hundreds. One especially

catches the eye. Lincoln on the battleground of Gettysburg. In his long black coat and tall hat (which made still taller his gaunt figure) and with the necktie brushed to one side, there is something so simple and humane and touching in the whole picture, . . . this little snapshot is more eloquent than big volumes of pompous historians. Seeing this picture one needs not ask why Lincoln was one of the greatest figures of history.

These manuscripts are exhibited in the Barton Room. The letter of Lincoln to the "Honorable House of Representatives first attracts the attention. It was written on June 12, 1862, and informs the House on a matter of the California Circuit Court and its judge. Also little notes and autographs of Lincoln are shown. Next in the case is a long letter by Mrs. Lincoln (signed "Mary Lincoln"). "I am in need of two bonnets" begins the writing, and goes right on: "I do not wish expensive ones, but I desire them very fine quality and stylish. One, I wish, fine, very fine, black Neapolitan straw, pretty shape. This I desire, to be trimmed with black love ribbon, with pearl edge. I cannot have it without the latter. I send you a bonnet which I think would be a pretty style, perhaps mixed with the bow on top; some black sprays would not be amiss. . . ." And so follow the directions, one after the other. Pearls, ruches, face flowers, ribbons, through four full pages. And then it closes in the characteristically feminine way: "I am sure, I need not direct you, you will send me something *comme il faut*. . . ."

In the same case are photographs of Grant, Sheridan, etc., together with a letter of Grant written to his father. In the next case are photographs and manuscripts of Jefferson Davis, Alexander Stephens and others. The letter of Davis (written on September 23, 1863, in Richmond, Va.) transmits to the House of Representatives a communication from the Secretary of War "in further answer to the resolutions of August 21, about the reports of engagements with the enemy." A most interesting document is a manuscript of five pages; instructions of the Department of State (Montgomery, March 16, 1861) to the commissioners sent over to the European governments on the part of the "Confederate States of America."

Perhaps, the collection of war ballads reveals best the spirit of the time. From "Marching Along" to "Soldier's Farewell," hundreds of songs speak of the hundreds of moods of the people. It is enough to read the titles: "Stand by the Flag," "Rallying Song," "When this cruel war is over," etc. "Maryland, my Maryland," with its gallantry and tinge of sadness, cannot fail to move one even today. The confederates were disappointed in Maryland, but the poem remains one of the most beautiful among all the songs of the period. But why speak of "disappointment"? Today, the songs about "Honest Abe" and "Jeff Davis" rest peacefully side by side, on the same page of the book. . . .

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for widening and resurfacing roads in Franklin Park, Section 1, Blue Hill avenue to Valley Gate triangle. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained from the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 26, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and completing the building, including plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating, for the Overseers of the Public Welfare and Temporary Home, Chardon, Hawkins and Bowker streets. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Buildings Department, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$7,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 26, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing sidewalk and flooring of the Dorchester Avenue Bridge over Fort Point channel. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for building two concrete piers at the Dartmouth Street Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$12,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 19, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Bostonia avenue, between Breck avenue, and Regent road, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same

office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, August 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Stony brook, Section 10A, Stellman road, private land, Braden street, and Washington street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$70,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 580, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$7,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 3, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in West Roxbury Parkway (West Border road, from La Grange street to Pleasant drive), West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$2,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, August 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Bonard road, Hillside avenue, Metropolitan avenue, Marion road, Parkton road, Roberts avenue and Russett road, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in various streets in Roxbury, city proper and Dorchester as enumerated in accompanying advertisement. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained from the office of the Department of Public Works, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 26, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the selling to the city of land for an elementary school in the Thomas Gardner District, Allston, in the territory bounded by Market street, Western avenue, Mackin, Waverly, Portsmouth and Lawrence streets. All proposals must be submitted at or before Tuesday, August 26, at the offices of the Schoolhouse Commission. A public hearing will be held at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, Tuesday, September 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the erecting and completion of an intermediate school in the Samuel Adams District, Cottage and Gove streets, East Boston.

Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$20,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, September 5, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing 750 concrete meter boxes. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 19, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, August 14.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Margaret Dullea has been continued in employment for a period of thirty days, at \$60 a month.

Catherine J. Moore has been appointed permanent clerk at \$340 a year.

BOARD OF APPEAL.

Mary R. Scanlan has been granted an increase in salary as a stenographer and clerk from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

COMMITTEE FOR AMERICANISM.

Lillian G. Foley has been appointed stenographer at \$25 a week for a temporary period of three months.

The following have been appointed for a period of two weeks at \$20 each: Ruth Hannon, Margaret Loonie, Margaret Sullivan, Katharine Kelly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Permission has been granted to transfer to the Institutions Department 200 used beds, mattresses and pillows, for which the Fire Department has no further use.

Francis J. Cooley has been appointed as an automobile mechanic and acetylene welder at \$5.50 a day, six days per week.

Daniel P. J. Gallagher has been appointed temporarily as a rubber goods repairer at \$5.50 a day.

Charles S. Murphy and Eugene S. McSweeney have been appointed as inspectors in the Interior Division of the Wire Division at \$1,600 a year.

Permission has been granted to sell to Leo Heller, four discarded chemical tanks for the sum of \$205. The following bids have been received:

Leo Heller, \$205; Chief F. H. Nourstrong, Halifax, \$200; New England Fire Appliance Company, \$175.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, August 7:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Rita M. Rourke, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Agnes Eagan.
 Mary M. Fallon, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Norine Murphy.
 Alice McGrath, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Dorothy McLaughlin.
 John J. Pierce, attendant, \$600 a year, temporary.
 Adria Miller, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Julia Kelley.

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

James L. Foley, deckhand, transferred from mate, temporary, steamer "George A. Hibbard," \$27 a week.

House of Correction.

John P. Egan, officer, \$1,300 a year, temporary, made permanent, new position.
 George A. Nelson, officer, transferred from officer and messenger, Central Office, \$1,400 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been granted temporary employment:
 Mary Rooney, 2 days; Mary Sullivan, Maurice J. Walsh, Thomas McDonough, John Kelley, Henry O'Keefe, 1 day each.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

The following persons have been granted an extension of temporary employment as carpenters at \$5 a day for an additional period of two months from August 9: Patrick McGuire, William J. Walker, John J. Gately, Coleman J. Gorham.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Central Office).

Terrence P. O'Donnell has been granted an increase in salary from clerk at \$1,700 a year to clerk at \$1,800 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Edward J. Dolan, deckhand, has been transferred from the Institutions Department to the Ferry Service as carpenter at \$5.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Walter J. Malloy has been employed as clerk at \$1,100 a year to fill a permanent vacancy.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Increase in salary has been granted to the following chauffeur-teamsters from \$27 to \$33 a week, when operating pick-up machines or sprinklers and flushers: John H. Curtin, James A. Hartigan, William G. Curley, John J. Sweeney, Patrick Hartigan.

Also Martin J. Giovenella, chauffeur-teamster, from \$30 to \$33 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

William H. Collins has been appointed inspector at \$1,400 a year.
 Vincent B. Brady has been granted an increase in salary as rodman from \$1,100 to \$1,300 a year.
 William V. P. Hoar has been transferred from the engineering sewer office to the sewer assessment office, with change of rating from assistant engineer

to engineer in charge of sewer assessment office. All records in connection with catch-basins and the duties of supervising their cleaning will be transferred to the sewer assessment office. The latter office is carried wholly on the maintenance budget, as is also the expenditure for catch-basin and sewer cleaning. It is thought that greater efficiency will be obtained by consolidating these activities.
 He takes the position formerly occupied by E. S. Dorr, with increase in salary from \$2,700 to \$2,900 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

William H. Kickham and Dennis McCarthy have been continued in temporary employment as carpenters at \$5.50 a day for sixty days, from August 6.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

William G. Tonner has been appointed clerk of works at \$1,900 a year.
 Bernard V. Cullen has been appointed provisionally as an electrical draughtsman at \$2,080 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

James J. Murphy has been granted an extension of employment as transitman at \$1,400 a year, for three months.
 Daniel F. Donovan, Jr., has been appointed rodman for three months, beginning August 6, 1924, at \$1,100 a year.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Russell S. Hyde has been designated to act as Acting City Treasurer at such times as the City Treasurer is absent during the four weeks commencing August 11.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, August 7:
 Edward O'Keefe, janitor, 1 day, \$4.50;
 William Mullen, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.
 John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, August 7:
 James A. Gately, monotype runner, 5 hours, \$3.05; Patrick Kelly, monotype caster, 5 hours, \$4.10; Daniel F. Sullivan, apprentice, 4 hours, \$2.44; James H. Sullivan, apprentice, 5 hours, \$4.75. Total, \$14.34.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 11:
Pavers.—Coleman McDonough, William McCartney, Michael Mogan, Arcangelo Faiella, John O'Brien, Cornelius O'Connor, 1½ days, \$7.22 each; Philip McGinn, Coleman Feeley, 1½ days, \$8.25 each; Timothy O'Sullivan, 1½ days, \$6.57.
Engineer.—John Mahoney, 1½ days, \$7.22.
Laborers.—William Jeffers, 2½ days, \$12.66; Patrick Doherty, Barnet Bajeches,

William McLaughlin, Luke Kilduff, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Abraham Minsky, Edward Barnes, Patrick Carroll, William Sruhan, Frederick Jenness, Michael Fitzgerald, William Carolan, James Gallagher, William Mahoney, James Henneberry, William McGee, Walter Wenzel, Thomas King, Charles McNulty, Cornelius Courtney, John McCarthy, John Cassano, Andrew Doran, Donato DeVincenzo, 1½ days, \$5.91 each.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

The Jarvis Engineering Company has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for refrigeration from July 31.

John B. Dolan has been granted an extension of the time of performance of the contract for the erection and completion of the new fire station for Engine Company No. 40 until September 1, 1924. The contract is dated October 6, 1923, and was to have been completed February 16, 1924.

This is the third extension under this contract and is necessary for the following reasons: 1. Delay in getting started. 2. Inclement weather encountered during the progress of the work. 3. Delay due to strike called on city work during July.

LINCOLN TABLET.

(Continued from page 1241.)

After the invocation by Rev. Charles L. Shergur, chaplain in chief of the G. A. R., Judge Lourie, who presided, made the formal presentation, explaining that the tablet's purpose is to commemorate the only visit Abraham Lincoln made to Boston, when, as a comparatively young man, in 1848, he addressed a rally of the Young Men's Whig Club in Washingtonian Hall on "Why Zachary Taylor Should be Elected President."

The tablet, which was executed in bronze by John Francis Paramino, was unveiled by Miss Hazel E. Lourie. It shows Lincoln's profile in bas-relief as he appeared in 1848, for an impression of his features was taken in plaster at that time and this mask was used by the sculptor in designing the memorial.

Under the likeness appears the inscription, "Abraham Lincoln first visited Boston in 1848. Spoke at a Whig rally September 15 in Washingtonian Hall which was on this site. Placed by the City of Boston, 1924."

Mayor Curley, in accepting the tablet, expressed the hope that it may prove an inspiration to future generations of Bostonians to give finer and finer service to the American flag. "The life and sufferings of Lincoln," declared the Mayor, "should prove an inspiration as long as the American republic exists, an inspiration for courage, for determination and for right living."

"During the Civil War the men who upheld Lincoln knew only one uniform, the uniform of blue. The uniform of the greatest moral force in the world—the Grand Army of the Republic! Two million eight hundred thousand persons made possible the preservation of the Union at that time. Who were they? Were they Ku Kluxers? The Ku Kluxers were not known during the Civil War or during the World War. They are never known during any war, but they are camp followers and scavengers. This un-American aggregation of mongrels must be destroyed for the good of America."

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved a contract with Frank J. Gallagher & Co. for plastering, brick and carpenter work at the

quarters of Engine Company 12, Dudley street: Bids, opened Wednesday, July 30, were as follows:

Frank J. Gallagher & Co., \$14,700; M. S. Kelliher & Co., \$15,500; Casey & Darcy Company, \$16,457; Guiney & Hanson Construction Company, \$16,770; Walter Curley & Son, \$16,920; M. J. Fish & Sons, \$16,927; John P. Curley, \$16,938; A. Piotti Company, \$16,971; Samuel Pasquale, \$17,550; Northeastern Construction Company, \$22,000.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 25 the Mayor approved a contract with Nichols-Egan Company for finish hardware for the Teachers College Group. There was but one bid opened July 18. This was from the Nichols-Egan Company, in the sum of \$2,250. The Nichols-Egan Company has done considerable work for the department in the past and its work has been satisfactory.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the lowest bidders as indicated for surgical supplies for the New Out-Patient Department of the Boston City Hospital. (Refer to A. H. Thomas catalogue.) Bids, opened July 18, were as follows:

	E. F. Mahady.	Eimer & Amend.	Thomas W. Reed Company.	Wappler Electrical Company.	Codman & Shurtleff.	Metropoli- tan Dental Supply Company.	E. Leitz, Inc.
24 Bottles, narrow mouth, flint glass (2200), capacity 64 ounces, each...	* \$0 30	\$0 32	—	—	\$0 30	—	—
6 Bottles, dropping, with ground-in pipette and rubber bulb, capacity 30 ml. (2255), each.	36	30	—	—	* 30	\$0 50	\$0 36
3 Burners, Micro, 2½ inch, (2546), each.	62	60	—	—	80	—	* 55
4 Cylinders, with ground rim at top, 375x75 mm. (4396), each.	1 25	—	—	—	* 1 10	—	—
6 Flasks, filtering, Pyrex glass, capacity 1,000 ml. (5431), each.	1 45	1 45	—	—	1 45	—	* 1 45
48 Syringe needles, Luer Slip, steel, gauge 18, length, 1½-inch (9408), per dozen.	1 66	1 90	—	—	1 67	* 1 15	—
48 Syringe needles, Luer Slip, steel, gauge 18, length, 2-inch (9408), per dozen.	1 83	2 10	—	—	1 84	* 1 15	—
48 Syringe needles, Luer Slip, steel, gauge 22, length, 1-inch (9408), per dozen.	1 50	1 65	\$2 00	—	1 50	* 90	—
60 Syringe needles, Luer Slip, steel, gauge 22, length, 1¼-inch (9408), per dozen.	1 50	1 65	1 20	—	1 50	* 1 15	—
24 Syringe needles, Luer Slip, steel, gauge 25, length, ¾-inch (9408), per dozen.	1 17	1 35	1 25	—	1 20	* 80	—
48 Syringe needles, Luer Slip, steel, gauge 26, length, ¾-inch (9408), per dozen.	1 17	1 35	1 25	—	1 20	* 80	—
24 Pipettes, transfer, with bulb in middle of tube, to deliver 1 ml. (8150), per dozen.	1 62	1 80	—	—	2 00	23	* 1 60
18 Pipettes, transfer, with bulb in middle of tube, to deliver 50 ml. (8150), per dozen.	* 3 78	4 40	—	—	6 50	52	4 35
3 Supports, without fittings, with rectangular base, med. size (9336), each.	* 52	60	—	—	70	—	75
3 Syringes, without needles, capacity 5 ml. (9390), each.	* 1 33	1 50	1 42	—	2 60	1 50	—
6 Thermometers, class G, engraved on stem, range 10°-100° Centigrade (9325), each.	* 70	1 00	—	—	1 10	—	75
24 Watch glasses, diameter, 40 mm. (9836), per dozen.	62	* 35	—	—	60	—	65
24 Micro cover glasses, rectangles, size 22x40 mm. No. 1 (7024), per doz.	* 8 10	\$ 36	—	—	\$ 22	—	\$ 45
50 Feet rubber tubing, F. S. pure gum, bore ½ inch (8834), per foot.	10	13	—	—	11	08	* 07
70 Pounds Acid, Nitric, c. p., sp. gr. 1.42 B. A., per pound.	35	* 16	—	—	23	—	—
1 Pound Acid, Nucleinic, from yeast, Merck, per pound.	* 25 60	—	—	—	31 00	—	—
1 Pound Acid Oleic, U. S. P., M. W. L., per pound.	* 39	—	—	—	42	—	—
6 Ounces Acid, Uric, c. p., Pfan, per ounce.	1 75	1 75	—	—	* 1 40	—	—
2 by 5 Pounds, Calcium Hydrate, pure powder, B. A., per lot.	3 85	—	—	—	* 3 80	—	—
1 Pound Carbon Bisulphide, c. p., B. & A., per pound.	* 44	—	—	—	45	—	—
10 Pounds Casein, from milk, washed, per pound.	55	* 35	—	—	55	—	—
2 by 5 Pounds Chloroform, c. p., B. & A., per lot.	8 67	—	—	—	* 8 00	—	—
1 Pound Glycerine, c. p. (Glycero), B. A., per pound.	* 46	—	—	—	57	—	—
2 by 5 Pounds Mercury, U. S. P., redistilled purified, per lot.	19 50	* 15 50	—	—	16 00	22 50	—
12 Forceps, snap artery, per dozen.	* 9 00	—	12 00	—	10 25	13 50	—
6 Pairs scissors, straight, both sharp, 4½-inch, each.	1 00	65	90	—	75	1 10	* 40
12 Pairs scissors, fine dissecting, 4 inch, both points sharp, per dozen.	7 80	7 50	10 00	—	* 5 75	9 75	7 20
12 Forceps, fine dissecting, 3½-inch, slender points, per dozen.	* 4 80	6 00	8 00	—	5 00	6 20	7 20
12 by 1 Ounces, Pyroxylin, purified, Mallinckrodt, per lot.	12 00	—	—	—	* 12 00	—	—
1 Kny-Scheerer Otis Urethrotome, complete with 2 blades, each.	18 00	—	24 00	—	* 16 25	25 00	—
1 Shelton electrical centrifuge complete with two tube heads, each.	27 00	25 50	27 00	—	* 22 75	—	29 50
1 Boeckel Bunsen burner, each.	* 30	40	75	—	80	—	—
1 Zeiss microscope, model A. S. C., each.	125 00	125 00	—	—	—	—	* 112 50
1 Bausch & Lomb, substage lamp for above, each.	5 85	5 85	—	—	10 25	—	* 5 85
1 Wappler fulguration outfit complete with rotary convertor for use on direct current and including all accessories, each.	* 295 03	—	—	\$296 36	315 00	—	—
1 Dozen hygienic improved white enamel pitchers, style 192, size three quarts, per dozen.	18 00	—	22 50	—	* 17 40	—	—
1 Dozen hygienic improved white enamel basins, 14-inch, per dozen.	11 50	—	12 00	—	* 11 30	—	—
1 New York hospital, No. 200, table, complete, each.	* 103 80	—	—	—	—	—	—
8 Kny-Scheerer, No. 1792, irrigators, complete, each.	* 18 60	—	—	—	31 00	—	—
1 Wappler, F6124, convertible cystoscope, each.	* 130 00	—	162 50	146 25	143 50	—	—
2 Eynard X-ray ureter catheters, graduated, each.	3 00	—	5 00	7 65	* 2 75	—	—
4 Eynard X-ray plain ureter catheters, graduated, each.	* 2 20	—	3 12	7 20	2 25	—	—
1 Pair Wappler Rongeur forceps for cystoscope, per pair.	* 10 00	—	—	11 25	12 50	—	—
1 Pair Wappler scissors forceps for cystoscope, per pair.	* 10 00	—	—	11 25	12 50	—	—
1 Pair Wappler foreign body forceps for cystoscope, per pair.	* 10 00	—	—	11 25	12 50	—	—
1 Set of nine Sklar Van Buren sounds, 22-30, per set.	4 50	—	5 40	—	* 4 50	6 00	—
2 Small Caples sounds, each.	10 00	—	* 2 00	—	2 75	—	—
2 Large Caples sounds, each.	8 00	—	* 2 00	—	2 75	—	—
4 Filiforms for same, each.	5 40	—	2 00	—	* 7 75	—	—
1 Set four Kny-Scheerer Young's urethroscopes, per set.	26 00	—	27 00	27 55	* 15 50	—	—
52 Eynard olive pt. woven gouges (16-18), each.	65	—	—	—	* 45	—	—
60 Eynard Coude catheters (8-22), each.	* 60	—	90	—	80	—	—
60 Davol soft rubber catheters (8-22), per dozen.	1 30	2 50	—	—	* 1 20	—	—
2 Kny-Scheerer Kollman dilators, complete with handles, Guyon curve, each.	30 00	—	36 00	—	* 28 25	36 00	—
1 Dozen rubber covers for Kollman dilators, per dozen.	3 60	—	9 00	—	* 3 00	6 00	—
1 Sandbox (bati. 6 inches), Boeckel (1620), each.	1 50	—	—	—	* 10	—	25
1 Combination Wappler otoscope and ophthalmoscope No. 6205, each.	* 29 25	—	37 50	32 91	34 50	—	—
1 Spangmonanometer, midjet faught, mercury filling No. 22020, each.	20 00	—	25 00	—	* 17 50	—	—
1 Scarifier, Von Perquet reversible Kny-Scheerer, each.	* 3 00	—	3 75	—	3 50	—	—
1 Paracentesis set with needles Kny-Scheerer, each.	* 2 00	—	2 75	—	3 85	—	—
1 Water suction apparatus Boeckel No. 1753 with No. 1755 coupling, each.	1 25	2 00	—	—	* 1 20	—	—
1 Bunsen burner Boeckel No. 2250, each.	48	50	—	—	* 35	—	—
1 Bunsen burner Boeckel No. 2125, each.	1 00	1 10	—	—	* 75	—	—
1 Shelton electric centrifuge, complete with two heads, each.	27 00	25 50	42 00	—	* 22 75	—	—
1 Slide box for 100 slides, each.	* 65	70	1 00	—	75	—	—
1 Microscope (Zeiss) model, A. S. C., each.	* 125 00	125 00	—	—	—	—	—
1 Mechanical stage for Zeiss microscope, each.	37 00	* 5 85	—	—	11 00	—	—
1 Steel pliers, each.	95	80	—	—	* 75	—	—

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1 Cover slip forceps, each.....	* \$0 12	\$0 60	\$0 75	—	\$0 15	—	—
1 Cover slip holders, each.....	* 12	15	75	—	—	—	—
1 Pair laboratory shears, per pair.....	1 50	1 10	1 60	—	2 35	—	—
1 Laboratory knife, each.....	* 20	60	75	—	20	—	—
1 Wooden test tube rack, small, twenty-two hole, each.....	1 75	80	1 00	—	* 75	—	—
1 Wooden test tube rack, medium, twelve hole, each.....	1 15	* 45	90	—	65	—	—
1 Wire test tube rack, each.....	1 50	* 70	1 25	—	1 10	—	—
1 Iron tripod, each.....	* 36	40	80	—	75	—	—
1 Copper sterilizer with cover and inset, each.....	* 4 60	5 35	6 50	—	—	—	—
1 Sharpening stone for needles, each.....	* 40	4 00	1 25	—	75	—	—
1 Micro lamp, substage form, daylight glass, B. & L., each.....	5 85	* 5 85	—	—	10 75	—	\$6 00
1 Wire test tube holder, each.....	18	10	25	—	* 10	—	—
6 Pinch cocks.....	10	12	—	—	* 10	—	—
1 Triangular files, each.....	15	17	—	—	* 15	—	—
1 Blood counting apparatus, Levy double Neubauer ruling with latest type Nakelt holder, complete in case with two pipettes and cover glasses, each.....	18 00	* 16 00	17 00	—	16 20	—	—
1 Test tube box, each.....	* 90	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Ear cures, Buck's Kny-Scheerer, each.....	85	—	1 50	—	* 75	\$1 15	—
2 Ear forceps, Blake's Kny-Scheerer, each.....	1 25	—	1 00	—	* 70	3 60	—
1 Alcohol lamp, each.....	32	75	50	—	* 30	50	—
1 Nitric acid pipette, each.....	* 15	—	—	—	32	—	—
1 Funnel support, six holes, A. H. T. No. 5665, each.....	2 40	4 75	—	—	* 2 40	—	—
6 Tuberculin syringes, 1 cc. Becton & Dickinson, each.....	* 1 17	—	† 2 00	—	† 4 30	1 80	—
3 Schick outfit syringes, vim, complete sets of two syringes and two needles in each box, each.....	* 4 66	—	6 00	—	† 1 30	6 25	—
1 Luer glass syringe, capacity 2 ml., Becton & Dickinson, each.....	83	1 30	1 25	—	1 30	1 10	—
1 Luer glass syringe, capacity 10 ml., Becton & Dickinson, each.....	* 1 83	2 75	2 75	—	2 50	1 90	—
1 Luer glass syringe, capacity 20 ml., Becton & Dickinson, each.....	* 2 33	3 35	3 75	—	3 15	3 15	—
1 Dozen needles, gold, No. 25, to fit Schick syringe, per dozen.....	* 1 83	—	2 50	—	2 40	2 50	—
1 Dozen needles, steel, No. 25, to fit tuberculin syringe, Becton & Dick- inson, per dozen.....	* 1 17	—	2 00	—	1 25	2 70	—
1 Dozen needles, steel, No. 18, to fit Luer syringe, Becton & Dickinson, per dozen.....	1 66	2 10	2 50	—	* 1 65	3 60	—
1 Dozen needles, steel, No. 20, to fit Luer syringe, Becton & Dickinson, per dozen.....	* 1 50	1 85	2 25	—	1 50	3 60	—
1 Dozen needles, steel, No. 22, to fit Luer syringe, Becton & Dickinson, per dozen.....	1 50	1 85	2 25	—	* 1 50	3 15	—
1 Dozen adapters, Luer needle to tubing, per dozen.....	1 10	—	2 40	—	* 1 00	1 80	—
1 Dozen adapters, Luer syringe to tubing, per dozen.....	1 10	—	2 40	—	* 1 00	1 80	—
2 Metal stopcocks, 3-way, small B. & D., each.....	85	—	1 25	—	* 72	1 15	—
1 Graduate, capacity 500 ml., cyl., each.....	* 90	1 20	—	—	1 20	1 50	—
1 Graduate, capacity 100 ml., cyl., each.....	* 41	55	—	—	54	65	—
2 Dozen test tubes, 75 by 12 mm., per dozen.....	20	20	—	—	* 20	—	—
1 Dozen test tubes (Pyrex), 150 by 18 mm., per dozen.....	1 44	1 32	—	—	* 1 30	—	—
2 Dozen test tubes (Pyrex), 200 by 25 mm. (with lip), per dozen.....	3 60	* 3 00	—	—	3 00	—	—
4 Beakers (Pyrex), 100 cc., each.....	19	19	—	—	* 19	25	—
4 Beakers (Pyrex), 500 cc., each.....	35	32	—	—	* 32	—	—
4 Flasks (Erlenmeyer), 250 cc., each.....	22	* 20	—	—	22	25	—
4 Flasks (Erlenmeyer), 100 cc., each.....	18	* 15	—	—	18	—	—
4 Flasks (Erlenmeyer), 500 cc., each.....	29	29	—	—	29	* 25	—
4 Flasks (Erlenmeyer), 1,000 cc., each.....	42	42	—	—	42	* 40	—
2 Watch glasses, 65 mm., 1/4 inch diameter, each.....	* 08	10	—	—	10	—	—
2 Funnels, 4-inch, each.....	21	24	—	—	* 17	45	—
6 Glass stirring rods, per dozen.....	1 20	60	3 00	—	* 50	—	—
4 Porcelain evaporating dishes, 100 cc., Coors, each.....	32	36	—	—	36	—	—
1 Porcelain evaporating dish, 500 cc., Coors, each.....	* 86	96	—	—	96	—	—
1 Porcelain casserole, 100 cc., each.....	* 44	60	—	—	60	—	—
2 Copper wire B. & S. No. 26, each.....	* 18	35	—	—	40	—	—
2 Wire gauge with asbestos center square, each.....	12	—	—	—	* 1 30	—	—
1 Gross micro slide glasses, per gross.....	1 50	1 50	—	—	* 1 30	—	—
1 Ounce micro glasses cover slips, per ounce.....	1 35	* 1 10	—	—	1 45	—	—
1 Gravity cyl., 250 cc., each.....	1 00	75	—	—	* 74	—	—
1 Dozen test tube brushes, per dozen.....	2 16	60	—	—	* 50	—	—
1 Dozen centrifuge tube grad. 15 ml., per dozen.....	* 3 06	4 50	—	—	3 25	4 80	—
2 Delivery pipettes, capacity 25 ml., each.....	24	60	—	—	* 22	40	—
1 Dozen medicine droppers, per dozen.....	22	40	—	—	* 15	—	—
1 Sahli hemometer (Leitz), each.....	* 7 20	8 00	—	—	8 00	—	—
1 Sahli hemometer tubes, grad., each.....	1 20	* 75	—	—	1 50	—	—
1 Albuminometer, each.....	68	60	1 50	—	* 25	1 25	—
1 Urinometer, Squibbs type, each.....	85	1 50	90	—	* 75	—	—
1 Dozen mouthpieces for rubber tubing, per dozen.....	* 1 20	—	—	—	1 50	—	—
1 Dozen test glasses, capacity 50 ml., per dozen.....	* 2 40	3 50	—	—	2 60	12 00	—
3 Boxes labels for micro slide box, per box.....	* 09	10	—	—	10	—	—
1 Package filter paper, qualitative, 110 mm. diameter, per package.....	* 15	20	—	—	2 00	—	—
1 Ream filter paper, qualitative, 20 by 20 diameter sheets, per ream.....	7 25	* 7 00	—	—	10 15	—	—
1 Dozen bottles, dropping, capacity 2 ounces, per dozen.....	3 00	4 10	—	—	3 00	* 1 25	—
1 Dozen bottles, reagent, with glass ground stoppers, per dozen.....	3 00	* 2 35	—	—	6 50	—	—
20 Feet rubber tubing, 1/4-inch, per foot.....	* 02	—	—	—	06	—	—
2 Feet rubber tubing, 1/2-inch, per foot.....	* 05	06	—	—	14	—	—
1 Roll adhesive plaster, sheets, per roll.....	* 1 15	—	1 35	—	1 25	—	—
4 Batteries for otoscope, each.....	* 20	—	35	—	25	—	—
1 Package lens paper, sheets, per package.....	68	* 25	—	—	40	—	—
2 Lamps, nitrogen filament, for substage lights, each.....	* 1 10	—	—	—	1 35	—	—
UTENSILS, OUT-PATIENT DEPARTMENT.							
250 Dressing basins, improved hygienic, No. 1354, size 28, each.....	* 50	—	—	—	50	—	—
20 Instrument basins, improved hygienic, No. 458, size 20, each.....	50	—	—	—	* 50	—	—
2 Large bed pans, improved hygienic, Perfection shape, each.....	* 2 00	—	3 00	—	2 60	—	—
2 Small bed pans, Eureka, each.....	* 1 75	—	3 00	—	1 75	—	—
20 Arm soak basins, improved hygienic, No. 427, size 60, each.....	* 5 25	—	9 00	—	6 15	—	—
2 Foot soak basins, improved hygienic, No. 141, size 47, each.....	2 75	—	4 50	—	* 2 47	—	—
10 Foot soak basins, improved hygienic, No. 141, size 52, each.....	3 50	—	5 75	—	* 3 34	—	—
60 Mouthwash cups, improved Ker-Swedish, No. 207, size 7, per dozen.....	2 25	—	—	—	* 2 04	—	—
18 4-ounce graduates, improved hygienic, No. 507, size 100, per dozen.....	5 00	—	—	—	5 25	—	—
18 16-ounce graduates, improved hygienic, No. 597, size 500, per dozen.....	9 50	—	—	—	* 9 50	—	—
12 Dozen pairs assorted Mahady, or equal, surgeon's gloves, per dozen.....	3 00	—	4 80	—	3 20	—	—
12 Plaster knives, with wood handles, per dozen.....	* 2 40	—	3 60	—	3 00	4 80	—
6 Kelly pads, large size Davol, No. 603, each.....	4 50	—	6 50	—	4 35	—	—
24 Gauze pads, improved hygienic, No. 544, size 30, per dozen.....	* 70 00	—	30 00	—	70 80	—	—
2 Douche pans, improved hygienic, No. 1272, size 40, each.....	* 1 50	—	2 25	—	1 75	—	—
36 Enamelled pitchers, improved hygienic, No. 192, size 15, per dozen.....	* 17 00	—	30 00	—	17 40	—	—
5 Spatulas with steel blade and wood handle, length, 6 inches, per dozen.....	6 00	\$ 50	—	—	* 4 75	—	—
5 Shears, 9-inch with bent black handle, each.....	2 50	2 10	—	—	* 1 37	—	—
12 Dozen white enamel jars, improved hygienic, No. 225, size 18, per dozen.....	* 18 00	—	—	—	20 80	—	—
3 Dozen gray enamel basins, style 135, size 28, per dozen.....	6 00	—	—	—	* 6 00	—	—

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SERUM-THERAPY SERVICE.							
1 Flat pliers, each.	\$0 95	\$0 80	—	—	* \$0 75	—	—
1 Burette support, A. H. T., No. 2550, each.	90	* 80	—	—	90	—	—
Reagent bottles, narrow mouth, 250 cc., with labels, No. 2302:							
2 acetic acid, No. 652, each.	90	* 65	—	—	90	—	—
4 Fehling solution, No. 676, each.	90	* 65	—	—	90	—	—
2 hydrochloric acid, concentrated, No. 682, each.	90	* 65	—	—	90	—	—
2 nitric acid, concentrated, No. 694, each.	90	* 65	—	—	90	—	—
2 sulphuric acid, concentrated, No. 717, each.	90	* 65	—	—	90	—	—
Pyrex Erlenmeyer flasks, No. 3542:							
24 100 cc., per dozen.	2 16	2 16	—	—	* 2 15	—	—
12 250 cc., per dozen.	2 64	2 14	—	—	* 2 60	—	—
6 500 cc., per dozen.	3 48	3 48	—	—	* 3 45	—	—
Funnels, Kimble:							
2 2-inch, each.	15	* 14	—	—	18	\$0 35	—
2 4-inch, each.	40	24	—	—	* 24	45	—
2 6-inch, each.	* 27	45	—	—	32	80	—
2 10-inch, each.	* 70	1 30	—	—	1 50	2 25	—
1 Funnel support, No. 5668, each.	63	* 60	—	—	65	—	—
Graduated cylinders, No. 4408:							
2 10 cc., each.	37	* 35	—	—	50	50	—
2 25 cc., each.	* 30	40	—	—	50	60	—
1 100 cc., each.	* 41	55	—	—	54	70	—
1 250 cc., each.	56	75	—	—	74	1 00	—
Graduated cylinders with glass stoppers, No. 4412:							
1 25 cc., each.	54	—	—	—	60	95	—
1 50 cc., each.	68	* 60	—	—	75	1 15	—
1 100 cc., each.	* 75	80	—	—	82	1 30	—
1 250 cc., each.	* 1 00	1 10	—	—	1 12	1 65	—
2 Gr. sputum bottles with cork stoppers, No. 2325, each.	6 20	—	—	—	* 6 20	—	—
12 Wine glasses, per dozen.	2 40	—	—	—	* 90	—	—
6 Glass stoppered bottles, 500 cc., No. 2220, per dozen.	* 1 60	3 60	—	—	5 00	—	—
3 Balsam bottles, No. 2214, each.	* 25	1 00	—	—	25	—	—
6 Dropping bottles, 30 cc., No. 2255, per dozen.	4 00	3 60	—	—	* 2 85	—	—
6 Dropping bottles, 30 cc., No. 2257, per dozen.	* 2 70	3 60	—	—	3 00	—	—
6 Dropping bottles, 1 ounce, No. 2256, per dozen.	2 70	* 16	—	—	* 3 00	—	—
6 Urine specimen glasses, per dozen.	* 4 80	—	—	—	* 4 15	—	—
2 Zeiss A. S. C. microscopes, with 3 lenses and 2 eye pieces, each.	* 125 00	125 00	—	—	240 00	—	—
1 Dark field condenser with funnel stop, each.	* 20 00	20 90	—	—	22 90	—	—
1 Spencer micro lamp, No. 374, each.	15 75	15 75	—	—	* 10 00	—	—
4 Daylight lamps, Spencer, No. 358 B with knife plug attachment, each.	* 5 85	5 85	—	—	35 00	—	—
3 Extra bulbs for daylight lamps, each.	1 00	1 25	—	—	* 1 00	—	—
1 Small Zeiss mechanical stage, each.	37 00	* 35 00	—	—	44 00	—	—
1 Copper sterilizer, Castle, No. 214, 14 by 5 by $\frac{3}{4}$, with tray and cover, each.	6 00	—	\$8 00	—	* 6 00	—	—
2 Copper sterilizers, Castle, No. 208, approximately 3 by 5 by 2, with tray and cover.	4 60	—	6 25	—	* 3 00	—	—
3 Long pipe gas burners, for above sterilizers, 12-inch, on legs (Boeckel), each.	3 00	—	—	—	* 2 00	—	—
6 Tirrell Bunsen burners, per dozen.	15 00	* \$ 95	—	—	15 00	—	—
3 Bunsen burners, 3-tube, No. 2562, each.	2 00	—	—	—	* 1 95	—	—
2 Bunsen burners, 4 burners in a line, No. 2565, each.	2 50	3 30	—	—	* 2 25	—	—
3 Bunsen burners, No. 2516, each.	80	* 60	—	—	80	—	—
1 Illuminating flame, No. 2544, each.	1 60	* 1 40	—	—	1 60	—	—
1 Bunsen blast, No. 2602, each.	4 00	—	—	—	* 4 00	—	—
1 Bunsen blast, No. 2651, each.	* 6 50	—	—	—	6 50	—	—
2 Tripods, No. 9731, each.	40	* 30	—	—	40	—	—
2 Tripods, No. 9735, each.	1 20	* 45	—	—	63	—	—
1 Ring stand, 3-ring, No. 9342, each.	* 1 00	1 30	—	—	1 48	—	—
1 Ring stand, 4-ring, No. 9342, each.	* 1 75	2 10	—	—	2 52	—	—
1 White enamel sterilizer with tray and cover, 18-inch length, each.	* 4 25	—	—	—	4 60	—	—
3 Enamel trays, 12 by 7 $\frac{1}{4}$ by 2, No. 355-30, each.	1 50	—	—	—	* 1 20	—	—
3 Enamel trays, 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ by 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ by 2, No. 355-26, each.	90	—	—	—	* 90	—	—
2 Enamel trays, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ by 7 $\frac{1}{4}$ by 2, No. 211-32, each.	1 50	—	—	—	* 1 30	—	—
1 Long enamel tray, 18-inch, each.	* 1 00	—	—	—	1 50	—	—
6 Enamel wash basins, 12-inch, each.	* 50	—	80	—	60	—	—
8 White enamel pails, small, with cover, each.	1 75	—	3 50	—	* 1 50	—	—
12 Wire test tube baskets, No. 9474, 10 by 6, round, with handle, each.	2 00	1 30	—	—	* 1 20	—	—
24 Wire test tube baskets, No. 9477, 6 inches square, each.	* 75	92	—	—	80	—	—
3 Scissors, 5-inch, straight, each.	1 00	* 70	90	—	80	—	—
12 Test tube racks, wire, 12 by 3 tubes, $\frac{1}{4}$ inches, square, per dozen.	24 00	—	\$ 1 60	—	* 14 40	—	—
1 Wire cutting pliers, each.	1 50	80	—	—	1 50	—	—
6 Platinum wires, each 4 inches long, 24 g. with aluminum handle, per dozen.	* 30 44	\$ 4 50	—	—	—	—	—
2 Copper boxes with handles, 16 by 10 by 6, for boiling test tubes, each.	* 8 50	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Copper boxes with handles, 13 by 8 by 6, with hinged cover, each.	* 12 50	—	—	—	—	—	—
ORTHOPEDIC SERVICE.							
6 Jones short cock-up hand splints, H396, per dozen.	9 60	—	11 52	—	* 9 00	13 00	—
2 Jones skeleton hand splints (Dorsiflexed), H395, each.	2 00	—	2 00	—	* 1 60	2 25	—
6 Jones long hand splints, H398, per dozen.	10 80	—	11 52	—	* 9 00	13 00	—
1 R. and 1 L. long hand splints with thumb piece, H400, each.	* 1 00	—	—	—	—	1 10	—
Walker wrist splints, R. 2 2 4 5 6, H345, each.	* 1 00	—	1 10	—	1 35	22 50	—
Walker wrist splints, L. 2 2 4 5 6, H345, each.	* 1 00	—	1 10	—	1 35	22 50	—
Internal angular (Bolles), small, R. and L., 6 each, each.	* 75	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medium R. and L., 12 each, large R. and L., 12 each, H480, per dozen.	10 80	—	—	—	—	—	—
12 Adjustable internal splints, H430, per dozen.	* 21 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoulder caps, 5 small, 12 medium, 15 large, H310, per lot.	* 35 25	—	—	—	—	—	—
Osgood Penhallow splints, small R. and L., 2 each, No. 481, per lot.	* 13 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
Osgood Penhallow splints, No. 481, medium R. and L., 5 each, large R. and L., 8 each, per lot.	* 91 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Jones abduction arm splints, straight, H394, per dozen.	* 30 00	—	—	—	—	38 00	—
3 Jones humerus extension splints, No. 29706, per dozen.	36 00	—	4 00	—	42 00	—	—
2 Jones humerus traction splints, H391, each.	* 4 50	—	5 00	—	4 50	—	—
3 Jones padded elbow splints, H392, each.	* 3 00	—	—	—	3 50	4 50	—
2 R. and 2 L. abduction arm splints (Acroplane), per lot.	90 00	—	—	—	* 30 00	—	—
4 Dozen coaptation splints for humerus and femur, H355, per dozen.	* 3 10	—	—	—	* 22 50	—	—
6 Dozen buckles and straps, per dozen.	* 5 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Hinged Thomas leg splints, per dozen.	48 00	—	—	—	* 30 00	—	—
3 Thomas leg splints with Pearson attachment splint, H380 and 386 attachment, each.	4 50	—	—	—	* 3 00	4 00	—
2 Pearson screw pads No. 29608, each.	* 2 00	—	4 00	—	2 60	—	—
2 Jones combination foot, ankle and leg splints, H376, each.	* 4 75	—	6 75	—	5 50	6 75	—
2 Jones rectangular foot and ankle splints, each.	3 00	—	—	—	* 2 60	—	—
1 Wooden ham splints, sizes, 1 2 3 4 per lot.	* 13 50	—	—	—	15 00	—	—
2 2 4 4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wooden ham splints jointed, 1-1 only, 3 sizes, No. 2, No. 3, per lot.	35 00	—	—	—	* 18 00	—	—
Wood splints, entire leg, double inclined plane, sizes, small, medium and large, No. 29482, per lot.	* 15 75	—	6 50	—	18 50	—	—

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3 Hickenlooper, self-closing clamps, sizes, small, BS490, medium, BS489, large, BS488, per lot.	\$24 00	—	—	—	* \$10 50	—	—
1 Dozen crutches, various sizes, plain, H535, per lot.	9 00	—	\$12 00	—	* 6 00	—	—
FEMALE SURGICAL SERVICE.							
Bennett gas-ether inhaler and tanks, each.	63 90	—	* 75 00	—	50 00	\$88 00	—
10 Dissecting kits consisting of the following, Kny-Scheerer: 2 scalpels, 4 haemostats, 2 grooved directors, 2 probes, 1 smooth thumb forcep, 1 pair straight Dever scissors, 1 pair curved Dever scissors, per kit.	* 7 00	—	40 00	—	8 00	15 00	—
16 Pairs bandage scissors, per pair.	5 1/2", 1 30 7 1/4", 1 65	—	1 50	—	* 1 20	1 35	—
MALE SURGICAL SERVICE.							
1 Bennett gas-ether inhaler and tanks, each.	63 90	—	* 75 00	—	50 00	88 00	—
10 Dissecting kits consisting of the following, Kny-Scheerer: 3 scalpels, 4 haemostats, 2 grooved directors, 2 probes, 1 smooth thumb forcep, 1 pair straight Dever scissors, 1 pair curved Dever scissors, per kit.	* 7 00	—	40 00	—	8 00	16 00	—
16 Pairs bandage scissors, per pair.	5 1/2", 1 30 7 1/4", 1 65	\$1 65	1 50	—	* 1 20	1 35	—
GASTROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.							
1 Davol ordinary stomach tube, with aspirating bulb and funnel, each.	1 25	—	—	—	* 1 00	—	—
3 Lyon or Rehfuß stomach tubes, with connecting tubes, clips and 1-ounce glass syringes, cath. pt., each.	2 00	—	2 00	—	* 2 00	—	—
3 Ten cc. graduates cylinders, No. 49, each.	38	* 35	60	—	45	—	—
1 Dozen screw top jars, 4 ounces, W. T. Co., No. 9, per dozen.	1 00	1 20	—	—	* 90	—	—
6 Evaporating dishes, 2 2-inch, 2 3-inch, 2 4-inch, per lot.	1 72	1 68	—	—	1 90	—	—
3 100 cc. graduates, cylinder style, each.	* 40	* 53	—	—	50	70	—
6 Glass rods, 10 inches long, per dozen.	1 80	50	—	—	* 45	—	—
4 Pipettes, 1, 2, 5, 10 cc. volumetric, each.	58	* 75	—	—	* 96	23	—
1 Forcep, A57021, 10 inches, each.	1 75	—	—	—	* 1 60	—	—
1 Drop bottle, phenolphthalein 1 per cent solution, each.	50	—	—	—	* 30	—	—
1 Drop bottle for Toppers reagent, each.	50	—	—	—	* 30	—	—
1 Tube, Congo paper, per tube.	* 10	* 15	—	—	30	—	—
1 Bottle Occult Blood Tablets (Squibbs), per bottle.	* 2 09	—	—	—	2 42	—	—
1 Bottle N. NaO. H. 1 pound (E. F. Mahady), per bottle.	* 2 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 Bottle N. H. C. L., 1 pound (E. F. Mahady), per bottle.	* 2 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 Small 2-cell portable battery and connection cords, Wappler, F6410, each.	* 5 60	—	—	—	7 00	—	—
12 Cotton stick, size 12-inch, wood applicators, per dozen.	* 10	—	—	—	9 00	—	—
1 Roll absorbent cotton, per roll.	* 50	—	50	—	50	—	—
12 Reinforced finger cots, per dozen.	25	—	60	—	* 20	—	—
1 Jar vaseline, 12 ounces, each.	50	—	2 25	—	* 20	—	—
1 Basin, 12-inch, each.	* 50	—	—	—	60	—	—
1 DeVilbiss powder blower, No. 36, each.	1 10	—	—	—	* 85	—	—
1 De Vilbiss powder reservoir, per lot.	2 50	—	—	—	* 2 00	—	—
1 2 and 4 quart enamel reservoir, per lot.	* 50	—	—	—	1 50	—	—
1 Rectal tube, with one tube, each.	06	—	—	—	* 05	—	—
2 Clips, each.	2 00	—	—	—	* 1 25	—	—
1 Rubber sheet, each, pt., each.	75	—	—	—	* 75	90	—
3 1-ounce syringes, cath. pt., each.	* 50	—	—	—	1 12	—	—
3 Davol rubber bulbs for aspiration, each.	* 10	20	—	—	35	—	—
9 6-ounce bottles, narrow mouth reagent, N. S., each.	* 2 50	—	—	—	22 50	—	—
9 Rubber stoppers and glass tubes to fit bottles for Jutte set, per lot.	* 1 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 300 cc. glass reservoirs, each.	2 63	* 2 16	—	—	2 25	2 66	—
1 Graduated test tube 6 by 1/2 lipped, per gross.	2 40	—	—	—	* 90	—	—
12 Wine glasses, No. 1917, per dozen.	12 00	—	—	—	* 10 75	—	—
6 Gravity tubes, No. 606, each.	* 30	1 00	80	—	65	—	—
1 Bunsen burner, No. 62, each.	5 40	* 4 00	9 00	—	5 40	—	—
1 Dozen, each medical urine glasses, per dozen.	2 70	* 22	3 60	—	3 00	—	—
1 Dozen, each, package, filter paper, 6-inch Alpha, per dozen.	3 24	* 2 40	6 00	—	2 50	—	—
1 Dozen, each, 4-inch funnels, No. 1620, per dozen.	1 60	—	—	—	* 1 00	—	—
1 Dozen, each, urine screw top jars, per dozen.	* 65	—	—	—	1 39	—	—
2 Pounds Acetic acid B. & A., per pound.	66	—	1 00	—	* 43	—	—
1 Pound Nitric acid, B. & A., per pound.	* 1 50	—	1 50	—	2 50	—	—
1 Pint Benedict's Solution (Quantitative Solution, E. F. M.) per pint.	* 84	1 10	3 00	—	1 20	—	—
1 Dozen vials litmus paper: 6 red, 6 blue, per dozen.	* 75	—	1 80	—	—	—	—
1/2 Pint Iodine fog-bile test, E. F. M., per one-half pint.	2 00	1 85	—	—	* 1 70	—	—
1 Mortar and grinder, 6-inch (Wedgewood), each.	1 00	—	* 60	—	1 00	—	—
1 Tray, each.	* 2 09	1 85	—	—	2 42	—	—
100 Occult blood tablets (Squibbs), per hundred.	* 1 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 Pound Lugols Solution (E. F. M.), per pound.	* 3 50	—	—	—	3 75	—	—
1 Ewald stomach aspirator evacuator, each.	3 00	—	—	—	* 1 50	—	—
2 Jutte intestinal tubes, each.	* 1 00	—	—	—	1 00	—	—
2 Palefski tips (Perin Surg.), each.	14 40	—	—	—	* 14 25	—	—
1 Sigmoidoscope, Electric & Surgical Instrument Company, No. 436, each.	12 00	—	—	\$27 35	* 11 75	—	—
1 Proctoscope, Electric & Surgical Instrument Company, No. 435, each.	* 14 00	—	—	—	25 50	—	—
1 Long curette type forcep, 60 cm., Kny-Scheerer, each.	* 8 60	—	10 50	—	10 70	—	—
1 Rheostat socket current controller, Wappler, each.	1 60	2 00	—	—	1 80	—	—
6 5 cc. transfer pipettes, Kimble, per dozen.	* 1 98	2 60	—	—	2 80	2 60	—
1 Dozen 10 cc. transfer pipettes, Kimble, per dozen.	3 00	3 60	—	—	* 3 00	3 30	—
6 Dropping bottles, 30 cc. (E. F. M.), per dozen.	18 00	18 00	—	—	* 18 00	—	\$18 00
100 Erlenmeyer Pyrex flasks, 100 cc., Corning Glass Company, per hundred.	* 22 00	22 00	—	—	22 00	—	22 00
50 Erlenmeyer Pyrex flasks, 250 cc., Corning Glass Company, per hundred.	20 00	20 00	—	—	* 20 00	—	20 00
2 Burettes, 50 cc. (1-10), Kimble, each.	1 05	* 1 60	—	—	* 65	90	1 25
4 Burettes, with side arm, 50 cc., Kimble, each.	1 40	1 80	—	—	* 85	1 10	—
12 Burettes, attachments, clamps, single jaw, per dozen.	4 00	* 3 50	—	—	15 00	—	4 60
12 Funnel supports, wood, to hold 12 tubes, per dozen.	9 60	57 00	—	—	30 00	—	* 7 20
10 Burette supports, iron, rectangular base, 3 rings, each.	1 00	1 20	—	—	1 15	—	1 00
18 Clamp holders, 1/2-inch, Boeckel, per dozen.	2 40	—	—	—	* 1 75	—	2 88
12 Clamps, Boeckel, per dozen.	* 2 40	—	—	—	* 1 70	—	2 88
12 Bunsen clamps, 8-inch, per dozen.	* 3 60	8 00	—	—	4 75	—	3 84
1 Thermometer, C-200 Chemical, Taylor, each.	* 1 00	1 30	—	—	2 00	—	—
2 Tripods, 8-inch, each.	* 40	60	—	—	75	—	60
2 Asbestos screen mats, 6 by 6 inches square, each.	12	15	—	—	10	—	—
2 Automotive Schelbach lined burettes, 50 cc., Kimble, each.	* 1 45	2 80	—	—	2 25	—	6 00
2 Separatory funnels, 200 cc., Kimble, each.	1 80	1 65	—	—	3 10	2 80	1 98
24 3-inch glass funnels, per dozen.	2 70	1 80	—	—	3 35	4 20	3 00
6 Test tube supports for 12 tubes, A. H. T. Co., per dozen.	9 60	* 43	—	—	7 80	—	7 20
2 Test tube supports for 6 tubes, A. H. T. Co., each.	50	* 35	—	—	50	—	60
6 Pint jars (Whitall, Tatum Company), per dozen.	17 00	* 2 50	—	—	9 00	—	—
2 1-quart Thermos bottles (E. F. M.), each.	* 2 70	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Ring supports, 2 1/2-inch, Boeckel, per dozen.	6 60	—	—	—	5 00	—	* 2 52
100 Test tubes, lipped, 6 by 1/2 inch, per hundred.	1 80	1 50	—	—	* 1 50	—	1 60
3 Test tube holders, wire, each.	15	10	—	—	10	—	* 08
3 Test tube holders, wood, each.	20	* 10	—	—	10	—	13

	E. F. Mahady.	Eimer & Amend.	Thomas W. Reed Company.	Wappler Electrical Company.	Codman & Shurtleff.	Metropolitan Dental Supply Company.	E. Leitz, Inc.
12 Packs filter paper, 150 mm., Alpha Circle, per package.....	\$0 22	\$0 22	—	—	\$0 25	—	* \$0 21
1 Electric warm stage, C. S. & E., each.....	16 00	20 00	—	—	* 16 00	—	16 00
12 Graduates, cylinders, 10 cc., Kimble, per dozen.....	4 50	* 4 08	—	—	5 25	\$7 25	4 80
2 Graduates, cylinders, 50 cc., Kimble, per dozen.....	* 4 50	\$ 43	—	—	5 25	7 50	4 80
2 Graduates, cylinders, 100 cc., Kimble, each.....	* 40	53	—	—	47	70	43
2 Graduates, cylinders, 500 cc., Kimble, each.....	* 90	1 15	—	—	1 10	1 50	96
2 Graduates, cylinders, 1,000 cc. Kimble, each.....	* 1 20	1 80	—	—	1 35	2 00	1 28
2 Gross glass slides (E. F. M.), per gross.....	1 50	1 50	—	—	1 30	—	* 1 08
4 Ounce Micro cover glasses, 22 by 22 mm. (E. F. M.), each.....	1 35	* 1 10	—	—	* 1 45	—	* 76
1 Copper water bath Dbl. Boeckel, No. 1468, each.....	23 75	30 25	—	—	* 19 00	—	25 50
1 Set 10 reagent bottles as follows: 13, 126, 108, 105, 106, 103, 104, 111, 101, 102, A. H. T., No. 2312, per set.....	2 50	3 00	—	—	* 2 45	—	2 90
1 Harvard trip balance (Newark Sales Wks.), each.....	* 6 50	9 00	—	—	—	—	8 40
1 Set weights, 1-500 gm., no fractional, Newark Sales Wks., per set.....	* 4 50	5 00	—	—	—	—	5 50
1 Electric centrifuge, medium size (Shelton head with rheostat), each.....	27 00	25 50	\$30 00	—	* 22 75	—	25 00
12 Pyrex centrifuge tubes, 15 cc., plain, per dozen.....	6 05	3 00	—	—	3 50	—	* 2 76
12 Pyrex centrifuge tubes, 15 cc., graduated, per dozen.....	12 42	10 80	—	—	13 50	—	* 10 56
OPHTHALMIC SERVICE.							
1 Zeiss Corneal microscope, with case, extensible stand, compound slide, 3 pairs Objectives, 55, A2 and A3, 2 pairs Huyghenian coulers, 2 & 4, Ulbrick screw for depth measuring, with Gullstrand's slit-lamp with small extensible stand, aspheric slit-lens, after Vogt, with silvered mirror in moveable holder with diaphragm-tube and red-free filter, nitra lamp casing with cable, 3 nitra lamps, 50 C. P., 8 v. regulating resistance 3.3 amp., 50 ohms, 110 v., with cable instrument table with double bar head and chin rest, each.....	489 00	* 461 00	—	—	—	—	489 00
1 Ophthalmoscope, each.....	28 80	—	* 24 00	—	32 00	—	23 00
12 Keratomes, per dozen.....	* 18 00	—	42 00	—	18 00	26 40	18 00
2 Tucking forceps, each.....	* 2 75	—	8 75	—	—	—	7 70
1 Trephine, each.....	2 25	—	3 50	—	* 1 75	6 00	3 75
1 Tonometer, each.....	* 31 50	—	2 50	—	37 50	—	25 00
1 Campimeter, each.....	* 13 50	—	—	—	—	—	50 00
2 Sets lacrimal probes, each.....	* 1 80	—	6 00	—	* 2 50	1 90	—
2 Medium cataract knives, each.....	1 60	—	2 75	—	* 1 50	1 80	—
3 Fixation forceps, each.....	1 40	—	3 25	—	* 90	2 10	—
3 Karatomes, straight, assorted sizes, each.....	1 80	—	3 90	—	* 1 50	2 00	—
1 Set colored worsteds, per set.....	* 6 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Scissors, eye 3 inches, straight, each.....	* 80	—	3 00	—	90	—	—
2 Scissors, eye 3 inches, curved, each.....	* 1 20	—	3 25	—	1 25	—	—
2 Scissors, eye enucleation, each.....	* 1 60	—	2 75	—	1 75	2 00	—
3 Strabismus hooks, assorted sizes, each.....	1 00	—	—	—	* 1 30	1 70	—
3 Lid elevators, assorted sizes, each.....	1 60	—	3 90	—	* 1 50	—	—
UNIT LABORATORY.							
1 Zeiss A. S. C. microscope, each.....	125 00	125 00	185 00	—	—	—	* 112 50
5 Packages lens paper, 9 inches by 12 inches, per package.....	68	* 25	1 75	—	* 40	—	—
5 Shelton electric centrifuge, each.....	27 00	25 50	27 00	—	* 22 75	—	25 00
5 Tallquist hamoglobin scale, each.....	1 75	1 75	160 00	—	1 25	—	* 1 25
30 Dropping bottles, T. K., 30 cc., each.....	* 18	29	60	—	—	25	24
5 A. Standard, with Levy chamber blood counting, complete, and case, each.....	13 50	14 00	—	—	13 50	—	* 7 50
5 Slide boxes, 100 capacity, per box.....	75	70	1 00	—	75	—	* 50
10 Staining dishes, square, each.....	30	33	—	—	—	—	* 27
5 4-inch diameter glass funnels, each.....	27	* 11	30	—	21	45	29
5 Packages 3-inch diameter filter paper, per package.....	13	13	* 24	—	17	—	* 09
30 Dozen test tubes, 6 inches by 3/4-inch, per dozen.....	23	18	40	—	* 18	22	23
5 Bunsen burners and 20-inch rubber tubing, Boeckel, No. 2250, each.....	* 50	\$ 47	—	—	2 35	—	—
5 Test tube supports, 12-tube capacity, each.....	80	* 55	—	—	65	—	65
5 Wire test tube holders, each.....	15	10	—	—	10	—	* 08
5 Co. cylindrical graduates, each.....	45	* 30	—	—	—	80	—
5 9-inch high tripods, each.....	30	* 30	80	—	40	—	—
5 Wire gauze, 6 inches by 6 inches, each.....	12	* 09	18	—	20	—	—
5 1/2-ounce cover glasses, 7 to 8 inches square, each.....	* 68	* 1 10	75	—	* 1 80	—	85
5 2-gr. glass slides, each.....	3 00	* 1 50	—	—	* 1 30	—	* 1 08
5 Straight pipettes, 1cc., 1 mark only, each.....	* 14	18	—	—	—	—	—
5 Platinum loops, each.....	* 1 50	1 75	—	—	—	—	—
5 Cover glass forceps, each.....	* 10	1 25	1 20	—	15	—	15
5 Wine glasses, each.....	20	—	90	—	* 08	14	—
5 Urinometers, each.....	* 75	1 25	1 00	—	* 25	3 10	55
5 100 cc. flasks, each.....	18	* 15	65	—	18	—	18
5 Test tube holders, each.....	15	10	25	—	* 10	—	15
5 5 cc. vol. pipettes, each.....	* 14	18	—	—	40	23	15
5 Vials blue litmus paper, per vial.....	08	50	20	—	10	—	* 06
5 4-ounce nitric acid, per lot.....	1 10	1 25	2 50	—	* 25	—	—
5 4-ounce 5 per cent acetic acid, per lot.....	1 10	30	2 50	—	* 25	—	—
5 4-ounce Gowers solution, per lot.....	1 10	* 75	2 50	—	—	—	—
5 4-ounce Fehlings A., per lot.....	1 10	* 25	2 00	—	2 50	—	—
5 4-ounce Fehlings B., per lot.....	1 10	* 25	2 00	—	2 50	—	—
5 1-ounce phenolphthalein, 1 per cent solution, per lot.....	* 1 10	1 25	5 00	—	1 35	—	—
5 2-ounce grams solution, per lot.....	* 1 10	2 00	2 50	—	—	—	—
5 2-ounce Xylol, per lot.....	1 10	1 00	2 50	—	* 50	—	—
5 1-ounce Toppers test, per lot.....	* 1 10	1 25	2 50	—	—	—	—
5 2-ounce Balsam Xylol, per lot.....	* 1 10	3 75	2 50	—	5 60	—	—
5 1-ounce Bismarek Brown, per lot.....	* 1 10	1 25	2 50	—	2 00	—	—
5 1-ounce Carbol Fuchsin Ziehls, per lot.....	* 1 10	1 25	2 50	—	2 00	—	—
5 1-ounce Gentian Violet, per lot.....	* 1 10	1 25	2 50	—	2 00	—	—
5 1-ounce Loeffler's Meth. Blue, per lot.....	1 58	* 1 25	2 50	—	2 00	—	—
5 1-ounce Wright's Stain, per lot.....	2 50	* 1 50	2 50	—	2 50	—	—
5 50 cc. Burettes grad., 1-10 cc., with stopcock, each.....	* 1 05	1 55	—	—	2 50	1 75	—
5 Burette stands, medium size, with Universal clamp, each.....	* 90	1 25	—	—	1 40	—	—
5 Each iron rings, 2-inch, 3-inch, 4-inch diameter, per lot.....	2 44	4 00	—	—	* 1 35	—	—
GYNECOLOGICAL SERVICE.							
3 Sets Sims specula, 1 large, 1 medium, 1 small, K. S., per set.....	3 75	—	* 3 60	—	3 75	5 40	—
18 Grave's specula, 6 large, 6 medium, 6 small, per lot.....	* 31 00	—	54 00	—	31 50	41 00	—
12-inch Thum style uterine dressing forceps, K. S., each.....	1 50	—	* 1 25	—	1 70	—	—
1 Dozen stem wine glasses, per dozen.....	2 40	—	3 60	—	* 90	—	—
3 5 1/2-inch straight Mayov dissecting scissors, K. S., each.....	* 1 20	—	1 45	—	1 35	—	—
3 Brasky pelvimeters, K. S., each.....	6 00	—	* 4 50	—	6 00	7 50	—
1 5-inch flexible probe, K. S., each.....	15	—	25	—	* 10	—	—
1 6-inch flexible probe, K. S., each.....	15	—	30	—	* 15	—	—
2 8-inch flexible probe, K. S., each.....	25	—	40	—	* 20	—	—
2 10-inch flexible probe, K. S., each.....	35	—	45	—	* 25	—	—
3 5 1/2-inch grooved directors, each.....	* 20	—	60	—	30	30	—
3 6-inch grooved directors, each.....	* 25	—	50	—	30	35	—
2 No. 4 Bard Parker handles, each.....	1 00	—	1 00	—	* 1 00	1 00	—
1 Dozen No. 22 Bard Parker blades, per dozen.....	* 1 50	—	1 50	—	1 50	1 50	—
6 5 1/2-inch mouse tooth forceps, K. S., per dozen.....	8 00	—	10 80	—	* 7 50	10 80	—

	E. F. Mahady.	Eimer & Amend.	Thomas W. Reed Company.	Wappler Electrical Company.	Codman & Shurtleff.	Metropolitan Dental Supply Company.	E. Leitz, Inc.
6 54-inch serrated forceps, K. S., per dozen.....	\$6 00	—	\$10 80	—	\$7 00	\$8 40	—
6 Bunsen burners (Boeckel), per dozen.....	\$3 60	\$80 95	9 00	—	—	—	\$4 20
6 20 cc. Luer syringes, B. & D., per dozen.....	28 00	\$3 00	15 00	—	*27 50	38 00	—
1 Dozen 20 g., 1½-inch Luer needles, B. & D., per dozen.....	1 50	1 85	2 50	—	1 50	*1 10	—
2 Gross glass slides, 3 by 1, Bausch & Lomb, per gross.....	1 35	1 50	1 80	—	2 50	—	*1 08
3 Straight tanaculum forceps, K. S., each.....	2 00	—	—	—	1 90	*1 80	—
3 Straight vulsellum forceps, 1 and 2 teeth, heavy, K. S., each.....	3 75	—	3 00	—	*2 25	—	—
6 Vaginal elevators, K. S., per dozen.....	*1 10	—	—	—	27 00	—	—
3 Gross assorted Smith pessaries (Davol), per gross.....	*10 50	—	—	—	10 50	—	—
1 Dozen each of Nos. 3, 4 and 5 doughnut pessaries (Davol), per dozen.....	3 50	—	6 00	—	*3 50	—	—
1 Gas oxygen apparatus consisting of the following: Flag inhaler, bag, stopcock, Y piece, tubing, large size double yoke and 1 D cylinder each of nitrous oxide and oxygen, each.....	*49 00	—	—	—	—	72 00	—
9 6 by 6 loose cover glass jars, K. S., each.....	1 00	—	—	—	*90	—	—
9 4 by 4 loose cover glass jars, K. S., each.....	55	—	—	—	*50	—	—
3 3½-inch head mirrors, complete with leather bands, each.....	3 10	—	4 00	—	*3 00	4 25	—
500 Wood tongue depressors, per M.....	*1 30	—	—	—	1 50	—	—
1 Box wood applicators, per box.....	*40	—	50	—	50	—	—
1 Copy Todd Laboratory Manual, each.....	*5 40	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 Pound absorbent cotton, per pound.....	*50	—	50	—	50	—	—
1 Pound lamb's wool, per pound.....	1 75	—	2 50	—	*1 00	—	—
3 Drop lights, No. 1297, K. S., each.....	*10 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
NERVE SERVICE.							
1 May ophthalmoscope, complete with large jumbo handle battery, each.....	*23 00	—	28 50	\$27 23	—	—	—
1 Large Meyrowitz No. 4510 perimeter, each.....	*32 00	—	—	—	36 00	—	—
1 Small Meyrowitz No. 4510 perimeter, each.....	*12 50	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 Collins dynamometer, K. S., each.....	*9 50	—	12 00	—	—	11 50	—
1 Set Pfau tuning forks, in case, per set.....	*11 25	—	26 00	—	—	—	—
1 Viets special tuning forks, in case, each.....	*12 00	—	18 00	—	—	—	—
1 Pfau galton whistle, each.....	*4 00	—	4 50	—	—	—	—
3 E. R. flash lights, No. 6993, each.....	*1 50	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 B. & D. Fleischer spinal manometer, each.....	30 00	—	—	—	*20 00	—	—
1 Extra needle for above, each.....	*3 37	—	—	—	50	—	—
6 B. & D. Quincke lumbar puncture needles, per dozen.....	5 40	—	—	—	*4 75	1 25	—
2 Dozen assorted test charts for vision, per dozen.....	*3 00	—	6 00	—	—	—	—
1 Set Binet Test, per set.....	*101 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 Set Haly form boards, per set.....	*100 65	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 Charts for central nervous system; Doctor Cushing's charts for recording sensory loss, each.....	*82 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 Pair Stoelting, No. 11207, head calipers, per pair.....	*11 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 6-inch steel tapes, each.....	*1 00	—	1 25	—	—	—	—
14 Continental platform scales, No. 202, each.....	32 00	—	32 00	—	*30 50	—	—
16 Becton & Dickinson blood pressure manometers, each.....	30 00	—	—	—	*27 50	—	—
Discount for payment in 10 days.....	Net.	—	2 per cent.	—	2 per cent.	Net.	2 per cent.
State best delivery date.....	10 days.	14-20 days.	2 weeks.	—	90 days.	30 days.	14 days.

* Awarded Items.

Approximate amount awarded to E. F. Mahady Company.....	\$3,357 12
Approximate amount awarded to Eimer & Amend.....	640 04
Approximate amount awarded to Thomas W. Reed Company.....	224 40
Approximate amount awarded to Codman & Shurtleff Company.....	2,062 27
Approximate amount awarded to Metropolitan Dental Supply Company.....	33 70
Approximate amount awarded to E. Leitz Company.....	319 93

† Auditor's Copy.

1 S. S. White.

8 Gross.

2 Lot.

9 Wood case.

‡ Auditor's Supply.

3 Vial.

10 System.

4 Ounce.

11 M-Charts.

\$ Each.

5 Set.

6 Quire.

¶ Medium.

7 12-inch Tubing.

|| Large.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the Wedlake-Lamson Company for repairing eight Christie motors. A communication from Theodore A. Glynn, Fire Commissioner, was as follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—I have received a proposal from the Wedlake-Lamson Company, 795 Hackensack Plank road, North Bergen, N. J., quoting a figure of six thousand, one hundred forty-five (6,145) dollars for repairing eight (8) Christie motors. This price includes all shipping charges and all labor and material necessary to put these motors in first-class condition.

I request permission to award the contract for doing this work to the above named concern, without advertising, for the following reasons:

The prices quoted are cheaper than

we can have the work done in local shops.

The Wedlake-Lamson Company succeeded the Front Drive Motor Company, builders of Christie tractors, and is in a position to furnish better service at a much lower price than any other outside concern on this particular work. They have the machinery and forms for doing this work, and are practically the only concern equipped for doing it.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the Library Bureau for new furniture for the Water Department. A communication from John H. Mahony, Acting Superintendent of Buildings, was as follows:

BOSTON, August 1, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Among items enumerated in the budget for the Public Buildings Department for the fiscal year of 1924-25 was the sum of \$2,500 for new furniture for the Water Department, same having been placed there with the explicit understanding that they would

assume the obligation, but the Public Buildings Department would purchase same. Accordingly, the Water Department has submitted to me a request to furnish seven special desks and chairs which will aggregate an expenditure of \$1,628.55.

This is a special desk and as I understand it is only manufactured by one concern. In consideration of the foregoing facts, I respectfully request permission to award a contract without the usual form of advertising to the Library Bureau, 89 Federal street, for furnishing this furniture in the sum of \$1,628.55.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with Edward J. McHugh & Son for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 1, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone side-

walks in the public streets, without advertising, to Edward J. McHugh & Son, 944 Saratoga street, East Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with Bond Brothers for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 4, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Bond Brothers, Everett, Mass., is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon August 7 the Mayor approved a contract with R. H. Ward for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 6, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to R. H. Ward, 11 Glenway street, Dorchester, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with M. F. Gaddis for paving several downtown streets. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 5, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

On July 30 bids were opened for paving Congress street, from Franklin street to Atlantic avenue; High street, from Federal street to Summer street, and Kingston street, from Summer street to No. 24. The bids were as follows:

M. F. Gaddis, \$19,765.10; B. E. Grant

Company, \$20,171.50; Coleman Brothers, Inc., \$20,624.80; M. H. Loonie, \$21,650.10.

The Edison Company was supposed to have completed its work on Congress street, but they have now filed plans for a duct line in that street from High street to Franklin street, which we cannot approve until their work on Pearl street is completed so as to take care of traffic; hence it is inadvisable to award the contract to include Congress street.

South street, from Kneeland street to Summer street, is on our paving program. The Edison Company, with the exception of building services, has practically completed its conduit work in the street, and the paving work involved is identical with that on Congress street but exceeds it in quantity; so that at the unit prices bid for Congress and the other streets, the total bids for paving High, Kingston and South streets will be \$25,906.40.

As the season is getting far along and we do not desire to have too many streets downtown opened up at the same time, your approval is respectfully requested to the award of a contract, without advertising for bids therefor, to M. F. Gaddis for paving High street, Kingston street and South street at the identical unit prices on the bids opened July 30 and which included Congress street. The total amount of this contract will be \$25,906.40.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with M. F. Gaddis for repaving over water pipe trench in Columbus avenue. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 4, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Your approval is respectfully requested to the award of a contract without advertising, for repaving 250 square yards over water pipe trench in Columbus avenue, at the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad bridge, with granite blocks, concrete base and grout joints and repaving 250 square yards between the car rails with granite blocks on the existing base, with grout joints, to M. F. Gaddis, 2A Victoria street, Dorchester, at an estimated cost of \$2,750.

Due to the very heavy traffic on this street, it is very desirable to do this work in the very shortest period and with a minimum of interference to said traffic. A period of delay to allow for advertising and preparations for advertising the job would, in this particular case, be very inadvisable.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with George McQuesten Company for furnishing hard pine to the Bridge Service of the Public Works Department. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 1, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract to George McQuesten Company, without publicly advertising for same, for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Bridge Service, approximately 28,000 feet of hard pine at \$67 per M. in the following sizes: 2 by 4, 1 by 6, 4 by 8, 4 by 10, 6 by 6, 6 by 8, 8 by 8, 10 by 10, plus an additional charge of \$5 per M. feet for planing, plus an additional charge of \$3 per M. feet for cutting to length.

Inasmuch as this lumber is to be used on an emergency job in flooring the Meridian Street Bridge, and as the George McQuesten Company are the best equipped in Boston to take care of this order, I trust that the permission asked for will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for furnishing 100,000 granite paving blocks. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 4, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for furnishing 10,000, more or less, second-hand granite paving blocks at a price of \$95 per M. delivered on the work. These blocks have been examined by the Commissioner of Public Works and the division engineer of the Highway Division, and have been found satisfactory for use in that department.

At the present time the price of new blocks is in excess of \$140 per M. and I feel that by purchasing these blocks, that are practically new, a considerable saving will be effected.

In view of this I trust the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the Ingersoll-Rand Company for furnishing to the Sewer Service, Public Works Department, one gasoline engine-driven compressor unit. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 1, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising for same, to the Ingersoll-Rand Company of New England for furnishing to the Sewer Service, Public Works Department: One 7 by 6, Type 20, portable gasoline engine-driven compressor unit with Massachusetts standard air receiver and mounted on steel wheels and axles, delivered at \$2,627.50.

The Public Works Department have examined various makes of machines, and find that this particular type best meets the requirements of their department.

ment, and I therefore trust that the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with McKinney Brothers for furnishing the Street Cleaning and Oiling Service, Public Works Department, ten draft horses. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

Boston, August 4, 1924.

HON JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award contract, without advertising, to McKinney Brothers of Brighton for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Street Cleaning and Oiling Service, ten draft horses at a price of \$350 each, making total amount of contract \$3,500.

This permission is requested owing to the fact that it is impossible to advertise for horses, and selections of all horses purchased are made by the veterinarian of the Public Works Department, Dr. P. J. Cronin, who has selected these ten horses as being best suited for the work of the Public Works Department.

Trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am,

Yours very respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon August 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the Brandegee estate for the purchase of 37 bay trees. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

Boston, August 4, 1924.

HON JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award contract, without advertising, to the Brandegee estate, Allandale street, Jamaica Plain, for the purchase of thirty-seven bay trees at a total price of \$2,000, delivery to be made to the Park Department.

This request is made owing to a quarantine law which prohibits trees of this nature from being shipped into this country, and as the trees in question are the finest that could be obtained, I respectfully request that the permission asked for be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Singarella has been allowed to amend his contract for grading addition to yard at the Dillaway School in the Roxbury District, Washington street, by striking out the words and figures, "May 1, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "June 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about December 11, 1923, and is to be completed on or before June 1, 1924."

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Landseer street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from La Grange street to Centre street, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Landseer street is hereby laid out, from La Grange street to Centre street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon, or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northeast by La Grange street, forty and 13-100 feet; southeast by the southeasterly line of said extension of Landseer street as hereby laid out, one hundred seventy-one and 92-100 feet; south by the southerly line of said extension of Landseer street as hereby laid out, one hundred twenty-six and 96-100 feet on a curve of seventy-five feet radius; southwest by the southwesterly line of said extension of Landseer street as hereby laid out, by two measurements, one hundred fifty-nine and 65-100 feet and six hundred sixty-eight and 36-100 feet; northwest by Centre street, forty and 72-100 feet; northeast by the northeasterly line of said extension of Landseer street as hereby laid out, by two measurements, six hundred seventy-eight and 26-100 feet and one hundred sixty-one and 97-100 feet; north by the northerly line of said extension of Landseer street as hereby laid out, fifty-nine and 25-100 feet on a curve of thirty-five feet radius; and northwest by the northwesterly line of said extension of Landseer street as hereby laid out, one hundred seventy-five and 19-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the abutting lots of land on both sides of said extension of Landseer street, from La Grange street to Centre street, will receive benefit or advantage other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Landseer Street, West Roxbury, Assessment Plan, May 28, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Fannie S. Bernstein.....	\$155 77
2. Daniel J. O'Donnell, Margaret M. O'Donnell	185 40
3. Frank Holland	290 76
4. Allen B. Bennett, Harriet D. Bennett	290 70
5. Allen B. Bennett, Harriet D. Bennett	290 64
6. Elsie T. Hatch.....	290 58
7. Frank Holland	290 52
8. Marion S. Horton	290 58
9. Marion S. Horton	300 00

10. Daniel McLeod	300 00
11. Daniel McLeod	300 00
12. Peter J. Ryan, Bertha Ryan.....	300 00
13. Charles A. Sutton, Helen A. Sutton	285 00
14. Eloy Monson, Christine Monson...	283 38
15. William M. Sales, Jr., Ada M. Sales	293 82
16. George H. Buxton	290 82
17. George H. Buxton	152 28
18. Bernard J. McFadden, Rose McFadden	156 90
19. Bernard J. McFadden, Rose McFadden	306 72
20. Mary A. Hetherington	182 91
21. Frank Holland	170 69
22. Moses Price	274 08
23. Mary C. Phelan	261 36
24. Maria R. Galligan	289 32
25. Nicholas Berlo	295 92
26. Mary M. Murray	300 00
27. Margaret L. Mahoney	300 00
28. William J. Terry, Mary F. Terry,	300 00
29. Francis W. Robinson, Bertha V. Robinson	300 00
30. Francis W. Robinson, Bertha V. Robinson	300 00
31. Ronald L. Leonard	300 00
32. Andrew J. MacDonald.....	285 12
33. Philip F. Coleman, Henry J. Moulton	288 90
34. Wilder W. White, Dorothea A. White	300 00
35. Frank Holland	300 00
36. Frank Holland	300 00
37. Lois H. Murry	300 00
38. Catherine F. Laing.....	300 00
39. George Hoggman, Michael Mattson	297 06
40. Rose Arnold	193 02

\$10,889 25

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Landseer street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from La Grange street to Centre street, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved:

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Samuel J. Tomasello has been ordered to do the following additional work in contract for concrete surface on terrace around refectory building, Franklin Park. Break off and dispose of approximately 75 granite trellis posts below grade of concrete surface. Cut through granite coping of terrace wall for four (4) outlets to take care of drainage, excavate to greater depth for concrete surface near terrace wall than called for in the contract. Estimated cost of this work \$175.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Long Motor Sales Company have been ordered to deduct from their contract price the sum of \$120 for the omission of eight automobile tires on the two Bay State roadsters delivered as per letter dated August 8, 1924, and the amount of \$120 will be deducted therefor, making the account as follows: Contract price, \$3,000; total deduction, \$120; amount of contract, \$2,880.

The Mayor approved the following request from the Schoolhouse Department:

The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor to the issuance of an order of addition to the contract of J. Slotnik Company, for erecting and com-

pleting the new Dorchester High School for Boys, in an amount of approximately four thousand (4,000) dollars.

At the time the specifications for this building were written, the Board had not determined the merits of the type of flooring now desired. The matter has since been investigated, and it has been decided that Carter "Bloxonend" flooring is the most suitable for use where heavy service will be required.

John Bowen Company have been granted an addition, in an amount of approximately \$2,000, to the contract for the erection and completion of the Theodore Lyman District School, including dampproofing treatment for ceilings, changes in kalamein partitions, extra depth of caisson piles, additional granite curb and change from wooden to wire fence.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been ordered to make the following addition to their contract for erection and completion of the Francis Parkman District School, in an amount of approximately \$3,000. This amount is necessary to cover certain changes which had to be made at the front entrance, also for the substitution of terrazzo floors for wood floors in the corridors, for additional radiation, and for grading.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE REPORT.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—In accordance with instructions contained in Circular Letter No. 25, dated April 8, 1919, I submit herewith a report of the cases aided by the Overseers of the Public Welfare for the month of July, 1924.

MOTHERS' AID.

Number of cases being aided July 1, 1924	1,049
Number of new cases added during the month	21
Total number of cases aided during the month	1,070
Number of cases discontinued during the month	19
Number of cases being aided July 31, 1924	1,051
Net gain during the month	2

DEPENDENT AID.

Number of cases being aided July 1, 1924	1,581
Number of new cases added during the month	106
Total number of cases aided during the month	1,687
Number of cases discontinued during the month	129
Number of cases being aided July 31, 1924	1,558
Net loss during the month	23

TEMPORARY HOME.

Number of women in Home July 1, 1924	10
Number of women admitted during the month	47
Number of children in Home July 1, 1924	9
Number of children admitted during the month	65
Number of women in Home July 31, 1924	16
Number of children in Home July 31, 1924	4
Number of meals served in Home during the month	1,101

WAYFARES' LODGE.

Number of men in Lodge July 1, 1924....	80
Number of men admitted during the month	1,891
Number of men in Lodge July 31, 1924....	80
Number of meals served during the month	3,126

Respectfully yours,

WALTER V. MCCARTHY,
Secretary.

MAYOR MOVES TO TAKE OVER BABY HYGIENE WORK.

Mayor Curley on August 11 sent the following communication to the City Council:

GENTLEMEN,—The Community Health Association of Boston, a private organization supported by public contributions, has been interested in the work of district nursing, baby hygiene, mental hygiene, prenatal and preschool work for a period of thirty-eight years.

The Community Health Association of late have been experiencing the same difficulty that has confronted similar organizations in the matter of the raising of funds for the conduct of the particular activities in which they are interested.

The situation has become so acute that they have served notice that they desire the City of Boston to conduct the baby hygiene activities after September 1, 1924, in the following districts: Charlestown, East Boston, North End, South End and West End. The conduct of the baby hygiene activities in these districts will represent an increased expenditure by the Boston Health Department of \$25,000 for the remainder of the fiscal year. This work, in my opinion, should be conducted by the City of Boston direct, through its Health Department and in all probability unless the philanthropic impulse of those who have aided in the past is supplemented by financial aid the City of Boston will be required to conduct similar activities in every section of the city.

Under the circumstances it becomes the duty of the city to provide the necessary money and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order, the adoption of which will provide sufficient funds for the conduct of these activities from September 1, 1924, to February 1, 1925.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Martino De Matteo has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Hallowell street between Oakland and Newcastle streets, and outlet in private land from Favre street to Hallowell street, Dorchester, from July 26, 1924, to August 12, 1924, seventeen days.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

The Davis Foundry Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for furnishing castings to the High Pressure Fire Service, from July 1 to December 1, because of the fact that the firm had to perfect and manufacture testing apparatus which would successfully withstand the pressure demanded under the contract, which consumed considerable time and also due to the fact that the concern has had some foundry troubles.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Jamaicaaway, between a point 100 feet southwest of Pond street and a point 106 feet southwesterly in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$290.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Wall street, Ward 3, erect three poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Westford street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Castleton street, Ward 14, erect three poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Bennington street, Ward 1, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Woodville street, Ward 12, erect four poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Pond street, Ward 11, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Westcott street, Ward 19, erect one pole.

MAYOR GRANTS LEAVE TO ALL G. A. R. MEN.

Mayor Curley issued the following letter relative to G. A. R. men in city departments.

Boston, August 9, 1924.

To the Heads of Departments.

The National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will take place in Boston during the week of August 11-15, inclusive, and it is desirable that every member of the Grand Army of the Republic in the employ of the City of Boston be afforded an opportunity to join with his comrades in the observance of this great patriotic gathering which in all probability will be one of the last to be held in New England.

You are accordingly directed to grant leave of absence without loss of pay to all members of the Grand Army of the Republic in your department.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority to repair woodwork and iron work, etc., at north drop, North Ferry, Boston, work to be done by Murray Engineering Company, without advertisement, the estimated cost of labor and material being \$3,000. This company has a shop adjacent to the North Ferry and is qualified to do the work expeditiously.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Public Works Department for authority to drive piles, block up ferry bridges, remove machinery, etc., and do certain other work at North Ferry, Boston side, north drop, in connection with repairs to bridge and pontoons. Work to be done by W. H. Ellis & Son Company, without advertisement, the estimated cost or labor and material being \$1,000. This contractor already has a contract for pile work at this ferry and the work can be done by him without interfering with his contract work. Any other contractor's equipment would cause interference.

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING JULY 31, 1924.

(As compared with the same month in preceding years.)

	1924.		1923.		1922.		1921.		1920.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
First Class	106	\$2,534,825	73	\$855,865	55	\$1,195,275	37	\$764,850	35	\$1,135,175
Second Class	71	831,170	58	825,150	62	1,313,800	40	282,600	18	200,225
Third Class	167	872,238	160	773,546	120	624,240	69	254,826	58	109,332
Special	18	7,650	24	11,695	21	28,100	12	6,450		
Total New Work	362	\$4,245,883	315	\$2,466,256	258	\$3,161,415	158	\$1,308,726	111	\$1,444,732
Alterations, etc	648	647,990	657	1,006,017	619	733,606	658	555,596	561	1,194,449
Total Construction	1010	\$4,893,873	972	\$3,472,273	877	\$3,895,021	816	\$1,864,322	672	\$2,639,181
Plumbing	434	\$336,160	314	\$216,435	329	\$324,403	221	\$139,805	266	\$200,093
Gasfitting	1158	64,817	919	52,314	1187	61,927	1131	54,444	615	35,825
Heating, etc	149	173,112	84	93,177	88	67,940	36	74,736	56	134,000
Elevators, freight	15	48,200	12	29,987	14	18,450	8	7,900	15	45,401
Elevators, passenger	10	40,529	17	116,425	9	30,811	9	22,000	3	10,000
Signs, etc	9	10,275	6	3,400	10	2,115	6	4,695	1	6,000
Fire escapes	20	5,355	10	4,205	6	2,825	4	500	6	12,230
Take-downs, wood	31	4,000	24	3,275	18	1,645	29	5,925	29	3,595
Take-downs, brick	5	2,150	7	26,160	12	6,725	3	2,850	16	5,645
Sprinklers	22	36,810								
Total	1,853	\$721,858	1,393	\$544,378	1,673	\$516,841	1,447	\$313,125	1,007	\$452,832
Grand Total	2,863	\$5,615,731	2,365	\$4,016,651	2,550	\$4,411,862	2,263	\$2,177,447	1,679	\$3,092,013
Cashier's Receipts		\$6,973 25		\$6,033 75		\$4,325 50		\$2,803 50		\$2,780 75

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

A. Grande has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works in Elm Hill avenue, between Seaver street and Schuyler street, Roxbury. Items ordered: Support 12-inch water pipe in line of trench, shown on plan outside proposed trench, from Station 0 plus 48 to Station 7 plus 22. Estimated cost of extra work, \$295.

Warren Brothers Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for paving Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Canterbury street to River street. Items ordered: Reset edgestones, relay brick sidewalks and lay bitulithic pavement on macadam foundation in Angell street, from Blue Hill avenue to Canterbury street. Prices to be paid, the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$7,500.

CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Thomas O'Connor & Company have been allowed to change their contracts for the erection and completion of the Roxbury High School for Girls with the approval of the Mayor as follows:

At the time the plans for this building were prepared, the Board estimated that there would be approximately \$153,000 worth of blasting excavation, and this sum was included in the contract as an allowance. By an order of change in contract, the Board has requested the deduction of the total allowance at this time, with the intention of putting through each month an order of addition for the work of blasting performed during the month, which will be determined by our Civil Engineering Division and paid for at the unit prices named in the contract.

The Mayor has approved the following request of the Schoolhouse Department:

The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor to the issuance of an order of addition to the contract of Joseph Rugo, for erecting and completing addition to the Thomas Gardner School, in the amount of \$8,750.

After the awarding of this contract the Superintendent of Public Schools requested the Board to provide a new storeroom and extra toilet rooms in this building. There were also found to be necessary certain changes in construction, i. e., changes in chimney, etc., which could not be foreseen at the time of signing the contract.

Trusting this will meet with your approval, I am

Respectfully yours,
THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

DRAUGHTSMAN, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

There are two vacancies at a salary of \$2,100 a year.

The duties of this position include field investigations and surveys and charting and drafting of material so acquired.

DAIRY INSPECTOR SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

The entrance salary is \$1,400 per year. Applicants must be not less than twenty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants should have pursued sufficient study, including didactic, laboratory, and chemical or field instruction in veterinary medicine, animal husbandry, and dairying, to enable them to judge of the physical condition of the cows and to determine whether the sanitary conditions surrounding the production and handling of the milk, including the feeding of cows, are such as to

endanger the quality thereof; and further, if any of the conditions are not up to the standard, the inspector should be competent to co-operate with the producer and improve them. He should be familiar with rules, regulations, and statutes applying to milk and dairy production.

The subjects of the examination, with their respective weights, will be as follows: Training and experience 6; report, 2; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 4; total, 15.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ENGINEER, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year.

The duties of this position consist of general engineering work in connection with city planning studies. It is desirable that applicants have technical training in city planning work such as afforded by city planning courses in colleges or equivalent practical experience in city planning work. They should be familiar with the growth and development of the city planning movement in this country covering such matters as street planning, zoning, park and boulevard systems, recreational facilities and all other matters which logically pertain to city planning.

The subjects of the examinations with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; practical questions, 1; total, 2.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 7 TO AUGUST 13.

August 7.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. & S. Sidman.....	Rear of 133 and 135 Tonawanda street.	19	First-class garage.....	\$1,600
Ellen Crehan.....	Rear of 177 Blue Hill avenue.	16	First-class garage.....	1,000
Max Levenbaum.....	Rear of 94 Bloomfield street.	19	First-class garage.....	1,000
J. W. Dudley <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 39 Glen road.....	22	First-class garage.....	1,000
May Kelly <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 18 Howes street.....	11	First-class garage.....	1,000
Josephine Houlihan.....	Rear of 22 Howes street.....	11	First-class garage.....	500
M. E. & H. A. McCarthy.....	Rear of 18 and 20 Edison green.	11	First-class garage.....	1,000
J. F. Cotter.....	Rear of 38 Mather street.....	19	First-class garage.....	1,400
Daniel Connolly.....	Rear of 37 Blakeville street.	18	Second-class garage.....	700
R. J. Haberlin.....	Rear of 68 Prince street.....	22	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Thomas R. Diab.....	153 Strathmore road.....	25	Second-class garage.....	1,200
J. H. Graham.....	Rear of 118 Tonawanda st.	19	Second-class garage.....	800
Colonial Filling Station.....	9 West Seventh street.....	9	Second-class filling station.	2,000
Alice E. Fowler.....	143 Park street.....	23	Second-class dwelling.....	23,000
Catherine E. Golden.....	Rear of 95 Bynner street.....	14	Second-class garage.....	1,200
M. W. Norris.....	Rear of 23 Orkney road.....	25	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Peter Nigrello.....	200 Front street.....	4	Special-class store.....	450
E. Day.....	Rear of 62 Thetford avenue.	21	Third-class garage.....	490
Carl Simon.....	Rear of 12 Havey street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	300
G. T. Hentz.....	Rear of 1102 River street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	275
M. S. Marshall.....	44 Fraser street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	400
Arthur Nourse.....	Rear of 12 Allenwood street,	23	Third-class garage.....	775
P. H. Kirley.....	2037 Centre street.....	23	Third-class market.....	50
Bertha Swift.....	75 Robert street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,200
Ronnie O'Brien.....	11 Wallingford road.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
C. P. Mooney.....	445 West Broadway.....	10	Alterations, dwelling and office.	1,400
A. G. R. Graustein.....	9 and 11 Prospect street.....	5	Alterations, junk shop.....	500
Dora Richmond.....	271 Humboldt avenue.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,200
City of Boston.....	80 and 82 Forest street.....	12	Alterations, Police Station.	1,000
Kidder, Peabody & Co.....	115 Devonshire street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	200
Mary Wheelwright.....	65 and 67 Charles street.....	8	Alterations, store and dwellings.	20,000
New England Trust.....	18-24 Milk street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	100

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James Coogan.....	127 Dale street.....	16	First-class garage.....	\$900
Dr. H. H. Flagg.....	Rear of 34 Elm street.....	3	First-class garage.....	1,800
Frank J. Wenzler.....	194 K street.....	9	First-class garage.....	2,200
Sam Flax.....	59-75 Queensberry street.....	8	First-class garage.....	125,000
Gastano Vitale.....	182-186 Centre street.....	15	Second-class store.....	8,000
Celia Roseberg.....	79 Pilgrim road.....	14	Second-class tenement.....	64,000
Boston Elevated Railway.....	3640 Washington street.....	22	Second-class garage.....	40,000
James J. Lynch.....	29 Belmont street.....	3	Special-class garage.....	215
Richard Zapff.....	Rear of 54 Birchwood street,	23	Third class garage.....	500
Thomas Reynolds.....	211 Corey street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Alice E. Fowler.....	19 Hastings street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Albert H. Holz.....	30 Haydn street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,800
M. J. Bouzan <i>et al.</i>	15 Hillside avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,900
Irene Fogel.....	54 Myrtlebank avenue.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
John W. Kickham.....	84 Selwyn street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
J. E. Matheson.....	55 Willow street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Josephine Anderson <i>et al.</i>	477 and 479 Massachusetts avenue.	7	Erect fire escape.....	350
Edward Griswold.....	68 Hinsdale road.....	23	Erect fire escape.....	125
G. M. Rogers Estate.....	23 Billerica street.....	5	Erect fire escape.....	400
E. S. Emery <i>et al.</i>	100 Pearl street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile, fire repairs.	15,000
E. Farren.....	301 West Fourth street.....	9	Alterations, tenement, fire repairs.	350
Kimball Building, trustee.....	18-28 Tremont street.....	5	Alterations, offices and store, fire repairs.	1,500
J. D. Easterling.....	550 Massachusetts avenue.....	13	Alterations, residence, fire repairs.	1,000
Benjamin Piscopo.....	191 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	Alterations, residence and apartment, fire repairs.	1,800
Benjamin Piscopo.....	189 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	Alterations, store and apartment, fire repairs.	3,500
Benjamin Piscopo.....	187 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	Alterations, store and apartment, fire repairs.	2,600
Samuel Krantzman.....	9 Noanet street.....	5	Alterations, dwellings.....	200
Samuel Krantzman.....	8 Noanet street.....	5	Alterations, dwellings.....	200
Samuel Krantzman.....	7 Noanet street.....	5	Alterations, dwellings.....	175
Samuel Krantzman.....	6 Noanet street.....	5	Alterations, dwellings.....	225
Samuel Krantzman.....	5 Noanet street.....	5	Alterations, dwellings.....	200
Samuel Krantzman.....	4 Noanet street.....	5	Alterations, dwellings.....	200
Samuel Krantzman.....	3 Noanet street.....	5	Alterations, dwellings.....	200
Dr. R. S. Titus.....	63 May street.....	22	Alterations, barn.....	100
Boston Elevated Railway.....	20 Wilton street.....	25	Alterations, lobby.....	1,000
J. L. Damon, H. B. Belt, agent.	41 and 43 Franklin street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	28,750
Dorchester Association.....	579 Columbia road.....	17	Alterations, offices and apartments.	1,000
Julius Darrish.....	9 Prospect street.....	5	Take-down, storage.....	150
New York Building Wrecking Company.	462 Bremen street.....	2	Take-down, dwelling.....	25
New York Building Wrecking Company.	458 Bremen street.....	2	Take-down, dwelling.....	50
New York Building Wrecking Company.	464 Bremen street.....	2	Take-down, dwelling.....	50
New York Building Wrecking Company.	460 Bremen street.....	2	Take-down, dwelling.....	25
New York Building Wrecking Company.	456 Bremen street.....	2	Take-down, dwelling.....	50
R. W. McNutt.....	550 Chelsea street.....	4	Take-down, coal pocket.....	1,000

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Harry Broudy, 211 Brighton avenue, Allston, in the sum of \$3.76, as refund of unused refuse tickets.

Louis Furry, 1709 Washington street, Boston, in the sum of \$35, as refund on pool and billiards license at said address.

Michael Delle Russo, 229 London street, East Boston, in the sum of \$6, as refund on license for soft drinks.

Razio Sacco, 18 Ifley road, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of \$76, as refund of duplicate payment for soft drink and billiard licenses, issued May 1, 1924.

Price & Nisson, 317 Tremont street, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for damage to property, caused by bursting water main at corner Warrenton and Tremont streets, July 25, 1923.

Irving Herman, 340 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk on Northern avenue, opposite tracks 33 and 34 of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, April 10, 1924.

Ruby S. Gyger, 83 School street, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in Tremont street, on north side of Berkeley street, April 2, 1924.

Sadie Grow, 20 Verndale street, Brookline, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by falling on crossing in Tremont street, between Meyer Jonasson Company building and Hotel Touraine, February 25, 1924.

William J. Galley, 64 Glendale street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$13, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by ruts on Dorchester avenue, near old Mt. Washington Avenue Bridge, February 11, 1924.

Margaret Graham, 23 Franklin street, Cambridge, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in Commercial street, near Lowney's candy factory, February 28, 1924.

Harry Heller, 110 St. Stephen street, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by depression in sidewalk, opposite 287 Tremont street, March 23, 1924.

Mrs. Frank Ochs, 509 Columbia road, Dorchester, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defective condition of highway in front of 507 Columbia road, Dorchester, March 3, 1924.

Margaret L. Quinn, 138 Mt. Vernon street, West Roxbury, in the sum of \$40, as compensation for personal injuries caused by projection in sidewalk in front of 481 Beacon street, April 1, 1924.

Catherine Crowley, 412 Seaver street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$135, as compensation for damage caused by sewage at 37 and 39 Vaughan avenue, November 2, 1922.

Paul Raggi, 305-309 Norfolk avenue, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for damage to property at said address, caused by a defective sewer, January 3, 1924.

Helen G. Ferris, 47 Leicester street, Brighton, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for personal injuries caused by highway defect in front of 370 Washington street, Brighton, May 8, 1924.

Gaetano Peter Falabella, 308 Harrison avenue, in the sum of \$200, as compen-

sation for personal injuries caused by defect in Tremont street, near Boylston street, January 15, 1923.

Theresa Burns, 18 Winchester street, Boston, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a city horse biting her, in front of 326 Tremont street, January 25, 1924.

Cornelius J. Desmond, 160 Woodrow avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of \$30, as compensation for expenses incurred in making opening for sewers at 109 and 111 Stratton street, June, 1923.

John F. Sullivan, in the sum of \$150, in an action to recover for personal injuries caused by defect in Dorchester avenue, between King and Whitten streets, August 22, 1921.

Solomon Robinson, in the sum of \$500, in an action to recover for damage to property at 295 Tremont street, caused by break in water main on Tremont street, November 11, 1923.

Bridget McDonough, in the sum of \$300, in an action to recover for personal injuries caused by defective slip, ferry, May 19, 1922.

John Amorosa, in the sum of \$800, in an action to recover for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk at 342 Sumner street, East Boston, January 12, 1924.

Mary Lee, care of William Lee, 10 Tremont street, in the sum of \$400, as compensation for damage to property rear of 198-204 Washington avenue, caused by backing up of sewer September 15, 1923.

John D. Lavandier, Boston City Hospital, in the sum of \$40, as compensation for loss of clothing stolen from the hospital January 29, 1924.

John J. Kelleher, 33 Brookside avenue, in the sum of \$500, as compensation for damage to business caused by delay in putting in sewer at 5330 and 5336 Washington street, West Roxbury, for temporary taking and occupancy of his land by the city in the construction of said sewer.

Harold F. Cook, Boston City Hospital, X-Ray Department, in the sum of \$40.50, as compensation for loss of clothing stolen from hospital January 29, 1924.

Thomas F. Desmond, Boston City Hospital, X-Ray Department, in the sum of \$35, as compensation for loss of clothing stolen from hospital February 4, 1924.

Anna Josephs, in the sum of \$250, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defective sidewalk at 10 Rochester street, March 28, 1924.

Marie Fountas in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defective sidewalk on Seneca street, near 310 Harrison avenue, February 18, 1924.

A. Zion & Co, 76 Fulton street, Boston, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for damage to goods at said address, caused by broken water pipe, 1923.

Anna Shuluk, 6 Florence street, Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for damage to property at said address October, 1923, caused by stoppage of sewer.

J. F. Rae, Hotel Rossmore, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for damage to property caused by broken water hydrant April 9, 1924.

William B. James *et al.*, trustees, 18 Tremont street, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for damage to property at 553 Columbia road, March 1 to October 15, 1923, caused by break in water main.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 7 TO AUGUST 13.

AUGUST 9.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Weisman.....	Rear of 28 Clarkwood street	21	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Ernesta Strutziera.....	24 Neptune road.....	1	First-class garage.....	1,000
Jennie McIntosh.....	Rear of 8 Marcella street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
James Connolly.....	Rear of 45 Saybrook street.....	26	First-class garage.....	1,000
Rose Dominat.....	Rear of 34 Roanoke road.....	24	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Boston Elevated Railway.....	Rear of 3598 Washington st.	22	Second-class lobby.....	40,000
William F. Scully.....	663 Main street.....	3	Second-class filling station.....	2,000
Carter's Wet Wash Laundry.....	13 Allerton street.....	12	Alterations, laundry.....	470
R. H. Gardner, trustee.....	41 Haverhill street.....	5	Alterations, light manufacturing.....	800
H. R. King.....	198 Huntington avenue.....	7	Alterations, restaurant.....	100
Foglia Caputo.....	269 Lexington street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Walker Vehicle Company.....	57-93 West Dedham street.....	6	Alterations, garage.....	50
Walker Vehicle Company.....	57-93 West Dedham street.....	6	Alterations, garage.....	15,000

AUGUST 11.

L. Henry Sturgis.....	615 Saratoga street and 6-S Swift street.....	1	First-class garage.....	\$20,000
Charles Marotta.....	238 Webster street.....	2	First-class garage.....	2,000
Viola P. Rollins.....	338A Belgrade avenue.....	23	Moving picture theatre.....	50,000
J. Levine.....	1284A, 1284B-1286A, and 1286B Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Second-class stores.....	10,000
Bessie Talkov.....	Rear of 57 Lithgow street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
George G. Gately.....	Rear of 9 Roseland street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
Elsie W. Snyder.....	Rear of 45 Evelyn street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	500
Elsie W. Snyder.....	Rear of 45 Evelyn street, No. 2.....	21	Third-class garage.....	7,500
Augustus B. Higgins.....	39 Freeland street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	7,500
Arthur A. O'Leary.....	206 Arborway.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Daniel O'Leary.....	Rear of 4 Lorette street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	405
Carrie M. H. Patterson.....	Rear of 19 Mt. Vernon street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	800
Fred Prinze.....	Rear of 121 Sycamore street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
David M. Beeman.....	7 Monponsett street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Charles Lynch.....	70 Orlando street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Martha Cannon.....	20 Thatcher street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
F. H. Larrey.....	Rear of 57 Walter street.....	23	Special garage.....	265
H. J. Borowski.....	167 Mt. Hope street.....	23	Greenhouse.....	5,000
Samuel Alcock.....	99 North Harvard street (Soldiers Field).....	26	Reviewing stand (temporary).....	10,000
Coleman & Gilbert.....	15 Arundel street.....	8	Alterations, apartments.....	400
Mary Somersett.....	66 Bowdoin avenue.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	125
Reba Paefl.....	33 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	Alterations, lodging house.....	2,500
John F. Murphy.....	15 Myrtle street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	5,000
Boston Wharf Company.....	Rear of 10 Necco street.....	9	Take-down, storage.....	1,000
Stephen McDermott.....	26 Playstead road.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	260
Joseph F. Wesolowski.....	51 Readville street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	125
Peter Cartunis.....	18 St. Stephen street.....	7	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,500
Patrick H. McCue.....	450 Talbot avenue.....	20	Sign on roof of garage.....	150

AUGUST 12.

Lillian Chase.....	Rear of 21 Brookledge street	16	First-class garage.....	\$1,500
Rose Glashow.....	Rear of 23 Brookledge street	16	First-class garage.....	1,500
Dudley G. Kimball.....	Rear of 55 Clifton street.....	12	First-class garage.....	2,000
Nathan Bernstein.....	Rear of 2005 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	First-class garage.....	2,000
Nathan Bernstein.....	Rear of 2009 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	First-class garage.....	2,000
Nathan Bernstein.....	Rear of 2013 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	First-class garage.....	2,000
Nathan Bernstein.....	Rear of 2017 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	First-class garage.....	2,000
Nathan Bernstein.....	Rear of 2021 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	First-class garage.....	2,000
Nathan Bernstein.....	Rear of 2025 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	First-class garage.....	2,000
Joseph M. Hanlon.....	81 Etna street.....	26	First-class garage.....	1,000
J. Lusksha.....	98 Litchfield street.....	26	Second-class dwelling.....	11,500
Helena M. Brennan.....	80 Standard street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	450
City of Boston Fire Department.....	409 Dudley street.....	16	Alterations, engine house.....	12,000
Tileston & Hollingsworth.....	892 River street.....	24	Alterations, manufacturing.....	40,000
Thomas Flanagan.....	27 Houghton street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Mrs. Mary Mitchell.....	54 Hall street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
John Bersani.....	34 Roslindale avenue.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	4,000
L. Gurardonick.....	1 and 2 Harrison park.....	20	Alterations, apartment house.....	175
Robert R. McNutt Corp'n.....	115 Granite street.....	9	Take-down, 3-family house.....	300
Robert R. McNutt Corp'n.....	117 and 119 Granite street.....	9	Take-down, 8-family house.....	300
Robert R. McNutt Corp'n.....	121 Granite street.....	9	Take-down, 4-family house.....	300
Robert R. McNutt Corp'n.....	123 and 125 Granite street.....	9	Take-down, 8-family house.....	300
Robert R. McNutt Corp'n.....	127 Granite street.....	9	Take-down, 3-family house.....	300

AUGUST 13.

Alexander Matukewicz.....	59 Athens street.....	9	First-class garage.....	\$700
Mary J. Gerrity.....	Rear of 86 Day street.....	14	First-class garage.....	2,300
Mary J. Gerrity.....	Rear of 86 Day street.....	14	First-class storage.....	800
Frank Marotta.....	15 and 17 Ford street.....	1	First-class garage.....	1,500
John Osh.....	Rear of 21 Glade avenue.....	22	First-class garage.....	500
Max Goldberg.....	24 Normandy street.....	18	First-class garage.....	1,000
Mary Trimboli.....	22 and 24 Rexford street.....	24	First-class garage.....	1,200
Christina E. Forsberg.....	Rear of 10 Treadway road.....	11	First-class garage.....	1,000
Lena Ross.....	Rear of 89 Mountain avenue.....	21	First-class garage.....	1,200
Max Steinberg.....	Rear of 37 Brookledge street.....	16	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Allston Trucking Company.....	76-80 Litchfield street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	6,000
William Ramsey.....	40 Cushing Hill road.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Mary C. Murray.....	607 River street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
J. Keefe, lessee.....	268 Columbus avenue.....	7	Special express office.....	400
Ellen Humphrey.....	397 Columbus avenue.....	7	Alterations, stores and flats, fire repairs.....	500
Estate John Foster.....	109 Broad street.....	5	Alterations, storage, fire repairs.....	2,800

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 7 TO AUGUST 13.

AUGUST 13.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Bay State Garage, Inc.	264 and 288 Main street.	3	Alterations, garage.	\$23,000
Joseph Rigano.	130 and 132 Webster street.	2	Alterations, dwelling.	1,500
Henry Barbony.	32 Shirley street.	12	Alterations, dwelling.	75
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.	19-27 Scotia street.	7	Alterations, electric station.	4,000
A. Vivlonto.	2d rear 573 River street. (Moved to 20 Violanti st.)	24	Alterations, storchouse.	1,000
Wong Gar.	20 Hudson street.	5	Alterations, stores.	2,000
A. P. Levin.	57-61 Kneeland street.	5	Alterations, offices and manu- facturing.	15,000
Eugene Violanti.	58 Billerica street.	5	Alterations, dwelling.	800
Sam Rudsidoky.	265 Atlantic avenue.	5	Alterations, storage.	100
Louise B. Dandrow.	354 Neponset avenue.	20	Alterations, mercantile.	1,200
William Corvan.	8 Grace street.	21	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Central Building Wrecking.	81 North Beacon street.	26	Take-down, dwelling.	100

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 7 TO AUGUST 13.

AUGUST 7.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Blue Hill Plumbing Com- pany.	34 Schuyler street.	16	New fixtures.	\$2,000
A. J. Russell.	40 Hardwick street.	26	New fixtures.	1,000
John P. O'Connell.	86 Hunnewell street.	26	New fixtures.	750
F. W. Smith.	49 Donnybrook road.	26	New fixtures.	800
John J. Murphy.	3 Jefferson place.	5	New fixtures.	1,150
W. Ahern.	25 Marmion street.	22	New fixtures.	4,500
Powers & Mehegan.	30 Regina road.	19	New fixtures.	1,200
John C. Patterson.	87 Trenton street.	1	New fixtures.	500

AUGUST 8.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. W. Mulkern.	1192A Commonwealth ave.	25	New fixtures.	\$75
C. H. Flanagan.	17A Bennington street.	1	New fixtures.	175
Powers & Mehegan.	130 P street.	10	New fixtures.	450
M. J. Murphy.	11 Waterford street.	6	New fixtures.	1,500
Philip Ligums.	156 Massachusetts avenue.	7	New fixtures.	150

AUGUST 9.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. J. Vogel.	41 Cliffmont street.	23	New fixtures.	\$420
E. Bevelander.	11 Lincoln street.	26	New fixtures.	350
Samuel Adams.	505 Southampton street.	11	New fixtures.	60
J. J. McCarthy.	1008 River street.	24	New fixtures.	50
E. E. Berry.	29 Summer street.	24	New fixtures.	650
Francis D. Carr.	23 Glendale street.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
J. S. Cassidy.	60 Bay State road.	8	New fixtures.	350
M. S. Pann.	14 Dacia street.	17	New fixtures.	150
E. H. Marchant.	701 Washington street.	5	New fixtures.	400
J. J. Murphy.	2 Winter street.	5	New fixtures.	150
E. H. Marchant.	730 Washington street.	5	New fixtures.	150
Morse Brothers.	12 and 14 Playstead road.	17	New fixtures.	300
J. W. Slane.	51 Vogel street.	23	New fixtures.	225
T. A. Matthews.	126 Harvard street.	19	New fixtures.	100
D. J. Rull.	545 East Sixth street.	10	New fixtures.	92
T. F. Riley, Jr.	7 Jamaica place.	22	New fixtures.	750
K. W. McManus.	53 Norfolk street.	21	New fixtures.	60
D. J. Rull.	580 East Eighth street.	10	New fixtures.	150
Jacob Pilvin.	3 Sweet Fern terrace.	19	New fixtures.	800

AUGUST 11.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. J. Levin.	1341 Columbus avenue.	15	New fixtures.	\$75
J. P. Tancred.	15 Grant street.	11	New fixtures.	50
P. G. Finnerty.	89 Conant street.	14	New fixtures.	265
M. J. Finnegan.	575 Cambridge street.	25	New fixtures.	100
E. J. MacLeod.	1419 Tremont street.	14	New fixtures.	100
Hyman Lappan.	76 Georgia street.	16	New fixtures.	1,300
J. J. McCarthy.	938 Parker street.	15	New fixtures.	375
Eli Parad.	75 Homestead street.	16	New fixtures.	975
Max Hyman.	34 Waumbeck street.	16	New fixtures.	3,300
J. J. Levin.	1327 Columbus avenue.	15	New fixtures.	600
C. J. Mansfield.	53 Humboldt avenue.	16	New fixtures.	800
J. J. Vogel & Son.	1310 Columbus avenue.	15	New fixtures.	550
A. J. Bosse.	3 Pickering avenue.	16	New fixtures.	500
Alexander Campbell.	461 Hyde Park avenue.	21	New fixtures.	250

AUGUST 12.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
O. J. Morlock.	18 Alarie street.	23	New fixtures.	\$600
H. S. Trethewey.	11 Congreve street.	23	New fixtures.	925
L. W. Blakney.	14 Conway street.	23	New fixtures.	950
H. S. Trethewey.	18 Conway street.	23	New fixtures.	1,200
J. A. Toland.	1840 Washington street.	20	New fixtures.	230

AUGUST 13.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Arthur Stein.	97 Fletcher street.	23	New fixtures.	\$750
M. H. Catsiff.	10 Linden street.	18	New fixtures.	750
Sol Tack.	46 Metropolitan avenue.	23	New fixtures.	800
D. W. Ross.	43 Port Norfolk street.	20	New fixtures.	1,050
Badech Leon.	179 Weld street.	23	New fixtures.	1,000

CLAIMS.

Rose Hayden, in the sum of \$350, in an action to recover for personal injuries caused by hole in street at 49 Washington street, January 27, 1921.

John J. Regan, 134 Broadway, Taunton, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by ice on sidewalk on Washington street, between Motte and Noanet streets, March 17, 1924.

Sila T. Shea, in the sum of \$125, in an action to recover for personal injuries caused by hole in street, corner Columbia road and Rocky Hill avenue, December 13, 1923.

Mary McLellan, in the sum of \$150, in an action to recover for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk, corner Tremont street and Arlington square, February 2, 1923.

Mary Agnes Brooks, 79 Walworth street, Roslindale, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by depression in sidewalk in front of 71 Walworth street, January 19, 1923.

On October 25, 1923, an award of \$150 was made to Mary Agnes Brooks, and the above award is an addition to the original award making the total award \$350.

Frances [redacted] 2 Codman park, Roxbury, in the sum of \$75.75, for compensation for damage to clothing, caused by slipping on oil on sidewalk on Buena Vista street, June 11, 1925.

Benjamin Kadets, 215 Broadway, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for damage to property at said address July 25, 1923, caused by bursting of water main.

Margaret E. Doherty, 60 State street, Room 731, in the sum of \$35, as compensation for damage to clothing, caused by paint-covered hydrant on Stoughton street, between Upham's corner and Sumner street, April 28, 1924.

Beatrice Whineup, 1444 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries and damage to clothing caused by loose boards on sidewalk, opposite 8 Kinross road, March 31, 1924.

Catherine E. Ropple, 9 Benedict street, Charlestown, in the sum of \$15, as compensation for damage to clothing, caused by coat being caught on iron at Prison Point Bridge, at drawtender's stairway, February 29, 1924.

Beverly B. Dickerson, 100 Camden street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$32.90, as compensation for damage to auto, where highway was torn up on Centre street, near Lakeville place, Jamaica Plain (no lights or guards), September 9, 1923.

C. Stephen Delaney, 22 Pierce avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of \$35, as compensation for damage to auto, caused by street defect on Norfolk street, opposite Stanton avenue, December 23, 1923.

Mrs. John D. Lyons, 231 Codman street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$25, as compensation for damage to hens and hennery, April 21, 1923, caused by flow of water from a broken hydrant.

Boylston Sales Company, 795 Boylston street, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for damage to goods at said address, caused by break in water main, January 21, 1924.

Barnard Capen, 534 East Fourth street, South Boston, in the sum of \$71.83, as compensation for damage to property at said address, caused by shutting off the water without notice, December 12, 1923.

Thomas J. Donohue, 20 Carmen street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$60, as compensation for boiler that collapsed at said address when the water was shut off, April 14, 1924.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been allowed to amend their contract for Columbus Park, South Boston, as follows:

1. Strike out paragraph G, Item 2, and insert the following: "All work under this item shall be paid for as filling furnished and the quantity to be paid for shall be the amount of filling delivered as measured in the vehicles, the determination to be made by the engineer, less a deduction of 10 per cent, and less the amount of excavated material used for filling, which shall be paid for under Item 1."

2. Strike out paragraph D, Item 3, and insert the following: "All work under this item shall be paid for as filling for

roadway, and the quantity to be paid for shall be the amount of filling delivered for the roadway as measured in the vehicles, the determination to be made by the engineer, less a deduction of 10 per cent."

3. Strike out paragraph D, Item 4, and insert the following: "All work under this item shall be paid for as loam furnished, and the quantity to be paid for shall be the amount of loam delivered as measured in the vehicles, the determination to be made by the engineer, less a deduction of 10 per cent."

TABLE SHOWING NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 1924.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES, AND STORES.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		GARAGES.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....	2	\$400,000									99	\$597,825
Second Class.....	6	212,000					2	\$44,000	1	\$10,000	46	165,370
Third Class.....	2	30,000			1	\$70,000	81	729,400			54	30,573
Special Class.....											15	6,200
Total New Work.....	10	\$642,000			1	\$70,000	83	\$773,400	1	\$10,000	214	\$799,968
Alterations.....	19	20,430	16	\$34,235	3	6,350	430	211,699	29	16,595	11	58,520
Grand Totals.....	29	\$662,430	16	\$34,235	4	\$76,350	513	\$985,099	30	\$26,595	225	\$858,488

CHARACTER.	HOTELS.		HOSPITALS.		LODGING HOUSES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.		OFFICE BUILDINGS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....					1	\$120,000	2	\$160,000			2	\$1,257,000
Second Class.....							8	89,000	1	\$35,000	2	4,000
Third Class.....												
Special Class.....							1	450			2	1,000
Total New Work.....					1	\$120,000	11	\$249,450	1	\$35,000	6	\$1,262,000
Alterations.....	2	\$1,300	1	\$1,500	10	12,865	63	149,510	11	15,959	16	43,000
Grand Totals.....	2	\$1,300	1	\$1,500	11	\$132,865	74	\$398,960	12	\$50,959	22	\$1,305,000

CHARACTER.	PUBLIC BUILDINGS.		SCHOOL HOUSES.		STABLES.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....									106	\$2,534,825
Second Class.....			3	\$270,000			2	\$1,800	71	831,170
Third Class.....							29	12,265	167	872,238
Special Class.....									18	7,650
Total New Work.....			3	\$270,000			31	\$14,065	362	\$4,245,883
Alterations.....	1	\$12,000	4	8,100	8	\$22,360	24	33,567	648	647,990
Grand Totals.....	1	\$12,000	7	\$178,100	8	\$22,360	55	\$47,632	1,010	\$4,893,873

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Christopher street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dorchester avenue to Bispham street, bounded and described as follows: A highway named Christopher street is hereby laid out, from Dorchester avenue to Bispham street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

West by Dorchester avenue, forty and 1-100 feet; north by the northerly line of said Christopher street as hereby laid out, by three measurements, sixty-eight and 44-100 feet, one hundred fourteen and 54-100 feet on a curve of two hundred feet radius and three hundred sixty-three and 48-100 feet; east by Bispham street, forty feet; and south by the southerly line of said Christopher street as hereby laid out, by three measurements, three hundred sixty-three and 54-100 feet, one hundred thirty-seven and 44-100 feet on a curve of two hundred and forty feet radius and sixty-seven and 61-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Christopher street, from Dorchester avenue to Bispham street, will receive benefit of advantage other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Christopher Street, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, July 11, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department" and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Goldie Levenbaum	\$125 00
2. Dorchester Theatre Company, Elias M. Loew	150 00
3. Julia W. Berg	167 40
4. Mary A. Mahy	200 88
5. John D. Currier	131 58
6. Francis A. Keyes	149 34
7. Ellen L. Connolly	64 98
8. City of Boston	153 60
9. Robert Miller	107 24
10. Emma S. Lovejoy	118 20
11. Emma S. Lovejoy	324 78
12. Mary A. Ryan	258 60
13. Philip Adams	270 66
14. Barnett Levenbaum	561 00
15. Annie V. Loonie	280 50
16. Annie V. Loonie	281 46
17. City of Boston	425 00
	<u>\$3,770 22</u>

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Christopher street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dorchester avenue to Bispham street, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending August 9, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 127; nonresidents, 29; total, 156.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 10.50; nonresidents deducted, 8.52.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 10.61; corresponding week last year, 10.15.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 29; one year to four years, inclusive, 9; sixty years and over, 46; total deaths: male, 87; female, 69; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 99; deaths of colored, 10.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended August 9, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended August 11, 1923	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis	1	—	1	—
Diphtheria	29	4	39	1
Encephalitis lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	—	—	28	—
Meningitis epidemic	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	12	3	2	2
Scarlet fever	23	—	23	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	45	12	19	15
Tuberculosis (other forms)	9	1	4	2
Typhoid fever	—	—	4	—
Whooping cough	13	—	12	2

* Residents and nonresidents included.

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Gorham street, Brighton district, as a highway, from Commonwealth avenue to Brainerd road, bounded and described as follows: A highway named Gorham street is hereby laid out, from Commonwealth avenue to Brainerd road, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwest by Commonwealth avenue, forty feet; northeast by the northeasterly line of said Gorham street as hereby laid out, three hundred and fifty-eight and 50-100 feet; southeast by Brainerd road, forty feet; and southwest by the southwesterly line of said Gorham street as hereby laid out, three hundred fifty-eight and 50-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the abutting lots of land on both sides of Gorham street, from Commonwealth avenue to Brainerd road, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said

lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Gorham Street, Brighton, Assessment Plan, June 2, 1924, Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Olympia Theatres, Inc.	\$3,000 00
2. Ida Michelson	275 00
3. George Kukis	450 00
4. Charles W. Rowell	438 75
5. Charles W. Rowell	435 00
6. Guaranty Security Corporation	540 00
	<u>\$5,138 75</u>

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Gorham street, Brighton district, as a highway, from Commonwealth avenue to Brainerd road, under the order of the Board of even date herewith, and awards no damages therefor.

G. A. R. NOT ALLOWED ON "LEVIATHAN."

T. H. Rossbottom, in charge of the United States Shipping Board, telegraphed Mayor Curley on August 11, stating that after consultation with the officials of the Boston Navy Yard they had decided not to permit visitors to go on board the U. S. S. "Leviathan" since it is the intention of the Shipping Board to complete the work of repair within twenty-four hours.

Arrangement, however, have been made with Admiral DeSteigueur of the Boston Navy Yard to permit any and all persons desirous of visiting and inspecting the ships at the Navy Yard the privilege of doing the same.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, August 4, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., Coun. WATSON presiding, and a quorum present.

Coun. WATSON, in calling to order, said:

The Council will be in order. The acting presiding officer desires to make a statement—that, under the rules of the Council, in the absence of the President, the senior member shall call to order and shall preside until the President arrives. President Donoghue is not here. He is rather late today, and I will preside until President Donoghue arrives. The Council will be in order.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 4, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following named persons Weighers of the term ending April 30, 1925: James W. Maher, 35 Hiley street, Jamaica Plain; Joseph N. Morris, 9 Wesley street, South Boston; Nelson B. Coll, 199 Medford street, Charlestown; Wilmot Jones, 41 Temple street, Somerville.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Laid over for one week under the law.

VETO—PROBATION OFFICERS, SALARIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 18, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith, without prejudice, but without my approval, the order of the City Council adopted under date of July 14, 1924, providing for increases in salaries of chief probation officer, probation officer and probation officer for wayward and delinquent children in the Charlestown District Court, the report as submitted by the Budget Commissioner being the basis for my action. Upon the compilation of the report of the Budget Commissioner I shall be most pleased to indicate to the City Council his views and my recommendations.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Budget Department, July 15, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—In connection with the attached letter of the justice of the Charlestown Court relative to salary increases for probation officers attached to said court I submit the following report.

The Charlestown Municipal Court is one of eight district courts supported by the city. Attached to these courts are twenty-one probation officers, whose salaries are fixed concurrently by the justices of the several courts and the Mayor and City Council acting as County Commissioners. In the past no definite or general policy has been followed in fixing salaries so that today no uniformity exists and salaries in the several courts range from a minimum of \$1,500 to a maximum of \$2,800.

Since the work of these officers is similar in nature but varying in amount, due to the difference in population and character of the several districts, it would seem desirable that a definite salary schedule covering all courts should be prepared. This schedule, if adopted, would serve as a standard for future increases, and would ensure a reasonable and just treatment of all officers regardless of the court to which attached.

I would therefore suggest that you withhold your approval on the attached recommendation and authorize this office to draw up a salary schedule covering all of the district courts.

Respectfully,
CHARLES J. FOX,
Budget Commissioner.

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATION FOR BANK CASES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 4, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to present herewith communication received from the Corporation Counsel with reference to national bank tax cases pending in the United States Court and legislation generally affecting taxation on national banks.

The City of Boston has employed at various times during the past two years Hon. John A. Sullivan to represent the city in litigation relative to national bank tax cases and in consequence of his services it has been possible to effect a settle-

ment representing a total saving over the amount originally claimed in excess of \$7,000,000.

It is desirable that the services of Hon. John A. Sullivan be engaged at the present time for the further protection of the city's interests and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$5,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended from Reserve Fund for the appointment of special counsel on all pending matters relative to national bank tax cases. Referred to the Executive Committee.

ABANDONMENT OF SEWER EASEMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 4, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith a communication from Joseph A. Rourke, Commissioner of Public Works, stating that a portion of certain land taken for sewer purposes is no longer required for public purposes, and recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

July 31, 1924
To the Honorable the City Council:

Gentlemen,—The Commissioner of Public Works, having charge of a two (2) foot easement, being the westerly half of the land in that easement in private land off Rockwell street, Dorchester, taken by the Board of Aldermen for sewerage purposes, by a vote dated July 5, 1893, and approved by the Mayor July 6, 1893, respectfully notifies your honorable body that in his opinion said easement is no longer required for public purposes.

Respectfully,
J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Whereas, the City of Boston, by order of the Board of Aldermen, passed July 5, 1893, and approved by the Mayor July 6, 1893, took for the purpose of laying a main drain or common sewer, a strip of land on Rockwell street, owned by J. Lowell Parker, four feet wide, and containing approximately five hundred and fifty three square feet; and

Whereas, the Commissioner of Public Works now having charge of said land has notified the City Council that a portion of the same is no longer required for public purposes;

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, in accordance with section 15 of chapter 40 of the General Laws, and for a nominal consideration, to execute an instrument abandoning the rights acquired by said taking in the two-foot strip along the westerly side of said parcel, the strip to be abandoned being shown on a plan made by Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer of the Street Laying-Out Department, dated August 4, 1924.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

ICE FOR DRINKING FOUNTAINS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 4, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith order providing an appropriation for furnishing ice for the public drinking fountains throughout the city and respectfully recommend the passage of the same by your honorable body.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be authorized to expend a sum not exceeding \$5,500 for the purpose of furnishing ice for the public drinking fountains during the present season, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 4, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith at the request of the Commissioner of Public Works order authorizing the expenditure of \$153.51 to provide for the payment of an outstanding bill for ice furnished the public drinking fountains last year.

I respectfully recommend the passage of the order by your honorable body.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be authorized to expend an additional sum, not exceeding \$153.51, for ice furnished for the public drinking fountains during 1923, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SUPPLEMENTARY COUNTY BUDGET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 4, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to again submit for action by your honorable body an appropriation order for the County of Suffolk rejected at the last meeting of the City Council.

The statutes require that the City of Boston pay the entire cost of administering the judicial departments of the County of Suffolk. It is most unfair and upon numerous occasions relief has been sought but without avail.

I appreciate and sympathize with the members of the City Council in their hostility to the unfair system which obtains, but until the law is changed there is no other course open for the City of Boston than to provide the money for the conduct of the county departments.

It is necessary that the money be appropriated at this time, otherwise the expenses may be incurred and the cost be borne out of money imperatively required for other municipal purposes.

I accordingly recommend the immediate adoption of the order as here submitted.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

(Accompanying the message was a duplicate of the supplementary county budget, submitted July 28, 1924.)

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received, and were referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

William Arduino, for compensation for injuries caused by auto patrol.

Augustus A. Casassa, for compensation for damage to fence at 4491 Washington street, caused by sidewalk made to rest against fence.

James J. Conboy, for compensation for damage to automobile on Northampton street, caused by street-cleaning cart.

Martha Mason Curry, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in front of 281 Warren street.

M. Doyle & Co., Inc., for compensation for injuries to horse caused by some sharp material in Southampton Street Dump.

M. Doyle & Co., Inc., for compensation for injuries to horse caused by ground giving way under horse.

M. Fine, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Harry Fishtine, for compensation for damage to automobile by car of water works.

M. Blanche Holbrook, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 187 Massachusetts avenue.

Raymond T. Hughes, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Harvard Bridge.

Jacob E. Jacobs, for compensation for loss of money from locker of Commercial Street Bath House.

S. M. Johnson, for compensation for damage to truck, caused by an excavation in Ruskin road, Hyde Park.

Fannie Kolikof, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at the junction of Blue Hill avenue and Warren street.

Rebecca Lerner, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Canterbury street.

Mrs. Emily McElhinney, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in Marcella and Centre streets.

Miss V. McKillop, for compensation for damage to clothing, caused by oil on Farquhar street, Roslindale.

Joseph H. Merrill, for compensation for injuries caused by assault by city employee.

Betty Murray, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Haviland street.

Eleanor E. O'Brien, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect at Seaver street, near Columbia road.

Albert F. Peabody, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Harvard Bridge.

J. Pierce, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by city cart.

Henry Rayner, for compensation for loss of robe at Boston City Hospital.

Ernest P. Robitaille, for compensation for damage to truck caused by an alleged defect in Harvard Bridge.

Eva Silverman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Harold street.

Julius Snyder, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by paint on hydrant on Blue Hill avenue.

Edwin M. Stetson, for compensation for damage to hot water boiler at 143 Poplar street, while installing meter.

F. N. Tait, for compensation for loss of shoes taken from room at City Hospital.

Joseph R. Yendley, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Talbot avenue and Argyle street.

Jitneys.

Frank J. Buckley, for license to operate from Copley square to the Brookline line.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, for license from Atlantic avenue and Broad street to Summer and Arch streets.

Executive.

Boston Caledonian Club, for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Caledonia Grove, August 2.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice was received from the Civil Service Commission of approval of appointment of Joseph G. O'Malley as assessor.
Placed on file.

INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Joseph F. Feeney, Overseer of Public Welfare of interest in contract with the city.
Placed on file.

NOTICE OF LOCATIONS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners as to locations for the Boston Elevated Railway Company, viz.:

Tracks on Blue Hill avenue, 38th location.

Tracks on Blue Hill avenue, 39th location.

Placed on file.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of granting of 13th location to the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company.
Placed on file.

CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constables' bonds of Samuel Goldmeier and St. Clare H. Richardson.
Approved by the City Council.

LAND FOR RAILROAD PURPOSES.

A copy of the order of the Department of Public Utilities approving the petition of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company for taking of land for railroad purposes was received and placed on file.

ACCEPTANCE OF ANTWERP STREET.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Street Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to accept and lay out Antwerp street, Ward 26, as a public way.
Passed.

PAYMENT TO WIDOW.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That chapter 363 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to pay a sum of money to the Widow of Philip J. McGonagle" be and the same hereby is accepted.
Referred to the Executive Committee.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That under the provisions of chapter 363 of the Acts of 1924 there be allowed and paid to Julia T. McGonagle, widow of Philip J. McGonagle, late a court officer in the Superior Court, the balance of the salary to which he would have been entitled had he lived and served in said capacity until December 31, 1923; said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.
Referred to the Executive Committee.

USE OF SHAWMUT BRANCH.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the Boston Elevated Railway Trustees be requested, through his Honor the Mayor to take the necessary action to carry out the provisions and intent of the legislative act authorizing the electrification of the Shawmut Branch of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad in order to facilitate rapid transit for the Dorchester district at the earliest possible moment.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I would like to call the Council's attention to the fact that one year and two months have elapsed since any action has been taken on this matter. Our Transit Commission is ready at any time to go forward. Everything is all ready for action, and the citizens of Dorchester, 155,000 of them, are waiting. But the trustees of the Elevated Road, following their usual dilatory tactics, have held the matter up for that length of time, much to the chagrin of the citizens of Dorchester. I know not what sinister reason they may have for holding the thing up, whether it is being used as a weapon to continue themselves in office and to draw salaries at the expense of the citizens, or whether there is some

other reason. We simply desire to have a show-down in the matter, and I present this order so that the citizens of Dorchester may obtain some information, may know the reason why there is this delay.

The order was passed under suspension of the rule.

LIGHTING OF CHELSEA STREET.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to arrange for the installation of a better lighting system on Chelsea street, Charlestown, between City square and Chelsea Bridge.
Passed.

ACTION ON APPOINTMENTS.

Chairman WATSON called up Nos. 1, 2 and 3 on the calendar, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor July 28, 1924, viz.:

1. William H. Collins, Ru sell King and Dennis J. Collins to be Constables.

2. Paul H. Snow, H. W. Pike, J. A. Spencer and Alice M. Clark, to be Weighers of Coal.

3. Jeremiah V. Murphy, Patrick J. Baldwin, David P. Power, Andrew Beattie, John Kenney, Otto W. Youngren, Henry W. Bokelman, Charles E. George and Alb rt J. Fitzpatrick, to be Weighers of Goods.

The appointments were confirmed, yeas 6, nays 0.

TRANSFER FOR SPRINKLER SYSTEM.

Chairman WATSON called up No. 4 on the calendar, viz.:

4. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for City Hospital, Improvements, \$399.08, to the appropriation for Sprinkler System, Main Hospital, \$399.08.

On July 7, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

The order was read a second time and again passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

LOANS FOR CITY HOSPITAL.

Chairman WATSON called up Nos. 5 and 6 on the calendar, viz.:

5. Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 352 of the Acts of 1924 the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the trustees of the Boston City Hospital for the erection of a maternity building, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

On July 7, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

6. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 352 of the Acts of 1924 the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended by the trustees of the Boston City Hospital for the erection of a maternity building, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount, the same to be issued outside the limit of indebtedness.

On July 7, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

The orders were read a second time and again passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

President DONOGHUE in the chair.

RECISSION OF LOAN.

Coun. BRICKLEY moved to take up No. 7 on the calendar, viz.:

7. Ordered, That the right to borrow money for Highways, Making of, under the loan order passed March 18, 1924, and approved by the Mayor March 19, 1924, be limited to \$600,000, and that the authorization to borrow in excess of said amount for said purpose be and the same hereby is revoked.

On July 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

The motion was declared carried, and the order was read a second time and again passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

LOAN FOR SEWERAGE WORKS.

Coun. BRICKLEY moved to take up No. 10 on the calendar, viz.:

10. Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 426 of the Acts of 1897, as amended by chapter 204 of the Acts of 1908, the sum of \$200,000 be and hereby is appropriated, to be expended

under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works for sewerage works, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

On July 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

The motion was declared carried, and the order was read a second time and again passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

TRANSFER FOR HYDE PARK AVENUE.

Coun. BRICKLEY moved to take up No. 11 on the calendar, viz.:

11. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1923, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for North Beacon Street, Brighton, \$864.93, to the appropriation for Hyde Park Avenue, Widening, \$864.93.

On July 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

The motion was declared carried and the order was read a second time and again passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

SALE OF LAND ON MINTON STREET.

Coun. BRICKLEY moved to take up No. 12 on the calendar, viz.:

12. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city to release and quitclaim by private sale for the sum of sixty-five (65) dollars to the Clifton Manufacturing Company, its successors or assigns, by an instrument in writing satisfactory to the Law Department, all the right, title and interest which the City of Boston may have in the following parcel of land, containing 380 square feet of land, more or less, located on Minton street, in Jamaica Plain, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on Stony brook, thirty and thirty-six one hundredths (30.36) feet from Minton street, thence running southwesterly on said Stony brook, thirty and twenty-eight one hundredths (30.28) feet to land now or formerly of Kelly; thence turning and running southeasterly on land now or formerly of said Kelly, fourteen and seventy-four one hundredths (14.74) feet; thence turning and running northeasterly thirty (30) feet on land now or formerly of Norton; thence turning and running northwesterly on land now or formerly of said Norton ten and sixty-one hundredths (10.60) feet to the point of beginning; containing three hundred and eighty square feet, more or less.

On July 14, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

The motion was declared carried, and the order was read a second time and again passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

TREMONT STREET WIDENING.

Coun. HEALEY moved to take up No. 8 on the calendar, the loan of \$1,200,000 for Tremont street widening.

President DONOGHUE—Those in favor will say "aye," those opposed "no," and it is not a vote.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I move a recess.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I think everybody has a right to take up anything on the calendar without having it carried or defeated by roll call.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair will state that Coun. Healey moved to take the matter from the calendar. The Chair put it to a vote, and it was defeated.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I now request that No. 8 be taken from the table.

President DONOGHUE—The councilor is out of order, Coun. Brickley having made a previous motion that we now take a recess.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I don't feel that it takes a vote to take anything from the calendar when we are in session. The calendar is here before us, and I believe it is the right of any member here to ask that No. 8, No. 12, or any designated number be taken from the calendar. It does not require a vote of the Council to decide whether it shall be taken from the calendar. It has already been voted upon once, and is waiting on the calendar for further action, and it is my opinion that it is not necessary to vote to decide whether it be taken from the calendar or not.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair does not so understand it. The Chair understands, a motion to take a matter from the calendar having been made, that if the majority of the Council desire it taken from the calendar they have a right to so vote, or they may vote against it. I have considered it in that light, and I put it to a vote of the Council. If, however, the Council felt that the President was wrong in his ruling, an appeal from the decision of the Chair should have been made at that time.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I think the matter can be simplified if Coun. Brickley will ask unanimous consent to withdraw his motion to take a recess.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I think the question in order is, shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Council? Such a vote might be taken at this time.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair would state that another motion having intervened since the decision of the Chair, an appeal from the decision of the Chair on that particular matter would at this time be out of order.

Coun. HEALEY—I suppose it would be proper and within parliamentary procedure if after the recess I should call up both Nos. 8 and 9. I don't find that there is any rule of the Council that would prevent that action. So the Council can in that way go on record one way or the other as being in favor of or against 8 or 9.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair would state for the benefit of Coun. Healey, having already ruled that it required a majority vote on a motion to take No. 8 from the calendar, if he should make that motion after the Council reconvenes, having established that precedent, he would, of course, have to continue to rule along that line. If a majority of the members of the Council feel that the President's ruling on the matter is wrong, then they, by majority vote, can so decide. I say that for the benefit of Coun. Healey. I don't want to be put in the position of taking any unfair advantage of any member of the Council. Therefore, for his information, I make that decision now.

Coun. HEALEY—So we President, that statement is satisfactory to me. I believe, of course, that a man must be a majority if his opinion is going to prevail in the body. If there are members who object to Nos. 8 or 9 being taken up, and they have five votes in the Council, there is no use in taking the matter up today. I think that is reasonable, and that the majority should and ought always to rule. I think, however, that Nos. 8 and 9 ought to go through. If there are five votes against them, they are defeated. In order to have Nos. 8 and 9 successfully acted upon, there must be six votes. I accept the statement of the President as being in consonance with the best parliamentary law.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I don't quite agree with the presiding officer. I don't care to appeal from your decision, but I do insist on your reading parliamentary law. If you tell me that it requires a majority of the members to call up a matter on the calendar it is certainly news to me. I believe any single member may call for and have a vote on any matter on the calendar at any time, and I would like to have the presiding officer inform me upon what he bases that decision. If he will show me any parliamentary decision that is in line with his thought, I will be perfectly satisfied; but if he is correct, it means this in substance and in fact, that no matter how meritorious a measure on the calendar may be or how great a need there may be for having it passed, five members of the Council can abrogate the rights of the minority. In other words, if on your calendar there is an appropriation for \$1,000,000 and it cannot be taken from the calendar and voted upon except by the rule of the majority—five members, not the six required to pass a loan order,—any five members can at any time delay or hold up an order over the usual time as prescribed by the charter. Now Mr. President, much as I would like to agree with you I cannot permit you or any one alive to take from me my rights. I think you err in this particular matter. If you, after consulting the rules, will find a rule backing up your decision, I will gladly waive my protest. We all err at times. I never knew a man yet who did not make a mistake, and I believe you have made one now in your decision. I think after mature thought you will agree with me. I repeat again that if a loan order comes in for \$1,000,000 and has one reading, and then for some reason we do not vote upon it again for a certain length of time, it then becomes a law without our passing it after that certain length of time, under the charter. Now, it takes six votes to pass a loan order here, and if five votes, a majority, can hold that matter here and prevent it being voted on unfavorably, where six votes cannot be obtained, it becomes a law with five votes. I think, Mr. President, you have erred, and I think you are big enough to acknowledge your error after due thought.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair will state that he has allowed a great deal of latitude that probably should not have been allowed in the discussion up to this time, in view of the fact that Coun. Brickley has made a motion that we now take a recess subject to the call of the Chair. The question comes on Coun. Brickley's motion.

The Council voted at 3.10 p. m. to take a recess subject to the call of the Chair, and reassembled and were called to order by President Donoghue at 6.25 p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition (referred today) for a permit for children to appear at Caledonian Grove—recommending that a permit be granted. Report accepted; permit granted.

2. Report on orders (referred today) for payment to widow of Philip J. McGonagle—that the same ought to pass. Report accepted; orders passed.

3. Report on the message and order (referred today) appropriating \$5,000 for National Bank tax cases—that the order ought to pass. Report accepted; order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

4. Report on the message and order (referred today) appropriating \$200 for New England week—that the order ought to pass. Report accepted; order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

5. Report on the message and order (referred today) appropriating \$5,500 for ice for drinking fountains—that the order ought to pass. Report accepted; order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

6. Report on the message and order (referred today) appropriating \$153.51 for ice in 1923—that the order ought to pass. Report accepted; order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

7. Report on the message and order (referred July 14) for a lease of land on Atlantic avenue—that the order ought to pass. Report accepted; order read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Assigned for fourteen days for final action.

8. Report on notices (severally referred July 7 and 14) of hearings on gasoline licenses—recommending that the same be placed on file. Accepted.

9. Report on the ordinance (referred July 28) relative to removing park restrictions on land at junction of Beacon street and Commonwealth avenue—that the ordinance ought to pass. Report accepted; ordinance passed, yeas 6, nays 2, Coun. Moriarty and Purcell voting nay.

10. Report on the message and order (referred today) making supplementary appropriations for the County of Suffolk—that the order ought to pass.

The report of the committee was accepted, and the question came on the passage of the order.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I desire to explain my vote briefly on this matter. I agree heartily with the presiding officer regarding protesting the payment of these increases to Suffolk County employees because we have to pay the entire amount of Suffolk County tax. I realize that the jurors must be paid. I think \$6 a day is little enough. I realize that there are other matters raised there that call for our action, such as the increased cost of running Deer Island and the jail because of the increased population. As much as I dislike to change my vote, I do not think I could be doing what is right if I did not acknowledge that, under the circumstances, I should change my vote. Therefore, I intend to vote yes, but I wish to raise my protest against the methods of the Legislature in putting the whole tax for Suffolk County on the backs of the taxpayers of Boston.

Coun. WALSH in the chair.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I know that the hour is getting late and that the members of the Council want to get away, and I just want to say briefly, despite what information we have received here today, it is not anything other than what we knew at the last meeting of the Council, when this Council, for the first time in my recollection, stood up for Boston and Boston's citizenship as against the saddling of expenses on to them by Republican legislation. My contentions of course—and there is not any need of my stating my views in regard to this proposition—have been stated fully before on the floor of this Council Chamber. I believe that not one penny should be expended by Boston, or by its executive officers, the City Council or the Mayor, that does not go to a bona fide resident of our city. We have been told that this money must be paid, that the Legislature has said that it must be paid, and that therefore it must be paid. I desire at this time to differ with that opinion. I feel that there is no power on earth that can compel me or any other member of this Council to vote for a proposition which in itself is absolutely unfair, passed by an unfair Republican Legislature on to our Democratic city, saddling unfair and unjust expenses on the backs of Boston's citizenship. We have here, in connection with the increased amounts for jurors and the increased amounts for Suffolk County Jail and Charles Street Jail, other items which increase the salaries of individuals who live in Newton, Malden, Andover, Marblehead, and Brookline. I realize, of course, that it would be folly for us to attempt to strike out any individual amounts in this budget because they would so manipulate it that those whom they cared to favor would receive the increases as against those who are residents of our city. Therefore, I am practical enough to know that we can accomplish nothing by trying to select individuals on this budget to take out of the budget, or this supplementary budget. I also appreciate that those who have addressed us here this afternoon, the Budget Commissioner and the auditor have a right to their slant from a legal viewpoint as to whether or not we must pay this money. They say that, if the money is not appropriated by this Council, it must come from somewhere, and that, if it is not appropriated before the tax rate is declared, it will be paid at the expense of our citizens, the citizens of Boston.

I say that just the opposite is the case, that if we refuse to pay this money, then they are going to be able to provide it only out of funds which are provided now for Suffolk County expenses, and there has never been a time when the present auditor, or the auditors who have preceded him, has ever honored a draft on the reserve fund for Suffolk County expenses. I know that the auditor's opinion on this proposition is similar to mine, and that only by the most direct manner of compulsion will he at any time pay these expenses out of the city moneys. So, therefore, I feel that we

should do more than make a mere gesture such as that we made a week ago in holding up this proposition. I believe that we should follow our hand; we should refuse to appropriate one single penny for Suffolk County expenses until such time as the Republican Legislature sees fit to apportion the money fairly upon the town of Winthrop and the cities of Chelsea and Revere. Bills have been introduced by his Honor the Mayor, and by mayors who have preceded him, asking that those expenses be apportioned; but every year it has been the same thing—they have been thrown out of the window by the Republican Legislature, which unjustly discriminates at every opportunity against Boston and its citizenry. I am elected by the votes of Boston and its citizenry, and I consider them first. I stand up here first for Boston; secondly, I then take any other matters into consideration. But there is not a member of this Council that would be elected to office, in my opinion, if the citizenry of our city felt that he would vote any moneys of Boston's taxpayers for Suffolk County expenses; and if that issue were to be raised in any campaign and a man were to stand up and say that he would vote to appropriate Boston's money to be expended for the benefit of the citizens of Chelsea, Revere, Winthrop, Brookline, Andover, Beverly, Newton, or any other section of the state, he would meet a most ignominious defeat. I know and I feel that the sense of the people of our city is that we have been denied the right of home rule long enough. There is not a man or a woman in Boston who lives here, is a bona fide resident here, and, incidentally, I know that our pay roll books are honeycombed with those who reside in every city and town in this Commonwealth. Every one of those jobs belongs to a Boston boy or a Boston girl; every one of those jobs, in my opinion, should first be given in preference to war veterans. We have passed legislation on Beacon Hill giving preference to veterans, but if there is a veteran who lives in Boston that desires a position, how is he going to get it if they are going to appoint someone from Andover? I think that the time is ripe when this Council should take the first step to combat the influence of that Republican Legislature which for years has belittled and discriminated against Boston taxpayers. I stand here, even though I might stand alone, knowing that some day in the not very far distant future Boston is going to have someone that is going to be big enough and have nerve enough to stand up in his shoes and fight for Boston. And until that day arrives, just so long as we supinely bend the knee to the whims of an unfair and unjust Legislature, then so long do we deserve that treatment. But when we stand and fight back, I predict that that Legislature will no longer saddle unfair legislation on to our citizens but will give to us, the capital city of this Commonwealth, that which it gives to every other city and town in the State of Massachusetts, namely, the right to govern itself. Look at the ridiculousness of this proposition. The City of Boston has to go with its hat in its hand every year to ask for a tax limit for the City of Boston, and still they submit a budget here in the nature of a supplementary budget; after having first sent in their original budget, they now send in a supplementary budget for county expenses increasing the amount of their original budget \$150,000. What would be the hue and cry if that were to happen in our city? If your mayor were to submit a supplementary budget increasing the salaries of city employees after the original budget had been introduced, when he would go to the Legislature next year asking that a tax limit of sufficient amount to conduct the city's affairs in a decent manner be granted, that would be the first thing they would toss into his teeth. But still they do what they deny us the right to do, and we have much more right to do it than they have. However, I suppose it is votes that count on this proposition and I might talk from now until the end of time and not even influence a vote. I merely want to state my position. I do not care how far they want to go on this proposition, whether it is this or any other proposition; so long as I am a member of this Council, I am going to vote that no moneys be provided for anyone who is not a resident of the City of Boston, and a bona fide resident at that.

The order was passed, yeas 5, nays 3:

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Gildbody, Healey, Moriarty, Watson—5.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh—3.

ABANDONMENT OF EASEMENT

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted a report on the message and order (referred today) abandoning the sewer easement on land on Rockwell street—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Assigned for fourteen days for final action.

PARKMAN FUND APPROPRIATION.

Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Parkman Fund, submitted a report on the message and order (referred July 28) appropriating \$69,000 from the income of the Parkman Fund—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

SALARIES OF PROBATION OFFICERS.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on County Accounts, submitted a report on the communication from the Justice of the Juvenile Court (referred July 28)—recommending the passage of the following:

Ordered, That the salaries of the probation officers of the Boston Juvenile Court, as determined by the justice of said court, to date from August 1, 1924, be and the same hereby are approved, viz.: May A. Burke, \$2,100 per annum; John B. O'Hare, \$2,700 per annum; Walter C. Bell, \$2,300 per annum; Edward J. O'Mara, \$2,300 per annum.

Report accepted; order passed.

REPRINTING OF DOCUMENT.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That the Superintendent of Printing be authorized to reprint five hundred copies of Document 98, 1922, for public distribution, expense to be charged to appropriation for City Document.

Passed.

JITNEY LICENSES.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Itinerary Licenses, submitted reports recommending that licenses be granted on petitions, viz.:

Boston Bus Transportation Company, on West Roxbury Parkway.

Boston Bus Transportation Company, on Centre street, from Belgrade avenue to Eliot circle.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, on Eliot, Pond, May and Centre streets.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, change of route from Atlantic avenue to Arch street.

The reports were accepted and the question came on granting the licenses.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I was on the Committee on Itinerary, and I did not know that that committee acted on all those jitney licenses. I will be frank with you, I must have been asleep. I would like to know what they are. I want each one read separately. I made the statement, very plainly, that I did not propose to vote for any more jitney licenses to the Elevated, excepting the one from West Roxbury in to Arlington street, and the change I mentioned today.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, there is no jitney permit being asked from West Roxbury into Arlington street. One has been asked from West Roxbury in to the monument at Centre street, Jamaica Plain. There is opposition to it. The Boston Bus Service Corporation want to put a line in, and the Boston Elevated wants to put a line in.

Coun. WATSON—Put a line where?

Coun. PURCELL—From West Roxbury in to the monument at Jamaica Plain. That is a section of the city which has no service of any kind. In some places you will walk two and a half and three miles to get a car. Faulkner Hospital is in that section, and its management is very anxious to get a jitney line through there.

Coun. WATSON—Where is the permit they asked for?

Coun. PURCELL—That is the one I am talking of.

Coun. WATSON—I thought that came all the way in town?

Coun. PURCELL—They cannot. The Park Department, as you heard said today, is bigger than the City Council and the Mayor of Boston. The Park Department has already thrown out a jitney license from Franklin Park to Park square. The Mayor granted the permit, and signed it, but the Park Department said they could not run.

Coun. WATSON—Well, I want to hear read what is asked for here. I did not know they were passed, or I would have objected to them.

Coun. PURCELL—You say you want competition. Here is the Boston Elevated and this Bus Company competing for a line in this district.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I understand from the chairman of the Committee on Itinerary that he is giving competition on the West Roxbury line. Are the Elevated and the opposing jitney company seeking a permit on the same streets?

Coun. PURCELL—I believe that is so, Mr. Councilor; but when it goes down to the Mayor's office, the Mayor will decide who is going to run them.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I am not going to give him the chance as far as I am concerned. I would like to have the orders read individually.

The Clerk read the petitions of the Boston Elevated Railway Company and the Boston Bus Transportation Company for permission to operate a bus service in West Roxbury from Belgrade avenue to Centre street, Jamaica Plain.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I do not know who the incorporators are of the Boston Bus Transportation Company, and I would like to know a little more about it. I do not want to delay the members any longer, but it is a pretty important thing. There have been too many of these jitney things going by too quickly.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I probably can enlighten the gentleman on my left (Coun. Watson). The men that are interested in this Boston Bus line are the men whom the commissioners of the Park Department saw fit to throw down after they had brought over \$60,000 to \$70,000

worth of buses to this city. Those buses have been hung up in a garage ever since.

Coun. WATSON—Is Mr. Kaplan one of them?

Coun. PURCELL—It is the corporation that had the permit to run into Park square.

Coun. WATSON—Well, Mr. President, in order that I may get full information, I move that they be laid on the table until the next Monday. It is too late now to delay things.

The motion to lay on the table was lost, yeas 3, nays 3.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Healey, Watson—3.

Nays—Coun. Gilbody, Purcell, Walsh—3.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I move reconsideration of the last vote, hoping that the same will prevail. I believe the vote is lost because it is a tie vote. There are eight members present. I presume the other two members have a right to refuse to vote, but I want to say that the time is ripe to compel the Elevated Railroad to reduce rates. Now I do not want to take up your time. If the members will not agree to let this matter lay on the table until next week, I will talk here until 9 o'clock tonight—and I can talk until 9 o'clock if necessary. There is an opportunity, Mr. President. To begin with, I would like to know what the records of the Committee on Itinerary disclose as to who was present and who voted on these different matters. I am a member of the Committee on Itinerary, and I believe the gentleman on my left (Coun. Healey) is. I did not know that these matters were considered by the Committee on Itinerary. Now I think they ought to lay on the table until next week.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I stood over here and I heard the discussion on them, and the gentleman in his seat over there (Coun. Walsh) heard them also.

Coun. WATSON—I do not doubt but that what the gentleman (Coun. Gilbody) says is true. I did not know that they considered them.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, the gentleman who last spoke (Coun. Watson) was so much interested in Commissioner Shea at the time that he did not hear what was said.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I have the privilege and right to interest myself as I please. I would like to know how many members were present when the matter was voted upon. Perhaps you can tell me.

Coun. PURCELL—The complete membership.

Coun. WALSH—What did they report on?

Who voted in favor?

Coun. PURCELL—I could not tell you that.

Coun. WATSON—Well, now, Mr. President, it does not look good to me at all—this proposition. I trust that the members will not compel me to talk plain English here today. I will say that I object to the passage of this proposition today. I do not know how long they have been before this Council. I would like to ask the Clerk how long these matters were before the Committee on Itinerary.

The Clerk stated that the petition of the Boston Bus Transportation Company was received on the 12th of May, and the petition of the Boston Elevated Railway Company on the 30th of June.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, why all this delay on the part of the Committees on Itinerary? I never knew that the Boston Bus Company asked for this route.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I do not think it is fair of a man to say that. There has been a public hearing on both of these petitions.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, may I ask when?

Coun. PURCELL—In this chamber here.

President DONOGHUE—The councilors will be in order. Coun. Watson has the floor.

Coun. WATSON—As I remember it, Mr. President, the location applied for before the hearing when I was present was from West Roxbury through the Park system down to Arlington street, and that was a petition by the Boston Elevated Railroad. Were there any others? This new route is new to me. Who made the change?

Coun. PURCELL—The Boston Elevated Railroad.

Coun. WATSON—The Boston Elevated Railroad? They are not running me. Mr. President, I think, as a matter of decency, fair play, and square dealing, this matter should lay on the table for one week and no harm can come from it. What is the matter?

Coun. PURCELL—How about your candidacy?

Coun. WATSON—Never mind about my candidacy. I take care of all my own campaigns, and if I have to lose because I am fighting for a principle, I am willing to lose. I cannot help looking around here. Here is a matter I never heard of until I heard it read here today. The new routes. There is something crooked here—if you want me to use that language. All right, it is a matter of record. I emphasize it—there is something crooked in this proposition, and I ask for time in order to inquire into it. I would like to ask Coun. Healey how he feels in the matter.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I feel the same way. I understood the new route, of course, was favored by the Hon. Joseph A. Conry. I understand that all right. And the other matter I do not understand that he really was considering that at all. Of course, if it runs along the same route, and if the city has to pay the bills of the Boston Elevated Railway, I believe every nickel taken out of the Elevated Railway means that the citizens of Boston will have to pay the bill if there is a deficit, and that is the reason I am against

competition on the route. On the second one, I will not vote in favor of it. I will vote in favor of the petition of the Elevated over the new route arranged by Joseph A. Conry and the Elevated, and I think the Committee on Itinerary.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I am glad that the speaker (Coun. Healey) goes halfway with me. I reiterate—there is something peculiar about this vote, and I do not propose to be placed in the position of being a numbskull at this late day in my life. I have been in city government for eleven years, and I usually know what I am voting on. If I am being "delivered," I propose to protect my reputation. Is that strong enough? If not, I will say more. This proposition does not look good to me. There is a darky in the wood pile. It has waited here since way back in April or so. Why the speed today? I do not propose to delegate to Mayor Curley any of my rights or duties. I appreciate the fact that he is competent to pass upon matters coming to him, but I have just as serious an obligation as he has. I am not sitting here as a dummy. I am not sitting to permit Joseph A. Conry and the Elevated to come to an agreement, unless I know what the agreement is. I do not propose to have orders sneaked through this body unknown to me. Why not let us have a week's delay on this matter? I ask the gentleman on my right (Coun. Purcell), as chairman of that committee, to kindly agree to give me a week to know what I am voting on and whether or not I have been "delivered."

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, would giving the honorable gentleman (Coun. Watson) a week enable him to get the information he wants in that time?

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I will guarantee to vote "yes" or "no" next Monday on this proposition.

The question came on reconsideration of the vote not to lay on the table until the next meeting, and said motion to reconsider was passed.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I move that all jitney applications, excepting that relating to the change of route by the Elevated, be laid on the table until next Monday, excepting, as I said, the proposed change of route on Atlantic avenue.

The motion was carried.

The Council voted to grant the license to the Boston Elevated Railway Company on the petition (referred today) for a change of route from Atlantic avenue to Arch street.

TREMONT STREET WIDENING.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I move reconsideration of all matters passed upon today, hoping that they will not prevail.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I understood that Coun. Healey was to take up Nos. 8 and 9 from the calendar.

Coun. HEALEY—Oh, yes, Mr. President. The session has been such a lengthy one that I had nearly forgotten the matter. I would like No. 8 called up on the calendar.

(No. 8 is the loan order for the widening of Tremont street.)

President DONOGHUE—Does the councilor (Watson) withdraw his motion?

Coun. WATSON—I withdraw it, Mr. President.

President DONOGHUE—If there is no objection, the motion to reconsider is withdrawn.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I move that both No. 8 and No. 9 be called from the calendar.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I move that Nos. 8 and 9 be laid on the table and a public hearing granted. I would like to know who is interested in his project. I think now is the proper time to find out and not come back later on and say that it never came up. I move you, sir, that we have a public hearing in this matter at an early date.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make a statement.

President DONOGHUE—Is there objection? As there is none, the councilor may make a statement.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, the only way in which I could make a fight on this proposition is by securing unanimous consent to make a statement. I realize that a motion to lay on the table is not debatable; consequently, I have been given permission to make a statement, and I desire to do so. I understand that the Benevolent Order of Elks, Boston Lodge No. 10, desire action today on the question of the widening of Tremont street. They have been handicapped a great deal because of delay. As I understand it, originally they had plans drawn to erect a magnificent building, costing a million and a half or two million dollars, the site which they have purchased, based on the present width of Tremont street, but because of this act of the Legislature for the widening of Tremont street they find it necessary to change their plans to conform to the new width. They are handicapped to a great extent in selling bonds and securing building loans because of their failure to move forward. They desire to break ground immediately. They have had a "drive," and I believe they have raised a large sum of money among the membership of the Elks and their friends. I hold a hundred dollar bond in the building. I understand from the members of the committee—Mr. George Stuart is here, and the Daniel J. Kane, the Exalted Ruler—in order that they may have action one way or the other, they

they desire us either to pass the Tremont street widening measure today or defeat it. If necessary, they will go on and build their building according to the plans they now have, which they paid for, to conform to the present width of the street. If they erect their building according to those plans, Tremont street can never be widened at that point without paying at least a million dollars in damages to the Elks. Now it is a pretty serious thing for us to postpone this matter further. I have no interest in the land sharks who hold options on the balance of Tremont street. Unfortunately, this act calls for all or nothing—this million two hundred thousand dollar widening. We cannot divide the question. I know the members here would vote in favor of widening Tremont street at the point where the Elks are going to build if the Elks alone were benefitted; but, after all, that would be rather a selfish interest for us to show, and, to be frank, I lean that way myself. But this question is not whether they shall build there and exempt the rest; it is a question of widening all or nothing. I do not think we ought to delay, but with a public hearing on the question of widening Tremont street. The public are in full information on the matter. Nobody will object to widening Tremont street, in my opinion. I may be wrong. And why prolong the question? You are going to pass it eventually. Public necessity will demand that we pass it. Who is going to stand in the way of progress even though some people improperly secure benefits from the street widening? Supposing some of these highbrow land sharks benefit by the widening, eventually all the people will benefit because that widening is essential and necessary, even though many will benefit who own the land or hold an option on it—many of them, to use the term of the day, who have been unfriendly to me and will continue so. But why go to work and keep out those who are deserving in order to get even with those who are undeserving? I would like to ask for a suspension of this Council hearing for five minutes in order that the Executive Committee might have a hearing and permit Daniel J. Kane, Exalted Ruler of the Elks, and Mr. Stuart of the committee, to explain to us what their wishes are in the matter. If they desire to permit delay, I do not object; if they insist upon action now, I say we ought to have it. Now I am talking longer than I intended to. I probably have imposed upon the Council in taking this length of time; but we have all been taking time today which we ought not to have taken. I am as guilty as anybody. This is an important matter. Intimidation will not pass this measure; cool, collected reasoning will; and I will ask any member of the Council to try to give me a reason, or a sensible reason, or a reasonable reason, why we should not act for or against this measure today. On No. 9 on the calendar perhaps we can wait. That means the erection of only a four million dollar building where they will break ground immediately and put some of the unemployed to work. That does not mean anything, of course. It does not mean a thing to some people. It does to me. If as many people called at your door, fellow members, for employment—skilled mechanics, laborers, bricklayers, tinsmith workers—as call on me, you will know the necessity for providing employment at his crucia time. And why delay these things? I do not know what further to say, Mr. President. You have given me unanimous consent to make a statement, which I appreciate, and I ask that unanimous consent be given to Coun. Purcell in order that he may give a reason which he considers sufficient for further delay on this proposition. I move unanimous consent be given Coun. Purcell.

President DONOGHUE—The question comes on the motion of Coun. Purcell to lay the matter on the table.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President—

President DONOGHUE—For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I do not want the gentleman (Coun. Watson) who spoke ahead of me—

President DONOGHUE—The councilor is out of order unless he receives unanimous consent of the Council to make a statement.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I move that Coun. Purcell be given unanimous consent to make a statement.

President DONOGHUE—The motion is out of order. The question comes on the motion of Coun. Purcell to lay the matter on the table. All in favor will say "aye;" opposed, "no." The ayes have it.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I doubt the vote.

President DONOGHUE—The vote is doubted, and the Clerk will call the roll.

The Clerk called the roll, with the following result:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh—3.

Nays—Coun. Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Watson—4.

The motion was lost.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I have no desire to take advantage of conditions. I am interested, particularly and primarily, in permitting the Elks—

President DONOGHUE—There is no motion before the House.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I move that we take No. 8 from the calendar.

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Watson moves to call up No. 8 on the calendar.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I move you, sir, at this time that we give permission to the Exalted Ruler of the Boston Lodge of Elks and the committee an opportunity to state to the Council what their wishes are concerning this proposition.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, the committee from the Elks have been here before, and I think the time has arrived now when the question should be put before the body for a vote. I do not see any need of their coming in here again. They have been in here once.

Coun. WATSON—I am perfectly agreeable to that.

Coun. BRICKLEY—I ask that the question be put.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, am I out of order if I have something to say?

President DONOGHUE—You are in order.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I would like to correct the statement of the gentleman on my left (Coun. Watson) when he suggests that I am voting on this because it is an Elks' proposition, or anything like it.

Coun. WATSON—I do not think you are.

Coun. PURCELL—I ask for a public hearing for one reason. When Tremont street was first suggested to be widened it was to be widened on the other side, which I think is the proper place to widen. It was passed by the Legislature and left to the Street Commissioners. Now, if this is widened on the right-hand side going from here, you are taking so much land away from the Elks; you are cutting out a hotel on which the owner has spent \$150,000—you are wiping him out of business; you are taking another hotel this side of the Elks and wiping that out of business; and you are wiping another man out of business who has just built a building on the corner of Stuart and Tremont streets. Why? Because one certain theater in this town put the ropes out and got things working to shift it to the other side. That is why I want a public hearing, Mr. President. Let us have it out and see why. There was only one theater, one place that would be wiped out, and the only thing they would lose is the foyer in behind their entrance. Mr. McDonald, the man who is putting this deal through, tried to give 10 feet gratis to the City of Boston, and because the Wilbur theater people came across, in my estimation, it did not go through. That is the reason why I demand a public hearing.

Coun. WATSON—Come across to me?

Coun. PURCELL—"Come across" is right. I do not say you or anybody else. At the proper time I may say who. That is the reason why I want a public hearing. And, as for the Elks, I am an Elk, and I voted for it at the first reading because I was an Elk, but I reserved the right on the second hearing to vote against it, and I am going to vote against it this time. If you are going to take so much away from the Elks and make a smaller building, I am opposed to it, and any man that is an Elk ought to be opposed to it. Let the Elks build their building there. Let us have the widening on the other side. The Boston Elevated Railway Company has tracks up behind a lot of old houses there which are not in use. The cars coming out of the tunnel go across the street and block traffic in every direction. Why not run them up on their land in the back of those houses from Broadway Extension to Arlington Square; why not let the Elevated run their tracks up in there? Widen Tremont street in the right way and give the people of Boston and give the automobilists a chance to come down Tremont street. You are just making it 100 per cent worse, because if you do that the Elevated will have to put its tracks farther over, and you are putting those cars right across the street. Now you have a chance, and I believe in widening at this time. That is the reason why I am opposed and why I am voting against it.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, of course the gentleman (Coun. Purcell) did not refer to me when he said that he inferred that the people "came across" because he knows that I am immune from that kind of stuff. The gentleman (Coun. Purcell) raised an argument concerning widening on the other side. It will cost something like \$600,000 or \$700,000 in damages if they widen over across the street at the corner of Hollis and Tremont streets. If they widen on the left-hand side of the street it will take some of the valuable property at the junction of Shawmut avenue and Tremont street. Now I am not going to argue about what might have been, and I am not going to argue from the standpoint of the Elks because they are not entitled to any more than anybody else—they ask for no more. The Elks can stand on their own feet; they do not ask for any favors from anybody. I was here when they gave a magnificent hospital to the Government on Parker Hill. They ask no defence or favors from anybody. It is a business proposition. They are erecting a building there, and they want to know whether or not they can proceed now, or whether they shall be held up longer. And their financial matters are tied up. It is not a question of whether McDonald is to benefit. Of course he is. If it was not McDonald it would be somebody else who would have the benefit. McDonald is not my friend any more than he is yours, but, if he is going to benefit, and others are going to benefit likewise, "the greatest good for the greatest number" is my motto.

I do not want to see this matter defeated today,

though I believe the Elks will be satisfied. They want action. I have been told so by Mr. Stuart, one of the committee. They want to know where they are at. Either pass it or defeat it today. And I trust that, in the interest of progress, independent of the fact that some unworthy people will benefit financially, perhaps, and it may be a land scheme, perhaps—they all are; these great improvements do not come from anybody who is disinterested; somebody is interested always right-fully and properly, or wrongfully and improperly; and therefore, without further words, I trust that, today, we will vote favorably on the widening of Tremont street for the public good.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, some three or four weeks ago I voted yes and reserved the right to change my vote when the matter was taken up for second reading. I am going to vote yes today, believing to a great extent, as Coun. Purcell believes, that, in so far as the widening is concerned, they are taking the wrong side of the street. I feel that they should have taken the other side of the street, but I am not a Street Commissioner. The Street Commissioners are going to be responsible if this act goes through and the right side of the street is not widened. I feel that plans are already drawn providing for a taking on the side on which the Elks are to be located. My sympathy runs with the Elks, and this matter has been held up for some time. The Elks are borrowing money for the purpose of building. They have a lot of land. Of course, if that side of the street is not going to be widened, they want to build to the front of the street. In so far as making their building any smaller is concerned by taking 20 feet on their side, it is not going to make their building one bit smaller; but if they now start to build and build with a set-back of 20 feet, surmising that some day the widening project will go through, they are going to be in a very peculiar position; and for that reason I am going to set my judgment one side and, for the purpose of allowing the Boston Lodge of Elks an opportunity to erect their building and go along, I am going to vote yes.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I do not see how it is a matter of the Boston Lodge of Elks erecting their building or not erecting it. They have plans ready now, so I understand, to erect their building out to the curbstone. Why can't they go along with them? I am absolutely opposed to the widening of Tremont street on the other side, and, as I say, if we have a public hearing it will bring out just who is behind this thing, and when we do it will open the eyes of the citizens of Boston and the newspapers will have something to headline. I am still going to vote against the widening of Tremont street, and I am as good an Elk as any man in the room.

President DONOGHUE—The question comes on the passage of the order. The Chair desires to state his belief that this matter should have a hearing, that there should be a public hearing on it, but that in view of the fact that a majority of the members of the Council want to take a vote on this proposition today, the Chair is going to vote against it. I see no crying need for widening of Tremont street at this particular time without an opportunity being given for any public hearing on the matter. The Clerk will call the roll.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, may I inquire of those who are opposed to this order how much delay they want for this public hearing?

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I will not put the motion again for a public hearing. It has been decided, and I demand a vote.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I am going to vote in favor of the proposition. I was always in favor of the proposition on the very general lines that it was a good thing for business; but if the matter is going to be decided simply and solely because a public hearing will not be held, if they agree to have the public hearing next Monday I will vote for it. It will not make any difference in my vote on the proposition. I intend to vote for the proposition on Tremont street and also on Kneeland street, because I think they are for the best interests of the City of Boston. If the opponents of the measure assure us that they will have the public hearing on next Monday, I will vote to go through with the public hearing next Monday.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I would like to say that I voted primarily, I will admit, for the Boston Lodge of Elks, but I think it requires serious consideration, and I think, now that it is evident that the order will not be passed, that we had better use our better judgment and postpone it for one week or until some day when we can have a public hearing on the matter. I think that we have already discussed this matter at length, and let us use our common sense, study the situation up there, and have a public hearing. I therefore move that we lay it on the table and that a public hearing be held on the proposition.

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Gilbody moves that the matter be laid on the table.

Coun. WATSON—I believe it is not debatable, is it, Mr. President?

President DONOGHUE—No.

Coun. HEALEY—It may be amended, though, Mr. President, with the understanding that a public hearing—

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Watson has the floor. Do you yield to Coun. Healey?

Coun. WATSON—No; if I have the floor I am going to keep it. Mr. President—

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Gilbody moves that the matter lay on the table, and, if that motion prevails, then Coun. Gilbody will move that a public hearing be held. That motion will be debatable.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President—
President DONOGHUE—For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I ask the councilor (Gilbody) to withdraw his motion. I desire to make a statement. If the members are interested in liking it, go to it.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President—
President DONOGHUE—For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Coun. MORIARTY—I rise to amend the motion.

President DONOGHUE—The motion to lay on the table is not amendable.

Coun. MORIARTY—For time?

President DONOGHUE—No time is specified.

Coun. MORIARTY—Can't I amend it in so far as time is concerned?

President DONOGHUE—No amendment can be made.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President—

President DONOGHUE—For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Coun. PURCELL—In opposition to laying this matter on the table.

President DONOGHUE—The question is not debatable.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President—

President DONOGHUE—For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Coun. BRICKLEY—To call up No. 9 on the calendar.

President DONOGHUE—The motion is out of order. The motion has been made to lay No. 8 on the table.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President—

President DONOGHUE—For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Coun. HEALEY—To seek information from the gentleman who moved the motion, which I suppose is entirely in order.

President DONOGHUE—It is not in order.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Question, Mr. President.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair has stated that the motion of Coun. Gilbody was to lay the matter on the table, then Coun. Gilbody will move to hold a public hearing, which will be debatable.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President—

President DONOGHUE—For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Coun. MORIARTY—I have not heard anybody yet say that after the motion was carried he would make any motion.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair desires to say that Coun. Gilbody made two separate motions: To lay the matter on the table and to hold a public hearing. Both motions cannot be put at the same time.

Coun. MORIARTY—So one of them is out of order, and there is only one motion before the Council.

President DONOGHUE—There is only one motion before the Council, and that is the motion which the Chair has stated—to lay the matter on the table. The question comes on laying the matter on the table. All in favor will say "aye"; opposed, "no." It is not a vote.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I doubt the vote.

President DONOGHUE—The Clerk will call the roll.

The roll was called, with the following result:
Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Walsh—5.

Nays—Coun. Moriarty, Purcell, Watson—3.

The motion to lay on the table was carried.

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Gilbody.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I seek recognition.

President DONOGHUE—The councilor will be in order. The Chair will recognize Coun. Gilbody because of the fact that he introduced the original motion to lay this matter on the table, and also to have a public hearing. Coun. Gilbody.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I move that we hold a public hearing on the matter one week from today in this chamber at 3 p. m. before the Executive Committee.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I move, as an amendment, that the Executive Committee be instructed to report next Monday on this matter either for or against after the public hearing.

The amendment was accepted.

The question came on the motion of Coun. Gilbody as amended by Coun. Watson, and aid motion as amended was passed.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, I suppose it would be a forlorn hope to call up No. 9 with the expectation of getting a vote on it; so I therefore move that a public hearing be held on No. 9, and that the Executive Committee be instructed to render a report either in favor of or against No. 9. (No. 9 is the loan order for the widening of Kneeland street.)

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Healey moves that No. 9 be laid on the table. Those in favor will say "aye"; opposed, "no." It is a vote. Coun. Healey now moves that a hearing be given on No. 9 on the calendar at the same time and with the same instructions already adopted for No. 8.

The motion was carried.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. BRICKLEY moved a general reconsideration of all matters voted upon at this meeting, hoping the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 7.45 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, to meet on Monday, August 11, 1924, at two o'clock p. m.

THE CITY DOLLAR SPENT IN YEAR 1923-24.

For Public Schools, 28.66 cents; (2) Public Works, 13.66 cents; (3) Debt Requirements, 11.61; (4) State Tax and Assessments, 11.08; (5) Police Dept., 8.17; (6) Fire Dept., 6.85; (7) General Government, 4.20; (8) Hospitals and Health, 3.91; (9) County Courts, Etc., 3.70; (10) Institutions and Poor Relief, 3.64; (11) Public Recreation, 3.00; (12) Public Library, 1.37; (13) Public Service Enterprises, 0.15 (due to a slight excess of expenditure over revenue); making a total of 100 cents. This excludes all expenditure from loans, etc., but includes special appropriations from tax levy and other general income, used for public improvements.

The revenue of all departments, \$7,719,910, amounted to 18.06 per cent of their gross expenditures for maintenance. The revenue of Public Service Enterprises alone (including Water Service, Ferry Service, Printing Plant, Markets, etc.) amounted to \$4,538,919 or 5.88 per cent of total department income. The fractions of the dollar above stated represent net expenditure, computed after deducting department revenue.

Revenue from another class of public service enterprise, *i. e.*, Rapid Transit, for rentals of subways and tunnels, \$1,655,475 or \$15,642 less than the interest and sinking-fund requirements of the Rapid Transit debt in 1923.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN BONAD ROAD, HILLSIDE AVENUE, METROPOLITAN AVENUE, MARION ROAD, PARKTON ROAD, ROBERTS AVENUE AND RUSSETT ROAD, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 2,300 feet of 8-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Bonad road, Hillside avenue, Metropolitan avenue, Marion road, Parkton road, Roberts avenue and Russett road, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Bonad Road, etc." and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, August 25, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE.

Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 14, 1924. (Aug. 16.)

PUBLIC DEBT, 1924.

Gross founded debt February 1, 1924, \$128,627,400.98 (including \$299,999.98 issued by State for enlargement of Court House); sinking funds, \$41,962,312; other redemption means, \$1,162,916; net debt, \$85,502,173, of which total \$50,079,397, or 58.57 per cent, was City Debt; \$33,897,385, or 39.65 per cent, Rapid Transit debt (representing $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent investment); \$1,259,391, or 1.47 per cent, County debt and \$266,000, or 0.31 per cent, Water debt.

Net debt per capita, \$100.83 (approx.); net debt exclusive of Rapid Transit debt, \$51,604,788 or \$60.86 per capita (approx.). Loans authorized but not issued (within debt limit) \$1,050,000; same outside of debt limit, \$4,280,000.

In the fiscal year 1923-24, the net City debt was increased by \$607,566 and the net Rapid Transit debt by \$1,472,415, while the net County debt was reduced by \$92,396 and the net Water Debt by \$16,000.

Total debt contracted, \$7,190,000; total debt paid, \$5,139,400; total increase of gross debt, \$2,050,600; of net debt, \$1,971,586.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Number of police force, December 1, 1923, was 1,964 (63 more than in 1922), viz., the Superintendent, 3 Deputy Superintendents, 24 captains, 35 inspectors, 43 lieutenants, 141 sergeants and 1,717 patrolmen, distributed in 21 divisions. Signal service men, 17, and clerks, janitors, etc., 121. By May 15, 1924, the changes in officers made the number of captains 29, lieutenants 38 and sergeants 148.

Cost of maintenance for 1923-24, \$4,314,340 or \$241,807 more than in 1922.

Total number of arrests in year ending Nov. 30, 1923, 76,732 or 921 less than in 1922, but 17,914 more than in 1920; of those arrested, 3,879 were discharged and all others held for trial; foreign-born persons arrested, 28,693 or 37.39 per cent of total; boys under 15 years of age, 1,638; women and girls all ages, 5,419; non-residents, 19,320 or 25.21 per cent of all arrested.

Drunkenness the cause of 38,988 arrests (an average of 107 per day) or 50.81 per cent of total. The arrests for homicide numbered 111; for refusing to support family, 719; violation of automobile laws, 8,918.

Sick and injured persons assisted, 8,214; insane persons taken in charge, 424; lost children restored to homes, 1,617; persons imprisoned, 3,160; persons fined, 18,226, the fines amounting to \$270,357; stolen property recovered, \$2,053,884; licenses granted, 23,662 (including 8,922 for dogs and 8,626 for vehicles and drivers), for which \$57,864 was received. Of 3,191 applications for license to carry loaded revolvers, 2,989 were granted.

Accidents from all causes in the streets, parks and squares caused death of 149 persons and injury to 5,141 or 24 more killed and 1,374 more injured than in 1922. Automobile accidents killed 90 persons and injured 2,157, said fatal cases being 60 per cent of total.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$8,000; Superintendent, \$7,000; Deputy Superintendents, \$4,000; Chief Inspector, \$3,800; captains, \$3,500; inspectors and lieutenants, \$2,500; sergeants, \$2,300; patrolmen, \$1,400 the 1st year, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 reached.

In the year ending Nov. 30, 1923, the Police Dept. made 3,326 prosecutions in the State courts and 22 in the Federal court for violation of the liquor law.

Divisions 20 and 21, assigned to street traffic control, now number a force of 190 men, but present conditions are said to demand at least 100 more for this work.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN STONY BROOK, SECTION 10A STELLMAN ROAD, PRIVATE LAND, BRADEN STREET AND WASHINGTON STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Stony Brook, Section 10A Stellman road, private land, Braden street and Washington street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seventy thousand and (70,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Stony Brook, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, September 3, 1924, with a certified check for seven thousand (7,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 14. (August 16-23-30.)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN BOSTONIA AVENUE, BETWEEN BRECK AVENUE AND REGENT ROAD, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Bostonia avenue, between Breck avenue and Regent road, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-seven hundred (2,700) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Bostonia avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, August 29, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 14, 1924. (August 16.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for erecting and completing, including all trades, an intermediate school, Samuel Adams District, Cottage and Gore streets, East Boston district, Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, September 5, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$20,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(August 16.) Commissioners.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals to erect and complete, including the plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating work, the building for Overseers of Public Welfare and Temporary Home, at the corner of Chardon, Hawkins and Bowker streets, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, August 26, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$7,500, payable to the City if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, before the time of opening the bids. The Acting Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings and specifications. Mutilation of plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(Aug. 16-23.)

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WIDENING AND RESURFACING ROAD IN FRANKLIN PARK, SECTION 1, BLUE HILL AVENUE TO VALLEY GATE TRIANGLE.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for widening and resurfacing road in Franklin Park, Section 1, Blue Hill avenue to Valley Gate triangle. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "Widening and Resurfacing Road in Franklin Park, Section 1, Blue Hill Avenue to Valley Gate Triangle," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, August 26, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$5,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$25,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(Aug. 16-23.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN WEST ROXBURY PARKWAY (WEST BORDER ROAD FROM LAGRANGE STREET, TO PLEASURE DRIVE), WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 2,000 feet of 16-inch water pipe in West Roxbury Parkway, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-five hundred (2,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, West Roxbury Parkway," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, August 22, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposal will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 14, 1924. (Aug. 16.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN PILGRIM ROAD, BETWEEN BROOKLINE AND LONGWOOD AVENUES, ROXBURY; PLYMOUTH STREET, BETWEEN LONGWOOD AVENUE AND RIVERWAY, ROXBURY; RIVERWAY, BETWEEN PLYMOUTH AND SHORT STREETS, ROXBURY; SHORT STREET, BETWEEN PILGRIM ROAD AND RIVERWAY, ROXBURY; ONEIDA STREET, BETWEEN HARRISON AVENUE AND ALBANY STREET, CITY; REDFIELD STREET, BETWEEN WALNUT AND WOODWORTH STREETS, DORCHESTER; ALLENDALE STREET, FROM HILL TOP STREET, DORCHESTER; MYRTLEBANK STREET, FROM MILTON STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 4,415 feet of 8-inch, 10-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Pilgrim road, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Pilgrim Road, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, August 26, 1924, with a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 14, 1924. (Aug. 16.)

DELINQUENT TAX SALES.

CITY OF BOSTON.

CITY COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes and assessments thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed by the assessors of taxes of said City to me as collector of taxes for said City, including assessments for the suppression of gypsy and brown-tail moths, remain unpaid, and that the smallest undivided part of said land sufficient to satisfy said taxes and assessments, with interests and all legal costs and charges, or the whole of said land if no person offers to take an undivided part thereof, will be offered for sale by public auction at the City Collector's office, on the second floor of the City Hall Annex on Court street, in said City of Boston, on Wednesday, September 10, 1924, at 9.30 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and assessments, with interests, costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

The sums set against the following descriptions of the several parcels of land show the amounts due thereon respectively for the taxes and assessments for the nonpayment of which each of said parcels of land is to be sold, but do not include the cost and interest thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale.

WARD ONE.

Robert F., Thomas F. and Delia F. Carter—Buildings and about 8,257 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lubec street, numbered 441 and 443, making the southerly corner of Swift street, adjoining an estate of John W. Carter, tax for 1923, \$86 45
Paid on account 59 40

Balance due \$27 05

Harry P. Chadwick—About 14,003 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street between an estate of East Boston Company and an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923... 51 87

John F. Coleman—About 85,800 feet of land on the southerly side of Concor street, being a lot shown on a plan dated May 10, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.... 634 79

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 45 71

* Also buildings and about 61,636 feet of land on the southerly side of Concor street, adjoining another estate of said Coleman, being a lot shown on a plan dated May 10, 1911, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923 ... 928 72

Edward M. Cox Heirs—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Addison street, numbered 135, between an estate of Louis J. Foote and an estate of Redmond Condon, tax for 1923..... 31 58

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 10 40

Federated Jewish Charities, reassessed from Alice F. Collins—Buildings and about 5,100 feet of land on the northerly side of White street, numbered 82, making the northwesterly corner of Brooks street, adjoining an estate of Mary Saklad, tax for 1922 187 72

Tax for 1923 187 72

Teresa M. Frederick—Buildings and about 6,076 feet of land on the northerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 968 and 970, making the northwesterly corner of Boardman street, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Bonzagui and others, trustees, tax for 1923 .. 172 90

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 36 28

Elizabeth C. Giblin—Buildings and about 6,210 feet of land on the easterly side of Thurston street, numbered 26, making the northeasterly corner of Goldstar street, adjoining an estate of Mary C. Evans, tax for 1923 148 20

Margaret A. Greer and Nicholas J. Ryan—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of St. Andrew road, numbered 98, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 96 Wauppello road, adjoining

an estate of Antonio G. Tomasello, tax for 1923\$197 60
Paid on account 100 21

Balance due 97 39

Ida A. Massa, one half, and Giuseppe Bernardi, Heirs, one half—Buildings and about 2,704 feet of land on the northerly side of Leyden street, numbered 80, between an estate of Mario Cicco and an estate of Andrea Lagomarsino, tax for 1923 61 75

Giuseppe Mastromarino, reassessed from East Boston Company—About 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, adjoining an estate of Charles H. Smith, being lot 22, Block C, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921 12 80

Maria Paduano—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Wordsworth street, numbered 27, between an estate of John Duffy heirs and another, and an estate of August Czarnetski and another, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923 2 59

Francisco P. Ricci—Buildings and about 14,879 feet of land on the southerly side of Leyden street, numbered 15, making the junction of Boardman street, adjoining an estate of Antonio Canevaro and another, tax for 1923\$66 69
Paid on account 55 00

Balance due 11 69

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923 40 60

Filomena Ruggiero—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 432, adjoining an estate of Luiz and Mary Goncalves, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9216, tax for 1923\$172 90
Paid on account 80 27

Balance due 92 63

Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 416, between an estate of Anthony C. Riccio and an estate of Domingos Veiga, tax for 1923\$148 20
Paid on account 80 28

Balance due 67 92

Edward W. Ryan—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Moore street, numbered 39, between an estate of Mary A. Toomey and an estate of Thomas O. McEnaney, tax for 1923\$54 34
Paid on account 25 00

Balance due 29 34

Rose V. Sullivan—Buildings and about 2,719 feet of land on the southerly side of Gladstone street, numbered 24, between an estate of Catherine Larkin and an estate of Lorenzo Bianco, tax for 1923..... 160 55

WARD TWO.

Lena Cimino—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 142 between an estate of Raffaele Cundari and an estate of Antonio Chianca and another, tax for 1923\$71 63
Paid on account 34 00

Balance due\$37 63

Agostino De Stefano—Buildings and about 2,334 square feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street (numbered 188) adjoining another estate of said De Stefano and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922 10 01

Martino and Conatto DiGesa—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Everett street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of John H. Craft and another; easterly by an estate of Mary Sniddy; southerly by an estate of Lena Cimino; westerly by an estate of Carmela Gravalesse, tax for 1923 9 88

Annie M. Kelley—About 1,330 feet of land on the northeasterly side of

Pearl street (formerly numbered 3), between two other estates of said Kelley, tax for 1922 7 41

Edward B. Merriam—About 2,240 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Marginal street, adjoining an estate of Annie I. Thompson, being a lot shown on William Jackson plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, tax for 1923... 27 17

James H. Strong—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 211, between an estate of David Shaffer and an estate of Secondino Di Dominicus and another, tax for 1923 123 50

Henry W. Tuck—Buildings and about 8,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Maverick street (numbered 40, 42, 44, 46, 48) making the easterly corner of and numbered 53, 55, 57A and 59 rear Liverpool street, adjoining an estate of Edward N. Nelson Heirs, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 16 64

WARD THREE.

Hedwige Durkin—Buildings and about 3,300 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brighton street, numbered 18, between an estate of Grace C. Morse and an estate of Thomas Costello and another, tax for 1923\$69 16
Paid on account 25 00

Balance due\$44 16

Erland F. Fish—Buildings and about 3,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lawrence street, numbered 29, between an estate of Samuel H. Guptill and an estate of Susan Jepson heirs or devisees, tax for 1923... 74 10

Frederick P. Fish—Buildings and about 3,312 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Main street, numbered 176, 178 and 180, making the westerly corner of Homestead place, adjoining an estate of Walter Nash (numbered 182 and 184), tax for 1923 148 20

James T. Fitzgerald—Buildings and about 4,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Main street, numbered 496, 496A and 498, making the southerly corner of Gibbs court, adjoining an estate of American Agricultural Chemical Company, tax for 1923\$444 60
Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 344 60

Marion Glickman—Buildings and about 1,420 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Baldwin street, numbered 67, between an estate of Emma F. Leahy and another estate of said Glickman, tax for 1923.....\$103 74
Paid on account 33 33

Balance due 70 41

Also buildings and about 1,327 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Baldwin street, numbered 69, between two other estates of said Glickman, tax for 1923.....\$103 74
Paid on account 33 34

Balance due 70 40

Also buildings and about 1,318 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Baldwin street, numbered 71, between another estate of said Glickman and an estate of Justin Douglas, tax for 1923\$103 74
Paid on account 33 33

Balance due 70 41

P. Robert Greene, one third; John F. Greene, one third and Joseph Greene, one third—Buildings and about 1,527 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chapman street, numbered 43 and 45, between an estate of John P. Doran and an estate of Anna Sarvitz, tax for 1923 81 51

Daniel J. Kane—About 780 feet of land on the easterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Elizabeth J. Scanlon; easterly by an estate of Alfred S. Hill, trustee; southerly and westerly by Exeter place, tax for 1921 0 00

Tax for 1923 0 00

Elizabeth J. McIntire—Buildings and about 1,237 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Allston street, numbered 23, between an estate of Mary C. Probst and an estate of Michael Coleman, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Stephen Nugent Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Short Street place, numbered 2, between an estate of John Nugent and another estate of said Nugent heirs or devisees, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Nora M. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,096 feet of land on the southerly side of Mill street, numbered 11, between an estate of John B. MacKay and an estate of Mary E. Wares, tax for 1923.....	69 16
Thomas A. and Annie O. Smith—Buildings and about 802 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charles Street place, numbered 13, between an estate of David P. Dolan and an estate of Josephine S. Romano, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Thomas M. Smith, reassessed from Patrick O'Riordan Heirs or Devises—About 1,640 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Walnut street, between an estate of William J. Magill and another estate of said Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1922.....	19 76
Charles A. Stewart—About 900 feet of land on the easterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate now or formerly of Edward Kennedy; southerly by a 4 foot passageway leading from Wesley street; westerly by Exeter place, northerly by an estate of Alfred S. Hill, trustee, tax for 1923.....	7 41

WARD FOUR.

Frances P. and Isabel Downey—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of High street, numbered 39, between an estate of Alice G. Horan and an estate of Michael J. Goff, tax for 1923.....	\$135 85
Catherine T. Dunn and George and Catherine Ree—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, numbered 25, adjoining an estate of James J. Mellen and another, making the easterly corner of a 10 foot passageway, tax for 1923.....	46 93
Mary Hickey—Buildings and about 912 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, numbered 31, between an estate of Isabelle E. McLaughlin and an estate of Elizabeth S. Whodden, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Jacob Hoffman—Buildings and about 2,602 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 39, making the easterly corner of Hudson street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Hoffman, tax for 1923.....	296 40
Also buildings and about 1,893 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 41, 41A, 41B and 43, making the southerly corner of and numbered 3 Gray street, adjoining an estate of said Hoffman, tax for 1923.....	395 20
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 24
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	25 74
Also buildings and about 795 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 37, making the southerly corner of Hudson street, adjoining an estate of Gaetano Mosconi, tax for 1923.....	130 91
John Kyle Devises—About 1,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Scott's court, formerly numbered 8, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Grace W. Conant, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Hyman Miller—Buildings and about 1,280 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 114, between an estate of Harry L. Holcombe and an estate of Salyna Zarella and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court certificate number 11237, tax for 1923.....	158 08
Harry Novack—Buildings and about 812 feet of land on the easterly side of Chestnut street, numbered 9, making the northeasterly corner of Chelsea street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Foss devisees, tax for 1923, \$140 79	
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	40 79
Nora M. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 161, between an estate of Irene F.	

Wentworth and an estate of Cornelius McBride heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	61 22
Louis Rubin Buildings and about 2,860 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 187, making the northerly corner of Medford street, adjoining an estate of James M. Burr, tax for 1923.....	247 00
Also about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Annie T. Montgomery (numbered 13), tax for 1923.....	22 23
Thomas F. Taft Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,225 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 58, between an estate of Ada E. Corey, trustee, and an estate of Dennis Kelley heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	56 81
Thomas Taft Heirs—Buildings and about 1,024 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cross street, numbered 5, adjoining an estate of Sarah T. Doherty and making the easterly corner of a passageway, tax for 1923.....	79 04
William W. Taft—Buildings and about 2,664 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Monument square, numbered 48, making the southerly corner of Soley street, adjoining an estate of Michael D. Ferrante, tax for 1923.....	222 30
Jeanette F. Townsend—Buildings and about 1,815 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Monument avenue, numbered 54, between an estate of Antonio Demarco and an estate of Patrick McCushing, tax for 1923.....	\$115 61
Paid on account.....	25 00
Balance due.....	90 61
Fred J. Weyland—About 1,784 feet of land on the northerly side of Tufts Street avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by estates of Ellen Calleen and William Mahoney; northerly by an estate of John F. Madden; westerly by an estate of Miles Muldoon, and westerly by Tufts Street avenue, tax for 1923.....	12 35

WARD FIVE.

Sadie F. Abrams—Buildings and about 1,266 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Charter street, numbered 30, between another estate of said Abrams and an estate of Domenica Angelosanto, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9715, tax for 1923.....	\$266 76
Paid on account.....	250 00
Balance due.....	\$16 76
Also buildings and about 1,426 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charter street, numbered 32, between two other estates of said Abrams, tax for 1923.....	\$321 10
Paid on account.....	250 00
Balance due.....	71.10
Also buildings and about 2,839 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charter street, numbered 34, 36 and 36A, between two other estates of said Abrams, tax for 1923, \$691 60	
Paid on account.....	250 00
Balance due.....	441 60
Also buildings and about 4,313 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charter street, numbered 38, 38A and 38B, between an estate of Francesco Bacigalupo and an estate of said Abrams, tax for 1923, \$876 85	
Paid on account.....	250 00
Balance due.....	626 85
Walter F. Allen—Buildings and about 3,030 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 228 and 230, between an estate of Whipple F. Smith and an estate of Shady George, tax for 1923.....	908 96
Rachel Asher, supposed present owner Morris Shapiro—Buildings and about 1,125 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Barton street, numbered 3, between an estate of Dora Cline and an estate of Morris Shapiro, tax for 1922.....	158 08
Angela Badaracco—Buildings and about 936 feet of land on the south-easterly side of Unity court, numbered 21, between an estate of Francesca Ianessa and an estate of Antonia Petralia, tax for 1923 \$150 67	
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	100 67

Apportionment of sewer assess-ment for 1923.....	10 60
Harry, Arthur S. and Jacob Bornstein, Trustees of the Bornstein Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 653 feet of land on the westerly side of Staniford street, numbered 106, extending through to Prospect street, between an estate of Bertha Isenberg and an estate of Frank E. Buxton, trustees, tax for 1923, \$259 35	
Paid on account.....	150 00
Balance due.....	109 35
Also buildings and about 1,700 feet of land on the easterly side of Salem street, numbered 97, between an estate of Julius Arkin and another and an estate of Julius Rottenberg devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$456 95
Paid on account.....	150 00
Balance due.....	306 95
Also buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Salem street, numbered 24 and 26, between an estate of Israel Hershman and an estate of Louis and Henry Rosenbaum, tax for 1923.....	\$494 00
Paid on account.....	200 00
Balance due.....	294 00
Thomas J. Burke—Buildings and about 1,304 feet of land on the easterly side of India square, numbered 3 and 5, at junction of and numbered 5, 7 and 9 Storer street, between an estate of Amasa Stetson heirs or devisees and Rufus A. Thayer and an estate of Louise R. Spinney, tax for 1923.....	\$666 90
Paid on account.....	250 00
Balance due.....	416 90
Kevin Carmen, Morris Gordon, Ira W. Shapira and Thomas Nuttle Trustees of Commercial Buildings Trust—Buildings and about 723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thacher court at end, numbered 15, adjoining an estate of James Constanza, numbered 13, tax for 1922.....	111 15
Miriam V. Cohen—Buildings and about 1,307 feet of land on the southeast-ly side of Causeway street, numbered 291 and 293, making the southerly corner of Prince street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of Daniel McLaughlin and another, tax for 1923.....	227 24
Elizabeth S. Colton, one fourth, Sidney H. Bradford, one fourth, Susana B. Howe, one fourth, Elizabeth S. Colton, Guardian and George Howe, one fourth, supposed present owner Mashie Berenson—Buildings and about 1,495 square feet of land on the southerly side of Dock square, numbered 31, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 28, 30-34 Exchange street, adjoining an estate of Fifty Associates, tax for 1923.....	3,581 50
Thomas M. Conley—Buildings and about 819 square feet of land on the northeasterly side of May place, numbered 4, making the northerly corner of May place, adjoining an estate of Simon Thomas, tax for 1923.....	\$59 28
Paid on account.....	15 00
Balance due.....	44 28
Nicola and Carminella Costanza—Buildings and about 1,504 feet of land on the easterly side of North street, numbered 307 and 309, between an estate of Joseph A. Camelio and an estate of Charles F. Adams, 2d and others trustees, tax for 1923.....	\$358 15
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	258 15
Guisippina De Feo—Buildings and about 998 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prince street, numbered 8, between an estate of Angelo Cavnagaro heirs or devisees and an estate of Max B. Bloom, tax for 1923.....	345 80
Generoso and Agostino De Stefano one half, and Angelo Penta, one half—Buildings and about 2,460 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Salem street, numbered 160, 160A and 160B, making the westerly corner of Shafe street, adjoining an estate of Angelo Fiore, tax for 1923.....	\$963 30
Paid on account.....	952 25
Balance due.....	11 05

Generoso De Stefano and Angelo Penta—Buildings and about 1,876 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prince street, numbered 46, 48, 48½, 50 and 52, between an estate of David Bailen and others and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....\$484 12
Paid on account..... 478 68

Balance due..... 5 44

Andrea DiPietro—Buildings and about 6,525 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 422, 424, 426 and 428, making the northwesterly and southwesterly corners of and numbered 3 and 4 Fountain place, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Nutile, tax for 1923.....1,877 20

Also buildings and about 964 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 404, making the westerly corner of Holden court, adjoining another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 256 88

Also buildings and about 845 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 133 38

Also buildings and about 720 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 4, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 3, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 148 20

Also about 1,035 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Holden court, numbered 2, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Also buildings and about 810 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Holden court, numbered 1, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 135 85

Also buildings and about 821 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 402, making the southerly corner of Holden court, adjoining another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 222 30

Also buildings and about 1,765 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 416, 418 and 420, between an estate of Andrea DiPietro and another and an estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1922..... 605 15
Tax for 1923..... 605 15

Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 406 to 418 (inclusive), between another estate of said DiPietro and an estate of Andrea DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 716 30

Andrea and Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 1,472 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 410, 412 and 414, between another estate of said DiPietro and another and an estate of Andrea DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 543 40

Joseph DiSteffano—Buildings and about 764 feet of land on the southerly side of Clark street, numbered 17, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Isidor Carcioffo and another, tax for 1923.....\$197 60
Paid on account..... 147 60

Balance due..... 50 00

Also buildings and about 1,553 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Clark street, numbered 17 rear, between an estate of Henry C. Brookings and an estate of Isidor Carcioffo and another, tax for 1923.....\$202 54
Paid on account..... 152 40

Balance due..... 50 14

Arioch Erickson, W. Willoughby H. Stuart, Jr., and Augustus S. Loring—Trustees for Susan M. Stuart—Buildings and about 4,712 feet of land on the northerly side of Hayward place, numbered 2, 4 and 6, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 572, 574, 578 and 580 Washington street, adjoining another estate of said Erickson and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....13,585 00

Federated Jewish Charities of Boston, supposed present owner Barney Sheff—Buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the northerly side of Allen street, numbered 43, between an estate of Boston Music School Settle-

ment, Inc., and an estate of Ponzi Nasta and another, tax for 1923..... 214 89

First National Bank, John E. Thayer and Albert O. Hager, Trustees of the Textile Building Trust—Buildings and about 11,128 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue Extension, numbered 21-29 making the southerly corner of and numbered 7 Exeter place, extending through to and making the westerly corner of and numbered 89-95 and 99 Chauncy street, adjoining an estate of Eben D. Jordan and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....\$24,700 00
Paid on account..... 23,715 54

Balance due..... 984 46

Jacob M. Fleisher—Buildings and about 1,408 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Salem street, numbered 151 and 153, between another estate of said Fleisher and an estate of Jacob S. Heller, tax for 1923.....\$456 95
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 256 95

Also buildings and about 1,866 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prince street, numbered 71, making the easterly corner of and numbered 149, 149½ and 149A Salem street, adjoining another estate of said Fleisher, tax for 1923.....\$691 60
Paid on account..... 300 00

Balance due..... 391 60

Also buildings and about 1,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prince street, numbered 67, 67A and 69, between another estate of said Fleisher and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923, \$543 40
Paid on account..... 300 00

Balance due..... 243 40

Isidor Fox—Buildings and about 1,007 feet of land on the westerly side of Albany street, numbered 77 and 79, between an estate of John C. L. Dowling and an estate of Christopher J. McCaffrey, trustee, tax for 1923..... 187 72

Arthur P. French, Trustee under will of Harriet Hallett—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Commercial street, numbered 206 and 208, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 1 and 1½ Lewis street, adjoining an estate of Harry H. Ham and another trustee, tax for 1923..... 716 30

Albert A. and Isreal Ginsburg—Buildings and about 787 feet of land on the southerly side of Bartlett place, numbered 20, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Ginsburg and another, tax for 1922..... 155 61

Walter H. Gleason—Buildings and about 660 feet of land on the easterly side of Snowhill street, numbered 9, between an estate of Arcangelo Cataldo and an estate of Michele Casole and another, tax for 1922..... 88 92

Gertrude H. Graham and Carrie B., Ruth F. and Rebecca R. Higgins—Buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Court street, numbered 130, between an estate of Cambridge Realty Company and an estate of Cosmopolitan Trust Company, tax for 1923..... 741 00

P. Robert Greene, John F. Greene and Joseph A. Greene, one third each—Buildings and about 2,624 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 340, 342 and 344, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 3 North Bennet street, adjoining another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$1,482 00
Paid on account..... 800 00

Balance due..... 682 00

Also buildings and about 5,704 feet of land on the northerly side of Hanover avenue, numbered 16, 18 and 20, extending through to and numbered 5, 7 and 9 Powers court, between an estate of Guiseppina Taschetto and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....\$553 28
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 353 28

Also buildings and about 1,646 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 417, 419 and 419A, between an estate of Angelo DeRosa and an estate of

Ernest F. Guarenti and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....\$587 86
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 387 86

Also buildings and about 1,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Hanover avenue, numbered 15, 17 and 19, between an estate of Marx Silverman and an estate of Gaetano Ferullo, tax for 1923.....\$212 42
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 162 42

Also buildings and about 6,553 feet of land on the westerly side of North street, numbered 358 and 360, making the northwesterly and southwesterly corner of and numbered 1, 3 and 5 Page's court, adjoining an estate of Grazia Sizzimientio, tax for 1923.....\$716 30
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 616 30

Apportionment for sewer assessment for 1923..... 13 60

Also buildings and about 742 feet of land on the westerly side of North street, numbered 350, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 32 Harris street, adjoining another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$180 31
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 170 31

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 4 95

Also buildings and about 996 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 28 and 30, between two other estates of said Greene and others, tax for 1923, \$123 50
Paid on account..... 5 00

Balance due..... 118 50

Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 24, between two other estates of said Greene and others, tax for 1923, \$182 78
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 172 78

Also buildings and about 1,107 feet of land on the northerly side of Fairfield place, numbered 2 and 3, between an estate of Rose A. McLaughlin and another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$96 33
Paid on account..... 5 00

Balance due..... 91 33

Also buildings and about 1,517 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 20, between two other estates of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$133 38
Paid on account..... 5 00

Balance due..... 128 38

Also buildings and about 1,722 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 16 and 18, making the northeasterly corner of Fairfield place, adjoining another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$251 94
Paid on account..... 5 38

Balance due..... 246 56

Ida M. Hodsdon, supposed present owner Channing Horne mortgagee in possession—Buildings and about 844 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lewis street, numbered 52, making the easterly corner of and numbered 15 and 17 Moon street, adjoining an estate of Angiolina Galasso, tax for 1923.....\$197 60
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 97 60

Holland System, Inc.—Buildings and about 6,315 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennett street, numbered 4-16 (inclusive), making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 766 and 772 Washington street, adjoining an estate of Orin S. Green, tax for 1923.....4,562 09

Also buildings and about 1,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Court street, numbered 120 and 122, between an estate of Cambridge Realty Company and another estate of said Holland System, Inc., tax for 1923..... 815 10

Also buildings and about 1,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Court street, numbered 118, between another estate of said Holland System, Inc., and another estate of said Holland System, Inc., tax for 1923..... 913 90

Also buildings and about 1,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Court street, numbered 112, 114 and 116 (inclusive), between another estate of said Holland System, Inc., and another estate of said Holland System, Inc., tax for 1923..... 815 10

Also buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Court street, numbered 110, making the southwesterly corner of Stoddard street, adjoining another estate of said Holland System, Inc., tax for 1923..... 1,037 40

Also buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Friend street, numbered 107 and 109, making the easterly corner of and numbered 10 Sudbury street, thence through to and making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 26 and 27 Haymarket square, adjoining another estate of said Holland System, Inc., tax for 1923.. 2,964 00

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 22 32

Also buildings and about 3,099 feet of land on the southerly side of Haymarket square, numbered 28 and 30, between another estate of said Holland System, Inc., and an estate of Robert H. Gardiner and another, trustee, tax for 1923..... 2,272 40

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 15 17

Also buildings and about 2,779 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 55 and 57, between another estate of said Holland System, Inc., and an estate of Ellerton P. Whitney and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... 2,148 90

Also buildings and about 2,807 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 53, between another estate of said Holland System, Inc., and another estate of said Holland System, Inc., tax for 1923..... 2,148 90

Also buildings and about 2,805 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 51, between another estate of said Holland System, Inc., and an estate of Roxa S. Southard and another, tax for 1923..... 2,099 50

Also buildings and about 1,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Endicott street, numbered 66 and 68, between an estate of Henry H. Levenson and an estate of Teresa B. Moore, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11636, tax for 1923..... 434 72

Also buildings and about 1,966 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Stillman street, numbered 42 and 46, between an estate of Teresa B. Moore and an estate of President and Fellows of Harvard College, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11636, tax for 1923..... 731 12

Also buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Court street, numbered 136, 140, 144 and 146 (inclusive), adjoining an estate of Harry E. Converse and an estate of Cosmopolitan Trust Company, tax for 1923..... 2,717 00

Also buildings and about 2,779 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Fulton street, numbered 31, 33 and 33A, making the southerly corner of and numbered 155, 159 and 161 Cross street, adjoining an estate of Charles W. Rowell, tax for 1923..... 2,791 10

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 26 88

Apportionment of sewer assessment of 1923..... 26 04

William G. Holloway, Trustee under will of John Peak, E. Flora Hallett, Elizabeth F. Cooling, Mabel H. Walker, Susan P. Perkins, William J. Holloway, Clarence H. Holloway and Elsie G. Gowell—Buildings and about 1,486 feet of land on the southerly side of Friend street, numbered 144 and 146, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Albert W. Hastings heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... 642 20

Anastasia Keefe, Trustee under will of John Casey—Buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the easterly side of Hudson street, numbered 22, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 91 Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Thomas H. J. Maloof, tax for 1923..... 410 02

Also buildings and about 1,610 feet of land on the westerly side of Albany street, numbered 55, 57 and 59,

between an estate of George M. Hadge and another estate of said Keefe trustee, tax for 1923..... 254 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 7 19

Also about 872 feet of land on the northwesterly side of South street, formerly numbered 217, making the northerly corner of Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Robert H. Gardiner and another, trustee, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 5 94

Also buildings and about 1,330 feet of land on the westerly side of Albany street, numbered 61, between another estate of said Keefe, trustee, and an estate of Hosma J. Francis and another, heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... 219 83

Louis Levenson—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brighton street, numbered 111 and 113, making the northerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Louis H. Levenson, tax for 1923..... 469 30

Also buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northerly side of John street, numbered 17 and 19, extending through to Barrett street, between another estate of said Lyons and an estate of Edward H. Eldredge and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....\$775 58
Paid on account..... 390 00

Balance due..... 385 58

Rose A. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 1,178 feet of land on the westerly side of Fairfield place numbered 1, between another estate of said McLaughlin and an estate of P. Robert Greene and others, tax for 1923, 150 67

Also buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 10, making the northwesterly corner of Fairfield place, adjoining an estate of Ernest F. Guarente and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... 264 29

Jennie Moses—Buildings and about 1,480 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, numbered 18, between an estate of Bella Isenberg (numbered 20) and an estate of Rachael Emanuel, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2717, tax for 1923.....\$345 80
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 245 80

William A. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 1,264 feet of land on the southerly side of Howard street, numbered 56, 56A and 58 and 60, making the southeasterly corner of Bulfinch street, adjoining another estate of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923, 617 50

Also buildings and about 1,264 feet of land on the easterly side of Bulfinch street, numbered 12½ and 14, between another estate of said Nazzaro and an estate of Bertha S. Rich, tax for 1923..... 370 50

Also buildings and about 1,875 feet of land on the southerly side of Howard street, numbered 52 and 54, between an estate of Edward M. Lynch and an estate of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923..... 540 93

Also buildings and about 724 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Richmond street, numbered 150 and 152, between an estate of Helen G. Sheehan and an estate of Frederick M. Smith, tax for 1923..... 343 45

Olympia Realty Company—Buildings and about 4,064 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 317 and 319, making the southwesterly corner of Harvard place, adjoining an estate of Massachusetts General Hospital, tax for 1923.....\$14,684 15
Paid on account..... 9,482 33

Balance due..... 5,201 82

Caroline M. Roundy—Buildings and about 1,313 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warrenton street, numbered 5, between another estate of said Roundy and an estate of Hiram Johnson and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....\$261 82
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 61 82

Also buildings and about 1,387 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Warrenton street, numbered 7, between an estate of Paul O. E. Gold-

ner and another estate of said Roundy, tax for 1923.....\$254 41
Paid on account..... 116 23

Balance due..... 138 18

Margaret Sansone—Buildings and about 791 feet of land on the northerly side of South Margin street, numbered 17 and 17A, between an estate of Francis J. Howard, trustee, and an estate of H. Traiser & Co., Inc., tax for 1923.....\$232 18
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 132 18

G. Savarese & Co., Inc.—Buildings and about 9,295 feet of land on the southerly side of Commercial street, numbered 426, 428 and 430, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 448, 450, 452, 454, 456, 458 460, 462 and 464 Hanover street, adjoining an estate of Giovanni Bellizia and others, trustees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16077, tax for 1923.....\$3,828 50
Paid on account..... 1,000 00

Balance due..... 2,828 50

Jacob Short, reassessed from Ida M. Hodsdon—About 740 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Russell place, between an estate of Jennie Levine (numbered 10 Parkman street) and an estate of Wolf Zimmerman and another, tax for 1923..... 32 11

Parker Spinney—Buildings and about 4,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Friend street, numbered 150, 152, 154 and 158 making the westerly corner of and numbered 35, 37, 41 and 49 Merrimac street, adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Jenks, tax for 1923..... 2,820 74

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 16 86

John Sullivan Heirs—Buildings and about 1,262 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 33 and 35, making the northerly corner of and numbered 112 Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Max Freedman, tax for 1923..... 686 66
Tax for 1922..... 308 75

Also buildings and about 1,260 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Kneeland street, numbered 90, making the easterly corner of land numbered 20A and 20B Hudson street, adjoining another estate of said Sullivan heirs, tax for 1923..... 652 08

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 14 07

Thomas Taft—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Blackstone street, numbered 157 and 159, between an estate of H. Ellerton Lodge and another and an estate of John D. Williams and another, trustees, tax for 1923.. 908 96

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 10 20

Carrie A. Thorndike—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 153 and 155, making the northwesterly corner of North Russell street numbered 7, 9 and 11, adjoining an estate of Joseph Rittenberg, tax for 1923..... 518 70

Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 30, between an estate of United Congregation Beth Jacob and an estate of Mendell Morse, tax for 1923..... 121 03

WARD. SIX.

Arnold Bornstein—Buildings and about 1,696 feet of land on the northerly side of Dover street, numbered 82, between another estate of said Bornstein and an estate of Abraham Sisson and others, tax for 1923.....\$293 93
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... \$93 93

Also buildings and about 1,692 feet of land on the northerly side of Dover street, between two other estates of said Bornstein, tax for 1923.....\$355 68
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 155 68

Also buildings and about 1,688 feet of land on the northerly side of Dover street, numbered 86, between an estate of Mary Simonian and another estate of said Bornstein, tax for 1923.....\$308 75
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 108 75

Peter T. Calahan, Margaret Thompson, Mary Gehue, Catherine Sughrue, Annie Cross, Helen Keenan and John Joseph Callahan—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 36, making the southerly corner of Ryan street, adjoining an estate of Max Werbalski, tax for 1922 44 46

Cora M. Chambers, reassessed from George H. Wood—Buildings and about 982 feet of land on the easterly side of Village street, numbered 46, making the northeasterly corner of Lucas street adjoining an estate of James Hanlon, tax for 1922 69 16

Gertrude M. Cole—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Dedham street, numbered 24, between an estate of Mary A. Tighe and an estate of Gertrude B. Pollard and others, tax for 1923... 118 56

Mary L. Connolly, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the northerly side of Hingham street, numbered 6 and 6A, making the northeasterly corner of Middlesex street, adjoining an estate of Max Shrieber, tax for 1923..... 128 44

Celia A. Gibson—Buildings and about 1,526 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Concord street, numbered 59, between an estate of Misak Kazarian and an estate of Hannah Reardon, tax for 1923..... 143 26

Bernard E. Grant—Buildings and about 12,229 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 625, making the westerly corner of Sharon street, extending to and making northerly corner of East Newton street, tax for 1923 382 85

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 9 92

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 8 01

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 9 58

Marie G. Hald (supposed present owner Deeb Rezk)—Buildings and about 1,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Brookline street, numbered 108, between an estate of Earl G. Sloan and an estate of David C. Moseley, tax for 1922..... 96 33

Fannie E. Hatch—Buildings and about 1,596 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sharon street, numbered 28, between an estate of Geza Davidson and an estate of Edward Doherty, tax for 1923 37 05

Elizabeth A. Murray—Buildings and about 2,410 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 602, extending through to Ivanhoe street, between an estate of Carrie F. Nutter and an estate of Alice F. Murray, tax for 1923..... 382 85

Alice F. Murray—Buildings and about 2,464 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 604, extending through to Ivanhoe street, between an estate of Elizabeth A. Murray and an estate of Victor Bousendorff and another, tax for 1923 370 50

Louville V. Niles (supposed present owner George I. Bloomberg)—Buildings and about 1,332 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 528, 528A and 528B, between another estate of said Niles and an estate of Elizabeth M. Keane, tax for 1923.....\$321 10

Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due 221 10

Minnie Pearlman—Buildings and about 1,285 feet of land on the westerly side of Emerald street, numbered 32, between an estate of Jacob Cohen and an estate of Moses Guber, tax for 1923\$234 65

Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 134 65

Mary L. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,264 feet of land on the easterly side of Village street, numbered 78, between an estate of William Phillips and an estate of Mary E. Quincy, tax for 1922 185 25

Tax for 1923 185 25

Also buildings and about 1,825 feet of land on the easterly side of Middlesex street, numbered 60 and 62, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Abraham Goden, tax for 1922..... 190 19

Tax for 1923 190 19

Harris Weis—Buildings and about 1,575 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 292 and 294, making the southerly corner of Way street, adjoining another es-

tate of said Weis, tax for 1923\$444 60

Paid on account 434 60

Balance due 10 00

Williams Realty Company—About 1,452 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fabin street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Benjamin E. Van Ness, southeasterly by an estate of William Collier heirs or devisees and others, southwesterly by Fabin street, and northwesterly by an estate of Provident Realty Company, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923..... 19 76

Tony, Harry, Miriam and Helen Wise—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oneida street, numbered 27 and 27 base between an estate of Louis Kalan and an estate of Max Shrieber, tax for 1923\$155 61

Paid on account..... 77 00

Balance due 78 61

Also buildings and about 900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oneida street, numbered 26 and 26B, between an estate of Marie Mozzicati and another and an estate of Esther Kripps, tax for 1923\$148 20

Paid on account 77 00

Balance due 71 20

WARD SEVEN.

Edward L. Franklin and Sarah E. Estabrook, reassessed to Edward Clayton—About 2,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Madison court, being lot 80 shown on assessors' plans, volume 7, page 70, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923...\$49 40

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 9 60

Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Madison court, being lot 81, same plan, tax for 1923 51 87

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 9 60

Arthur W. Cole—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 491, between another estate of said Cole and an estate of Maurice P. Hickey, tax for 1923 ... 321 10

Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 493 and 495, making the westerly corner of and numbered 781, 781A and 783, adjoining another estate of said Cole, tax for 1923..... 741 00

Amory Eliot, Frederick J. Bradlee, Edgar R. Champlin, George S. Smith, and Charles F. Adams, trustees of the Park Square Realty Trust—About 103,860 feet of land on the northerly side of Stuart street, making the northeasterly corner of Berkeley street and the southeasterly corner of St. James avenue, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 192338,482 60

Edward L. Estabrook and Sarah E. Franklin, supposed present owner Richard F. Field—Buildings and about 1,022 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Greenleaf street, numbered 34, between two other estates of said Estabrook and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... 74 10

George W. Forbes—Buildings and about 1,440 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wellington street, numbered 18, between an estate of Julius C. Westmoreland and an estate of Ethlyn Parks, tax for 1923..... 143 26

Elizabeth E. Guilford—Buildings and about 3,037 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Botolph street, numbered 136, making the southerly corner of Cumberland street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Hughes, tax for 1923 419 90

Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 20, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1921... 71 63

Jewett Repertory Theatre Fund, Inc.—About 5,074 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Huntington avenue, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Putnam Hotel Company, being lot B, Aspinwall and Lincoln plan, July 20, 1922, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4384, page 151, tax for 1923 375 44

Also about 12,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Huntington avenue, being lot A, same plan, tax for 1923 2,964.00

Alice Langhorn—Buildings and about 1,444 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Braddock park, numbered 5, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Marie E. Bordeau, tax for 1923\$234 65

Paid on account..... 177 65

Balance due 57 00

William D. Lee—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 47, between an estate of Frank A. Connors and an estate of David Yarchin and another, tax for 1921, William E. Leland—Buildings and about 2,887 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 244, 244A and 244B, between an estate of Ernest M. Helides and an estate of James F. McMahon and another, tax for 1922...\$864 50

Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due 664 50

Tax for 1923 938 60

Harry S. McDevitt—Buildings and about 7,647 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, between an estate of Opera Holding Company (numbered 140 and 142 St. Stephens street) and an estate of Boston Storage Warehouse Company, tax for 1923\$1,358 50

Paid on account 500 00

Balance due 858 50

William E. McDonald, one third, Mary E., one third, Alice J. T. Connors, one third—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 359, 361 and 363, making the northerly corner of and numbered 1A Yarmouth street, adjoining an estate of Nathaniel E. Waldman, tax for 1923 938 60

Newburyport Five Cents Savings Bank, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 114, adjoining an estate of Albert N. Wood, tax for 1921 345 80

Also buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 118 and 118A, between an estate of Albert N. Wood and an estate of Henry H. Hart and others, trustees, tax for 1921 358 15

Tax for 1922 358 15

Thomas M. Smith, supposed present owner John F. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 12½, between another estate of said Thomas M. Smith and another estate of said Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923 71 63

Tax for 1922 71 63

John Sullivan Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Newton street, numbered 166, between an estate of Nettie M. Chandler (numbered 164) and an estate of Mary M. Gerrish (numbered 168, 168A), tax for 1923 197 60

Alexander Wood—Buildings and about 2,186 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worcester street, numbered 153, making the northerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Jenks, tax for 1923\$197 60

Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due 47 60

WARD EIGHT.

Bertha E. Arseno (reassessed from John C. Taylor, Trustee)—Buildings and about 384 feet of land on the easterly side of Church street, numbered 33, 35 and 37, making the northeasterly corner of Melrose street, adjoining an estate of Annie M. Driscoll, tax for 1923\$111 15

Thomas Barrie (reassessed from Rebecca Horowitz)—Buildings and about 4,950 feet of land on the easterly side of St. Mary's street, numbered 24, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Antonio Giacobbe, tax for 1923..... 889 20

Edward M. Beals—Buildings and about 2,688 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newbury street, numbered 125, extending through to Public Alley 435, between an estate of Williams Realty Company and an estate of Edward N. Weyner, tax for 1923\$815 10

Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due 765 10

Mary M. Belt—Buildings and about 1,190 feet of land on the easterly side of South Russell street, numbered 48, between an estate of Joshua Baskins heirs or devisees and an estate of John F. and Mary A. O'Brien, tax for 1923 \$143 26
Paid on account 115 00
Balance due 28 26

Henry Bereh and Neil F. Cadigan—About 19,640 feet of land on the westerly side of Boylston road, making the southwesterly corner of Ipswich street, adjoining an estate of Horace B. Shepard and others, being lot 8, William H. Whitney plan, dated March 15, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3527, page 44, tax for 1923 \$1,210 30
Paid on account 250 00
Balance due 960 30

Abraham Berkman—Buildings and about 666 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden street, numbered 43, between an estate of Rebecca Krinsky and an estate of Jennie Karmazine, tax for 1923 140 79

Winslow B. P. Briggs, Junior, and Edna G. Wadsworth—Buildings and about 3,563 feet of land on the easterly side of Miner street, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Alonzo M. Burbank tax for 1923 130 91

Henry C. Brookings—Buildings and about 2,258 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Melrose street, numbered 20, extending through to and numbered 1 South Cedar place, between an estate of Herbert H. Flagg, trustee, and an estate of Wilhelmina L. Drammis, tax for 1923 592 80
Also buildings and about 1,974 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Piedmont street, numbered 54 and 58, between an estate of Elizabeth M. Paine and an estate of Lawrence M'not and others, trustees, tax for 1923 617 50

Milly Burgin—Buildings and about 1,915 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, numbered 25, extending through to Ridgeway lane, between an estate of Morris Rotman and an estate of Moses Steigman, tax for 1923 \$543 40
Paid on account 350 00
Balance due 193 40

Rebecca Bustein (reassessed from Elizabeth T. Cleveland and another, trustees)—Buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the westerly side of Lindall place, numbered 10, between an estate of Morris Kamberg and an estate of Mary Szathmary, tax for 1923 \$54 34
Paid on account 35 00
Balance due 19 34

Louise C. Daly—Buildings and about 2,530 feet of land on the northeasterly side of St. Marys street, numbered 128, between an estate of Lydia J. Dale and an estate of Ada M. Jones and another, tax for 1923 345 80

Edwin S. Drowne—Buildings and about 746 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Melrose street, numbered 40, between an estate of Ralph Rodgers and an estate of said Drowne, tax for 1923 98 80
Also buildings and about 749 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Melrose street, numbered 42, between an estate of said Drowne and an estate of Mary A. Regan, tax for 1923 222 30

Matthew W. Fallon, Junior—Buildings and about 8,271 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 530, 534 and 538, between an estate of Julia M. Driscoll and an estate of Gabriel M. Gordon and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number tax for 1923 1,852 50

Eugene N. Foss—About 16,235 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, making the southeasterly corner of Brookline avenue, being lot A, William H. Whitney plan, March 22, 1901, recorded in Suffolk Deeds, Book 2767, page 185, tax for 1923 802 75
Also about 7,829 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, being lot 14, Fuller and Whitney plan, dated January, 1884, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923, 385 32
Also about 9,756 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brookline avenue, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Louise C. Carter, tax for 1923 385 32
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 21 03

Also about 14,602 feet of land on the northerly side of Boylston street, between an estate of William H. Maynard and an estate of Amos R. Little and others, trustees, numbered 176 and 184, tax for 1923 577 98

Also about 49,512 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brookline avenue, making the southerly corner of Kilmarnock street, adjoining an estate of Louise C. Carter and another, tax for 1923 1,835 21

Also buildings and about 9,569 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 398 and 410, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of George H. Walker, tax for 1923 2,667 60

Also about 23,607 feet of land on the southerly side of Peterborough street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Peterborough street; easterly by an estate of Louis S. Koufman; southerly by an estate of Jacob Halpern, and westerly by another estate of said Foss, tax for 1923 728 65

Bernard E. Grant—Buildings and about 2,545 feet of land on the easterly side of West Cedar street, numbered 99-103, between an estate of B. E. Grant & Co. and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923 209 95

William D. Lee—Buildings and about 681 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Piedmont street, numbered 46, between an estate of Otis Norcross and an estate of Edward A. Clark and others, tax for 1923 217 00

Also buildings and about 554 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winchester street, numbered 37, between an estate of Leah A. Myers and an estate of Stephen Smith heirs or devisees, tax for 1923 205 01

Also buildings and about 2,227 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winchester street, numbered 36, making the southerly corner of and numbered 46 Church street, adjoining another estate of said Lee, tax for 1923 568 10

Also buildings and about 1,480 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Church street, numbered 42 and 42A between two other estates of said Lee, tax for 1923 296 40

Also buildings and about 1,482 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Church street, numbered 44, between two other estates of said Lee, tax for 1923 419 90

Also buildings and about 1,473 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Church street, numbered 38 and 40, between another estate of said Lee, and an estate of Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustee, tax for 1923 222 30

Massachusetts Housing Corporation—Buildings and about 9,193 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 440, making the southeasterly corner of Charlesgate East, adjoining an estate of Eugene N. Foss, tax for 1923 2,074 80

Albert W. Nickerson Heirs or Devises—About 34,810 feet of land on the westerly side of Ipswich street, making the southwesterly corner of Van Ness street, adjoining an estate of James D. Colt and others, trustees, tax for 1923 946 01

Charles Rollins Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 2,130 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 497, making the northeasterly corner of Beacon street, adjoining an estate of Alice Carpenter, tax for 1923 \$790 40
Paid on account 500 00
Balance due 290 40

Mary Szathmary—Buildings and about 1,533 feet of land on the easterly side of Lindall place, numbered 3, between an estate of Annie M. Brandenberg and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923 \$64 22
Paid on account 30 00
Balance due 34 22

Also buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the westerly side of Lindall place, numbered 8, between an estate of Elizabeth T. Cleveland and another, trustees, and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923 \$51 87
Paid on account 30 00
Balance due 21 87

Boyd R. U. Walker (supposed present owner Henry C. Brookings)—Buildings and about 777 feet of land on the

southerly side of Shawmut street, numbered 16A, between an estate of Daniel Goodnow and an estate of Frank C. Warren and another, tax for 1923 130 91

Joseph Weeks and Allan S. Farwell, Trustees of Boylston Street Land Company—About 33,069 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Peterborough street, making the northerly corner of Jersey street, extending to and making the easterly corner of Boylston street, adjoining an estate of Sadie F. Abrams, trustee, numbered 45 Peterborough street, tax for 1923, 1,225 12

Also about 89,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Boylston street, making the southwesterly corner of Jersey street, extending to and making the northwesterly corner of Peterborough street, adjoining an estate of Abbie J. Corey and others, tax for 1923 3,077 62

Also about 64,638 feet of land on the easterly side of Jersey street, making the northeasterly corner of Boylston street, adjoining an estate of James D. Colt and others, trustees, tax for 1923 1,916 72

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 22 40

Also about 135,442 feet of land on the northerly side of Boylston street, making the northwesterly corner of Jersey street, adjoining an estate of Emily E. Shepard, tax for 1923 3,344 38

WARD NINE.

Hugh Collins—Buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southerly side of Hayden place, at end, numbered 1, adjoining another estate of said Collins, tax for 1923 \$7 41

Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Collins, tax for 1923 7 41

Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Hayden, tax for 1923 7 41

Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 4, making the southerly corner of Silver street and adjoining another estate of said Collins, tax for 1923 7 41

Sarah A. Foley—Buildings and about 968 feet of land, numbered 213 Athens street, between an estate of Mary Clougherty and an estate of Tekla Ambroz, tax for 1923 27 17

John H. and Francis P. Galvin, Trustees under will of Margaret Galvin—Buildings and about 7,552 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West First street, numbered 194, between an estate of Edward L. Estabrook and others and another estate of said Galvin and another, trustees, tax for 1923 \$293 93
Paid on account 200 00
Balance due 93 93

Also buildings and about 7,186 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West First street, between an estate of William P. Stone (numbered 190) and another estate of said Galvin and others, trustees (numbered 194 West First street, tax for 1923, \$237 12
Paid on account 200 00
Balance due 37 12

Mahsood Jarmagian—Buildings and about 998 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 97, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of said Jarmagian, tax for 1923 17 29

Josephine Katarousky, reassessed from Michael J. Nee—About 394 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, between another estate of said Katarousky and the location of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, tax for 1922 2 47

Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tudor street, numbered 12, between an estate of Moses Williams and another, and an estate of Ernest C. Hilliard, tax for 1923 22 23

William W. Kennard—About 2,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, between an estate of Timothy Crowley and an estate of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1922 19 76

Martin H. Kent, Junior—Buildings and about 1,240 feet of land on the westerly side of H street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Kent, Junior, and an estate of James J. Boyd, tax for 1923 37 05

Also about 5,360 feet of land on the westerly side of H street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said Kent; westerly by an estate of Daniel W. Clark and another; southerly by an estate of George H. Carter, and easterly by H street, tax for 1923 32 11

Stanislaw Kurovitsky—Buildings and about 1,650 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 69, between an estate of Amelia Aleksonis and an estate of Harry L. Wheeler, tax for 1923 \$98 80
Paid on account 30 00

Balance due 68 80

Margaret T. Mullen and Michael J. O'Brien—Buildings and about 845 feet of land on the northwesterly side of D street, numbered 122, between an estate of Patrick W. Coughlin and an estate of John F. Riley, tax for 1923 \$29 64
Paid on account 10 00

Balance due 19 64

Florence M. Patrician—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the northwesterly side of D street, numbered 276, between an estate of William W. Brooks and an estate of Celia Rosengard, tax for 1923 71 63

Also about 2,460 feet of land on the southerly side of East Second street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Daniel W. Clark and another; southerly by an estate of Helen H. Wilson; easterly by an estate of James J. Boyd; northerly by East Second street, tax for 1923 24 70

Harry Steinberg—Buildings and about 2,497 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Broadway, numbered 398 and 398A adjoining an estate of Frank T. Horgan, tax for 1923 247 00

William Williams—Buildings and about 675 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 85, between an estate of Edgar T. Wards Son's Company and an estate of Nathan D. Clarke, tax for 1923 9 88

Frank E. Wilson—About 1,071 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Eighth street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Rose Bloom and another; northeasterly by an estate of Michael O'Brien; southeasterly by an estate of Joseph L. Clough, and southwesterly by West Eighth street, tax for 1923 9 88

Also about 3,290 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Athens street, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Thomas McCamon and another; southwesterly by an estate of Richmond L. Somes; southeasterly by an estate of Adelia C. Paige and others, and northeasterly by Athens street, tax for 1923 113 62

WARD TEN.

Robert and Jennie Clark—Buildings and about 2,720 feet of land on the westerly side of O street, numbered 107, between an estate of Michael J. Callahan and another, and an estate of Robert J. Ware, tax for 1923 \$81 51
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due \$31 51

Francis L. and Frances A. Colpoys—About 3,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Knowlton street, adjoining an estate of Arthur H. Callbeck, being lot 36, shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 69, tax for 1923 222 30.

Also buildings and about 3,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Knowlton street, numbered 18, between an estate of James F. Lynch and an estate of said Colpoys, tax for 1923 49 40

Julia J. Cronin—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Linden street, numbered 1, making the southeasterly corner of East Fourth street adjoining an estate of Rose Bronkhorst, tax for 1923 \$81 51
Paid on account 73 50

Balance due 8 00

Edward H. Delano—Buildings and about 3,300 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dorchester street, numbered 235, between an estate of Mary A. Shea and an estate of Sebastian Ruggeri and another, tax for 1923 \$81 51
Paid on account 40 00

Balance due 41 51

Frederick G. Farnsworth—Buildings and about 5,234 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fifth street, numbered 768, between an estate of Ellen Manning and an estate of Otis D. Dana heirs, tax for 1923 143 26

Violet E. Hanrahan—Buildings and about 719 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Eighth street, numbered 280 and 282, between an estate of Catherine O'Brien and an estate of Augusto DeGrandis and another, tax for 1923 \$29 64
Paid on account 15 00

Balance due 14 64

Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,366 feet of land on the southerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 493, making the southeasterly corner of Pacific street, between an estate of Jacob M. Holub and another and an estate of Mark J. O'Meara and another, tax for 1923 86 45

Loretta J. M. Lydon—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Gates street, numbered 4, between an estate of William E. Weber and an estate of Helen E. Foley, tax for 1923 93 86

Horace Manson Heirs or devisees—Buildings and about 1,725 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 536, between an estate of Bernard Capen and an estate of Margaret C. O'Connor, tax for 1923 101 27

Catherine L. Sullivan—Buildings and about 3,145 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fifth street, numbered 546, between an estate of Mary L. Touhy and an estate of Lillian S. Ewald, tax for 1923 \$93 86
Paid on account 70 00

Balance due 23 86

WARD ELEVEN.

Timothy Buckley Heirs—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Buttonwood street, numbered 119, between an estate of Thomas J. Canning and another and an estate of William J. Collins, tax for 1923 \$49 40
Paid on account 25 00

Balance due \$24 40

Bronia Chmielinsky, supposed present owner Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston—About 16,739 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue between an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston and an estate of Albert P. Carter, trustee, tax for 1922 81 51

Also about 3,086 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue between an estate of Albert P. Carter, trustee, and an estate of David Henry, tax for 1922 14 82

Mildred E. Eddy—Buildings and about 2,794 feet of land on the westerly side of Harrow street, numbered 20, between another estate of said Eddy and an estate of Luigi Canali and another, tax for 1923 \$125 97
Paid on account 60 00

Balance due 65 97

Mary A. Gorman—Buildings and about 1,794 feet of land on the westerly side of Rogers street, numbered 49, between an estate of Woodbury L. Lewis and another and another estate of said Gorman, tax for 1923 \$39 52
Paid on account 15 00

Balance due 24 52

Also about 1,765 feet of land on the westerly side of Rogers street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said Gorman; easterly by Rogers street; southerly by an estate of Florence Taylor, and westerly by another estate of Florence Taylor, tax for 1923 9 88

Ellen E. Gorman—About 2,446 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Howell street, adjoining an estate of Julia V. Joy, being lot 35, Frank O. Whitney plan, dated May 18,

1885, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1702, page 130, tax for 1923 22 23

Vincenzo and Giovannina Guarcello—Buildings and about 2,135 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dorchester street, numbered 322, between an estate of Mary E. Arnold, and an estate of Jennie Scarlata, tax for 1923 \$96 44
Paid on account 25 00

Balance due 71 44

Roland R. Hopey—About 3,543 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 164, E. L. Moulton plan, dated May 5, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 61, tax for 1923 \$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,437 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 165, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,471 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 166, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,505 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 167, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,539 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 168, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,632 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, making the northwesterly corner of Sydney street, being lot 173, same plan, tax for 1923 \$22 23
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 14 23

Also about 3,688 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 174, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,649 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 175, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,611 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 176, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,573 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 177, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,535 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 178, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,497 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 179, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,021 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Sudan street; westerly by another estate of said Hopey; southerly by an estate of Helen Sweeney and easterly by an estate of Charles Protaps, tax for 1923 \$14 82
Paid on account 4 00

Balance due 10 82

Henry G. Hoppe—Buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Southampton street, numbered 498 and 500, between an estate of Boston Elevated Railway Company and an estate of Margaret G. Crowley, tax for 1923. \$259 35
Paid on account 90 00

Balance due 169 35

Also buildings and about 1,620 feet of land on the northerly side of Leeds street, numbered 14 and 16, between an estate of Frank T. Wilson and an estate of William J. Holland, tax for 1923 \$123 50
Paid on account 20 39

Balance due 103 11

Also buildings and about 9,152 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 550, 554 and 556, between an estate of Patrick J. Kennedy and an estate of William J. Holland, tax for 1923 \$247 00
Paid on account 90 00

Balance due 157 00

Also buildings and about 6,250 feet of land on the easterly side of Ellery street, numbered 38 rear and 40, making the northeasterly corner of Ellery court, adjoining another estate of said Hoppe, tax for 1923 \$125 97
Paid on account 20 39

Balance due 105 58

Also buildings and about 2,696 feet of land on the southerly side of Southampton street, numbered 483, 487 and 489, making the southeasterly corner of Ellery street, adjoining an estate of Woodbury L. Lewis, devisees, tax for 1923 \$175 37
Paid on account 20 41

Balance due 154 96

Also buildings and about 5,754 feet of land on the northerly side of Preble street, numbered 48, making the northeasterly corner of Rogers street, adjoining an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923. \$250 35
Paid on account 90 00

Balance due 160 35

Vincenzo and Santa Mina—Buildings and about 1,430 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 129, between an estate of Mary S. McCann and an estate of Patrick McDonough, tax for 1923 \$39 52
Paid on account 20 00

Balance due 19 52

Mary E. O'Connor—Buildings and about 1,883 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Carson street, numbered 19, between an estate of Annie M. Kelley and an estate of Timothy Donovan, tax for 1923. 76 57

Mary E. O'Connor—Buildings and about 1,858 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Carson street, numbered 31, between two other estates of said O'Connor, tax for 1923 76 57

Elizabeth A. O'Gorman Heirs or Devisees—Buildings and about 1,750 feet of land on the easterly side of Rogers street, numbered 46, between another estate of said O'Gorman heirs or devisees and an estate of Howard Dexter and another, tax for 1923 \$19 76
Paid on account 12 50

Balance due 7 20

Also buildings and about 1,403 feet of land on the easterly side of Rogers street, numbered 44, between another estate of said O'Gorman heirs or devisees and an estate of Carl A. Block, tax for 1923 \$22 23
Paid on account 12 50

Balance due 9 73

Henry J. and Edward F. Smith—About 865 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Earl street; northeasterly by estates of Michael McGann and Richard T. Block; northwesterly by an estate of Michael McGann and another, and northwesterly by an estate of Alice B. Lynch, tax for 1923 4 94

Teresa Violante—Buildings and about 2,397 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Cottage street, num-

bered 156 between another estate of said Violante and an estate of Albert Lewenberg, tax for 1923. \$123 50
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 73 50

Helen H. Wilson—About 2,472 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, adjoining an estate of Jessie H. Sutherland, being lot 96 shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923 17 29

WARD TWELVE.

Thomas F. Connelly—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 1900 and 1900A, between an estate of Edwin Wilcock and another, trustees, and an estate of Samuel Canner, tax for 1923. \$232 18

John G. Dreier—Buildings and about 2,587 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Zeigler street, numbered 115, between an estate of John B. McCleary and another and an estate of Garabed Des Casbarian, tax for 1923 \$93 86
Paid on account 60 00

Balance due 33 86

William A. Ford—Buildings and about 2,355 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 91, 93 and 95, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of St. Patrick's Church, tax for 1923 256 38

Also buildings and about 2,397 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 97, 97A and 99, between two other estates of said Ford, tax for 1923. 155 61

Also buildings and about 1,449 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 101, 103 and 105, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of Atereths Israel, tax for 1923. 108 68

Also buildings and about 1,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Trask street, numbered 18 and 20, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of Boston Work Horse Relief Association, tax for 1923. 81 51

Also about 1,492 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Trask street, being lot E, Henry C. Mildram plan, March 28, 1923, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923 37 05

Fanny Frank—Buildings and about 4,006 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 58, 60 and 62, making the easterly corner of and numbered 994, 996 and 996A Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Tufts College, tax for 1923 37 65

Louis Ginsberg—Buildings and about 1,502 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller park, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923. \$98 80
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 48 80

Also buildings and about 1,577 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller park, at end, and numbered 4, adjoining another estate of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923 \$98 80
Paid on account 25 00

Balance due 73 80

Also buildings and about 1,988 feet of land on the westerly side of Dudley street, numbered 471B and 473, between two other estates of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923 \$239 59
Paid on account 25 00

Balance due 214 59

Also buildings and about 1,758 feet of land on the westerly side of Dudley street, numbered 471, and 471A, between another estate of said Ginsberg and an estate of Albert B. Popiano, tax for 1923 \$234 65
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 184 65

Also buildings and about 1,989 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 473A and 473B, making the westerly corner of Miller park, adjoining another estate of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923 \$247 00
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 107 00

Orin S. Green—About 16,599 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Reed street, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, June 5, 1901, recorded

with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4302, page 595, tax for 1923 163 02

Also about 21,131 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows street, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1923 259 35

Daniel J. Leonard—Buildings and about 960 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Albany street, numbered 870, between an estate of Morris Greenwood and an estate of Andreas Blume heirs, tax for 1923 \$27 17
Paid on account 10 00

Balance due 17 17

Mary Leyland—Buildings and about 3,564 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 22, between another estate of said Mary Leyland, trustee, and an estate of Jennie Gifford, tax for 1923. 111 15

Mary Murphy—About 3,715 feet of land on the easterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by another estate of said Murphy; easterly by an estate of Agnes L. Kelley; southerly by an estate of Cora Gouldstone; westerly by Mt. Pleasant avenue, tax for 1923. 20 64

Also buildings and about 7,446 feet of land on the easterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, numbered 32, between another estate of said Murphy and an estate of Chesley E. Jones, tax for 1923 202 54

Also buildings and about 4,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Whiting street, numbered 65, between an estate of Hilda P. Rosengard and an estate of Mitchell S. Regall, tax for 1923 222 30

Jacob Orenstein—Buildings and about 1,366 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 869, between an estate of Lizzie Gomer and an estate of Annie Portner, tax for 1923 \$160 55
Paid on account 60 00

Balance due 100 55

Harlow H. Rogers—About 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thorndike street, making the southerly corner of Singleton street, adjoining an estate of Ray H. Carver, being lot 8, plan not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2110, page 564, tax for 1923 19 76

Anna Zisman—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 46 and 48 rear, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and an estate of James W. Gerard, trustee, tax for 1923 41 99

WARD THIRTEEN.

Stephen Arsenault—Buildings and about 1,709 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 562, between an estate of Tom Wing and an estate of Irene M. Dick, tax for 1923. \$214 89

Bertha E. Arseno—About 13,307 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cliff street, adjoining an estate of Annie M. Dunn, being lot B, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated July 19, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4117, page 146, tax for 1923. 130 91

Also about 4,371 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 99 and 105, extending through to and numbered 2397, 2399, 2401 and 2403 Washington street, adjoining an estate of Anna J. Keefe, tax for 1923. 1,304 16

Hester N. Burgess—Buildings and about 3,461 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1285 and 1287 and 6 Prentiss street, adjoining an estate of William J. Minsk and another, tax for 1923. 871 91

Arthur B. Chesley—Buildings and about 1,474 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 101, between another estate of said Arthur B. Chesley and an estate of Mary E. Hughes, tax for 1923. 56 81

Also buildings and about 1,484 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 103 and 103A, between another estate of said Arthur B. Chesley and an estate of Louis Kramer, tax for 1923. 56 81

George C. Conant—About 2,163 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Vernon street, being lot 3, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated August 21, 1900, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2703, tax for 1923. 14 82

William A. Ford—Buildings and about 1,557 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cabot street, numbered 52, between an estate of Armanda E. Milmore and an estate of Hilda Carlson, tax for 1923..... 123 50

Also buildings and about 1,760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1198½ and 1200, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of Ada McFarland, tax for 1923..... 135 85

Also buildings and about 3,240 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1202, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of Theresa Lovett, tax for 1923..... 111 15

Leverett A. Haskell—About 432 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sterling street, formerly numbered 160, making the westerly corner of Newborn court, adjoining another estate of said Haskell, tax for 1923..... 7 41

William H. Plummer—Buildings and about 1,863 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Arnold street, numbered 15, between an estate of Annie B. Payne and an estate of Margaret J. Ferdinand, tax for 1923, 46 93

Prince Hall Masonic Grand Lodge Corporation (Massachusetts Corporation)—Buildings and about 4,420 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, making the westerly corner of Sarsfield street, adjoining an estate of Charles Parker, tax for 1923.....\$886 73
Paid on account..... 450 00

Balance due..... 436 73

Patrick H. Rafferty—Buildings and about 996 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 78, between an estate of Mary E. Jellison and an estate of Mary K. Moynihan, tax for 1923..... 29 64

Clara S. Robinson—Buildings and about 2,350 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 572, between an estate of Arnold Bornstein and an estate of Annie J. Heath, tax for 1923.....\$123 50
Paid on account..... 119 50

Balance due..... 4 00

Henry A. and Daisy A. Unas—Buildings and about 1,662 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westminster street, numbered 24, between an estate of Mary A. Mannix and an estate of Lillian P. DeGroat, tax for 1923.....\$74 10
Paid on account..... 60 00

Balance due..... 14 10

James W. and Sarah A. Wickham—Buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbury street, numbered 4, between an estate of Martin F. Mulligan and an estate of Abraham Yankelewitz, tax for 1921..... 32 11

George C. Wilson—Buildings and about 1,800 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ball street, numbered 22, between an estate of Fred Jones and an estate of Lena E. Frazer, tax for 1923.....\$64 22
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 14 22

Also buildings and about 961 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 35, between another estate of said Wilson and an estate of Rose McEleney, tax for 1923.....\$69 16
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 19 16

Also buildings and about 900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 37, between another estate of said Wilson and an estate of Annie M. Kelley, tax for 1923.....\$69 16
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 19 16

WARD FOURTEEN.

Boston Wool and Merchandise Stores, Inc.—Buildings and about 32,824 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ward street, numbered 104, between another estate of said Boston Wool and Merchandise Stores, Inc., and an estate of William A. Paine, trustee, and others, tax for 1923.....\$2,489.76
Paid on account..... 950 00

Balance due.....\$1,539 76

Also about 8,309 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Phillips

street, making the southerly corner of Ward street, being lot A. C. H. Gannett plan July 12, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4,151, page 177, tax for 1923.....\$128 44
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 78 44

Cornelius J. Connelly—About 2,211 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Patrick Kilday and another, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Ellingwood street; easterly by an estate of William Williams; southerly by estates of William Jacobs, and westerly by an estate of Patrick Kilday and another, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Helena M. Duffy—About 4,141 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, being lot 6, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4,141, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922..... 16 15

R. E. Grant Company—Buildings and about 14,072 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Floyd street, numbered 77, making the northerly corner of Crawford street, adjoining an estate of Robert H. Gardner and another trustee, tax for 1923..... 1,091 74

James J. Hines—Buildings and about 1,465 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 250, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, tax for 1923.....\$81 51
Paid on account..... 25 51

Balance due..... 56 00

Holland System, Inc.—Buildings, fixed machinery and about 33,929 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Conant street, numbered 89, extending through to Longwood avenue, between an estate of Massachusetts Breweries Company and an estate of James W. Kenney, tax for 1923..... 1,852 50

Also buildings and about 1,731 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Longwood avenue, numbered 112, between an estate of Elizabeth E. Coleman and another estate of said Holland System, tax for 1923..... 88 92

A. J. Houghton Company—Buildings and about 2,790 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Halleck street, numbered 132 and 134, between an estate of Domenico Vecchione and another estate of said A. J. Houghton Company, tax for 1923.....\$135 85
Paid on account..... 32 00

Balance due..... 103 85

Also buildings and about 29,979 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Halleck street, numbered 118, between another estate of said A. J. Houghton Company and an estate of Thomas H. Hall, tax for 1923.....\$1,235 00
Paid on account..... 600 00

Balance due..... 635 00

Also about 2,765 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Halleck street, making the southerly corner of Prentiss street, adjoining an estate of Thomas H. Hall, tax for 1923.....\$46 93
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 36 93

Also about 2,150 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mindoro street; bounded and described as follows: southeasterly by Mindoro street; northwesterly by an estate of George and Katherine Huber; southwesterly and northwesterly by two other estates of said A. J. Houghton Company, tax for 1923.....\$32 11
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 22 11

Also about 1,881 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mindoro street; bounded and described as follows: southeasterly by Mindoro street; northwesterly and northwesterly by two other estates of said A. J. Houghton Company; southwesterly by an estate of George Huber and another, tax for 1923.....\$27 17
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 17 17

Also about 2,291 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mindoro street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Mindoro street; southwesterly, northwesterly and northeasterly by other estates of said

A. J. Houghton Company, tax for 1923.....\$34 58
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 24 58

Also buildings and about 18,494 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Station street, numbered 37, making the northerly corner of Mindoro street, adjoining another estate of said A. J. Houghton Company, tax for 1923.....\$1,482 00
Paid on account..... 800 00

Balance due..... 682 00

Also about 1,621 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mindoro street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Mindoro street; southwesterly, northwesterly and northeasterly by other estates of said A. J. Houghton Company, tax for 1923.....\$24 70
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 14 70

Thomas J. and Bridget E. Kennedy—Buildings and about 2,659 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath street, numbered 221, making the southeasterly corner of Hayden street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Haggerty, tax for 1923..... 138 32

Mary C. Leonard—Buildings and about 14,241 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wensley street, numbered 38 and 40, making the southerly corner of and numbered 5 and 7 Bickford avenue, adjoining an estate of Kojetan Goscewicz and another, tax for 1923.....\$224 77
Paid on account..... 93 90

Balance due..... 130 87

Thomas and Mary McInerney—Buildings and about 3,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alleghany street, numbered 7, between an estate of Una D. Guthrie and an estate of Margaret Gilmore, tax for 1923..... 83 98

John F. McKernan—About 4,876 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fisher avenue, being lot 1, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated August 22, 1899, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2631, page 472, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 12 33
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 18 93

Bridget McKernan—About 5,214 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hayden street, making the westerly corner of Fisher avenue, being lot 2, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated August 22, 1899, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 2631, page 472, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 17 54

Michael McLoughlin Heirs—Buildings and about 2,907 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Darling street, numbered 8, between another estate of said McLoughlin and an estate of Ellen O'Leary devisees, tax for 1923.....\$148 20
Paid on account..... 40 00

Balance due..... 108 20

Also about 2,399 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Darling street, being lot 8, A. W. Sargent plan, dated April 11, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2524, page 386, tax for 1923.....\$19 76
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 9 76

Catherine T. Murphy—Buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Whitney street, numbered 28, between an estate of John Hinds and an estate of Annie J. Woods, tax for 1923..... 103 74

Anna A. O'Connell—Buildings and about 2,880 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 176, between another estate of said O'Connell and an estate of James Johnson, tax for 1923..... 195 13
Also buildings and about 2,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 178, between another estate of said O'Connell and an estate of Dennis J. Kelley, tax for 1923..... 195 13

Mary E. O'Connor—About 5,130 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Calumet street, adjoining an estate of Bridget McCarthy, being lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4,141, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922..... 20 86

WARD FIFTEEN.

Bertha E. Arseno—About 5,622 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bragdon street, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Arseno, being lot 8, Henry C. Mill-dram plan May 31, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, 3645, page 204, tax for 1923.....	\$54 34
Also about 4,412 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bragdon street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Also about 4,137 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bragdon street, making the easterly corner of Bill street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	34 58
Also about 4,663 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bill street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Also about 3,596 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bill street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17
Also about 4,589 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bill street, making the southerly corner of Dimock street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Cecelia Burwell—Buildings and about 1,671 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3003, making the northerly corner of Bragdon street, adjoining an estate of Andrew and Ann McCormick, tax for 1923.....	\$91 39
Paid on account.....	55 00
Balance due.....	36 39
Anthony DiGervasi—Buildings and about 1,932 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1432, 1434 and 1436, between an estate of Elizabeth N. Needham and an estate of Lillian M. Girdos, tax for 1923.....	\$155 61
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	55 61
Bradford Gay, Devises—Buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Vale street, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Edward M. Kehoe and another and an estate of Irene S. McCaffrey, tax for 1923.....	76 57
Jason E. Herrick, Junior—Buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 5, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....	\$180 31
Paid on account.....	75 00
Balance due.....	55 31
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....	\$175 37
Paid on account.....	75 00
Balance due.....	100 37
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 9, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....	\$175 37
Paid on account.....	75 00
Balance due.....	100 37
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 11, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....	\$175 37
Paid on account.....	75 00
Balance due.....	100 37
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 15, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....	\$175 37
Paid on account.....	75 00
Balance due.....	100 37
Also buildings and about 2,297 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, at end, numbered 17, adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....	\$175 37
Paid on account.....	75 00
Balance due.....	100 37
Also buildings and about 2,059 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, at end, numbered 16, adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90
Paid on account.....	25 00
Balance due.....	147 90
Also buildings and about 2,072 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 14, between	

two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$172 90
Paid on account.....75 00

Balance due.....97 90
Also buildings and about 2,074 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 12, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$172 90
Paid on account.....75 00

Balance due.....97 90
Also buildings and about 2,077 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$172 90
Paid on account.....75 00

Balance due.....97 90
Also buildings and about 2,079 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$172 90
Paid on account.....75 00

Balance due.....97 90
Also buildings and about 2,082 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 6, making the southerly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$177 84
Paid on account.....75 00

Balance due.....102 84
Agnes M. Holl—Buildings and about 15,584 feet of land on the westerly side of Cedar street, numbered 74, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12742, tax for 1922, \$135 85
Paid on account.....49 13

Balance due.....86 72
Catherine A. Hurley—Buildings and about 2,910 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Highland park, numbered 4½, between an estate of John E. McNulty and an estate of Edward M. Stretton, tax for 1923.....

54 34
Joseph A. and Anastasia Mickiewicz—Buildings and about 2,650 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Forbes street, numbered 104, between an estate of German Reformed Christ Church of Boston and Suburbs and an estate of Clara Kleinberg, tax for 1923.....
Moth assessment for 1923.....

74 10
65
John J. O'Connor—Buildings and about 2,950 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Thornton street, numbered 152 and 154, making the easterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Charles M. Faunce, tax for 1923.....\$209 95
Paid on account.....150 00

Balance due.....59 95

WARD SIXTEEN.

Tillie Atkins—Buildings and about 3,605 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hutchings street, numbered 95 and 97, between an estate of Delia Prince and an estate of Hilda Kaplan, tax for 1923.....\$321 10
Paid on account.....200 00

Balance due.....\$121 10
Bessie Casso—Buildings and about 7,150 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maple street, numbered 9, between an estate of Thomas J. Griffin and another and an estate of Celia Fisher, tax for 1923.....\$190 19
Paid on account.....145 00

Balance due.....45 19
Mary Cley—Buildings and about 1,643 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowen street; numbered 100, between another estate of said Clay and an estate of Lillian E. Williams, tax for 1923.....

160 55
Also buildings and about 2,174 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowen street, numbered 98, between another estate of said Cley and an estate of C. Dormer Wells, tax for 1923.....

160 55
Harry Cohen—Buildings and about 4,311 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockville park, numbered 2, making the northerly corner of Warren street, adjoining an estate of Walter S. Kelley, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate num-

ber 15299, tax for 1923 ..\$160 55
Paid on account.....50 00

Balance due.....110 55
Rose Cohen—Buildings and about 17,349 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 209, between an estate of Morris Galer and an estate of Rose E. Nawn, tax for 1923.....\$227 24
Paid on account.....150 00

Balance due.....77 24
Lydia A. Crafts—About 2,742 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a passageway, leading from the northwesterly side of Bainbridge street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Owen J. Flannely; easterly by estates of John F. J. Countie and another; southerly by said passageway; westerly by an estate of Alfred W. Fitz; tax for 1923.....

12 35
Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 8,100 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Homestead street, numbered 72, between an estate of Matilda Day and an estate of Rose Shrago, moth assessment for 1922.....
Moth assessment for 1923.....

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Leon R. Eyges, Trustee of the Seaver Realty Trust—Buildings and about 6,733 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Seaver street, numbered 258 and 260, between an estate of Albert M. Williams and an estate of Elizabeth V. Hennessey, tax for 1923.....\$2,210 65
Paid on account.....1,438 52

Balance due.....772 13
James A. Fenner—Buildings and about 2,760 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Munroe street, numbered 42, between an estate of Thomas Kelley heirs or devisees, and an estate of John P. Wooten and another, tax for 1923.....\$222 30
Paid on account.....200 00

Balance due.....22 30
Morris Friedman—Buildings and about 11,098 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 146, 146A, 148, 148A-150A, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Isaac Bassimoff, tax for 1923.....\$1,111 50
Paid on account.....549 40

Balance due.....562 10
Glenway Realty Company—Buildings and about 4,634 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Homestead street, numbered 100 and 102, between another estate of said Glenway Realty Company and an estate of Grace E. Smith, tax for 1923.....\$592 80
Paid on account.....150 00

Balance due.....442 80
Also buildings and about 3,375 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 218-222, between an estate of said Glenway Realty Company and an estate of Fannie Ginsberg, tax for 1923.....\$592 80
Paid on account.....150 00

Balance due.....442 80
Also buildings and about 1,857 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 224, making the easterly corner of Homestead street, adjoining another estate of said Glenway Realty Company, tax for 1923.....\$345 80
Paid on account.....85 07

Balance due.....260 73
Solomon J. Goldings—Buildings and about 7,706 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Crawford street, numbered 64, between an estate of Katherine M. Manning and an estate of Abraham Olitzky, tax for 1923.....\$234 65
Paid on account.....100 00

Balance due.....134 65
William J. and Rose L. Hill—Buildings and about 1,733 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mills street, numbered 14, between an estate of John F. Monahan and an estate of Edward McMahon, tax for 1923.....\$69 16
Paid on account.....50 00

Balance due.....19 16

Max and Katie Kaufman—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gaston street, numbered 27, making the westerly corner of Otisfield street, adjoining an estate of Lena Edelstein, tax for 1923\$209 95
Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due 59 95

Mary E. Lennon—Buildings and about 4,299 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wenonah street, numbered 36, between an estate of Ray Rabinovitz and an estate of William J. Porter, tax for 1923...\$123 50
Paid on account..... 60 00

Balance due 63 50

Benjamin Lettieri, Harry Sweig, Philip Sweig and Ike Cohen—Buildings and about 5,814 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Waverly street, numbered 46 and 48, between another estate of said Lettieri and others and an estate of Fannie S. Simes, tax for 1923\$741 00
Paid on account..... 600 00

Balance due 141 00

Also buildings and about 5,765 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Waverly street, numbered 42 and 44, between another estate of said Lettieri and others and an estate of Henry I. Lazurus, tax for 1923 741 00

Albert Lewenberg—Buildings and about 868 feet of land on the northerly side of Lansing street, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Lewenberg, tax for 1923 41 99

Also buildings and about 1,386 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, numbered 369, 371 and 371 ½, making the northwesterly corner of Lansing street, adjoining another estate of said Lewenberg, tax for 1922 222 30
Tax for 1923 247 00

Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the northerly side of Lansing street, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Lewenberg, tax for 1922 44 46
Tax for 1923 44 46

Also buildings and about 833 feet of land on the northerly side of Lansing street, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Lewenberg, tax for 1923 41 99

Annie M., one third, Maude A., one third, and Maurice B. Lynch, one third, buildings and about 2,679 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bainbridge street, numbered 51, making the southerly corner of Kensington street, adjoining another estate of said Lynch, tax for 1923 185 25

Also buildings and about 2,928 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bainbridge street, numbered 53, between another estate of said Annie M. Lynch and others and an estate of Nellie J. Joyce, tax for 1923 185 25

Also buildings and about 2,923 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kensington street, numbered 2, between another estate of said Annie M. Lynch and others and an estate of William G. A. Sampson, tax for 1923 172 90

Massachusetts Housing Corporation—Buildings and about 6,553 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 73, between an estate of Zed Prophet and another and an estate of Daniel H. Pactovis, tax for 1923 666 90
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Hugh Nawn—Buildings and about 10,880 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brookledge street, numbered 70, making the northerly corner of Elm Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Nawn heirs, tax for 1922 494 00
Moth assessment for 1922..... 50
Tax for 1923 494 00

Catherine J. O'Brien—Buildings and about 2,824 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Elmore street, numbered 14, between an estate of Thomas F. Croak and an estate of Peter J. Looney and another, tax for 1923 135 85

Rose Pinanski—Buildings and about 7,761 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 54, between an estate of James W. Kenney and an estate of Charles M. Blake, and other, executors, tax for 1922 135 85
Tax for 1923 135 85

Mollie Resnick—Buildings and about 6,385 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wenonah street, numbered 43 and 45, making the southerly cor-

ner of Waumbeck street, extending through to and numbered 20 and 20A Waumbeck street, adjoining an estate of Johanna Nathan, tax for 1923\$938 60
Paid on account..... 300 00

Balance due 638 60

George A. Richards—Buildings and about 5,729 feet of land on the westerly side of Otisfield street, numbered 9, between an estate of Bertha Cramer and an estate of Congregation Shara Tfila, tax for 1923 167 96

William H. and Josephine B. Selden—Buildings and about 4,075 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harrihof street, numbered 94, between an estate of Joseph L. White and an estate of Yetta Libin, tax for 1923\$192 66
Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due 42 66

Clara Shekell—Buildings and about 3,350 square feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hollander street, numbered 41, between an estate now or formerly of Harry Weiner and an estate now or formerly of Max Resnick and another, tax for 1923\$197 60
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due 97 60

WARD SEVENTEEN.

Richard F. Andrews, Trustees—Buildings and about 3,108 feet of land on the southerly side of Dudley street, numbered 703, 705, 707 and 709, making southwesterly corner of Nonquit street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Malitz, tax for 1923..... \$234 65

Bertha E. Arseno—Buildings and about 11,856 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 637, making southerly corner of Folsom street, an estate of Alice M. Morse, tax for 1923...\$2,223 00
Paid on account..... 1,000 00

Balance due 1,223 00

John E. and Alice E. Brewin—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Magnolia street, numbered 87, making corner of Chamblet street and an estate of John C. Robinson, tax for 1923\$185 25
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due 85 25

Stephen F. and Mary A. Conner—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Midland street, numbered 19, between an estate of Craven H. Burris and another and an estate of Herbert E. Stevens, tax for 1923...\$74 10
Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due 49 10

Dennis Higgins—About 2,550 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between an estate of Margaret L. Kerrigan and another estate of said Higgins (numbered 124), tax for 1923.....\$22 23
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due 12 23

Also buildings and about 2,399 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, numbered 124, between another estate of said Higgins and an estate of Ida Lebowich and another, tax for 1923.....\$49 40
Paid on account..... 40 00

Balance due 9 40

Sarah L. Levy—Buildings and about 2,938 feet of land on the southerly side of Wayland street, numbered 100 and 102, between an estate of Eli Kaplan and an estate of Emanuel Simons, tax for 1923.....\$143 26
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due 43 26

Also buildings and about 2,940 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wayland street, numbered 92 and 94, between another estate of said Levy and an estate of Emanuel Simon, tax for 1923 143 26

Agnes M. McGee—Buildings and about 2,492 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 1060, between an estate of Thomas Howe and an estate of Frederick H. Vackert, tax for 1923 98 80

Ellen and William F. Mulligan, and Annie H. Mulligan Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,176 feet of land on the westerly side of Dana street, numbered 38, making the

northwesterly corner of Dove street, adjoining an estate of Thomas A. Linsky and an estate of Patrick Kilmartin devisees, tax for 1923, \$44 46
Paid on account..... 30 00

Balance due 14 46

Anthony F. Murray—About 2,258 feet of land on the westerly side of Sea View terrace, being lot 9, and the northerly part of lot 8, William Kelly plan, September 3, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2385, page 35, tax for 1923..... 4 94

James A. and Mary A. O'Reilly—Buildings and about 2,210 feet of land on the northerly side of Doris street, numbered 29, between an estate of Elizabeth W. Lamont and an estate of John Stanilouis and another, tax for 1923\$148 20
Paid on account..... 92 67

Balance due 55 53

Katherine M. Riordan, reassessed from Arthur B. Nash—About 3,027 feet of land on the southerly side of Upham avenue, being lot C, Wm. O. Badger plan, May 8, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2365, page 287, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Also about 3,027 feet of land on the southerly side of Upham avenue, being lot D, same plan, tax for 1923, 24 70

Ida White—Buildings and about 4,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, numbered 218, between an estate of Aaron Guber and an estate of Tillie Berenson, tax for 1923 98 80

WARD EIGHTEEN.

Max Blumenthal—Buildings and about 2,865 feet of land on the southerly side of Kimball street, numbered 7, between another estate of said Blumenthal (numbered 9 and 11) and an estate of William Finnigan, moth assessment for 1922..... \$0 50

Edward F. Cassell—Buildings and about 5,389 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stanwood street, numbered 145, between an estate of Catherine T. Moran and another estate of said Cassell, tax for 1923.... 79 04

Also buildings and about 5,389 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stanwood street, numbered 143, between another estate of said Cassell and an estate of Boston Excavating Company, tax for 1923..... 74 10

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 2,638 feet of land on the southerly side of Josephine street, numbered 31, between an estate of Bessie Miller and another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Also buildings and about 2,300 feet of land on the westerly side of Ditson street, numbered 18, making the southwesterly corner of Josephine street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923..... 197 60

Also buildings and about 2,353 feet of land on the westerly side of Ditson street, numbered 14, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Henry F. Johnson, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Ethel Diamond—Buildings and about 3,788 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Intervale street, numbered 124 and 126, making the easterly corner of Columbia road, adjoining an estate of Myer L. Rosenfield, tax for 1923.....\$298 87
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due 198 87

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 9 13

Philip Goldstein—Buildings and about 5,298 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Stanwood street, numbered 8 and 10, making the easterly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Goldstein, moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Annie M., one third, Maud A., one third, and Maurice B. Lynch, one third—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Intervale street, numbered 41, between an estate of Etta Greenberg and an estate of Leon Muscanto, tax for 1923..... 410 02

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 10 49

Mary A. O'Malley—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarkson street, numbered 70 and 72, between an estate of Martin Jacobson and another and an estate of Rose A. Brown, tax for 1923..... 138 32

Thomas D. Quincy—About 57,449 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Everton street, bounded and described as follows: Southeastern by Everton street, northerly and northwesterly by Olney street, westerly and northwesterly by estates of Mary Christy Trustee and Joseph O'Kane and others and southwest by an estate of Katherine A. Lombard, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	151 64
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	146 04
Lea Shraiar and Joseph Lipland—Buildings and about 5,188 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 318, 318A and 320, between two estates of Frederick Green and another, tax for 1923.....	\$617 50
Paid on account.....	200 00
Balance due.....	417 50
Joe Sobel and Eli Goldman—Buildings and about 2,602 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Kineo street, numbered 7, between an estate of said Sobel and another and an estate of John W. Morse, tax for 1923.....	\$311 22
Paid on account.....	200 00
Balance due.....	111 22
Also buildings and about 2,715 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mascoma street, numbered 12 and 14, making the southerly corner of Kineo street, adjoining another estate of said Sobel and another, tax for 1923.....	\$308 75
Paid on account.....	200 00
Balance due.....	108 75
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 45
Ida Sosnosky—Buildings and about 3,700 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Devon street, numbered 90, between an estate of Israel Barron and an estate of Sarah Goodman, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	72 90
Mabel C. Sullivan—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the northerly side of Homes avenue, numbered 108, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Ann M. Jacobs, tax for 1922.....	\$49 40
Paid on account.....	8 12
Balance due.....	41 28
Tax for 1923.....	49 40
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	6 63
Also about 2,795 feet of land on the easterly side of a passageway, leading from the northerly side of Homes avenue in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Sullivan (numbered 108 Homes avenue), tax for 1922.....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Tony Wise—About 9,570 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, making the westerly corner of Fernboro street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Sachnin, being lot A, of P. E. Silverman plan, dated November 4, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3935, page 221, tax for 1923.....	\$93 86
Paid on account.....	51 78
Balance due.....	42 08

WARD NINETEEN.

Bessie B. Adnoff, supposed present owner Michael F. Kelly—Buildings and about 7,771 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 714 and 716, making the southerly corner of and numbered 3 and 9 Charlotte street, adjoining an estate of William London, tax for 1923.....	\$1,548 60
Paid on account.....	1,200 00
Balance due.....	\$348 60
Henry S. Dove Company (Massachusetts Corporation)—Buildings and about 19,754 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 15, 19, 23 and 27, between two estates of Harry C. Garland, tax for 1923.....	\$2,306 98
Paid on account.....	1,150 00
Balance due.....	1,156 98
Harry C. Garland—About 3,442 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Castlegate road, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly and northwesterly	

by other estates of said Garland; northeasterly and southeasterly by an estate of Henry S. Dove Company, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Daniel F. Hackett—Buildings and about 4,812 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, numbered 333, between an estate of D. Frank Hackett and an estate of Arthur J. Watterman, tax for 1923.....	\$193 02
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	113 02
Mary E. Harper—Buildings and about 4,617 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Normandy street, numbered 275, between an estate of Annie F. Whitney and an estate of Morris A. Freedman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6252, tax for 1923.....	200 95
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 70
C. Henry Hetu, reassessed from C. Henry Hetie—About 140 square feet of land on the northerly side of Alpha road, bounded and described as follows: southerly by Alpha road; easterly by an estate of Loyola J. Coderre (numbered 25 Alpha road); northerly by an estate of Morris Katz (numbered 356 Park street); and westerly by an estate of Ida Myerson (numbered 29 Alpha road), tax for 1923.....	2 47
Gabriella T., Georgette G., and Henri L. Lavit (supposed present owner Morris Spack)—Buildings and about 6,511 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Elmo street, numbered 47 and 49, between an estate of Jennie Resnick and an estate of Joseph B. Green, tax for 1923.....	\$296 40
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	196 40
James J. McDonald—Buildings and about 6,270 feet of land on the easterly side of Waldeck street, numbered 17, between an estate of Alice M. Downey and an estate of Harriet A. Gartland, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Mary E. Morse—Buildings and about 6,213 feet of land on the easterly side of Bicknell street, numbered 7, between an estate of John H. Farley and an estate of Mary A. Rodgers, tax for 1923.....	\$222 30
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	122 30
Robert J. and Ida L. Richardson—Buildings and about 4,113 feet of land on the easterly side of Shafter street, numbered 1, between an estate of Margaret J. Hickey and an estate of George H. Carter, trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50
Paid on account.....	65 00
Balance due.....	58 50
Jennie Schwartz—Buildings and about 4,980 feet of land on the easterly side of Greenwood street, numbered 100, between an estate of William Applebaum and another and an estate of Bridget Gray and another, tax for 1923.....	\$153 14
Paid on account.....	150 00
Balance due.....	3 14
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 98
Bessie and Rosie Shames—Buildings and about 5,840 feet of land on the easterly side of Greenwood street, numbered 38, between an estate of James F. Smith and an estate of Rosie Medoff and another, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90
Paid on account.....	105 00
Balance due.....	67 90
Abraham Shapiro (supposed present owner Della V. Curran)—Buildings and about 8,290 feet of land on the southerly side of Talbot avenue (numbered 282, 284, 286, 288, 288A, 290, 292) extending to and making the southwesterly corner of Aspinwall road, extending to and making the junction of Talbot avenue and Whitfield street, being lots A, B, C, D, Silverman Engineering Co. plan, dated August 12, 1909, being the whole of assessors' block 1500.2, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3393, page 108, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1920.....	3 01
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	7 18
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	2 93
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	6 95
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	2 83

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	6 72
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 73
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	6 48
Rebecca Shulman—Buildings and about 12,518 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Michigan avenue, numbered 15, between an estate of David S. Rubinstein and an estate of Morris Jamron, tax for 1923.....	286 52
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Albert Silver and Dora Silver Heirs—Buildings and about 4,196 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glenway street, numbered 32, between an estate of Henry Laskin and others and an estate of Bailie Hurwitz, tax for 1923.....	\$200 07
Paid on account.....	80 00
Balance due.....	120 07
Morris Spack—Buildings and about 5,952 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellington (formerly Elmo) street, numbered 15, making the southerly corner of Old road, adjoining an estate of Louis Shiber, trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$138 32
Paid on account.....	24 50
Balance due.....	113 82
Charles B. Stoller and Morris M. Levine—Buildings and about 5,140 feet of land on the westerly side of Glenway street, numbered 161, between an estate of Hyman Pike and an estate of Max Cohen, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	135 25
Marshall P. Wilder Heirs or Devises, Edward B. and Gemina R. Wilder Heirs and Grace S. Wilder Heirs or Devises and Nancy J. Bigelow—About 41,890 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Normandy street, making the easterly corner of Wilder road, being lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 2, 3 and 4, Frank A. Foster plan, September 1, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	\$466 83
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	366 83
Edward N. Wyner—About 834 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of McLellan street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Edgar E. Stearns (numbered 15), tax for 1923.....	2 47

WARD TWENTY.

Rebecca Adelstera—Buildings and about 2,826 feet of land on the northerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 22, between an estate of Sarah L. Locke and an estate of James F. Keefe and another, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 81
Marks Angel (reassessed from Emma W. Bonelli)—About 3,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Myrtlebank avenue, adjoining another estate of said Marks Angel, being lot 121, W. A. Mason & Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 28
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	6 91
Richard Barry (reassessed from Henry S. Moody)—About 3,601 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, adjoining an estate of Marguerite E. McGee, being lot 130, F. T. Wescott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3665, moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Alice M. and Robert H. Billings—Buildings and about 2,964 feet of land on the westerly side of Clematis street, numbered 11, between an estate of J. Arthur McCoy and another and an estate of Fred L. Douglas and another, tax for 1923.....	\$113 62
Paid on account.....	70 00
Balance due.....	43 62
Patrick J. Brophy—Buildings and about 10,973 feet of land on the westerly side of Adams street, numbered 321-325, 327 and 327A, making the northwesterly corner of Gibson street, adjoining an estate of Jennie L. Huebener, tax for 1923.....	\$148 20
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	48 20

Harry P. Chadwick—About 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Tenean street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Tenean street; northerly by an estate of Annie E. Fay, guardian; easterly by an estate of City of Boston, and southerly by an estate of Delia C. Ford, tax for 1923.

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 17 29

Also about 3150 feet of land on the westerly side of Verdun street adjoining an estate of Annie A. White being lot 15, Eri Olmstead plan, dated March 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9358, tax for 1923..... 4 86

Annie M. Connelley—About 7,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Coffey street, adjoining an estate of Rissie F. Brown, being a lot shown on E. Warren Hayden plan, December 2, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Richard W. Costello and Mary A.—About 4,315 feet of land on the easterly side of Melbourne street, being lot 44, Henry C. Mldram plan, dated October 5, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3680, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Patrick J. Cunningham and Ellen—Buildings and about 3,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Blanche street, numbered 4, between an estate of Thomas S. Connerton and an estate of Abbie F. Bemis, tax for 1923..... 22 23
Paid on account..... 40 00

Balance due..... 39 04

Thomas F. Donahue—About 4,333 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, adjoining an estate of Temple H. Fay and another, being lot 53, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Joseph W. Doucette—Buildings and about 10,125 feet of land on the westerly side of and at the end of Minot place, numbered 19, adjoining an estate of formerly of Lyman H. Clark, tax for 1923..... 44 50
Paid on account..... 44 50

Balance due..... 4 90

George N. Douse—About 4,332 feet of land on southeasterly side of Elm road, making the easterly corner of Guild road, being lot 41, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923. \$14 82
Paid on account..... 6 00

Balance due..... 8 82

Also about 4,194 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Guild road, being lot 42, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923..... \$14 82
Paid on account..... 6 00

Balance due..... 8 82

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bates road, adjoining an estate of Edward H. Wiggins and others, trustees, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923. \$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bates road, adjoining another estate of said Douse, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923..... \$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm road, making the easterly corner of Bates road, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923..... \$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Guild road, making the southerly corner of Elm road, being lot 40, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923..... \$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Guild road,

being lot 37, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923..... \$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Guild road, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1923. \$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Guild road, adjoining another estate of said Douse, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923..... \$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Frederick V. and Mary V. Dow—Buildings and about 4,473 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Houghton street, numbered 33, between an estate of Sarah E. Ward and an estate of Patrick B. Mulrooney, tax for 1923..... \$31 51
Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 56 51

Temple H. Fay and George W. Field—About 4,238 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, being lot 54, shown on W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Maude S. Glover—About 6,887 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Berkshire street, making the westerly corner of Westmoreland street, adjoining another estate of said Glover (numbered 79 Beaumont street), tax for 1922..... \$41 99
Paid on account..... 36 74

Balance due..... 5 25

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 11 88

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922..... 13 75
Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Also buildings and about 8,112 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beaumont street, numbered 79, making the southerly corner of Berkshire street, and an estate of Mary F. McLaughlin, tax for 1922. \$167 96
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 67 96

Moth assessment for 1922..... 66

Charles E., one third, Charles H., two ninths, Lyman B., two ninths, and Walter B. Hewins, two ninths, supposed present owner Conway Realty Company—About 9,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Old Colony Railroad, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Old Colony Railroad, southerly by a tributary of Great creek, easterly by estate of Mary J. Reddy, westerly by estate of Conway Realty Company, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Annie M. Kelley—About 3,497 feet of land on the easterly side of Freepoint street, making the northeasterly corner of Plymouth street, adjoining estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company and estate of Hugh Riley, tax for 1922..... 12 35

Charles J. Kelley—About 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, adjoining an estate of Cambridge Realty Company, being lot 16, shown on G. H. Sherman plan, dated September 20, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8091, tax for 1922. Tax for 1923..... 7 41
Also about 3,095 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, being lot 22, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5226, tax for 1922..... 7 41
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Mary A. Lane—Buildings and about 3,022 feet of land on the southerly side of Rosemont road, S. W., numbered 7, between an estate of Winifred Harper and an estate of Lawrence T. Plunkett and another, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Josephine Lewike, supposed present owner Nellie L. Sopkin—Buildings and about 1,612 feet of land on the

southerly side of Barnes street, numbered 18, between an estate of Hannah E. Tibbets and an estate of Charles A. Peabody, tax for 1923..... 74 10

Ida D. Lewis—About 378 feet of land on the northerly side of Shenandoah street, between an estate of Thorella M. C. Horner and an estate of Charles E. Hatfield, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Marion McGettrick—About 2,041 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wainwright street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Bessie M. Batchelder (numbered 25), tax for 1923..... 4 94

Mary C. McGrath—About 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, adjoining an estate of said McGrath, being lot 15, as shown on F. T. Wescott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3,665, page 152, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, adjoining an estate of said McGrath, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Methodist Episcopal Church Trustees—Buildings and about 9,582 feet of land on the southerly side of Parkman street, between an estate of Lawrence Larsen and another and an estate of David F. Doyle and another, moth assessment for 1922..... 50
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

David Milne—About 4,265 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marsh street, adjoining an estate of Walter H. Bonelli, being lot 85, as shown on W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Margaret E. Nichols—About 5,949 feet of land on the southerly side of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Centre street; westerly by an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company; southerly by an estate of Frances P. Farrell, and easterly by an estate of Catherine M. Manning and another estate fronting on Samoset street, tax for 1923..... 24 70

John J. Printon—About 2,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Tenean street, adjoining an estate of Edward Hamlin and another, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; southerly by an estate of Edward Hamlin and another; westerly by the Old Colony Railroad, and easterly by Tenean street, tax for 1923..... 7 41

James A. Quigley—About 600 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Park street; westerly by an estate of Bridget Burke; northerly by an estate of Caroline Joski, and easterly by an estate of Rebecca Sprinsky, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Bernard J. and Marguerite Rispin—Buildings and about 8,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm street, numbered 9, between an estate of John J. Milford and an estate of Alexander Davidson and another, tax for 1923..... \$64 22
Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 39 22

Robert Robinson—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 9, between an estate of said Robinson and an estate of Christina J. Berry, tax for 1923..... 190 19
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50
Moth assessment for 1922..... 50
Moth assessment for 1921..... 50

Also buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 11, between an estate of Annie J. Cain and an estate of said Robinson, tax for 1923..... 190 19

Fannie Rosenberg—About 783 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Edwin street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by an estate of Annie Levine; westerly by an estate of Harry P. Azadian; northerly by an estate of Arthur E. Jones, and easterly by an estate of Henry E. Hardwick, tax for 1923..... 9 58

Susan Romney—About 7,147 feet of land on the westerly side of Milwood street, being lot 10, Wm. O. Badger plan, September 17, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1845, page 580, tax for 1923..... 22 23
Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

Edward Sharpe, one eighth, Howland Sharpe, one eighth, Everett Sharpe, one eighth, Elizabeth Sharpe, one eighth, and James C. Sharpe Heirs or Devises, four eighths—About 18,100 feet of land on the easterly side of Brook street, adjoining an estate of Martha L. Tolman, bounded and described as follows: Northernly by an estate of Martha L. Tolman; easterly by the City of Boston; westerly by Brook street, and southernly by an estate of Alice McMorow and others, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Charles A. Sheehy and Mary G. Sheehy—About 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar Grove, adjoining an estate of Sarah Lynch, being lot 178, William E. Hannon plan, dated December 21, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4120, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Samuel J. Sigel—About 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, adjoining an estate of Josephine H. Rox, being lot 26, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, adjoining an estate of Josephine H. Fox, being lot 24, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 4 08

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, adjoining another estate of said Sigel, being lot 23, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 4 08

Also about 3,600 feet of land on the easterly side of Lenoxdale avenue, adjoining another estate of said Sigel, being lot 22, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 4 08

Lucy J. Sweeney—Buildings and about 3,538 feet of land on the southerly side of Lonsdale street, numbered 113, between an estate of Annie M. Burke and an estate of Susan A. Hannon, tax for 1923.....\$135 85
Paid on account..... 85 85

Balance due..... 50 00

William N. Ward and Margaret E. Cram—About 6,625 feet of land on the westerly side of a 30-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by a 30-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place; southerly by an estate of Charles A. Hart; and westerly by an estate of Christina Adduci and northerly by an estate of Besse Eldridge, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Herbert L. and Elviah H. York—Buildings and about 13,715 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 296, between an estate of Minnie E. Young and an estate of James Brophy, tax for 1923 222 30
Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

WARD TWENTY-ONE.

William J. Barry—Buildings and about 5,381 feet of land on the northerly side of Morton street, numbered 646 and 648, making the easterly corner of Havelock street, adjoining an estate of Sarah Cadiff, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... \$11 44

Georgianna F. G. Bates—Buildings and about 5,694 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 90, between an estate of Michael J. Quinn (numbered 92) and an estate of Elizabeth Foster (numbered 88), tax for 1923..... 123 50
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Fred L. Briggs—Buildings and about 2,916 feet of land on the southerly side of Epping street, numbered 10, between an estate of Frank A. Russell and an estate of John Carroll, tax for 1923.....\$123 50
Paid on account.....105 80

Balance due..... 17 70

Emma E. Brigham, Mortgagee in possession—About 6,462 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 8, H. C. Mildram plan, March 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of

Land court, certificate number 13886 tax for 1922..... 24 70

Tax for 1923..... 24 70

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 34 45

Also about 6,354 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13886, tax for 1922.... 24 70

Tax for 1923..... 24 70

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 21 77

Also about 4,472 feet of land on the northerly side of Outlook road, being lot O 9, Henry C. Mildram plan, March 3, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court certificate number 1494, tax for 1922..... 9 88

Tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 4,558 feet of land on the northerly side of Outlook road, being lot O 10, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land court certificate number 1494 tax for 1922..... 9 88

Tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 9,520 feet of land on the southerly side of Duke street, being lot 46, Ernest W. Bowditch plan, March 1, 1898, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land court, certificate number 14111, tax for 1922..... 27 17

Also about 3,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Outlook road, being lot A, H. C. Mildram plan, November 5, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3778, page 53, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Emma E. Brigham, Mortgagee in Possession re-assessed from Wellington Holbrook and other Trustees—About 3,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Outlook Road, being lot A, H. C. Mildram plan, dated Nov. 5, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3778, Page 53, tax for 1922..... 2 47

Joseph I. Brown—Buildings and about 3,801 feet of land on the northerly side of Floyd street, numbered 20, between an estate of Louis B. Schiller and an estate of Margaret Berow, tax for 1923..... 197 60

Also buildings and about 4,716 feet of land on the easterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 996 and 998, adjoining an estate of Louis Burrows, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10819, tax for 1922..... 247 00

Alice M. Browning—Buildings and about 4,916 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wellington Hill street numbered 115, making the southerly corner of Ormond street, adjoining an estate of William O'Riordan and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8780, tax for 1923.....\$145 73
Paid on account..... 67 93

Balance due..... 77 80

Samuel S. Cantor—Buildings and about 5,847 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarkwood street, numbered 35, between an estate of Max Starr and an estate of Anna Abrams, tax for 1923..... 212 42

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 12 88

Joseph B. and Mary L. Carey—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glenhill road, numbered 37, between an estate of Jennie L. Fraser and an estate of Franklin I. Smith, trustee, tax for 1923.....\$121 03
Paid on account..... 15 00

Balance due..... 106 03

William G. Carpenter and Catherine L. Carpenter, reassessed from Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,602 feet of land on the northerly side of Rock avenue, between an estate of Clarence W. Albee and an estate of Joseph P. Eccleston and another, tax for 1922.... 12 35

Harry P. Chadwick—About 2,025 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, adjoining an estate of Mary Scouppoulos, being the westerly part of lot 39, E. L. Moulton plan, March 31, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3305, page 582, tax for 1922..... 7 41

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 30,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Canterbury street, between an estate of Teresa Smyth (numbered 124) and an estate

of Mary E. Brady (numbered 110), tax for 1923..... 59 28

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Codman Square Theatre Co.—Buildings and about 23,827 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 635, 637 and 639, between another estate of said Codman Square Theatre Co. (numbered 631) and an estate of Sarah Rice (numbered 641 to 649 inclusive), tax for 1923.... 5,201 82

William A. and Helene R. Coolidge—Buildings and about 5,098 feet of land on the northerly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 84, between an estate of Stephen J. Kennedy and another and an estate of Minnie L. Butlain, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 17 84

Esther Corman—Buildings and about 5,917 feet of land on the northerly side of Hainsborough street, numbered 47, making the northerly corner of Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Samuel Corman and another, tax for 1923.....\$247 00
Paid on account.....180 00

Balance due..... 67 00

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 13 42

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Emily D. Cox Heirs—About 4,783 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 92, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2271, tax for 1922..... 7 41

Myer Dana, supposed present owner Abram Golden and Bella Kaplan—About 4,654 feet of land on the northerly side of Claxton (now Calender street) adjoining an estate of Israel Kagro, being lot D (now lots D1 and D2) Silverman Engineering Co. plan, May 1, 1912, with subdivision by C. B. Humphrey, October, 1914; registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, Certificate number 4608, apportionment of street construction for 1918..... 38 79

Apportionment of street construction for 1919..... 29 69

Apportionment of street construction for 1920..... 28 81

Apportionment of street construction for 1921..... 27 94

Apportionment of street construction for 1922..... 27 07

Apportionment of street construction for 1923..... 26 19

Ethel Davis—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Deering road, numbered 77, between an estate of Jennie E. Barrows and an estate of Tillie Rosen, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14697, tax for 1923\$172 90
Paid on account..... 72 90

Balance due..... 100 00

Leone A. Field—Buildings and about 13,707 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, numbered 459, between an estate of Edith T. Baker and an estate of George G. Glover, tax for 1922..... 108 68
Moth assessment for 1922..... 1 30

Everett A. Flynn—About 6,346 feet of land on the northerly side of Jones avenue, being lot E, on a plan not named and not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1631, page 113, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 24 25

Jacob and Pauline Green—About 3,364 feet of land on the northerly side of Morton street, making the easterly corner of Norfolk street, adjoining another estate of said Jacob L. and Pauline Green (numbered 422 Norfolk street), apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 17 23

Joseph A. Greene—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Walton street, numbered 21, making the southeasterly corner of Grace street, adjoining an estate of Helen E. Kelley, tax for 1923..... 148 20

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 18 00

Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 6,676 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 78, between an estate of Alice J. Anderson and an estate of John J. Delay, tax for 1923..... 93 98

Also buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Edson street, numbered 52, between an estate of Max Shepard and an estate of Jennie Naihserge, tax for 1923... 148 20

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Julia A. Cotter—About 3,540 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tower street, adjoining another estate of said Cotter, being lot 209, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated November 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2174, page 614, tax for 1923....	27 17		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	5 43		
Also about 3,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tower street, being lot 210, same plan, tax for 1923	27 17		
Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.....	5 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Roger A. Deveney—Buildings and about 16,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clive street, numbered 23, being an estate of Louis H. Jacobs and another and an estate of Margaret C. Walsh, tax for 1923.....	205 01		
Annie M. Dolan—Buildings and about 1,503 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3835—Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	36 29		
George W. Fowle—About 5,524 feet of land on the southerly side of Chestnut square, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Chestnut square; easterly by an estate of Thomas Robinette; westerly by an estate of William T. Haverty, and southerly by an estate of Alice B. Stephenson heirs, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Franciscan Monastery of St. Clare—About 88,218 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barlow street, making the southerly corner of Wachusett street, bounded and described as follows; northeasterly by Barlow street; southeasterly by the location of Forest Hills Cemetery; southwesterly by the location of Forest Hills Cemetery and an estate of Mary C. Cronin and northwesterly by the location of Wachusett street, tax for 1923.....	217 36		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	297 31		
Morris Gordon—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3504, between an estate of Annie Van Tassel and an estate of Kate Casali, tax for 1923.....	93 86		
Margaret Lemist—About 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of a 20-foot passageway leading from the easterly side of Arborway, adjoining an estate of James O'Neil, being lot 10, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated July 20, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2029, page 32, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Hiram L. Ludovic—Buildings and about 3,190 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bourne street, numbered 9, between an estate of Donald C. McPherson and an estate of Mary C. Davis heirs or devisees, tax for 1923	91 39		
Ellen T. and Catherine F. Norton—About 3,947 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, being the remainder after the widening of Stony brook, adjoining an estate of John J. Meehan and others, trustees, being lot 31, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Bridget T. O'Brien—Buildings and about 6,273 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3829 and 3831, between an estate of Annie M. Dolan and an estate of A. Letitia Paraboschi, tax for 1923.....	96 33		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	24 62		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Francis S. Frederick and Arthur H. Parker Trustees under will of Ebenezer F. Parker—About 4,505 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marmion street, adjoining an estate of Charles A. Getz, being lot 36, W. C. Bates plan, dated January 1, 1909, on file in assessor's office, tax for 1922	22 23		
Joseph Pittorino—Buildings and about 3,425 feet of land on the southerly side of Montebello road, numbered 35, between an estate of James W. McKeown and an estate of Mary A. Northway, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	13 72		
Edna N. Pope—About 3,666 feet of land on the easterly side of South street making the southeasterly corner of Rosemary street, adjoining another estate of said Pope, being lot A, George H. Wetherbee, Jr., plan, dated December, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4334, page 308, moth assessment for 1922	50		
Roger F. Scannell—About 8,848 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, adjoining an estate of Julia O'Brien, being lot 23, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated May 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2394, tax for 1922.....	86 45		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66		
Tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	37 80		
Joseph R. Scott, seven twentieths, Fannie L. S., one twentieth, Isabel A., five twentieths, and Richard W. A. Scott, Trustees under will of Mary A., seven twentieths—About 61,542 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining another estate of said Scott and others, trustees, being lot D, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated February 14, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3999, page 21, tax for 1923.....	182 78		
Also about 119,108 feet of land, lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Washington street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Joseph R. Scott, trustee, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1923	323 57		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Harry L. Smith—Buildings and about 2,722 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Merriam street, numbered 1, between an estate, now or formerly of New England Brewing Company and an estate, now or formerly of Abigail T. McCormick and others (numbered 29 Brookside avenue), tax for 1923.....	24 70		
WARD TWENTY-THREE.			
Margaret G. C. Alder—Buildings and about 8,600 feet of land, numbered 12 Florence street, between an estate of William S. Macomber and an estate of Laura L. Muller, tax for 1923			
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due	\$92 66		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Mary Ayer—About 4,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot 218, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Florence G. Bailey—Buildings and about 6,625 feet of land (numbered 179 Temple street), between an estate of Henry E. West and an estate of Alger H. Smith and another, tax for 1923	98 80		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 48		
Catherine A. Carnes—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farquhar street, numbered 100, between an estate of John E. Kickham (numbered 104) and an estate of John L. Day and another (numbered 96), tax for 1923.	222 30		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	35 10		
Edwin W. and Eleanor W. Carr—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southerly side of South street, numbered 974, between an estate of Bessie C. Poole and an estate of Mary E. Kelliher, tax for 1923			
Paid on account.....	\$135 85		
Paid on account.....	63 00		
Balance due	72 85		
Harry P. Chadwick—About 12,218 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 116, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 179, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 12,106 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 115, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Also about 5,045 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lasell street, being lot 18, Block 18, J. W. Morrison plan, dated April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, tax for 1923..	7 41		
Also about 11,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lark street, being lot 60, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 193, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923	9 88		
Also about 2,973 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Park terrace, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Park terrace; northeasterly by an estate of Elizabeth G. McLaughlin; southeasterly by estate			
of Mabel F. Wood; southerly by estate of Jesse B. Osgood and southwesterly by estate of Helen A. Shaw and others, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 11,881 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, making the junction of Grew avenue, being lot 19, G. L. Richardson plan, June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1923	9 88		
Also about 7,097 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Temple street, northwesterly by an estate of Laura K. Ellis; southwesterly by an estate of Michael Burke and other trustees, and southeasterly by an estate of George H. Stevens and another, tax for 1923	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 7,095 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Temple street; northwesterly and southwesterly by estates of Michael Burke and others, trustees, and southeasterly by an estate of Laura K. Ellis, tax for 1923	9 88		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 6,912 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Montclair avenue, being lot 89, Garbett and Wood plan, May 1, 1888, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1923.....	41 99		
Max Cohen—About 1,102 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dana road, being lot 69, block 11, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923....	2 47		
Patrick and Alice G. Colleran—About 3,438 feet of land on the easterly side of Nut street, being lot 6, block C, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14280, tax for 1923	2 47		
William E. Cunniff—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brook Farm road, number 154, making the southerly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Anna M. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Alphonso DeFranco—Buildings and about 5,060 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walworth street, numbered 91, between an estate of Edward F. Welsh and an estate of Needham Co-operative Bank, tax for 1923			
Paid on account.....	\$118 20		
Paid on account.....	44 11		
Balance due	104 09		
Aloysius F. Dowd—Buildings and about 9,727 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ashland street, numbered 44, between an estate of Horace Lindell and an estate of Kenneth Sherburne, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Josephine W. Dufao—About 3,968 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Florence street, being lot 64, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 15, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16163, tax for 1923	14 82		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 27		
Marion T. Ellenwood—Buildings and about 6,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, numbered 292, between an estate of John Tekel and an estate of Ellen T. Cowbig, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
James F. M. Farquhar set off to James F. M. Farquhar heirs or devisees—About 309,037 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Poplar street, making the southerly corner of Grew avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Poplar street; southerly and southeasterly by other estates of said Farquhar heirs or devisees; easterly by Grew avenue and westerly and southwesterly by other estates of said Farquhar heirs or devisees, tax for 1921	153 14		
Emma C. Fisher—About 1,736 feet of land on the easterly side of Salinan street, being lot 40, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7743, tax for 1923	2 47		

Also about 1,681 feet of land on the easterly side of Salman street, being lot 41, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7743, tax for 1923	2 47		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	6 94		of Alexander F. Wilson, being lot 79, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923	4 94
Sarah E. Flaherty—About 4,954 feet of land on the westerly side of Vogel street, being lot 3, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14909, tax for 1923	2 47		Also about 5,098 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eldredge street, being lot R, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10938, tax for 1923	4 94		Moth assessment for 1923	65
Moth assessment for 1923	50		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	6 94		Margaret M. and J. Harry O'Leary—Buildings and about 3,733 feet of feet of land on the northerly side of Gardner street, numbered 71, between an estate of Mary C. Langhans (numbered 67) and an estate of Katherine L. Corbett (numbered 75), tax for 1923	86 45
Edward F. Foley—About 3,748 feet of land on the southerly side of Weld street, being lot 272, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 6, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16202, tax for 1923	14 82		Mary E. McCullough—Buildings and about 5,269 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Johnson road, numbered 10, between an estate of Winifred Rice and an estate of Eugene A. Relfly and another, tax for 1923	123 50		Alice B. Packard—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Glendower road, numbered 62, between an estate of Margaret E. Cornell and an estate of Amalia DeChristoforo, tax for 1923	37 05
Moth assessment for 1923	50		Moth assessment for 1923	50		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	14 88
Esther Friedman—Buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the northwest-erly side of South street, numbered 569, between an estate of Fred V. Byther and another and an estate of David Hutcheon and another, tax for 1923	88 80		Mary E. McDonough—Buildings and about 6,450 feet of land on the northwesterly side of South street, numbered 609, between an estate of Edward A. Fallon and an estate of John Bloedt and another, tax for 1923	111 15		Moth assessment for 1923	50
Paid on account	88 80		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	9 74		Helen L. Potter—About 1,350 feet of land, lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wren street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss; northeasterly by an estate of Margaret F. Tinker; southeasterly by an estate of Agnes M. Finneran and southwest-erly by an estate of Robert T. Hathaway, tax for 1923	2 47
Balance due	10 00		Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923	18 52		Caroline J. Richenberg—Buildings and about 26,251 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Poplar street, numbered 465, making the westerly corner of Cornell street, between an estate of Lucinda C. Smith and another estate of said Richenberg, tax for 1923	96 33
Helen G. Goodman, three ninths, John J., one ninth, William H., one ninth, Walter E., one ninth, Helen M., one ninth, Mildred G., one ninth and Charles G. Goodman, one ninth—Buildings and about 6,973 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Beech street, numbered 143, between an estate of Mary J. Cruickshank and an estate of Eugene N. Foss, tax for 1923	37 05		Moth assessment for 1923	50		Also about 8,100 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Cornell street, being lot 64, shown on assess-ors' plans, volume 10, page 226, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923	7 41
Ralph Hermann—About 10,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thrush street, being lots 119 and 120, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated Sep-tember 1, 1887, recorded with Suf-folk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, moth assessment for 1923	50		Josephine B. McLain—Buildings and about 9,712 feet of land on the south-esterly side of Pleasant street, num-bered 26, making the easterly corner of Preston road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Pike, moth assessment for 1922	50		Spray E. Richenberg—Buildings and about 6,625 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Augustus ave-nue, numbered 75, between an es-tate of Henry Richenberg and an estate of John J. Kelley, tax for 1923	123 50
Laura A. Hilton—About 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Stimson street, being lot 28, Block E, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry of Land Court, certificate number 13920, moth assessment for 1923	50		Mary McLean—About 22,300 feet of land lying the rear from the south-esterly side of Washington street, being lot 32, W. C. Bates plan, March 20, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12337, tax for 1923	2 47		Paul J. Richenberg—About 4,731 feet of land on the northerly side of a 30-foot street, leading from the east-erly side of Florence street, being lot 1, Theo. B. Moses plan, dated 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3323, page 235, tax for 1923	12 35
James and Annie M. Hughes—About 2,275 feet of land on the northeast-erly side of Billings street, being lot 8, shown on a plan dated October 25, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2558, appor-tionment of sewer assessment for 1922, John Jennings (reassessed from J. W. Wilbur Co., Inc.)—About 497 feet of land on the easterly side of Grove street, being the westerly part of lot 46, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suf-folk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1922	2 47		George A. Monroe—About 4,014 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fur-bush road, being lot 63, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1922	2 47		Also buildings and about 7,000 feet of land on the northerly side of a 30-foot street, leading from the east-erly side of Florence street, between another estate of said Richenberg and an estate of Fannie C. Cun-ningham, tax for 1923	22 23
Thomas M. Keefe (reassessed from Ellen E. Keefe)—About 5,000 feet of land on the northeast-erly side of Greaton road, being lot 194, W. C. Bates plan, May 6, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13485, tax for 1922	12 35		Elise J. Mullowney—Buildings and about 4,112 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Vista street, numbered 1 and 3, making the south-erly corner of Augustus avenue, ad-joining an estate of George T. Bar-rett, apportionment of street con-struction assessment for 1922	15 81		Also buildings and about 5,164 feet of land on the easterly side of Florence street, numbered 210 between another estate of said Richenberg and an estate of Fannie C. Cunningham, tax for 1923	22 23
Also buildings and about 3,897 feet of land on the northeast-erly side of Greaton road, being lot 193, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry district of land court, certificate number 13485, tax for 1922	24 70		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922	13 53		Also about 6,278 feet of land on the southeast-erly side of Marion street, being lot C, Theo. B. Moses plan, dated 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3323, page 235, tax for 1923	12 35
John E. Kickham—About 6,722 feet of land on the northeast-erly side of Congreve street, being lot 43, Chas. H. Wood plan, June 1, 1896, re-corded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2389, page 89, apportionment of side-walk construction assessment for 1922	19 52		Tax for 1923	160 55		Also about 6,040 feet of land on the southeast-erly side of Marion street, being lot D, same plan, tax for 1923, Also about 4,860 feet of land on the southeast-erly side of Marion street, being lot B, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
John J. Lyons—About 3,483 feet of land on the northeast-erly side of North avenue, being lot 4, block B, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certi-ficate number 9747, moth assessment for 1923	50		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	13 12		Marietta E. Robinson—Buildings and about 7,000 feet of land on the north-esterly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 87, adjoining another estate of said Robinson, being lot 1, W. C. Bates plan, dated January 4, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4005, page 521, tax for 1923	160 55
Mary M. Maguire—About 1,325 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwest-erly side of Ashland street, being the westerly part of lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3354, page 539, tax for 1923	2 47		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	15 33		Moth assessment for 1923	65
Helen McCauley—About 5,150 feet of land on the southeast-erly side of Eldredge street, being lot L, W. C. Bates plan, February 12, 1912, regis-tered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10938, tax for 1923	4 94		Nora M. O'Brien—Buildings and about 5,250 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Corey street, numbered 294, between two other estates of said O'Brien, tax for 1923	172 90		Also about 7,000 feet of land on the northeast-erly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923	37 05
			Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Corey street, being lot 12, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1844, page 527, tax for 1923	7 41		Also about 5,190 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeast-erly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923	19 76
			Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Corey street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923, Josephine F. O'Callaghan—Buildings and about 4,700 feet of land on the southeast-erly side of Sturges road, numbered 30, between an estate of Ada Duffie and an estate of William R. Fairclough, tax for 1923	9 88		Also about 5,797 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeast-erly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923	22 23
			Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	6 31		Jeanette H. Romer—Buildings and about 4,750 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Chilton road, numbered 14, between an estate of Mary F. Connolly and another estate of said Romer, tax for 1923	148 20
			Maria Olson—About 1,579 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 15, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923	2 47		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	33 30
			Moth assessment for 1923	50			
			Also about 1,537 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 17, block F, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47			
			Moth assessment for 1923	50			
			Kathleen A. O'Rourke—About 10,400 feet of land on the northeast-erly side of Walnut street, adjoining an estate				

Also about 4,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chilton road, adjoining another estate of said Romer, being lot 110, W. C. Bates plan, dated October 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2478, tax for 1923..... 24 70

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 33 30

Lena M. Savage—About 4,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, being lot 132 Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Gerald J. Savage, Inc.—About 4,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, adjoining another estate of said Savage, being lot 132, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1921..... 2 47

Also about 5,322 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, making the junction of Ellswood street, being lot 169, same plan, tax for 1921..... 2 47

John D. Sheehy—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Summer street, numbered 26, between another estate of said Sheehy and an estate of Mary F. Blake, tax for 1923..... 79 04

Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Summer street, adjoining another estate of said Sheehy, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 210, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 12 35

John Singer—Buildings and about 10,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Centre street, numbered 1750, between an estate of Marion L. Woodward and an estate of Mary G. Hende, tax for 1923...\$123 50
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 48 50
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Robert F. Smith—About 2,848 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 309, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Charles L. Smith Heirs and Devises—About 3,450 feet of land on the northeasterly side of La Grange street, being lot A. Walter C. Bates plan, August 17, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4260, page 355, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Fred Solomon—About 7,885 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornell street, being the northwesterly part of lot 36, J. Edwin Jones plan, July 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2250, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1923..... 7 41 50

Morris Strecker and devisees under will of Nanetti Strecker—About 20,133 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East street, being lot 41, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated April, 1871, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Also about 20,567 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East street, making the easterly corner of High street, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 72,900 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, at end, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 14,476 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 14,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 15,486 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 46, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923..... 2 47 50

Also about 15,391 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 15,670 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 15,972 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923..... 2 47 50

Also about 16,298 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 15,270 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923, Moth assessment for 1923..... 2 47 50

Also about 22,403 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 20,353 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 10,450 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gardner street, making the easterly corner of High street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 10,925 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, making the southerly corner of East street, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 10,925 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Also about 10,450 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gardner street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Donato Vigorito—About 6,373 feet of land on the easterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 33, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, moth assessment for 1923.. 50

George O. Wales—About 14,976 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Park street, making the westerly corner of Oriole street, being lot 10, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923..... 74 10

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 14 47

Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

James P. Walsh—About 1,953 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 281, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1921..... 2 47

Patrick F. Welch—About 7,245 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hillcrest street, making the southerly corner of Temple street, being lot 65, Garbett and Wood plan, September 13, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2086, page 76, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 9 60

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922..... 19 13

Alice C. Whittemore—Buildings and about 12,269 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hastings street, numbered 14 and 16, between an estate of Walter M. Kingman and an estate of City of Boston, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922..... 98 53

Arthur M. Wyman and John T. Hosford Trustees—About 6,360 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oriole street, being lot 19, W. C. Bates plan, December 30, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3868, page 461, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 10 85

Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

WARD TWENTY-FOUR.

Frank Anustase—About 6,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Messina, being lots 86, 87 and 88, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923..... \$4 94

Louis E. Barber—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Bessie Walsh, being lot 70, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922..... 9 88
Tax for 1923..... 9 88

Elizabeth C. Bickmore, Heirs or Devises (reassessed to Harry C. Bickmore)—About 888,819 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Upton street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Upton street; northwesterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston, and southeasterly by an estate of Nathaniel Safford, tax for 1923..... 59 28
Moth assessment for 1923..... 9 75

Also about 184,404 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Alfred Foster heirs or devisees and the Stony Brook Reservation; northwesterly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard; southwesterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, and southeasterly by an estate of Alfred Foster, trustee, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Also about 65,000 feet of land on the easterly side of the boundary line which divides the City of Boston from the town of Dedham, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by the boundary line of Boston and Dedham; northeasterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; and southeasterly by an estate of City of Boston (Fairview Cemetery), tax for 1923..... 4 94

Stella Boghosian—About 5,834 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, adjoining an estate of Alfred Earle, being lot 13, block J, E. P. Sellow plan, dated May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 1404, tax for 1922..... 4 94

Boston & Northern Street Railway—About 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Hyde Park avenue; northerly by an estate of Antoinette Sinibaldi; westerly by another estate of said Boston & Northern Street Railway Company and southerly by the location of Readville Trotting Park, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Also about 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Prescott street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Prescott street; northerly by an estate of Guy S. Nelson; easterly by another estate of said Boston Northern Street Railway Company; southerly by the location of Readville Trotting Park, tax for 1923..... 14 82

James Brennan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, adjoining an estate of Mary T. Shea, being lot 124, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 10 56

Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Robert E. Buffum—About 4,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, being lot 71, E. L. Moulton plan, February 8, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3136, page 433, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 6 08

Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, being lot 79, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 12 19

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harmon street, being lot 89, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923..... 7 41
Moth assessment for 1923..... 95

Also about 12,172 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 52, John Maschold plan, March 12, 1888, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1813, page 595, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Also about 8,664 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 8,304 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 8,064 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Also about 8,016 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Bradlee street, adjoining an estate of Carl Stohn, Inc., being lot 119, G. L. Richardson plan, dated May 1, 1893, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 03		
Also about 11,875 feet of land on the southerly side of Brooks street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Brooks street; easterly and southerly by location of Stony brook, and westerly by an estate of John L. Mayer, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Also about 5,360 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Draper road, adjoining an estate of Michael J. Murphy, being lot 19, W. F. Whitman plan, dated October, 1910, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan 57, plan No. 2725, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 8,551 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollowell street, adjoining an estate of Soren Sorenson, being lots 17 and 18, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated July, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3498, page 149, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50		
Also about 7,990 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, making the westerly corner of Blake street, adjoining another estate of Zeigler, moth assessment for 1922.....	1 23		
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 8,426 feet of land on the northerly side of Haven avenue, adjoining an estate of John H. Stark heirs or devisees, being lot 170, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Michael F. Clarke—About 3,622 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 11, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Joseph J. Curran—About 13,150 feet of land on the northerly side of Thatcher street, being lot 54, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
John J. Delaney—About 8,561 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rexford street, being lot 35, C. E. C. Breck plan, dated April, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2528, moth assessment for 1922.....	1 09		
William E. L. Dillaway and Michael M. Cuniff—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, adjoining another estate of said Dillaway and another, being lot 90, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	50		
William Donegan—About 6,560 feet of land on the westerly side of Tyler street, making the southwesterly corner of Water street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Kelliher, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
James K. Durning—About 4,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, being lot 55, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 60		
Thomas F. Downey—Buildings and about 38,320 feet of land on the easterly side of Business street, numbered 64, between an estate of John Campanella and another and an estate of Annetta Tileston, tax for 1923.....	\$293 93		
Paid on account.....	150 00		
Balance due.....	143 93		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	5 05		
Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company—About 50,900 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dana avenue, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Dana avenue and Bridge street; southeasterly by the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; northeasterly by an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts and northwesterly by Neponset river, tax 1923.....	1,235 00		
Annie C. Ferguson—About 152,460 feet of land on the northerly side of Oakland street, being a lot shown on C. H. Gannett plan, April 10, 1906, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14702, moth assessment for 1923.....	9 75		
Julia E. Fuller—About 16,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Royal road, being lots 3, 4 and 5, and the southwesterly part of lots 1 and 2 John N. McClintock plan October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	14 82		
Edward Gately Heirs or Devises—About 3,490 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 7, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
George H. Glazier—Building and about 46,972 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Summit street, numbered 64, adjoining an estate of Fred Cross, tax for 1923.....	91 39		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Barnet Greenfield, Rachel and Bessie Polonsky, Eva Waxman and Harry Motorin—About 6,150 feet of land on the southwesterly side of River street, being a lot shown on S. L. Milton plan, dated July 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3969, page 15, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Lillian F. Harrington—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Laurel avenue, being lot 134, C. E. Varney plan, December, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
Ellen A. Hamblin—About 4,073 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ralston road, being lot 320, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Annie C. Hubbard—About 3,215 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 2, Whitman and Howard plan, July 25, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2917, page 387, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 3,263 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 8,184 feet of land on the southerly side of Curley street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,398 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,083 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,232 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,704 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,213 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 4,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 3,532 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 6,533 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,088 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 4,274 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 1,437 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,162 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,122 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 5,288 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 6,318 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Mary W. Hudson—About 20,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, between an estate of Mary E. McKinnon (numbered 96) and an estate of Helen A. Scaife, moth assessment for 1923.....	85		
Teodore Jankowski—About 5,855 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oakland street, adjoining an estate of Etta A. Sherwood, being lots 397, 398, 399, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Edwin C. Jenney, set off to Anna M. Kenney—Buildings and about 7,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Milton street, numbered 27, between an estate of Edwin C. Jenney and an estate of Dennis O'Connell and another, tax for 1923.....	116 09		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 76		
Mary Johnson—About 3,051 feet of land on the westerly side of Pleasantview street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 757 and 758, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Annie M. Kelley (supposed present owner Charles J. Kelley)—About 196,020 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Baker street, between an estate of Kate P. Bullard and another estate of said Annie M. Kelley, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Annie M. Kelley; westerly by the dividing line between Boston and Dedham; easterly by an estate of John P. Bullard and southerly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Canaan street, being lots 83 and 84, T. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Stephen F. Kelley—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Hamilton street, numbered 58 and 60, between an estate of Nora Kirby and an estate of George F. Harney and another, tax for 1923.....	\$116 09		
Paid on account.....	12 50		
Balance due.....	103 59		
B. B. and R. Knight, Inc.—Buildings and about 60,660 feet of land on the westerly side of Readville street, numbered 49 to 59, inclusive, adjoining another estate of said Knight, moth assessment for 1922.....	2 13		
Joseph Lo Russo—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 20 and 21, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Virginia E. Mazzuchelli—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tampa street, being lots 308 and 309, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, moth assessment for 1923.....	95		
Thomas McCormack—About 3,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattapan street, being lot 8, Block A, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1893, registered in the Suffolk Registry, District of Land Court, certificate number 13689, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Maud M. Miner (supposed present owner Max Greenberg)—About 7,475 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Collins street, being lot 183, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922.....	9 88		
Flora E. Mullen—Buildings and about 20,456 feet of land on the northerly side of Paine street (numbered 27), between an estate of Charles M. Hawkes and an estate of Owen E. Mulvey, tax for 1923.....	\$39 52		
Paid on account.....	20 00		
Balance due.....	19 52		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Alfred W. and Bertha L. Newell—Buildings and about 8,987 feet of land on the easterly side of Arlington street, numbered 61, between an estate of Mary Etta Aronson and an estate of Nellie F. Sanborn, tax for 1923.....	88 92		
Edith S. Olson—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wood avenue, being lots 504, 505 and 506, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 95		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		

William P. and Judith Pearson—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1474 and 1476, between an estate of Emilio Arnaucci and an estate of Patsy Morschello and another, tax for 1923	39 52	Glenwood avenue, adjoining an estate of Eugene N. Foss, moth assessment for 1922	1 28	ing part of lot C after subdivision as shown on John H. Burroughs plan, May 11, 1922, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923	123 50
Moth assessment for 1923	2 40	Walter R. and Nina M. Swain—Buildings and about 11,840 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Central avenue, numbered 118, between an estate of Annie R. Fenno and an estate of Geneva M. Williamson, tax for 1923	\$91 39	Annie G. Allen—Building and about 2,525 feet of land on the northerly side of Orkney road, numbered 47, making the northeasterly corner of Sutherland road, adjoining another estate of said Allen, tax for 1923	\$674 31
F. R. Pendleton—About 50,940 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tileston street, making the southerly corner of Locust street, adjoining an estate of Philip P. Coveney, trustee, tax for 1923	37 05	Paid on account	57 00	Paid on account	647 31
Moth assessment for 1923	2 60	Balance due	34 39	Balance due	27 00
Tony Piscillo—About 1,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 72, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923	3 60	Samuel S. Cantor—Buildings and about 5,913 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 562, 564, 566, 568, 570, 572 and 574, between an estate of Charles E. Holman and an estate of Lydia B. McKinnon, tax for 1923	432 25
Also about 1,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 73, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923	9 88	Mary T. Shea—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rockingham road, being lot 123, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923	7 41	Delia M. Cauley—Buildings and about 65,011 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Academy Hill road, numbered 52, making the easterly corner of Chestnut Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Nathaniel Jackson heirs, tax for 1923	642 20
Also about 1,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 74, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923	9 88	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	10 56	Mary Chmiele—Buildings and about 8,004 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wallingford road, numbered 14 and 16, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Margaret E. Culhane, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13876, tax for 1923	\$602 08
Also about 1,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Katherine A. Keating, being lot 76, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923	95	Paid on account	300 00
Also about 1,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Katherine A. Keating, being lot 76, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923	9 88	Lena Son—Buildings and about 5,069 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Osceola street, numbered 59, between an estate of Frank L. Washburn and an estate of Albion D. Thyng, moth assessment for 1922	1 28	Balance due	302 03
George W. Proal—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Estelle M. Kent, being lot 66, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923	7 41	Herbert C. Somes—Buildings and about 3,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Greenwood avenue, numbered 39, between an estate of Edward E. Moulton and an estate of Elizabeth C. Flynn, tax for 1923	\$49 40	Thomas H. Connelly, Daniel F. Sullivan and John H. Sullivan—About 5,260 feet of land on the northerly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 5, H. F. Bryant plan, dated November, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4458, page 369, tax for 1923	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	6 96	Paid on account	33 98	Also about 6,030 feet of land on the northerly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 4, H. F. Bryant plan, dated November, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4458, page 369, tax for 1923	9 83
Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Mary H. Burgess, trustee, being lot 67, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923	7 41	Balance due	15 42	Also about 5,270 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, making the northerly corner of Prospect street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 1, H. F. Bryant plan, November, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4458, page 369, tax for 1923	14 82
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	6 96	Joseph and Annie Suchecki—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moody street, being lots 606 and 607, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923	4 94	Also about 5,300 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 2, H. F. Bryant plan, dated November, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4458, page 369, tax for 1923	12 35
James E. Radford—About 8,527 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Highland street, between an estate of Robert B. Harlow and an estate of Paul R. Radford and another, tax for 1923	\$34 58	Emil Svinergson—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, being lot 102, E. L. Moulton plan, February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 45, plan number 2117, also on file in assessors' office, moth assessment for 1922	85	Also about 6,030 feet of land on the northerly side of proposed 40-foot street, off of easterly side of Foster street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
Paid on account	18 80	Sarkis Tarikian—About 8,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lots 13 and 14, E. P. Sellev plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 494, moth assessment for 1923	1 00	Also about 7,400 feet of land on the southerly side at end of proposed circle, off of the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
Balance due	15 78	Thomas Tortunski—About 6,915 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bismark street, adjoining an estate of Thomas P. Conboy, being lot 149, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 1463, moth assessment for 1922	85	Also about 5,430 feet of land on the southerly side of proposed circle, off of the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
George A. Richards—Buildings and about 3,850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holmfild avenue, numbered 7 and 9, between an estate of George V. Usher and an estate of Alice M. Brady, tax for 1923	\$106 21	Mary Welch—About 4,316 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Regent street, making the northerly corner of Albermarle street, adjoining an estate of Minnie A. Price, moth assessment for 1923	50	Also about 6,420 feet of land on the southerly side of proposed circle, off of the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923	9 88
Paid on account	24 50	Mary Welch—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Easton avenue, numbered 29, between an estate of Alexander Michielevich and an estate of Andrew McGowan, moth assessment for 1923	1 40	Also about 6,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, making the southerly corner of proposed circle, off of easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923	17 29
Balance due	81 71	John C. Wickes—About 4,164 feet of land on the easterly side of Weybossett street, making the southeasterly corner of Randolph road, adjoining an estate of Daniel Kenney, being lots 91 and 92, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923	85
Also buildings and about 6,360 feet of land on the westerly side of Newbern street, numbered 51, between an estate of Mary E. Erickson and an estate of Jacob Lanterback, tax for 1923	69 16	WARD TWENTY-FIVE.		Also about 6,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, making the northerly corner of proposed circle, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923	19 76
Alice F. Rooney—Buildings and about 23,724 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a passageway leading from the southeasterly side of and numbered 1404 River street, adjoining another estate of said Rooney, tax for 1923	\$113 62	Aberdeen Realty Corporation—Buildings and about 4,824 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1706, making the southwesterly corner of Sutherland road, between an estate of Mary Kulpinska and another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923	\$1,889 55	Also about 6,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923	17 29
Paid on account	39 98	Paid on account	300 00		
Balance due	73 64	Balance due	\$1,589 55		
Also buildings and about 4,425 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Business street, numbered 65, between another estate of said Rooney and an estate of Alfio Carrsacia and another, tax for 1923	69 16	Also about 54,458 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining an estate of Ada F. Davidson, being lots F, G, H and J, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, May 11, 1922, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922	661 96		
Also buildings and about 4,539 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Business street, numbered 75 and 77, between an estate of Nicola Padrevita and another and another estate of said Rooney, tax for 1923	61 75	Moth assessment for 1923	50		
James F. Ryan—Buildings and about 10,465 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Loring street, numbered 82, making the easterly corner of		Also about 33,537 feet of land lying in rear from northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining an estate of James M. Woods, being the remain-			

Also about 6,420 feet of land on the northerly side of proposed circle, off of the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Land Court, certificate number 8112, tax for 1923.....\$1,346 15 Paid on account.....973 17		istry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	23 04
Also about 5,430 feet of land on the northerly side of proposed circle, off of the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Balance due.....	372 98	Adelaide J. and Arthur H. Sargent and Harry L. Sampson, Trustees of the Sargent Trust—Buildings and about 31,213 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 372, making the northerly corner of Sutherland road, adjoining an estate of Susan E. Wadsworth, tax for 1923.....	1,837 68
Also about 7,785 feet of land on the easterly side, at end of proposed circle off of the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Paid on account.....	926 26	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Thomas H. Connolly—About 5,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brainerd road, making the southerly corner of Feneno terrace, adjoining an estate of Frank H. Dufour, being lot S. C. H. W. Wood plan, dated January 14, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3340, page 626, tax for 1923.....	46 93	Balance due.....	372 96	Frank H. Shoals—Buildings and about 7,860 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lanark road, numbered 52, between an estate of M. Douglas Flattery and an estate of John A. Reardon, Junior, tax for 1923.....	\$261 82
Margaret W. Doherty—Buildings and about 8,962 feet of land on the southerly side of Cheswick road, numbered 138, making the junction of Lothian road, between an estate of Jeannette G. Winans and an estate of Lorenzo D. Baker and others, tax for 1923.....	261 82	Also buildings and about 5,439 feet of land on the southerly side of Glenville avenue, numbered 118, between an estate of said Harvey and an estate of Frank Holland, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8546, tax for 1923.....	\$1,348 62	Paid on account.....	175 00
Mary F. Downes—Buildings and about 6,216 feet of land on the southerly side of Englewood avenue, numbered 134, between another estate of said Downes and an estate of Susan E. Wadsworth, moth assessment for 1921.....	87	Paid on account.....	975 66	Balance due.....	86 82
Gertrude M. Fay—Building and about 5,580 feet of land on the southerly side of Nottingham road, at end, numbered 24, between an estate of Francis L. Colpoys and an estate of Carolyn W. Lebowich, tax for 1921.....	118 56	Balance due.....	372 96	Minnie M. Soule—Buildings and about 9,090 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leamington road, numbered 9, making the easterly corner of Nottingham path, adjoining an estate of Margaret M. Ducey, moth assessment for 1921.....	50
M. Douglas Flattery—Buildings and about 9,484 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lanark road, numbered 48, between an estate of Frank H. Shoals and an estate of M. Douglas Flattery, tax for 1923.....	316 16	Holland System, Inc.—Buildings and about 12,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 949, making the northwest corner of Gaffney street, adjoining an estate of Charles F. Pfeiffer and Harry F. Bornay, tax for 1923.....	3,334 50	Elizabeth L. Tappan (mortgagee in possession)—Buildings and about 13,755 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winship street, numbered 26, 28 and 30, between another estate of said Tappan and an estate of Mary Kiernan, moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Also buildings and about 10,495 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lanark road, numbered 42, between an estate of M. Douglas Flattery and an estate of Blanche E. Philbrick, tax for 1923.....	111 15	Frank Holland—About 898 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenville avenue, adjoining an estate of William Harvey, being lot D. S. L. Leftovitch plan, dated January 1, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8546, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Margaret Timmons (set off to Margaret Timmons and Catherine G. Bresnahan)—Buildings and about 1,951 feet of land on the northerly side of Armington street, numbered 35, between another estate of said Timmons and another and an estate of Caroline V. Cusick, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 93
Clara B. French—About 19,232 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Elizabeth avenue, making the westerly corner of Allston street, adjoining an estate of Bartholomew J. Connolly, being lot C. A. S. N. Estes plan, April, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3573, tax for 1921.....	187 72	Elizabeth Jackson—About 263,837 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, adjoining another estate of said Elizabeth Jackson, being part of lot B, shown on D. W. Hyde plan, dated September 19, 1914, on file in the assessors' office, moth assessment for 1923.....	85	Also buildings and about 1,879 feet of land on the northerly side of Armington street, numbered 33, between an estate of Amelia C. Tykeson and another estate of said Timmons and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	3 79
Robert W. Frost and James A. Hathaway, Trustees of Brighton and Bristol Real Estate Trust—About 16,845 feet of land on the easterly side of Academy Hill road (formerly numbered 72), making the junction of and on westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue (formerly numbered 49), adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Fiske, being lot A, William E. Hannon plan, July 9, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 157,284 feet of land lying in the rear of the southerly side of William Jackson avenue, through to the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of said Elizabeth Jackson, being part of lot A, shown on D. W. Hyde plan, dated March 10, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4364, page 468, moth assessment for 1923.....	85	Norman S. Waite—Buildings and about 5,929 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Idlewild street, numbered 16, between two other estates of said Waite, tax for 1923.....	736 06
Ellen T. Gavin—Buildings and about 6,210 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 10, 12, 14 and 16, between an estate of Charles E. Wellington and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	\$790 40	Selma Pelonsky, reassessed from Harriet A. Waterman—About 1,473 feet of land lying in rear from southwesterly side of Wallingford road, adjoining an estate of Marion W. Smith, being lot 20, shown on C. B. Humphrey plan, April 25, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 62
Paid on account.....	500 00	Charles Richardson—About 59,100 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, extending through to Charles river, between another estate of said Richardson and an estate of Boston University, trustees of, tax for 1921.....	2,511 99	Also buildings and about 5,929 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Idlewild street, numbered 12, between two other estates of said Waite, tax for 1923.....	736 06
Balance due.....	290 40	Tax for 1922.....	2,511 99	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 62
Mary A. Harnedy—Buildings and about 7,579 feet of land on the southerly side of Washington street, numbered 300, 302, 304, 306, 308 and 310, between an estate of said Harnedy and an estate of Theodore B. Munroe, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14022, tax for 1923.....	1,101 62	Tax for 1923.....	2,511 99	Also buildings and about 5,350 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Idlewild street, numbered 8, between another estate of said Waite and an estate of Anna F. Corcoran, tax for 1923.....	780 52
William Harvey—Buildings and about 5,276 feet of land on the westerly side of Long avenue, numbered 10, making the southwesterly corner of Glenville avenue, adjoining another estate of said Harvey, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of		Also about 4,292 feet of land on the easterly side of Essex street, making the northeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining another estate of said Richardson, being a lot shown on William Parker plan, dated July, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3217, page 353, tax for 1921.....	133 38	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	20 10
		Tax for 1922.....	133 38	Harriet A. Waterman—About 18,609 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wallingford road, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being lot 19, C. B. Humphrey plan, April 25, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	118 56
		Tax for 1923.....	133 38	Ralph F. Whitehead—About 100 feet of land on the westerly side of Harvard terrace, at end, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth L. Cox (numbered 17 Harvard terrace), tax for 1922.....	2 47
		Elsie G. Richter—Buildings and about 4,535 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Strathmore road, numbered 43, between an estate of Antoinette A. Pierce and an estate of Lily H. Pushee, tax for 1923.....	\$543 40	Tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Paid on account.....	450 00	Williams Realty Company—About 16,845 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Academy Hill road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Travis, being lot A, William E. Hannon plan, dated July 9, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	83 98
		Balance due.....	93 40	James M. Woods—Buildings and about 5,635 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot H, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923.....	207 48
		Annie Robbins—Buildings and about 15,352 feet of land on the northerly side of Gardner street, numbered 80, between an estate of Isabelle C. Diaz and an estate of Margaret L. Matheson, tax for 1923.....	\$395 20		
		Paid on account.....	199 50		
		Balance due.....	195 70		
		Ransom Rowe—About 10,668 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 18, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Reg-			

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John F. Collar—Buildings and about 17,650 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, numbered 325 and 327, between another estate of John F. Collar and an estate of Gustaf Bohlin, registered in Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4867, tax for 1923 \$558 22
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due \$358 22
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Ellen A. Cronin—Buildings and about 3,502 feet of land on the westerly side of Fairbanks street, numbered 8 and 10, between an estate of Annie E. Schroeder and an estate of Lillian R. Goode, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment, tax for 1923 25 14

Anna Dale—Buildings and about 5,100 feet of land on the southerly side of Arlington street, numbered 82, adjoining an estate of William H. and Jane E. Rose, moth assessment for 1923 50

Hannah Deehan—Buildings and about 3,663 feet of land on the southerly side of Faneuil street, between an estate of David Shapiro and an estate of Johnson W. Ramsey, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14758, tax for 1923 165 49

Ervin R. Dix—About 80 feet of land on the easterly side of Converse street, at end, adjoining an estate of Thomas F. and Mary C. Bowles, being a lot shown on F. O. Whitney plan, dated May 1, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4040, page 263, tax for 1923 2 47

Federal Trust Company Trustee—About 4,753 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Faneuil street, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, Trustee, being lot 112, W. A. Mason & Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, moth assessment for 1921..... 1 01

Edward J. Finlay—About 4,191 feet of land on the westerly side of Turner street, adjoining another estate of said Finlay, being lot 44, E. A. W. Hammett plan, dated February 26, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4044, page 47, tax for 1923... 14 82
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 39 61
Also about 4,192 feet of land on the westerly side of Turner street, adjoining another estate of said Finlay, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923 14 82

Edward J. Finlay (reassessed from Market Trust Company)—About 6,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Turner street, adjoining another estate of said Finlay, being lot 41, H. A. Wilson plan dated October 20, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4180, page 62, tax for 1923..... 22 23
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 31 68
Also about 6,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Turner street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 31 68

Ida Gillman—Buildings and about 9,501 feet of land on the northeasterly side of North Beacon street, numbered 253, between an estate of Margaret Conroy and an estate of Catherine Thornton, tax for 1923 \$140 79
Paid on account..... 120 26

Balance due 20 53

Frank E. Guptill—Buildings and about 4,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 244 and 243, adjoining another estate of said Guptill, tax for 1923 .. 375 44

G. Arthur Kayo—About 4,902 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hobart street, adjoining an estate of John E. Condon and another, being lot 35, shown on a plan not dated, and not named on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923 12 35

Maurice Lewenberg—About 5,354 feet of land on the westerly side of Leicester street, adjoining an estate of Clarence A. Moore, being lot B, E. N. Moulton plan, dated May 20, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3833, page 612, tax for 1923..... 46 93

Bridget Mallanaphy—Buildings and about 2,584 feet of land on the northerly side of Cushman road, numbered 21, between an estate of Ellen L. Beedle and an estate of John Barrett, tax for 1923..... 93 86

Thomas J. McCue—About 4,719 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 3, C. H. Gannett plan, dated August, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3976, page 350, tax for 1921..... \$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Thomas J. McCue—About 5,433 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 4, C. H. Gannett plan, dated August, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3976, page 350, tax for 1923..... \$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 6,288 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1921 \$14 82
Paid on account..... 9 92

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,598 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923 \$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,251 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, making the northwesterly corner of Goodenough street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 5,065 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 5,103 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1921 \$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 5,375 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1921 \$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 5,664 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1921 \$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,719 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1921 \$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,730 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, making the northeasterly corner of Faneuil street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,507 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1921 \$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,510 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1921 \$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,585 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough

street, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1921 \$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,654 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1921 \$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,689 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1921 \$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,734 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1921 \$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 14,302 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1921..... \$34 58
Paid on account..... 28 78

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 4,251 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, making the northwesterly corner of Goodenough street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Mary E. O'Reilly—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Tip Top street, numbered 19, between an estate of Patrick F. Donovan and an estate of Edward J. Ryan and another, tax for 1922 \$86 45
Paid on account..... 66 45

Balance due 20 00

Meredith W. Palmer and William C. Niles, Trustees Boylston Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennett street, numbered 99, between two other estates of said Palmer and other trustees, tax for 1923... 111 15
Also buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennett street, numbered 111, between two other estates of said Palmer and other trustees, tax for 1923, 111 15

Catherine C. Ready—Buildings and about 3,626 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennett street, numbered 31, between an estate of Helen F. Wilson and an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923..... \$29 64
Paid on account..... 12 00

Balance due 17 64

Maurice P. Ryan—Buildings and about 3,272 feet of land on the northerly side of Converse street, numbered 10, between an estate of John C. Kelleher and an estate of John E. McLaughlin and another, tax for 1923 \$56 81
Paid on account..... 40 89

Balance due 15 92

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 9 11

Atlas Skinner Heirs—About 8,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Bigelow street, being lot 22, Whitman Breck & Co., October, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1815, tax for 1923..... 14 82
Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

Agnes G. Sullivan (supposed present owner Frank L. Maguire)—About 6,310 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street adjoining another estate of said Sullivan being lot F, Hyde plan, dated December 31, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4213, page 506, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 89
Also about 6,206 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street being lot G, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 88
Also about 6,059 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street, being lot H, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 89

Also about 6,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street, being lot C, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921	6 82
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921	25 88
Also about 6,370 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street, being lot E, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921	6 82
Apportionment of street construction assessment	25 88
Edna G. Wadsworth—Buildings and about 6,856 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunnewell avenue, numbered 72, between an estate of Winslow B. Briggs and another and an estate of Eugene B. Hamilton, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12545, tax for 1923	41 99
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	7 11
WILLIAM M. McMORROW, Collector of Taxes for the City of Boston.	

PARK DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES PROGRAM OF SUMMER BAND CONCERTS.

The following is the complete list of band concerts submitted by Park Commissioners and approved by the Mayor:

- Aug. 17. Boston Common. First Corps Cadets Band.
- Aug. 17. Franklin Park. Stone's Military Band.
- Aug. 17. Marine Park. Alhambra Band.
- Aug. 17. World War Memorial Park. Hub City Military Band.
- Aug. 17. McConnell Park. Ive's Military Band.
- Aug. 24. Boston Common. First Corps Cadets' Band.
- Aug. 24. Franklin Park. Gallo's Symphony Band.
- Aug. 24. Marine Park. 101st Veterans' Band.
- Aug. 24. Jamaica Pond. Ward's Band.
- Aug. 24. Hyde Park (Smith's Pond). Cecil W. Fogg Post Band.
- Aug. 24. Madison Park. Old Colony Band.
- Aug. 31. Boston Common. Gallo's Symphony Band.
- Aug. 31. Franklin Park. Crook's Military Band.
- Aug. 31. Marine Park. Letter Carriers' Band.
- Aug. 31. McConnell Park. Ward's Band.
- Aug. 31. World War Memorial Park. Farrell's Military Band.

ONE-WAY STREETS, 1924.

Sundays and legal holidays excepted, vehicles must go in one direction only in the streets named alphabetically below, by order of the Street Commissioners:—

ALBANY ST., southerly from Beach St. to Broadway; ARCH ST., southerly from Milk to Summer; ASHBURTON PLACE, westerly from Somerset St.; ASYLUM ST., westerly from Harrison Ave.; AVERY ST., easterly from Tremont; AVON ST., easterly from Washington; BEACON ST., easterly from Bowdoin to Somerset; BEDFORD ST., westerly from Summer; BENNET ST., northwesterly from Harrison Ave. to Washington St.; BILLERICA ST., northwesterly from Causeway; BLACKSTONE ST., northwesterly from North to Hanover on Saturdays and on the day

just before a holiday; BRATTLE ST., westerly from Washington to Court; BROMFIELD ST., westerly from Washington; CAMBRIA ST., westerly from Dalton to St. Cecilia; CENTRAL ST., westerly from Broad to Kilby; CHATHAM ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Commercial St.; CHAUNCEY ST., southwesterly from Summer; CITY SQUARE, Charlestown, northwesterly from Harvard St. northeasterly; CLINTON ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Blackstone St. and easterly from Commercial St. to Atlantic Ave.; COMMERCE ST., easterly from Commercial St. to Atlantic Ave.; COMMON ST., Charlestown, southerly and easterly from Winthrop to Adams; COOPER ST., westerly from Salem to Washington, North; CORNHILL, easterly from Court St.; COURT SQUARE, entering on westerly side, leaving on easterly side; COURT ST., westerly from Washington to Tremont and Cornhill; DEVONSHIRE ST., southerly from Dock Sq. to Franklin St. and northeasterly from Summer St. to Winthrop Sq.; DORE ST., westerly from Washington to Tremont; EDINBORO ST., southerly from Essex St.; ELM ST., northwesterly from Dock Sq. to Hanover St.; EXCHANGE PLACE, westerly from Kilby St. to Congress; EXCHANGE ST., northerly from State; FANEUIL HALL SQUARE, south of Faneuil Hall, easterly to Merchants Row, and north of Faneuil Hall westerly from Merchants Row; FRIEND ST., southeasterly from Causeway; GROTON ST., northwesterly from Washington St. to Shawmut Ave.; HANOVER AVE., westerly from North St.; HARRIS ST., easterly from Hanover; HARVARD ST., Charlestown, southerly and southeasterly from Washington St. to City Sq.; HAVILAND ST., westerly from Mass. Ave. to Hemenway St.; HAWLEY ST., southerly from Milk to Summer; HOLLIS ST., easterly from Tremont to Washington; HOWARD ST., easterly from Bulfinch; HUDSON ST., northerly from Curve to Beach St.; KINGSTON ST., southerly from Summer to Beach; LA GRANGE ST., South End, westerly from Washington to Tremont; LOVERING ST., easterly from Washington; LYNN ST., southerly from Thacher to Cooper; MAIN ST., Charlestown, southeasterly from Thompson Sq. to City Sq.; MASON ST., easterly from Tremont and northeasterly from Avery; MERCHANTS ROW, northerly from North Market St.; MORTON ST., easterly from Endicott St.; NASHUA ST., southeasterly from Minot; NORTH ST., easterly from Union to Blackstone; NORTH MARKET ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Commercial St.; OTIS ST., southwesterly from Winthrop Square; PARMENTER ST., northwesterly from Hanover to Salem; PEMBERTON SQUARE, westerly from southeast corner of Courthouse to Somerset St.; PROVINCE ST., northerly from Bromfield; RICHMOND ST., westerly from Atlantic Ave. to Hanover St.; SALUTATION ST., easterly from Hanover; SCHOOL ST., easterly from Tremont; SCOTIA ST., easterly from St. Cecilia to Dalton; SOMERSET ST., northerly from Beacon St. to Howard; SOUTH MARKET ST., westerly from Atlantic Ave. to Commercial St.; STATE ST., westerly from Devonshire, on north of Old State House and easterly from Washington to Devonshire, on south of Old State House; STILLMAN ST., westerly from Salem; TEMPLE PLACE, easterly from Tremont; TLESTON ST., northwesterly from Hanover; TYLER ST., northerly from Curve to Beach; WALL ST., southeasterly from Minot; WARREN

St., Charlestown, northwesterly from Henley St. to Thompson Sq.; WASHINGTON ST., northerly, from Stuart St. to Cornhill; WASHINGTON ST., Charlestown, easterly from Rutherford Ave. to Harvard St.; WATER ST., easterly from Washington to Devonshire and same from Liberty Sq. to Broad St.; WEST ST., westerly from Washington; WINTER ST., westerly from Washington; WINTHROP ST., Charlestown, westerly from Adams St. to Main.

This list is revised to Feb. 1, 1924.

EXPENDITURES, FISCAL YEAR, 1923-24.

Total ordinary and extraordinary, \$69,433,002, or \$4,593,567 more than in 1922. For maintenance of departments (excluding Water Service and Printing Dept.), \$39,244,315 (including \$12,421,826 for Schools); for City and County interest, \$3,488,857; sinking-fund requirements, \$606,133; serial loan payments, \$1,979,128 (making all debt requirements, excluding Rapid Transit, \$6,074,118), for Water Service, including Metropolitan water assessment, interest on debt, etc., \$3,128,463 (covered by water revenue). State tax, \$3,302,400 (regular) and \$697,296 (civilian war poll tax); Metropolitan and various State assessments, \$1,785,745; Printing Department, \$380,832 (covered by revenue); special appropriations from tax levy for public improvements, \$5,097,379; special appropriations from Parkman Fund income for park improvements, \$236,244.

Total ordinary expenditures, \$59,946,792, or \$4,173,498 more than in 1922. Total expenditures for departments only, \$1,654,148 more than in 1922.

Department increases of expenditure in excess of \$25,000 over the year 1922 were: Boston Sanatorium, \$31,259; Fire Department, \$328,170; Health, \$46,647; Hospital, \$195,614; Library, \$35,084; Park, \$273,904; Police, \$241,807; Public Buildings, \$48,048; Public Works, \$238,765; School Dept., \$343,355; Suffolk County, \$153,347.

Regular appropriations unexpended by the departments reached the noteworthy total of \$761,664. Decreases of expenditure from 1922 were: City Clerk, \$2,800; Election Dept., \$56,569; Overseeing of Public Welfare, \$35,161; Soldiers' Relief, \$712,264.

Extraordinary expenditures for permanent improvements (i. e., loan appropriations, etc., including unused portions from previous year), \$7,512,304, of which \$1,623,669 was for Rapid Transit construction (mostly E. Boston Tunnel alterations); \$1,162,238 for sewer construction; \$804,624 for making of highways; \$577,496 for Columbus Park, improvements; \$379,290 for Police Headquarters; \$336,838 for Playground improvements, etc.; \$319,512 for Stuart St. construction; \$314,518 for Hyde Park St. R'way, purchase of; \$289,152, for City Hospital, improvements; \$284,665 for Police Station 2, Building; \$261,661 for work on various public buildings; \$253,467 for Chelsea Bridge South; \$170,023 for City Hospital, Thorndike Memorial Building; \$157,886 for E. Boston Ferry, improvements; \$123,408 for Cambridge St. Bridge; \$116,686 for Municipal Garage, Albany St.; \$94,864 for Beacon St. Bridge; \$91,583 for Public Latin School. For Rapid Transit debt requirements, \$1,671,117. Total extraordinary, \$9,486,211 or \$420,069 more than in 1922.

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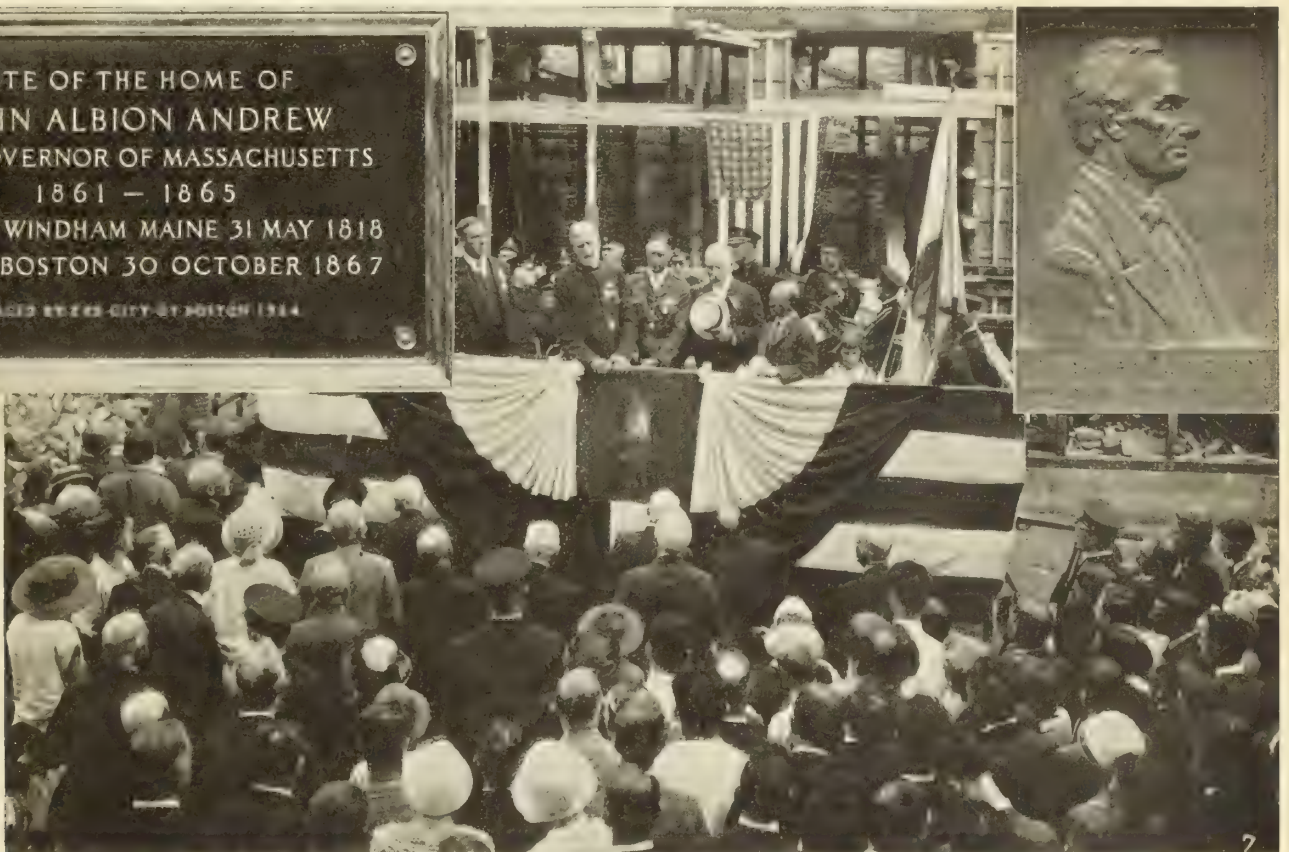
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LINCOLN TABLET, CORNER BROMFIELD STREET AND PROVINCE COURT, DEDICATED MONDAY, AUGUST 11, AT 4.45 P. M., WITH ELABORATE AND APPROPRIATE CEREMONY. TABLET TO GOVERNOR ANDREW ALSO DEDICATED BY MAYOR AND G. A. R.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, MAYOR OF BOSTON, DELIVERED STIRRING AND PATRIOTIC ADDRESSES AT BOTH EXERCISES.

SITE OF THE HOME OF
JOHN ALBION ANDREW
WAR GOVERNOR OF MASSACHUSETTS
1861 - 1865
BORN IN WINDHAM MAINE 31 MAY 1818
DIED IN BOSTON 30 OCTOBER 1867

PLACED BY THE CITY OF BOSTON 1914



GENERAL VIEW OF CEREMONIES AT DEDICATION OF LINCOLN MEMORIAL TABLET ON BROMFIELD STREET AND REPRODUCTIONS OF BOTH LINCOLN'S TABLET AND THAT TO GOV. JOHN A. ANDREW.

At the Lincoln tablet ceremonies the Mayor spoke as follows:

Mr. Chairman, Commander in Chief, and Members of the Grand Army, Honored Chaplain, Ladies and Gentlemen:

There is no spot in America more rich in institutions inseparably associated with the march of human progress or the ideals of liberty than our own beloved City of Boston. Boston boasts amongst its proudest possessions, Bunker Hill Monument, the North Church, the Old South Church, the scene of the Boston Massacre, Boston Common itself, and innumerable places of historical interest; and now to this memorable list we add one more,—this tablet,—in lov-

ing and grateful memory of America's foremost and best-loved citizen of all time,—Abraham Lincoln.

It was Boston's privilege, seventy-six years ago, to entertain this simple American, whose childhood had been marked by poverty and privation, whose boyhood had been handicapped by deprivation and suffering, and whose early manhood was a constant struggle for better conditions. Seventy-six years ago he came to Boston, the birthplace of American liberty, and here he enunciated those principles of Americanism which, through the services and sacrifices of 2,800,000 American patriots and soldiers, have become the creed and doctrine of a free and United America.

We honor ourselves and Boston in

dedicating this tablet to the great Emancipator on this happy occasion and under these pleasing auspices. The children of the future passing along this thoroughfare and looking on those rugged features, on that forehead furrowed with the lines of care and sorrow and suffering, and realizing the significance of this tablet may find in it an inspiration to better and nobler service to their country and a higher fidelity to their flag, the best flag in the whole world, the American Flag.

No American ever sacrificed more, or gave greater proof of his love for his fellow man than the great Emancipator. His life, his service, his sacrifice, his suffering, will prove an inspiration as long

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'O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, September 8, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

MAYOR CURLEY STILL REFUSES TO MAKE CITY PARTY TO HARVARD BRIDGE TROUBLES. CARE, CONTROL AND RESPONSIBILITY NO LONGER CITY'S, HE REASSERTS.

Mayor Curley, on August 11, forwarded the following communication to GEORGE LYMAN ROGERS, Esq., *Secretary*, of the Metropolitan District Commission:

GEORGE LYMAN ROGERS, Esq., *Secretary*
Metropolitan District Commission, 1
Ashburton Place, Boston, Mass.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge your letter of August 8 relative to the repairs, care and control of Harvard Bridge during the period when you are repairing the same under the provisions of the act of the year 1924.

I have been advised by the Law Department of the City of Boston that as your commission has taken over the bridge in order to make the repairs as required by the above mentioned act that the Cambridge and Boston Bridge Commission has no longer any control of the same.

In a former letter you were informed that the preamble to the above quoted act contained a statement that the bridge was in a condition dangerous for use to the public and the act itself in section 1 provides that you shall make all repairs, and section 5 of the act provides that after the repairs are completed the bridge shall be a public highway and shall be assumed by your commission.

Your commission must fully appreciate the history connected with this legislation. The original intention was to construct a new bridge in place of the existing old bridge. After many hearings before the committee the present legisla-

tion was eventually passed. While the act speaks of repairs its intent and purpose is reconstruction of the existing bridge, and as this work was placed in your charge the care, control and responsibility is now yours and no longer ours.

Under the provisions of this act you knew it was dangerous to the traveling public to keep any portion of the bridge open without first making the necessary repairs on the same. Conditions have not changed, and the bridge being dangerous for the traveling public and the duty for making repairs under the provisions of the act being delegated to the Metropolitan District Commission, you should at once make such repairs as will sufficiently protect the public.

Very truly yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

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MAYOR PRESENTS JOHN I. FITZGERALD WITH PEN WITH WHICH CAMBRIDGE STREET WIDENING BILL WAS SIGNED.

The Mayor sent the following communication Wednesday, August 20:

HON. JOHN I. FITZGERALD, *Chairman*,
Democratic City Committee, 15 Exchange Street, Boston.

DEAR SENATOR,—It affords me very great pleasure to present you with the pen with which the Cambridge street widening bill was signed.

The completion of this public improvement will be of great value to Boston, opening as it does a great artery connecting the heart of the city with cities and towns to the north.

With every good wish.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

MAYOR CURLEY CALLS ON CITIZENS OF BAY STATE TO HELP HIM CLEAN HOUSE BY ELECTING HIM GOVERNOR.

DELIVERS ADDRESS AT MARSHFIELD FAIR IN WHICH HE CALLS ATTENTION TO INIQUITIES OF MACHINE GOVERNMENT AND ASKS ALL GOOD CITIZENS TO HELP HIM REMEDY CONDITIONS.

Mayor Curley was the guest of the directors of the Marshfield Fair, Thursday, August 21, and delivered the following address:

The state we live in, where our homes and families are, where all we have and hope to have exists, the state we love and honor, whose achievements, principles and traditions we revere, whose good name we guard with jealousy, the safety and honor of that state, Massachusetts, come first in our affection and duty and are above and beyond any sentiment of loyalty to any party.

Because of this sense of patriotic duty, I appeal to every liberal Republican who sets his state above his party to join with me in the work of redeeming the Commonwealth from the rule of a Republican machine that has corrupted, debauched and dishonored this state for years. It is hopeless to expect a change in men, methods and administration as long as the Republican Party continues in power, for the ring and machine that nominates your party candidates is stronger than them and exacts and receives obedience from them when elected.

I am not going to discuss the merit, character, or accomplishment of the two candidates for the Republican nomination for Governor, Messrs. Fuller and Jackson; you have eyes to see and ears to hear; you have read and heard what each is telling of the political fitness and capacity of the other; and unless both are lying and slandering each other, neither of them is fit to be Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The political and economic condition of this state today after years of Republican administration and manipulation is deplorable, marked by ever-increasing multiplication of expenses, and the increase and expansion of bureaus and commissions, that remove the people from contact with their government and place a seemingly impassable barrier between them and it.

The most important function of state administration is the supervision and regulation of public service corporations chartered to supply heat, light, communication and transportation to the people, their industry, and business. In order that these corporations might earn reasonable profits upon their investment they were made virtual monopolies; that monopoly might not grow into oppression and extortion commissions were appointed to supervise and regulate their service and prices.

As the commissioners were from the beginning selected by the corporations themselves through their lobbies and the Republican machine, and nominated by the Governor at their dictation, the bureaus and commissions have become the counselors and protectors of the monopolies and the people have been flouted and derided by the bureaucrats and plundered by the monopolies. The Republican Party, through its machine, has fos-

tered the system and its iniquities, and protected those who have betrayed their trusts.

The evils and extortions incidental to this system fall heavily on all the citizens of Massachusetts; Republicans and Democrats have suffered equally from the misgovernment and corruption the system breeds; every home and householder in Massachusetts has had to pay the price of excessive dividends on watered stocks, extravagantly paid officials, needless employees, lobbyists, political henchmen and parasites and all the waste and welter of politically protected enterprises, carefully concealed and carried under various ostensibly proper heads.

Appeals for relief have not only failed, but failure was accompanied by contempt; for the worst offender of the lot, the Public Utilities Commission, has invariably added insult to injury. It is time to destroy the system, clean house and redeem Massachusetts from these monopolies and their insolent and incompetent protectors paid by the state.

No one party can do this work; it must be done by all the people, by men and women of all parties, anxious to be relieved from corporate greed and exaction and eager to abolish official maladministration and remove the shame and scandal the Republican ringsters have fastened on the Commonwealth.

I want you to think these things over; I ask you to look into them yourself. I advise you to look into the members of this widespread oligarchy, the machine, that has your party in its clutches and refuses those outside its corrupt circle either explanation or satisfaction. As decent Americans emulous for clean government, economically administered and conducted in the interest of the people, with honesty and publicity, how long do you propose to allow the mere ties of a false party allegiance to stand between you and your duty to the Commonwealth?

I propose when elected to clean house, to rid the state of this well-organized system of misgovernment and corrupt administration; and I ask you to help me. I have never made a political promise I did not keep when humanly possible; and no combination of corrupt interests and faithless public servants can frighten me or deter me from going through with the work. This is a job for all good citizens of all parties, if Massachusetts is to continue to be a state worth living in.

Already the evil harvest of prevailing conditions, due to Republican machine conditions, is seen in the loss of industries, the high price of living as exemplified in rents and foods and clothing, the increase of unemployment, the social restlessness, the growth of lawlessness, due wholly to corruption and extortion, to administrative indifference, inefficiency and incompetence, to constantly

swelling taxation and extravagant wasteful expenditures.

Let us forget for the time being in Massachusetts all party lines and unite to end the rule that has produced these evils; let us remember only that we are men and women of the foremost state in the Union, eager to redeem it from shame and humiliation. I do not propose to intrude myself into your opinion and decisions on national affairs; I only ask your help in righting the conditions in your own home, our own Commonwealth, satisfied that if we clean up Massachusetts, the results will be reflected in the affairs of the nation.

So I appeal to you to give these matters consideration and thought; and when you have reached the only conclusion, that inquiry and investigation can bring, to vote for me in the coming election for Governor, and I will inaugurate the long delayed work of cleansing the government of our state and ridding it of its horde of plunderers and parasites. I will begin the good work the day I sit down in the Governor's chair; you can begin the work on election day by voting to place me there.

Drive out the paid parasites congesting the State House and make 1924 the year of salvation for Massachusetts, the beginning of a new era for our beloved Commonwealth and the betterment of every home in the state. I will do my share. Will you do yours? This is an American's job, a freeman's duty.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Public Works Commissioner for authority to rough grade on Poydras street, Hyde Park, from River street to Poydras street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$2,000.

MAYOR SEEKS TRAFFIC ARTERY TO STRANDWAY.

ASKS PLANNING BOARD TO MAKE STUDY WITH VIEW TO WIDENING SUMMER STREET, FROM ARMY BASE, THEREBY CREATING GREAT WAY FROM CAMBRIDGE TO BEACH.

The Mayor addressed the following communication on Wednesday, August 20:

MR. FREDERIC H. FAY, *Chairman, City Planning Board, Boston.*

DEAR MR. FAY,—The increasing number of visitors at the Strandway, South Boston, due to the major improvements created there by the City of Boston, renders it advisable that a study be made at the earliest possible opportunity, with recommendations by the Planning Board as to ways and means of providing added conveniences for the public, and minimizing the traffic danger that at present obtains.

In this connection it is desirable that the Planning Board make studies as to the advisability of, first, widening Summer street, from the Army Base to the Strandway; second, paving, with smooth surface, Old Colony avenue, from Dorchester avenue to its terminus at Columbia road, and, third, widening Preble street to a width that will make it conform to the present width of Southampton street at this point, thereby providing a great artery for a continuous thoroughfare from Cambridge to the Strandway.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for remodelling the Fire Station, Engine House 27, Elm street, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 3, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for widening and resurfacing roads in Franklin Park, Section 1, Blue Hill avenue to Valley Gate triangle. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$25,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained from the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 26, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and completing the building, including plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating, for the Overseers of the Public Welfare and Temporary Home, Chardon, Hawkins and Bowker streets. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Buildings Department, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$7,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 26, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing fenders of the Chelsea Street Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, September 4, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for recut granite block pavement in various downtown streets, city proper, as indicated in the accompanying advertisement. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$14,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a

certified check in the amount of \$1,400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 2, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Bostonia avenue, between Breck avenue, and Regent road, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, August 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Wood avenue, from Seminole street about 335 feet northwesterly to existing sewer, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,900. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Stony brook, Section 10A, Stellan road, private land, Bradeen street, and Washington street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$70,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 580, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$7,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 3, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Bonard road, Hillside avenue, Metropolitan avenue, Marion road, Parkton road, Roberts avenue and Russett road, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, August 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in various streets in Roxbury, city proper and Dorchester as enumerated in accompanying advertisement. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained from the office of the Department of Public Works, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, August 26, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for building an addition to the portable school building at the Brighton High School. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday August 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the selling to the city of land for an elementary school in the Thomas Gardner District, Allston, in the territory bounded by Market street, Western avenue, Mackin, Waverly, Portsmouth and Lawrence streets. All proposals must be submitted at or before Tuesday, August 26, at the offices of the Schoolhouse Commission. A public hearing will be held at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, Tuesday, September 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the erecting and completion of an intermediate school in the Samuel Adams District, Cottage and Gove streets, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$20,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, September 5, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments during the month of September. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, August 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments for the month of September. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, August 29, at 12 m.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

George F. Brown, for the estate of Henry E. Bemis, has agreed to accept the sum of \$10,000 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate in Scott's court, Charlestown, by the taking of said estate for playground purposes under the order of the Street Commissioners of June 16, 1923.

CALLS ON AMERICA TO RETURN IN REVERENCE TO THE FATHERS OF THE REPUBLIC AGAINST CONSPIRACIES OF KU KLUX KLAN.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS THRILLING, PATRIOTIC ADDRESS AT G. A. R. CEREMONIES IN COMMEMORATING HOME OF CIVIL WAR GOVERNOR, JOHN A. ANDREW, ONE OF HEROIC FIGURES OF WAR.

One of the great outstanding figures of the War of the Rebellion was Governor John A. Andrew of this Commonwealth, who was one of the three great war governors of that stirring age and one whose intense patriotism, vigorous energy, constant activity and unswerving loyalty were important elements in achieving the victorious results of which Appomattox was the final act.

From '61 to '65 he held up the hands of the immortal Lincoln, giving to the Liberator the unquestioning assurance that whatever treason and treachery might weaken and obstruct his tremendous task of saving the Union, he could count on the unswerving loyalty and devotion of Massachusetts to the national cause; and where Andrew and Massachusetts led, New England would follow.

When Lincoln issued his call for troops to protect the national Capitol from the forces of rebellion, Governor Andrew answered at once and sent the old Sixth Massachusetts Regiment to Washington, and it is significant that these soldiers began their work and their march on a day sacred in the patriotic annals of this Commonwealth, April 19.

The presence of these men in that early stage of rebellion in the national Capital gave cause to the leaders of disunion and secession, saved Washington from invasion and gave the president a breathing spell while reinforcements from the North hurried to the front.

Andrew refused to believe that the southern rebellion was to be a flash in the pan, he understood the temper and ambitions of the southern leaders, and he organized Massachusetts for the coming storm.

He placed the manhood and resources of the state back of Abraham Lincoln and the Union; he recruited regiments and established camps to train them; he pledged the credit of the Commonwealth to the service of the country; he roused the courage and heartened the determination of Massachusetts, sternly discouraged pacifism and weakness, throttled treason and treachery, banished the bogus patriotism of know-nothingism, reincarnated the spirit of revolutionary Massachusetts and made the state a citadel of genuine Americanism, and set an example that inspired the whole North with his own indomitable personality and driving energy.

The patriotism of John A. Andrew burned like steady flame day and night; his activity was as practical as it was seemingly inexhaustible; he drove the forces of disloyalty relentlessly; he gave scant grace to the apologists for treason and the temporizers with treason, and all were made to understand that until rebellion was crushed, freedom enthroned and government of the people safe-guarded, the niceties of law would be set aside and every energy be bent to preserve the state and people, the sources of law.

Whilst it is true that victories are won on the battlefield by armies, it is equally

true that the courage and industry of the men and women who toil and prepare the sinews of war that make possible the existence and activity of the armies in the field, are equally responsible for the military results. Here in Massachusetts John A. Andrew organized and directed the forces of industry that kept alive the armies that combatted rebellion: but the greatest of the services he gave America was the organization, stimulation and preservation of the spirit of patriotism and loyalty and its practical utilization in the work of saving the Union.

The wisdom and patience, the courage and leadership of the immortal Lincoln would have been of little worth but for the tenacious co-operation and magnificent loyalty of such leaders as John A. Andrew, whose patriotism was invincible and whose determination was hardened by defeat and disaster. The unflinching allegiance, the unwavering optimism of the men like Andrew of Massachusetts, Curtin of Pennsylvania and Morton of Indiana permeated the whole North, strengthened the hands of the Liberator, and saved the Union.

We do well to mark the home where John A. Andrew lived and worked, that every generation may come here to honor, learn something of his work and character and appreciate the service he gave his state and country. His was a real patriotism, a divine flame burning in the heart of truth and the soul of honor. When in these days we are troubled by the wretched creatures of the night who insult the conscience of America by trickling out bigotry, hatred and civil dissension in fantastic garb and calling it patriotism, let us go back in reverence to the Fathers of the Republic, to the Savior of the Union and the Liberator of the Slave, and to that sterling patriot, John A. Andrew, and invoking their names and achievements, bid these grotesque conspirators go back to the darkness from which they sprang.

As long as Massachusetts endures, and her sons and daughters adhere to the principles and emulate the virtues of the men who made this Commonwealth great and glorious, the name of John A. Andrew will be mentioned with reverence and proclaimed with honor, for the memory of the work he did for human freedom, the integrity of the American Union and government of the people will not die.

LOS ANGELES G. A. R. THANKS MAYOR.

Mayor Curley received the following communication from the Grand Army Comrades of Los Angeles, California, Monday, August 18:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY.

DEAR SIR,—We, as members of Admiral Robley D. Evans Post No 200, Los Angeles, California, send to you and the members of the City of Boston our

thanks for spontaneous welcome tendered us during the 1924 Encampment of the G. A. R.

We shall always feel grateful for the many favors granted us, and wish to give thanks to the Elevated Railway for the free transportation and to their employees for the courtesy, and the same to the managers of the many places of amusement who opened their doors to us.

It is with great regret we leave you for we know that it will be our last encampment in Boston.

Very truly yours,

FRANK J. HAZLETON,
Past Commander Post No. 200.
JAMES A. FORD,
Quartermaster.

ECHOES OF G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

Gen. Andrew S. Burt, of Van Wert, Ohio, National Adjutant General of the Grand Army of the Republic, having concluded his term of office, left for home early Friday, August 15. At the South Station he said, just prior to departure: "I have enjoyed the most wonderful week of my lifetime and I leave Boston with only one regret and that is that I cannot return and vote for Mayor Curley for Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

Gen. Gaylord M. Saltzgaber, of Van Wert, Ohio, retiring National Commander in Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, accompanied by Standish Wilcox, his civilian aid, motored to the South Station, with Mrs. Saltzgaber and his personal escort, Friday morning, and started for New York City in order that he might arrive at his destination during the daylight hour, by reason of his impaired eyesight.

Arrangements were made whereby General Saltzgaber was met in New York City by Doctor Griffin, famous Brooklyn oculist, and staff, who will use every professional means to restore the sight of the noted military chieftain. General Saltzgaber will reside at a hotel in Brooklyn near Doctor Griffin's office where he can be constantly treated by the professional expert.

Miss Marion G. Heckman, who served as National Secretary in the administrations of both Commanders in Chief Willett, of Iowa, and Saltzgaber, of Ohio, left with her mother for her home in Des Moines, Iowa, Friday, accompanying General Saltzgaber as far as his Brooklyn destination. Miss Heckman proved one of the most popular young women of the National Encampment, looked after the entire detail of the convention program, and closed her service yesterday of two years as National Secretary, with hundreds of assurances from departing veterans of their love and respect for her devoted service for their cause. Miss Heckman has worked two years without vacation or any slightest cessation of work in caring for the enormous daily correspondence of the National Commander of the Grand Army. She easily proved herself one of the most popular young women in the convention.

Col. J. Payson Bradley gave a farewell luncheon in honor of Gen. Gaylord M. Saltzgaber and Mrs. Saltzgaber.

Other guests included Miss Marion G. Heckman, the National Secretary, who is retiring from office, Standish Willcox, civilian aid, Mrs. Heckman, of Des Moines, Iowa, and Miss Flo Palmer of Von Wert, Ohio.

DEDICATION OF TABLETS.

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as the American Republic exists, and the memory of his courage, patience and unwavering determination, his simple democracy and straight thinking will always remain to encourage and inspire them who strive and struggle to overcome the handicaps of birth and fortune. Born on the Kentucky prairie, in a rude log cabin, he was born to conditions of privation and hardship such as few individuals in our day and generation are confronted with. He overcame conditions, he labored for a great ideal, he sought to give substance and reality to the theory in the Declaration of Independence that all men have an inalienable right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, without regard to race or creed or condition.

Lincoln never proclaimed the right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness as a right to be enjoyed by only one element of the American population and denied to every other element. In the great Civil War, in the midst of battle, he knew—with the conviction that sustained his whole moral fibre—and recognized only the man garbed in the uniform of blue what was the expression of that man's faith in and fidelity to his country and his God.

Lincoln believed that human slavery should end in America, and 2,800,000 Americans in support of that belief answered his call. They sacrificed from 1861 to 1865 and they are still making sacrifices. Today, on this platform, is the Commander in Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, who visited our city four months ago, and in the last four months God has deprived him of the vision that he formerly enjoyed; but he is here today to honor the Emancipator, and to lead the greatest moral patriarchs that the world ever knew, the Grand Army of the Republic.

Those 2,800,000 Americans made possible the preservation of the Union. Who were they? Were they of the 100 per cent so-called "Ku-Kluxers"? No! The "Ku-Kluxer" was not known from '61 to '65, nor was he known during the period of the World War. He is not known in any war; he is the camp follower, the scavenger of the battlefield; and even as human slavery was destroyed, this unwanted, this unnatural, this un-American pest must be destroyed for the good of America!

Lincoln typified Americanism. Lincoln's broad heart knew no enmity for any man because of his race, creed or color. He loved every man. He believed in the Divine Commandment of Almighty God, "Love thy neighbor," and he died in that belief. So we honor his memory, and we accept this tablet as another shrine to which Americans may repair in the hour of doubt and irritation and trouble, to seek strength, to find comfort, to renew their faith and confidence in the name and memory of America's greatest source of inspiration, Abraham Lincoln.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, August 21:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

George A. Wood and John F. Murphy have been named as temporary second assistant assessors for a period of one month, at \$108.33 a month.

BUDGET DEPARTMENT.

William D. Kenney, secretary, has been appointed to serve as Acting Budget Commissioner during such time as the commissioner may be absent in the six weeks commencing August 18.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

John P. Brooker has been appointed temporary draughtsman for a period of three months at \$1,900 a year.

Thomas J. Gorham has been appointed temporary draughtsman for a period of three months at \$1,900 a year.

Thomas L. Flynn has been appointed temporary draughtsman for a period of three months at \$1,900 a year.

John J. Donigan, supervisor of construction has been transferred from the Egress Division to chief of the Zoning Division at \$2,900 a year.

John P. Shepard has been appointed as a constable, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of William H. Mealey, at \$1,500 a year.

David Hastie, building inspector, has been transferred to the vacancy in the Application Division as chief of said division at \$2,500 a year.

Edwin H. Oliver, building inspector, has been transferred from chief of the Application Division to the vacancy in the Egress Division as chief of said division at \$2,800 a year.

COMMITTEE FOR AMERICANISM.

The following have been appointed for a period of two weeks:

Edith Sullivan, stenographer, at \$25 per week; George L. Dowd, clerk, at \$20 per week.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Edwin B. Murdough has been employed for a period not exceeding ten days, at a salary of \$1.50 an hour, to do certain engineering work.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Ladderman James F. Maguire, of Ladder Company No. 16, has been retired on half pay at \$950 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the past week:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Gertrude Morrison, Catherine Boyle, Alice Tierney, Mary Lee, Marguerite, DeWolfe, Mary Grady, John Duarte, George Carr, special nurses, \$35 a week; Rodney Keith, Carl Pagander, porters, \$17.50 a week; Michael Connelly, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Sarah Sheehan, Catherine Sweeney, ward maids, \$11.50 a week; May Simonds, Annie Daily, Katherine Lanigan, ward helpers, \$11.50 a week; Grace Brown, Catherine Mahoney, ward assistants, \$11.50 a week; Mary Gearey, Mary Winchester, cleaners, \$11.50 a week; Dr. Fred. Heimlick, assistant physician, \$1,200 a year.

Temporary.—Malcolm Blue, assistant supervisor, \$19.50 a week; H. Jos. Shepherd, head nurse, \$20.71 a week; Thomas Reilly, Raymond MacInnis, Frank Murphy, porters, \$17.50 a week; Hannah Murphy, cook, \$11.50 a week; Joseph Sanger, laundryman, \$21.50 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Isabelle Kippenhan, cleaner at \$11.50 to ward helper at \$11.50 a week; Ellen O'Shea, cleaner at \$11.50 to temporary supply cook at \$14 a week; Patrick Cooney, transfer porter at \$11 to temporary porter at \$14 a week; Patrick Cooney, temporary porter at \$14 to transfer porter at \$11 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending August 14:

Central Office.

Theodore S. Gillespie, officer and messenger, temporary, \$1,200 a year.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Edward Roberts, porter, temporary, \$600 a year, to succeed Thomas J. Donnelly.

Joseph Lizart, porter, temporary, \$600 a year, to succeed James A. Crowley.

Adelaide M. Mullin, head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Mary J. Manuel.

George Cavanaugh, porter, temporary, \$600 a year.

John W. McCormack, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed William J. Sullivan.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Edward Reardon has been granted further temporary employment for a period of three months as storekeeper at \$4.50 a day.

Walter H. Chute, Director of the Aquarium, has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,700 to \$2,000 a year.

Sarah Mackin has been granted further temporary employment or a period of three months as a matron and seamstress at \$18 a week, for special work, *i. e.*, the making of fig leaves, to take effect August 19, 1924.

The following women have been employed as matrons (emergency employees) at \$20 a week, for a period of five days:

Catherine Rooney, Mary Sullivan, Bridget Adley, Hannah Barry, Gertrude Bibbey, Alice Casey.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Ethelbert Nevons has been named substitute at Granite Avenue Bridge, during vacation of T. Lyons, for two weeks at \$38.76 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

James E. Green has been promoted from gateman at \$5.25 a day to tollman at \$5.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Thomas F. Hurley has been transferred from the Street Department of the city of Cambridge to the Paving Service of this department as permanent paver at \$5.50 a day.

The promotion of the following chauffeurs to foreman chauffeur at \$1,800 per year in the new garage, effective August 15, have been approved.

James J. Connors, chauffeur, at \$33 a week, Sanitary Service.

Raymond K. Eugley, chauffeur, at \$32 a week, Central Office.

Charles A. Gallagher, chauffeur, at \$30 a week, Bridge Service.

Walter F. Wenzel, from teamster at \$4.50 a day in the Paving Service to chauffeur at \$30 a week in the Central Office, in place of Raymond K. Eugley.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Patrick J. Brickley has been promoted from blacksmith's assistant at \$4.75 a day to blacksmith at \$5.50 a day.

James J. Fleming has been granted a change of rating from teamster at \$4.50 a day to chauffeur-teamster at \$30 a week.

James L. Carroll has been employed as temporary clerk at \$1,200 a year for a period of three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

John J. O'Brien has been employed as temporary laborer at \$4.50 a day for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Philip F. McMahon has been granted temporary employment as clerk at \$1,500 a year for a period of thirty days.

Reinhold Eckhardt has been continued in temporary employment as temporary painter at \$5 a day.

Roger S. Molloy and William E. Flaherty have been appointed as permanent meter readers at \$1,300 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Michael J. Field has been appointed draughtsman for three months, at \$1,400 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, August 14:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochraine, laundry engineer, 9½ hours, \$8.13; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$8.52; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; M. Fontes, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93.

South Department.

J. O'Halloran, ambulance driver, 1½ hours, \$0.95; C. Bean, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

P. Joyce, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75; T. Clark, ambulance foreman, 12 hours, \$7.80.

Total, \$57.54.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, August 14:

Albert J. Libbey, chauffeur, 1 day, \$5.

For the week ending Friday, August 15:

John Dillon, temporary laborer, 1 day, \$4.50; Frank Jefferson, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50; Patrick Barry, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

For the week ending Monday, August 18:

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 2 days, \$9.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Friday, August 15:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Henry T. Brennan, Michael J. Conway, Edward F. Curley, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Fairview Cemetery.

James Kingston, Joseph T. McDonough, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

For the week ending Thursday, August 21:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, August 14:

J. Reynolds, engineer, 6 hours, \$5.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 11:

Assistant Drawtenders.—W. F. Hanlon, P. J. Clark, J. J. Gilmartin, T. J. Gillispie, J. Doran, J. A. Hayes, 1 day, \$4.38 each; W. J. Bragan, J. J. Flynn, 2 days, \$8.77 each.

Total, \$43.82.

For the week ending Monday, August 18:

Drawtenders.—C. J. Thompson, 2 days, \$10.41.

First Assistant Drawtenders.—T. Sheehan, D. L. O'Connell, 1 day, \$4.66 each.

Assistant Drawtenders.—D. L. Terry, D. J. Flynn, J. Doyle, M. J. Fitzgerald, D. J. Fagan, 2 days, \$8.77 each; T. F. Reilly, D. J. Donovan, J. A. Hayes, J. Doran, 1 day, \$4.38 each.

Total, \$81.10.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 11:

Engineer.—Henry W. McCusker, 3 days, \$22.50.

Fireman.—Charles Desmond, ½ day, \$3.75.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 1 day, \$5.50.

Tollman.—Christopher T. Leonard, 3 days, \$16.50.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Total, \$56.50.

Net cost for the week ending August 11, 1924, \$26.75.

For the week ending Monday, August 18:

Fireman.—John Kelly, 1½ days, \$9.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 2½ days, \$12.38.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Total, \$29.63.

Net cost for the week ending August 18, 1924, \$29.63.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 18:

Cement Finisher.—Arcangelo Faiella, Thomas Sruhan, ½ days, \$3.38 each.

Engineer.—John McGee, 1½ days, \$10.31.

Laborer.—Vincent Fallon, 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$21.57.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 11:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, J. B. Carr, P. J. McCormack, J. F. Sweeney, M. S. Ryan, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—A. P. Charbonnier, B. F. Lyons, 2 days, \$9 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—J. Curran, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Stablemen.—C. J. Haley, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Teamsters.—P. Cataldo, G. Guiffredo, T. Donovan, D. Dalton, D. Shea, ½ day, \$2.25 each.

Total, \$76.75.

For the week ending Tuesday, August 19:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, B. F. Lyons, J. J. Welch, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—J. Curran, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. Sullivan, ¼ day, \$1.13; D. J. Bowen, D. F. Byrnes, J. H. Conry, B. R. Donnelly, E. J. Gallagher, J. W. Power, P. J. Keenan, W. J. Martin, E. J. O'Neil, T. L. Patterson, ¼ day, \$1.13 each; M. J. Connolly, J. Sullivan, D. McLaughlin, J. Leonard, ½ day, \$2.25 each; C. Capillo, G. Guiffredo, D. Shea, J. Roach, P. Cataldo, T. Donovan, D. J. Dalton, ¾ day, \$3.37 each; F. Zirpollo, 1½ days, \$5.62; C. J. Haley, 1¼ days, \$7.87.

Total, \$94.76.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 11:

Sewer Cleaners.—Michael Foley, 1½ days, \$6.75; James Clancy, Dennis Collins, 1 day, \$5 each; John O'Connor, ½ day, \$2.50; Peter Keenan, 1 day, \$4.75.

Laborers, etc.—Malachi Hanley, Timothy Driscoll, James Schofield, 2 days, \$9 each; George DeGraan, James Gavin, Patrick McDonough, Emilio Curcio, James McFarland, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; John Murray, Joseph Clougherty, Michael Clancy, Edward Flaherty, Isaac Goldstein, Stephen Connolly, Joseph Huber, 1½ days, \$5.63 each; James McNabb, 1 day, \$4.50; Peter King, John McDonald, Daniel McKenna, Patrick White, William Colbert, ½ day, \$2.25 each.

Assistnt Engineers.—William Bragger, 2 days, \$14.33; Thomas Maher, 3½ days, \$25.08; John Mahoney, 2 days, \$13.33.

Fifth Hoist.—John Francis, 2 days, \$12; James Fitzgerald, 3½ days, \$21.

Chauffeur.—Charles McCaffrey, 1 day, \$5.

Total, \$231.40.

For the week ending Monday, August 18:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Collins, 2 days, \$10; Michael Foley, 1½ days, \$6.25; John O'Connor, 1 day, \$5; Stephen Manning, Jeremiah O'Brien, Michael Neary, ¾ days, \$3.75 each; John Graham, ¾ day, \$3.13; Thomas Byrne, ¾ day, \$3.56.

Laborers, etc.—Timothy Driscoll, Malachi Hanley, James Schofield, 3½ days, \$15.75 each; Antonio Arrachiello, 2½ days, \$11.25; Stephen Connolly, Michael McMahon, Herman Hodapp, Joseph Howe, Thomas Duffy, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; John Murray, Joseph Clougherty, Michael Clance, James Splaine, 1½ days, \$5.63 each; Peter King, John McDonald, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Daniel McKenna, Joseph Brown, Benjamin Gorman, Thomas Shine, ¾ day, \$3.38 each; Mark Cuniff, John Barry, William Prindeville, John Waters, ¾ day, \$2.81 each.

Assistant Engineers.—William Bragger, 3½ days, \$25.08; Thomas Maher, 2 days, \$14.33; John Mahoney, 3½ days, \$23.33.

Fifth Hoist.—Michael Donovan, John Francis, 3½ days, \$21 each.

Electrician.—Thomas Acton, ¾ day, \$4.58.

Total, \$301.54.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 11:

Teamsters.—M. G. Connell, J. Zuccola, B. Callahan, M. C. O'Connell, G. McGolgan, D. P. Stack, J. P. Barnes, J. W. Collins, M. Gilmartin, T. F. Graham, B. J. Doherty, J. F. Kelley, J. Moriarty, M. T. Clougherty, D. J. Callahan, J. J. Carey, J. Dahill, F. D'Ambrosio, J. J. Daley, L. Davis, J. T. Delaney, J. J. Doherty, W. P. Donnelly, J. P. Driscoll, C. F. Flaherty, R. M. Jennings, W. T. Maloney, J. M. Kramer, 1 day, \$4.50 each; P. J. Connolly, C. J. Crowley, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; F. R. Deacon, J. T. O'Leary, 2 days, \$9 each; J. J. Donovan, E. F. Noonan, 2½ days, \$12.38 each; F. M. Kelley, S. T. Coughlin, ½ day, \$2.25 each.

Chauffeurs.—J. J. Connors, J. A. McCabe, 1½ days, \$9.63 each; T. C. Earl, 1 day, \$5.50; N. Schaaf, 1½ days, \$6.19.

Total, \$217.71.

For the week ending Monday, August 18:

Teamsters.—R. Coughlin, J. R. O'Toole, B. Callahan, M. J. O'Connell, C. J. Crowley, C. McGonagle, J. F. Barnes, F. R. Deacon, J. W. Collins, M. Gilmartin, T. F. Graham, J. T. O'Leary, B. J. Doherty, E. F. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, W. Dwyer, M. T. Clougherty, D. J. Callahan, J. J. Carey, Jr., J. P. Driscoll, M. Finn, C. F. Flaherty, J. B. Foley, M. Gately, P. Glynn, F. Granville, E. Guider, R. M. Jennings, J. M. Kramer, J. McDonald, W. J. Maloney, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—J. Dahill, ½ day, \$2.25.

Total, \$141.75.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 11:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burke, P. Clougherty, 1½ days, \$7.50 each; J. O'Brien, 2 days, \$10 each; J. Hillips, ¾ day, \$3.75.

Emergencymen.—A. Christie, 1 day, \$5.50; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—R. Welch, ¾ day, \$2.06; E.

Rafferty, 2½ days, \$11.25; J. Casey, 1½ days, \$7.13; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Lynch, 2½ days, \$10.69; F. Ware, ¾ day, \$3.56; M. White, ¾ day, \$0.94; H. Campbell, 1½ days, \$5.67; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; G. Cozza, ¾ day, \$1.88; M. Daley, 1½ days, \$7.88; M. Hogarty, ¾ day, \$2.81; M. O'Day, 2½ days, \$11.25; E. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$7.50; M. Dellorusso, 1½ days, \$6.56; J. Dolan, 1½ days, \$7.50; S. Mariani, 1½ days, \$7.50; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; R. Doyle, 1½ days, \$9.28; C. Driscoll, 3½ days, \$18.56; E. Hasenfus, ¾ day, \$4.13; P. Ippolito, ¾ day, \$5.16; P. Clougherty, 1½ days, \$6.19; P. Coleman, 1½ days, \$7.13; T. Rose, ¾ day, \$2.81; T. Byrnes, ¾ day, \$1.97; A. McDougall, ¾ day, \$1.78; C. Generoso, ¾ day, \$2.53; M. Matthews, 1½ days, \$5.63; S. Mickewicz, 1½ days, \$9.84; J. Lonergan, 1½ days, \$8.44; J. Hourihan, 1½ days, \$8.25; F. Schena, ¾ day, \$2.95; P. Walsh, ¾ day, \$0.84; J. McLean, ¾ day, \$3.75; M. Behan, ¾ day, \$0.84; T. Regan, 1½ days, \$5.84; J. Callahan, ¾ day, \$4.22; M. Hart, ¾ day, \$0.94; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50; W. Corbett, J. Reilly, A. Rolfe, ¾ day, \$2.67 each; A. Citrone, G. Felice, F. K. Laskey, H. Killoran, J. O'Toole, J. Curtin, 1 day, \$6.75 each; M. Barron, J. Durand, P. Mulkern, J. McGee, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; M. Connolly, S. LoPilato, J. M. O'Toole, E. Pyne, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; B. Doherty, 2½ days, \$11.25; W. Fay, ¾ day, \$0.84; T. Gallagher, 1½ days, \$5.48; E. Hart, 1½ day, \$5.06; C. Joyce, 2½ days, \$12.66; A. Martin, ¾ day, \$2.53; T. McGuinness, 2½ days, \$11.25; J. McGuire, ¾ day, \$1.27; M. Mulqueeney, 1½ days, \$5.91; J. Phipps, 2½ days, \$10.13; G. Schlehuber, ¾ day, \$0.84; M. Shea, 1½ days, \$5.06.

Total, \$466.93; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$461.43.

For the week ending Monday August 18:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day \$5 each; P. Clougherty, 2½ days, \$12.66; J. Burns, J. Burke, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Emergencymen.—A. Christie, ½ day, \$2.75; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—M. Daley, 1½ days, \$5.91; R. Welch, 1½ days, \$10.31; J. Casey, 2½ days, \$11.58; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Lynch, ¾ day, \$4.45; M. White, ¾ day, \$1.25; H. Campbell, 2½ days, \$13.41; D. Hanlon, 2½ days, \$12.38; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; G. Cozza, 1½ days, \$6.56; M. F. Daley, ¾ day, \$3.94; M. O'Day, 1½ days, \$9.38; S. Mariani, 1½ days, \$9.38; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; R. Doyle, 1½ days, \$8.25; C. Driscoll, ¾ day, \$4.13; J. Magee, 2½ days, \$10.97; M. Sullivan, ¾ day, \$1.03; D. Kirby, 3½ days, \$17.81; T. Byrnes, 3½ days, \$16.73; T. Rose, 1½ days, \$8.44; D. Shea, ¾ day, \$1.69; D. Crowley, ¾ day, \$3.38; B. McManus, ¾ day, \$3.38; J. Blessington, 1½ days, \$7.50; A. McDougall, ¾ day, \$1.78; W. Behan, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. McLean, ¾ day, \$3.75; L. Morgan, ¾ day, \$1.78; M. Matthews, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Cummings, ¾ day, \$4.13; M. Rizzio, ¾ day, \$1.78; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—M. Barron, 1½ days, \$6.75; W. Dolan, ¾ day, \$2.53; J. Durand, 1½ days, \$8.44; W. Fay, ¾ day, \$1.13; P. Finnerty, ¾ day, \$8.4; C. Joyce, 2½ days, \$10.07; P. Loftus, 1½ days, \$7.59; W. Meskill, ¾ day, \$1.13; P. McGuinness, ¾ day, \$0.84; P. Mulkern, 1½ day, \$3.09; T. McGuinness, 1 day, \$4.50; J. O'Toole, 2½

days, \$10.97; G. Schlehuber, ¾ day, \$1.13; J. T. Sheehan, 1½ days, \$5.91; G. Waters, 1½ days, \$7.13; B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, E. Pyne, J. M. O'Toole, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, M. Connolly, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$391.26; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$385.76.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Edward J. McHugh & Son for concrete walks and grading at Central square, East Boston. Bids, opened July 31, were as follows:

Henry F. Malley, \$9,772.50; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$8,070; J. W. O'Connell, \$8,015; John McCourt Company, \$7,622.50; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$7,587.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$7,317.50; John MacDonald Construction Company, \$7,250; Charles Caponi, \$7,050; J. A. Singarella, \$6,680; Boston Contracting Company, \$6,675; M. McGinnis & Company, \$6,078; Edward J. McHugh & Son, \$5,907.50.

Upon August 16 the Mayor approved a contract with William P. Dolan for painting flying cage at Franklin Park Zoo. Bids, opened July 31, were as follows:

M. L. McDonald Company, \$3,361; William P. Dolan, \$2,200; D. J. Urany, J. Demetres & Co., \$2,100; Maurice M. Devine, \$1,875.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Upon August 16 the Mayor approved a contract with P. J. Dinn & Co. for gas pipe fence on Everett street, Brighton, southerly approach to bridge over Boston & Albany Railroad. Bids for the work, opened August 11, were as follows:

P. J. Dinn & Co., \$1,145; S. J. Tomasello, \$1,675; W. A. Snow Iron Works, Inc., \$1,897; Murray Engineering Company, \$2,915.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon August 16 the Mayor approved a contract with King & Kingsley for screen for Dorchester brook outlet. Bids, opened August 7, were as follows:

King & Kingsley, \$1,400; William Barrett & Company, \$1,850; J. P. Curley, \$1,927; W. H. Ellis & Son, \$1,970; Guiney & Hanson Construction Company, \$2,100.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon August 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Payne Dean, Limited, Stamford, Conn., for furnishing and installing electric valve operating equipment on 36-inch valves at Copley square, Beacon street and Commonwealth avenue, Huntington avenue, at South Huntington avenue, the only bidder, at \$5,995.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 16 the Mayor approved a contract with the E. L. Le Baron Foundry Company for furnishing iron castings (frames and covers) to the Water

Service, Public Works Department. Bids, opened August 12, were as follows: *One Hundred Thousand Pounds.*—Franklin Machine Company, 4.5 cents per pound; Davis Foundry Company, 3.5 cents per pound; E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company, 2.83* cents per pound; Worcester Foundry Company, 2.95 cents per pound; Burr Foundry and Machine Company, 3.23 cents per pound.

*Awarded contract.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 11 the Mayor approved a contract with the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company for furnishing equipment to the Ferry Service. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising the same, to Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company for furnishing the following equipment to the Ferry Service, to be installed on ferryboats "Lieut. Flaherty" and "Ralph Palumbo," two Westinghouse Electric Company 10 X. W. 125 V. "D. C." turbo generator units at \$985 each, \$1,970; two small switchboard control panel mountings, two voltmeters, two ammeters, two ground detectors, two knife switches, four enclosed fuse blocks, drilling for field rheostats at \$102 a set, for two sets, \$204. Total, \$2,174.

As this concern is the manufacturer nothing would be gained by publicly advertising the above. In view of this fact I trust the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon August 18 the Mayor approved a contract with the Lidgerwood Manufacturing Company for furnishing the Public Works Department two-part iron boxes. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 14, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract to the Lidgerwood Manufacturing Company, 96 Liberty street, New York City, for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service, 150 two-part iron boxes weighing approximately 75,000 pounds at a price of 6 cents per pound, making total amount of contract \$4,500. This department awarded a contract a short time ago to the Foran Foundry and Manufacturing Company for 750 of these boxes, which has not, as yet, been signed by your Honor, and I am attaching copy of letter received by me from C. J. Carven, Division Engineer of the Water

Service, and approved by Joseph A. Rourke, Commissioner of Public Works, explaining the necessity of making this emergency contract.

Trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am,

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

John Bowen Company have been ordered to add to their contract for the erection of the Thorndike Memorial Building, City Hospital, the sum of \$797.94 for the following: Additions: A, electric fixtures, \$121.25; cutting and patching in connection with above, \$400; B, painting, \$758.50; C, special reflector, weighing room, \$103—\$1,382.75; 10 per cent, \$138.27; D, platform for elevator well, \$30—\$1,551.02; bond, 1½ per cent, \$23.26; total, \$1,574.28.

Deductions: E, plumbing, \$614.96; F, New England Foundation, bond, \$34.51; G, papering allowance, \$126.87—\$776.34, net addition, \$797.94. The above addition makes the contract stand as follows: Amount at signing, \$313,000; order No. 1 deduction, \$2,500; order No. 2, deduction, \$5,763.80; order No. 3, addition, \$4,950; order No. 4, deduction, \$766; order No. 5, addition, \$24,910.77; order No. 6, addition, \$808.82; order No. 7, \$20,580.48; order No. 8, addition, \$3,310.42; order No. 9, addition, \$2,119.42; order No. 10, addition, \$24,517.85; order No. 11, addition as above, \$797.94; amount of contract to date, \$393,965.90.

Explanation of order No. 11.

A. Electric: Item 1, four "Brascolite" ceiling fixtures for operating room in place of those originally furnished, \$77; Item 2, changing fixture in flueroscopic operating room to Brascolite type, \$24; Item 3, furnishing and installing wall bracket in place of original one in flueroscopic operating room, \$8.25; Item 4, changing type of fixture in weighing room, \$12; Item 5, cutting and patching in connection with above, \$400. (Above ordered by Doctor Peabody and Doctor Butler). B. Painting: Extra painting in lecture hall authorized by Doctor Dowling, \$576; extra painting in connection with built-over cases, third floor, \$62.50, finishing first floor passage way, \$120—\$758.50. C. Special reflector in weighing room (ordered by Doctor Peabody), and installing switch for lights in elevator machine room. D. Platform in elevator well required by inspector. Deductions: E. Plumbing: Allowance by plumber for difference between type of water-closet used and that specified, \$13.80; soapstone sink included in addition 6 and never furnished, \$287; work in connection with plumbing, cover and sink included in order No. 6 and not furnished, \$250; commission of 10 per cent, \$55.08; bond, \$9.08—\$614.96. F. Cost of bond, \$30.91; 10 per cent \$309; Bowens' bond, \$0.51—\$34.51. Cost of bond by New England Foundation Company to Bowen plus Bowen's 10 per cent and bond, included in orders No. 7 and No. 9, but not required later by Bowen, consequently deducted. G. Allowance for papering, \$125, included in specifications of March 21, 1923, is included in addition No. 10, to

be deducted as papering was treating separately in addition order No. 9; bond \$1.87.

C. H. Cronin has been ordered to add to contract for installation of sprinkler system, main hospital, the sum of \$400.73, the same being in full settlement of claim of said C. H. Cronin for delay caused by being refused permission to install the sprinkler system in the Thorndike Memorial Building until said building was accepted by the City of Boston. The above addition makes the contract stand as follows: Amount at signing, \$27,031; previous addition, \$234.55; present addition, \$400.73; total contract, \$27,666.28.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$120, on contract with J. A. Singarella for artificial stone sidewalks in East Fourth, I and East Fifth streets, South Boston; Magazine and Sunnyside streets, Roxbury; Robin Hood and Hartford streets, Old road and Roslin street, Dorchester, Oriole and Wren streets, West Roxbury, on account of removing tree roots where directed. Original contract, \$8,630.15; total additions, \$3,127; contract as standing, \$11,757.15.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Thomas O'Connor & Company have been allowed the following additions to contract for the Roxbury High School for open rock blasting and excavation, 2,564.10 cubic yards at \$7.50 per cubic yard, \$19,230.75; for trench rock blasting and excavation, 348.05 cubic yards at \$12 per cubic yard, \$4,176.60; total, \$23,407.35, and the amount of \$23,407.35 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: Contract price, \$1,437,130; total additions, \$47,556.60; total deductions, \$153,000; amount of contract, \$1,331,686.60.

Joseph A. Singarella has been allowed the following changes in contract for yard of Dillaway School as per civil engineer's letter of August 6, 1924; For performing the following work add to contract the sum of \$855. New granolithic sidewalk, \$250; 5 feet of new granolithic cap, \$30; finish old cap to match new, \$150; remove three trees, \$150; remove brick foundation, \$100; repave old yard, \$75; repair and erect old fence, \$100; total, \$855. Contract price, \$2,865; total additions, \$855; amount of contract, \$3,720.

Thomas O'Connor & Company have been allowed the following changes in the contract for the Hugh O'Brien District School as per architects' letter of August 8, 1924. An allowance of \$11,000 as mentioned in addenda letter attached to contract, for all finish grading, seeding, granolithic walks, concrete wall, catch-basins, sewer connections, iron fence and wooden fence according to revised plot plan of the Schoolhouse Department. Build new fence on Shirley street, near Dudley street and a section at the easterly end of lot. The price to be \$368.. Remove the two-story wooden building in the yard at the rear of the new building. Contract price, \$179,470; total additions, \$45,931; total deductions, \$1,800; amount of contract, \$223,601.

McDonald & Imhof have been allowed an addition of approximately \$1,800 to their contract for the erection and completion of addition and alterations to the George T. Angell School, to cover certain changes in the plumbing which

are necessary because of conditions in the old building which were not evident when the specifications for the work were prepared.

Joseph Rugo has been allowed the following changes in contract for addition to the Thomas Gardner School as per architect's letter of August 2, 1924. Additions: New storeroom on first floor, \$902.20; toilet room, second floor, master's office, \$1,187; splice "H" columns, \$891.57; alteration of chimney, \$1,228.10; changing radiators in corridors, \$348.92; miscellaneous items, painting, patching, installing new gas main, boiler room, lights, telephone, etc., \$2,081.97; installation of gas brackets and fixtures, extra carpenter labor, \$316.10; building new brick flue, \$1,793. Total additions, \$8,748.86. Deductions: Omitting shelving in master's room, \$33; omitting two 4-inch gate valves, \$40; total deduction, \$73; net addition, \$8,675.86. Contract price, \$135,475; total additions, \$19,075.86; total deductions, \$1,600; amount of contract, \$152,950.86.

J. J. Hurley & Co. have been allowed the following changes in contract for the Parkman School as per heating engineer's letter of August 8, 1924. Add the sum of \$595 for the following work: Enlarge present brick foundation of smoke-flue in basement; furnish and set 1/2-inch iron plate over new foundation and into wall of building 4 inches; erect 12-inch Akron smoke stack from basement through roof to height of old stack; pipe above roof to be stiffened with iron band and stay rod; connect present black iron smoke flue to new Akron stack, full size; leave cleanout tee and cap at lowest point of riser; cut floors and roof for 12-inch pipe and replace flooring, spiking on a 2-inch by 4-inch between floor joists. Do all carpenter, mason and other work necessary to erect the chimney complete; install new 2 1/2-inch police pop safety and 2 1/2-inch gate valves in place of present defective valves; install new 1-inch water column and 1-inch brass piping connections to conform to state law. Contract price, \$1,850; total additions, \$595; amount of contract, \$2,445.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed the following changes in contract for the Francis Parkman District School as per architect's letter of August 13, 1924: Change in front entrance, driveway and coal pocket, \$882.80; additional excavation to bearing stratum, \$759.17; chimney lining, \$148.59; terrazzo floor and steps in entrance, \$353; toilet in kindergarten, \$747.60; change in heating, \$356.40; copper pans for blackboards, \$169.40; lead weights in place of iron for windows, \$87.87; iron doors and frames under basement stairs, \$25; total, \$3,529.83; changing driveway construction, deduct, \$673; net addition, \$2,856.83. Contract price, \$87,996; total additions, \$8,709.83; total deductions, \$800; amount of contract, \$95,905.88.

LAND-TAKING IN ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the taking of land on the southwesterly side of Heath street, adjoining the Jefferson School, Roxbury district, supposed to belong to Frederick Bleiler, containing approximately 180,900 square feet, for playground purposes.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Frederick Bleiler, bounded:

Northeast by Heath street, by two

measurements, one hundred four and 35-100 feet and eighty-eight and 17-100 feet; southeast by other land of said Bleiler, four hundred seven and 33-100 feet; southwest by the same, by three measurements, three hundred thirty-five and 82-100 feet, one hundred ninety-seven and 87-100 feet and eighteen and 78-100 feet; northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Beatty and Lomasney and from Grant, by two measurements, one hundred ninety-two and 50-100 feet and thirty-one and 18-100 feet; again northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Grant, ninety-six and 30-100 feet; again northwest by the same, one hundred ninety-two and 43-100 feet; again northeast by Heath street, by two measurements, twenty-six and 42-100 feet, and fifteen and 88-100 feet; again southeast by land of the City of Boston (Jefferson School), one hundred eighty-four and 73-100 feet; again northeast by the same, one hundred ninety and 4-100 feet; and again northwest by the same, two hundred seventeen and 54-100 feet, containing one hundred seventy-three thousand and ten square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land supposed to belong to John F. Beatty and Martin M. Lomasney, bounded.

Southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Frederick Bleiler, eighty-four feet; southwest by other land of said Beatty and Lomasney, seventy-three and 1-100 feet; west by the same, forty-nine and 20-100 feet; northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Grant, one hundred fourteen and 76-100 feet, containing fifty-six hundred and thirty-seven square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Bernard E. Grant, bounded:

Northwest by Cranford street, by three measurements, eight and 40-100 feet, one hundred forty-five and 78-100 feet and two hundred thirty-nine and 82-100 feet; north by the curved line at the corner of Cranford and Heath streets; thirty-one and 46-100 feet; northeast by Heath street, eighty-nine and 63-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from said Grant and from Bleiler, by two measurements, two hundred forty-nine feet and one hundred eight and 50-100 feet; southwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Beatty and Lomasney, one hundred fourteen and 76-100 feet, containing forty thousand one hundred and fifty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Bernard E. Grant, bounded:

Northeast by Heath street, by two measurements, fifty-three and 66-100 feet and thirty-three and 14-100 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Bleiler, one hundred ninety-two and 43-100 feet; southwest by the same, ninety-six and 30-100 feet; and northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Grant, two hundred seventeen and 82-100 feet, containing eighteen thousand one hundred and forty-six square feet, more or less.

Said parcels are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Heath Street, Cranford Street, Roxbury, June 28, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estate by the taking made for playground purposes on Heath street and Cranford street, Roxbury district, under the order of the Board, in

the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

	Amount.
Frederick Bleiler, 173,010 square feet.	\$25,951 50
John F. Beatty, Martin M. Lomasney 5,637 square feet.	2,536 65
Bernard E. Grant, 40,150 square feet.	18,067 50
Bernard E. Grant, 18,146 square feet.	7,258 40
	\$53,814 05

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Martin F. Gaddis has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repaving Washington street, from Denton terrace to West Roxbury Parkway, dated August 23, 1923. Items ordered: (a) Remove buried guard rail timber; to be paid for by force account; estimated cost, \$75. (b) Pave slope at end of retaining wall; to be paid for by force account; estimated cost, \$30. (c) Place extra concrete against curb on west side between Auburn and Cedar streets; price, \$15 per cubic yard; net cost, \$350. Estimated cost of extra work, \$455.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor, on August 19 announced the following appointments in the Building Department.

John J. Dunigan, supervisor of construction, appointed chief of the Zoning Division, Building Department, at \$2,900 a year.

Daniel H. Lamphier, promoted from chief of the Application Division, Building Department, to chief of the Egress Division, at \$2,800 a year.

David Hastie, from building inspector to chief of the Application Division, Building Department.

John P. Shepard of 12 Belmont street, Charlestown, appointed constable in Building Department to fill vacancy caused by death of Mr. Mealey.

PUBLIC STREETS, 1924.

Total length of the 2,490 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1924, 611.58 miles; total area, 11,557,218 square yards, or 8.54 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,900.

Miles of streets paved with macadam, 351.25 or 57.43 per cent of total, including 122.69 miles bituminous macadam; with granite block, 105.12; asphalt, 51.69; gravel, 30.10; bitulithic, 29.11; Topeka, 13.84; wood block, 12.21; asphalt concrete, 5.49; brick, 4.23; concrete, 3.05. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc. Granolithic sidewalk laid in 1923, 72,622 square yards or about 16 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in 1923 includes 9 streets in Boston Proper; 6 in Dorchester; 10 in West Roxbury; 5 in Brighton; one each in Roxbury, Charlestown and East Boston, or a total of 33 new streets. Of chief importance in the relief of traffic congestion is the opening of Stuart st., South End, costing \$3,004,497 (total payments to 1924) of which five-sixths was for damages, mostly offset by betterment assessments amounting to \$2,369,937.

Gross debt outstanding Feb. 1, 1924, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,855,501 or \$317,060 more than in 1923.

MAYOR CURLEY MAKES FINAL MOVE IN GIVING CITY BROAD THOROUGHFARE THROUGH CENTER. WILL BEGIN WIDENING CAMBRIDGE STREET IN SIXTY DAYS.

NOTICES TO VACATE ISSUED IN PROJECT TO COST \$3,500,000 IN ARTERY THAT WILL BE 100 FEET WIDE—ONE OF CITY'S BIGGEST JOBS.

Notices to vacate within sixty days went out Thursday, August 31, from City Hall to owners of property within the zone of widening on Cambridge street. Mayor Curley and the Street Commissioners took the final steps Wednesday toward actual operations in the construction of this long talked of traffic artery, to extend 100 feet in width along Cambridge and Court streets, from Scollay square to Charles street, at a total outlay of \$3,500,000.

In signing the order for taking the necessary land to widen the street the Mayor approved one of the biggest lists of awards ever made by the city. He sent the quill with which he affixed his signature to Representative John I. Fitzgerald, chairman of the Democratic City Committee, who was one of the leading proponents of the improvement.

The sums awarded to property owners for slices which will be taken from their holdings total \$3,002,021. These same owners, with others in the vicinity who, it is considered, will benefit from the improvements, will be assessed in the sum of \$1,025,375.25.

LAND-TAKING IN CITY PROPER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement consisting of the widening, relocation and construction of Cambridge street and Court street, Boston proper district, as highways, from Charles street to Brattle street, as follows:

The highway named Cambridge street is hereby widened, relocated and ordered constructed from Charles street to Court street.

The highway named Court street is hereby widened, relocated and ordered constructed from Cambridge street to Brattle street.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement, an easement for street purposes is taken in the following described lands, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

CAMBRIDGE STREET, NORTH SIDE.

Westerly from North Grove Street.—The land bounded northerly by the northerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, three hundred fifteen and 8-100 feet; easterly by North Grove street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, thirty-six and 8-100 feet; southerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, three hundred thirteen and 80-100 feet; containing sixty-two hundred and sixty square feet, more or less.

Between North Grove Street and North Anderson Street.—The land bounded westerly by said North Grove street, thirty-nine and 58-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred eighty-three and 71-100 feet; easterly by North Anderson street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this

order, fifty-one and 26-100 feet; southerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred eighty-seven and 60-100 feet; containing eighty-five hundred and eighty-eight square feet, more or less.

Between North Anderson Street and Blossom Street.—The land bounded westerly by said North Anderson street, fifty and 58-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred ninety-nine and 47-100 feet; easterly by Blossom street, as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, fifty and 38-100 feet; southerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred ninety-nine and 45-100 feet; containing ten thousand and twenty-five square feet, more or less.

Between Blossom Street and North Russell Street.—The land bounded westerly by said Blossom street, fifty and 5-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, two hundred twenty-seven and 25-100 feet; southeasterly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred two and 32-100 feet; southerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred thirty-six and 22-100 feet; containing eighty-nine hundred and twenty-nine square feet, more or less.

Between Chambers Street and Lynde Street.—The land bounded westerly by Chambers street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, forty-five and 74-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred fifty-one and 89-100 feet; easterly by Lynde street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, forty-one and 37-100 feet; southerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred forty-nine and 69-100 feet; containing sixty-five hundred and seventy-seven square feet, more or less.

Between Lynde Street and Staniford Street.—The land bounded westerly by said Lynde street, thirty-nine and 98-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred sixty-two and 11-100 feet; easterly by Staniford street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, twenty-nine and 9-100 feet; southerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred sixty-one and 91-100 feet; containing fifty-four hundred and forty-two square feet, more or less.

Easterly from Staniford Street.—The land bounded westerly by said Staniford street, sixteen and 46-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred twenty-five and 5-100 feet; southerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this

order, one hundred twenty-five and 8-100 feet; containing ten hundred and twenty-seven square feet, more or less.

CAMBRIDGE STREET, SOUTH SIDE.

Between Charles Street and West Cedar Street.—The land bounded westerly by Charles street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, fifty-nine and 20-100 feet; northerly by land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, sixty and 18-100 feet; easterly by the same, two and 79-100 feet; again northerly by the same, forty-three and 29-100 feet; again easterly by the same, eight feet; again northerly by the same, forty-two and 58-100 feet; northeasterly by the same, thirty-one and 24-100 feet; again easterly by West Cedar street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, thirty and 43-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, eighty-five and 48-100 feet; again easterly by the easterly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, 34-100 feet; again southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, forty-three and 29-100 feet; again easterly by the easterly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, 17-100; feet and again southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, forty-two and 7-100 feet; containing eighty-five hundred and seventy-four square feet, more or less.

Between West Cedar Street and Lindall Place.—The land bounded westerly by land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, forty-two and 51-100 feet; northerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, sixty-one and 8-100 feet; easterly by Lindall place as said place existed at the time of the passage of this order, sixty-five and 20-100 feet; southerly by land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, eleven and 77-100 feet; southwesterly by land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, fifty-eight and 36-100 feet; containing thirty-four hundred and fifty-four square feet, more or less.

Between Lindall Place and Grove Street.—The land bounded westerly by said Lindall place, fifty and 25-100 feet; northerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred sixty-three and 14-100 feet; easterly by Grove street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, nine and 35-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred fifty-five and 18-100 feet; again easterly by land now or formerly of Walter Nash, twenty and 5-100 feet; again southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, five and 86-100 feet; containing thirty-two hundred and eighty-four square feet, more or less.

Between Irving Street and South Russell Street.—The land bounded westerly by Irving street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, four and 21-100 feet; northerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, sixty-eight and 32-100 feet; easterly by South Russell street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, ten and 39-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, sixty-eight and 51-100 feet;

containing four hundred and ninety-seven square feet, more or less.

Between South Russell Street and Joy Street.—The land bounded westerly by said South Russell street, thirteen and 8-100 feet; northerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, two hundred two and 25-100 feet; easterly by Joy street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, thirteen and 91-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, two hundred two and 66-100 feet; containing twenty-nine hundred and twelve square feet, more or less.

Between Joy Street and Hancock Street.—The land bounded westerly by said Joy street, ten and 88-100 feet; northerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred twenty-three and 71-100 feet; easterly by Hancock street, as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, seven and 92-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred twenty-three and 66-100 feet; containing ten hundred and ninety-three square feet, more or less.

Between Hancock Street and Temple Street.—The land bounded westerly by said Hancock street, eight and 63-100 feet; northerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred eighty-eight and 68-100 feet; by Temple street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, thirty-one and 59-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred eighty nine feet; containing thirty-six hundred and thirty square feet, more or less.

Between Temple Street and Bowdoin Street.—The land bounded westerly by said Temple street, thirty-three and 72-100 feet; northerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, sixty-three and 89-100 feet; again westerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, five and 26-100 feet; again northerly by Cambridge street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred eight and 22-100 feet; easterly by Bowdoin street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, sixty-two and 83-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred sixty-nine and 96-100 feet; containing eighty-two hundred and eleven square feet, more or less.

CAMBRIDGE AND COURT STREETS AT BOWDOIN SQUARE.

Between Bowdoin Street and Bulfinch Street.—The land bounded westerly by said Bowdoin street, sixty-nine and 83-100 feet; northerly and northeasterly by Cambridge and Court streets as said streets existed at the time of the passage of this order, two hundred fifty-five and 14-100 feet; easterly by Bulfinch street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, seventy-three and 83-100 feet; southwesterly and southerly by the southwesterly and southerly lines of Court street as hereby widened and relocated and again southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, two hundred thirty-eight and 19-100 feet; containing eighteen thousand one hundred and eighty-seven square feet, more or less.

COURT STREET, SOUTHWESTERLY SIDE.

Between Bulfinch Street and Stoddard Street.—The land bounded northwesterly by said Bulfinch street, seventy and 7-100 feet; northeasterly by Court street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, three hundred twenty-five and 96-100 feet; southeasterly by Stoddard street, as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, sixty-two and 84-100 feet; southwesterly by Court street as hereby widened and relocated, three hundred fourteen and 44-100 feet; containing nineteen thousand eight hundred and fifteen square feet, more or less.

From Stoddard Street Easterly.—The land bounded northwesterly by said Stoddard street, sixty-four and 33-100 feet; northeasterly and easterly by Court street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, two hundred thirteen and 43-100 feet; southerly by Court street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, twelve and 56-100 feet; southwesterly by Howard street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, twenty-two and 52-100 feet; westerly and southwesterly by the westerly and southwesterly lines of Court street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred sixty-seven and 19-100 feet; containing eighty-eight hundred and eight square feet, more or less.

COURT STREET, NORTHEASTERLY SIDE.

At the Corner of Sudbury Street.—The land bounded northeasterly and northerly by the northeasterly and northerly lines of Court street as hereby widened and relocated, sixty-five and 87-100 feet; easterly by Sudbury street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, twenty and 39-100 feet; southerly by Court street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, sixteen and 85-100 feet; and southwesterly by Court street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, fifty-three and 42-100 feet; containing five hundred and thirty-one square feet, more or less.

COURT STREET, EASTERLY SIDE.

From Hanover Street Northerly.—The land bounded southerly by Hanover street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, thirty and 85-100 feet; southwesterly by the curved line at the corner of Hanover and Court streets as said streets existed at the time of the passage of this order, thirteen and 45-100 feet; westerly by Court street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred sixteen and 71-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Court street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred seventeen and 37-100 feet; containing twenty-three hundred and eighty-four square feet more or less.

Between Hanover Street and Brattle Street.—The land bounded northwesterly by Hanover street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, thirty-three and 21-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Court street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred forty-eight and 83-100 feet; southeasterly by Brattle street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, twelve and 64-100 feet; southwesterly by Court street as said street existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred thirty-seven and 98-100 feet; westerly by the curved line at the corner of Court and Hanover streets as said streets existed at the time of the

passage of this order, seven and 85-100 feet; containing thirty-six hundred and five square feet, more or less.

Said Cambridge and Court streets as hereby widened and relocated are bounded and described as follows:

CAMBRIDGE STREET.

Westerly by Charles street, one hundred fifty and 5-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, by nine measurements, two hundred twenty-four and 66-100 feet, eight hundred twenty-four and 41-100 feet, one hundred thirty-five and 76-100 feet, sixteen and 28-100 feet, seventy-five and 21-100 feet, thirty-nine and 37-100 feet, one hundred ninety-five and 26-100 feet, five hundred fifty-one and 32-100 feet and two hundred six and 40-100 feet; east by the westerly line of Court street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred twenty-one and 61-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, by nine measurements, five hundred eighty and 43-100 feet, one hundred ninety-three and 89-100 feet, two hundred two and 66-100 feet, one hundred thirty-eight and 8-100 feet, forty and 8-100 feet, eighty-one and 67-100 feet, thirty-eight and 42-100 feet, thirty-eight and 86-100 feet and six hundred thirty-four and 58-100 feet; again easterly by the easterly line of said Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, twenty and 5-100 feet again south by the southerly line of said Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, five and 86-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, thirty-nine and 29-100 feet; again southerly by the southerly line of said Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred twenty-nine and 14-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of said Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, forty-three and 26-100 feet; again southerly by the southerly line of said Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, eighty-five and 48-100 feet; again easterly by the easterly line of said Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, 34-100 feet; again southerly by the southerly line of said Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated by three measurements, twenty-nine and 37-100 feet, seven feet and six and 92-100 feet; again easterly by the easterly line of said Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, 17-100 feet; and again southerly by the southerly line of said Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, forty-two and 7-100 feet.

COURT STREET.

Westerly by the easterly line of Cambridge street as hereby widened and relocated, one hundred and twenty-one and 61-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Court street as hereby widened and relocated, by five measurements, two hundred fifty-three and 97-100 feet, one hundred twenty-nine and 75-100 feet, one hundred seventeen and 98-100 feet, seventy-three and 85-100 feet and forty-five and 17-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Court street as hereby widened and relocated, twenty and 70-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius; again northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Court street as hereby widened and relocated, by two measurements, seventy-eight and 94-100 feet and

three hundred twenty-eight and 19-100 feet; southeast by parts of Brattle street, Court street and Tremont row as said streets and row existed at the time of the passage of this order, one hundred two and 40-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of said Court street as hereby widened and relocated, by two measurements, seventy-eight and 3-100 feet and eighty-four and 5-100 feet; again southeasterly by the southeasterly line of said Court street as hereby widened and relocated, 92-100 feet; again southwesterly by the southwesterly line of said Court street as hereby widened and relocated, by two measurements, fifty-four and 54-100 feet and forty-six and 78-100 feet; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of said Court street as hereby widened and relocated, eleven and 96-100 feet on a curve of five feet radius; again southwesterly by the southwesterly line of said Court street as hereby widened and relocated, by two measurements, eighty-three and 83-100 feet on a curve of one hundred and thirty-six feet radius and eighty-eight and 77-100 feet; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of said Court street as hereby widened and relocated, 64-100 feet; and again southwesterly by the southwesterly line of said Court street as hereby widened and relocated, by two measurements, twelve and 5-100 feet and four hundred seventy-five and 73-100 feet.

REMOVAL OF OBSTRUCTION.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described lands shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said lands for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

BETTERMENTS.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvements.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the parcels of land, the whole or part of which lie within an approximate distance of two hundred feet from the exterior lines of Cambridge and Court streets, as said streets are widened and relocated hereunder, and which are shown and numbered on a plan of said lots marked "City of Boston, Cambridge Street and Court Street, Boston Proper, Assessment Plan, April 1, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," said plan being filed in this department and a copy of which is recorded in Suffolk Registry of Deeds with this order, will receive benefit or advantage beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city from the making of the aforesaid improvement, each of said lots to the amount herein-after respectively set against it.

Lot.	Amount.
1. City of Boston Suffolk County Jail.....	\$11,700 00
2. Balfie Realty Company.....	13,128 00
3. Governors of St. Francis Xavier's College, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, trustees.....	10,650 00
3a. Sarah E. Roberts.....	668 00
4. Raffaele Camerlengo.....	5,576 00
5. Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	5,416 00
6. Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	4,800 00
7. I. Witt Realty Company.....	2,252 00
8. Ephraim Lissner.....	2,100 00
9. Heirs of Austin Cannon.....	1,960 00
10. Fannie H. Stone.....	1,840 00
11. Max Zurman <i>et al.</i>	1,720 00
12. Max Zurman.....	2,026 00
12a. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	2,020 00
13. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	2,394 00
14. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	1,918 00
15. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	6,600 00
16. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	323 00
17. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	545 00
18. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	2,587 00

Lot.	Amount.	Lot.	Amount.
19. City of Boston.....	\$979 50	121. Heirs of Benjamin Welles <i>et al.</i> , trustee.....	\$8,340 00
20. City of Boston.....	2,750 00	122. Heirs of George A. Goddard, ¹¹ and Heirs of Francis Amory, ¹¹	3,495 00
21. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	400 00	123. William Minot <i>et al.</i> , trustee of the Bryant Real Estate Trust.....	2,148 00
22. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	840 00	124. William Minot <i>et al.</i> , trustee of the Bryant Real Estate Trust.....	4,892 00
23. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	1,521 00	125. National Security Bank of Boston.....	4,458 00
24. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	7,400 00	126. National Security Bank of Boston.....	3,765 00
25. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	2,694 00	127. National Security Bank of Boston.....	3,100 00
26. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	2,010 00	128. National Security Bank of Boston.....	1,880 00
27. Massachusetts General Hospital.....	1,304 00	129. National Security Bank of Boston.....	890 00
28. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	3,570 00	130. Collateral Loan Company.....	1,735 00
29. Robert H. Gardiner <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	3,536 00	131. Herbert M. Sears <i>et al.</i> , trustee, City of Boston.....	3,834 00
30. Jennie Corchman.....	1,537 50	132. City of Boston.....	1,920 00
31. Samuel Dosick.....	1,002 00	133. Herbert M. Sears <i>et al.</i> , trustee, Adelaide R. Nutter.....	4,650 00
32. Israel Sullzman <i>et al.</i>	503 00	134. Adelaide R. Nutter.....	900 00
33. Esther Weiner.....	2,130 00	135. Annie J. Dillon.....	885 00
34. Annie M. Brandenberg.....	1,464 00	136. Albert Arnold <i>et al.</i>	1,440 00
35. Annie M. Brandenberg.....	1,346 00	137. Annie J. Dillon.....	516 00
36. Annie M. Brandenberg.....	1,396 00	138. Adelaide R. Nutter.....	562 00
37. Heirs of Joshua Bennett.....	3,726 00	139. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustee.....	760 00
38. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	580 00	140. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustee.....	1,520 00
39. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	1,434 00	141. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustee.....	1,520 00
40. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	1,434 00	142. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustee.....	760 00
41. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	1,352 00	143. Bernard E. Grant.....	2,545 00
42. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	3,500 00	144. Commonwealth of Massachusetts.....	2,374 00
43. Rose Jacobovitz <i>et al.</i>	820 00	145. Walter Nash.....	500 00
44. Mary Klein.....	1,600 00	146. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustee.....	1,065 00
45. Barnett Messer.....	1,600 00	147. Mary Szathmary.....	1,533 00
46. Jacob Goldsmith.....	3,988 00	148. Walter Nash.....	850 00
47. Elias Kamber.....	2,000 00	149. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	850 00
48. Benion Moskow.....	340 00	150. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	1,750 00
49. George G. Shaw.....	347 50	151. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	1,740 00
50. George G. Shaw.....	346 50	152. Henry G. Hoppe.....	1,774 00
51. Hannah E. Riordan.....	363 00	153. George T. Kely <i>et al.</i> , trustees, George T. Kely <i>et al.</i> , trustees, Sophie Flakser.....	1,816 00
52. Mary A. Sears.....	301 50	154. George T. Kely <i>et al.</i> , trustees, Sophie Flakser.....	1,816 00
53. John F. Capen <i>et al.</i>	301 50	155. Sophie Flakser.....	1,600 00
54. Mary A. Harnedy, City of Boston, T. T.....	3,752 00	156. Hyman Cooper <i>et al.</i>	1,902 00
55. Philip Silberstein <i>et al.</i>	2,196 00	157. Osher Bresnick.....	577 50
56. Philip Silberstein <i>et al.</i>	1,918 00	158. Samuel Segal <i>et al.</i>	725 00
57. Philip Silberstein <i>et al.</i>	1,818 00	159. Heirs of Joshua Bennett.....	2,460 00
58. Charles H. Connell <i>et al.</i>	3,000 00	160. Antonio Manzelli <i>et al.</i>	900 00
59. Benoth Israel Sheltering Home, City of Boston, T. T.....	6,824 00	161. Max Cohen <i>et al.</i>	362 50
60. Louis Kornfeld.....	4,318 00	162. Antonio Mauriello.....	505 50
61. Lena Rittenberg.....	2,540 00	163. Sarah Sandler.....	508 50
62. Esther Rysman.....	1,190 50	164. Heirs of Joshua Bennett.....	2,480 00
63. Frederic J. Stimson.....	1,330 50	165. Heirs of Joshua Bennett.....	2,352 00
64. Frederic J. Stimson.....	1,774 00	166. George H. Tinkham, trustee.....	2,384 00
65. Carrie A. Thorndike.....	3,182 00	167. Heirs of Joshua Bennett.....	2,352 00
66. Joseph Kittenberg.....	3,124 00	168. Morris Luftman.....	800 00
67. Andrea Paglino.....	3,170 00	169. Morris Luftman.....	740 00
68. Elizabeth K. Hamilton.....	5,271 50	170. Walter B. Goode.....	370 00
69. Jacob Rosenbloom.....	\$4,176 00	171. William F. McDonough.....	440 00
70. Jacob Rosenbloom.....	1,078 00	172. Heirs of William J. Rounds.....	440 00
71. Emilio M. Baratta.....	3,274 00	173. George H. Wilde <i>et al.</i>	324 00
72. Peter J. McDonald.....	1,039 50	174. Eugenia G. Carmine <i>et al.</i>	270 00
73. Marks Mittenthal.....	1,158 75	175. Samuel Sherman <i>et al.</i>	2,566 00
74. Rebecca Bychower.....	2,376 00	176. Martha Oginsz.....	2,296 00
75. Heirs of Cyrus Sargent.....	3,240 00	177. Dominic Marco <i>et al.</i>	2,298 00
76. Bertha Ross.....	3,366 00	178. Charles Weiner.....	2,578 00
76a. Person or Persons Unknown.....	340 00	179. Rosie Finkelstein.....	1,636 00
76b. George L. Osborne.....	34 00	180. Benjamin Cushman <i>et al.</i>	798 00
76c. Lawrence J. Osborne.....	160 00	181. Heirs of Joshua Bennett.....	500 00
77. Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities.....	6,360 00	182. Anna M. Cartolano.....	500 00
78. Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities.....	2,433 00	183. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees of the Northern Realty Trust.....	12,000 00
79. Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities.....	1,227 75	184. Samuel I. Adelson.....	2,159 50
80. City of Boston.....	14,680 00	185. Gertrude P. Golub.....	3,000 00
81. The Pope Company, Inc.....	920 00	186. Gertrude P. Golub.....	3,000 00
82. The Pope Company, Inc.....	880 00	187. Gertrude P. Golub.....	6,000 00
83. The Pope Company, Inc.....	10,780 00	188. B. O. and C. G. Wilson, Inc.....	6,024 00
84. Gertrude L. Kotzen.....	7,692 00	189. Clara Goodlitz.....	1,000 00
85. Lena Lifshitz.....	2,767 50	190. Edward Collins.....	412 50
86. Serena Gilman.....	1,388 25	191. Frederick M. Smith.....	800 00
87. John F. McNamee, 2d., trustee.....	690 00	192. James M. Burr.....	12,184 00
88. Gertrude L. Kotzen.....	6,740 00	193. Mary E. Shute, heirs of.....	5,722 00
89. John F. McNamee, 2d., trustee.....	6,310 00	194. Fannie Epstein.....	572 50
90. Ingersoll Bowditch <i>et al.</i> , trustee.....	46,886 00	195. Ida L. Kaplan.....	566 50
91. President and Fellows of Harvard College.....	8,000 00	196. Joseph P. Manning.....	3,760 00
92. New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.....	16,230 00	197. Mary Milton.....	1,110 00
93. Harry Swartz.....	27,000 00	198. Antonio Pentorino.....	382 50
94. Heirs of George E. Lothrop.....	20,596 50	199. Arthur J. Phalen.....	4,636 00
95. Julius O. Cohen.....	4,080 00	200. Annie Siegal.....	980 00
96. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustee.....	3,750 00	201. J. C. Staton.....	382 50
97. Edward V. Bird.....	3,795 00	202. George W. Penniman.....	2,552 00
98. Arick W. Erickson <i>et al.</i> , trustee, Heirs of Nathan Tufts, ¹¹ Frank Noyes, ¹¹	3,855 00	203. Gertrude Solomon.....	811 00
99. Harold L. Clark.....	3,600 00	204. Gertrude Solomon.....	433 50
100. Heirs of Melvin O. Adams.....	1,797 00	205. Hannah Greenhood.....	5,115 00
101. James C. Ayer <i>et al.</i> , trustee.....	1,369 00	206. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees of the Northern Realty Trust.....	2,580 00
102. Henry P. Kendall <i>et al.</i>	1,263 00	207. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees of the Northern Realty Trust.....	5,000 00
103. Henry P. Kendall <i>et al.</i>	1,111 00	208. City of Boston.....	3,418 00
104. James Otis.....	1,642 50	209. Walter G. McGauley.....	2,160 00
105. Olive B. Merideth, ¹¹ Ethel M. Codrington, trustee, ¹¹	8,700 00	210. City of Boston.....	1,856 00
106. Edward W. Boyd <i>et al.</i>	3,000 00	211. Gennaro Gabitosi.....	1,469 00
107. Heirs of Thomas J. Welch.....	6,600 00	212. City of Boston.....	2,000 00
108. Benjamin B. Appleton <i>et al.</i>	5,712 00	213. Heirs of Ellen Baird.....	3,584 00
109. Samuel Silverman.....	3,750 00	214. Perez Smith heirs.....	6,784 00
110. Henry P. Kendall <i>et al.</i>	1,422 00	215. William H. Ryan <i>et al.</i>	3,220 00
111. Paul B. Watson <i>et al.</i> , trustee.....	3,600 00	216. Elizabeth Dergaef.....	3,024 00
112. Paul B. Watson <i>et al.</i> , trustee.....	6,400 00	217. William H. Ryan <i>et al.</i>	1,436 00
113. Reuben B. Gryzmish <i>et al.</i>	9,600 00	218. Esther Winisky.....	1,128 50
114. B. and B. Amusement Enterprise, Inc.....	12,178 00	219. Nellie H. Shirley.....	446 00
115. Charles Blanchard <i>et al.</i>	3,090 00	220. Emma G. Lawler.....	654 50
116. Alice B. Colman <i>et al.</i>	1,533 00	221. William F. Lowe.....	1,113 50
117. Security Realty Trust, Inc.....	4,884 00	222. Rose V. Monaghan.....	1,191 00
118. Daniel J. Holland <i>et al.</i>	1,912 50	223. Maria Johnson.....	3,085 50
119. Arthur W. Blake <i>et al.</i>	1,845 00		

Lot.	Amount.
224. Charles W. Smith and Bertram S. Viles.....	\$4,434 00
225. Charles W. Smith and Bertram S. Viles.....	1,670 00
226. Charles W. Smith and Bertram S. Viles.....	1,680 00
227. Eliza C. Grenville.....	1,244 00
228. Eliza C. Grenville.....	1,190 00
229. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	1,806 00
230. David T. Montague.....	3,484 00
231. Edward J. Fetherston <i>et al.</i>	3,300 00
232. Julius Abelson.....	1,012 50
233. Frank E. McDuffee.....	1,012 50
234. William F. Lowe.....	655 00
235. Mary E. McKenna.....	656 50
236. Daniel A. Cronin.....	1,320 00
237. Jeanette Peyser.....	1,995 00
238. Jennie H. Wallace.....	2,900 00
239. Henry D. Warren.....	1,080 00
240. Alles and Fisher, Inc.....	230 00
241. William J. Stober.....	208 00
242. Edward F. Cassell and John C. Kiley.....	2,872 00
243. Esther Pines.....	3,872 00
244. Elmira E. Jarvis.....	3,675 00
245. Horace W. Baxter <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	2,323 00
246. Heirs of Thomas Snow.....	1,150 00
247. Hecht Neighborhood House, Inc.....	3,064 00
248. Mary G. Grout.....	5,952 00
249. William Hoag <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	3,900 00
250. Heirs of Louis Devincenzi.....	910 00
251. Proprietors of Revere House.....	23,000 00
252. City of Boston.....	6,098 00
253. Emily M. Stevens <i>et al.</i>	3,684 00
254. Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	3,468 00
255. Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	3,620 00
256. Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	1,740 00
257. Annie B. M. Bryant.....	1,790 00
258. Harry E. Converse.....	768 00
259. Pasquale Daniels.....	6,600 00
260. Heirs of Cyrus Sargent.....	5,268 00
261. Holland System, Inc.....	3,699 00
262. Israel J. Rothenberg.....	4,926 00
263. Chin Ming.....	5,604 00
263a. Cosmopolitan Trust Company.....	450 00
264. Gertrude H. Graham <i>et al.</i>	5,400 00
264a. Gertrude H. Graham <i>et al.</i>	402 00
265. Demitrios P. Manousos <i>et al.</i>	5,100 00
265a. Cambridge Realty Company.....	300 00
266. James E. Stewart <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	4,554 00
266a. Holland System, Inc.....	180 00
266l. Holland System, Inc.....	120 00
266e. Holland System, Inc.....	60 00
266d. Holland System, Inc.....	9 00
267. Abraham P. Levine.....	8,100 00
268. City of Boston T. T. Joe and Nemo, Inc.....	2,790 00
269. Harry H. Ham <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	3,060 00
270. Heirs of Cyrus Sargent.....	3,000 00
271. Martha A. Prescott, trustees.....	3,000 00
272. Peter Bent Brigham Hospital.....	3,780 00
273. William Hoag <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	1,170 00
274. William A. Mazzaro.....	1,235 00
275. William A. Mazzaro.....	1,600 00
276. John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i>	1,970 00
277. Gilbert D. Pierce <i>et al.</i>	1,750 00
278. Heirs of Cyrus Sargent.....	1,575 00
279. Etta Tirk <i>et al.</i>	4,800 00
280. Horace K. Boutwell <i>et al.</i>	6,800 00
281. Gerald G. E. Street <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	34,718 00
282. Peter Bent Brigham Hospital.....	25,230 00
283. Peter C. Brooks.....	5,937 00
284. Peter C. Brooks.....	4,800 00
285. Peter C. Brooks.....	4,839 00
286. Moses Williams, Jr., trustee.....	4,851 00
287. Moses Williams, Jr., trustee.....	4,878 00
288. Moses Williams, Jr., trustee.....	4,920 00
289. Moses Williams, Jr., trustee.....	4,971 00
290. Annie Judge.....	5,100 00
291. E. Sohler Welch <i>et al.</i> , trustees.....	5,079 00
292. John L. Thorndike.....	7,686 00
	<u>\$1,025,373 25</u>

DAMAGES.

Ordered, That this Board determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening, relocation and construction of Cambridge street and Court street, Boston proper district, as highways, from Charles street to Brattle street, under the order of the Board, in the amounts hereinafter set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

	Amount.
James Bowen Heirs, 2,413 square feet and buildings.....	\$15,628
Benjamin H. Greenwood, 1,025 square feet and building, 493 square feet and building.....	14,280
Florence K. Barry, Annie M. Kelley, T. T., 904 square feet, 546 square feet and building, 539 square feet and building.....	2,500

	Amount.		Amount.
Peter F. Peterson, Alice B. Packard, T. T., 539 square feet and building, 504 square feet and building, 396 square feet and building.....	\$3,940	Annie M. Brandenburg, 2,020 square feet and buildings, 1,543 square feet and buildings.....	\$33,263
Owner or owners unknown (Gilson place), 1,215 square feet.....	Nothing	Joshua Bennett Heirs, 21 square feet and building.....	700
Elizabeth A. Gallagher, 970 square feet and building.....	6,370	Owner or owners unknown (Lawrence place), 600 square feet.....	Nothing
Gertrude P. Golub, 1,186 square feet and building, 1,219 square feet and building.....	17,150	Owner or owners unknown (Lawrence place), 600 square feet.....	Nothing
Owner or owners unknown, 79 square feet.....	Nothing	John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , Trustee of the Northern Realty Trust, 2,060 square feet and building, 41 square feet and building.....	24,266
Walter Nash, 658 square feet and building, 488 square feet and building.....	14,932	John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , Trustees of the Northern Realty Trust, 1,751 square feet and buildings.....	11,284
John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , Trustees of the Northern Realty Trust, 443 square feet and building, 401 square feet and building, 410 square feet and building.....	20,865	Rosie Jacobovitz and Carrie Levinson, 1,989 square feet and buildings.....	18,529
Henry G. Hoppe, 351 square feet and building.....	7,625	Mary A. Harnedy, City of Boston, 1,899 square feet and buildings.....	16,850
George T. and Henry M. Kelley, trustees, 297 square feet and building, 236 square feet and building.....	14,700	Phillip Silberstein and Mary Meltzer, 1,148 square feet and building, 1,093 square feet and building, 1,151 square feet and building.....	68,945
Joseph P. Manning, 196 square feet and building.....	16,376	Charles H. Connelly, 1,478 square feet and building.....	13,913
Elizabeth C. Giblin, 301 square feet and building.....	11,574	Max Uroff, City of Boston T. T., 1,577 square feet.....	9,300
George W. Penniman, 398 square feet and building.....	10,760	Mary A. Harnedy, City of Boston T. T., 1,899 square feet and buildings.....	16,850
Hannah Greenwood, 454 square feet and building.....	11,000	Owner or owners unknown (Hope place), 603 square feet.....	Nothing
Owner or owners unknown (Auburn court), 169 square feet.....	Nothing	Julia M. Dehon, 829 square feet and building.....	17,150
John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , Trustees of the Northern Realty Trust, 258 square feet and building, 519 square feet and building.....	17,178	George L. Osborn, 808 square feet and building, 833 square feet and building.....	25,970
City of Boston, 524 square feet and building.....	8,322	Owner or owners unknown (common passageway), 161 square feet.....	Nothing
Walter G. McGauley, 590 square feet and building.....	19,100	Lawrence J. Osborne, 873 square feet and building.....	11,270
Charles Cranford, 231 square feet and building.....	10,300	Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities, 953 square feet and buildings, 2,120 square feet and buildings.....	51,058
Pearce Smith Heirs, 862 square feet and buildings.....	26,360	City of Boston, 3,119 square feet.....	24,500
Charles W. Smith and Bertram S. Viles, 532 square feet and buildings, 269 square feet and building, 313 square feet and building.....	32,206	The Pope Company, Inc., 706 square feet and building, 682 square feet and building, 935 square feet and building.....	48,564
Owner or owners unknown (Ridgeway lane), 212 square feet.....	Nothing	Gertrude L. Kotzen, 844 square feet and building, 183 square feet and building.....	53,675
Eliza C. Grenville, 384 square feet and building, 438 square feet and building.....	17,628	Emily M. Stevens <i>et al.</i> , 580 square feet and building.....	11,250
John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , Trustees of Northern Realty Trust, 1,482 square feet and buildings.....	47,819	Union Institution for Savings, 1,696 square feet and building.....	14,234
Henry D. Warren, 885 square feet and building.....	16,660	Albion B. Turner <i>et al.</i> , trustees, 2,630 square feet and building.....	100,000
William J. Irving, 1,505 square feet and building.....	43,708	Harry E. Converse, 2,523 square feet and building.....	45,175
Owner or owners unknown (Coolidge avenue), 464 square feet.....	Nothing	Hollana System, Inc., 3,259 square feet and building.....	108,414
Alles and Fisher, Inc., 1,000 square feet and building.....	13,928	Cosmopolitan Trust Company, 1,246 square feet and building.....	28,000
William J. Stober, 1,055 square feet and building.....	15,484	Gertrude H. Graham <i>et al.</i> , 1,260 square feet and building.....	30,000
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, 1,026 square feet and building, 1,078 square feet and building.....	39,200	Cambridge Realty Company, 1,348 square feet and building.....	34,000
Heirs or Devises of Gio Batti De Ferrari, 1,126 square feet and building.....	13,916	Holland System, Inc., 1,244 square feet and building, 1,279 square feet and building, 1,300 square feet and building, 1,450 square feet.....	145,000
John C. Kiley and Edward F. Cassell, 71 square feet and building.....	5,739	Joe and Nemo, Inc., City of Boston T. T., 288 square feet and building.....	14,112
William Hoag <i>et al.</i> , trustees, 5,774 square feet and buildings.....	107,104	Harry H. Ham <i>et al.</i> , Trustees of the Shattuck Trust, 244 square feet and building.....	6,038
Louis Devincenzi, 2,304 square feet and buildings.....	48,060	Cyrus Sargent Heirs, 386 square feet and building.....	8,615
Proprietors of Revere House, 10,109 square feet.....	111,119	Martha A. Prescott, trustee, 6 square feet and building.....	300
Edison Electric Illuminating Company, 70 square feet.....	315	Warren B. P. Weeks <i>et al.</i> , Trustees Weeks Real Estate Trust, 2,674 square feet and building.....	101,000
Edison Electric Illuminating Company, 298 square feet and building.....	1,342	Alfred Hemenway <i>et al.</i> , trustees, 2,647 square feet and building.....	107,000
I. Witt Realty Company, 236 square feet and building.....	12,703	Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, 1,792 square feet and building.....	106,672
Ephraim Lissner, 302 square feet and building.....	6,920	William Hoag <i>et al.</i> , trustees, 771 square feet and building.....	84,072
Austin Cannon Heirs, 363 square feet and building.....	9,932	Benjamin W. Appleton <i>et al.</i> , 531 square feet and building.....	33,748
Fannie H. Stone, 419 square feet and building.....	9,200	B. & B. Amusement Enterprises, Inc., 274 square feet and building.....	25,522
Max and Dora Zurman, 474 square feet and building, 691 square feet and building.....	41,400	Charles and Sumner Blanchard, 1,005 square feet and building.....	58,546
Massachusetts General Hospital, 896 square feet and building, 1,270 square feet and building, 1,241 square feet and building, 3,636 square feet and building, 1,181 square feet and building.....	75,184	Alice B. Coleman and Helen W. McElwain, 1,105 square feet and building.....	144,135
John C. Kiley <i>et al.</i> , trustees of the Northern Realty Trust, 1,914 square feet and building.....	12,277	Heirs of George A. Goddard, 11-18, and Francis Amory, 7-18, 1,167 square feet and building.....	141,027
Robert H. Gardiner <i>et al.</i> , trustees, 1,857 square feet and building.....	30,520	William Minot <i>et al.</i> , Trustees of the Bryant Real Estate Trust, 532 square feet and building, 906 square feet and building.....	142,100
		National Security Bank, 871 square feet and building.....	122,500
		Owner or owners unknown (common passageway), 129 square feet.....	Nothing
			\$3,002,021

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 14 TO AUGUST 20.

AUGUST 14.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Abraham Katz	38 Claymoss road.	25	New fixtures.	\$1,100
T. B. McKeagney	32 Roslin street.	21	New fixtures.	500
P. G. Finnerty	667 Massachusetts avenue.	12	New fixtures.	270
Dick Pagington	27 Sunnyside street.	24	New fixtures.	150
P. F. Russo	112 Glenwood avenue (East)	24	New fixtures.	300
Charles King	139 Beacon street.	8	New fixtures.	600
J. J. Kelly	17 Ruskin road.	24	New fixtures.	800
J. F. McGloan	21 Marlborough street.	8	New fixtures.	525
L. E. Young	1190 Adams street.	21	New fixtures.	195
Joseph Edelstein	1 Appleway	26	New fixtures.	300
Harvey E. Eichel	25 Lyndhurst street.	19	New fixtures.	300
Matto & Rosen	15 Cooper street.	5	New fixtures.	1,000
John Devlin	50 Lochstead street.	22	New fixtures.	700
A. E. Scrivens	491 La Grange street.	23	New fixtures.	980
Joseph Seigel	12 Kenmore street.	8	New fixtures.	75
Powers & Mehegan	17 Becket street.	20	New fixtures.	1,000
L. P. Balantine	31 Mt. Vernon street.	8	New fixtures.	1,600
Samuel Bacon	8 Maple street.	16	New fixtures.	1,200
Browning & Riley	5 Brimmer street.	8	New fixtures.	300
H. F. Bimbidel	8 Lanesville terrace.	22	New fixtures.	300
H. F. Bimbidel	9 Granfield avenue.	23	New fixtures.	1,100
Thomas J. Trainor	69 Draper street.	18	New fixtures.	1,200
H. Weiss	215 Harvard street.	19	New fixtures.	800
J. F. Wright	1222 Commonwealth avenue	25	New fixtures.	375
Hamilton F. Smith	94 Litchfield street.	26	New fixtures.	700
J. P. Perry & Co.	1 Joy street.	8	New fixtures.	325
Louis W. Mulkern	1196 Commonwealth avenue	25	New fixtures.	85
John Mulcahy	28 Oakridge street.	21	New fixtures.	450
J. H. Larkin	14 Linden street.	25	New fixtures.	4,000
J. E. Cassidy	241 Foster street.	25	New fixtures.	975
John J. Vogel	411 Centre street.	22	New fixtures.	100
John J. Vogel	611 La Grange street.	23	New fixtures.	450
John J. Vogel	40 Fairfield street.	8	New fixtures.	300

AUGUST 15.

Max Hyman	67 Norwell street.	19	New fixtures.	\$200
W. H. Russell Goudy	164 Allandale street.	22	New fixtures.	450
Sam Harris	11 Mattakeset street.	24	New fixtures.	850
Joyce & Travers	159 Rendville street.	24	New fixtures.	450
S. A. Politsky	242 Blue Hill avenue.	17	New fixtures.	70
S. M. Harris	190 Main street.	3	New fixtures.	200
H. F. Bimbidel	22 Mildred avenue.	21	New fixtures.	1,100
J. A. Cotter	22 Central street.	5	New fixtures.	2,000
J. A. Cotter	24 and 26 Broad street.	5	New fixtures.	500
Alexander Campbell	17 Forest street.	12	New fixtures.	450
D. M. Goldstein	35 Barton street.	5	New fixtures.	350
W. R. Pitcher	267 Princeton street.	1	New fixtures.	100
M. W. Nelligan	35 Fayette street.	8	New fixtures.	600

AUGUST 16.

James A. Dickenson	81 Camden street.	13	New fixtures.	\$1,600
Harold Richardson	17 Phillips street.	8	New fixtures.	350
L. J. Towle Company	287 Huntington avenue.	7	New fixtures.	150
Wilford H. Gray	174 Wilmington avenue.	21	New fixtures.	965
John J. Norris	59 Billerica street.	5	New fixtures.	340
B. A. MacDonald	70 Orlando street.	24	New fixtures.	800
William H. Welch	314 Dorchester avenue.	9	New fixtures.	300
P. J. Sullivan	25 Hunnewell avenue.	26	New fixtures.	1,600
John E. Heath	2 Austin street.	4	New fixtures.	300
M. S. Pann	12 Don street.	21	New fixtures.	600

AUGUST 18.

Charles H. Smith	32 Chestnut street.	8	New fixtures.	\$400
M. H. Myers	1 Allen street.	8	New fixtures.	100
Walter P. Wilson Company	81 Russell street.	3	New fixtures.	316
George W. Rigby	198 E. street.	9	New fixtures.	325
Charles Lang	63 Braden street.	23	New fixtures.	860
James A. Kent	154 Perham street.	23	New fixtures.	450

AUGUST 19.

George H. Cox	606 Tremont street.	6	New fixtures.	\$300
Abraham Kellm	227 Walnut avenue.	15	New fixtures.	500
John J. Campbell	10 Linwood square.	15	New fixtures.	250
John A. Wilson	112 Mt. Vernon street.	8	New fixtures.	1,200
Thompson, Marston Company	40 London street.	2	New fixtures.	750
John F. Cunningham	190 Bayswater street.	1	New fixtures.	500
C. C. Best	15 Cottage street.	24	New fixtures.	527
H. Weiss	234 Callender street.	21	New fixtures.	350
David Carlin	17 Thomas street.	22	New fixtures.	450
George C. Torngren	14 Parley vale.	22	New fixtures.	500
Herman E. Kraus	7 Eliot street.	22	New fixtures.	1,000

AUGUST 20.

John J. Vogel	26 Westbourne street.	23	New fixtures.	\$500
John J. Walters	1887 Washington street.	13	New fixtures.	400
C. F. Smith	89 Warren street.	13	New fixtures.	100
Joseph H. McCarthy	55 Warren street.	13	New fixtures.	275
Harry D. Pollard	16 Tolman street.	20	New fixtures.	390
Schwehr & Co.	63 Sterling street.	13	New fixtures.	300
E. M. Duggan	61 Sterling street.	13	New fixtures.	275
P. G. Finnerty	528 Shawmut avenue.	13	New fixtures.	50
Joseph P. Vogel & Son	45 Sawyer street.	13	New fixtures.	350
D. M. Goldstein	72 Mora street.	21	New fixtures.	1,050
G. M. Duggan	11 Lenoxdale avenue.	20	New fixtures.	450
Jacob Pilvin	279 Huntington avenue.	7	New fixtures.	500
D. J. Seward McCurdy	84 Hastings street.	23	New fixtures.	150
Alexander Campbell	28 Harvest street.	11	New fixtures.	350
William J. Adams	867 Dorchester avenue.	11	New fixtures.	250
H. Weiss	4 Abbot street.	19	New fixtures.	1,000
P. F. Russo	22 Arnold street.	24	New fixtures.	400
L. G. Walden	18 Harvard avenue.	24	New fixtures.	500

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 35.

I. ACTING DISTRICT CHIEFS.

The following named captains are hereby designated as acting district chiefs, and will act in that capacity during the absence of the district chiefs of their respective districts:

District 1.—Capt. Thomas J. Lannary, Engine Company 40; Capt. Thomas J. Flynn, Engine Company 9.

District 2.—Capt. Morris L. Galvin, Ladder Company, 9; Capt. John H. Laughlin, Engine Company 27.

District 3.—Capt. Walter S. Eaton, Engine Company 44; Capt. Maurice J. Prendergast, Ladder Company 18.

District 4.—Capt. Patrick J. Laffey, Ladder Company 1; Capt. John Williams, Engine Company 31.

District 5.—Capt. Avery B. Howard, Engine Company 26-35; Capt. Daniel J. O'Brien, Engine Company 10.

District 6.—Capt. Edwin F. Richardson, Engine Company 15; Capt. William F. Field, Engine Company 1.

District 7.—Capt. Fred F. Leary, Ladder Company 3; Capt. George L. Carney, Engine Company 3.

District 8.—Capt. Charles C. Springer, Engine Company 14; Capt. John H. Leary, Ladder Company 12.

District 9.—Capt. Michael Norton, Engine Company 21; Capt. Charles T. Faren, Ladder Company 4.

District 10.—Capt. Lorenzo D. Merrill, Engine Company 53; Capt. William Levis, Engine Company 18.

District 11.—Capt. Edward F. Doody, Engine Company 29; Capt. John E. Redman, Engine Company 51.

District 12.—Capt. George H. Hutchings, Engine Company 28; Capt. Daniel M. Shaughnessy, Ladder Company 23.

District 13.—Capt. Fred W. Battis, Ladder Company 16; Capt. Ernest O. Haines, Engine Company 45.

District 14.—Capt. Fred I. Adams, Engine Company 20; Capt. William Hart, Engine Company 46.

District 15.—Capt. Michael F. Silva, Engine Company 48; Capt. John J. Gavin, Engine Company 19.

These designations will take effect as of February 1, 1924, except in the cases of those captains who were acting district chiefs previous to that date. In such cases the original date of designation will apply.

II. CORRECTION.

The following correction should be made in General Orders No. 33, c. s., section 1, Paragraph III, under heading "New Fire Alarm Boxes:"

Box 2396 should be changed to read: "Assignments will be the same as for Box 2386."

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

CLAIMS DISAPPROVED.

The Law Department has disapproved thirty-four claims against the city, aggregating \$8,240.90, and they are classified as follows:

Against the Health Department, one, amounting to \$266; against the Park and Recreation Department, one, amounting to \$40, against the Public Works Department, thirty-two, amounting to \$7,934.90.

All these claims have been disapproved for the reason that there appeared to be no legal liability on the part of the city.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 14 TO AUGUST 20.

AUGUST 14.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
H. Greenfield <i>et al.</i>	114 Hancock street.....	17	First-class garage.....	\$1,900
William B. Johnson.....	52-58 Wareham street.....	6	Second-class storage.....	2,500
Susan G. Crowell.....	245 Park street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
John A. Olson.....	30 Mattakeeset street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
DeBlois & Maddison.....	222 Sumner street.....	5	Install elevator.....	1,500
Standard Neckwear Com- pany.....	88 Kingston street.....	5	Install elevator.....	6,000
Green Shoe Company.....	960 Harrison avenue and Randall street.....	12	Install elevator.....	3,200
Thompson & Norris Com- pany.....	119 Braintree street.....	26	Install elevator.....	5,200
E. J. Meany.....	1082 Commonwealth ave.....	25	Alterations, store.....	200
South End Hardware Com- pany.....	1093 and 1095 Washington street and 1-15 Garland street.....	6	Alterations, store and storage.....	25,000
Dwelling House Associates, Brockway-Smith Corporation	1459-1461 Tremont street.....	14	Alterations, store.....	3,000
City of Boston.....	515 Medford street.....	3	Construct sign.....	500
City of Boston.....	1 Garden street arch.....	8	Take-down.....	600
City of Boston.....	2 Garden street arch.....	8	Take-down.....	600
City of Boston.....	3 Garden street arch.....	8	Take-down.....	600

AUGUST 15.

A. Mageroni.....	17 Eastman street.....	11	First-class garage.....	\$1,200
Adolph Morse.....	Rear of 125 Hutchings street.....	16	First-class garage.....	2,500
Carrie E. Snell.....	Rear of 158 Magnolia street.....	17	First-class garage.....	1,900
Thomas Kinsmith.....	Rear of 30 Wade street.....	25	First-class garage.....	900
H. E. Cline.....	2000 Washington street.....	12	First-class garage and stores.....	100,000
Ellen J. Lally.....	176 and 178 West Ninth street.....	11	First-class garage.....	2,000
Joseph Ryack.....	Rear of 34 Schuyler street.....	16	First-class garage.....	1,000
Herman Goldman.....	Rear of 15 Devon street.....	16	Second-class garage.....	1,000
City of Boston.....	59 Fenway.....	7	Second-class Fire Alarm Sta- tion.....	268,000
Jacob Silevsky.....	Rear of 74 Lucerne street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
L. C. Bowring.....	Rear of 41 Bexley road.....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Peter A. Olsen.....	Rear of 9 Chester street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
W. C. Warren.....	129 Academy Hill road.....	25	Third-class garage.....	600
Mary E. Bowen.....	Rear of 36 Chester street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
Sarah M. Rogers.....	Rear of 56 Garfield avenue.....	21	Third-class garage.....	600
Edward G. Kennedy.....	Rear of 79 Hewlett street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Mary Donlan.....	Rear of 50 Lochstead avenue.....	22	Third-class garage.....	900
John S. Goodway.....	Rear of 35 Southbourne road.....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
J. A. Judge.....	Rear of 28 Stanley street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
Alfred T. Small.....	Rear of 16 Mayhew street.....	11	Special class garage.....	500
Peabody Building Trustees.....	39 Newbury street.....	8	Install elevator.....	4,000
George R. Fearing.....	168 Beacon street.....	8	Install elevator.....	2,000
Dr. Goode.....	20 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Erect fire escape.....	300
J. R. Boomer, Agent.....	84 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Erect fire escape.....	200
Cyrus W. Campbell.....	55 61 Green street.....	5	Erect fire escape.....	160
Mrs. Albert Moran.....	416 150 Massachusetts av- enue.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	192
Marie J. Caste.....	450-454 Massachusetts av- enue.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	200
Agnes Mansur and Mrs. Saver	168 and 470 Massachusetts av.	8	Erect fire escape.....	170
Edith M. McCahe.....	121 Newbury street.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	375
J. Cronin.....	137 and 139 Newbury street.....	8	Erect fire escape.....	115
J. N. Learned <i>et al.</i>	689-693 Tremont street.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	500
J. N. Learned <i>et al.</i>	695-697 Tremont street.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	200
Curtis Johnson and Richard Pettrilly.....	145 and 147 West Newton street.....	7	Erect Fire escape.....	120
Margaret Sheehan.....	168 West Newton street.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	375
Natali Catalfano.....	7 Baker court.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
Wong Sue Hing.....	20 Hudson street.....	5	Alterations, stores and ten- ements.....	2,200
Elias Zeller.....	6 Lyford street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Mrs. J. Russo.....	171 47 1/4 North Margin street.....	5	Alterations, tenements.....	200
Anna V. McGrath.....	21 Pearl street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	5,000
C. B. Realty Company.....	1103 Washington street.....	6	Alterations, store.....	600

AUGUST 16.

W. E. McDonough.....	1260 Boylston street.....	8	First-class garage.....	\$150,000
Louis and Anna Halpern.....	Rear of 93 Harrishof street.....	16	First-class garage.....	3,000
Annie Mandelstam.....	Rear of 56 Melville avenue.....	19	First-class garage.....	1,000
Anthony Ankudowicz.....	145 West street.....	24	Second-class garage.....	2,500
Anthony Ankudowicz.....	145 West street.....	24	Second-class garage.....	2,500
Michael Leon.....	Rear of 10 Alleyne street.....	23	Second-class garage.....	600
Anna Biesty.....	Rear of 12 Haverford street.....	22	Second-class garage.....	900
Mrs. A. H. Casey.....	Rear of 73 Perthshire road.....	26	Third-class garage.....	850
Mary C. Meehan.....	22 Rexhame street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	204
Alice McMahon.....	Rear of 60 Davison street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	450
Margaret Ring.....	Rear of 46 Newport street.....	11	Third-class garage.....	475
Anthony Hedolin.....	14 Beacon street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
M. W. Palmer.....	106 Bennett street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Frank V. Warner.....	117 Ruskin road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,500
A. G. Boyce.....	68 Stockton street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Edmond Grondin.....	23 Eastbourne street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
M. W. Palmer.....	91 Oakland street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. W. Palmer.....	87 Oakland street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Antonio Palange.....	262 Princeton street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
Abby Walsh.....	24 Dustin street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
D. Cronin.....	144 Lamartine street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
D. Cronin.....	146 Lamartine street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
D. Cronin.....	150 Lamartine street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
D. Cronin.....	148 Lamartine street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
Paine Furniture Company.....	81 Arlington street.....	8	Alterations, store and factory.....	400
Anchor Laundry Company.....	95 Freeport street.....	18	Alterations, boiler room.....	1,000

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

DRAUGHTSMAN, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

There are two vacancies at a salary of \$2,100 a year.

The duties of this position include field investigations and surveys and charting and drafting of material so acquired.

DAIRY INSPECTOR SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

The entrance salary is \$1,400 per year. Applicants must be not less than twenty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants should have pursued sufficient study, including didactic, laboratory, and chemical or field instruction in veterinary medicine, animal husbandry, and dairying, to enable them to judge of the physical condition of the cows and to determine whether the sanitary conditions surrounding the production and handling of the milk, including the feeding of cows, are such as to endanger the quality thereof; and further, if any of the conditions are not up to the standard, the inspector should be competent to co-operate with the producer and improve them. He should be familiar with rules, regulations, and statutes applying to milk and dairy production.

The subjects of the examination, with their respective weights, will be as follows: Training and experience 6; report, 2; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 4; total, 15.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ENGINEER, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year.

The duties of this position consist of general engineering work in connection with city planning studies. It is desirable that applicants have technical training in city planning work such as afforded by city planning courses in colleges or equivalent practical experience in city planning work. They should be familiar with the growth and development of the city planning movement in this country covering such matters as street planning, zoning, park and boulevard systems, recreational facilities and all other matters which logically pertain to city planning.

The subjects of the examinations with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; practical questions, 1; total, 2.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 14 TO AUGUST 20.

AUGUST 18.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Florence Dwyer.....	22 Greenview avenue	22	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
L. Zilinsky.....	Rear of 19 Bellflower street.	11	First-class garage.....	1,000
L. Zilinsky.....	Rear of 21 Bellflower street.	11	First-class garage.....	1,000
Harry Novack.....	Rear of 32 Main street.....	4	First-class garage.....	700
116 Charles Street, Inc.	116 Charles street.....	8	Second-class apartments.....	70,000
P. Dantovitz et al.....	Rear of 808 Morton street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,500
A. H. Rice.....	23 Lenoxdale avenue.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
John F. Hynes.....	64 Halifax street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	17,000
Esther Azoff.....	106 Selden street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	900
Pavolina Clemente.....	150 Salem street.....	5	Alterations, apartment.....	750
Harry C. Chester.....	390 Cambridge street.....	25	Alterations, work shop.....	150
Mrs. Ida L. J. Bengtsson.....	35 Fayette street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Charlotte Baker estate.....	209 Friend street.....	5	Alterations, stores.....	275
Antonio Dominico.....	7 Eriesson street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	100
Henry Gorfinkle.....	237 Warren street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling and store	390
Domenick Dangelo.....	267 Cabot street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
Whelock School.....	47 Pilgrim road.....	14	Alterations, school.....	700

AUGUST 19.

Nathan Fishman.....	Rear of 11 Lorne street.....	21	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
M. Ober.....	Rear of 15 Lorne street.....	21	First-class garage.....	1,000
George L. Perry.....	132-136 Hampden street.....	12	First-class warehouse.....	135,000
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital	721 Huntington avenue.....	14	First-class nurses' home.....	120,000
Matthew J. Nolan.....	117 Ward street.....	14	First-class boiler house.....	1,750
Pasquale LaSala.....	Rear of 137 Paris street.....	2	First-class garage.....	1,000
J. Davis.....	Rear of 15 Hazleton street.....	21	First-class garage.....	1,600
Mrs. Edna S. Ryd.....	Rear of 31 Moreland street.....	16	Second-class garage.....	950
W. G. McGauley.....	Rear of 380 Jamaica Way.....	22	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Benjamin Sacks.....	Rear of 42 Waumbek street.....	16	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Carmello Orlando.....	Rear of 7 Seaview avenue.....	1	Second-class garage.....	1,000
William H. Hardy.....	35 Rosemont road southwest	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
Vincenzo Di Nucci.....	98 Bayswater street.....	1	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
Harry Yarros.....	5 Verrill street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Maud E. Emerson.....	Rear of 25 Lockstead avenue	22	Third-class garage.....	800
Franklin Dexter.....	450 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices	4,000
Parmenter & Lane.....	1225 Dorchester avenue.....	17	Alterations, garage.....	500
Joseph Berry.....	1187 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Alterations, stores.....	400
Miss Alice G. Carpenter.....	136 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	20,000
301 Berkeley Street, Inc.....	301 Berkeley street.....	8	Alterations, apartments.....	500
City Fuel Company.....	Rear of 236 Border street.....	2	Take-down shed.....	50
New England Contracting	287 Clumbus avenue.....	7	Take-down dwelling.....	200
Company.....				
New England Contracting	289 Columbus avenue.....	7	Take-down dwelling.....	200
Company.....				
New England Contracting	291 Columbus avenue.....	7	Take-down dwelling.....	200
Company.....				
New England Contracting	293 Columbus avenue.....	7	Take-down dwelling.....	200
Company.....				

AUGUST 20.

John J. Kelley.....	20 Upton street.....	6	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Eva D. Seamon.....	35 Dennison street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Sadie B. Quint.....	Rear of 17 Prowning avenue	19	First-class garage.....	1,000
Margaret A. Casely.....	64 Willowood street.....	21	First-class garage.....	800
Mrs. James Myers.....	Rear of 114 Paul Gore street	15	First-class garage.....	850
Hyman Green.....	Rear of 57 Hazleton street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Gillette Safety Razor Com-	Rear of 26 West First street.	9	Second-class power equip-	150,000
pany.....			ment.....	
M. J. Norton.....	Rear of 8 Ware street.....	17	Second-class garage.....	900
Hyman Green.....	Rear of 61 Hazleton street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Charles E. Riordan.....	63 Etna street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Goldie R. Webb.....	Rear of 70 Howland street.....	16	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Mary A. Fraser.....	12 Carmen street.....	19	Second-class garage.....	700
Paul Beigbeder.....	11 Ferndale road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Clyde Strickland.....	218 Stratford street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Walter Crawford et al.....	95 Edgewater drive.....	24	Third-class garage.....	180
James J. White.....	Rear of 132 Granite avenue.	20	Third-class gas station.....	400
Anne Gaynor.....	Rear of 71 Foster street.....	25	Third-class garage.....	180
Sarah B. Watson Estate.....	Rear of 50 River street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	280
Edith A. Kurth.....	50 Louder's lane.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Alexander J. McGillivray.....	169 Train street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,500
Morris Freedman.....	150 Humboldt avenue.....	16	Alterations, hall and stores...	3,000
G. Lentine.....	36 School street.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Esther N. DiPuca.....	61 Clapp street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Cohen & Solvstein.....	312-316 Blue Hill avenue.....	20	Alterations, stores.....	2,500
Homer Loring.....	468 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Marion Woodward.....	1744 Centre street.....	23	Alterations, gas station.....	250
Jacob Sorkin.....	63 Moreland street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Ike Wilinsky.....	282 Bremen street.....	2	Alterations, stable.....	300
F. D. Rand & Company.....	43 Poplar street.....	23	Erect sign.....	50
City Building Wrecking	113 Linden Park street.....	13	Take-down store and dwelling	150
Company.....				
City Building Wrecking	117 Linden Park street.....	13	Take-down store and dwelling	100
Company.....				

LOCATION OF STREETS.

The Mayor has approved the following orders of the Board of Street Commissioners:

Voted, That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in Brighton district, designated as Woodstock avenue, from Bellvista road to Summit avenue, as shown on a plan approved in writing by the Board and on

file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

Voted, That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in West Roxbury district, designated as Marion road, leading westerly from Centre street, as shown on a plan approved in writing by the Board, and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

BAND CONCERTS SCHEDULED.

The following is the list of public band concerts arranged by the Park Department for Sunday, August 24:

BOSTON COMMON, SUNDAY, AUGUST 24.

First Corps Cadets Band, John B. Fielding, Bandmaster.

Program.

March. "Southlanders." *Lithgow*
Overture. "Turandot." *Lachner*
Selection. "Belle of New York." *Kerker*
(By request.)

Intermezzo. "Pas des Fleurs" (Naila). *Dobies*

Operatic selection. "Aida." *Verdi*

Atlantis. "Lost Continent." *Safranek*

a. Nocturne, Morning Hymn and Prayer.

b. Court function.

c. "I Love Thee."

d. Destruction of Atlantis.

Sextette from "Lucia." *Donizetti*

Collection of classics. *Moses*

March. "Vigor in Ardius." *Fulton*

(Introducing the "Hymn to the Holy Name" by His Eminence, William Cardinal O'Connell.)

"Star-Spangled Banner."

MARINE PARK, SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 1924,
3.30 P. M.

101st Veterans Band.

Program.

1. March. "General Logan." *Barrington-Sargent*

2. Overture. "Fest." *Leutner*

3. Waltz. "Chinese Lanterns." *Jazone*

4. Collocation of Popular Songs of 1924.

5. Selection. "Amarita." *Czibulka*

6. Exerpts from "Lohengrin." *Wagner*

7. Selections. "Beauties of Erin." *Bennett*

8. Waltz. "Old Timers." *M. L. Lake*
(Dedicated to Governor Smith.)

9. Ballet. "Egyptian." *Luigini*

10. "U. S. Patrol." *Peck*

"Star-Spangled Banner."

JAMAICA POND, SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 3.30
TO 5.30 P. M.

Ward's Band, Joseph M. Ward, Conductor.

Program.

1. March. "Vigor in Ardius." *Fulton*

2. Overture. "Poet and Peasant." *Suppe*

3. Xylophone Solo. *Selected*

Joseph M. Ward.

4. Selection. "Babes in Toyland." *Herbert*

5. "Bouquet of Popular Airs." *Berlin*

6. "Nautical Fantasia." *Losey*

7. "Old Memories." *Seredy*

8. Gems from "Woodland." *Luders*

9. Grand Selection. "Carmen." *Bizet*

10. Finale. "Sempre Fideles." *Sousa*

"Star-Spangled Banner."

SMITH'S POND, HYDE PARK, SUNDAY,
AUGUST 24, 3.30 TO 5.30 P. M.

Cecil W. Fogg Post, No. 73 A. L.

Program.

1. March. "Second Connecticut." *Reeves*

2. Overture. "Poet and Peasant." *Suppe*

3. Waltz. "Vienna Bonbons." *Straus*

4. Popular medley. *Fciest*

5. "The Cavalry Charge." *Fisher*

6. Selection. "The Serenade" *Herbert*

a. "Songs of the American Legion"

b. "Songs of 1917."

9. Selection "Hunting Scene." *Bacadoosi*

9. Popular medley. *Remick*

10. March. "The Kilties." *Morris*

"Star-Spangled Banner."

MADISON PARK, AUGUST 24, 3.30 TO 5.30
P. M.

Old Colony Band.

Program.

1. March. "Old Colony." *Sargent*

2. Overture. "Spotlight." *Brockton*

3. Cornet solo. Variations on Weber's "Last Waltz." *Hartmann*

Langston W. Curl.

4. Waltz. "June." *Baxter*

5. Fantasia. "Champion." *Hartmann*

6. Intermezzo. "Flower Girl." *Weinrach*

7. Cornet solo. "Lost Chord." *Sullivan*

William A. Smith.

8. Overture. "Strong and True." *Kiesler*

9. March. "Front Section." *Bagley*

"Star-Spangled Banner."

FRANKLIN PARK, SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, AT
3.30 P. M.

Gallo Symphony Band, Stanislaw Gallo,
Conductor.

Program.

PART 1.

1. March. "Stars and Stripes Forever." Sousa
2. Overture. "Poet and Peasant." Suppe
3. Waltz. "Espana." Waldteufel
4. Selection from "Lucia Di Lammermoor." Donizetti
5. Two Popular Songs.

PART 2.

6. March. "Patriotic Reminiscences." Gallo
7. "Celebrated Minuet." Paderewski
8. A group of Southern Melodies.
9. Fantasia on "Dixie." Lake
- "Star-Spangled Banner."

PARK DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES PROGRAM OF SUMMER BAND CONCERTS.

The following is the complete list of band concerts submitted by Park Commissioners and approved by the Mayor:

Aug. 24. Boston Common. First Corps Cadets' Band.

Aug. 24. Franklin Park. Gallo's Symphony Band.

Aug. 24. Marine Park. 101st Veterans' Band.

Aug. 24. Jamaica Pond. Ward's Band.

Aug. 24. Hyde Park (Smith's Pond). Cecil W. Fogg Post Band.

Aug. 24. Madison Park. Old Colony Band.

Aug. 31. Boston Common. Gallo's Symphony Band.

Aug. 31. Franklin Park. Crook's Military Band.

Aug. 31. Marine Park. Letter Carriers' Band.

Aug. 31. McConnell Park. Ward's Band.

Aug. 31. World War Memorial Park. Farrell's Military Band.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 591.

Sergt. Edward J. Murphy of Division 18, having arrived at the age of fifty-eight and one twelfth years, having performed faithful service in the Police Department for thirty-one and four twelfths years, and having requested to be retired from active service, and it appearing to the Police Commissioner that the said Sergeant Murphy is physically incapacitated for useful service in the Police Department, it is hereby

Ordered, His honor the Mayor having approved the same, that the said Sergt. Edward J. Murphy be retired from active service and that his name be placed upon the department pension roll with pay at the rate of eleven hundred and fifty (1,150) dollars per annum, said sum being one half of the amount of compensation received by him in the office from which he is retired; to take effect Wednesday, August 20, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

LIST OF PETITIONS FOR HEARING BEFORE STREET COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2.

NAME.	Location.	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Edward V. Donovan	208 Almont street	24	One car.
James D. Hope	27 Norway park	24	One car.
John Killovan	107 King street	20	One car.]
Theresa M. Mahoney	16 Romsey street	11	One car.
E. J. McCarthy	59 Sawyer avenue	17	One car.
Mary McGowan	7 Benson street	26	One car.
Henrietta J. Parker	9 Cushing Hill road	20	One car.
Anna F. Shewbridge	8 Maple park	20	One car.
Ida Brown	17 Waumbeck street	16	Two cars.
Mary K. Calkins	7 Foss road	20	Two cars.
Mrs. Bridget Carmody	67 Clifton street	12	Two cars.
Margaret C. Cook	123 Bennett street	26	Two cars.
Gaetano DiLorenzo et al.	9 Boardman street	1	Two cars.
Mary Agnes Dolan	35 St. Rose street	22	Two cars.
Mary L. Doyle et al.	15 Olmstead street	22	Two cars.
Mary E. Farron	22 Blanche street	20	Two cars.
Mary E. Fennessy	635 Walk Hill street	24	Two cars.
Patrick Finn	24 Wade street	25	Two cars.
John J. Ganey	32 Rill street	17	Two cars.
John J. Galvin	41 Newhall street	20	Two cars.
John F. Gorman	27 Vinson street	20	Two cars.
Sarah F. Grierson	117 Sycamore street	23	Two cars.
Fannie Gudowsky	44 Waumbeck street	16	Two cars.
George A. Haley	138 Redlands road	23	Two cars.
Dora M. Hannon	8 Burr street	22	Two cars.
William H. Hickey, Jr.	92 Grampian way	17	Two cars.
Hyman B. Levine et al.	47 McLellan street	19	Two cars.
John J. McCusker	9 Germania street	22	Two cars.
William F. McDonough	9 Atkins street	26	Two cars.
Philip McMorro	21 Kinross road	25	Two cars.
Annie C. Morrill	2 Harlem street	19	Two cars.
Julius Neustadt	9 Verrill street	21	Two cars.
Helen C. Noonan	348 La Grange street	23	Two cars.
Michael Pierre	338 La Grange street	23	Two cars.
Francis G. Powell	64 Pleasant street	17	Two cars.
J. Pritsky	43 Stanwood street	16	Two cars.
Mrs. Alice Maude Rand	18 Conway street	23	Two cars.
Minnie Rapkin	74 Floyd street	21	Two cars.
Catherine F. Riordan	28 Ashcroft street	22	Two units, two cars.
Fritz Ritter	35 Bradeen street	23	Two cars.
Herman Robbins	66 and 68 Hutchings street	16	Two cars.
Rose L. Rossman	46 Waumbeck street	16	Two cars.
Jeanette Shuman	33 Brookledge street	16	Two cars.
John Smith	242 Fuller street	21	Two cars.
John Smith	244 Fuller street	21	Two cars.
Dinah Spevack	16 Clarkwood street	21	Two cars.
Barney Swartz	77 Greenwood street	19	Two cars.
H. G. Tobey	28 St. John street	22	Two cars.
William J. White	297 Norwell street	19	Two cars.
Joseph Wineysky	30 Wabon street	16	Two cars.
Harry Yarros	5 Verrill street	21	Two cars.
Anna W. Anderson	33 Cliffmont street	23	Three cars.
Clotilde Baldini	222 Ashland street	23	Three cars.
Jacob Berson	13 Greendale road	21	Three cars.

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ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2.

NAME.	Location.	Ward.	Petitioning for.
David Finkel.....	36 Wildwood street.....	21	Three cars.
David Finkel.....	40 Wildwood street.....	21	Three cars.
William Healy.....	186 Grampian way.....	17	Three cars.
Annie Levine.....	153 Howard avenue.....	17	Three cars.
John Mehan.....	1 Dove court.....	17	Three cars.
Frances Struzziery.....	115 Kittredge street.....	23	Group garage, three units, three cars.
Alice E. Wiggan.....	12 Seaver street.....	16	Three cars.
Samuel Yanovitch.....	80 Lucerne street.....	21	Three cars.
Charlotte I. Halpin.....	87 Ashland street.....	23	Group garage, two units, four cars.
Harry Lurinsky.....	225 Norfolk street.....	21	Four units, four cars.
H. F. B. Magee.....	5 Murray avenue.....	16	Four units, four cars.
Catherine M. F. McLaughlin <i>et al.</i>	6 Robert court.....	9	Group garage, four units, four cars.
Catherine M. F. McLaughlin <i>et al.</i>	5 Robert court.....	9	Group garage, four units, four cars.
Mary J. McMahon.....	650 Dudley street.....	12	Group garage, four units, four cars.
Joseph Segal.....	46 Elm Hill avenue.....	15	Four cars.
Thomas A. Berrigan.....	960 Second street.....	9	Group garage, twenty-six units, twenty-six cars.
Philip K. Finegold.....	8 Dunlow street.....	13	Maintaining public garage and 1,000 gallons gaso- lene.
Shikes & Long.....	200-212 Cambridge street.....	8	Public garage and 2,000 gallons gasoline.
Cities Service Refining Company.....	480 Neponset avenue.....	20	4,000 gallons gasoline, 1,000 gallons oil.
Rueben Harris.....	36 Warren avenue.....	4	1,000 gallons gasoline.
Canter Construction Company.....	Northampton street.....		2,000 gallons fuel oil.
United Oil Company, Inc.....	968 Massachusetts avenue.....	12	64,000 additional fuel oil.

LIST OF PETITIONS FOR HEARING BEFORE STREET COMMISSIONERS,
ROOM 401, CITY HALL ANNEX.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3.

NAME.	Location.	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Stanley Blinstrub.....	8 and 10 Richardson street.....	26	One car.
Frederick J. Doyon <i>et al.</i>	5 Cygnet street.....	26	One car.
H. F. Frederic.....	3 Larchmont street.....	19	One car.
Joseph L. Muldoon.....	310 Market street.....	26	One car, additional.
Ronnie R. O'Brien.....	11 Wallingford road.....	25	One car.
Pietro Persico.....	4 Bowditch court.....	16	One car.
Augusta W. Stinson.....	58 Dunster road.....	22	One car.
Salvatore Toti.....	2 Nelson street.....	24	One car.
William J. Walsh.....	1662 Columbia road.....	10	One car.
Fannie Berman.....	1067 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Two cars.
John P. Comican.....	107 Richmond street.....	21	Two cars.
Matthew J. Dailey.....	2 Arcadia terrace.....	18	Two cars.
Jennie DeMatteo.....	189 Cornell street.....	23	Two cars.
Angelina Ferrara.....	56 Farquhar street.....	23	Two cars.
A. B. Fielding.....	10 Wade street.....	26	Two cars.
Sarah Fishbon.....	11 Havelock street.....	21	Two cars.
Albert J. Flanagan.....	75 Glendower street.....	23	Two cars.
Alois Glaser.....	60 Landseer street.....	23	Two cars.
Fannie Green.....	32 Clarkwood street.....	21	Two cars, two units.
Thomas F. Healy.....	14 Tuttle street.....	17	Two cars.
Thomas J. Howard.....	294 Chestnut avenue.....	22	Two cars, additional.
Agnes M. Kelley.....	294 South street.....	22	Two cars.
James P. Kelly.....	19 Pond View avenue.....	22	Two cars.
Waclaw G. Kolaitis.....	165 I street.....	10	Two cars.

COUNCILOR MORIARTY DECLINES
OFFER BY MAYOR OF SUPER-
INTENDENT OF PUBLIC BUILD-
INGS.

Mayor Curley received the following
communication, August 16:

BOSTON, August 16, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor, City
Hall, Boston, Mass.

My dear Mr. Mayor,—I am exceed-
ingly grateful to you for the considera-
tion which you have accorded me in the
tender of the position of Superintendent
of Public Buildings. I assure you it would
be a very great pleasure to accept of
the appointment were it not for the ob-
ligations involved in the discharge of the
duties of the position which I now hold.

My term as Business Agent of the
Sheet Metal Workers does not expire
until December, 1924, and believing that
my obligation to organized labor, with
which I have been affiliated and which
I have served for so many years, is de-
serving of prior consideration, I respect-
fully decline the position which you have
tendered.

I beg to assure you that it is with
regret that I adopt this course of action
but nevertheless I believe it my duty and
in doing so beg to assure you that I
shall be most pleased at all times to
give my whole-hearted support to the suc-
cess of the splendid administration which
you as Mayor are giving all the citizens
of Boston.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES T. MORIARTY.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Gamewell Company have been
allowed to extend the time of completion
of their contract for furnishing and in-
stalling equipment in the new fire alarm
headquarters for 120 days from the time
the building is thoroughly dried out.

This extension of time is necessary
owing to the fact that the building is
not yet ready for the Gamewell Com-
pany to proceed with the work. The
Gamewell contract was let sometime
before the contract for the building and
owing to the delay in starting the build-
ing and securing the necessary appropria-
tion it has not been possible for the
building to be ready for the Gamewell
Company.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

The Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Com-
pany have been granted an extension
of time for completion of the contract
for furnishing cast-iron pipe and special
castings to the Public Works Depart-
ment. A communication from Frank
P. Rock of the Supply Department was
as follows:

BOSTON, August 13, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully
requested to extend the completion date
of the contract for furnishing cast-iron
pipe and special castings awarded to the
United States Cast-iron Pipe and Found-
ry Company from July 1 to September
1, 1924.

This request is made because the New
York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad
closed traffic during July and the con-
tractor slackened his work accordingly.
The final shipment is now on a barge
waiting to be delivered.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3.

NAME.	Location.	Ward.	Petitioning for.
Bruno Kroetzsch.....	121 Howard avenue.....	17	Two cars.
Kenneth J. Matheson.....	12-16 Burwell road.....	23	Three garages, two cars each.
Martha Markelis.....	689 Metropolitan avenue.....	24	Two cars.
Hilda McGill.....	27 Foss road.....	20	Two cars.
Mary C. Miller.....	47 St. Rose street.....	22	Two cars.
Annie Murphy.....	2 Mapleton street.....	26	Two cars.
Lillian S. O'Connell.....	53 and 55 Bayswater street.....	1	Two cars.
Mary J. O'Connell.....	75 Claymoss road.....	25	Two cars.
Angelo Pesce.....	144 Montmorency avenue.....	1	Two cars.
Joseph Plekanicius.....	445 and 447 East Eighth street....	10	Two cars.
Regina Querido.....	45 Bowdoin street.....	18	Two cars.
Helen M. Rotstein.....	19 Havelock street.....	21	Two cars.
Samuel Salivansky.....	1215 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Two cars.
Joseph Seletsky.....	7 Pasadena road.....	19	Two cars.
Frederick H. Sherman <i>et al.</i>	76 Prince street.....	22	Two cars.
John J. Sullivan.....	31 Port Norfolk street.....	20	Two cars.
Patrick T. Folan.....	68 West Milton street.....	24	Two cars.
Rachel M. Trussell.....	1 Myrtle place.....	17	Group garage, two units, two cars.
Frank Zaikis.....	31 Kenberma road.....	19	Two cars.
Hattie Ahern.....	19 Duke street.....	21	Three cars.
Jennie Bassinow.....	45 Woodcliff street.....	17	Three cars.
Thomas J. Brennan.....	110 Hamilton street.....	18	Three cars.
John J. Doyle.....	52 Woodcliff street.....	17	Three cars.
Hannah Goldberg.....	18 Page street.....	21	Three cars.
Stephen J. Hoar <i>et al.</i>	25 Whitman street.....	21	Three cars.
Annie M. Johnston.....	106 Etna street.....	26	Three cars.
William C. Leonard.....	76 Hamilton street.....	18	Three cars.
Patrick J. McHugh.....	14 Shannon street.....	25	Three cars.
Bartholomew Murray.....	51 Easton street.....	26	Three units, three cars.
Ellen O'Leary.....	23 Parsons street.....	26	Three cars.
Margaret A. Rogers.....	12 Decatur street.....	4	Three cars.
Joseph Vento.....	165 West Eighth street.....	11	Three cars.
Mina White.....	2 Page street, etc.....	19	Three cars.
Anna C. Wolf.....	42 Mallon road.....	19	Three cars.
Adolph G. Pearce.....	1-3 Belden square.....	11	Four units, four cars.
Edward J. Siney <i>et al.</i>	8 Ramsey street.....	11	Six units, nine cars.
Larry Daniels.....	54 and 56 Newman street.....	11	Ten units, ten cars.
Rossie Marco.....	158 Adams street.....	18	Group garage, fifteen units.
Thomas H. Sullivan <i>et al.</i>	1579-85 Columbus avenue.....	15	Group garage, thirty-two units, thirty-two cars.
F. K. Hubbard.....	42 Belgrade avenue.....	23	Repair shop.
Joseph Silk.....	2 and 4 Danforth street.....	15	Public garage and 1,000 gallons gasolene.
James J. Boyle.....	472 Washington street.....	20	1,000 gallons gasolene.
Abraham Kepnes.....	351 Dorchester street.....	11	500 gallons gasolene.
Max Lipson.....	1201 and 1203 Blue Hill avenue....	21	2,000 gallons gasolene.
Commercial Market Garage Incoporation.....	25-35 Endicott street.....	5	950 gallons gasolene.
Patsy Mosehella.....	1470 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	500 gallons gasolene.
Donald I. Petts.....	242 Faneuil street.....	26	2,000 gallons gasolene.
Reardon Building Trust.....	1890 Columbus avenue.....	15	1,000 gallons additional gasolene.
W. J. Cooper.....	40 Lancaster street.....	5	Oxygen and acetylene.
Ira W. Shapira.....	67 and 69 St. Germain street.....	7	Marquee.

MAYOR PRESENTS FLAG AND KEYS OF CITY TO PORTUGUESE AVIATORS.

Mayor Curley gave a luncheon of some thirty people at the Bellevue Hotel at noon, Monday, August 18, to greet the Portuguese fliers. The unexpected arrival of the aviators to this city made it difficult to organize a large formal welcome, but the informality of the lunch added to its enjoyment.

The Mayor made a short address, introducing Major Antonio Brito Paes and Lieut. Manoel Gouveia to those assembled. A rapid review was made of the close relationship of these men with our country through the pioneer discoverer Vasco de Gama, the forerunner of Columbus, who started the movement for early travel on water, and these men who are among the first to further the knowledge of the world airways, which will lead to further progress, the limits of which would be difficult to foretell. He then presented them with an American flag to take home to give to the President of their country in behalf of the City of Boston, in hopes that they would continue in their republican form of government and show themselves as models to the world.

A short address of thanks by Edward Carvalho, the Portuguese Consul to Boston, in his native tongue, thanking the Mayor for the honor granted the aviators, was followed by the Mayor presenting each of the fliers and Joseph Linhares, chairman of the Portugal World Flight Entertainment Committee of Massachusetts, with the key to the City of Boston.

DR. VAN NESS THANKS MAYOR CURLEY FOR AID IN GETTING TO POLAND FOR RELIEF WORK.

Mayor Curley was especially gratified on August 19 to receive a communication from Rev. Thomas Van Ness of 914 Beacon street, the well known local clergyman, who has devoted the present summer to labors in behalf of the residents of the areas stricken during the period of the recent World War.

Mr. Van Ness writes Mayor Curley from Salzburg advising that the credentials given him by the Mayor to the American diplomatic and consular representatives abroad have proved of great service and through the kind intercession of Hon. Leo J. Kenna, Consul General of the United States at Warsaw, all doors have been opened to him.

Doctor Van Ness replies that Poland is recovering very rapidly from the exactions of the World War; that the present harvest is most excellent; that the Polish residents are full of energy and enthusiasm. He regrets to report, however, that the living expenses in Warsaw and in the surrounding country of Poland, because of the taxes made necessary by the cost of the World War, makes living really higher than in Boston at the present time.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Joseph Rugo has been allowed to amend his contract for the alteration of West Roxbury Courthouse and Police Station 13, by changing the date of completion as appears on page 41 to read, "October 11, 1924," instead of June 12, 1924.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending August 16, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 144; nonresidents, 29; total, 173.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 11.61; nonresidents deducted, 9.67.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
Last week, 10.50; corresponding week last year, 11.88.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 26; one year to five years, inclusive, 5; sixty years and over, 56; total deaths: male, 100; female, 73; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 100; deaths of colored, 7.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended August 16, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended August 18, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	—	—
Diphtheria.....	21	1	69	6
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	—	—
Influenza.....	—	—	5	—
Measles.....	17	—	23	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	10	—	9	2
Scarlet fever.....	10	—	13	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	41	12	46	14
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	8	2	10	1
Typhoid fever.....	2	1	7	—
Whooping cough.....	11	—	15	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, August 11, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m. President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Lane.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The Mayor submitted the appointments of John P. Shepard, 12 Belmont street, and Bernard M. Mullen, 279 Princeton street, to be Constables, and Albert J. Dyer, 81 Brooks street, to be a Weigher of Coal.

Laid over for one week, under the law.

TRANSFER FOR HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 11, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—The Community Health Association of Boston, a private organization supported by public contributions, has been interested in the work of district nursing, baby hygiene, mental hygiene, prenatal and preschool work for a period of thirty-eight years.

The Community Health Association of late have been experiencing the same difficulty that has confronted similar organizations in the matter of the raising of funds for the conduct of the particular activities in which they are interested.

The situation has become so acute that they have served notice that they desire the City of Boston to conduct the baby hygiene activities after September 1, 1924, in the following districts: Charlestown, East Boston, North End, South End and West End. The conduct of the baby hygiene activities in these districts will represent an increased expenditure by the Boston Health Department of \$25,000 for the remainder of the fiscal year. This work, in my opinion, should be conducted by the City of Boston direct, through its Health Department, and in all probability unless the philanthropic impulse of those who have aided in the past is supplemented by financial aid the City of Boston will be required to conduct similar activities in every section of the city.

Under the circumstances it becomes the duty of the city to provide the necessary money and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order, the adoption of which will

provide sufficient funds for the conduct of these activities from September 1, 1924, to February 1, 1925.

Respectfully

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor.

City of Boston,

Health Department, August 11, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—This department in taking over the baby hygiene activities previously conducted by the Community Health Association will require additional funds for the conduct of this work, and I therefore request that such funds be provided as are itemized below:

Item A-1, Permanent Employees:	
2 Supervising Nurses at \$1,700 each annually.....	\$1,257 44
2 Dietitians at \$1,500 each annually.....	1,425 08
30 Nurses at \$1,400 each annually.....	17,605 80
1 Clerk at \$1,200 annually.....	502 93
1 Matron at \$20 weekly.....	437 14
Item A-2, Temporary Employees.....	1,257 64
B-1, Printing and Binding.....	500 00
B-4, Transportation of Persons.....	1,000 00
B-13, Communications.....	250 00
C-17, General Plant.....	300 00
D-8, Laundry, Cleaning and Toilet.....	200 00
Total.....	\$24,836 03

Yours respectfully,

F. X. MAHONEY,
Health Commissioner.

Ordered, That the sum of \$18,772.59 be and the same is hereby transferred from Pay Roll Tailings, City Account, to the appropriation for Health Department, as itemized below:

A-1, Permanent Employees:	
Clerks, 4 (5) at \$1,200 per year....	\$502 93
Dietitians, 2 at \$1,500 per year....	1,425 08
Matrons, 11 (12) at \$18.50-\$20 per week.....	437 14
Nurses, supervising, 2 (4) at \$1,600-\$1,700 per year.....	1,257 44
Nurses, 36 (60) at \$1,400 to \$1,600 per year.....	14,000 00
B-1, Printing and Binding.....	500 00
B-13, Communication.....	250 00
C-17, General Plant.....	200 00
D-8, Laundry, Cleaning and Toilet.....	200 00

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received, and were referred to the committees names, viz.:

Claims.

Salvatore Amato, for compensation for loss of articles taken from locker at North End Park.

John Ardash, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at corner of Beach and Washington streets.

Brockway Smith Corporation, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

William S. Browne *et al.*, for compensation for damage to automobile and injuries caused by ball thrown from playground on Lonsdale street.

George L. DeBlois & A. N. Maddison, for compensation for damage to property at 246 Summer street and 139-145 South street caused by broken water main.

George E. East, Jr., for compensation for loss of straw hat while assisting officer in making an arrest.

Owen T. Elliot, for compensation for damage to truck on East Boston Ferry.

Costantino Festa, for compensation for damage to building at 28 Chelsea street, East Boston, caused by work done on tunnel.

E. Louis Friederman, M. D., for compensation for damage to automobile by Public Works Department team.

George W. Girvan, for compensation for damage to automobile on Boylston street by fire apparatus.

Howard B. Greenwood, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Harvard Bridge.

Louis Hirschback, for refund on personal taxes already paid.

E. E. Hutchings, for compensation for damage to automobile by car of Water Service.

Abraham Kaplan, for compensation for injuries received on East Boston Ferry.

Irving King, for compensation for death of dog caused by automobile of Park Department on State Boulevard, Revere.

Liberty Lace and Braid Company, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Martin J. Lyons, for compensation for loss of valuables taken from locker at L Street Bath House.

Frank P. Manoli, for compensation for damage to automobile and personal injuries on East Boston Ferry.

John J. May, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 38 Mechanic street, Roxbury.

Frank Miller, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by city wagon.

Lawrence Nertfill, for compensation for injuries received on East Boston Ferry.

Mrs. James O'Brien, for compensation for injuries caused by careless driving of police officer.

Joseph Rothner, for compensation for damage to property at 3152-3160 Washington street caused by backing up of sewer.

Rosario Santangelo, for compensation to automobile by city car.

Sidney J. Seifert, for compensation for injuries received on East Boston Ferry.

Gladys P. Sidwell, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Essex street.

Mrs. Margaret E. Sweeney, for compensation for injuries caused by hose on Porter street.

Harry F. Taber, for compensation for injuries and damage to motorcycle caused by an alleged defect in Hyde Park avenue.

Etta F. Young, for compensation for injuries caused by defective X-ray machine at Boston Sanatorium.

Jitney Licenses.

Conway Tours, Inc., for license to operate jitneys from Copley square over Huntington avenue to the Brookline line.

Conway Tours, Inc., for a license to operate jitneys from Copley square, over Huntington avenue, South Huntington avenue and Centre street to the Dedham line.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENTS.

The following appointments by the Mayor were received, viz.: Frank Brewster, Frederic H. Fay, Luther C. Greenleaf, Patrick H. Jennings, Theodore W. Little, William H. Sayward, Harry Schwartz, Dana Somes, George F. Stebbins, Harry S. Upham, Frank O. Whitney and Robert A. Woods, to be members of the Board of Zoning Adjustment.

Wilfred J. Doyle, to be a member of the Boston Retirement Board.

Placed on file.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

The Council took up No. 1 on the calendar, unfinished business, viz.:

1. Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor August 4, 1924, of James T. Maher, Joseph T. Boris, Nelson B. Coll and Wilmot Jones, to be Weighers of Coal.

The appointments were confirmed, yeas 6, nays 0.

TRANSFER FOR WEST ROXBURY COURTHOUSE.

The Council took up No. 2 on the calendar, unfinished business, viz.:

2. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Courthouse, Forest Hills, \$2,278.55, Municipal Building, Brighton Square, \$3,400, Municipal Building, Old Ward 12, Furnishings, etc., \$768.94, Branch Library, West Roxbury, Site, \$500, Branch Library, West Roxbury \$62.68, Courthouse, Forest Hills, Completion and Furnishing, \$252.73, to the appropriation for Courthouse, West Roxbury, Remodeling, \$7,262.90.

On July 28, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The order was read a second time and again passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

BUILDING OVER EASEMENT.

The Council took up No. 3 on the calendar, unfinished business, viz.:

3. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the City of Boston, to sell at private sale to Rudolph Dunkel of said Boston for the sum of one hundred (100) dollars the right to erect, construct and maintain a structure or building over a portion of the land taken for sewerage purposes by an instrument of taking recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 197, in accordance with a plan approved by the Commissioner of Public Works, dated July 21, 1924, and on file in the office of the Sewer Department of said City of Boston, and to execute and deliver in the name and behalf of the City of Boston a deed of said easement in said premises to said Rudolph Dunkel, satisfactory in form to the Law Department of the City of Boston. The said easement shall be so limited that no building or structure shall be erected or placed upon said premises which shall in any way interfere with the use and maintenance of said sewerage works or be placed or rested upon any part thereof; that no structure or building shall be placed or erected upon the said premises which shall interfere with the right of the City of Boston to enter upon the said premises or any part thereof for the purpose of maintaining, constructing or reconstructing said sewerage works as they are now located or may hereafter be located.

On July 28, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was read a second time and again passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

AREAS ON PROVINCE STREET.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to inform the City Council whether or not any of the abutters on Province street are using the area under said street either by right or by encroachment.

Passed.

IMPROVEMENT OF CEDAR SQUARE.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That the Park and Recreation Board be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to put Cedar square on Cedar street, Roxbury, in proper shape.

Passed.

PARK POLICEMEN.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor consider the advisability of appointing special uniformed policemen and policewomen to have jurisdiction over the Boston Common, Public Gardens and all public parks and playgrounds, and that the said policemen and policewomen be under the direct control of the Boston Park Commissioners.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I think my order is plain enough without any remarks from me, but perhaps a word or two at this time would do no harm. As is well known by all who know anything whatever about city affairs, for a great many years Boston has been without what might be called "Home Rule" or jurisdiction over its several departments. The Finance Commission is one department over which we have no control, and there are others, and one is particularly the Police Department. I have no criticism to make of the Metropolitan Police Department, so called, under the jurisdiction of the Police Commissioner, appointed by the Governor, and confirmed by the Governor's Council, although we will admit, here and there, that there are those on the force who should not be there. Of course, my sympathies were very strong for the old policemen, but the question of their reemployment by the city is a closed book. There is just one way that Boston can take a firm stand concerning home rule, or one way in particular in which they can take their stand, and that is by Council creating, by ordinance, a park and playground police force under the jurisdiction and control of the Park and Recreation Board. We have not taken that position just yet, as I desired to hear from the Executive of the city concerning what he considered the advisable or the feasible way of doing what I believe should be done, and what I believe my colleagues believe should be done. There is just this way—a good way—of making a direct declaration that Boston, by right, should control the Police Department that the taxpayers' money pays for. We cannot take from the control of the state, now, the entire Boston police force, although I believe we will later do so; but we can appoint, by ordinance—or his Honor

the Mayor, may, through the Park and Recreation Board—policemen and policewomen who are responsible to Boston, who will serve the City of Boston and serve the Department of Park and Recreation, and his Honor the Mayor, who will have direct control of the same. It may be said, "Why increase the taxes by appointing more policemen and policewomen, when they are not needed?" They are needed. Only this very day I had called to my attention indirectly, through a clergyman of the Church of the Advent, the High Episcopal Church in the West End, that the Rev. Father Evans, a high churchman of the Church of England, so called, knows of conditions on the Boston Common and the Public Garden that are unfit to publish in the public press, because of the lack of police work on the Boston Common and the Public Garden. I can testify myself, as to conditions similar that exist on every playground within the confines of our city. Without police protection children are treated in a way that is not conducive to good living or good morals. The Boston Police Department, under the control of a commission appointed by the Governor, finds itself inadequate to perform the duties that are necessary on our public playgrounds and breathing spots because of lack of officers necessary to properly control law breakers outside of the confines of the public parks and playgrounds. I will talk but a moment longer, because there are things for this Council to do today that are more important, perhaps, in the mind of some people, than the question I am discussing; but I believe that the morals of the growing boys and girls of Boston should be protected. The boys and girls of from thirteen to seventeen years of age are passing through a period of their lives when their morals must be looked after with mighty quickly, for there are many wolves masquerading in sheep's clothing in Boston who are only too willing to debauch the youth of our community.

We hear of the Superintendent of Police sounding a riot call, bringing the police to Pemberton square, where law-abiding citizens congregate at least occasionally, to demonstrate how quickly they can be used against a riot, or against the Ku Klux, perhaps. We are not going to be bothered by the Ku Kluxers; the people of Boston, generally, regardless of creed, race or nationality, whether alien-born, native-born or aliens, are 90 per cent law-abiding. We know what the Police Department of Boston should be doing, rather than showing off their ability to respond to a riot call that will never come, but which is a good piece of publicity for some manufacturer of Gatling guns, or shot guns, or revolvers, that is all, they should be out protecting the youth of our community, and the grown-ups and the property of the taxpayers.

Boston is inadequately policed, and I will not vote for further appropriations for the Police Department, to increase its personnel and size, until conditions in Boston improve; and they are not going to improve as long as Boston is denied home rule. And when the Mayor of this city, be he Peters, Hibbard, Curley, Fitzgerald or Hart, has control of our Police Department, as we have of our Fire Department, our city will be better administered than it is now.

The Fire Department, under the control and supervision of the Fire Commissioner appointed by the Mayor of Boston, is second to none of its size in the world; and in every community in America and abroad, the Boston Fire Department is and has been held up as an example to all communities as of the highest standing, and as first in the fire-fighting forces of the world, under Mayor Curley, under Mayor Hibbard, under Mayor Hart, under Mayor Fitzgerald, and perhaps under Mayor Moriarty or some other of our candidates for the office, they will conduct the Police Department as they have conducted the Fire Department, by home rule, I forgot to mention the other candidate for Mayor, our presiding officer. Now, Mr. President, I have been serious until my last few remarks, and I am serious in them,—either one of them or both of them may be our Mayor,—you cannot tell; that is the possibility of our American citizens. Therefore, I believe that the time is ripe for Mayor Curley to send to the City Council an ordinance providing for the creation and appointment of a Park and Recreation Police Department under the supervision of the Park and Recreation Board. It can be done, and the Legislature cannot stop us, because they are not in session and they will not stop us next year, because I will be up there in the Senate, and James M. Curley will be governor. So much for that. (Applause.) Thank you for the applause, but wait until we win. Now, Mr. President, I think I have said sufficient that the papers of Boston will give some publicity to our real, genuine, practical method of home rule for Boston, in part. The Boston Post will favor it, the American will favor it, the Globe will favor it, and I believe the Herald will see the light and favor it. The Transcript,—perhaps; and the Christian Science Monitor will be neutral. Therefore, no harm will come. I believe I have started something today, Mr. President. I move the suspension of the rules and the passing of the vote.

The rules were suspended, and the order was passed:

RECESS TAKEN

The Council voted at three o'clock, on motion of Coun. WALSH, to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members of the Council reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by the President at 5.45 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted a report on the message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for the transfer of \$18,772.59 to the Health Department—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

STATEMENT BY COUN. MORIARTY.

Coun. MORIARTY.—Mr. President, I desire to have a piece here that I cut from the "Library Life" made a part of the record, with some few words that I may add, if I may be allowed, without making a motion.

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Moriarty moves that the clipping submitted by him be made part of the Council record. Coun. Moriarty.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, it has been brought to my notice that an employee of the Boston Public Library, one Mr. Frank H. Chase, reference librarian, has received an increase of \$900 per year; and the increase came a short time after the clipping that I have handed to you was published. I was also given notice that, last month, there were given increases, one of 50 cents a week, one of \$1 a week, one of \$1.50 a week, one of \$2 and one of \$3, given to employees in the Boston Public Library. I feel that it is about time that all other departments connected with the City of Boston, and those of Suffolk County, submit a budget here, and I feel that it is about time that we look after those that are residents of Boston instead of those that are not residents of Boston. It seems to me that if you are a resident of Boston you get an increase of 50 cents to \$3 per week, but if you are a resident outside of Boston you get an increase of \$900 to \$1,500. Last year, in the same department, I find that they gave an increase of \$1,500 to the librarian, another man who did not live in Boston up until a very short while ago; so that I feel that the Mayor should be requested by his Council to now ask the Trustees of the Boston Public Library to file a budget for the year 1925-26, and that it be segregated as all other departments of the city are, where increases are going to be given, that they be apportioned through the Mayor, the Budget Commission and the City Council of the City of Boston.

President DONOGHUE—The question comes on Coun. Moriarty's motion that the clipping be made a part of the record.

The motion was carried.

The clipping is as follows:

"LIBRARY LIFE."

Staff bulletin of the Boston Public Library.

Discrimination.

Whenever there is any increase in library salaries, the first reaction is sure to be, not joy at the relief which has come to a fellow employee, not satisfaction that the salary situation has been improved by the raising of the level at some point where it sagged, but indignation and protest. "Discrimination" is heard at every corner; "I have been discriminated against."

Discrimination means judgment—the power to select between the important and the less important. It is the most valuable quality in an executive, vital to the safety and stability of the institution for which he is responsible.

Whenever the city authorities can be prevailed upon to grant additional funds for the increase of salaries, the trustees and the librarian must decide how to apportion the money so as to do the most good. A general increase—either flat or proportional—to all employees allots to each individual an amount so small as to mean little; it doesn't help much, and is soon forgotten. The method generally followed is to select a group, which, for one reason or another, seems to have a special claim, and to give to that group an increase large enough to be significant.

During the war period, the problem which faced the library was the provision of a living wage for those who must either get it here or seek better-paid employment elsewhere. Two or three increases were given with this end in view; and the lower-salaried employees properly reaped almost all the benefit. Discrimination had shown the Librarian that this was the important thing to do.

In every annual report for the past four years, trustees, librarian, and examining committee have agreed in urging the importance, as the next step, of raising the salaries of heads of departments, first assistants, and branch librarians, to figures more nearly commensurate with salaries paid in other similar lines of work, and with those paid for similar service in other large libraries. It has at last been possible to make a beginning in this direction, and the whole staff should be glad that a large and important block of library salaries has been "moved up." Every move of this sort is ultimately a help to the institution and to all who are connected with it.

We have to take our turns. We shall all, I think, agree in the wisdom of the discrimination which gave the first turn to those whose need was

most pressing, and which has now at last given its turn, for the most part, to the responsible group who are in charge of the various departments, and who have been recommended for an increase in four successive annual reports.

We believe in discrimination; and we trust its justice, in the future as in the past.

JITNEY LICENSE.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I am going to move that No. 4 be taken from the table; but before I do that, I ask unanimous consent to make an inquiry of the City Clerk.

I would like to know if he knows whether or not there are to be free transfers given by the Elevated Railroad from the buses to the street cars at Eliot square.

President DONOGHUE—The Clerk is not in a position to answer that question.

Coun. WATSON—Then I would like to ask the chairman of the Jitney Committee.

Coun. PURCELL—I believe transfers are to be given into the monument or into Green street.

Coun. WATSON—For a 10-cent fare?

Coun. PURCELL—Oh, yes.

Coun. WATSON—Then I move that we take No. 4 from the table.

The motion was carried.

No. 4 was as follows:

4. Boston Elevated Railway Company or a license to operate jitneys between Centre and Eliot streets and Centre street and Belgrade avenue, over Eliot, Pond, May, Burroughs and Centre streets.

President DONOGHUE—The question comes on granting a license to the Boston Elevated Company.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. Chairman, at a previous meeting I said I would refuse to vote for any further licenses for the Elevated Railroad, that I intended to vote for competing lines, for competition. But since then I have been informed that the independent line that desires to run over the route prescribed in the jitney application, which is No. 5 and No. 6 in the calendar, would charge a straight 5-cent fare with no transfer privileges.

I do not think that is at all enticing, and consequently I intend to vote today for the Elevated Jitney License which is No. 4 on the calendar.

The Council voted to grant the license.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, I see a couple of places here vacant—some of the members have gone. I see that the councilor who lives in the West Roxbury district is not here, and I do not know how he would vote if he was here. I was wondering if we were going to meet next Monday, and if so if he should not be given an opportunity to vote. It makes no difference to me.

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Moriarty moves a reconsideration of the vote.

The motion was carried.

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Moriarty moves that the matter lie on the table.

The motion was carried.

TREMONT STREET WIDENING.

President DONOGHUE moved to take from the table No. 7 on the calendar, being the order for a loan of \$1,200,000 for Tremont street widening.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair makes this motion at this time because of the fact that, at the last meeting of the Council, various members of the Council insisted that a vote be taken on this matter today. Now, I was prepared to vote on it a week ago, but thought I would like the opportunity of hearing what the people interested in this matter had to say, whether they were in favor of it, or whether they were opposed to it. We have had a public hearing on it, and there has not been one single person who appeared in favor of it. There is not one person who came up here, and without any reservation stated that he was in favor of the widening of Tremont street from the point of Stuart street out to Arlington square. We have had a considerable number of people before this Council, today, or before the Executive Committee, who said they were opposed to it. I want to say that I do not want to be classed as one of those who stand in the way of progress, and I do not feel that anyone can so indict me; but I do want to stand in the position of being one of those who feel that the citizens of our city are entitled to consideration and protection by our votes, as to the spending of their money. If we appropriate \$1,200,000 for this widening, eventually the average person, who has to work for a living, is going to bear the burden. Those who own the property along this street, or any other street that has to be widened, eventually shift the amount of money which they are compelled to pay for their proportionate share in connection with betterments, taxes, and so forth, onto the shoulders of those who work by the sweat of their brow; and no matter how much of this money is raised within the tax limit, or how much of it is raised by loan outside of the tax limits, as is authorized in this particular instance by the Legislature, which does not know anything about the conditions in our city—what do men who come from Greenfield and Westfield and other towns in the state know about traffic conditions or know about other conditions in our city? We

are the ones who have the final say-so, as to whether this street should be widened at this particular time; and I feel that unless there is a necessity for it, and a public necessity which demands that the street be widened and that \$1,200,000 of our citizens' money be expended on this proposition, unless there is some real reason for it existing, I feel that the Council should not appropriate that money. I think there are a great many streets in our city which require widening a great deal more than this street does, and I will just mention one—I will mention Dudley street, from Washington street all the way out to Upham's Corner as, in my opinion, one of the most congested and narrow streets for a main thoroughfare in this entire city; and I would gladly vote, today, to appropriate this money to widen that street. But I do not feel that, with Tremont street as it is today, with Shawmut avenue just newly finished up, that there is any real traffic congestion between the point of Stuart street and Warrenton street; and that is nearly all that can be said by even those that advocate the passage of this legislation from a traffic congestion standpoint; because, once automobiles leave Warrenton street, they can now go either by way of Tremont street or Shawmut avenue, and there is no crying necessity for spending \$1,200,000 to widen Tremont street from Stuart street to Warrenton street. Where the street is congested is not going to be touched. Tremont street, in my opinion, is congested from Boylston street to Stuart street, and they tell you that it would require a great deal of money to widen it between Boylston street and Stuart street. Well then, if the problem is to relieve traffic congestion, there is not anyone, in my opinion, that will deny that the greatest congestion is at these points, or between these points; and I would be willing to vote for an appropriation, regardless of how much money it might take, to widen Tremont street, between Boylston street and Stuart street, where I think there is a necessity for such a widening; but to widen Tremont street, from Stuart street out to Warrenton street, and spend \$1,200,000, practically, for what little relief there might be for that small section is, in my opinion, out of the question. I think that the property owners are entitled to some consideration. I think that men who have invested their money in property on Tremont street, in the nature of obtaining leases of these properties, are entitled to consideration by this Council, before their entire holdings are wiped out of existence. I feel that the property holders are not the ones who are ultimately going to bear this burden; and I think this Council, today, ought to take a vote upon this matter; because, at the last meeting of the Council, almost every member of it was very exacting that, in order to grant a delay—in order that we might have a public hearing on this proposition—it was only so voted upon the proviso that there would be a vote taken upon this matter today. Therefore it is for that reason that I will move that the matter be taken from the table.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. Chairman, I believe it takes a majority vote to take from the table. Am I correct, Mr. Chairman?

President DONOGHUE—That is correct.

Coun. WATSON—I trust that the Council will not take the matter from the table. Coun. Brickley, who, I am inclined to believe, favors the proposition, and Coun. Lane, who I am very firm in my opinion favors it, are absent; if they were not absent I would not object to taking it from the table. It is a very important proposition, and while I was the one to move, last week, that we have action today, I assumed that on a \$1,200,000 proposition, there would be a full attendance of the Council. Coun. Brickley was here, and I believe he has been called away unexpectedly, and Coun. Lane is not here. I trust the matter will not be taken from the table for the reason that I have given, realizing fully that the presiding officer is correct in his statement that we were all desirous of a vote, today; and I think he thought that we would all be here today,—I know that I did, and that we would have a good, clear understanding, and a good, clean, full voting of the full membership; and I think, if he was absent, unavoidably or otherwise, that he would not want a matter of this great importance defeated or acted upon unless he was present, and I certainly would be one to insist upon the matter not being considered in his absence; and I think the Chair—knowing that his idea is positive fairness in all these things—will agree to let the matter lie on the table for another week, under the circumstances; and I therefore trust that it will not be taken from the table.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. Chairman, the councilor just speaking was not interfered with when he took another matter from the table and asked for a vote, and I don't see why he should worry now. He was not worrying then about Councilor Brickley or Councilor Lane.

Coun. WATSON—That was not as important.

Coun. PURCELL—It was just as important as this, because it is giving the people transportation. It was put on the table, because I had the votes to lick it last Monday. Why didn't you vote to leave it on the table, when I asked to leave it on the table?

Coun. WATSON—I will answer that by saying, I don't know why.

Coun. PURCELL—There are a lot of things you don't know why, too.

Coun. WATSON—I know a lot more that I will not tell you about.

Coun. PURCELL—Yes, and a lot that you don't tell. I do not think the councilor is fair in asking that this be laid on the table; I believe that we should have a vote today. I am ready to vote,—I came up here to vote for it. If I thought this was not going to be voted on I would not have come here today.

Coun. WATSON—To vote for it or against it?

Coun. PURCELL—To vote against it.

Coun. WATSON—You said to vote for it.

Coun. PURCELL—I think the gentleman ought to withdraw his motion.

Coun. WATSON—I have made no motion. I am opposing the motion made by the Chair which is that the matter be taken from the table.

President DONOGHUE—The motion is that he matter be taken from the table. All in favor say "Aye," opposed "No." It is a vote.

Coun. WATSON—I doubt the vote.

President DONOGHUE—The vote has been doubted. The clerk will call the roll.

The motion to take from the table was carried: Yeas, Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Purcell, Walsh.

Nays, Coun. Healey, Moriarty, Watson—3.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. Chairman, I am obliged to restrain myself,—I do not quite feel as though I can address myself to talk upon this proposition.

I would like to ask for a reconsideration of the last vote, whereby the matter was taken from the table, and I am going to appeal to the fairness of the Council in this matter. I am rather surprised at at least one member of the Council in voting to take this matter from the table. It means the defeat of the order, if we vote on it today; it means that we do not permit two members of this Council to have an opportunity to vote on a proposition that they are entitled to vote on. Ordinary courtesy, independent of any other issue, calls for the postponement of this matter until a full membership of this Council is here. There are enough members of this body to pass this measure,—that is my belief; and by taking this action today a majority of the Council who have voted it from the table are taking advantage, or working a sharp practice, in my opinion. I do not want to,—I will not inform the public, or this Council, what I know concerning this proposition.

Coun. PURCELL—If the gentleman knows anything, now is the time to tell it. I call your bluff, Mr. Watson.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. Chairman, does the gentleman insist upon it?

Coun. PURCELL—All the way,—all the way through; but remember, Mr. Watson, if you say one word that is wrong, I am going to knock you down.

Coun. WATSON. Mr. Chairman, I was brought up a gentleman. I err at times, but no man will knock me down for saying what I believe to be true.

Coun. PURCELL. You have got to say it is the truth.

Coun. WATSON. I will perform my duty here, but I have no desire to wash any dirty linen here.

Coun. PURCELL—I hope you have not. (Coun. Walsh addressed a remark to Coun. Watson.)

Coun. WATSON—No, Councilor Walsh, I will not subsidize for you, or anybody else. Mr. Chairman, I appeal once again to the fairness of the members of this body upon this proposition before us. I ask you, Councilor Walsh, in the interest of fair play and decency, in the interest of your colleagues who are absent and desire to vote on this proposition,—and you, Councilor Gilbody, whose colleague is also absent,—to assist those who favor this proposition in getting a full vote on this matter, and not compelling me to make statements that I know to be true but which I do not want to make in this body. Out of respect to my colleagues I will not today mention what I know; but I will ask if you will postpone this for one week. I promise you, Councilor Purcell, that if you then insist, I will provide you with the opportunity of knocking me down if I do not tell the truth. Therefore Mr. Chairman, I trust that the matter will not be taken from the table.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair will state that the matter has been taken from the table, and the question now comes upon the passage of the order.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, by taking advantage of parliamentary practices, we could defeat the motion of the Chair, if we desired; but this matter is too big a proposition to be carried or defeated by any subterfuge or any turning of sharp corners. This proposition, Mr. President, is either worthy or unworthy. My contention is that the proposition is a worthy one, and that the public will sustain the action of a majority of this Council, who I believe, will vote to pass it if given the opportunity. Therefore, Mr. President, the Chair is in error. The question before the Council is the reconsideration of the matter whereby the matter was taken from the table. I move the reconsideration of the vote that I am talking about.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair will state that, in my opinion, the Chair is not in error, because Council has voted to take this matter from the table. Automatically, the question comes upon the passage of the order. If the gentleman then desires to move a reconsideration, the Chair will accept that motion.

Coun. WATSON—Pardon me, Mr. President; do I understand that, if the matter is defeated,

that then I may move a reconsideration of that vote, and have the final vote postponed until the next meeting?

President DONOGHUE—I do not just get that question.

Coun. WATSON—Do I understand if we are defeated on the question of the passage of this order, which has been taken from the table, that I may then move a reconsideration; and if the reconsideration prevails, the vote may then be postponed for one week?

President DONOGHUE—That is true.

Coun. WATSON—All right, Mr. President; then I will follow your suggestion.

President DONOGHUE—The question comes upon the passage of the order. The Clerk will call the roll.

The order failed of passage, six votes being required.

Yeas—Coun. Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Watson—4.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh—3.

Coun. WATSON—I move a reconsideration of the vote, hoping the same will prevail; and if that motion is carried, I will then move that action be postponed until the next meeting.

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Watson moves a reconsideration. The Chair desires to say, in view of what has been said, that those who are opposed to this proposition are not indulging in sharp parliamentary practice, and I think that is true of both sides. That is what we are here for we are here to attend to these matters in a parliamentary manner. No objection has been taken, or has been voiced, as far as I know of, by those who are opposed to this proposition, to allowing those who are in favor of it to make any motion that they desire to make; but I do not believe that those who are in favor of this proposition should cast any insinuations that because of the fact that certain members of the Council are absent, for that reason those who are opposed to the passage of the Tremont street widening are insisting upon a vote on this measure today. Those who are opposed, in my opinion, to the passage of this matter today, are really only following out the wishes of those who are in favor of the proposition; because, one week ago today, it was those who are in favor of this proposition who insisted that the vote be taken on this matter today, and no remarks are justifiable, in my opinion, trying to shift the responsibility of sharp parliamentary practice from those that are in favor of the Tremont street widening onto the shoulders of those who are opposed.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. Chairman, I did not suggest that the opposition had tried any sharp practice. I said I would not take advantage of any sharp practice or subterfuge in not having the matter considered today; that is all I said.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I want to say that, at the last meeting, I was not insistent. And, in so far as today's meeting is concerned, I made no reference to action today, but I voted against a postponement, and voted against Coun. Gilbody's motion; and therefore as one of those in favor of laying it over today, I was not one of those that was insistent that there be a vote today.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I would just like to say a word along that line. I made the motion, last week, to lay the matter on the table without any definite time,—to lay it on the table for a public hearing, and it was insisted, then, that the vote be taken today. My motion was amended and consequently I feel, while I have been with the order, as Council knows, that if we are bound by the order of last week, we ought to fulfil our obligation today.

The motion, to reconsider was carried:

Yeas—Coun. Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Watson—4.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh—3.

The order was laid on the table on motion of Coun. WATSON.

Yeas—Coun. Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Watson—4.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh—3.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. WALSH moved to reconsider the action taken on all matters voted upon at this meeting; lost.

Adjourned at 6.45 p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to meet on Monday, September 8, 1924, at two o'clock p. m.

PUBLIC DEBT, 1924.

Gross founded debt February 1, 1924, \$128,627,400.98 (including \$299,999.98 issued by State for enlargement of Court House); sinking funds, \$1,162,916; net debt, \$85,502,173, of which total \$50,079,397, or 58.57 per cent, was City Debt; \$33,897,385, or 39.65 per cent, Rapid Transit debt (representing $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent investment); \$1,259,391, or 1.47 per cent, County debt and \$266,000, or 0.31 per cent, Water debt.

Net debt per capita, \$100.83 (approx.); net debt exclusive of Rapid Transit debt, \$51,604,788 or \$60.86 per capita (approx.). Loans authorized but not issued (within debt limit) \$1,050,000; same outside of debt limit, \$4,280,000.

In the fiscal year 1923-24, the net City debt was increased by \$607,566 and the net Rapid Transit debt by \$1,472,415, while the net County debt was reduced by \$92,396 and the net Water Debt by \$16,000.

Total debt contracted, \$7,190,000; total debt paid, \$5,139,400; total increase of gross debt, \$2,050,600; of net debt, \$1,971,586.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, August 21, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion, that in said city, public improvements should be made consisting of:

The laying out an construction of an extension of Linden street, Dorchester district, as a highway, over the private way known as Homes avenue, to Juliette street.

The laying out and construction of Greateon road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Schirmer road southeasterly.

The laying out and construction of Pierpont road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Manthorne road to Greateon road.

The laying out and construction of Verrill street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Morton street to Woolson street.

The laying out and construction of Brook road and Lotus place, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Washington street to Plainfield street, with the name of Lotus street or some other distinctive name.

The laying out and construction of an extension of Haverford street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, over the private way known as Baker court, from Montebello road to Germania street.

The laying out and construction of Helena street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Adams street to Burgoyne street.

All substantially as shown on plans in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass orders for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of September 4, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for public hearings in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,

(Aug. 23.)

Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HAY, GRAIN AND STRAW.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 o'clock m. on Friday, August 29, 1924, when they will be publicly opened and read, for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during the month of September, 1924. The bidder must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on United States old New York No. 2 and No. 3 timothy hay, United States old New York No. 2 and No. 3 light grass mixed, and United States old New York No. 2 and No. 3 light clover mixed, the straw to be rye straw in good condition. The grade of hay must comply with the federal hay grades and straw must comply with the National Hay Association and shall be weighed and inspected by the federal hay inspector. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, clipped to test 36 to 38 pounds, graded under the federal standards. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. No reservations or stipulations will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

FRANK P. ROCK,

(Aug. 23.)

Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REMODELING FIRE STATION.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for remodeling Engine House 27, Elm street, Charlestown, and giving bond of a surety company therefor in the sum of 25 per cent of proposal. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioner, signed by the bidder and left before 12 m., September 3, 1924, at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston, with a certified check of \$200, payable to the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time mentioned for the opening of the bids. Proposals must be marked "Proposal for Remodeling Engine House 27." The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids. A deposit of \$10 in cash will be required for each set of drawings and specifications taken for estimating purposes from the office of the Commissioner and obtainable at said office on August 27, 1924, such sum to be refunded provided the drawings and specifications are returned.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,

Fire Commissioner.

(Aug. 23-30.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING FENDERS OF CHELSEA STREET BRIDGE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing fenders of Chelsea Street Bridge, and giving bond thereof of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Chelsea Street Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Thursday, September 4, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal, after acceptance, is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, or to accept any proposal, should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, August 21, 1924.

(Aug. 23.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals to erect and complete, including the plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating work, the building for Overseers of Public Welfare and Temporary Home, at the corner of Chardon, Hawkins and Bowker streets, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, August 26, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$7,500, payable to the City if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, before the time of opening the bids. The Acting Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings and specifications. Mutilation of plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

JOHN H. MAHONY,

Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.

(Aug. 23.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

REOPENING OF SCHOOLS; ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS TO THE TEACHERS COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON (FOR COLLEGE GRADUATES), AND LATIN AND DAY HIGH SCHOOLS; ALSO EXAMINATION FOR XI. SPECIAL, HOME NURSING CERTIFICATE.

Boston Public Schools.—The school term will begin on Tuesday, September 9, 1924. Teachers and members of the supervising staff are required to report for duty on Monday, September 8, 1924.

Examinations for admission to The Teachers College (college section) and to the Latin and day high schools will be held as follows:

The Teachers College.—For admission to the one-year course open to graduates of approved colleges and universities.—On Friday, September 12, 1924, at 9 o'clock a. m., at The Teachers College, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue.

Latin Schools.—(For admission to the six-year course).—On Monday, September 8, at 9 o'clock a. m. Boys will be examined at the Public Latin Schoolhouse, on Avenue Louis Pasteur; girls, at the Girls' Latin Schoolhouse, on Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue.

Candidates are required to pass an examination equivalent to that required for admission to the seventh grade of the elementary schools. The subjects of examination will be English (including reading, literature and spelling); arithmetic; geography; and history and civics.

For admission to the four-year course:

Candidates for admission to the four-year course in the Public Latin or Girls' Latin Schools will be examined only on September 12, at the place and in the subjects indicated under high schools, below:

High Schools.—On Friday, September 12, 1924, at 9 o'clock a. m. Boys and girls will be examined at The Teachers College, on Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue. The subjects of examination will be: English language, including reading, writing and spelling; grammar and composition; history and civil government of the United States; geography and arithmetic.

XI. Special: Home Nursing Certificate.

For teachers of home nursing in the High School of Practical Arts. This examination will be held in The Teachers College, on Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, on Friday, September 12, 1924, at 9 o'clock a. m. For eligibility requirements and subjects of examination, apply to the undersigned.

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Acting Secretary, School Committee,
(Aug. 23.) 15 Beacon Street, Boston.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

PROPOSALS FOR RECUR GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN CONGRESS STREET, FROM FRANKLIN STREET TO ATLANTIC AVENUE; PEARL STREET, FROM FRANKLIN STREET TO ATLANTIC AVENUE; AND WATER STREET, FROM WASHINGTON STREET TO DEVONSHIRE STREET, CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for recut granite block pavement in Congress street, from Franklin street to Atlantic avenue; Pearl street, from Franklin street to Atlantic avenue; and Water street, from Washington street to Devonshire street, city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fourteen thousand (14,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Recut Granite Block Pavement, Congress Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, September 2, 1924, with a certified check for fourteen hundred (1,400) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears in the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 21, 1924. (Aug. 23.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN STONY BROOK, SECTION 10A STELLMAN ROAD, PRIVATE LAND, BRADEEN STREET AND WASHINGTON STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Stony Brook, Section 10A Stellman road, private land, Bradeen street and Washington street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seventy thousand (70,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Stony Brook, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, September 3, 1924, with a certified check for seven thousand (7,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 14. (August 23-30.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT

TO CARPENTER CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for building additions to portable school building at the Brighton High School, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, August 29, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(Aug. 23.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.
STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the Acting Commissioner of Public Buildings and with the Mayor's approval, I shall sell at public auction, upon the premises 508, 510, 512 Washington street and 2 Melville avenue, Dorchester district, on Wednesday, August 27, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m., three frame buildings, to be demolished and removed from the lots in which they stand, on or before November 1, 1924. The successful bidder must furnish a bond of \$1,000, satisfactory to the Acting Commissioner for the full performance of the work, and to protect the City of Boston against all damage.

The City authorities reserve the right to confirm bid. Terms: Cash at time of sale.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer.
(Aug. 23.) 333 Washington Street, Boston.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WIDENING AND RESURFACING ROAD IN FRANKLIN PARK, SECTION 1, BLUE HILL AVENUE TO VALLEY GATE TRIANGLE.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for widening and resurfacing road in Franklin Park, Section 1, Blue Hill avenue to Valley Gate triangle. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "Widening and Resurfacing Road in Franklin Park, Section 1, Blue Hill Avenue to Valley Gate Triangle," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, August 26, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$5,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$25,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(Aug. 23.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN WOOD AVENUE, FROM SEMINOLE STREET ABOUT 335 FEET NORTHWESTERLY TO EXISTING SEWER, HYDE PARK.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Wood avenue, from Seminole street about 335 feet northwesterly to existing sewer, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of nineteen hundred (1,900) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Wood Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, September 2, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 21, 1924. (Aug. 23.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEAT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments during September, 1924, as per specifications, to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out will be received at the above office until 12 noon, Friday, August 29, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(Aug. 23.)

DELINQUENT TAX SALES.

CITY OF BOSTON.

CITY COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes and assessments thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed by the assessors of taxes of said City to me as collector of taxes for said City, including assessments for the suppression of gypsy and brown-tail moths, remain unpaid, and that the smallest undivided part of said land sufficient to satisfy said taxes and assessments, with interests and all legal costs and charges, or the whole of said land if no person offers to take an undivided part thereof, will be offered for sale by public auction at the City Collector's office, on the second floor of the City Hall Annex on Court street, in said City of Boston, on Wednesday, September 10, 1924, at 9.30 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and assessments, with interests, costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

The sums set against the following descriptions of the several parcels of land show the amounts due thereon respectively for the taxes and assessments for the nonpayment of which each of said parcels of land is to be sold, but do not include the cost and interest thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale.

WARD ONE.

Harry P. Chadwick—About 14,003 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street between an estate of East Boston Company and an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923... 51 87

Edward M. Cox Heirs—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Addison street, numbered 135, between an estate of Louis J. Foote and an estate of Redmond Condon, tax for 1923... 34 58

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923... 10 40

Federated Jewish Charities, reassessed from Alice F. Collins—Buildings and about 5,100 feet of land on the northerly side of White street, numbered 82, making the northwesterly corner of Brooks street, adjoining an estate of Mary Saklad, tax for 1922... 187 72

Teresa M. Frederick—Buildings and about 6,076 feet of land on the northerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 968 and 970, making the northwesterly corner of Boardman street, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Bonzagni and others, trustees, tax for 1923... 172 90

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923... 36 28

Elizabeth C. Giblin—Buildings and about 6,210 feet of land on the easterly side of Thurston street, numbered 26, making the northeasterly corner of Goldstar street, adjoining an estate of Mary C. Evans, tax for 1923... 148 20

Margaret A. Greer and Nicholas J. Ryan—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of St. Andrew road, numbered 98, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 96 Wapello road, adjoining an estate of Antonio G. Tomasello, tax for 1923... \$197 60

Paid on account... 100 21

Balance due... 97 39

Ida A. Massa, one half, and Giuseppe Bernardi, Heirs, one half—Buildings and about 2,704 feet of land on the northerly side of Leyden street, numbered 80, between an estate of Mario Cicco and an estate of Andrea Lagomarsino, tax for 1923... 61 75

Giuseppe Mastromarino, reassessed from East Boston Company—About 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, adjoining an estate of Charles H. Smith, being lot 22, Block C, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921... 12 80

Maria Paduano—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Wordsworth street, numbered 27, between an estate of John Duffy heirs and another, and an estate of

August Czarnetski and another, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923... 2 59

Francisco P. Ricco—Buildings and about 14,879 feet of land on the southerly side of Leyden street, numbered 15, making the junction of Boardman street, adjoining an estate of Antonio Canevaro and another, tax for 1923... \$466 69

Paid on account... 55 00

Balance due... 11 69

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923... 40 60

Filomena Ruggiero—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 432, adjoining an estate of Luiz and Mary Goncalves, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9216, tax for 1923... \$172 90

Paid on account... 80 27

Balance due... 92 63

Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 416, between an estate of Anthony C. Ricco and an estate of Domingos Veiga, tax for 1923... \$148 20

Paid on account... 80 28

Balance due... 67 92

Edward W. Ryan—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Moore street, numbered 39, between an estate of Mary A. Toomey and an estate of Thomas O. McEnaney, tax for 1923... \$54 34

Paid on account... 25 00

Balance due... 29 34

WARD TWO.

Lena Cimino—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 142 between an estate of Raffaele Cundari and an estate of Antonio Chianca and another, tax for 1923... \$71 63

Paid on account... 34 00

Balance due... \$37 63

Agostino De Stefano—Buildings and about 2,334 square feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street (numbered 188) adjoining another estate of said De Stefano and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922... 10 01

Martino and Comatto DiGesa—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Everett street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of John H. Craft and another; easterly by an estate of Mary Smiddy; southerly by an estate of Lena Cimino; westerly by an estate of Carmela Gravalese, tax for 1923... 9 88

Annie M. Kelley—About 1,330 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pearl street (formerly numbered 3), between two other estates of said Kelley, tax for 1922... 7 41

James H. Strong—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 211, between an estate of David Shaffer and an estate of Secondino Di Dominicus and another, tax for 1923... 123 50

WARD THREE.

Hedwige Durkin—Buildings and about 3,300 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brighton street, numbered 18, between an estate of Grace C. Morse and an estate of Thomas Costello and another, tax for 1923... \$69 16

Paid on account... 25 00

Balance due... \$44 16

Erland F. Fish—Buildings and about 3,300 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lawrence street, numbered 29, between an estate of Samuel H. Gupta and an estate of Susan Jepson heirs or devisees, tax for 1923... 74 10

Frederick P. Fish—Buildings and about 3,312 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Main street, numbered 176, 178 and 180, making the westerly corner of Homestead place, adjoining an estate of Walter Nash

(numbered 182 and 184), tax for 1923... 148 20

Marion Glickman—Buildings and about 1,420 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Baldwin street, numbered 67, between an estate of Emma F. Leahy and another estate of said Glickman, tax for 1923... \$103 74

Paid on account... 33 33

Balance due... 70 41

Also buildings and about 1,327 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Baldwin street, numbered 69, between two other estates of said Glickman, tax for 1923... \$103 74

Paid on account... 33 34

Balance due... 70 40

Also buildings and about 1,318 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Baldwin street, numbered 71, between another estate of said Glickman and an estate of Justin Douglas, tax for 1923... \$103 74

Paid on account... 33 33

Balance due... 70 41

P. Robert Greene, one third; John F. Greene, one third and Joseph Greene, one third—Buildings and about 1,527 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chapman street, numbered 43 and 45, between an estate of John P. Doran and an estate of Anna Sarvitz, tax for 1923... 81 51

Daniel J. Kane—About 780 feet of land on the easterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Elizabeth J. Scanlon; easterly by an estate of Alfred S. Hill, trustee; southerly and westerly by Exeter place, tax for 1921... 7 41

Tax for 1923... 7 41

Elizabeth J. McIntire—Buildings and about 1,237 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Allston street, numbered 23, between an estate of Mary C. Prendegast and an estate of Michael Coleman, tax for 1923... 51 97

Stephen Nugent Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Short Street place, numbered 2, between an estate of John Nugent and another estate of said Nugent heirs or devisees, tax for 1922... 9 88

Nora M. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,096 feet of land on the southerly side of Mill street, numbered 14, between an estate of John B. MacKay and an estate of Mary E. Waas, tax for 1923... 69 16

Thomas A. and Annie O. Smith—Buildings and about 802 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charles Street place, numbered 13, between an estate of David P. Doolan and an estate of Josephine S. Romano, tax for 1923, 17 29

Thomas M. Smith, reassessed from Patrick O'Riordan Heirs or Devises—About 1,640 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Walnut street, between an estate of William J. Magill and another estate of said Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1922... 19 76

Charles A. Stewart—About 900 feet of land on the easterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate now or formerly of Edward Kennedy; southerly by a 4-foot passageway leading from Wesley street; westerly by Exeter place; northerly by an estate of Alfred S. Hill, trustee, tax for 1923... 7 41

WARD FOUR.

Francis P. and Isabel Downey—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of High street, numbered 39, between an estate of Alice G. Horan and an estate of Michael J. Goff, tax for 1923... \$135 85

Catherine T. Dunn and George and Catherine Roe—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, numbered 25, adjoining an estate of James J. Mellen and another, making the easterly corner of a 10-foot passageway, tax for 1923... 46 93

Mary Hickey—Buildings and about 912 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, numbered 31, between an estate of Isabelle E. McLaughlin and an estate of Elizabeth S. Whidden, tax for 1923... 37 05

Jacob Hoffman—Buildings and about 2,602 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 39, making the easterly corner of Hudson street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Hoffman, tax for 1923.....	296 40
Also buildings and about 1,893 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 41, 41A, 41B and 43, making the southerly corner of and numbered 3 Gray street, adjoining an estate of said Hoffman, tax for 1923.....	395 20
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	12 24
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923	25 71
Also buildings and about 795 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 37, making the southerly corner of Hudson street, adjoining an estate of Gaetano Mosconi, tax for 1923.....	130 91
John Kyle Devises—About 1,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Scott's court, formerly numbered 8, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Grace W. Conant, tax for 1923....	9 88
Hyman Miller—Buildings and about 1,280 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 114, between an estate of Harry L. Holcombe and an estate of Salina Zarella and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court certificate number 14237, tax for 1923	158 08
Harry Norack—Buildings and about 812 feet of land on the easterly side of Chestnut street, numbered 9, making the northeasterly corner of Chelsea street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Foss devisees, tax for 1923, \$140 79 Paid on account	100 00
Balance due	40 79
Nora M. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 161, between an estate of Irene F. Wentworth and an estate of Cornelius McBride heirs or devisees, tax for 1923	61 22
Louis Rubin—Buildings and about 2,860 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 187, making the northerly corner of Medford street, adjoining an estate of James M. Burr, tax for 1923....	247 00
Also about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Annie T. Montgomery (numbered 13), tax for 1923	22 23
Thomas F. Taff Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,225 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 58, between an estate of Ada E. Corey, trustee, and an estate of Dennis Kelley heirs or devisees, tax for 1923	56 81
Thomas Taff Heirs—Buildings and about 1,024 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cross street, numbered 5, adjoining an estate of Sarah T. Doherty and making the easterly corner of a passageway, tax for 1923	79 04
William W. Taff—Buildings and about 2,664 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Monument square, numbered 48, making the southerly corner of Soley street, adjoining an estate of Michael D. Ferrante, tax for 1923	222 30
Fred J. Weyland—About 1,784 feet of land on the northerly side of Tufts Street avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by estates of Ellen Calleen and William Mahoney; northerly by an estate of John F. Madden; westerly by an estate of Miles Muldoon, and westerly by Tufts Street avenue, tax for 1923	12 35
WARD FIVE.	
Rachel Asher, supposed present owner Morris Shapiro—Buildings and about 1,125 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Barton street, numbered 3, between an estate of Dora Cline and an estate of Morris Shapiro, tax for 1922.....	\$158 08
Thomas J. Burke—Buildings and about 1,304 feet of land on the easterly side of India square, numbered 3 and 5, at junction of and numbered 5, 7 and 9 Storer street, between an estate of Amasa Stetson heirs or devisees and Rufus A. Thayer and an estate of Louise R. Spinney, tax for 1923.....	\$666 90
Paid on account.....	250 00
Balance due.....	416 90

Kevin Carmen, Morris Gordon, Ira W. Shapira and Thomas Nuttle Trustees of Commercial Buildings Trust—Buildings and about 723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thatcher court at end, numbered 15, adjoining an estate of James Constanza, numbered 13, tax for 1922.....	111 15
Elizabeth S. Colton, one fourth, Sidney H. Bradford, one fourth, Susana B. Howe, one fourth, Elizabeth S. Colton, Guardian and George Howe, one fourth, supposed present owner Mashie Berenson—Buildings and about 1,495 square feet of land on the southerly side of Dock square, numbered 31, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 28, 30-34 Exchange street, adjoining an estate of Fifty Associates, tax for 1923	3,581 50
Thomas M. Conley—Buildings and about 819 square feet of land on the northeasterly side of May place, numbered 4, making the northerly corner of May place, adjoining an estate of Simon Thomas, tax for 1923	\$59 28
Paid on account.....	15 00
Balance due.....	44 28
Nicola and Carminella Costanza—Buildings and about 1,504 feet of land on the easterly side of North street, numbered 307 and 309, between an estate of Joseph A. Camelio and an estate of Charles F. Adams, 2d and others trustees, tax for 1923	\$358 15
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	258 15
Guiseppina De Feo—Buildings and about 998 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prince street, numbered 8, between an estate of Angelo Cavagnaro heirs or devisees and an estate of Max B. Bloom, tax for 1923.....	345 80
Generoso and Agostino De Stefano one half, and Angelo Penta, one half—Buildings and about 2,460 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Salem street, numbered 160, 160A and 160B, making the westerly corner of Shcafe street, adjoining an estate of Angelo Fiore, tax for 1923	\$963 30
Paid on account.....	952 25
Balance due.....	11 05
Generoso De Stefano and Angelo Penta—Buildings and about 1,876 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prince street, numbered 46, 48, 48½, 50 and 52, between an estate of David Bailen and others and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923	\$484 12
Paid on account.....	478 68
Balance due.....	5 44
Andrea DiPietro—Buildings and about 6,525 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 422, 424, 426 and 428, making the northwesterly and southwesterly corners of and numbered 3 and 4 Fountain place, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Nuttle, tax for 1923.....	1,877 20
Also buildings and about 964 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 404, making the westerly corner of Holden court, adjoining another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1923.....	256 88
Also buildings and about 845 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1923.....	133 38
Also buildings and about 720 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 4, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1923.....	98 80
Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 3, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Also about 1,035 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Holden court, numbered 2, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1923	160 55
Also buildings and about 810 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Holden court, numbered 1, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1923	135 85
Also buildings and about 821 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 402, making the southerly corner of Holden court, adjoining another estate	

of said DiPietro, tax for 1923.....	222 30
Also buildings and about 1,765 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 416, 418 and 420, between an estate of Andrea DiPietro and another and an estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1922	605 15
Tax for 1923.....	605 15
Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 406 to 418 (inclusive), between another estate of said DiPietro and an estate of said Andrea DiPietro, tax for 1923.....	716 30
Andrea and Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 1,472 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 410, 412 and 414, between another estate of said DiPietro and another and an estate of Andrea DiPietro, tax for 1923.....	543 40
Joseph DiSteffano—Buildings and about 764 feet of land on the southerly side of Clark street, numbered 17, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Isidor Carcioffo and another, tax for 1923.....	\$197 60
Paid on account.....	147 60
Balance due.....	50 00
Also buildings and about 1,553 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Clark street, numbered 17 rear, between an estate of Henry C. Brookings and an estate of Isidor Carcioffo and another, tax for 1923.....	\$202 54
Paid on account.....	152 40
Balance due.....	50 14
Jacob M. Fleisher—Buildings and about 1,408 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Salem street, numbered 151 and 153, between another estate of said Fleisher and an estate of Jacob S. Heller, tax for 1923.....	\$456 95
Paid on account.....	200 00
Balance due.....	256 95
Also buildings and about 1,866 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prince street, numbered 71, making the easterly corner of and numbered 149, 149½ and 149A Salem street, adjoining another estate of said Fleisher, tax for 1923	\$691 60
Paid on account.....	300 00
Balance due.....	391 60
Also buildings and about 1,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Prince street, numbered 67, 67A and 69, between another estate of said Fleisher and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923, \$543 40 Paid on account.....	300 00
Balance due.....	243 40
Arthur P. French, Trustee under will of Harriet Hallett—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Commercial street, numbered 206 and 208, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 1 and 1½ Lewis street, adjoining an estate of Harry H. Ham and another trustee, tax for 1923....	716 30
Albert A. and Isreal Ginsburg—Buildings and about 787 feet of land on the southerly side of Bartlett place, numbered 20, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Ginsburg and another, tax for 1922	155 61
Walter H. Gleason—Buildings and about 660 feet of land on the easterly side of Snowhill street, numbered 9, between an estate of Arcangelo Cataldo and an estate of Michele Casole and another, tax for 1922	88 92
Gertrude H. Graham and Carrie B., Ruth F. and Rebecca R. Higgins—Buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Court street, numbered 130, between an estate of Cambridge Realty Company and an estate of Cosmopolitan Trust Company, tax for 1923.....	741 00
P. Robert Greene, John F. Greene and Joseph A. Greene, one third each—Buildings and about 2,624 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 340, 342 and 344, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 3 North Bennet street, adjoining another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923	\$1,482 00
Paid on account.....	800 00
Balance due.....	682 00

Also buildings and about 5,704 feet of land on the northerly side of Hanover avenue, numbered 16, 18 and 20, extending through to and numbered 5, 7 and 9 Powers court, between an estate of Guiseppina Taschetto and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923.....\$553 28
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 353 28

Also buildings and about 1,646 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 417, 419 and 419A, between an estate of Angelo DeRosa and an estate of Ernest F. Guarenti and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....\$587 86
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 387 86

Also buildings and about 1,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Hanover avenue, numbered 15, 17 and 19, between an estate of Marx Silverman and an estate of Gaetano Ferullo, tax for 1923.....\$212 42
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 162 42

Also buildings and about 6,553 feet of land on the westerly side of North street, numbered 358 and 360, making the northwesterly and southwesterly corner of and numbered 1, 3 and 5 Page's court, adjoining an estate of Grazia Sizziminto, tax for 1923.....\$716 30
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 616 30

Apportionment for sewer assessment for 1923..... 13 60

Also buildings and about 742 feet of land on the westerly side of North street, numbered 350, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 32 Harris street, adjoining another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$180 31
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 170 31

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 4 95

Also buildings and about 996 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 28 and 30, between two other estates of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$123 50
Paid on account..... 5 00

Balance due..... 118 50

Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 24, between two other estates of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$182 78
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 172 78

Also buildings and about 1,107 feet of land on the northerly side of Fairfield place, numbered 2 and 3, between an estate of Rose A. McLaughlin and another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$96 33
Paid on account..... 5 00

Balance due..... 91 33

Also buildings and about 1,517 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 20, between two other estates of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$133 38
Paid on account..... 5 00

Balance due..... 128 38

Also buildings and about 1,722 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 16 and 18, making the northeasterly corner of Fairfield place, adjoining another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$251 94
Paid on account..... 5 38

Balance due..... 246 56

Ida M. Hodson, supposed present owner Channing Horne mortgagee in possession—Buildings and about 844 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lewis street, numbered 52, making the easterly corner of and numbered 15 and 17 Moon street, adjoining an estate of Angiolina Galasso, tax for 1923.....\$197 60
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 97 60

Anastasia Keefe, Trustee under will of John Casey—Buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the easterly side of Hudson street, numbered 22,

making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 91 Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Thomas H. J. Maloof, tax for 1923..... 410 02

Also buildings and about 1,610 feet of land on the westerly side of Albany street, numbered 55, 57 and 59, between an estate of George M. Hodge and another estate of said Keefe trustee, tax for 1923..... 254 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 7 19

Also about 872 feet of land on the northwesterly side of South street, formerly numbered 217, making the northerly corner of Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Robert H. Gardiner and another, trustee, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 5 94

Also buildings and about 1,330 feet of land on the westerly side of Albany street, numbered 61, between another estate of said Keefe, trustee, and an estate of Hosma J. Francis and another, heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... 219 83

Louis Levenson—Buildings and about 2,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brighton street, numbered 111 and 113, making the northerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Louis H. Levenson, tax for 1923..... 469 30

Also buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of John street, numbered 17 and 19, extending through to Barrett street, between another estate of said Lyons and an estate of Edward H. Eldredge and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....\$775 58
Paid on account..... 390 00

Balance due..... 385 58

Rose A. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 1,178 feet of land on the westerly side of Fairfield place numbered 1, between another estate of said McLaughlin and an estate of P. Robert Greene and others, tax for 1923, 150 67

Also buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 10, making the northwesterly corner of Fairfield place, adjoining an estate of Ernest F. Guarente and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... 264 29

Jennie Moses—Buildings and about 1,480 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Poplar street, numbered 18, between an estate of Bella Isenberg (numbered 20), and an estate of Rachael Emanuel, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2717, tax for 1923.....\$345 80
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 245 80

William A. Nazzaro—Buildings and about 1,264 feet of land on the southerly side of Howard street, numbered 56, 56A and 58 and 60, making the southeasterly corner of Bulfinch street, adjoining another estate of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923, 617 50

Also buildings and about 1,264 feet of land on the easterly side of Bulfinch street, numbered 12½ and 14, between another estate of said Nazzaro and an estate of Bertha S. Rich, tax for 1923..... 370 50

Also buildings and about 1,875 feet of land on the southerly side of Howard street, numbered 52 and 54, between an estate of Edward M. Lynch and an estate of said Nazzaro, tax for 1923..... 540 93

Also buildings and about 724 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Richmond street, numbered 150 and 152, between an estate of Helen G. Sheehan and an estate of Frederick M. Smith, tax for 1923..... 343 45

Olympia Realty Company—Buildings and about 4,064 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 317 and 319, making the southwesterly corner of Harvard place, adjoining an estate of Massachusetts General Hospital, tax for 1923.....\$14,684 15
Paid on account..... 9,482 33

Balance due..... 5,201 82

Caroline M. Roundy—Buildings and about 1,313 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Warrenton street, numbered 5, between another estate of said Roundy and an estate of Hiram Johnson and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....\$261 82
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 61 82

Also buildings and about 1,387 feet

of land on the northeasterly side of Warrenton street, numbered 7, between an estate of Paul O. E. Goldner and another estate of said Roundy, tax for 1923.....\$254 41
Paid on account..... 116 23

Balance due..... 138 18

Margaret Sansone—Buildings and about 791 feet of land on the northerly side of South Margin street, numbered 17 and 17A, between an estate of Francis J. Howard, trustee, and an estate of H. Traiser & Co., Inc., tax for 1923.....\$232 18
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 132 18

Jacob Short, reassessed from Ida M. Hodson—About 740 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Russell place, between an estate of Jennie Levine (numbered 10 Parkman street) and an estate of Wolf Zimmerman and another, tax for 1923..... 32 11

John Sullivan Heirs—Buildings and about 1,262 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 33 and 35, making the northerly corner of and numbered 112 Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Max Freedman, tax for 1923..... 686 66
Tax for 1922..... 308 75

Also buildings and about 1,260 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kneeland street, numbered 90, making the easterly corner of land numbered 20A and 20B Hudson street, adjoining another estate of said Sullivan heirs, tax for 1923..... 652 08

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 14 07

Thomas Taff—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Blackstone street, numbered 157 and 159, between an estate of H. Ellerton Lodge and another and an estate of John D. Williams and another, trustees, tax for 1923..... 908 96

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 10 20

Carrie A. Thorndike—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 153 and 155, making the northeasterly corner of North Russell street numbered 7, 9 and 11, adjoining an estate of Joseph Rittenberg, tax for 1923..... 518 70

Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wall street, numbered 30, between an estate of United Congregation Beth Jacob and an estate of Mendell Morse, tax for 1923..... 121 03

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Arnold Bornstein—Buildings and about 1,696 feet of land on the northerly side of Dover street, numbered 82, between another estate of said Bornstein and an estate of Abraham Sisson and others, tax for 1923.....\$293 93
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... \$93 93

Also buildings and about 1,692 feet of land on the northerly side of Dover street, between two other estates of said Bornstein, tax for 1923.....\$355 68
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 155 68

Also buildings and about 1,688 feet of land on the northerly side of Dover street, numbered 86, between an estate of Mary Simonian and another estate of said Bornstein, tax for 1923.....\$308 75
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 108 75

Peter T. Callahan, Margaret Thompson, Mary Gehue, Catherine Sughrue, Annie Cross, Helen Keenan and John Joseph Callahan—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 36, making the southerly corner of Ryan street, adjoining an estate of Max Werbalski, tax for 1922..... 44 46

Cora M. Chambers, reassessed from George H. Wood—Buildings and about 982 feet of land on the easterly side of Village street, numbered 46, making the northeasterly corner of Lucas street adjoining an estate of James Hanlon, tax for 1922..... 69 16

Gertrude M. Cole—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Dedham street, numbered 24, between an estate of Mary A. Tizhe and an estate of Gertrude B. Pollard and others, tax for 1923.. 118 56

Mary L. Connolly, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the northerly side of Hingham street, numbered 6 and 6A, making the northeasterly corner of Middlesex street, adjoining an estate of Max Shrieber, tax for 1923.....	128 44
Celia A. Gibson—Buildings and about 1,526 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East Concord street, numbered 59, between an estate of Misak Kazarian and an estate of Hannah Reardon, tax for 1923.....	143 26
Bernard E. Grant—Buildings and about 12,229 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 65, making the westerly corner of Sharon street, extending to and making northerly corner of East Newton street, tax for 1923.....	382 85
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 92
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 01
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	9 58
Marie G. Hald (supposed present owner Deb Rezak)—Buildings and about 1,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Brookline street, numbered 108, between an estate of Earl G. Sloan and an estate of David C. Moseley, tax for 1922.....	96 33
Fannie E. Hatch—Buildings and about 1,596 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Sharon street, numbered 28, between an estate of Gezia Davidson and an estate of Edward Doherty, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Elizabeth A. Murray—Buildings and about 2,410 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 602, extending through to Ivanhoe street, between an estate of Carrie F. Nutter and an estate of Alice F. Murray, tax for 1923.....	382 85
Alice F. Murray—Buildings and about 2,464 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 604, extending through to Ivanhoe street, between an estate of Elizabeth A. Murray and an estate of Victor Rousendorff and another, tax for 1923.....	370 50
Louville V. Niles (supposed present owner George I. Bloomberg)—Buildings and about 1,332 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 528, 528A and 528B, between another estate of said Niles and an estate of Elizabeth M. Keane, tax for 1923.....	\$321 10
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	221 10
Minnie Pearlman—Buildings and about 1,285 feet of land on the westerly side of Emerald street, numbered 32, between an estate of Jacob Cohen and an estate of Moses Guber, tax for 1923.....	\$234 65
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	134 65
Mary I. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,825 feet of land on the easterly side of Middlesex street, numbered 60 and 62, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Abraham Goden, tax for 1922.....	190 19
Tax for 1923.....	190 19
Harris Weis—Buildings and about 1,575 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 292 and 294, making the southerly corner of Way street, adjoining another estate of said Weis, tax for 1923.....	\$444 60
Paid on account.....	434 60
Balance due.....	10 00
Williams Realty Company—About 1,452 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fabin street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Benjamin E. Van Ness, southeasterly by an estate of William Collier heirs or devisees and others, southwesterly by Fabin street, and northwesterly by an estate of Provident Realty Company, tax for 1922.....	19 76
Tax for 1923.....	19 76
Tony, Harry, Miriam and Helen Wise—Buildings and about 900 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Oneida street, numbered 27 and 27 base between an estate of Louis Kalan and an estate of Max Shrieber, tax for 1923.....	\$155 61
Paid on account.....	77 00
Balance due.....	78 61
Also buildings and about 900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oneida street, numbered 26 and 26B, between an estate of Marie Mozzicati and another and an	

estate of Esther Kripps, tax for 1923.....	\$148 20
Paid on account.....	77 00
Balance due.....	71 20

WARD SEVEN.

Edward L. Franklin and Sarah E. Estabrook, reassessed to Edward Clayton—About 2,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Madison court, being lot 80 shown on assessors' plans, volume 7, page 70, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923....	\$49 40
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Madison court, being lot 81, same plan, tax for 1923.....	51 87
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 60
Edward L. Estabrook and Sarah E. Franklin, supposed present owner Richard F. Field—Buildings and about 1,022 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Greenleaf street, numbered 34, between two other estates of said Estabrook and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Elizabeth E. Guilford—Buildings and about 3,037 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Botolph street, numbered 136, making the southerly corner of Cumberland street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Hughes, tax for 1923.....	419 90
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 20, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1921....	71 63
Alice Langhorn—Buildings and about 1,444 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Braddock park, numbered 5, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Marie E. Bordeaux, tax for 1923.....	\$234 65
Paid on account.....	177 65
Balance due.....	57 00
William D. Lee—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 47, between an estate of Frank A. Connors and an estate of David Yarchin and another, tax for 1921....	308 75
William E. Leland—Buildings and about 2,887 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 244, 244A and 244B, between an estate of Ernest M. Heides and an estate of James F. McMahon and another, tax for 1922....	\$864 50
Paid on account.....	200 00
Balance due.....	664 50
Tax for 1923.....	938 60
Harry S. McDevitt—Buildings and about 7,647 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, between an estate of Opera Holding Company (numbered 140 and 142 St. Stephens street) and an estate of Boston Storage Warehouse Company, tax for 1923.....	\$1,358 50
Paid on account.....	500 00
Balance due.....	858 50
Newburyport Five Cents Savings Bank, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 114, adjoining an estate of Albert N. Wood, tax for 1921.....	345 80
Also buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 118 and 118A, between an estate of Albert N. Wood and an estate of Henry H. Hart and others, trustees, tax for 1921.....	358 15
Tax for 1922.....	358 15
Thomas M. Smith, supposed present owner John F. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 12½, between another estate of said Thomas M. Smith and another estate of said Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923.....	71 63
Tax for 1922.....	71 63
John Sullivan Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Newton street, numbered 166, between an estate of Nettie M. Chandler (numbered 164) and an estate of Mary M. Gerrish (numbered 168, 168A), tax for 1923.....	197 60
Alexander Wood—Buildings and about 2,186 feet of land on the northeast-	

erly side of Worcester street, numbered 153, making the northerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Jenks, tax for 1923.....	\$197 60
Paid on account.....	150 00
Balance due.....	47 60

WARD EIGHT.

Thomas Barrie (reassessed from Rebecca Horowitz)—Buildings and about 4,950 feet of land on the easterly side of St. Mary's street, numbered 24, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Antonio Giacobbe, tax for 1923.....	\$889 20
Edward M. Beals—Buildings and about 2,688 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newbury street, numbered 125, extending through to Public Alley 435, between an estate of Williams Realty Company and an estate of Edward N. Weyner, tax for 1923.....	\$815 10
Paid on account.....	50 00
Balance due.....	765 10
Henry Berch and Neil F. Cadigan—About 19,640 feet of land on the westerly side of Boylston road, making the southwesterly corner of Ipswich street, adjoining an estate of Horace B. Shepard and others, being lot 8, William H. Whitney plan, dated March 15, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3527, page 44, tax for 1923.....	\$1,210 30
Paid on account.....	250 00
Balance due.....	960 30
Abraham Berkman—Buildings and about 666 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden street, numbered 43, between an estate of Rebecca Krinsky and an estate of Jennie Karmazine, tax for 1923.....	140 79
Winslow B. P. Briggs, Junior, and Edna G. Wadsworth—Buildings and about 3,563 feet of land on the easterly side of Miner street, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Alonzo M. Burbank tax for 1923.....	130 91
Henry C. Brookings—Buildings and about 2,258 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Melrose street, numbered 20, extending through to and numbered 1 South Cedar place, between an estate of Herbert H. Flagg, trustee, and an estate of Wilhelmina L. Drammis, tax for 1923.....	592 80
Also buildings and about 1,974 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Piedmont street, numbered 54 and 58, between an estate of Elizabeth M. Paine and an estate of Lawrence Minot and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	617 50
Rebecca Bustin (reassessed from Elizabeth T. Cleveland and another, trustees)—Buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the westerly side of Lindall place, numbered 10, between an estate of Morris Kamberg and an estate of Mary Szathmary, tax for 1923.....	\$54 34
Paid on account.....	35 00
Balance due.....	19 34
Louise C. Daly—Buildings and about 2,530 feet of land on the northeasterly side of St. Marys street, numbered 128, between an estate of Lydia J. Dale and an estate of Ada M. Jones and another, tax for 1923.....	345 80
Matthew W. Fallon, Junior—Buildings and about 8,271 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 530, 534 and 538, between an estate of Julia M. Driscoll and an estate of Gabriel M. Gordon and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number....., tax for 1923..	1,852 50
Bernard E. Grant—Buildings and about 2,545 feet of land on the easterly side of West Cedar street, numbered 99-103, between an estate of B. E. Grant & Co. and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923.....	209 95
William D. Lee—Buildings and about 681 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Piedmont street, numbered 46, between an estate of Otis Norcross and an estate of Edward A. Clark and others, tax for 1923.....	247 00
Also buildings and about 554 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winchester street, numbered 37, between an estate of Leah A. Myers and an estate of Stephen Smith heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	205 01

Also buildings and about 2,227 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winchester street, numbered 36, making the southerly corner of and numbered 46 Church street, adjoining another estate of said Lee, tax for 1923	568 10
Also buildings and about 1,480 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Church street, numbered 42 and 42A between two other estates of said Lee, tax for 1923	296 40
Also buildings and about 1,482 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Church street, numbered 44, between two other estates of said Lee, tax for 1923	419 90
Also buildings and about 1,473 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Church street, numbered 38 and 40, between another estate of said Lee, and an estate of Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustee, tax for 1923	222 30
Massachusetts Housing Corporation—Buildings and about 9,193 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 440, making the southeasterly corner of Charlesgate East, adjoining an estate of Eugene N. Foss, tax for 1923	2,074 80
Charles Rollins Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 2,130 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 497, making the northeasterly corner of Beacon street, adjoining an estate of Alice Carpenter, tax for 1923	\$790 40
Paid on account	500 00
Balance due	290 40
Mary Szathmary—Buildings and about 1,533 feet of land on the easterly side of Lindall place, numbered 3, between an estate of Annie M. Brandenberg and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923	\$64 22
Paid on account	30 00
Balance due	34 22
Also buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the westerly side of Lindall place, numbered 8, between an estate of Elizabeth T. Cleveland and another, trustees, and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923	\$51 87
Paid on account	30 00
Balance due	21 87
Boyd R. U. Walker (supposed present owner Henry C. Brookings)—Buildings and about 777 feet of land on the southerly side of Shawmut street, numbered 16A, between an estate of Daniel Goodnow and an estate of Frank C. Warren and another, tax for 1923	130 91
Joseph Weeks and Allan S. Farwell, Trustees of Boylston Street Land Company—About 33,069 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Peterborough street, making the northerly corner of Jersey street, extending to and making the easterly corner of Boylston street, adjoining an estate of Sadie F. Abrams, trustee, numbered 45 Peterborough street, tax for 1923	1,225 12
Also about 89,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Boylston street, making the southwesterly corner of Jersey street, extending to and making the northwesterly corner of Peterborough street, adjoining an estate of Abbie J. Corey and others, tax for 1923	3,077 62
Also about 64,638 feet of land on the easterly side of Jersey street, making the northeasterly corner of Boylston street, adjoining an estate of James D. Colt and others, trustees, tax for 1923	1,916 72
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	22 40
Also about 135,442 feet of land on the northerly side of Boylston street, making the northwesterly corner of Jersey street, adjoining an estate of Emily E. Shepard, tax for 1923	3,341 38
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Hugh Collins—Buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southerly side of Hayden place, at end, numbered 1, adjoining another estate of said Collins, tax for 1923	\$7 41
Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Collins, tax for 1923	7 41
Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 3, between	

two other estates of said Hayden, tax for 1923	7 41
Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 4, making the southerly corner of Silver street and adjoining another estate of said Collins, tax for 1923	7 41
Sarah A. Foley—Buildings and about 968 feet of land, numbered 213 Athens street, between an estate of Mary Clougherty and an estate of Tekla Ambroz, tax for 1923	27 17
John H. and Francis P. Galvin, Trustees under will of Margaret Galvin—Buildings and about 7,552 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West First street, numbered 194, between an estate of Edward L. Estabrook and others and another estate of said Galvin and another, trustees, tax for 1923	\$293 93
Paid on account	200 00
Balance due	93 93
Also buildings and about 7,186 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West First street, between an estate of William P. Stone (numbered 190) and another estate of said Galvin and others, trustees (numbered 194 West First street, tax for 1923	\$237 12
Paid on account	200 00
Balance due	37 12
Mahsood Jarmagian—Buildings and about 998 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 97, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of said Jarmagian, tax for 1923	17 29
Josephine Katarousky, reassessed from Michael J. Nee—About 394 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, between another estate of said Katarousky and the location of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, tax for 1922	2 47
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tudor street, numbered 12, between an estate of Moses Williams and another, and an estate of Ernest C. Hilliard, tax for 1923	22 23
William W. Kennard—About 2,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, between an estate of Timothy Crowley and an estate of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1922	19 76
Martin H. Kent, Junior—Buildings and about 1,240 feet of land on the westerly side of H street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Kent, Junior, and an estate of James J. Boyd, tax for 1923	37 05
Also about 5,360 feet of land on the westerly side of H street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said Kent; westerly by an estate of Daniel W. Clark and another; southerly by an estate of George H. Carter, and easterly by H street, tax for 1923	32 11
Stanislav Kurovitsky—Buildings and about 1,650 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 69, between an estate of Amelia Aleksonis and an estate of Harry L. Wheat, tax for 1923	\$98 80
Paid on account	30 00
Balance due	68 80
Florence M. Patrician—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the northwesterly side of D street, numbered 276, between an estate of William W. Brooks and an estate of Celia Rosengard, tax for 1923	71 63
Also about 2,460 feet of land on the southerly side of East Second street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Daniel W. Clark and another; southerly by an estate of Helen H. Wilson; easterly by an estate of James J. Boyd; northerly by East Second street, tax for 1923	24 70
William Williams—Buildings and about 675 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 85, between an estate of Edgar T. Wards Son's Company and an estate of Nathan D. Clarke, tax for 1923	9 88
Frank E. Wilson—About 1,071 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Eighth street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Rose Bloom and another; northeasterly by an estate of Michael O'Brien; southeasterly by an estate of Joseph L. Clough, and southwesterly by West Eighth street, tax for 1923	9 88
Also about 3,290 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Athens street, bounded and described as fol-	

lows: Northwesterly by an estate of Thomas McCamon and another; southwesterly by an estate of Richmond L. Somes; southeasterly by an estate of Adelia C. Paige and others, and northeasterly by Athens street, tax for 1923

113 62

WARD TEN.

Robert and Jennie Clark—Buildings and about 2,720 feet of land on the westerly side of O street, numbered 107, between an estate of Michael J. Callahan and another, and an estate of Robert J. Ware, tax for 1923	\$81 51
Paid on account	50 00
Balance due	\$31 51
Violet E. Hanrahan—Buildings and about 719 feet of land on the northwesterly side of East Eighth street, numbered 280 and 282, between an estate of Catherine O'Brien and an estate of Augusto DeGrandis and another, tax for 1923	\$29 64
Paid on account	15 00
Balance due	14 64
Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,366 feet of land on the southerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 493, making the southeasterly corner of Pacific street, between an estate of Jacob M. Holub and another and an estate of Mark J. O'Meara and another, tax for 1923	86 45
Loretta J. M. Lydon—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Gates street, numbered 4, between an estate of William E. Webber and an estate of Helen E. Foley, tax for 1923	93 86
Horace Manson Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,725 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 536, between an estate of Bernard Capen and an estate of Margaret C. O'Connor, tax for 1923	101 27

WARD ELEVEN.

Bronia Chmielinsky, supposed present owner Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston—About 16,739 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue between an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston and an estate of Albert P. Carter, trustee, tax for 1922	\$81 51
Also about 3,086 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue between an estate of Albert P. Carter, trustee, and an estate of David Henry, tax for 1922	14 82
Mildred E. Eddy—Buildings and about 2,794 feet of land on the westerly side of Harrow street, numbered 20, between another estate of said Eddy and an estate of Luigi Canali and another, tax for 1923	\$125 97
Paid on account	60 00
Balance due	65 97
Mary A. Gorman—Buildings and about 1,794 feet of land on the westerly side of Rogers street, numbered 49, between an estate of Woodbury L. Lewis and another and another estate of said Gorman, tax for 1923	\$39 52
Paid on account	15 00
Balance due	24 52
Also about 1,765 feet of land on the westerly side of Rogers street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said Gorman; easterly by Rogers street; southerly by an estate of Florence Taylor, and westerly by another estate of Florence Taylor, tax for 1923	9 88
Ellen E. Gorman—About 2,446 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Howell street, adjoining an estate of Julia V. Joy, being lot 35, Frank O. Whitney plan, dated May 18, 1885, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1702, page 130, tax for 1923	22 23
Roland R. Hopy—About 3,543 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 164, E. L. Moulton plan, dated May 5, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 61, tax for 1923	\$17 29
Paid on account	8 00
Balance due	9 29
Also about 3,437 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 165, same plan, tax for 1923	\$17 29
Paid on account	8 00
Balance due	9 29

Also about 3,171 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 166, same plan, tax for 1923\$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,505 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 167, same plan, tax for 1923\$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,539 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 168, same plan, tax for 1923\$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,632 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, making the northwesterly corner of Sydney street, being lot 173, same plan, tax for 1923\$22 23
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 14 23

Also about 3,688 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 174, same plan, tax for 1923\$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,649 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 175, same plan, tax for 1923\$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,611 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 176, same plan, tax for 1923\$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,573 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 177, same plan, tax for 1923\$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,535 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 178, same plan, tax for 1923\$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,497 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 179, same plan, tax for 1923\$17 29
Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,021 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Sudan street; westerly by another estate of said Hopey; southerly by an estate of Helen Sweeney and easterly by an estate of Charles Protaps, tax for 1923\$14 82
Paid on account 4 00

Balance due 10 82

Henry G. Hoppe—Buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Southampton street, numbered 498 and 500, between an estate of Boston Elevated Railway Company and an estate of Margaret G. Crowley, tax for 1923...\$259 35
Paid on account 90 00

Balance due 169 35

Also buildings and about 1,629 feet of land on the northerly side of Leeds street, numbered 14 and 16, between an estate of Frank T. Wilson and an estate of William J. Holland, tax for 1923\$123 50
Paid on account 20 39

Balance due 103 11

Also buildings and about 9,152 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 550, 554 and 556, between an estate of Patrick J. Kennedy and an estate of William J. Holland, tax for 1923\$247 00
Paid on account 90 00

Balance due 157 00

Also buildings and about 6,250 feet of land on the easterly side of Ellery street, numbered 38 rear and 40, making the northeasterly corner

of Ellery court, adjoining another estate of said Hoppe, tax for 1923\$125 97
Paid on account 20 39

Balance due 105 58

Also buildings and about 2,696 feet of land on the southerly side of Southampton street, numbered 483, 487 and 489, making the southeasterly corner of Ellery street, adjoining an estate of Woodbury L. Lewis, devisees, tax for 1923\$175 37
Paid on account 20 41

Balance due 154 96

Also buildings and about 5,754 feet of land on the northerly side of Preble street, numbered 48, making the northeasterly corner of Rogers street, adjoining an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923...\$250 35
Paid on account 90 00

Balance due 160 35

Elizabeth A. O'Gorman Heirs or Devisees—Buildings and about 1,750 feet of land on the easterly side of Rogers street, numbered 46, between another estate of said O'Gorman heirs or devisees and an estate of Howard Dexter and another, tax for 1923\$19 76
Paid on account 12 50

Balance due 7 20

Also buildings and about 1,403 feet of land on the easterly side of Rogers street, numbered 44, between another estate of said O'Gorman heirs or devisees and an estate of Carl A. Block, tax for 1923\$22 23
Paid on account 12 50

Balance due 9 73

Henry J. and Edward F. Smith—About 865 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Earl street; northeasterly by estates of Michael McGann and Richard T. Block; northwesterly by an estate of Michael McGann and another, and northwesterly by an estate of Alice B. Lynch, tax for 1923 4 94

Teresa Violante—Buildings and about 2,397 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Cottage street, numbered 156 between another estate of said Violante and an estate of Albert Lewenberg, tax for 1923...\$123 50
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 73 50

Helen H. Wilson—About 2,472 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, adjoining an estate of Jessie H. Sutherland, being lot 96 shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923 17 29

WARD TWELVE.

Thomas F. Connelly—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 1900 and 1900A, between an estate of Edwin Wilcock and another, trustees, and an estate of Samuel Canner, tax for 1923....\$232 18

John G. Dreier—Buildings and about 2,587 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Zeigler street, numbered 115, between an estate of John B. McCleary and another and an estate of Garabed Des Casbarian, tax for 1923\$93 86
Paid on account 60 00

Balance due 33 86

William A. Ford—Buildings and about 2,355 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 91, 93 and 95, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of St. Patrick's Church, tax for 1923 256 38

Also buildings and about 2,397 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 97, 97A and 99, between two other estates of said Ford, tax for 1923 ... 155 61

Also buildings and about 1,449 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 101, 103 and 105, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of Atereths Israel, tax for 1923..... 108 68

Also buildings and about 1,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Trask street, numbered 18 and 20, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of Boston Work Horse Relief Association, tax for 1923... 81 51

Also about 1,492 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Trask street, being lot E, Henry C. Mildram plan, March 28, 1923, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923 37 05

Fanny Frank—Buildings and about 4,006 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hunneman street, numbered 58, 60 and 62, making the easterly corner of and numbered 994, 996 and 996A Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Tufts College, tax for 1923 37 65

Louis Ginsberg—Buildings and about 1,502 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller park, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923...\$98 80
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 48 80

Also buildings and about 1,577 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller park, at end, and numbered 4, adjoining another estate of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923\$98 80
Paid on account 25 00

Balance due 73 80

Also buildings and about 1,988 feet of land on the westerly side of Dudley street, numbered 471B and 473, between two other estates of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923 ...\$239 59
Paid on account 25 00

Balance due 214 59

Also buildings and about 1,758 feet of land on the westerly side of Dudley street, numbered 471, and 471A, between another estate of said Ginsberg and an estate of Albert B. Fopiano, tax for 1923\$234 65
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 184 65

Also buildings and about 1,989 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 473A and 473B, making the westerly corner of Miller park, adjoining another estate of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923\$247 00
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 107 00

Orin S. Green—About 16,599 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Reed street, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, June 5, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4302, page 595, tax for 1923 163 02

Also about 21,131 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows street, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1923 259 35

Mary Leyland—Buildings and about 3,564 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 22, between another estate of said Mary Leyland, trustee, and an estate of Jennie Gifford, tax for 1923 ... 111 15

Mary Murphy—About 3,715 feet of land on the easterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by another estate of said Murphy; easterly by an estate of Agnes L. Kelley; southerly by an estate of Cora Gouldstone; westerly by Mt. Pleasant avenue, tax for 1923..... 29 64

Also buildings and about 7,446 feet of land on the easterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, numbered 32, between another estate of said Murphy and an estate of Chesley E. Jones, tax for 1923 202 54

Also buildings and about 4,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Whiting street, numbered 65, between an estate of Hilda P. Rosengard and an estate of Mitchell S. Regall, tax for 1923 222 30

Harlow H. Rogers—About 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thorndike street, making the southerly corner of Singleton street, adjoining an estate of Ray H. Carver, being lot 8, plan not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2110, page 564, tax for 1923 19 76

Anna Zisman—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 46 and 48 rear, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and an estate of James W. Gerard, trustee, tax for 1923 41 99

WARD THIRTEEN.

Stephen Arsenault—Buildings and about 1,709 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 562, between an estate of Tom Wing and an estate of Irene M. Dick, tax for 1923.....\$214 89

radford Gay, Devises—Buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Vale street, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Edward M. Kehoe and another and an estate of Irene S. McCaffrey, tax for 1923.

Jason E. Herrick, Junior—Buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 5, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$180 31
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 55 31
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$175 37
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 100 37
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 9, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$175 37
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 100 37
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 11, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$175 37
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 100 37
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 15, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$175 37
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 100 37
Also buildings and about 2,297 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, at end, numbered 17, adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$175 37
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 100 37
Also buildings and about 2,059 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, at end, numbered 16, adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$172 90
Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 147 90
Also buildings and about 2,072 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 14, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$172 90
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 97 90
Also buildings and about 2,074 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 12, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$172 90
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 97 90
Also buildings and about 2,077 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$172 90
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 97 90
Also buildings and about 2,079 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$172 90
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 97 90
Also buildings and about 2,082 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 6, making the southerly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923.....\$177 84
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 102 84
Agnes M. Holl—Buildings and about 15,584 feet of land on the westerly side of Cedar street, numbered 74, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12742, tax for 1922.....\$135 85
Paid on account..... 49 13

Balance due..... 86 72
Catherine A. Hurley—Buildings and about 2,910 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Highland park, numbered 4½, between an estate of John E. McNulty and an estate of Edward M. Stretton, tax for 1923..... 54 34
Joseph A. and Anastasia Mickiewicz—Buildings and about 2,650 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Forbes street, numbered 104, be-

tween an estate of German Reformed Christ Church of Boston and Suburbs and an estate of Clara Kleinberg, tax for 1923..... 74 10

Moth assessment for 1923..... 65
John J. O'Connor—Buildings and about 2,950 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Thornton street, numbered 152 and 154, making the easterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Charles M. Faunce, tax for 1923.....\$209 95
Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due..... 59 95

WARD SIXTEEN.

Tillie Atkins—Buildings and about 3,605 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hutchings street, numbered 95 and 97, between an estate of Delia Prince and an estate of Hilda Kaplan, tax for 1923.....\$321 10
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... \$121 10
Bessie Casso—Buildings and about 7,150 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Maple street, numbered 9, between an estate of Thomas J. Griffin and another and an estate of Celia Fisher, tax for 1923.....\$190 19
Paid on account..... 145 00

Balance due..... 45 19
Harry Cohen—Buildings and about 4,311 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockville park, numbered 2, making the northerly corner of Warren street, adjoining an estate of Walter S. Kelley, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15299, tax for 1923 ..\$160 55
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 110 55
Rose Cohen—Buildings and about 17,349 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 209, between an estate of Morris Gales and an estate of Rose E. Nawn, tax for 1923.....\$227 24
Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due..... 77 24
Lydia A. Crafts—About 2,742 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a passageway, leading from the northwesterly side of Bainbridge street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Owen J. Flannely; easterly by estates of John F. J. Countie and another; southerly by said passageway; westerly by an estate of Alfred W. Fitz; tax for 1923..... 12 35

James A. Fenner—Buildings and about 2,760 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Munroe street, numbered 42, between an estate of Thomas Kelley heirs or devisees, and an estate of John P. Wooten and another, tax for 1923.....\$222 30
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 22 30
Morris Friedman—Buildings and about 11,098 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 146, 146A, 148, 148A-150A, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Isaac Bassinoff, tax for 1923.....\$1,111 50
Paid on account..... 549 40

Balance due..... 562 10
Glenway Realty Company—Buildings and about 4,634 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Homestead street, numbered 100 and 102, between another estate of said Glenway Realty Company and an estate of Grace E. Smith, tax for 1923.....\$592 80
Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due..... 442 80
Also buildings and about 3,375 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 218-222, between an estate of said Glenway Realty Company and an estate of Fannie Ginsberg, tax for 1923.....\$592 80
Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due..... 442 80
Also buildings and about 1,857 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 224, making the easterly corner of Homestead street, adjoining another estate of said Glenway Realty Company, tax for 1923.....\$345 80
Paid on account..... 85 07
Balance due..... 260 73

Solomon J. Goldings—Buildings and about 7,706 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Crawford street, numbered 64, between an estate of Katherine M. Manning and an estate of Abraham Olitzky, tax for 1923.....\$234 65
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 134 65

William J. and Rose L. Hill—Buildings and about 1,733 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mills street, numbered 14, between an estate of John F. Monahan and an estate of Edward McMahon, tax for 1923.....\$69 16
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 19 16
Benjamin Lettieri, Harry Sweig, Philip Sweig and Ike Cohen—Buildings and about 5,814 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Waverly street, numbered 46 and 48, between another estate of said Lettieri and others and an estate of Fannie S. Simes, tax for 1923.....\$741 00
Paid on account..... 600 00

Balance due..... 141 00

Also buildings and about 5,765 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Waverly street, numbered 42 and 44, between another estate of said Lettieri and others and an estate of Henry I. Lazurus, tax for 1923..... 741 00

Albert Lewenberg—Buildings and about 868 feet of land on the northerly side of Lansing street, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Lewenberg, tax for 1923..... 41 99

Also buildings and about 1,386 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, numbered 369, 371 and 371½, making the northwesterly corner of Lansing street, adjoining another estate of said Lewenberg, tax for 1922..... 222 30
Tax for 1923..... 247 00

Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the northerly side of Lansing street, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Lewenberg, tax for 1922..... 44 46
Tax for 1923..... 44 46

Also buildings and about 833 feet of land on the northerly side of Lansing street, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Lewenberg, tax for 1923..... 41 99

Annie M., one third, Maude A., one third, and Maurice B. Lynch, one third, buildings and about 2,679 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bainbridge street, numbered 51, making the southerly corner of Kensington street, adjoining another estate of said Lynch, tax for 1923..... 185 25

Also buildings and about 2,928 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bainbridge street, numbered 53, between another estate of said Annie M. Lynch and others and an estate of Nellie J. Joyce, tax for 1923..... 185 25

Also buildings and about 2,923 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kensington street, numbered 2, between another estate of said Annie M. Lynch and others and an estate of William G. A. Sampson, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Massachusetts Housing Corporation—Buildings and about 6,553 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 73, between an estate of Zed Prophet and another and an estate of Daniel H. Pactovis, tax for 1923..... 666 90
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Hugh Nawn—Buildings and about 10,880 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brookledge street, numbered 70, making the northerly corner of Elm Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Nawn heirs, tax for 1922..... 494 00
Moth assessment for 1922..... 50
Tax for 1923..... 494 00

Catherine J. O'Brien—Buildings and about 2,824 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Elmore street, numbered 14, between an estate of Thomas F. Croak and an estate of Peter J. Looney and another, tax for 1923..... 135 85

Rose Pinanski—Buildings and about 7,761 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 54, between an estate of James W. Kenney and an estate of Charles M. Blake, and other, executors, tax for 1922..... 135 85
Tax for 1923..... 135 85

Mollie Resnick—Buildings and about 6,385 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wenonah street, numbered 43 and 45, making the southerly corner of Waumbeck street, extending through to and numbered 20 and 20A Waumbeck street, adjoining an estate of Johanna Nathan, tax for 1923\$938 60
Paid on account 300 00

Balance due 638 60

George A. Richards—Buildings and about 5,729 feet of land on the westerly side of Otisfield street, numbered 9, between an estate of Bertha Cramer and an estate of Congregation Shara Tfila, tax for 1923 167 96

William H. and Josephine B. Selden—Buildings and about 4,075 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Harrishof street, numbered 94, between an estate of Joseph L. White and an estate of Yetta Libin, tax for 1923\$192 66
Paid on account 150 00

Balance due 42 66

Clara Shektell—Buildings and about 3,350 square feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hollander street, numbered 41, between an estate now or formerly of Harry Weiner and an estate now or formerly of Max Resnick and another, tax for 1923\$197 60
Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 97 60

WARD SEVENTEEN.

Richard F. Andrews, Trustees—Buildings and about 3,108 feet of land on the southerly side of Dudley street, numbered 703, 705, 707 and 709, making southwesterly corner of Nonquit street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Malitz, tax for 1923 \$234 65

Dennis Higgins—About 2,550 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between an estate of Margaret L. Kerigan and another estate of said Higgins (numbered 124), tax for 1923\$22 23
Paid on account 10 00

Balance due 12 23

Also buildings and about 2,399 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, numbered 124, between another estate of said Higgins and an estate of Ida Lebowich and another, tax for 1923\$49 40
Paid on account 40 00

Balance due 9 40

Sarah L. Levy—Buildings and about 2,938 feet of land on the southerly side of Wayland street, numbered 100 and 102, between an estate of Eli Kaplan and an estate of Emanuel Simons, tax for 1923\$143 26
Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 43 26

Also buildings and about 2,940 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wayland street, numbered 92 and 94, between another estate of said Levy and an estate of Emanuel Simon, tax for 1923 143 26

Anthony F. Murray—About 2,258 feet of land on the westerly side of Sea View terrace, being lot 9, and the northerly part of lot 8, William Kelly plan, September 3, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2385, page 35, tax for 1923 4 94

Katherine M. Riordan, reassessed from Arthur B. Nash—About 3,027 feet of land on the southerly side of Upham avenue, being lot C, Wm. O. Badger plan, May 8, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2365, page 287, tax for 1923 22 23

Also about 3,027 feet of land on the southerly side of Upham avenue, being lot D, same plan, tax for 1923, 24 70

Ida White—Buildings and about 4,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, numbered 218, between an estate of Aaron Guber and an estate of Tillie Berenson, tax for 1923 98 80

WARD EIGHTEEN.

Edward F. Cassell—Buildings and about 5,889 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stanwood street, numbered 145, between an estate of Catherine T. Moran and another estate of said Cassell, tax for 1923... \$79 04
Also buildings and about 5,889 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stanwood street, numbered 143, be-

tween another estate of said Cassell and an estate of Boston Excavating Company, tax for 1923..... 74 10

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 2,638 feet of land on the southerly side of Josephine street, numbered 31, between an estate of Bessie Miller and another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Also buildings and about 2,300 feet of land on the westerly side of Ditson street, numbered 18, making the southwesterly corner of Josephine street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923..... 197 60

Also buildings and about 2,353 feet of land on the westerly side of Ditson street, numbered 14, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Henry F. Johnson, tax for 1923..... 172 90

Annie M., one third, Maud A., one third, and Maurice B. Lynch, one third—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Intervale street, numbered 41, between an estate of Etta Greenberg and an estate of Leon Muscanto, tax for 1923..... 410 02

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 10 49

Mary A. O'Malley—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarkson street, numbered 70 and 72, between an estate of Martin Jacobson and another and an estate of Rose A. Brown, tax for 1923..... 138 32

Thomas D. Quincy—About 57,449 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Everton street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Everton street, northerly and north-easterly by Olney street, westerly and northwesterly by estates of Mary Christy Trustee and Joseph O'Kane and others and southwest-erly by an estate of Katherine A. Lombard, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922..... 151 64

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 146 04

Lea Shraiar and Joseph Lipland—Buildings and about 5,188 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 318, 318A and 320, between two estates of Frederick Green and another, tax for 1923.....\$617 50
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due 417 50

Mabel C. Sullivan—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the north-erly side of Homes avenue, num-bered 108, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Ann M. Jacobs, tax for 1922.....\$49 40
Paid on account..... 8 12

Balance due 41 28

Tax for 1923..... 49 40

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 6 63

Also about 2,795 feet of land on the easterly side of a passageway, lead-ing from the northerly side of Homes avenue in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Sullivan (numbered 108 Homes avenue), tax for 1922..... 7 41

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Tony Wise—About 9,570 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Law-rence avenue, making the westerly corner of Fernboro street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Sachnin, being lot A, of P. E. Silverman plan, dated November 4, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3935, page 221, tax for 1923.....\$93 86
Paid on account..... 51 78

Balance due 42 08

WARD NINETEEN.

Bessie B. Adnoff, supposed present owner Michael F. Kelly—Buildings and about 7,771 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 714 and 716, mak-ing the southerly corner of and num-bered 3 and 9 Charlotte street, ad-joining an estate of William London, tax for 1923\$1,548 60
Paid on account 1,200 00

Balance due \$348 60

Henry S. Dowe Company (Massachu-setts Corporation)—Buildings and about 19,754 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 15, 19, 23 and 27,

between two estates of Harry C. Gar-land, tax for 1923.....\$2,306 98
Paid on account..... 1,150 00

Balance due 1,156 98

Harry C. Garland—About 3,442 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Castlegate road, bounded and described as fol-lows: Southwesterly and northwesterly by other estates of said Garland; northeasterly and southeasterly by an estate of Henry S. Dowe Com-pany, tax for 1923 24 70

Daniel F. Hackett—Buildings and about 4,812 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, numbered 333, between an estate of D. Frank Hackett and an estate of Arthur J. Watterman, tax for 1923...\$163 02
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due 113 02

Mary E. Harper—Buildings and about 4,647 feet of land on the northw-esterly side of Normandy street, num-bered 275, between an estate of An-nie F. Whitney and an estate of Mor-ris A. Freedman, registered in the Suf-folk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6252, tax for 1923 209 95

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 20 70

C. Henry Hetu, reassessed from C. Henry Hetie—About 140 square feet of land on the northerly side of Alpha road, bounded and described as follows: southerly by Alpha road; easterly by an estate of Loyola J. Coderre (num-bered 25 Alpha road); northerly by an estate of Morris Katz (num-bered 356 Park street); and westerly by an estate of Ida Myerson (num-bered 29 Alpha road), tax for 1923 2 47

Gabriella T., Georgette G., and Henri L. Lavit (supposed present owner Morris Spack)—Buildings and about 6,511 feet of land on the south-esterly side of Elmo street, numbered 47 and 49, between an estate of Jennie Resnick and an estate of Joseph B. Green, tax for 1923.....\$296 40
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due 196 40

James J. McDonald—Buildings and about 6,270 feet of land on the east-erly side of Waldeck street, numbered 17, between an estate of Alice M. Downey and an estate of Harriet A. Gartland, tax for 1923..... 185 25

Robert J. and Ida L. Richardson—Buildings and about 4,113 feet of land on the easterly side of Shafter street, numbered 1, between an estate of Margaret J. Hickey and an estate of George H. Carter, trustee, tax for 1923\$123 50
Paid on account..... 65 00

Balance due 58 50

Jennie Schwartz—Buildings and about 4,980 feet of land on the easterly side of Greenwood street, numbered 100, between an estate of William Applebaum and another and an estate of Bridget Gray and another, tax for 1923\$153 14
Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due 3 14

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 9 98

Bessie and Rosie Shames—Buildings and about 5,840 feet of land on the east-erly side of Greenwood street, num-bered 38, between an estate of James F. Smith and an estate of Rosie Medoff and another, tax for 1923\$172 90
Paid on account..... 105 00

Balance due 67 90

Abraham Shapiro (supposed present owner Della V. Curran)—Buildings and about 8,290 feet of land on the southerly side of Talbot avenue (numbered 282, 284, 286, 288, 288A, 290, 292) extending to and making the south-westerly corner of Aspinwall road, ex-tending to and making the junction of Talbot avenue and Whitfield street, being lots A, B, C, D, Silverman En-gineering Co. plan, dated August 12, 1909, being the whole of assessors' block 1500.2, recorded with Suf-folk Deeds, Book 3393, page 108, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1920 3 01

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1920..... 7 18

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 2 93

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 6 95

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	2 83
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	6 72
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	2 73
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	6 48
Rebecca Schuman—Buildings and about 12,518 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Michigan avenue, numbered 15, between an estate of David S. Rubinstein and an estate of Morris Jamron, tax for 1923.....	286 52
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Morris Stark—Buildings and about 5,952 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Ellington (formerly Elmo) street, numbered 15, making the southerly corner of Old road, adjoining an estate of Louis Shriver, trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$138 32
Paid on account.....	24 50
Balance due.....	113 82
Marshall P. Wilder Heirs or Devises, Edward B. and Jemina R. Wilder Heirs and Grace S. Wilder Heirs or Devises and Nancy J. Bigelow—About 41,890 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Normandy street, making the easterly corner of Wilder road, being lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 2, 3 and 4, Frank A. Foster plan, September 1, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922..	\$466 83
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	366 83
Edward N. Wyner—About 834 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of McLellan street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Edgar E. Stearns (numbered 15), tax for 1923.....	2 47

WARD TWENTY.

Rebecca Adelstera—Buildings and about 2,826 feet of land on the northerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 22, between an estate of Sarah L. Locke and an estate of James F. Keefe and another, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	7 81
Marks Angel (reassessed from Emma W. Bonelli)—About 3,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Myrtlebank avenue, adjoining another estate of said Marks Angel, being lot 121, W. A. Mason & Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 28
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	6 91
Alice M. and Robert H. Billings—Buildings and about 2,964 feet of land on the westerly side of Clemtis street, numbered 11, between an estate of J. Arthur McCoy and another and an estate of Fred L. Douglas and another, tax for 1923, \$113 62	70 00
Paid on account.....	43 62
Balance due.....	43 62
Harry P. Chadwick—About 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Tenean street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Tenean street; northerly by an estate of Annie E. Fay, guardian; easterly by an estate of City of Boston, and southerly by an estate of Delia C. Ford, tax for 1923.....	17 29
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	4 86
Also about 3150 feet of land on the westerly side of Verdun street adjoining an estate of Annie A. White being lot 15, Eri Olmstead plan, dated March 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9358, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Annie M. Connelley—About 7,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Coffey street, adjoining an estate of Rissie F. Brown, being a lot shown on E. Warren Hayden plan, December 2, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Richard W. Costello and Mary A.—About 4,315 feet of land on the easterly side of Melbourne street, being lot 44, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated October 5, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3680, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Thomas F. Donahue—About 4,333 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, adjoining an estate of Temple H. Fay and another, being	

lot 53, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
George N. Douse—About 4,332 feet of land on southeasterly side of Elm road, making the easterly corner of Guild road, being lot 41, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923..	\$14 82
Paid on account.....	6 00
Balance due.....	8 82
Also about 4,194 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Guild road, being lot 42, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deed, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923.....	\$14 82
Paid on account.....	6 00
Balance due.....	8 82
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bates road, adjoining an estate of Edward H. Wiggins and others, trustees, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923..	\$19 76
Paid on account.....	9 00
Balance due.....	10 76
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bates road, adjoining another estate of said Douse, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	\$19 76
Paid on account.....	9 00
Balance due.....	10 76
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm road, making the easterly corner of Bates road, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	\$19 76
Paid on account.....	9 00
Balance due.....	10 76
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Guild road, making the southerly corner of Elm road, being lot 40, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923.....	\$19 76
Paid on account.....	9 00
Balance due.....	10 76
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Guild road, being lot 37, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923.....	\$19 76
Paid on account.....	9 00
Balance due.....	10 76
Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Guild road, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.....	\$19 76
Paid on account.....	9 00
Balance due.....	10 76
Temple H. Fay and George W. Field—About 4,238 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, being lot 54, shown on W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Maude S. Glover—About 6,887 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Berkshire street, making the westerly corner of Westmoreland street, adjoining another estate of said Glover (numbered 79 Beaumont street), tax for 1922.....	\$41 99
Paid on account.....	36 74
Balance due.....	5 25
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	11 88
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	13 75
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Also buildings and about 8,112 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beaumont street, numbered 79, making the southerly corner of Berkshire street, and an estate of Mary F. McLaughlin, tax for 1922..	\$167 96
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	67 96
Moith assessment for 1922.....	66
Charles E., one third, Charles H., two ninths, Lyman B., two ninths, and Walter B. Hewins, two ninths, supposed present owner Conway Realty	

Company—About 9,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Old Colony Railroad, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Old Colony Railroad, southerly by a tributary of Great creek, easterly by estate of Mary J. Reddy, westerly by estate of Conway Realty Company, tax for 1923.....	12 35
Annie M. Kelley—About 3,497 feet of land on the easterly side of Freeport street, making the northeasterly corner of Plymouth street, adjoining estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company and estate of Hugh Riley, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Charles J. Kelley—About 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, adjoining an estate of Cambridge Realty Company, being lot 16, shown on G. H. Sherman plan, dated September 20, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8091, tax for 1922, Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 3,095 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, being lot 22, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5226, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Mary A. Lane—Buildings and about 3,022 feet of land on the southerly side of Rosemont road, S. W., numbered 7, between an estate of Winifred Harper and an estate of Lawrence T. Plunkett and another, tax for 1923.....	172 90
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
Josephine Lewike, supposed present owner Nellie L. Sopkin—Buildings and about 1,612 feet of land on the southerly side of Barnes street, numbered 18, between an estate of Hannah E. Tibbets and an estate of Charles A. Peabody, tax for 1923.....	74 10
Ida D. Lewis—About 378 feet of land on the northerly side of Shenandoah street, between an estate of Thorella M. C. Horner and an estate of Charles E. Hatfield, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Marion McGettrick—About 2,041 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wainwright street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Bessie M. Batchelder (numbered 25), tax for 1923.....	4 94
Mary C. McGrath—About 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, adjoining an estate of said McGrath, being lot 15, as shown on F. T. Wescott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3,665, page 152, tax for 1923..	7 41
Also about 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, adjoining an estate of said McGrath, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Methodist Episcopal Church Trustees—Buildings and about 9,582 feet of land on the southerly side of Parkman street, between an estate of Lawrence Larsen and another and an estate of David F. Doyle and another, moith assessment for 1922.....	50
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50
David Milne—About 4,265 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marsh street, adjoining an estate of Walter H. Bonelli, being lot 85, as shown on W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Margaret E. Nichols—About 5,949 feet of land on the southerly side of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Centre street; westerly by an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company; southerly by an estate of Frances P. Farrell, and easterly by an estate of Catherine M. Manning and another estate fronting on Samoset street, tax for 1923..	24 70
John J. Printon—About 2,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Tenean street, adjoining an estate of Edward Hamlin and another, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; southerly by an estate of Edward Hamlin and another; westerly by the Old Colony Railroad, and easterly by Tenean street, tax for 1923..	7 41
James A. Quigley—About 600 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Park street; westerly by an estate of Bridget Burke; northerly by an estate of Caroline Joski, and easterly by an estate of Rebecca Sprinsky, tax for 1923.....	7 41

Bernard J. and Marguerite Rispin—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm street, numbered 9, between an estate of John J. Milford and an estate of Alexander Davidson and another, tax for 1923.....	\$64 22
Paid on account.....	25 00
Balance due.....	39 22
Robert Robinson—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 9, between an estate of said Robinson and an estate of Christina J. Berry, tax for 1923.....	190 19
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50
Also buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 11, between an estate of Annie J. Cain and an estate of said Robinson, tax for 1923.....	190 19
Fannie Rosenberg—About 783 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Edwin street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by an estate of Annie Levine; westerly by an estate of Harry P. Azadian; northerly by an estate of Arthur E. Jones, and easterly by an estate of Henry E. Hardwick, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Susan Romney—About 7,147 feet of land on the westerly side of Milwood street, being lot 10, Wm. O. Badger plan, September 17, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1845, page 580, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Edward Sharpe, one eighth, Howland Sharpe, one eighth, Everett Sharpe, one eighth, Elizabeth Sharpe, one eighth, and James C. Sharpe Heirs or Devises, four eighths—About 18,100 feet of land on the easterly side of Brook street, adjoining an estate of Martha L. Tolman, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Martha L. Tolman; easterly by the City of Boston; westerly by Brook street, and southerly by an estate of Alice McMorrow and others, tax for 1923.....	22 23
Charles A. Sheehy and Mary G. Sheehy—About 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar Grove, adjoining an estate of Sarah Lynch, being lot 178, William E. Hannon plan, dated December 21, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4120, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Lucy J. Sweeney—Buildings and about 3,538 feet of land on the southerly side of Lonsdale street, numbered 113, between an estate of Annie M. Burke and an estate of Susan A. Hannon, tax for 1923.....	\$135 85
Paid on account.....	85 85
Balance due.....	50 00
William N. Ward and Margaret E. Cram—About 4,625 feet of land on the westerly side of a 30-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by a 30-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place; southerly by an estate of Charles A. Hart; and westerly by an estate of Christina Adduci and northerly by an estate of Besse Eldridge, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Herbert L. and Elviah H. York—Buildings and about 13,715 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 296, between an estate of Minnie E. Young and an estate of James Brophy, tax for 1923.....	222 30
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
WARD TWENTY-ONE.	
William J. Barry—Buildings and about 5,381 feet of land on the northerly side of Morton street, numbered 646 and 648, making the easterly corner of Havelock street, adjoining an estate of Sarah Cadiff, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	\$11 44
Georgianna F. G. Bates—Buildings and about 5,694 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 90, between an estate of Michael J. Quinn (numbered 92) and an estate of Elizabeth Foster (numbered 88), tax for 1923.....	123 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Fred L. Briggs—Buildings and about 2,916 feet of land on the southerly side of Epping street, numbered 10, between an estate of Frank A. Russell and an estate of John Carroll, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50
Paid on account.....	105 80
Balance due.....	17 70

Emma E. Brigham, Mortgagee in possession—About 6,462 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 8, H. C. Midram plan, March 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land court, certificate number 13886, tax for 1922.....	24 70
Tax for 1923.....	24 70
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	34 45
Also about 6,354 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13886, tax for 1922.....	24 70
Tax for 1923.....	24 70
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	21 77
Also about 4,472 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O 9, Henry C. Midram plan, March 3, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court certificate number 1494, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 4,558 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O 10, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land court certificate number 1494, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Tax for 1923.....	9 88
Also about 9,520 feet of land on the southerly side of Duke street, being lot 46, Ernest W. Rowditch plan, March 1, 1898, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land court, certificate number 14111, tax for 1922.....	27 17
Also about 3,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Outlook road, being lot A, H. C. Midram plan, November 5, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3778, page 53, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Emma E. Brigham, Mortgagee in Possession re-assessed from Wellington Holbrook and other Trustees—About 3,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Outlook road, being lot A, H. C. Midram plan, dated Nov. 5, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3778, Page 53, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Samuel S. Cantor—Buildings and about 5,847 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarkwood street, numbered 35, between an estate of Max Starr and an estate of Anna Abrams, tax for 1923.....	212 42
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	12 88
Joseph B. and Mary L. Carey—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glenhill road, numbered 37, between an estate of Jennie L. Fraser and an estate of Franklin I. Smith, trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$121 03
Paid on account.....	15 00
Balance due.....	106 03
William G. Carpenter and Catherine L. Carpenter, reassessed from Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,602 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rock avenue, between an estate of Clarence W. Albee and an estate of Joseph P. Eccleston and another, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Harry P. Chadwick—About 2,025 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, adjoining an estate of Mary Scoupolos, being the westerly part of lot 39, E. L. Moulton plan, March 31, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3305, page 582, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 30,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Canterbury street, between an estate of Teresa Smyth (numbered 124) and an estate of Mary E. Brady (numbered 110), tax for 1923.....	59 28
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Codman Square Theatre Co.—Buildings and about 23,827 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 635, 637 and 639, between another estate of said Codman Square Theatre Co. (numbered 631) and an estate of Sarah Rice (numbered 641 to 649 inclusive), tax for 1923.....	5,201 82
William A. and Helene R. Coolidge—Buildings and about 5,098 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 84, between an estate of Stephen J. Kennedy and another and an estate of Minnie L. Butlain, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	17 84

Esther Corman—Buildings and about 5,917 feet of land on the northerly side of Hainsborough street, numbered 47, making the northeasterly corner of Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Samuel Corman and another, tax for 1923.....	\$247 00
Paid on account.....	180 00
Balance due.....	67 00
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 42
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Emily D. Cox Heirs—About 4,783 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, being lot 92, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2271, tax for 1922.....	7 41
Myer Dana, supposed present owner Abram Golden and Bella Kaplan—About 4,654 feet of land on the northerly side of Claxton (now Callender street) adjoining an estate of Israel Kagro, being lot D (now lots D1 and D2) Silverman Engineering Co. plan, May 1, 1912, with subdivision by C. B. Humphrey, October, 1914; registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, Certificate number 4608, apportionment of street construction for 1918.....	38 79
Apportionment of street construction for 1919.....	29 69
Apportionment of street construction for 1920.....	28 81
Apportionment of street construction for 1921.....	27 94
Apportionment of street construction for 1922.....	27 07
Apportionment of street construction for 1923.....	26 19
Ethel Davis—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Deering road, numbered 77, between an estate of Jennie E. Barrows and an estate of Tillie Rosen, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14697, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90
Paid on account.....	72 90
Balance due.....	100 00
Leone A. Field—Buildings and about 13,707 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, numbered 459, between an estate of Edith T. Baker and an estate of George G. Glover, tax for 1922.....	108 68
Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 30
Everett A. Flynn—About 6,346 feet of land on the northerly side of Jones avenue, being lot E, on a plan not named and not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1631, page 113, tax for 1923.....	24 70
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 25
Jacob and Pauline Green—About 3,364 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, making the easterly corner of Norfolk street, adjoining another estate of said Jacob L. and Pauline Green (numbered 422 Norfolk street), apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 23
Joseph A. Greene—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Walton street, numbered 21, making the southeasterly corner of Grace street, adjoining an estate of Helen F. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 00
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 6,676 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 78, between an estate of Alice J. Anderson and an estate of John J. Delay, tax for 1923.....	93 98
Also buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Edson street, numbered 52, between an estate of Max Shepard and an estate of Jennie Naiherseg, tax for 1923.....	148 20
Wellington, John B. and Grace Holbrook, trustees—About 80,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Byers road, making the southerly corner of Outlook road, adjoining another estate of said Wellington Holbrook and others, trustees, being lot V, assessed as lots 201 to 217 inclusive, Henry C. Midram plan, Sept., 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court Certificate, number 1494, tax for 1922.....	98 80
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
Tax for 1923.....	98 80
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Annie M. Kelley—About 115,723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, between an estate of Isaac Dantowitz and an estate of Israel Goldstein, tax for 1923.....	286 52
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	93 53
Moth assessment for 1923.....	85

Fannie Kreiger—Buildings and about 3,214 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lorne street, numbered 38, adjoining an estate of Michael Andelman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10490, moth assessment for 1921 50
 Tax for 1923 \$172 90
 Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 72 90
 Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 19 17
 Moth assessment for 1923 50

Elizabeth G. Lynds—Buildings and about 5,079 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 106, adjoining an estate of Annie Small, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11503, tax for 1923 123 50
 Moth assessment for 1923 50

Rose Miller—Buildings and about 4,095 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 73, between an estate of DeForah Cohen and an estate of Anna Poorru, tax for 1923 185 25
 Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 8 37

Mary Moynihan—Buildings and about 4,330 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodlawn avenue, numbered 5 and 7, between an estate of Mary B. Banfield and others and an estate of Willis C. Corey, tax for 1923 49 40

Willis C. Pearson—Buildings and about 2,706 feet of land on the easterly side of Whitman street, making the southeasterly corner of Norfolk street, adjoining an estate of William F. Mullane, tax for 1923 93 86
 Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 9 42

Angelo Penta—Buildings and about 4,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stratton street, numbered 93, between another estate of said Penta and an estate of Morris Hahn, tax for 1923 \$197 60
 Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 97 60
 Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 13 65
 Also buildings and about 4,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stratton street, numbered 97, between another estate of said Penta and an estate of Angelo Penta and another, tax for 1923 \$197 60
 Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 97 60
 Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 13 65
 Moth assessment for 1923 50

Angelo Penta and Agostino De Stefano—About 3,878 feet of land on the northerly side of Floyd street, being lot 40, J. F. Connell plan, dated Nov. 9, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 3624, Moth assessment for 1923 50

Samuel W. and Mary Peterson—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, numbered 624, adjoining another estate of said Peterson, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923 98 80
 Moth assessment for 1923 65
 Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 12, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923 7 41
 Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923 7 41
 Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 16, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923 7 41

William A. Plaisted—About 5,268 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, making the northerly corner of Woodlawn avenue, being lot 100, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1922, Moth assessment for 1922 17 29
 Tax for 1923 85
 Moth assessment for 1923 17 29
 Also about 4,510 feet of land on

the northeasterly side of Woodlawn avenue, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1922 12 35
 Moth assessment for 1922 85
 Tax for 1923 12 35
 Moth assessment for 1923 95

Vira H. Powers—Buildings and about 3,214 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lorne street, numbered 4, adjoining another estate of said Powers, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15957, tax for 1923 \$335 92
 Paid on account 175 00

Balance due 160 92
 Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 14 39
 Also buildings and about 3,396 feet of land on the westerly side of Harvard street, numbered 307, making the southwesterly corner of Lorne street, extending through to Austin street, adjoining another estate of said Powers, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15957, tax for 1923 \$340 86
 Paid on account 175 00

Balance due 165 86
 Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 12 65

August Schwartz—Buildings and about 4,680 feet of land on the westerly side of Whitman street, numbered 21, between an estate of Caroline Von G. Digney and an estate of Charles D. Baker, moth assessment for 1923, Deborah Segalman—About 2,326 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Callender street, being lot H. Silverman Engineering Company plan, May 1, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13643, tax for 1923 7 41
 Also buildings and about 5,322 feet of land on the southerly side of Callender street, numbered 178, adjoining another estate of said Segalman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13643, tax for 1923 \$185 25
 Paid on account 81 74

Balance due 103 51
 John Shaw Heirs—About 3,360 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Halborn street, being lot 36, John H. Rice plan, dated April 2, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2195, Page 334, tax for 1922 7 41
 Moth assessment for 1922 50
 Tax for 1923 7 41
 Moth assessment for 1923 95

Annie Sheingold—Buildings and about 6,403 feet of land on the easterly side of Irma street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Sheingold and an estate of Harry Shopnick, tax for 1923 197 60
 Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 25 50
 Moth assessment for 1923 50
 Also about 10,814 feet of land on the easterly side of Irma street, being lot 1, S. L. Leftovith plan, February 2, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3865, page 181, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 56 81
 John H. Sherburne, Trustee under will of Jacob Foss—About 1,021 feet of land on the easterly side of a passage-way leading from the southerly side of Callender street, being the easterly part of lot 3, Charles F. Baxter plan, January 21, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2334, page 603, tax for 1922 4 94
 Tax for 1923 4 94

Franklin I. Smith, trustee for Louis F. Buff—About 146,185 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lorna road, at end, being lot 62, H. A. Millhouse plan, dated Jan. 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923 54 34
 Samuel Smorack and Samuel Poverman—About 1,032 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodrow avenue, between an estate of Joseph Lasoff and another estate of Georgia N. Mayberry, tax for 1923 4 94
 Moth assessment for 1923 50

Peter Theophilopoulos—About 5,431 feet of land on the southeasterly corner of Westmore road, making the southerly corner of Deering road, being lot 75, Henry C. Mildram plan, September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7726, tax for 1923, 17 29

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 13 96
 Moth assessment for 1923 50

May Walters—About 13,829 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, October 11, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2090, page 106, tax for 1923 19 76
 Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 26 27
 Moth assessment for 1923 95

Augusta I. Weisberg—About 9,508 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Callender street, being lots 1 to 8, inclusive, S. L. Leftovith plan, October 27, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4324, page 279, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 106 21
 Moth assessment for 1923 26 75
 Moth assessment for 1923 65

William Williams—About 5,565 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove-lan street, being lot 40, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923 12 35
 Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 9 86

Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 8,844 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, making the northwesterly corner of Mora street, adjoining an estate of Delia A. Kavanaugh, tax for 1923, 437 14

WARD TWENTY-TWO.

Charles A. Belford Heirs—About 2,450 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Washington street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Thomas F. Ward; easterly by an estate of Annie E. Kenney and another; southerly by an estate of Israel Bravman and westerly by an estate of Margaret Green, tax for 1922 \$14 82
 Tax for 1923 14 82

Mabel E. Chadwick—About 3,160 (assessed as 3,106) feet of land on the easterly side of Dunster road, adjoining an estate of Hannah L. Fletcher, being the easterly part of lot B, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 9, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3866, page 601, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921 21 20

Mary Chmiel—Buildings and about 9,710 feet of land on the westerly side of Center street, numbered 561, 563, 565, 567, 569, 571, 573, 575, 577 and 579, making the southwesterly corner of Lakeville place and the northwesterly corner of Goodrich road, adjoining an estate of Helen F. Folsom heirs or devisees, tax for 1923 \$738 53
 Paid on account 300 00

Balance due 438 53

John N. Chute—About 4,400 feet of land on the northerly side of St. Rose street, adjoining the estate of Dawson Johnson, being lot 17, Edmund K. Brown plan, dated April 13, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Deeds, at end of Book 2892, tax for 1922 17 29
 Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922 16 06
 Tax for 1923 17 29
 Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 15 53

Julia A. Cotter—About 3,540 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tower street, adjoining another estate of said Cotter, being lot 209, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated November 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2174, page 614, tax for 1923 27 17
 Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923 5 43
 Also about 3,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tower street, being lot 210, same plan, tax for 1923, Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923 27 17
 Moth assessment for 1923 5 41
 Moth assessment for 1923 50

Roger A. Deveney—Buildings and about 16,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clive street, numbered 23, being an estate of Louis H. Jacobs and another and an estate of Margaret C. Walsh, tax for 1923 205 01

Annie M. Dolan—Buildings and about 1,503 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3835—Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923 36 29

George W. Fowle—About 5,524 feet of land on the southerly side of Chestnut square, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Chestnut square; easterly by an estate of Thomas Robinette; westerly by an estate of William T. Haverly, and southerly by an estate of Alice B. Stephenson heirs, tax for 1923.....	17 29	formerly of New England Brewing Company and an estate, now or formerly of Abigail T. McCormick and others (numbered 29 Brookside avenue), tax for 1923.....	24 70	Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923....	2 47
Franciscan Monastery of St. Clare—About 88,218 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barlow street, making the southerly corner of Wachusett street, bounded and described as follows; northeasterly by Barlow street; southeasterly by the location of Forest Hills Cemetery; southwesterly by the location of Forest Hills Cemetery and an estate of Mary C. Cronin and northwesterly by the location of Wachusett street, tax for 1923.....	217 36	WARD TWENTY-THREE.		Patrick and Alice G. Collieran—About 3,438 feet of land on the easterly side of Nut street, being lot 6, block C, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14280, tax for 1923	2 47
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	297 31	Margaret G. C. Alder—Buildings and about 8,000 feet of land, numbered 12 Florence street, between an estate of William S. Macomber and an estate of Laura L. Muller, tax for 1923	\$192 66	William E. Cunniff—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brook Farm road, number 154, making the southerly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Anna M. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Morris Gordon—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3504, between an estate of Annie Van Tassel and an estate of Kate Casali, tax for 1923.....	93 86	Paid on account.....	100 00	Aloysius F. Dowd—Buildings and about 9,727 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ashland street, numbered 44, between an estate of Horace Lindell and an estate of Kenneth Sherburne, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Margaret Lemist—About 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of a 20-foot passageway leading from the easterly side of Arborway, adjoining an estate of James O'Neil, being lot 10, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated July 20, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2029, page 32, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Balance due	\$92 66	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Ellen T. and Catherine F. Norton—About 3,947 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, being the remainder after the widening of Stony brook, adjoining an estate of John J. Meehan and others, trustees, being lot 31, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Josephine W. Dufoa—About 3,968 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Florence street, being lot 64, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 15, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16163, tax for 1923	14 82
Bridget T. O'Brien—Buildings and about 6,273 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3829 and 3831, between an estate of Annie M. Dolan and an estate of A. Letitia Paraboschi, tax for 1923.....	96 33	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 48	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 27
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	24 62	Catherine A. Carnes—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Farquhar street, numbered 100, between an estate of John E. Kickham (numbered 104) and an estate of John L. Day and another (numbered 96), tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	222 30	Marion T. Ellenwood—Buildings and about 6,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, numbered 292, between an estate of John Tekel and an estate of Ellen T. Cowhig, tax for 1923.....	79 04
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Harry P. Chadwick—About 12,218 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 116, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 179, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923	35 10	James F. M. Farquhar set off to James F. M. Farquhar heirs or devisees—About 309,037 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Poplar street, making the southerly corner of Grew avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Poplar street; southerly and southeasterly by other estates of said Farquhar heirs or devisees; easterly by Grew avenue and westerly and southwesterly by other estates of said Farquhar heirs or devisees, tax for 1921	153 14
Francis S. Frederick and Arthur H. Parker Trustees under will of Ebenezer F. Parker—About 4,505 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marmion street, adjoining an estate of Charles A. Getz, being lot 36, W. C. Bates plan, dated January 1, 1909, on file in assessor's office, tax for 1922	22 23	Also about 12,106 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 115, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Emma C. Fisher—About 1,736 feet of land on the easterly side of Salman street, being lot 40, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7743, tax for 1923	2 47
Joseph Pittorino—Buildings and about 3,425 feet of land on the southerly side of Montebello road, numbered 35, between an estate of James W. McKeown and an estate of Mary A. Northway, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	13 72	Also about 5,045 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lasell street, being lot 18, Block 18, J. W. Morrison plan, dated April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, tax for 1923..	7 41	Also about 1,681 feet of land on the easterly side of Salman street, being lot 41, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7743, tax for 1923	2 47
Edna N. Pope—About 3,666 feet of land on the easterly side of South street making the southeasterly corner of Rosemary street, adjoining another estate of said Pope, being lot A, George H. Wetherbee, Jr., plan, dated December, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4334, page 308, moth assessment for 1922	50	Also about 11,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lark street, being lot 60, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 193, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923	9 88	Sarah E. Flaherty—About 4,954 feet of land on the westerly side of Vogel street, being lot 3, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14909, tax for 1923	2 47
Roger F. Scannell—About 8,848 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, adjoining an estate of Julia O'Brien, being lot 23, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated May 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2394, tax for 1922.....	86 45	Also about 2,973 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Park terrace, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Park terrace; northeasterly by an estate of Elizabeth G. McLaughlin; southeasterly by estate of Mabel F. Wood; southerly by estate of Jesse B. Osgood and southwesterly by estate of Helen A. Shaw and others, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Moth assessment for 1922.....	66	Also about 11,881 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, making the junction of Grew avenue, being lot 19, G. L. Richardson plan, June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1923	9 88	Edward F. Foley—About 3,748 feet of land on the southerly side of Weld street, being lot 272, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 6, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16202, tax for 1923	14 82
Tax for 1923.....	86 45	Also about 7,097 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Temple street, northwesterly by an estate of Laura K. Ellis; southwesterly by an estate of Michael Burke and other trustees, and southeasterly by an estate of George H. Stevens and another, tax for 1923	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	37 80	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 55	Helen G. Goodman, three ninths, John J., one ninth, William H., one ninth, Walter E., one ninth, Helen M., one ninth, Mildred G., one ninth and Charles G. Goodman, one ninth—Buildings and about 6,973 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Beech street, numbered 143, between an estate of Mary J. Cruickshank and an estate of Eugene N. Foss, tax for 1923	37 05
Joseph R. Scott, seven twentieths, Fannie L. S., one twentieth, Isabel A., five twentieths, and Richard W. A. Scott, Trustees under will of Mary A., seven twentieths—About 61,542 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, adjoining another estate of said Scott and others, trustees, being lot D, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated February 14, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3999, page 21, tax for 1923.....	182 78	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Ralph Hermann—About 10,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thrush street, being lots 119 and 120, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, moth assessment for 1923	50
Also about 119,108 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Washington street in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Joseph R. Scott, trustee, being lot E, same plan, tax for 1923	323 57	Also about 6,912 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Montclair avenue, being lot 89, Garbett and Wood plan, May 1, 1888, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1923.....	41 99	Laura A. Hilton—About 4,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Stimson street, being lot 28, Block E, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry of Land Court, certificate number 13920, moth assessment for 1923	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Max Cohen—About 1,102 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dana road, being lot 69, block 11, F. A.		James and Annie M. Hughes—About 2,275 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Billings street, being lot 8, shown on a plan dated October 25, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2558, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922,	8 45

John Jennings (reassessed from J. W. Walbur Co., Inc.)—About 497 feet of land on the easterly side of Grove street, being the westerly part of lot 46, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1922.....	2 47		
John E. Kackham—About 6,722 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Congreve street, being lot 43, Chas. H. Wood plan, June 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2389, page 89, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	19 52		
John J. Lyons—About 3,483 feet of land on the northeasterly side of North avenue, being lot 4, block B, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9747, moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Mary M. Maguire—About 1,325 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being the westerly part of lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3354, page 539, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Helen McCauley—About 5,150 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eldredge street, being lot L, W. C. Bates plan, February 12, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10938, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 94		
Also about 5,098 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eldredge street, being lot R, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10938, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 94		
Mary E. McCullough—Buildings and about 5,269 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Johnswood road, numbered 10, between an estate of Winifred Rice and an estate of Eugene A. Reilly and another, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Josephine B. McLain—Buildings and about 9,712 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pleasant street, numbered 26, making the easterly corner of Preston road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Pike, moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Mary McLean—About 22,300 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 32, W. C. Bates plan, March 20, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12337, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
George A. Monroe—About 4,014 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fur-bush road, being lot 63, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50		
Edward A. Morgan (supposed present owner Robert W. Fowler)—About 4,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Aldrich street, being lot 63, J. E. Jones plan, November 9, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2027, page 67, moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 4,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Aldrich street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Nora M. O'Brien—Buildings and about 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, numbered 294, between two other estates of said O'Brien, tax for 1923.....	172 90		
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, being lot 12, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1844, page 527, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		
Maria Olson—About 1,579 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 15, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 1,537 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 17, block F, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Kathleen A. O'Rourke—About 10,400 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Walnut street, adjoining an estate of Alexander F. Wilson, being lot 79, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Margaret M. and J. Harry O'Leary—Buildings and about 3,733 feet of land on the northerly side of Gardner street, numbered 71, between an estate of Mary C. Langhans (numbered 67) and an estate of Katherine L. Corbett (numbered 75), tax for 1923.....	86 45		
Helen L. Potter—About 1,350 feet of land, lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wren street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss, bounded and described as follows: Northwest by an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss; northeasterly by an estate of Margaret F. Tinker; southeasterly by an estate of Agnes M. Finneran and southwesterly by an estate of Robert T. Hathaway, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Marietta E. Robinson—Buildings and about 7,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 87, adjoining another estate of said Robinson, being lot 1, W. C. Bates plan, dated January 4, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4005, page 521, tax for 1923.....	160 55		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
Also about 7,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	37 05		
Also about 5,190 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Also about 5,797 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22 23		
Jeanette H. Romer—Buildings and about 4,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chilton road, numbered 14, between an estate of Mary F. Connolly and another estate of said Romer, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	33 30		
Also about 4,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chilton road, adjoining another estate of said Romer, being lot 110, W. C. Bates plan, dated October 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2478, tax for 1923.....	24 70		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	33 30		
Lena M. Savage—About 4,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, being lot 132 Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Gerald J. Savage, Inc.—About 4,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, adjoining another estate of said Savage, being lot 132, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
Also about 5,322 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, making the junction of Ellswood street, being lot 169, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2 47		
John D. Sheehy—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Summer street, numbered 26, between another estate of said Sheehy and an estate of Mary F. Blake, tax for 1923.....	79 04		
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Summer street, adjoining another estate of said Sheehy, being a lot shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 210, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
John Singer—Buildings and about 10,600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Centre street, numbered 1750, between an estate of Marion L. Woodward and an estate of Mary G. Hende, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Paid on account.....	75 00		
Balance due.....	48 50		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Robert F. Smith—About 2,848 feet of land on the westerly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 300, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Fred Solomon—About 7,885 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cornell street, being the northwesterly part of lot 36, J. Edwin Jones plan, July 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2250, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Morris Strecker and devisees under will of Nanetti Strecker—About 20,133 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East street, being lot 41, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated April, 1871, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Also about 20,567 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East street, making the easterly corner of High street, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 72,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, at end, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 14,476 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 14,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 15,486 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 46, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 15,391 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 15,670 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 15,972 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 16,298 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 15,270 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 22,403 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 20,353 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 10,450 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gardner street, making the easterly corner of High street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 10,925 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, making the southerly corner of East street, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 10,925 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Also about 10,450 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gardner street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47		
Donato Vigorito—About 6,373 feet of land on the easterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 33, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, moth assessment for 1923.....	50		
George O. Wales—About 14,976 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Park street, making the westerly corner of Oriole street, being lot 10, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	74 10		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 47		
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65		
James P. Walsh—About 1,953 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 281, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1921.....	2 47		

Patrick F. Welch—About 7,245 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hillcrest street, making the southerly corner of Temple street, being lot 63, Garbett and Wood plan, September 13, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2086, page 76, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922 9 60

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922 19 13

Arthur M. Wyman and John T. Hosford Trustees—About 6,360 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Oriole street, being lot 19, W. C. Bates plan, December 30, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3868, page 461, tax for 1923 14 82

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 10 85

Moth assessment for 1923 50

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Frank Anustase—About 6,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Messina, being lots 86, 87 and 88, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923 \$4 94

Louis E. Barber—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Bessie Walsh, being lot 70, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922 9 88

Tax for 1923 9 88

Elizabeth C. Bickmore, Heirs or Devises (reassessed to Harry C. Bickmore)—About 888,819 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Upton street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Upton street; northwesterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston, and southeasterly by an estate of Nathaniel Safford, tax for 1923 59 28

Moth assessment for 1923 9 75

Also about 184,404 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Alfred Foster heirs or devisees and the Stony Brook Reservation; northwesterly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard; southwesterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, and southeasterly by an estate of Alfred Foster, trustee, tax for 1923 12 35

Also about 65,000 feet of land on the easterly side of the boundary line which divides the City of Boston from the town of Dedham, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by the boundary line of Boston and Dedham; northeasterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; and southeasterly by an estate of City of Boston (Fairview Cemetery), tax for 1923 4 94

Boston & Northern Street Railway—About 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Hyde Park avenue; northerly by an estate of Antoinette Sinibaldi; westerly by another estate of said Boston & Northern Street Railway Company and southerly by the location of Readville Trotting Park, tax for 1923 14 82

Also about 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Prescott street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Prescott street; northerly by an estate of Guy S. Nelson; easterly by another estate of said Boston Northern Street Railway Company; southerly by the location of Readville Trotting Park, tax for 1923 14 82

James Brennan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, adjoining an estate of Mary T. Shea, being lot 124, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 10 56

Moth assessment for 1923 95

Robert E. Buffum—About 4,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, being lot 71, E. L. Moulton plan, February 8, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3136, page 433, tax for 1923 7 41

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 6 08

Moth assessment for 1923 65

Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, being lot 79, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923 9 88

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 12 19

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harmon street, being lot 89, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923 7 41

Moth assessment for 1923 95

Also about 12,172 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 52, John Maschold plan, March 12, 1888, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1813, page 595, tax for 1923 14 82

Also about 8,664 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1923, 9 88

Also about 8,304 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923, 9 88

Also about 8,064 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923, 9 88

Also about 8,016 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923, 9 88

Also about 7,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Bradlee street, adjoining an estate of Carl Stohn, Inc., being lot 119, G. L. Richardson plan, dated May 1, 1893, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 11 03

Also about 11,875 feet of land on the southerly side of Brooks street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Brooks street; easterly and southerly by location of Stony Brook, and westerly by an estate of John L. Mayer, tax for 1923 9 88

Also about 5,360 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Draper road, adjoining an estate of Michael J. Murphy, being lot 19, W. F. Whitman plan, dated October, 1910, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan 57, plan No. 2725, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923 7 41

Also about 8,551 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollowell street, adjoining an estate of Soren Sorenson, being lots 17 and 18, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated July, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3498, page 149, tax for 1923 7 41

Moth assessment for 1923 1 50

Also about 7,990 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, making the westerly corner of Blake street, adjoining another estate of Zeigler, moth assessment for 1922 1 23

Mabel E. Chadwick—About 8,426 feet of land on the northerly side of Haven avenue, adjoining an estate of John H. Stark heirs or devisees, being lot 170, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1923 12 35

Moth assessment for 1923 95

Michael F. Clarke—About 3,622 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 11, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922 2 47

Moth assessment for 1922 50

Tax for 1923 2 47

Moth assessment for 1923 50

Joseph J. Curran—About 13,150 feet of land on the northerly side of Thatcher street, being lot 64, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, moth assessment for 1923 95

John J. Delaney—About 8,561 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rexford street, being lot 35, C. E. C. Breck plan, dated April, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2528, moth assessment for 1922 1 09

William E. L. Dillaway and Michael M. Cuniff—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, adjoining another estate of said Dillaway and another, being lot 90, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922 50

William Donegan—About 6,560 feet of land on the westerly side of Tyler street, making the southwesterly corner of Water street, adjoining an estate of Timothy Kelliher, tax for 1923 9 88

James K. Durning—About 4,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, being lot 55, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, re-

corded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922 9 88

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922 9 60

Thomas F. Downey—Buildings and about 38,320 feet of land on the easterly side of Business street, numbered 64, between an estate of John Campanella and another and an estate of Annetta Tileston, tax for 1923 \$293 93

Paid on account 150 00

Balance due 143 93

Moth assessment for 1923 5 05

Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company—About 50,900 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dana avenue, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Dana avenue and Bridge street; southeasterly by the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; northeasterly by an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts and northwesterly by Neponset river, tax 1923 1,235 00

Annie C. Ferguson—About 152,460 feet of land on the northerly side of Oakland street, being a lot shown on C. H. Gannett plan, April 10, 1906, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14702, moth assessment for 1923 9 75

Julia E. Fuller—About 16,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Royal road, being lots 3, 4 and 5, and the southwesterly part of lots 1 and 2 John N. McClintock plan October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922 14 82

Edward Gately Heirs or Devises—About 3,490 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 7, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, moth assessment for 1923 50

George H. Glazier—Building and about 46,972 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Summit street, numbered 64, adjoining an estate of Fred Cross, tax for 1923 91 39

Moth assessment for 1923 50

Barnet Greenfield, Rachel and Bessie Polonsky, Eva Waxman and Harry Motorin—About 6,150 feet of land on the southwesterly side of River street, being a lot shown on S. L. Milton plan, dated July 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3969, page 15, tax for 1922 12 35

Lillian F. Harrington—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Laurel avenue, being lot 134, C. E. Varney plan, December, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922 2 47

Ellen A. Hamblin—About 4,073 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ralston road, being lot 320, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, moth assessment for 1923 95

Annie C. Hubbard—About 3,215 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 2, Whitman and Howard plan, July 25, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2917, page 387, tax for 1923 4 94

Also about 3,263 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923, 4 94

Also about 8,184 feet of land on the southerly side of Curley street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 4,398 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 5,083 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 4,232 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 4,704 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 4,213 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 4,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 3,532 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 6,533 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923 2 47

Also about 5,088 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923 4 94

Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923 4 94

Also about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923	4 94	side of Paine street (numbered 27), between an estate of Charles M. Hawkes and an estate of Owen E. Mulvey, tax for 1923..... \$39 52		an estate of Alfio Carrsecia and another, tax for 1923.....	69 16
Also about 4,274 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923	4 94	Paid on account..... 20 00		Also buildings and about 4,539 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Business street, numbered 75 and 77, between an estate of Nicola Padrevita and another and another estate of said Rooney, tax for 1923.....	61 75
Also about 1,437 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Balance due..... 19 52		James F. Ryan—Buildings and about 10,465 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Loring street, numbered 82, making the easterly corner of Glenwood avenue, adjoining an estate of Eugene N. Foss, moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Also about 5,162 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923..... 65		Walter R. and Nina M. Swain—Buildings and about 11,840 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Central avenue, numbered 118, between an estate of Annie R. Fenno and an estate of Geneva M. Williamson, tax for 1923..... \$91 39	
Also about 5,122 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Alfred W. and Bertha L. Newell—Buildings and about 8,987 feet of land on the easterly side of Arlington street, numbered 61, between an estate of Mary Etta Aronson and an estate of Nellie F. Sanborn, tax for 1923.....	88 92	Paid on account..... 57 00	
Also about 5,288 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Edith S. Olson—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wood avenue, being lots 504, 505 and 506, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 95	Balance due..... 34 39	
Also about 6,318 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923..... 50		Moth assessment for 1923..... 3 60	
Mary W. Hudson—About 20,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, between an estate of Mary E. McKinnon (numbered 96) and an estate of Helen A. Scaife, moth assessment for 1923.....	85	William P. and Judith Pearson—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1474 and 1476, between an estate of Emilio Arnattucci and an estate of Patsey Morschello and another, tax for 1923.....	39 52	Mary T. Shea—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rockingham road, being lot 123, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Theodore Jankowski—About 5,855 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oakland street, adjoining an estate of Etta A. Sherwood, being lots 397, 398, 399, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1923..... 2 40		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 56
Edwin C. Jenney, set off to Anna M. Kenney—Buildings and about 7,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Milton street, numbered 27, between an estate of Edwin C. Jenney and an estate of Dennis O'Connell and another, tax for 1923	116 09	F. R. Pendleton—About 50,940 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tileston street, making the southerly corner of Locust street, adjoining an estate of Philip P. Coveney, trustee, tax for 1923.....	37 05	Moth assessment for 1923..... 95	
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 76	Moth assessment for 1923..... 2 60		Lena Son—Buildings and about 5,069 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Osceola street, numbered 59, between an estate of Frank L. Washburn and an estate of Albion D. Thynge, moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28
Mary Johnson—About 3,051 feet of land on the westerly side of Pleasantview street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 757 and 758, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Tony Piscillo—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 72, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Herbert C. Somes—Buildings and about 3,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Greenwood avenue, numbered 39, between an estate of Edward E. Moulton and an estate of Elizabeth C. Flynn, tax for 1923..... \$49 40	
Annie M. Kelley (supposed present owner Charles J. Kelley)—About 196,020 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Baker street, between an estate of Kate P. Bullard and another estate of said Annie M. Kelley, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Annie M. Kelley; westerly by the dividing line between Boston and Dedham; easterly by an estate of John P. Bullard and southerly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 73, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Paid on account..... 33 98	
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Canaan street, being lots 83 and 84, T. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 74, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Balance due..... 15 42	
Stephen F. Kelley—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Hamilton street, numbered 53 and 60, between an estate of Nora Kirby and an estate of George F. Harney and another, tax for 1923..... \$116 09		Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of Katherine A. Keating, being lot 76, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Joseph and Annie Suchecki—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moody street, being lots 606 and 607, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Paid on account..... 12 50		George W. Proal—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Estelle M. Kent, being lot 66, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Emil Svinergson—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, being lot 102, E. L. Moulton plan, February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 45, plan number 2117, also on file in assessors' office, moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Balance due..... 103 59		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96	Sarkis Tarlikian—About 8,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street being lots 13 and 14, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 494, moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00
B. B. and R. Knight, Inc.—Buildings and about 60,660 feet of land on the westerly side of Readville street, numbered 49 to 59, inclusive, adjoining another estate of said Knight, moth assessment for 1922.....	2 13	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Mary H. Burgess, trustee, being lot 67, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Thomas Tortunski—About 6,915 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bismarck street, adjoining an estate of Thomas P. Conboy, being lot 149, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 1463, moth assessment for 1922.....	85
Joseph Lo Russo—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 20 and 21, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96	Mary Welch—About 4,316 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Regent street, making the northerly corner of Albermarle street, adjoining an estate of Minnie A. Price, moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Virginia E. Mazzuchelli—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tampa street, being lots 308 and 309, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, moth assessment for 1923.....	95	George A. Richards—Buildings and about 3,850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holmfield avenue, numbered 7 and 9, between an estate of George V. Usher and an estate of Alice M. Brady, tax for 1923..... \$106 21		Mary Welch—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Easton avenue, numbered 29, between an estate of Alexander Michielevich and an estate of Andrew McGowan, moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40
Thomas McCormack—About 3,979 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Mattapan street, being lot 8, Block A, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1893, registered in the Suffolk Registry, District of Land Court, certificate number 13689, tax for 1923	4 94	Paid on account..... 24 50		John C. Wickes—About 4,164 feet of land on the easterly side of Weybosset street, making the southeasterly corner of Randolph road, adjoining an estate of Daniel Kenney, being lots 91 and 92, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922.....	2 47
Maud M. Miner (supposed present owner Max Greenberg)—About 7,475 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Collins street, being lot 183, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Balance due..... 81 71		Also buildings and about 6,360 feet of land on the westerly side of Newbern street, numbered 51, between an estate of Mary E. Erickson and an estate of Jacob Lanterback, tax for 1923.....	69 16
Flora E. Mullen—Buildings and about 20,456 feet of land on the northerly		Alice F. Rooney—Buildings and about 23,724 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a passageway leading from the southeasterly side of and numbered 1404 River street, adjoining another estate of said Rooney, tax for 1923..... \$113 62		Paid on account..... 39 98	
		Balance due..... 73 64		Also buildings and about 4,425 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Business street, numbered 65, between another estate of said Rooney and	

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Aberdeen Realty Corporation—Buildings and about 4,824 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1706, making the southwesterly corner of Sutherland road, between an estate of Mary Kulpinska and another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923..... \$1,889 55

Paid on account..... 300 00

Balance due..... \$1,589 55

Also about 54,458 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining an estate of Ada F. Davidson, being lots F, G, H and J, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, May 11, 1922, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	661 96		ing another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		avenue, adjoining an estate of William Harvey, being lot D, S. L. Leftovich plan, dated January 1, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8546, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50		Also about 6,420 feet of land on the northerly side of proposed circle, off of the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Elizabeth Jackson—About 263,837 feet of land on the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, adjoining another estate of said Elizabeth Jackson, being part of lot B, shown on D. W. Hyde plan, dated September 19, 1914, on file in the assessors' office, moth assessment for 1923.....	55
Also about 33,537 feet of land lying in rear from northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining an estate of James M. Woods, being the remaining part of lot C after subdivision as shown on John H. Burroughs plan, May 11, 1922, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	123 50		Also about 5,430 feet of land on the northerly side of proposed circle, off of the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Also about 157,284 feet of land lying in the rear of the southerly side of William Jackson avenue, though to the westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of said Elizabeth Jackson, being part of lot A, shown on D. W. Hyde plan dated March 10, 1922, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4364, page 463, moth assessment for 1923.....	85
Annie G. Allen—Buildings and about 2,525 feet of land on the northerly side of Orkney road, numbered 47, making the northeasterly corner of Sutherland road, adjoining another estate of said Allen, tax for 1923.....			Also about 7,785 feet of land on the easterly side, at end of proposed circle off of the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Selma Pelonsky, reassessed from Harriet A. Waterman—About 14.3 feet of land lying in rear from southwesterly side of Wallingford road, adjoining an estate of Marion W. Smith, being lot 20, shown on C. B. Humphrey plan, April 25, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923.....	9 83
Paid on account.....	647 31		Thomas H. Connelly—About 5,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brainerd road, making the southerly corner of Feneno terrace, adjoining an estate of Frank H. Dufour, being lot S. C. H. W. Wood plan, dated January 14, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3340, page 626, tax for 1923.....	46 93		Charles Richardson—About 59,100 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, extending through to Charles river, between another estate of said Richardson and an estate of Boston University, trustees of, tax for 1921.....	2 511 99
Balance due.....	27 00		Margaret W. Doherty—Buildings and about 8,962 feet of land on the southerly side of Cheswick road, numbered 138, making the junction of Lothian road, between an estate of Jeannette G. Winans and an estate of Lorenzo D. Baker and others, tax for 1923.....	261 82		Tax for 1922.....	2 511 99
Samuel S. Cantor—Buildings and about 5,913 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 562, 564, 566, 568, 570, 572 and 574, between an estate of Charles E. Holman and an estate of Lydia B. McKinnon, tax for 1923.....	432 25		Mary F. Downes—Buildings and about 6,216 feet of land on the southerly side of Englewood avenue, numbered 134, between another estate of said Downes and an estate of Susan E. Wadsworth, moth assessment for 1921.....	87		Tax for 1923.....	2,511 99
Mary Chmiele—Buildings and about 8,004 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Wallingford road, numbered 14 and 16, making the westerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Margaret E. Culhane, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13376, tax for 1923.....			Gertrude M. Fay—Building and about 5,580 feet of land on the southerly side of Nottingham road, at end, numbered 24, between an estate of Francis L. Colpoys and an estate of Carolyn W. Lebowich, tax for 1921.....	118 56		Also about 4,292 feet of land on the easterly side of Essex street, making the northeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining another estate of said Richardson, being a lot shown on William Parker plan, dated July, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3217, page 353, tax for 1921.....	133 38
Paid on account.....	300 00		M. Douglas Flattery—Buildings and about 9,484 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lanark road, numbered 48, between an estate of Frank H. Shoals and an estate of M. Douglas Flattery, tax for 1923.....	125 97		Tax for 1922.....	133 33
Balance due.....	302 08		Also buildings and about 10,495 feet of land on the southwest side of Lanark road, numbered 42, between an estate of M. Douglas Flattery and an estate of Blanche E. Philbrick, tax for 1923.....	316 16		Tax for 1923.....	133 33
Thomas H. Connelly, Daniel F. Sullivan and John H. Sullivan—About 5,260 feet of land on the northerly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 5, H. F. Bryant plan, dated November, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4458, page 369, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Clara B. French—About 19,232 feet of land on the southwest side of Elizabeth avenue, making the westerly corner of Allston street, adjoining an estate of Bartholomew J. Connelly, being lot C, A. S. N. Estes plan, April, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3573, tax for 1921.....	111 15		Elsie G. Richter—Buildings and about 4,535 feet of land on the northeast side of Strathmore road, numbered 43, between an estate of Antoinette A. Pierce and an estate of Lilly H. Pushee, tax for 1923.....	543 00
Also about 6,030 feet of land on the northerly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 4, H. F. Bryant plan, dated November, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4458, page 369, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Robert W. Frost and James A. Hathaway, Trustees of Brighton and Bristol Real Estate Trust—About 16,845 feet of land on the easterly side of Academy Hill road (formerly numbered 72), making the junction of and on westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue (formerly numbered 49), adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Fiske, being lot A, William E. Hannon plan, July 9, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , moth assessment for 1922.....	187 72		Paid on account.....	450 00
Also about 5,270 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, making the northerly corner of Prospect street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 1, H. F. Bryant plan, November, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4458, page 369, tax for 1923.....	14 82		Ellen T. Gavin—Buildings and about 6,210 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 10, 12, 14 and 16, between an estate of Charles E. Wellington and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923.....	50		Balance due.....	93 40
Also about 5,300 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 2, H. F. Bryant plan, dated November, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4458, page 369, tax for 1923.....	12 35		Paid on account.....	500 00		Annie Robbins—Buildings and about 15,352 feet of land on the northerly side of Gardner street, numbered 80, between an estate of Isabelle C. Diaz and an estate of Margaret L. Matheson, tax for 1923.....	335 20
Also about 6,030 feet of land on the northerly side of proposed 40-foot street, off of easterly side of Foster street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Balance due.....	290 40		Paid on account.....	199 50
Also about 7,400 feet of land on the southerly side at end of proposed circle, off of the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Mary A. Harnedy—Buildings and about 7,579 feet of land on the southerly side of Washington street, numbered 300, 302, 304, 306, 308 and 310, between an estate of said Harnedy and an estate of Theodore B. Munroe, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14022, tax for 1923.....	1,101 62		Balance due.....	195 70
Also about 6,420 feet of land on the southerly side of proposed circle, off of the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9 88		Holland System, Inc.—Buildings and about 12,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 949, making the northwest corner of Gaffney street, adjoining an estate of Charles F. Pfeiffer and Harry F. Bornay, tax for 1923.....	3,334 50		Ransom Rowe—About 10,663 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 18, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, appointment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	23 04
Also about 6,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, making the southerly corner of proposed circle, off of easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	17 29		Frank Holland—About 898 feet of land on the southwest side of Glenville			Adelaide J. and Arthur H. Sargent and Harry L. Sampson, Trustees of the Sargent Trust—Buildings and about 31,213 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 312, making the northerly corner of Sutherland road, adjoining an estate of Susan E. Wadsworth, tax for 1923.....	1,837 63
Moth assessment for 1923.....	85					Moth assessment for 1923.....	65
Also about 6,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, making the northerly corner of proposed circle, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19 76					Frank H. Shoals—Buildings and about 7,860 feet of land on the southwest side of Lanark road, numbered 52, between an estate of M. Douglas Flattery and an estate of John A. Reardon, Junior, tax for 1923.....	3261 82
Also about 6,150 feet of land on the easterly side of Foster street, adjoining another estate of said Connelly and others, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1923.....						Paid on account.....	175 00
						Balance due.....	86 82
						Minnie M. Soule—Buildings and about 9,090 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leamington road, numbered 9, making the easterly corner of Nottingham path, adjoining an estate of Margaret M. Ducey, moth assessment for 1921.....	50
						Elizabeth L. Tappan (mortgagee in possession)—Buildings and about 13,755 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winship street, numbered 26, 28 and 30, between another estate of said Tappan and an estate of Mary Kiernan, moth assessment for 1922.....	50

Margaret Timmons (set off to Margaret Timmons and Catherine G. Bresnahan)—Buildings and about 1,951 feet of land on the northerly side of Armington street, numbered 35, between another estate of said Timmons and another and an estate of Caroline V. Cusick, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 3 93

Also buildings and about 1,879 feet of land on the northerly side of Armington street, numbered 33, between an estate of Amelia C. Tykeson and another estate of said Timmons and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 3 79

Norman S. Waite—Buildings and about 5,929 feet of land on the northerly side of Idlewild street, numbered 16, between two other estates of said Waite, tax for 1923..... 736 06

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 24 62

Also buildings and about 5,929 feet of land on the northerly side of Idlewild street, numbered 12, between two other estates of said Waite, tax for 1923..... 736 06

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 24 62

Also buildings and about 5,350 feet of land on the northerly side of Idlewild street, numbered 8, between another estate of said Waite and an estate of Anna F. Corcoran, tax for 1923..... 780 52

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 20 10

Harriet A. Waterman—About 18,609 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wallingford road, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being lot 19, C. B. Humphrey plan, April 25, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number , tax for 1923..... 118 56

Ralph F. Whitehead—About 100 feet of land on the westerly side of Harvard terrace, at end, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth L. Cox (numbered 17 Harvard terrace), tax for 1922..... 2 47

Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Williams Realty Company—About 16,845 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Academy Hill road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Travis, being lot A, William E. Hannon plan, dated July 9, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 83 98

James M. Woods—Buildings and about 5,635 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot H, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923..... 207 48

WARD TWENTY-SIX.

Hannah Deehan—Buildings and about 3,663 feet of land on the southerly side of Faneuil street, between an estate of David Shapiro and an estate of Johnson W. Ramsey, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14758, tax for 1923..... \$165 49

Ervin R. Dix—About 80 feet of land on the easterly side of Converse street, at end, adjoining an estate of Thomas F. and Mary C. Bowles, being a lot shown on F. O. Whitney plan, dated May 1, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4040, page 263, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Federal Trust Company Trustee—About 4,753 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Faneuil street, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, Trustee, being lot 112, W. A. Mason & Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, moth assessment for 1921..... 1 01

Edward J. Finlay—About 4,191 feet of land on the westerly side of Turner street, adjoining another estate of said Finlay, being lot 44, E. A. W. Hammatt plan, dated February 26, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4044, page 47, tax for 1923... 14 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 39 61

Also about 4,192 feet of land on the westerly side of Turner street, adjoining another estate of said Finlay, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Edward J. Finlay (reassessed from Mar-

ket Trust Company)—About 6,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Turner street, adjoining another estate of said Finlay, being lot 41, H. A. Wilson plan dated October 20, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4180, page 62, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 31 68

Also about 6,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Turner street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 22 23

31 68

Frank E. Guptill—Buildings and about 4,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 244 and 243, adjoining another estate of said Guptill, tax for 1923 .. 375 44

G. Arthur Kayo—About 4,902 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hobart street, adjoining an estate of John E. Condon and another, being lot 35, shown on a plan not dated, and not named on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Bridget Mallanaphy—Buildings and about 2,584 feet of land on the northerly side of Cushman road, numbered 21, between an estate of Ellen L. Beedle and an estate of John Barrett, tax for 1923..... 93 86

Thomas J. McCue—About 4,719 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 3, C. H. Gannett plan, dated August, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3976, page 350, tax for 1921..... \$12 35

Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Thomas J. McCue—About 5,433 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 4, C. H. Gannett plan, dated August, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3976, page 350, tax for 1923..... \$12 35

Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 6,288 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$14 82

Paid on account..... 9 02

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,598 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923..... \$12 35

Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,251 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, making the northwesterly corner of Goodenough street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$12 35

Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 5,065 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$9 88

Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 5,103 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$9 88

Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 5,375 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$9 88

Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 5,664 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$12 35

Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,719 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$12 35

Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,730 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, making the northeasterly corner of Faneuil street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$12 35

Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,507 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street,

being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$9 88

Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Moth assessment for 1921..... 1 67

Also about 4,510 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$9 88

Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,585 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$9 88

Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,654 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$9 88

Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,689 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$9 88

Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,734 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1921..... \$9 88

Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 14,302 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1921..... \$34 58

Paid on account..... 25 78

Balance due 5 80

Mary E. O'Reilly—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Tip Top street, numbered 19, between an estate of Patrick F. Donovan and an estate of Edward J. Ryan and another, tax for 1922..... \$86 45

Paid on account..... 66 45

Balance due 20 00

Meredith W. Palmer and William C. Niles, Trustees Boylston Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennett street, numbered 99, between two other estates of said Palmer and other trustees, tax for 1923... 111 15

Also buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennett street, numbered 111, between two other estates of said Palmer and other trustees, tax for 1923, 111 15

Atlas Skinner Heirs—About 8,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Bigelow street, being lot 22, Whitman Breck & Co., October, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1815, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

Agnes G. Sullivan (supposed present owner Frank L. Maguire)—About 6,310 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street adjoining another estate of said Sullivan being lot F, D. W. Hyde plan, dated December 31, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4213, page 506, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 89

Also about 6,206 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street being lot G, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 88

Also about 6,059 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street, being lot H, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 89

Also about 6,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street being lot C, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 88

Also about 6,370 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street, being lot E, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment..... 25 88

Edna G. Wadsworth—Buildings and about 6,856 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunnewell avenue, numbered 72, between an estate of Winslow B. Briggs and another and an estate of Eugene B. Hamilton, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12545, tax for 1923 41 99
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 7 11

WILLIAM M. McMORROW,
Collector of Taxes for the City of Boston.

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen, in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in

order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being abolished. For these was substituted a single City Council of nine members to be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, *i. e.*, whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, *i. e.*, establishing a single term of four years; but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (*i. e.*, the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor

which licensees claimed the right to sell was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on June 7, 1920. The result of this decision was that former applicants for liquor licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (*i. e.*, prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topeka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

REAL ESTATE ASSESSMENT PER CAPITA IN CITIES.

According to assessed valuations for 1923, Boston, \$1,843.61 (highest); New York, \$1,787.57; Pittsburgh, \$1,514.19; Buffalo, \$1,281.25; Philadelphia, \$1,185.29; St. Louis, \$1,032.83; Baltimore, \$996.75. These figures are approximate as population had to be estimated.

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NEW DORCHESTER COURT HOUSE. ANOTHER GRACEFUL STRUCTURE TO CREDIT OF CURLEY ADMINISTRATION.

BIDS SOON TO BE CALLED FOR ERECTION OF BUILDING TO HOUSE COURT OFFICES OF LARGE DISTRICT. TO BE ERECTED AT MELVILLE AVENUE AND WASHINGTON STREET.



NEW COURT HOUSE IN DORCHESTER DISTRICT FOR WHICH BIDS WILL SOON BE ANNOUNCED.

Boston is acquiring another imposing structure such as is making the administration of Mayor Curley the most noted in the history of the city, with the construction about to be started of the Dorchester Courthouse at Melville avenue and Washington street.

The building is to cost approximately \$225,000, and is to be built of brick and concrete with limestone trimming. It is to be of first-class construction throughout, with a basement, first and second floors. The frontage on Washington street will be 115 feet and the depth 114 feet. It will set back from Washington street about 45 feet with the present trees and retaining wall kept in place.

PLANNING BOARD ANNOUNCES THAT NEW ZONING LAW DOES NOT MEAN INCREASED INSURANCE BUT IS PROTECTION TO OWNERS.

Home owners will not be forced to pay increased fire insurance rates on their property through the compulsory insertion of a demolition clause in their policies because of Boston's new zoning law, according to the City Planning Board.

On the basement floor of the building will be the detention rooms for men and women, boiler room, van room and storage facilities. The heating apparatus which will be of the oil-burning kind will be on this floor also.

On the first floor will be the Criminal Court, one civil court, offices for the judges, a law library, quarters for the probation officers, clerks and attorneys as well as a storage vault for records. On the second floor will be the police room, juvenile court, consultation room, court offices and rest rooms. Bids for construction will soon be asked. Mulhall & Holmes are the architects.

Claims that one, two and three-family dwellings need a demolition clause are erroneous, they maintain.

Belief that the zoning law requires that when a certain percentage of a dwelling not conforming to the law is destroyed by fire the building must thereafter comply with the zoning regulations, and thus necessitates a demolition clause in fire insurance policies, is not true, the Board declares. No extra premium for the insertion of a demolition

clause in case the dwelling is destroyed by fire is needed on a policy, for the zoning law does not interfere with replacement.

The zoning law, the Planning Board holds, does not interfere, according to section 23 of chapter 488 of the Acts of 1923, with "the substantial restoration within 12 months and the continuance of use of a building which has been damaged by fire, explosion, flood, riot, act of public enemy or accident of any kind to such an extent that the estimated cost of such restoration does not exceed three-quarters of the fair value of the building, based on replacement cost immediately prior to such damage."

Where a building does not conform to the zoning requirements, the law provides to the Planning Board that the Building Commissioner may grant a permit for restoration and continuance of use where neither will be detrimental or injurious to the character of the neighborhood. This, they declare, precludes any necessity of alarm over dwellings of any type.

Instead of making the cost of carrying fire insurance on building burdensome, the zoning law will tend to lessen the fire risk, according to the Planning Board. There will be less fire risk under the new zone law by the exclusion of manufacturing and business uses from residential districts, they add, while provisions for more open spaces between buildings by side and rear yards, courts and the limiting of the percentage of a lot that may be occupied by buildings will all aid materially in reducing the spreading of fires and will make fire fighting easier.

MAYOR CURLEY SEEKS TO HAVE SHIPS REPAIRED HERE.

"The vanishing point" will be reached unless the Shipping Board assigns certain ships for repair to the Boston Navy Yard at Charlestown, Mayor Curley told Howard Coonley, president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, in a letter Wednesday, August 27, wherein he urged that the Mount Vernon, now located at East Boston, be reconditioned at the Boston Yard instead of undergoing private reconditioning at Newport News.

The letter states that the force of workmen has been considerably reduced in consequence of the failure of Congress to adopt the Naval Appropriations Bill and asks Mr. Coonley to designate a committee of the Chamber of Commerce "to intercede with the United States Shipping Board" in order that the Mount Vernon may stay here "where the work can be performed as efficiently and much more economically than elsewhere."



'O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, September 8, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marqueses, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases or public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 592.

The resignation of Patrolman George R. Mitchell of Division 13 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Thursday, August 21, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, *Commissioner*.

General Order No. 593.

The following transfers are hereby ordered to take effect Tuesday, August 26, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

Patrolman Lawrence A. Boyle, Division 3 to Division 6.

Patrolman James P. Bannon, Division 3 to Division 10.

Patrolman John E. Striplin, Division 3 to Division 11.

Patrolman Orville F. Kenerson, Division 6 to Division 3.

Patrolman Patrick J. O'Donnell, Division 10 to Division 3.

Patrolman Richard L. Hennessey, Division 11 to Division 3.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, *Commissioner*.

General Order No. 594.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, Perry and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman William J. Boyd of Division 13, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman William J. Boyd was, on August 21, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal, with the reason therefor, was duly and

specifically given in hand on August 21, 1924, to the said William J. Boyd.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, *Commissioner*.

General Order No. 595.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, Perry and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Walter T. Hallett of Division 10, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Walter T. Hallett perform forty hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, *Commissioner*.

General Order No. 596.

Patrolman William H. Gordon of Division 17, having arrived at the age of sixty-three and eleven-twelfths years, having performed faithful service in the Police Department for thirty-four and nine-twelfths years, and having requested to be retired from active service, it is hereby

Ordered, That the said Patrolman William H. Gordon be retired from active service and that his name be placed upon the department pension roll, with pay at the rate of nine hundred sixty-two and fifty one-hundredths (\$962.50) dollars per annum, said sum being one half of the amount of compensation received by him in the office from which he is retired; to take effect Wednesday, August 27, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON, *Commissioner*.

MAYOR CURLEY STIRS AMERICAN LEGION TO WILD ENTHUSIASM WITH ADDRESS.

TELLS PITTSFIELD CONVENTION WHAT HIS ADMINISTRATION HAS ACCOMPLISHED BY WAY OF REHABILITATING VETERANS AND DECLARES FOR REAL BONUS AND SAVING WAGE.

Mr. Chairman, Members of the American Legion, Veterans of the World War, Ladies and Gentlemen:

Some bygone wise man has left us the words "The memory of men and the memory of nations is short." The truth of those words have often come to me in the past few years as I have visited the cots where your maimed and broken buddies lay suffering like the heroes that they are. Those words have come to you as you have laid aside your weapons of war and returned to the efforts of peace.

A little more than eight years ago the fate of human liberty hung in the balance. Government for the people, by the people, hung in the balance, swayed by the greatest peril the world has ever known, vicious, irresponsible militarism and uncurbed autocracy. You and your comrades sprang to the aid of liberty and freedom of democracy. The valor of those days when you floundered in the mud of Flanders and Chateau Thierry should never be forgotten. And you do well to assemble each year in convention to remember the past and to rededicate yourselves to the duties of the future, the preservation of democracy and the safety of your land and mine.

As I think of the great decision in which you shared when bleeding democracy emerged triumphant from the smoke of slaughter on the banks of the Marne, when free government won the greatest victory of all time, I cannot but feel that you have not been given all the tribute you deserve; all you were promised as you went bravely into the jaws of death; all that you expected when you returned home.

When you marched to war you were cheered and feted as heroes. During the battles you were followed as heroes by your anxious watchers at home. When you returned you were promised a bonus. The soldiers of every nation fighting in the World War received a cash bonus as soon as or shortly after being mustered out of service and the money was borrowed from America. You have been given a bonus that you can collect only after you are dead. And who needs a bonus then? What you wanted and needed and should have received was a bonus that would aid you in your hour of need.

I am thankful to say that Boston has done all in its power to rehabilitate the returning soldier and to place him upon a self-supporting basis. Since the present administration has come into office, through our effort we have been able to place with the Fire Department 295 veterans; with the Transit Commission, 1,356 veterans; with the Park Department, 1,000 veterans; and with the Public Works Department, 1,277 veterans, with the aid of the Employment Bureau 11,219 veterans, a total of 15,147 returned heroes of the World War.

Through the Soldiers' Relief Depart-

ment over \$2,500,000 have been expended in aiding ex-service men and their dependents, with an average of 1,800 individuals on the rolls per month. By co-operation with the Employment Bureau and the Transit Department the number of beneficiaries of the Soldiers' Relief Department have been reduced from the total of 5,200 at the time I assumed office to the present 1,800, which represents widows and other dependents of ex-service men.

In the matter of civil service appointments every case has been decided in favor of the veteran, as was his due.

The East Boston Tunnel improvement was made with the aid of 1,356 veterans then out of employment and one and one half million dollars were paid to them in wages, thus restoring their self-respect and giving them opportunity to acquire useful training. I will say that in the course of that construction by veteran help the city was enabled to save approximately a million dollars in soldiers' relief funds.

The real saving was in no sense reflected in the book-keeping accounts of the City of Boston; the saving was represented in providing an opportunity for the men who had served in the World War to give the lie to their detractors who loudly complained that the returned soldier was not only not fit to work but would not work.

In March, 1922, the City of Boston paid out in unemployment aid to men who had served in the World War, in army, navy and Marine Corps, \$140,000; this ratio if maintained for the entire year would have represented a total of \$1,860,000; it would have represented the development of a system that would sap the initiative and destroy the character and energy of the men whose character and courage made possible the winning of the World War. It was important that these men be saved from a condition of which they were in no measure responsible, a condition due to the failure of the Federal Government to make provision for the development of a foreign and domestic policy that would insure prosperity in the nation and provide opportunities which these men sought for a livelihood.

The construction of the East Boston Tunnel extension and the Maverick Station on the day-labor basis was the first major rapid transit construction ever attempted in the history of New England, other than by contract. It can truly be said, to the credit of the men who performed this work, many of whom had never had experience at manual labor or in the handling of apparatus and machinery on underground construction, that they met the condition manfully; they bore the brunt of excessive labor like men who had been accustomed to that character of work during an entire lifetime, and previous to the completion of the work, their skill in the handling

of intricate tunnel construction machinery prompted contracting firms from every section of the country to tender proffer of positions at salaries many times greater than were paid by the city.

The present industrial depression in America has resulted in an increasing demand for aid to unemployed veterans. The City of Boston has lived strictly to the letter of the law and in every case has provided veterans of the World War, unable to procure employment, \$37.50 per month, on an average, until it was possible to provide for themselves. With a view to meeting every demand, some thirty days ago a meeting was called of department heads of the City of Boston and they were instructed to effect economies which would make available \$1,000,000, so that during the present depression no veteran of the World War should be deprived of the financial assistance to which his service entitled him, and none will be deprived.

Out of the World War came what is generally regarded as the saving wage; the saving wage represents the most forward humanitarian step taken in the history of the American Republic; it provides the toiler in America opportunity not only to care for his family in comfort and decency, but permits of their enjoyment of an occasional luxury as well as the necessities, and in addition means better food, more clothing in the home and greater opportunities for education of the children.

With a view to safeguarding the saving wage, as Mayor of Boston, I, this year, made provision in the budget for increase in the salary of ninety-three hundred persons in the employ of the city and it is pleasing to note that of the ninety-three hundred who were increased four thousand were veterans of the World War.

With a due appreciation of the fact, familiar to every member of a patriotic organization, that the burden of providing for their comrade, and the expenses incidental to the maintaining of clubhouses and assembly halls must be borne by the men who served and sacrificed, the City of Boston early made provision for the placing at the disposal of the American Legion Posts, desirable assembly halls and clubhouses throughout the city, without cost to the veterans.

The City of Boston was recently privileged to witness the parade of the Grand Army of the Republic. At the close of the Civil War, when the northern army was assembled in Washington for parade, it required two entire days for the army, marching in close formation on the broadest thoroughfare in America, Pennsylvania avenue, to pass a given point. At the fifty-eighth National Encampment, held in Boston last week, the entire parade lasted less than one hour and the majority of those who participated were required to ride in automobiles.

The history of the Grand Army and its efforts to secure justice merits the profound study of every man interested in this great patriotic organization. It remained for a member of the Grand Army, who had enlisted as a private during the Civil War in 1861, and who emerged at the close of the war in 1865 as a Brigadier-General, Honorable Isaac R. Sherwood, of Ohio, to stand as a candidate for Congress, secure election, and spend two entire years during the sessions of the Sixty-first Congress, to se-

cure enactment of what is now known as the "Sherwood Dollar a Day Pension Act." It seems incredible that a nation rich as the American Republic should wait until forty-seven years after the close of the Civil War to grant a dollar a day pension to the men who had served and sacrificed during that war, but such is the fact.

The recent session of Congress adopted legislation known as the Bursum Bill. The Bursum Bill made provision for increase in compensation to the men of the Northern Army and their dependents to seventy-two dollars a month. It would have meant the difference between extreme privation as against some degree of comfort, and the medical, surgical and hospital needs of the men of the Grand Army of the Republic, and it was vetoed by the President of the United States. The only conclusion that one can draw from the action of the President is that the Grand Army of the Republic has been so decimated in numbers as to no longer be a political consideration.

When you consider that it required fifteen years for the Grand Army of the Republic, which at its maximum represented less than four hundred and fifty thousand men, to become a dominant factor, we realize how necessary it is that all men work together for the personal welfare of each individual member who may at some time be in need and for the general welfare of the entire membership in America.

The service of the Grand Army of the Republic was in no sense represented by the four years of service on the battlefields; their service was freely given in the hour of peace as well as in the hour of strife, preaching and practising at all times a spirit of patriotism, and actuated solely by a desire to develop an American spirit and loyalty which in the hour of trial might encourage men animated by the same high resolve as prompted their service and sacrifice. The passing of the Grand Army, if the World War had not taken place, would have left a great void in the life of America; the opportunity for the American Legion to render the same character of service to the American nation for the perpetuation of this Republic that has been rendered in the past by the Grand Army, is today theirs. This nation should recognize it, and the subdivisions of the nation, the state, the city, the town should appreciate it. Their service and sacrifice entitle them to the thoughtful consideration and to the whole-hearted assistance of every person who believes in and loves the American Republic.

May every success attend your efforts; may your membership grow; and with the passing of years may there be developed in America an appreciation of your service and sacrifice that will cause men in every age and generation to hail you as saviours of liberty, worthy of the greatest title ever conferred on man, American patriots.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Public Works Department for authority to relay granite block pavement with grout joints, in Dedham street, from Washington street to Rowland street, with division forces, without advertising, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$3,000.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 21 TO AUGUST 27.

AUGUST 21.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
William B. Johnson	141 Newbury street.	8	New fixtures.	\$500
C. H. Cronin	101 Pinckney street.	8	New fixtures.	900
Charles E. Baldwin	50 Appleton street.	7	New fixtures.	100
Victor Feinberg	2 Batavia street.	7	New fixtures.	1,100
Buerkel & Co., Inc.	775 Columbus avenue.	13	New fixtures.	1,500
Abraham M. Smith	1844 Dorchester avenue.	20	New fixtures.	15
H. Weiss	187 Glenway street.	19	New fixtures.	1,000
Jacob Pilvin	273 Huntington avenue.	7	New fixtures.	200
William S. Howe Company	180 Warren avenue.	7	New fixtures.	750
H. F. Bimbidel	11 Granfield avenue.	23	New fixtures.	1,100
H. F. Bimbidel	125 Hewlett street.	23	New fixtures.	400
A. and B. Feldman	121 North Beacon street.	26	New fixtures.	285
Robert Murray	19 Champney street.	26	New fixtures.	1,300
George C. Torngren	25 Tip Top street.	26	New fixtures.	700

AUGUST 22.

Kenneth P. Palmer	390 Weld street.	23	New fixtures.	\$1,200
Otto R. Schultes	1461 Tremont street.	14	New fixtures.	400
John A. Powers	88 Silver street.	9	New fixtures.	300
H. Weiss	280 Ruggles street.	14	New fixtures.	400
John A. Aitken	721 Huntington avenue.	14	New fixtures.	400
Rudolph O. Mahn	36 Bromley park.	15	New fixtures.	550

AUGUST 23.

Abraham Kellem	99 Windsor street.	13	New fixtures.	\$200
Abraham Kellem	216 Shawmut avenue.	6	New fixtures.	200
Joyce & Travers	161 Readville street.	24	New fixtures.	400
A. T. Hapenny	120 Readville street.	24	New fixtures.	250
James A. Cotter	114 Charles street.	8	New fixtures.	5,000
Joseph H. McCarthy	37 Brook avenue.	12	New fixtures.	100
John W. Slane	2 Bonad road.	23	New fixtures.	900
Terence F. Feeley	288 Bolton street.	9	New fixtures.	200

AUGUST 25.

T. W. Haley	20 Commonwealth avenue.	8	New fixtures.	\$250
J. F. Dolan	5 Ethel street.	23	New fixtures.	500
Edward O. Irving	405 Athens street.	9	New fixtures.	150
John J. Hogan	241 Bolton street.	9	New fixtures.	1,095
John I. Henderson	1567 Centre street.	23	New fixtures.	900
William F. McAuliffe	652 East Sixth street.	10	New fixtures.	300
Pierce & Cox	41-47 Franklin street.	5	New fixtures.	800
T. J. Clifford	19 Hudson street.	5	New fixtures.	125
Austin Arey	287 K street.	10	New fixtures.	365
Charles Lang	14 Newfield street.	23	New fixtures.	490
James A. Cotter	100 Pearl street.	5	New fixtures.	250
Albert E. Roberts	110 Tremont street.	5	New fixtures.	75
Thomas J. Lyons	176 Tremont street.	5	New fixtures.	240
F. D. Kirby	252-272 Tremont street.	5	New fixtures.	65,000
Edward H. Marchant	501 Washington street.	5	New fixtures.	300
Daniel M. Murphy	11 Wharf street.	5	New fixtures.	25
Morse Brothers Company	41 Winter street.	5	New fixtures.	150

AUGUST 26.

John Matlo	31 Waverly street.	26	New fixtures.	\$950
W. S. Emerson	60 Chestnut street.	4	New fixtures.	450
B. Martin	88 Willowood street.	21	New fixtures.	200
Bernard Clancy	125 Randolph road.	24	New fixtures.	800
Joseph Locke	31 Hazelton street.	21	New fixtures.	1,750
F. H. Densmore	53 Sanford street.	21	New fixtures.	1,150
H. F. Bimbidel	26 Mildred avenue.	21	New fixtures.	1,100
R. H. Hfman	839 Washington street.	21	New fixtures.	500
F. C. Lewis	409 Dudley street.	12	New fixtures.	300
Joseph P. Vogel & Son	673 Tremont street.	24	New fixtures.	7 80
P. F. Russo	387 Huntington avenue.	24	New fixtures.	540
Abraham Katz	35 Claymoss road.	25	New fixtures.	900
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David F. Mulcahy	13 Lincoln street.	26	New fixtures.	800
T. F. Hurley	716 West Roxbury Parkway.	23	New fixtures.	800

AUGUST 27.

K. W. McManus	24 Woodrow avenue.	21	New fixtures.	\$200
K. W. McManus	47 Norfolk street.	21	New fixtures.	450
Victor Feinberg	21 Fessenden street.	21	New fixtures.	1,200
Victor Feinberg	19 Fessenden street.	21	New fixtures.	1,200
E. J. Piotti	25 Vinton street.	11	New fixtures.	400
M. H. Myers	283 Bowen street.	10	New fixtures.	300
D. J. Rull	41 Moseley street.	11	New fixtures.	200
Massachusetts Sprinkler Plumbing and Heating Co.	251 Neponset avenue.	20	New fixtures.	1,000
J. P. Tancred	277 Dorchester street.	11	New fixtures.	300
Alexander Campbell	575 River street.	24	New fixtures.	350

MAYOR CURLEY WORKING HARD TO KEEP TAX RATE AT PRESENT FIGURE.

BUSY WITH BOARD OF ASSESSORS THOUGH RESULT OF EFFORTS WILL NOT BE KNOWN FOR NEXT TEN DAYS OR MORE—MAY BE FORCED TO MAKE SLIGHT INCREASE.

Mayor Curley and the Board of Assessors are busy at computation of the new municipal tax rate for the ensuing year but results will not be known for a week or ten days.

It is the hope of the Mayor that the new rate will be held to a figure very near the current \$24.70 rate per \$1,000 of valuation.

The Mayor is working hard to this end with Chairman Edward T. Kelly, Neal F. Holland and Joseph G. O'Malley, and with City Auditor Rupert S. Carven.

At a time when the rates in surrounding cities and towns show an upward tendency the maintaining of substantially the old rate in Boston is made possible by newly created values in commercial, industrial and domestic buildings since April 1, 1923, and by increases in valuation of long standing buildings, which the assessors think justified by real estate market conditions.

All the assessors' agents in the field have not yet completed their work, but the expectation is that readjustments of assessment figures on downtown retail and wholesale properties will afford the city from \$50,000,000 to \$60,000,000 in taxable values, which is about the average yearly increase.

Lively trading by operators along inner Boylston street in and about the Park square section, in Newbury street and for the whole swing of Massachusetts avenue from Beacon to Washington street, will in the opinion of the assessors, justify them in generally marking upward the values of the better properties situated in these trade centers.

One disappointment which will likely reflect itself in an increased rate, if such a contingency arises, is the failure of the Boston Elevated to pay any portion of the \$1,700,000 it still owes the city on account of the 1919 operating deficit. It has already returned the remainder of the \$2,900,000 then levied upon Boston as its share of the deficit burden. Last year \$790,000 was returned by the Elevated to the city on this account, and, up to a few

months ago, the hope was that at least half that sum could be paid this year.

The state authorities have made known to the assessors the sum the city is to receive this year from the state as its share of income taxes; this figure is about like that of a year ago, and does not promise to relieve the municipal problem much.

Balancing these unfavorable items, however, are the completion of several new building enterprises during the past year, thus making them available for full taxation as of April 1. Among these are the Park Square Building, the new Chamber of Commerce Building, the First National and Atlantic Banks, the Old Colony Trust Annex, the Beacon Trust, Boston Insurance Building, Edison plants at Boylston street and at First and L streets, South Boston, the Boston Elevated power plant in South Boston, the Province Building, the new Schrafft Building, the Harvey Building and those of Decatur & Hopkins, Harris, Forbes & Co. and, partially, the new office-theatre building at Hollis and Tremont streets.

Fully \$3,000,000 worth of new dwellings, most of the two and three family types, have been put up in Ward 23 (West Roxbury) in the past year, and the majority of these 500 structures will be subject to full taxation.

A lot of new values have been created, too, in Jamaica Plain dwellings and many of these are of the expensive single-family houses.

The general activity in the building of private and public garages all over the city during the past year has furnished additional taxable values.

The assessors were successful in bringing about 30,000 motor vehicles under municipal taxation a year ago, notwithstanding that many persons try one dodge or another to escape taxation. The prospect this season is that twice as many vehicles will be taxed, or about 60,000. The assessors intend "to go right after the automobilist" this year.

panied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, September 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for grading and concrete bleachers at the William Eustis Playground, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$4,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 17, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing fenders of the Chelsea Street Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, September 4, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for repairing foundation piling of the Chelsea Bridge North. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 10, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for recut granite block pavement in various downtown streets, city proper, as indicated in the accompanying advertisement. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$14,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for granite block pavement in Ramsey street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, September 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposal for grading in Harrishof street, from Warren street to Humboldt avenue, Roxbury; and Winton street, from Beech street about 640 feet southwesterly, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for remodelling the Fire Station, Engine House 27, Elm street, Charlestown. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 3, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing a public address system at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand, Boston Common. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, September 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing an amplifying system at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand, on Boston Common. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accom-

be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$600, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 9, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Wood avenue, from Seminole street about 335 feet northwesterly to existing sewer, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,900. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Stony brook, Section 10A, Stellman road, private land, Bradeen street, and Washington street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$70,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 580, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$7,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in P street, between Columbia road and East Sixth street, South Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, September 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Itasca street, from existing sewer 56 feet southwest of Courier street, about 400 feet southwest, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 9, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the selling to the city of land for an elementary school in the Thomas Gardner District, Allston, in the territory bounded by Market street, Western avenue, Mackin, Waverly, Portsmouth and Lawrence streets. All proposals must be submitted at or before Tuesday, August 26, at the offices of the Schoolhouse Commission. A public hearing will be held at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston, Tuesday, September 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the erecting and completion of an intermediate

school in the Samuel Adams District, Cottage and Gove streets, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$20,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, September 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for alterations, etc., to the building at 300 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, Lewis District. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 9 at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers (two compartment) in the new Dorchester High School for boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday September 3, at 12 m.

Bids close Friday September 26 at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

Advertises for proposals for furnishing equal sterilizers to the City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, September 5, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, August 28.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

John A. Reagan has been continued in employment as temporary clerk for a period of ten days, with compensation of \$4 a day.

BOSTON CONSERVATION BUREAU.

Morris Belkin has been appointed as laboratory assistant at \$200 a month. He succeeds J. K. Kenney.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium from August 5 to August 19:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Michael O'Keefe, male nurse (patient), \$480; Michael McNally, male nurse (patient), \$480; Donatille Aucoin, nurse, \$720; Anna O'Rourke, nurse, \$900; Margaret Murphy, maid, \$468; Annie Burke, laundress, \$480; Helen Clancy, assistant cook, \$420; Charles Rowan, choreman (patient), \$240; James Kernan, choreman (patient), \$240; Dennis Reagan, choreman (patient), \$240; Edward Ross, choreman (patient), \$480; Angelo Anzalone, choreman (patient), \$480.

Temporary.—Dennis Reagan, choreman (patient), \$240.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium; Edith Deeg, nurse, \$900; Gertrude Morrissey, clerk, temporary; \$1,040; Rose Ambrose, laundress, \$480; Margaret Murphy, assistant cook, \$420; Robert Heenan, choreman (patient), \$240; James Kernan, choreman (patient), \$240.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

James H. Murdough has been employed for a period not exceeding ten days as assistant engineer at \$1.50 an hour.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Hiram Averill, a veteran of the Civil War, employed in the Boston Fire Department as a painter since December 4, 1908, has reached the age of seventy-five years and has been retired.

Mary E. Millin has been appointed temporarily as janitress from August 18 to August 30, inclusive, at \$20 per week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Dr. Frederick W. Derby has been appointed as ophthalmologist for service in the Health Units, at \$2,000 a year.

The following persons have been approved as nurses in the service at \$1,400 a year:

Sadie Erskine, Mildred G. Terrell, Mary C. English, Lena B. Davis, Anna L. Sheehan, Josephine F. DeNers, Anna M. Fitzpatrick, Mary E. McLaughlin, Abbie B. Sheridan, Florence T. Elston, Anna M. Curley, Margaret L. O'Donnell, Katherine Ewing, Julia C. Kelley.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, August 21:

To Fill Vacancies, Permanent.—Laura Soulner, Olive Ferguson, Rose Walker, Mary Daly, Catherine Donovan, Florence Boyd, Catherine Creswell, Madeline Towle, Mary McArthur, Inez Wright, Helen Nuves, Abbie Sheridan, Mary Murphy, special nurses, \$35 a week; John Colbert, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Joseph C. Vickary, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Ellen Lyons, Elizabeth McLoughlin, Catherine Devine, Frances Stewart, ward maids, \$11.50 a week; Margaret Haggerty, ward maid, \$10 a week; Martin Burns, George Danielson, Arthur Grady, porters, \$17.50 a week; Georgie Neves, laundress, \$10 a week; Annie Maguire, Alfreda Duong, cleaners, \$11.50 a week; Mamie Williams, elevator woman, \$12 a week; Gaylord Leonard, house porter, \$11.50 a week.

Temporary.—Bridget McKenna, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Henry Renton, porter, \$17.50 a week; Lucy Johnson, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Walter Finnegan, ambu-

lance driver, \$30 a week; George J. Albricht, laundryman, \$21.50 a week; John Johnson, choreman, \$16 a week.

Changes and Increases are as follows.—Edgar Swendeman, kitchenman at \$15, to butcher's assistant, at \$16.

Correction.—Dr. H. Finkel, temporary assistant residential physician, read—employed at \$1,000 a year; should read employed at \$2,000 a year.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, August 21:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Dr. Rocco Bove, interne, \$600 a year, to succeed Thomas N. Willis, M. D.

Thomas Brady, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed William Geary.

Philip Collins, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed John W. McCormack.

Dr. Louis A. Blanchett, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Theresa Manning.

Edith M. Fleming, transferred from head nurse to operating room nurse, \$1,200 a year, to succeed Blanche I. Hayes.

Theresa Manning, transferred from attendant, to institution employee waitress, \$550 a year, to succeed Mildred Hunt.

The following increases in salary, included in the supplementary budget, have been allowed:

House of Correction.

Edward L. Kenney, receiving officer and nurse, \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year, dating from July 25, 1924.

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

Thomas A. Hughes, deckhand, temporary, \$27 a week.

Thomas F. Colbert, deckhand, temporary, \$27 a week.

Thomas H. Lyons, deckhand, transferred from "George A. Hibbard," \$27 a week, to succeed Edward J. Dolan.

Richard Plunkett, transferred from deckhand, to wharfinger, temporary, \$28.50 a week.

William Silinsky, oiler, \$33 to \$36 a week, dating from April 4, 1924.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been granted temporary employment for a period of about thirty days as gardening laborers, at \$4.50 a day:

James M. O'Rourke, Augustus P. Devaney, Henry J. King, John Dillon, Alfred T. Repucci, Joseph F. Riley, Thomas J. O'Connell, James E. Heffron, John D. Connors, M. Archileas Gouleas, Carl A. Jansen, Patrick J. Mahoney, William J. Muldoon, Albert J. Walter, James D. Carroll, John Reid, John Flynn, Angelo DeMarco, John A. Gallagher, Francis A. Donnelly, Patrick Thornton, Peter J. McKenzie, John Toosi, eter Wynne, Denis Moriarty, Charles L. Mellen.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Edward F. Murphy, division engineer of the Sewer and Sanitary Division, has been appointed as Acting Commissioner of Public Works, during the absence of the commissioner from the city from August 25, 1924, to September 8, 1924, inclusive.

Edward F. Murphy has been designated to act as Deputy Commissioner of Public Works for the period from September 1, 1924, to November 30, 1924, both dates inclusive.

BOSTON'S SCHOOL PROGRAM TO BE LARGELY COMPLETED BY OPENING TIME.

WORK HAS BEEN RUSHED DURING SUMMER SEASON, BY SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSION, SO RAPIDLY THAT EVERY PUPIL WILL HAVE A SEAT, AS MAYOR CURLEY HAS DESIRED.

When Boston schools open on September 9 for the year the School Department will have completed most of its huge building and repair program. This has extended over the entire vacation period.

All new structures will be completed in every detail and the renovation and repair work in progress throughout the city, will be finished before the opening date. Adherence to the slogan of the Mayor, "Accommodations" for every pupil," has already brought about this year the construction of the following school buildings.

Francis Parkman District, West Roxbury, four-room building on Northbourne road; Hugh O'Brien District, Roxbury, twelve-room building on Dudley street; Thomas Gardner District, Brighton, addition of nine rooms on Athol street; Julia Ward Howe District, Roxbury; Bennett District, Brighton; Theodore Lyman District, East Boston, eight-room building on Gove street.

The new buildings comprise a total of forty-one rooms, which the school authorities believe will very nearly take care of the increase in student population. As this increase each year is a matter which cannot be calculated correctly, the usual moving of the portable schoolhouses to districts where the demand warrants such action, will be made. During the summer twenty-six such houses have been moved at a cost of \$26,898 and altogether more than sixty will be put into use in the course of the coming school year.

The demand for more permanent

structures continues, however, and there are at present under construction an eight-room building in the Bennet District, Brighton, at Oakland and Faneuil streets; a sixteen-room building in the Roger Wolcott District at Harvard street and Blue Hill avenue; a four-room addition to the George T. Angell School in the Roxbury District; a new Roxbury High School on Townsend street, that will cost \$1,500,000; a four-room addition to the Theodore Roosevelt School in Roxbury; and a four-room addition, including kindergarten, for the Tileston District, Walk Hill street, Mattapan.

A contract for a new junior high school in the Mather District, Dorchester, at Charles street, will soon be awarded. This building will cost \$487,000. Plans are also under way for the construction of a junior high school in the Samuel Adams District, East Boston, at an approximate cost of \$700,000. This school will be located on the Cottage Street Playground.

Since the schools closed the Schoolhouse Department has been engaged in extensive repair work. The 257 different school buildings in the city have all received attention. More than 125 contractors have been engaged in the work and the absence of strikes or other labor troubles has expedited matters.

At the beginning of the year the School Department set aside \$1,147,592.89 for repairs and alterations. Of this amount \$105,000 was designated for administrative purposes and \$250,000 for segregated items.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Thomas P. McGann has been employed as temporary assistant drawtender at \$30.68 a week for four weeks, beginning August 20.

John H. Bockelman has been employed as inspector at \$1,600 a year, for thirty days, from August 18.

Carlton J. Bell has been granted an extension of temporary employment as rodman at \$18 a week.

Edward Hayes has been transferred from the Transit Department to this department as carpenter at \$5.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Harry T. Eldridge has been appointed inspector of new ferry drops and piers now under construction, with wages at \$6 a day, for a period of three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Francis H. Gurrie has been transferred from the Department of Administration and Finance as clerk at \$1,000 a year.

Thomas Hurley, Joseph P. Smith and John E. Murray have been appointed permanent teamster-laborers at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

William L. King and Francis A. Norton have been appointed permanent street cleaning inspectors at \$1,400 a year.

Edward F. Cummings has been continued in temporary employment as teamster at \$4.50 a day to September 18.

John J. Curtin and Patrick J. Hartigan, chauffeur-teamsters at \$27 a week, have been operating sprinklers, flushers and pick-up machines since June 13; and their salaries have been increased to \$33 a week from that date.

Simon Balinski has been appointed as temporary painter at \$5 a day, for sixty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Matthew J. McGovern, Henry M. McBride and Henry Jennings have been appointed as temporary sewer inspectors at \$1,400 a year for a period of three months.

Jeremiah F. Walsh has been appointed as ledgeman-laborer at \$4.50 a day, permanently.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Philip F. McMahon has been employed as permanent clerk at \$1,500 a year.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

Arthur Whalen has been granted an increase in salary from \$19 a week to \$23 a week.

Stephen Merrick, monotype runner, has been granted an increase in pay from \$10 a week to \$18 a week.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Mrs. M. Kenney has been employed as temporary cleaning woman during the absence for two weeks on vacation of the regular cleaning woman, at \$17 a week.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

George F. Murphy has been appointed draughtsman for three months at \$1,400 a year.

Hughes Richardson has been appointed rodman for three months, at \$1,100 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, August 28:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Emergency Work.—John Molley, engineer, 6 hours, \$4.86.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, August 21:

Renforth C. Bleakney, compositor, 3½ hours, \$4.58; Daniel L. Cadigan, 2½ hours, \$3.80; Emanuel J. DeFreitas, James J. Dolan, Christopher Fitzgerald, compositors, 1 hour, \$1.38 each; Isaac Kramer, compositor, 2½ hours, \$3.80; John F. Ward, compositor, 1 hour, \$1.38; Edward J. Stanton, proofreader, 3 hours, \$4.14. Total, \$21.84.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For week ending Monday, August 25:

First Assistant Drawtenders.—J. F. McKeon, W. M. Tracey, 1 day, \$4.66 each.

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. J. Delay, J. F. O'Neil, J. P. Stack, W. B. Thomas, J. J. Leonard, J. J. Skayhan, J. Cosgrove, W. L. Waterman, M. J. Fitzgerald, 1 day, \$4.38 each.

Total, \$48.74.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 25:

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Gateman.—Edward L. Bonner, 1½ days, \$7.88.

Machinist.—Arthur J. Manning, ¾ day, \$4.13.

Fireman.—Charles Desmond, ¾ day, \$3.75.

Total, \$24.01. Net cost for the week ending Monday, August 25, 1924, \$16.51.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 25:

Engineer.—John H. McGee, 1½ days, \$10.31.

Laborer.—Vincent Fallon, 1 day, \$4.50. Total, \$14.81.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 25:

Laborers.—W. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Stablemen.—J. Curran, T. J. Servis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Yard Laborer.—J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50.

Teamsters.—D. J. Dalton, J. Roche, J. M. Ryan, D. Shea, E. J. Tighe, ¾ day, \$3.38 each; G. Guiffredo, J. H. Holmes, C. S. Vilello, ½ day, \$2.25 each; C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$55.15.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 25:

Assistant Stationery Engineers.—William Brakker, John H. Mahoney, 2 days, \$14.33 each; John McCarthy, 3½ days, \$25.08.

Filth Hoist Man.—Patrick Keating, 2 days, \$12.

Oilers.—John F. Powell, 1½ days, \$9; John Farley, 3¼ days, \$22.50; Patrick Griffin, 5 days, \$30.

Coal Passers.—Patrick Keeley, ¾ day, \$3.50.

Watchmen.—Malachi Hanley, Timothy Driscoll, John Crowley, 2 days, \$9 each.

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, D. J. Collins, 1 day, \$5 each; John F. Graham, ½ day, \$2.50; Michael Neary, ¾ day, \$3.75; Stephen Manning, ¾ day, \$1.88; Thomas Byrne, ¾ day, \$1.78.

Teamster.—John McDonald, 1 day, \$4.50.

Laborers.—Peter King, Daniel McKenna, James F. McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Thomas Flaherty, Louis Brunetto, James McFarland, Thomas Duffy, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Edgar V. Sargent, Joseph E. Brown, ¾ day, \$1.69 each.

Total, \$225.03.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 25:

Teamsters.—T. Dahill, W. Doherty, B. Callahan, M. G. O'Connell, C. J. Crowley, C. McGonagle, J. P. Barnes, J. W. Collins, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, J. L. Kilmurray, J. T. O'Leary, B. J. Doherty, T. F. Graham, J. J. Donovan, E. F. Noonan, C. J. Sullivan, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, D. J. Callahan, F. Certosimo, G. H. Corcoran, J. J. Daley, M. Davis, J. P. Driscoll, M. Fallon, T. W. Fitzmorris, J. J. Hines, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, P. Keon, L. V. Kilduff, D. Kobyski, J. M. Kramer, 1 day, \$4.50 each; H. McFadden ½ day, \$2.25.

Total, \$155.25.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, August 25:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; M. Walsh, 1½ days, \$7.50; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—R. Welch, 2½ days, \$11.86;

A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. F. Daley, 1½ days, \$5.91; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; C. Driscoll, 2½ days, \$11.86; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Feeley, 4½ days, \$20.93; J. Williamson, 1 ½ days, \$4.90; W. Shields, 1½ days, \$5.16; G. Greer, 1½ days, \$5.16; P. Coleman, ¾ day, \$0.89; J. Glennon, ¾ day, \$0.94; J. Horgan, ¾ day, \$2.23; F. Cleveland, ¾ day, \$0.84; T. Rose, 1½ days, \$3.13; J. Dolan, ¾ day, \$2.81; B. McManus, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Blessington, ½ day, \$2.50; M. Matthews, 3¼ days, \$19.69; J. McLaughlin, 1½ days, \$2.91; M. Rizzo, 2½ days, \$13.36; M. Adley, ¾ day, \$1.88; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50; J. Gallagher, ¾ day, \$1.88; F. Kernan, ¾ day, \$1.69.

Laborers.—M. Barron, J. O'Toole, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; M. Connolly, B. Doherty, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, P. Mulkern, E. Pyne, J. M. O'Toole, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. McCaffrey, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Marianski, ¾ day, \$0.84; C. King, 2 days, \$9; J. Fenton, C. Duffy, 2½ days, \$9.28; N. DiEso, G. Gravelle, 2½ days, \$12.66; N. McGrail, ¾ day, \$1.69.

Total, \$313.95; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$308.45.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Upon August 20 the Mayor approved a contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for repairing sidewalk and flooring of Dorchester Avenue Bridge, over Fort Point channel. Bids, opened August 18, were as follows:

C. & R. Construction Company, \$8,598; A. Grande, \$8,438; W. H. Ellis & Son Company, \$9,360.25; William L. Miller Company, \$9,483; M. DeMatteo, \$9,765; W. A. Norton Company, \$9,938; Rendle Stoddard Company, \$9,994.25; Boston Construction Company, Inc., \$10,867.50; Luke S. White, Inc., \$12,392.75; P. A. Collieran, \$14,215.

Upon August 25 the Mayor approved a contract with the New England Foundation Company for building two piers for Dartmouth Street Bridge, over Boston & Albany Railroad. Bids, opened August 18, were as follows:

New England Foundation Company, Inc., \$16,480; Charles R. Gow Company, \$18,550; V. Barletta, \$18,560; Quincy & Hanson Construction Company, \$18,900; William Barrett & Co., \$19,000; S. J. Tomasello, \$21,800; Luke S. White, Inc., \$24,000; M. F. Gaddis, \$34,600.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Upon August 25 the Mayor approved a contract with The Atlantic Works, East Boston, Mass., for furnishing and installing ventilating system on ferryboat "Noddle Island." Bids, opened August 12, were as follows:

Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation, \$2,595; Atlantic Works, \$2,926.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 26, the Mayor approved a contract with the Alco Contracting Company for erecting and completing

(all trades) intermediate school in the Mather District. Bids, opened August 12, were as follows:

Alco Contracting Company, \$469,500; A. Piotti Company, \$484,029; Joseph Rugo, \$507,000; McDonald & Imhof, \$512,300; C. S. Cunningham & Sons Construction Company, \$525,700; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$527; John Bowen Company, \$548,800.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 25 the Mayor approved a contract with the Wayne Tank and Pump Company for gasoline equipment for the Public Works Department garage. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department, was as follows:

BOSTON, August 19, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

In the contract for the Public Works Department garage there was an item incorporated in the specifications calling for the expenditure of \$2,000 for the installation of gasoline equipment, air compressors, etc. There was selected for this work, as the lowest responsible bidder, the Wayne Tank and Pump Company. The equipment was installed in the garage and completed some time ago.

In order to facilitate its completion satisfactorily, it was decided to subtract this item from the main contract and award a separate contract to the Wayne Tank and Pump Company, the total bill being \$1,975.

The payment of this sum is being held up by the auditor's office on account of not having your permission to award a contract in excess of \$1,000.

It is respectfully requested, therefore, that your Honor approve contract with the Wayne Tank and Pump Company for \$1,975, without advertising, for gasoline, oil and air equipment installed in the new Albany street garage.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$7,500, on contract with Warren Brothers Company, for laying bitulithic pavement in Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester, on account of resetting edgestones, relaying brick sidewalks, and laying bitulithic pavement, on macadam foundation, in Angell street, from Blue Hill avenue to Canterbury street. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$129,236; total addition, \$7,500; contract as standing, \$136,736.

An addition, amounting to \$10, on contract with S. J. Tomasello for bitulithic pavement in Grove street, West Roxbury, on account of excavating below subgrade catch-basin and manhole. Original contract, \$57,859; total addition, \$10; contract as standing, \$57,869.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$125, on contract with De Cristofara & Brothers Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Cleveland circle, Sutherland road, Commonwealth ave. and Colonial road, Brighton, on account of assisting department masons in building four brick chambers; oiling gates; testing pipe line; and placing concrete piers back of 24-inch bends and caps. Original contract, \$16,912.50; total addition, \$125; contract as standing, \$17,037.50.

An addition, amounting to \$400, on contract with C. Russo for laying and relaying water pipes in Bismark, Germania La Grange streets, West Roxbury, Ruskin road, Hyde Park and Wabash street, Dorchester, on account of laying 240 feet of 12-inch pipe. Original contract, \$3,220; total addition, \$400; contract as standing, \$3,620.

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works, lands, rights and easements be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixes to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Brighton, bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Bostonia avenue, bounded:

East by the easterly line of said Bostonia avenue, twelve feet; south by another part of said avenue, eight hundred ninety-two and 4-100 feet; west by the same, twelve feet; and north by the same, eight hundred ninety-two and 4-100 feet, containing ten thousand seven hundred and four square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: Nine hundred linear feet of ten-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above-described premises, being part of the private way known as Bostonia avenue.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Bostonia avenue, including the lots at the corners of Breck avenue, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 572, Sewerage Works, Bostonia Avenue, Brighton, July 29, 1924, William J.

Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot	Amount.
1. John D. Sullivan	Nothing
2. Marie W. Sullivan	\$67 50
3. John D. Sullivan	67 50
4. Agnes Joyce	67 50
5. Wesley A. Kinney	67 50
6. Wesley A. Kinney	67 50
7. Wesley A. Kinney	67 50
8. Wesley A. Kinney	67 50
9. Wesley A. Kinney	67 50
10. Wesley A. Kinney	67 50
11. Wesley A. Kinney	67 50
12. David H. Wilbur and Lee Rogers,	67 50
13. David H. Wilbur and Lee Rogers,	67 50
14. David H. Wilbur and Lee Rogers,	67 50
15. David H. Wilbur and Lee Rogers,	67 50
16. David H. Wilbur and Lee Rogers,	67 50
17. Wesley A. Kinney	67 50
18. American Trust Company	Nothing
19. American Trust Company	15 00
20. American Trust Company	15 00
21. American Trust Company	15 00
22. American Trust Company	Nothing
23. American Trust Company	15 00
24. American Trust Company	15 00
25. American Trust Company	15 00
26. American Trust Company	15 00
27. American Trust Company	15 00
28. American Trust Company	15 00
29. American Trust Company	15 00
30. American Trust Company	15 00
31. American Trust Company	15 00
32. American Trust Company	15 00
33. American Trust Company	15 00
34. American Trust Company	15 00
35. American Trust Company	15 00
36. American Trust Company	15 00
37. American Trust Company	15 00
38. American Trust Company	15 00
39. American Trust Company	15 00
40. American Trust Company	15 00
41. American Trust Company	15 00
42. American Trust Company	15 00
43. Bertha E. Rattek	101 38
44. Wesley A. Kinney	67 50
45. Hugh Burns	67 50
46. Anna T. McCarthy	67 50
47. Frank H. Frisbee and Lena H. Frisbee	67 50
48. Frank H. Frisbee and Lena H. Frisbee	67 50
49. Thomas A. Connors	67 50
50. Wesley A. Kinney	67 50
51. John J. McNamara and Mary A. McNamara	67 50
52. Bridget McNamara	67 50
53. Wesley A. Kinney	67 50
54. Edward L. Stone, trustee, No-nantum Hill Trust	67 50
Total	\$2,283 88

BUILDINGS RAZED.

The Mayor, upon request of the Building Commissioner, has authorized the razing of the following structures as constituting fire menaces and nuisances.

To take down the building on premises 102 and 104 Gold street, Ward 9. The owner, F. K. Linscott of 60 Congress street, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 246 and 246A Athens street, Ward 10. The owner, the Stack Estate, care of John Stack, of 258 Athens street, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 361 Warren street, Ward 16. The owner, Herbert S. Marshall, of 1A Dale street, Roxbury, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the premises, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 167 and 167A C street, Ward 9. The owner, F. K. Linscott, of 60 Congress street, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint. Also, to vacate the premises in accordance with the provisions of section 4, chapter 550, Acts of 1907, as amended.

To take down the building on premises 125 Linden Park street, Ward 13. The owner, Martha A. Manning *et al.*, of 125 Linden Park street, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint. Also, to vacate the premises in accordance with the provisions of section 4, chapter 550, Acts of 1907, as amended.

To take down the building on premises 239 and 241 D street, Ward 9. The owner, Teresa E. Blue, of 181 Silver street, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 5 Gardner place, Ward 9. The owner, Walter P. McCleary of 28 School street, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 8 Kimball street, Ward 18. The owner, Theodore M. Logan of 474 West Broadway, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

DRISCOLL NAMED FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Francis J. Driscoll of 7 Copeland street, Roxbury, business agent of the Boston Plasterers' Union, has agreed to accept the nomination to civil service examination for the post of Superintendent of Public Buildings on the recommendation of the Building Trades Council and the Central Labor Union.

Driscoll is forty years old and was for many years in business with his father before he became agent of the Plasterers' Union. If he is accepted by the Civil Service Commission this will be his first city position. It carries with it a salary of \$4,500 a year.

This post has been vacant ever since the death in May of Fred J. Kneeland. The Mayor named P. Harry Jennings, business agent of the Central Labor Union, but he refused the nomination. Michael J. Reidy was the next nominee but he was rejected by the Civil Service Commission. The last nomination was that of city councilor James F. Moriarty, who turned down the appointment.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

M. DeSisto Company have been granted a further extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Alhambra road, Granfield avenue, Orange street, Roslindale avenue, Washington street, West Roxbury Parkway and Willow street, West Roxbury; also Lane park, Orchard road and Penniman road, Brighton, from September 1 to October 15, 1924, for the reason that additional work and ledge work has delayed the completion of the contract.

C. Russo has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Colorado street, from Currier street about 315 feet northeasterly, Dorchester, dated July 18, 1924, from August 30, 1924, to September 30, 1924 (30 days), on account of the fact that more solid ledge has been encountered than was anticipated.

The Rendle-Stoddard Construction Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for repairing ferry piers, dated June 18, 1924, from July 10, 1924, to September 18, 1924.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

William Barrett & Co. have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works in Mark street, from Day street, about 203 feet easterly, Roxbury. Items ordered: Build one standard man-hole at station 0+60 on surface drain at agreed upon price of seventy (70) dollars.

CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John B. Dolan has been ordered to make the following changes in contract for the municipal garage. Items ordered: Brick up door opening E with 12-inch wall and store the door where directed; brick up door opening J with 12-inch wall, the cost to be as follows: 4,770 common brick, \$333.90; 1,030 face brick, \$108.15; total, \$442.05. The sum of \$250 is to be allowed for door J.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Wood avenue, between Seminole street and a point 250 feet northerly, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of \$2,500.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Bostonia avenue, between Freck avenue and Regent road, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$4,295.

MAYOR CURLEY AWARDED PRIZES.

Mayor Curley was given the honor of awarding the prizes to the winners in the C. M. T. C. track and field meet at Camp Devens, Wednesday, August 27. The machine gun and infantry company competition and individual "best blue soldier" winners in the mornings competitions were announced by General Barnum at the final review of the 1924 camp Friday morning.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

DRAUGHTSMAN, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

There are two vacancies at a salary of \$2,100 a year.

The duties of this position include field investigations and surveys and charting and drafting of material so acquired.

DAIRY INSPECTOR SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

The entrance salary is \$1,400 per year. Applicants must be not less than twenty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants should have pursued sufficient study, including didactic, laboratory, and chemical or field instruction in veterinary medicine, animal husbandry, and dairying, to enable them to judge of the physical condition of the cows and to determine whether the sanitary conditions surrounding the production and handling of the milk, including the feeding of cows, are such as to endanger the quality thereof; and further, if any of the conditions are not up to the standard, the inspector should be competent to co-operate with the producer and improve them. He should be familiar with rules, regulations, and statutes applying to milk and dairy production.

The subjects of the examination, with their respective weights, will be as follows: Training and experience 6; report, 2; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 4; total, 15.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ENGINEER, SEPTEMBER 2, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year.

The duties of this position consist of general engineering work in connection with city planning studies. It is desirable that applicants have technical training in city planning work such as afforded by city planning courses in colleges or equivalent practical experience in city planning work. They should be familiar with the growth and development of the city planning movement in this country covering such matters as street planning, zoning, park and boulevard systems, recreational facilities and all other matters which logically pertain to city planning.

The subjects of the examinations with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; practical questions, 1; total, 2.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

PARK DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES PROGRAM OF SUMMER BAND CONCERTS.

The following is the complete list of band concerts submitted by Park Commissioners and approved by the Mayor:

Aug. 31. Boston Common. Gallo's Symphony Band.

Aug. 31. Franklin Park. Crook's Military Band.

Aug. 31. Marine Park. Letter Carriers' Band.

Aug. 31. McConnell Park. Ward's Band.

Aug. 31. World War Memorial Park. Farrell's Military Band.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 21 TO AUGUST 27.

AUGUST 21.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Dimitra Heras	1 Charin avenue	23	First-class garage	\$1,200
Edmund & Barbara Huyghe	80 Russett road	23	First-class garage	1,500
Anna Swartz	Rear of 14 Fabyan street	21	First-class garage	1,300
Donald A. McGillivray	Rear of 20 Leicester street	26	Second-class garage	1,400
John J. Harris	287 Washington street	19	Second-class storage	800
Thomas Boyle	Rear of 52 Stockton street	21	Second-class garage	1,000
H. Gordon & Sons	289 Belgrade avenue	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
H. Gordon & Sons	293 Belgrade avenue	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Nathan Goldberg	491 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, garage	8,000
Globe Newspaper Company	69 and 71-Devonshire street	5	Alterations, publishing	3,000
G. Danielson	37 Grove street	8	Alterations, apartments	500
Mary A. McIntyre	84 La Grange street	23	Alterations, dwelling	100
G. F. Walsh	176 Huntington avenue	7	Install elevator	4,500
G. F. Walsh	8 Cumberland street	7	Install elevator	4,500
Charles A. Hoyle	35 Newbury street	8	Install elevator	3,300
J. M. Sears	12 Arlington street	8	Alterations, elevator	1,000
Max Long	10 West Brookline street	6	Alterations, elevator	2,000
T. P. King, trustee	21 Elkins street	9	Install elevator	2,000

AUGUST 22.

John Stark	Rear of 421 East Sixth st.	10	First-class garage	\$1,000
Peter J. Akunevich	Rear of 820 East Sixth st.	10	First-class garage	4,000
James A. Delesky	Rear of 19 Sea View avenue	1	Second-class garage	800
John Chrehan	19 Fairview street	20	Third-class dwelling	7,000
E. C. Shaw	146 Lasell street	23	Third-class garage	200
Joseph Corman	23 Fessenden street	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Joseph Corman	25 Fessenden street	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
C. A. Richmond	480 Freeport street	20	Third-class storage	200
Jacob Haertl et al.	47 Stimson street	23	Third-class dwelling	8,000
Annie J. Sullivan	88 West Selden street	21	Third-class dwelling	9,000
Patrick Buckley	Rear of 1 Hillside avenue	22	Third-class garage	400
Peter Hendricks, Jr.	Rear of 17 Ashmont street	21	Third-class garage	600
Williams & Bangs, agents	2 and 4 Westland avenue	7	Alterations, apartments	800
Haynes Estate	3190 Washington street	22	Alterations, bakery	10,000
William Brooks Company	22-30 Woodrow avenue	21	Alterations, stores and tenements	300
Mrs. W. M. Buchanan	176 Mt. Hope street	23	Alterations, dwelling	800
Boston & Albany Railroad	85 Exeter street	7	Alterations, shop and offices	1,500
Herbert Johnson	104 Harrishof street	16	Alterations, dwelling	975
Philip J. Sondheim	1991-1995 Washington st.	6	Alterations, stores	2,000
J. Levine	15 Evelyn street	21	Move tool house	200
Everett L. Sanders	Rear of 1078 River street	24	Alterations, garage	300
David Weinstein	156 Ballou avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	260
American Building Wrecking Company	1 Garland street	6	Take-down, dwelling	25
American Building Wrecking Company	3 Garland street	6	Take-down, dwelling	25
American Building Wrecking Company	5 Garland street	6	Take-down, dwelling	25
American Building Wrecking Company	7 Garland street	6	Take-down, dwelling	35
American Building Wrecking Company	9 Garland street	6	Take-down, dwelling	35
American Building Wrecking Company	190 and 192 Shawmut ave.	6	Take-down, dwelling	75
Barry Buildin; Wrecking Company	62 West Fifth street	9	Take-down, dwelling	75

AUGUST 23.

Green Brothers Company	29 Southampton street	12	Special storage	\$2,000
Mary E. Lyons	Rear 70 Penfield street	23	Third-class garage	700
George Parker	28 Rockwell street	21	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Josephine M. Kelley	214 Stratford street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,000
August Reinhardt	Rear 134 Willow street	23	Third-class garage	500
Coleman Disposal Company	309 Southampton street	11	Alterations, receiving station	3,800
David W. Huntley	25 Irvington street	7	Alterations, garage	900
Leslie Hastings	101 Pinckney street	8	Alterations, dwelling	700
Edison Electric Illuminating Company	1131 Massachusetts avenue	11	Alterations, service station	128,000
National Coat and Apron Supply	Rear 1310 Columbus avenue	15	Alterations, laundry and garage	22,500
National Coat and Apron Supply	1310 Columbus avenue	15	Alterations, laundry	750
Frothingham Buildings	518 Washington street	5	Alterations, store	1,400
Frank Yonaitis	565 East Sixth street	10	Erect fire escape	175

AUGUST 25.

Ida Perlmut r.	Rear 12 and 14 Wilcock st.	21	First-class garage	\$1,000
Margaret V. Crosby	Rear 747 Saratoga street	1	First-class garage	2,000
Isaac Goldstein	Rear 148 Leyden street	1	First-class garage	1,000
Walters Brothers	3 Bardwell street	22	Third-class tenements	17,000
Max Cohen	38 Esmond street	1	Alterations, dwelling	4,000
Mrs. A. Aleppi	28 Leamington road	25	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Myer Berman	15 Waumbek street	16	Alterations, dwelling	600
Anagnos Brothers	Rear 1510 Dorchester ave.	20	Alterations, storage	2,000
Joseph Lauk	44 Maple street	16	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Edward H. and Joseph G. Madden	18 Chelsea street	4	Alterations, store and dwelling	6,000

AUGUST 26.

Joseph Gabrunas	Rear 153 P street	10	First-class garage	\$750
Federal District Trust	26-36 Federal street, 127-135 Congress street	5	First-class offices and bank	257,000
Flora Freeman	Rear 49 Humphreys street	11	First-class garage	1,000
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Dora Topol	Rear 8 Richfield street	17	First-class garage	1,650

BAND CONCERTS SCHEDULED.

The Park Department announces the following program of band concerts for Sunday, August 31:

McCONNELL PARK, SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 1924, 3.30 TO 5.30 P. M.

Ward's Band, Joseph M. Ward, Conductor.

1. March. "America the Beautiful." Missud
2. Overture. "Zampa." Herold
3. Selection. "The Red Mill." Herbert
4. Bouquet of Popular Airs. Remick
5. Fantasia. "My Old Kentucky Home." Belstedt
6. Selection. "Floradora." Stuart
7. Entr'acte. "Salut d'Amour." Elgar
8. Medley of Scotch Songs. Lampe
9. Grand Selection. "Cavalleria Rusticana." Massagni
10. Finale. "Cruiser Harward." Strube

WORLD WAR MEMORIAL PARK, SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 1924, 3.30 TO 5.30 P. M.

Farrell's Military Band.

1. March. "Curley for Governor." O'Brien
2. Overture. "Morning, Noon and Night." Suppe
3. Selection. "The Fortune Teller." Herbert
4. Waltz. "Blue Danube." Strauss
5. Selection. Popular Melodies. Selected
6. March. "American Patrol." Meacham
7. Waltz. "Old Times Waltz." Lake
8. "The Royal Vagabond." Cohan
9. March. "Second Connecticut." Reeves

MARINE PARK, SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 1924, 3.30 TO 5.30 P. M.

Boston Letter Carriers' Band, Frank Barone, Director.

1. "March of the 7th Regiment." Ventre
2. Overture. "Semiramide." Rossini
3. Selection from "Maytime." Romberg
4. Concert Waltz. "Girls of Baden." Konizak
5. Fantasia. "Carmen." G. Bizet
6. Popular Selections:
 - a. "After the Storm." Nelson
 - b. "Rose of Sunny Italy." Chapman
7. Hungarian Dances No. 5 and 6. Brahms
8. Songs of Uncle Sam. Hosmer

FRANKLIN PARK, SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 1924, 3.30 TO 5.30 P. M.

Crook's Military Band, G. D. Crook, Conductor.

1. "General Lejeune March." T. Branson
2. "Jubel" Overture. Weber
3. "Fortune Teller" Selection. V. Herbert
4. "Daughter of Love Waltz." C. Bennett
5. Irish Melodies. Special
6. "Cavalry Charge." Luders
7. "Old Times Waltz." Locke
8. "Rainbow Girl" Selection. Hirsch
9. "Ernani" Selection. Tobani
10. "Star-Spangled Banner."

BOSTON COMMON, SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 1924, 3.30 TO 5.30 P. M.

PART I.

1. "Symphonic March." Mancini
2. Overture. "Tannhauser." Wagner
3. "Gollywogs' Cake Walk" (from the "Childrens Corner"). Debussy
4. Selection from "Tosca." Puccini

PART II.

5. "Reve Angelique—Kamennoi Ostrov" (with chimes). Rubenstein
6. "The Millions of Arlequin." Drigo
7. Woodland Sketches. Macdowell
 - a. "To a Wild Rose."
 - b. "A Deserted Farm."
 - c. "Told at Sunset."
8. Overture Solenne. "1812." Tschaiakowsky

DAMAGES AWARDED.

John D. Sullivan and Mrs. Marie W. Sullivan have agreed to accept the sum of \$2,950, as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate on Breck avenue (land and building No. 38) by the laying out and construction of said avenue under the Street Commissioners' order of July 14, 1922.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 21 TO AUGUST 27.

AUGUST 26.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Rebecca Freedman	Rear 84 Brunswick street.	18	First-class garage.	\$1,000
A. A. Grastorf	Rear 847 East Fifth street.	10	First-class garage.	1,750
Arthur T. Howard	74 Falcon street.	1	First-class garage.	800
Celia Ellis	Rear 622 West Park street.	19	Second-class garage.	2,000
Thomas King	63 Brayton road.	25	Third-class dwelling.	1,000
George Maloof	4 Landseer terrace.	23	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
Mrs. R. C. Hatch	14 Brimmer street.	8	Erect elevator.	2,900
R. B. Brigham Estate	13 and 15 Beach street.	5	Erect elevator.	3,500
Boston Production Company	1-5 Winthrop square.	5	Erect dumbwaiter.	1,100
F. S. McAlister	3 Sunderland street.	16	Erect fire escape.	150
C. Delespio	7 Havre street.	2	Alterations, dwelling.	500
William Saidel	33 Holborn street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	5,000
Mrs. R. C. Hatch	14 Brimmer street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	1,800
Simon Opoian	17 Forest street.	12	Alterations, dwelling.	450
Mrs. Mary Conroy	12 and 14 Playstead road.	17	Alterations, dwelling.	300
German Workmen's Association	24 Amory avenue.	15	Alterations, club.	3,500
United Drug	43 Leon street.	7	Alterations, manufacturing.	2,000
Edison Illuminating Company	368 Stuart street.	7	Alterations, transformer station.	1,500
New Englan Contracting Company	6 Marlborough street.	8	Take-down, dwelling.	600
Julius Darish	Rear 271 Heath street.	14	Take-down, storage.	50
Julius Darish	269 Heath street.	14	Take-down, store.	50
Julius Darish	Rear 96 Albion street.	6	Take-down, dwelling.	50
Julius Darish	Rear 94 Albion street.	6	Take-down, dwelling.	50

AUGUST 27.

Mrs. James Croxon	Rear of 11 Isabella street.	7	First-class garage.	\$1,500
J. Dobrowski	Rear of 7 Richardson street.	26	First-class garage.	1,300
W. Granlund	2565 Centre street.	23	Second-class garage.	500
W. W. Lewis	Rear of 14 Albion street.	24	First-class garage.	1,100
Roswell G. Hall	22-30 Bowdoin street.	19	Second-class garage.	60,000
A. R. Atkinson	Rear of 48 Stow road.	21	Third-class garage.	200
G. R. Pugsley	Rear of 46 Stow road.	21	Third-class garage.	200
H. C. Keenan	Rear of 192 Poplar street.	23	Third-class garage.	400
B. E. Benson	Rear of 72 Perthshire road.	26	Third-class garage.	500
Samuel Edelstein	Rear of 12 Lincoln road.	21	Third-class garage.	90
Gordon Harnsworth	Rear of 69 Lasell street.	23	Third-class garage.	400
Charles D. P. Desmond	350 Vermont street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	5,000
Christopher Ausin	87 Newburg street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	9,000
Elizabeth A. Regan	60 Matchett street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	5,000
Maud E. Emerson	25 Lochstead avenue.	25	Third-class dwelling.	18,000
Leo A. Reardon	256 Fuller street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	7,000
Anna L. Cohen	255 Talbot avenue.	21	Move cobbler shop.	100
Savatore Mucci	21 Sumner street.	2	Alterations, store and dwelling.	800
Charles Bolner	9 Schuyler street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Elmer Jacobson	89 Humboldt avenue.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	150
Tony Magin	667 Massachusetts avenue.	12	Alterations, tenements.	400
Arthur Woodward	109 and 111 Walter street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	300
J. Levine	Moved from 1284 Blue Hill avenue to 15 Evelyn st.	21	Move and alter dwelling.	1,000

LAND TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Johnswood road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Prospect avenue to Prospect avenue, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Johnswood road is hereby laid out, from Prospect avenue to Prospect avenue, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is taken in the following described land exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A part of a parcel of land, now or formerly owned by Mary E. McCullough and Ida M. Hodson, T. T., situated on the easterly side of Johnswood road, about 135 feet south of Prospect avenue, containing three hundred seventy-three square feet, more or less.

The land, owners unknown, running from Prospect avenue to Prospect avenue, now known as Johnswood road.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said highway is bounded and described as follows:

Westerly Arm.—North by Prospect avenue, fifty-nine and 67-100 feet; east by the easterly line of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, by seven measurements, twelve and 10-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius, two hundred forty-three and 94-100 feet, sixty-two and 61-100 feet on a curve of one hundred and two feet radius, one hundred and two feet, one hundred five and 91-100 feet on a curve of six hundred ninety-three and 54-100 feet radius, one hundred thirty-seven and 2-100 feet and twelve and 87-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius; southeast by the southerly arm of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, fifty-four and 82-100 feet; and west by the westerly line of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, by six measurements, one hundred seventy-four and 50-100 feet, ninety-nine and 81-100 feet on a curve of six hundred fifty-three and 54-100 feet radius, one hundred and two feet, eighty-seven and 16-100 feet on a curve of one hundred and forty-two feet radius, two hundred twenty-five and 75-100 feet and thirteen and 6-100 feet on a curve of six and 91-100 feet radius.

Southerly Arm.—Northwest by the westerly arm of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, fifty-four and 82-100 feet; south by the southerly line of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, two hundred fifty and 3-100 feet; northeast by the easterly arm of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, seventy-nine and 20-100

feet; and north by the northerly line of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, one hundred forty-four and 19-100 feet.

Easterly Arm.—Southwest by the southerly arm of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, seventy-nine and 20-100 feet; westerly line of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, by three measurements, twenty and 86-100 feet on a curve of eleven and 25-100 feet radius, one hundred seventy-six and 17-100 feet and two hundred thirty-eight and 67-100 feet on a curve of nine hundred twenty-seven and 12-100 feet radius; south by the southerly line of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, by three measurements, ninety-seven and 56-100 feet on a curve of eighty and 16-100 feet radius, thirty-two and 31-100 feet and forty-three and 79-100 feet on a curve of thirty-six and 31-100 feet radius; west by the westerly arm of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, one hundred nine and 85-100 feet; north by the northerly line of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, by three measurements, fifty-six and 2-100 feet on a curve of twenty-eight and 94-100 feet radius, forty-four and 45-100 feet on a curve of one hundred twenty and 16-100 feet radius and one hundred one and 80-100 feet on a curve of one hundred twenty and 16-100 feet radius; and east by the easterly line of said Johnswood road as hereby laid out, by two measurements, two hundred forty-eight and 97-100 feet on a curve of nine hundred sixty-seven and 12-100 feet radius and two hundred forty-four and 52-100 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the abutting lots of land on Johnswood road, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Johnswood road, West Roxbury, Assessment Plan, May 31, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying Out Department," and on file, in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Eugene A. Reilly and Catherine E. Reilly	\$376 14
2. May E. McCullough	293 76
3. Winnifred B. Rice	424 80
4. Josephine Lavache	232 92
5. Sarah G. Donahue	186 90
6. Bridget A. Dolan	203 22
7. Patrick Byrne	234 60
8. Patrick Byrne	270 30
9. George F. Tutty and Ella Mary Tutty	245 10
10. Antonio Garofalo	233 10
11. Thomas B. Croff	224 52
12. Bernard J. Rothwell	211 50
13. Mary A. Connelly	332 70
15. Ernestine I. Varney	201 60
16. Mary E. Fitzpatrick	210 00
17. Mary Gagon	210 00
18. Arthur J. Trethewey	210 00
19. Peter McDonald, City of Boston, T. T.	207 60
20. Selma Johnson	408 02
21. Patrick Byrne	252 00
22. Patrick Byrne	252 00
23. Archer B. Chadwick	248 70
24. Philip J. McLaughlin	313 60
25. Florence M. Maloney	287 28
26. Peter C. Ulrich	263 76
27. Katherine M. Dowd	277 38
28. Patrick F. Towle	331 14
29. John E. York, Edith York, Louisa J. York, Katherine H. York and Gladys M. York	172 80
30. John Edmund York	229 20
31. Mary C. Cataldo	253 20
32. William P. Connors and Margaret C. Connors	252 00
33. Catherine Lynch	271 02
34. Catherine Lynch	251 10
35. Marion D. Maloney	213 90
36. Marion D. Maloney	219 36
37. Mary A. Glover	219 00
38. Anna E. Maloney	341 70
39. Louise W. Moody	306 00
40. Celia G. Hurley	233 40

Lot.	Amount.
41. Dennis J. Maloney	\$197 82
42. Richard J. Learson	198 18
43. Catherine Lynch	275 70
44. Catherine Lynch	282 00
45. Hilma E. Blake	288 00
46. Mary A. Kelly	253 20
47. Mary C. Cataldo	255 84
Total	\$11,856 08

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned person sustains damages in her estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Johnswood road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Prospect avenue to Prospect avenue, under the order of the Board, in the amount hereinafter mentioned, and awards said amount therefor.

Mary E. McCullough, Ida M. Hodson,
T. T., 373 square feet..... \$50 00

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

M. DeSisto Company have been directed to omit and add the following work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Alhambra road, Granfield avenue, Orange street, Roslindale avenue, Washington street, West Roxbury Parkway, and Willow street, West Roxbury, also Lane park, Orchard road and Penniman road, Brighton. Items ordered: Omit 330 feet 12-inch pipe in West Roxbury Parkway, \$412.50. Add 520 feet 8-inch pipe in Alhambra road, \$520. Estimated net cost of additional work, \$107.50.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing concrete pavement in Ayer road, Dalkeith, Standard, etc., streets. Items ordered: Construct with concrete pavement, Blackwell street, from Neponset avenue to Bowman street, and Bowman street, from Blackwell street to Chickatawbut street. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work: Blackwell street, \$5,373; Boynton street, \$8,659; total, \$14,032.

J. A. Singarella has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying concrete pavement in Centre street, from John Eliot square to Columbus avenue. Items ordered: Set edgestone, lay artificial stone sidewalks and relay gutters in Leonard street, from Duncan street to Clayton street. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$3,000.

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has allowed the following claims:

Anna Weissman, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Nashua street, near Causeway street, opposite rear entrance of Hotel Lucerne, on January 10, 1924.

Oscar Sternman, in the sum of \$1,200, in an action to recover for breach of contract in connection with removal of buildings on Cherry street, by order of the Park Department ordering wrecking to stop at Cherry Street Playground site, May 10, 1923.

BOSTON POLICE INSTRUCTED AS TO CHANGES IN MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS AND HIGHWAY RULES.

The Police Department has issued the following announced changes in highway rules and regulations.

CITY OF BOSTON — POLICE DEPARTMENT (ALL DIVISIONS AND UNITS.)

Boston, August 27, 1924.

For the information of the department the Police Commissioner forwards this day to each division and unit two copies of amendments, which have been passed this year by the General Court, to chapters 85 and 90 of the General Laws.

That these copies may be of the fullest service, it would be advisable that one be posted in a place where it may be easily read by officers in each division and unit.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Police Commissioner.

ACTS OF 1924, CHAPTER 296.

(General Laws, Chapter 85, Section 10A.)

"Selectmen in towns, and the aldermen or other board or officer having charge of ways in cities, may by regulation designate certain ways or parts of ways, other than state highways, upon which and the hours during which coasting may be permitted and may in like manner regulate the use of such ways by vehicles during such hours."

In effect July 26, 1924.

CHANGES IN MOTOR VEHICLE LAW, 1924.

ACTS OF 1924, CHAPTER 183.

(Motor Vehicle Law, Chapter 90, General Laws, Section 24.)

" . . . or whoever loans or knowingly permits his license to operate motor vehicles to be used by another person, or whoever makes false statements in an application for such a license or falsely impersonates the person named in such an application, shall be punished . . . by (\$20 to \$200 fine or prison for 2 weeks to 2 years or both).

In effect July 1, 1924.

ACTS OF 1924, CHAPTER 189.

(Motor Vehicle Law, Chapter 90, General Laws, Section 1.)

" . . . provided that any such resident who owns a commercial motor

vehicle which is operated in the Commonwealth for more than thirty days in the year shall not, as to such vehicle, be deemed a non-resident."

In effect July 3, 1924.

ACTS OF 1924, CHAPTER 224:

Motor Vehicle Law, Chapter 90, General Laws, Section 2.)

"The horsepower or carrying capacity of every motor vehicle or trailer sought to be registered shall be determined by the division, and its determination shall be final and conclusive."

In effect July 10, 1924.

ACTS OF 1924, CHAPTER 364.

(Motor Vehicle Law, Chapter 90, General Laws, Section 29.)

"The chief officer of the police department of every city and town and the chairman of the selectmen of such towns as have no regular police department shall notify the registrar forthwith, upon blanks furnished by him, of the particulars of every accident referred to in section twenty-six which happens within the limits of his city or town in which a motor vehicle is involved, together with such further information relative to such accident as the registrar may require, and shall also, if possible, ascertain the name of the person operating such vehicle and notify the registrar of the same."

In effect August 15, 1924.

(This is embodied in section 29, Acts of 1924.) See page 3 (chapter 498).

ACTS OF 1924, CHAPTER 379.

(General Laws, Chapter 90, Section 32.) (Entire New Section 32.)

"Every manufacturer of and dealer in motor vehicles, and every owner, proprietor, person in control or keeper of a garage, and, in the city of Boston, every owner, proprietor, person in control or keeper of an open air parking space kept open with attendants day and night for the storage or keeping for hire of motor vehicles, shall keep or cause to be kept in a book a proper record of every motor vehicle which enters and which leaves his garage, stable, shop or place of business. Said book shall have columns and headings substantially as follows:

DATE.	REGISTER NUMBER AND LETTER, IF ANY.	TIME OF ENTERING GARAGE OR OTHER PLACE.		TIME OF LEAVING GARAGE OR OTHER PLACE.		OPERATOR'S OR CHAUFFEUR'S NAME.
		A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	

All entries in said book shall be made legibly in ink or with an indelible pencil. The said book shall be kept in some convenient place and shall be open at all times to the inspection of the registrar and his agents and of any police officer or constable."

In effect August 19, 1924.

ACTS OF 1924, CHAPTER 427.

(Motor Vehicle Law, Chapter 90, General Laws, Section 2.)

"Upon the transfer of ownership of any motor vehicle or trailer its registration shall expire, and the person in whose name

such motor vehicle or trailer is registered shall forthwith return the certificate of registration to the registrar with a written notice containing the date of the transfer of ownership and the name, place of residence and address of the new owner; provided, that on the death of an owner of a motor vehicle or trailer its registration shall be deemed to continue in force as a valid registration until the end of the year or until the ownership of such motor vehicle or trailer is transferred by the executor or administrator of the estate of such owner whichever occurs first."

In effect August 27, 1924.

ACTS OF 1924, CHAPTER 457.
(Motor Vehicle Law, Chapter 90, General
Laws, Section 31A.) (Entire New
Section 31A.)

"The division after a public hearing may make, and may alter, rescind or add to, rules and regulations for the reasonable and proper control and regulation of the transportation by motor vehicle of personal property over the ways of this Commonwealth, except ways under the control of the metropolitan district commission. Said rules and regulations shall cover, among other matters which the division may deem necessary or desirable, the fixing of routes with respect to the physical capacity of such ways to carry traffic; the establishment of the maximum weight of loads per commercial motor vehicle and per inch of tire in contact with the surface of such ways; the maximum dimensions of loads; and the regulation of the rate of speed of such vehicles over such ways. Said rules and regulations and any changes therein shall be subject to approval, and shall take effect, in the manner provided by section six of chapter sixteen. Any person convicted of a violation of any rule or regulation made under this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty-five dollars, and in case of a second or subsequent offence the registration of the vehicle or vehicles involved shall be suspended for such length of time as the division may determine."

In effect September 2, 1924.

ACTS OF 1924, CHAPTER 498.
(Motor Vehicle Law, Chapter 90, General
Laws, Section 29.) (Entire New
Section 29.)

"The registrar shall appoint competent persons to act as investigators and examiners, may remove them for cause, and may determine their compensation and terms of service and define their duties. He may also appoint, for cause, remove and fix the compensation of, a deputy registrar and may delegate to such deputy the performance of any duty imposed upon the registrar by any provision of this chapter. Said inspectors and examiners, with respect to the enforcement of the laws relating to motor vehicles, shall have and exercise throughout the commonwealth all the powers of constables, except the service of civil process, and of police officers, including the power to arrest any person who violates any provision of this chapter, and they may serve all processes lawfully issued by the courts, the division or the registrar. The registrar may investigate the cause of any accident in which any motor vehicle is involved, and for this purpose may send his investigators into other states. The selectmen of any town and the mayor of any city of less than one hundred thousand inhabitants where there is no police commission or police commissioner, and the police commission or police commissioner, when such exist, of any such city, may appoint special constables, who shall serve without cost to such city or town and who shall have all the powers of police officers and constables in relation to the enforcement of all laws and regulations concerning motor vehicles. The chief officer of the police department of every city and town and the chairman of the selectmen of such towns as have no regular police department shall notify the

registrar forthwith, upon blanks furnished by him, of the particulars of every accident referred to in section twenty-six which happens within the limits of his city or town in which a motor vehicle is involved, together with such further information relative to such accident as the registrar may require, and shall also, if possible, ascertain the name of the person operating such vehicle and notify the registrar of the same. Every such officer, upon the request of the registrar, shall demand forthwith the license of any operator and the certificate of registration and number plates of any motor vehicle situated within the city or town where such officer resides when said license or certificate has been suspended or revoked by

the registrar, and shall forward the same to the registrar. Whenever the death of any person results from any such accident, the registrar shall suspend forthwith the license of the person operating the motor vehicle involved in said accident, and shall order the said license to be delivered to him; and the registrar shall revoke the same unless, upon investigation and after a hearing, he determines that the accident occurred without serious fault upon the part of the operator or chauffeur of such motor vehicle. No operator whose license is revoked under this section shall be licensed again within six months after the date of the suspension, nor thereafter except in the discretion of the registrar." (Emergency law.) *In effect June 5, 1924.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO MANUFACTURERS OF STEEL LOCKERS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and setting up two compartment steel lockers in the New Dorchester High School for Boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday noon, September 3, 1924. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, September 26, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(Aug. 30.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN STONY BROOK, SECTION 10A STELLMAN ROAD, PRIVATE LAND, BRADEEN STREET AND WASHINGTON STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Stony Brook, Section 10A Stellman road, private land, Braden street and Washington street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seventy thousand (70,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Stony Brook, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, September 3, 1924, with a certified check for seven thousand (7,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.*

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 14. (Aug. 30.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING FOUNDATION PILING, CHELSEA BRIDGE NORTH.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing foundation piling, Chelsea Bridge North, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eight hundred (800) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Chelsea Bridge North," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Wednesday, September 10, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.*

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 28. (Aug. 30.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING IN HARRISHOF STREET, FROM WARREN STREET TO HUMBOLDT AVENUE, ROXBURY; AND WINTON STREET, FROM BEECH STREET ABOUT 640 FEET SOUTHWESTERLY, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for grading in Harrishof street, from Warren street to Humboldt avenue, Roxbury; and Winton street, from Beech street about 640 feet southwesterly, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Grading Harrishof Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, September 9, 1924, with a certified check for six hundred (600) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.*

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 28, 1924. (Aug. 30.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN ITASCA STREET, FROM EXISTING SEWER 36 FEET SOUTH OF CURRIER STREET ABOUT 400 FEET SOUTHWESTERLY, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Itasca street, from existing sewer 36 feet southwest of Currier street about 400 feet southwesterly, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eighteen hundred (1,800) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Itasca Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, September 9, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 28, 1924. (Aug. 30.)

CITY OF BOSTON

PARK DEPARTMENT

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING AN AMPLIFYING SYSTEM AT THE PARKMAN MEMORIAL BANDSTAND ON BOSTON COMMON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for furnishing and installing an amplifying system at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand on Boston Common. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the Engineer's Office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope sealed and marked, "For Furnishing and Installing an Amplifying System at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand on Boston Common," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, September 11, 1924, at the office of the Park Department with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$3,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(Aug. 30-Sept. 6.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REMODELING FIRE STATION.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for remodeling Engine House 27, Elm street, Charlestown, and giving bond of a surety company therefor in the sum of 25 per cent of proposal. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioner, signed by the bidder and left before 12 m., September 3, 1924, at the office of the Fire Commissioner, Bristol street, Boston, with a certified check of \$200, payable to the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time mentioned for the opening of the bids. Proposals must be marked "Proposal for Remodeling Engine House 27." The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids. A deposit of \$10 in cash will be required for each set of drawings and specifications taken for estimating purposes from the office of the Commissioner and obtainable at said office on August 27, 1924, such sum to be refunded provided the drawings and specifications are returned.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.
(Aug. 30.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN RAMSEY STREET, FROM DUDLEY STREET TO HAMLET STREET, ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for granite block pavement in Ramsey street, from Dudley street to Hamlet street, Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Granite Block Pavement, Ramsey Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, September 8, 1924, with a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 28, 1924. (Aug. 30.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING A PUBLIC ADDRESS SYSTEM, PARKMAN MEMORIAL BANDSTAND, BOSTON COMMON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invite proposals for furnishing and installing a public address system, Parkman Memorial Bandstand on Boston Common. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the Engineer's Office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "For Furnishing and Installing a Public Address System, Parkman Memorial Bandstand, Boston Common," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, September 11, 1924, at the office of the Park Department with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(Aug. 30-Sept. 6.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR STERILIZERS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing forty Pelton, or equal, sterilizers to the Boston City Hospital as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out will be received at the above office until 12 noon, Friday, September 5, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the City. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(Aug. 30.)

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for alteration, etc., to the building at 300 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, Lewis District, giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Board therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, 1007 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, September 9, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$5,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(Aug. 30.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN P STREET, BETWEEN COLUMBIA ROAD AND EAST SIXTH STREET, SOUTH BOSTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in P street, between Columbia road and East Sixth street, South Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in P Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, September 5, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, August 28, 1924. (Aug. 30.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND CONCRETE BLEACHERS AT THE WILLIAM EUSTIS PLAYGROUND, ROXBURY.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for grading and concrete bleachers at the William Eustis Playground, Roxbury. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Concrete Bleachers at the William Eustis Playground, Roxbury," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, September 17, 1924, at the office of the Park Department with a certified check for \$4,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$20,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(Aug. 30-Sept. 6-13.) Commissioners.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending August 23, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 137; nonresidents, 29; total, 166.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 11.15; nonresidents deducted, 9.20.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 11.61; corresponding week last year, 11.47.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 24; one year to five years, inclusive, 10; sixty years and over, 62; total deaths: male, 90; female, 76; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 89; deaths of colored, 7.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended August 23, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended August 25, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	5	1	1	1
Diphtheria.....	28	—	52	1
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	1	1
Influenza.....	—	—	1	—
Measles.....	18	—	14	1
Meningitis epidemic.....	2	—	—	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	2	3	10	4
Scarlet fever.....	13	—	15	4
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	27	12	36	8
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	6	2	3	—
Typhoid fever.....	1	—	3	—
Whooping cough.....	11	1	12	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, August 18, 1924.

Special meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Lane.

The Clerk read the call for the meeting, viz.:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, August 15, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—A number of important building projects, many of which have been under consideration for a considerable period of time, are delayed because of the failure of the City Council to adopt the necessary loan orders to make possible the widening of Tremont and Kneeland streets.

The adoption of these orders is important for the improvement of traffic conditions and the growth of the city, and you are respectfully requested to be present at a special meeting of the City Council to be held on Monday, August 18, 1924, at 2 p. m., for the consideration of the street widening projects and such other business as may come before your honorable body.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with law (the Mayor not being present), viz.:

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, First Session, to appear September 3, 1924:

James E. Miller, Ward 1; Charles E. Murphy, Ward 1; Harry T. Silvey, Ward 1; John W. Welsh, Ward 1; William Burke, Ward 4; George F. McConagley, Ward 4; Daniel J. Quirke, Ward 5; Boleslaw Johnson, Ward 6; John J. Taylor, Ward 7; Austin Ford, Ward 7; George H. Peters, Ward 7; Richard L. Gorman, Ward 8; Charles W. Haggood, Ward 8; William N. Pascoe, Ward 8; Morton Peabody Prince, Ward 8; John E. Cronin, Ward 12; John Hanrahan, Ward 13; Charles F. Kerrigan, Ward 13; Henry O. Wright, Ward 13; Henry J. Blaney, Ward 14; Joseph P. Ryan, Ward 15; John E. Varley, Jr., Ward 15; Ray Benjamin, Ward 16; Thomas E. Masterson, Ward 16; Augustine A. Murray, Ward 16; George F. Simmons, Ward 17; Charles K. Farrington, Ward 18; George W. Madden, Ward 19; Richard A. Clayton, Ward 20; George Horenstein, Ward 20; John W. Morrill, Ward 20; Charles H. Maloney, Ward 21; John O. Walsh, Ward 22; Henry C. Auderer, Ward 23; Aloysius B. Wessling, Ward 23; William H. Bailey,

Ward 24; Albert J. Carter, Ward 24; Ernest D. Dolan, Ward 24; Thomas D. Faherty, Ward 24; William I. Monroe, Ward 25.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Walter A. Abbt, for compensation for damage to automobile at corner of Townsend and Washington streets by city truck.

Luigi Abruzzese, for compensation for damage to automobile on East Boston Ferry.

James J. Ahern, for compensation for damage to clothing on East Boston Ferry.

Albany Carpet Cleaning Company, for compensation for damage to truck on East Boston Ferry.

Sebastian Aloji, for compensation for personal injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Cesare Angiulo, for compensation for damage to building at 95 Prince street, caused by defective sewage.

Julius Brayman, for compensation for damage to automobile at corner of Warren and Dudley streets, caused by city team.

Joe Burggio, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Mary Burke, for compensation for damage to furniture at 24 Olmstead street, caused by city men spraying bushes.

M. J. Catro, for compensation for damage to clothing on East Boston Ferry.

Charles Chiarenzo, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Giuseppe Cinque, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Eugene DeFrancesco, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Adolphus L. DeRoche, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Mrs. Angie DiPasquale, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 39 Norman street.

M. E. Doherty, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Columbia road and Uphams Corner.

Salvatore Giulisino, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Rachel Goff, for compensation for loss of clothing from L Street Bath House.

Jacob Goldberg, for compensation for damage to automobile on East Boston Ferry.

Hyman Klayman, for refund on fee paid for lighting in public hall at 64 Canterbury street.

Mrs. Mary A. Larkin, for compensation for damage to garden at 33 Capen street, Dorchester, caused by spraying department.

Daniel Larusso, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Jacob Levin, for refund on building permit at 19 Ormond street.

Annie Lipman, for compensation for injuries received at 113 Brighton street, caused by an alleged defect in sidewalk.

John LePresti, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Charles Marotti, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Michael Martarano, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

George B. Meltzer, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Edgar A. Meserve, for compensation for damage to automobile on Sudbury street, caused by city truck.

James H. Mullen, for compensation for injuries and damage to clothing on East Boston Ferry.

Charles Palladino, for compensation for injuries caused by defective raft at North End Park.

Louis Pinansky, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 28 Tremont row.

Giuseppina Quarinta, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

James Rindoni, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Mary E. Roop, for refund on bill paid for repairs on drain at 10 Paris street, East Boston.

C. Rosenberg, for refund on fee paid for lighting in public hall at 79 Pilgrim road and 206 Riverway.

James Signorino, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Morton L. Smith, for compensation for damage to automobile on East Boston Ferry.

Joseph Sorrento, for compensation for injuries sustained on East Boston Ferry.

Mrs. Jennie Tedesco, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 68 Webster street.

Gladys M. West, for compensation for damage to dress caused by cobblestones piled on Essex street.

Laura West, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Tremont and Camden streets.

Williams & Bangs, for compensation for broken plate glass in Winthrop Building, caused by defect in Water street.

William F. Witheycombe, for compensation for car destroyed by fire started by employees of Park Department, on Charles street.

RAILWAY LOCATION.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of granting of railway location to the Boston Elevated Railway Company on Massachusetts avenue, 40th location.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS CONFIRMED.

The President called up No. 1 on the calendar, unfinished business, viz.:

1. Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor August 11, 1924, of John P. Shepard and Bernard M. Mullen, to be Constables, and Albert J. Dyer, to be a Weigher of Coal.

The appointments were confirmed, yeas 7, nays 0.

ABANDONMENT OF EASEMENT.

The President called up No. 2 on the calendar, unfinished business, viz.:

2. Whereas, the City of Boston, by order of the Board of Aldermen, passed July 5, 1893, and approved by the Mayor July 6, 1892, took for the purpose of laying a main drain or common sewer, a strip of land on Rockwell street, owned by J. Lowell Parker, four feet wide, and containing approximately five hundred and fifty-three square feet; and

Whereas, the Commissioner of Public Works now having charge of said land has notified the City Council that a portion of the same is no longer required for public purposes,

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, in accordance with section 15 of chapter 40 of the General Laws, and for a nominal consideration, to execute an instrument abandoning the rights acquired by said taking in the two-foot strip along the westerly side of said parcel, the strip to be abandoned, being shown on a plan made by William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer of the Street Laying-Out Department, dated August 4, 1924.

On August 4, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was read a second time and again passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, submitted a report recommending

the passage of an order for the payment of aid to soldiers and sailors and their families in the City of Boston for the month of August, 1924.

Report accepted; order passed.

ORDINANCE CONCERNING ADVERTISING SIGNS.

Coun. WATSON offered the following:

An Ordinance Relative to Advertising Signs.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

No person, firm, association or corporation shall post, erect, display or maintain on any public way or on private property within public view from any highway, public park or reservation any billboard or other advertising device which advertises or calls attention to any business, article, substance or any other thing, provided, however, that this prohibition shall not apply to signs or other devices erected and maintained in conformity with law, and which advertise or indicate either the person occupying the premises in question or the business transacted thereon, or advertise the property itself or any part thereof as for sale or to let and which contain no other advertising matter.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances, on motion of Coun. WATSON.

LEASE OF LAND, ATLANTIC AVENUE.

Coun. WATSON called up No. 3 on the calendar, being the order authorizing the lease of a portion of the city's land on Atlantic avenue.

The question came on the passage of the order.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I understand there was to be an agreement left here with the Council, to be made a part of the record, with reference to what the party who desired this legislation would do in the event of its passing, and I would like to ask if that is here. Is that here, Mr. Clerk?

President DONOGHUE—The Chair is in receipt of a communication which the Clerk will read.

Coun. WATSON—I will refrain from arguing the matter, Mr. President, until Mr. Healey comes. I will wait until after recess. I understood that Coun. Healey said that if such an agreement were filed with the order it would be satisfactory to him. Am I correct?

Coun. MORIARTY—I don't know.

Coun. WATSON—Then we will wait until later. Perhaps Coun. Healey will be here.

Coun. MORIARTY—That is the agreement.

Coun. WATSON—A. r. President, I withdraw my motion to take up No. 3.

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Watson asks unanimous consent to withdraw his motion to take No. 3 from the calendar. If there is no objection it is so ordered.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President.

President DONOGHUE—Councillor Brickley.

Coun. BRICKLEY—I was simply going to talk on that order, Mr. President. The last sentence in the order reads:

"The said lease is to contain such other restrictions and limitations, including a right of passage over and across the said leased premises," etc.

I don't know why that lease cannot come in here before we pass on this order. I think this is the proper place for it. I don't think it is right to let the Law Department fathom out something after we pass this order. I would like to see that agreement come in here before we vote on it.

President DONOGHUE—That will be taken up at the next meeting of the Council.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I understood that the gentleman who represented that concern said that he would send a letter here, agreeing to certain things. I would like to know if that letter is in, with certain information as to what he will agree to do.

President DONOGHUE—The Clerk will read the communication.

(The Clerk read a communication from Milton C. Burton, as follows:

Milton C. Burton, Real Estate,
141 Milk Street, Boston.

City Clerk, City Hall, Boston.

Dear Sir,—As requested by the City Council in session August 4 instant, I assure them that the Middlesex and Harbor Trusts will decline to accept the lease of the land owned by the City of Boston fronting the receiving station on Atlantic avenue if the Trusts do not erect their proposed thirteen-story warehouse manufacturing building on the adjoining land at 470 Atlantic avenue.

Yours very truly,

MILTON C. BURTON,
Managing Agent.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I realize that not only am I out of order, but those that preceded me are. I don't think that agreement is what we expected. It does not mean anything at all, and I certainly feel that, whatever Coun. Healey wanted on record, that does not cover the ground. I realize that I have been responsible for the delay in the matter. It is unfortunate that I have held the young man up in his opportunity to advance, but if there is going to be any agreement at all filed here, it ought to mean

something. I do not think myself the agreement amounts to anything in this particular matter. I think that will come under the lease. When the lease is drawn by the Law Department, we might pass a rider to this order that we favor a distinct understanding that there shall be an item in the lease to cover the things that Coun. Healey had in mind. To be frank with you, I don't know just what it was, but I know he thought it was some protection that was necessary.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. President, the agreement I asked for was that if they leased the land, an agreement was to be returned to the Council saying they intended to build the building. In other words, that was to be a part of the contract for the leasing of the land, and I do not think that letter specifies that at all.

President DONOGHUE—If there is no objection the order will be allowed to remain on the calendar and possibly before the next meeting the matter can be settled by the Law Department.

JITNEY LICENSES.

On motion of Coun. WATSON the Council voted to take from the table No. 4 on the calendar, viz.:

4. Petition of the Boston Elevated Railway Company for a license to operate jitneys between Centre and Eliot streets and Centre street and Belgrade avenue, over Eliot, Pond, May, Burroughs and Centre streets.

President DONOGHUE—The question is upon granting the license.

Coun. WATSON—I merely want to reiterate what I said at the last meeting, which is contained in the minutes of the Council, concerning this proposition.

Coun. MORIARTY—I am going to vote against No. 4, because I do not think it is going to do any good to the people in the district. I feel that if they will run the buses in town I will vote for it, but for the purpose of running a bus to Centre street, and allowing people to stand out there without any shelter to wait for cars to come in town and out of town, I am not going to vote for the matter under any consideration. When they first petitioned here, their petition was that they would run to Park square. If they will agree to run the bus line to Park square I will vote in favor of it, but for the purpose of running from Belgrade avenue to Centre street, I do not think it is of any use to the greater number of the people of West Roxbury. If, as I say, they want to put back their first route and run up to Park square, I will agree to vote for it, but for the purpose of running it for the distance they want to run, I am going to vote against it.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I am of the same opinion as the previous speaker. If the members of this body will remember the day of the public hearing here, when I suggested this route in to the monument at Centre street they would not hear of it. They were all residents of Jamaica Plain, and they said they could see no way in which they could get in to Boston that way, and they objected to it, and I am also of the same frame of mind, that I will vote against it unless the buses run in to Park square, or in to the city proper somewhere.

The Council voted to grant the license, yeas 4, nays 3.

Yeas—Coun. Gilbody, Healy, Walsh, Watson—4. Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Moriarty, Purcell—3. On motion of Coun. WATSON the Council voted to take from the table No. 5 on the calendar, viz.:

5. Petition of the Boston Bus Transportation Company, for a license to operate jitneys between junction of Belgrade avenue and Centre street, over Centre street to the monument in Eliot circle.

President DONOGHUE—The question is on granting the license.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, as much as I regret it, I believe I have got to take the position that I believe to be correct. Believing it will be for the greatest good of the greatest number, I shall vote against this bus line, because there is no room for two bus lines on Centre street, and the gentlemen who are asking for this privilege have got about all they can handle between Boston and Providence now. True, they are running without a license, but they are doing that by legal advice, running from the Copley Square Hotel out to the Dedham line, and then on to Providence. As I said, I dislike to vote against it, but I have got to take the stand that I am going to take because I believe it is the proper one.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I voted no on the other one, and the other one is approximately the same as this. I am going to vote yes on this one, because as long as they are giving the grant to one, I feel that other people have just as much right as the Boston Elevated. The preceding speaker said they were running a line to Providence, and that they had all they can do. The Elevated has got all they can do, and is not taking care of it, but the people who are running the line to Providence are taking care of their work, and I feel that if there is going to be any bus line, that a private individual has got absolutely as much right, if not more right, as the Boston Elevated Railway, to run a route, and I am going to vote yes on this, feeling the same way as I do on the other, that it is not going to satisfy the people, and

that when it goes to the Mayor he is not going to sign it. I know he will sign the one favoring the Elevated, and that he won't sign the one favoring any individual concern, using for his argument that the cost will come back on the city if the Elevated does not make sufficient earnings. But I believe that no concern should have a monopoly, and the Boston Elevated Railway has a monopoly in so far as street railway transportation is concerned. I do not think that this Council, and neither do I think that the Mayor, should give the Elevated a monopoly to everything else besides street railway transportation, and I feel that instead of giving the route to the Elevated, if there was going to be any route given, we should have given it to the private concern and kept the Elevated out.

Of course, the concern going to Providence hasn't got a license. It does not need a license. They do not take up passengers except at a given point, and their vehicle is marked "express." It is just the same as every other thing. It is the same as the Police Commissioner is doing, protecting the big fellow and letting the little fellow go unprotected, because there was a taxicab concern in this town that decided to print upon their automobiles that they were the lowest priced concern in the town, and for the protection of the Checker Taxicab Company the Boston Police Commissioner has made the other concern strike that from their taxicabs. And here we have already granted a right to the Boston Elevated for the protection of the Boston Elevated. I believe that if we have got anything to give out, we ought to give it to the private concern, and not to the organization that has had us tied hand and foot for a number of years, and are going to continue to keep us in that position.

They said they will give us a certain time, and by the way, if I am in order, I would like to hear the petition read, and see what time they are going to give, both the Elevated and this other concern, on the running time, if it is in their petition.

President DONOGHUE—There is no running time in the Boston —

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I rise to a point of order on the last vote we took.

President DONOGHUE—There is no running time in the Boston Bus petition. There is a running time in the Boston Elevated petition. The Clerk will read the schedule.

The Clerk read the schedule showing the running time of the proposed line of the Boston Elevated buses.

Coun. MORIARTY—There is no schedule for the Boston Bus?

President DONOGHUE—No, sir.

Coun. MORIARTY—So it would not be within our power to vote to give such a grant to one until that is filed? The city ordinance requires that at the time of the filing of an application for the license, it shall be accompanied by a schedule. That is a part of the city ordinance.

President DONOGHUE—If we grant them a license, they may file the schedule any time thereafter.

Coun. MORIARTY—It says it shall accompany it, doesn't it?

President DONOGHUE—The Chair has ruled on that point.

Coun. MORIARTY—We had it on the Hyde Park situation, and if I remember, Mr. Lyons of the Law Department ruled that if the schedule did not accompany the petition, that it was not lawful. That was his answer to the Mayor at a meeting we had here.

Coun. WATSON—Great minds differ.

Coun. MORIARTY—Well, if there is a city ordinance on it, I think we are just as much compelled to live up to a city ordinance as we can expect those on the outside to do it; that we make them to control, and if the city ordinance reads that a schedule shall accompany the petition, I believe that we are compelled as well as any other citizen to live up to the city ordinance.

Coun. WATSON—Let us send it to the Law Department.

President DONOGHUE—Does Coun. Moriarty raise the point of order that these petitions are not legally filed?

Coun. MORIARTY—If any petitioner does not comply with the city ordinance.

President DONOGHUE—You raise that point of order?

Coun. MORIARTY—Yes, I raised it on the Elevated, and I am going to be fair enough to say that if it is fair for the Elevated it is fair for everybody else, notwithstanding I am in favor for the other jitney license.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair will rule that, in his opinion, the point of order is not well taken. My reason for making that ruling is that I appreciate the question raised by Coun. Moriarty when he says that the schedule shall accompany the petition, but in my opinion it is a question of when the schedule shall be filed. I will make my ruling on the point that the schedule may be filed after the license is granted, but shall accompany the order, being a part of the order itself—the petition filed, the license granted, and the schedule filed before they are allowed to operate.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, I am surprised at the ruling, but I am not going to appeal from the decision of the Chair. An order and a petition are two different things. An order is something after we have taken action on it. A petition is something that is handed in, a prayer for something and I claim that the city ordinance provides that

when the prayer asking for something becomes a petition, that a schedule shall accompany it, and, as I say, I raised the same point at the hearing on the buses in Hyde Park and the corporation counsel who was here acting as the corporation counsel, in answer to that, declared that it was technically wrong, if I may use his words, and I asked him what he meant by technically wrong and he said it was wrong, and the hearing adjourned, and you members remember it. It was when they were taking over the railroad in Hyde Park. I am not going to appeal from the decision of the Chair. Nevertheless, I feel that the ruling is wrong. I feel, at least, that both the Clerk and the Chair should have shown me the consideration to have the city ordinance looked up.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, a point of information. Do we have to pass on the bond on that?

President DONOGHUE—No.

Coun. BRICKLEY—The bond is submitted to the Council is it not?

President DONOGHUE—Only for record. That is all.

Coun. WATSON—I might have reminded Coun. Moriarty that he that is convinced against his will is of the same opinion still, and I presume he is. But I am not going to agree or disagree with the Chair's ruling, because I always obey the Chair when the Chair is right, and sometimes I have to obey him when he is not right, and votes against me. I want to answer Coun. Moriarty's argument. I admit that much that I say is true. The Elevated is not performing satisfactorily. I admit that. But, as I remember it, this petition came in originally from the West Roxbury Citizens Association for a bus line from Roslindale square or West Roxbury, Belgrade avenue, to Dartmouth and Commonwealth avenue, over a part of this route, and we added the route down as far as Arlington street, and then by some arrangement they were willing to accept that portion that led into the monument at Jamaica Plain Centre and South street, I think. I didn't know the arrangement had been made, but I said that I would vote for it later, provided it was satisfactory. Well, I made up my mind I would vote for it. I admit the Elevated is not performing properly, but there is one advantage in the Elevated's having this permit, and that is that they are going to give free transfers from the bus to the trolley cars, which are to connect at Dudley street, which would give the people a full ride all the way through for one 10 cents. Now, the other bus line, which is asking for a permit, the one we are considering now, runs from Belgrade avenue over practically the same route, to the Soldiers' Monument, for a 5-cent fare, but to continue on to Boston you have got to pay 10 cents more, so, instead of doing something to help the people of West Roxbury, those who want through transfers or through fares or through transportation we are going to make pay 15 cents. Now, I am no more friendly to the Elevated than Coun. Moriarty, but I am going to vote against this because I think the young man who has got this proposition in mind has got all he can handle now, for one thing; secondly, I believe the Elevated can give better service at a lower rate than he can, and therefore, as much as I regret it, I shall vote against it.

President DONOGHUE—The question comes on granting the license.

Coun. MORIARTY—I should like to read section 12 of the city ordinance.

"A schedule of operations filed by the licensee with his application for such license shall provide for the regular operation of the motor vehicles between the termini and over the route designated in the license. The licensee shall regularly operate a motor bus in substantial accordance with this schedule of operations."

I should like to ask the Chair, after that, if he still continues to make his ruling?

President DONOGHUE—The Chair will state that it is just a question of interpretation. I am inclined to make a common sense ruling on the proposition. I may not have the legal ability to rule technically in a legal way concerning it, but I think that I have ruled in a common sense way. If the license is granted and the schedule is filed, necessarily it will accompany that license, and I so interpret this ordinance. The question comes on the passage of the order. All in favor will say "Aye," opposed, "No." The Chair is in doubt. The Clerk will call the roll.

The Council voted to grant the license, yeas 5, nays 2.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—5.

Nays—Coun. Healey, Watson—2.

On motion of Coun. WATSON the Council voted to take from the table No. 6 on the calendar, viz.:

6. Petition of the Boston Bus Transportation Company, for a license to operate jitneys, starting at West Roxbury Parkway on Weld street to Church street.

The Council voted to grant the license, yeas 5, nays 1.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—5.

Nays—Coun. Watson—1.

TREMONT AND KNEELAND STREETS.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I move that we take Nos. 7 and 8 from the table, and that we vote on each one separately.

President DONOGHUE—The councilman moves that we take No. 7 from the table.

(No. 7 is the loan order for the widening of Tremont street.)

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I think that is a matter that the full Council should pass on.

At this time I would like to amend that motion, to lay the matter on the table for another week at least, or until the next meeting of the Council.

President DONOGHUE—The matter is already on the table, and if the gentleman does not desire to have it taken from the table, the proper method to pursue is to vote against taking it from the table. The question comes on taking the matter from the table. All in favor say "Aye"; opposed, "No."

Coun. BRICKLEY—I doubt the vote, Mr. Chairman.

President DONOGHUE—The Clerk will call the roll.

The Council refused to take No. 7 from the table, yeas 4, nays 4:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—4.

Nays—Coun. Brickley, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty—4.

President DONOGHUE—It is not a vote. Councilman Purcell moves that we take No. 8 from the table. The question comes on taking the matter from the table.

(No. 8 is the loan order for the widening of Kneeland street.)

Coun. WATSON—Is the question of taking from the table debatable?

President DONOGHUE—The matter is not debatable. The question comes on taking the matter from the table. All in favor say "Aye"; opposed, "No." The Chair is in doubt. The Clerk will call the roll.

The Council refused to take No. 8 from the table, yeas 4, nays 4:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—4.

Nays—Coun. Brickley, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty—4.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I move to reconsider the last vote whereby the Council voted, by a vote of 4 to 4, not to take the matter from the table.

President DONOGHUE—The councilman moves the reconsideration of the vote refusing to take No. 8 from the table.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I intended to move the reconsideration of the question of the vote whereby No. 7 was denied the right to be taken from the table, or where we denied the motion of Councilman Purcell to take from the table No. 7 and No. 8, as he said. I would like to serve notice on the Council that the building at the corner of Hollis and Tremont street—I forget the name of the building, but the new building with the foundations in and on which two stories and a half are already erected—Councilman Moriarty tells me that they have suspended the building operations because of the doubt in their minds concerning whether or not they will widen that side rather than the side that we have mentioned in the Street Commissioner's order. Now, that is a very serious question. There are a lot of people loafing in Boston. Am I correct that they have shut down, Councilman Moriarty?

Coun. MORIARTY—Yes.

Coun. WATSON. I think that is true, that they have shut down. I was told that for ten days they had not turned a spade of dirt there, or done any work. I may not be correctly informed. I am not in the building business, but I think I am correct about it. I believe that we are making an error in not taking some action today one way or the other. Again, the Elks are in a quandary. The Elks are perfectly willing to accept a verdict either to widen one side or the other. They do not care. They want action. Their building operations are held in abeyance. I understand they are all ready to complete the placing of their loan, but it seems to me if the Council sees fit to hold to its present position on it, I have no objection. I am performing my duty as I see it, but I do think we ought to act one way or the other on it.

Coun. MORIARTY—I will say that I would have voted to take it from the table if I thought it had a chance of going through. We have laid it over for two past meetings, because we have not had a full membership present. I believe that if we laid it over at the last two meetings because we did not have a full membership, that that is a good reason for laying it over today. From all observations, if the matter was to be voted upon today, the vote would be 5 to 3, and it would be defeated.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, the gentleman is in possession of more information than I am, and I am perfectly willing to let the matter stand as it is. I have no objection.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I believe this matter should be voted on today. Does the Council realize that if this matter goes over until the 5th of September it becomes a law, whether we vote on it or not, and if that is the game of calling this meeting today, as I understand it—I have not received written notice. I received a notice from the City Clerk, or from Mr. Baldwin, I should say, to appear here today, but I have not received written notice. From what I understand, the Mayor has called this meeting. I believe this should be voted on today. If that is the game, to hold one man back from coming into this meeting so that this thing will be passed and become a

law on the 5th of September, now is the time to vote on it. I am here to vote on it.

Coun. BRICKLEY—I move a general reconsideration of all matters pending today.

President DONOGHUE—There is a motion before the Council. Councilman WATSON moves that No. 8—

Coun. BRICKLEY—He withdrew that.

Coun. WATSON—I asked unanimous consent to withdraw it.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair has not put any such motion. Coun. Watson moved a reconsideration of the action taken on No. 8. The Chair understands that is the matter which is now before the Council.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, Coun. Watson asked if I would yield, and I yielded, and I understood he asked unanimous consent to withdraw his motion.

Coun. WATSON—That was my intention.

Coun. MORIARTY—I did not take the floor.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair did not understand any such motion, and it did not put any such motion to the Council.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I want to say that I have been at every meeting regarding the widening of Tremont street and Kneeland street since the matter came in here. I want to say that I am a part of no game. I have continually voted here every time that the matter has come under consideration, and I am prepared to vote now. But it was argued here at both of our previous meetings that on account of absentees at our meetings, the matter should be laid over so that each member would have an opportunity to vote on it. The vote, as it stands today, is 5 to 3, which means that the loan order shall be defeated, and I do not want to see it defeated. As the councilman who had made the motion for reconsideration says, there are a lot of men out of work. Yes, and there are going to be a lot more men out of work, and if we can possibly pass this loan order, it may put a lot of men to work, and it may take a lot of people from the Welfare Committee's list this winter. It is going to be big enough without the members of this Council making it larger, and I feel that the proposition of both Kneeland street and Tremont street should not be defeated, and that is why I voted to lay the matter on the table.

Coun. WATSON—We may have the votes today.

Coun. MORIARTY—I am not taking any chances. I don't think we have. I have been told there were six votes in here going to vote for it, but I do not believe it, and I am not taking any chances, because if it is defeated today the Mayor will have to call another special meeting, and get one reading on it, if he can get six votes, and then it will continue to lay on the table at least fourteen days more before we can give it a second reading, and I am trying to save that fourteen days, figuring that the member that is away—I don't know how he will vote, and he has a right to vote the way he wants to, as every other member in here has, but I feel that at the next meeting he will be present. I thought that he would be present today when I received the notice of the special meeting. But as long as we are not all present, I feel that the matter should be allowed to lay on the table, for the reason that it has been allowed to remain on the table, until the next meeting of this Council.

Coun. BRICKLEY—I move the previous question, unless the councilman withdraws his motion on reconsideration. I would like to have Councilman Watson answer that. He made the motion.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I want to say that I make no reference to Councilman Moriarty as being in a game to delay this. I am accusing the Mayor of Boston of being in a game to delay this, not Mr. Moriarty.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I don't know just what to do in the matter. I have been told by interested parties, both the Elks and the other people, that they want action one way or the other on this, either favorable or unfavorable, today. I know of a case on Kneeland street where a man has lost tenants to the total of \$16,000, because he cannot give them a lease. They have moved out, they have gone elsewhere. He has got four or five large rooms or lofts vacant, and he was up here today to appeal to the Council to do something one way or the other, and I am inclined to agree with Councilman Moriarty. Employment is scarce. He says it is going to be scarcer. I hope not. I hope he is wrong, but I hope he knows what he is talking about. A week's delay will mean the loss of employment to people who need work. I will ask unanimous consent to withdraw my motion to take from the table Nos. 7 and 8.

President DONOGHUE—The motion is on the reconsideration of the vote refusing to take No. 8 from the table.

Coun. WATSON—Then I will withdraw my motion for reconsideration.

President DONOGHUE—Councilman Watson asks unanimous consent to withdraw his motion for reconsideration of No. 8 on the calendar. Is there objection? Hearing none, the Chair will rule that the motion is withdrawn.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I wonder if Councilman Moriarty or Councilman Watson realizes—

President DONOGHUE—There is no question before the body, Councilman Purcell.

Coun. BRICKLEY—I move a general reconsideration for the day, sir.

Coun. WATSON—That usually comes at the conclusion of the meeting. Why move it now?

President DONOGHUE—Councilman Brickley moves a general reconsideration of all matters acted on today.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I would like to have you take a recess rather than put that motion. It may be there are six votes for these measures today. If there are, let us have it out. Perhaps a little conference will do no harm. I move that we take a recess.

President DONOGHUE—Councilman Brickley moves that all matters acted on today be reconsidered, hoping the same will not prevail.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. Chairman, I move that we adjourn.

President DONOGHUE—The motion before the body has not been acted on. The motion to adjourn is not in order. The question comes on Councilman Brickley's motion.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. Chairman, I think Coun. Brickley misunderstands the purpose for which I asked him to withdraw his motion. I do not want to get into any mix-up here. Lord knows, I am in enough up to date. I would prefer to have some one else do the talking, but Councilman Moriarty says he understood there were six votes for the measure here today. Perhaps there are. Who knows? How does any one here know how the members are going to vote? I asked Councilman Brickley to withdraw his motion in order that we may go into recess for a few moments, and then I am perfectly willing to vote on anything you want.

President DONOGHUE—There is no reason why the motion to take a recess cannot be made after Coun. Brickley's motion has been acted on.

Coun. WATSON—Do I understand, Mr. President, that we then can reconsider matters that we have acted on, if we come back?

President DONOGHUE—Provided we vote in favor of it.

Coun. WATSON—I trust the motion to reconsider will prevail.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair will state that the motion is to reconsider, hoping that the same will not prevail.

Coun. WATSON—I trust it will not prevail.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair will state that if Coun. Brickley's motion to reconsider does not prevail, these matters cannot be acted on today.

Coun. WATSON—That is what I understand.

President DONOGHUE—So that in order to defeat Coun. Brickley's motion, you will have to vote "Yes" instead of "No." The question comes on the reconsideration. All those in favor say "Aye"; those opposed, "No."

Coun. PURCELL—I doubt the vote, Mr. President.

President DONOGHUE—The vote has been doubted. Before the roll is called, the Chair will state that if this motion prevail, it reconsiders the action taken not only on this particular matter, but every matter that has been acted on today. If, on the other hand, Coun. Brickley's motion does not prevail, then action on any matter on this calendar cannot be taken today. The Chair will suggest that the solution of that proposition would be for Coun. Brickley to withdraw his motion to reconsider, provided he feels and the other members of the Council feel that they desire to take a recess, or to transact any further business today.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Do you want it?

Coun. WATSON—Yes, withdraw it.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I withdraw the motion.

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Brickley asks unanimous consent to withdraw his motion.

By unanimous consent, the motion was withdrawn.

RECESS TAKEN.

Coun. WATSON—I move that we now take a recess, Mr. Chairman.

The motion was carried, and at 3.45 p. m. the Council took a recess. The Council reassembled at 4.03 p. m. and were called to order by the President.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I move that we adjourn.

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Brickley moves that we do now adjourn. All in favor say "Aye"; opposed, "No." It is not a vote.

Coun. BRICKLEY—I doubt the vote, Mr. President.

President DONOGHUE—The vote has been doubted. The Clerk will call the roll.

The motion to adjourn was lost, yeas 3, nays 4. Yeas—Coun. Gilbody, Healey—3 Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—4.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I move reconsideration of the vote on No. 7, hoping the same will prevail. We have been called here today, Mr. President, by the Mayor of Boston.

President DONOGHUE—Councilman Purcell moves the reconsideration of the vote whereby the Council refused to take No. 7 from the table.

Coun. PURCELL—We have been called here today, Mr. President, by the Mayor of Boston to vote on the calendar and clean it up. I think this is the proper time to do it. Last week I laid it on the table on account of two members not being here. One of the two is here. Now, if the other

member does not feel it his duty to appear here, I believe that it is his own business, but I am here to vote on Nos. 7 and 8 and I move you here that we reconsider, hoping the same will prevail, and that we vote on it today.

President DONOGHUE—The question comes on the reconsideration, hoping the same will prevail.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I was one of the absent members. I made myself absent because I wanted to be considered as such. I think I am in a majority here, but the majority is not quite large enough to pass this order. But I think the member that is absent will vote in favor of it, and after listening to everybody as to the work that it will give to the people of the city, I think that we should keep it on the calendar without defeating it, until the opportunity is ripe, until the full membership of the Council is here. I do not think that because the minority think they can defeat it, that we should bow to their way of thinking, and I am going to vote against the reconsideration. I think it should lie on the table till Councilman Lane returns.

Coun. GILBODY—I would like to call the attention of the President and the members of the body to the fact that another member of the Council has just stepped out of the room for the moment, and I think that we ought to give him a chance to say a word on this proposition. We have extended courtesy to everybody else, and Councilman Moriarty has just stepped out for half a moment, I understand, and I think we ought to take another recess until he arrives here.

Coun. PURCELL—I have heard a lot here about the work that is going to be given to the workmen. I wonder if the members of this body realize that the order for the widening of Cambridge street was passed a year ago, and I haven't heard anybody in the Council worrying about the work for the workmen on that. That has been left for over a year, and there hasn't been anything done. I think that is a lot of bunk about the workmen getting some work.

President DONOGHUE—Will Councilman Walsh take the chair?

(Coun. WALSH then took the chair.)

President DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I do not intend to get into any controversy over this matter again today. I stated my position rather clearly with reference to both of these matters a week ago, and I was very much surprised when I received a communication calling us together again today, the communication from his Honor the Mayor, saying that because of the new buildings, etc., that would be erected if this proposition were passed by this Council, that he felt that we should have a meeting today and decide upon this proposition one way or the other. I am prepared to vote against it. I stated my reasons for voting against it before, and I might just as well restate them now.

Of course, on every proposition which involves the expenditure of \$1,000,000 or \$2,000,000 we always hear the bugaboo of no work and hard times being raised by those that are in favor of the proposition. As Councilman Purcell has just stated, a \$3,500,000 proposition, the widening of Cambridge street, was passed by the Legislature without the sanction of this Council and without this Council having anything to say about the matter, with the entire proposition lying in the hands of the Street Commission and the office of the Mayor, but not a single stone has been turned in over a year. Now, isn't it fair to assume that if nothing has been done on Cambridge street for over a year, that nothing will be done on Tremont street or Kneeland street for at least a year? So that the bugaboo of no work is just merely to camouflage the proposition and place it in the light that we who are opposed to the expenditure of \$1,200,000 on Tremont street and \$1,200,000 on Kneeland street are in opposition to the wishes of the people of this city. In my opinion, the great majority of the people of this city are absolutely opposed to the widening of either Kneeland or Tremont street at this particular time. There is no need of it, and the only reason that has been advanced for it, even in connection with the widening of Tremont street, has been that it might to a degree relieve the traffic. There is no traffic congestion between Stuart street and Arlington square. In my opinion, it is plenty wide enough for present needs today, and if it is not, why are the people who are constructing the building at the corner of Hollis and Tremont streets allowed to extend their walk out into the street a yard instead of being obliged to live up to the law just the same as everyone else who builds in this city, and to build a structure over the sidewalk so that people might walk on the sidewalk? They are taking up now over a yard of the street, and if there is such a tremendous traffic congestion, why isn't that taken care of, which would add at least three feet to the present width of Tremont street? That has been allowed to be in existence for over eight months, and in all probability it will be allowed to continue in existence, because those who are interested in this proposition are the powerful interests, the same interests that are interested in all street widening propositions.

I remember when Stuart street was before this Council for our consideration, and they did not have a sufficient number of votes in this Council to pass that measure. The arguments that were advanced then are substantially the same arguments that can be raised now with reference to the widening of either Tremont or Kneeland street.

We were told it was going to open up a great business section of the city, the Park square section, and it would mean a tremendous increase in valuations of real estate, etc., if that street was put through. What has been done? What new building has been erected along Stuart street? Practically none. There has not been, in my opinion, a single building of any size erected from one end of Stuart street to the other. There have been a few little repair jobs done, that is true, but that is all that has been done. There has been no great outstanding building erected in the Park square section which was before this Council over three years ago.

The same thing is going to be true of Chambers street, and the same thing is going to be true of Tremont street and Kneeland street. I think we have got a duty to perform. We owe our allegiance to the citizenry of Boston. Not a single solitary soul appeared in favor of this proposition. We held one impromptu hearing, and we held one public hearing, and not one single soul in this city appeared before this Council and stated without qualification or reservation that they were in favor of the widening of either Kneeland or Tremont street. Then why should we vote for it? There is no one in Boston that I know of,—and we have the public records to substantiate my statement,—not one single soul that is interested or in favor of this proposition.

How many thousands of people are there in Boston, residents and citizens of this city all the years of their lives, that live in congested districts, that live in sections which unquestionably should be improved? Why don't we spend two and a half million dollars for the improvement of those sections of the city? Why don't we widen Dudley street? Why don't we widen Newspaper Row? Why don't we widen some of the North End sections, some of the streets down through the West End, some of the streets through Roxbury, South Boston, or some of the other sections where the people live? If we have got two and a half million dollars to spend, I say we should spend it for the best interests of the people of this city.

Who was the instigator of this proposition? The Planning Board of the City of Boston. And who are they? Are they residents of our city? A great majority of them are not. They go before the Legislature and they put before them this scheme of theirs to widen certain streets, and the only streets that are considered are the streets that are in the control of the so-called interests who have been operating in a real estate way in this city for years. That is true of Stuart street, it is true of Chambers street, it is true of Tremont street and it is true of Kneeland street. And then they try to tell us that we are opposed to the wishes of the common people! We are in favor of the common people, those of us who are opposed to this proposition. It does not mean the turning of a stone for over a year, at the very least. Not one single individual, in my opinion, will get one hour's work on these propositions for at least over one year, and then if they do pass these propositions I will predict now that this work will be let out to contract, and that it will be done by non-citizen labor. No citizen of the City of Boston is going to reap any great benefit from these improvements. So, therefore, when we consider the source of the birth of these propositions, the Planning Board, that Board which has been responsible for passing the so-called Zoning Act, which has deprived the citizens of this city of the right to build garages on their own property, through a strict interpretation of the law—no one who owns a piece of property today can build a garage on his own property unless he owns an acre or so of land. They have been responsible for holding up the erection of over three hundred or four hundred permits to build. No action has been taken for more than a month, until the Mayor made a common-sense ruling on this proposition, which allowed these people to build garages on their own property. But, in my opinion, the strict interpretation of that law would prevent property owners from erecting a garage on their own property. Who are these people who are interested in the welfare of Boston? Why don't we, the city itself, through its administrative head, make some sort of a plan whereby, if we are going to spend two and a half millions of dollars of the people's money, we are going to accomplish the greatest good for the greatest number of people that are residents of the city, and not put through these propositions that are in the interests of certain so-called interests in our city?

I can't see one solitary reason for voting for this proposition, and I believe that we should take action on it. His Honor the Mayor believes that we should take action on it, and only a short while ago it was said that no five votes should be able to either defeat or pass this legislation, and unless action is taken on this proposition before September 5, then it is going to automatically become law, and it is going to become law by the action of five members of the Council continuing to vote to keep this matter on the table. It is not going to receive the required number of votes in order to pass this legislation. So that the charges which have been hurled in this Council against a minority seeking to foist their will or their ways on the action of the majority does not hold. It is a question of not a sufficient number of votes being here, and this matter has been under consideration for over a month, and if any member of the Council is not sufficiently interested in a month to be here and to vote on this proposition one way or the other, then I say that we should no longer delay. I am pre-

pared to vote against this proposition to-day, and every other day, and I feel that the matter should be reconsidered.

Only those who spoke here in favor of not widening the side of the street they were interested in were the ones who even had any semblance of thought that this street should be widened, and they said, "Go ahead and widen it if you want to. So long as you do not affect our interests we are not interested." But they are interested, and every citizen of our city should be more interested than he is in the expenditure of two and a half millions of dollars. They may say that it does not come out of the tax rate, that it is a loan order outside of the debt limit, but in the final analysis it means that the person who carries the load and swing the pick is going to pay this bill, and I am in favor of one who has to work for a living just as much as any member of this Council, and I feel that I am acting for their interests and their interests first when I vote against the expenditure of two and a half millions of dollars for the widening of Kneeland street and the widening to Tremont street, which do not need widening, as against voting for some proposition which would relieve a congested district or a congested area in our city. I will vote for any appropriation which will widen a narrow street in any section of this city, which will widen a street which is not sufficiently wide at the present time, to relieve congestion, but I am not going to be led into voting for a proposition such as this, on either the bugaboo that it is going to increase real estate values or that it is going to provide work, because experience has taught me, in my seven years in this Council, or six years, rather, that that is not so; that all of these arguments are advanced by those who are in favor of these propositions, and that they do not mean anything. We have a living example surrounding us. We have got Stuart street on the one hand, which was going to open up a great big area in the Park square district, and we were going to see such tremendous increases in valuations over night that it would be more than trebled in value inside of a few years, and we haven't a single house erected, or a single building erected, and we haven't seen a single stone turned on Cambridge street. We haven't had anything to do with Cambridge street. It was taken away from the City Council and put into the hands of the Street Commission and his Honor, and not one step has been taken to start work on Cambridge street. Stuart street was also taken away and put into the hands of the Street Commission and the previous mayor, and today we are for the first time acting on a street widening proposition that this Council has some voice in, and I feel that we should vote on the proposition whether we vote for it or whether we vote against it. This talk of delay

does not mean anything. If they have got the votes to put it over, let them put it over. If they have not got the votes to put it over, surely they have not enough votes to delay the vote. I hope the matter will be reconsidered, Mr. Chairman.

President DONOGHUE in the chair.

President DONOGHUE—The question is on Councilman Purcell's motion to reconsider the action on No. 7. The clerk will call the roll.

The motion was lost, yeas 3, nays 5:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh, 3.

Nays—Coun. Brickley, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty Watson, 5.

ADJOURNMENT.

Coun. BRICKLEY moved that the Council do now adjourn.

The motion was carried, yeas 5, nays 3.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Watson—5.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh—3.

The Council stood adjourned at 4.40 p. m. to meet on Monday, September 8, at two o'clock p. m.

NOTE.—At the meeting of the City Council on July 28, 1924, the following communications were received in connection with the order for a loan of \$200,000 for sewerage works and the order rescinding the right to borrow \$200,000 for highways, and were ordered printed on motion of Coun. HEALEY, viz.:

City of Boston,
Public Works Department, July 28, 1924.

Mr. John E. Baldwin,
Clerk of Committees.

Dear Sir,—I inclose a statement showing the progress made on sewer program outlined in the list submitted to the City Council on February 21, 1924.

Yours very truly,

J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

	Estimated Cost as Given City Council.	Amount of Contract.
Grove street and outlet.....	\$151,500 00	\$165,742 50
Weld street, West Roxbury.....	29,900 00	23,504 75
Parkvale road.....	9,000 00	*
Willowdean avenue.....	5,000 00	*
Realtown road.....	2,200 00	*
Stony brook.....	150,000 00	
La Grange street, West Roxbury.....	9,500 00	7,646 50
Fowle street, West Roxbury.....	3,700 00	3,304 00
Elm Hill avenue, Roxbury.....	11,600 00	7,429 00
Dorchester and Hyde Park petitions.....	50,000 00	†
Pumping station and Moon Island.....	75,000 00	
Shepard brook, Brighton.....	45,000 00	33,031 25
Dorchester brook, Humphreys street.....	58,000 00	63,895 50
Petitions during year.....	50,000 00	
Floyd street, Dorchester.....	\$3,639 75	
Allendale and Lenoxdale avenue.....	2,473 50	
Columbia park, Dorchester.....	2,268 75	
Harmon street, Dorchester.....	3,124 00	
Regina road, Dorchester.....	2,296 45	
School street, Brighton.....	2,621 00	
Corinne road, Brighton.....	1,737 40	
Elliot place, West Roxbury.....	1,905 05	
Cataumet street, West Roxbury.....	2,112 00	
Hallowell street, Dorchester.....	9,365 55	
Canterbury street, West Roxbury.....	1,665 00	
Florence avenue, Brighton.....	1,649 50	
Colorado street, Dorchester.....	3,993 50	
Locust street, Dorchester.....	3,093 00	
Wesley street, South Boston.....	4,800 00	41,944 45
Cambridge street, city proper.....	12,600 00	
Sewerage works necessary on permanent pavement program.....	50,000 00	
Border street, East Boston.....	\$1,705 75	
Congress street, city proper.....	4,268 50	
Shawmut avenue.....	15,793 00	
Moore street outlet, East Boston.....	9,000 00	
"393" streets.....	75,000 00	
Pond View avenue, West Roxbury.....	\$1,606 00	
Nottingham road, Brighton.....	16,492 50	
Price road, Brighton.....	1,477 00	
Harrishof street, Roxbury.....	30,313 75	
Ashley street, East Boston.....	9,330 10	
Ifley road, West Roxbury.....	1,537 50	
Mark street, West Roxbury.....	2,056 25	
Construction not anticipated when list was submitted:		62,813 10
Blue Hill avenue.....	\$2,642 00	
Paris street, East Boston.....	2,662 50	
Crecent street, Charlestown.....	1,000 00	
Various small jobs.....	5,000 00	
		11,304 50
	\$801,800 00	\$452,260 80

* Contracts advertised, not yet awarded.

† Grouped with petitions during year.

‡ Plus 15 per cent for engineering and inspection, \$520,099.91.

City of Boston,
Street Laying-Out Department July 28, 1924.
To the Honorable City Council.
Gentlemen,—In accordance with my agreement at the last Council meeting, I am giving you the required information regarding the progress of work on the list of streets which was furnished to the City Council early this year. Contracts have been awarded for the construction of the following named streets as shown on this list:

	Estimated Cost of Construction.	
Ashley street, East Boston.....	\$30,000	June 23.
Grove street, West Roxbury.....	105,000	June 23.
Claffin street, South Boston.....	17,500	May 4.
Beryl street, West Roxbury.....	25,300	July 14.
Province street, Boston proper.....	23,000	City labor.
Bath street, Boston proper.....	800	Completed.
Blenford road, Brighton.....	19,600	July 24.
Nottingham road, Brighton.....	45,000	July 24.
Standard street, Dorchester.....	33,600	July 14.
Ayr road, Brighton.....	6,000	July 14.
Ifley road, West Roxbury.....	25,000	July 25.
Pond View avenue, West Roxbury.....	16,000	July 14.
Redlands road, West Roxbury.....	43,300	July 14.
Sterling street, Roxbury.....	5,326	City labor.
Dalkeith street, Dorchester.....	3,500	July 14.
Chauncy street.....	105,000	
	\$503,926	

In the following-named streets the necessary sewer and surface drainage work is being done preparatory to street construction:

Halford road, West Roxbury.
Ethel street, West Roxbury.
Bolster street, Roxbury.
Harrishof street, Roxbury.
Sunset Hill road, West Roxbury.
Mark street, Roxbury.

The following-named streets will be probably done this year, although no contracts for construction or sewerage have been ordered thus far:

Kilmarnock street, Boston.
Public alley No. 544.
Price road, Brighton.
Bradeen street, West Roxbury.
Metropolitan avenue, West Roxbury.
Blackwell street, Dorchester.
Bowman street, Dorchester.
New England avenue, Dorchester.

In all probability the following-named streets will not be constructed this year:

Caledonia avenue, West Roxbury.
Monastery road, Brighton.
Woodbrier road, West Roxbury.
Leston street, Dorchester.
Clementine park, Dorchester.
Wildwood street, Dorchester.
Winton street, West Roxbury.
Somerset street, Boston.

Every street on the lists submitted to you has been accepted and ordered laid out by this department with the exception of Somerset street, which will probably be a part of the Cambridge and Court street development. No work of any nature has been started on any street named on this list by the Commissioner of Public Works so far this year, and all the street laying-out and construction that has been done by the department this year, or is contemplated being done, is included in the list which I sent to you.

Very truly yours,
JOHN H. L. NOYES,
Chairman.

BOSTON'S LIABILITY FOR METROPOLITAN DEBT, 1923.

Boston's liability for this contingent debt of the State (*i. e.*, in the form of annual assessments for sinking-funds and interest) incurred for Metropolitan parks, sewers, water, etc., was \$27,106,350 (net) on July 1, 1923, or \$1,003,191 less than in 1922. It is divided thus: Water debt, \$17,164,364; park debt, \$1,172,214; sewer debt, \$3,845,376; Charles River Basin debt, \$1,924,396. The percentages paid by Boston are 73.0066 on water debt; 57.5862 on most of the park debt; 45.39 on most of the sewer debt, and on Charles River Basin debt the same as on park debt.

Metropolitan assessments paid by Boston in 1923 amounted to \$3,573,070, of which 58 per cent was for debt requirements and 42 per cent for maintenance. Water assessment, \$1,872,413 (paid from water revenue); park, \$1,010,502; sewer, \$456,954; Charles River Basin, etc., \$233,201.

DELINQUENT TAX SALES.

CITY OF BOSTON.

CITY COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes and assessments thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed by the assessors of taxes of said City to me as collector of taxes for said City, including assessments for the suppression of gypsy and brown-tail moths, remain unpaid, and that the smallest undivided part of said land sufficient to satisfy said taxes and assessments, with interests and all legal costs and charges, or the whole of said land if no person offers to take an undivided part thereof, will be offered for sale by public auction at the City Collector's office, on the second floor of the City Hall Annex on Court street, in said City of Boston, on Wednesday, September 10, 1924, at 9.30 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and assessments, with interests, costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

The sums set against the following descriptions of the several parcels of land show the amounts due thereon respectively for the taxes and assessments for the nonpayment of which each of said parcels of land is to be sold, but do not include the cost and interest thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale.

WARD ONE.

Harry P. Chadwick—About 14,003 feet of land on the southerly side of Bennington street between an estate of East Boston Company and an estate of William Williams, tax for 1923.. 51 87

Edward M. Cox Heirs—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Addison street, numbered 135, between an estate of Louis J. Foote and an estate of Redmond Condon, tax for 1923..... 34 58

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 10 40

Federated Jewish Charities, reassessed from Alice F. Collins—Buildings and about 5,100 feet of land on the northerly side of White street, numbered 82, making the northwesterly corner of Brooks street, adjoining an estate of Mary Saklad, tax for 1922 187 72

Teresa M. Frederick—Buildings and about 6,076 feet of land on the northerly side of Saratoga street, numbered 968 and 970, making the northwesterly corner of Boardman street, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Bonzagni and others, trustees, tax for 1923 .. 172 90

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923..... 36 28

Elizabeth C. Giblin—Buildings and about 6,210 feet of land on the easterly side of Thurston street, numbered 26, making the northeasterly corner of Goldstar street, adjoining an estate of Mary C. Evans, tax for 1923 148 20

Margaret A. Greer and Nicholas J. Ryan—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the northerly side of St. Andrew road, numbered 98, making the northeasterly corner of and numbered 96 Waupello road, adjoining an estate of Antonio G. Tomasello, tax for 1923\$197 60

Paid on account 100 21

Balance due 97 39

Ida A. Massa, one half, and Guiseppe Bernardi, Heirs, one half—Buildings and about 2,704 feet of land on the northerly side of Leyden street, numbered 80, between an estate of Mario Cicco and an estate of Andrea Lagomarsino, tax for 1923 61 75

Guiseppe Mastromarino, reassessed from East Boston Company—About 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, adjoining an estate of Charles H. Smith, being lot 22, Block C., H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921 12 80

Maria Paduano—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of Wordsworth street, numbered 27, between an estate of John Duffy heirs and another, and an estate of

August Czarnetski and another, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923 2 59

Francisco P. Ricci—Buildings and about 14,879 feet of land on the southerly side of Leyden street, numbered 15, making the junction of Boardman street, adjoining an estate of Antonio Canavero and another, tax for 1923 \$66 69

Paid on account 55 00

Balance due 11 69

Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923 40 60

Filomena Ruggiero—Buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 432, adjoining an estate of Luiz and Mary Goncalves, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9216, tax for 1923\$172 90

Paid on account 80 27

Balance due 92 63

Also buildings and about 2,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 416, between an estate of Anthony C. Riccio and an estate of Domingos Veiga, tax for 1923\$148 20

Paid on account 80 28

Balance due 67 92

Edward W. Ryan—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Moore street, numbered 39, between an estate of Mary A. Toomey and an estate of Thomas O. McEnaney, tax for 1923\$54 34

Paid on account 25 00

Balance due 29 34

WARD TWO.

Lena Cimino—Buildings and about 1,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 142 between an estate of Raffaele Cundari and an estate of Antonio Chianca and another, tax for 1923\$71 63

Paid on account 34 00

Balance due\$37 63

Agostino De Stefano—Buildings and about 2,334 square feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cottage street (numbered 188) adjoining another estate of said De Stefano and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922 10 01

Martino and Conatto DiGesa—About 1,000 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Everett street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of John H. Craft and another; easterly by an estate of Mary Smiddy; southerly by an estate of Lena Cimino; westerly by an estate of Carmela Gravalese, tax for 1923 9 88

Annie M. Kelley—About 1,330 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pearl street (formerly numbered 3), between two other estates of said Kelley, tax for 1922 7 41

James H. Strong—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 211, between an estate of David Shaffer and an estate of Secondino Di Dominici and another, tax for 1923 123 50

WARD THREE.

P. Robert Greene, one third; John F. Greene, one third and Joseph Greene, one third—Buildings and about 1,527 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chapman street, numbered 43 and 45, between an estate of John P. Doran and an estate of Anna Sarvitz, tax for 1923.....\$81 51

Daniel J. Kane—About 780 feet of land on the easterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Elizabeth J. Scanlon; easterly by an estate of Alfred S. Hill, trustee; southerly and westerly by Exeter place, tax for 1921 7 41

Tax for 1923 7 41

Elizabeth J. McIntire—Buildings and about 1,237 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Allston street, numbered 23, between an estate of Mary

C. Prondagast and an estate of Michael Coleman, tax for 1923..... 51 87

Stephen Nugent Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Short Street place, numbered 2, between an estate of John Nugent and another estate of said Nugent heirs or devisees, tax for 1922 9 88

Nora M. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,096 feet of land on the southerly side of Mill street, numbered 14, between an estate of John B. MacKay and an estate of Mary E. Waas, tax for 1923 69 16

Thomas A. and Annie O. Smith—Buildings and about 802 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Charles Street place, numbered 13, between an estate of David P. Doolan and an estate of Josephine S. Romano, tax for 1923, 17 29

Thomas M. Smith, reassessed from Patrick O'Riordan Heirs or Devises—About 1,640 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Walnut street, between an estate of William J. Magill and another estate of said Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1922 ... 19 76

Charles A. Stewart—About 900 feet of land on the easterly side of Exeter place, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate now or formerly of Edward Kennedy; southerly by a 4-foot passageway leading from Wesley street; westerly by Exeter place; northerly by an estate of Alfred S. Hill, trustee, tax for 1913 7 41

WARD FOUR.

Francis P. and Isabel Downey—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land in the northeasterly side of High street, numbered 39, between an estate of Alice G. Horan and an estate of Michael J. Goff, tax for 1923.. \$135 85

Catherine T. Dunn and George and Catherine Roe—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, numbered 25, adjoining an estate of James J. Mellen and another, making the easterly corner of a 10-foot passageway, tax for 1923 46 93

Mary Hicky—Buildings and about 912 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, numbered 31, between an estate of Isabelle E. McLaughlin and an estate of Elizabeth S. Whidden tax for 1923..... 37 05

Jacob Hoffman—Buildings and about 2,602 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 39, making the easterly corner of Hudson street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Hoffman, tax for 1923..... 296 40

Also buildings and about 1,893 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 41, 41A, 41B and 41, making the southerly corner of and numbered 3 Gray street, adjoining an estate of said Hoffman, tax for 1923..... 395 20

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923 12 24

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 25 74

Also buildings and about 795 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 37, making the southerly corner of Hudson street, adjoining an estate of Gaetano Mosconi, tax for 1923..... 130 91

John Kyle Devises—About 1,400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Scott's court, formerly numbered 8, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Grace W. Conant, tax for 1923.... 9 88

Hyman Miller—Buildings and about 1,280 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 114, between an estate of Harry L. Holcombe and an estate of Salina Zarella and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court certificate number 1423, tax for 1923 158 08

Harry Novack—Buildings and about 812 feet of land on the easterly side of Chestnut street, numbered 9, making the northeasterly corner of Chelsea street, adjoining an estate of Jacob Foss devisees, tax for 1923,\$140 79

Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 40 79

Nora M. O'Brien—Buildings and about 1,320 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 161, between an estate of Irene F. Wentworth and an estate of Cornelius McBride heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... 64 22

Louis Rubin—Buildings and about 2,860 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 187, making the northerly corner of Medford street, adjoining an estate of James M. Burr, tax for 1923.... 247 00

Also about 1,600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Medford street, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Annie T. Montgomery (numbered 13), tax for 1923..... 22 23

Thomas F. Taff Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,225 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 58, between an estate of Ada E. Corey, trustee, and an estate of Dennis Kelley heirs or devisees, tax for 1923..... 56 81

Thomas Taff Heirs—Buildings and about 1,024 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cross street, numbered 5, adjoining an estate of Sarah T. Doherty and making the easterly corner of a passageway, tax for 1923..... 79 04

William W. Taff—Buildings and about 2,664 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Monument square, numbered 48, making the southerly corner of Soley street, adjoining an estate of Michael D. Ferrante, tax for 1923..... 222 30

Fred J. Weyland—About 1,784 feet of land on the northerly side of Tufts Street avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by estates of Ellen Callehen and William Mahoney; northerly by an estate of John F. Madden; westerly by an estate of Miles Muldoon, and westerly by Tufts Street avenue, tax for 1923..... 12 35

WARD FIVE.

Rachel Asher, supposed present owner Morris Shapiro—Buildings and about 1,125 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Barton street, numbered 3, between an estate of Dora Cline and an estate of Morris Shapiro, tax for 1922..... \$158 08

Thomas J. Burke—Buildings and about 1,304 feet of land on the easterly side of India square, numbered 1 and 5, at junction of and numbered 5, 7 and 9 Storer street, between an estate of Amasa Stetson heirs or devisees and Rufus A. Thayer and an estate of Louise R. Spinney, tax for 1923..... \$666 90

Paid on account..... 256 00

Balance due..... 416 90

Kevie Carmen, Morris Gordon, Jr. W. Shapira and Thomas Nuttle "trustees of Commercial Buildings Trust"—Buildings and about 723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Thacher court at end, numbered 15, adjoining an estate of James Constanza, numbered 13, tax for 1922..... 111 15

Elizabeth S. Colton, one fourth, Sidney H. Bradford, one fourth, Susan B. Howe, one fourth, Elizabeth S. Colton, Guardian and George Howe, one fourth, supposed present owner Mashie Berenson—Buildings and about 1,495 square feet of land on the southerly side of Dock square, numbered 31, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 28, 30-34 Exchange street, adjoining an estate of Fifty Associate, tax for 1923..... 3,581 50

Thomas M. Conley—Buildings and about 819 square feet of land on the northeasterly side of May place, numbered 4, making the northerly corner of May place adjoining an estate of Simon Thomas, tax for 1923..... \$59 28

Paid on account..... 15 00

Balance due..... 44 28

Nicola and Carmine Costanza—Buildings and about 1,504 feet of land on the easterly side of North street, numbered 27 and 309, between an estate of Joseph A. Camello and an estate of Charles F. Adams, 2d and others trustees, tax for 1923..... \$358 15

Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 258 15

Guisepina De Leo—Buildings and about 998 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prince street, numbered 8, between an estate of Angelo Cavignaro heirs or devisees

and an estate of Max B. Bloom, tax for 1923..... 345 80

Generoso and Agostino De Stefano one half, and Angelo Penta, one half—Buildings and about 2,460 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Salem street, numbered 160, 160A and 160B, making the westerly corner of Sheafe street, adjoining an estate of Angelo Fiore, tax for 1923..... \$963 30

Paid on account..... 952 25

Balance due..... 11 05

Generoso De Stefano and Angelo Penta—Buildings and about 1,876 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Prince street, numbered 46, 48, 48½, 50 and 52, between an estate of David Bailen and others and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923..... \$484 12

Paid on account..... 478 68

Balance due..... 5 44

Andrea DiPietro—Buildings and about 6,525 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 422, 424, 426 and 428, making the northwesterly and southwesterly corners of and numbered 3 and 4 Fountain place, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Nuttle, tax for 1923..... 1,877 20

Also buildings and about 964 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 404, making the westerly corner of Holden court, adjoining another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 256 88

Also buildings and about 845 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, numbered 5, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 133 38

Also buildings and about 720 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 4, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 98 80

Also buildings and about 950 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holden court, at end, numbered 3, between two other estates of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 148 20

Also about 1,035 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Holden court, numbered 2, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 160 55

Also buildings and about 810 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Holden court, numbered 1, between another estate of said DiPietro and another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 135 85

Also buildings and about 821 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 402, making the southerly corner of Holden court, adjoining another estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 222 30

Also buildings and about 1,765 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 416, 418 and 420, between an estate of Andrea DiPietro and another and an estate of said DiPietro, tax for 1922..... 605 15

Tax for 1923..... 605 15

Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 2,550 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 406 to 418 (inclusive), between another estate of said DiPietro and an estate of Andrea DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 716 30

Andrea and Katie DiPietro—Buildings and about 1,472 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 410, 412 and 414, between another estate of said DiPietro and another and an estate of Andrea DiPietro, tax for 1923..... 543 40

Joseph DiSteffano—Buildings and about 764 feet of land on the southerly side of Clark street, numbered 17, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Isidor Carcioffo and another, tax for 1923..... \$197 60

Paid on account..... 147 60

Balance due..... 50 00

Also buildings and about 1,553 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Clark street, numbered 17 rear, between an estate of Henry C. Brookings and an estate of Isidor Carcioffo and another, tax for 1923..... \$202 54

Paid on account..... 152 40

Balance due..... 50 14

Arthur P. French, Trustee under will of Harriet Hallett—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Commercial street,

numbered 206 and 208, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 1 and 1½ Lewis street, adjoining an estate of Harry H. Ham and another trustee, tax for 1923.... 716 30

Walter H. Gleason—Buildings and about 660 feet of land on the easterly side of Snowhill street, numbered 9, between an estate of Arcangelo Cataldo and an estate of Michele Casole and another, tax for 1922..... 88 92

Gertrude H. Graham and Carrie B., Ruth F. and Rebecca R. Higgins—Buildings and about 1,300 feet of land on the southerly side of Court street, numbered 130, between an estate of Cambridge Realty Company and an estate of Cosmopolitan Trust Company, tax for 1923..... 741 00

P. Robert Greene, John F. Greene and Joseph A. Greene, one third each—Buildings and about 2,624 feet of land on the westerly side of Hanover street, numbered 340, 342 and 344, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 3 North Bennet street, adjoining another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923..... \$1,482 00

Paid on account..... 800 00

Balance due..... 682 00

Also buildings and about 5,704 feet of land on the northerly side of Hanover avenue, numbered 16, 18 and 20, extending through to and numbered 5, 7 and 9 Powers court, between an estate of Guisepina Taschetto and an estate of Harry P. Chadwick, tax for 1923..... \$553 28

Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 353 28

Also buildings and about 1,646 feet of land on the easterly side of Hanover street, numbered 417, 419 and 419A, between an estate of Angelo DeRosa and an estate of Ernest F. Guarenti and others, trustees, tax for 1923..... \$587 86

Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 387 86

Also buildings and about 1,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Hanover avenue, numbered 15, 17 and 19, between an estate of Marx Silverman and an estate of Gaetano Ferullo, tax for 1923..... \$212 42

Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 162 42

Also buildings and about 6,553 feet of land on the westerly side of North street, numbered 358 and 360, making the northwesterly and southwesterly corner of and numbered 1, 3 and 5 Page's court, adjoining an estate of Grazia Sizziminto, tax for 1923..... \$716 30

Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 616 30

Apportionment for sewer assessment for 1923..... 13 60

Also buildings and about 742 feet of land on the westerly side of North street, numbered 350, making the northwesterly corner of and numbered 32 Harris street, adjoining another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923..... \$180 31

Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 170 31

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 4 95

Also buildings and about 996 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 28 and 30, between two other estates of said Greene and others, tax for 1923..... \$123 50

Paid on account..... 5 00

Balance due..... 118 50

Also buildings and about 1,640 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 24, between two other estates of said Greene and others, tax for 1923..... \$182 78

Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 172 78

Also buildings and about 1,107 feet of land on the northerly side of Fairfield place, numbered 2 and 3, between an estate of Rose A. McLaughlin and another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923..... \$96 33

Paid on account..... 5 00

Balance due..... 91 33

Also buildings and about 1,517 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 20, between two other estates of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$133 38	
Paid on account.....	5 00
Balance due.....	128 38
Also buildings and about 1,722 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 16 and 18, making the northeasterly corner of Fairfield place, adjoining another estate of said Greene and others, tax for 1923.....\$251 94	
Paid on account.....	5 38
Balance due.....	246 56
Ida M. Hodsdon, supposed present owner Channing Horne mortgagee in possession—Buildings and about 844 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Lewis street, numbered 52, making the easterly corner of and numbered 15 and 17 Moon street, adjoining an estate of Angiolina Galasso, tax for 1923.....\$197 60	
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	97 60
Anastasia Keefe, Trustee under will of John Casey—Buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the easterly side of Hudson street, numbered 22, making the southeasterly corner of and numbered 91 Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Thomas H. J. Maloof, tax for 1923.....	410 02
Also buildings and about 1,610 feet of land on the westerly side of Albany street, numbered 55, 57 and 59, between an estate of George M. Hadge and another estate of said Keefe trustee, tax for 1923.....	254 41
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	7 19
Also about 872 feet of land on the northwesterly side of South street, formerly numbered 217, making the northerly corner of Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Robert H. Gardiner and another, trustee, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	5 94
Also buildings and about 1,330 feet of land on the westerly side of Albany street, numbered 61, between another estate of said Keefe, trustee, and an estate of Hosma J. Francis and another, heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	219 83
Louis Levenson—Buildings and about 1,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of John street, numbered 17 and 19, extending through to Barrett street, between another estate of said Lyons and an estate of Edward H. Eldredge and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....\$775 58	
Paid on account.....	390 00
Balance due.....	385 58
Rose A. McLaughlin—Buildings and about 1,178 feet of land on the westerly side of Fairfield place numbered 1, between another estate of said McLaughlin and an estate of P. Robert Greene and others, tax for 1923, 150 67	
Also buildings and about 1,160 feet of land on the northerly side of Harris street, numbered 10, making the northwesterly corner of Fairfield place, adjoining an estate of Ernest F. Guarente and others, trustees, tax for 1923.....	264 29
Jennie Moses—Buildings and about 1,480 feet of land on the southwest-ly side of Poplar street, numbered 18, between an estate of Bella Isenberg (numbered 20) and an estate of Rachael Emanuel, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2717, tax for 1923.....\$345 80	
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	245 80
Olympia Realty Company—Buildings and about 4,064 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 317 and 319, making the southwesterly corner of Harvard place, adjoining an estate of Massachusetts General Hospital, tax for 1923.....\$14,684 15	
Paid on account.....	9,482 33
Balance due.....	5,201 82
Caroline M. Roundy—Buildings and about 1,313 feet of land on the north-esterly side of Warrenton street, numbered 5, between another estate of said Roundy and an estate	

of Hiram Johnson and another, trustees, tax for 1923.....\$261 82	
Paid on account.....	200 00
Balance due.....	61 82
Also buildings and about 1,387 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Warrenton street, numbered 7, between an estate of Paul O. E. Goldner and another estate of said Roundy, tax for 1923.....\$254 41	
Paid on account.....	116 23
Balance due.....	138 18
Margaret Sansone—Buildings and about 791 feet of land on the northerly side of South Margin street, numbered 17 and 17A, between an estate of Francis J. Howard, trustee, and an estate of H. Traiser & Co., Inc., tax for 1923.....\$232 18	
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due.....	132 18
Jacob Short, reassessed from Ida M. Hodsdon—About 740 feet of land lying in the rear from the north-erly side of Russell place, between an estate of Jennie Levine (numbered 10 Parkman street) and an estate of Wolf Zimmerman and another, tax for 1923.....	32 11
John Sullivan Heirs—Buildings and about 1,262 feet of land on the north-esterly side of Albany street, numbered 33 and 35, making the north-erly corner of and numbered 112 Kneeland street, adjoining an estate of Max Freedman, tax for 1923.....	686 66
Tax for 1922.....	308 75
Also buildings and about 1,260 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Kneeland street, numbered 90, making the easterly corner of land numbered 20A and 20B Hudson street, adjoining another estate of said Sullivan heirs, tax for 1923.....	652 08
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	14 07
Thomas Taff—Buildings and about 1,100 feet of land on the northeast-ly side of Blackstone street, numbered 157 and 159, between an estate of H. Ellerton Lodge and another and an estate of John D. Williams and another, trustees, tax for 1923..	908 96
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 20
Carrie A. Thorndike—Buildings and about 1,500 feet of land on the north-erly side of Cambridge street, numbered 153 and 155, making the northeasterly corner of North Rus-sell street numbered 7, 9 and 11, adjoining an estate of Joseph Rit-tenberg, tax for 1923.....	518 70

WARD SIX.

Arnold Bornstein—Buildings and about 1,696 feet of land on the northerly side of Dover street, numbered 82, between another estate of said Bornstein and an estate of Abraham Sisson and others, tax for 1923 ....\$293 93	
Paid on account	200 00
Balance due	\$93 93
Also buildings and about 1,692 feet of land on the northerly side of Dover street, between two other estates of said Bornstein, tax for 1923	\$355 68
Paid on account	200 00
Balance due	155 68
Also buildings and about 1,688 feet of land on the northerly side of Dover street, numbered 86, between an estate of Mary Simonian and another estate of said Bornstein, tax for 1923	\$308 75
Paid on account	200 00
Balance due	108 75
Peter T. Calahan, Margaret Thompson, Mary Gehue, Catherine Sughrue, Annie Cross, Helen Keenan and John Joseph Calahan—Buildings and about 798 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mystic street, numbered 36, making the southerly corner of Ryan street, adjoining an estate of Max Werbalski, tax for 1922	44 46
Cora M. Chambers, reassessed from George H. Wood—Buildings and about 982 feet of land on the east-erly side of Village street, numbered 46, making the northeasterly corner of Lucas street adjoining an estate of James Hanlon, tax for 1922	69 16
Gertrude M. Cole—Buildings and about 1,120 feet of land on the southwest-ly side of West Dedham street, numbered 24, between an estate of Mary A. Tighe and an estate of Gertrude B. Pollard and others, tax for 1923..	118 56

Mary L. Connolly, Trustee—Buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the north-erly side of Hingham street, numbered 6 and 6A, making the northeasterly corner of Middlesex street, adjoining an estate of Max Shrieber, tax for 1923.....	128 44
Celia A. Gibson—Buildings and about 1,526 feet of land on the southwest-ly side of East Concord street, num-bered 59, between an estate of Misak Kazarian and an estate of Hannah Reardon, tax for 1923.....	143 26
Bernard E. Grant—Buildings and about 12,229 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 625, making the westerly corner of Sharon street, extending to and making northerly corner of East New-ton street, tax for 1923	382 85
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	9 92
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	8 01
Apportionment of street construc-tion assessment for 1923.....	9 58
Marie G. Hald (supposed present owner Deeb Rezk)—Buildings and about 1,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Brookline street, num-bered 108, between an estate of Earl G. Sloan and an estate of David C. Moseley, tax for 1922.....	96 33
Fannie E. Hatch—Buildings and about 1,596 feet of land on the northeast-ly side of Sharon street, numbered 28, between an estate of Gezia Davidson and an estate of Edward Doherty, tax for 1923	37 05
Elizabeth A. Murray—Buildings and about 2,410 feet of land on the south-esterly side of Tremont street, num-bered 602, extending through to Ivanhoe street, between an estate of Carrie F. Nutter and an estate of Alice F. Murray, tax for 1923.....	382 85
Alice F. Murray—Buildings and about 2,464 feet of land on the southeast-erly side of Tremont street, numbered 604, extending through to Ivanhoe street, between an estate of Elizabeth A. Murray and an estate of Victor Bousendorff and another, tax for 1923	370 50
Louville V. Niles (supposed present owner George I. Bloomberg)—Build-ings and about 1,332 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 528, 528A and 528B, between another estate of said Niles and an estate of Elizabeth M. Keane, tax for 1923.....\$321 10	
Paid on account.....	100 00
Balance due	221 10
Minnie Pearlman—Buildings and about 1,285 feet of land on the westerly side of Emerald street, numbered 32, be-tween an estate of Jacob Cohen and an estate of Moses Guber, tax for 1923	\$234 65
Paid on account	100 00
Balance due	134 65
Mary L. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,825 feet of land on the easterly side of Middlesex street, numbered 60 and 62, making the northeast-erly corner of a passageway, ad-joining an estate of Abraham Goden, tax for 1922.....	190 19
Tax for 1923	190 19
Harris Weis—Buildings and about 1,575 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 292 and 294, making the southerly corner of Way street, adjoining another estate of said Weis, tax for 1923	\$444 60
Paid on account	434 60
Balance due	10 00

Williams Realty Company—About 1,452 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fabin street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Benjamin E. Van Ness, south-esterly by an estate of William Col-lier heirs or devisees and others, southwesterly by Fabin street, and northwesterly by an estate of Prov-ident Realty Company, tax for 1922,	19 76
Tax for 1923.....	19 76

WARD SEVEN.

Edward L. Franklin and Sarah E. Es-tabrook, reassessed to Edward Clayton—About 2,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Madison court, being lot 80 shown on assessors' plans, volume 7, page 70, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923...	\$49 40
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	9 60

Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Madison court, being lot 81, same plan, tax for 1923	51 87
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	9 60
Elizabeth E. Guilford—Buildings and about 3,037 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Botolph street, numbered 136, making the southerly corner of Cumberland street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Hughes, tax for 1923	419 90
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 1,050 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 20, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of Abram J. Berkwitz, tax for 1921 ..	71 63
Alice Langhorn—Buildings and about 1,444 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Braddock park, numbered 5, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Marie E. Bordeau, tax for 1923	\$234 65
Paid on account	177 65
Balance due	57 00
William D. Lee—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Falmouth street, numbered 47, between an estate of Frank A. Connors and an estate of David Yarchin and another, tax for 1921, William E. Leland—Buildings and about 2,887 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 244, 244A and 244B, between an estate of Ernest M. Helides and an estate of James F. McMahon and another, tax for 1922 ..	\$864 50
Paid on account	200 00
Balance due	664 50
Tax for 1923	938 60
Harry S. McDevitt—Buildings and about 7,647 feet of land on the northerly side of Huntington avenue, between an estate of Opera Holding Company (numbered 140 and 142 St. Stephens street) and an estate of Boston Storage Warehouse Company, tax for 1923	\$1,358 50
Paid on account	500 00
Balance due	858 50
Newburyport Five Cents Savings Bank, Mortgagee in Possession—Buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 114, adjoining an estate of Albert N. Wood, tax for 1921	345 80
Also buildings and about 2,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 118 and 118A, between an estate of Albert N. Wood and an estate of Henry H. Hart and others, trustees, tax for 1921	358 15
Tax for 1922	358 15
Thomas M. Smith, supposed present owner John F. Sullivan—Buildings and about 1,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Dartmouth place, numbered 12 1/2, between another estate of said Thomas M. Smith and another estate of said Thomas M. Smith, tax for 1923	71 63
Tax for 1922	71 63
John Sullivan Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,900 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Newton street, numbered 166, between an estate of Nettie M. Chandler (numbered 164) and an estate of Mary M. Gerrish (numbered 168, 168A), tax for 1923	197 60
Alexander Wood—Buildings and about 2,186 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Worcester street, numbered 153, making the northerly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Jenks, tax for 1923	\$197 60
Paid on account	150 00
Balance due	47 60
WARD EIGHT.	
Edward M. Beals—Buildings and about 2,688 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Newbury street, numbered 125, extending through to Public Alley 435, between an estate of Williams Realty Company and an estate of Edward N. Weyner, tax for 1923	\$815 10
Paid on account	50 00
Balance due	\$765 10
Henry Berch and Neil F. Cadigan—About 19,640 feet of land on the westerly side of Boylston road, making the southwesterly corner of Ipswich	

street, adjoining an estate of Horace B. Shepard and others, being lot 8. William H. Whitney plan, dated March 15, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3527, page 44, tax for 1923	\$1,210 30
Paid on account	250 00
Balance due	960 30
Abraham Berkman—Buildings and about 666 feet of land on the westerly side of Garden street, numbered 43, between an estate of Rebecca Krinsky and an estate of Jennie Karmazine, tax for 1923	140 79
Winslow B. P. Briggs, Junior, and Edna G. Wadsworth—Buildings and about 3,563 feet of land on the easterly side of Miner street, making the southeasterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Alonzo M. Burbank tax for 1923	130 91
Henry C. Brookings—Buildings and about 2,258 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Melrose street, numbered 20, extending through to and numbered 1 South Cedar place, between an estate of Herbert H. Flagg, trustee, and an estate of Wilhelmina L. Drammis, tax for 1923	592 80
Also buildings and about 1,974 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Piedmont street, numbered 54 and 58, between an estate of Elizabeth M. Paine and an estate of Lawrence Minot and others, trustees, tax for 1923	617 50
Rebecca Bustein (reassessed from Elizabeth T. Cleveland and another, trustees)—Buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the westerly side of Lindall place, numbered 10, between an estate of Morris Kamberg and an estate of Mary Szathmary, tax for 1923	\$54 34
Paid on account	35 00
Balance due	19 34
Louise C. Daly—Buildings and about 2,530 feet of land on the northeasterly side of St. Marys street, numbered 128, between an estate of Lydia J. Dale and an estate of Ada M. Jones and another, tax for 1923 ..	345 80
Matthew W. Fallon, Junior—Buildings and about 8,271 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 530, 534 and 538, between an estate of Julia M. Driscoll and an estate of Gabriel M. Gordon and another, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number .., tax for 1923 ..	1,852 50
Bernard E. Grant—Buildings and about 2,545 feet of land on the easterly side of West Cedar street, numbered 99-103, between an estate of B. E. Grant & Co. and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923	209 95
William D. Lee—Buildings and about 681 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Piedmont street, numbered 46, between an estate of Otis Norcross and an estate of Edward A. Clark and others, tax for 1923	247 00
Also buildings and about 554 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Winchester street, numbered 37, between an estate of Leah A. Myers and an estate of Stephen Smith heirs or devisees, tax for 1923	205 01
Also buildings and about 2,227 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winchester street, numbered 36, making the southerly corner of and numbered 46 Church street, adjoining another estate of said Lee, tax for 1923	568 10
Also buildings and about 1,480 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Church street, numbered 42 and 42A between two other estates of said Lee, tax for 1923	296 40
Also buildings and about 1,482 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Church street, numbered 44, between two other estates of said Lee, tax for 1923	419 90
Also buildings and about 1,473 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Church street, numbered 38 and 40, between another estate of said Lee, and an estate of Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, trustee, tax for 1923	222 30
Massachusetts Housing Corporation—Buildings and about 9,193 feet of land on the southerly side of Newbury street, numbered 440, making the southeasterly corner of Charlesgate East, adjoining an estate of Eugene N. Foss, tax for 1923	2,074 80
Charles N. Rollins Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 2,130 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 497, making the northeasterly corner of Beacon	

street, adjoining an estate of Alice Carpenter, tax for 1923 ..	\$790 40
Paid on account	500 00
Balance due	290 40
Mary Szathmary—Buildings and about 1,533 feet of land on the easterly side of Lindall place, numbered 3, between an estate of Annie M. Brandenberg and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923	\$64 22
Paid on account	30 00
Balance due	34 22
Also buildings and about 1,122 feet of land on the westerly side of Lindall place, numbered 8, between an estate of Elizabeth T. Cleaveland and another, trustees, and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1923	\$51 87
Paid on account	30 00
Balance due	21 87
Boyd R. U. Walker (supposed present owner Henry C. Brookings)—Buildings and about 777 feet of land on the southerly side of Shawmut street, numbered 16A, between an estate of Daniel Goodnow and an estate of Frank C. Warren and another, tax for 1923	130 91
Joseph Weeks and Allan S. Farwell, Trustees of Boylston Street Land Company—About 33,069 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Peterborough street, making the northerly corner of Jersey street, extending to and making the easterly corner of Boylston street, adjoining an estate of Sadie F. Abrams, trustee, numbered 45 Peterborough street, tax for 1923, 1,225 12	
Also about 89,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Boylston street, making the southwesterly corner of Jersey street, extending to and making the northwesterly corner of Peterborough street, adjoining an estate of Abbie J. Corey and others, tax for 1923	3,077 62
Also about 64,638 feet of land on the easterly side of Jersey street, making the northeasterly corner of Boylston street, adjoining an estate of James D. Colt and others, trustees, tax for 1923	1,916 72
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923	22 40
Also about 135,442 feet of land on the northerly side of Boylston street, making the northwesterly corner of Jersey street, adjoining an estate of Emily E. Shepard, tax for 1923	3,344 38
WARD NINE.	
Hugh Collins—Buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southerly side of Hayden place, at end, numbered 1, adjoining another estate of said Collins, tax for 1923	\$7 41
Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Collins, tax for 1923	7 41
Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Hayden, tax for 1923	7 41
Also buildings and about 860 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hayden place, numbered 4, making the southerly corner of Silver street and adjoining another estate of said Collins, tax for 1923	7 41
Sarah A. Foley—Buildings and about 968 feet of land, numbered 213 Athens street, between an estate of Mary Clougherty and an estate of Tekla Ambroz, tax for 1923	27 17
John H. and Francis P. Galvin, Trustee under will of Margaret Galvin—Buildings and about 7,552 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West First street, numbered 194, between an estate of Edward L. Estabrook and others and another estate of said Galvin and another, trustees, tax for 1923	\$293 93
Paid on account	200 00
Balance due	93 93
Also buildings and about 7,186 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West First street, between an estate of William P. Stone (numbered 190) and another estate of said Galvin and others, trustees (numbered 194 West First street, tax for 1923 ..	\$237 12
Paid on account	200 00
Balance due	37 12

Mahsood Jarmagian—Buildings and about 998 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 97, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of said Jarmagian, tax for 1923 17 29

Josephine Katarousky, repossessed from Michael J. Nee—About 394 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street, between another estate of said Katarousky and the location of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, tax for 1922 2 47

Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,375 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tudor street, numbered 12, between an estate of Moses Williams and another, and an estate of Ernest C. Hilliard, tax for 1923 ... 22 23

William W. Kennard—About 2,640 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Athens street, between an estate of Timothy Crowley and an estate of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, tax for 1922 ... 19 76

Martin H. Kent, Junior—Buildings and about 1,240 feet of land on the westerly side of H street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Kent, Junior, and an estate of James J. Boyd, tax for 1923 37 05

Also about 5,360 feet of land on the westerly side of H street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said Kent; westerly by an estate of Daniel W. Clark and another; southerly by an estate of George H. Carter, and easterly by H street, tax for 1923 32 11

Stanislav Kurovitsky—Buildings and about 1,650 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, numbered 69, between an estate of Amelia Aleksonis and an estate of Harry L. Wheeler, tax for 1923 \$98 80

Paid on account 30 00

Balance due 68 80

Florence M. Patrician—About 2,460 feet of land on the southerly side of East Second street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Daniel W. Clark and another; southerly by an estate of Helen H. Wilson; easterly by an estate of James J. Boyd; northerly by East Second street, tax for 1923 24 70

William Williams—Buildings and about 675 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 85, between an estate of Edgar T. Wards Son's Company and an estate of Nathan D. Clarke, tax for 1923 9 88

Frank E. Wilson—About 1,071 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Eighth street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Rose Bloom and another; northeasterly by an estate of Michael O'Brien; southeasterly by an estate of Joseph L. Clough, and southwesterly by West Eighth street, tax for 1923 9 88

WARD TEN.

Robert and Jennie Clark—Buildings and about 2,720 feet of land on the westerly side of O street, numbered 107, between an estate of Michael J. Callahan and another, and an estate of Robert J. Ware, tax for 1923 \$81 51

Paid on account 50 00

Balance due \$31 51

Violet E. Hanrahan—Buildings and about 719 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Eighth street, numbered 280 and 282, between an estate of Catherine O'Brien and an estate of Augusto DeGrandis and another, tax for 1923 \$29 64

Paid on account 15 00

Balance due 14 64

Annie M. Kelley—Buildings and about 1,366 feet of land on the southerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 493, making the southeasterly corner of Pacific street, between an estate of Jacob M. Holub and another and an estate of Mark J. O'Meara and another, tax for 1923 86 45

Loretta J. M. Lydon—Buildings and about 2,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Gates street, numbered 4, between an estate of William E. Weber and an estate of Helen E. Foley, tax for 1923 93 86

Horace Manson Heirs or Devises—Buildings and about 1,725 feet of land on the northerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 536, between an estate of Bernard Capen and an estate of Margaret C. O'Connor, tax for 1923 101 27

WARD ELEVEN.

Bronia Chmielinsky, supposed present owner Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston—About 16,739 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue between an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston and an estate of Albert P. Carter, trustee, tax for 1922 \$81 51

Also about 3,086 feet of land on the westerly side of Dorchester avenue between an estate of Albert P. Carter, trustee, and an estate of David Henry, tax for 1922 14 82

Mildred E. Eddy—Buildings and about 2,794 feet of land on the westerly side of Harrow street, numbered 20, between another estate of said Eddy and an estate of Luigi Canali and another, tax for 1923 \$125 97

Paid on account 60 00

Balance due 65 97

Mary A. Gorman—Buildings and about 1,794 feet of land on the westerly side of Rogers street, numbered 49, between an estate of Woodbury L. Lewis and another and another estate of said Gorman, tax for 1923 \$39 52

Paid on account 15 00

Balance due 24 52

Also about 1,765 feet of land on the westerly side of Rogers street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of said Gorman; easterly by Rogers street; southerly by an estate of Florence Taylor, and westerly by another estate of Florence Taylor, tax for 1923 9 88

Ellen E. Gorman—About 2,446 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Howell street, adjoining an estate of Julia V. Joy, being lot 35, Frank O. Whitney plan, dated May 18, 1885, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1702, page 130, tax for 1923 22 23

Roland R. Hopey—About 3,543 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 164, E. L. Moulton plan, dated May 5, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4049, page 61, tax for 1923 \$17 29

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,437 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 165, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,471 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 166, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,505 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 167, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,539 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, being lot 168, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,632 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, making the northwesterly corner of Sydney street, being lot 173, same plan, tax for 1923 \$22 23

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 14 23

Also about 3,688 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 174, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,649 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 175, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,611 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 176, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,573 feet of land on

the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 177, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,535 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 178, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,497 feet of land on the northerly side of Sudan street, being lot 179, same plan, tax for 1923 \$17 29

Paid on account 8 00

Balance due 9 29

Also about 3,021 feet of land on the southerly side of Sudan street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Sudan street; westerly by another estate of said Hopey; southerly by an estate of Helen Sweeney and easterly by an estate of Charles Protaps, tax for 1923 \$14 82

Paid on account 4 00

Balance due 10 82

Henry G. Hoppe—Buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Southampton street, numbered 498 and 500, between an estate of Boston Elevated Railway Company and an estate of Margaret G. Crowley, tax for 1923 \$259 35

Paid on account 90 00

Balance due 169 35

Also buildings and about 1,620 feet of land on the northerly side of Leeds street, numbered 14 and 16, between an estate of Frank T. Wilson and an estate of William J. Holland, tax for 1923 \$123 50

Paid on account 20 39

Balance due 103 11

Also buildings and about 9,152 feet of land on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 550, 554 and 556, between an estate of Patrick J. Kennedy and an estate of William J. Holland, tax for 1923 \$247 00

Paid on account 90 00

Balance due 157 00

Also buildings and about 6,250 feet of land on the easterly side of Ellery street, numbered 38 rear and 40, making the northeasterly corner of Ellery court, adjoining another estate of said Hoppe, tax for 1923 \$125 97

Paid on account 20 39

Balance due 105 58

Also buildings and about 2,696 feet of land on the southerly side of Southampton street, numbered 483, 487 and 489, making the southeasterly corner of Ellery street, adjoining an estate of Woodbury L. Lewis, devisees, tax for 1923 \$175 37

Paid on account 20 41

Balance due 154 96

Also buildings and about 5,754 feet of land on the northerly side of Preble street, numbered 48, making the northeasterly corner of Rogers street, adjoining an estate of Charles J. Kelley, tax for 1923 \$250 35

Paid on account 90 00

Balance due 160 35

Henry J. and Edward F. Smith—About 865 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Earl street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Earl street; northeasterly by estates of Michael McGann and Richard T. Block; northwesterly by an estate of Michael McGann and another, and northwesterly by an estate of Alice B. Lynch, tax for 1923 4 94

Helen H. Wilson—About 2,472 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Champney street, adjoining an estate of Jessie H. Sutherland, being lot 96 shown on assessors' plans, volume 6, page 93, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923 17 29

WARD TWELVE.

Thomas F. Connelly—Buildings and about 1,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 1900 and 1900A, between an estate of Edwin Wilcock and another, trustees, and an estate of Samuel Canner, tax for 1923 \$232 18

William A. Ford—Buildings and about 2,355 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 91, 93 and 95, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of St. Patrick's Church, tax for 1923 256 38

Also buildings and about 2,397 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 97, 97A and 99, between two other estates of said Ford, tax for 1923 ... 155 61

Also buildings and about 1,449 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 101, 103 and 105, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of Atereths Israel, tax for 1923 108 68

Also buildings and about 1,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Trask street, numbered 18 and 20, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of Boston Work Horse Relief Association, tax for 1923... 81 51

Also about 1,492 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Trask street, being lot E, Henry C. Midram plan, March 28, 1923, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923 37 05

Fanny Frank—Buildings and about 4,006 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Humneman street, numbered 58, 60 and 62, making the easterly corner of and numbered 994, 996 and 996A Harrison avenue, adjoining an estate of Tufts College, tax for 1923 37 65

Louis Ginsberg—Buildings and about 1,502 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller park, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923...\$98 80
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due 48 80

Also buildings and about 1,577 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Miller park, at end, and numbered 4, adjoining another estate of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923\$98 80
Paid on account 25 00

Balance due 73 80

Also buildings and about 1,938 feet of land on the westerly side of Dudley street, numbered 471B and 473, between two other estates of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923 ...\$239 59
Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due 214 59

Also buildings and about 1,758 feet of land on the westerly side of Dudley street, numbered 471, and 471A, between another estate of said Ginsberg and an estate of Albert B. Fopiano, tax for 1923\$234 65
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 184 65

Also buildings and about 1,989 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 473A and 473B, making the westerly corner of Miller park, adjoining another estate of said Ginsberg, tax for 1923\$247 00
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due 107 00

Orin S. Green—About 16,599 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Reed street, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, June 5, 1901, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4302, page 595, tax for 1923 163 02

Also about 21,131 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fellows street, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1923 259 35

Mary Leyland—Buildings and about 3,564 feet of land on the northerly side of East Cottage street, numbered 22, between another estate of said Mary Leyland, trustee, and an estate of Jennie Gifford, tax for 1923 ... 111 15

Mary Murphy—About 3,715 feet of land on the easterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by another estate of said Murphy; easterly by an estate of Agnes L. Kelley; southerly by an estate of Cora Gouldstone; westerly by Mt. Pleasant avenue, tax for 1923 29 64

Also buildings and about 7,446 feet of land on the easterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, numbered 32, between another estate of said Murphy and an estate of Chesley E. Jones, tax for 1923 202 54

Also buildings and about 4,750 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Whiting street, numbered 65, between an estate of Hilda P. Rosengard and an estate of Mitchell S. Regall, tax for 1923 222 30

Harlow H. Rogers—About 916 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Thorndike street, making the southerly corner of Singleton street, adjoining an estate of Ray H. Carver, being lot 8, plan not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2110, page 564, tax for 1923 19 76

Anna Zisman—Buildings and about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Norfolk avenue, numbered 46 and 48 rear, between an estate of Harry P. Chadwick and an estate of James W. Gerard, trustee, tax for 1923 41 99

WARD THIRTEEN.

Stephen Arsenault—Buildings and about 1,709 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 562, between an estate of Tom Wing and an estate of Irene M. Dick, tax for 1923..... \$214 89

Arthur B. Chesley—Buildings and about 1,474 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 101, between another estate of said Arthur B. Chesley and an estate of Mary E. Hughes, tax for 1923, 56 81

Also buildings and about 1,484 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 103 and 103A, between another estate of said Arthur B. Chesley and an estate of Louis Kramer, tax for 1923..... 56 81

George C. Conant—About 2,163 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Vernon street, being lot 3, Hyde and Sherry plan, dated August 21, 1900, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2703, tax for 1923..... 14 82

William A. Ford—Buildings and about 1,557 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cabot street, numbered 52, between an estate of Arminda E. Milmore and an estate of Hilda Carlson, tax for 1923..... 123 50

Also buildings and about 1,760 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1198 1/2 and 1200, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of Ada McFarland, tax for 1923..... 135 85

Also buildings and about 3,240 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1202, between another estate of said Ford and an estate of Theresa Lovett, tax for 1923 111 15

Leverett A. Haskell—About 432 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sterling street, formerly numbered 160, making the westerly corner of Newborn court, adjoining another estate of said Haskell, tax for 1923. 7 41

Prince Hall Masonic Grand Lodge Corporation (Massachusetts Corporation)—Buildings and about 4,420 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, making the westerly corner of Sarsfield street, adjoining an estate of Charles Parker, tax for 1923.....\$886 73
Paid on account..... 450 00

Balance due 436 73

Patrick H. Rafferty—Buildings and about 996 feet of land on the westerly side of Circuit street, numbered 78, between an estate of Mary E. Jellison and an estate of Mary K. Moynihan, tax for 1923..... 29 64

Clara S. Robinson—Buildings and about 2,350 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 572, between an estate of Arnold Bornstein and an estate of Annie J. Heath, tax for 1923...\$123 50
Paid on account..... 119 50

Balance due 4 00

Henry A. and Daisy A. Unas—Buildings and about 1,662 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Westminster street, numbered 24, between an estate of Mary A. Mannix and an estate of Lillian P. DeGroat, tax for 1923.....\$74 10
Paid on account..... 60 00

Balance due 14 10

James W. and Sarah A. Wickham—Buildings and about 600 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Woodbury street, numbered 4, between an estate of Martin F. Mulligan and an estate of Abraham Yankelewitz, tax for 1921..... 32 11

WARD FOURTEEN.

Boston Wool and Merchandise Stores, Inc.—Buildings and about 32,824 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ward street, numbered 104, between another estate of said Boston Wool and Merchandise Stores, Inc., and an

estate of William A. Paine, trustee, and others, tax for 1923...\$2,489.76
Paid on account 950 00

Balance due\$1,539 76

Also about 8,309 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Phillips street, making the southerly corner of Ward street, being lot A. C. H. Gannett plan July 12, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 4,151, page 177, tax for 1923...\$128 44
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 78 44

Cornelius J. Connelly—About 2,211 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ellingwood street, adjoining an estate of Patrick Kilday and another, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Ellingwood street; easterly by an estate of William Williams; southerly by estates of William Jacobs, and westerly by an estate of Patrick Kilday and another, tax for 1923 7 41

Helena M. Duffy—About 4,141 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, being lot 6, W. C. Bates plan, dated March 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4,141, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922 16 15

B. E. Grant Company—Buildings and about 14,072 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Floyd street, numbered 77, making the northerly corner of Crawford street, adjoining an estate of Robert H. Gardner and another trustee, tax for 1923..... 1,091 74

James J. Hines—Buildings and about 1,465 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 250, between an estate of Alexander Nicholson and an estate of Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, tax for 1923.....\$81 51
Paid on account..... 25 51

Balance due 56 00

Holland System, Inc.—Buildings, fixed machinery and about 33,929 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Conant street, numbered 89, extending through to Longwood avenue, between an estate of Massachusetts Breweries Company and an estate of James W. Kenney, tax for 1923... 1,852 50

Also buildings and about 1,731 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Longwood avenue, numbered 112, between an estate of Elizabeth E. Coleman and another estate of said Holland System, tax for 1923.... 88 92

A. J. Houghton Company—Buildings and about 2,790 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Halleck street, numbered 132 and 134, between an estate of Domenico Vecchione and another estate of said A. J. Houghton Company, tax for 1923 ...\$135 85
Paid on account 32 00

Balance due 103 85

Also buildings and about 29,979 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Halleck street, numbered 118, between another estate of said A. J. Houghton Company and an estate of Thomas H. Hall, tax for 1923\$1,235 00
Paid on account 600 00

Balance due 635 00

Also about 2,765 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Halleck street, making the southerly corner of Prentiss street, adjoining an estate of Thomas H. Hall, tax for 1923\$46 93
Paid on account 10 00

Balance due 36 93

Also about 2,150 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mindoro street; bounded and described as follows: southeasterly by Mindoro street; northwesterly by an estate of George and Katherine Huber; southwesterly and northeasterly by two other estates of said A. J. Houghton Company, tax for 1923...\$32 11
Paid on account 10 00

Balance due 22 11

Also about 1,881 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mindoro street; bounded and described as follows: southeasterly by Mindoro street; northeasterly and northwesterly by two other estates of said A. J. Houghton Company; southwesterly by an estate of George Huber and another, tax for 1923 ...\$27 17
Paid on account 10 00

Balance due 17 17

Also about 2,291 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mindoro street, bounded and described as follows: Southeastern by Mindoro street; southwesterly, northwesterly and northeasterly by other estates of said A. J. Houghton Company, tax for 1923\$34 58
Paid on account 10 00

Balance due 24 58
Also buildings and about 18,494 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Station street, numbered 37, making the northerly corner of Mindoro street, adjoining another estate of said A. J. Houghton Company, tax for 1923\$1,482 00
Paid on account 800 00

Balance due 682 00
Also about 1,621 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mindoro street, bounded and described as follows: Southeastern by Mindoro street; southwesterly, northwesterly and northeasterly by other estates of said A. J. Houghton Company, tax for 1923\$24 70
Paid on account 10 00

Balance due 14 70

Thomas J. and Bridget E. Kennedy—Buildings and about 2,659 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Heath street, numbered 221, making the southeasterly corner of Hayden street, adjoining an estate of Mary A. Haggerty, tax for 1923 138 32
Thomas and Mary McInerney—Buildings and about 3,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Alleghany street, numbered 7, between an estate of Una D. Guthrie and an estate of Margaret Gilmore, tax for 1923 83 98
Michael McLoughlin Heirs—Buildings and about 2,907 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Darling street, numbered 8, between another estate of said McLoughlin and an estate of Ellen O'Leary devisees, tax for 1923\$148 20
Paid on account 40 00

Balance due 108 20
Also about 2,399 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Darling street, being lot 8, A. W. Sargent plan, dated April 11, 1898, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2524, page 386, tax for 1923\$19 76
Paid on account 10 00

Balance due 9 76
Anna A. O'Connell—Buildings and about 2,880 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 176, between another estate of said O'Connell and an estate of James Johnson, tax for 1923 195 13
Also buildings and about 2,862 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Calumet street, numbered 178, between another estate of said O'Connell and an estate of Dennis J. Kelley, tax for 1923 195 13

WARD FIFTEEN.

Cecelia Burwell—Buildings and about 1,671 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3003, making the northerly corner of Bragdon street, adjoining an estate of Andrew and Ann McCormick, tax for 1923\$91 39
Paid on account 55 00

Balance due \$36 39
Anthony DiGervasi—Buildings and about 1,932 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1432, 1434 and 1436, between an estate of Elizabeth N. Needham and an estate of Lillian M. Girdos, tax for 1923\$155 61
Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 55 61
Bradford Gay, Devisees—Buildings and about 3,720 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Vale street, numbered 12 and 14, between an estate of Edward M. Kehoe and another and an estate of Irene S. McCaffrey, tax for 1923 76 57

Jason E. Herrick, Junior—Buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 5, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$180 31
Paid on account 75 00

Balance due 55 31

Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$175 37
Paid on account 75 00

Balance due 100 87
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 9, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$175 37
Paid on account 75 00

Balance due 100 87
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 11, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$175 37
Paid on account 75 00

Balance due 100 37
Also buildings and about 2,140 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 15, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$175 37
Paid on account 75 00

Balance due 100 37
Also buildings and about 2,297 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cleaves street, at end, numbered 17, adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$175 37
Paid on account 75 00

Balance due 100 37
Also buildings and about 2,059 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, at end, numbered 16, adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$172 90
Paid on account 25 00

Balance due 147 90
Also buildings and about 2,072 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 14, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$172 90
Paid on account 75 00

Balance due 97 90
Also buildings and about 2,074 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 12, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$172 90
Paid on account 75 00

Balance due 97 90
Also buildings and about 2,077 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 10, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$172 90
Paid on account 75 00

Balance due 97 90
Also buildings and about 2,079 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$172 90
Paid on account 75 00

Balance due 97 90
Also buildings and about 2,082 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Cleaves street, numbered 6, making the southerly corner of a passageway adjoining another estate of said Herrick, Junior, tax for 1923\$177 84
Paid on account 75 00

Balance due 102 84
Agnes M. Holl—Buildings and about 15,584 feet of land on the westerly side of Cedar street, numbered 74, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12742, tax for 1922, \$135 85
Paid on account 49 13

Balance due 86 72
Catherine A. Hurley—Buildings and about 2,910 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Highland park, numbered 4½, between an estate of John E. McNulty and an estate of Edward M. Stretton, tax for 1923 54 34

John J. O'Connor—Buildings and about 2,950 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Thornton street, numbered 152 and 154, making the easterly corner of a passageway adjoining an estate of Charles M. Faunce, tax for 1923\$209 95
Paid on account 150 00

Balance due 59 95

WARD SIXTEEN.

Tillie Atkins—Buildings and about 3,605 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hutchings street, numbered 95 and 97, between an estate of Delia Prince and an estate of Hilda Kaplan, tax for 1923\$321 10
Paid on account 200 00

Balance due \$121 10
Harry Cohen—Buildings and about 4,311 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockville park, numbered 2, making the northerly corner of Warren street, adjoining an estate of Walter S. Kelley, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16299, tax for 1923\$160 55
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 110 55
Rose Cohen—Buildings and about 17,349 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 209, between an estate of Morris Galer and an estate of Rose E. Nawn, tax for 1923\$227 24
Paid on account 150 00

Balance due 77 24
Lydia A. Crafts—About 2,742 feet of land on the northwesterly side of a passageway, leading from the northwesterly side of Bainbridge street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Owen J. Flannelly; easterly by estates of John F. J. Countie and another; southerly by said passageway; westerly by an estate of Alfred W. Fitz; tax for 1923 12 35

James A. Fenner—Buildings and about 2,760 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Munroe street, numbered 42, between an estate of Thomas Kelley heirs or devisees, and an estate of John P. Wooten and another, tax for 1923\$222 30
Paid on account 200 00

Balance due 22 30

Morris Friedman—Buildings and about 11,098 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 146, 146A, 148, 148A-150A, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Isaac Bassinoff, tax for 1923\$1,111 50
Paid on account 549 40

Balance due 562 10
Glenway Realty Company—Buildings and about 4,634 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Homestead street, numbered 100 and 102, between another estate of said Glenway Realty Company and an estate of Grace E. Smith, tax for 1923\$592 80
Paid on account 150 00

Balance due 442 80
Also buildings and about 3,375 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 218-222, between an estate of said Glenway Realty Company and an estate of Fannie Ginsberg, tax for 1923\$592 80
Paid on account 150 00

Balance due 442 80
Also buildings and about 1,857 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 224, making the easterly corner of Homestead street, adjoining another estate of said Glenway Realty Company, tax for 1923\$345 80
Paid on account 85 07

Balance due 260 73
Solomon J. Goldings—Buildings and about 7,706 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Crawford street, numbered 64, between an estate of Katherine M. Manning and an estate of Abraham Olitzky, tax for 1923\$234 65
Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 134 65
William J. and Rose L. Hill—Buildings and about 1,733 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Mills street, numbered 14, between an estate of John F. Monahan and an estate of Edward McMahon, tax for 1923\$69 16
Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 19 16

Albert Lewenberg—Buildings and about 868 feet of land on the northerly side of Lansing street, numbered 5, between two other estates of said Lewenberg, tax for 1923 41 99

Also buildings and about 1,386 feet of land on the westerly side of Warren street, numbered 369, 371 and 371 1/2, making the northwesterly corner of Lansing street, adjoining another estate of said Lewenberg, tax for 1922 222 30

Tax for 1923 247 00

Also buildings and about 800 feet of land on the northerly side of Lansing street, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Lewenberg, tax for 1922 44 46

Tax for 1923 44 46

Also buildings and about 833 feet of land on the northerly side of Lansing street, numbered 7, between two other estates of said Lewenberg, tax for 1923 41 99

Annie M., one third, Maude A., one third, and Maurice B. Lynch, one third, buildings and about 2,679 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bainbridge street, numbered 51, making the southerly corner of Kensington street, adjoining another estate of said Lynch, tax for 1923 185 25

Also buildings and about 2,928 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bainbridge street, numbered 53, between another estate of said Annie M. Lynch and others and an estate of Nellie J. Joyce, tax for 1923 185 25

Also buildings and about 2,923 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Kensington street, numbered 2, between another estate of said Annie M. Lynch and others and an estate of William G. A. Sampson, tax for 1923 172 90

Massachusetts Housing Corporation—Buildings and about 6,553 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 73, between an estate of Zed Prophet and another and an estate of Daniel H. Pactovis, tax for 1923 666 90

Moth assessment for 1923 50

Hugh Nawn—Buildings and about 10,880 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brookledge street, numbered 70, making the northerly corner of Elm Hill avenue, adjoining an estate of Henry P. Nawn heirs, tax for 1922 494 00

Moth assessment for 1922 50

Tax for 1923 494 00

Catherine J. O'Brien—Buildings and about 2,824 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Elmore street, numbered 14, between an estate of Thomas F. Croak and an estate of Peter J. Looney and another, tax for 1923 135 85

Rose Pinanski—Buildings and about 7,761 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Walnut avenue, numbered 54, between an estate of James W. Kenney and an estate of Charles M. Blake, and other, executors, tax for 1922 135 85

Tax for 1923 135 85

Mollie Resnick—Buildings and about 6,385 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wenonah street, numbered 43 and 45, making the southerly corner of Waumbeck street, extending through to and numbered 20 and 20A Waumbeck street, adjoining an estate of Johanna Nathan, tax for 1923 \$938 60

Paid on account 300 00

Balance due 638 60

George A. Richards—Buildings and about 5,729 feet of land on the westerly side of Otisfield street, numbered 9, between an estate of Bertha Cramer and an estate of Congregation Shara Tfila, tax for 1923 167 94

Clara Shektell—Buildings and about 3,350 square feet of land on the northeasterly side of Hollander street, numbered 41, between an estate now or formerly of Harry Weiner and an estate now or formerly of Max Resnick and another, tax for 1923 \$197 60

Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 97 60

WARD SEVENTEEN.

Richard F. Andrews, Trustees—Buildings and about 3,108 feet of land on the southerly side of Dudley street, numbered 703, 705, 707 and 709, making southwesterly corner of Nonquit street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Malitz, tax for 1923 \$234 65

Dennis Higgins—About 2,550 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, between an estate of Margaret L. Kerrigan and another estate of said Higgins (numbered 124), tax for 1923 \$22 23

Paid on account 10 00

Balance due 12 23

Also buildings and about 2,399 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, numbered 124, between another estate of said Higgins and an estate of Ida Lebowich and another, tax for 1923 \$49 40

Paid on account 40 00

Balance due 9 40

Sarah L. Levy—Buildings and about 2,938 feet of land on the southerly side of Wayland street, numbered 100 and 102, between an estate of Eli Kaplan and an estate of Emanuel Simons, tax for 1923 \$143 26

Paid on account 100 00

Balance due 43 26

Also buildings and about 2,940 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wayland street, numbered 92 and 94, between another estate of said Levy and an estate of Emanuel Simon, tax for 1923 143 26

Anthony F. Murray—About 2,258 feet of land on the westerly side of Sea View terrace, being lot 9, and the northerly part of lot 8, William Kelly plan, September 3, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2385, page 35, tax for 1923 4 94

Katherine M. Riordan, reassessed from Arthur B. Nash—About 3,027 feet of land on the southerly side of Upham avenue, being lot C, Wm. O. Badger plan, May 8, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2365, page 287, tax for 1923 22 23

Also about 3,027 feet of land on the southerly side of Upham avenue, being lot D, same plan, tax for 1923, 24 70

Ida White—Buildings and about 4,200 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Quincy street, numbered 218, between an estate of Aaron Guber and an estate of Tillie Berenson, tax for 1923 98 80

WARD EIGHTEEN.

Edward F. Cassell—Buildings and about 5,389 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stanwood street, numbered 145, between an estate of Catherine T. Moran and another estate of said Cassell, tax for 1923 \$79 04

Also buildings and about 5,389 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Stanwood street, numbered 143, between another estate of said Cassell and an estate of Boston Excavating Company, tax for 1923 74 10

Harry P. Chadwick—Buildings and about 2,638 feet of land on the southerly side of Josephine street, numbered 31, between an estate of Bessie Miller and another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923 172 90

Also buildings and about 2,300 feet of land on the westerly side of Ditson street, numbered 18, making the southwesterly corner of Josephine street, adjoining another estate of said Chadwick, tax for 1923 197 60

Also buildings and about 2,353 feet of land on the westerly side of Ditson street, numbered 14, between another estate of said Chadwick and an estate of Henry F. Johnson, tax for 1923 172 90

Annie M., one third, Maud A., one third, and Maurice B. Lynch, one third—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Intervale street, numbered 41, between an estate of Etta Greenberg and an estate of Leon Muscanto, tax for 1923 410 02

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 10 49

Mary A. O'Malley—Buildings and about 4,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Clarkson street, numbered 70 and 72, between an estate of Martin Jacobson and another and an estate of Rose A. Brown, tax for 1923 138 32

Thomas D. Quincy—About 57,449 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Everton street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Everton street, northerly and northeasterly by Olney street, westerly and northwesterly by estates of Mary Christy Trustee and Joseph O'Kane and others and southwesterly by an estate of Katherine A.

Lombard, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922 151 64

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 146 04

Lea Shraiar and Joseph Lipland—Buildings and about 5,188 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 318, 318A and 320, between two estates of Frederick Green and another, tax for 1923 \$617 50

Paid on account 200 00

Balance due 417 50

Mabel C. Sullivan—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the northerly side of Homes avenue, numbered 108, making the northeasterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Ann M. Jacobs, tax for 1922 \$49 40

Paid on account 8 12

Balance due 41 28

Tax for 1923 49 40

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 6 63

Also about 2,795 feet of land on the easterly side of a passageway, leading from the northerly side of Homes avenue in the rear of and adjoining another estate of said Sullivan (numbered 108 Homes avenue), tax for 1922 7 41

Tax for 1923 7 41

Tony Wise—About 9,570 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawrence avenue, making the westerly corner of Fernboro street, adjoining an estate of Jennie Sachnin, being lot A, of P. E. Silverman plan, dated November 4, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3935, page 221, tax for 1923 \$93 86

Paid on account 51 78

Balance due 42 08

WARD NINETEEN.

Bessie B. Adnoff, supposed present owner Michael F. Kelly—Buildings and about 7,771 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 714 and 716, making the southerly corner of and numbered 3 and 9 Charlotte street, adjoining an estate of William London, tax for 1923 \$1,548 60

Paid on account 1,200 00

Balance due \$348 60

Henry S. Dove Company (Massachusetts Corporation)—Buildings and about 19,754 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 15, 19, 23 and 27, between two estates of Harry C. Garland, tax for 1923 \$2,306 98

Paid on account 1,150 00

Balance due 1,156 98

Harry C. Garland—About 3,442 feet of land, lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Castlegate road, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly and northwesterly by other estates of said Garland; northeasterly and southeasterly by an estate of Henry S. Dove Company, tax for 1923 24 70

Daniel F. Hackett—Buildings and about 4,812 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, numbered 333, between an estate of D. Frank Hackett and an estate of Arthur J. Watterman, tax for 1923 \$163 02

Paid on account 50 00

Balance due 113 02

Mary E. Harper—Buildings and about 4,647 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Normandy street, numbered 275, between an estate of Annie F. Whitney and an estate of Morris A. Freedman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6252, tax for 1923 209 95

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923 20 70

C. Henry Hetu, reassessed from C. Henry Hette—About 140 square feet of land on the northerly side of Alpha road, bounded and described as follows: southerly by Alpha road; easterly by an estate of Loyola J. Coderre (numbered 25 Alpha road); northerly by an estate of Morris Katz (numbered 356 Park street); and westerly by an estate of Ida Myerson (numbered 29 Alpha road), tax for 1923 2 47

Gabriella T., Georgette G., and Henri L. Lavit (supposed present owner Morris Spack)—Buildings and about 6,511 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Elmo street, numbered 47 and 49, between an estate of Jennie Resnick and an estate of Joseph B. Green, tax for 1923.....\$296 40
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 196 10

James J. McDonald—Buildings and about 6,270 feet of land on the easterly side of Waldeck street, numbered 17, between an estate of Alice M. Downey and an estate of Harriet A. Gartland, tax for 1923..... 185 25

Robert J. and Ida L. Richardson—Buildings and about 4,113 feet of land on the easterly side of Shatter street, numbered 1, between an estate of Margaret J. Hickey and an estate of George H. Carter, trustee, tax for 1923.....\$123 50
Paid on account..... 65 00

Balance due..... 58 50

Jennie Schwartz—Buildings and about 4,980 feet of land on the easterly side of Greenwood street, numbered 100, between an estate of William Applebaum and another and an estate of Bridget Gray and another, tax for 1923.....\$153 14
Paid on account..... 150 00

Balance due..... 3 14

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 9 98

Abraham Shapiro (supposed present owner Della V. Curran)—Buildings and about 8,290 feet of land on the southerly side of Talbot avenue (numbered 282, 284, 286, 288, 288A, 290, 292) extending to and making the southwesterly corner of Aspinwall road, extending to and making the junction of Talbot avenue and Whitfield street, being lots A, B, C, D, Silverman Engineering Co. plan, dated August 12, 1909, being the whole of assessors' block 1500.2, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3393, page 108, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1920..... 3 01

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1920..... 7 18

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 2 93

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 6 95

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922..... 2 83

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922..... 6 72

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 2 73

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 6 48

Rebecca Shulman—Buildings and about 12,518 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Michigan avenue, numbered 15, between an estate of David S. Rubinstein and an estate of Morris Jamron, tax for 1923..... 286 52
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Morris Spack—Buildings and about 5,952 feet of land on the southwestwesterly side of Ellington (formerly Elmo) street, numbered 15, making the southerly corner of Old road, adjoining an estate of Louis Shriver, trustee, tax for 1923.....\$138 32
Paid on account..... 24 50

Balance due..... 113 82

Marshall P. Wilder Heirs or Devises, Edward B. and Jemina R. Wilder Heirs and Grace S. Wilder Heirs or Devises and Nancy J. Bigelow—About 41,890 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Normandy street, making the easterly corner of Wilder road, being lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 2, 3 and 4, Frank A. Foster plan, September 1, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....\$466 83
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 366 83

Edward N. Wyner—About 834 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of McLellan street, in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Edgar E. Stearns (numbered 15), tax for 1923..... 2 47

WARD TWENTY.

Rebecca Adelstera—Buildings and about 2,826 feet of land on the northerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 22, between an estate of Sarah L. Locke and an estate of James F. Keefe and another, tax for 1923.....\$185 25

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 7 81

Marks Angel (reassessed from Emma W. Bonelli)—About 3,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Myrtlebank avenue, adjoining another estate of said Marks Angel, being lot 121, W. A. Mason & Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 4 94

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 5 28

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 6 91

Alice M. and Robert H. Billings—Buildings and about 2,964 feet of land on the westerly side of Clematis street, numbered 11, between an estate of J. Arthur McCoy and another and an estate of Fred L. Douglas and another, tax for 1923, \$113 62
Paid on account..... 70 00

Balance due..... 43 62

Harry P. Chadwick—About 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Tenean street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Tenean street; northerly by an estate of Annie E. Fay, guardian; easterly by an estate of City of Boston, and southerly by an estate of Delia C. Ford, tax for 1923..... 17 29

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 4 86

Also about 3150 feet of land on the westerly side of Verdun street adjoining an estate of Annie A. White being lot 15, Eri Olmstead plan dated March 7, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9358, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Annie M. Connelley—About 7,960 feet of land on the northerly side of Coffey street, adjoining an estate of Rissie F. Brown, being a lot shown on E. Warren Hayden plan, December 2, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 9 88

Richard W. Costello and Mary A.—About 4,315 feet of land on the easterly side of Melbourne street, being lot 44, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated October 5, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3680, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Thomas F. Donahue—About 4,333 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, adjoining an estate of Temple H. Fay and another, being lot 53, W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 7 41

George N. Douse—About 4,332 feet of land on southeasterly side of Elm road, making the easterly corner of Guild road, being lot 41, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923.....\$14 82
Paid on account..... 6 00

Balance due..... 8 82

Also about 4,194 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Guild road, being lot 42, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923.....\$14 82
Paid on account..... 6 00

Balance due..... 8 82

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bates road, adjoining an estate of Edward H. Wiggins and others, trustees, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....\$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bates road, adjoining another estate of said Douse, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....\$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Elm road, making the easterly corner of Bates road, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....\$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Guild road, making the southerly corner of Elm road, being lot 40, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923.....\$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Guild road, being lot 37, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, November 19, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3888, page 75, tax for 1923.....\$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Guild road, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1923.....\$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Also about 5,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Guild road, adjoining another estate of said Douse, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.....\$19 76
Paid on account..... 9 00

Balance due..... 10 76

Temple H. Fay and George W. Field—About 4,238 feet of land on the southerly side of Marsh street, being lot 54, shown on W. A. Mason and Son plan, October, 1907, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923..... 7 41

Maude S. Glover—About 6,887 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Berkshire street, making the westerly corner of Westmoreland street, adjoining another estate of said Glover (numbered 79 Beaumont street), tax for 1922.....\$41 99
Paid on account..... 36 74

Balance due..... 5 25

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 11 88

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922..... 13 75

Moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Also buildings and about 8,112 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Beaumont street, numbered 79, making the southerly corner of Berkshire street, and an estate of Mary F. McLaughlin, tax for 1922.....\$167 96
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 67 96

Moth assessment for 1922..... 66

Charles E., one third, Charles H., two ninths, Lyman B., two ninths, and Walter B. Hewins, two ninths, supposed present owner Conway Realty Company—About 9,450 feet of land on the southerly side of Old Colony Railroad, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Old Colony Railroad, southerly by a tributary of Great creek, easterly by estate of Mary J. Reddy, westerly by estate of Conway Realty Company, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Annie M. Kelley—About 3,497 feet of land on the easterly side of Freeport street, making the northeasterly corner of Plymouth street, adjoining estate of Boston Consolidated Gas Company and estate of Hugh Riley, tax for 1922..... 12 35

Charles J. Kelley—About 3,200 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, adjoining an estate of Cambridge Realty Company, being lot 16, shown on G. H. Sherman plan, dated September 20, 1911, recorded Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8091, tax for 1922, tax for 1923..... 7 41
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Also about 3,095 feet of land on the northerly side of Marsh street, being lot 22, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 5226, tax for 1922..... 7 41
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Mary A. Lane—Buildings and about 3,022 feet of land on the southerly side of Rosemont road, S. W., numbered 7, between an estate of Winifred Harper and an estate of Lawrence T. Plunkett and another, tax for 1923..... 172 90
Moth assessment for 1923..... 50

Josephine Lewike, supposed present owner Nellie L. Sopkin—Buildings and about 1,612 feet of land on the southerly side of Barnes street, numbered 18, between an estate of Hannah E. Tibbets and an estate of Charles A. Peabody, tax for 1923..... 74 10

Ida D. Lewis—About 378 feet of land on the northerly side of Shenandoah street, between an estate of Thorella M. C. Horner and an estate of Charles E. Hatfield, tax for 1923..... 2 47

Marion McGettrick—About 2,041 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wainwright street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Bessie M. Batchelder (numbered 25), tax for 1923.....	4 94	side of Lonsdale street, numbered 113, between an estate of Annie M. Burke and an estate of Susan A. Hannon, tax for 1923.....\$135 85 Paid on account.....85 85	
Mary C. McGrath—About 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, adjoining an estate of said McGrath, being lot 15, as shown on F. T. Wescott plan, dated May, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3,665, page 152, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Balance due.....50 00	
Also about 3,204 feet of land on the easterly side of Manor street, adjoining an estate of said McGrath, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7 41	William N. Ward and Margaret E. Cram—About 4,625 feet of land on the westerly side of a 30-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by a 30-foot street leading from the southerly side of Tileston place; southerly by an estate of Charles A. Hart; and westerly by an estate of Christina Adduci and northerly by an estate of Besse Eldridge, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Methodist Episcopal Church Trustees—Buildings and about 9,582 feet of land on the southerly side of Parkman street, between an estate of Lawrence Larsen and another and an estate of David F. Doyle and another, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Herbert L. and Elviah H. York—Buildings and about 13,715 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 296, between an estate of Minnie E. Young and an estate of James Brophy, tax for 1923.....	222 30
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50
David Milne—About 4,265 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marsh street, adjoining an estate of Walter H. Bonelli, being lot 85, as shown on W. A. Mason and Son plan, dated October, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3226, tax for 1923.....	7 41	WARD TWENTY-ONE.	
Margaret E. Nichols—About 5,949 feet of land on the southerly side of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Centre street; westerly by an estate of Old Colony Railroad Company; southerly by an estate of Frances P. Farrell, and easterly by an estate of Catherine M. Manning and another estate fronting on Samoset street, tax for 1923.....	24 70	William J. Barry—Buildings and about 5,381 feet of land on the northerly side of Morton street, numbered 646 and 648, making the easterly corner of Havelock street, adjoining an estate of Sarah Cadiff, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921.....	\$11 44
John J. Printon—About 2,030 feet of land on the westerly side of Tenean street, adjoining an estate of Edward Hamlin and another, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; southerly by an estate of Edward Hamlin and another; westerly by the Old Colony Railroad, and easterly by Tenean street, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Georgianna F. G. Bates—Buildings and about 5,694 feet of land on the northerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 90, between an estate of Michael J. Quinn (numbered 92) and an estate of Elizabeth Foster (numbered 88), tax for 1923.....	123 50
James A. Quigley—About 600 feet of land on the northerly side of Park street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Park street; westerly by an estate of Bridget Burke; northerly by an estate of Caroline Joski, and easterly by an estate of Rebecca Sprinsky, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Robert Robinson—Buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 9, between an estate of said Robinson and an estate of Christina J. Berry, tax for 1923.....	190 19	Fred L. Briggs—Buildings and about 2,916 feet of land on the southerly side of Epping street, numbered 10, between an estate of Frank A. Russell and an estate of John Carroll, tax for 1923.....	\$123 50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Paid on account.....	105 80
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Balance due.....	17 70
Moth assessment for 1921.....	50	Emma E. Brigham, Mortgagee in possession—About 6,462 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 8, H. C. Midram plan, March 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land court, certificate number 13886 tax for 1922.....	24 70
Also buildings and about 3,750 feet of land on the southerly side of Lithgow street, numbered 11, between an estate of Annie J. Cain and an estate of said Robinson, tax for 1923.....	190 19	Tax for 1923.....	24 70
Fannie Rosenberg—About 783 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Edwin street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by an estate of Annie Levine; westerly by an estate of Harry P. Azadian; northerly by an estate of Arthur E. Jones, and easterly by an estate of Henry E. Hardwick, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	34 45
Susan Romney—About 7,147 feet of land on the westerly side of Milwood street, being lot 10, Wm. O. Badger plan, September 17, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1845, page 580, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Also about 6,354 feet of land on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, being lot 7, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13886, tax for 1922.....	24 70
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Tax for 1923.....	24 70
Edward Sharpe, one eighth, Howland Sharpe, one eighth, Everett Sharpe, one eighth, Elizabeth Sharpe, one eighth, and James C. Sharpe Heirs or Devises, four eighths—About 18,100 feet of land on the easterly side of Brook street, adjoining an estate of Martha L. Tolman, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Martha L. Tolman; easterly by the City of Boston; westerly by Brook street, and southerly by an estate of Alice McMorrow and others, tax for 1923.....	22 23	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	21 77
Charles A. Sheehy and Mary G. Sheehy—About 3,200 feet of land on the southerly side of Cedar Grove, adjoining an estate of Sarah Lynch, being lot 178, William E. Hannon plan, dated December 21, 1914, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4120, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 4,472 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O 9, Henry C. Midram plan, March 3, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court certificate number 1494, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Lucy J. Sweeney—Buildings and about 3,538 feet of land on the southerly		Tax for 1923.....	9 88
		Also about 4,558 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Outlook road, being lot O 10, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land court certificate number 1494 tax for 1922.....	9 88
		Tax for 1923.....	9 88
		Also about 9,520 feet of land on the southerly side of Duke street, being lot 46, Ernest W. Bowditch plan, March 1, 1898, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land court, certificate number 14111, tax for 1922.....	27 17
		Also about 3,500 feet of land on the southwest side of Outlook road, being lot A, H. C. Midram plan, November 5, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3778, page 53, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Emma E. Brigham, Mortgagee in Possession re-assessed from Wellington Holbrook and other Trustees—About 3,500 feet of land on the southwest side of Outlook Road, being lot A, H. C. Midram plan, dated Nov. 5, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3778, Page 53, tax for 1922.....	2 47
		Samuel S. Cantor—Buildings and about 5,847 feet of land on the southwest side of Clarkwood street, numbered 35, between an estate of Max Starr and an estate of Anna Abrams, tax for 1923.....	212 42
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	12 88
		Joseph B. and Mary L. Carey—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Glenhill road, numbered 37, between an estate of Jennie L. Fraser and an estate of Franklin I. Smith, trustee, tax for 1923.....	\$121 03
		Paid on account.....	15 00
		Balance due.....	106 03
		William G. Carpenter and Catherine L. Carpenter, reassessed from Harry P. Chadwick—About 3,602 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rock avenue, between an estate of Clarence W. Albee and an estate of Joseph P. Eccleston and another, tax for 1922.....	12 35
		Harry P. Chadwick—About 2,025 feet of land on the southerly side of Tonset street, adjoining an estate of Mary Scoupolous, being the westerly part of lot 39, E. L. Moulton plan, March 31, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3305, page 582, tax for 1922.....	7 41
		Tax for 1923.....	7 41
		Also about 30,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Canterbury street, between an estate of Teresa Smyth (numbered 124) and an estate of Mary E. Brady (numbered 110), tax for 1923.....	59 28
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Codman Square Theatre Co.—Buildings and about 23,827 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, numbered 635, 637 and 639, between another estate of said Codman Square Theatre Co. (numbered 631) and an estate of Sarah Rice (numbered 641 to 649 inclusive), tax for 1923.....	5,201 82
		William A. and Helene R. Coolidge—Buildings and about 5,098 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 84, between an estate of Stephen J. Kennedy and another and an estate of Minnie L. Butlain, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	17 84
		Esther Corman—Buildings and about 5,917 feet of land on the northerly side of Hansborough street, numbered 47, making the northeasterly corner of Harvard street, adjoining an estate of Samuel Corman and another, tax for 1923.....	\$247 00
		Paid on account.....	180 00
		Balance due.....	67 00
		Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 42
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Emily D. Cox Heirs—About 4,783 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hanfield avenue, being lot 92, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2271, tax for 1922.....	7 41
		Meyer Dana, supposed present owner Abram Golden and Bella Kaplan—About 4,654 feet of land on the northerly side of Claxton (now Calender street) adjoining an estate of Israel Kagro, being lot D (now lots D1 and D2) Silverman Engineering Co. plan, May 1, 1912, with subdivision by C. B. Humphrey, October, 1914; registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, Certificate number 4608, apportionment of street construction for 1918.....	38 79
		Apportionment of street construction for 1919.....	29 65
		Apportionment of street construction for 1920.....	28 81
		Apportionment of street construction for 1921.....	27 94
		Apportionment of street construction for 1922.....	27 07
		Apportionment of street construction for 1923.....	26 19
		Ethel Davis—Buildings and about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Deering road, numbered 77, between an estate of Jennie E. Barrows and an estate of Tillie Rosen, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14697, tax for 1923.....	\$172 90
		Paid on account.....	72 90
		Balance due.....	100 00
		Leone A. Field—Buildings and about 13,707 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, numbered 459, between an estate of Edith T. Baker and an estate of George G. Glover, tax for 1922.....	108 68
		Moth assessment for 1922.....	1 30
		Everett A. Flynn—About 6,346 feet of land on the northerly side of Jones avenue, being lot E, on a plan not named and not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1631, page 113, tax for 1923.....	24 70

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	24 25		
Jacob and Pauline Green—About 3,364 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, making the easterly corner of Norfolk street, adjoining another estate of said Jacob L. and Pauline Green (numbered 422 Norfolk street), apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	17 23		
Joseph A. Greene—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southerly side of Walton street, numbered 21, making the southeasterly corner of Grace street, adjoining an estate of Helen F. Kelley, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	18 00		
Ida M. Hodsdon—Buildings and about 6,676 feet of land on the southerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 78, between an estate of Alice J. Anderson and an estate of John J. Delay, tax for 1923.....	93 98		
Also buildings and about 3,960 feet of land on the easterly side of Edson street, numbered 52, between an estate of Max Shepard and an estate of Jennie Nalherseg, tax for 1923.....	148 20		
Wellington, John B., and Grace Holbrook, trustees—About 80,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Byers road, making the southerly corner of Outlook road, adjoining another estate of said Wellington Holbrook and others, trustees, being lot V, assessed as lots 201 to 217 inclusive, Henry C. Mildram plan, Sept. 1, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court Certificate, number 1494, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65		
Annie M. Kelley—About 115,723 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Morton street, between an estate of Isaac Dantowitz and an estate of Israel Goldstein, tax for 1923.....	286 52		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	93 53		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	85		
Fannie Kreiger—Buildings and about 3,214 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Lorne street, numbered 38, adjoining an estate of Michael Andelman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10490, moith assessment for 1921.....	50		
Elizabeth G. Lynds—Buildings and about 5,079 feet of land on the north-ewesterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 106, adjoining an estate of Annie Small, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11503, tax for 1923.....	123 50		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Rose Miller—Buildings and about 4,095 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 73, between an estate of Deborah Cohen and an estate of Anna Poorvu, tax for 1923.....	185 25		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	8 37		
Mary Moynihan—Buildings and about 4,330 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Woodlawn avenue, numbered 5 and 7, between an estate of Mary B. Banfield and others and an estate of Willis C. Corey, tax for 1923.....	49 40		
Angelo Penta—Buildings and about 4,350 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Stratton street, numbered 93, between another estate of said Penta and an estate of Morris Hahn, tax for 1923.....	\$197 60		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	97 60		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 65		
Also buildings and about 4,350 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Stratton street, numbered 97, between another estate of said Penta and an estate of Angelo Penta and another, tax for 1923.....	\$197 60		
Paid on account.....	100 00		
Balance due.....	97 60		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 65		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Angelo Penta and Agostino De Stefano—About 3,878 feet of land on the northerly side of Floyd street, being lot 40, J. F. Connell plan, dated Nov. 9, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 3624, Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Samuel W. and Mary Petterson—Buildings and about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, numbered 624, adjoining another estate of said Petterson, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923.....	98 80		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 12, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 13, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also about 3,600 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harvard street, being lot 16, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14108, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
William A. Plaisted—About 5,268 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Banfield avenue, making the northerly corner of Woodlawn avenue, being lot 100, John H. Rice plan, May 15, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2271, tax for 1922.....	17 29		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95		
Also about 4,510 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Woodlawn avenue, being lot 99, same plan, tax for 1922.....	12 35		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	85		
Tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95		
Vira H. Powers—Buildings and about 3,214 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Lorne street, numbered 4, adjoining another estate of said Powers, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15957, tax for 1923.....	\$335 92		
Paid on account.....	175 00		
Balance due.....	160 92		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 39		
Also buildings and about 3,396 feet of land on the westerly side of Harvard street, numbered 307, making the southwest-erly corner of Lorne street, extending through to Austin street, adjoining another estate of said Powers, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 15957, tax for 1923.....	\$340 86		
Paid on account.....	175 00		
Balance due.....	165 86		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	12 65		
August Schwartz—Buildings and about 4,680 feet of land on the westerly side of Whitman street, numbered 21, between an estate of Caroline Von G. Digney and an estate of Charles D. Baker, moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Deborah Segalman—About 2,326 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Callender street, being lot H. Silverman Engineering Company plan, May 1, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13643, tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Also buildings and about 5,322 feet of land on the southerly side of Callender street, numbered 178, adjoining another estate of said Segalman, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 13643, tax for 1923.....	\$185 25		
Paid on account.....	81 74		
Balance due.....	103 51		
John Shaw Heirs—About 3,360 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Halborn street, being lot 36, John H. Rice plan, dated April 2, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2195, Page 334, tax for 1922.....	7 41		
Moith assessment for 1922.....	50		
Tax for 1923.....	7 41		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95		
Annie Sheingold—Buildings and about 6,403 feet of land on the easterly side of Irma street, numbered 16, between another estate of said Sheingold and an estate of Harry Shopnick, tax for 1923.....	197 60		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	25 50		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Also about 10,814 feet of land on the easterly side of Irma street, being lot 1, S. L. Leftovith plan, February 2, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3865, page 181, tax for 1923.....	56 81		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	42 12		
John H. Sherburne, Trustee under will of Jacob Foss—About 1,021 feet of land on the easterly side of a passage-way leading from the southerly side of Callender street, being the easterly part of lot 3, Charles F. Baxter plan, January 21, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2334, page 603, tax for 1922.....	4 94		
Tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Franklin I. Smith, trustee for Louis F. Buff—About 146,185 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Lorna road, at end, being lot 62, H. A. Millhouse plan, dated Jan. 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1923.....	54 34		
Samuel Smorack and Samuel Poverman—About 1,032 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Woodrow avenue, between an estate of Joseph Lass- and another estate of Georgia N. Mayberry, tax for 1923.....	4 94		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
Peter Theophilopoulos—About 5,431 feet of land on the southeasterly corner of Westmore road, making the southerly corner of Deering road, being lot 75, Henry C. Mildram plan, September, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7726, tax for 1923.....	17 29		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	13 96		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	50		
May Walters—About 13,829 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being a lot shown on John H. Rice plan, October 11, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2090, page 106, tax for 1923.....	19 76		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	26 27		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	95		
Augusta I. Weisberg—About 9,508 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Blue Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Callender street, being lots 1 to 8, inclusive, S. L. Leftovith plan, October 27, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4326, page 279, tax for 1923.....	106 21		
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	26 75		
Moith assessment for 1923.....	65		
William Williams—About 5,565 feet of land on the westerly side of Grove-land street, being lot 40, George A. Kimball plan, October, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2425, tax for 1923.....	12 35		
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	9 86		
Williams Realty Company—Buildings and about 8,844 feet of land on the westerly side of Washington street, making the northwesterly corner of Mora street, adjoining an estate of Delia A. Kavanaugh, tax for 1923.....	437 14		
WARD TWENTY-TWO.			
Charles A. Belford Heirs—About 2,450 feet of land lying in the rear from the westerly side of Washington street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Thomas F. Ward; easterly by an estate of Annie E. Kenney and another; southerly by an estate of Israel Bravman and westerly by an estate of Margaret Green, tax for 1922.....	\$14 82		
Tax for 1923.....	14 82		
Mabel E. Chadwick—About 3,160 (assessed as 3,106) feet of land on the easterly side of Dunster road, adjoining an estate of Hannah L. Fletcher, being the easterly part of lot B. W. C. Bates plan, dated March 9, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3866, page 601, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	21 20		
Mary Chmiell—Buildings and about 9,710 feet of land on the westerly side of Center street, numbered 561, 563, 565, 567, 569, 571, 573, 575, 577 and 579, making the southwest-erly corner of Lakeville place and the north-ewesterly corner of Goodrich road, adjoining an estate of Helen F. Folsom heirs or devisees, tax for 1923.....	\$738 53		
Paid on account.....	300 00		
Balance due.....	438 53		
John N. Chute—About 4,400 feet of land on the northerly side of St. Rose street, adjoining the estate of Dawson Johnson, being lot 17, Edmund K. Brown plan, dated April 13, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2892, tax for 1922.....	17 29		

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	16 06	O'Brien, being lot 23, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated May 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2394, tax for 1922.....	86 45	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 55
Tax for 1923.....	17 29	Moth assessment for 1922.....	66	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	15 53	Tax for 1923.....	86 45	Also about 7,095 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by Temple street; northwesterly and southwesterly by estates of Michael Burke and others, trustees, and southeasterly by an estate of Laura K. Ellis, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Julia A. Cotter—About 3,540 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tower street, adjoining another estate of said Cotter, being lot 209, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated November 18, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2174, page 614, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	37 80	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	4 55
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	5 43	Also about 3,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tower street, being lot 210, same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 3,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Tower street, being lot 210, same plan, tax for 1923.....	27 17	Apportionment of sidewalk assessment for 1923.....	5 41	Also about 6,912 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Montclair avenue, being lot 89, Garbett and Wood plan, May 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1923.....	41 99
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Roger A. Deveney—Buildings and about 16,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Clive street, numbered 23, being an estate of Louis H. Jacobs and another and an estate of Margaret C. Walsh, tax for 1923.....	205 01	Max Cohen—About 1,102 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Dana road, being lot 69, block 11, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 242, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Annie M. Dolan—Buildings and about 1,503 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3835—Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	36 29	George W. Fowle—About 5,524 feet of land on the southerly side of Chestnut square, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Chestnut square; easterly by an estate of Thomas Robinette; westerly by an estate of William T. Haverly, and southerly by an estate of Alice B. Stephenson heirs, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Patrick and Alice G. Collieran—About 3,438 feet of land on the easterly side of Nut street, being lot 6, block C. Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14280, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Franciscan Monastery of St. Clare—About 88,218 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Barlow street, making the southerly corner of Wachusett street, bounded and described as follows; northeasterly by Barlow street; southeasterly by the location of Forest Hills Cemetery; southwesterly by the location of Forest Hills Cemetery and an estate of Mary C. Cronin and northwesterly by the location of Wachusett street, tax for 1923.....	217 36	Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	297 31	William E. Cuniff—Buildings and about 2,503 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brook Farm road, number 154, making the southerly corner of La Grange street, adjoining an estate of Anna M. Murphy, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Morris Gordon—Buildings and about 2,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 3504, between an estate of Annie Van Tassel and an estate of Kate Casali, tax for 1923.....	93 86	Margaret G. C. Alder—Buildings and about 8,600 feet of land, numbered 12 Florence street, between an estate of William S. Macomber and an estate of Laura L. Miller, tax for 1923.....	\$192 66	Aloysius F. Dowd—Buildings and about 9,727 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Ashland street, numbered 44, between an estate of Horace Lindell and an estate of Kenneth Sherburne, tax for 1923.....	185 25
Margaret Lemist—About 2,500 feet of land on the southerly side of a 20-foot passageway leading from the easterly side of Arborway, adjoining an estate of James O'Neil, being lot 10, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated July 20, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2029, page 32, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Paid on account.....	100 00	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Ellen T. and Catherine F. Norton—About 3,947 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Stedman street, being the remainder after the widening of Stony brook, adjoining an estate of John J. Meehan and others, trustees, being lot 31, J. Edwin Jones plan, June 1, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2009, page 273, tax for 1923.....	17 29	Balance due.....	\$92 66	Josephine W. Dufoua—About 3,968 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Florence street, being lot 64, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 15, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16163, tax for 1923.....	14 82
Bridget T. O'Brien—Buildings and about 6,273 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 3829 and 3831, between an estate of Annie M. Dolan and an estate of A. Letitia Paraboschi, tax for 1923.....	96 33	Mary Ayer—About 4,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of La Grange street, being lot 218, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1922.....	4 94	Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	14 27
Apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1923.....	24 62	Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Marion T. Ellenwood—Buildings and about 6,160 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, numbered 292, between an estate of John Tekel and an estate of Ellen T. Cowbig, tax for 1923.....	79 04
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Tax for 1923.....	4 94	James F. M. Farquhar set off to James F. M. Farquhar heirs or devisees—About 309,037 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Poplar street, making the southerly corner of Grew avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Poplar street; southerly and southeasterly by other estates of said Farquhar heirs or devisees; easterly by Grew avenue and westerly and southwesterly by other estates of said Farquhar heirs or devisees, tax for 1921.....	153 14
Francis S. Frederick and Arthur H. Parker Trustees under will of Ebenezer F. Parker—About 4,505 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Marmion street, adjoining an estate of Charles A. Getz, being lot 36, W. C. Bates plan, dated January 1, 1909, on file in assessor's office, tax for 1922.....	22 23	Moth assessment for 1923.....	12 35	Emma C. Fisher—About 1,736 feet of land on the easterly side of Salinan street, being lot 40, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7743, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Joseph Pittorino—Buildings and about 3,425 feet of land on the southerly side of Montebello road, numbered 35, between an estate of James W. McKeown and an estate of Mary A. Northway, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921.....	13 72	Also about 12,106 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Clarendon avenue, being lot 115, same plan, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 1,681 feet of land on the easterly side of Salinan street, being lot 41, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7743, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Edna N. Pope—About 3,666 feet of land on the easterly side of South street making the southeasterly corner of Rosemary street, adjoining another estate of said Pope, being lot A, George H. Wetherbee, Jr., plan, dated December, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4334, page 308, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 5,045 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lasell street, being lot 18, Block 18, J. W. Morrison plan, dated April 21, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2200, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Also about 1,681 feet of land on the easterly side of Salinan street, being lot 41, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7743, tax for 1923.....	2 47
Roger F. Scannell—About 8,848 feet of land on the easterly side of Centre street, adjoining an estate of Julia		Also about 11,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lark street, being lot 60, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 193, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 1,681 feet of land on the easterly side of Salinan street, being lot 41, block F, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7743, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Also about 2,973 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Park terrace, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Park terrace; northeasterly by an estate of Elizabeth G. McLaughlin; southeasterly by estate of Mabel F. Wood; southerly by estate of Jesse B. Osgood and southwesterly by estate of Helen A. Shaw and others, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Also about 11,881 feet of land on the westerly side of Perkins street, making the junction of Grew avenue, being lot 19, G. L. Richardson plan, June, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1778, page 556, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Edward F. Foley—About 3,748 feet of land on the southerly side of Weld street, being lot 272, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 6, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 16202, tax for 1923.....	14 82
		Also about 7,097 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Temple street, bounded and described as follows: Northeastly by Temple street, northwesterly by an estate of Laura K. Ellis; southwesterly by an estate of Michael Burke and other trustees, and southeasterly by an estate of George H. Stevens and another, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
				Helen G. Goodman, three ninths, John J., one ninth, William H., one ninth, Walter E., one ninth, Helen M., one ninth, Mildred G., one ninth and Charles G. Goodman, one ninth—Buildings and about 6,973 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Beech street, numbered 143, between an estate of Mary J. Cruickshank and an estate of Eugene N. Foss, tax for 1923.....	37 05

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Ralph Hermann—About 10,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Thrush street, being lots 119 and 120, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Laura A. Hilton—About 4,000 feet of land on the northly side of Stinson street, being lot 28, Block E, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry of Land Court, certificate number 13920, moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
James and Annie M. Hughes—About 2,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Billings street, being lot 8, shown on a plan dated October 25, 1895, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2558, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	8	45
John Jennings (reassessed from J. W. Wilbur Co., Inc.)—About 497 feet of land on the easterly side of Grove street, being the westerly part of lot 46, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, tax for 1922.....	2	47
John E. Kickham—About 6,722 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Congreve street, being lot 43, Chas. H. Wood plan, June 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2389, page 89, apportionment of sidewalk construction assessment for 1922.....	19	52
John J. Lyons—About 3,483 feet of land on the northwesterly side of North avenue, being lot 4, block B, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 9747, moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Mary M. Maguire—About 1,325 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being the westerly part of lot 11, W. C. Bates plan, dated May 22, 1907, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3354, page 539, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Helen McAnley—About 5,150 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eldredge street, being lot L, W. C. Bates plan, February 12, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10938, tax for 1923.....	4	94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6	94
Also about 5,098 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Eldredge street, being lot R, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10938, tax for 1923.....	4	94
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6	94
Mary E. McCullough—Buildings and about 5,269 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Johnswood road, numbered 10, between an estate of Winifred Rice and an estate of Eugene A. Kelly and another, tax for 1923.....	123	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Josephine B. McLain—Buildings and about 9,712 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pleasant street, numbered 26, making the easterly corner of Preston road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Pike, moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Mary McLean—About 22,300 feet of land lying in the rear from the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot 32, W. C. Bates plan, March 20, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12337, tax for 1923.....	2	47
George A. Monroe—About 4,014 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Fur-bush road, being lot 63, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	
Edward A. Morgan (supposed present owner Robert W. Fowler)—About 4,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Aldrich street, being lot 63, J. E. Jones plan, November 9, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2027, page 67, moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 4,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Aldrich street, being lot 64, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9	88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Nora M. O'Brien—Buildings and about 5,250 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Corey street, numbered		
294, between two other estates of said O'Brien, tax for 1923.....	172	90
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, being lot 12, J. Edwin Jones plan, April 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1844, page 527, tax for 1923.....	7	41
Also about 5,250 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	9	88
Maria Olson—About 1,579 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 15, block F, Hodges and George plan, dated 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 1,537 feet of land on the westerly side of High road, being lot 17, block F, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Kathleen A. O'Rourke—About 10,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Walnut street, adjoining an estate of Alexander F. Wilson, being lot 79, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	4	94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	
Margaret M. and J. Harry O'Leary—Buildings and about 3,733 feet of feet of land on the northly side of Gardner street, numbered 71, between an estate of Mary C. Langhans (numbered 67) and an estate of Katherine L. Corbett (numbered 75), tax for 1923.....	86	45
Helen L. Potter—About 1,350 feet of land, lying in the rear from the westerly side of Wren street in the rear of and adjoining an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Harriet I. B. Moss; northeasterly by an estate of Margaret F. Tinker; southeasterly by an estate of Agnes M. Finneran and southwesterly by an estate of Robert T. Hathaway, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Marietta E. Robinson—Buildings and about 7,000 feet of land on the north-easterly side of Mt. Vernon street, numbered 87, adjoining another estate of said Robinson, being lot 1, W. C. Bates plan, dated January 4, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4005, page 521, tax for 1923.....	160	55
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	
Also about 7,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot 2, same plan, tax for 1923.....	37	05
Also about 5,190 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	19	76
Also about 5,797 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Mt. Vernon street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	22	23
Jeanette H. Romer—Buildings and about 4,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chilton road, numbered 14, between an estate of Mary F. Connolly and another estate of said Romer, tax for 1923.....	148	20
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	33	30
Also about 4,750 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chilton road, adjoining another estate of said Romer, being lot 110, W. C. Bates plan, dated October 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2478, tax for 1923.....	24	70
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923.....	33	30
Lena M. Savage—About 4,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, being lot 132 Charles D. Elliot plan, August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Gerald J. Savage, Inc.—About 4,095 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, adjoining another estate of said Savage, being lot 132, Charles D. Elliot plan, dated August 29, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2224, tax for 1921.....	2	47
Also about 5,322 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Farragut street, making the junction of Ells-wood street, being lot 169, same plan, tax for 1921.....	2	47
John D. Sheehy—Buildings and about 7,500 feet of land on the northeast-erly side of Summer street, numbered 26, between another estate of said Sheehy and an estate of Mary F. Blake, tax for 1923.....	79	04
Also about 7,500 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summer street, adjoining another estate of said		
Sheehy, being a lot shown on assess-ors' plans, volume 10, page 210, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	12	35
John Singer—Buildings and about 10,600 feet of land on the southwest-erly side of Centre street, numbered 1750, between an estate of Marion L. Woodward and an estate of Mary G. Hendle, tax for 1923.....	\$123	50
Paid on account.....	75	00
Balance due.....	48	50
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Fred Solomon—About 7,885 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Cornell street, being the northwesterly part of lot 36, J. Edwin Jones plan, July 2, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2250, tax for 1922.....	7	41
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Morris Strecker and devisees under will of Nanetti Strecker—About 20,133 feet of land on the northwesterly side of East street, being lot 41, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated April, 1871, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4	94
Also about 20,567 feet of land on the northwesterly side of East street, making the easterly corner of High street, being lot 42, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 72,900 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, at end, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7	41
Also about 14,476 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 44, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 14,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 45, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 15,486 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 46, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 15,391 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 47, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 15,670 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 48, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 15,972 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 49, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 16,298 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 50, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 15,270 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 51, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	
Also about 22,403 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 52, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 20,353 feet of land on the northwesterly side of High street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1923.....	7	41
Also about 10,450 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Gardner street, making the easterly corner of High street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 17,100 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, being lot 38, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 10,925 feet of land on the southeasterly side of High street, making the southerly corner of East street, being lot 39, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 10,925 feet of land on the southwesterly side of East street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Also about 10,450 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Gardner street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2	47
Donato Vigorito—About 6,373 feet of land on the easterly side of Alkyris road, being lot 33, Ernest W. Branch plan, November 1, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3705, moth assessment for 1923..	50	

George O. Wales—About 14,976 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Park street, making the westerly corner of Oriole street, being lot 10, shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 194, on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1923.....	74 10	1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3136, page 433, tax for 1923.....	7 41	estate of Timothy Kelliher, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	11 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 08	James K. Durning—About 4,484 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Richmond road, being lot 55, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Moth assessment for 1923.....	65	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 60
James P. Walsh—About 1,953 feet of land on the easterly side of Dunbarton road, being lot 281, Ernest W. Branch plan, January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1921.....	2 47	Harry P. Chadwick—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, being lot 79, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Thomas F. Downey—Buildings and about 38,320 feet of land on the easterly side of Business street, numbered 64, between an estate of John Campanella and another and an estate of Annetta Tileston, tax for 1923.....	\$293 93
Patrick F. Welch—About 7,245 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hillcrest street, making the southerly corner of Temple street, being lot 65, Garbett and Wood plan, September 13, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2086, page 76, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922.....	9 60	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	12 19	Paid on account.....	150 00
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1922.....	19 13	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harmon street, being lot 89, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Balance due.....	143 93
WARD TWENTY-FOUR.					
Frank Anustase—About 6,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Weybosset street, adjoining an estate of Joseph Messina, being lots 86, 87 and 88, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	\$1 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Moth assessment for 1923.....	5 05
Louis E. Barber—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining an estate of Bessie Walsh, being lot 70, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1922.....	9 88	Also about 12,172 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 52, John Maschold plan, March 12, 1883, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 1813, page 595, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company—About 50,900 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Dana avenue, bounded and described as follows: Southwest by Dana avenue and Bridge street; southeasterly by the location of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; northeasterly by an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts and northwesterly by Neponset river, tax 1923.....	1,235 00
Tax for 1923.....	9 88	Also about 8,661 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 53, same plan, tax for 1923, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Annie C. Ferguson—About 152,460 feet of land on the northerly side of Oakland street, being a lot shown on C. H. Gannett plan, April 10, 1906, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14702, moth assessment for 1923.....	9 75
Elizabeth C. Bickmore, Heirs or Devises (reassessed to Harry C. Bickmore)—About 888,819 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Upton street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Upton street; northwesterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston, and southeasterly by an estate of Nathaniel Safford, tax for 1923.....	59 28	Also about 8,304 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 54, same plan, tax for 1923, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Julia E. Fuller—About 16,250 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Royal road, being lots 3, 4 and 5, and the southwesterly part of lots 1 and 2 John N. McClintock plan October 7, 1901, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	14 82
Moth assessment for 1923.....	9 75	Also about 8,064 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 55, same plan, tax for 1923, tax for 1923.....	9 88	Edward Gately Heirs or Devises—About 3,490 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 7, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 184,404 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Alfred Foster heirs or devisees and the Stony Brook Reservation; northwesterly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard; southwesterly by an estate of Charles J. Kelley, and southeasterly by an estate of Alfred Foster, trustee, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 8,016 feet of land on the westerly side of Meyer street, being lot 56, same plan, tax for 1923, tax for 1923.....	9 88	George H. Glazier—Building and about 46,972 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Summit street, numbered 64, adjoining an estate of Fred Cross, tax for 1923.....	91 39
Also about 65,000 feet of land on the easterly side of the boundary line which divides the City of Boston from the town of Dedham, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by the boundary line of Boston and Dedham; northeasterly by an estate of Henry S. Bunton, trustee; and southeasterly by an estate of City of Boston (Fairview Cemetery), tax for 1923.....	4 94	Also about 7,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Bradlee street, adjoining an estate of Carl Stohn, Inc., being lot 119, G. L. Richardson plan, dated May 1, 1893, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Boston & Northern Street Railway—About 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Hyde Park avenue; northerly by an estate of Antoinette Sinibaldi; westerly by another estate of said Boston & Northern Street Railway Company and southerly by the location of Readville Trotting Park, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 5,360 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Draper road, adjoining an estate of Michael J. Murphy, being lot 19, W. F. Whitman plan, dated October, 1910, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, plan 57, plan No. 2725, also on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Barnet Greenfield, Rachel and Bessie Polonsky, Eva Waxman and Harry Motorin—About 6,150 feet of land on the southwesterly side of River street, being a lot shown on S. L. Milton plan, dated July 6, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3969, page 15, tax for 1922.....	12 35
Also about 5,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Prescott street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Prescott street; northerly by an estate of Guy S. Nelson; easterly by another estate of said Boston Northern Street Railway Company; southerly by the location of Readville Trotting Park, tax for 1923.....	14 82	Also about 8,551 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollowell street, adjoining an estate of Soren Sorenson, being lots 17 and 18, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated July, 1909, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3498, page 149, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Lillian F. Harrington—About 3,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Laurel avenue, being lot 134, C. E. Varney plan, December, 1899, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47
James Brennan—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockingham road, adjoining an estate of Mary T. Shea, being lot 124, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Moth assessment for 1923.....	1 50	Ellen A. Hamblin—About 4,073 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ralston road, being lot 320, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, moth assessment for 1923.....	95
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 56	Also about 7,990 feet of land on the northwesterly side of River street, making the westerly corner of Blake street, adjoining another estate of Zeigler, moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28	Annie C. Hubbard—About 3,215 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 2, Whitman and Howard plan, July 25, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2917, page 387, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Mabel E. Chadwick—About 8,426 feet of land on the northerly side of Haven avenue, adjoining an estate of John H. Stark heirs or devisees, being lot 170, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1923.....	12 35	Also about 3,263 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 1, same plan, tax for 1923.....	4 94
Robert E. Bufum—About 4,300 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, being lot 71, E. L. Moulton plan, February 8, 1906, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3136, page 433, tax for 1923.....	7 41	Michael F. Clarke—About 3,622 feet of land on the southerly side of Parker street, being lot 11, C. E. Varney plan, not dated, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	2 47	Also about 8,184 feet of land on the southerly side of Curley street, being lot 37, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Moth assessment for 1922.....	50	Also about 4,398 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Tax for 1923.....	2 47	Also about 5,083 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 4, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,232 feet of land on the westerly side of Ashland street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		Joseph E. Curran—About 13,150 feet of land on the northerly side of Thatcher street, being lot 54, G. L. Richardson plan, October 1, 1877, on file in assessors' office, moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Also about 4,704 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		John J. Delaney—About 8,561 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rexford street, being lot 35, C. E. C. Breck plan, dated April, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2528, moth assessment for 1922.....	1 09	Also about 4,213 feet of land on the westerly side of Wilmot street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		William E. L. Dillaway and Michael M. Cuniff—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wolcott road, adjoining another estate of said Dillaway and another, being lot 90, G. L. Richardson plan, November, 1897, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	50	Also about 4,062 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
		William Donegan—About 6,560 feet of land on the westerly side of Tyler street, making the southwesterly corner of Water street, adjoining an		Also about 3,532 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47
				Also about 6,533 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1923.....	2 47

Also about 5,088 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 33, same plan, tax for 1923	4 94	George L. Richardson—plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1922.....	9 88
Also about 1,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 34, same plan, tax for 1923	4 94	Alfred W. and Bertha L. Newell—Buildings and about 8,987 feet of land on the easterly side of Arlington street, numbered 61, between an estate of Mary Elita Aronson and an estate of Nellie F. Sanborn, tax for 1923.....	88 92
Also about 1,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 35, same plan, tax for 1923	4 94	Edith S. Olson—About 4,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wood avenue, being lots 504, 505 and 506, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 95
Also about 1,774 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 36, same plan, tax for 1923	4 94	Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
Also about 1,437 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ashland street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	William P. and Judith Pearson—Buildings and about 5,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1474 and 1476, between an estate of Emilio Arnaucci and an estate of Patsey Morschello and another, tax for 1923.....	39 52
Also about 1,462 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 29, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 40
Also about 5,122 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 30, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	F. R. Pendleton—About 50,940 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Tileston street, making the southerly corner of Locust street, adjoining an estate of Philip P. Coveney, trustee, tax for 1923.....	37 05
Also about 5,288 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 31, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Moth assessment for 1923.....	2 60
Also about 6,318 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wilmot street, being lot 32, same plan, tax for 1923	2 47	Tony Piscillo—About 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 72, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Mary W. Hudson—About 20,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, between an estate of Mary E. McKinnon (numbered 96) and an estate of Helen A. Seafie, moth assessment for 1923.....	85	Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 73, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Theodore Jankowski—About 5,855 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Oakland street, adjoining an estate of Elita A. Sherwood, being lots 397, 398, 399, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, moth assessment for 1923.....	50	Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 74, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Edwin C. Jenney, set off to Anna M. Kenney—Buildings and about 7,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Milton street, numbered 27, between an estate of Edwin C. Jenney and an estate of Dennis O'Connell and another, tax for 1923	116 09	Also about 4,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harmon street, adjoining another estate of said Piscillo, being lot 76, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	9 88
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 76	George W. Proal—About 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Estelle M. Kent, being lot 66, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Mary Johnson—About 3,051 feet of land on the westerly side of Pleasantview street, adjoining an estate of Henry S. Moody, trustee, being lots 757 and 758, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96
Annie M. Kelley (supposed present owner Charles J. Kelley)—About 196,920 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Baker street, between an estate of Kate P. Bullard and another estate of said Annie M. Kelley, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Annie M. Kelley; westerly by the dividing line between Boston and Dedham; easterly by an estate of John P. Bullard and southerly by an estate of Kate P. Bullard, tax for 1922.....	12 35	Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hollingsworth street, adjoining an estate of Mary H. Burgess, trustee, being lot 67, E. L. Moulton plan, dated February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 45, plan 2117, tax for 1923.....	7 41
Also about 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Canaan street, being lots 83 and 84, T. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	6 96
Stephen F. Kelley—Buildings and about 6,000 feet of land on the easterly side of Hamilton street, numbered 58 and 60, between an estate of Nora Kirby and an estate of George F. Harney and another, tax for 1923.....	\$116 09	George A. Richards—Buildings and about 3,850 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Holmfild avenue, numbered 7 and 9, between an estate of George V. Usher and an estate of Alice M. Brady, tax for 1923.....	\$106 21
Paid on account.....	12 50	Paid on account.....	24 50
Balance due.....	103 59	Balance due.....	81 71
B. B. and R. Knight, Inc.—Buildings and about 60,660 feet of land on the westerly side of Readville street, numbered 49 to 59, inclusive, adjoining another estate of said Knight, moth assessment for 1922.....	2 13	Also buildings and about 6,360 feet of land on the westerly side of Newbern street, numbered 51, between an estate of Mary E. Erickson and an estate of Jacob Lanterback, tax for 1923.....	69 16
Joseph Lo Russo—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Weybosset street, being lots 20 and 21, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1923.....	2 47	Alice F. Rooney—Buildings and about 23,724 feet of land on the northeasterly side of a passageway leading from the southeasterly side of and numbered 1404 River street, adjoining another estate of said Rooney, tax for 1923.....	\$113 62
Virginia E. Mazzuchelli—About 3,260 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Tampa street, being lots 308 and 309, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640 moth assessment for 1923.....	95	Paid on account.....	39 98
Thomas McCormick—About 3,975 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Matapan street, being lot 8, Block A E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1893, registered in the Suffolk Registry, District of Land Court, certificate, number 13689, tax for 1923	4 94	Balance due.....	73 64
Maud M. Mner (supposed present owner Max Greenberg)—About 7,475		Also buildings and about 4,425 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Business street, numbered 65, between another estate of said Rooney and an estate of Alfio Carrascia and another, tax for 1923.....	69 16
		Also buildings and about 4,539 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Business street, numbered 75 and 77, between an estate of Nicola Padrevita and another and another estate of said Rooney, tax for 1923.....	61 75
		Mary T. Shea—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Rockingham road, being lot 123, J. A. Latham plan, April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1923.....	7 41
		Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923.....	10 56
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	95
		Lena Sen—Buildings and about 5,069 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Osceola street, numbered 59, between an estate of Frank L. Washburn and an estate of Albion D. Thying, moth assessment for 1922.....	1 28
		Herbert C. Sones—Buildings and about 3,800 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Greenwood avenue, numbered 39, between an estate of Edward E. Moulton and an estate of Elizabeth C. Flynn, tax for 1923.....	\$49 40
		Paid on account.....	33 98
		Balance due.....	15 42
		Joseph and Annie Suchecki—About 3,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Moody street, being lots 606 and 607, F. T. Westcott plan, June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1923.....	4 94
		Emil Svinergson—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hollingsworth street, being lot 102, E. L. Moulton plan, February 8, 1906, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 45, plan number 2117, also on file in assessors' office, moth assessment for 1922.....	85
		Sarkis Tarlikian—About 8,000 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, being lots 13 and 14, E. P. Sellow plan, May 2, 1903, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 494, moth assessment for 1923.....	1 00
		Thomas Tortunski—About 6,915 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Bismarck street, adjoining an estate of Thomas P. Conboy, being lot 149, George L. Richardson plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 1463, moth assessment for 1922.....	85
		Mary Welch—About 4,316 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Regent street, making the northerly corner of Albermarle street, adjoining an estate of Minnie A. Price, moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Mary Welch—Buildings and about 2,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Easton avenue, numbered 29, between an estate of Alexander Michielevich and an estate of Andrew McGowan, moth assessment for 1923.....	1 40
		John C. Wickes—About 4,164 feet of land on the easterly side of Weybosset street, making the southeasterly corner of Randolph road, adjoining an estate of Daniel Kenney, being lots 91 and 92, F. T. Westcott plan, dated April, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3719, tax for 1922.....	2 47
		WARD TWENTY-FIVE.	
		Aberdeen Realty Corporation—Buildings and about 4,824 feet of land on the southerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1706, making the southwesterly corner of Sutherland road, between an estate of Mary Kulpinska and another estate of said Aberdeen Realty Corporation, tax for 1923.....	\$1,889 55
		Paid on account.....	300 00
		Balance due.....	\$1,589 55
		Also about 54,458 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining an estate of Ada F. Davidson, being lots F, G, H and J, shown on John H. Burroughs plan, May 11, 1922, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1922.....	661 96
		Moth assessment for 1923.....	50
		Also about 33,537 feet of land lying in rear from northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining an estate of James M. Woods, being the remaining part of lot C after subdivision as shown on John H. Burroughs plan, May 11, 1922, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923.....	123 50

Annie G. Allen—Buildings and about 2,525 feet of land on the northerly side of Orkney road, numbered 47, making the northeasterly corner of Sutherland road, adjoining another estate of said Allen, tax for 1923\$674 31
Paid on account..... 647 31

Balance due..... 27 00

Samuel S. Cantor—Buildings and about 5,913 feet of land on the southerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 562, 564, 566, 568, 570, 572 and 574, between an estate of Charles E. Holman and an estate of Lydia B. McKinnon, tax for 1923..... 432 25

Thomas H. Connolly—About 5,500 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brainerd road, making the southerly corner of Feneno terrace, adjoining an estate of Frank H. Dufour, being lot S. C. H. W. Wood plan, dated January 14, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3340, page 626, tax for 1923..... 46 93

Mary F. Downes—Buildings and about 6,216 feet of land on the southerly side of Englewood avenue, numbered 134, between another estate of said Downes and an estate of Susan E. Wadsworth, moth assessment for 1921 87

Gertrude M. Fay—Building and about 5,580 feet of land on the southerly side of Nottingham road, at end, numbered 24, between an estate of Francis L. Colpoys and an estate of Carolyn W. Lebowich, tax for 1921 118 56
Tax for 1923..... 125 97

M. Douglas Flattery—Buildings and about 9,484 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Lanark road, numbered 48, between an estate of Frank H. Shoals and an estate of M. Douglas Flattery, tax for 1923..... 316 16

Also buildings and about 10,495 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lanark road, numbered 42, between an estate of M. Douglas Flattery and an estate of Blanche E. Philbrick, tax for 1923..... 111 15

Clara B. French—About 19,232 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Elizabeth avenue, making the westerly corner of Allston street, adjoining an estate of Bartholomew J. Connolly, being lot C, A. S. N. Estes plan, April, 1914, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 3573, tax for 1921 187 72

Robert W. Frost and James A. Hathaway, Trustees of Brighton and Bristol Real Estate Trust—About 16,845 feet of land on the easterly side of Academy Hill road (formerly numbered 72), making the junction of and on westerly side of Chestnut Hill avenue (formerly numbered 49), adjoining an estate of Sarah E. Fiske, being lot A, William E. Hannon plan, July 9, 1915, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 50

Ellen T. Gavin—Buildings and about 6,210 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 10, 12, 14 and 16, between an estate of Charles E. Wellington and an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1923\$790 40
Paid on account..... 500 00

Balance due..... 290 40

Mary A. Harnedy—Buildings and about 7,579 feet of land on the southerly side of Washington street, numbered 300, 302, 304, 306, 308 and 310, between an estate of said Harnedy and an estate of Theodore B. Munroe, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14022, tax for 1923..... 1,101 62

Holland System, Inc.—Buildings and about 12,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 949, making the northwest corner of Gaffney street, adjoining an estate of Charles F. Pfeiffer and Harry F. Bornay, tax for 1923..... 3,334 50

Frank Holland—About 898 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glenville avenue, adjoining an estate of William Harvey, being lot D, S. L. Leftovich plan, dated January 1, 1916, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 8546, tax for 1923..... 14 82

Selma Pelonsky, reassessed from Harriet A. Waterman—About 1,473 feet of land lying in rear from southwesterly side of Wallingford road, adjoining an estate of Marion W. Smith, being lot 20, shown on C.

B. Humphrey plan, April 25, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number tax for 1923..... 9 88

Charles Richardson—About 59,100 feet of land on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, extending through to Charles river, between another estate of said Richardson and an estate of Boston University, trustees of, tax for 1921..... 2,511 99
Tax for 1922..... 2,511 99
Tax for 1923..... 2,511 99

Also about 4,292 feet of land on the easterly side of Essex street, making the northeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining another estate of said Richardson, being a lot shown on William Parker plan, dated July, 1905, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3217, page 353, tax for 1921..... 133 38
Tax for 1922..... 133 38
Tax for 1923..... 133 38

Elsie G. Richter—Buildings and about 4,535 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Strathmore road, numbered 43, between an estate of Antoinette A. Pierce and an estate of Lilly H. Pushee, tax for 1923.....\$543 40
Paid on account..... 450 00

Balance due..... 93 40

Annie Robbins—Buildings and about 15,352 feet of land on the northerly side of Gardner street, numbered 80, between an estate of Isabelle C. Diaz and an estate of Margaret L. Matheson, tax for 1923.....\$395 20
Paid on account..... 199 50

Balance due..... 195 70

Ransom Rowe—About 10,668 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ransom road, being lot 18, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 6190, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1922..... 23 04

Adelaide J. and Arthur H. Sargent and Harry L. Sampson, Trustees of the Sargent Trust—Buildings and about 31,213 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, numbered 372, making the northerly corner of Sutherland road, adjoining an estate of Susan E. Wadsworth, tax for 1923..... 1,837 68
Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

Frank H. Shoals—Buildings and about 7,860 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lanark road, numbered 52, between an estate of M. Douglas Flattery and an estate of John A. Reardon, Junior, tax for 1923\$261 82
Paid on account..... 175 00

Balance due..... 86 82

Minnie M. Soule—Buildings and about 9,090 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Leamington road, numbered 9, making the easterly corner of Nottingham path, adjoining an estate of Margaret M. Ducey, moth assessment for 1921..... 50

Elizabeth L. Tappan (mortgagee in possession)—Buildings and about 13,755 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Winship street, numbered 26, 28 and 30, between another estate of said Tappan and an estate of Mary Kiernan, moth assessment for 1922..... 50

Margaret Timmons (set off to Margaret Timmons and Catherine G. Bresnahan)—Buildings and about 1,951 feet of land on the northerly side of Armington street, numbered 35, between another estate of said Timmons and another and an estate of Caroline V. Cusick, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 3 93

Also buildings and about 1,879 feet of land on the northerly side of Armington street, numbered 33, between an estate of Amelia C. Tykeson and another estate of said Timmons and another, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 8 79

Norman S. Waite—Buildings and about 5,929 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Idlewild street, numbered 16, between two other estates of said Waite, tax for 1923..... 736 06

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 24 62

Also buildings and about 5,929 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Idlewild street, numbered 12, between two other estates of said Waite, tax for 1923..... 736 06

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 24 62

Harriet A. Waterman—About 18,609

feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wallingford road, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being lot 19, C. B. Humphrey plan, April 25, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number tax for 1923..... 118 56

Ralph F. Whitehead—About 100 feet of land on the westerly side of Harvard terrace, at end, adjoining an estate of Elizabeth L. Cox (numbered 17 Harvard terrace), tax for 1922 2 47
Tax for 1923..... 2 47

Williams Realty Company—About 16,845 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Chestnut Hill avenue, making the southerly corner of Academy Hill road, adjoining an estate of Charles B. Travis, being lot A, William E. Hannon plan, dated July 9, 1915, on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 83 98

James M. Woods—Buildings and about 5,635 feet of land on the northerly side of Lanark road, adjoining another estate of said James M. Woods, being lot H, same plan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10896, tax for 1923 207 48

WARD TWENTY-SIX.

Hannah Deehan—Buildings and about 3,663 feet of land on the southerly side of Faneuil street, between an estate of David Shapiro and an estate of Johnson W. Ramsey, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14758, tax for 1923\$165 49

Ervin R. Dix—About 80 feet of land on the easterly side of Converse street, at end, adjoining an estate of Thomas F. and Mary C. Bowles, being a lot shown on F. O. Whitney plan, dated May 1, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4040, page 263, tax for 1923 2 47

Federal Trust Company Trustee—About 4,753 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Faneuil street, adjoining another estate of said Federal Trust Company, Trustee, being lot 112, W. A. Mason & Son plan, dated September, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3861, page 121, moth assessment for 1921..... 1 01

Edward J. Finlay—About 4,191 feet of land on the westerly side of Turner street, adjoining another estate of said Finlay, being lot 44, E. A. W. Hammatt plan, dated February 26, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4044, page 47, tax for 1923.. 14 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 39 61

Also about 4,192 feet of land on the westerly side of Turner street, adjoining another estate of said Finlay, being lot 43, same plan, tax for 1923 14 82

Edward J. Finlay (reassessed from Market Trust Company)—About 6,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Turner street, adjoining another estate of said Finlay, being lot 41, H. A. Wilson plan dated October 20, 1917, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4180, page 62, tax for 1923..... 22 23

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 31 68

Also about 6,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Turner street, being lot 40, same plan, tax for 1923, Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1923..... 22 23

Frank E. Guptill—Buildings and about 4,400 feet of land on the northerly side of Cambridge street, numbered 244 and 243, adjoining another estate of said Guptill, tax for 1923 .. 375 44

G. Arthur Kayo—About 4,902 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hobart street, adjoining an estate of John E. Condon and another, being lot 35, shown on a plan not dated, and not named on file in assessors' office, tax for 1923..... 12 35

Bridget Mallanaphy—Buildings and about 2,584 feet of land on the northerly side of Cushman road, numbered 21, between an estate of Ellen L. Beedle and an estate of John Barrett, tax for 1923..... 93 80

Thomas J. McCue—About 4,719 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 3, C. H. Gannett plan, dated August, 1916, recorded Suffolk Deeds, Book 3976, page 350, tax for 1921.....\$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80
Tax for 1923..... 7 41

Thomas J. McEue—About 5,433 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 4, C. H. Ganett plan, dated August, 1916, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3976, page 350, tax for 1923.....\$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 6,288 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 5, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$14 82
Paid on account..... 9 02

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,598 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 6, same plan, tax for 1923.....\$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,251 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, making the northwesterly corner of Goodenough street, being lot 7, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 5,065 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 8, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 5,103 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 9, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 5,375 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 10, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 5,664 feet of land on the westerly side of Goodenough street, being lot 11, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,719 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 3, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,730 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, making the northeasterly corner of Faneuil street, being lot 12, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$12 35
Paid on account..... 6 55

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,507 feet of land on the northerly side of Faneuil street, being lot 13, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Moth assessment for 1921..... 1 67

Also about 4,510 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 14, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,585 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 15, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,654 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 16, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,689 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being lot 17, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 4,734 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough

street, being lot 18, same plan, tax for 1921.....\$9 88
Paid on account..... 4 08

Balance due 5 80

Also about 14,302 feet of land on the easterly side of Goodenough street, being a lot shown on same plan, tax for 1921.....\$34 58
Paid on account..... 28 78

Balance due 5 80

Mary E. O'Reilly—Buildings and about 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Tip Top street, numbered 19, between an estate of Patrick P. Donovan and an estate of Edward J. Ryan and another, tax for 1922.....\$86 45
Paid on account..... 66 45

Balance due 20 00

Meredith W. Palmer and William C. Niles, Trustees Boylston Real Estate Trust—Buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennett street, numbered 99, between two other estates of said Palmer and other trustees, tax for 1923..... 111 15

Also buildings and about 5,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Bennett street, numbered 111, between two other estates of said Palmer and other trustees, tax for 1923, 111 15

Atlas Skinner Heirs—About 8,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Bigelow street, being lot 22, Whitman Breck & Co., October, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1815, tax for 1923..... 14 82
Moth assessment for 1923..... 65

Agnes G. Sullivan (supposed present owner Frank L. Maguire)—About 6,310 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street adjoining another estate of said Sullivan being lot F. D. W. Hyde plan, dated December 31, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4213, page 506, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 89

Also about 6,206 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street being lot G, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 88

Also about 6,059 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street, being lot H, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 89

Also about 6,400 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street being lot C, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 88

Also about 6,370 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Matchett street, being lot E, same plan, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1921..... 6 82

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1921..... 25 88

Edna G. Wadsworth—Buildings and about 6,856 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Hunnewell avenue, numbered 72, between an estate of Winslow B. Briggs and another and an estate of Eugene B. Hamilton, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12545, tax for 1923..... 41 99
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1923..... 7 11

WILLIAM M. McMORROW,

Collector of Taxes for the City of Boston.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, 1924.

By Feb. 1, 1924, the fire-fighting force had been reorganized as required by the two-platoon system, in effect on said date. This change, with the addition of 177 privates and 33 officers (the latter by promotion), increased the force to 1,427 men, viz.: the Chief, one ass't. chief, 6 deputy chiefs, 30 district chiefs (15 for day and 15 for night service), 74 captains, 107 lieutenants, 57 engineers, 57 assistant engineers and 1,094 privates, di-

vided into 53 engine companies (3 marine), 30 ladder, 1 chemical and 3 water-tower companies, a rescue company and 2 emergency squads, the engine companies generally consisting of 14 or 15 men, including a captain and a lieutenant; other employees, 12 at headquarters, 96 men in repair shop and 44 in fire-alarm branch; fire stations, 62.

Automobile apparatus in service, 34 combination pumpers or gasoline engine and hose-reel, 5 triple combination (inclu. chemical task) also 10 tractor-drawn steamers and one steam-propelled steamer; 39 combination chemical engine and hose cars; 30 ladder-trucks (12 aerial); 3 fireboats; 3 water-towers; 1 rescue auto with pulmotors and 1 auto wrecker. Total apparatus, 127. Officers' cars, 34 and delivery trucks, 11. Leading hose 143,116 feet and suction hose, 2,366 feet; fire alarm boxes, 1,310.

In reserve are 16 engines (10 auto); 7 hose wagons (6 auto); 7 ladder trucks (6 auto); 1 water tower (auto) and 7 officers' cars.

Total alarms in calendar year 1923, 7,241 or 1,107 more than in 1922, of which total 729 were needless and 287 false alarms, besides 154 automatic alarms, false and accidental. Total fires, 6,071 (862 more than in 1922) of which 3,148 were in buildings, 2,872 outside of buildings and 51 out of city limits. In 18 cases the buildings were totally destroyed, in 94 the damage was considerable and in 1,941 the damage was slight; other cases, no damage stated.

The Boston Protective Department (not a City department) reported the total fire losses in 1923 on buildings as \$1,932,424 and on contents as \$4,353,875, or total of \$6,286,299, which is \$2,981,703 more than in 1922. Of total loss, the amount not covered by insurance was \$344,551.

The B. P. D. also reported that of the 2,320 fires involving losses, 499 were caused by carelessness with matches, 258 by smoking, 152 by electricity, 143 by exposure to fires near by, 140 by overheated or defective stoves, furnaces, etc., 109 by open lights, 86 by sparks from combustion, 79 by sparks on roof, 60 by explosions, 58 by petroleum and its products, 57 by defective flues and chimneys, 50 by spontaneous combustion, 41 by hot ashes, 34 by fireworks, etc.

Cost of maintenance for 1923, \$3,669,450 (including Wire Div.) or \$331,945 more than in 1922. Value of land and buildings \$2,375,500; cost of motor equipment, \$1,017,331.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$7,500; Chief, \$5,500; deputy chiefs, \$4,000; district chiefs, \$3,500; captains, \$2,500; lieutenants, \$2,300; engineers, \$1,900; assistant engineers, \$1,800; 1st-year privates, \$1,400, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

The apparatus in service is now entirely motor-driven, the last horse-drawn piece having been replaced Oct. 18, 1923.

The records of the Wire Division show that on Feb. 1, 1924, the underground electric service comprised 3,663,539 feet of conduit, 21,954,630 feet of single duct and 33,232,932 feet of cable of the drawing-in system, also 691,529 feet of 3-wire cable and tube of the solid system. From the business districts, over a street area of 46,415,000 square feet, and from 72 miles of additional streets all poles and overhead wires have been removed.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 25 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, *i. e.*, adjacent to Boston, are these, *viz.*, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and 45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has 44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water District, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, *viz.*,

the Fire Prevention District, was organized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston," but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates, the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or \$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921 and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$846,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products: (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

PUBLIC RECREATION IN BOSTON.

Number of large parks, 24; separate playgrounds, 44, with total of 324.5 acres, also 13 playgrounds in parks, with area of 155 acres; small parks and squares, 72.8; total area, 2,686.79 acres. Cost of Main Park System, *i. e.*, 1,386 acres (including Common and Public Garden, 72.65 acres) land and construction (since 1877 when begun), \$12,204,876; of Marine Park System, *i. e.*, 457.9 acres (since 1883), \$4,601,045; of all other parks and public grounds, \$2,537,898; of separate playgrounds, \$4,458,331. Total cost, \$23,802,150, of which \$9,789,096 is for land alone.

The leading attraction of the Main Park System is Franklin Park (named for Benjamin Franklin), acquired in 1883-84, and containing 527 acres, about 80 of which are occupied by the Zoological Garden, 15 miles of walks, 8 miles of driveways, etc., the entire cost up to 1921 being \$4,496,801. There are also within the City limits 964 acres of Metropolitan parks and parkways under State control, chief of which is Stony Brook Reservation in West Roxbury, containing 464 acres of wild forested hill and dale with many rocky knolls

and an extensive view of the Charles River valley and beyond.

Number of public indoor baths open all the year, 14; 9 beach baths and 7 floating baths open during summer; indoor gymnasia, 11; total number of indoor baths taken in year 1921, 1,527,171, of which 74.3 per cent were by men and boys.

Park Department maintenance for 1921-22 (including Cemetery Division), \$1,366,048 or \$63,260 less than in 1920. Outlay for playground improvements, \$72,885; for park improvements, \$394,748, of which \$254,575 was from Parkman Fund income. Gross debt for parks, public grounds, etc., outstanding February 1, 1922, \$9,681,050; for playgrounds, \$2,224,300; total, \$11,905,350 or \$794,250 less than in 1921. By Chap. 13, Ord. 1920, the Cemetery Department was merged with the Park Dept., the latter title being substituted for Park and Recreation Department.

Including the State assessments of \$948,310 for Metropolitan parks, boulevards, etc., and \$238,073 for Charles River Basin improvements, the total expended for public recreation purposes in 1921 was \$2,903,689 or \$82,782 more in 1920.

Total valuation of City properties devoted to recreation \$69,306,900 (including \$55,112,400 for Boston Common and Public Garden), which far exceeds that of any other American city except New York.

AREA OF BOSTON.

Area to ward lines (26 wards), 30,598 acres (*i. e.*, 47.81 square miles), 2,944 acres being filled land, 1,143 acres water area and 1,484 acres flats. Land area only 27,971 acres (*i. e.*, 43.70 square miles). Included in the latter are 154 acres of filled flats added to the land area of South Boston in 1919 and 1920 and 133 acres to that of East Boston. Original Boston contained about 780 acres of land. Of the twelve leading American cities, eight are larger in land area than Boston, *viz.*, Los Angeles (365.7 sq. miles), New York (318), Chicago (199.4), Philadelphia (129), Baltimore (91.9), Detroit (80), Cleveland (56.6) and St. Louis (61.25). The only city in Massachusetts with larger land area is Taunton (50 sq. mi.).

If Boston should expand by annexations as New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Los Angeles and others have expanded, its total area, in case of including the 39 cities and towns within the 15-mile radius, would exceed the largest, *viz.*, Los Angeles, the present land area of "Greater Boston" being 409.5 square miles.

AREA OF UNITED STATES, NEW ENGLAND, ETC.

Total of the 48 states in square miles, 3,026,719; Alaska, 590,884; making grand total of 3,617,603 sq. m. or 42.11 per cent of continent of North America and 6.32 per cent of the earth's land area. The six states of New England 66,424 sq. m., *i. e.*, Maine, 33,040; Vermont, 9,564; N. H., 9,341; Mass. 8,266; Conn., 4,965; R. I., 1,248. Land area of New England, 61,976 sq. m.; of Mass., 8,093 sq. m.

Total area of U. S. (inclu. Alaska) 112,000 sq. miles less than total of Canadian provinces, but total population is over 12 times as many.

ONE-WAY STREETS, 1924.

Sundays and legal holidays excepted, vehicles must go in one direction only in the streets named alphabetically below, by order of the Street Commissioners:—

ALBANY ST., southerly from Beach St. to Broadway; ARCH ST., southerly from Milk to Summer; ASHBURTON PLACE, westerly from Somerset St.; ASYLUM ST., westerly from Harrison Ave.; AVERY ST., easterly from Tremont; AVON ST., easterly from Washington; BEACON ST., easterly from Bowdoin to Somerset; BEDFORD ST., westerly from Summer; BENNET ST., northwesterly from Harrison Ave. to Washington St.; BILLERICA ST., northwesterly from Causeway; BLACKSTONE ST., northwesterly from North to Hanover on Saturdays and on the day just before a holiday; BRATTLE ST., westerly from Washington to Court; BROMFIELD ST., westerly from Washington; CAMBRIA ST., westerly from Dalton to St. Cecilia; CENTRAL ST., westerly from Broad to Kilby; CHATHAM ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Commercial St.; CHAUNCEY ST., southwesterly from Summer; CITY SQUARE, Charlestown, northwesterly side from Harvard St. northeasterly; CLINTON ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Blackstone St. and easterly from Commercial St. to Atlantic Ave.; COMMERCE ST., easterly from Commercial St. to Atlantic Ave.; COMMON ST., Charlestown, southerly and easterly from Winthrop to Adams; COOPER ST., westerly from Salem to Washington, North; CORNHILL, easterly from Court St.; COURT SQUARE, entering on westerly side, leaving on easterly side; COURT ST., westerly from Washington to Tremont and Cornhill; DEVONSHIRE ST., southerly from Dock Sq. to Franklin St. and northeasterly from Summer St. to Winthrop Sq.; DORE ST., westerly from Washington to Tremont; EDINBORO ST., southerly from Essex St.; ELM ST., northwesterly from Dock Sq. to Hanover St.; EXCHANGE PLACE, westerly from Kilby St. to Congress; EXCHANGE ST., northerly from State; FANEUIL HALL SQUARE, south of Faneuil Hall, easterly to Merchants Row, and north of Faneuil Hall westerly from Merchants Row; FRIEND ST., southeasterly from Causeway; GROTON ST., northwesterly from Washington St. to Shawmut Ave.; HANOVER AVE., westerly from North St.; HARRIS ST., easterly from Hanover; HARVARD ST., Charlestown, southerly and southeasterly from Washington St. to City Sq.; HAVILAND ST., westerly from Mass. Ave. to Hemenway St.; HAWLEY ST., southerly from Milk to Summer; HOLLIS ST., easterly from Tremont to Washington; HOWARD ST., easterly from Bulfinch; HUDSON ST., northerly from Curve to Beach St.; KINGSTON ST., southerly from Summer to Beach; LA GRANGE ST., South End, westerly from Washington to Tremont; LOVERING ST., easterly from Washington; LYNN ST., southerly from Thacher to Cooper; MAIN ST., Charlestown, southeasterly from Thompson Sq. to City Sq.; MASON ST., easterly from Tremont and northeasterly from Avery; MERCHANTS ROW, northerly from North Market St.; MORTON ST., easterly from Endicott St.; NASHUA ST., southeasterly from Minot; NORTH ST., easterly from Union to Blackstone; NORTH MARKET ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Commercial St.; OTIS ST., southwesterly from Winthrop Square; PARMENTER ST., northwesterly from Hanover to Salem;

PEMBERTON SQUARE, westerly from southeast corner of Courthouse to Somerset St.; PROVINCE ST., northerly from Bromfield; RICHMOND ST., westerly from Atlantic Ave. to Hanover St.; SALUTATION ST., easterly from Hanover; SCHOOL ST., easterly from Tremont; SCOTIA ST., easterly from St. Cecilia to Dalton; SOMERSET ST., northerly from Beacon St. to Howard; SOUTH MARKET ST., westerly from Atlantic Ave. to Commercial St.; STATE ST., westerly from Devonshire, on north of Old State House and easterly from Washington to Devonshire, on south of Old State House; STILLMAN ST., westerly from Salem; TEMPLE PLACE, easterly from Tremont; TILESTON ST., northwesterly from Hanover; TYLER ST., northerly from Curve to Beach; WALL ST., southeasterly from Minot; WARREN ST., Charlestown, northwesterly from Henley St. to Thompson Sq.; WASHINGTON ST., northerly, from Stuart St. to Cornhill; WASHINGTON ST., Charlestown, easterly from Rutherford Ave. to Harvard St.; WATER ST., easterly from Washington to Devonshire and same from Liberty Sq. to Broad St.; WEST ST., westerly from Washington; WINTER ST., westerly from Washington; WINTHROP ST., Charlestown, westerly from Adams St. to Main.

This list is revised to Feb. 1, 1924.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Number of police force, December 1, 1923, was 1,964 (63 more than in 1922), viz., the Superintendent, 3 Deputy Superintendents, 24 captains, 35 inspectors, 43 lieutenants, 141 sergeants and 1,717 patrolmen, distributed in 21 divisions. Signal service men, 17, and clerks, janitors, etc., 121. By May 15, 1924, the changes in officers made the number of captains 29, lieutenants 38 and sergeants 148.

Cost of maintenance for 1923-24, \$4,314,340 or \$241,807 more than in 1922.

Total number of arrests in year ending Nov. 30, 1923, 76,732 or 921 less than in 1922, but 17,914 more than in 1920; of those arrested, 3,879 were discharged and all others held for trial; foreign-born persons arrested, 28,693 or 37.39 per cent of total; boys under 15 years of age, 1,638; women and girls all ages, 5,419; non-residents, 19,320 or 25.21 per cent of all arrested.

Drunkenness the cause of 38,988 arrests (an average of 107 per day) or 50.81 per cent of total. The arrests for homicide numbered 111; for refusing to support family, 719; violation of automobile laws, 8,918.

Sick and injured persons assisted, 8,214; insane persons taken in charge, 424; lost children restored to homes, 1,617; persons imprisoned, 3,160; persons fined, 18,226, the fines amounting to \$270,357; stolen property recovered, \$2,053,884; licenses granted, 23,662 (including 8,922 for dogs and 8,626 for vehicles and drivers), for which \$57,864 was received. Of 3,191 applications for license to carry loaded revolvers, 2,989 were granted.

Accidents from all causes in the streets, parks and squares caused death of 149 persons and injury to 5,141 or 24 more killed and 1,374 more injured than in 1922. Automobile accidents killed 90 persons and injured 2,157, said fatal cases being 60 per cent of total.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$8,000; Superintendent, \$7,000; Deputy Superintendents, \$4,000; Chief Inspector, \$3,800;

captains, \$3,500; inspectors and lieutenants, \$2,500; sergeants, \$2,300; patrolmen, \$1,400 the 1st year, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

In the year ending Nov. 30, 1923, the Police Dept. made 3,326 prosecutions in the State courts and 22 in the Federal court for violation of the liquor law.

Divisions 20 and 21, assigned to street traffic control, now number a force of 190 men, but present conditions are said to demand at least 100 more for this work.

PUBLIC STREETS, 1924.

Total length of the 2,490 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1924, 611.58 miles; total area, 11,557,218 square yards, or 8.54 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,900.

Miles of streets paved with macadam, 351.25 or 57.43 per cent of total, including 122.69 miles bituminous macadam; with granite block, 105.12; asphalt, 51.69; gravel, 30.10; bitulithic, 29.11; Topeka, 13.84; wood block, 12.21; asphalt concrete, 5.49; brick, 4.23; concrete, 3.05. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc. Granolithic sidewalk laid in 1923, 72,622 square yards or about 16 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in 1923 includes 9 streets in Boston Proper; 6 in Dorchester; 10 in West Roxbury; 5 in Brighton; one each in Roxbury, Charlestown and East Boston, or a total of 33 new streets. Of chief importance in the relief of traffic congestion is the opening of Stuart st., South End, costing \$3,004,497 (total payments to 1924) of which five-sixths was for damages, mostly offset by betterment assessments amounting to \$2,369,937.

Gross debt outstanding Feb. 1, 1924, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,855,501 or \$317,060 more than in 1923.

TREASURY TRANSACTIONS, 1923-24.

Balance, February 1, 1923, \$10,745,876.85.

RECEIPTS.—From City Collector for City account, \$61,860,643.55 and for County, \$526,633.34; total, \$62,387,276.89; from temporary loans, \$14,000,000; debt issued, \$7,190,000; from Sinking Fund Commissioners for debt due, \$2,788,482.26; trust funds, \$979,085.73; interest on bank deposits, \$186,182.82; other receipts, \$166,460.71. Total receipts for year, \$87,697,488.41.

PAYMENTS.—City pay-roll drafts, \$28,110,463.89; general drafts (excluding debt redemption), \$8,681,903.08; temporary loans, \$14,000,000; payments to the State, \$7,737,170.10; special drafts (excluding temporary loans and interest on debts), \$16,921,489.94; interest on all debts, \$5,070,043.89; debt redemption, \$5,139,400.01; trust fund investments, etc., \$629,787.77; County pay-roll drafts, \$1,883,786.06; other County payments (excluding debt and interest) \$770,185.19; payments to Sinking Fund Commissioners, \$438,901.30; other payments, \$68,131.78. Total payments for the year, \$89,451,263.01. Excess of payments over receipts, \$1,753,774.60. Balance January 31, 1924, \$8,992,102.25.

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MAYOR CURLEY PAYS TRIBUTE TO ORGANIZED WORKERS AT LABOR DAY LUNCHEON.

ENTERTAINS LOCAL LEADERS ALONG WITH SENATOR BURTON K. WHEELER AND MRS. WHEELER AFTER SENATOR HAD ADDRESSED LARGE GATHERING ON BOSTON COMMON. MAKES GIFT TO MRS. WHEELER.

Senator and Mrs. Burton K. Wheeler of Montana were the guests of honor at the annual Labor Day luncheon tendered by Mayor James M. Curley to the local labor leaders at the Copley-Plaza Hotel, Monday afternoon, and Mrs. Wheeler was presented a very valuable Chinese doll "for the children."

In her acceptance of the gift, she said that while she was extremely grateful for the gift, she did not know how she was going to divide it into five parts for the children, but she had hopes that the three boys would waive their rights to a share in it, but this still left a difficult question to settle.

Mayor Curley, who was accompanied by three of his own boys, is an excellent judge of the difficulties of trying to divide an unbreakable object among a number of children, and immediately signaled to one of his secretaries and within a couple of minutes a companion to the first doll was presented to Mrs. Wheeler, as well as a large bunch of long-stemmed American Beauty roses.

Of the most democratic personalities, both the Senator and Mrs. Wheeler endeared themselves to everybody who had the good fortune to be presented to them, and, following the receipt of the dolls, Mrs. Wheeler held the gaze of every person in the room as she played with the dolls.

Seated with Mrs. Wheeler was Mrs. Mary V. Murphy, treasurer of the Boston Central Labor Union, a member of the Boston Musicians' Union and a noted pianist.

The ceremonies at the luncheon were short and Mayor Curley stated that owing to the engagements and pressure of business that Senator Wheeler was forced to attend to no formal speeches would be in order. He introduced Harry C. Graeges, President of the Boston Central Labor Union, who in a brief address explained the good fortune organized labor of Boston has in having a man like James M. Curley as Mayor to assist in keeping peace and harmony in the industrial circles of the city.

Senator Wheeler, when introduced had a heart to heart talk with his audience. He explained how after leaving school at Hudson, the town where he was born, he came to Boston and secured work. He told of the firms that he worked for and how he went to the University of Michigan where he worked his way through school,

waiting on table during the college term and selling books outside of this time.

After graduating from college his health was not of the best, he said, and he started for the far West. He landed at Butte, Montana, and stayed there, because his finances would not permit a longer journey. He started to practice law there and his first case was as attorney for the Butte Teamsters' Union, a case which he won and which later proved the stepping stone for his retention as counsel for the American Federation of Labor of that state.

He said that as far as Montana, and for that matter the remainder of the country goes, there is no difference between the Republican and Democratic parties and told of a number of incidents to prove his statement. He said that he is a Jeffersonian Democrat, but not a Wall street Democrat.

He told about a newspaper in one of the cities in Montana which is owned by the copper trust and which in the morning is printed as a Democratic paper and in the evening as a Republican paper. He said that both papers are printed on the same press and the same editorial writer writes the blasting editorials against each party and the situation has often caused him to wonder how the type can function without getting all mixed up.

He told the labor leaders that for the first time in the history of the American Federation of Labor an out and out indorsement of candidates has been made this year, and it is up to organized labor to put its shoulders to the wheel and work, because if LaFollette and Wheeler are allowed to be thrown to the wolves then organized labor goes down with them.

Mayor Curley spoke of the labor situation in Boston and said that for the past year Boston could be called the "Strikeless City." He said that there have been a number of small strikes among the clothing workers and other trades, but no strikes that in any way interfered with the onward progress of the city and its business.

He spoke of the work he did in bringing about a settlement of the grievances of the building trades workers and the awarding of wages that are higher than those paid during the war. He said that this settlement has established the industry on a basis that has resulted in the completion of a building program that cost more than \$130,000,000.

MAYOR AND CITIZENS PLACE TABLET IN HONOR OF LAFAYETTE. DEDICATION EXERCISES HELD ON BOSTON COMMON.

Boston's celebration of Lafayette-Marne Day on Saturday had as its outstanding feature the unveiling of a tablet commemorating the Marquis de Lafayette's visit to America in 1824. The tablet was placed on a boulder in Lafayette Mall on Boston Common on the spot where Bostonians gave a reception to the French patriot in recognition of his aid during the Revolution.

The tablet is of bronze and was designed by John Francis Paramino, being one of a group authorized by the municipal commission on marking historical sites.

At the exercises on Saturday there were besides city officials and members of French societies, members of overseas units, who assembled at 2.15 p. m. in front of City Hall, from which they marched to the Common.

Mayor Curley had asked that the national colors be displayed all over the city. The principal address at the dedication was by Prof. Louis J. S. Mercier of Harvard University.

The program was as follows:

Introduction, Chairman WALTER GILMAN PAGE
Invocation, Rev. GEORGE P. O'CONNOR
Band Selection, "America"
Presentation, THOMAS H. DOWD
Unveiling, Mayor PAUL J. FLAMAND
Acceptance, Mayor CURLEY
Address, J. C. JOSEPH FLAMAND, French Consul
Tribute, La Prevoyance. Mlle. EMILIE POULIOT
Selection, "Marseillaise."
Address, Prof. LOUIS J. S. MERCIER
Selection, "Star-Spangled Banner."

MAYOR CURLEY HITS BACK AT REPUBLICANS FOR FAUX PAS.

ISSUES SARCASTIC REPLY TO HORMEL CHARGE OF MEDDLING IN BACON CAMPAIGN.

The Boston newspapers under date of September 4 relate that the Mayor of Boston and Election Commissioner Frank Seiberlich were interfering in the campaign of Gaspar Bacon for the State Senate. I beg to state that I was unaware that Mr. Bacon was a candidate for the office of State Senator, but in view of the interest displayed by the practical gentleman who formerly served as chairman of the Boston Republican State Committee, Mr. Herman Hormel, I am convinced that the candidacy of Mr. Bacon for the State Senate is far more important than is indicated by the minor office to which he now aspires.

It has been the custom of the Republican machine in Massachusetts to select its candidates for the office of Governor with extreme care. Certain qualifications

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Special meeting of the School Committee Monday evening, September 8, at 6.30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, September 8, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

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and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

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TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

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TWO IMPORTANT CITY PROJECTS MOVE NEARER TO SUCCESS.

MAYOR CURLEY APPROVES TAKING OF LAND FOR \$1,000,000 HOSPITAL AND COURTHOUSE IN BRIGHTON.

Further steps were taken Tuesday, September 2, toward accomplishment of two important municipal projects when Mayor Curley approved the taking of land and buildings by the Boston Street Commissioners for the establishment of a \$1,000,000 hospital for the chronic sick on Parker Hill and of a \$225,000 courthouse in Brighton.

The hospital project has been slowly advancing for more than a year. It has been delayed by legal questions relating to the title of the property and faces further delay due to the city's suit against the Robert Brigham Hospital, whose plant the city is desirous of making a unit with the proposed hospital. It will be another year therefore, before the chronic sick can be transferred from Long Island to the mainland.

The land and buildings taken belong to the Protective and Benevolent Order of Elks and constitute the plant maintained by them for the soldiers during and immediately after the war. The price set by the Street Commissioners for the 193,359 feet of land and the buildings is \$115,000, about half the assessed valuation. The Elks agreed to sell to the city for just what the property cost them, plus taxes.

The award for the Brighton courthouse site is to the estate of D. M. Cauley in the sum of \$28,087.50 for 50,500 feet of land and for the buildings thereon. It is at Chestnut Hill avenue and Academy Hill road. The playground site, which it was originally proposed to transform into a courthouse site, was abandoned after protest by residents of the district.

MAYOR CURLEY ISSUES PROCLAMATION ON RECEPTION TO WORLD FLYERS.

Mayor Curley issued the following proclamation relative to the reception of the returning Globe girdling aviators:

The American aviators who will have brought the "round the world flight" to a triumphant finish on their arrival in the City of Boston during the coming week, have added an epochal event to the history of aviation and given to the world a splendid evidence of American courage, skill, resolution and tenacity. They should be given a public welcome worthy of our city so that the gallant aviators may know that they have earned the admiration and applause and touched the pride and patriotism of their countrymen.

A public reception will be given the heroic aviators at the Parkman Bandstand on Boston Common when the national colors will be presented to them and the Mayor of Boston will make a gift of the key to the city to them at City Hall as symbolic of the esteem and honor they are held in by our people.

I ask that the citizens of Boston fly national flags from their homes and houses; I direct that similar decorations be made on all schools and public buildings; and I trust that our people will assemble in great numbers on Boston Common that these heroic men may learn the place they have made for themselves in American hearts and understand that the citizens of Boston in common with all their countrymen appreciate the toil and suffering they sustained so uncomplainingly that the glory of our flag and the valor of them who serve it might be known all round the earth.

The arrival of the aviators will be duly announced in the public press.

MAYOR CURLEY REITERATES PROTEST AGAINST BOOSTS IN TELEPHONE RATES.

APPROVES OF STERN LETTER OF CORPORATION COUNSEL E. MARK SULLIVAN TO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES ASKING FOR DATA ON 1923 TOLLS RECEIVED BY COMPANY.

The Mayor addressed the following communication:

HON. E. MARK SULLIVAN, *Corporation Counsel*, 11 Beacon Street, Boston:

DEAR MR. SULLIVAN,—I have read with care your communication with reference to the increase in telephone rates which it is proposed shall become effective this date, Tuesday, September 2, 1924.

The flagrant action of the Public Utilities Board in my opinion can only be answered by a presentation of the facts to the people through the medium of the press as submitted by you as Corporation Counsel for the City of Boston representing the people of the Commonwealth upon the telephone rate question.

Sincerely yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

BOSTON, September 2, 1924.

HON. DAVID A. ELLIS, *Commissioner, Department of Public Utilities*, State House, Boston:

DEAR SIR,—At the conference which I and my associates had with you on Thursday, August 14, you suggested the possibility of your Board allowing the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company to shorten the initial talking period in fifteen and twenty cent toll calls from five minutes to three minutes. You further suggested that if I desire any additional data or information from the Telephone Company respecting toll call rates, or any other rates now under consideration by your Board, that you would be glad to forward my request to the company.

From my conversation with you I learned that you, at least, look with favor upon the allowance of these increases in toll rates, even though this case is yet unfinished and the evidence submitted by the company respecting toll rates is very meager. You have admitted that you did not know how these increases if allowed would affect the public, nor how much additional revenue they would give to the company.

You concede that the fundamental question in this entire case is whether the Telephone Company actually needs more revenue, and that this question the company has not yet satisfactorily answered. On the other hand you must concede that at this stage of the case the City of Boston in its opposition to the proposed increases has shown that the Telephone Company by practicing certain economies will have revenue adequate for all legitimate and proper purposes. This evidence has not been rebutted, nor any attempt been made to overcome it.

You have said that it would be better for the public, and for the service, if the toll calls were cut down to three minutes because this would result in less busy lines due to long conversations. I have heard of no complaint, nor has your department, on the score of busy

toll lines. You cannot argue that these busy lines make less revenue for the company, since whoever talks must pay.

You have said that if you had a "hunch" that the company needs more revenue that you might act on that "hunch" and allow an increase even though the evidence before you is incomplete, and the hearings suspended until September 16. You justify this by saying that if the "hunch" later proves to have been wrong, and it appears that the company did not in fact need the additional revenue, your commission could always rectify the mistake. Is it possible that you and your associates on the Board of Public Utilities are ready to decide important problems that affect the welfare and well being of the people of Massachusetts on "hunches?" If you are to act on a mere "hunch" let it be resolved in favor of the public whom you are supposed to represent.

Once rates are increased the public must pay them. You say if later it is found these increases were unmerited, that the error can be corrected. But when rates are thus lowered the public will then be paying only what the company is entitled to at that time. The commission has no right under the law to establish rates which will be lower than what the company is rightfully entitled to at the time your order is promulgated. Once the public pays an inordinately high rate, revenue thus derived from the company accrues to it and can never be returned to the public.

The law assumes, in fact requires, that your Board shall act not on "hunches," but on reasonable certainties. Whoever seeks to increase a rate or decrease a rate by order or permission of your Board is required to sustain the burden of proof.

The present state of the company's evidence respecting increases in toll rates leaves your Board groping in the dark. The case of the objectors is that the company's service is and has for a long time been inadequate, that its present rates and revenue should be and are just and adequate, and that the company has not satisfactorily established, even approximately, the amount of increased revenue that will be derived from these increases.

We now ask your commission to procure for us from the company the following data: All toll tickets for the months of March, July and November of the year 1923 for the entire territory of the company. From this data the city's engineer will be able to determine the length of conversation by units of one minute each for all toll calls, together with the amount of money received therefor, and to determine what may be expected in the way of additional revenue from increased overtime charges when the five-minute period is reduced to three minutes.

The company has said that if all the

increases asked for are granted it expects to increase its annual revenue by \$1,100,000 and that it estimated that of this sum \$250,000 would be derived from the increases in toll rates brought about by reducing the initial talking period from five to three minutes.

From the best information so far made available to me, now that the company seeks to make this toll increase applicable to the metropolitan district, we believe that the additional revenue from this one source alone will approximate the sum of \$650,000 a year. But why should your Board grant any such increase before you know what it will approximate, and before the evidence in the case is completed? This is not the most prudent way for your Board or for this company to deal with the public.

I have tried during the time that has been given to me to meet with facts and figures what little evidence the company has produced, and am ready to proceed with the rest of my case whenever your Board is ready to hear me. If, because of a "hunch" favorable to the company while the hearings in this case are suspended, you grant any increase in toll rates then all the evidence that the Mayor of Boston and other objectors have presented to you will go for naught.

The City of Boston, acting through its Mayor, has spent a great deal of money in an earnest effort to protect itself and the rest of the Commonwealth. You cannot, in fairness to the people of this state during the vacation of your commission, grant any increase in telephone rates. Upon your decision, as you well know, awaits the decisions that will be made by the Public Utilities Commissions in other of the New England states before whom are now pending similar requests for increases in telephone rates.

The company bases its requests upon the plea that it is facing a deficit for the current year which it hopes to overcome by increasing its revenue through increased rates. This increase in its revenue will approximate \$1,100,000 annually, it says.

The City of Boston has submitted to your commission evidence still uncontradicted and based upon established figures showing that the Telephone Company can effect economies approximating \$3,500,000 a year. The city's exhibit No. 14 shows the company's reserve fund as of December 31, 1923, to be \$39,440,729. This sum was equal to 28.14 per cent of the company's average depreciable plant of that date.

The Telephone Company is now making each year contributions to this reserve fund at the rate of 5.047 per cent of its average depreciable plant. This contribution is charged against the company's operating expenses and is paid for by the public. This annual contribution could and should be reduced to the rate of 4.25 per cent. This would make a net reduction in the company's annual operating expenses of \$1,200,000, and the balance in the Reserve Fund at the end of this year would still be \$42,109,986, or 27.61 per cent of the company's average depreciable plant. This would then be an extremely high figure. This saving would be more than \$1,100,000 that the Telephone Company says it needs and expects to derive from the increases in rates it is now asking for. The com-

pany's profits are already too large. It should not be allowed to increase them by any sleight of hand method of book-keeping or false juggling of figures. This is the day of decreasing taxes and decreasing costs. Your commission should not, except upon clear and imperative evidence, permit this company to increase its charges against the public.

In 1923 the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company put approximately \$6,800,000 into its Reserve Fund to take care of depreciation and replacements of plant. During that year they actually used for this purpose only \$3,200,000. This was \$3,600,000 more than it actually required. This method of piling up a reserve at the expense of the public is unjust and inequitable. In time, if continued, it will give the company as much money in its reserve as it has invested in its plant. This practice should cease. This is the reason for the company's alleged and seeming deficit, namely, putting too much money aside for a reserve fund, before paying reasonable dividends to stockholders, and charging it up against "operating expenses." It is not a deficit resulting from failure to make reasonable profits.

Before your commission even considers allowing any increases in telephone rates your duty to the public requires you to force the company to attempt the economies which the city has already pointed out to you as being available to them, namely,

- (a.) Reduce the annual payment it is now making to its parent company, the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, to whom it is now paying 4½ per cent of all its gross revenues; this means a tax of \$2 per telephone station; reduce this, as has been required by commissions in other states, to \$1 per telephone station; making a saving annually of \$1,000,000.
- (b.) Reduce the amount annually put into its reserve fund from 5.047 per cent to 4.25 per cent, saving annually \$1,200,000.
- (c.) Reduce its present general expenses, particularly its present traffic expenses, to the figure that existed before the last telephone strike, making a saving annually of \$1,100,000.
- (d.) Modify the company's supply contract it now has with another subsidiary of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, namely, the Western Electric Company, and lessen the excessive amount of supplies carried in its materials and supplies accounts, making a saving annually of \$200,000. Total economies suggested, \$3,500,000.

You should say to the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company that no increases in rates can be allowed to it by your commission until these possible economies have been put into effect, and until they have improved the service which is now so unsatisfactory. If by any chance your Board shall allow, either during the postponement of the hearings in this case or at its close, any further increases in telephone rates, the company failing by adequate evidence to overcome the testimony of the city respecting the above possible economies, I fear it will be futile for any one

to hope to assist your commission further, for it would seem that evidence, however material and positive, would fall on deaf ears.

I hope and sincerely trust that your commission will not allow these rates to become effective, at least, not until you have heard our entire case which will be resumed, according to your order, on September 16, and that you will give serious consideration to the city's proposal that the company be made to effect these very necessary and possible economies; increases otherwise granted will arouse the indignation of a justly incensed and outraged public.

Respectfully submitted,

E. MARK SULLIVAN,
Corporation Counsel.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing a public address system at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand, Boston Common. Surety bond will be required in an amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, September 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing an amplifying system at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand, on Boston Common. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, September 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for grading and concrete bleachers at the William Eustis Playground, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$4,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 17, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing foundation piling of the Chelsea Bridge North. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office.

Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 10, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Advertises for proposals for granite block pavement in Ramsey street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, September 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposal for grading in Harrishof street, from Warren street to Humboldt avenue, Roxbury; and Winton street, from Beech street about 640 feet southwesterly, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$600, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 9, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Itasca street, from existing sewer 56 feet southwest of Courier street, about 400 feet southwesterly, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 9, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Newfield street, Lasalle street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, September 18, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for alterations, etc., to the building at 300 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, Lewis District. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 9, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers (two compart-

ment) in the new Dorchester High School for boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday September 3, at 12 m.

Bids close Friday, September 26, at 12 m.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 597.

A trial board consisting of Captains Hickey, McConnell and Smith, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Joseph Sullivan of Division 20, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Joseph Sullivan was, on August 14, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on August 14, 1924, to the said Joseph Sullivan.

On the eighteenth day of August, 1924, the said Joseph Sullivan requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Wednesday, August 27, 1924, at eleven o'clock a. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Joseph Sullivan.

The said Joseph Sullivan was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said Joseph Sullivan guilty as charged and further finds that the said Joseph Sullivan shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 598.

It is my sad duty to announce to the department the death of Capt. Charles T. Reardon, which occurred at his late home, 22 Trull street, Dorchester, on Sunday, August 31.

He has been a member of the Police Department since April 20, 1891, when he was appointed a reserve officer and assigned to Division 4. He was appointed a patrolman on May 13, 1892, and later promoted to the successive grades of sergeant and lieutenant. On March 16, 1915, he was promoted to the grade of captain and assigned to Division 11, where he served until March 4, 1921, at which time he was transferred to the superintendent's office.

As a police officer, he filled all grades with ability and fidelity, and the untiring energy displayed by him in the performance of police work, together with his well-known integrity and honesty, may well constitute an example for us all.

His death is a distinct loss to this city, especially to its Police Department, and our sympathy is extended to his family and friends.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

PUBLIC WILL NOT EASILY FORGET THE MORAL TURPITUDE OF REPUBLICAN PARTY.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS ABLE ADDRESS, DISCUSSING POLITICAL CONDITIONS BEFORE RESIDENTS OF DISTRICTS IN MASHPEE VICINITY.

Mayor Curley delivered the following address at Mashpee on Saturday, August 30:

In considering the national election it is becoming increasingly apparent each day that the loss sustained by the Republican Party in the death of United States Senator LaBaron B. Colt, of Rhode Island, may prove a most important factor in the determination of a choice by the American electorate.

The state of Rhode Island will unquestionably return a Democratic United States senator to fill the position formerly held by Judge Colt. In that event a coalition of Democrats and such Republicans as Shipsted and Magnus Johnson will be in a position to determine who shall fill the position of president in the event of the failure of the candidate of either party to receive a majority of the votes of the Electoral College.

The sole asset of the Republican Party in the present election is the character of its candidate for the office of president. Apparently it is the purpose of the Republican leaders to ignore and fail to defend a record of waste, corruption and criminality, unequalled in any four-year term in the history of our government.

The public, however, in each state where an election has been held, have considered the laches of the Republican Party and have answered by electing Democrats; and in all probability a similar course will be pursued in the coming election. The remembrance of corruption in Teapot Dome; the vicious disclosures of the graft in the Veterans' Bureau; the collusion between cabinet officers and bootleggers, in the sale of whiskey permits; the brutal treatment of the veterans of the Grand Army and their dependents, in the veto of the Bursum Bill; the callous disregard for the welfare of postal employees and their families, in the matter of wage increases, accounts in no small measure for the abandonment of the Republican Party by the Republican senator, LaFollette, and his associates.

In view of the political change which has resulted in states which gave a Republican majority in 1920 it is interesting to learn the probable attitude of the business men of America in the coming election.

Oklahoma in 1922 elected a Democratic governor; Montana in the same year elected a Democratic senator; Wyoming elected a Democratic governor in 1922, in addition to electing Senator Kendrick, who defeated Frank Mondell, chairman of the Republican committee on notification of President Coolidge that he had been nominated for the office of President of the United States. In Utah a Democratic senator was elected in 1922; in Colorado a Democratic governor was elected in 1922; while Washington, Oregon and Arizona were all carried by the Democrats in 1922. Rhode Island elected a Democratic governor, so did New Hampshire; and it is reasonably certain that both of these states can be safely counted as Democratic in the com-

ing national election. Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota and Arizona may be reasonably conceded to Senator LaFollette. The improbability of electing Calvin Coolidge must of necessity be apparent to every student of current American politics. The eleven southern and two border states, which it is generally considered will be carried by Davis, represent 147 votes, the 8 votes of Maryland making 155. Conditions in Indiana make reasonably certain Democratic success there; and these 15 votes with Nebraska's 8, and Missouri's 18, make the count 196. New Hampshire and Rhode Island 9 votes, Nevada 3, Oklahoma 10, Arizona 3, New Mexico 3, Wyoming 3, Delaware 3, with New York and New Jersey 59, make a total of 289. Allowing the votes of Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Montana to LaFollette, it gives him a total of 39 votes; with President Coolidge receiving 203 votes.

The danger to the industrial stability of America that might result through the throwing of the election into the United States Senate and the possible selection by that body of Charles W. Bryan will unquestionably be an important factor in the political decision of the business interests of America. The period of uncertainty and depression which has resulted in part time employment for millions of workers in America in manufacturing lines, and which apparently is now gradually changing, must not be permitted to return. It is for the American people to determine whether their fealty to a party tag is of greater moment than their interest in the welfare of the American government and the American people.

From the standpoint of personal honesty John W. Davis is unquestionably the equal of President Coolidge; from the standpoint of ability as an attorney, the judgment of the former Republican President William Howard Taft that in his opinion John W. Davis is the ablest lawyer in America today, is sufficient. From the standpoint of experience in legislation and the ability to discharge the duties of a most exacting and responsible position John W. Davis has measured up in an exceptional manner, and brings an assurance of that greatest of business assets—national confidence.

Fortunately, there is ample time between now and the fifth day of November for the citizenship of America to investigate, to weigh the facts and determine a course of action. While it is true that Senator LaFollette does not possess the commanding leadership and magnetism of Theodore Roosevelt, it is nevertheless equally true that the present political upheaval is only within the ranks of the Republican Party; and the Democracy of the nation, presenting a united front and a candidate whom the honest business interests of America can support without fear of reprisals, and the workers of America can vote for with a conviction that they will receive justice, makes reasonably certain the election of John W. Davis as President of the United States.

MAYOR CURLEY HITS BACK.

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are always considered as prime essentials. First, a sturdy bank account; second, an ancestry that traces to the establishment of Massachusetts Bay Colony; third, a social status that would permit of entree at Bar Harbor, Newport and Monte Carlo.

So far as I am able to ascertain, Mr. Bacon has the requisite qualifications, and as heir-apparent at some future date to the throne of Governorship on Peacock Hill, it is but natural that the thrifty, practical politician of the Herman Hornblum variety should exercise judicious care that not even a pebble be placed in the pathway of a possible future Governor of this Commonwealth.

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, September 4:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The following-named persons have been transferred from the position of clerks to first assistant assessors: William F. Morrissey, Francis J. Turcotte, Henry T. Hartmere. Francis J. Ryan has been appointed a first assistant assessor. The salaries will be \$1,600 a year.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Gately has been designated to act as auditor during the absence of the Auditor during the four weeks beginning Monday, September 1.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

John J. McCarthy has been designated to serve as Acting City Collector in the absence of the City Collector during the four weeks commencing August 27.

The following changes and promotion have been approved:

John P. O'Connor, deputy collector at \$2,000 to clerk at \$2,100 a year; Joseph J. Callahan, clerk at \$1,900 to deputy collector at \$2,000 a year; James J. Maloney, clerk at \$1,800 to clerk at \$1,900 a year; M. Irene Ennis, clerk at \$1,700 to clerk at \$1,800 a year; George T. Murray, clerk at \$1,600 a year to clerk at \$1,700 a year; Lillian L. Feurtado, clerk at \$1,500 a year to clerk at \$1,600 a year.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Wilder C. Goodwin has been employed at \$1.50 an hour to assist in certain necessary engineering work.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary A. Cronin has been reinstated as nurse at \$1,500 a year.

The following nurses have been appointed at \$1,400 a year each: Ruth E. Sullivan, Mary A. Shaughnessey, Sadie A. Reilley, Mary J. E. Shannasey, Margaret M. Manning.

Marcia Strauss Shohan has been appointed as dietitian, provisionally, at \$1,500 a year.

Mary R. Donovan has been appointed as dietitian, permanent, at \$1,500 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, August 28:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Elizabeth Sweeney, Frances Trustman, special nurses, \$35 a week each; Joseph Kuikas, house cleaner (re-employed), \$12 a week; Timothy Murphy, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Maria Conley, cleaner (re-employed), \$11.50 a week; Lulaa Davis, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Joseph Mamon, male nurse, \$9.33 a week; George M. O'Neil, kitchenman, \$16 a week; Minnie Nichols, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week.

Temporary.—Catherine Forten, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Marie A. Elliott, technician, \$17 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Raymond MacInnis, temporary ward porter at \$17.50 to transfer porter at \$11 a week.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, September 4:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Margaret Donovan, ward maid, \$11.50 a week; Honora Landry, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Elizabeth Connelly, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; John Conroy, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; John N. Conway, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Elizabeth Madore, special nurse, \$35 a week; Abbie Wheeler, special nurse, \$35 a week; Lillian McLoughlin, special nurse, \$35 a week; Helen Crowley, social worker, \$1,000 a year; Gertrude Anderson, clerk, \$16 a week; Nellie McNeil, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Hector Noel, male nurse, \$23.06 a week; William Monohan, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Elizabeth Barnes, temporary assistant seamstress, \$10 a week; Annie Flaherty, table girl, \$9.50 a week; Francis Murphy, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Hannah Murphy, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

Temporary.—Teresa McMahon, assistant dietitian, \$12.83 a week; Joseph Leonard, helper, \$16 a week; Maire A. Elliott, technician, \$17 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

John J. Burke, house cleaner at \$12 to house porter at \$14 a week; James Shugrue, house cleaner at \$12 to helper at \$14 a week; Jane V. O'Brien, clerk at \$20 a week to social worker at \$1,000 a year; Mary Coughlin, cleaner at \$11.50 to table girl at \$9.50 a week; George McLellan, transfer porter at \$11 to desk orderly at \$15 a week; James Sachette, transfer porter at \$11 to temporary supervisor at \$22.50 a week.

Nurses.—Alice M. Cook, nurse affiliated, \$6 a month; Helen W. Daesy, nurse affiliated, \$10 a month; Caroline I. Horton, nurse affiliated, \$6 a month; Anne MacIsaac, head nurse, \$85 a month.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Corinne Poirer, nurse at \$12.50 to nurse at \$16.67 a month; Winifred Gibbons, nurse at \$10 to nurse at \$12.50 a month; Mary Healy, nurse, no pay, to nurse at \$10 a month; Mary A. MacDonald, nurse, no pay, to nurse at \$10 a month; Dalina MacInnis, nurse at \$12.50 to nurse at \$16.67 a month; Helen C. Nolan, nurse at \$12.50 to nurse at

\$16.67 a month; Margaret A. Sullivan, nurse, no pay, to nurse at \$10 a month.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Main Department.

Walter P. Shea, laundryman, \$36 a week to \$39 a week; John Lorden, laundryman, \$29 a week to \$32 a week; Anniello Imbrator, laundryman, 29 a week to \$32 a week; John Scaduto, laundryman, \$25 a week to \$28 a week; Edward Laskey, laundryman, \$23 a week to \$26 a week; Albert Howard, laundryman, \$21 a week to \$24 a week; Herbert Gunning, laundryman, \$20 a week to \$23 a week; Michael Saunders, gauze sorter, \$20 a week to \$23 a week; John McDonald, laundry porter, \$17.50 a week to \$20.50 a week; Vincent Derne, laundry porter, \$17.50 a week to \$20.50 a week; Patrick Lavin, laundry porter, \$17.50 a week to \$20.50 a week; Louis Lindlof, laundry porter, \$17.50 a week to \$20.50 a week; William P. Barrett, laundry porter, \$17.50 a week to \$20.50 a week; Rodney Keith, laundry porter, \$17.50 a week to \$20.50 a week; Elizabeth Monohan, vegetable cook, \$11.50 a week to \$12 a week; Lizzie Corydon, vegetable cook, \$11.50 a week to \$12 a week; Elizabeth Gallivan, kitchenwoman, \$11.50 a week to \$12 a week; Ethel Skanes, baker's assistant, \$11.50 a week to \$12 a week; Julia O'Brien, kitchenwoman, \$11.50 a week to \$12 a week; Elizabeth Mahoney, diet cook, \$11.50 a week to \$12 a week; Ralph N. Craft, temporary kitchenman, \$20 a week to \$21 a week; John J. Mahoney, sculleryman, \$15 a week to \$16 a week; Edgar Swendeman, butcher's assistant, \$16 a week to \$17 a week; Charles J. Lynch, refrigerating man, \$16 a week to \$17 a week; James G. Gill, baker's assistant, \$20 a week to \$21 a week; Ibacqua Sal, baker's assistant, \$15 a week to \$16 a week; Bernard Tebeau, sculleryman, \$15 a week to \$16 a week; Timothy Hodges, kitchen helper, 15 a week to \$16 a week; John Keane, sculleryman, \$15 a week to \$16 a week; Patrick Curtin, cook's assistant, \$23 a week to \$24 a week; James G. Norton, kitchen cleaner, \$15 a week to \$16 a week; Edward Mafierski, baker's assistant, \$16 a week to \$17 a week; James Kent, cook's assistant, \$18.50 a week to \$19.50 a week.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

Frederick K. Gardner, laundryman, \$29 a week to \$32 a week.

South Department.

W. Tasker, watchman, \$12 a week to \$13 a week; Catherine Donohue, kitchenwoman, \$11.50 a week to \$12 a week; Annie Pettee, kitchenwoman, \$11.50 a week to \$12 a week; Bessie Duthie, kitchenwoman, \$11.50 a week to \$12 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending Thursday, August 28:

Rufus J. Clark has been appointed captain, temporary, on the steamer "Michael J. Perkins," at \$46.03 a week.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Thomas J. Mulkern, porter, at \$1,600 a year, temporary; Frank Davey, institution employee at \$750 to \$800 a year, to succeed Joseph E. Carey; James L. Winn, institution employee at \$600 to

\$750 a year, to succeed Frank Davey; William Murphy, attendant at \$600 a year, to succeed Thomas Grady; Daniel J. Mahoney, porter at \$600 a year, to succeed Joseph Lizart; Patrick J. Burke, porter at \$600 a year, to succeed John J. Donovan.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Joseph E. Carey, transferred from Long Island institution employee to deckhand at \$1,000 a year, to succeed Thomas Lyons.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Andrew J. Casey has been appointed Assistant Corporation Counsel at \$4,000 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

James F. McNamara has been continued in temporary employment as a gardening laborer for a period of about thirty days at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

John J. Coleman has been employed as temporary fireman at \$6 a day in the Ferry Service, for thirty days, beginning August 30.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Patrick Mahan has been employed as lamplighter-laborer at \$4.50 a day in the Ashmont paving district.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

James V. Phillips and John F. O'Hea have been appointed as temporary rodmen at \$18 a week in the Sewer Service for a period of three months.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

John A. Sullivan, employed as temporary clerk with knowledge of stenography, has resigned to take a permanent position in the Building Department.

Dr. Frederick W. Watkeys has been designated as Acting Soldiers' Relief Commissioner during the four weeks commencing September 1, 1924.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Joseph J. Murphy has been granted an extension of employment as a rodman at \$1,100 a year for an additional three months.

Frederick J. Leonard has been appointed rodman for three months beginning September 2 at \$1,100 a year.

John H. Dooley has been appointed transitman for three months beginning August 29 at \$1,400 a year.

Joseph E. Murphy has been appointed rodman for three months at \$1,100 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, August 21:

Main Department.

P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 21 hours, \$14.91; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 9 hours, \$6.39; W. Cody, plumber's helper, 9 hours, \$5.06; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; M. Fontes, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93.

Haymarket Relief Station.

J. Scott, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$7.56.

Total, \$49.44.

For the week ending Thursday, August 28:

Main Department.

Edward Laskey, laundryman, 5½ hours, \$2.52; Albert Howard, laundryman, 5½ hours, \$2.31; H. Gunning, laundryman, 3½ hours, \$1.58; V. Derne, laundry porter, 5½ hours, \$1.89; R. Keith, laundry porter, 1½ hours, \$0.54; P. Breen, temporary assistant engineer, 3½ hours, \$3.13; E. Darcy, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; R. Johnson, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; M. Lynch, plumber, 22½ hours, \$15.53; M. Donovan, electric helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3, and 13½ hours, \$5.13.

Haymarket Relief Station.

P. Connors, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$7.56.

Total, \$73.71.

East Boston Relief Station.

P. Mealey, M. Fitzgerald, F. Ruggiero, porters and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50.

Total, \$174.21.

For the week ending Thursday, September 4:

Main Department.

T. J. McNally, John Deery, William Thompson, Peter Breen, assistant engineers, 8 hours, \$6.67 each; R. W. Jaegar, assistant engineer, 20 hours, \$16.67; M. F. Crosson, assistant engineer, 8 hours, \$6.67; J. McDonough, firemen, 20 hours, \$15; V. Pepe, fireman, 8 hours, \$6; E. Dacey, fireman, 20 hours, \$15; R. S. Johnson, John Norton, P. J. Galvin, firemen, 8 hours, \$6 each; John French, boiler room helper, 8 hours, \$5.20; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 20 hours, \$14.20; F. Creehan, M. Donovan, electrician's helpers, 12 hours, \$6.75 each; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3 and 4 hours, \$1.52; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93.

Haymarket Relief Station.

Walter Nolan, P. Joyce, J. McKenzie, porters and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50 each.

Park Department.

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, August 28:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahany, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; John Manning, foreman, 1 day, \$5.50.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, August 28:

Daniel L. Cadigan, compositor, 7½ hours, \$10.01; John E. Cotter, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52; Emanuel J. DeFreitas, 3½ hours, \$4.49; Cornelius Driscoll, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.64; James J. Dolan, compositor, 6 hours, \$8.28; John Fisher, compositor, 7½ hours, \$10.22; Christopher FitzGerald, Robert J. Hunter, compositors, 4 hours, \$5.52 each; Isaac Kramer, compositor, 3½ hours, \$4.49; James E. Lockhart, compositor, ½ hour, \$0.69; Peter J. Mulvey, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52; Abraham J. Rosen, compositor, 4½ hours, \$5.87; John F. Ward, compositor, 2½ hours, \$3.45; James S. Quinn, linotype operator, ¾ hour, \$1.15; Paul T. Burke, errand boy, 4 hours, \$2.20; Stephen E. Merrick, monotype runner, 4 hours, \$2.44; George M. Wrenn, errand boy, 4 hours, \$1.36; Mary M. Brennan, Catherine T. Crowley, compositors, \$5.52 each; Elizabeth F. Grant, proofreader, 4 hours, \$5.52; Edward J. Stanton, proofreader, 3 hours, \$4.14; Julia T. Donohue, Helen F. Duggan, copyholders, \$3.56 each; Theresa Morrison, apprentice, 4 hours, \$3.56; Annie T. Carnes, Margaret E. Casey, Pasquale DeMuzio, Jennie Dyer, Cora Gibson, Leonard Gleason, Mary F. Hurley, Rose V. Mellen, Maurice Murphy, Anna Pfeiffer, Katherine Roche, Veronica Shanney, Alice H. Sullivan, operators, 4 hours, \$5.52 each; James A. Gately, monotype runner, 4 hours, \$2.44; Patrick Kelly, monotype caster operator, 1 hour, \$0.82; Michael McKeen, monotype caster operator, 4 hours, \$4.08; Edward R. Morris, apprentice, 5 hours, \$3.75; Daniel F. Sullivan, apprentice, 4 hours, \$2.44; James H. Sullivan, apprentice, 5 hours, \$4.75. Total, \$203.79.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For week ending Monday, September 1:

Drawtender.—J. R. Downey, 1 day, \$5.20.

First Assistant Drawtenders.—J. F. McKeon, W. M. Tracey, 1 day, \$4.66 each.

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. J. Delay, J. F. O'Neil, J. P. Stack, W. B. Thomas, J. J. Leonard, F. B. Rogers, J. J. Gilmartin, J. P. Kelley, J. R. Coyle, 1 day, \$4.33 each; E. F. Brennan, J. B. Shea, 2 days, \$8.77 each.

Total, \$71.48.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 1:

Captains.—Andrew A. Greer, James J. Kelly, Edward R. Gray, Richard L. Searle, Adin C. Small, John J. Belton, Charles F. Crocker, 1 day, \$7.67 each.

Quartermasters.—Joseph B. Nealon, William J. Wilkie, Charles Stafford, Henry J. Scaife, Edward C. Crouse, Francis B. Morrison, Florence W. Sullivan, 1 day, \$6 each.

Deckhands.—William J. Stinson, Peter Milano, Frank N. McGee, Henry J. Hayes, Thomas Doyle, George M. Nagle, William J. Kinsman, Patrick J. A. Conway, Rufus W. Scott, John J. Driscoll, John J. Pilcher, James Murphy, Fred P. Craven, 1 day, \$4.75 each; William F. Hollander 1½ days, \$7.13.

Tollmen.—James D. Coughlin, Christopher T. Leonard, William G. Greenall, John D. Mahoney, Thomas F. Lynch, Michael F. Powers, James E. Green, Fred C. Horner, John E. Brown, 1 day, \$5.50 each; William J. Timmins, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Gatemen.—John D. Collins, John E. Nagle, Arthur F. Keefe, Joseph A. Browne, John R. Dugan, William C. McMullen, John T. Callahan, Lendall P. Rollins, Walter H. Noyes, Walter L. Brown, Edward L. Bonner, 1 day, \$5.25 each.

Laborers.—Alfred N. Wesberg, James L. O'Neil, John H. Tyrer, John J. Pugh, Edward J. O'Brien, Joseph O. White, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Riggers.—Thomas J. Downes, 2½ days, \$13.75.

Engineers.—Michael J. Kennedy, John J. Reardon, Jeremiah P. Casey, Patrick W. Mackey, John H. Sullivan, George F. Keating, Daniel F. Rowen, 1 day, \$7.50 each.

Firemen.—James C. Fitzpatrick, Theodore P. Panopoulos, August J. Sommers, Edward P. Donahue, John J. Ranahan, John J. McDonough, James P. Connors, Thomas Murphy, John P. Vallen, Henry W. McCusker, John A. Harrison, Michael D. Hurley, James Porter, James Dearie, Charles Desmond, John Gannon, Christobal Fradau, George B. Roddy, Simon Collins, Ernest L. Yocum, Daniel H. Marliave, Thomas Baggott, Nathan McConnell, John Kelly, John W. O'Connell, Philip F. Gallagher, Henry T. McConnell, Morgan J. Sullivan, Timothy F. Tierney, Owen Moore, 1 day, \$6 each; Francis M. Donahue, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Total, \$561.57.

Net cost for the week ending September 2, 1924, \$560.07.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 1:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Collins, 3 days, \$15; James Clancy, 1½ days, \$6.25; Stephen Manning, Jeremiah O'Brien, Michael Neary, 1½ days, \$5.63 each; Michael Brady, Dennis Callahan, Hugh O'Connor, 1 day, \$5 each; John Graham, ½ day, \$3.13; Daniel Coleman, George Caswell, ½ day, \$2.50 each; Peter Keenan, 1½ days, \$5.94; Thomas Byrne, 1½ days, \$5.34.

Chauffeurs.—James McCarthy, 1 day, \$5; Charles Caffrey, ½ day, \$3.75.

Laborers.—Thomas Casey, Thomas Duffy, 3½ days, \$14.63 each; John Smith, 3 days, 13.50; Timothy Driscoll, Malachi Hanley, John Crowley, 3½ days, \$15.75 each; Michael Clancy, Stephen Connolly, Isaac Goldstein, 2½ days, \$11.25 each; Emillio Curcio, Daniel McKenna, Michael Mullin, 2 days, \$9 each; James Brown, Thomas Foley, Thomas Shine, Thomas Kilduff, Edgar Sargent, 1½ days, \$5.06 each; James McNabb, 1½ days, \$5.63; John McDonald, Thomas Flaherty, George DeGraan, James McFarland, Joseph Faretro, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Peter King, John Farren, Patrick Barry, John English, John O'Neil, John O'Connor, Thomas Coughlin, Andrew Flaherty, Patrick McDonough, Michael McMahon, Louis Brunetto, John Gilligan, Bart. Norton, Marimus Walraven, Joseph O'Brien, William Prendiville, John Waters, John Delaney, Bernard Brady, Patrick Egan, James Keelan, Thomas Kelly, James McCarthy 1 day, \$4.5 each; James Gavin, Timothy Ken-

nedy, ½ day, \$3.38 each; Cornelius Sullivan, Herman Hodapp, John Donnelly, ½ day, \$2.25 each; Crescenzo DeLuca, James Sullivan, ½ day, \$1.69 each.

Assistant Engineers.—William Bragger, 3½ days, \$25.08; John McCarthy, 2 days, \$14.33; John Mahoney, 3½ days, \$23.33.

Gatemen.—William Mullen, Richard Tobin, Chris Kenney, 1 day, \$6 each.

Mason.—James Duffy, ½ day, \$3.50.

Total, \$504.75.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 1:

Laborers.—James E. Flynn, Maurice J. Fitzgerald, Alexander McCarthy, Elmer H. Kendall, William F. Hurley, Edward J. Maher, Richard Howard, Timothy Donovan, Christopher Sullivan, Vincent X. Fallon, John J. Carroll, Michael Doyle, Eben Kimball, Daniel McCormack, Patrick Dolan, Frank Haley, James Fitzgerald, George McCormack, James Noonan, Timothy Callahan, Daniel Higgins, Edward Breen, John Devlin, Timothy McCarthy, James McKenney, John Ring, Charles Bleiler, George Currie, John Doherty, John Kelley, Michael Caine, Charles Hennrikus, William Doyle, Richard Kelley, Martin McDonnell, Daniel Crowley, James Hall, Thomas O'Keefe, William Graham, Thomas Walsh, Garrett Sullivan, John Lombard, Michael Fitzgerald, Patrick Hafferty, Arthur Gleason, James Lyman, Daniel Anglin, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—William Shaughnessy, 1 day, \$4.75.

Engineer.—John McGee, 1½ days, \$10.31.

Cement Finisher.—Arcangelo Faiella, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Total, \$233.31.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 1:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 2 days, \$10 each; T. Norton, 2½ days, \$12.50.

Emergencymen.—D. Curley, J. Doherty, M. Donohue, A. Christie, 1 day, \$5.50 each; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, W. Rice, 1 day, \$4.75 each; W. Lonergan, R. Curcio, T. Flanagan, W. Fitzimmons, J. Mahan, M. McCue, J. Roust, P. Clougherty, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. Kelley, 1 day, \$5; H. McCauley, 2 days, \$9.50; J. Gateley, 1 day, \$5.25; A. LoPilato, 2 days, \$9.50.

Repairers.—G. Ryan, ½ day, \$0.84; M. White, 1 day, \$5; D. Hanlon, 1½ days, \$9.28; W. Scanlon, 2 days, \$11; P. O'Hare, ½ day, \$1.97; G. Cozza, ½ day, \$1.88; M. O'Day, 2½ days, \$10.31; C. Sullivan, ½ day, \$0.94; B. Delorusso, 1 day, \$5; A. Brennan, ½ day, \$0.94; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$8.44; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$8.91; J. Lonergan, ½ day, \$5.25; C. Driscoll, 3 days, \$16.50; C. Magee, 3 days, \$15; D. Kirby, 2 days, \$10; G. Waters, ½ day, \$3.56; G. Greer, ½ day, \$2.81; J. Williamson, ½ day, \$3.56; W. Shields, 1½ days, \$8.44; T. Rose, 1½ day, \$4.06; J. Blessington, ½ day, \$4.06; J. McKenney, ½ day, \$2.75; A. Rolfe, ½ day, \$2.38; M. Matthews, ½ day, \$2.81; M. Rizzo, ½ day, \$2.67; J. McLaughlin, ½ day, \$1.69; M. Burke, 2 days, \$11; G. Carroll, ½ day, \$0.98; T. Denney, 2½ days, \$13.13; J. Feeley, ½ day, \$3.56.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, E. Pyne, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 2 days, \$9 each; M. Barron, 1½ days, \$8.44; M. Byrnes, ½ day, \$2.53; J. Horgan, ½ day, \$0.84; J. Hennessey, ½ day, \$1.69; C. Joyce, D. Leo, J. McCauley, M. Mulqueeney, J. M. O'Toole, 1 day, \$4.50 each; P. Loftus, 3 days, \$13.50; J. Mahoney, ½ day, \$1.69; P. Mulkern, 3½ days, \$15.19; C. O'Malley, ½ day, \$1.69; J. O'Toole, 2½ days, \$12.09; J. Phipps, ½ day, \$1.69; G. Schelhuber, ½ day, \$1.69; J. Sullivan, 2½ days, \$12.66.

Total, \$520.92; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$11; net total, \$509.92.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon September 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Todesca for sewerage works in Bostonia avenue, between Breck avenue and Regent road, Brighton. Bids, opened August 29, were as follows:

Joseph Todesca, \$2,746.50; L. Martiniello, \$2,802.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,950.50; A. D. Daddario, \$2,974.50; V. Barletta, \$3,046.50; M. DeSisto Company, \$3,138.50; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$3,206.50; J. Williams & Co., \$3,226.50; Vozzella & Caponi, \$3,416.50; L. Balboni, \$3,436.50; DeChristofaro & Brothers Company, \$3,460.90; P. Martiniello, \$3,602.50; J. J. Conway, \$3,782.50; C. Russo, \$4,382.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon August 28 the Mayor approved a contract with M. DeSisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Pilgrim road, Plymouth street, Riverway and Short street, Roxbury; Oneida street, city proper; Redfield, Allendale and Myrtlebank streets, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened August 26, were as follows:

M. DeSisto Company, \$5,951.75; Vozzella & Caponi, \$6,126.50; L. Martiniello, \$6,288.75; J. Williams & Company, \$6,411.50; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$6,909; A. D. Daddario, \$6,975.25; V. Barletta, \$7,007.25; L. Balboni, \$7,390.50; A. Grande, \$8,552.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$9,071.25.

Upon August 28 the Mayor approved a contract with J. Williams & Co. for laying and relaying water pipes in Bonad road, Hillside avenue, Marion avenue, Metropolitan avenue, Parkton road, Roberts avenue and Russett road, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened August 25, were as follows:

J. Williams & Co., \$3,094.50; V. Barletta, \$3,517.50; C. Russo, \$3,635.50; Vozzella & Caponi, \$3,710.10; L. Balboni, \$3,844.50; M. DeSisto Company, \$3,882.50; De Cristofaro & Brothers Company, \$4,008.50; L. Martiniello, \$4,163.50; A. D. Daddario, \$4,377.50.

Upon September 3 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Ceñalo for laying and relaying water pipes in West Roxbury Parkway (West Border road),

from LaGrange street to Pleasure Drive. Bids, opened August 22, were as follows:

A. Cefalo, \$4,327.50; C. Iacozza, \$4,327.50; M. DeSisto Company, \$4,387.50; V. Barletta, \$4,707.50; J. Williams & Co., \$4,537.50; A. Grande, \$5,327.50; Vozzella & Caponi, \$5,402.50; C. Russo, \$5,587.50; M. D. Russo, \$5,777.50; J. A. Costello & Co., \$6,247.50; L. Balboni, \$6,267.50; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$6,457.50; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$7,227.50; M. DeMatteo, \$8,927.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Rugo for building additions to portable school at the Brighton High School. Bids, opened August 29, were as follows:

Joseph Rugo, \$4,444; R. J. Connolly, \$4,490; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$5,320; John P. Curley, \$5,898; Lamont Brothers Company, \$6,800; Walter Curley & Son, \$7,230.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 29 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph A. Singarella for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service, 750 concrete meter boxes. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

"Permission is respectfully requested to award this contract to the third bidder, Joseph A. Singarella, at a price of \$10.73 per box. This recommendation is made after consulting with the officials of the Public Works Department regarding the fitness of the Boston Construction Company and Thomas Mulcare, the first and second bidders, to carry on this contract, and I have been informed by the Public Works Department that neither concern has had any experience in doing this work, nor are they properly equipped to fulfill this contract.

In the past considerable difficulty and delay has been experienced by awarding this contract to the lowest bidder, and I feel that the best interests of the city will be served by approving the recommendation that is made."

Bids, opened August 19, were as follows:

Boston Construction Company, \$9.70 per unit; total \$7,275; Thomas Mulcare, \$10.70 per unit; total \$8,025; J. A. Singarella, \$10.73 per unit; total, \$8,047.50; Hugh Nawn Construction Company, \$12.25 per unit; total, \$9,187.50; Standard Construction Company, \$15 per unit; total, \$11,250.

Upon September 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for furnishing meats to various city departments during September, 1924. Bids, opened August 29, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Two Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—Merchants Provision Company, 16½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Veal.—Merchants Provision Company, 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound.

Four Thousand Pounds Hinds.—Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company,

19 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Forty Pounds Chucks.—Merchants Provision Company, 9 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 8 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound.

Thirteen Hundred Pounds Lamb.—Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 25 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 26 cents per pound.

Fifty Pounds Bacon.—Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Hams.—Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 24 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Fowl.—Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 33 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 31 cents per pound.

Twenty-five Pounds Salt Pork.—Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 12 cents per pound.

Total.—Merchants Provision Company, \$2,013.60; William A. Doe Company, \$2,072.70; Mohawk Packing Company, \$2,186.50.

Institutions Department.

House of Correction.

Twenty-four Hundred Pounds Stickers.—Merchants Provision Company, 7½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 7 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 8½ cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Undercuts.—Merchants Provision Company, 16½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 17 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Forty Pounds Lamb Saddles.—Merchants Provision Company, 31 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 28 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 30 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Twenty-five Pounds Fowl.—Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 33 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 31 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Eighty Pounds Frankfurts.—Merchants Provision Company, 13½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Pounds Short Ribs.—Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Fore Quarters.—Merchants Provision Company, 10½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 11 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Bologna.—Merchants Provision Company, 13½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 13 cents per pound.

Totals.—Merchants Provision Company, \$1,148.20; William A. Doe Company, \$1,118.65; Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,222.95.

Long Island Hospital.

Four Thousand Pounds Stickers.—Merchants Provision Company, 7½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 7 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 8½ cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Brisket.—Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound.

Sixteen Hundred Pounds Rib Cuts.—Merchants Provision Company, 18 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Twelve Hundred Pounds Hams.—Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 24 cents per pound.

Fifteen Hundred Pounds Fowl.—Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 31 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 30 cents per pound.

Eighteen Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Three Thousand Pounds Lamb.—Merchants Provision Company, 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 25 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 26 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Pounds Frankfurt Sausage.—Merchants Provision Company, 13½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Pounds Bacon.—Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Seventy-two Pounds Lamb Fores.—Merchants Provision Company, 15 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound.

Total.—Merchants Provision Company, \$2,723.80; William A. Doe Company, \$2,717.08; Mohawk Packing Company, \$2,896.80.

Park Department.

Two Thousand Pounds Chucks.—Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 11 cents per pound.

Total.—Merchants Provision Company, \$200; William A. Doe Company, \$195; Mohawk Packing Company, \$220.

Merchants Provision Company did not submit check with bid.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Artificial Stone Sidewalks).

Upon August 30 the Mayor approved

a contract with Nathan Fritz for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 19, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Nathan Fritz, 62 Maywood street, Roxbury, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon September 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the Turner Construction Company for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, September 2, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to the Turner Construction Company, 178 Tremont street, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

EDWARD F. MURPHY,
Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the J. J. Hurley Company for repairs to the heating system of the Sarah J. Baker School. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 28, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor, under the provisions of chapter 486, section 30, of the Acts of 1909, to awarding a contract, without advertising, to J. J. Hurley & Co., 102 Broadway, for repairs to heating system in the Sarah J. Baker School, Roxbury, the cost of said work to exceed the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars.

The reason for making this request is as follows: We sent the above named firm to this school to repair leaks in the present primary radiators, to take said radiators apart, renipple them and put them in first-class condition. The radiators, being of the old type, were found to be cracked in many places, and could not be taken apart without damaging them in such a manner that they could not be put back in place. The only alternative, therefore, is to remove these radiators from the fan chamber and install in their place radiators of a more

modern type. The Board therefore requests the approval of your Honor to the awarding of contract as stated.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 25 the Mayor approved a contract with the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing one Reo speed wagon. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 23, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing one Reo speed wagon chassis at a price of \$1,295, less allowance for old Dodge chassis now in use, \$200, making the net amount of the contract \$1,095, for the Medical Examiner of County of Suffolk.

I feel that this type of machine will best meet the requirements of the Medical Examiner's department, and as the Linscott Motor Company are the direct factory representatives, no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for same.

Trusting that the permission will be granted, I remain,

Yours very truly,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon August 30 the Mayor approved a contract with the Linscott Motor Company for one Reo truck. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, August 29, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to enter into a contract, without advertising, with the Linscott Motor Company for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Highway Division, one Reo truck equipped with special dump body, wood hydraulic hoist with sideboards, painted and lettered to our specifications at a price of \$2,250.

This department has standardized on this make of truck, and as the Linscott Motor Company is the direct factory agent for the manufacturers no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for same.

Trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am,

Very truly yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$45, on contract with M. F. Gaddis for bitulithic pavement in Washington street, West Roxbury, on account of removing buried guard rail timber, paving slope at end of retaining wall, and placing extra concrete against curb. Original contract, \$49,-

880.70; total additions, \$695; contract as standing, \$50,575.70.

Additions, amounting to \$17,112, on contract with A. G. Tomasello & Son for laying Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Brighton; Dalkeith and Standard streets, Dorchester, Beryl street, Pond View avenue and Redlands road, West Roxbury, on account of constructing, with concrete pavement, Price road, from Glenville avenue to Long avenue, Brighton; Blackwell street, from Neponset avenue to Bowman street, and Bowman street, from Blackwell street to Chickatawbut street. Prices to be paid, the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$90,803.50; total additions, \$17,112; contract as standing, \$107,915.50.

An addition, amounting to \$3,000, on contract with J. A. Singarella for laying Portland cement concrete pavement in Centre street, Roxbury, on account of setting edgestone, laying artificial stone sidewalks and relaying gutters in Leonard street, from Duncan street to Clayton street. Prices to be paid, the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$63,320.05; total addition, \$3,000; contract as standing, \$66,320.05.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$70, on contract with William Barrett & Co. for sewerage works in Mark street, Roxbury, on account of building one standard manhole at station 0+00 on surface drain. Original contract, \$2,066.25; total addition, \$70; contract as standing, \$2,126.25.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

M. D. Russo has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in Iffley road, West Roxbury, from August 2, 1924, to August 16, 1924 (fourteen days).

John Williams & Company have been granted extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in Canterbury street, West Roxbury, from August 2, 1924, to August 14, 1924 (twelve days).

William Barrett & Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Mark street, from Day street about 203 feet easterly, Roxbury, from August 16 to September 19, 1924 (thirty-four days).

The Rendle Stoddard Construction Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for repairing ferry piers, from July 10, 1924, to September 18, 1924.

ASSESSED VALUATION AND TAX RATE, 1923.

Assessed valuation as of April 1, 1923, \$1,714,104,300, or \$1,553,957,500 real estate and \$160,146,800 personal. Of the real estate, \$853,304,200 was assessed on land and \$700,653,300 on buildings. The real estate valuation showed a gain of \$52,342,400 over the 1922 total; the personality a loss of \$16,099,874, as resident bank stock is excluded. In the 1922 assessment it was included.

Total tax rate the same as in 1922 and 1921, or \$24.70 per \$1,000 of valuation, divided thus: City tax, \$20.30 (\$6.68 of this for schools); County tax, \$1.56; State tax, \$2.84.

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING AUGUST 31, 1924.

(As compared with the same month in preceding years.)

	1924.		1923.		1922.		1921.		1920.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
First Class.....	66	\$2,916,018	85	\$453,575	51	\$7,186,550	38	\$110,450	27	\$581,600
Second Class.....	71	673,150	67	298,600	55	613,750	48	686,650	26	406,830
Third Class.....	159	845,524	134	758,967	121	613,285	76	319,548	53	128,780
Special.....	9	21,865	23	14,315	17	8,404	17	24,415		
Total New Work.....	305	\$4,486,557	309	\$1,525,457	244	\$8,451,989	117	\$1,138,063	106	\$1,117,210
Alterations.....	627	716,606	615	464,159	691	1,173,949	766	444,348	548	1,752,114
Total Construction.....	932	\$5,203,163	924	\$1,989,607	935	\$9,625,938	913	\$1,528,411	654	\$2,869,324
Plumbing.....	351	\$309,663	381	\$725,697	360	\$294,092	295	\$175,975	210	\$113,331
Gasfitting.....	797	49,713	1,022	55,883	961	59,873	811	46,307	504	50,613
Heating, etc.....	119	114,050	127	179,121	84	83,681	55	137,899	38	41,385
Elevators, freight.....	24	37,071	31	51,082	44	83,156	9	21,580	10	9,650
Elevators, passenger.....	15	98,200	14	52,930	14	52,544	15	162,525	7	66,500
Signs, proj., etc.....	4	1,650	10	7,100	3	325	1	2,250	2	1,500
Fire escapes.....	22	6,207	11	3,130	7	2,070	20	5,395	3	7,375
Take-downs, wood.....	28	5,240	41	3,590	8	2,986	16	795	16	2,175
Take-downs, brick.....	16	4,130	4	5,200	19	1,175	2	175	6	2,200
Sprinklers.....	25	37,790								
Total.....	1,401	\$663,714	1,644	\$1,083,733	1,503	\$579,902	1,257	\$552,901	796	\$294,729
Grand Total.....	2,333	\$5,866,877	2,568	\$3,073,340	2,438	\$10,205,840	2,200	\$2,081,312	1,450	\$3,164,053
Cashier's Receipts.....		\$6,392 00		\$4,606 25		\$4,702 00		\$3,285 50		\$2,531 00

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Stellman road, bounded:

Southwest by land of Thomas, 5.57 feet; northwest by another part of Stellman road, 44.57 feet; northeast by land of Richardson, 5.57 feet; and southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Havey and Richardson, 5.67 feet; containing 223 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Walter G. Richardson, bounded:

Southwest by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Stellman road), 5-57 feet; northwest by other land of said Richardson, 88.09 feet; northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Havey and Richardson, 5.53 feet; and southeast by the same, 88 feet; containing 440 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, bounded:

Southwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Richardson, 5.53 feet; northwest by other land of said Havey and Richardson, 86.89 feet; north-

east by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Granfield avenue) 5.49 feet; and southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from said Havey and Richardson, 86.80 feet; containing 434 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Granfield avenue, bounded:

Southwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Havey and Richardson, 5.49 feet; northwest by another part of said Granfield avenue, 43.95 feet; northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Havey and Richardson, 5.49 feet; and southeast by the same, 43.95 feet; containing 220 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, bounded:

Southwest by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Granfield avenue) 5.49 feet; northwest by other land of said Havey and Richardson, 86.79 feet; northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from said Havey and Richardson, 5.46 feet; and southeast by the same, 86.70 feet; containing 432 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, bounded:

Southwest by land hereinafter described as taken from said Havey and Richardson, 5.46 feet; northwest by other land of said Havey and Richardson, 85.59 feet; northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Ferndale road) 5.42 feet; and southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Havey and Richardson, 85.50 feet; containing 428 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Ferndale road, bounded:

Southwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Havey and Richardson, 5.42 feet; northwest by another part of Ferndale road, 43.37 feet; northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Havey and Richardson, 5.42 feet; and southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Havey and Richardson, 43.37 feet; containing 217 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, bounded:

Southwest by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Ferndale road), 5.42 feet; northwest by other land of said Havey and Richardson, 85.50 feet; northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from Havey and Richardson, 5.39 feet; and southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from C. & R. Construction Company and from Havey and Richardson, 85.40 feet; containing 427 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, bounded:

Southwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Havey and Richardson, 5.39 feet; northwest by other land of said Havey and Richardson, 65.83 feet; west by the same, 17.28 feet; northeast by Bradeen street, 10.27 feet; and southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from C. & R. Construction Company, by two measurements, 74.91 feet and 8.75 feet; containing 418 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, bounded:

South by land of the City of Boston (Forest Hills Playground), 22.68 feet; northwest by land supposed to belong to Thomas, and by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Stellman road), Richardson and Havey and Richardson, 655.77 feet; southeast by land hereinafter described as taken from C. & R. Construction Company, 613.87 feet; east by the same, 14.88 feet; and southeast by land of the C. and R. Construction Company, 18.10 feet; containing 4,742 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to C. & R. Construction Company, bounded:

West by land hereinafter described as taken from John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, 14.88 feet; northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from Havey and Richardson, 688.78 feet; north by Bradeen street, 1.73 feet; northwest by the same, 4.65 feet; east by land hereinafter described as taken from said company, 32.13 feet; and southeast by

other land of said company, 682.13 feet; containing 9,680 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to C. & R. Construction Company, bounded:

West by land hereinbefore described as taken from said company and from John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, 32.02 feet; northwest by Braden street and by other land of said company, 64.04 feet; east by land hereinafter described as taken from said company, 32.02 feet; and southeast by other land of said company, 64.04 feet; containing 1,281 square feet, more or less. This taking is made reserving to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts all the rights acquired in said parcel by the taking made therein for sewerage purposes.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to C. & R. Construction Company, bounded:

West by land hereinbefore described as taken from said company, 32.02 feet; northwest by other land of said company, 41.19 feet; west by the same, by two measurements, 34.90 feet on a curve of 50 feet radius and 18.33 feet; northeast by land of the City of Boston, by two measurements, 21.32 feet and 2.58 feet; east by other land of said company, by two measurements, 5.29 feet and 48.87 feet on a curve of 70 feet radius; and southeast by the same, 66.19 feet; containing 2,152 square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

Eight hundred and eighty feet of 11-foot 3 inch circular concrete surface drain conduit and five hundred and thirty feet of 18-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being private land between the Forest Hills Playground and Stony brook.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of land now or formerly owned by the C. & R. Construction Company, between the Forest Hills Playground and the land of the City of Boston (Stony brook) will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 558, Sewerage Works, Roslindale Branch of Stony Brook, West Roxbury, March 18, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount
1. C. & R. Construction Company..	\$2,076 15
2. C. & R. Construction Company..	287 65
	<u>\$2,363 80</u>

Voted, That the Board determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in private land between the Forest Hills Playground and Stony brook, West Roxbury district, under the order of the Board, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

	Amount.
Owners unknown (Stellman road), 223 square feet.	Nothing.
Walter G. Richardson, 440 square feet, John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, 434 square feet.	\$44 00
Owners unknown (Granfield avenue), 220 square feet.	43 40
John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, 432 square feet.	Nothing.
John A. Havey and Walter G. Rich-	43 20

ardson, 428 square feet.	42 80
Owners unknown (Ferndale road), 217 square feet.	Nothing.
John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, 427 square feet.	42 70
John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, 418 square feet.	41 80
John A. Havey and Walter G. Richardson, 4,742 square feet.	94 84
C. & R. Construction Company, 13,113 square feet.	327 83
	<u>\$680 57</u>

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has allowed the following claims:

Arthur A. Harris, in the sum of \$500, for personal injuries caused by defect in sidewalk at 12 South street, Jamaica Plain, March 1, 1924.

Mollie Snyder, in the sum of \$500, for personal injuries caused by fall on Blue Hill avenue, opposite Callender street, October 15, 1923.

Bertha Arnold, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries and damage to property caused by a hole in the sidewalk where concrete was removed in front of 77 Beach street on April 4, 1924.

Anna M. Burns, in the sum of \$100,, for personal injuries caused by depression in sidewalk at 579 East Eighth street December 28, 1916.

Evelyn Gasin, in the sum of \$300, for personal injuries caused by a defect in walk on Castle Island Bridge on August 10, 1923.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the lowest bidder as indicated for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during September, 1924. Bids opened August 29, 1924, were as follows:

DISTRICTS.	No. 2 Hay.	No. 3 Hay.	Straw.	No. 2 Oats. (Bushel.)	Shorts. (Ton.)	Corn. (Busnel.)
SOUTH BOSTON.						
Whittemore Company.....				\$0 66½	*\$35 50	
Lord & Webster Company.....	\$29 25	\$27 50		67½	38 00	
John J. White Company.....	34 00		\$26 00	69½	38 00	
William J. Culkeen.....	*28 95		*25 00	69	37 00	
Sumner-Crosby Company.....				*65½	36 00	
EAST BOSTON.						
Whittemore Company.....				66½	*35 50	
J. J. White Company.....			27 50	70	39 00	
William J. Culkeen.....	*28 95		*25 00	69	37 00	
Sumner-Crosby Company.....				*65½	36 00	
CHARLESTOWN.						
Whittemore Company.....				66½	*35 50	
Lord & Webster Company.....			27 75	67½	38 00	
J. J. White Company.....			26 50	69½	38 50	
William J. Culkeen.....	*28 95		*25 00	69	37 00	
Sumner-Crosby Company.....				*65½	36 00	
CITY PROPER.						
Whittemore Company.....				66½	*35 50	
Lord & Webster Company.....			27 75	67½	38 00	
J. J. White Company.....			25 50	68½	37 00	
William J. Culkeen.....	*28 95		*25 00	69	37 00	
Sumner-Crosby Company.....				*65½	36 00	
ROXBURY.						
Whittemore Company.....	32 75	32 00	*24 00	*66½	*35 50	
J. J. White Company.....			26 00	69½	38 50	
Landy Brothers.....	*30 00		25 50	68½	36 25	\$1 50
DORCHESTER.						
Whittemore Company.....	32 75	32 00	*24 50	*66½	*35 50	
William J. Culkeen.....	30 95		25 00	69	37 00	
Landy Brothers.....	*30 00		25 50	68½	36 25	1 50
WEST ROXBURY.						
Whittemore Company.....	32 75	32 00	*24 00	*66½	*35 50	
William J. Culkeen.....	30 95		25 00	70	37 00	
Landy Brothers.....	*30 00		25 50	68½	36 25	1 50
BRIGHTON.						
Whittemore Company.....	32 75	32 00		*67	*36 00	
William J. Culkeen.....	30 95		25 00	70	37 00	
Ogden & Thompson.....	*30 50		*24 75	67½	38 00	1 45
HYDE PARK.						
Whittemore Company.....	32 75	32 00	25 00	*67	*36 00	
William J. Culkeen.....	*30 95		*25 00	70	37 00	

* Contract awarded.

BOSTON'S LIABILITY FOR METROPOLITAN DEBT, 1923.

Boston's liability for this contingent debt of the State (i. e., in the form of annual assessments for sinking-funds and interest) incurred for Metropolitan parks, sewers, water, etc., was \$27,106,350 (net) on July 1, 1923, or \$1,003,191 less than in 1922. It is divided thus: Water debt, \$17,164,364; park debt, \$4,172,214; sewer debt, \$3,845,376; Charles River Basin debt, \$1,924,396. The percentages

paid by Boston are 73.0066 on water debt; 57.5862 on most of the park debt; 45.39 on most of the sewer debt, and on Charles River Basin debt the same as on park debt.

Metropolitan assessments paid by Boston in 1923 amounted to \$3,573,070, of which 58 per cent was for debt requirements and 42 per cent for maintenance. Water assessment, \$1,872,413 (paid from water revenue); park, \$1,010,502; sewer, \$456,954; Charles River Basin, etc., \$233,201.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 28 TO SEPTEMBER 3.

AUGUST 28.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Frederick Petrillo	215 Beech street	23	First-class garage	\$800
Ida A. Muller	Rear 60 Round Hill street	14	First-class garage	1,000
Vincenzo Angeleri	Rear 15 Walnut street	23	Second-class garage	1,000
Joseph Pazekes	Rear 1399 River street	24	Second-class garage	800
Mrs. Louis A. Bartols	Rear 14 Bradeen street	23	Second-class garage	900
William E. Grace	26 Colonial road	25	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Mary F. Mahoney & al.	7 Wade street	25	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Peter Zaldokas	76 Ardale street	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Charles L. Barnett	25 Parkton avenue	23	Third-class dwelling	4,500
Charles L. Creaser	1 Wright road	23	Third-class dwelling	7,000
T. E. Henderson	55 Melville avenue	19	Third-class garage	500
A. E. Norris	4 Alhambra road	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
A. E. Norris	5 Alhambra road	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Paul Epstein	232 Foster street	25	Third-class dwelling	9,500
Suburb Realty Company	31 Hobson street	23	Third-class dwelling	6,000
William D. Broadbent	29 Lexington avenue	24	Third-class dwelling	6,000
Peter Miniutti Company	98 Fairmount street	21	Third-class dwelling	14,000
Charles W. Benker	Rear 7 Thurston street	1	Third-class garage	490
Harley Private Hospital	6 Windermere road	17	Alterations, hospital	25,000
Harley Private Hospital	Rear 6 Windermere road	17	Alterations, hospital	2,000
Elizabeth H. Donovan	551 Norfolk street	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
S. Lydeman	34 Tokio street	24	Alterations, manufacturing	400
Rudolph Lenterbach	14 Sneffell road	23	Alterations, dwelling	200
Arthur E. Dorr	290 Beacon street	8	Alterations, dwelling	10,000
Frank Meinior	120 Bremen street	2	Alterations, dwelling	500
Anthony Parfumeris	597 Metropolitan avenue	24	Alterations, dwelling	75
South End Hebrew School	42 Lovering street	6	Erect fire escape	500
W. D. Murphy	484 Massachusetts avenue	7	Erect fire escape	460

AUGUST 29.

Burziny Smith	52 Pratt street	25	First-class garage	\$950
Florence Crittenden League	19 Perthshire road	26	First-class hospital	100,000
Helen W. Connolly	Rear 31 Castleton street	14	Second-class garage	900
Florence Crittenden League	4 Perthshire road	26	Second-class cottage	35,000
M. Elizabeth Tupper	Rear 37 Mather street	20	Second-class garage	900
Florence Crittenden League	12 Perthshire road	26	Second-class nurses' house	21,000
Caroline F. Dacey	18 Landseer street	23	Third-class dwelling	7,000
Diamond Realty Company	9 and 11 Lorna road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
W. Wilazewski	244 Kennebec street	24	Third-class dwelling	9,000
Boston Dwelling House Company	90 Bourne street	24	Third-class dwelling	8,000
Francis A. Holstead	85 Hemman street	23	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Forbush & Co.	492 Main street	4	Alterations, store	500
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital	721 Huntington avenue	14	Alterations, nurses' home	1,500
Samuel Kopelman	1150-1154 Blue Hill avenue	21	Alterations, stores	800
W. D. Brownell	263 West Newton street	7	Alterations, apartments	150
Annie Katz	632 West Park street	19	Alterations, dwelling	200
Homer Loring	468 Beacon street	8	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Daniel Griffin	63 Melville avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	500
Edward McHugh	194 Merrimac street	5	Alterations, store	30
Frank Savia	13 Burrell street	12	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Burton-Furber Company	Rear 120 Border street	2	Alterations, garage	3,000
Samuel Rudnick	1197 Boylston street	8	Install elevator	3,600
Samuel Rudnick	1203 Boylston street	8	Install elevator	3,600
Samuel Rudnick	1209 Boylston street	8	Install elevator	3,600
Edison Electric Illuminating Company	317 Cambridge street	5	Install elevator	4,400
Waterman Building	46 School street	3	Install four elevators	33,000
Mrs. Branick	140 Charles street	8	Install dumb waiter	96
Elenora D. Titcomb	46 Pinckney street	8	Install dumb waiter	250
Kay Sandwich Shop	156 Massachusetts avenue	7	Install dumb waiter	100
M. Millet & al.	24 and 26 Compton street	6	Erect fire escapes	125
Arthur L. Oakman	15 Taylor street	20	Take-down, dwelling	50
J. Krinsky & al.	99 Washington street	19	Take-down, dwelling	25

AUGUST 30.

Aurelia Zager	Rear 27 Chauncy place	15	Second-class garage	\$1,000
Mrs. Wilson Cuthbert	64 Myrtlebank avenue	20	Third-class dwelling	3,000
Mrs. M. W. Murphy	350 C street	9	Repair elevator	600
Elizabeth Donovan	38 Fessenden street	21	Alterations, garage	8,000
G. Nelson	41 Hamilton street	23	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
Max Cohen	38 Esmond street	21	Move garage	300

SEPTEMBER 2.

Florence S. Young	480 Centre street	22	First-class garage	\$1,200
John J. Donnelly	191 Highland street	15	First-class garage	500
Chauncy Lee	Rear 35 Moultrie street	19	Second-class garage	1,000
Joseph Amrhen	208 Dudley street	12	Second-class stores and dwelling	17,000
Rebecca Gilman	Rear 68 Lucerne street	21	Second-class garage	1,000
Berson & Berish	14 Greendale road	21	Third-class dwelling	15,000
Berson & Berish	20 Greendale road	21	Third-class dwelling	15,000
Berson & Berish	24 Greendale road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Berson & Berish	22 Greendale road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Berson & Berish	18 Greendale road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Berson & Berish	16 Greendale road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
W. H. Tibbetts	124 Faneuil street	26	Third-class dwelling	12,000
W. H. Tibbetts	128 Faneuil street	26	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Karl Battis	39 Lexington avenue	24	Third-class dwelling	10,500
Zilla Calder	1104 Adams street	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Edmund E. Huyghe	111 Willow street	23	Third-class dwelling	11,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop	814-822 East Fourth street	10	Install elevator	2,900
Joseph Breck & Sons	83 and 85 State street	5	Install dumbwaiter	950
Christian Alliance Church	50 Kenilworth street	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Salvatore Morotta	9 Adams terrace	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
Nunzio Celio	30 Liverpool street	2	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Standard Oil Company of New York	194 Freeport street	20	Alterations, garage	22,000
Luigi Cataldo	Rear 218 and 220 Havre st.	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
L. V. Niles	19-23 Elm street	5	Alterations, stores	4,000

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 36.

I. AID TO DEPUTY CHIEF.

Franklin B. Sanborn, Ladder Company 13, has been designated as an aid to Deputy Chief, to take effect as of February 1, 1924.

II. BOSTON FIREMEN'S RELIEF FUND.
(Election of members of the corporation.)

The annual election of the Boston Firemen's Relief Fund will be held in accordance with Sections 3 and 4 of Article 5 of the By-Laws on Monday, September 8, 1924.

The attention of the officers and members of the department is called to the provisions of Article 5 of the By-Laws of the corporation.

III. ACTING DISTRICT CHIEF.

Capt. Thomas F. Roach of Engine Company 50 is hereby designated Acting District Chief of District 2 to take effect at 8 a. m., September 5, 1924.

IV. ANNUAL DRILL AND INSPECTION.

The annual drill and inspection of the various companies of the department will commence on Monday, September 8, at Headquarters yard, Bristol street.

All officers and members will participate with their various companies, with the exception of members on vacation. The time lost by members on account of the drill will be made up to them when company strength will permit.

The drills will start with the Third Division and continue with the First and Second Divisions.

There will be two drills daily, namely, at 10.30 a. m. and at 3 p. m.

Deputy chiefs will attend the drills of the companies of their respective divisions, and will respond to fires from the Headquarters yard.

The evolutions will be similar to those of last year. The company commander will give the commands for each evolution.

Deputy chiefs will designate the companies to report at Headquarters yard, without apparatus, and will arrange to cover absent companies by details from their respective divisions.

A department automobile will be provided to convey members to and from Headquarters yard.

V. CONTRIBUTION TO BOSTON FIREMEN'S RELIEF FUND.

The Fire Commissioner has received from Louis Wolf & Co., three hundred (300) dollars in appreciation of the services rendered by members of the Boston Fire Department and Boston Protective Department at a fire on their premises 104-106 Pearl street, on July 31, 1924. One hundred and fifty dollars was sent to the Fire Commissioner, and one hundred and fifty dollars to the Superintendent of the Boston Protective Department. Both checks have been turned over to the treasurer of the Boston Firemen's Relief Fund.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 28 TO SEPTEMBER 3.

SEPTEMBER 3.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Emily C. McNamara.....	Rear of 18 Mellon road.....	19	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Otto Taubert.....	Rear of 1531 Centre street.....	23	First-class garage.....	600
A. H. Rice.....	12 Lenoxdale avenue.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
A. H. Rice.....	8 Lenoxdale avenue.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
A. H. Rice.....	10 Lenoxdale avenue.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Columbus Association.....	1538 Columbia road.....	10	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
W. H. Hardy.....	39 Rosemont road, southwest.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
Commercial Wharf Company.....	85-89 Commercial Waarf.....	5	Alterations, office.....	900
Joseph Hushner.....	8 Lovering street.....	6	Alterations, school.....	275
C. H. Bloomberg.....	45 Kingsdale street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	160
John Ivols.....	33 Fulda street.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	550
E. F. Cassell.....	221 Newbury street.....	8	Alterations, lodging house.....	1,000
Heeter Papanti.....	13 Julian street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	600
P. Moschella.....	Rear of 1472 Hyde Park ave.....	24	Alterations, storage.....	180
F. R. Nourie.....	151 Gardner street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Annie Peppley.....	119 and 121 West Canton st.....	6	Alterations, tenement.....	150
Mrs. E. M. Treadwell.....	56 Pinckney street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	900
Morris Goldberg.....	314 Newbury street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Joseph Pappazini.....	315 Norfolk avenue.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Michael Fommarais.....	83 F street.....	10	Alterations, tenement and stores.....	350

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED AUGUST 28 TO SEPTEMBER 3.

AUGUST 28.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Henry J. Gurl.....	116 Waldemar avenue.....	1	New fixtures.....	\$350
B. F. Donohue.....	54 Tyler street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
William L. Benoit.....	49 Rockwell street.....	21	New fixtures.....	125
James A. Dickerson.....	94 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	200
Harry F. Nation.....	185 Humboldt avenue.....	16	New fixtures.....	2,000
M. H. Myers.....	56 Hudson street.....	5	New fixtures.....	175
Louis Molledo.....	90 Harvard avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	400
Vincent B. Buckley.....	157 Harrison avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
David B. Armstrong.....	14 Dorrance street.....	3	New fixtures.....	700
Jonn Fogarty.....	30 Court square.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
B. M. Black.....	5 Colorado street.....	24	New fixtures.....	450

AUGUST 29.

Cox & Johnson.....	588 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$400
M. Pass & Co.....	52 Hereford street.....	8	New fixtures.....	350
M. B. Gradone Company.....	149 Florence street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,000
William J. Adams.....	897 Dorchester avenue.....	11	New fixtures.....	50
G. A. Renshaw.....	714 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
Arthur Stein.....	48 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	3,000
William B. Johnson.....	317 Cambridge street.....	5	New fixtures.....	2,500
Morse Brothers Company.....	7 Cambridge street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
Edward O. Irving.....	386 West First street.....	9	New fixtures.....	75

AUGUST 30.

P. Achinbach.....	137 Faywood avenue.....	1	New fixtures.....	\$450
G. M. Duggan.....	23 Lenoxdale avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	425
A. E. Scrivens.....	30 Neponset avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	450
Maurice Low.....	101 Nightingale street.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,500
Louis Lipinsky.....	119 Orleans street.....	2	New fixtures.....	400
Joseph Locke.....	632 West Park street.....	19	New fixtures.....	375
Thomas J. Trainor.....	40 Spencer street.....	19	New fixtures.....	450

SEPTEMBER 2.

T. J. Feeley.....	2 Teeven's court.....	9	New fixtures.....	\$125
T. J. Feeley.....	5 Teeven's court.....	9	New fixtures.....	125
T. J. Feeley.....	1 Teeven's court.....	9	New fixtures.....	125
T. J. Feeley.....	4 Teeven's court.....	9	New fixtures.....	125
T. J. Feeley.....	148 West Sixth street.....	9	New fixtures.....	200
J. J. Vogel.....	12 Allenwood street.....	23	New fixtures.....	620
J. J. Vogel.....	211 Corey street.....	23	New fixtures.....	650
J. J. Vogel.....	499 Beech street.....	23	New fixtures.....	570
J. J. Vogel.....	189 Cornell street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,150
J. E. Stanley.....	62 Carruth street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,100
J. E. Stanley.....	11 Verdun street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,100
Powers & Mehegan.....	1538 Columbia road.....	10	New fixtures.....	950
M. C. Grant.....	37 Thorndike street.....	12	New fixtures.....	700
W. H. Mitchell.....	132-136 Hampden street.....	12	New fixtures.....	1,800
A. & B. Feldman.....	140 Stuart street.....	8	New fixtures.....	185
J. J. Fleming.....	257 Quincy street.....	17	New fixtures.....	175
Maurice Low.....	960 Harrison avenue.....	12	New fixtures.....	6,000
H. F. Rice.....	295 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	200
D. H. Nettles.....	856 Columbus avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	420
Cox & Johnson.....	142 Berkeley street.....	7	New fixtures.....	1,000
Samuel Adams.....	181 Train street.....	20	New fixtures.....	800
Leo Charles Levy.....	821-827 Shawmut avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	1,600

SEPTEMBER 3.

Harry C. Greenlaw.....	545 Massachusetts avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$506
W. B. Johnson.....	271 Dartmouth street.....	8	New fixtures.....	150
John R. Barrett.....	178 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
Joseph F. Burke.....	314 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
J. A. Finley.....	11 Wallingford road.....	25	New fixtures.....	600
William Welch.....	52 Ashford street.....	25	New fixtures.....	300
L. J. Towle.....	131 Harvard street.....	25	New fixtures.....	150
Blue Hill Plumbing Company.....	156 Ballou avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	200
David Craig.....	75 West Dedham street.....	6	New fixtures.....	300
Max Hyman.....	36 Wildwood street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,200
Max Hyman.....	40 Wildwood street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,200

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 599.

The Department of Civil Service and Registration will hold a competitive examination for promotion to the grade of lieutenant in the Boston Police Department, according to the following notice this day received:

This examination will be held on Monday, September 29, 1924.

1. This examination is to be open to the sergeants in the Boston Police Department who have served as such, in accordance with civil service rules, at least three years immediately preceding the date of examination.

2. The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 9; report, 3; practical questions on police law, practice and procedure, 8; total, 20.

3. Application blanks may be secured from the Department of Civil Service and Registration, Division of Civil Service, rooms 148-152 State House, Boston. The vouchers on this blank need not be filled out. When completed applications should be returned to the Civil Service office to be placed on file not later than September 22.

4. Experience sheets will be mailed to applicants about a week in advance of the examination and they will then be notified of the precise time and place of examination.

Commanding officers will promulgate this order, not only by reading it at roll call, but by posting a copy thereof in a conspicuous and accessible place in each station house; and it shall remain posted until after the date of the examination.

Commanding officers will secure a fresh copy from the superintendent, if the posted copy becomes mutilated or destroyed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 600.

The Superintendent of Police is hereby directed to make the following details for duty at the State Primary in this city on Tuesday, September 9, 1924.

1. Three patrolmen for duty in the office of the Board of Election Commissioners, City Hall Annex, on arrival of ballots for State Primary at about 12 o'clock noon, Monday, September 8, 1924, such detail to continue until all ballots cast at the Primary have been returned.

2. An officer of rank above that of sergeant for duty at the City Hall Annex, to supervise the police detail for motor trucks, from 3.30 o'clock, a. m. Tuesday, 9th inst., until relieved, and a patrolman, from 8 o'clock, p. m., on the same date, until relieved, for duty at the same place, to keep clear the approaches to the office of the Board of Election Commissioners for motor vehicles returning from the polling places with ballot boxes, etc.

3. The necessary number of patrolmen from the several police divisions to attend the several polling places in this city on State Primary Day, to preserve order and protect voters in the full exercise of their rights.

4. Two patrolmen from Division 18 to report at office of Board of Election Commissioners at 3 o'clock a. m., Tuesday 9th inst., and there to receive ballot boxes, ballots and other paraphernalia required for the Primary in Ward 24, and deliver same on motor vehicle, furnished by the

Election Commissioners, to the station house of Division 18.

5. Twenty-five sergeants, one to a motor vehicle, to report at office of the election Commissioners, City Hall Annex, Court square, at 4 o'clock, a. m. (excepting the sergeants for Wards 21 and 23, who will report at 3.30 o'clock a. m.) Tuesday, September 9, 1924; thence to proceed in such vehicle with ballot boxes, ballots, etc., to the several precincts in their respective wards (Ward 24, excepted), and deliver same to the police officer detailed in each precinct.

6. Nine patrolmen from Division 18, one patrolman from Division 19 and one patrolman from Division 17, to report at the station house of Division 18, at 4.30 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, September 9, thence to proceed in a motor vehicle to be provided for the purpose with the ballot boxes and other paraphernalia and distribute the same in the various precincts of Ward 24.

7. One patrolman to report at each of the two hundred and seventy-four precincts at 5 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, September 9, except the patrolman in Ward 1, Precincts 6 to 9 (both inclusive), to report at 4.30 a. m.; Ward 20, Precincts 1, 2 and 10, to report at 4.45 a. m.; Ward 21, Precincts 1 to 5 (both inclusive), to report at 4.30 a. m.; Ward 23, Precincts 1 to 6 (both inclusive), to report at 4.30 a. m.; Ward 25, Precinct 2, to report at 4.45 a. m.; Ward 26, Precincts 1 to 3 (both inclusive), to report at 4.30 a. m.; to receive ballot boxes, etc., from sergeants detailed on motor trucks, in such cases provided; such detail to continue until the ballots are counted and the result declared. They are then to bring the ballots and returns to the Election Commissioners' office.

8. Cards with the ward and precinct number and location of voting booth printed thereon have been forwarded to the several police divisions, on which the division commander will write the name, the division number, and the number of the officer detailed at 5 o'clock a. m., September 9, at the voting booth of each respective precinct on his division. This card, to be given to the officer so detailed at the voting booth, will be retained in his possession until delivered by him to an employee of the Board of Election Commissioners, who will arrive accompanying a sergeant on motor vehicle from the Election Commissioners' office on the morning of September 9, with ballot boxes, ballots, etc., as hereinbefore stated. This card, when returned by such employee to the office of the Election Commissioners will be its receipt that the ballot boxes, ballots, etc., have arrived at their proper destination.

9. In the case of Ward 24, such cards, after having been properly filled out by the division commander, will be given to the two patrolmen who are to report at the office of the Election Commissioners at 3 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, September 9, as herein stated, and are to be delivered by them to the Election Commissioners on receipt of the ballot boxes, ballots, etc.

10. On receipt by the patrolman from the sergeant, detailed on motor vehicle, as herein provided, of registering ballot box, voting lists and such other documents as may have been received from the Election Commissioners, the patrolman detailed at polling place will deliver same to the warden or clerk of the precinct, allowing no person to take or handle them before such delivery, and hand the key of the registering ballot box to the warden. On delivery of ballots to the warden, the patrolman will take from him a receipt for the ballots,

which receipt will be returned to the Election Commissioners.

11. After the warden has opened the box and allowed the election officers and the public to see that it is empty, the box is to be again locked and the key given to the patrolman who is to retain it until after the polls have closed, except that, at the request of the warden, the patrolman may allow him to open the box for the purpose of pressing down the ballots, in order to make room for more ballots, after which the patrolman will see that the box is again locked, and the key returned to the police officer.

12. The patrolman will obtain from the warden copies of poster, which will be sent to the latter, in relation to smoking and the use of liquor in polling places, and post same in conspicuous places where they may be easily read. Tacks will be sent for the purpose.

13. The warden will deliver to the patrolman detailed at the polling place for his use at that place a copy of the descriptive voting list, which must be returned to the warden at the close of the polls.

14. When the polls are opened, the patrolman will mark in the place indicated on the tag attached to the key the figures which the register shows before any ballots are cast.

15. At 8 p. m., Tuesday, September 9, when the polls close, one sergeant will report in each of the 25 wards (Ward 24 is excepted), to meet motor vehicle at last point of morning distribution; thence to proceed to each of the several precincts in his respective ward, and receive registering ballot box (which must be locked) and key thereof, voting lists envelope, signed by the warden and other election officers, receipts for ballots, unused ballot envelope (containing unused and spoiled ballots), stamps for marking spoiled ballots, and receipts for ballots, carry them to the Election Commissioners' office and deliver same to some member of the Board of Election Commissioners.

16. When the polls are closed, the patrolman will mark on the same tag the figures which the register shows after all ballots have been cast. He will then hand the key to the warden, who will open the box and take out all the ballots to be sorted and counted. The warden will then cause the voting lists, including the list used by the police officer, to be sealed up in an envelope and the envelope certified by the signatures of himself and the other election officers, and the same returned to the Election Commissioners, as described in section 15 of this order. The patrolman will not allow this envelope to be put into the ballot box. The sergeant who will report on motor vehicle, will keep it about his person until delivery at the office of the Election Commissioners. The unused and spoiled ballots are then to be put in the envelope for unused ballots, and the envelope sealed and certified.

17. When returning from polls all motor vehicles must drive to the easterly side of City Hall Annex, Court square, where ballot boxes will be conveyed by chute to the basement.

18. It is important that the patrolman sees that the voting lists envelope is signed by the warden, clerk and all the inspectors. The patrolman will also see that the special book for signatures of voters is returned in the registering ballot box.

19. In case a patrolman is detailed to relieve another after the close of the polls, the commanding officer will see that he

is instructed as to the duty of bringing the official returns, the box of ballots cast, and the press return to the Election Commissioners' office as soon as they are delivered to him by the election officers.

20. When the ballots have all been counted, the ballots thus counted, tally sheets and nothing else (the ballots to be in their separate party envelopes) shall be placed by the warden in the leatheroid box for that purpose, which must be sealed up and signed by all the election officers. The patrolman will particularly see that this box is properly sealed up and that all the election officers have signed their names to the certificate on the box. The patrolman will then bring the box, official return, press return and stamps for marking defective ballots to the City Hall Annex, Court square, and deliver same to the Election Commissioners. *The patrolman is directed not to allow the official return or record book to be placed in the leatheroid box.*

21. After the close of the polls—a vehicle, to be provided for the purpose will be sent to the various precincts in Ward 24, to bring police officers with regular ballot boxes, unused ballots, etc., to the station house of Division 18, from which place only two police officers need accompany the motor vehicle with the regular ballot boxes, unused ballots, etc., to the office of the Election Commissioners.

22. While the polls remain open an officer of rank will visit the polling places in each division at stated intervals, to be designated by the captain, and in case of any disturbance will report the fact to the commanding officer of the station house without delay. If additional men are needed beyond the number available in that division, the officer in charge will communicate immediately with Headquarters.

23. Attention is called to the fact that the polls at the State Primary on Tuesday, September 9, shall open at six o'clock a. m. and close at eight o'clock p. m.

24. Commanding officers of divisions will see that the officers detailed for duty on State Primary Day are furnished with a copy of the circular issued by the Board of Election Commissioners, entitled: "Instructions to Police Officers on Primary Days."

25. Attention is particularly called to the fact that at the State Primary on September 9 the Board of Election Commissioners has made provision for the appointment of two extra election officers in each precinct to report at 6 o'clock on the evening of the primary. Such extra election officers will assist in the counting of the ballots cast, which will be done at two tables in each precinct this year, instead of at one as heretofore.

NOTE.—Refreshments, consisting of coffee and sandwiches will be provided by the Board of Election Commissioners at its office for the officers detailed to report at that place on the morning of September 9.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 601.

As the time for the fall election approaches, there are certain facts which I desire to call to the attention of the department. As many questions will undoubtedly arise on both primary and election days which will have to be answered by the officers who are assigned to the various precincts, I am setting

forth in this General Order a few salient facts with which I trust the department will make itself thoroughly acquainted, in order that there may be no confusion and misunderstandings around the polling places on Primary and Election Days.

A voter, while outside the voting place, may be approached and asked to vote for a particular candidate for office, provided the voter is willing to stop and listen to the person making the request. The police, however, should not allow any one to persist in accosting a voter who apparently does not desire to be so accosted. If the situation should arise that because of the size of the crowd of persons stopping and soliciting votes, the path of voters to the polls is obstructed and blocked, then the police should disperse the crowd and arrest any one who persists thereafter in accosting voters.

Only precinct officers are allowed to speak to voters within the guard rail in the voting place and then only to answer questions that the voters may put to them.

A voter may be accosted and have particular names on a sample ballot, posted on the outside of the guard rail or on the outside of a polling booth, pointed out to him, provided the voter is willing to have the names so pointed out and does not object to the delay occasioned thereby, and provided also that it does not cause the gathering of a crowd which obstructs and blocks the path of the voter to the polls.

No automobiles or other vehicles decorated with banners of a candidate for political office, are allowed within one hundred and fifty feet of a polling place, except that automobiles or other vehicles *actively engaged* in carrying voters to and from the polling places may draw up to the entrance of the polling places and discharge their passengers. After the passengers have been discharged, the vehicles shall then withdraw to a distance of one hundred and fifty feet where they may wait until called to the entrance of the polling places to take away from the polling places voters who have just finished casting their votes and desire to be taken away from said polling places.

No party worker nor any person actively working for a candidate for political office shall wear a button, badge or card showing the picture and name of a candidate for political office, in the polling place or within one hundred and fifty feet thereof.

It is permissible to distribute and hand out within one hundred and fifty feet of a polling place, pasters or stickers to be used on the official ballot with the name thereon of a candidate who desires to run as an independent candidate, provided that the distribution of these pasters is done in an orderly manner, so as not to block the progress of the voter to the polls, and provided also that the pasters are not forced upon a person contrary to his desire. If a situation arises that because of the number of persons distributing pasters, the path of voters to the polls is blocked or obstructed or impeded, the police shall then regulate the distribution of these pasters in such a manner that while the pasters may be distributed to all voters approaching the polls who desire them, there shall be no obstruction placed in the paths of voters going to the polls.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

LAND-TAKING IN ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Sonoma street, Roxbury district, as a highway, from Elm Hill avenue to Maple street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Sonoma street is hereby laid out, from Elm Hill avenue to Maple street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures, standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwest by Elm Hill avenue, forty and 37-100 feet; northeast by the northeasterly line of said Sonoma street, as hereby laid out, four hundred ninety-one and 38-100 feet; southeast by Maple street, forty and 43-100 feet; and southwest by the southwesterly line of said Sonoma street as hereby laid out, four hundred ninety-one and 83-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Sonoma street, from Elm Hill avenue to Maple street, will receive benefit or advantage other than the general advantage to the community from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Sonoma Street, Roxbury, Assessment Plan, May 21, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Rebecca Berlin.....	\$143 64
2. Morris Sherman and Hyman Shapiro, Trustees of the Sonoma Realty Trust.....	750 00
3. Paul H. Kendrick and Heirs.....	984 00
4. Ralph Selvinor.....	404 00
5. Jules Seligman.....	104 12
6. Jules Seligman.....	240 00
7. Frank Sher and John A. Missel.....	1,500 00
8. Barney and Samuel Glazer.....	400 00
Total.....	\$4,525 16

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Sonoma street, Roxbury district, as a highway, from Elm Hill avenue to Maple street and awards no damages therefor.

MAYOR CURLEY REFUSES COMMON TO SOCIALISTS FOR CELEBRATION ON "DEFENCE DAY."

Mayor Curley sent the following letter September 4:

MR. ALBERT WEISBORD, Organizer, Socialist Party of Massachusetts, 64 Pemberton Square, Boston, Mass.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter this day requesting that a permit be issued for a peace demonstration at the Parkman Bandstand, Boston Common, for September 11, at 6 p. m. The application for the use of the Parkman Bandstand for a peace gathering

on Defence Day, September 12, was refused for the reasons set forth in my communication to you under date of September 3, as follows:

"I regret to inform you that it will be impossible for me to comply with your request as September 12 has been designated as Defence Day, and as an American Mayor of an American city, interested in America, I am opposed to anything that savors of pacifism propaganda which, in my opinion, unless checked may serve to deprive Americans of their present splendid heritage which was secured through the use of the sword and so long as the governments of the world continue constituted as at present can only be preserved and perpetuated by the sword."

The reasons set forth in that letter, in my opinion, are equally applicable to a permit that might be issued for a meeting to be held prior to September 12, provided the purpose of that meeting was to minimize the Defence Day program, which, to my mind, is of sufficient importance to justify my rejection of the permit. The request for a permit one day earlier is on the very face of it an attempt to secure the same effect as though it were held on September 12 and I cannot approve it.

The designation of September 12 as Defence Day was the work of the President of the United States, Hon. Calvin Coolidge, and while the President of the United States and myself may differ politically, I am in absolute harmony with him upon the question of safeguarding the integrity of the American Republic from possible dangers that may arise. I consider the proclamation of the President of the United States upon the question of Defence Day a message worthy of the serious thought and earnest support of every person who terms himself an American citizen.

Provided a request is received for a meeting subsequent to September 12, I can see no objection to granting the same.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Public Works Department for authority to relay granite block pavement, with grout joints, on a gravel base in Emerson street, from East Third street to Broadway, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$5,000.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Public Works Department for authority to relay brick pavement in Hancock street, from Columbia road to Bowdoin street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$4,000.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority to relay wood block pavement in Boylston street, from Berkeley street to Exeter street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$6,000.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Samuel J. Tomasello has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying bitulithic pavement in Grove street, from Centre street to Washington street. Items ordered: Grade the approaches where directed. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$300.

TABLE SHOWING NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC.
FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST, 1924.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES AND STORES.		BANKS.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....												
Second Class.....	8	\$380,000							1	\$6,000	1	\$17,000
Third Class.....	1	17,000							89	787,400	1	6,500
Special Class.....												
Total New Work.....	9	\$397,000							90	\$793,400	2	\$23,500
Alterations.....	21	15,622	15	\$21,780	2	\$2,100	3	\$2,120	415	178,288	26	8,840
Grand Totals.....	30	\$412,622	15	\$21,780	2	\$2,100	3	\$2,120	505	\$971,688	28	\$32,340

CHARACTER.	GARAGES.		HOTELS.		HOSPITALS.		LODGING HOUSES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....	59	\$180,500	1	\$2,500,000					1	\$15,000		
Second Class.....	49	55,350							7	73,000	1	\$128,000
Third Class.....	38	19,414							1	600		
Special Class.....	4	2,365										
Total New Work.....	150	\$257,629	1	\$2,500,000					9	\$88,600	1	\$128,000
Alterations.....	17	56,775	3	3,596	5	\$30,700	8	\$6,120	46	120,555	14	187,800
Grand Totals.....	167	\$314,404	4	\$2,503,596	5	\$30,700	8	\$6,120	55	\$209,155	15	\$315,800

CHARACTER.	OFFICE BUILDINGS.		SCHOOL HOUSES.		STABLES.		THEATRES.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....	2	\$147,568					1	\$100,000	2	\$2,950	66	\$2,946,018
Second Class.....					1	\$2,000			3	11,800	71	673,150
Third Class.....									29	14,610	159	845,524
Special Class.....									5	19,500	9	21,865
Total New Work.....	2	\$147,568			1	\$2,000	1	\$100,000	39	\$48,860	305	\$4,486,557
Alterations.....	13	26,115	1	\$275	10	11,860			28	44,035	627	716,581
Grand Totals.....	15	\$173,683	1	\$275	11	\$13,860	1	\$100,000	67	\$92,895	932	\$5,203,138

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land and buildings adjoining property of the City of Boston (library) and bounded by Academy Hill road, Chestnut Hill avenue and Winship street, Brighton district, supposed to belong to Delia M. Cauley, for court-house purposes, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Delia M. Cauley, bounded:

Southwest by Chestnut Hill avenue, one hundred fifty-seven and 14-100 feet; west by the same, sixty-five and 28-100 feet; northwest by Academy Hill road, seventy-seven and 11-100 feet; northeast by land of the City of Boston, three hundred twenty-nine and 25-100 feet; southeast by other land of said Cauley, one hundred twenty and 26-100 feet; southwest by land supposed to belong

to Nathaniel Jackson heirs and by passageway, one hundred thirty-six and 9-100 feet; and southeast by passageway, one hundred twenty-one and 79-100 feet; containing fifty thousand two hundred and fifty square feet, more or less.

Said parcel is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Chestnut Hill avenue, Academy Hill road, Brighton, June 6, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending August 30, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 163; nonresidents, 37; total, 200.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 13.49; nonresidents deducted, 10.94.

Death rate per 1,000 of population.
Last week, 11.15; corresponding week last year, 12.05.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 40; one year to five years, inclusive, 10; sixty years and over, 68; total deaths: male, 109; female, 91; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 116; deaths of colored, 8.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended August 30, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 1, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	5	—	1	—
Diphtheria.....	26	—	59	5
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	—	—
Influenza.....	—	—	3	—
Measles.....	16	1	11	1
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	1	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	6	2	7	1
Scarlet fever.....	17	1	10	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	36	16	25	7
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	9	3	7	3
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	3	—
Whooping cough.....	12	2	11	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

August 22, 1924.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 5:36 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan.

DESIGNATION OF ACTING BUSINESS AGENT AND ACTING SECRETARY.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the following votes which have been passed by the individual signatures of the five members of the School Committee are hereby made a matter of record, and said votes are hereby confirmed:

VOTED: That Alexander M. Sullivan, Assistant Business Agent, be designated as Acting Business Agent, to take effect August 1, 1924, and to continue until such time as the position of Business Agent is filled by action of the School Committee.

VOTED: That Ellen M. Cronin, Assistant Secretary, be designated Acting Secretary of the School Committee, to take effect July 29, 1924, and to continue until such time as the position of Secretary is filled by action of the School Committee.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

On motion, the minutes of July 14, 1924, were amended on page 154 by inserting at the close of the paragraph which describes the eligibility requirements for the certificate XXVI. Continuation School, the following: "approved by the board of superintendents" so that the paragraph will read as follows:

The requirements for this certifi-

cate are: Graduation from a college or from a normal school approved by the board of superintendents, and evidence of two years' successful experience in teaching and governing schools of such grade or grades as the board of superintendents may determine; and successful completion of a course of training in the theory and practice of continuation schools approved by the board of superintendents.

On page 154, strike out lines 57 to 61 inclusive and insert in place thereof the following:

XXVIII. Day Clerical School. In the first and second lines, strike out the words "clerical" so that the paragraph will read as follows:

XXVIII. Day Clerical School. To instructors and assistants in day clerical schools.

On page 156, to provide for the insertion of Roman numeral XXX. at the close of the 7th line so that the paragraph will read as follows:

This certificate (XXXI.-A.) includes certificates designated XI. Special: Foreman—shop work and Certificate XXX.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed, as amended.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teacher:

Sewing—Mary E. Gannon, Teacher, July 2, 1924.

Placed on file.

The Superintendent also reported the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Mather District—Ella L. Howe, July 12, 1924.

Thomas N. Hart District—Margaret J. Stewart, Aug. 8, 1924.

Sewing—Julia A. Skilton, Aug. 6, 1924.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

Jamaica Plain High School—Mary B. Killion, assistant instructor, commercial branches, Aug. 31, 1924.

Bennett District—Grace C. Doherty, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Louise DeL. Campbell, assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Mary J. Moriarty, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Mary Hemenway District—Annie F. Barry, Jessie L. Nolte, assistants, Aug. 31, 1924.

Mather District—Edith G. Peterson, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Rice District—Jane E. Brooks, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Accepted.

SUMMER REVIEW SCHOOLS.

Season, 1924.

On motion it was

ORDERED, That the employment of John P. Degnan as substitute assistant, Dorchester Summer Review School, is hereby authorized for one day, July 5, 1924, compensation for said service to be at the rate of three dollars fifty cents (\$3.50) per day.

EMPLOYMENT AND COMPENSATION OF LUNCH ATTENDANT, MICHELANGELO VACATION SCHOOL.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That for the term of 1924, the employment of Rose Razeto as lunch attendant in the Michelangelo Vacation School is hereby authorized, compensation to be at the rate of fifty cents (\$.50) per day for not more than two hours each school day of service.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment under date of August 22, 1924, recommending the passage of an accompanying order to provide additional appropriations in compliance with a request of the Schoolhouse Department to cover the additional cost of accommodations previously authorized.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

Ordered, That from the appropriations made on June 19, 1923 (page 101), June 25, 1923 (page 109), and April 7, 1924 (pages 54, 55), respectively, the following sums are hereby transferred from the 1923 and 1924 items indicated to the 1923 item of permanent school accommodations as set forth below:

From Item 36, 1923—Bennett District, Brighton: Winship School, land and construction of hall, gymnasium and class room annex.....\$18,500
From Item 39, 1923—Prince District, City Proper: Mechanic Arts High School, land and construction of annex with gymnasium, class and lecture rooms, etc..... 15,000
From Item 50, 1923—Abraham Lincoln District: Continuation School, land, and construction of first unit for boys with hall, shops, etc..... 15,000
From Item 6, 1924—Charles Sumner

District, West Roxbury; Washington Irving School, land, plans and construction of twelve-room addition to intermediate school building, Grades VII to XII (Item 21, 1923) 24,000

From Item 17, 1924—Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District, Dorchester: Land and construction of nine classroom addition (Item 23, 1923, as amended June 19, 1923, and further amended April 7, 1924; Item 30, 1923, as amended April 7, 1924) 20,000

\$92,500

To Item 5, 1923—Mather District, Dorchester: Land and construction of twenty classroom intermediate school building (Item 36, 1920, as amended May 1, 1922; Item 9, 1922) \$92,500

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan.—4.

ABSENT—Dr. Scannell.—1.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment under date of August 22, 1924, recommending the passage of an accompanying order to provide additional appropriations in compliance with a request of the Schoolhouse Department to cover the additional cost of accommodations previously authorized.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That of the amount appropriated by the School Committee under date of May 8, 1922 (pages 57, 58) the following amount is hereby transferred to the 1924 item of permanent school accommodations as set forth below:

From Item 10, 1922—Phillips Brooks District, Dorchester: Construction of intermediate school building, twenty class rooms, hall and shops (Item 32, 1920) \$56,000

To Item 11, 1924—Lewis District, Roxbury: Land and buildings for kindergarten and Grades I to VI (Item 25, 1923, as amended June 19, 1923; Item 32, 1923) 56,000

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan.—4.

ABSENT—Dr. Scannell.—1.

DEATH OF A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of August 13, reporting the death on August 12, 1924, of Michael E. Colleary, former custodian of the Wendell Phillips Schoolhouse.

Placed on file.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

Ellen M. Cronin,
Acting Secretary.

MAYORS OF BOSTON.

In its 100 years of existence as a city Boston has had 36 elected Mayors and five *ex-officio* Acting Mayors. Of the 36 men who have held the office for one year or more, six were elected for other than consecutive terms and 25 were re-elected one or more times. Those born within the present limits of Boston numbered 21; in towns near Boston, 8; in neighboring New England States, 5; in Ireland, 2. The Mayor longest in office was Mayor Lincoln, who served 3 years ending 1860 and then 4 years ending 1866. Next in length of service were the first Mayor Quincy and Mayor Fitzgerald, who served 6 years each. Those who served 4 years were Mayors Prince, O'Brien, Matthews, (third) Quincy, Hart, Curley and Peters. Mayor Collins

was in office nearly 4 years, his death occurring 3½ months before his second term expired. Those serving 3 years were Mayors Otis, Eliot, Chapman, (second) Quincy, Bigelow, Shurtleff and Cobb; 2 years, Mayors Wells, Lyman, Brimmer, Seaver, Smith, Rice, Wightman, Gaston, Pierce (22 months) and Hibbard; 1 year, Mayors Phillips, Armstrong, Davis, Norcross, Green, Palmer, Martin and Curtis. The five acting Mayors were Chairmen (Board of Aldermen) Parker, Leavitt, Allen, Cutter and Whelton.

Mayor Otis was Speaker of Massachusetts House of Representatives, President of Senate, United States Representative and United States Senator before becoming Mayor. Mayor Armstrong was Lieutenant-Governor and at times Acting Governor before serving as Mayor. Mayors Rice and Gaston served 3 years and 1 year (respectively) as Governor after their terms as Mayor; Mayors Collins, Curley, Fitzgerald, Peters, Pierce and Rice have represented Boston in the lower house of Congress, Mayor Peters having also served as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Ex-Mayor Curley was elected for the second time in December, 1921, to serve for term of four years.

Ex-Mayor Curtis was appointed Police Commissioner in 1919 for term of five years, but his service was terminated by his death in 1922. Ex-Mayor Quincy died in 1919, and Ex-Mayor Green in 1918. (See annual City Doc., Boston Municipal Register, for full list of Mayors from 1822 to 1922, with place and date of birth, years of service and date of death.)

TAX LEVY, 1923.

Total \$43,500,536, or \$38,382,750 on realty, \$3,955,626 on personality, and \$1,162,160 on male polls (\$5.00 poll tax instead of \$2.00).

Number of persons assessed on property, 111,641, of which 77,696 were resident individuals and 9,720 non-resident individuals; number of dwelling houses assessed, 76,779; acres of land assessed, 18,598. Number of resident individuals assessed on property 9.22 per cent of all residents. Number assessed for poll tax only, 197,567 or 84.37 per cent of all resident men.

CITY OF BOSTON

PARK DEPARTMENT

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING AN AMPLIFYING SYSTEM AT THE PARKMAN MEMORIAL BANDSTAND ON BOSTON COMMON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for furnishing and installing an amplifying system at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand on Boston Common. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the Engineer's Office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope sealed and marked, "For Furnishing and Installing an Amplifying System at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand on Boston Common," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, September 11, 1924, at the office of the Park Department with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$3,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(Sept. 6.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN NEWFIELD STREET AND LASSELL STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Newfield street and Lasell street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-three hundred (2,300) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Newfield Street, Etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, September 18, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROUTKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, September 4, 1924.

(Sept. 6.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND CONCRETE BLEACHERS AT THE WILLIAM EUSTIS PLAYGROUND, ROXBURY.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for grading and concrete bleachers at the William Eustis Playground, Roxbury. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Concrete Bleachers at the William Eustis Playground, Roxbury," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, September 17, 1924, at the office of the Park Department with a certified check for \$4,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$20,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(Sept. 6-13.)

Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING A PUBLIC ADDRESS SYSTEM, PARKMAN MEMORIAL BANDSTAND, BOSTON COMMON.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for furnishing and installing a public address system, Parkman Memorial Bandstand on Boston Common. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the Engineer's Office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "For Furnishing and Installing a Public Address System, Parkman Memorial Bandstand, Boston Common," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, September 11, 1924, at the office of the Park Department with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$1,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
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(Sept. 6.)

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Office, 33 Beacon street. Tel. Hay. 4066.

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Office, 173 Sumner street, East Boston. Tel. E. B. 2273.
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BOSTON'S PUBLIC WELFARE DIVISION BEGINS ACTIVE PLANNING FOR NEW HOME.

BUILDINGS, INCLUDING CHARDON STREET HOME AND HAWKINS STREET STRUCTURE, TO BE RAZED AND BETTER ACCOMMODATIONS PROVIDED.



CHARDON STREET HOME, ONE OF PUBLIC WELFARE DIVISION STRUCTURES SOON TO BE REPLACED. (Photo by Harry Kelly)

By next summer it is hoped that the Public Welfare Division of the City of Boston will be in more elaborate and better equipped quarters for the care of that section of the city's population which comes under its care. Plans are being made for the erection of a commodious structure that will take the place of the Chardon Street Home and the Hawkins street establishment.

COMPASS GIVEN TO BOSTON.

MAJOR H. A. DARGUE PRESENTS ORIGINAL INSTRUMENT FROM THE AIRSHIP BOSTON IN RECOGNITION OF MAYOR'S RECEPTION TO FLYERS.

Officials of the Boston airport, Wednesday, September 10, presented to the city, through Mayor Curley, the compass of the airship "Boston," the original world cruiser by that name which started the globe-encircling flight but was forced to quit by a mishap.

These buildings are to be razed, according to the present plans, and a new structure erected that will take care of the city's increasing business and the housing of all departments under one roof. It has long been found that the present homes of this department were inadequate and Mayor Curley has begun efforts to remedy the conditions.

The presentation was made by Maj. H. A. Dargue, assigned by the air service to temporary command of the airport for the arrival of the world flyers. He thanked the Mayor for the cordial reception given the flyers by the city and people of Boston.

In his presentation of the compass of the "Boston" to the city he said:

"This compass was the original compass on the 'Boston First' which started around the world. It completed the journey almost all the way but finished it up through the kindness of the Navy. This compass is presented to the City of Boston to put among its tokens and in appreciation of the wonderful effort and

reception that the city has put forth in connection with the reception of the Round-the-World Flyers. We particularly appreciate all that has been done by the Mayor and Mr. O'Connell to make this thing a success, and the boys themselves, as well as General Patrick, have each spoken of the wonderful reception they received here."

The Mayor has made arrangements to have the compass placed permanently in the Mayor's office, directly over the eagle made from the Washington Elm.

Accompanying him were Lieut. R. J. Brown, permanent commander of the airport; Lieut. Clayton Bissell, who made advance arrangement for the flyers during their circuit of the world, and Porter Adams, chairman of the Mayor's reception committee to the airmen.

Shortly after the air service officials left City Hall, Mayor Curley received a visit from Capt. Felipe Fliess of the Argentine battleship "Rivadavia," which is at the Fore River plant of the Bethlehem Ship Building Company, Ltd., for repairs. Captain Fliess examined the compass with great interest, received a key to the city and inscribed his name on the official guest book. He was accompanied by S. W. Wakeman of the Bethlehem company and his aide, Lieut. Alberto D. Brunat.

ASKS COUNCIL FOR \$15,000 TO FIGHT TELEPHONE INCREASES.

On Monday, September 8, the Mayor addressed the following communication to the City Council:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN,—The City of Boston, with a view to preventing the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company from charging exorbitant rates for service rendered, filed with the Public Utilities Commission of the Commonwealth notice of intention to contest the rates sought by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The City Council at a recent meeting appropriated \$5,000 for the conduct of an investigation and for the presentation of the case. The Corporation Counsel now finds that it may require at least \$15,000 additional to secure the necessary evidence and to properly conduct the case in behalf of the municipality. This is a character of service that no city or town in the Commonwealth would be required to undertake provided the Public Utilities Commission really represented both parties to the controversy, namely, the people of the Commonwealth and the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The decision, however, of the Public Utilities Commission to permit the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company to increase its rate to subscribers while the investigation was

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Regular meeting of the School Committee Monday evening, September 15, at 6.30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, September 22, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

V. Barletta has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works, Dorchester Brook sewer, east fork, in Humphreys street, between Holden street and Dudley street, Dorchester. Items ordered: Relay 200 feet of 6-inch water pipe in separate trench at agreed price \$1.50 per linear foot, Water Service to furnish pipe and inspection. Estimated cost of extra work, \$300.

The Central Construction Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing sheet asphalt pavement in Holton street and Perkins street. Items ordered: Regulate and lay sheet asphalt pavement on macadam base in Burroughs street, West Roxbury, from Centre street to Pond street. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$12,000.

W. H. Ellis & Son Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repairing piers at North Ferry. Items ordered: In Item 3 substitute plates of boat iron with curved surface 1 inch thick at middle instead of steel plates, at additional cost of \$4 per plate, making total cost per plate of \$29. Estimated cost of extra work, \$400.

A. Grande has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Becket, Norwell, Fairview, Bayswater, Randolph, Bowen and Leverett streets. Items ordered: Cut in 12-inch by 10-inch branch not called for in contract, cap three 4-inch fire pipes, abandon Deacon meter, relocate four sewer drains and clean out gate box, etc. Estimated cost of extra work, \$65.

Martino De Matteo has been directed

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO ROOM 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

to perform the following extra work under contract for laying sheet asphalt pavement in John Eliot square, Roxbury street, Brookside avenue, East Cottage street and Pleasant street. Items ordered: Remove old tree stump not shown on plan and grade approaches at Sumner and Pleasant streets. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of work, \$170.

C. & R. Construction Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying high pressure fire pipes in Hawkins street, Bowker street, Chardon street, etc. Items ordered: Relocate 12-inch water pipe in Union street at North street, replace 12 feet length of 12 inch pipe defective in Fleet street at Hanover street, laid in 1916 and found split when connecting to same. Repairing high power hydrants, manganese belts broken, etc. Estimated cost of extra work, \$300.

C. & R. Construction Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works in Grove street, between Washington street and Centre street, West Roxbury. Items ordered: Furnish 25,000 pounds cast-iron pipe of required size and length for manhole crossings, furnish and lay 20-inch cast-iron pipe culvert across trench at station 2 +10.5; repair two catch-basins after removal of gas pipe. Estimated cost of extra work, \$534.

Carmine Russo has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Bismarck street, Germania street, LaGrange street, West Roxbury; Ruskin road, Hyde Park, and Wabash street, Dorchester. Items ordered: Removal of concrete walls on pipe line conduit and repairs to same. Estimated cost of extra work, \$50.

MAYOR CURLEY, THROUGH BOARD OF ASSESSORS, SEEKS TRUE VALUATION OF PHONE COMPANY PROPERTY.

BOARD FEELS THAT \$9,000,000, AS ASSERTED, IS FAR BELOW TOTAL AMOUNT OF TAXABLE PROPERTY OF COMPANY IN LIMITS OF CITY.

The Board of Assessors of the City of Boston have received the annual notification from the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation of the Commonwealth, fixing the value of the property of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, which is subject to local taxation in Boston, at \$9,570,639; this figure represents the value of ground wires and conduits wherever located, and poles and open wires located on private property and machinery used in manufacture.

The Board of Assessors, upon receipt of this notification and within the time required by law, filed an appeal to the State Board of Appeal, consisting of State Treasurer Jackson, State Auditor Cook, and Honorable John A. White, a member of the Governor's Council, designated by statute to sit on this Board of Appeal, from the amount above mentioned, certified by the Commissioner of Taxation.

The Board of Assessors have made this appeal, questioning the amount as certified by the Tax Commissioner, because of information received by them during the hearings before the Department of Public Utilities in connection with the pending telephone rate case, wherein it was shown that the company, on sworn return, had \$128,000,000 of taxable plant within the Commonwealth. Of this \$128,000,000, approximately \$50,000,000 consisted of investment in underground conduits and cables, all of which, under the statute, are subject to local taxation in the cities and towns where such conduits and cables are located. While the Board of Assessors have no means of ascertaining just how much of this underground construction is situated within the City of Boston, it feels that by far the major portion is located within the city, the value of which is greatly in excess of the total amount certified to by the Tax Commissioner as representing all the company's taxable property located within the City of Boston. Furthermore, in the total figure for all the company's property in the state as certified to by the Tax Commissioner there is only \$16,643 representing machinery. It is inconceivable that

where the central office equipment investment, as shown on the sworn return to the Public Utilities Department, amounts to something over \$32,000,000, only \$106,000 represents machinery which is taxable locally.

The statute has been interpreted as subjecting to local taxation only such portions of the machinery of the Telephone Company as are used in manufacture. The Telephone Company manufactures no tangible commodity, but it does manufacture and sell service to its subscribers, and switch boards and appurtenances thereto are machinery used in the conduct of its business. The statutes have been amended this year so as to include all machinery used in the conduct of a business corporation as subject to local taxation, and it should be further amended so as to include machinery used in the service of a public service corporation.

The sum total of all property subject to local taxation, as certified to the assessors of the various cities and towns throughout the Commonwealth, amounts to approximately \$34,000,000, of which \$9,000,000 is certified to as the value of the property subject to local taxation in Boston. As by far the major part of the underground conduit and cable investment, amounting to \$50,000,000 throughout the Commonwealth, is located within greater Boston, the Board feels that \$9,000,000, or only 25 per cent of the total, is far below the amount which truly represents the taxable value of underground conduits and cables alone within the limits of the City of Boston.

This appeal by the Assessors of Boston is not only of great concern to the people of Boston but it is a matter which vitally affects every city and town in the Commonwealth, in that any increase in taxable property shown by this appeal will accrue to the benefit of every city and town throughout the Commonwealth. The city intends to prosecute this appeal at once and secure a decision from the Board of Appeal at the earliest possible moment, as the result of this appeal has an important bearing upon the determination of the year's tax rate of the City of Boston.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for leasing the concession privileges for furnishing weighing machines in convenience stations of the Health Department. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Health Department, Room 1108, City Hall Annex, Boston.

Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 17, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Newfield street, Lasell street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, September 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Binford street, between A street and Necco street; Necco street, between Binford street and Necco court, South Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$900. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$900, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, September 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Stellman road, private land, Bradeen street and Washington street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Stony brook, section 10A, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$50,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 23, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers (two compartment) in the new Dorchester High School for boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor. Plans ready for contractors Wednesday September 3, at 12 m.

Bids close Friday, September 26, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, including all trades, the East Boston High School for boys and girls, Brook and White streets, East Bos-

Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$50 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 1, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for grading and concrete bleachers at the William Eustis Playground, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$4,000, to be filed at the same office.

ton. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check, in the amount of \$20,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bond, without certified check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday October 3, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing fire hose to the Boston Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 8011, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, September 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing milk to the Boston Sanatorium. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing milk to the Infirmary Division, Institutions Department, Long Island. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing milk to the Hospital Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing light and heavy fuel oil to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 24, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, September 11:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The following named have been appointed permanent second assistant assessors; John A. Reagan, Walter J. Hope, George O. Wood, John F. Murphy. The salaries will be \$1,300 a year.

CITY TREASURER.

Horton G. Ide has been appointed to act as Acting City Treasurer during the ten days commencing September 8.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

The following changes and promotions have been made to take effect September 5:

Joseph F. Fitzgerald, clerk at \$1,300, Water Division to clerk at \$1,500, Tax Division.

James P. Kelly, clerk at \$1,100, Water Division to clerk at \$1,300, Water Division.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Edwin B. Murdough ceased employment on Saturday, August 30.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Patrick T. Farry, painter in the Institutions Department, has been transferred to a similar position in the Boston Fire Department at \$5.50 a day.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

In connection with the duties of the Board of Gas Examiners, it is necessary, under the law, to provide a secretary. The character of the service, while important, did not require the appointment for full time service, and therefore, Daniel F. Ego has been designated as secretary, to perform the clerical and secretarial work for the Board of Gas Examiners, at \$2 an hour.

Stephen L. Maloney has been designated as secretary of the Medical Advisory Board at \$2 an hour.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Walter O'Malley, Assistant Corporation Counsel, has been authorized to make a study of the conveyancing work of the law departments of the cities of New York and Philadelphia, and an allowance of \$200, chargeable to Reserve Fund, has been authorized for this study.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

The following gardening laborers have been granted permanent employment at \$4.50 a day:

Daniel F. Coleman, Patrick F. Landers, Augustus P. Devaney, Richard F. Lanigan, Daniel Madden, John Dillon, Alfred T. Repucci, Louis Miano, Joseph F. Riley, James E. Heffron, John D. Connors, Carl A. Jansen, Patrick J. Mahoney, John Reid, James Glennon, James Coleman, Patrick J. Mulvey, Denis P. Kennedy, John A. Gallagher, Patrick Blessington, Michael J. Morrissey, Patrick Thornton, John M. Cloran, Daniel Walraven, Angel Antonio DiRosa, James F. McNamara, John Toosi, James F. Dowling, Peter Wynne, Dennis M. Mori-

arty, Edward McNulty, Patrick J. Scully, James Gaffey, Charles L. Mellen, John Walton, Martin J. Mannion, Frederick McAllister, Thomas F. McNulty, Patrick J. Cole, Dennis J. Downey.

PLANNING BOARD.

Mary F. Downey has been continued in temporary employment until September 11, at \$25 a week, and her permanent appointment from September 12, as stenographer and bookkeeper.

Kathleen C. Daly has been granted leave of absence for one year, without pay, from September 12.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Samuel C. Koupehik, rodman at \$18 a week in the Sewer Service, has been continued in temporary employment to December 4.

Patrick J. Brennan has been continued as temporary sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year in the Sewer Service to December 4.

James F. Cheever has been appointed as temporary sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year in the Sewer Service, for a period of three months from September 5.

Vincent X. Fallon has been promoted from laborer at \$4.50 a day to paver at \$5.50 a day, to fill a permanent vacancy in the Paving Service.

John J. Connelly has been employed as temporary teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day, Sanitary Division, for a period of thirty days.

Thomas J. Henry, rodman at \$18 a week in the Sewer Service, has been continued in employment to December 4.

Patrick Keeley, Sewer Service, has been promoted from coal passer at \$28 a week, to filth hoistman at \$6 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Central Office).

Arthur J. Kiley, clerk, has been granted an increase from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Charles Desmond has been continued in temporary employment as fireman at \$6 a day up to December 4.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Arthur A. Madden, transitman, has been granted an increase from \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year.

The following laborers, appointed for three months, have been granted an extension of employment for another two months:

John H. Norton, Thomas Long, James J. Bell, William J. Hammond, Joseph F. Wall, Joseph A. Alberti, Patrick J. Sheehan, Pasquale Napoletano, Michael Botte, Michael J. Costello, William J. McQuinn, Frank Galida, Thomas F. Broderick, Seymoure H. Watts and Michael Joyce.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

John F. J. McKay has been continued in temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year to December 11.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

Leo J. Hill has been appointed as permanent clerk and stenographer at \$1,100 a year.

CALLS ON AMERICA TO PRESERVE IN GRATEFUL MEMORY NAME OF LAFAYETTE.

MAYOR MAKES NOTABLE ADDRESS BEFORE HUGE CROWD OF CITIZENS AT DEDICATION OF TABLET TO BELOVED FRENCHMAN.

Mayor Curley delivered the following address at the dedication of the Lafayette tablet on Boston Common, Saturday, September 6:

This tablet erected here on the centennial of his last visit to the republic he helped to create, recalls the name and fame of the Marquis of Lafayette, whose service to the American people and the embattled colonies, constitutes one of the brightest and most romantic chapters in the history of our Revolutionary struggles.

Marie Jean Paul Motier, Marquis of Lafayette, a young man of twenty years when he landed here in 1777, inspired by a love of liberty and human good, offered his sword and service to the colonies in arms against a mighty empire.

The sword and service of a romantic Frenchman were not in themselves of great worth to a struggling cause that seemed to have little chance of success at that time; but his coming represented a spirit that was then stirring the world and finding its first heroic expression on this soil, and it carried with it the knowledge of the sympathy and applause of a great nation across the seas that heartened the colonists and strengthened their determination to be free.

Lafayette became a major general in the Continental Army and served the American cause with valor and distinction through all the years of the struggle, and his bravery and ability, together with his personal charm, gave him a high place in the esteem and affection of Washington. He returned to France in 1779 for a year, and to his influence and that of his friends we owe the aid and alliance of France that brought the armies and navies of France to our assistance, turned the scale of battle

in our favor and under Providence brought freedom and independence to America.

The memory of Lafayette should ever be kept green by the American people. His valiant and disinterested services in field and council were of enormous value to our cause and were inspired by the highest and noblest motives that can stir the human heart, and as long as the American republic endures and men love freedom and reverence, loftiness of soul, the name of Lafayette will remain an inspiration and a glory in American annals. This tablet which commemorates his last visit to America should be a shrine for all lovers of liberty.

When he returned here in 1824 he was an old man, a sad and disillusioned man. He had carried the seeds of freedom to France and aided in the destruction of the French monarchy. He had seen the liberty he loved degenerate into the bloody and unbridled license of the red terror; he saw the republican swallowed by the Napoleonic empire and the years of war that devastated Europe; and he had witnessed the downfall of Napoleon, the restoration of the Bourbons, the downfall of liberty and the fabric of forty years of battle and bloodshed apparently wasted.

He came here in 1824 to renew his youth, to see the splendid edifice of law and liberty he had helped to build and to warn us to avoid the pitfalls that had ruined European freedom and guard well the heritage of American democracy.

Let us highly resolve to keep ever in grateful memory the name and fame of Lafayette, one of the noblest and bravest figures in the history of America and the annals of human liberty; let us by eternal vigilance guard well the freedom he helped to gain for us and the Republic his sword and service, his valor and wisdom, his sacrifice and sagacity helped to establish.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, September 4:

Edward Coombs, assistant engineer, 6 days, \$39; A. J. Erickson, assistant engineer, 5 days, \$32.50; Thomas Melley, Daniel Sweeney, Michael Dolan, firemen, 1 day, \$6 each.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, August 28:

Carmine Cataldo, Louis Corbett, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Frederick W.

Brown, gardener, 1 day, \$5; Henry Blackwell, Charles J. Woods, tree climbers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Dennis Daly, chauffeur, 1 day, \$5; Frank Kenefick, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50; Joseph H. Collins, gardener, 1 day, \$5; Stephen H. McCarthy, Jr., John P. Nagle, chauffeurs, 1 day, \$5 each; Walter Varley, temporary laborer, 1 day, \$4.50; John J. Walsh, working subforeman, 1 day, \$5.48; Patrick Kielty, machinist, 1 day, \$5.50.

Total, \$62.98.

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 2 days, \$9.

For the week ending Thursday, September 4:

John J. Finn, Thomas J. Lynch, Patrick McCann, Patrick J. McDermott, John J. McNulty, engineers, 1 day, \$6.33 each; Thomas F. Lomasney, fireman, 1 day, \$6.

Total, \$37.65.

For the week ending Friday, September 5:

Frank P. Guthrie, chauffeur, 2 days, \$10; Albert J. Libbey, chauffeur, 1 day, \$5.

Total, \$15.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, September 4:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Philip J. Donovan, gardener, 2 days, \$10.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 2 days, \$10; Joseph Harrington, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50; Peter F. Kean, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50; Michael Norris, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Fairview Cemetery.

Dennis Sullivan, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50. Total, \$38.

For the week ending Friday, September 12:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Thomas H. Brahaney, Henry T. Brennan, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; John Manning, foreman, 1 day, \$5.50; Philip J. Donovan, gardener, 1 day, \$5.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5; Joseph T. Harrington, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Fairview Cemetery.

Patrick F. Bagge, Joseph T. McDonough, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, September 4:

Renforth C. Bleakney, Cornelius Driscoll, compositors, 4 hours, \$5.64 each; John Fisher, compositor, 6½ hours, \$9.17; Mary M. Brennan, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52; Daniel Cadigan, compositor, 2½ hours, \$3.45; Joseph Ciccola, John E. Cotter, Katherine Crowley, Emanuel DeFreitas, compositors, 4 hours, \$5.52 each; James J. Dolan, compositor, 5 hours, \$6.90; Christopher FitzGerald, Kerrens J. Finn, compositors, 4 hours, \$5.52 each; Isaac Kramer, compositor, 5½ hours, \$7.59; James Lockhart, compositor, 3½ hours, \$4.49; Patrick O'Leary, compositor, 3 hours, \$4.14; Francis Quinn, compositor, 3½ hours, \$3.87; John Ward, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52; Rose Lee, operator, 3 hours, \$4.14; Edward J. Stanton, proofreader, 2½ hours, \$3.45; James H. Sullivan, monotype caster, 1 hour, \$0.95; Patrick Kelly, monotype caster, 1 hour, \$0.82; Edward Morris, apprentice, 1 hour, \$0.75; Henry P. Barry, Frederick McCarthy, Arthur Sennett, cylinder pressmen, 4 hours, \$5.72 each; John Foley, Frederick Mooney, pressfeeders, 4 hours, \$4.84 each; Julia Donahue, copyholder, 4 hours, \$3.56; Dorothy Schlicht, copyholder, 3 hours, \$2.67; Theresa Lyons, apprentice, 4 hours, \$3.56; Arthur Whalen, apprentice, 4 hours, \$3.12. Total, \$144.91.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, September 4:

Timothy Shannasey, engineer, 1 day, \$7.50.

Park Department.

For the week ending Friday, September 12:

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For week ending Monday, September 8:

Drawtender.—J. E. Fitzgerald, 2 days, \$10.41.

First Assistant Drawtenders.—D. L. O'Connell, 1 day, \$4.66.

Assistant Drawtenders.—E. F. Brennan, F. B. Rogers, J. B. Shea, G. S. Storin, T. J. Clifford, 1 day, \$4.38 each.

Total, \$36.97.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 8:

Captain.—Timothy A. Toohig, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, \$1.92.

Quartermaster.—William Hogan, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, \$1.50.

Engineer.—Richard J. Shaw, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, \$1.88.

Firemen.—James Reilly, Patrick McDevitt, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, \$1.50 each. Edward P. Donahue, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.

Deckhands.—Dennis G. Sheehan, Frederick L. Allevesson, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, \$1.19 each. Thomas A. O'Hare, 1 day, \$4.75.

Gateman.—Arthur F. Keefe, 1 day, \$5.25.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, \$1.38.

Total, \$33.69.

Net cost for the week ending September 8, 1924, \$17.69.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 8:

Thomas J. Sruhan, cement finisher, $\frac{2}{3}$ day, \$3.38; John McGee, engineer, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.19; Charles A. Devine, teamster, 1 day, \$4.50; Thomas B. Conboy, Thomas Clark, Thomas Heavy, William Corrigan, Michael Barry, Bartholomew Dunn, stablemen, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Michael J. Leahy, laborer, 2 days, \$9.

Total, \$50.07.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 1:

Stablemen.—P. Lane, G. Stapleton, J. H. Carey, P. Coffey, J. Donnelly, P. J. Downey, O. Kelly, R. G. Purcell, J. H. Kelly, J. Keyes, W. Knightley, W. Magee, J. McCaffrey, J. O'Halloran, T. J. Shea, J. Sullivan, F. J. Kane, M. Quirk, J. L. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers—Teamsters.—W. Burke, J. Campbell, J. McNutt, E. Currie, J. Darrick, W. McCarthy, F. M. Williams, A. W. Blankenburg, M. Carroll, M. S. Ryan, J. Maloney, A. R. Gaffey, J. Barry, W. F. Carmody, P. Cassino, M. J. Cremin, J. J. Curran, J. C. Donovan, J. Dumphy, M. J. Dunn, T. J. Landrigan, J. J. Mahoney, P. Norton, J. J. Quigley, J. D. Regan, J. T. Westwater, J. Wilmouth, J. J. Spillane, D. Gallagher, J. F. Cavinaro, T. Cunningham, D. J. Dalton, P. J. Hughes, J. J. Lannon, L. W. Lawler, M. F. McGrath, E. L. McLaughlin, P. J. McLaughlin, J. O'Brien, L. Powers, M. Shaller, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborer.—A. P. Charbonnier, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.25.

Laborer.—B. J. Lyons, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, J. Canney, W. Cassell, J. L. Hennessey, J. E. Burns, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Watchmen.—T. M. Croake, W. F. Ryan, P. J. Downey 1st, P. Doyle, J. Moore, J. Fay, M. J. Gately, P. Griffin, J. J. O'Neil, T. Riley, J. Cassell, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Blacksmith.—M. F. Sullivan, 1 day, \$5.50.

Wharfman.—P. J. Kellard, 1 day, \$5.

Stablemen.—J. Curran, T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 2 days, \$9 each.

Wharfmen.—J. F. Fay, J. Fleming, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$407.75.

For the week ending Monday, September 8:

Laborers—Teamsters.—W. J. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, M. S. Ryan, D. Gallagher, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeders.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers—Teamsters.—F. H. Harrold, J. J. Hayes, A. E. Jose, M. Lapsley, $\frac{1}{4}$ day, 1.13 each.

Yard Laborer.—J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50.

Teamsters.—J. J. Barrett, D. J. Dalton, G. Guiffredo, V. Guiliano, B. McCool, J. Roche, J. M. Ryan, F. Ruggiero, D. Shea, W. F. Shea, E. J. Tighe, C. E. Villello, F. Zirpollo, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.38 each.

Total, \$84.71.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, September 9:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2 days, \$10 each; Michael Foley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; James Clancy, $1\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$6.25; Hugh O'Connor, Joseph Rafferty, $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$1.88 each; Peter Keenan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.94; Dennis Collins, 1 day, \$5.

Chauffeur.—Charles Caffrey, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.38.

Laborers.—John McDonald, 2 days, \$9; James McFarland, Louis Brunetto, Thomas Flaherty, Stephen Connolly, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; Daniel McKenna, Edward Francis, Patrick Lombard, Michael Vaughan, John Crowley, Timothy Driscoll, James Schofield, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Harold Brown, Daniel Donovan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69 each.

Assistant Engineers.—William Bragger, Thomas Maher, 1 day, \$7.17 each; John Mahoney, 1 day, \$6.67.

Firemen.—John Jordan, Philip Lamb, Joseph Sullivan, Jeremiah Delaney, John Drillio, Edward Collins, Thomas McLaughlin, Timothy Scully, Michael Rielly, Patrick Curley, John Doherty, Patrick Griffin, Garrett Connolly, Neil Grant, Joseph Quilty, Michael Donovan, John Francis, Patrick Keating, 1 day, \$6 each; Patrick Powell, 2 days, \$12.

Total, \$274.22.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 1:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, J. M. McGrath, J. Dahill, J. J. Moynihan, P. L. Moynihan, P. F. Scanlan, J. J. Shea, T. Ormand, B. Callahan, P. Callahan, J. O'Donnell, W. O'Brien, D. Powers, J. DeCoursey, P. McManus, J. W. Collins, P. F. Daley, F. R. Deacon, T. Downey, M. Gilmartin, T. F. Murray, J. L. Kilmurray, J. T. O'Leary, B. J. Doherty, A. Boyle, G. F. Keegan, W.

Dwyer, W. Gorman, W. L. Hartnett, M. J. McCormack, J. J. McHugh, J. Monahan, C. J. Sullivan, J. Whelton, J. Holland, G. P. Riley, E. Grant, M. T. Clougherty, J. Donahue, P. Canny, C. Hart, J. B. Sullivan, H. J. McCarron, F. Certosimo, F. D'Ambroisio, C. F. Flaherty, P. H. Hogan, P. Keon, D. Kobylski, J. D. Lyons, J. J. McGarry, T. McGuinness, J. J. McNiff, B. Maraghy, M. Norton, D. O'Keefe, J. S. Plunkett, J. Robertson, J. P. Rogers, J. J. Slattery, B. Sullivan, M. A. Weidman, M. Hughes, J. F. Barnes, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—M. J. O'Connell, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, W. Batts, J. F. Brown, J. J. Daley, L. Davis, J. P. Driscoll, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, J. M. Kramer, 2 days, \$9 each.

Teamsters.—J. J. Donovan, E. F. Noonan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each.

Feeders.—J. J. Shea, L. McGahan, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Total, \$410.

For the week ending Monday, September 8:

Teamsters.—M. T. O'Brien, P. McDonough, B. Callahan, M. J. O'Connell, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, J. F. Barnes, B. J. Doherty, J. Golden, J. J. Jones, P. Myers, C. J. Sullivan, J. J. Monahan, T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, G. Cappelozza, F. D'Ambrosio, J. J. Daley, L. Davis, R. M. Jennings, W. T. Maloney, J. F. O'Leary, J. O'Neil, F. E. Taylor, J. P. Tuohy, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—E. F. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, F. M. Kelley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25 each.

Chauffeurs.—J. A. McCabe, N. Schaaf, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$4.12 each.

Total, \$123.37.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, 1 day, \$5 each; J. F. Burke, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each.

Emergency men.—J. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Lynch, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.47; D. Burke, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; C. Sullivan, A. Brennan, J. A. Dolan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50 each; J. C. Dolan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.68; G. F. Goodwin, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; D. Kirby, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; P. Coleman, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.77; J. Blessington, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$20.47; T. Rose, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$17.34; J. Gallagher, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.16; M. Rizzo, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.78; M. Matthews, 1 day, \$5; F. Schena, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.94; P. Lyden, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Laborers.—M. Barron, R. Beatty, W. Crowell, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; B. J. Doherty, 1 day, \$4.50; J. T. Horgan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; C. King, S. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.50 each; A. Martin, W. Meskill, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69 each; T. McGuinness, J. O'Toole, F. Willhauck, J. Cunningham, T. Mulrey, P. Cassidy, D. Shea, P. Gorman, J. Leary, 1 day, \$4.50 each; W. Corbett, J. Reilly, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.90 each; F. Joyce, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.33; J. O'Brien, D. Crowley, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69 each; A. Rolfe, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.78; P. McCarthy, D. Hegarty, E. Kelley, P. McLaughlin, I. Klein, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. V. Adley, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; W. J. Behan, D. J. Donovan, 1 day, \$4.50 each; F. Auciello, 1 day, \$4.75; J. McLean, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88.

Plumbers.—R. J. Doyle, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$14.44; C. M. Driscoll, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.19; R. Kelley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63; T. Magee, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.06.

Total, \$255.74.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 5 the Mayor approved a contract with Frank J. Gallagher & Co. for doing masonry and carpenter work at Engine Company 27, Charlestown. Bids, opened September 3, were as follows:

Frank J. Gallagher & Co., \$7,845; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$7,861; William T. Dinneen, \$8,140; Northeastern Construction Company, \$8,800; Beaver Construction Company, \$11,000.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 5 the Mayor approved a contract with Martino De Matteo for widening and resurfacing road, Franklin Park, section 1, Blue Hill avenue to Valley Gate triangle. Bids, opened August 26, were as follows:

Bitulithic.—M. F. Gaddis, \$65,590; Coleman Brothers, \$59,850; Samuel J. Tomasello, \$59,265; Warren Brothers Company, \$58,357.50; Martin DeMatteo, \$51,667.50.

Sheet Asphalt.—Martin DeMatteo, \$50,867.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the B. E. Grant Company for recut granite block pavement in Congress street, from Franklin street to Atlantic avenue; Pearl street, from Franklin street to Atlantic avenue, and Water street, from Washington street to Devonshire street. Bids, opened September 2, were as follows:

B. E. Grant Company, \$26,181.85; S. J. Tomasello, \$26,302.45; M. F. Gaddis, \$26,345.50; M. H. Loonie, \$27,281.80; Coleman Brothers, Inc., \$29,175.55; John McCourt Company, \$36,404.75.

Upon September 9 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Iacozza for sewerage works in P street, between Columbia road and East Sixth street, South Boston.

Bids for the work, opened September 5, were as follows:

C. Iacozza, \$1,956; J. Williams & Co., 1,978; A. D. Daddario, \$1,986; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,017; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$2,038; L. Balboni, \$2,066; C. Russo, \$2,108; William Barrett & Co., 2,268.

Upon September 9 the Mayor approved a contract with L. Balboni for sewerage works in Wood avenue, from Seminole street about 335 feet north-westerly to existing sewer, Hyde Park. Bids for the work, opened September 2, were as follows:

L. Balboni, \$2,588.50; J. Williams & Co., \$2,698.50; V. Barletta, \$2,782.50; Vozzella & Caponi, \$2,813.50; De Cristofaro & Brothers Co., \$2,973.50; A. D. Daddario, \$3,040.50; C. Russo, \$3,077.50; M. De Matteo, \$3,290; S. J. Tomasello, \$3,472; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$3,473.50; C. Iacozza, \$3,582.50; George J. Regan, \$3,967.50.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved a contract with Chickering & Sons for repairs and reconstruction of pianos in the public schools. Bids, opened Wednesday, July 23, were as follows:

	Ivers & Pond Piano Company.	Chickering & Sons.	Archibald C. McLean.	Kraft Piano Company.
Item No. 1.....	\$7 50 †	\$21 00	\$75 00	\$8 75
Item No. 2.....	10 00	4 50 †	10 00	8 50
Item No. 3.....	125 00	98 00 †	200 00	122 75
Item No. 4.....	12 50	9 00 †	95 00	15 75
Item No. 5.....	7 50 †	8 00	100 00	8 75
Item No. 6.....	10 00 †	23 25	85 00	15 50
Item No. 7.....	\$	7 50 †	50 00	11 75
Item No. 8.....	7 50 †	16 00	75 00	8 75
Item No. 9.....	10 00	15 00	85 00	9 25 †
Item No. 10.....	10 00 †	15 00	90 00	12 75
Item No. 11.....	100 00	67 00 †	125 00	99 75
Item No. 12.....	\$	24 00	120 00	15 00
Item No. 13.....	7 50 †	12 00	50 00	8 75
Item No. 14.....	8 50	7 50 †	75 00	8 75
Item No. 15.....	10 00 †	24 00	75 00	13 50
Item No. 16.....	8 50	6 00 †	35 00	—
Item No. 17.....	7 50 †	9 00	75 00	9 25 *
Item No. 18.....	7 50	5 75 †	50 00	8 25
Item No. 19.....	5 00	2 00 †	50 00	6 75
Item No. 20.....	\$	4 00 †	25 00	8 00
Item No. 21.....	10 00	5 25 †	50 00	10 00
Item No. 22.....	15 00	3 00 †	45 00	15 00
Item No. 23.....	7 50 †	8 00	50 00	8 00
Item No. 24.....	7 50 †	12 00	50 00	8 75
Item No. 25.....	15 00	24 00	75 00	9 75 †

* \$9.75 on School Committee copy.

† Contract awarded.

‡ Reject all bids and place purchase orders with Ivers & Pond Piano Company and Kraft Piano Company on all items on which these firms are lowest.

\$ Labor plus cost.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Upon July 31 the School Committee approved a contract with the Petroleum Heat and Powder Company and the Ballard Oil Burning Equipment Company for furnishing fuel oil for the Boston public schools. Bids, opened Monday, July 14, were as follows:

Light Fuel Oil.—Cities Service Refining Company, 8 cents per gallon; Ballard Oil Burning Equipment Company, 7.75* cents per gallon; Standard Oil Company of New York, 8 cents per gallon; New England Oil Refining Company, † 8 cents per gallon.

Heavy Fuel Oil.—Cities Service Refining Company, 4.5 cents per gallon; Standard Oil Company of New York, 6.15 cents per gallon; Petroleum Heat & Power Company, 4.5 cents per gallon.

* Contract awarded.

† Bid submitted unsealed after twelve o'clock. No copy deposited with City Auditor.

Upon August 26 the School Committee approved a contract with the American Piano Company for furnishing reproducing grand electric piano for the public schools. Bids, opened Monday, August 4, were as follows:

American Piano Company.—One Chickering Concert Grand Ampico, rebuilt, No. 15308, 8 feet, 8 inches, \$3,600; one new Chickering Grand Ampico, No. 139150, 6 feet, 5 inches, \$2,520;* one new Haines Grand Ampico, No. 72274, 5 feet, 2 inches, \$1,350.

Henry F. Miller & Sons.†—One Henry F. Miller Welts-Mignon, 6 feet 9 inches, \$2,500.

A. M. Hume Music Company.—One Baldwin Reproducing Grand Electric, 6 feet, 2 inches, \$2,600.

Ivers & Pond Piano Company.—One new Ivers & Pond Welts-Mignon (Licensee) No. 73340, 5 feet 10½ inches, \$1,850.

C. C. Harvey Company.—One Ampico in the Knabe Style BGE, 6 feet 4 inches, \$2,975.

M. Steinert & Sons Company.—One

Weber Due Art (new) No. 76290, 6 feet, \$2,350; one Steinway Due Art (new), No. 224078, 6 feet 5 inches, \$3,000.

* Contract awarded.

† See qualification under paragraph 4 of "Specifications."

Upon September 4 the School Committee approved a contract with several piano companies as indicated below for furnishing twenty-three upright pianos for the public schools. Contracts were awarded as follows: A. M. Hume Company, Ivers & Pond Piano Company, Henry F. Miller & Sons, The M. Steinert & Sons Company. Bids, opened Monday, August 4, were as follows:

Chickering & Sons.—One Guild, used, No. 60222, \$250; one Bersin & Sons, used, No. 11758, \$215; one Brewster, used, No. 40259, \$275; one Horace Waters, used, No. 61556, \$195; one Needham, used, No. 28545, \$225; three Everett, used, No. 2545, \$190; No. 7088, \$245; No. 16230, \$250; one Summer, used, No. 36720, \$250; one Foster, used, No. 68572, \$250; one Krell, used, No. 10030, \$295; one Schirmer, used, No. 32863, \$295; three Stratford, new, Nos. 86867, 87107, 87067, \$315 each.

Kraft Piano Company.—Three new Kraft, Nos. 51666, 51923, 51979, mahogany, \$300 each; one Standard, E. G. Harrington, manufacturer's, mahogany, rebuilt, No. 15984, \$250; one Ivers & Pond, mahogany, used, No. 12770, \$200.

Henry F. Miller & Sons.—Twelve new Trowbridge, Nos. 26825, 26826, 26827, 26830, 26831,* 26832, 26833,* 26834, 26835,* 26836,* 26837, 26838, \$325 each; three new Stanwood, Nos. 144797, 144776, 144433, \$300 each; four new Burton, Nos. 144792, 144809, 141878, 141779, \$300 each; one second-hand Chickering, No. 126224, \$325.

M. Steinert & Sons Company.—Twenty new Berkshire, Nos. 46661,* 46682, 46683, 46684, 46685, 46686, 46687, 46688, 46696, 46697,* 46725, 46726,* 46742,* 46743, 46744, 46745,* 46746,* 46747,* 46748,* 46749,* \$300 each.

Ivers & Pond Piano Company.—Sixteen new Schaff Brothers Nos. 45271, 45287, 45288,* 45312, 45175, 44770, 45329,* 44450, 45331, 45286, 45804, 45341,* 45338, 45335, 45205,* 45161,* \$316 each.

A. M. Hume Music Company.—One used Lindeman & Sons, No. 139515, \$325. Thirteen new Clarendon, Nos. 103611, 103623*, 103624, 103625*, 103626*, 103628, 103629, 103630, 103631*, 103632, 103633, 103636, 106638,* \$325 each. Six new Howard, Nos. 141036, 141031, 131013, 141011, 141004, 141235, \$325 each.

C. C. Harvey Company.—Twenty new C. C. Harvey Company (manufactured W. P. Haines & Co., Leominster, no serial numbers given), \$297 each.

*Contract awarded.

Upon August 11 the School Committee approved a contract with J. L. Hammett Company and the Milton Bradley Company, for furnishing kindergarten supplies for the public schools. Bids opened Monday, July 21, were as follows:

ITEM.	Milton Bradley Company.	J. L. Hammett Company.
No. 1..	\$3 25	\$1 94 †
No. 2..	3 00	1 54 †
No. 3..	2 75	1 25 †
No. 4..	3 25	2 25 †
No. 5..	2 50	1 34 †
No. 6..	2 50	1 34 †
No. 7..	7 00	4 00 †
No. 8..	6 50	1 60 †
No. 9..	1 50	50 †
No. 10..	1 50	55 †
No. 11..	16 00	7 00 †
No. 12..	60 †	90
No. 13..	60	48 †
No. 14..	55 †	23
No. 15..	19 †	14
No. 16..	10 †	12
No. 17..	08 †	75
No. 18..	60 †	70
No. 19..	60 †	65
No. 20..	50 †	13 †
No. 21..	15	10 †
No. 22..	15	09 †
No. 23..	13	08 †
No. 24..	10	90 †
No. 25..	1 25	15
No. 26..	13 †	16
No. 27..	16 †	27
No. 28..	26 †	09 †
No. 29..	12	054 †
No. 30..	06	12
No. 31..	06 †	23 †
No. 32..	35	43 †
No. 33..	47	35 †
No. 34..	40 †	0575 †
No. 35..	06 †	52
No. 36..	60	52
No. 37..	60	30
No. 38..	30	26
No. 39..	25 †	26
No. 40..	25 †	25
No. 41..	25	25
No. 42..	25	25
No. 43..	25	52
No. 44..	60	52
No. 45..	60	30
No. 46..	60	40 †
No. 47..	No. 1	54
No. 48..	No. 2	24 †
No. 49..	—	50 †
No. 50..	—	50 †
No. 51..	—	50 †
No. 52..	60	59 †
No. 53..	60	59 †
No. 54..	60	59 †
No. 55..	60	59 †
No. 56..	25	30 †
No. 57..	30	39 †
No. 58..	46 †	39 †
No. 59..	36 †	135 †
No. 60..	15	26
No. 61..	20 †	064 †
No. 62..	65 †	—
No. 63..	45	14 †
No. 64..	13	12 †
No. 65..	13	12 †
No. 66..	20 †	—
No. 67..	10	08 †
No. 68..	10	08 †
No. 69..	30 †	33
No. 70..	23 †	18 1/2 †
No. 71..	09 †	125 †

ITEM.	Milton Bradley Company.	J. L. Hammett Company.
No. 72..	09	12 †
No. 73..	09	12 †
No. 74..	09	12 †
No. 75..	09	12 †
No. 76..	09	12 †
No. 77..	09	12 †
No. 78..	09	12 †
No. 79..	09	12 †
No. 80..	09	12 †
No. 81..	075	07 1/2 †
No. 82..	225	25 †
No. 83..	No. 1 1 90 †	2 34 †
	No. 2 1 75 †	
	No. 080 2 40	
No. 84..	2 65	No. 731 2 50 †
		No. 80 2 67 †
		2 00 †
No. 85..	—	185 †
No. 86..	22	125 †
No. 87..	08 †	081
No. 88..	—	31 †
No. 89..	65	58 †
		64 †

NOTE.—Milton Bradley Company bid on furnishing same colors as last year on Items 71 to 80, inclusive.

* Also bid on furnishing Standard Crayon as per sample, made to match School Committee requirements, containing 10 crayons, at \$0.0756 per box. † J. L. Hammett did not bid on enamelled water cups.

‡ Lowest bid — contract awarded.

§ Sample unsatisfactory.

¶ Lowest bid on satisfactory material, contract awarded.

|| All bids rejected.

160 pounds.

264 pounds.

75 pairs only, red handle.

4 Mongol.

5 Barrels with two extra red and green furnished.

6 Rainbow paper, per 100 pieces.

7 Coated paper, per 100 pieces.

8 Special gray.

9 No. 1 gray.

10 Trick box.

11 Plaster line.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 10 the Mayor approved a contract with E. F. Mahady Company for furnishing sterilizers to the Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened September 5, were as follows:

Forty Pelton, or equal, 10 Inch, Latest Model.—E. F. Mahady Company,* Pelton, No. 216, or Castle, No. 416, \$27.50 each; Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., \$29.25 each; Thomas W. Reed Company, Prometheus, \$22.90 each; Surgeons and Physicians Supply Company, Wil-mot Castle, \$30 each.

Best Date of Delivery.—E. F. Mahady Company, ten days; Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., within thirty days; Thomas W. Reed Company, 10 days; Surgeons and Physicians Supply Company, 14 to 21 days.

Discount, Ten Days.—E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent; Surgeons and Physicians Supply Company, 2 per cent.

*Awarded contract.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the Turner Construction Company for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke, of the Public Works Department, was as follows:

Boston, September 5, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to the Turner Construction Company, 178 Tremont street, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

E. F. MURPHY,

Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon September 11 the Mayor approved a contract with the John Guarino Company for the laying of water pipes in Cunningham street, between Hartford and Woodcliff streets, Roxbury. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke, of the Public Works Department, was as follows:

Boston, September 10, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Your approval is respectfully requested to the award of a contract, without advertising, to John Guarino & Co., 5 West Cottage street, Roxbury, for laying water pipes in Cunningham street, between Hartford and Woodcliff streets, Roxbury, at an estimated cost of \$900.

This is the only piece of work to be done in this section and it is inadvisable to await the advertising of a contract in which this might be included.

The work to be done under this contract is to be completed on or before November 1, 1924.

Respectfully yours,

J. A. ROURKE.

Commissioner of Public Works.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 5 the Mayor approved a contract with J. J. Hurley & Co. for repairs to the heating system of the Sarah J. Baker School, Roxbury. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn, of the Schoolhouse Department, was as follows:

Boston, August 28, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of Your Honor, under the provisions of chapter 486, section 30, of the Acts of 1909, to awarding a contract, without advertising, to J. J. Hurley & Co., 102 Broadway, for repairs to heating system in the Sarah J. Baker School, Roxbury, the cost of said work to exceed the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars.

The reason for making this request is as follows: We sent the above named firm to this school to repair leaks in the present primary radiators, to take said radiators apart, renipple them and put them in first-class condition. The radiators, being of the old type, were found to be cracked in many places, and could not be taken apart without damaging them in such a manner that they could not be put back in place. The only alternative therefore is to remove these radiators from the fan chamber and install in their place radiators of a more modern type. The Board therefore re-

quests the approval of Your Honor to the awarding of contract as stated.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 10 the Mayor approved a contract with the Ligerwood Manufacturing Company for furnishing the Public Works Department, Water Service, 150 screw boxes. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, September 9, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Lidgerwood Manufacturing Company of 96 Liberty street, New York City, for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service, 150 2-part iron screw boxes at a price of 6 cents per pound. These boxes weigh approximately 75,000 pounds, and the total amount of the contract is about \$4,500. I am attaching letter from C. J. Carven, Division Engineer of the Water Service, explaining the necessity of this award.

Trusting that the permission will be granted, I am,

Very truly yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon September 11 the Mayor approved a contract with the Gibby Foundry Company for furnishing frames, covers, etc. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, September 10, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to extend the completion date of the contract with Gibby Foundry Company for furnishing frames, covers, etc., from September 1, 1924, to February 1, 1925. The fact that the Public Works Department have found that they will need more castings to complete the year's program, and in order that this department can take advantage of the more or less clause in the contract of the Gibby Foundry Company it is necessary for us to extend the completion date of the contract to February 1, 1925.

In view of the above I trust the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$500, on contract with the Central Construction Company for repairing bituminous pavement in any street upon which the maintenance guaranty has expired, on account of removing, where directed, the existing materials to the depth required for a new subgrade when repairing bitulithic pavement. Original contract, \$82,200; total addition, \$500; contract as standing, \$82,700.

An addition, amounting to \$1,650, on contract with J. J. McCarthy & Co. for repairing artificial stone sidewalk blocks for Water Service, on account of repairing approximately 5,000 square feet in addition to the amount in the contract, at 33 cents per square foot. Original contract, \$4,950; total addition, \$1,650; contract as standing, \$6,600.

An addition, amounting to \$1,875, on contract with M. F. Gaddis for bitulithic pavement and sewerage works in Shawmut avenue, city proper and Roxbury, on account of removing four trees where directed; relaying wood block pavement at Marvin, Mt. Vernon and Ruggles streets, and at Massachusetts avenue. Price to be paid for each square yard relaid, including preparing site and concrete shimming, the sum of \$3. Original contract, \$205,317.45; total additions, \$9,250; contract as standing, \$214,567.45.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$295, on contract with A. Grande for sewerage works in Elm Hill avenue, Roxbury, on account of supporting 12-inch water pipe in line of trench, shown on plan outside proposed trench, from station 0 plus 48 to station 7 plus 22. Original contract, \$7,429; total addition, \$295; contract as standing, \$7,724.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$250, on contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for laying high pressure fire pipes in Hawkins, Bowker, Chardon, Kneeland street, Atlantic avenue, South, Chatham, Commerce, Milk, Washington, Kilby, Doane, Broad, State, Hanover, India, North, Union, Sudbury, Custom House, Kingston and Fleet streets, city proper, on account of relocating 8-inch L. S. water pipe, etc. Original contract, \$216,472.50; total addition, \$250; contract as standing, \$216,722.50.

An addition, amounting to \$550, on contract with J. A. Costello & Co. for laying and relaying water pipes in Arthur street, Charles River Reservation and Hichborn street, Brighton; Beech, Cornell, Grandview, Granville and Winton streets, West Roxbury, on account of setting air cocks; grading at post hydrant; rolling pipe; delay in progress caused by steam roller, and maintaining supply to dairy plant. Original contract, \$6,865; total addition, \$550; contract as standing, \$7,415.

LAND-TAKING IN ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land and buildings supposed to belong to the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of America, located on Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury district, containing approximately 196,202 square feet, for hospital and infirmary purposes, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of America, bounded:

Northeast by Parker Hill avenue, four hundred eighty-five and 31-100 feet; southeast by land supposed to belong to Eugene N. Foss, three hundred eighty and 90-100 feet; southwest by the same, two hundred fifty-nine and 70-100 feet; southeast by the same, eighty-two feet; southwest by land of the City of Boston

(common passageway), twenty-five and 40-100 feet; northwest by land supposed to belong to Eugene N. Foss, seventy-seven and 40-100 feet; southwest by the same, one hundred eighty-six and 60-100 feet; and northwest by land supposed to belong to the Robert B. Brigham Hospital for Incurables, by two measurements, two hundred seventy-four and 61-100 feet and one hundred and fifty feet; containing one hundred ninety-three thousand three hundred and fifty-nine square feet, more or less.

Said parcel is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Parker Hill Avenue, Roxbury, June 10, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages by the taking of their estate on Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury district, for hospital and infirmary purposes, under the order of the Board, in the amount hereinafter mentioned, and awards said amount therefor.

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of America, 193,359 square feet and buildings, \$115,000.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land on the southeasterly side of Wachusett street, West Roxbury district, supposed to belong to Franciscan Monastery of St. Clare, containing approximately 88,418 square feet, for playground purposes, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Franciscan Monastery of St. Clare, bounded:

Northwest by Wachusett street, three hundred forty-six and 15-100 feet; northeast by Barlow street, two hundred six and 70-100 feet; southeast by Forest Hills Cemetery, three hundred eight and 60-100 feet; and southwest by land supposed to belong to Mary C. Cronin, two hundred twelve and 76-100 feet; containing eighty-nine thousand seven hundred and fifty-seven square feet more or less.

Said parcel is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Wachusett street, Barlow street, West Roxbury, June 5, 1924. Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted.—That this Board determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages by the taking of their estate on Wachusett street and Barlow street, West Roxbury district, for playground purposes, under the order of the Board of even date herewith, in the amount hereinafter mentioned, and awards said amount therefor.

	Amount.
Franciscan Monastery of St. Clare,	
89,757 square feet.....	\$12,000

EXPENDITURES FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES (RANKING FROM HIGHEST).

Los Angeles, \$20.62; Pittsburgh, \$15.51; Chicago, \$13.92; San Francisco, \$12.14; Philadelphia, \$8.68; New York, \$8.23; Boston, \$7.42 (as corrected according to approx. population). (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1920, Preliminary Reports.)

ALL NEW ENGLAND WEEK CELEBRATION MOVE STARTED TO PLACE SECTION BACK ON COM- MERCIAL MAP.

MAYOR NAMES CHARLES J. FOX TO REPRESENT CITY IN INDUSTRIAL PROJECT EXPECTED TO MORE CLOSELY CEMENT TIES OF CAPITAL, MANAGEMENT AND LABOR.

Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox has been chosen by Mayor Curley to represent the City of Boston in the "All New England Week" celebration.

The object of "All New England Week" is to acquaint the public with nature and merit of goods made in New England, and if the interest that they merit and pride in their purchase can be aroused, the result will be that every yard of cloth, pair of shoes or other item of New England-made goods purchased, will not only benefit the public, both buyer and seller, but will require the employment of New England mechanics to replace them.

This means just so much more work for New England employees. It is anticipated that the public comprising all classes directly interested either by investment, management or employment will be affected.

The greatest benefit to be derived from the success of "All New England Week" will accrue to 56½ per cent of the New England public represented by our New England workman.

It is estimated that if New Englanders in all walks of life would give preference to homemade goods, the output of our New England manufacturers would be increased at least one third. This would mean that instead of many of our manufacturing plants being obliged to run on short time, they would be enabled to run full, and our workmen would be steadily employed. This should also call to the mind of the workman that the more fabrication of his product is by no means the only feature of his work in which he is vitally interested, but there are numer-

ous other features in which he should have a deep interest and in which he can in part assist.

First, he should be interested in producing a superior article, for its superiority greatly enhances its sale.

Second, he should be deeply interested in producing the article at as low a manufacturing cost as is commensurate with superior quality, for the price at which it can be disposed of in competition with similar goods largely determines the volume of manufacture and the greater the volume the lower the cost.

This should induce him to appreciate that it is in his interest to do his utmost to give maximum effort for wages paid.

Third, he should be deeply interested in the disposal of the finished product, for, unless sold, there is no necessity for replacement, for which reason, bragging at every opportunity with regard to the quality of the material he makes and efforts to bring them to the favorable consideration of his friends and acquaintances, and himself using them and inducing his family to do the same whenever opportunity offers, is further contributing to his own prosperity.

It is hoped that this "All New England" activity will result in a permanent three-cornered partnership of Capital, Management and Labor, each contributing equally to New England's prosperity, with the women and the balance of the New England public as a valuable auxiliary to this partnership, and if this hope is realized, New England will outstep the world and occupy for all time an impregnable position in the commercial and industrial field.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land on the southwesterly side of Almont street, Dorchester district, known as "Collins Field," containing approximately 675,688 square feet for playground purposes, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Samuel Carr, trustee, bounded:

Northeast by other land supposed to belong to said trustee, and by Almont street, by two measurements, two hundred fifty-eight and 52-100 feet on a curve of four hundred eighty-five and 11-100 feet radius and five hundred nineteen and 40-100 feet; southeast by land supposed to belong to O'Neil, one hundred twenty-seven and 50-100 feet; northeast by the same, and by land supposed to belong to Chadwick, seventy-two and 70-100 feet; southeast by land supposed to belong to Chadwick, to Manzoli, Collins street, to Costello and to Stark heirs, by five measurements, one hundred twenty-seven and 45-100 feet, forty and 9-100 feet, thirty-seven and 63-100 feet, one hundred feet and five hundred three and 21-100 feet; southwest by land supposed to belong to Dewar, to Kelly, Bismark street, to Doran, to Burt, Favre street, and to

Hayes heirs, by six measurements, forty-nine and 31-100 feet, two hundred forty-one and 17-100 feet, seventy-five and 2-100 feet, eighty and 40-100 feet, forty and 18-100 feet and one hundred six and 20-100 feet; southeast by land supposed to belong to Hayes heirs, eighty-four and 22-100 feet; southwest by the same, by two measurements, one hundred eighty-three and 98-100 feet and ninety-one and 63-100 feet; and northwest by land supposed to belong to McNulty, to Flavell, to Cross, to Neary, to Rund, to Fugelestadt, to Rund, to Person, to Doran, to Harlow, to Mulligan, to Weir, to Bolan, to Reed, to Smith *et al.*, to Tarlikian, and to MacLaren, by seven measurements, five hundred sixteen and 57-100 feet, forty and 1-100 feet, forty and 2-100 feet, forty feet, forty feet, one hundred and twenty feet and ninety-eight and 62-100 feet: containing seven hundred seventy-six thousand seventy-two square feet, more or less.

Said parcel is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Almont street, Dorchester, June 19, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned person sustains damage in his estate by the taking made for playground purposes on Almont street,

Dorchester district, under the order of the Board of even date herewith, in the amount hereinafter mentioned, and awards said amount therefor.

Samuel Carr, trustee, 776,072 square feet.....	Amount. \$10,421 15
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CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

R. A. Bossi Company have been ordered to make the following changes in contract for alterations and additions to sanitary and locker building at World War Memorial Park, signed February 2, 1924:

1. Furnish and erect galvanized-iron screens for all exterior windows, for which change there will be added to your contract price the sum of \$982.

2. Furnish, erect and finish checking boxes, cupboards and wood cornice in men's locker room, for which change there will be added to your contract price the sum of \$1,885.

3. Replace old plain glass in all windows in men's lockers, all windows in men's rubbing room, and all windows in men's toilet with ½-inch ribbed plate glass, for which change there will be added to your contract price the sum of \$117.

4. Remove tanks over urinals from wall. Place said tanks above the ceiling and connect them with flush pipe the same size as already used. Do all patching and carpenter work connected with the same, for which change there will be added to your contract price the sum of \$119.80. Total addition, \$3,103.80.

Original contract price, \$60,400; deduct on order February 20, 1924, \$4,525; total, \$55,875. Add on order April 14, 1924, \$1,137.37; total, \$57,012.30. Add on this order, \$3,103.80; contract as standing, \$60,116.10.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John B. Dolan has been granted an extension of the time of performance of the contract for the erection and completion of the new fire station for Engine Company 40 until October 1.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

M. DeSisto Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Branch street, Medway street, Dorchester; Atlantic street, Church street, Goodway road, Moody street, Piedmont street, Weld street, West Roxbury; Larch street, Perle street, Pertshire road and Redford street, Brighton, from August 30, 1924, to October 1, 1924.

Joseph A. Singarella has been granted an extension of time of completion of the contract for repairs to city stable, Highland street, Roxbury, from July 1, 1924, to August 28, 1924 (58 days).

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

The Davis Foundry Company have been granted an extension of the completion date of the contract for furnishing 9-inch by 9-inch flanged frames from September 1 to November 1, 1924, because the contractor was not able to make large deliveries owing to lack of space at the water yard.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 4 TO SEPTEMBER 11.

SEPTEMBER 4.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. F. Connelly	81-90 A street.	9	First-class garage.	\$3,500
P. F. Russo	Rear of 57 Austin street.	24	First-class garage.	2,000
Charles Stender	Rear of 218 Norwell street.	19	Second-class garage.	1,000
Maria O'Connell	612 Adams street.	20	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
Ready Operators, Inc.	43 Claymoss road.	25	Third-class dwelling.	15,000
William Rogers	17 Gothic street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
A. Smith	3934 and 3936 Washington street.	22	Third-class dwelling and store.	6,500
E. P. Morrissey	79 Fairmount street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Michael O'Connell Post No. 76, American Legion.	129 South street.	22	Third-class clubhouse.	9,800
E. S. Dodge	41 Chestnut street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Alexander Borysewicz	7 and 9 Wesley street.	11	Alterations, dwelling.	250
Frank Constantino	266 Havre street.	2	Alterations, dwelling.	800
S. Rubin	1544 Dorchester avenue.	20	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
R. Mosey	628 and 630 Tremont street.	6	Alterations, dwelling.	500
Foster Wharf Company	590 and 592 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Alterations, garage.	1,000
Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation.	240-250 Marginal street.	2	Alterations, power house.	1,500
Daniel Cronin	306 Codman street.	21	Alterations, dwelling.	350
Daniel Cronin	2068 and 2070 Dorchester street.	21	Alterations, dwelling.	350
Pratt Bread Company	3190 Washington street.	22	Install freight elevator.	200
Jamaica Plain Trust Company.	677 Centre street.	22	Install dumbwaiter.	150

SEPTEMBER 5.

John Varnerin	Rear of 83 East Cottage st.	11	First-class garage.	\$3,500
R. F. Broun	Rear of 22 Florence street, East.	23	First-class garage.	2,000
Patrick Doyle	Rear of 314 Anory street.	22	First-class garage.	4,000
Anna M. Gould	14 Brighton street.	3	First-class garage.	500
W. N. Bruhmuller	96 Bynner street.	14	First-class garage.	1,600
Patrick Connelly	21 Manning street.	24	Third-class dwelling.	4,000
George E. Wahl	8 Sherman street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	4,500
Leonard Melanson	86 Swallow street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	900
Paul Ankiewicz	Rear of 37-43 Minden st.	14	Third-class ash shed.	150
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.	45 West Fourth street.	9	Third-class garbage building.	200
B. Rockman	1186 Commonwealth ave.	25	Erect sign.	500
Jane B. Monks	344 Marlborough street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	65
T. F. Fallon	1262 Hyde Park avenue.	24	Alterations, stores and offices.	25,000
J. M. & A. Isenberg	12 Westland avenue.	7	Alterations, stores and tenements.	5,000
J. M. & A. Isenberg	14 Westland avenue.	7	Alterations, stores and tenements.	5,000
Trustees Wigglesworth Estate.	9 and 11 Winter street.	5	Alterations, store.	2,000
Lena Goldstein	11-21 St. Francis de Sales street.	13	Alterations, workshop.	55
Ernest Branca	1504 and 1506 Dorchester avenue.	20	Alterations, dwelling and store.	300

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Hattie Frech	Rear of 236 Jamsicaway	14	First class garage.	\$1,000
Gilbert Sullivan	Rear of 414 Talbot avenue.	20	First class garage.	1,000
Maria James	42 Elmwood street.	23	Second class dwelling.	6,000
N. E. N. Hertz	18 Hamilton street.	23	Third class dwelling.	6,000
Anna Helmer	195 Spring street.	23	Third class dwelling.	5,000
H. F. Springer et al.	Rear of 716 West Roxbury Parkway	23	Third class garage.	300
David O'Malley	Rear of 217 Parsons street.	26	Third class garage.	800
Park Square Realty Trust.	31 St. James avenue.	7	Erect marquees.	5,000
J. M. Gordon	2061 Washington street.	13	Alterations, storeroom.	450
Wellesley College	131 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	750
T. Shistack	53 Nightingale street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	400
Lovejoy Wharf Trust.	6 Lovejoy place.	5	Alterations, storage.	1,000
J. E. Doherty	178 Beacon street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	1,800
J. E. Doherty	Rear of 178 Beacon street.	8	Alterations, stable.	2,000
Ester Cohen	36 Parker street.	3	Alterations, dwelling.	1,500
Sadie Haufwell	38 Parker street.	3	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000

SEPTEMBER 8.

Alexander Clark	108 Manthorne road.	23	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Ralph Carph	20 Dromey avenue.	17	First-class garage.	2,000
George Wilson	Rear of 7 and 9 Newbury st.	8	First-class store and office.	100,000
Mrs. Nellie Tuiley	Rear of 559 Hyde Park ave.	24	First-class garage.	2,400
John J. Ganey	32 Rill street.	17	Second-class garage.	1,000
James D. Hope	Rear of 27 Norway park.	24	Special class garage.	275
A. Ginsberg	70 Clapp street.	11	Special class storage and office.	800
T. J. Howard	Rear of 294 Chestnut ave.	22	Special class garage.	410
Luigi Fortucci	23 and 25 Shannon street.	25	Special class garage.	800
C. F. Bodge	25 Milwood street.	20	Third-class dwelling.	7,500
W. B. Rice	1063-1069 Boylston street.	8	Alterations, elevator.	1,500
Mrs. L. M. Nelson	121 Charles street.	8	Install dumbwaiter.	175
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company.	163 Dorchester avenue.	9	Install elevator (freight).	1,300
Reba Paef	31 Mt. Vernon street.	8	Install dumbwaiter.	100
Reba Paef	35 Mt. Vernon street.	8	Install dumbwaiter.	100
Hill Land Trust.	43 Kingston street.	5	Alterations, elevator.	500
Shikes & Long	1797 Washington street.	13	Alterations, elevator.	450
D. Berger, trustee.	737-743 Tremont street.	6	Alterations, elevator.	2,000
G. P. Guigio	667 and 669 Parker street.	14	Alterations, dwelling and store.	1,000
St. Mary's Infant Asylum	90 Cushing avenue.	17	Alterations, hospital.	3,000
Eleanor Titcomb	92 Pinckney street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Hyman Karmazine	39 Holborn street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
Women's Republican Club.	46 Beacon street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Catherine Gannon	125 Massachusetts ave.	8	Alterations, store and offices.	225
A. Rahwan	104 and 106 Hudson street.	5	Alterations, store and dwelling.	2,000

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

GARAGE SUPERINTENDENT, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, SEPTEMBER 25, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year. Applicants must be not less than 30 nor more than 55 years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Applicants should have experience in motor vehicle storage, transportation and repairs, and should be physically capable of working continuously for long periods of time. The superintendent will have charge of the garage which will house, ultimately, 120 touring cars, trucks, street sweepers and flushing trucks for various services of the Public Works Department, and will have a labor force of approximately thirty men. Spare parts for the machines will be kept in a stock room and properly requisitioned and charged to individual cars. Gasoline and oil will be issued in measured quantities and properly recorded against each vehicle. A small repair department will be established within the garage for minor repairs only, in sub-charge of a man skilled in the work and reporting directly to the superintendent. Major repairs will be made by outside concerns, and it will be within the province of the superintendent to decide whether a car should be repaired in the garage or taken outside and to determine the probable cost of the latter repairs.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ELECTRICAL DRAFTSMAN, SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT, SEPTEMBER 25, 1924.

The salary is \$2,080 per year.

Applicants should have a general knowledge of building construction on first, second, and third class buildings, be able to draw and lay out electrical plans and to read building plans, have a working knowledge of electricity, both on low tension (bells, clocks, telephones and fire alarm) and on light and power circuits, a knowledge of the rules governing electrical installations as issued by the Boston Board of Fire Underwriters and the Fire Department, Wire Division, of the City of Boston, and sufficient information, both electrical and educational, to write out specifications for electrical work of various kinds in an intelligent manner.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain

at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR AND BACTERIOLOGIST,
BACTERIOLOGICAL LABORATORY, HEALTH
DEPARTMENT, SEPTEMBER 26, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year.

Applicants must be graduates of a recognized medical school. It is desirable that applicants have a knowledge of French, German and Italian. They should have a thorough knowledge of the principles of bacteriology, immunity, vaccine, and serum therapy, and should possess experience in the diagnosis and study of the pathogenic bacteria in the preparation of vaccines, serums and antitoxins.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

OPHTHALMOLOGIST, HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$2,000 per year.

Applicants must be registered physicians. They should have special experience in the determination of refractive errors or other abnormal visual conditions in children and in methods to correct the same.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 38.

I. ACTING DISTRICT CHIEF.

Capt. Daniel J. O'Brien of Engine Company 10 is hereby relieved from the duties of Acting District Chief at his own request, to take effect at 8 a. m., Wednesday, September 10, 1924.

Capt. Edward J. Locke of Engine Company 7 is hereby designated Acting District Chief of Fire District No. 5 to take effect at 8 a. m., Wednesday, September 10, 1924.

II. BOSTON FIREMEN'S RELIEF FUND. (Election of members of the corporation.)

Following is the result of the election of members of the Corporation of the Boston Firemen's Relief Fund, held September 8, 1924:

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 4 TO SEPTEMBER 10.

SEPTEMBER 9.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Louis Litman.....	107 Mountfort street.....	8	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Fred C. Rankin.....	Rear of 54 Princeton street..	1	First-class garage.....	2,000
Mary A. McManus.....	Rear of 40 Lyndhurst street,	19	First-class garage.....	1,500
John T. Shaw.....	108 Allston street.....	25	First-class garage.....	3,000
John T. Shaw.....	Rear of 108 Allston street....	25	First-class garage.....	1,000
John Maloney.....	47 Garnet road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Paul Epstein.....	222 Foster street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
Paul Epstein.....	224 Foster street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
Paul Epstein.....	226 Foster street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
Paul Epstein.....	228 Foster street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
John R. Whelan.....	14 and 16 Waldon road.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
William F. McDonough.....	Rear of 9 Atkins street.....	26	Third-class garage.....	600
Edward V. Donovan.....	Rear of 208 Almont street....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
M. Tonken.....	16 Roxton street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	5,000
Walcott & Co., Inc.....	31, 32 and 33 Central square,	1	Alterations, store.....	3,000
Julia Sonnabend.....	10 Mechanic street.....	5	Alterations, light manufactur- ing.....	150
Joseph Krafshick.....	117 Townsend street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	25
James Walsh.....	42 Sawyer avenue.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Celia Steinberg.....	81 Deering road.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
John M. Banda.....	174 Boston street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	4,000
Henry Shields.....	462 Sumner street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Boston Wharf Company.....	368 Congress street.....	9	Install elevator.....	1,600
H. Geary.....	2 and 4 Smith avenue.....	13	Erect fire escape.....	150
Thomas A. Elston.....	41 Hawkins street.....	5	Take-down, Chardon Street Home.....	1,500
Thomas A. Elston.....	43 Chardon street.....	5	Take-down, Chardon Street Home.....	1,500

SEPTEMBER 10.

Joseph Venta.....	Rear of 165 West Eighth street.....	11	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Fannie Clayton.....	430-442 Parker street.....	7	First-class stores.....	15,000
Mary Haddad.....	40 Oak street.....	5	First-class garage.....	1,000
Abraham Lewis.....	Rear of 32 Linwood street....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Peter Devinney <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 57 Parsons street....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,000
J. Krinsky <i>et al.</i>	104 Columbia road.....	19	Second-class tenements.....	45,000
J. Krinsky <i>et al.</i>	108 Columbia road.....	19	Second-class tenements.....	45,000
J. Krinsky <i>et al.</i>	102 Columbia road.....	19	Second-class tenements.....	45,000
Mary McGowan.....	Rear of 7 Benson street.....	26	Special garage.....	400
Mary A. Dolan.....	Rear of 35 St. Rose street....	22	Special garage.....	600
Tony Vatslove.....	17 Smith street.....	26	Special garage.....	600
Sarah F. Grierson.....	Rear of 117 Sycamore street....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Mary K. Calkins.....	Rear of 7 Foss road.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
William J. White.....	Rear of 297 Norwell street....	19	Third-class garage.....	600
H. C. Tobey.....	Rear of 28 St. John street....	22	Third-class garage.....	600
William H. Hickey, Jr.....	Rear of 92 Granplan way.....	17	Third-class garage.....	600
Edward Brown.....	85 Deering road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
William Flynn.....	496 Ashmont street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	10,500
Elias Halpern.....	4 Westmore road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Elias Halpern.....	8 Westmore road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Eli s Halpern.....	36 Westmore road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
P. H. Randlow.....	39 Braden street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
John Zani.....	165 Gladstone street.....	1	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Joseph Capone.....	11 Nikisch avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Marden & Orlando.....	1 Fernald terrace.....	17	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Marden & Orlando.....	2 Fernald terrace.....	17	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Marden & Orlando.....	3 Fernald terrace.....	17	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Mrs. Ida L. Bengson.....	39 Fayette street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,200
Boston Laundry and Supply Company.....	29 and 31 Ryan street.....	6	Alterations, light mercantile, store.....	2,000
Walter M. Stafford.....	Rear of 98 Willow court.....	11	Alterations, garage.....	230
M. Fitzgibbons.....	23 Lincoln street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
John Costa.....	34 Northampton street.....	12	Alterations, dwelling and store.....	750
Ginter Stores Company.....	369-375 Congress street.....	9	Alterations, warehouse.....	2,000
J. Rosenfield.....	294 and 296 Columbus ave.,	7	Erect fire escape.....	160

Capt. J. W. Shea, Engine 41, 432 votes;
Engineer James J. Higgins, High
Pressure, 601 votes; Stephen L. King,
Engine 25, 647 votes; Daniel Gill, En-
gine 48, 632 votes.

For One Year.—Thomas F. Timmins,
Engine 9, 596 votes; scattering and
blanks, 145 votes.

III. RETIREMENT.

The retirement of Ladderman James F. Maguire of Ladder Company 16, which took effect August 22, 1924, is hereby announced. Ladderman Maguire was appointed to this department on September 13, 1888.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theo-
dore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

MAKE READY FOR COLUMBUS DAY CELEBRATION.

The Columbus Day Committee of the Citizens' Public Celebrations Association has started work on preparations for the annual municipal observance of that holiday, which this year falls on Sunday and will therefore be observed on Monday, October 13.

While the final program has not been settled, the plans approved by the Director of Public Celebrations on behalf of the Mayor will include the features on Boston Common that have come to be annual fixtures, including addresses at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand in the afternoon followed by a sunset military ceremony with the lowering of the national flag. A municipal athletic meet will be conducted in the forenoon.

Special interest will be attached to the Columbus Day program on the Common because on this occasion will be the first public use of the new amplifying apparatus whose installation at the bandstand is now in progress. The exercises of the day will be broadcasted to all the assembled audience through the new mechanism, as well as put on the air by radio for the benefit of all who choose to listen in.

There will be the customary international aspect to the holiday according to the plan which has been carried out on successive municipal observances of Columbus Day in Boston the past several years. The director and the committee are engaged in perfecting plans for assembling as many racial groups as possible to participate in the program, thereby indicating the cosmopolitan character both of the holiday and the people of Boston.

These groups will assemble at the Public Library in Copley square and on the steps of that institution will go through a program similar in character to the one that proved interesting and picturesque, on the Common last year. It is the hope of the committee that every race of people now represented by residents of Boston be included in the Columbus Day program. In order that every group may be on an equal footing the committee has specified that no group shall exceed fifteen in number. It is desired that as many as possible of each racial group appear in characteristic or national costume, both men, women and children.

With the conclusion of the Copley square exercises the participants, with a military escort will march to the Common for the ceremonies following there.

The Columbus Day Committee consists of: Joseph A. F. O'Neill, chairman; E. B. Mero, secretary; John B. Archibald, Frank Chouteau Brown, Charles L. Burrill, Charles T. Cahill, William H. Cuddy, Edward L. Curran, Merle R. Griffith, John J. Keenan, Frank Leveroni, James H. Phelan, John J. Sawtelle, John A. Scanga, Henry J. D. Small, and Louis Watson.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 603.

The resignation of Patrolman Leo G. Costello of Division 14 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Wednesday, September 10, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Vermont street, between Mt. Vernon street and a point 175 feet northeasterly in the West Roxbury district, and that he estimates that the cost thereof will be \$1,350.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in P street between Columbia road and East Sixth street, in the South Boston district, and that he estimates that the cost thereof will be \$2,435.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 4 TO SEPTEMBER 11.

SEPTEMBER 4.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
D. T. Mahoney...	27 Eden street.....	3	New fixtures.....	\$50
T. B. McKeagney...	17 Franklin street.....	4	New fixture.....	400
M. W. Palmer...	87 Oakland street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
M. W. Palmer...	91 Oakland street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
Michael Fonseca...	106 Bennett street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
Michael Fonseca...	152 Pleasant street.....	20	New fixtures.....	400
Michael Fonseca...	150 Pleasant street.....	20	New fixtures.....	400
A. J. Rull...	148 Pleasant street.....	20	New fixtures.....	400
D. J. Rull...	214 K street.....	9	New fixtures.....	175
B. F. Donohoe...	67 Bench street.....	5	New fixtures.....	125
R. F. Norwood...	175 H street.....	10	New fixtures.....	500
A. R. Hultgren...	27 Foss road.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,050
J. E. McCurdy...	411 Marlboro street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
J. A. Cotter...	301 Berkeley street.....	8	New fixtures.....	125
W. H. Newman...	20 Wilton street.....	25	New fixtures.....	400
D. M. Goldstein...	39 Bothwell road.....	26	New fixtures.....	750
J. F. West...	28 Leamington road.....	25	N w fixtures.....	700
J. E. Keezer...	73 Hancock street.....	8	New fixtures.....	700

SEPTEMBER 5.

J. H. McCrthy.....	111 Blue Hill avenue.....	16	New fixtures.....	\$57
Charles Green.....	150 Lamartine street.....	15	New fixtures.....	750
J. C. McCarron.....	56 Pinckney street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,000
L. E. Smith Company.....	468 Beacoe street.....	8	New fixtures.....	2,000
R. F. Norwood.....	63 Brayton road.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,200
R. A. MacDonald.....	50 Dale street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
H. W. Driscoll.....	357 Baker street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
H. C. French.....	30 Court square.....	5	New fixtures.....	250
D. J. Rull.....	269 West Fifth street.....	9	New fixtures.....	300
D. J. Rull.....	59 Georgia street.....	16	New fixtures.....	200
T. J. Hennigan.....	8 Chapman street.....	3	New fixtures.....	350
D. M. Murphy.....	15 Beale street.....	20	New fixtures.....	150
S. W. Pelt.....	37 Grove street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,700

SEPTEMBER 6.

J. Flynn & Co.....	23 Massachusetts avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$250
A. Smith & Co.....	85 South street.....	22	New fixtures.....	175
J. J. Henderson.....	10 Ophir street.....	22	New fixtures.....	250
J. J. Daniels.....	12 Rockdale street.....	24	New fixtures.....	900
J. P. O'Connell.....	50 Rosewood street.....	24	New fixtures.....	900
David Karger.....	107 Warren street.....	13	New fixtures.....	300
E. J. MacLeod.....	56 Moreland street.....	12	New fixtures.....	525
J. J. Tierney.....	119 West Canton street.....	6	New fixtures.....	325
A. E. Touchet, Inc.....	518 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	848
P. G. Finnerty.....	3 East Lenox street.....	12	New fixtures.....	180
P. G. Finnerty.....	5 East Lenox street.....	12	New fixtures.....	180
H. F. Smith.....	98 Litchfield street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
A. I. Russell.....	38 Shepard street.....	25	New fixtures.....	800
Alexander Campbell.....	853 Harrison avenue.....	12	New fixtures.....	350
J. P. Vogel & Son.....	110 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	350
A. J. Hughes.....	164 Lassell street.....	23	New fixtures.....	425
T. B. McKeagney.....	33 Lotus place.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,200
Henry J. Gurl.....	837A Washington street.....	21	New fixtures.....	100
John R. Barrett.....	21 Hudson street.....	5	New fixtures.....	35
James A. Cotter.....	3190 Washington street.....	22	New fixtures.....	300
Charles Lang.....	16 Leamington road.....	25	New fixtures.....	100

SEPTEMBER 8.

A. E. Touchet.....	241 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$1,400
S. A. Politsky.....	21 and 23 Newton street.....	26	New fixtures.....	900
P. F. Russo.....	26 Chestnut street.....	24	New fixtures.....	500

SEPTEMBER 9.

John J. Daniels.....	23 Page street.....	24	New fixtures.....	\$1,000
A. E. Scrivens.....	27 Greenwood avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	90
J. S. Cassidy.....	62 Egremont road.....	25	New fixtures.....	100
James E. Burke.....	53 Court street.....	5	New fixtures.....	700
Edward H. Marchant.....	35 Court street.....	5	New fixtures.....	400
M. Pass & Co.....	1788 Commonwealth ave.....	25	New fixtures.....	2,700
M. Pass & Co.....	1782 Commonwealth ave.....	25	New fixtures.....	2,700
John Manning.....	131 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	250
J. N. Millner.....	Rear of 465 Audubon road.....	8	New fixtures.....	400
H. S. Trethewey.....	24 Sparrow street.....	23	New fixtures.....	150
F. H. Densmore.....	15 Heathcote street.....	23	New fixtures.....	317
H. S. Trethewey.....	73 Florence street.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
H. S. Trethewey.....	11 Ethel street.....	23	New fixtures.....	700
Solomon Tack.....	23 Eastbourne street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
Albert R. Houghton.....	759 Centre street.....	22	New fixtures.....	30
P. J. Sullivan.....	35 Presentation road.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,200

SEPTEMBER 11.

H. S. Trethewey.....	55 Willow street.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$475
P. M. Donoghue.....	20 Wirt street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,500
M. S. Pann.....	40 Norfolk street.....	21	New fixtures.....	80
Samuel M. Harris.....	7 Monponset street.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
Abraham Kollem.....	61 Iffley road.....	22	New fixtures.....	300
B. A. MacDonald.....	410 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	200
A. J. Hughes.....	47 Bradeen street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
John M. Hannigan.....	128 Blake street.....	24	New fixtures.....	500
Samuel Barron.....	21 Whitman street.....	21	New fixtures.....	600
C. B. Tucker.....	275 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	700

MANY USEFUL SUBJECTS RELATING TO SCHOOL WORK DISCUSSED AT ANNUAL CONVENTION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL BUSINESS OFFICIALS, ACCORDING TO REPORT OF BUSINESS AGENT KEOUGH OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

William T. Keough, former Business Agent, has submitted to the School Committee the following report on his attendance at the Annual Convention of the National Association of Public School Business Officials at Indianapolis, Ind., May 12 to 16, which was presented at its meeting held on Monday, September 8, 1924.

To the School Committee:

In compliance with the provisions of section 3 of chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, I submit the following report on my attendance at the Annual Convention of the National Association of Public School Business Officials, held at Indianapolis, Ind., May 12-16, 1924.

Representatives from thirty-four states and the District of Columbia were present. Two representatives from Toronto, Canada, also attended.

At the opening session addresses of welcome were made by the Mayor of the city, the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, the President of the Board of Education and the Superintendent of Schools.

At the several sessions of the convention, the following papers were read and discussed:

"The Functions of a Secretary or Business Manager in his Relation to the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education and the Community." James F. Dunphy, Secretary, Board of Education, Patterson, N. J.

"Purchasing and Distribution of Supplies and Equipment in Districts of less than Fifty Thousand." H. W. Anderson, Secretary, Board of Education, Kalamazoo, Mich.

"A Co-operative Price and Service Clearing House." H. C. Roberts, Secretary, Board of Education, Sioux City, Iowa.

"Annual Financial Reports." Miss Corinna M. Clark, School Accountant, El Paso, Texas.

"Annual Reports as the State Department Sees Them." Jonas E. Wagner, Assistant Director, Bureau of Administration, Department of Public Instruction, Harrisburg, Pa.

"The Extent to which the Uniform Account Blank has been Adopted Throughout the Country." Dr. Frank M. Phillips, Chief of Division of Statistics, U. S. Department of Education, Washington, D. C.

"Educational Opportunities of the Business Department of the Public Schools." Clyde Blanchard, Secretary and Business Manager, Berkeley, Cal.

"State Uniform System of Public School Accounting." Leonard B. Job, Assistant State Superintendent, Public Instruction, Indianapolis, Indiana.

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"The Principles of Ventilation as Applied to School Buildings by the Unit System." J. M. Robb, Heating Engineer, Peoria, Ill.

"The Proper Method of Figuring Building Costs and Capacities." R. M. Milligan, Commissioner of Buildings, St. Louis, Mo.

"The Appraisal of School Property for Insurance Purposes." Frederick F. Martin, Business Manager, Pasadena, Cal.

"Unit System of School Construction." W. R. McCornack, School Architect, Cleveland, Ohio.

"The Proper Treatment of Schoolroom Walls." A. B. Cousins, School Mechanic, Richmond, Va.

"The Standardization of Schoolroom Equipment." C. M. McKee, Superintendent of Supplies, Pittsburg, Pa.

"The Adaptation of Rooms and Equipment for Industrial Arts in Public Schools." S. A. Challman, State Inspector of Schools, St. Paul, Minn.

"Home Made School Survey." Mark L. Thomsen, Cleveland, Ohio.

"Control of School Finances by City Officials.—Its Advantages and Disadvantages." C. M. Schenck, School Treasurer, Denver, Col.

Two sessions were held on Tuesday, two on Wednesday, one on Thursday and one on Friday. Evening sessions were held on Tuesday and Thursday, while the afternoon of Thursday was spent on an automobile ride about the city and its parks and visiting the schools of the city.

The following reports by committees of the association were presented and accepted:

Committee on Uniform Accounting and Terminology.

Committee on Resolutions.

Committee on Audit.

Committee on Nominations.

The Committee on Uniform Accounting and Terminology, of which your Business Agent is chairman, presented a lengthy report recommending many changes in the form of the standard report, correcting errors therein and amending the instructions for its use.

The paper on "The Functions of a Secretary or Business Manager in his Relations to the Superintendent, the Board of Education and the Community," by Capt. James F. Dunphy, Secretary of the Board of Education of Patterson, N. J., was an interesting discussion on school organization, Captain Dunphy being an emphatic exponent of the dual type of organization, that type in which the superintendent is in responsible charge of all educational matters and the secretary or business agent in responsible charge of all business matters.

This subject has been discussed so many times during the past twelve years by educational associations, survey committees (generally composed wholly of educators) and boards of education, that practically nothing new was developed during the discussion.

It is well known that there has been a general drive by educators throughout the country during the past few years toward the "unit" type of organization, wherein the superintendent is named as the official in charge of the entire system, all other officers and subordinates in the system to be appointed by and subordinate to him and all reports to the board to be made by him.

In the paper read at Atlantic City in May, 1922, your Business Agent pointed

out that of the twenty-four cities in the country with a population of over 250,000, there are but five under the unit organization, viz., New York, Rochester, Buffalo, Minneapolis and Detroit, and that the first three are so organized because of the mandate of state law. This leaves but two cities, Minneapolis and Detroit, as the only cities in the entire country with a population of over 250,000 which have voluntarily put into effect the unit type of organization, viz., Minneapolis having adopted the plan in 1914 and Detroit in 1917.

The paper on "Purchasing and Distribution of Supplies and Equipment in Districts of less than Fifty Thousand," by Harley W. Anderson, Secretary, Board of Education, Kalamazoo, Mich., was based upon Mr. Anderson's experience of ten years in the city of Kalamazoo and from information furnished by the supply departments of about twenty cities of from 30,000 to 50,000 population.

Mr. Anderson pointed out the importance of standardization, the necessity for carefully drawn specifications and the inspection and comparison of samples submitted with bids.

From answers received from several cities he found that the majority of them make deliveries every week and some twice a week, and that he has tried the weekly, bi-monthly and monthly plans and has found the delivery every two weeks the most satisfactory and economical.

It would appear that Mr. Anderson's methods are very closely in harmony with those adopted and in practice by the larger cities of the country.

The paper on "A Co-operative Price and Service Clearing House," by H. C. Roberts, Secretary, Board of Education, Sioux City, Iowa, was prompted by a report of the Text-Book Committee in the 1923 meeting at St. Louis, which report disclosed substantial discrepancies in prices paid by different cities for the same text-books, some for reasons apparent and others for which no account could be given.

At that same session the attention of the members was invited to a commercial service offering to school officials a cost exchange through which subscribers are furnished at regular intervals, information relative to prices paid by other cities for various articles of equipment and supplies, together with the quantity purchased and the name of the company from whom purchased.

Mr. Roberts presented for consideration some reasons why the association should furnish this information to its own members, methods by which the service might be economically and readily furnished, and some conclusions as to what might be accomplished in case such a plan was adopted and put into operation. He has reached the conclusion that while a co-operative clearing house on this basis alone readily justifies itself, the information is not as broad and inclusive as it should be and that the price quotation accompanied by the name of the distributor furnishes information on additional sources of supply which would be conducive to more advantageous purchasing.

Mr. Roberts has discovered that the larger cities purchase from very definite specifications, while the smaller from indefinite or no specifications and for the reason that it is not advisable for a city of 50,000 inhabitants to attempt to maintain a working machinery of analyses and testing and experimentation without which a large city could not consider it possible to operate intelligently. He

suggested that the scope of the proposed clearing house include the exchange of specifications. He suggested the appointment of a committee to review the plan, pass upon details and present findings at a later meeting of the association.

The paper on "Annual Financial Reports," by Miss Corinna M. Clark, School Accountant, El Paso, Texas, reviewed the history of early school financial reports, the oldest available being that printed in Philadelphia in 1819.

Miss Clark found a wide variation and practice in the different cities in the matter of presenting annual financial reports, three cities where the population is over 175,000 making no annual financial report whatever. She pointed out that with the cost of education jumping by leaps and bounds, school budgets strained to the utmost and taxpayers critical, there seems a greater need than ever for detailed accounting in order to assure the critics that public money is not wasted.

The paper on "Annual Reports as the State Department Sees Them," by Jonas E. Wagner, Assistant Director, Bureau of Administration, Department of Public Instruction, Harrisburg, Pa., set forth the conditions in Pennsylvania and the legal requirements in the matter of making up reports on child accounting, teacher accounting, financial accounting, and miscellaneous accounting. He discussed the preparation and revision of report blanks, plan of collection and the use that is made of them. He is of the belief that these records afford an inestimable reservoir of information for many studies that are always being prosecuted and this is the only available source of original data in such form and account that is obtainable anywhere. He also believes that in the annual reports the state department has its most valuable sources of that first-hand knowledge necessary to administer the schools wisely.

In the paper on "The Extent to Which the Uniform Account Blank has been Adopted Throughout the Country," Dr. Frank M. Philips, Chief of Division of Statistics, United States Department of Education, Washington, D. C., pointed out some of the difficulties experienced by his office in securing prompt and complete returns on the standard forms.

Mr. Clyde Blanchard, Secretary and Business Manager, Berkeley, Cal., in his paper on "Educational Opportunities of the Business Department of the Public Schools," called attention to the desirability of the school business official keeping himself informed upon present day objectives and visiting schools frequently to personally observe varied activities of the pupils. He suggested many opportunities of the business official to assist in the training of pupils for educational efficiency.

Among his interesting suggestions were the following: Using the business office for advanced office training of pupils in the commercial department of the junior and senior high schools, demonstrating in a practical way the routine of typing, shorthand, bookkeeping, duplicating and the duties of purchase order, storeroom and pay roll clerks, dictaphone operators, mimeograph operators and similar office work. Such pupils are paid at the rate of 25 cents per hour when used by the business office outside of school hours.

He suggested that the president of the association invite a public school educator of national standing to address the association on present day problems of public

school education, in order that the association may have its vision broadened, its objectives more clearly defined, and its activities more wisely directed.

Mr. Leonard B. Job, Assistant State Superintendent, Public Instruction, Indianapolis, Ind. in his paper, "State Uniform System of Public School Accounting," outlined in much detail a complete system of public school accounting.

The paper "Depreciation and Other School Costs," by Mr. A. Howard Bell, Auditor, Gary, Ind., made an earnest plea for the inclusion of depreciation of school property in the costs of school systems.

There is a wide divergence of opinion on the wisdom of including depreciation in school costs, because of the difficulty heretofore encountered in getting into agreement on the determination of the amount to be allowed for depreciation on the several classes of school property.

The demand for such inclusion appears to be more insistent among the younger school accountants, particularly those who have had little experience in school accounting and who are unfamiliar with the laws in many states where school accounting must harmonize with such laws.

The paper on the "Principles of Ventilation as Applied to School Buildings by the Univent System" by Mr. J. M. Robb, Heating Engineer, Peoria, Ill., presented advantages of ventilating schoolrooms by independent units consisting of a fan, and motor for same, located in the schoolroom and under the control of the school teacher.

Mr. R. M. Milligan, Commissioner of Buildings, St. Louis, Mo., in his paper, "The Proper Method of Figuring Building Costs and Capacities," discussed the necessity for furnishing the educational needs of the building and definite data on the character content, and sizes of the building, character of construction, sanitation, system of heating and ventilation and grade of materials proposed to be employed, and a thorough analysis of such detailed costs before the total estimated cost of the building is established.

He pointed out that this requires close collaboration between the architect, the instruction department, the engineer and the building department. He discussed the "per class room cost," "cost per pupil," "cost per square foot of floor area," "cost per cubic foot."

He believes the latter method more nearly approximates the probable cost of proposed buildings than any of the other methods, but that even in this case it can only be taken as a superficial system of estimating.

He states that boards of education are frequently misled by architects showing a low cost per cubic foot compared to such cost in some other city, whereas in providing the same student accommodations they may have a lot of waste areas with higher story heights or different styles of architecture, and although both buildings may have the same floor plan, one will have substantial additional cubage which tends to lower the cost per cubic foot, but raises the total cost of the building above the one which shows a higher cost per cubic foot.

Mr. Milligan also pointed out the value of accurate records and unit costs of school buildings kept by the Board of Education, and submitted tabulation showing the method of analyzing school building costs.

He suggested the appointment of a committee to work out and report back to the next convention a plan for standardizing methods of computing costs and capacities of school buildings.

In his paper on "The Proper Treatment of Schoolroom Walls," Mr. A. B. Cousins, School Mechanic, Richmond, Va., gave some data on unit costs of treating schoolroom walls showing some remarkable economical results.

The discussion brought out the fact that after proper training of the men, the mechanical system of spreading paint on the walls was far more economical than when the material was applied by hand.

Mr. Mark L. Thomsen, former Chairman of the School Committee of the Board of Education, Cleveland, Ohio, had a most interesting paper on the "Home Made School Survey."

This survey was made by a large committee made up of prominent and disinterested citizens of the city, whose work was divided up into small committees. A large amount of time was devoted to careful investigation into all phases of the work of the schools.

Among other matters considered with great care was the question of unit organization advocated by so many survey committees composed wholly of educators.

In this case the unit system of organization was not recommended or adopted.

The paper on "Control of School Finances by City Officials. Its Advantages and Disadvantages," by C. M. Schenck, School Treasurer, Denver, Col., was largely a collection of data on the existing methods of financing schools, showing the method of control of appropriations in different cities and the measure of such control.

Round table conferences were held on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, the former being devoted to accounting, supplies, text books, etc., and the latter to a conference on buildings, repairs, ventilation, etc.

It is, of course, impossible within the scope of such report to give any adequate idea of even the high spots at a convention where so many subjects are handled at such length.

The papers in full, however, appear in the printed transactions of the association and will be found valuable when any of the subjects referred to are under discussion.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM T. KEOUGH,
Business Agent.

CLAIMS.

Upon recommendation of the Law Department the Mayor has approved the following claims:

Charles J. Lynch, in the sum of \$28, as compensation for loss of clothing, at the City Hospital, while employed as a cleaner on March 18, 1924.

Rudolph Santini, in the sum of \$22.50, as compensation for loss of clothing destroyed by fumigation at the South Department of the City Hospital on May 2, 1924.

TELEPHONE INCREASES.

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pending is ample proof that the Public Utilities Commission is not only friendly disposed to the public service corporation but is absolutely hostile to the interests of the subscribers.

In order that the public may secure some measure of protection I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order providing an additional sum in the amount of \$15,000 for the conduct of this case.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending September 6, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 126; nonresidents, 38; total, 164.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 11.01; nonresidents deducted, 8.45.

Death rate per 1,000 of population.
Last week, 13.49; corresponding week last year, 9.34.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 23; one year to five years, inclusive, 14; sixty years and over, 47; total deaths: male, 90; female, 74; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 99; deaths of colored, 6.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 6, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 8, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	6	—	2	2
Diphtheria.....	31	3	69	2
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	1	2	1
Influenza.....	—	—	3	—
Measles.....	8	—	8	1
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	1	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	12	3	4	4
Scarlet fever.....	16	1	17	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	28	14	44	4
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	7	4	4	—
Typhoid fever.....	1	1	7	—
Whooping cough.....	7	—	14	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, August 25, 1924.

Special meeting of the City Council of the City of Boston, held in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday, August 25, 1924, at two o'clock p. m.

Present—The President and all the members except Coun. Brickley, Healey and Lane.

The meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

City of Boston,
Office of the City Clerk, August 22, 1924.

A special meeting of the City Council will be held in its chamber, City Hall, on Monday, August 25, 1924, at two o'clock p. m., to take action on loan orders for the widening of Tremont and Kneeland streets.

By order of the President.

JAMES DONOVAN,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

TREMONT STREET WIDENING.

Coun. WALSH moved to take from the table the order for a loan of \$1,200,000 for the widening of Tremont street.

The motion was lost, yeas 3, nays 3:
Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh—3.
Nays—Coun. Gilbody, Moriarty, Watson—3.

MOTION TO ADJOURN.

Coun. MORIARTY moved that the Council do now adjourn.

The motion was lost, yeas 2, nays 4:
Yeas—Coun. Moriarty, Watson—2.
Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Purcell, Walsh—4.

KNEELAND STREET WIDENING.

Coun. WALSH moved to take from the table the order for a loan of \$1,200,000 for the widening of Kneeland street.

The motion was carried, yeas 4, nays 2:
Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Purcell, Walsh—4.

Nays—Coun. Moriarty, Watson—2.

The question came on the passage of the order.

Coun. WATSON—At the last meeting of the Council, Mr. President, several members called upon the other members not to act upon certain measures until there was a full meeting of the Council. I do not know how much merit there was in their request. That is for each individual to determine. I have my opinion, and I will not express it—it is not necessary. But, today, there are three members missing from this meeting. One member (Coun. Lane) undoubtedly did not receive the notice. Another member (Coun. Brickley) was here this morning and was in a pretty tough physical shape and went away. Coun. Walsh saw him, I believe. He was in pain and went to the doctor's, I believe, or home. And the third member (Coun. Healey), I believe, went away, where, I do not know. Therefore, we are in the position today of considering a million two hundred thousand dollar proposition with only two thirds of the total membership of this body present, prepared to vote on this proposition. It goes without saying that if the measure is voted upon today the proposition will be defeated—not by a majority vote of this Council, but by a bare majority of those present and voting—and perhaps not that.

The widening of Tremont street is an important proposition and for the time being it is held in abeyance by the action of the Council today; but the other proposition, the widening of Kneeland street, is far more important than the widening of Tremont street. The City of Boston, through its duly accredited representatives, the Mayor, the Street Commissioners, etc., has laid out what is now called Stuart street, from Huntington avenue to Tremont street. That measure was foisted on the City of Boston without the consent of the legislative branch of this city—the City Council had no voice in the matter. But I will pass over that; there is no need of talking about it. But Kneeland street is as important, in my opinion, as Tremont street. That is my personal opinion. It means a through artery from Tremont street on to the South Station and, if not widened now but widening in years to come, will cost several times what the widening will cost now. But I will not discuss that. I am satisfied that my facts that I submit, or my views, are falling on ears that are closed to the facts as I express them; in other words, the die is cast. It is decided that, today, of the two great improvements, it shall not pass, but through the wisdom of the Council one is held in abeyance for a full vote of the Council at some future date, and the other, because the

members have voted to take from the table, is now under consideration. I believe that every man here today who votes on this proposition is voting according to his conscientious dictation. I do not think for a moment but that they are all just as earnest in the proposition as I am; but they are "set," to use the vernacular of the day; they have made up their minds not to pass it but to defeat it. If this great proposition is defeated today, it is a mistake. I sincerely trust that the motion of the member (Coun. Walsh) that the matter be passed upon today will be defeated, and then later, at a future meeting, there may be a very proper consideration of the proposition and let happen to it what may. I trust that the measure will not be acted upon today, at this particular time.

The order failed of passage (six votes in favor being required).

Yeas—Coun. Moriarty, Purcell, Watson—3.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Walsh—3.

Adjourned at 3.15 p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH.

Tuesday, August 26, 1924.

Special meeting of the City Council, held in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday, August 26, 1924, at one o'clock p. m., Coun. WATSON, senior member, presiding, and a quorum present.

Absent—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue and Lane.
The meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 25, 1924.
To the Members of the City Council.

You are hereby requested to assemble* in the City Council chamber on Tuesday, August 26, 1924, at 1 p. m., for the purpose of taking action on a temporary loan to provide money in anticipation of taxes.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Placed on file.

TEMPORARY LOAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor August 25, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith a communication received today from the City Treasurer and an order authorizing a temporary loan in anticipation of taxes.

As the present favorable conditions in the money market may not continue and as the order requires two readings fourteen days apart, I respectfully urge that immediate and favorable action be taken on it.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the City Treasurer, August 25, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston.

Sir,—Being able to borrow money at around 2 per cent per annum. I am asking herewith additional authority to issue and sell temporary notes rather than be obliged to go on the market for a permanent loan at around 4 per cent per annum.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN J. CURLEY,
City Treasurer.

Ordered, That to provide temporarily money to meet the appropriations for the financial year 1924-25, the City Treasurer issue and sell, at such times and in such amounts as he may deem best, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston not exceeding four million dollars in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, in anticipation of the revenue of the current municipal year; that all such notes or certificates of indebtedness be dated the day the money for the same is received, be made payable with the interest thereon within one year of their date from the revenue of the year 1924, and bear interest from their date until the same are made payable at such rate as the City Auditor, the City Treasurer and the Mayor may determine.

The order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Assigned for fourteen days for final action.

Adjourned at 1.45 o'clock p. m.

THE CITY DOLLAR SPENT IN YEAR 1923-24.

For Public Schools, 28.66 cents; (2) Public Works, 13.66 cents; (3) Debt Requirements, 11.61; (4) State Tax and Assessments, 11.08; (5) Police Dept., 8.17; (6) Fire Dept., 6.85; (7) General Government, 4.20; (8) Hospitals and Health, 3.91; (9) County Courts, Etc., 3.70; (10) Institutions and Poor Relief, 3.64; (11) Public Recreation, 3.00; (12) Public Library, 1.37; (13) Public Service Enterprises, 0.15 (due to a slight excess of expenditure over revenue); making a total of 100 cents. This excludes all expenditure from loans, etc., but includes special appropriations from tax levy and other general income, used for public improvements.

The revenue of all departments, \$7,719,910, amounted to 18.06 per cent of their gross expenditures for maintenance. The revenue of Public Service Enterprises alone (including Water Service, Ferry Service, Printing Plant, Markets, etc.) amounted to \$4,538,919 or 5.88 per cent of total department income. The fractions of the dollar above stated represent net expenditure, computed after deducting department revenue.

Revenue from another class of public service enterprise, *i. e.*, Rapid Transit, for rentals of subways and tunnels, \$1,655,475 or \$15,642 less than the interest and sinking-fund requirements of the Rapid Transit debt in 1923.

EXPENDITURES, FISCAL YEAR, 1923-24.

Total ordinary and extraordinary, \$69,433,002, or \$4,593,567 more than in 1922. For maintenance of departments (excluding Water Service and Printing Dept.), \$39,244,315 (including \$12,421,826 for Schools); for City and County interest, \$3,488,857; sinking-fund requirements, \$606,133; serial loan payments, \$1,979,128 (making all debt requirements, excluding Rapid Transit, \$6,074,118), for Water Service, including Metropolitan water assessment, interest on debt, etc., \$3,128,463 (covered by water revenue). State tax, \$3,302,400 (regular) and \$697,296 (civilian war poll tax); Metropolitan and various State assessments, \$1,785,745; Printing Department, \$380,832 (covered by revenue); special appropriations from tax levy for public improvements, \$5,097,379; special appropriations from Parkman Fund income for park improvements, \$236,244.

Total ordinary expenditures, \$59,946,792, or \$4,173,498 more than in 1922. Total expenditures for departments only, \$1,654,148 more than in 1922.

Department increases of expenditure in excess of \$25,000 over the year 1922 were: Boston Sanatorium, \$31,259; Fire Department, \$328,170; Health, \$46,647; Hospital, \$195,614; Library, \$35,084; Park, \$273,904; Police, \$241,807; Public Buildings, \$48,048; Public Works, \$238,765; School Dept., \$343,355; Suffolk County, \$153,347.

Regular appropriations unexpended by the departments reached the noteworthy total of \$761,664. Decreases of expenditure from 1922 were: City Clerk, \$2,800; Election Dept., \$56,569; Overseeing of Public Welfare, \$35,161; Soldiers' Relief, \$712,264.

Extraordinary expenditures for permanent improvements (*i. e.*, loan appropriations, etc., including unused portions from previous year), \$7,512,304, of which \$1,623,669 was for Rapid Transit construction (mostly E. Boston Tunnel alterations); \$1,162,238 for sewer construc-

tion; \$804,624 for making of highways; \$577,496 for Columbus Park, improvements; \$379,290 for Police Headquarters; \$336,838 for Playground improvements, etc.; \$319,512 for Stuart St. construction; \$314,518 for Hyde Park St. R'way, purchase of; \$289,152, for City Hospital, improvements; \$284,665 for Police Station 2, Building; \$261,661 for work on various public buildings; \$253,467 for Chelsea Bridge South; \$170,023 for City Hospital, Thorndike Memorial Building; \$157,886 for E. Boston Ferry, improvements; \$123,408 for Cambridge St. Bridge; \$116,686 for Municipal Garage, Albany St.; \$94,864 for Beacon St. Bridge; \$91,583 for Public Latin School. For Rapid Transit debt requirements, \$1,671,117. Total extraordinary, \$9,486,211 or \$420,069 more than in 1922.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MILK.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Infirmary Division, Institutions Department, Long Island, with milk and cream, as required, during the period from October 1, 1924, to March 31, 1925, inclusive. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office before 12 m., Tuesday, September 23, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The contract calls for pure milk, neither skimmed nor topped, nor in any way deprived of its natural proportion of cream. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Sept. 13.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN STONY BROOK, SECTION 10A, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Stony Brook, Section 10A, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Stony Brook," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, September 23, 1924, with a certified check for five thousand (5,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 11, 1924. (Sept. 13.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, September 11, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public improvements should be made consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Locust street, Dorchester district, as a highway from Buttonwood street to the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

The laying out and construction of an extension of Hazleton street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from northwest of Fottler road for a distance of approximately six hundred feet northwesterly.

The laying out and construction of Chelmsford street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Adams street to Charlemont street.

The laying out and construction of Alabama street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Oakland street to Almont street.

The laying out and construction of Waldorf street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Ashmont street to Mellen street.

The laying out and construction of Lorna road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Morton street to Tiverton road.

All substantially as shown on plans in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass orders for making said improvements, and that it appoints eleven o'clock a. m., of September 24, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for public hearings in the matters.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(Sep. 13-20.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals to erect and complete, including all trades, the East Boston High School for Boys and Girls, Brook and White streets, East Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Board therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, 1007 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, October 3, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$20,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
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CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(Sept. 13.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LEASING THE CONCESSION PRIVILEGES FOR FURNISHING WEIGHING MACHINES IN CONVENIENCE STATIONS OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Health Department, 1108 City Hall Annex, Boston, for leasing the concession privileges for furnishing weighing machines in the convenience stations of the Health Department, City of Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, October 1, 1924, at the office of the Health Department, with a certified check for \$50, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. The Health Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

FRANCIS X. MAHONEY, M. D.,
(Sept. 13-20.) Health Commissioner.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN BINFORD STREET, BETWEEN A STREET AND NECCO STREET; NECCO STREET, BETWEEN BINFORD STREET AND NECCO COURT, SOUTH BOSTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Binford street, between A street and Necco street; Necco street, between Binford street and Necco court, South Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of nine thousand (9,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Binford street etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Monday, September 22, 1924, with a certified check for nine hundred (900) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 11, 1924. (Sept. 13.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FIRE HOSE TO THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Fire Department the following:

7,500 feet of 2½-inch double jacket hose
2,500 feet of 3-inch double jacket fire hose

according to specifications. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts, as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The bid, with a certified check for \$400, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before Monday, September 22, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(Sept. 13.)

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston, August 27, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that the Division of Waterways and Public Lands of the Department of Public Works will give a public hearing in Room 413, State House, on Thursday, September 18, 1924, at two o'clock p. m., on the question of the advisability of leasing certain lands, flats and pile structures, situated in that part of Boston known as South Boston, on Northern avenue, between the Fish Pier and the proposed location of Harbor street, for the purpose of installing tanks for the storage of gasoline and oil, together with the necessary pipe lines, trestles and other incidentals.

For the Department,

WILLIAM F. WILLIAMS,
Commissioner of Public Works.
(Sept. 13.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND CONCRETE BLEACHERS AT THE WILLIAM EUSTIS PLAYGROUND, ROXBURY.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, invite proposals for grading and concrete bleachers at the William Eustis Playground, Roxbury. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Concrete Bleachers at the William Eustis Playground, Roxbury," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, September 17, 1924, at the office of the Park Department with a certified check for \$4,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$20,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
(Sept. 13.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MILK.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing the Boston Sanatorium, Mattapan, with Massachusetts Standard Grade "A" milk, as required, from October 1, 1924, to March 31, 1925, inclusive. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at 12 m., Tuesday, September 23, 1924, at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The contract calls for pure, dairy milk, neither skimmed nor topped, nor in any way deprived of its natural proportion of cream. An average of 55 cans of 8½ quarts each is required for delivery per day, including Sundays. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Sept. 13.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LIGHT AND HEAVY FUEL OIL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing light and heavy fuel oil to the various city departments. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex, on Wednesday, September 24, 1924. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Sept. 13.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, September 11, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and buildings bounded by property of the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, known as the St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, and D, West Third and Bolton streets, South Boston district, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints twelve o'clock m., of September 30, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(Sept. 13-20.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MILK.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing milk to the Hospital Department from October 1, 1924, to March 31, 1925, inclusive. The bidder must leave his proposal at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office, and the bids will be publicly opened and read at 12 m., Tuesday, September 23, 1924. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Sept. 13.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN STELLMAN ROAD, PRIVATE LAND, BRADEEN STREET AND WASHINGTON STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Stellman road, private land, Braden street and Washington street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty thousand (20,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Stellman Road, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, September 23, 1924, with a certified check for two thousand (2,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 11, 1924. (Sept. 13.)

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen, in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being

abolished. For these was substituted a single City Council of nine members to be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, i. e., whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, i. e., establishing a single term of four years, but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (i. e., the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After which licensees claimed the right to sell July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on

June 7, 1920. The result of this decision was that former applicants for liquor licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (i. e., prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topeka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

SETTLEMENT OF BOSTON.

Boston was settled in the latter part of August, 1630, by Puritan colonists under Governor John Winthrop. The name of the original settlement was changed to Boston from Trimountaine by order of the Court of Assistants on September 7 (O. S.), 1630. This date was moved forward by the New Style calendar in 1752 to Sept. 17, the recognized date of the founding of Boston. The name, Trimountaine, had been given because of the three peaks of the most prominent hill, afterward called Beacon Hill, much higher then than now. By the Indians the place was called Shawmut. The name, Boston, was derived from the English town of Boston in Lincolnshire, the home of some of the leading colonists and promoters of the enterprise.

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Office, 1007 City Hall Annex. Tel. Congress 5100.
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Office, 1 Beacon street, 7th floor. Tel. Hay. 2455.
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Room 21, City Hall. Tel. Congress 5100.
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CHARGES FINANCE COMMISSION ATTEMPTS TO MISLEAD PUBLIC BY GROSS MISSTATEMENTS IN ACCUSATION OF WASTE BY CITY ON STRANDWAY PROJECT.

PARK COMMISSION REPORTS TO MAYOR CURLEY THAT CALCULATIONS WERE BASED ON SHIFTING SANDS AND WERE MADE FOR POLITICAL PURPOSES—ATTACKS FIGURES OF BOARD, SHOWING FALSITY OF REASONINGS AND INCONSISTENCIES OF CALCULATIONS.

Both the Mayor and the Board of Park Commissioners have made reply to the charges of the Finance Commission that \$294,000 had been squandered in Columbus Park project.

Mayor Curley issued the following statement relative to the report of the Finance Commission on the Columbus Park improvements:

"The report of the chairman of the Park Commission relative to Columbus Park improvements has been received this day. After reading the reports of the Finance Commission and of the Park Commission my first impression is that the Finance Commission bases its conclusions almost entirely upon the opinions of its engineer, Guy C. Emerson, while the Park Commission justifies its position by the records of the department which are made up from day to day as the work progresses by trusted employees and officials of that department. Until such time as I have had opportunity for further study of the two reports and discussed the contents of the same with the entire Park Commission, namely, Charles A. Coolidge, Myron P. Lewis and James B. Shea, I shall feel obliged to adhere to my original opinion, namely, that the issuance of such a sensational report at this time is purely a political move."

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

The report of the Park Commission follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*, Boston, Mass.:

DEAR SIR,—You have referred to the Park Commission for its consideration and for a report the criticisms made by the Finance Commission of the management and supervision of the work performed on the Columbus Park improvement by J. C. Coleman & Sons, contractors. As the Finance Commission's criticisms have been published at great length in this morning's newspapers I think it proper to make to you a report at once in order that the public may not

continue to be misled by many of the gross mis-statements which appear in the Finance Commission's report.

Necessarily, the answer to the Finance Commission's report cannot be made immediately in as full detail as would be desirable. The Finance Commission's report covers eleven typewritten pages and the report of its engineer, Guy C. Emerson, which is appended to the commission's report, covers forty-three typewritten pages. If, upon reading the Park Department answer, you believe that a more detailed report from the department is necessary, the Park Commissioners will be glad to furnish you with such further details.

The main criticism of the Finance Commission is that certain materials used in the work, namely, general filling, filling for the roadway, sand and loam, have been allowed by the Park Commissioners and paid for by the city to an amount greatly in excess of the amounts which should have been paid if the measurements of such material had been properly made in the manner provided in the contract. The Finance Commission's estimate of the excess payments is \$294,000. The thirteenth estimate allowed by the department for general filling and filling for roadway was 260,000 cubic yards; for loam 91,500 cubic yards; and for sand 45,459 cubic yards. The Finance Commission states that in its opinion, based upon surveys and calculations which it has caused to be made, allowances for general fill and fill for roadway should have been only 130,128 cubic yards; for loam 7,168 cubic yards; and for sand 16,740 cubic yards.

It should be clearly understood that the Finance Commission's figures did not purport to represent the quantities of material actually delivered on the work by the contractor but represented only the Finance Commission's estimate of the amount of such materials, measured in place on the work. The term "measured in place" as used by the Finance Commission means the amount of material estimated to be actually in place between the levels taken before the beginning of the work, namely, May, 1922.

and the levels existing in June of 1924. This mode of measurement makes no allowance whatever for any shrinkage in the quantity of material actually delivered on the work from the contractor's trucks or for any subsidence of such material by settlement through the soft bottom which existed throughout the whole area of the improvement in July of 1922 when the contract was begun.

The Finance Commission claims that there was practically no subsidence of material delivered during the last two years, its claim being based on the assumption that the material which was placed on this area in the years 1916-18 by the New York State Dredging Company and which was excavated from the bottom of the harbor, furnished a hard, substantial foundation for the filling which was delivered by the Coleman Company under the contract of July, 1922. There is abundant evidence, however, that the foundation consisting of the material dredged from the harbor by the New York State Dredging Company was of such a character as to provide a most undesirable foundation for the work under the Coleman contract.

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MAYOR SENDS CONDOLENCES TO MRS. LOUIS H. MUDGETT IN HER BEREAVEMENT.

Mayor Curley addressed to Mrs. Mudgett, 78 Gainsboro street, the following letter of sympathy and condolence upon the death of her husband, the noted musical director:

MRS. LOUIS H. MUDGETT, 78 Gainsboro Street, Boston, Mass.

DEAR MRS. MUDGETT,—I mourn with you in the death of your devoted husband and whose passing marks the close of an eventful life of one of the greatest musical directors our country has ever known.

It was my pleasure, as Mayor of Boston, to know Mr. Mudgett intimately and his unselfish character, devotion to every good and righteous cause, and splendid advice and direction, when ways and means were needed to present to the people of Boston national movements for the relief of suffering humanity, will endear him to our citizens for all time.

He restored the world's greatest operas to the City of Boston after a long cessation of time and through his initiative thousands upon thousands of musical patrons have been entertained in a manner unsurpassed in the history of music.

I sincerely trust that Divine Providence may constantly attend you during these sad hours.

Sincerely yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, September 22, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marqueses, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be.

MAYOR CURLEY CALLS ON HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS TO AID SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT IN CARING FOR NEEDY BY TRANSFER OF FUNDS.

Mayor Curley sent the following communication to all department heads on September 12:

DEAR SIR,—At a conference held July 18, 1924, the necessity for practicing the most rigid character of economy compatible with the service that should be furnished the public was directed to your attention. The demands of the Soldiers' Relief Department and the department providing aid to the needy have so increased as to justify the belief expressed at the meeting held in July that the approaching winter would severely tax the resources of the municipality because of the increased unemployment.

The Overseers of Public Welfare require at least \$200,000 at the present time, and should the industrial stagnation increase during the winter months a far greater sum will be necessary. The unemployment situation has affected in a most serious manner the veterans of the World War. Under a statute adopted May 3, 1919, the city is required to provide aid to unemployed veterans of the World War. The amount necessary for the conduct of the Soldiers' Relief Department during the remainder of the year in addition to the regular appropriation will be in excess of \$100,000 and unless there is a general improvement in business conditions it may be many times in excess of this sum.

In view of these conditions which were not anticipated when the budget was compiled in March you are hereby

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO ROOM 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

directed to notify the Mayor's office at once as to the amount it will be possible for you to transfer in order that the worthy poor and the veterans of the World War and their dependents may not suffer through failure of the city to adequately provide for their requirements.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor.

THANKS MAYOR CURLEY FOR NEW ENGLAND WEEK CO-OPERATION.

Mayor Curley, on September 17, received the following communication from Chairman John S. Lawrence of All New England Week Committee:

HIS HONOR JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*,
City Hall, Boston, Mass.

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR.—I want to thank you for your letter of the 15th and for your co-operation and interest in this important situation. I shall present your letter to the next meeting of the New England Week Committee.

I hope that a permanent organization will come as a result of this movement. It will be impossible to continue it as a volunteer organization. Personally I should like to see the six governors create an economic advisory commission with a reasonable appropriation to study the sound economics of the New England situation, and to give publicity through the press to sound economics which are essential to our prosperity.

Yours very truly,

JOHN S. LAWRENCE,
Chairman.

NEW ENGLAND WILL SOLVE HER PROBLEMS OF THE PRESENT AND FUTURE TO HER GREATER GLORY BY FAITH IN ABILITY AND HER RE-BIRTH BASED ON CO-OPERATION.

MAYOR CURLEY IS PRINCIPAL SPEAKER AT OPENING OF NEW ENGLAND WEEK EXPOSITION, WHERE INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL BRAINS OF SECTION GATHERED TO START MOVE TO BOOST LOCAL PRODUCTS.

Mayor Curley, speaking at the opening of the New England Week Exposition on the evening of September 15, said in part:

"It is a source of pleasure to express on behalf of the people of Boston my appreciation of the valued services rendered by all of the agencies and individuals responsible for the New England Week Exposition. The success of the movement, the culmination of which was the American Republic, may be traced to the very purpose which New England Week seeks to develop, self-reliance and co-operation.

New England, a pioneer in industrial lines, many, many years ago, passed beyond the position of sole proprietor of manufactured goods in the textile and leather lines. The development of the keenest character of competition has now become a reality and a situation confronts New England which can only be overcome through co-operation and liberal expenditure of money and development of agencies that make for economy and efficiency in production and a freer and better method of output distribution.

It is not within my province to even suggest a course of procedure to the representatives of those agencies that have been so successful in the management and operation of New England industrial establishments; but if I might be permitted to venture a suggestion, the development of a co-operative planning system might be devised whereby changes of such a revolutionary character as have been in evidence in recent years might in some measure be lessened if not entirely prevented.

New England has suffered greatly as a consequence of a change in the character of living upon the part of the American people, resulting from the increased wage which obtained during the war period and which at present happily continues. The changes, by most people

termed fads, both in wearing apparel and footwear, might have been prevented through the right character of propaganda.

The removal of the system of differentials in operation during the past twenty years, that have worked such great injury to commercial New England, is a subject deserving of immediate attention. The development of white power as a means of reducing production costs, the adoption of uniform laws throughout the nation relative to the employment of women and minors in industry are matters deserving of the best thought of everyone interested in the future of New England.

I recall a very interesting afternoon spent less than a year ago with the wizard of the General Electric Company, Professor Steinmetz. We discussed the future of New England commercially and industrially. In his opinion New England had little to fear from southern competition because of the inferior character of workmanship which obtained south of the Mason-Dixon line. He expressed the belief that the more highly skilled and efficient type of working men and women would always be found in New England, and assigned as reason for this belief the inherent desire on the part of every individual to secure the best that is possible in education and spiritual growth. It, however, was his opinion that the future of New England was industrial rather than commercial and that the keenness of competition would compel a study and development of white power.

I firmly believe that this development is possible and that with a re-birth of New England faith and co-operation which may have its re-birth in this 'New England Week,' it is possible to face the future with a calmness based on faith in the ability of New England and her people to overcome the problems of the present and those that await in the future."

same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 1, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for painting the drawspan of the Chelsea Bridge North. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$800, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, September 22, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing the hull, etc., of the ferryboat "John H. Sullivan." Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday October 1, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Binford street, between A street and Necco street; Necco street, between Binford street and Necco court, South Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$900. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$900, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, September 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Stellman road, private land, Bradeen street and Washington street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$20,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Stony brook, section 10A, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$50,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$5,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Ralston road, between Ruskin road and Rutledge road, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, September 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Wilmington avenue, from Capen street about 230 feet easterly, and outlet in Capen street from Fairmount street to Wilmington avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for leasing the concession privileges for furnishing weighing machines in convenience stations of the Health Department. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Health Department, Room 1108, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the

by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for sewerage works in Maynard street, between Metropolitan avenue and 260 feet southeasterly, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, October 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Arnold street, Vale street, Linwood street and Child street, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, October 6, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and setting up steel lockers (two compartment) in the new Dorchester High School for boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, September 26, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, including all trades, the East Boston High School for boys and girls, Brook and White streets, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$20,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without certified check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, October 3, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing fire hose to the Boston Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, September 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing milk to the Boston Sanatorium. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract

price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing milk to the Infirmary Division, Institutions Department, Long Island. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing milk to the Hospital Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 23, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing light and heavy fuel oil to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, September 24, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing surgical instruments to the Boston City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, September 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex,

Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 30, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, September 11:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Assessors have voted to rescind the vote of August 27, 1924, appointing certain first assistant assessors, and in lieu thereof, to appoint the following named as first assistant assessors: John F. Fitzpatrick, William F. Morrissey, Francis J. Turcotte, Henry T. Hartmere, Francis J. Ryan. The salaries will be \$1,600 a year. The appointments of Messrs. Morrissey, Turcotte and Hartmere are made by transfer from the position of clerks.

James I. Moore has been voted the sum of \$200 for additional work required of him as chairman of the Dooming Board, for the season of 1924.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

William J. McCarron has been appointed night elevator inspector at \$1 a night, not to exceed \$1,000 a year.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Hugh Gallagher, blacksmith's helper, has been promoted to blacksmith, with pay increased from \$4.75 to \$5.50 a day.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Anna B. Connolly has been appointed as permanent nurse at \$1,400 a year.

The following provisional appointments of nurses at \$1,400 a year each have been made: Marion H. Mitchell, Estelle Sears, Etta R. Giddens.

Annie Murray has been granted provisional appointment as nurse at \$1,400 a year.

Deputy Commissioner Thomas J. Donnellon, Sanitary Division, has been designated to visit New York and Philadelphia to observe and study methods employed in the incineration and reduction plants of those cities from September 11 to 13, inclusive, and the approximate cost of this trip to the City of Boston will be \$75.

The following increase in salary is approved: Dr. John A. Ceconi, epidemiologist and Director of the Bureau of Communicable Diseases, from \$3,500 to \$4,000 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the past week:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Helena McDougall, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Della Webster, Elizabeth Humphries, Lillian C. Forgrave, ward helpers, \$11.50 a week; Joseph W. Donohue, center orderly, \$11.50 a week; George K. Sumpter, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Emily Farquhar, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Edward L. Norton, out-patient orderly, \$14 a week; Joseph Leonard, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; John Frevold, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Julia Kenny, night supervisor of nurses, \$26.25 a week; Lillian McLoughlin, Blanche Nichols, spe-

cial nurses, \$35 a week; Dr. Perrin H. Long, assistant resident physician, \$1,000 a year; Bernard Haubrich, night lodge attendant, \$6.25 a week; John Pazertsky, center orderly, \$1 a week; Catherine Crowley, Mary Donohue, ward assistants, \$9.50 a week.

Temporary.—Arthur Connelly, telephone operator, \$22 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred: Edward D. Kelleher, outpatient orderly, \$14, to transfer porter at \$14.50 a week; Mary Davis, laundry assistant, \$18 to \$21 a week; Margaret Keating, laundry assistant, \$16.50 to \$18.50 a week; Mary Barry, Catherine Stepien, Anna Taura, Maude Ham, laundresses, \$14.50 to \$16.50 a week; Gertrude Baker, Lillian Brickley, Mary Cotter, Mary Devlin, Helen Doyle, Annie Fetter, Elsie Frieberg, Emily Friedenberg, Margaret Gannon, Celia Harkins, Winifred Hawley, Mary E. Haynes, Mary Keegan, Margaret Keegan, Mary Langev, Gertrude McGee, Mary Medne, Alma Miller, Winifred Otto, Margaret Reardon, Alice Riley, Lillian Schwolman, Mary Schwolman, Annie Sienkovicz, Mary Wall, Mary Witte, Konstacijas Zilyte, Theresa McKenna, Annie McGonigle, Cassie Farren, Julia Keohane, Madge Harkins, Nellie McKenzie, laundresses, \$14 to \$16 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, September 4:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Mary Bulley, institution employee, \$525 a year, to succeed Mary A. Anderson.

Daniel L. Donovan, institution employee, \$600 a year, to succeed Michael J. Lehan.

Kathryn A. Flavin, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Elizabeth M. Greene.

Mary E. Foley, institution employee, \$550 a year, to succeed Mabel Hunt.

Delia Gordon, institution employee, \$525 a year, to succeed Mary Hopper (resigned same day).

Annie E. Hall, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Edith O. Mogk.

David J. Lizotte, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Alex Rooney.

John J. McGill, fireman, \$36 a week, temporary.

Catherine McNally, institution employee, \$525 a year, to succeed Delia Gordon.

Alex A. Rooney, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Thomas P. Bannon.

Thomas F. Slattery, attendant, \$600 a year, temporary.

Lillian C. Slavin, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Alice McCavitt.

Bertha Stevenson, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Milly F. Laffin.

Frank Weaver, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Theodore Kroh.

House of Correction.

Robert E. Lynch, officer-stonecutter, \$1,100 a year, new position.

Steamer "Perkins."

Richard Plunkett, watchman, \$31 a week, temporary, transferred from wharfinger, temporary.

Steamer "Hibbard."

John Murphy, engineer, temporary, \$1,900, temporary.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, September 11:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Nellie M. Smith, pupil nurse, \$300, to succeed Nellie M. Smith.

Margaret Farrell, institution employee, \$525 a year, to succeed Catherine McNally.

Harold B. Fenwick, druggist, \$1,500 a year, temporary.

Steamer "Hibbard."

Fred J. Harrison, deckhand, \$1,000 a year, temporary, transfer from fireman, temporary.

Andrew J. Baker, fireman, \$1,000 a year, transferred from assistant engineer, steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Margaret A. Papen, employed temporarily at the City Temporary Home for Women, has ceased work, September 14,

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Frank Rooney has been given temporary appointment for a period of three months, as a life guard at \$4.50 a day.

John L. Kelley has been granted temporary employment as clerk of the works at \$40 a week, from September 5 to October 15.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Henry Ellison has been appointed for a temporary period of four weeks, to take the place of firemen and engineers in City Hall Annex, during the vacation period, with pay for two weeks as an engineer at \$40 a week, and two as a fireman at \$36 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Thomas H. Cullinan, Thomas G. Farren, James F. Hayde have been granted increases in salary as subforemen, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year each.

Patrick Francis has been promoted from laborer at \$4.50 a day to painter at \$5.50 a day to fill a permanent vacancy.

Thomas J. McDonald has been promoted from chauffeur at \$33 a week to head chauffeur at \$1,800 a year in the new garage.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Harold J. Brown has been continued in temporary employment as laborer at \$4.50 a day for two months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Increases in wages have been granted to the following employees:

Thomas Byrnes, mechanic, from \$5.25 to \$5.50 a day.

Patrick J. McCarthy, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.25 a day.

Michele Nicastro, mechanic, from \$4.75 to \$5 a day.

George A. Cunningham, from laborer at \$4.50 per day to mechanic at \$4.75 a day.

Samuel J. Hallett, foreman, has been granted an increase from \$2,000 to \$2,100 a year.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

Joseph F. Daly has been appointed temporary clerk for the purpose of filling the position he now occupies and the result determined.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Edwin A. Wall has been designated to act as Acting City Treasurer at such times as the treasurer is absent during the four weeks commencing September 18.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, September 11:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 3 hours, \$3.50; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 34½ hours, \$23.81; D. J. Sullivan, steamfitter's helper, 22½ hours, \$12.65; W. O'Connell, Wm. Cody, plumbers' helpers, 22½ hours, \$12.65; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Fitzgerald, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75. Total, \$58.78.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Friday, September 12:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Engineers.—Joseph Cox, William G. Feeney, John Melley, William S. Robinson, 1 day, \$6.50 each. Total, \$26.

Firemen.—John Adams, Richard A. Bishop, Eugene A. Leonard, 1 day, \$6 each. Total, \$18.

Substitute Work.—Andrew Para, Eugene A. Leonard, 1½ days, \$9 each. Total, \$18.

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

For the week ending Friday, September 19.

John Thornton, deckhand, 3 days (2 shifts), \$13.50.

House of Correction.

Engineers.—William O'Melia, Ernest Rousseau, Walter Purdy, John Fay, 1 day, \$6.50 each. Total, \$26.

Firemen.—Timothy Hurley, Bernard Feeney, Frederick Morse, David Tobin, Thomas Finn, 1 day, \$6 each. Total, \$30.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Tuesday, September 16:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Michael J. Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, Charles Ring, laborers, \$4.50 each; Philip J. Donovan, gardener, 1 day, \$5.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5; Joseph T. Harrington, Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Fairview Cemetery.

James A. Kingston, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, September 11:

J. Reynolds, engineer, 7½ hours, \$6.25; J. Conlon, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; T. H. Joyce, engineer 9½ hours, \$7.92; J. Campbell, M. F. Bricke, N. McSheffrey, fire-

men, 1 day, \$6 each; J. McDonough, J. J. Walsh, elevatormen, 7½ hours, \$4.22 each.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 15:

Drawtender.—William F. Doyle, Jr., 3 days, \$15.60.

First Assistant Drawtender.—William C. Tirrell, 1 day, \$4.66.

Assistant Drawtender.—William Higgins, 2 days, \$8.76.

Watchmen.—James J. Griffin, John Clabby, Eugene F. Sullivan, Edward F. O'Kane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$47.02; net cost for the week ending September 15, 1924, \$18.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 15:

Electrician.—James A. Douglass, 1 day, \$6.10.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 2½ days, \$13.75.

Gateman.—George M. Nagle, 1 day, \$5.25.

Total, \$25.10; net cost for the week ending September 15, 1924, \$19.85.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, September 16:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, M. S. Ryan, J. J. Spillane, F. T. McGregor, D. Gallagher, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—D. J. Dalton, F. Ruggiero, J. Roche, D. Shea, F. Zirpollo, ½ day, \$2.25 each.

Total, \$52.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, September 16:

Sewer Cleaners.—George Caswell, Daniel Coleman, Richard Connolly, Thomas Flaherty, John Sweeney, 2 days, \$10 each; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 3 days, \$15 each; Joseph Rafferty, 1½ days, \$8.16; Hugh Clark, 1½ days, \$7.50; Stephen Manning, Jeremiah O'Brien, Michael Neary, 1½ days, \$6.25 each; James Clancy, Dennis Collins, 1 day, \$5 each; Dennis Burke, John Driscoll, ¾ day, \$3.75 each; Hugh O'Connor, ¾ day, \$1.88; Thomas Byrne, 1½ days, \$5.94; Peter Keenan, 1 day, \$4.75.

Laborers.—John Dolan, 3 days, \$13.50; John Donnelly, John Sullivan, 2 days, \$9 each; Duncan Wright, 1½ days, \$7.88; Daniel Sullivan, 1½ days, \$7.31; James Waters, William Dunlea, Thomas Duffy, Jeremiah Walsh, Joseph Clougherty, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Harold Brown, William Prindeville, Joseph Brown, 1½ days, \$5.63 each; Daniel McKenna, William Mullin, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Patrick Buckley, John Boyle, James O'Neil, ¾ day, 3.38 each; Cresenzio DeLuca, James Sullivan, ¾ day, \$2.81 each; Thomas Casey, Patrick Maloney, John Dolan, John Keenan, Peter King, George DeGraan, ½ day, \$2.25 each; John Sheedy, John Kirby, Patrick Reddin, ¾ day, \$1.69 each; Daniel Donovan, ¾ day, 56 cents.

Steam Engineer.—Michael Duffy, 1½ days, \$6.19.

Mason.—James Duffy, 2 days, \$14.

Chauffeur.—Charles Caffery, 1 day, \$5. Total, \$310.86.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 15:

Teamsters.—P. J. Connolly, J. Dahill, E. P. Keller, M. J. Hurley, B. Callahan, M. J. O'Connell, C. J. Crowley, G. McColan, M. F. Shea, J. P. Barnes, J. W. Collins, F. R. Deacon, T. F. Graham, M. Gilmartin, J. T. O'Leary, B. J. Doherty, J. Golden, J. J. Jones, P. Meyers, C. J. Sullivan, J. J. Donovan, E. F. Noonan, G. Riley, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, D. J. Callahan, F. D'Ambrosio, J. J. Dowdal, J. Driscoll, P. Dunn, R. M. Jennings, J. M. Kramer, W. H. Mahoney, W. T. Maloney, A. Powers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$157.50.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending, Monday, September 15:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Burke, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burns, 1½ days, \$7.50; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—E. Rafferty, 2½ days, \$13.59; J. Casey, 2½ days, \$12.91; P. Linehan, 2½ days, \$13.59; A. Lo Pilato, 1 day, \$4.75; H. Campbell, 2½ days, \$15.98; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Daley, 2½ days, \$15.26; E. Sullivan, 2½ days, \$14.53; J. Leonard, 2½ days, \$12.19; S. Mariani, 2½ days, \$11.25; C. Driscoll, 2½ days, \$11.34; R. Kelley, 1½ day, \$4.69; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$7.50; P. Lyden, 1½ days, \$8.25; J. Ward, 3¼ days, \$22.75; N. McPhee, 1½ day, \$4.69; G. Waters, 2½ days, \$9.80; J. Feeley, 1½ days, \$6.68; J. Williamson, 1½ day, \$2.23; J. Glennon, 1½ day, \$2.81; J. Sullivan, 1½ day, 89 cents; J. Horgan, 1½ day, 89 cents; J. Blessington, 1½ days, \$6.56; T. Byrnes, 1½ days, \$7.88; J. Cummings, ¾ day, \$4.13; M. Matthews, ¾ day, \$3.75; W. Gallagher, ¾ day, \$3.38; C. Kane, 1½ day, 89 cents; L. Morgan, 1½ day, 89 cents; F. Auciello, 1½ day, 89 cents; P. Conley, 1½ day, 84 cents; J. McLean, 1½ day, 94 cents; F. Schena, 1 day, \$5.25; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—M. Barron, B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, J. O'Toole, J. M. O'Toole, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; P. Waters, F. DeAngelo, M. Connolly, E. Pyne, 2 days, \$9 each; R. Beatty, W. Crowell, P. Finnerty, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; G. Cunningham, 2½ days, \$13.08; T. Joyce, 1½ day, 84 cents; P. Mulkern, 2½ days, \$10.13; J. Durand, 2½ days, \$10.97; B. Hill, 1½ day, 84 cents; C. Joyce, 2½ days, \$10.13; H. Cunningham, 1½ day, 84 cents.

Total, \$429.30; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$423.80.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner for authority to rough grade and fill Cambridge and Court streets, from Charles street to Brattle street, by division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$10,000.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MAKES MANY CHANGES AND PROMOTIONS IN TEACHING STAFF.

Boston's School Committee, at a regular meeting Monday evening, considered a program that, for the most part, included action taken with a view to bringing the teaching force up to the required standard of efficiency.

From the eligible list the following were appointed: Robert G. O'Connell, submaster, Charles Sumner District; George C. O'Brien, assistant, Theodore Roosevelt intermediate district; Howard Wilbur, submaster, Wendell Phillips District; Jessie Kalter, assistant, Boston Clerical School; Charles M. McKenzie, shop foreman, Boston Trade School; Frances B. Haskell, trade assistant, Department of Household Arts; John T. Mendenhall, shop instructor, Department of Manual Arts.

The following received appointment by promotion: From assistants to be first assistants, heads of departments, Elizabeth I. O'Neill, Brighton High School; Grace E. Merrill, East Boston High School; Bertha A. Bonart, Girls' High School; Alice E. Fisher, Hyde Park High School. From assistants to master's assistants, Eleanor M. Colleton, Eliot District, and May P. Sullivan, Dudley District.

Besides the foregoing, 36 emergency teachers, 10 temporary teachers and 47 junior assistants were named, and 180 assistants were appointed for the evening high and evening elementary schools.

Grace K. Lonergan, assistant, was transferred from the Roger Wolcott District to the Chapman District; Margaret E. Collins, master's assistant, from the Lawrence District to the Bigelow District, and Ruth A. Carter, assistant kindergarten, from the Wells District to the Frederick W. Lincoln District.

Mary A. Starkey, prevocational assistant, was designated as assistant in charge of prevocational classes in the Mather District.

Ambrosine Salsbury, who was one of the first teachers of special classes in the department, but who resigned some years ago, re-entered the service, by appointment of the Superintendent of Schools, as assistant in the special class in the Hancock District.

Resignations of the following were accepted: Margaret H. Hinkley, assistant, Henry Grew District; Mary R. Gray, assistant kindergarten, Mather District; Iora E. Lamb, assistant, Minot District; Evangeline Lynch, assistant, Samuel Adams District; Anna G. Flynn, teacher of cookery, Department of Household Service; May A. Hourihan, teacher of millinery, Department of Household Service; Alexander MacGilvray, shop instructor, Department of Manual Arts.

The rank of all instructors in manual arts at any of the high schools was ordered changed to instructor in mechanic arts, to take effect September 1, 1924.

The kindergarten in the William Blackstone School, in the Wells District, was ordered discontinued.

A speech improvement class was authorized in the Longfellow District, and a similar class in the Charles Sumner District was ordered discontinued.

A petition indorsing daylight saving, introduced by the Daylight Saving Association of Massachusetts, was adopted unanimously.

MAYOR CURLEY PLEADS FOR HOME INDUSTRY'S AID THROUGH NEW ENGLAND WEEK COMMITTEE.

CALLS ATTENTION TO FACT THAT POLICE DEPARTMENT SUPPLIES ARE BOUGHT OUTSIDE STATE, AND OTHER WORK CITIZENS OUGHT TO HAVE IS DONE BY PRISON HELP.

Mayor Curley addressed the following letter to the directors of the New England Week Committee:

JOHN S. LAWRENCE, *Chairman*, All New England Week Committee, 89 Franklin Street, Boston.

CHARLES B. BURLEIGH, *Chairman*, Boston City Committee, 84 State Street, Boston, Mass.

Boston, September 15, 1924.

The purpose of "New England Week," as I understand it, is to stimulate New England industry and trade by encouraging New Englanders to use goods produced here and patronize our own producers and workers. This purpose is an admirable one, for much of the industrial unemployment depressing Massachusetts and Boston can be traced to the neglect of our home markets and the consequent migration of manufacturers and their employees to other parts of the country.

While the "New England Week" plan can carry little more than a plea of local pride and protection and a certain moral obligation on the part of one neighbor to help another, in its appeal to private industry and trade, an adhesion to its spirit and purpose is obligatory upon those administrative and governmental bodies which are supposedly the agents and representatives of the people of the state and city.

These bodies derive their income from the public purse; they are spending the money of the taxpayers; and whenever possible, expenditures should be made so as to benefit the taxpayer and return the taxes to the local channels of trade, that our own manufacturers, employers and workers may have some of the burden of taxation lifted from them. Here is where the money is raised to support the Police and Fire Departments of Boston, the Metropolitan Police, the State Constabulary, and the Nautical School, and incidentally provide uniforms for their personnel.

The uniforms of the Boston Fire Department are made in Boston by Boston contractors and paid for by the city. The uniforms of the Boston police are made in Philadelphia by a Philadelphia concern, and the money paid out by the department, drawn exclusively from the city treasury, is spent where it can be of no possible benefit to Boston. The plea of the Police Commissioner that he can get the work done cheaper in Philadelphia is illusory and lacking in loyalty to Boston and consideration for her taxpayers.

There are at least six concerns in Boston able and willing to do it under the healthy and protective provisions of the laws of Massachusetts at fair union rates and free from the sweat-shop, underpaid, labor conditions of Pennsylvania. In many cases after these sweat-shop uniforms arrive here they have to be "bushel" and made over to fit the individuals, and these added costs, together with the wages of a tailor carried permanently on the police pay roll, largely

offset the alleged contract cheapness. That the Police Commissioner and his department owe any duty, moral or financial, to Boston does not appear to be understood; the money is spent despite the protests of the City Council and organized labor, and Boston is helpless. To my mind this policy is wholly inexcusable and shows how petty economies of this sort are really petty treasons to the city and its taxpayers.

The expenditures for uniforms under state jurisdiction and the distribution of state moneys to alien contractors and localities is equally unfair to the taxpayers of the state; and, as Boston pays a large percentage of the taxes spent, it can reasonably lead the protest against a policy so wasteful and injurious to the Commonwealth.

The Boston Fire Department spends its uniform money in Boston with entire satisfaction and good results. I would not tolerate for a minute any other course; and until the control of the Boston Police Department is restored to the people who pay the bills and the old Massachusetts principle of home rule is re-established in Boston, and this city placed on a political par with its sister municipalities, it is idle to expect financial efficiency and loyalty to home interests in its administration.

I will thank you to present this matter to the managers of the "New England Week" for their consideration and action, with a view of urging the Legislature to restore the constitutional rights and privileges of Boston. The Police Department expenditure cited above is commercially and industrially injurious to Massachusetts.

We have seen the administration in Washington, on the plea of a spurious economy in the midst of a serious and depressing condition of unemployment, buy the uniform cloth for the United States Marine Corps in England, when American mills in New Hampshire were able and anxious to supply it. We have noted the closing down of Massachusetts shoe factories specializing in shoes for the army, and the industry transferred to the Federal Prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

We have noted the adoption of a law by the Massachusetts Legislature providing that the state printing be taken away from the taxpaying printing employer and given over to the State Prison at Charlestown. Apparently the Republican Party in Washington and Massachusetts is more concerned for the lawless and criminal enemies of society locked up in prisons than it is for the welfare of the free, law-abiding, taxpaying American workers, whose industrial activities insure our progress and prosperity in peace and our protection in war.

If the managers of the "New England Week" can be shown how political meddling has been the cause of much of our industrial depression, if they can be induced to understand that the million

citizens of this community are as intelligent, honest, patriotic and loyal as any of the millions outside of Boston, they will begin to realize the great wrong inflicted on this city by a ceaseless propaganda of political prejudice and misrepresentation and work to bring it to an end. Until this anti-American system is ended Massachusetts and Boston must continue to be harassed and handicapped in the industrial and commercial competition of this age.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

RESIDENTS, PROPERTY OWNERS AND ELEVATED OFFICIALS ARGUE ON REMOVAL OF CAMBRIDGE STREET PORTALS.

With the widening of Cambridge street, the extensive West End improvement, the question what to do with Cambridge street portals which constitute the superstructure that gives access to the subway system have been under discussion.

That question was taken up for a hearing by the State Department of Public Utilities and Transit Department of the City of Boston, sitting jointly at the Public Utilities office at the State House. A report to the Legislature on this question is required of the commission, to be filed by December 15.

Among those who spoke concerning the matter were, first, H. Ware Barnum, general counsel, and Edward Dana, general manager of the Boston Elevated Railway; then William C. Codman, Frederick D. Fisk, John I. Fitzgerald, Caroline A. Thorndike, Joseph Rittenberg and Representative James M. Hunnewell.

The Elevated officials said that the portals should be preserved as a temporary expedient, because the company needs them to get surface cars into and out of the subway.

Some of the speakers wanted them removed on the ground that they are a blind structure in the middle of Cambridge street, constituting a real danger, especially to the children in that vicinity. Other speakers wanted all the surface cars taken off Cambridge street and Charles street and off Cambridge Bridge, and service supplied by means of buses, to be owned and operated by the Elevated.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe and a surface drain of 10-inch, 15-inch, 18-inch, 20-inch earthen pipe and four catch-basins in Stellman road, between Washington street and a point 810 feet easterly, in the West Roxbury district, estimated cost \$11,800.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Newfield street, between Board of Survey street 1706 and Lasell street and in Lasell street, between Newfield and Lagrange streets, in the West Roxbury district, estimated cost \$4,460.

A sanitary sewer of 18-inch earthen pipe and a surface drain of 12-inch, 15-inch and 18-inch earthen pipe in Washington street (southeast side), between Archdale road and Bradcen street in the West Roxbury district, estimated cost, \$8,100.

A 17-foot by 13-foot 9-inch concrete surface water conduit in Stony brook, section 10A, in private land (Brookstone street), between Toll Gate road and Bradcen street, in the West Roxbury district, estimated cost, \$100,000.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 12 the Mayor approved a contract with the Western Electric Company, Inc., for furnishing and installing a public address system at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand on Boston Common. Bid, opened Friday, September 11, was as follows:

Western Electric Company, Inc., \$2,955.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 12 the Mayor approved a contract with J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for grading Harnishof street, from Warren street to Humboldt avenue, and Winton street, from Beech street about 640 feet southwesterly, Roxbury and West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened September 9, were as follows:

J. C. Coleman & Sons Co., \$4,254; J. W. O'Connell, \$4,690; C. Capone, \$5,090; M. De Matteo, \$5,202; J. Williams & Co., \$5,388; M. F. Gaddis, \$6,120; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$6,150; C. Russo, \$7,150; S. J. Tomasello, \$7,720.

Upon September 12 the Mayor approved a contract with Samuel J. Tomasello for granite block pavement in Ramsey street, from Dudley street to Hamlet street, Dorchester. Bids, opened September 8, were as follows:

Samuel J. Tomasello, \$3,151.10; J. J. McCarthy & Co., \$3,305.55; M. H. Loomis, \$3,447.45; M. F. Gaddis, \$3,932.05; H. Nawn Contracting Company, \$3,958.55; C. Capone, \$4,302.70; J. A. Singarella, \$4,842.90.

Upon September 12 the Mayor approved a contract with William L. Miller Company for repairing foundation piling at Chelsea Bridge North. Bids for the work, opened September 10, were as follows:

William L. Miller Company, \$1,508.60; W. H. Ellis & Son Co., \$1,557.70; Rendle Stoddard Construction Company, \$1,762.90; W. A. Norton Company, \$1,812.90; P. A. Colleran, \$2,324.75; W. S. Rendle & Son Company, \$5,507.92.

Upon September 15 the Mayor approved a contract with James J. Conway for sewerage works in Itasca street, from existing sewer 56 feet southwest of Currier street, about 400 feet southwesterly, Dorchester. Bids, opened September 9, were as follows:

C. Russo, \$3,508.50; J. J. Conway, \$3,633; Caponi & Vozzella, \$3,851; De Cristofaro & Brothers Company, \$4,062; J. Williams & Company, \$4,111; M. DeSisto Company, \$4,299; A. D. Dadario, \$4,316; C. Izcozza, \$4,467; S. J. Tomasello, \$4,629.50; L. Balboni, \$4,691.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 12 the Mayor approved a contract with the Alco Contracting Company for erecting and completing intermediate school in the Samuel Adams District. Bids, opened September 5, were as follows:

Item 1. Alco Contracting Co., Inc., \$630,476; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$635,507; A. Piotti Company, \$637,884; Joseph Rugo, \$658,000; McDonald & Imhof, \$673,000.

Item 2. Alco Contracting Co., Inc., \$629,476; Joseph Rugo, \$669,000.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee, upon dates mentioned below, awarded contracts to the following firms for furnishing educational material for the first three grades of the public schools.

Contracts were awarded as follows:

Edward E. Babb & Co., August 2, 1924; Milton Bradley Company, August 10, 1924; J. L. Hammett Company, August 2, 1924; Kenney Brothers & Wolkins, August 10, 1924.

Bids opened Tuesday, July 22, were as follows:

	J. L. Hammett Company.	Milton Bradley.	Kenney Brothers & Wolkins.	Babb.
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*Items 87 to 96, inclusive, and 110 to 119, inclusive; price includes the cost of putting the pictures up insets.

†Bid on furnishing K. B. and W. table cards No. 2, but this notation not made on the auditor's copy.

‡The word "Hammett's" crossed off on auditor's copy.

§This price is an error and intended for each. See letter. (Bid withdrawn.)

|| Lowest bid on satisfactory sample.

¶ Low bid—contract awarded.

‡ All bids rejected. No bid on specifications.

‡ Sample unsatisfactory.

‡ Ideal picture card.

‡ Kibbe drill cards.

‡ Plasticine.

‡ Permoplast.

‡ Hammett blunt steel.

‡ Hammett blunt wooden.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 604.

The attention of the department and especially of division commanders is called to the fact that taxicab drivers are not a privileged class exempt from prosecution for violation of the street traffic rules or violation of the laws relating to the operation of motor vehicles.

It has been brought to my attention that some taxicab drivers believe that they are above the law and even after violating the same have gratuitously insulted officers of this department by making statements as to the uselessness and waste of time in prosecuting them because of their influence in stopping such prosecutions.

Division commanders are hereby notified to instruct all the officers attached to their respective divisions to prosecute without fear or favor all taxicab drivers violating the law, as they or their employers possess no more rights than those possessed by other citizens of this city.

This order and Superintendent's order of November 11, 1922, will be read at the several roll calls on September 16 and 17, 1924.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 605.

For the information of the department, the Police Commissioner hereby states that the annual Dress Parade and Review of the Boston Police Regiment will take place on Monday, October 13, 1924.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 606.

A trial board consisting of Captains Walkins, McDevitt and Mason, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Bernard P. Keough, of Division 7, charging him with neglect of duty, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Bernard P. Keough was on September 12, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on September 12, 1924, to the said Bernard P. Keough.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Upon September 8 the School Committee approved a contract with the Royal Typewriter Company for furnishing typewriters for the public schools. Bids, opened Wednesday, August 6, were as follows:

NAME OF BIDDER.	NUMBER OF MACHINES AND WIDTH OF CARRIAGE.					Total Bid on Furnishing New Machines.	Number of Old Machines Bid on.	Total Allowance for Old Machines.	Net Cost of New Machines.
	494 10-inch.	6 14-inch.	1 16-inch.	2 18-inch.	1 20-inch.				
Remington Typewriter Company ¹	\$70 00	\$87 08	\$91 13	\$105 30	\$125 55	\$35,529 76	496	\$11,860 00	\$23,669 76
Royal Typewriter Company.....	70 00	80 00		90 00	117 50	\$35,357 50	496	19,069 50	\$16,288 00
L. C. Smith & Brothers Typewriter Company ⁷	70 00	82 25				\$35,073 50	487	\$11,695 00	23,378 50
Underwood Typewriter Company.....	70 00	78 75	85 75	92 75	105 00	35,428 75	496	14,580 50	20,848 25
Woodstock Typewriter Company.....	50 00	60 00		80 00	100 00	\$25,320 00	496	10,737 50	\$14,582 50

¹ Bid defective; not deposited with City Auditor.

² Writing line 22 inches.

³ Omitting 16-inch, 18-inch and 20-inch machines.

⁴ 22-inch carriage.

⁵ Writing line 8.1 inches.

⁶ Omitting one 16-inch machine.

⁷ Bid on furnishing machines with decimal tabulators.

⁸ Omitting one 18-inch Underwood No. 57347, one 20-inch Underwood No. 53471 and one 14-inch Underwood No. 225274 and 6 Remingtons Nos. 73212-74431.

CONTRACTS AWARDED WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 16 the Mayor approved a purchase of steel desks and chairs for the Collecting Department. A communication from John H. Mahony, Acting Building Commissioner, was as follows:

Boston, August 12, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—I wish to advise you that there is incorporated in our budget figures for the present year, an item for furnishing steel desks and chairs for the Collection Department, the Budget Commissioner having placed the sum of \$2,500, at our disposal, the same to be paid for by the Water Service for the purchase of this material.

These desks and chairs are of steel construction and similar to equipment already in the City Collector's office. Owing to the fact that we would be obliged to purchase them from a certain firm, it would mean much delay and no saving if we were obliged to advertise same.

Therefore, in consideration of these facts, I respectfully request authority to purchase this furniture in a sum exceeding \$1,000, but less than \$2,000, without the usual form of advertising.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 15 the Mayor approved a contract with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company for power pumps at Calf Pasture. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, September 13, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

It is intended shortly to provide electrical equipment for the four steam turbine driven low duty pumps at the Calf Pasture pumping station, in connection with which we will require Edison Company service at the plant.

Your approval is respectfully requested to the award of a contract to the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston, without inviting bids therefor by public advertisement, for high tension electric service at the Calf Pasture pumping station, under which the Sewer Service of the Public Works Department obligates itself to utilize at least \$25,000 worth of current per year, based on the Edison Company's wholesale power rate for high tension service.

It is necessary that this contract be entered into immediately in order that the Edison Company may build duct lines from Dorchester avenue to the pumping station.

Yours respectfully,

J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 15 the Mayor approved a contract with the Standard Roofing Company for repairs to Wait School.

A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY *Mayor*,
City Hall, Boston, Mass.

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor, under the provisions of chapter 486, section 30, of the Acts of 1909, to awarding a contract without advertising to Standard Roofing Company, 56 Roxbury street, for repairs to roof at the Wait School, the cost of said work to exceed the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars.

The reason for making this request is as follows: We sent the above-named firm to repair roof and they found that the roof had dropped about four inches. In order to do the work properly they would have to put in new timbers and put on a new roof. As this is an emergency job the Board requests the approval of your Honor to the awarding of this contract as stated.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

An addition, amounting to \$400 on contract with W. H. Ellis & Son Company for repairing piers at the North Ferry, on account of substituting plates of boat iron with curved surface 1 inch thick at middle, instead of steel plates. Original contract, \$17,820; total addition, \$400; contract as standing, \$18,220.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$170, on contract with M. DeMatteo for sheet asphalt pavement in John Eliot square and Roxbury street, Roxbury; Brookside avenue, West Roxbury; East Cottage and Pleasant streets, Dorchester, on account of removing old tree stump not shown on plan and grading approaches. Original contract, \$67,899.75; total addition, \$170; contract as standing, \$68,069.75.

An addition, amounting to \$300, on contract with S. J. Tomasello for laying bitulithic pavement in Grove street, West Roxbury, on account of grading the approaches where directed. Original contract, \$57,859; total additions, \$310; contract as standing, \$58,169.

An addition, amounting to \$10,000, on contract with Central Construction Company for laying sheet asphalt pavement in Holton and Perkins streets, on account of regulating and laying sheet asphalt pavement on macadam base in Burroughs street, West Roxbury, from Centre street to Pond street. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$17,827.80; total addition, \$12,000; contract as standing, \$29,827.80.

An addition, amounting to \$442.05, on contract with John B. Dolan for erecting and completing garage at yard of the Public Works Department on Albany street, on account of bricking up door opening E with 12-inch wall; storing the door where directed; bricking up door opening J with 12-inch wall. Original contract, \$152,490; total additions, \$23,222.53; total deductions, \$3,250; contract as standing, \$172,462.53.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$300, on contract with V. Barletta for building Dorchester brook sewer, east fork, Dorchester, on account of relaying 200 feet of 6-inch water pipe in separate trench. Original contract, \$53,860; total addition, \$300; contract as standing, \$54,160.

An addition, amounting to \$500, on contract with M. F. Gaddis for bitulithic pavement and sewerage works in Shawmut avenue, city proper, on account of building one manhole, remodeling nine catch-basins and setting new frames and gates. Original contract, \$205,317.45; total additions, \$9,750; contract as standing, \$215,067.45.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$65, on contract with A. Grande for laying water pipes in Becket, Norwell and Fairview streets, Dorchester, Bayswater street, East Boston, Randolph street, city proper, Bowen street, South Boston, and Leverett street, city proper, on account of cutting in 12 by 10 branch not called for in contract; capping three 4-inch fire pipes; abandoning Deacon meter; relocating four sewer drains; cleaning out gate box, etc. Original contract, \$5,531.50; total addition, \$65; contract as standing, \$5,596.50.

An addition, amounting to \$107.50, on contract with M. DeSisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Alhambra road, Greenfield avenue, Orange street, Roslindale avenue, Washington street, West Roxbury Parkway and Willow street, West Roxbury; Lane park, Orchard road and Penniman road, Brighton, on account of omitting 330 feet of 12-inch pipe and adding 520 feet of 8-inch pipe. Original contract, \$5,555; total additions, \$137.50; contract as standing, \$5,692.50.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

W. S. Rendle & Son Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for repairing fender piers and building pile supports of Northern avenue draw, from October 7, 1924, to November 23, 1924, on account of more old work being removed from the bridge than contemplated and also on account of delay occasioned by water travel.

King and Kingsley have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for wooden screen on Dorchester brook outlet, from September 6, 1924, to September 20, 1924 (14 days), on account of delay in getting pile driver, and by damage caused by storm of September 10, 1924.

MAYOR CURLEY SENDS CONGRATULATIONS.

Mayor Curley addressed the following telegram Saturday, September 13, to State Adjutant John H. Wallace, Department of Massachusetts, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Atlantic City, N. J.

Delighted to receive your telegram. Have wired my congratulations to Brigadier General Dunn. The splendid victory is mutually the highest character of national tribute to our devoted friend as well as to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the City of Boston.

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

STATEMENT OF MAYOR.

(Continued from page 1417.)

In order to show how mistaken the assumption of the Finance Commission is with respect to the firmness of the area over which the filling was to be placed under the Coleman contract, it will be necessary to go into the history of this improvement to some extent.

For many years prior to 1912 certain land, consisting of the dump and flats, lying within the bend of the Strandway, bordering upon Dorchester bay and South Boston and the Calf Pasture, has been a great nuisance to the people of Dorchester and South Boston. The bay had been used extensively for boating and bathing but had become polluted to such an extent by sewerage that it became necessary for the preservation of public health to remove the causes of the nuisance. The subject was considered by the Legislature of 1912 and chapter 133 of the Resolves of that year provided for an investigation and report on the matter.

The investigation was made under this resolve by the State Board of Health and the Directors of the Port of Boston, acting as a joint board, the late Henry P. Wolcott then being chairman of the State Board of Health, and Hugh Bancroft chairman of the Board of Port Directors, and they reported to the Legislature on January 9, 1913. They recommended as the best practical plan for preventing further nuisance the placing of a fill across the head of the bay in front of the foul deposits to the level of 16 feet above mean low water with material excavated from the bay.

In 1914 the Legislature passed an act (chapter 240) authorizing the City of Boston to undertake the work. The estimate of the cost made by the joint board was \$1,250,000 and the area reclaimed was estimated to consist of about 75 acres. The city began to make plans and as a result a contract for the work was let to the New York State Dredging Company on December 7, 1916.

This company employed a hydraulic dredge to suck up the materials from the bottom of the harbor and delivered them by means of pipes onto the area which was to be reclaimed. At the bottom of the harbor which was to be dredged lay the foul deposit referred to in the report of the joint board, consisting to a very large extent of mud and silt mixed with some clay.

A plan prepared by the Public Works Department at the time showed at different points of the bottom of the harbor mud varying in depth from 2 to 15 feet. It was this sort of material which was delivered through pipes onto the area that was reclaimed and this furnished the foundation upon which the materials were to be delivered under the Coleman contract of July, 1922. The New York State Dredging Company could not complete its contract because its dredge was commandeered by the United States Government, and as a result nothing further was done between December of 1918 and July of 1922.

When the work under the Coleman contract was about to begin the surface of the area to be filled was largely covered by mud and water, but after the work was begun it was early discovered that the ground was so soft as to make it clear that the approximate estimates

of the quantities of material required under the contract were grossly insufficient. The Park Commissioners have since learned that load after load of material delivered on the work by the Coleman Company one day would practically disappear the next day under the weight of the fill which was deposited.

Workmen were seen to sink up to their knees in the soft material. Horses have gone down in it so deeply that they were rescued only after great difficulty. Mr. Charles C. Coolidge, in testifying before the Finance Commission, stated that he had been out on the work on several occasions and had become mired several times. Mr. John J. Murphy, engineer for the Park Department, testified before the Finance Commission that the conditions existing when the Coleman contract was begun were extraordinary. He said "we ran into a pond"; "the place was wet, very wet"; "all of that dredged material was soft when it dried out and it is nothing but powder"; "I know very well that we have lost a lot of material that has gone out of sight, sunk"; "I have seen load after load dumped in there and after the truck came off I do not believe that the elevation of the ground changed a particle"; "I have gone in up to my knees over there." (Testimony of August 13, 1924, pages 19-21.)

The soft character of the fill has been shown in other ways. In the fill near the place where the old Vale street sewer crosses the roadway the contractor has now dumped fill for the fourth time. On the first dumping at this point the material was brought up to the grade of the sidewalk. After that, settlement of the soil occurred which has necessitated three more fillings on the same area.

Near this same place a catch-basin was placed in the roadway over the Vale street sewer. Afterwards a settlement occurred on each side which left the catch-basin so high that surface water would not flow into it. The Vale street sewer which runs under the road was built on piles and that portion, consequently, could not sink; but the adjacent filling, not being supported by piles, settled down, bringing the surface of the roadway there down with it. This required the taking out of the concrete slabs in the sidewalks over the line of the sewer and the laying of new concrete slabs in order to make the line of the newly laid concrete connect properly with the adjoining concrete slabs. After this settlement took place two more catch-basins had to be installed, one on each side of the catch-basin which had been installed over the Vale street sewer. The new catch-basins have been located at what has become the low point since the settlement took place.

A striking evidence of the soft character of the materials put in by the New York State Dredging Company is found in the situation existing at the bulkhead. This bulkhead was built under the New York State Dredging Company contract and was purposely built very strong so as to prevent any lateral motion of the fill behind it. On the south side the bulkhead consists of vertical spruce planking driven to hard bottom. About nineteen feet north, batter-piles were placed which were secured by tie-rods to the vertical spruce planking. On the northeasterly line of the bulkhead and extending around the outer point to the

beginning of the spruce planking a riprap wall was built. Into this wall some 5,200 tons of stone were placed. Notwithstanding the strength of this construction a movement of the soil has taken place which caused the stones to slide down. Evidently this was caused by the compression of the soft material underlying the fill put in at the bulkhead by the New York State Dredging Company.

The condition of this riprap wall at the time it was built and its present condition may be compared by examining the photographs here submitted, which were taken at the time of each of the periods.

In the face of such evidence of the soft character of material I cannot comprehend how the Finance Commission can say that there has been practically no settlement of the land filled under the Coleman contract.

There is no doubt whatever in the minds of the members of the Park Commission that a very great amount of filling put in place under the Coleman contract has gone through the bottom below the levels which existed in 1922 and that the quantities of material received on the grounds from the contractor's vehicles have been properly checked up by the inspectors of the Park Department on the work. These inspectors checked up each load at the time of delivery and made a record of it and these records were presented in the form of daily reports to the engineer of the Park Department. The quantities thus recorded were then checked in the ordinary course by the personal observations of the engineer. Then the departmental estimates of quantities delivered were made up on the basis of such records. Upon these estimates payments were made to the contractor. The estimates upon this work were thirteen in number. They have been filed with the City Auditor as they were made up and have been available during the entire course of the progress of the work to the Finance Commission.

The quantities of material allowed are shown on each estimate and the mode of measuring the materials allowing payments therefor were open to such criticism as the Finance Commission has now made from the time when the first estimate, namely, August 23, 1922, was filed at the auditor's office. The Finance Commission could have learned by visiting the office of the Park Commissioners or even by the use of the telephone exactly the mode of procedure with respect to making up the estimates and the allowances for payment at any time during the last two years, but on its own statements it did not begin to do anything on the matter until June, 1924, and it has filed its report on September 16, 1924, a date so near the date of the impending election as to create a suspicion that the motives of the Finance Commission are not wholly unmingled with political considerations.

The Finance Commission find fault because the contract of July, 1922, was amended on August 8, 1924, so as to change the mode of payment based on "measurement in place" of the filling material and loam to measurement of materials in the contractor's vehicles as determined by the Park Engineer, less a deduction of 10 per cent.

The Finance Commission seems to regard this latter mode of measure as unprecedented; but if they had looked just south of the circle of Columbus Park they would have seen an immense quantity of fill in the roadway being constructed by the Metropolitan District Commission of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, which is to be known as the Old Colony Boulevard and a simple inquiry would have revealed the fact that materials delivered on that roadway were to be allowed and paid for upon the basis of the materials as measured in the contractor's vehicles, with no deduction whatever from such measurements for shrinkage, settlement or any other cause.

J. C. Coleman & Sons have a sub-contract for delivering filling on the Old Colony Boulevard (a state job). He is paid for this fill 50 cents a cubic yard but is not required to spread the filling on the work. He is required to spread the fill on the city job at Columbus Park and receives for the fill and the spreading and rolling of the fill combined seventy cents a cubic yard. These extra operations are covered by the extra price of 20 cents a cubic yard so it is evident that the price which Coleman Company receives under the city contract is a fair one.

The work at Columbus Park had not been long in progress when the engineer of the Park Department discovered the impracticability of taking levels from month to month in order to make estimates of the material in place so as to provide for payment to the contractor.

At the same time he was faced with the necessity of preparing some form of estimate as Article eight of the contract required that estimates be prepared and that the contractor be paid each month. This difficulty was reported by him to the members of the Park Commission and after full discussion of the subject it was decided that the only practical way to proceed was to allow payments on the basis of cart measurements less 10 per cent.

That system was followed throughout. From the observation both of the members of the Park Commission and of the engineer it became apparent that there were too many difficulties in the way of taking levels from month to month as the work progressed. The area to be covered was great, approximately eighty acres, the condition of the soil was soft and mucky, rain water covered considerable of the entire area and for these reasons the facilities of approach to the work by the contractor were exceedingly difficult.

Under the actual conditions existing the contractor could not reasonably be required to begin one kind of work at a specified point in the area and complete it before being allowed to begin another kind of work at any other place. Different kinds of work proceeded at different points over the entire area.

The Park Commission, therefore, felt justified in waiving the strict requirements of the contract and in substituting therefor a reasonable and practicable method. Doubtless these same considerations were taken into account by the Metropolitan District Commission when they adopted a plan of measurement of materials and payment therefor for the Old Colony Boulevard work which was substantially similar to the plan

followed in practice by the Park Commissioners of the City of Boston.

When the contractor found that the making of estimates for filling had been suspended, after the estimate of February, 1924, and that temporarily he was not being allowed anything for the filling and loam which he was delivering on the work, he appeared before the Board of Park Commissioners with his counsel and demanded to know what the attitude of the Park Commissioners was to be with respect to payment for the work he was doing.

He stated that he could not continue to do work without receiving payment therefor and made it clear that unless a mode of payment was then and there agreed upon and adopted in a legal manner he would be obliged to discontinue the work and leave the city to its remedy for breach of contract for failure to complete the job.

The Park Commissioners had to make a decision. If they refused the contractor's request that the contract be changed so as to allow for payments of material on the basis of cart measurements determined by our engineer less 10 per cent they would have been obliged to advertise for new bids for the completion of the work and to require either the contractor or the surety company to make good any loss that might result. The Park Commission did not want a lawsuit but wanted to have the work progress. It had no assurance that if new bids were advertised for and an award made the resulting cost might not far exceed the cost incurred under a continuance of the contract with the Coleman Company.

The situation had to be dealt with in a practical way. It was decided by the Park Commission and thereupon voted that the contract should be amended and it was done. The Park Commissioners believe that they were justified under the circumstances. They feel that if the Finance Commission were in charge of this job and had the responsibility for completing it that they would have acted in a similar manner.

The Park Commissioners feel that the report of the Finance Commissioner's engineer, Guy C. Emerson, is very unjust. It is based upon assumptions which the Park Commission believe to be wholly untenable and yet the Finance Commission's report is based practically entirely upon the report of Mr. Emerson. While it is not possible to point out in detail the many errors contained in Mr. Emerson's report, it may suffice to mention some of his errors which illustrate his temperamental defects and his inability to recognize facts where they are in conflict with his prejudices. He has been hostile to this improvement from the beginning.

When the legislative act of 1914 authorizing the work was passed he got the Finance Commission of that day to file a report with the Mayor objecting to the acceptance of the act. When the City Council, notwithstanding this protest, accepted the act and the Public Works Department had drawn up specifications for the work, he got the commission on October 11, 1916, to raise further objections and recommended that the work be delayed until normal conditions in the labor and material market were restored.

During the progress of the work of the New York State Dredging Company he continued to raise objections. He

has never been able to reconcile his idea of duty with the public benefits to be derived from the creation of such a work of beauty and utility as will result from the completion of the Columbus Park improvement.

In discussing the quantity of sand furnished he states that approximately 16,740 cubic yards were put in place instead of 45,459 cubic yards allowed by the Park Department. He then states that the sand came from an excavation of a building in the town of Brookline at the corner of Chapel street and Longwood avenue and that the Coleman Company received from this source a total of 21,000 to 23,500 cubic yards. He concludes that the balance of the 45,459 cubic yards was never delivered on the work. This conclusion is due to his ignorance of the fact that the contractor took from a sand bank at Hogg's Bridge a quantity of sand even greater than that which Mr. Emerson estimates was taken from the Brookline location. This shows the absurdity of his calculations as to the over-payment for sand.

He supports his erroneous conclusion by alleged calculations of the amount of sand in place but he could not have made any proper calculations of the sand on the beach with the data available. If he had based his calculations on the levels taken in 1922 he could not have reached satisfactory results because the movement of tides are such as to displace the sand on the beach from time to time. It is common experience that sand present on a given day may entirely disappear later as the result of a great storm. Therefore it seems bad policy to base mathematical calculations on shifting sands.

In discussing the quantity of cinders received by the contractor from the Edison Company Mr. Emerson quotes Mr. Coleman's testimony to the Finance Commission in which he stated his off-hand opinion "that he hauled from the Edison Company about 300 cubic yards a day." Then Mr. Emerson states that the contract with the Edison Company was for six months and that during that time 47,409 cubic yards of cinders were taken or an average per day "including Sundays and holidays" of 85 5/10 cubic yards.

As a matter of fact if the hauling was for a period of six months including Sundays and holidays, say 183 days, the average number of cubic yards hauled would be 259 instead of 85 5/10 as figured by Mr. Emerson and this erroneous calculation made by him and published in his report has a tendency to shake public confidence in the estimate he has given as to the quantity of filling put in under the contract, this opinion being based largely on his mathematical calculations.

At the hearing before the Finance Commission Mr. Emerson insisted that there was no change in the grade of the roadway from that shown on the original contract plan. Since then he has corrected his error and now admits that there was a change but he confines the locus of the raise in grade to the section running from a point about 250 feet easterly of the circle to a point at the southerly end of the bathhouse. In point of fact it was raised in grade to a point northerly of the bathhouse.

It is also interesting to note how Mr. Emerson and the Finance Commission

adopted the estimates made by Engineer H. W. Rowley as to the amount of material actually in place between levels taken in 1922 and in 1924. This calculation as to filling is 138,000 cubic yards and this the Finance Commission and Mr. Emerson adopt; but although Mr. Emerson appended to his own report the report of H. W. Rowley he does not adopt, nor does the Finance Commission adopt, Mr. Rowley's estimate of the actual quantities which in his opinion were delivered on the ground. That opinion was that the filling actually delivered there was between 237,000 and 258,000 cubic yards and Mr. Emerson on page 33 of his report, adopts the figure of 130,128 cubic yards. If Mr. Rowley's maximum figure of 258,000 cubic yards of filling is compared with the amount of filling allowed under the Park Department estimates it will be seen that they are not far apart. These official estimates allow 260,000 cubic yards of filling or only 2,000 yards more than the maximum quantity estimated by Engineer Rowley to have been delivered on the work.

As an illustration of the divergent opinions that may be arrived at on a job of this sort by engineers it also should be noted that Mr. Emerson allows for loam only 7,168 cubic yards, while Mr. Rowley's report shows that in his opinion the amount actually delivered may have been 60,000 cubic yards. In view of these differences of opinion the Park Commissioners can hardly be blamed for preferring to adopt the records of its own inspectors as made up from day to day

on the basis of measurement of the actual quantities of loam delivered on the work.

Finally, it should be called to your Honor's attention that Mr. Emerson apparently has had fluctuating opinions upon the question of the amount of the settlement in the filling in Columbus Park. Both he and the Finance Commission now declare that practically no settlement has taken place in the years 1922-24; but on page 5 of Mr. Emerson's report he states that the Finance Commission sent a report on November, 1916, to the Mayor in connection with the contract for the New York State Dredging Company, calling attention to the liability of settlement of filling material. This was sent at a time when Mr. Emerson was opposed to the carrying out of the project. He was then fearful that great settlement would take place. He appeared before the Executive Committee of the City Council at about this time in opposition to the project and said that filling of the character put in by the New York State Dredging Company would not furnish a proper foundation for a roadway. He predicted that a great settlement would take place and that it would continue for many years. His prediction has since been verified but he now chooses to take a position directly opposite to that he assumed in 1916.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES B. SHEA,
Chairman, Park Commission.

FINANCE COMMISSION'S REPORT ON COLUMBUS PARK IMPROVEMENT.

The Finance Commission's report of its recent investigation of the contractor's work in improvement of Columbus Park, South Boston, in which it says that its engineer discovered that the city paid \$294,000 for materials which cannot be found in place at the park is in part as follows:

"Bids were opened for this park improvement June 14, 1922," say the commissioners, "the lowest bidder being the John McCourt Company, and a higher bidder being J. C. Coleman & Sons Company. The bids were rejected. New bids were then asked for, and this time the Coleman Company was the lowest bidder, its second bid being \$138,950 lower than its former bid. The contract was awarded to this company.

"The contract provided that all materials furnished, except sand, should be measured, after being put in place, levelled and rolled. The Park Department had not measured the materials as provided in the contract up to the beginning of the investigation by the Finance Commission. The Finance Commission has had the materials measured as provided in the contract. The report shows that the city has paid for materials which cannot be found in place in the park to the extent of \$294,000.

"Subsequent to the beginning of this investigation by the Finance Commission, the Park Department engaged Harry W. Rowley, an independent engineer, to secure the necessary data for computing the amount of material put in the park. On the data obtained by Mr. Rowley, the Finance Commission bases its computation.

"After the investigation by the Finance Commission had begun, the contract between the city and the contractor was amended in an attempt to legalize the overpayments already made to the contractor. This amendment was made after a conference between the Park Commissioners and John A. Sullivan, representing the contractor. The city was not represented by counsel, nor did the Law Department pass upon the amendment. The amended contract was approved by his Honor the Mayor.

"The work under the four items of this contract which are the subject of this report included the building of a road, known as the Beach road, which extends from that part of Columbia road east of the New York, New Haven & Hartford road, about opposite G street; covering the beach to the east of this road with sand; and filling to a certain grade the area to the west of this road with earth, or gravel and loam. The earth or gravel was to be free from organic materials and satisfactory to the engineer. It was estimated that it would take to complete the job 96,000 cubic yards of earth filling, 75,000 cubic yards of loam and 44,000 cubic yards of sand.

"The contract provided that the earth or gravel filling and the loam should be measured after it was put in place, leveled off, and thoroughly compacted by rolling with horse and steam rollers and, in case the material was too dry to be properly rolled, it should be moistened before rolling. Under no terms of the contract that sand furnished was to be measured in the carts or scows

when delivered. Monthly payments were to be made to the contractor for the work on estimates made by the engineer of the Park Department. The work was to be completed by July 1, 1923.

"The contractor was to receive 70 cents per cubic yard for earth and gravel filling, \$1.50 per cubic yard for sand and \$1.90 for loam.

"When the work began the contractor without protest from the Park Department, posted on the premises an invitation to the public to dump refuse material in the park. As a result of this invitation, tin cans, barrels, broken furniture, scrap iron, old automobile tires, old mattresses, bed springs, bed frames and other discarded articles were deposited in the park. All of these items, of course, were contrary to the specifications, but were allowed to remain there by the engineers and inspectors of the Park Department.

"During the first nine months of the contract the city paid the contractor for all the sand estimated in the contract; also for 19,000 cubic yards more than that estimated in the contract for 'filling the roadway' and for 47,000 cubic yards more than that estimated in the contract for earth fillings; yet no steps were taken at that time by the Park Department to measure the amount of materials the contractor had actually put in place in the park, nor had any authority been given to the contractor to exceed his contract in the sum of \$46,200. No statement in writing was ever rendered by the contractor to the Park Department of the amount of material he claimed to have put in place. All payments were made on oral claims of the contractor and on data which the Park Department claimed to have made.

"In July, 1923, the contractor claiming to have exceeded his contract by over \$125,000, the contract was amended and received the approval of the Mayor, authorizing the contractor to furnish 100,000 cubic yards of additional filling, which was 10,000 cubic yards more than double the original estimate; 30,000 cubic yards of additional filling for the roadway, which was five times the original estimate; and 15,000 additional cubic yards of loam, which was an addition of one-fifth of the original estimate. This added \$119,500 to the contract. Nearly one-half of this additional amount had been paid to the contractor without legal authority before the amendment to the contract was made.

"These additions to the contract were made by the Park Department with the approval of the Mayor, although the actual amount of material already furnished had not been measured, as provided in the contract.

"Again, in May, 1924, the contractor claimed to have furnished more material than his contract as amended authorized. The Park Commissioners and the Mayor granted another amendment to the contract, so as to legalize a further payment to the contractor of \$59,100, but, no steps were taken even then to measure as provided in the contract the amount of loam or earth filling that the contractor had already furnished.

"When the chairman of the Park Commission approved a payment to the contractor under this last amendment, the Finance Commission requested the Park Department to furnish it with the measurements of materials in place upon which payment to the contractor had been made under the terms of the contract. The Park Department had made no such measurements and had no figures on which to base payments, but proceeded to have such measurements made by

Harry W. Rowley, an engineer not connected with any department of the city.

"About two months later, July 29, 1924, these measurements were received by the Finance Commission and computed by its consulting engineer, who found that there were actually in place in Columbus Park 130,128 cubic yards of earth and roadway filling (Items 2 and 3 of the contract), instead of 260,000 cubic yards for which the contractor had already been paid; 16,740 cubic yards of sand, instead of 45,459 cubic yards for which the contractor had been paid, and 7,168 cubic yards of loam, instead of 91,500 cubic yards for which the contractor had been paid.

"In addition to the data furnished by Engineer Rowley, the Finance Commission caused test holes to be dug in the loamed area and the actual depth of the loam determined. The report of Engineer Rowley is in substantial agreement with the conclusions of the consulting engineer of the Finance Commission, as above set out, except as to the volume of the loam. As to Engineer Rowley's estimate of the volume of loam which he found, namely, 34,400 cubic yards, he testified that he did not make any borings to find the depth of the loam. He assumed that the specifications had been complied with. He admitted that he could not tell where the loam stopped and where the filling began, because he had not dug any test holes.

"The contract made between the City of Boston and J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for this work contained a provision that the materials, except sand, should be measured after they had been put in place, leveled and rolled. Similar provisions were contained in contracts made in the past. For example, this method of measuring was used when Marine Park was built, almost adjacent to Columbus Park, and quite as large.

"It was the method used in the shore filling all along South Boston, including that under Columbia road. It was the method used when Columbus Park was filled from low-water flats by the New York State Dredging Company in 1916-18, the first work in the present Columbus Park, then known as the Strandway or shore of old harbor. It is the best method of protecting the interests of the city in work of this kind.

"Under the terms of the amendment to the contract granted by the Park Commissioners and approved by his Honor the Mayor, on August 7, 1924, the filling and loam furnished by the contractor are to be measured by the cart or truck load, instead of being measured in place after being levelled and rolled, as provided in the contract.

"The discrepancy between the amount of material that the contractor and the city inspectors said was placed in the park, and the amount that was found there by actual measurement by an engineer selected by the Park Department, is so gross that every opportunity was given the contractor to explain. Accordingly he was requested to furnish the Finance Commission with the sources from which he received the material that he claimed to have placed in Columbus Park.

"The definite sources of supply disclosed to the commission by the contractor were investigated. In every instance the contractor over-stated the amount substantially, in some instances giving twice the quantity that he had

actually received, and in two instances three times the quantity that he had actually received. On the other hand, these sources checked up approximately with the amount that the engineers of the Finance Commission and Engineer Rowley determined by measurements under the provisions of the contract was actually in place in the park.

"As to the explanation given by the contractor why the amount of material that has been paid for by the city cannot be found in the park and concurred in by Commissioners Shea and Lewis of the Park Department, namely, that the ground has settled and cracked and that much of the material was washed away by the rain and disappeared in the cracks, or was used up in the settlement that has taken place in the last two years, it is sufficient answer to say that the levels of the ground taken before the work began two years ago by the engineer of the Park Department, and again last June by an engineer employed by the Park Department, Mr. Rowley, shows practically no settlement, or so little as to be negligible. See, also, Mr. Gow's report, attached hereto.

"Such settlement as there was would not make a difference of 5,000 cubic yards at the most. The contention is absurd upon the face of it. The area upon which filling was actually placed by the contractor measures approximately 422,000 square feet, roughly nine acres. The filling actually put in place on this area, if spread to uniform depth, would raise the area 8 feet and 4 inches. The contractor, however, was paid for enough filling to raise this area 16 feet 8 inches.

"The area on which loam was actually placed is approximately 330,000 square feet, or about seven acres. The loam actually put in place, spread uniformly, would cover this area to a depth of 7 inches. The contractor has been paid for loam enough to cover the same area, if spread uniformly, to a depth of 2 feet 8 inches. To contend seriously that a fill of nine acres would settle 8 feet and 4 inches in two years, or that a fill covered with loam would settle 2 feet and 1 inch in two years is too absurd for consideration."

MAYOR CURLEY PROPOSES RELIEF HOSPITAL FOR HYDE PARK, READVILLE, WEST ROXBURY SECTIONS.

Mayor Curley sent the following communication September 15:

MR. JOSEPH P. MANNING, *President*,
Board of Trustees, Boston City Hospital, Boston, Mass.

DEAR FRIEND,—In connection with the City Hospital future development program, I beg to suggest the advisability of an emergency hospital in the vicinity of Forest Hills that would meet the requirements of the Readville, Hyde Park, Dorchester, West Roxbury, Roslindale and Jamaica Plain sections. If in the opinion of the trustees, after investigation, it is found inadvisable to establish an emergency branch in this section, I trust they will consider locating an ambulance at some convenient point in the vicinity of Forest Hills available for this rapidly growing section of the city.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

MAYOR FELICITATES CAPTAIN DOLLAR.

Mayor Curley addressed the following message of felicitation upon the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Captain Robert Dollar, Dollar Steamship Company, San Francisco, California, and the famous original of the "Cappy Ricks" volumes.

BOSTON, September 11, 1924.

CAPTAIN ROBERT DOLLAR, Dollar Steamship Company, San Francisco, California.

May I assure you the citizens of Boston join with me in hearty congratulations upon the fiftieth anniversary of your marriage. May every happiness this life can offer constantly attend you.

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor of Boston*.

CITY OF BOSTON RESTS IN TELEPHONE CASE, CONTENDING THAT COMPANY NEEDS NO RATE INCREASE.

Suddenly and contrary to appearances as the hearing was going on Tuesday, September 16, the City of Boston rested in its protest before the Public Utilities Commission against the proposed increase in rates on private switchboards.

On Thursday morning the telephone company opened its rebuttal.

There was a long hearing before the commission, but it shifted repeatedly from discussion of the proposed general investigation, and demands for vast additional information from the telephone company to a proposition for a general agreement between counsel and resulted in Corporation Counsel Sullivan's announcing that the City of Boston would rest without offering any of the additional evidence for which it has asked.

Briefly the evidence submitted by the city through Samuel Mildram, was that even if it be true that the telephone company needs more revenue to meet heavy expenses, there will be no need of any increase in the private switchboard rate because the toll rate increase already granted will yield so much more than the company itself has estimated that, with economies, it will take care of all the extra expenses.

Giving this in figures, Mr. Mildram stated that where the company had figured that the extra yield from the new toll rates would amount to \$265,852 the estimate made by the City of Boston show an extra yield of \$649,347. He based this in part upon the assumption that the normal business of the company will grow in 1924 at about as good a rate as it has in the past few years, so that the total number of toll messages for the year will be at least 70,000,000 instead of the 60,000,000 estimated by the company.

If these figures are right, and the city defends them as being based upon the statistics produced by the company itself, then, the city contends, the company will have enough money together with possible economies in operation to meet the deficit it had expected.

As a further issue Mr. Sullivan maintained that all through the hearing the telephone company has refused to submit proof that it really needs any more money, and the burden of proof rests upon the company.

Chairman Attwill of the Commission also took the view that the company should now offer some proof that it needs more money than existing rates will yield.

PREDICTS BOSTON AS ONE OF FUTURE AIRPORT CENTERS OF WORLD IN MESSAGE TO MAYOR CURLEY.

Mayor Curley has received high praise from army and aviation officials for the splendid reception tendered the "Round-the-World" flyers on Saturday, September 6. The following are some of the messages:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor of Boston*, City Hall, Boston, Mass.

DEAR MAYOR CURLEY,—Although I have already tried to tell you in person how splendidly Boston welcomed the World Flight and how deeply grateful everyone connected therewith is to you and to the city, this appreciation is so great that I want to write and try once more to express my own gratitude to you as well as that of the World Flight and the Air Service.

From General Patrick down, every man connected with the flight was overwhelmed with the reception they received at Boston, and the pilots themselves choked up when they tried to express their pleasure and appreciation to me on the morning that they left. Regardless of where else they go, or how royally they are received, Boston was the first, and Boston will always be first in their hearts. I am proud to have been permitted to take part in the program Boston provided and I appreciate your confidence and kindness more than I can tell you.

I cannot think of the celebration without thinking immediately of Mr. O'Connell, and all that he did. Coming directly after the G. A. R. and Elk Conventions he was overburdened with work, but he personally took hold and did more than any single person to make this the most memorable occasion since our boys returned from France. To know him has been an honor, and to work with him a great pleasure.

With renewed assurances of appreciation and regard, I am,

Sincerely yours,

PORTER ADAMS.

Mayor Curley September 15 received the following communication from Major General A. W. Brewster, U. S. A., Commanding the First Corps Area, Army Base, Boston:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor of the City of Boston*, City Hall, Boston, Mass.

MY DEAR MR. CURLEY,—Permit me to extend my hearty thanks for the assistance rendered by yourself and by the City of Boston at the reception of the "Around-the-World" fliers of the U. S. Army Air Service. We of the army feel greatly indebted to the City of Boston for its splendid co-operation on this occasion. Especially do I request that you extend to the members of the police and fire departments of the city my thanks for their co-operation in the protection of the airport during the period of preparation for the arrival of the fliers and during the time they were there.

I am, with great respect,

Yours sincerely,

A. W. BREWSTER,
Major General, U. S. Army.

Mayor Curley received the following communication from Major H. A. Dargue of the Air Service:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor of City of Boston*, Boston, Mass.

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR,—While the arrival of the World Flight is still fresh in our minds, may I be permitted to express my appreciation and thanks for your personal work in connection with this celebration and for the excellent co-operation shown by all departments of the city.

Your interest in the airport is indicative of the fact that in the not far distant future Boston will be one of the aviation centers of the world.

I hope that the harmonious relations established between the commanding officer of the airport and your office during this recent celebration may continue and that you will be able to take a personal interest in the development of the Boston airport in the future as you have done heretofore.

Very sincerely yours,

H. A. DARGUE,
Major, Air Service.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Hallowell street, bounded:

Southwest by taking made by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes in Hallowell street, March 25, 1924, eight feet; northwest by another part of Hallowell street, eighty feet; northeast by the same, eighty feet; and southeast by the same, eighty feet; containing six hundred and forty square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 80 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Hallowell street for a distance of about eighty feet northeasterly from easement taken for sewerage purposes in said street March 25, 1924.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Hallowell street for a distance of about one hundred and twenty feet southwesterly from Newcastle street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond

the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 574, Sewerage Works, Hallowell street, Dorchester, August 7, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Anthony Ashmanky.....	\$25 00
2. Anthony Ashmanky.....	25 00
3. John Neville.....	25 00
4. John Neville.....	25 00
5. William Roberge.....	25 00
6. William Roberge.....	25 00
7. Moody Land Trust, Henry S. Moody, trustee.....	25 00
8. Moody Land Trust, Henry S. Moody, trustee.....	25 00
9. Mary E. Webster.....	25 00
10. Mary E. Webster.....	25 00
11. Mary E. Webster.....	25 00
12. Mary E. Webster.....	25 00
	\$300 00

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

M. De Sisto Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipe in Alhambra road, Granfield avenue, Orange street, Roslindale avenue, Washington street, West Roxbury, also Lane park, Orchard road and Penniman road, Brighton. Items ordered: Removing old post hydrant and plugging branch, searching for buried gate, setting piles and platform to support post hydrant on ash fill. Estimated cost of extra work, \$30.

King and Kingsley have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for wooden screen on Dorchester brook outlet. Items ordered: Secure down-stream pile cap with 1-inch lag bolts; place additional wooden braces. Estimated cost of extra work, \$50.

Antony Cefalo has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works in Wright road, between Upland street and North avenue, West Roxbury. Items ordered: Remove 675 feet of abandoned 12-inch galvanized-iron water pipe found in sewer trench and not shown on plans, at agreed price of 25 cents per linear foot. Estimated cost of extra work, \$168.75.

M. DeSisto Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Branch street, Medway street, Dorchester; Atlantic street, Church street, Goodway road, Moody street, Pierpont road, Weld street, West Roxbury; Larch street, Perle street, Perthshire road and Bedford street, Brighton. Items ordered: Removal and relocation of house drain. Estimated cost of extra work, \$10.

Anthony Baruffaldi Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for furnishing and laying 30-inch steel pipe and laying 30-inch and 24-inch cast-iron pipe in Massachusetts avenue. Items ordered: Install 24-inch cap on old 24-inch water pipe; remove and relocate 6-inch and 10-inch water pipe out of line of new work; help Water Service employees cut out and remove old 24-inch water pipe under tracks of Boston Elevated Railroad, etc. Estimated cost of extra work, \$990.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 11 TO SEPTEMBER 17.

SEPTEMBER 11.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Anthony Orlando.....	24-30 Pope street.....	1	First-class garage.....	\$7,000
Margaret A. Rogers.....	7 Pine street.....	4	First-class garage.....	1,500
Henry C. Lemire.....	270 Beech street.....	23	Second-class dwelling.....	7,000
John T. Scully.....	Rear of 43 Elmira street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,000
John T. Scully.....	Rear of 47 Elmira street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,000
John T. Scully.....	Rear of 51 Elmira street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,000
John T. Scully.....	Rear of 84 Glencoe street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	500
John T. Scully.....	Rear of 88 Glencoe street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	500
John T. Scully.....	Rear of 92 Glencoe street, No. 1.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,000
John T. Scully.....	Rear of 92 Glencoe street, No. 2.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,500
John T. Scully.....	95 Etna street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,000
John T. Scully.....	Rear of 99 Etna street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	500
John T. Scully.....	Rear of 103 Etna street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	500
Mrs. Lena Ferrarone.....	52 Lochstead avenue.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Paul Epstein.....	218 Foster street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
Arthur M. Young.....	19 Poydras street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	3,700
Antony Carmata.....	559 Adams street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Rosie Marco.....	158 Adams street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
I. Sumner Lindsey.....	208 H street.....	10	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
D. DeStefano.....	226 and 228 Hanover street.....	5	Alterations, store and tenements.....	1,200
Annie E. Way.....	3 and 5 Copeland place.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	600
Myer Dana.....	1257-1267 River street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling and stores.....	800
Geoffrey R. Brackett.....	234-238 Huntington avenue.....	7	Alterations, bank and offices.....	2,000
Daniel Carroll et al.....	330 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	Alterations, stores and offices.....	1,800
Sophie Gateman.....	Rear of 1180 Tremont street.....	13	Alterations, stores and tenements.....	2,800
Paine Furniture Company.....	81 Arlington street.....	8	Alterations, two elevators.....	4,000
Old Colony Trust Company.....	17 Court street.....	5	Install three elevators.....	45,500
Hotel Hamilton.....	260 Clarendon street.....	7	Install elevator.....	7,500
The Huntington Company.....	263 Huntington avenue.....	7	Erect Marquise.....	500

SEPTEMBER 12.

Charles Urban.....	Rear 17 Stellman road.....	23	First-class garage.....	\$1,200
Adolf Bahr.....	Rear 108 Southern avenue.....	21	First-class garage.....	900
Mrs. Thomas McKenna.....	36 Barry street.....	18	First-class garage.....	2,000
Hattie Olein.....	Rear 19 Duke street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,500
The Texas Company.....	670 Huntington avenue.....	14	Second-class gas station.....	2,000
Harry Dinner.....	81 Walnut park.....	15	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
D. G. Dargon.....	Rear 445 Washington street.....	26	Special garage.....	400
John Glennon.....	Rear 52 Brook road.....	22	Special garage.....	400
Robert A. Southworth.....	Rear 14 Midland street.....	17	Special garage.....	430
J. Polk Tool and Stamping Company.....	Rear 81 Freeport street.....	17	Special storage.....	500
Henrietta J. Parker.....	Rear 9 Cushing Hill road.....	20	Special garage.....	400
John F. Gorman.....	Rear 27 Vinson street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
John J. Galvin.....	Rear 41 Newhall street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
Mary E. Farron.....	Rear 22 Blanche street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
M. M. Braft.....	37 Bayswater street.....	1	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
Rena J. Fuller.....	141 Arlington street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
Edward L. Crosby.....	36 Milton street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Dora M. Hannon.....	8 Burr street.....	22	Third-class garage.....	500
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.....	8 and 10 Woodward Park street.....	17	Alterations, church.....	1,500
E. S. Welch.....	35 Court street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	4,000
S. B. Condit.....	124 Chestnut street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Mrs. A. P. Lowell.....	64 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	9,500
Mrs. Forilla P. Jones.....	68 St. Stephen street.....	7	Alterations, lodging.....	150
R. E. Townsend.....	187 and 189 Beacon street.....	8	Erect fire escape.....	150
Mrs. Henry P. Flood.....	712 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Erect fire escape.....	125
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	18 Cambridge street.....	26	Take-down, boiler house.....	200
William G. Greene Sons Company.....	Rear 32 Leon street.....	7	Take-down, stable.....	20
William G. Greene Sons Company.....	Rear 32 Leon street.....	7	Take-down, dwelling.....	30

SEPTEMBER 13.

Mary A. McGovern.....	85 Cedar street.....	15	First-class garage.....	\$2,000
Charles Bracken.....	Rear of Lindsey street.....	19	Second-class garage.....	600
William H. Leonard.....	Rear of 76 Hamilton street.....	18	Second-class garage.....	1,500
T. J. Kearney.....	76 O street.....	9	Second-class store.....	2,000
Mrs. Margaret Lambert.....	40 Halifax street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Mary A. Crowley.....	472 Washington street.....	25	Third-class gas station.....	700
Lavinia Sexton.....	9 Nut street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
William H. Hardy.....	38 Rosemont road, south-west.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
William H. Hardy.....	42 Rosemont road, south-west.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
William H. Hardy.....	46 Rosemont road, south-west.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	14,000
Theresa Violanti.....	575 River street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
P. F. Folan.....	68 West Milton street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
Margaret C. Morrissey.....	269 Faneuil street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	6,800
James T. Wetherald.....	110 Newbury street.....	8	Alterations, offices and dwelling.....	500
Childrens Hospital.....	320 Longwood avenue.....	14	Alterations, dwelling.....	900
Childrens Hospital.....	322 Longwood avenue.....	14	Alterations, dwelling.....	900
Childrens Hospital.....	324 Longwood avenue.....	14	Alterations, dwelling.....	900
Carrie Porter.....	175 Savannah avenue.....	24	Alterations, dwelling and store.....	300
R. C. Bush.....	268 Fairmount avenue.....	24	Alterations, garage.....	250
Marlboro Chambers Co.....	409 Marlboro street.....	8	Install elevator.....	4,000
Georgian Cafeteria.....	19 Kingston street.....	5	Install dumb waiter.....	650
H. Callahan.....	4165 Washington street.....	23	Take-down real estate office.....	50
(McLutchy) J. J. Williams, Inc.....	4192 Washington street.....	23	Take-down gas station.....	50
T. H. Glynn.....	Rear of 42 Blanford road.....	25	Take-down garage.....	50

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Conway, Concannon Company, 311 Atlantic avenue, Ward 5, acetylene and oxygen.

Joseph V. Tracy, 25 Arlington street, Ward 26, 5,000 gallons fuel oil.

Martin J. Hanley, 42 Moore street, Ward 9, 20,000 gallons fuel oil additional.

Mt. Bowdoin Fuel Company, 61-71 Norwell street, Ward 19, 500 gallons gasoline.

Snider & Druker, 15 Kneeland street, Ward 6, 5,000 gallons fuel oil.

German-American Singing Society, 367 East Eighth street, Ward 10, four units, four cars.

Esther Kostuck, 428 East Third street, Ward 9, four units, four cars.

Bridget Clasby, 26 Brook avenue, Ward 12, four units, four cars.

Albright Realty Trust, 14 Linden street, Ward 25, business garage, 500 gallons gasoline.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Evergreen street, Ward 14, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Round Hill street, Ward 14, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, P street, Ward 10, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Selden street, Ward 21, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Minden street, Wards 14 and 15, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Morris street, Ward 2, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Tuttle street, Ward 17, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Cedar street, Ward 15, erect two poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Sunset street, Ward 14, erect two poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Houghton street, Ward 20, erect six poles.

Patrick Manley, 186 Rutherford avenue, Ward 3, repair shop and three-car garage.

Benjamin Visnick, 231 and 233 Oakland street, Ward 24, four units, four cars.

Emma Sampson, 303 Freeport street, Ward 20, group garage, four units, four cars.

Louis Berman, 51 Johnston road, Ward 21, four cars.

Joseph M. Isenberg et al., 50 and 52 Gainsborough street, Ward 7, four cars.

Stanley Harlow, Inc., 340 Main street, Ward 3, addition to service station and repair shop.

Francis B. Boyle, 465 Talbot avenue, Ward 20, 1,000 gallons additional gasoline.

Brighton Square Garage, 280 Washington street, Ward 25, 1,000 gallons additional gasoline.

Donald I. Petts, 242 Faneuil street, Ward 26, 2,000 gallons gasoline.

Frank E. Cheney, 40 Warren Bridge, Ward 4, acetylene.

Sargent & Ham Company, 28 Scotia street, Ward 7, acetylene and oxygen.

Harry J. Goldberg, 100 Brighton avenue, Ward 25, oxygen.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Argyle street, Ward 20, erect one pole, remove one.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Walnut street, Ward 20, erect one pole, remove one.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Orleans street, Ward 2, erect one pole, remove one.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Lenox street, Ward 13, erect one pole, remove one.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Millet street, Ward 19, erect one pole, remove one.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Myrtlebank avenue, bounded:

South by Milton street, ten and 40-100 feet; west by another part of Myrtlebank avenue, three and 7-100 feet; again west by the same, one hundred thirty-six and 14-100 feet; north by the same, eight feet; and east by the same, one hundred thirty eight and 8-100 feet; containing eleven hundred and seven square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Milton street, bounded:

North by Myrtlebank avenue, ten and 40-100 feet; east by another part of Milton street, one and 92-100 feet; again east by the same, twenty-four and 13-100 feet; south by easement taken for sewerage purposes by the City of Boston in Milton street July 10, 1907, twelve and 80-100 feet; and west by another part of Milton street, twenty-seven and 20-100 feet; containing two hundred and fifteen square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 150 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Myrtlebank avenue for a distance of about one hundred and forty feet northerly from Milton street and part of the private way known as Milton street, adjoining Myrtlebank avenue.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lot of abutting land on the easterly

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 11 TO SEPTEMBER 17.

SEPTEMBER 15.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Wacklow G. Kolaitis.	Rear of 165 I street.	10	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Joseph Plekanicius.	Rear of 445 and 447 East Eighth street.	10	First-class garage.	950
Fanny Clayton.	5-15 Madison court.	7	First-class garage.	100,000
Mary Clark.	Rear of 15 Bradbury street.	26	First-class garage.	1,000
L. M. McDonald.	Rear of 97-101 Porter street.	2	Second-class stalls.	2,000
Martin H. Spellman.	9 Farquhar street.	23	Second-class garage.	1,000
Annie Walsh.	Rear of 50 Blanford road.	25	Second-class garage.	1,000
Mildred Haines.	Rear of 28 Radford lane.	20	Third-class garage.	600
J. J. McCusker.	Rear of 9 Germaine street.	22	Third-class garage.	600
Adeli Esty.	Rear of 56 Lyndhurst street.	19	Third-class garage.	400
David Swartz.	282-294 Hyde Park avenue.	22	Third-class garage.	400
David Swartz.	282-294 Hyde Park avenue.	22	Third-class garage.	600
Annie L. Chase.	40 Stockton street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Frank L. Churchill.	40 Rockwell street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	8,800
Sarah Cohen.	1 Page street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Annie L. Wyman.	320 Washington street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	250
Annie L. Wyman.	322 Washington street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	250
G. DeLucia.	14 Mercer street.	10	Alterations, dwelling.	7,000
Frank Sawyer.	4 and 6 St. Botolph street.	7	Alterations, office.	2,000
Sarah Freedman.	18 Devon street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
George Baker.	5 Cherry road.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Ralph B. and Carrie A. Bryan.	21 and 23 Greenview avenue.	22	Alterations, dwelling.	50
Samuel Silverburg.	89 Causeway street.	5	Alterations, lofts and stores.	2,000
William Shea.	133 Charles street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	2,800
Martha G. Hiltz.	11 Fenno terrace.	25	Alterations, dwelling.	2,500
J. Isenberg.	322-328 Massachusetts ave.	7	Alterations, stores and offices.	600
Carl J. Bergquist.	101 Florence street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	100

SEPTEMBER 16.

Margaret Young.	Rear of 48 Crescent circuit.	25	First-class garage.	\$800
Mary J. McCarthy.	Rear of 8 Highland Park ave.	15	First-class garage.	1,000
Pasquale A. Costanza.	73 Everett street.	2	First-class garage.	6,000
E. J. McCarthy.	Rear of 59 Sawyer avenue.	17	Special garage.	190
Margaret C. Cook.	123 Bennett street.	26	Third-class garage.	500
Mary B. McPherson.	48 Cedar Grove street.	20	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Ada L. Trethewey.	96 Ardale street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Dr. G. H. Binney.	9 Byron street.	8	Alterations, studio.	300
Carlo Carino.	15 Snow street.	25	Alterations, dwelling.	100
A. W. Perry, lessee.	453-463 Washington street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	15,000
Michael Lynch.	20 Sackville street.	3	Alterations, dwelling.	750
Filippo Calli.	227 Border street.	2	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
Lillian Marden.	24 Shrimpton street.	2	Alterations, dwelling.	400
Simon Ducette et al.	221 Lexington street.	1	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Dora G. Barnett, administratrix.	2 Alther street.	12	Alterations, dwelling.	300
American Mutual Liability Insurance Company.	197-215 Columbus avenue.	7	Alterations, stores and offices.	5,000

SEPTEMBER 17.

Rose Sneider.	Rear of 37 Dewey street.	17	First-class garage.	\$3,000
Joseph List.	Rear of 146 Cedar street.	15	First-class garage.	3,000
Francis G. Powell.	64 Pleasant street.	17	Second-class garage.	1,000
Ellen O'Leary.	Rear of 22 Parsons street.	26	Second-class garage.	1,500
Joseph J. McCarthy.	Rear of 57 Spring Park ave.	22	Special garage.	500
Martha Markle.	689 Metropolitan avenue.	24	Third-class garage.	300
Caroline F. Dacey.	Rear of 18 Landseer street.	23	Third-class garage.	400
Patrick J. Curley.	Rear of 48 Nonantum street.	25	Third-class garage.	400
Mrs. Mary Fennessy.	Rear of 635 Walk Hill street.	24	Third-class garage.	397
B. Atlas.	99 Deering road.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Kenneth J. Matheson.	71 Guernsey street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	7,000
Annie Kenney.	14 Harmon street.	24	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Michael T. Ward.	15 Iroquois street.	14	Third-class dwelling.	9,000
E. E. Russell.	103 West Dedham street.	6	Alterations, dwelling.	500
Whistle Company of New England.	Rear of 1476 Tremont street.	14	Alterations, garage and storage.	1,700
Frank Capiabanco.	1066 Hyde Park avenue.	24	Alterations, dwelling.	700
J. S. Waterman & Sons.	497 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Alterations, undertakers' rooms.	5,500
M. J. Hamilburg.	259 Tremont street.	8	Alterations, stores and dining rooms.	2,000
F. R. Hubbard.	20 Pinehurst street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Jacob Rutansky.	11 Leverett street.	5	Erect fire escape.	500
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital.	721 Huntington avenue.	14	Erect builder's hoist.	250
Estate of John Foster.	83 Wendall street.	5	Install elevator.	2,500
R. R. McNutt Corporation.	128 Bowdoin street.	5	Take down, dwelling.	750
R. R. McNutt Corporation.	130 Bowdoin street.	5	Take down, dwelling.	750
R. R. McNutt Corporation.	22 Ashburton place.	5	Take down, dwelling.	750

side of Myrtlebank avenue, now or formerly owned by Everett E. Chandler and containing approximately 3,608 square feet and the lot of abutting land on the westerly side of Myrtlebank avenue, now or formerly owned by Irene Fogel, and containing approximately 3,629 square feet, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 573, Sewerage Works, Myrtlebank Avenue, Dorchester, August 6, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief

Engineer, Street Laying-out Department" and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Everett E. Chandler.	\$75 00
2. Irene Fogel.	75 00
Total.	\$150 00

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 18-inch earthen pipe in private land between Bradeen street and Stellman road in the West Roxbury district, estimated cost, \$3,400.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 11 TO SEPTEMBER 17.

SEPTEMBER 11.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Wilford H. Gray	54 Myrtlebank avenue	20	New fixtures	\$925
Otis C. Walls	25 Laurel street	16	New fixtures	400
Kelley & Gaffey	19-23 Elm street	5	New fixtures	500
John F. McGloan	23 Brimmer street	8	New fixtures	100
L. W. Polit	137 Blue Hill avenue	16	New fixtures	850
Charles Lang	4 Alarie street	23	New fixtures	860
Abraham Kellem	3201 Washington street	22	New fixtures	150
J. H. Unsworth	294 Poplar street	23	New fixtures	156

SEPTEMBER 12.

H. Weiss	125 Woodrow avenue	21	New fixtures	\$1,800
D. W. Ross	15 Walton street	21	New fixtures	600
James J. McCarthy	70 Wait street	14	New fixtures	150
George W. Rigby	299 West Second street	9	New fixtures	100
H. Weiss	5 Verrill street	23	New fixtures	1,050
P. F. Russo	54 Sunnyside avenue	23	New fixtures	250
Harry Kinsberg	9 Schuyler street	16	New fixtures	350
John J. McCarthy	1873 River street	24	New fixtures	250
Pagington Bros	13 Mt. Pleasant street	24	New fixtures	380
B. A. MacDonald	21 Manning street	24	New fixtures	500
John F. Rooney	1128 Hyde Park avenue	24	New fixtures	300
John F. Rooney	1127 Hyde Park avenue	24	New fixtures	575
P. M. Donoghue	910 Huntington avenue	14	New fixtures	1,100
Pierce & Cox	721 Huntington avenue	14	New fixtures	7,000
D. M. Goldstein	31 Bothwell road	26	New fixtures	750
John J. Hogan	617 East Broadway	10	New fixtures	25
W. J. Cook	219 Bolton street	9	New fixtures	125
Andrew J. Callahan	8 Noyes street	5	New fixtures	300
John A. Powers	577 East Second street	9	New fixtures	300
W. J. Cook	4 Wright's court	9	New fixtures	150
L. R. Freedman	46 A street	9	New fixtures	350

SEPTEMBER 13.

D. M. Goldstein	74 Mora street	21	New fixtures	\$1,050
E. J. McGrath	6 Mapleton street	26	New fixtures	1,050
Max H. Cohen	27 Leston street	21	New fixtures	2,200
H. F. Bimbidel	91 Landseer street	23	New fixtures	750
Charles Green	144 Lamartine street	15	New fixtures	750
William J. Nason	104 Harrishoff street	16	New fixtures	500
Charles King	5 Gloucester street	8	New fixtures	600
Maurice Low	14 Crawford street	16	New fixtures	4,000
James A. Dickerson	1556 Commonwealth ave	25	New fixtures	200
David Weinstein	82 Canterbury street	21	New fixtures	3,000
Max H. Cohen	1317 Blue Hill avenue	21	New fixtures	200
F. D. Carr	76 Bay State road	8	New fixtures	1,000

SEPTEMBER 15.

Austin Arey	684 East Fifth street	10	New fixtures	\$150
Arthur Stein	289 Belgrade avenue	23	New fixtures	1,100
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M. F. Kargir	57 Franklin street	26	New fixtures	75
F. B. Connor	860 LaGrange street	23	New fixtures	1,660
A. Yorks	83 London street	2	New fixtures	500
Edward H. Marchant	242 Huntington avenue	7	New fixtures	500
D. N. Palmer	512 Commonwealth avenue	8	New fixtures	100
Daniel E. Walsh	6 and 8 Carver street	8	New fixtures	225
William E. Maynard	112 West Concord street	6	New fixtures	200
John C. Patterson	202 Lexington street	1	New fixtures	150
John C. Patterson	221 Lexington street	1	New fixtures	250

SEPTEMBER 16.

H. S. Trethewey	143 Willow street	23	New fixtures	\$775
Joseph H. McCarthy	103 Wheatland avenue	19	New fixtures	600
Jacob Pylvin	70 Wayland street	17	New fixtures	1,200
John J. Vogel	218 Stratford street	23	New fixtures	575
H. S. Trethewey	84 Selwyn street	23	New fixtures	750
John J. Vogel	43 Potomac street	23	New fixtures	590
Edward C. Kelley	43 Potomac street	11	New fixtures	357
G. M. Duggan	70 Locust street	20	New fixtures	400
John J. Vogel	10 Lenoxdale avenue	23	New fixtures	570
John J. Vogel	58 Landseer street	23	New fixtures	570
John J. Vogel	548 LaGrange street	11	New fixtures	130
M. H. Myers	1031A Dorchester avenue	23	New fixtures	570
John J. Vogel	215 Park street	25	New fixtures	450
Edward Bevelander	6 Imrie road			

SEPTEMBER 17.

Benjamin Port	90 Revere street	8	New fixtures	\$900
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D. M. Goldstein	23 Bothwell road	26	New fixtures	750
John L. Kennedy	226 Westville street	18	New fixtures	200
Matto & Rosen	1981 Washington street	12	New fixtures	350
Vincent B. Buckley	32 Walnut street	20	New fixtures	200
Joseph Levin	Rear of 19 Troy street	6	New fixtures	350
John E. Stanley	252-272 Tremont street	5	New fixtures	67,000
William F. Joyce	169 Train street	20	New fixtures	600
Frank C. Goldberg	20 Pasadena road	19	New fixtures	150
S. A. Politsky	38 Lawrence avenue	19	New fixtures	260
B. F. Donohue	116 Hudson street	5	New fixtures	125
B. A. MacDonald	68 Dale street	23	New fixtures	500
Harry Kingsberg	134 Emerson street	9	New fixtures	60
Samuel Adams	3 Sayward place	11	New fixtures	180
Samuel Adams	5 Sayward place	11	New fixtures	180

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following-described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Lenoxdale avenue, bounded:

North by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes December 2, 1915, and by another part of Lenoxdale avenue, eight feet; east by another part of Lenoxdale avenue, one hundred and fifty feet; south by the same, eight feet; and west by the same, one hundred and fifty feet, containing twelve hundred square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 145 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above-described premises, being part of the private way known as Lenoxdale avenue, between Milton street and Marsh street.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Lenoxdale avenue, beginning at a point about three hundred feet south of Marsh street, and thence running southerly for a distance of about one hundred and sixty-five feet, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 576, Sewerage Works, Lenoxdale Avenue, Dorchester, August 13, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
2. Samuel J. Sigel	\$60 00
3. Daniel M. Ryan, City of Boston, T. T.	60 00
4. Elizabeth A. Clark	60 00
5. Julia A. Lyons	60 00
7. Kostos Karalikas	60 00
8. Kostos Karalikas	60 00
9. William Clark	60 00
10. William J. P. Rohan	75 00
	<u>\$495 00</u>

TO ATTEND CONVENTION.

Dr. William J. McNally, medical examiner, has been detailed to attend the third annual convention of the National Association of Police and Fire Surgeons and Medical Directors of Civil Service Commissions, at New York City, on October 8, 9 and 10, at an expense of approximately \$100.

MAYOR CURLEY SENDS CONDOLENCES TO WIDOW OF FORMER GOVERNOR DOUGLAS.

Mayor Curley addressed a letter of sympathy to Mrs. Douglas, widow of Hon. William L. Douglas, former Governor of Massachusetts, 63 Hillside road, Brookline:

MRS. WILLIAM L. DOUGLAS, 63 Hillside Road, Brookline, Mass.

DEAR MRS. DOUGLAS,—The passing of your beloved husband marks the close of the life of one of Massachusetts' first citizens and who gave to our state, as well as to the community in which he resided, a life of devoted and inspiring service, ever marked by the highest honor, character and integrity.

In adherence to the finest principles, singular devotion, untiring industry and wonderful personal attributes, he rose from the most humble surroundings to be Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

I can but feel, in this sad hour, that no life has closed in New England during the present generation that will stand as a greater incentive to those of the same humble position which he formerly occupied, in the securing of life's best estate. I shall ever remember Governor Douglas as a gentleman of delightful presence, sincere in his devotion to his friends, untiring in the providing of quiet, unostentatious charity which relieved the burden of hundreds of persons resting within the shadow of adversity, and whose good and timely advice has splendidly served a multitude of those embraced within the bounds of his friendship.

The State of Massachusetts is indeed poorer by his loss.

May the infinite mercy of Divine Providence attend you at this time.

Sincerely,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

MAYOR REJOICES AT GENERAL DUNN'S ELECTION.

Mayor Curley addressed the following telegram Saturday, September 13, to Brigadier General John H. Dunn, National Commander-in-Chief, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Atlantic City, N. J.

Kindly accept my hearty congratulation on your splendid triumph. Your election as National Commander-in-Chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars is both a splendid and deserving tribute in honor of your long and distinguished military service and from as fine a body of soldiers as the world has known.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

James J. Crowley, 397 Ashmont street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$300, as compensation for damage to property at 397 Ashmont street, caused by sewer overflow, July 16, 1921.

Mrs. Margaret Thornton, 660 Saratoga street, East Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by slipping on oil on crosswalk at Curtis and Saratoga streets, June 10, 1924.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

GARAGE SUPERINTENDENT, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, SEPTEMBER 25, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year. Applicants must be not less than 30 nor more than 55 years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Applicants should have experience in motor vehicle storage, transportation and repairs, and should be physically capable of working continuously for long periods of time. The superintendent will have charge of the garage which will house, ultimately, 120 touring cars, trucks, street sweepers and flushing trucks for various services of the Public Works Department, and will have a labor force of approximately thirty men. Spare parts for the machines will be kept in a stock room and properly requisitioned and charged to individual cars. Gasoline and oil will be issued in measured quantities and properly recorded against each vehicle. A small repair department will be established within the garage for minor repairs only, in subcharge of a man skilled in the work and reporting directly to the superintendent. Major repairs will be made by outside concerns, and it will be within the province of the superintendent to decide whether a car should be repaired in the garage or taken outside and to determine the probable cost of the latter repairs.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ELECTRICAL DRAFTSMAN, SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT, SEPTEMBER 25, 1924.

The salary is \$2,080 per year.

Applicants should have a general knowledge of building construction on first, second, and third class buildings, be able to draw and lay out electrical plans and to read building plans, have a working knowledge of electricity, both on low tension (bells, clocks, telephones and fire alarm) and on light and power circuits, a knowledge of the rules governing electrical installations as issued by the Boston Board of Fire Underwriters and the Fire Department, Wire Division, of the City of Boston, and sufficient information, both electrical and educational, to write out specifications for electrical work of various kinds in an intelligent manner.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain

at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR AND BACTERIOLOGIST, BACTERIOLOGICAL LABORATORY, HEALTH DEPARTMENT, SEPTEMBER 26, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 per year.

Applicants must be graduates of a recognized medical school. It is desirable that applicants have a knowledge of French, German and Italian. They should have a thorough knowledge of the principles of bacteriology, immunity, vaccine, and serum therapy, and should possess experience in the diagnosis and study of the pathogenic bacteria in the preparation of vaccines, serums and antitoxins.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

OPHTHALMOLOGIST, HEALTH DEPARTMENT, SEPTEMBER 26, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$2,000 per year.

Applicants must be registered physicians. They should have special experience in the determination of refractive errors or other abnormal visual conditions in children and in methods to correct the same.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ZONING INSPECTOR, BUILDING DEPARTMENT, SEPTEMBER 26, 1924.

The salary is \$2,000 per year.

The duties of the position are: To report to the Building Commissioner all violations of chapter 488, Acts of 1924, "The Zoning Law"; to verify applications for permits to build, alter or enlarge a building with regard to the zoning law; to visit the premises and verify the areas, set-backs, and districts wherein the proposed buildings are to be erected; any other duties that the Building Commissioner may deem necessary for the enforcement of the zoning laws.

Applicants should have a knowledge of the zoning law, of the different classifications of buildings in the building law, and of reading plans. They should have a sufficient knowledge of surveying to check up lot lines from plans, etc., at

the premises of the appellant, and they should know how to measure and check up areas.

The subjects of examinations with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

HEAD DIETITIAN, DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL DISEASES, BOSTON PSYCHOPATHIC HOSPITAL, OCTOBER 8, 1924.

Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$1,200 per year and maintenance. The duties of this position are to have entire charge of the kitchen and all the employees there, prepare menus, order supplies, etc. Applicants should have a knowledge of food and its relation to the human body, preparation of food, nutrition in disease, and special diets for various diseases.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKER, DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL DISEASES, OCTOBER 8, 1924.

Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.

There is one vacancy at the Boston Psychopathic Hospital at a salary of \$960 per year and maintenance and one vacancy at the Danvers State Hospital at a salary of \$960 per year and maintenance.

The duties of this position are the supervision of treatment cases (syphilis treatment clinic), handling of social problems, and follow-up and research work. Applicants should be graduates of a school of social work of recognized standing, or be graduates from a college of recognized standing, specializing on the study of economics and sociology and allied subjects.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ASSISTANT BACTERIOLOGIST, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, OCTOBER 9, 1924.

Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$1,560 per year. It is desirable that applicants have had practical experience in a diagnostic laboratory doing public health work. The duties of this position are to assist in the examination of specimens for diphtheria bacilli, tubercle and typhoid bacilli, meningococci, hemolytic streptococci and gonococci; to make special media for the isolation of the typhoid bacillus and to make pneumococcus type determination.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; laboratory tests, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and in the laboratory test, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

JUNIOR ACCOUNTANT, DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS AND TAXATION, OCTOBER 9, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$1,800 per year.

The duties of this position are the audit or verification of business corporation tax returns. These returns may be partially verified in the statements of the return itself and comparison with previous returns, and other data possessed by the department. Further verification by comparison with the corporation books and papers and audit of the books of the corporation must usually be done at the office of the taxpayer. A general knowledge of the law relating to business corporations is desirable. An accurate knowledge and understanding of the tax laws relating thereto is also desirable, particularly sections 30 to 52, inclusive, of chapter 63 of the General Laws, and portions of the Federal Revenue Acts which relate to the determination of net income.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; knowledge of accounting, 5; knowledge of the laws relating to taxation, 5; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 5; total, 20.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

EXPENDITURES, FISCAL YEAR, 1923-24.

Total ordinary and extraordinary, \$69,433,002, or \$4,593,567 more than in 1922. For maintenance of departments (excluding Water Service and Printing Dept.), \$39,244,315 (including \$12,421,826 for Schools); for City and County interest, \$3,488,857; sinking-fund require-

ments, \$606,133; serial loan payments, \$1,979,128 (making all debt requirements, excluding Rapid Transit, \$6,074,118), for Water Service, including Metropolitan water assessment, interest on debt, etc., \$3,128,463 (covered by water revenue). State tax, \$3,302,400 (regular) and \$697,296 (civilian war poll tax); Metropolitan and various State assessments, \$1,785,745; Printing Department, \$380,832 (covered by revenue); special appropriations from tax levy for public improvements, \$5,097,379; special appropriations from Parkman Fund income for park improvements, \$236,244.

Total ordinary expenditures, \$59,946,792, or \$4,173,498 more than in 1922. Total expenditures for departments only, \$1,654,148 more than in 1922.

Department increases of expenditure in excess of \$25,000 over the year 1922 were: Boston Sanatorium, \$31,259; Fire Department, \$328,170; Health, \$46,647; Hospital, \$195,614; Library, \$35,084; Park, \$273,904; Police, \$241,807; Public Buildings, \$48,048; Public Works, \$238,765; School Dept., \$343,355; Suffolk County, \$153,347.

Regular appropriations unexpended by the departments reached the noteworthy total of \$761,664. Decreases of expenditure from 1922 were: City Clerk, \$2,800; Election Dept., \$56,569; Overseeing of Public Welfare, \$35,161; Soldiers' Relief, \$712,264.

Extraordinary expenditures for permanent improvements (*i. e.*, loan appropriations, etc., including unused portions from previous year), \$7,512,304, of which \$1,623,669 was for Rapid Transit construction (mostly E. Boston Tunnel alterations); \$1,162,238 for sewer construction; \$804,624 for making of highways; \$577,496 for Columbus Park, improvements; \$379,290 for Police Headquarters; \$336,838 for Playground improvements, etc.; \$319,512 for Stuart St. construction; \$314,518 for Hyde Park St. R'way, purchase of; \$289,152, for City Hospital, improvements; \$284,665 for Police Station 2, Building; \$261,661 for work on various public buildings; \$253,467 for Chelsea Bridge South; \$170,023 for City Hospital, Thorndike Memorial Building; \$157,886 for E. Boston Ferry, improvements; \$123,408 for Cambridge St. Bridge; \$116,686 for Municipal Garage, Albany St.; \$94,864 for Beacon St. Bridge; \$91,583 for Public Latin School. For Rapid Transit debt requirements, \$1,671,117. Total extraordinary, \$9,486,211 or \$420,069 more than in 1922.

LOANS IN 1923-24.

Total amount borrowed; \$7,190,000 or \$932,500 less than in 1922. Objects and amount for each:—Rapid Transit, \$2,035,000; of which \$1,513,000 was for East Boston Tunnel, Alterations; Making of Highways, \$1,100,000; Sewerage Works, \$1,000,000; Police Headquarters, \$500,000; Public Buildings, various, \$495,000; Columbus Park, Improvements, \$450,000; Playgrounds, etc., \$385,000; Police Station 2 Building, \$360,000; City Hospital, Improvements, \$269,000; Stuart Street Construction, \$200,000; Boston Sanatorium, Out-patient Building, \$150,000; Elks' Parker Hill Hospital, \$115,000; other objects, \$131,000.

Rates: \$3,476,000 at 4 per cent and \$3,714,000 at 4½. Outside debt limit, \$2,251,000 (Rapid Transit, Stuart St. also Cambridge and Courts Sts. construction); all other, serial loans inside debt limit.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending September 13, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 835,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 110; nonresidents, 26; total, 136.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 9.12; nonresidents deducted, 7.38.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 11.01; corresponding week last year, 9.54.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 25; one year to five years, inclusive, 4; sixty years and over, 46; total deaths: male, 73; female, 63; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 78; deaths of colored, 6.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 13, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 15, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	6	—	2	—
Diphtheria.....	12	1	46	4
Encephalitis lethargica.....	2	—	—	—
Influenza.....	—	—	2	—
Measles.....	9	—	8	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	1	2	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	7	1	4	3
Scarlet fever.....	21	—	18	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	34	7	34	16
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	18	3	3	—
Typhoid fever.....	1	—	3	1
Whooping cough.....	5	—	8	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Sept. 8, 1924.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:33 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of Aug. 22, 1924, were amended as follows:

On page 169, to provide that the compensation of the lunch attendant in the Michelangelo Vacation School shall read fifty cents (\$.50) per hour for not more than two hours each school day of service, instead of "fifty cents (\$.50) per day for not more than two hours each school day of service."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed, as amended.

ACCEPTANCE OF NEW SCHOOL HOUSE.

A communication was received from Thomas P. Glynn, Chairman, Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners, under date of Aug. 22, 1924, reporting that the Commission has accepted, as of Aug. 19, 1924, the Alexander Hamilton School in the Bennett District.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF STATE-AIDED WORK.

A communication was received from the State Department of Edu-

cation, under date of July 1, 1924, reporting that the state-aided vocational and continuation school work conducted in Boston during the school year 1923-24, under the supervision of the Division of Vocational Education, is approved and that reimbursement in the statutory amount—50% of the net maintenance sum (in Agricultural Departments two-thirds of the salary of instructors)—will be recommended to the Commissioner of Education.

Placed on file.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teacher:

John Winthrop District—Rose A. O'Connell, assistant, Aug. 26, 1924.

Placed on file.

The Superintendent also reported the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:—

Hyde Park High School—Mary C. Howard, June 27, 1924.

Charles Sumner District—Dora M. Leonard, July 4, 1924.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 5, 1924, reporting the death, on July 28, 1924, of the Secretary of the School Committee, Thornton D. Apollonio.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

East Boston High School—Helen T. Duffy, assistant instructor, commercial branches, Aug. 31, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Grace M. Dugan, first assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1924.

Eliot District—Elizabeth P. Dunagan, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Ina Strauss, assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1924.

Martin District—Rose Bloom, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Oliver Hazard Perry District—Florence N. Creed, assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Mary L. McNamara, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Gertrude E. Lennon, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Alice V. Rice, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Sherwin District—Mary E. Ledger, instructor, special class, Aug. 31, 1924.

Wells District—Helen J. McCarthy, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Edna S. Allen, assistant instructor in manual training, Aug. 31, 1924.

Public Latin School—Katherine E. Reynolds, clerical assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Accepted.

RETIREMENTS

The Superintendent reported the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect Aug. 31, 1924, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board under date of Aug. 16, 1924:

Department of Music—Albert G. Mitchell, Assistant Director.

Brighton High School—Laura M. Kendrick, Assistant.

Public Latin School—William R. Morse, Master, Head of Department.

Charles Sumner District—Irving M. Norcross, Sub-master.

Christopher Gibson District—Fredrick L. Owen, Master.

Dearborn District—Alanson H. Mayers, Sub-master.

Dudley District—Delia T. Killion, First Assistant in Charge.

Eliot District—Mary E. Hanney, Master's Assistant.

Everett District—Florence A. Perry, Assistant.

Gaston District—Lila Huckins, Assistant.

Horace Mann School—Ida H. Adams, Assistant.

Hugh O'Brien District—Bridget E. Scanlan, Assistant.

John A. Andrew District—Emma L. Cleary, Master's Assistant, Alice P. Howard, Assistant.

Norcross District—Ellen T. Noonan, Assistant.

Sherwin District—John F. Suckling, Sub-master.

Shurtleff District—Alice C. Ryan, Assistant.

Thomas N. Hart District—Jennie F. McKissick, Master's Assistant.

Placed on file.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

(Mechanical Department, to take effect Sept. 8, 1924.)

Mechanic Arts High School—James W. Ainslie, John K. Anderson, Waldemar H. Anderson (third year from Sept. 12, 1924), Walter J. Bonetzky, Paul B. Dalco, Ernest A.

DiMattia, Ernest W. Gustavsen, (third year from Sept. 12, 1924), Carl R. Hanson, (second year from Sept. 4, 1924), William L. Hartnett, Charles H. Hunter (third year from Sept. 12, 1924), Harold S. Kenney, Milford Kliman, (third year from Sept. 12, 1924), William A. Krim, Harry Lambooy, Richard E. Lawrence, John F. Locke, Vincent R. MacDonald, Lawton G. Meredith, W. Donald Page, Edward Scheidecker, George A. Sheehan, Charles E. Staples, (second year from Sept. 4, 1924), Thomas R. Stearns (second year from Sept. 4, 1924), Selwyn H. Towne (third year from Sept. 12, 1924), Albert J. Wallquist.

Approved.

SUBSTITUTE NURSES.

Department of Medical Inspection
—Anna A. Ramsey, Sept. 9, 1924;
Mabel C. Sheridan, Sept. 15, 1924.

Approved.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Public Latin School—Robert B. Drummey, Gerard B. Cleary, Charles S. FitzGerald, junior masters, Sept. 1, 1924.

Charlestown High School—Matthew F. Durgin, co-operative instructor, Harrie S. Goodwin, co-operative instructor (from shop instructor, Department of Manual Arts), Sept. 1, 1924.

Dorchester High School—Abram E. Freeman, junior master (eighth year), Joseph M. Sullivan, junior master, Sept. 1, 1924.

East Boston High School—Anna E. Scott, assistant (from junior assistant, Girls' Latin School), Sept. 1, 1924.

English High School—Lawrence R. Atwood, Ralph G. Gilbert, Thomas J. McCabe, Charles E. McCool, John H. Ward, junior masters, Francis P. Glavin, junior master (from junior assistant, High School of Commerce), Nathaniel J. Hasenfus, Albert I. Maguire, Robert G. Simmons, junior masters (from junior assistants), Sept. 1, 1924.

Girls' High School—Eveline B. Cook, assistant, (from teacher of sewing, Department of Household Science and Arts), Mary M. Mallard, assistant (from junior assistant), Sept. 1, 1924.

High School of Practical Arts—Jessie M. Howard, industrial instructor, Sept. 1, 1924.

High School of Commerce—Joseph F. Kelley, junior master, Sept. 1, 1924.

Hyde Park High School—Marion H. Kidder, assistant, Sept. 1, 1924.

Mechanic Arts High School—John J. Brennan, junior master, (from junior assistant), Sept. 1, 1924; William J. Doherty, instructor in mechanic arts (from shop foreman, Boston Trade School), Sept. 1, 1924; Joseph Hackett, instructor in mechanic arts, Sept. 1, 1924; Eugene J. O'Neil, junior master, (from junior assistant), Sept. 1, 1924.

Roxbury High School—Ralph B. DeLano, junior master, Sept. 1, 1924; Monica L. Hall, assistant instructor, commercial branches, Sept. 1, 1924.

South Boston High School—Alice M. Kerrigan, assistant, (from junior assistant), Sept. 1, 1924.

Boston Trade School—Reinhold L. Swan, shop foreman, Sept. 1, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Bertha Shepard, trade assistant, Sept. 1, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—William J. L. Brown, shop instructor (seventh year) Sept. 1, 1924; Daniel J. Jameson, shop instructor (seventh year) Sept. 1, 1924; George C. Mc-

Keen, shop instructor (seventh year) Sept. 1, 1924; John J. McSweney, shop instructor (seventh year) Sept. 1, 1924; Charles R. O'Malley, shop instructor (seventh year) Sept. 1, 1924; Percy C. Peters, shop instructor, Sept. 1, 1924; Chester S. Sevens, shop instructor (seventh year) Sept. 1, 1924; Wylie H. Stronach, instructor, shop work, Sept. 1, 1924.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Curtis Peckham, vocational instructor, Sept. 15, 1924.

Laid over.

(By Promotion.)

Public Latin School—George S. Penney, junior master, military drill, (from instructor, military drill), Sept. 1, 1924.

High School of Practical Arts—Lura M. Paine, assistant (from industrial assistant), Sept. 1, 1924.

South Boston High School—Alice M. Falvey, assistant (from assistant instructor in salesmanship), Sept. 1, 1924.

Laid over.

TRANSFERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting that he has withdrawn the transfer of Anna M. Rogers, assistant, special class, Ulysses S. Grant District, to the same position in the John Marshall District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, as reported at the meeting of July 14, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer withdrawn.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Marie T. Cogger, assistant, to the same position in the Wendell Phillips District, Sept. 1, 1924.

John A. Andrew District—Rachel E. Cotton, assistant, to the same position in the Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District, Sept. 1, 1924; Augusta A. Jackson, assistant, to the same position in the Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Oliver Hazard Perry District—Margaret A. Nichols, master's assistant, to the same position in the Washington Allston District, Sept. 1, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Department of Medical Inspection—William H. Devine, M. D. director, from Sept. 8 to Oct. 31, 1924.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Ethel S. Fletcher, vocational assistant, July 25 (one-half day) to Sept. 5, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Susan J. Ginn, director, July 3, 7, 8, 9 (one-half day), 11, 24, 25, and 31, 1924, seven and one-half days, without loss of pay (vacation); Bessie MacBride, vocational assistant, from Aug. 4 to Sept. 5, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Eleanor J. O'Brien, vocational assistant, from July 7 to Aug. 8, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Mercedes E. O'Brien, vocational assistant, from July 23 to Aug. 29, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Margaret M. Sallaway, vocational assistant, July 11, 18, 25, Aug. 1 and Aug. 6 (one-half day) to Aug. 31, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Irving O. Scott, vocational instructor, July 7 to 18 and July 24 (one-

half day), 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Abigail D. Steere, vocational assistant, July 1, 2, 3, 7 (one-half day) and July 8 to Aug. 15, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Henry Wisansky, vocational instructor, from July 22 to Sept. 4 (one-half day), 1924, without loss of pay (vacation).

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Phillips Brooks District—Jessie L. Barth, assistant, from Sept. 8, 1924, to Mar. 31, 1925, without pay.

ASSIGNMENT OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Anna M. Rogers, helper, Trade School for Girls, to the special class in the John Marshall District, without change of rank or salary, said assignment to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file.

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting the following designation of teachers to serve in the positions indicated, until such time as they shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations:

Bennett District—Edith M. Anderson, assistant, kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten, (vice Helen L. Arnold, absent on leave,) Sept. 1, 1924.

Eliot District—George B. Moran, sub-master, as acting master, (vice John F. McGrath, absent on leave,) Sept. 1, 1924.

Everett District—Bertha L. Mul-loney, master's assistant, as acting master, (vice Madeline B. Driscoll, absent on leave,) from Sept. 10, 1924 to Dec. 10, 1924; Ida B. Henderson, assistant, as acting master's assistant, (vice Bertha L. Mul-loney,) from Sept. 10, 1924 to Dec. 10, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Gertrude L. Mazur, assistant, kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

RETIREMENT ON PENSION.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the following named person be retired on pension in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908, as amended by Chapter 617 of the Acts of 1910, Chapter 569 of the Acts of 1912, and Chapter 304 of the Special Acts of 1915, the date of retirement and rate of pension to be as herein-after specified:

Girls' High School—Herbert M. Thayer, length of service, 28 years, Aug. 31, 1924, \$560.

Passed, a majority of the Board voting in the affirmative.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO HEAD MASTER, JAMAICA PLAIN HIGH SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1925, or during such

portion thereof as the Jamaica Plain High School is conducted on the two-platoon system, the head master of that school shall be paid at the rate of three hundred (\$300) per year in addition to the regular salary of his rank.

PAYMENT OF ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That George J. Oberlander, M. D., school physician, be paid, in addition to his regular salary as school physician, the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) for additional services rendered by him in the Certifying Office on March 3 and 4, 1924.

PAYMENT OF SALARY DUE ROSE A. O'CONNELL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due Rose A. O'Connell, late assistant in the John Winthrop District, be paid to her sister, Margaret E. O'Connell.

APPOINTMENT OF CLERICAL ASSISTANTS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has appointed the following-named clerical assistants, to take effect on the date stated:

Public Latin School—Ella D. Leave (second year), Sept. 1, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Mary A. Ewing, Sept. 1, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointments approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has appointed the following-named clerical assistants in day elementary schools as indicated, by transfer from the office of the Superintendent, said transfers to take effect on the dates stated:

Hugh O'Brien District—Margaret E. Donovan, Sept. 1, 1924.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Josephine A. Hanlon, Sept. 22, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointments approved, to take effect on the dates stated.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board and with the approval of the Soldiers' Relief Commissioner, he has appointed Mary R. Sullivan as clerical assistant, fourth year, in the Brighton High School and Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District, by transfer from the Soldiers' Relief Department, to take effect Sept. 8, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board and with the approval of the Commissioner of Public Works, he has appointed Alice M. Whalen as clerical assistant, fourth year, in the Blackinton-John Cheverus Dis-

trict, by transfer from the office of the Registry of Motor Vehicles, to take effect Sept. 8, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

TRANSFER OF A CLERICAL ASSISTANT.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board he has transferred Margaret M. O'Hare, clerical assistant, Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate and John Winthrop Districts, to the John Winthrop District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer approved, to take effect on the date stated.

APPOINTMENT AND SALARY OF ASSISTANTS, SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board and with the approval of the Civil Service Commissioner, he has appointed Elizabeth M. Sullivan as assistant in the office of the Superintendent, by transfer from the Department of Civil Service and Registration, to take effect Sept. 15, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Elizabeth M. Sullivan, assistant, office of the Superintendent, is hereby established at the rate of twenty dollars (\$20.00) per week, to take effect Sept. 15, 1924.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board and with the approval of the Chief Executive Officer of the Boston Psychopathic Hospital, he has appointed Helena C. Burke as assistant in the office of the Superintendent, by transfer from the Boston Psychopathic Hospital, to take effect Sept. 22, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Helena C. Burke, assistant, office of the Superintendent, is hereby established at the rate of twenty-three dollars (\$23) per week, to take effect Sept. 22, 1924.

INSTRUCTION OF TRAINEES OF UNITED STATES VETERANS' BUREAU.

A communication was received from the Acting Business Agent, under date of Sept. 4, 1924, recommending the passage of the accompanying order which gives him authority to enter into contracts with the United States Veterans' Bureau.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Acting Business Agent, subject to the approval of the Superintendent, is hereby authorized to enter into contracts with the United States Veterans' Bureau; such contracts to

cover the instruction of trainees of that Bureau in the Trade School for Girls and in the Training School for Teachers of Mechanic Arts at the established rates of tuition for these schools.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO AUG. 1, 1924.

Communications were received from the Business Agent, under dates of July 15 and 31, 1924, submitting statements showing the appropriations, expenditures and balances of the first five and six months of the current financial year, the total expenditures, and expenditures for the corresponding five and six months of the financial year 1923-24, with the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

ANNUAL REPORT OF BUSINESS AGENT.

The Annual Report of the Business Agent for the year ending Jan. 31, 1924, being School Document No. 1, 1924, was presented.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF BUSINESS AGENT ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of July 30, 1924, submitting, in compliance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report on his attendance at the Annual Convention of the National Association of Public School Business Officials, held at Indianapolis, Ind., May 12 to 16, 1924.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON AUDIT OF BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS OF BUSINESS AGENT AND SECRETARY.

A communication was received from Grimes, Clarkson & Co., under date of Aug. 22, 1924, submitting their report on the audit of the books and accounts of the Business Agent for the three months ended July 31, 1924, and of the Secretary for the six months ended July 31, 1924.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS OF CUSTODIANS FROM PORTABLES.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, submitting the resignations of the following-named custodians of portables, to take effect on the dates stated:

Thomas J. Gill, Portables Nos. 7, 13 and 76, located in the yard of the Hugh O'Brien School, Aug. 15, 1924.

Frederick A. Fitzgerald, Portables Nos. 25, 37 and 84, located in the yard of the Mary L. Brock School, Aug. 15, 1924.

Anna E. Whittemore, Portable No. 26, located in the yard of the Washington Street School, Aug. 15, 1924.

John A. Downey, Portable No. 21, located in the yard of the Julia Ward Howe School, Aug. 15, 1924.

Charles J. Hurlbert, Portable No. 223, located in the yard of the High School of Commerce, Aug. 15, 1924.

Francis J. Powers, Portables Nos. 24, 59, 90 and 127, located in the yard of the Cudworth School, Aug. 15, 1924.

John J. Joyce, Portable No. 51, located in the yard of the Hobart Street School, Aug. 15, 1924.

John H. Kelley, Portable No. 163, to take effect Aug. 15, 1924, and Portable No. 216, to take effect Aug. 8, 1924, located in the yard of the Jamaica Plain High School.

Albert L. O'Brien, Portable No. 133, located in the yard of the Oak Square School, to take effect Aug. 8, 1924.

Placed on file, and the resignations accepted, to take effect on the dates stated.

APPOINTMENTS OF CUSTODIANS TO PORTABLES.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, recommending that the custodians of the following-named school-houses, be also appointed as custodians of the portables indicated, to take effect Aug. 15, 1924:

Francis P. Linnenan, Portables No. 7, 13, 25, 37 and 76, located in the yard of the Frank V. Thompson School.

William H. Flynn, Portable No. 84, located in the yard of the Audubon School.

Charles H. Kelly, Portable No. 133, located in the yard of the Brighton High School.

Edward J. Peterson, Portable No. 216, located in the yard of the Henry Grew School.

John McCloskey, Portable No. 163, located in the yard of the Damon School.

Thomas F. Powell, Portable No. 118, located in the yard of the Lewis School.

William P. Toland, Portable No. 26, located in the yard of the Charles Sumner School.

Frederick V. Howe, Portable No. 21, located in the yard of the Roxbury High School.

John J. Sheehan, Portable No. 223, located in the yard of the Rice School.

Henry J. Mahoney, Portable No. 24, located in the yard of the Chapman School.

Thomas W. McLean, Portable No. 59, located in the yard of the Philip H. Sheridan School.

Andrew D. O'Leary, Portable No. 90, located in the yard of the Florence Nightingale School.

George J. Hurley, Portable No. 127, located in the yard of the Continuation School.

Nicholas J. Innis, Portable No. 51, located in the yard of the Washington Allston School.

Placed on file, and the appointments approved, to take effect on the date stated.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO A CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, recommending that John F. Carroll, custodian of the Wyman School-house, be granted leave of absence on one-half his net compensation because of personal illness, from Sept. 5 to Nov. 1, 1924, inclusive.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

TRANSFERS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring

transfer to the custodianship of the Alexander Hamilton School-house, and recommending that Charles F. Travis, custodian of the Thomas Dwight School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Sept. 5, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Charles F. Travis approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, recommending that James S. Laughlin, custodian of the Austin School-house, the only candidate in the service desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Dante Alighieri School-house, be appointed to the position, to take effect Sept. 5, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of James S. Laughlin approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Agassiz and Old Agassiz School-houses and Portable No. 106, and recommending that Cornelius O'Sullivan, custodian of the Bowdoin School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Sept. 14, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Cornelius O'Sullivan approved, to take effect on the date stated.

APPOINTMENTS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting that he has considered the applicants certified by the Division of Civil Service as eligible for appointment to the custodianship of the Dorchester Avenue School-house, and recommending that John H. Heslion, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Sept. 8, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, reporting that he has considered the candidates certified by the Division of Civil Service as eligible to fill four vacancies in the custodianships of school-houses, and recommending the following appointments, to take effect on the dates stated:

Austin School-house, Joseph L. Clougherty, Sept. 8, 1924.

Walnut Street School-house, Francis A. MacCambridge, Sept. 8, 1924.

Edwin P. Seaver School-house, William A. Brady, Sept. 21, 1924.

Elizabeth Peabody School-house, Michael J. Connolly, Sept. 21, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointments approved, to take effect on the dates stated.

PAYMENT OF SALARY DUE MICHAEL H. MURPHY.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Sept. 8, 1924, recommending that the salary due Michael H. Murphy, late custodian of the Mather School-house, be paid to his widow, Annie Murphy.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was ORDERED, That the salary due Michael H. Murphy, late custodian of the Mather School-house, be paid to his widow, Annie Murphy.

APPROVAL OF DAYLIGHT SAVING LAW.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That this Board hereby expresses its approval of the proposed Massachusetts Daylight Saving Law, believing it to be desirable to re-establish daylight saving in the Eastern Time Zone.

Laid over.

ELECTION AND SALARY OF SECRETARY AND BUSINESS AGENT.

On motion, the Board proceeded to the election of a Secretary.

The rules were suspended and the members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows:

For ELLEN M. CRONIN—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

Ellen M. Cronin was declared duly elected Secretary of the Board, to take effect Sept. 8, 1924.

On motion, the Board proceeded to the election of a Business Agent.

The rules were suspended and the members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows:

For ALEXANDER M. SULLIVAN—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

Alexander M. Sullivan was declared duly elected Business Agent, to take effect Nov. 1, 1924.

The following was offered: ORDERED, That the salary of Ellen M. Cronin, Secretary, is hereby established at the rate of fifty-four hundred ninety-six dollars (\$5496) per annum, to take effect Sept. 8, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

Passed by the following vote: YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

The following was offered: ORDERED, That the salary of Alexander M. Sullivan, Business Agent, is hereby established at the rate of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) per annum, to take effect Nov. 1, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

Passed by the following vote: YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The motion laid over at the meeting of July 14, 1924 (see p. 167) amending section 125, paragraph 1 of the rules, relative to membership of the Board of Apportionment, was taken up and passed.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Secretary.

BOSTON AS A TOWN.

From its foundation until 1755, or a period of 125 years, Boston was not only the most outstanding but the most populous town in the American colonies. In 1760, Philadelphia's population was ahead, viz., 18,756, Boston's then being 15,631 and New York's about 14,000. In the last year of town government, viz., 1821, Boston's population was about 45,000 and its public debt \$100,000, all incurred for new county buildings.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, September 11, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public improvements should be made consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Locust street, Dorchester district, as a highway from Buttonwood street to the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

The laying out and construction of an extension of Hazleton street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from northwest of Fottler road for a distance of approximately six hundred feet northwesterly.

The laying out and construction of Chelmsford street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Adams street to Charlemont street.

The laying out and construction of Alabama street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Oakland street to Almont street.

The laying out and construction of Waldorf street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Ashmont street to Mellen street.

The laying out and construction of Lorna road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Morton street to Tiverton road.

All substantially as shown on plans in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass orders for making said improvements, and that it appoints eleven o'clock a. m., of September 24, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for public hearings in the matters.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

(Sept. 20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN WILMINGTON AVENUE, FROM CAPEN STREET ABOUT 230 FEET EASTERLY, AND OUTLET IN CAPEN STREET FROM FAIRMOUNT STREET TO WILMINGTON AVENUE, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Wilmington avenue from Capen street about 230 feet easterly, and outlet in Capen street from Fairmount street to Wilmington avenue, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Wilmington Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, September 30, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 18, 1924. (Sept. 20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PROPOSALS FOR \$2,140,000, 4 PER CENT, CITY OF BOSTON LOANS, \$1,800,000 REGISTERED SERIAL BONDS, INTEREST AT 4 PER CENT PER ANNUM. \$250,000 REGISTERED SINKING FUND BONDS, INTEREST AT 4 PER CENT PER ANNUM. BONDS EXEMPT FROM TAXATION IN MASSACHUSETTS.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE CITY TREASURER.

CITY HALL, BOSTON, MASS., September 19, 1924.

In pursuance of the authority given by orders of the City Council of Boston and Acts of Massachusetts the undersigned will receive proposals until 12 o'clock M., Friday, September 26, 1924, for the whole or any part of the following loans.

SINKING FUND BONDS.

EAST BOSTON TUNNEL ALTERATIONS, \$250,000.

Chapter 373, Special Acts of Massachusetts 1917. Payable October 1st, 1969.

SERIAL BOND.

PLAYGROUND, MATAPAN, \$25,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of September 27th, 1913. Payable \$2,000, annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1929, inclusive, and \$1,000, annually, October 1st, 1930, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive.

POLICE STATION, HYDE PARK \$85,000.

Orders of the City Council of Boston of March 20th, 1923, and March 25th, 1924. Payable \$5,000, annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1929, inclusive, and \$4,000, annually, October 1st, 1930, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive.

FIRE ALARM SIGNAL STATION, BACK BAY FENS (CHAP. 309, ACTS 1923), \$240,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of May 14th, 1923. Payable \$12,000, annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive.

FANEUIL HALL BUILDING, \$90,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 11th, 1924. Payable \$5,000, annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1934, inclusive, and \$4,000, annually, October 1st, 1935, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive.

SEWERAGE WORKS, \$350,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 4th, 1924. Payable \$12,000, annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive, and \$11,000, annually, October 1st, 1945, to October 1st, 1954, inclusive.

EAST BOSTON FERRY, IMPROVEMENTS, ETC., \$175,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of March 11th, 1924. Payable \$9,000, annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1939, inclusive, and \$8,000, annually, October 1st, 1940, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive.

CHARITIES ADMINISTRATION BUILDING AND TEMPORARY HOME, \$100,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston, March 11th, 1924. Payable \$5,000, annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive.

PLAYGROUND, VICINITY OF JEFFERSON SCHOOL, ROXBURY, \$85,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of April 29th, 1924. Payable \$5,000, annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1929, inclusive, and \$4,000, annually, October 1st, 1930, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive.

MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CHARLESTOWN, SITE AND PLANS, \$75,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of April 29th, 1924. Payable \$4,000, annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1939, inclusive, and \$3,000, annually, October 1st, 1940, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive.

WILLIAM EUSTIS PLAYGROUND, EXTENSION AND IMPROVEMENT, \$100,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of May 14th, 1924. Payable \$5,000, annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive.

PLAYGROUND AT BOLTON AND WEST THIRD STREETS, \$65,000.

Order of the City Council of Boston of May 27th, 1924. Payable \$4,000 annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1929, inclusive, and \$3,000, annually, October 1st, 1930, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive.

CAMBRIDGE STREET AND COURT STREET (CHAPTER 489, ACTS 1923), \$500,000.

Payable \$25,000, annually, October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1944, inclusive.

All loans will be issued in Registered Bond Certificates of \$1,000 each, or any multiple thereof, and will be paid on the dates specified for each loan, all with interest payable semi-annually, on the first days of April and October in each year, at the office of the City Treasurer, Boston.

These Bonds are exempt from taxation in Massachusetts and from the Federal Income Tax.

The certificates will be dated October 1st, 1924, and will be ready for delivery, and money received for the same, October 10th, 1924. Interest will begin October 1st, 1924, and will cease on the date on which the Bonds are payable.

Holders of these certificates, if they so desire, can receive the semi-annual interest through the mail by check payable to their order.

Proposals must be sealed and addressed to John J. Curley, City Treasurer, Boston, Mass., endorsed "Proposals for Loans," and clearly state together for the whole or part of said loans, and, if in part, the amount. Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check on a Boston National Bank or Trust Company, or by cash, equal to one per cent. of the amount of loans bid for, the check made payable to the City of Boston, John J. Curley, City Treasurer. The check or cash of any bidder to whom an award is made will be retained as part payment for the loan or loans awarded, but no interest will be allowed thereon. All other checks or cash will be returned.

Accrued interest from October 1st, 1924, to date of delivery is to be paid by the purchaser.

All proposals will be opened in the office of the City Treasurer, Friday, September 26th, 1924, at 12 o'clock M. The City Treasurer reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept such bid or bids as may seem to him to be the most advantageous to the city.

JOHN J. CURLEY,
City Treasurer.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING THE DRAWSPAN OF CHELSEA BRIDGE NORTH.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for cleaning and painting the drawspan of Chelsea Bridge North, and giving bond thereof of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eight thousand (\$8,000) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, on and after Monday, September 22, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Painting Drawspan of Chelsea Bridge North," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, September 29, 1924, with a certified check for eight hundred (\$800) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 18, 1924. (Sept. 20.)

AID TO THE UNEMPLOYED.

Boston one of the first—if not the first—of American cities to open municipal free lodging houses for persons out of work, and temporarily homeless.

Temporary Home (for destitute women and children) opened in 1870; Wayfarers' Lodge (for men), in 1878. Total number of cases of aid to men in year 1921-22, 5,036; of women and children, 1,951. Not more than 5 per cent of men aided have legal settlement in Boston; about 44 per cent are recorded as foreign-born. Work in wood yard required for meals furnished to men.

State Free Employment Office in Boston, established in December, 1906. Number of applications for help recorded in year 1921, 15,729 or 13,432 less than in 1920; number reported filled, 11,734, of which 6,721 were for unskilled labor, 3,842 for skilled labor, 686 for mercantile positions and 485 for office clerks. Weekly average of persons called for by employers, 302. Cost of maintenance in 1921, \$30,881.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN ARNOLD STREET, VALE STREET, LINWOOD STREET AND CHILD STREET, HYDE PARK.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Arnold Street, Vale Street, Linwood Street and Child Street, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirty-eight hundred (3,800) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Arnold Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, October 6, 1924, with a certified check for four hundred (400) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 18, 1924. (Sept. 20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LEASING THE CONCESSION PRIVILEGES FOR FURNISHING WEIGHING MACHINES IN CONVENIENCE STATIONS OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Proposals on blanks obtained at the office of the Health Department, 1108 City Hall Annex, Boston, for leasing the concession privileges for furnishing weighing machines in the convenience stations of the Health Department, City of Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, October 1, 1924, at the office of the Health Department, with a certified check for \$50, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. The Health Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

FRANCIS X. MAHONEY, M. D.,
Health Commissioner.
(Sept. 20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING HULL, ETC., OF FERRY-BOAT "JOHN H. SULLIVAN."

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing hull, etc., of ferryboat "John H. Sullivan." A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of four thousand (4,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Ferryboat John H. Sullivan," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Wednesday, October 1, 1924, with a certified check for four hundred (400) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 18, 1924. (Sept. 20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SURGICAL SUPPLIES.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Boston City Hospital surgical supplies as per proposals, which may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out at the above mentioned office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read on Monday, September 29, 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(Sept. 20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HAY, GRAIN AND STRAW.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, September 30, 1924, when they will be publicly opened and read, for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during the month of October, 1924. The bidder must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 and No. 3 timothy hay, No. 2 and No. 3 light grass mixed, and No. 2 and No. 3 light clover mixed, the straw to be rye straw in good condition. The grade of hay must comply with the federal hay grades and straw must comply with the National Hay Association, and shall be inspected by the federal hay inspector. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, clipped to test 36 to 38 pounds, graded under the federal standards. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. No reservations or stipulations will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
Boston, September 20, 1924. (Sept. 20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEAT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments during October, 1924, as per specifications, to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one-quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 noon, Tuesday, September 30, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
Boston, September 20, 1924.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN RALSTON ROAD, BETWEEN RUSKIN ROAD AND RUTLEDGE ROAD, HYDE PARK.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Ralston road, between Ruskin road and Rutledge road, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirteen hundred (1,300) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Ralston Road," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, September 29, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 18, 1924. (Sept. 20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN MAYNARD STREET, BETWEEN METROPOLITAN AVENUE AND 260 FEET SOUTHWESTERLY, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Maynard street, between Metropolitan avenue and 260 feet southwesterly, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eight hundred (800) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Maynard Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, October 2, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 18, 1924. (Sept. 10.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, September 11, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and buildings bounded by property of the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, known as the St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, and D. West Third and Bolton streets, South Boston district, for playground purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints twelve o'clock m., of September 30, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.
(Sept. 20.)

ONE-WAY STREETS, 1924.

Sundays and legal holidays excepted, vehicles must go in one direction only in the streets named alphabetically below, by order of the Street Commissioners:—

ALBANY ST., southerly from Beach St. to Broadway; ARCH ST., southerly from Milk to Summer; ASHBURTON PLACE, westerly from Somerset St.; ASYLUM ST., westerly from Harrison Ave.; AVERY ST., easterly from Tremont; AVON ST., easterly from Washington; BEACON ST., easterly from Bowdoin to Somerset; BEDFORD ST., westerly from Summer; BENNET ST., northwesterly from Harrison Ave. to Washington St.; BILLERICA ST., northwesterly from Causeway; BLACKSTONE ST., northwesterly from North to Hanover on Saturdays and on the day just before a holiday; BRATTLE ST., westerly from Washington to Court; BROMFIELD ST., westerly from Washington; CAMBRIA ST., westerly from Dalton to St. Cecelia; CENTRAL ST., westerly from Broad to Kilby; CHATHAM ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Commercial St.; CHAUNCEY ST., southwesterly from Summer; CITY SQUARE, Charlestown, northwest side from Harvard St. northeasterly; CLINTON ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Blackstone St. and easterly from Commercial St. to Atlantic Ave.; COMMERCE ST., easterly from Commercial St. to Atlantic Ave.; COMMON ST., Charlestown, southerly and easterly from Winthrop to Adams; COOPER ST., westerly from Salem to Washington, North; CORNHILL, easterly from Court St.; COURT SQUARE, entering on westerly side, leaving on easterly side; COURT ST., westerly from Washington to Tremont and Cornhill; DEVONSHIRE ST., southerly from Dock Sq. to Franklin St. and northeasterly from Summer St. to Winthrop Sq.; DORE ST., westerly from Washington to Tremont; EDINBORO ST., southerly from Essex St.; ELM ST., northwesterly from Dock Sq. to Hanover St.; EXCHANGE PLACE, westerly from Kilby St. to Congress; EXCHANGE ST., northerly from State; FANEUIL HALL SQUARE, south of Faneuil Hall, easterly to Merchants Row, and north of Faneuil Hall westerly from Merchants Row; FRIEND ST., southeasterly from Causeway; GROTON ST., northwesterly from Washington St. to Shawmut Ave.; HANOVER AVE., westerly from North St.; HARRIS ST., easterly from Hanover; HARVARD ST., Charlestown, southerly and southeasterly from Washington St. to City Sq.; HAVILAND ST., westerly from Mass. Ave. to Hemenway St.; HAWLEY ST., southerly from Milk to Summer; HOLLIS ST., easterly from Tremont to Washington; HOWARD ST., easterly from Bulfinch; HUDSON ST., northerly from Curve to Beach St.; KINGSTON ST., southerly from Summer to Beach; LA GRANGE ST., South End, westerly from Washington to Tremont; LOVERING ST., easterly from Washington; LYNN ST., southerly from Thacher to Cooper; MAIN ST., Charlestown, southeasterly from Thompson Sq. to City Sq.; MASON ST., easterly from Tremont and northeasterly from Avery; MERCHANTS ROW, northerly from North Market St.; MORTON ST., easterly from Endicott St.; NASHUA ST., southeasterly from Minot; NORTH ST., easterly from Union to Blackstone; NORTH MARKET ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Commercial St.; OTIS ST., southwesterly from Winthrop Square; PARMENTER ST., northwesterly from Hanover to Salem;

PEMBERTON SQUARE, westerly from southeast corner of Courthouse to Somerset St.; PROVINCE ST., northerly from Bromfield; RICHMOND ST., westerly from Atlantic Ave. to Hanover St.; SALUTATION ST., easterly from Hanover; SCHOOL ST., easterly from Tremont; SCOTIA ST., easterly from St. Cecelia to Dalton; SOMERSET ST., northerly from Beacon St. to Howard; SOUTH MARKET ST., westerly from Atlantic Ave. to Commercial St.; STATE ST., westerly from Devonshire, on north of Old State House and easterly from Washington to Devonshire, on south of Old State House; STILLMAN ST., westerly from Salem; TEMPLE PLACE, easterly from Tremont; TILESTON ST., northwesterly from Hanover; TYLER ST., northerly from Curve to Beach; WALL ST., southeasterly from Minot; WARREN ST., Charlestown, northwesterly from Henley St. to Thompson Sq.; WASHINGTON ST., northerly, from Stuart St. to Cornhill; WASHINGTON ST., Charlestown, easterly from Rutherford Ave. to Harvard St.; WATER ST., easterly from Washington to Devonshire and same from Liberty Sq. to Broad St.; WEST ST., westerly from Washington; WINTER ST., westerly from Washington; WINTHROP ST., Charlestown, westerly from Adams St. to Main.

This list is revised to Feb. 1, 1924.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Number of police force, December 1, 1923, was 1,964 (63 more than in 1922), viz., the Superintendent, 3 Deputy Superintendents, 24 captains, 35 inspectors, 43 lieutenants, 141 sergeants and 1,717 patrolmen, distributed in 21 divisions. Signal service men, 17, and clerks, janitors, etc., 121. By May 15, 1924, the changes in officers made the number of captains 29, lieutenants 38 and sergeants 148.

Cost of maintenance for 1923-24, \$4,314,340 or \$241,807 more than in 1922.

Total number of arrests in year ending Nov. 30, 1923, 76,732 or 921 less than in 1922, but 17,914 more than in 1920; of those arrested, 3,879 were discharged and all others held for trial; foreign-born persons arrested, 28,693 or 37.39 per cent of total; boys under 15 years of age, 1,638; women and girls all ages, 5,419; non-residents, 19,320 or 25.21 per cent of all arrested.

Drunkenness the cause of 38,988 arrests (an average of 107 per day) or 50.81 per cent of total. The arrests for homicide numbered 111; for refusing to support family, 719; violation of automobile laws, 8,918.

Sick and injured persons assisted, 8,214; insane persons taken in charge, 424; lost children restored to homes, 1,617; persons imprisoned, 3,160; persons fined, 18,226, the fines amounting to \$270,357; stolen property recovered, \$2,053,884; licenses granted, 23,662 (including 8,922 for dogs and 8,626 for vehicles and drivers), for which \$57,864 was received. Of 3,191 applications for license to carry loaded revolvers, 2,989 were granted.

Accidents from all causes in the streets, parks and squares caused death of 149 persons and injury to 5,141 or 24 more killed and 1,374 more injured than in 1922. Automobile accidents killed 90 persons and injured 2,157, said fatal cases being 60 per cent of total.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$8,000; Superintendent, \$7,000; Deputy Superintendents, \$4,000; Chief Inspector, \$3,800;

captains, \$3,500; inspectors and lieutenants, \$2,500; sergeants, \$2,300; patrolmen, \$1,400 the 1st year, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

In the year ending Nov. 30, 1923, the Police Dept. made 3,326 prosecutions in the State courts and 22 in the Federal court for violation of the liquor law.

Divisions 20 and 21, assigned to street traffic control, now number a force of 190 men, but present conditions are said to demand at least 100 more for this work.

PUBLIC STREETS, 1924.

Total length of the 2,490 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1924, 611.58 miles; total area, 11,557,218 square yards, or 8.54 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,900.

Miles of streets paved with macadam, 351.25 or 57.43 per cent of total, including 122.69 miles bituminous macadam; with granite block, 105.12; asphalt, 51.69; gravel, 30.10; bitulithic, 29.11; Topeka, 13.84; wood block, 12.21; asphalt concrete, 5.49; brick, 4.23; concrete, 3.05. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc. Granolithic sidewalk laid in 1923, 72,622 square yards or about 16 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in 1923 includes 9 streets in Boston Proper; 6 in Dorchester; 10 in West Roxbury; 5 in Brighton; one each in Roxbury, Charlestown and East Boston, or a total of 33 new streets. Of chief importance in the relief of traffic congestion is the opening of Stuart st., South End, costing \$3,004,497 (total payments to 1924) of which five-sixths was for damages, mostly offset by betterment assessments amounting to \$2,369,937.

Gross debt outstanding Feb. 1, 1924, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,855,501 or \$317,060 more than in 1923.

TREASURY TRANSACTIONS, 1923-24.

Balance, February 1, 1923, \$10,745,876.85.

RECEIPTS.—From City Collector for City account, \$61,860,643.55 and for County, \$526,633.34; total, \$62,387,276.89; from temporary loans, \$14,000,000; debt issued, \$7,190,000; from Sinking Fund Commissioners for debt due, \$2,788,482.26; trust funds, \$979,085.73; interest on bank deposits, \$186,182.82; other receipts, \$166,460.71. Total receipts for year, \$87,697,488.41.

PAYMENTS.—City pay-roll drafts, \$28,110,463.89; general drafts (excluding debt redemption), \$8,681,903.08; temporary loans, \$14,000,000; payments to the State, \$7,737,170.10; special drafts (excluding temporary loans and interest on debts), \$16,921,489.94; interest on all debts, \$5,070,043.89; debt redemption, \$5,139,400.01; trust fund investments, etc., \$629,787.77; County pay-roll drafts, \$1,883,786.06; other County payments (excluding debt and interest) \$770,185.19; payments to Sinking Fund Commissioners, \$438,901.30; other payments, \$68,131.78. Total payments for the year, \$89,451,263.01. Excess of payments over receipts, \$1,753,774.60. Balance January 31, 1924, \$8,992,102.25.

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BOSTON'S NEW CHARITY BUILDING TO BE FACT WITHIN YEAR AND WILL COST \$350,000.

OLD CHARDON STREET HOME SITE TO HAVE MUNICIPAL STRUCTURE MORE THAN EQUAL TO NEEDS AND WILL ALSO HOUSE PRIVATE CHARITIES' ADMINISTRATION WORK.



NEW BOSTON BUILDINGS FOR OVERSEERS OF PUBLIC WELFARE AND TEMPORARY HOME FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Within a year Boston will be able to boast of a new "Chardon Street Home," the finest charity building in the state. The old home, which has sheltered temporarily thousands of friendless women or children in the past fifty-five years, is being razed. With it the administration building of the Boston Overseers of Public Welfare, at the corner of Chardon and Hawkins streets where headquarters of private charities also were located, is being torn down.

Modern structures, a Charity Building and a new improved Temporary Home for Women and Children will rise in their place.

The overseers have been moved across to 30 Hawkins street in the old Mayhew School, now the Wayfarers' Lodge. A place has been made for the private charities in the former Baldwin School, at Chardon court, and the Chardon Street Home is for the time being at 1 and 2 Plymouth street, Roxbury.

The history of the familiar structures which have been standing so long on their corners at Chardon street shows the original building was finished in 1869, twelve years after a memorial was presented by the Boston Provident Association to the Boston City Council, petitioning that the city erect some sort of building to house the various charitable organizations under one roof.

The City Council in January, 1859, de-

cided that \$30,000 having been contributed by individuals, the city would assume the remaining expense and erect such a building. The Temporary Home for Women and Children was built facing Chardon street. The administration building faced Hawkins street and was occupied by the city organization, then called the Overseers of the Poor, the Provident Association, the Associated Charities, the Industrial Aid Society, the Boston Dispensary and the State Aid Department. Once the Federated Jewish Charities were housed there.

Among the societies which will have space in the Charity Building are the Family Welfare Society, the Boston Provident Association, the St. Vincent de Paul Society, the German Aid Society, the Industrial Aid Society and the Confidential Exchange, which keeps an index of names of families who are helped by charity in any part of the city or state and is the exchange appealed to by every charity in an effort to learn what assistance, if any assistance, certain families have had in times past. The Co-operative Workroom will be, as usual, under the common roof. This organization provides sewing for disabled women.

For several years the Overseers of Public Welfare have been petitioning various administrations for a new building. Mayor Curley, after investigating,

decided that a new structure was necessary, and \$350,000 has been appropriated for that purpose.

The overseers will have the entire first floor and will have board rooms on the second floor.

Instead of having to walk miles every morning to get even breakfast, the assistants in the Chardon Street Home will be working with a model kitchen with every convenience. A feature of the new temporary home will be a roof playground for the children.

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BOSTON'S TAX RATE NOT EXPECTED TO BE RAISED.

ASSESSORS HAVE GOOD NEWS FOR CITIZENS, TO BE ANNOUNCED SOON BY MAYOR CURLEY.

Upon Mayor Curley's return from campaigning up state the tax rate for the current year will be announced. No change is expected from the present rate of \$24.70, though there have been rumors that the new rate might be ten cents lower or higher.

The assessors have had the usual difficulty in finding sufficient new valuation, with heavy losses in personal value, to justify a stand-pat attitude. The loss of their cases against the adjudged valuation of the Telephone Company's property in Boston was a severe disappointment.

It was no particular secret that the Boston assessors and the Law Department expected the State Board of Tax Appeal to grant the city at least \$5,000,000 of additional telephone valuation over the figures of Tax Commissioner Long. Such an increase would have meant at least 50 cents in the tax rate.

The city contended that the valuation of the company's property should be \$20,000,000, instead of \$10,000,000, but the board, comprising State Treasurer James Jackson, State Auditor Alonzo Cook and Councilor John A. White, refused a revision of Mr. Long's figures. Corporation Counsel E. Mark Sullivan is undecided whether he will appeal the case.

Boston has had a tax rate of \$24.70 for the last three years, and in order to keep the figure from soaring, it has been necessary continually to increase the burden of real estate.

Last year, while the assessors found \$52,312,700 in new real estate values, the total findings dropped to \$36,390,294, owing to the slump in personal property. There has been a similar result this year, though the amount of new construction, which will figure in the assessors' totals is much greater than in the last few years. Ward 5, the business district, will, as usual, show the greatest increase in values. Last year the increase in that ward alone was \$18,127,200.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, September 29, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston, formerly Dorchester, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Fairview street, bounded:

East by another part of Fairview street and by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes in Fairview street May 19, 1915, eight feet; south by another part of Fairview street, one hundred feet; west by the same, eight feet; and north by the same, one hundred feet; containing eight hundred square feet more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 100 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Fairview street for a distance of about 100 feet westerly from easement taken May 19, 1915, for sewerage purposes in said street.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO ROOM 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered: That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Fairview street for a distance of about seventy feet westerly from Ainsley street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 575, Sewerage Works, Fairview Street, Dorchester, August 13, 1924, Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department" and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Rose C. Armstrong.....	\$71 36
2. Arthur C. Morse, Martha E. Morse.....	71 36
3. George A. Littlefield.....	80 00
4. George A. Littlefield.....	80 00
	<u>\$302 72</u>

EXTENSION OF CONTRACT.

V. Barlatta has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in Weld street, between Board of Survey street 1779 and Parkvale road, West Roxbury, from September 6, 1924, to September 20, 1924, 14 days.

W. H. Ellis and Son Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for repairing piers and fender guards of Summer Street Bridge, over reserved channel, South Boston, from September 10, 1924, to October 30, 1924, on account of not getting a low run of tides so as to drive the low water girders, also on account of work in locating the Edison Electric Company's cables so as to drive the piles.

CALLS UPON MASSACHUSETTS TO RETURN TO CONTROL OF GOVERNMENT MEN OF DEMOCRATIC PARTY WHO WILL REVIVE INDUSTRY, RESTORE COMMERCE AND PROVIDE NATIONAL SECURITY AND PROGRESS.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS NOTABLY ABLE ADDRESS AT PARTY CONVENTION ASSEMBLED IN WORCESTER, SEPTEMBER 20, PILLORYING PRESENT ADMINISTRATION FOR FAILURE TO WORK IN INTEREST OF PEOPLE OF COUNTRY.

Mayor James M. Curley, of Boston, Democratic candidate for Governor, delivered the following address at the State Convention in Worcester on September 20.

The revolt of free men throughout the nation who for a lifetime have been enrolled Republicans is sufficiently general to justify the belief that the Democracy will this year, both in state and nation, be successful. Transforming the party of Abraham Lincoln into the party of Morgan & Co., coupled with a brutal disregard for the nation's defenders, faithful public servants and industrial depression, will unquestionably prompt the American public to disregard party ties and elect as President of the United States Democracy's standard-bearer, the Honorable John W. Davis.

Brilliant as a statesman, able as a diplomat, great as an American, John W. Davis is the embodiment of the commanding virtues that the American people demand in the Chief Executive of this nation. Through his leadership it will be possible to develop both a foreign and domestic policy, through which commerce may be restored, industry revived, and harmonious relations re-established between capital and labor.

It is essential, nay imperative, that Massachusetts furnish her contribution to national security and progress by electing that able and brilliant legislator, the Honorable David I. Walsh. The nation needs him and the disabled veterans, whose interests he safeguarded in every section of America, are praying to the throne on high for his success.

The same brutal disregard for the public weal, responsible for the loss to the Republican Party of the West and the Northwest, has been in evidence in our own Commonwealth. The spectacle of a "New England Week," held for the purpose of promoting the welfare of the New England States, at a time when the party is in control, both in the nation and state, are pursuing a policy destructive in character not only to New England, but to free men throughout the entire country, is indeed tragic.

The establishment by the Republican machine of the plan for the manufacture of shoes for the army and navy by convicts at the Leavenworth Prison is a direct blow at one of the longest established industries in our own Commonwealth. The award of a contract to a firm in Manchester, England, for the manufacture of khaki cloth for uniforms to be worn by United States employees at a time when New England mills were either closed down or working part time, is a further example of the unfriendly

attitude of the present administration toward American labor. The action of the Republican machine in Massachusetts in making provision for the establishment of a printing department at the State's Prison and thereby putting convict labor in our Commonwealth in competition with free labor, is a further evidence of hostility.

The long continued failure to develop the commercial resources of the gateway of New England, the port of Boston, is responsible in a larger measure than any other single cause for the necessity for holding a "New England Week." The vital need of Massachusetts today is the adoption of a policy, regardless of cost, through which our commercial facilities may be developed as a necessary adjunct to the promotion of domestic industries.

Massachusetts, long a courageous pioneer in the advocacy of equality of opportunity and liberty, today presents a most disheartening and depressing spectacle,—a State Constabulary, maintained by taxation levied upon all people, Jew and Gentile, Catholic and Protestant, black and white alike, serving in a protective capacity at the nocturnal assemblages of an organization whose triumph would mean an end to equality and the destruction of liberty. Upon the specious plea that there is no law by which these assemblages can be suppressed, meetings are not only permitted, but protection by the state provided.

It is not the absence of law that prevents the assemblage of these scoundrels, rather it is fear of political consequences. As a candidate for Governor, I invite the opposition of every member of this cowardly organization, and now serve notice that in assuming the office of Governor in January the State Constabulary will cease providing protection to the Ku Klux Klan. The Ku Klux Klan have never held meetings in Boston and they will not be permitted to hold a meeting in the Commonwealth during my term as Governor.

During the past three years I have found it necessary to appear from time to time before committees of the Legislature in behalf not only of Boston, but of all cities and towns in the Commonwealth, with a view to securing that measure of justice to which every taxpayer is entitled. Under the present Republican administration of the state, the rights of the citizenship have been disregarded and consideration given only to the representatives of capital. I propose, as Democratic candidate for Governor, to submit the facts to the people of this Commonwealth, confident in the belief that an alert and enlightened electorate, such as obtain in Massachusetts,

will vote to end the destructive policy in operation during recent years.

The arrogance and insolence of state commissions when the ordinary citizen is presenting a case is in striking contrast with the lick-spittle servility when the masters of the Republican Party in the Commonwealth appear—the lobbyists. The shifting of the burden of taxation from the privileged class to the property owner must be speedily corrected if we are to avoid a system of taxation so prohibitive as to render the cost of housing beyond the earning capacity of the individual and the ownership of real property a burden difficult to bear. The adoption of the state income tax law in 1916 provided an avenue speedily thronged by lobbyists' and lawyers, representing the national banks and seeking an opportunity to evade their just portion of the cost of government.

Upon assuming the office of Mayor in 1922, I was informed by the Corporation Counsel that the national banks were seeking a refund from the Commonwealth, and the cities and towns where national banks were located, of the huge sum of twelve millions of dollars. This raid, if unchecked, would have represented an outlay by the City of Boston alone of about six millions of dollars and would have meant bankruptcy to many towns of the Commonwealth.

I refused to approve a settlement of the cases then pending to which the City of Boston was a party. The action thus taken prevented a settlement by the agents on Beacon Hill, who were already reckoning not only their capital return, but their interest, running into the huge sum of \$12,000,000. Legislation was sought to relieve the cities and towns from a refund of any portion of this money, introduced by the City of Boston, with the result that a settlement was finally effected, under which no portion of the cost should be borne by the Commonwealth.

As a result of the action taken by the municipality of Boston an agreement was reached by the Legislature whereby the bill for \$12,000,000 was reduced to \$3,000,000. The bill as finally adopted by the Legislature, with a view to extracting the Republican machine from the financial cavity into which it had been deposited, while relieving the cities and towns of any portion of the burden, made provision for the raising of the money necessary to cover the cost of refund from an income tax. This settlement as finally determined upon was in no sense a just settlement so far as the cities and towns and the Commonwealth itself were concerned, but it was the only character of settlement that could be secured through a Legislature hopelessly enmeshed with money influence.

An honest government on Beacon Hill would have prevented this raid on the people by the passage of an adequate act as proposed by the City of Boston, because this act as proposed by the City of Boston would have brought the national bank tax law of Massachusetts into perfect conformity with the Federal law governing national banks and the tax which under the Federal law states may impose on local banks.

To the partnership between the Republican machine on Beacon Hill and the national bank officials may be traced in part the absorption of trust companies taken over solely for the purpose

This was later followed, as shown by the tax return of 1923, by the absorption of earnings through the writing off of further evasion of equitable taxation. securities, which either were valueless or had depreciated in value and were carried as assets. In one specific instance a national bank, paying a tax to the municipality of \$460,000 in 1922, paid in 1923 but \$68, and this year will not pay anything.

This condition is so general throughout the Commonwealth as to make imperatively necessary an immediate divorce of the financial interest and the party in control of the activities of the Commonwealth.

The same complete surrender to corporate greed evidenced in the national bank tax cases has obtained among the membership of the Department of Public Utilities. Railroad commutation fares were increased despite the united opposition of every agency interested in the public welfare and this notwithstanding the fact that the average railroad fare increase in the preceding five years was in excess of 20 per cent for this class of service.

The City of Boston has been obliged to appropriate the sum of \$160,000 for the conduct of an investigation of lighting charges levied by the Edison Electric Illuminating Company on the public of Boston. As a result of this expenditure by the city, it has been possible to secure five reductions in rate since the close of the World War, representing a total saving to the people in excess of two and a half million dollars, and in no single instance was a reduction ordered by the Public Utilities Commission.

What has been true of electric light cost is equally true in the case of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company, which has been forced by the municipality to make four reductions in the price of gas, representing a total savings to the people of two millions of dollars, and in no single instance was a reduction ordered of any action taken by the Public Utilities Commission, despite the fact that war prices obtained in the case of both of these necessities and although material costs had been reduced fully 25 per cent.

The present investigation of the Telephone case, as conducted by the City of Boston, is an added evidence of the abandonment of the people's rights by the membership of the Public Utilities Commission of Massachusetts. A strike for improved conditions by the operatives and the measures taken to fill the places of competent striking operatives with strikebreakers, caused a deficit of one million, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars in the income of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company.

The company announced its purpose to increase rates not only to cover the loss incurred as a consequence of the strike, but to increase the earnings of the company far in excess of any previously enjoyed. The Massachusetts Public Utilities Commission, servile servant of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, would have unquestionably approved this raid upon the people for telephone service were it not for the action of the City of Boston in appropriating public money not for the benefit of the municipality alone, but for the benefit of every city and town in the Commonwealth, to prevent the

pilfering of the people's income by the Telephone Company and Public Utilities Commission working jointly.

The creation of a Department of Administration and Finance, whose chief activities have been confined to reducing salaries and effecting economies, so called, at the expense of the health and in many cases the life of wards of the state, presents an interesting subject for study. The highly intelligent and exceptionally capable body of state employees, numbering nearly 16,000, as a consequence of the mistaken policy of economy, through the failure to receive a wage sufficient to keep body and soul together, are today transformed into a belligerent murmuring group dissatisfied with present conditions and seeking an avenue of escape from a situation becoming daily more unbearable.

In striking contrast with this unhappy lot of state employees I beg you will contrast the citizens in the employ of the City of Boston today enjoying a wage 25 per cent in excess of the wage paid during the war, serene in mind, energetic in their labors and rendering a full equivalent in every case for the equitable salaries which they receive. The position of the average unfortunate who has been deprived through advancing years or through other causes, either of vision or the power to earn a livelihood, and who because of this condition becomes a state charge, might be likened to the man of Scripture who went down to Jericho and fell among thieves.

They have been at the mercy of a crowd of Levites known as the Commission on Administration and Finance, headed by one Homer Loring. The blind who formerly were permitted to earn an independent livelihood at basket weaving and other industries, have, in addition to the loss of vision, been further punished through the closing of their industries on the plea of economy and pauperized by the payment of a weekly dole, insufficient to provide for their needs.

The attendance at the insane asylums has been so reduced in numbers in order to effect economy that the sworn testimony given recently in the Taunton Court disclosed the fact that one attendant is now required for a continuous period of ten hours to minister to the needs of 115 feeble-minded or violently insane persons. The state charges at Tewksbury have been treated to a new diet since the creation of the Commission on Administration and Finance, a diet known as "absent food treatment," developed by the chairman of the Commission on Administration and Finance with a view to promoting economy, the inmates of the institution being deprived for a period of three days at a time of potatoes and meat.

The public were regaled with stories of tremendous saving effected by the purchase of fuel by this State Commission, but they were denied information as to the character of the fuel and how it was ultimately consumed. The fuel purchased was high in sulphur even though low in price, and the quantity purchased was so great and the inflammable character of the fuel such as to make it necessary to leave it exposed to the elements, with the result that a considerable portion of the coal purchased was burned on the ground rather than in the boilers.

Despite the much-heralded, unwise and false economy of the present state

administration and the reduction of the state tax from twelve millions to ten millions of dollars, the state this year has appropriated much more than it did last year, so that this year it will spend forty-seven and a half millions of dollars.

Partisan politics has been permitted to play havoc with one of the most valued institutions in this Commonwealth, the Massachusetts Agricultural College. Speeches and promises have been made from time to time of aid to the agriculturist, but when his crop is harvested he finds it consists of empty promises. I propose as Governor to be guided upon matters relative to the agricultural interests of the Commonwealth by the judgment of the agriculturists, rather than the agencies that have been outlining the policy in recent years on Beacon Hill, namely, the lobbyists.

Disregard for morality and the increase in drug addicts, with crime wave and lawlessness, may be traced in part to the fact that a certain element in America today enjoy liberty and privileges which either should be permitted everyone or denied everyone. As an American citizen, I am opposed to the return of the saloon and the Raines law hotel, I nevertheless believe that the Volstead Act should be liberalized. The security of the American nation is dependent in a larger measure upon the equality of opportunity and liberty that obtained than upon all else combined.

The Democratic party today, united both in nation and state, stands as it has ever stood, the eternal advocate of those principles and policies which have made possible this splendid nation in which we live.

The Republican party, its ranks divided and torn, its legislative program of failure and incapacity, its avowed hostility to soldier and toiler, today stands indicted as unfit to longer control the government of America. This is our opportunity and let us meet it with high resolve, united ranks and faith in the intelligence of the American people.

WHITE MEMORIAL SOON READY.

More than two hundred invitations have been sent out for the unveiling of the \$50,000 memorial to George R. White, near the Arlington-Beacon street gate in the Public Garden, Wednesday, October 1, at noon. For several weeks the Rockport granite base for the memorial has been developing. Only minor details await the official exercises.

Daniel C. French is the sculptor of the bronze figure that will crown the memorial. It is learned that the figure is that of a woman, depicting the allegorical act of casting bread upon the waters. On the base is already inscribed the Biblical injunction: "Cast thy bread upon the waters and it shall return to thee again after many days."

Mrs. Harriet J. Bradbury of Commonwealth avenue, sister of Mr. White, will unveil the memorial figure, which is now carefully concealed in burlap and it is expected that Mr. White's closest friend for many years, William C. Endicott of Danvers, will make the presentation address. The memorial will be accepted by Mayor Curley.

The monument is provided for in the will which left to the people of Boston the annual income on more than \$5,000,000 worth of downtown property.

WHY I DESIRE TO BE GOVERNOR.

By JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor of Boston.

I desire to be Governor of Massachusetts for the reason that I am vitally interested in the welfare of the state where both my wife and myself were born and where my seven children propose permanently to reside.

A quarter of a century of association and study of Massachusetts problems is an experience that in my opinion should be of value to the Commonwealth and to the people.

The development of commercial resources and the expansion of the port of Boston, the gateway of New England, as an aid to domestic industry and foreign commerce having been disregarded through a policy of false economy by the party now in control of the state should for the welfare of all be undertaken at once. Regardless of expense, this I propose doing.

The reorganization of steam railroads, passenger and freight service, to secure administrative economy and operative efficiency that industry's burdens may be lightened, new industries encouraged, employment be multiplied and men and enterprises safeguarded from political exploitation for political means and ends, is at once imperative.

As Mayor of Boston I have adopted a policy of enlightened humanity in the treatment of the city's charges. From the reports which from time to time become public there is a pressing need of a similar policy in the treatment of the state wards and this should be put in operation without further delay.

Boston, through development of the spirit of co-operation and conciliation, is today recognized as a "strikeless city." In my opinion the same policy is necessary in the state, so that through justice the interests of capital and labor may be safeguarded and through a harmonious policy the welfare of both may be conserved.

The abandonment by the Public Utilities Commission of all consideration for the rights of the people and the approval by the Public Utilities Commission of increased costs for such necessities as light, heat, transportation and telephone service make necessary an immediate and radical change to the end that the burden borne by the people be lightened and the cost of these necessities be more equitably apportioned.

As Governor I believe it will be possible for me to substitute official activity for official lethargy and replace explanations, apologies and excuses with achievements beneficial to all.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for leasing the concession privileges for furnishing weighing machines in convenience stations of the Health Department. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Health Department, Room 1108, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 1, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing the new police headquarters building, Stuart and Berkeley streets. Surety bond will be required in an

amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$25,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 15, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing the hull, etc., of the ferryboat "John H. Sullivan." Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for repairing wharf at coal pocket, South Ferry, East

Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, October 7, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Ralston road, between Ruskin road and Rutledge road, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,300. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, September 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Wilmington avenue, from Capen street about 230 feet easterly, and outlet in Capen street from Fairmount street to Wilmington avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for sewerage works in Maynard street, between Metropolitan avenue and 260 feet southeasterly, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, October 2, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Arnold street, Vale street, Linwood street and Child street, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, October 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Weld street, between Parkvale road and Church street, and Parkvale road and Church street, between Weld street and 150 feet southeast of Parkvale road, West Roxbury. Surety bonds will be required in the amount of \$7,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$700, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, October 9, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Central avenue, Greenwood avenue, Metropolitan avenue and Westminster street, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, October 3 at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, including all trades, the East Boston High School for boys and girls, Brook and White streets, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$20,000 to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without certified check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, October 3, at 12 m.

Proposals for erecting the East Boston High School for Girls and Boys, Chapman District, Brooks and White streets, has been deferred and the date for opening bids has been extended to Tuesday, October 14, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing surgical instruments to the Boston City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, September 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, September 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing 1,200 gallons of blue lead paint. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may

be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, October 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing light and heavy fuel oil to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, October 3, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, September 25:

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

John J. McCarthy has been appointed to serve as Acting City Collector during the four weeks commencing September 24, in the absence of the City Collector.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

The Finance Commission has employed, under Rule 35 of the Civil Service, for a period not exceeding ten days, to do certain engineering work, Wilbur F. Goodrich at \$8 a day.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn has been granted permission to attend the convention of the Holy Name Society in Washington September 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21.

Chief of Department John O. Taber was designated as Acting Fire Commissioner in the interim.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

William P. Joy has been granted temporary employment for a period of five days from September 6, as a physical instructor at \$1,700 a year.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Charles Shea has been granted an extension of employment for three months as a rodman, \$1,000 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, September 18:

Main Department.

D. Bransfield, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; J. McHale, head fireman, 12 hours, \$9; W. Robbins, plumber, 15 hours, \$10.35; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 15 hours, \$10.35; W. P. Cody, plumbers' helper, 15 hours, \$8.44; D. J. Sullivan, steamfitter's helper, 25½ hours, \$14.34; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 22½ hours, \$15.98; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 10½ hours, \$7.46; J. Mahan,

steamfitter's helper, 10½ hours, \$5.91; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; C. Clancy, elevator operator, 12 hours, \$3; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 15 hours, \$9.45; C. Doran, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 16½ hours, \$10.73; J. O'Halloran, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62.

South Department.

J. Bean, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62; Joseph O'Halloran, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62.
Total, \$150.24.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, September 18:

Albert Libbey, chauffeur, 1 day, \$5.
John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

For the week ending Thursday, September 25:

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, September 25:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Philip J. Donovan, gardener, 1 day, \$5.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, September 18:

A. Elliott, H. Denvir, telephone operators, 1 day, \$3.67 each.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 22:

Draughtsman.—Joseph R. Downey, 2 days, \$10.41.

Electrician.—Joseph V. Maddock, 1 day, \$10.68.

Laborer.—Hugh M. McLaughlin, 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$25.59.

Net cost for the week ending September 22, 1924, \$25.59.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 22:

Tollman.—William G. Greenall, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Firemen.—John J. Sullivan, Thomas Murphy, 1½ days, \$9 each; Patrick McDevitt, ¼ day, \$1.50; Nathan McConn, ½ day, \$3.75.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Deckhand.—John McInnis, ¾ day, \$3.38.
Total, \$43.13.

Net cost for the week ending September 22, 1924, \$19.25.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 22:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, M. S. Ryan, J. J. Spillane, D. Gallagher, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—J. P. W. Callahan, M. J. Connolly, T. Dwyer, J. P. Leonard, D. F. McLaughlin, P. J. McLaughlin, J. M. Ryan, E. J. Tighe, W. McManus, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.38 each.

Teamsters.—P. Cataldo, G. Guiffredo, H. J. Holmes, J. P. Sullivan, C. E. Villello, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25 each.
Total, \$77.92.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 22:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callahan, John O'Connor, 2 days, \$10 each; Michael Foley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; Dennis Collins, 1 day, \$5; Stephen Manning, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; Thomas Byrne, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.78.

Laborers.—John Dolan, 2 days, \$9; Michael McMahon, John Keenan, Isaac Goldstein, Thomas Flaherty, Patrick McDonough, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; Patrick White, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Oiler.—Joseph Sullivan, 2 days, \$12.
Total, \$99.91.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 22:

Teamsters.—M. Fitzpatrick, J. H. Lane, M. J. O'Connell, B. J. Callahan, G. H. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, M. F. Shea, J. W. Collins, F. R. Deacon, D. C. Doherty, J. L. Kilmurray, J. T. O'Leary, E. White, E. F. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, J. J. McHugh, M. T. Clougherty, N. Albano, J. F. Brown, B. J. Callahan, J. A. Carr, G. H. Corcoran, J. P. Driscoll, F. H. Granville, R. M. Jennings, J. M. Kramer, J. J. McGarry, W. T. Maloney, E. J. Moore, J. P. Rogers, J. H. Smith, B. Sullivan, J. J. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$148.50.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 22:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burke, 2 days, \$10; P. Clougherty, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63; T. Norton, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; M. Walsh, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Lynch, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$4.45; D. Hanlon, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$1.03; F. Ware, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$4.45; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Hogarty, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.81; C. Mariani, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$1.88; J. C. Dolan, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$9.80; C. Driscoll, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$11.34; P. Ippolito, $2\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$13.41; R. Kelley, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.81; J. Ryan, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$5.16; M. Sullivan, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.58; J. Dunbar, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.67; D. Kirby, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; J. McCaffrey, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.11; J. Williamson, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.35; N. McPhee, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.13; J. Feeley, $3\frac{1}{8}$ days, \$16.99; G. Greer, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$1.88; J. McKenney, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.06; A. Rolfe, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$1.78; W. Corbett, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$1.78; F. Kernan, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$1.69; T. Byrnes, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$4.13; J. Blessington, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$3.75; M. Matthews, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$1.88; J. Cummings, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.06; E. De Angelis, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63; S. Mickewicz, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.91; F. Giammito, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.06; J. Lonergan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.06; F. Schena, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$2.95; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, C. King, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, J. M. O'Toole, E. Pyne, P. Waters, E. Willhauck, 1 day,

\$4.50 each; P. Barry, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$1.69; G. Cunningham, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.47; W. Dolan, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$0.84; B. Doherty, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.19; B. Hill, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.81; P. Mulkern, $\frac{1}{8}$ day, \$1.69; C. Pastore, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.36; F. De Angelo, J. O'Toole, 2 days, \$9 each.
Total, \$337.46; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$331.96.

OMITTING AND ADDING WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$50, on contract with King & Kingsley for wooden screen on Dorchester brook outlet on account of securing down stream pile cap with 1-inch lag bolts and placing additional wooden braces. Original contract, \$1,400; total addition, \$50; contract as standing, \$1,450.

An addition, amounting to \$534, on contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for building sewerage works in Grove street, West Roxbury, on account of furnishing 25,000 pounds cast-iron pipe of required size and length for man-hole crossings; furnishing and laying 20-inch, cast-iron pipe culvert across trench at station 2 plus 05; and repairing 2 catch-basins after removal of gas pipe. Original contract, \$71,316.50; total addition, \$534; contract as standing, \$71,850.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$1,940, on contract with A. Baruffaldi Company for furnishing and laying 30-inch steel pipe and laying 30-inch and 24-inch cast-iron pipe in Massachusetts avenue, under the tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Boston & Providence Division) on account of installing 24-inch cap on old 24-inch water pipe; removing and relocating 6-inch and 10-inch water pipe out of line of new work; helping Water Service employees in cutting out and removing old 24-inch water pipe under the tracks of the Boston Elevated Railway and raising and relaying 86 feet of existing 24-inch water pipe outside limits of contract to a proper grade to connect with new work. Original contract, \$28,948; total addition, \$1,940; contract as standing, \$30,888.

An addition, amounting to \$300, on contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for laying high pressure fire pipes in Hawkins, Bowker, Chardon, Kneeland streets, Atlantic avenue, South, Chatham, Commerce, Milk, Washington, Kilby, Doane, Broad, State, Hanover, India, North, Union, Sudbury, Custom House, Kingston, Fleet streets, city proper, on account of relocating 12-inch water pipe; replacing 12-foot length of 12-foot defective pipe laid in 1916 and found split when connecting to the same; repairing high pressure hydrants, etc. Original contract, \$216,472.50; total additions, \$550; contract as standing, \$217,022.50.

An addition, amounting to \$30, on contract with M. DeSisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Alhambra road, Greenfield avenue, Orange street, Roslindale avenue, Washington street, West Roxbury Parkway and Willow street, West Roxbury; Lane park, Orchard road and Penniman road, Brighton, on account of removing old post hydrant and plugging branch;

searching for buried gate; and setting piles and platform to support post hydrant on ash fill. Original contract, \$5,555; total additions, \$167.50; contract as standing, \$5,722.50.

An addition, amounting to \$10, on contract with M. DeSisto Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Branch and Medway streets, Dorchester; Atlantis and Church streets, Goodway road, Moody street, Pierpont road, Weld street, West Roxbury; Larch, Perle streets, Perthshire road and Redford street, Brighton, on account of removing and relocating house drain. Original contract, \$5,416; total addition, \$10; contract as standing, \$5,426.

An addition, amounting to \$50, on contract with Carmine Russo for laying and relaying water pipes in Bismarck, Germania, La Grange streets, West Roxbury, Ruskin road, Hyde Park, Wabash street, Dorchester, on account of removing concrete walls on pipe line conduit and repairing the same. Original contract, \$3,220; total additions, \$450; contract as standing, \$3,670.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

M. L. McDonald Company has been allowed the sum of \$200 for treating in gold the capitals of all pilasters, including stars and titles on each column, of the East Boston High School, as per inspector's letter of August 11, 1924. Contract price, \$4,790; total addition, \$200; amount of contract, \$4,990.

Joseph Slotnik Company has been allowed for installing Bloxonend flooring in the basement of the Dorchester High School the sum of \$4,061. Contract price, \$871,911; total additions, \$76,271.94; total deductions, \$8,500; amount of contract, \$939,682.94.

Industrial Electric Company has been allowed the following changes in contract for the Charles Sumner District School, as per electrical engineer's letter of August 12, 1924. Change location of gas outlet from boys' toilet to basement corridor on account of heating pipes being in the way. For the above work add to your contract the sum \$38.50. Deduct the sum \$225 for omission of City of Boston auxilialized fire alarm box. Total deductions, \$186.50. Contract price, \$14,196; total deduction, \$186.50; amount of contract, \$14,009.50.

Joseph Slotnik Company has been allowed the following changes in contract for the Dorchester High School, as per architect's letter of June 3, 1924. Furnish and install acoustical treatment on all the panels of main ceiling and balcony soffit of assembly hall, and on the entire ceilings of typewriter rooms Nos. 318 and 319 on third floor, as follows: Install 1-inch thick flat sheets of standard acoustic felt secured to solid fiber board backing held between frames, accurately fitting the several spaces. Acoustic membrane to be best quality 5-ounce cotton fabric stretched tight, given a coat of special shrinking compound, and finished with a washable flat oil paint with lithophone (metallic) base. A continuous air space of at least $\frac{1}{2}$ inch to be maintained between acoustic felt and acoustic membrane. The finished work shall be guaranteed to remain permanently smooth and free from wrinkling or sagging. For the above work the sum of \$3,308.80 will be added to contract price. Contract price, \$871,911; total additions, \$72,210.94; total deductions, \$8,500; amount of contract, \$935,621.94.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 18 TO SEPTEMBER 24.

SEPTEMBER 18.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. I. Russell.	11 Ranelegh road.	26	New fixtures.	\$350
Powers & Mehegan.	21 Pearl street.	11	New fixtures.	850
Joseph F. Burke.	12 Newbury street.	8	New fixtures.	200
Fred L. Johnson.	415 Dorchester avenue.	11	New fixtures.	1,500
Henry Smith.	579 Columbia road.	17	New fixtures.	300
Walter P. Jones.	24 Dustin street.	26	New fixtures.	100
O. J. Morlock.	117 Ward street.	14	New fixtures.	150
E. M. Duggan.	210 Huntington avenue.	7	New fixtures.	650
Jacob Pilvin.	39 Holborn street.	16	New fixtures.	600
Victor Tenberg.	15 23 Kneeland street.	5	New fixtures.	18,000
M. Rieeman.	356 Harrison avenue.	6	New fixtures.	100
C. E. Hatch.	306 Hyde Park avenue.	22	New fixtures.	250
J. P. Shaughnessy.	1 Grover street.	24	New fixtures.	150
Wilford H. Gray.	242 Fuller street.	21	New fixtures.	975
The McVarish Company.	55 Elm street.	5	New fixtures.	270
Richard A. Tobin.	101 Tremont street.	5	New fixtures.	25
Powers & Mehegan.	44 Stockton street.	21	New fixtures.	1,200
Powers & Mehegan.	70 Stockton street.	21	New fixtures.	900
Wilford H. Gray.	144 Millet street.	21	New fixtures.	115
William H. Browne.	13 Lorna road.	21	New fixtures.	850

SEPTEMBER 19.

K. W. McManus.	629 Washington street.	21	New fixtures.	\$250
George H. Pentz.	55 Paul street.	6	New fixtures.	150
Stephen J. Connolly.	88 Mt. Pleasant avenue.	12	New fixtures.	250
David H. Lane.	87 Magnolia street.	17	New fixtures.	115
Edward H. Marchant.	159 Kingston street.	5	New fixtures.	115
Abraham Katz.	43 Claymass road.	25	New fixtures.	900
William S. Howe Company.	46 and 48 Blenford road.	25	New fixtures.	2,200
James Coutts.	21 Ashland street.	13	New fixtures.	600
Massachusetts Sprinkler, Plumbing and Heating Company.	134 Warren street.	12	New fixtures.	1,300
Paginton Brothers.	7 Dell avenue.	24	New fixtures.	250

SEPTEMBER 20.

James J. Kelley.	317 Quincy street.	18	New fixtures.	\$225
John Manning.	41-45 Pittsburgh street.	9	New fixtures.	500
S. Tack.	31 Hobson street.	23	New fixtures.	475
Joseph Seigel.	201-207 Harvard avenue.	25	New fixtures.	1,000
W. L. Ambrose.	723 East Seventh street.	10	New fixtures.	125
J. M. Nihen.	1965 Dorchester avenue.	20	New fixtures.	2,300
Pierce & Cox.	6 Windermere road.	17	New fixtures.	995
William J. Cleary.	472 Washington street.	25	New fixtures.	240

SEPTEMBER 22.

Harry F. Nation.	206 Riverway.	14	New fixtures.	\$5,700
E. P. Fuller.	44 Pontiac street.	14	New fixtures.	2,000
Charles Green.	148 Lamartine street.	15	New fixtures.	750
E. M. Duggan.	48 Hillside street.	14	New fixtures.	175
A. J. Granara.	80 Fulton street.	5	New fixtures.	50
David J. Cole.	330 Bowdoin street.	17	New fixtures.	200
E. M. Duggan.	6 Arendia street.	15	New fixtures.	700
Charles G. Stellberger.	324 Longwood avenue.	14	New fixtures.	700
Charles G. Stellberger.	322 Longwood avenue.	14	New fixtures.	600
L. W. Blakey.	410 Weld street.	23	New fixtures.	275
John J. Vogel.	15 Symmes street.	23	New fixtures.	578
John J. Vogel.	214 Stratford street.	23	New fixtures.	465
John J. Vogel.	18 Landseer street.	23	New fixtures.	400
A. J. Hughes.	39 Braden street.	23	New fixtures.	800
John B. Sharp.	100 Parsons street.	26	New fixtures.	250
John J. Vogel.	79 Robert street.	23	New fixtures.	150
J. P. Perry & Co.	246 Devonshire street.	5	New fixtures.	150
A. J. Callahan.	9 Noanet street.	5	New fixtures.	150
A. J. Callahan.	11 Noanet street.	5	New fixtures.	150

SEPTEMBER 23.

Harold Richardson.	85 Myrtle street.	8	New fixtures.	\$400
H. F. Bimidel.	1057-1067 Hyde Park ave.	24	New fixtures.	600
Harry F. Nation.	111 Chestnut road.	25	New fixtures.	75
C. H. Cronin.	68 Chestnut street.	8	New fixtures.	400
William T. Hamgan.	56 Allen street.	5	New fixtures.	250
M. Pass & Co.	246 Chambers street.	5	New fixtures.	70
Joseph Locke.	253 Brookline avenue.	14	New fixtures.	90
R. A. LaCentra.	158 Adams street.	18	New fixtures.	800
R. A. LaCentra.	1 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
R. A. LaCentra.	2 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
R. A. LaCentra.	3 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
R. A. LaCentra.	4 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
P. H. McCormack.	1 Baldwin place.	25	New fixtures.	350

SEPTEMBER 24.

William E. Maynard.	224 Beacon street.	8	New fixtures.	\$1,000
John J. Vogel.	4 Strong place.	8	New fixtures.	300
T. W. Casserly.	88 West Selden street.	21	New fixtures.	850
John J. Tierney.	45 West Canton street.	6	New fixtures.	150
A. and B. Feldman.	15 Waumbek street.	16	New fixtures.	175
John M. Hannigan.	48 Rosewood street.	24	New fixtures.	1,250
Joyce & Travers.	29 Lexington avenue.	24	New fixtures.	400
Charles Green.	146 Lamartine street.	15	New fixtures.	750
H. Weiss.	180 Harold street.	16	New fixtures.	175
C. B. Tucker.	46 Beacon street.	8	New fixtures.	3,500
L. E. Marchant.	25 Ferry street.	5	New fixtures.	150
H. F. Bimidel.	24 Mildred avenue.	21	New fixtures.	1,100
William H. Colman.	46 Fisher avenue.	14	New fixtures.	250

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 607.

Again it becomes my painful duty to announce that another police officer of this department has been murdered by an assassin's bullet.

Almost one year ago Patrolman Joseph E. Gonya of Division 18, while in the conscientious performance of his duty as a police officer, was shot and instantly killed by a member of a gang engaged in stealing automobiles. Over a week ago Patrolman David M. McCarthy of Division 5 was murderously assaulted and dangerously wounded. Yesterday Patrolman Albert Motroni of Division 7, while investigating an automobile theft, was cowardly slain by the same type of criminal, and Patrolman Thomas G. Duggan of Division 7, who accompanied him, miraculously escaped the same fate.

Patrolman Albert Motroni was appointed to this department October 31, 1919, and assigned to Division 7, to which station he was continuously attached.

The tragic death of Patrolman Motroni, while it conveys a feeling of extreme sorrow to the department that so brave an officer should be so suddenly stricken, also demonstrates the caliber and material of the men comprising this department, who, when given an order to execute, flinched not in the face of extreme danger. As a soldier in peace, sworn to protect the citizens of this city, he faced and met death with the same courage and fortitude that he demonstrated as a soldier in the army of the United States on the fields of France.

These successive attacks upon police officers who stand between law-abiding citizens and the forces of disorder should not in any way tend to weaken the spirit and courage of the members of this department, but should knit them more closely as a unit in combating the forces of evil.

I desire to extend to the immediate family and especially to the widow and daughter of the late Patrolman Albert Motroni the sympathy of this department in their great loss, realizing full well that words of sympathy avail little to assuage the intense grief that they must now endure; yet they may well feel proud of a son, a husband and a father who in the performance of his duty as a police officer met his death bravely and courageously facing the enemy.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 608.

AMENDING GENERAL ORDER No. 599,
ISSUED SEPTEMBER 3, 1924.

The Department of Civil Service and Registration will hold a competitive examination for promotion to the grade of lieutenant in the Boston Police Department, according to the following notice this day received:

This examination will be held on September 29, 1924.

1. This examination is to be open to the sergeants in the Boston Police Department who have served as such, in accordance with civil service rules, at least three years immediately preceding November 15, 1924.

2. The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 9; report,

3; practical questions on police law, practice and procedure, 8; total, 20.

3. Application blanks may be secured from the Department of Civil Service and Registration, Division of Civil Service, Rooms 148-152, State House, Boston. The vouchers on this blank need not be filled out. When completed applications should be returned to the Civil Service office to be placed on file not later than September 29.

4. Experience sheets will be mailed to applicants about a week in advance of the examination and they will then be notified of the precise time and place of examination.

This order abrogates Section 1 of General Order No. 599 and permits sergeants who will have served in the grade for three years immediately preceding November 15, 1924, to take this examination, and also changes the date set in paragraph 3 from September 22 to September 29.

Applications will be received at the office of the Civil Service Commission up to and including September 29, 1924.

Commanding officers will promulgate this order not only by reading it at roll call, but by posting a copy thereof in a conspicuous and accessible place, in each station house; and it shall remain posted until after the date of the examination.

Commanding officers will secure a fresh copy from the superintendent, if the posted copy becomes mutilated or destroyed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company and Edison Company, Seattle street, Ward 26, erect eleven poles.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company and Edison Company, Mascoma street, Ward 17, erect six poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Summer street, Ward 2, erect eighteen poles.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company and Edison Company, Houghton street, Ward 20, erect six poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Lamson street, Ward 2, erect five poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Frankfort street, Ward 2, erect four poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Everett street, Ward 2, erect nineteen poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Rosecliff street, Ward 23, erect five poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Prescott street, Wards 1 and 2, erect sixteen poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, M street, Ward 10, erect three poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, High street, Ward 17, erect three poles.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Beech street, Ward 23, transfer four poles.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, East Sixth street, Ward 10, transfer three poles.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 18 TO SEPTEMBER 24.

SEPTEMBER 18.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Julia L. Morris.....	Rear of 15 Pratt street.....	25	First-class garage.....	\$800
M. K. Harrington.....	1124 and 1126A Dorchester avenue.....	17	First-class garage.....	7,000
M. K. Harrington.....	1124 and 1126(C) Dorchester avenue.....	17	First-class garage.....	7,000
M. K. Harrington.....	1124 and 1126(B) Dorchester avenue.....	17	Second-class garage.....	2,000
M. K. Harrington.....	1124 and 1126 Dorchester avenue.....	17	Second-class garage.....	2,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.....	2216 Dorchester avenue.....	21	Second-class school.....	70,000
Boston Trap Rock Company.....	33 Bradlee street.....	24	Third-class sand bin.....	1,500
I. N. Dworkin.....	3 Jones avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
A. T. McPherson.....	16 Glenside avenue.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	16,000
George Hazarian.....	198 and 200 Washington street.....	19	Third-class gas station.....	375
A. J. Rogers.....	18 Houghton street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Jerome J. Desmond.....	31 Woodlawn street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Carl J. Hettinger.....	11 Highgate street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
I. Cohen.....	134 Warren street.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
David Grassman.....	111 Glenway street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Louis Kobatchnick.....	1501 Dorchester avenue.....	20	Alterations, lunch room.....	4,500
Mrs. Helen A. Husell.....	171 West Newton street.....	7	Erect fire escapes.....	500
Katherine Hudson.....	6 and 8 Claremont park.....	7	Erect fire escapes.....	150
M. Tell, et al.....	15 and 17 Claremont park.....	7	Erect fire escapes.....	200
Martha Cahn.....	29 Bradlee street.....	19	Erect fire escapes.....	200
B. F. Cobleigh.....	22 and 24 Wellington street.....	7	Erect fire escapes.....	100
James A. Henry.....	199 West Springfield street.....	7	Erect fire escapes.....	125
Alice Furlong.....	214 West Springfield street.....	7	Erect fire escapes.....	200
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	8 Allen street.....	3	Take-down, tenements.....	50
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	10 Allen street.....	3	Take-down, tenements.....	50
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	12 Allen street.....	3	Take-down, tenements.....	50
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	14 Allen street.....	3	Take-down, tenements.....	50
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	16 Allen street.....	3	Take-down, tenements.....	50
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	18 Allen street.....	3	Take-down, tenements.....	50
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	20 Allen street.....	3	Take-down, tenements.....	50
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	22 Allen street.....	3	Take-down, tenements.....	50
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	24 Allen street.....	3	Take-down, tenements.....	50

SEPTEMBER 19.

Joseph L. Sullivan.....	89 Waverly street.....	16	First-class garage.....	\$500
Annie Levine.....	Rear of 153 Howard ave.....	17	First-class garage.....	1,500
Regina Querido.....	Rear of 45 Bowdoin street.....	18	First-class garage.....	950
Augusta W. Stinson.....	Rear of 58 Dunster road.....	22	First-class garage.....	600
Annie Murphy.....	Rear of 2 Mapleton street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Giuseppe DiCenzo.....	11 Broad street.....	1	Second-class store.....	4,000
A. B. Fielding.....	10 Wade street.....	25	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Mary J. O'Connell.....	Rear of 75 Claymoss road.....	25	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Hyman Tasker.....	Rear of 34 Waumbek st.....	16	Second-class garage.....	1,500
Nellie Lee.....	Rear of 12 Parsons street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	800
Minnie Bennett.....	Rear of 34 Saranac street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	455
Philip Mc Morrow.....	Rear of 21 Kinross road.....	25	Third-class garage.....	500
John S. Goodway.....	Rear of 11 and 16 Goodway road.....	24	Third class garage.....	500
Philip P. Belanger.....	75 Garnett road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
George Ger et al.....	15 Chester street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	4,500
Joseph Nychay et al.....	30 Ruskin road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	3,500
Cecil H. Robinson.....	32 Woodbury street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Angelo Pisturo.....	46 Vineland street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,700
Julia Somabendi.....	10 Mechanic street.....	5	Alterations, factory.....	200
Boston Dwelling House Company.....	134 Bourne street.....	24	Take-down, storage.....	12
Goodman & Cooper.....	10 Vesta road.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Joseph Price.....	81 Hagleton street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Simons & Weiner.....	20 Dacia street.....	17	Take-down, dwelling.....	300
Simons & Weiner.....	280 Blue Hill avenue.....	17	Take-down, dwelling.....	300
Simons & Weiner.....	278 Blue Hill avenue.....	17	Take-down, dwelling.....	300

SEPTEMBER 20.

Mrs. M. Sullivan.....	Rear of 416 Talbot avenue.....	20	First-class garage.....	\$1,400
Fritz Ritter.....	Rear of 35 Braden street.....	23	Second-class garage.....	900
A. Peterson.....	Rear of 68 Halifax street.....	22	Second-class garage.....	900
Olimpia Stratos.....	22 Parkton avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Lucy E. Stuart.....	393 Park street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
John J. Sullivan.....	Rear of 31 Port Norfolk st.....	20	Third-class garage.....	800
John S. Goodway.....	Rear of 83 Bourne street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	500
John S. Goodway.....	Rear of 87 Bourne street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	500
Max Starr.....	39 Clarkwood street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Rebecca Kaner.....	48 Northampton street.....	12	Alterations, dwelling and store.....	35
Theodora E. Clark.....	34 and 36 Portland street.....	5	Alterations, store and manufacture.....	140
Estate John Foster.....	83-87 Wendell street.....	5	Alterations, storage.....	4,000
Erie Diedricks.....	105 Pinckney street.....	8	Install dumb waiter.....	140
B. W. Neal.....	497 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Install elevator.....	4,000
Governor Square Associates.....	20 Brookline avenue.....	8	Install three elevators.....	12,000
John George.....	210 West Springfield street.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	200
Edward N. Fortune.....	222 West Springfield street.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	200
Mrs. Albert Moran.....	467 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	210
Mystic Building Wrecking Company.....	330 Walnut avenue.....	16	Take-down, dwelling.....	300

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 18 TO SEPTEMBER 24.

SEPTEMBER 22.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Lawrence Donovan.....	Rear of 67 Lonsdale street..	20	First-class garage.....	\$800
Joseph J. Doyle.....	Rear of 52 Woodcliff street..	17	First-class garage.....	1,300
Thomas F. Healey.....	Rear of 11 Tuttle street.....	17	First-class garage.....	1,400
William J. Walsh.....	Rear of 1662 Columbia road..	10	First-class garage.....	900
William Wolf.....	Rear of 1419-1427 Columbus avenue.....	15	First-class garage.....	4,000
Harold Ridgeway.....	Rear of 241 Minot street.....	20	First-class garage.....	700
George A. Haley.....	Rear of 138 Redlands road..	23	First-class garage.....	1,100
Ernest F. Mahoney.....	63 Bellevue street.....	18	First-class garage.....	1,650
Fannie Green.....	Rear of 32 Clarkwood street..	21	First-class garage.....	1,000
Catherine F. Riordan.....	Rear of 29 Ashcroft street..	22	Second-class garage.....	900
John P. Cormican.....	Rear of 107-109 Richmond street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	900
Mrs. A. W. Glaser.....	Rear of 60 Landseer street..	23	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Charles Lerner.....	3090 Washington street.....	15	Second-class store.....	3,000
Jennie E. Watson.....	Rear of 11 Virginia street..	17	Special garage.....	300
Hulda F. Bjurling.....	Rear of 885 Adams street.....	20	Special garage.....	600
F. J. Doyan.....	5 Cygnat street.....	26	Special garage.....	220
M. J. Flannery.....	Rear of 172 Minot street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
F. J. Feeney.....	Rear of 201 Belgrade avenue..	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Bertha E. Meyer.....	Rear of 58 Bradfield avenue..	23	Third-class garage.....	600
R. C. Burnett.....	Rear of 1024 South street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
John Smith.....	Rear of 242 Fuller street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	500
John Smith.....	Rear of 244 Fuller street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	500
Thomas Donelan.....	232 Lake street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
Ewald Shannon.....	27 Whiting street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
D. A. Grosse.....	4197 Washington street.....	23	Third-class store.....	1,000
S. F. Johnson.....	Rear of 90 Thetford avenue..	21	Third-class garage.....	600
Orient Heights Wet Wash..	73 Addison street.....	1	Alterations, coal storage..	1,000
De Blois & Maddison.....	222 Summer street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	2,000
Isaac Goodstein.....	89 Brunswick street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Edward Weiler.....	Rear of 3600 Washington st.,	22	Alterations, milk plant.....	1,800
H. B. Barron.....	38 Astor street.....	7	Alterations, stores.....	25
Timothy J. Guiney.....	83 Bolton street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Sam Feldman.....	12-18 LaGrange street.....	5	Alterations, light manufactur- ing.....	50
Charles Lerner.....	3088 Washington street.....	15	Alterations, stores and tene- ments.....	1,000
Grace G. Worthen.....	69 Rutherford avenue.....	4	Take-down, shed.....	50

SEPTEMBER 23.

William P. Connors.....	Rear of 36 Johnswood road,	23	First-class garage.....	\$1,100
Frank Galizio.....	rear of 531 East Seventh street.....	10	First-class garage.....	1,500
Joseph Seletsky.....	Rear of 7 Pasadena road.....	19	First-class garage.....	1,000
Hannah Goldberg.....	Rear of 18 Page street.....	19	First-class garage.....	1,650
Annie C. Morrill.....	Rear of 2 Harlem street.....	19	First-class garage.....	1,000
Louis V. Melotti <i>et al.</i>	3 Castle Rock street.....	17	First-class garage.....	1,000
Thomas J. Walsh.....	Rear of 6 Howe street.....	17	First-class garage.....	1,200
D. Eddy & Sons Company.....	Rear of 336 Adams street.....	20	First-class dry house.....	1,200
Mary E. McManus.....	Rear of 32 Pearl street.....	11	First-class garage.....	1,500
Guido Lobarti.....	Rear of 247 Norfolk avenue..	12	First-class garage.....	1,100
Mrs. Rose Brugnoni.....	Rear of 30 Eastman street..	11	First-class garage.....	1,600
Timothy P. Cronin.....	58 Pleasant street.....	4	First-class garage.....	900
Frank J. Clark.....	Rear of 8 Greenville street..	12	First-class garage.....	2,000
W. T. Holmes.....	Rear of 42 Bloomfield street..	19	First-class garage.....	1,500
Frederick Jacobson.....	Rear of 69 Ruskin road.....	23	Second-class garage.....	950
John Ferrari.....	Rear of 92 Newburg street.....	23	Second-class garage.....	900
Mrs. Francis Struzziery.....	Rear of 115 Kittredge street..	23	Second-class garage.....	1,200
Lena Wolf.....	Rear of 278 West Fifth street..	9	Second-class garage.....	500
J. Pritsky.....	Rear of 43 Stanwood street.....	18	Second-class garage.....	1,000
R. R. O'Brien.....	Rear of 11 Wallingford road..	25	Second-class garage.....	500
George Johnson.....	50 Carroll street.....	23	Second-class garage.....	300
Jacob Person.....	Rear of 13 Greendale road..	21	Second-class garage.....	1,500
Louise E. Bleye.....	Rear of 641 West Roxbury Parkway.....	23	Third-class garage.....	1,000
Rudolph O. Pacht.....	Rear of 125 Hewlett street..	23	Third-class garage.....	800
M. C. Shea.....	Rear of 68 Wenham street.....	22	Third-class garage.....	600
Mary Casassa.....	7 Mendelssohn street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Bernard Ekberg.....	Rear of 15 Foss road.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
Richard F. O'Leary.....	Rear of 597 East Second street.....	9	Special garage.....	175
David & Henry F. Sears, trustees.....	242 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, publishing.....	5,000
Frank Rossano.....	579 Bennington street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Thomas F. Fallon.....	1261-65 Hyde Park avenue..	24	Alterations, stores and offices,	2,000
Everett F. Mann.....	292 Fairmount avenue.....	24	Alterations, garage.....	300
D. Eddy & Sons Company.....	336 Adams street.....	20	Alterations, refrigerator man- ufacturing.....	1,900
A. W. & H. G. Perry.....	564 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices,	175
Elizabeth Cowan estate.....	29 Ward street.....	11	Alterations, store.....	200
R. Pearson.....	126 Wrentham street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
C. G. Cassaro.....	37 and 39 South Margin street.....	5	Erect fire escapes.....	240
Dr. C. H. Calusdian.....	478 Massachusetts avenue..	7	Erect fire escapes.....	120

SEPTEMBER 24.

Pater Yankum.....	Rear of 922 Dorchester ave..	11	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Mathias Zoba.....	Rear of 539 East Seventh st..	10	First-class garage.....	1,950
Hannah Connors.....	Rear of 74 Train street.....	20	First-class garage.....	1,000
George H. Seavey.....	Rear of 39 Saunders street..	25	First-class garage.....	1,200
Rose Simmons.....	Rear of 24 Lorne street.....	21	First-class garage.....	1,000
Bridget Clasby.....	Rear of 26 Brook avenue.....	12	First-class garage.....	2,500
Coombs Real Estate Trust Company.....	106 and 108 Charles street..	8	Second-class tenements.....	35,000
Margaret S. Wagner.....	Rear of 95 Maxwell street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Annie M. Johnston.....	Rear of 106 Etna street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,100
Mary L. Doyle <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 15 Olmstead street..	22	Second-class garage.....	900
Diamond Realty Company.....	14 West Selden street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Albright Realty Trust Com- pany.....	20 Linden street.....	25	Alterations, manufacturing..	6,500
Max M. Kalman.....	447 Massachusetts avenue..	7	Alterations, stores and tene- ments.....	5,000
G. R. Norcross.....	Rear of 35 Elder street.....	11	Alterations, garage.....	300
Boston Production Company,	1-5 Winthrop square.....	5	Install dumb waiter.....	1,100
Cabot, Cabot & Forbes.....	19 and 21 Kingston street..	5	Install elevator.....	3,500
Austin Eddy.....	117 Broad street.....	5	Alterations, elevator.....	100

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

HEAD DIETITIAN, DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL DISEASES, BOSTON PSYCHOPATHIC HOSPITAL, OCTOBER 8, 1924.

Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$1,200 per year and maintenance. The duties of this position are to have entire charge of the kitchen and all the employees there, prepare menus, order supplies, etc. Applicants should have a knowledge of food and its relation to the human body, preparation of food, nutrition in disease, and special diets for various diseases.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKER, DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL DISEASES, OCTOBER 8, 1924.

Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.

There is one vacancy at the Boston Psychopathic Hospital at a salary of \$960 per year and maintenance and one vacancy at the Danvers State Hospital at a salary of \$960 per year and maintenance.

The duties of this position are the supervision of treatment cases (syphilis treatment clinic), handling of social problems, and follow-up and research work. Applicants should be graduates of a school of social work of recognized standing, or be graduates from a college of recognized standing, specializing on the study of economics and sociology and allied subjects.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ASSISTANT BACTERIOLOGIST, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, OCTOBER 9, 1924.

Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$1,560 per year. It is desirable that applicants have had practical experience in a diagnostic labora-

tory doing public health work. The duties of this position are to assist in the examination of specimens for diphtheria bacilli, tubercle and typhoid bacilli, meningococci, hemolytic streptococci and gonococci; to make special media for the isolation of the typhoid bacillus and to make pneumococcus type determination.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; laboratory tests, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and in the laboratory test, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, OCTOBER 14, 1924.

The salary is \$3,500 a year.

The Sealer of Weights and Measures is required to enforce the laws pertaining to weighing and measuring devices and to the giving of false or insufficient weight or measure; to the licensing of hawkers, peddlers and transient vendors; to wholesale milk containers, ice cream cans and molds, cranberry barrels and crates, standard boxes for farm produce, berry baskets, and other containers used as measures; to the weights of bread and to the labelling of loaves of other than standard unit weight.

It is also his duty to test all weighing or measuring devices used for buying or selling, for public weighing, or for hire or reward, and to seal or condemn them in accordance with the results of his tests; also to investigate complaints and to prosecute violations of law when the evidence warrants such action.

The sealer has supervision over the deputies and is responsible for all fees earned by the department.

Pamphlets including the General Laws relating to weights, measures, licenses, etc., and a Sealer's Manual, containing instructions for the inspection, testing and sealing of weighing and measuring devices, may be obtained upon request to the Director of Standards, 194 State House, after application for examination has been filed.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; arithmetic, 2; report, 1; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 4; total, 15.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has granted the request of the Public Works Department to have the Murray Engineering Company repair pontoon at North Ferry, Boston side, as per letter of August 25, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$2,875. This is emergency work. The top timbers were

broken by collision from ferryboat and when pontoon was taken out for repairs to the timbers it was found necessary to make the other repairs to put the pontoon in good condition.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Lamont Brothers Company have been allowed to amend their contract for moving seven portables at various schools in various districts, by striking out the words and figures, "September 2, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "October 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 29, 1924, and is to be completed on or before October 1, 1924."

R. J. Connolly has been allowed to amend his contract for moving five portables at various schools in various districts, by striking out the words and figures, "September 2, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "October 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 29, 1924, and is to be completed on or before October 1, 1924."

Joseph Beal & Co. have been allowed to amend their contract for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the Winship School, Dighton street, Brighton, by striking out the words and figures, "August 1, 1924," on page 14 of the specifications and substituting therefor the words and figures "September 1, 1924," so that the paragraph, "Date of Completion," shall read: "The machines under this contract are to be delivered and installed and all work completed on or before September 1, 1924."

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CONGRATULATES ON PROMOTION.

Mayor Curley addressed the following telegram of congratulation to Major General Mark L. Hersey, U. S. A., First Army Area Corps, Boston, upon his promotion to present rank.

Boston, September 19, 1924.

Major General Mark L. Hersey, U. S. A., First Army Area Corps, 666 Summer street, Boston.

Kindly accept my hearty congratulation upon your deserved advancement in the United States army. My hope and prayer is that every success and happiness may attend you. I have felt certain that the distinguished service rendered by you in France would meet with honored recognition and am especially gratified at the good news.

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

REVOKES GAS STATION PERMIT.

After prolonged argument Tuesday, September 23, the Street Commission decided that a permit granted to the Cities Service Refining Company for the establishment of a filling station with 4,000 gallons of gasoline and 1,000 gallons of oil at 480 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, had been illegally granted. Daniel T. O'Connell appeared for the Frost Coal Company, and Stoughton Bell appeared for the petitioners.

NEW CHARITY BUILDING.

(Continued from page 1445.)

The home is more frequently the haven for families that have been evicted, or for friendless women. Families evicted are quite apt to be large.

There are two out at the home at Plymouth street, Roxbury, now, one with five children and the other with six. The mother is a deaf-mute, the father is in the hospital. The city had the task of procuring an apartment for the unfortunate family and is expending \$150 for furniture and moving, as the mother is otherwise capable of taking care of her family.

Among the organizations which use the Chardon Street Home for their emergency cases are the Travelers' Aid Society, the State Department of Public Welfare, which sometimes places minor wards in the home for a night or two while effecting some permanent help, the Children's Aid Society, the Boston Police Department and several others.

Last year 901 women and 1,911 children were given from one to three days' lodging on the average in the Chardon Street Home.

Each year there is more need by poor families brought to the attention of the overseers. There were 8,799 persons helped by the overseers in 1850 and \$30,000 expended. In 1903 \$70,041.91 was spent to help 2,346 families, and in 1922 \$1,267,331.87 to help 5,370 families. There is an increase of need but there is also an increase in legislative relief.

There is a large staff of visitors who investigate cases. Several of them are veterans, having been with the overseers for 20 years or more. Charles W. Twombly and Timothy J. Good have been in the department since 1886. William H. Hardy, who came in 1887, was made secretary in 1915, and remained in that position until he was retired in this spring and Mr. McCarthy rose to the position.

Edward F. Kenny came in 1897; Isaiah Hincley came in 1899, and so did John J. Bench. Others of the veterans are Bartholomew Bresnahan, Walter E. Butler, John J. Kelly and Horatio Nelson.

The Overseers of Public Welfare of Boston are Grace M. Hurley, James H. Stone, Margaret J. Gookin, Frank Leveroni, Simon E. Hecht, chairman; Charles F. Hale, Franklin P. Daly, treasurer; Margaret Leahy, Joseph F. Feeney, Sophie M. Friedman, George A. Rockwell, Morris Bronstein and Mr. McCarthy.

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen, in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being

abolished. For these was substituted a single City Council of nine members to be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, *i. e.*, whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, *i. e.*, establishing a single term of four years, but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (*i. e.*, the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After which licensees claimed the right to sell July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on

June 7, 1920. The result of this decision was that former applicants for liquor licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (*i. e.*, prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topeka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

SETTLEMENT OF BOSTON.

Boston was settled in the latter part of August, 1630, by Puritan colonists under Governor John Winthrop. The name of the original settlement was changed to Boston from Trimountaine by order of the Court of Assistants on September 7 (O. S.), 1630. This date was moved forward by the New Style calendar in 1752 to Sept. 17, the recognized date of the founding of Boston. The name, Trimountaine, had been given because of the three peaks of the most prominent hill, afterward called Beacon Hill, much higher then than now. By the Indians the place was called Shawmut. The name, Boston, was derived from the English town of Boston in Lincolnshire, the home of some of the leading colonists and promoters of the enterprise.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending September 20, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 127; nonresidents, 47; total, 174.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 11.68; nonresidents deducted, 8.52.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 9.12; corresponding week last year, 11.81.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 28; one year to five years, inclusive, 9; sixty years and over, 64; total deaths: male, 96; female, 78; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 88; deaths of colored, 4.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 20, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 22, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	3	—	1	—
Diphtheria.....	24	2	40	1
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	2	1
Influenza.....	—	—	2	—
Measles.....	4	—	11	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	1	1	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	9	2	11	3
Scarlet fever.....	17	—	19	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	34	11	25	11
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	7	3	4	3
Typhoid fever.....	2	1	—	—
Whooping cough.....	11	—	3	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, September 8, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair and all the members present.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 8, 1924.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following named persons Constables of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1924.

Samuel H. Cox, 280 South street, Jamaica Plain.
Maurice P. Flax, 65 Devon street, Roxbury.
Charles A. McCarthy, 101 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester.
James F. Pierce, 187 Webster street, East Boston.
Joseph Pingaro, 74 Everett street, East Boston.
Frank Skinner, 193 Silver street, South Boston.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Laid over under the law.

VETO, BOSTON BUS JITNEY LICENSES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 25, 1924.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen,—I return herewith without my approval the two vetoes of the City Council granting licenses to the Boston Bus Transportation Company to operate jitneys on Centre street and on Weld street, West Roxbury.

In view of the fact that the Boston Elevated Railway Company proposes to operate a bus service serving the same district, with free transfers to the Elevated system, it does not appear to me that the granting of these licenses would in any way improve transportation in the West Roxbury district.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Placed on file.

SALARIES OF STREET COMMISSIONERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 18, 1924.
To the City Council.

The labors of the Street Commissioners have been materially increased in consequence of legislation enacted by the General Court and recommendations of the Boston City Planning Board. The salaries received at the present time by the members of the Street Commission have undergone no change during the past thirty years and I am of the belief that salaries commensurate with responsibilities and labors should be paid by the municipality; and I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying amendment to the Ordinances.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

An Ordinance Relative to Salaries of Street Commissioners.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section 5 of chapter 3 of the Revised Ordinances is hereby amended in the clause establishing the salaries of the Street Commissioners by striking out the words "forty-five hundred" and inserting in place thereof the words "six thousand"; and by striking out the words "four thousand" and inserting in place thereof the words "forty-five hundred," so that said clause will read as follows:

"The street commissioners, the Chairman, six thousand dollars, and the two other commissioners each forty-five hundred dollars."

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

VARIOUS DEPARTMENT TRANSFERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 8, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith request for transfers within departmental appropriations and respectfully recommend the adoption of the same.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Water Service:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Foremen, 3 (2) at \$2,000 per

year, \$805.56; D-3, Fuel, \$450; D-16, General Plant, \$925, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Foremen, 5 (6) at \$2,000-\$2,100 per year, \$805.56; B-1, Printing and Binding, \$200; C-3, Electrical, \$250 D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$25; E-10, Electrical, \$300; B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$600.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Assessing Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Assessors, 2 at \$4,500 per year, \$287.50; Assessors, Deputy, 5 at \$4,000 per year, \$1,333.33; Assessors, First Assistant, 47 at \$1,600 per year, \$498.82; Clerks, 4 at \$1,900 per year, \$1,113; F-14, Listing, \$50; F-14, Listing, \$200, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Assessors, Second Assistant, 7 (11) at \$1,200-\$1,300 per year, \$2,119.65; A-2, Temporary Employees, \$163; A-3, Unassigned, \$200.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Ferry Service:

From the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$1,200, to the appropriation for B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$200; C-5, Motorless Vehicles, \$50; D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$100; E-10, Electrical, \$400; F-11, Workmen's Compensation, \$450.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Paving Service:

From the appropriation for B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc, \$20, to the appropriation for B-37, Photographic and Blueprinting, \$20.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and the same hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Sanitary Service:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Laborers, 926 at \$4-\$4.50 per day, \$4,000; C-5, Motorless Vehicles, \$3,000; C-14, Live Stock, \$500; C-14, Live Stock, \$4,000, to the appropriation for A-3, Unassigned, \$4,000; C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$3,500; B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$4,000.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Sewer Service:

From the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$500; C-17, General Plant, \$250; D-3, Fuel, \$1,500, to the appropriation for B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$500; C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$250; E-13, General Plant, \$1,500.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Medical Examiner Service, Northern District:

From the appropriation for C-4, Motor Vehicle, \$52.11, to the appropriation for B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$52.11.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Street Laying-Out Department:

From the appropriation for C-2, Machinery, \$100, to the appropriation for C-9, Office, \$100.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Soldiers' Relief Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Stenographer and Typist, 1 at \$1,300-\$1,400 per year, \$556.11, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerk, 1 at \$1,400-\$1,200 per year, \$398.30; A-2, Temporary Employees, \$157.81.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Collecting Department:

From the appropriation for D-1, Office, \$250, to the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$250.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the follow-

ing transfer in the appropriations for Superior Court, Criminal Session:

From the appropriation for B-34, Jurors, \$5,000, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, Court Officers, \$5,000.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Health Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Inspector, Chief Medical, 1 at \$3,000 per year, \$820.73, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Epidemiologist, 1 at \$3,500 (\$4,000) per year, \$208.34; Inspectors, 79 (80) at \$1,400-\$2,000 per year, \$612.39.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Bridge Service:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Laborers, Janitors, etc., 10 at \$4-\$4.50 per day, \$1,000; A-3, Unassigned, \$1,000, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$2,000.

From the appropriation for E-3, Bridges, \$325, to the appropriation for D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, \$25; B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$300.

From the appropriation for Bridges, Repairs, etc., \$5,000, to the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$5,000.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TRANSFER FOR BILLINGS FIELD.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, September 8, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the accompanying communication submitted by the Park Commissioners requesting transfer within the funds of the Park Department and respectfully recommend the adoption of the same.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston.

Park Department, September 8, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor.

Dear Sir,—Your approval is respectfully asked for the transfer of the sum of \$1,486.41 from the special appropriation, Park, Washington, Poplar, Ashland and South streets, Roslindale, to the special loan appropriation, Playground Purposes, Billings Field.

The reason for this request is that this balance of \$1,486.41 is now no longer needed, as the work for which it was appropriated has been completed, and we are desirous of doing some drainage work at Billings Field which is badly needed; and as this amount is available, it can be used for said purpose.

Respectfully,

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Park, Washington, Poplar, Ashland and South Streets, Roslindale, \$1,486.41 to the appropriation for Playground Purposes, Billings Field, \$1,486.41. Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROPRIATION FOR GARVEY PLAYGROUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, September 8, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The Garvey Playground at Neponset, despite the fact that \$16,000 has been expended in the past for grading, is unsuitable for use as a public playground.

More than twelve years ago, as a member of the Board of Aldermen, I secured the adoption of an appropriation in the sum of \$10,000 for the filling and grading of this playground and since that time an additional sum of \$6,000 has been expended for a like purpose. Apparently it is a problem that only can be solved by a generous expenditure of public money. The completion of the Mayflower Highway skirting the lower end of the playground in a measure assists in the solution of the problem of grading and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order providing the sum of \$31,000.

It should be possible with an expenditure of this amount to provide 20,000 cubic yards of filling and grading at \$1 per yard, 2,000 yards

of loam at \$2 per yard, drainage in the sum of \$2,500, fences and back-stops for \$2,500, and a shelter for children at \$2,000.

It should be possible to complete this work by the early spring and at some time in the latter part of 1925 provide the necessary money for a suitable sanitary and locker building.

Trusting that the Council will aid in solving the question of improved playground facilities for the Neponset section of Boston, I respectfully recommend adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$31,000 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Park Commissioners for William H. Garvey Playground improvements, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

MONEY FOR ELEVATOR INSPECTORS.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, September 8, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Under the provisions of chapter 332 of the Acts of 1924, the City of Boston is required to appoint special night elevator inspectors and I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, \$1,000, to the appropriation for Building Department, A-2, Temporary Employees, \$1,000.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROPRIATION FOR WATER DIVISION.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, September 8, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The Water Division of the Public Works Department requires \$126,000 additional for the conduct of departmental activities and I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Public Works Department, September 5, 1924. To the Honorable the Mayor of Boston.

On August 1, 1924, the water revenue received for the first six months of this fiscal year was \$2,063,507.11, as compared with \$1,947,181.91 for the corresponding period of 1923, and there appears to be no question but that the total collection for the year will equal if not exceed the total receipts of 1923, namely, \$3,910,000.

The Water Division budget as submitted called for \$1,571,39.66; the amount allowed was \$1,452,752, a cut of \$19,000, with the intimation that a supplementary budget could be presented in the fall, after a knowledge of the receipts for six months were at hand, etc.

The financial obligations of the Water Division are:

Appropriation as approved.....	\$1,452,752.32
Service mains and relaying mains.....	175,000.00
High Pressure Fire System extension.....	175,000.00
Hyde Park water debt.....	16,000.00
City Collector.....	56,858.12
Interest.....	24,680.00
Metropolitan assessment.....	1,829,973.63
	\$3,730,264.07

In order to continue work for the remainder of this year it is essential that additional amounts be requested from Water Revenue as follows:

From the appropriation for Water Revenue, \$126,000, to the appropriation for B-28, Expert and Architect, \$3,000; B-39, General Plant, \$10,000; C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$4,000; C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$7,000; D-1, Office Supplies, \$2,000; E-6, Water Materials, \$50,000; F-2, Damages, \$25,000; Service Mains, \$25,000; \$126,000.

REASONS FOR ABOVE TRANSFERS.

B-28. The Law Department is using experts this year more frequently than in past years. In the opinion of the Corporation Counsel we will need \$3,000 in addition to the \$300 in the budget.

B-39. Estimated \$90,000. Allowed \$70,000. The program for year was very closely figured and if it is the intention to continue the emergency maintenance work which has been very heavy due to permanent street pavements, an additional \$10,000 must be obtained.

C-4. Some of the oldest Ford trucks which we thought would go through this year have fallen to pieces and must be replaced immediately. Having discarded our horses and teams, the autos must be replaced in order to execute the work of the division.

C-13. The number of 4-inch, 6-inch and 8-inch service pipes applied for to date and which must be metered, under the legislative act, have increased greatly over past years. The purchase of the large size meters which must be set at the time the pipes are installed will call for an additional \$7,000.

D-1. The original estimate of \$10,500 was accurately figured and the payments to date show that expenditures will call for \$2,000 more than the \$8,500 allowed in the budget.

E-6. The quantity of work done to date has made a heavy drain on our stock and in addition the delivery of materials under the contract has been complied with much more than in past years. Additional contracts will have to be advertised for various styles of castings, etc., and undoubtedly complete deliveries under these will be made this year. At least an additional \$50,000 will be needed to meet the work demands.

F-2. To date we have unpaid court executions and claims awarded amounting to \$15,000. If the same ratio continues we will require \$25,000.

Service Mains. Contracts for pipe extensions, etc., awarded to date practically absorbs the \$175,000 allowed. To meet petitions for pipe extension which are now in and which will come in for the next two months will call for an additional \$25,000.

Very respectfully,

E. F. MURPHY,

Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

Ordered, That to meet the current expenses payable during the financial year, beginning with the first day of February, 1924, the sum of \$126,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated from the income of Water Service, Public Works Department, as follows:

B-28, Expert and Architect.....	\$3,000
B-39, General Plant.....	10,000
C-4, Motor Vehicles.....	4,000
C-13, Tools and Instruments.....	7,000
D-1, Office.....	2,000
E-6, Water.....	50,000
F-2, Damages.....	25,000

\$101,000

Service mains and relaying mains.....\$25,000
Referred to the Executive Committee.

MONEY FOR TELEPHONE INVESTIGATION.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, September 8, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The City of Boston, with a view to preventing the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company from charging exorbitant rates for service rendered, filed with the Public Utilities Commission of the Commonwealth notice of intention to contest the rates sought by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The City Council, at a recent meeting, appropriated \$5,000 for the conduct of an investigation and for the presentation of the case. The Corporation Counsel now finds that it may require at least \$15,000 additional to secure the necessary evidence and to properly conduct the case in behalf of the municipality. This is a character of service that no city or town in the Commonwealth would be required to undertake provided the Public Utilities Commission really represented both parties to the controversy, namely, the people of the Commonwealth and the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The decision, however, of the Public Utilities Commission to permit the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company to increase its rate to subscribers while the investigation was pending is ample proof that the Public Utilities Commission is not only friendly disposed to this public service corporation but is absolutely hostile to the interests of the subscribers.

In order that the public may secure some measure of protection I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order providing an additional sum in the amount of \$15,000 for the conduct of this case.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That a sum not exceeding \$15,000 be authorized to be expended by the Corporation Counsel for the purpose of meeting charges and expenses for expert and stenographic services, and other necessary and proper expenditures in connection with the telephone investigation of rates and the petition filed by his Honor the Mayor, and the appeal filed by the Board of Assessors with the State Board of Appeal in connection with the valuation of the Telephone Company's underground conduits, wires, etc., in the city of Boston, said amount to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PRINTING OF PLANNING BOARD SYNOPSIS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, Boston, August 19, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The City Planning Board has had prepared a very valuable synopsis of the various reports and pamphlets relating to the commercial and industrial development of Boston. This is in typewritten form and the matter contained therein appears to be of such value that it should be printed for distribution as a city document. I accordingly recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the City Planning Board is hereby authorized to have printed an edition of 1,500 copies of "A Compendium of Reports and Studies Relating to the Commerce and Industries of Boston," 100 copies of same to be retained by the Printing Department for binding in connection with city documents, 300 copies to be delivered to the City Messenger for distribution, and 1,100 copies to be distributed under the direction of the City Planning Board, the expense to be charged to the appropriation for City Documents.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Pasquale Baldassarro, for compensation for damage to property at 177 London street, caused by breaking of water pipe at London and Porter streets, East Boston.

James Bellas, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at junction of Broad and State streets.

William H. Bradford Company, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Frank Burrows, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Blue Hill avenue and Talbot avenue.

M. D. Candeliers, for compensation for damage to materials, etc., at 106 London street, caused by breaking of water pipe.

Central Drug Company, for compensation for damage to machinery, etc., at 32 Porter street, caused by breaking of water pipe.

Joseph Ciampa, for compensation for damage to property at 198 London street, caused by breaking of water pipe.

Paul DiCenso, for compensation for damage to clothing, etc., at 212 London street, caused by breaking of water pipe.

Eastern Electric Supply Company, for compensation for damage to merchandise at 114 Portland street, Boston, caused by broken water pipe.

Gertrude Ettelman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Howard avenue, near Weiners street.

Robert Fariolo, for compensation for damage to property at 192 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Robert H. Gardiner, for compensation for damage to property at 1 Washington street, caused by broken water pipe.

Mrs. C. Hamilton, for compensation for damage to clothing, etc., at 174 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

John J. Kelley, for compensation for damage to clothing, etc., at 198 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Rosario LaRosa, for compensation for damage to horse on ferryboat "Hugh O'Brien."

Vincenza Mazzola, for compensation for injuries received at East Boston Ferry "Noddle Island."

Catherine McGowan, for compensation for damage to clothing, etc., at 168 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Annie Memushin, for compensation for injuries caused by defective sewer cover on Blossom street, Boston.

Antonio Menchello, for compensation for damage to property at 24 Porter street, caused by broken water pipe.

Charles Morgera, for compensation for damage to property at 36 Porter street, caused by broken water pipe.

Alfonso Prisio, for compensation for damage to property at 36 Porter street, caused by broken water pipe.

Giuseppa Saladina, for compensation for injuries received in waiting room of North Ferry, East Boston.

Isaac Schwartz, for compensation for damage to furniture at 168 London street, caused by break in water pipe.

Walter Shaw, for compensation for injuries caused by city cart, at corner of Albany and Brookline streets.

Frank Shuman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Harvard street, Brighton.

Louis Schwartz, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 113 Brighton street.

Frank Sorota, for compensation for damage to automobile at 21 Rose street, caused by Public Works Department wagon.

Frank Stellat, for compensation for damage to clothing, etc., at 40 Porter street, caused by break in water pipe.

Rose A. Tagen, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Centre street, Roxbury.

Lillian F. Tobin, for compensation for injuries received at L Street Bath House, caused by defective railing and flooring.

George E. Welles, for compensation for damage to cellar walls, at 1461 to 1469 Washington street, caused by leak in hydrant.

A. Ynkelewitz, for compensation for damage to automobile, opposite 32 Warren street, Roxbury, caused by city team.

Shirley Yoffa, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Green and Leverett streets.

Celia Belson, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in front of 962 Blue Hill avenue.

Albany Carpet Cleaning Company, for compensation for damage to truck on East Boston Ferry.

Gaetano Benenato, for compensation for injuries received on East Boston Ferry.

Rose Caggiano, for compensation for damage to property, 13 Chelsea street, caused by broken water pipe.

Tony Caggiano, for compensation for damage to furniture, etc., at 26 Porter street, caused by broken water pipe.

Esther Caplan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Rochester street and Harrison avenue.

Maria Christensen, for compensation for damage to property at 25 Bennington street, caused by broken water pipe.

George Collins Company, for compensation for damage to property at 535 Commonwealth avenue, caused by overflow of sewer pipes.

Raphael DeAngellis, for compensation for damage to property at Ashley street, East Boston, caused by defective water drainage.

Matilda H. Dempsey, for compensation for damage to property at 17 King street, caused by falling tree.

Raffaele DeSisto, for compensation for damage to property at 2, 4 and 6 Brown street, Roxbury, caused by overflow of catch-basin.

Leo F. Donlan, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Howard avenue and Dudley street.

Salvatore Drago, for compensation for injuries received on East Boston Ferry.

Albert Dulplain, for compensation for damage to team, caused by city team.

Michael K. Ewaldt, for compensation for loss of articles taken from 44 East Dedham street by city employee.

Emil Facktoroff, for compensation for damage to business caused by closing of highway on Blue Hill avenue.

Germano & Foglietta Company, for compensation for damage to merchandise at 129 Endicott street, caused by defective water pipes.

Joseph Gimber, for compensation for damage to property at 5 Nikisch avenue, caused by defective sewage.

Harry Goldberg, for compensation for damage to automobile at Washington street and Harrison avenue, caused by Public Works Department car.

James A. Gorman, for compensation for vacation money due as employee of Boston and Cambridge Bridges Commission.

Annie Gray, for compensation for damage to property at 199 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Edward R. Gray, for compensation for damage to property at 29 Bennington street, caused by broken water pipe.

I. Gross, for compensation for damage to goods at 24 Porter street, caused by broken water pipe.

Emma L. Harris, for compensation for damage to hedge at 122 Pond street, Jamaica Plain, caused by employees of the Public Works Department.

Joseph Howard, for compensation for damage to clothing, caused by defective sand barrel on Chauncy and Summer streets.

Mabel Huelin, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 390 Massachusetts avenue.

Ignazio Insera, for compensation for damage to property at 197 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

J. E. Kinchla, for compensation for damage to tire caused by an alleged defect in Commonwealth avenue, near Chilmark street.

Richard C. Kirby, for compensation for damage to property at 15 and 17 Bennington street, caused by broken water pipe.

Thomas E. Legge, for compensation for damage to suit, caused by nail protruding from fence on Beacon street, at corner of Arlington street.

Mary G. Lennon, for compensation for damage to roof at 11 Whitten street, caused by falling tree.

Joseph A. Letourneau, for compensation for damage to automobile at corner of Albany and Brookline streets caused by city team.

Grace E. Lewis, for compensation for damage to property at 112 Newbury street, caused by broken water meter.

Frank I. Lieberman, for compensation for damage to property at 170 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Mrs. John J. Lordan, for compensation for damage to automobile at Park place, caused by ash team.

G. Lettero, for compensation for damages to property at 194 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Mrs. F. A. Mackintire, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in Kenneth street, West Roxbury.

John F. Mahoney, for compensation for damage to automobile, caused by an alleged defect in Harvard Bridge.

Mrs. Katherine McGregor, for compensation for damage to property at 191 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Rose McKenna, for compensation for damage to property at 182 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Mrs. Lillian McNeill, for compensation for damage to clothing at 25 Bennington street, caused by broken water pipe.

Inez Minton, for compensation for damage to property at 13 Shirley street, caused by city men spraying trees.

Mrs. Margaret Monti, for compensation for damage to property at 166 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

John J. Mulkerron, for compensation for damage to property at 31 Bennington street, caused by broken water pipe.

Mrs. Mary E. Mullen, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Summer and Washington streets.

National Automatic Refrigerator Company, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Joseph Neviackas, for refund on fee paid for appealing decision of Building Commissioners.

Clara E. Newman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Tremont and Northampton streets.

Julius Noon, for compensation for damage to automobile on East Boston Ferry.

Lawrence Northhill, for compensation for injuries received on East Boston Ferry.

Thomas O'Rourke, for compensation for damage to property at 183 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Carmela Palumbo, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in sidewalk on Commercial street.

Jacob Pierce, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by city cart.

Mrs. Harry Quinn, Jr., for compensation for damage to carpet, etc., at 2 Brookdale street, caused by defective sewage.

Robey-French Company, for compensation for damage to glass by car of Public Works Department, at 38 Bromfield street.

Russell M. Rose, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by oil on Weld Hill street.

Estate of Julius Rottenberg, for compensation for damage to property at 258-20 Hanover street, caused by defective water pipe.

Luigi Santoianni, for compensation for damage to property at 28-30 Porter street, caused by broken water pipe.

John Shaw, for compensation for damage to property at 1028 South street, caused by defective sewer pipes.

Sarah Silver, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Otis and Beacon streets.

Warren E. Smith, Jr., for compensation for damage to automobile by fire apparatus.

Frank Sorota, for compensation for damage to automobile near 21 Rose street, caused by city team.

Fred E. Stearns, for compensation for damage to property at 1382 River street, caused by defective water pipe.

Philip Tagerman, for compensation for damage to automobile at Cedar park, caused by city truck.

Salvatore Taschetta, for compensation for injuries received on East Boston Ferry.

Vincenzo Tramontana, for compensation for damage to property at 21 Porter street, caused by broken water pipe.

"X" Laboratories, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Executive.

George W. Garden, for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Caledonian Grove September 1.

Jitneys.

Petitions for licenses for jitneys, viz.:

Beaver Motor Tours, Franklin Park to Milton line.

Conway's Tours, Inc., Boston to Dedham line.

Jacob B. Herman, from Boston to Milton line.

CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constables' bonds of George A. Borofski and Patrick M. Donahoe.

Approved by the City Council.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners of hearings on September 2 and September 3 on various petitions for storage and sale of gasoline.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Courtney Guild of interest in contract with the Boston Police Department.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS.

Notice was received from the Civil Service Commission of approval of the following appointments by the Mayor, viz.:

Wilfred J. Doyle, Boston Retirement Board.

Theodore W. Little, Zoning Board.

Patrick H. Jennings, Zoning Board.

Frederic H. Fay, Zoning Board.

Frank Brewster, Zoning Board.

Luther C. Greenleaf, Zoning Board.

Dana Somes, Zoning Board.

Robert A. Woods, Zoning Board.

George F. Stebbins, Zoning Board.

William H. Sayward, Zoning Board.

Frank O. Whitney, Zoning Board.

Harry A. Upham, Zoning Board.

Leo Schwartz, Zoning Board.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENTS.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the following appointments, certified copies of the same having been filed with the Civil Service Commission, viz.:

Francis J. Driscoll, Superintendent of Public Buildings.

Isabel H. Hyams, Boston Sanatorium Trustee.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT ASSESSORS.

Notice was received from the Assessing Department of the appointment of George O. Wood and John F. Murphy as second assistant assessors.

Placed on file.

CLERK HIRE.

The Register of Deeds, in accordance with law, submitted payroll for the month of August, certifying that work had been performed to the amount of \$10,311.64.

Approved and ordered paid.

KNEELAND STREET LOAN.

Coun. WATSON.—Mr. President, in accordance with the notice filed by me with the City Clerk on August 25, 1924, I now move reconsideration of the vote taken at the meeting of the City Council on August 25, 1924, whereby the order for a loan of \$1,200 for the widening of Kneeland street failed of passage.

The question came on the motion to reconsider.

Coun. BRICKLEY.—Mr. President, before voting on this, I would like to know the status after this vote is taken, which way the order stands on reconsideration,—whether it passes or not?

President DONOGHUE.—If the motion to reconsider prevails, the action whereby the order was defeated on August 25th is wiped out and the matter is before the Council for action.

The motion to reconsider was carried, yeas 6, nays 3.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Watson—6.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Walsh—3.

The order for a loan of \$1,200,000 for the widening of Kneeland street was read a second time and again passed, yeas 6, nays 3.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Watson—6.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Walsh—3.

SIDEWALK, LEONARD STREET.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Leonard street, Dorchester, from Duncan street to Clayton street, Ward 18, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone with granite edgestones under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under a suspension of the rule.

RECESS TAKEN.

The Council voted, on motion of Coun. WALSH, at 2.40 o'clock p. m., to take a recess subject to the call of the President.

The members reassembled in the Chamber and were called to order by the President at 3.25 o'clock p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following, viz.:

1. Report on message of Mayor and orders (referred today) for various department appropriation transfers—that the orders ought to pass. Report accepted; orders passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

2. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for transfer of \$1,486.41 to playground, Billings Field—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

3. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for loan of \$31,000 for Garvey Playground—that the order ought to pass. The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

The order will take its final reading not less than fourteen days from date.

4. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for transfer of \$1,000 for temporary employees, Building Department—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

5. Report on message of Mayor, communication and order (referred today) for appropriation of \$126,000 additional for Water Division, Public Works Department—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

6. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of \$15,000 for telephone investigation—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 9, nays 0.

7. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for printing of Planning Board document—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed under a suspension of the rule.

8. Report on petition of George W. Garden (referred today) for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Caledonian Grove, September 1—that permit be granted.

Report accepted; permit granted on the usual conditions.

JITNEYS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Jitneys, submitted the following, viz.:

Reports on various petitions for licenses to operate jitneys:

Conway's Tours, Inc. (referred August 11), Copley square to Dedham line.

The same (referred July 28), Huntington avenue to Milton line.

The same (referred July 28), Copley square to Newton line.

The same (referred today), Stuart street to Dedham line.

Report accepted; licenses granted.

The same (referred August 11), Copley square to Dedham line—that the petitioner have leave to withdraw.

Report accepted; petitioner given leave to withdraw.

INDORSEMENT OF MAYOR, TELEPHONE RATES.

Coun. WATSON offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council unqualifiedly approves of and indorses the efforts of Mayor Curley before the Public Utilities Commission to compel the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company to produce data which may show that the increased rates granted to the said company are unwarranted, and further indorse any effort that his Honor the Mayor may take tending to reduce telephone charges to the public.

Ordered, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded by the City Clerk to the Public Utilities Commission or any other tribunal empowered to act in the matter.

The resolution was adopted.

NAME TO BE PLACED ON SOLDIERS' RELIEF ROLL.

President DONOGHUE offered an order—That the name of Robert Jones be placed on the pay roll of the Soldiers' Relief Department at \$45 per month.

The question came on the suspension of the rules and the passage of the order.

Coun. WALSH in the chair.

Coun. DONOGHUE.—Mr. Chairman, I do not want to make any extended remarks relative to this particular case, but I feel that not very good judgment has been used by the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief when he refuses, or has refused, at the present time, to place on the pay roll the name of Robert Jones, who holds two honorable discharges from the United States Government.

There have been some alibis offered because of some escapade which happened when this man was merely a boy, way back in 1898—that he, at that time, jumped out of the navy; but subsequent to this, or, rather, in 1900; he re-enlisted in the United States Army from which he has received an honorable discharge, and later, in 1910, he again enlisted in the United States Navy and again received an honorable discharge.

Now I feel that while there may be some who would wish to construe the law relative to veterans receiving compensation from the city, that, because of his first offence, which was committed in this man's teens, he must forever be deprived of soldiers' relief, still I feel that the average citizen of Boston, knowing that this man later, when he re-enlisted twice, and was discharged honorably from the United States Government, will think that he more than made up for his escapade in 1898. I do not believe that these laws, which were placed on the statute books for the benefit of veterans, should be construed literally so as to give the veterans the worst of it. I believe that they should be interpreted by those who have authority to interpret them in a way to give the veterans preference. That is what they are considered—veterans' preference acts; and I feel that this man is entitled, now that he is unable to work or

help himself, to some relief from our city, and I feel that the great bulk of our citizenry will uphold my stand in this particular matter.

I think that it is going a little too far backward to say that, because of something which happened way back in 1898, that must be forever held against this individual, because of the fact that he has shown that he believed in the principles of our Government when he re-enlisted, to wipe out that old stain, on two different occasions; and, when the United States Government again took him into its service, in 1900 and in 1910, I feel that it thought, and that it thinks today, that by those enlistments he wiped out what preceded it. I think that our city while, if the law is literally interpreted, might not be compelled to pay soldiers' relief to this individual, who is unable physically now to help himself, is at least morally bound to contribute now in his hour of need.

I hope that this order will go upon its passage, and I hope that the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief will interpret this order in the spirit in which it is offered—in the spirit of doing something for a veteran of these United States, and I hope that this name will be added to the Soldiers' Relief pay roll so that now this man, who is unable to take care of himself, may receive some relief from the citizenry of Boston who have always been fair, and more than fair, to the veterans of both the army and the navy.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. Chairman, I would like to ask the counselor who has just spoken (Coun. Donoghue) whether this individual to whom he refers has made application to the United States Government authorities, and, further, if it would not be well for us to refer it to a committee and give us a chance to inquire into it? I do not know the fact, though I will take your word for it.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I do not know just what has been done in so far as making any application to the United States Government in connection with this case is concerned. All I know is that he is making application to us, to this City of Boston for relief from the Soldiers' Relief Department, and that is what we have the Soldiers' Relief Department, for, in my opinion,—to take care of veterans, and particularly to take care of those veterans who need care.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, I agree with practically everything that the last speaker (Coun. Donoghue) has said; but, supposing that we do vote, the nine members, instructing the commissioner to put this man upon the list, does that mean that he is going to get any money?

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, my understanding of the law in connection with this proposition is that the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief has the authority to place his name on the pay roll, and that this Council has the authority to say what amount of money he shall receive, not alone in this case but in the case of every veteran on that pay roll.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, as I understand that, it means, then, that his name is not on the list at the present time, and if the commissioner decides that his name is not going on the list this vote we will pass here today, as I assume we will pass it in the affirmative with nine votes, will not aid toward the help of that soldier. Of course, I am not a lawyer, but as I understand the interpretation of the law, as handed down by the Corporation Counsel, it is that the commissioner has the right to place his name on the list and that all that the Committee on Soldiers' Relief has the right to do is to regulate what he shall receive. That is the interpretation of the Law Department. Whether the interpretation is wrong or right, there isn't anybody here, in my estimation, who is going to go to the courts and fight it. Whether the Legion will take it upon themselves to go and fight it is a question, but I feel that, maybe, there might be an easier way. I feel that in so far as we are concerned Mr. Kelly is the acting commissioner in the absence of the commissioner. Why wouldn't it be well to call Mr. Kelly down and see if we cannot get an agreement from him to put the name upon the list, and, if we cannot get it upon the list, then pass this action, it may be, more in protest to give the soldiers the right to go and find out whether the interpretation handed down by the Corporation Counsel is right. And, Mr. Chairman, before I sit down, I am going to request that the Acting Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief be sent for to see if we cannot get him to put this soldier's name on the list.

Chairman WALSH directed the City Messenger to request Acting Commissioner Kelly to appear before the Council.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. Chairman, I would like to inform the body that, as chairman of the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, I called a meeting, and at that meeting we had Assistant Corporation Counsel Lyons and the Com-

missioner of Soldiers' Relief, and we discussed this case particularly, and, while the decision was made that there was no legal claim by this man for aid from the Soldiers' Relief Department, possibly the Committee on Soldiers' Relief could view it morally and pay the man. I do not know whether Mr. Kelly is going to be conversant with that situation or not, and I would like to have the members of the Council bear that in mind when he comes. I just want to enlighten the body with this information, because the committee has sat and heard the case.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, if we cannot get him on the list it may be that the counselor who introduced the order (Coun. Donoghue) might be satisfied if the acting commissioner would give him a temporary loan until the commissioner returned. Would that accomplish his purpose?

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I just want to say in connection with this case that I have been interested in it for probably two months. I have been trying to get some action in the easiest way, and without any publicity, to try to get the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief to take care of this case, but up to the present time nothing has been done in any way to alleviate the condition in which this man is now. Those who are acquainted with conditions today know that it is hard enough for those of us who are physically able and well to get by. It is impossible for a man who is physically disabled to even exist, and that is the condition that this man has been placed in for at least two months, without any definite action being taken.

I introduced this order today only as a last resort. I introduced it hoping that this Council will pass it, hoping that the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief will see the wisdom of placing this man on the pay roll. Simply because the Finance Commission is investigating the Soldiers' Relief Department and picking out names here and there which they say are not qualified to receive, or should not receive, soldiers' relief from the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief, does not have any bearing or importance. I feel that we are better qualified to state who is entitled to soldiers' relief than any member of the Finance Commission, and I think that the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief should stand up and make his own decisions in these cases regardless of what the Finance Commission think.

I want to get relief for this man if possible. That was my only object in introducing this order. I do not care how he gets it, but I feel it is of interest to every veteran in this city of ours to find out definitely just where he stands in this matter. The veterans do not know very much about it. They have to go to the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief, in very many instances, practically as mendicants, with their hats in their hands, begging for the relief that is theirs, that is supposed to be given to them as honorable soldiers of this Government. There is no begging and no mendicancy connected with it in any way. It is theirs, it is provided by us for them, and I feel that it is very near time that those who are in charge of legislation for soldiers investigated the conditions in connection with this department and see to it that the soldiers and sailors of the United States are given that which belongs to them, and, if this man is entitled to relief, there isn't any reason why he should not receive it, and I would like to get some definite action on it.

The City Messenger returned to the Council Chamber with Acting Commissioner Timothy Kelly.

Chairman WALSH—Mr. Kelly, the Council would like to get some information from you.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, I would like to have the order read, and then Mr. Kelly can say something on it.

The Clerk read the order.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, I would like to ask Mr. Kelly a question. Mr. Kelly, realizing the position you are in as acting commissioner—at least I expect you are acting commissioner. Are you, Mr. Kelly?

Commissioner KELLY—I have certain powers up there. I am not officially designated as acting commissioner.

Coun. MORIARTY—I thought they did designate someone in the absence of the commissioner.

Commissioner KELLY—They do.

Coun. MORIARTY—And they have not this time?

Commissioner KELLY—I prefer to answer that question privately.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, I would rather have it on the record now. I want to know if heads of departments leave the city without designating someone to act in their places.

Commissioner KELLY—Doctor Watkeys is the one that is officially acting; that is, he is named as acting officially.

Coun. MORIARTY—I think we ought to have Doctor Watkeys.

Coun. HEALEY—Well, Mr. Chairman, perhaps Mr. Kelly from his business in that department, may know more about this particular case than Doctor Watkeys. As I know Doctor Watkeys up there, he would be unlikely to have anything to do with it—would he not?

Commissioner KELLY—He would not have anything to do with it.

Coun. WATSON in the chair.

Chairman WATSON—Mr. Kelly, are you authorized by the head of the department to appear in this matter?

Commissioner KELLY—The head is away.

Chairman WATSON—Are you authorized by the head to appear in this matter?

Commissioner KELLY—No.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, I think that maybe it is my mistake, and I think maybe that I have put Mr. Kelly in this position. I thought that Mr. Kelly was the acting commissioner, and that is why I asked to have Mr. Kelly come up here. I do not want to put Mr. Kelly in any embarrassing position, or anybody else. I think, maybe, Mr. Kelly might stay here, and, if Doctor Watkeys is in, that we have Doctor Watkeys come down.

Commissioner KELLY—If I am permitted, I might say that I put them on the rolls in the absence of the commissioner; I am the one that has that power designated by the commissioner.

Coun. MORIARTY—Would you have power to put a man on the list who has already been turned down by the commissioner?

Commissioner KELLY—I should consider it my duty to consult the commissioner.

Chairman WATSON—The acting commissioner?

Commissioner KELLY—No, the commissioner.

Chairman WATSON—Well, let me understand you, Mr. Kelly. (To Coun. Moriarty.) May I interrupt you a moment?

Coun. MORIARTY—Yes.

Chairman WATSON—Do I understand, Mr. Kelly, that Doctor Watkeys is left in charge of the department?

Commissioner KELLY—That is—

Chairman WATSON—Wait a moment. If you pass upon any matter, you want the approval of the commissioner, who is away, before you do it?

Commissioner KELLY—No, the ordinary things I pass on nobody approves in the absence of the commissioner.

Chairman WATSON—Do I understand that Doctor Watkeys is empowered as Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief with all the powers which the commissioner has, or with limited powers?

Commissioner KELLY—Officially he is designated as acting Commissioner in the absence of the commissioner.

Chairman WATSON—He has full authority; whatever he does is just the same as though the commissioner had done it?

Commissioner KELLY—Exactly.

Chairman WATSON—All right.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, I think we ought to have Doctor Watkeys.

Chairman WATSON—The City Messenger will go for Doctor Watkeys and we will ask Mr. Kelly to remain.

The City Messenger left the Council Chamber and soon returned with Dr. Frederick Watkeys, acting commissioner.

Chairman WATSON—Doctor Watkeys, kindly take the stand or the chair—whichever you prefer. Gentlemen, Doctor Watkeys is present.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I am going to make the same request, that the order be read, so that Doctor Watkeys may know what we are considering.

The Clerk read the order.

Chairman WATSON—Is there any question of Doctor Watkeys, the Acting Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief, with full power at the present time?

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, may I ask him a question? Doctor Watkeys, I have introduced this order relative to placing the name of Robert Jones on the Soldiers' Relief pay roll. I introduced it, despite any talks or rumors to the contrary, firmly convinced that this Council has the authority to place the name of a soldier on the Soldiers' Relief pay roll and to state what sum he shall receive. I have never seen any official opinion rendered by the Law Department or anyone else relative to this particular matter, and I am of the opinion now that we have the authority to do this—to put this name on the Soldiers' Relief pay roll. In the absence of the commissioner, and of course without trying to place you in any embarrassing position as acting commissioner, I would like to ask you if you have authority to place this man on the pay roll temporarily until the commissioner returns, or to give this man temporary relief until such time as the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief returns.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Well, all I can say, Councilor Donoghue, is that the case, under the law, is one where the man was not honorably discharged.

Chairman WATSON—One moment, please. There are certain facts connected with this matter which might be detrimental to Mr. Jones, and I would request Doctor Watkeys not to state anything which might be injurious to the gentleman.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—No, I will withdraw that. I will say that the record is such that the commissioner did not feel he could allow it.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I think that we ought to have this case threshed out. It leaves an insinuation, when the acting commissioner said that there are certain things connected with this case which should not be discussed, that is detrimental to Mr. Jones' case, from my viewpoint. I do not know of anything in this case other than what I have stated that is of such a detrimental nature that it would prohibit him from being placed on the pay roll, and I am perfectly willing to have the doctor tell the Council whatever he knows in connection with this case.

Chairman WATSON—I would like to state that, if what I have been told concerning this gentleman is true, Councilor Donoghue might not want it brought out; but as his friend I have no authority to stop the doctor from stating that which he wishes. I only suggest that it might be well not to state it.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—I will simply say, Councilor Donoghue, that the commissioner considered the case fully, and he could not see, under the law, how he could allow Mr. Jones any aid.

Chairman WATSON—Talk a little louder, please.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Commissioner Dunn considered the case fully, and he decided that, under the law, he could not put Mr. Jones' name on the pay roll. That is all I can say.

Coun. HEALEY—Do you want to say what particular part of the law?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Well, in relation to his service record.

Coun. HEALEY—This law provides that a man, in order to get soldiers' relief, must have had an honorable discharge from all branches of service of the United States?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Yes; during war service particularly.

Coun. HEALEY—He did get an honorable discharge from the war service?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—There is a question about that.

Chairman WATSON—That is just the point I thought might not be made public.

Coun. MORIARTY—Without going into the fact and without putting the responsibility on you as acting commissioner, isn't it possible that you could give this man temporary aid until the return of the commissioner, at the suggestion of the Council?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—I presume that could be done, Councilor Moriarty. He has been on, you know, for some time, and the Commissioner dropped him from the pay roll after investigation.

Coun. MORIARTY—If we allow this thing to remain in here, is it possible that you could give him a month's pay, until the commissioner returns, and allow the Council to take it up with the commissioner? Could you do that for the Council, at the request of the Council?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Well, Councilor Moriarty, I do not know how that would work out. The soldiers' relief law is the thing which holds the commissioner on that point. It says what you shall do and what you shall not do.

Coun. MORIARTY—He was on the list?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—He was on the list until the commissioner made investigation and found he was not eligible, and he dropped him.

Coun. MORIARTY—During the time when he was making investigation didn't he keep him on the list?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Yes, he was on the list for several months.

Coun. MORIARTY—So, so far as his information went, he was violating the law in keeping him on—in a sense, now, I am talking. Don't they usually, doctor, when anybody makes application, and before they go on the list, make investigation?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Yes.

Coun. MORIARTY—Well, when this man did apply they did make an investigation.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Yes, they made an investigation.

Coun. MORIARTY—And they found out by their investigation that he was entitled to soldiers' relief?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Well, I think the commissioner gave him the benefit

of the doubt, Councilor Moriarty, until the thing was investigated.

Coun. MORIARTY—So, if the commissioner has the right to give him the benefit of the doubt, you as acting commissioner have the same—

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Whatever information—

Coun. MORIARTY—Wait a minute. That is what we want to go into—his information—and we want to go into it with the man who has taken it up; we want to go into it with the commissioner; but we do not want this man to suffer while he is waiting in the absence of the commissioner. If the commissioner was in Boston, we would have him here. Now, with an agreement between you, as the acting head of the department, and all members of the Council, couldn't you give him the designated amount of temporary relief until the commissioner comes back? I do not think that anybody could kick against that. If the Finance Commission do, then I am with you stronger than I ever was.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Well, that puts me in the position, Councilor Moriarty, of reversing—

Councilor MORIARTY—No.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—The decision of the commissioner, who has made the decision that Mr. Jones is not eligible, and why should I put him on?

Coun. MORIARTY—We are not asking you to put him on the list; we are asking you to give him temporary relief, and we will take up the question of putting him on the list with the commissioner when he returns.

Chairman WATSON—How much do you think he ought to get?

Coun. MORIARTY—Why, I think he ought to get \$45.

Chairman WATSON—We have given some very worthy cases \$15.

Coun. MORIARTY—I don't know. I am satisfied. Coun. Donoghue is the one who brought this matter up. I would like to have the doctor answer my question,—if they would give him temporary relief, the amount to be agreed upon between Councilor Donoghue and yourself, until the commissioner comes back?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—I do not think I would have authority to do it, Councilor Moriarty, the case having once been decided by the commissioner. On the record that has been found, that is supposed to settle the question of eligibility to any aid from our department.

Coun. MORIARTY—That isn't so, is it?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—That is what the finding of the commissioner was.

Coun. MORIARTY—I know, but any finding of the commissioner is not final, is it?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Why, as an absolute statement from the Law Department,—

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. Chairman, I rise to a question of personal privilege.

Chairman WATSON—Doctor Watkeys, Councilor Moriarty asked you a question. Did you answer it?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Yes.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. Chairman, I do not know much about this case, but I think it is rather an unfit place to fight it out.

Chairman WATSON—Councilor Brickley, won't you kindly ask a question?

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. Chairman, I am not asking any questions. I am speaking to the Council. I think that the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief knows what a soldier and what a sailor is, and what each word designates and what it means, and I think when outsiders interfere in the functioning of an office they know nothing about it is about time that it ceased. I am sick and tired of hearing about disabled soldiers and disabled sailors being kicked into the street. It is only within two weeks that disabled veterans of the United States were on the road to Atlanta. I think that this should be closed up because it is not the place to fight it out.

A veteran is a veteran, and he is a veteran whether he was in the army or in the navy an hour or five years, and I think that all this stuff should be heard behind closed doors. This question of desertion in time of war is a very serious thing.

Chairman WATSON—Councilor Brickley will kindly refrain from personal statements.

Coun. BRICKLEY—I am speaking on a question of personal privilege, Mr. Chairman. I think these things should all be fought out behind closed doors. I do not believe this man's name should come out, or that these things should come out. I think these things should stay right here, be heard in private session, and let us have it out there. I do not believe this is any place for it.

Chairman WATSON—Is there any further question of Doctor Watkeys.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, as the

one who introduced this order, I want to say that such publicity as has been given it has been only because of the fact that I have been unable to get any assistance for this veteran behind closed doors. I understand that the Committee on Soldiers' Relief made its recommendation to the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief and that he, according to my information, practically agreed to place this man on the pay roll, and he has not been placed on there. Now there isn't any other way that I know of to thresh this matter out except to bring it in here, because I am of the opinion that this Council has the authority to do this thing despite the wishes of the commissioner. Regardless of what the commissioner decides, it is my contention that this Council has the right to place this man on that pay roll, and that is the reason why I bring it in here. I believe in fighting for my friends all the way. I believe in using the best judgment that I can in making that contest for their interests, and I think that I have done everything that any person would expect me to do in connection with this case previous to bringing it in here.

Now the situation is that this man has been disabled for some years, physically incapacitated so that he has been unable to work, and he has been on the Soldiers' Relief pay roll, not for weeks or days, but for months and months, and it was only after a question was raised by the Finance Commission that he was removed from the Soldiers' Relief pay roll, and that is what I object to. I object to the dictation of the Finance Commissioner to the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief. This case was decided by the present Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief in Mr. Jones' favor, and he was placed on the pay roll. Then when they started investigating the department, the commissioner reversed his previous decision. Now we have two decisions, first, that he was eligible to relief, and, second, that he was not.

I think that the proposition which has been put up to the acting commissioner will take care of this man until such time as the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief returns, and is a positively fair one. It is an appeal from the decision of the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief in this case, and Councilor Moriarty asks, and I support him in it, that this case be handled as an appealed case. I think that the present acting commissioner has full authority to give temporary relief to this man until it is finally and definitely decided as to whether or not he should be placed on the pay roll.

Chairman WATSON—I do not propose to make any speech, but I want to recite an experience I had. First of all, no man appeals to the Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief any more frequently than I, and I have always received pretty fair treatment from him. Recently, I went up with a man for Representative Hearn, and prevailed upon Commissioner Dunn and Mr. Kelly, acting with him, to give \$15 to one man and get him a job. They got him his job and the money was going to his wife. He said his wife could not come over because she hadn't any shoes, and they gave him the \$15. The man has jumped out and he did not take the job offered to him. Now I want to site that as an occasion where I was imposed upon. It is so in many cases, as Councilor Brickley knows.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. Commissioner, to get you out of the embarrassment, if this \$45 order be passed you will have to put him on the list, won't you? Then you are not embarrassed.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Well, it is a rather delicate matter to decide, Councilor Healey.

Coun. HEALEY—That is the law, isn't it,—if the Council specifies the amount?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—But the fundamental principle of the Soldiers' Relief law is that, first, a man must qualify when he is discharged, and the commissioner investigated that and found a certain condition. Now, as that stands—

Coun. HEALEY—That would take you out of the embarrassment if we passed this order?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—If you say so it might be so.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. Chairman, may I ask the acting commissioner if the state aid has functioned on this case?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Well, soldiers' relief.

Coun. BRICKLEY—I think at this time it would be the proper thing for us to look into this case. First, I believe in giving the veteran everything we can. I think the only way to do is to go behind closed doors with this case, sit down with the commissioner and thresh it out with him. I do not believe it is right to bring this record out. I do not believe we know the facts of the case, and they do, and they do not want to tell us, and the

only way to do is to thresh it out. I think Councilor Healey's suggestion whereby we can vote him the money is right. I think he is right; I think we have that power, but I do not believe it is right to thresh that out here.

Coun. MORIARTY—Doctor Watkeys, if we vote him the money will you pay him?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—By vote of the Council, I suppose I will have to obey that, certainly.

Coun. MORIARTY—That is satisfactory to me, as long as he gets the money. That will be the understanding as far as you are concerned,—that, if we pass it, he will get the money?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—That is right. I do not see how I could say anything against that if the Council ordered me to do it.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Will the auditor recognize it?

Coun. MORIARTY—He will recognize any order of the Council.

Coun. BRICKLEY—He may have to pay it out of his own pocket, at that rate.

Coun. MORIARTY—Who,—the commissioner? Coun. BRICKLEY—Yes.

Coun. HEALEY—Of course, this will be a good test case now. There is some quibble in the law as to whether we have a right to specify.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—I think it all comes down to a question of law.

Coun. HEALEY—Rather than embarrass you, let us put the law right up to the proper tribunal.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Of course, Councilor Moriarty and you or anybody else would perhaps believe that I had an objection to Mr. Jones.

Coun. HEALEY—No, no. We can understand your situation all right.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—But I think that it goes back to the fundamental principle of the soldiers' relief law, which says that a man in order to be eligible must qualify in a certain manner, and we have put in exhaustive research on that, and we found that, under the law, he was not eligible. That is all I can say.

Coun. HEALEY—There are a lot of interpretations in that matter, and it shows that it is a very wide-open act. I think that will take the embarrassment away from you, and, if they do decide to fight it, well and good—it is settled as far as you are concerned.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I want to say that I do not want to place anybody in an embarrassing position, whether it is the Acting Commissioner of Soldiers' Relief or the commissioner himself; but there is only one way in which this thing can be determined. Certain definite steps have been taken. I introduced this order hoping that it would prove that my contention in the matter is right, and that this Council has the authority to do this thing, and, if we have that authority, I think we should exercise it in cases such as these that come before us. I do not believe in threshing these matters out in public except as a last resort. They should be handled by the Committee on Soldiers' Relief. That has been done in this case and the committee has been unanimous in their opinion that this man is worthy of soldiers' relief, and they have so voiced their opinion to the acting commissioner. Now I have no desire whatever to put anyone in an embarrassing position, but I feel that in trying to accomplish something sometimes you must go contrary to the opinions of others, and if I think I am right I am going to voice my opinion regardless of whose opinion I run contrary to. So in this case my opinion may not jibe with the opinion of others, but, nevertheless, until it has been proven to me that I am wrong, I am going to continue to fight along the lines I have been fighting on, with the firm conviction that I am right, and when I think I am right I am going to go through.

Chairman WATSON—Doctor Watkeys is excused with the thanks of the Council.

Coun. HEALEY—Just a minute, Mr. Chairman. Would it be satisfactory to the Council to have this wait over until Monday, as I understand Colonel Dunn will be back by next Monday. That is true, is it not, Doctor Watkeys?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—I believe not, Councilor Healey. I think he is not due back until later than that.

Coun. HEALEY—Later than that?

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—I understand so.

Coun. HEALEY—I understood from Mr. Kelly that he would be back within three or four days.

Acting Commissioner WATKEYS—Why, possibly, but that was not my understanding. Mr. Kelly will perhaps know more about that than I would.

Chairman WATSON—Doctor Watkeys is excused with the thanks of the Council.

The question came on suspension of the rules and passage of the order, and the order was passed.

LEASING OF CITY LAND, ATLANTIC AVENUE.

Coun. HEALEY called up No. 2, unfinished business, viz.:

2. Order authorizing a lease to the Middlesex Trust of land on Atlantic avenue.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. Chairman, I am calling up No. 2 on the calendar, and I will ask the Clerk to read a communication which he has in his hand.

The Clerk read a communication from the trustees of the Harbor Trust, as follows:

Milton C. Burton, Real Estate,
141 Milk Street,
Harbor Trust.
Boston, August 20, 1924.

Gentlemen,—As trustee of the Harbor Trust it is understood and agreed that the Trust is to erect a building of one or more stories high on land to be leased by the City of Boston to the Harbor Trust, located at 440 Atlantic avenue and fronting the Receiving Station, for the purpose of abating the nuisance caused by wind-scattered debris, and for the additional purpose of covering and hiding from public view a most unsightly structure.

All of which guarantees the construction of a manufacturing and office building having a floor area of 450,000 square feet, the largest of its kind in New England, and to cost in excess of \$2,500,000, on the adjoining land of the Harbor Trust at 470 Atlantic avenue; final action being now dependent upon your approval of this lease.

Expressing our appreciation of your prompt approval.

Yours very truly,
MILTON C. BURTON,
SAMUEL ELIOT,
Trustees Harbor Trust.

Coun. HEALEY—Mr. Chairman, that is a letter which came in answer to the request of the Council to state that, if they leased this land, they intended to erect a two million and a half dollar building on the property adjoining, and, while it is not as explicit as it might be, it is an advance, and I think the Council will do well to hold them to their word, and I presume that their honor is sufficient, and that they will go through as they say in the communication.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, I want to say that I am not satisfied with the letter. I cannot imagine the last speaker (Coun. Healey) being satisfied, as I understood it was he that asked for a letter stating that certain things would happen. I feel that before we make any agreement like this we ought at least to have a representative of the Law Department here. I think such a representative ought to be here so that we may ask him some questions in regard to this project and see whether the agreement entered into between the two parties, the City of Boston and this Trust, is worth the words in which it is written, and I want to say that, before I am prepared to vote, I desire the Law Department represented here so that I may talk with them.

Coun. LANE—Mr. Chairman, I rise to a point of information. This letter which was written speaks about the "Harbor Trust." Item No. 2 on the calendar concerns the Middlesex Trust. Is that the same thing? It has different trustees.

Chairman WATSON—To be frank, I do not know. Mr. Burton, I believe, is here, and perhaps he can explain. If there is no objection, I will ask Mr. Burton to explain.

Mr. MILTON C. BURTON—Mr. Chairman, the Middlesex Trust is the former trust holding this land which is selling to the Harbor Trust, and this lease is being made with the Middlesex Trust as being an existing corporation today, and upon completion of the lease it will be transferred to the Harbor Trust.

Coun. HEALEY—Who intends to build the building?

Mr. BURTON—The Harbor Trust, who are also the stockholders of the Middlesex Trust.

Coun. HEALEY—And I presume it is the agreement that, in the event of the purchase of their land going through, they will construct the building for two and a half million and will construct a building of one or two stories on the land adjoining?

Mr. BURTON—That is correct.

Coun. HEALEY—So that the lease goes to the Middlesex Trust but the Harbor Trust agrees to fulfill the conditions of the Middlesex Trust?

Mr. BURTON—Yes.

Coun. HEALEY—And I suppose that contract is already signed, you might say, and pledged between the Harbor Trust and the Middlesex Trust?

Mr. BURTON—Yes. The Law Department says the lease will have to go first to the Middlesex Trust on account of its being in existence today legally, and the Middlesex Trust is later to transfer its property and lease to the Harbor Trust which the Harbor Trust carries out.

Coun. MORIARTY—How do we know they are in position to carry it out?

Mr. BURTON—In what respect do you mean?

Coun. MORIARTY—In any respect.

Mr. BURTON—Well, the men behind it indicate that.

Coun. MORIARTY—The men don't indicate anything to me.

Mr. BURTON—Well, Councilor Moriarty, we would not come here and go to the trouble of wanting to put up a building costing two million and a half dollars and waste that time.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Burton, as I understand—

Chairman WATSON—Had you finished, Mr. Burton, your statement?

Mr. BURTON—Yes, sir.

Chairman WATSON—Councilor Moriarty.

Coun. MORIARTY—We have here on the calendar an order to lease to the Middlesex Trust, and here we have a letter on the stationery of Milton C. Burton, Real Estate, 141 Milk street, and it is signed by the trustees of the Harbor Trust.

Mr. BURTON—Well, Samuel Eliot is also a trustee of the Middlesex Trust.

Coun. MORIARTY—I know, but Mr. Samuel Eliot can sign his name for the Middlesex Trust but he could not be held in law, as far as the Middlesex Trust is concerned, for his signature as the Harbor Trust, could he?

Mr. BURTON—Well, the obligation finally comes, Councilor Moriarty, on the Harbor Trust.

Coun. MORIARTY—Well, that I don't know. That is what I want to find out.

Mr. BURTON—The lease is transferred to the Harbor Trust, of which Samuel Eliot is trustee.

Coun. MORIARTY—Have they any stationery?

Mr. BURTON—Well, no, only so far as it is represented there because it has been a temporary organization until this matter could be completed.

Coun. MORIARTY—Haven't they any stationery at all?

Mr. BURTON—It is right on the letter there. It states "Harbor Trust."

Coun. MORIARTY—But I mean haven't they any stationery?

Mr. BURTON—Who, the Middlesex Trust?

Coun. MORIARTY—Either one of them.

Mr. BURTON—Well, the Middlesex Trust, no.

Coun. MORIARTY—Has the Harbor Trust?

Mr. BURTON—Yes. Here is the stationery right here (producing paper).

Coun. HEALEY—Is the precedent to the building of this two million and a half structure the execution of this lease?

Mr. BURTON—It has to be.

Coun. HEALEY—That is, you won't build the two million and a half building until you get a lease of this land?

Mr. BURTON—The bankers state that unless the building is camouflaged or removed they refuse to loan the money.

Coun. HEALEY—Who were the lawyers involved?

Mr. BURTON—Choate, Hall & Stewart.

Coun. HEALEY—They have gone through with all the preliminaries?

Mr. BURTON—Mr. Lyons and Mr. E. Mark Sullivan have handled this thing and spent a good deal of time on it, and they came to this conclusion, that that was the only thing that could be done.

Coun. MORIARTY—Was that agreement in effect, that it was going to be turned over to another trust, before this order was drawn?

Mr. BURTON—No. We had correspondence with the Law Department in which the Harbor Trust agreed that, upon the completion of this order, it would take over the lease from the Middlesex Trust provided the Council will grant the lease.

Coun. MORIARTY—How long ago was that understanding between the two trusts?

Mr. BURTON—Why, some months.

Coun. MORIARTY—What do you mean by "some months"?

Mr. BURTON—Oh, four months, probably.

Coun. MORIARTY—This order was not voted on here until August 4.

Mr. BURTON—I know, but we have been waiting on the Council for two or three months.

Coun. MORIARTY—And when did it come in?

Mr. BURTON—It came in early in July. Coun. MORIARTY—Well, then, the agreement was entered into before it came in.

Mr. BURTON—No, there was an agreement, an understanding.

Coun. MORIARTY—Well, the understanding was what?

Mr. BURTON—The Law Department had to have some understanding from the Middlesex Trust that we would do certain things if the city would grant this lease.

Coun. MORIARTY—But the Middlesex Trust never intended to do that, did they?

Mr. BURTON—No, because it was intended to transfer it to the Harbor Trust.

Coun. MORIARTY—So, so far as we are concerned, it was a camouflage.

Mr. BURTON—No.

Coun. MORIARTY—What else is it if it isn't a camouflage, if the City Council of the City of Boston was not let known to whom they were to give the lease?

Mr. BURTON—There will be no question about that at all. It states in the order who the lessees are to be.

Coun. MORIARTY—As the Harbor Trust? Mr. BURTON—Yes. They are the same gentlemen in the Harbor Trust.

Coun. MORIARTY—Well, what is the Middlesex Trust?

Mr. BURTON—It is just a transfer from an old name to a new name; in other words, an enlarged corporation has been formed.

Coun. HEALEY—Does the Middlesex Trust intend to build, or does the Harbor Trust intend to build?

Mr. BURTON—Not as the Middlesex Trust but as the Harbor Trust.

Coun. HEALEY—That is the legal entity that intends to build?

Mr. BURTON—Yes.

Coun. HEALEY—If it was left to the Middlesex Trust, they would not build?

Mr. BURTON—That goes out of existence as far as the name is concerned.

Coun. HEALEY—And the Harbor Trust, the real legal entity, is the one that intends to build, is the one that intends to lease?

Mr. BURTON—Yes. That is the way the order states, that it shall be transferred to them.

Coun. HEALEY—It might perhaps make it clearer and more explicit to the Council, Mr. Burton, if it was stated in real plain language that the Harbor Trust intends to build this two and a half million dollar building if they get the lease—make it exact, explicit language. I stated in my preliminary remarks that that is not very clear, but I am satisfied with the statement of two of those men that they intend to add two and a half million to the taxable property of the city, although the letter is not explicit.

Mr. BURTON—The letter does state that we intend to build the building if the city will grant the Harbor Trust this lease.

Coun. HEALEY—You might read it in there but it does not so state.

Mr. BURTON—We hope there won't be any further delay.

Coun. HEALEY—I am taking the stand that the Mayor will protect the interests of the City of Boston and he will go through with the understanding that the lease will not be given until they make that agreement.

Mr. BURTON—Certainly. We expect to have the building ready next July.

Coun. HEALEY—You intend to build the building?

Mr. BURTON—That is the only one we want.

Chairman WATSON—Is that the understanding of the Law Department?

Mr. BURTON—Yes.

Coun. HEALEY—Will that be specified in the lease?

Mr. BURTON—Yes.

Coun. DONOGHUE—What is the idea of changing these names, Mr. Burton, from the Middlesex Trust to the Harbor Trust?

Mr. BURTON—Well, it is just an old corporation that is selling out to a new, so the old stockholders remain except one or two.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Couldn't they do that after this proposition has gone through rather than before this particular time so as not to confuse this entire proposition?

Mr. BURTON—Well, it could be done but it means a matter of delay, and the thing has to be all made up new again from a legal standpoint.

Coun. DONOGHUE—How much delay is there to changing the name from Middlesex Trust to Harbor Trust, or vice versa?

Mr. BURTON—It is the formation of a new legal trust. The old trust would be empowered to carry on the work of the new.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Isn't the old trust in existence now—the Middlesex Trust?

Mr. BURTON—Yes; but only so far as it has ability to carry on this land, not to build.

Coun. HEALEY—It is quite the ordinary

thing in Boston, isn't it, that when they build a two or three million dollar building they do form a new trust?

Mr. BURTON—Yes, a trust is formed instead of a corporation.

Coun. HEALEY—That is the usual custom? Mr. BURTON—Yes. Most of all our large buildings are held in the form of a trust.

Coun. PURCELL—In the event of this body voting against this proposition, will your trust go right on and build just the same?

Mr. BURTON—We can't get the money unless the city grants the lease. That is a condition the bankers lay down.

Coun. PURCELL—What is the reason you can't get the money if the city does not grant the lease?

Mr. BURTON—Because of the great objection there to the dump, that we could not, as private individuals, go on the city's property and improve it to the extent that would be acceptable.

Coun. PURCELL—You mean on account of dumping garbage and ashes?

Mr. BURTON—It is a nuisance—and the odor.

Coun. PURCELL—This building is going to have windows adjacent to this dump?

Mr. BURTON—Yes; but what we are going to do there, we are going to build a two or three story building—

Coun. PURCELL—I did not ask you that question.

Mr. BURTON—I just want to explain.

Coun. PURCELL—I say, in this large building you are going to build, you will have windows facing on the City of Boston dump, won't you?

Mr. BURTON—Yes.

Coun. PURCELL—That leaves it so that you have light and air?

Mr. BURTON—Yes.

Coun. PURCELL—And it means if the City of Boston should want to build there it could not build?

Mr. BURTON—Yes; whenever the lease of this Coleman Development Company is canceled our lease is canceled.

Coun. PURCELL—What you are after is to get light and air on that side?

Mr. BURTON—Not particularly that. It is more to do away with the nuisance of the place.

Coun. PURCELL—On the plans are there windows on that side?

Mr. BURTON—Oh, yes; certainly.

Coun. PURCELL—There is no way of building a blank wall up there and allowing somebody else to build on the other side?

Mr. BURTON—I don't know.

Coun. PURCELL—That is the idea of your trust: to get the lease of this land so that nothing can be built up against your building?

Mr. BURTON—That is not the objection the bankers have to it.

Coun. PURCELL—What is the objection?

Mr. BURTON—It is because of the nuisance of the dump itself, that is, the smell of the swill, which is very strong, and the ashes and dirt flying all over the place.

Coun. PURCELL—But still they are going to build there?

Mr. BURTON—Yes.

Chairman WATSON—Mr. Burton, will you answer Mr. Purcell's question yes or no, please.

Coun. PURCELL—In the building of this building you are to have windows facing on the dump, aren't you?

Mr. BURTON—Yes.

Coun. PURCELL—Why can't a plain wall be built there and leave that land as it is?

Mr. BURTON—It could be.

Coun. PURCELL—Why can't it be done?

Mr. BURTON—Well, the designers of the building—

Coun. PURCELL—You wouldn't get the smell then of the garbage.

Mr. BURTON—Yes, I guess you would. You would get it for a couple of blocks away.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. Chairman, I do not approve of the granting of the lease to those people. I think there is a deal on.

Chairman WATSON—Is there any further question of Mr. Burton?

Coun. HEALEY—How long have you been in conference with the Mayor on this particular matter, Mr. Burton?

Mr. BURTON—Well, I have not been in conference with the Mayor particularly. We have been with the Law Department for the last year.

Coun. HEALEY—Has the Mayor given his sanction to this lease?

Mr. BURTON—He has approved of it.

Coun. HEALEY—He has approved of it? Mr. BURTON—So I understand from his communication to the Council.

Coun. HEALEY—Well, I do not know whether that communication reads that the Mayor has approved of it, although I do not suppose that he would be so simple as to send in a communication for a lease—

Mr. BURTON—He recommends its passage.

Chairman WATSON—Mr. Burton is excused, with the thanks of the Council. The question comes on the passage of No. 2 on the calendar.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Chairman, I am going to make the request that we lay it on the table and send for the Law Department and have them here a week from today.

Coun. PURCELL—I second that motion, Mr. Chairman.

The question being put, the Chair stated it was in doubt and asked for a showing of hands. Five hands were raised in the affirmative, and none in the negative, and the motion to lay on the table was declared passed.

RENTING LOCATIONS TO TAXI COMPANIES.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to petition the Legislature to take the necessary measures to prevent the owners of property in the City of Boston from renting or leasing locations in the streets of the city to taxicab owners or drivers.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I move suspension of the rules. I am not going to take much time to talk on this order. I realize that some of the members here are in a hurry to get away, but I have had brought to my notice at the hearing on the widening of Tremont street that one of the opponents to that widening came here and testified that he received \$75 per month for leasing part of Tremont street to the Checker Taxicab Company for a stand for three taxicabs. That is the evidence we have before us. I know that every hotel in Boston of any consequence has asked for bids from all of the taxicab companies, and the highest bidder is given that stand. When the assessors go out and assess property, they assess the building that is on the land and owned by the owner. They do not assess the income from any of those buildings particularly the income from our public streets.

But this is the boomerang. The so-called Chamber of Commerce, which has just erected a building at the corner of Franklin and Federal streets, has also sent out a notice to all the taxicab companies, asking for bids for taxicab stands on Franklin and Federal streets. They are going to sell the streets of Boston for private gain, and they are going to sell to the highest bidder.

Now we, who are citizens of the Commonwealth and, by choice, of Boston, if we are fortunate enough to own a machine, are not allowed to even park our own cars in front of our houses because the police will tag them. I have not only been tagged in front of my own house, but I had a sergeant and a patrolman come into my house asking me what times I parked in front of my own home. But, nevertheless, the Chamber of Commerce, 95 per cent of whose members live out of Boston, are coming in here and selling the streets of Boston to the highest bidder. I feel that that is also true of the proprietors of our hotels in Boston that the big percentage of them are not residents of the City of Boston.

But what can you do? The political leader in Boston the treasurer—not the treasurer—strike that out, please—the attorney for the Checker Taxicab Company—

Chairman WATSON—Will the councilor kindly name the gentleman for the information of the Chair?

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Innes.

Chairman WATSON—Charles H. Innes?

Coun. MORIARTY—Charles H. Innes.

Chairman WATSON—The Republican leader?

Coun. MORIARTY—The Republican leader of the City of Boston is the attorney for the Checker Taxicab Company, and any stand that he wants from the Republican police commissioner he gets. So it is about time that we, as citizens of the City of Boston got some of the rights that belong to us. I have driven one taxicab stand from our streets—the one at the corner of Washington and Summer streets.

Chairman WATSON—Will the councilor suspend for a moment. Will someone kindly see if my car is tagged. Go on, councilor.

Coun. MORIARTY—But my great thought was to bring out to the public that it is bad enough for individual property owners to be getting revenue from such practice, but when the Chamber of Commerce does it—! This is the answer. Of course, the man did not have the right to speak for the Chamber of Commerce, but an attorney who is connected with both the Good Government Association and the Chamber of Commerce I happened to meet the other day—

Chairman WATSON—Will the gentleman kindly mention the attorney's name for the benefit of the Chair?

Coun. MORIARTY—I am going to say this,—that I am not a candidate for office at this time, and I am not giving any of the candidates thunder to go out and use. I happened to meet him. I told him what information I had about the Chamber sending out bids to all the taxicab companies, and he said, "Why not the Chamber? Everybody is doing it." I thought it was a fine answer. I said to him, "Well, I believe that I have at least one member of the Chamber right at last—that instead of being a leading organization for the benefit of the city they are following somebody else."

Chairman WATSON—The Chair would like to ask Councilman Moriarty if he would like to help the chairman in his campaign by giving him the name?

Coun. MORIARTY—Do you want me to tell it in public?

Chairman WATSON—Yes; yes, sir.

Coun. MORIARTY—I will say that the name of the attorney that I met was Mr. "Abe" Pinanski, who was the man that, when I was a candidate for office, sat in the rooms of the Good Government Association quizzing me on what I would do if I received their endorsement and was elected. And I would say that the same gentleman, during the building trades strike in Boston a few years ago, was the attorney at the Chamber of Commerce investigation, on which they never made a final report, and the said "Abe" Pinanski is also on the pay roll of the Boston Elevated Railroad.

So I want to say that I am absolutely sincere in asking the Mayor to promote legislation to make it possible to forbid the owners of buildings within the area of the City of Boston to sell or lease, by act or deed, the public streets of Boston. The Good Government Association and those in control of it have stolen about everything else that we have in Boston and are now going to steal our streets, and the Chamber, which follows in the footsteps of the Good Government Association is not following in its footsteps, is doing something, in my estimation, which is not stealing, but highway robbery. I am actually surprised that the Chamber of Commerce, which has in it, as they say, the brains of all our big business—and this is part of their big business—does not allow the common people of the city to have what rightfully belongs to them. They have taken everything else, and now they are going to take our highways, or have taken them. And I suppose that by the time I have introduced the order they have received the bids, and it may be that because I have made this statement the bids will never be delivered to any taxicab company, and, if they are not, I shall have accomplished more for traffic regulations that the committee of the Chamber of Commerce which has been meeting for years and taking up traffic conditions in our congested city. But little do they think of traffic congestion when the almighty dollar hangs up in front of them and they get an opportunity to take it, and I say this, that I hope that the members of the Council, although they may not agree with all I have said, will agree that my order in so far as the taking of the streets is concerned may go through, asking the Mayor to draw a law which may be presented to the incoming Legislature.

The question came on suspension of the rules and passage of the order, and the order was passed.

LOAN ORDERS IN EFFECT.

The following were received:

City of Boston,

Office of the City Clerk, September 6, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—You are hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 2 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, the loan order of \$1,200,000 for the widening of Kneeland street, filed with the City Clerk on July 7, 1924, not having been rejected or withdrawn within sixty days after said date was in force on September 6, 1924, as if adopted by the City Council.

Respectfully,

JAMES DONOVAN, City Clerk.

Placed on file.

City of Boston,

Office of the City Clerk, September 6, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—You are hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 2 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, the loan order of \$1,200,000 for the widening of Tremont street, filed with the City Clerk on July 7, 1924, not having been rejected or withdrawn within

sixty days after said date, was in force on September 6, 1924, as if adopted by the City Council.

Respectfully,

JAMES DONOVAN, City Clerk.

Placed on file.

Coun. MORIARTY moved that the Council adjourn to 2 p. m., Tuesday, September 9, 1924.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman?

Chairman WATSON—A motion to adjourn is not debatable.

Coun. MORIARTY—I withdraw my motion, Mr. Chairman.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I rise to a point of information. I just heard the communication read relative to the acceptance of the act concerning Kneeland street, and I ask, as a point of information, how it is that this act becomes law without any action having been taken on the matter—I think that is the statement which has been read—when action was taken on this matter previous to September 5th, and, by the votes of this Council, the matter was defeated and only today reconsidered. The previous action of this—

Chairman WATSON—For the benefit of the gentleman the Chair will state that he knows nothing about the matter but, if you consult the City Clerk after adjournment, he will furnish you with full information.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Well, Mr. Chairman, I believe that I ought to get the information on this proposition now.

Chairman WATSON—The Chair is unable to give it to the gentlemen. The only party who knows about it is the City Clerk.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Well, Mr. Chairman, I move reconsideration of the placing on file of that order.

Chairman WATSON—Councilor Donoghue moves reconsideration of the motion whereas the communication was placed on file. Those in favor of reconsideration will say "Aye," those opposed "No," and it is a vote.

At this point Coun. Watson relinquished the Chair to Coun. Moriarty.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I again rise to a point of information. I appreciate the vote of the Council in reconsidering the action of placing this communication on file. Now I ask, What is the status of this particular matter? It seems rather peculiar to me that this action, which is taken on Monday, September 8th, of reconsideration automatically wipes out the action of the Council taken more than two weeks ago whereby this order was defeated, and this action that was taken today, on September 8th, took place three days after the expiration of the sixty days which was required to have this order become law without any action having been taken by the Council in the meantime.

My contention is that action was taken by the Council, and that this order was defeated, and that no action taken on this matter, on September 8th, can obviate the action which was taken more than two weeks ago, my point being that this action of ours on reconsideration today was taken three days after the time had expired, or the sixty days had expired. I cannot quite see how this reconsideration order today can automatically make that bill law. I had the impression that when this matter was reconsidered today it then would be given another reading by this Council and, if it received the necessary six votes, it would become law, but to have it become law through a reconsideration of business which was transacted more than two weeks ago, and in view of the fact that the sixty-day limit had expired three days ago, I cannot quite see how any action on September 8th is going to make that other action retroactive, and I would like to have it explained to me.

Chairman MORIARTY—I feel that the only thing that can be said to the councilor is that if the councilor desires to get any information he may receive that information by getting in touch with the City Clerk's office. He can get that information there.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, of course I appreciate that the City Clerk thinks that he is right in this matter, otherwise he would not put the notice in here; and I also appreciate that, if this order had become final today through that reconsideration, there isn't anything that I might be able to do that would wipe out that action, and while I oppose the proposition of the widening of Kneeland street and the widening of Tremont street, and while the widening of Tremont street was finally passed by holding the matter on the table, and while this one now is probably passed by holding the matter on the table, I personally do not think that it is very good law to issue bonds on either of these streets under these conditions. I think there is a serious question as to whether or not bonds issued in connection

with the Kneeland street widening would be legal on account of this action; and I now ask, or I will move reconsideration of the action whereby this Council voted to reconsider their previous action.

Chairman MORIARTY—I will have to declare the motion out of order. One motion already reconsidered cannot be reconsidered on a second occasion.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Well, Mr. Chairman, my motion, or the motion, as I understand it, for reconsideration which previously prevailed was to reconsider the vote of August 25th whereby this Council failed to pass that order for the widening of Kneeland street. I now ask, or I now move to reconsider, the reconsideration and not the order.

Chairman MORIARTY—That motion has been reconsidered once and cannot be reconsidered now for the second time.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Well, Mr. President, as I understand it, the order which has been reconsidered was the order to appropriate \$1,200,000 for the widening of Kneeland street, and we voted to reconsider our action on that particular matter. Your ruling is that I cannot move reconsideration of that matter again. I will ask if I can move, and be in order, that our action relative to this matter be rescinded, and that the matter be stricken from the records.

Chairman MORIARTY—I can say that that motion would be in order—

Coun. DONOGHUE—I will so move, Mr. Chairman.

Chairman MORIARTY—provided there is a quorum present to act upon it.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, the Chair has ruled that the motion to rescind is in order. The Council is in session; a quorum was present when the Council proceeded to the order of business today; and in view of the fact that the Council has not adjourned I think that the matter should be considered at this time, whether or not a quorum of members of this Council is present, and that the matter can be acted on and either passed or rejected by a majority of those now present.

Chairman MORIARTY—The presiding officer always has the right to determine whether or not a quorum is present, and, either fortunately or unfortunately, I am presiding, and I will decide that there does not appear to be a quorum, and that the meeting will now stand adjourned if the City Messenger cannot bring a quorum together. I will ask the City Messenger to see if he can round up a quorum.

The City Messenger, having left the room, returned and made the statement that no more members could be found.

Chairman MORIARTY—The Clerk will call the roll.

The Clerk called the roll, with the following result:

Present—Coun. Donoghue, Lane, Moriarty, Walsh—1.

Absent—Coun. Brickley, Gilbody, Healey, Purcell, Watson—5.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I appreciate that this is probably the most unusual procedure I have seen since I have been in this Council, and I want to make myself clear on the proposition.

I am willing to abide by the vote of the majority of the members of this Council, and they voted that these appropriations should be passed over my protest; but I believe that when we do these things we should do them right, and we should do them legally, and I am of the opinion that there would be serious question, if anyone is sufficiently interested to object, on the issuing of bonds for this particular proposition—the widening of Kneeland street. I know that there is a sufficient number of votes with a full membership of this Council here to pass this order. I think it is rather unusual to have a quorum called, to see whether or not a quorum of the Council is present. I have never seen it done before, and it is done in this particular matter. Possibly, I might be accused of taking advantage of this situation with members of the Council not in their seats, but I have no such intention. At the same time, I do not like to relinquish my own rights and privileges as a member of this Council because of the fact that there is not a quorum present, and I suppose I am out of order now in talking when there is not a quorum present.

I would suggest that in view of the fact that we have not a quorum here and that the Council has agreed to meet tomorrow, the Council now take a recess until tomorrow, and, tomorrow, finally act upon this proposition. In the meantime I would be glad to consult with the City Clerk relative to the law in connection with this, and, if he can convince me that I am wrong on this proposition, then I will subside and make no further protest; but I do want to say that I do not believe that this Council now, with no quorum present, had the right to accept some of the legislation

which they have accepted this afternoon, and if the no-quorum proposition is going to be laid against my door on this matter, then of course it may also be considered in connection with other matters upon which we have acted today. Once we have a quorum in this Council Chamber, until the Council adjourns I have never seen a case where a quorum had to be called again. This is the first time. I suppose that in many cases if a quorum were called, or a roll call was had, a great deal of the legislation which has been passed here was passed without a quorum being present. I think that it is rather going a long way to prevent action on this matter relative to my motion to rescind. However, I appreciate that the Chair wants to be fair in this matter, and I do not want to embarrass him, and I would suggest that we take a recess until tomorrow.

Chairman MORIARTY—I want to say, in consideration of the ruling, that I do not think that I have taken any of the rights of the councilor who has just taken his seat (Coun. Donoghue). He has the same right to file with the City Clerk a motion for reconsideration of any action taken today, to be brought up and voted upon at our next regular meeting, which is provided specifically in the charter, which was done after our meeting two weeks ago today by a member who was in the minority (Coun. Watson). He filed his notice of reconsideration, and reconsideration was acted upon today and the measure carried by a two-thirds vote. Of course, sharp practice may be played at any time, whether it be played by me or any other member of the Council. It was positively stated here that, if a full membership of the Council was present during the voting upon either Kneeland street or Tremont street, it would have been passed, and, as far as my judgment is concerned, that was understood by the members who voted against it. I believe they had the right to vote against it, and I believe they were honest in voting against it, but I believe that the minority think that if a full membership was present it would have passed. It may have been sharp practice to have kept it upon the table. Of course, there was a change on Kneeland street, and it was taken from the table and defeated by a vote of 4 to 3, if my memory serves me rightly. I am only assuming that which I am rightly entitled to assume as the presiding officer, and, either fortunately or unfortunately at the time, the presiding officer always has the right, and I believe a right that any member of the Council has. I do not think that the citizens of Boston feel that a minority of the membership in the Council should do the business. I believe they are satisfied and dissatisfied when the majority, let alone the minority, does it. I do not think that I am taking one bit away from any member. Any member has the right to serve notice inside of a certain time with the City Clerk that he desires reconsideration.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Well, Mr. Chairman, on this matter you have already ruled that I have not that right.

Chairman MORIARTY—I agree with you. I will say that I have made a mistake as far as that is concerned. But I will also say this,—that I believe it becomes a question of law now, not a question of fact. I know that the Corporation Counsel has made the decision, in so far as the action on Kneeland street is concerned, that final action on the Kneeland street project was not completed while there was pending a request for reconsideration; and I believe, notwithstanding that they have placed the communication on file, that the councilor will have ample opportunity to take from the file at the next meeting the communication, bringing it up before the meeting and requesting information of those who have it as to why a communication of that kind was sent here perhaps by sending for the Law Department. If the bonds, as the member has said, are issued technically wrongly, that is not any worry of anybody but the fellow who buys them, and the man who buys them ought at least to protect himself by looking into them and seeing that they are lawfully issued bonds, and, if not, then he would have redress against the City of Boston.

I say I think that the member has not had any of his rights taken away and will be in as good position a week from today as he is today, although I know that, were a vote taken of the four members now here, even his motion to rescind would be defeated, and he would be left in the same position. Even if the inquiry as to a quorum was not raised, he would be in the same position a week from today, or two weeks from today, or at whatever time the Council adjourns to tomorrow, to bring the matter up. He always has the right to ask that a communication on file be brought to the meeting. Does the member (Coun. Donoghue) move recess until tomorrow?

Coun. DONOGHUE—In view of the fact that the roll has been called, Mr. Chairman, and there is no quorum present, automatically the Council stands adjourned.

Chairman MORIARTY declared the Council adjourned, at 4.50 p. m., to meet on Tuesday, September 9, 1924, at two o'clock p. m.

Tuesday, September 9, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair.

Absent—Coun. Gilbody, Purcell and Watson. The President called up the following, viz.:

Ordered, That to provide temporarily money to meet the appropriations for the financial year 1924-25, the City Treasurer issue and sell, at such times and in such amounts as he may deem best, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston not exceeding four million dollars in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, in anticipation of the revenue of the current municipal year; that all such notes or certificates of indebtedness be dated the day the money for the same is received, be made payable with the interest thereon within one year of their date from the revenue of the year 1924, and bear interest from their date until the same are made payable at such rate as the City Auditor, the City Treasurer and the Mayor may determine.

On August 26, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

The order was given its final reading and passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

Coun. WALSH moved a general reconsideration on all business transacted at the meeting, hoping that the same would not prevail. Lost.

Adjourned at 5.25 o'clock p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to meet on Monday, September 22, at two o'clock p. m.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Sept. 15, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 5.34 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

June 23, 1924, on page 138, order number two of the salary schedule, by striking out the word "Manual" in the fifteenth line, and substituting in place thereof the word "Mechanic"—so that the item will read as follows:

Instructors in Mechanic Arts and Co-operative Instructors. \$3.00

July 14, 1924, on page 147, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Ralph F. Morrison, as shop foreman in the Boston Trade School, shall read "third year."

Aug. 22, 1924, on page 169, to provide that the rate of compensation for the service of John P. Degnan as substitute assistant, Dorchester Summer Review School, shall read three dollars (\$3.00) instead of "three dollars fifty cents (\$3.50)" per day.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

DEATH.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teacher: Roger Wolcott District—Eleanor M. Raferty, assistant, July 21, 1924. Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated were presented:

High School of Commerce—Edward A. Post, junior master, Aug. 31, 1924.

Henry Grew District—Margaret H. Hinkley, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Mather District—Mary R. Gray, assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1924.

Minot District—Lora E. Lamb, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Evangeline Lynch, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Anna G. Flynn, teacher of cookery, Aug. 31, 1924; Mary A. Hourihan, teacher of millinery, Aug. 31, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Alexander MacGilvray, shop instructor, Aug. 31, 1924.

Frank V. Thompson and Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate Districts—Anna M. Barry, clerical assistant, Sept. 19, 1924.

Accepted.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

EMERGENCY ASSISTANTS.

Ina L. V. Bamberg, Irma Battis, Marie L. Boylan, Alice P. Bransfield, Mary J. Browne, Margaret M. Burns, Pauline V. Byrne, Mary C. Campbell, Catherine F. Carr, Florence E. Caspole, Eleanor F. Clancy, Bessie Cohen, Dorothea E. Coleman, Mary A. Collieran, Ethel C. Collier, Catherine J. Connolly, Anna J. Copell, Emma Crosby, Florence A. Dalpe, Mary P. A. Deely, E. Claire Doherty, Josephine T. Donahue, Marion P. Dooley, Alice R. Duffy, Katherine M. Elston, Grace E. Flanagan, Hattie G. Fletcher, Vera E. Gallagher, Anna M. Genter, Elizabeth M. Good, Winifred M. Heffernan, Anna I. Horne, Grace F. Jeffrey, Lillian T. Kearney, Elizabeth M. Kelleher, Mary C. Long, Mary G. McCarthy, Mary E. McGovern, Anna C. McNair, Marion C. Mercurio, Florence E. Murphy, Monica Murphy, Anna E. Murray, Miriam K. O'Shea, Ruth E. Pineo, Laura E. Preble, Mary A. Reilly, Dora F. Rosengard, Alice G. Roultson, Josephine A. Ryan, Louise M. Stalker, Florence R. Sullivan, Grace M. Sweney, Dorothy H. Terry, Genevieve M. Wakeling, Marie J. Walsh, Miriam White, Miriam Wilson, Sept. 9, 1924.

Approved.

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

(Mechanical Department.)

(To take effect Sept. 9, 1924.)

Boston Trade School—Anthony Rose; Alvan D. Eastman (third

year from Sept. 9, 1924); Clement C. Little (third year from Sept. 15, 1924).

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Brighton High School—William B. Dahill, co-operative instructor, Sept. 8, 1924; Forest L. Mason, co-operative instructor, Sept. 15, 1924.

Mechanic Arts High School—Freeman D. Shepard, instructor, mechanic arts, Sept. 9, 1924.

Boston Trade School—Arthur A. Capittel, shop foreman, Sept. 9, 1924; Charles L. Milward senior instructor, Sept. 9, 1924.

Trade School for Girls—Jennie M. Carlson, Rose A. Moran, Myrtle A. Ruggles, helpers, Sept. 8, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Edward B. Flaherty, Louis H. Karshick, Joseph N. Mannino, Patrick J. McQuillan, shop instructors Sept. 8, 1924.

Placed on file.

REAPPOINTMENTS TO TRADE SCHOOLS.

Trade School for Girls—Mary A. Cassio, Frances E. Mooney, Marie C. Tortora, Louise G. Warren, student aids, Sept. 8, 1924.

Boston Trade School—Thomas J. Turley, toolkeeper, Sept. 9, 1924.

Approved.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Charles Sumner District—Robert G. O'Connell, submaster, Oct. 7, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—George C. O'Brien, assistant, Oct. 7, 1924.

Wendell Phillips District—Howard Wilbur, submaster (fourth year), Oct. 7, 1924.

Boston Clerical School—Jessie Kalter, assistant, Oct. 7, 1924.

Boston Trade School—Charles M. McKenzie, shop foreman (third year), Sept. 15, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Frances B. Haskell, trade assistant, Oct. 7, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—John T. Mendenhall, shop instructor (second year), Sept. 15, 1924.

Laid over.

(Junior Assistants.)

Public Latin School—Frank A. Gilbert, second year, Sept. 1, 1924; George L. McKim, second year, Sept. 1, 1924; Mark F. Russo, Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Sept. 12, 1924).

Girls' Latin School—Helen G. Holland, Sept. 1, 1924; Eva M. Little, Sept. 9, 1924; Margaret W. Lynch, Sept. 1, 1924; Elinor J. Fowle, Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Sept. 13, 1924).

Brighton High School—John J. May, Sept. 9, 1924; Katherine A. Ryan, Sept. 1, 1924 (second year from Nov. 5, 1924).

Charlestown High School—Joseph A. Donahoe, second year, Sept. 1, 1924; Marion C. Gilman, Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Sept. 13, 1924).

Dorchester High School—Margaret E. Burke, Sept. 1, 1924; Margaret M. Higgins, Sept. 1, 1924; William L. Hughes, Sept. 1, 1924 (second year from Nov. 5, 1924); Ruth E. McHale, Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Oct. 3, 1924); Virginia E. Turnbull, Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Sept. 13, 1924); Hazel W. MacDonald, Sept. 1, 1924 (fourth year from Sept. 13, 1924).

East Boston High School—Mildred P. Cummings, Sept. 1, 1924 (second year from Sept. 5, 1924); Margaret A. Lynch, Sept. 1, 1924 (second year from Nov. 5, 1924).

English High School—Francis X. Renahan, Sept. 1, 1924; Arthur F. Leary, second year, Sept. 1, 1924; Edward E. Hunkins, Sept. 1, 1924 (second year from Sept. 19, 1924); Emmett J. Reardon, Sept. 1, 1924 (fourth year from Sept. 13, 1924).

Girls' High School—Agnes G. Doggett, Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Sept. 12, 1924).

Hyde Park High School—Sylvia M. Murray, second year, Sept. 1, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—Thomas F. Gately, Sept. 1, 1924; Helen A. Wilson, Sept. 10, 1924; Leonora C. Murray, Sept. 1, 1924 (fifth year from Sept. 8, 1924).

Mechanic Arts High School—Gerald F. Coughlin, Edward W. Giblin, George J. Kearns, Joseph A. Moran, second year, Sept. 1, 1924; Walter T. Durnan, Sept. 1, 1924 (second year from Sept. 10, 1924); Agnes M. Carven, Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Sept. 12, 1924).

Roxbury High School—Lillian D. McCarthy, Sept. 1, 1924; Margaret T. Crowley, Sept. 1, 1924 (second year from Sept. 13, 1924); Irene P. Zahn, Sept. 1, 1924 (second year from Oct. 17, 1924).

South Boston High School—Ida Cohen, second year, Sept. 1, 1924.

Bigelow District—Edward J. Gill, Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Sept. 12, 1924).

Bowdoin and Wells Districts—Dorothy M. Ellis, Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Sept. 15, 1924).

Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District—Grace A. Evans, Sept. 1, 1924.

Gaston District—Katharyn E. MacNamara, Sept. 1, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Frances Laughrea, Sept. 1, 1924.

Prince District—Beatrice G. Hantz, Sept. 1, 1924.

Rice District—Honora G. Lynch, Sept. 1, 1924.

Washington Irving Intermediate District—Constance R. Dowd, Sept. 10, 1924.

Approved.

(By Promotion.)

Brighton High School—Elizabeth I. O'Neill, first assistant, head of department (from assistant), Sept. 16, 1924.

East Boston High School—Grace E. Merrill, first assistant, head of department (from assistant), Sept. 16, 1924.

Girls' High School—Bertha A. Bonart, first assistant, head of department (from assistant), Sept. 16, 1924.

Hyde Park High School—Alice E. Fisher, first assistant, head of department (from assistant), Sept. 16, 1924.

Dudley District—Mary F. Sullivan, master's assistant (from assistant, Hyde District), Sept. 16, 1924.

Eliot District—Eleanor M. Colleton, master's assistant (from assistant, Hancock District), Sept. 17, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

(Re-entry into Service.)

Hancock District—Ambrosine Salisbury, assistant, special class, Oct. 7, 1924.

Laid over.

EVENING SCHOOLS

Term 1924-25.

(To take effect Sept. 29, 1924.)

Brighton Evening Commercial High School—Frederick L. Carney, Miah J. Falvey, Joseph G. Green, William J. Murphy, Carolyn A. Shea, Josephine Wentworth, assistants.

Central Evening High School—Carl H. Adams, Charles Bamberg, Earl M. Benson, J. Albert Brack, Harry E. Bryant, Thomas A. Donnelly, William J. Dooling, Thomas F. Galvin, Wilfred N. Hinckley, Jr., Enor E. Lundin, Bernard H. McGrath, William G. S. McIntyre, Albert I. Maguire, Charles F. Muldoon, Ralph F. V. Quinn, Edwin M. Randolph, John F. Roche, Robert G. Simmons, Charles A. A. Weber, Edward N. Wilson, assistants.

Charlestown Evening Commercial High School—Patrick J. Donovan, John W. Guinee, Arthur Harrington, Katherine E. Holland, James L. O'Brien, Walter V. O'Brien, James F. O'Halloran, Vincent J. Ready, assistants.

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School—Edward M. Balfe, Richard P. Bonney, Laura S. Clark, John J. Connelly, Jr., Jared W. Davis, Valentine F. Dunn, Harold B. Foye, Marie G. Gookin, Joseph A. Hennessey, Anita P. McDonough, Arthur W. Ross, Mary A. Ward, Charles T. Wentworth, assistants.

East Boston Evening Commercial High School—Frederick H. Busby, Charles O. Halloran, Mary A. A. Haverly, Mary C. Roach, Daniel J. Shea, Charles E. Simpson, assistants.

Girls' Evening Commercial High School—Elizabeth E. Haggerty, Nathaniel J. Hasenfus, George M. Hawes, Ella D. Leave, Frances K. McCaffrey, George I. Pettengill, John J. Riley, Emma F. Simmons, assistants; Frank G. Robinson, typewriting assistant.

Hyde Park Evening Commercial High School—James L. Early, Marion Gee, Edward M. Gilpatrick, Christopher A. Nolan, assistants.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Marion L. Barker, John A. Bergin, Angus J. Chisholm, John W. Corcoran, William H. Cunningham, John J. Doyle, George W. Gammon, Thomas J. Murphy, James M. Nelligan, Alice H. M. Power, Ellen A. Regan, Alice M. Roche, Louise Townsend, assistants; Mary E. Ward, typewriting assistant.

South Boston Evening Commercial High School—Thomas P. Burns, William A. Connelly, Gertrude M. Greene, Vincent L. Greene, Elizabeth M. Gwinnell, Thaddeus J. Keefe, Patrick J. Moynihan, James P. Sullivan, assistants.

Bigelow Evening School—Sadie M. Boles, Annie T. Burke, Annie V. Devine, Mary I. Elliott, Nora A. Mehigan, George C. O'Brien, Mary E. O'Connor, assistants.

Bowdoin Evening School—Eleanor P. Brawley, Viola M. I. Clark, Alice G. Kelley, Frances B. Mea, Caroline B. Pendleton, assistants.

Comins Evening School—Kurt G. Busiek, Mary F. Cavanaugh, Helen F. Cullen, Mabel F. Dunn, A. Margaret Fallon, Reta M. Muldoon, Mary E. Mulligan, Dorothy H. Shurtleff, Lena B. Winter, assistants.

Dearborn Evening School—Catherine R. Day, Theresa F. Long, Constance McBride, Susan A. McKenna, Marguerite F. Maloney, Mary M. O'Hearn, Anna E. Spillane, Julia E. Sullivan, assistants.

Edward Everett Evening School—Anna E. Dawley, Bertha F. Gavin, assistants.

Eliot Evening School—Louise F. Carangelo, Elizabeth M. McCrann, Virginia J. McKillop, Mary R. Mansfield, Mary C. Murphy, assistants.

Franklin Evening School—Albert L. Shaughnessy, first assistant; Winifred A. Golden, May M. Gormley, Arthur Green, Emma B. Huse, Eva L. Morley, Mary V. O'Regan, assistants; Lillian L. Church, Sarah W. Jenkins, Victoria C. Jesseman, assistants, lip reading.

Frederic W. Lincoln Evening School—William L. Hughes, Judith M. Oliva, Lillian P. Silvestri, assistants.

Hyde Park Evening School—Elizabeth V. Drea, assistant.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Bessie I. Breslasky, Mary A. Campbell, Helen M. Lally, Helen C. M. Lynch, assistants.

Phillips Brooks Evening School—James F. Crotty, first assistant; Esther M. Cannon, Madeline F. Goodale, Josephine V. Hogan, Gertrude Jacobs, George S. McCabe, Helen M. C. Mullen, Margaret A. Nichols, Edith B. Ricles, assistants.

Roger Wolcott Evening School—Mary A. Ahern, Marguerite G. Crowley, Marion R. Kanter, Anna B. Klein, Annie E. Mahoney, assistants.

Theodore Lyman Evening School—M. Margaret Carroll, Sarah H. Christie, Margaret M. Corbett, Florence C. Cunningham, James E. Donahue, M. Elizabeth Gay, Vera A. Kingsford, Edna M. Lane, Cora L. Mulrey, Grace M. Quirk, assistants. Theodore Roosevelt Evening School—Elizabeth M. Merz, assistant.

Washington Evening School—William F. Cannon, first assistant; Edith F. Cotton, Mildred M. Doyle, Mary E. Jones, Celia Levinson, Grace E. Maloney, Ida A. Merriam, Catherine F. Murphy, Eugene J. O'Neil, Virginia E. Turnbull, assistants.

Washington Irving Evening School—Margaret E. O'Connor, assistant.

Approved.

TRANSFERS.

Chapman District—Grace K. Longergan, assistant, to the same position in the Roger Wolcott District Sept. 22, 1924.

Lawrence District—Margaret E. Collins, master's assistant, to the same position in the Bigelow District Sept. 16, 1924.

Wells District—Ruth A. Carter, assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Frederic W. Lincoln District, Sept. 17, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

High School of Commerce—Charles H. B. Morse, junior master, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay.

Agassiz District—Edith F. Russell, assistant, special class, Sept. 10, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Ruth N. Kenney, assistant kindergarten, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay; Eliza L. Osgood, first assistant kindergarten, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay.

Dearborn District—Emma Frye, assistant, from Sept. 8 to Dec. 7, 1924.

Hancock District—Bertha M. Druley, assistant, special class, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay; Mary R. Mansfield, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay; Harriet A. Shaw, assistant, special class, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Joseph W. Fitzgerald, M.D., school physician, Sept. 9 to 22, 1924, without pay; Blanche Wildes, school nurse, Sept. 11, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Susan J. Ginn, Director, from Aug. 1 to Sept. 5, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation); Thomas D. Ginn, vocational instructor, Aug. 29 and Sept. 2 to 5, 1924, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Irving O. Scott, vocational instructor, from Aug. 4 to 22 and Aug. 29, 1924, without loss of pay (vacation).

ASSIGNMENT OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 15, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Margaret W. Lynch, junior assistant, Girls' Latin School, to the Teachers' College of the City of Boston, without change of rank or salary, said assignment to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file and the assignment approved.

DESIGNATION OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 15, 1924, reporting the following designation of a teacher to serve in the position indicated, until such time as it shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations:

Mather District—Mary A. Starkey, prevocational assistant, as acting master's assistant in charge, prevocational classes, to take effect Sept. 8, 1924.

Placed on file

EMPLOYMENT AND COMPENSATION OF ATTENDANTS, HORACE MANN SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the re-employment of Mary E. Anthony as attendant at the Horace Mann School, for the purpose of receiving visitors and accompanying pupils to and from school, is hereby authorized; the compensation for said service is hereby established at the rate of three dollars (\$3.00) for each day of actual service.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the re-employment of Mary E. Butler as attendant at the Horace Mann School, for the purpose of accompanying pupils to and from school, is hereby authorized; the compensation for said service is hereby established at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) for each day of actual service.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Mary M. Fenton, matron in the Horace Mann School, be allowed additional com-

pensation at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) for each day of actual service, for services rendered by her in accompanying pupils to and from school.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the re-employment of Alida Stromvall as attendant at the Horace Mann School, for the purpose of accompanying pupils to and from school, is hereby authorized; the compensation for said service is hereby established at the rate of one dollar (\$1.00) for each day of actual service.

ESTABLISHMENT OF SPEECH IMPROVEMENT CLASS.

On motion, the order authorizing the Superintendent to establish a speech improvement class in the Charles Sumner District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, as passed June 16, 1924, is hereby rescinded.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to establish a speech improvement class in the Longfellow District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

DISCONTINUANCE OF A KINDERGARTEN.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 15, 1924, reporting that he has discontinued the kindergarten in the William Blackstone School, Wells District, to take effect Aug. 31, 1924.

Placed on file.

PAYMENT OF SALARY DUE MARY E. GANNON.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due Mary E. Gannon, late teacher of sewing, be paid to her sister, Alice L. Gannon.

CHANGE IN RANK OF INSTRUCTORS, MANUAL ARTS, DAY HIGH SCHOOLS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the rank of all instructors, manual arts, day high schools, is hereby changed to that of instructor in mechanic arts, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

EMPLOYMENT OF ADDITIONAL ASSISTANTS, SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of two additional assistants in the office of the Superintendent is hereby authorized, to take effect Sept. 29, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

APPOINTMENT AND SALARY OF ASSISTANTS, SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 15, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the

Board and with the approval of the Secretary, Overseers of the Public Welfare, City of Boston, he has appointed Catherine G. Kelley as assistant in the office of the Superintendent, by transfer from the Department of Overseers of the Public Welfare, to take effect Sept. 22, 1924.

Placed on file and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Catherine G. Kelley, assistant, office of the Superintendent, is hereby established at the rate of twenty dollars (\$20) per week, to take effect Sept. 22, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 15, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board and with the approval of the Commissioner, Department of Public Welfare, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, he has appointed Margaret F. Campbell as assistant in the office of the Superintendent, by transfer from the Department of Public Welfare, to take effect Sept. 29, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 15, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board and with the approval of the Director of Accounts, Department of Corporations and Taxation, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, he has appointed Helen J. Connelly as assistant in the office of the Superintendent, by transfer from the Department of Corporations and Taxation, to take effect Sept. 29, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salaries of Margaret F. Campbell and Helen J. Connelly, assistants, office of the Superintendent, are hereby established at the rate of twenty dollars (\$20) per week, to take effect Sept. 29, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

AMENDMENTS TO RULES.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the rules are hereby amended by the insertion of the following new chapter:

Chapter IV. B.

Duties of the Board of Examiners.
Section 89. 1. The board of examiners shall comprise three members. The chief examiner shall be chairman.

2. All the powers and duties at present exercised by the board of superintendents with reference to the examination, visitation, certification and rating of candidates for original entrance into the service (excepting candidates for supervisory or administrative positions) shall be transferred to and be performed by the board of examiners; provided, however, that decisions of the board of examiners may be reviewed by the board of superintendents.

3. All the powers and duties at present exercised by the board of superintendents with reference to the examination, visitation, certification and rating of candidates for supervisory or administrative positions, and with reference to admissions to The Teachers College of the City of Boston, to the high and Latin schools, or to any other school or course authorized by the Board, shall be transferred to and performed by the board of examiners; provided, however, that the board of examiners shall report the results of such examinations, with recommendations, to the board of superintendents for final action. The same procedure likewise shall obtain with reference to all promotional examinations required by the regulations of the Board.

Sect. 90. 1. The board of examiners shall give to the board of superintendents such assistance as may be required in connection with the preparation of eligible lists of candidates for promotion within the service; the responsibility for the preparation of these lists, however, shall be vested exclusively in the board of superintendents.

2. The board of examiners shall perform such other duties as may be assigned by the Superintendent.

Chapter V. Renumber sections 90 to 112 as sections 94 to 113, respectively.

Laid over.

ELIGIBLE LIST.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Sept. 15, 1924, reporting the correction of the rating accorded Maud J. Bray, a candidate of December, 1923, for the certificate of qualification XI. Special: Assistant in Manual Arts, and the amendment of the Eligible List—School Document No. 13, 1924, page 30, to read as follows:

Rating.	Name.	Certificate expires.
800	Maud J. Bray	Dec. 31, 1930.

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO SEPT. 1. 1924.

A communication was received from the Acting Business Agent, under date of Aug. 31, 1924, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, expenditures and balances of the first seven months of the current financial year, the total expenditures, and expenditures for the corresponding seven months of the financial year 1923-24, with the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT AND SALARY OF ASSISTANTS, BUSINESS AGENT'S OFFICE.

A communication was received from the Acting Business Agent, under date of Sept. 12, 1924, recommending the appointment of Elizabeth G. Keenan and May V. Burt as assistants in the Business Agent's office, to take effect Sept. 15, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointments approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the salaries of Elizabeth G. Keenan and May V.

Burt, assistants, office of Business Agent, are hereby established at twenty dollars (\$20) per week, to take effect Sept. 15, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

TRANSFER OF A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Sept. 15, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Mather School-house, and recommending that Joseph J. Sheehan, custodian of the Edward Everett School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Sept. 21, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Joseph J. Sheehan approved, to take effect on the date stated.

COMPENSATION TO CUSTODIAN, GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, FOR SWEEPING CERTAIN LARGE ROOMS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian under date of Sept. 15, 1924, recommending, in view of the fact that certain rooms in the Girls' High School-house contain double the area of the ordinary class room, that the schedule rates for cleaning these rooms be increased 100 per cent. for all occupancies outside of the regular day school use.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the compensation for cleaning rooms Nos. 105, 108, 205, 208, 305 and 308 in the Girls' High School be increased 100 per cent. for all occupancies outside of the regular day school use, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO CUSTODIAN, WELLS SCHOOL-HOUSE.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That Charles D. Gallagher, custodian, Wells School-house, be paid in accordance with the regular schedule for services rendered in connection with the graduation exercises of the Wendell Phillips School in the hall of the Wells School on June 20, 1924.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The order laid over at the meeting of Sept. 8, 1924, approving the proposed Massachusetts Daylight Saving Law, was taken up and passed.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Secretary.

REAL ESTATE ASSESSMENT PER CAPITA IN CITIES.

According to assessed valuations for 1923, Boston, \$1,843.61 (highest); New York, \$1,787.57; Pittsburgh, \$1,514.19; Buffalo, \$1,281.25; Philadelphia, \$1,185.29; St. Louis, \$1,032.83; Baltimore, \$996.75. These figures are approximate as population had to be estimated.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 26 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, *i. e.*, adjacent to Boston, are these, *viz.*, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and 45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has 44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water District, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, *viz.*,

the Fire Prevention District, was organized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston," but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates, the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or \$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921, and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$846,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products; (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

PUBLIC RECREATION IN BOSTON.

Number of large parks, 24; separate playgrounds, 44, with total of 324.5 acres, also 13 playgrounds in parks, with area of 155 acres; small parks and squares, 72.8; total area, 2,686.79 acres. Cost of Main Park System, *i. e.*, 1,386 acres (including Common and Public Garden, 72.65 acres) land and construction (since 1877 when begun), \$12,204,876; of Marine Park System, *i. e.*, 457.9 acres (since 1883), \$4,601,045; of all other parks and public grounds, \$2,537,898; of separate playgrounds, \$4,458,331. Total cost, \$23,802,150, of which \$9,789,096 is for land alone.

The leading attraction of the Main Park System is Franklin Park (named for Benjamin Franklin), acquired in 1883-84, and containing 527 acres, about 80 of which are occupied by the Zoological Garden, 15 miles of walks, 8 miles of driveways, etc., the entire cost up to 1921 being \$4,496,801. There are also within the City limits 964 acres of Metropolitan parks and parkways under State control, chief of which is Stony Brook Reservation in West Roxbury, containing 464 acres of wild forested hill and dale with many rocky knolls

and an extensive view of the Charles River valley and beyond.

Number of public indoor baths open all the year, 14; 9 beach baths and 7 floating baths open during summer; indoor gymnasia, 11; total number of indoor baths taken in year 1921, 1,527,171, of which 74.3 per cent were by men and boys.

Park Department maintenance for 1921-22 (including Cemetery Division), \$1,366,048 or \$63,260 less than in 1920. Outlay for playground improvements, \$72,885; for park improvements, \$394,748, of which \$254,575 was from Parkman Fund income. Gross debt for parks, public grounds, etc., outstanding February 1, 1922, \$9,681,050; for playgrounds, \$2,224,300; total, \$11,905,350 or \$794,250 less than in 1921. By Chap. 13, Ord. 1920, the Cemetery Department was merged with the Park Dept., the latter title being substituted for Park and Recreation Department.

Including the State assessments of \$948,310 for Metropolitan parks, boulevards, etc., and \$238,073 for Charles River Basin improvements, the total expended for public recreation purposes in 1921 was \$2,903,689 or \$82,782 more in 1920.

Total valuation of City properties devoted to recreation \$69,306,900 (including \$55,112,400 for Boston Common and Public Garden), which far exceeds that of any other American city except New York.

AREA OF BOSTON.

Area to ward lines (26 wards), 30,598 acres (*i. e.*, 47.81 square miles), 2,944 acres being filled land, 1,143 acres water area and 1,484 acres flats. Land area only 27,971 acres (*i. e.*, 43.70 square miles). Included in the latter are 154 acres of filled flats added to the land area of South Boston in 1919 and 1920 and 133 acres to that of East Boston. Original Boston contained about 780 acres of land. Of the twelve leading American cities, eight are larger in land area than Boston, *viz.*, Los Angeles (365.7 sq. miles), New York (318), Chicago (199.4), Philadelphia (129), Baltimore (91.9), Detroit (80), Cleveland (56.6) and St. Louis (61.25). The only city in Massachusetts with larger land area is Taunton (50 sq. mi.).

If Boston should expand by annexations as New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Los Angeles and others have expanded, its total area, in case of including the 39 cities and towns within the 15-mile radius, would exceed the largest, *viz.*, Los Angeles, the present land area of "Greater Boston" being 409.5 square miles.

AREA OF UNITED STATES, NEW ENGLAND, ETC.

Total of the 48 states in square miles, 3,026,719; Alaska, 590,884; making grand total of 3,617,603 sq. m. or 42.11 per cent of continent of North America and 6.32 per cent of the earth's land area. The six states of New England 66,424 sq. m., *i. e.*, Maine, 33,040; Vermont, 9,564; N. H., 9,341; Mass. 8,266; Conn., 4,965; R. I., 1,248. Land area of New England, 61,976 sq. m.; of Mass., 8,093 sq. m.

Total area of U. S. (inclu. Alaska) 112,000 sq. miles less than total of Canadian provinces, but total population is over 12 times as many.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN WELD STREET, BETWEEN PARKVALE ROAD AND CHURCH STREET, AND PARKVALE ROAD AND CHURCH STREET, BETWEEN WELD STREET AND 150 FEET SOUTHEAST OF PARKVALE ROAD, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Weld street, between Parkvale road and Church street, and Parkvale road and Church street, between Weld street and 150 feet southeast of Parkvale road, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seven thousand (7,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Weld Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Thursday, October 9, 1924, with a certified check for seven hundred (700) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 25, 1924. (Sept. 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN CENTRAL AVENUE, GREENWOOD AVENUE, METROPOLITAN AVENUE, THATCHER STREET AND WESTMINSTER STREET, HYDE PARK.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 3,200 feet of 8-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Central avenue, Greenwood avenue, Metropolitan avenue, Thatcher street and Westminster street, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of four thousand (4,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Central Avenue, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, October 3, 1924, with a certified check for four hundred (400) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 25, 1924. (Sept. 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING WHARF AT COAL POCKET, SOUTH FERRY, EAST BOSTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing wharf at coal pocket, South Ferry, East Boston, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seven hundred (700) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Repairing Wharf at Coal Pocket, South Ferry, East Boston," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, October 7, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, September 25, 1924. (Sept. 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals to erect and complete including the plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating work, the new Police Headquarters Building, corner of Stuart and Berkeley streets, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Public Buildings therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Wednesday, October 15, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$25,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, before the time of opening the bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$50 will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(Sept. 27-Oct. 4-11.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Special examinations for certificates of qualification will be held Friday, October 3, 1924, and Saturday, October 4, 1924, at the School Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, Boston, ninth floor.

XI. Special: Supervisor of Drum and Bugle Corps.

This examination will be held on Saturday, October 4, at 9 o'clock a. m.

XXI. B. Day and Evening Industrial Schools, Auto Mechanics Only.

This examination will be held on Friday, October 3, at 9 o'clock a. m., and on Saturday, October 4, at 8 o'clock a. m.

For eligibility requirements and subjects of examination for the above-named certificates, apply to the undersigned.

JOEL HATHEWAY,
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15 Beacon Street, Boston.
(Sept. 27.)

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LIGHT AND HEAVY FUEL OIL.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing light and heavy fuel oil to the various city departments. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at 12 m. at Room 801, City Hall Annex, on Friday, October 3, 1924. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract, with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(Sept. 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR BLUE LEAD PAINT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing

1,200 gallons blue lead paint

as per specifications, to the Bridge Service, Public Works Department. A copy of the proposal to be used and other information can be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. Bidder must leave his proposal at the above office with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be filed with the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. Bids will be publicly opened and read on Monday, October 6, 1924, at 12 m. at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(Sept. 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COMMITTEES,
CITY HALL, September 24, 1924.

The Executive Committee of the City Council will give a public hearing on Monday, September 29, 1924, at three o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, City Hall, relative to the release of park restrictions on land on Columbia road, from Dorchester avenue to Buttonwood street.

For the Committee.

JOHN E. BALDWIN,
Clerk of Committees.
(Sept. 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

Contractors are hereby notified that the opening of sealed proposals for erecting and completing the East Boston High School for Boys and Girls, Chapman District, Brooks and White streets, East Boston district, Boston, Mass., is hereby deferred and the day for opening of bids is extended to 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, October 14, 1924, and all of the terms and the conditions contained in the notice of September 13, 1924, shall apply to this notice.

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(Sept. 27.)

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BEAUTIFUL MEMORIAL TO BOSTON'S NOBLEST CITIZEN AND PHILANTHROPIST, GEORGE R. WHITE, UNVEILED AND DEDICATED.

BEAUTIFUL STATUE IN MOST SOOTHING AND DELIGHTFUL SETTING AT BEACON AND ARLINGTON STREETS, PUBLIC GARDEN, ACCEPTED BY MAYOR CURLEY FOR CITIZENS, AT INTERESTING CEREMONY.



MAYOR CURLEY ACCEPTS BEAUTIFUL \$50,000 MEMORIAL TO GEORGE ROBERT WHITE.

It was with simple but fitting dignity that the memorial to the late George R. White, one of Boston's greatest benefactors and philanthropists was unveiled and dedicated on Wednesday afternoon, with city officials and special guests and friends of the man to be honored present.

The memorial has been placed at the Arlington-Beacon street entrance to the Public Garden and makes the spot one of the most charming and beautiful in the entire public park system. The entire memorial is in perfect harmony with the surroundings and seems to sooth the spirit as soon as one nears the spot.

The exercises opened with a brief word from George E. Phelan, manager of the White Fund for the City of Boston, who presided. Rev. Samuel McComb, D. D., friend of Mr. White for many years, gave the invocation, in which he expressed the hope that the memorial shall speak to many a soul of the greatness of Mr. White's career, of his unselfish service, of his love for humanity and his help to whatever race, creed or color.

"Grant that we may borrow his example in his devotion to the highest welfare of the city of his affection and in his loyalty to the claims of duty and holiness," Doctor McComb implored.

Another intimate friend of Mr. White, William C. Endicott, had been chosen by Mrs. Bradbury to present the memorial to the city. Both had served on the Board of Trustees of the Museum of Fine Arts for years. Mr. Endicott said that when the design of the memorial had been decided upon, it was found that the cost would exceed the amount provided in the will, but, through the generosity of Mrs. Bradbury, the memorial in its present form was made possible.

"As a friend of Mr. White I early discovered that he had two marked characteristics — an intense love of everything that was beautiful in art and literature, and a passionate sympathy for those less fortunate than himself," Mr. Endicott declared. "This memorial which has the enthusiastic approval of the Park Commission and the Art Commission will bring to

the mind of every citizen Mr. White's artistic understanding and the George Robert White Fund will perpetuate his love of humanity."

As Mr. Endicott concluded Mrs. Bradbury was escorted from her seat for the unveiling. As she pulled the string and the female figure was revealed, water gushed from the fountains at either side. Mayor Curley then stepped forward to accept the gift in the following address:

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NO INCREASE IN TAX RATE.

MAYOR CURLEY AND BOARD OF ASSESSORS SUCCEED IN PREVENTING INCREASE OF BURDEN TO CITIZENS OF BOSTON.

Mayor Curley issued the following statement relative to the tax rate.

The tax rate for the year 1924 is found to be per thousand divided as follows: State, \$2.41; county, \$1.64; city, \$20.65; total, \$24.70.

Of the city rate of \$28.65, more than one third is for public school expenditures, or for educational purposes \$14,355,664.

The increase in real estate valuations is \$80,000,000, the greatest gains being in Wards 5, 7, 8, 9 and 25. Part of the increase is due to new buildings completed April 1. Many new buildings have been constructed in the suburban wards as reflected in the increased valuations in Ward 23, West Roxbury, \$2,700,000 increase, and in Ward 21, Dorchester, \$2,300,000 increase.

The increase in personal property amounts to \$14,780,600. Notwithstanding the increase of \$14,780,600 in personal property, there has been very substantial losses in the business wards, and the increase would have been exceeding \$25,000,000 were it not for the losses occasioned by the changing of firms to Massachusetts corporations, also large reductions in the stocks of merchandise, and removals of business firms to other cities. In Ward 5 alone, losses from these causes amounted to more than \$5,000,000.

The rate established when contrasted with other Massachusetts cities is gratifying considering increased expenditures for education and wages. The average rate for thirty-six Massachusetts cities as reported to date is \$30.

The rate of the larger cities of Massachusetts follows:

Brockton, \$39.80; Chelsea, \$34.20; Cambridge, \$33.30; Marlborough, \$33.50; Springfield, \$32.50; Medford, \$33.20; Worcester, \$29.40; Somerville, \$28.70; Northampton, \$28.10; Lowell, \$29.40.

Boston with a \$24.70 rate, being the same rate as during the past three years, means that there can be no valid reason for increased rentals for one, two or three family apartments as in addition to no increase in tax rate there has been no increase in valuations upon this class of property.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,

From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, October 6, at two o'clock p. m.

A regular meeting of The School Committee of the City of Boston will be held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, on Monday, October 6, 1924, at 6.30 o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marqueses, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

MAYOR EULOGIZES MISS LOTTA CRABTREE, MOURNING HER DEMISE.

Mayor Curley issued the following statement on September 26, relative to the death of Miss Lotta Crabtree, the distinguished retired actress, who a generation ago held the regard and affection of the theater-goers of the United States in a manner unsurpassed by any other American actress:

"The death of Miss Lotta Crabtree, one of the most devoted friends the City of Boston has ever known, and who for two generations has constantly given evidence of her loyalty to our municipal welfare, and in a manner deserving the highest commendation, marks a great loss to the City of Boston.

"Miss Crabtree brought to the American stage the finest delineation of youthful character acting known in either the United States or abroad. Her plays depicted the most interesting character of child life in our country and her high standard of honor and cleanliness in her stage productions has been well evidenced by the fact that her greatest and most loyal patrons were the women and children of our nation.

"Miss Crabtree never wavered in her fealty to the City of Boston, as evidenced by her large realty investments in the heart of the city, and her singular devotion to the cause of suffrage for women and her belief that they should actively participate in national affairs, was a fine evidence of her loyalty to the best American ideals during the later years of her life.

"In Miss Crabtree's wonderful creations of the character of 'The Little Detective,' 'Firefly,' 'Musette,' and 'Topsy' thousands upon thousands of children of another generation were entertained in a manner unknown upon

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

the American stage of the present day, and no woman in the history of the American stage has ever enjoyed a wider tribute of love and affection from the American people.

"Advancing years in no slightest way limited Miss Crabtree's interest in every good and righteous cause that had for its aim the betterment and the welfare of humanity and her memory will be ever held in the hearts of our citizens, especially those of a generation ago, with singular love and affection."

NAMES COMMITTEE FOR COMPILING EARLY COURT RECORDS OF BOSTON.

Mayor Curley sent the following communication September 30:

HON. NATHAN MATTHEWS, 1134 Tremont Building, Boston, Mass.:

MY DEAR MR. MATTHEWS.—It is important that the early court records of Massachusetts be compiled and for this purpose I have set aside a sum of money in the budget.

Knowing your interest in the early history of the Massachusetts Bay Colony and the Commonwealth generally, I am desirous that you serve as chairman of a special commission for the compilation and publication of the early court records.

I have this day written Chief Justice Arthur P. Rugg, and to John F. Cronin, clerk of the Supreme Judicial Court of Suffolk County, to serve with you as members of a committee of three to supervise this important work.

Trusting you will find it possible to make the sacrifice of time and effort necessary, I beg to remain,

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

DEPLORES UPSET IN TRAIN ACCOMMODATIONS BY NEW SCHEDULE WHICH NEW HAVEN ROAD HAS INAUGURATED.

MAYOR CURLEY UTTERS STRONG AND VIGOROUS PRO- TEST IN BEHALF OF CITIZENS AND CALLS FOR A GREAT MUNICIPAL CORPORATION TO FINANCE TRANSPORTA- TION AND OTHER MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS.

Mayor Curley has issued the following statement regarding the cutting of suburban train schedules by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

As Mayor of Boston I cannot but deplore the fact that the New Haven Railroad having but recently received an additional advance of 20 per cent in commutation rates has so cut its suburban schedules as greatly to discommode thousands of people living in and near greater Boston and to have practically isolated certain of our towns. What affects certain of our towns necessarily affects Boston itself.

The commercial and industrial growth of Boston depends upon the livable conditions of its suburbs and these conditions in turn necessarily depend upon the transportation facilities and service afforded the people who live therein. More than one third of the wage-earning persons in suburban Boston come to Boston daily either to business or to school. The citizens of Boston cannot remain indifferent to the additional hardships and discomforts that are imposed upon our fellow citizens of greater Boston by this new train schedule of the New Haven Railroad and its various local branch lines.

This is but one of the many public interests that the several communities composing great metropolitan Boston hold in common. They can be adequately dealt with by the people interested therein only by some unified and consolidated form of municipal government. The necessity for a greater Boston government is made more patent by this latest development in transportation conditions. Boston itself has struggled to give to its people and its immediate suburbs rapid transit facilities and service of a high order and has not hesitated wherever necessary to pledge its credit to the building of rapid transit lines to give Hyde Park, now a part of Boston proper, adequate transportation.

The City of Boston purchased the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway lines in

that section of the city and successfully negotiated to have them operated as an integral part of the Boston Elevated Railway. To care properly for the thousands of people living in Dorchester and beyond Boston has taken over the Shawmut Branch of the New Haven Railroad and will there construct a rapid transit electric line which will be operated by the Boston Elevated Railway as an integral part of its tunnel line extending through downtown Boston and into Harvard square, Cambridge.

The railroads running into Boston and by their branch lines and circuits serving suburban Boston have been very slow to adjust themselves to modern conditions. The tendency of modern urban growth is not toward greater density of intown population but in the opposite directions. Modern transportation inventions and improvements should aid this tendency but the railroads serving greater Boston have been reluctant to adopt them. The electrification of branch railroad lines and circuits, it is true, would call for a considerable initial capital investment, and greater municipal Boston acting as one community instead of seventeen could in a very short time give to its people this form of service wherever it is reasonably required and practical.

It is not clear to me why the railroads of greater Boston have not long since established bus lines where steam drawn trains have long since been operated only at a net loss.

The State should no longer be obliged to pledge its credit in financing local improvements required for the convenience of the people of metropolitan Boston. There should for this additional reason be a distinct municipal corporation for metropolitan Boston, one that is ready and able at all times to finance its own metropolitan improvements, including not only transportation lines but water, sewers, parks, police, schools, fire protection, and other municipal services that are the common concern of all our people in this community of towns and cities.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for making repairs and renewals on the fire boat, Engine No. 47. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department Headquarters, Bristol street, Boston. Bids,

accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 15, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing the new police headquarters building, Stuart and Berkeley streets. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$25,000, to be filed

at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 15, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing Huntington Avenue Bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, October 14, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing wharf at coal pocket, South Ferry, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, October 7, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Arnold street, Vale street, Linwood street and Child street, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, October 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Weld street, between Parkvale road and Church street, and Parkvale road and Church street, between Weld street and 150 feet southeast of Parkvale road, West Roxbury. Surety bonds will be required in the amount of \$7,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$700, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, October 9, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Cottage street, between Water street and outlet in Water street, between Glenwood avenue and Cottage street, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, October 21, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals for erecting the East Boston High School for Girls and Boys,

Chapman District, Brooks and White streets, has been deferred and the date for opening bids has been extended to Tuesday, October 14, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing 1,200 gallons of blue lead paint. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, October 6, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for Ross thawing devices to the Fire Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, October 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing 200 sets of voting compartments to the Election Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposal may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, October 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing salt to the Fire and Public Works Departments. Surety bond will be required in the amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, October 14, at 12 m.

MAYOR CURLEY SEEKS TO PROTECT CITY'S INTEREST IN LOTTA CRABTREE WILL.

September 2, 1924.

HON. E. MARK SULLIVAN,
Corporation Counsel:

DEAR SIR,—Under the provisions of the will of the late Lotta Crabtree, provision was made for an expenditure of the income from \$2,000,000 for Veterans of the World War and their dependents.

Press reports set forth that it is the purpose of certain individuals to appeal to the courts to prevent the carrying out of the wishes of the testatrix. The City of Boston is required by legislative enactment to provide aid to unemployed veterans. The expenditure under this item during the depression of 1922 exceeded \$100,000 per month. Under the provisions of this will the city might expect to be relieved in part of the obligation of assuming the entire cost of this most laudable legislation.

In view of the fact that the City of

Boston, among other municipalities of the Commonwealth, may rightly expect to be relieved in considerable measure of its duty to aid that class of persons who appeal so much to the charity of Miss Crabtree, it occurs to me that it would be very appropriate for you, representing the Mayor and city government of Boston, to express to the Attorney General our concern at the attack that is now being made against the Crabtree will by persons claiming to be distant relatives of the testatrix, and emphasizing to the Attorney General of the Commonwealth the importance of his vigilance in protecting the trust which Miss Crabtree intended for the relief of our country's defenders.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

WHITE MEMORIAL.

(Continued from page 1473.)

MRS. BRADBURY, MR. ENDICOTT, REVEREND SIR, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—It is an exceeding pleasure on behalf of the good people of the City of Boston to accept this magnificent addition to the artistic bronzes of our city and to accept in addition all that it conveys to the welfare of our people. The capable and talented sculptor, Daniel Chester French, was wise in his consideration of a subject to typify the generosity and the vision of that kindly, courageous, truly great and generous American, George Robert White.

We have some realization of how true are those words inscribed upon this monument when we consider a little scene enacted yesterday at the seat of Boston government. A committee, consisting of Doctor Edsall, Dean of the Harvard Medical College, Dr. Richard Cabot, Doctor Osgood and Mr. Horace Morriison, four men who have given of their God-given talent to the alleviation of human suffering, called to make a pronouncement that there was greater co-operation upon the part of all agencies interested in combatting one of the three great evils that have afflicted society from the beginning of time, that there was greater co-ordination, greater co-operation, a greater prospect of larger success at the present time than at any time in the history of our city.

We have some realization of the value of the George Robert White health units when we realize that on the judgment of competent medical authorities the final installation of six health units in Boston should result within a period of two years of their completion in a reduction of infant mortality by at least one third. George Robert White out of his generous heart gave and built better than he knew. Not only will his generosity give inspiration to others to render similar generous and unselfish service to humanity but it will serve and remain as a blessing.

After all there are certain functions which the municipality should discharge but which because of financial considerations and legal limitations the municipality is prohibited from doing. This generous gift of George Robert White makes possible the development in our section of America of a more healthful boyhood and girlhood, assures America of a more sturdy womanhood and a more healthful manhood. It is a great gift; an inspiration to others to consider that most important of all divine commandments, observed by George Robert White during a lifetime, and not forgotten in the closing hours, "Thou shalt love thy

neighbor as thyself." No man ever lived more closely to the second divine commandment than George Robert White.

No man by his generosity was ever more deserving of the commendation, good will and prayers of an intelligent community than he in whose honor we assemble today to dedicate this work of art. The City of Boston places this wreath of laurel as its gift at the base of this memorial. It is with a firm wish and a sincere hope that his memory may ever remain green in the hearts of a grateful people.

The Mayor in presenting a bunch of roses to Mrs. Bradbury said:

The City of Boston with a profound appreciation of the fact that every act that really touches the heart has its inspiration in the gentler sex, and with a realization that great and good and generous as was George Robert White, his greatness, goodness and generosity had such a source of inspiration. In behalf of the people of Boston it is a source of exceeding pleasure to present these flowers, God's lovely handiworks of the season, to the source of George Robert White's inspiration, Mrs. Harriet J. Bradbury.

When the Mayor had concluded he stepped back to obtain a large wreath of laurel which he placed at the base of the memorial, on behalf of the city. Then, with a large bouquet of roses in his hand, he presented them to Mrs. Bradbury, with the expressed belief that she had been an inspiration to her brother through life. It was Mrs. Bradbury's wish to deposit the floral gift also at the base of the memorial, and she was escorted from her seat by the mayor. These two unexpected offerings gave a most impressive conclusion to the exercises.

NEW ENGLAND HISTORICAL GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY PRAISES MAYOR FOR EFFORTS TO SAVE EARLY COURT RECORDS.

Mayor Curley, October 2, received the following letter from Henry Edwards Scott, recording secretary of the New England Historic Genealogical Society, 9 Ashburton place, Boston:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—I have the honor of informing you that at a meeting of the Council of the New England Historic Genealogical Society on Tuesday, 30 September, 1924, it was unanimously,

Voted, That the thanks of the Council be extended to Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, for his generous support of the plan for compiling and publishing the early court records of Suffolk County and for his approval of an appropriation by the City of Boston to defray the expenses of this work.

Respectfully yours,

HENRY EDWARDS SCOTT,
Recording Secretary and Clerk of the Council.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners.

Mack Motor Truck Company, 75 North Beacon street, Ward 26, 1,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Estate of Amelia B. Rowe, 591 Albany street, Ward 6, 500 gallons gasoline and oil.

MAYOR CURLEY WINS OVER IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AND SECURES ADMISSION OF BOSTON GIRL WHO HAD BEEN BARRED.

OBTAINS RULING WHICH MAY BE PRECEDENT FOR OTHERS DELAYED IN RETURNING.—MISS CATHERINE LANDERS, WHO HAD BEEN NURSING PARENTS, MAY REJOIN HER FRIENDS.

Mayor Curley was especially gratified upon the 30th ultimo to learn that a successful ruling would issue and a passport and vise be formally signed by Hon. Albert Halstead, Consul General of the United States at Montreal, Can., admitting to this country Miss Catherine Landers, temporary resident at the Killarney, a working girls' home, directed by the Gray Nuns at Montreal.

The case involved the entire question relative to the enforcement of the new Immigration Act of the United States of 1924 and established what shall be considered a definite ruling relative to that class of immigrants temporarily held at ports of entry under an appeal upon a nonquota immigration status.

It appears that Miss Catherine Landers resided in Boston for a period of 19 years and that about four years ago she received a communication from her parents in Ireland that they were very infirm by reason of age and that her mother was suffering from severe weakness, physically, due to advancing years.

Miss Landers started for her home in Ireland, proceeding to Queenstown, and for four years ministered to the care of her father and mother in a most dutiful manner. The exigencies of the illness of her parents prevented a renewal of her original passport.

Upon arriving at Montreal, Can., several months ago she was refused admission to enter the United States under the quota-exemption law, and effort from many sources to secure the admission of this most worthy and deserving woman had proved futile.

Sister Dorsey of the Gray Nuns of Montreal, Can., advised Miss Landers to present her case to Mayor Curley, as her domicile had been clearly established in Boston for a period of 19 years, and the

bar which had been raised against her readmission proved a most cruel and intolerant detention.

Mayor Curley presented a brief to Hon. Albert Halstead, Consul General of the United States at Montreal, Can., declaring that Miss Landers established a domicile in Boston during her 19 years of residence, that her visit to Ireland was prompted by an act of mercy to her aged and devoted parents, and that her four years in the service of her parents as nurse and attendant in no way re-established her settlement in Ireland, and that her visit must be strictly regarded as temporary in character.

Mayor Curley especially emphasized the fact that under section 4 of the Immigration Act of the United States of 1924, in subsection (b) the law is clearly defined in the following statement, as to those who shall be admitted, and which reads as follows: Section 4 (b) "An immigrant previously lawfully admitted to the United States and who is returning from a temporary visit abroad," under the term, nonquota immigrant.

Mayor Curley received advices this morning that Consul General Halstead of the United States Consulate at Montreal would issue a vise and order for passport in behalf of Miss Landers tomorrow and permitting her to immediately come to join her brother, Patrick B. Landers, and her brothers-in-law J. F. Bresnahan and Patrick M. Casey all of whom are residents of Stoneham. Mrs. T. E. Keating, wife of the superintendent of the Woburn Almshouse, is a sister of the immigrant.

This is one of the first cases known in Boston where a ruling has been secured relative to the exact status of a nonquota immigrant under the law and the results are especially pleasing to Mayor Curley.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, October 2:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium since August 31, up to and including September 15:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Herbert Walker, nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Peter Jackson, nurse (patient), \$480 a year; William Toomey, nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Nora Rooney, attendant nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Catherine Cotreau, attendant nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Beverly Simpson, M. D., assistant resident medical officer, \$1,200 a year; Aaron Thurman, M. D., first assistant resident medical officer, \$1,500 a year; Robert S. York, M. D., assistant resident medical

office, \$1,200 a year; Henry Mallock, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Harold Handy, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Henry Sheehan, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Edward Gibbons, maid (patient), \$120 a year; Cornelius Lee, maid (patient), \$120 a year; Mary Fitzmaurice, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Edward Gibbons, maid (patient), \$240 a year; John Kenny, maid (patient), \$240 a year; John Sullivan, maid (patient), \$240 a year; James McNally, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Margaret Herrick, clinical pathologist, \$1,400 a year.

The following changes in positions have been made: Margaret Murphy, maid at \$460, to assistant cook at \$480 a year; Lena Murphy, assistant cook at \$420, to maid at \$468 a year.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Dennis A. Crimmins has been appointed as a temporary clerk for three months at \$1,200 a year.

CITY CLERK DEPARTMENT.

The following increases in salaries have been approved: Mary M. Murphy, from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year; Mary K. Flaherty, from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

F. Marion Ennis has been employed for emergency work, typewriting tax title deeds for a period of 30 days at 10 cents per deed.

CONSERVATION BUREAU.

Victor Gallismin has been appointed as laboratory assistant at the Long Island Hospital at \$200 a month, commencing on July 1.

Lucy Clarke has been given further temporary employment as laboratory assistant at the Long Island Hospital for a period of three months beginning on September 1, at \$100.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Master Carpenter Leonard Murdock has been retired on halfpay at \$950 a year.

The following named men have been appointed as members of the Boston Fire Department on probation at an annual salary of \$1,500: Francis P. Willcutt, Patrick J. Joyce, Walter E. Crouch, Edward E. Sweeney, William H. Edwards.

Patrick J. Belange has been appointed as temporary interior wire inspector at \$1,600 a year.

Lieut. George F. Doyle has been promoted to captain at an annual salary of \$2,500.

Ladderman Daniel W. O'Leary, of Ladder Company 15, has been promoted to lieutenant at an annual salary of \$2,300.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Julia B. Harrington, employed in the office of the Secretary of State, at \$900 a year, has been transferred to the Health Department, at \$1,200 a year.

Madeline F. Dolan has been appointed permanent clerk at \$1,000 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, September 18:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Dr. Edward Smith, assistant resident physician, \$500 a year; Marion Parsons, instructor, nurses, \$1,450 a year; Hannah Donohue, special nurse, \$35 a week; Frank MacIntyre, male nurse, \$24.21 a week; Helen O'Neill, clerk, \$16 a week; William P. Rooney,* jobber, \$18 a week; Mae Meaghan, Sadie McSweeney, laundresses, \$14 a week each; Sadie Goodman, Catherine Molsher, Bridget Higgins, cleaners, \$11.50 a week each; Michael McAuliffe, house porter, \$11.50 a week; Timothy Sullivan, elevatorman, \$12 a week; Anna Manganeli, Lillian Perry, Katherine E. Moore, ward assistants, \$11.50 a week each; Delia Gordon, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Nora Shea, ward maid, \$10 a week; Viva Murphy, table girl, \$9.50 a week.

*Transferred from Printing Department.

Temporary.—Lillian Hines, telephone operator, \$22 a week; Persis Rogers, assistant housekeeper, \$13 a week; John J. Hanley, floor polisher, \$12 a week; Mary Geary, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Dr. Dan C. Darrow, assistant resident physician at \$500 to \$1,000 a year; Patrick Cooney, transfer porter at \$11 to temporary laundryman at \$18 a week; James Sachette, temporary supervisor at \$22.50 to transfer porter at \$11 a week.

Increases retroactive to September 5, 1924:

Nellie Keggan, Mary Falvey, Lizzie Murphy, Victoria Ziemba, Cassie Peterson, Antonia Stanulys, Mary Okumvska, Staffani Koldys, Mary Morgan, Josephine Gantarz, laundresses, \$14 to \$16 a week.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, September 25:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Mary Magill, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Theresa Mulcahy, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Agatha Cushman, laundress, \$16 a week; Louise Pawelkopf, laundress, \$14 a week; Annie Maguire, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Thomas Dempsey, house cleaner, \$12 a week; Joseph Vickary, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Marie Timmons, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

Temporary.—John Touraine, reconstruction aid, \$28 a week; Peter Dempsey, Lillian Hines, telephone operators, \$22 a week each; Annie Gardner, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

John Olson, male nurse, \$23.06 a week; A. Pappas, temporary transfer porter, \$14.50 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Mary E. MacDougall, table girl at \$9.50 to ward assistant at \$11.50 a week; Catherine Collins, chambermaid, \$10 to \$12 a week; George O'Neil, kitchenman, \$16 to \$17 a week; Viola H. Ogden, technician, \$17 to \$25 a week; Myrtle Rix, night supervisor to out-patient supervisor, \$26.25 a week; John J. Arnold, John Harney, Thomas McGrath, James Scanlon, William Conley, Daniel McDonald, John Horan, Wilhelm Thor-mahlen, John F. Keville, Thomas Gately, Daniel Lehan, Francis Doherty, Peter Cronin, Frank Powers, Joseph Battilana, Timothy Murphy, Michael McGarry, Daniel Donovan, William Kerwin, James Sylvester, Michael Connelly, Joseph Kucikas, William Monohan, George Sumpter, Charles Hughes, house cleaners, \$12 to \$14 a week each; Lizzie Corydon, Elizabeth Monohan, vegetable cooks, \$12 to \$13 a week each; Ethel Skanes, baker's assistant, \$12 to \$13 a week; Elizabeth Gallivan, kitchenwoman, \$12 to \$13 a week; Elizabeth Mahoney, diet cook, \$12 to \$13 a week; Julia O'Brien, kitchenwoman, \$12 to \$13 a week; John Ryan, floor polisher, \$13 to \$14 a week; John J. Hanley, temporary floor polisher, \$12 to \$14 a week; Frank Dubrawski, head porter, \$21.50 to \$22.50 a week; David Barry, Frederick Harnden, Patrick O'Preay, Dennis Murphy, Herbert Page, Carl Pagander, Peter Balboni, Andrew Morrissey, John Sullivan, Martin Burns, Dennis Feeley, Jerome Myette, James Dalrymple, Martin Monaghan, porters, \$17.50 to \$18.50 a week; Jacob Bender, back gate porter, \$17.50 to \$18.50 a week; Arthur Grady, Albert Boggs, Michael Keenan, George Danielson, Henry Renton, Bernard Canavan, Redmond Welch, porters, \$17.50 to \$18.50 a week each.

South Department.

Henry F. Kerwin, laundryman, \$18 to \$20 a week; P. Ratchford, floor polisher, \$15.50 to \$17.50 a week; Annie Brett, Julia Coleston, Katherine Fitzgerald, Mary C. Dwyer, Cora Corbett, Katie Harkins, Elizabeth McCarthy, Annie McDonough, Mary Rattary, Olga Olsen, Mabel Roberts, Julia Sullivan, Margaret Whalen, Margaret Zuskwiss, Catherine Joyce, laundresses, \$14 to \$16 a week each; Joseph Leahy, Alexander Stuart, porters, \$14 to \$15 a week each; Martin Woods, \$17.50 to \$18.50 a week; Charles Beard, Hugh Callery, James Carney, William Eaton, Fred Miles, Thomas Dempsey, house cleaners, \$12 to \$14 a week; Catherine Donohue, vegetable cook, \$12 to \$13 a week; Annie Pet-tee, diet cook, \$12 to \$13 a week; Bessie Duthie, baker's assistant, \$12 to \$13 a week.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, October 2:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—John Olson, male nurse, \$23.06 a week; Patrick Moore, Annast Pappas, John Clark, transportation porters, \$14.50 a week each; Kathleen Mansfield, laundress, \$14 a week; Frank Powers, house cleaner, \$14 a week; Isabel Thompson, Rose Walker, special nurses, \$35 a week each; Andrew Gillespie, porter, \$20.50 a week; John Hafferty, porter, \$18.50 a week; Joseph W. Klein, assistant supervisor, \$19.50 a week; Arthur Dolan, George E. Donovan, center orderlies, \$11.50 a week; Elizabeth Fallon, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Josie DeSchuyt-nare, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Mary Adler, chambermaid, \$9.50 a week.

Temporary.—Peter Dempsey, telephone operator, \$22 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Mary Cornwell, technician at \$16 to \$17 a week; John J. Havery, temporary floor polisher to house cleaner, same pay; John T. Henry, floor polisher at \$12 to \$14 a week; Agnes Ahern, Helen Bruzzo, Mary Chapman, Grace Corcoran, Viola Carr, Gertrude Cotter, Altha Du Wors, Veronica Fitzmaurice, nurses, \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Irene McMenamin, nurse at \$16.67 to head nurse at \$80 a month; Mary Maher, nurse, \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Evelyn Publicover, nurse, \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Jeanette Riley, nurse, \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Helena Ryan, nurse, \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Louise Solari, nurse, \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Isabel Walker, nurse, \$10 to \$12.50 a month.

Correction.—Bernice MacDougall, difference, \$75 a month and \$80; difference, \$85 a month and \$90.

East Boston.

Esther Tuxbury, nurse, \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month.

Nurses Employed.—Catherine Albrow, Irene Bumps, no pay; Laura Bemis, head nurse at \$90 a month; Gladys Chaffee, Mary Crocker, Amy Cook, no pay; Helen Connors, affiliated nurse, \$16.67 a month; Margaret Donohue, Margaret Foley, Hilda Garrell, Mary Glines, no pay; Hilda Hay, affiliated nurse, \$6 a month; Romaine Hughes, Dorothy Houdellette, Elsie Hine, Dorothy McQuaid, Violet Norden, Irene O'Neil, Loretta O'Hern, Esther Pray, Mary Stracken, Irene Tighe, Anna Weskute, Helen Walsh, no pay; Verna Tibbetts, affiliated nurse, \$8 a month; Alma Bostrom, affiliated

nurse, \$16.67 a month; Rita Phillips, head nurse, \$85 a month; Helen McDonough, affiliated nurse, \$12 a month.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, September 18:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Catherine Donohue, institution employee, transferred from attendant, \$550 a year, to succeed Marion Golis.

Mary Gallagher, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Adria M. Miller.

William Bonner, porter, \$600 a year, to succeed Edward Roberts.

Catherine Phelan, attendant \$600 a year, to succeed Margaret Farrell.

Thomas F. Sullivan, porter, \$600 a year, to succeed James Splaine.

William Boyle, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed William Coughlin.

House of Correction.

Fred Mason, clerk-bookkeeper, \$1,100 a year, to succeed Peter J. McGarry.

Peter J. McGarry, officer-clerk, transferred from \$1,200 a year, new position.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, September 25:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Joseph D. Chausse, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed David J. Lizotte.

William F. Coleman, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Philip Collins.

Christine Connolly, pupil nurse, Charlesgate Hospital, \$300 a year, to succeed Sadie J. Scott.

Cecelia R. Domalowski, pupil nurse, Charlesgate Hospital, \$300 a year, to succeed Helen E. Carruth.

John J. Dooley, institution employee, \$700 a year, temporary.

Norah Harrington, institution employee, \$575 a year, to succeed Marie Morris.

Daniel Hurley, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Charles Reilly.

Wilfred Rocheville, institution employee, Long Island Hospital, \$600 a year, temporary.

Harry Willens, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Louis A. Blanchett.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Catherine G. Kelley, clerk, at \$1,000 a year, has been transferred to the School Committee.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Catherine Linnehan has been given permanent appointment, at two days a week, as cook and matron at \$3.33 a day.

Anna F. Garrity has been granted permanent appointment, at two days a week as laundress and seamstress at \$3.33 a day.

George J. Reardon has been continued in temporary appointment for a period of about three months as a laborer at \$4.50 a day.

Mary A. McCarthy has been continued in temporary employment for a period of thirty days as a matron in this department with wages at \$20 a week.

The Board of Park Commissioners have been allowed to authorize the expenditure of the sum of \$150 to pay the traveling expenses of John J. Murphy, Chief Engineer, to and from Washington, D. C., for the purpose of attending the Park Superintendents' and Engineers',

Convention, to be held in that city from October 5 to 10, 1921.

John W. McLean has been given permanent appointment as a gardening laborer at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

John H. Curley has been appointed for a temporary period of five weeks as ambulance driver at \$30 a week.

Annie Horan has been appointed assistant janitress in the Public Buildings Department (county buildings), at \$18 a week.

Josephine Sexton has been appointed assistant janitress in the Public Buildings Department (county buildings), at \$18 a week.

Edward T. Roach employed in the South Boston sanitary yard as a laborer at \$4.50 a day has been transferred to the Public Buildings Department as elevatorman at the same compensation.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Thomas P. McCann has been granted a continuance of temporary employment as assistant drawtender at \$30.68 a week.

John H. Bockelman has been granted temporary employment as inspector at \$1,600 a year for sixty days.

John M. Boyle has been transferred from the Transit Department to the Bridge Service as inspector at \$1,700 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

John J. Coleman has been granted an extension of temporary employment as marine fireman at \$6 a day for thirty days from September 30.

Edward L. Fitzgerald has been promoted from gateman at \$5.25 a day to tollman at \$5.50 a day, Ferry Service.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

John S. Callahan, laborer, at \$4.50 per day, has been transferred from the Park Department to the South Boston Paving district in a similar position.

John J. Campbell has been appointed as rodman at \$18 a week for three months.

Lawrence J. Noel has been promoted from laborer at \$4.50 a day to paver at \$5 a day.

Lorenzo Bianco has been continued in temporary employment as rodman at \$18 a week in the Paving Service for three months.

John J. McDonough, elevatorman at \$4.50 a day in the Public Buildings Department has been transferred to this department as assistant to cement tester at \$1,500 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

John F. Miley and Edward F. Cummings have been employed as temporary teamster-laborers at \$4.50 a day for a period of thirty days.

Christopher Murphy has been appointed as clerk at \$19.18 a week for three months.

Michael C. Roche has been appointed permanent horseshoer at \$5.50 a day in the Sanitary Service.

The following changes in the Sanitary Service have been approved:

Cornelius Sullivan, from stableman at \$4.50 a day to feeder at \$4.75 a day.

William T. Courtney, from teamster at \$4.50 a day, to chauffeur-teamster at \$30 a week.

Hugh J. Foley, from teamster at \$4.50 a day to chauffeur-teamster at \$33 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

James F. Carter, rodman, has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year.

Michael J. Driscoll has been appointed as rodman at \$18 a week for three months.

Thomas F. Galvin has been appointed as draughtsman at \$30 a week for a period of three months.

George L. Mitchell, John B. Curley and Thomas McGann have been appointed as temporary sewer inspectors at \$1,400 a year for three months.

Matthew J. Boyle has been continued in temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year in the Sewer Service for six months from September 29.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

The following employees have been continued in temporary employment for sixty days: Daniel J. Goulding, laborer, \$4.50 a day; James C. Lonergan, laborer, \$4.50 a day; Carl D. Goodwin, mechanic, \$6.25 a day.

The following changes in the Water Service have been approved:

Tony Rose, mechanic, from \$5 to \$5.25 a day.

George M. Mulvey, mechanic, from \$4.75 to \$5 a day.

Francis A. Trayers, from laborer at \$4.50 a day to mechanic at \$4.75 a day

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

William P. Sheehy has been granted an extension of employment as a provisional rodman at \$1,000 a year for thirty days beyond September 28.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Cecile F. O'Connell has been granted leave of absence for a period of six months from Friday, September 19, inclusive, without pay.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, September 25:

Main Department.

H. J. Brown, assistant engineer, 11½ hours, \$9.69; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$8.52; James Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; D. M. Hurley, carpenter, 10½ hours, \$7.56; W. Somerville, J. Murphy, E. McNealy, ambulance drivers, 10½ hours, \$6.62 each; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 16½ hours, \$10.73.

South Department.

C. Daly, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62.

Total, \$75.57.

For the week ending Thursday, October 2:

I. C. Nelson, assistant engineer, 6 hours, \$5.25; N. MacPherson, assistant engineer,

4½ hours, \$3.75; E. Darcey, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; R. Johnson, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 16½ hours, \$10.73; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3. Total, \$59.01.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 2:

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Louis Chenette, Thomas J. Foley, Stephen H. McCarthy, Jr., chauffeurs, ½ day, \$2.50.

Total, \$7.50.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

For the week ending Thursday, October 2:

Enrice Binda, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph T. Harrington, Peter F. Kean, Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Fairview Cemetery.

Patrick F. Bagge, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, September 25:

Paul T. Burke, apprentice, 6 hours, \$3.30; Patrick Foley, linotype operator, 6 hours, \$9.18; total, \$12.48.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, September 25:

N. McSheffrey, fireman, 7½ hours, \$5.63; J. McDonough, elevatorman, 7½ hours, \$4.22; J. Walsh, elevatorman, 1½ hours, \$0.84. Total, \$10.69.

For the week ending Thursday, October 2:

J. Walsh, elevatorman, 6 hours, \$3.38; J. Reynolds, engineer, 6 hours, \$5; F. Twitchell, engineer, 12 hours, \$10. Total, \$18.38.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 29:

Drawtender.—C. J. Thompson, 1 day \$5.20.

First Assistant Drawtenders.—T. C. McCarthy, D. L. O'Connell, 1 day, \$4.66 each.

Assistant Drawtenders.—M. L. Fitzgerald, 2 days, \$8.77; B. J. Dillon, 3 days, \$13.15.

Machinist.—P. J. Murphy, 1½ days, \$8.75.

Laborer.—J. McManus, 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$49.69.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 29:

Electrician.—James A. Douglass, 3 days, \$18.30.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 4½ days, \$24.75.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 2½ days, \$13.06.

Deckhands.—Thomas Barry, 2 days, \$0.50; John McInnis, ½ day, \$2.38.

Gateman.—Walter H. Noyes, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.97.

Tollman.—Christopher T. Leonard, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$4.13.

Fireman.—John J. Sullivan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.

Total, \$83.09.

Net cost for the week ending September 29, 1924, \$70.68.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 29:

Laborer-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, J. J. Welch, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$36.25.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 29:

Sewer Cleaners.—Hugh O'Connor, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, James Clancy, Dennis Collins, 1 day, \$5 each; Michael Foley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.50.

Laborers.—James McNabb, John McDonald, Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Thomas Duffy, Michael McMahan, John Keenan, Stephen Connolly, Edward Flaherty, James McFarland, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; James Smith, Thomas Casey, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25 each.

Chauffeur.—Charles Caffrey, 1 day, \$5.

Fireman.—Patrick Griffin, $2\frac{3}{4}$ days, \$16.50.

Total, \$110.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 29:

Teamsters.—J. Dahill, J. Hennessey, B. Callahan, M. J. O'Connell, C. McColligan, C. McGonagle, M. F. Shea, J. F. Barnes, J. Kilmurray, T. F. Graham, D. C. Doherty, J. J. Collins, E. E. White, F. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, G. F. Keegan, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, J. F. Cahill, D. J. Callahan, J. J. Carey, Jr., G. Cappozza, P. Cregan, J. J. Daley, L. Davis, J. Driscoll, J. M. Kramer, J. J. McGarry, W. T. Maloney, 1 day each, \$4.50.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, September 29:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, T. Kelleher, J. Supple, J. O'Brien, 1 day, \$5 each; F. Bonang, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.56; J. Burke, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.44; J. Conlon, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.88; P. Clougherty, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.13; T. Norton, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; M. Walsh, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.94.

Emergency men.—W. Fitzsimmons, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.41; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75; M. McCue, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.97; J. Roust, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.97.

Repairers.—T. Barry, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.97; R. Welch, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.22; B. Donohue, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; J. McCormack, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; J. Casey, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.56; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Lynch, $3\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$14.84; P. O'Hara, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.63; H. Campbell, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.22; J. Hourihan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$4.13; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; D. Sullivan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.03; P. O'Hare, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.98; A. M. Daley, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.94; P. Flynn, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.56; M. Hogarty, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; M. O'Day, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; E. Sullivan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75; J. Leonard, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$11.25; J. Dolan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.89; G. Goodwin, $1\frac{1}{2}$

days, \$8.02; R. Doyle, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$16.84; C. Driscoll, $6\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$33.34; P. Ippolito, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$4.13; R. Kelley, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$22.81; P. Clougherty, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.06; D. Kirby, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; M. Nicastro, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; N. McPhee, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.53; G. Greer, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.25; J. Feeley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.79; J. McDonald, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.83; J. Sullivan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.93; W. Shields, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; T. Byrnes, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.06; J. Blessington, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; D. Crowley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53; J. McKeeney, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.09; F. Keefe, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53; A. Rolfe, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.67; J. Cummings, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.80; M. Matthews, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.41; M. Rizzo, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.34; J. McLean, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; F. Schena, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.97; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—J. Fenton, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.27; P. Green, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.27; M. Barron, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.28; M. Connolly, 1 day, \$4.50; N. DiEso, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.27; B. Austin, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.27; C. Gannon, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.27; J. Curtin, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38; P. Caulfield, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; A. Delaney, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; B. Doherty, 1 day, \$4.50; P. Finnerty, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; C. King, 1 day, \$4.50; S. LoPilato, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.64; A. Martin, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$4.22; T. McGuinness, 1 day, \$4.50; P. Mulken, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; M. Mulqueeney, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38; J. McGee, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$15.61; J. M. O'Toole, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.34; E. Pyne, 1 day, \$4.50; P. Waters, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.34; F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50; W. Whelton, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38.

Total, \$410.04; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$404.54.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 27 the Mayor approved a contract with J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for grading and concrete bleachers at William Eustis Playground, Roxbury. Bids, opened September 17, were as follows:

Guiney & Hanson Construction Company, \$56,138; Joseph Rugo, \$54,505; J. A. Singarella, \$44,055; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$41,545.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Upon September 26 the Mayor approved a contract with the Rendle Stoddard Construction Company for repairing fenders of Chelsea Street Bridge. Bids for the work, opened September 4, were as follows:

Rendle Stoddard Construction Company, \$4,124; W. H. Ellis & Son Company, \$4,185; W. S. Rendle & Son Company, \$5,245.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon September 26 the Mayor approved a contract with V. Barletta for sewerage works in Binford street, between A street and Necco street, and Necco street, between Binford street and Necco court, South Boston. Bids for the work, opened September 22, were as follows:

V. Barletta, \$17,024.20; J. Williams & Co., \$18,160.20; C. Russo, \$18,305.20; A. D. Daddario, \$18,370.70; L. Balboni, \$18,665.20; S. J. Tomasello, \$19,295.80; M. H. Loonie, \$20,161.70; A. Cefalo, \$20,166.70; Wm. Barrett & Co., \$21,260.20; A. Baruffaldi Company, \$22,282.70.

Upon September 27 the Mayor approved a contract with M. De Sisto Company for sewerage works in Newfield and Lasell streets, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened September 18, were as follows:

M. De Sisto Company, \$2,735; A. D. Daddario, \$2,745; J. Williams & Company, \$2,765; C. Russo, \$2,775; Vozzella & Capone, \$2,781; C. Iacozza, \$2,825; Joseph Todesca, \$3,005; De Cristofaro & Brothers Company, \$3,025; C. Capone, \$3,085; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$3,105; A. Grande, \$3,225; L. Balboni, \$3,425; S. J. Tomasello, \$3,585.

Upon September 30 the Mayor approved a contract with John Williams & Co. for sewerage works in Stellman road, private land, Bradeen street and Washington street, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened September 23, were as follows:

Vozzella & Capone, \$35,272.40; J. Williams & Co. \$35,414.75; A. Cefalo, \$37,210.50; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$38,514.50; C. Russo, \$38,754.50; Charles Capone, \$38,966.25; L. Balboni, \$39,145.50; V. Barletta, \$39,329; A. Baruffaldi Company, \$41,519; William Barrett & Co., \$42,885.25; C. & R. Construction Company, \$43,494.90; West Roxbury Trap Rock Company, \$44,091.50.

Upon October 2 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Iacozza for sewerage works in Wilmington avenue, from Capen street about 230 feet easterly, and outlet in Capen street, from Fairmount street to Wilmington avenue, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened September 30, were as follows:

C. Iacozza, \$2,945; L. Balboni, \$3,032.50; A. D. Daddario, \$3,043.50; M. DeSisto Company, \$3,061; C. Russo, \$3,074.50; J. J. Conway, \$3,123; Vozzella & Capone, \$3,307; M. DeMatteo, \$3,363; J. Williams & Co., \$3,395.

Upon October 2 the Mayor approved a contract with A. D. Daddario for sewerage works in Ralston road, between Ruskin and Rutledge roads, Hyde Park. Bids for the work, opened September 29, were as follows:

C. Capone, \$2,634.55; J. Williams & Co., \$2,931; A. D. Daddario, \$2,962.25; Vozzella & Capone, \$3,013; C. Iacozza, \$3,084; A. Grande, \$3,092.25; C. Russo, \$3,216.25; L. Balboni, \$3,237.75; V. Barletta, \$3,302.75; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$3,469.75.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 27 the Mayor approved a contract with the Whiting Milk Companies for furnishing milk to the Boston Sanatorium from October 1, 1924, to March 31, 1925, inclusive. Bids for the supply, opened September 23, were as follows:

One Hundred Two Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-six Quarts Massachusetts Standard Grade "A."—E. Weiler & Sons, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 9.8 cents per quart; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 10.49 cents per quart.

Dairy.—E. Weiler & Sons, J. S. Johnson, Marlboro, Mass.; Whiting Milk Companies, various parties in Massachusetts List to be supplied; Massachusetts producers.

One Hundred Eighty-Six Pints Medium Cream.—E. Weiler & Sons, 25 cents per pint; Whiting Milk Com-

panies, 25 cents per pint; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 21 cents per pint.

Discount Ten Days.—E. Weiler & Sons, $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent.

Upon September 27 the Mayor approved a contract with the Whiting Milk Companies for furnishing milk, cream, etc., to the Boston City Hospital from October 1, 1924, to March 31, 1925, inclusive. Bids for the supply, opened September 23, were as follows:

Two Hundred Eighty-four Thousand Six Hundred Forty-eight Quarts Market.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 9.79 cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents per quart.

Eight Thousand One Hundred Ninety Quarts Certified.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 20.75 cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 20 cents per quart.

Two Thousand Nine Hundred Twelve Quarts Buttermilk.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 4.75 cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents per quart.

Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Sixty Quarts Cream.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 24.75 cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 22 cents per quart.

One Hundred Eighty-two Pints Heavy Cream.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 35 cents per pint; Whiting Milk Companies, 37 cent per pint.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Frank J. Low & Co. have been ordered to make the following addition to contract for alterations to Parkman Memorial Bandstand, Boston Common, signed August 5, 1924: Substitute cast stone for all marble specified as new or to be reset; the old marble is to be the property of the contractor. The cast stone to be used is to be Emerson & Norris Co., or equal, and is to match in color and texture the original marble. Cast stone is to be heavily reinforced with special attention to temperature bars and pointed with Flexo-tex. Furnish all labor and materials necessary to complete additional framing as detailed in proposal to Derby & Robinson, dated August 21, 1924. For these changes in contract the sum of \$1,030 will be added to contract price. Contract price, \$15,790, addition as per this order, \$1,030; total, \$16,820.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Thomas O'Connor & Co. have been allowed the following addition to contract for the Girls' Roxbury High School for open rock blasting and excavation 4,200.3 cubic yards at \$7.50 per cubic yard, \$31,502.25; for trench rock blasting and excavation 451.7 cubic yards at \$12 per cubic yard, \$5,420.40—\$36,922.65. Contract price, \$1,437,120; total additions, \$84,479.25; total deductions, \$153,000; amount of contract, \$1,368,609.25.

Joseph Rugo has been allowed the following changes in contract for the Grant School: Facing up party wall with brick, \$615; building wall under fire escape, \$210—\$825. Contract price, \$5,685; total additions, \$825; amount of contract, \$6,510.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed for substituting Keating flushing valves in place of tanks for the water-

closets in the Francis Parkman District School. Also installing a separate line of supply for the same from the main supply valve, the sum of \$192.50, as per architects' letter of September 24, 1924. Contract price, \$87,996; total additions, \$8,902.38; total deductions, \$800; amount of contract, \$96,098.38.

McDonald & Imb of have been allowed to add the sum of \$30 for the substitution of kalamein door and frame at the entrance to the electric room in place of wood door and frame as called for in the construction of the Roger Wolcott District School, as per architects' letter of September 17, 1924. Contract price, \$259,000; total additions, \$30; total deductions, \$1,800; amount of contract, \$257,230.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Samuel J. Tomasello has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing Portland cement concrete pavement in Ifley road, from Washington street to Walnut avenue. Items ordered: Construct with concrete pavement Mark street, from Day street about 210 feet easterly; and Ethel street, from Augustus avenue to Malverna road. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract; Mark street, \$2,183; Ethel street, \$5,862. Estimated cost of extra work, \$8,045.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith, street, etc. Items ordered: Construct with concrete pavement Metropolitan avenue, from Washington street northwest about 433 feet. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$6,098.

A. D. Daddario has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works in Blue Hill avenue, west side, from Harvard street 160 feet southerly to 390 feet southerly, Dorchester. Items ordered: Pump water from sewer trench on account of leaky water pipe outside of sewer trench. Estimated cost of extra work, \$26.

B. E. Grant Company has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under contract for repaving Chelsea street from Vine street to Chelsea Bridge South. Items ordered: (1) Omit item 5 and substitute the recutting, hauling and laying of granite blocks on a 6-inch concrete base, including preparing site and hauling away the rejected blocks. Price to be paid, the sum of \$4.44 for each square yard. Estimated increase in cost, \$10,000. (2) Omit brick sidewalk on west side between Vine street and bridge and substitute artificial stone. Price to be paid, the sum of 30 cents per square foot. Estimated increase, \$2,000; omitted work, \$16,618; estimated cost of extra work, \$28,432; increase, \$11,824.

Samuel J. Tomasello has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying bitulithic pavement in Grove street, from Centre street to Washington street. Items ordered: (a) Remove the existing bituminous surfaces on the Washington street and Centre street approaches where new pavement is to be laid. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost, \$260. (b) Re-

move the stumps not shown on plan. Price to be paid, the sum of \$25. Estimated cost, \$150. Total estimated cost of extra work, \$350.

Samuel J. Tomasello has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing granite block pavement in Romsey street, from Dudley street to Hamlet street. Items ordered: (1) Remove the stump from the north side of the roadway near Hamlet street. Price to be paid, the sum of \$15. (2) Remove the concrete base from the unused driveways at the rear of Uphams Corner Market. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of removing stump, \$15; estimated cost of removing concrete base, \$25. Total estimated cost of extra work, \$40.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

Upon request of the Public Works Department the Mayor has approved the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Itasca street, between a point 56 feet southwest of Currier street and a point 410 feet southwesterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$4,100.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Hallowell street, between a point 640 feet northeast of Oakland street and a point 80 feet northeasterly in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$800.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Maynard street, between Metropolitan avenue and a point 275 feet southwesterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$2,000.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Fairview street, between Ainsley street and a point 80 feet southwesterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$800.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Gladstone street, between Tower street and a point 150 feet westerly in the East Boston district, at an estimated cost of \$1,020.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Colorado street, between existing sewer 133 feet northeast of Almont street and a point 105 feet northeasterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$800.

A sanitary sewer of 8-inch earthen pipe in Woodward Park street, between a point 46 feet northwest of Folsom street and a point 50 feet northwesterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$300.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Lenoxdale avenue, between a point 270 feet southeast of Marsh street and a point 145 feet southeasterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$1,160.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Hillside avenue, between Cran-dall street and a point 210 feet westerly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$1,380.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Ralston road, between Ruskin road and Rutledge road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of \$2,650.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Myrtlebank avenue, between Milton street and a point 120 feet northerly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$1,200.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 25 TO OCTOBER 1.

SEPTEMBER 25.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
B. Murray.....	Rear of 51 Easton street....	26	First class garage.....	\$1,500
Charlotte I. Halpern.....	87 Ashland street.....	23	First-class garage.....	2,000
Fannie Dubinsky.....	3 Michigan avenue.....	19	First-class garage.....	1,700
E. Van Noorden Company.....	120 Farnham street.....	12	Second-class storage.....	8,500
Mary C. Miller.....	Rear of 47 St. Rose street....	22	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Sarah L. Lewis.....	Rear of 82 Devon street.....	18	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Annie C. MacKenzie.....	Rear of 111 McBride street....	22	Third-class garage.....	500
Realty Operators, Inc.....	124 Colonial road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Realty Operators, Inc.....	128 Colonial road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
A. J. Patterson.....	86 Thetford avenue.....	21	Third-class garage.....	600
S. MacCabe.....	8 Allenwood street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Boston Storage Warehouse Company.....	355 Huntington avenue.....	7	Alterations, light storage....	140,000
Sisters of St. Joseph.....	665 Cambridge street.....	25	Alterations, temporary class-room	600
C. J. O'Donnell.....	127 Newbury street.....	8	Erect fire escape.....	450
J. H. Russell.....	224 Tremont street.....	5	Alterations, elevator.....	300
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	1165 Massachusetts avenue....	11	Install elevator.....	7,750
City of Boston.....	512 Washington street.....	19	Take-down, dwelling.....	400
City of Boston.....	508 and 510 Washington street.	19	Take-down, dwelling.....	800

SEPTEMBER 26.

Mary Kelliher.....	Rear of 21 North Monroe terrace.	20	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Thomas A. Berrigan.....	933 East Second street.....	9	First-class garage.....	16,000
David Finkel.....	Rear of 36 Wildwood street....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,500
David Finkel.....	Rear of 40 Wildwood street....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,500
Martin Rooney.....	42 Fairbanks street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Zofia J. Drozynska.....	50 Metropolitan avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Nicolas Rozantes.....	108 Bynner street.....	14	Third-class dwelling.....	8,500
Helen L. Stenson.....	Rear of 53 Linden road.....	23	Third-class garage.....	200
W. H. Blanding.....	Rear of 39 and 41 Westover street.	23	Third-class garage.....	150
Sadie I. Graham et al.....	88 Gustine street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
John Johnson.....	90 Fairmount street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Mary L. Mead et al.....	31 Claymoss road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	15,500
E. E. Havey.....	Rear of 73 Lasell street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Frank L. Churchill.....	Rear of 42 Rockwell street....	21	Third-class garage.....	800
Peter Essen.....	127 Fairmount street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	4,800
D. Beers.....	Rear of 14 Hallett street.....	2	Third-class garage.....	500
Frank Lopez.....	206 Bennington street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling and store.	450
Andrew & Arthur Company.....	341 and 341A Centre street....	15	Alterations, store.....	500
Max Bersom.....	66 Mascot street.....	24	Alterations, tenements.....	350
Mrs. Ida L. J. Bengstrom.....	33 Fayette street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Mrs. Ida L. J. Bengstrom.....	37 Fayette street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Louis McCarthy.....	120 Corey street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Dominic Pianka.....	656 Dorchester avenue.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	550
A. W. Perry Inc.....	155-205 Lincoln street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	185
Nicolas Karafotias.....	12 Spring street.....	7	Alterations, stable.....	600
D. E. and C. S. Gardner.....	93 St. James avenue.....	23	Alterations, stores and offices.	3,800
Wiggin Brothers.....	23 Clinton street.....	5	Erect iron awning.....	175
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	Rear of 468 Chelsea street....	1	Take-down, shed.....	25
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	Rear of 468 Chelsea street....	1	Take-down, shed.....	25
American Building Wrecking Company.....	36 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down, dwelling.....	100

SEPTEMBER 27.

Annie Malloy.....	457 Quincy street.....	18	First-class garage.....	\$500
Joseph Bonnano.....	455 Quincy street.....	18	First-class garage.....	500
Alice S. Johnson.....	Rear of 70 Pleasant street....	17	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Joseph Lewenberg.....	78-82 Staniford street.....	5	Second-class stores.....	3,000
Hilda McGill.....	Rear of 27 Foss road.....	20	Second-class garage.....	950
Annie Miller.....	Rear of 21 McLellan street....	19	Second-class garage.....	1,500
John Zani.....	203 Gladstone street.....	1	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Commercial Wharf Corporation.....	81 Commercial Wharf.....	5	Alterations, storage.....	350
Joseph Lewenberg.....	77-81 Green street.....	5	Alterations, store.....	1,000
Samuel Kidder & Co.....	26 South Eden street.....	3	Alterations, stable.....	200
Katherine F. Muldoon.....	290 Market street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	125
Mary E. Houghton.....	42 Highland street.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	85
Virgino Mazzuchelli.....	121 East Cottage street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
John Chellman.....	100 Kittredge street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	100
Anna Blacher.....	35 Theodore street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
Edward Brown.....	81 Pinckney street.....	8	Erect fire escape.....	200
American Building Wrecking Company.....	444 Harrison avenue.....	6	Take-down, dwelling.....	40
American Building Wrecking Company.....	446 Harrison avenue.....	6	Take-down, dwelling.....	40
Thomas H. Pray.....	6 Tuckerman street.....	11	Take-down, stable.....	50

SEPTEMBER 29.

Stephen J. Hoar.....	Rear of 25 Whitman street....	21	First-class garage.....	\$800
Andrew Anderson.....	64 Orlando street.....	24	First-class garage.....	1,000
Albright Realty Trust.....	14 Linden street.....	25	First-class garage.....	15,000
William D. Duane.....	18 Pomeroy street.....	25	First-class garage.....	700
Frank Deary.....	86 Elmira street.....	26	First-class garage.....	1,000
Susie A. Sullivan.....	Rear of 59 St. Andrew road....	1	First-class garage.....	450
John G. Ford et al.....	Rear of 75 Lonsdale street....	20	Second-class garage.....	1,500
John G. Ford et al.....	Rear of 75 Lonsdale street....	20	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Mrs. J. Cunningham.....	Rear of 22 Haydn street.....	23	Second-class garage.....	300
Mrs. James Myers.....	Rear of 114 Paul Gore street....	15	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Frank J. Gurlan.....	40 Roanoke road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Henry I. Fitzgerald.....	10 Atkins street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	11,500

COLUMBUS DAY CELEBRATION ON OCTOBER 13, TO BE MOST ELABORATE, WITH 700 PARTICIPANTS.

There will be 700 participants in the annual Columbus Day municipal observance by the City of Boston on Monday, October 13. Plans being perfected provide for the same character of program that has proved both interesting and of value to the community the past few years.

The central idea of a "get-together holiday" for representatives of all the people of the city will be emphasized as heretofore. Besides the countries of Europe and Asia, the countries of South and Central America will be honored. So far, groups representative of twenty nations have accepted the invitation to participate. There will be two children taking part, who are descendants from the Indians, who greeted Columbus upon his arrival.

The United States will be particularly represented by a battalion of troops from the United States Army. The story of the origin and development of the stars and stripes will be pictured by a group of characters impersonating typical figures in the nation's history.

The officers and crew of the Argentina battleship "Rivadavia" have been especially invited as the ship will be here at the time. The commanding army and navy officers stationed here, as well as the consuls of all foreign countries so represented here, have been invited.

The custom inaugurated two years ago and carried out successfully last year of inviting the mayors of all Massachusetts cities to come to Boston Columbus Day and participate in the events will be continued this year. Already fifteen mayors have accepted, most of them to be accompanied with their wives. The Mayor of Boston will be a host at a dinner at the end of the day.

All participants in the municipal program will assemble at the Public Library in Copley square, the trustees and director of the library having granted special privileges for the occasion. After assembling inside the building, the groups taking part will take places on the steps outside and witness the parade of the Knights of Pythias which will be reviewed there by the mayors, as well as officers of that organization.

When the parade has moved on, the national groups, the groups representing Columbus and his suite, the Pan American group and the others taking part in the municipal Columbus Day program will proceed with particular ceremonies before forming a procession to march to Boston Common.

At the Parkman Bandstand, on the Common, will be delivered the annual address by Lieut.-Gov. Felix A. Toupin of Rhode Island. Mayor Curley will preside. The Alhambra band will furnish music. The audience will sing patriotic songs. The groups representing each nation of the world will be welcomed on arrival by "Columbus" and "Columbia." The story of the flag by a group of Cambridge school children will close the program.

The exercises at the band stand will be amplified for the benefit of the assembled audience and broadcasted from WNAC for those who listen in at other points.

The colorful and patriotically signifi-

cant ceremony of evening colors, lowering of the flag and review on the athletic field, will be performed by the army troops, with other participants in previous events present on the field with their flags and costumes.

The annual municipal athletic meet on the Common in the forenoon will include the customary events for men and for the first time on such occasions there will be events for women for which twenty entries have already been received.

All arrangements are being made under the supervision of the Director of Public Celebrations J. Philip O'Connell with the help of a committee whose chairman is Joseph A. F. O'Neil and a dozen members of the Citizens' Public Celebrations Association. The marshal for the day will be Eugene P. Carver, State Commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

EXAMINATIONS FOR LIBRARIAN.

The Boston Public Library Department has offered the following notice of service examinations.

GRADE C EXAMINATIONS.

On Saturday, October 18, in the Barton Gallery of the Central Library, there will be held general and foreign language examinations for persons who wish to qualify for Grade C.

The general examination will be held at 9.15 a. m. and three hours will be allowed; the foreign language examination will be held at 2.15 p. m. and one hour will be allowed.

These examinations are open only to high school graduates. Those who successfully pass the general examination and the examination in French, German, Italian, Latin or Spanish, will obtain the status of Grade C.

EXAMINATION FOR "EXTRA SERVICE" ASSISTANTS.

On Saturday, October 25, at 9.15 a. m. in the Barton Gallery of the Central Library, there will be held a two-hour examination for persons desiring employment as "extra service" assistants in the Central Library or the branches. This examination will consist of general questions designed to test the education and intelligence of the applicant.

The examination will be open to all applicants for employment, resident in Boston, who have successfully completed at least one year in high school, and must be taken by all now in the "extra service" pay roll who have not passed a service examination in the library.

Persons who pass this examination are not eligible to regular appointment until they have fulfilled the educational requirements of Grade C and have passed an examination for that grade.

CHARLES F. D. BELDEN,
Director.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Bay State Insulated Wire and Cable Company, by John H. H. McNamee, treasurer, have agreed to accept the sum of \$2,500 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate on Poydras street by the laying out of said street under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of June 19, 1924 (5,069 square feet).

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 25 TO OCTOBER 1.

SEPTEMBER 29.—Continued.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Ezra M. Rideout	514 Commonwealth avenue	8	Alteration, doctor's offices	\$3,000
Michele Minichello	2 Lexington place	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
Emilio G. Parker	4 National street	10	Alterations, dwelling	600
Jordan-Marsh Company	442-472 Washington street	5	Alterations, department store	1,300
Tony Fagetta	244 Oakland street	24	Alterations, store and dwelling	300
Aetna Wrecking Company	1 and 3 Belden square	11	Take-down, dwelling	225

SEPTEMBER 30.

Alfonso DeSimone	Rear of 261 Lamartine st.	22	First-class garage	\$1,500
German Singing Society	Rear of 367 East Eighth st.	10	First-class garage	2,000
Hilda G. Crawford	Rear of 277 Warren street	16	First-class garage	500
Donato Lombardi	Rear of 20 Winship street	25	First-class garage	1,200
Mary G. Ryan	Rear of 531 West Park st.	19	First-class garage	1,000
Joseph Matulewicz	Rear of 49 Hecla street	18	Second-class garage	800
Warren F. Freeman, Jr.	Rear of 48 Church street	23	Second-class garage	1,000
F. M. Gilliland	153 Birch street	23	Third-class dwelling	6,000
Arthur F. Douce	33 Bates road	20	Third-class dwelling	6,000
Edward N. Samit	64 Goodenough street	26	Third-class dwelling	7,000
Edward N. Samit	68 Goodenough street	26	Third-class dwelling	7,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	4 Fernald terrace	17	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	5 Fernald terrace	17	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	6 Fernald terrace	17	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	7 Fernald terrace	17	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	8 Fernald terrace	17	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	9 Fernald terrace	17	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	10 Fernald terrace	17	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	11 Fernald terrace	17	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	12 Fernald terrace	17	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	13 Fernald terrace	17	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	14 Fernald terrace	17	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Emma Sampson	305 Freeport street	20	Third-class garage	300
Emma Sampson	Rear of 305 Freeport street	20	Third-class garage	600
Chester G. Wheaton	Rear of 38 Parkvale road	23	Third-class garage	500
William J. Hoffman	Rear of 11 Ethel street	23	Third-class garage	500
Mrs. Alice M. Rand	Rear of 18 Conway street	23	Third-class garage	800
Michael Pierce	Rear of 338 La Grange st.	23	Third-class garage	850
Michael Pierce	Rear of 348 La Grange st.	23	Third-class garage	850
Edna Baker	Rear of 27 Montclair ave.	23	Third-class garage	700
Michael Campia	30 Linwood street	24	Third-class garage	185
Dr. P. F. Butler	35 Bay State road	8	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Riverbank Import Company	673 Washington street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	850
Captain M. Daly	2 Arcadia terrace	18	Alterations, dwelling	490
Insurance Building Corporation	24-46 Broad street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	3,162
A. W. Perry, Inc.	32-38 Bromfield street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	75
Kidder, Peabody Company	115 Devonshire street	5	Alterations, offices	40,000
Robert S. McCann	17 Electric avenue	26	Alterations, iron works	150
E. K. Newhall	31 Pearl street	5	Erect fire escape	200
New England Contracting Company	1-3 Brooks place	8	Take-down, three tenements	300
Max Shoolman	218-226 Washington street	5	Take-down, stores and offices	675
Max Shoolman	1-5 State street	5	Take-down, stores and offices	1,475

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Margaret-E. Riley et al	Rear of 15 Saxton street	17	First-class garage	\$1,250
Max Jacobovitz	Rear of 23 Deering road	21	First-class garage	1,000
Morris J. Liner	Rear of 27 Rosedale street	19	First-class garage	1,000
Annie J. McNulty	Rear of 252 Chestnut avenue	22	First-class garage	2,000
F. H. Sherman et al	76 Prince street	22	Second-class garage	1,500
Charles A. Hill	15 Paisley park	20	Second-class garage	1,000
Railway Engineering and Construction Company	226 Cambridge street	26	Special storage	400
Mrs. C. F. Ray	Rear of 120 Bynner street	14	Special garage	600
John F. Scully	103 Etna street	26	Third-class dwelling	9,000
John F. Scully	88 Glencoe street	26	Third-class dwelling	7,000
Hector White	21 Pheasant street	23	Third-class dwelling	8,000
J. Silevsky	74 Mora street	21	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Antonio Nunes	Rear of 28 Holmfild avenue	24	Third-class garage	600
Adolph Fallor	Rear of 117 Hewlett street	23	Third-class garage	600
Augusta L. Bolz	Rear of 14 Welton road	23	Third-class garage	600
Paul Beigbader	12 Ferndale road	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
J. W. Corbett	30 Castleton street	14	Third-class dwelling	13,000
Ainsley R. Atkinson	50 Rockwell street	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Mrs. Louis Brown	478 Tremont street	6	Alterations, tenements	750
Bessie Sneerson	996 Harrison avenue	12	Alterations, store and dwelling	500
Chamber of Commerce	169 Congress street	5	Alterations, office	350
J. W. Broin	9 Josephine street	18	Alterations, dwelling	350
Ira Shapira	67 and 69 St Germain street	7	Erect marquee	400
Julius Darish	267 Athens street	9	Take-down, dwelling	75
Julius Darish	136 D street	9	Take-down, dwelling	75
Julius Darish	239 and 241 D street	9	Take-down, dwelling	75
Julius Darish	45 Dresser street	9	Take-down, dwelling	75
Julius Darish	5 Gardner place	9	Take-down, dwelling	75
Julius Darish	10 and 12 Gold street	9	Take-down, dwelling	75
Julius Darish	202 H street	10	Take-down, dwelling	75
Julius Darish	36 and 38 Cambridge street	3	Take-down, storage	75
Joseph Lewenberg	78-82 Staniford street	5	Take-down, stores	100
Julius Darish	371 Tremont street	8	Take-down, dwelling	75

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 25 TO OCTOBER 1.

SEPTEMBER 25.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
William H. Welch.....	114 Broad street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$500
L. R. Freedman.....	111 N street.....	10	New fixtures.....	150
Edward H. Marchant.....	83 Charles street.....	8	New fixtures.....	450
Lawrence M. Vail.....	154 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	500
Joseph Seigel.....	121 1/2 Commonwealth ave- nue.	25	New fixtures.....	500

SEPTEMBER 26.

Frederick A. Jackson.....	42 Sawyer avenue.....	17	New fixtures.....	\$175
Samuel Adams.....	167 West Fifth street.....	9	New fixtures.....	100
Harry F. Natrou.....	426 and 428 Seaver street.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,800
Max Cohen.....	38 Esmond street.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,200
J. J. Vogel.....	460 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	345
Abraham A. Shleman.....	32 Homestead street.....	16	New fixtures.....	300
C. E. Best.....	83 Hollingsworth street.....	24	New fixtures.....	500
Thompson Marston.....	1 Dunreath street.....	16	New fixtures.....	100

SEPTEMBER 27.

George M. Bruce.....	100 Parsons street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$600
Eben Riggs.....	11 Ferndale road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,150
Eben Riggs.....	12 Ferndale road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,150
James A. Dickerson.....	17 Goethe street.....	23	New fixtures.....	600
W. G. Cornell Company.....	263 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	300
W. G. Cornell Company.....	281 Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	1,500
P. J. Sullivan.....	55 Presentation road.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,500

SEPTEMBER 29.

P. H. McCormack.....	94 Green street.....	3	New fixtures.....	\$750
Samuel Barron.....	33 Holborn street.....	16	New fixtures.....	1,500
Ernest J. MacLeod.....	33 Highland street.....	15	New fixtures.....	725
George P. Sennott.....	22 and 24 Amory avenue.....	15	New fixtures.....	1,500
Charles H. Smith.....	11 West Cedar street.....	8	New fixtures.....	250
P. H. McCormack.....	27 Jefferson avenue.....	4	New fixtures.....	350
John A. Donlan.....	144 Thornton street.....	15	New fixtures.....	450
William L. Clayton.....	665 Cambridge street.....	25	New fixtures.....	350

SEPTEMBER 30.

Harry Kingsberg.....	299 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$200
Charles Lang.....	87 Newburg street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
W. S. Emerson.....	229 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	25
R. J. Rodday Company.....	19 Hudson street.....	5	New fixtures.....	65
A. W. Short.....	796 East Sixth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	180
William F. McAuliffe.....	635 East Broadway.....	10	New fixtures.....	150
J. Preston Perham.....	279 Clarendon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	100
James A. Cotter.....	24-46 Broad street.....	5	New fixtures.....	700
David Weinstein.....	Rear of 1155 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	300
D. M. Goldstein.....	76 Mora street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,050
Powers & Mehegan Co.....	40 Stockton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,100

OCTOBER 1.

T. P. Travers.....	1501 Dorchester avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	\$400
Philbrick & Pope.....	3 Thompson square.....	4	New fixtures.....	400
F. H. Denimore.....	11 Elm street.....	3	New fixtures.....	792
M. H. Myers.....	59 Dunboy street.....	26	New fixtures.....	850
S. P. Williams.....	434 West Roxbury Parkway.....	23	New fixtures.....	100
H. F. Bimidel.....	50 Louder's lane.....	22	New fixtures.....	500
John I. Henderson.....	34 Elm street.....	22	New fixtures.....	350
Wilford H. Gray.....	244 Fuller street.....	21	New fixtures.....	985
James A. Dickerson.....	52 Salman street.....	23	New fixtures.....	300
George E. Carruthers.....	5 York street.....	25	New fixtures.....	5,500
George E. Carruthers.....	11 York street.....	25	New fixtures.....	5,500
George E. Carruthers.....	19 York street.....	25	New fixtures.....	5,500
Albert E. Touchet, Incorporated.....	35 Bay State road.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,400

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Sutton street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Morton street to Woolson street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Sutton street is hereby laid out, from Morton street to Woolson street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

North by Morton street, forty and 10-100 feet; east by the easterly line of said Sutton street as hereby laid out, four hundred ninety-three and 76-100 feet; south by Woolson street, forty and 14-100 feet; and west by the westerly line of Sutton street as hereby laid out, five hundred and 5-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Sutton streets, from Morton street to Woolson street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Sutton street, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, July 11, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department

Lot.	Amount.
1. Gertrude Jacobs.....	\$154 90
2. Gertrude Marcus.....	232 75
3. Hilda Rosenberg.....	232 75
4. Samuel Cooper, Rose Cooper.....	318 50
5. David Ezrin.....	220 50
6. Jennie Kaplan.....	220 50
7. Sarah Corelick, Fannie Corelick.....	220 50
8. David Finkel.....	245 00
9. David Finkel.....	245 00
10. David Finkel.....	245 00
11. Ethel Drapen.....	167 75
12. Max Toga.....	171 40
13. Bella Goldman.....	231 00
14. William Garber.....	231 00
15. David Levin.....	231 00
16. Ray Snyder.....	231 00
17. Jacob Wilensky, Rose Wilensky.....	219 45
18. Jacob Wilensky, Rose Wilensky.....	219 45
19. Jacob Wilensky, Rose Wilensky.....	231 00
20. Samuel Cooper, Rose Cooper.....	254 10
21. Hyman Douglas.....	180 25

Total\$4,702 80

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Sutton street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Morton street to Woolson street under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

MAYOR CURLEY MOVES TO AID FAMILIES OF POLICEMEN KILLED IN COURSE OF DUTY.

Mayor Curley addressed the following letter to the Hon. E. Mark Sullivan, Corporation Counsel, on September 26:

HON. E. MARK SULLIVAN, Corporation Counsel, Boston, Mass.

DEAR SIR,—I am desirous that you confer at once with the Police Commissioner with a view to the adoption of a policy with reference to members of the Police Department who are killed in the discharge of their duties.

My attention has been directed to the fact that the family of Police Officer Albert Matroni are in needy circumstances at the present time owing to the untimely death of the head of the household. I am also informed that generous hearted women and men of the East Boston section are arranging a public subscription.

In my opinion it should not be necessary for friends and neighbors of a police officer who courageously died for the preservation of law to depend upon either the generosity or the charity of his friends. Adequate provision for the family of such a man should be made by the city, and I am desirous that you, acting in conjunction with the Police Commissioner, determine upon a relief program and submit the same to me at once.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Maple street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Weld street northwesterly.

An extension of the highway named Maple street is hereby laid out, from Weld street northwesterly for a distance of about seven hundred and ten feet, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

South by Weld street, sixty-one and 32-100 feet; east by the same, seven and 80-100 feet; again south by the same, sixty-six and 29-100 feet; west by the westerly line of said extension of Maple street as hereby laid out, six feet; again west by the same, forty-nine and 40-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius; southwest by the southwesterly line of said extension of Maple street as hereby laid out, six hundred one and 41-100 feet; northwest by the northwesterly line of said extension of Maple street as hereby laid out, forty feet; and northeast by the northeasterly line of said extension of Maple street as hereby laid out, seven hundred and ten feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Maple street, for a distance of about seven hundred and ten feet northwesterly from Weld street on the northeasterly side, and for a distance of about six hundred and eighty feet northwesterly from Weld street on the southwesterly side, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage other than the general advantages to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Maple street, West Roxbury, Assessment Plan, July 30, 1924, William Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Maple street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Weld street northwesterly for a distance of about seven hundred and ten feet, under the order of the Board and awards no damages therefor.

16. Mary F. Connolly.....	\$331 94
17. Arthur R. Weeber, Katherine F. Weeber.....	330 19
18. Mary F. Connolly.....	328 44
19. Alice G. Libby.....	326 55
20. Mary F. Connolly.....	324 59
21. Albert H. Davis.....	322 84
22. Albert H. Davis.....	301 84
23. Sarah L. Underwood, Mary E. Morse.....	338 10
24. Mary F. Connolly.....	317 10
25. Mary F. Connolly.....	315 00
26. Mary F. Connolly.....	375 00
Total.....	\$8,158 07

FINANCE COMMISSION REPORT.

The Finance Commission in a letter to the Mayor issued the following statement concerning the Strandway project:

BOSTON, September 25, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

SIR,—Following the report of the Finance Commission on the irregularities under the contract between the Park Department and J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, your Honor made public an answer which the official publication of the city, the *Boston City Record*, calls the "reply of the Park Commission." The newspapers and the public have accepted it as such.

The Finance Commission has investigated the circumstances surrounding the preparation of the reply thus attributed to the Park Department and reports:

1. The reply was not made by the Park Department.

2. James B. Shea, chairman of the department, has testified that he "dictated" it in the office of your secretary at City Hall, to Mr. Chapman, one of your stenographers, on Wednesday, September 17, the day the report of the Finance Commission was published; that his reason for dictating the reply in your secretary's office, instead of in the office of the Park Department at 33 Beacon street, was that it was more convenient.

3. Mr. Shea testified that after his dictation he left the matter entirely in the hands of your stenographer; that he did not sign the reply or even see it after it had been typewritten.

4. The other two members of the Park Department took no part in preparing it and were not invited to take part.

5. Commissioner Lewis testified that he called at your office between four and five o'clock that afternoon to procure a copy of the Finance Commission's report. He saw your "secretary," who said that he was at work on the reply.

6. Commissioner Coolidge has never seen the reply, except in the newspapers.

7. Mr. Lewis testified before the Finance Commission Tuesday afternoon, September 23. Early the next morning the Park Commissioners met and for the first time decided to investigate the charges made by the Finance Commission.

From testimony taken by the Finance Commission since the issuance of its report, it appears that counsel for the contractor was furnished by the Park Department with copies of the testimony given before the Finance Commission by the Park Commissioners; that the chairman of the Park Department conferred with counsel for the contractor on the matter under investigation a few days before the issuance of the Finance Commission's report; that counsel for the contractor read the Finance Commission's report in a newspaper office on the evening of its issue and later that same night telephoned your Honor's house to notify you that it had been issued; and

that counsel for the contractor was at your Honor's office on the following day and read there the so-called reply of the Park Commissioners before it was published, though the Park Commissioners themselves had not seen it.

Since the Finance Commission made its disclosures, the chairman of the Park Commission, as well as your Honor and the counsel for the contractor, have been diligent in each other's defense, while no official appears to have taken any measures to protect the interests of the city.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman,
CHARLES L. CARR,
COURTENAY GUILD,
JOHN F. MOORS,
JOSEPH A. SHEEHAN,
The Finance Commission.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority to have the Richard T. Green Company dry dock and make repairs on the ferryboat "Noddle Island" for the following agreed prices: Remove the wheels and rewood bearings on the East Boston end, \$187; patch yellow metal sheathing, \$483; place blower engine foundation, \$79; repair rail and gate post at East Boston end, \$50; renew stern bearing on Boston end of boat, \$775; total, \$1,574. This work is emergency work, practically all of it ordered by the Steamboat Inspection Service after the boat was placed on the marine railway. The Richard T. Green Company plant, which built this steamer, is well qualified to make the necessary repairs expeditiously and economically.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner for authority to rough grade in School street, southwesterly side, between Province street and Chapman place, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$1,000.

DIRECT RETURN FIRE.

The Mayor of Boston recently set a fine example for other executives at the head of American municipalities. The leaders of the Socialist party of Massachusetts sought permission to hold a "peace demonstration" on Boston Common on September 12, which was to be a flagrant rivalry of the national program for the same day. Mayor Curley replied immediately as follows:

"I beg to acknowledge receipt of communication requesting that a permit be issued for the staging of a peace demonstration on Boston Common September 12 at 6 p. m., under the auspices of the Socialist party. I regret to inform you that it will be impossible for me to comply with your request, as September 12 has been designated as "Defense Day," and as an American Mayor of an American city, interested in America, I am opposed to anything that savors of pacifism propaganda, which, in my opinion, unless checked, may serve to deprive Americans of their present splendid heritage which was secured through the use of the sword, and so long as the governments of the world continue constituted as at present can only be preserved and perpetuated by the sword."—[From the "National Bulletin," Organ of the Military Order of the World War.]

Lot.	Amount.
1. Sarah L. Kresser.....	\$339 99
2. Mary F. Connolly.....	338 80
3. Emma R. Lindenberg.....	313 25
4. Anna T. McNeal.....	334 25
5. Anna T. McNeal.....	131 11
6. Alice B. Brett.....	131 11
7. Alice B. Brett.....	328 72
8. Annie S. Snow.....	451 64
9. Katherine V. Norton.....	506 10
10. Katherine V. Norton.....	311 15
11. Frederick E. Atwood.....	308 35
12. Frederick E. Atwood.....	307 30
13. John Graham.....	368 76
14. Mary F. Connolly.....	209 00
15. Mary F. Connolly.....	166 95

OPENS BRANCHES TO COLLECT TAXES.

City Collector William M. McMorrow has opened fourteen branches of his department in various parts of the city to facilitate the payment of 1924 taxes. The branch offices will be open October 7, 8, 9 and 10 of next week and October 14 and 15 of the following week. The hours will be from 11 a. m. until 2 p. m., with the exception of the Hyde Park office which will be open from 9 a. m. to 12 noon, thereby eliminating confusion where the same public building is to be used for registration from 2 p. m.

The branch office will be located as follows: Wards 1 and 2, East Boston Library Building, Meridian street; Wards 3 and 4, Charlestown Court House, City square; Wards 9 and 10, Municipal Building, Broadway, South Boston; Ward 11, William E. Russell School, Columbia road; Wards 12 and 13 Roxbury Municipal Building, Vine street; Ward 14, Farragut School, Fenwood road; Wards 15 and 16, Roxbury Courthouse, Roxbury street; Wards 17 and 18, Dorchester Municipal Building, Columbia road; Wards 19, 20 and 21, Dorchester Branch Library, Codman square; Ward 22, Curtis Hall, South street, Jamaica Plain; Ward 23, Roslindale Municipal Building, Ashland street, Ward 24, Hyde Park Municipal Building; Wards 25 and 26, Brighton Town Hall, Washington street.

BUILDINGS RAZED.

The Mayor has approved the request of Building Commissioner John H. Mahony for permission to tear down the following buildings as constituting fire menaces and nuisances.

To take down building on premises 3 Cook Street court, Ward 3. The owner, Jennie Finn of 4 Billerica street, Boston, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 42 Cook street rear, in Kelley court, Ward 3. The owner, Joseph G. Smith of 348 Medford street, Charlestown, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 38 Sackville street, Ward 3. The owner, Edward A. Foster of 30 Bonair street, Somerville, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 4 Bellows place, Ward 3. The owner, Annie Tyrell of Revere, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 2 Wellington place, Ward 3. The owner, George F. Sweeney of 66 High street, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 1 Wellington place, Ward 3. The owner, Lillian M. Cruickshank of 1 Carlos street, Dorchester, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but she neglects to remove the cause of complaint.

To take down the building on premises 216 North Harvard street, Ward 26. The owners, the James A. Hathaway es-

tate of 35 Academy Hill road, Brighton, have been notified of the unsafe condition of the building, but they neglect to remove the cause of complaint.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Joseph Rugo has been allowed to amend his contract for the erection and completion (all trades) of an addition to Thomas Gardner Elementary School, Brentwood and Athol streets, Allston, by striking out the words and figures, "June 15, 1924," on page 27, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "July 22, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 27, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about June 15, 1923, and is to be completed on or before July 22, 1924."

Walter Curley & Son has been allowed to amend his contract for moving six portables at various schools in various districts, by striking out the words and figures, "September 2, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "October 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 29, 1924, and is to be completed on or before October 1, 1924."

Thomas O'Connor & Co. have been allowed to amend their contract for erection and completion of an elementary school in the Hugh O'Brien District, Shirley street, Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "January 1, 1924," on page 25, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "September 9, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 25, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about May 11, 1923, and is to be completed on or before September 9, 1924."

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed to amend their contract for the completion and erection of an elementary school in the Francis Parkman District, Northbourne road and Nathan street, Jamaica Plain, by striking out the words and figures, "July 1, 1924," on page 25, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "September 9, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 25, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about November 1, 1923, and is to be completed on or before September 9, 1924."

PLEASANTLY SURPRISED THE MAYOR WITH EXPRESSIONS OF APPRECIATION.

A medical group, consisting of Dr. Richard Cabot, Dr. David L. Edsall, Dean of the Harvard Medical School, Dr. Robert B. Osgood, former chairman of the Executive Committee of the Boston Health League, and Dr. Horace Morrison, representing the Medical Societies, gave the Mayor a jolt on September 30 when they called to express appreciation for the progress the city is making along improved health conditions and child welfare and baby hygiene work. It is the first group in many years that has called and desired nothing but the privilege of extending thanks for services rendered.

CHARGES ACTION IS PROOF OF POLITICAL ANIMUS IN STRANDWAY CLAIMS BY FINANCE COMMISSION.

Mayor Curley issued the following statement on Friday October 3:

With reference to the action taken by a group of citizens among whom are such familiar Republican politicians as Ben Lane, Morton Prince, Abigail Homans and George C. McCaffrey, Secretary of the Good Government Association, the purpose of which action is to prevent further payments on the Columbus Park improvement contract, I beg to say that the list of signers is complete proof, if any were lacking, that it is a purely political plot hatched up solely for the purpose of doing injury to my candidacy for Governor.

I beg to state that it was unnecessary for any body of citizens to take this action as some ten days ago I notified the City Auditor, Rupert S. Carven, to withhold any further payments upon this contract until such time as a full and complete report had been submitted by the Park Commission.

A conference with the Park Commission was held at the Mayor's office on Tuesday, September 30, at which the commission were notified that they would have to submit a more detailed report with reference to this work and they informed me that they would do this at once and in addition would engage the service of one of the leading engineers of America to check up both reports.

There is nothing that can be done that has not already been done upon this matter, and the action of Republican politicians at this time is neither good taste nor good politics.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

The Boston Retirement Board has made the following report for the month of September:

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board held on Tuesday, September 16, 1924, the retirement of the following named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at close of business September 30, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Paving Service.

Michael Dorsey, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

Sewer Service.

Michael Mulvey, sewer cleaner, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

Sanitary Service.

Michael J. Sullivan, carpenter, salary at time of retirement, \$5.50 a day.

Street Cleaning Service.

Frank DiPesa, inspector, salary at time of retirement, \$1,800 a year.

Water Service.

Frank Schena, repairer, salary at time of retirement, \$5.25 a day.

Ferry Service.

Michael J. O'Brien, tollman, salary at time of retirement, \$5.50 a day.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Alicia I. Collison, master's assistant, salary at time of retirement, \$2,388 a year.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

West Roxbury Court.

Edward W. Brewer, clerk, salary at time of retirement, \$3,225 a year.

MAYOR SENDS REPRESENTATIVE OF CITY TO WASHINGTON ON DIFFERENTIALS HEARING.

HON. E. MARK SULLIVAN TO WORK WITH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN NEW EFFORT TO GET TRADE RELIEF FOR NEW ENGLAND.

Mayor Curley addressed the following letter to Mr. Frank S. Davis of the Chamber of Commerce:

Boston, September 26, 1924.

MR. FRANK S. DAVIS, *Manager, Maritime Association, Boston Chamber of Commerce, Boston, Mass.*

MY DEAR MR. DAVIS.—I have received your two letters, one of September 23, and the other of September 25, relative to the new petition which has been filed in behalf of the New England ports seeking to rid ourselves of the vicious freight differentials that are diverting railroad and ocean freight from the Port of Boston and other New England ports to the inland ports of Baltimore and Philadelphia. As the City of Boston has gladly co-operated with your association and made itself a party to the petition to the Interstate Commerce Commission which is still pending before that Board and without final action by it, the City of Boston will gladly give you its heartiest co-operation in your latest move.

In view of the fact that the North Atlantic ports at least have equalized ocean freight rates since the establishment of the United States Shipping Board and unequalized rail rates on exports and import freight by decree of the Interstate Commerce Commission, I believe that these two co-ordinate bodies of the Federal Government may properly be expected to sit in joint sessions on this latest petition when they can consider these complimentary rail and ocean rates that so greatly affect the business of our ports and railroads serving them.

The transportation of freight between interior points of the United States and foreign countries is a service which nearly all of the ports of the North Atlantic and South Atlantic and Gulf groups, together with the railroads serving these ports, are ready to give on an equal basis of freight and ocean rates. All that Boston asks is an opportunity to compete on an equal basis with all other ports, to give this service.

I am pleased to see that the attorneys representing the joint New England petitioners have adopted at last the view which the City of Boston alone urged in its brief before the Interstate Commerce Commission respecting the unconstitutional character of differential freight rates. In our brief we pointed out to the Interstate Commerce Commission that Article I of the Federal Constitution provides "That the ports of one state shall not be discriminated against in favor of the ports of another state by any regulations or customs of commerce." When Baltimore and Philadelphia, by an agreement among the railroads themselves long years ago, had received its freight differential on exports and imports the ports of Boston and New York and other of the New England ports had an ocean differential in fact which so militated against these

ports in closer proximity to Europe enjoying ocean differentials that the railroads agreed among themselves that the freight rates on exports and imports moving by the ports of Baltimore and Philadelphia might be lessened so as to give to all exports and imports moving through these ports an equalized through rate from the central freight territory of the United States to all European ports. Now that both ocean rates and rail rates are regulated respectively by the United States Shipping Board and the Interstate Commerce Commission, respectively, acting under authority given them by Congress, any discrimination resulting from their rate structures against the ports of Massachusetts and other New England States in favor of the ports of Philadelphia, Maryland or any other ports in the North or South Atlantic group are regulations of commerce and therefore unconstitutional.

In compliance with your suggestion I am directing the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston to appear with the representatives of your association and those of the other petitioners at the hearing to be given by the Interstate Commerce Commission and the United States Shipping Board sitting in joint session at Washington on October 7.

I desire, Mr. Davis, to specially commend you for the enterprise which you, acting as manager of the Maritime Association, have shown in this effort of the New England people to do something for themselves. I deplore, however, the inactivity of the many official representatives that New England has at Washington who, being friends and partisans of the present Republican administration, might properly be expected to make strenuous efforts to properly affect the minds of the administration and these two Boards serving by and under it that New England and their constituents might be dealt with justly.

With every good wish, I remain, as ever,

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

LAND-TAKING IN SOUTH BOSTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days fol-

lowing a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly South Boston and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Necco street, bounded:

Southwest by Binford street, sixty-one and 12-100 feet; northwest by the northwesterly line of Necco street, six hundred ninety-four and 80-100 feet; northeast by another part of Necco street, sixty feet; and southeast by the southeasterly line of Necco street, seven hundred six and 44-100 feet; containing forty-two thousand and thirty-seven square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as Binford street, bounded:

Southeast by A street, sixty-one and 12-100 feet; southwest by the southwesterly line of Binford street, three hundred fifty-one and 45-100 feet; northwest by the northwesterly line of Binford street, sixty-one and 12-100 feet; and northeast by the northeasterly line of Binford street, three hundred fifty-one and 45-100 feet; containing twenty-one thousand and eighty-seven square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 681 linear feet 18-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 180 linear feet 15-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 180 linear feet 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 300 linear feet 10-inch pipe catch-basin drain and 15 catch-basins, in the above described premises, being the private way known as Binford street, from A street to Necco street, and part of the private way known as Necco street, between Binford street and Necco court.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Necco street, between Necco court and Binford street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 570, Sewerage Works, Binford street, Necco street, South Boston, July 30, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer," Street Laying-Out Department and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Boston Wharf Company.....	\$2,011 68
2. Boston Wharf Company.....	2,151 38
Total	\$4,163 06

ADDITIONAL WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

J. J. McCarthy & Co. have been directed to perform the following additional work under contract for repairing artificial stone sidewalk blocks. Items ordered: Repair approximately 5,000 square feet in addition to the amount on the contract, 15,000 square feet, plus first additional order dated August 1, at 33 cents per square foot. Estimated cost of second additional work, \$1,650.

HISTORY OF THE ART OF PRINTING.

PUBLIC LIBRARY HAS INTERESTING EXHIBIT SHOWING DEVELOPMENT.

The craftsmen number of "The American Printer"—a collection of sixty plates illustrating the history of the art of writing and printing—is now on exhibition at the Boston Public Library. The collection, published a few weeks ago, has called forth much favorable comment among those engaged in the art and business of printing. And surely, the collection deserves the praise. Edmund G. Gress, associate editor of the periodical, arranged and compiled the material; he did it with knowledge and skill. The plates have been designed and engraved by more than one hundred artists, and all of them have been done in different printing shops; they truly represent the highest standard of typographical art in America.

The artistic and technical finish of type, design and "make-up" must appeal even to the most casual visitor. But probably, the craftsmen in printing, engraving and designing are those who will find the greatest interest in the exhibition. And with them are to be counted the hundreds of art students who visit the exhibition room of the library.

To supplement the collection, the Public Library has also exhibited a large number of its own books and plates relating to the subject. The history of printing in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries is told in the works of Claudin, Haebler, Harassowitz and others; they represent the best products of scholarship and research in this field.

Books on modern printing—essays by William Morris, Charles Ricketts, Alfred Pollard, etc., and works of descriptive and technical character—are also exhibited; they offer a choice of reference books to the more ambitious in the trade, art or profession. Together with the works on printing, plates are exhibited illustrating the history of writing.

MAYOR ASKS CITIZENS TO DECORATE FOR CONVENTION.

Mayor Curley has issued the following proclamation:

The Military Order of the World War, an association of officers who served this country, honorably and gallantly in the World War, will hold its convention in Boston during the current week, October 2, 3 and 4.

I suggest to the patriotic citizens of Boston that their houses and places of business be decorated with the national colors during the days of the convention, as a courtesy to the order, and an evidence that the people of the capital of the Commonwealth do not forget the service and sacrifice given the nation in its days of stress.

I direct that all schoolhouses and public buildings of the City of Boston hoist flags and otherwise be appropriately decorated during the continuance of the M. O. W. convention.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Zoppo & Civitares have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in Weld street, outlet in

Montclair avenue, private land, and Board of Survey Streets, Nos. 1778 and 1779, West Roxbury, from September 20, 1924, to October 20, 1924 (thirty days).

M. L. Loonie has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Locust street, between Washington avenue and New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, Dorchester, from August 30, 1924, to September 17, 1924, eighteen days.

Rendle Stoddard Construction Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for rebuilding middle pier, South Pier, Boston side, from August 15, 1924, to November 5, 1924.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and Edison Company, Windom street, Ward 26, erect six poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Roscliff street, Ward 23, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Faneuil street, Ward 26, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Temple street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Bellevue street, Ward 23, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Templeton street, Ward 20, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Robeson street, Ward 22, erect one pole.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, 1924.

By Feb. 1, 1924, the fire-fighting force had been reorganized as required by the two-platoon system, in effect on said date. This change, with the addition of 177 privates and 33 officers (the latter by promotion), increased the force to 1,427 men, viz.: the Chief, one ass't. chief, 6 deputy chiefs, 30 district chiefs (15 for day and 15 for night service), 74 captains, 107 lieutenants, 57 engineers, 57 assistant engineers and 1,094 privates, divided into 53 engine companies (3 marine), 30 ladder, 1 chemical and 3 water-tower companies, a rescue company and 2 emergency squads, the engine companies generally consisting of 14 or 15 men, including a captain and a lieutenant; other employees, 12 at headquarters, 96 men in repair shop and 44 in fire-alarm branch; fire stations, 62.

Automobile apparatus in service, 34 combination pumpers or gasoline engine and hose-reel, 5 triple combination (incl. chemical task) also 10 tractor-drawn steamers and one steam-propelled steamer; 39 combination chemical engine and hose cars; 30 ladder-trucks (12 aerial); 3 fireboats; 3 water-towers; 1 rescue auto with pulmotors and 1 auto wrecker. Total apparatus, 127. Officers' cars, 34 and delivery trucks, 11. Leading hose 143,116 feet and suction hose, 2,366 feet; fire alarm boxes, 1,310.

In reserve are 16 engines (10 auto); 7 hose wagons (6 auto); 7 ladder trucks (6 auto); 1 water tower (auto) and 7 officers' cars.

Total alarms in calendar year 1923, 7,241 or 1,107 more than in 1922, of which total 729 were needless and 287 false alarms, besides 154 automatic alarms, false and accidental. Total fires, 6,071 (862 more than in 1922) of which 3,148 were in buildings, 2,872 outside of build-

ings and 51 out of city limits. In 18 cases the buildings were totally destroyed, in 94 the damage was considerable and in 1,941 the damage was slight; other cases, no damage stated.

The Boston Protective Department (not a City department) reported the total fire losses in 1923 on buildings as \$1,932,424 and on contents as \$4,353,875, or total of \$6,286,299, which is \$2,981,703 more than in 1922. Of total loss, the amount not covered by insurance was \$344,551.

The B. P. D. also reported that of the 2,320 fires involving losses, 499 were caused by carelessness with matches, 258 by smoking, 152 by electricity, 143 by exposure to fires near by, 140 by overheated or defective stoves, furnaces, etc., 109 by open lights, 86 by sparks from combustion, 79 by sparks on roof, 60 by explosions, 58 by petroleum and its products, 57 by defective flues and chimneys, 50 by spontaneous combustion, 41 by hot ashes, 34 by fireworks, etc.

Cost of maintenance for 1923, \$3,669,450 (including Wire Div.) or \$331,945 more than in 1922. Value of land and buildings \$2,375,500; cost of motor equipment, \$1,017,331.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$7,500; Chief, \$5,500; deputy chiefs, \$4,000; district chiefs, \$3,500; captains, \$2,500; lieutenants, \$2,300; engineers, \$1,900; assistant engineers, \$1,800; 1st-year privates, \$1,400, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

The apparatus in service is now entirely motor-driven, the last horse-drawn piece having been replaced Oct. 18, 1923.

The records of the Wire Division show that on Feb. 1, 1924, the underground electric service comprised 3,663,539 feet of conduit, 21,954,630 feet of single duct and 33,232,932 feet of cable of the drawing-in system, also 691,529 feet of 3-wire cable and tube of the solid system. From the business districts, over a street area of 46,415,000 square feet, and from 72 miles of additional streets all poles and overhead wires have been removed.

LOANS IN 1923-24.

Total amount borrowed; \$7,190,000 or \$932,500 less than in 1922. Objects and amount for each:—Rapid Transit, \$2,035,000; of which \$1,513,000 was for East Boston Tunnel, Alterations; Making of Highways, \$1,100,000; Sewerage Works, \$1,000,000; Police Headquarters, \$500,000; Public Buildings, various, \$495,000; Columbus Park, Improvements, \$450,000; Playgrounds, etc., \$385,000; Police Station 2 Building, \$360,000; City Hospital, Improvements, \$269,000; Stuart Street Construction, \$200,000; Boston Sanatorium, Out-patient Building, \$150,000; Elks' Parker Hill Hospital, \$115,000; other objects, \$131,000.

Rates: \$3,476,000 at 4 per cent and \$3,714,000 at 4½. Outside debt limit, \$2,251,000 (Rapid Transit, Stuart St. also Cambridge and Courts Sts. construction); all other, serial loans inside debt limit.

REAL ESTATE ASSESSMENT PER CAPITA IN CITIES.

According to assessed valuations for 1923, Boston, \$1,843.61 (highest); New York, \$1,787.57; Pittsburgh, \$1,514.19; Buffalo, \$1,281.25; Philadelphia, \$1,185.29; St. Louis, \$1,032.83; Baltimore, \$996.75. These figures are approximate as population had to be estimated.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending September 27, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 139; nonresidents, 45; total, 184.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 12.35; nonresidents deducted, 9.33.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 11.68; corresponding week last year, 12.95.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 29; one year to five years, inclusive, 14; sixty years and over, 67; total deaths: male, 104; female, 80; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 97; deaths of colored, 5.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 27, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 29, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	4	1	3	—
Diphtheria.....	27	1	58	2
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	—	—
Influenza.....	2	—	—	—
Measles.....	6	—	12	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	9	5	12	5
Scarlet fever.....	30	—	19	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	32	12	31	9
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	2	4	6	1
Typhoid fever.....	1	—	6	—
Whooping cough.....	—	2	8	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, September 22, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council held Monday, September 22, 1924, at 2 p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent, Coun. Gilbody.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn, the Mayor not being present, but Coun. Watson being appointed to make the drawing, as follows:

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, First Session, to appear October 6, 1924:

John E. Anderson, Ward 1; Frank O. Fall, Ward 3; Maurice Neville Jr., Ward 3; Julius Bodner, Ward 5; Arthur H. Ballard, Ward 6; Michael O'Rielly, Ward 6; Hayward Herald, Ward 7; John J. Kelly, Ward 7; Robert J. Lyttle, Ward 7; Daniel B. MacNeill, Ward 7; William B. Parnell, Ward 7; Frederick E. LeClair, Ward 8; Thomas H. Bean, Ward 9; Michael F. Kiley, Ward 9; James J. Curtin, Ward 10; Louis Stein, Ward 10; Henry N. Hayward, Ward 11; Jeremiah E. Sullivan, Ward 11; Henry F. Pickett, Ward 12; Augustus A. Granville, Ward 13; Thomas J. Miley, Ward 15; John T. Shea, Ward 15; Henry P. Chadwick, Ward 16; William F. Donnelly, Ward 16; George W. Mortimer, Ward 16; William A. Sawyer, Ward 16; Leslie R. Jones, Ward 18; Frederick Sanders, Ward 19; Lewis F. Bowers, Ward 20; Andrew A. Burgoyne, Jr., Ward 20; Harvey E. Eichel, Ward 21; Howard S. Kent, Ward 21; Francis W. Stephens, Ward 21; Victor Schmidt, Ward 22; William C. Sommerville, Ward 22; Patrick H. Diggins, Ward 23; James Pottinger, Ward 23; John W. Nestor, Ward 24; George H. Hopkins, Ward 25; Frederick H. White, Ward 25.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Third Session, to appear October 6, 1924:

William M. Shea, Ward 1; Francis O. Clifford, Ward 3; James E. McGowan, Ward 3; Michael Maguire, Ward 5; Edward Moran, Ward 5; George A. Kuhn, Ward 6; Dennis J. Lynch, Ward 6; Lorenzo Doten, Ward 7; John F. Farrell, Ward 7; Walter E. Mills, Ward 7; Stephen H. Bennett, Ward 8; Richard de Blois Boardman, Ward 8; Robert Jordan, Ward 8; Abraham J. Levin, Ward 8; Charles Lentine, Ward 10; John F. Keane, Ward 12; Daniel Doyle, Ward 13; Charles McGee, Jr., Ward 13; William G. Weidman, Ward 14; Lyman F. Harrington, Ward 15; Arthur W. Rumrill, Ward 16; Fred B. Warner, Ward 16; George E. Tourtellotte, Ward 17; James Patrick Kelley, Ward 18; Frank H. Fenfield, Ward 18; Frederick H. Allen, Ward 19; James A. Miller, Ward 19; Charles P. Cummings, Ward 20; William

H. McElaney, Ward 20; William F. Prout, Ward 20; Daniel Clifford, Ward 21; Joseph T. Goodwin, Ward 22; Charles J. Kaufman, Ward 22; William J. Samsel, Ward 22; George K. Newcomb, Ward 24; Charles A. Peterson, Ward 24; Thomas J. Whalen, Ward 24; Thomas M. Dempsey, Ward 25; George L. Pierce, Ward 25; Dennis J. McNulty, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fourth Session, to appear October 6, 1924:

Edward J. Cronin, Ward 1; George E. Hodge, Ward 1; Charles H. Reed, Ward 1; John A. Culbert, Ward 2; Christopher F. Hogan, Ward 2; Frank Pray, Ward 2; Leander Leo Savage, Ward 3; Thomas J. Callaghan, Ward 4; Michael J. Downey, Ward 5; Charles E. Manning, Ward 6; William S. Melcher, Ward 7; Samuel Pond, Ward 7; Thomas M. James, Ward 8; Edward E. Keevin, Ward 8; Morgan H. Plummer, Ward 8; Henry B. Titus, Ward 8; James H. Avery, Ward 9; Robert A. Buckley, Ward 9; William L. Roberts, Ward 9; Alfred Kaiser, Ward 12; Carl J. Frenning, Ward 14; U. Scott, Lawrence, Ward 14; Bernard L. Luppold, Ward 14; Julius Kreidel, Ward 15; Carl E. Bond, Ward 16; William Whynot, Ward 16; Dennis J. Bergin, Ward 17; Albert Levis, Ward 17; James J. Crowley, Ward 18; Martin Kelly, Ward 18; Sam Winkler, Ward 19; Charles N. Sisson, Ward 20; Edwin L. Thurston, Ward 20; Thomas A. Beattie, Ward 21; W. Spencer Hutchinson, Ward 21; Albert C. Johnson, Ward 21; John B. Dolan, Ward 22; Frederick A. Freeman, Ward 24; Harold C. Turner, Ward 24; Frederick H. Souther, Ward 25.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fifth Session, to appear October 6, 1924:

Michael F. Kane, Ward 2; Richard Copithorn, Jr., Ward 3; William H. Bruce, Ward 4; William E. Holland, Ward 6; Norton J. Dodge, Ward 7; Jefferson D. Johnson, Ward 7; William Locklin, Ward 7; Eli D. McLaughlin, Ward 7; Alfred L. Sullivan, Ward 7; George E. Wiggins, Ward 7; Frank A. Willhauck, Ward 7; James A. Burgess, Ward 8; Edward C. Daley, Ward 12; Frank H. Harrison, Ward 12; Dennis J. McKenney, Ward 12; Joseph E. McAllister, Ward 13; George P. Webster, Ward 13; Charles O. Peterson, Ward 14; John F. Sullivan, Ward 14; Clarence L. Brown, Ward 15; Walter B. Frey, Ward 17; Benjamin Edwards, Ward 17; Frederick J. Hogan, Ward 18; Frank J. McNamany, Ward 18; Timothy A. O'Neill, Ward 20; Daniel G. White, Ward 20; Frank M. Glynn, Ward 21; Charles J. Lamb, Ward 21; Thomas F. McDonald, Ward 21; Arthur F. McIntosh, Ward 21; Charles L. Parker, Ward 21; Frank R. Phillips, Ward 21; Frederick C. Rau, Ward 21; Louis C. Ayers, Ward 22; Clarence E. Holcomb, Ward 22; Arthur W. Mayer, Ward 22; Joseph Lipp, Ward 23; Herman D. Skinner, Ward 23; John R. Bond, Ward 24; Allan T. Calpin, Ward 26.

Twenty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, First Session, October Sitting, to appear October 6, 1924:

Nathan Deutsch, Ward 1; Harry B. Walker, Ward 1; Walter B. Dennis, Ward 3; Elmer Smith Bailey, Ward 5; Frank H. Connaughton, Ward 6; William P. Bebeau, Ward 7; Alfred McQueenen, Ward 7; John W. Cussen, Ward 10; Hans C. Hansen, Ward 10; Richard F. Dunn, Ward 12; James F. Kiley, Ward 12; George M. Powell, Ward 12; George P. Campbell, Ward 13; William A. Hazelboom, Ward 13; Edward A. Schell, Ward 15; I. Oscar Williams, Ward 16; Hector J. Paden, Ward 18; John J. O'Brien, Ward 19; Thomas J. Fitzgerald, Ward 20; John E. Ringborg, Ward 20; Albert E. Silver, Ward 20; Henry E. Weston, Ward 21; John W. Barnes, Ward 22; Joseph G. Flynn, Ward 23; Charles F. Henner, Ward 23; Gustaf A. Peterson, Ward 23; Frederick W. Robinson, Ward 23; Walter F. Stevens, Ward 23.

Thirty-one traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Second Session, October Sitting, to appear October 6, 1924:

William Donnelly, Ward 2; Robert L. Walden, Ward 3; Filippo DeCicco, Ward 5; Frank L. Roberts, Ward 7; Alvin M. Allen, Ward 8; Albert H. Caverly, Ward 8; William A. Boyle, Ward 9; George L. Donaher, Ward 9; John J. Mitchell, Ward 12; Daniel J. Murphy, Ward 12; William P. Blair, Ward 13; Frederick H. Merrill, Ward 13; Nicholas J. Nally, Ward 13; Harry J. Burkett, Ward 14; William J. Jacobs, Ward 15; Arthur W. Priest, Ward 20; Joseph P. Eccleston, Ward 21; Gustave Lundall, Ward 21; Michael L. Morse, Ward 21; Jeremiah F. Coughlin, Jr., Ward 22; Henry J. Fandel, Ward 22; Robert G. Harzbecker, Ward 22; Henry R. Wirth, Ward 22; Andrew Burns, Ward 23; John M. Mornin, Ward 23; George Parkin, Ward 23; Eugene W. Rollins, Ward 23; William A. Gove, Ward 25; John A. Herzig, Ward 25; Harry G. Russell, Ward 26; Ervin H. Stevens, Ward 26.

Thirty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Third Session, October Sitting, to appear October 6, 1924:

Louis D. Cohen, Ward 2; William L. Penney, Ward 2; William H. Toomey, Ward 3; William H. Green, Ward 4; Robert P. Bellows, Ward 5; Frank I. Stanger, Ward 5; Edward F. McLaughlin, Ward 6; James H. Murtha, Ward 6; Felix Alland, Ward 7; George F. Slamin, Ward 7; Thomas W. Greenall, Ward 8; Frank H. Tenney, Ward 8; Arthur Winslow, Ward 8; Chester J. Davis, Ward 9; Frank W. Doyle, Ward 9; Patrick E. Murphy, Ward 9; William J. Saunders, Ward 9; John Coppinger, Ward 11; William C. McCarthy, Ward 11; Robert M. Stephenson, Ward 11; Philip Shief, Ward 12; John H. Schultz, Ward 14; John G. Clarke, Ward 17; Roy H. Hetherington, Ward 18; James H. Collins, Ward 20; Emil Lewitus, Ward 21; John F. Bemis, Ward 23; Charles J. Curtaz, Ward 23; George W. Deroo, Ward 23; Carl M. Eldridge, Ward 23; Thomas F. Welch, Ward 23; Edward W. Moore, Ward 25; Fred W. Spalding, Ward 25; L. Goldthwait Smith, Ward 26.

Thirty-one traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fourth Session, October Sitting, to appear October 6, 1924:

John F. Trainor, Ward 4; George Arthur Bisnaw, Ward 5; Waldo E. McGarry, Ward 7; Louis V. Norcross, Ward 7; Carleton S. Gifford, Ward 8; Albert K. Sidlinger, Ward 8; Charles H. Whitney, Ward 8; Thomas S. Woods, Ward 8; John J. McCarthy, Ward 10; J. Carlton Nichols, Ward 10; William J. Walsh, Ward 11; Louis Frediani, Ward 12; John P. Martin, Ward 12; George B. Peacock, Ward 12; Edward F. Waldschmidt, Ward 15; George F. Beeman, Ward 16; Arthur W. Dixon, Ward 16; Horace C. Stuart, Ward 17; John J. Fitzgerald, Ward 18; Joseph S. Tuck, Ward 18; John J. Fitzgerald, Ward 19; David P. Goodine, Ward 19; Charles F. Stone, Ward 20; Timothy Lynch, Ward 21; Nathan R. Wallace, Ward 21; Frederick G. Stevens, Ward 22; Arthur G. Chisholm, Ward 23; Philip J. McEntee, Ward 23; Joseph Untz, Ward 24; Thomas J. Greene, Ward 25; Dennis F. Sweeney, Ward 26.

Thirty-six traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fifth Session, October Sitting, to appear October 6, 1924:

Albert J. Davis, Ward 1; Stephen H. Gagnon, Ward 1; George W. Reese, Jr., Ward 2; Thomas F. Flaherty, Ward 3; William J. Martin, Ward 3; Robert B. Henry, Ward 4; Ralph A. W. Smith, Ward 4; Edward A. Colgan, Ward 5; Edward J. Harrington, Ward 5; John Kiernan, Ward 7; William R. Wheeler, Jr., Ward 7; Joseph Ascher, Ward 8; Frank G. Emev, Ward 8; John A. O'Neill, Ward 8; William H. Phillips, Ward 10; Willis W. Scott, Ward 13; Charles L. Seiforth, Ward 13; Albert J. Smith, Ward 13; Herman L. Hunt, Ward 14; Aloysius J. Ochs, Ward 14; Victor H. Johns, Ward 15; Thomas E. Moran, Ward 15; William J. Carr, Ward 17; David J. Murphy, Ward 17; Louis Sisewine, Ward 18; William M. Fillebrown, Ward 20; Esidor Siegel, Ward 20; Frederick R. Freethey, Ward 21; Hyman Goldstein, Ward 21; William C. Huddleston, Ward 21; Charles H. Danforth, Ward 22; Werner E. Klein, Ward 22; James F. Finley, Ward 23; Percy L. Hutchinson, Ward 24; Edward J. Lynch, Ward 24; Frank A. Gibson, Ward 21.

Thirty-five traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Sixth Session, to appear October 6, 1924.

Andrew McCormack, Ward 1; Thomas Burke, Ward 3; James Connor, Ward 6; Jeremiah Foley, Ward 6; Julius Kolodny, Ward 6; Louis Marks, Ward 6; Jacob Wassercug, Ward 6; Walter J. Stokinger, Ward 7; Charles S. Crowell, Ward 8; William L. Shearer, Jr., Ward 8; George H. Lawless, Ward 9; Joseph V. McGuire, Ward 10; Leo E. Fortin, Ward 11; Warren L. Baldwin, Ward 13; Alvin E. Fredericks, Ward 13; John J. Rourke, Ward 14; Frank T. Menz, Ward 15; Hyman Brown, Ward 16; Lucian L. Groves, Ward 17; Robert L. Johnson, Ward 17; Giles B. Powell, Ward 17; Arthur Billcliff, Ward 18; James McLean, Ward 18; Edward Burton Rideout, Ward 18; Arthur A. Wells, Ward 20; William R. Claffin, Ward 21; J. Earl Phinney, Ward 21; Philip Romm, Ward 21; John J. Ryan, Ward 22; William F. Glennon, Ward 24; Thomas H. Nestor, Ward 24; Herman A. Seibert, Ward 24; Frederick W. Mahony, Ward 25; John T. Conlon, Ward 26; Max L. Heeger, Ward 26.

Thirty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Seventh Session, to appear October 6, 1924.

Robert J. Gillespie, Ward 1; Charles B. McMakin, Ward 3; Michael J. Gilfoyle, Ward 4; George H. A. McDevitt, Ward 4; Edward Harding, Ward 6; Louis Levine, Ward 6; William C. Pierson, Ward 6; Martin J. Ryan, Ward 6; Thomas C. Splane, Ward 7; Samuel C. Adams, Ward 8; William L. Mahoney, Ward 10; John Malinoniz, Ward 10; John R. Novak, Ward 10; Frank A. Murphy, Ward 11; Thomas F. Dooley, Ward 12; William H. Gordon, Ward 12; William E. Browne, Ward 13; Daniel F. Lane, Ward 13; Jeremiah Lynch, Ward 13; Granville L. Stewart, Ward 13; Henry J. Kirchgassner, Ward 14; Joseph J. MacGillvray, Ward 14; Herbert S. Frost, Ward 17; John H. Sharpe, Ward 17; Gustavus A. Norton, Jr., Ward 19; Lewis A. Carver, Ward 20; Abraham C. Coleman, Ward 21; Benjamin F. Harris, Ward 21; George C. Knowlton, Ward 23; Edward F. McNally, Ward 23; James H. Reid, Ward 23; Warren J. Davenport, Ward 24; Daniel H. Brennan, Ward 25; George E. Dennett, Ward 25.

CONVEYANCE OF LAND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, August 28, 1924.

To the Honorable the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I present for your favorable consideration the accompanying order for the conveyance of a parcel of land containing thirty-one square feet which was formerly a part of East street, a public highway in the City of Boston. Said land was conveyed by deed to the City of Boston by Thomas W. Phillips *et al.*, dated November 19, 1852, and recorded with Suffolk Registry of Deeds, Lib. 640, page 82, and was conveyed in fee, but upon the condition that the said land should be used for highway purposes.

In October, 1919, by order of the Board of Street Commissioners, East street was discontinued over the land described in the accompanying order. The owner of the adjoining premises, being of the opinion that the discontinuance of East street vested title in him, erected a building on the lot adjoining East street and on the land described in the accompanying order.

As I am advised by the Law Department that the city cannot use this land for any purpose except street purposes, and as the owners of the adjoining land have erected the building in good faith, under a mistake of fact, and as the land upon which the building stands is assessed for \$25 per foot and the contents of the lot proposed to convey is thirty-one feet, I therefore recommend for your favorable consideration the accompanying order, as the amount to be paid is a reasonable and just sum for the city to receive under all the circumstances.

Yours very truly,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

CITY OF BOSTON.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor in the name and behalf of the city be and he is hereby authorized to convey by an instrument satisfactory to the Law Department to Max Forman of Boston, upon the receipt of the sum of six hundred dollars, the following described parcel of land:

A certain parcel of land with a portion of the building numbered 20 to 24 on East street thereon situated in said Boston and bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by the northeasterly line of said East street as it existed previous to a discontinuance of a portion of said East street by the City of Boston, dated November 12, 1919, and recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4182, page 375, fifty-nine and 92-100 feet;

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of said East street as it now exists, fifty-nine and 96-100 feet; and

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of said East street as it existed previous to said discontinuance, one and 5-100 feet;

Containing thirty-one square feet of land, all as shown on a plan showing a discontinuance in

East street, Boston proper, between South street and Atlantic avenue, City of Boston, East street, Boston proper, dated October 18, 1919, by F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department, being street plan filed as No. 1135 with said deeds.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Auto Spring Protector Company, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Anthony Avena, for compensation for damage to property at 5 Emmons street, East Boston, caused by overflow of sewer.

Beach Street Trust, for compensation for damage to property at South Postal Station, Atlantic avenue and Beach street, caused by break in water main.

Mrs. Rose Bernhardt, for compensation for damage to property at 193 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Annetta Bini and John B. Valli, for compensation for damage to property at 303 Norfolk avenue, caused by defective sewer.

Joseph Bracht, for compensation for damage to property at 25 Gove street, caused by overflow of sewer.

Charles Burns, for compensation for damage to property at 21 Bennington street, caused by defective water pipe.

William M. Butler, for compensation for injuries caused by fall in Municipal Building, Columbia road and Bird street.

Hyman Cohen, for compensation for injuries received on East Boston Ferry.

Mrs. Annie Dean, for compensation for damage to property at 188 London street, caused by defective water pipe.

Walter W. Devlin, for compensation for injuries caused by horse belonging to city.

Mrs. P. J. Dowling, for compensation for damage to property at 72 Garden street, Brighton, caused by backing up of sewer.

Patrick Durante, for compensation for damage to property at 187 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Gertrude Franklin, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Decatur street.

William M. Franklin Company, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Elfreda A. Fraser, for compensation for injuries caused by City Hospital ambulance.

Elizabeth Garabee, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 53 Vernon street.

Evelyn M. Gillespie, for compensation for damage to clothing at Boston City Hospital, caused by leak in closet.

Katherine A. Griffin, for refund for overpayment of tax on realty.

Ermino and Carmela Guaciariello, for compensation for damage to property at 131 Endicott street, caused by defective sewage.

Norman P. Hall, for compensation for damage to automobile on East Boston Ferry.

B. F. Himmel, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Leo W. Hopkins, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Pembroke street.

George J. Lilly, for compensation for damage to automobile on Washington street, caused by city team.

Ellen Liggett, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 28 Hanover street.

Alice M. McCabe, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Western avenue, Allston.

John J. McCarthy Company, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by motor cycle officer.

Eleanor McDonald, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 126 Smith street.

William E. McNulty, for compensation for damage to property at 3866 Washington street caused by leak in water pipe.

John Moses, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 41 and 43 Hudson street.

Loretta T. Mulcaby, for compensation for damage to property at 185 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Mrs. Elizabeth Murphy, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in Blackstone and North streets.

Mrs. Hattie I. Nettles, for compensation for damage to property at 50 Greenbrier street, caused by defective catch-basin.

Mrs. Carmela Nuzzalo, for compensation for damage to property at 13 Emmons street, caused by overflow of sewer.

Wallace J. Polk, for compensation for damage to property at 57 Gainsborough street, caused by overflow of sewer.

Charles Raffelt, for compensation for damage to automobile in front of 231 Main street, Charlestown, by city team.

William A. Reidt, for compensation for damage to property at 40A Hanover street, caused by an alleged defect in Hanover street.

George F. Reynolds, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Endicott and North Margin streets.

Mrs. Celia Rubenstein, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 19 Allen street.

Samuel Sacovitz, for compensation for injuries caused by patrol wagon.

Mrs. Clarence E. Shard, for compensation for damage to clothing at 197 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Michael J. Shea, for compensation for damage to property at 172 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Louis Shenkel, for compensation for damage to automobile on LaGrange street, caused by patrol wagon.

Annie Sissons, for compensation for damage to property at 187 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Sterling Dairy Ice Cream Company, for compensation for damage to property at 166 and 168 London street, caused by broken water pipe.

Joseph Strogoff, for compensation for damage to automobile at Dorchester avenue and Alger street, caused by city team.

Margaret Wallace, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Silver street, South Boston.

Mary Walsh, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Silver street, South Boston.

James White, for compensation for damage to property at 7 Emmons street, caused by overflow of sewage.

William A. White, M. D., for compensation for damage to automobile at Washington and Cornwell street, caused by police patrol.

CONFIRMATION OF TRUSTEE, BOSTON SANATORIUM.

Notice was received from the Commissioners of Civil Service approving the appointment of Isabel F. Hyams as trustee of the Boston Sanatorium.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF SECOND ASSISTANT ASSESSORS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Assessing Department,
September 11, 1924.

James Donovan, Esq., City Clerk.

Dear Sir,—This is to notify you that the Board of Assessors at a meeting held September 10, 1924, voted to appoint the following named to the positions of permanent second assistant assessors in this department, effective September 10, 1924:

John A. Reagan, George O. Wood, Walter J. Hope, John F. Murphy. The salaries will be \$1,300 per annum.

The above appointments were approved on September 11, 1924.

Respectfully,
BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEAL J. HOLLAND,
Acting Secretary.

Placed on file.

HEARINGS ON STORAGE AND SALE OF GASOLINE.

Notice was received from the Street Laying-Out Department that hearings on storage and sale of gasoline would be heard on September 29, as follows:

George F. Carlin, 919-925 Saratoga street (1), 3,000 gallons.

M. A. Berman, 995 Blue Hill avenue (21), 1,500 gallons.

Fred W. Cullen, 972 Saratoga street (1), 1,000 gallons.

Phillip Levine *et al.*, 1395-1401 Columbus avenue (15), 1,500 gallons.

Emma E. McAdams, 215 Condor street (10), 1,000 gallons.

Metropolitan Filling Station, Inc., 191 Bowdoin street (18), 5,000 gallons.

Edward F. Welsh, 4540-4542 Washington street (23), 1,000 gallons.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF LIGHTING CONTRACT.

Notice was received from the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston, under date of September 16, 1924, that the company terminates its existing agreement with the city for street lighting at the expiration of the contract, December 7, 1924, but is prepared to continue its street lighting service at its regular rates as filed with the Department of Public Utilities.

Placed on file.

MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC LIGHTING PLANT.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor consider the establishing of a

municipal electric lighting plant in Charlestown, a district of the City of Boston, now being served electricity by the Charlestown Gas and Electric Light Company; and that he submit to the Council all data he can secure bearing on the lighting situation in Charlestown.

Passed.

HEARING ON ISSUE OF ADDITIONAL EDISON STOCK.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities that a hearing would be held on October 7, at 10.30 a. m., regarding issue of additional capital stock of Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROVAL OF PAY ROLL.

Notice was received from William T. A. Fitzgerald, Register of Deeds, stating that work had been performed in his department to the amount of \$10,378.25, from August 18 to September 13, 1924.

Approved.

COUNTY EXPENSES APPROVED.

A voucher for the salary of John F. Sullivan, court officer of the Chelsea District Court, for the month of September, amounting to \$166.66, was received and approved.

A voucher for the expense, amounting to \$30, of Justice William F. Bacon, sitting as justice for the Appellate Division in the County of Suffolk, was received and approved.

A voucher for the expense, amounting to \$18.63, of Justice James W. McDonald, sitting as justice for the Appellate Division in the County of Suffolk, was received and approved.

LAYING OUT STREETS.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested to accept and lay out as public streets

Cottage street, Ward 11.

Chelmsford street, Ward 20.

Heathcote street, Ward 23.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

COLUMBIA ROAD RESTRICTIONS.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston as follows:

Chapter five of the Ordinances of 1922, as amended by chapters two, eight and twelve of the Ordinances of 1923, and chapter five of the Ordinances of 1924, is hereby further amended in section one by inserting after the words "Summer street" in the twelfth line of said section, the words "to Dorchester avenue, and from Buttonwood street to Marine Park."

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

PROPOSED CONTRACT WITH EDISON COMPANY.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to furnish the Council with copies of all data that he and any head of department has, or may have, relative to the contemplated contract that the City of Boston may enter into with Edison Electric Illuminating Company for the lighting of the city streets and alleys.

The rule was suspended, on motion of Coun. WATSON, and the question came on the passage of the order.

Coun. WATSON.—Mr. President, I do not intend to take up any considerable amount of the time of the Council today on the order which has just been read or the other order which was passed, but merely to make a slight reference to the matter. I am informed by a large user of electricity for power purposes in Boston that the Edison Company has increased the rates for electricity within a very short time to the fairly small consumer and to those who may be called the average users of electricity for power. I don't know that I ought to expose for the benefit of the Edison Company the information I have at this time, but it is sufficient to say that they have entered into a contract, or are about to enter into a contract, with the City of Boston for the furnishing of electricity for power purposes for the pumping station at Calf Pasture. They are expending approximately \$25,000 for conduits, wires and paraphernalia, in order to supply the pumping plant with electricity for power purposes, and the price given to the city is so low if the Edison Company were obliged to operate the whole proposition on the price paid in by the City of Boston for the juice for the pumping station, it could exist but a very few weeks. They are selling electricity below the cost of manufacture

plus the cost of installation. The reason for that is, Mr. President, that they were fearful that the powers that be in Boston—the Commissioner of Public Works, for one,—might decide to establish at Calf Pasture an electric plant and take care of the Calf Pasture from their own plant, and in order not to have the high cost they charge and the terrific profit they get from the sale of their commodity exposed to the public, they go in there at a price that the city could not meet or that a public plant established there could not run on and make both ends meet. But that is not the whole story. The rest of it is this. As soon as they sell juice to the large consumers for power purposes at an abnormally low price, they have to make that up somewhere else, and they do it in this way,—by increasing the cost to the consumers in the territory they serve other than the territory at Calf Pasture. They will not increase the price to the large users, because those who use large volumes of electricity have under consideration the installation of plants in their own buildings where they will generate and manufacture their own juice at a price much less than the Edison might charge them and make the profit it hopes to make. Take, for instance, any merchant on Tremont street or any small manufacturer in a building, who is using electricity for elevator purposes or for lighting in the daytime or for power purposes during the time of day when the consumption is the lowest, they will sell electricity to such a concern at a profitable price, which will still be very low, because anybody who knows anything about the manufacture of electricity knows that in order to sell electricity for the entire territory at night they have to carry the same capacity during the day. If they did not sell that juice at that time, there would simply be a waste, so they can sell it for power purposes in the daytime, or for other purposes in the daytime, at a very low price. I know whereof I speak. I can give you the names of fifty big concerns in Boston that get electricity for power purposes at such a time and get it at a low price, while the price of electricity at other times has been jumped. Of course, I do not refer to the newspapers, because I know the different newspapers get their juice at a price at which, if they were the only consumers, the Edison Company could not make both ends meet. But that is their business, and they can make it up on the small consumers. I know very well that I have taken my political future and hopes in my hands and am taking quite a chance when I attack the Edison Company. I have had a little experience with them in the past few weeks, showing their tremendous power in politics. But they have not silenced me yet, and with the help of the Council, which I know will back me up in every move I make to compel the Edison Company to treat the people of Boston fairly, I feel confident that we can do something. They may own the Legislature, but I can say without fear of contradiction that they do not own the City Council of Boston. We have one more year in the City Council, the nine members here, and I think I can promise for my associates that the Edison Company will have a very interesting time with the City Council of Boston and in all probability with the Mayor. I know that we in the Council here are on all fours, as far as our attitude towards the Edison Company is concerned, in our endeavor to do the fair thing by the consumers of Boston and to compel the Edison Company to treat the public fairly.

The order was passed.

COMMUNICATION FROM FINANCE COMMISSION.

The following was received:

Boston Finance Commission,
410-416 Tremont Building,
September 16, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council.

Gentlemen,—Recent investigations by the Finance Commission have revealed a situation in connection with the improvement of Columbus Park, South Boston, more serious than anything which has come to its attention for some years.

Bids were opened for this park improvement on June 14, 1922, the lowest bidder being the John McCourt Company and a higher bidder being J. C. Coleman & Sons Company. The bids were rejected. New bids were then asked for and this time the Coleman Company was the lowest bidder, its second bid being \$138,950 lower than its former bid. The contract was awarded to this company.

The contract provided that all materials furnished, except sand, should be measured after being put in place, leveled and rolled. The Park Department had not measured the materials as provided in the contract up to the beginning of the investigation by the Finance Commission. The Finance Commission has had the materials measured as provided in the contract. The report shows that the city has paid for materials which cannot be found in place in the park to the extent of \$294,000.

Subsequent to the beginning of this investigation by the Finance Commission, the Park Department engaged Harry W. Rowley, an independent engineer, to secure the necessary data for computing the amount of material put in the park. On the data obtained by Mr. Rowley the Finance Commission bases its computation.

After the investigation by the Finance Commission had begun, the contract between the city and the contractor was amended in an attempt

to legalize the over-payments already made to the contractor. This amendment was made after a conference between the Park Commissioners and Hon. John M. Sullivan, representing the contractor. The city was not represented by counsel, nor did the Law Department pass upon the amendment. The amended contract was approved by his Honor the Mayor.

The work under the four items of this contract which are the subject of this report included the building of a road, known as the Beach road, which extends from that part of Columbia road east of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad tracks along the newly made waterfront to a point on Columbia road about opposite G street; covering the beach to the east of this road with sand; and filling to a certain grade the area to the west of this road with earth, or gravel, and loam. The earth or gravel was to be free from organic materials and satisfactory to the engineer. It was estimated that it would take to complete the job 96,000 cubic yards of earth filling, 75,000 cubic yards of loam and 44,000 cubic yards of sand.

The contract provided that the earth or gravel filling and the loam should be measured after it was put in place, leveled off, and thoroughly compacted by rolling with horse and steam rollers, and in case the material was too dry to be properly rolled, it should be moistened before rolling. Under the terms of the contract the sand furnished was to be measured in the carts or scoops when delivered. Monthly payments were to be made to the contractor for the work done on estimates made by the engineer of the Park Department. The work was to be completed by July 1, 1923.

The contractor was to receive 70 cents per cubic yard for earth and gravel filling, \$1.50 per cubic yard for sand, and \$1.90 for loam.

When the work began, the contractor, without protest from the Park Department, posted on the premises an invitation to the public to dump refuse material in the park. As a result of this invitation, tin cans, barrels, broken furniture, scrap iron, old automobile tires, old mattresses, bed springs, bed frames, and other discarded articles were deposited in the park. All of these items, of course, were contrary to the specifications, but were allowed to remain there by the engineers and inspectors of the Park Department.

During the first nine months of the contract the city paid the contractor for all the sand estimated in the contract; also for 19,000 cubic yards more than that estimated in the contract for "Filling for Roadway," and for 47,000 cubic yards more than that estimated in the contract for earth filling; yet no steps were taken at that time by the Park Department to measure the amount of materials the contractor had actually put in place in the park, nor had any authority been given to the contractor to exceed his contract in the sum of \$46,200. No statement in writing was ever rendered by the contractor to the Park Department of the amount of material he claimed to have put in place. All payments were made on oral claims of the contractor and on data which the Park Department claimed to have.

In July, 1923, the contractor, claiming to have exceeded his contract by over \$125,000, the contract was amended and received the approval of the Mayor, authorizing the contractor to furnish 100,000 cubic yards of additional filling which was 10,000 cubic yards more than double the original estimate, 30,000 cubic yards of additional filling for the roadway, which was five times the original estimate, and 15,000 additional cubic yards of loam, which was an addition of one fifth of the original estimate. This added \$119,500 to the contract. Nearly one half of this additional amount had been paid to the contractor without legal authority before the amendment to the contract was made.

These additions to the contract were made by the Park Department with the approval of the Mayor, although the actual amount of material already furnished had not been measured, as provided in the contract.

Again, in May, 1924, the contractor claimed to have furnished more material than his contract as amended authorized. The Park Commissioners and the Mayor granted another amendment to the contract, so as to legalize a further payment to the contractor of \$59,100, but no steps were taken even then to measure, as provided in the contract, the amount of loam or earth filling that the contractor had already furnished.

When the chairman of the Park Commission approved a payment to the contractor under this last amendment, the Finance Commission requested the Park Department to furnish it with the measurements of materials in place upon which payment to the contractor had been made under the terms of the contract. The Park Department had made no such measurements and had no figures on which to base payments, but proceeded to have such measurements made by Harry W. Rowley, an engineer not connected with any department of the city. About two months later, on July 29, 1924, these measurements were received by the Finance Commission and computed by its consulting engineer, who found that there were actually in place in Columbus Park, 130,128 cubic yards of earth and roadway filling (Items 2 and 3 of the contract), instead of 260,000 cubic yards for which the contractor had already been paid; 16,740 cubic yards of sand, instead of 45,459 cubic yards for which the contractor had been paid; and 7,168 cubic yards of loam, instead

of 91,500 cubic yards for which the contractor had been paid. In addition to the data furnished by Engineer Rowley, the Finance Commission caused test holes to be dug in the loamed area and the actual depth of the loam determined. The report of Engineer Rowley is in substantial agreement with the conclusions of the consulting engineer of the Finance Commission, as above set out, except as to the volume of the loam. As to Engineer Rowley's estimate of the volume of loam which he found, namely, 34,400 cubic yards, he testified that he did not make any borings to find the depth of the loam. He assumed that the specifications had been complied with. He admitted that he could not tell where the loam stopped and where the filling began, because he had not dug any test holes.

The contract made between the City of Boston and J. C. Coleman & Sons Company for this work contained a provision that the materials, except sand, should be measured after they had been put in place, leveled and rolled. Similar provisions were contained in contracts made in the past. For example, this method of measuring was used when Marine Park was built, almost adjacent to Columbus Park and quite as large. It was the method used in the shore filling all along South Boston, including that under Columbia road. It was the method used when Columbus Park was filled from low water flats by the New York State Dredging Company in 1910-18, the first work on the present Columbus Park, then known as the Strandway or shore of old Harbor. It is the best method of protecting the interests of the city in work of this kind.

Under the terms of the amendment to the contract granted by the Park Commissioners and approved by his Honor the Mayor on August 7, 1924, the filling and loam furnished by the contractor are to be measured by the cart or truck load, instead of being measured in place after being leveled and rolled, as provided in the contract.

The discrepancy between the amount of material that the contractor and the city inspectors said was placed in the park, and the amount that was found there by actual measurement by an engineer selected by the Park Department, is so gross that every opportunity was given the contractor to explain. Accordingly he was requested to furnish the Finance Commission with the sources from which he received the material that he claimed to have placed in Columbus Park. The definite sources of supply disclosed to the commission by the contractor were investigated. In every instance the contractor overstated the amount substantially, in some instances giving twice the quantity that he had actually received, and in two instances three times the quantity that he had actually received. On the other hand, these sources checked up approximately with the amount that the engineers of the Finance Commission and Engineer Rowley determined by measurements under the provisions of the contract was actually in place in the park.

As to the explanation given by the contractor why the amount of material that has been paid for by the city cannot be found in the park and incurred in by Commissioners Shea and Lewis, of the Park Department, namely, that the ground has settled and cracked and that much of the material was washed away by the rain and disappeared in the cracks, or was used up in the settlement that has taken place in the last two years, it is sufficient answer to say that the levels of the ground taken before the work began two years ago by the engineer of the Park Department, and again last June by an engineer employed by the Park Department, Mr. Rowley, shows practically no settlement, or so little as to be negligible. See, also, Mr. Gow's report, attached hereto. Such settlement as there was would not make a difference of 5,000 cubic yards at the most. The contention is absurd upon the face of it. The area upon which filling was actually placed by the contractor measures approximately 422,000 square feet, roughly nine acres. The filling actually put in place on this area, if spread to uniform depth, would raise the area 8 feet and 4 inches. The contractor, however, was paid for enough filling to raise this area 16 feet 8 inches. The area upon which loam was actually placed is approximately 330,000 square feet, or about seven acres. The loam actually put in place, spread uniformly, would cover this area to a depth of 7 inches. The contractor has been paid for loam enough to cover the same area, if spread uniformly, to a depth of 2 feet 8 inches. To contend seriously that a fill of nine acres would settle 8 feet and 4 inches in two years, or that a fill covered with loam would settle 2 feet and 1 inch in two years is too absurd for consideration.

The case was serious enough up to August 7, with an unwarranted payment of \$294,000 made to this contractor, but when on that date the Park Department and the Mayor of the city changed the contract so that the contractor would be paid for material which the engineers cannot find, (to the extent of \$294,000 over the past two years, and further authorized the contractor to deliver material under a method whereby the city is allowed only 10 per cent for shrinkage, when according to the statement of their own engineer, a shrinkage of about 45 per cent may be expected, a situation is reached that is without parallel in the history of the city in the matter of squandering public funds.

The city charter only empowers the Finance Commission to investigate and make public the

facts. This it has done. Action should now be taken by a taxpayers' committee in the courts to prevent further waste of the city's money and to have the amendment to this contract made on August 7 declared void. The money paid to the contractor in excess of his performance of the contract should be recovered by the proper authorities. The report of the consulting engineer with its exhibits is hereto annexed.

Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN, Chairman,
CHARLES L. CARR,
COURTENAY GUILD,
JOHN F. MOORS,
JOSEPH A. SHEEHAN,
THE FINANCE COMMISSION.

(Annexed was the report referred to.)
Referred to the Executive Committee.

CHANGE OF ROUTE IN JITNEY LICENSE.

Coun. PURCELL offered an order—That the Boston Elevated Railway Company be requested to file a petition for a change of route in the jitney license granted by the City Council August 28, 1924, so that the buses will run only on Centre street from Belgrade avenue to Eliot street.

Coun. PURCELL moved a suspension of the rule, that the order might be put upon its passage.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I would like to know the reason for the introduction of the order.

Coun. PURCELL—The reason is that the route may be changed from Eliot street, which is a very, very narrow street, to Centre street. Centre street is a main, wide thoroughfare. Eliot street has a small school, attended by very small children, and the residents of the district are objecting very much to these buses running up and down Eliot street. It seems hardly right for them to run through there. It is a side street and, as I have said, Centre street is a main thoroughfare and a proper place for a bus line. I know if it were proposed to put a line of car tracks in, Eliot street would never be considered, but they would be put through Centre street, and I think the proper thing is to shift this route back to Centre street.

The order was passed under suspension of the rule.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

President DONOGHUE called up No. 1, under unfinished business, viz:

1. Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor September 8, 1924, of Samuel H. Cox, Maurice P. Flax, Charles A. McCarthy, James F. Pierce, Joseph Pingaro and Frank Skinner, to be Constables.

The question came on confirmation. Committee, Councilors Watson and Lane. Whole number of ballots, 7; yeas 7, and the appointments were confirmed.

TRANSFER TO BILLINGS FIELD APPROPRIATION.

President DONOGHUE called up No. 2 on the calendar, under unfinished business, viz:

2. Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Park, Washington, Poplar, Ashland and South streets, Roslindale, \$1,484.41, to the appropriation for playground purposes, Billings Field, \$1,486.41.

On September 8, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The order was given its second and final reading and passage, yeas 6, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—6.

Nays—0.

IMPROVEMENTS FOR WILLIAM H. GARVEY PLAYGROUND.

President DONOGHUE called up No. 3 on the calendar, under unfinished business, viz:

3. Ordered, That the sum of \$31,000 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Park Commissioners for William H. Garvey Playground improvements, and that to meet said appropriation the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue, from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

On September 8, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The order was given its second and final reading and passage, yeas 6, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Healey, Lane, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—6.

Nays—0.

LEASE TO ATLANTIC AVENUE LAND.

President DONOGHUE called up No. 4, under unfinished business, viz:

4. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and hereby is authorized to execute and deliver for and

in behalf of the City of Boston a lease running from said City of Boston to Henry E. Rothfield of Newton, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and Henry B. Day, of said Newton, trustees of the Middlesex Trust, of a certain parcel of land situated on Atlantic avenue, Boston, in said Commonwealth, being a portion of the premises now used by the City of Boston as a dumping station for garbage, at an annual rental the equivalent in amount to 5 per cent of the total valuation of the land so leased, appraised at \$10 per square foot, for such period as the adjoining premises now used by the said City of Boston as a dumping station for garbage shall continue to be so used by the said City of Boston, but the term of said lease is in no case to exceed twenty years.

Said leased premises are to consist of so much of the land fronting on Atlantic avenue and to a depth of not more than twenty feet therefrom as is not now needed by the said City of Boston for public or municipal purposes, the said trustees to have the right to build upon the leased premises a structure or building of one or more stories in height.

The aforesaid Middlesex Trust is to agree to pay taxes on the land and buildings to be erected thereon to the City of Boston at the current rates during the period of said lease and that the buildings erected thereon by the Middlesex Trust, or any other person holding under them, shall at the expiration or termination of said lease become the property of the City of Boston aforesaid.

The said lease is to contain such other restrictions and limitations, including a right of passage over and across the said leased premises from and to Atlantic avenue, as is satisfactory to the Law Department of the City of Boston, and the said lease is to be in such form as is satisfactory to said Law Department.

On August 4, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

In connection with No. 4 on the calendar, the following has also been received:

September 11, 1924.

To the City Council:

The trustees of the Middlesex Trust and the Harbor Trust agree that the following clause shall be inserted in the proposed lease of the premises on Atlantic avenue:

"The said lease is to be made upon the provision that the lessee or its successors or assigns shall within a period of eighteen months after the execution of the said lease erect upon the said premises a two or three story office and store building, and the said lease shall contain the further provision that if the Middlesex Trust or Harbor Trust fail to erect on the premises numbered 470 Atlantic avenue, in said City of Boston, a thirteen-story manufacturing and office building within a period of eighteen months after the execution of the lease of said premises, then said lease shall forthwith terminate."

HENRY E. BOTHFIELD,
Trustee of Middlesex Trust.
MILTON C. BURTON,
Trustee of Harbor Trust.

September 11, 1924.

Then personally appeared the above-named Henry E. Bothfield, trustee of Middlesex Trust and Milton C. Burton, trustee of Harbor Trust, and acknowledged foregoing instrument to be their free act and deed.

Before me,

HOWARD NORTON,
Notary Public.

The question came on the second and final reading and a passage of the order.

Coun. HEALEY.—Mr. President, I suppose perhaps the order might be so amended as to include that agreement, but perhaps that would not be quite proper. I suppose the Council could go on record as in favor of the order, with the understanding that the agreement will be accepted by the Mayor and the said trustees.

The order was rejected, yeas 3, nays 3:

Yeas—Coun. Healey, Lane, Watson—3.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh—3.

Coun. WATSON.—Mr. President, I think that Coun. Moriarty has an interest in this matter. He is not present, and I would like to move that the action be reconsidered and the order be placed on the table. I move reconsideration of the vote whereby the Council refused to pass No. 4. I have nothing further to say except that I wish unanimous consent to make a statement.

President DONOGHUE—There being no objection, we will hear from Coun. Watson.

Coun. WATSON.—Mr. President, I would like to see a full vote of the Council on this proposition, rather than having it killed here with only a little more than a bare quorum present, six members. The vote was 3 to 3, with three members absent. I think at least we should have full discussion on the proposition. I think it is a mistake to defeat the order, Mr. President. It means employment. There are a tremendous number of people loafing at the present time. I move reconsideration of our action.

(Coun. Moriarty entered the chamber at this point.)

The motion to reconsider was declared lost. Coun. Watson doubted the vote and asked for the yeas and nays.

Reconsideration prevailed, yeas 4, nays 3:

Yeas—Coun. Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Watson—4.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Purcell, Walsh—3.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I move that the matter lie on the table till the next meeting, when the other members will be present.

Coun. Moriarty's motion prevailed, and the matter was assigned to the next meeting.

ORDINANCE ABOUT ADVERTISING SIGNS.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I move to recall from the Committee on Ordinances the ordinance introduced by me some weeks ago providing a regulation for signboards and advertising.

The ordinance, referred to by Coun. Watson, introduced by him and referred to the Committee on Ordinances August 18, is as follows:

City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-four.

An Ordinance Relative to Advertising Signs. Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

No person, firm, association or corporation shall post, erect, display or maintain on any public way or on private property within public view from any highway, public park or reservation any billboard or other advertising device which advertises or calls attention to any business, article, substance or any other thing, provided, however, that this prohibition shall not apply to signs or other devices erected and maintained in conformity with law and which advertise or indicate either the person occupying the premises in question or the business transacted thereon, or advertise the property itself or any part thereof as for sale or to let and which contain no other advertising matter.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I want to state briefly my reason for the motion. I did something I never did before in this Council in my life—I took an ordinance handed to me by a person who asked me to introduce it for him, and I did not read it or know the import of the ordinance. It has been referred to the Committee on Ordinances where it has been for seven weeks. I understand that if the ordinance were passed by this Council and were signed by the Mayor, it would mean doing away with signboards of every kind everywhere, and furthermore would be the loss of employment to many workers now in the sign business. I want to apologize to the Council for having introduced the order. I should not have introduced it, and I promise that hereafter I shall not introduce any such order or ordinance, without examination. If our action is reconsidered I want the ordinance defeated, if possible.

The Council voted to withdraw the ordinance from the Committee on Ordinances and, on motion of Coun. WATSON, it was indefinitely postponed.

RECESS.

The Council voted at 3.18 p. m. to take a recess subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the chamber and were called to order at 4.14 p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on notice of hearings on gasoline licenses from the Street Laying-Out Department (Philip K. Finegold, Shikes & Long, Cities Service Refining Company, Reuben Harris, Joseph Silk, James J. Boyle, Max Lipson and Reardon Building Trust, all referred September 8),—recommending that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; notices placed on file.

2. Report on notice from the State Department of Public Utilities of hearing to the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston on issue of additional stock (referred today) on October 7, at 10.30 a. m.,—that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; said notice placed on file.

BUTTONS USED NEW ENGLAND WEEK.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to make a statement.

President DONOGHUE—If there is no objection, Coun. Watson will proceed.

Coun. WATSON—Last Saturday closed what was called a New England week, conducted by several civic bodies, including the Chamber of Commerce. They had a publicity committee that had a great deal to do with handing out publicity and information to boom the week. I am informed, and I think reliably so, that one of the pieces of publicity or advertising that was broadcasted by the New England week organization was a button that I hold in my hand, with the letters "N. E. W." upon it, spelling "New" and also meaning "New England Week." The button was manufactured in New Jersey. I am informed—in fact, I am positive that I am correct in this—that it was made by the firm of Whitehead & Hoag, a New Jersey company, with plants in Chicago, New Jersey and elsewhere. They deal in advertising souvenirs and materials. The button does not bear the name of anyone who might have manufactured it. It has no union label on it, and I am informed—and I believe it

cannot be contradicted—that the moving spirit in the New England week had submitted to them samples of buttons similar to this in design, and in some respects having a better design, from concerns in New England manufacturing buttons and advertising souvenirs and materials. The reason for the failure to purchase a New England-made product, I am informed, I think reliably, was because the price of the button manufactured in New England was a trifle higher than the price offered by the manufacturer outside of New England, and for the further reason that they thought the button made here was not so good as the button that was made outside. It merely brings again to my mind what I have often thought of and what I often see, that these so-called high-class civic bodies, industrial organizations and "Boom New England" organizations are playing the same game that they tell the other people in New England not to play. I think the "New England Week" proposition was an asinine proposition. Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald was one of the very prominent leaders, and leaders in the Chamber of Commerce were others and there were some merchants. I believe the merchants played the game because they believed they were doing something right and proper, but in my opinion in the "New England Week" propaganda they were doing just the same thing that they are criticizing the South for doing. To illustrate my thought: It was called to my attention today by one of the biggest lawyers in Boston, a New England man, attorney for the biggest corporation in New England, that if they were going to play the game they have mapped out they were going to create dissension in their organization, and that their organization, by lining up New England against the South, the Middle States, the West and the Pacific Coast, would be creating trouble, because, while we do not manufacture automobiles in New England to any great extent, if any, we do manufacture accessories, bodies, wheel rims and rubber tires, pneumatic tires for trucks and pleasure vehicles, and the same things are manufactured in the West, and if we undertake to carry to a conclusion the thought of "New England Week" we are going to become a little bit of a circle, existing and living on what New England will buy; and, while I am not an expert on commercial propositions or trade thoughts or ideas, I do know that New England cannot exist without free intercourse and give and take with the rest of the United States. So, in conclusion, I want to say that I think the merchants of Boston and New England, the manufacturers and the well meaning citizens who put up their good money to carry on this New England week, have had the thing managed by a lot of amateurs and that they have wasted a great deal of money. I hope hereafter when the y start something for the benefit of New England the results will be beneficial rather than detrimental.

PREVENTION OF SALE OF FIREARMS.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor be requested to petition the General Court at its next session for legislation to prevent the sale of revolvers, pistols and other small firearms within the limits of the state except to policemen and members of the militia.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I will say that some three or four years ago I introduced a similar order and predicted that that winter, on account of many people being unemployed, there would be many assaults made upon our citizenship in the city and state. I remember that at the next session of the Legislature there was a bill introduced by myself and many others, and it was opposed by some of the police departments of our state. It was opposed by some of the gun clubs of our state, who were paid yearly by some of the retail and wholesale gun and revolver makers for the purpose of advertising their make of gun or revolver. They were there in opposition. We have found lately in picking up practically every newspaper, every day in the week, that somebody is being continually maimed or is losing his life through the use of these arms sold to practically anybody who desires to buy. There is a report this afternoon that two policemen in East Boston have lost their lives and that the man who shot them has also been shot. I think it is about time that some legislation for the protection of the life and limb of men and women should be passed, so that they may walk the streets unmolested, without being held up. Nightly you see where young men are going around holding up everybody within sight, and things are not getting any better but are daily getting worse. We see where men, under the influence of liquor, driving automobiles through the streets, are given jail sentences. I feel that the thing ought to go even farther than my order indicates. I feel that the Police Commissioner of Boston should revoke every private permit to carry firearms within our city; that there are men carrying permits granted by the Police Commissioner which have been in existence for many years, not given out by the Police Commissioner now serving but by his predecessor in office and other commissioners. The thing has gone on from year to year, and as a matter of routine the permits have been renewed, without any investigation. I suppose there are thousands of such permits, and I feel that it is about time that some legislation should be enacted which will prevent the con-

tinuance of that sort of thing. I know somebody is going to say that every magazine advertises firearms and that you may buy by mail order. I agree that that is so, and perhaps it will be impossible, on account of interstate commerce, to stop those magazines from advertising and selling guns through the United States mail. I agree that some of the stores down town are going to holler, "Why take business away from us?" But I want to say that if we can stop one life from being taken by interfering with the sale of firearms we will be doing something which will justify us with the people we are representing. Two policemen were shot today, two policemen last week, two policemen about a month or two months ago in the South End. A policeman in South Boston a short while ago was shot and maimed for life. I think it is about time that legislation for the protection of the women and children of our city should prevail. I think, in so far as my order is concerned, that I should perhaps offer an amendment, asking the Police Commissioner, through his Honor the Mayor, to revoke all permits now in circulation through the Police Department, starting a movement to see if we cannot cancel the carrying of guns by every Tom, Dick and Harry in this town.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I think it is rather far-reaching when you ask for the recall of every permit. That means that watchmen in a building could not have them. You do not intend to go that far, do you, Councilor?

Coun. MORIARTY—I think, if it were possible to stop other people from carrying guns, that watchmen in any buildings would not need them. I will say that 90 per cent of the policemen prior to the police strike did not carry their guns, and those who did carry them didn't know whether they would work if they tried to use them. So I don't feel that there would be any particular hardship on watchmen in a building. If someone is going to break in, the watchman has no more right to shoot a man breaking in in cold blood than the robber or the man breaking in has a right to shoot the watchman in cold blood. I feel, so far as the carrying of guns is concerned, that you cannot go any too far in stopping it.

Coun. WATSON—Of course, Mr. President, I agree with a great deal that Coun. Moriarty says. He is correct in theory, but let us take a practical case. Take a man or a woman, an invalid, who sometimes during the night is alone, and there may be some valuables in the house. If an invalid woman had a permit to carry a revolver, to take care of herself, I would not vote to ask the Police Commissioner to revoke her permit. I don't think that should be done. I think the promiscuous issuing of permits for the carrying of firearms is entirely wrong. I understand that in London the policemen carry no revolvers at all, are not armed, but I don't think Coun. Moriarty wants to go quite that far. His good wife might be alone sometime, possibly, and she might want protection. If she had a permit I would not favor revoking it, because I believe she would only use it in case of necessity. I could not vote for the proposed amendment, but I will vote for the broadest possible order that will carry out your thought, Councilor.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I will say this in answer to the councilor, that if my wife had a permit to carry a revolver, if I thought she carried it in her sleep, I would want to have the permit taken away from her; and I think in the case of any invalid, woman or man, living in any house, if they are going to carry a revolver in their hands at all times they are not responsible persons to have a permit to carry a gun, because they may make mistakes, as I think many mistakes have been made. The mistake was made first and the life went when the mistake was committed. If anybody is going to break into a house where there is an invalid man or woman, the invalid man or woman is not going to be prepared to meet that person going in.

Coun. WATSON—I cannot vote for the proposed amendment.

Coun. MORIARTY—I am not asking any member to vote for the order. I introduced the order and I am going to vote for it. Everybody else has the same privilege I have, to vote either yes or no.

(At request of Coun. LANE the order with the proposed amendment was read.)

Coun. LANE—Mr. President, I cannot vote for the proposed amendment to the order, because I feel that great harm would be done thereby. I have no proof, and I don't believe Coun. Moriarty has, that the people who have permits are the ones who are doing this promiscuous shooting. If you take away all these permits many will be taken away where the people are using them legitimately. But most of the trouble, it seems to me, comes from the people carrying firearms without permits. The order introduced by the councilor, I believe, is all right. I would be willing to make it as drastic as possible. By reason of interstate commerce we cannot prevent firearms being introduced on mail orders. If we could, I would like to vote for some such provision. But I cannot ask the Police Commissioner to revoke all permits that are out, because I believe that few of the acts of which we complain have been committed by people who have the right to carry firearms, granted by the Police Commissioner.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, if Coun. Moriarty's contention prevails, the guards who

go around with pay rolls and automobiles taking money from the different banks will not be permitted to carry revolvers. I merely want to say that I cannot vote for the proposed amendment.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I don't think the Police Commissioner is going to accept any request without consideration. I think he is going to use judgment. We have not the right to compel him to do it; we have no control over him. But Coun. Lane does not know and cannot prove that some of the murders and shootings that have taken place, to which I have referred, were not done by someone who had a permit. You cannot prove that any more than I can prove that those not having permits were responsible. If there is ever a break, and a gun is handy when the break is being made, that is one of the first things that the fellow going into a house takes, and men who get permits in my estimation lay firearms around very carelessly. I think there are a lot of men carrying guns in Boston who are irresponsible people, and if they were in close quarters they might use the gun where some other man would not use it. In so far as the proposed amendment is concerned, I don't care about forcing that. I feel that the Police Commissioner without any request from me ought to at least realize the condition now existing, worse at present than ever. Six or eight policemen have been killed or maimed within the last eight months, and I think he ought to move without any request from me. I am satisfied, with unanimous consent, not to press the amendment. I will withdraw it.

There being no objection, the proposed amendment was withdrawn.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I rise to a point of information. Does a person keeping a gun in his own home require a permit? I did not realize that he did. I figure that I can keep a gun in my house, if I want to do so. I think if the order was amended so as to cover anybody carrying a gun on the street, that would cover it. I believe it should be so amended that persons cannot carry guns on the street. A watchman could then carry a gun inside of a building. But I believe he ought not to have a permit to carry a gun on the street and I think that is the matter in which we should appeal to the Police Commissioner, the prevention of carrying guns on the street. Nothing needs to be done about having guns in a man's house. I think that will cover what Coun. Moriarty is after.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair would state that he understands that you do not require a permit for a gun in your house, but that you do to carry it on your person. I would like to say, while this matter is under consideration, that I believe the entire proposition is one of regulation. I don't believe it would be possible to ever have regulation enacted that would prevent people from purchasing revolvers and, therefore, I cannot very well see the logic of the order. It seems to me that people who wish to have guns will get them in ways that are now available. If this order which has been introduced here were to be enacted into law, nobody could buy a gun in this Commonwealth. It seems to me we would be going pretty far in saying that people shall not be allowed to purchase a revolver for their own protection. While we have civilization we are always going to have some members of it who will persist in breaking the law, whether it be with guns, knives or something else. That is going to continue until the millennium is reached, in my opinion. I really cannot vote for this order, because I cannot see that we would ever be able to place it in practical effect. If anyone wants a gun, he is going to get the gun. He may not be able to buy it in Massachusetts, but he will get somewhere else. The only ones we are going to prevent having guns, if this legislation is enacted, are the ones who would wish to have them for their own protection, not the ones who go around shooting people up. We are putting an obstacle in the way of a person who wants to protect himself, and when it is a matter of life and death, I believe a person who is a good living citizen has a right to protect himself at all hazards. We are going to take that right away from him and only give it to people who now do wrong, people who will then have the opportunity to go around armed, with the knowledge that everybody else is unarmed. I cannot see that. The question comes on the passage of the order.

The order was declared passed.

President DONOGHUE—I desire to be recorded as voting no on the order.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. WATSON a general reconsideration of all action today was refused.

Adjourned, on motion of Coun. WALSH, at 4.41 p. m., to meet on Monday, September 29, at 2 p. m.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

HEAD DIETITIAN, DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL DISEASES, BOSTON PSYCHOPATHIC HOSPITAL, OCTOBER 8, 1924.

Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$1,200 per year and maintenance. The duties of this position are to have entire charge of the kitchen and all the employees there, prepare menus, order supplies, etc. Applicants should have a knowledge of food and its relation to the human body, preparation of food, nutrition in disease, and special diets for various diseases.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKER, DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL DISEASES, OCTOBER 8, 1924.

Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.

There is one vacancy at the Boston Psychopathic Hospital at a salary of \$960 per year and maintenance and one vacancy at the Danvers State Hospital at a salary of \$960 per year and maintenance.

The duties of this position are the supervision of treatment cases (syphilis treatment clinic), handling of social problems, and follow-up and research work. Applicants should be graduates of a school of social work of recognized standing, or be graduates from a college of recognized standing, specializing on the study of economics and sociology and allied subjects.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ASSISTANT BACTERIOLOGIST, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, OCTOBER 9, 1924.

Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$1,560 per year. It is desirable that applicants have had practical experience in a diagnostic laboratory doing public health work. The duties of this position are to assist in the examination of specimens for diphtheria bacilli, tubercle and typhoid bacilli, meningococci, hemolytic streptococci and gonococci; to make special media for the isolation of the typhoid bacillus and to make pneumococcus type determination.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; laboratory tests, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and in the laboratory test, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

JUNIOR ACCOUNTANT, DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS AND TAXATION, OCTOBER 9, 1924.

Requisition is for a male, but the examination is open to both males and females.

The salary is \$1,800 per year.

The duties of this position are the audit or verification of business corporation tax returns. These returns may be partially verified in the statements of the return itself and comparison with previous returns, and other data possessed by the department. Further verification by comparison with the corporation books and papers and audit of the books of the corporation must usually be done at the office of the taxpayer. A general knowledge of the law relating to business corporations is desirable. An accurate knowledge and understanding of the tax laws relating thereto is also desirable, particularly sections 30 to 52, inclusive, of chapter 63 of the General Laws, and portions of the Federal Revenue Acts which relate to the determination of net income.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; knowledge of accounting, 5; knowledge of the laws relating to taxation, 5; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 5; total, 20.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, OCTOBER 14, 1924.

The salary is \$3,500 a year.

The Sealer of Weights and Measures is required to enforce the laws pertaining to weighing and measuring devices and to the giving of false or insufficient weight or measure; to the licensing of hawkers, peddlers and transient vendors; to wholesale milk containers, ice cream cans and molds, cranberry barrels and crates, standard boxes for farm produce, berry baskets, and other containers used as measures; to the weights of bread and to the labelling of loaves of other than standard unit weight.

It is also his duty to test all weighing or measuring devices used for buying or selling, for public weighing, or for hire or reward, and to seal or condemn them in accordance with the results of his tests; also to investigate complaints and to prosecute violations of law when the evidence warrants such action.

The sealer has supervision over the deputies and is responsible for all fees earned by the department.

Pamphlets including the General Laws relating to weights, measures, licenses, etc., and a Sealer's Manual, containing

instructions for the inspection, testing and sealing of weighing and measuring devices, may be obtained upon request to the Director of Standards, 194 State House, after application for examination has been filed.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; arithmetic, 2; report, 1; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 4; total, 15.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

SETTLEMENT CLERK AND STENOGRAPHER, SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 18, 1924.

The salary is \$1,200 a year.

There is a minimum age limit of twenty-five years.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The settlement clerk should have a knowledge of the settlement laws of Massachusetts, particularly as applying to the work of the Soldiers' Relief Department. He should be a stenographer of sufficient experience to take down statements of applicants, and should have experience in investigation and in searching public records. In addition he should have experience in drawing up affidavits, and should have had considerable experience in meeting people and weighing evidence as it is presented to him. He should also be familiar with the various forms of service records issued by the War Department and the Navy Department.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on settlement laws, 3; stenography, 1; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 2; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 609.

The Department of Civil Service and Registration will hold a competitive examination for promotion to the grade of sergeant in the Boston Police Department, according to the following notice this day received:

This examination will be held on Saturday, November 1, 1924.

1. This examination will be open to the patrolmen in the Boston Police Department who will have served as such, in accordance with civil service rules, at least five years up to January 1, 1925.

2. The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 9; report writing, 3; practical questions on police law, practice and procedure, 8; total, 20.

3. Application blanks may be secured by applying in person or by letter at the office of the Department of Civil Service

and Registration, Division of Civil Service, Rooms 148-152, State House, Boston. The vouchers on this blank need not be filled out. When completed, applications should be returned to the Civil Service office to be placed on file not later than October 25.

4. Experience sheets will be mailed to applicants about a week in advance of the examination and they will then be notified of the precise time and place of examination.

Commanding officers will promulgate this order, not only by reading it at each of the roll calls for two successive days, but by posting a copy thereof in a conspicuous and accessible place in each station house; and it shall remain posted until after the date of the examination.

Commanding officers will secure a fresh copy from the superintendent, if the posted copy becomes mutilated or destroyed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 610.

Patrolman Milton E. Bailey of Division 7 having arrived at the age of fifty-seven and ten-twelfths years, having performed faithful service in the Police Department for thirty-two and one-twelfth years, having requested to be retired from active service, and it appearing to the Police Commissioner that the said Patrolman Bailey is physically incapacitated for useful service in the Police Department, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that the said Patrolman Milton E. Bailey be retired from active service and that his name be placed upon the department pension roll with pay at the rate of nine hundred and fifty (950) dollars per annum, said sum being one half of the amount of compensation received by him in the office from which he is retired; to take effect Monday, September 29, 1924, at 5:45 o'clock p. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 611.

The resignation of Patrolman Antony Mulligan of Division 20 having been presented, it is hereby accepted to take effect Wednesday, October 1, 1924, at 7:45 o'clock a. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed and are as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any

structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Colorado street, bounded:

Southwest by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes November 20, 1919, in Colorado street, six feet; northwest by another part of Colorado street, one hundred and five feet; northeast by the same, six feet; and southeast by the same, one hundred and five feet; containing six hundred and thirty square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 105 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Colorado street.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvements.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the aforesaid improvement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Colorado street, supposed to be owned by the undermentioned persons, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 577, Sewerage Works, Colorado street, Dorchester, August 29, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Nellie J. Pitts.....	\$50 00
2. Susan Jones.....	53 52
3. Bertha Murray.....	50 00
4. William A. Sayward.....	65 40
Total	\$218 92

BOSTON'S LIABILITY FOR METROPOLITAN DEBT, 1923.

Boston's liability for this contingent debt of the State (i. e., in the form of annual assessments for sinking-funds and interest) incurred for Metropolitan parks, sewers, water, etc., was \$27,106,350 (net) on July 1, 1923, or \$1,003,191 less than in 1922. It is divided thus: Water debt, \$17,164,364; park debt, \$4,172,214; sewer debt, \$3,845,376; Charles River Basin debt, \$1,924,396. The percentages paid by Boston are 73.0066 on water debt; 57.5862 on most of the park debt; 45.39 on most of the sewer debt, and on Charles River Basin debt the same as on park debt.

Metropolitan assessments paid by Boston in 1923 amounted to \$3,573,070, of which 53 per cent was for debt requirements and 42 per cent for maintenance. Water assessment, \$1,872,413 (paid from water revenue); park, \$1,010,502; sewer, \$456,954; Charles River Basin, etc., \$233,201.

POPULATION OF OTHER NEW ENGLAND CITIES (BY RANK).

Providence, 237,595; Worcester, 179,754; New Haven, 162,519; Bridgeport, 143,538; Hartford, 138,036; Springfield, 129,563; New Bedford, 121,217; Fall River, 120,485; Lowell, 112,759; Cambridge, 109,694; Lynn, 99,148; Lawrence, 94,270; Somerville, 93,091; Waterbury, Conn., 91,410; Manchester, N. H., 78,384; Portland, 69,272; Brockton, 66,254; Pawtucket, R. I., 64,248; Holyoke, 60,203; New Britain, Conn., 59,316; Haverhill, 53,884. The 24 cities not included here have less than 50,000 population.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 2, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening, relocation and construction of Tremont street, Boston proper, as a highway, from Stuart street to Arlington street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of October 15, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Oct. 4-11.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 2, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Cataumet street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, northerly from Pond street at junction with Arborway, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of October 15, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

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CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals to erect and complete including the plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating work, the new Police Headquarters Building, corner of Stuart and Berkeley streets, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Public Buildings therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Wednesday, October 15, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$25,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, before the time of opening the bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$50 will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(Oct. 4-11.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN COTTAGE STREET, BETWEEN WATER STREET AND WASHINGTON STREET, AND OUTLET IN WATER STREET BETWEEN GLENWOOD AVENUE AND COTTAGE STREET, HYDE PARK.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Cottage street, between Water street and Washington street, and outlet in Water street between Glenwood avenue and Cottage street, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Cottage Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, October 21, 1924, with a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, October 2, 1924. (Oct. 4.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MAKING REPAIRS AND RENEWALS ON FIREBOAT ENGINE NO. 47.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, invites sealed proposals for repairs and renewals to be effected on Fireboat Engine No. 47 of the Boston Fire Department in accordance with specifications which may be obtained at Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, Boston, Mass. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, signed by the bidder and left before 12 m., Wednesday, October 15, 1924, at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, Boston, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time mentioned for the opening of the bids. Proposals must be sealed and marked "Proposals for Repairs and Renewals on Engine 47." A bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract by the successful bidder in the sum of 25 per cent of the proposal, of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as he deems best.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,

Fire Commissioner.

Boston, October 2, 1924. (Oct. 4-11.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SALT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing salt to the Fire and Public Works Departments, as per specifications contained in proposals, which may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Tuesday, October 14, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(Oct. 4.)

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SIX ROSS THAWING DEVICES.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Fire Department,

Six (6) Ross thawing devices.

The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$200, must be left at the office of the Supply Department before Friday, October 10, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(Oct. 4.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 200 SETS OF VOTING COMPARTMENTS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Election Department:

200 sets of voting compartments as per sample at the Election Department.

Blank proposals must be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200 payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex on Friday, October 10, 1924, at 12 noon. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(Oct. 4.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING HUNTINGTON AVENUE BRIDGE, OVER BOSTON & ALBANY RAILROAD.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for repairing Huntington Avenue Bridge, over Boston & Albany Railroad, and giving bond thereof of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of four thousand (4,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Bid for Huntington Avenue Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, October 14, 1924, with a certified check for four hundred (400) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal, after acceptance, is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 2, 1924. (Oct. 4.)

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MAYOR CURLEY ANNOUNCES HIS POSITION ON CHILD LABOR AMENDMENT.

TAKES STAND AND PUBLISHES VIEWS AFTER CONFUSING STATEMENTS AND CONFLICTING DISCUSSIONS HAD BEGUN TO CLOUD THE ISSUE.

Mayor James M. Curley has announced unmistakably his stand on the Child Labor Amendment broadcasting the same this week from City Hall when he said:

"A study of the 'Congressional Record' of the 68th Congress, first session, pages 1-16, leaves no course open for any person interested in the perpetuation of a free America than to oppose the proposed amendment, and this I shall do. It is my purpose, nevertheless, to give my time and energy and such money as it is possible for me to give to aid in the movement for the adoption of adequate child labor laws in each state where proper protection is not afforded.

"The most important work confronting America today is the conservation of the womanhood and manhood of America. The importance of protective legislation whereby the youth of the land may be safeguarded from exploitation in industry destructive both to physical and mental development has been recognized by the adoption in more than twenty states of child labor legislation.

"From the economic standpoint it is important both as a measure of protection of the future manhood and womanhood of America and to the safeguarding of the wage received by adults in industry that the labor of children be restricted, and under certain conditions absolutely prohibited. Substantially every person of prominence in America, either in religious, labor, political or other circles, is in agreement on this matter. In an address in the Senate Chamber of the United States by Senator King, May 31, 1924, he stated every Bolshevik, every extreme Communist and Socialist in the United States is back of the Child Labor Amendment to the Constitution of the United States to be voted upon November 4.

"This is a bolshevistic scheme, and a lot of good people misled are accepting it, not knowing the real consequence which will result and the sinister purposes back of the measure. The Bolsheviks of Russia were familiar with the scheme that is about to be launched to amend our Constitution. The 'Congressional Record' of May 31, 1924, states

further that the constitutional amendment on which the people of the United States will vote in November was drafted by the former Miss Wischnewetsky, a professional Socialist, translator of Karl Marx and editor of the Archive for Sozialgesetzgebung at Berling and president of the Intercollegiate Socialist League of the United States.

"The 'Congressional Record' of May 31, 1924, further states that Miss Wischnewetsky, Socialist, translator of Karl Marx, friend of Frederich Engles (co-author with Marx of the Communist manifesto of 1848), who had been a resident of Hull House, Chicago, a founder of the national child labor committee, the American Association for Labor Legislation (a product of the second international), the National Consumers' Leagues, etc., president of the Intercollegiate Socialist League (now the League for Industrial Democracy), who had been working for a Federal Child Labor law since 1905, has been engaged in this work for many years.

"Frederich Engles, joint founder with Karl Marx of modern Socialism, instructed Miss Wischnewetsky, in a letter dated January 27, 1887, how Socialism could be worked 'into the flesh and blood' of Americans by their experience.

"He wrote. 'The less it will be knocked into the Americans from without and the more they test it . . . by their experience the deeper it will go into their flesh and blood.' (Quoted in *New York Call*, Socialist organ, January 29, 1923.)

"This, in part, is the position taken by those interested and sponsors for this legislation. I am desirous that my position be absolutely understood.

"I am a candidate for the office of Governor of Massachusetts and naturally I am desirous of being elected. I have no desire, however, to secure any person's vote through resort to falsehood or subterfuge. I desire my position made absolutely clear. I believe it is vital for the security of America and the happiness of the American people that they be permitted to work out their own destiny without interference from either pacifists within the nation, or Bolsheviks outside the nation. If it be the purpose of Miss Wischnewetsky through the Child

Labor Amendment to lay the foundation for a Sovietized United States of America then it becomes the duty of all persons interested in the preservation of the American Republic to set aside every consideration other than national integrity. A Boston morning newspaper would convey the impression that the most important thing in my existence is election to the office of Governor of Massachusetts. They are in error. It is not. I consider the duty I owe to my American citizenship of greater importance than the office for which I am a candidate and I would prefer defeat as a candidate standing four square by American principles and American institutions than to succeed through subterfuge."

MAYOR CURLEY'S INTEREST AROUSED TO AID SISTERS OF MT. ST. JOSEPH ACADEMY.

FINDS THEY ARE DETAINED AT ELLIS ISLAND AND SECURES THEIR RELEASE THAT THEY MIGHT REACH THEIR BOSTON HOMES QUICKLY.

Mayor Curley was immeasurably gratified to learn on October 3, in a communication received from Hon. W. W. Husband, Commissioner General of the Bureau of Immigration, Department of Labor, Washington, D. C., that Sister Ann Louis Reynaud and Sister Lucien Goudard, destined to Mt. St. Joseph Academy in Brighton, as teachers of French and the languages, and who had been detained upon the arrival of the S. S. "Tauris" from Marseilles, France, at Ellis Island, during the last week in August, 1924, had, upon the Mayor's earnest entreaty, secured unconditional admission to the United States.

It appears that Sister Ann Louis Reynaud and Sister Lucien Goudard were originally teachers in a French convent in Paris and were assigned to a convent in Fall River where for some years they were listed as teachers of modern languages. Desiring to make a trip abroad they proceeded to their homes in France, and upon arrival of the S. S. "Tauris" at Ellis Island, New York, were detained under the quota exemption terms of the Burnett-Dillingham Immigration Act. The sisters of the convent in Fall River appealed to Bernard J. McDonald, a Fall River attorney, who presented the facts in the case to Mayor Curley, supplemented by an earnest appeal in behalf of residents of Fall River, that every possible step should be taken at Washington that would enable the sisters to secure admission to this country to engage in their educational pursuits at Mt. St. Joseph Academy in Brighton.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, October 20, at two o'clock p. m.

A regular meeting of The School Committee of the City of Boston will be held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, on Monday, October 20, 1924, at 6.30 o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marqueses, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

PLANS ADEQUATE FOR CARING FOR DEPENDENTS OF DECEASED POLICEMAN.

Mayor Curley received the following communication from the Assistant Corporation Counsel:

Your communication of September 26, addressed to the Corporation Counsel, relative to the adoption of a policy with reference to members of the Police Department who are killed while in the discharge of their duties has been referred to me.

Before consulting with the Police Commissioner of the City of Boston I made an examination of the law relative to the matter contained in your communication and found that chapter 371 of the Acts of 1924, which was approved May 20, 1924, and which is an amendment of section 87 of chapter 32 of the General Laws as amended by chapter 178 of the Acts of 1923 provides:

"If a policeman in a regularly organized police department of a city or town or a member of the Department of Public Safety doing police duty is killed, or dies within six months from injuries received, while in the performance of his duties, and his death is certified by the city or town clerk or commissioner of public safety, as the case may be, and by the attending physician or medical examiner, to the officer required to make payment as hereinafter provided there shall be paid to his executor or administrator the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars for the use equally of his widow or minor children; or if there are minor children but no widow, and if there is no minor child, to the use of the widow, and if there is no widow, or minor child, to the use of the next

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

of kin, if dependent upon such deceased person for support. A child of full age dependent upon such policeman for support shall be regarded as a minor child. Payment shall be made by the treasurer of the city or town concerned, if the policeman was in the service of a city or town, and by the state treasurer if the policeman was a member of the Department of Public Safety doing police duty."

The Police Relief Association, of which any member of the Police Department may become a member, and of which Officer Motroni was a member, pays a benefit of \$1,000 to the beneficiaries of a deceased policeman.

Chapter 68 of the Acts of 1920 which is an amendment to chapter 93 of the Special Acts of 1919, provides that:

"Annuities payable to the widows and children of deceased policemen and firemen of the City of Boston, under the provisions of chapter 178 of the Acts of 1887 or of section 2 of chapter 107 of the Acts of 1880 shall be in such sums not exceeding \$600 as the City Council may determine."

Accordingly the widow and child of Officer Motroni will receive \$2,500 from the city; \$1,000 from the Police Relief Association, and an annuity of \$600 per year.

After investigating so far I consulted with the Police Commissioner who informed me that his opinion was that there was no need of further legislation or action, as he believed that the amounts already provided by statute were sufficient.

Respectfully yours,

H. MURRAY PAKULSKI,
Assistant Corporation Counsel.

MAYOR CURLEY SUBMITS TO LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE FIVE BANK TAX REFORM SUGGESTIONS.

REPRESENTED BY HON. JOHN A. SULLIVAN HE ASKS FOR MORE UNIFORM AND EQUITABLE SYSTEM OF TAXATION.

Speaking for Mayor James M. Curley before the special commission created by the Legislature to recommend legislation for a more uniform and equitable system of taxation of national bank, savings banks and trust companies, John A. Sullivan, special counsel for the City of Boston, charged that Massachusetts has selected the banking interests as a favored class and is discriminating in their favor and against the people who pay at the local property rates on their property taxable locally.

On behalf of the Mayor he offered five suggestions for reforms in the present bank taxation laws which, he declared, will not conflict with either Federal or State constitutions, but will put an end to the present alleged discrimination, which amounts to a revolutionizing of the tax laws so that "most of the tax burdens rest upon those least able to bear them." He charged the Legislature with bad faith in its handling of the national bank taxation problem and with becoming alarmed at the extent to which it has gone.

The statement was in part, as follows:

"Mayor Curley's suggestions to your honorable commission are to recommend to the Legislature the following reforms:

"1. Repeal the law taxing national banks on their net income.

"2. Pass a law taxing shares of national banks at their fair cash value at the local property rates.

"3. Repeal the law taxing trust companies on their net income.

"4. Pass a law taxing them on their franchises.

"5. Tax capital employed in the banking business by individuals and partnerships on the fair value of that capital.

"Then you will have taxed alike all whose capital is employed in the banking business. There can be no further claim of discrimination.

"All this can be done without violating the Federal or the State constitutions or the act of Congress relating to the taxation of shares of national banks.

"The state of New York passed a law last year which taxed shares of national banks on their fair cash value, and also taxed at its full value the capital employed in the banking business by individuals and partnerships. The banks and the private bankers challenged the validity of that law. They employed the best legal talent in the country. The case was decided by a justice of the Supreme Court of New York on July 15 of this year. The law was upheld. What New York has done Massachusetts can do.

"New York did not decline to pass the law because bank attorneys predicted the courts would declare it void; but Massachusetts did. Its Legislature accepted the opinions of the bank attorneys. The New York decision shows they were wrong. The Massachusetts Legislature was asked last year to request the opinion of our Supreme Judicial Court on the validity of the law proposed by Mayor Curley. That request was ignored. Why was it not accepted? That question has never been answered. Our Supreme Judicial Court is impartial. The bank

attorneys are not—yet the opinions of the bank attorneys were preferred.

"No adequate law for taxing the banking interests has been passed in Massachusetts in the last two years. On the contrary the taxes on national banks have been reduced. The taxes on trust companies have been reduced. Taxes on real estate and tangible personal property have mounted upward, meanwhile. The banking interests have been selected as a favored class. Public revenues have greatly diminished. This is a shocking condition of affairs in a community where quality is said to be the keystone of our democratic institutions.

"How long is Massachusetts to suffer this disgrace? How long shall we wait for a readjustment of tax burdens so that they shall be placed on our people in some fair proportion to their ability to pay them? Your action, Gentlemen of the Commission, will in large part answer that question.

"In the six years following the enactment of the income tax law the total tax on shares of national banks was \$14,370,720. The average per year was \$2,395,120. In the last year of the six, 1922, it was \$2,784,204.

"In 1923 the Legislature reduced the taxes on national bank shares. (C. 487.) It substituted a tax of 12½ per cent on income for the former tax on shares at the local property rates. In the first year under the 1923 law the taxes collected were only \$681,761—a reduction from the year before of \$2,102,443 or 75 per cent. One bank which paid \$432,250 in 1922 paid only \$69.75 in 1923. Some banks paid nothing in 1923. The new law had worked well for the banks.

"In 1924 the Legislature tried to make the national banks pay more. It had intended to favor the banks in the 1923 Act. It became alarmed on discovering how far it had gone in doing good to the banks. So it passed the minimum tax law providing that the tax paid by a bank should be at least as much as six per cent of the dividends it had paid in the year. (C. 233.) Even with this handicap the banks were too smart for the taxing authorities. The taxes in 1924 amounted to only \$563,338. This was \$118,423 less than in 1923. If it were not for the minimum tax law of 1924, these banks would have paid only \$401,782. The table of diminishing returns is shown in the following comparison of the taxes for the last year under the old system with the first two years under the new system:

"1922—\$2,784,204.

"1923—\$681,761, reduction from 1922, 75 per cent.

"1924—\$563,338, reduction from 1922, 80 per cent, approximately.

"In 1924 the trust companies, seeing how good the going was for national banks, got themselves put under the same 12½ per cent tax on income law. (C. 247.) The figures showing the amount collected in 1924 have not yet been published, but I am informed that the taxes will be considerably less than in 1923. That was the object of the law.

"Is it not about time to call a halt?

Is it not time to stop the discrimination in favor of national banks and trust companies and against the people who pay at the local property rates on their property taxable locally? If the process of taking taxes off the richer and placing them on the poorer elements in the community is fair in the case of national banks and trust companies, how can you resist similar demands from all other corporations in the state? In the end the tax laws will have been revolutionized and most of the tax burdens will rest upon those least able to bear them. That is not statesmanship. It is not even good politics. It is certainly not in accordance with generally accepted principles of taxation.

"It is up to you, gentlemen, to rectify the great error which has been committed. You can do so by recommending the program outlined at the beginning of this address."

MAYOR'S INTEREST AROUSED.

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Mayor Curley made a vigorous appeal to Commissioner General Husband under paragraph (d) section 4, stating the regulations relative to those persons who shall be considered as "non-quota immigrants." This section of the Burnett-Dillingham Immigration Act reads as follows: "When used in this act the term 'non-quota immigrant' means 'An immigrant who continuously for at least two years immediately preceding the time of his application for admission to the United States has been, and who seeks to enter the United States solely for the purpose of, carrying on the vocation of minister of any religious denomination, or professor of a college, academy, seminary, or university; and his wife, and his unmarried children under eighteen years of age, if accompanying or following to join him.'"

It was the contention of Mayor Curley that as the religious sisters had for a period of years been, in reality, professors of languages, they clearly came within the non-quota immigrant provision, and this contention of the Mayor has been sustained and approved by the ruling of Commissioner General Husband. The case is the first known in Massachusetts in which religious teachers have been held under the terms of the new Immigration Act and Mayor Curley is especially gratified that a precedent has been established.

STEEL MEN THANK MAYOR.

Mayor Curley has received the following letter from the American Society for Steel Treating, Cleveland, Ohio, October 4, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Directors of the American Society for Steel Treating wish to express their appreciation for your valuable contribution in making the sixth annual convention and exposition of the society the most successful event it has ever held.

Your part was a large one and the wonderful spirit in which it was given all contributed to leaving with the members of the society most pleasant recollections of their visit to Boston.

Again thanking you, we are,

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR STEEL TREATING.

W. H. EISENMAN,
Secretary.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for making repairs and renewals on the fire boat, Engine No. 47. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department Headquarters, Bristol street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 15, at 12 m.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for grading and loaming at William H. Garvey Playground. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$15,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 22, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing the new police headquarters building, Stuart and Berkeley streets. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$25,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 15, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for removing walls and for filling in Cambridge street and Court street, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 22, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing Huntington Avenue Bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$400, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, October 14, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Cottage street, between Water street and outlet in Water street, between Glenwood avenue and Cottage street, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, October 21, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals for erecting the East Boston High School for Girls and Boys, Chapman District, Brooks and White streets, has been deferred and the date for opening bids has been extended to Tuesday, October 14, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing salt to the Fire and Public Works Departments. Surety bond will be required in the amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, October 14, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, October 9:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

John M. MacHugh and John M. Devine, Jr., have been appointed permanent clerks at \$840 a year.

Frank A. Duggan, clerk at \$1,400 a year, has been transferred to a similar position at \$1,500 a year from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31, and piece work April 1 to September 30.

The following employees have been granted increases in pay of \$100 a year: Edward L. Doyle, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year; Francis X. Hurley, clerk, \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year; Arthur J. Leary, clerk, \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year; Michael A. Malley, clerk, \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year; Henry P. Ireland, clerk, \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year; Frank J. Williams, clerk, \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year; William J. Nash, clerk, \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year; Philip E. Conroy, clerk, \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year; Thomas O. Scottron, clerk, \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year; Joseph V. Mahan, clerk, \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year; John B. Buckley, clerk, \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year; Maurice M. Hurley, clerk, \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

The following permanent appointments have been made in the City Planning Board: Edwin F. Delaney, engineer, on the basis of \$2,500 a year; Leo G. Hall, draftsman, on the basis of \$2,100 a year; Charles J. McCarthy, craftsman, on the basis of \$1,900 a year.

CONSERVATION BUREAU.

Victor Guillemin has been given provisional temporary employment as laboratory assistant for two months at \$200 a month.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Michael D. McLaughlin, John J. Holland and Arthur E. Bailey have been granted an extension of employment for a period of sixty days as temporary assistant registrars at \$5 a day.

Carl Meyer has been granted an extension of employment for a period of sixty days as temporary assistant registrar at \$1,500 a year.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Mary F. Deegan has been employed for a period of four weeks as typist at \$18 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

James J. Hallahan has been appointed temporarily as a fireman at \$6 a day, seven days a week, in the Bureau of Supplies and Repairs.

John F. Leary has been appointed temporary steamfitter at \$5.50 a day.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, October 9:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent—E. Quinn, dental hygienist, \$25 a week; M. Blue, male nurse, \$24.50 a week; H. Day, male nurse, \$23.06 a week; A. Crahan, assistant cook, \$14 a week; L. Parody, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; M. Sexton, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; B. A. Meade, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; W. Lynch, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; W. Fortune, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; R. Tarbulton, porter, \$14 a week; W. J. Weaver, house porter, \$14 a week; E. Gardiner, laundress, \$16 a week; H. Clark, laundress, \$16 a week; B. Trask, table girl, \$9.50 a week; C. Brennan, table girl, \$9.50 a week; A. Farren, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; M. Rowe, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; E. P. Borden, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; S. Bolser, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

Temporary—J. McGrath, J. Burns, T. Donohue, W. A. Kelley, T. Brennan, P. J. Curran, J. J. Higgins, jobbers, \$3.50 a day each; L. Hines, temporary telephone operator, \$22 a week; C. Rudell, helper, \$14 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

M. Brophy, cleaner at \$11.50, to ward helper at \$11.50 a week; K. Haskell, male nurse at \$9.33 to \$10.50 a week; E. Barnes, assistant seamstress at \$10 to ward helper at \$11.50 a week; M. Elliott, temporary technician at \$17 to technician at \$16 a week; W. Whitford, male nurse at \$23.06 to \$24.50 a week; M. Meagan, laundress at \$14 to \$16 a week; L. Powelkopf, laundress at \$14 to \$16 a week; F. Powers, house cleaner at \$14 to temporary porter at \$18.50 a week.

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EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

De Cristoforo Brothers Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying water pipes in Cleveland circle, Sutherland road, Commonwealth avenue, Colonial road, Brighton, from October 4, 1924, to October 25, 1924.

MAYOR CURLEY MOVES TO AID IN MOST SENSATIONAL HEALTH MEASURE.

PRESENTS ORDER TO CITY COUNCIL, UPON REQUEST OF CONSERVATION BUREAU, CALLING FOR THE SUM OF \$10,000 FOR EXPERIMENT WITH SUN'S RAYS THAT MAY STOP RICKETS IN CHILDREN.

Mayor Curley drew up the following message for presentation to the City Council on Monday's meeting:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN,—The Boston Conservation Bureau have this day submitted a report, which, in the event that their conclusions are sound and the research work which they propose undertaking should prove the success which they anticipate it will, will prove of inestimable value to the human family and the agriculturists. The modest sum requested, namely, \$10,000, as contrasted with the great benefits anticipated, in my opinion justified favorable action by the City of Boston.

I accordingly recommend adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

The order reads as follows:

Ordered, that under the authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 that the sum of \$10,000 be and the same is hereby transferred from Reserve Fund to Boston Conservation Bureau, G-2, Special Investigations.

The communication of the Conservation Bureau follows:

DEAR MR. MAYOR,—I have pleasure in reporting a remarkable and useful piece of research work which has been carried on by Dr. W. T. Boyle, professor of biophysics at Harvard, who is a member of my committee on medical research.

In co-operation with the General Electric Company and with Doctor Little, a new quartz glass has been invented, which has the property heretofore unknown of permitting the free passage of actinic rays through it. It has been proven that ordinary window glass stops these actinic rays, which are the curative rays, and might be called the "life-giving rays" of the sun, so that in northern climates, poor children brought up in dark alleys and rich children brought up in houses where the windows are closed, develop rickets, and frequently tuberculosis.

Up to now, it has been believed that by exposing such children in greenhouses to the sun's rays, that the effect would be beneficial, but these investigations proved that the curative rays are stopped by the glass. Furthermore, a lamp has been developed and is now in use which enables the operator to concentrate these ultra violet rays on the patient, so that by an exposure of from one minute to fifteen minutes daily, depending upon the distance away from the lamp, as much artificial sunlight can be applied as can be obtained by twelve hours or more exposure to the sun's rays directly.

Of course, the curative value of violet rays has been known for some time, but the lenses now in use stop the most effective rays, so that the result has not been so good.

I take the liberty of recommending that one of these lamps be placed in each health unit and that at least one nurse in each unit be authorized to take instruction in the use and operation of these lamps. Fortunately, the margin of safety both ways is very wide, so that little harm can be done even by an unskilled operator. Nevertheless, the operators should be intelligent and well-instructed. These rays are not only a valuable treatment for rickets and tuberculosis, but they will cure a larger number of skin diseases.

Another series of experiments has just been completed by Professor Bocie and Doctor Little, which have great economic value. In New England alone, hundreds of thousands of dollars can be saved annually by the use of these rays, and by the knowledge of what this piece of research work has developed.

It is well known that an average of 75 per cent of chickens dies before they are five weeks old, the largest percentage dying in the fourth and fifth week. If they get past the fifth week, they seem to have developed strength and resistance enough to live. It is now proven by this research that the principal cause of this mortality is lack of sufficient exposure to the direct rays of the sun. In our northern climate, most of the year it is too cold to let young chickens and other domestic fowl run in the open, and so they are kept in dark brooding houses, or under the best circumstances, in greenhouses. As I have explained above, the health-giving rays of the sun are kept out by the glass and chickens die.

I enclose some photographs, No. 1 which shows two chickens from the same brood. They are four weeks old. They were hatched and reared under exactly the same controlling conditions, the same food, sand, dust and water in adjacent pens in a greenhouse. Most of the class from which the small chickens came developed rickets and 75 per cent of them died by the time they reached this age. The other 25 per cent were of the size that is shown on the photograph. The large bird, brought up under the same conditions, received exposure to the ultra violet rays for fifteen minutes a day and all of the chickens in this class lived past the dangerous period. The chicken weighs five times as much as the smaller bird.

In order to get facilities, Professor Bovie had to go to Maine, as the Harvard Biophysical Laboratory has no greenhouse available, and I therefore respectfully submit the advisability of an additional appropriation to the Conservation Bureau of \$10,000 to be used for the erection and equipment of a greenhouse and laboratory at Huntington avenue, Boston, adjacent to the Biophysical Laboratory. If Professor Bovie had a workshop adjacent to his present laboratories, it would enable him and his assistants to do much more work in carrying on this research.

Professor Bovie is on our committee but receives no compensation for his services and does not want any.

Yours sincerely,

BOSTON CONSERVATION BUREAU,
M. DOUGLAS FLATTERY,
Chairman.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending October 2:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

George Albrecht, attendant, at \$600 a year, to succeed William F. Coleman.

Addie Burris, attendant, at \$600 a year, to succeed Catherine Donohue.

Mary Hardy, institutions employee, at \$525 a year, to succeed Margaret Farroll.

Joseph S. Hogen, porter, at \$600 a year, to succeed Thomas P. Sullivan.

William Mulligan, transferred from institutions employee at \$900 a year to painter at \$1,000 a year to succeed Patrick Farry.

Charles McDonald, attendant, at \$600 a year, to succeed Richard DeBest.

Michael O'Connor, attendant, at \$600 a year, to succeed Norah Harrington.

Maurice J. O'Connor, attendant, at \$600 a year, to succeed Michael O'Connor.

Helen O'Connor, head nurse, at \$1,080 a year, to succeed Isabel McLeod.

Thomas J. Philbin, institutions employee, at \$800 a year, to succeed William Mulligan.

Edward F. Walsh, porter, at \$600 a year, to succeed John J. Sullivan.

Wilfred Rocheville, transferred from institutions employee, to attendant, at \$600 a year, temporary.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Andrew J. Baker, transferred from fireman during absence of Engineer Ahearn, to engineer, at \$1,600 a year, temporary.

Fred J. Harrison, fireman, at \$1,000 a year, temporary.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Frederick T. Higgins has been appointed elevatorman for a temporary period of ten days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Frank J. Gavaghan has been granted temporary employment as assistant draw-tender in the Bridge Service at \$1,600 a year.

James E. Martin has been granted an increase in salary as instrumentman, Sewer Service, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

James J. Henneberry has been transferred from laborer at \$4.50 a day in the Paving Service to chauffeur-laborer at \$30 a week in the Sanitary Service.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Central Office).

Walter F. Wenzel has been granted an increase in wages as chauffeur in the Central Office, from \$30 to \$32 a week.

Frank P. McDonough has been granted an increase in salary as clerk in the Central Office, from \$840 to \$1,000 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Daniel Flynn has been granted employment as temporary inspector at \$1,700 a year in the bridge and ferry division for three months.

William J. Brown and Thomas F. Reilly have been granted an extension of temporary employment as assistant drawtenders at \$1,600 a year.

Arthur W. Dolan has been granted an extension of temporary employment as rodman at \$18 a week for three months.

The following citizens have been granted an extension of the temporary employment as carpenters at \$5 a day for sixty days: Patrick McGuire, William J. Walker, John J. Gately, Coleman J. Gorham.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Francis J. Tierney has been employed as fireman at \$6 a day for sixty days.

John McGowan has been transferred, from officer at Deer Island at \$1,200 a year, to the Ferry Service as gateman at \$5.25 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Richard J. Powers has been granted employment as temporary transitman at \$1,500 a year for three months.

The following employees in the paving service have been granted increases in salary: David O'Riordan, subforeman, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year; Francis P. Rowley, inspector, from \$1,600 to \$1,700 a year.

William J. Cadigan and George Verde have been granted an extension of temporary employment at \$18 a week for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Albert H. Robinson has been transferred from the Transit Department to the Sanitary Service as carpenter at \$5.50 a day.

John E. Keough has been granted a transfer from storekeeper at Long Island at \$1,200 a year and maintenance to stockkeeper in the Sanitary Service at \$1,600 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

The following named sewer laborers have been granted temporary employment for three months at \$4.50 a day: Emilio Curcio, Michael Clance, John J. Duran, George D. DeGran, Joseph Faretro, James Gavin, Isaac Goldstein, Joseph L. Howe, James E. Sullivan and Duncan M. Wright.

David A. Aratta has been granted employment as temporary sewer inspector at \$1,200 a year and maintenance to

Girard Gilroy has been granted an extension of temporary employment as rodman at \$18 a week for three months.

Charles Stolt has been granted a transfer from the Transit Department to the Sewer Service as laborer at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

John W. Danner has been employed as temporary carpenter at \$5.50 a day in the water service, for sixty days.

Frank A. Cassidy has been granted an

extension of temporary employment as laborer at \$4.50 a day, for three months.

John P. Cosgrove has been granted an extension of temporary employment as carpenter at \$5 a day, for sixty days.

William H. Kickham and Dennis McCarthy have been continued in temporary employment as carpenters at \$5.50 a day, for sixty days.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Daniel F. Coughlin has been granted an extension of employment as temporary draughtsman at \$1,400 a year, for three months from October 7.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 9:

House of Correction.

Patrick J. Gleeson, fireman, 1½ days, \$9.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 9:

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Park Department (Cemetery Division.)

For the week ending Thursday, October 9:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 2:

Edmund J. Connolly, Charles Clayton, Owen Early, John McDonald, William Murray, job pressmen, 4 hours, \$5.20 each; Frank Coughlin, chauffeur, 4 hours, \$4.36. Total, \$30.36.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending October 9:

J. Walsh, elevatorman, 6½ hours, \$3.80; J. Reynolds, engineer, 3¼ hours, \$3.13; N. McSheffrey, fireman, 3¼ hours, \$2.81.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

Drawtenders.—J. E. Murray, J. E. Fitzgerald, C. J. Thompson, 1 day each, \$5.20.

Assistant Drawtenders.—P. J. McGonagle, 2 days, \$8.77; T. F. Reilly, 2½ days, \$10.96; D. J. Flynn, J. J. Skayhan, 3 days, \$13.15 each; T. J. Gillispie, W. E. Osborne, 1 day, \$4.38 each.

Machinist.—P. F. Murphy, 1½ days, \$7.91.

Watchman.—H. M. McLaughlin, 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$82.80.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 6:

Captains.—Andrew A. Greer, ¾ day, \$2.88; Charles F. Crocker, Timothy A. Toohig, ¼ day, \$1.92 each.

Quartermaster.—William Hogan, ¼ day, \$1.50.

Engineer.—Richard J. Shaw, ¼ day, \$1.88.

Firemen.—James Reilly, Patrick McDevitt, ¼ day, \$1.50 each; John Kelley, 1½ days, \$9; Christobal Fradau, 1½ days, \$6.75; John J. Sullivan, ¾ day, \$3.75.

Deckhands.—Dennis G. Sheehan, Frederick L. Allevesson, ¼ day, \$1.19 each; Thomas A. O'Hare, ¾ day, \$3.56.

Gatemen.—Lendall P. Rollins, Edward L. Bonner, ¼ day, \$1.31 each; Christopher T. Leonard, ¾ day, \$3.28.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 1 day, \$5.50.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, ¾ day, \$2.06.

Electrician.—James A. Douglass, 1 day, \$6.10.

Total, \$58.10.

Net cost for the week ending October 6, 1924, \$36.84.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 6:

Laborers.—A. P. Charbonnier, B. F. Lyons, S. Hegarty, J. J. Spillane, W. McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamster.—J. J. Welch, 1 day, \$4.50.

Teamsters.—C. B. Capillo, P. J. McLaughlin, J. M. Ryan, E. J. Tighe, C. J. Crowley, D. J. Dalton, J. P. Leonard, D. P. McLaughlin, R. J. Nugent, J. Roach, ¼ day, \$3.80 each.

Teamster.—C. Zirpollo, ½ day, \$2.25.

Feeders.—J. L. Hennessey, J. Gallagher, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Sewer Cleaners.—James Clancy, 4½ days, \$22.50; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 3½ days, \$16.88 each; Michael Foley, Dennis Burke, 1½ days, \$7.50 each; Dennis Collins, 1 day, \$5; Richard Connolly, Daniel Coleman, ½ day, \$2.50 each; Peter Keenan, 3½ days, \$16.83.

Laborers.—James McNabb, 4½ days, \$20.25; John McDonald, 3½ days, \$15.19; Joseph Huber, 2½ days, \$11.25; Joseph Clougherty, George DeGraas, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Herman Hodapp, Joseph Faretro, John Keenan, Michael McMahon, Stephen Connolly, Jeremiah Walsh, Patrick McDonough, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each; John Donnelly, James Splaine, ½ day, \$2.25 each.

Masons.—James Duffy, James Dailey, ½ day, \$3.50 each.

Chauffeurs.—Charles Caffrey, 4½ days, \$22.50; James McCarthy, 1 day, \$5.

Total, \$233.08.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 6:

Teamsters.—M. G. Connell, M. J. Hurley, T. J. Whalen, M. J. O'Connell, B. Callahan, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, J. P. Barnes, T. F. Graham, M. Gilmartine, E. White, J. J. Donovan, E. F. Noonan, W. Dwyer, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, F. Certosimo, P. Conklin, M. Connolly, J. J. Daley, W. P. Don-

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MAKES URGENT PLEA FOR SAVING WAGE IN INDUSTRY FOR LABORERS.

MAYOR CURLEY IS GREETED ENTHUSIASTICALLY BY WALTHAM CITIZENS WHEN HE DISCUSSES INDUSTRIAL SYSTEM.

Mayor Curley speaking on the labor question at Waltham said in part:

The action of the management of the Waltham Watch Company is the same character of action that may be anticipated in every large industrial establishment in America in the event of Republican success nationally. The morning newspapers report that at a convention of the American Bankers' Association at Chicago, at the close of the session, that it is the opinion of the leading bankers of the country that wages should be liquidated at once. This position might very properly be taken provided the insurgent movement led by La Follette and his group in the West and Northwest represented a political revolt in the ranks of the Democratic party but the revolt being confined almost wholly to the Republican party, coupled with the statement of the national manager of the Republican Campaign Committee, William S. Butler, that there was doubt even in his mind as to the success of the Republican nominee for President, would make it appear that the action taken here in Waltham and proposed throughout the nation by the American Bankers' Association is not only premature but extremely short-sighted.

The establishment of what has been termed the saving wage in America was only possible as a consequence of the exigencies of the World War draining the youth of the nation, thereby creating temporarily a shortage which resulted in the blessing of a premium for the creative source of all wealth, they who toil with hands and brain. The saving wage in America maintained for a quarter of a century means a more intelligent America, a more healthful America, a more patriotic America, a more useful America, and it means a fruition of the pledge of equality of opportunity, the cornerstone of the American experiment in government. Who seeks to destroy this institution is the friend of the old order at heart and believer and supporter of the exploded theory of class and caste.

I realize that capital is entitled to justice, but not more, and that labor should enjoy every right that is enjoyed or exercised by capital. We have experienced a practical demonstration of the value of co-operation between employer and employee in the agreement signed more than a year ago between the Building Trades Employers and Employees of Greater Boston through which industrial peace and constructive progress has been enjoyed to the fullest measure by the parties to the agreement. The benefits have been reflected, shared and enjoyed by the entire community. John Boyle O'Reilly has epitomized the progress of organized labor under intelligent leadership in the short lines:

"A Nation's greatness lies in men not acres,
One master mind is worth a million hands."

The establishment of humane condi-

tions in industry in America in all probability would have been long delayed were it not for the monumental character of service rendered by the American Federation of Labor. Through the instrumentality of this great force in the life of America the eight-hour day with its opportunity and promise of a little more enjoyment in the home and added opportunity for the increase of knowledge was substituted for the twelve-hour day. The spectacle of a president of the United States pleading in the name of the United Churchmen of America to the powerful steel interests to discontinue an industrial feudal system represented by a twelve-hour day in the steel industry, and such as formerly obtained in every industry, was as abhorrent as the demands now made by the American Bankers' Association in the nation and the management of the Waltham Watch Company here in Massachusetts.

The experience of a former president of the United States in his endeavors to dictate the leaders and the policies of the American Federation of Labor were of such recent occurrence as to be fresh in the memory of every individual. The humiliation suffered in the attempt to supplant the present able leader of the American Federation of Labor, Samuel Gompers, with Mr. Lewis, merited the rebuff and rejection which it received at the hands of organized labor.

The emancipation of the worker presents the most harrowing story ever unfolded in the world's history. Every reform enjoyed today by the worker is stained with tears and sorrows and in many cases the blood of those who considered no sacrifice too great in the achievement of benefits that might serve as a blessing to posterity.

The Workingmen's Compensation Act, with its guaranty of protection to the dependents of the toiler made possible through organized labor, can best be conserved through the perpetuation of organized labor that the bankers now seek to destroy.

The Mother's Aid Act adopted in this Commonwealth in 1913 represents the development of a humanitarian spirit supplemented by the intelligence of organized labor during a period of 130 years. It seems inconceivable that any individual or group of individuals would be so blinded by the lure of power which is but another word for money to declare war against such a necessary force for the good of America and its people.

Here in Waltham a highly intelligent and exceptionally skilled body of women and men have developed a product known internationally for its standard of excellence. It has been produced under conditions that make for loyalty and cheerfulness in the service rendered by the employee. The workers of the Waltham Watch Company desire only the right to continue in their employment, seeking in return for their labor only that which competent judges have determined that they are entitled to re-

ceive. From what I have been able to ascertain it is another one of those strikes engineered in the name of economy, solely for the purpose of liquidating the wage scale of the workers. No worth-while American is desirous of a return to the starvation wage scale which obtained in America prior to the World War.

Every thoughtful citizen realizes that the saving wage scale resulting from the World War has been the most potential factor in improved health and mental conditions and opportunities for the American people. The sincere wishes and earnest prayers of all lovers of America and of justice are with the workers of Waltham in their courageous stand for the retention of a wage scale which means more profitable business for every local interest in Waltham and more general happiness in the home of every worker.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

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nely, D. J. Donovan, J. Dowdal, J. P. Driscoll, J. T. Delaney, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, J. J. O'Neil, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 6:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burke, 1½ days, \$7.50; P. Clougherty, 3 days, \$15; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—E. Rafferty, 3½ days, \$15.94; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Lynch, 5½ days, \$24.05; M. White, ¾ day, \$3.75; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. O'Day, 3½ days, \$15.47; B. Dellorusso, ½ day, \$2.81; J. Dolan, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$8.91; T. Murphy, 1½ days, \$8.44; S. Mariane, 1½ days, \$8.91; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; R. Doyle, 5½ days, \$27.84; C. Driscoll, 5 days, \$27.50; P. Ippolite, ½ day, \$3.09; J. Welch, ¾ day, \$3.75; P. Clougherty, 1½ days, \$8.25; D. Kirby, 2½ days, \$10.38; G. Cunningham, 1½ days, \$8.46; T. Byrnes, 1½ days, \$10.31; J. Blessington, 1½ days, \$9.38; F. Joyce, ½ day, \$2.53; A. Rolfe, ½ day, \$2.67; A. McDougall, ¾ day, \$1.78; W. Corbett, ¾ day, \$1.78; J. Reilly, ¾ day, \$1.78; H. Cauley, 1½ days, \$6.56; W. Shields, 1½ days, \$6.56; T. Higgins, 1½ days, \$5.91; J. Horgan, J. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$6.23 each; N. McPhee, 1½ days, \$6.56; D. McGowan, 1½ days, \$7.42; R. McDonough, 1½ days, \$7.03; P. Coleman, 1½ days, \$7.13; M. Mathews, ¾ day, \$3.75; J. Cummings, ¾ day, \$2.06; E. DeAngelis, 1½ days, \$7.50; F. Giammetto, 1½ days, \$6.75; H. Killoran, 1½ days, \$6.75; S. Michewicz, 1½ days, \$7.88; F. Laskey, 1½ days, \$6.75; J. McLean, ¾ day, \$1.88; F. Schena, 1½ day, \$5.91; J. McKay, 1 day, \$4.75; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—B. Doherty, C. King, T. McGuinness, J. O'Toole, E. Pyne, P. Waters, F. Wilhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; T. Gallagher, E. Hart, J. M. O'Toole, M. Shea, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; G. Schleherber, J. Hennessey, W. Meskell, C. O'Malley, ¾ day, \$3.38 each; C. Joyce, 1½ days, \$5.91; P. Loftus, 1½ days, \$8.02; S. LoPilato, 1½ days, \$5.20; P. Mulkern, 3½ days, \$13.92.

Total, \$514.09; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$508.59.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 9:

Main Department.

I. C. Nelson, assistant engineer, 7½ hours, \$6.56; E. Darcy, fireman, 36 hours, \$27; J. McDonough, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; W. Robbins, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; D. Hurley, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.32; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. O'Halloran, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62; Joseph Haley, C. Doran, ambulance drivers, 12 hours, \$7.56 each; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; A. Imbrato, J. Lorden, laundrymen, 2½ hours, \$1.51 each; J. Scaduto, laundryman, 2½ hours, \$1.31; E. Laskey, laundryman, 2½ hours, \$1.22; A. Howard, laundryman, 2½ hours, \$1.13; H. Gunning, laundryman, 2½ hours, \$1.06; V. Derne, R. Keith, P. Lavin, J. McDonald, porters, 2½ hours, \$0.97 each; M. Davis, laundry assistant, 2½ hours, \$0.99; M. Keating, laundry assistant, 2½ hours, \$0.88; M. Ham, K. Stepien, A. Taura, laundresses, 2½ hours, \$0.77 each; G. Baker, L. Brickley, M. Cotter, M. Devlin, H. Doyle, M. Falvey, A. Fetter, E. Frieberg, E. Friedenberg, J. Gangtarz, W. Hawley, M. Gannon, C. Harkins, M. Haynes, S. Koldys, N. Keegan, M. Keegan, M. Keegan, M. Langev, G. McGee, A. Miller, M. Morgan, E. Murphy, M. Okemvska, W. Otto, C. Peterson, H. Reardon, L. Schwolmann, M. Schwolmann, A. Sienkiewicz, A. Stanulys, M. Wall, V. Ziembra, K. Zulyte, laundresses, 2½ hours, \$0.75 each.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

E. Gardiner, laundryman, 2½ hours, \$1.51; C. Farren, T. McKenna, A. McGonagle, laundresses, 2½ hours, \$0.75 each.

East Boston Relief Station.

J. Keohane, M. Harkins, N. McKenzie, laundresses, 2½ hours, \$0.75 each.
Total, \$139.73.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Upon October 4 the Mayor approved a contract with the R. T. Green Company for repairing hull of ferryboat "John H. Sullivan." Bids for the work, opened October 1, were as follows:

Central Engineering Company, \$3,584; E. T. Green Company, \$4,755; Murray Engineering Company, \$4,867.50; Bethlehem Shipbuilding Company, \$6,937.50; the Atlantic Works \$254,711.

Upon October 9 the Mayor approved a contract with W. H. Ellis & Son Company for repairing wharf at coal rocket, South Ferry, East Boston. Bids for the work, opened October 7, were as follows:

W. H. Ellis & Son Company, \$1,142.20; William L. Miller Company, \$1,178.70; W. S. Rendle & Son Company, \$1,339.50; Rendle Stoddard Construction Company, \$1,443.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 2 the Mayor approved a contract with E. F. Mahady Company, the Thomas W. Reed Company, the Metropolitan Dental Supply Company and Codman & Shurtleff, Inc., for furnishing surgical supplies to the Boston City Hospital. Bids for the supplies opened September 29, were as follows:

	Thomas W. Reed Company.	Metropolitan Dental Supply Company.	E. F. Mahady Company.	Codman & Shurtleff, Inc.
6 Kny Scheerer No. 1297 floor lamps, each.....	\$7 90		\$7 50	\$16 50
1 pair Seiler's cautery cords, per pair.....			12 25	
1 pair Seiler's cautery handle, each.....			14 50	
2 dozen assorted Seiler platinum cautery knives, per dozen.....			121 60	
6 Sorenson No. 911 Sinus cleansers, per half dozen.....			174 10	78 00
6 No. 760 DeVilbiss atomizer heater sets complete with atomizer, per half dozen.....	85 00		179 80	363 50
6 Sorenson No. 70 wall plates, per half dozen.....			144 00	190 00
2 sets Pfau Hartman tuning forks, per set.....	10 00		12 50	12 50
1 certified Dench tuning fork, each.....	10 00		12 00	12 00
1 Pfau Galton whistle, each.....	4 50	\$4 50	4 50	5 00
1 Barony noisy apparatus, each.....	8 00		7 00	16 00
1 No. C-1035 Jones Barony chair.....			115 00	150 00
1 No. C-1036 Barony douche complete, each.....			6 00	6 50
1 No. C-1037 Barony improved cut-off, each.....			12 25	
1 dozen Koch Ingall's nasal specula, per dozen.....	17 00	21 60	15 00	18 00
1 Kny Scheerer Killian's nasal speculum, medium, each.....	5 00	5 40	3 75	6 50
1 Kny Scheerer Killian's nasal speculum, small, each.....	5 00	5 40	3 75	6 50
3 dozen sets of three each Kny Scheerer Gruber's ear specula, 1 dozen sets.....	21 00	21 60	13 00	15 00
6 special Gruber's infants' ear specula, each.....	1 25	60	50	1 40
3 Pfau Hartman's alligator jaw ear forceps, baby, each.....	13 00	3 15	4 50	7 1 80
1 dozen Pfau bayonet ear forceps, rustless, per dozen.....	27 00		124 00	830 00
1 dozen Blake's angular ear forceps, rustless, per dozen.....	27 00		116 20	18 00
3 No. C-1110 Pfau Hartman biting ear forceps, each.....	7 00		15 00	7 50
1 No. C-1111 Pfau Hartman Citelli ear forceps, each.....	14 00		17 50	21 60
1 dozen Pfau 6-inch bayonet nasal forceps, per dozen.....	12 00	18 36	21 00	630 00
2 Pfau Hartman nasal forceps, large, each.....	2 50	12 48	2 50	42 75
2 Pfau Hartman nasal forceps, small, each.....	2 25	2 48	12 00	2 25
2 Luc's nasal forceps, each.....	1 25	1 53	4 50	6 80
3 Pfau Strychen's scissor forceps, each.....	10 00	9 00	18 00	613 00
2 Pfau small ring nasal punches, each.....	10 00	19 00	9 50	16 50
1 Kny Scheerer No. C-8158 Universal handle, each.....	10 00	9 90	7 50	16 75
1 Kny Scheerer No. 5 tip for above, each.....	8 50	8 10	6 00	15 75
1 Kny Scheerer No. 75 tip for above, each.....	9 00	9 00	7 00	16 25
1 Kny Scheerer No. 40 tip for above, each.....	12 00	13 50	9 50	19 50
1 Kny Scheerer No. 78 tip for above, each.....	9 00		7 75	17 15
1 Kny Scheerer No. 80 tip for above, each.....	9 00	8 10	6 00	15 75
1 Kny Scheerer No. 50 tip for above, each.....	9 00		7 00	16 25
3 dozen triangular and nasal applicators, per dozen.....	3 00	2 16	11 25	1 50
1 dozen triangular and throat applicators, per dozen.....	3 00	3 24	12 50	612 00
1 Durdas Grant laryngeal forceps, each.....			14 00	6 50
1 Knight's biting forceps, Stille, each.....	4 00		18 00	
1 Halle laryngeal forceps, Pfau, each.....			13 00	
2 dozen assorted Bolio throat mirrors with handles, 4, 6-1, 8-3, 6-5, per lot.....	23 00	18 00	15 00	14 50
1 dozen B. & L. head mirrors, 3½ by ½, per dozen.....	26 00	30 00	24 00	123 40
1 dozen leather head bands, per dozen.....	18 00	23 76	16 20	18 00
1 M throat sticks, per M.....	1 65	2 00	11 25	2 00
1 box applicators, per box.....		75	1 40	
8 regular Farlow tongue depressors, each.....	1 50	1 35	1 00	1 95
4 Farlow tongue depressors, solid blades, each.....	1 50		1 50	61 00
3 40-ounce D. & H. all metal ear syringes, each with two tips.....	4 75		13 00	3 45
2 Blake's middle ear syringes, each.....			3 00	11 50
1 dozen Farlow nasal probes, per dozen.....	11 00	9 72	15 00	613 50
1 dozen silver ear probes, per dozen.....		11 88	19 00	613 80
3 paracentesis sets, each with two knives and one handle, lot.....	7 50	7 45	16 75	67 80
2 peritonsil knives, each.....	2 50		11 00	61 50
2 curved canal knives, each.....			1 25	61 75
3 Hooper snares, C. & S. each.....			15 00	12 00
2 nasal conchotomes, Pfau, each.....			14 50	616 50
1 medium Knowles trocar, each.....			14 50	64 50
1 Tobey trocar, C. & S. each.....			6 00	15 00
12 pure silver eustachian catheters, Hartman's, per dozen.....	27 00	27 00	22 50	33 00
3 sets eustachian Bougies Yankauer's, lot.....		14 85	13 50	112 00
1 set of three sharp ear curettes, Buck's, lot.....	3 90	4 86	3 00	12 50
1 No. 575 chair, with No. 535 attachment Sorenson, each.....			166 25	175 00
2 Holmes nasopharyngoscope, E. S. I. Company, direct image, each.....	35 00		30 40	32 00
3 Siegeloscopes, metal, each.....	4 00	12 25	3 50	3 25
3 8-ounce Politzer bags, Davol, each.....	3 75	1 80	1 90	1 35
3 8-ounce Politzer bags, Davol, with valve, each.....	3 75	1 98	1 00	1 45
1 Coakley transilluminator, each.....			8 60	18 50
3 Blake snares, Kny Scheerer, each.....	2 50	2 25	2 50	12 00
3 cerumen hooks, Spear's, each.....			11 25	6 75
6 dozen wire applicators, per dozen.....	2 50		1 60	6 40
3 ½ dressing forceps, Kny Scheerer, each.....	75	80	60	150
3 ½ M. T. forceps, Kny Scheerer, each.....	80	1 00	75	160
1 ½ Mayor scissors, Stille rustless, each.....	4 00		6 00	95 50
3 No. 3003 Freer's dissectors, each.....	2 10		1 50	11 35
2 No. 3002 septum knives, each.....			11 50	1 60
2 5½ bandage scissors, Kny Scheerer, each.....	21 25	1 44	1 25	11 25
3 rubber aprons, Davol, No. 591, each.....	1 50		1 35	1 25
1 bath thermometer, No. 5607-S, each.....			1 35	62 80
2 Mosher ethmoid curettes, each.....	3 00	3 15	11 75	1 15
2 Faulkner ethmoid curettes, each.....	2 25	2 52	2 00	1 15
1 four-cell Wappler pocket battery, each.....			16 00	6 25
2 Ballenger swivel knives, each.....	3 00	3 15	12 75	64 50
1 Jansen Strychen's punch, Pfau, each.....	10 00	14 40	19 00	622 50
1 Jansen Middleton punch, Pfau, each.....	14 00	15 30	14 50	622 50
2 Knight's forceps, Pfau, each.....	12 50	4 15	8 00	
1 medium septum forcep, each.....	14 00		12 00	
1 septum mallet, each.....	12 00	2 52	3 00	6 50
12 novocain dishes, square, heavy glass, per dozen.....			1 20	
4 dozen one half pint lightening jars, per dozen.....			11 25	1 50
1 Politzer acumeter, each.....	4 75	5 40	12 75	4 50

	Thomas W. Reed Company.	Metropolitan Dental Supply Company.	E. F. Mahady Company.	Codman & Shurtleff, Inc.
6 No. 3365 Phillips reservoirs, each.....	\$3 00	\$2 97	\$12 00	
6 Kny Scheerer No. 1379 specialists' tables, each.....			150 00	\$56 25
6 Kny Scheerer No. 1352 specialists' stools, each.....			110 80	12 15
5 Kny Scheerer No. 1360 specialists' chairs, each.....	17 00		123 20	26 10
1 special No. 2 galvanic, faradic, cautery and diagnostic lamp controller complete with rotary transformer for use on direct current, each.....			1105 00	106 00

¹ Awarded item. ² A or equal. ³ No. 519. ⁴ German make. ⁵ Mueller. ⁶ C. & S. ⁷ K. S.
⁸ C. & S., not rustless. ⁹ American make.

Best Delivery Date.—Thomas W. Reed Company, 16 days, 2 per cent discount
 E. F. Mahady Company, about 10 days; Codman & Shurtleff Company, Inc., at once on
 C. & S. instruments.

Total.—Thomas W. Reed Company, \$58.50; Metropolitan Dental Supply Company,
 \$52.57; E. F. Mahady Company, \$1,579.33; Codman & Shurtleff Company, Inc., \$281.25

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the lowest bidders as indicated
 below for furnishing hay, grain, etc., to the various city departments during October,
 1924. Bids for the supply, opened September 30, were as follows:

DISTRICTS	No. 2 Hay.	No. 3 Hay.	Straw.	No. 2 Oats.	Shorts.	Corn.
SOUTH BOSTON.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*26 95		\$25 00	\$0 65	*36 00	
John J. White Company.....	27 90	\$27 40	*24 75	*65	37 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	28 95	27 95	25 45	67	38 50	\$1 60
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.....				67	38 00	
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	27 75	27 00				
EAST BOSTON.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*26 95		*23 00	*65	*36 00	
John J. White Company.....	27 90	27 40	26 00	65	37 50	
Lord & Webster Company.....	28 95	27 95	25 45	67	39 00	*1 60
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.....				67	38 00	
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	27 75	27 00				
CHARLESTOWN.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*26 95		*25 00	*65	*36 00	
John J. White Company.....	27 75	27 25	26 00	65	37 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	28 75	27 75	25 45	67	37 00	*1 60
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.....				67		
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	27 50	27 00				
CITY PROPER.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*26 95		25 00	65	36 00	
John J. White Company.....	27 40	26 90	*24 25	*64	*36 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	26 50	27 50	25 45	67	36 00	*1 60
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.....				67	38 00	
Hosmer, Robinson & Co.....	27 50	27 00				
ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	30 00	29 50	26 50	68	35 00	
Landy Brothers.....	28 00		*24 50	66	*35 00	*1 50
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*26 95		25 00	*65	36 00	
John J. White Company.....	27 90	27 40	26 00	66	38 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	28 95	27 95	25 95	67	37 00	1 60
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.....				67	38 00	
DORCHESTER.						
The Whittemore Company.....	30 00	29 50	26 50	68	35 00	
Landy Brothers.....	28 00		*24 50	*66	*35 00	*1 50
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*27 35		25 00	66	36 00	
John J. White Company.....	28 40	27 90	27 00	67	38 50	
Lord & Webster Company.....	28 95	27 95	25 95	67	37 00	1 60
WEST ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	30 00	29 50	28 50	68	35 00	
Landy Brothers.....	28 00		*24 50	*66	*35 00	*1 50
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*27 35			67		
BRIGHTON.						
The Whittemore Company.....	30 00	29 50	26 50	68	*35 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	*27 35			67		
Ogden & Thompson.....	†28 50	25 50	*25 50	*65	37 00	1 15
Ogden & Thompson.....	†26 50	25 50				
HYDE PARK.						
The Whittemore Company.....	30 00	29 50	26 50	68	35 00	
Landy Brothers.....	*28 00		*24 50	*66	*35 00	*1 50
William Culkeen & Sons Company.....	28 00			67		

* Contract Awarded. † Timothy hay. ‡ Clover.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon October 4 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Russo for sewerage works in Maynard street, between Metropolitan avenue and 260 feet southwesterly, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened October 2, were as follows:

C. Russo, \$1,066; C. Iacozza, \$1,107.75;

DeCristofaro & Brothers, \$1,140.25; Vozzella & Capone, \$1,203.75; M. DeSisto Company, \$1,229; L. Balboni, \$1,251.50; A. D. Daddario, \$1,310.25; M. DeMatteo, \$1,371.25; S. J. Tomasello, \$1,466.50; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$1,485.

Upon October 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Zoppo & Civitarese for sewerage works in Arnold street, Vale street,

Linwood street and Child street, Hyde Park. Bids for the work, opened October 6, were as follows:

Zoppo & Civitarese, \$5,403.75; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$5,625.75; J. Williams Company, \$6,084.75; A. D. Daddano, \$6,103.25; C. Russo, \$6,407.70; C. Iacozza, \$6,486.90; M. DeMatteo, \$6,510.10; M. DeSisto Company, \$6,536.25; J. J. Conway, \$6,688.25; A. Grande, \$7,494.25; L. Balboni, \$7,653.05; George J. Regan, \$9,026.65; D. DiPietro et al., \$9,075.45.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon October 6 the Mayor approved a contract with Vozzella & Capone for laying and relaying water pipes in Central avenue, Greenwood avenue, Metropolitan avenue, Thatcher street and Westminster street, Hyde Park. Bids for the work, opened October 3, were as follows:

Vozzella & Capone, \$5,840.50; A. Grande, \$5,897.50; L. Balboni, \$5,916; J. Williams & Co., \$5,986; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$6,185.50; M. DeSisto Company, \$7,120; C. Russo, \$7,865; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$8,933.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Upon October 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the Murray Engineering Company for painting draw span of Chelsea Bridge North. Bids for the work, opened September 29, were as follows:

Murray Engineering Company, \$5,500; Maurice M. Devine, \$9,200; William Miller Company, \$11,743.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 6 the Mayor approved a contract with the below named concerns furnishing light and heavy fuel oil to the various departments of the city. Bids for the supply, opened October 3, were as follows:

For furnishing heavy fuel oil, to the Petroleum Heat and Power Company at 4.4 cents per gallon. For light fuel oil, to the New England Oil Refining Company at 7.5 cents per gallon.

Heavy Fuel Oil.

Hospital Department.—Beacon Oil Company, 4.45 cents per gallon; Petroleum Heat and Power Company, 4.4 cents per gallon.

Sewer Service.—Cities' Service Refining Company, 4.35 cents per gallon; Beacon Oil Company, 4.45 cents per gallon; Petroleum Heat and Power Company, 4.4 cents per gallon.

Garage.—Beacon Oil Company, 4.45 cents per gallon; Petroleum Heat and Power Company, 4.4 cents per gallon.

Public Buildings.—Beacon Oil Company, 4.45 cents per gallon; Petroleum Heat and Power Company, 4.4 cents per gallon.

Fire Department.—Beacon Oil Company, 4.45 cents per gallon; Petroleum Heat and Power Company, 4.4 cents per gallon.

Kind.—Cities' Service Refining Company, blended; Beacon Oil Company, topped; Petroleum Heat and Power Company, nat. topped.

Moisture, Per Cent.—Cities' Service Refining Company, not over 1 per cent.

Seconds, Viscosity.—Cities' Service Refining Company, not more than 200 at 122 degrees F.; Beacon Oil Company, not more than 300; Petroleum Heat and Power Company, 186.

Flash Point, Degrees F.—Cities' Service Refining Company, 150; Beacon Oil Company, 150; Petroleum Heat and Power Company, 150.

Heating Value B. T. U. Figure at Degrees Beaume.—Cities' Service Refining Company, 18,300 at 16 degrees; Beacon Oil Company, 14,500 at 15 to 16; Petroleum Heat and Power Company, 18,450 at 15 degrees.

Light Fuel Oil.

Fire Department.—New England Oil Refining Company, 7½ cents per gallon; Beacon Oil Company, 7.45 cents per gallon; Standard Oil Company of New York, 7½ cents per gallon.

Hyde Park Building.—New England Oil Refining Company, 7½ cents per gallon; Beacon Oil Company, 7.45 cents per gallon; Standard Oil Company of New York, 7½ cents per gallon.

Washington and Norfolk Street Building.—New England Refining Company, 7½ cents per gallon; Beacon Oil Company, 7.45 cents per gallon; Standard Oil Company of New York, 7½ cents per gallon.

Rosindale Building.—New England Oil Refining Company, 7½ cents per gallon; Beacon Oil Company, 7.45 cents per gallon; Standard Oil Company of New York, 7½ cents per gallon.

Per Cent Moisture.—New England Oil Refining Company, 1 per cent; Beacon Oil Company, 1 per cent.

Gravity Degrees Beaume.—New England Oil Refining Company, 27-32; Beacon Oil Company, 28-36; Standard Oil Company of New York, 27-32.

Flash Point Degrees F.—New England Oil Refining Company, 150; Beacon Oil Company, 150; Standard Oil Company of New York, 150.

Heating Value B. T. U. Figure at Degrees Beaume.—New England Oil Refining Company, 19,400 at 30 degrees; Beacon Oil Company, 18,700 at 30 degrees; Standard Oil Company of New York, 19,400 at 30 degrees; Petroleum Heat and Power Company, 19,400.

Discount Ten Days.—New England Oil Refining Company, 1 per cent.

Upon October 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for furnishing meats to various city departments during October, 1924. Bids for the supply, opened September 30, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

Thirteen Hundred Pounds Loins Beef.—Merchants Provision Company, 23 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 24 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 29 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Rib Cuts.—Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Five Hundred Pounds Undercuts.—Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound.

Five Hundred Pounds Beef Bones.—Merchants Provision Company, 2 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 1½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 3 cents per pound.

One Hundred Pounds New York Hips.—Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound.

Two Thousand Pounds Fowl.—Merchants Provision Company, 23 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 25 cents per pound.

Seven Hundred Pounds Pork Loins.—Merchants Provision Company, 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 31 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Bacon.—Merchants Provision Company, 17 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Twenty-five Pounds Ham.—Merchants Provisions Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 24 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Lamb.—Merchants Provision Company, 26 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 25 cents per pound.

Four Hundred Pounds Veal Fores.—Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 8 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 11 cents per pound.

One Hundred Pounds Veal Legs.—Merchants Provision Company, 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound.

Total.—Merchants Provision Company, \$1,537.50; William A. Doe Company, \$1,552.50; Mohawk Packing Company, \$144.06.*

Infirmary Division.

Long Island Hospital.

Five Thousand Pounds Corned Beef Stickers.—Merchants Provision Company, 8½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 8½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 8½ cents per pound.

One Thousand Pounds Corned Beef Brisket.—Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound.

Two Thousand Pounds Rib Cuts.—Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Fifteen Hundred Pounds Ham.—Merchants Provision Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 24 cents per pound.

Sixteen Hundred Fifty Pounds Fowl.—Merchants Provision Company, 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 28 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 31 cents per pound.

Twenty-two Hundred Fifty Pounds Hinds.—Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound.

Thirty-three Hundred Seventy-five Pounds Lamb.—Merchants Provision Company, 26 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 25 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Frankfurt Sausages.—Merchants Provision Company, 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Bacon.—

Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound.

Two Hundred Fifty Pounds Bacon.—Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Forty Pounds Lamb.—Merchants Provision Company, 14½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 12 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound.

Total.—Merchants Provision Company, \$3,337.80; William A. Doe Company, \$2,992.80; Mohawk Packing Company, \$3,406.25*.

Park Department.

Penal Division.

Two Thousand Pounds Chucks.—Merchants Provision Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9.7 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound.

Total.—Merchants Provision Company, \$200; William A. Doe Company, \$194; Mohawk Packing Company, \$200.

Three Thousand Nine Hundred Pounds Stickers.—Merchants Provision Company, 8½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 8½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 8½ cents per pound.

Thirteen Hundred Pounds Under Cuts.—Merchants Provision Company, 16 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Forty Pounds Lamb Saddle.—Merchants Provision Company, 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 25 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 29 cents per pound.

Three Hundred Twenty-five Pounds Fowl.—Merchants Provision Company, 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 31 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound.

Five Hundred Sixty Pounds Frankfurts.—Merchants Provision Company, 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound.

Six Hundred Sixteen Pounds Short Ribs.—Merchants Provision Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Hinds.—Merchants Provision Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Pounds Forequarters.—Merchants Provision Company, 11 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 11 cents per pound.

Eight Hundred Eighty Pounds Bologna.—Merchants Provision Company, 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13½ cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound.

Total.—Merchants Provision Company, \$1,385.99; William A. Doe Company, \$1,309.17; Mohawk Packing Company, \$144.06.*

*Awarded contract.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces

without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 27 the Mayor approved a contract with George J. Regan for water supply at the Public Garden. A communication from the Park Department was as follows:

Boston, September 18, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—You are hereby requested to award to George J. Regan, 92 Stoughton street, Dorchester, without publicly advertising, a contract for water supply to the Public Garden for the sum of \$1,875.

You are hereby requested to award to George J. Regan, 92 Stoughton street, Dorchester, without publicly advertising, a contract for water supply to the Public Garden for the sum of \$1,875.

The reason for this request to award this contract, without advertising, is that the work must be done before the dedication of the George Robert White Memorial to be held October 1, 1924, and the contractor guarantees to complete the work before this date.

Respectfully yours,

DANIEL J. BYRNE,
Secretary.

Upon October 6 the Mayor approved a contract with P. J. Dinn & Co. for furnishing and installing a corral at Franklin Park. A communication from the Park Department was as follows:

Boston, October 6, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Your approval is respectfully asked to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners to award, without advertising, a contract to P. J. Dinn & Co., 278 Dover street, Boston, to furnish and install a corral, similar in every way to the present ones in Franklin Park Zoological Garden, for the sum of \$1,350.

The reason for making this request is that we have arranged with the United States Government to ship three buffaloes from the National Yellowstone Park to the Franklin Park Zoo. As the buffaloes are to be shipped at once, we have not the time to advertise for proposals for the construction of a corral. The other work done for us by P. J. Dinn & Co. is of a high class and the price submitted is a very satisfactory one.

Very truly yours,

DANIEL J. BYRNE,
Secretary.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Dominick Fagone for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, October 3, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Domenick Fagone, 44 Tilton street, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense

of construction is divided by the City and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve \$1,000.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon October 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Levine-Segal for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, October 3, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Levine-Segal, 110 Waumbek street, Roxbury, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve \$1,000.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon September 26 the Mayor approved a contract with A. G. Tomasello, for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, September 23, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Your approval is respectfully requested to the award of a contract, without advertising, to A. G. Tomasello & Son, 68 Devonshire street, Boston, for building sewerage works in Bowman street, Dorchester, at a cost of \$1,901.50.

There would be no advantage in advertising for bids for this work. A. G. Tomasello & Son now have a contract for concrete pavement in this street, and are in a better position to construct the sewerage works in conjunction with their paving contract than would be the case by advertising for bids, and having two contractors in the street at the same time.

The work to be done under this contract is to be completed on or before October 15, 1924.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon October 6 the Mayor approved a contract with M. Racich for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, October 6, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to M. Racich, 1060 Saratoga street, East Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters also because such contracts

vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve \$1,000.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 30 the Mayor approved a contract with T. F. Connor for painting the gymnasium and drill hall of the English High School. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

Boston, September 29, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor, under the provisions of chapter 486, section 30, of the Acts of 1909, to awarding a contract, without advertising, to T. F. Connor, 1 Cedar park, Roxbury district, for painting the gymnasium and drill hall of the English High School, the cost of said work to exceed \$1,000.

The reason for making this request is as follows: The Board has been notified that the alumni banquet is to be held in these rooms on October 30, and there is not therefore sufficient time to advertise for bids and have the work completed by that date. The Board consequently requests the approval of your Honor to the awarding of contract as stated.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

Upon October 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Walter Curley & Son for repairs to the Charles Sumner School. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

Boston, October 3, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor to the payment of bill of Walter Curley & Son, 11 Robeson street, in the sum of one thousand six hundred and twelve dollars and nineteen cents (\$1,612.19), for repairs to the Charles Sumner School.

The reason for making this request is as follows: Two fires occurred in this building, on June 11 and on June 25, which caused considerable damage. This is a four-story building, and all four floors were damaged. It was impossible at the time to approximate the amount of repair work to be done, and it was also an emergency job, as the school was required to be ready for occupancy at the reopening of school sessions. The Board therefore believed it advisable to have the work proceeded with at once, and as it is now completed, requests your Honor's approval of payment of the bill as stated.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

Upon October 6 the Mayor approved a contract with the Nichols-Egan Company for finish hardware for the Bennett School. A communication from

Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Commission was as follows:

Boston, October 6, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor, under the provisions of chapter 86, section 30, of the Acts of 1909, to awarding a contract, without advertising, to Nichols-Egan Company, Water street, in the sum of two thousand and fifty (2,050) dollars, for finish hardware for the Bennett School, which is being rebuilt after the fire.

The reason for making this request is as follows: The building will be ready for the hardware in about five weeks, and it will take longer than that time to have the hardware prepared and delivered at the work. There is therefore not sufficient time to advertise for bids. The Board believes it desirable to award the contract as stated, and trusts this will meet with your approval.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 2 the Mayor approved a contract with the Chicago Pneumatic Tool Company for furnishing tools as noted below. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

Boston, October 2, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to enter into contract, without advertising, with the Chicago Pneumatic Tool Company for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Bridge and Ferry Division: One 6½ by 6 vertical single acting compressor, \$696; one fifteen horse power, forty degrees 600 revolutions per minute, 550-volt, three-phase Wagner type, "BW" motor with Cutler-Hammer starter and diaphragm type pressure regulator, \$540; one centrifugal unloader, \$60; one automatic water control valve, \$32; one 30 by 6 Massachusetts air receiver, \$185. Total, \$1,513. The Bridge and Ferry Division have decided on this make of compressor as being best suited to the needs of their department, and as the Chicago Pneumatic Tool Company are the manufacturers, no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising same.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon October 7 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Buick Company for furnishing to the Fire Department one Buick coupe. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

Boston, October 7, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising for same, to the Boston Buick Company for furnishing to the Boston Fire Department: one 1925-48 Buick coupe, \$2,295; allowance on

1918 touring car and 1918 roadster at \$50 each, \$100. Net amount of contract, \$2,195.

As this department has standardized on this type of car, I trust the permission requested will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon September 26 the Mayor approved a contract with the High Speed Traction Company for furnishing the Public Works Department, Highway Division, with thirty snow plows. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

Boston, September 19, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is requested to enter into contract, without advertising, with the High Speed Traction Company for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Highway Division, thirty (30) snow plows at a price of \$300 each, total amount of contract \$9,000. These plows to be made according to the specifications filed with the Commissioner of Public Works, who has recommended the purchase of these plows as being best suited for the needs of his department.

Trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am,

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Hodge Boiler Works have been ordered to do the following work on various schools as per inspector's letter of September 12, 1924: Christopher Columbus School, renew two tubes, \$38.96; Winchell School, renew two tubes, \$32.91; Gilbert Stuart School, renew eleven tubes and repair four handholes, \$228.61; John A. Andrew School, renew one tube and one handhole plate, \$35.52; Boys' Trade School, renew four tubes, \$69.76; Hyde School, renew one tube, \$23.46; Choate Burnham School, renew four tubes, \$67.62; Oliver Hazard Perry School, renew seven tubes and pack handholes, \$84.87; Emerson School, renew boiler, \$286; Bigelow School, renew two tubes, \$34.14; Blackinton School, renew one tube (furnished by department), \$12.20; Lawrence School, renew nine tubes, \$88.23; Horace Mann School, renew three tubes, \$36.84; Frothingham School, renew one tube, \$13. For the above work add to contract the sum of \$1,052.12. Contract price, \$7,980; total additions, \$1,652.12; amount of contract, \$9,032.12.

P. F. Russo Company have been allowed the following additions to contract for the Amos Webster School as per architect's letter of September 17, 1924: Addition: Provide and install one new exit door to boys' sanitary with all necessary frames, hardware, hinged grilles, painting, etc., \$50; repair exit door, girls' sanitary; remove upper wood panel, glaze same, provide hinged grille, painting, etc., \$30; relocate tool room at girls' end of corridor, reset all posts, grilles, etc., taken down to erect tool room as shown

on plan, 96 hours, carpenter, at \$1.50, \$144; angle irons, bolts, screws, etc., \$6.75; install new cement floors and platform, boys' sanitary; six tons gravel at \$3, \$18; thirty-five bags cement at \$1, \$35; carpenter, 14 hours at \$1.50, \$21; lumber, \$12; mason, 40 hours at \$1.50, \$60; mason's helper, 40 hours at \$0.85, \$34; ball cocks, girls' sanitary: two ball cocks at \$2.38, \$4.76; one ball cock and float at \$3.38, \$3.38; twelve hours' labor at \$1.50, \$18. Total addition, \$436.89. Deduction: 1,450 feet of spruce at \$35, \$50.75. Net addition, \$386.14. Contract price, \$1,297; total addition, \$386.14; amount of contract, \$1,683.14.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

The Western Electric Company, Inc., have been allowed to amend their contract for furnishing electrical material for departmental use by striking out the words and figures, "May 1, 1924," on page 12, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "September 15, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said paragraph on page 12 shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about April 15, 1924, and is to be completed on or before September 15, 1924."

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the following construction work, upon request of the Public Works Commissioner:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch-12-inch earthen pipe in Arnold street, from Vale street 400 feet southeasterly a sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Vale street, between Linwood and Arnold streets; a sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Linwood street, between Child and Vale streets; and a 12-inch earthen pipe sanitary sewer in Child street, between Gordon avenue and Linwood street, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of \$9,234.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Capen street, between Fairmount street and Wilmington avenue, and in Wilmington avenue, from Capen street 249 feet easterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$3,900.

A sanitary sewer of 8-inch earthen pipe in Woodward Park street, between a point 46 feet northwest of Folsom street and a point 50 feet northwesterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$600.

LOANS IN 1923-24.

Total amount borrowed; \$7,190,000 or \$932,500 less than in 1922. Objects and amount for each:—Rapid Transit, \$2,035,000; of which \$1,513,000 was for East Boston Tunnel, Alterations; Making of Highways, \$1,100,000; Sewerage Works, \$1,000,000; Police Headquarters, \$500,000; Public Buildings, various, \$495,000; Columbus Park, Improvements, \$450,000; Playgrounds, etc., \$385,000; Police Station 2 Building, \$360,000; City Hospital, Improvements, \$269,000; Stuart Street Construction, \$200,000; Boston Sanatorium, Out-patient Building, \$150,000; Elks' Parker Hill Hospital, \$115,000; other objects, \$131,000.

Rates: \$3,476,000 at 4 per cent and \$3,714,000 at 4½. Outside debt limit, \$2,251,000 (Rapid Transit, Stuart St. also Cambridge and Courts Sts. construction); all other, serial loans inside debt limit.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.*General Order No. 616.*

BOSTON POLICE PARADE, DRESS PARADE,
AND REVIEW, MONDAY, OCTOBER
13, 1924.

General Instructions.

On Monday, October 13, 1924, the Boston police parade will take place, at 9.50 a. m. sharp.

Every officer in the department, who is not sick, will take part in the parade, go on street duty on his division, or will hold himself in readiness in his station house until the parade is over.

Division commanders will instruct all officers who are to take part in the parade, to present the very best possible appearance, not only as to uniform and equipment, but also as to personal appearance; hair trimmed, face shaved, and shoes conditioned; to refrain from chewing any substance; to preserve silence in the ranks; to pay no attention to greetings or remarks, friendly or otherwise, which may be made by spectators along the line, and at all times to pay attention and show discipline, so that when any command is given it will be understood and immediately executed.

The regulation fall uniforms, with dress coat, white standing collar, and white gloves will be worn by members of the department participating in the parade, and also by officers on detail and on street duty in uniform.

It is desirable that members of the force, who are veterans and who are entitled to wear decorations or insignia other than service buttons, members of the rifle clubs who qualified as sharpshooters and marksmen, and the members who have been awarded the Scott department medal, wear the same on breast of uniform coat in line with police badge, while taking part in the parade.

Short-day men detailed to parade will be excused at 6 a. m., October 13, and they will report at station for first-half duty at 6.45 p. m., October 13.

After the parade is over, day men on route duty will remain on the street until relieved, at about 7 p. m. Long-day men will be governed by instructions from their commanders.

During the parade the officer in charge of each station will see that a sufficient number of men is on street duty, and a sufficient number held in station for emergency calls. If additional men are needed in any station in an emergency, call headquarters immediately.

During the absence of the patrol wagons from Divisions 13 and 14, Division 13 will use its Ford touring car to answer wagon or other calls. In case an ambulance is needed, the nearest station having a combination wagon will send its wagon, if called. Division 13 will call Division 10's wagon and Division 14 will call Division 16's wagon. In case of accident, where more than one ambulance is required, officers in charge of divisions will notify headquarters, and they will immediately notify City Hospital and the Relief Hospital.

After the parade is dismissed on the Common, each captain or officer in charge of a unit will be governed by the superintendent's orders relative to other details for the day.

Division commanders stationed a long distance from parade formation point, will arrange for their men to ride in street cars, paying the fares, if necessary, and charge the same in their account.

Sergeant Comerford and twenty mounted patrolmen will ride at the head

of the parade, riding ten abreast, except in School street, where they will ride in column of fours.

The mounted unit will be preceded by two mounted patrolmen from Division 16 and they will act as skirmishers to clear the streets of vehicles and other obstructions. Two mounted men from Division 20 will ride in rear of parade.

Commanders of companies and units, as designated by Superintendent's Order of October 1 for the police parade, will report to Captain Louis E. Lutz, on Dartmouth street, between Commonwealth avenue and Beacon street, at 9 a. m. sharp, Monday, October 13, 1924.

Battalion commanders, Deputy Superintendents Thomas C. Evans, Forrest F. Hall and Thomas F. Goode, with their adjutants, lieutenants, William H. Allen, Division 2; George H. Guard, Division 13; and Harry P. Burns, Division 5, respectively, will report at the same time and place, form their respective battalions in line, and see that their several companies are properly uniformed and equipped, after which each battalion commander will direct his adjutant to report to the regimental adjutant, at 9.40 a. m., sharp. The companies assigned to each battalion are enumerated in General Order No. 612 of October 2, 1924.

Details, as per special order of October 1, 1924, for the Riot Gun companies, Motorcycle Unit, Machine Gun Unit, and for Divisions 8, 18, and Division 20, Traffic Company No. 2, will report at 8.45 a. m. to Adjutant Captain Lutz, in Commonwealth avenue, south side, at Dartmouth street. It is very important that the men detailed for these companies and units report on time and be carefully instructed as to which company they are to report.

The commanding officers of Divisions 8, 18, and 20, No. 2 Companies will report at 8.45 a. m. with the designated number of men from their own divisions. Their companies will be formed by the regimental adjutant, after which they will proceed to their place in their respective battalions.

Lieut. Charles B. McCloskey, Lieut. Edward H. Mullen, Lieut. Michael C. Bresnahan, and Lieut. Archibald F. Campbell, superintendent's staff, will report at 9.30 a. m., sharp, to Adjutant Lutz, on Dartmouth street, corner of Marlborough street.

Other lieutenants and sergeants, assigned to parade with companies and units other than their own, will report at time and place ordered for such company or unit.

The color bearers and color guard will report at Police Headquarters and be ready to leave there for the formation point at 9 a. m., October 13. Division 3 will furnish its patrol wagon to carry them to Dartmouth street at Marlborough street. After the parade is dismissed on the Common, the wagon driver will again report there and carry them back to headquarters.

Line will be formed at 9.45 a. m., with the right of the 1st Battalion resting at Commonwealth avenue on Dartmouth street, and the regiment turned over to Superintendent Michael H. Crowley, after which the regiment will start to parade at 9.50 a. m., sharp, over the following route:

Route.

Dartmouth street, to south side of Commonwealth avenue, Arlington street, Boylston street, north side, between Arlington and Charles streets, Tremont

street, Temple place, Washington, School, Beacon and Charles streets, to the Boston Common.

Division companies and riot gun companies will enter through gate, corner Charles and Beacon streets. The mounted unit, motorcycle unit, machine gun unit and patrol wagons will enter through the center gate drive to Common on Charles street, and take assigned posts in rear of the second Battalion.

The parade will be reviewed at City Hall by his Honor the Mayor, at the State house by his Excellency the Governor and his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, and after the dress parade on the Common by the Hon. Herbert A. Wilson, Police Commissioner.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 617.

In awarding, for the second time, the Walter Scott medal, provided from the income of the fund donated by Walter Scott, Esq., formerly of Boston, now of New York City, to be presented to the police officer in this department, who in my judgment, during the year 1923, specially distinguished himself for valor in the performance of his duty, I regret that I am limited to the presentation of only one medal, because of the many acts of heroism and courage achieved by members of this department since this medal was last awarded on January 24, 1923.

To the heroic dead of this department who gave their lives in the performance of their sworn duty as police officers, earthly recognition is impossible and unnecessary, for their brave acts are engraved and recorded in the indestructible records of this department.

Upon careful consideration and comparison of the acts of bravery and valor of the present members of this department, as reported to me, I have decided that Patrolman John H. Gottschalk of Division 14 has most "specially distinguished himself for valor in the performance of his duty as a police officer."

On March 12, 1923, at about 11.30 p. m., Patrolman Gottschalk, by his alertness and attention to duty, recognized the first three numbers of a number plate on a passing automobile, which three numbers had been read out at roll call, and also at the same time, disarmed and overpowered the occupant of the car, who proved to be one William E. Gray, a dangerous criminal, and head of a band which had been terrorizing the merchants of this city.

I therefore award to Patrolman John H. Gottschalk, the "Walter Scott Medal for Valor," with a feeling of gratification which I believe is shared by the whole department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims.

Mary E. O'Neill, 409 Columbia road, Dorchester, in the sum of \$303.37, as compensation for damage to property

near premises at 636 Columbia road, caused by tree, June 10, 1924.

Boston & Albany Railroad Company, in the sum of \$1,933, as compensation for damage to property caused by a break in water pipe at the Beacon Street Bridge on December 18, 1922.

Wolverine Realty Company, in the sum of \$11,470.65, as compensation for property damage caused by a break in water main at the Beacon Street Bridge on December 18, 1922.

Morey Pearl, 1299 Commonwealth avenue, in the sum of \$42, as compensation for damage to automobile caused when commandeered by a police officer, chasing another car from Beacon Hill to Massachusetts avenue, on March 22, 1924.

Robert E. LeBlanc, 2036 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for loss of bag and contents while assisting Inspector Crawford to arrest one Venello at 28 Hanover street, March 11, 1924.

Lawrence R. Donahue, 51 Brook road, Milton, in the sum of \$485.33 to be paid back pay due his son, Lawrence H. Donahue, late a member of the Fire Department, who died from injuries received in the performance of his duties.

J. G. Klier, 425 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, in the sum of \$25, as compensation for damage to property at 425 Bunker Hill street caused by fire apparatus December 18, 1923.

Charles J. McAdams, 150 Falcon street, East Boston, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for injuries received December 10, 1923, caused by an alleged defect at 215 Condor street.

Albert Lucianelli, 74 Maple street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$25, as compensation for damage to automobile January 25, 1924, caused by being run into by Water Division truck on Dudley street.

J. W. Gardner & Co., 58 Summer street, in the sum of \$1.50, as compensation for unused refuse tickets.

Charles Chiarenzo, 10 Charter street, Boston, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for injuries received August 6, 1924, on East Boston Ferry.

M. J. Catro, 108 Chelsea street, East Boston, in the sum of \$30, as compensation for damage to clothing on August 8, 1924, caused by broken ventilator on ferry boat "Palumbo."

Joe Burgio, 10 Charter street, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for injuries received August 6, 1924, on ferry boat "Noddle Island."

W. H. Ballard & Co., Inc., 45 Milk street, in the sum of \$370.54, as compensation for damage to property at 262 Washington street, caused by break in water main on May 25, 1924.

Thomas P. Train, 25 Woodward Park street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for damage to property at 25 Woodward Park street, on July 7, 1923, caused by break in water main.

Bengt. A. Swenson, 44 Rosemont street, Dorchester, in the sum of \$95, as compensation for damage to property at 44 Rosemont street, caused by backing up of sewer on March 7, 1924.

Anna B. Shue, 1471 Beacon street, Brookline, in the sum of \$66, as compensation for injuries and damages received December 27, 1923, caused by an alleged defect at Washington street and corner of Summer street.

Mary Hurley, 92 Chiswick road, Brighton, in the sum of \$50, as compensation for injuries received December 10, 1923, caused by an alleged defect at 1706 Commonwealth avenue.

James J. Conboy, 32 Rosemont road, Dorchester, in the sum of \$35, as compensation for damage to automobile on July 28, 1924, caused by being run into by street cleaning cart on Southampton street.

Martha Mason Curry, 2 Rockland street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for injuries received May 4, 1924, caused by an alleged defect in front of 281 Warren street.

John E. Dolaher, 33 East Dedham street, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for injuries received March 14, 1924, caused by an alleged defect at 15 Malden street.

Delia C. Darcy, 78 Fisher avenue, Roxbury, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for injuries and damages received March 8, 1924, caused by an alleged defect in Fisher avenue.

Henry G. Hoppe, 500 Southampton street, in the sum of \$125, as compensation for damage to property at 500 Southampton street, caused by break in water main on July 27, 1923.

M. Blanche Holbrook, 407 Marlboro street, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for injuries received July 23, 1924, caused by an alleged defect at 187 Massachusetts avenue.

Charles Marotti, 10 Charter street, East Boston, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for injuries received August 6, 1924, on the East Boston Ferry.

George E. Phalan, 33 Cross street, Charlestown, in the sum of \$22, as compensation for injuries received June 18, 1924, caused by manhole cover falling on foot.

Mrs. M. H. Peirce, 169 West Newton street, in the sum of \$25, as compensation for damage to property at 169 West Newton street, on May 12, 1924, caused by city team.

Madeline D. Vitelli, 265 Park street, South Weymouth, in the sum of \$97, as compensation for damage to automobile on June 5, 1924, caused by an alleged defect in Blue Hill avenue.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

A. Williams & Co. have been directed to perform the following additional work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Bonad road, Hillside avenue, Marion road, Metropolitan avenue, Parkton road, Roberts avenue and Russett road, West Roxbury. Items ordered: Lay 140 feet 8-inch pipe with one post hydrant thereon in Ruskin road, Hyde Park. Estimated cost of extra work, \$2.25.

C. & R. Construction Company have been directed to omit and add work under contract for laying high pressure fire pipes in Hawkins street, Bowker street, Chardon street, Kneeland street, Atlantic avenue, South street, Chatham street, Commerce street, Milk street, Washington street, Kilby street, Doane street, Broad street, State street, Hanover street, India street, North street, Union street, Sudbury street, Customhouse street, Kingston street, Fleet street. Items ordered: Deduct 300 linear feet 16-inch pipe in Chardon street

and 350 linear feet 12-inch pipe in Hanover street, which, owing to conditions underground cannot be laid, and add 1,200 linear feet 12-inch pipe to be laid in Canal and Market streets. Estimated cost of additional work, \$9,000.

Henry F. Malley has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Lake, Shannon, etc., streets. Items ordered: Reset edgestone, relay gutters and construct artificial stone sidewalks in Windermere road, east side, between Stoughton street and Cushing avenue. Prices to be paid the same as those paid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$1,431.

Joseph A. Singarella has been ordered to do the following additional work on contract for loaming and concrete bleachers at William E. Carter Playground, Roxbury, Mass. Raise and clean out manholes and catch-basins on ball fields; build brick manhole for water gate; raise drinking fountain on ball field and in children's corner. Estimated cost of work, \$400.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith, etc., streets. Items ordered: Grade, set edgestones, lay concrete pavement and cinder sidewalks in New England avenue, from Talbot avenue to Southern avenue. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$12,651.

John Williams & Co. have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Bonad road, Hillside avenue, Marion road, Metropolitan avenue, Parkton road, Roberts avenue and Russett road, West Roxbury. Items ordered: Extra labor handling stock due to operations of steam excavator engaged in cutting and filling on street construction in Metropolitan avenue. Estimated cost of extra work, \$30.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

Joseph A. Singarella has been granted an extension of time until November 1, 1924, for the completion of the contract for loaming and concrete bleachers at William E. Carter Playground, Roxbury, Mass.

M. McGinnis & Co. have been granted an extension of time until December 1, 1924, for the completion of the contract for furnishing and spreading loam on playgrounds, parks and cemeteries.

V. Barletta has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works for Dorchester brook sewer, east fork, in East Cottage street and Humphreys street, from Norfolk avenue to Holden street, Dorchester, from June 1, 1924, to September 17, 1924, 109 days.

This extension of time is in addition to previous extensions of time dated November 3, 1923, and December 29, 1923, making a total of 289 days, and is occasioned by the fact that the contractor was obliged to wait until the 30-inch gas pipes were relaid before the resurfacing of the sewer trench with water-bound macadam could be done.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 2 TO OCTOBER 8.

OCTOBER 2.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Continental Avenue Park	20 Colon street.....	25	First-class garage.	\$25,000
Henry G. Lemire	274 Beech street.....	23	Second-class dwelling.	7,000
Hannah Rooney	Rear of 64 Dix street.....	20	Second-class garage.	1,000
Annie Sawyer	Rear of 50 Lucerne street.....	21	Second-class garage.	1,000
Augustine Colantano	Rear of 266 Spring street.....	23	Second-class garage.	1,500
K. Larson	Rear of 11 Foss road.....	20	Third-class garage.	450
Abele Bartolotti	39 Burnham street.....	24	Third-class garage.	200
M. A. Christiens	133 Willow street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
M. A. Christiens	137 Willow street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Victor E. Nelson	25 Middleton street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Emile Drahcim	Rear of 36 Abbott street.....	23	Third-class garage.	490
E. H. P. Morrissey	210 and 212 Fuller street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Augusta Giesel	Rear of 209 Savannah ave.	24	Third-class garage.	500
Suburb Realty Company	12 Hobson street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Suburb Realty Company	19 Eastbourne street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.	5,000
E. W. Hanson	Rear of 44 Rockwell street.....	21	Third-class garage.	600
T. B. Bragon	Rear of 25 Ashmont street.....	21	Third-class garage.	600
Alexander Toto	2 Nelson street.....	24	Third-class garage.	200
Frank Pool	801 Washington street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Joseph H. Gould	183 Train street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Joseph Nuch	266 Maverick street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.	350
Anthony M. Sinkovich	327 West Third street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.	400
John J. Hennessey	650 East Seventh street.....	10	Alterations, tenements.	250
Washington-Essex Real Estate Trust	590-622 Washington street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	3,000
Guiseppa Macchia	4 Charter street.....	5	Alterations, store and dwelling.	2,500
Stanley Chmiell	427 East Eighth street.....	10	Alterations, laundry.	200
Washington-Essex Real Estate Trust	32-44 Essex street.....	5	Alterations, store and offices.	2,000
Boston Architectural Club	16 Somerset street.....	5	Alterations, club.	7,000
Alfred R. Tris	3859 Washington street.....	22	Alterations, garage.	5,000

OCTOBER 3.

Herman Robbins	Rear of 66 and 68 Hutchings street.	16	First-class garage.	\$975
Annie M. Murray	Rear of 59 Clarkson street.	18	First-class garage.	1,350
James P. Sullivan	36 Etna street.	26	First-class garage.	900
Frank Bova	146 Chiswick road.	25	First-class garage.	1,000
Samuel Altman	100 Beacon street.	8	First-class apartments.	250,000
Dolly M. Hayden	Rear of 48 Kenwood street.	19	Second-class garage.	1,000
Alexander Harper	Rear of 9 Glendale road.	23	Third-class storage.	100
Fred Haber	39 Lasz street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	5,000
A. Ekdahl	9 Cardington street.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	350
Harry Skloff	31 Kerwin street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Rossario Olivia	37 Thorndike street.	12	Alterations, store and tenements.	500
Quincy A. Shaw Estate	12 Ashburton place.	5	Alterations, offices.	900
Mrs. Edna D. Gordon	8 Clifford street.	24	Alterations, dwelling.	75
Catherine E. Lyons	51 High street.	3	Alterations, dwelling.	350
Benjamin F. Godfrey	769 Centre street.	22	Alterations, store.	75
Assad and Charles Mudarri	70 and 72 Adams street.	26	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
Mrs. Hazel Schwer	60 Sedgwick street.	22	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
Museum of Fine Arts	465 Huntington avenue.	7	Alterations, Art Museum.	25,000
Bertha Cohen and Eva Magot	14 Merrill street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	1,200
Bertha K. Murphy et al.	41 Hunnewell avenue.	26	Alterations, dwelling.	360
Copley Garage	10 St. Botolph street.	7	Erect sign.	200
City Building Wrecking Company	93 Court street.	5	Take-down, stores and offices.	1,000
American Building Wrecking Company	5-15 Bristol street.	6	Take-down, storage.	60
Morris D. Wollas	102 and 104 Gold street.	9	Take-down, dwelling.	125
Morris D. Wollas	102 and 104 Gold street.	9	Take-down, dwelling.	75

OCTOBER 4.

Rachel M. Trussell	Rear of 1 Myrtle place.	17	First-class garage.	\$800
Joseph Grazino	Rear of 104 F street.	9	First-class garage.	1,000
Christina Walters	11 Round Hill street.	15	Second-class garage.	1,000
Kenneth T. Matheson	Rear of 12 Burwell road.	23	Second-class garage.	900
Kenneth T. Matheson	Rear of 16 Burwell road.	23	Second-class garage.	900
Kenneth T. Matheson	Rear of 17 Pierpont road.	23	Second-class garage.	900
Robert R. Talbot et al.	Rear of 89 Tyndale street.	23	Second-class garage.	800
Philip Marco	Rear of 158 Adams street (1)	18	Second-class garage.	1,000
Philip Marco	Rear of 158 Adams street (2)	18	Second-class garage.	1,000
Nelly Pownoznyk	63 Roanoke road.	24	Third-class tenements.	8,000
Elizabeth O'Sullivan	Rear of 11 Aldworth street.	22	Third-class garage.	1,000
C. L. Lawson	72 and 72A Turner street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	8,000
Mrs. C. H. Fogarty	52 Metropolitan avenue.	23	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
C. Barkas	142 Spring street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	12,500
John J. Flahive	Rear of 17 Hendry street.	17	Third-class garage.	600
John S. Goodway	Rear of 18 Goodway road.	24	Third-class garage.	600
Mercantile Wharf Company	145 Atlantic avenue.	5	Alterations, dining room.	30,000
Edison Electric Company	622 East First street.	9	Alterations, power plant.	35,000
S. and A. J. Selian	53 Beaumont street.	20	Alterations, dwelling.	350
Boston Building Wrecking Company	4 Chapel place.	5	Take-down, dwelling.	50
Boston Building Wrecking Company	6 Chapel place.	5	Take-down, dwelling.	50
Boston Building Wrecking Company	8 Chapel place.	5	Take-down, dwelling.	50

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 612.

BOSTON POLICE REGIMENT ROSTER AND FORMATION FOR PARADE AND REVIEW, MONDAY, October 13, 1924.

Four mounted men as skirmishers, two each from Division 16 and 20.

Sergeant Joseph W. Comerford and mounted unit, 20 men, all from Division 16.

Colonel, Superintendent Michael H. Crowley, commanding.

Adjutant, Captain Louis E. Lutz, Superintendent's office.

Staff.—Lieut. Charles B. McCloskey, Division 14; Lieut. Edward H. Mullen, Superintendent's office; Lieut. Michael C. Bresnehan, superintendent's office; Lieut. Archibald F. Campbell, Division 9.

Sergt. Major, Sergt. Thomas S. J. Kavanagh, superintendent's office.

Orderly, Patrolman Edward J. Seibolt, Division 15.

Y. D. VETERAN'S BAND.

First Battalion, Major, Deputy Superintendent Thomas C. Evans, superintendent's office.

Battalion, adjutant, Lieut. William H. Allen, Division 2.

First company, Division 13, Captain Joseph Harriman.

Second company, Division 5, Captain John E. Driscoll.

Third company, Division 4, Captain Herbert W. Goodwin.

Fourth company, Division 18, Captain Robert E. Grant.

Fifth company, Division 15, Captain Michael J. Goff.

Sixth company, Division 10, Captain Jeremiah F. Gallivan.

Seventh company, Division 11, Captain Matthew J. Dailey.

Eighth company, Division 19, Captain James J. Walkins.

110th CAVALRY, M. N. G. BAND.

Second Battalion, major, Deputy Superintendent Forrest F. Hall, superintendent's office.

Battalion, adjutant, Lieut. George H. Guard, Division 13.

First Company, Division 9, Capt. Richard Fitzgerald.

Second Company, Division 7, Capt. James F. Hickey.

Third Company, Division 8, Capt. Ross A. Perry.

Fourth Company, Division 6, Capt. Daniel G. Murphy.

Fifth Company, Division 12, Capt. John J. Rooney.

Sixth Company, Division 2, Capt. Perley S. Skillings.

Seventh Company, Division 1, Capt. Arthur B. McConnell.

Eighth Company, Division 16, Perley C. Kneeland.

BOSTON POLICE TRAFFIC DIVISION BAND.

Third Battalion, Major, Deputy Superintendent Thomas F. Goode, superintendent's office.

Battalion, adjutant, Lieut. Harry P. Burns, Division 1.

First Company, Traffic No. 1, Captain Bernard J. Hoppe, Division 20.

Second Company, Traffic No. 2, Capt. James Laffey, Division 21.

Third Company, Traffic No. 3, Lieut. John H. Sweeney, Division 6.

Fourth Company, Division 3, Capt. James McDevitt.

Fifth Company, Division 14, Capt. Bradley C. Mason.

Sixth Company, Division 17, James P. Smith.

Seventh Company, Riot Gun No. 1, Lieut. Joseph F. Hurley, Division 1.

Eighth Company, Riot Gun No. 2, Lieut. Martin H. King, Division 7.

Six patrolmen, each armed with a Thompson submachine gun.

First unit, twenty-four motorcycles, Serg. Walter M. French, Division 16.

Second unit, six Colt machine guns, Serg. John J. Coughlan, Division 12.

Two patrol wagons, Divisions 13 and 14, each with two men.

Two mounted men from Division 20 to ride in rear of parade.

General Order No. 613.

A trial board consisting of Captains Walkins, Skillings and McDevitt, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman James Farren, of Division 1, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman James Farren was on September 26, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on September 27, 1924, to the said James Farren.

General Order No. 614.

A trial board consisting of Captains Walkins, McDevitt and Mason, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Leslie M. Chubbuck of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Leslie M. Chubbuck was, on September 24, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on September 24, 1924, to the said Leslie M. Chubbuck.

On the twenty-sixth day of September, 1924, the said Leslie M. Chubbuck requested in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Wednesday, October 1, 1924, at eleven o'clock, a. m. at the office of the Police Commissioner as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Leslie M. Chubbuck.

The said Leslie M. Chubbuck was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said Leslie M. Chubbuck guilty as charged, and further finds that the said Leslie M. Chubbuck shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

General Order No. 615.

A trial board consisting of Captains Walkins, Skillings and McDevitt, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman John Savage of Division 9, charging him with disobedience of orders and conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman John Savage be and he hereby is reprimanded in General Orders.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 2 TO OCTOBER 8.

OCTOBER 4.—Continued.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Boston Building Wrecking Company	1 Pulaski avenue.....	9	Take-down, dwelling.....	\$75
Boston Building Wrecking Company	4 Pulaski avenue.....	9	Take-down dwelling.....	75
Boston Building Wrecking Company	5 Pulaski avenue.....	9	Take-down, dwelling.....	75
Boston Building Wrecking Company	6 Pulaski avenue.....	9	Take-down, dwelling.....	75
Harvard College.....	364 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	1,500
H. D. Apthorp, agent.....	114 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Trustees of Mike Soretto.....	78 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
E. P. Benjamin et al.....	14 and 16 Truro street.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	100

OCTOBER 6.

Frank E. Pihlkrantz.....	Rear of 47 Clarence street..	12	First-class garage.....	\$500
Helen Chase.....	3 Moore street.....	1	First-class garage.....	600
Lillian S. O'Connell.....	Rear of 53 and 55 Bayswater street.	1	First-class garage.....	1,000
Vincent Rose.....	Rear of 3960 Washington st.,	23	First-class garage.....	1,625
Rachela Cianci.....	Rear of 1060 Saratoga street,	1	First-class garage.....	1,800
Mrs. Edna E. Blackmar.....	50 Concord square.....	7	Second-class stores.....	4,000
Helen T. McHatton.....	Rear of 1 Gay street.....	13	Special garage.....	390
Francis Zangla.....	Rear of 605 East Sixth street,	10	First-class garage.....	450
Mary E. Sproul.....	Rear of 18 Byron court.....	15	Special garage.....	175
Joseph O. Kennington et al.....	Rear of 70 and 72 Day street,	14	Special garage.....	450
Harold P. Philbrick.....	Rear of 16 Mt. Bowdoin ter.,	19	Special garage.....	500
Nutlie Fruit Company, lessors.	19 Front street.....	4	Special telephone booth.....	300
J. Zani.....	199 Gladstone street.....	1	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Max Glazer.....	12 Verrill street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Mrs. Alva M. Durston.....	Rear of 19 Ruskin road.....	24	Third-class garage.....	174
R. E. Newsome.....	Rear of 410 Weld street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	199
Catherine Knodes.....	Rear of 29 Wilcox road.....	20	Third-class garage.....	400
Mrs. Faulkner.....	80 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	4,000
A. J. Furbush.....	200 Washington street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
I. Lerner.....	8 Walnut park.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Mrs. Teresa Malaguti.....	38 Carson street.....	11	Alterations, tenements.....	300
Mora Page.....	4 Reddy avenue.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	125
Mrs. Mary Corbin.....	94 West street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	5,000
John Lake.....	41 and 43 Riverdale street..	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
John Lake.....	45 and 47 Riverdale street..	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Simonds Saw and Steel Co.....	17 Covington street.....	10	Alterations, manufacturing...	5,000

OCTOBER 7.

Angelina Ferrara.....	Rear of 56 Farquhar street..	23	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Samuel Goldman et al.....	Rear of 19 Dearing road.....	21	First-class garage.....	1,500
Marden & Orlando Construction Company	311 Commonwealth avenue,	8	First-class apartments.....	150,000
Nathan Danberg.....	Rear of 9 Duke street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Jennie L. Anderson.....	36 Perkins street.....	22	Second-class dwelling.....	14,000
Lilla E. Hale.....	29 Fairview street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Andrew G. Reilly.....	114 Redlands road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	11,500
Nicholas Ciampa.....	112 Gladstone street.....	1	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Morre MacQuarrie.....	106 Beech street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Mary E. McKinnon.....	Rear of 96 Neponset avenue,	24	Third-class garage.....	400
Joseph Ceruso.....	Rear of 257 Beech street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	410
Church of God.....	18 and 20 Arnold street.....	13	Alterations, home for aged...	800
B. Thompson.....	48 Holborn street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Mrs. Ezra R. Thayer.....	77 Bay State road.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
James J. Gateley.....	3 Oakland avenue.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
McIntire-Williamson Company.	444 Southampton street.....	11	Alterations, storage.....	2,700
Fourth Atlantic National Bank.	102 Milk street.....	5	Install seven elevators.....	126,000
Goggin & Ripley, Inc.....	116 Charles street.....	8	Install elevator.....	5,150
American Building Wrecking Company.	11 Bristol street.....	6	Take-down, dwelling.....	40

OCTOBER 8.

Anna W. Anderson.....	Rear of 33 Cliffmont street..	23	First-class garage.....	\$1,200
G. F. Williams.....	Rear of 64 Moraine street..	22	First-class garage.....	1,000
Jennie Bassinov.....	Rear of 45 Woodcliffe street,	17	First-class garage.....	1,000
T. J. Sheahan.....	11 Belmore terrace.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,100
Margaret M. Walsh.....	Rear of 50 Rosewood street..	24	Second-class garage.....	800
Mrs. John L. O'Donnell.....	Rear of 39 Edwin street.....	20	Second-class garage.....	600
Gilbert A. Goudey.....	Rear of 112 Fairmount st.,	21	Second-class garage.....	800
Boston Elevated Railway Company.	3592 Washington street.....	22	Second-class heating plant...	15,000
Raymond Faino.....	429-433 Hyde Park avenue,	24	Second-class stores.....	8,000
Patrick Rich.....	1653 Commonwealth avenue,	25	Second-class tenements.....	50,000
Patrick Rich.....	1657 Commonwealth avenue,	25	Second-class tenements.....	50,000
Patrick Rich.....	1661 Commonwealth avenue,	25	Second-class tenements.....	50,000
Thomas F. Donohue.....	32 Ashcroft street.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Sam Lynch.....	40 Cedar Grove street.....	20	Third-class garage.....	900
DeBlos & Maddison.....	222 Summer street.....	5	Alterations, office building...	1,200
L. V. Niles.....	7 Washington Street North.	5	Alterations, store and light manufacturing.	10,000
Salvatore Turco.....	38 Decatur street.....	2	Alterations, store and dwelling.	75
Underhay Oil Company.....	66 Roland street (1).....	3	Alterations, storage.....	200
Underhay Oil Company.....	66 Roland street (2).....	3	Alterations, storage and office,	90
Underhay Oil Company.....	66 Roland street (3).....	3	Alterations, storage.....	200
Underhay Oil Company.....	66 Roland street (4).....	3	Alterations, storage.....	2,000
Mary Azadian.....	62 North Beacon street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Quincy Market Cold Storage and Warehouse Company.	239 Summer street.....	1	Alterations, train shed.....	1,800
Christy Maksoodian.....	618 Tremont street.....	6	Alterations, lodging house...	250

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 2 TO OCTOBER 8.

OCTOBER 2

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
R. Karger	21 Billerica street	5	New fixtures	\$200
R. Karger	19 Billerica street	5	New fixtures	200
Harry F. Nation	18 Chelsea street	4	New fixtures	700
Edward E. Berry	9 Cottage place	24	New fixtures	175
Edward E. Berry	12 Cottage place	24	New fixtures	175
Robert A. Matthews	1506 Dorchester avenue	20	New fixtures	800
R. A. LaCentra	5 Fernald terrace	17	New fixtures	1,000
R. A. LaCentra	6 Fernald terrace	17	New fixtures	1,000
Abraham Kellen	127 Green street	22	New fixtures	315
S. Gould	14 Greendale road	21	New fixtures	1,050
S. Gould	16 Greendale road	21	New fixtures	1,025
S. Gould	18 Greendale road	21	New fixtures	1,025
S. Gould	20 Greendale road	21	New fixtures	1,050
S. Gould	22 Greendale road	21	New fixtures	1,025
S. Gould	24 Greendale road	21	New fixtures	1,025
T. C. Kelly	20 Grovenor road	22	New fixtures	400
W. S. Emerson	210 Milk street	5	New fixtures	150
F. H. Densmore	551 Norfolk street	21	New fixtures	850
M. J. Finnegan	17 Reedsdale street	25	New fixtures	700
F. H. Densmore	607 River street	24	New fixtures	2,047
John J. Vogel	26 Roberts street	23	New fixtures	455
John J. Vogel	33 Roberts street	23	New fixtures	455
John W. Slane	21 Salman street	23	New fixtures	160
F. H. Densmore	129 South street	22	New fixtures	1,050
A. J. Hughes	195 Spring street	23	New fixtures	400
E. H. Marchant	437 West Broadway	10	New fixtures	200
Morse Brothers	27 West Cedar street	8	New fixtures	400
Alexander Campbell	32 Winslow street	12	New fixtures	600

OCTOBER 3.

F. H. Densmore	Rear of 551 Norfolk street	21	New fixtures	\$2,100
A. I. Russell	14 Winship street	25	New fixtures	450
Charles Lang	8 Sherman street	23	New fixtures	485
L. W. Mulkern	262 Princeton street	1	New fixtures	200
John J. Tierney	15 Myrtle street	22	New fixtures	1,400
J. A. Finley	16 Medford street	5	New fixtures	750
P. T. Buckley	55 Long wharf	5	New fixtures	150
G. M. Duggan	8 Lenoxdale avenue	20	New fixtures	400
Edward Bevelander	11A Highgate street	25	New fixtures	600
W. L. Ambrose	851 East Broadway	10	New fixtures	500
William N. McKenna	124 Chestnut street	8	New fixtures	125
G. H. Thompson	412 Beacon street	8	New fixtures	500
George H. Pentz	19 Madison street	13	New fixtures	250

OCTOBER 4.

Albert L. Neveux	14 Peverell street	17	New fixtures	\$500
Louis Molledo	1410 Hyde Park avenue	24	New fixtures	100
Louis Molledo	74 West street	24	New fixtures	100
Albert B. Hultgren	3 Edith street	24	New fixtures	600

OCTOBER 6.

Abraham Kellen	117 St. Botolph street	7	New fixtures	\$350
C. G. Stellberger	320 Longwood avenue	14	New fixtures	300
W. G. Cornell Company	318 Longwood avenue	14	New fixtures	30
Otto R. Schultes	120 Longwood avenue	14	New fixtures	850
Harry D. Pollard	16 King street	20	New fixtures	85
P. G. Finnerty	22 Isabella street	7	New fixtures	238
Pierce & Cox	399 Huntington avenue	7	New fixtures	1,200
F. W. Smith	18 Hamilton street	23	New fixtures	500
A. N. Hird	614A Columbia road	11	New fixtures	100
H. Weiss	21 Callender street	21	New fixtures	900
A. J. Hughes	34 Roslindale avenue	23	New fixtures	600
John E. Stanley	35 Rosemont road	20	New fixtures	1,150
R. W. Crediford	107 and 109 Homes avenue	18	New fixtures	150
Samuel Seigel	3 Southwick street	20	New fixtures	400
Pierce & Cox	1 Page street	19	New fixtures	700
Samuel M. Harris	24 Kenwood street	19	New fixtures	300
J. J. Callahan	168 and 170 Freeport street	19	New fixtures	1,400
A. J. Cooper & Sons Co.	111 Glenway street	18	New fixtures	250
R. W. Crediford	15 Draper street	18	New fixtures	500
Harry D. Pollard	53 Beaumont street	20	New fixtures	365
J. Flynn & Co.	173 Marlborough street	8	New fixtures	300

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David H. Lane	21 Wabon street	16	New fixtures	\$150
Joseph Seigel	21 South Russell street	8	New fixtures	350
A. Halsband	31 South Huntington avenue	14	New fixtures	495
Joseph P. Vogel & Sons	29 and 31 Ryan street	6	New fixtures	525
Joseph W. Ahern	81 and 83 Penfield street	23	New fixtures	170
B. R. Gillis	3 Noanet street	5	New fixtures	200
B. R. Gillis	4 Noanet street	5	New fixtures	250
B. R. Gillis	5 Noanet street	5	New fixtures	250
B. R. Gillis	6 Noanet street	5	New fixtures	300
Bo R. Gillis	7 Noanet street	5	New fixtures	300
Vihn J. Murphy	136 Mt. Vernon street	8	New fixtures	3,564
Micent B. Buckley	127 Mt. Vernon street	8	New fixtures	150
P. Pass & Co.	8 Kinross road	25	New fixtures	1,750
J. J. Sullivan	337 Huntington avenue	7	New fixtures	21,000
E. M. Duggan	85 Hillside street	14	New fixtures	225
A. I. Russell	30 Herrick street	26	New fixtures	100
Louis H. Jacobs	30 Greenleaf street	7	New fixtures	250
J. B. Farnsworth Company	7 Eliot street	8	New fixtures	250
Alexander Campbell	24 Conant street	14	New fixtures	450
R. P. Slattery Company	1102 Boylston street	7	New fixtures	100
A. Kudish	3 Bardwell street	22	New fixtures	2,200
Badech Leon	70 Adams street	25	New fixtures	500

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 40.

I. NEW FIRE ALARM BOXES.

A new fire alarm box, No. 65, will shortly be established at Porter and Bremen streets, East Boston. It will be connected into circuit No. 28. Assignments will be the same as for Box 636.

Fire alarm box No. 2374 will shortly be re-established on the New England Baptist Hospital, Parker Hill avenue. It will be connected into circuit No. 8. The assignments for this box will be the same as for Box 2373.

II. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement is hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Wednesday, October 1, 1924:

Master Carpenter Leonard Murdock, Bureau of Supplies and Repairs.

Master Carpenter Murdock was appointed to this department as a call member September 9, 1884, and was made a permanent man on July 1, 1886. He was promoted to the position of master carpenter on August 26, 1904.

III. PROMOTIONS.

The following promotions are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, October 3, 1924:

Lieut. George F. Doyle of Ladder Company 1 to be captain.

Ladderman Daniel W. O'Leary of Ladder Company 15 to be lieutenant.

IV. ASSIGNMENTS.

The following assignments of men on probation are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, October 3, 1924:

Francis P. Willcutt, to Engine 8.

Patrick J. Joyce, to Engine 34.

Walter E. Crouch, to Engine 17.

Edward E. Sweeney, to Engine 47.

William H. Edwards, to Engine 44.

V. MASTER PILOT.

Hoseman Walter B. Werner of Engine 47 is designated as master pilot of fireboat Engine 47, to take effect at 8 a. m., October 3, 1924, vice Thomas E. Morrison who has been reduced to hoseman at his own request to take effect on that date.

VI. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, October 3, 1924:

Capt. William F. Heldt, from Engine 25 to Ladder 25.

Capt. Charles A. Fernald, from Ladder 15 to Engine 25.

Capt. George F. Doyle, from Ladder 1 to Ladder 15.

Lieut. Daniel F. Crowley, from Engine 22 to Ladder 7.

Lieut. Charles J. Greeley, from Ladder 26 to Engine 22.

Lieut. Allen J. Jarvis, from Ladder 28 to Engine 4.

Lieut. Tracy O. Littlehale, from Engine 4 to Engine 8.

Lieut. Thomas F. Ward, from Ladder 6 to Engine 38-39.

Lieut. Dennis M. Condon, from Engine 8 to Ladder 1.

Lieut. Carl F. Bode, from Ladder 25 to Ladder 26.

Lieut. Edward McNamara, from Engine 38-39 to Ladder 28.

Lieut. Daniel W. O'Leary, from Ladder 15 to Ladder 6.

Michael H. Powers, from Engine 22 to Tower 2.

John J. Whalen, from Engine 38-39 to Engine 53.

John E. Burke, from Engine 4 to Engine 51.

Laurence D. Barry, from Ladder 24 to Engine 8.

George A. West, from Engine 51 to Ladder 24.

John W. McDonald, from Engine 8 to Engine 4.

Peter Burns, from Engine 53 to Ladder 11.

Harry F. Schneider, from Engine 12 to Ladder 4.

John C. Kennedy, from Ladder 4 to Engine 12.

Thomas F. Lydon, from Ladder 18 to Engine 33.

Frank H. Daly, from Engine 33 to Ladder 18.

Henry H. Dionne, from Engine 24 to Engine 40.

John I. Galvin, from Engine 40 to Engine 27.

John J. Morgan, from Engine 17 to Engine 38-39.

William F. Galvin, from Engine 38-39 to Engine 43.

Joseph J. Stanney, from Ladder 28 to Engine 48.

Francis J. Sheehan, from Engine 48 to Ladder 28.

John H. Agnew, from Engine 27 to Engine 8.

Edward H. Mitchell, from Engine 44 to Engine 24.

Archibald W. McInnes, from Engine 8 to Engine 49.

Frank P. Toland, from Ladder 1 to Ladder 25.

John R. Concannon, from Ladder 25 to Ladder 1.

Lawrence F. Moran, from Engine 37 to Engine 11.

William I. Welch, from Ladder 8 to Ladder 16.

Edward F. Doyle, from Engine 25 to Ladder 8.

William F. Tracey, from Engine 34 to Engine 37.

William J. Cooney, from Engine 49 to Engine 25.

Charles C. McNamara, from Engine 47 to Engine 31.

Thomas G. Dundon, from Engine 11 to Ladder 15.

Thomas E. Morrison, from Engine 31 to Ladder 2.

Michael Kelley, from Engine 50 to Engine 31.

Daniel J. Foley, from Engine 31 to Engine 50.

John J. Lombard, from Engine 38-39 to Engine 2.

Robert L. Quilty, from Engine 2 to Engine 38-39.

VII. AID TO DEPUTY CHIEF.

George F. Leary of Ladder Company 23 has been designated aid to deputy chief to take effect as of February 1, 1924.

VIII. FORMATION OF BAND.

The Fire Commissioner has received several requests and suggestions that a band be formed among the members of the Boston Fire Department. In order that the sentiment of the members of the department may be gathered on this subject, all those who are interested in the formation of a band and who are willing to play in the band, are requested to forward their names to the Fire Commissioner on or before October 10, 1924.

It is not necessary that a man be able

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 2 TO OCTOBER 8.

OCTOBER 8.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
I. W. Crozier	254 West Newton street	7	New fixtures	\$1,600
David W. Ross	7 Victoria street	11	New fixtures	400
J. P. Shaughnessy	72 Oriole street	23	New fixtures	500
M. S. Pann	38 Corey street	4	New fixtures	800
P. F. Russo	26 Central avenue	24	New fixtures	3,500
S. A. Pilitsky	88 Ashmont street	21	New fixtures	100
Walter G. Rundlett	25 Parkton avenue	23	New fixtures	425

to play an instrument at the present time to qualify as an applicant for the band.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners.

Harry Lurinsky, 225 Norfolk street, Ward 21, four units, four cars.

Mary J. McMahon, 650 Dudley street, Ward 12, group garage, four units, four cars.

Adolph G. Pearce, 1 and 3 Belden square, Ward 11, group garage, four units, four cars.

John G. Ford *et al.*, 5 Lonsdale street, Ward 20, five units, five cars.

Thomas H. Sullivan *et al.*, 1579-1585 Columbus avenue, Ward 15, group garage, thirty-two units, thirty-two cars.

James J. Boyle, 472 Washington street, Ward 20, 1,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Market Commercial Garage, Inc., 25-35 Endicott street, Ward 5, 950 gallons gasoline.

Reardon Building Trust, 1890 Columbus avenue, Ward 15, 1,000 additional gallons gasoline.

United Oil Company, Inc., 968 Massachusetts avenue, Ward 12, 64,000 additional gallons oil (fuel).

Thomas A. Berrigan, 960 E. Second street, Ward 9, twenty-six units.

Edison Company, Dunlap street, erect 18 poles.

Kitty Di Pietro, 45 West Third street, Ward 9, public garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Madeline R. Harrington, 1232 Dorchester avenue, Ward 17, thirty-two units.

N. L. Dunning, Glenville avenue, Ward 25, stretch wire.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and Edison Company, Talbor avenue, transfer fifty-five poles.

Edison Company, Lorne street, Ward 21, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Clive street, Ward 22, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Carson street, Ward 11, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Falcon street, Ward 1, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Dixfield street, Ward 10, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Rockland street, Ward 16, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Eastburn street, Ward 25, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Ophir street, Ward 22, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Greenwood avenue, Ward 24, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Ripley road, Ward 19, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Donnybrook road, Ward 25, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Webster street, Ward 2, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Beech Glen street, Ward 15, erect one pole.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Mayor has approved the following vote of the Board of Street Commissioners:

Voted, That the estate of Delia M. Cauley, Chestnut Hill avenue and Academy Hill road, Brighton district, sustains damages by the taking of part thereof for courthouse purposes under the order of the board of street commissioners approved by the mayor September 4, 1924, in the amount of \$28,087.50, and awards said amount therefor; and it is voted further that, in consideration of the acceptance of said amount by said Delia M. Cauley, in full satisfaction of her claim for damages under the aforesaid order, that the ownership of the dwelling house and barn standing at the time of said order on the land taken as aforesaid be retained by the said Delia M. Cauley with the right to the possession and use of the same while said buildings remain on said land, and with the right to remove the same therefrom on or before a date specified by the superintendent of public buildings, and, in any event, thirty days before the signing of the contract for the erection of the new courthouse upon said land.

Catherine V. Dunn, George J. Roe, Catherine A. Rogers, by their attorney, Thomas P. O'Connor, agree to accept the sum of \$4,100 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate on Medford street by the taking made for playground purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 16, 1923.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

Also Contracting Company have been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Columbus Park Bath House. Items ordered: Under the terms of your contract with the City of Boston Park Department, for the construction of the bath house at Columbus Park, South Boston, you will omit the terrazzo floor work, substituting granolithic surfacing composition specified, one half inch additional thickness with temperature metal as specified and laid down in alternate squares. Contract price to remain unchanged.

PERMISSION TO SELL OLD HARNESS.

Permission has been granted to sell to the B. E. Grant Contracting Company some old harnesses for the sum of \$100.

TABLE SHOWING NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 1924.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES AND STORES.		BANKS.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		GARAGES.		HOSPITALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class													113	\$358,813	1	\$150,000
Second Class	12	\$528,000							3	\$28,000			69	110,550		
Third Class	3	39,000							95	928,600			72	39,766		
Special Class													15	6,280		
Total New Work	15	\$567,000							98	\$956,600			269	\$515,409	1	\$150,000
Alterations	12	23,150	11	\$80,775	1	\$4,000	3	\$2,300	593	217,305	21	\$18,260	15	\$15,550	1	14,000
Grand Totals	27	\$590,150	11	\$80,775	1	\$4,000	3	\$2,300	691	\$1,173,905	21	\$18,360	284	\$530,959	2	\$164,000

CHARACTER.	LODGING HOUSES.		MERCHANT BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.		OFFICE BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS.		STABLES.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class			2	\$615,000	1	\$12,000			2	\$302,359					119	\$1,438,172
Second Class			5	25,000	1	100,000							5	\$19,850	95	\$11,400
Third Class			1	1,000									12	4,530	203	1,012,836
Special Class													1	2,100	19	8,380
Total New Work			8	\$641,000	2	\$112,000			2	\$302,359			11	\$26,480	436	\$3,270,848
Alterations	4	\$4,300	53	82,650	15	22,255	12	\$54,097	1	25,000	10	\$1,615	10	69,914	792	635,271
Grand Totals	4	\$4,300	61	\$723,650	17	\$134,255	12	\$54,097	3	\$327,359	10	\$1,615	21	\$96,394	1,228	\$3,906,119

SEPTEMBER LABOR REPORT.

The records of the Massachusetts Public Employment Office, 23 and 25 Pearl street for the month of September, show a decided improvement over August, also over September, 1923.

The number of people called for by employers was 1840, an increase of 718, or 64 per cent over August and an increase of 231, or 14 per cent, over September a year ago. The number of positions reported filled was 1,540, an increase of 559, or 57 per cent, over last month, also an increase of 292, or 23 per cent, over last September. Notwithstanding this improvement, the attendance of applicants for employment was heavy, being 24,892, an increase of 4,551 or 22 per cent over August and an increase of 5,137 or 30 per cent, over September a year ago.

During the month, 1,722 service men (1,186 soldiers, 536 sailors) visited the office in search of work. Of this number, 277 (203 soldiers, 74 sailors) were referred to employers and 236 (175 soldiers, 51 sailors) secured positions.

In the men's skilled department the majority of calls were for carpenters, masons, painters, electricians, steamfitters, gas fitters, plumbers and roofers. There was some difficulty in supplying the demand for plumbers, as competent mechanics out of employment remain scarce. Business in the metal trades was exceedingly quiet, with an occasional call

for a machinist or tool maker which was easily filled. Large numbers of engineers and firemen have visited the office daily throughout the month with little or no demand for their services. The demand from the general trades has been more diversified and we have had calls for metal spinners, boot and shoe workers, sail makers, acetylene and electric welders, chauffeurs, packers and shippers. The printing trades' demands were for compositors, cylinder and job pressmen and feeders.

More positions were filled in the men's unskilled department this month than for any similar period in the last eighteen months. The demand for able-bodied laborers for short jobs on lumber, etc., was heavy and the demand from the building trades was good, with a fair supply of men on hand. Culinary workers in clubs, hotels and restaurants were in good demand and many positions were filled.

The demand for boys for errands, office and factory work was steady, but the wages offered for the larger boys was not enticing enough. Small boys for errands were quickly placed.

There was a general improvement in the call for women workers in all lines of industry, with no special demand for help from any particular line. The demand for waitresses and chambermaids was good and positions easily filled. There was a strong demand for day

workers and cleaners with a plentiful supply of applicants. The demand for housework girls continues strong with little or no supply of applicants to draw from.

The number of people called for by employers was 1,840 as compared with 1,609 in 1923; 1,690 in 1922; 1,623 in 1921; 3,233 in 1920 and 3,044 in 1919.

The number of positions reported filled was 1,540 as compared with 1,248 in 1923; 1,159 in 1922; 1,149 in 1921; 1,701 in 1920 and 1,331 in 1919.

MORE BOOTHS FOR REGISTRATION.

A committee representing the citizenship of Ward 14 waited upon his Honor the Mayor, on October 7, and requested that two places for the registration of voters be established in the ward. They contended that 336 persons, the largest number ever registered in any ward in the history of Boston were registered in one night on October 6, and that many were turned away and unable to register.

His Honor, after a conference with Chairman Burlen of the Election Department, decided to continue two registration places in Ward 14; one at the Martin School, on Huntington avenue, and the other at the Jefferson School on Heath street, near South Huntington avenue, from now until the close of registration on October 15.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES IN BOSTON, 1924-1925, AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library announce the following list of free lectures, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 p. m.

The entrance is from Boylston street only. The doors will be opened two hours before each lecture and closed ten minutes after the lecture begins. The Thursday lectures are generally illustrated by lantern slides. The Sunday lectures are usually not illustrated. Exceptions are mentioned below. Lectures are given occasionally during the winter in the lecture halls of the Charlestown, East Boston, Jamaica Plain, North End, South End, West Roxbury, and Upham's Corner Branches.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Oct. 9. Friendly Visiting with the Birds. Rev. Manly Bacon Townsend.
- Oct. 16. Alaska, the Promised Land. Mrs. Alice Howland Macomber.
- Oct. 23. The Nipponese: A story of present day Japan. John C. Bowker, F. R. G. S.
- Oct. 30. How Music is Made Useful Nowadays. Margaret Anderton, Associate Editor, The Musician.
- Nov. 6. A Rocky Mountain Hike: Nine Thousand Miles Through the Beauty and Bigness of America. Rev. Charles W. Casson, President of the Field and Forest Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Nov. 13. The Anniversary of Robert Louis Stevenson. Guy Richardson.
- Nov. 20. The Glory of England: Her Cathedrals and Scenic Beauty. Frederick Parsons, F. R. S. A.
- Dec. 4. Florence: The City of the Lily. Martha A. S. Shannon.
- Dec. 11. Days with the Birds. Mrs. James L. Tryon. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Dec. 18. How the Dutch Do It: Housing Problems and Port Development. Frank A. Bourne, S. M., A. I. A.
- Jan. 8. Glimpses of Norway's Fiords. Ben Blessum, General Representative of the Norwegian government in the United States and Canada. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Jan. 15. Medieval Pilgrimages and Art. Arthur Kingsley Porter, B. F. A., Professor of Fine Arts, Harvard University.
- Jan. 22. Picturesque England from Chester to Clonmel. Ellen E. Page.
- Jan. 29. Snaring Bird Songs. Charles C. Gorst.
- Feb. 5. Brazil and Its Jungles. James Ballance.
- Feb. 12. The Land of the Backward Rolling River: Cheekung Province, including its Capital, Hangchow, the Heavenly. William Dean Goddard, A. M. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 19. Under Italian Skies. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 26. Whaling and Its Methods. Arthur E. Watson, Acting Curator, Old Dartmouth Historical Society and Whaling Museum.
- Mar. 5. Killarney: Its Lakes and Legends. Rev. William M. Stinson, S. J.
- Mar. 12. Tramps about the Presidentials. Milton E. MacGregor, Mountain Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 19. Earth Changes, illustrated by the Geology of Boston. Hervey Woodburn Shiner, Ph.D., Professor of Paleontology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- Mar. 26. Along Dutch Waterways. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Apr. 2. New England Birds and Wild Flowers. Mrs. Harriet U. Goode.
- Apr. 9. English Gardens. Robert N. Cram, B. L. A., Instructor in Landscape Architecture Harvard University. With autochrome illustrations.
- Apr. 16. Architecture in the United States in the last ten years. J. Randolph Coolidge, Jr.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Oct. 12. The Origin of Species in Modern Poetry. Grant H. Code, Assistant in English Department, Harvard University. (New England Poetry Club Course.)
- Oct. 19. Recent American Folk Plays: "Sun-Up," "Hell-Bent for Heaven," etc. Robert E. Rogers, A. M., Associate Professor of English, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. (Drama League Course.)
- Oct. 26. Historic Wales: Its People and its Scenery. Mrs. Nellie E. Packard. With lantern illustrations.

- Nov. 2. Tragedy and Comedy of Charles Dickens with illustrative readings. Francis Henry Wade, M. D.
- Nov. 9. The Enjoyment of Art. Walter Sargent, Professor of Art, University of Chicago.
- Nov. 16. Reading of Shakespeare's "Hamlet," George F. Pearson.
- Nov. 23. Reading of Shakespeare's "King Henry IV, Part II." By members of local Shakespeare Clubs, under the direction of Mrs. Frederick H. Briggs. (Drama League Course.)
- Nov. 30. A Modern Opera: Pfitzner's "Palestrina." Otto G. T. Straub. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 7. Public Celebrations. J. Philip O'Connell, Director of Public Celebrations, City of Boston. With lantern illustrations.
- Dec. 14. Music in the Life of the World: Story of the Carol. Aerial Music of the Bell Towers of Europe. Mme. Beale Morey. Illustrated by voices and members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.
- Dec. 21. Carols and Chansons of Christmas. Henry Gideon, A. M. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 28. Boston Architecture: Past and Present. Frank Chouteau Brown. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 4. The Marvel and Glory of Glass: Ancient and Modern. Mrs. Walter G. Dennison.
- Jan. 11. Swedish Male Harmony Chorus. Carl Hutton, director.
- Jan. 18. The Appreciation of Greek Sculpture. Clarence Kennedy, A. M., Assistant Professor of Art, Smith College. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 25. Our New Comedy and American Family Life. Albert Hatton Gilmer, A. M., Professor of Dramatic Literature, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Feb. 1. A Splendid Rebel: Life and Times of Patrick Henry. Henry Lawrence Southwick, President, Emerson College of Oratory.
- Feb. 8. New New England Poets. Speaker to be announced. (New England Poetry Club Course.)
- Feb. 15. Modern French Music. Edward Burlingame Hill, Assistant Professor of Music, Harvard University. With musical illustrations.
- Feb. 22. Worthwhile Patriotism. Hon. Michael J. Murray.
- Mar. 1. Boston, the Convention City. Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston.
- Mar. 8. Treasures of the Theatre Collection in the Harvard University Library. Frank W. C. Hersey, A. M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 15. The Magic of Words. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt. D.
- Mar. 22. Legends and Folk-Songs of Finland. Mme. Aino Saari. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 29. King's Chapel Choir. Raymond C. Robinson, Director.
- Apr. 5. Footlight Orchestra. Thompson Stone, Director.
- Apr. 12. Dawn of Orchestral Music: a Program by members of the Eighteenth Century Orchestra. Raffaele Martino, Director.
- Apr. 19. The Battle of Lexington. Harold Murdock, A. M., Director of the Harvard University Press.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club meets regularly in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month, at 3 o'clock, except as otherwise stated. The following free lectures are announced, subject to change.

- Oct. 6. Our Selves and Our Ideals. Miss Lilian Whiting.
- Oct. 27. The National Parks of the United States. Kenneth Damren. Illustrated by moving pictures and slides.
- Nov. 10. The British Poets from the Seventeenth to the Nineteenth Century. Charles Hammond Gibson.
- Nov. 24. Ruskin's Museums. Mrs. May Smith Dean.
- Dec. 8. Ruskin's Message to Youth and the Twentieth Amendment. Rev. Davis Wasgatt Clark, D. D.
- Dec. 22. Music — Arranged by Mrs. Arthur Howard Davison. The Christmas Message — Mrs. Minnie Meserve Soule.
- Jan. 12. What's What in Books. John Clair Minot.
- Jan. 26. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Feb. 9. Anniversary Observance of John Ruskin's Birth. Address: John Ruskin. Rev. Harold E. B. Speight.
- Feb. 16. Americanization: Its Ideals. Two addresses: The Value of Law and its Observance. Hon. Sanford Bates, State Commissioner of Correction. The Development of the True

- Citizen. Dr. Charles A. Coburn, Professor of Applied Psychology, Boston University School of Religious Education.
- Mar. 9. Days of Romance in Old Spain. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Mar. 23. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry A. Higgins, Secretary of the Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 13. Ruskin and Agriculture Today. Dr. Arthur H. Gilbert, State Commissioner of Agriculture.
- Apr. 27. Author's Reading. Rev. Henry Hallam Saunderson, D. D., Editor of the "Wayside Pulpit."
- May 11. Annual meeting.

THE AMERICAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, BOSTON CHAPTER.

Free addresses in the Lecture Hall on Saturdays at 4 o'clock.

- Nov. 1. The Qualities of the Great Poet. Charles Hammond Gibson, president, Boston Chapter.
- Dec. 13. The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique. Helen Archibald Clarke, vice-president, Boston Chapter.
- Jan. 17. The Immitable Laws of Great Poetry. E. Charlton Black, L. L. D., Professor of English, Boston University.

BOSTON'S LIABILITY FOR METROPOLITAN POLITAN DEBT, 1923.

Boston's liability for this contingent debt of the State (*i. e.*, in the form of annual assessments for sinking-funds and interest) incurred for Metropolitan parks, sewers, water, etc., was \$27,106,350 (net) on July 1, 1923, or \$1,003,191 less than in 1922. It is divided thus: Water debt, \$17,164,364; park debt, \$4,172,214; sewer debt, \$3,845,376; Charles River Basin debt, \$1,924,396. The percentages paid by Boston are 73.0066 on water debt; 57.5862 on most of the park debt; 45.39 on most of the sewer debt, and on Charles River Basin debt the same as on park debt.

Metropolitan assessments paid by Boston in 1923 amounted to \$3,573,070, of which 58 per cent was for debt requirements and 42 per cent for maintenance. Water assessment, \$1,872,413 (paid from water revenue); park, \$1,010,502; sewer, \$456,954; Charles River Basin, etc., \$233,201.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912, OF CITY RECORD, PUBLISHED WEEKLY AT BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, FOR OCTOBER 1, 1924:

STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS,
COUNTY OF SUFFOLK, SS.

Before me, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Standish Willcox, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Editor of the *City Record* and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business managers are:
Publisher, City of Boston.
Editor, STANDISH WILLCOX, 25 City Hall, Boston.
Managing Editor, none.
Business Managers, none.
WILLIAM T. SEGER, Business Agent, 73 City Hall, Boston.
2. That the owners are
City of Boston.
Hon. JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
JOHN A. DONOGHUE, President of City Council.
JAMES DONOVAN, City Clerk.
3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages or other securities are:
None.

STANDISH WILLCOX, Editor.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this thirtieth day of September, 1924.

HORACE R. KEAY,
(My commission expires December 13, 1929.)
(Oct. 11.)

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending October 4, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 171; nonresidents, 45; total, 216.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.50; nonresidents deducted, 11.48

Death rate per 1,000 of population.
Last week, 12.35; corresponding week last year, 13.54.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 25; one year to five years, inclusive, 8; sixty years and over, 84; total deaths: male, 106; female, 110; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 113; deaths of colored, 8.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 4, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 6, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	4	1	4	—
Diphtheria.....	31	1	46	4
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	2	—	—
Influenza.....	3	—	1	—
Measles.....	10	—	9	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	19	9	12	5
Scarlet fever.....	30	—	35	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	46	18	45	8
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	6	1	6	3
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	10	—
Whooping cough.....	10	1	7	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, September 29, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent, Coun. Healey, Lane and Watson.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the City Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments for term ending April 30, 1925:

Constables of the City of Boston:
George W. Bloomberg, 21 Schuyler street, Roxbury.

Weigher of Goods:
William F. Dillon, 88 Decatur street, Charlestown.

Lawrence H. Shields, 55 Rossmore road, Jamaica Plain.

Alden C. Pearl, 36 Payson street, Revere.
Eva Rabinowitz, 80 Whittier street, Roxbury. a Weigher of Coal.

Alden C. Pearl, 36 Payson street, Revere, to be a Gauger of Liquid Measures.
Laid over under the law.

SALE OF COAL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 29, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith a communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, relative to the sale of 800 tons of coal, approximately, the property of the Sewer Service, and respectfully recommend the passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
September 24, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor.
It is respectfully requested that the City Council authorize the sale to the Boston Consolidated Gas Company of approximately 800 tons of Welsh steam coal which has been stored on the ground at the Calf Pasture pumping station since the winter of 1922-23, the balance of which had been burned under

the boilers by mixing in the proportion of one part Welsh coal to three parts New River coal, as it was impossible to make steam with this coal alone.

For nearly a year we have been burning oil at this station, and for an emergency which may require coal we have stored in the bins a large quantity of first-class steam coal. The coal we desire to sell is strewn about the premises and occupies room which may be required in case the coal stored in the bins for a long period may acquire such temperature as to threaten a fire and must be removed and store outdoors.

The Supply Department has negotiated with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company which would be the only likely purchaser and the price offered of \$2.25 a ton is a very fair and generous offer.

Yours very truly,
J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and hereby is authorized to sell to the Boston Consolidated Gas Company approximately 800 tons of Welsh steam coal, the property of the Public Works Department, Sewer Service, at a price of \$2.25 per ton.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PUBLICATION OF YEAR BOOK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 29, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The Statistics Department, after more than two years of research, report in favor of the publication of an annual year book as a measure of economy both from the financial standpoint and of the time required to ascertain facts relative to activities of the municipal departments.

The work in question has been compiled and the compilation is available for publication and distribution. Its adoption should represent a considerable saving annually to the municipality and should serve as a model for the municipalities of the nation.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the Superintendent of Printing be hereby authorized to print an edition of twenty-five hundred copies, bound in cloth,

of "The Municipal Year Book for 1923-24," and that the expense of the same be charged to the appropriation for City Documents.

Further Ordered, That this edition shall be distributed under the direction of the Statistics Department, and that any income received through such distribution be credited to the appropriation mentioned above.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

ABUTTERS ON PROVINCE STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 29, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I transmit herewith communication from the Board of Street Commissioners in reply to the order passed by your honorable body on August 11, 1924, with reference to the use of underground areas by abutters on Province street, which is self-explanatory.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Street Laying-Out Department,
September 16, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—With reference to the attached order of the City Council, requesting information as to "whether or not any of the abutters on Province street are using the area under said street either by right or by encroachment," I beg to advise your honor that the Province Building, recently erected on land of the Olympia Realty Company and land of the Massachusetts General Hospital, extends out under Province street as the same was widened under the order of October 23, 1923.

It is my opinion that the owners of that building are using this underground areaway as a matter of right. However, if at any time during the existence of Province street as a public way the city found it necessary to appropriate the space for its own municipal purposes, the private rights of occupancy therein would be forced to yield to the paramount public easement, and in such an event no damages could be exacted from the city for the loss of any part, or the whole, of said areaway.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. L. NOYES, Chairman.
Placed on file.

JITNEY LICENSES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 18, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I return herewith, without my approval, the votes of the City Council, adopted on September 8, 1924, granting four separate jitney licenses to Conway's Tours, Inc., to operate between Boston and Providence; Boston and Fall River; Boston and Worcester, and Boston and Attleboro.

These proposed lines would be in direct competition with the railroads serving this territory. My objections to this form of competition have already been stated in a previous veto sent to the City Council on July 28, 1924.

The tremendous growth in motor transportation, both freight and passenger, has resulted in a serious problem. At the present time, to a large extent, the motor transports are taking the cream of the business during the good weather and leaving the burden on the railroads during the time when operating expenses are highest; and in my opinion, unless both the railroads and public authorities meet the situation with wisdom and foresight, practically all the short haul freight and passenger traffic will be abandoned by the railroad systems within a few years.

In some parts of the country this might not be a matter of great concern, but in New England, with its severe winters, transportation would be crippled during at least three months of the year with disastrous effects on our industries and prosperity.

It does not necessarily follow that the solution of the problem is to concentrate motor transportation under the control of the public service corporations, but until some solution is presented which will not jeopardize the prosperity of our people I shall refuse to be a party to any competition of this nature either with the railroads or the street railways.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Accompanying the communication were the licenses above referred to.
Placed on file.

PAYMENT TO ROBERT JONES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 18, 1924.

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith, without my approval, the order adopted by your Board under date of September 8.

The report of the Soldiers' Relief Department shows they have nothing to do with cases of this character, and sets forth that the city cannot legally comply with the order as adopted by the City Council.

Respectfully yours,
James M. Curley, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Soldiers' Relief Department,
September 15, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Sir,—In reply to your communication dated September 10, would state that on August 20, 1924, Commissioner John H. Dunn, with Mr. Lyons of the City Law Department, attended a conference with the Soldiers' Relief Committee of the Boston City Council. At that conference the case of Robert A. Jones was gone over, and Mr. Lyons of the Law Department informed the committee that no aid could be paid Mr. Jones by the Soldiers' Relief Department under the law.

I talked with Commissioner Dunn yesterday, and he stated that this man was not entitled to aid.

I am enclosing a copy of the letter sent by the commissioner to the Boston City Council under date of August 11, 1924.

Respectfully yours,
TIMOTHY W. KELLEY,
Chief Visitor.

August 11, 1924.

Boston City Council, City Hall, Boston.

Gentlemen,—I respectfully call your attention to the following dates regarding the military service of Robert A. Jones of 11 Waltham street, Boston, whose case is before your body. He enlisted in the United States Navy April 2, 1898, and deserted December 10, 1898. This is the official record from the Navy Department at Washington.

He next enlisted in the 16th Company, Coast Artillery, July 10, 1900, and was honorably discharged July 9, 1903, by reason of expiration of service.

He again enlisted in the United States Navy November 7, 1910, and was discharged by medical survey June 4, 1913, under honorable conditions.

The law governing state aid, military aid and soldiers' relief specifies that in order to be eligible for any of these forms of aid a soldier or sailor must have received an honorable discharge from all war-time service. He enlisted for service during the Spanish War and deserted from same. This, under the law, renders him ineligible for aid from this department.

Yours very truly,
JOHN H. DUNN,
Soldiers' Relief Commissioner.

The order referred to was as follows:

Resolved, That the name of Robert Jones be placed on the pay roll of the Soldiers' Relief Department at \$45 per month.

The above papers were placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF STANDISH WILLCOX.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 26, 1924.

CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT.

I appoint Standish Willcox, 2 Fairland street, Roxbury, to the position of Superintendent of Public Buildings, and I certify that he is a person specially fitted by education, training, or experience to perform the duties of said office, and that I make the appointment solely in the interest of the city.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

TRANSFERS WITHIN DEPARTMENTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 25, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen—I am duly in receipt of the attached requests for transfers within departmental appropriations and respectfully recommend adoption of the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Accompanying the communication were letters from John H. Mahoney, Building Commissioner, Theodore A. Glynn, Fire Commissioner, Wilfred Bolster, Chief Justice, E. Mark Sullivan, Corporation Counsel, James Donoghue, President of the City Council, Joseph A. Rourke, Commissioner of Public Works, John J. Brickley, Medical Examiner, County of Suffolk, Maurice J. O'Connell, Roxbury Municipal Court.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Building Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Inspectors, Building, 18 at \$2,200 per year, \$777.33; Supervisor, Construction, 1 at \$2,900 per year, \$147.42; to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Inspector, Building, 1 at \$2,500 per year, \$924.5.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Fire Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Privates, Motor Squad, 10 (4) at \$1,900—\$2,000 per year, \$6,630.90, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Engineers, Motor Squad, 10 at \$1,900—\$2,000 per year, \$6,630.90.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Municipal Court:

From the appropriation for B-35 Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$50, to the appropriation for D-5 Surgical, Laboratory, \$50.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Law Department:

From the appropriation for A-1 Permanent Employees: Assistant Corporation Counsels, 2 (3) at \$3,000 per year, \$1,125, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$500; B-1, Printing and Binding, \$100; B-2, Postage, \$75; B-13, Communication, \$100; B-39, General Plant, \$150 C-9, Office, \$100; D-1, Office, \$100.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for City Council:

From the appropriation for G-5, Contingencies, \$125, to the appropriation for B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$125.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Paving Service:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Foreman-Chauffeurs, 4 at \$1,800 per year, \$3,506.76, to the appropriation for A-1 Permanent Employees, Head Chauffeurs, 4 at \$1,800 per year, \$3,506.76.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Associate Medical Examiner Service, Northern District:

From the appropriation for B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$40; B-37, Photographic and Blueprinting, \$20; B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$25; B-28, Expert and Architect, \$25, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$110.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Municipal Court, Roxbury District:

From the appropriation for D-1, Office, \$75, to the appropriation for C-9, Office, \$75.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CONSTABLES' BOND.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constable's bond of John F. Welch:

Approved by the City Council.

JITNEY BOND.

Notice was received from the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company of bond in the

sum of \$25,000 issued by the National Surety Company, same having been approved by the City Treasurer.

Approved by the City Council.

ENCROACHMENT OF PUBLIC STREET.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested to inform the City Council whether or not the building at the northeast corner of Warren and Allston street, Brighton, encroaches on the public street.

Passed.

COMMUNICATION FROM FINANCE COMMISSION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 29, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I submit herewith for your consideration a communication from the Finance Commission calling attention to the necessity of making an additional appropriation of \$10,000. The order for this appropriation was submitted by me on July 28, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Finance Commission, September 27, 1924.
To the Honorable the City Council:

Gentlemen,—By chapter 369 of the Acts and Resolves of 1924 of the Massachusetts Legislature, a larger appropriation for the Finance Commission of the City of Boston was authorized by the sum of \$10,000. This act received the approval of the Governor on May 16, 1924.

Prior to that date his Honor the Mayor submitted to your honorable body a budget calling for the entire appropriation to which the Finance Commission was at that time entitled.

Subsequent to the passage of chapter 369 of 1924, above referred to, namely, on July 18, 1924, the Finance Commission sent to his Honor the Mayor the budget segregation of the additional \$10,000 allowed by the Legislature and thereafter: namely, on July 28, 1924, his Honor the Mayor sent a supplementary budget to your honorable body for the appropriation of this additional \$10,000. As your honorable body has not yet approved this additional \$10,000, the Finance Commission respectfully requests that you do so as early as possible.

Activities now under way by the Finance Commission and in prospect require the early appropriation of this money, in order that it may be available to pay the expenditures made necessary by the activities of this Commission.

From the language of the statute authorizing the appropriation it would appear that the appropriation of this sum, as well as the other sums authorized in earlier statutes, is mandatory upon the city. The language of the statute is as follows:

"A sum sufficient to cover the salary of the chairman of the commission and a further sum of at least forty-five thousand dollars to meet the expenses as aforesaid each year shall be appropriated by said city."

Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN, Chairman.

CHARLES L. CARR,
COURTENAY GUILD,
JOHN F. MOORS,
JOSEPH A. SHEEHAN,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and severally referred to the committees named, viz:

Claims.

Lillie Breton, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in stairs of Choate Burnham School, South Boston.

Max R. Butter & Co., for compensation for damage to property at 13 Albany street, caused by overflow of sewage.

Thomas J. Calnan, for compensation for collapse of boilers at 43 Iroquois street, Roxbury, caused by water supply shut off.

Elizabeth Campbell, for compensation for injuries caused by ball being thrown from Boston Common.

James J. Collins, M. D., for compensation for broken plate glass window at 254 West Broadway, South Boston, caused by ashmen.

William T. Daly, for compensation for damage to bicycle on Washington street, by auto driven by city official.

G. D'Angelo, for compensation for damage to automobile on Charter street, near Hanover street, caused by car of Public Works Department.

Daniel Finberg, for return of fee paid for building permit.

J. H. Fisk Company, for compensation for damage to property at 21 Huntington avenue, caused by broken water main.

A. R. Fulton, for compensation for damage to property at 57 Gainsborough street, caused by overflow of sewage.

Henry Harrison, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in L street Bath House.

J. E. Kiernan, for compensation for damage to property at 292 Bremen street, East Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

Charles Lane, for compensation for damage to property at 24 Atkins street, Brighton, caused by defective catch-basin.

Herbert Littlejohn, for compensation for injuries caused by South Ferry.

Anna L. Mahoney, for compensation for damage to heater at 40 Nonantum street, Brighton, caused by water being shut off.

Mrs. Mastroni, for compensation for damage to property at 200 London street, East Boston, caused by broken water pipe.

Mattapan Provision Company, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 1667 Blue Hill avenue, caused by overflow of sewage.

Bertha C. Mullaney, for compensation for personal injuries and damage to clothing at Franklin and Federal streets, caused by an alleged defect at crossing on Franklin and Federal streets.

Harry Niernan, for compensation for damage to property at 31 Haskins street, Roxbury, caused by overflow of sewage.

Jacob Pierce, for compensation for damage to automobile at corner of Southampton and Atkinson streets, caused by city team.

Mrs. A. Powers, for compensation for damage to property at 60 Alexander street, Dorchester, caused by overflow of sewage.

Quality Lunch, for compensation for damage to property at 1669 Blue Hill avenue, caused by overflow of sewage.

Louis Richmond, for compensation for damage to property at 3160 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, caused by defective sewer.

Edward Soracco, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

John F. Walsh, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Vincenza Torelli, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Gove and Orleans streets, East Boston.

MUNICIPAL UNIVERSITY.

President DONOGHUE offered an order—That the School Committee be requested to consider the advisability of establishing a Municipal University for the purpose of teaching the arts, sciences, medicine, law, etc., and report their findings of to the City Council.

Passed.

ANNUITY TO WIDOW OF ALEXANDER F. SMITH.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That an annuity of \$600 per year be allowed and paid to the widow of Alexander F. Smith of the Boston Fire Department, who died from injuries while in the performance of his duty, said annuity to last while Mrs. Smith remains unmarried; the expense of the same to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

Passed.

PAYMENT TO SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

The Committee on Soldiers' Relief submitted order recommending payment of aid to soldiers and sailors and their families in the city of Boston for the month of September, 1924.

Approved.

ANNUAL SALARIES CHIEF PROBATION OFFICER.

The following was received:

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Municipal Court of the City of Boston,
Court House, Boston Sept. 24, 1924.

Hon. James Donovan, City Clerk, City Hall,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—Subject to confirmation by the County Commissioners, the justices of this court have determined the annual salary of Albert J. Sargent, chief probation officer, to be \$5,600, effective October 1, 1924.

Very truly yours,

WILFRED BOESLER,
Chief Justice.

Referred to the Committee on County Accounts.

RECESS TAKEN

President DONOGHUE declared a recess taken at 3.50 p. m. The members reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by President DONOGHUE at 4.13 p. m.

ORDINANCE CONCERNING PARK FRONTAGES.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Ordinances, submitted a report on the following ordinance (referred September 22) that the same ought to pass:

City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-four.

An Ordinance concerning park frontages. Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Chapter five of the ordinances of 1922, as amended by chapters two, eight and twelve of the ordinances of 1923, and chapter five of the ordinances of 1924, is hereby further amended in section 1 by inserting after the words "Summer street" in the twelfth line of said section, the words "to Dorchester avenue, and from Buttonwood street to Marine Park."

The report was accepted and the ordinance was declared passed, President Donoghue announcing that he desired to be recorded as voting "No."

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on order recommended by the Mayor (referred today) that the Superintendent of Printing be hereby authorized to print an edition of 2,500 copies, bound in cloth, of the "Municipal Year Book for 1923-24," the expense of same to be charged to the appropriation for city documents, and that this edition be distributed under the direction of the Statistics Department, and any income received from said distribution be credited to the appropriation mentioned above—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted, said order passed.

2. Report on order recommended by the Mayor (referred today), that the Commissioner of Public Works be authorized to sell to the Boston Consolidated Gas Company approximately 800 tons of Welsh coal, the property of the Public Works Department, Sewer Service, at a price of \$2.25 per ton—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed.

3. Report on order recommended by the Mayor (referred September 22) authorizing the Mayor for the city to convey to May Forman of Boston, upon receipt of \$100, a parcel of land with a portion of building No. 20 to 24 on East street—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; and the order failed of passage, six votes being necessary for passage, yeas 5, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Moriarty, Purcell—5.

Nays—0.

On motion of Coun. MORIARTY, the rejection of the order was reconsidered, and the order was then laid on the table.

REMOVAL OF ILLEGAL GASOLINE STATION.

President DONOGHUE offered an order—That the City Council is of the opinion that the Law Department should immediately institute legal proceedings to remove all gasoline stations and garages which are illegally erected within the restrictions of the Park Department or in violation of the city ordinances.

Coun. MORIARTY moved that the order be laid upon the table; declared lost. Coun. Moriarty doubted the vote and asked for the yeas and nays.

The order was laid on the table, yeas 4, nays 1.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Gilbody, Moriarty, Purcell—4.

Nay—Coun. Donoghue—1.

ANNUITY TO WIDOW OF PATROLMAN MOTRONI.

Coun. MORIARTY offered an order—That an annuity of \$600 be allowed and paid to the widow of Alfred W. Motroni, late a member of the Police Department, who died from injuries received in the performance of his duty, such annuity to continue so long as said widow remains unmarried, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

The order was passed under a suspension of the rule.

ACTION ON DEATH OF FRANK X. CHISHOLM.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order:

Resolved, That by the death of Frank X. Chisholm, who for many years filled with conspicuous ability and faithfulness the position of secretary of the Board of Aldermen, and who, at the time of his death, was secretary to the City Council and Assistant Clerk of Committees; the members of the City Council have lost a valued counselor and friend and the city a faithful public servant.

Resolved, That the members of the City Council extend to the family and relatives of the late Frank X. Chisholm, their sincere sympathy for the loss they have sustained.

Passed by a unanimous rising vote.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That all the members of the Council be appointed a committee to attend the funeral of the late secretary to the Council, Frank X. Chisholm, and that the Clerk of Committees prepare a suitable floral tribute, the expense of the same to be charged to the appropriation of the City Council, Contingent Expenses.

The order was passed under suspension of the rule.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I move that we do now adjourn as a further mark of respect to the memory of the late Frank X. Chisholm, to meet in one week from today.

The motion was carried, and the Council adjourned at 4.23 p. m. to meet on Monday, October 6, at 2 p. m.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, OCTOBER 14, 1924.

The salary is \$3,500 a year.

The Sealer of Weights and Measures is required to enforce the laws pertaining to weighing and measuring devices and to the giving of false or insufficient weight or measure; to the licensing of hawkers, pedlers and transient vendors; to wholesale milk containers, ice cream cans and molds, cranberry barrels and crates, standard boxes for farm produce, berry baskets, and other containers used as measures; to the weights of bread and to the labelling of loaves of other than standard unit weight.

It is also his duty to test all weighing or measuring devices used for buying or selling, for public weighing, or for hire or reward, and to seal or condemn them in accordance with the results of his tests; also to investigate complaints and to prosecute violations of law when the evidence warrants such action.

The sealer has supervision over the deputies and is responsible for all fees earned by the department.

Pamphlets including the General Laws relating to weights, measures, licenses, etc., and a Sealer's Manual, containing instructions for the inspection, testing and sealing of weighing and measuring devices, may be obtained upon request to the Director of Standards, 194 State House, after application for examination has been filed.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 5; arithmetic, 2; report, 1; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 4; total, 15.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

SETTLEMENT CLERK AND STENOGRAPHER, SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 18, 1924.

The salary is \$1,200 a year.

There is a minimum age limit of twenty-five years.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

The settlement clerk should have a knowledge of the settlement laws of Massachusetts, particularly as applying to the work of the Soldiers' Relief Department. He should be a stenographer of

sufficient experience to take down statements of applicants, and should have experience in investigation and in searching public records. In addition he should have experience in drawing up affidavits, and should have had considerable experience in meeting people and weighing evidence as it is presented to him. He should also be familiar with the various forms of service records issued by the War Department and the Navy Department.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on settlement laws, 3; stenography, 1; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 2; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

NURSE (FEMALE), BOSTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 24, 1924.

The salary is \$1,400 a year.

Applicants must be not more than forty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Applicants should be high school graduates and graduates of a training school or hospital offering at least a three-year course in nursing or public health. Practical experience in public health or investigational work is desirable, as well as a knowledge of foreign languages.

The examination for nurses who are registered under the State Department of Registration of Nurses is as follows: Training and experience, 4; the mark on file with the Department of Registration, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

The examination for nurses who are not registered is as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on public health, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

Since registered nurses will go on the list ahead of nonregistered nurses, applicants should state in their applications whether or not they are applying as registered nurses.

VETERINARY INSPECTOR (MALE), STATE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION, OCTOBER 29, 1924.

The salary is \$1,800 per year. Applicants should be graduates of a duly qualified veterinary college or its equivalent. The duties of this position are the applying of preventive treatment in swine diseases, the examination and testing of cattle for tuberculosis, and of horses for glanders, the examination of dogs for rabies, the examination of domestic animals of all species for the existence of contagious diseases to which such animals are subject, and the inspection of premises and buildings with reference to sanitation and disinfection in prevention of contagious diseases of animals.

The subjects of examination with their

respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals to erect and complete including the plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating work, the new Police Headquarters Building, corner of Stuart and Berkeley streets, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Public Buildings therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. of Wednesday, October 15, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$25,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, before the time of opening the bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$50 will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

JOHN H. MAHONY,

Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(Oct. 11.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 2, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Cataumet street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, northerly from Pond street at junction with Arborway, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of October 15, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(Oct. 11.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND LOAMING AT WILLIAM H. GARVEY PLAYGROUND, NEPONSET.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invite proposals for grading and loaming at William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Loaming at William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, October 2, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, and with a certified check for \$3,000, payable to and with the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$15,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,

(Oct. 11-18.)

Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 2, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening, relocation and construction of Tremont street, Boston proper, as a highway, from Stuart street to Arlington street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of October 15, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(Oct. 11.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING WALLS AND FOR FILLING IN CAMBRIDGE STREET AND COURT STREET, CITY PROPER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for removing walls and for filling in Cambridge street and Court street, city proper. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposals for Removing Walls and for Filling in Cambridge Street and Court Street, City Proper," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, October 22, 1924, with a certified check for one thousand (1,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 9, 1924. (Oct. 11.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MAKING REPAIRS AND RENEWALS ON FIREBOAT ENGINE NO. 47.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, invites sealed proposals for repairs and renewals to be effected on Fireboat Engine No. 47 of the Boston Fire Department in accordance with specifications which may be obtained at Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, Boston, Mass. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, signed by the bidder and left before 12 m., Wednesday, October 15, 1924, at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 60 Bristol street, Boston, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time mentioned for the opening of the bids. Proposals must be sealed and marked "Proposals for Repairs and Renewals on Engine 47." A bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract by the successful bidder in the sum of 25 per cent of the proposal, of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as he deems best.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,

Fire Commissioner.
Boston, October 2, 1924. (Oct. 11.)

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BOSTON SOON TO BOAST OF MOST COMPLETE AND UP-TO-DATE OUT-PATIENT DEPARTMENT IN WORLD.

NEW STRUCTURE TO CARE FOR 3,000 PATIENTS, FITTED UP WITH ALL CONVENIENCES AND MOST MODERN EQUIPMENT, TO BE DEDICATED ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21.

Boston, when the new Out-Patient Department of the Boston City Hospital is dedicated on October 21, will be able to boast of having the finest appointed and the most completely fitted department of the kind known to the medical world.

The official dedication exercises will be held in the new building with Dr. Edward N. Libby presiding. Dr. George G. Sears, a trustee of the Boston City Hospital, and Mayor James M. Curley will deliver the principal addresses.

The building, which is located on Harrison avenue, on the corner of East Concord street, is a seven-story structure, with 320 rooms, all of them fitted with the most modern and finest scientific equipment obtainable. On each floor there are to be social service workers who will look after the welfare of the patients and who will carry their work into the homes as well as the hospital.

It is expected that approximately 3,000 patients will be cared for daily when activities are well under way in the new department.

Most interesting of all the various branches of the out-patient hospital is the one devoted to the care of children. This clinic takes the entire first floor. Doctors who are experts in ailments and diseases of children will be in attendance.

There are shining new weighing machines, where the little ones can be weighed each time they come to the hospital and the record kept on file.

There are examining rooms and rooms for the treatment of medical and surgical cases. An isolation room is comfortably equipped so that if an attending physician diagnose a child's case as contagious, the child is at once put in this room and transferred to the South Department, where such diseases are treated. This means that the safety of the hundreds of other little children in the Out-Patient Department is safeguarded.

Most important, is the work which the social service workers can do among the children who come to the new building. They will see that no little child who is waiting his turn and who has come without breakfast or lunch, goes hungry. They will see that the children have necessary clothing and are not being neglected or ill treated at home.

Children who have rickets will be treated by the new sun-lamp (ultra-violet rays); and the same treatment will be given to the little ones who have signs of peculiar trouble or certain skin diseases.

The second floor is devoted to male and female surgical service. The surgeons have laboratories, equipped with the newest scientific apparatus to aid them in their work.

On the third floor is the fracture clinic, for men and women and also the rooms where electrical therapy treatments are given. Electrical machines of all kinds have been installed to do massage work and aid in reconstructing bones which have been fractured.

This is one of the most important works which the Out-Patient Department expects to handle, for through the latest scientific methods of electrotherapy, men and women who might otherwise be crippled for life through the effects of an accident are now going to be straight limbed and strong.

The ear, nose, eye and throat clinic is on the fifth floor. Here, too, is the obstetrical clinic and the prenatal clinic. The work which will be done in this special department, it is believed, will decrease infant mortality and help build up in Boston a stronger, healthier generation of children. Mothers and prospective mothers will be taught how to care for their babies according to the most scientific methods. They will be shown how to prepare and modify milk for their infants and the way to care for them in minor ailments.

On the sixth floor is the skin clinics and the nerve clinic, where the most noted specialists in the city will give their services. The immunology, vaccine and serum departments are on this floor. An iceless ice-chest, private laboratories and quantities of the scientific supplies which are necessary in such a department are in readiness for the doctors who will take their place in this service.

The record room in itself is an interesting feature. It is located on the mezzanine floor and has a carrier system, connected with the first floor. The records are kept so that they are obtainable at a minute's notice, yet so arranged that they are safeguarded from being disturbed, misplaced or lost.

Behind the perfectly appointed building, there have been months, yes, even years of work and study. Dr. John J. Dowling, Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, who is recognized among fellow professional men as a genius as a hospital administrator, has worked day and night untiringly. He planned the building, saw that his plans were executed, until now his ideal of having the best municipal

out-patient hospital in the country is on the eve of accomplishment.

Doctor Dowling has been assisted in carrying out his plans by Dr. James W. Manary, who has also worked hard for the new building, of which he is in charge. He has supervised the equipping of the various departments and has been in charge of other executive work, so that there would be no work in the vast building uncompleted on the day of its dedication.

Joseph P. Manning, president of the Board of Trustees, Thomas C. Forsyth, secretary; Dr. Henry S. Rowen, Dr. George G. Sears and Carl Dreyfus, trustees, have helped to make the new building a reality and have worked to make it one of the highest standing.

CITY'S GYMNASIA OPEN FOR ANOTHER WINTER SEASON.

MAYOR CURLEY HAS VARIOUS PROGRAMS STARTED FOR KEEPING CITIZENS IN GOOD PHYSICAL CONDITION.

The Boston Park Department, through instructions from Mayor James M. Curley, has started the instructors of the leading gymnasias on a mighty fine program for the indoor season, which gets under way this week. According to the report given out by Commissioners James B. Shea and William P. Long, eleven gymnasias throughout the city will be in full use to the citizens of Boston, giving all men, women and children an opportunity to have the privilege that these modern buildings have for the work of physical education.

Classes in all gymnasias are as follows: Monday and Thursday—ladies' class at 2.30; school girls at 4.30, and working girls at 8 o'clock evenings. Tuesday and Friday evenings, men's class at 8 p. m., while on Wednesdays at 4.30 and Saturdays at 2.30 boys' classes are held. Saturday evenings working boys at 8 o'clock.

Gymnasias are located as follows: East Boston, Paris street, East Boston. Charlestown Gymnasium, Lexington and Bunker Hill streets, Charlestown. North End Gymnasium, North Bennet street.

Tyler Street Gymnasium, Tyler street, South End.

Brookline Street Gymnasium, Brookline street, South End.

Cabot Street Gymnasium, Cabot street, Roxbury.

Vine Street Gymnasium, Vine and Dudley streets, Roxbury.

Columbia Road Gymnasium, Columbia road, Dorchester.

Curtis Hall Gymnasium, Centre street, Jamaica Plain.

Roslindale Gymnasium, Ashland street, Roslindale.

Hyde Park Gymnasium, River street, Hyde Park.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday,
October 20, at two o'clock p. m.

A regular meeting of The School Committee of the City of Boston will be held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, on Monday, October 20, 1924, at 6.30 o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Maynard street, bounded:

Northeast by Metropolitan avenue, six feet; southeast by another part of Maynard street, two hundred and twenty-five feet; southwest by the same, six feet; and northwest by the same, two hundred and twenty-five feet; containing thirteen hundred and fifty square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

Two hundred and twenty-five linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Maynard street, leading southwesterly from Metropolitan avenue for a distance of about 225 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Maynard street, excluding the lot at the northwesterly corner of Metropolitan avenue and Maynard street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 581, Sewerage Works, Maynard street, West Roxbury, September 4, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Charles D. Knox, Katherine Knox...	\$122 44
2. Selwyn S. Clark, Lelia F. Clark....	136 30
4. J. William Haigh, Mary J. Haigh....	103 50
5. Selwyn S. Clark.....	103 50
6. Charles C. Kramer, Nora A. Kramer,	186 00

Totals \$651 74

MAYOR CURLEY AT CITY CLUB.

Mayor Curley accepted the invitation to address the Boston City Club on Tuesday, October 14, at 12.30 p. m. and exposed at this meeting the so-called reduction in the state tax and in addition answered all charges made by officials of the Republican machine. In connection with the discussion of the so-called reduction in state tax and administration of state and municipal departments he took occasion to extend an invitation to the Republican candidate for Governor, Mr. Fuller, to debate this subject further in public at such time and place as may be agreed upon.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for grading and loaming at William H. Garvey Playground. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$15,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, October 30, at 12 m.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Readvertises for proposals to erect and complete, including the plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating, the new police headquarters building, corner of Stuart and Berkeley streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Buildings Department, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$25,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, October 21, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for removing walls and for filling in Cambridge street and Court street, city proper. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$10,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 22, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for rebuilding Dartmouth Street Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$35,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$3,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, October 20, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Cottage street, between Water street and outlet in Water street, between Glenwood avenue and Cottage street, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$5,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, October 21, at 12 m.

(Continued on page 1525.)

TAXATION IN CITY AND STATE DISCUSSED BEFORE MEMBERS OF BOSTON CITY CLUB.**MAYOR CURLEY ABLY DEFENDS HIS POLICIES IN CITY FINANCE AND SHOWS FALSITY OF PREMISES AND CHARGES IN CONNECTION WITH STATE'S POLICY.**

Mayor Curley, speaking on October 14, at the Boston City Club, said in part:

Within the last ten days my opponent for the office of Governor of this Commonwealth has attempted, through proxies, to set up as a campaign issue the financial record of the state in the last three years as compared with the record of the city whose affairs have been under my guidance during the same period. Personally I do not consider this to be a legitimate issue of the campaign because it involves a discussion of the financial methods and policies pursued by the state during the administration of the Hon. Channing H. Cox. The present Governor is not a candidate for reelection and I would prefer not to discuss his methods and policies.

My opponent, however, in an endeavor to use the retiring Governor as a prop to his own weak and indifferent public service record, has had his platform spokesmen relate how he has assisted the Governor and how he can be relied upon to continue the financial policies and methods of the past three years. In view of this definite pledge let us examine the financial record of the state.

Commencing with the budget message of the Governor last January and extending down to the present day great emphasis and stress has been placed by members of the Republican party on the remarkable financial accomplishments made in recent years on Beacon Hill. A \$2,000,000 reduction in the state tax for 1924 and a material reduction in the direct debt of the state have been pictured as accomplishments which could not have been possible except for the rigid economies practised by the dominant party during the last three years. An examination of the figures underlying these widely advertised reductions discloses some interesting facts.

STATE TAX.

The state tax for 1924 has been fixed at \$10,000,000, a figure \$2,000,000 less than the tax fixed for 1923. According to the state authorities, this reduction in the tax burden of the cities and towns has been made possible by the practise of rigid economies in all state activities. In other words, the official explanation of this year's reduction in the state tax would lead the average citizen to believe that the expenditures of the state had been materially reduced. What are the facts?

The total of the appropriations voted by the Legislature this year was approximately \$100,000 less than the appropriations voted in 1923. Last year the legislative appropriations totaled in round numbers \$43,500,000, and this year \$43,400,000. Despite this negligible difference it is interesting to note that the appropriations for the administration, operation and current maintenance of the various departments and institutions in 1924 were approximately \$1,700,000 in excess of the similar appropriations in 1923. In view of this large increase in maintenance costs the question naturally arises, how were the total expenditures

for the two years maintained at practically the same level?

The answer is simple, by killing or postponing permanent improvements which were vitally needed. In 1923 the Legislature authorized approximately \$4,300,000 for capital outlays, whereas this year, because of the recommendations of the Commission on Administration and Finance, the appropriations for permanent improvements did not exceed \$2,800,000. In the budget estimates as submitted by the various departments for the current year there were included requests for permanent improvements totaling \$6,500,000. The Commission on Administration and Finance eliminated approximately 60 per cent of the requests despite the fact that building operations had been suspended during the war and such items as dredging and filling Boston Harbor, development of East Boston Flying Field, erection of a Normal Art School, purchase and development of additional state forests, construction of additional fish hatcheries and the erection of dormitories, shops and employees' quarters at the various state hospitals, institutions and schools were thrown into the discard for one year at least. Because of this "Put off until tomorrow" policy it has been possible to maintain the appropriations of the current year at approximately the same level as that of 1923. But you ask—if there has been no reduction in the expenditures of the Commonwealth, how was a reduction in the state tax made possible? To answer this question let us look at the income side of the Commonwealth's ledger. In 1923 the financial authorities of the state estimated, prior to fixing the state tax, that approximately \$31,000,000 would be available during the year to offset the appropriations authorized by the Legislature. This year it was estimated that approximately \$33,000,000, or an increase of \$2,000,000 over the figures of 1923, would be available to meet appropriations. Thus we see that the reduction in the state tax was due not to any creditable or worth while reductions in expenditures but rather because certain revenues of the state were automatically increased. The particular item of revenue which made this year's reduction in the state tax possible was fees collected from the owners and operators of motor vehicles. In 1923, at the beginning of the year, it was estimated that fees of this nature would total approximately \$7,000,000 during the year. Fees actually received during 1923 totaled \$8,150,000 and so this year's estimate, allowing for a normal increase, was fixed at \$8,900,000, or an increase of \$1,900,000 over the estimate of the year previous. In passing it may be said that at this time it appears that the actual receipts from motor vehicle fees this year will be close to \$9,250,000.

Motor vehicle fees are restricted to use in connection with the construction and maintenance of highways and roads. Prior to this year the fees received were not sufficient to meet the entire cost of highway work, hence it was necessary to use some of the ordinary revenue of the Commonwealth to make up the deficit. This year, however, the estimate of fees

was sufficient to cover the entire highway expense, and so the ordinary revenue previously used was released to meet other expenses.

The circumstances, therefore, surrounding the reduction in the state tax for 1924 may be summed up as follows: Whereas the state authorities would imply that the reduction was due to economies affected in the conduct of the various state activities, the truth of the matter is that the cut was made possible largely as a direct result of the increase in funds received from the registration of motor vehicles, which, for the first time in the history of the state, have made it unnecessary to appropriate money from general revenue for highway construction and maintenance.

WHY THE DELAY?

In examining the finances of the Commonwealth for the past three years the interesting question arises, why did the state authorities wait until 1924 before making a reduction in the state tax?

In fixing the state tax for 1922 at \$12,000,000 the financial authorities of the Commonwealth estimated that there would be received during the year as income available for appropriation purposes approximately \$25,000,000. The actual receipts during the year were approximately \$27,200,000. In 1923 in maintaining the state tax at the same figure as in 1922, the financial authorities, despite the experience of the previous year, estimated income at approximately \$25,900,000 despite the fact that the actual income for 1922 was \$27,200,000. The actual receipts in 1923 totalled \$29,000,000.

On the basis of the actual receipts for 1922 the state authorities could have increased their estimate of income for 1923 by at least \$1,000,000. If this had been done a reduction in the state tax for 1923 of at least a half a million could have been made, for the expenditures authorized in 1923 were but little in excess of those authorized in 1922.

Perhaps the knowledge that 1923 was an off year in state politics and further that 1924 would be a Presidential election year influenced the financial authorities to be extremely conservative in their estimates for 1923. From the figures available for inspection it would certainly appear as though a reduction in the state tax could have been made prior to 1924.

STATE DEBT.

The financial reports of the Commonwealth would indicate that within the last three years a net reduction of \$14,336,006.18 has been made in the state's net direct debt. While at first glance this is a notable achievement, investigation reveals that the present administration was more or less a passive agent during its accomplishment.

During the last three years practically the only item of debt to be issued by the state was the short term notes which served to finance the \$100 bonus paid to the citizens of the Commonwealth who served in the World War. Thirteen million dollars of these notes were issued under the present administration, but here is a fact that I want you to weigh carefully — \$20,000,000 of these notes were redeemed during the years 1921, '22, '23. In other words, the present administration redeemed \$7,000,000 more of the notes than it issued. This excess comprises 50 per cent of the total reduction in debt accomplished during the past three years.

How were the notes redeemed? By the machinery provided in chapter 283 of the Acts of 1919, a piece of legislation which was passed two years prior to the coming into office of the present administration. This act provided that for the purpose of meeting the interest and principal necessary to finance the bonus that a special poll tax of \$3 be assessed on every male inhabitant (veterans excepted), that a special tax of \$660,000 be added to the state tax from 1919 to 1921, inclusive, that a special personal income tax of one-half of 1 per cent be assessed for the years 1919 to 1922, inclusive, together with special taxes to be assessed on legacies and on the income of foreign and domestic corporations. The following table indicates the revenue received under each of these items, up to December 1, 1923:

Civilian poll tax, \$12,315,042; special state tax, \$1,980,000; corporation taxes, \$4,241,608.51; legacy taxes, \$1,306,070.56; income taxes, \$2,854,793.47; miscellaneous, \$42,399.41. Total, \$22,739,913.95.

Fifty per cent of the reduction during the past three years in net direct debt was automatic and not because of so-called wise planning on the part of the present administration. The credit for the financing of the Military Service Loan Act of 1919 does not belong to the present administration on Beacon Hill, but rather to the cities, towns, corporations and citizens of the Commonwealth who cheerfully bore the \$20,000,000 tax in order that the state might fittingly show its appreciation of the services rendered by those who served the nation during the World War.

How was the remainder of the \$14,000,000 net reduction financed? First, by serial bond payments which were secured each year through the levy of the state tax, and secondly by payments from sinking funds established in years past and built up, since their establishment, by annual additions secured from the state tax. Let me illustrate. Last year \$5,000,000 of abolition of grade crossings bonds were redeemed by the Commonwealth. These bonds were issued in 1893, '94, '95, '96, and the sinking funds out of which they were redeemed have thus been accumulating over a period of thirty years. That is why I say, gentlemen, that the present administration has been a passive agent in the net debt reduction of the past three years. Representative Henry L. Shattuck, in discussing this topic at Tufts College last Friday evening, is reported as saying, "I venture to say that history tells of no more splendid record in the administration of public affairs." If Mr. Shattuck will permit I will suggest that he amend his statement by striking out the word "splendid" and inserting the word "fortuitous."

At this time I would like to call your attention to another interesting sidelight on the subject of reduction in state debt. In recent years the state has been following the "pay as you go" policy in matters of capital expenditure. This means that where in prior years the state issued loans for the erection of new buildings, the construction of highways and roads and the equipping and furnishing of hospitals, institutions and schools, it now includes the cost of these capital outlays as a part of the state tax. In the past three years appropriations totalling approximately \$13,000,000 have been authorized by the Legislature for items representing permanent improvements. Thus by levying a direct annual tax on the cities and towns for permanent improvements the present administration has been able in large part to achieve its debt reduction record.

THE CITY DEBT.

It is to be regretted that within the past ten days several agencies have made oral or printed statements concerning the net debt of Boston, which are far from truth. It is unfortunate that misstatements and half-truths should emanate from sources which should be better informed, particularly as the statements in connection with the debt of Boston are issued in printed form each month, and are available to the public.

These agencies would have the public infer that the net debt of the city has increased \$8,000,000 during my present administration. All these statements seem to be based upon the net debt of the city, exclusive of rapid transit debt, as of April 30, 1924. The suggestion of an \$8,000,000 increase offered by each of these agencies, would indicate that they were based upon the same source of information. It is true that Representative Adlow came nearer to a correct statement of the net debt, exclusive of rapid transit debt, as of April 30, 1924, when he stated that there was an increase of \$45,000. The other agencies were not so careful in their statements, and as a result their utterances were not in accord with the facts. Representative Adlow stated that there were loans authorized at the date mentioned, amounting to \$8,472,000, which had not been issued. This statement is true, but he did not state that at the beginning of my administration, February 1, 1922, there were loans authorized under the previous administration, amounting to \$4,593,500, which had not been issued, thus showing an increase during this administration of authorized debt, but not issued, of \$3,878,500. It should be clearly kept in mind that in both of the cases just mentioned, the loans had not been issued, and therefore could not have been included in the net debt.

It is difficult to understand how business men, who are supposed to know something about financial loans, could make such serious misstatements. With any knowledge of business finance, they must know that authority to borrow becomes a definite liability, only when loans are negotiated, and not before. There are many business organizations, as well as individuals, which are granted a line of credit at their respective banks far in excess of their loans outstanding and the fallacy of including the total credit authorizations not availed of by loans, as part of their outstanding debt, would be just as ridiculous as to include authorized loans, not negotiated as part of the debt of the city. The merest tyro in financial economics should clearly understand this situation.

I have shown that the total of loans authorized, but not issued, at April 30, 1924, was \$8,472,000; that this amount represented an increase of \$3,878,500 during my administration. It is interesting to note that of the total debt authorized, but not issued, \$4,084,000 was authorized by acts of the Legislature, as follows:

Stuart street, \$100,000; Cambridge and Court streets, \$3,484,000; Police Headquarters, \$500,000. Total, \$4,084,000.

In other words, if there is any criticism of the loans authorized, but not issued, then the Legislature must share that criticism.

At no time in the history of Boston has our financial reputation been higher than at the present time. This claim has been substantiated by Harris, Forbes & Co., one of the largest investment banking

houses, in a statement published some few months ago, wherein it was shown on the basis of average yields of bonds that Boston ranks first in credit standing amongst the ten largest cities in the country. As was well stated, editorially, in a Boston paper, "It is all the more pleasing that this high rating is determined by the unbiased verdict of the market place, which plays no favorites, and accepts no excuses." Any attempt, intentional or otherwise, to injure this high financial reputation, should be condemned by every right thinking citizen.

TAX RATE.

The public, in large measure, bases the success of municipal administration upon the tax rate announced; while the taxation laws for all cities in the state are practically the same, it must be evident that appropriation needs are not the same. Boston, as well as other cities in the metropolitan district, is obliged to include in its tax rate, the amounts of all metropolitan assessments levied yearly by the state. Boston, differing from every other city, must include in the tax

rate the total expenditures of the County of Suffolk, which includes the cities of Boston, Chelsea, Revere and the town of Winthrop. The new contributory pension system for city employees is applicable only to Boston, and the amount included in tax rate for this year is \$1,228,000. In any comparison of tax rates, these important factors must be kept in mind. Yet, notwithstanding the burden of these factors upon Boston the tax rate announced for this year is \$24.70, making the fourth successive year at the same rate. There are only two cities in the whole state with lower rates, viz., Beverly and Holyoke, and both of these cities have no metropolitan assessments included in their tax rates, while Boston must include \$1,775,000 for these purposes. It should be noted that Beverly has increased its tax rate this year \$2 per thousand, with a rate of \$24, while Holyoke has increased its rate \$1.50 per thousand, with a rate of \$23. The low rate in Boston can be better appreciated, when it is compared with the average rate of \$30.20 for the other thirty-eight cities of the Commonwealth.

to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007 City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, November 3, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, October 16:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Frank Conway has been promoted from inspector to building inspector, chief of concrete and piling inspectors, at \$2,500 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Joseph T. Santino has been appointed clerk at \$1,000 a year.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Wilbur F. Goodrich has been employed for a period not exceeding ten days to do certain engineering work at \$3 a day.

Mary F. Deegan, typist, engaged to do certain temporary work, left on Saturday, October 11, and Winifred R. McDonough has been appointed for a period of four weeks in her place at \$18 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Ladderman Leonard F. Griffin of Ladder Company 30 has been retired on half pay at \$950 a year.

Catherine Melia has been placed on the pension roll at \$600 a year.

Assistant Engineer John L. Donovan of Engine Company 15, has been promoted to be engineer with increase in salary from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The following personnel has been named to attend the fifty-third annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, in Detroit, from October 20 to 23, inclusive:

Doctors F. X. Mahoney, K. R. Bailey, C. F. Wilinsky, J. A. Ceconi, F. J. Bailey and Messrs. S. L. Maloney and J. O. Jordan. The total estimated cost will average \$125 each.

Dr. Frederick J. Bailey, Deputy Commissioner, Division of Child Hygiene, has been named to attend the second annual meeting of the American Child Hygiene Association, to be held in Kansas City, October 14 to 16, inclusive, at an approximate cost of \$125.

Dr. Frederick J. McVey and Dr. J. C. L. Seymour have been appointed provisionally, as medical inspectors, at \$1,600 a year.

Frank Roach and Robert Barrett have been continued in further temporary employment as caretakers, for four days, at \$4.50 a day.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending October 17:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital

Marquerite H. Davill head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Jennie N. Nelson.

Theresa Elliott, institution employee, \$523 a year, to succeed Mary Hardy.

INCREASES IN CERTAIN APPROPRIATIONS FOR THREE YEARS 1921-1924 UNDER MAYOR CURLEY.

DEPARTMENT.	AMOUNT.	REMARKS.
Employees pension fund.....	\$1,228,336 00	Boston only city with pension system covering all employees.
County expenses.....	641,574 10	Increased pay for jurors; and increased business of courts.
Fire Department.....	609,355 42	Two-platoon, 100 per cent motorization; increases in minimum and maximum pay of privates; improvements in fire houses.
Police Department.....	402,512 02	Increases in pay; fifty additional patrolmen, and improvements to stations. Traffic beacons.
Hospital Department.....	419,919 54	Increases to lower paid employees. Additional allowances for food, fittings and supplies.
Overseers of the Public Welfare.....	200,864 77	Increase in number of people aided.
Library Department.....	81,447 00	Salary increases.
Health Department.....	78,387 16	Health units.
Public Works Department.....	742,298 41	Increases to laborers and mechanics, motor equipment, increased costs for lighting, garbage removal and disposal, etc.
Total increases.....	\$4,422,694 42	

In spite of the above increases the tax rate has been maintained at the same level. The above table does not include

schools. The school increase was \$262,924.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

(Continue from page 1543.)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for sewerage works in Elizabeth avenue, between Allston street and Commonwealth avenue, and outlet in Allston street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,600. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$150, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Roberts avenue, from Dent to La Grange streets, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$250, to

be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, October 30, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing a standard lower elementary school in the Robert Gould Shaw District, Washington street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$7,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, October 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing a lower elementary school in the John Marshall District, Athelwold street, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent

Rose Farnum, institution employee, \$550 a year, to succeed Mary E. Foley.

Marion D. Floyd, administration dietitian, \$1,200 a year, to succeed Marjorie Read.

Alwylda F. Guerrier, head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Maria R. Wood.

William McCann, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed William Murphy.

John J. Pierce, attendant, made permanent, \$600 a year, to succeed Mary A. Hodge.

Stephen F. Tracy, storekeeper, \$1,000 a year, to succeed John E. Keogh.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Marie G. Maguire has been given the temporary appointment for a period of about three months as a pianist at \$20 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Michael H. Burke, Hyde Park paving district, has been promoted from laborer at \$4.50 a day, to paver at \$5.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

The following citizens have been appointed to fill permanent vacancies now existing as teamster-laborers at \$4.50 a day: Thomas P. Butler, Robert D. Magrath, James M. O'Rourke, Patrick J. Collieran, Francis J. Tierney, Frank G. McDonald, Frank J. Dolan, Henry J. King, William J. Doren, Roger J. O'Connor, Michael L. Ryan, Francis M. McCarthy, Joseph D. Coughlin, Cornelius Catarius, Bernard F. Murphy, James J. Smith, Edward C. Merchant and James P. Frayne.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Peter J. McDermott has been appointed permanent part time clerk at \$12 a week in the Sewer Service.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Thomas H. Leonard has been granted an increase in salary as inspector in the Water Service, from \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Frank T. Sullivan and John A. Showstead have been appointed engineers' assistants (Grade A), for a term of three months, at \$1,100 a year.

William Houllahan and Joseph Lundy have been appointed engineering assistants, Grade A, at \$1,100 a year, for three months.

Edward L. Moulton and Arthur Howland, junior engineers, have been promoted to senior engineers, Grade D, without change in compensation.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 16:

Main Department.

I. C. Nelson, assistant engineer, 5 hours, \$4.38; H. J. Brown, N. MacPherson, R. Jaegar, J. Deery, M. F. Crosson, W. Thompson, assistant engineers, 8

hours, \$6.67 each; M. Kelley, H. O'Donnell, J. McDonough, D. Bransfield, P. J. Gavin, R. S. Johnson, E. Darcy, firemen, 8 hours, \$6 each; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$8.52; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; C. Skory, electrician, 4 hours, \$3.33; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 23½ hours, \$16.22; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 19½ hours, \$13.46; O. Rehfield, plasterer and painter, 19½ hours, \$13.46; W. P. Cody, W. O'Connell, plumber's helpers, 19½ hours, \$10.97 each; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; John Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; C. Doran, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62; J. Murphy, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; 4 hours, \$1.52.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

J. McKenzie, P. Joyce, porters and tending furnaces, 20 hours \$11.25 each; W. Nolan, porter and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50.

East Boston Relief Station.

J. H. Corcoran, M. Fitzgerald, F. Ruggerio, porters and tending furnaces, 8 hours, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$238.25.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 16:

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

Richard Plunkett, deckhand, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

John Melley, engineer, 4½ hours, \$3.65.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 16:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 2 days, \$9 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph T. Harrington, Peter Kean, Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 2 days, \$10.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 16:

N. McSheffrey, fireman, 1 day, \$6; 7½ hours, \$5.62; F. C. Twitchell, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; 5¼ hours, \$4.38; J. Reynolds, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; 3 hours, \$2.50; J. Conlon, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; T. J. Swift, fireman, 1 day, \$6; J. Campbell, fireman, 1 day, \$5; J. J. Walsh, elevatorman, 10½ hours, \$5.91; E. T. Roach, elevatorman, 5¼ hours, \$2.95.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 13:

Assistant Drawtenders.—P. J. McGonagle, 4 days, \$17.53; J. J. Crowley, D. F. Coughlin, W. F. Hanlon, 2 days, \$8.77 each; W. C. Fein, L. A. Foley, J. F. Hasson, D. L. Terry, 1 day, \$4.38 each. Watchman.—J. McManus, 2 days, \$9. Total, \$70.36.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 13:

Rigger.—Thomas Downs, 3 days, \$16.50.

Laborer.—Thomas Barry, 1 day, \$4.75.

Firemen.—Thomas Murphy, ½ day, \$3.75; Christobal Fradau, ¾ day, \$2.25.

Total, \$27.25.

Net cost for the week ending October 13, 1924, \$21.25.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 13:

Laborers.—James E. Flynn, Elmer Kendall, William Hurley, Timothy Donovan, Christopher Sullivan, Eben E. Kimball; Frederick Collins, Daniel J. McCormack, Patrick Dolan, George McCormack, Daniel Higgins, Timothy McCarthy, Edward Breen, Charles Bleiler, George Currie, Michael Carni, Richard Kelley, Arthur Conner, James Hall, James Magee, Michael Leahy, Arthur Gleason, Thomas Conboy, Thomas Clark, Thomas Heavey, Charles Devine, 1 day, \$4.50 each. Total, \$117.

Stablemen.—Maurice Fitzgerald, Alexander McCarthy, Richard O'Neill, Richard Howard, John J. Carroll, John Ring, James McKenney, James Fitzgerald, Michael Barry, Bartholomew Dunn, William Corrigan, 1 day, \$4.50 each. Total, \$49.50.

Cement Finisher.—Arcangelo Farella, 1 day, \$6.

Teamsters.—Frank Haley, John Devlin, John Doherty, William Doyle, Thomas Welch, 1 day, \$4.50 each. Total, \$22.50.

Watchmen.—Timothy Callahan, Jas. Noonan, Thomas O'Keefe, 1 day, \$4.50 each. Total, \$13.50.

Carpenter's Helper.—John T. Kelly, 1 day, \$4.50.

Yardmen.—Charles Hennrikus, Daniel Anglin, Daniel Crowley, 1 day, \$4.50 each. Total, \$13.50.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 13:

Teamsters, Laborers, etc.—W. McCarthy, P. Egan, J. O'Connor, G. Stapleton, W. Burke, J. Campbell, J. McNutt, E. Currier, M. Fitzpatrick, B. F. Lyons, W. F. Ryan, T. J. Berrane, M. Campbell, J. H. Carey, P. Coffey, P. J. Downey, O. Kelley, R. G. Purcell, P. J. Downey 1st, P. Doyle, J. Moore, M. Carroll, M. S. Ryan, J. J. Welch, J. A. Wharfinger, F. Calbag, J. Curran, J. H. Kelly, J. Keyes, W. Knightly, J. McCaffrey, J. O'Halloran, T. J. Shea, J. Sullivan, J. Fay, M. J. Gately, P. Griffin, J. J. O'Neil, T. Riley, J. A. Callahan, M. F. Carmody, T. F. Carroll, P. Cassimo, J. J. Cribben, J. J. Curran, M. J. Dunn, J. Fahey, E. F. Gardner, S. S. Jacobs, E. A. Keefe, W. J. Martin, P. F. McDonough, J. J. McEnrie, P. J. Nee, P. O'Hea, D. F. O'Neil, C. F. Rand, J. J. Sullivan, J. Welmouth, J. J. Spillane, F. J. Kane, J. L. Sullivan, P. J. Griffin, J. F. Cavinaro, F. Cunningham, J. J. Gavin, R. J. Hughes, R. F. Kenney, J. J. Lamon, L. W. Lawler, W. McGahey, M. F. Grath, J. O'Brien, J. Powers, M. Shaller, J. Fay, J. Burke, J. Cassell, F. M. Williams, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—A. P. Charbonnier, T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, C. J. Haley, 2 days, \$9 each.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, J. L. Hennessey, 2 days, \$9.50; J. Canney, W. Cassell, J. E. Burns, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Total, \$424.75.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 13:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Collins, 2 days, \$10; Richard Connolly, 2½ days, \$12.50; Michael Foley, John Driscoll, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Laborers.—Thomas Duffy, 3 days, \$13.50; Daniel McKenna, Michael Vaughan, Michael Mullin, 2 days, \$9 each; Peter King, James Gavin, Emilio Curcio, Patrick McDonough, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Patrick Barry, John English, John Connor, John O'Neil, Thomas Coughlin, Andrew Flaherty, Edward Flaherty, Louis Brunetto, Joseph Faretro, James Smith, Michael Clance, Michael McMahon, John Keenan, James O'Neil, John Delaney, Bernard Brady, Patrick Egan, James Keelan, Thomas Kelly, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Gate-men.—William Mullin, Richard Tobin, Patrick Thornton, 1 day, \$6 each. Total, \$213.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 13:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, J. McGrath, T. O'Malley, P. Scanlan, W. Cosgrove, W. Doherty, M. J. O'Connell, T. Ormand, P. Callahan, J. O'Donnell, W. O'Brien, D. Powers, J. P. Barnes, F. R. Deacon, T. V. Graham, T. Downey, M. Gilmartin, J. T. O'Leary, J. DeCousey, D. C. Doherty, P. McManus, J. J. Jones, P. Meyers, B. Manning, J. Golden, M. Lally, B. J. Doherty, G. Keegan, W. Batts, W. Dwyer, W. Gorman, W. Hartnett, M. McCormack, J. McHugh, J. Monahan, J. Whelton, J. Holland, G. Riley, E. Grant, M. T. Clougherty, J. Donahue, P. Canny, C. Hart, J. B. Sullivan, H. J. McCarron, N. Albano, P. Barry, D. J. Callahan, F. D'Ambrosio, L. Davis, P. Dunn, M. Fallon, J. Fanning, C. F. Flaherty, M. Finn, J. B. Foley, P. Glynn, F. Granville, J. Hines, P. Hogan, J. J. O'Leary, M. A. Weidman, E. L. Gately, 1 day, \$4.50 each; B. Callahan, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, E. F. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, J. Moriarty, J. F. Brown, J. J. Daley, J. Driscoll, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, W. McGlynn, W. T. Maloney, 2 days, \$9 each; R. Mulcahy, H. McFadden, ½ day, \$2.25 each; J. J. Shea, C. Sullivan, L. McGahan, 1 day, \$4.75 each. Total, \$419.25.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 13:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 2 days, \$10 each; F. Bonang, 2½ days, \$10.63; J. Burns, 2½ days, \$12.50; J. Burke, 1½ days, \$7.50; P. Clougherty, 1 day, \$5.

Emergency-men.—D. Curley, J. Doherty, M. Donohue, A. Christie, 1 day, \$5.50 each; W. Lonergan, R. Curcio, T. Flanagan, J. Mahan, H. McCue, J. Roust, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. Carney, T. Kinahan, W. Rice, 1 day, \$4.75 each; W. Fitzsimmons, 1½ days, \$5.06; J. Kelley, 1 day, \$5; H. McCauley, 2 days, \$9.50.

Repairers.—T. Barry, ¾ day, \$1.97; A. LoPilato, 2 days, \$9.50; P. Lynch, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Heffernan, ¾ day, \$2.06; W. Scanlon, 2 days, \$11; G. Cozza, ¾ day, \$1.88; M. O'Day, 1½ days, \$9.69; J. Leonard, 1 day, \$5; T. Murphy, ¾ day,

DISCOVERY OF AMERICA BY COLUMBUS DUE TO DIVINE INSPIRATION WHICH HELD TO IDEAL.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS AN INSPIRING ADDRESS AT COLUMBUS DAY EXERCISES ON BOSTON COMMON, EX-TOLLING QUALITIES OF MAN WHO MADE AMERICA KNOWN.

Mayor Curley speaking at the Columbus Day exercises on Boston Common on October 13 said in part:

"A very unusual distinction and pleasure is mine to present upon this festive observance of the anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus two children who are lineal descendants of the people who inhabited this continent when Columbus arrived there in 1492, the Praxton children, Ramona and Matthew.

"We have been privileged today to witness a most interesting and colorful spectacle, representatives of every one of the North American and South American countries, and nations that were undreamed of at the time of the voyage of Columbus by the people of Europe. We have some conception of the character of contribution made to human progress when we consider the life and the story of the voyage of Christopher Columbus, out of the fruition of whose voyage of discovery came our own splendid American Republic and the republics to the south of us, when we consider the Divine inspiration which mocked at poverty and starvation and held firm to the ideal and belief that beyond the sea there lay a new land, a virgin territory, where human progress and human possibilities to a greater degree than ever previously known might be possible.

"When we consider that 12th day of October, 1492, we realize how much that voyage of discovery has meant in the march of events and we have a realization that the voyage of discovery of Columbus and its bearing on human progress was only excelled by the Divine Sacrifice on Calvary for the redemption of mankind. We have some realization as to the gift, not of Columbus alone, but of our country, America, and its part in the scheme of Divine Providence for the welfare of mankind. Out of the voyage of discovery of Columbus came the Massachusetts Bay Colony; out of the Massachusetts Bay Colony came the movement for liberty on this continent, this movement which disked the suffering and the struggle and hardship of human kind for nearly eighteen centuries that somewhere in the world there might be established a form of

government under which all persons might enjoy the fullest possible measure of liberty and equality.

"The same Divine faith that sustained Columbus until his voyage of discovery had been consummated was the same Divine faith that held firm in the movement for the establishment of free government by the women and men of the Massachusetts Bay Colony and the women and men who inhabited the thirteen colonies in 1775. Faith and the spirit of self-reliance made possible the discovery of America; faith and self-reliance made successful the work of the Massachusetts Bay Colony; faith and self-reliance made successful the work of Washington and his followers; faith and self-reliance made possible and continuement for the emancipation of the negro under Abraham Lincoln and faith and self-reliance made possible the continuance of free government in the world under the leadership of Woodrow Wilson. Faith and self-reliance, love of God and country, love of one's neighbor, has made possible a reality of the panorama of friendship and brotherhood presented here by the representatives of the various nations of the world.

"Let us trust the faith of Columbus and the self-reliance of the Colonial fathers may be a part of our daily life and that through it we may develop a more profound realization of the great blessings that is ours through our American citizenship and as we value that blessing and cherish our heritage adopt a more friendly spirit towards our fellow man here in free America.

"It becomes my very great privilege as Mayor of Boston, acting as presiding officer, on the presentation of the speaker of this occasion, to present to the people of Massachusetts a citizen of our neighboring state of Rhode Island, a representative of our great sister Republic, the Republic of France, without which republic and people in all human probability the freedom of the thirteen colonies might have been long delayed, possibly never consummated, France ever a friend of America, America in the recent hour of trial for France a true friend of France, it affords me pleasure to present Lieutenant Governor Felix Toupin of Rhode Island and the next Governor of Rhode Island.

\$4.22; J. C. Dolan, 1 day, \$4.75; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; J. Lonergan, 2 days, \$14; R. Doyle, 1½ days, \$8.59; C. Driscoll, ¾ day, \$4.64; P. Ippolite, ¼ day, \$3.09; D. Kirby, 2 days, \$10; G. Cataldo, 1½ days, \$6.75; J. McKay, 1 day, \$4.75; M. Byrnes, 1½ days, \$6.75; G. Cunningham, ¾ day, \$1.34; G. Greer, ¼ day, \$4.69; J. Feeley, ¼ day, \$2.67; W. Shields, ¾ day, \$3.75; N. McPhee, ¼ day, \$4.69; P. Coleman, ¾ day, \$3.56; G. Waters, 2½ days, \$12.47; R. McDonough, ¾ day, \$3.38; G. Condon, ¼ day, \$0.84; J. Horgan, ¼ day, \$0.89; J. Glennan, ¼ day, \$0.94; T. Byrnes, 1½

days, \$6.19; J. McKenna, ¾ day, \$2.06; J. Blessington, ¾ day, \$3.75; J. McLean, ¾ day, \$1.88; S. Mickewicz, ¼ day, \$0.98; T. Rose, 1 day, \$5.25; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—F. DeAngelo, J. McCauley, J. Phipps, J. M. O'Toole, T. Toolin, 1 day, \$4.50 each; B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, E. Pyné, P. Waters, 2 days, \$9 each; B. Hill, ¾ day, \$1.27; C. Joyce, 2½ days, \$12.52; P. Mulkern, 1½ days, \$8.72; J. O'Toole, 1½ days, \$7.88.

Total, \$460.68; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$55.18.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 10 the Mayor approved a contract with the Colonial Scale Company for furnishing the weighing machines in the convenience stations of the Health Department, City of Boston. Bids for the supply, opened Wednesday, October 1, are as follows:

Colonial Scale Company, \$771; Edward E. Adams, \$625.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 30 the Mayor approved a contract with the Maple Farm Milk Company for furnishing milk and cream to the Infirmary Division, Institutions Department, from October 1, 1924, to March 31, 1925, inclusive. Bids for the supply, opened September 23, were as follows:

12,012 Cans Pasteurized Milk.—E. Weiler & Sons, 78 cents per eight-quart can; Maple Farm Milk Company, 73 cents per eight-quart can; Alden Brothers Company, 78.3 cents per eight-quart can; Whiting Milk Companies, 78 cents per eight-quart can; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 78.74 cents per eight-quart can;

8,736 Quarts Certified Milk.—E. Weiler & Sons, 22 cents per quart; Maple Farm Milk Company, 18 cents per quart; Alden Brothers Company, 22 cents per quart; Whiting Milk Companies, 20 cents per quart; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 21 cents per quart.

910 Pints Medium Cream.—E. Weiler & Sons, 25 cents per pint; Maple Farm Milk Company, 22 cents per pint; Alden Brothers Company, 27 cents per pint; Whiting Milk Companies, 25 cents per pint; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 23 cents per pint.

Discount Ten Days.—E. Weiler & Sons, $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent.

Upon October 10 the Mayor approved a contract with Sherwin Williams Company for furnishing 1,200 gallons blue lead paint to the Bridge Service. Bids, opened October 6, were as follows:

Twelve Hundred Gallons Blue Lead Paint.—Curry Brothers Oil Company, bitumastic gray, \$2.65 per gallon; The Sherwin Williams Company, \$1.70 per gallon in barrels; National Lead Company, \$2.46 per gallon in 5-gallon containers; \$2.52 per gallon in 1-gallon containers; \$2.35 per gallon in barrels; Albert K. Sheldon Company, \$2.50 per gallon; Norfolk Varnish Company, \$2.58 per gallon; P. Sutherland & Co., \$2.35 per gallon; Watson Hallett Company, \$2.55 per gallon; Hampden Paint and Chemical Company, \$2.26 per gallon; E. & F. King, Company, Inc., \$2.18 per gallon; The Glidden Company, \$2.64 per gallon in barrels; \$2.89 per gallon in 1-gallon containers; \$2.79 per gallon in 5-gallon containers; George D. Wetherill Company, Inc., \$2.35 per gallon in barrels; Wadsworth, Howland & Co., Inc., \$2.40 per gallon; Carpenter Morton Company, \$2.35 per gallon in barrels.

Best Delivery Date.—Curry Brothers Oil Company.—One half in ten days, balance one week later; The Sherwin Williams Company, ten to 15 days; National Lead Company, part five to six days, balance 10 days; Norfolk Varnish

Company, within two days; P. Sutherland & Co., immediately; Watson Hallett Company, four days; Hampden Paint and Chemical Company, within forty-eight hours; E. & F. King Company, Inc., three days; The Glidden Company, within twenty-one days; George D. Wetherill Company, Inc., five days; Wadsworth, Howland & Co., Inc., one week; Carpenter Morton Company, four days.

Discount, Ten Days.—Curry Brothers Oil Company, 1 per cent; The Sherwin Williams Company, 2 per cent; Albert K. Sheldon Company, 2 per cent; P. Sutherland & Co., 2 per cent; Watson Hallett Company, 2 per cent; Hampden Paint and Chemical Company, 1 per cent; E. & F. King Company, Inc., 2 per cent; George D. Wetherill Company, Inc., 1 per cent; Wadsworth, Howland & Co., Inc., 1 per cent; Carpenter Morton Company, 2 per cent.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company for furnishing cast-iron pipe. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to extend the completion date of the contract for furnishing cast-iron pipe and special castings with the United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company from September 1, 1924, to October 10, 1924.

This request is made because certain pipe which was to have been included in the last shipment by barge was not on board when checked here at Boston. Trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am,

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Joseph A. Singarella has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing Portland cement concrete pavement in Centre street, from John Eliot square to Columbus avenue. Items ordered: Set edge-stone, relay gutters and lay artificial stone sidewalks in Mansfield street, from Cambridge street to Alcott street, Brighton. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$3,442.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Adams street, between existing sewer about 110 feet southwesterly of Milton street, and a point about 150 feet southerly, in the Dorchester district, and that he estimates that the cost thereof will be \$950.

CHALLENGES LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FULLER TO DEBATE.

Mayor Curley sent the following letter on October 11:

HON. ALVAN T. FULLER, State House,
Boston, Mass.

MY DEAR MR. FULLER,—The public utterances of Republican leaders during the past week, including Governor Channing H. Cox, Representative Elijah Adlow and Representative Henry L. Shattuck, would make it appear that it is the purpose of the Republican machine in Massachusetts to abandon the campaign in behalf of Hon. Calvin Coolidge for President, Speaker of the House Frederick H. Gillette for United States Senator and the remainder of the Republican ticket, with a view to saving you from defeat.

Your personal representatives have devoted their entire time to the discussion of so-called state tax reduction and state and municipal administration. This is a most interesting subject and one which I am quite sure the public will be pleased to hear discussed by the two candidates for governor.

May I take the liberty of extending you a cordial invitation to appoint a time and place when you and I as the candidates for the office of Governor of Massachusetts may be afforded an opportunity to participate in a joint debate upon this subject; or in the event that you prefer it, upon the subject of your neglect of public duty while a member of the Congress of the United States, or your silence upon the activities of the Ku Klux Klan.

Trusting your engagements will permit of your determining upon an early date and assuring you that I shall be most pleased to arrange my campaign schedule to meet your wishes, I beg to remain, with every good and sincere wish,

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

MAYOR RECEIVES ZR-3 GREETINGS.

Mayor Curley was pleased on Wednesday morning to receive from Lieutenant Commander Sydney M. Krauss, U. S. N., a member of the detachment of the United States Navy on board the ZR-3, Zeppelin, the following message:

XB BC-1 RADIO, SS. ZR-3, NERM R C,
BOSTON 12.

October 15, 1924, 4.08 A. M.

MAYOR CURLEY, Boston:

Greetings from ZR-3. Sorry it is not daylight.

KRAUSS.

Mayor Curley had previously cabled Lieutenant Commander Krauss at Friederichshafen, Germany, the following message, requesting that he sail over Boston on his transoceanic route from Friederichshafen to Lakehurst, N. J., the home of the new Zeppelin ZR-3:

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER SYDNEY M. KRAUSS, U.S.N., ZR-3, Friederichshafen, Germany:

Heartly congratulations. Sincerely trust ZR-3 will fly over Boston en route to Lakehurst, N. J.

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor.

Boston, October 10, 1924.

MAYOR CURLEY ADDRESSES AUDIENCE ESTIMATED AT 400,000 PERSONS IN FIRST RADIO RALLY.

ADDS NEW FEATURE TO POLITICAL LIFE OF AMERICA BY INNOVATION SPEAKING THROUGH EDISON RADIO STATION TO CITIZENS OF STATE.

Mayor Curley opened his radio rallies at Station WEEI, Edison Light, Boston, on the evening of October 13, a new feature in the political life of America. It is estimated that 400,000 persons listened in.

Mayor Curley said in part:

"I sincerely trust that every individual listening in, in whose home a radio set is to be found, will make it their business to invite a group of five or more persons each evening, with the exception of Saturday and Sunday evenings, from now until the close of the present campaign between 7 p. m. and 7.10 p. m. to listen to a discussion of the issues involved in the present National and State campaign.

"These radio rallies will between now and Election Day be addressed by Senator David I. Walsh, candidate for Governor James M. Curley, and women and men of national prominence. A rare opportunity is, by means of the radio, afforded to enjoy the pleasures of the political rally without the discomforts, and I sincerely trust that everyone interested in the success of my campaign will invite their friends to be present at every one of the radio rallies to be held in my behalf."

Mayor Curley said further: "It is a great privilege and an exceeding pleasure to be permitted to talk to the good women and men of Massachusetts concerning the election to be held on the fourth day of November. It is less important who shall be elected than it is that every individual privileged to cast a ballot shall not only be in a position to cast that ballot but be familiar in some measure with the issues involved in the campaign.

"Our nation has been in existence less than a century and a half. It can boast of progress in that short period of time greater than any nation in the world; and yet with all our progress, with all our intelligence as a people, with all our resources, natural and developed by the talent of the American nation, we are confronted by a condition that makes living extremely hard and the future dark. America is the only solvent one among the larger nations of the world; its productivity was increased enormously in consequence of the exigencies of a war; for it became necessary not only to provide for the requirements of our own government but for the needs of all the nations allied with America in the winning of the World War.

"As a consequence of this tremendous development in our productive capacity, and as a result of the speeding up of our methods of production by the introduction of more economical and efficient instrumentalities, it is possible for the American nation to produce in a period of seven or eight months all that the American people can consume or utilize in a full period of twelve months. With this condition common knowledge

for the past four years, it was the duty of those in charge of the destinies of the American nation to develop a program whereby the excess output of the industries of America might be absorbed by the remainder of the outside world. Yet no such program was embarked upon. Prior to the World War, in 1912, America was able to provide carriers on the waterways of the world for about 9 per cent of the goods produced for export in America; but the World War created a great Merchant Marine, made possible by the expenditure not of millions but of billions of dollars by the American people; and this great Merchant Marine, for want of a courageous and constructive policy has been permitted to rot in creeks and waterways upon all the coasts of the American Republic.

"This condition should not obtain in America; it is a condition that makes for unemployment in the land and discontent in the home; and destructive alike of the happiness, harmony and patriotism of the American Republic. It would never have been permitted to obtain in America were a larger number of the American people possessed of a keener interest in their own government. Just as long as the work of government is delegated to minorities, just so long will the same policy of neglect, ignorance and incompetency be in evidence in this land of ours.

"I trust the time will come when every American woman and man eligible to vote will realize the duty they owe to the greatest Republic on earth and meet their political obligation because of the possible blessings and benefits their action can confer not only on this generation but upon posterity. Arrangements have been made in the leading cities and towns of the Commonwealth for registration daily and each evening until 10 p. m.

"There are probably 100,000 who have neglected this great duty, this great privilege to be a part of the American Government, to be a stockholder in the largest and most important business of the whole world, the business of government. It is a business whose transactions affect vitally the happiness and the welfare of 112,000,000 of people living under the American flag.

"Every enactment of Congress either lightens the burden or makes the burden just a little harder to bear for every individual in America. We get the character of government that we will. If we continue to delegate our responsibilities to minorities and fail to take a livelier interest in the welfare of the government we forfeit the right to complain when men who are blind to duty, when men who fail the people and refuse to do their duty, fill office in this land.

"There are two candidates in this contest for the office of Governor. I propose to say just a word in closing with reference to this contest.

"During the period of the World War

more measures vital to the American people and the world generally were considered by the American Congress than for half a century. The candidate of the Republican party, Mr. Alvan T. Fuller, was absent or not recorded on more measures of legislation in Congress than any twenty-five members of Congress combined. Never once during the most important period of legislation in the last half century, the sixty-fifth Congress, was the voice of Mr. Fuller raised either pro or con upon measures affecting the happiness and the very life itself of the American soldier and nation. I do not believe we can afford as a people to send to the office of Governor of this Commonwealth at a time when commerce is paralyzed and industry stagnant, when murmurs of protest are heard on every hand, a man who in the hour of our greatest trial, during the World War, when the future of free government hung in the balance, failed to record himself upon measures the adoption of which meant so much to humanity.

"I propose that the public shall know his record during the war and after the war, confident in the belief that when the truth is known he will fail to receive the support of any real American."

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 618.

A trial board consisting of Captains Walkins, Skillings and McDevitt, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Thomas P. Gallagher of Division 20, charging him with being absent without leave, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Thomas P. Gallagher perform thirty-five hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 619.

For the fifth time in recent years, the annual police parade was held on October 13.

As was naturally expected, it was effected with military precision and accuracy and as a demonstration of the potential service that this department may render to the citizens of this city, it must have been extremely enlightening to many. The setup and carriage of the men were excellent and the marching and maneuvers, both on the line of parade and later at dress parade, evidenced admirable training.

To the superintendent, Capt. Louis R. Lutz, Sergt. Thomas S. J. Kavanagh, and Patrolman Edward J. Seibolt of Division 15, I desire to extend my sincere thanks for their thorough training of the men, and also to those members of the department who worked extra hours in order that the citizens of this city might have an opportunity to see its defenders.

To the department as a whole, therefore, from the superintendent down, I again extend my congratulations.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 9 TO OCTOBER 15.

OCTOBER 9.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Mrs. M. Wahlberg.....	Rear of 26 Westford street..	26	First-class garage.....	\$800
Nathalie Gramshaw.....	41 Dix Street.....	20	First-class garage.....	750
Mary Ledoux <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 45 Richfield street..	18	First-class garage.....	1,650
Arthur Mikels.....	Rear of 51 Brunswick street..	16	First-class garage.....	925
F. P. Wesson.....	191 West Springfield street..	7	First-class garage.....	850
Estella Languth.....	Rear of 11 Maple Park.....	20	Second-class garage.....	750
Maria Orfanello.....	Rear of 612 Adams street.....	20	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Alice E. Fowler.....	26 Bellevue street.....	23	Second-class dwelling.....	20,000
Barney Swartz.....	Rear of 77 Greenwood street..	19	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Leo J. Dunn.....	11 Primrose street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	500
Jennie R. Murray.....	101 Clement avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Peter Cataldo.....	40 Bourne street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
Richard O'Hearn.....	240 East Milton street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Clyde E. Strickland <i>et al.</i> ...	Rear of 218 Stratford street..	23	Third-class garage.....	600
T. W. Gillerist.....	38 Rockwell street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
John Smith.....	246 Fuller street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
John Smith.....	248 Fuller street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
F. G. Deban.....	Rear of 1863 Common- wealth avenue.....	25	Alterations, garage.....	500
Ellen E. Carney.....	79 River street.....	21	Alterations, store.....	300
Kane Furniture Company...	738 and 740 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, storage.....	6,000

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Lena Miller.....	336 K street.....	10	First-class garage.....	\$800
William Healey.....	Rear of 186 Grampian way.....	17	First-class garage.....	1,500
Richard F. Sheehan.....	41 Pierce avenue.....	20	Second-class garage.....	900
Bristol Street Realty Com- pany.....	448 Harrison avenue.....	6	Second-class light manufac- turing.....	100,000
Mrs. Hilda McGill.....	Rear of 23 Foss road.....	20	Second-class garage.....	950
Harry Ratner.....	Rear of 15 Goodale road.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Jennie DeMatteo.....	Rear of 189 Cornell street.....	23	Second-class garage.....	600
Amos C. Jenner.....	Rear of 88 Bennett street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	900
Jeanette Shuman.....	Rear of 33 Brookledge street..	16	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Cloilde Baldini.....	Rear of 222 Ashland street.....	23	Second-class garage.....	2,200
W. H. Tibbets.....	128 Faneuil street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
A. & F. Coughlin.....	Rear of 57 Bradford avenue.....	23	Third-class garage.....	425
Colonial Constructing Com- pany.....	7 Alhambra road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
Thomas King.....	73 Brayton road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Thomas King.....	69 Brayton road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Alice E. Fowler.....	21 Murch avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
F. S. Maloof.....	409 and 411 Marlborough street.....	8	Alterations, tenements.....	50
Ernest Hollenbach.....	98 Cornell street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,250
Robert Johnston.....	54 East street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Catherine L. Hanley.....	349 Scaver street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Morris Katz.....	41 Lawrence avenue.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	175
Walter H. Stearns.....	714 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Erect fire escape.....	300
George W. Granfield.....	392 Marlborough street.....	8	Erect fire escape.....	120
Aetna Building Wrecking Company.....	2 Wheelock avenue.....	17	Take-down, dwelling.....	75
Adelaide Corson.....	146 Gold street.....	9	Take-down, stable.....	300
American Building Wrecking Company.....	32 Cambridge street.....	8	Take-down, dwelling.....	150
American Building Wrecking Company.....	182 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Take-down, dwelling.....	150
James A. Hathaway.....	216 North Harvard street...	26	Take-down, dwelling.....	75

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James Brananto.....	309 A street.....	9	Second-class lunch stand....	\$1,200
Matthew J. Daley.....	Rear of 2 Arcadia terrace.....	18	Second-class garage.....	1,800
Catherine M. McGinley.....	Rear of 83 Morton street.....	22	Third-class garage.....	600
Nathan H. Woolf.....	15 Gilmer street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Chester Realty Company...	1781 Washington street.....	13	Alterations, stores and tene- ments.....	250
Boston Young Women's Christian Association.....	40 Berkeley street.....	7	Alterations, motion pictures..	1,600
Josephine M. Hicks, trustee,	15 Meander street.....	6	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
Josephine M. Hicks, trustee,	13 Meander street.....	6	Alterations, dwelling.....	600
Josephine M. Hicks, trustee,	11 Meander street.....	6	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
Samuel Altman.....	5 and 7 Brighton avenue.....	25	Alterations, auto salesroom...	60
Stephen Separeni.....	273 Western avenue.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	130
Lambrette Mills.....	1594 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	Alterations, wool carding.....	2,200
Walworth Manufacturing Company.....	138 High street.....	5	Alterations, office and ware- house.....	936
Joseph A. Kelley.....	36 West Sixth street.....	9	Alterations, stable.....	50
Mary Singler.....	986 South street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	900
Coleman & Gilbert.....	339 Huntington avenue.....	7	Alterations, apartments.....	8,000
Winchester Street Trust.....	40-44 Winchester street.....	8	Alterations, mercantile.....	1,000
Kidder-Peabody Company...	115 Devonshire street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	500
Massachusetts General Hospital.....	199 Purchase street.....	5	Alterations, warehouse.....	200
Frank L. Young Company...	890 East First street.....	9	Alterations, oil refining.....	300
W. Kukurza.....	46 Roanoke road.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	400

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Beniamino Vena.....	Rear of 31 and 33 Shannon street.....	26	First-class garage.....	\$800
John Goldberg.....	Rear of 322 Summit avenue.....	25	First-class garage.....	1,500
David T. LeFort.....	Rear of 302 North Beacon street.....	26	First-class garage.....	3,000
Gertrude Sperling.....	Rear of 13 Estella street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
John Naughton.....	Rear of 81 Dustin street.....	25	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Dr. E. Louis Friederman.....	Rear of 4 Schuyler street.....	16	Second-class garage.....	900
Theresa Violante.....	Rear of 17 Violante street.....	24	Second-class garage.....	900
Theresa Violante.....	Rear of 19 Violante street.....	24	Second-class garage.....	900
Theresa Violante.....	Rear of 21 Violante street.....	24	Second-class garage.....	900

LAND-TAKING IN HYDE PARK.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Hyde Park and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Cottage place, bounded:

Northeast by Winslow street, six and 6-100 feet; southeast by another part of Cottage place, one hundred forty-three and 4-100 feet; west by land hereinafter described as taken from Churchill heirs, seven and 46-100 feet; and northwest by another part of Cottage place, one hundred thirty-seven and 78-100 feet; containing eight hundred and forty-three square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Chauncey S. Churchill heirs, bounded:

East by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown, seven and 46-100 feet; southeast by other land of said heirs, one and 82-100 feet; southwest by the same, sixty-one and 51-100 feet; northwest by the same, six feet; northeast by the same, fifty-six feet; northwest by the same, 73-100 feet; containing three hundred and sixty square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

One hundred and ninety-five linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Cottage place, and private land leading northwesterly from said place.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lot of abutting land on the northwesterly side of Cottage place, now or formerly owned by Lizzie P. Neal, and the lots of abutting land on the passageway leading from Cottage place, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 582, Sewerage Works, Cottage place, Hyde Park, August 25, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Chauncey S. Churchill heirs.....	\$100 00
2. Wallace I. Neal.....	150 00
3. Lizzie F. Neal.....	150 00
Total.....	\$400 00

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 9 TO OCTOBER 15.

OCTOBER 14.—Continued.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Henry C. Lemire....	24 Hobson street.....	23	Second-class dwelling.....	\$7,000
Henry C. Lemire....	28 Hobson street.....	23	Second-class dwelling.....	7,000
E. H. Solothurman..	Rear of 18 Mayhew street	11	Second-class garage.....	1,000
J. Feldman.....	10 McLane street.....	5	Second-class tenements.....	13,000
Martin T. Hesson....	21 Doane avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Kewl & Alman Brothers	21 Westmore road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Kewl & Alman Brothers	23 Westmore road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
John Wells.....	204 Almont street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
P. Hendrick.....	17 Ashmont street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	300

OCTOBER 15.

Patrick Gorham.....	Rear of 33 Sudan street...	11	First-class garage.....	\$700
John Sahakian.....	Rear of 37 Highland Park avenue.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,800
Allesandro Cocce.....	Rear of 16 Batchelder street,	12	First-class garage.....	1,500
Martin J. Earley.....	Rear of 17 and 19 Olney st.,	18	First-class garage.....	1,000
J. Murray Howe.....	239-243 Tremont street.....	8	First-class stores, offices.....	47,568
Samuel Yarnowitch.....	Rear of 80 Lucerne street...	21	First-class garage.....	1,500
Julius Neustadt.....	Rear of 9 Verrill street.....	21	First-class garage.....	1,000
Arthur L. Anderson..	Rear of 15 Pine street.....	24	First-class garage.....	600
John Daniel.....	Rear of 30 Elgin street.....	23	First-class garage.....	1,000
Mina White.....	2 Page street.....	9	First-class garage.....	1,800
Esther Kostnick.....	Rear of 428 East Third st...	9	First-class garage.....	2,000
Stilphen Motor Company..	364-370 Columbia road.....	18	First-class garage.....	65,000
J. Polack Tool & Stamping Company.....	Rear of 81 Freeport street	18	Special garage.....	600
C. L. Varney.....	Rear of 595 South street...	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Katherine V. Brady et al....	Rear of 75 Corey street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Patrick Hennessey.....	Rear of 444 Ashmont street,	20	Third-class garage.....	600
James H. Sweeney.....	Rear of 166 Beaver street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
Nathan Bornstein.....	17 Roxton street.....	19	Third-class tenements.....	15,000
Nathan Bornstein.....	19 Roxton street.....	19	Third-class tenements.....	12,000
James Rosenfield.....	296 Columbus avenue.....	7	Alterations, store and tenements.	3,000
Bridget T. Tully.....	11 and 13 St. Ann street	22	Alterations, garage.....	900
Huntington Motor Mart Garage.....	796 Huntington avenue.....	14	Alterations, garage.....	1,000
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	16 Lindall place.....	8	Take-down, tenements.....	150
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	308 Cambridge street.....	8	Take-down, tenements.....	100
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	312 Cambridge street.....	8	Take-down, tenements.....	150

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 9 TO OCTOBER 15.

OCTOBER 9.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
William Duston.....	80 Windsor street.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$400
Harry B. Collins.....	1200 Washington street.....	6	New fixtures.....	1,400
R. J. Rodday Company.....	165 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	525
William B. Johnson.....	52-60 Wareham street.....	6	New fixtures.....	100
John J. Fleming.....	5 Walker street.....	4	New fixtures.....	150
Louis H. Jacobs.....	108 Sheridan street.....	15	New fixtures.....	155
H. W. Driscoll.....	99 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	500
Edward E. Berry.....	15 Franklin street.....	24	New fixtures.....	275
D. M. Goldstein.....	15 Evelyn street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
D. B. Armstrong.....	14 Dorrance street.....	3	New fixtures.....	350
James A. Dickerson.....	1087 Boylston street.....	8	New fixtures.....	250
M. H. Myers.....	285 Bowen street.....	10	New fixtures.....	150
H. C. Greenlaw.....	148 Blackstone street.....	5	New fixtures.....	563
M. S. Pann.....	678 Bennington street.....	1	New fixtures.....	700
F. D. Kirby.....	247 and 249 Berkeley street,	8	New fixtures.....	3,500
Powers & Mehegan Com- pany.....	28 Rockwell street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,300
Wilford H. Gray.....	40 Rockwell street.....	21	New fixtures.....	890
Joseph Edelstein.....	85 Green street.....	22	New fixtures.....	750

OCTOBER 10.

W. H. Jellison.....	187 Western avenue.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$300
Ernest J. MacLeod.....	117 Rutherford avenue.....	4	New fixtures.....	375
William N. McKenna.....	64 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	2,200
G. M. Duggan.....	12 Lenoxdale avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	400
M. H. Myers.....	886 Albany street.....	12	New fixtures.....	250

OCTOBER 11.

Harry F. Nation.....	124 Moreland street.....	12	New fixtures.....	\$850
Alexander Campbell.....	59 Dearborn street.....	12	New fixtures.....	100
Eugene L. Murphy.....	17 Wellesley Park.....	20	New fixtures.....	30
Vincent A. Bolger.....	77 and 79 Fairmount street,	21	New fixtures.....	1,200
Pagington Brothers.....	123 Dana avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	175
William G. Newman.....	4 Staniford place.....	5	New fixtures.....	450

OCTOBER 14.

M. B. Gradone & Co.....	291 Sumner street.....	2	New fixtures.....	\$350
J. F. Larcome Company.....	165 Gladstone street.....	1	New fixtures.....	1,000
C. C. Best.....	1104 Adams street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,200
E. M. Duggan.....	1803 Washington street.....	13	New fixtures.....	125
William O'Brien.....	357 Tremont street.....	8	New fixtures.....	200
Morse Brothers Company...	677 Shawmut avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	200

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Newfield street, bounded:

Southeast by Lasell street, eight and 7-100 feet; southwest by another part of Newfield street, five hundred seventy-seven and 46-100 feet; northwest by the same and by easement taken by the City of Boston, December 4, 1915, for sewerage purposes, eight feet; and northeast by another part of Newfield street, five hundred seventy-six and 39-100 feet; containing forty-six hundred and fifteen square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Lasell street, bounded:

Northwest by Newfield street, eight and 7-100 feet; northeast by another part of Lasell street, twenty-four and 21-100 feet; southeast by the same, two hundred and seven feet; southwest by the same, eight feet; northwest by the same, two hundred feet; and southwest by the same sixteen and 14-100 feet; containing seventeen hundred and eighty-nine square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

Seven hundred seventy-one feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Newfield street, leading northwesterly from Lasell street for a distance of about 577 feet and part of the private way known as Lasell street, between Newfield street and La Grange street.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Newfield street, leading northwesterly from Lasell street for a distance of about 577 feet, and the lots of abutting land on both sides of Lasell street, between Newfield street and La Grange street, excluding the lots at the northerly and easterly corners of Lasell and La Grange streets, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 580, Sewerage Works, Newfield street, Lasell street, West Roxbury, August 30, 1924,

William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Timothy O'Donovan.....	\$75 00
2. Frank Holland.....	75 00
3. James J. O'Brien.....	75 00
4. Mary E. Zeigler, Margaret McCormick.....	75 00
5. Mary E. Zeigler, Margaret McCormick.....	67 50
6. Margaret T. Donahue.....	67 50
7. Hannah M. Uniacke.....	60 00
8. Francis R. Daley, Florence E. Daley.....	60 00
9. Francis R. Daley, Florence E. Daley.....	67 50
10. Thomas F. Cunningham.....	67 50
11. Fannybelle Shaw.....	75 00
12. Anthony J. Henry.....	60 00
13. Anthony J. Henry.....	60 00
14. Patrick Blake.....	60 00
15. Patrick Blake.....	60 00
16. Patrick Blake.....	60 00
17. Amelia M. MacDonald.....	Nothing.
18. Nellie O'Connell.....	75 00
19. Frank Hanlon, one-third, Albert J. Bates, two-thirds.....	60 00
20. Frank Hanlon, one-third, Albert J. Bates, two-thirds.....	60 00
21. Frank Holland.....	60 00
22. Mary Molloy.....	67 50
23. Mary Newell.....	75 00
24. Frank Holland.....	75 00
25. Agnes Hadden.....	60 00
26. Thomas F. Cunningham.....	60 00
27. Thomas F. Cunningham.....	60 00
28. Frank A. Cunningham.....	67 50
29. Albert E. Heimann.....	75 67
30. Eric M. Prochnow.....	68 10
31. Sidney R. Vinton, Clara H. Vinton.....	82 45
32. Margaret Martin.....	Nothing.
Total.....	<u>\$2,011 22</u>

HISTORIC SOIL OF BUNKER HILL SENT TO WISCONSIN FOR DEDICATION OF MEMORIAL TREE.

Mayor Curley on Wednesday, October 15, sent to Mrs. Mary Geb, 3302 Osborne boulevard, Racine, Wis., as chairman of the Committee of the American War Mothers, Racine Chapter No. 2, soil from the summit of Bunker Hill, Charlestown, Mass., to be planted with the first memorial tree to be erected at Racine, Wis., in honor of the sons and daughters of Racine who loyally served the nation during the World War.

These memorial trees are to feature one of the leading boulevards of Racine, and the soil from Bunker Hill will serve at the dedication ceremonies at Racine when the first tree is planted in honor of the patriotic service of the men and women of Racine.

Mayor Curley's letter to Mrs. Geb, chairman of the committee, is as follows:

BOSTON, October 15, 1924.

MRS. MARY GEB, *Chairman*, 3302 Osborne Boulevard, Racine, Wis.:

DEAR MRS. GEB,—I am duly in receipt of your valued letter relative to the desire of the American War Mothers, Racine Chapter No. 2, to plant memorial trees in your city in honor of the sons and daughters of Racine who so loyally served our nation during the period of the World War.

I heartily congratulate the loyal women of Racine for their patriotic endeavor and sincerely trust that the tree that is nourished by the soil of Bunker Hill may serve as a lasting memorial to the brave sons and daughters of Racine who served our country so well in the hour of our nation's extremity.

With many assurances of my highest consideration and esteem.

Sincerely yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

SOLUTION OF BOSTON'S STREET TRAFFIC PROBLEM MORE MATTER OF HIGHWAYS THAN OF INCREASE IN POLICE FORCE.

MAYOR CURLEY ADDRESSES COMMUNICATION TO POLICE COMMISSIONER HERBERT A. WILSON, SETTING FORTH HIS VIEWS AND ATTITUDE ON MATTER OF INCREASING FORCE.

The Mayor has addressed the following communication to Police Commissioner Wilson:

HON. HERBERT A. WILSON, *Police Commissioner*, Boston, Mass.:

MY DEAR COMMISSIONER,—My attention has been directed to a statement reported to have been made by you recently before the Legislative Committee having under consideration the establishment of a traffic court and while I do not believe it is your purpose to convey the impression that there has been a lack of harmony between the office of the Mayor and your department, yet the report as it appeared in the press would so indicate.

The solution of the Boston traffic problem, as I have stated to you upon the occasion of conferences relative to this subject, is less a question of additional officers in the Police Department than a question of providing adequate traffic highways and a scientific consideration of the traffic problem as a whole.

Upon December 21, 1922, you will recall a conference at the office of the Mayor of Boston at which were present the City Auditor, Budget Commissioner and yourself, called for the purpose of considering the question of appointment of additional policemen for traffic duty; that it was your opinion that 100 additional men should be added to the force at that time.

I approved the appointment of fifty additional patrolmen and agreed that, if the gasoline tax measure was adopted, I would not object to an additional fifty patrolmen. At that time you expressed yourself as being in agreement with this program.

The gasoline tax measure was eventually passed by the Legislature and approved by the Governor but its operation delayed by the filing of a referendum petition so that it will be impossible to determine whether this means of adding to the Police Department will be possible until action is taken by the electorate upon the fourth day of November of the current year.

With a view to the real solution of the traffic problem I sought and received authorization from the Legislature for the issuance of a loan of \$3,500,000 for the widening of Cambridge street for the purpose of providing traffic relief to the northwest and have made available a total during my administration of \$1,100,000 for widening and improving of Chelsea street, thus providing for a further northern artery, in addition to \$2,640,000 for the widening of Tremont and Kneeland streets.

The widening of Tremont and Kneeland streets practically commits the city to the carrying out of the recommendation of the Boston City Planning Board which will ultimately result in a new radial highway connecting Tremont and

Cambridge streets through the heart of the city and will do much to solve traffic congestion.

I have in addition this day written Major General Andre W. Brewster, in charge of the Army Base, South Boston, requesting that the army engineers make a study and report of the Boston traffic problem, believing that an outside agency is perhaps better qualified than those immediately connected with the administration of municipal departments to solve a problem of this character.

Your address delivered before the Legislative Committee conveys the impression, although possibly not intended, that the city has failed to deal generously with the Police Department. This is an injustice in view of the fact that nearly one-sixth of all the money expended within the tax limit is appropriated for the conduct of the Police Department, certainly an extremely generous amount as contrasted with the sums expended annually during the administration of the late Edwin U. Curtis. The cost of conducting the activities under your immediate predecessor, the late Edwin U. Curtis, in 1917 was \$2,821,071.

The amount appropriated for the current year is \$4,537,796, or an increase of more than 60 per cent over the amount appropriated and expended in 1917. During your administration of the Police Department I have authorized in addition capital expenditures for Police Headquarters and station houses representing a total of about \$2,500,000. This total in a period of three years represents a sum greater during your short term as Police Commissioner than the total expenditure made for police station houses in the entire half century preceding your incumbency of the present office.

Provided every department of the city had increased in the same proportion as the Police Department has increased, the municipal tax rate would be nearer \$40 today than its present rate, which by the way is the third lowest of the thirty-nine Massachusetts cities.

With reference to the erection of Police Station No. 2, I beg to state that in 1917 a site was purchased, during my first term as Mayor, and no action was taken upon the proposition for the erection of the building until I returned to the office of Mayor in 1922. It is customary in the award of city contracts to award to the lowest responsible bidder and this custom was followed. Unfortunately the contractor died while the work was in progress; the firm went into bankruptcy and the bonding company were required to complete the building without loss to the city. The probability is that had the contractor lived, bankruptcy might have been avoided and the building completed on time.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 9 TO OCTOBER 15.

OCTOBER 15.

PLUMBER.	Location	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Harold Richardson.....	20 Trenton street.....	3	New fixtures.....	\$150
William E. Maguire.....	114 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
J. P. Perry Company.....	161 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	275
W. S. Howe Company.....	22 Garden street.....	8	New fixtures.....	800
John C. Patterson.....	207 London street.....	2	New fixtures.....	225
John Almonroe.....	348 Congress street.....	9	New fixtures.....	700
Harry Kingsberg.....	24 Batavia street.....	7	New fixtures.....	600
J. H. Jarkin.....	141 Arlington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	700
Ralph F. Norwood.....	69 Brayton road.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,200

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Capen street, bounded:

North by Fairmount street, eight feet; east by another part of Capen street, one hundred eighty-one and 19-100 feet; north by the same, sixteen feet; east by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Wilmington avenue) eight feet; south by another part of Capen street, twenty-four feet; and west by the same, one hundred eighty-eight and 78-100 feet; containing sixteen hundred and forty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Wilmington avenue, bounded:

West by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Capen street), eight feet; north by another part of Wilmington avenue, two hundred and forty feet; east by the same, eight feet; and south by the same, two hundred thirty-nine and 89-100 feet; containing nineteen hundred and nineteen square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

In Capen street, 160 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer and in Wilmington avenue, 250 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer; the above described premises being part of the private way known as Capen street, between Fairmount street and Wilmington avenue, and part of the private way known as Wilmington avenue, leading easterly from Capen street for a distance of about two hundred and forty feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Wilmington avenue, leading easterly from Capen street for a distance of about two hundred and forty feet, and the lots of abutting land on both sides of Capen street, between Fairmount street and Wilmington avenue, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 578, Sewerage Works, Capen street, Wilmington avenue, Dorchester, August 22, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. John J. Good heirs.....	\$120 00
2. Edward J. Hayden.....	119 92
3. Mark H. Lynch.....	98 34
4. Christine Gummerson.....	100 00
5. Frederick J. Rockwell.....	100 00
6. John F. Fitzgerald.....	100 00
7. David P. Power.....	130 00
8. Edward W. Kohler.....	118 34
10. David P. Power.....	112 00
11. David P. Power.....	100 00
12. Ambrogio Piotti.....	100 00
13. John J. Good heirs.....	100 00
14. James B. O'Brien.....	103 16
Total.....	\$1,401 76

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received, from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Boston Elevated Railway Company, Harvard Bridge, double track.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Hano street, Ward 25, erect three poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Cornell street, Ward 23, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Carson street, Ward 11, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Fort avenue, Ward 15, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Thatcher street, Ward 24, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Pleasant street, Ward 24, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Bigelow street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Oakland street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Kimball street, Ward 18, erect two poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Davitt street, Ward 17, erect two poles.

Harry J. Liner, 11 Emsella terrace, Ward 22, four cars.

Peter Corbone, 159 Everett street, Ward 2, four cars.

Joseph K. Dennis, 36 Washington street, Ward 25, group garage, five units, five cars.

Edward J. Sincy *et al.*, 8 Romsey street, Ward 11, six units, six cars.

Louis Beltramini, 91 Willow court, Ward 11, ten cars and repair shop.

Fred W. Cullen, 972 Saratoga street, Ward 1, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Israel A. Feinstein, 1341 Columbus avenue, Ward 13, 500 gallons gasoline.

Emma E. McAdams, 215 Condor street, Ward 1, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Stedfast Fabric and Rubber Company, 34 Tokio street, Ward 24, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

American Distributing Company of New York, 45-49 Washington Street North, Ward 5, 15,000 gallons alcohol.

John Hood Company, 16 Station street, Ward 14, acetylene.

Max Bloom, 1265-69 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 21, public garage and 2,000 gallons gasoline.

Oreste Gavianna, 59 Burrell street, Ward 12, group garage, ten units.

Joseph A. Belling Street, 191 Bowdoin street, Ward 18, 5,000 gallons gasoline.

Larry Danieli, 54 Newman street, Ward 11, ten units.

Joseph Engel, 972 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 21, public garage, 2,000 gallons gasoline.

CLAIMS DISALLOWED.

The Law Department has disapproved fifty-two claims against the city, aggregating \$8,824.91, and they are classified as follows:

Against the Fire Department, five, amounting to \$885; against the Hospital Department, two, amounting to \$177.50; against the Park and Recreation Department, six, \$295.23; against the Public Buildings Department, two, amounting to \$140; against the Public Works Department, thirty-six, amounting to \$7,272.18; against the Schoolhouse Department, one amounting to \$55.

THE CITY DOLLAR SPENT IN YEAR 1923-24.

For Public Schools, 28.66 cents; (2) Public Works, 13.66 cents; (3) Debt Requirements, 11.61; (4) State Tax and Assessments, 11.08; (5) Police Dept., 8.17; (6) Fire Dept., 6.85; (7) General Government, 4.20; (8) Hospitals and Health, 3.91; (9) County Courts, etc., 3.70; (10) Institutions and Poor Relief, 3.64; (11) Public Recreation, 3.00; (12) Public Library, 1.37; (13) Public Service Enterprises, 0.15 (due to a slight excess of expenditure over revenue); making a total of 100 cents. This excludes all expenditure from loans, etc., but includes special appropriations from tax levy and other general income, used for public improvements.

The revenue of all departments, \$7,719,910, amounted to 18.06 per cent of their gross expenditures for maintenance. The revenue of Public Service Enterprises alone (including Water Service, Ferry Service, Printing Plant, Markets, etc.) amounted to \$4,538,919 or 5.88 per cent of total department income. The fractions of the dollar above stated represent net expenditure, computed after deducting department revenue.

Revenue from another class of public service enterprise, *i. e.*, Rapid Transit, for rentals of subways and tunnels, \$1,655,475 or \$15,642 less than the interest and sinking-fund requirements of the Rapid Transit debt in 1923.

THE WORLD HAS NEVER PAID ITS JUST TRIBUTE TO THE CHINESE NATION.

STANDISH WILLCOX, REPRESENTING MAYOR JAMES M. CURLEY, DELIVERS DELIGHTFUL ADDRESS BEFORE REPRESENTATIVE CHINESE ASSEMBLY.

Representing Mayor James M. Curley, Standish Willcox, Secretary to the Mayor, delivered the following address before the members and friends of the most powerful and influential body of Chinese citizens in the state. The address was delivered Sunday, October 12:

DEAR FRIENDS,—It is a very manifest and gratifying pleasure to have the opportunity to come to this splendid assembly of representative citizens of the Chinese community, in the name of my beloved and honored employer, Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, and reaffirm, in the hour of the present crisis which confronts China, our firm belief in the honor and integrity of the Chinese government.

China is the honored nation of antiquity which spread the light of civilization throughout the world twenty-two hundred years before the birth of the Saviour of mankind, and in the arts, sciences, literature and philosophy the people of China led the world in the advancement of all that is best in thought and learning.

I desire to call your particular attention to the fact that before the beginning of the Christian Era, China had produced Lao Tsze, Confucius and Mencius, and its armies had carried the banners of the Eastern Empire in glorious military triumph.

The integrity and devotion of the people of China is splendidly evidenced by the fact that, while the history of China has changed superficially, the old China of philosophy, science, art and literature, as a world leader, still remains.

The American tourist travels through the beautiful Chinese country and finds the villages and cultivated fields resembling in their appearance the centuries past, while, in the metropolitan cities of China, though there are evidences of the new era, but those villages from which sprang the firm, resolute and devoted leaders of the wonderful China of antiquity show little difference from their appearance of one hundred years ago.

The world, in my humble judgment, has never paid its just tribute to China.

My own personal experience has brought me into the association of the leaders of foreign affairs of all the civilized world in Washington, and I am firm in my conviction that I have never known finer or greater statesmen, blessed with superb intelligence, more loyal friends of the American nation, or more untiring in their service to the men and women of their native country than the late Li Hung Chang and Ambassador Wu. These statesmen enjoyed the love and respect of everyone in official Washington. None were more gifted in the solution of those problems that related to the world's best estate and the absolute sovereignty of China in securing the good will of the American people, and they left their indelible imprint upon the pages of the world's history a blessed and inspiring memory.

I desire to call your particular attention to the fact that forty-five years ago we received from the Chinese government the first students to be sent abroad to America. They have proved leaders in science, art, literature and human fellowship and have enjoyed the most intimate relation with our fellow students at Cornell, Yale, Harvard, University of Chicago, University of Wisconsin, University of Pennsylvania, and other of our leading educational institutions.

Today there is not a family in China who would not, if circumstances permitted, send all its sons to our nation to complete their education, and I call particular attention to the fact that, when the treasury of the provincial and central government of China was sadly taxed, the education of its sons has been the first requisite and demand of the people of your nation.

I can but feel that the coming of these scholars to the United States is but another evidence of China's advancing position in science, jurisprudence and academic subjects, and I have known no finer contribution to the world's intelligence than the return of these Chinese students with a master's or doctor's degree to their native land.

I desire to call your particular attention to the fact that the devoted service of these students is strictly in keeping with the traditions of centuries of respect which Chinese civilization has had for education during the countless ages of mankind.

We find in industrial plants, business offices, hospitals and agricultural stations of the United States, splendid young men of Chinese birth and ancestry, engaged in the most practical supplemental study our nation knows, and who are a splendid contribution to the welfare of China and the human race.

I have conferred with the Bureau of Commerce in Washington and find that, despite the crisis in your nation, our trade with China has continued to increase, that our merchants believe in the triumph of law and order in the United China, and which will once again restore China to her rightful position among the nations of the world.

It is gratifying to know that, after a most comprehensive study, the Chinese customs import tariff has been revised and which will result in added revenue to China in the amount of eight million taels, and it is believed that through the port of Shanghai alone the increase will amount to five million taels. This is highly important as, for a number of years past, Shanghai has contributed about thirty-seven per cent to the total Chinese revenue.

I call your particular attention to the fact that China has accomplished these things despite the adversity at present suffered and which is a splendid tribute to the character and integrity of the Chinese people.

I believe that as soon as the present unstable conditions in China are ef-

fectively settled, we shall see the normal value of the tael approaching ninety cents in our money. It is a pleasure to assure you that nowhere in the world has the good roads movement received a greater encouragement than in the China of the present day, and, while the work is slow and tedious, there have been splendid improvements in the highways of your native land. The officials of China recognized the importance of highway improvement, and the business men realize that it will increase the facilities for marketing products. The farmers of China are beginning to realize that highways are more expeditious than canals, and by reason of this fact are securing better prices today for their products.

Let us stand for a constitutional government in China and appreciate all its wonderful service for the blessings of mankind.

Professor Hirth, one of the greatest scholars of Europe, has declared in one of his works, that as an educator of the nation, the "Chou Li" has probably not its like among the literature of the world, with the possible exception of the Bible.

Kindly remember in the seventh century, while Europe was steeped in the middle ages, that China had inaugurated science and literature and which has perpetuated down to the present century.

As early as 1021 A. D. China produced a philosopher and statesman, Wang An Shih, and whose recommendations for commerce, industry and agriculture to pass into the hands of the state, with a view to succoring the working classes and preventing them from being ground into the dust by the rich, that tribunals should be established throughout the land to regulate the daily wage and the daily price of merchandise; that the soil should be measured and divided into equal areas and graded according to its fertility in order that there might be a new basis of taxation; that taxes should be paid by the rich and the poor should be exempt; that pensions should be provided for the aged and employment for the unemployed; and that every family with two males should provide one for the state militia, was, I assure you, my friends, nine hundred years before the most advanced thought of the present day had approached similar recommendations for governmental character.

It was the people of China who invented the mariner's compass, gunpowder, paper, ink, printing, chinaware and porcelain. It was China who gave silk and tea to the world and produced poetry, literature, art and architecture unsurpassed in the history of other nations.

I call to your particular attention the Book of Rites issued in China, twelve hundred years before the birth of Christ, outlining especially the education of the people of China. Among the ancients, villages had their schools, districts their academies, departments their colleges, and principalities their universities. Every educated subject of China today shows evidence of a culture which has come down through the ages of their own rich civilization.

I was told in Washington of a quarrel between two rickshaw coolies on the streets of Peking, one declaring to the other, "You should be ashamed of yourself, you have forgotten the eight principles of China."

Have you ever noted the Chinese servant in the household, the poor illiterate

coolie pushing a wheelbarrow or carrying a load, the boatman clad in rags, and the fisherman at his net, all of whom have inherited a certain degree of this Chinese culture? Do any of these good men a favor, and note the gracious manner in which it is recognized. In my opinion the difference between one member of society and another lies in opportunity and education rather than in class.

I want with all my heart and mind to see a reunited China, and everything done to make Hong Kong, Shanghai, Dairen, Canton, Tientsin, Kiaochow and Hankow the greatest commercial ports of the East and supported by every commercial and industrial interest of the United States.

The Chinese customs returns of the Board of Trade of China for the first six months of 1924 indicate a revenue of four million taels in excess of those for 1923, and it is a pleasure to learn that the settlement of bond issues has netted the central government of China about nine million dollars. Railway construction is everywhere advanced in China, even in the crisis through which she is passing at present. The Shanghai cotton mills still give their superior products to the world. The silk exports from Shanghai to the United States are still the world's maximum in splendid manufacture. I congratulate heartily the Chinese people on the opening of the Amur River upon May 5, 1924, and which will tremendously increase, after the present crisis is over, the commerce and industry of the Chinese nation.

I have made inquiry at Washington and I am delighted to learn that the increase of our commerce with China is three hundred and forty seven millions over 1923, despite the instability in the condition of China by reason of the present crisis.

I have made a compilation in Washington of the character of study of the Chinese students now within our country and find them engaged in the studying of our railways, electricity, telegraphs, blast furnaces, gasoline engines, industrial chemistry, anesthetics, surgery, sanitation, the science of modern warfare, modern agricultural methods, and modern commercial, industrial and political society.

What China needs today is a readjustment of its population so that six-sevenths of its men and women and children will not endeavor to live in a territory embracing one-third of the country. China possesses two million square miles of territory with an average of less than four persons to the square mile. Something must be done to relieve this condition. I believe that everyone of China's two million square miles of territory can be made fertile by well defined systems of irrigation, and I call to your particular attention that nowhere in the world, after the present crisis is settled, will the young American of intelligence, honor and character find greater opportunity for advancement than within your native land. A recent traveler over the Peking Suiyan railway to inner Mongolia, a country which before the advent of the railway was as sparsely populated as the Western plains in America, tells me that thousands will make their way to that splendid land of promise.

Every gentleman in this assembly should do everything possible for the advancement of railway construction in China, which is the vital element so greatly needed to bring your nation back

to its splendid position during ancient years. I have no hesitancy in prophesying that this work will be done in the next few decades and that the port and harbor facilities will be splendidly improved.

As illustrative of this I call to your particular attention the situation in Shanghai which was not a city of great importance even in China. The site of the splendid present city of Shanghai was mud flats and rice fields, but I believe that Shanghai will eventually become one of the world's most noted cities.

My brothers, let us stand firm for the integrity of China and be appreciative of the rich legends of its glorious past. Your people merit the kind, constructive and intelligent sympathy of the whole civilized world. Let us apply science to life in the development of the railways and factories of a new China, which is the hope of the world. It is a pleasure to know that the Rockefeller Foundation has come to China's aid with the best professional talent known in the world's science.

China is a land of unlimited possibilities for industry and commerce and in the wake of transformation will come the honor and respect of the civilized world.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

NURSE (FEMALE), BOSTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 24, 1924.

The salary is \$1,400 a year.

Applicants must be not more than forty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Applicants should be high school graduates and graduates of a training school or hospital offering at least a three-year course in nursing or public health. Practical experience in public health or investigational work is desirable, as well as a knowledge of foreign languages.

The examination for nurses who are registered under the State Department of Registration of Nurses is as follows: Training and experience, 4; the mark on file with the Department of Registration, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

The examination for nurses who are not registered is as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on public health, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

Since registered nurses will go on the list ahead of nonregistered nurses, applicants should state in their applications whether or not they are applying as registered nurses.

VETERINARY INSPECTOR (MALE), STATE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION, OCTOBER 29, 1924.

The salary is \$1,800 per year. Applicants should be graduates of a duly

qualified veterinary college or its equivalent. The duties of this position are the applying of preventive treatment in swine diseases, the examination and testing of cattle for tuberculosis, and of horses for glanders, the examination of dogs for rabies, the examination of domestic animals of all species for the existence of contagious diseases to which such animals are subject, and the inspection of premises and buildings with reference to sanitation and disinfection in prevention of contagious diseases of animals.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

FALL RIVER, DIRECTOR SCHOOL HYGIENE, HEALTH DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 29, 1924.

This examination is open to non-residents of Massachusetts, but residents will have a preference in certification.

The salary is \$5,000 a year. Applicants must be not less than thirty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Applications must be graduate physicians. They should have a knowledge of prevention of minor and major contagion among school children; school-house sanitation and architecture; the hygiene of instruction, including curricula, special classes, and health education; the type of physical examination to be given to the pupils, including weighing and measuring to detect any that are undernourished; the activities of the school physician, nurse, teacher and physical director in the school hygiene program; the national, state, and local agencies whose co-operation would be of assistance in the school health program. The director will have direct supervision over the work of the school nurses and medical inspectors.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants must be graduate physicians at least 50 per cent in practical questions; and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

REAL ESTATE ASSESSMENT PER CAPITA IN CITIES.

According to assessed valuations for 1923, Boston, \$1,843.61 (highest); New York, \$1,787.57; Pittsburgh, \$1,514.19; Buffalo, \$1,281.25; Philadelphia, \$1,185.29; St. Louis, \$1,032.83; Baltimore, \$996.75. These figures are approximate as population had to be estimated.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES IN BOSTON, 1924-1925, AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library announce the following list of free lectures, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 p. m.

The entrance is from Boylston street only. The doors will be opened two hours before each lecture and closed ten minutes after the lecture begins. The Thursday lectures are generally illustrated by lantern slides. The Sunday lectures are usually not illustrated. Exceptions are mentioned below. Lectures are given occasionally during the winter in the lecture halls of the Charlestown, East Boston, Jamaica Plain, North End, South End, West Roxbury, and Uphams' Corner Branches.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Oct. 16. Alaska, the Promised Land. Mrs. Alice Howland Macomber.
Oct. 23. The Nipponese: A story of present day Japan. John C. Bowker, F. R. G. S.
Oct. 30. How Music is Made Useful Nowadays. Margaret Anderton, Associate Editor, The Musician.
Nov. 6. A Rocky Mountain Hike: Nine Thousand Miles Through the Beauty and Finess of America. Rev. Charles W. Cronson, President of the Field and Forest Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
Nov. 13. The Anniversary of Robert Louis Stevenson. Guy Richardson.
Nov. 20. The Glory of England: Her Cathedrals and Scenic Beauty. Frederick Parsons, F. R. S. A.
Dec. 4. Florence: The City of the Lily. Martha A. S. Shannon.
Dec. 11. Days with the Birds. Mrs. James L. Tryon. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
Dec. 18. How the Dutch Do It: Housing Problems and Port Development. Frank A. Bourne, S. M., A. I. A.
Jan. 8. Glimpses of Norway's Fjords. Ben Blessum, General Representative of the Norwegian government in the United States and Canada. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
Jan. 15. Medieval Pilgrimages and Art. Arthur Kingsley Porter, B. F. A., Professor of Fine Arts, Harvard University.
Jan. 22. Picturesque England from Chester to Clovelly. Ellen E. Page.
Jan. 29. Snoring Bird Songs. Charles C. Gorst.
Feb. 5. Brazil and Its Jungles. James Ballance.
Feb. 12. The Land of the Backward Rolling River: Chekiang Province, including its Capital, Hangchow, the Heavenly. William Dean Goddard, A. M. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
Feb. 19. Under Italian Skies. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
Feb. 26. Whaling and Its Methods. Arthur E. Watson, Acting Curator, Old Dartmouth Historical Society and Whaling Museum.
Mar. 5. Fillerney: Its Lakes and Legends. Rev. William M. Stinson, S. J.
Mar. 12. Tramps about the Presidentials. Milton E. MacGregor, Mountain Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
Mar. 19. Earth Changes, illustrated by the Geology of Boston. Hervey Woodburn Shimer, Ph.D., Professor of Paleontology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
Mar. 26. Along Dutch Waterways. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
Apr. 2. New England Birds and Wild Flowers. Mrs. Harriet U. Goode.
Apr. 9. English Gardens. Robert N. Cram, B. L. A., Instructor in Landscape Architecture, Harvard University. With autochrome illustrations.
Apr. 16. Architecture in the United States in the last ten years. J. Randolph Coolidge, Jr.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Oct. 19. Recent American Folk Plays: "Sun-Up," "Hell-Pent for Heaven," etc. Robert E. Rogers, A. M., Associate Professor of English, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. (Drama League Course.)
Oct. 26. Historic Wales: Its People and its Scenery. Mrs. Nellie E. Packard. With lantern illustrations.
Nov. 2. Tragedy and Comedy of Charles Dickens with illustrative readings. Francis Henry Wade, M. D.
Nov. 9. The Enjoyment of Art. Walter Sargent, Professor of Art, University of Chicago.
Nov. 16. Reading of Shakespeare's "Hamlet," George F. Pearson.

Nov. 23. Reading of Shakespeare's "King Henry IV, Part II." By members of local Shakespeare Clubs, under the direction of Mrs. Frederick H. Briggs. (Drama League Course.)

Nov. 30. A Modern Opera: Pfitzner's "Pales-trina." Otto G. T. Straub. With musical illustrations.

Dec. 7. Public Celebrations. J. Philip O'Connell, Director of Public Celebrations, City of Boston. With lantern illustrations.

Dec. 14. Music in the Life of the World: Story of the Carol. Aerial Music of the Bell Towers of Europe. Mme. Beale Morey. Illustrated by voices and members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

Dec. 21. Carols and Chansons of Christmas. Henry Gideon, A. M. With musical illustrations.

Dec. 28. Boston Architecture: Past and Present. Frank Chouteau Brown. With lantern illustrations.

Jan. 4. The Marvel and Glory of Glass: Ancient and Modern. Mrs. Walter G. Dennison.

Jan. 11. Swedish Male Harmony Chorus. Carl Hutton, director.

Jan. 18. The Appreciation of Greek Sculpture. Clarence Kennedy, A. M., Assistant Professor of Art, Smith College. With lantern illustrations.

Jan. 25. Our New Comedy and American Family Life. Albert Hutton Gilmer, A. M., Professor of Dramatic Literature, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)

Feb. 1. A Splendid Rebel: Life and Times of Patrick Henry. Henry Lawrence Southwick, President, Emerson College of Oratory.

Feb. 8. New New England Poets. Speaker to be announced. (New England Poetry Club Course.)

Feb. 15. Modern French Music. Edward Burlingame Hill, Assistant Professor of Music, Harvard University. With musical illustrations.

Feb. 22. Worthwhile Patriotism. Hon. Michael J. Murray.

Mar. 1. Boston, the Convention City. Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston.

Mar. 8. Treasures of the Theatre Collection in the Harvard University Library. Frank W. C. Hersey, A. M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)

Mar. 15. The Magic of Words. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt. D.

Mar. 22. Legends and Folk-Songs of Finland. Mme. Aino Saari. With musical illustrations.

Mar. 29. King's Chapel Choir. Raymond C. Robinson, Director.

Apr. 5. Footlight Orchestra. Thompson Stone, Director.

Apr. 12. Dawn of Orchestral Music: a Program by members of the Eighteenth Century Orchestra. Raffaele Martino, Director.

Apr. 19. The Battle of Lexington. Harold Murdock, A. M., Director of the Harvard University Press.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club meets regularly in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month, at 3 o'clock, except as otherwise stated. The following free lectures are announced, subject to change.

Oct. 27. The National Parks of the United States. Kenneth Damren. Illustrated by moving pictures and slides.

Nov. 10. The British Poets from the Seventeenth to the Nineteenth Century. Charles Hammond Gibson.

Nov. 24. Ruskin's Museums. Mrs. May Smith Dean.

Dec. 8. Ruskin's Message to Youth and the Twentieth Amendment. Rev. Davis Wasgatt Clark, D. D.

Dec. 22. Music—Arranged by Mrs. Arthur Howard Davison. The Christmas Message—Mrs. Minnie Meserve Soule.

Jan. 12. What's What in Books. John Clair Minot.

Jan. 26. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.

Feb. 9. Anniversary Observance of John Ruskin's Birth. Address: John Ruskin. Rev. Harold E. B. Speight.

Feb. 16. Americanization: Its Ideals. Two addresses: The Value of Law and its Observance. Hon. Sanford Bates, State Commissioner of Correction. The Development of the True Citizen. Dr. Charles A. Coburn, Professor of Applied Psychology, Boston University. School of Religious Education.

Mar. 9. Days of Romance in Old Spain. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.

Mar. 23. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry A. Higgins, Secretary of the Massachusetts Prison Association.

Apr. 13. Ruskin and Agriculture Today. Dr. Arthur H. Gilbert, State Commissioner of Agriculture.

Apr. 27. Author's Reading. Rev. Henry Hallam Sanderson, D. D., Editor of the "Wayside Pulpit."

May 11. Annual meeting.

THE AMERICAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, BOSTON CHAPTER.

Free addresses in the Lecture Hall on Saturdays at 4 o'clock.

Nov. 1. The Qualities of the Great Poet. Charles Hammond Gibson, president, Boston Chapter.

Dec. 13. The Growth of Freedom in English Verse. Technique. Helen Archibald Clarke, vice-president, Boston Chapter.

Jan. 17. The Immitable Laws of Great Poetry. E. Charlton Black, L. L. D., Professor of English, Boston University.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

DIETITIAN (FEMALE), BOSTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 30, 1924.

The salary is \$1,500 a year.

Applicants must be not more than forty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants be high school graduates who have taken at least two years in home economics and at least one year in the study of dietetics and nutrition, and also that they have three months' graduate instruction and practical experience as a student dietitian in a hospital, school or other institution.

The duties of this position are to instruct in the matter of proper feeding and diets for both normal and abnormal children, to plan menus and diets for both children and adults, with reference to age, occupation and special diseases, to supervise cooking and the preparation of serving of food and give instructions relative thereto.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

IMPROVEMENTS FINANCED FROM REVENUE.

In the five years 1918-1922 the expenditure from taxes and other ordinary revenue for various public improvements (such as were formerly financed from loans) amounted to \$15,096,963 or an average of \$3,019,392 a year.

In this five-year period the expenditure by objects was: \$7,260,085 for streets, bridges and ferries; \$5,437,740 for new schoolhouses, etc.; \$881,143 for parks, playgrounds, etc.; \$471,273 for public buildings; various other objects, \$1,046,722.

Of the total expenditure for parks, \$797,303 was from Parkman Fund income.

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being

abolished. For these was substituted a single City Council of nine members to be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, i. e., whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, i. e., establishing a single term of four years, but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (i. e., the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After which licensees claimed the right to sell July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on

June 7, 1920. The result of this decision was that former applicants for liquor licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (i. e., prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topeka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

SETTLEMENT OF BOSTON.

Boston was settled in the latter part of August, 1630, by Puritan colonists under Governor John Winthrop. The name of the original settlement was changed to Boston from Trimountaine by order of the Court of Assistants on September 7 (O. S.), 1630. This date was moved forward by the New Style calendar in 1752 to Sept. 17, the recognized date of the founding of Boston. The name, Trimountaine, had been given because of the three peaks of the most prominent hill, afterward called Beacon Hill, much higher then than now. By the Indians the place was called Shawmut. The name, Boston, was derived from the English town of Boston in Lincolnshire, the home of some of the leading colonists and promoters of the enterprise.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending October 11, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 173; nonresidents, 36; total, 209.
Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 14.03; nonresidents deducted, 11.61.

Death rate per 1,000 of population.
Last week, 14.50; corresponding week last year, 13.13.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 29; one year to five years, inclusive, 10; sixty years and over, 76; total deaths: male, 104; female, 105; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 109; deaths of colored, 4.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 11, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 13, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	3	—	2	—
Diphtheria.....	52	5	66	5
Encephalitis lethargica.....	2	—	1	1
Influenza.....	3	—	—	—
Measles.....	19	—	10	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	22	—	7	3
Scarlet fever.....	45	—	40	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	41	14	25	12
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	4	—	9	5
Typhoid fever.....	13	1	1	—
Whooping cough.....	15	—	5	1

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, October 6, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE presiding. Absent—Coun. Watson.

TRANSFERS WITHIN DEPARTMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 4, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the attached requests for transfers within departmental appropriations and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Election Department:

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, Wardens, 274 at \$11-\$13 per day, \$3,562; Clerks, 274 at \$11-\$13 per day, \$3,562; Janitors, 270, \$356, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, Assistant Registrars, 52 (108) (160) at \$5 per day, \$7,480.

From the appropriation for B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$525, to the appropriation for C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$525.

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, Janitors, 270, \$100; B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$875; B-8, Light and Power, \$500; B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$725; D-2, Food and Ice, \$300; E-1, Building, \$750; to the appropriation for C-17, General Plant, \$3,250.

From the appropriation for E-1, Building, \$43.97, to the appropriation for D-3, Fuel, \$43.97.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Public Buildings Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Inspector, 1 at \$2,100 per year, \$650, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Firemen and Oilers, 13 (14) at \$5.50-\$6 per day, \$650.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Printing Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerks, 2 at \$1,000 per year, \$1,000; Compositors, 23 at \$38.50-\$40.50 per week, \$1,500; Operators, 15 at \$38.50-\$40.50 per week, \$1,800, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$4,300.

From the appropriation for Clerk, 1 at \$1,500 per year, \$200, to the appropriation for B-28, Expert and Architect, \$200.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Street Laying-Out Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Junior Engineers, 7 (4) (2) at \$2,000-\$2,100 per year, \$900.00, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Senior Engineers, 3 (6) (8) at \$2,000-\$2,100 per year, \$900.00.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Boston Sanatorium:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Choremen, 2 at \$600-\$660 per year, \$900.00; Choremen, 12 at \$600 per year, \$900.00; Nurses, Male, 13 at \$480 to \$540 per year, \$900.00; Maids, 15 at \$360 per year, \$900.00, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees: Choremen, 2 (4) at \$600-\$660 per year, \$900.00; Choremen, 12 (20) at \$600 per year, \$900.00; Nurses, Male, 13 (20) at \$480 to \$540 per year, \$900.00; Maids, 15 (25) at \$360 per year, \$900.00.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

To the City Council.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 6, 1924.

The following was received:

Gentlemen,—The Overseers of the Public Welfare of the City of Boston report that available funds will be exhausted by October 13, 1924, under the Item F-9, Care of Dependents. The expenditures under this item are considerably greater than was anticipated when the budget was compiled.

I had hoped that industrial prosperity might develop to a point where it would be unnecessary for the large number of persons who have been seeking aid during the past three months to resort to this method of providing for their needs. It is the first duty of the city to provide for its dependents and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order, which will cover the requirements for the present month.

Department heads, having been instructed to economize in an amount sufficient to meet the further needs, I trust it will not be necessary to withdraw further funds from the Reserve Fund.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Overseers of the Public Welfare,
October 3, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—I am instructed by the Board of Overseers of the Public Welfare to inform you that we will have a balance of only \$1,601.79 under F-9, Dependent Aid, after our cash draft is drawn on October 13, 1924.

At a meeting held in your office on Monday, April 7, 1924, a committee representing the Board advised you that we would have a deficit of approximately \$200,000 this year under F-9, Dependent Aid, and at that time, you stated that you would make the necessary arrangements to provide this money.

Will you kindly give this matter your early attention, and oblige

Yours very truly,
WALTER V. MCCARTHY,
Secretary.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, \$40,000, to the appropriation for Overseeing of the Public Welfare Department, Central Office, F-9, Care of Dependents, \$40,000.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PARK AT WELLINGTON HILL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 6, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith report of the City Planning Board and the Park Commission with reference to acquiring of certain property at Wellington Hill for park purposes and respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Park Department, September 24, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—The inclosed letter, dated September 8, 1924, from the City Planning Board recommending the acquisition of certain property at Wellington Hill for park purposes was placed before the Board of Park Commissioners at its last meeting.

The Board believes that favorable action should be taken in this matter and that a sufficient sum of money should be appropriated for the purchase and improvement of this land amounting to five acres, now only assessed for \$11,300.

Very truly yours,
JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman.

Ordered, That the sum of \$18,000 be appropriated to be expended by the Park Commissioners for the purchase of land and development for park purposes, in the Wellington Hill district, and that to meet said appropriation, the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized, to issue from time to time, on the request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROPRIATION FOR COMMITTEE ON AMERICANISM.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 6, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the attached communication from the Committee for Americanism requesting an additional appropriation to carry on the work of the committee for the balance of the year. With the passage of the Johnson Immigration Bill it is necessary that the committee should have the necessary funds to function properly and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Committee for Americanism,
September 24, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—The Committee for Americanism respectfully requests an appropriation of \$2,500 to carry on the work of this department for the remainder of the year.

The above request is made necessary to a great extent by the passage of the Johnson Immigration Bill and the intensive campaign for citizenship which was made by this committee during

the past year and through which we were successful in inducing some 2,000 aliens to take out their first papers.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN F. DOWD,
Secretary.

Approved:
CHARLES J. FOX,
Budget Commissioner.

Ordered, That the Boston Committee for Americanism be and hereby is authorized to expend, under the direction of the Mayor, the sum of \$2,500 to be charged to the Reserve Fund.
Referred to the Executive Committee.

TRANSFER OF \$10,000 TO BOSTON CONSERVATION BUREAU.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 4, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The Boston Conservation Bureau have this day submitted a report which, in the event that their conclusions are sound and the research work which they propose undertaking should prove the success which they anticipate it will, will prove of inestimable value to the human family and the agriculturists. The modest sum requested, namely, \$10,000, as contrasted with the great benefits anticipated, in my opinion justifies favorable action by the City of Boston.

I accordingly recommend adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under the authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, that the sum of \$10,000 be and the same is hereby transferred from reserve fund to Boston Conservation Bureau, G-2, Special Investigations.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 6, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons constables of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Benjamin L. Schwalb, 3 Dana avenue, Hyde Park.
Henry A. Goldsmith, 111 Crawford street, Roxbury.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Laid over under the rules.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 6, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint John J. Maloney, 703 East Fifth street, South Boston, a Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Laid over under the rules.

BUILDING AT WARREN AND ALLSTON STREETS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Street Laying-Out Department,
October 3, 1924.

To the Honorable the City Council:

Gentlemen,—With reference to the attached order of the City Council, requesting information as to "whether or not the building, at the northeast corner of Warren and Allston streets, Brighton, encroaches on the public street," I am directed to report that there was an encroachment at this place but the interests of the city have been protected by the Board of Street Commissioners.

Respectfully yours,
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

Placed on file.

SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Mansfield street, Brighton, from Cambridge street to Alcott street (both sides), Ward 26, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalks to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Windermere road,

east side, from Stoughton street to Cushing avenue, Ward 17, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along the east side of Ashmont street, from Adams street to Peabody square, Ward 20, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

The question came on suspension of the rules and passage of the orders.

The rule was suspended and the orders severally passed.

ACCEPTANCE OF CHAPTER 405.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 405 of the Acts of 1924 entitled, "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to pay an Annuity to the Widow of Christopher Melia," be and the same hereby is accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

ANNUITY TO CATHERINE MELIA.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 405 of the Acts of 1924, an annuity of \$600 be allowed and paid to Catherine Melia, widow of Christopher Melia, late a member of the Fire Department; said annuity to be paid in equal monthly installments, and to continue so long as said widow shall remain unmarried.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz:

Claims.

Anthony Arena, for compensation for damage to property at 5 Emmons street, East Boston, caused by backing up of sewer.

Estate of F. B. Austin, for compensation for damage to steps at 52 Pleasant street, Charlestown, caused by fire apparatus.

Mrs. Ethel Bessette, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Washington and Dover streets.

Joseph Brady, for compensation for damage to property at 9 Emmons street, East Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

Laura M. Brown, for compensation for injuries received on ferryboat.

Mrs. Max Cohen, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

John J. Conroy, for compensation for collapse of boiler at 122 Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury, caused by shutting off of water.

Thomas Crocker, for compensation for damage to clothing and personal injuries caused by oil on Clifford street, Readville.

John F. Cuneo, for compensation for damage to automobile on Atlantic avenue, caused by ash team.

Robert J. Gauvreau & Co., Inc., for compensation for work done in excavating at 1341 Columbus avenue.

Frank Halloran, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Bowdoin street.

Mary Hallow, for compensation for injuries by an alleged defect at 39 Hudson street.

Phyllis M. Hanson, for compensation for damage to clothing, caused by oil on Oakland street, Brighton.

Vyndel A. Hewes, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect at Nottingham road, and Melton street.

John A. Keane, for compensation for damage to automobile, caused by an alleged defect at 1071 Columbus avenue.

Donald C. Marr, for compensation for clothes taken from locker at Braves Field.

Louise Marshall, for compensation for damage to clothing at Public Gardens.

John F. Martin, for compensation for damage to property at 59 Eustis street, caused by defective sewer and drainage.

Andrew Mendes, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 103 Albion street.

Carmela Nuzzalo, for compensation for damages to property at 13 Emmons street, caused by backing up of sewage.

Steve Paretti, for compensation for damage to property at 193 London street, East Boston, caused by break in water pipe.

Richard J. Powers, for compensation for damage to automobile on Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, caused by city team.

Cornelius F. Regan, for compensation for injuries caused by defect in shower baths, Municipal Building, Charlestown.

Michael and Raffaela Rosetti for compensation for damage to property at 209 London street, East Boston, caused by break in water pipe.

George Stewart, for compensation for injuries to business and damage to goods at 5290 Washington street, caused by closing of street.

Joseph Taddonio, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 270-276 Maverick street, East Boston.

The Toledo Tire Company, for compensation for damage to merchandise at 23 Huntington avenue, caused by break in water main.

Richard H. Tracy, for compensation for clothes taken from locker at Braves Field.

James White, for compensation for damages to property at 7 Emmons street, East Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

JITNEYS ON CENTRE STREET.

A petition was received from the Boston Elevated Railway Company for permission to run jitneys on Centre street.

Referred to the Committee on Jitney Licenses.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The City Treasurer, after having duly approved of the same, submitted the constable's bond of Joseph A. McMorrow.

Approved by the City Council.

APPOINTMENT OF FIRST ASSISTANT ASSESSORS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Assessing Department, October 1, 1924.
James Donovan, Esq.,
City Clerk.

Dear Sir,—This is to notify you that the Board of Assessors, at a meeting held September 15, 1924, voted to appoint the following-named first assistant assessors:

John F. Fitzpatrick, 345 Neponset avenue, Dorchester.

William F. Morrissey, 1636 Columbia road, South Boston.

Francis J. Turcotte, 169 Bennington street, East Boston.

Henry T. Hartmere, 340 Saratoga street, East Boston.

Francis J. Ryan, 26 Asticou road, Jamaica Plain.
The salaries will be \$1,600 per annum; effective October 1, 1924.

The above appointments were approved on September 5, 1924.

Respectfully,
BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
by NEAL J. HOLLAND,
Acting Secretary.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Street Laying-Out Department,
September 29, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The following petitions for the storage and sale of gasoline have been received, and will be heard Monday, September 29, 1924:

Thomas G. Buckley, 55 Humphreys street, Ward 11, 1,000 gallons.

American Oil Company of Massachusetts, 1735 Centre street, Ward 23, 2,000 gallons.

Cities' Service Refining Company, Taylor street, etc., Ward 20, 4,000 gallons.

Metropolitan Filling Station, Inc., 1942 Centre street, Ward 23, 5,000 gallons.

Reardon Building Trust, 1886-1896 Columbus avenue, Ward 15, 2,000 gallons.

Joseph A. Stagnaro, 534 Commercial street, Ward 5, 2,000 gallons.

A. Jerome Throwe, Blue Hill avenue, etc., Ward 24, 2,000 gallons.

Respectfully,
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

RECESS TAKEN.

On motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, the Council took a recess, subject to the call of the Chair at 3.01 p. m.

The members reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by President DONOGHUE at 4.01 p. m.

JURORS.

Jurors were drawn in accordance with law, the Mayor absent, as follows:

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, First Session.

Webster J. Gormley, Ward 1; Ralph W. Pinkham, Ward 1; John A. Wellings, Ward 1; John M. Hedley, Ward 3; Charles F. Kyle, Ward 3; Harry Levenson, Ward 5; Joseph Pierano, Ward 5; Edmund J. Winslow, Ward 6; Frank J. Gibbons, Ward 7; John W. Jones, Ward 7; Barthold Schlesinger,

Ward 8; George A. Taylor, Ward 8; Isaac R. Thomas, Ward 8; John J. Buckley, Ward 9; Michael J. Flynn, Ward 9; John F. Cronin, Ward 10; Michael Gannon, Ward 10; Edmond Kelly, Ward 10; William Gray, Ward 12; Michael McLaughlin, Ward 12; Alfred H. Buttner, Ward 14; Walter J. Donnelly, Ward 15; Michael F. Hynes, Ward 15; Joseph C. Desmond, Ward 18; Morris Greenblatt, Ward 18; John F. Howard, Ward 19; Alexander J. Janergan, Ward 19; John E. Flynn, Ward 21; George W. Marquardt, Ward 21; Edward J. V. Raleigh, Ward 22; Percy W. Witherell, Ward 22; Emil Greim, Ward 23; Frederick J. Patterson, Ward 23; John A. Burckhart, Ward 24; Owen McDermott, Ward 24; Thomas J. McManus, Ward 24; Clarence W. Sanderson, Ward 25; Roy A. Stinson, Ward 25; Colin F. McDonald, Ward 26; Edward Sherry, Ward 26;

Forty traverse Jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Third Session.

William Clary, Ward 2; John W. Doyle, Ward 3; James J. McKenna, Ward 4; Daniel D. Mullen, Ward 6; Ernest W. Harrison, Ward 7; Gerard J. Phelan, Ward 7; John W. Davis, Ward 8; Aubrey W. Falls, Ward 9; Edward F. Staples, Ward 9; Albert F. Campbell, Ward 10; Jeremiah B. Cronin, Ward 10; Henry J. Daly, Ward 10; William F. Dineen, Ward 11; Harry J. Elwood, Ward 11; John H. McGrath, Ward 11; Edward F. Heumann, Ward 13; Emil A. Weitz, Ward 13; Thomas J. Keane, Ward 15; Frederick H. Schlichting, Ward 15; John M. Wattendorf, Ward 15; John J. Flynn, Ward 16; Michael Ginsburg, Ward 16; Thomas Hume, Ward 17; Chauncey C. Whitman, Ward 17; Edward J. Brady, Ward 18; Thomas Powers, Ward 18; James F. Gaffey, Ward 19; Edward L. Murphy, Ward 19; George C. Woodward, Ward 19; Raymond Brewer, Ward 20; Robert Cleaves, Ward 20; Simon W. Brown, Ward 21; Alvah Kimball, Ward 21; Eugene H. Russell, Jr., Ward 23; Patrick F. Bagges, Ward 24; Wesley Carpenter, Ward 24; William J. Peterson, Ward 24; John F. Cullen, Ward 25; Walter W. Jeffrey, Ward 25; Henry Joynt, Ward 26;

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fourth Session.

Joseph F. Garvey, Ward 1; Fred M. Healey, Ward 4; George W. Brady, Ward 5; David M. Goldstein, Ward 5; Patrick J. McCarthy, Ward 5; Clarence P. Gardner, Ward 6; William J. Kelley, Ward 6; George W. McDonald, Ward 6; Thomas A. O'Donnell, Ward 6; Cornelius A. V. Reardon, Ward 6; George W. Twiss, Ward 6; Herbert N. Bosworth, Ward 7; Israel Blaisdel, Ward 8; Martin J. Gavin, Ward 9; James W. Kinsella, Ward 9; Roger McCann, Ward 10; Alexander McLean, Ward 10; John J. Shaughnessey, Ward 13; James A. Gunn, Ward 14; Richard Drew, Ward 15; Julius J. Cohen, Ward 16; John F. Eagan, Ward 16; Albert O. Mickey, Ward 17; John F. Stone, Ward 18; Gustave A. Bluthardt, Ward 19; William E. Deegan, Ward 19; Willard E. F. Simonds, Ward 19; Samuel A. Hanson, Ward 20; William Strong, Ward 20; William Cowan, Jr., Ward 21; Frank B. Lawlor, Ward 22; August Kollmeyer, Ward 23; Ferdinand F. Baumann, Ward 24; Arthur J. Daly, Ward 24; Everett W. Lewis, Ward 24; Thomas J. McKenna, Ward 24; William F. O'Brien, Ward 24; Frank W. Dunn, Ward 25; William J. Robinson, Ward 25; Leroy A. Berry, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fifth Session.

William J. Hickey, Ward 1; Charles H. Maginn, Ward 1; William R. Weiss, Ward 2; Patrick Brady, Ward 3; Patrick Flanagan, Ward 5; James F. McLaughlin, Ward 5; John B. Hoover, Ward 7; George W. Hurd, Ward 7; Arthur H. Keeler, Ward 7; Albert F. Mirfield, Ward 7; John Palumbo, Ward 7; James H. Daggett, Ward 8; John A. Flaherty, Ward 8; Henry M. Drew, Ward 13; Henry C. Hunnefeld, Ward 13; John C. Blatz, Ward 14; Leo W. Burns, Ward 14; Thomas C. Walsh, Ward 14; Roscoe F. Grabert, Ward 15; Thomas Hunter, Jr., Ward 15; Joseph A. Krim, Ward 15; Joseph A. Maguire, Ward 15; Joseph Cantor, Ward 16; Thomas J. Clark, Ward 16; William A. Ferguson, Ward 16; Vernon W. Lovejoy, Ward 16; James Dempsey, Ward 18; Patrick J. Maher, Ward 18; William R. Clark, Ward 20; John J. Ferris, Ward 20; James W. McLaughlin, Ward 20; Benjamin H. Barrett, Ward 21; August V. Gustafson, Ward 21; Henry P. Brown, Ward 23; Ira F. Libby, Ward 23; Ernest C. Pooley, Ward 24; William M. Simpson, Ward 24; George F. McDougall, Ward 26; Jeremiah J. O'Brien, Ward 26; John H. Van Etten, Ward 26.

Thirty-six traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, First Session.

Charles W. McGinn, Ward 1; William A. McDougall, Ward 2; Robert J. Doyle, Ward 3; John J. Griffin, Ward 3; James J. Kearney, Ward 3; Barnet Gordon, Ward 5; Thomas F. O'Neill, Ward 5; John F. Connolly, Ward 6; William J. Finnegan, Ward 6; Cornelius H. Cronin, Ward 8; Herbert Lord, Ward 8; Charles H. Monaghan, Ward 8; Daniel S. Santry, Jr., Ward 9; George H. Sheppard, Ward 9; Walter P. Conniffe, Ward 10; Thomas F. Duran, Ward 11; Harry L. Harris, Ward 11; Edmund J. Pelletier, Ward 11; Walter E. Feehan, Ward 12; Joseph N. Dolan, Ward 13; Frank C. Goodwin, Ward 13; Charles B. Payne, Ward 14; Harry A. Hettinger, Ward 15; Charles J. McGovern, Ward 15; Charles M. Daley, Ward 16; Samuel Freedman, Ward 16; John L. Duffy, Ward 20; Thomas W. Knefel, Jr., Ward 20;

John L. Davis, Ward 21; Thomas I. Hartley, Ward 21; Charles L. Kussmaul, Ward 22; Joseph F. Healy, Ward 23; Frederick H. Heerde, Ward 23; Reginald S. Plummer, Ward 24; Robert L. Fielding, Ward 26; Richard J. Fleming, Ward 26;

Thirty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Second Session.

Edward C. Goulland, Ward 1; James B. Keller, Ward 1; Robert E. Lee, Ward 1; William A. Nulty, Ward 1; George Young, Ward 1; George H. Grant, Ward 2; Jeremiah J. Lanning, Ward 2; John Mortimer, Ward 2; Timothy Cahalan, Ward 3; James E. Hayes, Ward 3; Joseph P. Nephin, Ward 6; James O'Keefe, Ward 6; Roger F. Foley, Ward 7; Thomas A. Webb, Ward 7; Edward S. Jewell, Ward 8; John F. O'Brien, Ward 8; Myles Standish, Ward 8; Harry E. Gardner, Ward 10; Francis J. O'Neil, Ward 10; Lawrence A. Johnson, Ward 12; Enos L. Rova, Ward 12; Alfred Beck, Ward 15; James N. Grace, Ward 15; Joseph Schwartz, Ward 15; Samuel Sidlosky, Ward 16; Daniel H. Sughrue, Ward 17; Guy L. Corliss, Ward 18; Philip F. Stanton, Ward 18; William S. Childs, Ward 19; Thomas F. Lane, Ward 19; Carl O. L. Berg, Ward 20; Henry Carr, Ward 20; Harry V. Crocker, Ward 20; Albert B. Milton, Ward 20; William Weinberger, Ward 21; Cedric E. Bloomfield, Ward 22; Edward R. Williams, Ward 22; Victor E. Johnson, Ward 23; Willard A. Whitcomb, Ward 25.

Thirty-five traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Third Session.

Charles J. Datow, Ward 2; William J. Childs, Ward 3; Frank T. Goodwin, Ward 3; Stephen F. Nea, Ward 4; Frank Bausemier, Ward 5; Percy H. MacDonald, Ward 7; Charles Elliot, Ward 8; George J. Walther, Ward 8; Gennaro Bottino, Ward 9; Daniel J. Carmody, Ward 9; Stephen Clougherty, Ward 9; Alexander J. Murray, Ward 10; John Sullivan, Ward 10; John Clare, Ward 11; Patrick F. Shea, Ward 11; John F. Sullivan Jr., Ward 11; Albert F. Brown, Ward 12; David Leo, Ward 12; John B. Lyons, Jr., Ward 14; Herbert Single, Ward 14; William V. Egersheim, Ward 15; Nathan Bloch, Ward 16; Frederick M. Forde, Ward 17; Stephen A. Hamel, Ward 17; John Daniel Linquist, Ward 18; James L. Caseley, Ward 19; Axel M. Bjurling, Ward 20; H. Douglas Buckle, Ward 20; Edward F. Maher, Ward 22; Emil H. Anderson, Ward 23; George S. Genter, Ward 23; William B. Moran, Ward 24; Arthur W. Williams, Ward 24; Paul Wheeler, Ward 25; John Collins, Ward 26;

Thirty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fourth Session.

Henry B. Murray, Ward 1; William L. Turner, Ward 1; John B. Cashman, Ward 2; William Leckie, Ward 2; Lesser Leventhal, Ward 2; Peter J. Fay, Ward 3; Leslie F. Farr, Ward 7; Jesse W. Gitterman, Ward 7; Thomas J. Higgins, Ward 7; James L. McMorrow, Ward 7; James F. Callahan, Ward 11; Ronald McDonald, Ward 11; Theodore I. Wiederman, Ward 11; Frank L. Clifford, Ward 13; John A. McIntyre, Ward 16; John J. MacKenzie, Ward 16; Abraham Segal, Ward 16; Henry Alexander, Ward 17; George E. B. Bird, Ward 17; John J. Fuller, Ward 17; Samuel Aronson, Ward 18; Edward H. Healey, Ward 18; Edgar W. J. Hearty, Ward 20; William E. Parrott, Ward 20; Robert Riedel, Ward 20; James P. Smith, Ward 20; John R. Donohue, Ward 21; Joseph P. Kelly, Ward 21; Philip Potash, Ward 21; Frederick L. Foss, Ward 23; Frank J. Cunningham, Ward 23; Walter J. Sugden, Ward 23; Clarence G. Allen, Ward 24; Robert D. Kennedy, Ward 24; Oscar S. Hodgkins, Ward 25; Thomas E. Kemp, Ward 25; Daniel A. McGilivray, Ward 25; Peter E. Tumblety, Ward 25; Thomas J. Brennan, Ward 26.

Thirty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fifth Session.

Daniel F. McWilliams, Ward 1; Charles Hughes, Ward 3; Charles F. Griffiths, Ward 4; Harry J. Cohen, Ward 5; Charles H. Egan, Ward 5; John P. Rinn, Ward 5; Thomas Seroy, Ward 5; George F. Bradley, Ward 6; James F. Brown, Ward 6; Michael Curley, Ward 6; John F. Carey, Ward 7; Michael C. Flaherty, Ward 7; John T. O'Neil, Ward 7; John J. Rogers, Ward 7; Edwin A. Shuman, Ward 8; David P. Doolan, Ward 9; James J. Kilday, Ward 9; Edward P. Devaney, Ward 11; Robert G. Walsh, Ward 11; George R. J. Henry, Ward 12; Carl Jordan, Ward 13; William L. Hooton, Ward 16; Albert W. Philbrick, Ward 16; Daniel B. Sydleman, Ward 16; Harry Weiner, Ward 16; William A. Whittemore, Ward 17; Leonard M. Wilbur, Ward 17; Michael Boyle, Ward 20; Thomas McLay, Ward 20; Hugh MacLennan, Ward 21; Arthur I. Mattson, Ward 21; Clifford G. Bigelow, Ward 22; John E. Frost, Ward 22; Henry S. Kettendorf, Ward 23; Edward J. Hughton, Ward 24; Thomas J. Burke, Ward 25; Michael T. J. Diggins, Ward 25; Richard F. Bates, Ward 26; Patrick H. Burke, Ward 26.

Thirty-one traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Sixth Session.

Alfonso Belmonte, Ward 3; Samuel Cohen, Ward 3; Michael Napolitano, Ward 5; Louis Smith, Ward 5; Robert S. Chisholm, Ward 7; Hyman Slate, Ward 8; William F. Arrigal, Ward 10; John T. Carey, Ward 10; James P. Dwyer, Ward 12; Joseph Kenney, Ward 12; John L. Mellyn, Ward 12; John McKenna, Ward 13; Frederick Reiss, Ward 15; Thomas J. Sullivan, Ward 16; Howard E. Weeman, Ward 16; William

Joseph Norris, Ward 17; James A. Coughlin, Ward 18; Frank Cunnally, Ward 18; George H. Brown, Ward 19; George Crawshaw, Ward 20; George P. Sullivan, Ward 21; Franklin B. Johnson, Ward 23; John S. Kirchassner, Ward 23; John Marr, Ward 23; Wilbur Swain, Ward 23; Nathaniel W. Whittemore, Ward 23; Herbert N. Blaisdel, Ward 24; Carl W. Melin, Ward 24; William Wood, Ward 24; Daniel S. Sullivan, Ward 25; Edward R. Phillips, Ward 26.

Thirty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Seventh Session.

Frank Almeida, Ward 1; Archibald F. Campbell, Ward 2; John J. Fitzgerald, Ward 3; George F. Irving, Ward 3; Joseph A. McLaughlin, Ward 4; Joseph J. McKenna, Ward 6; Patrick J. Donovan, Ward 7; Edward C. Kailher, Ward 7; Frank McPearson, Ward 7; John B. Selloy, Ward 7; William Endicott, Ward 8; Elbridge H. Milliken, Ward 8; Paul E. Osman, Ward 8; Charles A. Parker, Ward 8; Peter W. Plansky, Ward 10; Peter L. Foley, Ward 11; Charles F. Holland, Ward 11; John W. Kent, Ward 11; Charles W. Behnke, Ward 13; Martin Creim, Ward 14; Emil J. Bopp, Ward 15; William Schaefer, Ward 15; John H. Fitch, Ward 16; Henry L. Fleisher, Ward 16; Benjamin Bravman, Ward 19; John J. H. Lampard, Ward 19; Earl A. Korman, Ward 20; Alfred F. Murphy, Ward 20; Charles R. Currier, Ward 22; Carl A. Hesselchwerdt, Ward 22; Charles F. Nagel, Ward 22; Edward B. Aiken, Ward 23; Frederick P. Falk, Jr., Ward 24; Thomas F. Ryan, Ward 24; Walter P. Stewart, Ward 24; Edward E. Morrison, Ward 25; Ernest E. A. Chamberlen, Ward 26; Martin A. Waters, Ward 26.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Coun. BRICKLEY called up Nos. 1, 2 and 3 on the calendar, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, September 29, 1924, viz.:

1. George W. Bloomberg and William F. Dillon, to be Constables.
2. Eva Rabinovitz, to be a Weigher of Coal and Alden C. Pearl, to be a Gauger of Liquid Measures.
3. Lawrence H. Shields and Alden C. Pearl, to be Weighers of Goods.

The question came on approval of above. Committee, Coun. Gilbody and Brickley; yeas 5, nays 0, and the appointments were confirmed.

Coun. IANE in the chair.

RELEASE OF PARK RESTRICTIONS.

Coun. DONOGHUE called up No. 4 on the calendar, viz.:

4. Notice filed by Coun. Donoghue of motion to reconsider the vote of September 29, whereby the ordinance concerning park frontages on Columbia road was passed.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. President, I rise at this time to move reconsideration of the ordinance concerning park frontages which was passed at the last meeting of the Council. I refer, of course, particularly to the ordinance which was submitted to the Council and was passed by a majority of the members, relating to the removal of restrictions on that part of Columbia road from Dorchester avenue to Buttonwood street for the purpose, as I understand it, of erecting a gasoline station on that particular site. I am one of those who believe that our park system, upon which the City of Boston has for years and years gone by expended large sums of money and upon which for many years to come it will in all probability expend millions of dollars for beautification, should not be destroyed from an aesthetic point of view by having it studied with gasoline stations every 100 to 200 yards. It seems to me, in view of the fact that this particular station was established some nine or ten years ago without any authority, without any legal right to place it there, this City Council should not find itself in the position of being asked to legalize something which was done illegally. I think there is no one who questions the fact that this gasoline station, as well as some others which are located along our park system, is there contrary to the restrictions of the Park Department, and now contrary to the city ordinances. At the last meeting of the Council, I introduced an order asking that the Law Department immediately institute legal proceedings to remove all gasoline stations and garages which may exist contrary to the restrictions of the Park Department or the city ordinances. Unfortunately, that matter was laid on the table without my having had an opportunity to express myself on it, and I now take this opportunity of saying that I feel that these gasoline stations, regardless of who has had sufficient prestige to place them within the restricted area, should be removed, and that it should be done without any order of this Council or without any request from this Council being necessary. The Law Department should immediately proceed to have those stations which are not there in conformity with our laws removed. In my opinion, it would be just as sane to have some one ask to have a gasoline station placed on Boston Common, or on the Public Garden, and if this passes, and if the members of the Council vote to remove these restrictions from Columbia road, in all fairness to some

one else, they should vote to remove restrictions from Boston Common and the Public Garden or from any other section of our park system. Of course, the average person would say that it would be ridiculous to place gasoline stations on Tremont street, in connection with Boston Common, or on Boylston street near the Public Garden. From a business viewpoint it would be the most ideal location that could be found in this city and, of course, all these things are purely material. Taking in mind this location adjacent to our Strandway, on which this present administration, under the direction of Mayor Curley has expended a million dollars in the past year, we now propose to give permission by vote of this Council for the placing at the entrance practically a gasoline station, thereby seriously detracting from all that work which has been done with the expenditure of a million dollars. I say it is about time that we use the office of City Councilor for the purpose for which it is supposed to be used. We are here to represent the interests of the great majority of the citizens of our city and not to grant special privileges to any one individual. This is a clear case of special privilege, a case of particular legislation for an individual, and I do not think it should be the duty of this Council to legalize in any such manner something which is absolutely illegal. We vote to place restrictions on our park system and then we come in here and vote to remove those restrictions from some particular section. There is no more reason why we should vote to remove a restriction from Columbia road, Dorchester avenue and Buttonwood street, than there is why we should vote to do so in any other section of our park system. It merely means the commercializing of that section, and within a very few years, if this practice is continued, allowing individuals to come in here to the City Council and obtain such special privileges, removing restrictions from our park system for their benefit, we are going to be flooded with requests for these gasoline stations and garages along our parks, parks upon which we have spent millions of dollars of the city's money in maintenance and for beautification, parks upon which we pride ourselves. We call Boston the Athens of America, the city of education, and yet just think of what we are doing in allowing gasoline stations all along through our park system. I cannot conceive of any such thing happening, and I feel very strongly that this restriction should not be lifted, but that we should vote to reconsider on the proposition and defeat it decisively by our vote. Mr. President, I move reconsideration, hoping that the same will prevail.

The motion to reconsider was declared lost. Coun. Donoghue doubted the vote and asked for the yeas and nays.

The motion to reconsider was lost, yeas, 1, nays 5.

Yea—Coun. Donoghue—1
Nays—Couns. Brickley, Gilbody, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell—5.

President DONOGHUE in the chair.

SALE OF LAND, EAST STREET.

Coun. BRICKLEY called up No. 5 on the calendar, viz.:

5. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor in the name and behalf of the city be and he is hereby authorized to convey by an instrument satisfactory to the Law Department to May Forman of Boston, upon the receipt of the sum of \$600, the following described parcel of land:

A certain parcel of land with a portion of the building numbered 20 to 24 on East street thereon situated in said Boston and bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by the northeasterly line of said East street as it existed previous to a discontinuance of a portion of said East street by the City of Boston, dated November 12, 1919, and recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4182, page 375, fifty-nine and 92-100 feet;

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of said East street as it now exists, fifty-nine and 96-100 feet; and

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of said East street as it existed previous to said discontinuance, one and 5-100 feet;

Containing thirty-one square feet of land, all as shown on a plan showing a discontinuance in East street, Boston proper, between South street and Atlantic avenue, City of Boston, East street, Boston proper, dated October 18, 1919, by F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department, being street plan filed as No. 1135 with said deeds.

The question came on the passage of the order, and the order was passed, yeas 6, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell—6.

Nays—0.

SALARY OF CHIEF PROBATION OFFICER.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Accounts, submitted a report on the communication from Chief Justice Bolster of the Municipal Court (referred September 9) stating that the justices of the court, subject to confirmation by the County Commissioners, had determined the annual salary of Albert J. Sargent, chief probation officer, to be \$5,600, effective October 1, 1924—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted, and the determination of the justices in the matter of said salary was approved.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on orders for transfers within departmental appropriations (submitted by the Mayor September 29) recommending the passage of orders making said transfers, as follows:

Building Department, from the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, another item, \$924.75.

Fire Department, from the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, to same appropriation, another item, \$6,630.90.

Municipal Court, from the appropriation for B-35, to D-5, \$50.

Law Department, from the appropriation for A-1 to appropriation for A-2, B-1, B-2, B-13, B-39, C-9 and D-1, \$1,125.

City Council, from G-5 to B-3, \$125.

Public Works Department, Paving Service, from appropriation for A-1 to another item in same appropriation, \$3,506.76.

Associate Medical Examiner Service, Northern District, from the appropriation for B-5, B-37, B-35 and B-28 to appropriation for A-2, \$110.

Municipal Court, Roxbury district, from the appropriation for D-1 to the appropriation for C-9, \$75.

Report accepted, said orders passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—7.

Nays—0.

2. Report on orders for transfers within departmental appropriations (submitted by the Mayor today) recommending the passage of said transfers, as follows:

Election Department, from the appropriation for A-2, B-10, A-2, B-10, B-8, B-5, D-2, E-1 to the appropriations for A-2, C-7, C-17 and D-3, \$11,298.97.

Public Buildings Department, from the appropriation for A-1 to another item in said appropriation, \$650.

Printing Department, from the appropriation for A-1 to the appropriations for A-2 and B-28, \$4,500.

Street Laying-Out Department, from the appropriation for A-1 to another item in said appropriation, giving certain men a higher rating without change in compensation.

Boston Sanatorium, from the appropriation for A-1 to same appropriation and same items, to straighten out the matter of practice and book-keeping.

Report accepted; said orders passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Couns. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—7.

Nays—0.

3. Reports on orders (referred today) accepting chapter 405 of Acts of 1924 authorizing the city to pay an annuity to the widow of Christopher Melia, and also providing for the payment of said annuity, of \$600, under the act.

Reports accepted, said orders passed.

4. Report on message and order (referred today) for the transfer of \$2,500 for the Committee on Americanism—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

5. Report on the message and order (referred today) for the transfer of \$40,000 to the Public Welfare Department—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

6. Report on the message and order (referred today) for the transfer of \$10,000 to the Conservation Bureau—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

RELEASE TO LAND ON ATLANTIC AVENUE.

On motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, the Council voted to take No. 6 from the table, viz.:

6. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and hereby is authorized to execute and deliver for and in behalf of the City of Boston a lease running from said City of Boston to Henry E. Rothfield of Newton, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and Henry B. Day, of said Newton, trustees of the Middlesex Trust, of a certain parcel of land situated on Atlantic avenue, Boston, in said Commonwealth, being a portion of the premises now used by the City of Boston as a dumping station for garbage, at an annual rental the equivalent in amount to 5 per cent of the total valuation of the land so leased, appraised at \$10 per square foot, for such period as the adjoining premises now used by the said City of Boston as a dumping station for garbage shall continue to be so used by the said City of Boston, but the term of said lease is in no case to exceed twenty years.

Said leased premises are to consist of so much of the land fronting on Atlantic avenue and to a depth of not more than twenty feet therefrom as is not now needed by the said City of Boston for public or municipal purposes, the said trustees to have

the right to build upon the leased premises a structure or building of one or more stories in height.

The aforesaid Middlesex Trust is to agree to pay taxes on the land and buildings to be erected thereon to the City of Boston at the current rates during the period of said lease and that the buildings erected thereon by the Middlesex Trust, or any other person holding under them, shall at the expiration or termination of said lease become the property of the City of Boston aforesaid.

The said lease is to contain such other restrictions and limitations, including a right of passage over and across the said leased premises from and to Atlantic avenue, as is satisfactory to the Law Department of the City of Boston, and the said lease is to be in such form as is satisfactory to said Law Department.

On August 4, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Report accepted, said order given its second and final reading and passage, yeas 7, nays 1.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—7.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue—1.

REMOVAL OF GASOLINE STATIONS AND GARAGES FROM PARKS.

On motion of President DONOGHUE, the Council voted to take the following from the table:

7. Resolved, That the City Council is of the opinion that the Law Department should immediately institute legal proceedings to remove all gasoline stations and garages which are illegally erected within the restrictions of the Park Department or in violation of the city ordinances.

The resolution was rejected, yeas 2, nays 6:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Healey—2.

Nays—Coun. Brickley, Gilbody, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—6.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. WALSH, a general reconsideration of all action taken today was refused.

Adjourned, on motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, at 4.29 p. m., to meet on Monday, October 20, at 2 p. m.

BOSTON'S LIABILITY FOR METROPOLITAN DEBT, 1923.

Boston's liability for this contingent debt of the State (*i. e.*, in the form of annual assessments for sinking-funds and interest) incurred for Metropolitan parks, sewers, water, etc., was \$27,106,350 (net) on July 1, 1923, or \$1,003,191 less than in 1922. It is divided thus: Water debt, \$17,164,364; park debt, \$4,172,214; sewer debt, \$3,845,376; Charles River Basin debt, \$1,924,396. The percentages paid by Boston are 73.0066 on water debt; 57.5862 on most of the park debt; 45.39 on most of the sewer debt, and on Charles River Basin debt the same as on park debt.

Metropolitan assessments paid by Boston in 1923 amounted to \$3,573,070, of which 58 per cent was for debt requirements and 42 per cent for maintenance. Water assessment, \$1,872,413 (paid from water revenue); park, \$1,010,502; sewer, \$456,954; Charles River Basin, etc., \$233,201.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 16, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Clermont street footway, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Bailey street to Burt street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of October 29, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(Oct. 18-25.)

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals to erect and complete a standard lower elementary school, Robert Gould Shaw District, Washington street, West Roxbury, Boston, giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Board therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, 1007 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, October 31, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$7,500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposals shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(Oct. 18.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN ELIZABETH AVENUE, BETWEEN ALLSTON STREET AND COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, AND OUTLET IN ALLSTON STREET, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Elizabeth avenue, between Allston street and Commonwealth avenue, and outlet in Allston street, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of sixteen hundred (1,600) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Elizabeth avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Wednesday, October 29, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred fifty (150) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 16, 1924. (Oct. 18.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals to erect and complete a lower elementary school, John Marshall District, Athelwold street, Dorchester, Boston, giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Board therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, 1007 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Monday, November 3, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$10,000 payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(Oct. 18.)

READVERTISEMENT.
(CHANGE OF DATE FOR OPENING BIDS.)
CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals to erect and complete, including the plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating work, the new Police Headquarters Building, corner of Stuart and Berkeley streets, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Public Buildings therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, October 21, 1924, at said office with a certified check for \$25,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as above indicated, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, before the time of opening the bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$50 will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(Oct. 18.)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REBUILDING DARTMOUTH STREET BRIDGE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for rebuilding Dartmouth Street Bridge, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirty-five thousand (35,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, after Monday, October 20, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope sealed, marked "Bid for Rebuilding Dartmouth Street Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, November 18, 1924, with a certified check for thirty-five hundred (3,500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 16, 1924. (Oct. 18.)

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND LOAMING AT WILLIAM H. GARVEY PLAYGROUND, NEPONSET.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invite proposals for grading and loaming at William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "For Grading and Loaming at William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, October 22, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$3,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$15,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman,*
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(Oct. 18.)

READVERTISEMENT.
CITY OF BOSTON.
PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND LOAMING AT WILLIAM H. GARVEY PLAYGROUND, NEPONSET.

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invite proposals for grading and loaming at William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "For Grading and Loaming at William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, October 30, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$3,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$15,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, *Chairman,*
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.
(Oct. 18-25.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN ROBERTS AVENUE, FROM DENT STREET TO LA GRANGE STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Roberts avenue, from Dent street to La Grange street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-five hundred (2,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Roberts Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, October 30, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred and fifty (250) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. *If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price.* The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 16, 1924. (Oct. 18.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 16, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Ellsworth street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Freepoint street to Dorchester avenue, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of October 29, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(Oct. 18-25.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OR "GREATER BOSTON."

Consists in the most inclusive sense of 40 municipalities, including Boston, or 14 cities and 25 towns, all within 15 miles of the State House. The 7 cities in the first zone, *i. e.*, adjacent to Boston, are these, *viz.*, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere and Somerville; the 6 cities in the second zone, not adjacent, are Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Waltham and Woburn. The 6 adjacent towns are Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Needham, Watertown and Winthrop; the 20 other towns are Arlington, Belmont, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Dover, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Nahant, Reading, Saugus, Stoneham, Swampscott, Wakefield, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

North and northwest of Boston are situated 11 of the cities and 12 of the towns; south and southwest, 2 cities and 14 towns. Area of Northern Division, 150.8 square miles and population in 1920, 699,685, or a density of 4,619 per square mile; Southern Division, 214.8 square miles and 211,191 population, or density of only 983 per square mile; in the whole Metropolitan District, 4,051 per square mile. In percentages Boston shows 10.5 per cent of District's area and 45.09 per cent of population; Northern Division, 36.2 of area and 42.18 of population; Southern Division, 53.3 of area and 12.73 of population. In the period 1915-1920, increase of population 34,798 larger in Northern than in Southern Division.

Total land area of District, 409.5 square miles; population by census of 1920, 1,658,936 or 4.08 per cent increase over that of 1915. Corrected population for 1920 (Boston's total increased by 54,808) 1,713,744. Of the total population of the State "Greater Boston" has 44.48 per cent; of total valuation, 51.11 per cent; of total value of manufactures, 32.53 per cent.

Total valuation of taxable property in District on April 1, 1922, \$2,919,179,075, which exceeds the 1921 valuation by \$114,300,660, a gain of 4.07 per cent. Of said total 57.47 per cent was in Boston and 42.53 per cent outside.

The four organized Metropolitan Districts existing for the purpose of constructing and maintaining certain extensive systems of public works under State control are as follows: Metropolitan Park District, established by chapter 407, Acts of 1893, including all the cities and towns except Lexington, and managed by a State Board of five commissioners; Metropolitan Water District, established by chapter 488, Acts of 1895, including 10 cities and 9 towns, and covering an area of 175 square miles; Metropolitan Sewerage District, established by chapter 439, Acts of 1889, consisting of the North System and South System, including 17 cities and towns in the former system and 8 in the latter, and covering an area of 225 square miles; the last two districts managed by a single State board of three commissioners; Charles River Basin District, established by chapter 465, Acts of 1903, including all the cities and towns except Cohasset and Lexington, and in charge of the Metropolitan Park Commission. By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the two Metropolitan boards were abolished and a single Metropolitan Commission of five members was established.

Another Metropolitan District, *viz.*,

the Fire Prevention District, was organized in 1914 by the enactment of chapter 795. In this district are the 14 cities of "Greater Boston," but only 10 of the towns, to which were added Reading and Rockland, a total of 25 municipalities. The District is in charge of a single commissioner, assisted by a deputy commissioner, both appointed for a term of three years. This office was also abolished by said Chapter 350, the work of same being transferred to Department of Public Safety.

Total gross Metropolitan debt for water, parks, sewers and Charles River Basin improvements on July 1, 1922, \$77,599,512; sinking funds, \$31,419,635; net debt, \$46,179,877 or \$1,649,011 less than in 1921. This net debt is divided thus: Water supply, \$24,514,519; sewers, \$11,265,640; parks, boulevards, etc., \$7,318,353; Charles River Basin, \$3,081,365.

Of 1922 tax rates, the highest of the cities was Quincy's (\$36.20) and the highest among the towns, that of Saugus (\$38.00); the lowest among the cities was Boston's (\$24.70) and among the towns, that of Weston (\$18.90). Mean tax rate of the 13 cities in the District outside of Boston, \$32.48 or \$1.00 more than in 1921 and \$3.38 more than in 1920. Mean tax rate of the 26 towns, \$27.72 or \$1.16 more than in 1921, and \$3.11 more than in 1920.

There were in the District in 1920, 4,471 manufacturing establishments, value of product, \$1,421,528,434; capital invested, \$846,928,136; value of stock and materials used, \$814,021,722; total wages paid \$266,902,177; average number of wage earners, 207,066. Rank, 1 to 12 in value of products; (1) Boston, \$674,344,180; (2) Cambridge, \$156,430,827; (3) Lynn, \$143,039,476; (4) Somerville, \$81,605,860; (5) Watertown, \$56,663,659; (6) Everett, \$53,106,185; (7) Quincy, \$41,241,061; (8) Chelsea, \$36,412,602; (9) Malden, \$32,326,117; (10) Waltham, \$23,895,120; (11) Weymouth, \$21,822,189; (12) Newton, \$16,295,778. Boston's total product value was 47.44 per cent of the Metropolitan District's.

PUBLIC RECREATION IN BOSTON.

Number of large parks, 24; separate playgrounds, 44, with total of 324.5 acres, also 13 playgrounds in parks, with area of 155 acres; small parks and squares, 72.8; total area, 2,686.79 acres. Cost of Main Park System, *i. e.*, 1,386 acres (including Common and Public Garden, 72.65 acres) land and construction (since 1877 when begun), \$12,204,876; of Marine Park System, *i. e.*, 457.9 acres (since 1883), \$4,601,045; of all other parks and public grounds, \$2,537,898; of separate playgrounds, \$4,458,331. Total cost, \$23,802,150, of which \$9,789,096 is for land alone.

The leading attraction of the Main Park System is Franklin Park (named for Benjamin Franklin), acquired in 1883-84, and containing 527 acres, about 80 of which are occupied by the Zoological Garden, 15 miles of walks, 8 miles of driveways, etc., the entire cost up to 1921 being \$4,496,801. There are also within the City limits 964 acres of Metropolitan parks and parkways under State control, chief of which is Stony Brook Reservation in West Roxbury, containing 464 acres of wild forested hill and dale with many rocky knolls

and an extensive view of the Charles River valley and beyond.

Number of public indoor baths open all the year, 14; 9 beach baths and 7 floating baths open during summer; indoor gymnasia, 11; total number of indoor baths taken in year 1921, 1,527,171, of which 74.3 per cent were by men and boys.

Park Department maintenance for 1921-22 (including Cemetery Division), \$1,366,048 or \$63,260 less than in 1920. Outlay for playground improvements, \$72,885; for park improvements, \$394,748, of which \$254,575 was from Parkman Fund income. Gross debt for parks, public grounds, etc., outstanding February 1, 1922, \$9,681,050; for playgrounds, \$2,224,300; total, \$11,905,350 or \$794,250 less than in 1921. By Chap. 13, Ord. 1920, the Cemetery Department was merged with the Park Dept., the latter title being substituted for Park and Recreation Department.

Including the State assessments of \$948,310 for Metropolitan parks, boulevards, etc., and \$238,073 for Charles River Basin improvements, the total expended for public recreation purposes in 1921 was \$2,903,689 or \$82,782 more in 1920.

Total valuation of City properties devoted to recreation \$69,306,900 (including \$55,112,400 for Boston Common and Public Garden), which far exceeds that of any other American city except New York.

AREA OF BOSTON.

Area to ward lines (26 wards), 30,598 acres (*i. e.*, 47.81 square miles), 2,944 acres being filled land, 1,143 acres water area and 1,484 acres flats. Land area only 27,971 acres (*i. e.*, 43.70 square miles). Included in the latter are 154 acres of filled flats added to the land area of South Boston in 1919 and 1920 and 133 acres to that of East Boston. Original Boston contained about 780 acres of land. Of the twelve leading American cities, eight are larger in land area than Boston, *viz.*, Los Angeles (365.7 sq. miles), New York (318), Chicago (199.4), Philadelphia (129), Baltimore (91.9), Detroit (80), Cleveland (56.6) and St. Louis (61.25). The only city in Massachusetts with larger land area is Taunton (50 sq. mi.).

If Boston should expand by annexations as New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Los Angeles and others have expanded, its total area, in case of including the 39 cities and towns within the 15-mile radius, would exceed the largest, *viz.*, Los Angeles, the present land area of "Greater Boston" being 409.5 square miles.

AREA OF UNITED STATES, NEW ENGLAND, ETC.

Total of the 48 states in square miles, 3,026,719; Alaska, 590,884; making grand total of 3,617,603 sq. m. or 42.11 per cent of continent of North America and 6.32 per cent of the earth's land area. The six states of New England 66,424 sq. m., *i. e.*, Maine, 33,040; Vermont, 9,564; N. H., 9,341; Mass. 8,266; Conn., 4,965; R. I., 1,248. Land area of New England, 61,976 sq. m.; of Mass., 8,093 sq. m.

Total area of U. S. (inclu. Alaska) 112,000 sq. miles less than total of Canadian provinces, but total population is over 12 times as many.

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ONE OF THE FINEST MONUMENTS TO THE CURLEY ADMINISTRATION OF THE CITY OF BOSTON'S AFFAIRS, THE NEW ROXBURY HIGH SCHOOL, WHICH IS WELL UNDER WAY.

BUILDING WHICH WILL BE UNIQUE IN THE HISTORY OF EDUCATION IN BOSTON, AND WHICH WILL BRING ADDED FAME TO NEW ENGLAND, WILL SEAT 1,800 PUPILS AND PROVIDE ACCOMMODATIONS FOR CITIZEN USE AS WELL.



BOSTON'S NEW \$3,000,000 ROXBURY HIGH SCHOOL TO BE FINEST STRUCTURE OF KIND IN NEW ENGLAND—A SOURCE OF GREAT CIVIC PRIDE.

One of Boston's best examples of what is now being termed "Curleyism" by political enemies is the new Roxbury High School being provided for the citizens of Boston by Mayor Curley. This building is to cost \$3,000,000 when completed and

will be the pride of the city as well as New England.

The Mayor during the past two years of his administration has spent more than \$14,000,000 in providing schoolhouses for the children of the citizens of Boston. He has provided a seat for every child

despite the enormous growth in attendance. The Mayor believes in education for the children of the city that they may grow into better citizens. The Mayor also realizes that money spent by a community for the education of its citizens is not extravagance.

NO POLITICAL FUND BEING COLLECTED IN FIRE DEPARTMENT.

COMMISSIONER GLYNN POSITIVELY REFUTES AND DENIES NEWSPAPER CANARD.

Mayor Curley has received the following letter from Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn:

BOSTON, October 22, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—My attention has been directed to a news item in the morning papers in effect that the members of the

Fire Department were engaged in raising campaign funds for one of the candidates for public office. This is the first intimation that I have had that any such work was in progress.

I have caused an investigation to be made and find that there is absolutely no truth in the story that funds have been raised or are being raised for campaign purposes in the interests of any candidates.

So far as any member of the Fire Department making a contribution to the candidacy of any individual that is his personal business and no concern of mine; so far as the question of a collection of a general fund within the department

I should not permit any such work to be undertaken and I am positive that none has been undertaken.

The Fire Department has been collecting funds among the members for the victims of the Lorain, Ohio, disaster, and also collecting funds for the Father Lynch Memorial Scholarship Fund, and it is possible that some persons may have the impression that the funds raised for these two purposes were to be applied for the particular benefit of some candidates for public office.

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, October 27, at two o'clock p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Louis F. Abbott, 6 Farnham street, Ward 12, group garage, four units.

Herman B. Barron, 82 Canterbury street, Ward 21, four cars.

Max Zisman, 48 and 48A Stanwood street, Ward 18, group garage, four units, four cars.

John Varnerin, 85 East Cottage street, Ward 11, group garage, five units, six cars.

Sarah A. Gaffney, 336 Princeton street, Ward 1, two garages, six cars.

D. J. Cowhig, 8 West Bellflower street, Ward 11, group garage, nine units, nine cars.

Reardon Building Trust, 1886-1896 Columbus avenue, Ward 15, 2,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Roy Y. O'Leary, American Railway Express, 69 Dorchester avenue, Ward 9, 600 gallons alcohol.

Philip Basile, 4547 and 4549 Washington street, Ward 23, one four-car unit.

Thomas Bracken, 45 Oak street, Ward 24, four cars.

Fannie Brecker, 111 and 113 Harrishof street, Ward 16, four cars.

Arthur L. Gardner, 89 and 91 Gold street, Ward 9, four cars.

John G. Ray, 15 Cunningham street, Ward 17, group garage, four units, four cars.

Annie Robbins, 80 Gardner street, Ward 25, four cars.

Patrick J. Brady, 3710-3724 Washington street, Ward 22, group garage, sixteen units, sixteen cars.

Philip Levine *et al.*, 1395-1401 Columbus avenue, Ward 15, 1,500 gallons additional gasoline.

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

Max Lipson, 1301 and 1303 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 21, 2,000 gallons gasoline.

The Atlantic Works, 80 Border street, Ward 2, 500 gallons gasoline.

International Harvester Company of America, 63-71 North Beacon street, Ward 26, 3,000 gallons fuel oil.

South End Hardware Company, 1-15 Garland street, Ward 6, 3,000 gallons fuel oil.

W. A. Lockhart, 1283 Washington street, Ward 6, acetylene.

Coombs Real Estate Trust, 108 Charles street, Ward 5, 1 bay window.

Benjamin Sorocovech, 80 Hampden street, Ward 12, acetylene and oxygen.

Readville Garage, 8 Wolcott street, Ward 24, acetylene and oxygen.

Mack Motor Truck Company, 75 North Beacon street, Ward 25, oxygen and acetylene.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, 794 Huntington avenue, Ward 14, 2,000 gallons gasoline.

S. S. Pierce Company, 133 Brookline avenue, Ward 8, business garage and 20,000 gallons gasoline.

Martin G. Ulrich *et al.*, 52 Port Norfolk street, Ward 20, maintenance garage, eight cars.

Angelo DiLucci, 132 George street, Ward 12, group garage, seven units, seven cars.

Ellen J. Lally, 93 and 95 Gold street, Ward 9, four units, four cars.

Edison Company, Stratton street, Ward 21, time extension for erecting pole.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Hill Top street, Ward 20, time extension for erecting pole.

Edison Company, Winter street, Ward 5, conduit.

MAYOR RECEIVES THANKS OF COMMISSION ON MARKING HISTORICAL SITES.

BOARD OUTLINES WORK ALREADY IN SAVING FOR POSTERITY PLACES OF HALLOWED MEMORY AND PROMISES TO CONTINUE WORK.

Mayor Curley on October 17 received the following communication from the Commission on the Marking of Historical Sites, consisting of Walter Gilman Page, chairman; Hon. David A. Lourie, Edward W. McGlenen and Hon. Thomas H. Dowd, and Walter K. Watkins, secretary.

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR: I take pleasure in making the following report on the work of this commission to date:

We have placed a tablet to mark the First Free School on the Suffolk Savings Bank.

We have placed a tablet to mark the home of Gov. John A. Andrew on Charles street.

We have provided a tablet to commemorate the visit of Abraham Lincoln to Boston in 1848, said tablet to be placed on the building now in process of construction on Bromfield street.

We have contracted to place a memorial on Lafayette Hall. This will be a very handsome and appropriate memorial.

We have contracted and will soon place in position a tablet to mark the site of the first post office. This site is now occupied by the *Globe* newspaper.

We have provided for a tablet to mark the site of the home of William Blaxton, corner of Spruce and Beacon streets. The Blaxton, the first post office and the Lafayette tablets will be in position within three months.

We have voted to mark the site of the home of Robert Keayne, founder of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery

Company, and also the site of the book shop, which is the same, the corner of Washington and State streets. We have voted to mark the site of the first state bank; the first ship yard; the first printing office; the site of the building where the Federal Constitution was adopted; the site of the first fort in Fort Hill square; a memorial to Samuel Maverick in Maverick square; a memorial to Champlain in North End Park; the site of the first newspaper published in Boston; the site of the home of John Winthrop, where the Old South Building now stands; the site of the first tavern, now Thompson's Spa. We have voted to replace with a slate tablet the white marble tablet now defacing the front of the Old North Church and hiding some of its architectural features.

At our meeting this coming Thursday we shall select ten more sites. Where a tablet is merely marking the place without any particular adornment, not much time is required, but it is the ambition of this commission wherever opportunity offers to place tablets of artistic value, as we feel that the work in which we are engaged is of a permanent nature, and we wish to place memorials which will reflect credit not only upon ourselves, but upon your administration.

I trust, Mr. Mayor, this program meets with your approval, and personally, as chairman of this commission, I wish to express to you my sincere appreciation of your sympathetic interest.

WALTER GILMAN PAGE,
Chairman on Behalf of the Commission.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for grading and loaming at William H. Garvey Playground. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$15,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, October 30, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for rebuilding the Dartmouth Street Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$35,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,500,

to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 18, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing the hull, etc., of the ferry boat "Lieutenant Flaherty." Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$250, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, October 30, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for sewerage works in Elizabeth avenue, between Allston street and Commonwealth avenue, and outlet in Allston street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,600. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$150, to be filed

at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, October 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Roberts avenue, from Dent to La Grange streets, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$250, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, October 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Hillside avenue, from Crandall street 225 feet southerly, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$800. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, October 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Reed street, Whiting street, Montrose street and Glenwood street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, November 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Cottage place, from Winslow street 142 feet southwesterly and 50 feet northwesterly, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office.

Bids close Wednesday, November 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Foster street, between Commonwealth avenue and Summit, 1,200 feet northerly and outlet in Lane park, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$800, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 11, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing a standard lower elementary school in the Robert Gould Shaw District, Washington street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office

of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$7,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, October 31, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing a lower elementary school in the John Marshall District, Athelwold street, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007 City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, November 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for setting up two-compartment steel lockers in the new Dorchester High School for boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, November 3, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments for the month of November. Surety bond will be required in the amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, October 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, October 30, at 12 m.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for furnishing and delivering 250 tons of steel beams as specified. Surety bond will be required in the amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Transit Department, 1 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the building of Section K of the Dorchester Tunnel. Surety bond will be required in the amount of 35 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Transit Department, 1 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 25, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, October 23:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Ethel N. Sutton has been granted provisional employment as a nurse at \$1,400 a year.

Francis X. Dolan has been granted permanent appointment as sanitary inspector at \$1,400 a year.

Dr. M. Victor Safford, deputy commissioner, in charge of the Medical Division, has been designated to perform the duties of the Health Commissioner from October 18 to October 25, in the absence of the Commissioner in attendance at the Fifty-third Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, in Detroit, Mich.

Louis Peabody has been granted temporary appointment, for two weeks, as helper at the Detention Hospital at \$15 a week.

The following changes in compensations of clerks and stenographers have been approved: Rose A. Doherty, \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year; Anna Smith, \$1,400 to \$1,500 a year; William J. Fallon, \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year; Edward F. Byrne, \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year; Leo A. Diamond, \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year; Margaret Maraghy, \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year; Sarah Finn, \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, October 16:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Dr. Charles A. Doan, assistant physician, \$2,500 a year; Mary Daly, Helen Nunes, Olive Ferguson, special nurses, \$35 per week; Frank J. Coleman, out-patient orderly, \$14 a week; Frank Barnard, house cleaner, \$14 a week; Bridget Connelly, Sarah Christian, Margaret Waldron, ward helpers, \$11.50 a week; Mary Rogers, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Elizabeth Dacey, table girl, \$9.50 a week; John Thornton, male nurse, \$9.33 a week; Nora Connelly, laundress, \$16 a week; Anna Manganelli, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Mary Martin, table girl, \$9.50 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Doctor Coleman, resident surgeon at \$1,500 to executive assistant at \$1,800 a year. Dr. J. Hopkins, resident anæsthetist at \$1,200 to resident surgeon at \$1,500 a year; Ethel McKeivitt, head nurse at \$19.56 to \$20.71 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, October 16:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Alice Riley, institution employee, \$500 a year, to succeed Catherine Reid.

Mary Galiano, institution employee, \$525 a year, to succeed Theresa Elliott.

Frederick R. Durant, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Charles McDonald.

Frank Somerset, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Joseph D. Chaussee.

Joseph A. McDonald, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Daniel Hurley.

Joseph Manderson, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Harry Willens.

House of Correction.

Stephen Handran, officer, \$1,000 a year, temporary.

The following appointments have been made:

House of Correction—Industries.

John J. Donovan, clerk, \$350 a year, temporary.

House of Correction.

Thomas Russell, fireman, \$6 a day, temporary.

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

Richard Plunkett, watchman, \$31 a week, temporary.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Sarah J. Mackin has been given permanent employment as cook and matron at \$20 a week.

Mary A. McCarthy has been given permanent appointment at two days per week as cook and matron at \$3.33 a day.

John L. Kelley has been continued in temporary employment as a temporary clerk of the works at \$40 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Michael J. McLaughlin and Dennis F. Coughlin have been continued in employment as assistant drawtenders at \$1,600 a year each.

Thomas F. Reilly and William J. Brown have been continued in temporary employment as assistant drawtenders at \$1,600 a year, for thirty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

James A. Sugrue has been promoted from chauffeur at \$30 a week to mechanic on auto repairs at \$5.50 a day.

Thomas J. Hannon has been appointed permanent clerk at \$1,100 a year in the paving service.

Michael Lynch has been appointed as temporary inspector at \$1,400 a year for three months on the Cambridge street widening.

Edward J. Powers and David Connor have been given employment as temporary rodmen at \$18 a week, for three months.

Henry W. Gay has been continued in temporary employment as rodman at \$18 a week, for thirty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Manuel Crovo has been employed as temporary teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day for thirty days.

Louis T. Luzio has been appointed as temporary teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day for thirty days.

John E. Gillespie, blacksmith, at \$5.50 a day, has been reinstated.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Russell Gately has been continued in temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year, for three months.

Henry M. McBride, employed as temporary sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year, has been granted permanent appointment.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Lous Pinanski has been continued in temporary employment as laborer at \$4.50 a day for thirty days.

John P. Conley has been continued in temporary employment as plumber at \$5 a day for three months.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

William P. Sheehy, now provisionally employed as rodman at \$1,000 a year, has been granted employment indefinitely, pending the result of a civil service examination which he is to take.

Albert J. Vincent, now employed as a rodman at \$1,100 a year, has been granted an extension of employment for three months from October 23.

William F. Conway has been appointed rodman, permanent, Grade A, at \$1,400 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 23:

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

John Thornton, deckhand, 1½ days, \$6.75; 31½ hours, \$17.70; total, \$24.45.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Joseph Cox, William G. Feeney, John Melley, William Robinson, engineers, 1 day, \$6.50 each. Total, \$26.

Richard A. Bishop, John Adams, Eugene A. Leonard, firemen, 1 day, \$6 each. Total, \$18.

House of Correction.

Ernest Rousseau, John Fay, Walter Purdy, William O'Melia, engineers, 1 day, \$6.50 each.

Timothy Hurley, Frederick Morse, David Tobin, Thomas Finn, Thomas Russell, firemen, 1 day, \$6 each.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 16:

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Patrick J. Gorman, chief engineer, 1 day, \$6.67.

John Finn, Thomas J. Lynch, Patrick McCann, John J. McNulty, engineers, 1 day, \$6.33 each.

Thomas F. Lomasney, fireman, 1 day, \$6.

Total, \$37.99.

For the week ending Thursday, October 23:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

BOSTON POLLS TO BE OPENED TILL 8 P. M.—BIG VOTE ANTICIPATED.**MAYOR CURLEY APPROVES VOTE OF CITY COUNCIL—POLLING PLACES TO OPEN AS USUAL, AT 6 A. M.**

The voting places in Boston will be open on election day, November 4, from 6 a. m. until 8 p. m. Mayor Curley has approved the City Council's vote to this effect.

The Election Commission expects that at least 80 per cent of Boston's 248,750 voters will go to the polls. This would mean a vote of approximately 225,000. The Democratic-Republican ratio of the total registration is figured as about two to one.

Election Department officials and workers are now busying themselves with perfection of the election machinery. For instance, 150 of the 2,192 precinct officers who served in the primaries have indicated either their unwillingness to serve in that capacity on election day, or else have removed from Boston. Their respective ward committees will nominate their successors, final action in each case to be taken by the Election Commission.

Then because of the 36,000 new voters who have enrolled themselves since the primaries, additional voting compartments must be installed in each of the

274 voting places in Boston. This work requires constant supervision and will cost many hundred dollars. The law stipulates that each voting place must afford one compartment for every 75 voters in the precinct.

Three hundred blank ballots have already been mailed to absentee voters. At least 200 more applications will be made, it is expected. These ballots must be marked and returned through the mail, in ample time to be taken to the home precinct of the absentee on election day, so that the voter's name may be properly checked.

Of the 274 voting places in Boston, 147 are located in schools, 58 in church basements, municipal buildings and private halls, 49 in portable voting booths, 14 in ward rooms in city public buildings and 6 in fire stations. A few of the portable booths are being eliminated this year, in keeping with the commission's policy of eliminating them gradually as too small for the demands made upon them. The old-style voting booth will be a thing of the past in a very few years.

Fairview Cemetery.

James Kingston, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, treeman, 1 day, \$5.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 20:

First Assistant Drawtenders.—D. J. Shea, J. A. Lynch, 1 day, \$4.66 each.

Assistant Drawtenders.—E. F. Brennan, W. C. Fein, L. A. Foley, J. F. Hasson, D. F. Coughlin, T. F. Reilly, 1 day, \$4.38 each.

Watchmen.—H. M. McLaughlin, J. J. Griffin, E. F. Sullivan, J. Clabby, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$53.60.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 20:

Captains.—William Ivers, John Belton, Charles Crocker, James Young, Owen Shields, Richard Searle, James Kelly, 1 day, \$7.67 each.

Quartermasters.—Patrick Kirley, Florence Sullivan, Thomas Carter, Frank Morrison, Eugene Sullivan, Henry Scaife, William Wilkie, 1 day, \$6 each.

Deckhands.—William Lamie, John Sweeney, Fred Craven, James Murphy, William Hollander, William Joyce, John Pilcher, John J. Driscoll, Batista Forgi-one, Louis Gray, George Nagle, William Kineman, Frank McGee, Henry Hayes, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Tollmen.—Edward Fitzgerald, William Greenall, Thomas Lynch, John Mahoney, Fred Heffron, Henry McCarthy, James Green, Fred Horner, James Coughlin, Michael Powers, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Gatemen.—Joseph Browne, John Collins, Arthur Keefe, John Dugan, Jeremiah McCarthy, John Nagle, James Gunn, Edward Bonner, James Quinn, Walter Noyes, Lendall Rollins, Walter Brown, 1 day, \$5.25 each; John T. Callahan, 1½ days, \$7.88.

Laborers.—Alfred Wesberg, John J. Pugh, Joseph White, John Tyrer, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Janitor.—Christopher Leonard, 1 day, \$4.50.

Lamplighter.—Edward O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50.

Rigger.—Thomas Downes, 2 days, \$11.

Firemen.—Owen Cox, John J. Sullivan, Morgan Sullivan, Thomas Baggott, Christobal Fradau, Timothy Tierney, Thomas Murphy, John Vallen, Nathan McConn, Theodore Panopoulos, John Ranahan, Charles Desmond, Thomas Nugent, John Harrison, August Sommers, Simon Collins, James Porter, John McDonough, John Kelly, Phillip Gallagher, John O'Connell, 1 day, \$6 each; Daniel Marliave, 2½ days, \$15.

Engineers.—John Quinn, Patrick Mackey, James Walsh, Jeremiah Casey, Helmar Skonberg, Michael Kennedy, Daniel Rowan, 1 day, \$7.50 each.

Oilers.—Charles Doherty, James Fitzpatrick, James Kelly, James Dearie, Dennis Hannigan, Henry McCusker, Edward Donahue, Ernest Yocum, 1 day, \$6 each.

Total, \$567.57.

Net cost for the week ending October 20, \$545.19.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 20:

Auto Repairer.—Patrick Casey, 1½ day, \$5.16.

Laborer-chauffeur.—Joseph Phipps, 1½ day, \$4.69.

Total, \$9.85.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 20:

Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, B. F. Lyons, M. S. Ryan, F. T. McGregor, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Yard Laborer.—J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50.

Teamsters.—P. Cataldo, D. J. Dalton, G. Guiffredo, J. M. Ryan, E. J. Tighe, F. Zirpollo, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, 3.38 each.

Total, \$70.28.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 20:

Sewer Cleaners.—Michael Foley, 3 days, \$15; Richard Connolly, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.50.

Laborers.—John Joyce, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$16.88; Thomas Duffy, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.25; James McFarland, Joseph Clougherty, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; Michael McMahan, John Keenan, James Gavin, Daniel McKenna, Patrick Buckley, John Dolan, James McCarthy, Edward Francis, Patrick Lombard, Timothy Driscoll, James Schofield, John Crowley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Assistant Engineers.—John McCarthy, Thomas Maher, 1 day, \$7.17 each; John Mahoney, 1 day, \$6.67.

Firemen, Oilers, Filth Hoist.—Andrew Calnan, Martin Mullen, Thomas Burden, Thomas McLaughlin, Timothy Scully, Michael Reilly, John Jordan, Joseph Sullivan, Philip Lamb, Patrick Powell, John McGowan, Joseph Quilty, Neil Grant, Patrick Crowley, John Doherty, James Fitzgerald, John Francis, Patrick Keeley, 1 day, \$6 each.

Total, \$247.14.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 20:

Feeder.—C. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.75.

Teamsters.—J. Ferguson, E. Keller, B. Callahan, M. J. O'Connell, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, J. F. Barnes, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, T. V. Graham, J. T. O'Leary, J. J. Collins, E. F. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, F. Certosimo, L. Davis, J. Driscoll, J. J. Doherty, J. Hines, M. Hughes, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, P. Keon, L. V. Kilduff, J. D. Lyons, J. J. McGarry, T. M. McGuinness, W. T. Maloney, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$139.75.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 20:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, J. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. F. Burke, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; S. LoPilato, H. McCauley, P. Clougherty, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Emergency men.—J. Gateley, 1 day, \$5.25; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; J. McKay, 2 days, \$9.50.

Repairers.—J. Leonard, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.69; J. C. Dolan, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; S. Marianin, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.69; G. Goodwin, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; C. Driscoll, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$4.64; M. Sul-

livan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.06; P. Clougherty, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25; P. Lyden, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25; J. Horgan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.34; J. Feeley, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$16.03; E. Fay, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.27; R. McDonough, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.27; J. Sullivan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.34; J. McKenney, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.09; P. Clougherty, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53; F. Cassidy, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53; J. Blessington, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.75; D. Shea, 1 day, \$4.50; T. Byrnes, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.56; F. Laskey, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.06; A. DeAngelo, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63; S. Mickewicz, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.86; J. Lonergan, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.59; C. Kane, 2 days, \$9.50; L. Morgan, 1 day, \$4.75; J. McLean, 1 day, \$5; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—M. Heffernan, J. Synnott, E. Kelley, P. McLaughlin, I. Klein, D. Hegarty, P. McCarty, P. Gorman, T. Mulrey, P. Cassidy, G. Cunningham, F. DeAngelo, B. Doherty, C. King, T. McGuinness, J. M. O'Toole, E. Pyne, P. Waters, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. Barron, R. Beatty, W. Crowell, T. Gallagher, M. Shea, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; G. Cunningham, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.80; J. Durand, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.22; B. Hill, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.80; W. Kravets, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.80; F. Willhauck, 3 days, \$13.50; W. Shields, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.25; J. McDonald, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.27; M. Rizzo, 1 day, \$4.75; T. Joyce, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.27; M. Matthews, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.81; H. Cunningham, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.27; W. McKenna, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53; J. Glennon, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88.

Total, \$396.59; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$391.09.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 21 the Mayor approved a contract with the Murray Engineering Company for repairs and renewals on fireboat Engine 47. Bids opened Wednesday, October 15, were as follows:

Murray Engineering Company, \$3,600; Central Engineering Company, \$3,889; Atlantic Works, \$4,077; Bethlehem Shipbuilding Company, \$4,098; Richard T. Green Company, \$4,848.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the Colonial Scale Company for proposals for furnishing the weighing machines in the convenience stations of the Health Department. Bids opened Wednesday, September 1, as follows:

Colonial Scale Company, 110 High street, Boston, \$771; Edward E. Adams, 110 Broad street, Boston, \$625.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Upon October 17 the Mayor approved a contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for repairing Huntington Avenue Bridge, over the Boston & Albany Railroad. Bids for the work, opened October 14, were as follows:

C. & R. Construction Company, \$6,112; Maurice M. Devine, \$6,300.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon October 17 the Mayor approved a contract with V. Barletta for sewerage works in Weld street, between Parkvale road and Church street, West Roxbury.

Bids for the work, opened October 9, were as follows:

V. Barletta, \$9,523; C. Iacozza, \$9,730.40; M. DeMatteo, \$9,862.90; James J. Conway, \$10,459.20; C. Russo, \$10,479; De Cristofaro and Brothers, \$10,870.20; J. Williams & Co., \$10,981; C. & R. Construction Company, \$11,193.40; A. D. Daddario, \$11,278.20; M. De Sisto Company, \$11,326; Charles Capone, \$11,523.50; Louis Balboni, \$12,162; Vozzella & Capone, \$12,327.90; A. Cefalo, \$12,346; D. DiPietro & Co., \$13,622.20; Joseph Todesca, \$13,767.

Upon October 22 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Iacozza for sewerage works in Cottage street, between Water and Washington streets and outlet in Water street, between Glenwood avenue and Cottage street, Hyde Park. Bids, opened October 21, were as follows:

C. Iacozza, \$6,568.50; DeCristofaro and Brothers Company, \$7,004; M. DeMatteo, \$7,054; M. DeSisto Company, \$7,222.10; C. Russo, \$7,253; L. Balboni, \$7,342.50; A. Grande, \$7,469.20; A. D. Daddario, \$7,609.40; C. Capone, \$8,230.40; J. J. Conway, \$8,236; Joseph Todesca, \$8,243.50; Zoppo & Civitese, \$8,282.50; A. Daddario, \$8,918.90; George J. Regan, \$10,831.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 22 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Piotti Company for erecting and completing (all trades) the East Boston High School for Boys and Girls. Bids opened on October 14, were as follows:

A. Piotti Company, \$1,105,870; McDonald & Imhof, \$1,153,182; Joseph Rugo, \$1,167,000; John Bowen Company, \$1,188,440; Thomas O'Connor and Co., \$1,193,671; J. Slotnik Company, 1,330,758.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 18 the Mayor approved a contract with the American-La France Fire Engine Company for furnishing six Ross thawing devices to the Fire Department. Bids for the supply, opened October 10, were as follows:

American La France Fire Engine Company, \$270 each. Delivery at once.

Upon October 18 the Mayor approved a contract with the Eastern Salt Company for furnishing salt to the Public Works Department and Fire Department. Bids for the supply, opened October 14, were as follows:

Eastern Salt Company, \$1.10 per 140-pound bag coarse fine Retsof. Ten cents added charge for delivery south of Massachusetts avenue. Discount, ten days, 1 per cent.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority to repair roadway in Harrison avenue, between Northampton street and East Newton street, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$7,500.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 17 the Mayor approved a contract with the Planet Company of Westfield, Mass., for furnishing 200 sets of voting compartments. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, October 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Planet Company of Westfield, Mass., for furnishing to the Election Department 200 sets of voting compartments at the price of \$10 each set less 2 per cent for payment in ten days, the total amount of contract to be \$2,000.

This department publicly advertised and received bids on October 10 for these 200 sets of voting compartments and the Planet Company was the lowest bidder, but failed to file a duplicate copy of bid at the office of the City Auditor. The only other bid received was from the Standard Voting Stall Company, who quoted a price of \$18 per set for these voting compartments. The Planet Company have the patents on these compartments, and are in a position to make delivery within ten days. The Election Department are very desirous of securing these compartments and have them set up before the state election which takes place on November 4, and it would be impossible to readvertise these bids and secure delivery in time for the state election so that I feel that the best interests of the city will be served by accepting this recommendation.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Bids on 200 Sets Voting Compartments for Election Department, Two in Each Set.—Standard Voting Stall Company, \$18 each set; the Planet Company* \$10 each set.

Date of Delivery.—The Planet Company, October 20, 1924.

Discount, 10 Days.—Standard Voting Stall Company, 3 per cent; the Planet Company, 2 per cent.

*Both bids at Supply Department.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$11,824, on contract with B. E. Grant Company for granite block pavement in Chelsea street, Charlestown, on account of omitting Item 5 (f) and substituting the recutting, hauling and laying of granite blocks on a 6-inch concrete base, including preparing site and hauling away the rejected blocks. Price to be paid the sum of \$4.44 for each square yard. Omitting brick sidewalk on west side between Vine street and bridge and substituting artificial stone. Price to be paid the sum of 30 cents per square foot. Original contract, \$19,712.50; total addition, \$11,824; contract as standing, \$31,536.50.

An addition, amounting to \$350, on contract with S. J. Tomasello for laying bitulithic pavement in Grove street, West Roxbury, on account of removing

existing bituminous surface on the Washington street and Centre street approaches where new pavement is to be laid, and removing stumps not shown on plan. Original contract, \$57,859; total additions, \$660; contract as standing, \$58,519.

An addition, amounting to \$6,098, on contract with A. G. Tomasello for Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Brighton; Dalkeith and Standard streets, Dorchester; Beryl street, Pond View avenue and Redlands road, West Roxbury, on account of constructing with concrete pavement Metropolitan avenue, from Washington street northwesterly about 433 feet. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$90,803.50; total additions, \$23,210; contract as standing, \$114,013.50.

An addition, amounting to \$8,045, on contract with S. J. Tomasello for Portland cement concrete pavement in Ifley road, West Roxbury, on account of constructing with concrete pavement Mark street, from Day street about 210 feet easterly, and Ethel street, from Augustus avenue to Malverna road. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$13,836.35; total addition, \$8,045; contract as standing, \$21,881.35.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$168.75, on contract with A. Cefalo for sewerage works in Wright road, West Roxbury, on account of removing 675 feet of abandoned 12-inch galvanized-iron water pipe found in sewer trench and not shown on plans. Original contract, \$4,253.40; total addition, \$168.75; contract as standing, \$4,422.15.

An addition, amounting to \$26, on contract with A. D. Daddario for sewerage works in Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester, on account of pumping water from sewer trench, due to leaky water pipe outside of sewer trench. Original contract, \$2,642; total addition, \$26; contract as standing, \$2,668.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

John Bowen Company have been allowed the following changes in the Theodore Lyman District School as per architect's letter of October 10, 1924: Additions: To extra manholes and covers in basement, \$150; to dampproofing treatment of classroom ceilings, \$58.42; to making changes in kalamein partitions, \$64.24; to making changes on water piping in electric room, \$90.86; to extra depth of caisson piles, \$99.87; to extra yard fence footing, excavation, back filling and reinforcement, \$1,560; to laying front curb foundation Gove street line, \$200; to extra granite curb Gove street line, \$676.50; to extra wire fence and grading, \$125; to changing return piping foot of basement stairs, \$13.40; total, \$3,038.29. Deductions: For omission of labor on wood fence, \$36; for hardware allowance, \$1,800; total, \$1,836; net addition, \$1,202.29. Contract price, \$148,840; total additions, \$1,487; amount of contract, \$150,327.

Thomas O'Connor & Co. have been allowed the following addition as per architect's letter of October 10, 1924, for open rock blasting and excavation, 2,028.8 cubic yards at \$7.50 per cubic yard, \$15,216; for trench rock blasting and ex-

cavation, 1,824.9 cubic yards at \$12 per cubic yard, \$21,898.80; total, \$37,114.80. Contract price, \$1,437,130; total additions, \$121,594.05; total deductions, \$153,000; amount of contract, \$1,405,724.05.

A. Piotti Company have been allowed the following additions to the contract for the Andrews School as per architect's letter of October 7, 1924: Additions (as per bill rendered): Building arch foundation for supporting exterior walls, \$34; making tests for foundation for basement entrance, \$26; cutting for and furnishing I beams, concrete foundation and concrete beams for basement entrance, \$54; cutting out brick rustications in two vestibules and rebuilding walls and bricking up two windows, \$342; pointing and patching exterior walls of building, \$126.50; removing, rehanging and changing swing of door in basement entrance, \$10; building new granolithic steps to basement, \$106; building new granolithic platform at front entrance, \$26.50—\$725. Painting brick walls and concrete ceilings of two vestibules to school building entrance to basement and applying coat of oil to treads and platforms of two stairways, \$125; altering front wall stringers of iron stairs both sides of building, \$75—\$200; 10 per cent contractor's profit, \$20—\$220; extra bond in connection with extra work, \$14.40; total addition, \$959.40. Contract price, \$14,416; total additions, \$959.40; amount of contract, \$15,375.40.

Hart & Hutchinson Company have been allowed the following additions in contract for various schools as architect's letter of October 7, 1924: Additions, Girls' High School: Furnish 172 new number plates and rivets. Take down 172 lockers in basement, first and second floors of the old building and remove and relocate in the second floor of the addition. Change the 400 lockers on the fourth floor and rearrange same. All as per direction of the Head Master, \$340. Contract price, \$7,142; total additions, \$1,164; amount of contract, \$8,306.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Della V. Curran has agreed to accept the sum of \$37,500 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to her estate on 512 Washington street and the estate 2 Melville avenue, Dorchester district, by the taking of said estates for court-house purposes, under the order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor, June 4, 1924.

Jacob Kaplan has agreed to accept the sum of \$200 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate on Dalkeith street by the laying out and construction of said street under the order of January 11, 1924.

Edward Bryan has agreed to accept the sum of \$215.50 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate on Ashland street by the widening of Ashland street, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of December 14, 1921.

Hermine Schulz has agreed to accept the sum of \$1,000 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to her estate on Beryl street by the laying out and construction of said street, under the Street Commissioners' order of August 16, 1922.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 16 TO OCTOBER 22.

OCTOBER 16.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. R. Freedman.	147 West Seventh street.	9	New fixtures.	\$100
Powers & Mehegan.	111 Stratton street.	21	New fixtures.	975
Stephen J. Connolly.	13 St. James avenue.	13	New fixtures.	600
Harry Kingsberg.	284 Ruggles street.	14	New fixtures.	500
S. A. Politsky.	90 Magnolia street.	17	New fixtures.	400
K. W. McManus.	25 Lochstead avenue.	22	New fixtures.	1,200
John W. Slane.	4 Landseer terrace.	23	New fixtures.	900
Charles Munro.	40 Howard street.	5	New fixtures.	6,000
M. Pass & Co.	1218 Commonwealth avenue.	25	New fixtures.	900
James J. Sweeney.	26 Colonial road.	25	New fixtures.	1,000
Charles King.	39 Chaucer street.	1	New fixtures.	150
David Carlin.	317 Belgrade avenue.	23	New fixtures.	200
H. F. Bimbidel.	76 Ardale street.	23	New fixtures.	750
Joseph Levin.	84 A street.	9	New fixtures.	75

OCTOBER 17.

Robert A. LaCentra.	7 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	\$1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.	8 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.	9 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.	10 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.	11 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.	12 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.	13 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.	14 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.	15 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.	16 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.	17 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.	18 Fernald terrace.	17	New fixtures.	1,000
P. A. Lang.	87 White street.	1	New fixtures.	500
William Porter.	11 Feneno terrace.	25	New fixtures.	400
Abraham Kellem.	1106 Washington street.	6	New fixtures.	400
John C. Patterson.	6 Ruxton Road.	24	New fixtures.	800
E. P. Fuller.	206 Arborway.	22	New fixtures.	2,200
K. W. McManus.	98 Willowood street.	21	New fixtures.	300
D. J. Farrell Company.	417-439 Washington street.	5	New fixtures.	100
Joseph T. Murphy.	79 Rockdale street.	24	New fixtures.	700
R. J. Lytle.	155 Newbury street.	8	New fixtures.	325
Hatch Plumbing Company.	43 Lansdowne street.	8	New fixtures.	400
Harry J. Bimbach.	48 Holborn street.	16	New fixtures.	600
M. J. Murphy.	64 Halifax street.	22	New fixtures.	1,100
P. A. Lang.	9 Condon street.	1	New fixtures.	800
M. C. Short.	210 Chestnut Hill avenue.	25	New fixtures.	200
David Pike.	261 Brookline avenue.	14	New fixtures.	125
William G. Newman.	118 Brighton avenue.	25	New fixtures.	150
John B. Sharp.	218 Foster street.	25	New fixtures.	1,000
John B. Sharp.	232 Foster street.	25	New fixtures.	1,000

OCTOBER 18.

D. M. Goldstein.	5 Yeoman street.	12	New fixtures.	\$185
T. L. Delaney.	104 Tremont street.	26	New fixtures.	300
A. I. Russell.	60 Matchett street.	26	New fixtures.	450
F. D. McCarthy.	41 Hamilton street.	23	New fixtures.	800
J. W. Foster.	269 Faneuil street.	26	New fixtures.	500
Frank W. Smith.	15 East street.	5	New fixtures.	400
W. B. Johnson.	133 Charles street.	8	New fixtures.	600
Ernest J. MacLeod.	111 Centre street.	15	New fixtures.	700
Frank W. Smith.	55 Caledonia avenue.	23	New fixtures.	200
C. C. Best.	24 Ruskin road.	24	New fixtures.	450
W. H. Gray.	36 Milton street.	20	New fixtures.	590
H. F. Bimbidel.	28 Mildred avenue.	21	New fixtures.	1,100
John F. Rooney.	1267 Hyde Park avenue.	24	New fixtures.	50
Victor Feinberg.	25 Fessenden street.	21	New fixtures.	1,200
Victor Feinberg.	23 Fessenden street.	21	New fixtures.	1,200
John Y. Gillespie.	98 Fairmount street.	21	New fixtures.	1,150
Louis Moltedo.	116 Central avenue.	24	New fixtures.	600
C. J. Murphy.	18 Cedar street.	4	New fixtures.	125
Joseph T. Murphy.	195 Bowdoin street.	18	New fixtures.	1,000
J. A. Costello.	1618 Blue Hill avenue.	21	New fixtures.	200
D. M. Goldstein.	1288 Blue Hill avenue.	21	New fixtures.	600
G. M. Duggan.	20 Allendale avenue.	20	New fixtures.	350
John F. Rooney.	1 Agnes avenue.	24	New fixtures.	450
John F. Rooney.	5 Agnes avenue.	24	New fixtures.	400
William B. Johnson.	290 Beacon street.	8	New fixtures.	460
Cox & Johnson.	100 Magazine street.	12	New fixtures.	200

OCTOBER 20.

Joseph W. Buckley.	2 Sutherland road.	25	New fixtures.	\$8,000
Joseph W. Buckley.	6 Sutherland road.	25	New fixtures.	8,000
Joseph W. Buckley.	370 Chestnut Hill avenue.	25	New fixtures.	8,000
Joseph W. Buckley.	374 Chestnut Hill avenue.	25	New fixtures.	8,000
Joseph Aranow.	460-466 Centre street.	22	New fixtures.	700
T. P. Travers.	662 Centre street.	22	New fixtures.	100
Victor Feinberg.	64 Canterbury street.	21	New fixtures.	3,000
Victor Feinberg.	66 Canterbury street.	21	New fixtures.	2,500
Victor Feinberg.	68 Canterbury street.	21	New fixtures.	2,500
M. B. Gradone Company.	98 Bayswater street.	1	New fixtures.	1,600
H. S. Trethewey.	153 Birch street.	23	New fixtures.	500
J. H. McCarthy.	36 Everett street.	22	New fixtures.	200
Harry Kingsberg.	20 Pinchurst street.	23	New fixtures.	700
H. S. Trethewey.	3934 Washington street.	22	New fixtures.	550
H. S. Trethewey.	4313 Washington street.	23	New fixtures.	350
H. S. Trethewey.	71 Guernsey street.	23	New fixtures.	615

OCTOBER 21.

J. P. Perry Company.	207 Newbury street.	8	New fixtures.	\$100
Charles H. Smith.	92 Mt. Vernon street.	8	New fixtures.	300
Samuel Segel.	11-15 Garland street.	6	New fixtures.	1,025
A. I. Russell.	240 Faneuil street.	26	New fixtures.	150
Joseph Seigel.	1260 Boylston street.	8	New fixtures.	7,000
Browning & Riley.	492 Boylston street.	8	New fixtures.	1,500
E. M. Duggan.	22 Arnold street.	22	New fixtures.	175
Philbrick & Pope.	414 Albany street.	6	New fixtures.	400

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 621.

From time to time during the past ten months, I have received from the commanding officers of the several divisions, reports concerning the use with excellent results of the Schaefer or prone pressure method of resuscitation on persons suffering from asphyxiation or immersion, by officers in their respective divisions, and I have been exceedingly gratified to observe these officers' evident understanding and skillful application of the principles of this method.

I take pleasure, therefore, in commending the following-named officers who have been reported to me as having intelligently employed the Schaefer or prone pressure method of resuscitation:

Division 2.—Patrolman Bernard F. Wermers.

Division 3.—Sergeant Joseph L. Snow, Patrolman John M. Brauneis, Jr., Patrolman Richard B. Conroy, Jr., Patrolman John C. Walker.

Division 4.—Patrolman Paul F. Hal-leran, Patrolman William Shea.

Division 5.—Patrolman William W. French, Patrolman Owen Heaney, Patrolman Bernard J. McNally, Patrolman Joseph H. Porter.

Division 7.—Patrolman John T. Countie, Patrolman Thomas F. A. Daley, Patrolman William L. Daniel, Patrolman Daniel K. Eldridge, Patrolman John T. Henneberry, Patrolman Frederick J. Hoolien, Patrolman Frank P. Luzinski, Patrolman Peter F. McCoy, Patrolman Peter J. McDonough.

Division 10.—Sergeant Dennis Kerri-gan, Patrolman Edward H. Butler, Patrolman Frank A. Catarius, Patrolman John M. Conroy, Patrolman Sulwyne Felton, Jr., Patrolman Percy L. Fordham, Patrolman Patrick J. Garrity, Patrolman James T. Hall, Patrolman Herbert J. Langlois, Patrolman Wayland F. Tripp.

Division 11.—Patrolman Joseph T. Connelly, Patrolman Coleman F. King, Patrolman Frank A. White.

Division 12.—Patrolman Stephen F. Finnegan, Patrolman Michael Kaczka.

Division 13.—Sergeant John C. E. Clark, Patrolman James A. Howes, Patrolman Edgar D. S. Jackson, Patrolman Morgan C. Murphy.

Division 14.—Patrolman Charles C. Brown, Patrolman Joseph J. Cadigan.

Division 16.—Patrolman William B. Boyden, Patrolman Joseph D. Killian.

Division 17.—Sergeant James J. Gillen, Patrolman Wilder L. Dillon, Patrolman Martin P. Kelly, Patrolman Michael E. O'Hare.

Division 18.—Patrolman Frederick C. Fallon, Patrolman Frederick J. Wright.

Detailed to Superintendent's Office.—Patrolman Daniel J. Welby of Division 14, Patrolman Jeremiah Pitts of Division 19.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 622.

A trial board consisting of Captains Goodwin, McConnell and McDevitt, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Edward C. Lawless of Division 14, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer:

Specification.—In that on the sixteenth day of September, 1924, the

said Patrolman Edward C. Lawless did, while in uniform, ride in an automobile other than that owned by the Police Department when the transaction of specific police business did not require such riding.

has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Edward C. Lawless perform one hundred and five hours' punishment duty.

I desire to take this opportunity of warning the members of the force that I consider this a very serious violation of the rules of the department. It is impossible for a police officer, who is assigned to a particular route to properly protect the persons and property which are in his care and which is his responsibility if he simply skirts his territory in an automobile with only the thought of pulling his duty calls on time. There are other duties which a police officer must perform if he does his duty faithfully beside pulling his duty calls and which he must of necessity neglect if he patrols in an automobile. If this practice is being indulged in by any other members of the force, they should profit by the penalty imposed upon Patrolman Lawless and discontinue it at once, as any patrolman who is found guilty in the future of this violation of the rules, will be dealt with more severely.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 623.

A trial board consisting of Captains Walkins, McConnell and McDevitt, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Anthony G. Tobin of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty and leaving the city without permission, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, because of his previous excellent record as testified to by his commanding officer, it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Anthony G. Tobin be placed on file.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

DORCHESTER TUNNEL IMPROVEMENT SOON TO BE STARTED.

Mayor Curley issued the following statement to the public on October 17, relative to Dorchester tunnel work:

I am gratified beyond measure at the announcement that the Transit Commission have completed arrangements with the Public Control Trustees of the Boston Elevated Street Railway System whereby steps may be taken at once upon the work of advertising for bids for construction of the Dorchester Rapid Transit System.

This construction work involving an initial expenditure of one and one half million dollars and which ultimately represents a total cost in excess of five million dollars should prove of tremendous value in affording relief to the unemployed of Greater Boston during the coming winter months.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 16 TO OCTOBER 22.

OCTOBER 22.

PERMITTEE.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. F. Larcome Company	203 Gladstone street	1	New fixtures	\$1,285
Samuel Segel	19 Troy street	6	New fixtures	500
Samuel Buxton	29 Edison street	1	New fixtures	200
William L. Hoop	89 Pinckney street	8	New fixtures	2,700
L. R. Freedman	1038 Washington street	6	New fixtures	100
M. H. Myers	50 Tyler street	5	New fixtures	50
M. & H. H. Collins	263 Summer street	9	New fixtures	200
P. M. Donoghue	245 State street	5	New fixtures	3,000
Frank J. Linney	51 High street	3	New fixtures	425
David Carig	44 Farnsworth street	9	New fixtures	400
Robert A. LaCentra	62 Endicott street	5	New fixtures	200
John J. Hogan	365 E street	9	New fixtures	54
John J. Hogan	369 E street	9	New fixtures	54
George W. Sloan	159 West Seventh street	9	New fixtures	200
Edward H. Marchant	4 Faneuil Hall square	5	New fixtures	250

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 16 TO OCTOBER 22.

OCTOBER 16.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Samuel Salivansky	Rear of 1215 Blue Hill avenue	21	First-class garage	\$1,000
Julia Gorham	Rear of 15 Sumner street	11	First-class garage	1,500
James F. Woods	Rear of 27 Howe street	17	First-class garage	1,750
Bessie E. Cohen	Rear of 15 Bradshaw street	19	First-class garage	1,000
Adelaide Corson	146 Gold street	9	First-class garage	3,000
Adolph G. Pearce	1 and 3 Belden Square	11	First-class garage	2,000
John Meahan	Rear of 1 Dove court	17	First-class garage	1,400
John S. Cronin	Rear of 60 Louis Prang street	14	First-class garage	600
Fred Pedoulsky	Rear of 246 Harold street	16	Second-class garage	1,000
Jacob Silevsky et al.	Rear of 72 Mora street	21	Second-class garage	950
Jacob Silevsky et al.	Rear of 74 Mora street	21	Second-class garage	950
Jacob Silevsky et al.	Rear of 76 Mora street	21	Second-class garage	950
Peter Rudnick	Rear 92 Perham street	23	Second-class garage	1,500
Shapiro & Brown	787 Blue Hill avenue	21	Second-class garage	35,000
Alexander A. Ensdahl	27 New Haven street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,000
William H. Hardy	43 Rosemont road, S. W.	20	Third-class dwelling	14,000
William H. Hardy	17 Rosemont road, S. W.	20	Third-class dwelling	14,000
William H. Hardy	31 Rosemont road, S. W.	20	Third-class dwelling	14,000
A. T. McPherson	14 Glenside avenue	22	Third-class dwelling	18,000
Charles A. Harkins	12 Morrill street	20	Third-class dwelling	150
W. W. Swick	33 Hinsdale road	23	Third-class garage	250
Sarah T. Morton	Rear of 58 Mt Hope st	24	Special garage	400
Sarah T. Morton	Rear of 58 Mt Hope st	24	Special garage	400
S. Elliot Guild	102 Beacon street	8	Alterations, dwelling	7,500
Mary Gleason	83 Foster street	25	Alterations, dwelling	150
William Nurse	85 Foster street	25	Alterations, dwelling	200
Katherine Blanchette	16 N street	9	Alterations, dwelling	50
August Benekes	611 East Third street	9	Alterations, dwelling	100
William H. Shea	131 Charles street	8	Alterations, lodging house	500
Samuel Feldman	1 McLean street	4	Alterations, store and tenements	14,000
Wolf Goldstein	17 and 19 Otisfield street	16	Alterations, store and hall	12,000
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company	365 C street	9	Alterations, manufacturing	350
Washington-Essex Real Estate Trust	30 Essex street	5	Builders' hoist	200
J. E. Marlow	463 Massachusetts avenue	7	Erect fire escape	160
Marin Leonard	473 Massachusetts avenue	7	Erect fire escape	200
M. Hickey	483 Massachusetts avenue	7	Erect fire escape	140
City Building Wrecking Co	124 and 126 Court street	5	Take-down, stores, offices	150
City Building Wrecking Co.	132 and 134 Court street	5	Take-down, stores, offices	150

OCTOBER 17.

Edward J. Walsh	Rear of 322 K street	10	First-class garage	\$1,400
Henry M. Reynolds	Rear of 6 Ingle road	25	First-class garage	1,000
Mary E. Montgomery	Rear of 19 Greenville street	12	Second-class garage	1,500
Annie Buckley	Rear of 253 Market street	26	Second-class garage	1,200
Minnie Bapkin	Rear of 74 Floyd street	21	Second-class garage	1,000
Wood Hydraulic Hoist Company	316 North Beacon street	26	Second-class factory	30,000
Julia E. Matheson	19 Burwell road	23	Third-class dwelling	11,000
G. W. Sanborn et al.	Rear of 900 Metropolitan avenue	24	Third-class garage	375
Mrs. Doris K. Eastman	41 Crescent circuit	25	Third-class dwelling	5,000
Mrs. Delia Lally	210 Jamaica way	14	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Paul Epstein	222 A Foster street	25	Third-class dwelling	11,500
Paul Epstein	236 A Foster street	25	Third-class dwelling	11,500
Michael Gleason	166 Athens street	9	Alterations, dwelling	600
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company	6 Harrison avenue	5	Alterations, telephone exchange	600,000
Frank J. Linehan	124 Beech street	23	Alterations, dwelling	2, 00
Central Building Wrecking Company	146 Berkeley street	7	Take-down, storage	250

OCTOBER 18.

Alfred E. Casey	Rear of 46 Dunster road	22	First-class garage	\$1,000
Mary A. Cahill	Rear of 707 Adams street	20	Second-class garage	1,000
American Can Company	Rear of 22 Midway street	9	Second-class storage	1,500
N. A. MacGuinness	Rear of 11 Lindsey street	19	Second-class garage	1,000
Daniel K. Nelson	28 Wright road	23	Third-class dwelling	5,000
Mrs. Mary Kopelman	820 Beacon street	8	Alterations, stores and apartments	60,000
Mary E. McDermott	116 Franklin street	26	Alterations, dwelling	900
Boston Real Estate Trust	109 Kingston street	5	Alterations, mercantile	2,000
Boston Real Estate Trust	117 Kingston street	5	Alterations, mercantile	1,000
John E. Noonan	260 East Ninth street	11	Alterations, dwelling	900
John E. Noonan	262 East Ninth street	11	Alterations, dwelling	900
John E. Noonan	264 East Ninth street	11	Alterations, dwelling	800

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OCTOBER 20.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Louis Beltramine	91 Willow court	11	First-class repair shop	\$2,800
Howard Clark Davis	287-293 Columbus avenue	7	First-class mercantile	130,000
James Travers	Rear of 3841 Washington st.	22	First-class garage	1,000
David Foreman	Rear of 94 Floyd street	21	First-class garage	1,500
Patrick Finn	Rear of 24 Wade street	25	First-class garage	1,000
Bridget Connolly	Rear of 67 Clifton street	12	First-class garage	1,000
Gertrude M. Wood	Rear of 155 Kilsyth road	25	Second-class garage	3,000
Hurwitz & Goldberg	10 Elizabeth avenue	25	Second-class tenements	50,000
Hurwitz & Goldberg	14 Elizabeth avenue	25	Second-class tenements	50,000
Hurwitz & Goldberg	18 Elizabeth avenue	25	Second-class tenements	50,000
Hurwitz & Goldberg	22 Elizabeth avenue	25	Second-class tenements	50,000
Rosen & Rudnick	6 Sutherland road	25	Second-class tenements	100,000
Jacob Reznick	4 Abbottsford street	16	Second-class tenements	30,000
Arthur C. Brady	Rear of 198 Stratford street	23	Third-class garage	800
Mrs. Bessie Feldman	19 Morse street	19	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Henry C. Dreyer	145 Whitfield street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Hungerford Brass and Copper Company	419 D street	9	Alterations, manufacturing	675
Mary J. Ego	124 River street	21	Alterations, garage	350
Annie E. Short	4 Wheelock avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Insurance Building Corporation	40 Broad street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	1,500
Joseph A. Benn	4 Forest street	12	Alterations, tenements	500
Cummins Clothing Company	818-824 Washington street	5	Erect sign	600

OCTOBER 21.

Harris Wolfe	319-327 Chelsea street	2	First-class garage	\$30,000
Ada H. Porter	129 Redlands road	23	First-class garage	1,000
H. Charest	Rear of 67 Blue Hill avenue	16	First-class garage	800
Mrs. L. C. Fogg	Rear of 11 Summer street	11	First-class garage	1,425
F. Basile	Rear of 5 Taft court	23	Second-class garage	950
Metropolitan Coal Company	3651 Washington street	22	Second-class garage	17,000
Philip Glazer	11 Brookledge street	16	Second-class tenements	45,000
Fred W. Adami	22 Brahms street	23	Third-class dwelling	4,500
Antino DiLucco	169 Faneuil street	26	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Alfonzo Petruzzo	429 Beech street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,200
Margaret E. Beecher	101 Kenrick street	25	Third-class dwelling	9,000
Frank L. Churchill	Rear of 114 Fairmount st.	21	Third-class garage	600
John Philopolos	717 Walk Hill street	7	Alterations, dwelling	700
E. H. Harding et al., trustees	91 Westland avenue	7	Alterations, apartment hotel	3,840
Jacob Stanger	1197 Blue Hill avenue	21	Alterations, stores	3,000
J. H. Jacobs	153 Lamartine street	15	Alterations, stores and dwelling	1,300
George V. Kanell	2-6 Dartmouth street	7	Alterations, stores and dwelling	1,200
G. H. Peters	699 Washington street	26	Alterations, apartment	700
Tilly Showstack	53 Nightingale street	19	Alterations, dwelling	500
South Terminal Warehouse Company	222 Summer street	5	Alterations, offices	250
Elena Micantuono	7 Glover court	11	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
J. L. Wolbarch	60 Causeway street	5	Alterations, mercantile	2,000
D. Paraskwa	19 West Dedham street	6	Alterations, lodging house	150
A. W. Perry Incorporated	12 Pearl street	6	Install elevator	6,000
Olympia Realty Company	333 Washington street	5	Install elevator	11,000
Dorchester Plumbing Supply	1341 Columbus avenue	15	Install elevator	1,800
Dorchester Plumbing Supply	1341 Columbus avenue	15	Install elevator	2,000
National Coat and Apron Supply Company	1310 Columbus avenue	15	Install elevator	2,960
New England Telephone and Telegram Company	20 Wirt street	26	Install ash hoist	100
L. V. Niles	23 Elm street	5	Install elevator	2,000
DeBlois & Maddison	109 Kingston street	5	Install two elevators	8,500
R. B. Brigham estate	15 Beach street	5	Install dumb waiter	1,540
The Hutchinson Trust	25 Bromfield street	5	Install elevator	3,500
Benjamin Folsom	1853 Washington street	13	Install elevator	1,000
Snider & Druker	15-43 Kneeland street	5	Install four elevators	36,000
DeBlois & Maddison	117 Kingston street	5	Install elevator	2,000
New England News Company	93-101 Arch street	5	Alterations, elevator	400
J. E. Doherty	178 Beacon street	8	Install dumb waiter	800
A. E. Dorr	290 Beacon street	8	Install dumb waiter	1,050
Ellen Kelley	188 Bunker Hill street	3	Erect fire escape	350
R. J. Todd	72 Beverly street	5	Erect fire escape	150
City Building Wrecking Company	91 Court street	5	Take-down stores, offices	300
G. Brown	8 North Grove street	5	Take-down, dwelling	200

OCTOBER 22.

John Shean	Rear of 129 Minden street	14	First-class garage	\$1,000
Frank G. Maliff	1 Peters street	10	First-class garage	3,000
Julia E. Daley	Rear of 3911 Washington st.	22	First-class garage	1,000
Mary E. Connors	Rear of 141 Faneuil street	26	First-class garage	3,000
Anna Wolf	Rear of 42 Mallon road	19	Second-class garage	1,100
E. T. Kenney	Rear of 26 Forest Hills street	22	Second-class garage	800
W. M. W. Spring	Rear of 184 Seaver street	16	Second-class garage	1,500
Charles Carroll	Rear of 12 Chapin street	23	Third-class garage	405
Mark Flynn	3 Hillside avenue	22	Third-class garage	455
H. L. Pearlman	Rear of 16 Harwood street	21	Third-class garage	150
George H. Abbott	37 Sycamore street	23	Third-class garage	225
John Benedict	17 Readville street	24	Third-class garage	270
Hilma Durr	Rear of 130 Roslindale ave.	23	Third-class garage	400
Helen T. Barnes	Rear of 51 Park street	23	Third-class garage	330
E. H. P. Morrissey	76 and 78 Selden street	21	Third-class dwelling	11,000
E. H. P. Morrissey	440 and 442 Ashmont street	20	Third-class dwelling	11,000
Realty Operators Incorporated	46 Claymoss road	25	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Elias Halpern	12 Westmore road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Elias Halpern	16 Westmore road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Elias Halpern	20 Westmore road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Elias Halpern	24 Westmore road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Elias Halpern	28 Westmore road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Elias Halpern	32 Westmore road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Arthur G. Brown	62 Fairmount street	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
William Soerb	10 Schirmer road	23	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Augustus Lowell, trustee	12 Harvard street	5	Take-down, mercantile	200

MAYOR IS THANKED BY MATTAPAN AND MILTON CITIZENS.

Mayor Curley received the following communication on October 17 from the Board of Trade for Mattapan and Milton.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:—We wish to express to you our very sincere appreciation for the courtesies recently extended by you to this organization.

The granting of these courtesies enabled us to celebrate very successfully the recent installation of white lights, secured by your efforts, for this district.

We are very glad that the opportunity will soon present itself when we may properly express our thanks to you for those improvements.

Very truly,

BOARD OF TRADE FOR MATTAPAN AND MILTON,

by E. F. WEBER, *Secretary.*

Officers for 1923-24: W. R. Landers, president; A. M. Johnson, vice president; E. P. Ledwith, vice president; A. W. Thayer, vice president; J. A. Henderson, treasurer. Directors: J. A. Anderson, J. F. Ballard, E. C. Wheeler, A. Andersen, F. Y. Marshall, W. T. Reed, T. L. Bentley, J. C. Dolan, C. H. Gillard.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 43.

I. PROMOTION.

The following promotions are hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m. Friday, October 17, 1924:

Assistant Engineer John L. Donovan of Engine Company 15 to be engineer.

Hoseman Morris Swart of Engine Company 15 to be assistant engineer.

II. TRANSFER.

The following transfer is hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m. Friday, October 17, 1924:

Engineer John L. Donovan from Engine Company 15 to High Pressure Station.

III. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement is hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m. Friday, October 17, 1924:

Ladderman Leonard F. Griffin of Ladder Company 30. Ladderman Griffin was appointed to the department as a chief's driver on October 28, 1898, and was appointed a permanent man on November 7, 1902.

IV. CHANGE OF APPARATUS.

On October 10, 1924, an American-LaFrance 750-gallon combination pump and hose car was placed in service with Engine Company 42, replacing a Christie tractor and steam fire engine. The tractor-drawn engine was placed in reserve.

V. FIRE COLLEGE.

A session of the Fire College for officers only, will open on or about Monday, November 17, 1924, at 10.30 a. m., under the direction of Capt. Daniel W. Baker, drill master of the department and executive officer of the Fire College.

The Fire College this year will be conducted along more extensive lines than ever before in the history of the department. The course of lectures will be given in the order outlined below, and lecturers will keep in touch with Captain Baker for information as to the date on which they will commence their topics:

No. 1.—Tools and appliances, to include tower and deck guns, aerial truck, thawing devices, mask and squad work which includes oxygen and acetylene cutting tools (Rescue Company to assist), to be held at Headquarters Yard, Deputy Chief Frank A. Sweeney and District Chief Thomas H. Downey. Four days.

No. 2.—Fire streams. Efficiency in fire departments. Nozzles, towers, deck guns and friction loss in various size hose used. Stream reaction. District Chiefs William F. Quigley and John P. Murray. Four days.

No. 3.—High pressure system and high pressure hydrants. Supervisor Bailey, High Pressure Service. Two days.

No. 4.—Auxiliary equipment. Stand pipes in buildings, extinguishers, etc. Sprinklers in buildings. Installations and sprinkler law. Functions and control of same. District Chief Edward McDonough. Two days.

No. 5.—Fire boats and fires on water front; this to include ship and dock fires. Capt. John Williams, Engine Company 31. Two days.

No. 6.—Water supply as it affects fire service in the City of Boston. Hydrants, gates and mains. Pressures at different elevations. Reservoirs and storages. Resources. District Chief Philip A. Tague. Two days.

No. 7.—Fire alarm systems. Superintendent George L. Fickett, Fire Alarm Branch. Two days.

No. 8.—Discipline in fire departments; this to include all matters subject to Rules and Regulations in quarters and at fires. Deputy Chief Walter M. McLean. Two days.

No. 9.—Motor apparatus. Knowledge of parts of operation to, from and at fires. Supervisor of Motor Apparatus, Edward E. Williamson. Three days.

No. 10.—Oil burning equipment. Installations, rules, regulations and laws relating to same. Increased hazards on account of same. Methods of fighting fires due to these installations. Deputy Chief Albert J. Caulfield. Two days.

No. 11.—Fire fighting in high value districts, including hotels, manufacturing and dwelling sections of city. District Chief Henry J. Power. Three days.

No. 12.—Resources available for conflagration or extraordinary fire conditions. District Chief Charles A. Donohoe. Two days.

No. 13.—Inspection of buildings. Rules, regulations and laws as the subject affects the City of Boston. Fire causes. Deputy Chief Henry A. Fox. Two days.

No. 14.—Garages, etc., storage of motors. Laws, rules and regulations. Edward L. Tierney, Chief, Bureau of Fire Prevention and Intelligence. Two days.

No. 15.—Explosives and inflammables. Rules, regulations and laws governing same. Captain Daziel W. Baker, Executive Officer of the Fire College. Five days.

Deputy chiefs will detail two officers from each district to attend this session

of the College, newly made officers, both captains and lieutenants, to be selected first.

Sessions will be held every morning at 10.30 a. m., except on Sundays and holidays, and officers detailed to attend same must be present daily, unless fire duty or other extraordinary conditions prevent their doing so. The time lost on account of attendance at the Fire College will be made up whenever strength of companies will permit. This applies to both officers attending the College and the lecturers.

Deputy chiefs will forward to Captain Daniel W. Baker, executive officer of the Fire College not later than November 12, 1924, a list of the officers who will attend the first session from their respective divisions.

Per order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Minot street, Dorchester district, as a highway from Adams street to Carruth street, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Minot street is hereby laid out, from Adams street to Carruth street, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A part of a parcel of land, now or formerly owned by Catherine D. Pierce, situated on the northwesterly corner of Adams and Minot streets, containing twelve square feet more or less.

A part of a parcel of land, now or formerly owned by Margaret M. O'Sullivan, situated on the southeasterly corner of Carruth and Minot streets, containing thirty-three square feet, more or less.

A part of a parcel of land, now or formerly owned by Mary A. Whalen, City of Boston, T. T., situated on the north-easterly corner of Carruth and Minot streets; containing thirteen square feet, more or less.

The land, owners unknown, running from Adams street to Carruth street, now known as Minot street.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said highway is bounded and described as follows:

East by Adams street, forty-eight and 96-100 feet south by the southerly line of said extension of Minot street as hereby laid out, by four measurements, seven hundred and seventy-four and 39-100 feet, two hundred twenty-one and 5-100 feet on a curve of two hundred feet radius, two hundred eighty-four and 49-100 feet and seventeen and 62-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius; west by Carruth street, sixty-one and

10-100 feet; north by the northerly line of said extension of Minot street as hereby laid out, by five measurements, thirteen and 79-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius, two hundred ninety-six and 11-100 feet, two hundred twenty-five and 47-100 feet on a curve of two hundred and forty feet radius, seven hundred seventy-five and 33-100 feet and thirteen and 46-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Minot street, from Adams street to Carruth street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots within said limits to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Minot street, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, July 29, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Mary A. Whalen, City of Boston, T. T.	\$230 64
2. Linnie C. Benoit	184 44
3. Linnie C. Benoit	161 16
4. Patrick J. Muldoon, Charles F. Bailey, Eva B. Bailey	205 26
5. Patrick J. Muldoon, Charles F. Bailey, Eva B. Bailey	223 44
6. John McGanty	228 00
7. Charles G. Peterson, Constantia L. Peterson, Lars B. Anderson, Emma W. Anderson	228 00
8. Ernest V. Shalen, Agnes B. Shalen	225 78
9. Rose E. Fisk	163 80
10. Abraham Grabman	189 96
11. Abraham Grabman	190 02
12. Abraham Grabman	90 02
13. Katherine M. Sullivan	417 60
14. Katherine M. Sullivan	297 00
15. Catherine Tomlinson	658 00
16. Otto Johnson Ida Johnson Carl O. Strom Helga M. Strom	179 76
17. Harold Ridgeway	177 00
18. William J. Bulger	238 08
19. Olaf Olsen	247 93
20. William J. Drummond Margaret Drummond	291 00
21. William J. Drummond, Margaret Drummond	262 56
22. Arthur Williamson, Frances Williamson	278 10
23. Catherine D. Pierce	835 72
24. Margaret M. O'Sullivan	158 56
25. Charles Wainwright	927 96
26. Annie J. Wainwright	400 00
27. Annie J. Wainwright	242 04
28. George F. Pierce	200 00
29. Joseph P. O'Leary	400 14
30. Martin Jensen, Emelie A. Jensen	369 42
31. Catherine Tomlinson	1635 67
32. Frederick L. Pierce, heirs or devisees	1066 05
33. Catherine D. Pierce	415 26
34. Kirkor and Moses Hagopian, trustees	143 16
Total	\$12,261 52

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Minot street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Adams street to Carruth street, under the order of the board, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

Lot.	Amount.
Catherine D. Perce, 12 square feet	\$6 00
Mary A. Whalen, City of Boston, T. T., 13 square feet	6 50
Margaret M. O'Sullivan, 33 square feet	16 50
Total	\$29 00

CITY PAYS ADVISERS IN STREET WIDENING FEES OF \$10,000 EACH, BASED ON LAND VALUES.

Richard F. Andrews of Roxbury, real estate operator and a street commissioner in the Peters régime, and John Beck of Wollaston, a State street real estate man, who has had the rating of official municipal adviser in this field during the Curley administration, have been paid \$10,000 each for services to the city in connection with the Court-Cambridge streets widening.

John B. Graham, 8 Beacon street, has been paid \$4,550 for services in connection with the same undertaking, according to bills exhibited by City Auditor Rupert Carven.

Each of the men made their charge to the city upon what they contend is the customary rate—one third of one per cent of the total sum involved in damages for the land takings. The city records show the sum in this instance to have been \$3,002,021. The members of the Street Commission all approved the bills, being convinced the \$10,000 fee for each was not extortionate.

The Finance Commission several months ago accused Beck of charging the city twice the customary fee, when he put in a bill for \$750 for advising the Curley administration in the purchase of the new \$1,000,000 Police Headquarters' site at Berkeley and Stuart streets. Although assessed at \$13 per square foot, this plot was bought by the city of Amory Eliot *et als*, for something like \$21 per square foot.

The "Fin Com" then contended that the Boston Real Estate Exchange schedules provided for payment to Beck for service in a case like that of only \$324. Its advice that the \$750 bill be ignored was not followed, and Beck collected the \$750 with the Mayor's approval.

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days, following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Brighton and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Elizabeth avenue, bounded:

Southeast by Allston street, six feet; southwest by another part of Elizabeth avenue, one hundred and ninety-five feet; northwest by the same, six feet; and northeast by the same, one hundred and ninety-five feet, containing eleven hundred and seventy square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

One hundred ninety linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Elizabeth avenue, leading northwesterly from Allston street for a distance of about 195 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered. That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Elizabeth avenue for a distance of about two hundred and eighteen feet northwesterly from Allston street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 579, Sewerage Works, Elizabeth Avenue, Brighton, August 29, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Simon Hurwitz and Eli Goldberg,....	\$490 61
2. Joseph A. Mackay <i>et al.</i> , trustees of the Commonwealth Avenue Trust, Clara B. French, T.T.....	470 34
Total	<u>\$960 95</u>

PUBLIC LIBRARY SECURES GIFT OF EARLY BOSTON MANU- SCRIPTS.

A collection of early Boston manuscripts and autograph letters, dating from 1734 to 1845, and including many interesting pieces on business and political affairs, were presented to the Boston Public Library by Mr. Raphael Sachs, a New York collector.

The earliest piece is a letter by Joseph Brandon, Boston merchant, written to Samuel Storke, London. The date is June 14, 1734. It speaks of "a large Cargo of West India Rum" which Mr. Brandon sent to England; the price of this cargo will go to the payment of his account, and he also assures Mr. Storke that he "will leave no stone unturned till this account will be shut up."

In another letter Nathaniel Appleton & Co. (Salem) offers to Hon. James Russell (Charlestown) the canceling of a purchase of lighting supplies which the latter lately made. "We are sensible that your purchase must be very disadvantageous to you," writes the firm, "therefore, gratitude forbids us to hold you to this Bargain." The reason of this unusual courtesy is well worth noticing, if we consider that the letter was written on May 25, 1775—three weeks before the Battle of Bunker Hill. "We have heard that the Provincial Congress is doubtful of continuing the Lights at Boston Harbor as the Trade of the Province is so far obstructed as not to afford ye Means of supporting them . . ." begins the letter.

A sentence passed at the general court martial, held at Fort Independence in Boston Harbor, June 30, 1811, shows into what a sad plight his desertion brought John F. (suffice the initial), a private in the artillery. "The court . . . after

mature deliberation . . . sentence him to receive fifty lashes on the naked back, serve six months to hard labor, refund the expenses incur'd in his desertion . . ." etc., reads the severe document.

A letter of Sarah B. Dearborn to Mrs. Madison, wife of the President, brings some cheer after the gloomy affair. "Dolly Madison"—the name itself spells gayety. "Society . . . Montpelier . . . Washington . . ." are the words which first strike the eye.

The figure of Daniel Webster looms up again in the very next letter. Though by this time not he, but Nathaniel Greene (of Boston fame) is the one who raises the thunders. "We shall express our views shortly and very decidedly on the impropriety of confirming the nomination of Mr. Webster to the British Mission. . . ." he writes. Then a few lines farther: "The election in New Hampshire takes place a week from to-morrow; if Pierce succeeds, you may set down that state for Jackson."

And so might we go on with quotations. The gift is a valuable one, and will constitute a notable addition to the large and rich manuscript collection of the Boston Public Library.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

James P. Dwyer Company has been allowed to amend its contract for additions and alterations to the heating system at the Dorchester High School, Codman square, Dorchester, by striking out the words and figures, "September 1, 1924," on page 128, section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "December 31, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 15, 1924, and is to be completed on or before December 31, 1924."

J. J. Hurley & Co., have been allowed to amend their contract for a new boiler installation in the Paul Revere School, Prince street, Boston, by striking out the words and figures, "September 1, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "December 31, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 1, 1924, and is to be completed on or before December 31, 1924."

Huey Brothers, Inc., have been allowed to amend their contract for heating and ventilating system of an intermediate school in the Sherwin District, Sterling street, Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "September 1, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "December 31, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 1, 1924, and is to be completed on or before December 31, 1924."

J. J. Hurley & Co. have been allowed to amend their contract for the new boiler installation in the Robert Swan School, house, Thetford avenue, Dorchester, by striking out the words and figures, "September 4, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "December 31, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 24, 1924, and is to be completed on or before December 31, 1924."

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

John J. Curran, in the sum of \$700, as compensation for personal injuries caused by depression in street, Mercer street, May 28, 1923.

Marion Mason, in the sum of \$600, as compensation for personal injuries caused by depression in street, 184 Amory street, July 7, 1923.

Edna J. Costello, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by projecting cover to sewer manhole, Commonwealth avenue at Kenmore Station, August 19, 1923.

Samuel Gordon, in the sum of \$300, in addition to the sum of \$200 approved January 24, 1924, making a total of \$500, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defect in highway, Harvard street, December 8, 1923.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Samuel J. Tomasello has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing granite block pavement in Ramsey street, from Dudley street to Hamlet street. Items ordered: Furnish labor and trucks to load and haul granite paving blocks from the city yard on Codman street. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$270.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for the following construction work. A sanitary sewer of 10 inch earthen pipe in Church street between Parkvale road and a point 150 feet southeasterly in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$1,200.

RECEIPTS, FISCAL YEAR, 1923-24.

Total ordinary and extraordinary (less refunds of \$195,753) \$68,752,631.

Gross general income (including school revenue, \$507,766) \$55,288,368, of which \$44,541,900 was from property and poll taxes; \$790,029, repayment, in part, of assessment for Boston Elevated R'way deficit in 1919; \$3,540,790 from income tax (from State) and \$2,944,305 corporation and other taxes (from State, street railways, etc), or \$51,817,024 total tax receipts, which exceeds 1922 total by \$2,-858,155; miscellaneous general income of departments, \$3,024,050; interest on overdue taxes and bank deposits, \$447,294.

Total Income of Water Service, \$3,-910,736; other income credited to appropriations (including \$404,815 to Printing Dept.), \$571,217. Parkman Fund income transferred to ordinary, \$217,794.

Total ordinary income, \$59,792,433 (net).

Excess of actual ordinary income over estimated income remaining in Treasury at close of financial year ending Jan. 31, 1924, \$998,142, besides another excess for school purposes alone amounting to \$415,389.

In addition to this surplus at close of year, there were accounts receivable, i. e., 1923 and prior uncollected taxes amounting to \$5,659,639.

Extraordinary receipts: From loans, \$7,190,000; Rapid Transit revenue, \$1,-658,267; miscellaneous, \$112,002. Total, \$8,960,269. Balance from preceding year, \$4,234,728. Total available for extraordinary purposes, \$13,194,997.

Revenue credited to sinking funds (mostly street and sewer assessments) \$456,062; to trust funds, \$979,085.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES IN BOSTON, 1924-1925, AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library announce the following list of free lectures, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 p. m.

The entrance is from Boylston street only. The doors will be opened two hours before each lecture and closed ten minutes after the lecture begins. The Thursday lectures are generally illustrated by lantern slides. The Sunday lectures are usually not illustrated. Exceptions are mentioned below. Lectures are given occasionally during the winter in the lecture halls of the Charlestown, East Boston, Jamaica Plain, North End, South End, West Roxbury, and Upham's Corner Branches.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Oct. 30. How Music is Made Useful Nowadays. Margaret Anderton, Associate Editor, The Musician.
- Nov. 6. A Rocky Mountain Hike: Nine Thousand Miles Through the Beauty and Bigness of America. Rev. Charles W. Casson, President of the Field and Forest Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Nov. 13. The Anniversary of Robert Louis Stevenson. Guy Richardson.
- Nov. 20. The Glory of England: Her Cathedrals and Scenic Beauty. Frederick Parsons, F. R. S. A.
- Dec. 4. Florence: The City of the Lily. Martha A. S. Shannon.
- Dec. 11. Days with the Birds. Mrs. James L. Tryon. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Dec. 18. How the Dutch Do It: Housing Problems and Port Development. Frank A. Bourne, S. M., A. I. A.
- Jan. 8. Glimpses of Norway's Fjords. Ben Blessum, General Representative of the Norwegian government in the United States and Canada. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Jan. 15. Mediæval Pilgrimages and Art. Arthur Kingsley Porter, B. F. A., Professor of Fine Arts, Harvard University.
- Jan. 22. Picturesque England from Chester to Clovelly. Ellen E. Page.
- Jan. 29. Snaring Bird Songs. Charles C. Gorst.
- Feb. 5. Brazil and Its Jungles. James Ballance.
- Feb. 12. The Land of the Backward Rolling River: Chekiang Province, including its Capital, Hangchow, the Heavenly, William Dean Goddard, A. M. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 19. Under Italian Skies. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 26. Whaling and Its Methods. Arthur E. Watson, Acting Curator, Old Dartmouth Historical Society and Whaling Museum.
- Mar. 5. Killarney: Its Lakes and Legends. Rev. William M. Stinson, S. J.
- Mar. 12. Tramps about the Presidentials. Milton E. MacGregor, Mountain Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 19. Earth Changes, illustrated by the Geology of Boston. Hervey Woodburn Shimer, Ph.D., Professor of Paleontology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- Mar. 26. Along Dutch Waterways. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Apr. 2. New England Birds and Wild Flowers. Mrs. Harriet U. Goode.
- Apr. 9. English Gardens. Robert N. Cram, B. L. A., Instructor in Landscape Architecture Harvard University. With autochrome illustrations.
- Apr. 16. Architecture in the United States in the last ten years. J. Randolph Coolidge, Jr.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Oct. 26. Historic Wales: Its People and its Scenery. Mrs. Nellie E. Packard. With lantern illustrations.
- Nov. 2. Tragedy and Comedy of Charles Dickens with illustrative readings. Francis Henry Wade, M. D.
- Nov. 9. The Enjoyment of Art. Walter Sargent, Professor of Art, University of Chicago.
- Nov. 16. Reading of Shakespeare's "Hamlet," George F. Pearson.
- Nov. 23. Reading of Shakespeare's "King Henry IV, Part II." By members of local Shakespeare Clubs, under the direction of Mrs. Frederick H. Briggs. (Drama League Course.)
- Nov. 30. A Modern Opera: Pfitzner's "Pales-trina." Otto G. T. Straub. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 7. Public Celebrations. J. Philip O'Connell, Director of Public Celebrations, City of Boston. With lantern illustrations.

Dec. 14. Music in the Life of the World: Story of the Carol. Aerial Music of the Bell Towers of Europe. Mme. Beale Morey. Illustrated by voices and members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

Dec. 21. Carols and Chansons of Christmas. Henry Gideon, A. M. With musical illustrations.

Dec. 28. Boston Architecture: Past and Present. Frank Chouteau Brown. With lantern illustrations.

Jan. 4. The Marvel and Glory of Glass: Ancient and Modern. Mrs. Walter G. Dennison.

Jan. 11. Swedish Male Harmony Chorus. Carl Hutton, director.

Jan. 18. The Appreciation of Greek Sculpture. Clarence Kennedy, A. M., Assistant Professor of Art, Smith College. With lantern illustrations.

Jan. 25. Our New Comedy and American Family Life. Albert Hatton Gilmer, A. M., Professor of Dramatic Literature, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)

Feb. 1. A Splendid Rebel: Life and Times of Patrick Henry. Henry Lawrence Southwick, President, Emerson College of Oratory.

Feb. 8. New New England Poets. Speaker to be announced. (New England Poetry Club Course.)

Feb. 15. Modern French Music. Edward Burlingame Hall, Assistant Professor of Music, Harvard University. With musical illustrations.

Feb. 22. Worthwhile Patriotism. Hon. Michael J. Murray.

Mar. 1. Boston, the Convention City. Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston.

Mar. 8. Treasures of the Theatre Collection in the Harvard University Library. Frank W. C. Hersey, A. M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)

Mar. 15. The Magic of Words. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt. D.

Mar. 22. Legends and Folk-Songs of Finland. Mme. Aino Saari. With musical illustrations.

Mar. 29. King's Chapel Choir. Raymond C. Robinson, Director.

Apr. 5. Footlight Orchestra. Thompson Stone, Director.

Apr. 12. Dawn of Orchestral Music; a Program by members of the Eighteenth Century Orchestra. Raffaele Martino, Director.

Apr. 19. The Battle of Lexington. Harold Murdock, A. M., Director of the Harvard University Press.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club meets regularly in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month, at 3 o'clock, except as otherwise stated. The following free lectures are announced, subject to change.

Oct. 27. The National Parks of the United States. Kenneth Damren. Illustrated by moving pictures and slides.

Nov. 10. The British Poets from the Seventeenth to the Nineteenth Century. Charles Hammond Gibson.

Nov. 24. Ruskin's Museums. Mrs. May Smith Dean.

Dec. 8. Ruskin's Message to Youth and the Twentieth Amendment. Rev. Davis Wasgatt Clark, D. D.

Dec. 22. Music—Arranged by Mrs. Arthur Howard Davison. The Christmas Message—Mrs. Minnie Meserve Soule.

Jan. 12. What's What in Books. John Clair Minot.

Jan. 26. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.

Feb. 9. Anniversary Observance of John Ruskin's Birth. Address: John Ruskin. Rev. Harold E. B. Speight.

Feb. 16. Americanization: Its Ideals. Two addresses: The Value of Law and its Observance. Hon. Sanford Bates, State Commissioner of Correction. The Development of the True Citizen. Dr. Charles A. Coburn, Professor of Applied Psychology, Boston University School of Religious Education.

THE AMERICAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, BOSTON CHAPTER.

Free addresses in the Lecture Hall on Saturdays at 4 o'clock.

Nov. 1. The Qualities of the Great Poet. Charles Hammond Gibson, president, Boston Chapter.

Dec. 13. The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique. Helen Archibald Clarke, vice-president, Boston Chapter.

Jan. 17. The Immitable Laws of Great Poetry. E. Charlton Black, L. L. D., Professor of English, Boston University.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

VETERINARY INSPECTOR (MALE), STATE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION, OCTOBER 29, 1924.

The salary is \$1,800 per year. Applicants should be graduates of a duly qualified veterinary college or its equivalent. The duties of this position are the applying of preventive treatment in swine diseases, the examination and testing of cattle for tuberculosis, and of horses for glanders, the examination of dogs for rabies, the examination of domestic animals of all species for the existence of contagious diseases to which such animals are subject, and the inspection of premises and buildings with reference to sanitation and disinfection in prevention of contagious diseases of animals.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

FALL RIVER, DIRECTOR SCHOOL HYGIENE, HEALTH DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 29, 1924.

This examination is open to non-residents of Massachusetts, but residents will have a preference in certification.

The salary is \$5,000 a year. Applicants must be not less than thirty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

Applicants must be graduate physicians. They should have a knowledge of prevention of minor and major contagion among school children; school-house sanitation and architecture; the hygiene of instruction, including curricula, special classes, and health education; the type of physical examination to be given to the pupils, including weighing and measuring to detect any that are undernourished; the activities of the school physician, nurse, teacher and physical director in the school hygiene program; the national, state, and local agencies whose co-operation would be of assistance in the school health program. The director will have direct supervision over the work of the school nurses and medical inspectors.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions; and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required

to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

DIETITIAN (FEMALE), BOSTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 30, 1924.

The salary is \$1,500 a year.

Applicants must be not more than forty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants be high school graduates who have taken at least two years in home economics and at least one year in the study of dietetics and nutrition, and also that they have three months' graduate instruction and practical experience as a student dietitian in a hospital, school or other institution.

The duties of this position are to instruct in the matter of proper feeding and diets for both normal and abnormal children, to plan menus and diets for both children and adults, with reference to age, occupation and special diseases, to supervise cooking and the preparation of serving of food and give instructions relative thereto.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

DIRECTOR OF NURSES (FEMALE) BOSTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT, DIVISION OF CHILD HYGIENE, NOVEMBER 10, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 a year.

Applicants must be not more than 45 years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants be high school graduates, have continuous training in a hospital of not less than two years, be graduates of a training school for nurses, and be graduates of a course in public health nursing. Applicants should also be registered under the State Board of Registration of Nurses.

The duties of this position include supervision of a staff of from fifty to seventy nurses, assistance in the preparation of a child hygiene program and budget, and the holding of conferences for nurses, mothers and lay groups.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

BRIDGE ENGINEER, STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NOVEMBER 14, 1924.

The salary is \$4,500 per year. Applicants should have at least ten years ex-

perience as a bridge engineer, but a degree granted by an engineering school of recognized standing will be equivalent to four years' experience. It is desirable that this experience have been obtained through actual responsibility for the design and construction of bridges and other structural works, including the handling of men and an understanding of the economic questions involved in the bridge problem.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of examination.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ASSISTANT CHEMIST, STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, NOVEMBER 14, 1924.

(Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.)

The salary is \$1,500 per year.

The duties of this position are to make analyses of coal, including the calorimetric work, and to make analyses of fuel oil and various food products. Applicants should have a bachelor's degree in chemistry from a recognized institution of learning, or its equivalent. They should have a good knowledge of physics and be familiar with mathematics through advanced algebra.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and in the oral interview, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

INVESTIGATOR, STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, NOVEMBER 14, 1924.

(Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.)

The salary is \$1,800 per year. The duties of this position are the study of the supply of farm labor throughout the state, of the demand for such labor, of the various kinds of work involved, particularly in specialized types of farms in areas of the state where special kinds of agricultural work are carried on and other details affecting the problem. The investigator will be required to keep a register of farm positions and of applicants for such positions, to notify persons registered when and where positions or help may be found, and to keep, so far as possible, a record of the work of applicants in positions to which they are referred. It is desirable that applicants have had experience in placing help, especially farm help, knowledge of agricultural conditions and agencies in the state, ability to interview farmers and farm help, and a

good working knowledge of stenography and typewriting. Applicants should have had at least one year's experience as a stenographer.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

THE CITY DOLLAR SPENT IN YEAR 1923-24.

For Public Schools, 28.66 cents; (2) Public Works, 13.66 cents; (3) Debt Requirements, 11.61; (4) State Tax and Assessments, 11.08; (5) Police Dept., 8.17; (6) Fire Dept., 6.85; (7) General Government, 4.20; (8) Hospitals and Health, 3.91; (9) County Courts, Etc., 3.70; (10) Institutions and Poor Relief, 3.64; (11) Public Recreation, 3.00; (12) Public Library, 1.37; (13) Public Service Enterprises, 0.15 (due to a slight excess of expenditure over revenue); making a total of 100 cents. This excludes all expenditure from loans, etc., but includes special appropriations from tax levy and other general income, used for public improvements.

The revenue of all departments, \$7,719,910, amounted to 18.06 per cent of their gross expenditures for maintenance. The revenue of Public Service Enterprises alone (including Water Service, Ferry Service, Printing Plant, Markets, etc.) amounted to \$4,538,919 or 5.88 per cent of total department income. The fractions of the dollar above stated represent net expenditure, computed after deducting department revenue.

Revenue from another class of public service enterprise, i. e., Rapid Transit, for rentals of subways and tunnels, \$1,655,475 or \$15,642 less than the interest and sinking-fund requirements of the Rapid Transit debt in 1923.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND LOAMING AT WILLIAM H. GARVEY PLAYGROUND, NEPONSET

The Park Commissioners of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invite proposals for grading and loaming at William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the engineer's office of the Park Department, 33 Beacon street, Boston. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "For Grading and Loaming at William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset," and left before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, October 30, 1924, at the office of the Park Department, with a certified check for \$3,000, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of \$15,000 of a surety company approved by the Commissioners to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman,
CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
MYRON P. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

(Oct. 25.)

PERSONS (OF 10 YEARS AND OVER) IN GAINFUL OCCUPATIONS IN UNITED STATES CENSUS.

In all occupations, both sexes, 41,614,248 or 39.40 per cent of total population. In manufacturing and mechanical industries, 12,818,524 (30.8 per cent); agriculture, forestry, etc., 10,953,158 (26.30 per cent); trade, 4,242,979 (10.20 per cent); domestic and personal service, 3,404,892 (8.20 per cent); clerks, etc., 3,126,541 (7.50 per cent); transportation, 3,063,582 (7.40 per cent); professional service, 2,143,889 (5.20 per cent).

CITY OF BOSTON.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

BIDS FOR BUILDING SECTION K, DORCHESTER TUNNEL.

The Transit Department of the City of Boston, 1 Beacon street, seventh floor, invites bids from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for building Section K, Dorchester Tunnel. This section is located in and near Boston street, Power street and Dorchester avenue, and is about 1,300 feet in length. The structure is to be mainly of reinforced concrete and structural steel. The work also includes an open incline, sewer changes and additions, bridge changes, removal of structures, regrading, etc. A bond of an approved surety company will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in the sum of 35 per cent of the bid. Bids should be filled out and signed by the bidder on forms to be obtained at this office, inclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed, "Bid for building Section K, Dorchester Tunnel," and delivered to the department or to its secretary before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, November 25, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read, with a properly certified check in the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the contract, within the time prescribed after the date of the notification by the department of the acceptance of the proposal and the readiness of the contract for signature, is not executed by the bidder. Bids must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. Plans can be seen, and bids, specifications and forms of contract can be obtained at this office. The department reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to award the contract as is deemed to be for the best interest of the City of Boston.

By order of the CITY OF BOSTON TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

EDWARD F. CONDON,
Secretary.

(Oct 25-Nov. 1-8-15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HAY, GRAIN AND STRAW.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Thursday, October 30, 1924, when they will be publicly opened and read for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during the month of November, 1924. The bidders must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on United States Old New York No. 2 and No. 3 Timothy hay, United States Old New York No. 2 and No. 3 light grass mixed, and United States Old New York No. 2 and No. 3 light clover mixed. The straw to be rye straw in good condition. The grade of hay must comply with the federal hay grades and straw must comply with the National Hay Association, and shall be weighed and inspected by the federal hay inspector. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, clipped to test 36 to 38 pounds, graded under the federal standards. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations or stipulations will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(Oct. 25.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN REED STREET, WHITING STREET, MONTROSE STREET AND GLENWOOD STREET, ROXBURY

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 2,500 feet of 8-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Reed street, Whiting street, Montrose street and Glenwood street, Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Reed Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, November 3, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 23, 1924. (Oct. 25.)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN HILLSIDE AVENUE, FROM CRANDALL STREET 225 FEET SOUTHERLY, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Hillside avenue, from Crandall street 225 feet southerly, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eight hundred (800) dollars to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508 City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Hillside Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, October 31, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 23, 1924. (Oct. 25.)

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 16, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Ellsworth street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Freeport street to Dorchester avenue, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of October 29, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Oct. 25.)

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE
CITY OF BOSTON, October 16, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Clermont street footway, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Bailey street to Burt street, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of October 29, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Oct. 25.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING HULL, ETC., OF FERRY-
BOAT "LIEUTENANT FLAHERTY."

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing hull, etc., of ferryboat "Lieutenant Flaherty." A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Ferryboat Lieutenant Flaherty" and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Thursday, October 30, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred and fifty (250) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor, previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, October 23, 1924. (Oct. 25.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN COTTAGE
PLACE, FROM WINSLOW STREET 142 FEET
SOUTHWEST AND 50 FEET NORTHWEST, HYDE
PARK.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizen of the United States, for sewerage works in Cottage place, from Winslow street 142 feet southwest and 50 feet northwest, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of seven hundred (700) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Cottage Place," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, November 5, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Boston, October 23, 1924. (Oct. 25.)

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO MANUFACTURERS OF STEEL LOCKERS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and setting up two compartment steel lockers in the new Dorchester High School for Boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Monday, November 3, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposits.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.

(Oct. 25.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR STEEL BEAMS.

The Transit Department of the City of Boston, 1 Beacon street, seventh floor, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and delivering, freight prepaid, f. o. b. cars, 14 Cypher street, South Boston, about 250 tons of steel beams in sizes from 15 inches to 30 inches in depth and of various lengths. A bond of an approved surety company will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in a sum of 20 per cent of the total bid price. Proposals should be filled out and signed by the bidder on forms to be obtained at this office, inclosed in an envelope, sealed, indorsed "Proposal for about 250 tons of steel beams," and left at the above address before 12 m. on Tuesday, November 11, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read, with a properly certified check in the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the contract, within the time prescribed after the date of the notification by the department of the acceptance of the proposal and the readiness of the contract for signature is not executed by the bidder. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. Specifications and forms of contract can be obtained at this office. The right to reject any and all proposals, and to award the contract as is deemed to be for the best interest of the City of Boston is reserved.

By order of the CITY OF BOSTON TRANSIT
DEPARTMENT.

(Oct. 25-Nov. 1.) EDWARD F. CONDON,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEAT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments during November, 1924, as per specifications, to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 m., Thursday, October 30, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

(Oct. 25.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REBUILDING DARTMOUTH STREET
BRIDGE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for rebuilding Dartmouth Street Bridge, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirty-five thousand (35,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, after Monday, October 20, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope sealed, marked "Bid for Rebuilding Dartmouth Street Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, November 18, 1924, with a certified check for thirty-five hundred (3,500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioners to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 16, 1924. (Oct. 25-Nov. 1.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN FOSTER
STREET, BETWEEN COMMONWEALTH AVENUE
AND SUMMIT, 1,200 FEET NORTHERLY, AND
OUTLET IN LANE PARK, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Foster street, between Commonwealth avenue and Summit, 1,200 feet northerly, and outlet in Lane Park, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of eight thousand (8,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Foster Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Tuesday, November 11, 1924, with a certified check for eight hundred (800) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 23, 1924. (Oct. 25.)

PUBLIC NOTICE.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE
CITY OF BOSTON, October 18, 1924.

Voted, That public notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public convenience requires the making of specific repairs on Boylston street, city proper, between Exeter street and the railroad bridge north of Massachusetts avenue, consisting of the removal of the sidewalk on the southerly side of said street, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of November 6, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Oct. 25.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending October 18, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 172; nonresidents, 36; total, 208.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 13.96; nonresidents deducted, 11.55.

Death rate per 1,000 of population.
Last week, 14.03; corresponding week last year, 14.42.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 27; one year to five years, inclusive, 5; sixty years and over, 83; total deaths: male, 115; female, 93; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 99; deaths of colored, 2.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 18, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 20, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	2	—	3	—
Diphtheria.....	46	—	86	1
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	1	—
Influenza.....	—	—	1	—
Measles.....	17	—	25	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	2	—	3	2
Pneumonia (lobar).....	22	7	24	9
Scarlet fever.....	49	—	41	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	35	15	49	15
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	7	—	4	2
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	4	—
Whooping cough.....	34	—	7	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Oct. 6, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:30 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

July 14, 1924, on page 147, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Sara B. Drenay as assistant, Theodore Lyman District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "seventh year."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Joseph M. Sullivan as junior master, Dorchester High School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "fourth year."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Lawrence R. Atwood as junior master, English High School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "fifth year."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Joseph Hackett as instructor in mechanic arts, Mechanic Arts High School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "fourth year," to take effect "Oct. 6, 1924."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Ralph B. DeLano as junior master, Roxbury High School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "sixth year."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Monica L. Hall as assistant instructor, commercial branches, Roxbury High School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "fourth year."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Reinhold L. Swan as shop foreman, Boston Trade School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "third year."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 173, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Curtis Peckham as vocational instructor, Department of Vocational Guidance, to take effect Sept. 15, 1924, shall read "eighth year."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 173, to provide that the transfer of Margaret A. Nichols from the Oliver Hazard Perry to the Washington Allston District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "Sept. 15, 1924."

Sept. 15, 1924, on page 179, to provide that the appointment of Alvan D. Eastman as special assistant, mechanical department, Boston Trade School, to take effect Sept. 9, 1924 (third year from Sept. 9, 1924), shall read "fourth year" from Sept. 9, 1924.

Sept. 15, 1924, on page 180, to provide that the appointment of Dorothy M. Ellis as junior assistant, Bowdoin and Wells Districts, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Sept. 15, 1924), shall read Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Sept. 13, 1924)."

Sept. 15, 1924, on page 180, to provide that the appointment of Howard Wilbur as sub-master (fourth year), Wendell Phillips District, to take effect Oct. 7, 1924, shall read "Oct. 14, 1924."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed, as amended.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

ADVISABILITY OF ESTABLISHING MUNICIPAL UNIVERSITY.

The following was received:

CITY OF BOSTON

In City Council.

ORDERED: That the School Committee be requested to consider the advisability of establishing a Municipal University for the purpose of teaching the arts, sciences, Medicine, Law, etc., and report their findings to the City Council.

In City Council, September 29, 1924.

Passed. Attest:

W. J. DOYLE,
Asst. City Clerk.

Laid over.

WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENTS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has withdrawn, at the request of the teacher concerned, the appointment of Edward M. McDonough, as principal of the Theodore Roosevelt Evening Elementary School, as approved at the meeting of the School Committee held on July 14, 1924 (see p. 148).

Placed on file and the appointment withdrawn.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board he has withdrawn the appointment of Monica Murphy as emergency assistant, to take effect Sept. 9, 1924, as reported at the meeting of Sept. 15, 1924 (see p. 179).

Placed on file and the appointment withdrawn.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the deaths of the following-named teachers:

Dearborn District—Emma Frye, assistant, Sept. 21, 1924.

Hancock District—Anna B. Liddell, assistant, Aug. 15, 1924.

Quincy District—Angie C. Damon, master's assistant, Oct. 4, 1924.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations, reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented: Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Margaret B. Chandler, first assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924.

Hancock District—Ruth G. Dulligan, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 3, 1924; Dorothy L. Quinn, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

John Marshall District—Marietta I. Delaney, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Gertrude L. Mazur, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924.

Mather District—June M. Raymond, assistant, Sept. 16, 1924.

Norcross District—Mary K. Grass, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Prescott District—Julia E. Hegarty, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Prince District—Marion A. Fields, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924.

Quincy District—Fannie B. Hayden, first assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1924; T. Marion Parmelee, assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Alice Pike, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Helen E. Burns, assistant, Oct. 3, 1924.

Washington District—Catherine G. McCool, assistant, Oct. 3, 1924.

Accepted.

RETIREMENT.

The Superintendent reported the retirement from active service of the following-named member of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect Sept. 30, 1924, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board under date of Sept. 25, 1924:

Wells District—Alicia I. Collison, master's assistant.
Placed on file.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

(Mechanical Department.)

Charlestown High School—Edward E. Eldridge, Sept. 9, 1924; David T. Shute, Sept. 22, 1924.

Dorchester High School—Raoul J. Burke, Samuel Gerson, (second year from Feb. 4, 1925) Sept. 11, 1924.

Boston Trade School—Morris Sideman, Sept. 15, 1924.

(Industrial Department.)

Dorchester High School—Miriam E. Goodspeed, Sept. 8, 1924 (third year from Apr. 27, 1925); Frances D. Lesser, Sept. 8, 1924 (tenth year from Oct. 6, 1924); Helen W. Van-Schagen, Sept. 8, 1924 (sixth year from Sept. 8, 1924).

Continuation School—Agnes H. Benander, Sept. 8, 1924.

Abraham Lincoln District—Winifred Creed, Mary T. Doherty, Dorothy A. Meader, Katherine C. Kelly, Sept. 8, 1924; George C. Gardiner, Sept. 12, 1924; Genevieve A. Lane, Sept. 30, 1924.

Agassiz District—Francis Meade, Sept. 9, 1924; Francis P. O'Brien, Sept. 8, 1924; Alfred C. Sheehan, Sept. 12, 1924; Josephine M. O'Neill, Sept. 16, 1924; Ernest P. Menzies, Sept. 30, 1924.

Bennett District—Mildred L. Manning, (kindergarten) Helen G. Murphy, Lewette Spence, (kindergarten) Sept. 8, 1924; Marguerite R. Creedan, Sept. 9, 1924; Alice P. Hennessey, (one day) Sept. 9, 1924; Constance Tenney, Sept. 11, 1924; Laura M. O'Connor, Sept. 12, 1924; L. Mae Holland, Sept. 18, 1924; Louise M. Sullivan, Sept. 26, 1924.

Bigelow District—Helen J. Dervan, Sept. 8, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Florence J. Matthews, Sept. 8, 1924; Helen Goldstein, (kindergarten) Sept. 8, 1924; Leone Cunningham, Sept. 8, 1924; Gertrude A. Dillo, Sept. 8, 1924; James E. Davidson, Sept. 9, 1924; Alice Selian, Sept. 11, 1924; Gertrude Slater, Francis T. Carron, M. Eva Turcotte, Sept. 8,

1924; Benedict T. Daly, Sept. 9, 1924; Theodora Donovan, Katherine C. Kelly, Sept. 29, 1924.

Bowditch District—Mabel E. Coburn, Sept. 17, 1924; Emma F. Fitzgerald, Sept. 22, 1924.

Bowdoin District—Margaret M. Herlihy, Mary C. Draper, Elizabeth M. McDonough, Sept. 8, 1924; Elizabeth T. O'Brien, Sept. 15, 1924.

Chapman District—Marie E. McCann, Gladys V. Cole, Anna J. Toomey, Sept. 8, 1924; Josephine M. O'Neill, Sept. 22, 1924; Isolina del Toro, Sept. 29, 1924.

Charles Sumner District—Frances A. McManus (kindergarten), Mary J. Logan, Gertrude V. Crandall (kindergarten), Sept. 8, 1924; Katherine L. Higgins, Sept. 10, 1924; L. Mae Holland, Sept. 15, 1924; Marie C. Flannelly, Sept. 22, 1924.

Christopher Gibson District—Elizabeth V. Hinds, Sept. 8, 1924; Emma F. Fitzgerald, Sept. 15 to 19, 1924; Margaret E. Nutley, Sept. 22, 1924; Frances E. Grennan, Sept. 22, 1924.

Dearborn District—Edna U. Delahanty, Sept. 9, 1924; John R. O'Brien, (sub-master), Ida A. Finn, Mary R. Coughlan, Theresa L. Monahan, Helen M. Greene (kindergarten), Sept. 8, 1924; Josephine L. Neary, Sept. 9, 1924 (one day); Frances E. Connor, Sept. 10, 1924; Josephine M. O'Neill, Sept. 9, 1924; Louise F. Fine, Sept. 22, 1924; Patricia E. Hagan, Sept. 26, 1924; Lucille E. Scott, Sept. 29, 1924.

Dillaway District—Rufina M. McCarthy, Sept. 8, 1924; Mary A. O'Toole, Mary E. A. Lynch, Sept. 9, 1924; Theodora Donovan, Sept. 10, 1924; Margaret E. Hannon, Sept. 15, 1924; M. Gregory Lee, Sept. 22, 1924; Agnes S. Ordnung, Sept. 23, 1924.

Dudley District—Mary E. Daley, Sept. 8, 1924; Dorothea A. Flood, Mary G. Maguire, Mary J. Nugent, Sept. 9, 1924; Olive C. Taylor, Doris E. Dillingham (kindergarten), Sept. 8, 1924.

Dwight District—Florence M. Burke, Sept. 9, 1924.

Edmund P. Tileston District—Marie K. Holland, Sept. 9, 1924; Mildred F. MacIsaac, Sept. 10, 1924; Margaret C. Crimmins, Katherine McNamara, Alice M. O'Rourke, Sarah V. Regan, Sept. 8, 1924.

Edward Everett District—Katherine E. Reyeroft, Mary A. Sheehan, Alice M. Vincent, Anna D. Leary, Sept. 8, 1924; Marie Harrington, Sept. 16, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Eleanor E. Daly, Alice M. Dias (kindergarten), Thomas F. Luby, Corinne F. Topham, Sept. 8, 1924; Effie M. Copeland, Sept. 11, 1924; Cecilia L. Goetz, Sept. 16, 1924; Katherine I. Corrigan (kindergarten), Sept. 18, 1924; Emily Shannon, Sept. 22, 1924.

Eliot District—William F. Barry, Jeanette PiaVergona, Sept. 8, 1924; John W. Ryan, Sept. 9, 1924; Katherine B. Campbell, Sept. 10, 1924; Anna Reardon, George D. Yantis, Sept. 16, 1924; Alfred C. Sheehan, Sept. 17, 1924; Katherine A. Griffin (Long Island), Sept. 19, 1924; Mary J. Herlihy, Sept. 23, 1924.

Emerson District—Grace M. Gillespie, Alice L. Galvin, Anna J. F. Osterman, Helen M. Reardon, Sarah Prigot, (kindergarten) Helen F. Murphy, Sept. 8, 1924; Doris M. Kirby, Sept. 12, 1924; Eleanor C. Fee, (kindergarten) Sept. 29, 1924; Bernadette R. Flynn, Sept. 29, 1924.

Everett District—Florence E. Bakewell, Sept. 10, 1924; Viola S. Fogg, Sept. 9, 1924; Evelyn M. Bratton, Mary R. Kirby, Alice M. Nolan, Sept. 8, 1924.

Francis Parkman District—Edith Kolb, Sept. 8, 1924; Marguerite R. Creedan, Sept. 29, 1924.

Franklin District—Mary A. Croker, Esther T. Riggs, Margaret M. Regan, Dorothy F. Burke, Gertrude J. Henchey, Sept. 8, 1924; Ellen E. Clarke, Sept. 9, 1924 (one day); Mary E. Reddy, Sept. 9, 1924 (one day); Gladys M. Shattuck, Sept. 22, 1924.

Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District—Margaret L. Cunningham, Sept. 8, 1924; Helen L. Barry, Sept. 26, 1924.

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Mary M. Powers, Sept. 8, 1924.

Gaston District—Mollie E. Collins, Alice L. Morse, Sept. 8, 1924.

Gilbert Stuart District—Elsie S. Woods, Sept. 8, 1924; Mary A. Sampson, Mary W. Tucker, Sept. 10, 1924; Elizabeth A. Roach, Sept. 29, 1924.

Hancock District—Ambrosine Salisbury (special class), Emma D. Paresky, M. Ellen Cook, Helen J. Griffin, Helen M. Lundgren, Catherine F. Malone, Evelyn Mullen, Edna C. Venutra, Ellen M. Kelley, Sept. 8, 1924; Dorothy G. Litchfield (special class), Sept. 9, 1924; Mary L. Mahoney, Sept. 12, 1924; Agatha M. Scarnici, Sept. 17, 1924.

Harvard-Frothingham District—John J. Hoban, William F. Dowling, Kathryn McGovern, Josephine E. Ward, Sept. 8, 1924; Alice M. Brennan, Sept. 8, 1924; C. Irene Hagerty, Sept. 10, 1924.

Henry Grew District—Margaret M. Crowley, Sept. 9, 1924; Madeline C. Cunningham, Elizabeth Burns, M. Frances Fallon, Eulalie Gourdine, Ruth C. Lennon, Mary E. Smith, Mary Agnes Toomey, Belle Wisansky, Sept. 8, 1924; Annie C. Kirke, Sept. 10, 1924; Emilie A. Murphy, Sept. 22, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Freda F. Berlin, Mary F. Canning, George E. Wilkie, Sept. 8, 1924; Pearl A. Larson, (kindergarten) Sept. 11, 1924; Mary S. Mahoney, Margaret E. Nutley, Helen K. Travers, Sept. 9, 1924; Margaret McKenna, (kindergarten) Sept. 15, 1924; Hattie Fisher, (kindergarten) Sept. 24, 1924 (one day); Helen L. Flynn, Sept. 29, 1924.

Hugh O'Brien District—Paul M. Burke, Ida M. Durkee, Esther M. Fitzgerald, Alice C. Haggerty, Mabel A. McCloskey, Sept. 8, 1924; Sarah M. Delahanty, Margaret M. Mylott, Sept. 9, 1924; Mary G. Maguire, Sept. 29, 1924.

Hyde District—Theresa F. Long, Esther M. Riseman, Elizabeth K. Walton, Sept. 8, 1924; Anna Reardon, Catherine M. Tobin, Sept. 9, 1924; Elizabeth M. Butler, Sept. 29, 1924.

Jefferson-Comins District—Gertrude Carey, Catherine E. Beahan, (kindergarten), Charles J. Cronin, Ellen J. McGowan, Mary E. McCormick, Mary M. Sullivan, Sept. 8, 1924; Frances E. Connor, Sept. 15, 1924.

John A. Andrew District—M. Gregory Lee, Edward J. Markham, Genevieve V. McCarrick (kindergarten), Sept. 8, 1924; Marie G. O'Brien, Sept. 9, 1924.

John Marshall District—Edith E. Anderson, Louise M. Phippard, Sept. 8, 1924; Helen F. Long, Eileen M. McCarthy (kindergarten), Helen F. O'Brien, Sept. 9, 1924; Margaret R. Black (special class), Sept. 15, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Anastasia M. Connell, Catherine R. Cullen, Anna M. Holland, Katherine E. Holland, Forrest Levis, Mary R. Sullivan, Louise H. Tarrant, Sept. 8, 1924; Gertrude A. Greene, Doris M.

Kirby, Bessie L. Wessells, Sept. 9, 1924; Gertrude J. Henchey, Sept. 22, 1924.

Julia Ward Howe District—Helen D. Tuttle, Sept. 8, 1924; Louise Sullivan, Sept. 9, 1924; Mary L. Collins, Sept. 10, 1924.

Lawrence District—Josephine F. O'Connell, Francis J. Cahill, Mary F. Kelley, Sept. 8, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Richard J. Crowley, Christine Hamburger, (kindergarten) Frank E. McCarthy, Helen C. McGrath, Sept. 8, 1924; Helen A. Wilson, Sept. 8, 1924; James J. Foley, Sept. 10, 1924; Marie H. Goff, Sept. 11, 1924; Catherine C. Clarkson, (kindergarten) Marie E. McCann, Sept. 29, 1924.

Longfellow District—Edith C. Little, Martha J. Volk, Sept. 8, 1924; Margaret R. Lyons, Sept. 15, 1924; Helen A. O'Brien, Sept. 22, 1924; Dorothy F. R. Underhill, Sept. 29, 1924; Marion Lennon, Sept. 30, 1924.

Lowell District—R. Claire Carven, Sept. 8, 1924; Marian E. McAuliffe, Sept. 15, 1924.

Martin District—Ellen M. Kelley, Sept. 12, 1924; Dorothy Stone, Sept. 8, 1924; M. Etta Cooney, Katherine A. Foley, Catherine L. Haight, Sept. 9, 1924.

Mary Hemenway District—Joseph P. Fox, Margaret E. Hannon, Catherine L. Keefe, Alice R. Lyons, Irene M. Sullivan, Thomas J. F. Teehan, Joyce H. Young, Sept. 8, 1924.

Mather District—Katherine I. Corrigan (kindergarten), Miriam V. Gallagher, Margaret H. Griffin, Frances K. Higgins, N. Elizabeth Kennedy, Rebecca, D. Kittredge, Sept. 8, 1924; Ruth E. Minton, (kindergarten), Sept. 10, 1924; John B. O'Hoyre, Sept. 8, 1924; Catherine L. Keefe, Sept. 17, 1924; Rosemary E. Finnegan, Sept. 24, 1924; Walter L. McSwiney, Sept. 26, 1924; John J. Danahy, Sept. 29, 1924.

Minot District—Clara M. Delorey, Sylvia L. Sedley, Sept. 8, 1924; Mabel T. Beaton, Sept. 8, 1924; Cecile L. McInnis, Sept. 15, 1924.

Norcross District—Mary Delahaunt, F. Hazel Gunning, Catherine Smith, Marie Sullivan, Mary Walsh, Sept. 8, 1924; Mary L. McDonald, Sept. 23, 1924; Marie E. McCann, Sept. 24, 1924.

Oliver Hazard Perry District—Helen J. Berrigan, Margaret E. Fields, Annie E. McWilliams (Spectacle Island), Josephine Thompson, Sept. 8, 1924; Sarah J. Fleming, Sept. 15, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Wilhelmina M. Clifford, John P. Degnan, Sept. 8, 1924; Emma F. Fitzgerald, Sept. 9, 1924; Blanche R. Levy, Sept. 8, 1924; Irene M. Bragan, Sept. 22, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Alice M. Burke, Frances Dvinsky, (kindergarten), Sept. 8, 1924; Mary B. Curl, Sept. 9, 1924; Benedict T. Daly, Mary Masterson, Sept. 10, 1924; Theresa A. Arratto, Sept. 22, 1924.

Prescott District—Theresa C. Curtin, Helen F. Hegarty, John J. Norton, prevocational assistant, Sept. 8, 1924; Grace E. Rowe, Sept. 9, 1924.

Prince District—Helen Z. Whiteman (kindergarten), Sept. 11, 12, 1924 (two days); Agnes Tobin (kindergarten), Sept. 15, 1924.

Quincy District—Mary A. O'Rourke, Mary E. Clark, John F. Gorman, Sept. 8, 1924; Elinor J. Glynn (kindergarten), Sept. 29, 1924.

Rice District—Ruth E. Dowd, Clara C. Mee, Sept. 8, 1924; Frances E. Grennan, Alice Rice, Sept. 9, 1924.

Robert G. Shaw District—Katherine A. Griffin, Harold E. Keay, Josephine L. Morgan, Eleanor A. Riley, Sept. 8, 1924; Agnes Tobin (kindergarten), Sept. 8 to 12, 1924 (five days); Mary H. Lyons, Sept. 9, 1924; Puella E. Thacher, Sept. 11, 1924; Ruth E. Minton (kindergarten), Sept. 15, 1924; Helen E. Mitten, Sept. 18, 1924; Alice Bushnell, Sept. 24, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—John B. Kelley, Mary L. MacDonald, Mary C. McKay, Catherine Minehan, Helena M. Nolan, Sept. 8, 1924; Eileen Fitzgibbons, Kathryn C. Kenney, Ethel Odom, Sept. 9, 1924.

Samuel Adanis District—Mary F. Casey, Sadie M. Ginsburg, Marion L. Hannon, Genevieve Kennelly, Edythe M. McNamee, Elizabeth P. Moran, Julia I. Mulleady, Anna McGovern, Agnes M. Newcomb, Helen R. O'Brien, Mary W. O'Maley, Sept. 8, 1924; Mary Reddy, Sept. 29, 1924.

Sherwin District—Edward S. Murphy, Sept. 9, 1924; Marjorie E. Luxton (special class), Sept. 10, 1924; R. Claire Carven (special class), Sept. 15, 1924.

Shurtleff District—Catherine A. Daunt, Esther L. Cuneen, M. Agatha Hanley, Elizabeth A. Hogan, Rose A. O'Brien, Cecilia A. O'Shea, Emily I. White, Sept. 8, 1924; Margaret McHugh, Sept. 11, 1924; Mary S. Mahoney, Sept. 22, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Lillian J. Barry, Anna V. Doyle, (kindergarten), Sara K. Larkin, (kindergarten), Hannah D. Levy, Mary P. Moran, Sept. 8, 1924; Helen R. Donohoe, Sept. 29, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Edwin L. Crowley, Sept. 8, 1924; Eleanor U. Monahan, Aida E. Troiano, Marie F. Wholl, Sept. 9, 1924.

Thomas Gardner District—B. Ethel MacKay, Edna S. Peabody, Anna C. Quinn, Margaret M. Sullivan, Adeline B. Vara, Sept. 8, 1924; Helen E. Conroy, Sept. 26, 1924.

Thomas N. Hart District—Walter H. Dugan, Carolyn A. Shea, Sept. 8, 1924; Margaret Crotty, Sept. 9, 1924.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Leo J. Aicardi, Mary C. Cleary, Josephine M. Dolan, Ellen Watts, Sept. 8, 1924; Mabel R. Nathanson, Sept. 9, 1924; Constance M. Bartholomew, Sept. 15, 1924.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—R. Edith Barry, William J. Cunningham, C. Irene Hagerty, Helen E. Jenks, Gertrude V. Malone, Hugh H. O'Regan, Sept. 8, 1924; John N. Cody, Sept. 9, 1924; Alice L. Dooley, Dooley, Sept. 15, 1924; Rufina M. McCarthy, Sept. 22, 1924.

Washington District—Mary I. McKenna, (kindergarten), Ruth L. Quinn, Evelyn M. Strahl, (special class), Sept. 8, 1924; Ruth E. Hayward, Sept. 9 to 11, 1924 (three days); Irene P. Lydon, Sept. 9 to 10, 1924 (two days); Martha H. Koford, Sept. 11, 1924.

Washington Allston District—Sarah J. Fleming, L. Mae Holland, Ralph S. Monks (sub-master), Frances R. Sullivan, Gertrude M. Sullivan, Sept. 8, 1924; Josephine L. Neary, Sept. 10, 1924; Louise Sullivan, Sept. 15, 1924.

Washington Irving Intermediate District—Arthur L. Morrissey, Sept. 8, 1924.

Wells District—A. Marion McDonald, Adelaide M. McGovern, Frances R. Sullivan, Sept. 8, 1924; Marion J. Champion, Alice K. Desmond, Rose L. Loitman, Sept. 9, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—Mary C. Hawkins, Katherine L. Higgins, Mary E. Murphy, Sept. 8,

1924; M. Louise Whelan (kindergarten), Anna Whelton, Sept. 9, 1924; Helen Z. Whiteman (kindergarten), Sept. 18, 1924; Marguerite R. Creedan, Esther M. Riseman, Sept. 22, 1924.

William E. Russell District—Zita M. Fegan, Sept. 8, 1924; Helen Z. Whiteman (kindergarten), Sept. 17, 1924 (one day); Kathleen Murphy (kindergarten), Sept. 19, 1924 (one day); Hattie Fisher (kindergarten), Sept. 22, 1924; Helena Sullivan (kindergarten), Sept. 23, 1924; Ruth M. Goldsmith, Sept. 25, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Florence M. Fischer, Sept. 8, 1924; Catherine D. Burke, Mary M. Rourke (kindergarten), Sept. 9, 1924; Kathryn L. Cully, Sept. 11, 1924.

Horace Mann School—Lillian L. Church, Ethel T. English, Dorothy H. Lane, Sept. 8, 1924.

Day School for Immigrants—Isabelle Graham, Sept. 22, 1924; H. Maude Marshall, Oct. 6, 1924; Catherine G. Murray, Florence W. Small, Oct. 1, 1924; Kate V. Tiernay, Sept. 15, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Latin and Day High Schools—Cecilia M. McCann, assistant, speech improvement, Sept. 8, 1924; Francis A. Mahan, instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling, Sept. 9, 1924; Harry B. Roche, instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling, Sept. 8, 1924.

Public Latin School—John B. O'Hayre, junior master, Sept. 24, 1924.

Brighton High School—Maude E. Barlow, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924; Ruth M. Heidenreich, industrial instructor (one-half time) Sept. 9, 1924; Charles F. Seaverns, junior master, Sept. 8, 1924; Jane R. Woods, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924; John F. Thomas, junior master, Sept. 15, 1924.

Charlestown High School—Mary M. Lee, assistant, Sept. 10 to 19, 1924; Raymond J. Powers, co-operative instructor, Sept. 22, 1924; Constance Tenney, assistant, Sept. 26, 1924; George R. Kapff, junior master, Sept. 18, 1924.

Dorchester High School—Frank L. Aldiere, Edward M. Balfe, junior masters, Sept. 8, 1924; James H. Mullins, junior master, Sept. 24, 1924; George C. Gardiner, junior master, Sept. 9, 1924 (one day); George C. Gardiner, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924 (one day).

East Boston High School—William M. Murphy, junior master, Sept. 8, 1924; Frederick L. Sweeney, junior master, Sept. 15, 1924; Mary M. Sullivan, assistant, Sept. 17, 1924; George A. Reardon, junior master, Sept. 8, 1924.

English High School—Karl Belling, Charles F. Coveney, Charles J. Hamlin, junior masters, Sept. 8, 1924; George Yantis, junior master, Sept. 17, 1924.

Girls' High School—Elizabeth M. Wood, assistant instructor, salesmanship, Sept. 8, 1924.

High School of Practical Arts—Katherine L. Mannix, assistant instructor, manual arts, Sept. 8, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—Lewis F. Richardson, instructor, mechanic arts, Sept. 15, 1924; Florence W. Sands, assistant, Sept. 22, 1924 (one day).

Trade School for Girls—Elizabeth Mary Upton, helper, Sept. 8, 1924; Katherine Romeo, helper, Sept. 15, 1924; Rose Mirabile, helper, Sept. 22, 1924; Veronica Agnes Twiss, student aid, Oct. 1, 1924.

Charles Sumner District—Robert G. O'Connell, sub-master, Sept. 8, 1924.

Wendell Phillips District—John S. Kane, sub-master, Sept. 8, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Gustaf G. Larsson, shop instructor, Sept. 9, 1924; Frank A. Hurley, shop instructor, Sept. 11, 1924; Leonard L. Curado, shop instructor, Sept. 15, 1924; Rodney F. Paschal, shop instructor, Sept. 17, 1924; Minnie Darrow, shop instructor, Sept. 19, 1924; James E. Mulvanity, shop instructor, Sept. 18, 1924; William A. Collieran, shop instructor, Sept. 22, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Louie Dunn, Sarah Foley, teachers of cookery, Sept. 8, 1924; Helen Nutt, Mary C. Walsh, teachers of cookery, Sept. 9, 1924; Carolyn L. Fries, teacher of sewing, Sept. 8, 1924; Alice Cody, Mary Eunice Doherty, Carolyn M. Dyer, Beatrice Fickett, Ruth M. Heidenreich (one-half time), Katherine Hickey, Laura H. Johnston, Gertrude Payne, Rita M. Sherry, teachers of sewing, Sept. 9, 1924; Emma Cutter, teacher of sewing, Sept. 17, 1924; Edith Trout, trade assistant, Sept. 9, 1924; Mary A. Doherty, Mary J. Naphen, teachers of millinery, Sept. 9, 1924; Frances B. Haskell, teacher of millinery, Sept. 15, 1924; Minnie Darrow, trade assistant, Sept. 11, 1924; Mary E. Donovan, teacher of sewing, Sept. 8, 1924.

Placed on file.

Continuation School—John J. Bowes, Robert S. Bowes, John J. Farrell, toolkeepers, Sept. 9, 1924. Approved.

Boston Trade School—Sidney A. Gunhouse, toolkeeper, Sept. 29, 1924. Approved.

APPOINTMENTS.

(Re-entrant temporary teacher.)
Everett District—Mary Williams Tierney, re-entrant, temporary assistant, Sept. 1, 1924.
Laid over.

(From the Eligible List.)

Dorchester High School—Edward M. Balfe, instructor, commercial branches, Oct. 21, 1924.

East Boston High School—Paul A. Saunders, junior master, fifth year, Nov. 3, 1924.

English High School—Arthur F. Leary, junior master (from junior assistant), Oct. 1, 1924.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Evelyn M. O'Bryan, vocational assistant, (from prevocational assistant, Dudley District), Oct. 21, 1924.

Dearborn District—Edward J. Gill, sub-master (from junior assistant, Bigelow District), Oct. 21, 1924.

Dudley District—Doris E. Dillingham, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 21, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Alice M. Dias, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 21, 1924.

Franklin District—Margaret M. Regan, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924.

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Mary M. Powers, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Sara Prigot, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 21, 1924.

John Marshall District—Katherine I. Corrigan, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 21, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Gertrude J. Henchey, Katharine E. Holland, Forrest Levis, assistants, Oct. 21, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—John F. Barnicle, sub-master (fourth year), Francis J. Dillon, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924.

Mary Hemenway District—Irene M. Sullivan, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924.

Mather District—Frances K. Higgins, Rebecca D. Kittredge, assistants, Oct. 21, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Helen Goldstein, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 21, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Eleanor A. Riley, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Helena M. Nolan, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924.

Sherwin District—John B. Dacey, sub-master, Nov. 17, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Sara K. Larkin, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 21, 1924.

Washington Allston District—George E. Caswell, sub-master, Oct. 21, 1924.

Washington Irving Intermediate District—Thomas E. Fitzpatrick, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—Mary E. Murphy, Esther M. Risenman, assistants, Oct. 21, 1924.

William E. Russell District—Gertrude V. Crandall, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 21, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Frances Dvinsky, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 21, 1924.

(Junior Assistants.)

Charlestown High School—Madelon A. Kelley, (from Abraham Lincoln District) Sept. 22, 1924.

Dorchester High School—Gerard J. Deeley, Sept. 1, 1924.

East Boston High School—Lawrence J. Curtin, Francis L. Ford, Sept. 1, 1924.

High School of Commerce—William J. Dee, Sept. 1, 1924 (third year from Sept. 12, 1924).

Hyde Park High School—Blanche R. Levy, (from Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District) Oct. 1, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—Margaret M. Crowley, Sept. 1, 1924.

Mechanic Arts High School—James J. Daly, Sept. 1, 1924.

Roxbury High School—Mary A. Grandfield, Alice P. Hennessey, Sept. 1, 1924.

Abraham Lincoln District—Madelon A. Kelley, Sept. 1, 1924.

Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District—John H. Treanor, Sept. 1, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Wilhelmina M. Clifford, Sept. 1, 1924; Blanche R. Levy, Sept. 1, 1924; Mary M. Lee, Sept. 29, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Helen R. O'Brien, Sept. 1, 1924.

Approved.

(By Promotion.)

South Boston High School—Angela C. McManus, assistant (physical training), from assistant instructor in physical training, Sept. 10, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Julia R. O'Brien, master's assistant (from assistant, Continuation School), Oct. 8, 1924.

Hyde District—Angela M. Pearce, master's assistant (from assistant, Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District), Oct. 8, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Mary H. Healey, master's assistant (from assistant), Oct. 8, 1924.

Thomas N. Hart District—Etta

A. Manning, master's assistant (from assistant, John Winthrop District), Oct. 8, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

(Kindergartens, two sessions.)

Charles Sumner District—Mildred C. Phillips, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 18, 1924.

Christopher Gibson District—Anna L. Smith, first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from first assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 22, 1924; Florence E. Smith, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 22, 1924.

Dearborn District—Mary R. Desmond, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 29, 1924; Marion R. Stevens, first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from first assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 29, 1924.

Dillaway District—Elizabeth M. Laurie, first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from first assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 8, 1924; Catherine M. McCance, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 8, 1924.

Edmund P. Tileston District—Lucy E. Low, first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from first assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 1, 1924.

Gaston District—Grace L. Sanger, first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from first assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 15, 1924.

Hancock District—Ethel S. Murkland, first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from first assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 6, 1924.

John Marshall District—Helen M. Tivnen, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 16, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Sally S. Allen, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 15, 1924.

Longfellow District—Evangeline Conza, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 29, 1924.

Mather District—Ada Cushing, first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from first assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 23, 1924; Marion E. Puttner, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant kindergarten), Sept. 23, 1924; Clara Ransom, first assistant, kindergarten two sessions (from first assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 15, 1924; Jessie E. Small, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant kindergarten), Sept. 15, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Helen E. Freeman, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant kindergarten), Sept. 9, 1924.

Wells District—Mary FitzGerald, first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from first assistant kindergarten), Sept. 19, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Willa E. Wingate, assistant kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Sept. 15, 1924.

Approved.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1924-25.

Theodore Roosevelt Evening School—Joel W. Reynolds, principal, Sept. 29, 1924.

Brighton Evening Commercial High School—Thomas F. Gately, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924.

Central Evening High School—George A. Cushman, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924; John H. Card, Harry A.

Grant, Alfred B. Kershaw, John J. McCarthy, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Harold E. Mackay, laboratory assistant, Sept. 29, 1924.

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School—Malcolm D. Campbell, John B. Casey, Hubert G. Fisher, Rollin H. Fisher, Edwin F. Hannon, Fannie Myerson, Joseph M. Sullivan, John H. Ward, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Thomas J. Hoey, assistant, Oct. 2, 1924; Abram E. Freeman, John H. Noble, William J. Pendergast, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

East Boston Evening Commercial High School—Arthur H. Delano, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924.

Girls' Evening Commercial High School—Ralph C. Benedict, Leo T. Foster, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Chester M. Grover, assistant, Sept. 29 to Oct. 7, 1924 (five evenings); Lilian C. Burbank, Eleanor G. Gale, Constance Tenney, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Hyde Park Evening Commercial High School—Maude E. Butters, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Mary K. Austin, Ralph B. Dibble, George L. McKim, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924; John J. Quinn, Jr., Oct. 2, 1924; Henry R. Gardner, John E. J. Kelley, Albert F. Reed, William F. Rice, Katherine W. Ross, Max Weiss, assistants, Sept. 29 to Oct. 2, 1924 (three evenings); Herbert T. Rich, Frank D. Shea, Mary L. Knodell, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924.

South Boston Evening Commercial High School—Agnes E. Barry, George F. Barry, William J. Gross, Richard A. McCarthy, William E. O'Connor, Eugene J. O'Neil, Alfred B. Sullivan, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Bigelow Evening School—Anna E. Cushing, Annie T. Keohane, Mae E. Tierney, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Bowdoin Evening School—Josephine G. Carroll, Marie C. Turner, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924; Mary A. Dorgan, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924.

Comins Evening School—William P. Quinn, first assistant, Sept. 29, 1924; Helen C. Conway, Anna J. Corliss, Marion E. Duggan, Hugh H. O'Regan, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Irene W. Baker, Mary E. Curley, Nellie T. Gallagher, Eleanor J. Kennedy, Mary F. McMullin, Theresa F. O'Connor, Anna E. Schaefer, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Dearborn Evening School—Thomas L. Mea, first assistant, Sept. 29, 1924; Margaret J. Brown, Mary J. Carroll, Nora E. Gateley, Mary A. Magner, Kathleen M. Murphy, Edna I. Nichols, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Edward Everett Evening School—Viola W. Hume, Sept. 29, 1924; Emma L. Cutter, Elizabeth M. Fitzgibbons, Lucy Healey, Anna G. McLoughlin, Mary S. Morrissey, Mary T. Naphen, Margaret M. O'Connor, Rita M. Sherry, Clara A. Staudenmayer, Anne M. Sweeney, Esther C. Woods, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Eliot Evening School—Francis J. Lyons, first assistant, Sept. 29, 1924; Margaret A. Canney, Marion A. Cotter, John J. Norton, Marguerite A. Wiles, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Victoria R. Cotichini, Margaret H. Kenney, Gertrude V. Malone, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Franklin Evening School—Patrick L. Geary, James H. Nolan, first assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Meyer L. Alpert, Katharine L. Colbert, Margaret N. Crotty, John P. Degnan, Margaret M. Flaherty, Anna L. Gormley, Mary O. Nolan, Francis P. O'Brien, Mary E. Rockwood, Clare L. Zimmerman, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Margaretha E. Boebel, Mary G. Gallagher, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Frederic W. Lincoln Evening School—Jane U. Barry, Mary M. Fitzgerald, assistants, Sept. 29 to Oct. 2, 1924 (three evenings); Elizabeth M. Fitzpatrick, Julia M. Merchant, Marie E. Mulhall, Katherine Ott, Rita G. Powers, Mary V. Raftery, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Hyde Park Evening School—Lillian B. Blackmer, Mary J. Mulcahy, Evelyn L. Murphy, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Theresa A. Kelley, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Margaret M. Biggy, Elizabeth S. Devlin, Margaret R. Kenneally, Thomas F. Luby, Elizabeth J. Moynahan, Helen A. Murphy, Madeline B. Murphy, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Mary R. McCue, Helen R. O'Hearn, Mary E. Sullivan, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Phillips Brooks Evening School—Edith F. Barstow, Caroline E. Davison, Mary J. Hynes, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924; Anna T. McCloskey, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924; Katherine Moran, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924.

Roger Wolcott Evening School—Sarah L. Abrahamson, Louise M. Baatz, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Theodore Lyman Evening School—Joseph E. Kelly, Frederick L. Mahoney, first assistants, Sept. 29, 1924. Alice D. Murley, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924; Mary E. Beeler, Clara Fopiano, Mary F. Ford, Frances W. Kelley, Mary T. Morris, Helen A. Prendible, Helen E. Sullivan, Regina M. Wholley, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Evening School—Anne M. Driscoll, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924; Alice J. Barry, Mary T. Eager, Aldina H. Haines, Mary G. Murphy, Nellie L. Paine, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Washington Evening School—Walter A. Cremen, Ellen F. Joyce, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Elva B. Ham, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924.

Washington Irving Evening School—Agnes K. Clinton, Anna C. Gallagher, Leonie D. Granger, Frances M. Holleran, Marjorie A. Slattery, Margaret M. Tuohy, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924; Mary T. Norton, assistant, Oct. 7, 1924.

Approved.

Supervisor Division C Classes—Elizabeth G. Caulfield, Oct. 6, 1924. Approved.

Boston Trade School, (Evening Classes).—John A. Fisher, William B. Henry, assistants, in charge, Sept. 29, 1924; Robert E. Baker, Richard V. Barry, Warren C. Burnham, Cornelius T. Curtin, Chester B. Hammond, Charles F. L'Hommiedieu, Martin L. Olson, Thomas A. Roche, Andrew Roswall, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Ingolf V. Bockman, Arthur A. Capitell, Walter F. Connolly, Alanson O. Dawes, J. Paul Dallas, Patrick J. Downey, Isaac Goddard, John A. Lane, Ellsworth M. Longfield, Lester E. Markham, Ralph F. Morrison, Samuel R. Romano, David N. Rubin, Thomas C. Walsh, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924; Charles M. Curl, Arthur H. Kipp, Anthony F. Mayr, Charles M. McKenzie, Reinhold L. Swan, second assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Approved.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Carl G. Engborg as assistant, Boston Trade School, Evening Classes, is hereby authorized for the evening school term 1924-25, to take effect Sept. 29, 1924, compensation for

said service to be at the rate of five dollars (\$5.00) per evening of service.

Trade School for Girls (Extension Classes).—Katherine Bergen, Agnes F. Graham, Marie E. Jobin, Adeline A. Kanz, Myrtle A. Ruggles, Anna E. Silva, Bertha D. Tucker, Eleanor G. Wright, assistants, Sept. 29, 1924; Rose A. Moran, second assistant, Sept. 29, 1924; Katherine Romeo, second assistant, Oct. 6, 1924.

Approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board and with the approval of the Division of Civil Service, he has appointed the following-named clerical assistants for the evening school term, 1924-1925:

Brighton Evening Commercial High School—Elizabeth T. Cooney, Sept. 29, 1924.

Central Evening High School—Michael J. Pendergast, Sept. 29, 1924; Mary G. O'Neil (temporary), Sept. 29, 1924.

Charlestown Evening Commercial High School—Margaret H. Kelly, Sept. 29, 1924.

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School—John E. Whelan, Sept. 29, 1924; Elizabeth T. Jenkins (temporary), Sept. 29, 1924.

East Boston Evening Commercial High School—Elizabeth T. McSweeney, Sept. 29, 1924.

Girls' Evening Commercial High School—Catherine G. Lenehan, Sept. 29, 1924; Ruth Yankelewitz (temporary), Oct. 2, 1924.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—James V. Barrett, Sept. 29, 1924; Catherine T. R. Healey (temporary), Sept. 29, 1924.

South Boston Evening Commercial High School—Margaret M. Swan, Sept. 29, 1924; Anna L. Madden, (temporary), Sept. 29, 1924.

Bigelow Evening School—Mary C. Rice, Sept. 29, 1924.

Bowdoin Evening School—Grace M. Cleary, Sept. 29, 1924.

Comins Evening School—Mary M. Maguire, Sept. 29, 1924.

Dearborn Evening School—Mary E. Fleming, Sept. 29, 1924.

Edward Everett Evening School—Mary E. Fitzgerald, Sept. 29, 1924.

Eliot Evening School—Evelyn M. Farrell, Sept. 29, 1924.

Franklin Evening School—Agnes C. McCormick, Sept. 29, 1924.

Frederic W. Lincoln Evening School—M. Isabel Mace, Sept. 29, 1924.

Hyde Park Evening School—Mary M. Bowen, Sept. 29, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Helen L. Coughlan, Sept. 29, 1924.

Phillips Brooks Evening School—Gertrude M. Harkins, Sept. 29, 1924.

Roger Wolcott Evening School—Alice V. Watson, Sept. 29, 1924.

Theodore Lyman Evening School—Theresa B. O'Connell, Sept. 29, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Evening School—Kathryne M. Gildea, Sept. 29, 1924.

Washington Evening School—Josephine A. Hanlon, Adelaide P. English, Sept. 29, 1924.

Washington Irving Evening School—Eleanor M. Moore, Sept. 29, 1924.

Approved.

SCHOOL CENTERS

Term 1924-25.

Charlestown High School Center—Elizabeth R. Teaffe, associate manager in charge, Oct. 1, 1924.

Dorchester High School Center—Margaret M. Higgins, associate manager in charge, Oct. 1, 1924.

East Boston High School Center—Arthur W. Hill, manager, Oct. 1, 1924; Elizabeth W. Pigeon, associate manager in charge, Oct. 1, 1924.

Michelangelo School Center—John A. Scanga, manager, Oct. 1, 1924.

Roxbury Practical Arts High School Center—Mary S. Keene, associate manager in charge, Oct. 1, 1924.

Sarah Greenwood School Center—James C. Gallagher, manager, Oct. 1, 1924.

South Boston High School Center—John P. Connaughton, manager, Oct. 1, 1924.

Approved.

TEACHER MANAGERS OF ATHLETICS.

Term 1924-25.

Public Latin School—Charles W. French.

Brighton High School—Joseph A. Leary.

Charlestown High School—John A. Bergin.

Dorchester High School—John J. Connelly, Jr.

East Boston High School—John B. Merrill.

English High School—William E. Smith.

High School of Commerce—John M. Gallagher.

Hyde Park High School—John A. Lahive.

Jamaica Plain High School—Albert F. Higgins.

Mechanic Arts High School—Gordon F. Irons.

South Boston High School—John E. J. Kelley.

Boston Trade School—Walter F. Connolly.

Approved.

TEACHER COACHES.

Term 1924-25

Public Latin School—Charles S. Fitzgerald.

Brighton High School—Thomas A. Scanlon.

Charlestown High School—Robert W. Ford.

Dorchester High School—William J. Pendergast.

English High School—Edward N. Wilson.

High School of Commerce—William F. Fleming.

Hyde Park High School—D. Leo Daley.

Jamaica Plain High School—James L. Duffy.

Mechanic Arts High School—Joseph R. B. Dunn.

South Boston High School—Joseph G. Green.

Boston Trade School—Henry J. Tilton.

Approved.

COACH.

East Boston High School—Fredrick L. O'Brien.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Charlotte Adams, Marie R. Ahern, Greta Allen, Rebecca B. Andrews, Bessie Aronson, Lillian G. Arrell, Florence E. Bakewell, Constance M. Bartholomew, Ruth S. Berlin, Pau-

line D. Berthold, S. Grace Blackhurst, Esther K. Blair, Philip L. Bradley, Eleanor Brown, Helen Bruner, Catherine D. Burke, Florence M. Burke, Francis J. Campbell, Katherine B. Campbell, Margaret Campbell, Marion L. Carnegie, Geraldine J. Chamberlain, Ellen E. Clark, Henry C. Clark, Catherine L. Clarkson, Mabel E. Coburn, Frances L. Collins, Mary L. Collins, Arthur J. Connery, Helen E. Conroy, Joseph F. Cooper, Elizabeth H. Costello, Marguerite R. Creedan, Richard J. Crowley, Dorothy Cunniff, Alice G. Curran, John J. Danahy, Thomas A. Deely, Katherine M. Delany, Isolina del Toro, Margaret M. Desmond, Gertrude A. Dillon, Aloyse P. Doherty, Mary Elizabeth Doherty, Elizabeth M. Donnelly, Helen R. Donohoe, Theodora Donovan, Clara M. Dorr, Anna M. Doyle, Doris K. Eastman, Kathleen Edwards, Francis E. Falvey, Louise F. Fine, Rosemary E. Finnegan, Hattie E. Fisher, Emma F. Fitzgerald, Mary E. Fitzpatrick, Marie C. Flannelly, Margaret L. Foley, Annie M. Franey, George C. Gardiner, Louise A. Gartland, Margaret A. Gately, Esther Glovsky, Margaret C. Gohery, Mary E. Grant, Evelyn H. Greene, Frances E. Grennan, Catherine L. Haight, Catherine A. Hamilton, Ruth E. Hayward, Esther Hennessey, Mary J. Herlihy, Alice M. Hicks, Olivia F. Howley, Agnes B. Hoye, Paul Keller, Margaret M. Joy, Eva L. Jordan, Anna Katseff, Catherine L. Keefe, Esther E. Kelley, Ruth Kelley, Irene C. Kiernan, Pearl A. Larson, Anna M. Lenehan, Marion Lennon, Fannie B. Linsky, Marjorie I. Lynch, Mary E. A. Lynch, Patrick H. Lyons, John H. MacGrath, Mary S. Mahoney, John T. Maloney, Anna Magrath, Mary S. Mallahan, Eugenie G. Maguire, Helen J. McCarthy, A. Marion McDonald, Walter L. McSwiney, Margaret Meara, Margaret Middleton, Helen Minsky, Helen E. Mitten, Annabelle E. Moise, Natalie P. Moran, Frank E. Morrissey, Grace E. Moulton, Dorothy A. Mullen, C. Elizabeth Mulloney, Christine M. Murphy, Esther T. Murphy, Kathleen Murphy, Marguerite L. Murphy, Mabel R. Nathanson, Theresa C. Noonan, Cyril D. Norton, Marjorie M. Norton, Margaret E. Nutley, Hazel F. O'Brien, James O'Dowd, Alice P. O'Keefe, Josephine M. O'Neil, Agnes S. Ordnung, Mary P. O'Rourke, William A. O'Shea, Umberto Palumbo, Grace E. Penney, Mary L. Poland, Helen A. Powell, Louise H. Powers, Helen J. Quinn, Mary Reddy, Josephine Reed, Alice Rice, Emily T. Ricker, Elizabeth A. Roach, Jeannette R. Robinson, Mary E. Rogers, Minna Rosen, Mary M. Rourke, Verdia Roust, Grace E. Rowe, Florence Sands, Margaret Scannell, Lucille Scott, Alice Selian, Edwin M. Shannon, Emily Shannon, Alfred C. Sheehan, Phyllis K. Smith, Rosemary Stack, Blanche B. Stone, Ellene M. Sullivan, Helena E. Sullivan, Mary E. Sullivan, Ellen A. Valuski, Catherine Waggett, John J. Wardell, Gertrude A. Welch, Bessie L. Wessells, Ellen G. White, Francis P. White, Bertha Winkler, Agnes M. Young, George D. Yantis.

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS.

Term 1924-25.

Play teachers—

Public Latin School—Gerard B. Cleary.

English High School—Earl M. Benson, Barnaby M. Hogan.

High School of Commerce—Walter L. McLean.

Mechanic Arts High School—James H. Holland, Jr.

Approved.

TRANSFERS

East Boston High School—Margaret A. Lynch, junior assistant, to the same position in the Roxbury High School, Sept. 17, 1924; Francis L. Ford, junior assistant, to the same position in the Mechanic Arts High School, Oct. 1, 1924.

High School of Commerce—William J. Dee, junior assistant, to the same position in the Mechanic Arts High School, Sept. 16, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Katherine E. Lahey, master's assistant, to the same position in the John A. Andrew District, Oct. 1, 1924.

Hancock District—Mary E. Brazil, first assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Blackinton-John Cheverus District, Oct. 1, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—Helen Weisman, assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Mather District, Sept. 18, 1924.

William E. Russell District—Gertrude E. Merrill, assistant, to the same position in the Mather District, Sept. 25, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Willa E. Wingate, assistant kindergarten, to the same position in the Bennett District, Oct. 1, 1924.

Everett District—Dorothy S. Glover, assistant, to the same position in the Dudley District, Oct. 14, 1924.

Francis Parkman District—Agnes C. Brennan, assistant, to the same position in the John Winthrop District, Oct. 8, 1924.

Abraham Lincoln District—Hannah E. Tobin, assistant, to the same position in the Francis Parkman District, Oct. 8, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Mary A. Campbell, Helen M. Lally, assistants, to the same positions in the Dearborn Evening School, Oct. 6, 1924.

Approved.

REAPPOINTMENT OF ATTENDANTS, OPEN AIR CLASSES.

Bowditch District (Hillside School)—May Kennedy, Sept. 22, 1924.

Bowdoin District (Bowdoin School)—Sarah Ahearn, Sept. 11, 1924.

Dwight District (Joshua Bates School)—Nora Fitzpatrick, Sept. 9, 1924.

Frederic W. Lincoln District (Frederic W. Lincoln School)—Sarah Belier, Sept. 22, 1924.

Hancock District (Cushman School)—Rose Fratus, Sept. 15, 1924; (Paul Revere School)—Amelia Borzillo, Sept. 15, 1924.

Lowell District (Lowell Portable School)—Ida B. Washburn, Sept. 9, 1924.

Norcross District (George Frisbie Hoar School)—Mary A. Collins, Sept. 15, 1924.

Quincy District (Andrews School)—Carmella R. Sololaqua, Sept. 9, 1924.

Washington District (Washington School)—Mary Starnefski, Sept. 11, 1924.

Wells District (William Blackstone School)—Margaret E. Smith, Nov. 3, 1924.

Wendell Phillips District (Peter Fancuil School)—Catherine Leaney, Sept. 9, 1924.
Approved.

ATTENDANTS, SCHOOL LUNCHES.

Bowdoin District (Bowdoin School)—Ellen Healey, Sept. 12, 1924; (Sharp School)—Sarah F. McGinnis, Sept. 12, 1924.

Ellet-Hancock District (Michelan School)—Jennie Breth, Sept. 15, 1924; (Moon Street School) Rose Razzeto, Sept. 15, 1924.

Hancock District (Cushman School)—Minnie Benedetti, Sept. 15, 1924; (Paul Revere School), Grace Maggi, Sept. 15, 1924.

Jefferson-Comins District (Comins School)—Mary Millin, Sept. 9, 1924.

Oliver Hazard Perry District (Benjamin Pope School)—Mary Mack, Sept. 15, 1924.

Prescott District (Prescott School)—Catherine A. McGonagle, Sept. 22, 1924.

Prince District (William McKinley School)—Mary E. Butler, Sept. 9, 1924.

Quincy District (Quincy School)—Catherine Dolan, Sept. 15, 1924.

Ulysses S. Grant District (James Otis School)—Josephine F. Lamond, Oct. 1, 1924.

Wells District (Elizabeth Peabody School)—Concetta Martini, Nov. 3, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Girls' Latin School—Alice A. Brophy, assistant, from Sept. 8 to Dec. 7, 1924; Frances Burnce, assistant, Sept. 29 and Oct. 8, 1924, two days, Jewish holidays; Frances Burnce, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Alice M. Smith, assistant, Oct. 3, 1924, one day, funeral.

Dorchester High School—Louisa E. Humphrey, assistant, from Sept. 8 to Dec. 8, 1924.

English High School—Andrew R. McCormick, junior master, Sept. 8 and 9, 1924, two days, without pay.

High School of Commerce—Edward F. Sherlock, junior master, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay.

High School of Practical Arts—Jennie E. Bailey, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay; Helen J. Kiggen, co-operative assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (unavoidable delay of steamer returning from Europe).

Hyde Park High School—Ruby H. Cole, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (unavoidable delay of steamer returning from Europe).

Jamaica Plain High School—Margaret M. Crowley, junior assistant, Sept. 10, 11 and 13, 1924, three days, without pay.

Continuation School—Daniel M. Daley, instructor, boys' classes, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay; Grace G. O'Brien, trade assistant, Sept. 10, 1924, one day, funeral; Grace G. O'Brien, trade assistant, Sept. 11 and 12, 1924, two days, without pay.

Abraham Lincoln District—Hannah E. Tobin, assistant, Sept. 16, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Bennett District—Helen E. Rourke, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day,

funeral; Edith Stahl, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Harry Brooks, sub-master in charge, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Katherine F. Dooley, assistant, Sept. 26, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Kate E. McMullin, assistant, Sept. 22, 1924, one-half day, court summons; Sadie R. Siegel, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Sadie R. Siegel, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Bowdoin District—Bertha G. Burger, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Bertha G. Burger, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Eva Chofnas, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Eva Chofnas, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Ella C. Rosengard, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Ella C. Rosengard, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Chapman District—Ida Feldman, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Ida Feldman, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Mary E. Sheridan, assistant, Sept. 22, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Charles Sumner District—Elizabeth M. Healy, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Katherine MacDonald, first assistant, kindergarten, from Sept. 8, to Oct. 21, 1924.

Christopher Gibson District—Anna E. Appel, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Anna E. Appel, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Dearborn District—S. Albert Cragin, sub-master, Sept. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Dillaway District—Elizabeth M. Finneran, master's assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (unavoidable delay of steamer returning from Europe).

Dudley District—Mildred T. Barron, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Sarah E. Cohen, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Sarah E. Cohen, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Dwight District—Minnie A. Noyes, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (unavoidable delay of steamer returning from Europe).

Edmund P. Tileston District—Lena Scitlin, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Lena Scitlin, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Esther R. Thurman, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Esther R. Thurman, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Edward Everett District—Josephine Smith, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, without pay.

Elihu Greenwood District—Nettie L. Ballou, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day without loss of pay (unavoidable delay of steamer returning from Europe); Mary M. J. Egar, assistant, Sept. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Ellet District—M. Elizabeth McGinley, assistant, Sept. 10, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Margaret E. Power, assistant, Sept. 24, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Francis Parkman District—Katherine A. Miller, assistant, Sept. 15, 1924, one day, wedding; Katherine A. Miller, assistant, Sept. 16, 1924, one day, without pay.

Franklin District—Grace G. Colman, assistant, from Oct. 6 to 31, 1924; Rose Michaelson, assistant,

Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Rose Michaelson, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Anna Shultz, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Anna Shultz, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Gilbert Stuart District—Bessie I. Breslasky, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Hancock District—Jennie Breth, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Jennie Breth, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Lillian Cherry, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Lillian Cherry, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Gladys M. MacKay, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one-half day without pay; Gertrude E. Roberts, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Gertrude E. Roberts, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; May H. Sears, master's assistant, Sept. 18, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Mary B. Waldstein, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Mary B. Waldstein, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Mary J. Boyhan, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Selma S. Samuels, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Selma S. Samuels, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Henry L. Pierce District—Dora Slepian, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Dora Slepian, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Hugh O'Brien District—Emma M. Foteh, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay; Irene M. Walsh, assistant, Sept. 23, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Jefferson-Comins District—Frances B. McCarron, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay.

John Winthrop District—Theresa E. Hayes, assistant, from Oct. 1, to Nov. 30, 1924; Miriam Kallen, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Margaret M. O'Hare, clerical assistant, Sept. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Esther Quint, assistant, special class, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Esther Quint, assistant, special class, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Selma S. Stern, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Selma S. Stern, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day without pay.

Julia Ward Howe District—Cecelia F. Doherty, assistant, Oct. 1, 1924, one-half day, wedding; Marion Goldstein, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Mary V. O'Neill, assistant, Oct. 1, 1924, one day, wedding.

Lewis Intermediate District—Ethel C. Lane, first assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 24, 1924, one day, funeral; Gertrude L. Mazur, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Gertrude L. Mazur, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Rachel Rosnosky, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Lowell District—Florence Hurwitz, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Florence Hurwitz, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Myra Wentworth, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay.

Mary Hemenway District—Olivia F. O'Donnell, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay; Helen Rosnosky, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Mather District—Rena Lewis, as-

sistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Helen Weisman, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Helen Weisman, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Phillips Brooks District—Minnie Colitz, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Minnie Colitz, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Delia M. Coneys, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (unavoidable delay of steamer returning from Europe); Celia L. Hurwitz, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Celia L. Hurwitz, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Gertrude Jacobs, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Gertrude Jacobs, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Mary E. Kelleher, assistant, from Sept. 8 to Nov. 8, 1924; Louise V. Tivnan, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (unavoidable delay of steamer returning from Europe); Sara Rice, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Sara Rice, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Margaret R. Scully, assistant, Sept. 11, 1924, one day, without pay; Jessica B. Smith, assistant, Sept. 22, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Prince District—Beatrice G. Hantz, junior assistant, Sept. 24, 1924, one day, wedding.

Quincy District—Eva Green, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Eva Green, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Rice District—Eva Gordon, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Eva Gordon, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Roger Wolcott District—Rose Arenson, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Rose Arenson, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Elizabeth C. Banker, assistant, Sept. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Rose B. Greenburg, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Rose B. Greenburg, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Dorothy Kalker, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Dorothy Kalker, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Marion R. Kanter, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Marion R. Kanter, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Celia Levinson, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Celia Levinson, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Sara L. Meyers, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Alice Pike, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Alice Pike, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Mollie Plotkin, clerical assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Mollie Plotkin, clerical assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Eva Shulman, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Eva Shulman, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Sherwin District—Rose E. Conaty, assistant, Sept. 24, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Annie Golden, assistant special class, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Phoebe Pinzur, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Phoebe Pinzur, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Edward P. Shute, master, Sept. 17, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Shurtleff District—Mary E. Donovan, assistant, Sept. 22, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Ruth A. Sharkey, assistant, Sept. 22, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Theodore Lyman District—Mabel G. Finlay, first assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (unavoidable delay of steamer returning from Europe).

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Rebecca E. Daniels, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Thomas Gardner District—A. Elizabeth Crowell, assistant, from Sept. 8 to Oct. 31, 1924, without pay.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Dora Kalish, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Dora Kalish, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Dorothy Rosenauer, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Dorothy Rosenauer, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Katherine Vernon, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Katherine Vernon, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Washington District—Daisy Pokroisky, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Daisy Pokroisky, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Washington-Aliston District—Edith B. Ricles, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Edith B. Ricles, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Wells District—Ida Burgen, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Ida Burgen, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Helen J. Hirson, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Helen J. Hirson, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Elizabeth Kigen, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (unavoidable delay of steamer returning from Europe); Ida Mondlick, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Ida Mondlick, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Sarah Smith, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Wendell Phillips District—Elizabeth M. Shine, assistant, Sept. 11, 1924, one day, funeral; Minnie W. Silverman, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Minnie W. Silverman, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

William E. Endicott District—Annie S. Belinsky, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Annie S. Belinsky, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Jennie F. Boles, assistant, Sept. 12, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Miriam Cohen, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Miriam Cohen, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay; Pauline Miller, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Pauline Miller, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Florence Herbsman, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Florence Herbsman, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Mary G. Fitzpatrick, teacher of sewing, Sept. 8, 25 and 26, 1924, three days, without pay; M. Lillian McCormick, teacher of sewing, Sept. 24, 1924, one-half day, wedding; Margaret T. McCormick, teacher of sewing, Sept. 24, 1924, one-half day, wedding; Isabelle C. McIntyre, teacher of cookery, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay; Aloyse M. Owen, teacher of cookery, Sept. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Department of Manual Arts—Walter E. Shaughnessy, instructor shop work, Oct. 3, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Harriet F. Smith, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Simon F. Curran, M. D., school physician, Sept. 12, 1924, one day, without pay; Anna B. McCue, school nurse, Sept. 26 and 27, 1924, one and one-half days, without pay.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Thomas D. Ginn, vocational instructor, Sept. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Henry Wisansky, vocational instructor, Sept. 29, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Henry Wisansky, vocational instructor, Sept. 30, 1924, one day, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Norcross District—Helen T. Noonan, assistant, from Sept. 8 to 30, 1924, without pay.

ASSIGNMENTS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned the following-named teacher to a class attended exclusively by boys in grade above the third in the district herein stated:

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Sarah M. Harkins, assistant, Apr. 3, 1922.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has made the following re-assignment:

Department of Medical Inspection—Joseph A. Cogan, M. D., school physician, as Acting-Director of Medical Inspection (vice William H. Devine, M. D., absent on leave), from Sept. 1, 1924, to Oct. 31, 1924.

Placed on file and the re-assignment approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has reassigned Isabel J. Mulkern, assistant, Quincy District, to the Quincy Prevocational Center, on one-third time, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file and the re-assignment approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Louise M. Borre, assistant, Edmund P. Tileston District, to the East Boston High School, without change of rank or salary, said assignment to take effect Sept. 22, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file and the assignment approved.

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting the following designations of teachers to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled in accordance with the rules and regulations:

Bowditch District—Josephine M. Friery, assistant, as acting-master's assistant, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

Elliot District—Mary E. Hughes, assistant, as acting-master's assistant, to take effect Sept. 9, 1924.

Hyde District—Ellen J. Brosnahan, assistant, as acting-master's assistant, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

Lawrence District—Mary J. Gomes, assistant, as acting-master's assistant, to take effect Sept. 16, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—M. Loretta Kennedy, assistant kindergarten, as acting-first assistant kindergarten, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Rose E. McEnaney, assistant, as acting-master's assistant, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

Wells District—Ellen F. Joyce, assistant, as acting-master's assistant, to take effect Oct. 1, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Willa E. Wingate, assistant kindergarten, as acting-first assistant kindergarten (vice Grace S. Mansfield, absent on leave), from Sept. 1, 1924, to Sept. 30, 1924.

Placed on file.

RETIREMENTS ON PENSION.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the following-named persons be retired on pension in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908, as amended by Chapter 617 of the Acts of 1910, Chapter 569 of the Acts of 1912, and Chapter 304 of the Special Acts of 1915, the date of retirement and the rate of pension to be as hereinafter specified:

Prince District—Kate A. Raycroft, length of service 46 years, 7 months, Aug. 31, 1924, \$600.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Mary C. Richards, length of service 39 years, Oct. 31, 1924, \$600.

Passed a majority of the Board voting in the affirmative.

ESTABLISHMENT OF BRANCHES OF EVENING SCHOOLS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That a branch of the Theodore Roosevelt Evening School is hereby established in the George Putnam School-house for the ensuing term, to take effect Oct. 6, 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That a branch of the Franklin Evening School is hereby established in the Everett School-house for the ensuing term, to take effect, Oct. 6, 1924.

RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF OPEN AIR CLASSES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the following open air classes are hereby re-established for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless discontinued prior to that date by order of the Board.

Abraham Lincoln	1
Dwight	1
Bowdoin	4
Bowditch	1
Frederic W. Lincoln	1
Hancock	4
Lowell	1
Norcross	2
Quincy	3
Washington	1
Wells	3
Wendell Phillips	1

ESTABLISHMENT OF SCHOOL CENTERS, 1924-25.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That sessions of the school centers for 1924-25 be held in the following-named schoolhouses, beginning Oct. 15, 1924:

Brighton High School-house.
Charlestown High School-house.
Dorchester High School-house.
East Boston High School-house.
English High School-house.
High School of Practical Arts.
Michelangelo School-house.
Sarah Greenwood School-house.
South Boston High School-house.
Teachers' College of the City of Boston.

William Blackstone School-house.

ASSIGNMENT OF ELIZABETH W. PIGEON FOR WORK IN CONNECTION WITH HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Elizabeth W. Pigeon, associate manager in charge, East Boston High School Center, is hereby assigned for work with home and school associations in connection with the Extended Use of the Public Schools, to take effect Oct. 1, 1924, said assignment to be without additional compensation.

DISCONTINUANCE OF AFTER-NOON SESSIONS OF CERTAIN KINDERGARTENS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that he has discontinued the afternoon sessions of the following-named kindergartens, to take effect on the dates indicated:

Bennett District—Winship School, Sept. 30, 1924.

Harvard-Frothingham District—William H. Kent School, Aug. 31, 1924.

Prescott District—James A. McDonald School, Sept. 25, 1924.

Placed on file.

TERMINATION OF SERVICES OF TEACHERS IN AFTERNOON SESSIONS OF CERTAIN TWO-SESSION KINDERGARTENS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that he has terminated the services of the following-named teachers in the afternoon sessions of the kindergartens indicated, to take effect on the dates stated:

Bennett District—Bernice A. Hill, first assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924; Mildred E. Parsons assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Angelina K. Mudge, first assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1924.

Prescott District—Christine G. Long, first assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 25, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Willa E. Wingate, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 30, 1924.

Placed on file.

SALARIES OF CERTAIN KINDERGARTEN TEACHERS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Bernice A. Hill, first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Bennett District, is hereby placed on the maximum salary of the rank, namely, eighteen hundred twenty-four dollars (\$1824) per annum, to take effect Oct. 1, 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Mildred E. Parsons, assistant kindergarten (one session), Bennett District, is hereby placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, fifteen hundred sixty dollars (\$1560) per annum, to take effect Oct. 1, 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Angelina K. Mudge, first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Harvard-Frothingham District, is hereby placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, eighteen hundred twenty-four (\$1824) per annum, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Christine G. Long, first assistant, kindergarten (one session), Prescott District, is hereby placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, eighteen hundred twenty-four dollars (\$1824) per annum, to take effect Sept. 26, 1924.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Willa E. Wingate, assistant, kindergarten (one session), Bennett District, is hereby placed upon the first year of the salary of the rank, namely, ten hundred and eighty dollars (\$1080) per annum, to take effect Oct. 1, 1924; that she be placed upon the second year of the salary of the rank, namely, eleven hundred and seventy-six dollars (\$1176) per annum, to take effect Nov. 19, 1924; and that she be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Mildred C. Phillips, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Charles Sumner District, is hereby placed upon the first year of the salary of the rank, namely, eleven hundred seventy-six dollars (\$1,176) per annum, to take effect Sept. 18, 1924; that she be placed upon the second year of the salary of the rank, namely, twelve hundred seventy-two dollars (\$1,272) per annum to take effect Dec. 4, 1924; and that she be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Anna L. Smith, first assistant, kindergarten (two

sessions), Christopher Gibson District, is hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,920) per annum, to take effect Sept. 22, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Sept. 22, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Florence E. Smith, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Christopher Gibson District, is hereby placed upon the first year salary of the rank, namely eleven hundred seventy-six dollars (\$1,176) per annum, to take effect Sept. 22, 1924; that she be placed upon the second year of the salary of the rank, namely, twelve hundred seventy-two dollars (\$1,272) per annum, to take effect Nov. 19, 1924; and that she be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Mary R. Desmond, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Dearborn District, is hereby placed upon the first year of the salary of the rank, namely, eleven hundred seventy-six dollars (\$1,176) per annum, to take effect Sept. 29, 1924; that she be placed upon the second year of the salary of the rank, namely, twelve hundred seventy-two dollars (\$1,272) per annum to take effect Dec. 10, 1924; and that she be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Marion R. Stevens, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) Dearborn District, is hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,920) per annum, to take effect Sept. 29, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Sept. 29, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Elizabeth M. Laurie, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Dillaway District, is hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,920) per annum, to take effect Sept. 8, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Sept. 8, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Catherine M. McCance, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) Dillaway District, is hereby placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Sept. 8, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum salary of the rank, namely, seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,752) per annum, to take effect Sept. 8, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Lucy E. Low, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) Edmund P. Tileston District, is hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,920) per annum, to take effect Oct. 1, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Oct. 1, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the following named first assistants, kindergartens (two sessions) are hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,920) per annum, to take effect Sept. 15, 1924; and that they be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Sept. 15, 1925:

Gaston District—Grace L. Sanger.
Mather District—Clara Ransom.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Ethel S. Murkland, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Hancock District, is hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,920) per annum, to take effect Oct. 6, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Oct. 6, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Helen M. Tivnan, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), John Marshall District, is hereby placed upon the fifth year of the salary of the rank, namely, fifteen hundred sixty dollars (\$1,560) per annum, to take effect Sept. 16, 1924; that she be placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Nov. 3, 1924; and that she be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Sally S. Allen, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), John Winthrop District, is hereby placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Sept. 15, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,752) per annum, to take effect Sept. 15, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Evangeline Conza, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Longfellow District, is hereby placed upon the first year of the salary of the rank, namely, eleven hundred seventy-six dollars (\$1,176) per annum, to take effect Sept. 29, 1924; that she be placed upon the second year of the salary of the rank, namely, twelve hundred seventy-two dollars (\$1,272) per annum, to take effect Nov. 19, 1924; and that she be advanced upon suc-

cessive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Ada Cushing, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) Mather District, is hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,920) per annum, to take effect Sept. 23, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Sept. 23, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Marion E. Puttner, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Mather District, is hereby placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Sept. 23, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,752) per annum, to take effect Sept. 23, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Jessie E. Small, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Mather District, is hereby placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Sept. 15, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,752) per annum, to take effect Sept. 15, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Helen E. Freeman, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District, is hereby placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Sept. 9, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,752) per annum, to take effect Sept. 9, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Mary Fitzgerald, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) Wells District, is hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,920) per annum, to take effect Sept. 19, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Sept. 19, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Willa E. Wingate, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), William Lloyd Garrison District, is hereby placed upon the first year of the salary of the rank, namely, eleven hundred seventy-six dollars (\$1,176) per annum, to take effect Sept. 15, 1924, and to continue up to and including Sept. 30, 1924.

AUTHORIZED LIST OF TEXT AND SUPPLEMENTARY BOOKS.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the following-

named books are hereby authorized for use as text books in The Teachers College of the City of Boston:

Gregory, Chester Arthur. Fundamentals of Educational Measurement. D. Appleton & Co. cpt. 1922.....net \$1.69

Public School Publishing Co. The Twenty-First Yearbook of the National Society for the Study of Education, Parts I and II. cpt. 1922.....net 1.60

Laid over.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the following-named books are hereby authorized for use as text books as indicated:

CIVICS

Rexford, Frank A. and Carson, Clara L. The Constitution of Our Country, American Book Co., cpt. 1924. Grades VII, VIII, IX.....net \$.57

FRENCH

Chardenal, C. A. Complete French Course Phonetic Edition. rev. by Maro S. Brooks. Allyn and Bacon. cpt. 1923. Grades IX, X, XI, XIInet 1.20

MATHEMATICS

Pyle, John O. Plane Geometry. Preliminary Edition. Part I. P. Blakiston's Sons & Co. Grades IX, X, XI, XII free

SCIENCE

Moon, Truman J. Biology for Beginners. Henry Holt & Co. cpt. 1921. Grades X, XI, XIInet 1.376

The Babcock & Wilcox Co. Steam. cpt. 1922. Grades XI, XII free

Wright, J. C. and Smith, Fred C. Automotive Construction and Operation. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. cpt. 1924. Grades IX, X, XI, XIInet 2.40

Laid over.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the following-named book is hereby authorized for use as a text book in the Boston Trade School:

Wright, J. C. and Smith, Fred C. Automotive Construction and Operation. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. cpt. 1924.....net \$2.40

Laid over.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the revised editions of the following-named text books are hereby authorized for use as indicated, to take the place of the old editions of the same:

CIVICS—HISTORY

Gordy, Wilbur Fisk. Elementary History of the United States. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt., 1923. Grade VInet \$.896

Gowin, Enoch Burton; Wheatley, William Alonzo, and Brewer, John M. Occupations. Ginn & Co. cpt., 1923. Grades VII, VIII, IX net 1.11

Laid over.

SALARY OF RANK OF DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL INSPECTION

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the year ending Aug. 31, 1925, the salary of the Director of Medical Inspection is hereby established at the rate of thirty-five hundred sixteen dollars (\$3,516) per annum.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO ACTING DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL INSPECTION.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Joseph A. Cogan, M. D., Acting Director of Medical Inspection, be allowed and paid compensation at the rate of nine hundred dollars (\$900) per annum, in addition to his salary as school physician, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, and to continue during the period of assignment.

SALARIES OF CERTAIN ATTENDANCE OFFICERS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following named attendance officers shall on Sept. 1, 1924, be placed on the minimum salary of the schedule for the year ending Aug. 31, 1925, viz., two thousand and four dollars (\$2,004) per annum, and shall be advanced thereafter upon anniversaries of Sept. 1 by the amount of the annual increment provided in such schedule, until the maximum of the rank is reached:

Edwin F. Dooley, Agnes T. Doyle, William Flynn, Joseph W. Gaughan, Edward F. Manning.

Passed, Miss Curtis and Dr. Scannell voting in the negative.

Dr. Scannell stated that he is opposed to the passage of the foregoing order for the reason that this action will place recent appointees as attendance officers on a salary which is above the maximum established for elementary teachers, and \$24 higher than the minimum salary of the rank of junior master.

Miss Curtis opposed on similar grounds.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO JUNIOR MASTER IN CHARGE OF ENGLISH HIGH SCHOOL ANNEX.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the year ending Aug. 31, 1925, or during such portion thereof as the English High School Annex, located in the Franklin Union Building, is conducted on the two-platoon system, the Junior Master in charge of the Annex shall be paid at the rate of one hundred forty-four dollars (\$144) per year in addition to the regular salary of his rank.

EMPLOYMENT OF TEACHERS IN AFTERNOON CLASSES IN LIP READING, HORACE MANN SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925,

the employment of Lillian L. Church and Stella E. Weaver as teachers in the afternoon classes in Lip-reading, Horace Mann School, is hereby authorized, to take effect Sept. 24, 1924; compensation for such service to be at the rate of three dollars (\$3) for each period of service.

COURSE IN VOCATIONAL DRAWING, MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Alma Lebrecht, teacher in the public school course in vocational drawing conducted at the Museum of Fine Arts, is hereby authorized for eight months beginning Sept. 29, 1924, said teacher to serve during five sessions of two hours each, weekly. Compensation for such service shall be at the rate of eight hundred forty dollars (\$840) for the eight-month period, payment to be made in eight monthly installments upon certification of the Director of Manual Arts to the Business Agent, and deduction for each session of absence for any cause to be at the rate of 1-160th of the compensation for the entire period.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Alice G. Morse and Blanche K. Brink, teachers in the public school course in vocational drawing for high school pupils, conducted at the Museum of Fine Arts, is hereby authorized for eight months beginning Sept. 29, 1924, said teachers to serve during three sessions of two hours each, weekly. Compensation for such service shall be at the rate of five hundred twenty dollars (\$520) for the eight-month period, payment to be made in eight monthly installments upon certification of the Director of Manual Arts to the Business Agent, and deduction for each session of absence for any cause to be at the rate of 1-100th of the compensation for the entire period.

ESTABLISHMENT OF SATURDAY MORNING PUBLIC SCHOOL COURSE IN VOCATIONAL DRAWING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to establish and conduct in the Museum of Fine Arts a Saturday morning public school course in vocational drawing, for eight months, beginning Oct. 4, 1924, the sessions to be three hours in length, to begin not earlier than nine o'clock A. M. and to terminate not later than one o'clock P. M., the School Committee to bear no expense in connection with the course except that of compensation of an instructor.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Alma Lebrecht, teacher in the Saturday morning course in vocational drawing at the Museum of Fine Arts, is hereby authorized for eight months beginning Oct. 4, 1924, said teacher to serve one session of three hours, weekly. Compensation for such service shall be at the rate of two hundred sixty-four dollars (\$264) for the eight-month period,

payment to be made in eight monthly installments upon certification of the Director of Manual Arts to the Business Agent, and deduction for each session of absence for any cause to be at the rate of 1-35th of the compensation for the entire period.

INVESTIGATION OF SCHOOL SYSTEMS, AND OF CANDIDATES FOR APPOINTMENT AS DIRECTOR OF MANUAL ARTS BY ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That John C. Brodhead, Assistant Superintendent, be authorized, at an expense not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250), to visit school systems in cities as far west as St. Louis, for the purpose of interviewing candidates for the vacant position as Director of Manual Arts, and of studying the status of the manual and industrial arts in the school systems of the cities visited.

ESTABLISHMENT OF A COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE SALARY SCHEDULES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That a representative be designated from each of the following-named associations to organize as a council, to make a thorough study of the salary schedules in our city and in other large cities of the country, and to submit the results of its deliberations to the School Committee with specific recommendations as to the best manner in which our present salary schedule may be readjusted equitably and scientifically:

- Directors' Association.
- Head Masters' Association.
- Intermediate Principals' Association.
- Elementary Principals' Association.
- Boston Schoolmen's Economic Association.
- High School Women's Club.
- Sub-Masters' Association.
- Masters' Assistants' Club.
- Boston Teachers' Club.
- Boston Elementary Teachers' Club.
- Kindergarten Teachers' Association.

RESIGNATION OF ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting the resignation of Frances E. Kenealy, assistant in his office, to take effect Sept. 22, 1924.

Placed on file, and the resignation accepted, to take effect on the date stated.

APPOINTMENT OF CLERICAL ASSISTANT.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has appointed Mary T. McKenna as clerical assistant in the Frank V. Thompson and Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate Districts, by transfer from the office of the Business Agent, to take effect Oct. 6, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

RANK OF MASTER EMERITUS TO RETIRING PRINCIPAL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Frederic L. Owen, who has retired from Boston Public School service as master of the Christopher Gibson District, is hereby granted the title of Master Emeritus, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924; such title being in consideration of his many years of faithful and efficient service.

ANNUAL STATISTICS.

The Superintendent presented the Annual Statistics of the Boston Public Schools for the calendar year 1923 and school year 1923-24, being School Document No. 18, 1924.

Placed on file.

ELIGIBLE LIST.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that it has amended School Document No. 13, 1924—List of Candidates Eligible for Appointment as Teachers—as follows:

Page 22—Elementary School, Class B certificate. 845. Francis J. Lyons. Name removed by request.

Placed on file.

AMENDMENTS TO RULES AND REGULATIONS.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, recommending the passage of an accompanying order which provides for the amendment of Section 80, paragraphs IV., X. and XI. of the rules.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rules are hereby amended as follows:

Section 80, paragraph IV. Insert the following to immediately follow the paragraph which provides for the acceptance of work done for the Master's Degree in Education as equivalent to two of the three years' experience in teaching and governing regular graded day schools:

A candidate who elects the group in which Principles of Military Tactics is the major subject, in addition to the foregoing requirements, shall have completed an approved course in military training. Such candidate may receive credit year for year, toward the required teaching experience, for active service as a commissioned officer in the armed forces of the United States; *provided*, that no candidate shall be approved who has not completed one full year of approved service as teacher of military drill in an approved secondary school.

A candidate who elects the group in which Principles of Physical Training is the major subject, in addition to the foregoing requirements, shall have completed an approved course of instruction in physical training.

In the paragraph which describes the eligibility requirements for the certificate in salesmanship, strike out the words — Group XIII. (in

which group salesmanship is the major subject) — and substitute in place thereof "the group in which Salesmanship is the major subject," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

A candidate who elects the group in which Salesmanship is the major subject, for his advanced examination shall, in addition to the foregoing requirements, have completed a one-year course in salesmanship approved by the board of superintendents, which course may be accepted by said board as equivalent to one of the required three years' experience in teaching.

Section 80, paragraph X. Strike out the paragraph (a) which describes the eligibility requirements for the kindergarten certificate, and substitute in place thereof the following:

(a) For the kindergarten certificate: Graduation from a four-year course in a high school approved by the board of superintendents and evidence of one year's experience in teaching a regular kindergarten subsequent to graduation from a two-year course in a kindergarten training school approved by the board of superintendents.

After December, 1926, candidates for this certificate, graduating from a kindergarten training school subsequent to June, 1926, shall be required to present evidence of completion of a three-year course in a kindergarten training school approved by the board of superintendents.

Section 80, paragraph XI. Under "Music," insert the following to immediately follow provision for assistant directors of music:

For supervisor of drum and bugle corps: Evidence of academic education satisfactory to the board of superintendents; evidence of two years' successful experience in assembling and teaching drum and bugle corps and brass bands; and experience in military musical evolutions.

Section 80, paragraph XI. Under "Certificates Valid in Day Elementary Schools or Day Intermediate Schools and Classes," strike out the paragraph which describes the eligibility requirements for the millinery certificate, and substitute in place thereof the following:

For the millinery certificate: Either, (a) Graduation from a practical arts high school or from an industrial high school approved by the board of superintendents, with one year of millinery trade experience and one year's approved experience in teaching millinery subsequent thereto, or (b) Graduation from a high school approved by the board of superintendents or evidence of an equivalent academic education, with three years of millinery trade experience and one year of approved experience in teaching millinery.

Laid over.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 281, paragraph 5. Insert in the third line to immediately follow the word "district" the words—"except the Martin District." Add the following note at the end of the paragraph:

NOTE. The number of teachers to which the Martin District shall be entitled shall be based on a quota of thirty-five pupils for grades I to VIII, inclusive, which unit shall be taken from the number of pupils belonging on the last school day of the

preceding month—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

5. Except as provided in paragraph 6 of this section, the number of teachers to which a day elementary school district, except the Martin District, shall be entitled shall be based on the following quota of pupils belonging on the last school day of the preceding month:

Kindergartens	25
Grades I, VII and VIII	40
Grades II to VI, inclusive	42
Classes for conservation of eyesight	12
Hospital classes	15
Open air classes	30
Prevocational classes	45
Rapid advancement classes	30
Special classes	15
Special English classes	30
Ungraded classes	30

and in speech improvement classes there may be one teacher for every fifteen pupils in average hourly attendance for each four-hour day for the month next preceding the date upon which an appointment is made.

NOTE. The number of teachers to which the Martin District shall be entitled shall be based on a quota of thirty-five pupils for Grades I to VIII, inclusive, which unit shall be taken from the number of pupils belonging on the last school day of the preceding month.

Laid over.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 300. Strike out item 22 and substitute in place thereof "A board of examiners," so that the item will read as follows:

22. A board of examiners.

Laid over.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, recommending the passage of an accompanying order amending section 318, paragraph 1 of the regulations eliminating a day-basis of computation wherever possible from the salaries of permanent appointees.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations be amended as follows:

Section 318. Strike out paragraph 1 and substitute the following:

Adjustment of the Salaries of Teachers and Others Who Have Been Appointed to Begin Service on the First Day of Opening of School in September.

SECT. 318. 1. (a). Teachers, members of the supervising staff, clerical assistants, bookkeepers, chief attendance officer, attendance officers, and supervisor of licensed minors, whose compensation is established at a fixed rate per annum, who have been appointed to begin service and whose service begins on the first day of opening of school in September, shall be entitled to the full regular salary for such first year of service.

Adjustment of the Salaries of Teachers and Others (new appointees) Who Do Not Begin Service on the First Day of Opening of School in September.

(b). Teachers, members of the supervising staff, clerical assistants, bookkeepers, chief attendance officer, attendance officers, supervisor of licensed minors, whose compensation is established at a fixed rate per annum, who do not begin service on the first day of the opening of school in September, shall be entitled to that proportion of their salary for the whole year, which shall be ob-

tained by allowing one-tenth of the salary for the whole year for each month in the service, the first year, and in case a fraction of a month is involved in beginning service for the year, one two-hundredth (1-200) for each day in such fractional month.

Teachers and Others Who Do Not Complete the School Year Because of Death, Resignation, Retirement or Discharge

(c). Teachers, members of the supervising staff, clerical assistants, bookkeepers, chief attendance officer, attendance officers and supervisor of licensed minors, whose compensation is established at a fixed rate per annum, and who do not complete the school year because of death, resignation, retirement or discharge, shall be entitled to that proportion of their salary for the whole year, which shall be obtained by allowing one-tenth of the salary for the whole year for each month in the service, the last year, and in case a fraction of a month is involved in completing service for the year one two-hundredth (1-200) for each day in such fractional month.

Deductions Required by the Regulations on Account of Absence from Duty

(d). All deductions required by the regulations on account of any absence from duty shall be made from salaries computed on the foregoing bases.

Laid over.

CERTIFICATION AND APPOINTMENT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible for appointment as school physician:

John F. Maguire, Bernard A. Godvin, Samuel Cline, Louis F. Salerno, Joseph Laserson, Esther K. Solakian, Elizabeth V. O'Neill and Ruth Weissman.

Placed on file.

On motion, Louis F. Salerno, who stands second on the list of those willing to accept appointment, was appointed school physician, to take effect Oct. 1, 1924.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY ATTENDANCE OFFICER

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Sept. 29, 1924, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible for appointment as temporary attendance officer:

James H. Mahoney, John C. Clougherty, John L. McGrath, William F. Blood, Arlita D. Parker, Mary T. Mahoney, Rose H. Cooper, and Marion S. Flanders.

Placed on file.

On motion, James H. Mahoney was appointed temporary attendance officer, to take effect Sept. 29, 1924.

TRANSFER OF ASSISTANT, SECRETARY'S OFFICE TO BUSINESS AGENT'S OFFICE.

A communication was received

from the Secretary, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, reporting the transfer of John E. Whelan, assistant, Secretary's office, to the office of the Business Agent, without change of rank or salary, to take effect Oct. 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

AMENDMENT TO SCHEDULE OF EXTRA COMPENSATION FOR CUSTODIAN SERVICE.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, recommending that the Schedule of Extra Compensation for Custodian Service be amended to provide for the payment in section 2 for the halls of certain new schools.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the Schedule of Extra Compensation for Custodian Service, section 2, paragraph 8, is hereby amended by inserting the following:—

School	Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday
Frank V. Thompson Assembly Hall	.60
Theodore Roosevelt Assembly Hall	.87
Washington Irving Assembly Hall	.90

AMENDMENT TO RULES

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, recommending that the rules be amended to provide that the estimates of Business Agent be prepared on the basis of conditions existing as of January 1, instead of December 1, preceding.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rules be amended as follows:

Section 99, paragraph 1. Strike out the paragraph and substitute the following:

SECT. 99. 1. He shall annually prepare and submit to the Board at the beginning of each financial year or as soon thereafter as may be practicable, detailed estimates showing the probable cost of the maintenance of the school system for the current financial year based on the conditions existing as of January 1 preceding.

Laid over.

APPOINTMENT AND SALARY OF STOREKEEPER IN SUPPLY ROOM.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Oct. 2, 1924, recommending, subject to the approval of the Board, the appointment of Israel Curewitz as storekeeper in the Supply Room, to take effect Oct. 9, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Israel Curewitz, storekeeper in the Supply Room of the School Committee, is hereby established at \$24.00 per week to take effect Oct. 9, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

RECERTIFICATIONS OF AREAS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, submitting a recertification of the areas of the Brighton High School-house, upon which the compensation for custodian service is based, to take effect July 1, 1924.

Placed on file, and the Chairman authorized to approve such recertification, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, transmitting a recertification of the areas of the Mozart School-house, upon which the compensation for custodian service is based, to take effect July 1, 1924.

Placed on file, and the Chairman authorized to approve such recertification, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, transmitting a recertification of the areas of the Thomas Gardner School-house, upon which the compensation for custodian service is based, to take effect Feb. 23, 1924.

Placed on file, and the Chairman authorized to approve such recertification, to take effect on the date stated.

TRANSFER OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, recommending that the action of the Board at its meeting on Sept. 8, 1924, approving the transfer of Cornelius O'Sullivan to the custodianship of the Agassiz and Old Agassiz School-houses and Portable No. 106, be rescinded.

Placed on file, and the action approving the transfer rescinded.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to custodianship of the Agassiz and Old Agassiz School-houses and Portable No. 106, and recommending that Thomas J. Kelley, custodian of the Ulysses S. Grant School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Oct. 3, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Thomas J. Kelley approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Ulysses S. Grant School-house and Portables Nos. 48, 152, 177, 193 and 194, and recommending that Chester L. Musgrave, custodian of the Cudworth School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Oct. 3, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Chester L. Musgrave approved, to take effect on the date stated.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO CUSTODIAN, JAMAICA PLAIN HIGH SCHOOL-HOUSE.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, recommending that the custodian of the

Jamaica Plain High School be allowed additional compensation for each day that that school is used on the two-session plan.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the custodian of the Jamaica Plain High School be allowed additional compensation at the rate of two dollars (\$2) per day for each day that that school is used on the two-session plan.

REINSTATEMENT OF MATRON.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, recommending that, with the approval of the Division of Civil Service, Theresa M. Thompson be reinstated as school matron, Girls' Latin School, to take effect Oct. 7, 1924.

Placed on file, and the reinstatement approved, to take effect on the date stated.

CERTIFICATION OF CANDIDATES FOR SCHOOL MATRON.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, recommending that requisition be made upon the Division of Civil Service for the names of candidates eligible for appointment as school matron in the East Boston High School.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

COMPLAINT AGAINST A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 6, 1924, preferring charges against a custodian for neglect of duty, and recommending that the matter be referred to the Trial Board for consideration.

Referred to the Trial Board for investigation and report.

PAYMENT OF ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO ACTING BUSINESS AGENT.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That Alexander M. Sullivan, Acting Business Agent, be allowed and paid one-half the difference between the salary of his rank, Assistant Business Agent, and the salary of Business Agent, to take effect Aug. 1, 1924, and to continue through Oct. 31, 1924.

RE-ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES, TEACHERS RETIREMENT FUND.

The terms of Miss Curtis and Mr. Sullivan as members of the Board of Trustees of the Teachers' Retirement Fund having expired, the Board proceeded to fill the vacancies.

The members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted to fill the first vacancy, as follows:

For FRANCES G. CURTIS—Messrs. Bogan, O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—4.

NOT VOTING—Miss Curtis—1.

The members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted to fill the second vacancy as follows:

For EDWARD M. SULLIVAN—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Scannell—4.

NOT VOTING—Mr. Sullivan—1.

Miss Curtis and Mr. Sullivan were thereupon duly declared elected

members of said Board for a term of two years, ending October, 1926.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT BUSINESS AGENT

Question came on approving the appointment of J. George Herlihy as Assistant Business Agent by transfer from the position of Chief Clerk in the office of the Schoolhouse Commission, subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service, to take effect Nov. 1, 1924.

The appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of J. George Herlihy, Assistant Business Agent, is hereby established at the rate of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3500) per annum, to take effect Nov. 1, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

RESOLUTIONS ON DEATH OF THORNTON D. APOLLONIO, SECRETARY.

The following memorial to the memory of the late Secretary, Thornton D. Apollonio, was presented.

RESOLVED, That the School Committee place upon its records this expression of sincere regret at the loss to the school system of the late Secretary, Thornton D. Apollonio, for more than twenty-five years Secretary of this Board, a faithful, courteous and dependable public servant, possessing an unflinching and tenacious memory of events, persons and policies connected with the school system; most accurate and just in his appraisal of motives and tendencies in educational progress, encyclopedic in information regarding school matters, jealous of the best traditions of the School Committee and concerned always in the maintenance of its high standard; his death marks the end of a life of exceptional usefulness and loyal, intelligent service in the public welfare, a real loss to the school service and a personal loss to those of us who knew his fidelity, loyalty and serenity even in the presence of a most acute and long enduring bodily suffering.

Adopted unanimously.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The order laid over at the meeting of Sept. 15, 1924 (see p. 184), amending the rules to provide for the establishment of the duties of the Board of Examiners, was taken up and passed.

The petition referred to the Superintendent at the meeting of June 2, 1924 (see p. 99), relative to the establishment of an evening school in the Everett School, was taken up and placed on file, the Board having, at the meeting of even date, approved the establishment of a branch of the Franklin Evening School in the Everett School-house.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Secretary.

ONE-WAY STREETS, 1924.

Sundays and legal holidays excepted, vehicles must go in one direction only in the streets named alphabetically below, by order of the Street Commissioners:—

ALBANY ST., southerly from Beach St. to Broadway; ARCH ST., southerly from Milk to Summer; ASHBURTON PLACE, westerly from Somerset St.; ASYLUM ST., westerly from Harrison Ave.; AVERY ST., easterly from Tremont; AVON ST., easterly from Washington; BEACON ST., easterly from Bowdoin to Somerset; BEDFORD ST., westerly from Summer; BENNET ST., northwesterly from Harrison Ave. to Washington St.; BILLERICA ST., northwesterly from Causeway; BLACKSTONE ST., northwesterly from North to Hanover on Saturdays and on the day just before a holiday; BRATTLE ST., westerly from Washington to Court; BROMFIELD ST., westerly from Washington; CAMBRIA ST., westerly from Dalton to St. Cecilia; CENTRAL ST., westerly from Broad to Kilby; CHATHAM ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Commercial St.; CHAUNCEY ST., southwestly from Summer; CITY SQUARE, Charlestown, northwest side from Harvard St. northeasterly; CLINTON ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Blackstone St. and easterly from Commercial St. to Atlantic Ave.; COMMERCE ST., easterly from Commercial St. to Atlantic Ave.; COMMON ST., Charlestown, southerly and easterly from Winthrop to Adams; COOPER ST., westerly from Salem to Washington, North; CORNHILL, easterly from Court St.; COURT SQUARE, entering on westerly side, leaving on easterly side; COURT ST., westerly from Washington to Tremont and Cornhill; DEVONSHIRE ST., southerly from Dock Sq. to Franklin St. and northeasterly from Summer St. to Winthrop Sq.; DORE ST., westerly from Washington to Tremont; EDINBORO ST., southerly from Essex St.; ELM ST., northwestly from Dock Sq. to Hanover St.; EXCHANGE PLACE, westerly from Kilby St. to Congress; EXCHANGE ST., northerly from State; FANEUIL HALL SQUARE, south of Faneuil Hall, easterly to Merchants Row, and north of Faneuil Hall westerly from Merchants Row; FRIEND ST., southeasterly from Causeway; GROTON ST., northwesterly from Washington St. to Shawmut Ave.; HANOVER AVE., westerly from North St.; HARRIS ST., easterly from Hanover; HARVARD ST., Charlestown, southerly and southeasterly from Washington St. to City Sq.; HAVILAND ST., westerly from Mass. Ave. to Hemenway St.; HAWLEY ST., southerly from Milk to Summer; HOLLIS ST., easterly from Tremont to Washington; HOWARD ST., easterly from Bulfinch; HUDSON ST., northerly from Curve to Beach St.; KINGSTON ST., southerly from Summer to Beach; LA GRANGE ST., South End, westerly from Washington to Tremont; LOVERING ST., easterly from Washington; LYNN ST., southerly from Thacher to Cooper; MAIN ST., Charlestown, southeasterly from Thompson Sq. to City Sq.; MASON ST., easterly from Tremont and northeasterly from Avery; MERCHANTS ROW, northerly from North Market St.; MORTON ST., easterly from Endicott St.; NASHUA ST., southeasterly from Minot; NORTH ST., easterly from Union to Blackstone; NORTH MARKET ST., easterly from Merchants Row to Commercial St.; OTIS ST., southwestly from Winthrop Square; PARMENTER ST., northwesterly from Hanover to Salem;

PEMBERTON SQUARE, westerly from southeast corner of Courthouse to Somerset St.; PROVINCE ST., northerly from Bromfield; RICHMOND ST., westerly from Atlantic Ave. to Hanover St.; SALUTATION ST., easterly from Hanover; SCHOOL ST., easterly from Tremont; SCOTIA ST., easterly from St. Cecilia to Dalton; SOMERSET ST., northerly from Beacon St. to Howard; SOUTH MARKET ST., westerly from Atlantic Ave. to Commercial St.; STATE ST., westerly from Devonshire, on north of Old State House and easterly from Washington to Devonshire, on south of Old State House; STILLMAN ST., westerly from Salem; TEMPLE PLACE, easterly from Tremont; TILESTON ST., northwesterly from Hanover; TYLER ST., northerly from Curve to Beach; WALL ST., southeasterly from Minot; WARREN ST., Charlestown, northwesterly from Henley St. to Thompson Sq.; WASHINGTON ST., northerly, from Stuart St. to Cornhill; WASHINGTON ST., Charlestown, easterly from Rutherford Ave. to Harvard St.; WATER ST., easterly from Washington to Devonshire and same from Liberty Sq. to Broad St.; WEST ST., westerly from Washington; WINTER ST., westerly from Washington; WINTHROP ST., Charlestown, westerly from Adams St. to Main.

This list is revised to Feb. 1, 1924.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Number of police force, December 1, 1923, was 1,964 (63 more than in 1922), viz., the Superintendent, 3 Deputy Superintendents, 24 captains, 35 inspectors, 43 lieutenants, 141 sergeants and 1,717 patrolmen, distributed in 21 divisions. Signal service men, 17, and clerks, janitors, etc., 121. By May 15, 1924, the changes in officers made the number of captains 29, lieutenants 38 and sergeants 148.

Cost of maintenance for 1923-24, \$4,314,340 or \$241,807 more than in 1922.

Total number of arrests in year ending Nov. 30, 1923, 76,732 or 921 less than in 1922, but 17,914 more than in 1920; of those arrested, 3,879 were discharged and all others held for trial; foreign-born persons arrested, 28,693 or 37.39 per cent of total; boys under 15 years of age, 1,638; women and girls all ages, 5,419; non-residents, 19,320 or 25.21 per cent of all arrested.

Drunkenness the cause of 38,988 arrests (an average of 107 per day) or 50.81 per cent of total. The arrests for homicide numbered 111; for refusing to support family, 719; violation of automobile laws, 8,918.

Sick and injured persons assisted, 8,214; insane persons taken in charge, 424; lost children restored to homes, 1,617; persons imprisoned, 3,160; persons fined, 18,226, the fines amounting to \$270,357; stolen property recovered, \$2,053,884; licenses granted, 23,662 (including 8,922 for dogs and 8,626 for vehicles and drivers), for which \$57,864 was received. Of 3,191 applications for license to carry loaded revolvers, 2,989 were granted.

Accidents from all causes in the streets, parks and squares caused death of 149 persons and injury to 5,141 or 24 more killed and 1,374 more injured than in 1922. Automobile accidents killed 90 persons and injured 2,157, said fatal cases being 60 per cent of total.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$8,000; Superintendent, \$7,000; Deputy Superintendents, \$4,000; Chief Inspector, \$3,800;

captains, \$3,500; inspectors and lieutenants, \$2,500; sergeants, \$2,300; patrolmen, \$1,400 the 1st year, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

In the year ending Nov. 30, 1923, the Police Dept. made 3,326 prosecutions in the State courts and 22 in the Federal court for violation of the liquor law.

Divisions 20 and 21, assigned to street traffic control, now number a force of 190 men, but present conditions are said to demand at least 100 more for this work.

PUBLIC STREETS, 1924.

Total length of the 2,490 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1924, 611.58 miles; total area, 11,557,218 square yards, or 8.54 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,900.

Miles of streets paved with macadam, 351.25 or 57.43 per cent of total, including 122.69 miles bituminous macadam; with granite block, 105.12; asphalt, 51.69; gravel, 30.10; bitulithic, 29.11; Topeka, 13.84; wood block, 12.21; asphalt concrete, 5.49; brick, 4.23; concrete, 3.05. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc. Granolithic sidewalk laid in 1923, 72,622 square yards or about 16 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in 1923 includes 9 streets in Boston Proper; 6 in Dorchester; 10 in West Roxbury; 5 in Brighton; one each in Roxbury, Charlestown and East Boston, or a total of 33 new streets. Of chief importance in the relief of traffic congestion is the opening of Stuart st., South End, costing \$3,004,497 (total payments to 1924) of which five-sixths was for damages, mostly offset by betterment assessments amounting to \$2,369,937.

Gross debt outstanding Feb. 1, 1924, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,855,501 or \$317,060 more than in 1923.

TREASURY TRANSACTIONS, 1923-24.

Balance, February 1, 1923, \$10,745,-876.85.

RECEIPTS.—From City Collector for City account, \$61,860,643.55 and for County, \$526,633.34; total, \$62,387,276.89; from temporary loans, \$14,000,000; debt issued, \$7,190,000; from Sinking Fund Commissioners for debt due, \$2,788,482.26; trust funds, \$979,085.73; interest on bank deposits, \$186,182.82; other receipts, \$166,460.71. Total receipts for year, \$87,-697,488.41.

PAYMENTS.—City pay-roll drafts, \$28,-110,463.89; general drafts (excluding debt redemption), \$8,681,903.08; temporary loans, \$14,000,000; payments to the State, \$7,737,170.10; special drafts (excluding temporary loans and interest on debts), \$16,921,489.94; interest on all debts, \$5,-070,043.89; debt redemption, \$5,139,400.01; trust fund investments, etc., \$629,787.77; County pay-roll drafts, \$1,883,786.06; other County payments (excluding debt and interest) \$770,185.19; payments to Sinking Fund Commissioners, \$438,901.30; other payments, \$68,131.78. Total payments for the year, \$89,451,263.01. Excess of payments over receipts, \$1,753,-774.60. Balance January 31, 1924, \$8,992,-102.25.

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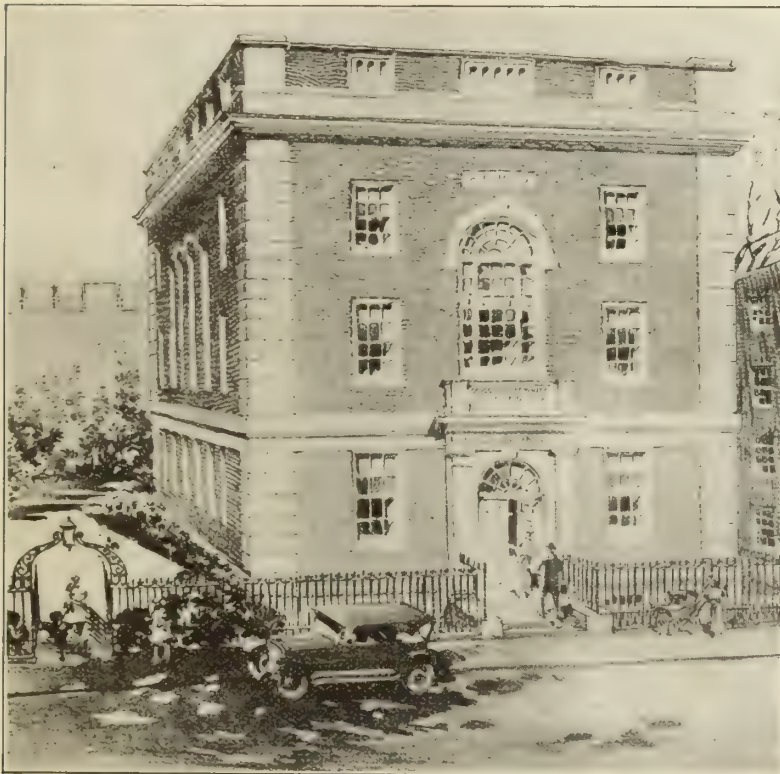
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BOSTON'S FIRST WHITE FUND HEALTH UNIT DEDICATED WITH FITTING CEREMONIES.

MAYOR JAMES M. CURLEY PRESIDED AND DR. GEORGE E. VINCENT, PRESIDENT OF THE ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION, DELIVERED ADDRESS OF DEDICATION.



BOSTON'S FIRST WHITE FUND HEALTH UNIT DEDICATED TODAY IN NORTH END.

Boston's first health unit, constructed under the direction of and from the funds provided through the beneficent philanthropy of the late George R. White, one of Boston's best loved citizens, was dedicated today with elaborate and very fitting ceremonies.

The building, located at North Margin street and Baldwin place, North End, has been under construction and fitting for

several months. It is one of the finest and most completely appointed buildings of the kind in the entire United States.

Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, presided at the exercises and the dedicatory address was delivered by Dr. George E. Vincent, president of the Rockefeller Foundation. Many other prominent Boston citizens took part in the exercises.

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY AIDS MAYOR AND BOSTON IN HEALTH RESEARCH WORK.

Mayor Curley has issued the following statement:

"I am very pleased to make public the report received from the Boston Conservation Bureau with reference to the work being done towards curing of rickets, tuberculosis and other diseases in children."

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

YOUR HONOR,—I have great pleasure in reporting the fact that the General Electric Company have given the medical committee great assistance in its work of trying to discover a specific cure for a certain disease.

During the last few months, the Little Laboratory of the General Electric Company have manufactured from designs made by the committee, numerous applicators of special design from the new synthetic quartz which they have recently developed. The actual cost to the General Electric Company has been nearly \$100 an ounce for the material delivered and we are now using applicators manufactured by them which must weigh fifty or sixty ounces.

The committee hopes to make a report of great value in the near future and it would have been impossible to have made the progress which has been made without the assistance and co-operation of the General Electric Company.

Yours sincerely,

BOSTON CONSERVATION BUREAU,
by M. DOUGLAS FLATTERY,
Chairman.

NAVY YARD HEAD THANKS MAYOR FOR PROCLAMATION ON NAVY DAY.

BOSTON, October 27, 1924.

MY DEAR MAYOR CURLEY,—Please accept my deepest appreciation for your extremely well written and sincere proclamation on Navy Day. It is sentiments such as these that it is hoped will arouse the patriotic attention of the people and bring home to them the ever present need of an adequate navy.

The navy is sincerely grateful to you for your interest.

Very cordially yours,

L. R. DE STEIGUER,
Rear Admiral, U. S. Navy.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Advertising.

A rate of \$2 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the *City Record*. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by Thursday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, November 10, at 2 p. m.
Regular meeting of the School Committee, Monday, November 3, at 6.30 p. m.
Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 620.

The following named persons are hereby appointed patrolmen, to take effect Wednesday, October 15, 1924, at ten o'clock a. m., and they are assigned as follows:

Martin F. Ford, to Division 9.
William A. Cohen, to Division 3.
Alvah F. Hutchinson, to Division 14.
Bernard T. Gray, to Division 17.
Eugene P. Canney, to Division 11.
Robert J. Brickley, to Division 19.
William J. Dwyer, to Division 3.
Hans Bruneck, to Division 15.
John F. Brawders, to Division 15.
John H. Pierce, to Division 17.
Lester K. Greenwood, to Division 13.
William H. Maddock, to Division 13.
James P. Johnson, to Division 6.
Daniel Broderick, to Division 11.
Pearly R. Bryant, to Division 11.
Richard M. Mackey, to Division 9.
Charles W. Evans, to Division 7.
William J. Prince, to Division 1.
James J. Doherty, to Division 5.
Robert L. Reid, to Division 7.
Harry M. Otto, to Division 12.
Thomas E. Clegg, to Division 7.
Dennis F. Dalton, to Division 15.
John W. Campbell, to Division 7.
Joseph H. Curran, to Division 9.
Harold F. Brickley, to Division 11.
Walter R. Russell, to Division 7.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 624.

The resignation of Patrolman John J. Moriarty of Division 11 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect as of Friday, October 24, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 625.

The resignation of Patrolman Harry M. Otto of Division 12 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Saturday, October 25, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES.

The American Literary Association announces a series of lectures on the Art of Poetry, to which the public is cordially invited, to be given in the Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library on Saturday afternoons at four o'clock. The subjects and dates are as follows:

Saturday, November 1, at 4 p. m. "Requirements of the Great Poet." Charles Hammond Gibson, President of the Boston Chapter of the American Literary Association.
Saturday, December 13, at 4 p. m. "The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique." Miss Helen Archibald Clarke.
Saturday, January 17, 1925, at 4 p. m. "The Immutable Laws of Great Poetry." E. Charlton Black, Professor of English Literature, Boston University.

It is the purpose of the American Literary Association, a national organization with numerous local chapters, to stimulate interest in American poetry, and especially to assist in bringing the little-known American poets to wider public notice. It awards prizes for poetic excellence; it supplies expert criticism; it publishes the "American Poetry Magazine"; it holds public meetings; it welcomes as members not only students and writers, but all who may be in any way interested in the subject of poetry.

MAYOR CURLEY GIVEN HIGH PRAISE BY LEADING ITALIAN PUBLICATION OF WIDE CIRCULATION.

"LA NOTIZIA" PUBLISHES ARTICLE TELLING OF WORK DONE BY BOSTON'S MAYOR, NORTH END CITIZENS AND THOSE OF ITALIAN ORIGIN.

"La Notizia," the Italian paper of wide local circulation in its issue of this week has this to say concerning Mayor James M. Curley and his friends for his Italian fellow citizens.

CURLEY AND HIS ITALIAN FRIENDS.

The Italian-Americans have always had a good and loyal friend in Mayor James M. Curley, the Democratic candidate for Governor, a friend who has done much to make conditions better and more wholesome in the places they live, and has guarded and helped their economic rights.

When Mayor Curley learned that many contractors and employees of Italian labor were paying wages below the union standards he took measures to stop this practice as far as they applied to contracts for construction of streets, sewers, public buildings and other public works and inserted a provision in every contract entered into by the City of Boston compelling the contractor to pay his employees and laborers engaged in the work the current rates of wages as established and maintained by the labor unions. The result was that men who were receiving only \$2 and \$2.50 a day are now being paid from \$4 up. He released the Italian laborer from the grip of the sweater and padrone.

Mayor Curley has done much to improve the North End, the so-called Italian quarter, by street improvements, the enlargement of parks, the establishment of playgrounds and other open spaces, that provided places of pleasure and safety for mothers and their children and better opportunities for the games and sports so dear to the hearts of young people.

He has found employment for many Italian-Americans in the service of the city, among others, that talented young lawyer, P. Nicholas Petrocelli, who is an assistant in the Law Department of the city, a place of honor and dignity.

On Saturday, November 1, 1924, at noon, there took place the dedication of the new health center, on Baldwin place,

in the North End. The dedication address was made by Dr. George E. Vincent of New York City, whose association with the International Health Board has given him an international reputation in philanthropic work. The new building was dedicated to the promotion of the health of the people of the North End of Boston. The demonstrated value of a somewhat similar institution on Blossom street in the West End of Boston made it apparent that it would be desirable to have similar institutions for the promotion of public health and civic welfare in various parts of the city.

The North End was selected by Mayor Curley, who is one of the trustees of the George Robert White Fund, as deserving of the first new building of this kind. Through the efforts of the Mayor, its construction was made possible by utilizing the George Robert White Fund for this purpose. Mr. George Robert White, who died a few years ago, created by the terms of his will, a permanent charitable trust fund, the net income of which was to be used for "creating works of public utility and beauty, for the use and enjoyment of the inhabitants of the City of Boston."

The building is a three story brick and stone structure. The income from the White Fund provides only for its construction. It will be managed and maintained by the Boston Health Department in co-operation with various private agencies devoted to the promotion of health and welfare of the people of the North End of Boston.

The work contemplated in the building will include child welfare conferences, dental service, classes in nutrition, physicians for the examination of certain special organs, as for, example, the eye, nose and throat. In addition to serving the purposes above indicated, it is intended to be a civic center for the North End under municipal direction and a place where mothers' clubs and other social organizations may find opportunity to hold meetings.

to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, November 19, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for rebuilding the Dartmouth Street Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$35,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 18, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Cottage place, from Winslow street 142 feet southwesterly and 50 feet northwesterly, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$700. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office.

Bids close Wednesday, November 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Wood avenue, from Rutledge road about 90 feet northeast and outlet in Rutledge road, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, November 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Foster street, between Commonwealth avenue and Summit, 1,200 feet northerly and outlet in Lane park, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$800, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Alabama street, from Currier street to Elene street and outlet in private land from Colorado street to Alabama street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, November 12, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Reed street, Whiting street, Montrose street and Glenwood street, Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, November 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for laying and relaying water pipes in Fernald terrace, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, including electric work, heating and ventilating, the new Police Headquarters Building, corner of Stuart and Berkeley streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Buildings Department, Room 502, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$25,000,

office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, November 7, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing a lower elementary school in the John Marshall District, Athelwold street, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007 City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, November 3, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for setting up two-compartment steel lockers in the new Dorchester High School for boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, November 3, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Water Service of the Public Works Department, iron castings-hydrant and gate stock. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, November 10, at 12 m.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for furnishing and delivering 250 tons of steel beams as specified. Surety bond will be required in the amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Transit Department, 1 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the building of Section K of the Dorchester Tunnel. Surety bond will be required in the amount of 35 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Transit Department, 1 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50,000, to be filed at

the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 25, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, October 30:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the month of October up to and including the 20th:

To Fill Vacancies—Alexander J. Campbell, Raymond H. Goodale, M. D., assistant resident medical officers, \$1,200 a year; Anna M. O'Rourke, Madeline Prindible, Helena Burke, nurses, \$800 a year; Donatille Aucoine, Doris Packard, nurses, \$720 a year; William Toomey, Herbert Walker, George Brothers, male nurses (patients), \$240 a year; Gladys I. Munroe, assistant cook, \$540 a year; Mary Garten, assistant cook, \$480 a year; Kathleen Kelley, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Michael McNally, Richard Walsh, choremen (patients), \$240 a year; Margaret Curran, Bronis Kavalins, laundresses, \$480 a year; Veronica McLean, Mary Kearney, Fannie McGuinness, Essie Joyce, maids, \$468 a year; John Glynn, maid (patient), \$120 a year; William Holland, Patrick Quinn, James Burns, maids (patients), \$240 a year; Henry Mallock, Catherine Coutreau, Margaret Manning, Mary Fitzmaurice, maids (patients), \$120 a year; Delia Gordon, assistant cook, \$480 a year; Catherine McGowan, maid, \$468 a year.

CONSERVATION BUREAU.

E. C. Kirk has been granted an extension of provisional temporary appointment as physicist, at \$150 a month for three months.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Daniel J. Denchy has been appointed on probation at \$1,500 a year. Lieut. James C. Taylor has been retired on half pay at \$1,150 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, October 23:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Walter Trask, Carroll Moore, kitchenman, \$17 a week; James Sullivan, porter, \$18.50 a week; Nellie Hogan, Theresa Keegan, laundresses, \$16 a week; Albert Boutlier, Wilber Worden, transfer porters, \$14.50 a week; Clifford Cusick, out-patient orderly, \$14 a week; Hannah Phillips, ward helper, \$11.56 a week; John Rush, center orderly, \$11.50 a week; Elizabeth Finneran, chambermaid, \$9.50 a week; Mary Doherty, cleaner, \$11.56 a week; Mary Thomas, ward assistant, \$9.56 a week; Joseph Lennon, transfer porter, \$11 a week.

Temporary.—Lillian Hines, telephone operator, \$22 a week; Mary Kilday, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Frank Powers, temporary porter at \$18.50 to house cleaner at \$14 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending October 23:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Andrew Bryer, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Joseph A. McDonald.

John J. Carroll, porter, \$600 a year, to succeed William Bonner.

Richard J. Doyle, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Andrew Bryer.

Constance Guignon, head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Elizabeth M. Greene.

Dorothy H. Guignon, head nurse, \$1,080 to succeed Edith M. Fleming.

William Lynch, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Wilfred Rocheville.

John J. McGill, fireman, \$30 a week, temporary.

Elda Miglinas, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Edith M. Adams.

John O'Connell, fireman, \$30 a week, temporary.

Thomas H. Owens, porter, \$600 a year to succeed Joseph S. Hogan.

Harry Roiff, attendant, \$600 a year, temporary.

Jessie Stokes, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Charles F. West.

William Webster, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Frank Somerset.

Charles F. West, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Fred R. Durant.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Frederick Harrison, fireman, \$1,000 a year, temporary.

Andrew J. Baker, engineer, transferred from fireman, \$1,600 a year, temporary.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Twomey has been reappointed as compositor at \$40.50 a week.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Helen F. Libby has been granted a leave of absence as a woman cleaner, for a period of two months, without pay.

Frederick T. Higgins has been granted an extension of temporary employment as elevatorman for another period of ten days.

Mary R. McNiff has been appointed cleaner at \$18 a week.

Cornelius D. Sullivan has been appointed general inspector in the Public Buildings Department at \$2,100 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (High Pressure Fire Service).

Phillip L. Desmond has been granted an increase in salary as draughtsman in the High Pressure Fire Service, from \$1,900 to \$2,000 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

John H. Tagen has been granted an extension of temporary employment as rodman at \$18 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

John J. Monahan and Thomas Kelly have been granted temporary employment as teamster-laborers at \$4.50 a day.

John F. Miley has been granted an extension of temporary employment as teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Increase in salary of the following employees of the Water Service have been approved:

Michael J. Durand, construction inspector in the High Pressure Service, from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

Richard J. Kelly, construction inspector, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

William J. Kane, inspector, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT PLANS FOR HANDLING ELECTION ARE ANNOUNCED.

Police Commissioner Herbert A. Wilson has issued the following instructions relative to the election Tuesday, November 4:

Boston, October 30, 1924.

General Order No. 626.

The Superintendent of Police is hereby directed to make the following details for duty at the state election in this city on Tuesday, November 4, 1924:

1. Three patrolmen for duty in the office of the Board of Election Commissioners, City Hall Annex, on arrival of ballots for state election at about 12 o'clock noon, Monday, November 3, 1924, such detail to continue until all ballots cast at the election have been returned.

2. An officer of rank above that of sergeant for duty at the City Hall Annex, to supervise the police detail for motor trucks, from 3.30 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, November 4, until relieved, and a patrolman, from 8 o'clock p. m., on the same date, until relieved, for duty at the same place, to keep clear the approaches to the office of the Board of Election Commissioners for motor vehicles returning from the polling places with ballot boxes, etc.

3. The necessary number of patrolmen from the several police divisions to attend the several polling places in this city on State Election Day, to preserve order and protect voters in the full exercise of their rights.

4. Two patrolmen from Division 18 to report at office of Board of Election Commissioners at 3 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, November 4, and there to receive ballot boxes, ballots and other paraphernalia required for the election in Ward 24, and deliver same on motor vehicle, furnished by the Election Commissioners, to the station house of Division 18.

5. Twenty-five sergeants, one to a motor vehicle, to report at office of the Election Commissioners, City Hall Annex, Court square, at 4 o'clock a. m. (excepting the sergeants for Wards 21 and 23, who will report at 3.30 o'clock a. m.), Tuesday, November 4, 1924; thence to proceed in such vehicle with ballot boxes, ballots, etc., to the several precincts in their respective wards (Ward 24, excepted) and deliver same to the police officer detailed in each precinct.

6. Nine patrolmen from Division 18, one patrolman from Division 19 and one patrolman from Division 17, to report at the stationhouse of Division 18, at 4.30 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, November 4, thence to proceed in a motor vehicle to be provided for the purpose with the ballot boxes and other paraphernalia and distribute the same in the various precincts of Ward 24.

7. One patrolman to report at each of the two hundred and seventy-four precincts at 5 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, November 4, except the patrolmen in Ward 1, Precincts 6 to 9 (both inclusive), to report at 4.30 a. m.; Ward 20, Precincts 1, 2 and 10, to report at 4.45 a. m.; Ward 21, Precincts 1 to 5 (both inclusive), to report at 4.30 a. m.; Ward 23, Precincts 1 to 6 (both inclusive), to report at 4.30 a. m.; Ward 25, Precinct 2, to report at 4.45 a. m.; Ward 26, Precincts 1 to 3 (both inclusive), to report at 4.30 a. m. to receive ballot boxes, etc., from sergeants detailed on motor trucks, in such cases provided; such detail to continue until the ballots are counted and the result declared,

They are then to bring the ballots and returns to the Election Commissioners' office.

8. Cards with the ward and precinct number and location of voting booth printed thereon have been forwarded to the several police divisions, on which the division commander will write the name, the division number, and the number of the officer detailed at 5 o'clock a. m., November 4, at the voting booth of each respective precinct on his division. This card, to be given to the officer so detailed at the voting booth, will be retained in his possession until delivered by him to an employee of the Board of Election Commissioners, who will arrive accompanying a sergeant on motor vehicle from the Election Commissioners' office on the morning of November 4, with ballot boxes, ballots, etc., as hereinbefore stated. This card, when returned by such employee to the office of the Election Commissioners will be its receipt that the ballot boxes, ballots, etc., have arrived at their proper destination.

9. In the case of Ward 24, such cards, after having been properly filled out by the division commander, will be given to the two patrolmen who are to report at the office of the Election Commissioners at 3 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, November 4, as herein stated, and are to be delivered by them to the Election Commissioners on receipt of the ballot boxes, ballots, etc.

10. On receipt by the patrolman from the sergeant, detailed on motor vehicle, as herein provided, of registering ballot box, voting lists and such other documents as may have been received from the Election Commissioners, the patrolman detailed at polling place will deliver same to the warden or clerk of the precinct, allowing no person to take or handle them before such delivery, and hand the key of the registering ballot box to the warden. On delivery of the ballots to the warden, the patrolman will take from him a receipt for the ballots, which receipt will be returned to the Election Commissioners.

11. After the warden has opened the box and allowed the election officers and the public to see that it is empty, the box is to be again locked and the key given to the patrolman who is to retain it until after the polls have closed, except that, at the request of the warden, the patrolman may allow him to open the box for the purpose of pressing down the ballots, in order to make room for more ballots after which the patrolman will see that the box is again locked, and the key returned to the police officer.

12. The patrolman will obtain from the warden copies of poster, which will be sent to the latter, in relation to smoking and the use of liquor in polling places, and post same in conspicuous places where they may be easily read. Tacks will be sent for the purpose.

13. The warden will deliver to the patrolman detailed at the polling place for his use at that place a copy of the descriptive voting list, which must be returned to the warden at the close of the polls.

14. When the polls are opened, the patrolman will mark in the place indicated on the tag attached to the key the figures which the register shows before any ballots are cast.

15. At 8 p. m., Tuesday, November 4, when the polls close, one sergeant will report in each of the 25 wards (Ward 24 is excepted), to meet motor vehicle at last point of morning distribution; thence to proceed to each of the several precincts in his respective ward, and receive registering ballot box (which must be locked) and key thereof, voting lists envelope, signed by the warden and other election officers, receipts for ballots, unused ballot envelope (containing unused and spoiled ballots), stamps for marking spoiled ballots, and receipts for ballots, carry them to the Election Commissioners' office and deliver same to some member of the Board of Election Commissioners.

16. When the polls are closed, the patrolman will mark on the same tag the figures which the register shows after all ballots have been cast. He will then hand the key to the warden, who will open the box and take out all the ballots to be sorted and counted. The warden will then cause the voting lists, including the list used by the police officer, to be sealed up in an envelope and the envelope certified by the signatures of himself and the other election officers, and the same returned to the Election Commissioners, as described in section 15 of this order. The patrolman will not allow this envelope to be put into the ballot box. The sergeant who will report on motor vehicle, will keep it about his person until delivery at the office of the Election Commissioners. The unused and spoiled ballots are then to be put in the envelope for unused ballots, and the envelope sealed and certified.

17. When returning from polls, all motor vehicles must drive to the easterly side of City Hall Annex, Court square, where ballot boxes will be conveyed by chute to the basement.

18. It is important that the patrolman sees that the voting lists envelope is signed by the warden, clerk and all the inspectors. The patrolman will also see that the special book for signatures of voters is returned in the registering ballot box.

19. In case a patrolman is detailed to relieve another after the close of the polls, the commanding officer will see that he is instructed as to the duty of bringing the official returns, the box of ballots cast, and the press return to the Election Commissioners' office as soon as they are delivered to him by the election officers.

20. When the ballots have all been counted, the ballots thus counted, tally sheets and nothing else, shall be placed by the warden in the leatheroid box for that purpose, which must be sealed up and signed by all the election officers. The patrolman will particularly see that this box is properly sealed up and that all the election officers have signed their names to the certificate on the box. The patrolman will then bring the box, official return, press return, and stamps for marking defective ballots to the City Hall Annex, Court square, and deliver same to the Election Commissioners. The patrolman is directed not to allow the official return or record book to be placed in the leatheroid box.

21. After the close of the polls, a vehicle, to be provided for the purpose, will be sent to the various precincts in Ward 24 to bring police officers with regular ballot boxes, unused ballots, etc., to the station house of Division 18, from which place only two police officers need accompany the motor vehicle with the regular ballot boxes, unused ballots, etc., to the office of the Election Commissioners.

22. While the polls remain open, an officer of rank will visit the polling places

in each division at stated intervals, to be designated by the captain, and in case of any disturbance will report the fact to the commanding officer of the station house without delay. If additional men are needed beyond the number available in that division, the officer in charge will communicate immediately with Headquarters.

23. Attention is called to the fact that the polls at the state election on Tuesday, November 4, shall open at 6 o'clock a. m. and close at 8 o'clock, p. m.

24. Commanding officers of divisions will see that the officers detailed for duty on State Election Day are furnished with a copy of the circular issued by the Board of Election Commissioners, entitled: "Instructions to Police Officers on . . . Election Days."

25. Attention is particularly called to the fact that at the state election on November 4 the Board of Election Commissioners has made provision for the appointment of two extra election officers in each precinct to report at 6 o'clock on the evening of the election. Such extra election officers will assist in the counting of the ballots cast, which will be done at two tables in each precinct this year, instead of at one as heretofore.

NOTE.—Refreshments consisting of coffee and sandwiches will be provided by the Board of Election Commissioners at its office, for the officers detailed to report at that place on the morning of November 4.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

MASSACHUSETTS BAY COLONY.

The first chartered colony in New England, charter granted by Charles I on March 4, 1629. About a year before, a patent had been granted to six prominent men of Dorchester, west of England, among whom was Capt. John Endicott. He sailed in June, 1628, with a party of 50 or 60 persons, arriving in September and settling at Naumkeag, afterward named Salem. In the spring of 1629, the Bay Company fitted out three ships conveying about 400 persons and arriving at Salem in June. Endicott sent a small party to effect a settlement on the Bay in Mishawum, afterward named by the settlers Charlestown, the first town in New England to assume the town polity, Plymouth and Salem being governed by a Governor and Council. Endicott was appointed in London as the first resident Governor on April 30, 1629. The Massachusetts Bay Company was reorganized in London on Oct. 20, 1629, when John Winthrop was chosen as Governor. He arrived at Salem on June 12, 1630, soon proceeded to Charlestown with a large following, and finding that place unsuitable, finally settled in Boston. Winthrop served thirteen years as Governor in four different periods ending in 1649 and Endicott 15 years at various times ending in 1665. Other governors were Thomas Dudley, Richard Bellingham, John Haynes, Henry Vane, John Leverett and Simon Bradstreet, the latter serving 12 years until 1692 when the Bay Colony and the Plymouth Colony were merged, becoming the Royal Province of Massachusetts Bay, which existed 82 years to 1774, the governors being appointed by the King.

The name, Massachusetts, is Indian and signifies "near the big hills."

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

The Mayor has approved the trip of Edward F. Murphy, division engineer of the Sewer and Sanitary Division, to Philadelphia and New York City for the purpose of investigating the disposal of garbage and rubbish in those cities at an expense of \$65.

Nathan F. O'Neil, Sewer Service, has been transferred from yardman at \$1,400 a year to sewer cleaner at \$5 a day.

John Blong has been granted an extension of temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,000 a year, for three months.

RENT AND HOUSING COMMITTEE.

A further extension of the temporary provisional employment of the following named adjusters, for a period of not exceeding three months beginning November 1, 1924, has been granted: Herbert E. Ellis, \$75 a week; Harry E. Casey, \$50 a week.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

John J. Peers has been appointed electrical draughtsman at \$2,080 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

George F. Morrison has been granted an extension of employment as rodman for an indefinite period at \$1,100 a year.

James H. McInerney has been appointed engineer's assistant, Grade A, at \$1,130 a year, for three months, beginning October 21.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston and Cambridge Bridge Commission.

For the week ending Monday, October 27:

Assistant Draftsmen.—John A. Solari, George F. Beuler, 3 days, \$6.57 each.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 23:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, engineer, 6½ hours, \$5.63; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$8.52; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; James O'Hallan, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62; Jeremiah Murphy, ambulance driver, 1½ hours, \$0.95; William Somerville, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62; George Roeb, ambulance driver, 15 hours, \$9.45; John Burns, ambulance driver, 15 hours, \$9.75; Edward McNealy, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62; M. Fontes, ambulance driver, 10½ hours, \$6.62; James Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; W. Camrell, elevatorman, 10½ hours, \$2.84; Merril Connolly, cleaner, 6 hours, \$1.44; J. Gill, baker, 6 hours, \$3.78.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

P. Joyce, J. Corcoran, porters and tend ing furnaces, 6 hours, \$3.38 each.

East Boston Relief Station.

F. Ruggiero, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75.
Total, \$99.49.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 23:

Albert J. Libbey, chauffeur, 2 days, \$10; Patrick J. Kiely, machinist, 1 day, \$5.50. Total, \$10.50.

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 23:

Patrick Foley, linotype operator, 6 hours, \$9.18; Daniel L. Cadigan, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52; Stephen Merrick, monotype runner, 4 hours, \$2.44; James A. Gately, monotype runner, 4 hours, \$2.44; Patrick Kelly, monotype caster operator, 7 hours, \$5.74; James H. Sullivan, monotype caster operator, 7 hours, \$6.65. Total, \$22.79.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending, Thursday, October 23:

J. Reynolds, engineer, 16½ hours, \$17.50; N. McSheffrey, fireman, 15 hours, \$11.25; J. J. Walsh, elevatorman, 10½ hours, \$9.28; E. T. Roach, elevatorman, 10½ hours, \$5.91; J. Conlon, engineer, 6 hours, \$5.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For week ending Monday, October 27:

Laborer.—J. McManus, 1 day, \$1.50. Total, \$4.50.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 27:

Firemen.—John Kelly, 1½ days, \$9; James Reilly, ¾ day, \$3.75.

Engineer.—Richard J. Shaw, ¾ day, \$5.63.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 2½ days, \$12.38.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1 day, \$5.50.

Total, \$33.23.
Net cost for the week ending October 27, 1924, \$30.26.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 27:

Pavers.—Michael Mogan, Cornelius O'Conner, Edward Doherty, Coleman McDonough, 1½ days, \$8.25 each.

Laborers.—Edward Barnes, John Casano, Joseph Alberti, Michael Botte, Thomas Broderick, Michael Costello, William Mahoney, William Carolan, Thomas King, Frederick Jenness, Frank Galida, William Hammond, Thomas Long, William McQuinn, Pasquale Napoletano, John Norton, Patrick Sheehan and Michael Joyce, 1½ days, \$6.75 each.

Yardman.—Daniel Crowley, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Cement Finisher.—Arcangelo Faiella, ¾ day, \$2.25.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 27:

Laborers, Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, B. F. Lyons, J. J. Welch, J. P. Spillane, H. J. Holmes, B. McCool, W. F. Shea, J. P. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Teamster.—J. F. Maloney, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25.
Blacksmith.—M. F. Sullivan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.75.

Assistant Blacksmith.—C. J. Sullivan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.38.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—W. H. Getz, J. P. W. Callahan, P. Cataldo, M. J. Connolly, J. P. Leonard, W. A. Crawford, T. Dwyer, D. F. McLaughlin, J. Roach, D. Shea, F. Zirpollo, W. McManus, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38 each.

Teamsters.—C. J. Crowley, V. Guliano, P. J. McLaughlin, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25 each.

Teamsters.—D. J. Dillon, H. F. Furey, J. E. Galvin, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63 each.

Chauffeurs.—J. Henneberry, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50.

Total, \$142.58.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 27:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, $2\frac{3}{4}$ days, \$13.75 each; Michael Foley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50.

Laborers.—James McCarthy, 3 days, \$13.50; Thomas Duffy, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.25; Jeremiah Walsh, Thomas Casey, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; John Dolan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63; James Gavin, Daniel McKenna, John Boyle, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$92.38.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 27:

Teamsters.—T. Dahill, P. Keefe, B. Callahan, M. J. O'Connell, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, J. P. Barnes, M. Gilmartin, T. V. Graham, F. R. Deacon, J. T. O'Leary, T. Gordon, J. J. Jones, N. J. Manning, C. J. Sullivan, E. F. Noonan, J. J. Donovan, W. T. Hinchey, W. Butts, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, D. J. Callahan, G. H. Corcoran, F. D'Ambrosio, J. J. Daley, J. P. Driscoll, T. Fitzmorris, P. F. Joyce, R. M. Jennings, J. M. Kramer, B. Maraghy, W. T. Maloney, M. Norton, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$148.50.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, October 27:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Ponang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75; J. F. Burke, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50.

Repairers.—E. Rafferty $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.50; J. Casey, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.88; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Lynch, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.02; H. Campbell, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.75; D. Hanlon, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.38; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Daley, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.13; E. Sullivan, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.50; B. Dellorusso, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; A. Brennan, $2\frac{1}{4}$ days, \$11.25; G. Goodwin, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; W. Donovan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.06; R. Doyle, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.28; C. Driscoll, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$4.13; C. Magee, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.25; P. Clougherty, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25; D. Kirby, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; T. Byrnes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.28; J. Blessington, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.83; J. Reilly, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.78; A. Rolfe, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.23; R. Bolster, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; W. Corbett, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.56; F. Keefe, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; M. Rizzo, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.78; S. Mickewicz, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.97; J. Lonergan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; T. Rose, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.97; H. Petrole, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; M. Burke, C. Sullivan, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Laborers.—M. Connelly, F. DeAngelo, B. Doherty, C. King, J. Leary, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, J. M. O'Toole, E. Pyne, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day,

\$4.50 each; T. Gallagher, E. Hart, P. Loftus, M. Shea, M. Barron, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; A. Delaney, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.91; W. Dolan, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.13; W. Kravets, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38; J. McGee, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.25; J. T. Sheehan, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.13.

Total, \$373.40; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$11; net total, \$362.40.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 24 the Mayor approved a contract with the United States Rubber Company for fire hose. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department and the bids follow:

BOSTON, October 10, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
 Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—Attached please find list of bids on proposals for furnishing 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch and 3-inch double jacket fire hose to the Fire Department, which were publicly opened and read at this office under date of September 22, 1924.

Permission is respectfully requested to award this contract to the United States Rubber Company, Eureka Fire Hose Department, on their Paragon brand of fire hose at a price of \$1.40 per foot for the 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch hose and a price of \$1.75 per foot on the 3-inch hose.

After the proposals were received at this office, I conferred with the officials of the Fire Department regarding the purchase of low priced hose, and received a report from the Fire Commissioner, signed by John O. Taber, chief of the department, stating that although the low priced hose was in accordance with the specifications, the life of the hose itself was very short, and better service had been rendered the Fire Department by the Eureka-Paragon fire hose. Eureka fire hose after having been in service for sixteen years at an intown fire house has been sent out to Engine House 48, and there is 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch Eureka fire hose still in service, which has been in use for the past twenty years.

I feel that though the price of this hose is high, the service that the City of Boston will receive through the purchase of same, will more than offset the first cost, and that danger to life and property through the purchase of low priced hose will be eliminated. Chief Taber states in his report that after thirty-seven years of experience in the Boston Fire Department, he will recommend the purchase of the Eureka hose for the safety of the men, apparatus and citizens in general, and I concur with him in this recommendation.

Trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am,

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
 Superintendent of Supplies.

7,500 Feet Two and One-Half Inch.—Murray Rubber Company, \$0.577 per foot; United States Rubber Company (Eureka Fire Hose Department), Special, \$0.67 per foot; Trojan, \$1.20 per foot; Paragon, \$1.40 per foot; Hewitt Rubber Company, \$0.77 $\frac{1}{2}$ per foot; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, \$0.61 per foot; J. Philip Bird, Receiver, United and Globe Rubber Corporation, \$0.6037 per

foot; Manhattan Rubber Company, \$0.658 per foot; B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company, \$0.676 per foot.

2,500 Feet Three-Inch.—Murray Rubber Company, \$0.865 per foot; United States Rubber Company (Eureka Fire Hose Department), Special, \$1.02 per foot; Trojan, \$1.55 per foot; Paragon, \$1.75 per foot; Hewitt Rubber Company, \$0.93 $\frac{1}{2}$ per foot; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, \$0.88 $\frac{1}{2}$ per foot; J. Philip Bird, Receiver, United and Globe Rubber Corporation, \$0.8343 per foot; Manhattan Rubber Company, \$0.894 per foot; B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company, \$0.927 per foot.

Approximate Amount of Contract.—Murray Rubber Company, \$6,491; United States Rubber Company (Eureka Fire Hose Department), Special, \$7,555; Trojan, \$12,775; Paragon, \$14,875; Hewitt Rubber Company, \$8,150; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, \$6,793.75; J. Philip Bird, Receiver, United and Globe Rubber Corporation, \$6,613.50; Manhattan Rubber Company, \$7,170; B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company, \$7,387.50.

Best Delivery Date.—Murray Rubber Company, 30 days; United States Rubber Company (Eureka Fire Hose Department), Special, 15 days; Trojan, 15 days; Paragon, 15 days; Hewitt Rubber Company, 30 days; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, 30 days; J. Philip Bird, Receiver, United and Globe Rubber Corporation, 3 weeks; Manhattan Rubber Company, 3 weeks; B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company, 3 weeks.

Discount, 10 Days.—Murray Rubber Company, 2 per cent; United States Rubber Company (Eureka Fire Hose Department), Special, 2 per cent; Trojan, 2 per cent; Paragon, 2 per cent; Hewitt Rubber Company, 2 per cent; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, 2 per cent; J. Philip Bird, Receiver, United and Globe Rubber Corporation, 2 per cent; Manhattan Rubber Company, 2 per cent; B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company, 2 per cent.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 18 the Mayor approved a contract with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company for furnishing light for the Suffolk Courthouse at Pemberton square. A communication from John H. Mahony, Acting Public Buildings Commissioner was as follows:

BOSTON, October 2, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
 Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—I wish to advise you that on October 23, 1919, a contract was entered into between the Old Colony Real Estate Trust and the City of Boston to furnish electricity for the Suffolk County Courthouse, Pemberton square, Boston. The contract expires shortly and the sheriff, in a communication to me which I am inclosing to you, recommends that on the expiration of said contract that it be not renewed owing to the fact that there have been several circumstances connected therewith whereby the service was not constant and the building would be left in darkness.

I, accordingly, have asked for bids from both the Edison Electric Illumina-

ting Company and the present contractors with the following result.

The Edison Electric Illuminating Company will furnish light and power under this rate, the specified amount of 205,000 kilowatt hours per year, the demand of 80 kilowatt hours and at the present coal charge, for \$7,524.55 giving an average rate of 3.675 cents per kilowatt hour.

The Old Colony Real Estate Trust submitted a bid of 5.75 cents per kilowatt hour.

In consideration of the foregoing facts, I respectfully request permission to award a contract, without the usual form of advertising, to the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston, which would not only mean a monetary saving but also more efficient service.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon October 17 the Mayor approved a contract with the Guiney & Hanson Construction Company for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, October 16, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Guiney & Hanson Construction Company, 61 Court street, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon October 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Saul E. Moffie for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, October 16, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Saul E. Moffie, 51 Cornhill, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; second, the expense of construction is divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

Joseph A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Upon October 18 the Mayor approved a contract with the Central Construction Company for asphalt pavement in Sterling street. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

Boston, September 22, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Your approval is respectfully requested to the laying of an asphalt pavement in Sterling street, Roxbury, from Tremont street to Newbern street, by the Central

Construction Company, at an estimated cost of \$1,841.19. This is in connection with a widening ordered by the Board of Street Commissioners, where it was necessary, in order to establish a proper surface for a wider roadway, to do considerable reconstruction work and lay an asphalt pavement.

The unit prices are to be those in the Central Construction Company's contract for repairing bituminous pavements, with the exception of the item for removing old concrete base. The charge under the latter item will be 80 cents a square yard, which is considered fair for this class of work.

Yours respectfully,

J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Ellis S. Joseph for furnishing a pair of dromedary camels to the Park Department. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

Boston, October 14, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without publicly advertising for same, to Ellis S. Joseph of the New York Zoological Park, New York, for furnishing one pair of dromedary camels at a total price of \$1,500, to be delivered to the Park Department.

The Park Department has made inspection of these camels, and feel that the price quoted is a very reasonable one.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Joseph Rugo has been ordered to make a change in contract for remodeling Courthouse, West Roxbury, said change being as follows: Deduct allowance for ash hoist as per page 45, Section 4, and the amount of \$650 will be deducted therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, \$99,200; total additions, \$5,168; total deductions, \$700; amount of contract, \$103,668.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$1,650, on contract with J. J. McCarthy & Co. for repairing artificial stone sidewalk blocks for Water Service, on account of repairing 5,000 square feet in addition to the amount in the contract—15,000 square feet—plus first additional order dated August 1, at 33 cents per square foot. Original contract, \$4,950; total additions, \$3,300; contract as standing, \$8,250.

An addition, amounting to \$3,442 on contract with J. A. Singarella for Portland cement concrete pavement in Centre street, Roxbury, on account of setting edgestone, relaying gutters and laying artificial stone sidewalks in Mansfield street, from Cambridge street to Alcott street, Brighton. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$63,320.05; total additions, \$6,442; contract as standing, \$69,762.05.

An addition, amounting to \$40, on contract with S. J. Tomasello for granite block pavement in Ramsey street, Dorchester, on account of removing stump and removing concrete base from unused driveways. Original contract, \$3,151.10; total addition, \$40; contract as standing, \$3,191.10.

An addition, amounting to \$1,431, on contract with Henry F. Malley for artificial stone sidewalks in Lake and Shannon streets, Brighton; Water street, Charlestown; Conley, Dix, Evans, Percival, Robin Hood, Roslin streets, Windermere road and Wrentham street, Dorchester; Evergreen, Marshfield and Round Hill streets, Roxbury; St. Rose and Williams streets, West Roxbury, on account of resetting edgestone; relaying gutters and constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Windermere road, east side, between Stoughton street and Cushing avenue. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$27,649.07; total addition, \$1,431; contract as standing, \$29,080.07.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$9,000, on contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for laying high pressure fire pipes in Hawkins, Bowker, Chardon, Kneeland streets, Atlantic avenue, South, Chatham, Commerce, Milk, Washington, Kilby, Doane, Broad, State, Hanover, India, North, Union, Sudbury, Custom House, Kingston and Fleet streets, city proper, on account of deducting 300 linear feet of 16-inch pipe in Chardon street and 350 linear feet of 12-inch pipe in Hanover street which, owing to conditions underground, cannot be laid, and adding 1,200 linear feet of 12-inch pipe to be laid in Canal and Market streets. Original contract, \$216,472.50; total additions, \$9,550; contract as standing, \$226,022.50.

Additions, amounting to \$255, on contract with John Williams & Co. for laying and relaying water pipes in Bonad road, Hillside avenue, Marion avenue, Metropolitan avenue, Parkton road, Roberts avenue and Russett road, West Roxbury, on account of laying 140 feet of 8-inch pipe with one post hydrant; furnishing extra labor to handle stock due to operations of steam excavator engaged in cutting and filling on street construction. Original contract, \$3,094.50; total addition, \$255; contract as standing, \$3,349.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

A. Piotti Company have been allowed the following changes in contract for the Bennet District School as per architect's letter of October 22, 1924. Additions: Extra plastering, granolithic base at stairs, \$89.60; installation water service, extra charge, \$150; trench blasting $4\frac{1}{2}$ cubic yards at \$18, \$78.66; burlap dado in main entrance, \$125.51; piecing out ten doors, \$40; open blasting $1\frac{1}{2}$ cubic yards at \$12, \$15.56; wood furring and wire lathing exterior walls, \$676; installing partition between class room and vestibule, \$26; metal ceiling boiler room, \$170.50; varnishing kindergarten floor, plus contractor's 10 per cent, \$42.90; installing separate supply line for water-closet with heating valves, plus contractor's 10 per cent, \$192.50. Total addition, \$1,607.23. Deductions: Deduct $4\frac{1}{2}$ cubic yards at \$3, \$13.11; deduct $1\frac{1}{2}$ cubic yards excavation at \$3, \$3.89. Total, \$17. Net addition, \$1,590.23. Contract price, \$91,824; total additions, \$6,774.73; total deductions, \$1,400; amount of contract, \$97,198.73.

Lamont Brothers Company have been allowed the following additions to contract for moving seven portable schools as per civil engineer's letter of October 17, 1924. Additions: Portable 216 163, removing covered passageway, \$75; Portable 133, removing furniture, \$10; Portable 21, new hard pine sills, \$153; Portable 223, changing side sections, changing furnace location, changing cold air box, \$112; Portable 26, changing location and laying new floor in sections, \$135. Total addition, \$485. Contract price, \$6,400; total additions, \$1,185; amount of contract, \$6,885.

Lamont Brothers have been allowed the following additions for moving five portable schools as per civil engineer's letter of October 20, 1924. Additions: Portable 201, moving furniture, \$6, changing location, \$34, eighteen lights of glass, \$18; Portable 202, thirty-eight lights of glass, \$38; Portable 165, thirty-six lights of glass, \$36; Portable 120, twenty-four lights of glass, \$24; Portable 65, sixty-two lights of glass, \$62; new fire pot, \$35. Total additions, \$283. Contract price, \$4,300; total additions, \$283; amount of contract, \$4,583.

CONTRACT REJECTED.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 25 the Mayor approved the rejection of contract with John Bowen Company for the completion of Police headquarters building. A communication from John H. Mahony, Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings, was as follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—I wish to advise you that in response to an advertisement appearing in the *City Record*, bids were opened by this department at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, October 21, with the result as appears on an attached sheet. You will observe that the lowest bid received was that of John Bowen Company in the sum of \$555,000 and this was really the only figure under which the contract could be executed and keep within the appropriation.

However, Mr Bowen's bid was illegal owing to the fact that he neglected to incorporate a list of sub-bidders as called for in the specifications and also neglected to insert any amounts in certain alternatives which was also required by the specifications.

In consideration of these facts, I respectfully request permission to reject all bids and to readvertise again.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.

The bids were as follows:

Item 1.—John Bowen Company, \$555,000; W. M. Evatt Company, \$620,000; C. S. Cunningham & Sons Company, \$628,689; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$650,858.

Item 2.—W. M. Evatt Company, \$1,650; C. S. Cunningham & Sons Company, \$700; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$700.

Item 3.—John Bowen Company, \$17,000; W. M. Evatt Company, \$14,000; C. S. Cunningham & Sons Company, \$10,500; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$12,000.

Item 4.—John Bowen Company, \$2,000; W. M. Evatt Company, \$3,200; C. S. Cunningham & Sons Company, \$720; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$250.

Item 5.—C. S. Cunningham & Sons Company, \$1,500; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$2,500.

Item 6.—W. M. Evatt Company, \$1,400; C. S. Cunningham & Sons Company, \$2,500; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$9,000.

Item 7.—John Bowen Company, \$13,000; W. M. Evatt Company, \$9,430; C. S. Cunningham & Sons Company, \$9,500; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$9,500.

Item 8.—W. M. Evatt Company, \$8,000; C. S. Cunningham & Sons Company, \$1,000; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$2,500.

Item 9.—John Bowen Company, \$3,000; W. M. Evatt Company, \$3,500; C. S. Cunningham & Sons Company, \$3,300; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$3,500.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS (NONEDUCATIONAL).

SECOND LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT, HEAD-QUARTERS AT BOSTON, MASS. RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS TO CLOSE DECEMBER 15, 1924.

Positions and salaries.

Second officer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,740—\$1,800 a year; mate of light vessel,* \$1,860 a year; assistant engineer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,800—\$1,920 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel,* \$1,800—\$1,940 a year; mate of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year.

For the positions marked * applicants are required to have an appropriate license; for the positions marked † no license is required.

Assistant lighthouse keeper, \$900—\$1,080 a year.

Form 1025 required. Applicants must be qualified boatmen.

Depot keeper, \$1,560—\$1,620 a year.

Applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position where a knowledge of lighthouse material or similar material would be gained.

Medical examination of appointees. In view of the benefits granted employees under employees' compensation and retirement legislation, persons appointed may be given a medical examination by a physician in the Federal Service before entering on duty.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces open competitive examinations for the positions listed above. From the registers resulting from these examinations certification will be made to fill existing and future vacancies at the places and salaries indicated or at higher or lower salaries.

Citizenship and Sex.—All citizens of the United States who meet the requirements, both men and women, may enter these examinations; appointing officers, however, have the legal right to specify the sex desired in requesting certification of eligibles. Male eligibles are desired for the positions named hereon unless otherwise indicated.

Subjects and Weights.—Applicants will not be assembled for a written examination. The examination will consist of the subjects mentioned below, which will have the relative weights indicated:

Subjects: 1. Physical ability, 40; 2. Training and experience, 60; total, 100.

Training and Experience.—For the positions marked "(a)" applicants must have had at least one year's experience in the occupation for which application is made.

For the positions marked "(b)" applicants must have completed an apprenticeship or its equivalent in the trade for which application is filed.

For the positions marked "(c)" applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position similar to that for which application is filed.

All statements relating to training and experience are accepted subject to verification. No applicant will be eligible for appointment who fails to attain a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of training and experience and a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of physical ability.

Physical Requirements.—The following physical defects will debar applicants from any examination: Bright's disease; malignant tumor (cancer, etc.); diabetes; epilepsy; any abnormal hardening of the arteries (arteriosclerosis); transmissible disease, including syphilis, gonorrhea, and chancre, also tuberculosis (active or arrested for a period of less than one year); insanity or mental illness sufficiently definite to affect the usefulness of applicant; seriously defective vision of both eyes, in correctible by glasses; progressive myopia; progressive or disabling paralysis; uncompensated valvular disease of the heart; loss of both arms, both legs, or arm and leg; hands, arms, feet, legs, or body so injured, crippled, or deformed as to seriously affect usefulness; chronic alcoholism or drug addiction. In addition, persons who have lost an arm or a leg or who are ruptured are ineligible for appointment to positions in the Custodian Service. Other physical defects will render applicants ineligible for any particular service or position, when, in the judgment of the commission, such defects would disqualify them for the duties required. Physical requirements may be waived in the case of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines under certain conditions.

Applications will be rated as received and certification made as the needs of the service require.

BOARD OF CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINERS,
Office of Lighthouse Superintendent,
Custom House, Boston.

TAX RATES, 1923, IN OTHER MASS. CITIES.

Of the 38 cities in the State, 35 had a higher tax rate than Boston's, every city in the Metropolitan District outside of Boston exceeding Boston's rate (i. e., \$24.70) by from \$1.90 minimum to \$9.50 maximum. The highest of these was Medford's, \$32.20; (2) Revere's, \$34.00; (3) Lynn's, \$33.80; (4) Chelsea's, \$33.00; (5) Malden's, \$32.00 and Woburn's the same; (6) Melrose's, \$30.80; (7) Cambridge's, \$29.90; (8) Everett's, \$29.50; (9) Somerville's, \$29.20; (10) Waltham's, \$29.00; (11) Quincy's, \$28.40; (12) Newton's, \$26.60. The lowest rate of any city was Holyoke's, \$21.50. Net average decrease for the 36 cities that changed their rate, \$1.00 as compared with 1922. Average tax rate of the 13 cities of Metropolitan District other than Boston, \$30.95 or \$6.25 more than Boston's rate.

REAL ESTATE ASSESSMENT PER CAPITA IN CITIES.

According to assessed valuations for 1923, Boston, \$1,843.61 (highest); New York, \$1,787.57; Pittsburgh, \$1,514.19; Buffalo, \$1,281.25; Philadelphia, \$1,185.29; St. Louis, \$1,032.83; Baltimore, \$996.75. These figures are approximate as population had to be estimated.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 23 TO OCTOBER 29.

OCTOBER 23.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
F. J. McLaughlin.	Rear of 53 Hampstead road.	22	First-class garage.	\$1,500
Ernest Gaviani.	59 Burrell street (1).	12	First-class garage.	4,000
Ernest Gaviani.	59 Burrell street (2).	12	First-class garage.	700
P. B. Corbett.	4 Wendover street.	11	First-class garage.	1,000
H. C. Maguire.	252 Hyde Park avenue.	22	First-class garage.	3,200
B. Atlas.	Rear of 99 and 101 Deering road.	21	First-class garage.	1,000
William London.	1782 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Second-class garage.	1,000
William London.	1788 Commonwealth avenue.	25	Second-class garage.	1,000
John Dow.	Rear of 47 Donnybrook road.	26	Second-class garage.	800
Carl B. Peterson.	Rear of 40 Maple avenue.	26	Second-class garage.	1,000
Eva Frances.	Rear of 69 Lucerne street.	21	Second-class garage.	1,000
Hyman B. Levine.	Rear of 47 McLellan street.	19	Second-class garage.	1,000
Michael Bratt.	640 Walk Hill street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	8,500
Michael Bratt.	642 Walk Hill street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	8,500
Michael Bratt.	646 Walk Hill street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	8,500
Michael Bratt.	650 Walk Hill street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	8,500
Michael Bratt.	652 Walk Hill street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	8,500
Michael Bratt.	654 Walk Hill street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	8,500
Michael Bratt.	658 Walk Hill street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	8,500
John Koshicos.	14 Austin street.	24	Third-class dwelling.	8,000
Suburb Realty Company.	11 Hobson street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	Rear of 90 West Milton street.	24	Third-class garage.	300
O. Hodgkins.	512-520 Dudley street.	12	Alterations, storage.	10,000
Ida Geler.	40 Intervale street.	18	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
L. E. Bova, lessee.	259 Tremont street.	8	Alterations, stores.	150
Mary T. L. Egan.	731 and 733 East Sixth street.	10	Alterations, dwelling.	230
Mary T. L. Egan.	731 and 733 East Sixth street.	10	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Mary L. Brennan.	2B Cushman road.	26	Alterations, dwelling and store.	5,000
New England Contracting Company.	169 Charles street.	8	Take-down, dwelling.	200
New England Contracting Company.	171 Charles street.	8	Take-down, dwelling.	200

OCTOBER 24.

Max Feldman.	Rear of 23 Morse street.	19	First-class garage.	\$1,000
John Killoran.	Rear of 107 King street.	20	First-class garage.	600
Rose L. Goodman.	Rear of 14 Mascot street.	21	Second-class garage.	800
Mrs. James E. Toomey.	117 Porter street.	2	Second-class store.	3,000
Frank Carney.	85 River street.	21	Third-class garage.	165
Katherine A. Long.	Rear of 61 Gardner street.	23	Third-class garage.	500
Idella M. Cornwell.	14 Ardmore road.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Nestor Rabidin.	Rear of 22 Chestnut street.	24	Third-class garage.	400
Lawrence T. Gettins.	Rear of 100 Ruskin road.	24	Third-class garage.	320
Daniel Murphy.	Rear of 32 Rosseter street.	19	Third-class garage.	350
Giovanni Razeto.	Rear of 55 Catherine street.	24	Third-class garage.	375
Walter Davy.	Rear of 80 Carroll street.	23	Third-class garage.	200
Giovanni Razeto.	56 Hyde Park avenue.	22	Third-class garage.	400
Peter O. Monson.	Rear of 28 Doris street.	17	Third-class garage.	400
Rose A. Clancy <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 10 Ashmore road.	22	Third-class garage.	600
Rose A. Clancy <i>et al.</i>	14 Ashmore road.	22	Third-class garage.	600
Ida M. Menix.	Rear of 17 Rodman street.	22	Third-class garage.	600
Philip Stern.	47 Woolson street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
Anna Semcluk.	255 Itasca street.	24	Third-class dwelling.	7,000
Charles C. Ryder.	100 and 102 Alban street.	20	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
D. A. Grosse.	4197 Washington street.	23	Third-class store.	600
Patrick J. McFeeley.	17 Charles street.	18	Alterations, dwelling.	500
Catherine L. Hanley.	17 Dorset street.	11	Alterations, dwelling.	250
Mrs. W. E. Mahoney.	18 Leamington road.	25	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Julius Neustadt.	38 Cunard street.	13	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
Cottrell Company.	143 Atlantic avenue.	5	Install elevator.	870
Olympia Construction Co.	252-272 Tremont street.	5	Erect builders' hoists.	600
American Building Wrecking Company.	148-154 Court street.	5	Take-down, mercantile.	300
American Building Wrecking Company.	98 and 100 Court street.	5	Take-down, mercantile.	150

OCTOBER 25.

Fannie Brecker.	111-113 Harrishof street.	16	Second-class garage.	\$2,000
Harris H. Etter.	97 Armandine street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
Mike Dorosz.	58 Rosewood street.	24	Third-class dwelling.	8,000
Reba Pacific.	31 Mt. Vernon street.	8	Alterations, dwelling.	1,500
D. R. Siegel.	515 Audubon road.	8	Alterations, tenement.	800
Michael Dambrowski.	55 Bainbridge street.	16	Alterations, dwelling.	250
Jennie Amundsen.	29 Falcon street.	1	Alterations, dwelling.	485
C. Bouia.	702 Tremont street.	6	Alterations, store and dwelling.	1,200
Bertha Menzel.	24 Aspinwall road.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	1,920
L. Rubin.	188 Woodrow avenue.	21	Alterations, dwelling.	350
Swift-McNutt Company.	150 Forsyth street.	7	Take-down, coal pocket.	1,000
G. Brown.	6 North Grove street.	5	Take-down, junk shop.	100
Massachusetts General Hospital.	10 North Grove street.	5	Take-down, dwelling.	350
Massachusetts General Hospital.	251 and 253 Cambridge street.	5	Take-down, dwelling.	250
Massachusetts General Hospital.	277 Cambridge street.	5	Take-down, dwelling.	200
Massachusetts General Hospital.	287 Cambridge street.	5	Take-down, dwelling.	200

LAND-TAKING IN HYDE PARK.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Hyde Park and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Ruskin road, bounded:

Northwest by taking made by the City of Boston for sewerage, October 2, 1919, six feet; northeast by another part of Ruskin road, one hundred and ten feet; southeast by the same, six feet; and southwest by the same, one hundred and ten feet: containing six hundred and sixty square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 105 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above-described premises, being part of the private way known as Ruskin road, for a distance of about 110 feet southeasterly from taking made for sewerage purposes by the City of Boston in Ruskin road, October 2, 1919.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that two lots of abutting land on the northeasterly side of Ruskin road, now or formerly owned by Tekla Halatyn, one lot of abutting land on the northeasterly side of Ruskin road, now or formerly owned by Joseph Nychay *et al.*, one lot of abutting land on the southwesterly side of Ruskin road, now or formerly owned by Alice E. Cressey, and two lots of abutting land on the southwesterly side of Ruskin road, now or formerly owned by heirs of Mary A. Quigley, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, each of the particular lots to the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 584, Sewerage Works, Ruskin road, Hyde Park, September 29, 1924, Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Tekla Halatyn.	\$67 50
2. Tekla Halatyn.	67 50
3. Joseph Nychay and Annie Nychay.	67 50
4. Alice E. Cressey.	67 50
5. Heirs of Mary A. Quigley.	67 50
6. Heirs of Mary A. Quigley.	67 50

\$105 00

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 23 TO OCTOBER 29.

OCTOBER 27.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Wendell Katzeff.....	Rear of 23 Ormand street.	21	First-class garage.	\$1,900
Contehetta LaConte <i>et al.</i> ...	Rear of 153 Havre street.	2	First-class garage.	1,000
Anna E. Carroll.....	Rear of 70 Linden street.	18	First-class garage.	1,000
Joseph Andezeece.....	Rear of 274 Kennebec street.	24	First-class garage.	1,000
Fred N. Worthen.....	Rear of 10 Bodwell street.	17	First-class garage.	1,200
Bessis Pinanski.....	Rear of 580 Warren street.	16	First-class garage.	1,500
Karolina Siauris.....	Rear of 381 Centre street.	20	First-class garage.	1,000
Philip Basila.....	4547 Washington street.	23	Second-class garage.	1,700
Philip Basila.....	4547 Washington street.	23	Second-class garage.	1,500
Mary Violanti.....	Rear of 1865 Hyde Park avenue.	24	Second-class garage.	900
Abraham Rosengard.....	Rear of 176 Ruthven street.	16	Second-class garage.	1,000
James Tahaney.....	Rear of 82 Forest Hills street.	22	Second-class garage.	1,000
William J. Doherty.....	Rear of 39 Chipman street.	21	Special garage.	250
Jacob Goodman.....	239 D street.	9	Alterations, store and dwelling.	1,000
W. J. McCracken.....	16 Jones avenue.	21	Alterations, garage.	50
A. H. Pusendel.....	38 Westbourne street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	250
Ralph Champa.....	77 Chelsea street.	2	Alterations, store.	400
Harris Koroluk.....	23 North Anderson street.	5	Alterations, tenement.	1,500
M. Betawski.....	57 Sunnyside street.	24	Alterations, dwelling.	600
A. W. Perry, Incorporated.....	165-205 Lincoln street.	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	3,000
James F. Butler.....	219 and 221 Florence street.	23	Alterations, apartment.	1,000
Estate John P. Squires.....	38-42 North street.	5	Alterations, storage.	3,400
Raymond Syndicate.....	12-20 Franklin street.	5	Alterations department store.	700

OCTOBER 28.

Nancy Solomon.....	40 Brinton street (1).....	15	First-class garage.	89,500
Nancy Solomon.....	40 Brinton street (2).....	15	First-class garage.	3,000
Nancy Solomon.....	40 Brinton street (3).....	15	First-class garage.	7,500
B. McKen.....	Rear of 667 East Eighth street.	10	First-class garage.	1,000
Annie Sher.....	Rear of 32 Havelock street.	21	First-class garage.	1,000
Catherine T. Kineavy.....	Rear of 40 Easton street.	26	First-class garage.	1,000
Paul Zedulis.....	Rear of 109 Birch street.	23	First-class garage.	1,800
Mary T. Cunningham.....	Rear of 55 Clark street.	18	First-class garage.	1,500
Celia Weiner.....	Rear of 95 Willow street.	21	First-class garage.	1,600
Joseph K. Dennis.....	Rear of 36 Washington st.	25	First-class garage.	1,900
James J. Nagle.....	Rear of 425 East Sixth street.	10	First-class garage.	3,000
Abraham Fine.....	3137 Washington street.	15	Second-class stores.	7,000
Eleanor T. Regan.....	Rear of 55 Murdock street.	26	Second-class garage.	700
Francis A. Regan.....	Rear of 59 Murdock street.	26	Second-class garage.	700
Solomon Friedman.....	Rear of 65 Bower street.	16	Second-class garage.	2,600
Miss Ruth Igo.....	Rear of 106 Bynner street.	14	Second-class garage.	1,500
Used Motor Parts Company.....	519 and 521 Columbia road.	17	Second-class stores.	10,000
Julia G. Lynch.....	152 Church street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Hale W. Abbott.....	16 Saco street.	20	Third-class dwelling.	5,000
Harry Barton.....	196 Essex street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	4,000
A. Fine.....	3135 Washington street.	15	Alterations, dwelling and store.	3,000
A. Fine.....	3139 Washington street.	15	Alterations, dwelling and store.	3,000
Insurance Building Corporation.....	40 Broad street.	5	Alterations, offices and stores.	4,500
Arcand Spring Company.....	229 Brighton avenue.	25	Alterations, auto repairing.	450
A. Lonken.....	36 Algonquin street.	19	Alterations, tenements.	1,500
A. Lonken.....	33 Bicknell street.	19	Alterations, tenements.	1,500
Rose E. Bordin.....	9 Carmen street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	800
Olympia Theaters, Inc.....	128 Brighton avenue.	25	Erect sign.	922

OCTOBER 29.

Louis Danielli.....	54 and 56 Newman street (1).....	11	First-class garage.	\$1,000
Louis Danielli.....	54 and 56 Newman street (2).....	11	First-class garage.	1,400
Louis Danielli.....	54 and 56 Newman street (3).....	11	First-class garage.	1,400
Louis Danielli.....	54 and 56 Newman street (4).....	11	First-class garage.	1,400
Harry Yarros.....	Rear of 5 Verrill street.	21	First-class garage.	1,000
Patrick J. McHugh.....	Rear of 14 Shannon street.	25	First-class garage.	1,000
John W. Hughes <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 23 Saxton street.	17	First-class garage.	1,750
John Moehan.....	177 Train street.	20	First-class garage.	1,200
Nathan Wilson.....	Rear of 39 Thetford avenue.	21	First-class garage.	800
Morris Spack.....	Rear of 15 Ellington street.	19	First-class garage.	1,500
K. Larson.....	Rear of 11 Foss road.	21	Second-class garage.	1,000
Harry A. Clarke.....	Rear of 47 Tyndale street.	23	Second-class garage.	500
I. Brown.....	Rear of 85 Dearing road.	21	Second-class garage.	600
Harry Silverman.....	352 Centre street.	15	Second-class stores.	1,000
C. O. R. Sanberg.....	Rear of 106 Woodrow ave.	21	Special garage.	7,800
Marden & Orlando Construction Company.....	15 Fernald terrace.	17	Third-class dwelling.	400
Marden & Orlando Construction Company.....	16 Fernald terrace.	17	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company.....	17 Fernald terrace.	17	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Marden & Orlando Construction Company.....	18 Fernald terrace.	17	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
C. Cotter, Jr.....	38 Turner street.	26	Third-class dwelling.	15,000
E. P. Murray.....	263 Pond street.	22	Third-class dwelling.	18,000
Henry Doell.....	32 Parkvale road.	23	Third-class dwelling.	8,000
Karolina Champa.....	78 Claymoss road.	25	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
O'Shea & Shea.....	280 Milton street, East.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,500
W. Ashford Lent.....	30 Ivory street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Joseph Campisi.....	Rear of 476 Metropolitan ave.	24	Third-class garage.	500
Louis A. White.....	Rear of 38 Louder's lane.	22	Third-class garage.	250
Minnie C. Warwick.....	427 Massachusetts avenue.	7	Alterations, stores and lodging.	2,000
Charles Batzin.....	61 Kingsdale street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	1,000
J. T. Cleary.....	1605 Tremont street.	14	Alterations, store and dwelling.	500
Morris D. Wallas.....	423 Neponset avenue.	20	Take-down, dwelling.	50

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

R. B. Crocker Company have been allowed to amend their contract for a new heating system in the Walnut Street School, Walnut street, Dorchester, by striking out the words and figures, "September 4, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "December 31, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 15, 1924, and is to be completed on or before December 31, 1924."

John J. Hourihan has been allowed to amend his contract for roofing and metal work at the Mary Hemenway School, Adams street, corner of King street, Dorchester, by striking out the words and figures, "September 8, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures: "October 18, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 22, 1924, and is to be completed on or before October 18, 1924."

Capital Plumbing and Heating Company, Inc., have been allowed to amend their contract for new heating system in the Quincy Street School, Quincy street, Dorchester, by striking out the words and figures, "September 4, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "December 31, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 15, 1924, and is to be completed on or before December 31, 1924."

Capital Plumbing and Heating Company have been allowed to amend their contract for a new heating system in the Horace Munn School, Newbury street, Boston, by striking out the words and figures, "September 1, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "December 31, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 15, 1924, and is to be completed on or before December 31, 1924."

John J. Hourihan has been allowed to amend his contract for roofing at the John Winthrop School, Brookford and Dacia streets, Dorchester, by striking out the words and figures, "September 1, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "October 18, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 22, 1924, and is to be completed on or before October 18, 1924."

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of time until April 1, 1925, for the completion of the contract for Columbus Park improvements, South Boston, Mass.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Carmine Russo has been notified of the following addition to contract for building sewerage works in Colorado street, from Currier street about 315 feet north-easterly, Dorchester, dated July 18, 1924, ordered under Article 2 of said contract: Build 105 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer in Colorado street, from existing sewer 130 feet northeast of Almont street 105 feet northeasterly, Dorchester. The es-

estimated quantities and cost are as follows: Item 1, 105 feet 10-inch pipe sewer at \$4, \$420; Item 29, 10 cubic yards, outside, at \$2.50, \$25; Item 30, 25 cubic yards rock excavation at \$7, \$175; Item 33, 2 M. feet B. M. at \$40, \$80; Item 36, 100 linear feet pipe underdrain at 20 cents, \$20; Item 37, 2 cubic yards Class A concrete at \$5, \$10; Item 45, 10 linear feet minor drains at \$2, \$20; Item 53, 1 manhole built on sewer, \$100; Item 63, 1 manhole invert and walls rebuilt, \$10; Item 73, \$150 list value pipe at 50 per cent discount, \$75, total \$935.

LABOR UNION ORGANIZATION PLEDGES SUPPORT TO MAYOR CURLEY.

BOSTON, October 27, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor, City Hall, Boston, Mass.

DEAR SIR,—It will be of interest for you to know that at the joint meeting of the Coopers' Union held Saturday, October 25, I made a motion, and it was seconded, that we pledge to vote and uphold you in your campaign as our next Governor. Not only were all the Boston Unions included, but also every Coopers' Union in Massachusetts.

With best wishes to you for success, I am,

Sincerely,

FREDERICK B. C. FRECH,
Secretary and Business Agent.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Forest Hills street, Ward 22, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Hastings street, Ward 23, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Leyland street, Ward 12, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Ashford street, Ward 25, erect one pole. Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Thorndike street, Ward 3, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Hunneman street, Ward 12, erect four poles.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Thornton street, Ward 13, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Paris street, Ward 2, erect one pole.

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Harbor View street, Ward 11, erect five poles.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE POSTPONED.

Owing to the sudden illness of Miss Margaret Anderton, associate editor of "The Musician," her illustrated lecture on the subject, "How Music is Made Useful Nowadays," announced in the lecture course of the Boston Public Library for Thursday evening, October 30, was postponed. Prof. Everett L. Getchell of Boston University, who has just returned from England, filled Miss Anderton's place with an illustrated lecture on "Wordsworth and the Lake Country."

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 23 TO OCTOBER 29.

OCTOBER 23.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Harry F. Nation	16 and 18 Wilcock street.	21	New fixtures	\$600
James O'Connell	365 Washington street.	26	New fixtures	150
H. T. Smith	46 Vineland street.	26	New fixtures	425
George H. Cox	554 Tremont street.	6	New fixtures	250
Charles H. Hobson	116 Sutherland road.	25	New fixtures	3,000
Charles H. Hobson	120 Sutherland road.	25	New fixtures	5,000
Pierce & Cox	451 Stuart street.	7	New fixtures	125
T. F. Garvey	950 Metropolitan avenue.	24	New fixtures	250
Max Hyman	40 Intervale street.	18	New fixtures	800
H. S. Trethewey	32 Parkvale road.	23	New fixtures	616
J. S. Cassidy	32 Federal street.	5	New fixtures	8,000
Daniel E. Walsh	48 Dempster street.	14	New fixtures	120
H. S. Trethewey	29-41 Corinth street.	23	New fixtures	2,735
Terence F. Feeley	89 Brunswick street.	18	New fixtures	800
Samuel Barron	90 Brunswick street.	18	New fixturer	200
M. Rass & Co.	787 Blue Hill avenue.	21	New fixtures	1,150
S. Tack	270 Beech street.	23	New fixtures	475
M. H. Meyers	918 Albany street.	12	New fixtures	603
Abraham Katz	161 Massachusetts avenue.	7	New fixtures	200
T. J. Clifford	791 Beach street.	5	New fixtures	150
John J. Vogel	4197A Washington street.	23	New fixtures	250
H. T. Smith	74 Surrey street.	26	New fixtures	225
William H. Browne	9 and 11 Lorna road.	21	New fixtures	850

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H. Weiss	13 Moody street.	24	New fixtures	\$400
Abraham Rudish	198 and 200 Washington st.	19	New fixtures	225
Matto & Kosen	14A Wapping street.	4	New fixtures	400
O. J. Morlock	14 Waldon road.	23	New fixtures	1,180
William N. McKenna	62 Summer street.	5	New fixtures	500
John E. Stanley	67 Stuart street.	5	New fixtures	200
George A. Wilson	97 State street.	5	New fixtures	100
E. H. Marchant	54 South Russell street.	8	New fixtures	700
Pierce & Cox	176 South street.	5	New fixtures	125
John E. Stanley	42 Rosemont road, S. W.	20	New fixtures	1,200
A. Yorks	216 London street.	1	New fixtures	750
A. Yorks	212 London street.	1	New fixtures	750
William H. Mitchell & Son	14 Hanover street.	5	New fixtures	60
Morse Brothers Company	73 Green street.	5	New fixtures	300
M. S. Pann	126 Gladstone street.	1	New fixtures	800
O. J. Morlock	36 Elm street.	23	New fixtures	1,078
A. Yorks	212 East Eagle street.	1	New fixtures	500
Powers & Mehegan	1536 Columbia road.	10	New fixtures	900
M. H. Myers	104 Brighton street.	5	New fixtures	300
M. H. Meyers	106 Brighton street.	5	New fixturer	300
A. Yorks	579 Bennington street.	1	New fixtures	400
John J. Vogel	338A Belgrade avenue.	23	New fixtures	2,000
Eli Parad	17 Forbes street.	15	New fixtures	300

OCTOBER 25.

T. M. Garvey	18 Harlow street.	17	New fixtures	\$485
T. M. Garvey	1541 Dorchester avenue.	20	New fixtures	150
Abraham Katz	128 Colonial road.	25	New fixtures	1,500
John J. Vogel	220 Claremont street.	8	New fixtures	220
J. P. Shaughnessy	1839 Center street.	23	New fixtures	100
Harry F. Nation	81 Walnut park.	15	New fixtures	4,760
M. S. Pann	37 St. Stephen street.	7	New fixtures	135

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John A. Donlan	146 Thornton street.	15	New fixtures	\$50
Robert A. LaCentra	24 Pope street.	1	New fixtures	300
P. M. Donoghue	4 Perthshire road.	26	New fixtures	4,000
Philip Lagans	228 Maverick street.	2	New fixtures	200
M. Cohen	52A Gainsborough street.	7	New fixtures	160
Frank C. Lewis	Rear of 14 Fulton street.	5	New fixtures	60
P. T. Buckley	81 Commercial Wharf	5	New fixtures	425
The McVarish Company	158 Blackstone street.	5	New fixtures	145
Paul Latta	158 Blackstone street.	5	New fixtures	100
J. S. Cassidy	Rear of 3648 Washington st.	22	New fixtures	4,800
Pierce & Cox	161 Massachusetts avenue.	7	New fixtures	200

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James J. Sweeney	42 Fairbanks street.	26	New fixtures	\$1,200
John Y. Gillespie	86 Filler street.	21	New fixtures	900
Abraham Kellen	8 Walnut park.	15	New fixtures	400
H. C. Greenlaw	60 St. James street.	13	New fixtures	300
M. W. Palmer	51 Leamington road.	25	New fixtures	600
Abraham Shleman	150 Humboldt avenue.	16	New fixtures	700
Albert B. Hultgren	95 Hollowell street.	24	New fixtures	500
Stanley G. Crawford	234A Dudley street.	12	New fixtures	200

OCTOBER 29.

Alexander Campbell	2364 Washington street.	13	New fixtures	\$100
E. H. Marchant	156 Warren street.	25	New fixtures	400
M. Pass & Co.	1180 Tremont street.	13	New fixtures	1,850
A. E. Roberts	247 Roxbury street.	13	New fixtures	370
Buerkel & Co.	202 Massachusetts avenue.	7	New fixtures	50
D. B. Armstrong	663 Main street.	3	New fixtures	250
Gordon & Co.	61 Kingsdale street.	19	New fixtures	600
J. S. Cassidy	20 Brookline avenue.	8	New fixtures	2,000

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 23 TO OCTOBER 29.

OCTOBER 29.—*Concluded*

ASSESSMENTS BY THE STREET
COMMISSIONERS FOR THE
FOLLOWING IMPROVEMENTS.

GAYNE ROAD, WEST RONSLEY.

	Amount
Rose Munier ux Felix	\$200 00
Hugh Skilly	300 00
Charles H. Nichols	300 00
Charles H. Nichols	300 00
Harry L. Thorne	300 00
Sarah C. Ross	300 00
Sarah C. Ross	300 00
Sadie B. Murray ux Harry J.	300 00
Henry Nettle	300 00
Louise W. Church	300 00
Louise W. Church	300 00
Ebba J. Schuerfeld ux Harry W.	300 00
Ebba J. Schuerfeld ux Harry W.	300 00
Harry W. Schuerfeld	500 00
Anna C. Schmidt ux Fred W.	300 00
Gertrude A. MacDonald ux John J.	300 00
Gertrude A. MacDonald ux John J.	300 00
Annie S. Snow ux Joseph L.	300 00
George J. Wall, Ruth D. Wall.	300 00
George J. Wall, Ruth D. Wall.	300 00
George D. Bullard, Mary A. Bullard.	288 50
George D. Bullard, Mary A. Bullard.	200 00
Cecilia R. Blalock	300 00
Amelia P. Murray	300 00
Henry W. Onkes	300 00
Harry L. Thorne	300 00
Harry L. Thorne	200 00
Harry L. Thorne	300 00
Margaret F. McIntosh	300 00
Margaret E. McIntosh	300 00
George A. Taintor, trustee	300 00
George A. Taintor, trustee	200 00
Albert Bornkessel	300 00
William Proudman	300 00
William Proudman	300 06
Arthur L. Robin	200 00
Elizabeth M. McKillop	200 00
Elizabeth M. McKillop	300 00
Gustave Anderson, Esther Anderson.	300 00
Elmer Banks, Muriel A. Banks	300 00
Elmer Banks, Muriel A. Banks	290 40
Fredric H. Newton	300 00
Fredric H. Newton	200 00
Elizabeth G. Jacobs	211 40

GRAYFIELD AVENUE, WEST ROXBURY.

	Amount.
Thompson S. Sampson	\$525 00
Louis B. McCarthy	465 00
Louis B. McCarthy	465 00
Albion D. Wilde	260 00
Mary B. Orday <i>uz</i> Thomas	360 00
Ada E. Peters <i>uz</i> Henry W.	519 00
Elise D. Gordon <i>uz</i> John	451 14
Charles H. Botsford	1,641 00
Lucy A. Botsford	1,172 94
Sarah L. Jackson	939 00
Annie D. Bailey, trustee under will of Jason S. Bailey	550 00
Charles H. Botsford	2,605 90
Albertha M. Hammond	520 00
Charles H. Botsford	2,073 40
Annie D. Bailey	1,726 00

Total = 14,133.88

CLAFELIN STREET, SOUTH BOSTON.

	Amount.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.....	\$3,000 00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.....	3,000 00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.....	3,000 00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.....	3,000 00
Total.....	<u>\$12,000 00</u>

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Arundel street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Beaumont street to Elm road, with the name of Alcorn street or some other distinctive name, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Barrington street is hereby laid out, from Beaumont street to Elm road, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

South by Beaumont street, thirty feet; west by the westerly line of said Barrington street as hereby laid out, four hundred ten and 73-100 feet; north by Elm avenue, thirty feet; and east by the easterly line of said Barrington street as hereby laid out, four hundred ten and 67-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Barrington street, from Beaumont street to Elm road, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Barrington street, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, August 11, 1924, Wm. J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.		Amount.
1.	Mary E. Dwight.....	\$520 00
2.	Mary E. Dwight.....	367 50
3.	Mary S. Gardner.....	423 50
4.	Charles E. Peterson.....	523 60
5.	Mary B. Chipman.....	590 00
6.	Abott R. Cox, Ethel G. Cox.....	356 00
7.	Mary F. Lyons.....	498 40
8.	Herbert W. Thordike.....	498 40
9.	Daniel McAnaul, Rose M. McAnaul.....	498 40
10.	Norton Alden.....	468 75

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Warren Brothers Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing a bitulithic pavement in Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Canterbury street to River street. Items ordered: Furnish and lay concrete base where directed. Price to be paid: For each square yard of concrete base laid, the sum of \$1.60. Estimated cost of extra work, \$995.

Warren Brothers Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing bitulithic pavement in Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Canterbury street to River street. Items ordered: Remove drinking fountain in Mattapan square. Price to be paid: The sum of \$115. Estimated cost of extra work, \$115.

Richard T. Green Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repairing hull of ferryboat "John H. Sullivan." Dated October 17, 1924. Items ordered: Furnish new keys for wheels; remove wheels; remove stern sleeves and rewood, \$449; remove quadrant, jack up rudders and rebabbit skeg bearings, rebush rudder port on Boston end, drill new holes and install top bolts to fasten same, \$183; renew blow backs on two sea cocks, \$58; pack stuffing boxes, \$71; remove one sponson brace, fair up and rerivet in place, \$54; renew one disc in sea valve, renew one valve stem, \$84. All above prices are agreed prices. Estimated cost of extra work, \$899.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Louder's lane, between a point about 995 feet west of Centre street and a point 50 feet westerly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$400.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Allston street, from Elizabeth avenue, 134 feet southwesterly and in Elizabeth avenue, from Allston street, 210 feet northwesterly in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$3,190.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch and 12-inch earthen pipe in Water street, between Glenwood avenue and Cottage street, and in Cottage street, between Water street and Washington street, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of \$15,000.

MAYOR IS THANKED FOR
COURTESY.

Boston, October 21, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

MY DEAR MR. CURLEY.—The President and Executive Committee of "Uncle Sam's Market Place" have unanimously voted to send you their most sincere thanks for granting them the use of Copley square for their fete. Your act has been the means of greatest assistance to the shops that help these disabled people and is deeply appreciated. They regret that you and Mrs. Curley could not accept their invitation to attend the fete, which was most successful in every way.

Sincerely yours,

BERTHA T. BEALS,
Corresponding Secretary.
 "Uncle Sam's Market Place."

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES IN BOSTON, 1924-1925, AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library announce the following list of free lectures, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 p. m.

The entrance is from Boylston street only. The doors will be opened two hours before each lecture and closed ten minutes after the lecture begins. The Thursday lectures are generally illustrated by lantern slides. The Sunday lectures are usually not illustrated. Exceptions are mentioned below. Lectures are given occasionally during the winter in the lecture halls of the Charlestown, East Boston, Jamaica Plain, North End, South End, West Roxbury, and Upham's Corner Branches.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Nov. 6. A Rocky Mountain Hike: Nine Thousand Miles Through the Beauty and Pinnacles of America. Rev. Charles W. Cassen, President of the Field and Forest Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Nov. 13. The Anniversary of Robert Louis Stevenson. Guy Richardson.
- Nov. 20. The Glory of England: Her Cathedrals and Scenic Beauty. Frederick Parsons, F. R. S. A.
- Dec. 4. Florence: The City of the Lily. Martha A. S. Shannon.
- Dec. 11. Days with the Birds. Mrs. James L. Tryon. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Dec. 18. How the Dutch Do It: Housing Problems and Port Development. Frank A. Bourne, S. M., A. I. A.
- Jan. 8. Glimpses of Norway's Fjords. Ben Blessum, General Representative of the Norwegian government in the United States and Canada. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Jan. 15. Mediæval Pilgrimages and Art. Arthur Kingsley Porter, B. F. A., Professor of Fine Arts, Harvard University.
- Jan. 22. Picturesque England from Chester to Clovelly. Ellen E. Pace.
- Jan. 29. Snaring Bird Songs. Charles C. Gorst.
- Feb. 5. Brazil and Its Jungles. James Ballance.
- Feb. 12. The Land of the Backward Rolling River: Chekiang Province, including its Capital, Hangchow, the Heavenly. Wilton Deu Goddard, A. M. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 19. Under Italian Skies. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 26. Whaling and Its Methods. Arthur J. Watson, Acting Curator, Old Dartmouth Historical Society and Whaling Museum.
- Mar. 5. Killarney: Its Lakes and Legends. Rev. William M. Stinson, S. J.
- Mar. 12. Tramps about the Presidentials. Milton E. MacGregor, Mountain Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 19. Earth Changes, illustrated by the Geology of Boston. Hervey Woodburn Shimer, Ph.D., Professor of Paleontology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- Mar. 26. Along Dutch Waterways. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Apr. 2. New England Birds and Wild Flowers. Mrs. Harriet U. Goode.
- Apr. 9. English Gardens. Robert N. Cram, B. L. A., Instructor in Landscape Architecture, Harvard University. With autochrome illustrations.
- Apr. 16. Architecture in the United States in the last ten years. J. Randolph Coolidge, Jr.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Nov. 2. Tragedy and Comedy of Charles Dickens with illustrative readings. Francis Henry Wade, M. D.
- Nov. 9. The Enjoyment of Art. Walter Sargent, Professor of Art, University of Chicago.
- Nov. 16. Reading of Shakespeare's "Hamlet." George F. Pearson.
- Nov. 23. Reading of Shakespeare's "King Henry IV, Part II." By members of local Shakespeare Clubs, under the direction of Mrs. Frederick H. Briggs. (Drama League Course.)
- Nov. 30. A Modern Opera: Pfitzner's "Palestrina." Otto G. T. Straub. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 7. Public Celebrations. J. Philip O'Connell, Director of Public Celebrations, City of Boston. With lantern illustrations.
- Dec. 14. Music in the Life of the World: Story of the Carol. Aerial Music of the Bell Towers of Europe. Mme. Beale Morey. Illustrated by voices and members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

- Dec. 21. Carols and Chansons of Christmas. Henry Gideon, A. M. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 28. Boston Architecture: Past and Present. Frank Chouteau Brown. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 4. The Marvel and Glory of Glass: Ancient and Modern. Mrs. Walter G. Dennison.
- Jan. 11. Swedish Male Harmony Chorus. Carl Hutton, director.
- Jan. 18. The Appreciation of Greek Sculpture. Clarence Kennedy, A. M., Assistant Professor of Art, Smith College. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 25. Our New Comedy and American Family Life. Albert Hutton Gilmer, A. M., Professor of Dramatic Literature, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Feb. 1. A Splendid Rebel: Life and Times of Patrick Henry. Henry Lawrence Southwick, President, Emerson College of Oratory.
- Feb. 8. New New England Poets. Speaker to be announced. (New England Poetry Club Course.)
- Feb. 15. Modern French Music. Edward Burlingame Hill, Assistant Professor of Music, Harvard University. With musical illustrations.
- Feb. 22. Worthwhile Patriotism. Hon. Michael J. Murray.
- Mar. 1. Boston, the Convention City. Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston.
- Mar. 8. Treasure of the Theatre Collection in the Harvard University Library. Frank W. C. Hersey, A. M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 15. The Magic of Words. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt. D.
- Mar. 22. Legends and Folk-Songs of Finland. Mme. Aino Saari. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 29. King's Chapel Choir. Raymond C. Robinson, Director.
- Apr. 5. Footlight Orchestra. Thompson Stone, Director.
- Apr. 12. Dawn of Orchestral Music: a Program by members of the Eighteenth Century Orchestra. Raffaele Martino, Director.
- Apr. 19. The Battle of Lexington. Harold Murdock, A. M., Director of the Harvard University Press.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club meets regularly in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month, at 3 o'clock, except as otherwise stated. The following free lectures are announced, subject to change.

- Nov. 10. The British Poets from the Seventeenth to the Nineteenth Century. Charles Hammond Gibson.
- Nov. 24. Ruskin's Museums. Mrs. May Smith Dean.
- Dec. 8. Ruskin's Message to Youth and the Twentieth Amendment. Rev. Davis Wasgatt Clark, D. D.
- Dec. 22. Music — Arranged by Mrs. Arthur Howard Davison. The Christmas Message — Mrs. Minnie Meserve Soule.
- Jan. 12. What's What in Books. John Clair Minot.
- Jan. 26. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Feb. 9. Anniversary Observance of John Ruskin's Birth. Address: John Ruskin. Rev. Harold E. R. Sneath.
- Feb. 16. Americanization: Its Ideals. Two addresses: The Value of Law and its Observance. Hon. Sanford Bates, State Commissioner of Correction. The Development of the True Citizen. Dr. Charles A. Coburn, Professor of Applied Psychology, Boston University School of Religious Education.
- Mar. 9. Days of Romance in Old Spain. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Mar. 23. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry A. Higgins, Secretary of the Massachusetts Ruskin Association.
- Apr. 13. Ruskin and Agriculture Today. Dr. Arthur H. Gilbert, State Commissioner of Agriculture.
- Apr. 27. Author's Reading. Rev. Henry Hallam Sanderson, D. D., Editor of the "Wayside Pub.".
- May 11. Annual meeting.

THE AMERICAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, BOSTON CHAPTER.

Free addresses in the Lecture Hall on Saturdays at 4 o'clock.

- Dec. 13. The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique. Helen Archibald Clarke, vice-president Boston Chapter.
- Jan. 17. The Immitable Laws of Great Poetry. F. Charlton Black, L. L. D., Professor of English, Boston University.

EXPENDITURES, FISCAL YEAR, 1923-24.

Total ordinary and extraordinary, \$69,433,002, or \$4,593,567 more than in 1922. For maintenance of departments (excluding Water Service and Printing Dept.), \$39,244,315 (including \$12,421,826 for Schools); for City and County interest, \$3,488,857; sinking-fund requirements, \$606,133; serial loan payments, \$1,979,128 (making all debt requirements, excluding Rapid Transit, \$6,074,118), for Water Service, including Metropolitan water assessment, interest on debt, etc., \$3,128,463 (covered by water revenue). State tax, \$3,302,400 (regular) and \$697,296 (civilian war poll tax); Metropolitan and various State assessments, \$1,785,745; Printing Department, \$380,832 (covered by revenue); special appropriations from tax levy for public improvements, \$5,097,379; special appropriations from Parkman Fund income for park improvements, \$236,244.

Total ordinary expenditures, \$59,946,792, or \$4,173,498 more than in 1922. Total expenditures for departments only, \$1,654,148 more than in 1922.

Department increases of expenditure in excess of \$25,000 over the year 1922 were: Boston Sanatorium, \$31,259; Fire Department, \$328,170; Health, \$46,647; Hospital, \$195,614; Library, \$35,084; Park, \$273,904; Police, \$241,807; Public Buildings, \$48,048; Public Works, \$238,765; School Dept., \$343,355; Suffolk County, \$153,347.

Regular appropriations unexpended by the departments reached the noteworthy total of \$761,664. Decreases of expenditure from 1922 were: City Clerk, \$2,800; Election Dept., \$56,569; Overseeing of Public Welfare, \$35,161; Soldiers' Relief, \$712,264.

Extraordinary expenditures for permanent improvements (*i. e.*, loan appropriations, etc., including unused portions from previous year), \$7,512,304, of which \$1,623,669 was for Rapid Transit construction (mostly E. Boston Tunnel alterations); \$1,162,238 for sewer construction; \$804,624 for making of highways; \$577,496 for Columbus Park, improvements; \$379,290 for Police Headquarters; \$336,838 for Playground improvements, etc.; \$319,512 for Stuart St. construction; \$314,518 for Hyde Park St. R'way, purchase of; \$289,152, for City Hospital, improvements; \$284,665 for Police Station 2, Building; \$261,661 for work on various public buildings; \$253,467 for Chelsea Bridge South; \$170,023 for City Hospital, Thorndike Memorial Building; \$157,886 for E. Boston Ferry, improvements; \$123,408 for Cambridge St. Bridge; \$116,686 for Municipal Garage, Albany St.; \$94,864 for Beacon St. Bridge; \$91,583 for Public Latin School. For Rapid Transit debt requirements, \$1,671,117. Total extraordinary, \$9,486,211 or \$420,069 more than in 1922.

TAX LEVY, 1923.

Total \$43,500,536, or \$38,382,750 on realty, \$3,955,626 on personality, and \$1,162,160 on male polls (\$5.00 poll tax instead of \$2.00).

Number of persons assessed on property, 111,641, of which 77,696 were resident individuals and 9,720 non-resident individuals; number of dwelling houses assessed, 76,779; acres of land assessed, 18,598. Number of resident individuals assessed on property 9.22 per cent of all residents. Number assessed for poll tax only, 197,567 or 84.37 per cent of all resident men.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending October 25, 1924:
Population estimate July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,929.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 155; nonresidents, 30; total, 185.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 12.42; nonresidents deducted, 10.41.

Death rate per 1,000 of population.
Last week, 13.96; corresponding week last year, 12.18.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 21; one year to five years, inclusive, 6; sixty years and over, 75; total deaths: male, 102; female, 83; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 84; deaths of colored, 3.

REPORTABLE DISEASES, CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ending Oct. 25, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ending Oct. 27, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	1	—
Diphtheria.....	42	2	101	2
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	—	—
Influenza.....	1	—	1	1
Measles.....	18	—	43	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	23	6	16	4
Scarlet fever.....	70	1	42	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	33	10	39	9
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	7	1	8	3
Typhoid fever.....	1	1	4	1
Whooping cough.....	15	—	3	1

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, October 20, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Walsh.

PAYMENT TO WIDOW OF POLICE OFFICER MOTRONI.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 18, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The death of the late Police Officer Albert Motroni leaves a widow, with child, who are entitled to the consideration of the city in whose service he died.

That the same character of devotion to duty that Albert Motroni as a member of the Boston Police Department manifested may be encouraged in the preservation of the peace and the upholding of the law, I respectfully recommend the acceptance of the accompanying order.

Under the provisions of section 87, chapter 32, of the General Laws, as amended by chapter 178 of the Acts of 1923 and chapter 371 of the Acts of 1924, the city is authorized upon vote of the City Council and approval by the Mayor to pay to the estate of a member of the Police Department killed in the performance of his duty, the sum of \$2,500.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 87 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended by chapter 178 of the Acts of 1923 and chapter 371 of the Acts of 1924, there be paid to the estate of Albert Motroni, a policeman killed in the performance of his duty, the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500), for the use equally of his widow and minor child, said amount to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TAKING BY METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 14, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith communication received from the Metropolitan District Commission.

Under the provisions of section 80, chapter 92, of the Revised Laws, concurrence of the City Council of Boston, for Suffolk County, is necessary if any portion of any public land or rights in land is taken by eminent domain, and I accordingly recommend adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Whereas, The Metropolitan District Commission did, on the ninth day of October, A. D. 1924, take certain lands and rights in land referred to and described in an order of taking, a duly attested copy of which has been submitted, which real estate lies in the City of Boston and County of Suffolk, and is shown upon a plan marked "Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Metropolitan District Commission, Parks Division, Old Colony Parkway, Plan of Taking in Boston, Near the Junction of Neponset Avenue and Taylor Street . . . August 13, 1924, John R. Rablin, Chief Engineer," being Metropolitan District Commission, Park Division, Plan No. 779;

Ordered, That the City Council of the City of Boston, in conformity with Section 80 of chapter 92 of the General Laws, hereby concurs with said Metropolitan District Commission in said taking and in every act, matter and thing connected therewith.

(Appended was a copy of order of taking by the Metropolitan District Commission under date of October 9, 1924, under authority of section 80 of chapter 92 of the General Laws, of land for parkway or boulevard purposes, from a point at or near the crossing of Columbia road and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to a point near Neponset Bridge in Boston, as authorized by chapter 699 of the Acts of the year 1912 and amendments thereof, the land being described in the order of taking and a plan accompanying the same.)

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received, and were referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Amirault & Johns, for compensation for damage to business and property at 209-217 Adams street, Dorchester, caused by water from hydrant.

Charles E. Baldwin, for compensation for damage to fence at 33 Clarendon street, caused by ash team.

Teresa A. Barry, for compensation for damage to clothing and personal injuries, caused by bursting of water pipe on Thompson street, Charlestown.

Frances Blackmur, for compensation for damage to automobile at Dorchester avenue, near Fields Corner, caused by car of Public Works Department.

Fannie Clayton, for compensation for damage to property at 209-217 Adams street, Dorchester, caused by water from hydrant.

Harry R. Cox, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by car belonging to Boston City Hospital.

James H. Cunningham, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Dedham street, near Shawmut avenue.

Robert Dasheff, for compensation for damage to automobile at 15 Devonshire street, caused by ash wagon.

Sarah E. Fillebrown, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 60 Vernon street.

Barney Greenberg, for compensation for injuries caused by police ambulance colliding with automobile.

Bertha Greenberg for compensation for injuries caused by police ambulance colliding with automobile.

Sarah Greenberg for compensation for injuries caused by police ambulance colliding with automobile.

Peter A. Horner for compensation for damage to automobile when commandeered by police officer on Washington street, Roxbury.

A. Earl Hurd, for compensation for damage to automobile on Washington street, caused by city team.

Ernest Kelley, for compensation for damage to automobile on Oliver street, caused by city team.

S. Kemler Shoe Company, for compensation for damage to stock at 9 Albany street, caused by backing up of sewage.

Mrs. John J. Lordan, for compensation for damage to automobile at 2 Park place, Jamaica Plain, caused by ash team.

Sarah McCaffrey, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 294 Broadway.

Enrico Meloni, for compensation for damage to property at 27 Morris street, East Boston, caused by defective drain pipes and sewer.

R. E. Merrill for compensation for damage to automobile on Court street, caused by city team.

Freida Mizhere, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Kneeland and Hudson streets.

George Mogavero, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect at Aldrich street, Roslindale.

Margaret T. Mullen, for compensation for damage to property at 122 D street, South Boston, caused by defective sewer pipes.

Francis O'Brien, for compensation for damage to bicycle on Bispham street, Dorchester, caused by truck of Water Department.

John O'Brien, for compensation for damage to horse and team caused by an alleged defect at Washington and Williams streets.

Joseph A. Salterio, for compensation for damage to automobile at corner of Harvard and Commonwealth avenue, caused by fire apparatus.

Jacob A. Schatz, for compensation for personal injuries and damage to automobile at Columbia road and Seaver street, caused by police ambulance.

Rose Schatz, for compensation for personal injuries caused by police ambulance.

Albert Shanessey, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect at River street and Blue Hill avenue.

Gertrude Talbot, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 11 Elwood street, Charlestown.

Taylor & Co., for rebate of fee paid for sidewalk license.

Lena Weinberg for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Shawmut avenue and Camden streets.

HEARING ON GASOLINE LICENSES.

Notice was received from the Street Laying-Out Department of hearings on Monday, October 27, on petitions for storage and sale of gasoline of Harold A. Damon, 1942 Centre street, Joseph V. Ganley, 1327 Tremont street, Metropolitan Filling Station, Inc., 4192 Washington street, Lillian Murdock and others, 1 Collins street, and Premium Cab Company of Massachusetts, 122 Arlington street.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACTS.

Notice was received from Matthew Cummings, a member of the Sinking Fund Com-

mission, that he is interested in the contracts of the Alco Contracting Company, Inc., to build the Intermediate School, Mather District, Dorchester, and the Intermediate School, Samuel Adams District, East Boston, as treasurer of the Alco Contracting Company, Inc.
Placed on file.

TRACK LOCATION ON HARVARD BRIDGE.

Notice was received from the Street Commissioners that the Boston Elevated Railway Company had been granted the right to construct, maintain and use an alteration of and an addition to its existing locations, as follows: Double track on Harvard Bridge from north of Beacon street to the Boston and Cambridge line, being the 41st location.
Placed on file.

PAYMENT TO COURT OFFICER JOHN F. SULLIVAN.

A voucher was received from the District Court of Chelsea to cover services of Court Officer John F. Sullivan, for the current month, \$166.66.

Approved and ordered paid.

SALARY OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY MESSENGER.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered an order—That chapter 346 of the Acts of 1924 entitled "An Act to establish the salary of the messenger in the office of the District Attorney for the Suffolk District" be and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

ELECTION DAY ORDER.

Coun. BRICKLEY offered the following:
Ordered, That meetings of the citizens of this city, qualified to vote for state officers, be held at the several polling places designated for the purpose by the Board of Election Commissioners, on Tuesday, the fourth day of November, 1924, for the election of Presidential Electors, Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, State Secretary, State Treasurer, State Auditor, Attorney-General, Senator in Congress, Representatives in Congress, Councillors, Senators in the General Court, Representatives in the General Court, Register of Probate, Commissioner to Apportion Suffolk County into Representative Districts; also to give in their votes on the following questions:

1. Shall an amendment to the Constitution relative to the qualifications of voters for certain state officers (striking out the word "male"), which received in a joint session of the two Houses held May 24, 1921, 258 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative and at a joint session of the two Houses held May 10, 1923, received 254 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative, be approved?

2. Shall an amendment to the constitution to enable women to hold any state, county or municipal office and which further provides that a change of name of any woman, holding a Notary Public Commission, shall not render her commission void but she shall re-register under her new name and shall pay such fee therefor as shall be established by the general court, which received in a joint session of the two Houses held May 24, 1921, 216 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative, and at a joint session of the two Houses held May 10, 1923, received 258 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative, be approved?

3. Shall a law (chapter 370 of the Acts of 1923) which provides that no person shall manufacture, transport by aircraft, watercraft or vehicles, import or export spirituous or intoxicating liquor, as defined by section 3 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, or certain non-intoxicating beverages as defined by section 1 of said chapter 138, unless in each instance he shall have obtained the permit or other authority required therefor by the laws of the United States and the regulations made thereunder, which law was approved by both branches of the General Court by votes not recorded, and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved?

4. Shall a law (chapter 454 of the Acts of 1923) which provides for the raising of funds toward the cost of the construction and maintenance of highways by means of an excise tax of two cents on each gallon of gasoline and other fuel used for propelling motor vehicles on the highways of the Commonwealth, said tax to be paid by the purchaser to the distributor, who in turn, pays it to the Commonwealth, and the money to

be credited to a fund to be known as the gasoline-highway fund, out of which reimbursement is to be made to purchasers, who shall consume the gasoline or other fuel in any manner except in the operation of motor vehicles on the highways, and the expenses of carrying out the act are to be paid, fifty per cent of the balance of said fund to be distributed to the cities and towns of the Commonwealth, in proportion to the amounts which they contribute to the State tax, and this fifty per cent to be expended in construction or improvement of public ways within the city or town limits, and the other fifty per cent to be expended by the State Department of Public Works on such highways as it may select, which law was approved by both branches of the General Court by votes not recorded, and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved?

5. Shall a law (chapter 473 of the Acts of 1923) which amends existing legislation on the same subject and provides that, subject to certain limitations no person shall engage or be financially interested in the business of receiving deposits of money for safe keeping or for the purpose of transmitting the same or equivalents thereof to foreign countries unless he has executed and delivered a bond to the State Treasurer or deposited securities in lieu thereof and has received a license from the Commissioner of Banks authorizing him to carry on such business; that any money which in case of breach of bond shall be paid by the licensee or surety thereon or the securities deposited in lieu thereof shall constitute a trust fund for the benefit of depositors; that the license shall be revocable by the Commissioner of Banks for cause shown; that the money deposited with licensees for safe keeping shall be invested in the manner prescribed by the act; and that the violation of any provision of the act shall be punished in the manner therein prescribed, which law was approved by both branches of the General Court by votes not recorded, and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved?

6. Shall daylight saving be retained by law in Massachusetts?

7. Is it desirable that the General Court ratify the following proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States: "Section 1. The Congress shall have power to limit, regulate, and prohibit the labor of persons under eighteen years of age. Sect. 2. The power of the several States is unimpaired by this article except that the operation of State laws shall be suspended to the extent necessary to give effect to legislation enacted by the Congress?"

8. Plans for City Council.

Plan No. 1. A city council of fifteen members to consist of three members to be elected for two year terms by and from the voters of each of five boroughs (each comprising certain specified wards) at a salary of fifteen hundred dollars each, nominated as heretofore, except that the names of five hundred voters only shall be required to nominate each member.

Plan No. 2. A city council to consist of one member to be elected for a two year term by and from the voters of each ward at a salary of \$1,500 each, nominated as heretofore, except that the names of one hundred voters only shall be required to nominate each member.

The polls at said meetings shall be opened at six o'clock a. m. and closed at eight o'clock p. m.

Ordered, That the City Clerk be hereby directed to give notice of said meetings according to law.

Ordered, That the provisions of sections 55, 56 and 57 of chapter 54 of the General Laws be and hereby are suspended and made inapplicable as to the several questions to be voted upon at the State election to be held on November 4, 1924.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

PHOTOGRAPHS OF LATE JOHN F. DEVER AND FRANK X. CHISHOLM.

Coun. WATSON offered the following:
Ordered: That the Clerk of Committees be authorized to procure a suitable photograph of the late Clerk of Committees, John F. Dever, and of the late assistant Clerk of Committees, Frank X. Chisholm, said photographs to be hung in the City Council rooms; the expense to be charged to the suitable item in the appropriation for City Council.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

SIDEWALK ON HEATH STREET.

Coun. WATSON offered the following:
Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public

Works make a sidewalk along 189 Heath street, Ward 14, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Nos. 219 and 221 Heath street, Ward 14, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

ALLOWANCE TO SOLDIERS' RELIEF COMMISSIONER.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following: That there be allowed and paid to the Soldiers' Relief Commissioner, and charged to the appropriation for Soldiers' Relief Department, the sum of \$300, said sum to be expended by said commissioner, subject to the approval of the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, in affording immediate relief to persons entitled to aid under chapter 115 of the General Laws and acts in amendment thereof and addition thereto.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF FOR OCTOBER.

Coun. Gilbody, for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, offered a report recommending the passage of the usual order for payment of aid to soldiers and sailors and their families in the City of Boston for the month of October, 1924, under chapter 115 of the General Laws and acts and amendments thereof or in addition thereto.

The report was accepted and the order was passed under suspension of the rule.

ENLARGEMENT OF FAIRVIEW CEMETERY, HYDE PARK.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That his Honor the Mayor direct the Park Commissioners to arrange for the enlargement of Fairview Cemetery, Hyde Park, so as to permit of the further burial of veterans of the Spanish-American and World Wars.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

ANNUITY TO WIDOW OF DANIEL I. BELL.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:
Ordered, That an annuity of six hundred dollars be allowed and paid to the widow of Daniel I. Bell, a member of the Fire Department, who died from injuries received in the performance of his duty; such annuity to continue so long as said widow remains unmarried and to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

RECESS TAKEN.

President DONOGHUE, at 2.52 p. m., declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President DONOGHUE at 4.32 p. m.

SALE OF PARKMAN PROPERTY.

The following was received:
City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor October 20, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—An opportunity is presented for the sale of a portion of the Parkman property that is not in use by the city, and which is not required in connection with the conduct of activities of the Park Department.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the City of Boston, as it is trustee

under the will of the late George F. Parkman, to sell at public auction, at an up-set price equal to the assessed valuation thereof, the parcel of land situated on Joy place and containing in all approximately 840 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

Referred to the Committee on Parkman Fund.

EDISON STREET LIGHTING CONTRACT.

The following was received:

City of Boston.

Office of the Mayor, October 9, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith communication received from the Edison Electric Illuminating Company. Under the provisions of the Revised Charter of 1909 specific provision is made that all street lighting contracts in excess of one year must be subject to the approval of the City Council and the Mayor.

In December, 1914, a contract for a period of ten years with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company was made by the City of Boston; this contract will expire December 7, 1924. Under the provisions of the contract adopted in 1914, notice on the part of either of the contracting parties to terminate the contract at a period within sixty days prior to the termination of the ten-year period may be given.

The Edison Electric Illuminating Company, through the president of the company, Charles L. Edgar, have notified the Commissioner of Public Works of their intention to terminate the contract, and of their purpose to establish a higher rate than the rate paid under the 1914 contract.

In view of the fact that an investigation of the Edison Electric Illuminating Company's rates has been in progress for a period of more than five years, and is still being conducted jointly by the Boston American Publishing Company, in behalf of the public, and by the City of Boston, in behalf of the municipality, it would, in my opinion, be inadvisable to enter into a contract at this time with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company.

I have directed the Corporation Counsel to file notice of appeal from the proposed increase in schedule of rates, as determined upon by the Edison Electric Illuminating Company, and filed with the Public Utilities Commission.

It would be inadvisable, in my opinion, for the city to take any action in the making of a new contract until such time as the investigation has been settled.

The increase as proposed by the Edison Electric Illuminating Company in the new schedule submitted cannot be regarded other than as a raid upon the public treasury, since it will amount to more than one million dollars provided the contract is made covering a ten-year period under the schedule as filed.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred today) that there be paid to the estate of Albert Motroni, a policeman killed in the performance of his duty, the sum of \$2,500 for the use equally of his widow and minor child, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed.

2. Report on order (referred today) approving chapter 346 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act to establish the salary of the messenger in the office of the District Attorney for the Suffolk District"—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed.

3. Report on ordinance (referred September 8) amending section 5 of chapter 3 of the Revised Ordinances in the clause establishing the salary of the Street Commissioners by striking out the words "forty-five hundred" and inserting in place thereof "six thousand," and by striking out the words "four thousand" and inserting in place thereof the words "forty-five hundred," so that said clause will read as follows: "The Street Commissioners, the chairman, six thousand dollars, and the two other commissioners each forty-five hundred dollars"—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; and the question came on the adoption of the ordinance.

Coun. LANE—Mr. President, I move as a substitute an ordinance increasing the salaries

of the other two members besides the chairman from \$4,000 to \$5,000.

The question came on substitution. The Chair was in doubt, and Coun. Lane asked for a roll call. The motion to substitute was adopted, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Purcell, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

The substitute ordinance was passed.

4. Report on proposed transfer of \$10,000 from the Reserve Fund to the appropriation for the Finance Commission (referred July 28) that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Purcell, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

5. Report on message from the Mayor (referred September 29) submitting communication from the Finance Commission under date of September 29, 1924, calling attention to the necessity of making an additional appropriation of \$10,000 for that body—recommending that same be placed on file.

Report accepted; said message and communication placed on file.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

Communications were received from his Honor the Mayor making the following appointments, subject to confirmation:

John L. Merrill, 4 Dean street, Everett, weigher of goods for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Salvatore Grassa, 28 Fleet street, Boston, to be constable of the city for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Daniel W. Connors, 562 River street, Mattapan, weigher of coal and measurer of wood and bark for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Jacob Hauck, 170 Poplar street, Roslindale, weigher of goods and gauger of liquid measures for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Severally laid over under the law.

OPPOSITION TO FARE RAISES ON ELEVATED JITNEYS.

President DONOGHUE offered the following: Resolved, that the Boston City Council place itself on record as being opposed to making any changes in the city ordinances, with relation to the issuance of jitney permits, that would allow the Boston Elevated Railway Company to increase its fare from 5 to 6 cents on these lines of service.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

OPPOSITION TO CHILD LABOR AMENDMENT.

President DONOGHUE offered the following:

Resolved, that the Boston City Council place itself on record as opposed to the so-called child labor amendment to the United States Constitution and urges the citizens of Boston to vote "no" on amendment No. 7, to be voted on at the state election November 4, 1924.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING HON. JOHN W. DAVIS.

President DONOGHUE offered the following:

Resolved, that the Boston City Council extend to the Hon. John W. Davis of West Virginia a most cordial welcome on the occasion of his visit to the City of Boston, and pledges him its support as a candidate for President of the United States of America.

The question came on the passage of the resolution.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I had hoped that I would not be called upon to make any speech here today, in order that we might get away early but the order which has just been introduced by the Chair and read by the Clerk compels me to speak in opposition. The Chair knows full well that I cannot vote for the order. I do not desire to make the Council chamber a political arena at this time but I am for La Follette for president. I have great admiration and respect for John W. Davis as a man and as a lawyer, but to my way of thinking he is not the man to be made president of the great United States of America. I believe that the time to check unrest is before it gets past the stage where it can be checked. The Republican and Democratic

parties have both nominated candidates for president, and if you ask the average thinking man on the street today the difference between the two men no man can see that there is any difference. They both represent the same interest identically. Neither one of them represents a protest against the conditions as we see them in connection with the Republican administration at Washington or elsewhere, or in the country at large.

It is unfortunate that I am compelled to explain my position in opposition to this resolution. To begin with, it has no place here. Before I conclude I will move to amend the order simply retaining such part of it as extends a welcoming hand to Mr. John W. Davis, the candidate for President of the Democratic party, as a guest of the City of Boston. But when it comes to wishing him success and pledging him as a candidate for President my support, I cannot do it; but I can justify my position, at least to myself, and I believe to the average man, in not voting for him. I was a delegate to the New York convention, as well as the gentleman who has introduced the resolution, and he knows the interests that nominated John W. Davis for President perhaps as well as I do. He was nominated by a combination arranged for prior to the convention. He was selected by the few who operate in both political parties for nomination before the convention was called to order. I was quite active in that convention, as the president knows, and I saw the delegates from New York vote for Albert E. Smith, the candidate of the real democracy, on approximately 100 ballots, 101, I think.

Then they shifted to Underwood for a ballot or two, and then those who had selected Davis as the candidate of the party went down and turned the eighty-eight votes that were being cast for Underwood right over for John W. Davis of West Virginia. I am not going to tell what I heard there or what I know, but I do know that the representatives of the Standard Oil, of J. P. Morgan, including Judge Morgan O'Brien, were very active at that time. It is the first time in my life that I have bolted a Democratic candidate for public office when he has borne the Democratic label, and I do it rather reluctantly; but I have been brought up in the orthodox school of politics to vote for principles rather than for men or for the label, and Robert M. La Follette, in my opinion, represents the best interests of America today. He is a living protest against the control of this country by the few rather than the many, and the control of this country by those who believe in putting the dollar before the man. I make this prediction. There has been more strong and direct thinking by the average man in this great country of ours today, regardless of political affiliations, than there has been in a decade, perhaps in a century, or perhaps since the republic was born, and I predict that by the popular vote, which may not mean the election of the candidate, Robert M. La Follette will get more votes in the election of November 4 than John W. Davis, whom I consider the equal of if not the superior in brain matter and ability as a lawyer to either of the other candidates. It is unfortunate that I have to do this here, but I have already declared my position on this matter. It does not mean that I am right, but it means that I believe I am right, and that is sufficient for me. Therefore, I am going to move to amend the order by striking out all in the order which follows the welcoming of Mr. Davis to the City of Boston. I would like to examine the resolution for the purpose of offering exactly the amendment I wish. (Coun. Watson examined the resolution.) I move to strike out the words "and pledges him its support as a candidate for president of the United States of America."

The question came on Coun. Watson's amendment.

President DONOGHUE—I desire to state that I introduced this resolution because I feel that I also have a right to support whomever I see fit for President of the United States. I want to say that I also was a delegate to the Democratic National Convention held in New York, and that I voted for Alfred E. Smith, Governor of New York, for the Democratic nomination for President of the United States, not upon 101 ballots or 102 ballots but upon 103 ballots. I voted for Alfred E. Smith on every ballot that was cast. I refused to leave his standard when others did. But the situation now has changed. The Hon. John W. Davis of West Virginia has been nominated by the Democratic party as its standard bearer, and Governor Smith of New York is in the forefront advocating the election as president of the United States of John W. Davis of West Virginia. It has been said that this Council should not be made a political arena. It is a political arena. No one can make it other than what it is. We members of the Boston City Council have

been elected members of the Boston City Council as Democrats, practically speaking. We, in my opinion, are representative of the great Democratic party and we, as members of the City Council, have a right to decide whom we care to support for any office in the gift of the people of the United States. I do not want any Democrat to bolt the Democratic ticket. I don't think that any Democrat in voting for Robert M. La Follette, the Senator from Wisconsin, is voting for other than a Republican—a Republican Senator, elected as such, a Republican all his life, bearing the party label in practically every political contest in which he has engaged. While we have heard a great deal of talk of progressive movement, and so forth, I want to say that I personally am satisfied with the standard bearer who has been selected by the Democratic party. Men high in the councils of our Democratic party throughout this state and throughout the country are satisfied to support John W. Davis of West Virginia and why should not we members of this Council who have been elected by the citizens of Boston and principally by Democratic votes do so? I want to say also that the Boston City Council is not now called upon for the first time to advocate the election of any particular individual. Politics have been played in this Council since the Council was inaugurated, and I feel that we, a Boston City Council composed of eight Democrats and one Republican, have the right to ask the Democrats to extend a most cordial welcome to the Hon. John W. Davis on the occasion of his visit to Boston on October 24, and, further, that I have the right to ask that the Democratic members of this Council tender to him their undivided support in his candidacy for the presidency of the United States. The question comes on the amendment.

Coun. LANE—Mr. President, I favor the amendment as offered by Coun. Watson. I cannot see any objection to the first part of this resolution. I certainly will be glad to welcome the Hon. John W. Davis here to Boston. He is a candidate for the highest honor within the gift of the people of this nation. I have the greatest respect for him, and I sincerely hope that Mr. Davis will come to Boston and be received with the acclaim with which he should be received as a candidate for this high office. As you have said, Mr. President, this Council is composed of eight Democrats and one Republican, I being the lone Republican in the body. But I think, Mr. President, that it ill becomes the presiding officer of this body to put across the rest of this resolution. The resolution reads:

"Resolved, That the Boston City Council extends to the Hon. John W. Davis of West Virginia a most cordial welcome on the occasion of his visit to the City of Boston, and pledges him its support as a candidate for President of the United States of America."

I believe, Mr. President, that you have done me a wrong, a personal wrong, on this occasion. You can carry this vote through eight to one provided the other members of the Council here vote to pass the resolution, and it will then go out to the City of Boston, the State of Massachusetts and the entire nation, that the City Council of Boston, a non-partisan body, elected without party designations, has pledged its support by a vote of eight, six or five in favor, whatever the case may be; thereby pledging the entire City Council of Boston to the political support of the Hon. John W. Davis. I sincerely hope that the resolution will pass as amended by Coun. Watson.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I am really surprised at this resolution being here. When any member of this organization says that he has been elected by the Democratic votes of Boston, when he has received the endorsement of the Good Government Association, the statement does not come with good grace, because any man who makes that statement knows that he is not getting elected by the Democratic votes of this city when he gets the endorsement of the Good Government Association. He knows that there are certain people in this town who will vote for a Good Government nominee who are not Democrats and who will not vote for John W. Davis or any other Democratic nominee. Let us bring it closer to home. When our colleagues have gone forth from this Council for re-election to the Council, has a resolution ever been brought into this body endorsing for re-election the three colleagues who are going out? Again, let us bring it close to home. We have a man who is the chief magistrate of our city, who is a candidate for public office at the present time. Has there been any resolve put in here that endorses and supports him in his candidacy for the high office of Governor of the Commonwealth of Massa-

chusetts? I want to say publicly that I am not with John W. Davis, and I don't think that the presiding officer or any member of this Council has the right to ask me to go on record as being in favor of Davis or any other candidate for the presidency. Of course, this is a piece of sharp politics, the snidest piece of politics that I have ever seen in here, the cheapest piece of politics I have ever seen here in my term in the body. Of course, it was brought in for a purpose. The purpose has been achieved. Everybody knew, of course, where Watson was, and everybody knew where Lane was, but they wanted to find out where I was. And now you have found out. I am with La Follette. I am a Democrat, and just as good a Democrat as any man here, but I am with the American Federation of Labor first. The American Federation of Labor has endorsed La Follette, and I am throwing my lot in with labor. We talk about parties. Some few weeks ago a state convention was held within our state and a platform was endorsed, planks of which have been repudiated by members of the party in this state. If the leaders of the party in this state have a right to repudiate planks accepted in the Democratic convention, I as an individual have my right to choose as a Democrat what my position shall be. If the delegates from the state that John W. Davis comes from had voted for Alfred E. Smith as candidate for President, it might have made some change in the Democratic convention in the State of New York. But the state that he came from stayed aloof practically during the whole convention, voting solidly for John W. Davis. Then, when the Ku Klux Klan from the South, from the Democratic party, found that it was impossible to elect its man, it shifted to John W. Davis, the lesser of the two evils. If Alfred E. Smith had been the nominee of the Democratic party, I would have been on the band wagon of the Democratic party for Alfred E. Smith; but John W. Davis sat there all the time during the convention, not making one move for the purpose of getting the Democratic national organization together. No; he was hoping for a personal reason that the lightning would strike him, which it did, and it didn't make much difference who the nominee was as long as certain people could have their way. There is not any difference, in my estimation, between the honorable gentleman who is President and John W. Davis, as far as the interests are concerned. John W. Davis has been on the pay roll of the Morgan interests for many years; Coolidge, while in power in this state, was always controlled by the interests. The situation is about the same with both of them. It is simply like putting your hand in a bag and pulling out the lesser of the two evils, as far as Davis and Coolidge are concerned. Of course, they say that La Follette is a Bolshevist. Well, I have been a Bolshevist before ever La Follette was a candidate for President, in so far as the public press is concerned. Therefore, it is nothing new for me to be referred to in that way. I want to say that I am going to vote against the resolution. I have no objection to welcoming any man to our city. I would be very glad if more men would come into our city. I have not the slightest objection to that. But when it comes to endorsing a man in this way, no. Much as I care for the movement I am connected with, the labor movement, I would not bring a resolution in here asking that the members here endorse the candidate that I am with. I have no objection to Coun. Watson's amendment, but in so far as the order is concerned, I shall vote against it.

President DONOGHUE—The Chair desires to state that he would be very glad to have the order so amended as to include the names of United States Senator David I. Walsh and of the Hon. James M. Curley, as candidates respectively for the United States Senate and for the Governorship of this Commonwealth. As a democrat, I personally will support not alone John W. Davis for the presidency, but David I. Walsh for the United States Senatorship and James M. Curley for the Governorship of this Commonwealth, and I will also mark a cross against the name of every other Democratic nominee on the ballot. I believe that I have the right also to ask fellow Democrats to support the nominees of the Democratic party. It is not an unusual thing, in my opinion, to expect Democrats to support the Democratic ticket. I think it is a usual procedure. Of course, I had no hope that the Republican member of this Council would vote in favor of this resolution. Naturally he will stay with the party with which he is affiliated. I merely ask the members of the Democratic party to stay with the party that they are affiliated with and that they have been affiliated with for years and years. So there is no attempt personally

on my part to put across anything on the Republican member of this Council, and when they accuse the Democratic party or any members of it of attempting to put anything across, I rather welcome the compliment, because we have been laboring here in our city for years under conditions which have been put across by Republican legislators. I think it is time, therefore, that once in awhile at least, if we have the opportunity to do so, we should stand by the colors of the party with which we are affiliated. I would be very happy indeed to see the resolution so amended as to include the names of United States Senator David I. Walsh as a candidate for reelection and Hon. James Michael Curley as a candidate for Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and to also include the names of all other Democratic nominees that will appear on the ballot November 4. Therefore, I move that as an amendment to the amendment offered by Coun. Watson.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. Chairman, I wonder if the chairman of this body is trying to tell us other members how to vote, or is trying to find out, as a matter of newspaper notoriety, where we stand? I am absolutely opposed to the last amendment, and I don't care who knows it or who likes it. I think I have a right to vote as I please, and we have the same right of individual opinion, as Coun. Moriarty says, as a leader of the party who can afterwards oppose a plank that he was instrumental in putting in to the Democratic platform in Worcester. I have just as much right to change my vote, and when the name of the present Mayor of Boston is proposed to be mentioned and endorsed by this honorable body, I am going to vote to oppose anything that may be attempted to favor the endorsement of the Hon. James M. Curley for Governor of Massachusetts.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. President, I desire to state just one word more, as a matter of record. In a speech of John W. Davis, delivered in Chicago, published in Saturday morning's Boston Post, John W. Davis quoted Balfour of England, known as "Bloody Balfour," as being one of the greatest men in this world. If that is the type of man that Mr. Davis claims to be one of the greatest men in this world, then I take pleasure in not being with Davis. It all goes to prove conclusively that there was an agreement in the Democratic convention in New York that no Catholic would be endorsed as the Democratic nominee, and it was the English money of Pierpont Morgan that made it possible that John W. Davis should receive the nomination of the Democratic party. It was "Bloody Balfour" whom the chief magistrate of this city refused to welcome to Boston. I did not want to make any statement, but this thing having been brought up I have stated my mind, as I never hide behind anybody. The statements we have made here are to be made a matter of record, and that is all I want to put in the minutes.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I would like to suggest that it might be well to draft the order over again and to have it read that we welcome the Hon. John W. Davis, Hon. Robert M. La Follette and any other candidate for president who may come to Boston, to our city. We ought to welcome them as great Americans, and I, therefore, ask the Chair if he will kindly accept that amendment to add the names of Robert M. La Follette and any other candidates to the name of John W. Davis? I would like to ask the President if it might not be a good thing to withdraw his resolution and to then erase from the record all our speeches, which, after all, don't amount to very much.

President DONOGHUE—Not in my opinion.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President, I am heartily in favor of what Coun. Watson said. I think that is a proper thing to be done. I don't think our Council meetings should be made into a rally for any one, and that is what this looks like to me.

President DONOGHUE—The members of the Council are entitled to their opinion. The question comes on the amendment to the amendment.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I move you, sir, that the whole thing lie on the table and that the minutes on this resolution be done away with.

The question came on the motion to lay on the table.

Coun. PURCELL—Mr. President I make a motion that this Council do now adjourn.

President DONOGHUE—Coun. Purcell moves that the Council do now adjourn.

The Council voted to adjourn at 5.13 p. m., to meet on Monday, October 27, at 2 p. m.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

DIRECTOR OF NURSES (FEMALE) BOSTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT, DIVISION OF CHILD HYGIENE, NOVEMBER 10, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 a year.

Applicants must be not more than 45 years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants be high school graduates, have continuous training in a hospital of not less than two years, be graduates of a training school for nurses, and be graduates of a course in public health nursing. Applicants should also be registered under the State Board of Registration of Nurses.

The duties of this position include supervision of a staff of from fifty to seventy nurses, assistance in the preparation of a child hygiene program and budget, and the holding of conferences for nurses, mothers and lay groups.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

BRIDGE ENGINEER, STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NOVEMBER 14, 1924.

The salary is \$4,500 per year. Applicants should have at least ten years experience as a bridge engineer, but a degree granted by an engineering school of recognized standing will be equivalent to four years' experience. It is desirable that this experience have been obtained through actual responsibility for the design and construction of bridges and other structural works, including the handling of men and an understanding of the economic questions involved in the bridge problem.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of examination.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ASSISTANT CHEMIST, STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, NOVEMBER 14, 1924.

(Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.)

The salary is \$1,500 per year.

The duties of this position are to make analyses of coal, including the calorimetric work, and to make analyses of fuel oil and various food products. Applicants must have a bachelor's degree in chemistry from a recognized in-

stitution of learning, or its equivalent. They should have a good knowledge of physics and be familiar with mathematics through advanced algebra.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and in the oral interview, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

INVESTIGATOR, STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, NOVEMBER 14, 1924.

(Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.)

The salary is \$1,800 per year. The duties of this position are the study of the supply of farm labor throughout the state, of the demand for such labor, of the various kinds of work involved, particularly in specialized types of farms in areas of the state where special kinds of agricultural work are carried on and other details affecting the problem. The investigator will be required to keep a register of farm positions and of applicants for such positions, to notify persons registered when and where positions or help may be found, and to keep, so far as possible, a record of the work of applicants in positions to which they are referred. It is desirable that applicants have had experience in placing help, especially farm help, knowledge of agricultural conditions and agencies in the state, ability to interview farmers and farm help, and a good working knowledge of stenography and typewriting. Applicants should have had at least one year's experience as a stenographer.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

DENTAL HYGIENIST, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, NOVEMBER 15, 1924. REQUISITION IS FOR A FEMALE, BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES.

The salary is \$25 a week. The duties of this position are to assist the oral surgeons in operations, to prepare cases for operations, to change dressings after operations, to secure X-rays and X-ray reports for the oral surgeons, to scale and polish teeth of fractured jaws previous to and after wiring, to keep accurate records of all operations and treatments.

Applicants must be registered as dental hygienists under the State Board of Dental Examiners.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

CITY OF BOSTON.

EMPLOYEES' CREDIT UNION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

BOSTON, MASS., November 1, 1924.
The tenth annual meeting of the City of Boston Employees' Credit Union will be held Tuesday, November 18, 1924, at 4.15 p. m. in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Boston.

CHRISTOPHER J. FITZGERALD,
(Nov. 1-8-15.) Clerk.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN WOOD AVENUE, FROM RUTLEDGE ROAD ABOUT 90 FEET NORTHEAST AND OUTLET IN RUTLEDGE ROAD, HYDE PARK.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Wood Avenue, from Rutledge road about 90 feet northeast and outlet in Rutledge road, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Wood Avenue," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Monday, November 10, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals, must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works
Boston, October 30, 1924. (Nov. 1.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR IRON CASTINGS-HYDRANT AND GATE STOCK.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service, 183,000 pounds, more or less, iron castings, consisting of hydrant and gate stock. Blank proposals are to be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read at 12 m., on Monday, November 10, 1924, at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Nov. 1.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REBUILDING DARTMOUTH STREET BRIDGE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for rebuilding Dartmouth Street Bridge, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of thirty-five thousand (35,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex, after Monday, October 20, 1924. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope sealed, marked "Bid for Rebuilding Dartmouth Street Bridge," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, November 18, 1924, with a certified check for thirty-five hundred (3,500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioners to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the bid containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 16, 1924. (Nov. 1.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR STEEL BEAMS.

The Transit Department of the City of Boston, 1 Beacon street, seventh floor, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and delivering, freight prepaid, f. o. b. cars, 14 Cypher street, South Boston, about 250 tons of steel beams in sizes from 15 inches to 30 inches in depth and of various lengths. A bond of an approved surety company will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in a sum of 20 per cent of the total bid price. Proposals should be filled out and signed by the bidder on forms to be obtained at this office, inclosed in an envelope, sealed, indorsed "Proposal for about 250 tons of steel beams," and left at the above address before 12 m. on Tuesday, November 11, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read, with a properly certified check in the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the contract, within the time prescribed after the date of the notification by the department of the acceptance of the proposal and the readiness of the contract for signature, is not executed by the bidder. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. Specifications and forms of contract can be obtained at this office. The right to reject any and all proposals, and to award the contract as is deemed to be for the best interest of the City of Boston is reserved.

By order of the CITY OF BOSTON TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.
EDWARD F. CONDON,
(Nov. 1.) *Secretary.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 30, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Nathan street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Patten street to Eldridge road, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints eleven o'clock a. m. of November 12, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(Nov. 1-8.) *Secretary.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

BIDS FOR BUILDING SECTION K, DORCHESTER TUNNEL.

The Transit Department of the City of Boston, 1 Beacon street, seventh floor, invites bids from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for building Section K, Dorchester Tunnel. This section is located in and near Boston street, Power street and Dorchester avenue, and is about 1,300 feet in length. The structure is to be mainly of reinforced concrete and structural steel. The work also includes an open incline, sewer changes and additions, bridge changes, removal of structures, regrading, etc. A bond of an approved surety company will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in a sum of 35 per cent of the bid. Bids should be filled out and signed by the bidder on forms to be obtained at this office, inclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed, "Bid for building Section K, Dorchester Tunnel," and delivered to the department or to its secretary before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, November 25, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read, with a properly certified check in the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the contract, within the time prescribed after the date of the notification by the department of the acceptance of the proposal and the readiness of the contract for signature, is not executed by the bidder. Bids must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. Plans can be seen, and bids, specifications and forms of contract can be obtained, at this office. The department reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to award the contract as is deemed to be for the best interest of the City of Boston.

By order of the CITY OF BOSTON TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

EDWARD F. CONDON,
(Nov. 1-8-15.) *Secretary.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals to erect and complete, including the plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating work, the new Police Headquarters Building, corner of Stuart and Berkeley streets, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Public Buildings therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Wednesday, November 19, 1924 at said office with a certified check for \$25,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as above indicated, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, before the time of opening the bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$50 will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(Nov. 1-8-15.)

CITY OF BOSTON
STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 30, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a lot of land on Armandine street, next west of the property numbered 95 on said street, Dorchester district, containing approximately 7,528 square feet more or less for school purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of November 18, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(Nov. 1-8.) *Secretary.*

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN FERNALD TERRACE, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 450 feet of 8-inch water pipe in Fernald Terrace, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Fernald Terrace," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, November 7, 1924, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item, appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 30, 1924. (Nov. 1.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWERAGE WORKS IN ALABAMA STREET, FROM CURRIER STREET TO ELENE STREET, AND OUTLET IN PRIVATE LAND, FROM COLORADO STREET TO ALABAMA STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Alabama street from Currier street to Elene street, and outlet in private land, from Colorado street to Alabama street, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Alabama Street," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, November 12, 1924, with a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, October 30, 1924. (Nov. 1.)

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT
NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 30, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Theodore Parker road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Weld street to Halford road, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints eleven o'clock a. m. of November 12, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(Nov. 1-8.) *Secretary.*

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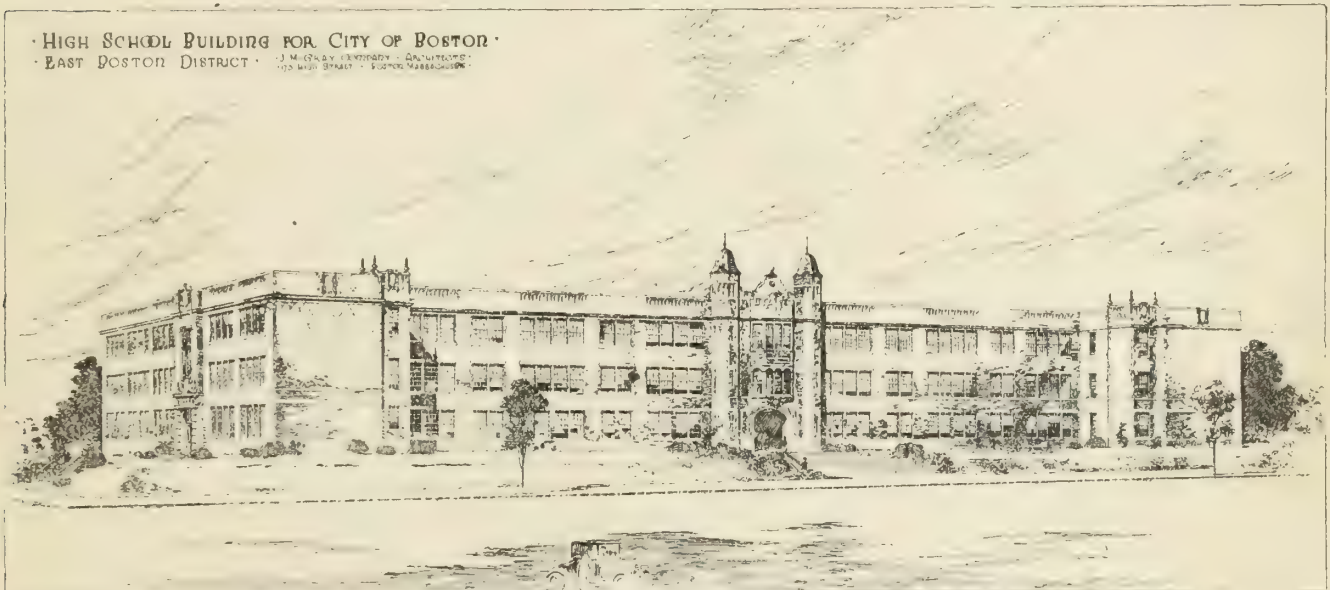
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EAST BOSTON'S NEW HIGH SCHOOL WILL SOON BE STARTED, PLANS HAVING BEEN COMPLETED.—MAGNIFICENT STRUCTURE ON PROMINENT SITE OVERLOOKING BOSTON HARBOR.

WILL ACCOMMODATE 1,600 PUPILS AND WILL BE A REAL COMMUNITY CENTER FOR ENTIRE DISTRICT.—CITIZENS WATCHING FOR CONSTRUCTION WITH GREAT PRIDE IN THEIR HEARTS.



BUILDING AT WHITE AND BROOKS STREETS WILL CONTAIN ASSEMBLY HALL SEATING 1,000, WITH STAGE AND DRESSING ROOMS—BIG GYMNASIUM ALSO TO BE FIRST FLOOR FEATURE—COST TO WELL EXCEED \$1,000,000.

Plans are now ready for the new high school building for East Boston, to be built at the corner of White and Brooks streets, on a high elevation overlooking the harbor. The lot has a frontage of 570 feet on White street and 390 feet on Brooks street. The school will provide accommodations for 1,600 pupils.

The ground floor will contain wood-working and machine shops, room for machine drawing, blue-printing, lockers and rooms for boys, a lunchroom for boys and girls, domestic science, sewing, millinery and classrooms for girls. On axis with the central entrance will be the assembly hall, accommodating about 1,000, with modern stage and dressing rooms.

The assembly hall is so planned that

it may be used by the community without interfering with classes. At the rear of the assembly hall will be the gymnasium, 53 feet wide and 133 feet long, entered from two corridors and directly accessible for the community by an outside entrance, with locker rooms and showers for boys and girls in the basement. The gymnasium is to have a running track and spectators' balconies.

On the second floor will be the office, master's room and health office centrally, the library, bookkeeping and typewriting rooms, study rooms, commercial geography and display rooms and classrooms.

The third floor will provide chemistry, physical and biological laboratories, and

elementary science rooms and a lecture room. All laboratories will have adjoining workrooms and apparatus and store-rooms. A free-hand and mechanical drawing room and thirteen classrooms, with teachers' rooms, will complete this floor.

The building is to be fireproof throughout. The exterior is to be a modern adaptation of Tudor architecture, of brick with stone cornice, quoins and trim. Over the central entrance will be a curved stone bay window flanked by two octagonal towers of brick and stone. John M. Gray Company are the architects, and the contract, amounting to \$1,105,870, has been let to A. Piotti Company.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, November 10, at 2 p. m.

Regular meeting of the School Committee, Monday, November 17, at 6.30 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

REQUESTS FOR LAND-TAKINGS.

The Mayor has approved the action of the Schoolhouse Department in requesting the Board of Street Commissioners to take the following parcels of land:

To take, for an addition to the yard of the Lewis School, a certain piece or parcel of land in the Lewis District, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southeasterly line of Paulding street, at the northeasterly corner of land of the City of Boston occupied by the Lewis School, thence northeasterly by Paulding street 95 feet to land of Rumrill; thence southeasterly 65 feet; thence southwesterly 8 feet; thence southeasterly 200 feet to Walnut avenue; thence southwesterly by Walnut avenue 84 feet; thence northeasterly 262 feet to the point of beginning; and contains 23,120 square feet of land. Be all said measurements more or less.

To take, for extension of the yard of the Auburn School, a certain piece or parcel of land in the Thomas Gardner District, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the northwesterly corner of Lothrop and Portsmouth streets; thence northwesterly by Lothrop street 190 feet to land of city; thence northeasterly by land of city 150 feet to Waverly street; thence southeasterly by Waverly street 186 feet to Portsmouth street; thence southwesterly by Portsmouth street 150 feet to the point of beginning; and contains 28,578 square feet of land. Be all said measurements more or less.

To take, for the purpose of erecting thereon an elementary or intermediate school building, a certain piece or parcel of land in the Shurtleff District, South Boston, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southwesterly side of East Ninth street 360 feet from the corner of Dorchester and

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

East Ninth streets; thence southeasterly by line of East Ninth street 206 feet to land of Teehan; thence southwesterly by land of Teehan 81.50 feet to land of Rollwagen; thence northwesterly by land of Rollwagen 3.5 feet to land of Whitney; thence southwesterly by land of Rollwagen 83.50 feet to Vale street; thence northwesterly by line of Vale street 213 feet to land of McDonough; thence northeasterly by land of McDonough 80 feet to land of Gallery; thence southeasterly 18 feet; thence northeasterly by land of Gallery 85 feet to the point of beginning; and contains 34,944 square feet of land. Be all said measurements more or less.

To take, for the purpose of erecting thereon a shop annex to the Charlestown High School, a certain piece or parcel of land in the Warren-Bunker Hill District, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southwesterly corner of Cedar street and Cross Street court; thence by line of Cross Street court 119 feet to Cross street; thence by Cross street 53 feet to Cross Street avenue; thence by Cross Street avenue 115 feet to Cedar street; thence by Cedar street 53 feet to the point of beginning; and contains 6,353 square feet of land. Be all said measurements more or less.

To take, for extension of the yard of the Dorchester High School for Boys, a certain piece or parcel of land in the Henry L. Pierce District, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Armandine street 365 feet northwesterly from the northeasterly corner of Milton avenue and Armandine street; thence northwesterly by land of Connelly 150 feet to land of city; thence northeasterly by land of city 46 feet; thence southeasterly 150 feet to Armandine street; thence southwesterly by line of Armandine street 46 feet to the point of beginning; and contains 7,528 square feet of land. Be all said measurements more or less.

AMERICA GRADUALLY SOLVING PROBLEMS THAT HAVE LONG IRRITATED MANKIND.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS NOTABLE ADDRESS AT DEDICATION OF GEORGE R. WHITE FUND HEALTH UNIT IN NORTH END.

Many prominent Boston citizens gathered on Saturday, November 1, at 41 North Margin street, North End, for the dedication of the first health unit to be erected in Boston from the \$5,000,000 George R. White Fund.

Leaders in the field of public health work, distinguished educators and specialists in preventive work from different parts of this country took part.

The new health unit is at 41 North Margin street, corner of Baldwin place, North End. The dedicatory address was delivered by Dr. George E. Vincent, president of the Rockefeller Foundation. Pres. Howard Coonley of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, ex-officio one of the trustees of the White Fund, presented the completed structure to Mayor Curley, who accepted it in the city's behalf.

Rev. William H. Dewart, rector of Christ Church, who was introduced by George E. Phelan, manager of the White Fund, pronounced the invocation. There were addresses by Health Commissioner Francis X. Mahoney, Dr. Charles F. Wilinsky, who is to be director of the new health unit; Dr. David Edsall, dean of the Harvard Medical School, and Dr. Haven Emerson, professor of public health administration at Columbia University.

Mayor Curley's address was as follows:

It is fitting that this milestone in the march of human progress so typical of enlightenment, so emblematic of service to one's fellow man should be erected within the shadow of Old Christ Church out of whose belfry was hung the lantern which lighted the way to the emancipation of the people of the world. Here in America we are gradually solving problems that have irritated mankind from the beginning. Here in this section through the instrumentality of the light which paved the way to liberty we have created on this continent a place where all may enjoy in the fullest possible measure the right to freedom of speech, freedom of thought, freedom of religion and where all may enjoy equal privileges and equal opportunities and the full enjoyment of liberty. That great movement marked the most advanced step taken to that day in the history of humanity. We have made some progress in the last century and a half. We have lightened the burden of our fellow man. Gradually there has come to us a realization of the obligation which each and every individual owes to his fellow man and with that realization there came the desire and the wish that some day there might be established in those sections of our larger cities where the people congregate in large numbers, where babies are born and few survive, some character of agency where all philanthropic individuals and agencies interested in the consummation of public health might assemble and through co-operation and the co-ordination of effort make possible greater service to humanity. The dream has been realized in the erection and establishment here of the George Robert White Fund Health Unit. It would have

come in the course of time but in all probability it would have been long delayed because of the expense and loud demands for local improvements which are always voiced in any city. There is a source of gratification in the knowledge that hand in hand with the progress represented here we are making progress in other directions. For the first time in the history of Boston we are to have an out-patient department for the tuberculosis agencies of our city. We probably will lay the cornerstone of that institution within the next thirty days.

About a week ago we dedicated for the people of Boston the largest and most complete out-patient building to be found controlled by any municipality in the entire world at the Boston City Hospital grounds. We have arranged to borrow three millions of dollars and will probably within the next thirty days advertise for bids for the erection and completion of a 100 bed maternity hospital at the Boston City Hospital as a part of the equipment of the Boston City Hospital for the combatting of disease and the saving of human life. Through the instrumentality of this agency it will be possible for us to provide accommodations at all times for 100 expectant mothers, insuring protection for the mother and protection for the child. It is a matter that should have been started and put in operation many years ago.

I found in 1914, upon assuming the office of Mayor, there was no place in Boston, with the exception of the Boston Lying-In Hospital where the expectant mother without money could go. I established eighteen beds at the Boston City Hospital. I came back at the end of four years and found they had added but four beds and in the twenty-two beds, in four years, 2,500 children were born. It was only natural that with overcrowding and lack of proper facilities the mortality rate should be high and we are endeavoring to meet that problem. We are endeavoring to meet the problem of tuberculosis. We are endeavoring to solve some of the economic problems correlated with the combatting of disease by the payment of what is known as the saving wage and by establishing a standard that can be followed with safety to the people of this country that will be conducive to the happiness in the home, peace of mind and patriotism in the land. And after all, there is no agency that has been of greater incentive to generous expenditures and the adoption of a wise program than this particular agency in which we are here assembled. It is a monument not only to the generosity of a great Boston citizen; it is more than that; it is a monument that will serve as an incentive to added service on the part of every individual in the community, but more than that will convey to every individual's mind a realization of his individual responsibility to his fellow man and to his fellow woman and if out of that realization of individual responsibility and if out of the possibilities of added service

and sacrifice the opportunity of the individual citizens of this community there comes a greater service to the women and men of this section, it is only reasonable to anticipate that similar institutions to this one may ultimately be established in every city in the entire country. In accepting these keys I do so with the realization of the value that this institution may prove to America and to future generations, for after all, the most valued product in any land is the happy and healthy womanhood and manhood. The conservation of the womanhood and manhood of America is the most important task confronting America and when through the instrumentality of these institutions we contribute in any measure to this most necessary and potential work, then in our age and generation we have done something worth while and as we respect and as we thank the donor of this great institution whose generosity made it possible, so may succeeding generations remember him in their supplications and prayers as one citizen ever mindful of his obligation to his fellow man and who made possible the discharge of that obligation by this great monument, a monument typical of his generosity, a monument of service, of sacrifice and of inspiration to all in America.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

John Bowen Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the erection and completion of an elementary school in the Theodore Lyman District, Gove street, East Boston, by striking out the words and figures, "January 26, 1924," on page 25, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "June 6, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 25, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about March 26, 1923, and is to be completed on or before June 6, 1924."

Anderson-Coffey Company, Inc., have been allowed to amend their contract for electric work at the Teachers College, Huntington avenue and Worthington street, amended by striking out the words and figures, "September 3, 1924," on page 5, Section 2, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "November 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 2, on page 5, shall read, "The work is to be commenced on or about July 29, 1924, and is to be completed on or before November 1, 1924."

Joseph Slotnik Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the Public High School in the Henry L. Pierce District, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester, by striking out the words and figures, "October 19, 1924," on page 26, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "January 15, 1925," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 26, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about February 19, 1923, and is to be completed on or before January 15, 1925."

C. & R. Construction Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the erection and completion of an addition to the Julia Ward Howe School, Dale street, Roxbury, by striking out the words and figures, "December 15, 1923," on page 24, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "January 15, 1925," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 24, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about April 15, 1923, and is to be completed on or before January 15, 1925."

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, including electric work, heating and ventilating, the new Police Headquarters Building, corner of Stuart and Berkeley streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Buildings Department, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$25,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, November 19, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for rebuilding the Dartmouth Street Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$35,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 18, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Wood avenue, from Rutledge road about 90 feet northeast and outlet in Rutledge road, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, November 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Foster street, between Commonwealth avenue and Summit, 1,200 feet northerly and outlet in Lane park, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$8,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$800, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for sewerage works in Alabama street, from Currier street to Elene street and outlet in private land from Colorado street to Alabama street, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$4,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed

at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, November 12, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipe in Billings lane, Maynard street, Schirmer road, West Roxbury; Elizabeth avenue and Goodenough street, Brighton, and Friendship road, Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, November 14, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the Water Service of the Public Works Department, iron castings-hydrant and gate stock. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, November 10, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing gasoline to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, November 14, at 12 m.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for furnishing and delivering 250 tons of steel beams as specified. Surety bond will be required in the amount equivalent to 20 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Transit Department, 1 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$2,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 11, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing all materials for and applying wall finish on new stairway No. 5 and passageway leading to west bound platform of the Park Street Under Station of the Cambridge Connection. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 35 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Transit Department, 1 Beacon street, seventh floor. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the building of Section K of the Dorchester Tunnel. Surety bond will be required in the amount of 35 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Transit Department, 1 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 25, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, November 6:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been appointed at the Boston Sanatorium:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—James O'Brien, choreman, \$600 a year; Ada V. Clapp, nurse, \$900 a year; Michael O'Keefe, Michael McNally, male nurses (patients), \$480 a year; Mary Garten, assistant cook, \$420 a year; Angelo Anzelon, choreman (patient), \$480 a year; Thomas Croft, choreman, \$480 a year; Gertrude E. Byrne, assistant bookkeeper and clerk, \$900 a year; Gladys I. Munroe, assistant cook, \$540 a year; Fannie McGuinness, maid, \$468 a year; Patrick Clinton, maid (patient), \$120 a year; Mona Norton, clerk, \$640 a year; Myra Guillett, Frances Taylor, nurses, \$1,500 a year; Rose Grande, attending nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Patrick Malden, Michael Reidy, maids (patients), \$240 a year; Margaret Moyla, Delia Gordon, Margaret Turney, assistant cooks, \$480 a year.

Temporary.—H. C. Cleveland, druggist, \$21 a week.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Emma Murphy, Delia Gordon, assistant cooks, \$480 a year.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Grace Louise Minton has been employed as a legal case worker for a period of three months at \$125 a month.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

John J. Mahoney has been given permanent appointment as chief food inspector at \$2,300 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, October 30:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Ethel Cramer, Caroline Collier, Sarah Vail, Charles Tcy, special nurses, \$35 a week; Edward Hurley, Paul Marlowe, transfer porters, \$14.50 a week; P. Shaughnessy, house porter, \$14 a week; Daniel Connelly, house cleaner, \$14 a week; Mary D. Matthews, Margaret Ahern, Anna McDonald, clerks, \$16 a week; Mary Letchman, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Mary Moynihan, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Mary Waters, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Catherine Sullivan, Minnie O'Brien, cleaners, \$11.50 a week.

Temporary.—George Reiser, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Dr. William Young, assistant resident surgeon, \$40.27 a week. Wolf Abraham, jobber, \$3.50 a day.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

John M. Conway, transfer porter at \$14.50 to male nurse at \$9.32; Edward P. Doyle, assistant X-ray technician at \$25 to \$30 a week; Celia Brennan, table girl at \$9.50 to ward helper at \$11.50; Alice Teague, head nurse at \$19.56 to \$20.71 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, October 30:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Francis J. Berg, fireman, \$30 a week, to succeed John J. Adams.

Mary Brand, institution employee, \$525 a year, to succeed Mary Galiano.

Neil Connors, attendant, \$600 a year, temporary.

Margaret Feeney, attendant, \$600 a year, temporary.

William Geary, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed William Webster.

Joseph S. Hogan, porter, \$600 a year, to succeed Michael O'Connell.

Cornelius Holland, attendant, \$600 a year, temporary.

Katherine L. McSweeney, head nurse, \$1,680 a year, to succeed Catherine F. Ward.

Mary Nee, institution employee, \$550 a year, to succeed Rose Farnum.

John J. Sullivan, porter, \$600 a year, to succeed Daniel J. Mahoney.

House of Correction.

John J. Adams, fireman, transferred from fireman, Long Island, \$36 a week, to succeed Bernard Feeney.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Andrew J. Baker, fireman, transferred from engineer, temporary, \$1,000 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Alfred L. Mooney has been granted temporary employment for a period of thirty days as a rodman at \$18 a week.

PARK DEPARTMENT (Cemetery Division.)

Helen M. Sheehan has been granted an increase as stenographer from \$840 to \$1,140 a year.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Daniel J. Crane, has been appointed fireman at a salary of \$6 a day.

Jacob W. Robinson, has been appointed temporary janitor for a period of three months at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

John J. Coleman has been granted an extension of temporary employment as marine fireman at \$6 a day for thirty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

William F. O'Driscoll and George H. Miland have been given employment as temporary inspectors at \$1,400 a year each in connection with the Cambridge street widening, for a period of three months.

Richard Gleason has been employed as inspector at \$1,400 a year on the Cambridge street widening for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Henry P. Devlin has been employed as temporary clerk at \$1,200 a year, for three months.

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PROGRESS IN MUNICIPAL MEDICAL CARE FAST BECOMING A BOSTON HABIT.

DR. GEORGE E. VINCENT, PRESIDENT OF THE ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION, DELIVERS PRINCIPAL ADDRESS AT DEDICATION OF HEALTH UNIT IN NORTH END.

George E. Vincent, President of the Rockefeller Foundation, delivered the following address at the dedication of the White Fund Health Unit in the North End, Boston, Saturday, November 1, 1924.

In grateful contrast with the acrimony, clamor and clashing interests of the culminating campaign, we are met in peace, concord and good will to open formally to the citizens of this district their own House of Health. Here the city's official staff and the workers of many voluntary societies will put at their service resources of knowledge, skill, counsel and friendliness.

This event follows closely others which have brought new distinction to this historic city. A year or more ago the opening of the Thorndike Memorial notified the country that Boston regards municipally supported medical research as essential to the best care of the city's sick. Only the other day a splendid new wing of the City Hospital was put in service. The recent taking over by the city of health work which had been developed under private auspices is highly significant. Progress in municipal medical care and protection of the people's health is becoming a Boston habit.

Dr. Haven Emerson has given an informing account of health center development and has clearly described the purpose, organization and methods of this relatively new social agency. It remains for me to suggest and to characterize briefly some of the meanings with which this ceremony is fraught.

We celebrate: The generous gift of a loyal private citizen to his municipality; the wise statesmanlike decision of trustees to use this gift first of all for the public health; the leadership of the Mayor in advocating the plan and in securing guarantee of maintenance from public funds; the transfer to municipal control of health services built up by voluntary effort; the continued co-operation of municipal and of nonofficial agencies; emphasis upon prevention of disease rather than upon medical treatment; the creation of a model institution which will have a nation-wide influence; a concrete expression of community spirit.

George Robert White gave evidence of his loyalty to Boston during his life. The Massachusetts School of Pharmacy building, for example, was his gift, and testifies to his interest in medicine. But the fund he bequeathed for the direct benefit of the city is notable. He showed confidence in the citizens by vesting the control in five trustees, a majority of whom are municipal officials. He shrewdly limited gifts to capital expenditures for buildings and grounds which must be maintained at public expense. He insisted upon keeping the public informed by the issuing of annual reports. Mr. White had faith in the people of Boston and in its government. He believed that the way to evoke responsibility and fidelity in public officials is to show confidence in them.

Today Mr. White's faith finds justification. The trustees of the fund have shown wisdom and imagination in recognizing the basal importance of the public health and in deciding to create units like this as centers of a city-wide system of co-operative service by both official and voluntary health and social agencies.

To the Mayor this must be a welcome day. He sees the fulfillment of a plan of which he has been a persistent advocate. There have been doubts and obstacles. The public has a fancy for ornamental and conspicuous civic buildings and monuments; it is not easily excited by so dull a thing as health; and it hates to pay taxes. It took faith and steadfastness to carry through this project. Public appreciation and approval may be counted upon as the program develops.

The recent taking over by the Boston Health Department of infant welfare work and nutrition service which had been developed by nonofficial associations, and the setting up of dental prophylactic stations in affiliation with the Forsyth clinic was what ought to be a typical procedure. It shows what a private enterprise should try to do, namely, as Dr. Livingston Farrand has said, to "put itself out of business." While the city was properly giving first attention to sanitation and communicable diseases, the voluntary groups carried on demonstrations in the field of hygiene. Here was a convincing experiment in infant welfare; the city takes it over. It would have been hard to get municipal money to start such work. A going concern makes a quite different appeal.

In this case the private societies did another thing. They helped to create the public opinion which at least acquiesced in this extension of municipal activity and the increase of the Health Department budget. This educational service of nongovernmental agencies has been a powerful influence in the growth of the public health movement throughout this country.

Many people will see dangers in this transfer of work from private to public auspices. They will fear two things especially: The handicap of politics and the substitution of bureaucratic machinery for a more sympathetic human interest.

Both these possibilities may easily be exaggerated. There is a strong and growing sentiment against permitting such professional services as education, health and municipal engineering to be touched by partisan influences. Experience in other cities shows that under the right leadership municipal infant welfare and similar work can be done well and in a fine spirit. It is fortunate that in this transfer in Boston many of the nurses of the voluntary society are being taken over by the city so that there will be little break in personal relations.

It must be remembered, too, that this unit will house many private societies that will continue their activities. This co-operation between public and voluntary agencies is an impressive feature of the plan. Nowhere has there been a

closer, more cordial relation than that established here in Boston. It has aroused interest and emulation in other cities. The way in which this team play was brought about is instructive.

First of all, the private societies got together with the public authorities. They formed the Boston Health League. Here was a sound and natural basis for co-operation. In the next place, the City Health Commissioner was genuinely co-operative. He did not resent private societies; he welcomed them. They in turn loyally supported his administration. This relationship has been strengthened by an unusual but admirable arrangement by which the director of the Municipal Health Unit has at the same time served as executive secretary of the Boston Health League.

Let us hope that this example of well-organized effort will have suggestions for the health activities of the city government itself. Surely the School Board and the Health Department will find some way of working together more closely in carrying out a child health program. Then, too, it is hard to believe that the Health Department will indefinitely continue to maintain five different types of nurses under the auspices of three separate authorities when a unified staff could render more efficient and economical service.

In connection with this co-operative health unit under municipal auspices it is important that the public should understand one thing clearly. A large part of the work will continue to be done by the voluntary societies. They will need generous support from private gifts. That system of community self-taxation which is an American distinction and source of pride will need to be maintained on a high level of generosity. This health unit is a city institution but the city will not pay for all that is done here.

It should be made quite plain that the unit will put its emphasis on preventive effort. It will not be another dispensary. The work for mothers and infants, the nutrition service, the dental prophylaxis, all aim at anticipating and warding off diseases and avoiding defects. Educational campaigns in personal hygiene for adults will seek the same thing. Periodic health examinations will become in time an important feature here. The people of the district will find this a place whose whole effort will be to keep them well and vigorous.

This new health unit will have an influence upon the movement in the country. Each city has a contribution to make. The characteristic features of the Boston plan will be studied widely with interest and will be gradually incorporated in the system which seems destined to play a vital part in the health movement of the United States and even of foreign countries. In Prague and Lyons health centers started under American Red Cross auspices are persisting and making progress. You may expect many visitors from home and abroad who will want to see the health units of Boston.

The institution which we dedicate today and others that are to follow are more than health centers. They are symbols of a community ideal which gives one glimpses at least of the city as a whole. Beneath differences in race, religion, economic status there are common interests and a common pride in citizenship. This unit proclaims that the health of each is a concern of all, that no group or section can live to itself alone, that Boston is in a very real sense a comradeship of

people who seek to realize Aristotle's conception of a city as a place "founded that men may keep alive, continued that they may live well."

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

The Boston Retirement Board has made the following report for the month of October.

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board held on Thursday, October 16, 1924, the retirement of the following named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at close of business October 31, 1924:

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

James Murray, officer, salary at time of retirement, \$1,300 a year, plus maintenance.

Peter J. Barry, officer, salary at time of retirement, \$1,300 a year, plus maintenance.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Edward Foster, house porter, salary at time of retirement, \$728 a year, plus board.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Warren S. Marden, master mechanic, salary at time of retirement, \$1,700 a year.

Thomas Conley, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

John Glennon, machinist, salary at time of retirement, \$5.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Paving Service.

Thomas A. Mandeville, stonecutter, salary at time of retirement, \$5.50 a day.

Edward B. Sheehy, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

Timothy H. Driscoll, stonecutter, salary at time of retirement, \$5.50 a day.

Edmund J. Gallagher, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

Sanitary Service.

James Farrell, laborer, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

George H. Cunningham, blacksmith, salary at time of retirement, \$5.50 a day.

Water Division (Income Branch).

John J. Regan, inspector, salary at time of retirement, \$1,800 a year.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Timothy D. Murphy, custodian, salary at time of retirement, \$45 a week.

Arthur B. Joy, junior master, salary at time of retirement, \$3,276 a year.

COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

Suffolk County Courthouse.

Edwin R. Dillingham, janitor, salary at time of retirement, \$1,456 a year.

TO OMIT WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

A. Grande has been directed to omit the following work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Claymoss road, Eusson road, Ransom road, Brighton, Hollingsworth street, Dorchester, and Stratford street, West Roxbury. Items ordered: Omit laying of approximately 650 linear feet of 8-inch pipe in Ransom road. Estimated cost of work omitted, \$390.

LAND-TAKING IN BRIGHTON.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Brighton, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Arlington street, bounded:

Northwest by Faneuil street, one hundred seventy-nine and 61-100 feet; northeast by the northeasterly line of Arlington street, thirty-five and 10-100 feet on a curved line; north by the northerly line of Arlington street, seven hundred eighteen and 23-100 feet; east by another part of Arlington street, sixty feet; and south by the southerly line of Arlington street, eight hundred and eighty-seven feet, containing fifty thousand four hundred and forty-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Hobart street, bounded:

North by Arlington street, forty feet; east by the easterly line of Hobart street, two hundred and twenty feet; south by Bennett street, forty feet; and west by the westerly line of Hobart street, two hundred and twenty feet, containing eighty-eight hundred square feet, more or less.

Catch-basins are to be constructed in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Arlington street, leading easterly from Faneuil street for a distance 250 feet east of Hobart street, and part of the private way known as Hobart street, from Arlington street to Bennett street.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

B. E. Grant Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying recut granite block pavement in Congress street, Pearl street and Water street, city proper. Items ordered: Furnish and lay concrete base and recut and relay granite block pavement with grout joints in Franklin street, between Congress street and Federal street. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$2,182.

Edward J. Carnes Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for resetting draw track of Northern Avenue Bridge. Items ordered: Reset landing blocks on Boston side and adjust tower members. Estimate side and adjust tower members. Estimated cost of extra work, \$600.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Leonard V. Carolan has been employed as temporary laborer at \$4.50 a day.

Simon Balinski has been continued in temporary employment as painter at \$5 a day for sixty days.

Joseph Yankowsky has been employed as temporary teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day for thirty days.

Thomas F. Kelly has been continued in temporary employment as teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day for three weeks.

Hugh S. Crompton has been continued as temporary teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day for thirty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

William H. Collins has been continued in temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year, for three months.

John J. Boyan has been employed as temporary oiler at \$6 a day at the Calf Pasture pumping station for sixty days.

Jeremiah J. Kelleher and James J. Flynn have been employed as sewer inspectors at \$1,400 a year, for three months.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Edward C. Donovan has been appointed engineer's assistant, Grade A, at \$1,100 a year.

Charles E. Ahern, now employed as a temporary rodman, has been granted an extension of employment for three months, at \$1,100 a year.

Edward F. O'Donnell has been appointed engineer's assistant, Grade A, at \$1,400 a year, for three months.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 30:

Main Department.

P. Gavin, E. Darcy, V. Pepe, firemen, 12 hours, \$9 each; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; John Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; William Somerville, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$7.56; George Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; W. Shea, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$5.06; A. Imbrato, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$4.52; J. Lorden, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$4.52; J. Scaduto, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$3.92; E. Laskey, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$3.65; A. Howard, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$3.38; H. Gunning, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$3.17; M. Saunders, gauze sorter, 6½ hours, \$3.17; V. Derne, R. Keith, P. Lavin, J. McDonald, A. Gillespie, W. Barrett, porters, 6½ hours, \$2.90 each; M. A. Davis, laundry assistant, 6½ hours, \$2.97; M. Keating, laundry assistant, 5½ hours, \$2.05; M. Ham, A. Taura, Catherine Barry, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.30 each; Gertrude Baker, L. Brickley, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.25 each; H. Clark, laundress, 6 hours, \$2; M. Cotter, laundress 1½ hours, \$0.50; N. Connelly, laundress, 6 hours, \$2; A. Cushman, M. Devlin, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.25 each; H. Doyle, laundress,

1½ hours, \$0.50; M. Falvey, laundress, 6½ hours, \$2.25; A. Fetter, laundress, 6 hours, \$2; E. Frieberg, E. Friedenber, J. Gantar, E. Gardner, M. Gannon, W. Hawley, C. Harkins, M. Haynes, S. Koldys, N. Keegan, Mary Keegan, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.25 each; Margaret Keegan, laundress, 1½ hours, \$0.50; M. Langey, laundress, 6½ hours, \$2.25; A. Miller, laundress, ¾ hour, \$0.25; M. Dedne, E. Murphy, Gertrude McGee, M. Okemvska, W. Otto, C. Peterson, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.25 each; H. Reardon, laundress, 6 hours, \$2; L. Schwolman, A. Stanulys, A. Sienkiewicz, M. Wall, M. Witte, V. Ziemba, M. Zilyte, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.25 each; A. Lynch, cleaner, 6½ hours, \$1.62.

South Department.

J. O'Halloran, J. Bean, ambulance drivers, 12 hours, \$7.56 each.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

P. Connors, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$7.56; F. Gardiner, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$4.52; C. Farren, T. McKenna, A. McGonagle, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.25 each.

East Boston Relief Station.

J. Keohane, M. Harkins, N. McKenzie, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.25 each. Total, \$242.78.

For the week ending Thursday, November 6:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 3¼ hours, \$3.13; Margaret Keegan, Mary Cotter, laundresses, 5½ hours, \$1.75 each; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; James Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; George Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; John Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93. Total, \$34.57.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, November 6:

House of Correction.

Thomas Finn, fireman, 7½ hours, \$5.63; Frederick Morse, fireman, 3 hours, \$2.25. Total, \$7.88.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 30:

Louis Chenette, Thomas J. Foley, chauffeurs, 1 day, \$5 each; Patrick Murnaghan, machinist, 1 day, \$5.50. Total, \$15.50.

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

For the week ending Thursday, November 6:

John Gallagher, gardening laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, October 30:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Fairview Cemetery.

Thomas D. Faherty, James Kingston, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Joseph T. Harrington, Peter F. Kean, Michael Norris, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Printing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, October 30:

Daniel L. Cadigan, compositor, 4 hours, \$5.52; Paul Burke, errand boy, 1 hour, \$0.55; Stephen Merrick, monotype runner, 4 hours, \$2.44; James Gately, monotype runner, 20 hours, \$12.20; Patrick Kelly, monotype runner, 10 hours, \$8.20; Daniel F. Sullivan, apprentice, 4 hours, \$2.44; James H. Sullivan, apprentice, 10 hours, \$9.50. Total, \$40.85.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 3:

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. F. Hasson, J. J. Crowley, J. J. Powers, J. F. Murphy, L. A. Foley, 1 day, \$4.38 each; D. J. Flynn, 2 days, \$8.77.

Subforemen.—P. J. Henebury, 4½ days, \$27; J. D. O'Brien, 1½ days, \$10.50.

Carpenters.—F. McConn, A. W. Clancy, P. O'Toole, M. J. Donahue, J. J. Murphy, J. J. O'Hearn, C. E. Melanson, W. J. Walker, 3½ days, \$19.25 each; J. J. Gately, P. McGuire, 1½ days, \$9.63 each. Chauffeur.—J. J. Green, 3½ days, \$15.

Watchman.—H. M. McLaughlin, 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$260.93.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 3:

Captain.—Richard L. Searle, 5½ day, \$4.79.

Deckhand.—John J. Pugh, ¾ day, \$1.78.

Firemen.—Daniel H. Marliave, Ernest L. Yocun, 2½ days, \$13.50 each; John Kelly, 1 day, \$6.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 2 days, \$11.

Total, \$58.82.

Net cost for the week ending November 3, 1924, \$37.07.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Wednesday, November 5:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, P. J. McCormack, S. Hagarty, J. F. Sweeney, M. S. Ryan, J. J. Spillane, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. F. Maloney, A. R. Gaffey, ¾ day, \$3.94 each.

Blacksmith.—M. F. Sullivan, ¾ day, \$2.06.

Blacksmith's Assistant.—C. J. Sullivan, ¾ day, \$4.16.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Henneberry, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—T. A. Landrigan, W. J. Martin, J. J. McEnrue, P. J. Nee, P. Norton, J. D. Regan, J. T. Westwater, ¼ day, \$1.12½ each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—P. Cataldo, M. Cronin, D. J. Dalton, G. Guiffredo, E. A. Kehoe, J. McGaffigan, E. L. McLaughlin, T. Ruggiero, J. M. Ryan, E. J. Tighe, J. Yankowsky, F. Zirpollo, ¾ day, \$3.37 each. Total, \$124.57.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, November 4:

Sewer Cleaner.—Michael Foley, 2 days, \$10.

Chauffeur.—Charles Caffrey, 2 days, \$10.

Laborers.—Emilio Curcio, Thomas Duffy, Edward Flaherty, George De-Grann, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; James McNabb, 1½ days, \$5.63; Daniel McKenna, James F. McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each. Total, \$61.63.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 3:

Teamsters.—J. W. Collins, 2 days, \$9; E. L. Gately, J. M. Kramer, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; R. Coughlin, T. Dooley, M. J. Hurley, M. J. O'Connell, B. Callahan, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, J. F. Barnes, T. V. Graham, J. T. O'Leary, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, J. J. Donovan, J. Monahan, M. T. Clougherty, N. Albano, J. F. Brown, G. H. Corcoran, L. Davis, J. Driscoll, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, D. Kobylski, W. H. Mahoney, W. T. Maloney, E. Moore, J. T. O'Leary, J. J. O'Neil, J. S. Plunkett, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. A. Carr, J. H. Smith, R. D. Magrath, ½ day, \$2.25 each. Total, \$159.75.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 3:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burke, T. Norton, 1½ days, \$7.50; P. Clougherty, 2½ days, \$11.25; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—J. Moran, 1½ days, \$9.28; J. Casey, 2½ days, \$10.69; E. Rafferty, 2½ days, \$12.19; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; G. Ryan, ½ day, \$0.89; H. Campbell, 2½ days, \$12.38; J. Hourihan, ½ day, \$3.09; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Daley, 2½ days, \$11.81; P. Flynn, ½ day, \$2.81; M. Hogarty, ½ day, \$2.81; E. Sullivan, 2½ days, \$11.25; J. H. Dolan, 1½ days, \$7.50; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; C. Driscoll, 1½ days, \$9.28; M. Sullivan, ½ day, \$3.09; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$8.44; J. Ward, ½ day, \$3.50; J. Feeley, ½ day, \$1.78; J. Williamson, ½ day, \$3.56; N. McPhee, ½ day, \$1.88; P. Coleman, 1½ days, \$7.13; T. Byrnes, ½ day, \$4.81; W. Corbett, ½ day, \$1.78; J. Gallagher, ½ day, \$1.88; J. Reilly, ½ day, \$1.78; J. Blessington, ½ day, \$1.88; F. Joyce, ½ day, \$1.69; M. Matthews, 1½ days, \$5.63; J. McLean, ½ day, \$1.88; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, E. Pyne, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. Barron, 1½ days, \$6.75; M. Bowen, ½ day, \$1.69; J. Curtin, ½ day, \$2.53; G. Cunningham, 3½ days, \$14.40; B. Hill, ½ day, \$0.84; C. Joyce, 2 days, \$9; W. Kravets, ½ day, \$3.38; P. Loftus, ½ day, \$2.53; J. Mulhearn, ½ day, \$1.69; J. McGee, 2½ days, \$11.39; F. Nelligan, ½ day, \$1.69; J. O'Toole, 2½ days, \$11.53; J. M. O'Toole, 1 day, \$4.50; W. Whelton, ½ day, \$0.84.

Total, \$332.83; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$327.33.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Upon November 1 the Mayor approved a contract with the Atlantic Works for

repairing hull of ferryboat "Lieutenant Flaherty." Bids for the work, opened October 30, were as follows:

The Atlantic Works, \$2,208; Central Engineering Company, \$2,666.50; Murray Engineering Company, \$2,882.50; Maurice M. Devine, \$3,502.50; R. T. Green Company, \$3,715; Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation, \$4,257.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon November 1 the Mayor approved a contract with Coleman Brothers, Inc., for removing walls and for filling in Cambridge and Court streets, city proper. Bids for the work, opened October 22, were as follows:

Coleman Brothers, Inc., \$15,370; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$16,265; J. A. Singarella, \$16,475; John W. O'Connell, \$18,180; John McCourt Company, \$20,740; A. De Stefano Company, \$20,817.50; J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$21,580; M. F. Gaddis, \$22,740; M. De Matteo, \$25,475; E. J. McHugh & Son, \$26,640; A. D. Daddario, \$30,270.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon November 1 the Mayor approved a contract for sewerage works in Roberts avenue, between Dent and La Grange streets, West Roxbury, to Antony Cefalo. Bids for the work, opened October 30, were as follows:

A. Cefalo, \$2,403.30; M. DeSisto Company, \$2,637.50; John Williams & Co., \$2,711.50; A. Susi & Co., \$2,886.50; James J. Conway, \$2,910.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,916.50; Charles Capone, \$2,971.50; A. D. Daddario, \$3,003.30; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$3,232.50; C. Russo, \$3,482.50; Joseph Todesca, \$3,590.50; Louis Balboni, \$4,280.50.

Upon November 1 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Grande for sewerage works in Elizabeth avenue, between Allston street and Commonwealth avenue and outlet in Allston street, Brighton. Bids for the work, opened October 29, were as follows:

A. Grande, \$2,180; J. Williams & Co., \$2,250; George J. Regan, \$2,490; M. De Sisto Company, \$2,784; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,873.50; L. Martiniello, \$2,941.50; James J. Conway, \$2,955; L. Balboni, \$3,171.50; C. Iacozza, \$3,189; A. Susi & Co., \$3,900.

Upon November 3 the Mayor approved a contract with James J. Conway for sewerage works in Hillside avenue, from Crandall street 225 feet southerly, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened October 31, were as follows:

James J. Conway, \$1,114.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$1,179.50; John Williams & Co., \$1,209.50; M. DeSisto Company, \$1,317; DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$1,329.50; A. D. Daddario, \$1,394.50; Louis Balboni, \$1,429.50; John T. Shea, Jr., \$1,485.75; George J. Regan, \$1,900.75.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon November 5 the Mayor approved a contract with John Williams & Co., for laying and relaying water pipes in Reed, Whiting, Montrose, Glenwood streets, Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened November 3, were as follows:

Angelo Susi & Co., \$3,282; John Williams & Co., \$3,403; Louis Balboni,

\$3,958; M. De Sisto Company, \$3,963; De Cristofaro Brother & Co., \$4,403; John T. Shea, Jr., \$4,768.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for furnishing meats to various city departments during November, 1924. Bids for the supply, opened October 30, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

1,000 Pounds Loins Beef.—Mohawk Packing Company, 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 23 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 24 cents per pound.

800 Pounds Rib Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 20 cents per pound.

800 Pounds Under Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 16 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 18 cents per pound.

400 Pounds Beef Bones.—Mohawk Packing Company, 3 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 2 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 2 cents per pound.

100 Pounds Corned Beef Brisket.—Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 19 cents per pound.

200 Pounds New York Hips.—Mohawk Packing Company, 26 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 21 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 24 cents per pound.

1,500 Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 33 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 36 cents per pound.

600 Pounds Pork Loins.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 21 cents per pound.

250 Pounds Bacon.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 20 cents per pound.

225 Pounds Hams.—Mohawk Packing Company, 24 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 21 cents per pound.

400 Pounds Veal Fores.—Mohawk Packing Company, 11 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 11 cents per pound.

100 Pounds Veal Legs.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 20 cents per pound.

100 Pounds Sausages.—Mohawk Packing Company, 34 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 35 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 29 cents per pound.

96 Legs Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 25 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 23 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 24 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,528; William A. Doe Company, \$1,376.83; J. H. Glynn Company, \$1,408.29.

Institutions Department.

Long Island Hospital.

700 Pounds Pork Loins.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 21 cents per pound.

3,800 Pounds Corned Beef Stickers.—Mohawk Packing Company, 9½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9½ cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 8½ cents per pound.

800 Pounds Corned Beef Brisket.—Mohawk Packing Company, 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 19 cents per pound.

800 Pounds Rib Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 20 cents per pound.

1,200 Pounds Hams.—Mohawk Packing Company, 24 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 21 cents per pound.

1,400 Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 30 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 30 cents per pound.

1,800 Pounds Steer Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 19½ cents per pound.

2,400 Pounds Whole Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 25 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 25 cents per pound.

320 Pounds Frankfurt Sausage.—Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 14 cents per pound.

250 Pounds Bacon.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 20 cents per pound.

272 Pounds Fores Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 14 cents per pound.

280 Pounds Pork Sausage.—Mohawk Packing Company, 34 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 28 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 19 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$2,779.60; William A. Doe Company, \$2,510.56; J. H. Glynn Company, \$2,603.08.

Deer Island.

2,900 Pounds Stickers.—Mohawk Packing Company, 9½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9½ cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 8½ cents per pound.

1,300 Pounds Undercuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 16 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 18 cents per pound.

640 Pounds Saddles Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 27 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 28 cents per pound.

160 Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 33 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 30 cents per pound.

560 Pounds Frankfurt Sausage.—Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 14 cents per pound.

700 Pounds Short Ribs.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 20 cents per pound.

800 Pounds Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; William

A. Doe Company, 18½ cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 19½ cents per pound.

700 Pounds Forequarters.—Mohawk Packing Company, 11 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 11 cents per pound.

880 Pounds Bologna Sausage.—Mohawk Packing Company, 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13½ cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 14 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,331.90; William A. Doe Company, \$1,250.30; J. H. Glynn Company, \$1,282.30.

Park Department.

2,000 Pounds Chucks.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound; J. H. Glynn Company, 10 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$200; William A. Doe Company, \$200; J. H. Glynn Company, \$200.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the lowest bidders as noted below for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during November. Bids for the supply, opened October 30, were as follows:

DISTRICTS.	No. 2 Hay.	No. 3 Hay.	Straw.	No. 2 Oats.	Shorts.	Corn.
SOUTH BOSTON.						
The Whittemore Company.....			*\$23 50	*\$0 65½	*\$33 00	
John J. White Company.....	*\$26 40	\$25 90	26 00	64½ No. 36	36 00	
				64 No. 34		
William Culkeen & Sons Company..	26 45		25 00	65½	35 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	27 95		27 50	66½	39 00	
EAST BOSTON.						
William Culkeen & Sons Company..	*26 45		*25 00	*65	*35 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	27 95		27 50	66½	39 00	
CHARLESTOWN.						
The Whittemore Company.....			*23 50	65½	*33 00	
John J. White Company.....	*26 40	25 90	26 00	*64½ No. 36	36 00	
				64 No. 34		
William Culkeen & Sons Company..	26 45		25 00	65	35 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	27 95		26 00	66½	39 00	
CITY PROPER.						
The Whittemore Company.....			*23 50	65½	*33 00	
John J. White Company.....	*25 90	25 40	25 75	*63½ No. 36	35 75	
				63 No. 34		
William Culkeen & Sons Company..	26 45		25 00	65	35 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	27 95		25 25	66½	37 50	
ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	*26 25	25 75	*23 50	65	*33 00	
John J. White Company.....	26 90	26 40	27 00	65 No. 36	37 00	
				64½ No. 34		
William Culkeen & Sons Company..	26 95		25 50	67	35 00	
Landy Brothers.....	28 00		24 50	*64½	35 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	28 95		27 50	66½	39 00	
DORCHESTER.						
The Whittemore Company.....	*26 25	25 75	*23 50	65½	*33 00	
John J. White Company.....	27 40	26 90	28 00	66 No. 36	38 00	
				65½ No. 34		
William Culkeen & Sons Company..	27 35		25 50	67	35 00	
Landy Brothers.....	28 00		24 50	*64½	35 00	
Lord & Webster Company.....	27 95		29 00	66½	39 00	
WEST ROXBURY.						
The Whittemore Company.....	*26 25	25 75	*23 50	65	*33 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company..	27 50			67½	35 00	
Landy Brothers.....	28 00		24 50	*64½	35 00	
BRIGHTON.						
The Whittemore Company.....	26 50	26 00	24 00	66	*34 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company..	27 95			67½	35 00	
Ogden & Thompson.....	*26 50	24 50	*23 25	*64½	37 00	*\$1 35
HYDE PARK.						
The Whittemore Company.....	*26 50	26 00	*24 00	66	*34 00	
William Culkeen & Sons Company..	29 95			68½		
Landy Brothers.....	28 00		24 50	*64½	35 00	

* Awarded contracts.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Edison Electric Illuminating Company, Callender street, Ward 21, erect one pole.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Russell street, Ward 3, erect three poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Massachusetts avenue transfer twenty-four poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, West Sixth street, Ward 9, erect four poles.

Edison Company, Thomas park, Ward 1,0 erect two poles.

Edison Company Valentine street, Ward 15, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Abbot street, Ward 19, erect two poles.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, Talbot avenue, erect and remove fifty-five poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Atlantic street, Ward 10, erect one pole.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Athol street, Ward 26, erect two poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Thorn-ton street, Ward 13, erect one pole.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Loring street, Ward 9, erect three poles.

STATUS OF FINE AND INDUSTRIAL ARTS REPORTED BY ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT BRODHEAD IN CONNECTION WITH HIS RECENT VISIT TO CITY SCHOOL SYSTEMS.

John C. Brodhead, Assistant Superintendent, has made the following report concerning his recent visit to school systems in cities as far west as St. Louis, for the purpose of interviewing candidates for the vacant position as Director of Manual Arts and of studying the status of the manual and industrial arts in the school systems of the cities visited.

Places visited: Springfield, Mass., Buffalo, New York, Edinboro, Penn., Detroit, Mich., St. Louis, Mo., Columbus, O., Yonkers, N. Y., New Haven and Hartford, Conn., Providence, R. I.

FINE ARTS.

Recognition.

Drawing, in its various aspects, seems to be highly appreciated in all school systems. This is shown by its requirement in elementary and intermediate courses of instruction and by its large election in high school courses where it is not required. This recognition is further measured by the substantial salaries given to directors. Yonkers pays \$4,000; State Normal School, Edinboro, Penn., pays \$4,125; Buffalo pays \$3,800, with \$25 a month allowance for a car, frequent permits for the giving of lectures for compensation, and other emoluments; Detroit pays its woman supervisor \$4,000.

Art directors seem quite commonly to occupy prominent positions in civic organizations, speaking before parent-teachers' associations and chambers of commerce, and being officers of professional art leagues. In Detroit the local art club selects promising art pupils for junior membership.

Because in this city program demands so frequently deprive pupils of drawing which they would like to elect, it is interesting to note that in Springfield, Mass., there is a species of vocational guidance which follows throughout the high school course pupils desiring to have drawing, in an attempt to clear up program difficulties and provide them the opportunities desired.

In Buffalo the teachers of drawing in the elementary grades receive \$200 more than do other teachers.

The attitude of teachers and principals seems uniformly co-operative toward art work. In fact, drawing is being so taught as to strengthen the more formal lines of education such as English, history and geography. Even the arithmetic papers, through insistence upon good arrangement, fine margins, spacing, etc., show the influence of art instruction.

Art Appreciation.

All directors introduce the subject of art appreciation through their courses but none of them have so carefully worked out, as has been done in this city, a special course for one of the intermediate years.

Art Related to Other Subjects.

In St. Louis, the art work, household science and arts and manual training are all under one director. In all school systems it is noted that while there is not the forced correlation of other years, the constructive work of various departments is affected as to form, color and decoration,

by the existence of the art departments. Shop and domestic science teachers are taking art courses and art teachers are studying construction, and conferences are common.

Commercial Art.

In general courses, little emphasis is put upon the commercial use of art. Emphasis is put on appreciation of form, color and design, and a love for the beautiful. In commercial schools and courses, naturally emphasis is put upon space relations, printing types, color and design. It is quite common to have students in courses participating in commercial competitions for poster designs and selling posters. In a technical school in Buffalo, fifteen advanced pupils form a Tech Studio, which accepts orders and has done \$600 worth of work in a given year. In Springfield, Mass., commercial pupils make and sell posters for department stores and have entered competitions for community chest posters.

Public school art work seems to have little direct relations with or effect upon local manufactures, whether it be of wall papers, textiles, furniture or machinery, but evidence seems conclusive that there is a strong indirect effect in proved state of public school graduates with insistence on better color and design.

In General.

Other communities do not seem to have put as much emphasis as has Boston upon imaginative work and free-brush expression. There is more cutting of colored paper and more lettering of not so high character as we find in our own schools. In Springfield, Mass., there was noted, especially in the high schools, work which in spirit and in appearance more nearly approaches the high standard of Boston.

It would seem that we have in our elementary and intermediate schools, in our supervising staff and in our high and normal schools, as fine regular and art teachers and supervisors as can be found anywhere in the country.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS.

Boston is undoubtedly offering more opportunities for industrial work and with more pupils engaged in it than other cities anywhere near it in size.

Trade Instruction.

St. Louis has no public trade instruction. It has a fine private trade school for boys offering ample opportunities but has no provision whatever for girls.

Detroit offers no trade instruction above the intermediate school except that offered in the fine Cass Technical High School.

Supervision.

In Detroit, domestic science and manual training are under the same supervisor.

Lower-grade Manual Training and Drawing.

It is quite common to find a common course for boys and girls in both drawing and manual training from the first to the fourth grade and sometimes even to the

sixth, in some cities, with separate allotments of time for the two subjects and again with common allotments.

Detroit is trying the experiment of having drawing and manual training for the first six grades for boys and girls under an entirely separate supervisor, entitled "The Director of Arts." I think this has been done on personal grounds rather than because of any particular educational conviction.

Suggestions.

Two suggestions were received in Springfield, Mass., which are of interest, one, that in six-grade buildings a room be left free for a variety of uses, such as sewing, drawing, handiwork, special demonstrations, etc.; the second, that junior high school lunch room be placed under the administration of the domestic science department with the provision of enough paid assistants to operate them.

Striking Situations.

In Detroit a strange situation is noted in that girls are given no sewing in the fifth and sixth grades but a double amount—180 minutes weekly—in the seventh and eighth grades.

In this city also there was noted a fine bookbinding course for boys of the fifth grade, including much book repair work.

In the eighth grade the boys have a fine course in household mechanics, including glass setting, plaster and wall paper patching, etc.

Still in this city, in contrast with conditions in our own, shop work in the high schools is an elective. The schools are fitted with shops equipped for varied activities and no less than thirty-five teachers are giving full time to instruction.

At least one college—Smith—is enough impressed with the importance of domestic science, that it is seriously considering the introduction into its course of home science as a major subject.

OTHER SIGNIFICANT ITEMS.

School Repair Shop.

The Detroit Board of Education operates a plant with shops for sheet metal work, carpentry, painting, etc. This shop effects all the repairs and minor alterations in the public schools with an annual budget of about \$250,000. It has a substantial staff of workmen augmented during the summer months. Repairs are done on written or even telephone orders and frequently within twenty-four hours.

School Museums.

Several cities are operating children's museums with live circulating exhibits. The one in St. Louis prepares, advertises and circulates supplementary books, animal, vegetable and mineral specimens, stereoscopic pictures, lantern slides and films. New exhibits are constantly in process of formation. Exhibits are revised and cleaned constantly and a large amount of work is done for a rather small total expenditure. The museum is growing in appreciation and influence.

Buildings.

Other communities have not generally been so successful in keeping up with demands for new accommodations as has Boston. Neither have they adopted the sensible Boston plan of paying for buildings out of current taxation. Moreover, they are building without quite as close scrutiny of cubic contents and constant use. There is a tendency to equip even elementary schools with gymnasiums and

shower baths and to equip high schools with swimming pools and such appurtenances.

A PERSONAL WORD.

I wish to thank the members of the committee for the opportunity afforded me of seeing certain candidates for the position of Director of Manual Arts and other people recommended for the position in their own school systems and of judging of their influence upon and standing with their local communities. I am making my report on this matter to the superintendent. I was away from the city throughout eight school days (one being Columbus Day not observed to the westward). In this time I visited eight people in as many different cities, doing my traveling largely at night. I took advantage of the opportunity in each city visited to obtain salary schedules and the personal view of the superintendent upon the basis for salary schedules and adjustments. This latter material I will make available for Mr. Purke.

I wish to testify to the cordial way in which I was received in every city visited. All records, statistics, buildings and conveniences were put at my disposal and I feel that in many directions the visit has been of value to Boston as well as pleasant and profitable to myself.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of North Munroe terrace, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Train street to Neponset avenue, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named North Munroe terrace is hereby laid out, from Train street to Neponset avenue, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is taken in the following described land exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A part of a parcel of land, now or formerly owned by Anastasia C. Hanley, situated on the northerly side of North Munroe terrace, being a strip of land about 190 feet in length, and varying in width from 5.14 feet to 10.53 feet; containing 1,507 square feet, more or less.

A part of a parcel of land, now or formerly owned by Mabel F. Feeley, situated on the northerly side of North Munroe terrace; containing 569 square feet, more or less.

The land, owners unknown, running from Train street to Neponset avenue, now known as North Munroe terrace.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said highway is bounded and described as follows:

West by Train street, thirty feet; north by the northerly line of said North Munroe terrace as hereby laid out, by five measurements, two hundred seven and 47-100 feet; fifty-nine and 86-100 feet on a curve of three hundred fifty-five and 61-100 feet radius; fifty-nine and 85-100 feet on a curve of three hundred forty-seven and 26-100 feet radius; three hundred and sixty-five feet and one hundred thirty and 25-100 feet; east by Neponset avenue, forty and 25-100 feet; and south by the southerly line of North Munroe terrace as hereby laid out, by three measurements,

one hundred thirty-five and 46-100 feet, three hundred eighty-two and 84-100 feet and three hundred nine and 87-100 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of North Munroe terrace, from Train street to Neponset avenue; and the lot of land on the westerly side of Neponset avenue, near the northerly corner of North Munroe terrace and Neponset avenue, now or formerly owned by Daniel A. Fraser *et al.*, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, North Munroe Terrace, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, August 11, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.		Amount.
1.	Anastasia C. Hanley.....	\$919 28
2.	Mabel F. Feeley.....	510 00
3.	Mabel F. Feeley.....	343 86
4.	Mary Kelliher.....	504 00
5.	Alice MacNeil.....	471 54
6.	Fred G., Freda, Loretta Freda....	282 78
7.	Theodore E. Clark.....	486 24
8.	Catherine J. Goode.....	267 18
9.	Daniel A. Fraser, Gertrude A. Fraser.....	435 60
10.	Charles R. Adams <i>et al.</i> , trustees..	50 00
11.	Joseph A. Parkman.....	128 12
12.	Seth D. Brown, Maria J. Brown....	232 68
13.	Adelaide V. O'Connor.....	213 54
14.	Adelaide V. O'Connor.....	213 66
15.	Marian A. Norton.....	214 02
16.	Adelaide V. O'Connor.....	214 44
17.	Adelaide V. O'Connor.....	214 50
18.	John C. Hogan, Mary F. Hogan....	214 32
19.	Julius K. Werner, Marie R. Werner,	213 96
20.	Bridget Schuwer.....	216 96
21.	Ida L. Anderson.....	216 84
22.	Catherine E. Devine.....	218 82
23.	Eva E. Day, Clara A. Day.....	220 80
24.	John A. Youngtain.....	222 72
25.	Margaret A. Jolly.....	224 76
26.	Margaret A. Shiel.....	234 00
27.	Walter N. Elliott, Lida M. Elliott,	302 16
28.	Morris Rayman.....	234 00
Total.....		\$8,223 78

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of North Munroe terrace, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Train street to Neponset avenue, under the order of the Board, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

	Amount.
Anastasia C. Hanley, 1,507 square feet,	\$452 10
Mabel F. Feeley, 569 square feet.....	170 70
Total.....	\$622 80

REPORT ON EAST BOSTON TUNNEL WORK

The Mayor has received the following report from the Transit Department:

Boston, November 1, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—During October the work of grouting in the East Boston Tunnel alterations was continued, mainly in the portion of the section south of the Maverick Station. Patch paving in Lewis street, Maverick square and Chelsea street was carried on to remedy irregularities in the street surface. Installation of a pipe line, electric wiring, etc., in connection with new pumps for the East Boston Tunnel has been in progress.

The alteration of the stairway from the westbound Cambridge Subway platform

leading to the southbound Tremont Street Subway platform at Park Street Station was continued by night and day crews. The heavy construction work is practically completed. There remains to be done the plastering on the walls and ceiling, tiling on the walls and the installation of the handrails.

The work of reconstructing the platforms at Devonshire and Atlantic Stations was continued during the month, both stations being now practically completed. The platform at Bowdoin Station has been extended 28 feet at the easterly end, the walls and ceiling being now ready for plastering.

The platform for the loop track at Scollay Square has been lowered to bring the platform to standard practice; similar work is being done on the platform at Haymarket Station.

The lease of the extension of the rapid transit facilities in the Dorchester district was executed by the city and the Boston Elevated Railway Company on October 17, thus carrying out the last statute requirement necessary before construction of this extension could be begun. In accordance with the requirements of the statute that all construction work should be open to competitive bidding, advertisement for proposals for construction of the first section, to be known as Section K, were inserted in all the newspapers, the first advertisement appearing under date of October 20, bids to be opened November 25. This section is located in and near Boston street, Power street and Dorchester avenue, and is about 1,300 feet in length and includes an open incline, sewer changes and additions, bridge changes, removal of structures, regrading, etc. Field surveys were continued at various places along the route of the extension, the work consisting principally of establishing a system of bench levels along the railroad location which are connected with the city benches along Dorchester avenue.

The department has been engaged in the investigation called for by chapter 65 of the Resolves of 1924, providing for an investigation by the commission of the Department of Public Utilities and the Transit Department, sitting jointly, as to relocating certain elevated structures in Cambridge street in connection with the widening of that street.

Yours respectfully,

T. F. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor, upon request of the Public Works Department, has approved the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Fuller street, between Milton avenue and a point 200 feet easterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$1,400.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe and a surface drain of 10-inch earthen pipe in Roberts avenue, between Dent street and La Grange street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$6,200.

A sanitary sewer of 8-inch earthen pipe in Cottage place, between Winslow street and end of Cottage place, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of \$1,600.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Adams street (east side), between a point 170 feet north of Ashmont street and a point 95 feet easterly and northerly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$1,000.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 30 TO NOVEMBER 5.

OCTOBER 30.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
John J. Norris.....	265 West Newton street....	7	New fixtures.....	\$17
H. F. Bimbidel.....	124 Spring street.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
John C. Lynch.....	5 Monadnock street.....	17	New fixtures.....	175
D. W. Ross.....	25 Milwood street.....	20	New fixtures.....	850
J. F. McGloan.....	21 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	150
H. F. Bimbidel.....	16 Glenside avenue.....	22	New fixtures.....	2,100
John J. Norris.....	54 Gainsborough street.....	7	New fixtures.....	43
McVarish Company.....	21 Frothingham avenue.....	3	New fixtures.....	145
Joseph P. Vogel & Son.....	282 Dartmouth street.....	8	New fixtures.....	100
F. H. Densmore.....	98 Cornell street.....	23	New fixtures.....	775
D. M. Goldstein.....	104 Columbia road.....	19	New fixtures.....	4,000
John W. Anderson.....	304 Bunker Hill street.....	3	New fixtures.....	750
Ralph F. Norwood.....	73 Brayton road.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,200
Powers & McEgan.....	33 Bates road.....	20	New fixtures.....	450
David Pike.....	9 Adams street.....	4	New fixtures.....	410
Badach Leon.....	5223 Washington street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,000
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	16 Green street.....	22	New fixtures.....	600
F. D. Carr.....	17 Covington street.....	10	New fixtures.....	1,500
David Lipsky.....	188 Woodrow avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	700

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K. W. McManus.....	333 Tremont street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$150
Charles King.....	791 Saratoga street.....	1	New fixtures.....	800
A. M. Smith.....	48½ Green street.....	5	New fixtures.....	75
James A. Sullivan.....	17 Everett avenue.....	17	New fixtures.....	500
Charles King.....	146 Condor street.....	1	New fixtures.....	150
Joseph Levin.....	24 Bowdoin street.....	19	New fixtures.....	900
H. Weiss.....	36 Algonquin street.....	19	New fixtures.....	725
Benjamin Port.....	3 River Street place.....	8	New fixtures.....	500
A. J. Hughes.....	393 Park street.....	23	New fixtures.....	450
F. E. Carlson.....	80 Maynard street.....	23	New fixtures.....	50
B. A. MacDonald.....	38 Linden street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,000
F. D. McCarthy.....	60 Hamilton street.....	23	New fixtures.....	450
T. F. Feeley.....	256 Fuller street.....	21	New fixtures.....	900
A. N. Hird.....	126 Fairmount street.....	21	New fixtures.....	500
A. Yorks.....	608 East Sixth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	600
F. D. McCarthy.....	45 and 47 Billings street.....	23	New fixtures.....	100
John E. McCurdy.....	21 Westmore road.....	21	New fixtures.....	800
L. R. Freedman.....	295 Silver street.....	9	New fixtures.....	100

NOVEMBER 1.

McMahon & Jacques.....	4 St. Botolph street.....	7	New fixtures.....	\$400
T. F. Feeley.....	22 Saunders street.....	25	New fixtures.....	600
Henry J. Gurl.....	240 Wilton Street East.....	24	New fixtures.....	1,200
William B. Johnson.....	1165 Massachusetts avenue.....	11	New fixtures.....	3,500
William B. Johnson.....	1131 Massachusetts avenue.....	11	New fixtures.....	2,000
Thompson, Marston Co.....	13 Burrell street.....	12	New fixtures.....	800
J. A. Costello.....	15 Agnes avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	1,000

NOVEMBER 3.

K. W. McManus.....	629 Washington street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$50
S. W. Lyon Company.....	670 Huntington avenue.....	14	New fixtures.....	350
Samuel J. Cout.....	77 Harrison avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	450
O. J. Morlock.....	75 Garnet road.....	23	New fixtures.....	450
T. A. Matthews.....	69 Day street.....	14	New fixtures.....	900
John R. Barrett.....	Rear of 178 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	100

NOVEMBER 4.

Charles H. Flanigan.....	615 Saratoga street.....	1	New fixtures.....	\$580
Charles H. Flanigan.....	83 Byron street.....	1	New fixtures.....	200
John C. Patterson.....	229 Havre street.....	2	New fixtures.....	650
Robert A. Matthews.....	106 Selden street.....	21	New fixtures.....	650
Charles J. Glynn.....	134 Marine road.....	10	New fixtures.....	300
William P. Dunn.....	10 Hayward place.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
H. F. Fillebrown.....	38 Brookford street.....	17	New fixtures.....	150
M. H. Myers.....	54 Harriet street.....	26	New fixtures.....	700
Abraham Shleman.....	194 Lincoln street.....	5	New fixtures.....	150
James H. Boyd.....	68 Warren street.....	12	New fixtures.....	35
Michael J. Noonan.....	25 Chelsea street.....	2	New fixtures.....	1,100
L. E. Poyden.....	24 Stuart street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
H. C. Greenlaw.....	731 Tremont street.....	7	New fixtures.....	45

NOVEMBER 5.

George A. Wilson.....	24 High street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$150
Samuel Adams.....	183 Train street.....	20	New fixtures.....	800
William H. Browne.....	11 Lorna road.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
Philip Liguins.....	296 Devonshire street.....	5	New fixtures.....	250
M. W. Nelligan.....	28 Middle street.....	11	New fixtures.....	400
M. W. Nelligan.....	51 Newman street.....	11	New fixtures.....	300

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 44.

I. REV. DENNIS J. LYNCH
MEMORIAL FUND.

The Fire Commissioner submits the following final report of the Rev. Dennis J. Lynch Memorial Fund:

Additional Contributions.

H. Belknap, \$20; Patrick J. Brennan, \$5; James G. Moulton, \$2; Bert Sarsfield, \$2; George W. Goodwin, \$1; James Houghton, \$1; Headquarters, \$2; Wire Division, \$38; High Pressure, \$22; Engine Company 1, \$10; Engine Company 2, \$12; Engine Company 3, \$12; Engine Company 5, \$8; Engine Company 7, \$16; Engine Company 9, \$4; Engine Company 11, \$13; Engine Company 13, \$4; Engine Company 14, \$8; Engine Company 15, \$5; Engine Company 18, \$7; Engine Company 19, \$14; Engine Company 23, \$7; Engine Company 25, \$8; Engine Company 26-35, \$19; Engine Company 27, \$15; Engine Company 28, \$2; Engine Company 29, \$14; Engine Company 31, \$1; Engine Company 32, \$14; Engine Company 33, \$13; Engine Company 34, \$3; Engine Company 36, \$11; Engine Company 37, \$12; Engine Company 38-39, \$28; Engine Company 40, \$10.50; Engine Company 41, \$4; Engine Company 42, \$7.50; Engine Company 43, \$4; Engine Company 44, \$13; Engine Company 47, \$13; Engine Company 50, \$15; Engine Company 51, \$11; Engine Company 52, \$22; Engine Company 53, \$9; Ladder Company 1, \$15; Ladder Company 2, \$9; Ladder Company 3, \$12; Ladder Company 7, \$5; Ladder Company 8, \$11; Ladder Company 13, \$7; Ladder Company 14, \$3; Ladder Company 15, \$6; Ladder Company 17, \$2; Ladder Company 18, \$7; Ladder Company 21, \$5.50; Ladder Company 22, \$4; Ladder Company 23, \$5; Ladder Company 25, \$2; Ladder Company 26, \$10; Ladder Company 10, \$1; Ladder Company 29, \$6; Ladder Company 30, \$6.50; Chemical Company 7, \$8; Water Tower 1, \$3; Water Tower 2, \$3; \$593; previously acknowledged, \$2,211.36; interest, \$55.84; total received, \$2,860.20. Disbursements: Freshman scholarship, Boston College High School, \$2,500; donation to Catholic Charitable Bureau, \$360.20; total disbursed, \$2,860.20.

As shown in the foregoing report this money was disbursed as follows:

Two thousand five hundred dollars for a freshman scholarship for the sons of firemen at Boston College High School. This scholarship will be known as the Rev. Dennis J. Lynch Memorial Scholarship for the sons of members of the Boston Fire Department, and will pay the first year's tuition at this school to the son of a member of this department who receives the highest percentage in the entrance examination of competition.

The balance, \$350.20, was sent to Rev. George P. O'Connor the director of the Catholic Charitable Bureau, and the following letter from Father O'Connor will explain the purpose for which this money will be used:

CATHOLIC CHARITABLE BUREAU,
43 TREMONT STREET, BOSTON,
October 22, 1924.

MR. THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner:

MY DEAR MR. GLYNN,—I wish to express my deep appreciation to you and to the members of the Boston Fire Department for the generous donation of \$360.20 in memory of Father Dennis Lynch.

May I assure you that in no way could you make the memory of that saintly priest more blessed than by giving this as a health fund for poor children.

I shall set aside a bed in our Vacation House at Nantasket with a small tablet over it, stating that it is the gift of the Boston Fire Department in memory of Father Dennis Lynch.

I trust that for many years the prayers of our sickly little ones who will occupy this bed will be offered up for the repose of his soul.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

GEORGE P. O'CONOR,
Director.

II. LORAIN, OHIO, FUND.

The Fire Commissioner has received the following letter from Capt. J. J. O'Doherty of the Lorain (Ohio) Fire Department:

MR. THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner:

DEAR SIR,—I am in receipt of your generous check for five hundred and thirty-two dollars and twenty-five cents (\$532.25). Words fail me to express the feeling of gratitude and appreciation of the firemen of Lorain to you and the members of your department for your generosity.

Your check is the second largest we received and it certainly helped us wonderfully. I hope that your city will never experience anything like what we went through.

Wishing you and all the members of the Boston Fire Department the best of everything in this good world, I am

Gratefully yours,

J. J. O'DOHERTY,
Chairman.

In connection with the report on these two funds the Fire Commissioner desires to state that it is very gratifying to him to see how the members of the department respond in any movement that has for its purpose the relief of the suffering. In the past many requests have been made and the members of the Boston Fire Department have responded in a wholehearted and generous manner as they have in the instance recorded in this General Order.

III. RELOCATION OF FIRE ALARM BOX.

Fire alarm box No. 5156, formerly located at No. 16 Nottingham road has been moved to the junction of Melton, Nottingham and Colonial roads.

IV. NEW FIRE APPARATUS.

On October 16, 1924 an American-LaFrance 750-gallon pumper and hose car was placed in service with Engine Company 21 replacing a Christie tractor drawn steam fire engine, which was placed in reserve.

V. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement is hereby announced to take effect at 8 a. m., Friday, October 31, 1924:

Lieut. James C. Taylor of Engine Company 22. Lieutenant Taylor was appointed to this department on November 15, 1901, and was promoted to lieutenant on October 13, 1922.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 30 TO NOVEMBER 5.

OCTOBER 30.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Angelo Pesce.....	144 Montmorenci avenue...	1	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Sachs Fire.....	Rear of 48 Devon street....	18	First-class garage.....	700
Esther F. Condon.....	Rear of 843 Columbia road...	11	First-class garage.....	1,000
Mrs. Charles J. Gormley....	Rear of 40 Louder's lane....	22	First-class garage.....	1,000
Susan A. Ivory.....	Rear of 37 Nottingham road...	25	Second-class garage.....	800
N. I. Lapsen.....	Rear of 1301 Blue Hill avenue	21	Second-class store.....	4,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston	127A Lake street.....	25	Second-class seminary.....	100,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston	127B Lake street.....	25	Second-class seminary.....	100,000
Mrs. Charles J. Gormley....	40 Louder's lane.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Aetna Realty Company.....	69 Day street.....	14	Alterations, apartments....	475
R. Lane.....	14 and 16 Epping street....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Vorenberg Estate.....	52 Sudbury street.....	5	Alterations, loft and store..	2,500
M. B. Farah.....	257 Shawmut avenue.....	6	Alterations, lodging.....	75
Ella Gibbs.....	12 Primrose street.....	23	Alterations, garage.....	150
E. T. MacNeill.....	22 Saunders street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
American Building Wrecking Company.	158-166 Court street.....	5	Take-down, mercantile.....	400
C. Robinson.....	4 Liberty street.....	11	Take-down dwelling.....	50

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W. Gendrolis.....	Rear of 86 Forest Hills street,	22	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Catherine Rice.....	Rear of 77 Howard avenue....	17	First-class garage.....	2,000
E. J. Liney.....	Rear of 8 Romsey street No.1	11	First-class garage.....	1,000
William Quealy.....	Rear of 146 West street....	24	Second-class garage.....	800
Myra Wise.....	34 East Newton street.....	6	Second-class tenements....	13,000
Myra Wise.....	36 East Newton street.....	6	Second-class tenements....	13,000
E. H. Donovan.....	Rear of 551 Norfolk street...	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
M. R. Thomas.....	42 Mildred avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	44 Mildred avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	34 Mildred avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	30 Mildred avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	32 Mildred avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	36 Mildred avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	38 Mildred avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
M. R. Thomas.....	40 Mildred avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
I. Brown.....	52 Westmore road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
I. Brown.....	54 Westmore road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
John Neville.....	44 Hallowell street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	3,000
Emil Lyonglof.....	59 Lexington avenue.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Thomas King.....	81 Brayton road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
C. D. Knox.....	79 Maynard street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Alice Greene et al.....	Rear of 7 Adams terrace.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
Marie Giffelle.....	Rear of 605 La Grange street,	23	Third-class garage.....	600
J. Swidzivsky.....	26 Harmon street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
J. Swidzivsky.....	30 Harmon street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Minnie Forst.....	Rear of 4421 Washington st.,	23	Third-class garage.....	600
E. Hayward.....	Rear of 27 Ivory street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	700
Helen McCabe.....	Rear of 96 Metropolitan ave.	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Anna Noonan.....	Rear of 34 Prescott street....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
S. G. Parker.....	141-163 Franklin street....	5	Install dumb waiter.....	800
T. E. Proctor Estate.....	105 Pearl street.....	5	Install dumb waiter.....	125
Mrs. N. H. Randall.....	11 Marlborough street.....	8	Alterations, elevator.....	1,200
Employers' Liability Co.....	70 Kilby street.....	5	Builders' hoist.....	800
O. Hodgkins Company.....	512-520 Dudley street.....	12	Install freight elevator.....	1,600
Mrs. M. R. Hodges.....	165 West Newton street....	7	Erect fire escape.....	390
Nettie Fernandez.....	13 and 15 Moody street....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Greenwood Memorial Church	380 Washington street.....	19	Alterations, church.....	500
Robert Treat Paine.....	48 Dempster street.....	16	Alterations, storage.....	250
Ellen Morgan.....	2 Worcester square.....	6	Alterations, lodging house..	500
Mrs. T. F. Lacy.....	156 Warren street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
J. Colman.....	210 Chestnut Hill avenue....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	600
Max Bornstein.....	56 Clarkwood street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	900
Commerce Security Company.	882-888 East Sixth street...	10	Alterations, stores.....	465
F. W. Taylor.....	5-15 Boylston street.....	5	Alterations, hotel.....	6,000
American Building Wrecking Company.	2-6 Cambridge street.....	8	Take-down, hotel.....	350
City Building Wrecking Company.	128 and 130 Court street...	5	Take-down offices and stores..	100

NOVEMBER 1.

Mary A. Ronan.....	Rear of 64 Dudley street...	13	First-class garage.....	\$950
T. J. Middleton et al.....	Rear of 6 Ridge road.....	24	First-class garage.....	700
Myron R. Kimball et al.....	Rear of 27 Clement park....	20	First-class garage.....	800
H. C. McDonald.....	Rear of 21 Hobart street....	25	First-class garage.....	1,200
Thomas B. Molloy.....	68 Chelsea street.....	4	Special lunch room.....	7,500
Annie F. O'Neill.....	Rear of 65 Bradfield avenue,	23	Third-class garage.....	400
G. A. Westhaver.....	Rear of 7 Roseberry road....	24	Third-class garage.....	700
Margaret E. Beecher.....	105 Kendrick street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Margaret Downey et al.....	241 Manchester street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
J. E. Toumey.....	397 Charles street.....	5	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,800
Burke Realty Trust.....	14 Peverell street.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Hunt Spiller Manufacturing Corporation.	393 Dorchester avenue.....	11	Alterations, storage.....	1,500
F. C. Bowditch.....	39 Church street.....	8	Alterations, film exchange..	300
Stone & Webster.....	147 Milk street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	5,000
Herman Cohen.....	274-280 West Broadway.....	10	Alterations, stores.....	450
A. W. Perry, Inc.....	453 Washington street.....	5	Erect sign.....	200

NOVEMBER 3.

Martha P. Parkes.....	Rear of 3 Parker street.....	3	First-class garage.....	\$700
Mary T. McMahon.....	Rear of 650 Dudley street....	12	First-class garage.....	1,900
Alexander Symmerkenreh...	Rear of 8 Wellington Hill st.,	21	First-class garage.....	1,400
Jacob Silvesky et al.....	Rear of 20 Duke street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	700
Peter Kervits.....	Rear of 25 Stillman road....	23	Second-class garage.....	800
Israel Feinberg.....	65 Homestead street.....	16	Second-class tenements....	45,000

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED OCTOBER 30 TO NOVEMBER 5.

NOVEMBER 3.—concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
E. H. P. Morrissey.....	198 and 200 Fuller street...	21	Third-class dwelling.....	\$10,000
E. H. P. Morrissey.....	206 and 208 Fuller street...	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Samuel Kaplan.....	90 Corbet street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Oak Square Methodist Church.	12 Turner street.....	26	Third-class parsonage.....	7,000
Annie M. Brooks.....	Rear of 59 Rossmore road...	22	Third class garage.....	400
Nathan Evenson.....	555 East Broadway.....	10	Alterations, stores and offices.	6,000
Perkins Institution for the Blind.	150 Boylston street.....	8	Alterations, restaurant.....	2,500
Edward J. Ball.....	92 Huntington avenue.....	7	Alterations, offices and tenements.	1,500
Thomas Long Company, Lessees.	42-46 Summer street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.	4,800
Trustees South Terminal Trust.	222 Summer street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	100
Theodore Lehman.....	75 Hinsdale road.....	23	Alterations, garage.....	200
E. T. Hinton.....	4A Forest street.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	50
William F. Connelly.....	Rear of 82 A street.....	9	Alterations, garage.....	350
Jerome H. French.....	23 Gerrish street.....	26	Alterations, garage.....	100
Joseph Clikson.....	770 Morton street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Alford Brothers.....	12 and 14 Cross street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	400
New England Contracting Company.	198 Cambridge street.....	8	Take-down, dwelling.....	400

NOVEMBER 4.

Bethlehem Ship Building Corporation.	Rear of 249 Marginal street..	2	First-class control building...	\$5,000
John Varnerin.....	Rear of 85 East Cottage st...	11	First-class garage.....	3,000
Diamond Realty Company..	Rear of 6 Lorna road.....	21	First-class garage.....	900
F. C. Connolly.....	Rear of 47 Nottingham road..	25	Second-class garage.....	1,000
6 Marlborough Street, Inc..	6 Marlborough street.....	8	Second-class tenements.....	75,000
P. A. Larkin.....	Rear of 312 Vermont street..	23	Second-class garage.....	1,000
A. H. Rice.....	16 Lenoxdale avenue.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
J. F. Duffy.....	50 Wilmington avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Suburb Realty Company.....	9 Hobson street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
A. Schneider.....	14 Liszt street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Colonial Construction Co....	8 Alhambra road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
J. E. Kickham.....	62 Pinehurst street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
D. O'Connell.....	42 Mendelssohn street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
C. Stanford.....	658 River street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Amanda Nelson.....	Rear of 329 Park street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	500
C. Wall.....	Rear of 340 Weld street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	700
H. A. Vincent.....	43 Milton avenue.....	24	Third-class garage.....	350
Blue Diamond Materials Co..	278 Gardner street.....	23	Storage shed, special.....	700
M. Philips.....	71 Maverick square.....	2	Alterations, stores and storage.	2,000
Mrs. N. H. Randall.....	11 Marlborough street.....	8	Alterations, apartments and offices.	300
P. B. Corbett.....	4 Wendover street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
T. F. Ward.....	Rear of 3381 Washington st..	22	Alterations, factory.....	600
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.	11 Lorraine street.....	23	Alterations, telephone exchange.	45,000
G. N. Kinear.....	28 Fletcher street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	550
W. R. Fleming.....	76 Hamilton street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
W. H. Sullivan.....	9 Boylston street.....	5	Erect sign.....	100
Regal Shoe Company.....	233 Tremont street.....	5	Erect sign.....	200
C. J. O'Connell.....	131 Newbury street.....	8	Erect fire escape.....	225
A. Mulvey.....	1 Haviland street.....	7	Install dumb waiter.....	90
Harley Private Hospital.....	6 Windermere road.....	17	Install dumb waiter.....	200
American Building Wrecking Company.	293-297 Cambridge street..	8	Take-down, tenements.....	400
Swift McNutt.....	Rear of 65 Bower street.....	16	Take-down, stable.....	100
Swift McNutt.....	150 Forsyth street.....	7	Take-down, boiler room.....	200
J. Darish.....	41 Seaver place.....	8	Take-down, storage.....	75

NOVEMBER 5.

Mrs. R. S. Peters.....	Rear of 3 Roseway street...	22	First-class garage.....	\$500
John M. Ryan.....	21 Hobson street.....	26	First-class garage.....	700
D. J. Cowbig.....	8 West Bellflower street.....	11	First-class garage.....	2,700
Nicola Cavalieri.....	4 Curtis street.....	1	First-class garage.....	5,000
Bruno Kroetzsch.....	Rear of 121 Howard avenue...	17	First-class garage.....	960
Robert B. Slatery.....	Rear of 28 Louder's lane.....	22	First-class garage.....	1,000
T. J. Harrington.....	Rear of 237 Bolton street.....	9	First-class garage.....	1,000
Sarah Tucker estate.....	Rear of 12 Brook avenue.....	12	First-class garage.....	1,000
H. Recknagel.....	Rear of 4566 Washington street.	23	First-class garage.....	500
Hyde Park Tile Company....	1183-1187 Hyde Park ave..	24	Second-class store.....	5,000
Catherine A. Byron.....	Rear of 86 Highland street..	24	Second-class garage.....	500
Louis Adduci.....	Rear of 56 Stockton street..	21	Second-class garage.....	800
Rose Barton.....	12 Hadwin way.....	24	Second-class garage.....	800
Nicola Cavalieri.....	659 Saratoga street.....	1	Second-class stores.....	4,000
Mrs. C. M. Gwynn.....	Rear of 577 South street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	300
Elizabeth R. Mullan.....	Rear of 79 Clement avenue...	23	Third-class garage.....	500
John J. Regan.....	Rear of 114 Gardner street..	23	Third-class garage.....	150
J. B. Case.....	Rear of 83 Providence street.	24	Third-class garage.....	169
J. C. Andrews.....	Rear of 51 Garfield avenue...	24	Third-class garage.....	342
Annie F. Weis.....	Rear of 663 South street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	200
Julia G. Lynch.....	Rear of 2 Bonad road.....	23	Third-class garage.....	450
Andrew J. Kern.....	Rear of 8 Stimson street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
Beatrice A. Donoghue.....	Rear of 52 Edison street.....	21	Third-class garage.....	600
Clarence A. Faulkner.....	70 Landseer street.....	23	Third class dwelling.....	7,500
Charles F. Bodge.....	21 Helena road.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Charles F. Bodge.....	23 Helena road.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
George Krawcenski.....	17 Dunwell street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	375
Robert B. Slatery.....	28 Louder's lane.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Joseph K. Dennis.....	36 Washington street.....	25	Alterations, garage.....	100
Mary J. Taylor.....	79 Farquhar street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
James DiStefano.....	16 Greenwich street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Samuel Brickle.....	41 Lindsey street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
Charlestown Five Cent Savings Bank.	1-4 Thompson square.....	4	Alterations, bank and offices.	4,000
R. Marco.....	158 Adams street.....	18	Take-down, storage shed....	50

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 627.

Sergt. Thomas H. Flaherty of Division 13, having arrived at the age of sixty-three and three-twelfths years, having performed faithful service in the Police Department for thirty-six and three-twelfths years, and having requested to be retired from active service, it is hereby

Ordered, That the said Sergt. Thomas H. Flaherty be retired from active service and that his name be placed upon the department pension roll with pay at the rate of eleven hundred and fifty (1,150) dollars per annum, said sum being one half of the amount of compensation received by him in the office from which he is retired; to take effect Friday, October 31, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 628

Patrolman Frank A. Barthelmess of Division 15, having arrived at the age of sixty years, having performed faithful service in the Police Department for twenty-nine years, and having requested to be retired from active service, it is hereby

Ordered, That the said Patrolman Frank A. Barthelmess be retired from active service and that his name be placed upon the department pension roll with pay at the rate of nine hundred and fifty (950) dollars per annum, said sum being one half of the amount of compensation received by him in the office from which he is retired; to take effect Friday, October 31, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 629.

The commanding officer of Division 7 has brought to my attention the following meritorious piece of police work performed by Patrolman Thomas G. Duggan of that division.

On September 22, 1924, Patrolman Duggan was detailed with the late Patrolman Albert Motroni of Division 7 to go to a house in Liverpool street to arrest one George Wright, wanted for complicity in the theft of an automobile. When Patrolman Motroni ordered Wright to come with him and Patrolman Duggan, Wright made a rush for the cellar way, and in the struggle which ensued the three men fell down the cellar stairs, Patrolman Duggan breaking his right ankle in the fall.

Lying on the cellar floor, Wright drew his revolver and shot Officer Motroni in the stomach, inflicting the wound which a few hours later caused the officer's death. Patrolman Duggan, although suffering from a broken ankle, thereupon attacking Wright with revolver and club, at length succeeded in getting his revolver and reducing him to submission, but not until he himself had been shot in the right leg. When at length in answer to their calls for help, a police officer came to their assistance, Patrolman Duggan ignoring his own serious injuries, told him to look after Patrolman Motroni, and remained alone in the cellar until help arrived from the station.

It is with the utmost gratification that I have learned of this remarkable performance of Patrolman Duggan. Suffering from a broken ankle and the wound in

his leg, he yet had the nerve and pluck to battle with and overcome this desperate criminal; and when assistance came he forgot his own injuries in his anxiety for his fellow sufferer. Such courage and unselfishness are rare in any walk in life, and it gives me great pleasure to express my appreciation and commendation of Patrolman Duggan's valor, intrepidity and fortitude which alone rendered possible the capture of this dangerous felon.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 630.

My attention has been called by the commanding officers of Divisions 16 and 17 to the excellent police work of the following patrolmen of their respective divisions:

At about 12.45 a. m., on October 18, 1924, Patrolman Cyril V. Considine of Division 16, while patrolling in Copley square, which lies in his route, observed a colored man running, and in a condition which indicated he had run a long distance.

The officer gave chase and on overtaking the man, asked him where he was going and why he was running. His answers not being satisfactory, Patrolman Considine searched him and found a black jack in his pocket. Upon further questioning, the man stated that his name was Walter Jennings, that he was a waiter and that he had been involved with another man by the name of Sheafe in an assault on one Joseph Duarte at 11 Albion street.

Jennings was arrested by Patrolman Considine as a suspicious person, brought to the station and booked, and then turned over to officers of Station 5, by whom he and Sheafe were jointly complained of for the murder of the said Duarte and were held for the Grand Jury.

This is a most excellent piece of police work and I heartily commend Patrolman Considine for the alertness, quickness of observation and shrewdness which he displayed in bringing about the arrest of these criminals.

On June 5, 1924, Patrolman Eldridge Dunham of Division 17 was detailed by his commanding officer to investigate and discover the origin of the fires which had occurred in West Roxbury during the months of April and May. On June 26, Patrolman Dunham, who had devoted himself night and day to locating the guilty person, arrested for arson one William W. Turner of Roslindale. Sufficient evidence had been obtained concerning four different fires set during the month of June, to secure a conviction against Turner, but at the request of the authorities of the Psychopathic Hospital, where Turner had been sent for observation, the complaint against him was withdrawn and he was committed to the Boston State Hospital, and thence sent to the Bridgewater Hospital for the Insane.

I am gratified to learn of this meritorious work on the part of Patrolman Dunham, and I take pleasure in commending him for the intelligence and perseverance shown by him in this arduous undertaking.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 631.

The commanding officers of Divisions 3 and 10 have brought to my attention the following excellent pieces of police work performed by officers attached to their respective divisions:

I. About five o'clock p. m., on September 23, 1924, as Patrolman George A. Kelley of Division 3 was patrolling his route in Chardon street, he saw a horse attached to a wagon, with no driver, running up Merrimac street. The officer gave chase, climbed into the wagon over the tailboard, and getting hold of the reins, turned the team into Pitts street where, after it had crashed into and damaged a couple of vehicles, he finally succeeded in stopping it.

This is an excellent piece of police work, and I take pleasure in commending Patrolman Kelley for the courage, activity and presence of mind which he displayed in stopping this runaway horse and thus preventing possible serious casualties.

II. About three o'clock in the morning of September 21, 1924, while Patrolman Michael J. Kane of Division 10 was patrolling his route in the vicinity of Washington and Ruggles streets, he thought he heard the sound of breaking glass and at once proceeded to investigate. After looking over his own route, he looked across to the opposite side of Washington street, which is in Division 9, and seeing two bareheaded men come out of a market, started in pursuit of them.

After chasing one of them for a couple of blocks, the officer succeeded in arresting him, brought him to the nearest police box, where he called for the wagon, and then back to the store, where they were joined by a sergeant and a patrolman of Division 9. Upon investigation they found that the front door of the store had been forced and the safe moved out from the wall in preparation to open it; also a complete set of burglar tools was found on the floor by the safe.

When the prisoner was booked at Station 10 he was discovered to have been arrested before in connection with a break in Division 2, but the evidence to convict him was lacking.

This is a most excellent piece of police work on the part of Patrolman Kane, showing vigilance and care not only over his own division but over the one adjoining, and I warmly commend him for the alertness, acumen and attention to duty shown by him on this occasion.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 632.

General Order No. 708, issued November 4, 1920, relating to the assignment of hospitals for the respective divisions in cases of injuries to officers of this department, is hereby rescinded, and the following General Order is issued in its place.

It is hereby ordered that when patrolmen or superior officers of the department are injured in the performance of their duty, to the extent that medical or surgical treatment is necessary, that they shall go, or be taken to, either one of the hospitals designated, in this order, for treatment.

Officers attached to Divisions 1, 2, 3, 15 and 20, will go to the Massachusetts General Hospital for treatment.

Officers attached to Divisions 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 will go to the City Hospital for treatment.

Divisions 6 and 12, to the Carney Hospital.

Division 10, to the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital.

Division 14, to St. Elizabeth's Hospital.

If an emergency may arise where it would be impracticable to send an officer of any division to the hospital assigned to the officers of that particular division, such officer may be taken to the nearest hospital mentioned herein or to any of the other hospitals named at the request of the injured officer.

In an emergency where the officer is seriously injured and in a dangerous condition, the nearest physician shall be immediately called, if one is available, and the injured officer shall, under the supervision of such physician, be removed to the hospital, and if considered necessary by the physician, he shall be allowed to accompany the injured officer to the hospital.

Officers preferring to be treated elsewhere, or by other physicians, may do so, but it will be at their own expense. The Commissioner will approve no bills except those rendered by the hospitals mentioned, or except in specific instances where immediate medical attention is necessary, or except in those specific cases where by order of the Commissioner other medical attendance may be had.

Where an officer of a particular division is injured in the performance of his duty, not in his own division but in a division assigned to the hospital to which his division is not assigned, he shall be taken to any of the hospitals herein mentioned that may be most conveniently reached.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

LAND-TAKING IN HYDE PARK.

The Mayor has approved the taking of land by the Board of Street Commissioners for sewerage works, lands, rights and easements and said works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Hyde Park and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Cottage street, bounded:

Northwest by Water street eight and 66-100 feet; northeast by another part of Cottage street nine hundred thirty-eight and 88-100 feet; southeast by the same eight feet; and southwest by the same nine hundred thirty-five and 80-100 feet, containing seventy-four hundred and ninety-nine square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

About 860 linear feet of 10-inch and 80 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Cottage

street, leading southeasterly from Water street for a distance of about 935 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Cottage street, from Washington street to Water street, excluding the lot at the northerly corner of Washington and Cottage streets, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, each of the said lots to the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 586, Sewerage Works, Cottage Street, Hyde Park, October 1, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Rosie M. Ronald.....	\$75 00
2. Rosie M. Ronald.....	75 00
3. Michael Kerrigan, Annie B. Kerrigan.....	75 00
4. Lillian M. Corrigan.....	225 00
5. Frank Henderson, Eliza Henderson.....	142 50
6. Julia E. Fuller, City of Boston, T. T.,	142 50
7. Andrew J. Stack.....	85 50
8. Mary Welch.....	78 00
9. Margaret E. Hartford.....	78 00
10. Emil M. Lange, Anna L. Lange.....	78 00
11. Lydia A. Nourse.....	78 00
12. William H. Nourse.....	78 00
13. Mary A. Barry.....	78 00
14. Rupert W. Boles.....	91 50
15. Mary J. Gibbons.....	Nothing
16. Michael M. Cuniff heirs.....	60 00
17. Michael M. Cuniff heirs.....	60 00
18. Michael M. Cuniff heirs.....	60 00
19. Michael M. Cuniff heirs.....	60 00
20. Michael M. Cuniff heirs.....	60 00
21. Michael M. Cuniff heirs.....	60 00
22. Eugene N. Foss.....	60 00
23. Eugene N. Foss.....	60 00
24. Eugene N. Foss.....	60 00
25. Eugene N. Foss.....	60 00
26. Eugene N. Foss.....	60 00
27. Eugene N. Foss.....	60 00
28. Eugene N. Foss.....	60 00
29. Eugene N. Foss.....	22 05
30. Josephine Shibley.....	75 00
31. Eugene N. Foss.....	42 36
32. Eugene N. Foss.....	64 41
33. Eugene N. Foss.....	64 41
34. Eugene N. Foss.....	64 41
35. Eugene N. Foss.....	64 41
36. Genevieve L. Logan.....	75 00
Total.....	\$2,632 05

PLANNING BOARD MAKES REPORT ON WORCESTER CONFERENCE.

The Mayor has received the following report from the Planning Board:

BOSTON, October 24, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—In compliance with the provisions of chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914 the following report is submitted with regard to attendance at the Eleventh Annual Massachusetts Conference on City and Town Planning, which was held in Worcester on Monday, October 6, 1924, by members and representatives of the Boston City Planning Board.

The conference, a program of which is inclosed, was attended by representatives of thirty-seven planning boards throughout the state. There were also in attendance the mayors of three cities and a number of officials, teachers and private citizens.

The conference was opened by Mr. Richard K. Conant, Commissioner of Public Welfare, who welcomed the dele-

gates on behalf of the Commonwealth, and who stated during the course of his address that twelve planning boards have been organized during the past year, making at the present time a total of seventy-five cities and towns which have adopted the provisions of the so-called City Planning Law.

Mr. Horace B. Gale of Natick, the retiring chairman of the federation, reviewed the work of the year, emphasizing particularly the efforts of the organization in behalf of billboard and zoning legislation, while Mr. Edward T. Hartman, State Consultant, spoke of various outstanding events which have come under his observation.

Hon. Edward M. Bassett of New York, a former member of Congress, who served as chairman of the New York Committee on Building Districts and Restrictions and who is at the present time counsel for the Zoning Committee of the City of New York, conducted a question box discussion during the afternoon session and in the evening delivered a particularly illuminating address on "Zoning—Why We Need It."

One of the outstanding features of the program was the address of Philip Nichols on "Protecting the City Plan—The Next Steps." This is a subject which has been discussed without tangible results at practically every annual conference, but the suggestions offered by Mr. Nichols were so full of possibilities and opened up so many new lines of thought supported by legal opinion that arrangements were made for its immediate publication and distribution among the planning boards throughout the state.

Three-minute reports on planning board activities in the various cities and towns were submitted during the morning and afternoon sessions and furnished ample proof of the widespread interest in city planning and zoning work.

Boston's Zoning Plan was presented at the evening session by the chairman of the City Planning Board, assisted by Arthur C. Comey, Zoning Director, who, with the aid of lantern slides, explained many of the technical details of the work of preparation and presentation.

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

Chairman, William R. Greeley, Lexington; Vice Chairman, Frank W. Kimball, Dedham; Treasurer, Joseph Finberg, Attleboro; Secretary, Arthur C. Comey, Cambridge; Executive Board, Gorham Dana, Brookline; Elisabeth M. Herlihy, Boston; Horace B. Gale, Natick.

Respectfully submitted,

THE CITY PLANNING BOARD,
FREDERIC H. FAY, *Chairman*.
MARY A. BARR, *Member*.
ELISABETH M. HERLIHY, *Secretary*.
HENRY L. WHITNEY, *Investigator*.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Hazleton street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from northwest of Fottler road for a distance of approximately six hundred feet northwesterly, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Hazleton street is hereby laid out northwesterly to Wellington Hill footway and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or

affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southeast by Hazleton street (highway), fifty and 28-100 feet; southwest by the southwesterly line of said extension of Hazleton street as hereby laid out, five hundred eighty-five and 60-100 feet on a curve of thirty-three hundred eighty-four and 55-100 feet radius; northwest by Wellington Hill footway, fifty feet; and northeast by the northeasterly line of said extension of Hazleton street as hereby laid out, five hundred seventy-five and 81-100 feet on a curve of thirty-three hundred thirty-four and 55-100 feet radius.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of said extension of Hazleton street so laid out, will receive benefit or advantage other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Hazleton street Extension, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, September 8, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Eva Goldstein.....	\$381 78
2. Rose Gross, Harry Gross.....	381 78
3. Hyman Green.....	381 78
4. Hyman Green.....	381 78
5. Ethel Rosenfield.....	381 78
6. Minnie Aronson.....	381 78
7. Richard Cohen, David Cohen.....	381 78
8. Rebecca Novack.....	381 78
9. Sarah Yanofsky.....	400 62
10. City of Boston.....	798 00
11. City of Boston.....	1,080 00
12. Samuel Aronson.....	270 00
13. Samuel Aronson.....	270 00
14. Simon Zilen.....	270 00
15. Max Reisman.....	270 00
16. Elsie Reisman.....	318 00
17. Thomas W. Roulston.....	300 00
Total.....	\$7,030 86

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Hazleton street, Dorchester district, as a highway, northwesterly to Wellington Hill footway, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

MAYOR CURLEY CONGRATULATES ALVAN T. FULLER ON ELECTION.

The result in the gubernatorial contest both in the state and in Boston, with a total of nearly a half million votes in the former and 125,000 in the latter, is most gratifying, being the largest vote ever received by a Democratic candidate for Governor.

This greatly increased Democratic vote in the home state of President Calvin Coolidge and in the face of a Republican landslide that swept the entire country is all the more remarkable.

The Republican party achieved a notable victory and all representatives of that party, including my late opponent, Alvan T. Fuller, are to be congratulated.

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

DIRECTOR OF NURSES (FEMALE) BOSTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT, DIVISION OF CHILD HYGIENE, NOVEMBER 10, 1924.

The salary is \$2,500 a year.

Applicants must be not more than 45 years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants be high school graduates, have continuous training in a hospital of not less than two years, be graduates of a training school for nurses, and be graduates of a course in public health nursing. Applicants should also be registered under the State Board of Registration of Nurses.

The duties of this position include supervision of a staff of from fifty to seventy nurses, assistance in the preparation of a child hygiene program and budget, and the holding of conferences for nurses, mothers and lay groups.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

BRIDGE ENGINEER, STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, NOVEMBER 14, 1924.

The salary is \$4,500 per year. Applicants should have at least ten years experience as a bridge engineer, but a degree granted by an engineering school of recognized standing will be equivalent to four years' experience. It is desirable that this experience have been obtained through actual responsibility for the design and construction of bridges and other structural works, including the handling of men and an understanding of the economic questions involved in the bridge problem.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of examination.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ASSISTANT CHEMIST, STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, NOVEMBER 14, 1924.

(Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.)

The salary is \$1,500 per year.

The duties of this position are to make analyses of coal, including the calorimetric work, and to make analyses of fuel oil and various food products. Applicants should have a bachelor's degree in chemistry from a recognized in-

stitution of learning, or its equivalent. They should have a good knowledge of physics and be familiar with mathematics through advanced algebra.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and in the oral interview, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

INVESTIGATOR, STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, NOVEMBER 14, 1924.

(Requisition is for a female, but the examination is open to both males and females.)

The salary is \$1,800 per year. The duties of this position are the study of the supply of farm labor throughout the state, of the demand for such labor, of the various kinds of work involved, particularly in specialized types of farms in areas of the state where special kinds of agricultural work are carried on and other details affecting the problem. The investigator will be required to keep a register of farm positions and of applicants for such positions, to notify persons registered when and where positions or help may be found, and to keep, so far as possible, a record of the work of applicants in positions to which they are referred. It is desirable that applicants have had experience in placing help, especially farm help, knowledge of agricultural conditions and agencies in the state, ability to interview farmers and farm help, and a good working knowledge of stenography and typewriting. Applicants should have had at least one year's experience as a stenographer.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

DENTAL HYGIENIST, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, NOVEMBER 15, 1924. REQUISITION IS FOR A FEMALE, BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES.

The salary is \$25 a week. The duties of this position are to assist the oral surgeons in operations, to prepare cases for operations, to change dressings after operations, to secure X-rays and X-ray reports for the oral surgeons, to scale and polish teeth of fractured jaws previous to and after wiring, to keep accurate records of all operations and treatments.

Applicants must be registered as dental hygienists under the State Board of Dental Examiners.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKERS, STATE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL DISEASES, NOVEMBER 25, 1924.

There are several vacancies as follows: Four vacancies as district supervisors at a salary of \$1,800 a year, with locations at Springfield, Worcester, Salem and Taunton. These vacancies are for women. There are also three vacancies for positions in the State House, at salaries of \$1,560 a year. These vacancies are for two women and one man.

Applicants are required to have a high school education or its equivalent. It is desirable that they should in addition have a college education together with such training and experience as is secured at recognized schools giving courses in psychiatric social work.

The duties of the district supervisors are as follows: District arrangement and supervision of assistant social workers, interviews with prisoners at jails, social psychiatric and medical history work in the community, record writing, attendance at and participation in monthly conference work, etc. The duties of the social workers are similar.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

SUPERVISOR OF THE BROOM SHOP (MALE), STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, DIVISION OF THE BLIND, NOVEMBER 25, 1924.

The salary is \$30 per week. This position is in the Cambridge workshops for the blind. The duties of the position are to supervise the sorting of the broom corn and the winding of the broom. Applicants should have had practical experience in broom making and have a thorough knowledge of brooms and broom corn.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

DENTAL HYGIENIST, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, NOVEMBER 25, 1924.

(Requisition is for a female but the examination is open to both males and females.)

The salary is \$1,440 per year. Applicants must be not less than 21 years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application. Applicants must be high school graduates and graduates of a recognized training school for dental hygienists. Applicants must also be registered dental hygienists under the State Board of Dental Examiners.

The duties of the position are to prepare educational material on mouth hygiene, to give talks to children and other community groups, to conduct surveys and demonstrations in mouth hygiene, and to serve as consultant to agencies wishing to start mouth hygiene activities.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

FOREMEN OF WATER, SEWER AND HIGHWAYS, ETC., DECEMBER 12, 1924.

This examination is for foremen of water, sewer, and highways (or streets) in the service of the state and of all cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service; and of sanitary and street cleaning in the service of Boston.

There are several vacancies in different cities which will be filled from the list established as a result of this examination.

(A) Highway (or street) foremen in the service of the state, or cities in the state except Boston, and of the towns classified under civil service: Training and experience, 14; arithmetic, 4; report, 2; practical questions on street and road construction, grading, repairing, etc., 10; total, 30. The subjects and weights for Boston foremen are: Training and experience, 14; arithmetic, 4; report, 2; practical questions, 9; questions on the care of horses, 1; total, 30.

(B) Sewer: The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) State Highway, except that the practical questions will concern the quality of materials, bracing and refilling of trenches, general maintenance and repair of sewers, catch-basins, etc.

(C) Water: The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) State Highway, except that the practical questions will concern the laying and maintenance of water mains and service pipes, timekeeping, accounting for material, etc.

(D) Sanitary and street cleaning (in the service of Boston). The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) Boston Street Foremen, except that the practical questions will concern the handling of ashes, garbage, etc., and the watering, oiling and cleaning of streets.

NOTE.—Applicants for all services may, if they wish, take an additional paper on the use of explosives, and if successful in passing it will have it so noted as a special qualification.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience and at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

Sample questions available.

CIVIL ENGINEERS, DECEMBER 15-20, 1924. THESE EXAMINATIONS ARE FOR THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, ALL CITIES, AND SUCH TOWNS AS ARE CLASSIFIED UNDER CIVIL SERVICE.

Warning.—Many men fail in the civil engineering examination because they apply for grades for which they are not qualified. It is advisable, therefore, if there is any doubt about the quantity or quality of your experience, to take both the grade for which you think you are qualified and the next lower grade. If you should be found ineligible for the higher grade, you will still have an opportunity to be placed on the next lower grade.

Grade A.

Engineering assistants, drafting assistants, and rodmen, who perform under instruction and supervision elementary or apprentice work in the field or office.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not Grade A if the salary is less than \$900 a year or more than \$1,440 a year.

Qualifications.—Applicants must have completed a high school course of not less than three years or must have had not less than one year of practical experience in field engineering or office work.

Subjects and Weights.—Rodmen—Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; tracing, 3; questions on the duties of the position, 6; total 20. Assistant draughtsmen—Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; drawing, 9; total, 20.

Grade B.

Senior engineering assistants, instrumentmen, and draughtsmen (a) who assume responsibility for the execution of definite instructions in a minor division or section of engineering activity; or (b) who direct, under supervision, the operation of minor engineering projects.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade B if the salary is more than \$1,980 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, not less than one year of service in Grade A. If appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade A, at least two years of practical experience in engineering work of Grade A character and standard; or such training in civil engineering as is evidenced by a professional degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction at an institution or college of recognized standing; or the successful completion of not less than two years' study in such institution plus one year's practical experience in engineering work.

Subjects and Weights.—Instrumentmen—Experience, 16; penmanship, 2; plotting, 6; questions on duties, 8; mathematics, 8; total, 40. Draughtsmen—Experience, 16; drawing, 10; mathematics, 6; duties, 4; plotting, 4; total, 40.

Grade C.

Assistant engineers, assistant civil engineers, and designing engineers: (a) who assume responsibility for the direction of surveys, the preparation and examination of, or advice upon, plans, designs and specifications for a minor section of a large engineering or a major section of a small engineering project; or (b) who supervise or inspect the construction or the operation of work on such a project; or (d) who make investigations of, and reports upon, such engineering projects as a basis for a report by an engineering superior.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade C, if the salary is more than \$2,580 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion within a department or major division thereof, not less than two years of service in Grade B, or if appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade B, within a department or major division thereof, at least five years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch of engineering work covered by the position, provided that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of three years practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 10; design, 2; mathematics, 2; questions on material and methods of construction, 3; engineering theory, 3; total, 20.

Grade D.

Senior assistant engineers, senior assistant civil engineers, and senior designing engineers: (a) who supervise and assume complete responsibility for the work of a main division of an engineering organization, involving the direction of surveys and design and construction; or (b) who maintain and operate the major section of a large engineering project; or (c) who make independent investigations of and reports upon engineering projects as a basis for executive, administrative, or judicial action; or (d) who take charge of a large engineering department in the absence of the chief engineer; or (e) who give advice on large or complicated engineering projects, which may involve the preparation of plans.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade D if the salary is more than \$3,600 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, not less than three years service in Grade C. If appointed otherwise than by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, at least eight years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch covered by the position, and two years of which shall have been in an executive capacity; provided, that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of four years of practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 24; questions on materials and methods of construction, 5; engineering theory, 5; design, 6; total, 40.

An applicant must specify the Grade for which he applies. Specimen examinations available.

IMPROVEMENTS FINANCED FROM REVENUE.

In the five years 1918-1922 the expenditure from taxes and other ordinary revenue for various public improvements (such as were formerly financed from loans) amounted to \$15,096,963 or an average of \$3,019,392 a year.

In this five-year period the expenditure by objects was: \$7,260,085 for streets, bridges and ferries; \$5,437,740 for new schoolhouses, etc.; \$881,143 for parks, playgrounds, etc.; \$471,273 for public buildings; various other objects, \$1,046,722.

Of the total expenditure for parks, \$797,303 was from Parkman Fund income.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending November 1, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 144; nonresidents, 27; total, 171.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 11.48; nonresidents deducted, 9.66.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 12.42; corresponding week last year, 13.81.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 22; one year to five years, inclusive, 5; sixty years and over, 71; total deaths: male, 90; female, 81; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 80; deaths of colored, 6.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 1, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 3, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	3	—	8	2
Diphtheria.....	43	—	68	6
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	1	1	—
Influenza.....	1	1	—	—
Measles.....	27	1	32	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	35	11	31	14
Scarlet fever.....	40	1	53	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	43	10	35	10
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	4	1	7	4
Typhoid fever.....	1	—	2	1
Whooping cough.....	13	—	9	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, October 27, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, at 2 p. m., President DONOGHUE presiding, and all the members present.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 27, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—Subject to confirmation by your honorable body, I appoint the following-named persons weighers of coal for the term ending April 30, 1925:
John Lynch, 8 Leicester street, Brighton.
James Carter, 17 Holman street, Brighton.
Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
Laid over under the law.

SALE OF LAND ON BERRY STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 27, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the enclosed communication from the municipal auctioneer, with reference to the property owned by the City of Boston at the corner of Berry and Manning streets, West Roxbury, and respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.
Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.
—
Edward W. Foye,
Reafter, Municipal Auctioneer and Appraiser.
Real and Personal Estates.
Boston, Mass., October 6, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Sir,—Permit me to make the following report in regard to sale held of city property on June 13, 1924, on land, corner of Berry street and Manning Street, West Roxbury District. It was not sold. There were no bids received. The upset price was \$600. This land is a ledge and of no use to any one except the abutter, who will pay \$200, which I think is enough for it, and should recommend the sale of same to him at public auction.
Awaiting your pleasure, I beg to remain,
Respectfully yours,
EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction, at an upset price of \$200, a parcel of land on Berry street, West Roxbury, southwest corner of Manning street, containing 5,262 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

Referred to Executive Committee.

TRANSFERS WITHIN DEPARTMENT APPROPRIATION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 27, 1924.
To the City Council:
Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the attached requests for transfers within departmental appropriations, and I accordingly recommend adoption by your honorable body of the accompanying orders.
Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Sanitary Service:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Laborers, 926 at \$4-\$4.50 per day, \$2,000, to the appropriation for A-3, Unassigned, \$2,000.

From the appropriation for B-10, Rent, Taxes and Water, \$1,000; B-39, General Plant, \$1,000; C-17, General Plant, \$1,000, to the appropriation for B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$3,000.

From the appropriation for E-2, Highway, \$2,500, to the appropriation for C-4, Motor Vehicles \$2,500.

From the appropriation for E-2, Highway, \$1,500; F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$500, to the appropriation for D-11, Motor Vehicles, \$2,000.

From the appropriation for F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$500; F-11, Workmen's Compensation, \$2,000, to the appropriation for E-13, General Plant, \$2,500.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Bridge Service:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Draftsmen (Assistant), 91 at \$1,500-\$1,600 per year, \$1,000; A-3, Unassigned, \$1,000, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$2,000.

From the appropriation for C-9, Office, \$40, to the appropriation for C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$40.

From the appropriation for C-17, General Plant, \$100; D-1, Office, \$100, to the appropriation for C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$200.

From the appropriation for E-3, Bridges, \$400, to the appropriation for B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$400.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Ferry Service:

From the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$450, to the appropriation for C-5, Motorless Vehicles, \$450.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Hospital Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Physician, 1 at \$77.77 per week—\$4,000 per year, \$1,281.30, to the appropriation for B-21, Removal of Snow, \$450; E-13, General Plant, \$831.30.

From the appropriation for A-1, Physicians, 6 at \$68.05 per week—\$3,500 per year, \$616.85; Physicians, 4 at \$48.61 per week—\$2,500 per year, \$551.85, to the appropriation for E-13, General Plant, \$1,168.70.

From the appropriation for A-1, Physicians, 4 at \$48.61 per week—\$2,500 per year, \$920.80; Physician, 1 at \$40 per week, \$11.50; Physicians, 2 at \$38.89 per week—\$2,000 per year, \$52.06; to the appropriation for B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$984.36.

From the appropriation for A-1, Physicians, 5 at \$35 per week—\$1,800 per year, \$1,028.87, to the appropriation for D-16, General Plant, \$1,028.87.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for the City Planning Board:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Engineer, 1 at \$2,500 per year, \$1,100; Draughtsmen, 2 at \$2,100 per year, \$1,800; stenographer, 1 at \$1,200 per year, \$200, to the appropriation for G-2, Special Investigations, \$3,100.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Institutions Department, Child Welfare Division:

From the appropriation for B-17, Care of Persons, \$475, to the appropriation for B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$100; B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$200; B-39, General Plant, \$100; C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$75.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for City Council:

From the appropriation for B-1, Printing and Binding, \$12.50, to the appropriation for G-5, Contingencies, \$12.50.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Municipal Court, South Boston District:

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$190, to the appropriation for B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$190.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SALE OF LAND ON MASON STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 27, 1924.
To the Honorable the City Council:
Gentlemen,—The present location of the engine house occupied by Engine No. 26 and Engine No. 35 is so situated that service in case of fire cannot be rendered efficiently. It is proposed to erect an engine house over the subway at the junction of Broadway and Tremont street, and arrangements have been made with the Boston Elevated Railway Company by which the city can secure this site, which is much more advantageous, for the sum of \$75,000. An offer of \$240,000 has been made by Keith's Boston Theatre Company, a Massachusetts corporation, having its usual place of business in Boston, for the purchase of the present site on Mason street, which offer I consider to be for the best interests of the city to accept. In my opinion the above sum is the fair market value of this property and the city is extremely fortunate in securing this offer at the present time. The cash received will greatly assist the city financially in constructing an engine house at the proposed new site, which will have the effect of greatly improving the Fire Department service of this district. I therefore recommend the accompanying order for your favorable consideration.
Respectfully yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston, in City Council.
Whereas, The land and buildings now occupied by Engine No. 26 and Engine No. 35 on Mason street have become obsolete; and

Whereas, The location is no longer appropriate for Fire Department purposes; and

Whereas, It has been determined to erect a new fire station at the junction of Broadway and Tremont street over the location of the subway; and

Whereas, An advantageous offer has been made for the conveyance of the engine house site on Mason street, which is hereinafter described in the within order;

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor, in the name and behalf of the City of Boston, is hereby authorized to convey to the Keith's Boston Theatre Company, a Massachusetts corporation, having its usual place of business in Boston, by an instrument satisfactory in form to the Law Department of the City of Boston, for the sum of \$240,000, the following parcel of land with the buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows:

Westerly by Mason street, fifty-nine and 60-100 (59.60) feet; southerly by land now or formerly of the heirs or devisees of Mary C. Keith, one hundred forty and 11-100 (140.11) feet; easterly by land now or formerly of the heirs or devisees of Mary C. Keith, forty-six and 56-100 (46.56) feet, and northerly by a lot of land formerly owned by the City of Boston, one hundred eighteen and 49-100 (118.49) feet;

Being the same lot as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Mason Street, Boston Proper, June 28, 1923, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," which lot is designated on said plan as "City of Boston Fire Department Engine No. 26; Engine No. 35, 6,608 square feet."

Provided, However, that contemporaneously with the conveyance a written agreement is entered into by and between the Mayor, acting for and on behalf of the City of Boston, and the Keith's Boston Theatre Company that the said lot of land and building thereon may be used by the City of Boston for Fire Department purposes until the new building proposed to be erected at the junction of Broadway and Tremont street is completed and ready for occupancy without the payment of any rent prior to April 1, 1925, and at a monthly rate after April 1, 1925, equal to the proportionate share of the annual tax assessed on said land and buildings April 1, 1925.

The B. F. Keith Circuit,
Boston Mass., October 24, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston:

Dear Sir,—In behalf of Keith's Boston Theatre Company, I hereby offer to pay to the City of Boston, for the lot of land situated on Mason street in the City of Boston, containing 6,608 square feet, upon which lot now stands the building used for Engine No. 26 and Engine No. 35, the sum of \$240,000. This lot is bounded and described as follows:

Westerly on Mason street, 59.60 feet; southerly by land now or formerly of the heirs or devisees of Mary C. Keith, 140.11 feet; easterly by land now or formerly of the heirs or devisees of Mary C. Keith, 46.56 feet; northerly by land now or formerly belonging to the City of Boston, which lot was occupied by the School Department for its School Committee building, 118.49 feet.

Said lot of land is shown on a plan of land on Mason street, Boston, as property belonging to the City of Boston, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer dated June 28, 1923.

Very truly yours,

R. G. LARSEN.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS RECEIVED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz

Claims.

Charles F. Ahearn, for compensation for damage to automobile, caused by an alleged defect at Arlington and Beacon streets.

Badger Fire Extinguisher Company, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Boston Food Products Company, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

F. E. Burnham Company, for compensation for damage to property at 97 Meridian street, East Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

George A. Clough, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by being thrown into water from Northern Avenue Bridge.

C. R. English, for compensation for damage to property at 25 Sigourney street, Jamaica Plain, caused by stopped-up drain.

Mrs. Mary Ford, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 56 Warren street, Charlestown.

Thomas and Maria Glennon, for compensation for damage to property at 16 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, caused by change of grade in constructing sidewalk.

S. Hirschberg & Son, for compensation for damage to property at 94 Meridian street, East Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

William Hogan, for compensation for damage to property at 192 Bennington street, East Boston, caused by overflow of sewage.

C. Crawford Hollidge, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Mary B. Johnson, for compensation for damages to clothing, caused by an alleged defect in Bowman street.

Bernard A. Maguire, for compensation for damages to automobile at Central square and Meridian street, East Boston, caused by city team.

Mrs. Margaret Miles, for compensation for damage to property at 118 Havre street, East Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

Walter Milliken, for compensation for damage to property at 1444 Columbus avenue, caused by backing up of sewage.

Frieda Mizhere, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Kneeland and Hudson streets.

Mrs. Catherine O'Neil, for compensation for injuries caused by falling sign-post at Dorchester avenue and Adams street.

Mrs. Blanche Roberts, for compensation for damage to property at 46 Greenbrier street, Dorchester, caused by overflow of sewage.

Charles Seder, for compensation for injuries and damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in Cheney street, Roxbury.

Alice Sen, for compensation for damage to property at 52 Brooks street, East Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS PAY ROLL.

The approved pay roll of the Registry of Deeds from September 15 to October 18, was received from Registrar W. T. A. Fitzgerald.

Approved and ordered paid.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

Notice was received from the City Treasurer of the approval of constable's bond of Samuel H. Cox.

Said bond approved.

EAST BOSTON DISTRICT COURT SALARIES.

A communication was received from Judge Barnes of the East Boston District Court stating that he had determined the following court salaries, to take effect November 1, 1924:

Dennis J. Kelleher, probation officer, \$2,700 per annum; Frederick L. O'Brien, probation officer for wayward and delinquent children, \$2,100.

Referred to the Committee on County Accounts.

HEARINGS ON GASOLENE PETITIONS.

Notice was received of hearings by the Street Laying-Out Department on Monday, November 3, 1924, on the following petitions:

Joseph Burwen *et al.*, 1344-1360 Columbus avenue, 5,000 gallons.

Mary J. Rowan, 320 Maverick street, 1,000 gallons.

Joseph Milder, 1000 Harrison avenue, 1,000 gallons.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPOINTMENT BY MAYOR.

Notice was received of the appointment by the Mayor of James T. Templeton to be Superintendent of Public Buildings.

Placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

President DONOGHUE called up unfinished business, Nos. 1 to 6, viz.:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, October 6, 1924, viz.:

1. Benjamin L. Schwab and Henry A. Goldsmith, to be constables.

2. John J. Maloney, to be a weigher of goods.

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, October 20, 1924, viz.:

3. Salvatore Grassa, to be a constable.

4. Daniel W. Connors, to be a weigher of coal and a measurer of wood and bark.

5. Jacob Hauck, to be a weigher of goods and a gauger of liquid measures.

6. John L. Berrill, to be a weigher of goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee.—Coun. Lane and Watson. Whole number of ballots cast 5, yeas 5, nays 0, and the appointments were severally confirmed.

President DONOGHUE called up No. 7, viz.:

7. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor in the name and behalf of the city be and he is hereby authorized to convey by an instrument satisfactory to the Law Department to May Forman of Boston, upon the receipt of the sum of six hundred dollars, a parcel of land at 20-24 East street.

The order was given its second and final reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—8.

Nays—0.

PAYMENT TO WIDOW OF JOHN A. NOONAN.

Coun. GILBODY offered an order—That an annuity of \$600 be allowed and paid to the widow of John A. Noonan, a member of the Fire Department, who died from injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as said widow remains unmarried; the expense of same to be charged to the appropriation of Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS, ETC., BY CITY EMPLOYEES.

Coun. LANE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Boston Finance Commission be requested to investigate charges recently made in the press concerning the solicitation and collection of campaign contributions from the city employees by candidates for public office or by persons acting in their behalf; and be it further

Ordered, That the aforesaid Boston Finance Commission be requested to investigate recent charges that the employees of the city have been coerced and intimidated into doing work of a political nature, said work having no reference to their public duty, and having been performed at the request of candidates for public office, or by persons acting in their behalf.

Coun. LANE—Mr. President, I move a suspension of the rule, that the orders may be put upon their passage. No doubt all of us have seen in the paper that members of the Fire Department have been solicited and have contributed \$37,000 to a campaign fund. We are also familiar with the fact that city employees have been handed cards with the names of people who were enlisted, with the request that they make a report on those names, finding out whether they are aliens or not, and that they see, if these people are citizens, that they be registered for voting purposes. Now, chapter 55 of the General Laws reads as follows:

"SECTION 10. No political committee, and no person acting under its authority or in its behalf, shall demand or solicit from any candidate for nomination to elective office or from any one acting in his behalf, a payment of money or a promise of payment of money, as a prerequisite to his obtaining from such committee or its agents the nomination papers required by sections 95 to 101, inclusive, of chapter 53.

"SECTION 11. No person holding any public office or employment, under the Commonwealth or any county, city or town, shall directly or indirectly demand, solicit or receive, or be concerned in demanding, soliciting or receiving any gift, payment, contribution, assessment, subscription or promise of money or other thing of value for the political campaign purposes of any candidate for public office or of any political committee, or for any political purpose whatever; but this section shall not prevent such persons from being members of political organizations or committees.

"SECTION 12. No person shall in any building or part thereof occupied for state, county or municipal purposes demand, solicit or receive any payment or gift of money or other thing of value for the purposes set forth in section 11.

"SECTION 13. No officer, clerk or other person in the service of the Commonwealth or of any county, city or town shall, directly or indirectly, give or deliver to an officer, clerk or person in said service, or to any councillor, member of the General Court, alderman, councilman or commissioner, any money or other valuable thing on account of or to be applied to, the promotion of any political object whatever.

"SECTION 14. No person in the public service shall, for that reason, be under obligation to contribute to any political fund, or to render any political service, and shall not be removed or otherwise prejudiced for refusing to do so.

"SECTION 15. No officer or employee of the Commonwealth or of any county, city or town shall discharge, promote, or degrade an officer or employee, or change his official rank or compensation, or promise or threaten so to do, for giving, withholding or neglecting to make a contribution of money or other valuable thing for a political purpose."

Mr. President, I have put in these orders requesting the Finance Commission to have this investigation, not that I think the Finance Commission is the best body to do it, but that body is in a position to do it. The orders embody a request of the Finance Commission, but are not introduced at their request. I should much prefer that this body itself conduct the investigation, but, as I understand it, we have no power to summon any witnesses, and if we had a public hearing I doubt if any one would be present. However, if the Finance Commission wish to do it and see fit to grant our request, they can summon people and put them under oath. Therefore, I hope suspension of the rule will prevail.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, these orders refer to charges made in the public press. The councillor who has offered them has not told us what the charges are. I am not much given to taking too much stock in what appears in the press, although I am satisfied that the Finance Commission is. Whenever anything appears concerning Boston's affairs, either through an anonymous communication sent to the Finance Commission

or through a prejudiced newspaper, or as a matter of hearsay or otherwise, the Finance Commission never loses a moment's time in proceeding to investigate the charges, even though they are based merely on the dreams or the wild thoughts of somebody. I have in mind what the councilor has reference to, but I think for this body to ask the Finance Commission to do something of this sort at this time is really politics. I hate to disagree with Coun. Lane. He sits here like a wise owl all the time, and does not say much, but he is a pretty steadfast Republican. He is orthodox in his Republicanism, and has that right and privilege, although he does not agree with the rest of us. He does not agree with me, and I do not agree with him. We just discussed politics a moment ago, and we are as far apart as the two poles on any candidate running for office in the state or in the nation. But I reiterate that there is no need of this body calling the attention of the Finance Commission to anything of this sort, referring to any candidate for office in the state who may be serving within the confines of the square bounded by School, Tremont, Washington and Court streets. This may be good campaign material, but we all know that any man who works for the city naturally follows and will do everything he can to further the ambitions of a candidate representing the dominant party in the city, and the same is true concerning employees of the state government, who will campaign and use their efforts for a candidate of the dominating party in the state, the Republican party, having in mind at the moment Mr. Fuller. The councilor knows that in the latter case it is only natural that the efforts of state employees should be exerted on behalf of the Beacon Hill candidates, and the same sort of thing is naturally to be expected down here. Of course, every employee of the state is trying to do what is good and helpful for the success of the Republican candidate for Governor, for President and for local offices, and, of course, it is being done down here. Naturally, men expect to receive favors in the way of promotion or otherwise from the successful candidate. I hate to tell Coun. Lane that this is but a commonplace, but I think he agrees with me that it is and perhaps I might do just the same thing on the other side, if conditions were reversed. It is fairly good politics, if the newspapers will play it up. But I think it is of little consequence, and I know that Coun. Lane agrees with me. I know that he would not prohibit anybody in City Hall from going out and working his head off for him as a candidate for the City Council. He is employed by the city, but undoubtedly he will request men in the city employ to do what they can for him. They are not coerced, of course, but he will do what he can in the way of increasing their pay, and so forth, later on. I do not think that Coun. Lane himself regards this as a very serious proposition, and I don't think it is. I am fairly wise, when it comes to things that seem important in politics, and I cannot regard this as serious. I certainly think we ought not to ask the Finance Commission to do this. The mere fact that you have introduced the orders, Coun. Lane, may awaken the Finance Commission to do something. Bear this in mind. I am told, from what I believe to be reliable sources, that the Finance Commission is sitting through daylight as well as burning the midnight oil now in attempting to spread something through the press concerning one of the candidates for Governor. They are sitting up in their offices daily, having hearings in executive, secret sessions, and otherwise attempting to do something to injure the candidacy of the Democratic Mayor of the City of Boston for Governorship of this state. Now, why give them something else? Why draw a red herring across the trail? Why try to start something of this sort in this Democratic City, with one Republican, six Democrats and two LaFollette men? I am going to vote against these orders, not because I am afraid of having them passed or am afraid of any inquiry that will be made, but because I believe nothing has appeared that warrants a report from the Finance Commission. Therefore, I am going to vote against the orders, and I believe they should be defeated.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, if the councilor opposite has no objection, I move reference of the orders to the Executive Committee.

President DONOGHUE—The question is on suspension of the rule.

Coun. LANE—Mr. President, I think if Coun. Watson had listened to the remarks I made he would have known that I was simply referring to the charges that came out in the public press. When the councilor says that he takes very little stock in what he reads in the press, my memory needs to be only a short one to recall that last Monday he introduced an order for investigation of the Charles Street Jail, about which he knew nothing whatever except what he saw in the press.

Coun. WATSON—Will the gentleman yield for a moment, Mr. President?

Coun. LANE—In a moment I will be through. In this case I have not argued against the city employees working for the Democratic candidate. I suspect that they will. They ought to; they are Democrats. I suspect that the employees on Beacon Hill, the state employees, will as a rule work for the Republican ticket, and I would be very much surprised if they did not. What I do object to, however, is the fact that funds have been solicited from city employees. Take the case of the firemen. That is the basis on which I introduced these orders. Last year or a year and a

half ago we passed here, with the approval of the Mayor, the two-platoon system, from humanitarian motives, as we claimed. Now, I don't think the firemen should be assessed because they received something in that way from the City of Boston. That is what I object to, and the law specifically states that it shall not be done. I only want to know if it has been done, that is all.

Coun. BRICKLEY—Mr. President, I move that the orders be laid on the table.

President DONOGHUE—The question is on suspension of the rule.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I would like to have the orders referred to the Executive Committee, but, inasmuch as the question is now on suspension of the rule, I merely want to say that I think we are not going about this in the right way. I know that another councilor and myself talked with a high official of the Fire Department the following day after the story appeared in the paper, and he denied that any fund had been raised to further the campaign of any candidate for office. Now, we have the power to summon before this body any head of a department. We don't have to have a public hearing or anything of the kind. Let us send for any department head concerned in the matter, and ask him if what has been stated publicly is true. I don't believe it is. I doubt if it is possible to raise that sum of money among the firemen. So I think it is better to determine the matter ourselves, sending for the department head. Surely we have that power.

Coun. WATSON—Mr. President, I simply want to correct Coun. Lane. I offered no order to investigate Charles Street Jail.

The motion to suspend the rule was declared lost. Coun. LANE doubted the vote and asked for the yeas and nays.

The Council refused to suspend the rule (a two-thirds vote being necessary for suspension), yeas 5, nays 3.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh—5.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Watson—3.

President DONOGHUE—The order will now be referred to the Executive Committee.

SAFEGUARDING OF ELEVATORS.

Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

An Ordinance Providing for the Better Safeguarding of Passengers in Elevators.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section 1. That all elevators in use or that may be installed within the City of Boston for the carrying of passengers are required to have placed thereon, or attached thereto, such automatic locking device, electrical or mechanical, as will prevent the operation of the cab in such elevator, in a direction away from the floor, while any gate, door or doors at the landings that are used for entrance thereto or exit therefrom, are opened or unsecured. The said device to place the power of controlling the elevator beyond the control of the operator while any such gate, door or doors on said landings leading to or from the cab are open or unsecured, except that a device shall be provided in the cab to render the locking device inoperative in case of emergency.

Section 2. A hoistway door or gate shall be considered locked when within four (4) inches of full closure, if at this point and any other up to full closure, the door or gate is prevented from being opened more than four (4) inches from the landing side.

Section 3. Any person, persons, firm or corporation who may own or control any building where passenger elevators are used shall be required within one year from and after the passage of this act, to have said automatic device placed thereon or attached thereto, the same to be in perfect operation.

Section 4. Any person, persons, firm or corporation violating the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500) for each offence.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

WELCOME TO AND SUPPORT OF HON. JOHN W. DAVIS.

President DONOGHUE called up the following, under unfinished business:

8. Resolved, That the Boston City Council extends to the Hon. John W. Davis of West Virginia a most cordial welcome on the occasion of his visit to the City of Boston, and pledges him its support as a candidate for President of the United States of America.

Coun. Watson moves to amend by striking out all after the word "Boston."

Coun. Donoghue moves to amend by adding the words "and also pledges its support to Hon. David I. Walsh and Hon. James M. Curley, as candidates for Senator and Governor, respectively."

The question came on Coun. Brickley's motion to lay the matter on the table.

The motion to lay on the table was declared lost. Coun. BRICKLEY doubted the vote and asked for the yeas and nays.

The Council voted to lay the resolution on the table, yeas 5, nays 3.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Watson—5.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Walsh—3.

RECESS.

President DONOGHUE declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair, at 3.03 p. m., and the members reassembled in the Chamber and were called to order by President Donoghue at 4.23 p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on Mayor's message and accompanying order (referred October 20) with reference to Metropolitan District Commission land-taking on Neponset avenue—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh and Watson—8.

Nays—0.

2. Report on order (submitted by the Mayor today) providing for transfers within department appropriations—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Moriarty, Purcell, Walsh and Watson—8.

Nays—0.

3. Report on orders (referred today) requesting the Finance Commission to investigate charges recently made in the press concerning solicitation and collection of campaign contributions from city employees, and also charges that said employees have been coerced and intimidated into doing work of a political nature,—that the same ought not to pass.

Report accepted; said order declared rejected. Coun. LANE doubted the vote and asked for the yeas and nays.

The order was rejected, the vote on its passage being yeas 4, nays 4.

Yeas—Coun. Healey, Lane, Purcell, Walsh—4.

Nays—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Moriarty, Watson—4.

4. Report on message and order (referred today) for sale of land on Berry street—that the order ought to pass.

Report accepted; order read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0. Assigned for fourteen days for final action.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. WATSON, the Council refused a general reconsideration of all action taken today.

Adjourned, on motion of Coun. PURCELL, at 4.36 p. m., to meet on Monday, November 10, at two o'clock p. m.

TAX RATES, 1923, IN OTHER MASS. CITIES.

Of the 38 cities in the State, 35 had a higher tax rate than Boston's, every city in the Metropolitan District outside of Boston exceeding Boston's rate (i. e., \$24.70) by from \$1.90 minimum to \$9.50 maximum. The highest of these was Medford's, \$32.20; (2) Revere's, \$34.00; (3) Lynn's, \$33.80; (4) Chelsea's, \$33.00; (5) Malden's, \$32.00 and Woburn's the same; (6) Melrose's, \$30.80; (7) Cambridge's, \$29.90; (8) Everett's, \$29.50; (9) Somerville's, \$29.20; (10) Waltham's, \$29.00; (11) Quincy's, \$28.40; (12) Newton's, \$26.60. The lowest rate of any city was Holyoke's, \$21.50. Net average decrease for the 36 cities that changed their rate, \$1.00 as compared with 1922. Average tax rate of the 13 cities of Metropolitan District other than Boston, \$30.95 or \$6.25 more than Boston's rate.

POPULATION OF OTHER NEW ENGLAND CITIES (BY RANK).

Providence, 237,595; Worcester, 179,754; New Haven, 162,519; Bridgeport, 143,538; Hartford, 138,036; Springfield, 129,563; New Bedford, 121,217; Fall River, 120,485; Lowell, 112,759; Cambridge, 109,694; Lynn, 99,148; Lawrence, 94,270; Somerville, 93,091; Waterbury, Conn., 91,410; Manchester, N. H., 78,384; Portland, 69,272; Brockton, 66,254; Pawtucket, R. I., 64,248; Holyoke, 60,203; New Britain, Conn., 59,316; Haverhill, 53,884. The 24 cities not included here have less than 50,000 population.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Oct. 20, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, at 6:30 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan.

AMENDMENTS AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

July 14, 1924, on page 147, to provide that the appointment of Francis O'Meara as junior master, The Teachers' College of the City of Boston, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "seventh year."

July 14, 1924, on page 148, to provide that the transfer of Beatrice E. Wittet, assistant, Samuel Adams District, to the same position in the Horace Mann School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "to the rank of assistant, seventh year, Horace Mann School."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Robert B. Drummey as junior master, Public Latin School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "sixth year."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Thomas J. McCabe as junior master, English High School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "sixth year."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172, to provide that the appointment of Harrie S. Goodwin as co-operative instructor (from shop instructor, Department of Manual Arts), to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "Sept. 10, 1924."

Sept. 15, 1924, on page 180, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of George C. O'Brien as assistant, Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District, to take effect Oct. 7, 1924, shall read "tenth year, to take effect Oct. 8, 1924."

Sept. 15, 1924, on page 180, to provide that the appointment of Helen A. Wilson as junior assistant, Jamaica Plain High School, to take effect Sept. 10, 1924, shall read—" (from junior assistant, Lewis Intermediate District) ".

Sept. 15, 1924, on page 180, to provide that the appointment of Constance R. Dowd as junior assistant, Washington Irving Intermediate District, to take effect Sept. 10, 1924, shall read to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, instead of "Sept. 10, 1924."

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 192, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Doris E. Dillingham as assistant, kindergarten, Dudley District, to take effect Oct. 21, 1924, shall read "assistant kindergarten (two sessions)," instead of assistant, kindergarten.

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 192, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Frances Dvinsky, as assistant, kindergarten, William Lloyd Garrison District, to take effect Oct. 21, 1924, shall read "assistant, kindergarten (two sessions)," instead of assistant, kindergarten.

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 192, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of Thomas E. Fitzpatrick as assistant, Washington Irving Intermediate District, to take effect Oct. 21, 1924, shall read "eighth year."

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 192, to provide that the appointment of Blanche R. Levy as junior assistant, Hyde Park High School, to take effect Oct. 1, 1924, shall read to take effect "Sept. 29, 1924," instead of Oct. 1, 1924.

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 199, to provide that the leave of absence granted Mary V. O'Neill, Julia Ward Howe District, on Oct. 1, 1924, shall read "one-half day, wedding," instead of one day, wedding.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed, as amended.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENT.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting that he has withdrawn the name of Frances L. Collins from the emergency list, as submitted at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1924.

Placed on file and the appointment withdrawn.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Public Latin School—Byron Groce, Oct. 8, 1924.

Dearborn District—Charles F. King, master emeritus, May 22, 1924. Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations, reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

Bowdoin District—Helen L. Leahy, assistant, Oct. 17, 1924.

Hugh O'Brien District—Katherine M. Murphy, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Margaret R. Scully, assistant, Sept. 19, 1924.

William E. Russell District—Elizabeth G. Knapp, assistant, kindergarten, Sept. 17, 1924.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Henry Wisansky, vocational instructor, Oct. 31, 1924.

Accepted.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting the resignation of Hugh J. Cox, shop foreman, Department of Manual Arts, because of ill health, with the consent of the Board, under the provisions of Section 307, paragraph 3 of the regulations, to take effect Oct. 3, 1924.

Placed on file, and the resignation accepted, to take effect on the date stated.

RETIREMENT.

A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of Oct. 20, 1924 reporting that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 11, Chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922, he has made application for the retirement of Arthur B. Joy, junior

master, English High School, because of permanent disability.

Placed on file.

The Superintendent reported the retirement from active service of the following-named member of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect Oct. 31, 1924, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board under date of Oct. 17, 1924:

English High School—Arthur B. Joy, junior master.

Placed on file.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS. (Mechanical Department.)

East Boston High School—Eugene L. Treanor, Sept. 8, 1924 (third year from Oct. 3, 1924); Frank S. Sharkey, Sept. 8, 1924 (third year from Oct. 3, 1924); William A. MacLean, Oct. 7, 1924; Ernest D. Rejo, Oct. 7, 1924.

Agassiz District—Alfred C. Sheehan, Sept. 12, 1924; Josephine M. O'Neil, Sept. 16, 1924.

Bennett District—Margaret A. Gately, special class, Oct. 6, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Katherine F. Kelley, Sept. 29, 1924; Hattie Fisher, kindergarten, Sept. 29, 1924; Katherine M. Delaney, kindergarten, Oct. 1, 1924.

Charles Sumner District—Christine M. Murphy, kindergarten, Oct. 6, 1924.

Dearborn District—Helena E. Sullivan, kindergarten, Oct. 15, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Elizabeth H. Costello, Oct. 1, 1924; Eileen M. McCarthy, kindergarten, Oct. 6, 1924; Marie G. O'Brien, Oct. 6, 1924.

Emerson District—Agnes V. Tobin, kindergarten, Oct. 6, 1924.

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Annabelle Moise, kindergarten, Sept. 9, 1924.

Franklin District—Jennie Hadley, Emily T. Ricker, Oct. 6, 1924.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Alice Brennan, Sept. 8, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Sara Prigot, kindergarten, Oct. 6, 1924.

John Marshall District—Katherine I. Corrigan, kindergarten, Oct. 6, 1924.

Lawrence District—Helen V. Hazen, Sept. 16, 1924.

Longfellow District—Helen A. O'Brien, Sept. 22, 1924; Catherine D. Burke, Oct. 1, 1924.

Lowell District—Dorothy H. P. Robinson, Sept. 8, 1924.

Martin District—Ellen M. Kelley, Sept. 12, 1924.

Minot District—Mabel Beaton, Sept. 8, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Margaret Nutley, Sept. 17, 1924; Joseph F. Cooper, Oct. 6, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Helen Goldstein, kindergarten, Oct. 1, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Marjorie I. Lynch, Oct. 14, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Rosemary E. Finnegan, Oct. 6, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Dorothy Cunniff, Oct. 2, 1924.

Thomas N. Hart District—Mary S. Mallahan, Sept. 8, 1924.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—John N. Cody, Sept. 9, 1924; Marie E. McCann, Oct. 6, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—Catherine L. Keefe, Mary E. O'Neill, Oct. 1, 1924.

William E. Russell District—Margaret Campbell, Sept. 11, 1924; Ger-

trude V. Crandall, kindergarten, Oct. 6, 1924; Mary P. Kennedy, Oct. 14, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Frances Dvinsky, kindergarten, Oct. 1, 1924; Mary M. Rourke, kindergarten, Oct. 1, 1924.

Day School for Immigrants—Sara S. Coyne, Oct. 16, 1924; Dorothy L. Deane, Oct. 8, 1924; Mabel J. Houkhan, Oct. 27, 1924; Sarah G. Maguire, Oct. 27, 1924; Barbara E. Sheridan, Oct. 22, 1924; Ella Sullivan, Oct. 23, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Brighton High School—Forest L. Mason, co-operative instructor, Sept. 12, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—Harriet Tiffany, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924.

Eliot District—Richard J. Crowley, sub-master, Sept. 9, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Francis J. Dillon, sub-master, Sept. 8, 1924.

Oliver Hazard Perry District—Sarah J. Fleming, master's assistant, Sept. 15, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Joseph F. Cooper, sub-master, Oct. 2, 1924.

Sherwin District—Walter A. Cremen, sub-master, Sept. 8, 1924.

Washington-Allston District—Sarah J. Fleming, master's assistant, Sept. 8, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Andrew C. Garbarino, shop instructor, Oct. 6, 1924; Freeman D. Shepherd, shop instructor, Oct. 14, 1924. Placed on file.

TEMPORARY NURSE

Department of Medical Inspection—Rose A. Murphy, temporary school nurse, Oct. 9, 1924.

Placed on file.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of George B. Hinckley as a toolkeeper in the Boston Trade School is hereby authorized for a period of twelve days, September 11 to September 26, 1924.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Christopher Gibson District—Elizabeth V. Hinds, assistant, fifth year, Nov. 4, 1924.

Dearborn District—Helen M. Greene, assistant kindergarten, Nov. 4, 1924.

Dillaway District—Louise Sullivan, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Dudley District—Olive C. Taylor, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Edmund P. Tileston District—Margaret C. Crammins, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Emerson District—Agnes V. Tobin, assistant kindergarten, Nov. 4, 1924.

Everett District—Evelyn M. Bratton, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Gaston District—Frances R. Sullivan, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Henry Grew District—Madeline C. Cunningham, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Jefferson-Comins District—Mary D. McCormick, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924; Catherine E. Beahan, assistant kindergarten, Nov. 4, 1924.

Julia Ward Howe District—E. Madeline Toner, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Mary Hemenway District—Joseph P. Fox, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Norcross District—Mary M. Walsh, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—E. Ella Beach, assistant, fifth year, Nov. 4, 1924.

John A. Andrew District—Alice M. Burke, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Prescott District—Helen F. Hegarty, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Rice District—Ada V. Dolan, assistant, sixth year, Nov. 10, 1924; Helen D. Tuttle, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Gertrude V. Malone, Julia I. Mulledy, assistants, Nov. 4, 1924.

Shurtleff District—Catherine A. Daunt, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Thomas Gardner District—Margaret M. Sullivan, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—Mary C. Hawkins, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924. Laid over.

(Junior Assistants.)

Public Latin School—Matthew Butler, Sept. 1, 1924.

Mechanic Arts High School—Francis L. Ford (from junior assistant, East Boston High School), Oct. 1, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Helen A. Wilson, Sept. 1, 1924.

Approved.

(Kindergartens, Two Sessions.)

Dillaway District—Helen Sawyer, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 20, 1924.

Jefferson-Comins District—Ellen P. Colleran, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 14, 1924.

Julia Ward Howe District—Mabel G. Berry, first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from first assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 15, 1924.

Martin District—Bertha K. Rice, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 20, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Leone C. Sheen, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 20, 1924.

Washington-Allston District—Isabel E. Olney, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 20, 1924.

Approved.

(By Promotion.)

John Marshall District—Ruth K. FitzGerald, assistant, seventh year, (from assistant, kindergarten, John Marshall District), Sept. 1, 1924.

Lawrence District—Mary R. Quinn, master's assistant (from assistant, Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District), Oct. 23, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term, 1924-25.

Central Evening High School—Louis A. McCoy, Henry P. McLaughlin, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924; Maurice F. Murphy, William J. Roche, Stephen V. White, assistants, Oct. 14, 1924.

Charlestown Evening Commercial High School—Martin P. Higgins, Jr., assistant, Oct. 6, 1924.

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School—Joseph F. Mellyn, Alice G. Porter, assistants, Oct. 7, 1924.

East Boston Evening Commercial High School—Margaret E. Campbell, assistant, Oct. 7, 1924; Fred Holmes, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924; Anna R. Moylan, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924; Bertha M. Swift, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924 (one evening).

Girls' Evening Commercial High School—Mary M. Lee, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924; Bertha M. Swift, assistant,

Oct. 7, 1924; Edward J. Wall, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Joseph A. Donahoe, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924; Walter T. Durnan, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924; Henry R. Gardner, assistant, Oct. 6 to 9, 1924 (three evenings); Helen J. Gilmore, assistant, Oct. 2, 1924; John E. J. Kelley, assistant, Oct. 6 to 9, 1924 (three evenings); Frank E. Lakey, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924 (one evening); Albert F. Reed, assistant, Oct. 6 to 9, 1924 (three evenings); William F. Rice, assistant, Oct. 6 to 9, 1924 (three evenings); Charles F. Winslow, assistant, Oct. 14 and 16, 1924 (two evenings).

South Boston Evening Commercial High School—Emmett J. Reardon, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924.

Bigelow Evening School—Joseph E. Lynch, first assistant, Sept. 29, 1924; Katharine A. Collins, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924; Dorothy F. Maddox, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924.

Bowdoin Evening School—Nora A. Hurley, Elizabeth C. Lawler, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924.

Comins Evening School—Katherine M. Devoy, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924; Margaret M. Fleming, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924; Margaret H. O'Leary, assistant, Oct. 9 to 16, 1924 (three evenings).

Dearborn Evening School—Marion A. Cassidy, assistant, Oct. 16, 1924; Helen C. Larkin, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924.

Edward Everett Evening School—Norine V. Ryan, assistant, Oct. 7, 1924; Veronica M. Ryan, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924.

Eliot Evening School—Mary L. Brennan, Edward W. Feeley, assistants, Oct. 9, 1924; Alice E. Gibbons, assistant, Oct. 16, 1924 (one evening); Agnes M. Lynch, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924 (one evening); Catherine F. Malone, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924.

Franklin Evening School—Mary L. C. Lennon, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924; Katherine V. McKenzie, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924; Francis J. O'Connor, Emma M. Gardner, Alice L. Sheahan, assistants, Oct. 7, 1924.

Frederic W. Lincoln Evening School—Katherine G. Whyte, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924.

Hyde Park Evening School—Isabel E. Ferris, Margaret E. Riley, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924; Edith I. Swanson, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924.

Phillips Brooks Evening School—Katherine G. Austin, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924.

Roger Wolcott Evening School—Frederick A. Dunfey, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924.

Theodore Lyman Evening School—Cornelius G. Cotter, assistant, Oct. 7, 1924; Alice L. Kelly, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924; Barbara McIntyre, Mary M. Mallard, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924; Catherine G. Murray, Francis X. Renahan, Ralph J. Shea, assistants, Oct. 7, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Evening School—Kathryn M. Hubbard, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924; Margaret H. O'Leary, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924; Teresa A. O'Reilly, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924; Elizabeth F. Sweeney, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924; Jennie Wigder, assistant, Oct. 7, 1924.

Washington Evening School—Mary F. Harrington, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924; Mary R. McNamara, William R. Silva, assistants, Oct. 16, 1924; Walter J. Byrnes, Emily M. Desmond, Agnes Forman, David Stern, Thomas J. F. Teehan, Oct. 6, 1924.

Washington Irving Evening School—Priscilla E. Charbonneau, Ellen M. O'Brien, assistants, Oct. 7, 1924. Approved.

DAY CLASSES IN PRACTICAL ARTS.

Term 1924-25.

Nora E. Gateley, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924; Mary T. Norton, assistant, Oct. 22, 1924; Mary M. O'Brien, assistant, Oct. 16, 1924.
Approved.

EXTENDED USE OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Term 1924-25.

(To take effect Oct. 15, 1924.)

Orchestra Leader—George Dickin-son.

Special Leaders—Joseph Ecker, Julia Murphy.

Club Leaders—Marion Atwood, Rose Casassa, Mary De Luca, Anna Gerah, William Hazelboom, John Rand, May Schiveree, Margaret Wood.

General Helpers—Nicholas Cefalo, Joseph Danner, Michael Dolan, Edward Dowd, Frank Fleming, Charles Follansbee, Morris Goldberg, John Keegan, Harry Keenan, Frank Kelliher, John Lane, Alice Mayers, Clifford McCleary, William McNealy, Henry Molledo, David Norton, William Nugent, Freda Regolsky.

Leaders—Charles Atkinson, Henry Bamberg, Claire Carven, Alice Cavanaugh, Anna Comerford, Grace Crowley, Helen Dodd, Agnes Dolan, Michael Dolan, Louise Donnell, Edward Dowd, Edith Fitzgerald, Charles Follansbee, Eva Galasso, Viola Gallagher, Morris Goldberg, William Hughes, Emelia Ippolito, James Keegan, John Keegan, Frank Kelliher, Amelia Massa, Patrick McGuinness, Mary Norton, William Nugent, Sarah Reynolds, Frank Rich, James Sheehan, John Snyder, Mary Sullivan, Daniel Sydleman, John Treanor, Regina Wholley, Mary Sheehan.

Helpers—Mary Abrams, Leon Achorn, Josephine Anderson, Julius Bleiweis, John Brett, Thomas Burns, Mary Carbone, Gerard Cassidy, Joseph Cefalo, Augustine Charbonnier, Martha Chase, Margaret Conboy, Isabelle Coveney, Michael Dolan, Charles Donovan, Edward Dowd, Margaret Fitzgerald, Elizabeth Flood, Charles Follansbee, Stella Freicz, Alfonso Gagliolo, Gertrude Gallagher, Margaret Gallagher, Otis Gill, John Glennon, Morris Goldberg, Julia Goodwin, James Gookin, Mary Granaro, Christopher Grant, Fred Guinnasso, Mildred Hickey, Peter Hines, Jeanne Hoffman, Anna Hurley, Harriet Hutchings, Bridget Keane, John Keegan, James Kelley, Frank Kelliher, Otto Krafft, John Lane, Frank Leonard, Dennis Long, Mary McDermott, Elizabeth McNamara, John Monahan, Thomas Mooney, Mary Morris, Anna Murphy, William Nugent, Daniel O'Keefe, Imogene Owen, Timothy Murphy, Helen Prendible, Enid Rand, Marie Reardon, Elsie Reay, Dreda Reynolds, Gertrude Rotch, Irving Seigel, Catherine Stroup, Ellen Sullivan, Nellie Thorndike, Muriel Walker, Frank Ward, Irene Whitten, Forest Woodward.

Attendants — Eleanor Bonnie, Emily Brady, Ethel Brannen, Helen Calhoun, Isabel Connelly, Adelaide Connors, Edward Dowd, Genevieve Conroy, Palmira Dellamano, Michael Dolan, Morris Goldberg, Marion Hickey, John Keegan, Frank Kelliher, John Lane, William Nugent, Anna McLaughlin, Annie Regan, Celie Resnick, John Roach, Alice Sullivan, Louis Swett, Mary Sydleman.

ASSISTANT LEADERS—Anna Corsano, May McManus.
ASSISTANT HELPERS—Morris Goldberg, Effie Persons.
Approved.

ATTENDANTS, SCHOOL LUNCHES.

Bigelow District (Hawes Hall School)—Norah Connelly, Sept. 15, 1924.

Dwight District (Dwight School)—Rose Perham, Oct. 6, 1924.

Frank V. Thompson Intermediate District (Frank V. Thompson School)—Gertrude R. Hennessey, Sept. 9, 1924.

Franklin District (John J. Williams School)—Mary C. Donahoe, Oct. 6, 1924.

Franklin District (Wait School)—Elizabeth Tyner, Oct. 14, 1924.

Rice District (George Bancroft School)—Anna M. Corbett, Sept. 15, 1924; (Rice School)—Anna M. Hurley, Sept. 15, 1924.

Sherwin District (Ira Allen School)—Susan Heuser, Oct. 6, 1924.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

John J. Assmus, Lillian G. Arrell, Warren E. Bumpus, Theresa C. Barry, Mabel T. Beaton, Andre Beauvievier, Matthew Butler, Frank L. Carr, Marion J. Champion, Julia H. Collins, John J. Connolly, Mary J. Connors, Ruth Margaret Costello, John J. Coughlin, Edwin L. Crowley, Helen W. Currier, Edna U. Delahanty, Sarah M. Delahanty, Albert H. dePropper, John B. Dunne, Elizabeth Falvey, Hattie E. Fisher, Sarah J. Fleming, Helen L. Flynn, Lester J. Flynn, Grace M. Fogarty, Robert Fynn, Miriam U. Gallagher, Martha Geer, Eleanor J. Glynn, Catherine M. Griffin, Jennie Hadley, Henry E. Hartman, Helen Hazen, Frank A. Hurley, Laura H. Johnston, Katherine F. Kelley, Mary P. Kennedy, Margaret M. Kirby, Margaret LaLiberte, Louise C. Leary, Helen F. Lougee, Helen J. Lynch, Mary F. Lyons, Eleanor J. Maguire, John P. McMahon, Frances Meade, James E. Mulvanity, Mary C. McKay, Francis X. Mooney, Anna R. Moylan, Feodore M. Nicholls, Helen Nutt, Hazel F. O'Brien, Marie G. O'Brien, Cornelius J. O'Connell, Ethel Odum, Lois Oliver, Agnes O'Neil, Katherine E. Phelan, Ellen Phillimore, Josephine Reed, Margaret L. Reed, Elizabeth F. Regan, Esther T. Riggs, Philip H. Riley, Winifred Slocum, Lewette Spence, Rosemary Stack, Evelyn M. Strahl, Katherine D. Sullivan, John P. Sweeney, Mary M. Stavrinis, Mary M. Telfer, Harriet Tiffany, Mary W. Tucker, Dorothy F. R. Underhill, Stephen Velardo, Thomas F. Walsh, Doris E. Ward, Jennie A. Williston, Elsie Smith Woods, Lucy Wright.

Approved.

TRANSFERS.

East Boston High School—Mildred P. Cummings, junior assistant, to the same position in the Frigh-ton High School, Oct. 1, 1924.

Dillaway District—Helen R. Pengilly, assistant, to the same position in the Martin District, Oct. 20, 1924.

Eliot District—Frances R. Kent, assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Oliver Hazard Perry District, Oct. 20, 1924; Bereneice E. Reardon, assistant, to the same position in the Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District, Oct. 20, 1924.

Gaston District—Edith M. Allen, assistant, to the same position in the Longfellow District, Oct. 20, 1924.

Minot District—Emily F. McLaughlin, assistant, kindergarten, to the same position in the Eliot District, Oct. 20, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Evening School—Mary G. Murphy, assistant, to the same position in the Cornins Evening School, Oct. 21, 1924.
Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Girls' Latin School—Mary D. Dayenport, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924, one day, without pay; Ernest G. Hapgood, head master, Oct. 24, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (to serve on committee of College Entrance Examination Board).

South Boston High School—Ida Cohen, junior assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Boston Trade School—Andrew Roswall, division head, Oct. 1, 1924, one day, without pay.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Harry Brooks, sub-master in charge, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Elizabeth A. Lyons, first assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 14, 1924, one day, wedding; Adelaide G. Nelson, assistant, Oct. 7, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Sadie R. Siegel, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Mabel E. Vaughn, assistant, Oct. 2, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Bowdoin District—Bertha G. Burger, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Eva Chofnas, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Ella C. Rosengard, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Dearborn District—Katharine A. Regan, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Dwight District—Sara Mock, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Gilbert Stuart District—Bessie I. Breslasky, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Hancock District—Jennie E. Breth, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Mary B. Waldstein, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Henry Grew District—Alice L. Devery, assistant, Oct. 10, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Henry L. Pierce District—Dora Slepian, assistant, Oct. 19, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Hyde District—Caspar Isham, master, Oct. 9, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Mather District—Doris S. Kennedy, assistant, Oct. 10, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Rena Lewis, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Gertrude N. Mendel, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Helen Weisman, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Rice District—Eva Gordon, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Samuel Adams District—Ruth M. Haynes, assistant, Oct. 10, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Thomas N. Hart District—Mary B. Powers, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924, one day, funeral.

Wells District—Ida Burgen, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Helen J. Hiron, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Ida Mondlick, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Sarah Smith, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Wendell Phillips District—Minnie W. Silverman, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Florence Herbsman, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Annie F. Kinsley, teacher of cookery, Oct. 6, 1924, one-half day, wedding; Margaret T. McCormick, teacher of sewing, Oct. 14, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Sarah M. Cahoon, school nurse, Sept. 26, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

ASSIGNMENTS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned the following-named teachers to classes attended exclusively by boys in grades above the third, in the districts herein stated:

Wendell Phillips District—Pauline V. Burns, assistant, Nov. 20, 1922.

Wendell Phillips District—Edna D. Taylor, assistant, Nov. 22, 1922.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting that he has assigned the following-named junior assistants to the schools indicated on the dates stated, said assignments to be without change of rank or salary:

Public Latin School—Matthew P. Butler, to East Boston High School, Sept. 10 to Oct. 5, 1924 and Oct. 8, 1924; Quincy District, Oct. 6, 1924; Continuation School, Oct. 7, 1924.

Mechanic Arts High School—Gerald F. Coughlin, to Dorchester High School, Sept. 8, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—Margaret M. Crowley, to Henry Grew District, Sept. 8 and 9, 1924; Norcross District, Sept. 15, 1924.

East Boston High School—Mildred P. Cummings to Edmund P. Tileston District, Sept. 22, to 30, 1924.

Mechanic Arts High School—Edward W. Giblin to Blackinton-John Cheverus District, Sept. 8, 1924.

Roxbury High School—Alice P. Hennessey to Bennett District, Sept. 8 and 9, 1924; Jamaica Plain High School, Sept. 10, 11 and 12, 1924.

Mechanic Arts High School—George J. Kearns to East Boston High School, Sept. 9 to 12, 1924.

Abraham Lincoln District—Madelon A. Kelley to Franklin District, Sept. 15 to 19, 1924.

Placed on file and the assignments approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Mary F. Thornton, assistant, Elihu Greenwood District, to the Amos Webster Prevocational Center, to take effect Sept. 9, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file and the assignment approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has reassigned Mary L. Thurston, assistant, Eliot District, to special classes, John Marshall District, without change of rank or salary. said reassignment to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, and to continue through Oct. 20, 1924.

Placed on file and the reassignment approved.

A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Jane G. Maguire, assistant, Dudley District, to the Miles Standish Prevocational Center, to take effect Oct. 21, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the Board.

Placed on file and the assignment approved.

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting the following designations of teachers to serve in the positions indicated, until such time as they shall be filled in accordance with the rules and regulations:

Sherwin District—Catherine G. Sheahan, assistant, as acting master's assistant (vice Della A. Cunningham, absent on leave), Sept. 9, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Frances Dvilnsky, assistant kindergarten—two sessions, as acting first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions, (vice Grace S. Mansfield, absent on leave), Oct. 21, 1924.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board he has made the following designations of acting co-ordinators, for service in the schools indicated; said designations to take effect Sept. 1, 1924:

Brighton High School—William M. Rogers, Co-operative Instructor.

Dorchester High School—Arlon O. Bacon, Co-operative Instructor.

East Boston High School—Walter H. Naylor, Junior Master.

Jamaica Plain High School—Thomas P. Dooley, Junior Master.

Placed on file and the assignments approved.

EMPLOYMENT OF ADDITIONAL ASSISTANT IN SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of an additional assistant in the office of the Superintendent is hereby authorized, to take effect Oct. 15, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT AND MESSENGER SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board and with the approval of the Commissioner, Department of Correction, he has appointed Irene A. Carmody as assistant in the office of the Superintendent, by transfer from the Department of Correction, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to take effect Oct. 15, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Irene A. Carmody, assistant in the

office of the Superintendent, is hereby established at the rate of twenty dollars (\$20) per week, to take effect Oct. 15, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting that he has provisionally appointed Thomas F. Barry as messenger in the offices of the Superintendent and the Secretary, to take effect Oct. 14, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Thomas F. Barry, messenger in the offices of the Superintendent and Secretary, is hereby established at the rate of fifteen dollars (\$15) per week, to take effect Oct. 14, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

PAYMENT OF SALARY DUE EMMA FRYE.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the salary due Emma Frye, late assistant in the Dearborn District, be paid to her sister, Alice Frye.

CONDUCT OF COURSE IN AMERICANIZATION.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the period Sept. 1, 1924, to Jan. 31, 1925, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to employ Caroline A. Shay, assistant in charge, Day School for Immigrants, on part time in The Teachers College of the City of Boston to give a course in Americanization, and that she allowed and paid, in addition to the regular salary of her rank, the sum of ninety-six dollars (\$96) for such services.

SALARIES OF CERTAIN KINDERGARTEN TEACHERS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Helen Sawyer, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Dillaway District, is hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, one thousand three hundred and sixty-eight dollars (\$1,368) per annum, to take effect Oct. 20, 1924; that she be placed upon the fourth year of the salary of the rank, namely, one thousand four hundred sixty-four dollars (\$1,464) per annum, to take effect Nov. 1, 1924; and that she be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Ellen P. Coleran, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Jefferson-Comins District, is hereby placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Oct. 14, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,752), to take effect Oct. 14, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Mabel G. Berry, first assistant, kindergarten, (two sessions), Julia Ward Howe District, is hereby placed upon the third year

of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,920) per annum, to take effect Oct. 15, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Oct. 15, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Bertha K. Rice, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Martin District, is hereby placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Oct. 20, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,752) per annum, to take effect Oct. 20, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Leone C. Sheen, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Robert Gould Shaw District, is hereby placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred and fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Oct. 20, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,752) per annum, to take effect Oct. 20, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Isabel E. Olney, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Washington Allston District, is hereby placed upon the fourth year of the salary of the rank, namely, fourteen hundred sixty-four dollars (\$1,464) per annum, to take effect Oct. 20, 1924, that she be placed upon the fifth year of the salary of the rank, namely, fifteen hundred sixty dollars (\$1,560) per annum, to take effect Nov. 1, 1924; and that she be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

EMPLOYMENT OF TEACHER IN AFTERNOON CLASS IN LIP READING, HORACE MANN SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, the employment of Mabel F. Dunn, as teacher in the afternoon class in lip-reading, Horace Mann School, is hereby authorized, to take effect Oct. 8, 1924; compensation for such service to be at the rate of three dollars (\$3) for each period of service.

PUBLIC SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP, SEPT. 30, 1924.

A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of Oct. 20, 1924, submitting a statement of the number of pupils belonging to the Boston public day schools, exclusive of the Continuation School, on September 30, 1924, together with a comparative statement of the number belonging on September 30, 1923, as follows:

The total number belonging in the Boston public day schools on September 30, 1924, was 126,502, which is 2,135 more pupils than were enrolled in the schools on September 30, 1923. The Teachers College of the City of Boston shows an increase of 129 pupils; high and Latin an in-

crease of 578 pupils; in the ninth grade intermediate schools there is an increase of 220 pupils; in grades one to eight there is an increase of 628 pupils; in the special schools there is an increase of 93 pupils, and in the kindergartens an increase of 487 pupils. Were the figures for the ninth grade intermediate schools included in the membership of the day high schools, the high schools would show an increase of 798 pupils.

In the Continuation School the membership on September 30, 1924, was 732 less than on September 30, 1923. On September 30, 1924, it was 3,618 against 4,350 for September 30, 1923. In the Training School for Teachers of Mechanic Arts, there was a membership of 21 pupils on September 30, 1924, as against 20 on September 30, 1923. A distribution of the increases in membership for 1923 and 1924 is shown by the following table:

INCREASES			
	1923	1924	
The Teachers College of the City of Boston	82	129	
Latin and Day High Schools	90*	578	
Day Elementary Schools:			
Ninth grade intermediate classes	180	220	
Grades I to VIII, inclusive	1,699	628	
Kindergartens	127*	487	
Special Schools	37	93	
Net Increase	1,781	2,135	

*Decrease.

GENERAL SUMMARY			
	1923	1924	Inc. Dec.
The Teachers College of the City of Boston	496	625	129 ...
High and Latin	21,889	22,467	578 ...
Day Elementary Schools:			
Ninth Grade Intermediate	2,176	2,396	220 ...
Grades I to VIII inclusive	90,545	91,173	628 ...
Kindergartens	7,821	8,308	487 ...
Special Schools	1,440	1,533	93 ...
Totals	124,367	126,502	2,135 ...

SUMMARY BY SECTIONS			
	1923	1924	Inc. Dec.
The Teachers College of the City of Boston	496	625	129 ...
High and Latin	21,889	22,467	578 ...
Elementary Schools:			
East Boston	11,242	11,544	302 ...
Charlestown	3,925	4,001	76 ...
North End	5,700	5,417	283 ...
West End	5,857	5,516	341 ...
City Proper	4,306	4,195	111 ...
South End	4,242	4,229	13 ...
South Boston	9,298	9,200	98 ...
Roxbury	15,932	16,541	609 ...
Brighton	4,860	4,943	83 ...
West Roxbury	3,081	3,474	393 ...
Dorchester	24,541	25,215	674 ...
Hyde Park	2,558	2,602	44 ...
Special Schools	1,440	1,533	93 ...
Totals	124,367	126,502	2,135 ...

STATEMENT BY SCHOOLS AND DISTRICTS			
A—HIGH AND LATIN SCHOOLS			
Schools	1923	1924	Inc. Dec.
Public Latin	1,347	1,396	49 ...
Girls' Latin	906	941	35 ...
Brighton High	848	931	83 ...
Charlestown High	764	867	103 ...
Dorchester High	2,258	2,532	274 ...
East Boston High	1,159	1,154	5 ...
English High	3,095	3,281	186 ...
Girls' High	2,588	2,569	19 ...
High School of Commerce	1,626	1,419	207 ...
High School of Practical Arts	1,057	1,036	21 ...
Hyde Park High	1,022	1,013	9 ...
Jamaica Plain High	1,201	1,172	29 ...
Mechanic Arts High	1,612	1,660	48 ...
Roxbury High	1,565	1,645	80 ...
South Boston High	841	871	30 ...
Totals	21,889	22,467	578 ...

B—ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS			
District	1923	1924	Inc. Dec.
East Boston—			
Blackinton—John			
Cheverus	1,741	1,799	58 ...
Chapman	1,294	1,398	104 ...
Emerson	1,633	1,615	18 ...
Samuel Adams	3,217	3,280	63 ...
Theodore Lyman	1,701	1,727	26 ...
Ulysses S. Grant	1,656	1,725	69 ...

District	1923	1924	Inc. Dec.
Charlestown—			
Harvard—Frothingham	1,363	1,388	25 ...
Prescott	811	817	6 ...
Warren—Bunker Hill	1,751	1,796	45 ...
North End—			
Elliot	3,054	2,910	144 ...
Hancock	2,646	2,507	139 ...
West End—			
Bowdoin	785	750	35 ...
Washington	1,878	1,773	105 ...
Wells	1,815	1,688	127 ...
Wendell Phillips	1,379	1,305	74 ...
City Proper—			
Abraham Lincoln	2,034	1,888	146 ...
Prince	1,155	1,188	33 ...
Quincy	1,117	1,119	2 ...
South End—			
Dwight	993	961	32 ...
Everett	1,033	1,009	24 ...
Franklin	1,137	1,119	18 ...
Rice	1,079	1,140	61 ...
South Boston—			
Bigelow	1,052	1,066	14 ...
Frederic W. Lincoln	755	740	15 ...
Gaston	1,137	1,089	48 ...
John A. Andrew	1,201	1,151	50 ...
Lawrence	889	887	2 ...
Norcross	1,198	1,242	44 ...
Oliver Hazard Perry	807	764	43 ...
Shurtleff	1,123	1,175	52 ...
Thomas N. Hart	1,136	1,086	50 ...
Roxbury—			
Dearborn	2,035	2,022	13 ...
Dillway	1,316	1,336	20 ...
Dudley	1,295	1,353	58 ...
Hugh O'Brien	1,709	1,945	236 ...
Hyde	765	802	37 ...
Jefferson-Comins	1,461	1,516	55 ...
Julia Ward Howe	1,125	1,165	40 ...
Lewis Intermediate	1,931	2,010	79 ...
Martin	693	719	26 ...
Sherwin	953	985	32 ...
Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate	1,511	1,564	53 ...
William Lloyd Garrison	1,138	1,124	14 ...
Brighton—			
Bennett	1,988	2,004	16 ...
Thomas Gardner	1,544	1,587	43 ...
Washington Allston	1,328	1,352	24 ...
West Roxbury—			
Agassiz	767	778	11 ...
Bowditch	1,134	1,090	44 ...
Charles Sumner	1,070	1,002	68 ...
Francis Parkman	799	830	31 ...
Longfellow	1,480	1,292	188 ...
Lowell	1,285	1,193	92 ...
Robert Gould Shaw	1,546	1,592	46 ...
Washington Irving	697	697	...
Dorchester—			
Christopher Gibson	1,036	1,133	97 ...
Edmund P. Tilton	1,060	1,148	88 ...
Edward Everett	1,625	1,664	39 ...
Frank V. Thompson Intermediate	746	987	241 ...
Gilbert Stuart	772	772	...
Henry L. Pierce	1,833	1,828	5 ...
John Marshall	1,503	1,570	67 ...
John Winthrop	1,838	1,797	41 ...
Mary Hemenway	2,251	2,195	56 ...
Mather	2,677	2,704	27 ...
Minot	629	612	17 ...
Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate	1,009	998	11 ...
Phillips Brooks	1,687	1,763	76 ...
Roger Wolcott	2,397	2,429	32 ...
William E. Endicott	2,486	2,623	137 ...
William E. Russell	992	992	...
Hyde Park—			
Elihu Greenwood	1,423	1,456	33 ...
Henry Grew	1,135	1,146	11 ...
Totals	100,542	101,877	2,954 1619
C—SPECIAL SCHOOLS			
Boston Trade School	468	484	16 ...
Trade School for Girls	561	614	53 ...
Horace Mann	158	148	10 ...
Boston Clerical	228	254	26 ...
Boston Disciplinary Day	25	33	8 ...
Totals	1,440	1,533	103 10

Placed on file.

ADDITIONAL SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, recommending, in accordance with the provisions of Section 127 of the rules, the passage of the accompanying or-

der amending Item 29 of the 1924 list of additional school accommodations.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Item 29 of the 1924 list of additional school accommodations is hereby amended to read as follows:

Item 29, 1924—Henry Grew District, Hyde Park: Land and construction of thirty-six class-room high school for boys and girls.....\$30,000
Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare and Sullivan—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Dr. Scannell—1.

AMENDMENT TO RULES AND REGULATIONS.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, recommending the amendment of Section 319, paragraph 2, of the regulations, which paragraph describes the conditions for the granting of credit on the salary schedule upon entrance into Boston service.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 319, paragraph 2. Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof the following:

2. If such teachers and members of the supervising staff are receiving or have received within eighteen months a salary equal to or in excess of the minimum salary of the rank to which they may be appointed, they shall be placed upon that year of the salary schedule which most nearly approaches and which is in excess of the highest annual salary they have received in a teaching position within the eighteen months immediately preceding the date of their appointment, provided that salaries may be based upon the regular annual compensation received in positions identical with or definitely related to the instruction which teachers are to give.

Laid over.

AMENDMENT TO RULES AND REGULATIONS.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, recommending the passage of accompanying orders to provide for the discontinuance of the rank of instructor in personal and shop hygiene in the Trade School for Girls, and the substitution of authorization for the employment of an assistant instructor in physical training.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rules and regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 80, paragraph XXXIV. Strike out the second and third paragraphs, which describe the eligibility requirements for the certificate XXXIV. Day and Evening Industrial Schools, Physical Training, and substitute in place thereof — Certificate discontinued, October, 1924—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

XXXIV. Day and Evening Industrial Schools, Physical Training: To teachers of physical training in day and evening industrial schools.

Certificate discontinued, October, 1924.

Section 290, paragraph 4. Strike out the paragraph, and renumber paragraphs 5 and 6 as paragraphs 4 and 5, respectively.

Section 294, paragraph 4. Insert the words—One assistant (physical training) or—at the beginning of the paragraph, so that the paragraph will read as follows:

4. One assistant (physical training) or one instructor or assistant instructor of physical training in day intermediate schools.

Insert the following new paragraph as paragraph 5; and renumber paragraph 5 as paragraph 6:

5. One assistant instructor of physical training in the Trade School for Girls.

Laid over.

ESTABLISHMENT OF RANK AND SALARY OF STUDENT AID, TRADE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, EXTENSION CLASSES.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, recommending that the regulations be amended so as to include the rank of student aid in the Extension Classes, Trade School for Girls, and that the compensation for this rank be established at the rate of two dollars (\$2) per evening.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 290. At the close of paragraph 6 (renumbered paragraph 5), add the following—There shall be as many students aids as the superintendent may from time to time appoint, subject to the approval of the Board—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Extension Classes.

5. In the Trade School for Girls, extension classes, assistants in charge; assistants; and second assistants may be appointed. There shall be as many student aids as the superintendent may from time to time appoint, subject to the approval of the Board.

Laid over.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the compensation for the rank of student aid in the Trade School for Girls, Extension Classes, is hereby established at the rate of two dollars (\$2) per evening.

Laid over.

ELIGIBLE LIST.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting that it has amended School Document No. 13, 1924—List of Candidates Eligible for Appointment as Teachers, as follows:

Page 24—Kindergarten certificates Examined Candidates. 782. Dorothy Dudley. Name removed by request.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting the removal from the eligible list of holders of the certificate XI. Special: Physical Training, Day High Schools, of the name of Ruth P. Sweet, with a rating of 877, because of failure of the candidate to furnish certain required credentials.

Placed on file.

AUTHORIZED LIST OF TEXT AND SUPPLEMENTARY BOOKS.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, recommending the passage of the accompanying orders to make available for use in the co-operative industrial courses in day high schools, all text and supplementary books authorized for use in the Boston Trade School, and to make available for use in the Training School for Teachers of Mechanic Arts, all text and supplementary books authorized for use in The Teachers College of the City of Boston.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That all text and supplementary books authorized for use in The Teachers College of the City of Boston are hereby authorized for use in the Training School for Teachers of Mechanic Arts.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That all text and supplementary books authorized for use in the Boston Trade School are hereby authorized for use in the co-operative industrial courses of day high schools.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO OCT. 1, 1924.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Sept. 30, 1924, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, expenditures and balances of the first eight months of the current financial year, the expenditures for the corresponding eight months of the financial year 1923-24, with the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

RETIREMENT OF A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named member of the Boston Retirement System:

Timothy D. Murphy, custodian, Theodore Lyman School-house, Oct. 31, 1924.

Placed on file.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, recommending that Edward J. Harold, custodian, Hancock School-house, be granted a further leave of absence for one year without pay, beginning Oct. 20, 1924.

Placed on file, and leave of absence without pay granted for the period specified.

TRANSFER OF A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, submitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Edward Everett School-house, and recommending that Jeremiah J. Murphy, custodian of the Sarah J. Baker School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Oct. 19, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Jeremiah J. Murphy approved, to take effect on the date stated.

REPORT OF TRIAL BOARD

A communication was received from the Trial Board, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, to whom was referred at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1924 (see p. 210), a communication from the Schoolhouse Custodian preferring charges of neglect of duty against Martin W. Green, custodian, Stephen M. Weld Schoolhouse, reporting that a hearing on the matter was held on Oct. 18, 1924, which was attended by the custodian concerned and by the Schoolhouse Custodian.

It appears from the evidence that the custodian failed to appear at the school building before the opening of school on the morning of Thursday, Sept. 18, 1924. On Monday, Sept. 29, 1924, the custodian again failed to report at the building and it was not until noon that the Schoolhouse Custodian received a telephone message that Mr. Green was ill in bed. The next day the custodian's keys were delivered at the office of the Schoolhouse Custodian, and the messenger was informed that the Schoolhouse Custodian had suspended Mr. Green for a period of ten days. Mr. Green, because of his physical condition, extended the ten days' enforced absence on account of suspension by a further period of five days, so that he has actually lost fifteen days' pay.

In view of the facts as presented at the meeting, the Trial Board is of the opinion that Mr. Green has been sufficiently penalized by loss of pay for fifteen days, and is inclined to further leniency.

FINDING—That the custodian is guilty of the charges preferred against him in failing to report for duty at the specified hour on September 18 and 29, 1924, and of giving no advance notification to the Schoolhouse Custodian.

RECOMMENDATION — That no further financial penalty be imposed, but that the custodian be severely reprimanded for his failure to comply with the established regulations governing attendance at school buildings and notification in advance of absence to the Schoolhouse Custodian, and that he be informed that a repetition of the charges against him, if sustained, will cause the Trial Board to recommend indefinite suspension.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

PETITION OF BOSTON TEACHERS' CLUB FOR INCREASE IN SALARIES.

A communication was received from the Boston Teachers' Club, under date of Sept. 30, 1924, reporting that there was great disappointment and dissatisfaction last June because only the higher paid teachers received an increase in salary, although the Club felt that this action of the Board could be intended only as the beginning of an advance all along the line; and asking, first that the elementary teachers receive not less than those of Cleveland, Newark, and Minneapolis, and second, that the principle of equal pay for equal work be recognized and applied throughout the system.

Placed on file.

APPRECIATION OF ELECTION OF WOMAN AS SECRETARY.

A communication was received from the Boston Teachers' Club, under date of Sept. 30, 1924, reporting

that its Board of Directors voted to extend to the School Committee appreciation of the promoting of a woman to the position of Secretary, the Board interpreting this vote as recognition of service without discrimination as to sex, and as the creation of additional opportunity for the advancement of women to administrative positions.

Placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Mr. Sullivan asked leave to withdraw the order introduced by him at the meeting of July 14, 1924 (see pp. 165-6), amending Chapter IX. of the rules, relative to the duties of the salary board.

Leave was granted, and the order was accordingly placed on file.

The order laid over at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1924 (see p. 207), amending section 80, paragraphs IV., X., and XI. of the rules was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1924 (see p. 208), amending section 281, paragraph 5 of the regulations, relative to the quota of pupils, Martin District, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1924 (see p. 208), amending section 300, paragraph 22 of the regulations, establishing a board of examiners, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1924 (see p. 208), amending section 318, paragraph 1 of the regulations, relative to the salaries of teachers during the first year of service, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1924 (see p. 209), amending section 99, paragraph 1 of the rules, relative to the date of estimates of the Business Agent, was taken up and passed.

The four orders laid over at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1924 (see pp. 204-5), making changes in the authorized list of text and supplementary books, were taken up and passed unanimously.

ELECTION OF ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT.

On motion, the Board proceeded to the election of an Assistant Superintendent, for the term Dec. 1, 1924 to Aug. 31, 1930.

The members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows:

For MICHAEL J. DOWNEY—Messrs. Bogan, O'Hare and Sullivan—3.

NOT VOTING—Miss Curtis—1.

ABSENT—Dr. Scannell—1.

The Chairman declared Michael J. Downey duly elected Assistant Superintendent for the term specified.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Secretary.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES.

The American Literary Association announces a series of lectures on the Art of Poetry, to which the public is cordially invited, to be given in the Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library on Saturday afternoons at four o'clock. The subjects and dates are as follows:

Saturday, December 13, at 4 p. m. "The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique." Miss Helen Archibald Clarke.

Saturday, January 17, 1925, at 4 p. m. "The Immutable Laws of Great Poetry." E. Charlton Black, Professor of English Literature, Boston University.

It is the purpose of the American Literary Association, a national organization with numerous local chapters, to stimulate interest in American poetry, and especially to assist in bringing the little-known American poets to wider public notice. It awards prizes for poetic excellence; it supplies expert criticism; it publishes the "American Poetry Magazine"; it holds public meetings; it welcomes as members not only students and writers, but all who may be in any way interested in the subject of poetry.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the Board of Street Commissioners of the City of Boston, I will sell at public auction on Friday, November 14, 1924, at 3 o'clock p. m. such buildings as project over on the highway of Court street where land was taken for the widening of said street, under order of August 20, 1924. The properties are numbered as follows: Nos. 82, 86, 88, 90, 102, 104, 108, 110, 122, 136, 146, 158, 166 and 103, 107, 109, 115 Court street. The purchasers of said buildings and the parts of said buildings projecting over the highways as above mentioned are forthwith to remove and cut off the same to the new lines of the highway as above mentioned, work to start immediately. Terms, cash at time of sale, and a bond must be furnished to the city to protect it from all damage caused by the demolishing of said buildings and work must be completed by December 14, 1924.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
333 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
(Nov. 8.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 30, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Theodore Parker road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Weld street to Halford road, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints eleven o'clock a. m. of November 12, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Nov. 8.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 30, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Nathan street, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Patten street to Eldridge road, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvement, and that it appoints eleven o'clock a. m. of November 12, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Nov. 8.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GASOLINE.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the various city departments:

75,000 gallons, more or less, of gasoline.

to be delivered within the period from December 1, 1924, to January 31, 1925, with an option to renew for the balance of the fiscal year, according to specifications, a copy of which may be seen at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the Supply Department, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The bid, with a certified check for \$300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, before Friday, November 14, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Nov. 8.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN BILLINGS LANE, MAYNARD STREET, SCHIRMER ROAD, WEST ROXBURY; ELIZABETH AVENUE AND GOODENOUGH STREET, BRIGHTON, AND FRIENDSHIP ROAD, HYDE PARK.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 2,700 feet of 8-inch and 10-inch water pipe in Billings lane, Maynard street, Schirmer road, West Roxbury; Elizabeth avenue and Goodenough street, Brighton, and Friendship road, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-five hundred (2,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Billings Lane, etc." and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, November 14, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, November 6, 1924. (Nov. 8.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

EMPLOYEES' CREDIT UNION.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

BOSTON, MASS., November 1, 1924

The tenth annual meeting of the City of Boston Employees' Credit Union will be held Tuesday, November 18, 1924, at 4.15 p. m., in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Boston.

CHRISTOPHER J. FITZGERALD,
(Nov. 8-15.) *Clerk.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

BIDS FOR WALL FINISH.

The Transit Department of the City of Boston, 1 Beacon street, seventh floor, invites bids from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, to furnish all materials for and apply wall finish, consisting of white cement plaster, white glazed tile, tile borders of red glazed tile and red and white glazed ceramic tile, on the walls, ceilings and parapets of the new stairway No. 5 and the passageway leading to the west bound platform of the Park Street Under Station of the Cambridge Connection. A bond of an approved surety company will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in a sum of 35 per cent of the bid. Bids should be filled out and signed by the bidder on forms to be obtained at this office, inclosed in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid for wall finish," and delivered to the department or to its secretary before 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, November 18, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read, with a properly certified check in the sum of three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the contract, within the time prescribed after the date of the notification by the department of the acceptance of the proposal and the readiness of the contract for signature, is not executed by the bidder. Bids must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. Plans can be seen, and bids, specifications and forms of contract can be obtained, at this office. The department reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to award the contract as is deemed to be for the best interest of the City of Boston.

By order of the CITY OF BOSTON TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

(Nov. 8-15.) EDWARD F. CONDON,
Secretary.

NOTICE.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, November 5, 1924.

Voted, That public notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city public convenience requires the making of specific repairs on the northerly and easterly sides of Faneuil Hall, consisting of the widening of the sidewalks, utilizing for said purpose three feet of the roadway now paved with granite blocks, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of November 19, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(Nov. 8-15.) *Secretary.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, November 5, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city public convenience and necessity require that a building line be established on the westerly side of Washington street, Boston proper, between Ordway place and Bromfield street, substantially parallel with and distant approximately four and one-half feet from the westerly exterior side line of said street, as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for the making of said improvement, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of November 19, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(Nov. 8-15.) *Secretary.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

BIDS FOR BUILDING SECTION K, DORCHESTER TUNNEL.

The Transit Department of the City of Boston, 1 Beacon street, seventh floor, invites bids from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for building Section K, Dorchester Tunnel. This section is located in and near Boston street, Power street and Dorchester avenue, and is about 1,300 feet in length. The structure is to be mainly of reinforced concrete and structural steel. The work also includes an open incline, sewer changes and additions, bridge changes, removal of structures, regrading, etc. A bond of an approved surety company will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in a sum of 35 per cent of the bid. Bids should be filled out and signed by the bidder on forms to be obtained at this office, inclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed, "Bid for building Section K, Dorchester Tunnel," and delivered to the department or to its secretary before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, November 25, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read, with a properly certified check in the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the contract, within the time prescribed after the date of the notification by the department of the acceptance of the proposal and the readiness of the contract for signature, is not executed by the bidder. Bids must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. Plans can be seen, and bids, specifications and forms of contract can be obtained, at this office. The department reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to award the contract as is deemed to be for the best interest of the City of Boston.

By order of the CITY OF BOSTON TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

(Nov. 8-15.) EDWARD F. CONDON,
Secretary.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals to erect and complete, including the plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating work, the new Police Headquarters Building, corner of Stuart and Berkeley streets, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Public Buildings therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Wednesday, November 19, 1924 at said office with a certified check for \$25,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as above indicated, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, before the time of opening the bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$50 will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.
(Nov. 8-15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, October 30, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a lot of land on Armandine street, next west of the property numbered 95 on said street, Dorchester district, containing approximately 7,528 square feet more or less for school purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m. of November 18, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(Nov. 8.) *Secretary.*

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Michael H. Loonie has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing a granite block pavement in Neponset avenue, from Minot street to Neponset Bridge approach. Items ordered: Reset edgestone, relay artificial stone sidewalks and bar out and relay granite block paving at Boston Elevated car station. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$250.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS (NONEDUCATIONAL).

SECOND LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT, HEAD-QUARTERS AT BOSTON, MASS. RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS TO CLOSE DECEMBER 15, 1924.

Positions and salaries.

Second officer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,740-\$1,800 a year; mate of light vessel,* \$1,860 a year; assistant engineer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,800-\$1,920 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel,* \$1,800-\$1,940 a year; mate of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year.

For the positions marked * applicants are required to have an appropriate license; for the positions marked † no license is required.

Assistant lighthouse keeper, \$900-\$1,080 a year.

Form 1025 required. Applicants must be qualified boatmen.

Depot keeper, \$1,560-\$1,620 a year.

Applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position where a knowledge of lighthouse material or similar material would be gained.

Medical examination of appointees. In view of the benefits granted employees under employees' compensation and retirement legislation, persons appointed may be given a medical examination by a physician in the Federal Service before entering on duty.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces open competitive examinations for the positions listed above. From the registers resulting from these examinations certification will be made to fill existing and future vacancies at the places and salaries indicated or at higher or lower salaries.

Citizenship and Sex.—All citizens of the United States who meet the requirements, both men and women, may enter these examinations; appointing officers, however, have the legal right to specify the sex desired in requesting certification of eligibles. Male eligibles are desired for the positions named hereon unless otherwise indicated.

Subjects and Weights.—Applicants will not be assembled for a written examination. The examination will consist of the subjects mentioned below, which will have the relative weights indicated:

Subjects: 1. Physical ability, 40; 2. Training and experience, 60; total, 100.

Training and Experience.—For the positions marked "(a)" applicants must have had at least one year's experience in the occupation for which application is made.

For the positions marked "(b)" applicants must have completed an apprenticeship or its equivalent in the trade for which application is filed.

For the positions marked "(c)" applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position similar to that for which application is filed.

All statements relating to training and experience are accepted subject to verification. No applicant will be eligible for appointment who fails to attain a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of training and experience and a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of physical ability.

Physical Requirements.—The following physical defects will debar applicants from any examination: Bright's disease; malignant tumor (cancer, etc.); diabetes; epilepsy; any abnormal hardening of the arteries (arteriosclerosis); transmissible disease, including syphilis, gonorrhea, and chancre, also tuberculosis (active or arrested for a period of less than one year); insanity or mental illness sufficiently definite to affect the usefulness of applicant; seriously defective vision of both eyes, in correctible by glasses; progressive myopia; progressive or disabling paralysis; uncompensated valvular disease of the heart; loss of both arms, both legs, or arm and leg; hands, arms, feet, legs, or body so injured, crippled, or deformed as to seriously affect usefulness; chronic alcoholism or drug addiction. In addition, persons who have lost an arm or a leg or who are ruptured are ineligible for appointment to positions in the Custodian Service. Other physical defects will render applicants ineligible for any particular service or position, when, in the judgment of the commission, such defects would disqualify them for the duties required. Physical requirements may be waived in the case of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines under certain conditions.

Applications will be rated as received and certification made as the needs of the service require.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT, 1924.

By Feb. 1, 1924, the fire-fighting force had been reorganized as required by the two-platoon system, in effect on said date. This change, with the addition of 177 privates and 33 officers (the latter by promotion), increased the force to 1,427 men, viz.: the Chief, one ass't. chief, 6 deputy chiefs, 30 district chiefs (15 for day and 15 for night service), 74 captains, 107 lieutenants, 57 engineers, 57 assistant engineers and 1,094 privates, divided into 53 engine companies (3 marine), 30 ladder, 1 chemical and 3 water-tower companies, a rescue company and 2 emergency squads, the engine companies generally consisting of 14 or 15 men, including a captain and a lieutenant; other employees, 12 at headquarters, 96 men in repair shop and 44 in fire-alarm branch; fire stations, 62.

Automobile apparatus in service, 34 combination pumpers or gasoline engine and hose-reel, 5 triple combination (inclu. chemical task) also 10 tractor-drawn steamers and one steam-propelled steamer; 39 combination chemical engine and hose cars; 30 ladder-trucks (12 aerial); 3 fireboats; 3 water-towers; 1 rescue auto with pulmotors and 1 auto wrecker. Total apparatus, 127. Officers' cars, 34 and delivery trucks, 11. Leading hose 143,116 feet and suction hose, 2,366 feet; fire alarm boxes, 1,310.

In reserve are 16 engines (10 auto); 7 hose wagons (6 auto); 7 ladder trucks (6 auto); 1 water tower (auto) and 7 officers' cars.

Total alarms in calendar year 1923, 7,241 or 1,107 more than in 1922, of which

total 729 were needless and 287 false alarms, besides 154 automatic alarms, false and accidental. Total fires, 6,071 (862 more than in 1922) of which 3,148 were in buildings, 2,872 outside of buildings and 51 out of city limits. In 18 cases the buildings were totally destroyed, in 94 the damage was considerable and in 1,941 the damage was slight; other cases, no damage stated.

The Boston Protective Department (not a City department) reported the total fire losses in 1923 on buildings as \$1,932,424 and on contents as \$4,353,875, or total of \$6,286,299, which is \$2,981,703 more than in 1922. Of total loss, the amount not covered by insurance was \$344,551.

The B. P. D. also reported that of the 2,320 fires involving losses, 499 were caused by carelessness with matches, 258 by smoking, 152 by electricity, 143 by exposure to fires near by, 140 by overheated or defective stoves, furnaces, etc., 109 by open lights, 86 by sparks from combustion, 79 by sparks on roof, 60 by explosions, 58 by petroleum and its products, 57 by defective flues and chimneys, 50 by spontaneous combustion, 41 by hot ashes, 34 by fireworks, etc.

Cost of maintenance for 1923, \$3,669,450 (including Wire Div.) or \$331,945 more than in 1922. Value of land and buildings \$2,375,500; cost of motor equipment, \$1,017,331.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$7,500; Chief, \$5,500; deputy chiefs, \$4,000; district chiefs, \$3,500; captains, \$2,500; lieutenants, \$2,300; engineers, \$1,900; assistant engineers, \$1,800; 1st-year privates, \$1,400, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

The apparatus in service is now entirely motor-driven, the last horse-drawn piece having been replaced Oct. 18, 1923.

The records of the Wire Division show that on Feb. 1, 1924, the underground electric service comprised 3,663,539 feet of conduit, 21,954,630 feet of single duct and 33,232,932 feet of cable of the drawing-in system, also 691,529 feet of 3-wire cable and tube of the solid system. From the business districts, over a street area of 46,415,000 square feet, and from 72 miles of additional streets all poles and overhead wires have been removed.

PUBLIC DEBT, 1924.

Gross founded debt February 1, 1924, \$128,627,400.98 (including \$299,999.98 issued by State for enlargement of Court House); sinking funds, \$41,962,312; other redemption means, \$1,162,916; net debt, \$85,502,173, of which total \$50,079,397, or 58.57 per cent, was City Debt; \$33,897,385, or 39.65 per cent, Rapid Transit debt (representing 4½ per cent investment); \$1,259,391, or 1½ per cent, County debt and \$266,000, or 0.31 per cent, Water debt.

Net debt per capita, \$100.83 (approx.); net debt exclusive of Rapid Transit debt, \$51,604,788 or \$60.86 per capita (approx.). Loans authorized but not issued (within debt limit) \$1,050,000; same outside of debt limit, \$4,280,000.

In the fiscal year 1923-24, the net City debt was increased by \$607,566 and the net Rapid Transit debt by \$1,472,415, while the net County debt was reduced by \$92,396 and the net Water Debt by \$16,000.

Total debt contracted, \$7,190,000; total debt paid, \$5,139,400; total increase of gross debt, \$2,050,600; of net debt, \$1,971,586.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES IN BOSTON, 1924-1925, AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library announce the following list of free lectures, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 p. m.

The entrance is from Boylston street only. The doors will be opened two hours before each lecture and closed ten minutes after the lecture begins. The Thursday lectures are generally illustrated by lantern slides. The Sunday lectures are usually not illustrated. Exceptions are mentioned below. Lectures are given occasionally during the winter in the lecture halls of the Charlestown, East Boston, Jamaica Plain, North End, South End, West Roxbury, and Upham's Corner Branches.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Nov. 13. The Anniversary of Robert Louis Stevenson. Guy Richardson.
- Nov. 20. The Glory of England: Her Cathedrals and Scenic Beauty. Frederick Parsons, F. R. S. A.
- Dec. 4. Florence: The City of the Lily. Martha A. S. Shannon.
- Dec. 11. Days with the Birds. Mrs. James L. Tryon. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Dec. 18. How the Dutch Do It: Housing Problems and Port Development. Frank A. Bourne, S. M., A. I. A.
- Jan. 8. Glimpses of Norway's Fjords. Ben Blessum, General Representative of the Norwegian government in the United States and Canada. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Jan. 15. Mediæval Pilegrimages and Art. Arthur Kingsley Porter, B. F. A., Professor of Fine Arts, Harvard University.
- Jan. 22. Picturesque England from Chester to Clovelly. Ellen E. Page.
- Jan. 29. Snaring Bird Songs. Charles C. Gorst.
- Feb. 5. Brazil and Its Jungles. James Ballance.
- Feb. 12. The Land of the Backward Rolling River: Chekiang Province, including its Capital, Hangchow, the Heavenly, William Dean Goddard, A. M. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 19. Under Italian Skies. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 26. Whaling and Its Methods. Arthur E. Watson, Acting Curator, Old Dartmouth Historical Society and Whaling Museum.
- Mar. 5. Killarney; its Lakes and Legends. Rev. William M. Stinson, S. J.
- Mar. 12. Tramps about the Presidentials. Milton E. MacGregor, Mountain Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 19. Earth Changes, illustrated by the Geology of Boston. Hervey Woodburn Shimer, Ph.D., Professor of Paleontology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- Mar. 26. Along Dutch Waterways. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Apr. 2. New England Birds and Wild Flowers. Mrs. Harriet U. Goode.
- Apr. 9. English Gardens. Robert N. Cram, B. L. A., Instructor in Landscape Architecture Harvard University. With autochrome illustrations.
- Apr. 16. Architecture in the United States the last ten years. J. Randolph Coolidge, Jr.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Nov. 9. The Enjoyment of Art. Walter Sargent, Professor of Art, University of Chicago.
- Nov. 16. Reading of Shakespeare's "Hamlet," George F. Pearson.
- Nov. 23. Reading of Shakespeare's "King Henry IV, Part II." By members of local Shakespeare Clubs, under the direction of Mrs. Frederick H. Briggs. (Drama League Course.)
- Nov. 30. A Modern Opera: Pfitzner's "Palestrina." Otto G. T. Straub. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 7. Public Celebrations. J. Philip O'Connell, Director of Public Celebrations, City of Boston. With lantern illustrations.
- Dec. 14. Music in the Life of the World: Story of the Carol. Aerial Music of the Bell Towers of Europe. Mme. Beale Morey. Illustrated by voices and members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.
- Dec. 21. Carols and Chansons of Christmas. Henry Gideon, A. M. With musical illustrations.

- Dec. 28. Boston Architecture: Past and Present. Frank Chouteau Brown. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 4. The Marvel and Glory of Glass: Ancient and Modern. Mrs. Walter G. Dennison.
- Jan. 11. Swedish Male Harmony Chorus. Carl Hutton, director.
- Jan. 18. The Appreciation of Greek Sculpture. Clarence Kennedy, A. M., Assistant Professor of Art, Smith College. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 25. Our New Comedy and American Family Life. Albert Hutton Gilmer, A. M., Professor of Dramatic Literature, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Feb. 1. A Splendid Rebel: Life and Times of Patrick Henry. Henry Lawrence Southwick, President, Emerson College of Oratory.
- Feb. 8. New New England Poets. Speaker to be announced. (New England Poetry Club Course.)
- Feb. 15. Modern French Music. Edward Burlingame Hall, Assistant Professor of Music, Harvard University. With musical illustrations.
- Feb. 22. Worthwhile Patriotism. Hon. Michael J. Murray.
- Mar. 1. Boston, the Convention City. Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston.
- Mar. 8. Treasures of the Theatre Collection in the Harvard University Library. Frank W. C. Hersey, A. M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 15. The Magic of Words. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt. D.
- Mar. 22. Legends and Folk-Songs of Finland. Mme. Aino Saari. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 29. King's Chapel Choir. Raymond C. Robinson, Director.
- Apr. 5. Footlight Orchestra. Thompson Stone, Director.
- Apr. 12. Dawn of Orchestral Music; a Program by members of the Eighteenth Century Orchestra. Raffaele Martino, Director.
- Apr. 19. The Battle of Lexington. Harold Murdock, A. M., Director of the Harvard University Press.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club meets regularly in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month, at 3 o'clock, except as otherwise stated. The following free lectures are announced, subject to change.

- Nov. 10. The British Poets from the Seventeenth to the Nineteenth Century. Charles Hammond Gibson.
- Nov. 24. Ruskin's Museums. Mrs. May Smith Dean.
- Dec. 8. Ruskin's Message to Youth and the Twentieth Amendment. Rev. Davis Wasgatt Clark, D. D.
- Dec. 22. Music — Arranged by Mrs. Arthur Howard Davison. The Christmas Message — Mrs. Minnie Meserve Soule.
- Jan. 12. What's What in Books. John Clair Minot.
- Jan. 26. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Feb. 9. Anniversary Observance of John Ruskin's Birth. Address: John Ruskin. Rev. Harold E. B. Speight.
- Feb. 16. Americanization: Its Ideals. Two addresses: The Value of Law and its Observance. Hon. Sanford Bates, State Commissioner of Correction. The Development of the True Citizen. Dr. Charles A. Coburn, Professor of Applied Psychology, Boston University School of Religious Education.
- Mar. 9. Days of Romance in Old Spain. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Mar. 23. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry A. Higgins, Secretary of the Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 13. Ruskin and Agriculture Today. Dr. Arthur H. Gilbert, State Commissioner of Agriculture.
- Apr. 27. Author's Reading. Rev. Henry Hallam Sanderson, D. D., Editor of the "Wayside Pulpit."
- May 11. Annual meeting.

THE AMERICAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, BOSTON CHAPTER.

Free addresses in the Lecture Hall on Saturdays at 4 o'clock.

- Dec. 13. The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique. Helen Archibald Clarke, vice-president, Boston Chapter.
- Jan. 17. The Immitable Laws of Great Poetry. E. Charlton Black, L. L. D., Professor of English, Boston University.

EXPENDITURES, FISCAL YEAR, 1923-24.

Total ordinary and extraordinary, \$69,433,002, or \$4,593,567 more than in 1922. For maintenance of departments (excluding Water Service and Printing Dept.), \$39,244,315 (including \$12,421,826 for Schools); for City and County interest, \$3,488,857; sinking-fund requirements, \$606,133; serial loan payments, \$1,979,128 (making all debt requirements, excluding Rapid Transit, \$6,074,118), for Water Service, including Metropolitan water assessment, interest on debt, etc., \$3,128,463 (covered by water revenue). State tax, \$3,302,400 (regular) and \$697,296 (civilian war poll tax); Metropolitan and various State assessments, \$1,785,745; Printing Department, \$380,832 (covered by revenue); special appropriations from tax levy for public improvements, \$5,097,379; special appropriations from Parkman Fund income for park improvements, \$236,244.

Total ordinary expenditures, \$59,946,792, or \$4,173,498 more than in 1922. Total expenditures for departments only, \$1,654,148 more than in 1922.

Department increases of expenditure in excess of \$25,000 over the year 1922 were: Boston Sanatorium, \$31,259; Fire Department, \$328,170; Health, \$46,647; Hospital, \$195,614; Library, \$35,084; Park, \$273,904; Police, \$241,807; Public Buildings, \$48,048; Public Works, \$238,765; School Dept., \$343,355; Suffolk County, \$153,347.

Regular appropriations unexpended by the departments reached the noteworthy total of \$761,664. Decreases of expenditure from 1922 were: City Clerk, \$2,800; Election Dept., \$56,569; Overseeing of Public Welfare, \$35,161; Soldiers' Relief, \$712,264.

Extraordinary expenditures for permanent improvements (i. e., loan appropriations, etc., including unused portions from previous year), \$7,512,304, of which \$1,623,669 was for Rapid Transit construction (mostly E. Boston Tunnel alterations); \$1,162,238 for sewer construction; \$804,624 for making of highways; \$577,496 for Columbus Park, improvements; \$379,290 for Police Headquarters; \$336,838 for Playground improvements, etc.; \$319,512 for Stuart St. construction; \$314,518 for Hyde Park St. R'way, purchase of; \$289,152, for City Hospital, improvements; \$284,665 for Police Station 2, Building; \$261,661 for work on various public buildings; \$253,467 for Chelsea Bridge South; \$170,023 for City Hospital, Thorndike Memorial Building; \$157,886 for E. Boston Ferry, improvements; \$123,408 for Cambridge St. Bridge; \$116,686 for Municipal Garage, Albany St.; \$94,864 for Beacon St. Bridge; \$91,583 for Public Latin School. For Rapid Transit debt requirements, \$1,671,117. Total extraordinary, \$9,486,211 or \$420,069 more than in 1922.

TAX LEVY, 1923.

Total \$43,500,536, or \$38,382,750 on realty, \$3,955,626 on personality, and \$1,162,160 on male polls (\$5.00 poll tax instead of \$2.00).

Number of persons assessed on property, 111,641, of which 77,696 were resident individuals and 9,720 non-resident individuals; number of dwelling houses assessed, 76,779; acres of land assessed, 18,598. Number of resident individuals assessed on property 9.22 per cent of all residents. Number assessed for poll tax only, 197,567 or 84.37 per cent of all resident men.

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EAST BOSTON CITIZENS PROUD OF NEW ENGINE HOUSE 40 DEDICATED ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8.

MORE THAN 1,500 PERSONS ATTEND EXERCISES FEATURED BY ADDRESS OF FIRE COMMISSIONER THEODORE A. GLYNN.—COMPANY HAS OPEN HOUSE AND DANCE.



NEW ENGINE HOUSE AT SUMNER AND ORLEANS STREETS DEDICATED WITH ELABORATE EXERCISES.

The new station of Engine 40, East Boston—the latest idea of a modern fire house and one of the best in the country—at Sumner and Orleans streets, was dedicated Saturday afternoon, November 8, with impressive exercises. The festivities continued until late at night. More than 1,500 persons attended the ceremonies and inspected the \$40,000 building.

The firemen held open house and served refreshments. In the evening the company conducted a dance in the large recreation room on the third floor.

On the first floor of the building, which is constructed of tapestry brick, are the quarters for the apparatus and the switch board room. On the second floor are officers' quarters, watch room, large sleeping compartment and locker room. A large recreation room, equipped with pool tables and for smoking, and a roof garden, is the arrangement on the third floor.

The house is erected on the site of the first engine house of the district, built in 1865. It is oil heated.

During the work of construction, Engine 40 has been quartered with Chemical 7 in Saratoga street.

District Chief Henry J. Power was master of ceremonies at the exercises, which were opened with prayer by Rev. William J. Barry, pastor of the Church of the Assumption. After remarks by District Chief Power, an address was made by Alfred E. Wellington, ex-city councilor.

In reminiscences of his work years ago at Engine 40, Chief John O. Taber traced the advancement of fire-fighting in East Boston. He said that when he was at the station the firemen used to fish from the rear window of the fire-house.

Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn accepted the key from the builder, John B. Dolan, and declared that he was proud to be one of those responsible for the construction of so splendid a fire station. He praised the East Boston firemen and lauded the co-operation and work of District Chief Power. The commissioner was given a warm birthday greeting.

Other speakers were ex-Dist. Chief Fitzgerald O'Lalor, Capt. James F. Hickey of Station 7, Chairman John H. L. Noyes of the Board of Street Com-

missioners, Representative William Hearn, Representative Timothy F. Donovan, ex-Representative J. Frederick Curtin, Past Commander Matthew J. Boyle of the Lieut. Flaherty Post, A. L., and Richard C. Kirby, president of the East Boston Improvement Association.

A feature in the evening program was the presentation of a gold fire badge to William Crawford, assistant state chemist, who was recently commended by Governor Cox for bravery in extinguishing a fire in the State Chemical Department. Presentation was made to the well-known "spark" by Capt. Thomas J. Lannary, in behalf of the members of Engine 40.

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MAYOR ORDERS FLAGS LOWERED IN RESPECT FOR DEATH OF SENATOR LODGE.

Mayor Curley telephoned from Atlantic City immediately upon learning of the death of United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge and ordered that flags upon all public buildings, schools, parks and playgrounds of the City of Boston should be immediately placed at half-staff in honor of the deceased statesman.

CREW OF WORLD-GIRDLING AIRSHIP REGRETS BEING OUT OF BOSTON ON ARMISTICE DAY.

Mayor Curley has received at Atlantic City the following telegram from Lieut. Leigh Wade, U. S. A.:

ROOSEVELT HOTEL, NEW ORLEANS.

Lieutenant Ogden and I had hoped to be in Boston on Armistice Day to help in the celebration just as the crews of the Chicago and New Orleans are in the cities for which their world cruisers were named. But we have all been overwhelmed with hospitality out here in the West and have been delayed. Nevertheless we want you to know that we are thinking of all of our Boston friends at this time and deeply regret that we are not with you.

I thought you might be interested to know that world cruiser "Boston" has not yet ended its flying days and is still going strong, and as the crew of the plane given the honor of carrying the name "Boston" around the world by air, Lieutenant Ogden and I would both deeply appreciate it if you would convey a message to the citizens of Boston for us on this memorial day and assure them that we too wish to pay tribute to the memories of Boston's sons who were our comrades during the war and we particularly wish to pay our deepest respects to the gold star mothers and the American Legion of Boston.

Faithfully and respectfully yours,

LIEUT. LEIGH WADE.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, November 17, at 2 p. m.

Regular meeting of the School Committee, Monday, November 17, at 6.30 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil

and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the public ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made

PUBLIC LIBRARY EMPLOYEES UNVEIL TABLET IN HONOR OF WORKERS WHO SERVED IN WORLD WAR.

ELABORATE EXERCISES HELD AT PUBLIC LIBRARY, ON ARMISTICE DAY.

At the Public Library, Copley square, at eleven o'clock Tuesday, Armistice Day, a tablet to "Those men of the library who served in the World War" was unveiled and dedicated. The exercises took place in the courtyard, where the tablet has been placed. It is the gift of the Boston Public Library Employees' Benefit Association. It is a bronze tablet with design and lettering in relief, and is the work of a prominent Boston sculptor, Frederick W. Allen.

The exercises began with an invocation by Rt. Rev. Arthur T. Connolly. Then came the presentation by Walter Rowlands, the acceptance by Judge Michael J. Murray and an address by Major-Gen. Edward L. Logan. The librarian, Charles F. D. Belden presided.

The men of the library who served with the colors are: William J. Corbett, Naval Air Service, died September 20, 1918; Joseph A. Crowley, Battery D, 38th Coast Artillery Corps; Harold N. Donovan, 30th Infantry, 76th Division, died at Neuilly, France, November 10, 1918; George W. Gallagher, Company C, 101st Infantry, 26th Division; James P. J. Gannon, Company E, 104th Infantry, 26th Division; James S. Kennedy, Company L, 325th Infantry, 82d Division; Frank J. Krigel, Battery B, 55th Coast Artillery Corps, died near Brest, France, January 13, 1919; Arthur R. Maier, United States Submarine Chaser 261; William A. McGowan, 14th Company, Coast Artillery Corps; James P. Mooers, Company A, 7th Machine Gun Battalion, 3d Division; Ralph W. Reardon, Company A, 304th Battalion, United States

for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

Tank Corps; Edward F. Sullivan, 22d Company, Coast Artillery Corps.

The committee having the entire matter in charge for the association consisted of James P. Mooers, president; Frank H. Chase, vice president; George W. Gallagher, secretary; Frank C. Blaisdell, treasurer; Morris J. Rosenberg, financial secretary; Florence Cufflin, James J. Kelley, Patrick J. Kennedy, Walter Rowlands, Delia J. Deery, Timothy J. Mackin, James P. J. Gannon, Joseph A. Crowley, William F. A. Graham, Mary M. McDonough, Florence Sullivan, Mary E. Prim and Emil Hofman.

The memorial was unveiled by Miss M. Morse, John Krigel, father of Frank J. Krigel, placed a wreath of laurel on the memorial in memory of the three men who paid the supreme sacrifice. "Taps" were sounded by Harold Lucey.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES.

The American Literary Association announces a series of lectures on the Art of Poetry, to which the public is cordially invited, to be given in the Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library on Saturday afternoons at four o'clock. The subjects and dates are as follows:

Saturday, December 13, at 4 p. m. "The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique." Miss Helen Archibald Clarke.
Saturday, January 17, 1925, at 4 p. m. "The Immutable Laws of Great Poetry." E. Charlton Black, Professor of English Literature, Boston University.

It is the purpose of the American Literary Association, a national organization with numerous local chapters, to stimulate interest in American poetry, and especially to assist in bringing the little-known American poets to wider public notice. It awards prizes for poetic excellence; it supplies expert criticism; it publishes the "American Poetry Magazine"; it holds public meetings; it welcomes as members not only students and writers, but all who may be in any way interested in the subject of poetry.

CHARGES OF SANFORD BATES CONCERNING DEER ISLAND CONDITIONS DENIED IN TOTO.

DR. DAVID J. JOHNSON, INSTITUTIONS COMMISSIONER, STATES THAT CONDITIONS WERE NEVER BETTER, AND ISLAND PRISON HAS BEEN MODEL FOR OTHER STATES. CLAIMS CHARGES BUT SMOKE SCREEN TO SAVE FURTHER CRITICISM OF STATE INSTITUTIONS.

Dr. David J. Johnson, Institutions Commissioner, has issued the following statement in reply to Commissioner Sanford Bates:

"Interesting isn't it, that Deer Island has been considered pretty fine until Mayor Curley, in his campaign, criticised the state institutions. The reports for the past two years from the grand jury, City Council, and the social workers inspecting the island, compared with reports of Deer Island in previous years, have been gratifying to us.

"It may have some significance that the only escapes happened just before election. It was because there were indications that an outside attempt was being made to discredit the city institutions that the assistant deputy master, Mr. Higbee, was transferred from day duty to night duty, thereby frustrating any plan for wholesale escapes.

"For more than thirty years it has been the policy of the department to use from six to eight short-term drunks on the county institution boats, for general work and, during the coal famine in Boston twenty to thirty short-term prisoners came to Boston daily to bag coal sold at cost to the city's poor. In the summer months trustees are sent to Rainsford Island to clean up after the 200 children who came there each day on the Randidge excursions. On one occasion two prisoners were found to have been given whiskey by a yachting party that landed on the island to get water. These prisoners were punished.

"In order to prevent the smuggling in of drugs and alcohol, known to be the custom in previous years, an order was issued that no one was to be admitted on the island without a pass from the Commissioner. We have, however, publicly announced when any one, or any group, who wished to visit any of the institutions for the purpose of investigating conditions or studying various phases of institutional life may have a blanket pass, and hardly a week passes without organizations, both social and civic, availing themselves of this freedom. In every case their reports were so commendatory as to be a source of great satisfaction to those in charge.

"As for any criticism of the Deputy Commissioner, Dennis D. Driscoll, I venture to say that Commissioner Bates is the only man in Massachusetts who would stoop to make it. Mr. Driscoll is a man known to labor organizations, fraternal organizations and citizens in all classes in Massachusetts—is an outstanding figure in uprightness, humanity and tireless work to help not only the unfortunate men in his charge but their wives and families. His courage and loyalty was proven when he was shot in the head protecting the Governor of Massachusetts when an at-

tempt on the Governor's life was made in the State House. His honesty, kindness and unselfish zeal for others has won for him the respect and love of the citizens of Boston.

"Deer Island is the only institution in the State of Massachusetts where segregation is actually working out—that is—inmates in the Hill Frison are those who have committed offences against property and person and graver offences; in the old prison are the men who are sent to us for nonsupport of their wives and families and those who are committed for drunkenness; in Barracks B are the inmates who are drug addicts or drug sellers

"The Hill Frison was reconditioned by the drug addicts, taking over a year to complete the job. All locks on the prison were renewed, all toilets reconditioned and the prison painted from top to bottom, and bars were put on the prison to make it secure. This work was done by the drug addicts, under the direction of the officers, at a great saving of money to the county and a great help in teaching the drug addicts in the occupations. After the Hill Frison was completely conditioned all the prisoners were transferred there where they have running water, toilets, sun and plenty of light and fresh air.

"It was necessary to completely renovate Barracks B in order to make it habitable. One hundred and fifty cells measuring 7 by 8 were made into seventy-five cells 8 by 14. Two tons of white lead have been used in reconditioning Barracks B. The recreation hall has been completely reconditioned, a cement floor being laid by the drug addict colony. This isolation of the drug addict has helped in a large degree with the assistance of the drug squad in Boston and the district attorney's office, to rid Boston of the drug fiend.

"There were two cases of tuberculosis mentioned, where there was some delay in transfer. The reason for this was in order to make the diagnosis of tuberculosis; in the case of any inmate we require an X-ray and physical examination at our hospital at Long Island.

"If orders of any of the officers have been overruled it is because I do not believe in solitary confinement, excepting in rare cases, and I have never tolerated the use of the straitjacket.

"Certainly sufficient evidence may be found to prove that not only have we made great saving in money but we have rid the institution of drugs, have made no new drug addicts, and in most cases, because of the better food given the inmates, these men on leaving the institution have shown a gain of between forty and sixty pounds in weight and have been taught the beginning of some trade. Our object has been humanitarian and to make Deer Island a real correctional institution."

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing, including electric work, heating and ventilating, the new Police Headquarters Building, corner of Stuart and Berkeley streets, Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Buildings Department, Room 802, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$25,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, November 19, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Advertises for proposals for rebuilding the Dartmouth Street Bridge. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$35,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 18, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the erection and completion of the addition to the Frank V. Thompson Intermediate School, Maxwell and Selden streets, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, November 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the New East Boston High School, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 25, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing turkeys to the various city departments for Thanksgiving. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check

in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, November 21, at 12 m.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing all materials for and applying wall finish on new stairway No. 5 and passageway leading to west bound platform of the Park Street Under Station of the Cambridge Connection. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 35 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Transit Department, 1 Beacon street, seventh floor. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 18, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the building of Section K of the Dorchester Tunnel. Surety bond will be required in the amount of 35 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Transit Department, 1 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 25, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, November 13:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Michael A. Malley has been promoted from clerk at \$1,700 to clerk at \$1,900 a year, to fill a vacancy in the group of two clerks at \$2,000 a year.

John J. Chapman, clerk at \$1,400 a year in the Auditing Department, has been transferred to a similar position in the Assessing Department at \$1,700 a year from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31; and piece-work April 1 to September 30.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

Miss Maynard and Mrs. Brearton, social workers have been named as delegates to the meeting of the Massachusetts Conference of Social Work, at Swampscott, November 11, 12 and 13, at a cost not to exceed \$25 for each, total of \$50.

COMMITTEE FOR AMERICANISM.

Lillian G. Foley has been appointed stenographer for a temporary period of three months at \$25 a week.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Winifred R. McDonough, employed for a temporary period, left on Saturday, November 8.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, November 6:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Dr. C. N. Browder, assistant resident surgeon, \$2,000 a year; Helen Nunes, Inez Wright, Mary Turner,

Catherine Carr, special nurses, \$35 a week; Josephine Pero, Leona E. Thomas, record clerks, \$16 a week; George Corcoran, Edward Roche, transfer porters, \$14.50 a week; William F. Rogers, house porter, \$14 a week; David Murphy, house cleaner, \$14 a week; Lena Baton, Mary Mullen, cleaners, \$11.50 a week; Richard Clancy, Lawrence Lane, transfer porters, \$11 a week; Dorothy Clarke, Jennie Cone, table girls, \$9.50 a week; Theresa Elliott, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week.

Temporary.—James Dolan, assistant cook, \$20 a week.

Nurses (affiliated).—Cecelia Beer, Dora Bird, Marion Blood, \$6 a month; Ethel Coffin, \$12.50 a month; Marjorie Davis, \$16.67 a month; Elsie Daloian, \$12.50 a month; Eupemia Dall, \$10 a month; Anna Flahive, \$12.50 a month; Cecelia Graffan, \$10 a month; Grace Gould, Elsie Holtsberg, \$12.50 a month; Mary Horgan, \$6 a month; Laura Harrison, \$12.50 a month; Hazel James, \$6 a month; Grace John, Pearl Jelly, Stella Kelly, \$12.50 a month; Jeanne Macdonald, \$6 a month; Adalaide Macdonald, Alma Mansean, \$12.50 a month; Helen Odlin, \$10 a month; Helen Osgood, Inez Parker, Marie Pepim, Ivy Pennington, Mary Quilty, \$12.50 a month; Nellie Ross, Madeline Sprague, \$6 a month; Violet Stemick, \$12.50 a month; Marion E. Temple, \$10 a month; Jennie Wilson, \$12 a month; Vivian Wardwell, \$12.50 a month; Sarah Gallop, \$14 a month; Anna Maroney, \$12.50 a month.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Dr. A. G. Holland, assistant resident surgeon at \$2,000 to resident surgeon at \$2,500 a year; Madeline Ashford, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Helen Deasy, nurse at \$10 to \$12 a month; Florence Bradley, nurse at \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Margaret Donovan, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Mildred Mahaney, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Bella Ring, nurse at \$16.67 to head nurse at \$85 a month; Rose Roosov, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Helen Carlton, nurse at \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Marcia G. Monk, nurse at \$10 to \$12.50 a month.

Correction.—Irene McMenamin.—Advertised September 30 as increased from \$16.67 to \$80, should be increased to \$85 a month.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, November 6:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Katherine E. Ross, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Mary Fallon.

Patrick Connors, fireman, \$33 a week, temporary.

Thomas J. Philbin, watchman, transferred from Institutions employee, \$800 a year, to succeed Thomas J. Philbin.

Josephine Richards, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Alice F. McGrath.

Emma H. Neff, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Rita M. Rourke.

Mary F. Toothaker, head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Marguerite H. David.

House of Correction.

James Downing, officer, \$1,200 a year, temporary.

Stephen Handran, officer, \$1,000 a year, to succeed John McGowan.

John F. Carey, officer, transferred from watchman, Long Island, \$1,000 a year, to succeed Peter J. Barry.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Louise C. Norton has been appointed to permanent clerk with a knowledge of stenography at \$800 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Dennis F. Coughlin has been employed as emergency assistant drawtender at \$1,600 a year, for, from ten to thirty days to fill a temporary vacancy.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

The following paving laborers have been continued in temporary employment for thirty days: Joseph A. Alberti, Thomas F. Broderick, Michael Botte, Michael J. Costello, Frank Galida, William J. Hammond, Michael Joyce, Thomas Long, John H. Norton, Pasquale Napoletano, William J. McQuinn, Patrick J. Sheehan, Joseph F. Wall.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

Joseph F. Daly has been appointed assistant settlement clerk and stenographer at \$1,200 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

John M. Leonard a provisional draughtsman at \$1,500 a year has been appointed for an additional three months.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

C. & R. Construction Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying high pressure fire pipes in Hawkins street, Bowker street, Chardon street, Kneeland street, Atlantic avenue, etc. Items ordered: Relocate 1-inch service pipe and 4-inch house drain in Liggett's basement on Hanover street. Cut concrete roof of subway on Hanover street at Elm street for relocation of low service duct line. Cut by acetylene torch and remove steam heating pipes in Kilby street. Estimated cost of extra work, \$250.

A. Grande has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Claymoss road, Euston road, Ransom road, Brighton, and Hollingsworth street Dorchester, and Stratford street, West Roxbury. Items ordered: Salvaging old 8-inch pipe, relocating drain and repairing service pipe leak. Estimated cost of extra work, \$60.

NEW ENGINE HOUSE.

(Continued from page 1629.)

Captain Lannary has been in charge of Engine 40 for the past twenty-one years. He is senior captain of the department, and has been in the service thirty-eight years, being the first permanent substitute to be appointed by civil service. For sixteen years Captain Lannary was assistant district chief in East Boston.

Large bouquets—tokens from friends throughout the district—decorated the station. Among the more elaborate was one from the Valentine Club, of which Mrs. Lannary is a member.

On the committee in charge of the functions were William J. Forster, John J. Ainsworth, John J. Barry, Fred L. Hines, Harry Eastwood, Fred Godbolt, George Ellsworth, William Keenan, Martin J. Powers and Joseph Walsh. Mulhall & Holmes are the architects.

BOSTON'S YEAR BOOK SOON TO BE DISTRIBUTED. MOST ELABORATE EVER PUBLISHED BY CITY.

CITIZENS WILL FIND FIRST ISSUE REMARKABLE IN MATTER OF INFORMATION AND ARTICLES CONTRIBUTED BY EXPERTS IN MANY LINES OF MUNICIPAL ENDEAVOR. PLANNED BY MAYOR CURLEY IN PREVIOUS ADMINISTRATION.

Is Mr. Ordinary Citizen aware that thirty-two distinct executive departments are operating daily, under the supervision of the Mayor, in the municipal administration of the City of Boston? Does Mr. Extraordinary Citizen realize what cog the Statistics Department supplies to the machinery of local government? Where is this department located?

Away up under the roof of old City Hall, two flights higher than the elevators rise, far removed from the bustling offices of the Collecting Department, Election Board, and licensing divisions, the Statistics Department pursues the even tenor of its way. Its activities include the compilation of municipal and other statistics; the furnishing of authentic information on questions propounded by the Mayor, members of the City Council, heads of departments, officials of other cities at home and abroad, and citizens and students interested in municipal and civic affairs; the preparation and issuance annually of the "Municipal Register," "Boston Statistics," and such other publications as may be required by the city government; the management of the subscription list and other business details of the Boston City Record; the accumulation of current reports and documents, municipal, state, and federal, for the department library; the preparation from time to time of statistical and informative handbooks relating to the public advantages and attractions of Boston, especially those having historical interest, to serve as guides and souvenirs for official and other visitors; the exchange of public documents between Boston and other cities at home and abroad, as well as with state and national bureaus, especially such as issue statistical publications.

On December 18, 1914, a recommendation was received by the trustees of the Statistics Department that a municipal year book be compiled and published. A decade of years has passed, but the suggestion is finally bearing fruit, and the story is briefly told in the Preface to Boston's first municipal "year book," soon to come from the press.

Ten years have elapsed since the Hon. James M. Curley, serving his first term as Mayor of Boston, requested the Statistics Department to publish annually a municipal year book. Plans were finally drawn and approved in 1923, but not until March, 1924, was the undertaking actually begun.

The present volume represents an effort to place before the citizens of Boston, municipal officials here and elsewhere, and students of civics a narrative of the growth, and a description of the functions of the departments, boards, bureaus, and committees which administer the varied and complex affairs of a great city. Moreover, since Boston is so intimately associated geographically, industrially, commercially, financially, and

even governmentally, with many of its neighbors, a section has been allotted to metropolitan conditions and progress.

The time is ripe for clear delineation of those publicly supported activities which directly affect the welfare and happiness of all the people, and for honest exposition of that host of officials, elected and appointed, salaried and unsalaried, who are planning and working for the public weal. Results are apparent to all disposed to see that the cities and towns of America are not only developing into better places in which to live and work and play but are serving as proving-grounds for still further progress in municipal improvements and civic advance.

The "Year Book," consisting of about six hundred pages, 7 inches by 10 inches, printed in easily readable type, adequately illustrated, and bound in the municipal colors, is divided into three parts, entitled (1.) Municipal Conditions and Progress, (2.) Community Conditions and Progress, and (3.) Statistics. Part 1, occupying about two thirds of the volume, represents the first successful attempt to include in one publication an authoritative statement of the political control, the statutory functions, and the recent accomplishments of every municipal governmental division or subdivision, including in some cases a detailed historical review. Mr. Ordinary Citizen, in his perusal of the "Year Book" will marvel at the relatively small measure of home rule vouchsafed to the City of Boston. Part 2, occupying more than one hundred pages, represents a free-will contribution by a dozen leaders in thought and action in the cause of community progress. Transportation Needs, Manufactures, higher education, and welfare activities are some of the subjects treated in this section. Part 3 includes thirty-eight statistical tables on population, valuation and taxes, appropriations and expenditures, debt, vital statistics, building construction, and financial condition of cities.

While an unofficial commentator ventures the prediction that the "Boston Year Book," 1923-24, is the most valuable municipal publication issued in twenty years, the final verdict by the press and public is awaited with much expectancy.

By vote of the City Council September 29, 1924, approved by the Mayor October 4, 1924, the printing of an edition of twenty-five hundred copies has been authorized.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Park Department.

For the week ending Monday, November 10:

Thomas F. Mullin, gardener, 1 day, \$5;
Robert J. Powers, machinist, 1 day, \$5.50;
George Quigley, carpenter, 1 day, \$5.
Total, \$15.50.

James L. Walsh, Jr., gardener, 4 nights, \$20.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For week ending Monday, November 10:

Assistant Drawtender.—G. S. Storin, 1 day, \$4.38.

Machinist.—P. F. Murphy, 1½ days, \$9.63.

Laborer.—J. McManus, 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$18.51.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For week ending Monday, November 10:

Electrician.—James A. Douglass, 1 day, \$6.10.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, ¾ day, \$4.13.

Gateman.—William C. McMullen, ½ day, \$2.63.

Total, \$12.86.

Net cost for the week ending November 10, 1924, \$12.88.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 10:

Stablemen.—J. O'Connor, T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters-Laborers.—B. F. Lyons, J. F. Sweeney, J. J. Welch, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Teamsters.—J. P. W. Callahan, C. B. Capillo, M. J. Connolly, W. A. Crawford, D. J. Dalton, T. Dwyer, H. J. Holmes, V. Guliano, E. Kehoe, G. Guiffredo, B. McCool, P. J. McLaughlin, J. M. Ryan, W. Shea, J. P. Sullivan, J. Yankowsky, W. McManus, ¾ day, \$3.38.

Total, \$102.96.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, November 11:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2½ days, \$13.75 each; Dennis Burke, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Laborers.—Thomas Casey, 2½ days, \$12.38; James Giblin, Herman Hodapp, Thomas Duffy, Louis Brunetto, James McFarland, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Daniel McKenna, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$90.13.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 10:

Teamsters.—P. J. Connolly, L. Gaeta, M. J. O'Connell, C. J. Crowley, G. McCogan, J. P. Barnes, J. W. Collins, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, T. F. Graham, J. T. O'Leary, J. J. Donovan, G. Riley, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, F. D'Am-brosio, J. J. Daley, R. M. Jennings, J. P. Driscoll, P. F. Joyce, J. D. Lyons, W. T. Maloney, J. Robertson, J. Rogers, J. Slat-tery, J. H. Smith, B. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$121.50.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For week ending Monday, November 10:

Chauffeurs.—R. Fitzgerald, J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75; J. Burke, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Repairers.—J. Moran, 1½ days, \$8.25; T. Barry, 1½ days, \$7.88; T. Thureson, 1½ days, \$8.25; A. Iula, 1½ days, \$8.44; E. Rafferty, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Casey, 1½ days, \$7.13; A. Lo Pilato, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Lynch, 1½ day, \$4.45; H. Campbell, 1½ days, \$8.25; P. Heffernan, ¾ day, \$2.06; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; G. Cozza, 1½ days, \$5.63; M. Daly, 1½ days, \$7.88; M. O'Day, ¾ day, \$1.88; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; W. Donovan, 1½ day, \$5.16; R. Doyle, 1½ day, \$5.16; C. Driscoll, 1½ day, \$5.16; P. Ippolite, 1½ days, \$6.19; M. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$9.28; P. Clougherty, 1½ days, \$8.25; D. Kirby, 2½ days, \$10.31; N. McPhee, 1½ day, \$2.81; J. Horgan, ¾ day, \$2.67; W. Shields, ¾ day, \$1.88; J. Feeley, ¾ day, \$1.78; G. Waters, 1½ days, \$7.13; M. Matthews, 2½ days, \$10.31; J. Fenton, 1½ day, \$2.53; J. McLean, ¾ day, \$1.88; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50; C. Sullivan, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, E. Pyne, J. M. O'Toole, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. Barron, T. Gallagher, J. McGee, J. O'Toole, M. Shea, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; W. Kravets, 1½ day, \$4.22; T. McGuinness, 2 days, \$9.

Total, \$316.70; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$11; net total, \$305.70.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor except as otherwise noted.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with M. McGinnis & Co. for grading and loaming at William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset. Bids for the work, opened October 30, were as follows:

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company, \$28,980; A. G. Tomasello & Son, \$28,780; J. A. Singarella, \$28,275; D. M. Biggs & Co., \$25,697; M. McGinnis & Co., \$23,301.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon November 12 the Acting Mayor approved a contract with DeChristofaro & Brothers Company for sewerage works in Cottage place, from Winslow street 142 feet southwesterly and 50 feet northwesterly, Hyde Park. Bids for the work, opened November 5, were as follows:

DeChristofaro & Brothers Company, \$1,298.65; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$1,387.70; S. J. Tomasello, \$1,390.30; M. DeSisto Company, \$1,422.75; L. Balboni, \$1,431.45; M. DeMatteo, \$1,516; C. Russo, \$1,576.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon November 12 the Acting Mayor approved a contract with DeCristoforo and Brothers Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Fernald terrace, Dorchester. Bids for the work, opened November 7, were as follows:

DeCristoforo & Brothers Company, \$1,983.25; J. T. Shea, Jr., \$2,625.75;

M. DeSisto Company, \$2,720.75; Louis Balboni, \$2,788.25; J. Williams & Co., \$3,143.143.25.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 27 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mitchell-Vance Company for electric light fixtures for the Police Station 2 building. A communication from John H. Mahony, Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings, was as follows:

BOSTON, October 25, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—In the contract for the erection and completion of Police Station 2 building there is an allowance in the sum of \$4,500 for electric light fixtures, which appears on page 209 of said specifications. This allowance was estimated from figures received from the Mitchell-Vance Company represented by the Wetmore-Savage Company of 76 Pearl street, Boston, calling for the installation of the Mitchell-Vance Company fixtures. Inasmuch as it is the desire of the architects to install this certain style of fixture, it would seem a wilful waste of time and a delay in having this work done if we were obliged to go into the open market and advertise same.

In consideration of these facts I respectfully request that permission be given me to make a contract with Wetmore-Savage Company for the installation of the electric light fixtures as called for by the architect's schedule, in the sum of \$4,500, without the usual form of advertising.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon October 31 the Mayor approved a contract with V. Barletta for relaying water pipe and service pipe in Humphreys street, Dorchester. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, October 28, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Authority is respectfully requested to the award of a contract for relaying about 900 linear feet of 12-inch main water pipe and about 500 linear feet of service pipe in Humphreys street, between Green street and Dudley street, Dorchester, to V. Barletta, 10 Whipple avenue, West Roxbury, without inviting proposals by advertisement, at an estimated cost for labor and materials of \$3,500.

This authority is requested because the existing 6-inch water pipe was removed in connection with the construction of a large sewer within the above-mentioned limits and it is absolutely necessary that adequate fire protection be restored as soon as possible. As V. Barletta was the contractor for the construction of this sewer, it will be for the best interest of the city to have him lay these water pipes, since his prices are reasonable and will complete the work without any delay.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Troy Laundry Machinery Company for furnishing the Hospital Department one belt driven extractor. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, October 30, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Troy Laundry Machinery Company for furnishing to the Hospital Department:

One 48-inch Troy over belt driven extractor, motor driven, at \$2,902. The Hospital Department has standardized on this make of extractor, and as the Troy Laundry Machinery Company are the manufacturers, no advantage would be obtained by advertising for same, and for this reason the permission will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon October 31 the Mayor approved a contract with the Henrici Laundry Machinery Company for furnishing to the Hospital Department one washer. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, October 30, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Henrici Laundry Machinery Company for furnishing to the Hospital Department one 42-inch by 72-inch J2 Ambrac-Henrici two-pocket washer motor driven, 200 volt, D. C. sliding cylinder doors at \$3,480. The Hospital Department has standardized on this make of washer, and as the Henrici Laundry Machinery Company are the manufacturers no advantage would be obtained by advertising for same, and for this reason I trust the permission will be granted.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon November 3 the Mayor approved a contract with McKinney Brothers for furnishing seven horses to the Street Cleaning and Oiling Service, Public Works Department. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, October 31, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to McKinney Brothers for furnishing seven horses at \$350 each to the Street Cleaning and Oiling Service, Public Works Department.

The veterinarian, Doctor Cronin, has seen these horses and has picked them out for the department as being satisfactory in every way.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Walter Curley & Son have been allowed the following addition to contract for moving portable schools, as per civil engineer's letter of October 17, 1924: For closing up door opening No. 7, \$40; for new sills, No. 7, \$85; three coal boxes, \$210; removing old floor and renewing plank under flooring, No. 7, \$195; new floor in sections, \$270; total addition, \$800. Contract price, \$6,440; total addition, \$800; amount of contract, \$7,240.

R. J. Connolly has been allowed for cutting in two stock case and providing one new end for the Henry L. Pierce School the sum of \$30, as per architect's letter of October 22, 1924. Contract price, \$1,241; total addition, \$30; amount of contract, \$1,271.

M. S. Kelliher Company has been allowed the following additions to contract for the La Grange Street School as per architect's letter of October 22, 1924: Additions (as per estimate): Extending glazed partitions to ceiling in office, main floor, \$547.50; patch plastering basement ceiling, stairs and first floor ceiling and walls, \$380; painting old offices on second floor, \$206; total addition, \$1,133.50. Deductions: Omitting sheathed ceiling of office, \$40; omitting taking up section of old floor, cooking room, \$35; total deduction, \$75; net addition, \$1,058.50. Contract price, \$4,359; total addition, \$1,058.50; amount of contract, \$5,417.50.

Walter Curley & Son have been allowed the following: Addition to their contract for the Horace Mann School: Two pair of battery blackboards in Room No. 9 as per estimate, \$126.70, as per architect's letter of October 22, 1924, contract price, \$3,940; total addition, \$126.90; amount of contract, \$4,066.70.

Walter Curley & Son has been allowed the following additions to contracts for the Prince School, as per architect's letter of October 22, 1924. Additions: Store room next to boiler room (as per estimate), stud, boarded and metal covered portion about 24 feet long from floor to ceiling, one metal covered door and frame, with heavy iron hinges, straps, latch lock, painted two coats, \$342; storage bins as per plan, painted two coats, \$285. Custodian's room off boiler room (as per estimate): Stud, boarded and metal covered partition about 14 feet long from floor to ceiling, two metal covered doors and frames with heavy iron hinges, straps, latches and locks, painted two coats, \$387.40. Miscellaneous: Building and installing with all necessary trim one 14-foot blackboard in printing room and two 4-foot long blackboards in science room, \$65; wire glass in two panels of door in printing room, \$14; lock on printing room door, \$7.40; removing fences and porches in yard, \$33.60; trucking, \$45; boxing, machinery, printing room, \$29.40; closing door opening, printing room, \$34; moving coal and wood, \$14.40; removing coal box, \$5.20; shelves in store room off corridor near printing room, and shelves in custodian's room, \$73.60; total, \$1,336. Deduction: Omitting lock on outside door printing room, \$22; net addition, \$1,314. Contract price, \$2,090; total additions, \$1,314; amount of contract, \$3,504.

MAYOR CURLEY CALLS FOR BUDGET SHEETS.

The Mayor has issued the following circular letter to heads of departments:

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
BOSTON, November 5, 1924.

To Department Heads and County Officers:
Budget sheets for 1925 are now ready and may be obtained at the office of the Budget Commissioner, 307 City Hall Annex.

Estimates for the new year are to be submitted in accordance with the following schedule:

For departments whose estimates total:

- \$100,000 or under—on or before December 1, 1924.
- Between \$100,000 and \$700,000—December 15, 1924.
- Above \$700,000—not later than January 1, 1925.

Because of an amendment to the city charter made by the Legislature of 1924 the budget sheets for 1925 will cover only a period of eleven months, since under the provisions of chapter 479 of the Acts of 1924 the financial year of the city is to be advanced one month beginning January 1, 1926. Estimates for the new year therefore are to be prepared on an eleven months' basis.

It is advisable that before final submission of your departmental budget you confer with the Superintendent of Supplies with reference to such commodities as may be required by your department and also with the Budget Commissioner relative to the compilation of your budget.

It is evident at this time that the approaching winter will severely tax the resources of the municipality because of the industrial stagnation and the increased unemployment. The funds of the Overseers of Public Welfare and the Soldiers' Relief Department are practically exhausted and before the end of this month it will be necessary to transfer from the appropriations of other departments of the city in order that the worthy poor and the veterans of the World War and their dependents may not suffer through failure of the city to adequately provide for their needs and requirements.

In view of these conditions it will be necessary for all branches of the city and county to practice the most rigid character of economy compatible with the service that should be furnished the public. Unexpended balances must be conserved and you are accordingly directed to keep this idea in mind while planning the activities of your branch of the service during the remainder of the fiscal year.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Hart & Hutchinson have been allowed to amend their contract for metal lockers for various high schools by striking out the words and figures, "August 4, 1924," on page 1, Section 4; and substituting therefor the words and figures, "September 8, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 4, on page 1, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about April 23, 1924, and is to be completed on or before September 8, 1924."

Joseph Rugo has been allowed to amend his contract for the alteration of West Roxbury Courthouse and Police Station No. 13, by changing the date of completion as appears on page 41 of the contract to read "December 15, 1924" instead of "October 11, 1924."

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John B. Dolan has been granted an extension of the time of performance of the contract for the erection and completion of the new fire station for Engine Company 40 until November 10, 1924.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Maurice M. Devine has been granted an extension of time until October 20, 1924, for the completion of contract for repairing Cottage Farm Bridge, Commonwealth avenue, over Boston & Albany Railroad.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of time until January 1, 1925, for the completion of the contract for grading and loaming at Dorchester Park, Dorchester.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

W. H. Ellis & Son Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for repairing piers at the North Ferry, from October 15, 1924, to December 1, 1924.

The Atlantic Works have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract furnishing and installing ventilating system on Ferryboat "Noddle Island," dated September 5, 1924, from September 30, 1924, to October 31, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Bernard E. Grant Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying a recut granite block pavement in Congress street, from Franklin street to Atlantic avenue; Pearl street, from Franklin street to Atlantic avenue; Water street, from Washington street to Devonshire street, from November 1, 1924, to December 1, 1924. The original contract has been extended, so that it will require more time to complete the contract.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying a Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith street, Standard street, Beryl street, Pond View avenue, Redlands road, from November 1, 1924, to December 1, 1924. The original contract has been extended and more time is needed in which to complete the work on Metropolitan avenue and New England avenue.

John McCourt Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying a recut granite block pavement in Blue Hill avenue, from Dudley street to Quincy street, from November 1, 1924, to December 1, 1924.

Anthony Baruffaldo & Co. have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for filling in Ashley street, from Breed street to Boardman street, dated June 23, 1924, from November 1, 1924, to December 1, 1924.

John W. O'Connell has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying a Portland cement concrete pavement in Blenford road, from Melton road to Priscilla road; Notting-hill road, from Melton road, dated July 24, 1924, from November 1, 1924, to December 15, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

C. Russo has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract

for building sewerage works in Colorado street, from Currier street about 315 feet northeasterly, Dorchester, dated July 18, 1924, from September 30, 1924, to October 29, 1924 (29 days). This extension of time is in addition to a previous extension dated August 22, 1924, and making a total of fifty-two days, and is occasioned by the fact that an addition was made to the contract to build 105 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer in Colorado street.

M. DeSisto Company has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in Newfield and Lasell streets, West Roxbury, dated October 4, 1924, from October 18, 1924, to November 18, 1924 (31 days). This extension is requested on account of the fact that the contractor was delayed in commencing the work until the necessary takings were made in the above streets.

William Barrett Company has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Mill street, between Victory road and Green Hill street, Dorchester, from October 11, 1924, to November 4, 1924 (24 days). This extension of time is requested on account of the fact that the nature of the soil was such that the excavation and the work attendant thereto required more time than was anticipated.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Antony Cefalo has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for laying water pipes in West Roxbury Parkway (West Border road), between La Grange street and Pleasure Drive, dated September 11, 1924, from October 16 to November 1, 1924.

CLAIMS DISALLOWED.

The Law Department has this day disapproved thirty-one claims against the city, aggregating \$13,690.82, and they are classified as follows:

Against the Park and Recreation Department, three, amounting to \$245.06; against the Police Department, one, amounting to \$200; against the Public Works Department, twenty-seven, amounting to \$13,245.76.

VOTE FOR MAYOR AND OTHER OFFICIALS AT LAST ELECTION.

Total registered voters, 207,590 or 131,610 men, and 75,980 women, said total being 3,924 more than in 1920; names checked, 162,132, or 78.1 per cent of all registered, which is higher by two per cent than in 1917, at the last mayoral election.

Vote for Mayor, James M. Curley, 74,261; John R. Murphy, 71,791; Charles S. Baxter, 4,268; Charles S. O'Connor, 10,844; all others, 22. Totals, 161,186. Of the 11 City Council candidates voted for John A. Donoghue was re-elected, receiving 53,466 votes; William J. Walsh became a new member with the leading vote of 57,466 and George F. Gilbody another, with a vote of 55,136. Of the two School Committee candidates, Frances G. Curtis was re-elected, with 79,139 votes. Vote on referendum: "Shall Licenses be Granted for the Sale of Certain Non-Intoxicating Beverages in this City?"—Yes, 86,474; No, 46,094; Blanks, 29,564. Per cent of registered voters who voted on referendum, 63.86.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES IN BOSTON, 1924-1925, AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library announce the following list of free lectures, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 p. m.

The entrance is from Boylston street only. The doors will be opened two hours before each lecture and closed ten minutes after the lecture begins. The Thursday lectures are generally illustrated by lantern slides. The Sunday lectures are usually not illustrated. Exceptions are mentioned below. Lectures are given occasionally during the winter in the lecture halls of the Charlestown, East Boston, Jamaica Plain, North End, South End, West Roxbury, and Uphams Corner Branches.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Nov. 20. The Glory of England: Her Cathedrals and Scenic Beauty. Frederick Parsons, F. R. S. A.
- Dec. 4. Florence: The City of the Lily. Martha A. S. Shannon.
- Dec. 11. Days with the Birds. Mrs. James L. Tryon. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Dec. 18. How the Dutch Do It: Housing Problems and Port Development. Frank A. Bourne, S. M., A. I. A.
- Jan. 8. Glimpses of Norway's Fjords. Ben Blessum, General Representative of the Norwegian government in the United States and Canada. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Jan. 15. Mediaeval Pilgrimages and Art. Arthur Kingsley Porter, B. F. A., Professor of Fine Arts, Harvard University.
- Jan. 22. Picturesque England from Chester to Clovelly. Ellen E. Page.
- Jan. 29. Snaring Bird Songs. Charles C. Gorst.
- Feb. 5. Brazil and Its Jungles. James Ballance.
- Feb. 12. The Land of the Backward Rolling River: Chekiang Province, including its Capital, Hangchow, the Heavenly. William Dean Goddard, A. M. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 19. Under Italian Skies. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 26. Whaling and Its Methods. Arthur E. Watson, Acting Curator, Old Dartmouth Historical Society and Whaling Museum.
- Mar. 5. Killarney; its Lakes and Legends. Rev. William M. Stinson, S. J.
- Mar. 12. Tramps about the Presidentials. Milton E. MacGregor, Mountain Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 19. Earth Changes, illustrated by the Geology of Boston. Hervey Woodburn Shimer, Ph.D., Professor of Paleontology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- Mar. 26. Along Dutch Waterways. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Apr. 2. New England Birds and Wild Flowers. Mrs. Harriet U. Goode.
- Apr. 9. English Gardens. Robert N. Cram, B. L. A., Instructor in Landscape Architecture Harvard University. With autochrome illustrations.
- Apr. 16. Architecture in the United States in the last ten years. J. Randolph Coolidge, Jr.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Nov. 16. Reading of Shakespeare's "Hamlet," George F. Pearson.
- Nov. 23. Reading of Shakespeare's "King Henry IV, Part II." By members of local Shakespeare Clubs, under the direction of Mrs. Frederick H. Briggs. (Drama League Course.)
- Nov. 30. A Modern Opera: Pfitzner's "Palestrina." Otto G. T. Straub. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 7. Public Celebrations. J. Philip O'Connell, Director of Public Celebrations, City of Boston. With lantern illustrations.
- Dec. 14. Music in the Life of the World: Story of the Carol. Aerial Music of the Bell Towers of Europe. Mme. Beale Morey. Illustrated by voices and members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.
- Dec. 21. Carols and Chansons of Christmas. Henry Gideon, A. M. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 28. Boston Architecture: Past and Present. Frank Chouteau Brown. With lantern illustrations.

- Jan. 4. The Marvel and Glory of Glass; Ancient and Modern. Mrs. Walter G. Dennison.
- Jan. 11. Swedish Male Harmony Chorus. Carl Hutton, director.
- Jan. 18. The Appreciation of Greek Sculpture. Clarence Kennedy, A. M., Assistant Professor of Art, Smith College. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 25. Our New Comedy and American Family Life. Albert Hatton Gilmer, A. M., Professor of Dramatic Literature, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Feb. 1. A Splendid Rebel: Life and Times of Patrick Henry. Henry Lawrence Southwick, President, Emerson College of Oratory.
- Feb. 8. New New England Poets. Speaker to be announced. (New England Poetry Club Course.)
- Feb. 15. Modern French Music. Edward Burlingame Hill, Assistant Professor of Music, Harvard University. With musical illustrations.
- Feb. 22. Worthwhile Patriotism. Hon. Michael J. Murray.
- Mar. 1. Boston, the Convention City. Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston.
- Mar. 8. Treasures of the Theatre Collection in the Harvard University Library. Frank W. C. Hersey, A. M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 15. The Magic of Words. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt. D.
- Mar. 22. Legends and Folk-Songs of Finland. Mme. Aino Saari. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 29. King's Chapel Choir. Raymond C. Robinson, Director.
- Apr. 5. Footlight Orchestra. Thompson Stone, Director.
- Apr. 12. Dawn of Orchestral Music; a Program by members of the Eighteenth Century Orchestra. Raffaele Martino, Director.
- Apr. 19. The Battle of Lexington. Harold Murdock, A. M., Director of the Harvard University Press.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club meets regularly in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month, at 3 o'clock, except as otherwise stated. The following free lectures are announced, subject to change.

- Nov. 24. Ruskin's Museums. Mrs. May Smith Dean.
- Dec. 8. Ruskin's Message to Youth and the Twentieth Amendment. Rev. Davis Wasgatt Clark, D. D.
- Dec. 22. Music—Arranged by Mrs. Arthur Howard Davison. The Christmas Message—Mrs. Minnie Meserve Soule.
- Jan. 12. What's What in Books. John Clair Minot.
- Jan. 26. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Feb. 9. Anniversary Observance of John Ruskin's Birth. Address: John Ruskin. Rev. Harold E. B. Speight.
- Feb. 16. Americanization: Its Ideals. Two addresses: The Value of Law and its Observance. Hon. Sanford Bates, State Commissioner of Correction. The Development of the True Citizen. Dr. Charles A. Coburn, Professor of Applied Psychology, Boston University School of Religious Education.
- Mar. 9. Days of Romance in Old Spain. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Mar. 23. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry A. Higgins, Secretary of the Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 13. Ruskin and Agriculture Today. Dr. Arthur H. Gilbert, State Commissioner of Agriculture.
- Apr. 27. Author's Reading. Rev. Henry Hallam Sanderson, D. D., Editor of the "Wayside Pulpit."
- May 11. Annual meeting.

THE AMERICAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, BOSTON CHAPTER.

Free addresses in the Lecture Hall on Saturdays at 4 o'clock.

- Dec. 13. The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique. Helen Archibald Clarke, vice-president, Boston Chapter.
- Jan. 17. The Immitable Laws of Great Poetry. E. Charlton Black, L. L. D., Professor of English, Boston University.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 6 TO NOVEMBER 12.

NOVEMBER 6.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
S. P. Williams.....	76 Maynard street.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$30
Pierce & Cox.....	13 Boylston street.....	5	New fixtures.....	17,000
S. Tack.....	274 Beech street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
Harry F. Nation.....	163 Woodrow avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	600
John B. Byrne.....	58 Gainsborough street.....	7	New fixtures.....	196
D. J. Furden.....	240 Jamaica way.....	14	New fixtures.....	850
William Duston.....	45 Vale street.....	15	New fixtures.....	100

NOVEMBER 7.

Powers & Mehagan.....	801 Washington street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$1,000
D. M. Goldstein.....	108 Columbia road.....	19	New fixtures.....	5,000
P. R. Winters.....	232 Lake street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,200
L. W. Stevens.....	4 Westmore road.....	21	New fixtures.....	700
George B. Harris.....	85 Village street.....	6	New fixtures.....	450
H. Weiss.....	16 Roxton street.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,000
W. F. Arkinson Company.....	388-392 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
John E. McCurdy.....	409 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	700
John E. McCurdy.....	411 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
M. W. Nelligan.....	33 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,000
M. W. Nelligan.....	37 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	450
M. W. Nelligan.....	39 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	450
Charles E. Ogilvie.....	29 Allston street.....	25	New fixtures.....	590
Joseph Levin.....	100 Magazine street.....	12	New fixtures.....	450
Samuel Barron.....	153 Brighton avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	300
D. B. Karger.....	287 Norfolk street.....	21	New fixtures.....	100
Daniel M. Murphy.....	311A Huntington avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	80

NOVEMBER 8.

J. W. Crozier.....	14 Austin street.....	24	New fixtures.....	\$2,600
Joseph Seigel.....	99 Deering road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
P. G. Finnerty.....	62 Northampton street.....	12	New fixtures.....	85
S. A. Politsky.....	21 Newton street.....	26	New fixtures.....	375
Blue Hill Plumbing Co.....	85 Deering road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
D. J. Rull.....	696 East Sixth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	200
D. J. Rull.....	12 Knowlton street.....	10	New fixtures.....	375
B. T. Clancy.....	8 Hollis street.....	5	New fixtures.....	135
O. J. Morlock.....	60 Sedgwick street.....	22	New fixtures.....	300
P. F. Russo Company.....	112 Brown avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
W. L. Ambrose.....	397 Cambridge street.....	25	New fixtures.....	150
Powers & Mehagan.....	111 Willow street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,000
H. S. Trethewey.....	19 Burwell road.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
E. Puopolo Company.....	204 K street.....	9	New fixtures.....	150
E. Puopolo Company.....	208 K street.....	9	New fixtures.....	150
E. Puopolo Company.....	210 K street.....	9	New fixtures.....	150

NOVEMBER 10.

James Coutts.....	341 Centre street.....	14	New fixtures.....	\$75
Louis M. DelGrosso.....	28 Bromley park.....	15	New fixtures.....	175
J. M. Nihen.....	49 Bickford street.....	15	New fixtures.....	900
L. J. Towle Company.....	6 Beach street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
John J. Vogel.....	8 Atherton street.....	15	New fixtures.....	400
James A. Sullivan.....	55 Bainbridge street.....	16	New fixtures.....	1,000
M. H. Myers.....	162 Cedar street.....	15	New fixtures.....	150
M. H. Myers.....	164 Cedar street.....	15	New fixtures.....	150
M. H. Myers.....	166 Cedar street.....	15	New fixtures.....	150
Abraham M. Smith.....	78 Brighton street.....	5	New fixtures.....	50

NOVEMBER 11.

John F. Buerkel.....	163 Worthington street.....	14	New fixtures.....	\$2,550
E. M. Duggan.....	123 Warwick street.....	13	New fixtures.....	125
L. C. Lipsky.....	171 Paris street.....	2	New fixtures.....	235
F. C. Lewis.....	16 and 18 North street.....	5	New fixtures.....	500
J. S. Cassidy.....	5-15 Madison court.....	7	New fixtures.....	2,750
C. H. Cronin.....	79 Kilby street.....	5	New fixtures.....	500
Edward E. Berry.....	88 Gordon avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	225
Joseph W. Ahearn.....	6 and 8 Fletcher street.....	23	New fixtures.....	350
A. W. Short.....	511 East Broadway.....	10	New fixtures.....	50
Vincent A. Bolger.....	76 Selden street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,200
Charles H. Hobson.....	1706 Commonwealth ave.....	25	New fixtures.....	50
Joseph P. Vogel & Son.....	17 Mt. Vernon street.....	4	New fixtures.....	350
Abraham Kellem.....	46 Middlesex street.....	6	New fixtures.....	650
L. W. Polit.....	40 Roanoke road.....	24	New fixtures.....	500

NOVEMBER 12.

A. I. Russell.....	355 Washington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$170
Philip Ligums.....	309 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	250
John J. Vogel.....	96 Sherwood street.....	23	New fixtures.....	200
L. W. Blakney.....	114 Redlands road.....	23	New fixtures.....	775
Phineas Levin.....	144 Old Colony avenue.....	11	New fixtures.....	700
W. G. Cornell Company.....	7 and 9 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	2,750
H. F. Bimidel.....	18 Mildred avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,100
Joseph P. Vogel & Son.....	351 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	75
Cox & Johnson.....	383 Dorchester avenue.....	11	New fixtures.....	700
John J. Vogel.....	1980 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	600
John J. Vogel.....	15 Brookfield street.....	23	New fixtures.....	400
Albert B. Hultgren.....	88 Gustine street.....	20	New fixtures.....	400
John E. McCurdy.....	23 Westmore road.....	21	New fixtures.....	900
P. M. Donoghue.....	20 Wirt street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 46.

I. ASSIGNMENT.

The following assignment of man-on-probation which took effect at 8 a. m., Friday, October 31, 1924, is hereby announced:

Daniel J. Denchy, to Engine Company 41.

II. TRANSFER.

The following transfer which took effect at 8 a. m., Friday, October 31, 1924, is hereby announced:

William F. Guenther, from Engine Company 44 to Engine Company 15.

III. REV. DENNIS J. LYNCH
MEMORIAL FUND.

The Fire Commissioner is in receipt of the following letter which he believes may be of interest to the members of the department:

BOSTON COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL,
BOSTON, MASS., November 3, 1924.
MR. THEODORE A. GLYNN, Fire Commissioner:

MY DEAR COMMISSIONER,—I wish to thank you and, through you, the members of the Boston Fire Department for the scholarship presented to Boston College High School in memory of Rev. Dennis J. Lynch. Through the charity of the department a wonderful educational opportunity is opened in perpetuity to the sons of its members. With pride and gratitude we add to the list of our benefactors the Fire Department of Boston which has so generously presented to us the Rev. Dennis J. Lynch Scholarship.

With best wishes to yourself and to all who have shared in thus perpetuating the memory of a noble priest, I am,

Gratefully yours,

J. J. GEOGHAN, S. J.,
Principal.

IV. BOSTON FIREMEN'S RELIEF FUND
DONATION.

Through District Chief Michael J. Kennedy the Fire Commissioner has received from Mr. Roland C. Lincoln, 334 South street, Jamaica Plain, a check for \$50 as a contribution to the Boston Firemen's Relief Fund in appreciation of the work of members of this department at a fire in a field adjoining his home on November 2, 1924.

The check has been turned over to the treasurer of the Boston Firemen's Relief Fund.

V. HOME INSPECTION BLANKS.

District chiefs will call at all parochial schools in their respective districts and collect the home inspection blanks, which were distributed during Fire Prevention Week. The blanks will then be forwarded to headquarters. These blanks should be collected as soon as possible.

VI. FIRE COLLEGE.

The opening session of the Fire College will take place in the drill yard at headquarters, Bristol street, at 10.30 a. m., Monday, November 17, 1924. All officers who have been detailed to attend the first session of the college will report to Capt. Daniel W. Baker, executive officer of the Fire College, at that time and date.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

JOHN O. TABER,
Chief of Department.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 6 TO NOVEMBER 12.

NOVEMBER 6.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Standard Oil Company of New York.	445 Chelsea street.	1	First-class storage.	\$100,000
Rand, Avery Supply Company.	871 Commonwealth avenue.	25	First-class printing.	200,000
Katherine Walsh.	Rear of 32 Harriet street.	26	Second-class garage.	1,000
Mrs. Julia Maloney.	Rear of 29 Wyman street.	15	Second-class garage.	1,400
Harry J. Murray.	Rear of 17 Garden street.	23	Second-class garage.	1,000
Charles L. Howell.	Rear of 83 Woodrow avenue (1).	21	Third-class garage.	350
Charles L. Howell.	Rear of 83 Woodrow avenue (2).	21	Third-class garage.	350
Frances V. Kelly.	Rear of 1 and 3 Marion st.	23	Third-class garage.	500
Herbert Luidenberg.	67 Vermont street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Charles Masco.	170 Bayswater street.	1	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
P. J. Glynn.	18 Woodlawn street.	22	Third-class dwelling.	11,000
Sigrid Anderson.	118 Fairmount street.	21	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.	Rear of 97 Sprague street.	24	Alterations, car shop.	1,000
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.	42 Seaverns avenue.	22	Alterations, telephone exchange.	2,500
Sisters of St. Joseph.	645 and 647 Cambridge street.	25	Alterations, dormitories.	275
Augustus Lowell heirs.	726-730 Washington street.	5	Alterations, store and storage.	30,000
A. C. Burrage.	104 Perkins street.	22	Alterations, dwelling.	1,500
Mrs. M. McInerney.	7 Alleghany street.	14	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
Mary E. Wheelright.	71 Mt. Vernon street.	8	Alterations, apartments.	15,000
John Paino.	639 East Broadway.	19	Alterations, store and dwelling.	300
Mary Azadian.	62 North Beacon street.	26	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Martin Syvertsen.	1980 Centre street.	23	Alterations, dwelling.	2,000
Celia Epstein.	10 Glenarm street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	800
Lucile Marino.	453 Cambridge street.	25	Alterations, dwelling.	250
Central Building Wrecking Company.	11 Lansing street.	16	Take-down, tenement.	100
Central Building Wrecking Company.	Rear of 361 Warren street.	16	Take-down, stable.	800

NOVEMBER 7.

Mrs. Katherine Gendron.	Rear of 85 Murdock street.	26	First-class garage.	\$975
Josephine M. Purpura.	Rear of 26 Alpha road.	19	First-class garage.	940
William Carp et al.	60 Normandy street.	18	First-class garage.	7,000
Beatrice M. Kelley.	Rear of 28 and 30 Mapleton street.	26	First-class garage.	1,250
Theodore Jacob.	Rear of 40 Long avenue.	25	First-class garage.	900
Maria Cardischi.	Rear of 493 Chelsea street.	1	First-class garage.	1,000
James W. Maguire.	Rear of 6 Spaulding street.	20	Second-class garage.	500
James W. Maguire.	Rear of 10 Spaulding street.	20	Second-class garage.	500
Englander Spring Bed Company.	Rear of 1605 Hyde Park avenue.	24	Special warehouse.	5,000
Howard A. Wiggin.	Rear of 197 Fairmount ave.	24	Third-class garage.	400
Thomas McLaughlin.	Rear of 122 Milton avenue.	21	Third-class garage.	600
Nettie E. Fernandez.	5 Peacevale road.	21	Third-class dwelling.	12,000
M. J. Bouzan et al.	15 Hillside avenue.	23	Third-class dwelling.	9,000
Charles W. Rice.	24 Arnold street.	24	Third-class dwelling.	6,000
Mrs. M. A. Lacey.	494 Washington street.	25	Third-class dwelling.	15,000
F. J. Rockwell.	17 Larchmont street.	19	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Charles Cronin.	61 Seymour street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
Charles Cronin.	69 Seymour street.	23	Third-class dwelling.	10,000
M. C. Hollingsworth.	Rear of 126 Highland street.	24	Third-class garage.	900
Joanna Eckelberg et al.	82 Selwyn street.	23	Third-class garage.	405
Annie Aptaker.	16 Normandy street.	18	Alterations, dwelling.	200
John W. Flavin.	6-10 Beach street.	5	Alterations, offices.	400
Albany Carpet Cleaning Co.	501 Cambridge street.	26	Alterations, restaurant.	400
National Can Company.	71 Locust street.	11	Alterations, manufacturing.	1,000
Daniel Goodnow.	26 Allston street.	5	Alterations, apartment house.	40,000
The Ginter Company.	39 Winter street.	5	Erect sign.	700
The Ginter Company.	130 Boylston street.	5	Erect sign.	700
City Building Wrecking Company.	87 Court street.	5	Take-down, store and restaurant.	500

NOVEMBER 8.

S. S. Pierce Company.	133 Brookline avenue.	8	First-class office, store and warehouse.	\$600,000
C. M. O'Neil.	19 Corwin street.	18	First-class garage.	3,000
Edward Herman.	535 and 535A, 537 and 537A, 537B Washington street.	26	Second-class stores.	12,000
J. Segal.	38 Crawford street.	16	Second-class tenements.	30,000
J. Segal.	36 Crawford street.	16	Second-class tenements.	20,000
L. B. Figgins.	Rear of 22 Draper street.	18	Special garage.	600
E. L. Leverone.	Rear of 668 Washington street.	26	Special garage.	400
Walter Bodzilowski.	Rear of 11 and 13 Dracut street.	20	Third-class garage.	400
J. A. Castenguay.	Rear of 39 Rockwell street, (2).	21	Third-class garage.	600
J. A. Castenguay.	Rear 1 of 39 Rockwell street, (1).	21	Third-class garage.	600
E. Seller.	Rear of 6 Lyford street.	21	Third-class garage.	600
H. H. Lundberg.	Rear of 24 Mendelssohn street.	23	Third-class garage.	400
Hugh Gallagher.	Rear of 184 Minot street, (2).	20	Third-class garage.	600
Conrad Company.	25 Winter street.	5	Alterations, elevators.	2,550
R. Dunkel.	29-39 Corinth street.	23	Install elevator.	2,000
Tileston & Hollingsworth.	864-912 River street.	24	Install elevator.	4,000
Massachusetts General Hospital.	273 and 275 Cambridge street.	5	Alterations, stores and tenements.	5,000
George Ross.	418 La Grange street.	23	Alterations, auto repair shop.	1,200
M. A. McCarthy.	8 Piedmont street.	8	Alterations, manufacturing.	500
J. H. Ricker.	4 Evandale terrace.	17	Alterations, dwelling.	3,000
L. Damons Sons.	41 and 43 Franklin street.	5	Alterations, offices.	700
Paul Hamlin.	147-151 Massachusetts avenue.	7	Alterations, stores and tenements.	500

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Mary Clarke, 62 Alexander street, Ward 17, four cars.

Henry W. Robart, 64 Western avenue, Ward 26, five cars.

William J. Dean, 589 East Eighth street, Ward 10, five cars.

Edward Dale, 3 Hunter street, Ward 21, business garage.

C. & R. Construction Company, 7 Harrison street extension, Ward 23, business garage, ten cars.

Federal Oil Company, 100-108 Washington Street North, Ward 5, 3,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Michael F. Kenney, 128 Emerson street, Ward 9, 550 gallons gasoline.

Wilbur D. Maynard, 1881 Centre street, Ward 23, 500 gallons gasoline.

Metropolitan Filling Station, Inc., 4192 Washington street, Ward 23, 3,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Gooch Welding Company, 31 Southamp-ton street, Ward 12, acetylene and oxygen.

Eastern Steamship Lines, Inc., Foster's Wharf, Ward 5, oxygen and acetylene.

Salvatore V. Bisso et al., 202 and 204 Bremen street, Ward 2, four cars.

Charles Mignosa et al., 4 Wright's court, Ward 9, maintaining twelve cars.

Thomas G. Buckley, 55 Humphreys street, Ward 11, public garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.

American Oil Company of Massachusetts, 1735 Centre street, Ward 23, 2,000 gallons gasoline.

Boston Buick Company, 97 Massachusetts avenue, Ward 8, 500 additional gallons gasoline.

Harold A. Daman, 1942 Centre street, Ward 23, 5,000 gallons gasoline.

Charles J. Kane, 139-145 Cummings street, Ward 9, 20,000 gallons gasoline, etc.

A. Jerome Thorner, Blue Hill avenue, Ward 24, 2,000 gallons gasoline.

Mary E. Lynch, 60 Wenham street, Ward 22 four cars, four units.

John H. McCulpha, 515 and 517 Bennington street, Ward 1, group garage, twelve units, twelve cars.

Salvatore Centola, 446 Western avenue, Ward 26, 500 gallons gasoline.

J. A. Whittemore's Sons, 37 Burnett street, Ward 22, 500 gallons gasoline.

J. A. Whittemore's Sons, 95 Huntington avenue, Ward 7, 500 gallons gasoline.

J. A. Whittemore's Sons, 356 West First street, Ward 9, 500 gallons gasoline.

National Automobile Refrigerating Company, 564 East First street, Ward 9, acetylene and oxygen.

Hobart W. Troop, 58 Bailey street, Ward 21 acetylene and oxygen.

OFFERS TO BUY MASON STREET PROPERTY FOR KEITH THEATRICAL MEMORIAL.

The Mayor, on October 27, submitted the following to the City Council:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to submit herewith tender for site used by the City of Boston for Fire Station No. 26, located on Mason street.

It is the purpose of the B. F. Keith Theatre Company, provided that the city is agreeable to sell the property located on Mason street, and used by Engine Company No. 26, to erect thereon a permanent memorial to the founder of the B. F. Keith theatrical enterprises at a cost of \$2,000,000. The income from

this estate would net the city annually the sum of \$50,000 in revenue and is worthy of consideration.

The B. F. Keith management have further agreed that they will pay to the city immediately upon adoption of the order the sum set forth in their tender, namely, \$240,000. With this sum as a basis, it is possible to establish a permanent central fire headquarters over the subway entrance at Tremont street and Shawmut avenue. This site, long considered by the officials of the Fire Department a most desirable one in the heart of the city, merits immediate consideration.

I have fortunately been able to secure an agreement from the B. F. Keith management whereby they will permit the City of Boston to continue as occupants of the fire station on Mason street until such time as the new fire headquarters at Shawmut avenue and Tremont street are available for use.

I accordingly unhesitatingly recommend adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 633.

A trial board, consisting of Captains Walkins, McConnell and McDevitt, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman John J. Cummings of Division 11, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman John J. Cummings perform one hundred and forty hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 634.

A trial board, consisting of Captains Walkins, McConnell and McDevitt, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman James B. Connolly of Division 20, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman James B. Connolly be and he hereby is reprimanded in General Orders.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 635.

A trial board, consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman John J. Donnelly of Division 2, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty on the charge and specifications. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman John J. Donnelly be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 6 TO NOVEMBER 12.

NOVEMBER 8—Continued.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Helen T. Lawson	71 Oakland street	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Dr. T. Riley	502 and 504 Massachusetts avenue	13	Alterations, stores and lodg- ing.	750
American Building Wreck- ing Company.	2 Bulfinch street.....	5	Take-down, dwelling.....	210
Mystic Building Wrecking Company.	181-189 Cambridge street..	5	Take-down, dwelling...	300
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NOVEMBER 10.

C. L. Hanley	Rear of 349 Seaver street...	19	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Patrick Ahearn	Rear of 43 Olney street...	18	First-class garage.....	1,500
Patrick Dowling	Rear of 41 and 43 Edwin st..	20	First-class garage.....	1,400
Gussie Golden	Rear of 19 Warner street...	19	First-class garage.....	1,000
Antonio P. Maggione	45 Byron street.....	1	First-class garage.....	1,000
Peter Cerbone	159 Everett street.....	2	First-class garage.....	3,000
Agnes G. Nash	Rear of 75 Mayfield street..	11	First-class garage.....	1,200
Lillian R. Katz	Rear of 22 Wolcott street...	19	First-class garage.....	1,000
C. L. Hanley	Rear of 17 Dotset street.....	11	First-class garage.....	1,000
Minnie Steeves	Rear of 95 Blue Hill avenue.	16	Second-class garage.....	600
W. C. Canniff & Sons	Rear of 21 Oakland street...	21	Second-class garage.....	500
Hattie H. Wagner	Rear of 87 Waldeck street...	19	Second-class garage.....	650
Fannie Solov <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 1222 Blue Hill ave..	21	Second-class garage.....	1,500
Jacob Reznick	14 Abbotsford street.....	16	Second-class tenements...	30,000
Jacob Reznick	10 Abbotsford street.....	16	Second-class tenements...	30,000
Arthur G. Brown	71 Ocean street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
R. Shilman	115 Tonawanda street.....	19	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Mrs. E. Anderson	21 Bexley road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
E. Hopgarten	Rear of 34 Bexley road.....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
Esther M. Curry	266 Arborway.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Nelson W. Hart	Rear of 611 LaGrange street.	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Edward M. Cousins	Rear of 77 Cass street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Mary L. Paine	9 Peabody street.....	14	Special garage.....	75
Sebastiano Grande	311 Saratoga street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Mrs. S. E. Robinson	243 Savin Hill avenue.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
Mrs. S. E. Robinson	243A Savin Hill avenue.....	17	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,300
Mrs. J. Walsh	19 Fuller street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	350
Shaheen Deeb	287 Shawmut avenue.....	6	Alterations, store and lodging,	200
Andrew Todd	393 Ashmont street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Dominico DeSimone	28 Bromley Park.....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	100
Vincenzo Grana	66 Webster street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Louis Segal	42 Georgia street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Malcolm Seymour	479 Commonwealth avenue,	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
A. Storlazzi	406 Sumner street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	4,500

NOVEMBER 11.

Bessie Feldman	Rear of 19 Morse street...	19	Second class garage.....	\$1,000
Mrs. A. J. Boyce	Rear of 71 Ocean street...	20	Second class garage.....	1,000
Christopher Ausin	Rear of 87 Newburg street...	23	Second class garage.....	800
John J. Manning	Rear of 6 Eastbourne street.	23	Third class garage.....	450
Mrs. Elin Svendsen	583 Metropolitan avenue...	25	Third class garage.....	500
Joseph Corman	27 Fessenden street.....	21	Third class dwelling.....	10,000
Joseph Corman	29 Fessenden street.....	21	Third class dwelling.....	10,000
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital	88 Court street.....	8	Alterations, stores and offices,	20,000
H. D. Hayden	9 Exeter street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Mahler Clothing Company	2171 Washington street...	13	Alterations, store.....	500
McBlois & Maddison	222 Sumner street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	450
Teresa Mangu	99 Cottage street.....	2	Alterations, store and dwelling	700
Massachusetts General Hos- pital.	265 and 267 Cambridge street.	5	Alterations, storage.....	3,000
I. S. Lindsey	204 H street.....	10	Alterations, tenements.....	200
Baker estate	205 Friend street.....	5	Alterations, stores and manu- facturing.	1,000
M. B. Millett	1 Cottage street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
Angelina Cappucco	202 H street.....	10	Alterations, tenements.....	1,000
Lotta Crabtree estate	619 Washington street...	5	Erect sign.....	875
Central Building Wrecking Company.	93 Cambridge street.....	5	Take down, tenements.....	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.	95 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down, tenements.....	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.	99 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down, tenements.....	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.	105 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down, tenements.....	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.	396 Maverick street.....	2	Take down, sheds.....	100
Central Building Wrecking Company.	400 Maverick street.....	2	Take down, storage.....	100

NOVEMBER 12.

Molly Shair	Rear of 36 Havelock street..	21	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Edward Betty	Rear of 129 Milton avenue.	21	First-class garage.....	700
Mary V. Raftery	Rear of 613 East Fifth street	9	First-class garage.....	1,500
Frederick Westerlund	1540 Centre street.....	23	First-class garage.....	1,200
Diamond Realty Company	Rear of 949 and 951 Morton street.	21	First-class garage.....	900
A. DeLucca	Rear of 18 Sumner street...	11	First-class garage.....	1,600
George Dikmak	Rear of 21 Linden street...	25	First-class garage.....	1,200
William J. McMaeklin	Rear of 100 Williams street.	22	First-class garage.....	1,600
William A. McPherson	4159-63 Washington street..	23	Second-class stores.....	15,000
William Bamel	9 Egremont road.....	25	Second-class tenements...	35,000
William Bamel	15 Egremont road.....	25	Second-class tenements...	35,000
Samuel B. Zetterman	61 Floyd street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Samuel B. Zetterman	65 Floyd street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
John Ficichy	Rear of 68 Arlington street.	24	Third-class garage.....	500
Thomas Barrett	96 Preble street.....	11	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
J. Homsy	17 Hudson street.....	5	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
James A. Frazer	47 Blue Hill avenue.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	375
Abram Golden	44 and 46 Middlesex street.	6	Alterations, dwelling.....	200

BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY HAS ARRANGED EXHIBITION FOR STEVENSON ANNIVERSARY.

COLLECTION OF FIRST EDITIONS ON VIEW TO PUBLIC IN THE BARTON ROOM ON OCCASION OF SEVENTY-FOURTH ANNIVERSARY.

To commemorate the seventy-fourth anniversary of the birthday of Robert Louis Stevenson (he was born on the 13th of November, 1850, in Edinburgh), an exhibition of the first editions of his works has been arranged in the Barton Room of the Boston Public Library. On the day of the anniversary, Thursday of this week, in the Lecture Hall of the Library, at 8 p. m., Guy Richardson gave an illustrated talk on the Scottish novelist and poet.

The exhibition includes some twenty-five items, from "Travels with a Donkey" (1879) to "St. Ives" (1898). Some of these volumes are now quite valuable, being much coveted by collectors. A copy of "Travels with a Donkey," for instance, which sold for \$15.50 in 1908, realized \$95 in 1923. "The Silverado Squatters," sold for \$2 in 1908, now stands at \$35 to \$40. "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" shows perhaps the greatest fluctuation in price. Sold for \$4.50 fifteen years ago, its price varies today between \$25 and \$65. Copies with inscriptions by the author sell at hundreds of dollars.

Chatto and Windus, Cassell & Co., Longmans, Green & Co., and in America Scribners published most of the works of Stevenson. The Boston edition of "Travels with a Donkey," published by Roberts Brothers, contains the same frontispiece (by Walter Crane) as the London edition with which it appeared simultaneously. At auctions and in catalogues this edition is hardly quoted at all. "The Silverado Squatters," describing the mining camps of California, is especially interesting to Americans. "Un-

der a heavy strain of personal anxiety and literary effort," Stevenson spent the year of 1880 in this country. . . . His poems, "A Child's Garden of Verses," were published in 1885. The Library possesses the New York edition of this book, published in the same year by Scribners. This is another item, quite rare today.

A copy of the large paper edition of "Underwoods," Stevenson's lyrical poems, published in 1887 in fifty copies, attracts the attention of the visitor. The greater part of "The Master of Ballantrae" was written at Saranac Lake in the Adirondacks. His "Ballads" were published in London, in 1890, while he was cruising on his little steamer through the unfamiliar islands of the South Sea. Having left the British Isles in 1887, Stevenson never saw again his native country. The last four years of his life he spent at Samoa, where he became a real chieftain of the islanders.

Some of his most important works he wrote here. The Scottish romance of "Catriona" was published in 1893. "Island Nights' Entertainments," three tales illustrative of Pacific Ocean character, date from the same year. He was dictating "Weir of Hermiston" on the day he died. The book was published in 1896. The "Vailima Letters" came out in 1895, "St. Ives" in 1898. He left several books unfinished.

The complete list of Stevenson's works is astonishing. In his short life, stricken from childhood with consumption, it is a wonder how he could write and live so much—write with such beauty, and live with such intensity.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS (NONEDUCATIONAL).

SECOND LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT, HEAD-QUARTERS AT BOSTON, MASS. RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS TO CLOSE DECEMBER 15, 1924.

Positions and salaries.

Second officer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,740-\$1,800 a year; mate of light vessel,* \$1,860 a year; assistant engineer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,800-\$1,920 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel,* \$1,800-\$1,940 a year; mate of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year.

For the positions marked * applicants are required to have an appropriate license; for the positions marked † no license is required.

Assistant lighthouse keeper, \$900-\$1,080 a year.

Form 1025 required. Applicants must be qualified boatmen.

Depot keeper, \$1,560-\$1,620 a year.

Applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position where a knowledge of lighthouse material or similar material would be gained.

Medical examination of appointees. In view of the benefits granted employees

under employees' compensation and retirement legislation, persons appointed may be given a medical examination by a physician in the Federal Service before entering on duty.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces open competitive examinations for the positions listed above. From the registers resulting from these examinations certification will be made to fill existing and future vacancies at the places and salaries indicated or at higher or lower salaries.

Citizenship and Sex.—All citizens of the United States who meet the requirements, both men and women, may enter these examinations; appointing officers, however, have the legal right to specify the sex desired in requesting certification of eligibles. Male eligibles are desired for the positions named hereon unless otherwise indicated.

Subjects and Weights.—Applicants will not be assembled for a written examination. The examination will consist of the subjects mentioned below, which will have the relative weights indicated:

Subjects: 1. Physical ability, 40; 2. Training and experience, 60; total, 100.

Training and Experience.—For the positions marked "(a)" applicants must have had at least one year's experience in the occupation for which application is made.

For the positions marked "(b)" applicants must have completed an apprenticeship or its equivalent in the trade for which application is filed.

For the positions marked "(c)" applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position similar to that for which application is filed.

All statements relating to training and experience are accepted subject to verification. No applicant will be eligible for appointment who fails to attain a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of training and experience and a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of physical ability.

Physical Requirements.—The following physical defects will debar applicants from any examination: Bright's disease; malignant tumor (cancer, etc.); diabetes; epilepsy; any abnormal hardening of the arteries (arteriosclerosis); transmissible disease, including syphilis, gonorrhea, and chancre, also tuberculosis (active or arrested for a period of less than one year); insanity or mental illness sufficiently definite to affect the usefulness of applicant; seriously defective vision of both eyes, incorrectible by glasses; progressive myopia; progressive or disabling paralysis; uncompensated valvular disease of the heart; loss of both arms, both legs, or arm and leg; hands, arms, feet, legs, or body so injured, crippled, or deformed as to seriously affect usefulness; chronic alcoholism or drug addiction. In addition, persons who have lost an arm or a leg or who are ruptured are ineligible for appointment to positions in the Custodian Service. Other physical defects will render applicants ineligible for any particular service or position, when, in the judgment of the commission, such defects would disqualify them for the duties required. Physical requirements may be waived in the case of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines under certain conditions.

Applications will be rated as received and certification made as the needs of the service require.

BOARD OF CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINERS,
Office of Lighthouse Superintendent,
Custom House, Boston.

ANNEXATIONS TO BOSTON.

East Boston in 1637; South Boston in 1804, being set off from Dorchester; Roxbury in 1868, a city of Norfolk County since March, 1846; Dorchester in 1870, a town since September, 1630; Charlestown in 1874, a city of Middlesex County since February, 1847; Brighton in 1874, set off from Cambridge and incorporated as a town of Middlesex County in February, 1807; West Roxbury in 1874, set off from Roxbury and incorporated as a town of Norfolk County in May, 1851; Hyde Park in 1912, a town of Norfolk County since April, 1868.

These annexations, which added 24,312 acres of land to the original land of Boston, were by area as follows: East Boston, 1,435 acres; South Boston, 795; Roxbury, 2,450; Dorchester, 5,600; West Roxbury, 8,075; Brighton, 2,664; Charlestown, 424; Hyde Park, 2,869. Filled land increased the area later by 1,396 acres. In 1875 the annexed territory had a population of 201,250, or 58.86 per cent of City's total; in 1910 its population had increased to 477,311, or 71.18 per cent, Hyde Park not included. By 1915 the total was 549,139, or 73.67 per cent of City.

TABLE SHOWING APPLICATIONS, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDING OCTOBER, 1924.

CHARACTER	APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES AND STORES.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		GARAGES.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....											137	\$233,660
Second Class.....	6	\$185,000					3	\$32,000	1	\$8,000	69	151,100
Third Class.....	4	63,000					118	1,093,400			67	28,784
Special Class.....											10	14,015
Total New Work.....	10	\$248,000					121	\$1,125,400	1	\$8,000	283	\$417,559
Alterations, etc.....	8	28,500	10	\$13,750	2	\$1,310	576	197,044	13	6,448	17	5,985
Grand Totals.....	18	\$276,500	10	\$13,750	2	\$1,310	697	\$1,322,444	14	\$14,448	300	\$423,544

CHARACTER.	HOTELS.		LODGING HOUSES.		LODGING HOUSES AND STORES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.		OFFICE BUILDINGS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....							3	\$730,000			2	\$404,000
Second Class.....							10	76,300	1	\$30,000		
Third Class.....							1	600				
Special Class.....							1	7,500				
Total New Work.....							15	\$814,400	1	\$30,000	2	\$404,000
Alterations, etc.....	3	\$41,450	11	\$6,175	1	\$750	68	128,220	7	12,850	17	66,870
Grand Totals.....	3	\$41,450	11	\$6,175	1	\$750	83	\$942,630	8	\$42,850	19	\$470,870

CHARACTER.	PUBLIC BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC HALLS.		STABLES.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....							3	\$107,800	145	\$1,475,460
Second Class.....							1	2,000	91	484,400
Third Class.....							29	11,405	219	1,197,189
Special Class.....							3	7,700	14	19,215
Total New Work.....							36	\$128,905	469	\$3,176,264
Alterations, etc.....	1	\$100	1	\$150	16	\$17,750	26	8,648	777	536,010
Grand Totals.....	1	\$100	1	\$150	16	\$17,750	62	\$137,553	1,246	\$3,712,274

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Adams street, east side, between a point 170 feet north of Ashmont street and a point 95 feet easterly and northerly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$1,000.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Allston street, between Elizabeth

avenue and a point 134 feet southwesterly, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$1,171.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Louders lane, between a point about 995 feet west of Centre street and a point 50 feet westerly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$400.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Church street, between Parkvale road and a point 150 feet southeasterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of \$1,200.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe

in Adams street, between existing sewer about 110 feet southwest of Milton street and a point about 150 feet southerly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$950.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Child street, between Gordon avenue and Linwood street, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of \$2,350.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Ruskin road, between a point 498 feet southeast of Wood avenue and a point 130 feet southeasterly, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of \$1,300.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending November 8, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 186; nonresidents, 31; total, 217.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.57; nonresidents deducted, 12.49.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 11.48; corresponding week last year, 11.67.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 24; one year to five years, inclusive, 10; sixty years and over, 77; total deaths: male, 119; female, 98; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 107; deaths of colored, 7.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 8, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 10, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	1	—
Diphtheria.....	42	3	74	4
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	—	—
Influenza.....	5	3	—	—
Measles.....	29	2	39	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	1	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	21	7	21	2
Scarlet fever.....	47	—	64	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	25	8	37	13
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	4	3	3	1
Typhoid fever.....	1	1	1	1
Whooping cough.....	13	1	7	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKERS, STATE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL DISEASES, NOVEMBER 25, 1924.

There are several vacancies as follows: Four vacancies as district supervisors at a salary of \$1,800 a year, with locations at Springfield, Worcester, Salem and Taunton. These vacancies are for women. There are also three vacancies for positions in the State House, at salaries of \$1,560 a year. These vacancies are for two women and one man.

Applicants are required to have a high school education or its equivalent. It is desirable that they should in addition have a college education together with such training and experience as is secured at recognized schools giving courses in psychiatric social work.

The duties of the district supervisors are as follows: District arrangement and supervision of assistant social workers, interviews with prisoners at jails, social psychiatric and medical history work in the community, record writing, attendance at and participation in monthly conference work, etc. The duties of the social workers are similar.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

SUPERVISOR OF THE BROOM SHOP (MALE), STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, DIVISION OF THE BLIND, NOVEMBER 25, 1924.

The salary is \$30 per week. This position is in the Cambridge workshops for the blind. The duties of the position are to supervise the sorting of the broom corn and the winding of the broom. Applicants should have had practical experience in broom making and have a thorough knowledge of brooms and broom corn.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

DENTAL HYGIENIST, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, NOVEMBER 25, 1924.

(Requisition is for a female but the examination is open to both males and females.)

The salary is \$1,440 per year. Applicants must be not less than 21 years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application. Applicants must be high school graduates and graduates of a recognized training school for dental hygienists. Applicants must also be registered dental hygienists under the State Board of Dental Examiners.

The duties of the position are to prepare educational material on mouth

hygiene, to give talks to children and other community groups, to conduct surveys and demonstrations in mouth hygiene, and to serve as consultant to agencies wishing to start mouth hygiene activities.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

FOREMEN OF WATER, SEWER AND HIGHWAYS, ETC., DECEMBER 12, 1924.

This examination is for foremen of water, sewer, and highways (or streets) in the service of the state and of all cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service; and of sanitary and street cleaning in the service of Boston.

There are several vacancies in different cities which will be filled from the list established as a result of this examination.

(A) Highway (or street) foremen in the service of the state, or cities in the state except Boston, and of the towns classified under civil service: Training and experience, 14; arithmetic, 4; report, 2; practical questions on street and road construction, grading, repairing, etc., 10; total, 30. The subjects and weights for Boston foremen are: Training and experience, 14; arithmetic, 4; report, 2; practical questions, 9; questions on the care of horses, 1; total, 30.

(B) Sewer: The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) State Highway, except that the practical questions will concern the quality of materials, bracing and refilling of trenches, general maintenance and repair of sewers, catch-basins, etc.

(C) Water: The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) State Highway, except that the practical questions will concern the laying and maintenance of water mains and service pipes, timekeeping, accounting for material, etc.

(D) Sanitary and street cleaning (in the service of Boston). The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) Boston Street Foremen, except that the practical questions will concern the handling of ashes, garbage, etc., and the watering, oiling and cleaning of streets.

NOTE.—Applicants for all services may, if they wish, take an additional paper on the use of explosives, and if successful in passing it will have it so noted as a special qualification.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience and at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

Sample questions available.

STOREKEEPER AND STEWARD (MALE), LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL, INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT, NOVEMBER 28, 1924.

The salary is \$1,000 a year.

The duties of this position are to have the general management of the storeroom, including ordering of all supplies, checking of same when received and making proper records, and keeping records of daily disbursements. Applicants should be familiar with general business account-

ing, making out reports, keeping records, and business correspondence. As steward, the duties include the supervision of the management of the storeroom, the bakery, the kitchens, dining rooms, and with the dietitian the planning of menus.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

MEDICAL INSPECTOR, BOSTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NOVEMBER 28, 1924.

Requisition is for a male but the examination is open to both males and females.

There are two vacancies at a salary of \$1,600 a year. Applicants must be registered physicians under the State Board of Registration in Medicine. The medical director keeps in touch with health conditions in his district and under the direction of the Health Department advises and co-operates with physicians and local organizations in matters relating to the promotion of public health; it is his duty to see that measures prescribed by law or regulations for the prevention of the spread of communicable diseases are observed, to supervise the isolation or quarantine of communicable diseases, to examine, when occasion arises, persons suspected of having a reportable disease, to investigate causes of sickness or food poisoning or of death, and to perform various other duties of a professional character.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

MATRON, BOSTON SCHOOL DEPARTMENT, DECEMBER 2, 1924.

The salary is \$18.15 per week.

Applicants must be not less than twenty-five nor more than fifty years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants have a knowledge of nursing.

The duties of this position are as follows: To look after the physical welfare of the girls in the high schools, to assist the teachers of physical training, have general supervision over the girls in and about the locker rooms, baths, sanitariums, and act in an emergency in case of sickness.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

CIVIL ENGINEERS, DECEMBER 15-20, 1924. THESE EXAMINATIONS ARE FOR THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, ALL CITIES, AND SUCH TOWNS AS ARE CLASSIFIED UNDER CIVIL SERVICE.

Warning.—Many men fail in the civil engineering examination because they apply for grades for which they are not qualified. It is advisable, therefore, if there is any doubt about the quantity or quality of your experience, to take both the grade for which you think you are qualified and the next lower grade. If you should be found ineligible for the higher grade, you will still have an opportunity to be placed on the next lower grade.

Grade A.

Engineering assistants, drafting assistants, and rodmen, who perform under instruction and supervision elementary or apprentice work in the field or office.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not Grade A if the salary is less than \$900 a year or more than \$1,440 a year.

Qualifications.—Applicants must have completed a high school course of not less than three years or must have had not less than one year of practical experience in field engineering or office work.

Subjects and Weights.—Rodmen—Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; tracing, 3; questions on the duties of the position, 6; total 20. Assistant draughtsmen—Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; drawing, 9; total, 20.

Grade B.

Senior engineering assistants, instrumentmen, and draughtsmen (a) who assume responsibility for the execution of definite instructions in a minor division or section of engineering activity; or (b) who direct, under supervision, the operation of minor engineering projects.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade B if the salary is more than \$1,980 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, not less than one year of service in Grade A. If appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade A, at least two years of practical experience in engineering work of Grade A character and standard; or such training in civil engineering as is evidenced by a professional degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction at an institution or college of recognized standing; or the successful completion of not less than two years' study in such institution plus one year's practical experience in engineering work.

Subjects and Weights.—Instrumentmen—Experience, 16; penmanship, 2; plotting, 6; questions on duties, 8; mathematics, 8; total, 40. Draughtsmen—Experience, 16; drawing, 10; mathematics, 6; duties, 4; plotting, 4; total, 40.

Grade C.

Assistant engineers, assistant civil engineers, and designing engineers: (a) who assume responsibility for the direction of surveys, the preparation and examination of, or advice upon, plans, designs and specifications for a minor section of a large engineering or a major section of a small engineering project; or (b) who supervise or inspect the construction or the operation of work on such a

project; or (d) who make investigations of, and reports upon, such engineering projects as a basis for a report by an engineering superior.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade C, if the salary is more than \$2,580 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion within a department or major division thereof, not less than two years of service in Grade B, or if appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade B, within a department or major division thereof, at least five years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch of engineering work covered by the position, provided that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of three years practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 10; design, 2; mathematics, 2; questions on material and methods of construction, 3; engineering theory, 3; total, 20.

Grade D.

Senior assistant engineers, senior assistant civil engineers, and senior designing engineers: (a) who supervise and assume complete responsibility for the work of a main division of an engineering organization, involving the direction of surveys and design and construction; or (b) who maintain and operate the major section of a large engineering project; or (c) who make independent investigations of and reports upon engineering projects as a basis for executive, administrative, or judicial action; or (d) who take charge of a large engineering department in the absence of the chief engineer; or (e) who give advice on large or complicated engineering projects, which may involve the preparation of plans.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade D if the salary is more than \$3,600 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, not less than three years service in Grade C. If appointed otherwise than by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, at least eight years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch covered by the position, and two years of which shall have been in an executive capacity; provided, that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of four years of practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 24; questions on materials and methods of construction, 5; engineering theory, 5; design, 6; total, 40.

An applicant must specify the grade for which he applies. Specimen examinations available.

EXPENDITURES FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES (RANKING FROM HIGHEST).

Los Angeles, \$20.62; Pittsburgh, \$15.51; Chicago, \$13.92; San Francisco, \$12.14; Philadelphia, \$8.68; New York, \$8.23; Boston, \$7.42 (as corrected according to approx. population). (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1920, Preliminary Reports.)

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Thursday, November 6, 1924.

Special meeting of the City Council of the City of Boston held in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of drawing jurors, President DONOGHUE presiding, and a quorum present.

Jurors were drawn, the Mayor absent, viz.:

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, First Session, to appear December 1, 1924:

Jerome N. McDonald, Ward 1; Francis A. Neville, Ward 1; Fred Stevens, Ward 1; Arthur T. Watt, Ward 1; John F. Cody, Ward 5; John F. Sheehan, Ward 6; Frank G. Tucker, Ward 6; John M. Cunningham, Ward 8; Joseph F. Fairchild, Ward 8; William C. Griffin, Ward 8; Robert H. H. Morgan, Ward 8; William G. Rueter, Ward 8; Ruel S. Baird, Ward 11; James C. Curtis, Ward 11; Carl Swenson, Ward 11; Archie L. Jenness, Ward 12; William J. Davison, Ward 13; John F. Kenny, Ward 13; Edward F. Devine, Ward 14; Louis Lucke, Ward 14; Albert Biewend, Ward 15; William F. Bowen, Ward 15; Morris Goldberg, Ward 16; James L. Hickey, Ward 16; James S. Jones, Ward 16; William A. Marmaud, Ward 16; James S. Cavanaugh, Ward 17; James Sheppard, Ward 17; Thomas D. Doherty, Ward 18; Arthur W. Stranger, Ward 18; Francis C. Gilbert, Ward 19; Henry G. McDonnell, Ward 19; Robert Crosbie, Ward 21; Henry H. Baker, Ward 22; George V. Spike, Ward 22; William C. Stinson, Ward 22; Fred G. Waldron, Ward 23; Andrew J. Casey, Ward 25; Arthur H. Cloonan, Ward 25; Kenneth S. Lothrop, Ward 25.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Third Session, to appear December 1, 1924:

Barlow Grimshaw, Ward 1; Joseph F. McCabe, Ward 4; Patrick Crowley, Ward 5; Michael Rossetti, Ward 5; Frank W. Stimpson, Ward 5; John J. Walsh, Ward 6; Richard J. Dermody, Ward 7; Lawrence V. Flaherty, Ward 7; Emery E. Freeman, Ward 7; Albert Bolph, Ward 8; Jeremiah T. Harrigan, Ward 8; F. Rowland Hill, Ward 8; Charles Weisberg, Ward 8; John H. O'Brien, Ward 9; John H. Powers, Ward 10; Charles L. Fowers, Ward 11; Daniel W. Healy, Ward 12; Andrew Fay, Ward 14; Edward A. Holmes, Ward 14; Jacob Braud, Ward 15; Charles F. Peterson, Ward 15; John Hogan, Ward 16; Maurice S. Rogers, Ward 16; John J. Coogan, Ward 19; Stephen Bradford, Ward 21; Nathan Ginsberg, Ward 21; Harold A. Perkins, Ward 21; Benjamin S. Foss, Ward 22; Fred McMorran, Ward 22; William T. Wilson, Ward 22; John C. Blake, Ward 23; Clarence A. Lishman, Jr., Ward 24; Joseph T. Donovan, Ward 25; Russell E. Tilley, Ward 25; Lawrence E. Welch, Ward 25; Patrick F. Donovan, Ward 26; Robert Freeman, Ward 26; Patrick Hickey, Ward 26; George E. Jennett, Ward 26; William P. Reilly, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fourth Session, to appear December 1, 1924:

John J. Callahan, Ward 1; Gustaf H. Lundgren, Ward 1; Joseph Rice, Ward 2; John J. O'Brien, Ward 3; Charles F. Chase, Ward 4; John Cooney, Ward 4; Halsey M. Marshall, Ward 4; David S. Rowe, Ward 4; Daniel L. Doherty, Ward 5; Jacob Myers, Ward 5; Alexander A. Salemm, Ward 5; James E. Paton, Ward 7; Henry W. Montague, Ward 8; Frank S. Murphy, Ward 8; Charles H. Woodman, Ward 8; John F. Carey, Jr., Ward 9; Joseph S. Coupal, Ward 10; Michael J. Grannan, Ward 10; Henry E. Helfenstein, Ward 10; Daniel F. Lynch, Ward 10; Frederick J. Gallagher, Ward 11; Edward H. Phillips, Ward 11; James F. Lacey, Ward 13; Timothy Leary, Ward 13; Walter W. Wentworth, Ward 14; Daniel F. Keefe, Ward 15; Frederick W. Kurth, Ward 15; Saul Jacobs, Ward 16; Hernan J. Levine, Ward 16; Charles S. Sebastian, Ward 16; Daniel F. Curran, Ward 17; Napoleon Brousseau, Ward 18; James A. Hennessy, Ward 18; William J. Paul, Ward 18; Samuel Starr, Ward 19; William J. Loughran, Ward 20; Reginald H. Gay, Ward 22; Arthur S. Cummings, Ward 23; Joseph L. House, Ward 24; Thomas E. Mullen, Ward 25.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court Fifth Session, to appear December 1, 1924:

William L. Flanagan, Ward 2; Julius L. Prives, Ward 2; Albert V. Wainwright, Ward 2; Peter F. Leahy, Ward 3; Malcolm J. Morrison, Ward 3; John E. Leverone, Ward 5; Thomas F. Brody, Ward 6; Patrick J. Coleman, Ward 6; Matthew J. Murphy, Ward 6; Charles J. Palmer, Ward 6; Arthur N. Atwood, Ward 7; William R. McLaurin, Ward 7; James Harold Tripp, Ward 7; Pardon N. Dexter, Ward 8; J. Howard Leman, Ward 8; Patrick F. O'Brien, Ward 9; John J. Foley, Ward 11; John F. Costello, Ward 12; John Reynolds, Ward 12; John Haussler, Ward 14; John W. Sullivan, Ward 14; George L. Goodwin, Ward 15; William A. Motley, Jr., Ward 15; Harry N. Goldberg, Ward 16; Daniel Russell, Ward 17; Denis J. Lorden, Ward 19; John A. McGilvary, Ward 20; Clifford J. Brooks, Ward 21; Clark N. Congdon, Ward 21; John McKinnon, Ward 21; Thomas F. Long, Jr., Ward 22; Timothy E. Rogers, Ward 22; Samuel D. Knowlton, Ward 23; William J. Noonan, Ward 23; Harry D. Akemark, Ward 24; Paul A. Koehler, Ward 25; Jacob

Land, Ward 25; Alexander W. Marvin, Ward 25; Max Traunstein, Ward 25; Edward J. Twigg, Ward 25.

Thirty-five traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, First Session, October Sitting, to appear December 1, 1924:

Archibald McInnes, Ward 1; Arthur H. Noble, Ward 1; Martin N. Roche, Ward 1; William F. Teevens, Ward 1; Ralph N. Allen, Ward 6; George T. Hayes, Ward 6; Daniel T. Roberts, Ward 6; James D. Langdon, Ward 7; Thorndike D. Howe, Ward 8; Harold F. Mason, Ward 8; Walter R. Bartlett, Ward 9; John J. Lyons, Ward 9; Joseph P. Madden, Ward 9; James N. Murray, Ward 9; William B. Shutt, Ward 9; Edward L. Geary, Ward 10; Daniel F. Kelleher, Ward 10; Frederick P. Angell, Ward 13; Howard T. Barbour, Ward 15; Gabriel Hartog, Ward 15; Frank M. LaVie, Ward 15; Ernest L. Mason, Ward 15; Albert F. Weners, Ward 15; Samuel Croll, Ward 16; John W. Foster, Ward 16; Frank W. McLaughlin, Ward 16; Richard E. Roeder, Ward 16; William J. Anderson, Ward 17; John J. McLaughlin, Ward 17; Swan I. Cedar, Ward 18; Fred F. Lockwood, Ward 18; Charles C. Griffiths, Ward 21; Joseph N. Faulstich, Ward 23; Benjamin Ford, Ward 25; Harold F. Frost, Ward 25.

Thirty-three traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Second Session, October Sitting, to appear December 1, 1924:

John L. Swansburg, Ward 1; Victor J. Solari, Ward 1; Jeremiah F. Burns, Ward 4; Josef Robinson, Ward 5; Walter G. Goodwin, Ward 7; Ernest Linderholm, Ward 7; Henry W. Bird, Ward 8; Peter Garrigan, Ward 8; Robert C. Hallahan, Ward 8; Dunbar Lockwood, Ward 8; Edward M. Curry, Ward 9; Peter G. McDermott, Ward 9; Charles H. Otton, Ward 9; Michael J. Quigley, Ward 9; Timothy J. Mullen, Ward 10; Stephen W. Baxter, Ward 12; Elmer E. Conant, Ward 12; Frank E. Bertram, Ward 13; Thomas Quinn, Ward 15; Fletcher W. Anderson, Ward 16; Murray S. Cohen, Ward 16; Francis J. Heffernan, Ward 16; Harry Rosenfield, Ward 16; Patrick J. O'Connell, Ward 17; Edmund W. Chapman, Ward 18; Elmer A. Phillips, Ward 19; Edward H. Taylor, Ward 19; Richard Whitney, Ward 19; Peter A. Day, Ward 20; Charles J. O'Brien, Ward 22; James E. Edwards, Ward 23; J. Edward Kurth, Ward 23; Louis F. Schall, Ward 23.

Thirty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Third Session, October Sitting, to appear December 1, 1924:

Maurice J. Blaquero, Ward 1; Hugh H. Doherty, Ward 1; Stephen A. Hallahan, Ward 1; Albert L. Kelley, Ward 1; William A. Pavne, Ward 1; Thomas F. Gallagher, Ward 2; William T. Ford, Ward 3; Thomas J. Leavey, Ward 5; William I. Hall, Ward 7; Alexander F. O'Connor, Ward 7; Albert C. Sherman, Jr., Ward 7; William H. Walls, Ward 9; James E. Ryan, Ward 13; John N. Drummond, Ward 14; Bernard Hailer, Ward 14; Bernard J. Martin, Ward 14; Thomas A. Scanlan, Jr., Ward 14; David D. Adams, Ward 15; Frank X. Barrett, Ward 15; Louis Gordon, Ward 16; William L. Johnson, Ward 16; William J. Murphy, Ward 16; Edward J. Sullivan, Ward 16; Stephen J. Lawler, Ward 17; Percy I. Minard, Ward 17; Frank J. Hoell, Ward 18; William A. Murphy, Ward 18; James A. Fitton, Ward 19; Burton E. Leavitt, Ward 19; Joseph A. Phinney, Ward 19; George H. Brunning, Ward 20; George L. Burt, Ward 21; Guy L. Dixon, Ward 21; Lorenzo F. Ripley, Ward 21; George D. Hines, Ward 22; Arthur N. Folsom, Ward 23; Herbert A. Baxter, Ward 24; Walter Henry Kane, Ward 24.

Thirty-three traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fourth Session, October Sitting, to appear December 1, 1924:

Charles M. Berrill, Ward 1; Peter Shortall, Ward 1; Charles Anderson, Ward 2; John T. Barry, Ward 2; Albert W. Preshong, Ward 2; Charles N. Stearns, Ward 3; Max Bergman, Ward 5; Harry F. Hunter, Ward 5; Luke McGarty, Ward 7; Charles E. Thomas, Ward 7; James H. Caplan, Ward 8; Joseph Seidman, Ward 8; Thomas Salthouse, Ward 9; Michael P. Finn, Ward 10; John T. McCashion, Ward 10; Peter J. Mullen, Ward 10; Charles W. Diss, Ward 11; Wesley Duggan, Ward 11; Charles H. Davis, Ward 12; Daniel F. Rodgerson, Ward 12; Karl O. Anderson, Ward 13; Warren C. Leavitt, Ward 13; Fred G. F. Ekland, Ward 17; Leo P. Lally, Ward 17; John H. Hearn, Ward 18; Harry H. Jacobs, Ward 19; John P. Wiley, Ward 20; Charles S. White, Ward 23; Jeremiah A. Ford, Ward 24; Joseph A. Lawlor, Ward 24; Daniel D. Sullivan, Ward 24; Arthur W. Cox, Ward 25; John J. Riordan, Ward 25.

Thirty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fifth Session, October Sitting, to appear December 1, 1924:

Peter Austin Fitzpatrick, Ward 3; Michael T. Donoghue, Ward 4; John F. B. Leonard, Ward 4; Timothy J. Cunningham, Ward 5; Arthur Lappen, Ward 5; John Elias Shimon, Ward 5; Ralph S. Thompson, Ward 7; Robert B. Campbell, Ward 8; John Dearborn, Ward 8; William T. McDermott, Ward 8; Henry G. Hoppe, Ward 11; William J. Kelley, Ward 11; Bernard McDonald, Ward 11;

Jeremiah F. O'Keefe, Ward 11; William J. Conlon, Ward 12; James J. Corcoran, Ward 12; Charles B. Daley, Ward 13; Arthur J. Glennon, Ward 13; William F. Troy, Ward 14; Frederick W. Sullivan, Ward 15; Thomas J. Finnerty, Ward 16; Benjamin H. Green, Ward 16; John H. Joselyn, Ward 16; Herbert Mahoney, Ward 16; John T. Mahoney, Ward 16; John Albert Wright, Ward 16; John J. Dunican, Ward 17; James J. Monagle, Ward 18; George E. Pooley, Ward 19; Walter J. Keen, Ward 21; George A. Menceley, Ward 21; Joseph M. Kelly, Ward 22; Warren Goldrey, Ward 23; Alfred W. Hoitt, Ward 24; Michael A. O'Connor, Ward 24; Joseph G. Peytelle, Ward 24; Clarence C. Colpitts, Ward 25; Frank T. Hatch, Ward 9.

Thirty-five Traverse Jurors, Superior Civil Court, Sixth Session, October Sitting, to appear December 1, 1924.

William J. Hanlon, Ward 2; John H. Scott, Ward 2; George W. Dower, Ward 3; Charles McAllister, Ward 4; Thomas E. Flanagan, Ward 6; Joseph H. Basker, Ward 8; Ralph Bradley, Ward 8; Francis L. Daly, Ward 8; Julian H. Murdock, Ward 8; Wendell P. Smith, Ward 8; Peter J. Nephin, Ward 8; John J. Horgan, Ward 9; William E. O'Connell, Ward 10; Oliver H. Currier, Ward 11; James A. Murray, Ward 14; Arthur J. Seaverns, Ward 14; Adolph J. Henderscheid, Ward 15; John J. Igoe, Ward 15; Joseph W. Lydon, Ward 15; Harry F. Chase, Ward 16; Samuel Quint, Ward 16; John R. Forgie, Ward 17; Frederick Laiser, Ward 17; Frank H. Rice, Ward 17; John Haberlin, Ward 19; Oscar Riedel, Ward 20; Frank O. Kimball, Ward 21; Charles W. Fiske, Ward 22; Arthur D. Hawks, Ward 23; Cornelius T. Lynch, Ward 23; Charles A. McNamee, Ward 23; George L. Margeon, Ward 24; George J. Meade, Ward 24; William D. O'Neil, Ward 24; Joseph P. McGaffigan, Ward 26.

Thirty-three traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Seventh Session, to appear December 1, 1924:

Alfred E. Lambert, Ward 1; James F. Fitzpatrick, Ward 2; Edwin L. Booth, Ward 3; Alex Bush, Ward 6; Alexander Rae, Ward 6; Dennis F. Crowley, Ward 8; Patrick J. Green, Ward 8; Frederick W. Hollis, Ward 8; George Lewis, Jr., Ward 8; William J. Kenney, Ward 11; Joseph F. Kopf, Ward 11; Jeremiah M. Collins, Ward 12; Thomas M. Duffy, Ward 12; James R. Pollard, Ward 13; Frederick D. Donovan, Ward 14; James J. Manning, Ward 14; John J. Dempsey, Ward 15; John A. Emerson, Ward 15; Carl Martin Kohler, Ward 15; Philip S. Goldberg, Ward 16; James L. Gorman, Ward 18; Edward F. Alexander, Ward 19; Henry H. Greene, Ward 19; Leo Seidler, Ward 19; Charles G. Kelley, Ward 20; William N. Dillon, Ward 21; Henry L. Eye, Ward 21; John E. McHale, Ward 23; William J. Reid, Ward 23; John A. Whittemore, Ward 23; James Milne Dunbar, Ward 24; Joseph W. Harpan, Ward 24; Theophilus Higgins, Ward 24.

Adjourned at 2.05 p. m.

Monday, November 10, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Moriarty.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

Communications were received from the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Council, as follows:

Constables of the City of Boston for the term ending April 30, 1925:

James F. Pettitt, 8 Rowena street, Dorchester.

William Davis, 114 Intervale street, Roxbury.

David S. Winkler, 17 Intervale street, Roxbury.

John E. Clark, 300 Washington street, Dorchester, a Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Severally laid over under the law.

TRANSFER FOR CARE OF DEPENDENTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, November 5, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The Overseers of the Public Welfare of the City of Boston report that additional funds should be provided under budget item F-9, Care of Dependents. Because of economies practised in other departments it is not necessary at this time to draw upon the Reserve Fund for the additional requirements.

Since it is the primary duty of a city to provide for its dependents I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer:

From the appropriation for City Debt Requirements F-5, Interest, \$50,000, to the appropriation for Overseeing of the Public Welfare Department F-9, Care of Dependents, \$50,000.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 21 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Fire Department, B-39, General Plant, \$25,000, to the appropriation for overseeing of the Public Welfare Department, F-9, Care of Dependents, \$25,000.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

Claims.

George Berkowitz, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at City square, Charlestown.

John Bonner, for son, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 622 Broadway, Boston.

John F. Bowditch, for compensation for damage to roofing material at 166 Commercial street, caused by ash team.

Margaret T. Bransfield, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Dorchester avenue and Pearl street.

Joseph Chaisson, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 48 Rutland street.

Sadie Chase, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Bunker Hill street, Charlestown.

Annie Cummings, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Blue Hill avenue, near Fairbury street.

Mrs. Catherine Curry, for compensation for injuries caused by negligence of Sanitary Division.

John J. Daley, for compensation for loss of coat taken from city cart.

Palma D'Alfonso, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1 Foster street.

Angelina Gargano, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Tileston street.

Henri DeHobeika, for compensation for damage to automobile by city team.

Generosa DeStefano, for compensation for damage to property at 88 Prince street, caused by water flooding cellar.

Michael T. Dracos, for compensation for broken plate glass window at 1512 Dorchester avenue, caused by stone hurled by passing truck.

Mary A. Driscoll, for compensation for damage to property at 179 London street, caused by broken water main.

Mandel Dubin, for compensation for damage to pole at 64 Bromley street, Roxbury, caused by ash wagon.

Alice Galvin, for compensation for injuries caused by hose attached to hydrant falling off.

General Baking Company, for compensation for damage to horse caused by city truck.

Molly Hill, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 102 Poplar street.

Mrs. Grace Johnson, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by wagon of Street Cleaning Service.

Harry Kaplan, for compensation for damage to property at 78 Astor street, caused by Public Works Department truck.

Anna Kelley, for compensation for damage to coat caused by paint on hydrant on Lamson street, East Boston.

Elizabeth G. Kenney, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Arlington street.

Edward E. Liberatore, for compensation for damage to automobile on ferry boat "General Sumner."

Winifred K. McLelland, for compensation for damage to fence at 947 Parker street, Roxbury, caused by ash team.

Margaret M. McMullen, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Meridian and Monmouth streets.

Ernestina Mercurio, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 6 Charter street.

Catherine T. O'Connell, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 15 Roseland street.

John J. Queeney, for compensation for damage to property at 36 Orchard street, Roxbury, caused by defective catch-basin.

John Regan, for refund on building permit.

A. Eric Salsburg, for compensation for damage to automobile, caused by running into silent policeman at Bay State road.

Julius L. Smith, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Angelo Sprizza, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 69 Fulton street.

Daniel Sullivan, Jr., for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Dorchester avenue and Adams street.

Executive.

Petition of Catherine F. Barry for permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Bloomfield Hall on evening of November 11.

COMPENSATION OF CHARLESTOWN COURT OFFICERS.

The following was received:
Municipal Court of the Charlestown District:
October 29, 1924.

To the President of the City Council:
City Hall, Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—In accordance with the provision of section 83 of chapter 276 of the General Laws, and pursuant to suggestion in letter of October 20, from Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox, I hereby fix the annual compensation of the probation officers of this Court, as follows:

Chief Probation Officer, \$2,700; Probation Officer, \$2,100; Probation Officer for Children, \$2,100.

Such action is respectfully submitted for the approval of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Boston, as County Commissioners.

Very respectfully,
CHARLES S. SULLIVAN,
Justice.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

GASOLINE HEARINGS.

Notice was received from the Street Laying-Out Department of hearings on Monday, November 10, 1924, of the following petitions:

George I. Bloomberg, 181-191 Harrison avenue, Ward 5, 2,000 gallons gasoline.

Joseph S. Roberts and others, 47 Vancouver street, Ward 14, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Giragos Der Sahagian, 98 Eustis street, Ward 12, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Reddick J. Royster, 1050-1056 Columbus avenue, Ward 13, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Placed on file.

ELEVATED JITNEY PETITION.

A petition was received from the Boston Elevated Railway trustees for license to operate four motor vehicles in Boston, between junction of Deerfield street and Bay State road and State House, via Bay State road, Beacon street, Bowdoin street, Mt. Vernon street, stopping places at designated signal; ten cent fare, with free transfers. (Appended was the schedule of operation and description of buses.)

Also a petition to operate five motor vehicles in Boston, between South Station and junction of Huntington avenue and Stuart street via Essex street, South street, Kneeland street and Stuart street, returning via Huntington avenue, Dartmouth street, Stuart street, Kneeland street and Atlantic avenue to South Station; stopping places at designated signal; ten cent fare with free transfers. (Appended was the schedule of operation and description of buses.)

Referred to Committee on Jitney Licenses.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

A constable's bond of Edson T. Miner, surety approved by Acting City Treasurer, was received, and was approved by the Council.

TRANSFER OF LAND, BRIGHTON.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the care and custody of the lot of land at the junction of Henshaw and Cambridge streets, Brighton, containing approximately 1,434 square feet, be transferred from the Public Works Department to the Park Department.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

FLAGPOLE IN BRIGHTON.

Coun. WALSH offered an order—That the Park Commissioners, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to erect a flagpole in the

park at the junction of Henshaw and Cambridge streets, Brighton.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

ANNUITY TO MRS. MICHAEL E. FITZGERALD.

Coun. WATSON offered an order—That an annuity of \$600 be allowed and paid to the widow of Sergt. Michael E. Fitzgerald, a member of the Police Department, who died from injuries received in the performance of his duty; such annuity to continue so long as said widow remains unmarried, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

President DONOGHUE called up under unfinished business No. 1 on the calendar, viz.:

1. Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor, October 27, 1924, of John Lynch and James Carter to be weighers of coal.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Brickley and Lane. Whole number of ballots 8; yeas 8, nays 0, and the appointments were confirmed.

SALE OF LAND ON BERRY STREET.

President DONOGHUE called up under unfinished business No. 2, viz.:

2. Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized, in the name and behalf of the city, to sell at public auction, at an upset price of \$200, a parcel of land on Berry street, West Roxbury, southwest corner of Manning street, containing 5,262 square feet, more or less, and to execute a deed of the same to the purchaser, in form satisfactory to the Law Department.

On October 27, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its second and final reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Lane, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

RECESS.

President DONOGHUE at 2.34 p. m. declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The members reassembled in the chamber and were called to order by President DONOGHUE at 3.32 p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Catherine F. Barry (referred today) for a permit for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Bloomfield Hall on November 10, 1924—that permit be granted.

Report accepted; said permit granted on the usual conditions.

2. Report on salaries fixed by Justice Charles S. Sullivan of the Municipal Court of the Charlestown district, for chief probation officer, probation officer and probation officer for children (referred today)—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed.

3. Report on salaries of probation officer and of probation officer for wayward and delinquent children, of the East Boston District Court, as determined by Justice Joseph H. Barnes of said court (referred October 27)—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said salaries approved.

4. Report on proposed transfer of \$50,000 from the appropriation for City Debt Requirements to the appropriation for overseeing of the Public Welfare Department (referred by the Mayor today)—recommending that the order be passed.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—8.

Nays—0.

PAYMENT TO MOTHER OF BEATRICE ROSENBLATT.

President DONOGHUE offered the following:

That chapter 389 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to Pay a Sum of Money to the Mother of Beatrice Rosenblatt," be and the same hereby is accepted.

That under the provisions of chapter 389 of the Acts of 1924, the sum of \$5,000 be allowed and paid to Sadie Rosenblatt, mother of Beatrice Rosenblatt, who was accidentally killed by an aeroplane at Franklin Field on June 24, 1919, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Orders passed under suspension of the rule.

PAYMENT TO NELLIE LONG.

President DONOGHUE offered the following:

That chapter 437 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to Pay a Sum of Money to Nellie Long" be and the same hereby is accepted.

That under the provisions of chapter 437 of the Acts of 1924, there be allowed and paid to Nellie Long, who was injured by falling on the sidewalk in the yard of the William E. Blackstone School, the sum of \$1,500, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Orders passed under suspension of the rule.

ELECTION OF SECRETARY.

Coun. WATSON offered the following:

That the City Council now proceed to the election, according to law, of a person to fill the position of Assistant Clerk of Committees and Secretary of the City Council.

The order was passed.

Coun. GILBODY—I would suggest that one member is absent, and I wondered if you wanted to go ahead with the ballot, under the circumstances?

The Clerk called the roll, and the members when their names were called voted as follows:

Coun. Brickley—For William J. J. O'Neil.

President Donoghue—For Edward Murphy.

Coun. Gilbody—For Thomas Smith.

Coun. Healey—For William J. J. O'Neil.

Coun. Lane, Purcell, Walsh and Watson also for William J. J. O'Neil.

Coun. GILBODY—Mr. President, I move that the nomination of William J. J. O'Neil be made unanimous.

The CLERK—Coun. Gilbody wishes to change his vote.

Coun. Gilbody, when his name was again called, voted for William J. J. O'Neil.

President DONOGHUE—There are seven votes for William J. J. O'Neil, and one vote for Edward Murphy of Charlestown, and William J. J. O'Neil is elected.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. WATSON, a general reconsideration of all action taken today was refused.

RESOLUTIONS ON DEATH OF SENATOR LODGE.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston has learned with deep sorrow of the death of Henry Cabot Lodge, who faithfully and ably represented the people of Massachusetts for forty-five years, the last thirty-one in the United States Senate. The state and nation have lost a scholar, a patriot and a statesman, who exemplified the highest type of American citizenship.

The City Council extends to the family of the late Senator the sincere sympathy of the City of Boston.

The resolution was passed by a unanimous rising vote.

Coun. WALSH—Mr. President, I move that the Council do now adjourn, as a further mark of respect for the memory of Henry Cabot Lodge, to meet one week from today.

The motion was carried, and the Council stood adjourned at 3.45 p. m., to meet on Monday, November 17, at 2 p. m.

REAL ESTATE ASSESSMENT PER CAPITA IN CITIES.

According to assessed valuations for 1923, Boston, \$1,843.61 (highest); New York, \$1,787.57; Pittsburgh, \$1,514.19; Buffalo, \$1,281.25; Philadelphia, \$1,185.29; St. Louis, \$1,032.83; Baltimore, \$996.75. These figures are approximate as population had to be estimated.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, 1924.

By Feb. 1, 1924, the fire-fighting force had been reorganized as required by the two-platoon system, in effect on said date. This change, with the addition of 177 privates and 33 officers (the latter by promotion), increased the force to 1,427 men, viz.: the Chief, one ass't. chief, 6 deputy chiefs, 30 district chiefs (15 for day and 15 for night service), 74 captains, 107 lieutenants, 57 engineers, 57 assistant engineers and 1,094 privates, divided into 53 engine companies (3 marine), 30 ladder, 1 chemical and 3 water-tower companies, a rescue company and 2 emergency squads, the engine companies generally consisting of 14 or 15 men, including a captain and a lieutenant; other employees, 12 at headquarters, 96 men in repair shop and 44 in fire-alarm branch; fire stations, 62.

Automobile apparatus in service, 34 combination pumpers or gasoline engine and hose-reel, 5 triple combination (incl. chemical task) also 10 tractor-drawn steamers and one steam-propelled steamer; 39 combination chemical engine and hose cars; 30 ladder-trucks (12 aerial); 3 fireboats; 3 water-towers; 1 rescue auto with pulmotors and 1 auto wrecker. Total apparatus, 127. Officers' cars, 34 and delivery trucks, 11. Leading hose 143,116 feet and suction hose, 2,366 feet; fire alarm boxes, 1,310.

In reserve are 16 engines (10 auto); 7 hose wagons (6 auto); 7 ladder trucks (6 auto); 1 water tower (auto) and 7 officers' cars.

Total alarms in calendar year 1923, 7,241 or 1,107 more than in 1922, of which total 729 were needless and 287 false alarms, besides 154 automatic alarms, false and accidental. Total fires, 6,071 (862 more than in 1922) of which 3,148 were in buildings, 2,872 outside of buildings and 51 out of city limits. In 18 cases the buildings were totally destroyed, in 94 the damage was considerable and in 1,941 the damage was slight; other cases, no damage stated.

The Boston Protective Department (not a City department) reported the total fire losses in 1923 on buildings as \$1,932,424 and on contents as \$4,353,875, or total of \$6,286,299, which is \$2,981,703 more than in 1922. Of total loss, the amount not covered by insurance was \$344,551.

The B. P. D. also reported that of the 2,320 fires involving losses, 499 were caused by carelessness with matches, 258 by smoking, 152 by electricity, 143 by exposure to fires near by, 140 by overheated or defective stoves, furnaces, etc., 109 by open lights, 86 by sparks from combustion, 79 by sparks on roof, 60 by explosions, 58 by petroleum and its products, 57 by defective flues and chimneys, 50 by spontaneous combustion, 41 by hot ashes, 34 by fireworks, etc.

Cost of maintenance for 1923, \$3,669,450 (including Wire Div.) or \$331,945 more than in 1922. Value of land and buildings \$2,375,500; cost of motor equipment, \$1,017,331.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$7,500; Chief, \$5,500; deputy chiefs, \$4,000; district chiefs, \$3,500; captains, \$2,500; lieutenants, \$2,300; engineers, \$1,900; assistant engineers, \$1,800; 1st-year privates, \$1,400, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

The apparatus in service is now entirely motor-driven, the last horse-drawn piece having been replaced Oct. 18, 1923.

The records of the Wire Division show that on Feb. 1, 1924, the underground electric service comprised 3,663,539 feet of conduit, 21,954,630 feet of single duct and 33,232,932 feet of cable of the drawing-in system, also 691,529 feet of 3-wire cable and tube of the solid system. From the business districts, over a street area of 46,415,000 square feet, and from 72 miles of additional streets all poles and overhead wires have been removed.

THE CITY DOLLAR SPENT IN YEAR 1923-24.

For Public Schools, 28.66 cents; (2) Public Works, 13.66 cents; (3) Debt Requirements, 11.61; (4) State Tax and Assessments, 11.08; (5) Police Dept., 8.17; (6) Fire Dept., 6.85; (7) General Government, 4.20; (8) Hospitals and Health, 3.91; (9) County Courts, Etc., 3.70; (10) Institutions and Poor Relief, 3.64; (11) Public Recreation, 3.00; (12) Public Library, 1.37; (13) Public Service Enterprises, 0.15 (due to a slight excess of expenditure over revenue); making a total of 100 cents. This excludes all expenditure from loans, etc., but includes special appropriations from tax levy and other general income, used for public improvements.

The revenue of all departments, \$7,719,910, amounted to 18.06 per cent of their gross expenditures for maintenance. The revenue of Public Service Enterprises alone (including Water Service, Ferry Service, Printing Plant, Markets, etc.) amounted to \$4,538,919 or 5.88 per cent of total department income. The fractions of the dollar above stated represent net expenditure, computed after deducting department revenue.

Revenue from another class of public service enterprise, i. e., Rapid Transit, for rentals of subways and tunnels, \$1,655,475 or \$15,642 less than the interest and sinking-fund requirements of the Rapid Transit debt in 1923.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, November 5, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city public convenience and necessity require that a building line be established on the westerly side of Washington street, Boston proper, between Ordway place and Bromfield street, substantially parallel with and distant approximately four and one-half feet from the westerly exterior side line of said street, as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for the making of said improvement, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of November 19, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

(Nov. 15.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

EMPLOYEES' CREDIT UNION.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

Boston, Mass., November 1, 1924.

The tenth annual meeting of the City of Boston Employees' Credit Union will be held Tuesday, November 18, 1924, at 4.15 p. m., in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Boston.

(Nov. 15.) CHRISTOPHER I. FITZGERALD,
Clerk

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TURKEYS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing turkeys to the various City Departments for Thanksgiving. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Friday, November 21, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Nov. 15.) Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

BIDS FOR WALL FINISH.

The Transit Department of the City of Boston, 1 Beacon street, seventh floor, invites bids from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, to furnish all materials for and apply wall finish, consisting of white cement plaster, white glazed tile, tile borders of red glazed tile and red and white glazed ceramic tile, on the walls, ceilings and parapets of the new stairway No. 5 and the passageway leading to the west bound platform of the Park Street Under Station of the Cambridge Connection. A bond of an approved surety company will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in a sum of 35 per cent of the bid. Bids should be filled out and signed by the bidder on forms to be obtained at this office, inclosed in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid for wall finish," and delivered to the department or to its secretary before 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, November 18, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read, with a properly certified check in the sum of three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the contract, within the time prescribed after the date of the notification by the department of the acceptance of the proposal and the readiness of the contract for signature, is not executed by the bidder. Bids must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. Plans can be seen, and bids, specifications and forms of contract can be obtained, at this office. The department reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to award the contract as is deemed to be for the best interest of the City of Boston.

By order of the CITY OF BOSTON TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

EDWARD F. CONDON,
(Nov. 15.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

NOTICE OF EXAMINATION.

Special examination for Certificate of Qualification, XI. Special: Home Nursing, Saturday, December 13, 1924.

For teachers of home nursing in the High School of Practical Arts. This examination will be held in the Teachers College, Huntington avenue, near Longwood avenue, on Saturday, December 13, 1924, beginning at 9 o'clock a. m.

For eligibility requirements and subjects of examination, apply to the chief examiner, 15 Beacon street, Boston.

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Secretary, School Committee,
(Nov. 15.) 15 Beacon Street, Boston.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

BUILDING LINES.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, November 13, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city public convenience and necessity require that building lines be established on Beacon street, Boston proper district, between Massachusetts avenue and Charlesgate East; on the northerly side, substantially parallel with and distant approximately twenty (20) feet from the northerly exterior side line of said street, and on the southerly side, substantially parallel with and distant approximately ten (10) feet from the southerly exterior side line of said street; as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for the making of said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of November 26, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(Nov. 15-22.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO METAL WORKING MACHINERY CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the new East Boston High School, White and Brook streets, East Boston, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, November 25, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$200, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$5 in cash or by certified check will be required for a set of specifications, said sum to be refunded upon return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(Nov. 15.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals to erect and complete an addition to the Frank V. Thompson Intermediate School, Maxwell and Selden streets, Dorchester, Boston, giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Board therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, 1007 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Friday, November 23, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$10,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, before the time of opening the proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(Nov. 15.) Commissioners.

CITY OF BOSTON.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

BIDS FOR BUILDING SECTION K, DORCHESTER TUNNEL.

The Transit Department of the City of Boston, 1 Beacon street, seventh floor, invites bids from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for building Section K, Dorchester Tunnel. This section is located in and near Boston street, Power street and Dorchester avenue, and is about 1,300 feet in length. The structure is to be mainly of reinforced concrete and structural steel. The work also includes an open incline, sewer changes and additions, bridge changes, removal of structures, regrading, etc. A bond of an approved surety company will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in a sum of 35 per cent of the bid. Bids should be filled out and signed by the bidder on forms to be obtained at this office, inclosed in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid for building Section K, Dorchester Tunnel," and delivered to the department or to its secretary before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, November 25, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read, with a properly certified check in the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the contract, within the time prescribed after the date of the notification by the department of the acceptance of the proposal and the readiness of the contract for signature, is not executed by the bidder. Bids must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. Plans can be seen, and bids, specifications and forms of contract can be obtained, at this office. The department reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to award the contract as is deemed to be for the best interest of the City of Boston.

By order of the CITY OF BOSTON TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

EDWARD F. CONDON,
(Nov. 15.) Secretary.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals to erect and complete, including the plumbing, electric work, heating and ventilating work, the new Police Headquarters Building, corner of Stuart and Berkeley streets, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Public Buildings therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, 802 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Wednesday, November 19, 1924 at said office with a certified check for \$25,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as above indicated, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, before the time of opening the bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$50 will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of drawings and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings,
(Nov. 15.)

NOTICE.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, November 5, 1924.

Voted, That public notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city public convenience requires the making of specific repairs on the northerly and easterly sides of Faneuil Hall, consisting of the widening of the sidewalks, utilizing for said purpose three feet of the roadway now paved with granite blocks, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of November 19, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(Nov. 15.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

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MAYOR CURLEY'S CONTENTION THAT CITY'S NET DEBT IS DECREASING YEARLY BORNE OUT BY FORMER MAYOR NATHAN MATTHEWS.

LATTER PUBLISHES IN BOSTON "TRANSCRIPT" NOTABLE ARTICLE ON MUNICIPAL FINANCES SHOWING THAT DESPITE INCREASE IN EXPENDITURES NET DEBT HAS FALLEN—MAYOR ASKS FOR ECONOMY.

The necessity for economizing in departmental expenditures during the closing months of the fiscal year, was again impressed upon his official family Wednesday, November 19, by Mayor Curley, in order to save \$900,000 which can be diverted to the uses of hospital, charity and correctional departments.

The Mayor held out strong hope that, if the department chiefs saved the money in question, enforced discipline among their staffs and continued generally the course pursued so far in the Curley administration, they might insure their tenure of office into the succeeding administration, which opens in January, 1926. The Mayor said:

"All of us can contribute largely to a continuance of the practically unassailable record we have established through three years here." The Mayor continued, "That the Republican agency in Boston politics, the revered and venerated Finance Commission, created to destroy the Boston democracy, has discovered nothing of consequence against our administration that men of intelligence would give a moment's attention to."

The Mayor also called attention of his heads of departments to the following article on the Boston charter and its operation in making Boston of unusual financial strength before the outside world. He especially called attention to the fact that despite increased costs Boston's net debt has decreased over \$10,000,000, in fifteen years. The article appeared in the *Boston Transcript* on Monday, November 17, and was by Hon. Nathan Matthews, former Mayor:

The article is as follows:

Municipal corporations are mere political or territorial subdivisions of the state, and city charters—meaning the general laws to which the local authorities are subject—may assume many forms. In some states, though not in Massachusetts, these laws or some of them are embodied in the state constitution. In others, but again not in this state, we find a general form of charter prescribed by statute for all cities or for cities of a certain size. The more common form is a special charter for each city, supplemented by general or special laws enacted from time to time by the legislatures of subsequent years.

In Boston we begin with a formal city charter, adopted in 1854. This has been modified by innumerable later statutes, the most important dating from 1885, 1890 and 1916. Then in 1909 there was a comprehensive revision of the fundamental basis, both political and administrative, of the city government, and the political features of this charter have been modified several times since, the latest change having been effected at the election of November 4.

The charter of 1854 was of the ordinary American bicameral type, with virtually all executive as well as legislative power vested in the city council subject to a qualified veto power in the mayor. The legislation of 1885 vested the executive powers of the city in the mayor and transferred the police to the control of the state government. The act of 1916 compelled the construction of new schoolhouses out of taxes. The debt and tax limit laws affecting the city have also been altered from time to time. In the main, however, the city government of Boston has been administered during the past fifteen years under the so-called charter amendments of 1909; and in view of the rapid changes that are now taking place in our American ideas of government fifteen years is a long time for any thoroughgoing reform to endure without modification of its essential features. The time has also been long enough to enable us to determine the results of this experiment in municipal administration, and to make a fair comparison possible with what has taken place in other cities during the same period.

The political features of this charter of 1909 related to the term of office of the Mayor, which was made longer, and to the composition of the City Council, which was reduced to a single body of nine councilmen, elected at large. This council functioned fairly well for ten years but the incapacity displayed during the past five years has led to the substitution this year of a council consisting of one member from each of the twenty-six wards into which the city is divided. Time alone will disclose whether this change will secure a better City Council. Personally I am extremely sceptical, and should have preferred to retain the present small

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MAYOR APPEALS TO PRESIDENT COOLIDGE IN AID OF THE UNEMPLOYED.

HON. CALVIN COOLIDGE, *President of the United States*, Washington, D. C.

Mayor Curley sent the following telegram November 19:

The unemployment situation in Massachusetts is serious. A New England winter, the rigors of which are familiar to you, does not appear quite the proper time to furlough or discharge mechanics and laborers at the Boston Navy Yard, that is, provided there is work which is necessary and which can be performed at this yard. The force of mechanics has been reduced almost to the vanishing point at the yard as against a normal quota twice as great. The immediate assignment to the Boston Navy Yard either of naval vessels scheduled to be assigned for reconditioning in December or January or of ships of the Shipping Board fleet at this time would in some measure relieve a situation entirely due to causes beyond the control of the workers. I trust you will make the necessary recommendations to the Secretary of the Navy and to the United States Shipping Board.

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

PROVINCE STREET, AFTER BEING WIDENED, OPENED TO TRAFFIC ON WEDNESDAY.

Province street, now nearly as broad as it is long, was opened to traffic Wednesday, November 19.

Since colonial days a narrow lane hardly ten feet across, this historic thoroughfare now is fifty feet wide, and offers ample elbow room for all who wish to get from Bromfield street to School street without being jostled by the crowds on Washington or Tremont streets.

Property valued at about a million was taken by the city in carrying out the widening project, suggested as far back as 1911, set in motion by Mayor Curley on July 6, 1922, opposed by the Finance Commission and property owners, and finally begun a year ago the first of November, when the Mayor laid the first two granite paving blocks of the re-modeled street.

The colonial governors of Massachusetts had their residence on Province street. The School street corner, on which stood the old Five Cents Savings Bank, was the site of a French Huguenot church built in 1788. At Bromfield and Province streets stood the Old Corner Bookstore for many years. The old stone steps and wrought-iron arch at the junction of Bosworth and Province streets were not disturbed by the widening.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, November 24, at 2 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE INVITED TO BE BOSTON'S GUEST, APRIL 19.

MAYOR CURLEY ASKS CHIEF EXECUTIVE OF NATION TO BE CITY'S GUEST ON 150TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF LEXINGTON AND CONCORD, WHEN RESTORED FANEUIL HALL WILL BE REDEDICATED.

Mayor Curley on Friday wrote to President Coolidge inviting him to be the city's guest during the rededication of the restored Faneuil Hall on April 19 and 20 next, the 150th anniversary of the Battle of Lexington and Concord. The letter says:

"On behalf of the City of Boston it gives me great pleasure to extend you a cordial invitation to be the city's guest on the occasions of the observance of Patriots' Day, April 19 and 20, 1925. We plan for the rededication of newly restored Faneuil Hall as one of the features of the program, and greatly desire your participation in the exercises.

"Anticipating the honor of your presence for this great 150th anniversary celebration, I am, sir, with assurances of esteem and regard."

MAYOR CURLEY'S MANY FRIENDS REMEMBER HIM ON FIFTIETH BIRTHDAY WITH FLOWERS, GIFTS AND SINCERE CON- GRATULATIONS.

Mayor James M. Curley was fifty years old on Thursday, November 20, and he was given plenty of evidence that his friends remembered the anniversary. He went to his office in City Hall at the usual time and had no plans for special observance of the day. "I shall keep at my work as usual," he said, when asked

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

what he was going to do to celebrate. "Tonight I shall spend at home with my family."

Among the most prominent who came to offer congratulations were Mayor James Rolph, Jr., of San Francisco, who in signing the visitor's book on this day, the date of Mayor Curley's birth, inscribed the following:

1874—NOVEMBER 20th—1924.

On your Golden Birthday Anniversary
I give you Golden Congratulations and
Golden Wishes

From the City by the Golden Gate.

Affectionately,

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,

Mayor of the Golden City by the
Golden Gate.

All day the Mayor was occupied in receiving callers who came to congratulate him, but he was able to go through his papers, confer with department heads and others about city business, just the same. He was remembered with gifts of various sorts—a handsome inlaid pipe from Standish Willcox of his staff, a large silver loving cup from the L Street Swimming Association, a set of Montaigne's Essays from his office force, a perpetual pass for Mr. Curley and guests, handsomely engraved, from the Fenway Theatre and other remembrances, as well as flowers.

Fifty large, yellow chrysanthemums in a wicker basket occupied the place of honor on the Mayor's desk. There were several large and small baskets decorated with chrysanthemums, roses and other flowers. There also were a number of bouquets.

Mayor Rolfe of San Francisco spent some time in the office, and was much cheered by the more favorable reports from his son, who is ill at the City Hospital. Before Mr. Rolfe left the Mayor instructed an attendant to send a bouquet of roses to Mr. Rolfe's son. Other flowers were sent to different hospitals.

TAKES COMMISSIONER BATES TO TASK FOR HIS STATEMENTS AND ATTITUDE ON DEER ISLAND CONTROVERSY.

MAYOR CURLEY PROVES THAT MANY CHARGES MADE ARE FALSE, AND SHOWS THAT STATE OFFICIAL WAS LAX IN DUTY BY NOT CONFERRING WITH INSTITUTIONS COMMISSIONER IN EFFORT TO CORRECT ALLEGED EVILS.

Mayor Curley issued the following statement relative to the report issued by the State Commissioner of the Department of Corrections, Mr. Sanford Bates:

I have examined chapter 124 of the General Laws of 1921, which reads as follows:

"The commissioner of correction, in this chapter called the commission, shall have the general supervision of the state prison, the Massachusetts reformatory, the prison camp and hospital, the state farm and reformatory, for women, and of jails and houses of correction. He shall make rules for the direction of the officers of such institutions in the performance of their duties, for the government, discipline and instruction of the convicts therein, for the custody and preservation of the property connected therewith, for the supply of food, clothing and bedding in the state prison, Massachusetts reformatory, prison camp and hospital, state farm and reformatory for women, for teaching prisoners who are committed to a jail or house of correction for six months or more to read and write, for securing proper exercises for unemployed sentenced prisoners in jails and houses of correction, and for securing medical examination and supervision of prisoners in jails and houses of correction punished by solitary imprisonment. As soon as may be after such rules have been made the commissioner shall submit copies thereof to the governor and council, who may approve, annual or modify them. Jailers, keepers of houses of correction, county commissioners and the penals institution commissioner of Boston shall make no rules inconsistent with the aforesaid rules. He shall also from time to time cause to be printed in convenient form the rules of the board of parole and the statutes relating to the duties and powers of said board, and shall annually during the month of January cause to be mailed one copy thereof to each justice of the superior and district courts, each trial justice, each sheriff and to each master, keeper, warden or superintendent of the penal institutions in the commonwealth, and to the commission on probation two hundred copies thereof.

"SECTION 2. The commissioner shall keep informed as to the management and condition of all institutions under his supervision or control. He may expend annually in the performance of his duties and for necessary clerical assistance such sum as may be appropriated therefor by the general court. He or one of his deputies shall make frequent visits to such institutions, and investigate the management, condition and discipline of the institutions and the treatment of the inmates and the books of said institutions shall be open for his examination. The commissioner or any representatives designated by him may attend any meeting of the parole board."

I am grieved to learn that the Commissioner of the Department of Corrections of the Commonwealth, Mr. Sanford Bates, has failed to comply with the provisions of this section of the statutes in that he has only conferred once during the past year with Dr. David J. Johnson, Institutions Commissioner of Boston, and upon that occasion some nine months ago in reference to some trivial matter and in no way affecting the conduct of the institutions under his charge. I beg to say for myself that he has never conferred with me either in writing or orally with reference to the institutions or has anyone connected with his department and that this failure to perform his duties as they are clearly set forth by the statutes justified by belief that conditions at the institutions must be eminently satisfactory for the reason that at no time during my service as Mayor have I enjoyed co-operation from any of the regular organized Republican machine agencies of the Commonwealth, the Legislature or the Finance Commission.

The statement of Mr. Bates, Commissioner of the Department of Corrections of the Commonwealth, that he refrained from making this report public prior to the election for fear that it might be understood as intended to have a bearing on the political campaign is a protestation that is a clear evidence of insincerity. It is the duty of the Commissioner of the Department of Corrections of the Commonwealth to definitely determine the question of veracity involved in the statement that repeated recommendations and suggestions made to the officials in charge of the Boston Penal Institutions had been given no consideration as against the statement of Doctor Johnson that no report has ever been received during the past year with reference to the institutions from the office of the Department of Corrections at the State House and but one conference has taken place and that some nine months ago on some trivial matter with the Commissioner of the Department of Correction.

I have carefully studied the specifications contained in the communication submitted under date of November 11, 1924, by the Commissioner of the Department of Corrections of the Commonwealth and have discussed them in detail with the Institutions Commissioner of the City of Boston, Dr. David J. Johnson. The conditions responsible for the sensational report made by the State Commissioner of the Department of Corrections of the Commonwealth may be summed up under four heads; first, the grouping under control of the Institutions Commissioner of the unfortunate poor, the chronic sick, child welfare work and the persons committed for the commission of crime; second, the temperamental unfitness of the Deputy Master at Deer Island and the legal difficulties preventing his removal because of the various veterans' preference acts; third, the observance of customs of long standing and which through usage had become recognized in

a measure as proper; and fourth, the failure of the State Commissioner of Corrections, Mr. Sanford Bates, to comply with the provisions of the law as set forth in chapter 124 of the General Laws of 1921, and the participation by the State Commissioner of the Department of Corrections with the Deputy Master at Deer Island and an employee of the Institutions Department as a part of a political conspiracy, the purpose of which was to discredit the Institutions Commissioner of Boston, Dr. David J. Johnson, and the Mayor of Boston.

The present Commissioner of the Department of Corrections of the Commonwealth, Mr. Sanford Bates, was largely responsible for the consolidation of the Infirmary Department, the Penal Department and Child Welfare Department of the City of Boston, which took place under my predecessor and while Mr. Sanford Bates was serving in the capacity of Penal Institutions Commissioner for the City of Boston. I have never been able to understand how an intelligent public ever permitted an institutional consolidation which classified the chronic sick, unfortunate aged poor and the helpless children with the criminal element of the community.

I have long looked forward to the time when it might be possible to change this condition and I propose submitting to the City Council in January a recommendation for an expenditure within the debt limit of \$1,000,000 for the erection of suitable quarters for nurses, doctors and internes and a hospital for the chronic sick at Parker Hill. In conjunction with the Corporation Counsel and the National officers of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks negotiations have been in process for a period of two years with a view to the acquiring by the city of the property utilized during the war by the Federal Government and commonly called the Elks' Hospital. Entry has been made and this property is now in the possession of the City of Boston. The establishment of the hospital for the chronic sick of Boston upon the mainland from the humanitarian and every other standpoint has long been recognized.

Upon September 10, 1923 in an address delivered at the annual Congress of the American Prison Association in Boston, presided over by the present State Commissioner of the Department of Corrections, Mr. Sanford Bates, I expressed my views with reference to the institutional system in operation in Boston as follows:

We have been unfortunate in recent years in that kindly and well-intentioned individuals have seen fit to group elements of our social life that represent distinct problems, separate problems, that do not permit of combination. We have an institution department in Boston,—we are going to abolish it before we get through but it exists at present—where the same commissioner has charge of wayward children and of the criminals, of the chronic sick and those unfortunate enough to grow old without acquiring wealth. I have always recognized the principle that these three elements in the life of our nation represent something more than a social proposition; they really represent an economic problem. Poverty, disease and crimes have been boon companions from the beginning of the world; they are the three guardsmen that menace society and that must be overcome. The erection of this chronic hospital in

Boston at Parker Hill should prove of inestimable value to medical science because of its accessibility to the leading medical and surgical schools and hospitals located in this section.

I personally believe that it would be advisable, now that the abnormality of the crime of classification of unfortunate poor, chronic sick and helpless children with criminals is so indelibly impressed upon the public mind, to have an amendment to the ordinances submitted to the Council at its meeting on Monday next providing for the creation of an Infirmary Department of Trustees to have charge of the chronic sick and aged poor and the child welfare work; and the penal department established as a separate department of the city.

In the event that the Federal Government cancels its present lease of the West Roxbury property, originally intended as quarters for the unfortunate poor now located at Long Island, this transfer from Long Island to West Roxbury can be consummated at small expense to the city and such cottages as may be necessary for aged poor couples can be constructed, thereby bringing some measure of happiness into the declining years of their existence. The tremendous increase in the population at Deer Island, being an increase of nearly 300 per cent in a period of three years, renders it advisable for the city shortly to consider transferring its penal population to a larger island.

This would be possible through the transfer of the penal population to Long Island. In the event that this program is consummated an opportunity will be afforded for the state to do something worth while along humane lines through the purchase of Deer Island for use as a state prison thereby making possible the abandonment of what has long been recognized as an unwholesome and unhealthful bastle, the State Prison at Charlestown. An opportunity for genuine co-operation in the consummation of a program essential to the welfare and peace of mind of an unfortunate element of society is here presented.

It has been the custom for more than a quarter of a century to detail certain prisoners, termed "trusties," to perform work at Long Island. This work consists of farming and repair work generally on the properties. It is necessary that this work continue but I am absolutely opposed to the quartering of the prisoners who perform this work at Long Island during night time and shall insist that in future they shall return to the Correctional Institution at Deer Island at the end of each day. This matter could have been corrected at any time within the past year provided the State Commissioner, Mr. Bates, had directed it either to my attention or the attention of Doctor Johnson, Institutions Commissioner.

With reference to the second grouping, namely, the unfitness of the Deputy Master to continue in the position he now holds at Deer Island, I beg to say that after consultation with Doctor Johnson I am in agreement with the recommendation made by the Doctor that Deputy Master James H. McDade should be removed, as he alone is responsible for such lack of discipline as has obtained during his incumbency of the office of Deputy Master. I have profound sympathy for the Commissioner of Institutions, Doctor Johnson, who has proven an eminently capable and humane administrator of the Institutions Department.

It is not generally known, but it is nevertheless true, that under the law he is required to make selection from the names

submitted by the Massachusetts Civil Service Commission. The law further provides that preference in appointments shall be accorded veterans of the United States Army, Navy and Marine Corps who have served in time of war. Men are selected in accordance with these provisions. There is no course open other than to select the men whose names have been certified by the Massachusetts Civil Service Commission and who in this case stood number one on the civil service list.

The law further provides that no veteran in the employ of the City of Boston shall be removed except upon a hearing by the City Council of Boston. A recent decision of Judge Carroll of the Supreme Court was in effect that employees of the prison at Deer Island were employees of the City of Boston and entitled to the immunity contained in the veterans' preference sections of the civil service laws. From this decision of Judge Carroll an appeal has been taken, which appeal is pending in the courts. It has been the intention of Doctor Johnson, in the event that the appeal taken by the city as to the right to remove officials at Deer Island as county employees had been sustained by the full bench of the Supreme Court, to remove the Deputy Master, James H. McDade.

The conduct of the Deputy Master at Deer Island has been destructive of discipline and it has been necessary both for the Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner to spend a large portion of each week at the island to prevent the character of conditions said to have existed. The commissioner has conferred many times during the past eighteen months with the Corporation Counsel as to the advisability of filing specific charges with the City Council but in each instance has been advised by the Corporation Counsel that there was insufficient actual evidence in his opinion to warrant the belief that the council would approve the removal of the Deputy Master. The act governing the suspension, removal or transfer of veterans reads as follows:

Chapter 31, section 26, "No veteran holding office or employment in the public service of the commonwealth or any city or town therein shall be removed or suspended, or, without his consent, transferred from such office or employment, nor shall his office or position be abolished, nor shall he be lowered in rank or compensation, except after a full hearing of which he shall have at least seventy-two hours' written notice, with a statement of the reasons for the contemplated removal, suspension, transfer, lowering in rank or compensation, or abolition. The hearing in the case of a state employee shall be before the board of conciliation and arbitration, in the case of a town employee before the selectmen, in case of a city employee before the board of aldermen. At any such hearing each veteran concerned may be present and be represented by counsel. Such removal, suspension or transfer, lowering in rank or compensation, or abolition of an office, shall be made only upon a written order stating fully and specifically the causes therefor, and signed by the board of arbitration and conciliation, or by the selectmen, or by the aldermen, as the case may be, after a hearing as aforesaid. An appeal from such order may be taken under section forty-five. This section shall not apply to the state or Boston police or to those of the metropolitan district commission."

Under the law the Institutions Commissioner has been powerless even in the

matter of suspension, owing to the fact that there never has previously been sufficient legal evidence which would in the opinion of the Corporation Counsel justify the City Council in removing the Deputy Master. The report of the State Commissioner of Corrections, Mr. Sanford Bates, completes the evidence necessary, with that in the possession of Doctor Johnson, to warrant immediate removal by the City Council of Boston of Deputy Master James H. McDade.

With reference to heading No. 3, "the observance of customs of long standing and which through usage had become recognized in a measure as proper," I beg to say that it has been the custom where officers have rendered satisfactory service and have reported in an intoxicated condition, not to permit them upon the island, simply to suspend them and later to reinstate them. This is a vicious custom and should no longer be permitted. I have recommended to the Institutions Commissioner, Doctor Johnson, that these men be notified that they must seek transfer to some other branch of city service and failing to do so shall be removed from the Institutions Department. In the future any employee of the Institutions Department found under the influence of liquor shall be discharged except in the case of veterans when the matter under the law must be presented to the City Council before action may be taken.

With reference to the performance of hard manual labor by drug addicts, I agree in the decision reached by the Institutions Commissioner of the City of Boston, Doctor Johnson, that it is both unwise and inhuman to require drug addicts to perform hard manual labor until a cure has been established. I agree further that when, in the opinion of the physician in charge of the institution, a cure has been affected that the drug addict should be required to perform such work as his physical and mental condition will permit.

With reference to the employment of short term, so-called "Trusties" upon the institution's boat, I approve this custom and believe it should be continued. It represents a saving of money to the city and opportunity for the inmates to perform some useful labor.

Under specification No. 4, presence of a so-called obscene picture, the picture in question being four inches square, this was unquestionably a plant placed there with the knowledge of the Deputy Master who was familiar with the fact that the State Commissioner of the Department of Corrections was to visit the institution at this particular time.

Specification No. 6, that an assistant Deputy Master had been given leave of absence each day until five o'clock for several weeks prior to the election and worked at the island only on the evenings each day, I beg to say that the officer in question has been employed on the island for fifteen years and no charges ever have been lodged against him in this period of time and his work has been eminently satisfactory. The fact is that the four escapes which took place from the island in the month of October took place at night and during the period that Deputy Master James H. McDade was on duty and as a precautionary measure the Assistant Deputy Master, Frank Higbee, was put on working nights and after being assigned there were no further escapes.

With reference to specification No. 7, that political signs were made by an employee. This is unquestionably a

plant arranged for the benefit of the State Commissioner, since no person interested in the success of a candidate for public office in Massachusetts would consider using any form of printed or painted matter other than that bearing the union label.

With reference to specification No. 9, in which it is charged that there was delay in the transfer of tubercular patients from Deer Island to West Rutland. The papers were signed by the Department of Corrections on April 11 and 15, and, as Mr. Bates is aware, the customary procedure was followed, namely, an X-ray examination, supplemented by medical examination, and the transfer completed April 25.

With reference to specification No. 10, that three inmates were seen smoking in a wooden barn filled with hay. This is unquestionably another plant, so staged for the visit, as the privilege of smoking is too highly prized by the inmates to permit of a violation which might result in depriving all inmates of the privilege and even if no officer were present to prevent it the inmates themselves could be depended upon to prevent it.

With reference to specification No. 11, which sets forth that a quantity of applications for absentee voting were sent down to the institution. The Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston informs me that a person convicted of misdemeanor does not lose his rights of citizenship or participation in election under the law of absentee voting.

With reference to specification No. 12, namely, that about the middle of October notices were received by the officials of the House of Correction from the Institutions Department at City Hall stating that no city or state official would be allowed on the island without a pass from the city, I am informed by the Institutions Commissioner, Doctor Johnson, that the only order issued during the past year limiting visits to the island applied to Wednesdays, this day being set apart as drug addicts' visiting day and in the opinion of the commissioner this order was necessary for the protection of drug addicts from persons who might seek opportunity to smuggle drugs into the institution.

With reference to specification No. 5, which reads as follows: "There is an officer at this institution who was appointed as a poultryman, although at the present time the head farmer admits that he has something like ten or twelve hens. This officer up to four weeks ago was employed as night watchman, and at no time since his appointment has he had anything to do with poultry. Three weeks before the recent state election he was given leave of absence, and since that time up to the election has spent his time in Boston aiding in the campaign of the Mayor of the City of Boston as Governor. During this time, according to the books of the institution, he has drawn full pay from the City of Boston and on his own admission, he has performed no services for the city. The Master has signed the pay roll in each instance, certifying that service was rendered for the money drawn."

I beg to state that I sent for the officer and poultryman referred to, Mr. George A. Nelson, and requested from him a statement and reply to specification No. 5. Mr. Nelson states that he was entitled to one week's pay and called to get it and found through an error of some one in the clerical division he was credited with three weeks' pay, that he was laboring under considerable excitement at

the time, that he was very active in behalf of the candidacy for Governor of Alvan T. Fuller and the Republican ticket. I questioned him further and he furnished me a receipt for \$100 which he contributed to the Coolidge Campaign Fund Committee. He further stated that he had tendered the \$100 to Mr. Fuller's manager and was advised that all contributions must be made direct to the Calvin Coolidge Campaign Fund Committee. Receipt for the contribution of \$100 by Mr. Nelson to the Massachusetts Coolidge Finance Committee, I beg to here produce and a copy of the cancelled check I also beg here to present and letter signed by the Governor-elect Alvan T. Fuller, thanking Mr. Nelson for his services.

[Copy.]

MASSACHUSETTS COOLIDGE FINANCE COMMITTEE

acknowledge receipt of your contribution of One hundred dollars, and thanks you for your generous assistance, which is greatly appreciated.

45 Milk Street, Boston, 1924.

(s) LOUIS K. LIGGETT,
Chairman.

MR. GEORGE A. NELSON,
224 Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown, Mass.
August 18, 1924.

[COPY OF CHECK. (CANCELED.)]

Boston, August 18, 1924. No. 271.

OLD COLONY TRUST COMPANY.

Pay to the Order of Coolidge Campaign Fund
ONE HUNDRED Dollars (\$100.00).

GEORGE A. NELSON.

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ALVAN T. FULLER.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,
THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR,
STATE HOUSE, BOSTON,
November 7, 1924.

MR. GEORGE A. NELSON,
224 Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown, Mass.

MY DEAR SIR: I want you to know how sincerely I appreciate your cordial support and active co-operation in my campaign for the governorship. I have been hoping that an opportunity would be afforded me of thanking you in person, but until such time as I can see you, I hope you will accept this brief and inadequate written expression of my cordial appreciation.

With very kindest regards, please believe me,

Cordially yours,

(s) ALVAN T. FULLER.

In conclusion I beg to state that it is gratifying to know that although the action and purpose of the state authorities is unquestionably viciously hostile, there has been no complaint of lack of food, improper housing, or abuse of inmates, in striking contrast with the reports of state institutions garnered under friendly auspices.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

James C. Reardon *et al.*, 20 Hamilton street, Ward 18, group garage, four units, four cars.

Pilgrim Laundry Company, 83 Allerton street, Ward 12, business garage and 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Stanley Chmiell, 145 G street, Ward 10, business garage and 100 gallons gasoline.

Benjamin Gilman, 358 and 360 Norfolk street, Ward 21, 2,000 additional gallons gasoline.

William F. Hennessey & Sons, Inc., 18-34 Old Colony avenue, Ward 9, 2,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Mexican Petroleum Corporation, 1337 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 21, 2,000 additional gallons gasoline.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals or repairs to brick settings to four boilers at the City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in the amounts of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent, 818 Harrison avenue. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 2, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing the hull of the ferryboat "Ralph J. Palumbo." Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000, to be filed at the same office. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508 City Hall Annex, Boston. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 1, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Advertises for proposals for removing snow and ice in the various snow districts. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000 for each district. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, December 3, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Church street, Greaton road, Russett road, Theodore Parker road, West Roxbury and Duxbury road, Dorchester and Glencoe street, Brighton. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,500. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, November 28 at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the New East Boston High School, East Boston. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 25, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for the erection and completion of the addition to the Frank V. Thompson Intermediate School, Maxwell and Selden streets, Dorchester. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$10,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, November 28, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing grain to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, November 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, November 28, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the City Hospital with dry goods. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 1, at 12 m.

TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the building of Section K of the Dorchester Tunnel. Surety bond will be required in the amount of 35 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Transit Department, 1 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, November 25, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, November 20:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium from October 28 through November 5:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Joseph Norton, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Katie Nicholson, maid, \$468 a year; Nicholas Quinlan, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Patrick Malden, maid (patient), \$120 a year; Jeremiah Lane, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; John Sullivan, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Edith Gustafson, attending nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Fred Heath, male nurse, \$480 a year; Katherine McGowan, maid, \$468 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Joseph Norton, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Fannie McGuinness, maid, \$468 a year; Michael McNally, maid, \$240 a year; Krecor O'Lanesian, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Henry Mallock, maid (patient), \$120 a year; Peter Jackson, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; Michael Reidy, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Patrick Malden, maid (patient), \$240 a year; John Sullivan, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Catherine Coutreau, maid (patient), \$120 a year; Margaret Manning, maid (patient), \$120 a year.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Wednesday, November 12:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—John Coen, Michael Gorman, Stephen Morrissey, choremen (patients), \$240 a year; Katie Page, maid, \$368 a year; Margaret Duffy, Catherine McInnis, assistant cooks, \$420 a year; Josephine Grody, maid, \$468 a year; Veronica McLean, assistant cook, \$540 a year; Helen Rockford, maid, \$468 a year; John Hotthaus, choreman (patient), \$240 a year.

The following change in position has been made: Veronica Sinigis, laundress at \$480 to \$540 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Helen Ayers, laundress, \$540 a year; Owen Winterson, Stephen Morrissey, Edwin Ross, choremen (patients), \$240 a year; Katie Nicholson, maid, \$468 a year; Kathleen Kelley, Margaret Duffy, assistant cooks, \$420 a year; Katie Page, maid, \$468 a year; Gladys I. Munroe, assistant cook, \$540 a year; Veronica McLean, maid, \$468 a year; James Burns, choreman (patient), \$240 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

The following changes and promotions have been approved:

Thomas F. Horan, clerk (Water Division) at \$1,800 to deputy collector (Tax Division) at \$2,000 a year.

Peter F. Rogers, clerk (Tax Division) at \$1,700 to clerk (Water Division) at \$1,800 a year.

John J. McCaffery, clerk (Water Division) at \$1,600 to clerk (Tax Division) at \$1,700 a year.

John B. Tracey, clerk (Water Division) at \$1,300 to clerk (Water Division) at \$1,600 a year.

John Francis Travers, clerk (Water Division) at \$1,100 to clerk (Water Division) at \$1,300 a year.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

The following changes in the employees of the Finance Commission have taken place:

Winifred R. McDonough, clerk and typist, ceased work Saturday, November 8.

Esther Polimer, clerk and typist, was employed at \$15 a week, but left on account of disability.

Rose Travis, clerk and typist, has been employed at \$15 a week, for a period not to exceed ten days.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

John Downey has been given provisional temporary appointment as fireman in the new George Robert White Health Unit, for three months at \$4.50 a day.

Dr. Frederick W. Derby has been given the permanent appointment as ophthalmologist at \$2,000 a year.

Mrs. Mary McCaffrey has been appointed cleaner in the new Health Unit, at \$20 a week for a period of thirty days.

Frances A. Malloy has been appointed clerk, with a knowledge of stenography, at \$950 a year.

Mary A. Cronin, nurse, at \$1,500 a year has resigned.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, November 13:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Michael Slamon, porter, \$13 a week; Frank Mulkern, porter, \$14.50 a week; Patrick McCasson, porter, \$14 a week; Charles P. Bannon, porter, \$13 a week; Levin A. Watz, assistant supervisor, \$23.06 a week; Annie Flynn, Josephine Barks, laundresses, \$16 a week; Delia Foley, May Doherty, ward helpers, \$11.50 a week; Catherine Mahoney, Annabelle Manning, ward assistants, \$9.50 a week; Margaret Collins, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

Temporary.—Delia Tansey, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Lillian Hines, telephone operator, \$16 a week; Rosita Barker, Mary Sears, special nurses, \$35 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

George Corcoran, transfer porter at \$14.50 to house cleaner at \$14 a week; Malcolm Blue, male nurse at \$24.50 to \$24.21 a week; William Whitford, male nurse at \$24.50 to \$24.21 a week.

Change in Position.—Title.—Angell E. Olin, male nurse to assistant supervisor, \$23 a week; James G. Robertshaw, male nurse to assistant supervisor, \$23 a week; Francis Williams, supervisor to assistant supervisor, \$23 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, November 13:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

John Bannister, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed William Geary.

Maria Eimeke, attendant, \$600 a year, temporary.

Marie Morris, institution employee, \$575 a year, temporary.

William Murphy, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed George Nolan.

Edward Roberts, porter, \$600 a year, to succeed John J. Donovan.

John Riordan, fireman, \$30 a week and board, temporary.

Florence D. Tyler, head nurse \$1,080 a year, to succeed Alwylda Guerrier.

Catherine Witham, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Catherine Phelan.

Maurice Quinlin, porter, \$600 a year, to succeed Edward F. Walsh.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

James Foley, mate, transferred from steamer "Michael J. Perkins," \$1,700 a year, temporary.

House of Correction.

James Downing, officer, made permanent, \$1,200 a year, to succeed James Murray.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Ethyl M. Leahy, clerk, has been appointed visitor at \$1,500 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Robert Barrett, laborer in the Street Cleaning Division of the Public Works Department at \$4.50 a day, has been transferred to the Park Department as laborer at \$4.50 a day.

Frank E. Driscoll has been granted temporary employment for a period of three days as rodman at \$18 a week.

Timothy J. Nagle has been granted temporary employment for a period of four days as a laborer at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Frederick T. Higgins has been granted an extension of temporary employment as elevatorman for a period of three days ending Thursday, November 13.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Harry T. Eldridge has been continued in temporary employment as inspector of new ferry drops and piers at \$6 a day.

Frank A. Keenan, William Lally and Joseph E. Brown have been transferred as firemen to the Ferry Service to be employed on the headhouse heaters during the cold weather, beginning November 7, and terminating about April 2, 1925, wages at \$6 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Edward J. Connors has been employed as temporary machinist at \$5.50 a day in the new garage for sixty days.

Edward Sturm, a veteran, has been employed as carpenter at \$5.50 a day, rebuilding stables at the Highland street paving yard for sixty days.

Daniel J. Coughlin has been employed as superintendent of the new garage, Paving Service, at a salary of \$2,500 a year.

John J. Trayers, subforeman in the Hyde Park Paving Service has been granted an increase in salary from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Thomas F. Kelly has been appointed harnessmaker at \$4.75 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

William Killeen has been employed as temporary laborer at \$4.50 a day for sixty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Joseph F. Murphy has been granted an increase in salary as inspector from \$1,500 to \$1,800 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Rudolph F. Watson has been granted an extension indefinitely as a provisional draughtsman at \$1,500 a year.

James J. Murphy has been given an extension of employment as provisional transitman at \$1,400 a year for an additional three months.

Michael J. Field has been granted an extension of employment as provisional draughtsman at \$1,400 a year for three months.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, November 13:

Main Department.

James Gill, baker, 12 hours, \$7.56; Maria Conley, Marie Leonard, cleaners, 6 hours, \$1.44; C. Skory, electrician, 16 hours, \$13.33; P. Curran, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$8.52; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 4 hours, \$2.76; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; J. Sheedy, porter, 12 hours, \$3.50; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; Helen Doyle, laundress, 5¼ hours, \$1.75.

Total, \$53.21.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday November 13:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

William G. Feeney, Walter J. West, John Malley, engineers, 1½ days, \$9.75 each; Francis J. Berg, fireman, 1½ days, \$9.

Total, \$38.25.

For the week ending Thursday, November 20:

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

James Rogers, watchman, 1 day, \$4.43.

House of Correction.

Thomas Finn, fireman, 2½ days, \$13.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, November 6:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Harry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day \$5.

Dorchester North Burial Ground.

Joseph A. Barrett, George Kelly, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$27.50.

For the week ending Thursday, November 20:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Edward F. Curley, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, Arthur J. Moore, Henry J. Moylan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Fairview Cemetery.

Thomas D. Faherty, James Kingston, Joseph T. McDonough, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday November 6:

Catherine Corrigan, 1 day, \$3.67;

Annie L. Casey, 1 day, \$3.67.

Total, \$7.34.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 17:

Draughtsman.—J. E. Murray, 1 day, \$5.20.

Assistant Draughtsmen.—J. J. Crowley, L. A. Foley, 1 day, \$4.38 each.

Laborers.—H. M. McLaughlin, J. Manus, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Total, \$22.96.

Net cost to city, \$22.96.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 17:

Firemen.—John A. Harrison, 1½ days, \$9; August J. Sommers, ¾ day, \$2.25.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, ¾ day, \$4.13.

Quartermaster.—Joseph B. Nealon, ¾ day, \$2.25.

Total, \$17.63.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 17:

Pavers.—Coleman McDonough, Edward Doherty, Michael Mogan, Philip McGinn, Coleman Feeley, William Donahue, Arcangelo Faiella, William McCartney, 1½ days, \$8.94 each; Timothy O'Sullivan, 2½ days, \$10.63.

Laborers.—Michael Botte, Michael Costello, Frank Galida, William McQuinn, Patrick Sheehan, William Hammond, Thomas Long, Michael Joyce, 1½ days, \$8.02 each; John Cassano, Patrick Doherty, Louis Johnson, Luke Kilduff, William McLaughlin, Edward Barnes, William Carolan, Frederick Jenness, Patrick Carroll, William Jeffers, 1½ days, \$7.31 each; Thomas King, ½ day, \$2.25.

Engineman.—John Mahoney, 1½ days, \$8.94.

Yardman.—Daniel Crowley, 1½ days, \$7.31.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 17:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, A. P. Charbonnier, B. F. Lyons, M. S. Ryan, J. J. Spillane, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Blacksmiths.—W. O'Brien, M. F. Sullivan, ½ day, \$4.75 each.

Blacksmith's Assistant.—C. Sullivan, ½ day, \$2.38.

Laborer.—A. Gaffey, ¾ day, \$3.94.

Teamster.—J. F. Maloney, ¾ day, \$1.69.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Henneberry, 2½ days, \$10.63.

Total, \$69.64.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 17:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, Michael Foley, Michael Brady, 1½ days, \$7.50 each.

Laborers.—Patrick McDonough, James Gavin, Isaac Goldstein, Joseph Huber, Thomas Casey, Jeremiah Walsh, Emilio

Curcio, Antonio Arrachiello, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50.

Fifth Hoist.—Patrick Keeley, 1½ days, \$9; Michael Donovan, ¾ days, \$4.50.

Chauffeur.—James McCarthy, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Total, \$109.50.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 17:

Teamsters.—J. Dahill, P. L. Moynihan, M. J. O'Connell, B. Callahan, G. McColgan, C. J. Crowley, J. P. Barnes, J. W. Collins, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, T. F. Graham, J. T. O'Leary, J. J. Donovan, J. J. McHugh, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, J. F. Cahill, J. J. Carey, D. J. Callahan, J. A. Carr, F. Certosimo, P. Barry, P. F. Joyce, J. J. Daley, W. T. Maloney, B. Maraghy, F. E. Taylor, J. P. Tuohy, M. A. Weidman, J. O'Neil, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. O'Neil, ½ day, \$2.25. Total, \$132.75.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, November 18:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. F. Burke, M. Welch, 1½ days, \$7.50 each; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—E. Rafferty, 2½ days, \$12.50; J. Casey, 2½ days, \$10.69; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; C. Driscoll, 1½ days, \$6.70; J. Welch, ¾ day, \$1.88; P. Clougherty, ¾ day, \$2.06; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$7.50; H. Campbell, 2½ days, \$12.38; D. Burke, ¾ day, \$2.06; D. Hanlon, ¾ day, \$2.06; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Daley, 2½ days, \$11.88; E. Sullivan, 2½ days, \$11.25; J. Leonard, ¾ day, \$1.88; S. Mariani, ¾ day, \$1.88; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$7.13; J. Glennon, ¾ day, \$0.94; J. Feeley, 1½ days, \$8.02; E. Fay, ¾ day, \$1.69; R. McDonough, ¾ day, \$1.69; T. Byrnes, 2½ days, \$14.44; T. Higgins, ¾ day, \$1.69; J. Blessington, ¾ day, \$3.75; T. Gallagher, 1½ days, \$5.63; W. Corbett, 1½ days, \$5.34; J. Reilley, 1½ days, \$5.34; M. Rizzo, 1½ days, \$4.45; S. Mickewicz, 1½ days, \$6.89; E. DeAngelis, 1½ days, \$6.56; H. Killoran, 1½ days, \$5.91; J. McLean, 2½ days, \$11.25; F. Giammito, 1½ days, \$5.91; L. Morgan, 1½ days, \$7.13; A. Citrone, 1½ days, \$5.91; D. Murphy, 1½ days, \$6.75; F. Laskey, 1½ days, \$5.91; W. Behan, 1½ days, \$6.75; J. Lonergan, 1½ days, \$5.91; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Connolly B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, E. Pyne, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, J. M. O'Toole, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. Durand, T. Gallagher, W. Meskill, C. O'Malley, J. O'Toole, M. Shea, ¾ day, \$1.69; M. Barron, 1½ days, \$6.75; W. Kravets, 1½ days, \$5.48; J. McGee, 1½ days, \$10.13; W. Whelton, F. Cassidy, ¾ day, \$0.84 each.

Total, \$359.82; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$354.32.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor except as otherwise noted.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Upon November 17 the Mayor approved a contract with James J. Conway for sewerage works in Alabama street, and outlet in private land, Dorchester. Bids for the work opened November 12, were as follows:

James J. Conway, \$7,529.50; George J. Regan, \$7,695.50; C. Russo, \$7,882.50; N. DeSisto Company, \$8,552; L. Balboni, \$8,696.50; S. J. Tomasello, \$8,967.50; Antony Cefalo, \$10,581; A. D. Daddario, \$11,451.

Upon November 17 the Mayor approved a contract with A. D. Daddario for sewerage works in Foster street and outlet in Lane park, Brighton. Bids for the work opened November 11, were as follows:

A. D. Daddario, \$6,620.40; M. DeSisto Company, \$6,898.50; J. Williams & Co., \$6,987.50; A. Cefalo, \$7,082; C. Russo, \$7,725; James J. Conway, \$7,888.50; M. DeMatteo, 7,975.20; A. Grande, \$8,052; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$8,000.80; Louis Balboni, \$8,163.90; S. J. Tomasello, \$8,826; George J. Regan, \$9,023.10.

Upon November 18 the Acting Mayor approved a contract with George J. Regan for sewerage works in Wood avenue, from Rutledge road about 90 feet northeasterly and outlet in Rutledge road, Hyde Park. Bids opened for the work November 10, were as follows:

George J. Regan, \$1,867.65; M. DeSisto Company, \$2,087.25; A. D. Daddario, \$2,224.70; Louis Balboni, \$2,225; C. Russo, \$2,335.50; Zoppo & Civitarese, \$2,388; J. Williams & Co., \$2,394; S. J. Tomasello, \$2,408.75.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon November 15 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Grande for laying and relaying water pipes in Billings lane, Maynard street, Schirmer road, West Roxbury; Elizabeth avenue, Goodenough street, Brighton and Friendship road, Hyde Park. Bids for the work, opened November 14, were as follows:

A. Grande, \$4,139.50; Louis Balboni, \$4,344; Vozzella & Capone, \$4,383.50; J. Williams & Co., \$4,467.50; John T. Shea, Jr., \$5,272.50; M. DeSisto Company, \$5,957.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Archdeacon & Sullivan for erecting and completing standard lower elementary school in the Robert Gould Shaw District. Bids for the work, opened Friday, October 31, were as follows:

Archdeacon & Sullivan, \$91,630; M. S. Kelliher Company, \$93,400; Joseph Rugo, \$99,340; Leighton-Mitchell Company, \$104,485.

Upon November 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Rugo for erecting and completing elementary school in the John Marshall District. Bids for the work, opened on November 3, were as follows:

Joseph Rugo, \$179,440; McDonald & Imhof, \$181,120; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$214,750.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Frank J. Gallagher & Co. have been ordered to make the following additions on the work at the quarters of Engine 27, Elm street, Charlestown, on contract dated October 2, 1924: Screen view of locker and toilet room, \$41; construct brick protecting pier around column in apparatus room, \$33; furnish and erect new 6-foot sink in washroom, \$105; furnish hardware for extra lockers, \$25; remove and replaster center piece in dormitory and remove pipes, \$13.50; furnish and lay linoleum in locker room, lieutenant's room and small lobby on third floor, \$110; total additions, \$327.50; original contract, \$7,845; total contract, \$8,172.50.

Frank J. Gallagher & Co. have been ordered to make the following additions and deduction on the work at the quarters of Engine 12, Dudley street, Roxbury, in connection with contract dated August 18, 1924: Deduction: Renew only such lath and plaster, second story, that is unsound and in need of repair, \$500. Additions: Sand blast sides and front of building, \$295; rebuild old chimney, using an 8-inch by 12-inch flue, \$175; relocate water-closet tank in balcony, \$20; enlarge dormitory windows, \$10; total additions, \$500. There are no net deductions or additions, original contract remaining at \$14,700.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Additions, amounting to \$1,110, on contract with Warren Brothers Company for bitulithic pavement in Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester, on account of removing drinking fountain and furnishing and laying concrete base where directed. Original contract, \$129,236; total additions, \$8,610; contract as standing, \$137,846.

An addition, amounting to \$12,651, on contract with A. G. Tomasello & Son for Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Brighton; Dalkeith and Standard streets, Dorchester; Beryl street, Pond View avenue and Redlands road, West Roxbury, on account of grading, setting edgestone, laying concrete pavement and cinder sidewalks in New England avenue, from Talbot avenue to Southern avenue. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$90,803.50; total additions, \$35,861; contract as standing, \$126,664.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$935, on contract with C. Russo for sewerage works in Colorado street, Dorchester, on account of building 105 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer in Colorado street, from existing sewer 130 feet northeast of Almont street 105 feet northeasterly; Dorchester. Original contract, \$3,933.50, total addition, \$935; contract as standing, \$4,868.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

John Bowen Company have been granted an addition, in an amount of approximately \$9,700, to the contract for erection and completion of the Winship School addition. This amount is required to cover certain rock excavation which

was found to be necessary during the progress of the work, also additional plastering and lathing, extra masonry and plumbing, and overtime work ordered by the commissioners in order to expedite the completion of the building.

Lyon Metallic Manufacturing Company have been allowed the following addition to the contract for the Jamaica Plain High School as per architect's letter of November 6, 1924: Addition: Separating and taking down 600 lockers in the gymnasium, moving same to the assembly hall and setting up the entire number as per plan and directions of the Board, \$287; Deductions: Omitting 600 coat rods at \$0.01, \$6; omitting 600 hinges at \$0.01, \$6; allowance on 600 locks, \$60; total, \$72. Net addition, \$215. Contract price, \$2,760; total addition, \$215; amount of contract, \$2,975.

John Bowen Company have been allowed to deduct the following allowance: Hardware, Section 10, page 51, \$1,400, as per architect's letter of November 11, 1924. Contract price, \$82,440; total deductions, \$1,400; amount of contract, \$81,040.

Thomas O'Connor & Co. have been allowed to deduct the following allowance: Shrubs, Section 4, page 34, \$300; Hardware, Section 10, page 70, \$800. Total, \$1,100, as per architect's letter of November 11, 1924. Contract price, \$103,436; total deductions, \$1,100; amount of contract, \$102,336.

McDonald & Imhof have been allowed to deduct the following allowance: Hardware, Section 11, page 84, \$1,400, as per architect's letter of November 12, 1924. Contract price, \$58,730; total deductions, \$1,400; amount of contract, \$57,330.

R. J. Connolly has been allowed the following changes in contract for moving five portable schools as per civil engineer's letter of October 31, 1924: Addition: Take up furniture and store in building, \$15; new sills in portable No. 24, \$260; tear down brick wall and remove from premises, \$120; new picket fence, portable No. 127, \$65; build platform for coal box, portable No. 127, \$90; new firepot in portable No. 51, \$33; new vent duct in portable No. 51, \$25; pave yard, Continuation School, \$60; new piazza, portable No. 127, \$75; total addition, \$743. Contract price, \$6,098; total addition, \$743; amount of contract, \$6,841.

EXAMINING COMMITTEE FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The trustees of the Public Library have appointed the following Examining Committee for the year 1924:

Gordon Abbott, 17 Court street, Boston; Rev. William J. Barry, 199 Webster street, East Boston; John I. Bottomley, M.D., 165 Beacon street, Boston; Mrs. I. Tucker Burr, 191 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston; Miss Ida M. Cannon, 2 Divinity avenue, Cambridge; Hollis French, 94 Mt. Vernon street, Boston; John I. Fitzgerald, 7 Allen street, Boston; Edward S. Goulston, Hotel Lenox, Boston; Henry L. Johnson, 338 Metropolitan avenue, Roslindale; Jacob J. Kaplan, 41 Charlottee street, Dorchester; John C. Kiley, 330 Reservoir road, Brighton; Malcolm Lang, 162 Bay State road, Boston; Hon. Frank Leveroni, 358 Arborway, Jamaica Plain; Mrs. Joseph T. Mooney, 23 Olmstead street, Jamaica Plain; Mrs. Fred L. Pigeon, 58 White street, East Boston; Miss Mary Ranney, 54 Ainsworth street, Roslindale; Rev. Lyman V. Rutledge, 29 High street, Dorchester; Miss Sara H. Stites, 1 Greenough street (within) Brookline; Mrs. Barrett Wendell, 358 Marlborough street, Boston.

CITY NET DEBT DECREASING.

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council elected at large, but under some well-devised plan of proportional representation.

The most important changes effected by the charter amendments of 1909 were administrative and financial. This charter constituted, in effect, the most radical and thorough going reform in municipal administration ever attempted in this country; and the entire scheme, both principles and details, has remained intact.

The main financial changes effected by the Act of 1909 were that the Mayor was given an absolute veto power over all orders passed by the City Council except those relating to its own internal affairs; and not only the absolute right to veto a loan bill in its entirety, but to veto any of the items in a loan bill or reduce them. Loan bills could originate either with the Mayor or the City Council, but each was given full concurrent power over loans and items. The annual appropriation bill, that is the order fixing current expenditures for the year out of taxes and income, must originate with the Mayor; the City Council having power to reduce or eliminate an item, but no power to increase an item or to add new items. This plan was a drastic and revolutionary reform, borrowed partly from Europe, and is the only effort of the sort with which I am familiar for the mitigation of the evils of extravagance from which all our American cities suffer. It will be observed that both the Mayor and the City Council have full concurrent power over all expenditures; and there is no foundation for the unthinking criticism that the Boston charter deprives the City Council of opportunities or incentives to work. The proper discharge of the concurrent power vested in the City Council over all appropriations and loans ought to occupy as much of the time of each member of the City Council as the public can fairly expect them to devote to the duties of his office. If, as has unfortunately been the case, members of the City Council have disregarded these duties and opportunities, it is not the fault of the charter but of the councilmen themselves and the voters who have retained them in office. These financial reforms constitute, you will observe, a complete system of checks and balances upon the expenditure of municipal money. None of the individual ideas were original, but the combination is, I believe, original and has not been imitated elsewhere in this country with results for other cities of comparable size which I will refer to in a moment.

In addition to these financial changes the new charter contained an entirely new idea based upon the experience of the Finance Commission itself. This was that there should be a perpetual Finance Commission appointed by the state and having no administrative powers but the duty of inspection, investigation and publicity. I have always regarded this plan as one of the most effective measures ever devised for checking the more obvious forms of graft and the more scandalous extravagances that city governments if left to themselves are apt to indulge in.

Now for the results. As I said before, a scheme of political administration which has been in operation for fifteen years has been tried so long that we ought to be able to determine whether on the whole it has worked well or ill; and the answer to this question can best be secured by taking in the first place the actual results obtained in the particular city in question, and then

by instituting a comparison, so far as accurate figures can be found, with other cities of comparable size.

Let us consider first the experience of Boston, considered by itself. In 1909 the tax rate was \$16.50. For the past three years, including the present year, 1924, the rate has been \$24.70, an increase of almost exactly 50 per cent. On September 30, 1909, the total net debt of the city and county was \$74,175,715, while on September 30, 1924, it was \$82,796,088, an increase of \$8,620,373, or 11.6 per cent. These figures include the amounts borrowed for rapid transit purposes. If we exclude the debt incurred in connection with the subway system, which is peculiar to this city, we shall find that the net debt of the city and county was \$59,675,958 on September 30, 1909, while fifteen years later it was only \$49,162,723, a decrease of \$10,513,235 or 21.3 per cent. There are under way at the present time a number of street improvements for which loans have been authorized but not issued, so that next year we can fairly expect an increase in the debt for ordinary municipal purposes; but in all probability not enough to wipe out the gain of \$10,500,000 that has been made in the past fifteen years.

Let us now see if we can determine what has happened in other cities fairly comparable in size which have been operating during the past fifteen years under the old fashioned type of American city charter, modified more or less, but not in the direction taken in this city. The American people are a spendthrift nation, both as individuals and when organized as municipal corporations; and as late as 1909, when the present charter was adopted, Boston led all the other large cities in the country in the race for extravagance. Taking for comparison the eleven other cities in this country having in 1922—the latest date for which figures have been published by the Department of Commerce—a population of over 500,000, and taking the amount of total expenditure per capita and the amount of net debt per capita as furnishing on the whole the best basis for comparison, it appears that Boston had in 1909 with one exception the largest per capita net debt and spent more money per capita than any of the others. It was these facts, and the exposure of the methods which made them possible, that led to the reforms of 1909.

Now, in 1922, these other eleven cities had increased their expenditures on the average from \$18.18 per capita in 1909 to \$43.75 in 1922, an increase of \$25.57 or 140½ per cent, and had increased their average net debt from \$54 per capita to \$106, or 96 per cent; whereas in the City of Boston the total expenditure increased from \$34.85 to \$57.94 per capita or only 66 per cent, while there has been no increase at all in the net per capita debt including rapid transit loans. It was \$110.68 in 1909 and \$110.76 in 1922. This increase of 66 per cent in expenditure and of nothing at all in debt contrasts with an increase of 140½ per cent in expenditures and 96 per cent in debt for the average of the other eleven cities of similar or greater size in the United States. It can be said, of course, that the different cities are differently situated with respect to the necessity for large expenditures and loans; but this argument is usually put forward as an excuse for extravagance in individual cases. Taken by and large and including the results achieved in all the cities of this country that are fairly comparable with ours, there can be but one

interpretation of the figures that I have given you. That is that the Boston type of city charter has, in comparison with other forms of municipal government obtaining in this country, worked enormously to the financial advantage of the people of this community. When we consider that the period in question covers the World War and the great increase in costs which followed it, it is obvious that the results obtained in this city out of the charter amendments of 1909, financial, administrative and informative, have been far better than those obtained in any other large city in this country; and I doubt very much if any large city in the world can show as small an increase in indebtedness during this period as has been the case in Boston.

We ought not to ignore the many extravagant and unnecessary expenditures of the past fifteen years, nor can we close our eyes to the scandals that have been exposed from time to time by the Finance Commission; but notwithstanding all this, the fact remains that the increase in annual expenditures has been much less than in other large cities and that Boston can stand almost alone upon practically the same debt as fifteen years ago. When we note what has been going on in these other cities no impartial observer can deny that the difference between the financial conditions of Boston and that of the other cities is due to the adoption here and here alone of the financial changes of 1909, and to the work of the Finance Commission. The small City Council elected at large has also, in my opinion, had a favorable effect upon the finances of the city.

I want to close these remarks with a few thoughts of a political nature. The framing of this charter was a purely non-partisan work; but getting it through the Legislature was a task of a wholly different order. The community at large, stirred up by the revelations made by the commission, was willing to accept our conclusions, and we had the support of citizen committees from all parts of the state. The welfare of the Commonwealth was felt to be dependent in great measure on the financial integrity of its principal city. But, it proved to be a very difficult thing to secure the necessary votes in the State Legislature. The reforms urged were without precedent in the political history of this country. There was a natural reluctance on the part of the Legislature to rely on our predictions of the results to be expected, and there was the most violent opposition on the part of the politicians who owed their political and financial welfare to the system we sought to abolish. I gave about three months of my time to conferences with the joint committees of the Legislature to whom our report had been referred, and although we had at all times a majority of this committee the opposition in the Senate and House was so strong that it began to look as if we should lose the bill unless we were willing to agree to some sort of a compromise charter. This we were urged to do by the Chamber of Commerce; but the compromises offered were such as to devalue the essentially simple though entirely new reform that we proposed, and we refused to listen to them. The result was a deadlock.

It occurred to me that the situation warranted an appeal to the statesman whose funeral I have just attended. Senator Lodge was the ablest man in public life of my generation and acquaintance; and although seldom in agreement with him on the purely partisan issues in state and national politics, I felt that in this emergency his powerful aid could probably be

secured and would prove effective. In this we were not disappointed. Mr. Lodge came to Boston, studied the problem for a week or so, and then induced his party associates in the Legislature to support the plan of the Finance Commission. It was then passed, without the change of an idea or important word, by what was practically a party vote. I have frequently referred to this great service rendered by Senator Lodge to the cause of good government in Boston, but not I believe in public. I know of no more fitting occasion on which to make public mention of these facts than the day we consign his body to the grave. His record as a statesman will be part of the history of Massachusetts. I want to be sure that in that record is incorporated the service given to the people of this community fifteen years ago in their efforts to secure the present city charter.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Samuel J. Tomasello has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying a Portland cement concrete pavement in Ifley road, from Washington street to Walnut avenue, and as extended to include Ethel and Mark streets. Items ordered: Furnish and place crushed stone foundation as directed. Price to be paid for each linear foot furnished and placed, the sum of 40 cents. Estimated cost of extra work, \$135.

Samuel J. Tomasello has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repaving Ifley road, from Washington street to Walnut avenue. Items ordered: Remove twenty-five (25) trees and stumps. Price to be paid, the sum of \$1,150. Estimated cost of extra work, \$1,150.

Michael H. Loonie has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works in Locust street, between Washington avenue and New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Dorchester. Items ordered: Furnish extra labor for excavating, removing sheeting, resheeting trench, pumping, etc., on account of not finding intercepting sewer in location as shown on plans. Estimated cost of extra work, \$345.

De Cristoforo Brothers Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipe in Cleveland circle, Sutherland road, Commonwealth avenue and Colonial road, Brighton. Items ordered: Assisting department masons building eight brick chambers, oiling gates, testing pipe line and placing concrete piers back of 24-inch bends and branches. Also furnishing and placing concrete paving base. Estimated cost of extra work, \$600.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for building sewerage works in Bowman street, between Blackwell street and Chickatawbut street, Dorchester. Items ordered: Re-excavate and resheet about fifty feet of trench; pump water from same; repair manholes, cut four guttermouths and haul ironwork from the East Boston sewer yard. Estimated cost of extra work, \$350.

Antony Cefalo has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in West Roxbury Parkway, West

Border road, between La Grange street and Pleasure Drive. Items ordered: Extra labor, setting and regulating gate and air cock boxes on account of grade changes on roadway by the Massachusetts District Commission. Estimated cost of extra work, \$75.

The Atlantic Works have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for repairing hull of ferryboat "Lieutenant Flaherty." Items ordered: Truck dynamo, put new dynamo in place, remove old dynamo, \$68; plug blow-off opening, \$40; make new opening above braces, \$130; clean and drain bilges, \$281; furnish and fit deck plate on end, \$120; guard timber on end, \$110; repack stuffing boxes, \$60; make and fit hull bleeders, split out blocks, \$70; repair gates, \$60; renew blow back nipples and valves, \$30; estimated cost of above work, \$969. Above prices verbally agreed upon.

LOCATION OF STREETS.

The Mayor has approved the vote of the Board of Street Commissioners for the location of the following streets:

That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in West Roxbury district, designated as Seenanar road, leading northeasterly from Florence street for a distance of about 665 feet, as shown on a plan approved in writing by this Board, and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in West Roxbury district, designated as Maynard street, from Metropolitan avenue to Dale street, as shown on a plan approved in writing by this Board, and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in West Roxbury district, designated as Hayes street, from Washington street to Birch street, as shown on a plan approved in writing by this Board and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in Dorchester district, designated as Fernald terrace, leading westerly from Quincy street, as shown on a plan approved in writing by this Board and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

That the location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in West Roxbury, designated as Billings lane, leading northerly from Pond street for a distance of about 600 feet, as shown on a plan approved in writing by this Board, and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department, be and the same hereby are approved.

NO DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Board of Street Commissioners has determined that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Barrington street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Beaumont street to Elm road, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 13 TO NOVEMBER 19.

NOVEMBER 13.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. W. Foster.....	12 Turner street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$550
James A. Kott.....	19 Eastbourne street.....	23	New fixtures.....	450
James S. Cassidy.....	88 Glenora street.....	26	New fixtures.....	650
M. H. Myers.....	124 Faneuil street.....	26	New fixtures.....	800
L. W. Clark.....	696 East First street.....	9	New fixtures.....	10,000
V. B. Buckley.....	9 East street.....	5	New fixtures.....	50
F. T. Bailey.....	479 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	600
T. J. Murphy Company.....	133 Brookline avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	500
P. J. Sullivan.....	18 Abbotsford street.....	16	New fixtures.....	500
Cox & Johnson.....	100 Shawmut avenue.....	6	New fixtures.....	400
M. Miller.....	46 Pearl street.....	3	New fixtures.....	300
E. P. Fuller.....	10 McLean street.....	5	New fixtures.....	2,600
Gordon & Co.....	16 Hancock street.....	17	New fixtures.....	250
Gordon & Co.....	18 Hancock street.....	17	New fixtures.....	250
Gordon & Co.....	20 Hancock street.....	17	New fixtures.....	250
A. J. Cooper Company.....	125 Fulton street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
O. J. Morlock.....	6 and 8 Dartmouth street.....	7	New fixtures.....	250
Samuel Barron.....	83 Columbia road.....	19	New fixtures.....	300
H. L. Rose.....	445 Chelsea street.....	1	New fixtures.....	1,000
G. A. Renshaw.....	17 Charles street.....	18	New fixtures.....	600
W. E. Maynard.....	121 Beverly street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
M. Cohen.....	12 Westland avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	1,000
M. Cohen.....	14 Westland avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	1,000

NOVEMBER 14.

A. I. Russell.....	14 Winship street.....	25	New fixtures.....	\$150
William B. Johnson.....	619 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,000
J. M. Nihen.....	24 Sudbury street.....	5	New fixtures.....	175
B. A. MacDonald.....	63 Sefton street.....	24	New fixtures.....	1,200
John C. Kelly Estate.....	44 Sheridan street.....	15	New fixtures.....	200
Max H. Cohen.....	17 Roxton street.....	19	New fixtures.....	2,500
Max H. Cohen.....	19 Roxton street.....	19	New fixtures.....	1,200
John A. Donlan.....	35 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	100
Eli Parad.....	14 Merrill street.....	19	New fixtures.....	250
Vincent B. Buckley.....	331 Main street.....	4	New fixtures.....	150
Pierce & Cox.....	114 High street.....	3	New fixtures.....	400
Hubert T. Smith.....	169 Faneuil street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,450

NOVEMBER 15.

John Manning.....	3651 Washington street.....	22	New fixtures.....	\$540
H. S. Trethewey.....	14 Ardmore road.....	23	New fixtures.....	600
R. O. Mahr.....	32 Ashcroft street.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,100
K. W. McManus.....	24 Aspinwall road.....	19	New fixtures.....	500
J. Harry Kurhan.....	46 Claymoss road.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,200
D. M. Goldstein.....	106 Columbia road.....	19	New fixtures.....	4,000
John J. Vogel.....	456 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	450
Samuel Barron.....	19 Otisfield street.....	16	New fixtures.....	400
John B. Sharp.....	5 Pama Gardens.....	25	New fixtures.....	700
W. J. Cook.....	9 Patterson street.....	20	New fixtures.....	175
Abraham Kellern.....	232 Townsend street.....	16	New fixtures.....	1,100
Max H. Cohen.....	12 Verrill street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,200
John W. Slane.....	73 Walden street.....	15	New fixtures.....	350
Andrew J. Granara.....	9 Walker street.....	3	New fixtures.....	850
J. S. Cassidy.....	2000 Washington street.....	12	New fixtures.....	4,800

NOVEMBER 17.

Philip Ligums.....	42 Breed street.....	1	New fixtures.....	\$400
J. P. Perry Company.....	115 Devonshire street.....	5	New fixtures.....	2,000
A. I. Russell.....	23 Gerrish street.....	26	New fixtures.....	150
Louis Rubinovitch.....	996 Harrison avenue.....	12	New fixtures.....	250
Edward Moore Company.....	20 Leverett street.....	5	New fixtures.....	25
M. Ahern.....	111 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	150
McFarish Company.....	24 Sudbury street.....	5	New fixtures.....	40
H. W. Orr.....	200 Washington street.....	25	New fixtures.....	700
J. O'Connell.....	28 Winship street.....	25	New fixtures.....	100
J. O'Connell.....	30 Winship street.....	25	New fixtures.....	100

NOVEMBER 18.

Edward Moore Company.....	48 Cedar Grove street.....	20	New fixtures.....	\$500
M. Pass & Co.....	82 Staniford street.....	5	New fixtures.....	600
Joseph Riley.....	2055 Columbus avenue.....	15	New fixtures.....	150
Max Hyman.....	56 Clarkwood street.....	21	New fixtures.....	250
W. H. Phillips.....	640 Walk Hill street.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
W. H. Phillips.....	642 Walk Hill street.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
Louis Moltedo.....	8 Thatcher street.....	24	New fixtures.....	700
J. O'Connell.....	424 Washington street.....	25	New fixtures.....	200
P. R. Winters.....	10 Atkins street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,500
Oscar Simonson.....	28 Bertram street.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,000
P. F. Russo.....	40 Hallett street.....	20	New fixtures.....	600

NOVEMBER 19.

T. W. Quinn.....	4 Alhambra road.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$1,200
A. E. Scrivens.....	59 Lexington avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	480
A. E. Scrivens.....	280 Milton Street East.....	24	New fixtures.....	525
Louis Monto.....	971 P street.....	10	New fixtures.....	200
John R. Barrett.....	128 Cambridge street.....	3	New fixtures.....	150
H. J. Rittershaus.....	34 Bartlett street.....	3	New fixtures.....	320
William N. McKenna.....	71 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	2,500
E. M. Duggan.....	58 Eustis street.....	12	New fixtures.....	100
Dick Paginton.....	110 Williams avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	100
Edward Bevelander.....	2 Lathrop street.....	26	New fixtures.....	750
W. J. Cook.....	138 West Seventh street.....	9	New fixtures.....	300
Kelley & Gaffey.....	818 Harrison avenue.....	6	New fixtures.....	200
T. B. McKeagney.....	552 Tremont street.....	6	New fixtures.....	200
John A. Doherty.....	267 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,000

CITY CREDIT UNION IN FLOURISHING CONDITION.

MAYOR CURLEY RECEIVES REPORT FROM OFFICERS SHOWING GOOD WORK DONE IN THWARTING MONEY SHARKS.

Mayor Curley has received from officers of the City of Boston Employees' Credit Union a report of the tenth annual meeting and the good work done. The officers wrote his Honor as follows:

"Your decision in 1915 to have a Credit Union of city employees organized, in order to relieve employees in need of temporary financial assistance from the mercenary demands of money lenders, is proving more valuable from year to year, as will be seen from the following statement:

"At the tenth annual meeting reports for the year were submitted by the treasurer and the credit and supervisory committees, and various recommendations made by the directors were adopted.

"The total amount loaned since organization is \$582,147. Loans to the amount of \$137,539 were made during the year. The losses, almost all due to the death of the borrower without financial resources at the time of death, have been comparatively small, being about one half of 1 per cent of the amount loaned in nine years. It was voted to continue to charge interest on loans at the rate of 7 per cent, instead of 8 per cent, the rate prior to December 1, 1923.

"New loans were made during the year at an average of \$166.31 each. At present there are \$72,029 in loans outstanding but not due. The guaranty fund of \$3,388.37 and undivided earnings of \$7,143.82 are sufficient to provide against losses. Deposits have increased to \$51,551, and the cash on hand at the close of business October 31, 1924, amounted to \$15,034. The operating expense for the year was \$1,648. A dividend at the rate of 6 per cent for the year was declared, and the same rate of interest, 6 per cent, has been paid on deposits."

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 47.

I. THE AMERICAN RED CROSS.

1. In connection with the sixth annual roll call of the American Red Cross, the Fire Commissioner has been asked to invite the members of the Boston Fire Department to renew their membership in this humanitarian organization. The activities of this society are so well known that it is unnecessary to comment upon them here.

2. Members who desire to renew their membership in the American Red Cross are requested to send their names, with the membership fee of \$1, to the Fire Commissioner, on or before Wednesday, November 26, 1924. Commanding officers may consolidate the lists and send them in on Form 5.

3. Membership cards, membership buttons, and pennants will be sent to the members as soon as their membership fees are received at headquarters.

By order of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn.

DANIEL F. SENNOTT,
Acting Chief of Department.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 13 TO NOVEMBER 19.

NOVEMBER 13.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Jacob Bell <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 21 Nightingale st.	19	Second-class garage.....	\$1,000
Mary E. Marshall.....	Rear of 128 Academy Hill rd.	25	Third-class garage.....	400
Emil Ljunglof.....	Rear of 47 Lexington avenue	24	Third-class garage.....	600
Martin Rooney.....	40 Fairbanks street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Brighton Construction Com- pany.....	35 Atkins street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
John Tooman.....	9 Waterlow street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
William Hanrahan.....	265 Athens street.....	9	Alterations, tenements.....	300
Max W. Spark.....	55 Esmond street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
Harry Meilman.....	580 Warren street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,600
E. Van Noorden Company.....	100 Magazine street.....	12	Alterations, factory.....	1,800
Minot Building Trust.....	103-113 Devonshire street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.....	1,000
K. A. Baronian.....	157 Arlington street.....	8	Alterations, store and dwelling.....	6,000

NOVEMBER 14.

Rosina DeNapoli.....	Rear of 140 Harrishoff street.	16	First-class garage.....	\$1,200
M. M. Braff.....	Rear of 37 Bayswater street.	1	First-class garage.....	950
Mary A. Cleary.....	Rear of 1605 Tremont street.	14	First-class garage.....	1,500
S. Gaffney.....	336 Princeton street.....	1	First-class garage.....	1,800
Mexican Petroleum Corpora- tion.....	1335 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Second-class service station.....	3,500
Ernest A. Johnson.....	Rear of 66 Walker street.....	23	Second-class garage.....	850
Jacob Berson <i>et al.</i>	19 Greendale road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Jacob Berson <i>et al.</i>	23 Greendale road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Suburb Realty Company.....	30 Eastbourne street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Cornelius H. Lundeen.....	Rear of 44 Mountain avenue.....	21	Third-class garage.....	400
James Killian.....	Rear of 35 High street.....	17	Third-class garage.....	600
Jane Brooks Brennan.....	Rear of 372 LaGrange street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	490
Mabel I. Allen.....	Rear of 2 Acton street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	400
W. J. Carlson.....	Rear of 205 Bellevue street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	800
G. S. Maloof.....	Rear of 4 Landseer terrace.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	1,000
H. A. Vincent.....	18 Albion street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	5,500
Mrs. M. V. Roberts.....	12 Bruce street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Charles J. Dahlbon <i>et al.</i>	64 Beaumont street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	9,800
Thomas Madden.....	72 Orlando street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Cifton Manufacturing Com- pany.....	65 Brookside avenue.....	22	Alterations, rubber mill.....	200
John Sullivan.....	119 H street.....	10	Alterations, tenement.....	300
John H. Moore.....	21 Shepard street.....	25	Alterations, tenement.....	150
Phillip Marco.....	Rear of 158 Adams street.....	18	Alterations, garage.....	400
C. Bootzys.....	59 Bainbridge street.....	16	Alterations, tenements.....	475
DeBlois & Maddison, Agents, Joseph Priglosky.....	103 and 105 Blackstone st.	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	600
F. B. Sullivan.....	175 West Seventh street.....	9	Alterations, store and dwelling.....	300
N. Alford.....	74 Pearl street.....	3	Erect fire escape.....	125
Cable Manufacturing Com- pany.....	12 Cross street.....	5	Install dumb waiter.....	1,400
	2304 Washington street.....	13	Install elevator.....	3,000

NOVEMBER 15.

Deila E. Joslin.....	Rear of 51 Leamington road	25	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Theodore Simpson.....	Rear of 122 Homes avenue.....	18	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Frank Spang.....	72 Landseer street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Gerardo DePisa.....	105 Chambers street.....	5	Alterations, store and dwelling.....	100
Thomas Johnson.....	896 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	525
E. S. Welch, trustee.....	58 Winter street.....	5	Alterations, offices and stores.....	120
E. S. Welch, trustee.....	9 Byron street.....	8	Alterations, stable.....	65
B. Stollen.....	15 Mayfair street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	260
Lyman K. Eddy.....	83 Prince street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	600
Sarah J. Griggs.....	694 Tremont street.....	6	Alterations, dwelling.....	100
D. R. Maloof.....	261 Shawmut avenue.....	6	Alterations, lodging.....	125
Louis H. Levenson.....	62 and 64 Nashua street.....	5	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Boston Spaghetti Company.....	52 and 54 Endicott street.....	5	Alterations, manufacturing.....	500
Boston Wharf Company.....	321 Summer street.....	9	Alterations, warehouse.....	2,600

NOVEMBER 17.

John G. Ray.....	Rear of 15 Cunningham street (1)	17	First-class garage.....	\$800
John G. Ray.....	Rear of 15 Cunningham street (2)	17	First-class garage.....	800
Mrs. Ellen Mahoney.....	Rear of 26 Verdun street.....	20	First-class garage.....	1,400
Salvatore Bisso <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 202 and 204 Bremen street.	2	First-class garage.....	2,000
Frank Szydlowski.....	Rear of 215 Hancock street.....	17	First-class garage.....	1,650
G. Williamson.....	Rear of 227 Minot street.....	20	First-class garage.....	1,000
Annie Connolly.....	Rear of 46 and 48 Marine road.	10	First-class garage.....	1,800
Frank Fulginiti.....	Rear of 206 East Eagle street,	1	First-class garage.....	1,500
Rebecca C. Cook.....	Rear of 76 Lonsdale street.....	20	First-class garage.....	400
John Ruge <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 149 Pleasant street.....	17	First-class garage.....	1,000
Turker & Grossman.....	315 Summit avenue.....	25	Second-class tenements.....	35,000
Patrick Hession.....	Rear of 51 Clarkson street.....	18	Second-class garage.....	1,000
W. H. Gray.....	97 Arlington street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	384
Mary McAvoy.....	39 Percival street.....	19	Third-class garage.....	438
Martha Cannon.....	16 Thatcher street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
J. W. Wagner.....	43 Larch street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
I. Bohn.....	30 Lochstead avenue.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
Mrs. Luddy.....	292 Bunker Hill street.....	3	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
Julius Cabel <i>et al.</i>	72 Northampton street.....	12	Alterations, stable.....	5,000
George V. Kanell.....	8 Dartmouth street.....	7	Alterations, store.....	800
C. F. Hovey Company.....	31 Summer street.....	5	Alterations, department store.....	1,500
A. D. Bonnano <i>et al.</i>	95-107 Albany street.....	5	Alterations, laundry and light manufacturing.....	5,000
Miss Fannie Faulkner.....	80 Beacon street.....	8	Install elevator.....	4,720
Thomas Long Company.....	44 Summer street.....	5	Install elevator.....	4,620
New England Construction Company.....	478 Neponset avenue.....	20	Take-down, stable.....	50
George Placey.....	4226 Washington street.....	23	Take-down, stable.....	100

MAYOR AIDS IN EDUCATION
WEEK OBSERVANCE.

Mayor James M. Curley has directed the Board of Park Commissioners to assist in the observance of National Education Week, and its nation-wide observance by the public schools and other educational institutions has met with quick response by the Park Commission of the City of Boston, which has arranged, under the direction of Deputy Commissioner William P. Long, an appropriate one-day program for the demonstration of its contributive share of true education. The classic precept—a sound mind in a sound body—which all educators agree is the true goal toward which their efforts are constantly directed, were exemplified, under the auspices of the Park Department, by exhibitions and health talks in all the gymnasiums of the city on the evening of November 21, the day set apart as National Physical Training Day. Printed invitations to attend these have been distributed, in order that the citizens of Boston may become acquainted with the courses that are maintained throughout the year for their benefit. Class work in calisthenics and ten-minute health talks by doctors from the Board of Health constituted the chief part of the program.

The City of Boston, which early took the lead among the cities of the country in physical welfare work for its citizens, and which has always maintained that lead, has eleven public gymnasiums completely equipped and under expert direction. These institutions, both day and evening, carry on a splendid work. Competent instructors, under the present direct supervision of Mr. John A. Lane, constitute one of the most valuable organizations of the city's public service. Located in sections of the city convenient to all, these gymnasiums are available to young and old of both sexes. A well-defined system of exercises and supervised play has attracted a large patronage of both women's and men's classes, and it is for an increase of this patronage that the Park Department has endorsed National Physical Training Day, and will observe it by practical demonstrations of its careful and constant work to up-build the health of the citizens of Boston.

Boston has always been in the van in the field of education, and none of its institutions have done more toward the maintenance of this lead than its public gymnasiums in their respective line of work. The Park Commission made special preparations to assure the comfort of the big attendance it expected from all quarters of the city as its program of tribute to National Physical Training Day. The location of the city gymnasiums, and their respective instructors are as follows: East Boston, T. Connell; Charlestown, W. Cronin; North Bennet Street, J. Hannon; Tyler Street, Samuel Smith; Brookline Street, Fred Byrnes; Cabot Street, William Mullen; Curtis Hall, Maurice Smith; Vine Street, James O'Brien; Columbia Road, Edward Kohler; Roslindale, Edward Fisher; Hyde Park, George Frazer.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 636.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Roy Clifford of Division 12, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said

Patrolman Roy Clifford was on November 10, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on November 10, 1924, to the said Roy Clifford.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 637.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Leo L. Duffy of Division 10, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Leo L. Duffy perform twenty-five hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 638.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Thomas J. Coffey of Division 11, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Thomas J. Coffey perform one hundred and forty hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 639.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman William P. McCarthy of Division 19, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman William P. McCarthy perform one hundred and seventy hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 640.

A trial board consisting of Captains Walkins, McConnell and McDevitt, having heard by reference complaints against Patrolmen Arthur Pyburn, Richard E. Keyes, Thomas E. Keating, Parker A. Coleman and Frederick T. Mayo of Division 9, and Harvey B. Yates of Division 5, charging them each with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner findings of not guilty. In accordance with which it is hereby ordered that the complaints against the said Patrolmen Arthur Pyburn, Richard E. Keyes, Thomas E. Keating, Parker A. Coleman, Frederick T. Mayo and Harvey B. Yates be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 13 TO NOVEMBER 19.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
NOVEMBER 18.				
William J. Dean.....	589 East Eighth street (1)...	10	First-class garage.....	\$2,500
William J. Dean.....	589 East Eighth street (2)...	10	First-class garage.....	1,000
Frances Maletz.....	Rear of 31 Brookledge street...	16	First-class garage.....	2,000
Rosamine A. Wigandt.....	Rear of 17 Harvest street...	21	First-class garage.....	1,200
Harriett G. Strauss.....	66 Robinwood avenue.....	22	First-class garage.....	500
Frost Coal Company.....	Rear of 478 Neponset ave.....	20	Second-class garage.....	20,000
Olympia Stratos.....	Rear of 22 Parkton avenue.....	23	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Ellen F. Dolan.....	Rear of 26 Greenough ave.....	22	Special garage.....	350
Annie M. Bemis.....	Rear of 15 Heldun street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	490
Mrs. T. F. Welch.....	Rear of 70 Grove street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
Ailison Vance.....	27 Schiller road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Benjamin Vena.....	Rear of 31 and 33 Shannon street.	25	Third-class storage.....	300
William Kuais.....	183-187 Harvard avenue.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
Package Confectionery Company.	741 East Sixth street.....	10	Alterations, office and factory,	800
Butchers Slaughtering Company.	27 Abattior avenue.....	26	Alterations, office.....	175
Shaw Sandwich Shop.....	24 High street.....	5	Alterations, sandwich shop...	1,000
V. Oberlander.....	9 Beryl street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,800
F. C. Rankin.....	54 Princeton street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
U. S. Cassidy.....	50 Princeton street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
M. F. Kelley.....	116 Pembroke street.....	7	Alterations, lodging house.....	200
G. W. Harvey Company.....	38 Chauncy street.....	5	Erect builders hoist.....	800
Arthur E. Dorr.....	290 Beacon street.....	8	Install elevator.....	3,000
Mr. Hinckley et al.....	459 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	325
Anna E. Myers.....	471 Massachusetts avenue.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	160
Elizabeth M. Keane.....	414 and 416 Columbus ave.....	7	Erect fire escape.....	175
M. A. Shears.....	194 and 196 West Canton st.,	7	Erect fire escape.....	230
NOVEMBER 19.				
Mrs. Susan F. Melville.....	17 Albion place.....	3	First-class garage.....	\$950
Jacob Mayer.....	24 Long avenue.....	25	First-class garage.....	2,300
Hannah Reardon.....	Rear of 29 Lyndehurst street	19	First-class garage.....	750
Rotman & Shapiro.....	4 Elko street.....	26	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
Rotman & Shapiro.....	8 Elko street.....	26	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
Rotman & Shapiro.....	12 Elko street.....	26	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
Bay State Welding Company	1641 Columbus avenue.....	15	Second-class welding station.	2,500
Bridget Barry.....	Rear of 541 East Fifth street	10	Special garage.....	400
Tileston & Hollingsworth...	Rear of 887 River street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	165
John T. Scully.....	88 Glencoe street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
John T. Scully.....	92 Glencoe street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
J. J. Murray.....	60 Chickatawbut street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	9,500
Nickolas Wilkerm.....	275 Cornell street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	200
Margaret E. Beecher.....	109 Kenrick street.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	900
Francis G. Jacques et al.....	416 Weld street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Lewis Greenstein.....	29 Angell street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
A. Bongiovanni.....	35 Porter street.....	2	Alterations, store and dwelling.	800
A. P. Levine, Lessee.....	151 Massachusetts avenue..	7	Alterations, store and dwelling.	500
C. M. Hollander.....	12 Causeway street.....	5	Alterations, store and dwelling.	4,000
C. M. Hollander.....	16 Causeway street.....	5	Alterations, store and dwelling.	3,500
Frank Delello.....	64 Stoughton avenue.....	24	Alterations, store and dwelling.	3,000
Carrie A. Nesmith.....	300 Faneuil street.....	26	Alterations, garage.....	50
S. Rubin.....	143 Athens street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
S. Rubin.....	145 Athens street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Central Building Wrecking Company.	195 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down tenements.....	300
Central Building Wrecking Company.	201 and 203 Cambridge street	5	Take-down, tenements.....	300
New England Contracting Company.	237 and 239 Cambridge street	5	Take-down, tenements.....	2,400
Central Building Wrecking Company.	278 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down, tenements.....	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.	282 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down, tenements.....	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.	286 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down, tenements.....	500

MAYOR CURLEY PLANS FOR CARE OF JOBLESS AND AGED AT LONG ISLAND IN WINTER.

With 150 or 200 jobless men visiting the Municipal Employment Bureau in the basement of City Hall, Mayor James M. Curley at noon on Tuesday told reporters that the unemployment situation in this city was serious and getting worse.

Mayor Curley said he would go before the City Council at its next meeting and urge that work be started at once on the new Fire Headquarters building, at Shawmut avenue and Tremont street, over the subway. The beginning of this work, he thought, would make possible the starting of the proposed \$2,000,000 theater on Washington street, near Boylston street.

Mayor Curley said that with the first wintry blasts, Dr. David J. Johnson, the Penal Commissioner, had forty applications for places at Long Island for men of advanced years. Mayor Curley said that he has ordered sent to Deer Island about 200 beds that were used in the firehouses of the city before he put into effect the two-platoon system. He said he would request Budget Commissioner Fox and Building Commissioner John Mahony to make a survey of the city properties to see just what the city has in the way of sleeping quarters if the unemployment situation becomes acute.

Mayor Curley said he would urge that the widening of Court and Cambridge streets be started at once. He added that he had been assured by the Schoolhouse Department that work on three new buildings would begin about the first of the year.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works in Roberts avenue, West Roxbury, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Roberts avenue, bounded:

Southwest by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Dent street), ten and 2-100 feet; northwest by another part of Roberts avenue, thirty-six and 53-100 feet; northeast by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes July 30, 1913, ten feet; and southeast by another part of Roberts avenue, thirty-seven and 13-100 feet, containing three hundred sixty-eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Roberts avenue, bounded:

Southwest by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes July 30, 1913, ten feet; northwest by another part of Roberts avenue, sixty-eight and 74-100 feet; northeast by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes January 14, 1915, ten and 3-100 feet; and southeast by another part of Roberts avenue, sixty-seven and 97-100 feet; containing six hundred and eighty-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Roberts avenue, bounded:

Southwest by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes January 14, 1915, ten feet; northwest by another part of Roberts avenue, three hundred sixty-four and 82-100 feet; northeast by the same, ten feet; and southeast by the same, three hundred sixty-four and 74-100 feet; containing thirty-six hundred and forty-eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Dent street, bounded:

Northeast by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown (Roberts avenue), ten and 2-100 feet; southeast by another part of Dent street, seventeen and 3-100 feet; southwest by easement taken by the City of Boston in Dent street for sewerage purposes August 23, 1898, ten and 2-100 feet; and northwest by another part of Dent street, seventeen and 3-100 feet;

containing one hundred and seventy square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 500 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 350 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Roberts avenue, between La Grange street and Dent street, and part of the private way known as Dent street, adjoining Roberts avenue.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Roberts avenue, from La Grange street to Dent street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, to the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 588, Sewerage Works, Roberts Avenue, West Roxbury, October 6, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Frank Holland.....	\$520 00
2. Catherine F. Joyce.....	80 00
3. Catherine F. Joyce.....	80 00
4. Catherine F. Joyce.....	80 00
5. Frank Holland.....	80 00
6. Mary V. Donovan.....	80 00
7. Frank Holland.....	570 00
8. Rosa Buckley.....	80 00
9. Guy P. Walter.....	80 00
10. George A. Maloney.....	80 00
11. Michael Tedesco.....	80 00
Total	\$1,810 00

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Verrill street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Morton street to Woolson street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Verrill street is hereby laid out, from Morton street to Woolson street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northeast by Morton street, forty and 10-100 feet; southeast by the southeasterly line of Verrill street as hereby laid out, four hundred sixty-one and 69-100 feet; southwest by Woolson street, forty and 15-100 feet; and northwest by the northwesterly line of Verrill street as hereby laid out, four hundred sixty-seven and 79-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Verrill street, from Morton street to Woolson street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Verrill Street, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, August 26, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Max H. Lefkovich.....	\$149 65
2. Abraham Seletsky and Ethel Yarros	264 11
3. Abraham Seletsky and Ethel Yarros	263 97
4. Abraham Seletsky and Ethel Yarros	263 97
5. Rose Bikash.....	263 97
6. Julius Neustadt.....	263 97
7. Esther Prager, Elizabeth Segal.....	263 97
8. Abraham Seletsky and Ethel Yarros	263 97
9. Sam Gardner.....	161 85
10. Lena Sneider.....	198 45
11. Abraham Seletsky and Ethel Yarros	282 03
12. Abraham Seletsky and Ethel Yarros	284 76
13. Abraham Seletsky and Ethel Yarros	297 43
14. Abraham Seletsky and Ethel Yarros	285 25
15. Abraham Seletsky and Ethel Yarros	296 66
16. Abraham Seletsky and Ethel Yarros	284 41
17. Marcia B. Ufford.....	298 76
18. Marcia B. Ufford.....	269 94
Total	\$4,657 12

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Verrill street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Morton street to Woolson street, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Anna R. Countryman has agreed to accept the sum of \$6,810.32 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to her estate on Readville, Cross, Bullard, Fleet, Milton and Regent streets by the taking of the following lots of land for playground purposes, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of August 5, 1924: 6,058 square feet, 3,901 square feet, 4,709 square feet, 5,441 square feet, 5,115 square feet, 5,000 square feet, 4,998 square feet, 4,955 square feet, 4,209 square feet, 3,444 square feet, 4,336 square feet, 5,675 square feet, 6,121 square feet, 6,424 square feet, 6,583 square feet, 6,121 square feet, 5,229 square feet, 4,783 square feet, 3,890 square feet.

Theodore S. Slafter and Anna R. Countryman have agreed to accept the sum of \$711.52 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estates on Regent, Bullard and Cross streets by the taking of the following lots of land for playground purposes, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of August 5, 1924: 6,530 square feet, 6,477 square feet, 890 square feet.

Theodore S. Slafter has agreed to accept the sum of \$5,895.50 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his

estate on Readville, Cross, Bullard, Fleet, Milton and Regent streets by the taking, of the following lots of land for playground purposes, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of August 5, 1924: 5,577 square feet, 5,288 square feet, 5,000 square feet, 5,000 square feet, 5,000 square feet, 4,740 square feet, 3,703 square feet, 5,917 square feet, 3,880 square feet, 4,774 square feet, 5,221 square feet, 6,361 square feet, 6,537 square feet, 5,668 square feet, 4,327 square feet, 3,433 square feet.

John Sacco and Angelina Sacco have agreed to accept the sum of \$75 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate on Boardman street by the laying out and construction of said street, under the order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor of October 8, 1900.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works in Wilmington avenue, Dorchester, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Wilmington avenue, bounded:

East by Milton avenue, six feet; south by another part of Wilmington avenue, four hundred seventy-nine and 29-100 feet; west by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes in Wilmington avenue, October 14, 1924, six feet; and north by another part of Wilmington avenue, four hundred seventy-nine and 63-100 feet; containing twenty-eight hundred and seventy-seven square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 406 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Wilmington avenue, leading westerly from Milton avenue for a distance of about 480 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Wilmington avenue westerly from Milton avenue for a distance of about 460 feet, excluding the lots at the northwesterly and southwesterly corners of Milton avenue and Wilmington avenue, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the

community, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said lots to the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 590, Sewerage Works, Wilmington Avenue, Dorchester, October 18, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. John F. Fitzgerald.....	Nothing
2. Edward J. Hayden.....	\$100 00
3. Michael J. O'Hearn.....	100 00
4. Ralph Steuber.....	100 00
5. Thomas M. Watson.....	100 00
6. Mark H. Lynch.....	100 00
7. David P. Power.....	100 00
8. Sigrid A. Anderson.....	100 00
9. Ambrogio Piotti.....	103 92
10. Edward J. Hayden.....	Nothing
11. James B. O'Brien.....	Nothing
12. Mark H. Lynch.....	100 00
13. Thomas M. Watson.....	100 00
14. J. Frank Duffy.....	100 00
15. Michael J. O'Hearn.....	100 00
16. Edward J. Hayden.....	100 00
17. John F. Fitzgerald.....	100 00
18. Frederick J. Rockwell.....	100 00
19. David P. Power.....	100 00
20. Edith E. Cooke.....	Nothing
Total	\$1,603 92

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Pierpont road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Manthorne road to Greateon road, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Pierpont road is hereby laid out, from Manthorne road to Greateon road, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken is bounded and described as follows:

Southwest by Manthorne road, forty feet; northwest by the northwesterly line of said Pierpont road as hereby laid out, two hundred feet; northeast by Greateon road, by two measurements, thirty and 51-100 feet and nine and 54-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Pierpont road, from Manthorne road to Greateon road, will receive benefit or advantage other than the general advantage to the community from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Greateon Road, Pierpont Road,

West Roxbury, Assessment Plan, July 29, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
22. Agnes M. Rorke.....	\$220 00
23. Marguerite W. Moir.....	239 00
29. Mary F. Probst.....	330 00
30. Elizabeth H. Titus.....	211 00
Total	\$1,000 00

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Pierpont road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Manthorne road to Greateon road, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

LIBRARY EXAMINATION.

On Saturday, December 6, at 9.15 a. m., in the Barton Gallery of the Central Library there will be held a general examination for Grade B of the library service. This examination will be a test of the candidate's general education and intelligence and three hours will be allowed.

At 2.15 p. m. on the same day and in the same place there will be given foreign language examinations in French, German, Italian, Latin and Spanish. Candidates for Grade B must present two of these languages and one hour will be allowed for each language.

The general examination is open to college graduates and to persons in the C grade who have had five years of library experience in regular positions. The passing mark is seventy.

One language (one hour) may be taken towards the fulfillment of the Grade C. language requirement.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer and surface drain of 10-inch earthen pipe in Foster street, between Radnor road and a point 829 feet northeasterly, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$6,000.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe and a surface drain of 10-inch earthen pipe in Lane park (south side), from Foster street 517 feet westerly, between Lane park (north side), from south side 70 feet northwesterly, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$7,308.

A sanitary sewer of 12-inch earthen pipe in Alabama street, between Currier and Elene streets, and in private land, between Colorado and Alabama streets, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$10,000.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Wood avenue, from Rutledge road 110 feet northeasterly, and in Rutledge road, from Wood avenue 90 feet southeasterly, in the Hyde Park district, at a estimated cost of \$2,200.

CLAIMS DISAPPROVED.

The Law Department has disapproved fifteen claims against the city, aggregating in all \$5,147.25, and they are classified as follows:

Against the Fire Department, one, amounting to \$35.80; against the Police Department, one, amounting to \$150; against the Public Works Department, thirteen, amounting to \$4,961.45.

MAYOR CURLEY SEEKS STATLER HOTEL BUILDING TO AID UNEMPLOYMENT.

Mayor Curley sent the following communication November 20:

MR. E. M. STATLER, Buffalo, New York.

MY DEAR MR. STATLER,—I have conferred with the secretary of the Building Trades Employers' Association and have been informed by him that there has been a reduction of approximately 10 per cent in the cost of materials that would be required in the construction of the Statler Hotel at Boston.

I do not believe there is any prospect of a reduction in labor costs but, on the other hand, there is an abundance of both skilled and unskilled labor in the market at the present time which would insure sufficient men to carry through to completion the great project which you had in mind some time ago for the City of Boston, namely, a Statler Hotel. Provided you could see your way clear, in view of the reduction of the cost of building materials, to commence work at an early date upon the Statler Hotel in Boston, it would do much to relieve the unemployment situation which is somewhat acute at the present time and in addition add an institution to Boston which is greatly needed, namely, a Statler Hotel.

Trusting you will find it possible to look with favor upon this invitation to reconsider your project, I beg to remain,

Sincerely yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Greateon road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Schirmer road southeasterly, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Greateon road is hereby laid out, from Schirmer road southeasterly for a distance of about 843 feet and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwest by Schirmer road, forty feet; northeast by the northeasterly line of said Greateon road as hereby laid out, by two measurements, four hundred sixty-eight and 61-100 feet and three hundred sixty-seven and 44-100 feet; southeast by the southeasterly line of said Greateon road as hereby laid out, forty-one and 13-100 feet; and southwest by the southwesterly line of said Greateon road as hereby laid out, by two measurements, three hundred seventy-eight and 94-100 feet and four hundred seventy and 51-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Greateon road, southeasterly

from Schirmer road for a distance of about 843 feet, will receive benefit or advantage other than the general advantage to the community from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Greateon Road, Pierpont Road, West Roxbury, Assessment Plan, July 29, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Patrick G. Hurley.....	\$220 00
2. Patrick G. Hurley.....	330 00
3. Sarah M. Bothell, Harris P. Bothell	300 00
4. Austin W. Frederick, Grace M. Frederick	390 00
5. Austin W. Frederick, Grace M. Frederick	300 00
6. Elna J. Osterberg.....	330 00
7. Helen M. Casey.....	330 00
8. Stephen A. Cummings, Florence M. Cummings.....	220 00
9. Mary J. Muckensturm.....	220 00
10. Frederick W. Baldau.....	286 50
11. Frances G. McLaney.....	285 00
12. Jane Ayers.....	300 00
13. Nellie Hagarty.....	300 00
14. Thomas F. Keefe.....	532 74
15. Jane M. Cleary.....	220 00
16. Willard P. Whittemore.....	330 00
17. Mary A. Taylor.....	300 00
18. Mary A. Taylor.....	390 00
19. Henry L. F. Naber, Anna Naber....	300 00
20. Henry L. F. Naber, Anna Naber....	330 00
21. Joseph F. Rorke.....	330 00
22. Agnes M. Rorke.....	220 00
23. Marguerite W. Moir.....	239 00
24. James H. Wood.....	330 00
25. William D. Young, Alfrida C. Young	330 00
26. Clara J. Martens.....	480 00
27. Agnes M. Fitzgerald.....	450 00
28. Mary C. Fandel.....	369 00
	\$8,962 24

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Greateon road, West Roxbury district, as a highway, from Schirmer road southeasterly for a distance of about 843 feet, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Locust street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Buttonwood street to the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Locust street is hereby laid out, from Buttonwood street to the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

West by Buttonwood street, forty feet; north by the northerly line of said extension of Locust street as hereby laid out, six hundred forty and 87-100 feet; northeast by the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, forty-five and 97-100 feet on a curve of eighteen hundred seventy-four and 8-100 feet radius; and south by the

southerly line of said extension of Locust street as hereby laid out, six hundred sixty-three and 54-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered: That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of said extension of Locust street, from Buttonwood street to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad location, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Locust Street, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, September 19, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Florence J. Elliott.....	\$106 56
2. Martha D. Smith.....	81 20
3. Martha D. Smith.....	81 20
4. Martha D. Smith.....	81 20
5. Edward A. Morse.....	81 20
6. Thomas J. Ahearn, Ellen T. Ahearn	81 20
7. Mary D. Smith.....	81 20
8. David Collins Heirs, Annie M. Kelley, T. T.....	81 20
9. Meisel Press Manufacturing Company	1,610 00
10. Tidewater Oil Company.....	700 00
11. Meisel Press Manufacturing Company	682 92
12. Meisel Press Manufacturing Company	315 00
13. Michael F. Sullivan.....	350 00
14. Czeslaw Maciejewski, Rozalia Maciejewski	350 00
15. John M. Dodge, Herbert M. Dodge	700 00
16. John M. Dodge, Herbert M. Dodge	700 00
17. Hyman Stern, Harold S. Stern, David Stern.....	1,470 00
Total	\$7,552 58

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Locust street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Buttonwood street to the location of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

MAYOR AND INSTITUTIONS COMMISSIONER REMOVE DEPUTY McDADE.

The Penal Institutions Commissioner, acting upon the advice of the Law Department of the City of Boston, will pursue the same course with respect to Major McDAde that he pursued with respect to Officer Grappi, remove him and give him a twenty-four hour notice of the hearing. This is done on the theory that he is an employee of the county and not an employee of the city.

This course will be pursued in this and other instances with respect to employees at Deer Island until such time as the full bench of the Supreme Court hold otherwise.

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING OCT. 31, 1924

(As compared with the same month in preceding years.)

	1924.		1923.		1922.		1921.		1920.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
First Class.....	145	\$1,475,460	91	\$464,750	52	\$208,925	54	\$855,910	28	\$166,410
Second Class.....	94	481,400	69	528,275	56	1,023,800	62	586,344	62	586,344
Third Class.....	219	1,197,189	178	1,014,837	137	482,849	82	249,548	57	162,971
Special Class.....	14	19,215	18	11,486	17	8,085	15	6,685		
Total New Work.....	469	\$3,176,264	356	\$2,019,348	262	\$1,813,659	212	\$1,698,684	99	\$376,171
Alterations.....	777	536,010	630	1,536,993	688	791,627	633	612,212	562	538,163
Total Construction.....	1,246	\$3,712,274	986	\$3,556,341	950	\$2,605,286	845	\$2,310,896	661	\$914,334
Phonograph.....	407	\$335,218	306	\$242,970	283	\$170,625	228	\$112,855	189	\$123,605
Constructing.....	1,354	75,224	1,390	79,088	1,770	75,521	1,160	50,707	691	47,015
Heating.....	189	166,597	162	211,154	135	135,228	59	51,125	69	71,415
Fluorescent, incandescent.....	32	59,975	13	17,481	16	27,975	18	35,880	16	20,405
Fluorescent, incandescent.....	13	61,550	6	17,969	28	253,858	7	36,490	10	53,200
Signs, printed.....	12	9,200	16	11,678	18	7,205	3	3,450	5	6,500
Fire escapes.....	17	3,640	16	3,495	28	5,579	5	785	3	355
Take-downs, wood.....	25	3,315	19	5,062	13	1,635	19	1,635	38	6,050
Take-downs, brick.....	24	4,600	12	8,500	15	7,837	8	2,885	5	500
Sprinklers.....	19	25,112	18	39,085						
Total.....	2,092	\$744,431	1,988	\$639,482	2,306	\$685,463	1,507	\$289,412	1,026	\$329,045
Grand Total.....	3,338	\$4,456,705	2,974	\$4,195,823	3,256	\$3,290,749	2,352	\$2,600,308	1,687	\$1,243,379
Cashier's Receipts.....		\$7,033 00		\$5,852 75		\$4,898 00		\$2,871 00		\$2,205 25

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE
EXAMINATIONS (NONEDUCATIONAL).SECOND LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT, HEAD-
QUARTERS AT BOSTON, MASS. RE-
CEIPT OF APPLICATIONS TO CLOSE
DECEMBER 15, 1924.*Positions and salaries.*

Second officer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,740-\$1,800 a year; mate of light vessel,* \$1,860 a year; assistant engineer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,800-\$1,920 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel,* \$1,800-\$1,940 a year; mate of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year.

For the positions marked * applicants are required to have an appropriate license; for the positions marked † no license is required.

Assistant lighthouse keeper, \$900-\$1,080 a year.

Form 1025 required. Applicants must be qualified boatmen.

Depot keeper, \$1,560-\$1,620 a year.

Applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position where a knowledge of lighthouse material or similar material would be gained.

Medical examination of appointees. In view of the benefits granted employees under employees' compensation and retirement legislation, persons appointed may be given a medical examination by a physician in the Federal Service before entering on duty.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces open competitive examinations for the positions listed above. From the registers resulting from these examinations certification will be made to fill existing and future vacancies at the places and salaries indicated or at higher or lower salaries.

Citizenship and Sex.—All citizens of the United States who meet the requirements, both men and women, may enter these examinations; appointing officers, however, have the legal right to specify the sex desired in requesting certification of eligibles. Male eligibles are desired for the positions named hereon unless otherwise indicated.

Subjects and Weights.—Applicants will not be assembled for a written examination. The examination will consist of the subjects mentioned below, which will have the relative weights indicated:

Subjects: 1. Physical ability, 40; 2. Training and experience, 60; total, 100.

Training and Experience.—For the positions marked "(a)" applicants must have had at least one year's experience in the occupation for which application is made.

For the positions marked "(b)" applicants must have completed an apprenticeship or its equivalent in the trade for which application is filed.

For the positions marked "(c)" applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position similar to that for which application is filed.

All statements relating to training and experience are accepted subject to verification. No applicant will be eligible for appointment who fails to attain a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of training and experience and a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of physical ability.

Physical Requirements.—The following physical defects will debar applicants from any examination: Bright's disease; malignant tumor (cancer, etc.); diabetes; epilepsy; any abnormal hardening of the arteries (arteriosclerosis); transmissible disease, including syphilis, gonorrhea, and chancroid, also tuberculosis (active or arrested for a period of less than one year); insanity or mental illness sufficiently definite to affect the usefulness of applicant; seriously defective vision of both eyes, inconvertible by glasses; progressive myopia; progressive or disabling paralysis; uncompensated valvular disease of the heart; loss of both arms, both legs, or arm and leg; hands, arms, feet, legs, or body so injured, crippled, or deformed as to seriously affect usefulness; chronic alcoholism or drug addiction. In addition, persons who have lost an arm or a leg or who are ruptured are ineligible for appointment to positions in the Custodian Service. Other physical defects will render applicants ineligible for any particular service or position, when, in the judgment of the commission, such defects would disqualify them for

the duties required. Physical requirements may be waived in the case of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines under certain conditions.

Applications will be rated as received and certification made as the needs of the service require.

BOARD OF CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINERS,
Office of Lighthouse Superintendent,
Custom House, Boston.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES.

The American Literary Association announces a series of lectures on the Art of Poetry, to which the public is cordially invited, to be given in the Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library on Saturday afternoons at four o'clock. The subjects and dates are as follows:

Saturday, December 13, at 4 p. m. "The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique." Miss Helen Archibald Clarke.

Saturday, January 17, 1925, at 4 p. m. "The Immutable Laws of Great Poetry." E. Charlton Black, Professor of English Literature, Boston University.

It is the purpose of the American Literary Association, a national organization with numerous local chapters, to stimulate interest in American poetry, and especially to assist in bringing the little-known American poets to wider public notice. It awards prizes for poetic excellence; it supplies expert criticism; it publishes the "American Poetry Magazine"; it holds public meetings; it welcomes as members not only students and writers, but all who may be in any way interested in the subject of poetry.

LIBRARY LECTURE ON MUSIC.

On Saturday afternoon, November 22, at 4 o'clock, in the Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library, Henry Gideon will speak informally on "The Song Recital: A Preparation for the Coming Program of Elena Gerhardt." This talk is open free to the public.

Owing to the postponement of the visit of the Roman choir the talk on "The Music of the Roman Catholic Church," announced for this date, has been postponed.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending November 15, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 191; nonresidents, 45; total, 236.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 15.84; nonresidents deducted, 12.82.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 14.57; corresponding week last year, 14.71.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 23; one year to five years, inclusive, 7; sixty years and over, 109; total deaths: male, 129; female, 107; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 121; deaths of colored, 10.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 15, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 17, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	2	—	2	—
Diphtheria.....	47	3	93	4
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	1	—
Influenza.....	8	—	—	—
Measles.....	28	—	37	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	34	9	18	8
Scarlet fever.....	62	1	73	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	21	10	31	13
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	5	2	8	2
Typhoid fever.....	—	—	3	—
Whooping cough.....	13	—	9	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKERS, STATE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL DISEASES, NOVEMBER 25, 1924.

There are several vacancies as follows: Four vacancies as district supervisors at a salary of \$1,800 a year, with locations at Springfield, Worcester, Salem and Taunton. These vacancies are for women. There are also three vacancies for positions in the State House, at salaries of \$1,560 a year. These vacancies are for two women and one man.

Applicants are required to have a high school education or its equivalent. It is desirable that they should in addition have a college education together with such training and experience as is secured at recognized schools giving courses in psychiatric social work.

The duties of the district supervisors are as follows: District arrangement and supervision of assistant social workers, interviews with prisoners at jails, social psychiatric and medical history work in the community, record writing, attendance at and participation in monthly conference work, etc. The duties of the social workers are similar.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 50 per cent in practical questions and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

SUPERVISOR OF THE BROOM SHOP (MALE), STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, DIVISION OF THE BLIND, NOVEMBER 25, 1924.

The salary is \$30 per week. This position is in the Cambridge workshops for the blind. The duties of the position are to supervise the sorting of the broom corn and the winding of the broom. Applicants should have had practical experience in broom making and have a thorough knowledge of brooms and broom corn.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

DENTAL HYGIENIST, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, NOVEMBER 25, 1924.

(Requisition is for a female but the examination is open to both males and females.)

The salary is \$1,440 per year. Applicants must be not less than 21 years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application. Applicants must be high school graduates and graduates of a recognized training school for dental hygienists. Applicants must also be registered dental hygienists under the State Board of Dental Examiners.

The duties of the position are to prepare educational material on mouth

hygiene, to give talks to children and other community groups, to conduct surveys and demonstrations in mouth hygiene, and to serve as consultant to agencies wishing to start mouth hygiene activities.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

FOREMEN OF WATER, SEWER AND HIGHWAYS, ETC., DECEMBER 12, 1924.

This examination is for foremen of water, sewer, and highways (or streets) in the service of the state and of all cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service; and of sanitary and street cleaning in the service of Boston.

There are several vacancies in different cities which will be filled from the list established as a result of this examination.

(A) Highway (or street) foremen in the service of the state, or cities in the state except Boston, and of the towns classified under civil service: Training and experience, 14; arithmetic, 4; report, 2; practical questions on street and road construction, grading, repairing, etc., 10; total, 30. The subjects and weights for Boston foremen are: Training and experience, 14; arithmetic, 4; report, 2; practical questions, 9; questions on the care of horses, 1; total, 30.

(B) Sewer: The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) State Highway, except that the practical questions will concern the quality of materials, bracing and refilling of trenches, general maintenance and repair of sewers, catch-basins, etc.

(C) Water: The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) State Highway, except that the practical questions will concern the laying and maintenance of water mains and service pipes, timekeeping, accounting for material, etc.

(D) Sanitary and street cleaning (in the service of Boston). The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) Boston Street Foremen, except that the practical questions will concern the handling of ashes, garbage, etc., and the watering, oiling and cleaning of streets.

NOTE.—Applicants for all services may, if they wish, take an additional paper on the use of explosives, and if successful in passing it will have it so noted as a special qualification.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience and at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

Sample questions available.

STOREKEEPER AND STEWARD (MALE), LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL, INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT, NOVEMBER 28, 1924.

The salary is \$1,000 a year.

The duties of this position are to have the general management of the storeroom, including ordering of all supplies, checking of same when received and making proper records, and keeping records of daily disbursements. Applicants should be familiar with general business account-

ing, making out reports, keeping records, and business correspondence. As steward, the duties include the supervision of the management of the storeroom, the bakery, the kitchens, dining rooms, and with the dietitian the planning of menus.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

MEDICAL INSPECTOR, BOSTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NOVEMBER 28, 1924.

Requisition is for a male but the examination is open to both males and females.

There are two vacancies at a salary of \$1,600 a year. Applicants must be registered physicians under the State Board of Registration in Medicine. The medical director keeps in touch with health conditions in his district and under the direction of the Health Department advises and co-operates with physicians and local organizations in matters relating to the promotion of public health; it is his duty to see that measures prescribed by law or regulations for the prevention of the spread of communicable diseases are observed, to supervise the isolation or quarantine of communicable diseases, to examine, when occasion arises, persons suspected of having a reportable disease, to investigate causes of sickness or food poisoning or of death, and to perform various other duties of a professional character.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on the duties of the position, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

MATRON, BOSTON SCHOOL DEPARTMENT, DECEMBER 2, 1924.

The salary is \$18.15 per week.

Applicants must be not less than twenty-five nor more than fifty years of age at the time of filing application.

A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.

It is desirable that applicants have a knowledge of nursing.

The duties of this position are as follows: To look after the physical welfare of the girls in the high schools, to assist the teachers of physical training, have general supervision over the girls in and about the locker rooms, baths, sanitariums, and act in an emergency in case of sickness.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

CIVIL ENGINEERS, DECEMBER 15-20, 1924. THESE EXAMINATIONS ARE FOR THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, ALL CITIES, AND SUCH TOWNS AS ARE CLASSIFIED UNDER CIVIL SERVICE.

Warning.—Many men fail in the civil engineering examination because they apply for grades for which they are not qualified. It is advisable, therefore, if there is any doubt about the quantity or quality of your experience, to take both the grade for which you think you are qualified and the next lower grade. If you should be found ineligible for the higher grade, you will still have an opportunity to be placed on the next lower grade.

Grade A.

Engineering assistants, drafting assistants, and rodmen, who perform under instruction and supervision elementary or apprentice work in the field or office.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not Grade A if the salary is less than \$900 a year or more than \$1,440 a year.

Qualifications.—Applicants must have completed a high school course of not less than three years or must have had not less than one year of practical experience in field engineering or office work.

Subjects and Weights.—Rodmen—Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; tracing, 3; questions on the duties of the position, 6; total 20. Assistant draughtsmen—Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; drawing, 9; total, 20.

Grade B.

Senior engineering assistants, instrumentmen, and draughtsmen (a) who assume responsibility for the execution of definite instructions in a minor division or section of engineering activity; or (b) who direct, under supervision, the operation of minor engineering projects.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade B if the salary is more than \$1,980 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, not less than one year of service in Grade A. If appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade A, at least two years of practical experience in engineering work of Grade A character and standard; or such training in civil engineering as is evidenced by a professional degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction at an institution or college of recognized standing; or the successful completion of not less than two years' study in such institution plus one year's practical experience in engineering work.

Subjects and Weights.—Instrumentmen—Experience, 16; penmanship, 2; plotting, 6; questions on duties, 8; mathematics, 8; total, 40. Draughtsmen—Experience, 16; drawing, 10; mathematics, 6, duties, 4; plotting, 4; total, 40.

Grade C.

Assistant engineers, assistant civil engineers, and designing engineers: (a) who assume responsibility for the direction of surveys, the preparation and examination of, or advice upon, plans, designs and specifications for a minor section of a large engineering or a major section of a small engineering project; or (b) who supervise or inspect the construction or the operation of work on such a

project; or (d) who make investigations of, and reports upon, such engineering projects as a basis for a report by an engineering superior.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade C, if the salary is more than \$2,580 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion within a department or major division thereof, not less than two years of service in Grade B, or if appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade B, within a department or major division thereof, at least five years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch of engineering work covered by the position, provided that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of three years practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 10; design, 2; mathematics, 2; questions on material and methods of construction, 3; engineering theory, 3; total, 20.

Grade D.

Senior assistant engineers, senior assistant civil engineers, and senior designing engineers: (a) who supervise and assume complete responsibility for the work of a main division of an engineering organization, involving the direction of surveys and design and construction; or (b) who maintain and operate the major section of a large engineering project; or (c) who make independent investigations of and reports upon engineering projects as a basis for executive, administrative, or judicial action; or (d) who take charge of a large engineering department in the absence of the chief engineer; or (e) who give advice on large or complicated engineering projects, which may involve the preparation of plans.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade D if the salary is more than \$3,600 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, not less than three years service in Grade C. If appointed otherwise than by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, at least eight years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch covered by the position, and two years of which shall have been in an executive capacity; provided, that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of four years of practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 24; questions on materials and methods of construction, 5; engineering theory, 5; design, 6; total, 40.

An applicant must specify the grade for which he applies. Specimen examinations available.

EXPENDITURES FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES (RANKING FROM HIGHEST).

Los Angeles, \$20.62; Pittsburgh, \$15.51; Chicago, \$13.92; San Francisco, \$12.14; Philadelphia, \$8.68; New York, \$8.23; Boston, \$7.42 (as corrected according to approx. population). (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1920, Preliminary Reports.)

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES IN BOSTON, 1924-1925, AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library announce the following list of free lectures, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 p. m.

The entrance is from Boylston street only. The doors will be opened two hours before each lecture and closed ten minutes after the lecture begins. The Thursday lectures are generally illustrated by lantern slides. The Sunday lectures are usually not illustrated. Exceptions are mentioned below. Lectures are given occasionally during the winter in the lecture halls of the Charlestown, East Boston, Jamaica Plain, North End, South End, West Roxbury, and Uphams Corner Branches.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Dec. 4. Florence: The City of the Lily. Martha A. S. Shannon.
- Dec. 11. Days with the Birds. Mrs. James L. Tryon. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Dec. 18. How the Dutch Do It: Housing Problems and Port Development. Frank A. Bourne, S. M., A. I. A.
- Jan. 8. Glimpses of Norway's Fjords. Ben Blessum, General Representative of the Norwegian government in the United States and Canada. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Jan. 15. Medieval Pilgrimages and Art. Arthur Kingsley Porter, B. F. A., Professor of Fine Arts, Harvard University.
- Jan. 22. Picturesque England from Chester to Clovelly. Ellen E. Page.
- Jan. 29. Snaring Bird Songs. Charles C. Gorst.
- Feb. 5. Brazil and Its Jungles. James Ballance.
- Feb. 12. The Land of the Backward Rolling River: Chekiang Province, including its Capital, Hangchow, the Heavenly, William Dean Goddard, A. M. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 19. Under Italian Skies. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 26. Whaling and Its Methods. Arthur E. Watson, Acting Curator, Old Dartmouth Historical Society and Whaling Museum.
- Mar. 5. Killarney; its Lakes and Legends. Rev. William M. Stinson, S. J.
- Mar. 12. Tramps about the Presidentials. Milton E. MacGregor, Mountain Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 19. Earth Changes, illustrated by the Geology of Boston. Harvey Woodburn Shimer, Ph.D., Professor of Paleontology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- Mar. 26. Along Dutch Waterways. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Apr. 2. New England Birds and Wild Flowers. Mrs. Harriet U. Goode.
- Apr. 9. English Gardens. Robert N. Cram, B. L. A., Instructor in Landscape Architecture Harvard University. With autochrome illustrations.
- Apr. 16. Architecture in the United States in the last ten years. J. Randolph Coolidge, Jr.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Nov. 23. Reading of Shakespeare's "King Henry IV, Part II." By members of local Shakespeare Clubs, under the direction of Mrs. Frederick H. Briggs. (Drama League Course.)
- Nov. 30. A Modern Opera: Pfitzner's "Palestrina." Otto G. T. Straub. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 7. Public Celebrations. J. Philip O'Connell, Director of Public Celebrations, City of Boston. With lantern illustrations.
- Dec. 14. Music in the Life of the World: Story of the Carol. Aerial Music of the Bell Towers of Europe. Mme. Beale Morey. Illustrated by voices and members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.
- Dec. 21. Carols and Chansons of Christmas. Henry Gideon, A. M. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 28. Boston Architecture: Past and Present. Frank Chouteau Brown. With lantern illustrations.

- Jan. 4. The Marvel and Glory of Glass: Ancient and Modern. Mrs. Walter G. Dennison.
- Jan. 11. Swedish Male Harmony Chorus. Carl Hutton, director.
- Jan. 18. The Appreciation of Greek Sculpture. Clarence Kennedy, A. M., Assistant Professor of Art, Smith College. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 25. Our New Comedy and American Family Life. Albert Hutton Gilmer, A. M., Professor of Dramatic Literature, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Feb. 1. A Splendid Rebel: Life and Times of Patrick Henry. Henry Lawrence Southwick, President, Emerson College of Oratory.
- Feb. 8. New New England Poets. Speaker to be announced. (New England Poetry Club Course.)
- Feb. 15. Modern French Music. Edward Burlingame Hill, Assistant Professor of Music, Harvard University. With musical illustrations.
- Feb. 22. Worthwhile Patriotism. Hon. Michael J. Murray.
- Mar. 1. Boston, the Convention City. Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston.
- Mar. 8. Treasures of the Theatre Collection in the Harvard University Library. Frank W. C. Hersey, A. M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 15. The Magic of Words. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt. D.
- Mar. 22. Legends and Folk-Songs of Finland. Mme. Aino Saari. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 29. King's Chapel Choir. Raymond C. Robinson, Director.
- Apr. 5. Footlight Orchestra. Thompson Stone, Director.
- Apr. 12. Dawn of Orchestral Music; a Program by members of the Eighteenth Century Orchestra. Raffaele Martino, Director.
- Apr. 19. The Battle of Lexington. Harold Murdock, A. M., Director of the Harvard University Press.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club meets regularly in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month, at 3 o'clock, except as otherwise stated. The following free lectures are announced, subject to change.

- Nov. 24. Ruskin's Museums. Mrs. May Smith Dean.
- Dec. 8. Ruskin's Message to Youth and the Twentieth Amendment. Rev. Davis Wasgatt Clark, D. D.
- Dec. 22. Music — Arranged by Mrs. Arthur Howard Davison. The Christmas Message — Mrs. Minnie Meserve Soule.
- Jan. 12. What's What in Books. John Clair Minot.
- Jan. 26. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Feb. 9. Anniversary Observance of John Ruskin's Birth. Address: John Ruskin. Rev. Harold E. B. Speight.
- Feb. 16. Americanization: Its Ideals. Two addresses: The Value of Law and its Observance. Hon. Sanford Bates, State Commissioner of Correction. The Development of the True Citizen. Dr. Charles A. Coburn, Professor of Applied Psychology, Boston University School of Religious Education.
- Mar. 9. Days of Romance in Old Spain. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Mar. 23. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry A. Higgins, Secretary of the Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 13. Ruskin and Agriculture Today. Dr. Arthur H. Gilbert, State Commissioner of Agriculture.
- Apr. 27. Author's Reading. Rev. Henry Hallam Sanderson, D. D., Editor of the "Wayside Pulpit."
- May 11. Annual meeting.

THE AMERICAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, BOSTON CHAPTER.

Free addresses in the Lecture Hall on Saturdays at 4 o'clock.

- Dec. 13. The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique. Helen Archibald Clarke, vice-president, Boston Chapter.
- Jan. 17. The Immitable Laws of Great Poetry. E. Charlton Black, L. L. D., Professor of English, Boston University.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works in Alhambra road, West Roxbury, to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Alhambra road, bounded:

Southwest by Maple street, eight feet; northwest by another part of Alhambra road, four hundred eighty-six and 58-100 feet; northeast by Willow street, eight feet; and southeast by another part of Alhambra road, four hundred eighty-six and 46-100 feet; containing thirty-eight hundred and ninety-two square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 330 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Alhambra road, from Maple street to Willow street.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Alhambra road, from Maple street to Willow street, excluding the lots at the corners of Maple street and the lots at the corners of Willow street will receive benefit or advantage beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, each of the particular lots to the amount herein-after respectively set against it; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 592, Sewerage Works, Alhambra Road, West Roxbury, October 23, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
2. Frederick T. Leighton.....	\$140 00
3. The Colonial Construction Company, Inc.....	140 00
4. Frederick T. Leighton.....	140 00
5. Frederick T. Leighton.....	140 00
6. Frederick T. Leighton.....	140 00
9. Frederick T. Leighton.....	140 00
10. The Colonial Construction Company, Inc.....	140 00
11. Frederick T. Leighton.....	140 00
12. Frederick T. Leighton.....	140 00
13. Frederick T. Leighton.....	140 00
Total	\$1,400 00

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Nov. 3, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6.35 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENT AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

Sept. 15, 1924, on page 180, to provide that the appointment of Gerald F. Coughlin as junior assistant in the Mechanic Arts High School shall read "first year."

Sept. 15, 1924, on page 180, to provide that the appointment of Constance Dowd as junior assistant, Washington Irving Intermediate District, as amended at the meeting of Oct. 20, 1924, shall read to take effect Sept. 9, 1924, instead of "Sept. 1, 1924."

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 193, to provide that the appointment of Willa E. Wingate as assistant, kindergarten, (two sessions), William Lloyd Garrison District, shall read to take effect Sept. 10, 1924, instead of "Sept. 15, 1924."

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 195, to provide that the appointments of managers and associate managers in charge of seven school centers shall read to take effect Sept. 11, 1924, instead of "Oct. 1, 1924."

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 197, to provide that the reappointment of Margaret E. Smith, as attendant, open air classes, Wells District, William Blackstone School, shall read to take effect Oct. 29, 1924, instead of "Nov. 3, 1924."

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 197, to provide that the appointment of Concetta Martini, as attendant, school lunches, Wells District, Elizabeth Peabody School, shall read to take effect Oct. 29, 1924, instead of "Nov. 3, 1924."

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 201, to provide that the designation of Josephine M. Friery, as acting master's assistant, Bowditch District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924, shall read "vice Lena L. Carpenter, absent on leave."

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 201, to provide that the designation of Mary E. Hughes, as acting master's assistant, Eliot District, to take effect Sep. 9, 1924, shall read "vice B. Louise Hagerty, absent on leave."

Oct. 6, 1924, on pages 204-205, to provide for the authorization of "Occupations," by Gowin, Wheatley and Brewer, as a new text book instead of taking the place of the old edition, by striking out the second item under "Civics-History" in the fourth text book order and inserting it under "Civics" in the second text book order.

Oct. 20, 1924, on page 215, to provide that the appointment from the eligible list of E. Madeline Toner as assistant, Julia Ward Howe District, to take effect Nov. 4, 1924, shall read "fourth year, to take effect Nov. 10, 1924."

Oct. 20, 1924, on page 217, to provide that the transfer of Mildred P. Cummings, junior assistant, from the East Boston High School to the Brighton High School, shall take effect Oct. 7, 1924, instead of "Oct. 1, 1924."

Oct. 20, 1924, on page 218, to provide that the assignment of Mildred P. Cummings, junior assistant, East Boston High School, to the Edmund P. Tileston District, shall read Sept. 22 to Oct. 6, 1924, instead of "Sept. 22 to 30, 1924."

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed, as amended.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named principal:

Gilbert Stuart District—Edwin F. Kimball, Oct. 24, 1924.

Placed on file.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Franklin District—Affie T. Wier, May 24, 1924.

Norcross District—Juliette Smith, April 4, 1924.

Agassiz District—Emma M. Smith, Sept. 29, 1924.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

Henry L. Pierce District—Carolyn B. Supple, assistant, Oct. 17, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Wylie H. Stronach, instructor, shop work, Oct. 31, 1924.

Department of Medical Inspection—William H. Devine, director, Oct. 31, 1924.

Accepted.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Dorchester High School—Gladys Christie industrial department, Oct. 22, 1924.

Bigelow District—Philip H. Riley, Oct. 21, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Jennie Hadley, Bessie L. Wessels, Oct. 8, 1924.

Bigelow District—Helen Hazen, Sept. 9 1924; John S. Kane, Oct. 27, 1924.

Bowdoin District—Florence M. Burke, Oct. 20, 1924.

Chapman District—Catherine L. Haight, Oct. 28, 1924.

Dillaway District—Agnes S. Ordung, Oct. 1, 1924; Emily Shannon, Oct. 6, 1924; Louise Sullivan, Ellen G. White, Oct. 20, 1924.

Edmund P. Tileston District—Mary J. Herlihy, Oct. 7, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Elizabeth H. Costello, Oct. 1, 1924; Katherine Foley, Oct. 20, 1924.

Eliot District—Henry E. Hartman, Oct. 7, 1924; Philip Leo Bradley, Oct. 20, 1924; Stephen Velardo, Oct. 22, 1924; Albert dePropper, Oct. 27, 1924.

Emerson District—Theodora Donovan, Oct. 20, 1924.

Francis Parkman District—Lillian G. Arrell, Oct. 27, 1924.

Franklin District—Jennie Hadley, Oct. 27, 1924; Mary L. Mahoney, Oct. 28, 1924.

Gaston District—Frances R. Sullivan, Oct. 20, 1924.

Gilbert Stuart District—Frances M. Callahan, Oct. 28, 1924.

Harvard Frothingham District—Ralph S. Monks, Oct. 27, 1924.

Henry Grew District—Josephine Reed, Sept. 29, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—William O'Shea, Oct. 7, 1924; Louise A. Garland, kindergarten, Oct. 8, 1924; Margaret C. Gohery, Oct. 20, 1924; Mary Stavrinis, Oct. 27, 1924.

Hugh O'Brien District—Sarah M. Delahanty, Oct. 1, 1924; Elsie Smith Woods, Oct. 8, 1924.

Hyde District—Catherine Hamilton, Oct. 8, 1924; Puella Thacher special class, Oct. 27, 1924.

John Marshall District—Mabel Coburn, Oct. 1, 1924; Mary W. Tucker, Oct. 8, 1924; Lois Oliver, special class, Oct. 21, 1924; Bertha Winkler, Oct. 20, 1924; Blanche B. Stone, Oct. 27, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Leona M. Samuels, Oct. 27, 1924; Elsie Smith Woods, Oct. 30, 1924.

Julia Ward Howe District—Marion J. Champion, Oct. 27, 1924.

Lawrence District—Frank L. Carr, Oct. 15, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Kathleen Murphy, kindergarten, Oct. 1, 1924; Catherine L. Clarkson, kindergarten, Oct. 8, 1924; Margaret Middleton, Oct. 8, 1924; Alice P. O'Keefe, Oct. 9, 1924; A. Marion McDonald, Oct. 10, 1924.

Martin District—Clara M. Dorr, Oct. 27, 1924.

Mather District—Josephine Reed, Oct. 20, 1924; Miriam V. Gallagher, Sept. 26, 1924.

Minot District—Margaret E. Fields, kindergarten, Oct. 20, 1924; Irene G. Woodward, kindergarten, Oct. 22, 1924.

Oliver Hazard Perry District—Joseph F. Cooper, Oct. 6, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Mina Rosen, Oct. 26, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Walter L. McSwiney, Oct. 30, 1924.

Prescott District—Anne B. Fahy, Oct. 29, 1924.

Prince District—Frances E. Grennan, Pauline D. Berthold, Oct. 20, 1924.

Rice District—Helen Tuttle, Oct. 27, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Alice G. Curran, Oct. 20, 1924; Mary G. Maguire, Oct. 27, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Winifred Slocum, Oct. 22, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—John J. Connolly, Oct. 8, 1924; Mary M. Stavrinis, Oct. 22, 1924; Eleanor J. Maguire, Oct. 23, 1924; Theresa C. Barry, Oct. 28, 1924; Herman J. Roche, Oct. 30, 1924.

Sherwin District—A. Marlon McDonald, Oct. 16, 1924; Margaret E. Fields, kindergarten, Oct. 21, 1924; John J. Danahy, Oct. 31, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Theodora Donovan, Oct. 3, 1924; Ruth E. Hayward, Oct. 8, 1924; Eleanor C. Fee, kindergarten, Oct. 15, 1924; Louise A. Gartland, kindergarten, Oct. 17, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Edwin L. Crowley, Oct. 1, 1924; Lester J. Flynn, Oct. 6, 1924; Walter L. McSwiney, Oct. 7, 1924.

Thomas Gardner District—Helen R. Donahoe, Oct. 1, 1924; Louise F. Fine, Oct. 14, 1924.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Isolina DelToro, Oct. 21, 1924.

Washington Allston District—Walter L. McSwiney, Oct. 8, 1924; Helen R. Donahoe, Catherine M. Griffin, Catherine Hamilton, Oct. 20, 1924; Ralph S. Monks, Oct. 29, 1924.

Wells District—Marion J. Champion, Oct. 1, 1924.

William E. Russell District—Helena E. Sullivan, kindergarten, Oct. 1, 1924.

Day School for Immigrants—Anne M. Dannenhoffer, Mina Guyton, Anastasia O. Hynes, Anastasia C. McCarthy, Marguerite R. Roberts, Hetty B. Schriftgiesser, Oct. 27, 1924; Louise V. Tivnan, Irene H. Walsh, Oct. 29, 1924; Gertrude M. Feldman, Oct. 30, 1924; Eloise K. Cauley, Agnes M. Goode, Mary E. Norton, Thomas W. O'Rourke, Ellen C. Reardon, Nov. 3, 1924; Frances E. Fiske, Nov. 4, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Boston Clerical School—Marie G. O'Brien, assistant, Oct. 16, 1924.

Charlestown High School—Andre' Beauvivre, assistant, Oct. 2, 1924.

Dorchester High School—Philip H. Riley, assistant, Oct. 28, 1924.

Gilbert Stuart District—Arthur L. Morrissey, sub-master, Oct. 27, 1924.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—John S. Kane, sub-master, Oct. 14, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Thomas J. Schofield, shop instructor, Oct. 1 to Nov. 30, 1924.

Placed on file.

Continuation School—Albert O. Deininger, toolkeeper, Sept. 29, 1924; C. Randall Dobson, toolkeeper, Oct. 2, 1924; John R. Gillen, toolkeeper, Sept. 29, 1924.

Approved.

SUBSTITUTE NURSE.

Department of Medical Inspection—Sally Givner, school nurse, Oct. 27, 1924.

Approved.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Florence J. Matthews, assistant, Nov. 18, 1924.

Dearborn District—Teresa L. Monahan, assistant, Nov. 18, 1924.

Dillaway District—Margaret E. Hannon, assistant, Nov. 18, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Thomas F. Luby, assistant, Nov. 18, 1924.

Everett District—Alice M. Nolan, assistant, Nov. 18, 1924.

Hancock District—Catherine F. Malone, assistant, Nov. 18, 1924.

Julia Ward Howe District—Elizabeth F. Byrne, assistant, Dec. 1, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Mary J. Barry, assistant, sixth year, Dec. 15, 1924.

Longfellow District—Edith C. Little, assistant, Nov. 18, 1924.

Minot District—Frances A. McManus, assistant, kindergarten, Nov. 18, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Mary C. McKay, assistant, Nov. 18, 1924.

Sherwin District—Margaret E. Fields, assistant, kindergarten, Nov. 18, 1924.

Thomas Gardner District—Anna C. Quinn, assistant, Nov. 18, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—William A. Collieran, Leonard L. Curado, instructors, shop work, Nov. 18, 1924; Edward J. Oakes, instructor, shop work, second year, Nov. 18, 1924.

Laid over.

(Junior Assistants.)

Dorchester High School—Helen R. O'Brien (from junior assistant, Samuel Adams District), Oct. 22, 1924.

High School of Practical Arts—Helen V. Hazen, Nov. 4, 1924.

Approved.

(By Promotion)

(Principal of an Elementary District)

Frederic W. Lincoln District—George W. Gammon, master (from sub-master, John Winthrop District), Nov. 10, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

(By Promotion)

Dorchester High School—Emmett R. Smith, co-operative instructor (from division foreman, Continuation School), Nov. 18, 1924.

Theodore Lyman District—Catherine G. Sheahan, master's assistant (from assistant, Sherwin District), Nov. 18, 1924.

Laid over.

(Kindergarten, Two Sessions.)

Bowditch District—Grace F. Sullivan, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 29, 1924.

Wells District—Isabelle N. Wall, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 22, 1924.

Lowell District—Ruth E. York, first assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from first assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 28, 1924.

Approved.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1924-25.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Arthur J. Connery as assistant in the Girls' Evening Commercial High School on Oct. 21, 1924, (one evening), is hereby authorized and that he be paid for his services at the rate of five dollars (\$5) per evening.

Central Evening High School—James E. Dolan, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924; Elliott P. Frazier, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924; Carl Scheffy, laboratory assistant, Oct. 27, 1924.

Charlestown Evening Commercial High School—Joseph F. O'Sullivan, assistant, Oct. 27, 1924.

East Boston Evening Commercial High School—Grace E. Ryan, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924.

Girls' Evening Commercial High School—Marion A. Fitch, assistant, Oct. 27, 28, 1924 (two evenings); Barrett F. McFadon, assistant, Oct. 27, 1924; Elizabeth I. O'Neill, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Henry R. Gardner, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924; Frederick G. Getchell, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924; John E. J. Kelley, assistant, Oct. 23, 1924; Helen R. O'Brien, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924; Albert F. Reed, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924; William F. Rice, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924; Margaret E. Ryan, assistant Oct. 21, 1924 (one evening); Charles F. Winslow, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924.

Bigelow Evening School—Francis J. Cahill, assistant, Sept. 29, 1924; Helen J. Dorsey, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924 (one evening); Mary A. Kelley, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924; William F. Mack, assistant, Oct. 23, 1924; Mary W. O'Maley assistant, Oct. 20, 1924 (one evening).

Bowdoin Evening School—Ellen G. Garraghan, assistant, Oct. 27, 1924.

Dearborn Evening School—Mary M. O'Brien, assistant, Nov. 3, 1924; Mary E. O'Donnell, Blanche E. Smith, assistants, Oct. 28, 1924.

Edward Everett Evening School—Mary D. Morse, Helen F. Rafferty, assistants, Oct. 23, 1924; Kate V. Tiernay, assistant, Oct. 7, 1924.

Eliot Evening School—Agnes M. Lynch, assistant, Oct. 28, 1924 (one evening); Gladys M. MacKay, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924.

Franklin Evening School—Mary E. Donovan, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924; Helen J. Dorsey, assistant, Nov. 3, 1924; John F. Kerrigan, assistant, Oct. 28, 1924; Lucy A. MacKenzie, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924 (one evening); Catherine F. Mulligan, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924; Leonora E. Scolley, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924.

Frederic W. Lincoln Evening School—Mary M. Fitzgerald, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924 (one evening).

Hyde Park Evening School—Evelyn L. Alley, assistant, Oct. 27, 1924.

Roger Wolcott Evening School—Margaret L. Cosgrove, assistant, Oct. 7, 1924; Evelyn H. Manley, assistant, Oct. 23, 1924; Mary B. O'Donnell, assistant, Oct. 27, 1924.

Theodore Lyman Evening School—Rebecca E. Daniels, assistant, Oct. 16 to 30, 1924 (seven evenings); Hazel M. Earley, assistant, Oct. 23, 1924.

Washington Evening School—Katherine E. Hurley, assistant, Oct. 27, 1924; Mary W. O'Maley, assistant, Oct. 28, 1924.

Washington Irving Evening School—Margaret M. Moore, assistant, Oct. 27, 1924; Anna E. Schneider, assistant, Oct. 21 to 30, 1924 (four evenings).

Boston, Trade School, Evening Classes—William M. Edmonstone, William J. O'Neil, assistants, Oct. 6, 1924; Winthrop E. Luke, Stewart J. Shaw, William E. Wall, assistants, Oct. 7, 1924; George G. Rose, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924; Henry J. Tilton, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924; Frank V. Gordon, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924; Edward W. Dixon, Frank L. Ogilvie, John L. Toomey, second assistants, Oct. 9, 1924; Abraham S. Burnes, second assistant, Oct. 14, 1924; Emil W. Zepp, second assistant, Oct. 21, 1924; John A. England, second assistant, Oct. 28, 1924; John C. Brewer, Edward F. Buckley, John J. Donovan, Sidney Gunhouse, George B. Hinckley, Kenneth F. Keyes, Frank W. Koffinke, William A. McAlister, toolkeepers, Oct. 6, 1923; William McLean, toolkeeper, Oct. 7, 1924; Morris J. Sideman, toolkeeper, Oct. 9, 1924; Herbert Philpott, toolkeeper, Oct. 21, 1924; Herman M. Conklin, toolkeeper, Oct. 23, 1924.

Approved.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of John DiNatale as second assistant in the Boston Trade School, Evening Classes, is hereby authorized for one day, Oct. 9, 1924.

Trade School for Girls (Extension Classes)—Helen J. Collins, assistant, Oct. 2, 1924; Mary T. Doyle, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924.

Approved.

DAY CLASSES IN PRACTICAL ARTS.

Term 1924-25.

Mary T. Eager, assistant, Oct. 28, 1924; Mary V. Rafferty, assistant, Oct. 27, 1924.

Approved.

EXTENDED USE OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Term 1924-25.

Special Leader—Albert Kelley, Nov. 3, 1924.

General Helper—Albert Kelley, Nov. 3, 1924.

Leaders—Julius Bleiwas, Katherine Campbell, Priscilla Coderre, John Coughlin, Grace Connor, Elizabeth Daley, William Dowling, Gertrude Jacobs, Albert Kelley, Kathryn McCarthy, Thomas Mooney, Marion Tarbox, Nov. 3, 1924; Bessie Howard, Winslow Karlson, Nov. 5, 1924.

Helpers—Norman Cawley, Nov. 5, 1924; Joseph Balk, Henry Brennan, Eloise Cauley, Katherine Donovan, Mary Doyle, Edward Fallon, George FitzGerald, Albert Kelley, John Mahoney, Thomas McCarthy, John McDevitt, John McKeon, George Melledy, John Morgan, Lillian Mowatt, John O'Connor, William Ott, Ida Paine, Charles Reardon, Eleanor Santosuosso, Margaret Smith, Lillian Walsh, Nov. 3, 1924.

Attendants—Albert Kelley, Loretta Moore, Margaret Russell, Marjorie Taylor, Nov. 3, 1924.

Approved.

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS

Term 1924-25.

Play Teachers.

Brighton High School—Warren C. Burnham.

Charlestown High School—John A. Dunn.

Dorchester High School—Gerard J. Deeley.

East Boston High School—Lawrence A. Howard.

Hyde Park High School—Maurice J. Murphy.

Jamaica Plain High School—Matthew F. Mealy.

South Boston High School—Ralph W. Channell.

Boston Trade School—Frank V. Gordon, Bernard F. Donovan.

Approved.

GARDENING.

Season of 1924.

Garden Assistant—Josephine E. Coffin.

Assistants, School Gardens—Henning O. Nielson, Irving Leslie, William J. Norton.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Helen L. Barry, R. Edith Barry, Annie Baum, Emma S. Brown, Frances M. Callahan, Beatrice Chanin, Christopher H. Dole, E. Marie Dooley, Louie Dunn, Eleanor Fee, Florence Fitz, Celia R. Frankel, G. Marion Frederick, Esther A. Gorman, Rosalynde Hammond, Katherine Harrigan, Helen V. Hazen, Cornelius J. Holland, Evelyn B. Howe, Arthur E. Hurwitch, Katherine M. Langtry, Francis Logue, Mary G. Maguire, Mary L. Mahoney, Helen J. McCarthy, Mary I. McKay, Margaret McKenna, Frances R. McNealy, Ralph S. Monks, Arthur L. Morrissey, Alice L. Murdock, William J. O'Brien, James E. O'Donnell, Herman J. Roche, Anna G. Scannell, Thomas J. Schofield, Ellen Shepard, Alberta Thomas, Mary Manning Walsh, Gertrude R. Welch, Marie Whall.

Approved.

TRANSFERS.

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Theobald A. Lynch, master, to the same position in the Gilbert Stuart District, Nov. 10, 1924.

Approved.

Elihu Greenwood District—Katherine M. Beebe, assistant, to the same position in the Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District, Nov. 5, 1924; Agnes R. Collier, assistant, to the same position in the Francis Parkman District, Nov. 5, 1924.

Jefferson-Comins District—Marie M. Raftery, assistant, to the same position in the Hancock District, Nov. 3, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Hannah E. McDonough, assistant, to the same position in the Hugh O'Brien District, Oct. 27, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Alice C. Gilligan, assistant, to the same position in the Prince District, Nov. 10, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Alice E. McMurrugh, assistant, to the same position in the Jefferson-Comins District, Nov. 3, 1924.

Edward Everett Evening School—Emma L. Cutter, assistant, to the same position in the Washington Irving Evening School, Oct. 23, 1924, (one evening).

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Margaret R. Kenneally, assistant, to the same position in the Phillips Brooks Evening School, Oct. 28, 1924.

Approved.

ATTENDANTS, DAY SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS.

Mary Beekman, Oct. 6, 1924; Elizabeth Cloutur, Oct. 23, 1924; Mary I. McKenna, Oct. 28, 1924; Josephine Roche, Oct. 29, 1924.

Approved.

ATTENDANTS, SCHOOL LUNCHES.

Frederic W. Lincoln District (Frederic W. Lincoln School)—Hannah C. Marland, Nov. 3, 1924.

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On motion, the leave of absence granted to Mary G. Fitzpatrick, teacher of sewing, Department of Household Science and Arts, for Sept. 25 and 26, 1924, without pay, at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1924 (p. 200), is hereby rescinded.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Public Latin School—Francis J. Roland, junior master, Oct. 15, 1924, one day, wedding.

Girls' Latin School—Mary D. Davenport, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924, one day, funeral; Mary D. Davenport, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924, one day, without pay.

Dorchester High School—Mary A. Ward, assistant, Oct. 21, 1924, one day, funeral.

English High School—Henry M. Wright, master, head of department, Oct. 24, 1924, one day, without loss of pay. (College Entrance Examination Board duties).

Girls' High School—Marie Scollard, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924, one day, without pay.

High School of Practical Arts—Alfred M. Butler, master, head of department, Oct. 23, 1924, one day, without pay.

Hyde Park High School—Sophia B. Cohen, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Blanche R. Levy, junior assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Jamaica Plain High School—Thomas F. Gately, junior assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, wedding.

Boston Trade School—Walter F. Connolly, senior instructor, Oct. 20, 1924, one day, without pay.

Continuation School—Thomas P. Burns, senior instructor, Oct. 15, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Esther L. McNellis, head of division, Oct. 1, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Francis R. Sheehan, shop foreman, Oct. 2, 1924, one day, without pay.

Abraham Lincoln District—Anna J. Corliss, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924, one day, funeral; Nellie A. Manning, master's assistant, Oct. 7, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Bennett District—Bertha E. Davis, assistant, Oct. 22, 1924, one day, funeral; Edith Stahl, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Chapman District—Florence C. Cunningham, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one-half day, wedding; Ida Feldman, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Marion P. McPhee, assistant, Oct. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Dudley District—Mildred T. Barron, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Sarah E. Cohen, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Edmund P. Tileston District—Lena Seittin, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Esther R. Thurman, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Edward Everett District—Anne C. McCormack, assistant, Oct. 24, 27, 1924, one-half day each and Oct. 29, 1924, without pay; Adele L. Stern, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 22, 1924, one day, wedding.

Eliot District—Bridget T. Boyle, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Margaret A. Canney, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Mary E. Hughes, assistant, Oct. 22, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Annie E. Regan, assistant, Oct. 29, 1924, one day, wedding; Marguerite A. Wiles, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Emerson District—Mary B. Flynn, assistant, Oct. 28, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Grace M. Toland, assistant, Oct. 29, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Everett District—Dorothy L. Winchenbach, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Francis Parkman District—Mary E. Roome, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924, one day, without pay; Hannah E. Tobin, assistant, Oct. 27 to 31, 1924, five days, without pay.

Franklin District—Rose Michaelson, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Anna Shultz, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Lillian Tishler, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Hancock District—Lillian Cherry, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Gertrude E. Roberts, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Selma S. Samuels, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Hugh O'Brien District—Emma A. McDonald, assistant, Oct. 28, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Anna F. Murphy, assistant, Oct. 22, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

John Marshall District—Margaret M. J. Andrew, assistant, Oct. 28, one-half day, funeral.

John Winthrop District—Miriam Kallen, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Esther Quint.

assistant, special class, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Selma S. Stern, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Julia Ward Howe District—Marion Goldstein, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Lawrence District—Nora A. Mehigan, assistant, Oct. 15, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Lewis Intermediate District—Rachel Rosnosky, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Lowell District—Florence Hurwitz, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Helen G. Keefe, assistant, Oct. 1, 1924, one day, wedding; Mary G. Lyons, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924, one day, wedding.

Martin District—Alice J. F. Kane, assistant, Oct. 1, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Alice J. F. Kane, assistant, Oct. 17, 1924, one day, funeral.

Mary Hemenway District—Ellen G. McTernan, assistant, Oct. 2, 1924, one-half day, funeral, Heler Rosnosky, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Norcross District — Elizabeth A. Welsh, assistant, Oct. 3, 1924, one day, funeral.

Oliver Hazard Perry District—Julia G. Leary, master's assistant, Oct. 10, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Phillips Brooks District—Minnie Colitz, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Mary J. Hynes, assistant, Oct. 10, 1924, one-half day, court summons; Mary E. Kelleher, assistant, from Nov. 1 to Dec. 3, 1924; LeRoy T. Martin, submaster, Oct. 10, 1924, one-half day without pay; Sara Rice, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Sara Rice, assistant, Oct. 22, 1924, one day, without pay.

Prescott District—Ellen C. Golden, assistant, special class, Oct. 28, 30, 1924, two days, to travel to and from funeral; Mary E. Shea, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924, one day, without pay.

Quincy District—Eva Green, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Grace H. K. Jarvis, assistant, special class, Oct. 15, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Frances E. O'Neill, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 1, 1924, one day, wedding.

Rice District—Emma A. Brust, assistant, Oct. 28, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Mary B. Kirby, assistant, Oct. 29, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Ellen L. Welch, assistant, Oct. 23, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Roger Wolcott District — Rose Arenson, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Rose B. Greenburg, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Marion T. Hughes, assistant, Oct. 3, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Dorothy Kalker, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Marion R. Kanter, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; May Kapples, assistant, Oct. 31, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Celia Levinson, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Sara L. Meyers, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Mary E. Norton, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 6, 1924, one day, funeral; Alice Pike, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Mollie Plotkin, clerical assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Eva Shulman, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Sherwin District—Della E. Cunningham, master's assistant, from Dec. 1 to 31, 1924; Phoebe Pinzur, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jew-

ish holiday; Mary M. Regan, assistant, Oct. 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Theodore Lyman District—E. Cecilia Bowen, assistant, Oct. 17, 1924, one day, funeral; Margaret J. Lynch, assistant, Oct. 20, 1924, one day, funeral; Margaret J. Lynch, assistant, Oct. 21 to 24, 1924, four days, without pay; Mary E. McCormack, prevocational assistant, Oct. 14, 1924, one day, wedding; Frederick J. Murphy, master, Oct. 1, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Rebecca E. Daniels, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Thomas Gardner District—Rosemary R. Carr, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924, one day, wedding; Mary R. Greeley, assistant, Oct. 9, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Dora Kalish, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Dorothy Rosenauer, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Katherine Vernon, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Mary L. Geary, assistant, Oct. 22, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Washington District—Mary T. Lynch, assistant, Oct. 7, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Daisy Pokroisky, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Washington Allston District—Edith B. Ricles, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday.

Wendell Phillips District—Cora E. Bigelow, master's assistant, special classes, Oct. 31, 1924, one day, without pay; Lucy A. Fitzgerald, assistant, Oct. 22, 1924, one day, wedding.

William E. Endicott District—Annie S. Belinsky, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Anna R. Berkovitz, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Jennie F. Boles, assistant, Oct. 27, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Mary Burkhardt, assistant, special class, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Miriam Cohen, assistant, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Margaret M. Corcoran, assistant, Oct. 27, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Pauline Miller, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 8, 1924, one day, Jewish holiday; Mary E. Murphy, assistant, Oct. 22, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Department of Manual Arts—Clarence R. Rees, shop instructor, Oct. 30, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Joseph W. Fitzgerald, M.D., school physician, from Sept. 23 to Oct. 10, 1924, without pay; Anna B. McCue, school nurse, Oct. 24, 1924, one day, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Norcross District—Helen T. Noonan, assistant, from Oct. 1 to 31, 1924, without pay.

DESIGNATION OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, reporting the following designation of a teacher to serve in the position indicated, until such time as it shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the date stated:

Wells District—Louise K. Morss, assistant, as acting master's assis-

tant (vice Mary F. McMorrow, absent on leave) Oct. 16, 1924.

Placed on file.

ASSIGNMENT OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Josephine E. Coffin, assistant, John Marshall District, to a special class in that district, without change of rank or salary, said assignment to take effect Oct. 27, 1924, and to continue during the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the Board.

Approved and placed on file.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO CERTAIN TEACHERS BECAUSE OF TWO-PLATOON SYSTEM, DORCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be allowed and paid to Clarence W. Goodridge, co-operative instructor, Dorchester High School, additional compensation at the rate of five dollars (\$5) per period of two hours for additional work under the two-platoon system in the Dorchester High School.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be allowed and paid to Samuel Gerson and Raoul J. Burke, special assistants, mechanical department, Dorchester High School, additional compensation at the rate of one dollar and seventy-five cents (\$1.75) per period of two hours for additional work under the two-platoon system in the Dorchester High School.

ESTABLISHMENT OF UNGRADED AND SPECIAL ENGLISH CLASSES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the following ungraded and special English classes are hereby established for the school year ending August 31, 1925, unless discontinued prior to that date by order of the Board:

Ungraded Classes.

Dearborn	1
Eliot	3
Hancock	1
Norcross	1
Sherwin	1
Ulysses S. Grant.....	1

Total 8

Special English Classes

Eliot	1
Hancock	2

Total 3

ESTABLISHMENT OF SPECIAL CLASS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has established an additional special class in the Eliot District, making four in all, to take effect Nov. 10, 1924.

Approved and placed on file.

SALARIES OF CERTAIN KINDERGARTEN TEACHERS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Grace F. Sullivan, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Bowditch District, is hereby placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Oct. 29, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,752) per annum, to take effect Oct. 29, 1925.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Isabelle N. Wall, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions) Wells District, is hereby placed upon the first year of the salary of the rank, namely, eleven hundred seventy-six dollars (\$1,176) per annum, to take effect Oct. 22, 1924; that she be placed upon the second year of the salary of the rank, namely, twelve hundred seventy-two dollars (\$1,272) per annum, to take effect Dec. 4, 1924; and that she be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That Ruth E. York, first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Lowell District, is hereby placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, nineteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,920) per annum, to take effect Oct. 28, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, two thousand sixteen dollars (\$2,016) per annum, to take effect Oct. 28, 1925.

PAYMENT TO TEMPORARY INSTRUCTOR OF DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS AND SIGNALING.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be paid the sum of two hundred and eight dollars (\$208) to Francis A. Mahan for services rendered as temporary instructor of drum and bugle corps and signaling during the months of September and October, 1924, upon certification by the Director of Music to the Superintendent that the services covered by said amount have been rendered.

COMPENSATION OF TEMPORARY INSTRUCTORS OF BAND AND ORCHESTRAL INSTRUMENTS.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the compensation of temporary instructors of band and orchestral instruments is hereby fixed for the year ending Aug. 31, 1925, at the rate of three dollars (\$3), four dollars (\$4), or five dollars (\$5) per period of instruction, as determined by the Assistant Superintendent in charge of the Department of Music and the Director of Music.

USE OF TREMONT TEMPLE FOR GRADUATION EXERCISES.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners is hereby requested to secure the use of Tremont Temple for the graduation exercises of the Girls' High and the English High Schools on Wednesday, June 24, 1925, and Thursday, June 25, 1925.

AMENDMENT TO REGULATIONS.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 412, paragraph 2. Strike out the paragraph and substitute in place thereof the following:

2. No agent or other person shall be permitted to enter school premises for the purpose of exhibiting books or articles offered for sale to teachers or pupils, or for any other commercial purpose; provided, that publishers of books and manufacturers of educational material or equipment which may be purchased from school funds or whose purchase is under consideration, who obtain a permit from the office of the superintendent, may visit principals in their respective schools at such times as will not interfere with the regular work of the schools.

Laid over.

REPORT OF ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT ON INVESTIGATION OF SCHOOL SYSTEMS AND OF CANDIDATES FOR APPOINTMENT AS DIRECTOR OF MANUAL ARTS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, a brief report from John C. Brodhead, Assistant Superintendent, concerning his recent visit to school systems in cities as far West as St. Louis, for the purpose of interviewing candidates for the vacant position as Director of Manual Arts and of studying the status of the manual and industrial arts in the school systems of the cities visited.

Placed on file.

ELIGIBLE LIST.

The Superintendent submitted a communication from the Board of Examiners, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, transmitting the results of the examination of Oct. 4, 1924, for the certificate of qualification XI. Special: Supervisor of Drum and Bugle Corps, as follows:

XI. Special: Supervisor of Drum and Bugle Corps

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
864	Harry B. Roche	December 31, 1930
822	Fortunato Sordillo	December 31, 1930

Placed on file.

The Superintendent submitted a communication from the Board of Examiners, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, transmitting the results of the examinations of Oct. 3 and 4, 1924, for the certificate of qualification XXXI-B. Day and Evening Industrial Schools — Auto Mechanics. These names do not constitute separate eligible lists, but should be inserted in School Document No. 13, 1924, at the points indicated by the several ratings.

XXX. Day and Evening Industrial Schools.

(To shop instructors, vocational assistants, trade assistants and help-

ers in day or evening trade, continuation and intermediate schools, and in prevocational classes.)

Auto Mechanics.

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
810	Thomas M. Dowell	Dec. 31, 1930

XXXI-A. (Day and Evening Industrial Schools.)

(To master's assistant in the Trade School for Girls, heads of departments (both shop work and academic) in the Trade School for Girls, and to shop foreman in day or evening trade schools, continuation school, intermediate schools, and to shop foreman in day or evening trade schools, continuation school, intermediate schools, and prevocational schools or classes.)

Auto Mechanics.

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
830	Thomas M. Dowell	Dec. 31, 1930
779	Alexander MacGilvray	Dec. 31, 1927

XXXI-B. (Day and Evening Industrial Schools.)

(To co-operative instructors and co-ordinators in day high schools; to division foremen, division heads and shop superintendent in the Boston Trade School; and to division foremen and heads of division in the Continuation School; and to instructors of mechanic arts in day high schools.)

Auto Mechanics.

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
785	Alexander MacGilvray	Dec. 31, 1927
735	Thomas M. Dowell	Dec. 31, 1930

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, reporting the removal from the eligible list of holders of the certificate X. Kindergarten, of the name of Roberta J. Golden, with a rating of 889, because of failure of the candidate to furnish certain required credentials.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, reporting that it has amended School Document No. 13, 1924—Candidates Eligible for Appointment as Teachers—as follows:

Page 22. Elementary School, Class B. Certificate. 825. Gertrude M. Sullivan, name temporarily removed by request.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Nov. 3 1924, reporting that it has added the following name to the list of candidates certified as having been granted the junior assistant certificate on the examination of June 14, 1924, the candidate having at this time filed the required evidence of fulfillment of eligibility requirements; her name should be inserted in School Document No. 13, 1924, on page 17, French group, as follows:

809 Blanche W. Harding, Dec. 31, 1930.

Placed on file.

AMENDMENTS TO RULES AND REGULATIONS

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, recommending that the eligibility requirements for the special certificate in home nursing, as approved at the meeting of July 14, 1924, be amend-

ed to provide for a two-year hospital course requirement instead of the three-year requirement as now provided.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rules are hereby amended as follows:

Section 80, paragraph XI. Under "Certificates Valid in Day High Schools," in the paragraph which describes the eligibility requirements for the special certificate in home nursing, strike out the word—three—in the sixth line and substitute in place thereof "two," so that the paragraph will read as follows:

For the special certificate in home nursing: Graduation from a high school approved by the board of superintendents, or evidence of an equivalent academic education; graduation from a hospital or similar institution giving a course of instruction in nursing at least two years in length; evidence of completion of a course in teacher training approved by the board of superintendents; and evidence of three years' successful experience in public health nursing.

Passed, under a suspension of the rules.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS.

A communication was received from the Board of Apportionment recommending the passage of an order to provide appropriation for the extension of the yard of the Dorchester High School for Boys, in compliance with a request of the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That from the appropriation made on September 18, 1919, (page 138), and June 21, 1920, (page 170), the following sum is hereby transferred to the 1924 items of permanent school accommodations:

From Item 8, 1919—Roger Wolcott District, Dorchester: Intermediate School, plans and twenty-room building with four shops (Item 10, 1920)\$3,500

To Item 39, 1924—Henry L. Pierce District, Dorchester: Extension of yard of the Dorchester High School for Bys, \$3,500

Passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

AMENDMENTS TO RULES.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Oct. 20, 1924, recommending that the rules be amended to provide for the establishment of the duties of the Assistant Business Agent.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rules are hereby amended as follows:

Section 112. Strike out the section and substitute in place thereof the following:

SECT. 112. 1. He may appoint such assistants as shall be necessary, subject to the approval of the Board.

2. There shall be an assistant business agent to whom the business agent may delegate such part of his authority as he may deem expedient, which shall be exercised un-

der the direction of the business agent who shall be responsible therefor.

Laid over.

EXTENSION OF LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, recommending that the leave of absence for personal illness granted to John F. Carroll, custodian, Wyman Schoolhouse, be extended for a further period of two months from Nov. 2, 1924, on one-half his net compensation.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO CUSTODIAN, 25 LAGRANGE STREET.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, recommending that Logan A. McLean, custodian of the Continuation School, 25 La Grange Street, be allowed additional compensation for extra labor involved because of an accident to the plumbing apparatus which flooded the building.

Placed on file.

On motion, as was

ORDERED, That Logan A. McLean, custodian, Continuation School, 25 La Grange Street, be allowed and paid the sum of five dollars (\$5) for extra labor involved because of an accident to the plumbing apparatus which flooded the building Oct. 2, 3 and 4, 1924.

CHARGES PREFERRED AGAINST A CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, reporting a custodian for neglect of duty, and recommending that the matter be referred to the Trial Board for consideration.

Referred to the Trial Board for investigation and report.

PROTESTS AGAINST ANY DECREASE IN PENSION APPROPRIATION.

A communication was received from the Boston Teachers Club, under date of Oct. 25, 1924, reporting that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Club it was agreed to ask for a six hundred dollar pension for the teachers who retired before this pension went into effect, and requesting that before asking to have the pension appropriation reduced, the cases of these teachers be considered.

Laid over.

A communication was received from the Board of Trustees of the Boston Public School Teachers Retirement Fund, under date of Nov. 3, 1924, reporting that at the annual meeting held on Oct. 25, 1924, it was voted to petition the School Committee to oppose any decrease in the apportionment for the Boston Teachers Permanent Pension Fund and that the School Committee request the Legislature to use any surplus

of that fund to increase all pensions of those persons who receive less than six hundred dollars a year.

Laid over.

PETITION FOR NEW SCHOOL IN MINOT DISTRICT.

A petition, signed by various residents of the Minot School District, Dorchester, calling attention to the urgent need of a new school in that section, was presented.

Referred to the Board of Apportionment.

PAYMENT OF ADDITIONAL PENSION TO CHARLES P. LEBON.

Question came as to payment of the additional annual pension of twelve hundred dollars (\$1200) to Charles P. Lebon, retired master, English High School, as provided by Chapter 378 of the Acts of 1924, and the Board was unanimously of the opinion that the said additional pension may not be paid out of the appropriation available for the payment of pensions under the provisions of Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908 as amended.

In explanation of the action of the Board, the following statement was adopted and ordered spread upon the records:

We are constrained by law to vote that the School Committee has no right to pay Charles P. Lebon the additional annual pension of \$1200 provided by Chapter 378 of the Acts of 1924. We regret the circumstances that compel our decision, but the mandatory and restrictive language of Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908 and the amendments thereto, under which in the matter of pensions the School Committee must operate, prohibit payment to Mr. Lebon.

Section 3 of Chapter 617 of the Acts of 1910, says, "in no case shall the pension of any person be less than \$312 or more than \$600." The enabling act of 1924 does not purport to amend or supersede this restrictive mandate. In the 1924 act there is no reference to the School Committee other than the remark: "For thirty-five years a public school teacher," but these words are merely descriptive and indicative of the beneficiary's identity.

The permanent school pension fund is a trust fund and created by law, and cannot be disturbed or dissipated except by express legislation drawn in clear and unmistakable terms. Section 3 of Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908 vests the charge and control of said permanent school pension fund in a board of trustees distinct from the School Committee.

However in fact, there are two funds which go to make up this permanent school pension fund, but the trust, by law, attaches to both.

First: The Current Pension Fund—This fund is made up of the 7c. tax levy "together with the accrued interest of the permanent fund, in case the amount available in any one year under this act is not sufficient, etc." (Special Acts of 1915, Chapter 304, Section 1) and reimbursement by the Commonwealth "for certain pensions paid by the city to retired school teachers, etc." (Special Acts of 1916, Chapter 89). This is the only fund (approximately \$200,000 annually) in the charge and under the control of the School Committee available to pay pensions at the rates already established by Section 7 of Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908 as amended by Section 3 of Chapter

617 of the Acts of 1910, which reads as above "in no case shall a pension of any person be less than \$312 or more than \$600." Section 1 of Chapter 304 of the Special Acts of 1915 disposes of the surplus, if any, of this fund. "It (the School Committee) shall from time to time pay to the treasurer of the permanent pension fund such portion of the proceeds of said 7c., etc., as in the opinion of the School Committee will not be needed for the purpose of paying pensions." The School Committee for the year 1923-1924 will pay to the trustees of the permanent school pension fund the surplus of \$38,474.68. It must be quite evident that the School Committee cannot pay from this fund.

Second: The Permanent School Pension Fund is the only other source which might be called upon for payment, but this is a trust fund, as noted above, and, consequently, this Committee cannot contemplate payment from this fund.

It is not for this Committee to criticize the 1924 Act as mechanically defective, or to shift the onus on the Legislature. However, the fact is the School Committee has the money, a permanent trust fund of a half-million dollars which is continually accumulating, and which cannot be touched now by the School Committee.

In passing, we might mention that there are 286 other pensioners in the same class with Mr. Lebon,—on a pension of \$600 or less. The Legislature on several occasions has rejected the plea to utilize this permanent pension fund of a half million dollars by raising the maximum of \$600 which now militates against the other 286 pensioners.

NAMING OF NEW SCHOOLS.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the new school situated on Bailey Street, in the Henry L. Pierce District, be named the Thomas Francis Leen School in honor of the memory and life work of a former Boston citizen. Born in this city, he was a graduate of the Eliot School in the North End, of the Public Latin School, of Harvard College and of the Harvard Medical School. He entered his profession as a tireless, conscientious worker on the staffs of various hospitals in our city. In this capacity he was a generous contributor of his time, effort and skill in aiding the poor and he gave a life of true devotion to the high aims of a great profession, and to kindly, unselfish deeds of charity. In his civic contribution he was an energetic, intelligent member of the School Committee of the City of Boston. Finally, during a scourge of epidemic that threatened our city he, as a true medical man, gave his life that the lives of our citizenry and of the young sailors in the port of Boston during war-time, might be saved. Boston, therefore, in recognition of a life of noble professional endeavor and devotion to the cause of education, names this school as a small measure of its appreciation of the late Dr. Thomas Francis Leen.

Laid over.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the new school situated on Walk Hill and Hazleton Streets, in the Edmund P. Tleiston District, be named the Charles Logue School, in honor of the memory and life work of a former Boston citizen. Born in Ireland, this man who contributed much to the city of Boston, was early educated

by the Christian Brothers of his native city, Londonderry. He came to Boston as a young man and attended the English High School. Beginning his life's work as a carpenter he became one of the foremost builders in our great city. Ever was he interested and active in charitable work, both in his public connection with the Overseers of the Poor and as a member of the Tenement House Commission for the City of Boston, and in his private work with church organizations. His first appointment in the service of the city was that of organizing the Repairs Division of the Public Buildings Department in 1898. In 1904 he was appointed and served for ten years on the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners, during much of which time he was Chairman of said Commission, and in this period many of our finest schools were erected. In addition to the building of various Boston schools he was responsible for the erection of many of the finest churches and schools in and around Boston. He died during the carrying out of one of his great building contributions. This school, therefore, is named the Charles Logue School in recognition of a life of usefulness and devoted public service.

Laid over.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The order laid over at the meeting of Oct. 20, 1924 (see p. 223), establishing the compensation of student aids, Trade School for Girls, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Oct. 20, 1924 (see p. 222), amending section 319, paragraph 3 of the regulations, relative to credit on salary schedule for previous service, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Oct. 20, 1924 (see p. 222), amending sections 80, 290 and 294 of the rules and regulations relative to the employment of a teacher of physical training in the Trade School for Girls, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Oct. 20, 1924 (see p. 223), amending section 290 of the regulations relative to the employment of student aids in the Trade School for Girls, was taken up and passed.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Secretary.

LOAN EXHIBITION OF ETCHINGS AT LIBRARY.

There has been installed in the Exhibition Room of the Boston Public Library a special loan exhibition of etchings by Antony Schutz. The etchings will remain on view until November 22. Mr. Schutz received his art training in Munich.

He has spent the past year in America and at present is assisting Joseph Pennell in the latter's etching class at the New York Art Students' League. In his youth Mr. Schutz studied architecture which probably accounts for the predominance of architectural subjects in his work. His etchings of New York's tall buildings must appeal to everyone who has seen Manhattan.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, November 17, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Moriarty.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

Communications were received from the Mayor making appointments for the term ending April 30, 1924, subject to confirmation by the Council, as follows:

Mark E. Pearlmutter, 77 Walnut park, Roxbury, constable.

Hartley M. Atwood, 78 Vernon street, Wakefield, and Joseph I. Altman, 63 Waumbek street, Roxbury, weighers of goods.

William Haley, 228 Lexington street, East Boston, and Chester A. Bayley, 1 Cypress Apartments, Brookline, weighers of coal.

Laid over under the law.

ADDITIONAL AMOUNT FOR PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 17, 1924.
To The City Council.

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the attached request of the Superintendent of the Printing Department for an additional appropriation of \$15,000 from the income of said department. The Printing Department was called upon this year to do work for the School Department and since it was work which had never been done before no provision was made for it in the current year's budget. I accordingly recommend adoption of the accompanying order by your honorable body.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Printing Department, November 8, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley.

Mayor of Boston:
Dear Sir,—Your Honor is respectfully requested to recommend the following transfers within the Printing Department budget:

From the appropriation for Department Income, \$15,000, to the appropriation for B-1, Printing and Binding, \$15,000.

From the appropriation for B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$100, \$15, to the appropriation for B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$15.

The necessity for a transfer of \$15,000 to the item of printing and binding was caused principally by a contract which we completed for the School Department aggregating nearly \$15,000 for 125,000 spelling books. This piece of work was never done before and was not provided for in the current year's budget. It is estimated that the above amount will be required to carry us through the balance of the year.

Respectfully yours,
WILLIAM J. CASEY, Superintendent.

Ordered, That to meet the expenses of the Printing Department during the financial year beginning with the first day of February, 1924, the sum of \$15,000 be and hereby is appropriated from the income of said department as follows:

B-1, Printing and Binding, \$15,000.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TRANSFERS WITHIN DEPARTMENTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 17, 1924.
To The City Council.

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the attached requests for transfers within department appropriations and I accordingly recommend adoption of the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Superior Court, Criminal Session, B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$4,000, to the appropriation for Supreme Judicial Court, B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$3,733.77; F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$266.23.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and

hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Sewer Service:

From the appropriation for D-3, Fuel, \$5,565; to the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$2,000; C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$500; D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, \$15; D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$50; E-13, General Plant, \$3,000.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Mechanics, 9 at \$5-\$5.50 per day, \$800, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$800.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Street Laying-Out Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Conveyancers, 2 at \$1,500-\$1,600 per year, \$450, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Chairman, 1 at \$4,500-\$6,000 per year, \$450.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Junior Engineers, 7 (4) at \$2,000-\$2,100 per year, \$600, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Commissioners, 2 at \$4,000-\$5,000 per year, \$600.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Rodman (transitman), 1 at \$1,300-\$1,400 per year, \$500, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Rodmen, 5 at \$1,300-\$1,400 per year, \$500.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Senior Engineer, 1 at \$2,100 per year, \$1,000, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Senior Engineers, 3 (6) (8) at \$2,100 per year, \$1,000.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Transitman, 1 at \$1,600-\$1,700 per year, \$600, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Transmen, 21 at \$1,760-\$1,800 per year, \$600.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Senior Engineer, 1 at \$2,400 per year, \$2,000, to the appropriation for B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$1,000; D-1, Office, \$1,000.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Hospital Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Physician, 1 at \$77.77-\$4,000 per year, \$291.70; Physicians, 6 at \$68.05-\$3,500 per year, \$134.23; Physician, 1 at \$52.50-\$2,800 per year, \$22.29; Physicians, 4 at \$48.61-\$2,500 per year, \$123.30; Physicians, 5 at \$35-\$1,800 per year, \$147.95; Physician, 1 at \$29.17-\$2,500 per year, \$150.24; Physicians, 2 at \$29.17-\$1,500 per year, \$255.92; Physicians, 3 at \$23.33-\$1,200 per year, \$152.85; Physician, 1 at \$19.44-\$1,500 per year, \$165.77; Physicians, 2 at \$19.44-\$1,000 per year, \$41.85; Physician, 1 at \$9.72-\$1,000 per year, \$5.48; Physicians, 2 at \$9.72-\$500 per year, \$105.40; Clerks, 4 at \$27-\$30 per week, \$40.71; Clerks, 2 at \$23.33-\$1,350 per year, \$55.69; Clerks, 4 at \$22-\$24 per week, \$401.14; Clerks, 3 at \$21-\$23 per week, \$122.13; Clerks, 3 at \$20-\$22 per week, \$308.15; Clerks, 6 at \$18-\$20 per week, \$175.20, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$2,700.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerks, 6 at \$18-\$20 per week, \$74.86; Clerks, 2 at \$16-\$18 per week, \$652.71; Clerks, 35 at \$16 per week, \$72.43, to the appropriation for F-11, Workmen's Compensation, \$800.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Paving Service:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Laborers, 449 at \$4-\$4.50 per day, \$10,000, to the appropriation for B-42, Repairing Streets, etc., \$2,000; E-2, Highway, \$8,000.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Mechanics, 137 at \$4.50-\$5.50 per day, \$8,000; Subforemen, 26 at \$1,600 to \$1,800 per year, \$4,000, to the appropriation for E-2, Highway, \$12,000.

From the appropriation for B-22, Medical, \$150; B-39, General Plant, \$1,000, to the appropriation for C-6, Stable, \$150; D-16, General Plant, \$1,000.

From the appropriation for C-2, Machinery, \$2,000, to the appropriation for B-24, Blacksmith, \$175; B-40, Harness Repairs, etc., \$200; B-37, Photographic and Blueprinting, \$75; C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$450; D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$1,100.

From the appropriation for C-5, Motor Vehicles, \$400, to the appropriation for B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs, \$400.

From the appropriation for E-1, Building, \$1,000; F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$1,900, to the appropriation for D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$2,900.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Supply Department:

From the appropriation for B-2, Postage, \$500; B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$200; D-1, Office, \$500; A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerk, 1 at \$1,400 per year, \$453; to the appropriation for C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$1,683.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Public Buildings Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Personal Service, Inspector, 1 at \$2,100 per year, \$200, to the appropriation for A-3, Unassigned, \$200.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Municipal Court, Dorchester District:

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$100, to the appropriation for B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$100.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Printing Department:

From the appropriation for B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$15, to the appropriation for B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$15.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Municipal Court, Charlestown District:

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$100, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Probation Officer, Chief, 1 at \$2,600 (\$2,700) per year, \$25; Probation Officers, 2 at \$1,950 (\$2,100) per year, \$75.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Fire Department:

From the appropriation for D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$6,500, to the appropriation for B-2, Postage, \$200; B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$5,000; B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs, \$100; B-18, Cleaning, \$1,200.

From the appropriation for E-13, General Plant, \$5,000, to the appropriation for B-36, Boiler Inspection, \$100; C-6, Stable, \$300; C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$3,000; C-17, General Plant, \$1,000; D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, \$600.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Medical Examiner Service, Southern Division:

From the appropriation for B-28, Expert and Architect, \$35; D-1, Office, \$39.85, to the appropriation for B-37, Photographic and Blueprinting, \$35; C-9, Office, \$31.85; B-2, Postage, \$8.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for East Boston District Court:

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$75, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Probation Officer, 1 at \$2,500 (\$2,700) per year, \$50; Probation Officer, Delinquent Children, 1 at \$2,000 (\$2,100) per year, \$25.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Boston Sanatorium:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Dietitian, 1 at \$1,800 per year, \$200, to the appropriation for A-3, Unassigned, \$200.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Nurses, Heads of Wards, 9 at \$960 per year, \$667.50; Officer, First Assistant Resident Medical, 1 at \$2,500 per year, \$305.85; Pathologist, 1 at \$2,000 per year, \$533.34; Out-Patient Department, Nurses, 34 at \$1,500 to \$1,600 per year, \$1,374.71; Physicians, 15 at \$450 per year, \$312.50; Maids, 14 at \$468 per year, \$269.24; Technician, X-Ray, 1 at \$1,000 per year, \$36.86, to the appropriation for B-8, Light and Power, \$3,500.

From the appropriation for A-1, Perma-

nent Employees, Carpenter, Assistant, 1 at \$840 per year, \$91; Choremen, 2 at \$600-\$660 per year, \$194; Clerks and Assistant Bookkeepers, 2 at \$900-\$1,000 per year, \$90.84; Cooks, Assistant, 2 at \$420 per year, \$77; Housekeeper, Assistant, 1 at \$600-\$700 per year, \$130.28; Laundresses, 14 at \$420-\$485 per year, \$199.24; Technician, X-Ray, 1 at \$1,000 to \$1,100 per year, \$17.64, to the appropriation for D-5, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$800.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Maids, 15 at \$360 per year, \$1,192.67; Choremen, 2 at \$600-\$660 per year, \$65; Choremen, 12 at \$600 per year, \$500; Clerks, 2 at \$580 to \$640 per year, \$8.22; Cooks, Assistant, 2 at \$420 per year, \$5.84; Maids, 14 at \$468 per year, \$70; Maids, 15 at \$360 per year, \$117; Nurses, Head of Wards, 9 at \$960 per year, \$400; Nurses, Attendant, 3 at \$480 to \$540 per year, \$7.94; Pathologist, 1 at \$2,000 per year, \$333.33; Out-Patient Department, Nurses, 34 at \$1,500 to \$1,600 per year, \$600, to the appropriation for C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$3,300.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Medical Examiner Service, Northern Division:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Custodians, Assistants, 3 at \$1,300-\$1,400 per year, \$150; B-28, Expert and Architect, \$178, to the appropriation for A-3 Unassigned, \$150; B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$8; C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$75; D-1, Office, \$95.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Election Department:

From the appropriation for B-3, Advertising and Posting, \$530, to the appropriation for B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$530.

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, Assistant Registrars, 52 (108) (160) at \$5 per day, \$1,093.59, to the appropriation for B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$420; D-2, Food and Ice, \$506.84; C-17, General Plant, \$166.75.

From the appropriation for E-1, Building, \$200, to the appropriation for B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$200.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named:

Claims.

Edward S. Barrett, for refund on money for removing tree blown down at 6 Batavia street.

Margaret T. Bransfield, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Pearl street and Dorchester avenue.

Claire Callanan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Columbia road.

Catherine Creedon, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 30 Winthrop street.

C. R. English & Co., for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Ignazio Ferrara, for compensation for damage to property at 46 Porter street, caused by defective water main.

Edward F. Freeman, for compensation for loss of garage rent at 49A Humphreys street, during construction of sewer.

Daniel A. Gillis, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Lewis street, East Boston.

M. Helespero, for compensation for damage to property at 42 Porter street, East Boston, caused by defective water main.

William C. Hubbard, for compensation for damage to automobile on Avon street, caused by car of Paving Service.

Elizabeth T. Lawrence, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect at Worcester street and Columbus avenue.

A. Lazar, for compensation for damage to property at 31 Porter street, East Boston, caused by defective water main.

Rissah Z. Lebowitz, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Washington street.

Martin G. McNichols, for compensation for loss of clothing at Columbus Park, South Boston.

Gene Moyer, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Blue Hill avenue and Rexford street.

Charlido Neapolitan, for compensation for damage to property at 47 Porter street, East Boston, caused by defective water main.

John and Mary O'Brien, for compensation for damage to property at 35 Orchard street, Roxbury, caused by city men turning on water.

Margaret O'Connell, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Vine street, Charlestown.

George F. O'Connor, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Linden Park street, Roxbury.

Thomas Reynolds, for compensation for collapse of boiler at 6 Perkins street, when water was turned off.

John Ryan, for compensation for damage to automobile by car of Public Works Department.

Mary J. Ryan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Blackstone street.

George H. Schwartz, M. D., for compensation for damage to automobile on East Boston Ferry.

Paul Sicenso, for compensation for damage to property at 212 London street, caused by defective water main.

James H. Slade, for compensation for damage to automobile, caused by defect in street at corner of Walk Hill and Almont streets.

Waverly Heating Supply Company, for compensation for damage to truck by car of Public Works Department.

Leo F. Weisse, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by defective bench at Franklin Park.

Executive.

Petition of Vivian F. Woodlock for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Strand Ballroom on November 14, 1924.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of Henry A. Goldsmith was received with sureties approved by the City Treasurer.

Approved.

CHELSEA DISTRICT COURT EXPENSES.

A voucher was received from Joseph F. Sullivan, constable of the District Court of Chelsea, for services performed during November, amounting to \$166.66. The voucher was approved by the justice of said court.

Approved and ordered paid.

SITUATION AT HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

Coun. HEALEY offered the following:

Whereas, The State Commissioner of Corrections on November 11, 1924, published a statement containing serious charges against the administration of the House of Correction at Deer Island; and

Whereas, Said charges specified that interference by the Deputy Commissioner with the authority of the Master and Deputy Master was a detriment to discipline; that certain officers were drunk on the premises, were suspended and later reinstated; that certain inmates were found drunk; that certain inmates escaped from the island; that drug addicts were allowed to loaf and were taken from the custody of the Master; that certain inmates were allowed to work on the department boat; that a certain officer collected wages illegally; that certain officers were politically active in a recent campaign; that political signs were made on the island under the direction of an officer; that applications of absentee voters among inmates were made out by certain officers; that officials at the island allowed an inmate to be released against whom they held a warrant on another charge; that the transfer to West Rutland of two inmates suffering from tuberculosis had been unreasonably delayed; that certain inmates were found smoking in a wooden hay barn; that a notice of an unlawful pass system to Deer Island was issued last October; that an obscene picture was found in the large loafer hall; and that state officials had made repeated suggestions and recommendations to officials in charge of the Deer Island institution without effect; and

Whereas, Such charges so directly affect the very foundation of a department, which by the nature of its work should be above reproach, that their truth or falsity should be decided as soon as possible; and

Whereas, In the General Laws, chapter 34, section 4, the Mayor and City Council of Boston shall have the power and perform the duties of County Commissioners, and in General Laws, chapter 126, sections 1, 2 and 3, the County Commissioners shall be inspectors of prisons in their counties either by themselves or by a committee of two . . . ; be it

Resolved, That the County Commissioners be requested to make a complete investigation of

the charges published by the Commissioner of Corrections as affecting the administration of the House of Correction and of any other matters pertaining to the institution.

On motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, the preambles and resolution were referred to the Executive Committee.

CONFIRMATION OF EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

On motion of Coun. WALSH the Council took up the following, under unfinished business:

Actions on appointments submitted by the Mayor, November 10, 1924, viz.:

1. James F. Pettit, William Davis and David S. Winkler, to be Constables.

2. John E. Clark, to be a Weigher of Goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Walsh and Gilbody. Whole number of ballots 8; yeas 8, nays 0, and the appointments were confirmed.

INVITATION TO JOHN W. DAVIS.

On motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, the Council took the following from the table:

3. Resolved, That the Boston City Council extends to the Hon. John W. Davis of West Virginia a most cordial welcome on the occasion of his visit to the City of Boston, and pledges him its support as a candidate for President of the United States of America.

Resolution indefinitely postponed.

RECESS.

By direction of the President, the Council took a recess at 2.21 p. m., subject to the call of the Chair, and reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President DONOGHUE at 5.10 p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on the petition of Vivian F. Woodlock (referred today) for children under fifteen years of age to appear at Strand Ballroom on November 14, 1924—that permit be granted.

Report accepted; permit granted on usual conditions.

2. Report on communications from the Mayor (referred today) with attached request of Superintendent of Printing for additional appropriation of \$15,000 from income of said department, with order appropriating said sum from the income of said department—that the said order ought to pass.

Report accepted, said order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

3. Report on Mayor's communication (referred today) with orders making sundry transfers within appropriations—that the same be passed.

Report accepted, said order passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

4. Report on communication from the Mayor submitting report of the City Planning Board and the Park Commission with reference to acquiring certain property at Wellington Hill for park purposes, and recommending the adoption of an order appropriating \$18,000 to be expended by the Park Commissioners for purchase of said land and development for park purposes (referred October 6)—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted, said order read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Assigned for fourteen days for final action.

5. Report on preambles and resolutions relative to charges made against the administration of the House of Correction at Deer Island (referred today)—that the same ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the preambles and resolutions were passed, Coun. WATSON calling for the yeas and nays, yeas 5, nays 3:
Yeas—Coun. Gilbody, Healey, Lane, Purcell, Walsh—5.
Nays—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Watson—3.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. PURCELL, the Council refused a general reconsideration of all action taken today.

Adjourned at 5.14 p. m., on motion of Coun. WATSON, to meet on Monday, November 24, at 2 p. m.

RECEIPTS, FISCAL YEAR, 1923-24.

Total ordinary and extraordinary (less refunds of \$195,753) \$68,752,631.

Gross general income (including school revenue, \$507,766) \$55,288,368, of which \$44,541,900 was from property and poll taxes; \$790,029, repayment, in part, of assessment for Boston Elevated R'way deficit in 1919; \$3,540,790 from income tax (from State) and \$2,944,305 corporation and other taxes (from State, street railways, etc), or \$51,817,024 total tax receipts, which exceeds 1922 total by \$2,858,155; miscellaneous general income of departments, \$3,024,050; interest on overdue taxes and bank deposits, \$447,294.

Total Income of Water Service, \$3,910,736; other income credited to appropriations (including \$404,815 to Printing Dept.), \$571,217. Parkman Fund income transferred to ordinary, \$217,794.

Total ordinary income, \$59,792,433 (net).

Excess of actual ordinary income over estimated income remaining in Treasury at close of financial year ending Jan. 31, 1924, \$998,142, besides another excess for school purposes alone amounting to \$415,389.

In addition to this surplus at close of year, there were accounts receivable, *i. e.*, 1923 and prior uncollected taxes amounting to \$5,659,639.

Extraordinary receipts: From loans, \$7,190,000; Rapid Transit revenue, \$1,658,267; miscellaneous, \$112,002. Total, \$8,960,269. Balance from preceding year, \$4,234,728. Total available for extraordinary purposes, \$13,194,997.

Revenue credited to sinking funds (mostly street and sewer assessments) \$456,062; to trust funds, \$979,085.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEAT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments during December, 1924, as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 m., Friday, November 28, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(Nov. 22.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the City Council and approved by the Mayor November 18, 1924, I will sell at public auction, Monday, November 24, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m., upon the premises, Berry street, West Roxbury, southwest corner of Manning street, a parcel of land containing 5,262 square feet of land, more or less, subject to restrictions of record if any there be, at an upset price of two hundred dollars (\$200).

Terms: A deposit of \$100 will be required at time of sale, balance in thirty days. For further particulars inquire of

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
333 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
(Nov. 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN CHURCH STREET, GREATON ROAD, RUSSETT ROAD, THEODORE PARKER ROAD, WEST ROXBURY; DUXBURY ROAD, DORCHESTER, AND GLENCOE STREET, BRIGHTON.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 2,300 feet of 6-inch, 10-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Church street, Greaton road, Russett road, Theodore Parker road, West Roxbury; Duxbury road, Dorchester, and Glencoe street, Brighton. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of twenty-five hundred (2,500) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Church Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, November 28, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item, appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, November 20, 1924. (Nov. 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

Contractors are hereby notified that the opening of sealed proposals for erecting and completing an addition to the Frank V. Thompson Intermediate School, Maxwell and Selden streets, Dorchester, Boston, Mass., is hereby deferred and the day for opening of bids is extended to 12 o'clock m. of Friday, December 5, 1924, and all of the terms and the conditions contained in the notice of November 15, 1924, shall apply to this notice.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(Nov. 22.) *Commissioners.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GRAIN.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 m., Friday, November 28, 1924, for furnishing grain to the various city departments during the month of December, 1924. The bidder must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, to test 34 pounds or over and No. 2 clipped oats to test 36 to 38 pounds or over. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate check, without bid, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. No reservations or stipulations will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Nov. 22.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

TO BRICK MASONS.

The Trustees of the Boston City Hospital of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for repairs to brick settings of four (4) horizontal return tubular boilers at the Boston City Hospital, and giving bond of a surety company therefor in the sum of \$2,000. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, December 2, 1924, at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital with a certified check for \$200, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bids must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, before 12 o'clock noon on the date given above for receiving proposals. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

JOHN J. DOWLING,
(Nov. 22.) *Superintendent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING SNOW AND ICE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for removing snow and ice in the following snow districts, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, and giving bond therefor of a surety company, approved by the commissioner, in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars for each district, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Removing Snow and Ice," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, December 3, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars for each district, or three thousand (3,000) dollars for all the districts, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any district appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, November 20, 1924. (Nov. 22-29.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Boston City Hospital, dry goods as per proposals which may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read Monday, December 1, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Nov. 22.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING HULL, ETC., OF FERRY-BOAT "RALPH J. PALUMBO."

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing hull, etc., of ferryboat "Ralph J. Palumbo." A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of three thousand (3,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for ferryboat 'Ralph J. Palumbo,'" and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Monday, December 1, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor, previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, November 20, 1924. (Nov. 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the Board of Street Commissioners of the City of Boston, I will sell at public auction on Friday, November 28, 1924, at 2 o'clock p. m., and on December 2, 1924, at 2 o'clock p. m., the building, or part thereof, at the northwest corner of Court and Sudbury streets, and the buildings on Court and Cambridge streets, between Bulfinch street and Charles street, which stand upon or project onto land taken by the City of Boston for the widening of Court and Cambridge streets, under order of August 20, 1924. The purchasers of said buildings and the parts of said buildings projecting over the highways as above mentioned are forthwith to remove and cut off the same to the new lines of the highway as above mentioned, work to start immediately. Terms, cash at time of sale, and a bond must be furnished to the city to protect it from all damage caused by the demolishing of said buildings and work must be completed by December 29, 1924.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
333 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
Room 730. (Nov. 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

BUILDING LINES.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, November 13, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that in said city public convenience and necessity require that building lines be established on Beacon street, Boston proper district, between Massachusetts avenue and Charlesgate East; on the northerly side, substantially parallel with and distant approximately twenty (20) feet from the northerly exterior side line of said street, and on the southerly side, substantially parallel with and distant approximately ten (10) feet from the southerly exterior side line of said street; as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for the making of said improvement, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m., of November 26, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:
(Nov. 22.) JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.

NATIVES AND CITIZENS OF BOSTON AND VICINITY HONORED IN HALL OF FAME.

In the American Hall of Fame, New York City, dedicated in 1901, are inscribed on bronze tablets the names of 56 eminent men and 7 distinguished women deemed worthy of the highest honor on account of their services and attainments. Of the 63 individuals thus selected (up to 1920 inclusive) by an electorate of 100 leading Americans, 27 were natives or for some time citizens of Boston or vicinity. The names of the latter are as follows: Chosen in 1900—John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, William Ellery Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Daniel Webster, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Horace Mann, Nathaniel Hawthorne, George Peabody, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Joseph Story, Asa Gray, Gilbert Stuart—total, 13.

Chosen in 1905—John Quincy Adams, James Russell Lowell, John Greenleaf Whittier—total, 3.

Chosen, in 1910—Edgar Allan Poe, Oliver Wendell Holmes, George Bancroft, John Lothrop Motley, Phillips Brooks—total, 5.

Chosen in 1915—Louis Agassiz, Francis Parkman, Rufus Choate, Charlotte Cushman—total, 4.

Chosen in 1920—William Thomas Green Morton, Alice Freeman Palmer. Five additional names every fifth year are to be selected and inscribed until the year 2,000, when the 150 tablets in the colonnade will be complete.

If those who were natives or residents elsewhere in the State are added to the list, the following 7 names increase the total to 34 for Massachusetts or more than half the whole number, viz.: William Cullen Bryant, Jonathan Edwards, Mark Hopkins, Elias Howe, Eli Whitney, Maria Mitchell, Mary Lyon.

If all New England is included, 4 more names will bring up the total to 38 or 60.3 per cent of whole number chosen, viz.: Roger Williams, Henry Ward Beecher, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Emma Willard.

CITY CHARTER CHANGES.

In 1854, 1885 and 1900 important changes in the original City Charter of 1821 were effected for the purpose of improving the methods and efficiency of the City Government. The revision of 1854 (Chap. 448, Stat. 1854) referred to the voters for acceptance, gave the Mayor a qualified veto over the action of the City Council, also the power of removal of appointed officials, besides providing for his election by a plurality instead of a majority vote. The amendments of 1885 (Chap. 266, Stat. 1885) were not submitted to the voters for approval. They transferred all the executive powers to the Mayor, prohibiting the City Council from interference with the executive and administrative business of the City. This was done in order to end the inefficiency resulting from an excessive number of joint committees, a municipal development conforming to the traditions of the outgrown town government.

The amendments of 1909 (Chap. 486, Stat. 1909) cut down the number and powers of the legislative branch of the government to a minimum, the Board of Aldermen (13 members) and the Common Council (75 members) being

abolished. For these was substituted a single City Council of nine members to be elected at large for a 3-year term. The Mayor's position was further strengthened by giving him a 4-year term, subject to recall at end of two years, but requiring a majority of the registered voters to make the recall effective. The Mayor's power over appointments was no longer subject to check by aldermen but by a State board, the Civil Service Commission, and City elections were removed from all connection with national and State politics, no primaries nor caucuses being permitted, all candidates for office to be selected by means of nomination papers. The only question in this Act of 1909 which was submitted to the voters was contained in section 35, *i. e.*, whether Plan 1 or Plan 2 should be adopted, the first providing for a term of two years for Mayor and a City Council of 36 members to be chosen in primaries. Plan 2 was adopted by a majority of 3,894. Charter of 1909 amended later as follows: (1) By Chap. 437, Acts of 1910, exempting loans issued for Rapid Transit construction from the prohibition of the establishing of sinking funds, as contained in sec. 26. (2) Chap. 730, Acts of 1914, fixing date of annual municipal election on the sixth Tuesday after the state election instead of in the following January, as in sec. 32; changing the requirement as to signatures on nomination papers to 3,000 for Mayor and 2,000 for City Council and School Committee instead of 5,000 for all, as in sec. 53, also limiting the number of nomination papers issued to 300 for a candidate for Mayor and 200 for other candidates, referring to sec. 54. (3) Chap. 37, Special Acts of 1918, annulling the jurat at end of nomination papers. (4) Chap. 94, Special Acts of 1918, abolishing recall of Mayor, and making him ineligible for re-election, *i. e.*, establishing a single term of four years, but not prohibiting the election of any Mayor for other than consecutive terms. (5) Chap. 288, Acts of 1921, fixing date of the annual municipal election on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in December, also making slight changes as to nominations.

LIQUOR LICENSES AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

The national prohibition amendment (*i. e.*, the 18th) to the Constitution, having been ratified by 45 States and becoming effective on January 16, 1920, the legalized trade in intoxicating liquors ceased then. It was supposed to stop about 6 months sooner because of the Federal war regulation providing for prohibition on July 1, 1919, to be effective until the army could be demobilized. But as there was no Massachusetts law forbidding the issuing of licenses after July 1, the Boston Licensing Board issued 702 such for the remainder of the license year with the proviso that the license was no protection against violation of Federal law. After which licensees claimed the right to sell July 1, under Federal law, the only liquor was beer and ale containing not over 2.75 per cent of alcohol. Sales of these lighter beverages continued to October 28, 1919, when Congress enacted a law (Volstead Act) forbidding the sale of any liquor as a beverage containing more than 0.50 per cent alcohol. The validity of this act being widely questioned, the United States Supreme Court upheld it on Jan. 5, 1920, and again on

June 7, 1920. The result of this decision was that former applicants for liquor licenses did not apply for them in 1920. The Supreme Court of Mass. later in the year decided that the liquor laws of the State remain in force where not inconsistent with the Volstead Act. The Boston Board therefore issued 146 licenses to druggists and 17 4th-class, permitting sales for non-beverage purposes only. In 1921 there were issued 192 licenses to druggists, 15 4th-class and one 5th-class. On May 17, 1922, Chap. 427, Acts of 1922 (consisting of 27 sections) was approved, providing for the carrying into effect in Mass. of the 18th Federal (*i. e.*, prohibition) amendment. This law is subject to a referendum at State election on November 7, 1922.

By Chapter 392, Acts of 1922, the retailing of non-intoxicating beverages is subjected to license, with fee of not more than one dollar for each year ending April 30.

PUBLIC STREETS IN BOSTON.

Total length of the 2,447 paved (accepted) streets, February 1, 1922, 606.33 miles; total area, 11,459,009 square yards, or 8.47 per cent of the City's total land area. This is exclusive of the private streets (not accepted), numbering about 2,890. 366.10 miles, or 60.38 per cent, are paved with macadam (including 128.03 miles bituminous macadam); 105.66 miles with granite block; 45.50 miles with asphalt; 29.32 miles with gravel; 36.63 miles with asphalt concrete (17.55 m. being bitulithic and 13.71 m. Topeka); 11.69 miles with wood block; 5.42 miles with brick. Old macadam pavement is gradually being replaced with more satisfactory and durable kinds, such as bitulithic, concrete, granite block, etc., \$5,138,678 having been expended during the past four years in reconstructing and improving 313 miles of streets and parts of streets. Granolithic sidewalks laid in 1921, 97,049 square yards or about 21 miles, averaging 8 feet wide, 50 per cent of cost assessed on estates benefited.

New highway construction completed in period 1918-1921 includes 13 streets in Boston Proper; 34 in Dorchester; 37 in West Roxbury; 14 in Roxbury; 24 in Brighton; 6 in East Boston; 3 in Hyde Park; 4 in South Boston, and 1 in Charlestown, roadway pavement bitulithic, or asphalt surface on concrete, and bituminous macadam. Gross debt outstanding February 1, 1922, for all street construction, including damages, \$22,267,141 or \$925,700 more than in 1921, this increase due to new loan for Stuart St. construction.

SETTLEMENT OF BOSTON.

Boston was settled in the latter part of August, 1630, by Puritan colonists under Governor John Winthrop. The name of the original settlement was changed to Boston from Trimountaine by order of the Court of Assistants on September 7 (O. S.), 1630. This date was moved forward by the New Style calendar in 1752 to Sept. 17, the recognized date of the founding of Boston. The name, Trimountaine, had been given because of the three peaks of the most prominent hill, afterward called Beacon Hill, much higher than now. By the Indians the place was called Shawmut. The name, Boston, was derived from the English town of Boston in Lincolnshire, the home of some of the leading colonists and promoters of the enterprise.

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FANEUIL HALL, NOW MORE THAN EVER, IS THE PRIDE OF PATRIOTIC BOSTON.

RESTORATION AND RENOVATION BY MAYOR CURLEY AT \$200,000 MAKES OLD BUILDING TAKE ON NEW GLORY AND SPLENDOR.



RESTORED, SCOURED AND CLEANED, FANEUIL HALL SETS OFF DOCK SQUARE WITH ITS SPLENDOR — WORK COST \$200,000, BUT IS WORTH IT.

Photo by Boston Globe.

Faneuil Hall once again basks in pristine splendor, thanks to the fine patriotism of Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston, and his appreciation of things artistic. The building has been restored and all the patriotic societies that hold sessions there are loud in their praise of the work.

Scrubbed, scoured, chemically treated and restored, it is now even more the pride of Boston's market place. The bricks are back to their natural color and there is a new street canopy around the building.

The cost of restoration, which was

begun more than a year ago, was estimated then at more than \$200,000. A water curtain has been provided to protect the old edifice from outside fires. Beams of steel have been substituted for the old wooden ones which once held up the floors and the canopy of steel and glass around the building is supported by steel and concrete.

All the old paint has been scoured from the exterior and many old bricks have been replaced. The building was given a chemical bath with a colorless waterproofing material, which was absorbed by the bricks, for their preservation.

MAYOR SECURES NAVY YARD WORK FOR UNEMPLOYED.

THE SCOUT CRUISERS "DETROIT" AND "RALEIGH" PROMISED FOR RECONDITIONING, BEGINNING FIRST WEEK IN DECEMBER.

Mayor Curley, on November 26, received the following communications:
INFORMATION OFFICE, NAVY YARD, BOSTON.

Radio message received this morning, Wednesday, November 26, 9.10 a. m.

The following message has been received from Secretary of the Navy Wilbur:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

Referring to telegram November 24, Scout cruisers "Detroit" and "Raleigh" are due to arrive at Boston Navy Yard during the first week in December for extensive alterations. The possibility of work there in connection with repairs upon Shipping Board vessels is now being made the subject of inquiry by me.

CURTIS D. WILBUR,
Secretary of the Navy.

G. A. R. OFFICIALS THANK MAYOR CURLEY FOR AID IN SUCCESS OF NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Mayor Curley, on November 26, received the following communication from Florence Haynes, chairman of the Executive Committee of Arrangements for the National Convention of Women's Relief Corps for 1924:

BOSTON, November 26, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—As I am closing up my work as chairman of the Executive Committee of arrangements for the National Convention in Boston, I desire to express to you my personal appreciation of the many courtesies extended in your official capacity.

The room in City Hall, you tendered for our headquarters, which was used during the months of preparation, was of great assistance in expediting the work of the Executive Committee and of the various subcommittees.

The liberal contribution of \$2,000 and other gifts secured through your influence, your never-failing interest in promoting the success of our plans, the courteous assistance rendered at all times by your secretaries and other valuable aid given, will ever be gratefully remembered.

The visitors from other states were enthusiastic in their commendation of the hospitality extended during the week of August 10-16, and of the services of the able, eloquent and patriotic chief magistrate of Boston.

Yours sincerely,

FLORENCE HAYNES,
Chairman of Executive Committee.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday,
December 8, at 2 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department
are held on Monday and Thursday of
each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

MAYOR CURLEY CONDOLES WITH HARDING FAMILY ON DEATH OF FORMER PRESIDENT'S WIFE.

DR. GEORGE T. HARDING, Marion Ohio:

A sweet, kindly and noble woman has passed to her reward, Florence Kling Harding. No person exerted a finer or better influence upon the life of the city of Washington, both official and unofficial, and always for the best. Her private charities were beautiful in character and ever and always the service of a gracious and unselfish woman. There was never an appeal in behalf of a worthy or deserving cause placed at Mrs. Harding's door that proved unavailing, I sincerely mourn her death and pray you will accept an assurance of both my sympathy and condolence.

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 641.

The resignation of Patrolman James J. Costello of Division 14 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Thursday, November 20, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 642.

The resignation of Patrolman Laurence P. Cronin of Division 11 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Saturday, November 22, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 643.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Joseph A. Grimes of Division 12, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty on the charge and on the first and second specifications thereunder and not guilty on the third specification. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Joseph A. Grimes was on November 10, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on November 10, 1924, to the said Joseph A. Grimes.

On the eleventh day of November, 1924, the said Joseph A. Grimes requested by his attorney in writing a public hearing as provided by law, and the Police Commissioner set down Wednesday, November 19, 1924, at eleven o'clock a. m., at the office of the Police Commissioner, as the time and place for said hearing and duly notified the said Joseph A. Grimes.

The said Joseph A. Grimes was present at said time and place with counsel and was heard with his witnesses. Whereupon, after hearing the case, the Police Commissioner finds the said Joseph A. Grimes guilty on said charge and specifications and further finds that the said Joseph A. Grimes shall stand dismissed from the Police Department.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

URGES A METROPOLITAN BOSTON AND MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP OF STREET CAR SERVICE AS SOLUTION OF TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM.

MAYOR CURLEY SPOKE BEFORE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE IN BEHALF OF FIVE-CENT FARE AND COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL ADVANCEMENT.

Mayor Curley spoke strongly for a five-cent fare and a metropolitan Boston during executive session on Tuesday, November 25, by the special committee of the Legislature appointed to consider the finances of the Boston Elevated and the determination of plans for future operation, public ownership, etc.

The Mayor came out strongly for a 5-cent fare, the road to pass to municipal ownership, with cities and towns of the district served paying any deficit. Incidentally he said he would like to see a Greater Boston and enlarged on the possibilities, as he viewed them, of business and industrial advancement that would come if Boston should "take in" all cities and towns within ten or fifteen miles.

Mayor Curley caused a laugh by his reply to Representative Francis W. K. Smith of Somerville.

"Mr. Mayor," said Mr. Smith, "you said you were reasonably satisfied with the system of public trustees—"

"You have heard no doubt" continued Representative Smith, "the suggestion that the trustees be appointed by the Boston Chamber of Commerce. What do you say to that?"

"I say that the trustees should be appointed by the League of Women Voters." Hearty laughter filled the committee room at the Mayor's jest.

"Seriously speaking," the Mayor went on, "I believe that the five trustees should be appointed—two by the Mayor of Boston and three by the Governor as provided in the original bill."

In beginning his address to the committee Mayor Curley said he was inclined to believe the real solution was "ownership by the cities and towns served by the Elevated." This, with a minimum rate of fare and the deficit to be borne by additional tax levy would prove the one way out of the present difficulty, he declared.

He said that with the abandonment of 400 miles of street railway in Massachusetts and the establishment of a bus system, cities and towns must seriously

consider the matter. It is necessary in order to maintain high realty values and maintain business, he declared.

"I do not believe the cost should be borne by the car rider alone," said Mayor Curley. "Those who do not ride in trolleys must pay a proportionate share of the cost if we are to have an adequate street railway system. We can't go on with a prohibitive rate of fare."

"I would place the street railway service in the same category as education, water supply, public lighting and other services which the community must have and which benefits all the people."

"There should be some limitation as to wages paid. I mean we should not go on increasing the amount without regard to the burden to the car rider."

"If we had municipal ownership it would mean perhaps \$1 or \$1.50 more on the tax rate of the cities and towns served, but it would also mean increased car riding, a permanent guaranty of adequate street railway service. The cost should not be borne by the car rider alone, but by the entire community."

He expressed the belief a 5-cent fare would increase business and that the benefit would come not only to the car rider alone but to all the people.

"I should like to see a Greater Boston," said Mayor Curley. "I think we could get that if we got rid of the political bugaboo. I don't know who in the Republican party has the courage to go ahead but to my mind a Greater Boston would mean port development, a development of industrial life and many other tremendous advantages."

"What hope is there for Cambridge, for Chelsea, for Revere, for Malden, under the present conditions? They cannot lower their tax rates. This and other advantages would come if all cities and towns within ten or fifteen miles would become part of Boston."

"I would like to see Newton taken in and Brookline taken in. We have done much for Hyde Park and we could do much for these other places if they were to become a part of Boston."

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for repairs to brick settings to four boilers at the City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$2,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent, 818 Harrison avenue. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 2, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Advertises for proposals for repairing the hull of the ferryboat "Ralph J. Palumbo." Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$3,000. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$3,000, to be filed at the same office. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508 City Hall Annex, Boston. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 1, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Advertises for proposals for removing snow and ice in the various snow districts. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$1,000 for each district.

Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, December 3, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for newsprint paper in packages and in blocks for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposal may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, Business Agent, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 8, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing the City Hospital with dry goods. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 1, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing to the Boston City Hospital seventeen food containers. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, December 5, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing X-ray apparatus to the City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, December 5, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, November 27:

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium from November 12 up to and including November 22:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Beatrice Hurley, nurse, \$720 a year; Jean Carmichael, nurse, \$900 a year; Margaret Turney, assistant cook, \$480 a year; James O'Brien, choreman, \$600-\$660 a year; Arthur Ross, choreman (patient), \$360 a year; Elizabeth Linehan, Barbara Walsh, laundresses, \$480 a year; John Sundstrom, Joseph

Carney, Edward Brown, maid (patients), $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$240 a year; Mary Harrington, assistant bookkeeper and clerk, \$900 a year; Helen O'Brien, clerk, \$640 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium: Mary Conroy, laundress, \$480 a year; Doris Packard, A. Belle Morse, nurses, \$720 a year.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

John L. Callahan has been appointed permanent clerk at \$1,000 a year.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Carl Meyer has been continued in employment as a provisional assistant registrar, Republican, for a period of sixty days.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved the request of Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn to grant to the members of the department, who are on duty for 24 hours on Thanksgiving and Christmas, two hours off for a meal period. These meal periods will be arranged in such a manner that they will not interfere with the efficiency of the department.

John J. Coleman has been appointed a machinist at \$5.50 a day, six days a week. Hannah M. Bell, widow of Daniel I. Bell, a member of the Boston Fire Department, who died from injuries received in the performance of his duty, has been placed on the pension roll at \$600 a year.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Marcia S. Shohan has been given permanent appointment as dietitian at \$1,500 a year.

Antonio Cherichello has been given temporary employment from November 1 to December 19, inclusive, as a laborer in the new health unit in the North End, at \$4.50 a day.

Margaret N. Kenney has been appointed cleaner and matron in the Health Unit, at \$20 a week.

Adelaide A. Setti has been granted permanent appointment as a female stenographer, who can read, write and speak the Italian language, at \$1,200 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, November 20:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Dr. Edward T. Downey, assistant resident surgeon, \$2,000 a year; Dr. Thomas Kendrick, resident anæsthetist, \$1,200 a year; Caroline Hardy Stella Brown, Anna MacCormack, special-nurses, \$35 a week; Levin A. Waltz, temporary assistant superintendent, \$23 a week; John Dwyer, house cleaner, \$14 a week; Alice Taylor, Ellen Fullerton, cleaners, \$11.50 a week; Katherine Ryan, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; William D. Kendall, center orderly, \$11.50 a week; Nellie Condon, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Catherine Morgan, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; George Reiser, transfer porter, \$11 a week; Julia Sullivan, table girl, \$9.50 a week.

Temporary.—Mary Lucey, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

John Olsen, male nurse at \$23.06 to \$24.21 a week; Timothy Murphy, house cleaner at \$14 to temporary porter at \$18.50 a week; William Ayers, transfer porter at \$11 to night superintendent at

\$19.50 a week; Michael Flynn, general orderly at \$17 to executive assistant at \$19 a week; Agnes Marks, head nurse at \$19.56 to \$20.71 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Henry Quinn, parole agent in the Central Office, has been granted an extension of leave of absence for one month from November 11.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, November 20:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

George Everett, attendant, \$600 a year, temporary.

Eugene Kilduff, attendant, \$600 a year, temporary.

House of Correction.

Martin J. Lynch, officer, \$1,000 a year, new position.

Justin B. Lynch, officer-stonecutter, \$1,100 a year, to succeed Robert B. Lynch.

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

Fred J. Harrison, deckhand, \$27 a week, temporary.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Andrew J. Baker, engineer, transferred from fireman, \$1,600 a year, temporary.

Fred J. Harrison, fireman, \$1,000 a year, temporary.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Elizabeth E. Kelley, at present employed in the Institutions Department, City of Boston, has been named as a parole agent and visitor at \$1,600 a year.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

John R. Casey has been appointed chief engineer in the City Hall Annex Building for a period of two weeks beginning Monday, November 24, 1924, at \$45 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Thomas F. Reilly and William J. Brown have been continued in temporary employment as assistant drawtenders at \$1,600 a year for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

William J. Cadigan has been appointed permanent office boy at \$540 a year, effective November 28.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Louis T. Luzio, Manuel Crovo, John J. Monahan and John F. Riley have been granted a continuation of temporary employment as teamster-laborers at \$4.50 a day.

Francis K. Loonie, laborer, has been transferred from the Park Department to the Sanitary Service as teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day.

Thomas Gaffney has been promoted from blacksmith's helper at \$4.75 a day to blacksmith at \$5.50 a day, effective November 28.

James L. Carroll has been employed as temporary clerk at \$1,200 a year in the sanitary service for a period of three months, beginning November 25.

The following have been promoted from teamster-laborers at \$4.50 a day to inspector of sanitary at \$1,400 a year, to fill permanent vacancies, Edmund A. Connelly, Andrew P. McArdle, Michael T. Clougherty.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Lincoln L. Kenney has been employed as temporary rodman at \$18 a week for three months.

Matthew J. McGovern has been continued in employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year for three months, from November 19.

Henry Jennings has been continued in temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year for three months, from November 25.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

James C. Lonergan has been continued in temporary employment as laborer at \$4.50 a day for thirty days.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Joseph E. Murphy has been granted an extension of employment as provisional rodman at \$1,100 a year, for three months.

George F. Murphy has been granted an extension of employment as provisional draughtsman at \$1,400 a year, for three months.

William P. Sheehy has been appointed permanent engineer's assistant, Grade A, at \$1,400 a year.

James H. Mulvey has been appointed engineer's assistant, Grade A, at \$1,100 a year, for three months.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, October 30:

Edgar B. Coombs, assistant engineer, 4 days, \$26; Fred Sullivan, William Jennings, assistant engineers, 1 day each \$6.50; Thomas Melley, fireman, 2½ days, \$15; Daniel Sweeney, fireman, 1½ days, \$9; Michael Dolan, Florence McCarthy, firemen, 2½ days, \$15.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, November 20:

Main Department.

M. Donovan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$8.52; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; John Burns, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.93; Charles Doran, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$7.56; James O'Halloran, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$7.56; James Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3.

South Department.

Charles Daly, ambulance driver, 12 hours, \$7.56.
Total, \$50.86.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, November 20:

Albert Libbey, chauffeur, 1 day, \$5; Patrick Kiely, machinist, 1 day, \$5.50.
Total, \$10.50.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, November 13:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, Hugh McDonough, Arthur Moore, Henry J. Moylan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Fairview Cemetery.

Thomas Faherty, James Kingston, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.
Total, \$45.50.

For the week ending Thursday, November 20:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Bernard McCabe, laborers, \$4.50 a day each.

Fairview Cemetery.

James Kingston, laborer, \$4.50 a day.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, \$5 a day.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, November 27:

John Reynolds, engineer, \$70.01; Neil McSheffrey, fireman, \$43.88; John J. Walsh, elevatorman, \$24.46; Edward Roach, elevatorman, \$20.68; James Conlon, engineer, \$17.50; Thomas H. Joyce, engineer, \$2.50. Total, \$179.05.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 17:

Drawtender.—J. E. Murray, 1 day, \$5.20.

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. J. Crowley, L. A. Foley, 1 day, \$4.38 each.

Watchmen.—H. M. McLaughlin, J. McManus, 1 day, \$4.50 each.
Total, \$22.96.

For the week ending Monday, November 24:

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. B. Shea, W. F. Bragan, F. F. Morse, 1 day, \$4.38 each; W. F. Hanlon, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.19.

Watchman.—H. M. McLaughlin, 1 day, \$4.50.
Total, \$19.83.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 17:

Firemen.—A. Harrison, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9; August J. Sommers, $\frac{2}{3}$ day, \$2.25.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$4.13.

Quartermaster.—Joseph B. Nealon, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.25.

Total, \$17.63.
Net cost for the week ending November 17, 1924, \$8.51.

For the week ending Monday, November 24:

Firemen.—John J. Sullivan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9; August J. Sommers, $\frac{2}{3}$ day, \$2.25.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 2 days, \$11.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.06.

Gateman.—Edward L. Bonner, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.97.

Total, \$26.28.
Net cost for the week ending November 24, 1924, \$26.12.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 21:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, M. S. Ryan, J. J. Soillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—H. Applebaum, T. F. Carroll, J. J. Feeney, J. J. Fitzgerald, E. F. Gardner, P. G. Kelly, W. J. Martin, J. J. McEnrue, D. F. O'Neil, J. F. J. Richardson, W. E. Shallow, J. H. Reardon, J. J. Dwyer, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.13 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Fleming, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.50.

Laborers-Teamsters.—P. J. Connolly, M. J. Connors, C. B. Capillo, W. A. Crawford, M. Cronin, C. J. Crowley, D. J. Dalton, T. Dwyer, J. A. Foley, D. Gallagher, W. J. H. Green, G. Guiffredo, E. A. Kehoe, Leonard, D. McLaughlin, J. F. O'Brien, F. Ruggiero, J. P. Sullivan, C. E. Villello, W. S. McManus, J. Yankowsky, J. J. Smith, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38 each.

Total, \$123.55.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 24:

Sewer Cleaners.—James Clancy, Michael Foley, $6\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$32.50 each; Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 4 days, \$20 each; Michael Brady, 1 day, \$5; John Graham, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75.

Laborers.—Thomas Casey, 4 days, \$18; James McNabb, 3 days, \$13.50; Charles Stoll, Edward Flaherty, James Splaine, Joseph Fareto, Louis Brunetto, Joseph Clougherty, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; Daniel McKenna, Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4.50 each; James Barrett, John Waters, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38 each.

Chauffeurs.—Charles Caffrey, $6\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$32.50; James McCarthy, 3 days, \$15.

Total, \$249.01.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, November 24:

Teamsters.—M. J. O'Connell, G. McColgan, J. F. Barnes, J. W. Barnes, F. R. Beacon, M. Gilmartin, T. F. Graham, J. T. O'Leary, G. Keegan, M. T. Clougherty, J. F. Brown, G. Cappozza, M. Connolly, G. Corcoran, J. J. Daley, L. Davis, J. T. Delaney, W. P. Donnelly, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, W. McGlynn, W. T. Maloney, J. J. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.50 each.
Total, \$103.50.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, November 25:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burke, T. Norton, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50 each; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—T. Thureson, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.06; P. Donovan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75; J. Casey, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.34; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Lynch, $1\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.45; J. O'Hara, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75; H. Campbell, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.19; D. Burke, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.09; D. Hanlon, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.09; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; G. Cozza, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63; M. Daley, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.91; E. Sullivan $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.13; J. Leonard, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.38; S. Mariani, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.38; G. Goodwin, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; R. Doyle, $1\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$5.16; C. Magee, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.13; J. Blessington, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75; T. Byrnes, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.38; J.

Reilly, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.56; J. Gallagher, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; R. Bolster, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; J. McKenney, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.06; J. O'Brien, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; A. Rolfe, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.78; M. Callahan, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; W. Corbett, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.78; D. Crowley, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; H. Cauley, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.28; W. Shields, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$21.09; J. Felley, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.13; J. Cummings, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.19; J. McLean, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63; T. Magee, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$4.13; T. Rose, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.97; F. Caporizzo, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50; P. Coleman, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.57.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, J. M. O'Toole, E. Pine, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. Barron, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; W. Dolan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53; J. Durand, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.44; J. Sheehan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53; W. Whelton, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.06; T. Joyce, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.95; R. McDonough, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.17; J. Glennon, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; G. Waters, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.78; T. Higgins, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.22; M. Matthews, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; M. Rizzo, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.34; J. McLaughlin, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69.

Total, \$361.04; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$355.54.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 27 the Mayor approved a contract with the Federal Oil Company for furnishing gasoline to the various city departments for two months. Bids for the supply, opened November 14, were as follows:

No. 1, Approximately 39,500 Gallons.—Federal Oil Company, 3 cents per gallon less than current tank wagon price; James H. Hayes, 2 cents per gallon less than tank wagon price; the Texas Company, current price.

Boston City Hospital and Fire Department, No. 2, Approximately 35,500 gallons.—Federal Oil Company, $2\frac{1}{2}$ cents per gallon less than current tank wagon price; the Texas Company, current price.

Discount, Ten Days.—Federal Oil Company, 1 per cent; James H. Hayes, 2 per cent.

Upon November 27 the Mayor approved a contract with Arthur E. Dorr & Co. for furnishing turkeys to the various city departments for Thanksgiving. Bids for the supply, opened Friday, November 21, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

600 Pounds.—William A. Doe Company 37.8 cents per pound; J. F. Glynn & Co., 40 cents per pound; Batchelder & Snyder Company, 36.5 cents per pound; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., Inc., 38 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 38 cents per pound; F. H. Hosmer & Co., 35 cents per pound; medium turkey, 28 cents per pound, no check; no bid at auditor's office; Alley, Greene & Pipe Company, 39 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents per pound; not Texas turkeys but those from Minnesota or Kansas.

Hospital Department.

1,650 Pounds.—William A. Doe Company, 37.8 cents per pound; J. F. Glynn & Co., 40 cents per pound; Batchelder & Snyder Company, 36.5 cents per pound; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., Inc., 38 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company,

38 cents per pound; F. H. Hosmer & Co., 35 cents per pound; Alley, Greene & Pipe Company, 39½ cents per pound.

Institutions Department (Penal Division).

700 Pounds.—William A. Doe Company 37.8 cents per pound; J. F. Glynn & Co., 40 cents per pound; Batchelder & Snyder Company, 36.5 cents per pound; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., Inc., 38 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 38 cents per pound; F. H. Hosmer & Co., 35 cents per pound; Alley, Greene & Pipe Company, 39½ cents per pound.

Institutions Department (Infirmary Division).

1,200 Pounds.—William A. Doe Company, 37.8 cents per pound; J. F. Glynn & Co., 40 cents per pound; Batchelder & Snyder Company, 36.5 cents per pound; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., Inc., 38 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 38 cents per pound; F. H. Hosmer & Co., 35 cents per pound; Alley, Greene & Pipe Company, 39½ cents per pound.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

An addition, amounting to \$600, on contract with Edward J. Carnes Company for resetting draw track of Northern Avenue Bridge, on account of resetting landing blocks on Boston side and adjusting tower members. Original contract, \$6,450; total addition, \$600; contract as standing, \$7,050.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$250, on contract with M. H. Loonie for granite block pavement in Neponset avenue, on account of resetting edgestone; relaying artificial stone sidewalks; and barring out and relaying granite block. Original contract, \$14,650.06; total addition, \$250; contract as standing, \$14,900.06.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$250, on contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for laying high-pressure fire pipes in Hawkins, Bowker, Chardon and Kneeland streets, Atlantic avenue, South, Chatham, Commerce, Milk, Washington, Kilby, Doane, Broad, State, Hanover, India, North, Union, Sudbury, Customhouse, Kingston and Fleet streets, city proper, on account of relocating 1-inch service pipe and 4-inch house drain; cutting concrete roof of subway for relocation of low service duct line and cutting by acetylene torch and removing steam heating pipes. Original contract, \$216,472.50; total additions, \$9,800; contract as standing, \$226,272.50.

A deduction, amounting to \$390, on contract with A. Grande for laying and relaying water pipes in Claymoss road, Euston road, Ransom road, Brighton; Hollingsworth street, Dorchester, and Stratford street, West Roxbury, on account of omitting laying of approximately 650 linear feet of 8-inch pipe. Original contract, \$5,360; total deduction, \$390; contract as standing, \$4,970.

An addition, amounting to \$60, on contract with A. Grande for laying and relaying water pipes in Claymoss road, Euston road, Ransom road, Brighton;

Hollingsworth street, Dorchester, and Stratford street, West Roxbury, on account of salvaging old 8-inch pipe, relocating drain, and repairing service pipe leak. Original contract, \$5,360; total addition, \$60; total deduction, \$390; contract as standing, \$5,030.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

McDonald & Imhof have been allowed to deduct the allowance for finish hardware on their contract for the Roger Walcott District School, Section 12, page 94, as per architect's letter of November 12, 1924, the sum of \$3,000. Contract price, \$259,000; total additions, \$30; total deductions, \$4,800; amount of contract, \$254,230.

C. & R. Construction Company have been allowed \$60.50 for varnishing and placing an aniline ring on the floor of the kindergarten room of the Bennett District School, as per architect's letter of November 14, 1924. Contract price, \$204,167; total additions, \$60.50; total deductions, \$2,600; amount of contract, \$201,627.50.

Archdeacon & Sullivan have been allowed \$25.42 for additional charge for installing water supply in the Francis Parkman District School, as per architect's letter of November 19, 1924. Contract price, \$87,996; total additions, \$8,927.80; total deductions, \$800; amount of contract, \$98,123.80.

CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Martino DeMatteo has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for widening and resurfacing road in Franklin Park, Section 1, Blue Hill avenue to Valley Gate Triangle, signed September 17, 1924.

1. Excavate loam to the full depth varying from two (2) to two and one half (2½) feet where road is to be widened, also excavate loam from side hills adjacent to new road at corner of Glen Lane. Loam from side hills shall be deposited in piles if necessary until the area on which it is to be used has been graded, and is to be used for reloaming this area. For each additional cubic yard of loam excavated in excess of the amount called for in the contract the sum of \$1 (unit price per cubic yard for earth excavation of contract) will be added to contract price.

2. Excavate earth from corners adjacent to new road at Glen Lane and use excavated material for backfilling where loam is taken out at the road widening. All backfilled material shall be rolled in layers of not over twelve (12) inches in depth. For each cubic yard of earth excavation taken from side hills the sum of \$2.75 will be added to contract price. The quantity of earth excavation from side hills to be allowed shall be determined by measuring the space from which the material was originally excavated.

3. Excavate all boulders, stones in wall and ledge of one half (½) cubic yard or more on side hills adjacent to new road at corner of Glen Lane, all as directed by the engineer, and use for backfilling where loam is taken out at the road widening. Stones used in backfill shall be thoroughly imbedded in earth. For each cubic yard of rock excavation from side hills the sum of \$5 per cubic yard will be added to contract price. The quantity of rock excavation to be allowed shall be determined by measurement of space from which the rock has been excavated.

Estimate of Addition.

2,600 yards of loam excavation at \$1, \$2,600; 2,000 cubic yards of earth excavation from side hills at \$2.75, \$5,500; 100 cubic yards of rock excavation at \$5, \$500; total, \$8,600. Contract price, \$51,667.50 (estimated); addition as per this order, \$8,600 (estimated); contract as standing, \$60,267.50 (estimated).

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Thomas O'Connor & Co. have been allowed to amend their contract for the erection and completion of an elementary school in the Edmund P. Tileston District, Walk Hill street, Dorchester, by striking out the words and figures, "November 1, 1924," on page 25, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "January 1, 1925," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 25, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about March 1, 1924, and is to be completed on or before January 1, 1925."

Nichols-Egan Company have been allowed to amend their contract for the finish hardware, for an elementary school in the Bennett District, Faneuil and Oakland streets, Brighton, by striking out the words and figures, "March 30, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "November 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about February 4, 1924, and is to be completed on or before November 1, 1924."

Lamont Brothers Company have been allowed to amend their contract for moving five portables in various school districts in the City of Boston, striking out the words and figures, "May 12, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "May 31, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about March 24, 1924, and is to be completed on or before May 31, 1924."

Henry J. Lyons Company have been allowed to amend their contract for plumbing at the Dorchester High School in the Henry L. Pierce District, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester, by striking out the words and figures, "October 26, 1924," on page 26, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "March 1, 1925," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 26, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about March 26, 1923, and is to be completed on or before March 1, 1925."

Lynd-Farquhar Company have been allowed to amend their contract for furnishing and installing metal working machinery in the Grant School, Wendell Phillips District, by striking out the words and figures, "August 1, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "September 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 1, 1924, and is to be completed on or before September 1, 1924."

A. Piotti Company has been allowed to amend its contract for the restoration of Faneuil Hall by changing the date of completion as appears on page 26 of the contract to read "February 15, 1925," instead of "October 3, 1924."

Michael Seretto has been allowed to amend his contract for erecting and completing, including plumbing, heating,

ventilating and electric work, of Police Station No. 2 building at the corner of Milk and Sears streets, Boston, Mass., by striking out on page 25 thereof, where the marginal notation reads "Completion," the following: "The work is to be commenced on or about February 1, 1923, and is to be completed on or before June 1, 1924," and substituting therefor the following: "The work is to be commenced on or about February 1, 1923, and is to be completed on or before December 31, 1924."

MAYOR CURLEY SECURES WORK FOR CHARLESTOWN NAVY YARD.

November 20, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR MAYOR CURLEY,—Your recent despatch to the President in regard to the unemployment situation in Massachusetts has been referred to this department for consideration. In regard to this matter, I have the honor to inform you that the Navy Department has had under serious consideration the labor situation at the Boston yard.

In a recent visit to Boston, a conference was held by me with the master mechanics of the navy yard at that place. Upon my return to Washington, a conference was held with the chief of naval operations and the chiefs of the various bureaus in an earnest effort to prevent discharges as far as practicable.

The manager of the navy yard, Boston, was called to Washington in conference, and plans were drawn up whereby the Scout Cruisers "Detroit" and "Raleigh" will be sent to the navy yard, Boston, for extensive alterations during the month of December and January. Due to these plans, it was unnecessary to discharge many workmen, but some furloughs were obligatory. Private advices received from Boston indicate that some of the men that had been furloughed are now being recalled for shop work, which can be undertaken prior to the arrival of the scout cruisers.

As you no doubt realize, the completion of the "Whitney" and the failure of passage of the Deficiency Bill by the last Congress have produced a rather serious situation as regards funds for the Navy Yard, Boston.

I wish to assure you that every effect will be taken by this department to effect a solution of the serious problem outlined in your telegram.

Sincerely yours,

CURTIS D. WILBUR,
Secretary of the Navy.

To this the Mayor replied, sending the following telegram asking that the time be moved up in order to aid the City's unemployed:

HON. CURTIS D. WILBUR, Secretary of the Navy, Washington, D. C.

Acknowledging receipt of your letter of November 20, with reference to Boston Navy Yard, beg to say the immediate assignment for extensive alterations of the scout cruisers "Detroit" and "Raleigh" would be of great benefit in relieving present unemployment situation, provided the time of assignment of the cruisers might be advanced from December and January to the first week in December at the latest. Trust that this will be possible and in addition that the Boston Navy Yard may be favored with the reconditioning of some of the Shipping Board Fleet.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

ASSESSMENTS LEVIED.

In the matter of the applications for revision of assessments levied on account of the construction of sewerage works the Board of Street Commissioners acting under the provisions of chapter 359 of the Acts of the year 1896, and deeming it just and proper that such action should be taken upon said applications,

Ordered, That the amounts herein-after specified, being the annual apportionments of said assessments for the year specified below, be and the same are hereby abated.

	Amount.
Katherine P. Laffy, 1924 apportionment, Plan 13, 1921, lot 28, Seminole street, December 30, 1921.....	\$3 96
Katherine P. Laffy, 1924 apportionment, Plan 13, 1921, lot 29, Seminole street, December 30, 1921.....	3 96
Michael Dervan heirs or devisees, 1924 apportionment, Plan 14, 1915, lot 16, Baker street, February 15, 1917.....	24 43
Alice E. Cunningham, 1924 apportionment, Plan 52, 1915, lot 41, Brookford street, June 4, 1917.....	6 50
Lucy E. Davis, 1924 apportionment, Plan 16, 1914, lot 7, Puritan avenue, April 18, 1916.....	14 05
Lucy E. Davis, 1924 apportionment, Plan 16, 1914, lot 8, Puritan avenue, April 18, 1916.....	6 72
James A. Whitehead, 1924 apportionment, Plan 13, 1915, lot 28, Roseberry road, March 1, 1917.....	9 28
James A. Whitehead, Martha Waugh, 1924 apportionment, Plan 13, 1915, lot 29, Roseberry road, March 1, 1917.....	9 28
Ellen M. Gavin, 1924 apportionment, Plan 24, 1914, lot 4, Hollingsworth street, May 16, 1916.....	6 72
Zoe O'Brien, 1924 apportionment, Plan 14, 1916, lot 2, Oakland street, February 27, 1918.....	12 00
Delia L. Haney, Louis Thorp, 1924 apportionment, Plan 49, 1917, lot 17, Grover street, September 26, 1919.....	9 92
Moody Land Trust, Henry S. Moody, trustee, Louis E. Byer, 1924 apportionment, Plan 24, 1922, lot 12, Roanoke road, March 26, 1923.....	4 82
Moody Land Trust, Henry S. Moody, trustee, Louis E. Byer, 1924 apportionment, Plan 24, 1922, lot 13, Roanoke road, March 26, 1923.....	4 82

MAYOR APPROVES OF ADDITIONAL WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner as indicated in the following letter.

BOSTON, November 14, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Attached please find letter from Division Engineer John E. Carty relative to the work to be done at the north drop, North Ferry, by the Murray Engineering Company, in connection with which your Honor approved the expenditure of \$3,000 on August 11, 1924.

As the work to be done under this authority progressed, it was discovered that much additional work on the drop was necessary, and for this reason your permission is respectfully requested to the expenditure of \$5,163.76 in addition to the \$3,000 which was authorized by your Honor upon August 11.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

BOSTON, November 12, 1924.

To the Commissioner of Public Works.

On August 8, 1924, authority from the Mayor was requested and obtained to repair woodwork and ironwork, etc., at north drop, North Ferry, Boston; work to be done by the Murray Engineering Company; the estimated cost being given as \$3,000.

This work was of an emergency nature and required attention at once. It was due to collision of a ferryboat with the

drop and it was impossible at the time to tell how much work would have to be done.

As the timbers were taken out it was discovered that there was a considerable amount of timber broken in back that could not be seen at the start and that there was also a very large amount of rotten timber which would have to be replaced in order to make a proper and safe job, with the result that the cost ran up much higher than was anticipated in the first place.

The Murray Engineering Company was well qualified to do the work, being located adjacent to the North Ferry and having competent machinists, machine tools and considerable equipment necessary for this particular job, on account of the size and weight of the timbers required.

The job was well done, the cost being about \$9,000. I respectfully request that the Mayor's approval be asked for on the additional expenditure.

Very truly yours,

JOHN E. CARTY,
Division Engineer.

MAYOR IS THANKED FOR FLOWERS SENT TO VETERANS AT WEST ROXBURY HOSPITAL.

The following communication was received from Huldah Salter, in charge of recreation for the American Red Cross, at U. S. Veterans' Hospital, 44, West Roxbury:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston,

MY DEAR MAYOR CURLEY,—I wish we could adequately express to you our delight and appreciation in your beautiful gift, which arrived last night, just in time for our weekly dance.

By general consent of various members of the hospital, staff and patients, the flowers were put on the stage in the Recreation House during the dance, and sent to Ward A and Ward B afterwards, where the patients are revelling in their fragrance and beauty. They made our little dancing party very delightful indeed, and our guests were able to enjoy and appreciate as well your kind thought of us.

The patients and personnel of No. 44 wish me to extend their deepfelt thanks, and to offer their congratulations for your birthday.

Sincerely yours,

HULDAH SALTER,
In Charge of Recreation.

BUILDING RAZED.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Building Commissioner to take down the building on premises 60 and 62 Middlesex street, Ward 6.

The owner, Mary L. Sullivan, care of Charles L. Sullivan of 15 Park lane, Jamaica Plain, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building, but they neglect to remove the cause of complaint. The building is in such a condition as to constitute a fire menace and a nuisance.

Approval to vacate the premises in accordance with the provisions of section 4, chapter 550, Acts of 1907, as amended was also granted.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority to widen and construct Bath street at easterly corner of Post Office square, city proper, with division forces, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$1,000.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 20 TO NOVEMBER 26.

NOVEMBER 20.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Commonwealth avenue, Realty Company.	20A Colon street	25	First-class garage	\$10,000
Vistar Waitaitis.	Rear of 1322 Columbia road	10	First-class garage	1,800
Edward Dale.	3 Hunter street	21	First-class garage	3,200
A. Wolfson.	313 Summit avenue	25	Second-class apartments	40,000
A. Wolfson.	317 Summit avenue	25	Second-class apartments	40,000
C. E. Telfer.	24A Baker avenue	17	Second-class garage	1,000
C. E. Telfer.	24B Baker avenue	17	Second-class garage	1,000
Frost Coal Company.	478 Neponset avenue	20	Second-class offices	18,000
Arthur F. Wood.	289 Vermont street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,500
F. L. Churchill.	Rear of 40 Rockwell street	21	Third-class garage	800
W. H. Hardy.	5 Fox street	18	Third-class dwelling	14,000
W. H. Hardy.	51 Adams street	18	Third-class dwelling	14,000
W. H. Hardy.	53 Adams street	18	Third-class dwelling	14,000
Suburb Realty Company.	107 Groaton road	23	Third-class dwelling	6,000
Suburb Realty Company.	111 Groaton road	23	Third-class dwelling	6,000
Suburb Realty Company.	115 Groaton road	23	Third-class dwelling	6,000
F. M. Gilliland.	43 Sheffield road	23	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Frank J. Perry.	168 Newburg street	23	Third-class garage	275
A. B. Higgins.	20 Freeland street	21	Third-class dwelling	7,500
Haffenreffer Company.	35 Germania street	22	Third-class shed	8,000
John T. Hosford.	568 La Grange street	23	Third-class dwelling	9,900
John T. Hosford.	629 La Grange street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,600
W. K. Beardsley.	681 West Roxbury Parkway	23	Third-class dwelling	8,000
Ida Alamansky.	31 Westmore road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Ida Alamansky.	33 Westmore road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
J. E. Gaskin.	200 Stuart street	8	Alterations, offices	210
M. D. Bell.	425 Seaver street	19	Alterations, dwelling	250
Doctor Manary.	143 Emerson street	10	Alterations, stores and shop	1,300
Joseph Taschetti.	14 Hanover street	5	Alterations, dwelling	180
Mrs. A. G. Sullivan.	53 Bailey street	21	Alterations, dwelling	200
Joseph Dimare.	101 West Broadway	9	Alterations, store and dwelling	400
Charles Sharpe et al.	40 Victory road	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
C. E. Osgood Company.	744-750 Washington street	5	Alterations, store	300,000
J. Talinsky.	125 and 127 Leverett street	5	Erect fire escape	150
H. Goldman.	8 Troy street	6	Install elevator	3,500
Bailey & Jenkins.	79 Sudbury street	5	Alterations, elevator	1,000
Max Cutler.	72 Merrimac street	5	Take-down, dwelling	75
American Building Wrecking Company.	35 Athens street	9	Take-down, dwelling	125
American Building Wrecking Company.	36 and 38 West Broadway	9	Take-down, dwelling	100
American Building Wrecking Company.	40 and 42 West Broadway	9	Take-down, dwelling	100

NOVEMBER 21.

Margaret M. O Connor.	694 East Fifth street	10	First-class garage	\$2,000
Luigi DiFiore.	208 Marginal street	2	First-class store	700
C. L. Hanley.	Rear of 16 Harvest street	11	First-class garage	1,000
Diamond Realty Company.	Rear of 953 and 955 Morton street	21	First-class garage	900
Angelo Lucchi.	Rear of 132 George street	12	First-class garage	2,000
Frank S. McAlister.	Rear of 3 Sunderland street	16	First-class garage	1,000
Talitha Cumi Maternity Home.	Rear of 215 Forest Hills st.	22	Third-class garage	600
A. A. Voyer.	Rear of 56 Temple street	21	Third-class garage	600
Charles F. A. Masuret.	Rear of 441 Ashmont street	20	Third-class garage	600
G. L. Bong.	Rear of 20 Richards street	26	Third-class garage	600
George J. C. Adami.	35 Liszt street	23	Third-class dwelling	4,500
Harry Gretskey.	48 Ellington street	19	Third-class tenements	12,000
Waldo Brothers and Bond Company.	200-204 Southampton street	9	Alterations, office and warehouse	3,000
Louis Pinansky.	54 Walnut avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
M. A. Brown.	326 Beacon street	8	Alterations, garage	250
Morris Goldberg.	172 Newbury street	8	Alterations, stores and dwelling	3,000
Josephine E. Adams.	7 Beethoven street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Josephine E. Adams.	9 Beethoven street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Mrs. Mary Lang.	55 Oak Square avenue	26	Alterations, garage	600

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Mary Clarke.	Rear of 62 Alexander street	17	First-class garage	\$2,000
William Shaw.	88B Stoughton street	17	First-class garage	1,000
Charles Dierksman.	Rear of 8 Summer street	11	First-class garage	1,000
Chelmsford Company.	117 Heath street	14	Second-class storage	35,000
Julius K. Pahlmke.	Rear of 487 Quincy street	18	Second-class garage	1,200
Trustees Daniel Dorchester M. E. Church.	Rear of 132 Clement avenue	23	Third-class garage	205
John O. Toole.	50 Hobart street	26	Third-class dwelling	9,000
A. H. Copley.	1136 Washington street	21	Third-class office	380
Mary I. Keith et al.	63 Larch street	25	Alterations, dwelling	300
Harris Goldman.	377 Harrison avenue	6	Alterations, stores and apartment	50
Rebecca Turchon.	720 Shawmut avenue	13	Alterations, stores and apartment	6,000
A. W. Perry.	558 Washington street	5	Install elevator	2,500
Joseph G. Colcord.	169 and 171 Warren avenue	7	Erect fire escapes	275
W. Jones.	31 and 33 Hammond street	13	Erect fire escapes	40
Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Company.	154 and 156 West Newton street	7	Erect fire escapes	240
Bartlett & Allen trustees.	1 Concord place	7	Erect fire escapes	200
Bartlett & Allen trustees.	2 and 3 Concord place	7	Erect fire escapes	20
Bartlett & Allen trustees.	405 Concord place	7	Erect fire escapes	200
Bartlett & Allen trustees.	109 and 111 Worcester street	7	Erect fire escapes	200
Bartlett & Allen trustees.	113 and 115 Worcester street	7	Erect fire escapes	200
Bartlett & Allen trustees.	117 Worcester street	7	Erect fire escapes	200
City Building Wrecking Company.	102-108 Court street	5	Take down, stores and offices	500
American Building Wrecking Company.	118-122 Cambridge street	5	Take-down, dwelling	150

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon the recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Pearl Boodman in the sum of \$300, as compensation for personal injuries caused by depression in crosswalk at 38 Spring street, city.

Annette S. Hill, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for damage to property by collapse of boiler at 107 Charles street, June 25, 1924.

John F. Toomey, 12 Prospect street, Charlestown in the sum of \$74.18, as compensation for wages withheld while in the employ of the city.

William A. Donnellan in the sum of \$50, as compensation for injuries received because of defect in pier at Headhouse Pier, South Boston, May 13, 1924.

Dora Wolfer, 106 Devon street, Roxbury in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries received March 29, 1924, on Blue Hill avenue.

Eleanor E. O'Brien, 17 Bennett street, Brighton in the sum of \$28.83, as compensation for damage to automobile by defective condition of highway on Seaver street, near Columbia road, June 22, 1924.

Mary O'Brien et al., 38 Cortes street, Boston, in the sum of \$75, as compensation for damage to property 11A Melrose street, July 25, 1923, by bursting of water main.

William H. McNulty, 159 Washington street, Boston, in the sum of \$25, as compensation for damage to property by obstruction on crossing at 895-901 Huntington avenue, April 16, 1924.

Patrick Hastings, 28 Common street, Boston, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for injuries on Kirkland street, March 12, 1924.

F. Hecht & Co., 64 South street, Boston, in the sum of \$43.99, as compensation for damage to property 71 South street caused by break in water pipe, March 26, 1924.

Rose F. Healy, 52 Brookdale street, Roslindale, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for injuries received on Brookdale street, March 4, 1924.

Eastern Electric Supply Company, 114 Portland street, Boston, in the sum of \$25, as compensation for damage to merchandise by broken water pipe, August 8, 1924.

Israel Balis, 29 Genesee street, Boston, in the sum of \$40, as compensation for damage to property 36 Seneca street.

William B. Burns, 1745 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of \$99.90, as compensation for damage to property 1745 Dorchester avenue, by overflow of water, July 22-24, 1923.

J. B. Cherry Company, 101 Shawmut avenue, in the sum of \$10.50, as compensation for damage to window broken by city employees while working on water hydrant, July 5, 1924.

Mrs. Grace Domenico, 606 Washington avenue, Chelsea, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for injuries received November 12, 1923, by fall on Easton street, due to hole in sidewalk.

Walter L. Dooley, 58 Rosemont road, Dorchester, in the sum of \$58.88, as compensation for damage to property by hole in road in front of 83 Morton street Forest Hills, June 22, 1924.

William J. Donnelly, 16 Terrace street, Roxbury in the sum of \$150, as compensation for damage to property by fire at 22 Smith street, as fireman were unable to secure water, May 29, 1923.

Ernest Pearson, 3 Savoy street, Boston in the sum of \$4.73, as refund on 43 unused ash tickets.

Eva Silverman, 135 Harold street, Roxbury in the sum of \$125, as compensation for personal injuries received July 17, 1924, by depression in sidewalk on Harold street.

Patrick Callan, 9 Thompson street, Hyde Park in the sum of \$150, as compensation for damage to property caused by the clogging of sewer by the roots of a tree at 9 Thompson street, Hyde Park.

Nellie Kerrigan, 16 Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries received May 30, 1924, by defective highway on Huntington avenue, opposite the House of the Good Shephard.

United States Post Office in the sum of \$312.50 for damage to property at South Postal Station by break in water main, South street, October 5, 1923.

Frank J. Powers, 317 Broadway, South Boston in the sum of \$10 as compensation for loss of clothing at the Boston City Hospital on March 18, 1924.

Lawrence Norfitt, 105 Broadway, Chelsea, in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries received August 6, 1924, on the East Boston Ferry

Angine Pesaturo in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a collision of boat with slip, on March 6, 1922.

John H. Norton, in the sum of \$25, as compensation for damage to clothing while assisting a police officer to the hospital after being run down by a city automobile on June 10, 1924.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Michael Mulhern, 021-03 Brighton avenue, Ward 25, acetvlene and oxygen.

White & McClure, 276 Washington street, Ward 25, oxygen and acetvlene.

John A. DeVito Company, 133 Halleck street, Ward 14, 1,000 gallons of gas.

Agnes E. Rowlands, 5277 Washington street, Ward 23, group garage, eight units.

Rose Bank, 41 Vassar street, Ward 19, four cars.

Diamond Realty Company, 4 Lorna road, Ward 21, four cars.

Edison Company, Parker street, Ward 14, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Company, Walk Hill street, Ward 22, erect and remove one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Washington street, Ward 26, transfer one pole.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Turner street, Ward 26, erect thirteen poles.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Agnes avenue, between River street and a point 233 feet southerly in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of \$1,500.

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Wood avenue, between Rutledge road and a point 110 feet northeasterly in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of \$1,100.

A sanitary sewer and surface drain of 10-inch earthen pipe in Foster street between Radnor road and a point 829 feet northeasterly in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of \$6,000.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 20 TO NOVEMBER 26.

NOVEMBER 24.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. F. Barrett	30 Rosemont road, southwest	20	First-class garage.....	\$600
M. Tomkin	Rear of 16 Roxton street...	19	First-class garage.....	1,500
Gulf Refining Company	195 Market street.....	26	Second-class office.....	4,000
Cesario Martorell	Rear of 4121 Washington st.,	22	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Stanley Blumstrup	502 Western avenue.....	26	Second-class store.....	3,500
William Carp et al.	60 Normandy street (1)....	18	First-class garage.....	6,000
Lincoln H. Young	549 D street.....	9	Special office.....	500
Mrs. Hannah T. Kelly	Rear of 17 Eaton street....	20	Third-class garage.....	500
Mrs. Lena Ferrarone	Rear of 52 Lochstead avenue,	22	Third-class garage.....	850
Eva M. Peach	Rear of 88 Montclair ave.,	23	Third-class garage.....	600
G. Bloomquist	Rear of 3 Edith street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
Suburb Realty Company	Rear of 9 Hobson street....	23	Third-class garage.....	600
J. W. Edwards	Rear of 16 Hobson street....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
John Melver	146 Blake street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Mary Connolly	7 Bobolink street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	3,000
Boston Dwelling House Company.	90 Bourne street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Margaret G. Fraser	121 Redlands road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
John T. Hosford	614 La Grange street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,500
Alexander Shapiro	38 Wayne street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,500
Walter L. Homes	42 Bloomfield street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
John Piscopo	42 Butler avenue.....	1	Alterations, store and dwelling.	2,000
Bailey's Candy Store.....	50 Congress street.....	5	Alterations, store.....	3,000

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Charles E. Moor	Rear of 18 Ashford street...	25	First-class garage.....	\$1,200
Amiello Pasquale	Rear of 19 Dacia street....	17	First-class garage.....	1,900
E. J. Maguire	Rear of 5 Highland street...	17	Second-class garage.....	925
Frances S. Hendeling	Rear of 47 Walk Hill street,	22	First-class garage.....	1,000
Delia L. McCormick	Rear of 49 Walk Hill street,	22	First-class garage.....	1,000
Pelligrino Tullineri	Rear of 411 Seaver street....	19	First-class garage.....	600
Louis Trilling	Rear of 76 Georgia street....	16	Second-class garage.....	1,300
Metropolitan Filling Station, Inc.	Rear of 191 Bowdoin street,	18	Second-class filling station...	1,500
Robert Murray	Rear of 35 Newton street....	26	Special garage.....	200
B. J. Sullivan	Rear of 4 Monadnock street,	17	Special garage.....	350
Estate of Lotta Crabtree	617 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, theater.....	350
Isaac Golden	119 London street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Mary T. Silva	181 Bennington street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
Meta Elizabeth Kihlgren	593 Cambridge street.....	25	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Vincent Pepi	16 Abbotsford street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Bessie Spector	819 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, store and storage,	8,500
Bessie Spector	825 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, store.....	1,500
Nunn-Bush Shoe Company..	21 School street.....	5	Alterations, store.....	350
Central Building Wrecking Company.	110 Court street.....	5	Take-down, shops.....	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.	114 Court street.....	5	Take-down, stores and lofts..	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.	118 Court street.....	5	Take-down, shops.....	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.	122 Court street.....	5	Take-down, stores and lofts..	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.	136-144 Court street.....	5	Take-down, shops.....	3,000
Mexican Petroleum Corporation.	1337 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	Take-down, store.....	25

NOVEMBER 26.

John J. Thomas	Rear of 22 Upton street....	6	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
M. A. Christiens	Rear of 139 and 141 Willow street.	23	First-class garage.....	900
James Kerrigan	Rear of 5 Woodward Park street.	17	First-class garage.....	900
William I. Schill	11 Lansing street.....	16	First-class garage.....	40,000
Joseph Newnam	51-65 Kilmarnock street....	8	Second-class stores.....	20,000
John Rakowski	54 Rosewood street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
E. Boucher	209 Beech street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Perry Koskoris	18 and 20 Greenleaf street..	7	Erect fire escape.....	100
Mrs. Safford	89 Pinckney street.....	8	Install elevator.....	3,200
St. Elizabeth Hospital	736 Cambridge street.....	25	Install elevator.....	1,324
L. V. Niles	148 Blackstone street.....	5	Install elevator.....	2,000
C. Corinda	21 Whitby street.....	1	Alterations, dwelling.....	40
John DeVito	127 Halleck street.....	14	Alterations, brewery.....	300
R. S. & C. R. Codman	560 and 562 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Alterations, fire sales.....	1,500
Roman Catholic Archbishop,	20 Thorndike street, corner Read street.	12	Alterations, factory.....	25,600
E. L. Armstrong	42 Selwyn street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Hawes Fund	1913 and 1915 Washington street.	23	Alterations, lodging.....	2,000
A. W. Perry	12 Pearl street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	1,000
A. M. Wolfman	1485 Washington street....	6	Alterations, dwelling and store.	1,000
R. R. McNutt Corporation..	88 Sawyer street.....	13	Take-down.....	

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Patrick J. Duffy has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Evergreen, St. Rose, Morton, etc., streets. Items ordered: Remove tree on Birch street as directed. Price to be paid the sum of two hundred (200) dollars. Estimated cost of extra work, \$200.

ADDITIONAL WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Warren Brothers Company have been ordered to do the following additional work on contract for bitulithic pavement on Fenway, etc. Bar out paving blocks of gutters of Circuit drive, Franklin Park, where directed by the engineer, to be used on the Arborway as granite block paving. Estimated cost of this work, \$120.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 20 TO NOVEMBER 26.

NOVEMBER 20.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
G. C. Watts Company.....	3 Waverly street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$350
Alton L. Clark.....	38-44 North street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
S. Tack.....	50 Metropolitan avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	850
E. P. Fuller.....	64 Goodenough street.....	26	New fixtures.....	1,200
Powers & Mehegan.....	62 Fairmount street.....	21	New fixtures.....	900
James A. Cotter.....	533 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	450
B. F. Donohoe.....	7 Hudson street.....	5	New fixtures.....	900

NOVEMBER 21.

E. F. Cassedy.....	263 West Newton street.....	7	New fixtures.....	\$125
Philip Ligums.....	51 Tufts street.....	4	New fixtures.....	800
Philip Ligums.....	34 Princeton street.....	4	New fixtures.....	800
M. H. Myers.....	65 Popla. street.....	5	New fixtures.....	500
David Pike.....	7 Miller street.....	3	New fixtures.....	105
Robert J. Lyttle.....	451A Stuart street.....	7	New fixtures.....	100
Edward H. Marchant.....	14 Allston street.....	3	New fixtures.....	350
Joseph H. Schlichte.....	40 Bourne street.....	24	New fixtures.....	515
A. D. Meltzer.....	1157 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	2,500
E. M. Duggan.....	118 Bradlee street.....	24	New fixtures.....	200

NOVEMBER 22.

John J. Vogel.....	26 Middleton street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$1,100
James A. Kent.....	11 Hobson street.....	23	New fixtures.....	450
James A. Dickerson.....	97 Camden street.....	13	New fixtures.....	900
David Weinstein.....	52 Westmore road.....	21	New fixtures.....	800
David Weinstein.....	54 Westmore road.....	21	New fixtures.....	800
David Weinstein.....	56 Westmore road.....	21	New fixtures.....	800
D. J. Farrell.....	122 Melville avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	225
Joseph Locke.....	3 Jones avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,300
William H. Mitchell & Son Company.....	11 Louisburg square.....	8	New fixtures.....	300

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John W. Slane.....	1 W.ight road.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$450
D. E. Mulcahy.....	21 Shepard street.....	25	New fixtures.....	425
Charles King.....	83 Paris street.....	2	New fixtures.....	500
A. J. Hughes.....	52 Metropolitan avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	800
William F. McAuliffe.....	158 Emerson street.....	10	New fixtures.....	1,900
John S. MacCallum.....	41 Crescent circuit.....	25	New fixtures.....	500
Edward J. McGiath.....	31 Claymoss road.....	25	New fixtures.....	450
E. J. Cassedy.....	24-46 Broad street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,800
James A. Dicherson.....	409 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	300
A. J. Cooper & Son Company.....	170 Neponset avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	87

NOVEMBER 25.

John E. McCurdy.....	31 Westmore road.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$900
L. W. Stevens.....	36 Westmore road.....	21	New fixtures.....	700
George F. Carruthers.....	37 Bayswater street.....	1	New fixtures.....	1,600
Charles Lang.....	90 Bourne street.....	24	New fixtures.....	485
John C. Kelley Estate.....	951 Boylston street.....	8	New fixtures.....	498
Ralph F. Norwood.....	81 Brayton road.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,100
M. Riceman.....	410 East Third street.....	9	New fixtures.....	450
Joseph Seigel.....	10 Elizabeth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	4,500
Joseph Seigel.....	14 Elizabeth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	4,500
Joseph Seigel.....	18 Elizabeth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	4,500
Joseph Seigel.....	22 Elizabeth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	4,500
John J. Vogel.....	6 Strong place.....	8	New fixtures.....	350
Kelley & Gaffey.....	1335 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	700
H. Weiss.....	47 Woolson street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,075

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A. I. Russell.....	296 Washington street.....	25	New fixtures.....	\$65
John Edginton.....	59 Bainbridge street.....	15	New fixtures.....	450
Joseph Seigal.....	1653 Commonwealth ave.....	25	New fixtures.....	4,000
Joseph Seigal.....	1657 Commonwealth ave.....	25	New fixtures.....	4,000
Joseph Seigal.....	1661 Commonwealth ave.....	25	New fixtures.....	4,000
O. J. Morlock.....	106 Beach street.....	23	New fixtures.....	600
John Y. Gillespie.....	55 Humphreys street.....	11	New fixtures.....	650
R. A. LaCentra.....	311 Commonwealth ave.....	8	New fixtures.....	15,000
T. A. Casserly.....	21 Doane avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	800
M. S. Pann.....	1061 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	110
M. S. Pann.....	1067 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	125
Joseph Locke.....	183 Harvard avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	200
Jacob Pilvin.....	3090 Washington street.....	15	New fixtures.....	350
H. F. Bimbidel.....	14 Glenside avenue.....	22	New fixtures.....	2,100
H. F. Bimbidel.....	17 Granfield avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
J. M. Hannigan.....	28 Wright road.....	23	New fixtures.....	550
Robert LaCentra.....	3648 Washington street.....	22	New fixtures.....	400
A. N. Hird.....	53 Bailey street.....	21	New fixtures.....	500
J. L. Kennedy.....	1592 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	550

MAYOR PRESENTS CITY KEY AND TWO GAVELS TO VISITORS.

Two gavels, made from historic wood of Faneuil Hall, a gold key to the city, were presented by Mayor Curley on Tuesday, November 25, to visiting delegations at City Hall. One gavel was presented to Dr. Helen I. Doherty McGillicuddy, high chief ranger of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters. The other was given to Mrs. Mary H. McDowell of Brookline, Massachusetts State Director Children of American Revolution. Frank J. Irwin, of New York City, formerly of this city and now commander-in-chief of the "Disabled American Veterans of the World War, was presented the gold key.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

J. C. Coleman & Sons Company have been granted an extension of time until September 1, 1924, for the completion of the contract for grading, drainage and concrete bleachers at World War Memorial Park, East Boston, Mass.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

M. De Sisto Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for the building of sewerage works in Newfield street and Lasell street, West Roxbury, from November 18, 1924, to November 25, 1924, seven days.

Croce Iocozza has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage work in P street, between Columbia road and East Sixth street, South Boston, from October 4, 1924, to October 7, 1924, three days.

The Rendle Stoddard Construction Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for repairing fenders of Chelsea Street Bridge, from October 29, 1924, to December 10, 1924.

Samuel J. Tomasello has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for constructing a concrete pavement in Ifley road, from Washington street to Walnut avenue, from November 1, 1924, to November 15, 1924.

The Rendle Stoddard Construction Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for foundations for ferry bridges for the South Ferry, from October 18, 1924, to December 10, 1924.

The Rendle Stoddard Construction Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for rebuilding middle pier, South Ferry, from August 15, 1924, to December 10, 1924.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

The Davis Foundry Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for furnishing gate and hydrant castings from November 1, 1924, to February 1, 1925. This request is made because the Public Works Department is taking advantage of the 30 per cent clause in the contract.

The E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for furnishing service pipe castings, etc., to the Water Service, from November 15, 1924, to January 1, 1925.

MAYOR CURLEY ASKS COUNCIL TO AID HIM IN TRANSFER OF CHRONIC SICK FROM ISLAND TO MAINLAND.

Boston, November 24, 1924.

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN.—Under chapter 7 of the Ordinances of 1920 the Institutions Department was established; section 1 of chapter 7 of the Ordinances of 1920 provided that the Penal Institution Department, the Boston Infirmary Department, the Children's Institutions Department and the Institutions Registration Department, be abolished and that all the rights, duties and obligations of the said departments be thereafter exercised and performed by the Institutions Department, as established by the Special Acts of 1919, chapter 222.

Section 2 of chapter 7 of the Ordinances of 1920 further provided that the Institutions Department thus created should be under the supervision and control of a commissioner, to be known as the Commissioner of Institutions.

I have always believed it to be most unfortunate that the chronic sick, the aged poor and neglected children should be subject to the control of the commissioner having at the same time the custody and care of persons sentenced for the commission of crime. It has been my purpose that this deplorable condition be ended and with that object in view, for more than two years negotiations have been conducted for the purpose of acquiring the property formerly known as the Elks' Hospital property at Parker Hill, Roxbury. It has taken nearly two years to acquire title but this, happily, at last, has been done and it is my purpose in the event that the ordinances here submitted is adopted, to recommend to the City Council in January an appropriation in the sum of \$1,000,000 within the debt limit for the erection of a chronic hospital, with such suitable quarters as may be necessary for nurses, orderlies, internes, physicians and surgeons, at Parker Hill.

Upon the completion of this institution it will be possible not only to transfer the chronic sick from the institution at Long Island but to provide treatment in future for the chronic sick in a section of the city where the opportunities for medical and surgical service of the highest character may be found.

It is my purpose, in addition, with the aid of the City Council, upon the abandonment of the West Roxbury institution by the federal government to transfer the aged poor from Long Island to West Roxbury.

The initial step in the program is represented today by the amendments to ordinances as here proposed and which I sincerely trust the City Council, in its wisdom, will approve.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

ADDITION TO CONTRACTS.

Croce Iacossa has been allowed the following additions to contract for building sewerage works in Wilmington avenue, from Capen street about 230 feet easterly, and outlet in Capen street, from Fairmount street to Wilmington avenue, Dorchester, ordered under Article 2 of said contract: Build 150 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer in Wilmington avenue, from a point 235 feet east of Capen street, about 150 feet easterly, Dorchester. The estimated quantities and costs are as

follows: Item 1, 150 feet 10-inch pipe sewer at \$2.05, \$307.50; Item 28, 2 cubic yards earth excavation below grade at \$3, \$6; Item 29, 5 cubic yards earth excavation outside trench at \$2.50, \$12.50; Item 30, 15 cubic yards rock excavation at \$7, \$105; Item 31, 5 cubic yards gravel refill at \$3, \$15; Item 33, 2 M. feet B. M. lumber as sheathing at \$40, \$80; Item 36, 100 linear feet pipe under-drain at 20 cents, \$20; Item 37, 2 cubic yards, Class A, concrete at \$12, \$24; Item 44, 10 feet pipe chimneys at 15 cents, \$1.50; Item 45, 10 feet pipe minor drain at \$2, \$20; Item 53, 1 standard manhole, \$90; Item 73, \$225 list value single socket pipe at 50 per cent discount, \$112.50; Item 74, \$5 list value double socket pipe at 50 per cent discount, \$2.50. Total, \$796.50.

STREETS TO BE CONSTRUCTED.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner as indicated in the following letter:

Boston, November 14, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

In accordance with the provisions of section 4 of chapter 393 of the Acts of 1906, I hereby certify that public necessity requires that the construction of the following streets, which have been laid out and ordered constructed under the authority of said act, be carried on after November 15, 1924, and respectfully request your approval therefor:

Cambridge and Court streets, city proper, from Charles street to Brattle street

Province street, city proper, from School street to Bromfield street.

Blenford road, Brighton, from Melton road to Priscilla road.

Nottingham road, Brighton, from Melton road.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, 1924.

By Feb. 1, 1924, the fire-fighting force had been reorganized as required by the two-platoon system, in effect on said date. This change, with the addition of 177 privates and 33 officers (the latter by promotion), increased the force to 1,427 men, viz.: the Chief, one asst. chief, 6 deputy chiefs, 30 district chiefs (15 for day and 15 for night service), 74 captains, 107 lieutenants, 57 engineers, 57 assistant engineers and 1,094 privates, divided into 53 engine companies (3 marine), 30 ladder, 1 chemical and 3 water-tower companies, a rescue company and 2 emergency squads, the engine companies generally consisting of 14 or 15 men, including a captain and a lieutenant; other employees, 12 at headquarters, 96 men in repair shop and 44 in fire-alarm branch; fire stations, 62.

Automobile apparatus in service, 34 combination pumpers or gasoline engine and hose-reel, 5 triple combination (inclu. chemical task) also 10 tractor-drawn steamers and one steam-propelled steamer; 39 combination chemical engine and hose cars; 30 ladder-trucks (12 aerial); 3 fireboats; 3 water-towers; 1 rescue auto with pulmotors and 1 auto wrecker. Total apparatus, 127. Officers' cars, 34 and delivery trucks, 11. Leading hose 143,116 feet and suction hose, 2,366 feet; fire alarm boxes, 1,310.

In reserve are 16 engines (10 auto); 7 hose wagons (6 auto); 7 ladder trucks

(6 auto); 1 water tower (auto) and 7 officers' cars.

Total alarms in calendar year 1923, 7,241 or 1,107 more than in 1922, of which total 729 were needless and 287 false alarms, besides 154 automatic alarms, false and accidental. Total fires, 6,071 (862 more than in 1922) of which 3,148 were in buildings, 2,872 outside of buildings and 51 out of city limits. In 18 cases the buildings were totally destroyed, in 94 the damage was considerable and in 1,941 the damage was slight; other cases, no damage stated.

The Boston Protective Department (not a City department) reported the total fire losses in 1923 on buildings as \$1,932,424 and on contents as \$4,353,875, or total of \$6,286,299, which is \$2,981,703 more than in 1922. Of total loss, the amount not covered by insurance was \$344,551.

The B. P. D. also reported that of the 2,320 fires involving losses, 499 were caused by carelessness with matches, 258 by smoking, 152 by electricity, 143 by exposure to fires near by, 140 by overheated or defective stoves, furnaces, etc., 109 by open lights, 86 by sparks from combustion, 79 by sparks on roof, 60 by explosions, 58 by petroleum and its products, 57 by defective flues and chimneys, 50 by spontaneous combustion, 41 by hot ashes, 34 by fireworks, etc.

Cost of maintenance for 1923, \$3,669,450 (including Wire Div.) or \$331,945 more than in 1922. Value of land and buildings \$2,375,500; cost of motor equipment, \$1,017,331.

Annual salaries: Commissioner, \$7,500; Chief, \$5,500; deputy chiefs, \$4,000; district chiefs, \$3,500; captains, \$2,500; lieutenants, \$2,300; engineers, \$1,900; assistant engineers, \$1,800; 1st-year privates, \$1,400, with \$100 yearly increase until maximum of \$1,800 is reached.

The apparatus in service is now entirely motor-driven, the last horse-drawn piece having been replaced Oct. 18, 1923.

The records of the Wire Division show that on Feb. 1, 1924, the underground electric service comprised 3,663,539 feet of conduit, 21,954,630 feet of single duct and 33,232,932 feet of cable of the drawing-in system, also 691,529 feet of 3-wire cable and tube of the solid system. From the business districts, over a street area of 46,415,000 square feet, and from 72 miles of additional streets all poles and overhead wires have been removed.

ABSENTEE VOTING AT STATE ELECTIONS.

By Chapter 289, General Acts of 1919, any registered voter absent from home at election time may vote by mailing an "official absent voting ballot" previously applied for and obtained from the Election Commissioners, to the latter so as to be received before the polls close. Said ballot must be marked by the voter privately but within the observation of an official authorized to administer oaths, and of no other person, in a municipality which is separated by at least two municipalities from that in which he is registered. The voter must make affidavit before said official, enclose ballot in official envelope and mail same on or before day of election.

Of 868 Absentee ballots mailed to Election Dept., on or before Nov. 2, 1920, 570 were counted, 10 were rejected and 288 were uncanceled because not received until after closing of polls.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending November 22, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 154; nonresidents, 28; total, 182.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 12.22; nonresidents deducted, 10.34.

Death rate per 1,000 of population.
Last week, 15.84; corresponding week last year, 13.09.
Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 26; one year to five years, inclusive, 6; sixty years and over, 64; total deaths: male, 91; female, 91; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 97; deaths of colored, 6.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 22, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 24, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	2	—
Diphtheria.....	30	2	68	2
Encephalitis lethargica.....	1	—	—	—
Influenza.....	5	—	3	—
Measles.....	41	1	43	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	41	5	23	5
Scarlet fever.....	59	1	91	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	33	9	43	10
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	9	2	6	—
Typhoid fever.....	3	—	1	—
Whooping cough.....	9	2	6	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

MATRON, BOSTON SCHOOL DEPARTMENT, DECEMBER 2, 1924.

The salary is \$18.15 per week.
Applicants must be not less than twenty-five nor more than fifty years of age at the time of filing application.
A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application.
It is desirable that applicants have a knowledge of nursing.

The duties of this position are as follows: To look after the physical welfare of the girls in the high schools, to assist the teachers of physical training, have general supervision over the girls in and about the locker rooms, baths, sanitariums, and act in an emergency in case of sickness.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 50 per cent in practical questions, and at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in the oral interview, and in general average in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

FOREMEN OF WATER, SEWER AND HIGHWAYS, ETC., DECEMBER 12, 1924.

This examination is for foremen of water, sewer, and highways (or streets) in the service of the state and of all cities

and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service; and of sanitary and street cleaning in the service of Boston.

There are several vacancies in different cities which will be filled from the list established as a result of this examination.

(A) Highway (or street) foremen in the service of the state, or cities in the state except Boston, and of the towns classified under civil service: Training and experience, 14; arithmetic, 4; report, 2; practical questions on street and road construction, grading, repairing, etc., 10; total, 30. The subjects and weights for Boston foremen are: Training and experience, 14; arithmetic, 4; report, 2; practical questions, 9; questions on the care of horses, 1; total, 30.

(B) Sewer: The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) State Highway, except that the practical questions will concern the quality of materials, bracing and refilling of trenches, general maintenance and repair of sewers, catch-basins, etc.

(C) Water: The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) State Highway, except that the practical questions will concern the laying and maintenance of water mains and service pipes, timekeeping, accounting for material, etc.

(D) Sanitary and street cleaning (in the service of Boston). The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) Boston Street Foremen, except that the practical questions will concern the handling of ashes, garbage, etc., and the watering, oiling and cleaning of streets.

NOTE.—Applicants for all services may, if they wish, take an additional paper on the use of explosives, and if successful in passing it will have it so noted as a special qualification.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience and at least 50 per cent in practical ques-

tions. Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.
Sample questions available.

CIVIL ENGINEERS, DECEMBER 15-20, 1924. THESE EXAMINATIONS ARE FOR THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, ALL CITIES, AND SUCH TOWNS AS ARE CLASSIFIED UNDER CIVIL SERVICE.

Warning.—Many men fail in the civil engineering examination because they apply for grades for which they are not qualified. It is advisable, therefore, if there is any doubt about the quantity or quality of your experience, to take both the grade for which you think you are qualified and the next lower grade. If you should be found ineligible for the higher grade, you will still have an opportunity to be placed on the next lower grade.

Grade A.

Engineering assistants, drafting assistants, and rodmen, who perform under instruction and supervision elementary or apprentice work in the field or office.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not Grade A if the salary is less than \$900 a year or more than \$1,440 a year.

Qualifications.—Applicants must have completed a high school course of not less than three years or must have had not less than one year of practical experience in field engineering or office work.

Subjects and Weights.—Rodmen — Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; tracing, 3; questions on the duties of the position, 6; total 20. Assistant draughtsmen—Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; drawing, 9; total, 20.

Grade B.

Senior engineering assistants, instrumentmen, and draughtsmen (a) who assume responsibility for the execution of definite instructions in a minor division or section of engineering activity; or (b) who direct, under supervision, the operation of minor engineering projects.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade B if the salary is more than \$1,980 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, not less than one year of service in Grade A. If appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade A, at least two years of practical experience in engineering work of Grade A character and standard; or such training in civil engineering as is evidenced by a professional degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction at an institution or college of recognized standing; or the successful completion of not less than two years' study in such institution plus one year's practical experience in engineering work.

Subjects and Weights.—Instrumentmen —Experience, 16; penmanship, 2; plotting, 6; questions on duties, 8; mathematics, 8; total, 40. Draughtsmen—Experience, 16; drawing, 10; mathematics, 6, duties, 4; plotting, 4; total, 40.

Grade C.

Assistant engineers, assistant civil engineers, and designing engineers: (a) who assume responsibility for the direction of surveys, the preparation and examination of, or advice upon, plans, designs and specifications for a minor section of a large engineering or a major section of a small engineering project; or (b) who supervise or inspect the construction or the operation of work on such a project; or (d) who make investigations of,

and reports upon, such engineering projects as a basis for a report by an engineering superior.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade C, if the salary is more than \$2,580 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion within a department or major division thereof, not less than two years of service in Grade B, or if appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade B, within a department or major division thereof, at least five years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch of engineering work covered by the position, provided that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of three years practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 10; design, 2; mathematics, 2; questions on material and methods of construction, 3; engineering theory, 3; total, 20.

Grade D.

Senior assistant engineers, senior assistant civil engineers, and senior designing engineers: (a) who supervise and assume complete responsibility for the work of a main division of an engineering organization, involving the direction of surveys and design and construction; or (b) who maintain and operate the major section of a large engineering project; or (c) who make independent investigations of and reports upon engineering projects as a basis for executive, administrative, or judicial action; or (d) who take charge of a large engineering department in the absence of the chief engineer; or (e) who give advice on large or complicated engineering projects, which may involve the preparation of plans.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade D if the salary is more than \$3,600 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, not less than three years service in Grade C. If appointed otherwise than by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, at least eight years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch covered by the position, and two years of which shall have been in an executive capacity; provided, that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of four years of practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 24; questions on materials and methods of construction, 5; engineering theory, 5; design, 6; total, 40.

An applicant must specify the grade for which he applies. Specimen examinations available.

PLAYGROUND WORKERS, SUPERVISORS, AND ASSISTANT SUPERVISORS, CITIES, DECEMBER 27, 1924.

This examination will be for the service of all the cities and towns in the state where these positions are under civil service.

The playgrounds ordinarily are open from April to November. During the school year sessions are usually held after school hours and on Saturdays, and on all days except Sundays during the summer. In the summer, the usual salary is from \$15 to \$25 a week. The examination is open to both men and women.

The general duties of playground workers require a knowledge of the interest of children, ability to organize and conduct playground activities and adult recreation. It is desirable that applicants have education, training or experience in physical culture, playground work and physical training of juveniles.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; special questions, 1; total, 2. There will be one set of special questions for applicants interested in boys' work, another set for those interested in girls' work and a combination set for those wishing to qualify for both boys' and girls' work. There will probably also be a supplementary paper for those wishing to qualify as swimming instructor in playgrounds having a pool. Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position. Applicants who wish to be certified to positions as playground supervisors should have at least two years' actual experience in playground work.

EXAMINER OF CORPORATE AND TRUST ORGANIZATIONS (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES, DECEMBER 27, 1924.

The salary is \$2,400 per year. Applicants must be familiar with accounting, particularly in connection with income accounts, balance sheets and financial statements which are filed in connection with the sales of securities. Applicants should also be familiar with the "Sale of Securities Act" and with the procedure of the department in exercising the jurisdiction conferred on it by said act.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on accounting, 2; practical questions on law, 2; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 2; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

CLERICAL SERVICE, STATE AND CITIES, JANUARY 10 AND JANUARY 24, 1925.

This is the regular examination for the clerical service of the state and of all cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. On January 10 the examination will be held in various centrally located cities. On January 24 the examination will be held in Boston, and all persons who reside within commuting distance will be notified for examination on this day. Certification may be made from the eligible lists established by this examination for office, institutional or other positions of a similar nature at the discretion of the Commissioner of Civil Service. Special qualifications in book-keeping, stenography, typewriting, cataloguing, filing, etc., and in foreign languages may be recognized by the commissioner in certifying persons for positions demanding such qualifications. Persons qualifying in the examination may have their names placed on the state list as well as on the list for the city or town in which they reside.

This examination will be given to fill positions in all grades of the clerical service except Grade V (chief clerk, secretary). All applicants will be given the same examination, and will be placed on

the list in the order of marks received, and will be certified for any and all clerical positions in the order of standing on the list, unless in the opinion of the Commissioner of Civil Service the mark attained is lower than is proper for the particular position to be filled.

Applicants who claim a knowledge of comptometry, stenography, or typewriting will be given a supplementary test at a later date to qualify in these subjects.

All applicants will be marked on each subject of the examination and will be given a general average on such marks according to the following schedule: Training and experience, 5 points; spelling, 2; letter writing 2; arithmetic, multiplication, division and decimals, 1; arithmetic problems, 1; word knowledge, 1; sentence meaning, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15.

Each applicant will be sent an "experience sheet" with proper instructions for stating his education, training, and experience.

The passing mark for clerical examinations will be 65 per cent in general average.

The usual entrance salary for clerks ranges from \$720 to \$1,200 per year. For positions paying \$1,200 or more, only clerks who receive a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience will be certified.

Sample questions for clerks available.

WATCHMEN, GATEMEN, GUARDS AND PRISON OFFICERS, JANUARY 15, 1925.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. This service includes watchmen and guards in public parks, grounds, institutions and departments; gatemen for ferries; turnkeys and guards in prisons, houses of detention and reformatories.

Applicants for appointment as officers in the State Prison and Massachusetts Reformatory must be not less than twenty-five and not over forty years of age at the time of filing application. Applicants for appointment as officers in the prison camp and hospital must be not less than twenty-three nor over forty years of age at the time of filing application. All applicants for these places must be not less than 5 feet, 7 inches in height and weigh not less than 135 pounds. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the applications for this service.

There are no age, height, or weight limits for watchman service other than those mentioned above.

The examination for watchmen, gatemen and guards will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; memory test, 1; arithmetic, 1; handwriting, 1; accuracy, 1; total, 10.

The examination for prison officers will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions covering general disciplinary and penological methods, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10;

Applicants who pass the examination for prison officers will, upon request, also be placed on the list for watchmen.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

REAL ESTATE ASSESSMENT PER CAPITA IN CITIES.

According to assessed valuations for 1923, Boston, \$1,843.61 (highest); New York, \$1,787.57; Pittsburgh, \$1,514.19; Buffalo, \$1,281.25; Philadelphia, \$1,185.29; St. Louis, \$1,032.83; Baltimore, \$996.75. These figures are approximate as population had to be estimated.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES IN BOSTON, 1924-1925, AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library announce the following list of free lectures, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 p. m.

The entrance is from Boylston street only. The doors will be opened two hours before each lecture and closed ten minutes after the lecture begins. The Thursday lectures are generally illustrated by lantern slides. The Sunday lectures are usually not illustrated. Exceptions are mentioned below. Lectures are given occasionally during the winter in the lecture halls of the Charlestown, East Boston, Jamaica Plain, North End, South End, West Roxbury, and Uphams Corner Branches.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Dec. 4. Florence: The City of the Lily. Martha A. S. Shannon.
- Dec. 11. Days with the Birds. Mrs. James L. Tryon. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Dec. 18. How the Dutch Do It: Housing Problems and Port Development. Frank A. Bourne, S. M., A. I. A.
- Jan. 8. Glimpses of Norway's Fjords. Ben Blessum, General Representative of the Norwegian government in the United States and Canada. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Jan. 15. Medieval Pilgrimages and Art. Arthur Kingsley Porter, B. F. A., Professor of Fine Arts, Harvard University.
- Jan. 22. Picturesque England from Chester to Clovelly. Ellen E. Page.
- Jan. 29. Snaring Bird Songs. Charles C. Gorst.
- Feb. 5. Brazil and Its Jungles. James Ballance.
- Feb. 12. The Land of the Backward Rolling River: Chekiang Province, including its Capital, Hangchow, the Heavenly, William Dean Goddard, A. M. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 19. Under Italian Skies. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 26. Whaling and Its Methods. Arthur E. Watson, Acting Curator, Old Dartmouth Historical Society and Whaling Museum.
- Mar. 5. Killarney: its Lakes and Legends. Rev. William M. Stinson, S. J.
- Mar. 12. Tramps about the Presidentials. Milton E. MacGregor, Mountain Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 19. Earth Changes, illustrated by the Geology of Boston. Hervey Woodburn Shimer, Ph.D., Professor of Paleontology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- Mar. 26. Along Dutch Waterways. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Apr. 2. New England Birds and Wild Flowers. Mrs. Harriet U. Goode.
- Apr. 9. English Gardens. Robert N. Cram, B.L.A., Instructor in Landscape Architecture Harvard University. With autochrome illustrations.
- Apr. 16. Architecture in the United States in the last ten years. J. Randolph Coolidge, Jr.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Nov. 30. A Modern Opera: Pfitzner's "Pales-trina." Otto G. T. Straub. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 7. Public Celebrations. J. Philip O'Connell, Director of Public Celebrations, City of Boston. With lantern illustrations.
- Dec. 14. Music in the Life of the World: Story of the Carol. Aerial Music of the Bell Towers of Europe. Mme. Beale Morey. Illustrated by voices and members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.
- Dec. 21. Carols and Chansons of Christmas. Henry Gideon, A. M. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 28. Boston Architecture: Past and Present. Frank Chouteau Brown. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 4. The Marvel and Glory of Glass: Ancient and Modern. Mrs. Walter G. Dennison.
- Jan. 11. Swedish Male Harmony Chorus. Carl Hutton, director.
- Jan. 18. The Appreciation of Greek Sculpture. Clarence Kennedy, A. M., Assistant Professor of Art, Smith College. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 25. Our New Comedy and American Family Life. Albert Hutton Gilmer, A. M., Professor of Dramatic Literature, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Feb. 1. A Splendid Rebel: Life and Times of Patrick Henry. Henry Lawrence Southwick, President, Emerson College of Oratory.
- Feb. 8. New New England Poets. Speaker to be announced. (New England Poetry Club Course.)

- Feb. 15. Modern French Music. Edward Burlingame Hill, Assistant Professor of Music, Harvard University. With musical illustrations.
- Feb. 22. Worthwhile Patriotism. Hon. Michael J. Murray.
- Mar. 1. Boston, the Convention City. Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston.
- Mar. 8. Treasures of the Theatre Collection in the Harvard University Library. Frank W. C. Hersey, A. M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 15. The Magic of Words. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt.D.
- Mar. 22. Legends and Folk-Songs of Finland. Mme. Aino Saari. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 29. King's Chapel Choir. Raymond C. Robinson, Director.
- Apr. 5. Footlight Orchestra. Thompson Stone, Director.
- Apr. 12. Dawn of Orchestral Music; a Program by members of the Eighteenth Century Orchestra. Raffaele Martino, Director.
- Apr. 19. The Battle of Lexington. Harold Murdock, A. M., Director of the Harvard University Press.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club meets regularly in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month, at 3 o'clock, except as otherwise stated. The following free lectures are announced, subject to change.

- Dec. 8. Ruskin's Message to Youth and the Twentieth Amendment. Rev. Davis Wasgatt Clark, D.D.
- Dec. 22. Music—Arranged by Mrs. Arthur Howard Davison. The Christmas Message—Mrs. Minnie Meserve Soule.
- Jan. 12. What's What in Books. John Clair Minot.
- Jan. 26. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Feb. 9. Anniversary Observance of John Ruskin's Birth. Address: John Ruskin. Rev. Harold E. B. Speight.
- Feb. 16. Americanization: Its Ideals. Two addresses: The Value of Law and its Observance. Hon. Sanford Bates, State Commissioner of Correction. The Development of the True Citizen. Dr. Charles A. Coburn, Professor of Applied Psychology, Boston University School of Religious Education.
- Mar. 9. Days of Romance in Old Spain. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Mar. 23. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry A. Higgins, Secretary of the Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 13. Ruskin and Agriculture Today. Dr. Arthur H. Gilbert, State Commissioner of Agriculture.
- Apr. 27. Author's Reading. Rev. Henry Hallam Saunderson, D.D., Editor of the "Wayside Pulpit."
- May 11. Annual meeting.

THE AMERICAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, BOSTON CHAPTER.

Free addresses in the Lecture Hall on Saturdays at 4 o'clock.

- Dec. 13. The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique. Helen Archibald Clarke, vice-president, Boston Chapter.
- Jan. 17. The Immitable Laws of Great Poetry. F. Charlton Black, L.L.D., Professor of English, Boston University.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS (NONEDUCATIONAL).

SECOND LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT, HEAD-QUARTERS AT BOSTON, MASS. RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS TO CLOSE DECEMBER 15, 1924.

Positions and salaries.

Second officer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,740-\$1,800 a year; mate of light vessel,* \$1,860 a year; assistant engineer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,800-\$1,920 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel,* \$1,800-\$1,940 a year; mate of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year.

For the positions marked * applicants are required to have an appropriate

license; for the positions marked † no license is required.

Assistant lighthouse keeper, \$900-\$1,080 a year.

Form 1025 required. Applicants must be qualified boatmen.

Depot keeper, \$1,560-\$1,620 a year.

Applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position where a knowledge of lighthouse material or similar material would be gained.

Medical examination of appointees. In view of the benefits granted employees under employees' compensation and retirement legislation, persons appointed may be given a medical examination by a physician in the Federal Service before entering on duty.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces open competitive examinations for the positions listed above. From the registers resulting from these examinations certification will be made to fill existing and future vacancies at the places and salaries indicated or at higher or lower salaries.

Citizenship and Sex.—All citizens of the United States who meet the requirements, both men and women, may enter these examinations; appointing officers, however, have the legal right to specify the sex desired in requesting certification of eligibles. Male eligibles are desired for the positions named hereon unless otherwise indicated.

Subjects and Weights.—Applicants will not be assembled for a written examination. The examination will consist of the subjects mentioned below, which will have the relative weights indicated:

Subjects: 1. Physical ability, 40; 2. Training and experience, 60; total, 100.

Training and Experience.—For the positions marked "(a)" applicants must have had at least one year's experience in the occupation for which application is made.

For the positions marked "(b)" applicants must have completed an apprenticeship or its equivalent in the trade for which application is filed.

For the positions marked "(c)" applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position similar to that for which application is filed.

All statements relating to training and experience are accepted subject to verification. No applicant will be eligible for appointment who fails to attain a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of training and experience and a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of physical ability.

Physical Requirements.—The following physical defects will debar applicants from any examination: Bright's disease; malignant tumor (cancer, etc.); diabetes; epilepsy; any abnormal hardening of the arteries (arteriosclerosis); transmissible disease, including syphilis, gonorrhea, and chancroid, also tuberculosis (active or arrested for a period of less than one year); insanity or mental illness sufficiently definite to affect the usefulness of applicant; seriously defective vision of both eyes, inconvertible by glasses; progressive myopia; progressive or disabling paralysis; uncompensated valvular disease of the heart; loss of both arms, both legs, or arm and leg; hands, arms, feet, legs, or body so injured, crippled, or deformed as to seriously affect usefulness; chronic alcoholism or drug addiction. In addition, persons who have lost an arm or a leg or who are ruptured are ineligible for appointment to positions in the Custodian Service. Other physical defects will render applicants ineligible for any particular service or position, when, in the judgment of the commission,

such defects would disqualify them for the duties required. Physical requirements may be waived in the case of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines under certain conditions.

Applications will be rated as received and certification made as the needs of the service require.

BOARD OF CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINERS,
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FREE PUBLIC LECTURES.

The American Literary Association announces a series of lectures on the Art of Poetry, to which the public is cordially invited, to be given in the Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library on Saturday afternoons at four o'clock. The subjects and dates are as follows:

Saturday, December 13, at 4 p. m. "The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique." Miss Helen Archibald Clarke.
Saturday, January 17, 1925, at 4 p. m. "The Immutable Laws of Great Poetry." E. Charlton Black, Professor of English Literature, Boston University.

It is the purpose of the American Literary Association, a national organization with numerous local chapters, to stimulate interest in American poetry, and especially to assist in bringing the little-known American poets to wider public notice. It awards prizes for poetic excellence; it supplies expert criticism; it publishes the "American Poetry Magazine"; it holds public meetings; it welcomes as members not only students and writers, but all who may be in any way interested in the subject of poetry.

EXPENDITURES, FISCAL YEAR, 1923-24.

Total ordinary and extraordinary, \$69,433,002, or \$4,593,567 more than in 1922. For maintenance of departments (excluding Water Service and Printing Dept.), \$39,244,315 (including \$12,421,826 for Schools); for City and County interest, \$3,488,857; sinking-fund requirements, \$606,133; serial loan payments, \$1,979,128 (making all debt requirements, excluding Rapid Transit, \$6,074,118), for Water Service, including Metropolitan water assessment, interest on debt, etc., \$3,128,463 (covered by water revenue). State tax, \$3,302,400 (regular) and \$697,296 (civilian war poll tax); Metropolitan and various State assessments, \$1,785,745; Printing Department, \$380,832 (covered by revenue); special appropriations from tax levy for public improvements, \$5,097,379; special appropriations from Parkman Fund income for park improvements, \$236,244.

Total ordinary expenditures, \$59,946,792, or \$4,173,498 more than in 1922. Total expenditures for departments only, \$1,654,148 more than in 1922.

Department increases of expenditure in excess of \$25,000 over the year 1922 were: Boston Sanatorium, \$31,259; Fire Department, \$328,170; Health, \$46,647; Hospital, \$195,614; Library, \$35,084; Park, \$273,904; Police, \$241,807; Public Buildings, \$48,048; Public Works, \$238,765; School Dept., \$343,355; Suffolk County, \$153,347.

Regular appropriations unexpended by the departments reached the noteworthy total of \$761,664. Decreases of expenditure from 1922 were: City Clerk, \$2,800; Election Dept., \$56,569; Overseeing of Public Welfare, \$35,161; Soldiers' Relief, \$712,264.

Extraordinary expenditures for permanent improvements (i. e., loan appropriations, etc., including unused portions from previous year), \$7,512,304, of which \$1,623,669 was for Rapid Transit construction (mostly E. Boston Tunnel alterations); \$1,162,238 for sewer construction; \$804,624 for making of highways; \$577,496 for Columbus Park, improvements; \$379,290 for Police Headquarters; \$336,838 for Playground improvements, etc.; \$319,512 for Stuart St. construction; \$314,518 for Hyde Park St. R'way, purchase of; \$289,152, for City Hospital, improvements; \$284,665 for Police Station 2, Building; \$261,661 for work on various public buildings; \$253,467 for Chelsea Bridge South; \$170,023 for City Hospital, Thorndike Memorial Building; \$157,886 for E. Boston Ferry, improvements; \$123,408 for Cambridge St. Bridge; \$116,686 for Municipal Garage, Albany St.; \$94,864 for Beacon St. Bridge; \$91,583 for Public Latin School. For Rapid Transit debt requirements, \$1,671,117. Total extraordinary, \$9,486,211 or \$420,069 more than in 1922.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the Street Laying-Out Department of October 23, 1924, I shall sell at public auction, on Wednesday, December 3, 1924, at three o'clock p. m., a part of the buildings Nos. 19 and 27 Province street, which project onto land taken by the City of Boston for the widening of Province street. The purchasers of said buildings or parts of said buildings, projecting over the highways as above mentioned, are forthwith to remove and cut off same to the new lines of the highway as above mentioned. Work to start immediately. Terms: Cash at times of sale and a bond must be furnished to the city to protect it from all damage caused by demolishing of said buildings, and work must be completed by January 3, 1925.

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
333 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
(Nov. 29.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING SNOW AND ICE.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for removing snow and ice in the following snow districts, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, and giving bond therefor of a surety company, approved by the commissioner, in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars for each district, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Removing Snow and Ice," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, December 3, 1924, with a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars for each district, or three thousand (3,000) dollars for all the districts, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any district appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works,
Boston, November 29, 1924. (Nov. 29.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SEVENTEEN FOOD CONTAINERS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing seventeen food containers to the Boston City Hospital, as per specifications, to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office at 12 noon, Friday, December 5, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the City. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.
(Nov. 29.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING X-RAY APPARATUS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing X-Ray apparatus to the Boston City Hospital as per proposals to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read on Friday, December 5, 1924, at 12 noon, at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
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(Nov. 29.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR NEWSPRINT PAPER IN PACKAGES AND BLOCKS FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET,
OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS AGENT, TENTH FLOOR.

BOSTON, Saturday, November 29, 1924.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the several school buildings in accordance with orders, newsprint paper in packages and blocks. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor, signed by the bidder and left before twelve o'clock m. on Monday, December 8, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100), payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bids must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as directed above, and the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder will be required to deposit a certified check or a surety bond for not less than 25 per cent of the amount of the contract, payable to the City of Boston, which check shall become the property of the City unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bids as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. All bids are received and accepted subject to the making of sufficient appropriation by the School Committee to meet the cost of this material.

ALEXANDER M. SULLIVAN,
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(Nov. 29.)

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WORK ON NEW POLICE HEADQUARTERS BUILDING TO BEGIN AT ONCE.

CONTRACT AWARDED FOR STRUCTURE IN PARK SQUARE AREA, AT COST OF \$618,040, WHICH WILL HOUSE ALL BRANCHES OF DEPARTMENT SERVICE—FINISHED IN EIGHTEEN MONTHS.



THE NEW POLICE HEADQUARTERS BUILDING, WORK ON WHICH IS SOON TO BE STARTED.

The new City of Boston Police Department Headquarters building as designed by Ritchie, Parsons & Taylor, architects, is seven stories in height, with basement and sub-basement, and will cover nearly the entire area bounded by Berkeley, Stuart and Stanhope streets.

The exterior will be treated in Italian Renaissance with limestone on the Berkeley and Stuart street facades and a light colored brick on Stanhope street and the court. The interior with regard to rooms, corridors and stair towers will be of modern office building design with sanitary floors and fireproof construction throughout.

The building will house all of the Police Headquarters Departments, including Photographs and Finger Prints, Automobile Inspection, Carriage Inspection, Superintendents, Inspectors, Homicide, Narcotics and Liquors, Women Police, Signal Service, Clerks, Claim

Investigation, Police Commissioner, Listing Board, Trial Board, Radio, Dormitories, etc. Each floor contains 10,620 square feet.

The main facade will be on Berkeley street, set back from the lot line about twenty feet, all parts of the building being easily accessible from the main entrance on that street leading directly to high speed elevators serving all floors. The Stuart street facade will run back flush with the lot line abutting the present building of the Edison Light Company. On the Stanhope street side a ramp entrance is provided leading down to a large open parking space at basement grade for department automobiles, thus utilizing the natural grade and unexcavated portion of the building lot.

Contracts have been signed and the work of construction of this new building, which will properly house the activities of the Boston Police Department, at a cost of \$618,040, will commence at once.

NO SALARY INCREASES EXCEPT ON SLIDING SCALE THIS YEAR.

The Mayor has addressed the following letter to department heads relative to salary increases.

To Department Heads:

The policy which is being adopted generally in private employ throughout the country with reference to salaries and wages paid to employees is to reduce the existing wage scale.

Undoubtedly this policy is in large part due to the uncertainty as to business conditions, and yet the policy is being so generally followed as to give every indication of being an organized movement for the purpose of ending what we have termed since the period of the World War as the "saving wage." Recognizing the value of the worker of the "saving wage," which has resulted in the lowering of the mortality rate, in an increase in the educational opportunities for the children of the toiler, and a more contented condition in the home, the City of Boston in the budget for 1924-25 increased the wages of 9,200 persons in the employ of the city. Included in these wage increases were substantially all of the lower paid workers in the employ of the city.

This element of society, because of lack of organization, has in the past invariably been overlooked and it was not an easy task to carry through the program which meant for them in their homes a happier condition and a brighter outlook. The wage increases in the last budget totaled \$1,250,000. This burden, however, the city was only required to bear for five-sixths of the year, the wage increase not becoming effective until April 1. This year the entire burden must be borne and it will represent an increase of approximately \$250,000 in the pay rolls for the year 1925 as against the pay rolls of 1924-25.

Business depression in large measure is responsible for the increased cost in administering the departments of Public Welfare, Soldiers' Relief, City Hospital and Institutions Department, and the indications are that this increase will represent a sum in excess of \$500,000, unless there is an improvement in industry, which is not in evidence at the present time.

Under the circumstances it will be impossible to consider salary increases in the budget for the year 1925 in any cases with the exception of groups that are subject to sliding scale increases.

In the submission of the budget estimates for your department you are accordingly directed to assume your portion of the burden of this situation and inform all applicants for increases as to the true condition of affairs.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, December 8, at 2 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquises, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

TO ROOM 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

PUBLIC LIBRARY REPORTS ON ACTIVITIES DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 1924.

The librarian of the Public Library of Boston has submitted to the Mayor the following report on activities for the month of November.

During the month 6,734 books have been ordered: 7,051 volumes have been received and accessioned; 2,110 periodicals have been received and recorded, and gifts of 591 volumes and 698 serials have been acknowledged to 505 donors. Two auction catalogues, containing forty-seven titles, have been examined. Six foreign invoices have been received: Three from Holland and one each from England, France and Italy.

Exhibitions.—The principal exhibition of the month was the library's collection of illuminated manuscripts, which were attractively arranged with explanatory labels, in the main Exhibition Room. Here were shown also etchings by Anton Schutz, assistant to Joseph Pennell, and views of English cathedrals and abbeys. In the Barton-Tichnor Room were exhibited first editions of Robert Louis Stevenson, and books in connection with talks on the history and development of artistic bookbinding, given by the assistant-in-charge to classes from the Massachusetts Normal Art School.

Publications.—In addition to the usual monthly list of new books and programs, the first number of "Library Life," volume IV., was published.

Children's Book Week.—The second week of November was observed by the library as Children's Book Week. The Children's Room was made especially attractive by the display of numbers of original paintings lent by several Boston publishers whose books were illustrated by reproductions of the paintings. On the first day, the annual exhibition of new and desirable books recommended for Christmas purchase was opened in the Teachers' Room. This exhibition, which

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. TO Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

remains open until Christmas, interests an increasing number of visitors each year. As a contrast, a collection of early school books and picture books, owned by the library, have been displayed in a show case in the Children's Room, serving well to show the change in making books for children. Illustrations for well-known books were arranged without the accompanying labels and the younger readers were invited to join in a contest to list the book characters in each picture. Over one hundred children shared in this effort to show their familiarity with books every child should know, and books were awarded as prizes to three children. The supervisor of work with children filled six appointments to speak during that week and two the week following on subjects indicative of the library's service to patrons, older and younger, to whom children's books make appeal.

Memorial Tablet.—On November 11, Armistice Day, special exercises were held in the courtyard of the library at eleven o'clock in commemoration of the employees who served in the World War. The invocation was by Msgr. Arthur T. Connolly; Mr. Walter Rowlands, assistant in charge of the Fine Arts Department, presented a tablet, which was accepted by Hon. Michael J. Murray; Maj.-Gen. Edward L. Logan spoke. A program of the unveiling is included in this report.

Appointments.—On October 31 the Board of Trustees appointed Mr. Robert A. Howes assistant to the director. Mr. Howes is a graduate of Colorado College and of the Harvard School of Business Administration, and has also spent a year of study at the Harvard Law School. He has had several years of practical experience and is peculiarly fitted by training and personality for the new position, in which he will assist the director in carrying on the business side of the library administration.

Appended were the usual tables of statistics.

CALLS FOR SUSPENSION OF PROPOSED TELEPHONE RATES AND ASKS FOR HEARING.

MAYOR CURLEY FILES COMPLAINT AGAINST CORPORATION WITH UTILITIES BOARD AND BEGINS BATTLE TO SAVE PUBLIC FROM EXTORTIONATE CHARGES.

December 1, 1924.

To the Department of Public Utilities.
State House, Boston, Mass.

GENTLEMEN,—And now comes Jame M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston, and says that the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company has this day filed with your honorable board certain schedules of rates and charges for telephone service wherein the present rates and charges for telephone service are substantially and materially increased over existing rates and charges.

Wherefore, The said James M. Curley, Mayor of said City of Boston, respectfully complains that the said rates and charges for telephone service, as this day filed, are higher than is consistent with justice and public interest and that the said rates and charges for telephone service, as filed by the said New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, are unreasonable, discriminatory and unduly high.

And the said James M. Curley, Mayor of said City of Boston, respectfully petitions your department to notify said New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of this complaint and to give a public hearing thereon, and after said hearing to order such a reduction in the rates and charges for telephone service and such a revision of the rates and charges as it may deem just and proper, and to grant such other relief in the premises as may be authorized by law.

And the said James M. Curley, Mayor of said City of Boston, respectfully petitions your department to suspend the taking effect of said new schedules and rates and charges contained therein as filed by said company with your department until such time as the hearings requested herein shall have been completed.

And the said James M. Curley, Mayor of said City of Boston, further represents that this department is now conducting an investigation into all the rates and charges for telephone service of said company now in effect and that said investigation is incomplete, and your petitioner therefore respectfully requests this honorable board to complete said investigation of existing rates and charges for telephone service of the said company before any consideration be given to the new rates and charges for telephone service as this day filed by said Telephone Company.

JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of the City of Boston.

Accompanying the petition for a suspension of the rates and a public hearing the Mayor issued the following statement relative to the telephone situation and proposed general increase in telephone rates.

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, in accordance with its recent announcements, has filed a new schedule of telephone rates to become effective January 1, 1925, that mean increases in these rates of twenty-five per cent.

The hearings on the petition for rate

increases filed by this company early last spring are yet unfinished. The burden of the opposition in these hearings has been carried on by the City of Boston through its Law Department and at its own expense. The City of Boston has during this opposition enjoyed the moral support given it by other cities and towns which have formally filed their protest against rate increases with the Public Utilities Commission. The City of Boston acknowledges the assistance which it has received in this case from the Retail Merchants' Association of the City of Boston.

The president of the New England Telephone Company, Mr. Matt Jones, in a published statement, has said that they "desire to deal frankly with those who are interested." If this be important it is greatly to be regretted that the New England Company has not been at greater pains to manifest this desire during the conduct of the pending telephone hearings. The Telephone Company's attorney has repeatedly withheld essential data from the Corporation Counsel, who is conducting the people's case, and the parent and controlling company, namely, the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, has dared even to deny to the Public Utilities Commission of Massachusetts certain information which it has requested of that company. This company, like its subsidiary, the New England Company, is enjoying a franchise from the state of Massachusetts that in effect gives it a profitable monopoly of the field in which it operates. There is little assurance in this of a "desire to deal frankly with those who are interested."

When honestly and prudently managed, a public utility may rightly expect that its revenues will be adjusted so as to yield at all times a fair income or return on capital invested. But it must be understood that in theory of the law, at least, the old method of making the public pay, through rates, for the building up of its central office, equipment and extending its lines and other plant, has long since been abolished. Adequate dividends on its stock, of course, are necessary if new money for enlargement of its plant is to be attracted. But equally important to investors and the public, who must eventually pay, are the character of the company's assets, as they maintain them, and the prudence of its management.

The president of the New England Telephone Company says that it must maintain its present dividends on stock of 8 per cent, if it is to expect to interest investors by whom money will be contributed for extending the company's plant. But there is more than one way available to the New England Company for maintaining its present 8 per cent dividends. Increasing its rates to the public very naturally suggests itself to the company. The other way is to effect economies or avoiding many unnecessary expenditures.

The American Telephone and Telegraph Company owns 58 per cent of the stock of the New England Telephone

Company and it is to be expected that if the New England Company shall offer any additional issue of its stock to the public that the American Telephone Company will be prompt to take its allotment of it in order that the American Company may maintain its present controlling interest in the New England Company. By majority stock control the American Company is able to elect the officers of the New England Company and to dictate the policies of this company.

It is by reason of its majority control that the American Company has made a contract for itself with the New England Company, by which contract the New England Company is required to pay over to the American Company 4½ per cent of all revenues the New England Company receives.

Should the New England Company by any chance receive any further increases in its telephone rates, 4½ per cent of such increased revenue received by it must automatically be paid over to the American Company. Yet the service received from the American Company by the New England Company will not in any wise be increased. The American Company will give nothing further in return for this increased payment that it will receive from the New England Company.

Thus any increases in telephone rates allowed the New England Company means a needless and unearned increase in the amount that the American Company will automatically receive from the New England Company.

Compensation on a sliding scale for service received may often be just and wise. But the wisdom of adopting this method of compensation should depend upon an accurate knowledge of the cost of the service to the one giving it. The New England Company has been asked to give an accurate estimate of the cost to the American Company of the so-called service that it says it is receiving from the parent company under its 4½ per cent contract. The only estimate given by the New England Company includes an inflated appreciation of the use of unpatented telephone apparatus with no statistical estimate of the fair cost and value of the so-called engineering, financing and purchasing service which the company says it is entitled to and is receiving under this 4½ per cent contract.

The precise amount and character of these services is yet undetermined by the petitioner and only vaguely fixed by the terms of the 4½ per cent contract. The Public Utilities Commission of the state of Michigan has estimated that a fair annual charge for the use of the unpatented telephone apparatus which is leased to the New England Company by the American Company would be approximately 50 cents per telephone set and that a fair annual charge for all other services rendered the subsidiary companies by the American Company would be approximately 40 cents per telephone set.

The 4½ per cent of all revenues received by the New England Company and by it in turn paid over to the American Company represents an annual charge of approximately \$2 per telephone set, or \$1.10 more per telephone set each year above the amount estimated as being fair and reasonable by the Public Utilities Commission of the state of Michigan. This conclusion of the Michigan commission varies little in this respect from the conclusions of the telephone expert employed in the pending cases by the City of Boston.

Unascertained costs of undeterminable and loosely defined services of the character mentioned in the $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent contract which the American Company has forced upon its subsidiary, the New England Telephone Company, are not calculated to satisfy the intelligent inquiries of telephone users, who may well regard these so-called services as a colorable pretext by which the majority stockholder in the New England Company, namely the American Company, has made a contract profitable to itself, but burdensome to the telephone users of New England.

The American Company has the power by its control to make such a contract for itself. But the Public Utilities Commission of this state is not by law required to find that the terms of such a contract is a proper charge to put upon the telephone users of this state, especially when the New England Company asking for increase in rates fails by inadequate evidence to justify this contract as prudent and honest. The American Company by its majority stock control of the New England Company has a trust in respect to the public.

Whenever a trustee profits by dealing with the estate entrusted to him, the burden is heavy upon him to show he is not thereby unjustly enriching himself. The trustee should be doubly concerned, first, to be right, and second, to appear to be right. The refusal of the American Company to open its books to the Public Utilities Commission of this state and other states equally concerned in this matter with Massachusetts, and the ignorance of its subsidiary company, the New England Telephone Company, as to the essential costs of the services it has a right to receive from the American Company, and the New England Company's refusal to furnish to the representatives of the public certain data reasonably asked for are arrogant manifestations of contempt for the public they both are expected to serve.

It is easier to ask for rate increases than to justify them.

It is sound financing to establish a reserve for depreciation, so that when a unit of plant equipment representing capital invested is worn out there is money available to replace it. But since the practice has been established of putting such a reserve in the additional plant, there is ever present the temptation of exaggerating the amount of reserve and thus reviving the vicious practice of building plant not out of capital subscribed or borrowed but out of excessive rates paid by and secured from the public.

An excess in the annual contribution to depreciation reserve which, of course, is payable out of rates charged to the public, is often to be determined only after a lapse of many years. No calculation of this annual charge can ever be accurately made. But whether it is excessive or insufficient, time alone will tell. Experience in such matters has shown that depreciation reserves need to be adjusted periodically. The New England Company has enjoyed nearly two full cycles of the composite life of its plant. A cycle in the case of a telephone company is considered to be approximately a period of twenty-five years.

Many units of telephone plant have been retired from service not because they were outworn, but because of inadequacy or obsolescence resulting from new inventions or public requirements and changes. If twenty-five years be the composite life of the New England Company's plant it ought annually to put into its reserve fund

a sum equal approximately to 4 per cent of the plant investment. The present annual rate is in excess of 5 per cent on \$160,000,000 of plant.

Last year the New England Telephone Company put into this reserve fund approximately \$6,800,000; it took out of it for plant retire from service only \$3,030,000. The present accumulated reserve of this company is over \$40,000,000. This is equal to 27 per cent of its plant value. This sum is needlessly high, it represents a vicious pyramid of charges that are a burden on the rate paying public. It should be reduced. Now is the time for a readjustment, and the way to do it is not by increasing telephone rates, but rather by reducing them. Since this \$40,000,000 of reserve is not held by the company in a bank, but is invested by it in additional telephone plant it is clear that the stockholders of the New England Company own a telephone system which is measurably more valuable, made so by capital neither contributed by the stockholders nor borrowed from some independent source in which their equitable interest is but a part of the whole amount.

It is apparent from such figures and practices of the New England Telephone Company as have been disclosed during the hearings on the pending petitions for rate increasing before the Public Utilities Commission of this state that no plausible opportunity is lost by it to label as maintenance charges that logically and equitably should be borne by capital or in such cases by the depreciation reserve. In this way the plant of the company is kept up, renewed and built up. The charges, therefore, fall upon the public and tend unnecessarily to increase or maintain high telephone rates. By this same device the reserve, another charge upon current rates, often escapes its just burden, and is permitted to pyramid, while in other instances the plant is extended without any fair contribution from capital subscribed or borrowed.

These indicated economies are not only feasible, but justice to the public demand them. These can be put into operation without reduction either in wages or present dividends on the company's stock. It is needless at this time to discuss the relative aspect of this company's salary list. Its dividends have since 1911 been increased from 6 per cent to 7 per cent in 1920, and to 8 per cent in 1922. These increases in dividend it was claimed were needed to attract additional capital. The uniform contribution made by the subsidiary companies of the Bell System to the American Telephone and Telegraph Company under the $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent contract and by "the most favored customer" supply contract with the Western Electric Company also owned by the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and by the division of toll service rates between the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and its subsidiary telephone companies indicate clearly why the American Company can pay a dividend on its own stock of 10 per cent and accumulate a reserve of \$40,000,000 as against a capital investment of \$600,000,000.

These facts and conclusions are shown by the record of the present hearings before the Public Utilities Commission of this state, and the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company has not successfully refuted them. Our real opponent is the American Telephone and Telegraph Company whom we cannot reach through

the Public Utilities Commission of this state. It has the telephone users of America in its grasp. That grasp it means to tighten and to make doubly sure if it can. There is nothing essentially new in the machine switching telephone apparatus it is now installing. It is old in telephony.

It is, however, a very practical device for ridding itself and its subsidiary companies of thousands of telephone operators and their labor unions, and, by patented improvements upon this old mechanism held by it, or by the Western Electric Company, a renewed effort is being made to monopolize the telephone business of the country and to give colorable excuse for additional contracts for supplies furnished by it through the Western Electric Company to subsidiary and associate companies. The American company knows it cannot justify the $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent contract. The American Company appreciates that an effort is soon to be made to restrict and restrain it through the federal government.

Once manual operating in central offices is done away with and in its stead is installed expensive machine switching equipment over which it has obtained control, there is little that it has to fear from federal regulation of itself, or state regulation of its subsidiaries, thus made dependent upon, if not in fact owned by it.

BOSTON MAY YET HAVE A STATLER BUILT HOTEL.

PROMISE OF LOWER COST OF BUILDING MATERIAL CAUSES FAMOUS HOTEL MAN TO START NEW PLANS FOR STRUCTURE.

Following a suggestion by Mayor Curley, based on a report from the Building Trades Employers' Association, that there is a reduction approximately of 10 per cent in the cost of building materials E. M. Statler will again seek bids on the architects' drawings for a hotel in the Park square section.

Ten days ago the Mayor wrote Mr. Statler in an additional effort to have him reconsider his building plans. The reply has come from the Hotel Pennsylvania, New York City, in which Mr. Statler says:

"We are just as anxious to proceed with this undertaking as you are to have us, but the facts are, as originally stated by us when we temporarily abandoned this work, namely that until there is a considerable reduction in building and equipment costs, or unless we could sell our product at a higher price, there is no chance for us to make a profit out of the venture.

"Since then the hotel men of Boston complain of the increased competition from clubs and the Chamber of Commerce in your city, all of which is not encouraging to one contemplating the investing of ten to twelve millions of dollars in an industry in your community.

"Your letter states that the secretary of the Building Trades Employers' Association claims there is a reduction of approximately 10 per cent in cost of building material in your city.

"I shall at once ask our architects to get new bids on our Boston house; these will, when received, prove whether there has been sufficient reduction in costs to justify us in giving consideration to going ahead with this project or not."

PROPOSES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION FOR BOSTON ELEVATED ROAD AFFAIRS.

MAYOR CURLEY SUBMITS BRIEF TO JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING SYSTEM WITH A VIEW TO FIVE-CENT FARE.

Mayor Curley submitted the following brief on Wednesday, December 3, to the joint legislative committee investigating the Boston Elevated Railway Company:

The question of adequate street railroad transportation in the case of Boston and the surrounding cities and towns within a radius of fifteen miles, due to the hostility to the project for a greater Boston, should be considered from the standpoint of present and future needs in what is commonly called the metropolitan district.

The cost of providing sewerage works, water supply, and park systems in this great territory is assessed upon the cities and towns included within what is commonly known as the metropolitan district.

Adequate water supply, sewerage system and park system have long been accepted as absolute essentials to the health and well-being of the people. This belief is based on the knowledge that all three of these essentials are requisite to the health of all the people. Yet it is accepted that the only method by which the people can enjoy the benefits resulting from all three is through the creation of a metropolitan district system which after all is simply a greater city by another name.

Realizing the hostility, largely political in character, due in part to the desire for the retention of local autonomy, which is responsible for the failure to create a Greater Boston, I nevertheless unhesitatingly favor the taking over and operation of all street car systems within the metropolitan district.

I favor this project because in my opinion adequate street railroad transportation is today as essential as water, sewerage and public parks. There is a menace not only to the large retail and manufacturing establishments in the cities and towns of the metropolitan district but there is in addition that which constitutes confiscation of the dividends of a lifetime of toil and thrift on the part of the worker who awakens to find that the street railway system which transfers him from his home to the place where he earns his livelihood has been abandoned because it did not prove a profitable investment for the owners of some particular street railroad enterprise.

This condition has arisen in many of the cities and towns of Massachusetts where during the past ten years nearly 400 miles of street railroad system has been abandoned and scrapped. It will be argued that the citizen has the privilege of purchasing a motor vehicle but the motor vehicle itself has been one of the real detriments to the prosperity of the street railroad systems.

At the present time in Massachusetts nearly 500,000 pleasure vehicles are in operation. Allowing that each motor vehicle represents a transportation of four persons they would in the aggregate represent the withdrawal from street railway transportation of about 2,000,000

possible car riders each day and even a limited portion of this number would represent the difference between profitable and unprofitable operation of a street railway system.

The so-called Public Control Act of 1918 contained in substance that which is now advocated, namely, that if in any given year the receipts were insufficient to cover the cost of operation the deficit should be levied against the cities and towns within the territory served by the street railway system and this is identically the proposition which in my opinion should now be considered in the larger territory. It is needless to discuss the causes responsible for the wrecking of the Boston Elevated Street Railway System.

The failure to provide adequate depreciation funds, the failure to recognize the inroads made into receipts through the advent of motor vehicles, coupled with the rising cost of everything, including labor, during the period of the World War made necessary for the preservation of property values, for the protection of business and for the welfare of the public a radical departure in the case of street railroad transportation operation.

There is no way in which to justify turning back to stock jobbers and speculators and a few honest stockholders a property the stock of which in 1917 sold in the open market for less than \$30 per share and the intrinsic value of which if sold under the red flag would probably have represented less than \$5 per share, a property upon which the public through increased fares have expended many millions of dollars and upon which the cities and towns through the system of levy authorized by the 1918 Public Control Act expended approximately four millions of dollars and upon which sum there is still due the cities and towns served by the Boston Elevated Railway System a total of about \$2,300,000.

If we recognize adequate street railway transportation as an absolute essential in the metropolitan district there can be no valid objection raised to the operation of such system by a Metropolitan Transportation District Commission with authority to determine the rate of fares that shall be charged, the method of financing and the other allied problems contingent to the proper operation of a street railway system.

Personally I believe that a five-cent fare locally in each city and town of the metropolitan district with a graduated fare on the high speed lines sufficient to cover fixed charges and higher operating expenses is equitable, and due to the increased number of car riders should prove profitable. In the event that the Metropolitan Transportation District Commission as here proposed should in any year encounter a deficit I favor an assessment upon such portions of the metropolitan district as are served by the street railroad transportation system so established upon the basis of population and valuation.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Advertises for proposals for laying and relaying water pipes in Burley street, Dale street and Maynard street, West Roxbury. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$900. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, December 12, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for newsprint paper in packages and in blocks for the Public Schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposal may be obtained at the office of the School Committee, Business Agent, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 8, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing sweaters for the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing musical instruments for the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, December 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing drawing instruments for manual training for the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, December 18, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing cast-iron pipes to the Public Works Department, Water Service. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent

to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 16, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, December 4:

BOSTON CONSERVATION BUREAU.

Lucy Clarke has been appointed laboratory assistant at \$100 a month for three months, from December 1.

Shirley Tushins has been appointed clerk at \$5 a week for three months, from December 1.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved the payment of the bill of the American LaFrance Fire Engine Company for repairs to the pumping engine of Engine Company 26. This engine was damaged on Thursday, May 31, 1923, when it was in collision with a truck owned by the Christian Science Publishing Company. The amount of the bill is \$1,682.50.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

John T. Manning has been appointed permanent dairy inspector at \$1,500 a year.

Daniel F. Thornton has been transferred to food inspector from the Public Works Department at \$1,600 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, November 27:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Stella Shirsch, Mary Lee, Nora Brown, Abbie Wheeler, special nurses, \$35 a week; Jeanne Peckerman, Helen B. Ring, Isabelle Bradley, clerks, \$16 a week; John F. Martin, porter, \$20.50 a week; Mary Driscoll, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Jessie Smith, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Mary Ramos, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Annie Russo, ward maid, \$11.50 a week; Hannah Scannel, Margaret Landers, ward helpers, \$11.50 a week; Pearl Laskey, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Margaret L. Barry, clerk, \$16 a week; Helen Eldridge, laundress, \$16 a week; Bessie MacIntyre, table girl, \$11.50 a week; Ellen Thompson, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week.

Temporary.—Charles Nichols, assistant technician, \$25 a week; Arthur Connelly, telephone operator, \$22 a week; Frances Tutt, elevator operator, \$12 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

Mary A. Davis, laundress at \$21 to acting head laundress at \$30 a week; Marion R. Doherty, clerk at \$14 to \$16 a week; Josephine M. Foley, clerk at \$14 to \$16 a week; Buelah Rose, stenographer at \$14 to \$16 a week; Patrick McCarron, temporary porter at \$14 to porter at \$13 a week; Irene Lyons, table girl at \$9.50 to \$11 a week; Viva Murphy, table girl at \$9.50 to \$11 a week; Florence Painter, table girl at \$9.50 to \$11 a week; Katherine Stafford, table girl at \$9.50 to \$11 a week; Edith Sumpter, table girl at \$9.50 to \$11 a week; Mary Moynihan, table girl at \$9.50 to \$11 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, November 27:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Thomas Owens, fireman, transfer from porter, \$30 a week, temporary.

Harold B. Benwick, druggist, \$1,500 a year, temporary.

Winifred McDermott, institutions employee, \$525 a year, to succeed Mary Brand.

Neil Connors, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Rose Frari.

Michael J. Lehan, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed John J. Pierce.

House of Correction.

Martin Lally, fireman, \$6 a day, temporary.

Central Office.

Mary B. Koch, visitor and parole agent, \$1,400 a year, to succeed Elizabeth Kelly.

Mary White Mullen, visitor, \$1,200 a year, to succeed Mary B. Koch.

Edward F. Hoynes, chief clerk at the Boston Almshouse and Hospital, has been granted an extension of additional leave of absence for one month, with pay, on account of illness.

Margaret T. Walsh, bookkeeper in the Central Office, has been granted an extension of leave of absence for one month, with pay, on account of illness.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Kathryne V. Hagerty has been appointed permanent telephone operator at \$22 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Edward F. Murphy, division engineer of the Sewer and Sanitary Division, has been designated to act as deputy commissioner of Public Works for the period from December 1, 1924, to February 28, 1925, both dates inclusive.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Carlton J. Bell has been granted an extension of temporary employment as rodman at \$18 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Daniel McKenna has been promoted from laborer at \$4.50 a day to sewer cleaner at \$5 a day.

John J. Sullivan has been promoted from laborer at \$4.50 a day to sewer cleaner at \$4.75 a day.

John T. O'Hea has been continued in temporary employment as rodman at \$18 a week for three months from November 29.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Charles A. Callanan, transitman, has been granted a change of rating to assistant civil engineer.

Marjorie E. Harkins has been appointed janitress at \$18 a week.

Henry Smart has been appointed provisionally as a temporary civil engineering draughtsman, for three months, at \$1,700 a year.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

John H. Dooley has been granted an extension of employment as provisional transitman at \$1,400 a year for three months.

Frank J. Leonard has been granted an extension of employment as a rodman at \$1,100 a year for three months beyond December 2.

Frank M. Fraine has been granted an increase in salary as clerk from \$1,100 to \$1,400 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Collecting Department.

(During annual tax and water rushes of October and November.)

Water Division.

Extra Tellers.—Daniel A. Grant, 55 days, \$165; Louis Needel, 35 days, \$105; Aaron Pinkofsky, 27 days, \$81.

Tax Division.

Extra Tellers.—John W. Barry, 29 days, \$87; Franklin H. Cochran, 11 days, \$33; Francis M. Ducey, 2 days, \$6; William T. Gartland, 3 days, \$9; John J. Lordan, 9 days, \$27; Thomas F. Horan, 26 days, \$78; James J. Maloney, 25 days, \$75; James J. McNamee, 27 days, \$81; Francis J. O'Connell, 13 days, \$39; John P. O'Connor, 38 days, \$114; Philip A. Petrocelli, 7 days, \$21; John F. Travers, 11 days, \$33.

Clerks.—John Q. Adams, 9 hours, \$9; James F. Anderson, 9 hours, \$9; William P. Burns, 48 hours, \$48; Joseph J. Callahan, 9 hours, \$9; James D. Carney, 15 hours, \$15; Michael Cillo, 174 hours, \$174; John J. Clifford, 9 hours, \$9; John J. Connors, 15 hours, \$15; Edward T. Croke, 15 hours, \$15; Charles Cuneo, 39 hours, \$39; William E. Cunningham, 9 hours, \$9; Henry J. Daly, 9 hours, \$9; Edward J. Dixon, 9 hours, \$9; Francis J. Doherty, 9 hours, \$9; Michael S. Drew, 9 hours, \$9; M. Irene Ennis, 9 hours, \$9; Thomas Farrell, 9 hours, \$9; Lillian Feurtado, 9 hours, \$9; Joseph F. Fitzgerald, 27 hours, \$27; James J. Flynn, 9 hours, \$9; Philip A. Grant, Jr., 15 hours, \$15; Michael F. Gearin, 9 hours, \$9; L. A. Hall, Jr., 9 hours, \$9; Jeremiah J. Hartnett, 9 hours, \$9; John T. Hayes, 14 hours, \$14; John J. Hennessey, 9 hours, \$9; Joseph P. Hickey, 9 hours, \$9; Stewart E. Hoyt, 9 hours, \$9; William Kells, 9 hours, \$9; James P. Kelly, 9 hours, \$9; George J. Kenney, 9 hours, \$9; Thomas J. Killian, 28 hours, \$28; John J. Leahy, 15 hours, \$15; Thomas A. Leonard, 9 hours, \$9; Abraham Levy, 9 hours, \$9; Joseph T. Madden, 9 hours, \$9; Charles W. Mahoney, 9 hours, \$9; William P. Mahoney, 9 hours, \$9; John J. McCaffrey, 15 hours, \$15; Fred J. McCarthy, 9 hours, \$9; Thomas P. McDavitt, 9 hours, \$9; John H. McElroy, 30 hours, \$30; James S. McKenna, 9 hours, \$9; Daniel J. McLaughlin, 9 hours, \$9; Patrick J. Monahan, 56 hours, \$56; James E. Moore, 30 hours, \$30; Edward A. Morrissey, 9 hours, \$9; Henry W. Muller, 6 hours, \$6; Frederick R. Mulloney, 9 hours, \$9; Martin J. Mulroy, 30 hours, \$30; George J. Murray, 9 hours, \$9; Timothy J. O'Connell, 9 hours, \$9; Joseph J. O'Mara, 87 hours, \$87; Frank R. A. Pingree, 9 hours, \$9; John F. Quinn, 60 hours, \$60; Peter H. Rogers, 21 hours, \$21; Joseph T. Santino, 9 hours, \$9; John J. Shea, Jr., 9 hours, \$9; Thomas E. Shea, Jr., 21 hours, \$21; William J. Sheehan, 9 hours, \$9; William H. Spain, 9 hours, \$9; Cornelius J. Spillane, 9 hours, \$9; William H. Sullivan, 9 hours, \$9; John B. Tracey, 15 hours, \$15.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, November 27:

Main Department.

M. J. Lynch, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; M. Doers, elevator woman, 12 hours, \$3; T. J. Sullivan, elevator man, 36 hours, \$9; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; James Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; George Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; John Burns, ambulance driver, 16½ hours, \$10.73. Total, \$47.74.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Thursday, November 27:

Steamer "Michael J. Perkins."

Charles W. Russell, chief engineer, 13½ hours, \$12.66; Patrick J. Lawler, fireman, 9 hours, \$6.75; William Silinsky, oiler, 9 hours, \$6.75. Total, \$26.16.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Walter J. West, engineer, 1½ days, \$9.75.

John Kelley, engineer, 6 hours, \$4.87.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, November 27:

Patrick J. Gorman, chief engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; Thomas J. Lynch, Patrick McCann, Patrick J. McDermott, John J. McNulty, engineers, 1 day, \$6.33 each; Thomas F. Lomasney, fireman, 1 day, \$6. Total, \$37.99.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 1:

Drawtenders.—M. F. Doyle, Jr., A. G. Turnbull, 1 day, \$5.20 each.

Assistant Drawtenders.—J. J. Skayhan, W. P. Kelleher, J. P. Curry, R. L. McHugh, W. A. Donovan, P. J. McGonagle, W. Higgins, 1 day, \$4.38 each; T. P. Driscoll, ½ day, \$2.19.

Subforemen.—P. J. Henebury, J. D. O'Brien, 2½ days, \$15.

Carpenters.—F. McConn, A. W. Clancy, P. O'Toole, J. J. O'Hearn, C. E. Melanson, E. Hayes, C. J. Gorham, W. J. Walker, 2½ days, \$13.75 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Green, 2½ days, \$10.72.

Watchmen and Laborers.—J. J. Griffin, J. Clabby, E. F. Sullivan, H. M. McLaughlin, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. McManus, 3½ days, \$15.75.

Total, \$227.72.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 1:

Captains.—William J. Ivers, James J. Kelly, Edward R. Gray, Richard L. Searle, Adin C. Small, John J. Belton, Charles F. Crocker, 1 day, \$7.67 each.

Quartermasters.—Francis B. Morrison, Florence W. Sullivan, Patrick F. Kirley, William J. Wilkie, Charles F. Stafford, Henry J. Scaife, Edward C. Crouse, 1 day, \$6 each.

Deckhands.—John Sweeney, Frank N. McGee, Henry J. Hayes, Thomas Doyle, John J. Cooper, George M. Nagle, William J. Kinsman, Rufus W. Scott, Patrick J. A. Conway, John J. Driscoll, John J. Pilcher, Fred P. Craven, James Murphy, 1 day, \$4.75 each; Thomas A. O'Hare, 2½ days, \$11.88.

Tollmen.—Edward L. Fitzgerald, Thomas F. Lynch, Frederick L. Heffron, John D. Mahoney, Henry H. McCarthy, William G. Greenall, Fred C. Horner, James D. Coughlin, Michael F. Powers, James E. Green, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Gatemen.—John R. Dugan, Joseph A. Brown, John E. Nagle, Arthur F. Keefe, James P. Gunn, Walter L. Brown, Walter H. Noyes, John T. Callahan, Lendall P. Rollins, 1 day, \$5.25 each; John D. Collins, 1½ days, \$7.22; Christopher T. Leonard, Edward L. Bonner, 1½ days, \$9.19 each.

Laborers.—Alfred N. Wesberg, John J. Pugh, Jeremiah Donahue, James L. O'Neil, Edward J. Wilkie, John J. Forrest, Edward J. O'Brien, John H. Tyrer, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 3 days, \$16.50.

Engineers.—Daniel F. Rowen, George F. Keating, John T. Quinn, Jeremiah P. Casey, Patrick W. Mackey, Michael J. Kennedy, John J. Reardon, 1 day, \$7.50 each.

Firemen.—Ernest L. Yocum, Daniel H. Marliave, George B. Roddy, Simon Collins, John A. Harrison, Charles Doherty, Nathan McConn, James Dearie, Patrick Flynn, James C. Fitzpatrick, Theodore P. Panopoulos, Henry W. McCusker, Michael D. Hurley, James Porter, Morgan J. Sullivan, John J. Sullivan, John Kelly, August J. Sommers, Edward P. Donahue, Owen Moore, James Carlin, Henry T. McConnell, William Lally, Michael Lee, Frank A. Keenan, James P. Connors, Timothy F. Tierney, Dennis Hannigan, Thomas Murphy, Jeremiah J. McCarthy, Thomas Baggott, Patrick McDevitt, Philip F. Gallagher, Dennis T. Horgan, John W. O'Connell, 1 day, \$6 each.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 1 day, \$5.50.

Total, \$617.67.

Net cost for the week ending Monday, December 1, 1924, \$607.24.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 1:

Laborers.—Elmer Kendall, William Hurley, Michael Sweeney, Christopher Sullivan, James Toomey, Dennis Donovan, Daniel McCormack, George McCormack, Patrick Dolan, Frank Haley, John Devlin, Timothy McCarthy, George Curran, John Doherty, Michael Caine, William Doyle, Arthur Connor, Charles Bleiler, Garrett Sullivan, James Hall, Thomas Minton, Thomas Walsh, Thomas Clark, Thomas Heavey, Thomas Conboy, Charles Devine, 1 day, \$4.50 each; William Jeffers, Frederick Jenness, Patrick Doherty, Luke Kilduff, Louis Johnson, William McLaughlin, Matthew Russell, John Cassano, Edward Barns, 1½ days, \$6.75.

Stablemen.—Maurice Fitzgerald, Alexander McCarthy, Richard O'Neill, Richard Howard, John J. Carroll, Michael Doyle, James McKenney, James Fitzgerald, Michael Barry, William Corrigan, Bartholomew Dunn, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Watchmen.—Timothy Callahan, James Noonan, Daniel Higgins, Thomas O'Keefe, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—William Shaughnessey, 1 day, \$4.75.

Carpenter's Helpers.—John T. Kelly, Michael Maguire, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Yardmen.—Charles Hennrickus, Daniel Anglin, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Daniel Crowley, 2½ days, \$11.25.

Chauffeur-Teamster.—John H. McGrath, 1 day, \$4.50.

Pavers.—Arcangelo Faiella, Coleman Feeley, William Donahue, Philip McGinn, Edward Doherty, Coleman McDonough, Michael Mogan, Cornelius O'Connor, William McCartney, 1½ days, \$8.25 each.

Engineman.—John Mahoney, 1½ day, \$5.16.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 1:

Stablemen.—J. J. O'Connor, G. Stapleton, M. Campbell, J. H. Carey, P. Coffy, P. J. Downey, 2d; R. G. Purcell, M. Carroll, F. Calbag, J. Curran, J. H. Kelly, J. Keyes, W. Knightley, W. Magee, J. McCaffrey, J. O'Halloran, T. J. Shea, J. Sullivan, J. Fay, F. J. Kane, M. Quirk, J. L. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Laborers-Teamsters.—J. J. O'Connor, G. Stapleton, J. Campbell, W. J. Burke, J. A. McNutt, W. J. McCarthy, T. M. Williams, M. S. Ryan, W. F. Carmody, T. F. Carroll, T. F. Cashman, P. Cassino, M. J. Connolly, J. J. Corrigan, J. J. Curran, J. F. Dargon, J. C. Donovan, J. Fahy, E. F. Gardner, A. E. Jose, P. Norton, D. F. O'Neil, D. F. Shea, J. T. Westwater, J. Wilmouth, J. J. Spillane, J. J. Dwyer, J. F. Cavinaro, F. Cunningham, J. J. Gavin, R. J. Hughes, K. F. Kenney, J. J. Lannon, L. W. Lawler, J. McGaffigan, W. McGahey, M. F. McGrath, J. O'Brien, L. Powers, M. Shaller, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Watchmen.—T. M. Croake, W. F. Ryan, P. J. Downey 1st, P. Doyle, J. Moore, J. Fay, M. J. Gately, P. Griffin, J. J. O'Neil, T. Riley, P. J. Griffin, J. J. Fleming, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeders.—J. Canny, W. Cassell, J. E. Burn, P. Eagan, 1 day, \$1.75 each.

Blacksmith.—W. J. O'Brien, ½ day, \$2.75.

Blacksmith's Assistant.—C. J. Sullivan, ½ day, \$2.38.

Wharfman.—P. J. Kellard, 1 day, \$5.

Feeders.—J. L. Hennessey, 2 days, \$9.50.

Stableman.—C. J. Haley, 2½ days, \$12.38.

Teamsters.—J. P. W. Callahan, T. Dwyer, W. McManus, 1½ days, \$20.25.

Teamsters-Laborers.—M. J. Connolly, M. Cronin, G. Guiffredo, J. McGaffigan, J. F. O'Brien, F. Ruggiero, C. E. Vilello, ¾ day, \$3.80 each.

Yardman.—J. Cassell, 1 day, \$4.50.

Wharfman.—J. Fay, 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$436.92.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 1:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2½ days, \$12.50 each; Michael Brady, 1½ days, \$7.50; James Clancy, Michael Foley, ½ day, \$2.50 each; Thomas Byrne, ¾ day, \$3.56.

Chauffeur.—Charles Caffrey, ½ day, \$2.50.

Laborers.—Thomas Casey, Frank Desmond, Michael McMahon, 2½ days, \$11.25 each; James Gavin, Jeremiah Walsh, Peter King, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Patrick Barry, John English, John O'Neill, John Connors, John Lomasney,

Andrew Flaherty, Thomas Flaherty, Michael Clance, Joseph Huber, James Barry, John Delaney, Bernard Brady, John Henshon, Michael Vaughan, Timothy Driscoll, Malachi Hanley, John Crowley, Thomas Kelly, James McCarthy, Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4.50 each; Daniel McKenna, James McNabb, 2 day, \$2.25 each.

Assistant Engineers.—John McCarthy, Thomas Maher, William Bragger, 1 day, \$7.17 each.

Oilers, Firemen, Filth Hoist and Gatemen.—John Jordan, Philip Lamb, Joseph Sullivan, Thomas Burden, Martin Mullin, Andrew Calnan, Jeremiah Delaney, John Drillio, Edward Collins, Patrick Curley, John Doherty, Patrick Powell, John McGowan, Garrett Conlon, Garrett Connolly, Patrick Keeley, James Fitzgerald, Patrick Keating, Richard Tobin, Christopher Kenney, Patrick Thornton, 1 day, \$6 each.

Total, \$339.57.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 1:

Teamsters.—M. J. Hurley, J. M. McGrath, T. O'Malley, P. F. Scanlan, T. Ormand, P. Callahan, G. McColgan, J. O'Donnell, W. O'Brien, D. Powers, J. DeCoursey, P. McManus, J. P. Barnes, P. F. Daley, T. F. Graham, J. J. Jones, G. F. Keegan, W. Batts, W. Gorman, W. E. Harnett, M. J. McCormack, J. J. McHugh, J. Moriarty, J. Whelton, J. Holland, G. F. Riley, H. A. Burdon, P. Canney, M. Cashman, M. T. Clougherty, P. Costello, R. DeCillio, R. Della Russo, F. DiMatteo, J. F. Doherty, J. Donahue, J. J. Glancy, B. F. Glynn, E. Grant, E. J. Kelley, A. P. McArdle, H. J. McCarron, M. T. McCarthy, D. P. Minihan, L. Pace, D. Partello, D. J. Callahan, D. Donovan, J. J. Dowdal, M. Fallon, M. Finn, T. W. Fitzmorris, J. B. Foley, F. H. Granville, J. J. Hines, P. F. Hogan, L. V. Kilduff, D. Kobylski, J. M. Kramer, J. D. Lyons, J. J. McDonald, J. J. Rogers, J. J. Slattey, M. A. Weidman, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. J. O'Connell, C. J. Crowley, J. F. Brown, J. J. Daley, L. Davis, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, W. Dwyer, 2 days, \$9 each.

Feeders.—J. J. Shea, C. Sullivan, L. McGahan, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Total, \$387.75.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 1:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 2 days, \$10 each; J. Burns, 1½ days, \$7.50.

Emergency men.—J. Doherty, M. Donohue, A. Christie, 1 day, \$5.50 each; M. Carney, W. Rice, T. Kinahan, 1 day \$4.75 each; H. McCauley, 2 days, \$9.50; W. Lonergan, R. Curcio, T. Flanagan, W. Fitzimmons, J. Mahan, M. McCue, J. Roust, P. Clougherty, 1 day, \$4.50 each; J. Gately, 1 day, \$5.25; J. Kelley, 1 day, \$5.

Repairers.—M. Daley, 3 day, \$1.97; E. Rafferty, 2½ days, \$12.50; A. LoPilato, 2 days, \$9.50; W. Scanlon, 2 days, \$11; J. Dolan, 1 day, \$5; C. Driscoll, 3 day, \$2.06; J. Blessington, 1½ days, \$6.88; J. Reily, 3 day, \$1.97; T. Byrnes, 3 day, \$4.13; M. Matthews, 2½ days, \$14.38; J.

Cummings, 1½ days, \$6.19; M. Rizzo, 3 day, \$3.56; T. Rose, 1½ days, \$8.75; P. Baretti, 3 day, \$0.84; F. Caporizzo, 3 day, \$2.53; H. Pitrolo, 3 day, \$0.84; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50; J. Manning, 3 day, \$0.84; J. McLean, 1 day, \$5; L. Morgan, 1 day, \$4.75.

Laborers.—D. Shea, T. Donovan, P. McCarthy, D. Hagerty, E. Kelley, E. Sullivan, I. Klein, D. Murphy, P. Finnerty, J. Leary, J. McCauley, P. McGuinness, F. Willhauck, P. Cassidy, J. Cunningham, E. Fay, T. Mulvey, 1 day, \$4.50 each; B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, J. M. O'Toole, E. Pyne, T. Toolin, 2 days, \$9 each; P. Waters, 2 days, \$9; P. Coleman, 2½ days, \$11.88; J. McDonald, 3 day, \$0.84; J. Sullivan, 3 day, \$0.84; T. O'Brien, 3 day, \$0.89; M. Barron, J. O'Toole, 1½ days, \$6.75; G. Cunningham, 3 days, \$14.25; C. Joyce, 3½ days, \$15.75; M. Connolly, 2 days, \$9.

Total, \$483.19; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$477.69.

MAYOR CURLEY CALLS FOR CONFERENCE OF CITY AND TOWN OFFICIALS ON PHONE RATES.

Mayor Curley, on December 4, sent the following letter to the mayors of all cities and the chairmen of all boards of selectmen of towns in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

DEAR SIR,—The City of Boston, through its Corporation Counsel, E. Mark Sullivan, has been combatting the increases requested by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company during the past year. The city government of Boston has appropriated the sum of \$20,000 for the prosecution of this work.

The rate increase petitions, for the combatting of which this money had been appropriated, were minor in their importance as contrasted with the schedule of rates filed upon December 1 by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company. The action of the city in opposing the original rate increases by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company was predicated upon the belief that the State Public Utilities Commission was responsive only to the desires of the public service corporations operating in the Commonwealth.

The attitude of the Public Utilities Commission of the Commonwealth during the progress of the hearings upon the request for increase in rates filed by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company early in the year has been decidedly hostile to those protesting in behalf of the people against the proposed increases. The case has assumed, as a consequence of the increased rates now demanded, such proportions as to render it both advisable and necessary that the officials of every city and town join together for the protection of the telephone users of the Commonwealth.

A meeting will be held for the purpose of organization and determination of a course of action with respect to petitions for increases that have been filed by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company at the Council Chamber, City Hall, Boston, upon Monday, December 8, at 12 noon.

Trusting you will find it possible to attend or send a representative to this meeting, I beg to remain,

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Upon December 3 the Mayor approved a contract with the Atlantic Works for repairing the hull of ferryboat "Ralph J. Palumbo." Bids for the work, opened December 1, were as follows.

The Atlantic Works, \$6,209; Murray Engineering Company, \$6,575; R. T. Green Company, \$6,808; Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation, Limited, \$9,637.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon December 2 the Mayor approved a contract with DeCristofaro & Brothers Company for laying and relaying water pipes in Church street, Greaton road, Russett road, Theodore Parker road, West Roxbury; Duxbury road, Dorchester, and Glencoe street, Brighton. Bids for the work, opened November 28, were as follows:

DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, \$3,875.50; C. Russo, \$4,061.50; M. DeSisto Company, \$4,096.50; Vozzella & Capone, \$4,292; John T. Shea, Jr., \$5,042; L. Balboni, \$5,078; John Williams & Co., \$5,580.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 1 the Mayor approved a contract with the Mohawk Packing Company for furnishing meats to the various city departments during December, 1924. Bids for the supply, opened November 28, were as follows:

Boston Sanatorium.

800 Pounds Rib Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound.

700 Pounds Sirloins.—Mohawk Packing Company, 31 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 23 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 24 cents per pound.

800 Pounds Under Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 17 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 16 cents per pound.

200 Pounds Beef Bones.—Mohawk Packing Company, 3 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 2 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 2 cents per pound.

200 Pounds Corned Beef Brisket.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 13½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 13 cents per pound.

300 Pounds Short Hips.—Mohawk Packing Company, 26 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 22 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 24 cents per pound.

1,400 Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 32 cents per pound.

500 Pounds Pork Loins.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound.

300 Pounds Bacon.—Mohawk Packing Company, 23 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound.

225 Pounds Ham.—Mohawk Packing Company, 23 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 19½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound.

300 Pounds Veal Fores.—Mohawk Packing Company, 11 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 10 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9 cents per pound.

100 Pounds Veal Legs.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 17 cents per pound.

100 Pounds Sausage.—Mohawk Packing Company, 31 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 30 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 32 cents per pound.

48 Pounds Lamb Legs.—Mohawk Packing Company, 25 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 23 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound.

600 Pounds Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 25 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 24 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,577.75; J. C. Glynn & Co., \$1,376.41; William A. Doe Company, \$1,325.56.

Institutions Department.

Long Island Hospital.

960 Pounds Pork Loins.—Mohawk Packing Company, 22 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound.

3,000 Pounds Corned Beef Stickers.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 9½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9 cents per pound.

800 Pounds Corned Beef Brisket.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 18½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 18 cents per pound.

800 Pounds Rib Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound.

1,200 Pounds Hams.—Mohawk Packing Company, 23 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 19½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound.

1,440 Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 30 cents per pound.

1,800 Pounds Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound.

3,000 Pounds Lamb.—Mohawk Packing Company, 25 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 24 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 20 cents per pound.

320 Pounds Frankfurt Sausage.—Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound.

250 Pounds Bacon.—Mohawk Packing Company, 23 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 20 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 22 cents per pound.

272 Pounds Lamb Fores.—Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 15 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 14 cents per pound.

280 Pounds Pork Sausage.—Mohawk Packing Company, 31 cents per pound;

J. C. Glynn & Co., 29 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 32 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$2,999.10; J. C. Glynn & Co., \$2,747.80; William A. Doe Company, \$2,495.48.

Deer Island.

4,500 Pounds Stickers.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 9½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9 cents per pound.

1,500 Pounds Under Cuts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 18 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 17 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 16 cents per pound.

640 Pounds Lamb Saddles.—Mohawk Packing Company, 29 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 27 cents per pound.

160 Pounds Fowl.—Mohawk Packing Company, 32 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 28 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 32 cents per pound.

700 Pounds Frankfurts.—Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound.

700 Pounds Short Ribs.—Mohawk Packing Company, 21 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound.

800 Pounds Hinds.—Mohawk Packing Company, 20 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 19 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 19 cents per pound.

800 Pounds Forequarters.—Mohawk Packing Company, 11½ cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 11 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 10 cents per pound.

1,000 Pounds Bologna.—Mohawk Packing Company, 15 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 14 cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 15 cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$1,616.80; J. C. Glynn & Co., \$1,523.10; William A. Doe Company, \$1,495.

Park Department.

2,000 Pounds Chucks.—Mohawk Packing Company, 10 cents per pound; J. C. Glynn & Co., 10½ cents per pound; William A. Doe Company, 9½ cents per pound.

Total.—Mohawk Packing Company, \$200; J. C. Glynn & Co., \$210; William A. Doe Company, \$190.

Upon December 1 the Mayor approved a decision to purchase hay for the various city departments in the open market. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Attached please find list of bids for furnishing grain to the various city departments during December, 1924, which were publicly opened and read on November 28, 1924. No bids were called for this month on hay because of misunderstanding among the several dealers as to the new federal grades on hay, and I deem it advisable to purchase hay this month in the open market. I have instructed Mr. Dunn, who is the New England federal inspector on hay and grain, to purchase hay for one month in the open market in order that dealers may familiarize themselves with the new federal gradings on hay.

Trusting that this meets with your approval, I am,

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

BIDDER.	No. 2 Oats.	Shorts.
SOUTH BOSTON.		
Lord & Webster Company	\$0 68	
William Culkeen & Sons Company	66½	*\$35 00
John J. White Company	70½	42 00
Sumner, Crosby & Son, Inc.	* 66	36 00
EAST BOSTON.		
Lord & Webster Company	68	
William Culkeen & Sons Company	66½	* 35 00
John J. White Company	70½	42 00
Sumner Crosby & Son, Inc.	* 66	36 00
CHARLESTOWN.		
Lord & Webster Company	68	
William Culkeen & Sons Company	66½	* 35 00
John J. White Company	70½	42 00
Sumner Crosby & Son, Inc.	* 66	36 00
CITY PROPER.		
Lord & Webster Company	68	
William Culkeen & Sons Company	66½	* 35 00
John J. White Company	70½	42 00
Sumner Crosby & Son, Inc.	* 66	36 00
ROXBURY.		
Landy Brothers	67½	37 00
Lord & Webster Company	68	
William Culkeen & Sons Company		* 35 00
John J. White Company	70½	42 00
Sumner Crosby & Son, Inc.	* 66	36 00
DORCHESTER.		
Landy Brothers	* 67½	* 37 00
Lord & Webster Company	68	
John J. White Company	70½	42 00
WEST ROXBURY.		
Landy Brothers	* 67½	* 37 00
Lord & Webster Company	68	
BRIGHTON.		
Ogden & Thompson	* 67½	
HYDE PARK.		
Landy Brothers	* 67½	* 37 00

* Awarded contracts.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 13 the Mayor approved a contract with the C. & R. Construction Company for building water pipe platform and blocking on Blakemore Street Bridge. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, November 12, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston:

Authority is respectfully requested to the award of a contract for building water pipe platform and blocking 12-inch water pipe on Blakemore Street Bridge, Mt. Hope district, West Roxbury, to the C. & R. Construction Company, 67 Harrison street, West Roxbury, without inviting proposals by advertisement, at an estimated cost of \$710.

This authority is requested for the reason that the work to be done requires a man experienced in bridge carpentering as well as pipe laying, as in addition to furnishing and replacing stringers, flooring, etc., the 12-inch pipe will have to be realigned, calked, etc. And inasmuch as it is imperative that this work be done

with all possible speed, the award of the contract to the C. & R. Construction Company will be for the best interest of the city.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 28 the Mayor approved the request of the Supply Department to sell material. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, November 26, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to sell the following material belonging to the Boston City Hospital, the approximate value of which is \$250.

15,960 8 by 10 X-ray plates (old); 4,180 11 by 14 X-ray plates (old); 4,180 14 by 17 X-ray plates (old).

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon December 1 the Mayor approved a contract with the Rotary Snow Plow Company for one snow plow. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, November 29, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract to the Rotary Snow Plow Company of 529 Second avenue, South Minneapolis, Minn., for furnishing to the Park Department one Snow King rotary plow to be mounted on a 10-ton Holt tractor at \$3,000, f. o. b., Minneapolis, Minn.

The Park Department have had this plow under observation for two years and after investigation believe that it is the best type of plow for their department. This type of plow is in use in the town of Brookline as well as in the cities of Minneapolis and New York, and has proved very efficient.

I feel that the best interests of the city will be served by accepting this recommendation, and trusting that the permission requested will be granted, I am

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon December 1 the Mayor approved a contract with the Dyar Sales and Machinery Company for one 10-ton Holt tractor. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, November 29, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to award a contract, without advertising, to the Dyar Sales & Machinery Company for furnishing to the Park Department one 10-ton Holt tractor, standard equipment which includes the following: Complete set of grouzers for snow and mud work. Complete set of tools, grease guns and open clevises at \$6,540, f. o. b., Boston; one closed cab at \$240; electric lights with battery, \$150; making total price f. o. b., Boston, \$6,840.

The Park Department have had this tractor under observation for the past two years and have investigated the

merit of the tractor very thoroughly and feel that this type of tractor is the one they desire for use in their department. The town of Brookline and the cities of Minneapolis and New York are now using this type of tractor, and find it most satisfactory.

I feel that the best interests of the city will be served by awarding this contract as recommended.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Additions, amounting to \$1,285, on contract with S. J. Tomasello for Portland cement concrete pavement in Mifley road, West Roxbury, on account of removing twenty-five trees and stumps; and furnishing and placing crushed stone foundation as directed. Original contract, \$13,836.35; total additions, \$9,330; contract as standing, \$23,166.35.

Additions, amounting to \$1,041, on contract with Henry F. Malley for artificial stone sidewalks in Lake and Shannon streets, Brighton; Water street, Charlestown; Conley, Dix, Evans, Percival, Robin Hood, Roslin streets, Windermere road and Wrentham street, Dorchester; Evergreen, Marshfield and Round Hill streets, Roxbury; St. Rose and Williams streets, West Roxbury, on account of hauling blocks from Evans street to Evergreen street; removing tree; grading roadway where directed to conform to grade of gutter; excavating excess material above finished grade of edgestone and gutters; cutting edgestone and constructing driveways where directed at locations not shown on plans. Original contract, \$27,649.07; total additions, \$2,472; contract as standing, \$30,121.07.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$345, on contract with Michael H. Loonie for sewerage works in Locust street, Dorchester, on account of furnishing extra labor for excavating, removing sheeting, resheeting trench, pumping, etc., due to not finding intercepting sewer in location as shown on plan. Original contract, \$3,093; total addition, \$345; contract as standing, \$3,438.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$600, on contract with DeCristofaro & Brothers Company, for laying and relaying water pipes in Cleveland circle, Sutherland road, Commonwealth avenue, Colonial road, Brighton, on account of assisting department masons building brick chambers, oiling gates, testing pipe line, placing concrete piers back of 24-inch bends and branches, and furnishing and placing concrete paving base. Original contract, \$16,912.50; total additions, \$725; contract as standing, \$17,637.50.

An addition, amounting to \$75, on contract with A. Cefalo for laying and relaying water pipes in West Roxbury parkway on account of furnishing extra labor, setting and regulating gate and air cock boxes due to changes on roadway by the Massachusetts District Commis-

sion. Original contract, \$4,327.50; total addition, \$75; contract as standing, \$4,402.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

J. Slotnik Company have been allowed the following additions to contract for the Dorchester High School for boys as per architect's letter of November 13, 1924. Additions: For erecting wrought iron and chain link fences; for laying concrete paths and road; for laying water bound macadam roadway and grading and seeding, \$60,002. Deduction: Macadam drive and brick paved walks, \$4,425. Net addition, \$55,577. All as shown on drawing dated October 22, 1924. Contract price, \$871,911; total additions, \$131,848.94; total deductions, \$8,500; amount of contract, \$995,259.94.

John Bowen Company have been allowed the following additions to contract for the Winship School as per architect's letter of November 17, 1924. Additions: 37.4 cubic yards rock excavation at \$15, \$561; overtime work, \$5,965.94; plastering and lathing walls and ceiling, corridor, cooking and dining rooms and nailing furrings and picture moldings, \$660.75; rebuilding masonry arch Rooms 8 and 9 and brickwork over chimney flues, \$441.58; oak sheathing in corridors, \$207.40; constructing additional water closet compartments in basement and moldings in storeroom, \$433.33; plumbing for new compartments, plus general contractor's 10 per cent, \$512.60; stone sills, bluestone chimney caps, \$442.88; extra steel for stair landings and additional kalamein door and frame, \$650; removing old wardrobes and sheathing and patching floors, \$96.68; 6 Wetmore & Savage T. R. V. units, plus general contractor's 10 per cent, \$71.50. Total addition, \$10,043.66. Deductions: Repair of driveway, \$250; excavation 37.4 cubic yards at \$3, \$112; total deduction, \$362.20; net addition, \$9,681.46. Contract price, \$135,000; total additions, \$11,796.16; total deductions, \$1,600; amount of contract, \$145,196.16.

Thomas O'Connor & Company have been allowed additions to contract for the Roxbury High School for Girls as follows: Open rock blasting and excavation, 1,544.6 cubic yards at \$7.50 per cubic yard, \$11,584.50; trench rock blasting and excavation, 1,566.84 cubic yards at \$12 per cubic yard, \$18,802.08; total \$30,386.58, as per architect's letter of November 21, 1924. Contract price, \$1,437,130; total additions, \$151,980.63; total deductions, \$153,000; amount of contract, \$1,436,110.63.

Alco Contracting Company have been allowed to deduct the following from contract for the Samuel Adams District School: Allowance, shrubs, Section 4, page 37, \$500; allowance, hardware, Section 12, page 107, \$10,000; total, \$10,500, as per architect's letter of November 10, 1924. Contract price, \$630,476; total deductions, \$10,500; amount of contract, \$619,976.

Alco Contracting Company have been allowed to deduct the allowance for shrubs, Section 4, page 34, as per architect's letter of November 12, 1924, from contract for the Mather District School, \$1,000. Contract price, \$469,500; total deductions, \$1,000; amount of contract, \$468,500.

Alco Contracting Company have been allowed to deduct the allowance for finish hardware, Section 12, page 98, as per architect's letter of November 12, 1924, on contract for the Mather District School, \$4,500. Contract price, \$469,500; total deductions, \$5,500; amount of contract, \$464,000.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows: A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Freeland street, bounded: North by another part of Freeland street six feet; east by the same, by two measurements, one hundred thirty-three and 26-100 feet and one hundred twenty-one and 90-100 feet; south by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes in Freeland street September 19, 1921, six and 14-100 feet; and west by another part of Freeland street, by two measurements, one hundred twenty and 10-100 feet and one hundred thirty-two and 74-100 feet; containing fifteen hundred and twenty-two square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 250 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Freeland street northerly from easement taken in said street for sewerage purposes September 19, 1921, for a distance of about 254 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the easterly side of Freeland street for a distance of about 200 feet southerly from Eskridge street, and the lots of abutting land on the westerly side of Freeland street, for a distance of about 227 feet southerly from Eskridge street will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, each of the particular lots to the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 591, Sewerage Works, Freeland Street, Dorchester, October 20, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. John F. Stackpole, trustee.....	\$75 00
2. Peter J. Galvin, Teresa A. Galvin..	75 00
3. John F. Stackpole, trustee.....	90 00
4. John F. Stackpole, trustee.....	75 00
5. Inga O. Jacobson.....	67 50
6. Gertrude E. Gilholm.....	64 50
7. Dinah B. Rhodes.....	66 00
8. John F. Stackpole, trustee.....	90 00
9. Walter M. Harding.....	90 00
Total.....	\$693 00

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith, Standard and Beryl streets, Pond View avenue and Redlands road. Items ordered: Grade approaches as directed in Redlands road. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$125.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing a Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith, Standard and Beryl streets, Pond View avenue and Redlands road. Items ordered: Grade approaches as directed in Standard street. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$500.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith, Standard and Beryl streets, Pond View avenue and Redlands road. Items ordered: Remove tree on Dalkeith street not shown on plan. Price to be paid, the sum of \$75. Estimated cost of extra work, \$75.

B. E. Grant Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing recut granite block pavement in Congress, Pearl and Water streets, and as extended to include Franklin street. Items ordered: (1) Reset sidewalk flagging to grade where directed. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost, \$30. (2) Remove surplus material and excavate below subgrade where directed. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost, \$90. Estimated cost of extra work (total), \$120.

Martin F. Gaddis has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing a recut granite block pavement in High street, Kingston street and South street. Items ordered: Furnish fifteen barrels of Lumnite cement to be used for grouting on South street at the intersection of Summer street. Price to be paid, the sum of \$5.35 for each barrel of cement used. Estimated cost of extra work, \$81.

Henry F. Malley has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Lake, Shannon, Water, etc., streets. Items ordered: Cut edgestone and construct driveways where directed at locations not shown on plans. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$325.

Henry F. Malley has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Lake, Shannon, Water, etc., streets. Items ordered: Grade roadway where directed in Wrentham street to conform to grade of gutter. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$56.

Henry F. Malley has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Lake, Shannon, Water, etc., streets. Items ordered: Excavate excess material above finished grade of edgestone and gutters in Marshfield street, from Robey street to Norfolk avenue. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$465.

Henry F. Malley has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone

sidewalks in Lake, Shannon, Water, etc., streets. Items ordered: Haul blocks from Evans street to Evergreen street. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$95.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith, Standard and Beryl streets, Pond View avenue and Redlands road. Items ordered: Grade approaches as directed in New England avenue. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$100.

Henry F. Malley has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Lake, Shannon, Water, etc., streets. Items ordered: Remove tree in Round Hill street. Price to be paid, the sum of \$80. Estimated cost of extra work, \$80.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith, Standard, Beryl streets, Pond View avenue and Redlands road. Items ordered: Remove trees, bushes, etc., as directed in New England avenue. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost of extra work, \$100.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith, Standard, Beryl streets, Pond View avenue and Redlands road. Items ordered: Excavate below grade and place and roll gravel filling in Pond View avenue. Price to be paid: For each cubic yard excavated and gravel filling placed and rolled, the sum of \$2. Estimated cost of extra work, \$900.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith, Standard, Beryl streets, Pond View avenue and Redlands road. Items ordered: Lay cinder sidewalks, 6 inches in depth, as directed, in New England avenue. Price to be paid: For each square yard cinder sidewalks laid, the sum of 40 cents. Estimated cost of extra work, \$250.

V. Barletta has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Humphrey street, Dorchester. Items ordered: Removing and shifting bracing on sewer construction to lay water pipes to proper grade, etc. Estimated cost of extra work, \$395.

A. G. Tomasello & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing a Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Dalkeith, Standard, etc., streets. Items ordered: Lay artificial stone sidewalks in New England avenue on the approaches at each side of Colonial avenue and Southern avenue. Price to be paid, the same as that bid for similar work in this contract. Estimated cost of extra work, \$110.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

John E. Redman and Catherine E. Redman have agreed to accept the sum of \$50 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to their estate on Imrie road by the laying-out and construction of said street under the order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 15, 1920.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 28 TO DECEMBER 3.

NOVEMBER 28.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Max Bloom.....	Rear of 1265-1299 Blue Hill avenue.	21	First-class garage.....	\$5,000
Vincenzo Pepi.....	Rear of 18 Abbotsford st.	16	First-class garage.....	1,000
Eleanor G. McNulty.....	Rear of 60 White street.	1	First-class garage.....	1,500
Thomas Gately.....	Rear of 41 Clifford street.	16	First-class garage.....	900
Young Men's Hebrew Association.	285 Humboldt avenue.....	16	First-class club house.....	45,000
A. L. Gardner.....	89 and 91 Gold street.....	9	First-class garage.....	2,000
Ellen G. Lally.....	93 and 95 Gold street.....	9	First-class garage.....	2,000
Etta Lechter.....	97 Munroe street.....	16	First-class garage.....	1,000
Assas Mudarri <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 74 Adams street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	800
James Cooper <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 15 Garden street.....	23	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Arthur E. Dorr.....	290 Beacon street.....	8	Second-class boiler house.....	400
Catherine A. White.....	5 Duxbury road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
Catherine A. White.....	7 Duxbury road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
Clayton L. Havey.....	108 Ardale street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Mrs. E. M. Stanton.....	251 Cottage road.....	23	Third-class garage.....	400
Chester P. Cross.....	110 Beacon street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
John Lasman.....	66 Dale street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Madeline C. Strassel.....	20 Pierpont road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
Bill A. Nelson, Inc.....	8 Friendship road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Young Men's Hebrew Association.	108 Seaver street.....	16	Alterations, club house.....	5,000
F. Ames.....	8 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Alterations, storage.....	500
Morris Freedman.....	136 D street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	450
Bailey Manufacturing Company.	732 East Broadway.....	10	Alterations, store and manufacturing.....	500
A. W. Perry, Inc.....	453 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.....	300
A. H. Copley.....	1148 Washington street.....	21	Alterations, store and dwelling.....	2,000
Insurance and Building Corporation.	40 Broad street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.....	9,000
C. S. Merrill.....	4 Walnut street.....	5	Alterations, apartments.....	850

NOVEMBER 29.

Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 5 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 6 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 7 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 8 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 9 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 10 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 11 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 12 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 13 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 14 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 16 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
Morris Hatoff.....	Rear of 17 Cleaves street.....	15	First-class garage.....	1,000
P. J. Brady.....	3712-3724 Washington street.....	22	First-class stores.....	50,000
P. J. Brady.....	3712-3724 Washington street.....	22	Second-class garage.....	10,000
D. Yarchin <i>et al.</i>	70 Fenway.....	7	Second-class tenements.....	100,000
D. Yarchin <i>et al.</i>	74 Fenway.....	7	Second-class tenements.....	100,000
Hermene Boucher.....	215 Beech street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
Anna M. Flanagan.....	77 West Milton street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
S. A. Scoreg.....	623 La Grange street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	450

DECEMBER 1.

Gaetano Di Lorenzo <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 9 Cobdman street.....	1	First-class garage.....	\$1,200
Manuel Conchado.....	Rear of 68 Cohasset street.....	23	First-class garage.....	600
Cornelius J. Harrington.....	82 Brent street.....	20	First-class garage.....	1,000
Mrs. K. A. McManus.....	19 Whiting street.....	16	First-class garage.....	900
James M. Burr.....	35 Landsdowne street.....	8	Second-class light manufacturing.....	25,000
N. N. Meshaka.....	4805 Washington street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Harris H. Etter.....	26 Edson street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Maurice Weiner.....	52 Hazleton street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Maurice Weiner.....	56 Hazleton street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
T. J. McGann.....	Rear of 9 Reddy avenue.....	24	Third-class garage.....	394
J. M. Dowling.....	Rear of 28 Hiawatha road.....	24	Third-class garage.....	200
William Dowling.....	Rear of 55 Oakland street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	350
C. E. Parsons.....	Rear of 90 Wood avenue.....	24	Third-class garage.....	350
James Sawyer.....	255 Walnut avenue.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,500
Clarence W. Touse.....	559-569 Washington street.....	26	Alterations, stores.....	850
Brazer Building Trust.....	27 State street.....	5	Alterations, offices.....	1,500
Earl E. Hockman.....	99 Rosindale avenue.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	4,000
G. Gostanian <i>et al.</i>	49 Blue Hill avenue.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,250
G. Gostanian <i>et al.</i>	51 Blue Hill avenue.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,250
Earl E. Hockman.....	20 Irma street.....	21	Alterations, dwelling.....	200
Quincy Market Cold Storage and Warehouse Company.....	69 Eastern avenue.....	5	Alterations, powerhouse.....	2,000
Brighton Cement Block Co.....	235 North Beacon street.....	26	Take-down, stable.....	50

DECEMBER 2.

Beth Israel Hospital Association.	330 Brookline avenue.....	14	First-class hospital.....	\$150,000
Sarah A. Gaffney.....	9 Shelby street.....	1	First-class garage.....	1,200
Julia Kelly.....	Rear of 61A Bynner street.....	14	Second-class garage.....	1,500
Julia Kelly.....	Rear of 61B Bynner street.....	14	Second-class garage.....	1,800
Julia Kelly.....	Rear of 61C Bynner street.....	14	Second-class garage.....	1,500
Julia Kelly.....	Rear of 61D Bynner street.....	14	Second-class garage.....	1,000
R. W. Steelman.....	21A Eastman street.....	11	Second-class garage.....	800
Bickford-Hayes Company.....	21B Eastman street.....	11	Second-class garage.....	800
John J. Casey.....	805 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	Special support.....	800
Mauritz Casperson.....	Rear of 119 Bennett street.....	26	Third-class garage.....	600
Geneveffa Corea.....	Rear of 49 Clifford street.....	23	Third-class garage.....	200
Alice G. Sullivan.....	Rear of 26 Atherton avenue.....	24	Third-class garage.....	600
Carolina Ciampa.....	Rear of 25 Hunnewell ave.....	26	Third-class garage.....	500
A. T. Douse.....	87 Claymoss road.....	25	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
A. T. Douse.....	29 Bates road.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Joseph Milder, 1000 Harrison avenue, Ward 12, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

National Used Auto Parts Company, 6 Northampton street, Ward 12, acetylene and oxygen.

Sarah A. Gaffney, 9 Shelby street, Ward 1, group garage, four cars.

Boston Elevated Railway Company, Western avenue, Ward 26, additional location.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Russell street, Ward 3, erect three poles.

Edison Company, Hazleton street, Ward 21, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Company, Havelock street, Ward 21, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Company, River street, Ward 24, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Company, Beech street, Ward 23, erect and remove two poles.

Edison Company, Nottingham road, Ward 25, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Company, Charlemont street, Ward 20, erect and remove one pole.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Sunset street, Ward 14, erect one pole.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Chaucer street, Ward 1, erect one pole.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Goldsmith street, Ward 22, erect two poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Leyden street, Ward 1, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, P street, Ward 10, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Johnson street, Ward 23, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and Edison Company, Mascoma street, Ward 18, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Dix street, Ward 20, erect one pole.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Mt. Vernon street, Ward 25, erect three poles.

Edison Company, Ernst street, Ward 15, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Mozart street, Ward 15, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Brainerd road, Ward 25, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Louder's lane, Ward 22, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Bromley park, Ward 15, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Greenwood avenue, Ward 24, erect two poles.

Edison Company, East Ninth street, Ward 11, erect six poles.

J. Becker, 1434 and 1436 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 21, four cars.

A. Caponigro, 442 Saratoga street, Ward 1, four cars, four units.

Thomas M. Corder *et al.*, 648-652 East Sixth street, Ward 10, four cars.

Francis B. Doherty, 2 Bellflower street, Ward 11, five units, seven cars additional.

Earnesto Filippone, 196 Chestnut avenue, Ward 22, group garage, six units, six cars.

Hattie E. Fisher, 587 East Seventh street, Ward 10, six units, six cars.

Anthony Ivas, 421 Old Colony avenue, Ward 11, maintaining business garage.

Zobia Strigun, 221-225 I street, Ward 10, five cars additional.

Mabel N. Tracy, 155 Highland street, Ward 15, group garage, eighteen units, eighteen cars.

Edison Company, Woodville avenue, Ward 12, remove one pole.

Edison Company, Tolman street, Ward 20, remove one pole.

Edison Company, Fullerton street, Ward 8, remove one pole.

Joseph Burwen, 1344-1366 Columbus avenue, Ward 13, 5,000 gallons gasoline.

Catherine J. Sullivan, Tennyson street, Ward 8,

Stanley Chmiell, 1410 Columbia road, Ward 10, 1,000 gallons gasoline.

Stanley Chmiell, 145 G street, Ward 10, public garage and 100 gallons gasoline.

Edison Company, Snow street, Ward 25, one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, North Harvard street, Ward 26, remove four poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Westford street, Ward 26, extend time for erection.

Edison Company, Germania street, Ward 22, erect one pole.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Sycamore street, Ward 23, erect two poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Prospect avenue, Ward 23, erect one pole.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Falcon street, Ward 1, erect two poles.

Charles Cole, 80 Loyola street, Ward 16 twenty-four unit.

MILITARY AID IN SOLVING BOSTON'S TRAFFIC PROBLEMS DENIED BY WAR DEPARTMENT.

Mayor Curley on November 28 received the following communication from Gen. J. D. Barrette, Commanding Headquarters First Corps Area, Boston:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR MR. CURLEY,—On receipt of your letter of October 9 requesting a survey and study by officers of the Corps of Engineers as to ways and means of improving traffic conditions in Boston, we forwarded the letter to the Adjutant General for the action of the Secretary of War, recommending favorable consideration.

I am just in receipt of a letter from the Adjutant General stating that the Secretary of War has given your request careful consideration but that he is unable to give his approval due to the very clear decision of the Comptroller General to the effect that, unless especially authorized by law, the assignment of officers to any duty not strictly of a military nature is unlawful and operates to deprive the personnel so assigned of the pay and emoluments of the grade which they hold.

The Secretary of War further states that he recognizes the very difficult traffic problems confronting the City of Boston and regrets his inability to lend the aid requested.

I would like to add my own sincere regret that we are unable to assist you in the important matter under consideration.

I am, with greatest respect,

Very sincerely yours,

J. D. BARRETTE,
Brigadier General, U. S. Army,
Commanding.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 28 TO DECEMBER 3.

DECEMBER 2.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Myer Feldman	43 Hosmer street	21	Third-class dwelling	12,000
Myer Feldman	45 Hosmer street	21	Third-class dwelling	12,000
William H. Hardy	13 Ridgewood street	18	Third-class dwelling	14,000
A. H. Lice	6 Lenoxville avenue	20	Third-class dwelling	7,500
John L. Wetmore	231 Bellevue street	23	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Mrs. C. E. Myerz	10 Courtland road	21	Third-class dwelling	15,000
Sam Obelsky et al.	14 Balsam street	21	Third-class dwelling	20,000
Sam Obelsky et al.	15 Balsam street	21	Third-class dwelling	20,000
James Bornson	100 Keith street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,000
Lilly & Silverman	51 Westmore road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Lilly & Silverman	55 Westmore road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Lilly & Silverman	59 Westmore road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
A. W. Perry Inc.	67-91 Washington street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	3,000
Standard Oil Company of New York	286 Washington street	25	Alterations, filling station	100
D. A. Grosse	4197 Washington street	23	Alterations, store	500
A. Weinberg	1 Harvard street	21	Alterations, dwelling	350
E. J. Siney et al.	Rear of 8 Romsey street	11	Alterations, storage	150
Joseph Borkowitch	8 Short street court	3	Alterations, dwelling	950
Sam Levine	42 Grove street	8	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mary Seavy	339 Centre street	20	Alterations, dwelling	800
P. J. Brady	3712 Washington street	22	Take-down store	100
P. J. Brady	3714 Washington street	22	Take-down store	100
American Building Wrecking Company	488 Commonwealth avenue	8	Take-down, dwelling	200
American Building Wrecking Company	4 Temple street	8	Take-down, dwelling	150
Aetna Wrecking Company	Rear of 25 Concord street	4	Take-down, dwelling	75
Robert R. McNutt Corp.	6 Lawrence place	5	Take-down, dwelling	300
Robert R. McNutt Corp.	7 Lawrence place	5	Take-down dwelling	350
Robert R. McNutt Corp.	8 Lawrence place	5	Take-down, dwelling	350

DECEMBER 3.

The Texas Company	6 Eliot street	8	First-class filling station	\$4,000
Alice M. Wiggins	Rear of 12 Seaver street	16	First-class garage	1,650
W. M. & E. M. Evatt	372 Stuart street	7	First-class mercantile	400,000
Charlotte A. Powell	Rear of 61 Columbia road	19	Second-class garage	950
Max Stenberg	Rear of 35 Abbott street	19	Second-class garage	500
S. Rotenberg & M. J. Rudnick	28 Quint avenue	25	Second-class tenements	100,000
Leota A. Edmonds	Rear of 80 Hewlett street	23	Third-class garage	275
H. W. Ericson	8 Newhall avenue	20	Third-class dwelling	5,500
Mary A. Hoar	77 West Cottage street	12	Alterations, dwelling	350
Frank Lukusavicius	405 East Seventh street	10	Alterations, tenements	250
Clifton Manufacturing Company	65 Brookside avenue	22	Alterations, factory	300
Emma McDonough	2 Minnie court	10	Alterations, dwelling	500
Gaetano Vitale	1492 Columbus avenue	15	Alterations, stores, offices and hall	1,000
William H. Short	173 Brighton avenue	25	Alterations, dwelling	3,500
Berwick Cake Company	2220 Washington street	12	Alterations, bakery	1,200
Tileston & Hollingsworth	892 River street	24	Alterations, paper mill	5,000
Kohler Company	445 C street	9	Alterations, storage	500
William J. Condry	2009 Centre street	23	Move office	500
D. M. Collins	20 and 22 Greenleaf street	7	Erect fire escape	100
R. M. Bradley	97 Massachusetts avenue	8	Erect fire escape	750
C. C. Fox et al.	96 and 98 Pembroke street	7	Erect fire escape	200
Joseph G. Colcord	125 and 127 Pembroke st.	7	Erect fire escape	300
Mystic Building Wrecking Company	3 Bowdoin street	8	Take-down, dwelling	400
Mystic Building Wrecking Company	22 Cambridge street	8	Take-down dwelling and stores	400

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 28 TO DECEMBER 3.

NOVEMBER 28.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Philip Ligums	143 Athens street	9	New fixtures	\$300
Philip Ligums	145 Athens street	9	New fixtures	300
B. F. Donohue	97 Bay State road	8	New fixtures	200
J. Harry Kurhan	124 Colonial road	25	New fixtures	1,400
Frank C. Lewis	1274 Commonwealth avenue	25	New fixtures	400
M. F. Kargir	55 Esmond street	19	New fixtures	600
Henry J. Gurl	3859 Washington street	22	New fixtures	225
Charles J. Glynn	179 West Seventh street	9	New fixtures	350

NOVEMBER 29.

W. G. Cornell Company	871 Commonwealth avenue	25	New fixtures	\$9,400
S. Tack	24 Hobson street	23	New fixtures	500
John J. Daniels	8 Rockdale street	24	New fixtures	1,000
S. Tack	30 Eastbourne street	23	New fixtures	475
J. F. Murphy	53 Wellington Hill street	21	New fixtures	600
E. J. McGrath	77 West Cottage street	12	New fixtures	625

DECEMBER 1.

William Duston	7 Alhambra road	23	New fixtures	\$750
William Duston	8 Alhambra road	23	New fixtures	750
Everett L. Magee	170 Bayswater street	1	New fixtures	650
Louis W. Mulkern	26 Exchange place	5	New fixtures	200
G. C. Watts Company	50 Concord square	7	New fixtures	275
P. J. Sullivan	20 Colon street	25	New fixtures	1,000
Guilford P. Wheelock	146 Chiswick road	25	New fixtures	150
Joseph Locke	117 Porter street	2	New fixtures	140
Louis W. Mulkern	72 Chelsea street	4	New fixtures	250
P. H. McCormack	6 Monument square	4	New fixtures	500

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED NOVEMBER 28 TO DECEMBER 3.

DECEMBER 2.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. H. Philips.....	646 Walk Hill street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$850
W. H. Philips.....	650 Walk Hill street.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
W. H. Philips.....	652 Walk Hill street.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
W. H. Philips.....	654 Walk Hill street.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
W. H. Philips.....	658 Walk Hill street.....	21	New fixtures.....	850
K. W. McManus.....	4 Melville avenue.....	19	New fixtures.....	800
Edward Bevelander.....	536 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	425
P. Liftman.....	1451 Columbus avenue.....	15	New fixtures.....	200
K. W. McManus.....	21 Christopher street.....	20	New fixtures.....	100
Pagington Brothers.....	15 Chester street.....	24	New fixtures.....	450
T. W. Quinn.....	5 Alhambra road.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,200
W. N. McKenna.....	35 Lansdowne street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,000
George C. Tornegren.....	14 Harmon street.....	24	New fixtures.....	375
W. L. Clayton.....	645 and 647 Cambridge st.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,200
Benjamin M. Black.....	39 Freeland street.....	21	New fixtures.....	500
Charles William Johnston.....	15 Copeland street.....	16	New fixtures.....	410
M. Cohen.....	76 Copeland street.....	16	New fixtures.....	250

DECEMBER 3.

James J. Sweeney.....	40 Fairbanks street.....	26	New fixtures.....	\$1,200
H. Weiss.....	15 Gilmer street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
John J. Callahan.....	11 Lorraine street.....	23	New fixtures.....	5,000
A. H. Smith.....	263 Pond street.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,800
Barnett Shillman.....	115 Tonawanda street.....	19	New fixtures.....	600
F. D. McCarthy.....	70 and 72A Turner street.....	26	New fixtures.....	900
Charles King.....	112 Gladstone street.....	1	New fixtures.....	1,250
B. A. MacDonald.....	24 Livermore street.....	24	New fixtures.....	700
Willie E. Hunt.....	195 Market street.....	26	New fixtures.....	500

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 644.

The resignation of Patrolman Clarence A. Pierce of Division 2 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Wednesday, November 26, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 645.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Edward F. June of Division 11, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Edward F. June was on November 21, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on November 21, 1924, to the said Edward F. June.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 646.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Henry J. Lane of Division 15, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Henry J. Lane was on November 21, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on November 21, 1924, to the said Henry J. Lane.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

Fahrenheit, and distilled spirits, shall be deemed to be intoxicating liquor within the meaning of this chapter."

Division commanders are notified to instruct the police officers of their respective divisions to prosecute most vigorously all persons violating the provisions of the liquor laws, and especially violations of the provisions of this new section 2A, chapter 138, General Laws.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 648.

The resignation of Patrolman Robert L. Reid of Division 7 having been presented it is hereby accepted, to take effect as of Saturday, November 29, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 649.

Patrolman Thomas F. Supple of Division 3 having arrived at the age of sixty-four and nine-twelfths years, having performed faithful service in the Police Department for thirty-six and four-twelfths years, and having requested to be retired from active service, it is hereby

Ordered, That the said Patrolman Thomas F. Supple be retired from active service and that his name be placed upon the department pension roll with pay at the rate of nine hundred and fifty (950) dollars per annum, said sum being one half of the amount of compensation received by him in the office from which he is retired; to take effect Tuesday, December 2, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Joseph Rugo has been required to make the following additions to his contract for the erection and completion of Police Headquarters. (3) Substitution of lime stone in place of cast stone, \$13,000; (4) Substitution of insulate floors instead of linoleum floors, \$400; (6) Flax-or-crete for top surfacing of structural slabs in place of concrete, \$3,200; (7) The use of Campbell sash throughout the building \$8,000. These amounts would make a total of \$24,600 which would be added to Item 1 of \$588,440 making a total of \$613,040.

BUILDING RAZED.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Building Commissioners to take down the building on premises 36 Elmwood street, Ward 13. The owner, John J. Curley of 16 Catawba street, Roxbury, has been served with a notice of the unsafe condition of the building but he neglects to remove the cause of complaint. The building is in such a condition as to constitute a fire menace and a nuisance.

General Order No. 647.

Chapter 370 of the Acts of 1923, amending chapter 138 of the General Laws by inserting a new section after Section 2 of said chapter, to be known as Section 2A, and which was submitted to the people at the state election, November 4, 1924, and approved, becomes effective on December 5, 1924.

In order that members of this department may understand the significance and importance of this new section, the following sections of chapter 138 of the General Laws, together with this new section, are quoted:

General Laws, chapter 138, section

1. "The following words as used in this chapter, unless a contrary meaning is required by the context, shall have the following meanings: 'Certain non-intoxicating beverages' all beverages containing not less than one half of one per cent and not more than two and three fourths per cent of alcohol by weight at sixty degrees Fahrenheit. Such beverages shall be deemed not to be intoxicating liquor. 'Licensing Board,' the board appointed under section four or the board described in section ten. 'Licensing authorities,' all boards or officers having power to grant licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquor or of certain non-intoxicating beverages."

General Laws, chapter 138, section 2. "No person shall sell, or expose or keep for sale, spirituous or intoxicating liquor or certain non-intoxicating beverages, except as authorized by this chapter."

General Laws, chapter 138, section 2A. "No person shall manufacture, transport by air craft, water craft or vehicle, import or export spirituous or intoxicating liquor as defined by section three, or certain non-intoxicating beverages as defined by section one, unless in each instance he shall have obtained the permit or other authority required therefor by the laws of the United States and the regulations made thereunder."

General Laws, chapter 138, section 3. "Any beverage containing more than two and three quarters per cent of alcohol by weight at sixty degrees

DORCHESTER TUNNEL EXTENSION WORK STARTED WITH SIMPLE EXERCISES.

THOUSAND MEN, UNEMPLOYED, EAGERLY WATCH PROCEEDINGS IN HOPE OF BEING EMPLOYED—THE MAYOR DEEPLY IMPRESSED BY SERIOUSNESS OF SITUATION.

Simple and brief were the exercises on Wednesday morning, December 3, at the beginning of the Dorchester Tunnel extension, corner of Boston and Ralston streets. The Mayor wielded the silver spade which loosened the first bit of earth, thus marking the beginning of actual construction under the contract held by Coleman Brothers, Inc.

Mayor Curley had said that at least a thousand men were looking for jobs on this important link in the tunnel extension, but that only a very small number could be taken on.

It was a happy day for the Dorchester Board of Trade, and for Charles A. Ufford, in particular. Last August the Mayor honored Mr. Ufford, in recognition of his services in securing the latest rapid transit plan, inviting him to accept the quill with which he had signed the bill.

The Mayor at the exercises declared that the one man responsible for keeping up the agitation in Dorchester's interest was Mr. Ufford, "a mild and modest man, though a very talkative man, with supreme ability, hastened the day when the rapid transit system in this section would be complete."

Fifty members of the Dorchester Board of Trade were present, also the Transit Commissioner, representatives of the United Improvement Association, officials of the Boston Elevated system, senators and representatives from the district and officials from City Hall.

These men were gathered about a platform decorated with the American flag.

Colonel Thomas F. Sullivan, chairman of the Transit Commission, made the opening speech, in which he expressed pride that his department was able to take so large part in the greatest transportation feat in the history of Boston. He gave credit to Mayor Curley for stimulating the agitation of the scheme and finally making it possible to begin the extension at this time.

The Mayor expressed his pleasure that the long-delayed relief for Dorchester was so far toward completion, and it was a pleasure for him officially to start operations and "to proclaim to the whole world that Boston is alive to its responsibilities and prepared to assume them, regardless of cost."

Then the Mayor and other officials stepped from the platform to the small space cleared of paving blocks, near the center of the street, where the first earth was to be removed. The Mayor took the silver spade handed him by Colonel Sullivan, and performed his duty.

Then followed Mr. Ufford in similar ceremony, the Transit Commission, Dorchester Board of Trade members and the South Boston and Dorchester legislators. There were pictures taken and the exercises were over.

DENIS A. MCCARTHY TO WRITE ANNIVERSARY POEM.

Denis A. McCarthy has accepted the invitation of the Mayor to write a poem in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of Lexington and Concord, and other historic events.

LAND-TAKING IN HYDE PARK.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Hyde Park and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Water street, bounded: Southeast by Cottage street, eight and 66-100 feet; southwest by another part of Water street, fifty-one and 91-100 feet; northwest by land hereinafter described as taken from the City of Boston, eight and 65-100 feet; and northeast by another part of Water street, forty-three and 27-100 feet; containing three hundred and forty-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to City of Boston, bounded: Southwest by other land of said city, eight and 61-100 feet; northwest by the same, one hundred fifty-three and 76-100 feet; northeast by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown (Water street) eight and 54-100 feet; and southeast by Water street, one hundred fifty-three and 84-100 feet; containing twelve hundred and thirty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Water street, bounded: Southwest by land hereinbefore described as taken from City of Boston, eight and 54-100 feet; northwest by another part of Water street, by two measurements, two hundred sixty-seven and 73-100 feet and one hundred forty-eight and 5-100 feet; northeast by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes July 31, 1916, eight and 17-100 feet; and southeast by another part of Water street and by the southeasterly line of Water street, by two measurements, one hundred forty-five and 93-100 feet and two hundred sixty-nine and 94-100 feet; containing thirty-three hundred and twenty-seven square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 620 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Water street and private land, between Cottage street and Glenwood avenue.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the improvement herein ordered.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the southeasterly side of Water street, at the corner of Tyler street, will receive benefit

or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, each of the particular lots to the amount hereinafter respectfully set against it; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 587, Sewerage Works, Water Street, Hyde Park, October 4, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount
3. Timothy Kelliber.....	\$105 00
4. Ello E. Hill.....	197 55
Total.....	\$302 55

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

Martino DeMatteo has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building sewerage works in Hallowell street, between Oakland and Newcastle streets, and outlet in private land from Favre street to Hallowell street, Dorchester, from August 12, 1924, to September 23, 1924, forty-two days. This extension of time is in addition to a previous extension dated July 23, 1924, making a total of fifty-nine days, and is occasioned by the fact that 80 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer was added to the contract, requiring an additional taking for sewerage purposes in Hallowell street, which was not recorded until September 20, 1924.

P. J. Dinn & Co. have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for constructing a gas pipe fence on Everett street (easterly side), Brighton, at southerly approach to bridge over Boston & Albany Railroad, from November 1, 1924, to December 1, 1924.

V. Barletta has been granted an extension of the time of completion of contract for building sewerage works for Dorchester brook sewer, east fork, in Humphreys street, from Holden street to Dudley street, Dorchester, from November 15, 1924, to May 1, 1925, 166 days. This extension of time is occasioned by the fact that the proximity of freezing weather makes it undesirable to do the type of work remaining to be done, viz., laying of artificial sidewalks and setting edgestones, until the trenches have settled properly and the open weather is again at hand.

FIRE MATERIAL SOLD.

Mayor Curley has approved the sale of old fire alarm material to Leo Heller. A communication from Theodore A. Glynn, Fire Commissioner, was as follows:

Boston, November 21, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

DEAR SIR,—The following proposals have been received for old material stored in the fire alarm shop of this department:

Leo Heller, cable, \$5; lead, \$5.75; iron, \$0.40; William S. Nolan, cable, \$4.70; lead, \$5.50; iron, \$0.40. Boston Junk Company, cable, \$4.65; lead, \$5.25; iron, \$0.40.

There are about three tons of lead cable, about one thousand pounds of lead and about one ton of iron. The total value of the material is approximately \$350 or more.

I respectfully request permission to award the contract for the sale of this material to Leo Heller, the highest bidder.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending November 29, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded):
Residents, 181; nonresidents, 38; total, 219.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:
All deaths, 14.70; nonresidents deducted, 12.15.

Death rate per 1,000 of population.
Last week, 12.22; corresponding week last year, 12.35.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 27; one year to five years, inclusive, 7; sixty years and over, 92; total deaths: male, 121; female, 98; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 104; deaths of colored, 11.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 29, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 1, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
Anterior poliomyelitis	—	—	2	—
Diphtheria	35	4	52	5
Encephalitis lethargica	2	—	—	—
Influenza	3	—	3	1
Measles	39	2	46	—
Meningitis epidemic	—	—	—	1
Pneumonia (lobar)	25	9	27	12
Scarlet fever	63	2	84	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	26	9	16	9
Tuberculosis (other forms)	5	2	5	2
Typhoid fever	2	—	1	—
Whooping cough	12	—	5	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

FOREMEN OF WATER, SEWER AND HIGHWAYS, ETC., DECEMBER 12, 1924.

This examination is for foremen of water, sewer, and highways (or streets) in the service of the state and of all cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service; and of sanitary and street cleaning in the service of Boston.

There are several vacancies in different cities which will be filled from the list established as a result of this examination.

(A) Highway (or street) foremen in the service of the state, or cities in the state except Boston, and of the towns classified under civil service: Training and experience, 14; arithmetic, 4; report, 2; practical questions on street and road construction, grading, repairing, etc., 10; total, 30. The subjects and weights for Boston foremen are: Training and experience, 14; arithmetic, 4; report, 2; practical questions, 9; questions on the care of horses, 1; total, 30.

(B) Sewer: The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) State Highway, except that the practical questions will concern the quality of materials, bracing and refilling of trenches, general maintenance and repair of sewers, catch-basins, etc.

(C) Water: The subjects and weights are the same as for (A) State Highway, except that the practical questions will concern the laying and maintenance of water mains and service pipes, timekeeping, accounting for material, etc.

(D) Sanitary and street cleaning (in the service of Boston). The subjects and

weights are the same as for (A) Boston Street Foremen, except that the practical questions will concern the handling of ashes, garbage, etc., and the watering, oiling and cleaning of streets.

NOTE.—Applicants for all services may, if they wish, take an additional paper on the use of explosives, and if successful in passing it will have it so noted as a special qualification.

Applicants are required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience and at least 50 per cent in practical questions. Successful applicants will also be given a physical examination.

Sample questions available.

CIVIL ENGINEERS, DECEMBER 15-20, 1924. THESE EXAMINATIONS ARE FOR THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, ALL CITIES, AND SUCH TOWNS AS ARE CLASSIFIED UNDER CIVIL SERVICE.

Warning.—Many men fail in the civil engineering examination because they apply for grades for which they are not qualified. It is advisable, therefore, if there is any doubt about the quantity or quality of your experience, to take both the grade for which you think you are qualified and the next lower grade. If you should be found ineligible for the higher grade, you will still have an opportunity to be placed on the next lower grade.

Grade A.

Engineering assistants, drafting assistants, and rodmen, who perform under instruction and supervision elementary or apprentice work in the field or office.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not Grade A if the salary is less than \$900 a year or more than \$1,440 a year.

Qualifications.—Applicants must have completed a high school course of not less than three years or must have had not

less than one year of practical experience in field engineering or office work.

Subjects and Weights.—Rodmen—Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; tracing, 3; questions on the duties of the position, 6; total, 20. Assistant draughtsmen—Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; drawing, 9; total, 20.

Grade B.

Senior engineering assistants, instrumentmen, and draughtsmen (a) who assume responsibility for the execution of definite instructions in a minor division or section of engineering activity; or (b) who direct, under supervision, the operation of minor engineering projects.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade B if the salary is more than \$1,980 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, not less than one year of service in Grade A. If appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade A, at least two years of practical experience in engineering work of Grade A character and standard; or such training in civil engineering as is evidenced by a professional degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction at an institution or college of recognized standing; or the successful completion of not less than two years' study in such institution plus one year's practical experience in engineering work.

Subjects and Weights.—Instrumentmen—Experience, 16; penmanship, 2; plotting, 6; questions on duties, 8; mathematics, 8; total, 40. Draughtsmen—Experience, 16; drawing, 10; mathematics, 6; duties, 4; plotting, 4; total, 40.

Grade C.

Assistant engineers, assistant civil engineers, and designing engineers: (a) who assume responsibility for the direction of surveys, the preparation and examination of, or advice upon, plans, designs and specifications for a minor section of a large engineering or a major section of a small engineering project; or (b) who supervise or inspect the construction or the operation of work on such a project; or (d) who make investigations of, and reports upon, such engineering projects as a basis for a report by an engineering superior.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade C, if the salary is more than \$2,580 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion within a department or major division thereof, not less than two years of service in Grade B, or if appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade B, within a department or major division thereof, at least five years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch of engineering work covered by the position, provided that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of three years practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 10; design, 2; mathematics, 2; questions on material and methods of construction, 3; engineering theory, 3; total, 20.

Grade D.

Senior assistant engineers, senior assistant civil engineers, and senior designing engineers: (a) who supervise and assume complete responsibility for the work of a main division of an engineering organization, involving the direction of surveys

and design and construction; or (b) who maintain and operate the major section of a large engineering project; or (c) who make independent investigations of and reports upon engineering projects as a basis for executive, administrative, or judicial action; or (d) who take charge of a large engineering department in the absence of the chief engineer; or (e) who give advice on large or complicated engineering projects, which may involve the preparation of plans.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade D if the salary is more than \$3,600 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, not less than three years service in Grade C. If appointed otherwise than by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, at least eight years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch covered by the position, and two years of which shall have been in an executive capacity; provided, that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of four years of practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 24; questions on materials and methods of construction, 5; engineering theory, 5; design, 6; total, 40.

An applicant must specify the grade for which he applies. Specimen examinations available.

PLAYGROUND WORKERS, SUPERVISORS, AND ASSISTANT SUPERVISORS, CITIES, DECEMBER 27, 1924.

This examination will be for the service of all the cities and towns in the state where these positions are under civil service.

The playgrounds ordinarily are open from April to November. During the school year sessions are usually held after school hours and on Saturdays, and on all days except Sundays during the summer. In the summer, the usual salary is from \$15 to \$25 a week. The examination is open to both men and women.

The general duties of playground workers require a knowledge of the interest of children, ability to organize and conduct playground activities and adult recreation. It is desirable that applicants have education, training or experience in physical culture, playground work and physical training of juveniles.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; special questions, 1; total, 2. There will be one set of special questions for applicants interested in boys' work, another set for those interested in girls' work and a combination set for those wishing to qualify for both boys' and girls' work. There will probably also be a supplementary paper for those wishing to qualify as swimming instructor in playgrounds having a pool. Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position. Applicants who wish to be certified to positions as playground supervisors should have at least two years' actual experience in playground work.

EXAMINER OF CORPORATE AND TRUST ORGANIZATIONS (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES, DECEMBER 27, 1924.

The salary is \$2,400 per year. Applicants must be familiar with accounting,

particularly in connection with income accounts, balance sheets and financial statements which are filed in connection with the sales of securities. Applicants should also be familiar with the "Sale of Securities Act" and with the procedure of the department in exercising the jurisdiction conferred on it by said act.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on accounting, 2; practical questions on law, 2; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 2; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

CLERICAL SERVICE, STATE AND CITIES, JANUARY 10 AND JANUARY 24, 1925.

This is the regular examination for the clerical service of the state and of all cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. On January 10 the examination will be held in various centrally located cities. On January 24 the examination will be held in Boston, and all persons who reside within commuting distance will be notified for examination on this day. Certification may be made from the eligible lists established by this examination for office, institutional or other positions of a similar nature at the discretion of the Commissioner of Civil Service. Special qualifications in book-keeping, stenography, typewriting, cataloguing, filing, etc., and in foreign languages may be recognized by the commissioner in certifying persons for positions demanding such qualifications. Persons qualifying in the examination may have their names placed on the state list as well as on the list for the city or town in which they reside.

This examination will be given to fill positions in all grades of the clerical service except Grade V (chief clerk, secretary). All applicants will be given the same examination, and will be placed on the list in the order of marks received, and will be certified for any and all clerical positions in the order of standing on the list, unless in the opinion of the Commissioner of Civil Service the mark attained is lower than is proper for the particular position to be filled.

Applicants who claim a knowledge of shorthand, stenography, or typewriting will be given a supplementary test at a later date to qualify in these subjects.

All applicants will be marked on each subject of the examination and will be given a general average on such marks according to the following schedule: Training and experience, 5 points; spelling, 2; letter writing 2; arithmetic, multiplication, division and decimals, 1; arithmetic problems, 1; word knowledge, 1; sentence meaning, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15.

Each applicant will be sent an "experience sheet" with proper instructions for stating his education, training, and experience.

The passing mark for clerical examinations will be 65 per cent in general average.

The usual entrance salary for clerks ranges from \$720 to \$1,200 per year. For positions paying \$1,200 or more, only clerks who receive a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience will be certified. Sample questions for clerks available.

WATCHMEN, GATEMEN, GUARDS AND PRISON OFFICERS, JANUARY 15, 1925.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. This service includes watchmen and guards in public parks, grounds, institutions and departments; gatemen for ferries; turnkeys and guards in prisons, houses of detention and reformatories.

Applicants for appointment as officers in the State Prison and Massachusetts Reformatory must be not less than twenty-five and not over forty years of age at the time of filing application. Applicants for appointment as officers in the prison camp and hospital must be not less than twenty-three nor over forty years of age at the time of filing application. All applicants for these places must be not less than 5 feet, 7 inches in height and weigh not less than 135 pounds. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the applications for this service.

There are no age, height, or weight limits for watchman service other than those mentioned above.

The examination for watchmen, gatemen and guards will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; memory test, 1; arithmetic, 1; handwriting, 1; accuracy, 1; total, 10.

The examination for prison officers will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions covering general disciplinary and penological methods, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10;

Applicants who pass the examination for prison officers will, upon request, also be placed on the list for watchmen.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

RECEIPTS, FISCAL YEAR, 1923-24.

Total ordinary and extraordinary (less refunds of \$195,753) \$68,752,631.

Gross general income (including school revenue, \$507,766) \$55,288,368, of which \$44,541,900 was from property and poll taxes; \$790,029, repayment, in part, of assessment for Boston Elevated R'way deficit in 1919; \$3,540,790 from income tax (from State) and \$2,944,305 corporation and other taxes (from State, street railways, etc.), or \$51,817,024 total tax receipts, which exceeds 1922 total by \$2,858,155; miscellaneous general income of departments, \$3,024,050; interest on overdue taxes and bank deposits, \$447,294.

Total Income of Water Service, \$3,910,736; other income credited to appropriations (including \$404,815 to Printing Dept.), \$571,217. Parkman Fund income transferred to ordinary, \$217,794.

Total ordinary income, \$59,792,433 (net).

Excess of actual ordinary income over estimated income remaining in Treasury at close of financial year ending Jan. 31, 1924, \$998,142, besides another excess for school purposes alone amounting to \$415,389.

In addition to this surplus at close of year, there were accounts receivable, *i. e.*, 1923 and prior uncollected taxes amounting to \$5,659,639.

Extraordinary receipts: From loans, \$7,190,000; Rapid Transit revenue, \$1,658,267; miscellaneous, \$112,002. Total, \$8,960,269. Balance from preceding year, \$4,234,728. Total available for extraordinary purposes, \$13,194,997.

Revenue credited to sinking funds (mostly street and sewer assessments) \$456,062; to trust funds, \$979,085.

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

Max Cohen, 6 Willow court, Ward 11, four cars.

Alice E. Pendleton, 94 West Cedar street, Ward 8, four cars.

Dimitri N. Turk *et al.*, 54 Gardner street, Ward 25, four units, four cars.

Harvard Athletic Association, Soldiers Field, Ward 26, 500 gallons gasoline.

Jacob J. Neitlich *et al.*, 783-789 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 21, 1,000 additional gallons gasoline.

Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company, Hyde Park avenue, etc., remove poles.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Oak street, Ward 3, erect one pole.

Charlestown Gas and Electric Company, Ferrin street, Ward 4, erect three poles.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Bellevue street, Ward 18, erect five poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Edge Hill street, Ward 14, erect two poles.

Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, West Selden street, Ward 21, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Yeoman street, Ward 12, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Rosewood street, Ward 24, erect two poles.

Edison Company, Saybrook street, Ward 26, erect one pole.

Edison Company, Temple street, Ward 23, erect three poles.

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Burwell road, bounded:

West by Theodore Parker road, six feet; north by another part of Burwell road, three hundred seventy and 16-100 feet; east by Church street, six and 2-100 feet; and south by another part of Burwell road, three hundred sixty-nine and 62-100 feet; containing twenty-two hundred and nineteen square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 360 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Burwell road, from Theodore Parker road to Church street.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Burwell road, from Theodore Parker road to Church street, excluding the lots at both corners of Theodore Parker road, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 593, Sewerage Works, Burwell Road, West Roxbury, November 1, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
2. George L. Schirmer, trustee.....	\$110 00
3. Kenneth J. Matheson.....	110 00
4. George L. Schirmer, trustee.....	110 00
5. George L. Schirmer, trustee.....	134 00
7. Johanna M. Johnson.....	150 00
8. John J. McClellan, Marion L. McClellan.....	150 00
9. Ida M. Shields.....	134 00
Total.....	\$898 00

CLAIMS.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims.

Rose Weissman, in the sum of \$100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in sidewalk in front of 38 Lovering street, June 7, 1923.

United Laundries Company, Cambridge, Mass., in the sum of \$150, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by hole in Harvard Bridge, March 28, 1923.

David Hellberg, *p. p. a.*, 654 Green street, Cambridge, Mass., in the sum of \$150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in Harvard Bridge, March 28, 1923.

Margaret M. Stone, 107 Chelsea street, East Boston, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by hole in crosswalk at London and Porter streets, East Boston, November 14, 1923.

TO LECTURE ON MUSIC OF ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Boston music lovers will be glad to learn that Mr. Henry Gideon, the well-known musical lecturer, will give a talk on the "Music of the Roman Catholic Church" in the Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library on Sunday afternoon, December 7, at 5.30 p. m. to which the public is cordially invited.

It is, perhaps, not generally known that Mr. Gideon, who was for two years organist and choirmaster of one of the largest Catholic churches in Greater Boston, has studied the musical traditions of the Roman Catholic Church at the Institut Catholique in Paris and that he assisted four of the papal singers in a concert of sacred music at Rome on the Feast of the Assumption.

The talk will be accompanied by adequate musical illustrations and will form an excellent background and preparation for the concert to be given in Symphony Hall on the evening of December 16 by the Roman choir, consisting of mastersingers of the Roman basilicas and the Sistine Chapel, to which the musical public of Boston is looking forward with keen expectation.

LIBRARY GETS \$5,000 GIFT BY MRS. GARDNER'S WILL.

At the last meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston a check for \$5,000 was received from the executors of the estate of the late Isabella Stewart Gardner, in payment of a bequest to the library under Mrs. Gardner's will, which reads as follows: "To the Trustees of the Boston Public Library for the Brown Musical Library in the Boston Public Library for a memorial to B. J. Lang, \$5,000."

By vote of the Board the bequest was forwarded to the City Treasurer with instructions to fund the same as the "Isabella Stewart Gardner Fund." The income will be applied to the purchase of material for the Allen A. Brown Music Library as a memorial to B. J. Lang, in accordance with the terms of the bequest. A memorial book plate will be prepared and will be inserted in the material purchased from the income of the said fund.

APPROVAL OF BILLS.

COMMISSION ON MARKING HISTORICAL SITES.

The Mayor has approved the payment of the bill for the erection of a memorial to General Lafayette at a cost of \$1,500 for the bronze tablet to be made by Mr. John F. Paramine.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved the payment to H. W. Rowley, consulting engineer, Old South Building, Boston, of the sum of \$1,448.86, as per bill submitted for making estimates of various materials used in the work done at Columbus Park, South Boston.

MASSACHUSETTS BAY COLONY.

The first chartered colony in New England, charter granted by Charles I on March 4, 1629. About a year before, a patent had been granted to six prominent men of Dorchester, west of England, among whom was Capt. John Endicott. He sailed in June, 1628, with a party of 50 or 60 persons, arriving in September and settling at Naumkeag, afterward named Salem. In the spring of 1629, the Bay Company fitted out three ships conveying about 400 persons and arriving at Salem in June. Endicott sent a small party to effect a settlement on the Bay in Mishawum, afterward named by the settlers Charlestown, the first town in New England to assume the town polity, Plymouth and Salem being governed by a Governor and Council. Endicott was appointed in London as the first resident Governor on April 30, 1629. The Massachusetts Bay Company was reorganized in London on Oct. 20, 1629, when John Winthrop was chosen as Governor. He arrived at Salem on June 12, 1630, soon proceeded to Charlestown with a large following, and finding that place unsuitable, finally settled in Boston. Winthrop served thirteen years as Governor in four different periods ending in 1649 and Endicott 15 years at various times ending in 1665. Other governors were Thomas Dudley, Richard Bellingham, John Haynes, Henry Vane, John Leverett and Simon Bradstreet, the latter serving 12 years until 1692 when the Bay Colony and the Plymouth Colony were merged, becoming the Royal Province of Massachusetts Bay, which existed 82 years to 1774, the governors being appointed by the King.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board held on Saturday, November 15, 1924, the retirement of the following named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved, to become effective November 30, 1924:

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Adora L. Collison, clerk, salary at time of retirement, \$1,500 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Luke J. Doogue, clerk and draughtsman, salary at time of retirement, \$1,700 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Service.

Joseph P. Shea, drawtender, salary at time of retirement, \$1,600 a year.

Paving Service.

Thomas J. Walsh, teamster, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

Sanitary Service.

John Duggan, inspector, salary at time of retirement, \$1,800 a year.

John Donnelly, stableman, salary at time of retirement, \$4.50 a day.

Sewer Service.

Denis Burke, sewer cleaner, salary at time of retirement, \$5 a day.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

William B. J. Shea, attendance officer, salary at time of retirement, \$2,220 a year.

Making 491 retirements to date.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES.

The American Literary Association announces a series of lectures on the Art of Poetry, to which the public is cordially invited, to be given in the Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library on Saturday afternoons at four o'clock. The subjects and dates are as follows:

Saturday, December 13, at 4 p. m. "The Growth of Freedom in English Verse Technique." Miss Helen Archibald Clarke.

Saturday, January 17, 1925, at 4 p. m. "The Immutable Laws of Great Poetry." E. Charlton Black, Professor of English Literature, Boston University.

It is the purpose of the American Literary Association, a national organization with numerous local chapters, to stimulate interest in American poetry, and especially to assist in bringing the little-known American poets to wider public notice. It awards prizes for poetic excellence; it supplies expert criticism; it publishes the "American Poetry Magazine"; it holds public meetings; it welcomes as members not only students and writers, but all who may be in any way interested in the subject of poetry.

TAX LEVY, 1923.

Total \$43,500,536, or \$38,382,750 on realty, \$3,955,626 on personalty, and \$1,162,160 on male polls (\$5.00 poll tax instead of \$2.00).

Number of persons assessed on property, 111,641, of which 77,696 were resident individuals and 9,720 non-resident individuals; number of dwelling houses assessed, 76,779; acres of land assessed, 18,598. Number of resident individuals assessed on property 9.22 per cent of all residents. Number assessed for poll tax only, 197,567 or 84.37 per cent of all resident men.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, November 24, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at two o'clock p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair. Absent—Coun. Moriarty.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

The following appointments were made by the Mayor, subject to confirmation of the Council, for the term ending April 30, 1925.

Albert L. Nixon, 39 Boylston street, Boston, weigher of coal.

Joseph Fuccillo, 19 Fleet street, Boston, constable.

Severally laid over under the law.

VETO OF NOONAN ANNUITY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, November 12, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith, without my approval, order of your honorable body adopted under date of October 27, 1924, providing for an annuity of \$600 for the widow of John A. Noonan, former member of the Boston Fire Department.

It does not appear from the report of the Fire Commissioner that this man's death resulted from injuries received in the performance of his duties.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Fire Department, November 7, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—I return herewith an order of the City Council for an annuity of \$600 to be paid to the widow of John A. Noonan, a former member of the Boston Fire Department. Below I submit a copy of a report received from the medical examiner of this department:

"I respectfully report that John A. Noonan was retired from this department on February 7, 1919. I have a medical certificate at hand, signed by Dr. E. Granville Crabtree, stating that John A. Noonan died on July 6, 1922, following an operation on June 23, 1922, for renal calculus (stone in the kidney) and that he had symptoms of that trouble about two years prior to his death. The doctor further stated that another material fact relating to the cause of his death was 'suppression of urine in the remaining normal kidney following etherization.'"

It appears from the above report that Lieutenant Noonan was pensioned on February 7, 1919, and died on July 6, 1922, following an operation. The report further states that the symptoms of the trouble which caused Lieutenant Noonan's death did not appear until two years before his death which was some time after his retirement.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATION FROM PARKMAN FUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, November 24, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith recommendation of the chairman of the Park Commission for the purchase of road machinery and respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order, same to be charged to the Parkman Fund.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$10,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated from the income of the Parkman Fund to be expended under the direction of the Park Commission, for the maintenance and improvement of the Common and parks in existence on January 12, 1887, as follows:

Boston Common, etc., maintenance equipment, \$10,000.

City of Boston,

Park Department, November 24, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—By vote of the Board of Park

Commissioners you are respectfully requested to ask the City Council to appropriate from the Parkman Fund the sum of \$10,000 of the amount which is now available for the following purposes:

One 10-ton Holt caterpillar tractor, \$7,500; one rotary snow plow, \$2,500.

The reason for this request is that the permanent pavements on Boston Common, Franklin Park, park roads and boulevards that were in existence in 1887, require the services of a caterpillar tractor to remove the snow. Investigation has shown us that the Holt tractor is the only one that is capable of doing this work properly and economically.

The reason for the rotary snow plow is that this plow has been successfully used in the park system in Minneapolis. It is rapid, economical and the only plow of this type that will work with the Holt tractor and do the work required by this department.

Yours respectfully,

JAMES B. SHEA,
Chairman.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROPRIATION FOR ENGINE 40.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, November 24, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith request of the Fire Commissioner for a transfer in the sum of \$4,000 from the appropriation for Fire Station, Engine No. 81, Improvements, etc., to the appropriation for Engine No. 40, New Building. The request for this additional money is made necessary owing to the fact that additional piling and concrete for foundation are required and I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Fire Department, November 14, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—I respectfully request that \$4,000 be transferred from the loan for Fire Station, Engine 81, Improvements, etc., to special loan for Engine 40, New Building.

The reason for this transfer is for extra work necessary under the contract of John B. Dolan, general contractor, dated October 6, 1923, for removing old pile capping and old foundation walls in order to drive new piles. These walls were below the cut-off grade of the new piles and nobody had any information that they were there.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Fire Station, Engine No. 31, Improvements, etc., \$4,000, to the appropriation for Engine No. 40, New Building, \$4,000.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

POLICE HEADQUARTERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, November 24, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings has submitted a request for an increase in appropriation for Police Headquarters Building to be located at Stuart, Stanhope and Berkeley streets, in the sum of \$50,000.

I beg to say in connection with this request that this work was advertised twice with a view to securing a bid which would make possible the completion of the work within the amount allotted by the legislative enactment. The present lowest bid, while considerably below the first lowest legitimate bid received, nevertheless represents a sum in excess of the amount available. Consequently, I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$50,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated from Special Fund, Civilian War Poll Tax Refund for Police Headquarters.

City of Boston,
Public Buildings Department,
November 24, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—I wish to advise you of the following facts pertaining to the proposed Police Headquarters Building located at Stuart, Stanhope and Berkeley streets, total appropriation being \$1,000,000.

Site	\$377,765 00
Low bid	588,410 00
Alternate, limestone	13,000 00
Alternate, insulate	400 00
Alternate, Flex-or-crete	3,200 00
Alternate, Campbell sash	8,000 00
Lighting fixtures	5,000 00
Architects' commission	37,082 40
Incidentals	2,102 08
Total	\$1,034,989 48

In explanation of the foregoing alternates, I wish to say that the \$13,000 amount is the substitution of limestone made over precast concrete stone to give a more architectural appearance to the building. The \$8,000 Campbell sash is intended to include metal sash and frame to insure a more fireproof building. The \$3,200 Flex-or-crete figure is used to avoid wood slabs where wood floors are used throughout the building.

You will observe by this statement, that there would be a deficit of \$34,989.48 taking into consideration the lowest bid received. In as much as it is illegal to award a contract in excess of the appropriation, it will be impossible to make a move in the premises unless a further appropriation is made. I would suggest \$50,000 as the least possible figure to give the department any degree of latitude.

In connection with this whole affair, I wish to say that when this appropriation was made it was understood that the site would be on Pemberton square and that there would be little or none of this money utilized to purchase land. Because of the fact that we purchased a site, the architects were obliged to reduce the size of the building and in calling for bids, incorporated several alternates in an attempt to keep within the appropriation.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.
Referred to the Executive Committee.

DEPARTMENTAL TRANSFERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 24, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of the attached requests for transfers within departmental appropriations and I accordingly recommend adoption of the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Soldiers' Relief Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerk, 1 at \$1,400-\$1,200 per year, \$14.91; Clerk, 1 at \$1,100-\$1,200 per year, \$85.50; Stenographer and Typist, 1 at \$1,400-\$1,150 per year, \$80.31; A-2, Temporary Employees, \$31.49; B-1, Printing and Binding, \$11.04; C-9, Library, \$20, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerk and Stenographer, 1 at \$1,200 per year, \$243.25.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Bridge Service:

From the appropriation for D-3, Fuel, \$150, to the appropriation for C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$150.

From the appropriation for F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$100, to the appropriation for E-10, Electrical, \$100.

From the appropriation for F-11, Working-men's compensation, \$500 to the appropriation for D-11, Motor Vehicles, \$250; D-16, General Plant, \$250.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Ferry Service:

From the appropriation for D-3, Fuel, \$8,025, to the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$5,000; D-2, Food and Ice, \$25; E-4, Ferries, \$3,000.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for District Court of Chelsea:

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$250, to the appropriation for D-1, Office, \$250.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Lighting Service:

From the appropriation for C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$50, to the appropriation for D-1, Office, \$50.

From the appropriation for F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$179, to the appropriation for C-17, General Plant, \$168.66; B-29, Stenographic, Copying and Indexing, \$10.34.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Building Department:

From the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$300, to the appropriation for B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$300.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Public Works Department, Central Office:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerks, 4 at \$1,600-\$1,700 per year, \$400, to the appropriation for D-1, Office, \$400.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Hospital Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerks, 35 at \$16 per week, \$5,500, to the appropriation for B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs, \$150; B-36, Boiler Inspection, \$2; C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$3,000; C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$500; E-9, Machinery, \$1,500; E-10, Electrical, \$348.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Boston Juvenile Court:

From the appropriation for G-1, Probation Officers' Expenses, \$40, to the appropriation for B-4, Transportation of Persons, \$40.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Municipal Court, West Roxbury District:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Clerk, 1 at \$3,225 per year, \$257.92; B-13, Communication, \$100; D-1, Office, \$200, to the appropriation for A-2, Temporary Employees, \$557.92.

From the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$16.12, to the appropriation for C-10, Library, \$1.93; G-1, Probation Officers' Expenses, \$14.19.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Boston Sanatorium:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Pathologist, 1 at \$2,000 per year, \$525, to the appropriation for B-28, Expert and Architect, \$50; E-10, Electrical, \$175; E-1, Building, \$300.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Pathologist, 1 at \$2,000 per year, \$608.33; Technician, X-Ray, 1 at \$1,000 to \$1,100 per year, \$20.50; Supervisor of Playgrounds, 1 at \$60 per month, \$60; Dietitian, 1 at \$1,800 per year, \$5; Laundresses, 4 at \$480-\$540 per year, \$9.33; Officers, Assistant Resident Medical Officers, 4 at \$1,200 per year, \$100; D-3, Fuel, \$4,196.84, to the appropriation for D-2, Food and Ice, \$5,000.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Police Department:

From the appropriation for B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$1,500; C-1, Apparatus, Cable Wire, etc., \$1,100; C-14, Live Stock, \$800; F-14, Listing, \$5,400, to the appropriation for B-4, Transportation of Per-

sons, \$1,900; B-8, Light and Power, \$4,200; B-13, Communication, \$1,800; B-18, Cleaning, \$500; B-22, Medical, \$400.

From the appropriation for F-14, Listing, \$2,100, to the appropriation for B-28, Expert and Architect, \$137.50; C-12, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$236.66; D-18, Cloth and Caps, \$1,725.84.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Boston Almshouse and Hospital:

From the appropriation for B-1, Printing and Binding, \$110, to the appropriation for B-5, Cartage and Freight, \$50; B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$10; C-4, Motor Vehicles, \$50.

From the appropriation for D-3, Fuel, \$1,850, to the appropriation for C-7, Furniture and Fittings, \$1,000; C-9, Office, \$50; C-12, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$500; C-13, Tools and Instruments, \$300.

From the appropriation for D-3, Fuel, \$1,200; D-4, Forage and Animal, \$200; D-10, Agricultural, \$400; E-10, Electrical, \$500; A-1, Permanent Employees, Attendant, Chief, 1 at \$1,000-\$1,100 per year, \$200; Dental Hygienist, 1 at \$1,000 per year, \$400; Internes, 6 at \$600 per year, \$600, to the appropriation for C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$3,500.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Nurse, Operating Room, 1 at \$1,200 pper year, \$200; Nurses, Pupil, 40 at \$300 per year, \$800, to the appropriation for D-5, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$1,000.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Nurses, Pupil, 40 at \$300 per year, \$500, to the appropriation for D-8, Laundry, Cleaning, Toilet, \$200; D-13, Chemicals and Disinfectants, \$300.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Nurses, Teacher of, 1 at \$1,200-\$1,300 per year, \$100; Physician, First Assistant, Resident, 1 at \$1,700-\$1,800 per year, \$400, to the appropriation for D-15, Tobacco, \$500.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Child Welfare Division, B-17, Care of Persons, \$4,000, to the appropriation for Boston Almshouse and Hospital, E-1, Building, \$2,000; E-13, General Plant, \$2,000.

From the appropriation for B-17, Care of Persons, \$2,000; C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$3,000, to the appropriation for D-2, Food and Ice, \$5,000.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Overseeing of the Public Welfare Department, Central Office:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Visitors, 4 at \$1,400 per year, \$308.25, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Visitor, 1 at \$1,500 per year, \$308.25; Visitor, 1 at \$1,600 per year, \$284.89.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Institutions Department:

From the appropriation for House of Correction, C-14, Live Stock, \$200; E-10, Electrical, \$401.25, to the appropriation for House of Correction, B-2, Postage, \$200; B-12, Premium on Surety Bonds, \$1.25; D-1, Office, \$400.

From the appropriation for D-10, Agricultural, \$50; D-13, Tools and Instruments, \$100, to the appropriation for D-5, Medical, Surgical, Laboratory, \$150.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Master, Assistant Deputy, 1 at \$1,400-\$1,600 per year, \$1,200; Engineers, Assistant, 5 at \$6-\$6.50 per day, \$300, to the appropriation for D-4, Forage and Animal, \$1,500.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Engineers, Assistant, 5 at \$6-\$6.50 per day, \$400; Firemen, 6 at \$5.50-\$6 per day, \$1,100, to the appropriation for E-1, Building, \$1,500.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Firemen, 6 at \$5.50-\$6 per day, \$300; Officers, 37 at \$1,000-\$1,400 per year, \$700; Steamer "Michael J. Perkins," D-3, Fuel, \$1,000, to the appropriation for F-9, Care of Dependents, \$2,000.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be

and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Institutions Department:

From the appropriation for Steamer "George A. Hibbard," A-1, Permanent Employees, Engineer, Assistant, 1 at \$1,500-\$1,600 per year, \$80; Deckhands, 4 at \$18 per week-\$1,000 per year, \$70; Firemen, 2 at \$920-\$1,000 per year, \$100; A-2, Temporary Employees, \$350; D-3, Fuel, \$400, to the appropriation for Steamer "George A. Hibbard," B-39, General Plant, \$1,000.

From the appropriation for D-3, Fuel, \$100; Central Office, A-1, Permanent Employees, Parole Agent, 1 at \$1,600 per year, \$200, to the appropriation for E-11, Marine, \$300.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfer in the appropriations for Steamer "Michael J. Perkins":

From the appropriation for A-3, Unassigned, \$150, to the appropriation for D-14, Marine, \$150.

From the appropriation for B-39, General Plant, \$200, to the appropriation for E-11, Marine, \$200.

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893, the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to make the following transfers in the appropriations for Police Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Lieutenants, 41 at \$2,500 per year, \$15,025.03, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Sergeants, 137 (145) at \$2,300 per year, \$9,523.73; Clerks, 2 at \$1,225 (\$1,250) per year, \$42.48; Clerks, 2 at \$800 per year, \$1,069.42; Stenographer, 1 at \$2,700 (\$3,000) per year, \$151.10; Stenographer, 1 at \$1,600 (\$1,800) per year, \$100.68; Stenographers, 2 (4) at \$960 per year, \$1,485.90; Hostlers, 12 (13) at \$1,350 per year, \$773.02; Janitors, 25 (26) at \$1,400 per year, \$500; Painters, 2 (3) at \$1,600 per year, \$601.22; A-2, Temporary Employees, \$777.48. Referred to the Executive Committee.

SEPARATION OF INSTITUTIONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, November 24, 1924.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—Under chapter 7 of the Ordinances of 1920 the Institutions Department was established; section 1 of chapter 7 of the Ordinances of 1920 provided that the Penal Institutions Department, the Boston Infirmary Department, the Children's Institutions Department and the Institutions Registration Department, be abolished and that all the rights, duties and obligations of the said departments be thereafter exercised and performed by the Institutions Department, as established by the Special Acts of 1919, chapter 222.

Section 2 of chapter 7 of the Ordinances of 1920 further provided that the Institutions Department thus created, should be under the supervision and control of a commissioner, to be known as the Commissioner of Institutions.

I have always believed it to be most unfortunate that the chronic sick, the aged poor and neglected children should be subject to the control of the commissioner having at the same time the custody and care of persons sentenced for the commission of crime. It has been my purpose that this deplorable condition be ended and with that object in view, for more than two years negotiations have been conducted for the purpose of acquiring the property formerly known as the Elks' Hospital property at Parker Hill, Roxbury. It has taken nearly two years to acquire title but this, happily, at last, has been done and it is my purpose in the event that the ordinance here submitted is adopted, to recommend to the City Council in January an appropriation in the sum of \$1,000,000 with the debt limit for the erection of a chronic hospital, with such suitable quarters as may be necessary for nurses, orderlies, internes, physicians and surgeons, at Parker Hill.

Upon the completion of this institution it will be possible not only to transfer the chronic sick from the institution at Long Island but to provide treatment in future for the chronic sick in a section of the city where the opportunities for medical and surgical service of the highest character may be found.

It is my purpose, in addition, with the aid of the City Council, upon the abandonment of the West Roxbury institution by the federal government to transfer the aged poor from Long Island to West Roxbury.

The initial step in the program is represented today by the amendments to ordinances

as here proposed and which I sincerely trust the City Council, in its wisdom, will approve.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-four.

An Ordinance concerning the Institutions Department.

Be it ordained, etc.

Section 1. All employees of the Institutions Department now engaged in the Boston Infirmary, Children's Institutions and Institutions Registration Work, shall continue to perform their usual duties upon the same terms and conditions as heretofore until removal, appointment to positions in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance, or transferred to other departments.

Section 2. The Institutions Commissioner shall continue to be the executive and administrative head of the department at an annual salary of seventy-five hundred dollars and may reorganize said department as he may find necessary for its proper conduct.

Section 3. The Institutions Commissioner shall, after the appointment and qualification of the Penal Institutions Commissioner, have no further control of either Deer Island or the House of Correction at Deer Island.

Section 4. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-four.

An Ordinance concerning the Penal Institutions Department.

Be it ordained, etc.

Section 1. The Penal Institutions Department shall be under the charge of a Penal Institutions Commissioner who shall exercise the powers and perform the duties provided by statute and shall have the charge and control of Deer Island and the House of Correction at Deer Island.

Section 2. The Penal Institutions Commissioner shall be appointed by the Mayor, in accordance with the provisions governing appointments of chapter 486 of the Acts of the year nineteen hundred and nine and acts in amendment thereof, and shall receive an annual salary of five thousand dollars.

Section 3. The Penal Institutions Commissioner shall be the executive and administrative head of the department and may organize said department as he may find necessary for its proper conduct.

Section 4. All employees of the Institutions Department, including the deputy commissioners, who are performing work at Deer Island and the House of Correction at Deer Island, shall as temporary appointees of the Institutions Department continue to perform their usual duties upon the same terms and conditions as heretofore until removal, appointment or transfer to other departments.

Section 5. Prior to the appointment and qualification of the Penal Institutions Commissioner the Institutions Commissioner shall continue to perform the duties of the Penal Institutions Commissioner.

Section 6. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Boylston Sales Company, for compensation for damage to property at 795-799 Boylston street, caused by water flooding cellar.

Wilbur F. Burrell, for compensation for damage to automobile on Atlantic avenue, caused by city cart.

Salvatore Ciancicelo, for compensation for damage to motor boat by steamer "Andrew J. McDonald."

John Collins, for compensation for damage to taxi by Public Works Department truck.

John J. Connor, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by fire apparatus.

Mary J. Crowne, for compensation for injuries caused by fire hose at Newhall street and Pierce avenue.

Edward J. Daly, for compensation for damages due to draining of well caused by building of sewer in East street.

Pasquale DeCristoforo, for compensation for damage to property at 18 Hemlock street, Roslindale, caused by overflow of sewage.

Americo DiBona, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by Public Works Department wagon.

Michael Feeney, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at corner of C street and Broadway.

Harry T. Grace, to be indemnified for amount of judgment obtained in a suit brought against him on account of his acts as a police officer.

H. H. Hill, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by car of water service.

M. Katzeff, for compensation for damage to automobile on East Boston Ferry.

Lilla V. Keene, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Gainsborough street.

Guiseppa Lottero, for compensation for damage to property at 194 London street, East Boston, caused by bursting of water pipe.

William F. McCarthy, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Huntington avenue.

David McDermott, for compensation for injuries caused by City Hospital ambulance.

Patrick J. Morrissey, to be indemnified for amount of judgment obtained in a suit brought against him on account of his acts as a police officer.

Carlton Nickerson, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Meridian and Monmouth streets.

Alexander J. Powers, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect at 1324 Washington street.

Thomas A. Quinn, for compensation for damage to automobile, caused by an alleged defect in Adams and Fairview streets.

Sadie Rosen, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 19 Allen street.

Louisa Scott, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 40 Merchants row.

Alexander Simpson, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by fire apparatus.

William H. Sullivan, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Worthington street.

Joseph L. Walker, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Vernon street, Roxbury.

Orrington Waugh, to be indemnified for amount of judgment obtained in a suit brought against him on account of his acts as a police officer.

Mary Wiseman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Eaton street.

Executive.

Petition of Rev. C. F. Arnold for children to appear at St. Mary's Hall on evenings of November 24 and 25.

Petition of Amelia Burnham for children to appear at Symphony Hall on evening of December 9.

REGISTRY PAY ROLL.

The pay roll of the Registry of Deeds, from October 20 to November 15, 1924, amounting to \$10,884, was received, approved by Register William T. A. Fitzgerald.

Approved and ordered paid.

RESIGNATION OF CONSTABLE DI DONATO.

Notice was received from the Mayor of acceptance of resignation of Saverio Di Donato, 95 Cottage street, East Boston, as Constable of the City of Boston.

Placed on file.

CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of George W. Bloomberg was received, with surety approved by the City Treasurer.

Approved.

JAMES A. SWEENEY, SEALER.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of James A. Sweeney, 146 Poplar street, Roslindale, to the position of Sealer of Weights and Measures to take effect this day, the appointment being made from the eligible list submitted by the Commissioners of Civil Service.

Placed on file.

CONFIRMATION OF EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

President DONOGHUE called up the following, under unfinished business:

Actions on appointments submitted by the Mayor, November 17, 1924, viz.:

1. Mark E. Pearlmutter, to be a constable.

2. William Haley and Chester A. Bayley, to be weighers of coal.

3. Hartley M. Atwood and Joseph I. Altman, to be weighers of goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee—Coun. Healey and Walsh. Whole number of ballots, 6; yeas 6, nays 0, and the appointments were confirmed.

GASOLINE LICENSES.

Notice was received from the Street Laying-Out Department of hearings Monday, December 1, 1924, on the following petitions:

Forindo J. Bianco, 1087-1093 Bennington street, Ward 1, 2,000 gallons gasoline.

Jacob J. Neulich and another, 783-789 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 21, 1,000 gallons gasoline. Referred to the Executive Committee.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, submitted a report recommending the passage of an order for the payment of aid to soldiers and their families in the City of Boston for the month of November, 1924, under the provisions of chapter 115 of the General Laws, and acts in amendment thereof or in addition thereto, the amounts to be paid being set forth in annexed list of allowances.

Report accepted, said order passed.

RECESS.

President DONOGHUE declared a recess at 2.43 p. m.

The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President DONOGHUE at 4.05 p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on the petition of Rev. C. F. Arnold (referred today) for children to appear at St. Mary's Hall, November 24 and 25, 1924—that permit be granted.

Report accepted; permit granted on usual conditions.

2. Report on the petition of Amelia Burnham (referred today) for children to appear at Symphony Hall December 9, 1924—that permit be granted.

Report accepted; permit granted on usual conditions.

3. Report on order (submitted by Mayor today) that the sum of \$50,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated from special fund, Civilian War Poll Tax Refund, for Police Headquarters—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed.

4. Report on order (submitted by Mayor today) that under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer \$4,000 from the appropriation for Fire Station, Engine 31, Improvements, etc., to the appropriation for Engine 40, new building.

Report accepted; said order read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

5. Report on orders for transfers within departmental appropriations (submitted by the Mayor today)—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said orders passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

6. Report on order (submitted by the Mayor today) that the sum of \$10,000 be and the same hereby is appropriated from the income of the Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commission, for the maintenance and improvement of the Common and parks in existence on January 12, 1887, as follows: Boston Common, etc., maintenance equipment, \$10,000—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

Yeas—Coun. Brickley, Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Purcell, Walsh, Watson—7.

Nays—0.

JITNEY BUSES IN WEST ROXBURY.

Coun. PURCELL offered the following: Ordered, That the Trustees of the Boston Elevated Railway Company be requested to petition the City Council of Boston for a

license to operate jitney buses in the West Roxbury district over the following route:

Centre street, May street, Pond street, Arborway and Centre street to the Monument and return over the same route, in place of the route formerly granted by the City Council, and to operate same on a ten-minute schedule during the rush hours.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. GILBODY the Council refused a general reconsideration of all action taken today.

Adjourned, on motion of Coun. BRICKLEY, at 4.08 p. m., to meet on Monday, December 8, at 2 p. m.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Nov. 17, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building 15 Beacon Street, at 6.32 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENTS AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

June 23, 1924, on page 139, order number two of the salary schedule, by striking out the item "Lunch Attendants, Elementary Schools, per hour, 50c.," and substituting in place thereof the item—"Lunch Attendants, Elementary Schools, \$1.00."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172, to provide that the appointment of Matthew F. Durgin as co-operative instructor, Charlestown High School, shall read to take effect Sept. 15, 1924, instead of "Sept. 1, 1924."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172, to provide that the appointment of Jessie M. Howard, as industrial instructor, High School of Practical Arts, shall read to take effect Sept. 15, 1924, instead of "Sept. 1, 1924."

Sept. 8, 1924, on page 172 to provide that the appointment of Marion H. Kidder as assistant, Hyde Park High School, shall read to take effect Sept. 23, 1924, instead of "Sept. 1, 1924."

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 197, to provide that the leave of absence granted Andrew R. McCormick, junior master, English High School, shall read "Sept. 8, 1924, one day without loss of pay, and Sept. 9, 1924, one day, without pay," instead of "Sept. 8 and 9, 1924, two days, without pay."

Oct. 20, 1924, on page 215, to provide that the appointment of Helen M. Greene, as assistant, kindergarten, Dearborn District, shall read to take effect Nov. 10, 1924, instead of "Nov. 4, 1924."

Oct. 20, 1924, on page 215, to provide that the appointment of E. Ella Beach, as assistant, fifth year, Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District, shall read to take effect Nov. 10, 1924, instead of "Nov. 4, 1924."

Nov. 3, 1924, on page 228, to provide that the appointment of Joseph F. Cooper as special assistant, Oliver Hazard Perry District, to take effect Oct. 6, 1924, shall read "Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District" instead of Oliver Hazard Perry District.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed, as amended.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENT.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has withdrawn the appointment of Edward J. Oakes, instructor, shop work, second year, Department of Manual Arts, to take effect Nov. 18, 1924, as made at the meeting of Nov. 3, 1924 (p. 229).

Placed on file and the appointment withdrawn.

DEATHS.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teacher:

Minot District—Mary B. Johnson, first assistant, kindergarten, Nov. 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

The Superintendent also reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension:

English High School—Arthur B. Joy, junior master, Nov. 13, 1924.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

Longfellow District—Helen B. Mendall, assistant, Sept. 30, 1924.

Wendell Phillips District—Esther F. Sullivan, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

Accepted.

The following resignation reported by the Superintendent, to take effect on the date stated, was also presented:

Charlestown High School—Winifred H. Rogers, assistant, Aug. 31, 1924.

The resignation was accepted conditional on the refunding of a certain proportion of the amount paid to the teacher while on leave of absence for study and travel, such amount to be determined under the provisions of section 307, paragraph 3 of the regulations.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

(Industrial Department.)

Girls' High School—Eleanor C. Hill, Clare C. McGoldrick, Nov. 13, 1924.

Approved.

Abraham Lincoln District—Ellen G. White, Oct. 14, 1924.

Blackinton-John Cheveus District—Aloyse Doherty, Oct. 1, 1924.

Charles Sumner District—Louise A. Gartland (kindergarten), Nov. 4, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Helena E. Sullivan (kindergarten), Oct. 28, 1924; Theresa C. Fitzgerald, Edith Kolb, Nov. 5, 1924; Marjorie I. Lynch, Nov. 10, 1924.

Emerson District—Anna Whelton, Nov. 6, 1924.

Francis Parkman District—Katherine E. Phelan, Oct. 8, 1924.

Harvard-Frothingham District—William A. O'Shea, Oct. 15, 1924.

Henry Grew District—Josephine Reed, Oct. 1, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Joseph F. Cooper, Ellen Shepard, Nov. 13, 1924.

Hugh O'Brien District—Eleanor Brown, Oct. 8, 1924.

Hyde District—Ellen Phillimore, Nov. 4, 1924.

John A. Andrew District—Anna Whelton, Nov. 10, 1924.

John Marshall District—Agnes M. Newcomb, Nov. 3, 1924; Minna Rosen, Nov. 10, 1924; Julia H. Collins, Nov. 12, 1924.

Minot District—Louise A. Gartland (kindergarten), Nov. 3, 1924; Frances A. McManus (kindergarten), Nov. 4, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Anna R. Moylan, Oct. 23, 1924.

Quincy District—Edwin L. Crowley, Oct. 6, 1924; Mary I. McKay, Oct. 14, 1924; Louise C. Leary, Oct. 15, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Teresa C. Barry, Nov. 3, 1924; Helen J. Griffin, Nov. 4, 1924; John J. Danahy, Nov. 10, 1924; Mary J. Logan, Nov. 10, 1924.

Sherwin District—Edward S. Murphy, Adeline B. Vara, Sept. 8, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Eleanor U. Monahan, Aida E. Troiano, Marie Whall, Sept. 8, 1924.

Thomas Gardner District—Ellen A. Valuski, Nov. 3, 1924; Louis F. Fine, Oct. 14, 1924.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Mary E. A. Lynch, Nov. 4, 1924; Evelyn H. Greene, Nov. 5, 1924; Elizabeth P. Moran, Nov. 5, 1924.

Washington-Allston District—Helen E. Conroy, Oct. 21, 1924.

Wells District—A. Marion McDonald, Oct. 6, 1924; Margaret M. Connelly, Nov. 10, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—Annabelle Moise, (kindergarten) Oct. 7, 1924; Frances M. Callahan, Oct. 22, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—B. Ethel McKay, Nov. 3, 1924.

Day School for Immigrants—Dorothy R. Cohn, Mary V. Sullivan, Nov. 10, 1924; Rose B. Greenberg, A. Viveca Mattox, Rita M. Sherry, Nov. 12, 1924; John W. King, Nov. 6, 1924; Mariam Kurkdjian, Louise C. Leary, Nov. 11, 1924; Alice L. Linnehan, Ida M. Fields, Nov. 5, 1924; Isabel P. Kelly, Mary I. McKenna, Nov. 10, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Department of Music—Fortunato Sordillo, instructor of band and orchestral instruments, Oct. 7, 1924.

Public Latin School—George D. Yantis, junior master, Nov. 14, 1924.

Dorchester High School—Freda Berlin, assistant, Nov. 13, 1924.

High School of Commerce—George C. Gardiner, junior master, Oct. 6, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Edward J. Markham, sub-master, Nov. 10, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Edward J. Markham, sub-master, Nov. 3, 1924.

Trade School for Girls—Veronica A. Twiss, helper, Oct. 27, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Florence W. Currier, teacher of sewing, Sept. 22, 1924.

Placed on file.

REAPPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY TEACHERS.

Latin and Day High Schools—Cecilia M. McCann, assistant, speech improvement class, Nov. 8, 1924; Francis A. Mahan, instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling, Nov. 9, 1924; Harry B. Roche, instructor of drum and bugle corps and signalling, Nov. 8, 1924.

Public Latin School—John B. O'Hayre, junior master, Nov. 24, 1924.

Brighton High School—Maude E. Barlow, assistant, Nov. 8, 1924; Ruth M. Heidenreich, industrial instructor (half time), Nov. 9, 1924; Forest L. Mason, cooperative instructor, Nov. 12, 1924; Charles F. Seaverns, junior master, Nov. 8, 1924; John F. Thomas, junior master, Nov. 15, 1924; Jane R. Woods, assistant, Nov. 8, 1924.

Charlestown High School—Raymond J. Powers, co-operative instructor, Nov. 22, 1924; Constance Tenney, assistant, Nov. 26, 1924.

Dorchester High School—Frank L. Alcieri junior master, Nov. 8, 1924; James H. Mullins, junior master, Nov. 24, 1924.

East Boston High School—William M. Murphy junior master, Nov. 8, 1924; Mary M. Sullivan, assistant, Nov. 17, 1924; George A. Reardon, junior master, Nov. 8, 1924.

English High School—Karl Belling, Charles F. Coveney, Charles J. Hamlin, junior masters, Nov. 8, 1924.

Girls' High School—Elizabeth M. Wood, assistant instructor salesmanship, Nov. 8, 1924.

Jamaica Plain High School—Lewis F. Richardson, instructor, mechanic arts, Nov. 15, 1924.

Trade School for Girls—Elizabeth M. Upton, helper, Nov. 8, 1924; Katherine Romeo, helper, Nov. 15, 1924; Rose Mirabile, helper, Nov. 22, 1924; Veronica A. Twiss, student aid, Dec. 1, 1924.

Elliot District—Richard J. Crowley, sub-master, Nov. 9, 1924.

Sherwin District—Walter A. Cremen, sub-master, Nov. 8, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—William A. Collier, shop instructor, Nov. 22, 1924; Leonard L. Curado, shop instructor, Nov. 15, 1924; Minnie Darrow, shop instructor, Nov. 19, 1924; Gustaf G. Larsson, shop instructor, Nov. 9, 1924; James E. Mulvanity, shop instructor, Nov. 18, 1924; Rodney F. Paschal, shop instructor, Nov. 17, 1924.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Louie Dunn, Sarah Foley, Helen Nutt, Mary C. Walsh, teachers of cookery, Nov. 9, 1924; Emma Cutter, teacher of sewing, Nov. 17, 1924; Mary E. Donovan, Carolyn L. Fries, teachers of sewing, Nov. 8, 1924; Alice Cody, Mary Eunice Doherty, Carolyn M. Dyer, Beatrice Fickett, Ruth M. Heidenreich (half time), Katherine Hickey, Laura H. Johnston, Mary Gertrude Payne, Rita M. Sherry, teachers of sewing, Nov. 9, 1924; Frances B. Haskell, teacher of millinery, Nov. 15, 1924; Mary A. Doherty, Mary J. Naphen, teachers of millinery, Nov. 9, 1924;

Minnie Darrow, trade assistant, Nov. 11, 1924; Edith Trout, trade assistant, Nov. 9, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY NURSES.

Department of Medical Inspection—Mary Nolan Dee, Evelyn L. Gardner, Lucy T. O'Kane, school nurses, Nov. 12, 1924.

Placed on file.

SUBSTITUTE NURSE.

Department of Medical Inspection—Lucy T. O'Kane, school nurse, Nov. 3, 1924.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

English High School—George L. McKim, junior master (from junior assistant), Dec. 2, 1924.

Chapman District—Gladys V. Cole, Anna J. Toomey, assistants, Dec. 2, 1924.

Dudley District—Mary E. Daley, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Helen Judge, assistant, Dec. 8, 1924.

Emerson District—Helen F. Murphy, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

Gaston District—Mollie E. Collins, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

Henry Grew District—Belle Wisansky, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Mary F. Canning, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

Hugh O'Brien District—Ida M. Durkee, Alice C. Haggerty, Mabel A. T. McCloskey, assistants, Dec. 2, 1924.

Hyde District—Alice L. Morse, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

John A. Andrew District—Miles G. Lee, assistant, Genevieve V. McCarrick, assistant kindergarten, Dec. 2, 1924.

John Winthrop District—Mary T. P. Eagan (third year), Mary R. Sullivan, assistants, Dec. 2, 1924.

Lawrence District—Josephine F. O'Connell, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

Longfellow District—Martha J. E. Volk, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

Norcross District—Mary L. MacDonald, Marie Denihan Sullivan, assistants, Dec. 2, 1924.

Rice District—Anastasia M. Kelly, assistant, fourth year, Dec. 15, 1924; Clara C. Mee, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Helen J. Griffin, Edytha M. McNamee, Theresa O'Neil, Mary F. Welch, assistants, Dec. 2, 1924.

Shurtleff District—Esther L. Cuneen, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Hugh H. O'Regan, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

Washington District—Mary I. McKenna, assistant, kindergarten, Dec. 2, 1924; Ruth L. Quinn, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—Catherine L. Keefe, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

William Lloyd Garrison District—B. Ethel MacKay, assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.

Trade School for Girls—Matilda E. Cogan, assistant instructor, physical training, Dec. 2, 1924.

Department of Music—Harry B. Roche, supervisor of drum and bugle corps, Nov. 24, 1924.

Laid over.

(Re-entrant Temporary Teacher).

Jefferson-Comins District—Mary E. Sullivan, re-entrant temporary assistant, Dec. 2, 1924.
Laid over.

(Junior Assistants.)

English High School—George L. McKim, junior assistant (from Public Latin School), Nov. 14, 1924.

Girls' High School—Wilhelmina M. Clifford, junior assistant (from Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District), Nov. 17, 1924; Mary M. Lee, junior assistant (from Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District), Nov. 17, 1924.

Approved.

(Director of Evening School.)

Department of Evening Schools—Joseph F. Gould, director (from master, Abraham Lincoln District), Dec. 1, 1924.

Approved under a suspension of the rules by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtiss, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

(Assistant Director of Penmanship.)

Penmanship—Katharine O'Brien, assistant director (from master's assistant, Dearborn District), Nov. 24, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

(By Promotion.)

Hyde Park High School—Marguerite S. King, industrial assistant (from industrial instructor), Nov. 12, 1924.

Eliot District—George S. McCabe, sub-master (from assistant, Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District), Nov. 17, 1924.

Oliver Hazard Perry District—Francis J. Dillon, sub-master (from assistant, Lewis Intermediate District), Nov. 24, 1924.

Quincy District—Helen M. Connelly, master's assistant (from assistant, Rice District), Dec. 1, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules.

(Kindergarten, Two Sessions.)

John Marshall District—M. Isabel Sullivan, assistant, kindergarten, two sessions (from assistant, kindergarten), Oct. 22, 1924.

Approved.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1924-25.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of Alice V. Rice as assistant in the Roger Wolcott Evening School on November 4, 1924 (one evening), is hereby authorized and that she be paid for her services at the rate of three dollars fifty cents (\$3.50) per evening.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Frederick H. Dole, assistant, Nov. 10, 1924.

Bowdoin Evening School—Aloyse B. Tierney, assistant, Nov. 13, 1924.

Dearborn Evening School—Margaret E. Maloney, assistant, Nov. 13, 1924.

Edward Everett Evening School—Louise M. Borre, assistant, Nov. 3, 1924.

Franklin Evening School—Margaret L. Collins, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Marion I. Evans, Anna M. Galvin, Rose M. McDonough, assistants, Nov. 3, 1924.

Phillips Brooks Evening School—Margaret L. Costello, assistant, Nov. 4 to 13, 1924 (four evenings); Marion A. Maguire, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924; Anna E. Scully, assistant, Nov. 13, 1924 (one evening).

Roger Wolcott Evening School—Edith C. Baldwin, assistant, Nov. 10, 13, 1924 (two evenings); Helen H. MacBurney, assistant, Nov. 13, 1924; Arthur W. Murphy, assistant, Nov. 3, 1924; Jeanette Van Rees, assistant, Nov. 6, 1924.

Theodore Lyman Evening School—Angela Putza, assistant, Nov. 6, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Evening School—Rebecca E. Daniels, assistant, Nov. 3, 1924.

Washington Evening School—Helen M. Baker, assistant, Nov. 6, 1924 (one evening); Bessie M. Loughead, assistant, Nov. 10, 1924; Florence Riddon, assistant, Nov. 10, 1924; Mary M. Sullivan, assistant, Nov. 11, 1924.

Washington Irving Evening School—Josephine M. Gately, assistant, Nov. 11, 1924.

Boston Trade School (Evening Classes)—Charles L. Milward, assistant, Oct. 14, 1924.

Trade School for Girls (Extension Classes)—Anna C. Craft, assistant, Oct. 16, 1924; Bernice Guptill, assistant, Nov. 10, 1924; Ruth U. Weld, second assistant, Oct. 9, 1924; Veronica A. Twiss, student-aid, Oct. 6, 1924.

Approved.

SCHOOL CENTERS.

Term 1924-25.

(To take effect Nov. 17, 1924.)

Leaders—Benjamin Freedman, Robert Hocksletler, Anna Smith.

Helpers—Alfred Breen, Florence Carpenter, Josephine Coffin, John Monahan, James Keegan, Marie Schulz, Benjamin Yanovitz.

Attendant—Katherine Devereux. Assistant Helper—Henry Hopkins. Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Patrick J. Boyle, Marion L. Buker, Elizabeth M. Butler, Lillian Galvin Butler, Isabel Connelly, Margaret M. Connelly, Clarence E. Damon, Ruth E. Dowd, Margaret E. Fields, Thomas O. Giles, Anna H. Gilmore, Isabel H. Hoar, John S. Kane, George R. Kapff, Charles J. Keelon, Madeline R. Keohane, Bertha M. Leland, Mary J. Logan, Margaret R. Lyons, Catherine Mahoney, Katherine L. Mannix, Edward J. Markham, Lillian T. McDermott, Clare C. McGoldrick, Mary Ruth McLean, Frances McManus, Ida A. Merriam, Katherine E. Morrison, Elizabeth P. Moran, Christopher Nolan, Celia A. Nugent, Mary J. Nugent, John R. O'Brien, Edward J. O'Connor, Leona M. Samuels, Cara Sprague, Gertrude A. Swartz, Frederick L. Sweeney, Margaret M. White, Minnie E. G. Whitney, George E. Wilkie.

Approved.

TRANSFERS.

Elihu Greenwood District—Mary J. Mulcahy, assistant, to the same position in the Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District, Nov. 13, 1924.

Eliot District—William S. Lenihan, sub-master, to the same position in the John Winthrop District, Nov. 17, 1924.

Francis Parkman District—Frances M. Holleran, assistant, to the same position in the Charles Sumner District, Nov. 6, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Esther M. Sheehan, assistant, special class, to the same position in the Eliot District, Nov. 17, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Evening School—Mary R. McCue, assistant, to the same position in the Theodore Lyman Evening School, Nov. 3, 1924, (one evening).

Approved.

ATTENDANTS, DAY SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS.

Catherine F. Lenehan, Nov. 10, 1924; Amelia Massi, Nov. 11, 1924. Approved.

ATTENDANTS, SCHOOL LUNCHEONS.

John A. Andrew District—(John A. Andrew School)—Pelagia Hepke, Nov. 17, 1924.

Julia Ward Howe District—(Julia Ward Howe School)—Elizabeth Champagne, Nov. 6, 1924. Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Public Latin School—George S. Penney, junior master, military drill, Dec. 1, to 22, 1924, without pay.

High School of Practical Arts—Margaret A. Foran, industrial assistant, Nov. 4, 1924 one day, without pay.

Roxbury High School—Harriet C. Taylor, assistant, Sept. 8, 1924, one day, without pay; Irving H. Upton, master, head of department, Nov. 14, 1924, one day, without pay.

Bigelow District—Clara M. French, assistant, special class, Nov. 3, 4, 1924, two days, without pay.

Dillaway District—Agnes A. Watson, assistant, Oct. 27, 30, 31, 1924, three days, without pay.

Elihu Greenwood District—Mary J. Mulcahy, assistant, Nov. 3, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Francis Parkman District—Hannah E. Tobin, assistant, Nov. 3, 4, 1924, two days, without pay.

Franklin District—Anna T. Sennot, assistant, Nov. 7, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Hancock District—Katherine E. Gillespie, assistant, Nov. 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Anna M. Niland, master's assistant, Nov. 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Henry L. Pierce District—Gertrude L. McCormick, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Horace Mann School—Josephine L. Goddard, assistant, from Dec. 8, 1924, to Mar. 8, 1925.

Lawrence District—Sabina F. Kelly, assistant, Nov. 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Mather District—Helen M. French, assistant, Oct. 27 to 29 and 31, 1924, four days, without pay.

Prince District—Beatrice G. Hantz, junior assistant, Nov. 13, 1924, one-half day, wedding.

Rice District—Honora G. Lynch, junior assistant, Nov. 12, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Honora G. Lynch, junior assistant, Nov. 13, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Ellen M. Ford, assistant, Oct. 10, 1924, one day, without pay.

Department of Medical Inspection—Simon F. Curran, M. D., school physician, Nov. 12, 1924, one day, without pay.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Susan J. Ginn, director, Oct. 27 to 31, 1924, five days, without loss of pay (vacation); Bessie MacBride, vocational assistant, Oct. 16, 1924, one-half day, without loss of pay (vacation); Eleanor J. O'Brien, vocational assistant, Oct. 9, 10, 1924, two days, without loss of pay (vacation); Curtis Peckham, vocational instructor, Oct. 31, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (vacation); Irving O. Scott, vocational instructor, Oct. 17, 30, 31, 1924, three days, without loss of pay (vacation).

ASSIGNMENT OF A TEACHER.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, reporting that he has assigned the following-named junior assistant to the school indicated on the dates stated, said assignment to be without change of rank or salary:

Public Latin School—Matthew P. Butler, to the English High School Oct. 20 and 21, 1924.

Placed on file, and the assignment approved.

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, reporting the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated, until such time as they shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated:

Frederic W. Lincoln District—Rachel W. Washburn, assistant, as acting master's assistant, Oct. 21, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Mary Connelley, assistant, kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 1, 1924.

Quincy District—Alice M. Roche, assistant, as acting master's assistant, Oct. 1, 1924; Elizabeth M. Daley, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), as acting first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), from Sept. 9 to 26, 1924, inclusive; Frances E. O'Neill, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), as acting first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), Sept. 29, 1924.

Placed on file.

EMPLOYMENT OF ADDITIONAL CLERICAL ASSISTANT, EAST BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of one permanent clerical assistant in addition to the number allowed by the regulations is hereby authorized in the East Boston High School, to take effect Nov. 11, 1924, and to continue while that school is conducted on the two-platoon plan.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has appointed Marion C. Adams

as clerical assistant in the East Boston High School, to take effect Nov. 11, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

NEWSBOYS TRIAL BOARD.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 15, 1924, reporting that the following-named newsboys have been elected members of the Newsboys Trial Board, to take effect Nov. 13, 1924:

William Schneider, judge, English High School.

James A. Mulligan, judge, High School of Commerce.

David Barman, judge, Wendell Phillips School.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, reporting that Silvio Accomando has been elected clerk of the Newsboys Trial Board for the year 1924-25, to take effect Nov. 13, 1924.

Placed on file.

SALARY OF KINDERGARTEN TEACHER APPOINTED TO TWO-SESSION KINDERGARTEN.

On motion of the Superintendent it was

ORDERED, That M. Isabel Sullivan, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), John Marshall District, is hereby placed upon the sixth year of the salary of the rank, namely, sixteen hundred fifty-six dollars (\$1,656) per annum, to take effect Oct. 22, 1924; and that she be placed upon the maximum of the salary of the rank, namely, seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,752), to take effect Oct. 22, 1925.

COMPENSATION OF PERMANENT TEACHERS SELECTED TO GIVE INSTRUMENTAL INSTRUCTION.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, the compensation of regularly appointed teachers selected by the Superintendent to give special instrumental instruction to pupils in the Latin and day high schools after school hours, is hereby established at the rate of two dollars (\$2) per period for not to exceed two periods per week.

The term "period" is defined as a teaching unit of not less than one hour.

ESTABLISHMENT OF ADDITIONAL OPEN AIR CLASS, ABRAHAM LINCOLN DISTRICT.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the establishment of an additional open air class, making two in all, is hereby authorized in the Abraham Lincoln District for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1925, unless discontinued prior to that date by order of the Board.

PAYMENT TO MARY E. BUTLER FOR EXTRA SERVICES AT HORACE MANN SCHOOL.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That there be allowed and paid to Mary E. Butler, attendant, Horace Mann School, compensation at the rate of one dollar (\$1) per day, in addition to her regular compensation, for services rendered as substitute for Mary E. Anthony, attendant, Horace Mann School, for five days, namely, Sept. 26, Nov. 11, 12, 13 and 14, 1924.

ASSIGNMENT OF ATTENDANCE OFFICER FOR SERVICE IN MARKET DISTRICT.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the Chief Attendance Officer is hereby authorized to assign a permanent attendance officer for service in the market district on Saturdays and on the days preceding Thanksgiving and Christmas, compensation for such service to be at the rate of six dollars (\$6) per day of service, and payment to be made upon certification of the Chief Attendance Officer to the Business Agent.

SUSPENSION OF SESSIONS ON FRIDAY, JAN. 2, 1925.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the sessions of all day schools be suspended on Friday, Jan. 2, 1925.

Passed, under a suspension of the rules.

ELIGIBLE LIST.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Nov. 15, 1924, reporting the amendment of School Document No. 13, 1924—Candidates Eligible for Appointment as Teachers—as follows:

Page 23. Elementary School, Class B certificate. 781. Margaret V. Lamb. Name temporarily removed by request.

Placed on file.

AMENDMENT TO RULES.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents under date of Nov. 17, 1924, recommending that the rules be so amended that the eligibility requirements for the certificate of qualification XI. Special: Military Drill shall conform to the requirements established for those who qualify for service as teacher of military drill under the certificate IV. High School.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rules are hereby amended as follows:

Section 80, paragraph XI. Special: Military Drill. In the fourth line, strike out the word "army" and substitute in place thereof the words—armed forces—so that the paragraph will read as follows:

Military Drill.

For instructors of military drill: Completion of a three years' course of study in a high school or evidence of an equivalent academic education or service as a commis-

sioned officer in the armed forces of the United States; and a two years' course of instruction in military tactics at a military academy approved by the board of superintendents, or two years' service in a regular state militia; and evidence of two years' successful experience in teaching military tactics.

Laid over.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, recommending that the regulations be amended by striking out paragraph 7 of section 320 of the regulations inasmuch as teachers' salaries are adjusted in the first and last year, based on the amount of service rendered in those years, that elimination of provision for credit to re-entrants for the fractional part of the final year of previous service in determining the date of the first anniversary following re-entry into the service is now unnecessary.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Section 320, paragraph 7. Strike out the paragraph.

Laid over.

APPOINTMENT AND SALARY OF ASSISTANT, BUSINESS AGENT'S OFFICE.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, recommending the appointment of Marie G. Landrey as assistant in his office, by transfer from the Department of Public Welfare, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to take effect Nov. 17, 1924.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Marie G. Landrey, assistant, office of the Business Agent, is hereby established at the rate of twenty dollars and seventy-one cents (\$20.71) per week, to take effect Nov. 17, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO NOV. 1, 1924.

A communication was received from the Business Agent, under date of Oct. 31, 1924, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, expenditures and balances for the first nine months of the current financial year, the expenditures for the corresponding nine months of the financial year 1923-24 with the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, recommending that John P. Barry, custodian of the George Bancroft School-house, be granted leave of absence on one-half net compensation for Nov. 11 (one-half day), and Nov. 12 and 13, 1924, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, recommending that William L. Kendrick, custodian, Samuel G. Howe School-house, be granted leave of absence on one-half net compensation for the period Nov. 5, 1924 to Jan. 3, 1925, inclusive, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, recommending that Dennis J. Lenehan, custodian, Paul Revere School-house, be granted leave of absence on one-half net compensation for the period Oct. 29, 30 and 31, 1924, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, recommending that William M. O'Brien, custodian, Choate Burnham School-house, be granted leave of absence on one-half net compensation for the period Nov. 4, 5 and 6, 1924, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

TRANSFERS OF CUSTODIANS.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, recommending that John Joyce, custodian, Hobart Street School-house, the only applicant in the service desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Longfellow School-house, be appointed to the position, to take effect Nov. 4, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of John Joyce approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, transmitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Sarah J. Baker School-house, and recommending that John Cunningham, custodian of the Longfellow School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Nov. 14, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of John Cunningham approved, to take effect on the date stated.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, transmitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Theodore Lyman School-house and Portables Nos. 64, 75, 78, 153, 197 and 209, and recommending that William Sennott, custodian, Ellis Mendell School-house, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position to take effect Nov. 14, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of William Sennott approved, to take effect on the date stated.

CHARGES PREFERRED AGAINST A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, reporting a custodian for neglect of duty and recommending that the matter be referred to the Trial Board.

Referred to the Trial Board for investigation and report.

ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO CUSTODIAN, CONTINUATION SCHOOL, COMMON STREET.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, recommending that, because of occupancy of the Brimmer School Building for a Continuation School and the Certifying Office, and the necessary occupancy on Saturdays and during vacation periods, that the custodian be allowed additional compensation in accordance with the salary schedule for summer review schools for days when the building is so occupied and when the regular days schools are not in session, said additional compensation to take effect Feb. 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the custodian of the Continuation School, Common Street, be allowed and paid additional compensation in accordance with the salary schedule for summer review schools while that building is occupied by the Certifying Office and when the regular day schools are not in session, said extra compensation to take effect Feb. 1, 1924.

SALARY OF ASSISTANT CUSTODIAN, ADMINISTRATION BUILDING.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the compensation of Elizabeth A. Rooney, assistant custodian of the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, is hereby established at the rate of twenty-two dollars (\$22) per week, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924.

REPORT OF TRIAL BOARD.

A communication was received from the Trial Board, under date of Nov. 17, 1924, to whom was referred at the meeting of Nov. 3, 1924 (see p. 237), a communication from the Schoolhouse Custodian preferring charges of neglect of duty against William J. Gallagher, custodian, Wait School-house, reporting that a hearing was held on Nov. 8, 1924, which was attended by the custodian concerned and by the Schoolhouse Custodian.

The Trial Board finds that the charges of the Schoolhouse Custodian are sustained inasmuch as Mr. Gallagher left the school building on the morning of Oct. 29, 1924, at 8:10 o'clock A. M., and sent no message of any kind to the Schoolhouse Custodian.

The Trial Board is convinced that Mr. Gallagher is lacking in a sense of appreciation of the duties imposed upon him as custodian of a school building, and finds him delinquent in that he did not make any effort to communicate with the Schoolhouse Custodian, either on the morning on which the incident occurred or at any time since.

FINDING—That the custodian is guilty of the charges preferred

against him in leaving the building on Oct. 29, 1924, without sending proper notification to the Schoolhouse Custodian.

RECOMMENDATION—(a) That the custodian be not permitted to resume work until the Schoolhouse Custodian is satisfied that he is physically fit; (b) that he be severely reprimanded for his failure to comply with the established regulations governing attendance at school buildings and notification in advance of absence to the Schoolhouse Custodian; (c) that he be not considered eligible for promotion during the current school year, and (d) that he be notified that a repetition of the charges against him, if sustained, will cause the Trial Board to recommend that the School Committee consider whether or not he is a proper person to continue in its employ.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

OMISSION FROM MINUTES OF CHARGES AGAINST TEACHERS.

A communication was received from Annie G. Scollard, Chairman, Conference Committee, Boston Teachers Club, under date of Nov. 14, 1924, reporting that at a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the Club the Conference Committee was directed to present to the School Committee the following request: That in all cases of dismissal from service, suspension, or enforced leave of absence to teachers, the minutes printed for distribution shall include only the record of the aforesaid action and not the accusation which constrained the School Committee to such action.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS FOR INCREASE IN SALARIES.

A communication was received from Anne D. Allard, President, Boston Elementary Teachers Club, under date of Nov. 15, 1924, transmitting a request of the Club that the School Committee secure from the Legislature sufficient funds to reestablish by Sept. 1, 1925 at least the differences existing previous to Sept. 1, 1924, between the salaries of elementary assistants and those of other ranks.

Placed on file.

A petition was received from the faculty of the Summer Review High School, under date of Nov. 15, 1924, asking for a readjustment of the salary schedule for work in this school and that it be given careful consideration before the investigating committee recently appointed to study the entire salary schedule.

Referred to the Board of Apportionment.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The order laid over at the meeting of Nov. 3, 1924 (see p. 236), amending section 80, paragraph XI. of the rules establishing the requirements for the special certificate in home nursing, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Nov. 3, 1924 (see p. 236), amending section 112, paragraphs 1 and 2 of the rules relative to the duties of the assistant business agent, was taken up and passed.

The two orders laid over at the meeting of Nov. 3, 1924 (see p. 238) naming two new school buildings, were taken up and passed unanimously.

The petition referred to the Superintendent at the meeting of March 17, 1924 (see p. 39), requesting the appointment of high school women teachers to the Department of Practice and Training, was taken up and placed on file, the Superintendent reporting that the Board of Superintendents has practically completed the preparation of a rated list of high school teachers, candidates for appointment to the position of Assistant Director of Practice and Training.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

Attest:

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Secretary.

IMMIGRANTS FROM ALL COUNTRIES TO UNITED STATES IN ONE HUNDRED YEARS.

According to Commissioner of Immigration the figures are: Total, 34,417,820. Ranking from highest number, principal countries (approx.): British Isles, 8,333,000; Germany, 5,500,000; Italy, 4,218,000; Austria-Hungary, 4,078,500; Russia, 3,319,000; Scandinavia (i. e. Norway, Sweden, Denmark), 2,171,000; British North America, 1,000,000; France, 542,000; Greece, 393,000; Poland, 379,000; Turkey in Asia, 330,000; Mexico, 300,000; China, 297,000; West Indies, 271,000; Switzerland, 268,000; Japan, 242,000; Holland, 226,000; Portugal, 194,000. Under the Immigration Restriction Law of 1921, the number of aliens admissible in the year ending June 30, 1922, was limited to 356,995, or 3 per cent of the foreign-born residents as shown by U. S. Census of 1910, but the number actually admitted was 243,953, or 68.3 per cent of legal quota. The total of immigrant aliens admitted in year ending June 30, 1921, was 805,228, or 87.3 per cent more than in year preceding and 448,233 in excess of the said limit for 1921-22.

POPULATION (ESTIMATED) OF BOSTON POSTAL DISTRICT.

The Supt. of Mails, Boston Post Office, maintains a system of mail delivery whereby the Boston Postal District, consisting of 12 cities (not including Lynn and Woburn) and 11 towns, covering about 231 square miles of territory, is divided into 74 delivery districts, each having a mail station. They extend northerly as far as to include Stoneham, easterly including Winthrop, southerly including South Weymouth and westerly including Wellesley, all being situated in the Metropolitan District or "Greater Boston" and mostly within 10 miles of State House.

Population of Boston Postal District estimated as 1,885,829 in July, 1922, and of these separate delivery districts in Boston as follows: Allston, 18,811; Back Bay, 65,608; Grove Hall, 43,018; Hanover St., 30,000; Jamaica Plain, 37,850; Roslindale, 19,989; Roxbury Crossing, 52,275; Station A, 91,943; Upham's Corner, 49,896. These are minor districts (not all that the City contains) and do not correspond with the geographical districts.

PUBLIC CONTROL OF BOSTON ELEVATED RAILWAY.

By Chapter 159, Special Acts of 1918, a State board of five trustees was created to assume control of the Elevated Railway Co. for the term of 10 years, the need being imperative to improve its unfortunate condition and impaired service in the interest of a very large traveling public. Regular dividends were continued and the raising of \$3,000,000 of new capital was provided for by the issue and sale of preferred stock. It was also provided that if the income should be insufficient to meet the cost of service and the reserve fund proved inadequate, any deficit should be paid by the State and assessed upon the cities and towns in which the railway was operated. The fare was raised from 5 cents to 7, then to 8 and again to 10. The total deficit for year ending June 30, 1919, was \$4,980,152, which was covered by extra taxation, as ordered, Boston paying \$2,905,931 or 71.9 per cent of total levy. According to the said act of 1918, the cities and towns were to be reimbursed for assessments paid by them as soon as the financial condition of the Elevated Co. permitted.

By Chapter 369, General Acts of 1919, the purchase by the State from the Elevated Co. of the Cambridge Subway was ordered as an emergency law, the capital thus made available being needed by the trustees. The property was conveyed to the State May 1, 1920, on payment of \$7,868,000 and 4½ per cent of this cost is payable by the B. E. Co. annually for rental.

The report of the Trustees of B. E. Railway Co. for year 1920 showed a notable financial improvement as compared with 1919, the cost of service exceeding receipts by \$347,167 or only one-seventh of the deficit in 1919.

The Trustees' report for 1921 showed total receipts for that year of \$33,277,026, exceeding the total cost of service, depreciation, debt requirements and dividends by \$1,171,445. This surplus permitted certain reimbursements in 1922, Boston receiving \$372,035 or 12.8 per cent of the assessment paid in 1919. Under the act of 1918, the general 10-cent fare cannot be reduced until all reimbursements are completed. On June 10, 1922, the consolidation of the West End Street Railway Co. with the Boston Elevated Co. went into effect, as provided by Acts of 1911, Chap. 740, the lease to the Elevated not expiring until the said date.

OFFICE HOURS IN CITY DEPARTMENTS.

City offices are required to be open for business from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m. on every day except Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, and Bunker Hill Day. Department offices are required to be closed on Saturday at 12 (noon) in June, July, August and September, and at 1 p. m. during the other months of the year; but the City Treasurer and the City Collector are not required to disburse or receive money after 2 p. m. on any day.

The office of the Health Department is open daily from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. (except Saturdays, when the hours are from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 5 to 10 p. m.); on Sundays and holidays from 10 a. m. to 12 m. and 5 to 10 p. m. for the reporting of cases of communicable diseases, issuing of burial permits, distribution of antitoxins and vaccines and receiving of cultures, etc.

STATE DEPARTMENTS AS
REORGANIZED.

By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the executive and administrative functions of the State, except those pertaining to the Governor and the Council and others performed by officials serving under them, were redistributed so as to be comprised in twenty principal departments, viz.: Dept. of the Secretary, of Treasurer and Receiver-General, Auditor, Attorney-General, and the following new departments: Of Agriculture, Conservation, Banking and Insurance, Corporations and Taxation, Education, Civil Service and Registration, Industrial Accidents, Labor and Industries, Mental Diseases, Correction, Public Welfare, Public Health, Public Safety, Public Works, Public Utilities and Metropolitan Commission.

The work of the decennial census, formerly done by Bureau of Statistics, was placed in charge of Dept. of the Secretary; that of forestry, fisheries and game and animal industry went to Dept. of Conservation; of Board of Conciliation and Arbitration, Minimum Wage Commission, the divisions of Bureau of Statistics concerned with labor and manufacturers, also public employment offices, etc., to Dept. of Labor and Industries; of State Board of Charity, Homestead Commission, trustees of State Infirmary and State Farm, etc., to Dept. of Public Welfare; of District Police, with building and boiler inspection, etc., also Fire Prevention Commissioner, to Dept. of Public Safety; of Mass. Highway Commission, with registration and regulation of motor vehicles, also Commission on Waterways and Public Lands, to Dept. of Public Works; of Public Service Commission, with regulation of steam railroads, electric railways and telephone service, also Gas and Electric Light Commission, to Dept. of Public Utilities; of Metropolitan Park Board and Water and Sewerage Board to a single Metropolitan Commission. This reorganization went into effect Dec. 1, 1919, the appointment of the 64 new officials required having been made by the Governor in November. Many of these appointees held similar positions prior to the consolidation. Most of the new departments are under the control of a single head called Commissioner.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SWEATERS FOR THE
PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the supply room of the School Committee, in accordance with specifications, sweaters for the public schools. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder, and left before 12 o'clock m. on Monday, December 15, 1924, at said office with a certified check for fifty dollars (\$50), payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Each envelope containing a proposal should be plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Sweaters for the Public Schools." The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, and the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The bidder awarded the contract will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for not less than 25 per cent of the contract, which check shall become the property of the City, unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept such bid, or part of bid, as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

ALEXANDER M. SULLIVAN,

Business Agent of the School Committee.
(Dec. 6.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON WATER
PIPES.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service:

100 tons	6-inch pipe.
250 tons	8-inch pipe.
200 tons	10-inch pipe.
200 tons	10-inch pipe.
800 tons	12-inch pipe.
200 tons	16-inch pipe.
350 tons	24-inch pipe.
40 tons	30-inch pipe.
30 tons	40-inch pipe.
30 tons	42-inch pipe.

Bidders must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$1,000, must be left at Room 801, City Hall Annex, before Tuesday, December 16, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,

Superintendent of Supplies.
(Dec. 6.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the school buildings, in accordance with specifications, musical instruments for the public schools. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Wednesday, December 17, 1924, at said office with a certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100), payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Envelopes containing proposals must be plainly marked "Proposal for Musical Instruments." The bid must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, and the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The bidder awarded the contract will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for not less than twenty-five per cent of the contract, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept such bid, or part of bid, as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

ALEXANDER M. SULLIVAN,

Business Agent of the School Committee.
(Dec. 6.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COMMITTEES,
CITY HALL, December 3, 1924.

The Committee on Itney Licenses will give a public hearing on Monday, December 8, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on the petition of the Boston Elevated Railway Company for license to operate motor vehicles between South Station and the junction of Huntington avenue and Stuart street, via the following route: Essex street, South street, Kneeland street and Stuart street to Huntington avenue; returning via Huntington avenue, Dartmouth street, Stuart street, Kneeland street and Atlantic avenue to South Station; also on the petition of the Boston Elevated Railway Company for license to operate motor vehicles between the junction of Deerfield street and Bay State road and State House, via the following route: Bay State road, Beacon street, Bowdoin street, Mt. Vernon street.

By order of the Committee.

JOHN E. BALDWIN,

Clerk of Committees.
(Dec. 6.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

EXAMINATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES OF QUALIFICATION AS TEACHERS AND NURSES.

Boston Public Schools.—Examinations of candidates for certificates of qualification to serve as teachers and nurses in the public schools of Boston will be held in The Teachers College of the City of Boston, Huntington avenue, near the Fenway, during the week of the Christmas vacation, beginning Saturday, December 27, 1924.

Detailed information with respect to these examinations may be obtained by application to the chief examiner, 15 Beacon street, Boston.

ELLEN M. CRONIN,

Secretary, School Committee.
(Dec. 6.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER
PIPES IN BURLEY STREET, DALE STREET AND
MAYNARD STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying about 700 feet of 6-inch and 12-inch water pipe in Burley street, Dale street and Maynard street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of nine hundred (900) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Plans and proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, Burley Street, etc.," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Friday, December 12, 1924, with a certified check for one hundred (100) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,

Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, December 4, 1924.
(Dec. 6.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DRAWING INSTRUMENTS FOR MANUAL TRAINING FOR THE
PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the supply room of the School Committee, in accordance with specifications, drawing instruments for the public schools. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. on Thursday, December 18, 1924, at said office with a certified check for fifty dollars (\$50), payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. Envelopes containing proposals must be plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Drawing Instruments." The bid must be in duplicate, the one with the check to be sent as above, and the other filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening bids. The bidder awarded the contract will be required to deposit a surety bond or a certified check for not less than twenty-five per cent of the contract, which check shall become the property of the city unless the bidder carries out his agreement in accordance with the specifications. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept such bid, or part of bid, as may be deemed best for the interests of the city.

ALEXANDER M. SULLIVAN,

Business Agent of the School Committee.
(Dec. 6.)

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AUDIENCES OF 100,000 TO 200,000 CAN NOW ENJOY EXERCISES ON COMMON.

NEW LOUD SPEAKING SET INSTALLED AT PARKMAN BANDSTAND PROVIDES WONDERFUL CONVENIENCE FOR BENEFIT OF PUBLIC, DUE TO MAYOR CURLEY'S THOUGHTFULNESS.



PARKMAN BANDSTAND, SHOWING AMPLIFYING HORNS PLACED ABOUT ROOF.



RADIO AMPLIFYING POWER STATION IN OPERATION BENEATH THE STAND ON BOSTON COMMON.

BOSTON'S OPEN-AIR AUDITORIUM AT PARKMAN BANDSTAND NOW RANKS WITH BEST IN COUNTRY.

Boston can now boast of as huge an out-door auditorium as any city in the country, since audiences of from 100,000 to 200,000 persons can hear any exercises being held at the Parkman Bandstand on the Common.

In the old days when the Parkman Bandstand had some particularly interesting attraction in the way of speakers or music, only 5,000 persons could have the fun of knowing what was going on.

Now it is all changed. The city has installed amplifiers with loud speakers on the roof which will carry the strains of a band concert or the words of an oration to a crowd of 100,000 to 200,000. There are twelve horns which carry the sound in all directions.

Down in the underground part of the bandstand, beneath the floor, where you have probably never been, or even thought of, there are enough tubes and bulbs and dials and things to make the heart of the wildest and woolliest radio fan dilate with joy.

This set is known as the Western Electric Public Address System No. 1. There is a similar set in Madison Square Garden, New York City, and the largest cities throughout the country are installing such instruments. Boston has one of the largest and latest models.

The new apparatus works in three different ways. It will cast the voice of a speaker or a band in the grandstand itself to the audience. Secondly, it will pick up a station in another city directly. Thirdly, it can hitch up by means of a telephone to a nearby receiving set.

The radio has been tried out and it is entirely successful. The public will not have a chance to hear concerts on the Common until Christmas Eve, when there will be carols and mass singing by the audience, with band accompaniment. The official lighting of the Christmas tree, which is now being erected by the Park Department, will be followed by a performance of the Nativity pageant as arranged by the community service under the direction of Mrs. Eva W. White and Miss Joy Higgins. It will be presented on an elevated platform more than double the size of that used last year, permitting of added effects and special lighting.

AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for authority to employ labor of the Murray Engineering Company to assist the day labor force of the Bridge Service in making repairs to the face of the north drop, North Ferry, East Boston, without advertisement, the estimated cost for labor and material being \$2,500.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, December 15, at 2 p. m.

Regular meeting of the School Committee, Monday, December 15, at 6.30 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquis, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

LAND-TAKING IN HYDE PARK.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Hyde Park and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Agnes avenue, bounded:

North by River street, six feet; east by another part of Agnes avenue, two hundred ninety-two and 69-100 feet; southeast by the southeasterly line of Agnes avenue, seven and 5-100 feet; and west by another part of Agnes avenue, two hundred ninety-six and 15-100 feet; containing seventeen hundred and sixty-six square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 290 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Agnes avenue, from River street to the southeasterly end of Agnes avenue.

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person that the lots of abutting land on the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the easterly side of Agnes avenue for a distance of about 170 feet northerly from the southeasterly line of said avenue, and lots of abutting land on the westerly side of Agnes avenue, for a distance of about 188 feet northerly from the southeasterly line of said avenue, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein; each of said lots to the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 594, Sewerage Works, Agnes Avenue, Hyde Park, October 31, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Antonio and Virginia Daddario.....	Nothing
2. Vincenzo Silveri.....	\$40 00
3. Vincenzo Silveri.....	40 00
4. Vincenzo Silveri.....	40 00
5. Antonio Daddario, Virginia Daddario.....	40 00
6. Antonio Daddario, Virginia Daddario.....	40 00
7. Antonio Daddario, Virginia Daddario.....	40 00
8. Antonio Daddario, Virginia Daddario.....	40 00
9. John F. and Anna V. Rooney.....	Nothing
10. William F. and Catherine J. Rohan.....	120 00
11. William F. Rohan.....	40 00
12. William F. Rohan.....	40 00
13. Giovina Daddario.....	40 00
14. Giovina Daddario.....	40 00
15. Antonio and Virginia Daddario.....	40 00
16. Antonio and Virginia Daddario.....	55 86

Total\$655 86

EXTOLS FAITH AND GOOD WORKS AS BEST PREPARATION FOR DEPARTING LIFE.

MAYOR CURLEY DELIVERS BRILLIANT ADDRESS BEFORE WORCESTER LODGE OF ELKS AT MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

Mayor Curley of Boston speaking on December 7 at the memorial exercises of the Worcester Lodge of Elks, Elks' Auditorium, Worcester, said in part:

This beautiful custom of paying tribute to our honored dead is today observed by the brethren of our Order wherever a Lodge of Elks is established.

It is a day of meditation and prayer when the living and dead are in closer communion and when the spirit of love replaces human selfishness.

It gives comfort to the afflicted, cheer to the weary and hope to all who walk in the vale of tears or the shadow of adversity.

Upon this day the Star of Hope illumines with greater brightness the hearts of all and through it all there comes a realization of what we owe to those whose vision made possible the discharge of an obligation by the living to those who have passed to the Great Beyond.

Upon this day we perhaps for the first time realize the emptiness of constant striving for material ends and the tragedy of a life into which the spirit of love and kindness has never been permitted to enter. Those lines from Gray's "Elegy in a Country Churchyard" upon this day have a new meaning for us:

"The boast of heraldry,
The pomp of power,
And all that beauty, all that wealth e're gave,
Await alike the inevitable hour—
The paths of glory lead but to the grave."

Death, the great democrat, is never feared by him or her who scatter the seeds of human affection upon life's highway, for in the last hour consolation comes with the knowledge that faith and good works merit Divine favor.

Socrates, asked if he was prepared to die, answering "My life has been a preparation for death," points the way in which to live if one would forego in the last hours the fear of the hereafter.

The knowledge that we leave the world as helpless as we entered and that regardless of duration of life or eminence of station we take with us on departing either the dread of judgment for misdeeds or the consolation coming from a life worthily lived,—oh, how little heed we pay to this most important of all work!

Would that all upon this day could honestly open the halls of memory and greet without remorse or pang of conscience those whom in life they knew. The kind word unspoken, the helpful deed unperformed, the flowers fragrant of friendship and love withheld until life had fled, how the thought of these punish us this day.

To those who live worthily Memorial Day is a day of rejoicing for upon this day they are comforted and made happy by those whom in life they knew and loved.

How eagerly they throw open the portals of the halls of memory and live over once more each hour of a past that breathed only kindness, affection and love.

With these thoughts in mind we participate in this memorial ceremony with a certain chastened humility and affection, to recall the memory of kin and companion who have passed into eternity; to recount their graces, their virtues, their accomplishments and to restate the traits that endeared them to us in life and will not let us forget them in death. All we are and have, we owe to the past, to the fathers and mothers of the generations that once peopled the earth and toiled and builded that our lot might be less severe and our life be lived more happily and having finished their allotted tasks they have passed out of time into eternity.

Remembrance and honor should be theirs. Remembrance is the grace of heaven, but when God calls back the soul he created at birth we who remain must borrow some of the grace of heaven and keep the memory of our dead green and honored, and sweet as the odor of flowers, and so today we honor the memory of our dead brethren.

In honoring the memory of our brethren who have departed this life, to many of us who have suffered the loss of our dearest, most devoted and best friend, our mother, there comes a realization of the magnitude of the sacrifice made by the mothers of men in every age and every generation for the happiness and well-being of the human family.

That American genius, the poet of the Sierras, Joaquin Miller, has epitomized in his beautiful tribute to the mother of men the devotion and sacrifice, which they have made for mankind.

"The bravest battle that ever was fought;
Shall I tell you where and when?
On the maps of the world you will find it not;
It was fought by the mothers of men.

Nay, not with cannon or battle shot,
With sword or braver pen;
Nay, not with eloquent word or thought,
From mouths of wonderful men.

But deep in a woman's walled-up heart—
Of woman that would not yield,
But patiently, silently bore her part—
Lo! There in that battlefield.

No marshaling troop, no bivouac song;
No banners to gleam and wave;
And oh! These battles they last so long—
From babyhood to the grave!

Yet, faithful still as a bridge of stars,
She fights in her walled-up town—
Fights on and on in the endless wars,
Then silent, unseen—goes down."

Suffering and sadness have been the companions of motherhood from the beginning of time. They indeed have been the heroes, unsung it is true except in rare instances, but faithful at all times, seeking neither honor nor praise, content alone in the service rendered for the advancement and happiness of mankind.

Elkdom has chosen as the ideals for guidance of this great organization, char-

ity, justice, brotherly love and fidelity. Through these ideals alone is it possible to combat and overcome that trinity of evils which have afflicted mankind from the beginning of time, poverty, disease and crime. Human selfishness has been responsible for the existence of these evils and human selfishness is the force that today brings a pang of regret to the heart of everyone attending these memorial exercises that has failed to live in accordance with the ideals upon which this organization is founded.

Through the practice of the greatest of all virtues, charity, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, numbering nearly one million members in America, is today preaching and practicing the doctrine referred to by the poet Shakespeare in the words:

"To my virtues be most kind
To my faults a little blind."

With an appreciation for human weakness and frailty Elkdom writes the faults of a brother in the shifting sands of time, his virtues they inscribe upon the tablets of loving memory. This is the practical and Christian method applied by Elkdom to combat the spirit of human selfishness. In a material sense the spirit of charity is manifest in the aid extended to the less fortunate in every community where a lodge of Elks is established; in a larger sense in the hour of national crisis this splendid organization through its hospitalization work provided comfort to the afflicted, protection and aid to their dependents, and through unselfish and devoted service helped batter down the walls of hatred, greed and envy created by human selfishness from the beginning of time. Examples of brotherly love and fidelity of this character make for a better common understanding of duty to one's fellow man and responsibility to the creator of all, Almighty God.

This custom of pausing in the busy round of cares and irritation and responsibilities that seem to us monumental but that in reality are meaningless, this centering of our thoughts on things that are eternal, invariably impresses upon our minds and hearts the second Divine Commandment of the Great Nazarene, "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself."

Let us as we go forth from these exercises today pledge ourselves as a duty that we owe to God and to our fellow man to strictly observe this Divine Commandment as through it alone can we hope to overcome the evils that afflict humanity, greed, envy, malice, hatred, poverty, disease and crime.

Through its observance the ideals of Elkdom, charity, justice, brotherly love and fidelity, will animate our every thought and act, will make our life better and the lot of all with whom we come in contact happier, and in the last hour render it possible for us to exemplify the thought and act so beautifully described by William Cullen Bryant in the closing lines of "Thanatopsis."

"So live, that when thy summons comes to join
The innumerable caravan, which moves
To that mysterious realm, where each shall take

His chamber in the silent halls of death,
Thou go not, like the quarry-slave at night,
Scourged to his dungeon, but, sustained and soothed

By an unfaltering trust, approach thy grave,
Like one who wraps the drapery of his couch
About him, and lies down to pleasant dreams."

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the erection and completion of addition to the roof house of the Boston City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the architects, Maginnis & Walsh, 100 Boylston street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the office of the Superintendent, City Hospital, Harrison avenue. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 30, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for electrical equipment for pumping units, Calf Pasture pumping station. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$15,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 6, at 12 m.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing sweaters for the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 15, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing musical instruments for the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, December 17, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing drawing instruments for manual training for the public schools. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Business Agent of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$50, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, December 18, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing finish hardware for the complete equipment of the elementary school, Lewis District, 300 Walnut avenue, Roxbury. Surety bond will be in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 23, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing cast-iron pipes to the Public Works Department, Water Service. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by certified check in the amount of \$1,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 16, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing turkeys to the various city departments for Christmas. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed at the office of the City Auditor.

Bids close Friday, December 19, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing fifty insulated Monel diet boxes with aluminum containers for the Boston City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing cast-iron water pipes to the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 29, at 12 m.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Commissioner of Public Works for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Wilmington avenue, between a point 249 feet east of Capen street and a point 150 feet easterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$1,200.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, December 11:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Albert Soosman has been appointed temporary clerk for a period of twenty days.

John M. Devine, Jr., has been appointed as temporary clerk for a period of nine days.

Eileen P. Burke, clerk and stenographer at \$900 a year, has been promoted to clerk at \$1,200 a year.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, December 4:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Michael Joyce, maid (patient), \$1,200 a year; Fred Heath, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; James Forrest, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; Cornelius Lee, maid (patient), \$240 a year; Joseph Gallagher, choreman, \$360 a year; Etta Young, nurse, returned to duty, \$900 a year; Florence Grant, laundress, \$480 a year; Julia Hyde, assistant cook, \$480 a year; Joseph I. Quinlan, coal passer, \$280 a year; Mary E. Welch, nurse, Out-Patient Department, \$1,500 a year; Joseph Goldman, M. D., assistant physician Out-Patient Department, \$450 a year; Jacob I. Kalin, M. D., assistant resident medical officer, \$1,200 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium:

Agnes Hurley, laundress, \$480 a year; Margaret Moyle, assistant cook, \$480 a year; Patrick Malden, maid (patient), \$120 a year; Henry Sheehan, male nurse, \$240 a year; Arthur Ross, choreman, \$360 a year.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Amy S. Powell has been employed as case worker at \$125 a month for a temporary period, beginning Wednesday, December 3.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Dr. Francis X. Mahoney has been authorized to go to New York City to make an investigation of the system and methods employed in connection with the child hygiene work in New York City, December 8 to 10, inclusive, at an estimated cost of about \$50.

Dr. M. Victor Safford, deputy commissioner in charge of the Medical Division, has been designated to perform the duties of the Health Commissioner during the absence of the commissioner.

The following changes in compensation of employees have been approved:

Fidelia Fiske, clerk, \$1,500 to \$1,600 a year; Adrian E. Crampton, clerk, \$1,200 to \$1,300 a year; Catherine E. McLaughlin, clerk, \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

George A. Johnson has been employed at \$150 a day and expenses, also expense of such assistants as he may need to assist the commission in determining the amount of fill, etc., investigating the J. C. Coleman & Sons Company contract for work done at Columbus Park, and also in determining the amount of payment that should be made for same. The payment has been approved.

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ALL STATE JOINS BOSTON IN PLANS TO PROTEST INCREASE IN TELEPHONE RATES.

FIFTY MAYORS AND SELECTMEN GATHER AT CITY HALL AT INVITATION OF MAYOR CURLEY AND MAKE PLANS FOR \$50,000 PROBE OF PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATION.

With unanimous purpose fifty mayors and selectmen of Massachusetts municipalities joined with Mayor Curley of Boston, Monday, December 8, and by vote passed in the Council Chamber of City Hall, indorsed a bill just drafted by the Boston Law Department, calling for an appropriation of \$50,000 in order that the Public Utilities Commission may conduct a sweeping investigation of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, with respect to the rate advances requested.

The meeting had been called by Mayor Curley in the hope that a statewide fight might be organized. Though several of the largest cities ignored the invitation, and only a few of the 216 towns were represented, there was a general feeling that the movement would have the appeal desired.

Those who were present were enthusiastic, several of the speakers going so far as to express complete indorsement of all that Mayor Curley and Corporation Counsel E. Mark Sullivan had said. This approval was all the more striking, inasmuch as the Mayor and his chief law adviser differed in their estimate of the Public Service Commission's responsiveness to the public.

In calling the meeting to order Mayor Curley called attention to the Telephone Company's reserve of \$40,000,000 and emphasized the point that the company had failed to establish its case to justify a further increase. "I appreciate the power represented by a reserve of \$40,000,000," the Mayor asserted. "This power represents a nation-wide organization. I also realize that the same raid on the public purse is being made elsewhere. In the face of the general belief that the company has not established its case in the increased rates demanded for Boston, we are confronted with the situation of an attempt by huge sums of money to drug the public mind."

The Mayor then spoke of the campaign of the Telephone Company in its advertising, stating that at his home in Jamaica Plain he had received seven advertisements, though the registered voters there numbered but three. He charged that the company was attempting to bribe the newspapers, and he illustrated that point by holding up a Boston morning paper and pointing to an editorial on the telephone situation and an advertisement from the company on the same page.

The Mayor charged that the company "believes that if the channels of information can be prostituted the Public Service Commission can be depended upon to be servile." Furthermore, Mr. Curley declared that the cities and towns have a duty to perform to compel the company to establish its case, "regardless of what newspaper editors may publicly put on the auction block

of the editorial or advertising columns of their papers."

Corporation Counsel E. Mark Sullivan remarked, as he began a resume of his efforts before the Public Utilities Commission in combating the Telephone Company's rate increase, that, if it was a splendid achievement for Governor Cox to reduce the state tax by \$2,000,000, then the duty before the cities and towns to save the public an additional telephone burden of \$13,000,000 "is measurably more important." He realized, he said, the importance of having the good will of the newspapers. He had read the editorial in question "with mingled emotions," saying that he was sorry for the paper itself and for the public.

As for what the Mayor of Boston had done in the telephone cases, he desired to say that every step had been marked by conservatism. At no time had he (Mr. Sullivan) presumed to say that the Telephone Company does not need increased revenue. "What I have said is that they have not proved their case," he declared. "One of the company's officials said to me within a week: 'Sullivan, I admit you're right.'"

Mr. Sullivan declared that the Public Utilities Commission is not adequately equipped to carry on an investigation of the Telephone Company; their hands are tied and they do not have the right kind of experts. If Boston had not gone into the case the only thing the Telephone Company would have had to do was to establish a *pro forma* case.

"In all I have done I thought I was too self-constrained, but I wanted to be fair," he continued. "The Mayor constantly said to me: 'We are not out to destroy the Telephone Company or any public service corporation; we don't want any more crippled New Havens or Elevated lines.'"

Mr. Sullivan desired to impress the thought on his hearers that on the decision of the Public Utilities Commission in this case will depend the decisions to be made in other states of New England. The thing that had outraged him most had been the refusal of the company to open its books. Last spring, Mr. Sullivan stated, when the company filed its petitions, it said the deficit for the year would amount to \$1,100,000; but later said it would amount to \$1,800,000. Today, word had come that it would amount to \$2,225,000. "If that is so, why is the company justified in filing schedules that will result in an additional \$10,000,000 or \$13,000,000?" Mr. Sullivan asked.

Then the Corporation Counsel paid tribute to the Public Utilities Commission, but modified it by the statement that they "are creatures of their creators," meaning that these corporations furnish the candidates for the Board while the public is silent. He declared that the Board seeks the light, wishes

for complete information and for a demonstration on the part of the public "that its voice may be raised above the noise of the publicity campaign."

Mr. Sullivan went into considerable detail in outlining the interest of the American Telephone Company in the New England Company, saying that the parent company is in control. The American Company also owns the Western Electric Company, he said, and has a 4½ per cent contract with the local company for telephone parts. He spoke of the annual charge of \$2,200,000, or \$2 per phone set, and remarked that the city had shown the company that a fair charge would be 50 cents per set and that a fair charge of the other service would be 45 cents.

Mayor Curley spoke of a bill that Mr. Sullivan had prepared for submission to the Legislature, asking for a general investigation of the company, and then spoke of what the city had done in securing five reductions from the Edison Company and four from the Boston Consolidated Gas Company, saying that "in not a single instance was a reduction made by the Public Utilities Commission, an indication that while they may be interested they are careful not to encroach on the income of the corporations." Mr. Sullivan then read his bill, and the Mayor called for comment.

Whitfield Tuck of Winchester was the first to respond. He favored it and hoped that each mayor would work for it. City Solicitor Nelligan of Cambridge moved that the bill be indorsed and J. H. Kelsey of Stoughton seconded the motion. Then followed indorsements from James H. McArdle of Sandwich, Walter C. Stone of Watertown, Mayor Quinn of Cambridge, William H. Murphy, city solicitor of Marlboro; Mayor Connors of Holyoke, J. L. Brown, city solicitor of Malden, Mayor McPhetres of Lynn, E. J. Wade of Lawrence, Judge Dyer of Leominster, William C. Mellish, city solicitor of Worcester; A. E. Green of Duxbury, Harry E. Perkins of Georgetown, Robert E. Bamford of Ipswich, John G. Holmes of Saugus, A. G. Cone of Williamsburg, John H. Dennis of Rockport, A. W. Clark of West Brookfield, Charles H. Cook of Athol, John E. Higginson of Milford, E. F. Perry of Amesbury, J. L. Richardson of Boxboro, W. H. Holbrook of Weymouth, John W. Porter of Holbrook.

When the matter was put to a vote there was a general response, with no negatives. Mayor Curley remarked: "That doesn't look as if Curley was the only one interested in holding down the rates, does it?"

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

The Mayor has approved the following vote of the Board of Street Commissioners:

Voted, In the matter of petition for abatement of assessment of \$63.99, billed December 4, 1924, for a sewer laid in Leyden street and completed January 30, 1892, the Board of Street Commissioners deeming it just and proper that abatement should be made from said assessment, acting under chapter 359 of the Acts of the year 1896,

Voted, That from so much of said assessment of \$63.99 to said estate as remains unpaid at this date the sum of \$39.77 be and the same hereby is abated.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, December 4:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Mary Bain, Margaret Wall, Lea Morin, ward assistants, \$11.50 a week; Kathleen Ryan, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Margaret Foley, Katherine Falvey, laundresses, \$16 a week; Daniel Scannell, male nurse, \$10.50 a week; Elizabeth Jeloe, Mary Kelley, ward helpers, \$11.50 a week; Ernest Preshard, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Mary Cody, Mary Somers, cleaners, \$11.50 a week; Elizabeth Quinn, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Alice Lonergan, Emma Long, head nurses, \$85 a month; Christine Mathewson, nurse, \$6 a month.

Temporary.—Rose Cunningham, Gertrude Creswell, Mary Grady, Abbie Wheeler, Mary L. Powers, special nurses, \$35 a week; Lillian Hines, telephone operator, \$22 a week; Elizabeth Adler, Elsie M. Beaton, Mary A. Brown, Jeanette Kennedy, Lila McLellan, Elizabeth O'Donnell, Bessie Peckford, affiliated nurses, \$12 a month.

The following changes in salary have occurred:

Doris Aldrich, nurse at \$10 to \$12.50 a month; Nora Giles, nurse at \$12.50 to \$16.67 a month; Claire Doucet, nurse at \$16.67 to head nurse at \$85 a month; Cathryn Albro, Irene Bumps, Gladys Chaffee, Thelma A. Cook, Mary Crocker, Margaret Donohue, Margaret Foley, Hilda Gorrell, Elsie Hine, Dorothy Houdelle, Romaine Hughes, Dorothy McQoid, Loretto O'Hern, Irene O'Neil, Mary Strachen, Irene Tighe, Anna Weskute, nurses, no pay to \$10 a month.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, December 4:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Joseph E. Carey, watchman, transferred from deckhand steamer "Hibbard," \$800 a year, to succeed Thomas J. Philbin.

John J. Dineen, porter, \$600 a year, to succeed Thomas Owens.

Annie E. Hall, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Sadie Cusick.

Margaret M. Hickey, head nurse, \$1,080 a year to succeed Genevieve P. Call.

Dennis L. Hurley, institution employee, \$600 a year, temporary.

Margaret Kane, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Nellie Kearney.

Annie M. MacKillup, head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Ethel L. Peters.

Alice C. Shaw, dental hygienist, \$1,000 a year, new position.

Jessie B. Sutherland, head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Annie T. McGrath.

Mary Weschrob, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Ellen Smith.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Daniel Dorgan has been appointed temporary janitor (county buildings) for a period of ten days at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Dennis F. Coughlin has been continued in temporary employment as assistant drawtender at \$1,600 a year, for thirty days.

Timothy F. Shea, assistant drawtender in the department of the Metropolitan District Commission, has been transferred to a similar position at \$1,600 a year.

Patrick McGuire, William J. Walker, John J. Gately and Coleman J. Gorham have been granted an extension of temporary employment as carpenters at \$5.50 a day for sixty days.

Peter F. Griffin has been appointed as assistant drawtender at \$1,600 a year to fill a permanent vacancy.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Thomas E. Lydon, veteran, laborer, has been transferred from the Street Laying-Out Department to the Ferry Service as laborer at \$4.50 a day.

Joseph A. Coyle has been promoted from carpenter at \$5.50 a day to joiner at \$2,000 a year.

Charles Desmond has been granted an extension of the temporary employment as fireman at \$6 a day for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

John H. Tegen, temporary rodman at \$18 a week, has been granted permanent appointment.

Charles M. Appleton, veteran, has been appointed as inspector at \$1 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

William P. McNulty has been granted a change of employment from laborer at \$4.50 a day to chauffeur-laborer at \$30 a week.

Abram J. McVicar has been granted a change in employment from teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day to inspector at \$1,200 a year.

Francis J. Dowd has been promoted from inspector at \$1,800 a year to foreman at \$2,000 a year.

Hugh Crompton has been continued in temporary employment as teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day for thirty days.

Timothy J. Gleason has been granted employment as temporary teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day for sixty days.

The following citizens have been appointed as temporary teamster-laborers at \$4.50 a day in the Sanitary Service for five months, beginning December 8:

John H. Norton, William J. Harrington, Thomas Long, Henry T. Brennan, Patrick J. Mullaney, Charles J. Crowley, Martin J. O'Malley, Patrick S. Duffy, Joseph O'Hanlon, Thomas Madden, Cornelius Keating, James McKenzie, Richard Plunkett, Martin Connors, James Louder, John R. Martin, Lawrence F. Keegan, Owen F. Ahern, Lawrence J. O'Neill, John J. Harrington, William A. Murphy, James H. Igoe, Jeremiah F. McDonald, Patrick R. Manning, Daniel J. Dolan, Frank J. Gavaghan, Daniel J. Mahoney, Eugene J. Parker, Martin J. Davern, Patrick J. Burke, Timothy J. Cronin, Charles J. Carey, John W. Mahoney, William J. Williams, Charles R. Beals, John R. Lucas, Franklin O. Murray, John J. Monahan, Joseph Yankowsky, John J. Carr, Patrick J. Joyce, Lewis C. Timmins, Edward J. Gavaghan, John Gehm, William J. Nesbitt, Patrick McKenna, John F. Donoghue, James F. Reardon, John J. Haggerty, Charles Abramson, Charles C. Farrell, Michael J. McDonough, Joseph Capillo, Dennis S. Regan, James Hooley, William T. Dobbin, Timothy J. Nagle,

Dominick Bottino, Angel Luper, Richard H. Kilduff, Joseph Cassidy, Joseph Meredith.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

John F. J. McKay has been continued in temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year, for three months.

James F. Cheever has been continued in temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year, for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

The following citizens have been appointed to fill permanent vacancies now existing as laborers at \$4.50 a day, Hyde Park District: Artilaro Padrevita, Herbert Kraus, Joseph M. Rico, Edwafd M. Ryan, Frank J. Colleton.

James C. Lonergan, employed as laborer at \$4.50 a day, temporarily, has been promoted as teamster-laborer for five months' employment at \$4.50 a day.

Edward F. Kelly has been employed as laborer at \$4.50 a day for three months.

William H. Kickham and Dennis McCarthy have been continued in temporary employment as carpenters at \$5.50 a day for sixty days.

John P. Cosgrove has been continued in temporary employment as carpenter at \$5.50 a day for sixty days.

John W. Danner has been continued in temporary employment as carpenter at \$5.50 a day for thirty days.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, December 4:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, Edward F. Curley, John J. Desmond, Thomas J. Godvin, Bernard McCabe, Arthur J. Moore, Michael Quinn, laborers, \$4.50 each.

Fairview Cemetery.

Thomas Faherty, James Kingston, Dennis Sullivan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 2 days, \$10.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 8:

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, 2½ days, \$13.38 each; Richard Connolly, Michael Brady, Dennis Collins, 1 day, \$5 each; James Clancy, Michael Foley, ¾ day, \$3.13 each; John Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.75.

Laborers.—Thomas Casey, 2½ days, \$12.94; Thomas Duffy, Patrick McDonough, Edward Flaherty, James Splaine, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4.50; Patrick Foley, ¾ day, \$3.38; James McNabb, ¾ day, \$2.81.

Chauffeur.—Charles Caffrey, ¾ day, \$3.13.

Mason.—James Duffy, 1 day, \$7.

Total.—\$115.53.

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ASK CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO MAKE POSITIVE AND UNITED EFFORT TO BETTER BOSTON'S PORT CONDITIONS.

MAYOR CURLEY CALLS ATTENTION OF BODY TO OPPORTUNITY OF MASSACHUSETTS AT WASHINGTON WITH BAY STATE MEN AT HEAD OF AFFAIRS.

Mayor Curley sent the following communication on December 10:

MR. HOWARD COONLEY, *President Boston Chamber of Commerce*, Boston, Mass.

DEAR MR. COONLEY.—The Boston Chamber of Commerce was organized, and maintains its existence for the purpose of promoting and fostering the commercial and industrial interests of the Capital of Massachusetts, of co-operating with kindred bodies for the advancement of the well-being of the Commonwealth and New England generally; and of expanding the maritime influence of the Port of Boston, developing its marine business, its import and export trade, and seeking to restore it to the eminence and importance it once held in the sea-going activities of the Republic.

There never was a time in the history of Boston when the interests of the port needed the energetic action of the Chamber of Commerce more urgently than today, since almost every federal administrative agency dealing with commerce, industry, transportation and shipping would appear to be arrayed against us. This condition is all the more amazing since for years Massachusetts has been represented in Washington by men who held politically and potentially the tactical positions that would seem to give her the assistance she has needed and asked for.

Massachusetts has held the Vice Presidency, and the Presidency of the United States, the leadership of the Senate, the speakership of the House, the Secretaryship of War and a strong and able Congressional representation; and yet a Florida bayou or a Texas puddle were able to secure money for improvements denied the great harbor of Boston, and the sympathetic ears of the Interstate Commerce Commission and the United States Shipping Board, hermetically sealed to the pleas and protests of Boston, were open and receptive to any region outside of New England.

Has not the time come for the Capital of Massachusetts to stop pleas, petitions and protests and to make demands and insist that her vital interests be served by her representatives with at least the same zeal as those of infinitely less importance are served. Surely Boston with its harbor of magnificent possibilities is as important to the industry and commerce of America as the mud flats of San Pedro, the port of Los Angeles and Hollywood, twenty-six miles away? Is Houston, Texas, situated on a river that is sometimes wet in the rainy season, of as much maritime value to American business as Boston?

The elections are now over; the imaginary evils that finance and industry feared have been exorcised; wise men are predicting an era of prosperity; and the stock market echoes the return of confidence and credulity.

President Coolidge who preached faith in Massachusetts has been re-elected; two gentlemen, devoted to his policies,

have been chosen for the United States Senate; an era of conservation, economy and the promoting of industry, commerce and expansion of trade, is predicted for the country; and the times are ripe for the recognition of the real purpose of such a port as Boston.

Is it not time for a shoulder-to-shoulder movement here in Massachusetts for the restoration of the former maritime activity of the Port of Boston through the development of her import and export trade? Led by the Boston Chamber of Commerce, with which the municipality has always co-operated in every movement for industrial and commercial growth, and assisted by the many other commercial bodies of Massachusetts and New England, we can go to the administration in Washington and demand a policy of fair play for Boston, for equal justice to all ports, for the abolition of the favoritism extended to our commercial rivals, and the covert antagonisms aimed at our state and city by administrative agencies.

I am impressed with the necessity of strong, unified action now on the eve of a new administration, from which this Commonwealth has a right to expect consideration and help as one of the most important industrial regions of the Republic.

Prosperity is predicted by many who do not stop to consider the elements essential to prosperity—stable industry that gives work and wages twelve months in the year—a steady flow of raw materials to feed industry, with a certain outflow to markets to consume the industrial products—without which idleness and adversity for half the year make prosperity unattainable. Under conditions now prevalent the American market is capable only of absorbing the industrial products of about seven months; and unless markets are found for the industrial production of the other five months of the year, industry must cease to function in that five months and unemployment, always dangerous and expensive, confront the country. If Massachusetts is to continue to be an industrial community, markets must be secured for its products; and since our markets at home and abroad are reached and served most economically by seaways, it is imperative that the Port of Boston be fostered and protected. Boston does not ask or need special favors from the government; what it asks is to be given equal economic opportunity with every other port and be relieved from the artificial handicaps placed on her growth and development, through bureaucratic rates and regulations, decrees and decisions that are as arbitrary, lawless and unconstitutional as they are malign and destructive.

Relief from these evils can be obtained only from the action of Congress and the orders of the administration which can limit the lawless activities of the Interstate Commerce Commission and the United States Shipping Board at any time; and experience has shown that

Washington will not move until the aroused public opinion of Massachusetts compels it.

Because I see an opportunity in the advent of this new administration to obtain ample and immediate justice for the Port of Boston, I am addressing you in this fashion at this time in the expectation that your great body will take prompt action in getting in touch with Washington, and you may rely wholly on the active co-operation of the City of Boston in your efforts. Now is the time to do something for the real, the vital interests of the Commonwealth, for the things that concern the life and labor of all its people; and it is time we acted.

May I depend upon your bringing this matter before the Boston Chamber of Commerce for early decision and action, for until the Port of Boston's status is settled and its commercial, industrial and maritime opportunities are relieved from the hampering restrictions of bureaucratic administrative federal bodies, it is idle to expect progress or prosperity here in Massachusetts.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Joseph Rugo has been allowed to amend his contract for building addition to portable building at the Brighton High School in the Brighton district, Cambridge street, Brighton, by striking out the words and figures, "September 30, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "November 30, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about September 5, 1924, and is to be completed on or before November 30, 1924."

H. C. Hansen Type Foundry has been allowed to amend their contract made for furnishing and installing printing equipment in the Prince School, by striking out the words and figures, "August 1, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "September 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3, on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 1, 1924, and is to be completed on or before September 1, 1924."

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

John McCourt Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing recut granite block pavement in Blue Hill avenue, from Dudley street to Quincy street. Items ordered: Haul and lay recut granite blocks on existing concrete base at Dudley street. Price to be paid: For each square yard hauled and laid, the sum of \$2.25. Estimated cost of extra work, \$30.

Warren Brothers Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing a bitulithic pavement in Blue Hill avenue (west side), from Canterbury street to River street. Items ordered: Remove three trees at Almont street. Price to be paid, the sum of \$105. Estimated cost of extra work, \$105.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

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Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, December 4:

Fred Sullivan, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6.50; William Jennings, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6.50; Alfred Ericson, assistant engineer, 1 day, \$6.50; Thomas Melley, fireman, 1 day, \$6; Daniel Sweeney, 1 day, \$6; Florence McCarthy, fireman, 2½ days, \$15.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, December 4, 1924:

Main Department.

R. W. Jaeger, T. J. McNally, J. Deery, N. MacPherson, M. F. Crosson, William Thompson, engineers, 8 hours, \$6.67 each; D. Bransfield, V. Pepe, Edward Darcy, J. McDonough, H. O'Donnell, J. Norton, firemen, 8 hours, \$6 each; J. French, boiler room helper, 8 hours, \$5.20; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, 10; W. J. Robbins, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 8 hours, \$5.68; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 8 hours, \$4.50; Charles Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; G. Roche, amulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; William Somerville, E. McNealy, J. Burns, ambulance drivers, 10½ hours, \$6.62 each; J. S. Gill, baker, 6 hours, \$3.78; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day and 14 hours, \$8.32; W. Shea, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$5.06; A. Imbrato, J. Lorden, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$4.52 each; J. Scaduto, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$3.92; E. Laskey, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$3.65; A. Howard, laundryman, 19½ hours, \$9.75; H. Gunning, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$3.24; M. Saunders, gauze sorter, 6½ hours, \$3.24; V. Derne, P. Lavin, John Martin, J. McDonald, L. Lindlof, A. Gillespie, W. Barrett, porters, 6½ hours, \$2.90 each; M. A. Davis, acting head laundress, 17½ hours \$9.30; M. Keating, laundress, 11½ hours, \$4.39; M. Ham, C. Stepien, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.30 each; A. Taura, laundress, 19½ hours, \$6.63; C. Barry, laundress, 6½ hours, \$2.30; G. Baker, laundress, 19½ hours, \$6.50; L. Brickley, laundress, 13½ hours, \$4.50; H. Clark, laundress, 15 hours, \$5; M. Cotter, laundress, 9 hours, \$3; N. Connolly, laundress, 19½ hours, \$6.50; M. Devlin, laundress, 15 hours, \$5; H. Doyle, laundress, 6½ hours, \$2.25; M. Falvey, laundress, 17½ hours, \$5.75; A. Fetter, laundress, 6½ hours, \$2.25; E. Frieberg, laundress, 17½ hours, \$5.75; E. Frienberg, laundress, 6½ hours, \$2.25; J. Gantarz, laundress, 12½ hours, \$4.25; M. Gannon, E. Gardner, C. Harkins, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.25 each; M. Haynes, laundress, 9 hours, \$3; Margaret Keegan, laundress, 6½ hours, \$2.25; Mary Keegan, laundress, 9 hours, \$3; Nellie Keegan, laundress, 19½ hours, \$6.50; Theresa Keegan, laundress, 17½ hours, 5.75; S. Koldys, laundress, 19½ hours, \$6.50; Mary Langev, M. Medane, E. Murphy, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.25 each; M. Okumevieka, laundress, 19½ hours, \$6.50; W. Otto, laundress, 15 hours, \$5; C. Peterson, laundress, 19½ hours, \$6.50; L. Schwolman, laundress, 6½ hours, \$2.25; M. Schwolman, laundress, 15 hours, \$5; A. Sienkiewicz, A. Stanulys, laundresses, 19½ hours, \$6.50 each; M. Wall, M. Witte, laundresses, 6½ hours, \$2.25 each; V. Ziembra, laundress, 19½ hours, \$6.50; K. Zilyte, laundress, 12½ hours, \$4.25; A. Lynch, E. Fullerton, M. Ramos, cleaners, 6½ hours, \$1.62 each.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

W. Nolan, J. Corcoran, P. Joyce, porters and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50 each; F. Gardener, laundryman, 6½ hours, \$4.52; C. Farren, laundress, 19½ hours, \$6.50; T. McKenna, laundress, 6½ hours, \$2.25; A. McGonagle, laundress, 19½ hours, \$6.50.

East Boston Relief Station.

M. Kane, M. Fitzgerald, F. Ruggiero, porters and tending furnace, 8 hours, \$4.50 each; J. Keohane, M. Harkins, laundresses, 19½ hours, \$6.50 each.

Total, \$445.88.

Institutions Department.

For the week ending Monday, December 8:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Joseph Cox, William G. Feeney, John Melley, William Robinson, Walter J. West, engineers, 1 day, \$6.50 each.

Francis J. Berg, Thomas H. Owens, Andrew Para, John Riordan, firemen, 1 day, \$6 each.

Joseph Cox, engineer, 6 hours, \$4.86; John Melley, engineer, 4½ hours, \$3.65.

House of Correction.

Ernest Rousseau, John Fay, Walter Purdy, William O'Melia, Patrick Shea, engineers, 1 day, \$6.50 each.

John Adams, Martin Lally, David Tobin, Patrick Gleeson, Thomas Finn, firemen, 1 day, \$6 each.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 8:

Drawtender.—C. J. Thompson, 1 day, \$5.20.

First Assistant Drawtenders.—R. H. Alexander, T. J. Fitzgerald, 1 day, \$4.66 each.

Assistant Drawtenders.—P. H. Clancy, P. J. McGonagle, 1 day, \$4.38 each; W. F. Hanlon, 2 days, \$8.77.

Subforemen.—P. J. Henebury, J. D. O'Brien, 2 days, \$12 each.

Carpenters.—J. T. Mahan, J. J. Murphy, B. A. McShane, P. J. Jacobs, 2 days, \$11 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Green, 2 days, \$8.56. Total, \$108.61.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 8:

Firemen.—Morgan J. Sullivan, John Kelly, 1½ days, \$9 each.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 5 days, \$27.50.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 3½ days, \$18.56.

Gatekeepers.—James A. Quinn, George M. Nagle, 1½ days, \$7.88 each.

Deckhands.—Thomas Barry, Louis F. Gray, ½ day, \$1.78 each; George M. Nagle, ½ day, \$2.97.

Total, \$86.35.

Net cost for the week ending December 8, 1924, \$60.90.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 8:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. McCarthy, M. S. Ryan, A. R. Gaffey, F. T. McGregor, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Blacksmiths.—W. J. O'Brien, M. F. Sullivan, 1 day, \$5.50 each.

Blacksmith-Assistant.—C. J. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Teamsters.—J. J. Donelan, F. H. Harold, ½ day, \$1.13 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Fleming, ½ day, \$2.50. Total, \$66.01.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 8:

Teamsters.—M. Fitzpatrick, J. J. Moynihan, M. J. Hurley, M. J. O'Connell, G. McColgan, J. P. Barnes, H. A. Bordon, M. Cardillo, N. Cesso, G. De Fillippo, J. F. Doherty, J. J. Glancy, W. Haugh, T. S. Kilroy, R. Marsey, H. J. McCarron, H. Riley, G. Salemi, G. Schipani, J. F. Brown, F. Di Ambrosio, C. F. Flaherty, M. Hughes, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, W. McGlynn, J. J. McGarry, B. Maraghy, W. T. Maloney, A. Powers, J. H. Smith, M. A. Weidman, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeder.—C. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.75.

Total, \$148.75.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 8:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Burns, J. Condon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; G. Shea, 2½ days, \$10.31; J. Burke, 1½ days, \$9.38; P. Clougherty, ¾ day, \$4.22; H. Cauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Reparers.—J. Casey, 3 days, \$14.25; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; P. Lynch, 1½ days, \$4.90; H. Campbell, 2½ days, \$11.34; D. Burke, 1½ day, \$5.16; J. Hourihan, ¾ day, \$4.64; D. Hanlon, 1½ day, \$5.16; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Daley, 3 days, \$15.75; P. Flynn, ¾ day, \$4.22; M. O'Day, 2½ days, \$10.31; B. Dellorusso, ¾ day, \$1.88; E. Sullivan, 2½ days, \$10.31; D. Dolan, 1½ days, \$7.50; J. Leonard, 2½ days, \$14.53; G. Goodwin, 1½ days, \$8.91; S. Mariani, 2½ days, \$14.53; R. Doyle, 1½ days, \$5.67; C. Driscoll, 1½ days, \$6.19; C. Magee, 1½ days, \$5.63; P. J. Clougherty, 1½ days, \$9.28; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$8.44; W. Shields, ¾ day, \$0.94; J. Feeley, 1½ days, \$7.13; T. Byrnes, 1½ day, \$3.09; J. Blessington, ¾ day, \$1.88; D. Shea, ¾ day, \$0.84; J. Cummings, ¾ day, \$4.13; M. Matthews, 1½ days, \$9.38; M. Rizzo, ¾ day, \$3.56; J. McLaughlin, ¾ day, \$1.69; T. Rose, ¾ day, \$2.95; F. Caporizzo, ¾ day, \$2.53; M. Burke, 1 day, \$5.50.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, J. M. O'Toole, E. Pyne, P. Waters, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. Barron, 1½ days, \$8.44; J. Curtin, ¾ day, \$3.80; J. Durand, 2½ days, \$13.08; T. Gallagher, 1½ days, \$7.59; C. Joyce, 2½ days, \$9.28; E. Hart, 1½ days, \$7.59; W. Kravets, 1½ days, \$5.06; P. Mulkern, 2½ days, \$9.28; J. McGee, 3 days, \$13.50; J. O'Toole, ¾ day, \$3.80; M. Shea, 1½ days, \$7.59; F. Willhauck, 2 days, \$9.

Total, \$420.14; paid by High Pressure Fire Service, \$5.50; net total, \$414.64.

REAL ESTATE ASSESSMENT PER CAPITA IN CITIES.

According to assessed valuations for 1923, Boston, \$1,843.61 (highest); New York, \$1,787.57; Pittsburgh, \$1,514.19; Buffalo, \$1,281.25; Philadelphia, \$1,185.29; St. Louis, \$1,032.83; Baltimore, \$996.75. These figures are approximate as population had to be estimated.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Upon December 5 the Mayor approved a contract with the following contractors for removing snow and ice in the various snow districts of the city:

Boston Contracting Company, District No. 1, \$0.49 per cubic yard.

D. M. Biggs & Co., District No. 2, \$0.56 per cubic yard.

B. E. Grant Company, District No. 3, \$0.50 per cubic yard.

J. F. Kennedy Company, Inc., District No. 4, \$0.67 per cubic yard.

Joseph P. McCabe, District No. 5, \$0.65 per cubic yard.

A. G. Tomasello & Son, Inc., District No. 6, \$0.70 per cubic yard.

M. F. Gaddis, District No. 7, \$0.63 per cubic yard.

Beatty Construction Company, District No. 8, \$0.56 per cubic yard.

Standard Contracting Company, District No. 9, \$0.68 per cubic yard.

J. J. McCarthy & Co., District No. 10, \$0.59 per cubic yard.

The bids were as follows:

BIDDER.	DISTRICT NUMBER. (Bid per Cubic Yard.)										Wages.
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	
Thomas J. Kelly & Co.	\$0 60										\$0 60
Boston Contracting Company, Inc.	49 \$0 54	\$0 55								\$0 52	65
Joseph A. Singarella	85	85	70	\$0 72	\$0 70	\$0 80	\$0 75	\$0 72	\$0 75	75	65
A. G. Tomasello & Son	65	70	70	75	75	70	70	70	75	65	65
M. H. Loonie	75	75	85	85	90	90	80	80	1 00	75	65
Coleman Brothers, Inc.	70	65	60	70	75	75				60	65
C. & R. Construction Company	75	75	69	75	78	75	72	75	82	70	65
Vozzella & Capone								63			60
A. D. Daddario				70							65
M. F. Gaddis	64	68	70	75	67	70	63	65	80	73	65
John J. Lane	50							45			60
Joseph P. McCabe	59				65						65
B. E. Grant Company	65	65	50	75	75	75	58	70	70	65	65
D. M. Biggs & Co.	57	56	67	65	78	70	54	54	70	54	65
Louis Balboni	79	75	75	79	79	76	75	75	79	79	60
M. DeMatteo						70	58	58			65
D. F. Kennedy, Inc.	59	60	57	67	65	63	59	55	70	55	65
Beatty Construction Company								56		54	65
J. C. Coleman & Sons Company	85	90	1 05	1 20	1 20	1 20	74	69	1 25	1 15	60
Standard Contracting Company							65	65	68		65
J. J. McCarthy & Co.	59									59	65
M. Doyle & Co., Inc.								75	85		50
Edward J. Byrne	70										65
John J. Loonie							70	70			65

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 9 the Mayor approved a contract with the Durand Steel Locker Company for furnishing and setting up steel lockers in the Dorchester High School for Boys. Bids, opened November 3, were as follows:

Durand Steel Locker Company, \$11,191.12; Durabilt Steel Locker Company, \$11,360; Lyon Metallic Manufacturing Company, \$11,778.90; Hart & Hutchinson Company, \$12,092.50; Penn Metal Company, \$12,645.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 9 the Mayor approved a contract with the General X-Ray Company for furnishing one Morse wave generator and one Standard junior transformer and one Liebek Flarsheim portable to the Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened December 5, were as follows:

One Morse Wave Generator.—General X-Ray Company, \$325.

One Standard Junior Transformer.—General X-Ray Company, \$480.

One Liebek Flarsheim Portable.—General X-Ray Company, \$260.

Discount ten days.—General X-Ray Company, 5 per cent.

Best Delivery Date.—General X-Ray Company, two weeks.

Upon December 9 the Mayor approved a contract with the Morandi Proctor Company for furnishing food conveyors to the Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened December 5, were as follows:

Seventeen Conveyors.—Morandi Proctor Company, \$198 each.

Discount Ten Days.—2 per cent.

Best Delivery Date.—Sixty days; alternate bid, \$248 each.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$90, on contract with Warren Brothers Company for bitulithic pavement in Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester, on account of dressing edgestone and barring out granite block paving in track of Eastern Massachusetts Railway Company. Original contract, \$129,236; total additions, \$8,700; contract as standing, \$137,936.

Additions, amounting to \$760, on contract with A. G. Tomasello & Son for Portland cement concrete pavement in Ayr road, Brighton; Dalkeith and Standard streets, Dorchester; Beryl street, Pond View avenue and Redlands road, West Roxbury, on account of laying cinder sidewalks 6 inches in depth; laying artificial stone sidewalks on the approaches at each side of Colonial avenue and Southern avenue; grading approaches; removing trees, etc. Original contract, \$90,803.50; total additions, \$36,621; contract as standing, \$127,424.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

J. J. Hurley and Company have been allowed the following addition to the Paul Revere School as per architect's letter of November 28, 1924: Install new gate valve on 4-inch surface drain. Install new back water valve at foundation wall. Remove present old surface drains and relocate drain, installing all new 4-inch extra heavy pipe. Run new 4-inch vent from this drain and connect to vent stack at ceiling of boiler room. Install new floor drain in boiler room. Perform all excavating and masonry work necessary for this work. All the above work to be approved by the Plumbing Division. For the above work \$750 was added to contract. Contract price, \$10,263; total addition, \$750; amount of contract, \$11,013.

PUBLIC LIBRARY EXHIBIT OF INDIAN STUDIES.

An interesting and intimate story of Indian life is contained in the exhibit of colored photographs taken by Walter McClintock of Pittsburgh, adopted son of a chief of the Blackfoot Indians, which was opened in the Exhibition Room of the Public Library on Monday, December 8. Mr. McClintock has spent much time with the Indians since 1896, when as the photographer of a government expedition he first came in contact with the Blackfoot.

The expedition was making investigations to locate national timber reservations, and after its work was completed Mr. McClintock remained with the Blackfoot, studying their lives and customs. He was adopted by Chief Mad Wolf as a son and was given the name of "White Weasel."

His intimacy with the Indians enabled him to obtain hundreds of pictures showing the romantic and picturesque aspects of their life. Some of them have to do with the impressive ceremonies connected with the "Sun Dance." There will be 200 photographs in the collection, some of which were used to illustrate Mr. McClintock's recent book, "Old Indian Trails."

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 4 TO DECEMBER 10.

DECEMBER 4.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Ernest J. MacLeod.....	1123 Columbus avenue.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$275
John J. Vogel.....	1494 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	300
John J. Vogel.....	87 Ashland street.....	23	New fixtures.....	100
John J. Vogel.....	10 Schirmer road.....	23	New fixtures.....	850
D. H. Nettles.....	54 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	325
Max Hyman.....	113-117 King street.....	20	New fixtures.....	500
Powers & Mehegan.....	29 Fairview street.....	20	New fixtures.....	900
Edward Moore & Co.....	3 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	50
Abraham Shleman.....	148 Humboldt avenue.....	16	New fixtures.....	100
Joseph H. McCarthy.....	14 Green street.....	22	New fixtures.....	600
B. F. Godfrey.....	15 Eliot street.....	22	New fixtures.....	700
Abraham Shleman.....	16 Poplar street.....	5	New fixtures.....	500
David Carlin.....	4541 Washington street.....	23	New fixtures.....	200

DECEMBER 5.

Samuel Adams.....	65 Allendale avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	\$500
George A. Renshaw.....	67 Dover street.....	6	New fixtures.....	70
John Manning.....	478 Neponset avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	50
William L. Clayton.....	26 Whittemore street.....	23	New fixtures.....	700
E. M. Dugan.....	226 West Springfield street.....	7	New fixtures.....	350
John J. Vogel.....	87 West Cedar street.....	8	New fixtures.....	700
Powers & Mehegan.....	29 Rockwell street.....	21	New fixtures.....	900
J. F. Larcome.....	199 Gladstone street.....	1	New fixtures.....	1,250
John P. Doyle.....	88 Court street.....	5	New fixtures.....	2,000
Wilford H. Gray.....	50 Rockwell street.....	21	New fixtures.....	975
Kenneth P. Palmer.....	18 Woodlawn street.....	22	New fixtures.....	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra.....	191 Bowdoin street.....	18	New fixtures.....	350
Cox & Johnson.....	383 Dorchester avenue.....	11	New fixtures.....	800
B. A. MacDonald.....	72 Orlando street.....	24	New fixtures.....	850
S. Gould.....	10 Florence avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	3,800
S. Gould.....	12 Florence avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	3,800

DECEMBER 6.

J. A. Finley.....	1554 Commonwealth avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	\$150
Samuel Segal.....	20 Berkeley street.....	7	New fixtures.....	125
John E. McCurdy.....	409 Marlborough street.....	8	New fixtures.....	350
Alton L. Clark.....	12 Bruce street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
A. Yorks.....	31 Kerwin street.....	19	New fixtures.....	350
John W. Slane.....	East Hastings street.....	23	New fixtures.....	100
J. B. Farnsworth Company.....	22-40 Chauncy street.....	5	New fixtures.....	25,000
Pierce & Cox.....	39 Franklin street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,425
Pierce & Cox.....	202 Southampton street.....	9	New fixtures.....	1,205

DECEMBER 8.

Alexander Campbell.....	219 Florence street.....	23	New fixtures.....	\$150
A. Gordon & Co.....	22 Hancock street.....	17	New fixtures.....	200
A. Gordon & Co.....	24 Hancock street.....	17	New fixtures.....	200
Abraham Kellem.....	215 Broadway.....	5	New fixtures.....	75

DECEMBER 9.

John Manning.....	138-148 St. James avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	\$800
L. J. Towle Company.....	49-53 Tremont street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
Paul Liftman.....	63 Myrtlebank avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	350
John F. McGloan.....	22 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	1,200
Matto & Rosen.....	Rear of 53 Moulton street.....	4	New fixtures.....	250
T. J. Trainor.....	65 Draper street.....	18	New fixtures.....	1,000
Harry D. Pollard.....	1943 Dorchester avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	200
John Manning.....	131 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	250
M. J. Noonan.....	58 Billerica street.....	5	New fixtures.....	1,075
R. P. Slattery Company.....	2 and 4 Dartmouth street.....	7	New fixtures.....	125

DECEMBER 10.

Clifford C. Best.....	20 Almont street.....	24	New fixtures.....	\$1,250
Walter J. Cook.....	150 West Third street.....	9	New fixtures.....	260
William H. Mitchell & Son Company.....	75-81 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	400
David B. Karger.....	10 Glenarm street.....	19	New fixtures.....	400
Harry D. Pollard.....	2070 Dorchester avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	450
F. D. Carr.....	26 Allston street.....	5	New fixtures.....	500
Herbert L. Rose.....	467 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	New fixtures.....	150

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACTS.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

M. S. Kelliher Company have been allowed the following additions to their contract for The Teachers College as per architect's letter of November 13, 1924:

Additions as per Estimate.

July 9. Disconnecting gas pipes on three demonstration tables, Patrick A. Collins Building, \$118.18; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$11.82.

July 12. Furnishing and installing two new floor drainers in girls' sanitary, Patrick A. Collins Building, Teachers

College side, \$200; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$20; cutting and patching, \$130.

July 14. Changing grades of girls' sanitariums in Patrick A. Collins Building to take new closets, \$270.

July 16. Refinishing furniture in master's office, reception room in Girls' Latin, Patrick A. Collins Building, \$113.63; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$11.37; resurfacing floors, Rooms 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 9, 12, 13, 14, Patrick A. Collins Building, \$463.64; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$46.36.

July 21. Relocating three radiators in toilet rooms, Patrick A. Collins Building

and teachers' room, Normal, \$60.91; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$6.09.

July 28. New 1-inch composition floor in Room 19, Patrick A. Collins Building, Girls' Latin side, \$691; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$69.10.

July 29. Changing partitions in Rooms 1 and 2, Teachers College, stock and labor, \$60.

July 30. Resurfacing floors in Rooms 5, 10, 11, 15, 16, 17, new office and corridor, Patrick A. Collins Building, \$330; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$33.

August 11. Painting new library stock room, stock room, first floor, Teachers College, \$800; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$80.

August 14. Relocate radiator in store-room, \$18.18; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$1.82.

August 18. Granolithic surfaces and curbs in area between the Normal and the Patrick A. Collins and the Patrick A. Collins and the Girls' Latin, \$471.82; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$47.18.

August 22. Cutting off and rebuilding the present vent duct in passage between Patrick A. Collins Building and furnishing new vent duct in new teachers toilet, Girls' Latin, \$108; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$10.80.

August 25. Painting old library, Normal Building, \$350; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$35.

August 26. Relocating thermostats in all three buildings, cutting and patching for same, \$113.63; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$11.37.

August 28. Plastering in back of blackboards in Patrick A. Collins Building and skim plastering old library, Normal Building, \$260.90; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$26.09; new blackboards in old library, Normal Building, \$218.18; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$21.82.

August 30. Resurfacing floors, Rooms 8 and 9, stock room and corridor, Teachers College, \$223.64; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$23.36.

Additions as per Bills.

September 6. Three key handle hose cocks with piping complete in all three sanitariums, Patrick A. Collins Building, \$85; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$8.50; cutting and patching, \$31.50; replacing defective brass pipe in new teachers' room toilet, Girls' Latin, \$82; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$8.20; cutting and patching, \$19.80.

September 8. Changing galvanized-iron supply pipe to brass on drinking fountains, Patrick A. Collins Building, \$60; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$6; installing waste and supply pipes to steam table in lunch rooms, Patrick A. Collins Building, \$265; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$26.50; cutting and patching, \$27.50; installing two new area drains and replacing with new the old waste to plumbing system in the two passageways between the Normal and Patrick A. Collins and the Patrick A. Collins and the Girls' Latin, \$440; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$44; cutting, patching, excavating and mason work, \$176.

September 9. Repairing holes in slate back of all toilet closets in all sanitariums, Patrick A. Collins Building, \$180; plus 10 per cent, \$18; removing water from tunnel and passageway, Patrick A. Collins, Girls' Latin side, \$50; plus 10 per cent supervision, \$5.

September 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 19, 20. Over-time for carpenters, laborers, plasterers,

terrazzo, marble, electricians, plumbers, plasterers, lathes and tenders, \$146.63; marbe workers, \$66; electricians, \$17.05; terrazzo, \$41.86; painters, \$54; plumbers, \$84; carpenters and laborers, \$250.30.

Miscellaneous.

July 28. Taking up furniture, moving cases and lockers in Normal, \$220.

August 1. Moving case, platform and desks in Room 34, Girls' Latin, \$30.

August 5. Refinishing cases in Rooms 5 and 25, setting glass Patrick A. Collins and Girls' Latin, \$70.

August 29. Changing numbers on doors, Patrick A. Collins and Normal Building, \$80; new lock for storeroom, Girls' Latin, \$15.

August 30. New lock for library, Normal, \$15; new knobs and card holders for 130 lockers, Normal, \$130; rehang-ing doors and setting glass in doors, Normal, \$52; moving cases, chairs, lockers, etc., in all three buildings, \$96.

September 2. Thirty-two shelves in Room 26, Normal, \$32; sixteen shelves in Room 20, Normal, \$16; four locks for

wardrobes in Rooms 1 and 2, Patrick A. Collins, \$60; new doors for keyboard, Girls' Latin, with all necessary hardware for same, \$44; eight shelves and sixteen hooks for closets, new library, Normal, \$30.

September 3. Rebuilding portion of terra cotta wall, Room 15, Girls' Latin, \$40; 410 to 650 numbers and hooks for keyboard, Normal, \$96.

September 4. Moving wire grille and gate partition, Patrick A. Collins, first floor, \$48; changing sash in Girls' Latin, teachers' room toilet, \$8; moving tables in Room 42 and cutting channel iron, etc., attached to same, \$10; temporary hasp and locks for lunch room cupboards, Patrick A. Collins, \$26.

September 5. Furnishing sliding ladder for Room 34, Normal, \$70; coat hooks No. 53, replace wire panels in door, Patrick A. Collins, \$15.

September 11. Refinishing furniture in following rooms: 1, 3, 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 20, 22, 40, 53, master's office and new library, Normal, \$567.

September 13. Marking blackboards

off into 1-inch square white lines in Rooms 51, 52, 53, Patrick A. Collins, \$72.

September 14. Changing lettering on bulletin boards, Normal; lettering in passageways, all three buildings, painting music staff on blackboards in Rooms 46, 49, and lettering vent ducts, basement, Patrick A. Collins, \$260.

September 15. Furnishing and installing 392 numbers in Girls' Latin locker key cases, \$62.72; furnishing and installing one bulletin board in Teachers College passageway, \$22.50; building steps in tunnel, Girls' Latin, \$12.

September 16. Furnishing wood panel in physical director's room, \$8; lining wood cupboard with zinc, Teachers College, \$18; contractor's bond on the above work, \$159.59.

Total addition, \$10,363.54.

Deductions.

Deduct on asphalt floors, Rooms 18, 19, Patrick A. Collins Building, \$510.

Net addition, \$9,853.54. Contract price, \$59,500; total additions, \$9,853.54; amount of contract, \$69,353.54.

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING NOV. 30, 1924.

(As compared with the same month in preceding years.)

	1924.		1923.		1922.		1921.		1920.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
First Class.....	95	\$1,706.080	61	\$702.385	54	\$523.500	34	\$826.715	22	\$1,037.600
Second Class.....	66	987.500	48	578.500	42	495.310	40	544.150	17	153.400
Third Class.....	177	771.197	123	619.460	108	478.589	99	361.355	42	47.450
Special Class.....	13	6.125	13	7.685	18	17.155	14	5.285	7	3.750
Total New Work.....	351	\$3,464.902	245	\$1,908.030	222	\$1,514.554	187	\$1,747.505	88	\$1,242.200
Alterations.....	522	732.684	507	540.582	535	423.768	446	327.478	418	430.690
Total Construction.....	873	\$4,197.586	752	\$2,448.612	757	\$1,938.322	633	\$2,074.983	506	\$1,672.890
Plumbing.....	323	\$300.854	317	\$268.639	302	\$240.999	216	\$127.460	195	\$282.548
Gasfitting.....	1,043	54,855	1,566	67,064	1,783	73,795	1,324	60,615	745	63,292
Heating, etc.....	123	278.817	127	140,249	84	63,721	63	56,262	63	110.966
Elevators, freight.....	7	15,034	19	35,875	18	23,180	9	27,620	23	33,855
Elevators, passenger.....	8	60,540	27	349,285	13	85,300	11	70,850	4	23,000
Signs, projections.....	9	6,550	8	5,275	19	6,350	2	400	4	4,750
Fire escapes.....	9	2,015	28	5,967	26	6,195	9	2,290	3	1,200
Take-downs, wood.....	13	2,950	20	4,385	26	3,090	11	1,210	24	2,755
Take-downs, brick.....	38	18,075	1	150	2	1,050	1	550	3	475
Sprinklers.....	27	27,005	18	21,740	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total.....	1,600	\$866.695	2,131	\$899.326	1,983	\$503.680	1,667	\$347.512	1,054	\$522.841
Grand Total.....	2,473	\$5,064.281	2,883	\$3,347.938	2,740	\$2,442.002	2,300	\$2,122.141	1,570	\$2,155.731
Cashier's Receipts.....		\$6,640 25		\$4,903 25		\$4,597 75		\$2,861 75		\$2,106 25

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works.

Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Mildred avenue, bounded:

Southwest by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes in Mildred avenue, six feet; northwest by another part of Mildred avenue, five hundred and seventy-three feet; northeast by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes April 29, 1917, six feet; and southeast by another part of Mildred avenue, five hundred seventy-two and 81-100 feet; containing thirty-four hundred and thirty-seven square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 275 linear feet of 8-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Mildred avenue, be-

tween Babson street and Norfolk Street Playground.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northwesterly side of Mildred avenue, for a distance of about 600 feet southwest-ly from Norfolk Street Playground and the lot of abutting land on the south-easterly side of Mildred avenue, now or formerly owned by the Thompson Wire Company, for a distance of about 372 feet southwest-ly from Norfolk Street Play-ground, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, each of the particular lots

to the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 583, Sewerage Works, Mildred Avenue, Dorchester, September 27, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Virginia Bartoloni.....	Nothing
2. Louis Bartoloni and Josephine Bartoloni.....	\$ 80 00
3. Harry C. Lund.....	80 00
4. Theodore H. Reichert.....	80 00
5. Harry C. Lund.....	80 00
6. Harry C. Lund.....	80 00
7. Harry C. Lund.....	80 00
8. Harry C. Lund.....	80 00
9. Benjamin Pope and Edgar W. Cottle.....	80 00
10. Benjamin Pope and Edgar W. Cottle.....	80 00
11. Benjamin Pope and Edgar W. Cottle.....	80 00
12. Benjamin Pope and Edgar W. Cottle.....	80 00
13. Benjamin Pope and Edgar W. Cottle.....	80 00
14. Benjamin Pope and Edgar W. Cottle.....	80 00
15. Benjamin Pope and Edgar W. Cottle.....	80 00
16. Benjamin Pope and Edgar W. Cottle.....	82 00
17. William H. Wilkinson.....	Nothing
18. James Gentles, Inc.....	Nothing
19. Thompson Wire Company.....	660 00
Total	\$1,862 00

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 650.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Harrison A. Dugan of Division 19, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, the said Patrolman Harrison A. Dugan was on December 1, 1924, dismissed from the Police Department.

Due written notice of such dismissal with the reasons therefor was duly and specifically given in hand on December 1, 1924, to the said Harrison A. Dugan.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 651.

The resignation of Patrolman Pearly R. Bryant of Division 11 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect as of Saturday, December 6, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES.

The American Literary Association announces the following lecture on the Art of Poetry, to which the Public is cordially invited, to be given in the Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library.

Saturday, January 17, 1925, at 4 p. m. "The Immutability of Great Poetry." E. Charlton Black, Professor of English Literature, Boston University.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 4 TO DECEMBER 10.

DECEMBER 4.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Pilgrim Laundry Company..	83 Allerton street.....	12	First-class garage.....	\$25,000
J. W. Whitman.....	Rear of 66 Saunders street..	25	Second-class garage.....	1,300
Knut W. Wilhelmson.....	79 Garnet road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Bell & Nelson, Inc.....	24 Friendship road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	4,500
Bell & Nelson, Inc.....	20 Friendship road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	4,500
Bell & Nelson, Inc.....	16 Friendship road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	4,500
Bell & Nelson, Inc.....	9 Friendship road.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Harry Garber.....	383 Columbus avenue.....	7	Alterations, store and dwelling,	350
Stanley Harlow, Inc.....	Rear of 340 Main street.....	3	Alterations, service station....	11,000
James Cassidy.....	124 Huntington avenue.....	7	Alterations, lodging and store,	1,000
James Cassidy.....	128 Huntington avenue.....	7	Alterations, lodging and store,	1,000
Beacon Theatre, Inc.....	47-53 Tremont street.....	5	Alterations, theater.....	3,000
Gayety Theatre.....	663 Washington street.....	5	Erect sign.....	1,800
Haymarket Hardware Co.....	5 Washington street.....	5	Erect sign.....	500
American Building Wrecking Company.	486 Commonwealth avenue..	8	Take-down, dwelling.....	200
American Building Wrecking Company.	490 Commonwealth avenue..	8	Take-down, dwelling.....	200
American Building Wrecking Company.	301 and 303 Cambridge street..	5	Take-down, shop.....	75
American Building Wrecking Company.	305 and 307 Cambridge street..	5	Take-down, dwelling.....	100
American Building Wrecking Company.	119-129 Court street.....	5	Take-down, storage.....	150

DECEMBER 5.

Franklin Motor Car Company.	1162 Commonwealth avenue,	25	First-class sales station.....	\$230,000
Michael Dambrowski.....	Rear of 55 Bainbridgestreet..	16	First-class garage.....	1,000
Thomas J. Coffee <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 5 Helena street.....	22	First-class garage.....	1,000
Tide Water Oil Company.....	Rear of 66 Locust street.....	11	Special storehouse.....	1,500
E. N. Samit.....	60 Goodenough street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
Mrs. Harriet Andrews.....	Rear of 51 Vogel street.....	23	Third-class stable.....	500
Alice R. Bieler.....	Rear of 257 Temple street..	23	Third-class garage.....	300
City and Suburban Garages, Inc.	1686 Commonwealth avenue	25	Alterations, garage.....	500
Michael Maloof.....	25 Spring road.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	800
Joseph Morse.....	80 Brent street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	2,000
Patrick Kelleher.....	441 Neponset avenue.....	20	Alterations, shop.....	200
Annie Silverman.....	1 Kerwin street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	227
Olympia Realty Company.....	252-272 Tremont street.....	5	Install seven elevators.....	57,000
Boston Production Company.	5 Winthrop square.....	5	Install dumb waiter.....	700
Central Building Wrecking Company.	136 Cambridge street.....	8	Take-down, tenements.....	500

DECEMBER 6.

G. Jushkewitz.....	Rear of 12 Claxton street...	22	First-class garage.....	\$600
Abraham Brecher.....	Rear of 42 Stanwood street..	18	First-class garage.....	1,000
Edward Betty.....	Rear of 129 Milton avenue..	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
H. B. Barron.....	86 Canterbury street.....	21	Second-class tenements.....	40,000
John T. Hosford.....	627 La Grange street.....	23	Second-class dwelling.....	6,400
George DeGrass.....	Rear of 1463 Centre street..	23	Special garage.....	400
John R. Forsyth.....	Rear of 11 Guild road.....	20	Third-class garage.....	400
Ellen E. Carbone.....	Rear of 113 Pleasant street..	17	Third-class garage.....	600
Margaret Z. Linn.....	Rear of 65 Bowdoin street..	19	Third-class garage.....	180
Tileston Estate.....	601 Atlantic avenue.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices	2,000
J. Walker, trustee.....	114 Boylston street.....	8	Alterations, stores and offices,	100
Washington-Essex Real Estate Trust.	598-622 Washington street..	5	Alterations, stores and offices,	1,000
Farrington Manufacturing Company.	177 Brookside avenue.....	22	Alterations, manufacturing...	1,200
James Cantor.....	26 Standish street.....	19	Alterations, store and tenements.	2,000
J. J. Moynihan <i>et al.</i>	31 and 33 Seaverns avenue..	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,300
Louis Segal.....	5 Hartwell street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,500
Bostonia Cigar Company.....	2078 Washington street.....	12	Erect sign.....	450

DECEMBER 8.

Simons & Weiner.....	286 Blue Hill avenue.....	17	First-class garage.....	\$50,000
Mary L. Wenz.....	36-42 West Broadway.....	9	First-class candy manufacturing.	60,000
James McDonald.....	Rear of 37 Saxton street.....	11	First-class garage.....	1,400
John Murphy.....	Rear of 28 Melbourne street..	20	First-class garage.....	1,500
Jennie L. Anderson.....	Rear of 36 Perkins street....	22	First-class garage.....	1,000
Otis Elevator Company.....	130 Clarendon street.....	7	First-class offices.....	180,000
J. B. Kavanaugh.....	2 Harris avenue.....	22	Second-class garage.....	9,000
Simons & Weiner.....	278 and 280 Blue Hill ave..	17	Second-class store.....	6,000
Louis Wernon.....	Rear of 401 Norfolk street..	21	Second-class garage.....	1,000
John F. Hynes.....	Rear of 64 Halifax street....	22	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Julius Brodsky.....	Rear of 59 Callender street..	21	Second-class garage.....	1,500
Aaron Mayberg <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 6 Glenway street....	19	Second-class garage.....	1,000
M. Skwarek.....	Rear of 69 School street.....	15	Special garage.....	400
Pierce B. Bennett <i>et al.</i>	Rear of 154 Arlington street..	26	Third-class garage.....	300
John Feeney.....	Rear of 1742 River street....	24	Third-class garage.....	400
Rudolph Anderson.....	Rear of 68 Landseer street..	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Frank Orio.....	Rear of 75 Montmorenci ave..	1	Third-class greenhouse.....	1,000
James B. Robinson.....	Rear of 49 Sycamore street....	23	Third-class garage.....	260
Percy M. McLellan.....	Rear of 976 River street.....	24	Third-class garage.....	1,000
Robert P. Williams.....	64 Hill Top street.....	20	Third-class storage.....	1,000
Samuel E. Zeltzman.....	69 Floyd street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Samuel E. Zeltzman.....	73 Floyd street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Alma M. Lynch.....	153 Theodore Parker road..	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Alma M. Lynch.....	157 Theodore Parker road..	23	Third-class dwelling.....	8,000
Gussepe Carruso.....	175 Cornell street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Edick Egan.....	1008 Washington street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Elias Camille.....	175 Weld street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Bessie B. Adnoff.....	811 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, tenements.....	1,000
Henry Gibbons.....	2-20 Glenwood avenue.....	24	Alterations, laundry.....	350
Harry H. Ham, trustee.....	23 Howard street.....	5	Alterations, lodging and restaurant.	500
Mystic Building Wrecking Company.	149 Forsyth street.....	7	Take-down, dwelling.....	150
Mystic Building Wrecking Company.	117 Forsyth street.....	7	Take-down, dwelling.....	250

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 4 TO DECEMBER 10.

DECEMBER 9.

Plumber	Location.	Ward	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Nicola Vicchio.....	Rear of 30 Neptune road...	1	First-class garage.....	\$1,750
Edna Bronstein.....	Rear of 36 Claremont park...	7	First-class garage.....	1,000
Julio Zetzer.....	51 Lucerne street.....	21	Second-class garage.....	1,100
Ralph C. Estes.....	57 Saxton street.....	17	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
H. Gordon & Sons.....	285 Belgrade avenue.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Mary Corman.....	382 Norfolk street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Max Berman.....	10 Dennison street.....	15	Alterations, tenements.....	1,500
Philip Basilo.....	4549 Washington street.....	23	Alterations, garage.....	1,500
Giuseppe Farina.....	233 Freeport street.....	20	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
Arthur Pevear.....	8 Pevear place.....	12	Alterations, office and dwelling.....	1,500
William R. Messer.....	467 Commonwealth avenue.....	8	Alterations, office and dwelling.....	1
Mrs. M. Young.....	26 Denton terrace.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
E. P. Tobin.....	96 West Third street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
E. P. Tobin.....	98 West Third street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
J. A. Dahl.....	65 Auburn street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
John Philopoulos.....	717 Walk Hill street.....	24	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
Jacob Freedman.....	1509 Dorchester avenue.....	20	Alterations, dwelling and store.....	500
M. McDonald.....	189 West Seventh street.....	9	Alterations, dwelling.....	80
Anthony Ogonousky.....	539 Medford street.....	3	Alterations, store.....	10
Simon Brothers.....	21 Washington street.....	5	Erect sign.....	125
Priscilla Sears, Inc.....	43 Franklin street.....	5	Install dumb waiter.....	950
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	55 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down, tenements.....	500
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	49 and 51 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down, tenements.....	500

DECEMBER 10.

Dominici Famulari.....	Rear of 11 Boardman st.....	1	First-class garage.....	\$1,600
Samuel Rutfield.....	Rear of 55 Johnston road.....	21	First-class garage.....	1,500
Dorchester Plumbing Supply Company.....	1315 Columbus avenue.....	15	Second-class office.....	600
Dorchester Plumbing Supply Company.....	Rear of 1315 Columbus av.....	15	Second-class shed.....	500
Elizabeth S. Maertins.....	Rear of 207 Chestnut ave.....	22	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Joseph Woodward.....	9 Lamont street.....	13	Special garage.....	300
L. E. Spellman, Jr.....	Rear of 194 Bigelow street.....	26	Third-class garage.....	500
Catherine C. Hanlon.....	42 and 44 Rosewood street.....	24	Third-class dwelling.....	8,500
Charles A. Hall, Jr.....	24 Englewood street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
David Rossman.....	43 Harvest street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
David Rossman.....	47 Harvest street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
John P. Kenney.....	160 Lasell street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
Bernard Davis.....	138 Parsons street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	7,500
Bernard Davis.....	142 Parsons street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	7,500
A. F. Williams.....	40 Chickatawbut street.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
George A. Dunn.....	40 Elm road.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
Cornelius Page.....	73 Dale street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,800
W. H. Tibbets.....	128 Faneuil street.....	26	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Kernan & Sexton.....	32 and 34 Salem street.....	5	Alterations, dwelling and store.....	750
Central Building Wrecking Company.....	57 and 59 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down, tenements.....	500
John J. Sullivan.....	1 Sherman court.....	9	Take-down, tenements.....	50

FINANCE COMMISSION LETTER.

The Finance Commission has written the following letter to the Mayor:

BOSTON, December 5, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

SIR,—The Finance Commission directs your Honor's attention to the proposed increased award of damages to the proprietors of the Revere House property on Cambridge street at Bowdoin square, for land taken for the widening of Cambridge street.

This property was taken on August 20, 1924, by the Street Commissioners and the owners were then awarded \$11 a square foot for 10,109 square feet, or a total of \$111,119. At the same time a betterment assessment of \$23,000 was made upon the remaining land of these owners.

The Street Commissioners on November 25, 1924, about three months after the original award, notified the Finance Commission that they proposed, subject to your Honor's approval, to increase the original award by \$10,109, or \$1 per square foot. The Street Commissioners did not inform the Finance Commission that they had a "gentleman's agreement" with George U. Crocker, treasurer of the proprietors of the Revere House, to waive the \$23,000 betterment, which in effect was increasing the award not by \$10,109 but by \$33,109.

It was not until the Finance Commission's investigation revealed the ex-

istence of the "gentleman's agreement" that Mr. Noyes, chairman of the Street Commissioners admitted that the agreement existed. The day after Mr. Noyes testified before the Finance Commission, he notified the Finance Commission for the first time in writing by a letter dated November 29, 1924, of the existence of this agreement "which the Board intends to make," and the full terms of the settlement.

The case presents even more remarkable aspects. In December, 1922, about the time when you first made public your intention of filing a bill in the Legislature to widen Cambridge and Court streets to a width of 100 feet, George U. Crocker in a letter to your Honor wrote:

"I wish to say in this connection that the owners of the property on which the Revere House formerly stood would, I think, look favorably on a proposition to deed without consideration such portion of their land as might be needed for this improvement. I personally would not look upon such a deed as a donation, because I feel that the value of the remaining land would be greatly enhanced."

This letter has never been withdrawn.

When the Legislature authorized the city to make this Cambridge street widening in 1923 (chapter 489) it was provided that no assessment or settlement should be made unless all pertinent facts were submitted to the Boston Finance Commission not less than ten days before such award or settlement was to be made.

This is the first case in the Cambridge

street widening which the Street Commissioners have sought to settle out of court by increasing the original award made only three months ago.

The Finance Commission recommends:

1. That your Honor disapprove this proposed increased award and the waiving of the betterments.

2. That all owners of property taken in the Cambridge and Court street widening who refuse to accept the original awards be left to their remedy in court.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,
Chairman.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for a public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Chelmsford street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Adams street to Charlemont street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Chelmsford street is hereby laid out, from Adams street to Charlemont street, and ordered constructed.

West by Adams street, forty feet; north by the northerly line of said Chelmsford street as hereby laid out, by two measurements, six hundred fifteen and 86-100 feet on a curve of one thousand feet radius and two hundred forty-eight and 99-100 feet; east by Charlemont street, forty feet; and south by the southerly line of said Chelmsford street as hereby laid out, by two measurements, two hundred forty-eight and 27-100 feet and six hundred forty and 49-100 feet on a curve of ten hundred and forty feet radius.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on both sides of Chelmsford street, from Adams street to Charlemont street, will receive benefit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Chelmsford Street, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, September 17, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department" and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Sarah H. Connelly.....	\$189 20
2. Gustav Sahlit.....	254 76
3. Fannie King.....	256 56
4. Helena Odenueler.....	268 80
5. Julia J. Hanlon.....	270 12
6. Margaret E. Rollins.....	273 60
7. Ernest E. Jelna, Elizabeth Jelna.....	220 80
8. Guy Loomer and Alonzo Allen.....	220 32
9. Guy Loomer and Alonzo Allen.....	222 30
10. Guy Loomer and Alonzo Allen.....	226 50
11. Guy Loomer and Alonzo Allen.....	228 18
12. Julia Kuhn.....	219 36
13. Dagny A. Yiannopoulos.....	219 48
14. Arthur Yiannopoulos.....	219 48
15. Cambridge Realty Company.....	219 48
16. Cambridge Realty Company.....	219 48
17. Cambridge Realty Company.....	219 48
18. Cambridge Realty Company.....	151 20
19. William Savage, Frances Savage.....	196 00
20. Elizabeth E. Hill.....	228 00

Lot.	Amount.
21. Alice E. Spencer.....	\$239 40
22. Peter Hendricks, Hendrika Hendricks.....	224 58
23. Peter Hendricks, Hendrika Hendricks.....	242 88
24. James E. Cantwell, Lawrence E. Cantwell.....	247 50
25. Jane Adams.....	248 10
26. Charles E. Peterson.....	253 08
27. Ellen M. Christensen.....	262 62
28. Margaret T. Ledwith.....	276 06
29. Alice L. Kehoe.....	277 68
30. Edwin C. and Maude F. Fein.....	261 42
31. Cambridge Realty Company.....	249 36
32. Cambridge Realty Company.....	250 98
33. Cambridge Realty Company.....	225 00
34. Cambridge Realty Company.....	224 88
35. Cambridge Realty Company.....	224 88
36. Cambridge Realty Company.....	224 88
37. Cambridge Realty Company.....	224 88
38. Cambridge Realty Company.....	224 88
39. Cambridge Realty Company.....	146 76
Total.....	\$9,052 92

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Chelmsford street, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Adams street to Charlemont street, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

MAYOR CURLEY URGES NEW ENGLAND SENATORS AND CONGRESSMEN TO SECURE AIR MAIL SERVICE FOR THIS SECTION.

Mayor Curley, on December 9, sent the following letter to the United States Senators and Congressmen of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut; also to the Committee on Post Office and Post Roads of the United States Senate and House of Representatives:

DEAR SIR,—I beg to advise, in behalf of the citizens of Boston and leaders of its commerce and industry, that they are especially interested in the extension of aerial transportation for the advancement of the New England States, in so far that the air mail of the Post Office Department may be extended to the Boston airport, East Boston, Mass.

In harmony with numerous requests, I have made careful personal inquiry relative to the extension of aerial mail transportation, as a forward movement, and which would serve our people to very great advantage.

After conference with experts, I find that a fair summary of the general situation may be expressed as follows:

1. The Boston airport is admirably situated as it is located in East Boston within twenty minutes of the Boston City Post Office by either truck or street car.

2. The field is large enough to take care of any type of plane which the air mail either is using or contemplates using as numerous flights of DHSS, Martin bombers, and even the very fast landing PW-8 have made use of the Boston airport for a year and a half without any trouble whatsoever.

3. There is ample room for the construction of an air mail hangar and such other buildings as they might care to construct. The approaches to the field are perfect, there being no obstructions in any direction for a considerable distance. The landing and take-off runways are 1,500 feet long and from 2 to 400 feet wide.

4. Ample weather information is available by the United States Weather

Bureau as well as the Blue Hill Observatory situated directly on the route between Boston and New York.

5. The air line distance from New York to Boston is 160 miles over a terrain that is easy to fly over with ample emergency landing fields along said route.

6. The average weather conditions would permit the arrival of the mail in Boston not later than 12 o'clock noon 95 per cent of the days in the year, and the same percentage of departures would be possible. That is, considering the air mail coming to Boston from the Chicago-New York night run and leaving Boston in the afternoon for the Boston-New York-Chicago run.

7. Flying by night from Boston to New York would be comparatively easy as a pilot would have no trouble in finding his way on account of the landmarks such as the city of Providence and light houses across Long Island Sound.

8. It is not believed there is a better airport for mail purposes on the entire route than the one at Boston taking into consideration its close proximity to the city and the small amount of time that would be lost in transporting the mail from the field to the post office and return.

I sincerely trust you will give my appeal a most earnest consideration and review, with a sincere hope that the Committee on Post Office and Post Roads of the United States Senate and House of Representatives, at Washington may indorse the extension of air mail to the Boston airport at East Boston.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for sewerage works to be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the City's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Fairview street, bounded:

East by easement taken by the City of Boston for sewerage purposes in Fairview street, September 27, 1924, eight feet; south by another part of Fairview street, eighty-two feet; west by the same, eight feet; and north by the same, eighty-two feet; containing six hundred and fifty-six square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 82 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, in the above described premises, being part of the private way known as Fairview street for

a distance of about 82 feet westerly from easement taken in said street September 27, 1924.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

This Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of the aforesaid easement and construction of said sewerage works and awards no damages therefor.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northerly side of Fairview street, between Adams street and Ainsley street, designated as Lots 1 and 2, and the lots of abutting land on the southerly side of Fairview street, between Adams street and Ainsley street, designated as Lots 4 and 5, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to the community, from the improvement ordered herein, each of the particular lots to the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 589, Sewerage Works, Fairview street, Dorchester, October 15, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lots.	Amount.
1. Maria S. Orfanello.....	\$71 36
2. Rose G. Armstrong.....	71 36
4. Winfield A. Cole.....	76 00
5. George W. Cummings, Harry P. Chadwick, T.T.	80 00
Total	\$298 72

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Geromino Sacco has agreed to accept the sum of \$450 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate by the laying out and construction of an extension of Ashley street, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of February 1, 1924, said estate being the lot in the rear of the premises numbered 63 Leyden street.

Geromino Sacco has agreed to accept the sum of \$250 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate on Boardman street by the laying out and construction of Boardman street, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of October 8, 1900, and by the laying out and construction of an extension of Ashley street, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of February 1, 1924; said estate being part of original deed lot numbered 13, and located next northwesterly of the premises numbered 53 Boardman street.

C. G. Montana has agreed to accept the sum of \$75 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to her estate on 38 Aldrich street, corner Beryl street, by the laying out and construction of Beryl street, under the order of the Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 16, 1922.

Old Colony Trust Company, trustee under will of Freeborn F. Raymond, 2d, by Martin W. Powers, manager, Real Estate Department, has agreed to accept the sum of \$10,821.15 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate on Almont street, Dorchester district, the taking of said land for playground purposes, under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners of September 11, 1924.

MAYOR CURLEY ENTERTAINS NOTED SPANISH WAR VETER- ANS AT LUNCHEON.

Mayor Curley was host on December 10 to Capt. Chauncey W. Herrick of Oneonta, N. Y., National Commander-in-Chief of the United Spanish War Veterans, and National Adj. James J. Murphy of Washington, D. C.

The guests were as follows:

Dr. Peter O. Shea, State Commander, U. S. W. V., Worcester, Mass.; Hon. Charles F. McCarthy, State Adjutant, U. S. W. V., Marlboro, Mass.; Gen. John D. Barrette, U. S. A., commanding First Army Corps Area; Captain Doliver, U. S. N., representing Rear Admiral Louis R. deSteiguer, U. S. N.; Gen. Mark L. Hersey, U. S. A.; Hon. E. Mark Sullivan, Corporation Counsel, City of Boston; John A. Donoghue, Esq., president of Boston City Council; David J. Brickley, Esq., Boston City Council; James A. Watson, Esq., Boston City Council; William J. Walsh, Esq., Boston City Council; George F. Gilbody, Esq., Boston City Council; William C. S. Healey, Esq., Boston City Council; Daniel W. Lane, Esq., Boston City Council; James T. Moriarty, Esq., Boston City Council; James T. Purcell, Esq., Boston City Council; Senior Vice Commander Charles A. Flanagan, U. S. W. V., Charlestown; Junior Vice Commander Walter R. Tarbett, U. S. W. V., Boston; Past Commander-in-Chief Edward J. Gihon, U. S. W. V., Boston; Pension Commissioner Richard R. Flynn, State House, Boston; Past Deputy Commander Joseph F. Scott, U. S. W. V., Cambridge; Daniel J. Murphy, 4 Grove street, Natick; A. Collins Stewart, 12 Pond street, Jamaica Plain; Clayton B. Green, 195 Beverly road, Worcester; Rev. P. B. Murphy, chaplain of U. S. W. V., South Boston; Timothy W. Kelley, U. S. W. V., East Boston; Maj. William J. Casey, Boston; Gerald McDonald, president of Boston Municipal Council, U. S. W. V., Boston; William P. Murphy, vice president, Boston Municipal Council, U. S. W. V.; Col. Thomas F. Sullivan, Boston; Brigadier Gen. Thomas F. Foley, Worcester, Mass.; Maj. James M. Hurley, Marlboro, Mass.; Col. Fred L. Bogan, West Roxbury; State Adj. John H. Wallace, V. F. W., Boston; George Hazlett, U. S. W. V., Roxbury; State Commander Benjamin F. Ham, G. A. R., Dorchester; Senior Vice Commander-in-Chief, Wilfred A. Wetherbee, G. A. R., Boston; Col. John H. Dunn, National Commander-in-Chief, V. F. W.; State Commander Leo Harlow, American Legion, Boston; State Commander Eugene P. Carver, V. F. W., Boston; Capt. H. B. Parker, Adjutant General's Office, State House; Col. Willis W. Stover, Past Commander-in-Chief, U. S. W. V., Boston; Past Commander-in-Chief George W. Manks, U. S. W. V., Boston; Maj. George F. H. Murray, Past Commander-in-Chief, U. S. W. V., South Boston; Col. George A. Hosley, G. A. R., National Chief of Staff, Boston; Ensign Edgar P. White, 15 Pemberton square, Boston; Charles J. Corkery, Past president, Municipal Council, U. S. W. V.; George P. Field, 216 Dorchester street, South Boston; James A. Moore, 977A Tremont street, Boston; Hon. James Rolphy, Jr., mayor of San Francisco; Maj. William H. Finn, city marshal, Marlboro, Mass.; George W. Higgins, Marlboro, Mass.; Denis H. Haverty, State Adjutant, American Legion.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land on Armandine street, next west of the property numbered 95 on said street, Dorchester district, containing approximately 7,528 square feet more or less; for school purposes, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Harris H. Etter, bounded:

South by Armandine street, fifty feet; west by land supposed to belong to Julia F. Connolly, one hundred fifty-two and 89-100 feet; north by land of the City of Boston, fifty and 2-100 feet; and east by land supposed to belong to John M. and Annie Green, one hundred fifty-one and 67-100 feet; containing seventy-six hundred and fourteen square feet, more or less.

Said parcel is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Dunbar Avenue, Dorchester, February 21, 1921, F. O. Whitney, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this Board determines that the undermentioned person sustains damages in his estate by the taking made for school purposes on Armandine street, Dorchester district, under the order of the Board, in the amount hereinafter mentioned, and awards said amounts therefor.

Harris H. Etter, 7,614 square feet, \$3,000.

BUILDING LINES ON BEACON STREET.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for the taking of land for building lines on Beacon street, Boston proper district, between Massachusetts avenue and Charlesgate East, on the northerly side, substantially parallel with and distant approximately twenty (20) feet from the northerly exterior side line of said street, and on the southerly side, substantially parallel with and distant approximately ten (10) feet from the southerly exterior side line of said street.

Ordered, That this Board, having passed the order of notice relating to building lines on both sides of Beacon street, Boston proper district, between Massachusetts avenue and Charlesgate East, and having caused a copy of said order to be published November 14, 15, 1924, and November 17, 18, 1924, in the *Boston Transcript* and the *Boston Telegram*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and in the *City Record* of November 15, 22, 1924, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, do hereby determine that public convenience and necessity require, and do hereby order that building lines be, under the provisions of chapter 462 of the Acts of 1893 and acts in amendment or addition thereto, established on both sides of Beacon street, Boston proper district, between Massachusetts avenue and Charlesgate East, as follows:

On the northerly side, between Massachusetts avenue and Charlesgate East, substantially parallel with and distant approximately twenty (20) feet from the northerly exterior side line of said street.

On the southerly side, between Massachusetts avenue and Charlesgate East, substantially parallel with and distant

approximately ten (10) feet from the southerly exterior side line of said street.

Said building lines are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Beacon Street, Boston proper, November 13, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of the Street Laying-Out Department.

And this Board further orders that existing steps, windows, porticos and the other usual projections appurtenant to the front walls of existing buildings, so far as they lie between the building lines herein established and said Beacon street, may remain as they are at the time of the passage of this order, intending hereby to sanction all existing projections over said line including any necessary foundations and walls supporting said projections.

And this Board further orders, as to future projections, that steps, porticos, balconies, eaves and other usual projections, except bay windows, appurtenant to the front walls of buildings with the necessary foundations to support the same, may project over said lines, and that bay windows or swell fronts with the necessary foundations to support the same may project over the said building lines for a distance not exceeding three feet.

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the establishment of building lines on both sides of Beacon street, Boston proper district, between Massachusetts avenue and Charlesgate East, under the order of the Board, and awards no damages therefor.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR OF VOTES, CITY OF BOSTON ELECTION DEPARTMENT, DECEMBER 29, 1924. REQUISITION IS FOR A MALE, BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES.

The salary is \$1,500 a year.

It is desirable that applicants have a knowledge of the laws relating to naturalization and citizenship, and a knowledge of the election laws of the Commonwealth. The duties of the position include the following: Registration of voters, compilation of voting lists, certification of nomination papers, investigation in connection with and assisting in making up jury lists, tabulating of primary and election returns, canvassing of votes in connection with recounts, indexing, and proofreading.

To be eligible for appointment to this position, applicants are required by law to file with the Department of Civil Service and Registration, Division of Civil Service, a certificate signed by a member of the Board of Election Commissioners of Boston of the same political party affiliation as the applicant, which shall certify to the applicant's enrollment in the said party for the three consecutive years next preceding the date of his application. This examination is open to both Republicans and Democrats, but the present vacancy is for a Republican.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; arithmetic, 2; report, 1; practical questions on the duties of the position, 4; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in practical questions, and in general average in order to become eligible.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending December 6, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 183; nonresidents, 32; total, 215.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.43; nonresidents deducted, 12.29.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 14.70; corresponding week last year, 13.84.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 22; one year to five years, inclusive, 14; sixty years and over, 81; total deaths: male, 115; female, 100; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 109; deaths of colored, 6.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 6, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 8, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	1	—	4	—
Diphtheria.....	54	1	69	1
Encephalitis lethargica.....	—	—	1	—
Influenza.....	3	2	5	2
Measles.....	41	2	51	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	—	1
Pneumonia (lobar).....	33	8	36	9
Scarlet fever.....	88	1	100	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	33	16	34	10
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	6	1	12	4
Typhoid fever.....	5	—	1	—
Whooping cough.....	20	1	6	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

CIVIL ENGINEERS, DECEMBER 15-20, 1924. THESE EXAMINATIONS ARE FOR THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, ALL CITIES, AND SUCH TOWNS AS ARE CLASSIFIED UNDER CIVIL SERVICE.

Warning.—Many men fail in the civil engineering examination because they apply for grades for which they are not qualified. It is advisable, therefore, if there is any doubt about the quantity or quality of your experience, to take both the grade for which you think you are qualified and the next lower grade. If you should be found ineligible for the higher grade, you will still have an opportunity to be placed on the next lower grade.

Grade A.

Engineering assistants, drafting assistants, and rodmen, who perform under instruction and supervision elementary or apprentice work in the field or office.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not Grade A if the salary is less than \$900 a year or more than \$1,440 a year.

Qualifications.—Applicants must have completed a high school course of not less than three years or must have had not less than one year of practical experience in field engineering or office work.

Subjects and Weights.—Rodmen.—Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; tracing, 3; questions on the duties of the position, 6; total 20. Assistant draughtsmen.—Experience, 4; mathematics, 6; penmanship, 1; drawing, 9; total, 20.

Grade B.

Senior engineering assistants, instrumentmen, and draughtsmen (a) who assume responsibility for the execution of definite instructions in a minor division or section of engineering activity; or (b) who direct, under supervision, the operation of minor engineering projects.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade B if the salary is more than \$1,980 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, not less than one year of service in Grade A. If appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade A, at least two years of practical experience in engineering work of Grade A character and standard; or such training in civil engineering as is evidenced by a professional degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction at an institution or college of recognized standing; or the successful completion of not less than two years' study in such institution plus one year's practical experience in engineering work.

Subjects and Weights.—Instrumentmen.—Experience, 16; penmanship, 2; plotting, 6; questions on duties, 8; mathematics, 8; total, 40. Draughtsmen.—Experience, 16; drawing, 10; mathematics, 6; duties, 4; plotting, 4; total, 40.

Grade C.

Assistant engineers, assistant civil engineers, and designing engineers: (a) who assume responsibility for the direction of surveys, the preparation and examination of, or advice upon, plans, designs and specifications for a minor section of a large engineering or a major section of a small engineering project; or (b) who supervise or inspect the construction or the operation of work on such a project; or (d) who make investigations of,

and reports upon, such engineering projects as a basis for a report by an engineering superior.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade C, if the salary is more than \$2,580 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion within a department or major division thereof, not less than two years of service in Grade B, or if appointed otherwise than by promotion from Grade B, within a department or major division thereof, at least five years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch of engineering work covered by the position, provided that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of three years practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 10; design, 2; mathematics, 2; questions on material and methods of construction, 3; engineering theory, 3; total, 20.

Grade D.

Senior assistant engineers, senior assistant civil engineers, and senior designing engineers: (a) who supervise and assume complete responsibility for the work of a main division of an engineering organization, involving the direction of surveys and design and construction; or (b) who maintain and operate the major section of a large engineering project; or (c) who make independent investigations of and reports upon engineering projects as a basis for executive, administrative, or judicial action; or (d) who take charge of a large engineering department in the absence of the chief engineer; or (e) who give advice on large or complicated engineering projects, which may involve the preparation of plans.

It is *prima facie* evidence that a position in Class 27 is not in Grade D if the salary is more than \$3,600 a year.

Qualifications.—If appointed by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, not less than three years service in Grade C. If appointed otherwise than by promotion, within a department or major division thereof, at least eight years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch covered by the position, and two years of which shall have been in an executive capacity; provided, that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of four years of practical experience.

Subjects and Weights.—Experience, 24; questions on materials and methods of construction, 5; engineering theory, 5; design, 6; total, 40.

An applicant must specify the grade for which he applies. Specimen examinations available.

PLAYGROUND WORKERS, SUPERVISORS, AND ASSISTANT SUPERVISORS, CITIES, DECEMBER 27, 1924.

This examination will be for the service of all the cities and towns in the state where these positions are under civil service.

The playgrounds ordinarily are open from April to November. During the school year sessions are usually held after school hours and on Saturdays, and on all days except Sundays during the summer. In the summer, the usual salary is from \$15 to \$25 a week. The examination is open to both men and women.

The general duties of playground workers require a knowledge of the interest of children, ability to organize and conduct playground activities and adult recreation. It is desirable that applicants have education, training or experience in physical culture, playground work and physical training of juveniles.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; special questions, 1; total, 2. There will be one set of special questions for applicants interested in boys' work, another set for those interested in girls' work and a combination set for those wishing to qualify for both boys' and girls' work. There will probably also be a supplementary paper for those wishing to qualify as swimming instructor in playgrounds having a pool. Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position. Applicants who wish to be certified to positions as playground supervisors should have at least two years' actual experience in playground work.

EXAMINER OF CORPORATE AND TRUST ORGANIZATIONS (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES, DECEMBER 27, 1924.

The salary is \$2,400 per year. Applicants must be familiar with accounting, particularly in connection with income accounts, balance sheets and financial statements which are filed in connection with the sales of securities. Applicants should also be familiar with the "Sale of Securities Act" and with the procedure of the department in exercising the jurisdiction conferred on it by said act.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on accounting, 2; practical questions on law, 2; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 2; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

AGENT (MALE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, JANUARY 6, 1925).

The salary is \$7 per day. This position is for an agent in charge of standardization and special market reporting, and the duties are as follows: To inspect apples under the apple grading law, conduct grading and packing demonstrations at fairs, demonstrate and explain Massachusetts apple grading law at farmers' field meetings, prepare and issue special apple market report; inspect onions and issue certificates of inspection under Massachusetts onion grading law; develop special onion, asparagus and strawberry reports; address groups of farmers.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ENGINEER, WATER DEPARTMENT, SPRINGFIELD, JANUARY 6, 1925.

The salary is \$4,200 per year. Applicants are required to have at least ten years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch covered by the position, and three years of which shall have been in a major executive capacity; provided, that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of four years of practical experience.

The duties of this position are the study of dam, reservoir, tunnel and pipe line sites. Applicants should be able to make surveys, borings, tests, etc., looking toward the location and development of reservoirs, dams, tunnels, pipe lines, and electrical power.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

CLERICAL SERVICE, STATE AND CITIES, JANUARY 10 AND JANUARY 24, 1925.

This is the regular examination for the clerical service of the state and of all cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. On January 10 the examination will be held in various centrally located cities. On January 24 the examination will be held in Boston, and all persons who reside within commuting distance will be notified for examination on this day. Certification may be made from the eligible lists established by this examination for office, institutional or other positions of a similar nature at the discretion of the Commissioner of Civil Service. Special qualifications in book-keeping, stenography, typewriting, cataloging, filing, etc., and in foreign languages may be recognized by the commissioner in certifying persons for positions demanding such qualifications. Persons qualifying in the examination may have their names placed on the state list as well as on the list for the city or town in which they reside.

This examination will be given to fill positions in all grades of the clerical service except Grade V (chief clerk, secretary). All applicants will be given the same examination, and will be placed on the list in the order of marks received, and will be certified for any and all clerical positions in the order of standing on the list, unless in the opinion of the Commissioner of Civil Service the mark attained is lower than is proper for the particular position to be filled.

Applicants who claim a knowledge of comptometry, stenography, or typewriting will be given a supplementary test at a later date to qualify in these subjects.

All applicants will be marked on each subject of the examination and will be given a general average on such marks according to the following schedule: Training and experience, 5 points; spelling, 2; letter writing, 2; arithmetic, multiplication, division and decimals, 1; arithmetic problems, 1; word knowledge, 1; sentence meaning, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15.

Each applicant will be sent an "experience sheet" with proper instructions for stating his education, training, and experience.

The passing mark for clerical examinations will be 65 per cent in general average.

The usual entrance salary for clerks ranges from \$720 to \$1,200 per year. For positions paying \$1,200 or more, only clerks who receive a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience will be certified.

Sample questions for clerks available.

WATCHMEN, GATEMEN, GUARDS AND PRISON OFFICERS, JANUARY 15, 1925.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. This service includes watchmen and guards in public parks, grounds, institutions and departments; gatemen for ferries; turnkeys and guards in prisons, houses of detention and reformatories.

Applicants for appointment as officers in the State Prison and Massachusetts Reformatory must be not less than twenty-five and not over forty years of age at the time of filing application. Applicants for appointment as officers in the prison camp and hospital must be not less than twenty-three nor over forty years of age at the time of filing application. All applicants for these places must be not less than 5 feet, 7 inches in height and weigh not less than 135 pounds. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the applications for this service.

There are no age, height, or weight limits for watchman service other than those mentioned above.

The examination for watchmen, gatemen and guards will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; memory test, 1; arithmetic, 1; handwriting, 1; accuracy, 1; total, 10.

The examination for prison officers will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions covering general disciplinary and penological methods, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10;

Applicants who pass the examination for prison officers will, upon request, also be placed on the list for watchmen.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

ANNEXATIONS TO BOSTON.

East Boston in 1637; South Boston in 1804, being set off from Dorchester; Roxbury in 1868, a city of Norfolk County since March, 1846; Dorchester in 1870, a town since September, 1630; Charlestown in 1874, a city of Middlesex County since February, 1847; Brighton in 1874, set off from Cambridge and incorporated as a town of Middlesex County in February, 1807; West Roxbury in 1874, set off from Roxbury and incorporated as a town of Norfolk County in May, 1851; Hyde Park in 1912, a town of Norfolk County since April, 1868.

These annexations, which added 24,312 acres of land to the original land of Boston, were by area as follows: East Boston, 1,435 acres; South Boston, 795; Roxbury, 2,450; Dorchester, 5,600; West Roxbury, 8,075; Brighton, 2,664; Charlestown, 424; Hyde Park, 2,869. Filled land increased the area later by 1,396 acres. In 1875 the annexed territory had a population of 201,250, or 58.86 per cent of City's total; in 1910 its population had increased to 477,311, or 71.18 per cent, Hyde Park not included. By 1915 the total was 549,139, or 73.67 per cent of City.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES IN BOSTON, 1924-1925, AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library announce the following list of free lectures, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 p. m.

The entrance is from Boylston street only. The doors will be opened two hours before each lecture and closed ten minutes after the lecture begins. The Thursday lectures are generally illustrated by lantern slides. The Sunday lectures are usually not illustrated. Exceptions are mentioned below. Lectures are given occasionally during the winter in the lecture halls of the Charlestown, East Boston, Jamaica Plain, North End, South End, West Roxbury, and Uphams Corner Branches.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Dec. 18. How the Dutch Do It: Housing Problems and Port Development. Frank A. Bourne, S. M., A. I. A.
- Jan. 8. Glimpses of Norway's Fjords. Ben Blessum, General Representative of the Norwegian government in the United States and Canada. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Jan. 15. Medieval Pilgrimages and Art. Arthur Kingley Porter, B. F. A., Professor of Fine Arts, Harvard University.
- Jan. 22. Picturesque England from Chester to Clovelly. Ellen E. Page.
- Jan. 29. Snaring Bird Songs. Charles C. Gorst.
- Feb. 5. Brazil and Its Jungles. James Pallance.
- Feb. 12. The Land of the Backward Rolling River: Chekiang Province, including its Capital, Hangchow, the Heavenly. William Dean Goddard, A. M. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 19. Under Italian Skies. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 26. Whaling and Its Methods. Arthur E. Watson, Acting Curator, Old Dartmouth Historical Society and Whaling Museum.
- Mar. 5. Killarney; its Lakes and Legends. Rev. William M. Stinson, S. J.
- Mar. 12. Tramps about the Presidentials. Milton E. MacGregor, Mountain Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 19. Earth Changes, illustrated by the Geology of Boston. Hervey Woodburn Shimer, Ph.D., Professor of Paleontology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- Mar. 26. Along Dutch Waterways. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Apr. 2. New England Birds and Wild Flowers. Mrs. Harriet U. Goode.
- Apr. 9. English Gardens. Robert N. Cram, B. L. A., Instructor in Landscape Architecture Harvard University. With autochrome illustrations.
- Apr. 16. Architecture in the United States in the last ten years. J. Randolph Coolidge, Jr.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Dec. 14. Music in the Life of the World: Story of the Carol. Aerial Music of the Bell Towers of Europe. Mme. Beale Morey. Illustrated by voices and members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.
- Dec. 21. Carols and Chansons of Christmas. Henry Gideon, A. M. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 28. Boston Architecture: Past and Present. Frank Chouteau Brown. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 4. The Marvel and Glory of Glass; Ancient and Modern. Mrs. Walter G. Dennison.
- Jan. 11. Swedish Male Harmony Chorus. Carl Hutton, director.
- Jan. 18. The Appreciation of Greek Sculpture. Clarence Kennedy, A. M., Assistant Professor of Art, Smith College. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 25. Our New Comedy and American Family Life. Albert Hutton Gilmer, A. M., Professor of Dramatic Literature, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Feb. 1. A Splendid Rebel: Life and Times of Patrick Henry. Henry Lawrence Southwick President, Emerson College of Oratory.
- Feb. 8. New New England Poets. Speaker to be announced. (New England Poetry Club Course.)
- Feb. 15. Modern French Music. Edward Burlingame Hill, Assistant Professor of Music, Harvard University. With musical illustrations.
- Feb. 22. Worthwhile Patriotism. Hon. Michael J. Murray.
- Mar. 1. Boston, the Convention City. Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston.
- Mar. 8. Treasures of the Theatre Collection in the Harvard University Library. Frank W. C. Hersey, A. M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)

- Mar. 15. The Magic of Words. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt. D.
- Mar. 22. Legends and Folk-Songs of Finland. Mme. Aino Saari. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 29. King's Chapel Choir. Raymond C. Robinson, Director.
- Apr. 5. Footlight Orchestra. Thompson Stone, Director.
- Apr. 12. Dawn of Orchestral Music: a Program by members of the Eighteenth Century Orchestra. Raffaele Martino, Director.
- Apr. 19. The Battle of Lexington. Harold Murdock, A. M., Director of the Harvard University Press.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club meets regularly in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month, at 3 o'clock, except as otherwise stated. The following free lectures are announced, subject to change.

- Dec. 22. Music—Arranged by Mrs. Arthur Howard Davison. The Christmas Message—Mrs. Minnie Meserve Soule.
- Jan. 12. What's What in Books. John Clair Minot.
- Jan. 26. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Feb. 9. Anniversary Observance of John Ruskin's Birth. Address: John Ruskin. Rev. Harold E. B. Speight.
- Feb. 16. Americanization: Its Ideals. Two addresses: The Value of Law and its Observance. Hon. Sanford Bates, State Commissioner of Correction. The Development of the True Citizen. Dr. Charles A. Coburn, Professor of Applied Psychology, Boston University School of Religious Education.
- Mar. 9. Days of Romance in Old Spain. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Mar. 23. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry A. Higgins, Secretary of the Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 13. Ruskin and Agriculture Today. Dr. Arthur H. Gilbert, State Commissioner of Agriculture.
- Apr. 27. Author's Reading. Rev. Henry Hallam Sanderson, D. D., Editor of the "Wayside Pulpit."
- May 11. Annual meeting.

THE AMERICAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, BOSTON CHAPTER.

Free addresses in the Lecture Hall on Saturdays at 4 o'clock.

- Jan. 17. The Imitable Laws of Great Poetry. E. Charlton Black, L. L. D., Professor of English, Boston University.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS (NONEDUCATIONAL).

SECOND LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT, HEAD-QUARTERS AT BOSTON, MASS. RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS TO CLOSE DECEMBER 15, 1924.

Positions and salaries.

Second officer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,740-\$1,800 a year; mate of light vessel,* \$1,860 a year; assistant engineer of lighthouse tender,* \$1,800-\$1,920 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel,* \$1,800-\$1,940 a year; mate of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year; assistant engineer of light vessel without motive power,† \$1,740 a year.

For the positions marked * applicants are required to have an appropriate license; for the positions marked † no license is required.

Assistant lighthouse keeper, \$900-\$1,080 a year.

Form 1025 required. Applicants must be qualified boatmen.

Depot keeper, \$1,560-\$1,620 a year.

Applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position where a knowledge of lighthouse material or similar material would be gained.

Medical examination of appointees. In view of the benefits granted employees

under employees' compensation and retirement legislation, persons appointed may be given a medical examination by a physician in the Federal Service before entering on duty.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces open competitive examinations for the positions listed above. From the registers resulting from these examinations certification will be made to fill existing and future vacancies at the places and salaries indicated or at higher or lower salaries.

Citizenship and Sex.—All citizens of the United States who meet the requirements, both men and women, may enter these examinations; appointing officers, however, have the legal right to specify the sex desired in requesting certification of eligibles. Male eligibles are desired for the positions named hereon unless otherwise indicated.

Subjects and Weights.—Applicants will not be assembled for a written examination. The examination will consist of the subjects mentioned below, which will have the relative weights indicated:

Subjects: 1. Physical ability, 40; 2. Training and experience, 60; total, 100.

Training and Experience.—For the positions marked "(a)" applicants must have had at least one year's experience in the occupation for which application is made.

For the positions marked "(b)" applicants must have completed an apprenticeship or its equivalent in the trade for which application is filed.

For the positions marked "(c)" applicants must have had at least six months' experience in a position similar to that for which application is filed.

All statements relating to training and experience are accepted subject to verification. No applicant will be eligible for appointment who fails to attain a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of training and experience and a rating of at least 70 per cent in the subject of physical ability.

Physical Requirements.—The following physical defects will debar applicants from any examination: Bright's disease; malignant tumor (cancer, etc.); diabetes; epilepsy; any abnormal hardening of the arteries (arteriosclerosis); transmissible disease, including syphilis, gonorrhea, and chancre, also tuberculosis (active or arrested for a period of less than one year); insanity or mental illness sufficiently definite to affect the usefulness of applicant; seriously defective vision of both eyes, in correctible by glasses; progressive myopia; progressive or disabling paralysis; uncompensated valvular disease of the heart; loss of both arms, both legs, or arm and leg; hands, arms, feet, legs, or body so injured, crippled, or deformed as to seriously affect usefulness; chronic alcoholism or drug addiction. In addition, persons who have lost an arm or a leg or who are ruptured are ineligible for appointment to positions in the Custodian Service. Other physical defects will render applicants ineligible for any particular service or position, when, in the judgment of the commission, such defects would disqualify them for the duties required. Physical requirements may be waived in the case of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines under certain conditions.

Applications will be rated as received and certification made as the needs of the service require.

BOARD OF CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINERS,
Office of Lighthouse Superintendent,
Custom House, Boston.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Thursday, December 4, 1924.

Special meeting of the City Council of the City of Boston, held in the City Council Chamber, City Hall at, one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of drawing jurors, President DONOGHUE in the chair and a quorum present.

Jurors were drawn, the Mayor being absent, to appear January 5, 1925, as follows:

Twenty-two grand jurors, Superior Criminal Court:

George H. McLaughlin, Ward 1; William J. O'Connell, Ward 1; James W. Doane, Ward 4; John J. Moynihan, Ward 4; William F. Barry, Ward 6; Lowi Edwardson, Ward 6; Jeremiah W. Leahy, Ward 6; Michael J. Quigley, Ward 6; Joseph M. Cleary, Ward 7; Charles A. MacPhee, Ward 9; Arthur F. Carven, Ward 10; John H. Madden, Ward 11; William C. Hagan, Ward 13; Frank Libby, Ward 14; George W. Harris, Ward 15; George J. Sennett, Jr., Ward 15; Augustus Regele, Ward 16; Percy V. Thompson, Ward 16; H. Clarence Webster, Wards 18; James Murray, Ward 23; Thomas J. Gilmartin, Ward 24; John J. Brady, Ward 25.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, First Session:

John J. Cronin, Ward 1; Alexander S. Findley, Ward 2; Alfred R. McDonald, Ward 2; William M. B. Lawson, Ward 3; Owen J. Leyden, Ward 3; John J. Murphy, Ward 3; William J. Daley, Ward 4; James Joseph Flanagan, Ward 4; William E. Williams, Ward 4; Patrick Shea, Ward 6; James Doherty, Ward 7; Philip G. Lundin, Ward 7; Edward D. Wright, Ward 8; Charles B. Dailey, Ward 9; Thomas E. O'Toole, Ward 9; Benjamin J. McAuliffe, Ward 10; Joseph M. Connor, Ward 12; James Berrigo, Ward 13; Thomas J. Grealy, Ward 14; John J. Walsh, Ward 15; Frederick J. Keogh, Ward 16; William A. McKenney, Ward 16; Lawrence B. Montgomery, Ward 16; LeRoy H. Blank, Ward 17; Thomas F. Crosby, Ward 17; Harry I. Fox, Ward 17; Herbert C. Bronsdon, Jr., Ward 19; William E. Dolan, Ward 19; John A. McWeeny, Ward 19; James E. Higgins, Ward 21; William H. Murphy, Ward 22; George W. Dyer, Ward 23; William S. Kenney, Jr., Ward 23; John L. Sullivan, Ward 23; Seamon Wilbur, Ward 23; Richard A. Quinn, Ward 24; Joseph Keefe, Ward 25; William N. Mountain, Ward 25; James L. Fogarty, Ward 26; Frank L. Maguire, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Third Session:

Hugh Doherty, Ward 1; Daniel F. Fagan, Ward 1; Michael Repucci, Ward 2; Henry J. Field, Ward 3; Joseph L. Clark, Ward 5; Edward L. Cummings, Ward 7; Mathew Hamilton, Ward 7; Michael O'Neill, Ward 7; John C. Sullivan, Ward 7; Patrick J. Sullivan, Ward 7; Harry W. Stark, Jr., Ward 10; James F. Walsh, Ward 11; Walter J. Murray, Ward 12; Daniel Cunningham, Ward 13; John B. Loud, Ward 13; William H. Ellis, Jr., Ward 14; Walter V. Hart, Ward 14; Andrew B. Clifford, Ward 15; Charles E. Burnham, Ward 16; William H. Allen, Ward 16; George P. Carruth, Ward 16; Frank B. Maginnis, Ward 17; David Stone, Ward 19; William Fred Hickey, Ward 20; Joseph Hogan, Ward 20; Charles S. Burr, Ward 21; Louis E. Clark, Ward 21; Thomas E. Goode, Ward 21; Paul J. Scanlon, Ward 21; Benjamin Weinberg, Ward 21; William J. Keane, Ward 22; Thomas G. Fowler, Ward 23; John E. Kelley, Ward 23; Fred H. White, Jr., Ward 23; Ernest S. Clark, Ward 24; George S. Brown, Ward 25; James D. O'Neill, Ward 25; John R. Fitzgerald, Ward 26; Frank E. Matthews, Ward 26; Benjamin F. Robbins, Ward 26.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fourth Session:

Frank M. Crosby, Ward 1; Edmund A. Rice, Ward 1; James S. Flynn, Ward 2; William A. Hagerty, Ward 5; Albert S. Albee, Ward 8; Michael H. Donahue, Ward 9; Michael Dulles, Ward 9; Michael J. McDonough, Ward 9; George W. Tuttle, Ward 9; George H. Ferguson, Ward 10; William F. Kinder, Ward 10; James F. McCarthy, Ward 10; Warren F. Dixon, Ward 12; Edwin S. Webber, Ward 13; Roy S. Chapman, Ward 14; George E. Jordon, Ward 14; Harry E. Wilson, Ward 14; James Callahan, Ward 15; Nathan Krasin, Ward 16; Thomas F. McCarthy, Jr., Ward 16; Morris L. Morrison, Ward 16; George W. Montgomery, Ward 17; Abraham P. Norcott, Ward 17; Arthur J. Ware, Ward 17; John Cronin, Ward 18; Patrick J. Gavin, Ward 18; John J. McCann, Ward 18; Gilbert W. Park, Ward 18; Charles L. Gerard, Ward 18; Peter F. Kendrick, Ward 20; James E. Chandler, Ward 21; James M. Flaherty, Ward 21; Frank N. Russell, Ward 21; Alfred T. Billingham, Ward 22; Willis H. Hazard, Ward 22; Charles A. Davis, Ward 23; Chester E. Kendrick, Ward 23; Norman R. MacLeod, Ward 23; John S. Martin, Ward 23; Michael J. Cashman, Ward 24.

Forty traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, Fifth Session:

William A. Hawkins, Ward 1; Richard F. Kelly, Ward 1; Frank O. Miller, Ward 1; Walter E. Struble, Ward 3; Melville C. Harrington, Ward 4; Thomas B. Hill, Ward 4; Peter J. Geary, Ward 6;

Wilfred E. Jacobs, Ward 6; Daniel F. McCarthy, Ward 6; Allen P. Brooks, Ward 8; William S. Boice, Ward 8; John H. Fullick, Ward 8; Robert K. Johnson, Ward 8; Edward T. Booth, Ward 9; Allen Smith, Ward 10; Edward L. Stevens, Ward 10; Arthur S. Wall, Ward 12; Carl F. Christman, Ward 15; Charles E. Goodwin, Ward 15; Paul Markiewicz, Ward 16; Daniel J. Shea, Ward 16; Peter H. Cooney, Ward 17; Ralph M. Eastman, Ward 17; Arthur F. Lane, Ward 17; Henry S. McGown, Ward 18; Bernard Beresofsky, Ward 19; William T. Lockney, Ward 20; Nelson B. Moulton, Ward 20; James Campbell, Ward 21; Henry Roberts, Ward 21; Phillip F. Cuniff, Ward 22; Andrew B. Goulding, Ward 22; William V. Murphy, Ward 22; Robert T. Fowler, Ward 23; John Haller, Ward 23; James J. Heggie, Ward 23; John J. Kelly, Ward 23; Louis J. Kibler, Jr., Ward 24; Patrick W. Brogie, Ward 25; John E. Tierney, Ward 26.

Thirty-one traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, First Session:

John J. Gillis, Ward 1; Arthur W. Wight, Ward 3; James E. Williams, Ward 4; John Coleman, Ward 5; Frank W. Siebert, Ward 5; Jewett G. Gibbs, Ward 7; Henry Little, Ward 7; Duval Dunne, Ward 8; Hugh H. Golden, Ward 8; Alfred A. Lloyd, Ward 8; William H. Hayes, Ward 9; Daniel J. McCarthy, Ward 9; Edward R. Stern, Jr., Ward 10; Herman H. Patterson, Ward 12; Bernard G. Krug, Ward 15; John J. Moylan, Ward 15; John F. McCarty, Ward 16; Henry E. Starr, Ward 16; George P. Laming, Ward 17; James R. Creed, Ward 18; John J. Daly, Ward 18; Garret L. Sullivan, Ward 19; E. Edwin Zeigler, Ward 19; Percy Lantz, Ward 20; Clement Bisbee, Ward 21; James H. Boyd, Ward 21; John E. Williamson, Ward 21; Otto F. Janda, Ward 23; Joseph F. Watkins, Ward 23; Walter R. Crawford, Ward 24; Frank E. Barlow, Ward 25.

Thirty-two traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Second Session:

Edward L. Bowden, Ward 1; John F. Dawson, Ward 1; Auranus F. Miles, Ward 1; Charles Fisher, Ward 2; Alfred H. Stewart, Ward 4; Morris Berson, Ward 5; Vincent Nutile, Ward 5; Leonard H. Dudley, Ward 7; George M. Broe, Ward 8; Alfred W. Small, Ward 8; Carl A. Oberg, Ward 10; Michael McGowan, Ward 12; Fred A. Klemm, Ward 15; Frederick J. Morlock, Ward 15; Albert Sutherland, Ward 17; Thomas C. Barton, Ward 19; William Hunter, Ward 20; John W. McDonald, Ward 21; George J. Pratt, Ward 21; Gustaf A. Schmidt, Ward 21; Roy N. Woodbury, Ward 22; John F. Henderson, Ward 23; Charles J. Heibner, Ward 23; Gordon D. Riedell, Ward 23; Edward R. Walsh, Ward 23; Earle W. Miller, Ward 24; John C. Ray, Ward 24; George B. Bigelow, Ward 25; Maurice Buxbaum, Ward 25; George R. Dunham, Ward 25; Fred A. Edgerly, Ward 25; Ernest R. Roebbling, Ward 26.

Thirty traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Third Session:

Joseph C. Dillon, Ward 1; George W. Poggi, Ward 1; William B. Loud, Ward 3; John J. Neary, Ward 4; William J. Lynch, Jr., Ward 6; Charles S. Smith, Ward 7; Curtis A. Rowe, Ward 8; William Roubieck, Ward 11; John E. Caldwell, Ward 12; Frank Breslin, Ward 14; Nicholas P. May, Ward 15; Justin McCarthy, Ward 15; John Crane, Ward 16; James F. Hogan, Ward 16; Harry E. Waldstein, Ward 16; Frederick E. Schneider, Ward 17; Walter R. Wakefield, Ward 18; Wallace C. Griffin, Ward 18; Thomas F. Anderson, Ward 20; Albert A. Withycombe, Ward 20; Nelson J. Kilcup, Ward 21; August Youngstrom, Ward 21; Galen D. Light, Ward 22; Albert J. Breivogel, Ward 23; Edward S. Manthorne, Ward 23; John H. Sayce, Ward 23; Clarence A. Stone, Ward 23; William W. Pierce, Ward 24; Owen W. Dunbar, Ward 25; Albert E. Lenz, Ward 25.

Thirty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fourth Session:

George E. Marsters, Ward 1; John J. Riley, Ward 1; Edward E. Sargent, Ward 1; John B. Talbot, Ward 1; Wesley P. McNnis, Ward 3; William S. Blaisdell, Ward 6; George H. Wells, Jr., Ward 6; Ivan Block, Ward 7; Bertram D. Corless, Ward 7; Arthur R. Gordon, Ward 7; Warren S. Suminsby, Ward 7; Charles F. Beckwith, Ward 8; Luther O. Emerson, Ward 8; Lyman L. Lord, Ward 8; Edward H. Prichard, Jr., Ward 8; Edward L. Whalen, Ward 8; Arthur D. Cooper, Ward 9; James J. Riggs, Ward 9; Peter Haglund, Ward 11; Frank T. Fultz, Ward 14; Joseph J. Pfeiffer, Ward 14; Joseph A. Rathgeb, Ward 14; Frank E. Benson, Ward 15; Abraham J. Silverman, Ward 16; William J. Menslage, Ward 17; Wilbur F. Adams, Ward 20; Walter R. Pond, Ward 20; W. Wood Smith, Ward 22; Harry M. Waglein, Ward 22; William A. Doering, Ward 23; Carl A. Kallenberg, Ward 24; Harry E. Fogle, Ward 23; Charles T. Griffiths, Ward 24; Richard F. Mugford, Ward 24.

Twenty-seven traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Fifth Session:

Eugene A. Hayes, Ward 2; William T. Brough, Ward 3; John J. Linehan, Jr., Ward 3; Benjamin F. Thompson, Ward 4; Louis Lonich, Ward 5; Patrick J. Burke, Ward 6; Joseph A. Wohlge-muth, Ward 6; Carroll C. Curit, Ward 7; William A. Dawkins, Ward 7; Frank J. Higgins, Ward 10; Timothy E. Ready, Ward 10; John Laidlaw,

Ward 12; Harry A. Webb, Ward 14; John J. Carberry, Ward 15; Frederick A. Weigel, Ward 15; George E. Squire, Ward 16; Raymond A. D'Arcy, Ward 18; Maurice S. Miller, Ward 18; Thomas E. Whitford, Ward 20; Thomas Stenhouse, Ward 21; John G. Dauberschmidt, Ward 22; Arthur F. Nazro, Ward 22; Erik G. Peterson, Ward 22; Henry F. Ross, Ward 22; Henry E. Alsterlund, Ward 23; Francis W. Duffy, Ward 24; Paul W. Stolpher, Ward 24.

Thirty traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Sixth Session:

Henry W. Tuck, Ward 2; William W. Brass, Ward 5; Wilfred F. White, Ward 5; Edward P. Flavin, Ward 7; Isaac Boswell, Ward 8; Harold L. Parker, Ward 8; H. Everett Titcomb, Ward 8; Joseph Palaimo, Ward 9; Alfred H. Thomas, Ward 11; Joseph S. McCormick, Jr., Ward 13; John F. Wheeler, Ward 13; John L. Wood, Ward 14; William A. Mueller, Ward 15; Richard W. Cann, Ward 16; William E. Searson, Ward 17; Maurice F. Bemis, Ward 18; Henry J. Hesx, Ward 18; Delphis O. Duguet, Ward 20; Charles R. Tarbox, Ward 21; James E. Bradley, Ward 22; Charles S. Andrews, Ward 23; Earl R. Chadwick, Ward 23; Henry R. Drew, Ward 23; Norman H. Hastings, Ward 23; Charles R. Howarth, Ward 23; Charles M. McGowan, Ward 23; William H. Price, Ward 23; Walter C. Sturrock, Ward 23; Joseph C. Nelson, Ward 24; Henry Williams, Ward 24.

Thirty-two traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, Seventh Session:

Richard C. Dall, Ward 1; Charles C. Kauffman, Ward 2; James F. Cronan, Ward 3; Jeremiah J. Crowley, Ward 5; James J. A. Flanagan, Ward 5; William N. Freeman, Ward 7; Harold W. Simpson, Ward 7; Herbert Clark, Ward 8; Raymond B. Cox, Ward 8; Harvey C. Foskey, Ward 8; Frank E. McDuffee, Ward 8; Charles A. Peterson, Ward 12; Charles M. Scollay, Ward 13; Edward C. Glynn, Ward 13; Robert B. Higgins, Ward 14; Edward McCormick, Ward 14; Benjamin F. Atwood, Ward 15; Max Bresnick, Ward 16; Grover C. Burkhardt, Ward 16; Frank Hugal, Ward 18; Gilbert H. Cummings, Ward 19; Francis Levine, Ward 19; William J. Sinnott, Ward 19; Edward L. Foley, Ward 20; Edward J. Moore, Ward 20; John T. Joyce, Ward 21; George Hamer, Ward 22; Henry West, Ward 22; William J. Hall, Ward 23; Nicholas Rommelfanger, Ward 23; Forrest L. Berry, Ward 25; Raymond G. O'Hara, Ward 25.

Adjourned at 2.05 p. m.

STATE DEPARTMENTS AS REORGANIZED.

By Chapter 350, General Acts of 1919, the executive and administrative functions of the State, except those pertaining to the Governor and the Council and others performed by officials serving under them, were redistributed so as to be comprised in twenty principal departments, viz.: Dept. of the Secretary, of Treasurer and Receiver-General, Auditor, Attorney-General, and the following new departments: Of Agriculture, Conservation, Banking and Insurance, Corporations and Taxation, Education, Civil Service and Registration, Industrial Accidents, Labor and Industries, Mental Diseases, Correction, Public Welfare, Public Health, Public Safety, Public Works, Public Utilities and Metropolitan Commission.

The work of the decennial census, formerly done by Bureau of Statistics, was placed in charge of Dept. of the Secretary; that of forestry, fisheries and game and animal industry went to Dept. of Conservation; of Board of Conciliation and Arbitration, Minimum Wage Commission, the divisions of Bureau of Statistics concerned with labor and manufacturers, also public employment offices, etc., to Dept. of Labor and Industries; of State Board of Charity, Homestead Commission, trustees of State Infirmary and State Farm, etc., to Dept. of Public Welfare; of District Police, with building and boiler inspection, etc., also Fire Prevention Commissioner, to Dept. of Public Safety; of Mass. Highway Commission, with registration and regulation of motor vehicles, also Commission on Waterways and Public Lands, to Dept. of Public Works;

of Public Service Commission, with regulation of steam railroads, electric railways and telephone service, also Gas and Electric Light Commission, to Dept. of Public Utilities; of Metropolitan Park Board and Water and Sewerage Board to a single Metropolitan Commission. This reorganization went into effect Dec. 1, 1919, the appointment of the 64 new officials required having been made by the Governor in November. Many of these appointees held similar positions prior to the consolidation. Most of the new departments are under the control of a single head called Commissioner.

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO MANUFACTURERS OF STEEL LOCKERS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing and setting up two compartment steel lockers in the new Dorchester High School for Boys, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, December 23, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$1,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$10 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of specifications. Mutilation of the specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposits.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(Dec. 13.) *Commissioners.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT FOR NO. 1 AND NO. 2 PUMPING UNITS, CALF PASTURE PUMPING STATION.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for Electrical Equipment for No. 1 and No. 2 Pumping Units, Calf Pasture Pumping Station. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Electrical Equipment, Pumping Station," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. of Tuesday, January 6, 1925, with a certified check for fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, December 11, 1924. (Dec. 13, 20, 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO CONTRACTORS FOR HARDWARE.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for furnishing the finish hardware required or necessary for the complete equipment of the elementary school, Lewis District, No. 300 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, and giving bond of a surety company approved by the Commissioners in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, December 23, 1924, at said office, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, and the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$15 in cash or certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of the plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
(Dec. 13.) *Commissioners.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON WATER PIPES.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing to the Public Works Department, Water Service:

1,300 tons 48-inch Class B. pipe.
160 tons special castings.

Bidders must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for \$500, must be left at the above mentioned office before Monday, December 29, 1924, at 12 m., at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Dec. 13.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FIFTY INSULATED MONEL DIET BOXES.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing

Fifty insulated Monel diet boxes with aluminum containers

to the Boston City Hospital, as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 noon, Monday, December 22, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Dec. 13.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Trustees of the Boston City Hospital of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals for the erection and completion of addition to Roof House for the Boston City Hospital and giving bond of a surety company therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Architects, Maginnis & Walsh, 100 Boylston street, Boston, Mass., signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, December 30, 1924, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, Boston, with a certified check for \$500, payable to the City if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bid must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, before 12 o'clock m. on the date given above for receiving proposals. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all proposals. A deposit of \$5 will be required for each set of plans taken out for estimation, same to be refunded upon return of plans in good condition to the Architects. Mutilation of the plans or specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

JOHN J. DOWLING, M. D.,
Superintendent, Boston City Hospital.
(Dec. 13.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

REGISTRY DEPARTMENT, 103 CITY HALL ANNEX.

NOTICE TO PHYSICIANS, REGISTERED HOSPITAL MEDICAL OFFICERS AND HOUSEHOLDERS.

Physicians and registered hospital medical officers and householders can obtain blanks for return of births on application at this office or they will be mailed on request.

NOTICE TO PARENTS.

Parents can obtain blanks for return of births on application at this office, or they will be mailed on request.

GENERAL LAWS, CHAPTER 46.

(Extract from Section 6.)

SECT. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the city or town in which such child is born.

The parent who neglects to give notice of a birth for ten days after the time limited therefor shall forfeit not more than five dollars for each offence.

BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

SUPERINTENDENT'S CIRCULAR NO. 31.

"Pupils admitted for the first time must present a birth certificate, baptismal record, official government passport, containing proof of age, or evidence satisfactory to the principal that none of these is obtainable.

The importance of a birth record is shown in the above regulation.

E. W. MCGLENEN, *Registrar.*
December 10, 1924. (Dec. 13-20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TURKEYS.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing turkeys to the various city departments for Christmas. Blank proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The bidder must leave his proposal, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The bids will be publicly opened and read on Friday, December 19, 1924, at 12 m., at Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

FRANK P. ROCK,
(Dec. 13.) *Superintendent of Supplies.*

❁ ❁ Merry Christmas to All ❁ ❁

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TO THE STRANGER WITHIN OUR GATES
THIS FESTIVE HOLIDAY SEASON
THE CITY OF BOSTON EXTENDS
HOSPITABLE WELCOME, AND THE
BEST WISHES OF ITS CITIZENS FOR A
HAPPY CHRISTMAS AND A
PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

James M. Lawley
MAYOR





"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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Copies for sale at News-stand, Court Square, north corner, and at the Statistics Department, Room 73, City Hall.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, December 29, at 2 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marquees, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

MAYOR CURLEY DRAFTS AND PRESENTS TO CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS ON DEATH OF SAMUEL GOMPERS.

Mayor Curley, on December 13, drafted and sent to the City Council the following communication and set of resolutions upon the death of Samuel Gompers:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN,—The world's foremost advocate and champion of the rights of the toiler, in answer to the summons of his Maker, has passed to the Great Beyond.

The people of America, regardless of station, race, creed or color, mourn the death of labor's leader and humanity's champion, Samuel Gompers.

His leadership both in peace and in war was dedicated to the welfare of his fellowman and the country of his adoption, the United States of America. When elevated to the position of president of the American Federation of Labor, nearly a quarter of a century ago, he found the creators of the nation's wealth, those who toiled with hands and brain, working long hours with insufficient return to provide for the actual need of their families.

Under his leadership the twelve-hour day in industry was changed for the more humane eight-hour day, the Saturday half-holiday is today operative in substantially every State of the Union, and protection for the toiler and the dependents of the toiler have been made possible through the Workmen's Compensation Act and the Mothers' Aid Act, the saving wage has been substituted for the starvation wage, and the problem of part-time employment is receiving consideration from the thoughtful minds in America.

Through his leadership American labor

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

has been prevented from accepting the tenets of communism and has been permitted to continue American. His contribution to the welfare of the toiler, to the happiness of his home, and to genuine Americanism is deserving of consideration and action by the city government of Boston, and I accordingly recommend the adoption by your honorable body of an order providing that the flags on all public buildings of the City of Boston be flown at half-mast upon the day of the funeral of Samuel Gompers, and further, the adoption of a resolution expressing the sorrow of the people of Boston at the great loss sustained by America in the death of Samuel Gompers.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

RESOLUTION.

Whereas, Almighty God in His Wisdom has seen fit to call from our midst America's foremost champion of human rights, Samuel Gompers, and

Whereas, During his entire life his splendid talents and great ability were devoted to the promotion of the progress and happiness of his fellowman, and

Whereas, his death is universally mourned and his passing represents an irreparable loss to the forces of labor whom he led with wisdom and courage, to humanity whom he served, to his family whom he loved, be it and it is hereby

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston in regular meeting assembled mourn the loss of Samuel Gompers and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the wife of Samuel Gompers, the vice president of the American Federation of Labor, James Duncan, and to the press.

BOSTON PREPARES TO MAKE HOLIDAY SEASON BEST EVER KNOWN—WITH ALL CITY PARTICIPATING.

LIGHTING OF MUNICIPAL CHRISTMAS TREE ON COMMON, NEAR PARKMAN BAND STAND, WITH CAROL SINGING, TO BE FEATURES—MAYOR CURLEY TO MAKE ADDRESS.

Boston is making elaborate plans for the celebration of the Christmas season, in keeping with the custom followed with such good results in the way of happiness under the first and present administrations of Mayor James M. Curley.

Ever mindful of the cosmopolitan citizenship of Boston, the Mayor has endeavored to make the holiday season as cheerful for all the city as possible. As a consequence the major exercises of the day will center about the Christmas tree on the Common. This has been arranged by the Citizens Public Celebrations Committee and the Director of Public Celebrations, J. Philip O'Connell.

Events will begin with carol singing by trained groups as well as the always fitting mass singing by the assembled audience with band accompaniment. The official lighting of the municipal Christmas tree will be followed by a performance of the nativity pageant as arranged for the occasion by Community Service under the direction of Mrs. Eva W. White and Miss Joy Higgins. This pageant, with improved settings and performance will be staged on an elevated platform more than double the size of the one used last year, which will allow of the added effects and special colorful lighting.

The Boston holiday custom of extending official municipal greetings "to strangers within our gates" by means of original cards distributed to hotel guests and theatrical folk here at the time will be continued. A motion picture film trailer will be used by the theaters to extend the same greeting.

The committee hopes time schedules may be so arranged as to enable the choirs and other carol singers who annually visit Beacon Hill for the now nationally known Christmas Eve festivities in that district to come to the Common for a few minutes. The committee has suggested to the Beacon Hill Association that a committee of that group might co-operate to arrange mutually satisfactory plans.

The purpose of the city exercises on the Common is to assemble as large a group—or several groups during the night—who may there unite in expressing the spirit of the occasion in song and good cheer. The singing of the traditional and universally known carols forms a main feature. The carols suggested are: "O, Come All Ye Faithful," "Silent Night," "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear." As a closing number, combining both the spiritual and patriotic spirit, "The Cross and the Flag" has been suggested.

A particular invitation has been extended to choral societies, choirs, and other singing groups or individuals qualified to participate. Among such groups already assured are People's Choral Union, which hopes to have 250 voices

to lead the audience in the singing of the carols; the Filene store chorus and groups from two or three other of the large stores. In a letter prepared by Director of Public Celebrations J. Philip O'Connell he says:

"One of the most significant of the constructive celebrations conducted by the City of Boston under the auspices of the Citizens' Public Celebrations Association has been the Christmas Eve program on Boston Common, where for the past three years the lighting of the Municipal Christmas Tree has been accompanied by the presentation of a nativity pageant and community singing of appropriate Christmas hymns. Those occasions have proven of the most inspiring character and we are certain that properly developed and supported, it will result in incalculable civic and community benefit.

"You are extended a cordial invitation to participate with your organization and to lend your effort to the success of Boston's most spiritual public demonstration. Should you honor us by acceptance I should very much appreciate an early reply and an estimate of the number of your group to participate so that identification badges may be provided."

Radio will be utilized in the Christmas Eve as well as in the New Year's Eve programs on the Common, through the recently installed amplifying and broadcasting apparatus at the Parkman Band Stand.

The New Year's Eve program will be of a more secular character but nevertheless of significant character, to take place the night of Wednesday, December 31. The New Year's Committee consists of Henry J. D. Small, chairman; Edward L. Curran, Harry H. Guterman, John J. Keenan, Wilfred F. Kelley, with John B. Archibald, president of the association, *ex-officio*.

The choral groups to be led by George Sawyer Dunham to sing at the ten o'clock session on Boston Common, Christmas Eve, are:

Peoples Choral Union, Mendelsohn Singers, Unitarian Laymen's League, the Twentieth Century Club, Phillips Choir Guild of South Boston, Durant Group, Young Women's Christian Association, Houghton & Dutton, Gilchrist Company, Shepard Stores, R. H. White's, Girl Scouts.

CITY OF BOSTON PUBLIC CELEBRATION,
CHRISTMAS EVE, WEDNESDAY, DE-
CEMBER 24, 1924.

Parkman Band Stand, Boston Common.
Program.

5.15 p. m.—Nativity Pageant—Community Service.
5.40—Lighting of Tree.
5.40—Filene's Choral Club and Orchestra.
5.50—Address by Mayor.
6.00—Filene's Choral Club and Orchestra.

9.30—Nativity Pageant (repeated)—Community Service.
10.00—Selection by Band—
"Glory of the Trumpets."
10.10—Community Carol Singing—
"Oh, Come All Ye Faithful."
"Silent Night."
10.18—Selection by Band—
"The Cross and the Flag."
10.23—Community Carol Singing—
"Hark the Herald Angels Sing."
"Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem."
"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear."
10.40—Band Selections—
"Wayside Chapel."
"Lost Chord."
11.00—Short Address—
Hon. James M. Curley.
11.10—Community Carol Singing.
11.30—Band Selections—
"Onward Christian Soldiers."
American Folk Song.—*Catlin*.
"Jerusalem the Golden," or the
"Holy City."
Grand American Fantasie—
Tobani.
Grand Fanfare of Trumpets.
Frog Pond fountain illumination 10
to 12.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the erection and completion of addition to the roof house of the Boston City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the architects, Maginnis & Walsh, 100 Boylston street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the office of the Superintendent, City Hospital, Harrison avenue. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 30, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for electrical equipment for pumping units, Calf Pasture pumping station. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$15,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 6, at 12 m

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing finish hardware for the complete equipment of the elementary school, Lewis District, 300 Walnut avenue, Roxbury. Surety bond will be in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to

be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 23, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing fifty insulated Monel diet boxes with aluminum containers for the Boston City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 22, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing cast-iron water pipes to the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments for the month of January, 1925. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments for the month of January, 1925. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 30, at 12 m.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, December 18:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John F. Fitzpatrick, clerk in the Health Department, has been transferred to clerk in this department at \$1,400 a year.

Edward F. Irwin, clerk in the Public Works Department, Central Office, has been transferred to clerk in this department at \$1,400 a year.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending Thursday, December 11:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Joseph J. Quinlan, coal passer, \$28 a week; Thomas O'Leary, choreman (patient), \$360 a year; Joseph Carney, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; James Forrest, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; James Forrest, male nurse (patient), \$240 a year; George Brothers, male nurse, (patient), \$240 a year; Florence Pirott, laundress, \$480 a year; Edward Brown, maid (patient), \$120 a year.

The following persons have ceased to be employed at the Boston Sanatorium during the week ending December 11:

Joseph Carney, choreman (patient), \$240 a year; James Dennon, male nurse (patient), \$480 a year; James Forrest, male nurse, \$240 a year; Michael Lynch, maid (patient), \$120 a year.

CONSERVATION BUREAU.

John C. Schmick has been appointed for a period of three months as biological chemist at \$100 a month.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, December 11:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Lois Jomini, Mary Breen, special nurses, \$35 a week; Charles T. Collins, Maxwell Gilman, house cleaners, \$14 a week; Caroline MacPhee, Katherine Kennedy, ward helpers, \$11.50 a week; Jessie McQuaid, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Camilla Basso, Sarah Daly, Catherine Welsh, cleaners, \$11.50 a week; Lucille Carlton, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Emily Le Sueur, Margaret Morris, cleaners, \$11.50 a week; Nellie Della Rosa, Josephine Buzzell, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week.

The following changes in salaries have occurred:

John J. Burns, ambulance driver at \$31 to ambulance foreman at \$35 a week; Edward F. Cronin, X-ray orderly at \$20 to \$21.50 a week; John J. Connorton, ambulance foreman at \$35 to ambulance driver at \$30 a week; Catherine Morgan, cleaner at \$11.50 to ward maid at \$9.50 a week.

Temporary.—Mary Driscoll, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Julia Amann, ward helper, \$11.50 a week.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Maurice F. O'Connell, M. D., resident physician at the Long Island Hospital has been granted an increase in salary from \$2,300 to \$2,400 a year.

The following appointments have been made in this department for the week ending Thursday, December 11:

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

Patrick H. Connors, cook, \$700 a year, to succeed Mary Anderson.

William F. Frawley, porter, \$600 a year, to succeed Maurice Quinlan.

James J. Coss, fireman, \$30 a week, temporary.

John Greeley, fireman, \$30 a week, temporary.

Michael Maguire, fireman, \$30 a week, temporary.

Alice McCavitt, head nurse, \$1,080 a year, to succeed Margaret R. Taff.

Michael McNelly, porter, \$60 a year, to succeed Edward Roberts.

Joseph F. Nutolli, institutions employee, \$675 a year, to succeed James L. Winn.

Margaret R. Taff, operating room nurse, transferred from head nurse, \$1,200 a year, to succeed Edith M. Fleming.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Fred Harrison, deckhand, transferred from temporary fireman, \$1,000 a year, to succeed Joseph Carey.

James L. Winn, fireman, transferred from Institutions employee, Long Island, \$1,000 a year, to succeed Andrew J. Baker.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Daniel J. Gillen has been appointed Assistant Corporation Counsel, at \$3,000 a year.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Helen L. Manning and Mona C. Hefernan have been appointed stenographers at \$900 a year:

PARK DEPARTMENT.

George L. Watson, engineer for the New York and New Jersey Vehicular Tunnel, has been employed at the rate of \$150 a day and expenses to assist the commission in determining the amount of fill, etc., investigating the J. C. Coleman & Sons Company contract for work done at Columbus Park, and also in determining the amount of payment to be made for the same. The total amount paid exceeded the statutory limit of \$1,000. The bills have been approved.

Charles Walthers has been given temporary employment for a period of three days as a laborer at \$4.50 a day.

William P. Joy has been granted temporary appointment for a period of six months, as a temporary physical instructor at \$1,700 a year.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

James Locke has been appointed to a temporary position as janitor in the Public Buildings Department (county buildings) for ten days, at \$4.50 a day.

James V. Manning has been appointed janitor in the Public Buildings Department (county buildings) at \$4.50 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

Walter J. Clancy, John F. Leonard and Guido Bacigalupo have been appointed temporary laborers at \$4.50 a day for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Luke H. Leonard, clerk in the paving permit office, has been promoted from \$2,000 to \$2,300 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Michael Joyce and John F. Riley have been appointed temporary teamster-laborers at \$4.50 a day for five months.

Peter J. Mulholland has been employed as teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day, for a period of three months.

Louis T. Luzio and Manuel Crovo have been continued in temporary employment as teamster-laborers at \$4.50 a day for 30 days.

James F. Dooley has been employed as temporary teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day.

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MAYOR CURLEY ENTERS VIGOROUS PROTEST AGAINST REVISION OF RAILROAD RATES AS PROPOSED.

TELLS INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION PROPOSALS WOULD WORK SERIOUS HARDSHIPS ON BOSTON AND NEW ENGLAND—AFFECTING PARTICULARLY FOOD SUPPLY AND THUS COMMUNITY'S LIFE AND ACTIVITY.

BOSTON, December 17, 1924.

HON. HENRY C. HALL, *Chairman,*
Interstate Commerce Commission,
Washington, D. C.

DEAR SIR,—Railroad carriers in the various territories that either serve directly or indirectly the New England states, and whose rates react upon the railroads of New England, and through them on the communities they serve, are proposing a revision of class rates in the Eastern territory that if granted and approved by your honorable commission, will seriously affect every activity of the life and living of Massachusetts and Boston. The proposed revisions are upward in all classes except the sixth and in every case strike at the food supply of this region; and as Mayor of the City of Boston I earnestly protest against any advance in these rates, which must affect the vital interests of millions of people.

I desire to bring to your attention the conditions existing in New England, not with a view of giving the commission any new information, but to emphasize them, and bring home to it the peril involved in the contemplated advances to the social, industrial and commercial interests of the New England communities generally and Massachusetts and Boston specifically.

New England is an industrial region; the majority of its inhabitants are industrial workers employed in factories, mills, and those minor activities subordinate to and dependent on the major industries. Here much of the cotton, woolen, shoe, leather, machinery and manufacturing business of the country is done; the workers are urban; farming is a negligible activity comparable with the Middle and Northwest, and is dependent on urban workers and local markets to consume its food products. In a broad sense New England cannot feed itself; meats, grains, flour, butter, cheese, eggs and poultry are largely imported from the states outside its frontiers; and while great fisheries lie off her coast large quantities of fish foods are imported from the Pacific Coast and the lakes.

The important fact to be understood and emphasized is that industrial New England is a consumer, not a producer of food stuffs. There is, therefore, a constant interchange going on of food products and manufactured goods between New England and the rest of the country, and the rates paid to the carriers of this traffic is of vital importance to the well-being of a large population. The raising and lowering of railroad rates may spell the difference between a well-nourished, contented people and an under-nourished and unhappy population. Such farm food products as New England provides for its local markets are limited in kind and quantity; they do provide a certain competitive check

to Western producers, which vanishes when rates go up; the handicaps of the Western producer are passed on to the Eastern consumer.

The industrial population of New England, almost wholly urban, is dependent on Western agriculture for its daily bread; and policy of rate-raising that raises the price of that bread is a serious injury to the industrial worker and the industry he serves; it leads to social discontent; to wage demands that if granted must be passed on to customers to the injury of industry, since customers can seek their requirements in places and from manufacturers unaffected by the expanded railroad rates. If wage demands are refused strikes will result and again industry is injured; the injuries afflicted on industry are reflected in every New England business, rural and urban; and the railroads it is sought to help are themselves starved through the dwindling traffic of a prostrated country.

Railroad rates must be mutually helpful to the roads and the people they serve; if just and equitable they build up the community the railroad serves, fostering industry and stimulating growth and new traffic; if excessive they arrest growth, hamper industry, and induce decay and depression. While the laborer is worthy of his hire, be it man or corporation, the exploitation of people and communities for the enrichment of stockholders should be discouraged. A community exploited is soon a community depopulated; and while the hegira of a population may entail individual discontent and suffering, a railroad without people to serve and products to carry must eventually die on its feet; it is immovable and cannot follow its patrons. Dividends must always be subordinated to efficient and reasonably paid service; and rate schedules that kill industry and depopulate communities are economic crimes. The rates now in force were made a few years ago; the business of the country has adjusted itself to them; all things considered, the roads have thriven under them; they are ample for the upkeep of the carriers and if supplemented by proper economies and efficient management would give the roads and the communities they serve an enduring prosperity.

The raising of transportation rates on food supplies strikes at the very root of life and living; assaults on the pantry of a democracy are a dangerous experiment; rate raises now must aggravate the existing evil of the high prices of living; and when such raises are aimed directly at the necessities of life they create a situation that is perilous to law and order, the happiness of the people and the stability of government. In the presence of a movement for lowering wage scales in industry, an increase in food prices, predicated by such a rate increase as the carriers are asking, is worse than folly, and should not be permitted. Increasing food prices means decreasing food con-

sumption, which in turn means decreasing economic efficiency in the underfed worker, crippled industry, decreasing production, communal decay and dwindling trade and commerce.

It is axiomatic that an injury to any part of the country eventually affects all the country. Since all American states and communities are interdependent and the tides of national welfare ebb and flow with the incidence of each and every unit of the Republic, it follows that any injury to New England is an injury to all the United States. The duty of the Interstate Commerce Commission is to conserve the efficiency and preserve the solvency of the transportation system of the country as far as a wise regulation and prudent administration can do so; and it is the part of wisdom on the part of the Commission to guide its counsels with the theory that the railroads are made for the people and that the people are not created for the railroads. The preservation of the people and their essential interests is the first duty of our government and its bureaus; taxing the food supplies of the citizens by excessive railroad rates is a violation of this preservative principle; and it is as unwise as it is needless to enter upon such a policy now.

On behalf of the citizens of Boston and Massachusetts, therefore, I consider it my duty to enter serious protest against any raises in transportation rates on foods of every sort and kind that are carried into this territory. The vital need of New England is reasonably priced foods; the good of the people must come before the greed of the railroads; for upon reasonable food prices and equitable carrier rates is posited the whole social, industrial and commercial life of New England.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

MAYOR IS THANKED FOR ACTIVITY IN AIR MAIL SERVICE.

Mayor Curley received the following message from Hon. F. H. LaGuardia, of the Committee on Post Office and Post Roads, pledging his personal support to the extension of the air mail service to Boston and stating that during the discussion on December 17 upon the measures relative to the extension of the transcontinental air mail line, he would read the indorsement of Mayor Curley upon the floor of the House of Representatives, at Washington.

The letter of Congressman LaGuardia is as follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston:

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of December 10, 1924, in reference to the extension of air mail transportation in the New England States and in particular to connecting the Boston airport with the existing transcontinental air mail line. I will avail myself of the opportunity when presenting the bill to the House next Wednesday, to read your letter. The interest taken by you and the City of Boston in air mail transportation and the development of this new method of communication is indeed encouraging and in keeping with your progressive, up-to-date, wide-awake city.

With kind personal regards, I am,

Sincerely,

F. H. LaGUARDIA.

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DEPARTMENT CHANGES.**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).**

Joseph M. Glennon has been granted an increase in pay as plumber from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Michael J. Field, provisional draughtsman in this department, at \$1,400 a year, for three months, has been employed as janitor for the balance of his term.

Michael J. Griffin has been granted an extension of the temporary employment as a transitman, at \$1,400 a year, for an indefinite period.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Assessing Department.

For the week ending Thursday, December 18:

The compensation is at the uniform rate of 1½ cents per item excepting the case of Daniel F. Ryan, assistant chief clerk, for supervision, at the rate of \$1.50 per hour; for work performed outside of office hours, during the period from November 10 to December 5, 1924:

Francis T. Browne, \$116.56; Harrison G. O. Browning, \$51.83; John B. Buckley, \$99.02; Edward M. J. Burke, \$108.58; John J. Chapman, \$109.62; Philip E. Conroy, \$109.50; Hugh J. Crane, \$100.89; John M. Devine, \$113.94; John P. Donovan, \$113.28; James J. Gallagher, \$95.09; Hugh T. Gartland, \$125.68; John F. Grant, \$109.58; Edgar O. Haddock, \$107.22; John J. Hastry, \$120.34; Francis X. Hurley, \$106.01; Maurice M. Hurley, \$53.19; Henry P. Ireland, \$54.78; John H. A. Krauss, \$106.28; Arthur J. Leary, \$111.54; Oscar L. Lomasney, \$110.53; Thomas A. Lynch, \$123.27; John M. MacHugh, \$104.73; Joseph V. Mahan, \$113.65; John F. Mahoney, \$107.54; Patrick W. A. Maxwell, \$131.05; John M. McDowell, \$147.12; William E. Mock, \$105.54; William J. Nash, \$105.84; Lawrence D. Riley, \$110.97; Joseph E. Ryan, \$69.14; Thomas A. Ryan, \$103.50; Thomas O. Scottton, \$104.76; Joseph P. Sheerin, \$130.50; Joseph M. Smart, \$148.54; Frank J. Williams, \$104.43; Daniel F. Ryan, 150 hours, \$225. Total, \$3,959.04.

Boston Sanatorium.

For the week ending Thursday, December 11:

Daniel Sweeney, 1½ days, \$9.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, December 11:

Main Department.

I. C. Nelson, assistant engineer, 8 hours, \$7; V. Pepe, fireman, 12 hours, \$9; P. A. Curran, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$8.52; M. Donovan, electrical helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; C. Hanlon, carpenter, 6 hours, \$4.14; James Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; George Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; C. Doran, ambulance

driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84; J. S. Gill, baker, 6 hours, \$3.78; K. Raphalian, cleaner, 6 hours, \$1.44. Total, \$49.31.

Park Department.

For the week ending Thursday, December 11:

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5; Joseph T. Harrington, laborer, 1 day, \$4.50.

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, Edward F. Curley, Thomas J. Godvin, Bernard McCabe, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

For the week ending Thursday, December 18:

Dennis Daly, Thomas J. Foley, chauffeurs, 1 day, \$5 each; John J. Murphy, gardener, 1 day, \$5; Patrick Kieley, machinist, 1 day, \$5.50. Total, \$20.50.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, December 11:

T. H. Joyce, engineer, 6½ hours, \$5.63; F. C. Twitchell, engineer, 3½ hours, \$3.13; E. T. Roach, elevatorman, 1½ hours, \$0.84.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For week ending Monday, December 15:

Machinist.—P. F. Murphy, ½ day, \$4.13. Subforeman.—T. F. Paquette, 2 days, \$12.

Painter.—H. E. Pethick, 2 days, \$11. Laborer.—J. McManus, 1 day, \$4.50. Total, \$31.63.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 15:

Engineer.—Patrick W. Mackey, ½ day, \$4.69. Fireman.—James P. Connors, 1 day, \$6.

Quartermaster.—James E. Green, ½ day, \$2.25.

Gateman.—John T. Callahan, 1½ days, \$7.88.

Machinist.—William C. Blinn, 2 days, \$11.

Rigger.—Thomas J. Downes, 1 day, \$5.50.

Deckhand.—Thomas Barry, 1 day, \$4.75.

Tankman.—John McInnis, 1 day, \$4.50. Total, \$46.57.

Net cost for the week ending Monday, December 15, 1924, \$34.19.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 15:

Teamsters-Laborers.—W. J. McCarthy, M. S. Ryan, A. R. Gaffey, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, W. J. Cassell, J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Blacksmith.—W. J. O'Brien, 1½ days, \$8.25.

Blacksmith.—M. F. Sullivan, 1 day, \$5.50.

Blacksmith's Assistant.—C. J. Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.75.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Fleming, 1 day, \$4.50.

Chauffeur.—T. J. Watson, Jr., 1 day, \$4.50.

Total, \$73.75.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, December 16:

Sewer Cleaners.—James Clancy, John O'Connor, Michael Foley, Michael Brady, Dennis Callaghan, Dennis Collins, 1 day, \$5 each.

Laborers.—Thomas McDonough, Stephen Connolly, Michael McDonough, Charles Stoll, James Splaine, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; James McNabb, Thomas Casey, William Dunlea, James McCarthy, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Chauffeur.—Charles Caffrey, 1 day, \$5. Total, \$86.75.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 15:

Teamster.—J. O'Neil, 2 days, \$9.

Teamsters.—J. Ferguson, J. H. Lane, M. J. O'Connell, C. J. Crowley, J. F. Barnes, J. W. Collins, F. R. Deacon, M. Gilmartin, J. T. O'Leary, W. Batts, H. A. Bourdon, F. Corvino, J. F. Doherty, R. J. Elvert, G. Galluccio, W. T. Gilen, J. J. Glancy, M. H. Gordon, E. J. Kelley, M. J. Lyons, H. J. McCarron, P. F. McGinley, E. Riley, J. F. Brown, J. J. Daley, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, T. McGuinness, W. H. Mahoney, W. T. Maloney, E. Moore, J. J. O'Leary, J. O'Neil, J. P. Tuohy, 1 day, \$4.50 each. Total, \$162.

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 15:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. Burke, M. Walsh, 1½ days, \$7.50 each; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—J. Casey, 1½ days, \$7.13; P. Linchan, 2 days, \$10; A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; H. Campbell, 1½ days, \$8.25; D. Burke, 2 days, \$11; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; D. Hanlon, 2 days, \$11; M. Daley, 1½ days, \$8.25; J. Hourihan, 2 days, \$11; P. Flynn, 2 days, \$10; J. Picardi, 2 days, \$9.50; E. Sullivan, 1½ days, \$7.50; A. Brennan, 2 days, \$10; J. Leonard, 1½ days, \$9.38; G. Goodwin, 3 days, \$14.25; S. Mariani, 1½ days, \$9.38; C. Magee, 1½ days, \$9.38; P. Clougherty, 1½ days, \$7.50; D. Kirby, 1½ days, \$7.50; T. Byrnes, ½ day, \$2.06; M. Matthews, ½ day, \$3.75; J. Cummings, ½ day, \$4.13; B. Austin, ½ day, \$3.38; J. Fenton, ½ day, \$2.53; J. McLaughlin, ½ day, \$3.38; M. Rizzo, ½ day, \$1.78; T. Rose, 2½ days, \$12.32.

Laborers.—M. Barron, W. Dolan, T. Gallagher, E. Hart, J. McGee, J. Sheehan, 1½ days, \$6.75 each; M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, T. McGuinness, J. M. O'Toole, E. Pyne, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; E. Kelley, J. O'Toole, J. Sullivan, 2 days, \$9 each; G. Cunningham, 1½ days, \$7.13; J. Durand, 1½ days, \$9.38; F. De Angelo, ½ day, \$0.98.

Total, \$379.47.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 11 the Mayor approved a contract with William F. Condon & Sons Company for repairs to brick settings of four horizontal return tubular boilers. Bids for the work, opened December 2, were as follows:

Casey & Darcey Company, \$6,731; George Allen & Son, \$3,766; William F. Condon & Sons Company, \$3,100.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

Upon December 15 the Mayor approved a contract with Louis Balboni for laying and relaying water pipes in Burley street, Dale street and Maynard street, West Roxbury. Bids for the work, opened December 12, were as follows:

Vozzella & Capone, \$1,420.75; Louis Balboni, \$1,573.75; C. Russo, \$1,666.25; M. DeSisto Company, \$1,688.75; C. Iacozza, \$1,707.75; J. Williams & Co., \$1,842.50.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 15 the Mayor approved a contract with McDonald & Imhof for erecting and completing addition to the Frank V. Thompson School. Bids for the work, opened December 5, were as follows:

McDonald & Imhof, \$195,000; Thomas O'Connor & Co., \$196,972; Joseph Rugo, \$197,200; Alco Contracting Company, \$225,564; John Bowen Company, \$228,000.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

The Mayor has approved the following contracts awarded without advertising; requests of heads of departments to do the work with the department forces without advertising; additions to and deductions from contracts.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved a contract with the American Machinery Company for laundry machinery for the Detention Hospital. A communication from Dr. F. X. Mahoney was as follows:

BOSTON, November 20, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request your Honor's permission to purchase laundry machinery for the Detention Hospital, without advertising, from the American Laundry Machinery Company, for the sum of \$2,420.

The proposal of the American Laundry Machinery Company does not differ appreciably from the prices asked by other concerns for comparable machinery and equipment. There are certain features about the appliances which the American Laundry Machinery Company proposes to install, however, and the manner in which this company agrees to install them that makes the Company's proposal more advantageous for the city in view of the peculiar location and purpose for which this machinery is needed.

A report relative to the machinery, together with the contract, are hereto attached.

Respectfully,

F. X. MAHONEY, M. D.,
Health Commissioner.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 25 the Mayor approved a contract with the Murray Engineering Company for emergency repairs on the steamer "Michael J. Perkins." A communication from Dr. David J. Johnson, Institutions Commissioner, was as follows:

BOSTON, November 1, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully ask permission to incur expenses for emergency repairs to the steamer "Michael J. Perkins," amounting to twenty-four hundred three (2,403) dollars, without advertising.

Prior to the annual inspection on specifications for all repairs which could be anticipated were carefully prepared and several firms requested to submit a proposal for doing the work. Of the five proposals received the Murray Engineering Company was the lowest bidder and contract in the sum of nine hundred twenty-five (925) dollars was awarded to that company on October 14.

On October 22 the Steamboat Inspection Service notified us that a number of rivets would have to be welded and as work progressed other repairs not anticipated were found necessary. This additional work was authorized from time to time as an emergency measure in order that the department should not be without adequate transportation facilities to the island institutions for a longer period than was absolutely necessary. A substitute boat is not only unsatisfactory but very expensive.

October 14, original contract, \$925; October 22, additional contract, \$290; October 23, additional contract, \$210; October 25, additional contract, \$434; November 1, additional contract, \$544; total, \$2,403.

Trusting that this action meets with your approval I am,

Very truly yours,

DAVID J. JOHNSON,
Commissioner.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved a contract with Lombard & Rust Company, representing the Atchinson Revolving Door Company, for doors for the Suffolk County Court House. A communication from John H. Mahony, Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings, was as follows:

BOSTON, November 20, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Some time ago I received a requisition from the Suffolk County Courthouse for revolving doors for both entrances of said building. I accordingly asked the only two firms that I could find in the directory located in Boston to submit a figure for same, with the following result:

Atchinson Revolving Door Company, represented by Lombard & Rust Company, agents, will supply and install the two doors in the sum of \$2,114; Skillman & Sunderland Company, \$2,900.

Inasmuch as they desire to have these doors installed before the cold weather

sets in, and also as there would be considerable time consumed in advertising same, and when we would probably only receive figures from these two concerns who have already submitted figures, I therefore respectfully request permission to award a contract for installing these two revolving doors to the Atchinson Revolving Door Company, Lombard & Rust Company, agents, in the sum of twenty-one hundred fourteen dollars (\$2,114) which was the lower of the two bids, without the usual form of advertising.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MAHONY,
Acting Superintendent of Public Buildings.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Upon December 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Peter Falabella for the construction of artificial sidewalks. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, December 16, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

Permission to award a contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the public streets, without advertising, to Peter Falabella, 308 Harrison avenue, Boston, is hereby requested on the ground that this contractor is not selected by the city in the first instance but by the abutters; secondly, the expense of construction being divided by the city and abutters; also because such contracts vary greatly in amounts and seldom involve one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

The Mayor has approved the awarding of the contract for snow removal in District No. 2, to Coleman Brothers. A communication from Joseph A. Rourke of the Public Works Department was as follows:

BOSTON, December 15, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

The snow removal contract for District No. 2 was awarded to D. M. Biggs & Co., the second lowest bidder, at 56 cents a cubic yard. This firm has defaulted in not signing up the contract.

The third lowest bidder has been awarded a district, while the next bidder in this district is Coleman Brothers, Inc., at 65 cents a cubic yard.

Your approval is respectfully requested for the award of the contract for snow removal in District No. 2 to Coleman Brothers, Inc., at 65 cents a cubic yard.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved the payment of \$9,853.54 on the contract of the M. S. Kelleher Company for alterations on the Teachers College group. A com-

munication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

BOSTON, November 18, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor to the issuance of an order of addition, in the amount of nine thousand eight hundred and fifty-three and 54-100 (9,853.54) dollars, to the contract of M. S. Kelliher Company, for alterations, etc., to the Teachers College Group.

This amount is required to take care of certain additional work which has been found to be necessary during the process of construction. On account of the nature of the work included under the original contract, involving, as it did, considerable alteration in connection with the three buildings of this group, it was impossible, at the time the plans and specifications were prepared, to foresee all the conditions that would arise. The work to be done under this proposed order of addition is necessary to put the buildings in proper condition, and the Board therefore requests your approval of its issuance as stated above.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

The Mayor has approved an additional payment on the contract of the Thomas O'Connor Company for \$11,500 for the erection and completion of the Hugh O'Brien District School. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

BOSTON, December 10, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the approval of your Honor to the issuance of an order of addition, in an amount of approximately eleven thousand five hundred (11,500) dollars, to the contract of Thomas O'Connor & Co. for erection and completion of the Hugh O'Brien District School.

This amount is required to cover certain additional work found to be necessary during the process of construction. This consisted mainly of additional excavation, backfill, concrete work, caused by being obliged to dig deeper than was anticipated in order to reach proper bearing soil, and of certain heating changes necessitated by running steam mains from the old building to the new portion.

Trusting this will meet with your approval, I am,

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

The Mayor has approved the payment of an additional \$8,500 to the contract of the C. & R. Construction Company for the erection and completion of the Julia Ward Howe School. A communication from Thomas P. Glynn of the Schoolhouse Department was as follows:

BOSTON, December 12, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—The Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners respectfully requests the

approval of your Honor to the issuance of an order of addition, in an amount of approximately eight thousand five hundred (8,500) dollars, to the contract of C. & R. Construction Company for erection and completion of addition to the Julia Ward Howe School.

This amount is required to cover certain additional work found to be necessary during the process of construction. This work consisted mainly in additional excavation caused by being obliged to dig more deeply than was anticipated in order to obtain proper footing for the concrete piles, and also in changing the exterior brick to a special size brick in order to have the new portion of the building conform to the old. We trust this will meet with your approval.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
Chairman.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 11 the Mayor approved a contract with Levin Brothers for furnishing the Boston Sanatorium with 150 Alaska gray blankets. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, December 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to enter into contract, without advertising, with Levin Brothers for furnishing to the Boston Sanatorium 150 Alaska grey blankets at \$7 each, making total amount of contract \$1,050. This department upon receipt of this requisition from the Boston Sanatorium communicated with the Department of Correction, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, with the request that they submit samples of their blankets for the approval of the undersigned and the trustees of the Boston Sanatorium. The blankets submitted by that department were found to be too light weight for the purposes for which they were intended to be used, and a release was requested from the Department of Correction in order that this department could purchase these blankets elsewhere.

Several prices and samples were received from various concerns, and this blanket was selected as being the blanket desired by the undersigned and Doctors Minot, O'Brien and White of the Boston Sanatorium. I think it is for the best advantage of the city that the blanket selected be purchased, and I therefore trust that this recommendation meets with your approval.

Respectfully,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

Upon December 11 the Mayor approved a contract with R. H. Stearns Company for furnishing the Boston Sanatorium 250 white wool blankets. A communication from Frank P. Rock of the Supply Department was as follows:

BOSTON, December 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Permission is respectfully requested to enter into contract, without advertising, with R. H. Stearns

Company for furnishing 250 white wool blankets to the Boston Sanatorium at \$9 each, making total amount of contract \$2,250.

This department upon receipt of this order requested the Department of Correction to submit samples of their blankets for the approval of the undersigned and the trustees of the Boston Sanatorium. As the sample submitted by that department was too light in weight for the purpose for which they were to be used, a release was requested from the Department of Correction in order that this department could procure them elsewhere.

Several prices and samples were secured from various concerns, and the blanket of the R. H. Stearns Company was selected as the one desired by the doctors of the Boston Sanatorium, Doctors Minot, O'Brien and White, and I concur with their selection. In view of the above I trust the permission requested will be granted.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Walter Curley & Son have been allowed for building a new cabinet in cooking room in the Martin-Farragut School, finishing and painting same as per architect's letter of December 8, 1924, and the amount of \$64 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, \$2,798; total additions, \$64; amount of contract, \$2,862.

Joseph Rugo has been allowed the following changes in his contract for the Grant School: 26.5 cubic yards concrete, \$530; 47.1 cubic yards excavation, \$94.20; total, \$624.20, as per architect's letter of December 9, 1924; contract price, \$5,685; total additions, \$1,449.20; amount of contract, \$7,134.20.

ADDITIONAL WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

M. DeSisto Company have been directed to perform the following additional work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Pilgrim road, Plymouth street, Riverway, etc. Items ordered: Lay about 500 feet 12-inch pipe in Riverway, between Plymouth street and Longwood avenue, under the streets of the contract. Estimated cost of additional work, \$550.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

John McCourt has been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing recut granite block pavement in Blue Hill avenue, from Dudley street to Quincy street. Items ordered: Furnish and place concrete base as directed in front of St. John's Church. Price to be paid: For each cubic yard of concrete base furnished and laid, the sum of \$10. Estimated cost of extra work, \$1,200.

Vozzella & Capone have been directed to perform the following extra work under their contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Central avenue, Greenwood avenue, Metropolitan avenue, Thatcher street and Westminster street, Hyde Park. Items ordered: Repairing drains, searching for gates, locating old mains, resurfacing near outside gate locations, assisting Water Service employees on lead service pipes. Estimated cost of extra work, \$80.

M. De Sisto Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for laying and relaying water pipes in Pilgrim road, Plymouth street, etc. Items ordered: Relocate 12 by 12 branch and lay 12-inch pipe under 48-inch main across Longwood avenue at Riverway and establish 12-inch gate on Longwood avenue main not included in the contract; establish two temporary 6-inch gates on Pilgrim road main to maintain supply to Wind-sor School; set two outside meter boxes on Pilgrim road, etc. Estimated cost of extra work, \$460.

John McCourt Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing a granite block pavement in Border street, from North Ferry to William J. Kelley square. Items ordered: Remove stumps not shown on plans; to be paid for by force account; estimated cost, \$30; furnish stone cutters to make entrances and closures at catch-basins to be paid for by force account; estimated cost, \$58. Estimated cost of extra work, \$88; total, \$88.

Warren Brothers Company have been directed to perform the following extra work under contract for constructing a bitulithic pavement in Blue Hill avenue, from Canturbury street to River street. Items ordered: Dress edgestone where directed, to be paid for by force account. Estimated cost, \$38. Bar out granite block paving in track of Eastern Massachusetts Railway Company. To be paid for by force account. Estimated cost, \$52; estimated cost of extra work (total), \$90.

MEMBERS OF MAYOR'S STAFF SURPRISED.

The official family of his Honor Mayor James M. Curley tendered a dinner and surprise to two of their associates, Daniel J. Gillen and William J. J. O'Neil, who recently were appointed to the Boston Law Department and City Council, respectively, at the American House, Wednesday, December 17.

The Mayor officiated as toastmaster and introduced Mr. Gillen, who presented a traveling bag to Mr. O'Neil. Mr. O'Neil presented a brief case to Mr. Gillen.

An entertainment was furnished by Mr. John Shaughnessy, Nathaniel Clark, and Joseph Mikolajewski, with Fred O'Connor at the piano.

Included among those present were Standish Wilcox, Phillip Chapman, Arthur B. Corbett, Frank Howland, John J. Lydon, John Englert, Jeremiah A. Coakley, John M. Casey, John B. Hines, Phillip O'Connell, Joseph Smith, Michael J. Ward, Joshua H. Jones, Jr., Edward Shea, John Connolly, Joseph F. Hanlon, John Hanlon and Luke E. Shields.

A NEW PICTORIAL LIFE OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI.

PUBLIC LIBRARY EXHIBITS FIFTY ORIGINAL WATER-COLOR PAINTINGS OF PEDRO SUBERCASEAUX, CHILEAN ARTIST.

Beginning the 20th of December, fifty original water-color paintings by Pedro Subercaseaux, representing the "Life of St. Francis of Assisi," will be arranged in the Exhibition Room of the Boston Public Library. The library is glad to provide an opportunity for its visitors to become acquainted with the work of this eminent South American artist.

The name of Pedro Subercaseaux is hardly known yet in this country. The plain truth is that we know here singularly little of the art movements and tendencies of Latin America. Only occasionally, when a name breaks through the obscurity and finds its way to international recognition, does it happen that we become conscious of our indifference.

Subercaseaux is still a young man—he was born in 1880 in Rome, where his father is now Chilean ambassador to the Vatican. He studied in Rome, Berlin and Paris, but while still in his early youth returned to this country. Nearly all of his pictures were painted in Santiago, the capital of Chile. His large canvases are in the National Congress Building and the Exchange of that city, and in several public buildings in Buenos Aires. Episodes of the Spanish conquests in the sixteenth century, and of the War of Independence in the first years of the nineteenth century are usually the subjects of these paintings. He painted also a number of sea battles and scenes from modern military life.

The "Life of St. Francis" marks a new period both in his artistic and personal development. The beauty and poetry of the little Umbrian town, in which every street and every house seemed to recall the Franciscan legend, made a strong impression on him. Then and there he conceived the idea of creating a new pictorial life of the saint. He made careful studies of the landscapes and buildings, of the future settings of his pictures. For five years the war interrupted his work, but after the armistice he returned to Umbria, and there completed the series of fifty paintings.

From the birth of St. Francis to the farewell of St. Clare we have before us the whole legend. "Francis and the Leper," "Taken for a Madman," "Francis Disowns his Father," "The Mystical Banquet," "The Sermon to the Birds," "The Stigmata," "The Last Blessing," and all the other scenes and events of the legend are depicted here with a deep inward spirituality of conception and conscientious realism in presentation. Umbria of the thirteenth century is here, with its hills and valleys, crags and fields, and the architecture and costumes are faithful also to their last details. And an ineffable sweetness permeates every stroke in the paintings; this is truly the legend of "The Three Companions and the Fioretti."

This close touch with the life of St. Francis and the spirit of the medieval world wrought a deep change in the artist. As a result of his preoccupation with his subject, in 1920 he joined the Order of St. Benedict at the Monastery on the Isle of Wight.

It is largely due to the artistic insight and appreciation of an American woman, Mrs. Justine B. Ward of New York, that these pictures have been brought before

the public. She met the artist, now a secluded monk, at the Monastery, saw his pictures and brought them to this country. The Marshall Jones Company, Boston, did a splendid service to art when they undertook the publication of the series with suitable text.

Connoisseurs, artists and critics hailed the work of the artist with uncommon enthusiasm. Johannes Jorgensen in his introduction to the book speaks in high terms of the genius of Subercaseaux. "He is in the same relation to the Umbrian Saint," he says, "as for instance Boutet de Monvel was to his heroine, Jeanne d'Arc. Works such as these are not only expressions of art—they are expressions of life. They are not only speaking to the eyes—they are speaking to the soul." Rev. Thomas J. Shahan, rector of the Catholic University, says: "For the first time since Giotto a painter has satisfactorily revealed to the eye of faith the story of that holy youth of Umbria. . . ."

In a letter to Mr. Charles F. D. Belden, director of the library, Mr. Ralph Adams Cram, the eminent Boston architect, writes:

"For my own part, I think these pictures are almost in a class by themselves. Not only are they distinguished to a degree from a technical point of view, but they are sure, so far as I know, the most personal and poignant representation of St. Francis that have been made since the time of Giotto. I can only hope that people generally will take advantage of the chance that is given them to see work of this unusual and distinctive beauty."

MASSACHUSETTS BAY COLONY.

The first chartered colony in New England, charter granted by Charles I on March 4, 1629. About a year before, a patent had been granted to six prominent men of Dorchester, west of England, among whom was Capt. John Endicott. He sailed in June, 1628, with a party of 50 or 60 persons, arriving in September and settling at Naumkeag, afterward named Salem. In the spring of 1629, the Bay Company fitted out three ships conveying about 400 persons and arriving at Salem in June. Endicott sent a small party to effect a settlement on the Bay in Mishawum, afterward named by the settlers Charlestown, the first town in New England to assume the town polity, Plymouth and Salem being governed by a Governor and Council. Endicott was appointed in London as the first resident Governor on April 30, 1629. The Massachusetts Bay Company was reorganized in London on Oct. 20, 1629, when John Winthrop was chosen as Governor. He arrived at Salem on June 12, 1630, soon proceeded to Charlestown with a large following, and finding that place unsuitable, finally settled in Boston. Winthrop served thirteen years as Governor in four different periods ending in 1649 and Endicott 15 years at various times ending in 1665. Other governors were Thomas Dudley, Richard Bellingham, John Haynes, Henry Vane, John Leverett and Simon Bradstreet, the latter serving 12 years until 1692 when the Bay Colony and the Plymouth Colony were merged, becoming the Royal Province of Massachusetts Bay, which existed 82 years to 1774, the governors being appointed by the King.

The name, Massachusetts, is Indian and signifies "near the big hills."

CITY OFFICIALS AND LEADING CITIZENS PAY LAST TRIBUTE TO JOHN O. TABER, CHIEF OF BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Chief John O. Taber of the Boston Fire Department, who died Tuesday at 3.30 a. m. at his home, 20 Fletcher street, Roslindale, was buried Thursday morning with solemn high requiem mass in the Church of the Sacred Heart, Roslindale, at 10 o'clock.

The Rev. John F. Cummings, rector of the Church of the Sacred Heart, was celebrant of the mass; the Rev. Eugene A. Twomey, deacon, and the Rev. Henry T. Reardon, sub-deacon.

Public officials headed by Mayor James M. Curley, and other prominent citizens joined with the Boston firemen in paying a fitting final tribute to Chief Taber, in token of the great respect and affection that the entire community held for him.

All the honors that the city and the department could bestow to an official of his rank were given. Mayor Curley had ordered all municipal flags to be lowered to half-staff and bells in the firehouses to be tolled during the funeral.

Fire Commissioner Theodore A. Glynn issued a general order, announcing officially the death of Chief Taber, and stating the arrangements made for the firemen's participation in the funeral.

The customary detail of forty-eight men, consisting of sixteen from each division, was made by Acting Chief Daniel F. Sennott, and a guard of honor consisting of chief officers was in constant attendance at the home of the late chief.

Deputy Chief Walter H. MacLean of the third division was placed in charge of the funeral arrangements from the fire department. As the body of Chief Taber was leaving the church after the requiem mass, the gongs in the firehouses were sounded at intervals of twenty seconds until sixty-one strokes had been sounded. The fire headquarters building on Bristol street, and the quarters of the Mason street company have been draped in mourning for thirty days, and all flags on department stations and fireboats will be flown at half-mast for the same period.

Mayor Curley and Fire Commissioner Glynn paid tribute to Chief Taber in eulogistic statements.

Other prominent officials who made public expression of their grief over the death of the chief and their admiration for him, both as a private citizen and as a municipal official, included Police Commissioner Herbert A. Wilson, Police Superintendent Michael H. Crowley, Acting Chief Daniel F. Sennott and other officers of the Fire Department.

Chief Taber died after a gallant fight for three weeks against a severe bronchial affliction which gripped his lungs following a heavy cold contracted while returning from a vacation trip to Jacksonville, Fla. He appeared to have been recovering up to two days before death, when he suffered a relapse.

He was attended by Dr. James P. O'Hare of Jamaica Plain and by his son-in-law, Dr. John G. Breslin of Charlestown. His son, John O. Taber, Jr., superintendent of the public works in Attleboro, and his two daughters,

Mrs. Henry Lawler and Mrs. Breslin, were in constant attendance and were with him when the end came.

John Otis Taber had a nation-wide reputation as an efficient, progressive and courageous fire department executive, and probably no Boston official ever won or deserved greater popularity. He was born in this city, June 24, 1863. He went to sea in his boyhood and subsequently enlisted in the navy and rose to the grade of chief gunner's mate.

The government awarded him a certificate of merit and commendation for risking his life in defense of the United States minister to Peru when an attempt was made to assassinate this official. The chief carried to his grave a scar from the knife blade which he deflected in saving the minister from death.

He was appointed to the Boston Fire Department on January 4, 1888, and advanced through the successive grades until he attained the office of department chief on March 7, 1922. During his administration the complete motorization of the department apparatus and the installation of the two-platoon system were effected.

He was a member of the Fire Chiefs' Club of Massachusetts, New England Association of Fire Chiefs, International Association of Fire Engineers and Mt. Vernon Council, K. of C., and was an honorary member of the Societe des Sappers et Pompiers of Paris and of Box 52 Association.

His wife, who before marriage was Nora T. Shea of Boston, died three years ago, and since then he had been living with his daughter, Mrs. Henry Lawler, at 20 Fletcher street. Besides his son and two daughters, there are four grandchildren.

MAYOR CURLEY'S STATEMENT.

Mayor Curley issued the following statement on December 16 on the death of Chief John O. Taber of the Fire Department.

"The City of Boston in the death of chief of the Boston Fire Department John O. Taber has suffered a great loss. As head of the Boston Fire Department, through his knowledge of fire fighting, persistency and vision, the Fire Department of Boston was developed into one of the best organizations for the protection of life and property from destruction by fire to be found in any portion of the world. As head of the fire-fighting force he not only enjoyed the confidence of the men under him but was loved by all for his ability as a fire fighter and courage as a man; he never followed his men at a fire, he always led them.

"It will be difficult to secure a head for the Boston Fire Department as capable, as conscientious, as courageous as John O. Taber. As Mayor of the city my sympathy goes out to his children in the loss of a devoted father and an exceptional type of upstanding American.

"It was my pleasure to know him personally and my sorrow at this time is shared with the family in the passing of a sincere friend."

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

Jarvis Engineering Company have been granted an extension of time for the completion of the contract for refrigerating machinery to December 15, 1924. There has been delay of some months in this work occasioned by a defective ammonia engine, new parts for which had to be made. The Jarvis Engineering Company are not in any way responsible for this.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Thomas O'Connor & Co. have been granted an extension of time of completion of the contract for the erection and completion of the fire alarm signal apparatus building, until July 1, 1925.

The architects for the building recommended the extension because of delay caused by strikes, the approval of material, permits, etc. The contract with the Gamewell Company will not expire until 130 days after the building is thoroughly dried out. The architects believe it will be for the best interests of the city to have the general contractor on the job until the Gamewell Company completes its contract in order to protect portions of the work subject to damage from handling and moving material.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. Edward Ogden Company has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for two electrically operated ferry bridges with gallowes frames and accompanying machinery, from December 31, 1924, to April 1, 1925, on account of difficulties and delays in securing structural steel and other materials and because of delays in transportation of materials.

The New England Foundation Company has been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for building two piers for Dartmouth Street Bridge, over the Boston and Albany Railroad, from December 3, 1924, to December 31, 1924, on account of the delay in delivery of steel material for the caissons.

Antony Barofaldi & Co. have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for filling in Ashley street, from Breed street to Boardman street, from December 1, 1924, to January 31, 1925.

W. H. Ellis & Son Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for repairing wharf at coal pocket, South Ferry, from November 15, 1924, to January 20, 1925.

John Williams and Co. have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for sewerage works in Stellman road, private land, Bradeen street and Washington street, West Roxbury, from December 15, 1924, to January 15, 1925 (thirty-one days), on account of unforeseen obstacles encountered during the progress of the work.

W. H. Ellis & Son Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for repairing piers at the North Ferry, from October 15, 1924, to January 20, 1925, for the reason that the company, at our request, removed its equipment from the work on account of the fact that one of the ferrydrops have been damaged and we could not allow the Ellis Company to work and still operate the North Ferry.

TABLE SHOWING APPLICATIONS, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, ETC., FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDING NOVEMBER, 1924.

CHARACTER.	APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES.		APARTMENT AND TENEMENT HOUSES AND STORES.		CHURCHES.		DWELLINGS.		DWELLINGS AND STORES.		FOUNDRIES.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....			1	\$400,000								
Second Class.....	14	\$691,000					1	\$6,400				
Third Class.....							90	738,300				
Special Class.....												
Total New Work.....	14	\$691,000	1	\$400,000			91	\$747,700				
Alterations.....	10	4,830	11	9,580	1	\$400	340	143,472	23	\$9,540	1	\$350
Grand Total.....	24	\$695,830	12	\$409,580	1	\$400	431	\$888,172	23	\$9,540	1	\$350

CHARACTER.	GARAGES.		HOSPITALS.		LODGING HOUSES.		MOVING PICTURE HOUSES.		MERCANTILE BUILDINGS.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....	84	\$309,380	1	\$184,000					3	\$117,700	1	\$60,000
Second Class.....	34	53,700			1	\$42,000			6	98,500	3	66,500
Third Class.....	50	24,267										
Special Class.....	8	2,775										
Total New Work.....	176	\$390,122	1	\$184,000	1	\$42,000			9	\$216,200	4	\$126,500
Alterations.....	12	16,605	1	8,000	12	61,435	2	\$3,080	38	369,895	16	42,265
Grand Totals.....	188	\$406,727	2	\$192,000	13	\$103,435	2	\$3,080	47	\$586,095	20	\$168,765

CHARACTER.	OFFICE BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC HALLS.		STABLES.		THEATRES.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.	Number.	Estimated Cost.
First Class.....	1	\$180,000					1	\$400,000	3	\$49,000	95	\$1,700,080
Second Class.....	3	24,000							4	5,400	66	987,500
Third Class.....	1	205			1	\$500			35	7,925	177	771,197
Special Class.....									5	3,350	13	6,125
Total New Work.....	5	\$204,205			1	\$500	1	\$400,000	47	\$65,675	351	\$3,464,902
Alterations.....	13	28,210	2	\$4,000	6	615	2	\$10,350	32	20,057	522	732,684
Grand Totals.....	18	\$232,415	2	\$4,000	7	\$1,115	3	\$410,350	79	\$85,732	873	\$4,197,586

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Mayor has approved the order of the Board of Street Commissioners for a land-taking for a public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Lorna road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Morton street to Tiverton road, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Lorna road is hereby laid out, from Morton street to the westerly line of Tiverton road, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive

of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

East by Morton street, fifty and 32-100 feet; south by the southerly line of said Lorna road as hereby laid out, three hundred twenty-six and 82-100 feet; west by the westerly line of Lorna road as hereby laid out, fifty and 32-100 feet; and north by the northerly line of said Lorna road as hereby laid out, three hundred twenty-eight and 73-100 feet.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land

shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this Board estimates that the lots of abutting land on the northerly side of Lorna road for a distance of about 345 feet westerly from Morton street, and the lots of abutting land on the southerly side of Lorna road, from Morton street to the easterly line of Tiverton road, will receive bene-

fit or advantage, other than the general advantage to the community, from the improvement herein ordered, each of the particular lots to the amount respectively set against it herein; said lots and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Lorna Road, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, September 18, 1924, William J. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Lot.	Amount.
1. Joseph Coleman	\$70 00
2. Joseph Coleman	140 00
3. Mary Harvey	140 00
4. Mary Harvey	176 40
5. Diamond Realty Company.....	291 20
6. John J. Crehan.....	301 00
7. Diamond Realty Company.....	284 76
8. Diamond Realty Company.....	260 68
9. Diamond Realty Company.....	238 40
10. Diamond Realty Company.....	220 30
11. Mark H. Crehan, Jr.....	319 27
12. Frank P. Crehan.....	311 50
13. Diamond Realty Company.....	194 70
	<u>\$2,948 21</u>

ASKS MAYORS TO AID IN AIR MAIL ROUTE.

Mayor Curley telegraphed on December 16 to the thirty-eight mayors of Massachusetts earnestly requesting their support in behalf of the measures to be presented upon the calendar of the House of Representatives, at Washington, providing for the extension of the air mail service to the East Boston airport.

The message of Mayor Curley was as follows:

"Three measures providing for the extension of the air mail service to the East Boston airport will be taken up tomorrow, December 17, upon the calendar of the House of Representatives at Washington. The passage of these measures is imperative to the welfare of the commercial and industrial interests of New England. Will you kindly telegraph immediately the Congressman representing your district urging his presence tomorrow upon the floor of the House at noonday supplemented by every possible personal effort to secure the passage of these important measures."

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LECTURE ON HOUSING.

On Thursday evening, December 18, at eight o'clock in the Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library, there was given a lecture, illustrated by the stereopticon, by Frank A. Bourne, architect, on "How the Dutch do it: Housing Problems and Port Development."

Mr. Bourne was a delegate from the American Institute of Architects to the International Federation for Town and Country Planning and Garden Cities, held at Amsterdam, and the illustrations include photographs which he took while in Holland, showing the remarkable house building epidemic in Amsterdam in the last three years, and also some material on the ports of Amsterdam and Rotterdam, which may be of value in comparison with the Port of Boston. He also showed a few slides of more popular interest as a result of his trip down the Adriatic and into Jugo Slavia as far as Mostar and Sarajevo.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 11 TO DECEMBER 17.

DECEMBER 11.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Reservoir Gardens Company,	1 Reservoir Gardens.....	25	Second-class apartments.....	\$35,000
Reservoir Gardens Company,	2 Reservoir Gardens.....	25	Second-class apartments.....	25,000
Reservoir Gardens Company,	3 Reservoir Gardens.....	25	Second-class apartments.....	35,000
Reservoir Gardens Company,	4 Reservoir Gardens.....	25	Second-class apartments.....	35,000
Reservoir Gardens Company,	5 Reservoir Gardens.....	25	Second-class apartments.....	25,000
Reservoir Gardens Company,	6 Reservoir Gardens.....	25	Second-class apartments.....	35,000
Agnes G. Sullivan.....	Rear of 17 Bentley street.....	26	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Mary B. Cronin.....	Rear of 20 Pearl street.....	11	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Michael Confos.....	76 and 78 Bennett street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Daniel P. Kelley.....	182 Mt. Vernon street.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	1,000
Boston Spaghetti Company..	22 and 24 Cross street.....	5	Alterations, store and light manufacturing.....	300
Boston Spaghetti Company..	16 Cross street.....	5	Alterations, light manufacturing.....	200
H. V. Cunningham <i>et al.</i>	305 and 307 Cambridge street.....	5	Alterations, stores and apartments.....	5,000
Dorchester Associates.....	12 Lyndhurst street.....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	3,000
Insurance Building Corporation.	40 Broad street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.....	2,500
New England Contracting Company.	40-43 Cambridge street....	8	Take-down, lodging and store.....	700
New England Contracting Company.	140-144 Cambridge street..	8	Take-down, dwelling.....	600
New England Contracting Company.	167 Charles street.....	8	Take-down, dwelling.....	300
New England Contracting Company.	14 Gilson court.....	8	Take-down, dwelling.....	300

DECEMBER 12.

Trustees of One State street..	1 State street.....	5	First-class offices.....	\$400,000
Brighton Cement Block Company.	Rear of 235 North Beacon street.....	26	First-class manufacturing....	12,000
William Soerb.....	Rear of 10 Schirmer road....	23	Second-class garage.....	900
James B. Reagan.....	265 Stuart street.....	8	Special shelter.....	150
Asa Owen Sewall.....	Rear of 127 Bellevue street..	23	Third-class garage.....	350
Margaret Jesser.....	Rear of 44 St. Rose street....	22	Third-class garage.....	400
J. Warshaw.....	137 Blue Hill avenue.....	16	Alterations, store.....	300
Charlotte A. Baker <i>et al.</i>	22 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	Alterations, apartments.....	16,000
Louis C. Ayers.....	83 Green street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
John M. O'Connell <i>et al.</i>	197 and 199 West Fourth st.,	9	Alterations, store and dwelling.....	175
David Segal.....	20 Wiget street.....	5	Alterations, store and tenements.....	500
David Segal.....	22 Wiget street.....	5	Alterations, store and tenements.....	500
David Segal.....	24 Wiget street.....	5	Alterations, store and tenements.....	500
Federal Street Realty Company.	26-36 Federal street.....	5	Install two elevators.....	14,000
George W. Harvey Company,	22-40 Chauncy street.....	5	Install four elevators.....	57,000
Charles Aulis.....	167 Warren avenue.....	7	Erect fire escapes.....	250
Florence Landers.....	173 and 175 Warren avenue..	7	Erect fire escapes.....	190
New England Contracting Company.	200 Cambridge street.....	8	Take-down, stores.....	200
New England Contracting Company.	212 Cambridge street.....	8	Take-down, stores and dwelling.....	400

DECEMBER 13.

H. E. Fisher.....	587 East Seventh street (1)...	10	First-class garage.....	\$1,500
H. E. Fisher.....	587 East Seventh street (2)...	10	First-class garage.....	1,500
Adele Laughton <i>et al.</i>	33 Westbourne terrace.....	22	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
E. I. Brown.....	56 Westmore road.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Mrs. W. L. Putnam.....	49 Beacon street.....	8	Alterations, dwelling.....	6,000
F. J. Heffernan.....	32 Orkney road.....	25	Alterations, apartments.....	125
F. J. Heffernan.....	34 Orkney road.....	25	Alterations, apartments.....	125
David Sears Real Estate Trust.	630 Washington street.....	5	Alterations, mercantile.....	900
Jenny McIntosh.....	2855 Washington street....	15	Alterations, dwelling.....	75
Lars Svenson.....	39 Nikish avenue.....	23	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
L. H. Shattuck.....	352 Boylston street.....	8	Alterations, stores.....	2,000
Robert Gardner, Trustee.....	93 Federal street.....	5	Alterations, stores and offices.....	5,500
W. C. T. U.....	541 Massachusetts avenue..	13	Erect fire escape.....	500
City Building Wrecking Company.	5 Bowdoin street.....	8	Take-down, stores and offices.....	200
Robert R. McNutt Corp....	8 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down hotel.....	850
Robert R. McNutt Corp....	10 and 12 Cambridge street..	5	Take-down hotel and stores..	850
Robert R. McNutt Corp....	14 and 16 Cambridge street..	5	Take-down hotel and store....	1,000
Robert R. McNutt Corp....	56 and 62 Cambridge street..	5	Take-down dwelling and store.....	400
Robert R. McNutt Corp....	64 and 66 Cambridge street..	5	Take-down dwelling and store.....	500
Robert R. McNutt Corp....	68 and 70 Cambridge street..	5	Take-down dwelling and store.....	300
Robert R. McNutt Corp....	76 and 78 Cambridge street..	5	Take-down dwelling and store.....	300
Robert R. McNutt Corp....	80 and 82 Cambridge street..	5	Take-down dwelling and store.....	500
Robert R. McNutt Corp....	205 Cambridge street.....	5	Take-down stores.....	450
Robert R. McNutt Corp....	215-217 Cambridge street....	5	Take-down stores.....	1,000
Robert R. McNutt Corp....	243-243 Cambridge street....	5	Take-down stores.....	150

DECEMBER 15.

James P. Mackin <i>et al.</i>	30 Mystic street.....	6	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
Metropolitan Filling Station, Court Building Corporation,	1942 Centre street.....	23	Second-class filling station....	1,500
Allen J. Trim.....	99 and 101 Court street.....	5	Second-class stores and loft..	15,000
	Rear of 6 and 8 Mansfield street.....	26	Special garage.....	600
R. S. Johnson.....	Rear of 66 Adams street....	26	Special garage.....	600
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.	Rear of 563 South street....	23	Special garage.....	200
Mayble Dennett.....	Rear of 166 Bellevue street..	23	Third-class garage.....	600
Sarah S. Caine.....	Rear of 17 Wilcox road.....	20	Third-class garage.....	600
John Fallon.....	Rear of 13 Granite avenue..	20	Third-class garage.....	600
Ellen M. Cockran.....	Rear of 11 Safford street....	24	Third-class garage.....	600

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DECEMBER 15.—*Concluded.*

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Chester L. Kilgore.....	Rear of 559 Weld street....	23	Third-class garage.....	\$600
Herbert L. Blanke.....	16 Baker street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,700
Joseph Guisti.....	19 Stoughton street.....	17	Third-class open-air market..	250
Pasquale Tarquini.....	2737 Washington street....	15	Alterations, tenements.....	250
George F. Steele.....	36 Elmwood street.....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	700
Albert W. Engle.....	1454-1468 Columbus avenue..	15	Alterations, stores.....	800
Steadford R. Hosten.....	221 Walnut avenue.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	150
I. Beck.....	167 Court street.....	5	Alterations, stores and lodg- ing.	375
Julia Murphy.....	Rear of 169 Bowdoin street,	18	Alterations, garage and stor- age.	500
DeTrouville Cafe Company,	35 Court street.....	5	Erect sign.....	225

DECEMBER 16.

John Sugerman.....	52 McLellan street.....	19	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
T. P. Buckley.....	Rear of 161 Temple street..	23	Second-class garage.....	1,000
Harry Achman.....	Rear of 17 Fort avenue.....	15	Second-class garage.....	800
A. Clausen.....	20 Glendower road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,500
Edward Uminsky.....	600 Norfolk street.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Ralph C. Estes.....	59 Saxton street.....	17	Third-class dwelling.....	15,000
A. K. Birch.....	24 Spring road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	3,800
Mary M. O'Brien.....	20 Canal street.....	5	Alterations, storage.....	11,782
I. Wit Realty Company.....	287 Atlantic avenue.....	5	Alterations, dye laboratory..	300
E. S. Welch Trustee.....	48 Gloucester street.....	8	Alterations, mercantile.....	350
Factory Building Association	174 High street.....	5	Alterations, offices and work rooms.	3,000
J. A. Turner et al.....	12 Dunbar avenue.....	21	Alterations, storage and stable	500
Coleman & Gilbert.....	339 Huntington avenue.....	27	Install two elevators.....	9,000
Marden & Orlando.....	311 Commonwealth avenue..	8	Install elevator.....	7,500
Bristol Street Realty Com- pany.....	81 Bristol street.....	6	Install elevator.....	5,000
Dr. Harold W. Baker.....	22 Mt. Vernon street.....	8	Install elevator.....	5,500
Florence Crittenden Hospital	10 Perthshire road.....	26	Install elevator.....	3,800
F. E. Johnson.....	7 and 9 Newbury street....	8	Install elevator.....	5,000
Thompson-Norris Company.	119 Braintree street.....	25	Repair elevator.....	600
Gillette Safety Razor Com- pany.....	41 West First street.....	9	Erect builder's hoist.....	100
Boston American.....	5 Winthrop square.....	5	Erect sign.....	250
New England Contracting Company.....	1 and 3 Gilson court.....	8	Take-down, shops.....	250
New England Contracting Company.....	4 and 5 Gilson court.....	8	Take-down shops.....	250
City Building Wrecking Com- pany.....	10 Lynde street.....	5	Take-down dwelling.....	200
City Building Wrecking Com- pany.....	12 Lynde street.....	5	Take-down, dwelling.....	200

DECEMBER 17.

Harris Wolfe.....	319-327 Chelsea street....	2	First-class garage.....	\$20,000
City of Boston.....	86 White street.....	1	First-class school.....	105,870
Grocers Baking Company.....	65-77 East Cottage street..	11	Second-class wagon shed....	15,000
N. Winthrop Robinson.....	Rear of 12 Freeport street..	17	Second-class boiler house....	1,000
Otto Peterson.....	Rear of 49 Donnybrook road,	26	Second-class garage.....	1,400
Mary E. Roach.....	Rear of 28 Harriet street....	26	Third-class garage.....	400
Sigrid Anderson.....	92 Wilmington avenue.....	21	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Henry C. MacDonald.....	56 Harriet street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Henry C. MacDonald.....	60 Harriet street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	9,000
Bessie M. McArthur.....	48 Hooker street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
William J. Ryder.....	52 Hooker street.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Alden Brothers Company.....	36 Harrison street.....	23	Third-class milk house.....	2,800
F. H. Randlov.....	284 Vermont street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	5,000
C. F. Bodge.....	15 Helena road.....	20	Third-class dwelling.....	6,000
F. H. Piper.....	77 Fletcher street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
James E. Flanagan.....	25 Dent street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	10,000
Homer W. Holden.....	19 Allenwood street.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	7,000
Mary S. Cornelisson.....	78 Perthshire road.....	26	Third-class dwelling.....	13,500
G. L. Statuti.....	49 Ashley street.....	1	Third-class dwelling.....	11,000
Joseph Kaplan.....	50 Copeland street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	300
L. V. Niles.....	231 Harrison avenue.....	6	Alterations, lofts.....	300
Williams & Bangs, trustees..	280-306 Washington street..	5	Alterations, stores and offices,	1,000

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 11 TO DECEMBER 17.

DECEMBER 11.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
E. O. Irving.....	291 West First street.....	9	New fixtures.....	\$150
H. C. Greenlaw.....	231 Harrison avenue.....	5	New fixtures.....	250
L. R. Freedman.....	202 H street.....	10	New fixtures.....	450
R. J. Rodday Company.....	81 Albany street.....	9	New fixtures.....	75
L. R. Freedman.....	3 Lawrence court.....	9	New fixtures.....	75
L. R. Freedman.....	4 Lawrence court.....	9	New fixtures.....	75
D. J. Farrell Company.....	8 Monument avenue.....	4	New fixtures.....	450
D. J. Nolan.....	34 Staniford street.....	5	New fixtures.....	325
T. F. Riley.....	100 and 102 Albany street..	20	New fixtures.....	1,000
M. C. Short.....	1 Kerwin street.....	19	New fixtures.....	375
Philip Ligums.....	71 Maverick square.....	2	New fixtures.....	175
M. H. Myers.....	1303 Blue Hill avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	250
James J. Kelley.....	51 School street.....	3	New fixtures.....	600

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 652.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Lucius Banks of Division 5, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Lucius Banks be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 653.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Fitzgerald, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Robert C. Garnett of Division 5, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Robert C. Garnett be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 654.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Rooney and McConnell, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Frederick J. Barrett of Division 9, charging him with conduct unbecoming an officer, has reported to the commissioner a finding of not guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the complaint against the said Patrolman Frederick J. Barrett be dismissed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 655.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and Rooney, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman John J. Smith of Division 9, charging him with neglect of duty, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman John J. Smith perform one hundred and seventy hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 657.

The resignation of Patrolman Albert J. Brickley of Division 2, having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, December 15, 1924, at 7.45 o'clock a. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 11 TO DECEMBER 17.

DECEMBER 12.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Max Hyman.....	811 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$1,800
M. S. Pann.....	1120 Tremont street.....	13	New fixtures.....	110
R. F. Norwood.....	101 Kenrick street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
M. H. Myers.....	218 Chambers street.....	5	New fixtures.....	200
Tucker & Rice.....	287-293 Columbus avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	6,000
William O'Brien.....	48 Fayette street.....	8	New fixtures.....	40
H. Weiss.....	519 and 521 Columbus ave.....	17	New fixtures.....	300
T. E. O'Meara.....	6 Lenoxdale avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	1,000
T. E. O'Meara.....	16 Lenoxdale avenue.....	20	New fixtures.....	500
William O'Brien.....	104 Dartmouth street.....	7	New fixtures.....	100
L. W. Blakney.....	32 Cheshire street.....	22	New fixtures.....	300
H. F. Bimbidel.....	12 Granfield avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
H. F. Bimbidel.....	19 Granfield avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
Charles Lang.....	15 Hillside avenue.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,050
T. J. Murphy.....	3592 Washington street.....	22	New fixtures.....	700
H. S. Trethewey.....	62 Pinchurst street.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
P. F. Russo Company.....	34 Oakdale street.....	22	New fixtures.....	100
H. S. Trethewey.....	108 Ardale street.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
James A. Kent.....	9 Hobson street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
James A. Kent.....	28 Hobson street.....	23	New fixtures.....	475

DECEMBER 13.

George W. Rigby.....	5 Gifford place.....	11	New fixtures.....	\$300
Abraham Kellen.....	523 Tremont street.....	7	New fixtures.....	200
J. P. Shaughnessy.....	7 Fairview avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	500
John I. Henderson.....	118 Fairmount street.....	21	New fixtures.....	900
Powers & Mehegan Co.....	29 Bates road.....	20	New fixtures.....	475

DECEMBER 15.

John B. Sharpe.....	2 Pama Gardens.....	25	New fixtures.....	\$700
Max H. Cohen.....	429-433 Hyde Park avenue.....	24	New fixtures.....	400
Arthur Stein.....	61 Seymour street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
Arthur Stein.....	69 Seymour street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,100
John J. Vogel.....	41 Mendelssohn street.....	23	New fixtures.....	875
John W. Slane.....	152 Church street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
John J. Vogel.....	568 La Grange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	875

DECEMBER 16.

F. C. Lewis.....	48 North street.....	5	New fixtures.....	\$250
Bernard T. Clancy.....	172 Newbury street.....	8	New fixtures.....	365
Joseph Levin.....	11 Lansing street.....	16	New fixtures.....	1,000
T. A. Matthews.....	296 Columbus avenue.....	7	New fixtures.....	1,000
David Carlin.....	2012 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	75
Abraham Kudish.....	11 Carlisle street.....	16	New fixtures.....	300
S. Gould.....	11 Brookledge street.....	16	New fixtures.....	4,800
F. H. Denamore.....	19 Brahms street.....	23	New fixtures.....	1,200
Benjamin Roberts.....	487 La Grange street.....	23	New fixtures.....	650
R. A. LeCentra.....	659 Saratoga street.....	1	New fixtures.....	400
S. Gould.....	17 Greendale road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
S. Gould.....	19 Greendale road.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,000
Abraham Katz.....	9 Waterlow street.....	19	New fixtures.....	600
S. Tack.....	209 Beech street.....	23	New fixtures.....	500
S. Tack.....	35 Liszt street.....	23	New fixtures.....	400
F. H. Denamore.....	241 Manchester street.....	21	New fixtures.....	2,000
I. J. Walters.....	15 Princeton street.....	4	New fixtures.....	350

DECEMBER 17.

John C. Smith.....	820 Beacon street.....	8	New fixtures.....	\$2,000
Henry P. Murphy.....	21 Fairview street.....	20	New fixtures.....	700
M. J. Neary.....	206 H street.....	10	New fixtures.....	190
R. F. Norwood.....	105 Kenrick street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,000
John Matto.....	265 North street.....	5	New fixtures.....	50
John J. Norris.....	263 Shawmut avenue.....	6	New fixtures.....	300
Vincent B. Buckley.....	46 Washington street.....	19	New fixtures.....	200
J. P. Perry & Co.....	387 Washington street.....	5	New fixtures.....	250
John C. Kelley Estate.....	2893 Washington street.....	15	New fixtures.....	1,500

PETITIONS ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following petitions received from the Board of Street Commissioners:

William Kelly, 89 Forest Hills street, Ward 22, group garage, four units, four cars.

Joseph T. Nedder, 7-13 Readville street, Ward 24, four cars.

Sarah Coyle, 57 Bartlett street, etc., Ward 3, group garage, eleven units.

Morris Roazen, 519 and 521 Columbia road, Ward 17, two service stations and garage.

Harry I. Shackley, 18 and 20 Deerfield street, Ward 8, public garage and 1,000 gallons gasolene.

Samuel Ginsberg, 805 Massachusetts avenue, Ward 12, 2,000 gallons gasolene additional.

Metropolitan Filling Station, Inc., 121

North Beacon street, Ward 26, 1,500 gallons gasolene additional.

George Riley, 527 Washington street, Ward 23, 2,000 gallons gasolene additional.

Henry D. Vanderwyk, 589 Commonwealth avenue, Ward 8, 4,000 gallons gasolene.

New England Tire and Supply Company, 264 Columbus avenue, Ward 7, oxygen and acetylene.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel has approved the following claims:

Elizabeth Garabee, 37 Rockford street, Roxbury, in the sum of \$200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by defective sidewalk on Vernon street, corner of Auburn street, Roxbury, June 14, 1924.

Rosa Cohen, in the sum of \$600, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a projecting slab of granolithic on sidewalk at Boylston street, intersection of Church street, March 13, 1923.

Marie A. Battis, 60 Harrison street, Brookline, in the sum of \$500, as compensation for personal injuries received from fall on defective sidewalk on Audubon road, in front of Second Unitarian Church, on March 2, 1924.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 656.

The following transfers are hereby ordered to take effect, Monday, December 15, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m.; Patrolman Charles D. Anderson, from Division 2 to Division 11; Patrolman Gordon N. Snyder, from Division 2 to Division 17; Patrolman Stephen J. Murphy, from Division 2 to Division 9; Patrolman Elmer R. Crawford, from Division 2 to Division 15; Patrolman Thomas E. McMurray, from Division 11 to Division 2; Patrolman Joseph A. O'Malley, from Division 9 to Division 2; Patrolman Thomas A. Troy, from Division 15 to Division 2; Patrolman Michael J. O'Connor, from Division 17 to Division 2.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

General Order No. 658.

A trial board consisting of Captains Harriman, Grant and McConnell, having heard by reference a complaint against Patrolman Jeremiah F. Doyle of Division 3, charging him with being absent without leave, has reported to the commissioner a finding of guilty. In accordance with which, it is hereby ordered that the said Patrolman Jeremiah F. Doyle perform thirty-five hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

MAYOR ASKS FOR ACTION ON AIR MAIL FOR BOSTON.

On December 15 the Mayor sent the following message to Speaker Gillett on the air mail situation.

BOSTON, December 15, 1924.

HON. FREDERICK H. GILLETT, Speaker,
House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.

I am informed that three bills have been favorably reported by the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads providing for the extension of the air mail service to Boston and that the matter will be presented in the House of Representatives upon calendar Wednesday, December 17. Postmaster General New is reported favorable to the project. It is imperative that some measure pass to provide greater postal facilities for Boston merchants. I sincerely trust that you will call an immediate conference of all members of the Massachusetts delegation in Congress in order that there may be thorough harmony of agreement in behalf of this desired legislation and that methods of procedure may be definitely determined. It is in your power to save this important situation and I feel assured you will take the necessary steps in the premises.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

PLAYGROUND WORKERS, SUPERVISORS, AND ASSISTANT SUPERVISORS, CITIES, DECEMBER 27, 1924.

This examination will be for the service of all the cities and towns in the state where these positions are under civil service.

The playgrounds ordinarily are open from April to November. During the school year sessions are usually held after school hours and on Saturdays, and on all days except Sundays during the summer. In the summer, the usual salary is from \$15 to \$25 a week. The examination is open to both men and women.

The general duties of playground workers require a knowledge of the interest of children, ability to organize and conduct playground activities and adult recreation. It is desirable that applicants have education, training or experience in physical culture, playground work and physical training of juveniles.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 1; special questions, 1; total, 2. There will be one set of special questions for applicants interested in boys' work, another set for those interested in girls' work and a combination set for those wishing to qualify for both boys' and girls' work. There will probably also be a supplementary paper for those wishing to qualify as swimming instructor in playgrounds having a pool. Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position. Applicants who wish to be certified to positions as playground supervisors should have at least two years' actual experience in playground work.

EXAMINER OF CORPORATE AND TRUST ORGANIZATIONS (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES, DECEMBER 27, 1924.

The salary is \$2,400 per year. Applicants must be familiar with accounting, particularly in connection with income accounts, balance sheets and financial statements which are filed in connection with the sales of securities. Applicants should also be familiar with the "Sale of Securities Act" and with the procedure of the department in exercising the jurisdiction conferred on it by said act.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions on accounting, 2; practical questions on law, 2; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 2; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will also be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR OF VOTERS, CITY OF BOSTON ELECTION DEPARTMENT, DECEMBER 29, 1924. REQUISITION IS FOR A MALE, BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES.

The salary is \$1,500 a year.

It is desirable that applicants have a knowledge of the laws relating to naturaliza-

tion and citizenship, and a knowledge of the election laws of the Commonwealth. The duties of the position include the following: Registration of voters, compilation of voting lists, certification of nomination papers, investigation in connection with and assisting in making up jury lists, tabulating of primary and election returns, canvassing of votes in connection with recounts, indexing, and proofreading.

To be eligible for appointment to this position, applicants are required by law to file with the Department of Civil Service and Registration, Division of Civil Service, a certificate signed by a member of the Board of Election Commissioners of Boston of the same political party affiliation as the applicant, which shall certify to the applicant's enrollment in the said party for the three consecutive years next preceding the date of his application. This examination is open to both Republicans and Democrats, but the present vacancy is for a Republican.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; arithmetic, 2; report, 1; practical questions on the duties of the position, 4; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in practical questions, and in general average in order to become eligible.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER, BOSTON TRANSIT DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 2, 1924.

The salary is \$2,800 a year.

Applicants must have had considerable actual experience in the design of subways, with a thorough knowledge of the methods used in their construction, and be thoroughly familiar with the design of reinforced concrete and structural steel as applied to the same.

This position is in Grade D of the civil engineering classification.

Applicants must have at least eight years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch covered by the position, and two years of which shall have been in an executive capacity; provided, that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of four years of practical experience.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 24; questions on materials and methods of construction, 5; engineering theory, 5; design, 6; total, 40.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

AGENT (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, JANUARY 6, 1925.

The salary is \$7 per day. This position is for an agent in charge of standardization and special market reporting, and the duties are as follows: To inspect apples under the apple grading law, conduct grading and packing demonstrations at fairs, demonstrate and explain Massachusetts apple grading law at farmers' field meetings, prepare and issue special apple market report; inspect onions and issue certificates of inspection under Massachusetts onion grading law; develop special onion, asparagus and strawberry reports; address groups of farmers.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

ENGINEER, WATER DEPARTMENT, SPRINGFIELD, JANUARY 6, 1925.

The salary is \$4,200 per year. Applicants are required to have at least ten years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch covered by the position, and three years of which shall have been in a major executive capacity; provided, that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of four years of practical experience.

The duties of this position are the study of dam, reservoir, tunnel and pipe line sites. Applicants should be able to make surveys, borings, tests, etc., looking toward the location and development of reservoirs, dams, tunnels, pipe lines, and electrical power.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; practical questions on the duties of the position, 2; total, 5.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

CLERICAL SERVICE, STATE AND CITIES, JANUARY 10 AND JANUARY 24, 1925.

This is the regular examination for the clerical service of the state and of all cities and of such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. On January 10 the examination will be held in various centrally located cities. On January 24 the examination will be held in Boston, and all persons who reside within commuting distance will be notified for examination on this day. Certification may be made from the eligible lists established by this examination for office, institutional or other positions of a similar nature at the discretion of the Commissioner of Civil Service. Special qualifications in book-keeping, stenography, typewriting, cataloguing, filing, etc., and in foreign languages may be recognized by the commissioner in certifying persons for positions demanding such qualifications. Persons qualifying in the examination may have their names placed on the state list as well as on the list for the city or town in which they reside.

This examination will be given to fill positions in all grades of the clerical service except Grade V (chief clerk, secretary). All applicants will be given the same examination, and will be placed on the list in the order of marks received, and will be certified for any and all clerical positions in the order of standing on the list, unless in the opinion of the Commis-

sioner of Civil Service the mark attained is lower than is proper for the particular position to be filled.

Applicants who claim a knowledge of comptometry, stenography, or typewriting will be given a supplementary test at a later date to qualify in these subjects.

All applicants will be marked on each subject of the examination and will be given a general average on such marks according to the following schedule: Training and experience, 5 points; spelling, 2; letter writing 2; arithmetic, multiplication, division and decimals, 1; arithmetic problems, 1; word knowledge, 1; sentence meaning, 1; grammar, 1; reasoning, 1; total, 15.

Each applicant will be sent an "experience sheet" with proper instructions for stating his education, training, and experience.

The passing mark for clerical examinations will be 65 per cent in general average.

The usual entrance salary for clerks ranges from \$720 to \$1,200 per year. For positions paying \$1,200 or more, only clerks who receive a mark of at least 65 per cent in experience will be certified.

Sample questions for clerks available.

WATCHMEN, GATEMEN, GUARDS AND PRISON OFFICERS, JANUARY 15, 1925.

This examination will be held for the service of the state and all cities and such towns in the state as are classified under civil service. This service includes watchmen and guards in public parks, grounds, institutions and departments; gatemmen for ferries; turnkeys and guards in prisons, houses of detention and reformatories.

Applicants for appointment as officers in the State Prison and Massachusetts Reformatory must be not less than twenty-five and not over forty years of age at the time of filing application. Applicants for appointment as officers in the prison camp and hospital must be not less than twenty-three nor over forty years of age at the time of filing application. All applicants for these places must be not less than 5 feet, 7 inches in height and weigh not less than 135 pounds. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the applications for this service.

There are no age, height, or weight limits for watchman service other than those mentioned above.

The examination for watchmen, gatemmen and guards will be as follows: Training and experience, 6; memory test, 1; arithmetic, 1; handwriting, 1; accuracy, 1; total, 10.

The examination for prison officers will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions covering general disciplinary and penological methods, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10;

Applicants who pass the examination for prison officers will, upon request, also be placed on the list for watchmen.

Successful applicants will be given a physical examination.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES.

The American Literary Association announces the following lecture on the Art of Poetry, to which the Public is cordially invited, to be given in the Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library.

Saturday, January 17, 1925, at 4 p. m. "The Immutability of Great Poetry." E. Charlton Black, Professor of English Literature, Boston University.

FREE PUBLIC LECTURES IN BOSTON, 1924-1925, AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library announce the following list of free lectures, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock p. m. and Sunday afternoons at 3.30 p. m.

The entrance is from Boylston street only. The doors will be opened two hours before each lecture and closed ten minutes after the lecture begins. The Thursday lectures are generally illustrated by lantern slides. The Sunday lectures are usually not illustrated. Exceptions are mentioned below. Lectures are given occasionally during the winter in the lecture halls of the Charlestown, East Boston, Jamaica Plain, North End, South End, West Roxbury, and Uphams Corner Branches.

Thursday Evenings at Eight O'Clock.

- Jan. 8. Glimpses of Norway's Fjords. Ben Bleasum, General Representative of the Norwegian government in the United States and Canada. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Jan. 15. Mediaeval Pilgrimages and Art. Arthur Kingsley Porter, B. F. A., Professor of Fine Arts, Harvard University.
- Jan. 22. Picturesque England from Chester to Clovelly. Ellen E. Page.
- Jan. 29. Snaring Bird Songs. Charles C. Gorst.
- Feb. 5. Brazil and Its Jungles. James Ballance.
- Feb. 12. The Land of the Backward Rolling River: Chekiang Province, including its Capital, Hangchow, the Heavenly, William Dean Goddard, A.M. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Feb. 19. Under Italian Skies. Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.
- Feb. 26. Whaling and Its Methods. Arthur E. Watson, Acting Curator, Old Dartmouth Historical Society and Whaling Museum.
- Mar. 5. Killarney: its Lakes and Legends. Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J.
- Mar. 12. Tramps about the Presidentials. Milton E. MacGregor, Mountain Hut Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club. (Field and Forest Club Course.)
- Mar. 19. Earth Changes, illustrated by the Geology of Boston. Hervey Woodburn Shimer, Ph.D., Professor of Paleontology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- Mar. 26. Along Dutch Waterways. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Apr. 2. New England Birds and Wild Flowers. Mrs. Harriet U. Goode.
- Apr. 9. English Gardens. Robert N. Cram, B.L.A., Instructor in Landscape Architecture Harvard University. With autochrome illustrations.
- Apr. 16. Architecture in the United States in the last ten years. J. Randolph Coolidge, Jr.

Sunday Afternoons at 3.30 O'Clock.

- Dec. 21. Carols and Chansons of Christmas. Henry Gideon, A. M. With musical illustrations.
- Dec. 28. Boston Architecture: Past and Present. Frank Chouteau Brown. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 4. The Marvel and Glory of Glass: Ancient and Modern. Mrs. Walter G. Dennison.
- Jan. 11. Swedish Male Harmony Chorus. Carl Hutton, director.
- Jan. 18. The Appreciation of Greek Sculpture. Clarence Kennedy, A.M., Assistant Professor of Art, Smith College. With lantern illustrations.
- Jan. 25. Our New Comedy and American Family Life. Albert Hutton Gilmer, A.M., Professor of Dramatic Literature, Tufts College. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Feb. 1. A Splendid Rebel: Life and Times of Patrick Henry. Henry Lawrence Southwick, President, Emerson College of Oratory.
- Feb. 8. New New England Poets. Speaker to be announced. (New England Poetry Club Course.)
- Feb. 15. Modern French Music. Edward Burlingame Hill, Assistant Professor of Music, Harvard University. With musical illustrations.
- Feb. 22. Worthwhile Patriotism. Hon. Michael J. Murray.
- Mar. 1. Boston, the Convention City. Hon. James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston.
- Mar. 8. Treasures of the Theatre Collection in the Harvard University Library. Frank W. C. Hersey, A.M., Instructor in English, Harvard University. With lantern illustrations. (Drama League Course.)
- Mar. 15. The Magic of Words. Horace G. Wadlin, Litt.D.
- Mar. 22. Legends and Folk-Songs of Finland. Mme. Aino Saari. With musical illustrations.
- Mar. 29. King's Chapel Choir. Raymond C. Robinson, Director.
- Apr. 5. Footlight Orchestra. Thompson Stone, Director.

- Apr. 12. Dawn of Orchestral Music; a Program by members of the Eighteenth Century Orchestra. Raffaele Martino, Director.
- Apr. 19. The Battle of Lexington. Harold Murdock, A.M., Director of the Harvard University Press.

THE BOSTON RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club meets regularly in the Lecture Hall on the second and fourth Mondays of the month, at 3 o'clock, except as otherwise stated. The following free lectures are announced, subject to change.

- Dec. 22. Music—Arranged by Mrs. Arthur Howard Davison. The Christmas Message—Mrs. Minnie Meserve Soule.
- Jan. 12. What's What in Books. John Clair Minot.
- Jan. 26. The Wonderland of America. Mrs. Arthur Dudley Ropes. Illustrated.
- Feb. 9. Anniversary Observance of John Ruskin's Birth. Address: John Ruskin. Rev. Harold E. B. Speight.
- Feb. 16. Americanization: Its Ideals. Two addresses: The Value of Law and its Observance. Hon. Sanford Bates, State Commissioner of Correction. The Development of the True Citizen. Dr. Charles A. Coburn, Professor of Applied Psychology, Boston University School of Religious Education.
- Mar. 9. Days of Romance in Old Spain. Mrs. James Frederick Hopkins.
- Mar. 23. The Value of Critical Literature. Henry A. Higgins, Secretary of the Massachusetts Prison Association.
- Apr. 13. Ruskin and Agriculture Today. Dr. Arthur H. Gilbert, State Commissioner of Agriculture.
- Apr. 27. Author's Reading. Rev. Henry Hallam Sanderson, D.D., Editor of the "Wayside Pulpit."
- May 11. Annual meeting.

THE AMERICAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, BOSTON CHAPTER.

Free addresses in the Lecture Hall on Saturdays at 4 o'clock.

- Jan. 17. The Immutability of Great Poetry. E. Charlton Black, L.L.D., Professor of English, Boston University.

SITUATION OF BOSTON.

Latitude, North, 42 degrees, 21 minutes, 29.596 seconds; Longitude, West, 71 degrees, 3 minutes, 51.040 seconds (exact situation of apex of State House dome, according to United States Coast and Geodetic Survey). Boston's latitude is similar to that of Detroit and the southern boundary of Oregon, also Rome (Italy), Sofia (Bulgaria) and Mukden (Manchuria); longitude nearly that of Quebec (Canada), Bogota (Colombia) and Santiago (Chile).

MYSTERY PLAYS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

"The Nativity Cycle of New York Mystery Plays," translated and adapted (according to ancient precedent) by Dr. Phillips Endecott Osgood, is to be presented at the Boston Public Library on Saturday, December 20, 1924, at 2.30 and 8 p. m. after the manner of the presentations of the eleventh century, by the Public Celebrations Committee and the Boston Community Service, Inc., under the immediate direction of Miss Joy Higgins.

In anticipation of the above plays Mr. Richard G. Appel of the Music Division of the Public Library gave a free lecture on "Christmas in Music and Pageantry," with musical and stereopticon illustrations, on Monday afternoon, December 15, at 3.30 o'clock, in the Lecture Hall of the library.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending December 13, 1924:
Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.
Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 198; nonresidents, 42; total, 240.
Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.11; nonresidents deducted, 13.29.

Death rate per 1,000 of population.
Last week, 14.43; corresponding week last year, 12.18.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 37; one year to five years, inclusive, 13; sixty years and over, 79; total deaths: male, 123; female, 117; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 125; deaths of colored, 12.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 13, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 15, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	3	1	—	—
Diphtheria.....	49	1	88	4
Encephalitis lethargica.....	3	1	1	—
Influenza.....	5	1	2	—
Measles.....	69	4	52	1
Meningitis epidemic.....	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	48	11	52	15
Scarlet fever.....	87	1	96	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	30	11	39	8
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	4	2	1	1
Typhoid fever.....	2	—	4	—
Whooping cough.....	22	1	9	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, December 8, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair and all the members present.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

Communications were received from the Mayor making the following appointments, subject to confirmation by the Council, for the term ending April 30, 1925:

Thomas F. Downey, 64 Business street, Hyde Park, Weigher of Coal, Weigher of Goods and Measurer of Wood and Bark.

Martin J. Walsh, 15 Spring street, West Roxbury, Weigher of Coal and Measurer of Wood and Bark.

John A. Donovan, 41 Fort avenue, Roxbury, and Bernard F. Travers, 4 Wigglesworth street, Roxbury, Weighers of Goods, Weighers of Coal and Weighers of Boilers and Heavy Machinery.

Percy L. Dame, 68 Monadnock street, Dorchester, Thomas Hazlett, 15 Bowers street, West Medford, Carlton W. Ellms, South Sudbury, Philip C. Shute, 25 Natalie avenue, Melrose, Maynard S. Arnold, 64 Tremont street, South Braintree, Otto W. Youngren, 4 Hano street, Allston, Henry W. Vogelmann, 20 Empire street, Allston, Charles E. Goode, 100 Winthrop street, Brookline, and Albert J. Fitzpatrick, 72 Saybrook street, Brighton, Weighers of Goods.

George H. Frost, 27 Elizabeth street, Mattapan, Rose Wernon, 401 Norfolk street, Dorchester, and Daniel F. Lanten, 476 Atlantic avenue, Boston, Weighers of Coal.

Benjamin Julius Patkeff, 14 Baird street, Dorchester, Constable.

The appointments were severally laid over under the law.

VETO OF SADIE ROSENBLATT PAYMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, November 25, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith, without my approval, order of the City Council adopted under date of November 10, 1924, providing that under the provisions of chapter 389 of the Acts of 1924, the sum of \$5,000 be allowed and paid to Sadie Rosenblatt, mother of Beatrice Rosenblatt, who was accidentally killed by an aeroplane at Franklin Field on June 24, 1919.

I have approved the acceptance of the legislative act, and I am willing, if the Council so votes, to approve an order for the payment of \$2,500, which was the amount allowed in 1923 in the case of John L. Benaglia, in which the circumstances were similar.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

PAYMENT TO SADIE ROSENBLATT.

President DONOGHUE offered the following: Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 389 of the Acts of 1924, the sum of \$2,500 be allowed and paid to Sadie Rosenblatt, mother of Beatrice Rosenblatt, who was accidentally killed by an aeroplane at Franklin Field on June 24, 1919; said sum to be paid in monthly installments of \$250 and to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

APPROPRIATION OF PARKMAN FUND INCOME.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, December 8, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen, I am in receipt of the enclosed communication from the Park Commission requesting an appropriation in the sum of \$54,167.25, which is now available, as income of the Parkman Fund and which the Park Commission desire to expend for the purposes set forth in the accompanying communication.

I respectfully recommend the adoption of the order here submitted.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of \$54,167.25 be and the same hereby is appropriated from the income of the Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commission, for the maintenance and improvement of the Common and parks in existence on January 12, 1887, as follows: Franklin Park, Building, Improvements, etc., \$16,000; Franklin Park, Reconstructing Roads, etc., \$38,167.25.

City of Boston,

Park Department, November 26, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Tuesday, November 25, 1924, it was voted to respectfully request your Honor to

ask the City Council to appropriate from the income of the Parkman Fund the sum of \$54,167.25, which is now available as follows:

Franklin Park, Building, Improvements:
The continuation of the Greeting and additional work in connection with the Rose Garden..... \$16,000 00
Franklin Park, Reconstructing roads, etc.:
Removal of dangerous corner, continuation of the permanent road resurfacing in Franklin Park from Glen lane to Forest Hills street.. 38,167 25
\$54,167 25

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES B. SHEA, Chairman.

Referred to the Committee on Parkman Fund.

VETO OF PAYMENT TO NELLIE LONG.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, November 25, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith report of the Corporation Counsel in the case of the orders adopted under date of November 10, 1924, providing for the payment of \$1,500 to Nellie Long, who was injured by falling on the sidewalk in the yard of the William E. Blackstone School.

I am agreeable to the course outlined by the Corporation Counsel and commend consideration of the same to your honorable body. The orders are returned without my approval.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Law Department, December 6, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir,—In reply to your letter of November 18, 1924, in re Nellie Long, I beg to report as follows:

Chapter 437 of the Acts of 1924 provide that the City of Boston may pay to Nellie Long, the mother of James Long, a pupil of the William B. Blackstone School, who was injured while escorting said pupil to said school by falling on the sidewalk in the school yard, which fall was occasioned by an accumulation of ice and snow, the sum of \$1,500 as full compensation on the part of said city for said injuries.

This act was adopted as the result of an accident that happened in the school yard of the William Blackstone School, when Mrs. Nellie Long was taking her young son to the kindergarten grade, there having been allowed to accumulate snow and ice on the walks, causing her to fall. On account of her great weight she sustained a broken shoulder and fractured elbow. She was confined to her bed for a long period, and finally on May 31, 1924, died, leaving a husband and three children, aged thirteen, eleven and seven, respectively. Her death occurred while this bill was pending. The bill provides that payment shall be made to Nellie Long.

I consulted with Representative John I. Fitzgerald, who is the petitioner for the legislation, and expressed the opinion to him that in view of the fact that the bill provides for payment to Nellie Long, and Nellie Long being dead, that it might create some complication if your Honor were to sign this order in its present form, and suggested to him that it might avoid any complication if this order was not adopted by the city government, and that in the next Legislature a similar bill be introduced which would provide that payment be made to James Long, husband of Nellie Long. Representative Fitzgerald agreed with this view of the matter.

In view of all the circumstances, \$1,500 seems to be a reasonable amount.

Respectfully submitted,

H. MURRAY PAKULSKI,

Assistant Corporation Counsel.

Placed on file.

ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

The following was received:

City of Boston,

Office of the Mayor, December 8, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of a communication from the director of the Employment Bureau, setting forth that the funds at present available are insufficient for the proper conduct of the department for the remainder of the present fiscal year.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,

Employment Bureau, November 21, 1924.
Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston.

My dear Mr. Mayor,—It is necessary at this moment to call your attention to the fact that the

Municipal Employment Bureau has insufficient funds with which to complete the fiscal year. Of the present appropriation there is remaining only enough money to carry on the Bureau until December 26.

It will take \$7,000 additional to continue the Bureau until April, 1925.

May I ask your earliest consideration on the matter

Respectfully,
LUKE E. SHIELDS,
Director of Employment.

Ordered, That a sum not in excess of \$7,000 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Municipal Employment Bureau, under the direction of the Mayor, in the prosecution of its duties, said sum to be charged to the Reserve Fund.
Referred to the Executive Committee.

FLAGPOLE IN PARK, BRIGHTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 8, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit communication received from the Park Commissioner, the same being answer to order of the City Council adopted under date of November 10, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Park Department, November 28, 1924.
Philip Chapman, Secretary, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir,—I have your letter of November 25, with inclosure from the City Council, relative to the erection of a flagpole in the park at the junction of Henshaw and Cambridge streets, Brighton.

In reply I regret to inform you that we have no funds in the budget for this purpose, but I will be pleased to insert an item of \$1,000 in the budget for 1925 which will permit of the erection of a flagpole suitable for this square.

Very truly yours,
JAMES B. SHEA,
Chairman.

Placed on file.

CONVEYANCE OF PASSAGEWAY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 8, 1924.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I beg to forward herewith order drafted by the Law Department authorizing the conveyance to the 32 Beacon Street Trust of the city's right and interest in a passageway adjoining premises now occupied by the Park Department. This order is to take the place of the order recommended by me on October 20, 1924.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston, In City Council.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor in the name and behalf of the City of Boston be and he hereby is authorized to sell and execute and deliver proper instruments of conveyance to the 32 Beacon Street Trust, its successors and assigns, and all those claiming under it, together with a release by the said 32 Beacon Street Trust to the said City of Boston, its successors and assigns, of all its right, title and interest in, to and over the passageway abutting on the southerly end of the premises described herein and running westerly to Joy street; also in consideration of the rebuilding by the said 32 Beacon Street Trust of the wall of the stable now located on the above described premises, leaving said wall in as suitable a condition as it now is, at the rate of \$10 per foot for all the right, title and interest which the said city acquired under the will of the late George F. Parkman in the following described parcel of land:

"Beginning at the point on Joy place, at the intersection of the property of the said 32 Beacon Street Trust and running westerly on Joy place, 6.69 feet; thence running in a southerly direction 35.22 feet, to a passageway; thence turning and running in a northerly direction 6.69 feet to a point of intersection between the land of the said 32 Beacon Street Trust and land of the late George F. Parkman; thence turning and running in a northerly direction along the said land of the 32 Beacon Street Trust to a point of beginning 35.22 feet; consisting approximately of 235 square feet of land, more or less.

Said instrument of conveyance and release are to be satisfactory in form to the Law Department.
Referred to the Committee on Parkman Fund.

APPOINTMENT OF MUNICIPAL COURT PROBATION OFFICER.

There was received from Chief Justice of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston, Wilfred Bolster, notice that the justices of said court have appointed Oswald J. McCourt, probation officer,

the appointment to be effective December 15, 1924, at an annual salary of \$2,800, subject as to said compensation to concurrence by the County Commissioners.

Referred to the Committee on County Accounts.

CHANGE IN CENTRE STREET BUS LINE ROUTE.

A petition was received from the Boston Elevated Street Railway Trustees, in accordance with a request in vote of the City Council, that the trustees file such a petition for the following change in the West Roxbury bus line:

Centre street, May street, Pond street, Arborway and Centre street to the monument; returning over the same route.

General Manager Dana, speaking for the trustees, added:

"Your request for the operation of this service on a ten-minute schedule during the rush hours will be given attention, although in the schedule of operation which is filed with all petitions only the minimum schedule of operation is included, with the proviso that 'Such trips in addition to the above schedule as are required to adequately meet traffic conditions will be operated. You will note that in the petition which is now being presented a change has been made in the rate of fare without transfer from 5 cents to five tickets for 30 cents, which is in accordance with the schedule of fares for local riding on the Elevated system.

Referred to the Committee on Jitney Licenses.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Mary D. Allen, for compensation for damage to property at 11 Dixfield street, caused by backing up of sewage.

Robert Bayley, for compensation for damage to property at 5 Halifax street, Jamaica Plain, caused by police officer firing bullet.

Rosa B. Bloch, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Washington and School streets.

Boston and Lowell Bottling Company, for compensation for damage to automobile on Causeway street caused by city team.

Ellis Bravman, for compensation for damage to automobile and personal injuries caused by car of Public Works Department.

Charles H. Cahill, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by defect in Broadway Bridge.

Frances Carilli, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by fire apparatus.

Estate of John Coffey, for compensation for damage to property at 47 Creighton street, Roxbury, caused by ash team.

Agnes G. Davis, for compensation for injuries caused by horse belonging to city.

Gabriel Donadio, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by alleged defect at Green and Chambers streets.

Harry Feinberg, for compensation for injuries caused by fire apparatus.

Max Feinberg, for compensation for injuries caused by fire apparatus.

Pauline L. Follette, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Newbury street and Brookline avenue.

James P. Forde, for week's wages due him as blacksmith in repair shop of Boston Fire Department.

Harry Frieze & Co., for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Gilmour, Rothery & Co., for compensation for broken plate glass windows at 50 Gainsborough street, caused by city wagon.

Giuseppe Giovanniello, for compensation for injuries caused by auto of Fire Department.

Mrs. Theresia M. Granath, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by defect in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Joseph F. Harney, for compensation for damage to horse and team caused by city team.

John H. Harrigan, for compensation for damage to property at 430 Centre street during construction of sidewalk.

George E. Hibbard, for refund on gasoline license.

Margaret Scott Jones, for compensation for damage to property at 52 St. Stephens street, caused by ash team.

Sarah Katz, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 6 Oswego street.

John L. Keane, for compensation for damage to property at 3823 Washington street, during construction of Stony brook.

Michael J. Kennedy, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in I street, South Boston.

Mrs. Carrie Langley, for compensation for death of husband, Walter H., caused by City Hospital ambulance.

Massachusetts Women's Hospital, for refund on building permit.

Ruth McCabe, for compensation for clothing taken from Roxbury High School.

Mrs. M. Ellen McCool, for compensation for injuries caused by fire apparatus.

William J. McDonald, *et al.*, for compensation for damage to property at 148 State street, caused by bursting of water pipe.

Catherine McLennan, for compensation for damage to coat caused by paint on sixth floor of City Hall Annex.

A. B. McLeod, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by fire apparatus.

Caroline T. McManus, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by defect in Chelsea Bridge.

Harry Miller, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by fire apparatus.

Mrs. H. Minasian, for refund on overcharge on work done by Water Service.

Etta Mogavero, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Washington and Hanover streets.

Burton J. Mullins, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by fire apparatus.

James Murphy, for compensation for injuries caused by powder left on Fens Playground.

Margaret E. Murray, *et al.*, for compensation for injuries and damage to property at Adams street, Dorchester, caused by defect in Adams street.

Harry Nierman, for compensation for damage to property at 31 Haskins street, Roxbury, caused by defective sewer.

Antoinette Oberti, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 95 Leyden street East Boston.

Mrs. John Plunkett, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Benedict and Lawrence streets.

Gertrude Port, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Pinckney street.

Public Lunch and Delicatessen Company, Inc., for compensation for damage to merchandise at 17 Essex street, caused by defective water drain.

Mrs. Margaret Robbins, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Sullivan Square, Park Reservation.

Melvin M. Ross, for compensation for damage to property at 66 Stewart street, caused by water from hydrant.

Henry L. Vincent, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 328 Massachusetts avenue.

Emily F. Waters, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Kenton road and Washington street.

Rachael Weiss, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 228 Townsend street.

Hotel Westminster Company, for compensation for damage to property at Hotel Westminster, caused by broken water main.

Executive.

Petitions for children to appear at places of public amusement, as follows:

William Stanley Parker, Eliot Hall, December 4, 5 and 6.

Lillian F. Brown, Municipal Hall, December 16.

John W. English, Copley Plaza Hotel, December 11.

Vivian F. Woodlock, Strand Ball Room, November 28.

CONSTABLES' BONDS APPROVED.

The constables' bonds of Salvatore Grassa, James A. Canton and Mark Pearlmuter were received and approved.

GASOLINE LICENSES.

Notice was received from the Street Laying-Out Department of the Board of Street Commissioners of hearings on Monday, December 8, on the following petitions for storage and sale of gasoline:

John J. Donovan, 496 Centre street, Ward 22, 2,000 gallons.

James E. Fay, 545 Freeport street, Ward 20, 2,000 gallons.

John J. Murphy, 459 Neponset avenue, Ward 20, 2,000 gallons.

Also hearings on Monday, December 15, on the following petitions for storage and sale of gasoline:

George W. Burrell, 585-595 Newbury street, Ward 8, 2,000 gallons.

Samuel Ginsberg, 805 Massachusetts avenue, Ward 12, 2,000 gallons.

Metropolitan Filling Station, Inc., 121 North Beacon street, Ward 26, 1,500 gallons.

George Riley, 5277 Washington street, Ward 23, 2,000 gallons.

Henry D. Vanderwyk, 589 Commonwealth avenue, Ward 8, 4,000 gallons.

Joseph Verrochi and another, 259-263 Quincy street, Ward 18, 2,500 gallons.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

BOSTON ELEVATED RAILWAY COMPANY LOCATION.

A copy of an order of the Board of Street Commissioners granting to the Boston Elevated Railway Company a track location on Western avenue,

Brighton, from the eastern abutment on the Brighton side of Charles street to and connecting with the tracks at a point west of Charles River Reservation, was received and placed on file.

SALE OF UNCLAIMED BAGGAGE.

A petition was received from the Boston & Maine Railroad for leave to sell unclaimed baggage. Referred to the Committee on Unclaimed Baggage.

AMENDMENTS TO STREET TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

A vote was received from the Board of Street Commissioners, under date of December 1, setting forth certain amendments to the street traffic regulations, as published in detail in the Boston *Globe* and *Transcript*, December 6 and 8, 1924. Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF STREET COMMISSIONER JOHN J. O'CALLAGHAN.

Notice was received of the appointment of John J. O'Callaghan to the position of Street Commissioner. Placed on file.

PARK IN WELLINGTON HILL DISTRICT.

The following was received:
City of Boston,
Office of the City Clerk, December 6, 1924.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen,—You are hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 2 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, the loan order of \$18,000 for park in the Wellington Hill District, filed with the City Clerk on October 6, 1924, not having been rejected or withdrawn within sixty days after said date, was in force on December 6, 1924, as if adopted by the City Council.

Respectfully,
W. J. DOYLE,
Assistant City Clerk.

Placed on file.

TRANSFER OF CLERK TO HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Notice was received from the Health Department of the transfer of Daniel P. Thornton from the position of clerk in the Public Works Department to the position of food inspector in the Health Department, at \$1,600 per year, effective December 5, 1924. Placed on file.

NEWSBOYS AND VENDORS.

Licenses were granted on the usual conditions to sixty-four newsboys and twenty-two vendors.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Coun. GILBODY, for the Committee on Soldiers' Relief, submitted a report recommending the passage of an order for the payment of aid to soldiers and sailors and their families in the City of Boston for the month of December, 1924. Report accepted; said order passed.

SIDEWALK ON BLUE HILL AVENUE.

Coun. GILBODY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Blue Hill avenue, between 189 and 197 and in front of 238, 240, 242, 244, 248, 250, 278, 280, Ward 16 and 17, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 196 of the Special Acts of 1917.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

PAYMENT TO ELECTION SUPERVISORS.

Coun. LANE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Board of Election Commissioners be authorized to pay the sum of \$6 each to the Supervisors of Elections who actually served on Election Day, November 4, 1924. Passed under suspension of the rule.

ENCROACHMENT OF BRIGHTON BUILDING ON STREETS.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:

Ordered, That the Board of Street Commission-

ers be requested to inform the City Council, in explanation of their communication dated October 3, 1924, whether or not the encroachment on the public street of the building at the northeast corner of Warren and Allston streets still exists, and in what way "the interests of the city have been protected by the Board of Street Commissioners. Passed under suspension of the rule.

EXTENSION OF BOYLSTON STREET TUNNEL.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:

Ordered, That the Trustees of the Boston Elevated Railway Company be requested to take such action as may be necessary to provide for the extension of the Boylston street Tunnel from Kenmore Station to a point at or near Union square, Brighton, with stations at Cottage Farm Bridge and at the junction of Commonwealth avenue and Brighton avenue.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

LAYING OUT BRAYTON ROAD.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:

Ordered, That the Board of Street Commissioners be requested to accept and lay out as a public street Brayton road, Brighton, from Brayton way to the Newton line.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BRIGHTON.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 399 of the Acts of 1924 entitled "An Act relative to the construction of a municipal building in the Brighton and Allston district of the City of Boston and authorizing said city to borrow money therefor," be and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CONFIRMATION OF EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

President DONOGHUE called up under unfinished business, Nos. 1 and 2 on the calendar, viz.:

1. Joseph Fucillo, to be a constable.
2. Albert I. Nixon, to be a weigher of coal.

The question came on confirmation. Committee Coun. Moriarty and Lane. Whole number of ballots, 8, yeas 7, nays 1, and the appointments were confirmed.

TRANSFER TO APPROPRIATION FOR ENGINE 40.

President DONOGHUE called up under unfinished business No. 3, viz.:

Ordered, That under authority of chapter 261 of the Acts of 1893 the City Auditor be and hereby is authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Fire Station, Engine No. 31, Improvements, etc., \$4,000, to the appropriation for Engine No. 40, New Building, \$4,000.

On November 24, 1924, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

The order was given its second and final reading and passage, yeas 9.

RECESS.

By direction of President DONOGHUE the Council took a recess at 2.40 p. m., and reassembled in the Council Chamber at 5.15 p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following reports:

1. Report recommending that leave be granted on the following petitions (referred today):

William Stanley Parker, for children to appear at Eliot Hall on December 4, 5 and 6, 1924.

Lillian F. Brown, for children to appear at Municipal Hall, December 16, 1924.

John W. English, for children to appear at Copley Plaza Hotel, December 11, 1924.

Vivian F. Woodcock, for children to appear at Strand Ball Room on November 28, 1924.

Reports accepted; permits granted on the usual conditions.

2. Reports on notices (severally referred October 27, November 10 and November 24) of hearings on petitions for gasoline licenses—that the same be placed on file.

Report accepted; said notices placed on file.

3. Report on order (referred today) that chapter 399 of the Acts of 1924, entitled "An Act relative to construction of a municipal building in the Brighton and Allston district of the

City of Boston and authorizing said city to borrow money therefor," be and the same is hereby approved—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed.

4. Report recommending the passage of the following orders (submitted by the Mayor today):

Order appropriating \$54,167.25 from the income of the Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commission, for the maintenance and improvement of the Common and parks in existence on January 12, 1887, as follows: Franklin Park, Building, Improvements, etc., \$16,000.

Franklin Park, Reconstructing Roads, etc., \$38,167.25.

Order that a sum not in excess of \$7,000 be and hereby is appropriated to be expended by the Municipal Employment Bureau, under the direction of the Mayor, in the prosecution of its duties, said sum to be charged to Reserve Fund.

Report accepted; said orders passed, yeas 9.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. WALSH, the Council refused general reconsideration of all action taken today.

CHANGE IN WEST ROXBURY BUS ROUTE.

Coun. PURCELL offered the following:

Ordered, That the route specified in the existing license to the Boston Elevated Railway Company to operate motor vehicles between the junction of Belgrade avenue and Centre street, West Roxbury district, and the junction of Centre and Eliot streets, Jamaica Plain district, be changed so as to read as follows:

"Via Centre street, May street, Pond street, Arborway and Centre street to the Monument; and return over the same route."

Coun. PURCELL—This simply means changing, shortening up the present route, instead of putting in a new order, and involves a continuance still of the present 5-cent fare.

Coun. MORIARTY—I understood Coun. Purcell to ask Mr. Dana in committee if they would run over that route at the present rate of fare, and he would not give any assurance that he would, but said that that would probably be the result, and that he would take it up along that line with the trustees. If we don't look out, there may be a loophole there, and if we vote now to change the route the fare charged may be 6 cents. What will we do then?

Coun. PURCELL—We can vote against it. I don't care what the Council does, whether it passes or reject the order, but I think we should do something. This is something that will benefit a number of voters in the City of Boston out that way, and I understand that there will be no change in the fare for the present.

Coun. MORIARTY—At the hearing held in Jamaica Plain the majority of the people were opposed to the proposed change. We find two women here this afternoon who live in the district who were not present at the hearing in Jamaica Plain, but who have taken it upon themselves to appear here after having gone around with a petition, and they have filed that petition here. I think that is unfair to the people of the district, who were notified of the public hearing, and these people who did not go to that hearing, have now come down here with another petition.

Coun. PURCELL—The gentleman is wrong when he says they come in here with another petition. This proposed change, as embodied in the order, as I understand it, is satisfactory to the people of the district, and it was understood here with Mr. Dana that that was the proper way to do it to satisfy the people.

Coun. MORIARTY—I don't know what has gone on since the public hearing, but I understand that these women, who talked to me this afternoon, both live on Eliot street. Mrs. Brennan tells me that her husband was present at the meeting held there and was in favor of removing the jitneys from that street. If I remember right, and I think the records will show it, those who were in attendance at that public hearing were opposed to a change. When the vote was taken by the presiding officer, Coun. Purcell, the majority of the people at that hearing voted against a change.

Coun. PURCELL—Excuse me for interrupting. The original order was to eliminate May and Pond streets and carry the route all the way along Centre street. That was the reason for the objection. It was the people living in the May street section of Jamaica Plain who objected. The people on Burroughs and Eliot streets were in favor of the proposed change. But the thing was entirely different from this. This proposes to go all along Centre street, eliminating May and Pond streets.

Coun. MORIARTY—Well, you are putting it along the Arborway, and I don't know whether people on the Arborway want it. It is going to discommode some people, I suppose.

Coun. GILBODY—A short delay in acting will not do any harm.

Coun. PURCELL—It makes no difference to me.

Coun. MORIARTY—Mr. Dana said he was instructed by the trustees to favor the proposition, but that if it went through it would be a 6-cent fare. If we pass this today, with the vote already taken by the trustees, there will be a 6-cent fare. I think we as individual members of the Council ought to protect ourselves, because if we start in changing the route, having in mind the vote the trustees have already taken, they will start in with a 6-cent fare, and we will be overboard.

Coun. WATSON—Can they, with this order?

Coun. PURCELL—No. This order merely changes the route.

Coun. MORIARTY—Have we a right to change an existing route without the consent of the Elevated?

Coun. WATSON—The Elevated are asking for it.

Coun. MORIARTY—No, they are not. We are asking for it.

Coun. LANE—We have the right to grant a route; therefore, we have the right to change the route. I understand that that is all that is asked for here.

Coun. WALSH—Mr. Chairman, I move that the matter be referred to the Committee on Jitney Licenses.

The President put the motion to refer the matter to the Committee on Jitney Licenses, and declared that it was not a vote. Coun. Moriarty doubted the vote and asked for the yeas and nays.

The Council voted to refer the order to the Committee on Jitney Licenses, yeas, 5, nays 3:

Yeas—Coun. Donoghue, Gilbody, Healey, Moriarty, Walsh—5.

Nays—Coun. Lane, Purcell, Watson—3.

Adjourned at 5.28 p. m., on motion of Coun. HEALEY, to meet on Monday, December 15, at 2 p. m.

REDIVISION OF BOSTON INTO WARDS.

Chapter 630, Acts of 1914, required the redivision of Boston, by the City Council, into not less than 24 nor more than 36 wards, so arranged as to contain as nearly as could be ascertained an equal number of voters in each ward. On December 28, 1914, the City Council enacted as an Ordinance, by vote of 6 to 3, the plan submitted by its Committee on Redivision of Wards. This plan describes the new boundaries of the 26 wards. (See Municipal Register for 1921, pages 196-207.) The changes effected by the redivision of wards were mainly these, viz., Wards 1 and 2, East Boston, are divided by Prescott and Princeton streets instead of as before; Charlestown has two wards (3 and 4) instead of three; Ward 5 covers the old Wards 6, 7 and 8; Ward 6 in place of old Ward 9; Ward 7 in place of old 10; Ward 8 in place of old 11; Wards 9 and 10 cover the old South Boston Wards 13, 14 and 15 mostly; Ward 11 takes in the northern half of old Ward 16 and western end of old Ward 15; Ward 12 is similar to old Ward 17 and Ward 13 to old 18; Ward 14 includes old Ward 19 and adjacent part of old Ward 22 (as far as Perkins and Centre streets); Wards 15 and 16 cover old Ward 21 and the northern part of 22 (as far as Boylston street); Wards 17, 18 and 19 cover that part of old Ward 16 south of Dudley street and all of old Ward 20; Wards 20 and 21 cover the eastern half and western half respectively of old Ward 24 (as far as Blue Hill avenue and Walk Hill street); Ward 22 includes the southern half of old 22 below Boylston street and the northern end of old Ward 23 to Whipple avenue, Walk Hill, South and Allandale streets; Ward 23 is unchanged except as to its northern boundary just stated, and Ward 24 takes in Mount Hope section, east of railroad, Mattapan and Hyde Park. Wards 25 and 26 cover the southern half and northern half respectively of old Ward 25, Brighton.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Dec. 1, 1924.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, at 6:47 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan.

AMENDMENTS AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

On motion, the minutes of previous meetings were amended as follows:

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 192, to provide that the appointment of John F. Barnicle, as sub-master (fourth year), Lewis Intermediate District, shall read to take effect Jan. 5, 1925, instead of "Oct. 21, 1924."

Oct. 6, 1924, on page 192, to provide that the appointment of George E. Caswell, as sub-master, Washington Allston District, shall read to take effect Oct. 27, 1924, instead of "Oct. 21, 1924."

Nov. 3, 1924, on page 229, to provide that the appointment of Teresa L. Monahan, as assistant, Dearborn District, shall read to take effect Nov. 24, 1924, instead of "Nov. 18, 1924."

Nov. 3, 1924, on page 229, to provide that the appointment of Elizabeth F. Byrne, as assistant, Julia Ward Howe District, to take effect Dec. 1, 1924, shall read "fourth year."

Nov. 3, 1924, on page 229, to provide that the appointment of Ernest R. Smith, as co-operative instructor, Dorchester High School, (from Division foreman, Continuation School), shall read to take effect Nov. 19, 1924, instead of "Nov. 18, 1924."

Nov. 17, 1924, on page 243, to provide that the appointment of Mary T. P. Eagan, as assistant (third year), John Winthrop District, shall read to take effect Jan. 5, 1925, instead of "Dec. 2, 1924."

Nov. 17, 1924, on page 243 to provide that the appointment of Matilda E. Cogan, as assistant instructor, physical training, Trade School for Girls, shall read to take effect Jan. 5, 1925, instead of "Dec. 2, 1924"

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was omitted, the Board approving them as printed, as amended.

APPOINTMENTS OF TEACHERS.

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers, as reported by the Superintendent, and laid over at the last meeting.

The appointments were approved.

WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENTS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board he has withdrawn the appointments of the following-named special assistants, as presented at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1924 (pp. 189, 191):

Dearborn District—John R. O'Brien, sub-master, Sept. 8, 1924.

Washington Allston District—Ralph S. Monks, sub-master, Sept. 8, 1924.

Placed on file and the appointments withdrawn.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board he has withdrawn the appointment of Palmira Dellamano, attendant, Department of Extended Use of Public Schools, to take effect Oct. 15, 1924, as presented at the meeting of Oct. 20, 1924 (p. 217).

Placed on file and the appointment withdrawn.

DEATH.

The Superintendent reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension: Warren District—Abby E. Holt, Aug. 25, 1924.

Placed on file.

RETIREMENT.

The following retirement of a teacher because of marriage, to take effect on the date stated, was presented:

Harvard-Frothingham District—Elizabeth M. Hoar, instructor, special class, Aug. 31, 1924.

Placed on file.

The following appointments and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

SPECIAL ASSISTANTS.

Brighton High School—Lella E. Pierson, industrial department, Oct. 15, 1924.

Abraham Lincoln District—Margaret R. Lyons, Nov. 24, 1924.

Bowdoin District—Marion J. Champion, Nov. 20, 1924.

Dearborn District—Margaret M. White, Nov. 25, 1924.

Elihu Greenwood District—Thomas J. F. Teehan, Nov. 17, 1924.

Eliot District—Hattie Fisher, kindergarten, Nov. 17, 1924.

Emerson District—Olivia F. Howley, Nov. 24, 1924.

Francis Parkman District—Marion Lennon, Nov. 17, 1924.

Henry L. Pierce District—Ruth E. Dowd, Nov. 17, 1924.

John Marshall District—Margaret Meara, Nov. 24, 1924.

Lewis Intermediate District—Sarah J. Fleming, Nov. 24, 1924.

Mary Hemenway District—Walter A. Cremen, Nov. 17, 1924.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Intermediate District—Joseph F. Cooper, Nov. 17, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Esther T. Murphy, Nov. 19, 1924.

Robert Gould Shaw District—Celia R. Frankel, Nov. 24, 1924.

Samuel Adams District—Edward J. Markham, Nov. 17, 1924; Edna E. Rogers, Nov. 17, 1924; Anna H. Gilmore, Nov. 18, 1924; Lillian T. McDermott, Nov. 19, 1924.

Sherwin District—Emma S. Brown, Nov. 18, 1924.

Washington District—Annabelle E. Moise, Nov. 20, 1924.

Wells District—Mary P. Moran, Nov. 24, 1924.

William E. Endicott District—Katherine E. Langtry, kindergarten, Nov. 17, 1924.

Approved.

TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Brighton High School—Thomas M. Dowell, co-operative instructor, Dec. 1, 1924 (one day); Alexander MacGilvray, co-operative instructor, Dec. 1, 1924 (one day).

English High School—Andrew M. Batchelder, junior master, Nov. 17, 1924.

High School of Practical Arts—Ruth S. Berlin, assistant instructor, manual arts, Oct. 1, 1924, (three days).

Trade School for Girls—Mary T. Doyle, helper, Oct. 27, 1924.

Continuation School—Thomas F. Walsh, emergency shop instructor, Nov. 19, 1924.

Department of Manual Arts—Otis A. Hood, shop instructor, Nov. 24, 1924; Forrest L. Regan, emergency shop instructor, Nov. 10, 1924; Henry D. M. Spear, emergency shop instructor (one fifth time), Nov. 19, 1924.

Department of Music—Carlton E. Gardner, instructor of band and orchestral instruments, Nov. 1, 1924; Alice M. Gorman, instructor of band and orchestral instruments, Nov. 10, 1924; Hildegard Berthold Whitehead, instructor of band and orchestral instruments, Nov. 3, 1924.

Dearborn District—John R. O'Brien, sub-master, Sept. 8, 1924.

Washington Allston District—Kalph S. Monks, sub-master, Sept. 8, 1924.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS.

(From the Eligible List.)

Brighton High School—Thomas M. Dowell, Alexander MacGilvray, co-operative instructors (third year) Dec. 2, 1924.

Agassiz District—Ellen J. McGowan, assistant, Dec. 16, 1924.

Francis Parkman District—Dorothy H. Norris, assistant (second year), Dec. 8, 1924.

Franklin District—Dorothy F. Burke, assistant, Dec. 16, 1924.

Hugh O'Brien District—Mary Beatty, assistant (eighth year), Feb. 2, 1925.

Mary Hemenway District—Joyce H. Young, assistant, Dec. 16, 1924.

Phillips Brooks District—Rose R. Braxton, assistant, Dec. 16, 1924.

Roger Wolcott District—Dora Cohen, assistant, Dec. 16, 1924.

Theodore Roosevelt Intermediate District—Francis J. Cahill, assistant, Dec. 16, 1924.

William E. Russell District—Edna B. Dowling, assistant, Dec. 16, 1924.

Laid over.

(Junior Assistant.)

Henry Grew District—Blanche Harding, Nov. 24, 1924.

Approved.

(By Promotion.)

(Principal of an Elementary District.) Quincy District—Frederick A. Guindon, master (from sub-master in charge, Warren-Bunker Hill District), Dec. 8, 1924.

Approved, under a suspension of the rules by the following vote:

YEAS—Dr. Bogan, Miss Curtis, Messrs. O'Hare, Scannell and Sullivan—5.

NAYS—0.

(By Promotion.)

Public Latin School—Edwin F. A. Benson, master, head of department (from master, English High School), Dec. 8, 1924.

Dorchester High School—Josephine U. Heffernan, assistant, physical training (from assistant instructor, physical training), Sept. 11, 1924.

East Boston High School—Robert F. Allen, master, head of department, (from junior master, English High School), Dec. 8, 1924.

Approved unanimously, under a suspension of the rules.

EVENING SCHOOLS.

Term 1924-25.

Brighton Evening Commercial High School—Helen F. Cummings, assistant, Nov. 20, 1924, (one evening).

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School—William F. Walsh, assistant, Nov. 24, 1924.

Girls' Evening Commercial High School—Mildred P. Cummings, assistant, Nov. 25, 1924, (one evening).

Bigelow Evening School—Catherine Reynolds, assistant, Nov. 17, 1924; Henrietta L. Stumpf, assistant, Nov. 25, 1924, (one evening).

Bowdoin Evening School—Margaret A. Hayes, assistant, Nov. 24, 1924.

Comins Evening School—Mary F. Finan, assistant, Nov. 24, 25, 1924 (two evenings); Matilda J. Graumann, assistant, Nov. 24, 1924, (one evening); Helen M. Little, assistant, Nov. 18, 1924, (one evening).

Franklin Evening School—Wilhelmina M. Clifford, assistant, Nov. 17, 1924; Delia M. Coneys, assistant, Nov. 20, 1924 (one evening); Lillian E. Goodwin, assistant, Nov. 17, 18, 1924 (two evenings); Zelda Rosenberg, assistant, Nov. 24, 1924; Gertrude A. White, assistant, Nov. 20, 1924 (one evening).

Frederic W. Lincoln Evening School—Jane U. Barry, assistant, Nov. 13, 1924 (one evening).

Phillips Brooks Evening School—Agnes G. Gunning, assistant, Nov. 17 to 20, 1924 (three evenings).

Roger Wolcott Evening School—Edith C. Baldwin, assistant, Nov. 17, 20, 1924 (two evenings); Dorothy Kalker, assistant, Nov. 20, 1924.

Theodore Lyman Evening School—Gertrude N. McQuillin, assistant, Nov. 24, 1924.

Washington Evening School—Mary V. O'Keeffe, assistant, Nov. 17, 1924; Teresa A. Tehan, assistant, Nov. 25, 1924 (one evening).

Boston Trade School (Evening Classes)—Raymond S. Tobey, assistant, Oct. 28, 1924; Alexander MacGilvray, assistant, Nov. 3, 1924; Thomas M. Dowell, second assistant, Oct. 28, 1924; Daniel L. Sullivan, second assistant, Oct. 28, 1924.

Approved.

DAY CLASSES IN PRACTICAL ARTS

Term 1924-25.

Annie T. Keohane, Mary E. Sullivan, assistants, Dec. 1, 1924.

Approved.

EXTENDED USE OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Term 1924-25.

Leaders—Mary Boudreau, Dec. 1, 1924; Helen Brick, Dec. 3, 1924; Clare Eastman, Dec. 5, 1924.

Helpers—Marie Cunningham, Dec. 3, 1924; Palmira Dellamano, Oct. 15, 1924; Catherine Reilly, Dec. 5, 1924. Attendants—Blanch Fitzpatrick, Dec. 3, 1924; Gertrude Levy, Dec. 5, 1924.

Approved.

TEACHER COACH.

Term 1924-25.

Latin and day high schools—Arthur J. Connery.

Approved.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Elizabeth M. Brosseau, Francis J. Cahill, Florence Creed Cronin, Clara Glover DeSilva, Alice M. Douse, Dora I. Gay, Julia Gavin McGinley, Frances A. McManus, Mary P. Moran, Daisy F. Moulton, Sara A. Newton, Lillian S. Nicholson, Jessie P. Reed, Herma Coffin Rowe, Mary Stark Vanston, A. Olive Wolff, Augustine H. Curado, Donato Coletti, Arthur W. Cox, Clarence E. Damon, Thomas A. O'Laughlin, Henry D. M. Spear, John P. Sweeney, Walter Warriner.

Approved.

TOOLKEEPERS.

Continuation School—Samuel Anastasia, Nov. 20, 1924; William T. Lynch, Nov. 25, 1924.

Approved.

ATTENDANT, SCHOOL LUNCHEONS.

Shurtleff District (Shurtleff School)—Theresa Donovan, Nov. 20, 1924.

Approved.

ATTENDANT, OPEN AIR CLASS.

Wells District (Winchell School)—Mary A. Flynn, Nov. 24, 1924; Josephine Roche, Nov. 4 to 21, 1924, inclusive.

Approved.

ATTENDANT, DAY SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS.

Georgiana Griffin, Nov. 3, 1924; Margaret Healy, Nov. 10, 1924.

Approved.

TRANSFERS.

Quincy District—Frederick W. Swan, master, to the same position in the Abraham Lincoln District, Dec. 8, 1924.

Approved.

Lewis Intermediate District—Katherine L. Driscoll, assistant, to the same position in the Phillips Brooks District, to take effect Dec. 2, 1924.

Oliver Hazard Perry District—Anne E. Flanagan, assistant, to the same position in the John Marshall District, to take effect Dec. 3, 1924.

Central Evening High School—Henry P. McLaughlin, assistant, to the same position in the East Boston Evening Commercial High School, Nov. 24 and 25, 1924, (two evenings).

Approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence was granted each of the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

The Teachers College of the City of Boston—Wallace C. Boyden, Head

Master, Nov. 14, 1924, one day, without loss of pay (to attend Inauguration of President Olds at Amherst College).

Public Latin School—Matthew P. Butler, junior assistant, Nov. 17, 1924, one day, funeral; Ralph M. Corson, junior master, Nov. 17, 1924, one day, court summons.

Dorchester High School—Adalena R. Farmer, first assistant, head of department, from Dec. 9 to 23, 1924, without pay.

English High School—James A. Goldthwaite, junior master, Nov. 4, 1924, one day, without pay.

Girls' High School—Ellen G. Hayden, assistant instructor, Nov. 11, 1924, one day, without pay.

High School of Commerce—John A. Marsh, master, head of department, Nov. 14, 1924, one day, without pay.

Continuation School—Jeannette Ascolillo, assistant, Nov. 24, 1924, one day, funeral; Jeannette Ascolillo, assistant, Nov. 25, 1924, one day, without pay; William V. McKenney, senior instructor, Nov. 14, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Abraham Lincoln District—Helen Wilson, assistant, Nov. 13, 1924, one day, funeral.

Bennett District—Agnes K. Mallard, master's assistant, Nov. 3, 1924, one day, court summons.

Bigelow District—Henrietta L. Stumpf, assistant, Nov. 19, 1924, one day, funeral.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Caroline E. Nutter, assistant, from Oct. 14 to Nov. 26, 1924.

Bowditch District—Katharine M. Finn, assistant, Nov. 5, 1924, one day, wedding; Irene M. Foster, assistant, kindergarten, Nov. 11 and 12, 1924, two days, without pay.

Chapman District—Mary H. Crotty, assistant, kindergarten, Nov. 10, 1924, one day, funeral; Frances A. Gallagher, assistant, Nov. 24, 1924, one-half day, without pay; Henrietta G. Hogan, assistant, Nov. 10, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Christopher Gibson District—Catherine F. Mulligan, assistant, Nov. 25, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Dwight District—Blanche Young, assistant, Nov. 17, 1924, one day, without pay.

Edward Everett District—Josephine J. Lynch, assistant, Nov. 19, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Marguerite R. Young, assistant, Nov. 13, 14, 1924, two days, without pay.

Everett District—Madeline B. Driscoll, master, from Dec. 10, 1924 to Mar. 10, 1925.

Hancock District—Evelyn M. Pearce, assistant, Nov. 26, 1924, one day, funeral.

Harvard-Frothingham District—Catherine A. Keohane, assistant, kindergarten, Nov. 25, 1924, one day, wedding.

Hugh O'Brien District—Alice G. Muldoon, assistant, kindergarten, Oct. 28, 1924, one day, funeral; Irene M. Walsh, assistant, Oct. 10, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

John Winthrop District—Theresa E. Hayes, assistant, from Dec. 1, 1924 to Feb. 20, 1925.

Lawrence District—C. Louise Shea, assistant, Nov. 25, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Lewis Intermediate District—Mary M. Callahan, assistant, Nov. 4, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Mary Hemenway District—Ruth I. Byrne, assistant, Nov. 7, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Minot District—Katherine Moran, assistant, Nov. 7, 1924, one day, court summons.

Norcross District—Katherine J. Kincade, assistant, Nov. 12, 1924,

one-half day, funeral; Henrietta Nichols, assistant, Nov. 25, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Prescott District—Frances E. McColgan, assistant, Nov. 3, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Roger Wolcott District—Louise L. Carr, assistant, Nov. 3, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Shurtleff District—Idabelle L. Morrissey, assistant, Nov. 24, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

Thomas Gardner District—A. Elizabeth Crowell, assistant, from Nov. 1, 1924, to Aug. 31, 1925, without pay.

Ulysses S. Grant District—Mathilde L. Hackebarth, assistant, kindergarten, Nov. 20, 1924, one day, traveling to funeral.

Warren-Bunker Hill District—Irene E. Kiely, assistant, Nov. 25, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Washington Allston District—Anna M. Muldoon, assistant, Nov. 19, 1924, one day, without pay.

Wendell Phillips District—Helen Harvie, assistant, Nov. 21, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

William E. Endicott District—Dorothy M. O'Brien, assistant, Nov. 21, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Frances Dvinsky, assistant, kindergarten, Nov. 13, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Household Science and Arts—Mary F. Doherty, teacher of sewing, from Dec. 9, 1924, to Jan. 8, 1925; Margaret T. McCormick, teacher of sewing, Nov. 17, 1924, one-half day, without pay.

Department of Manual Arts—Mary C. Barstow, instructor in manual training, from Dec. 8, 1924, to Mar. 8, 1925; Sigrid Cederroth, instructor in manual training, Nov. 6, 1924, one-half day, funeral; Mary E. Davin, assistant instructor in manual training, from Dec. 1, 1924, to Mar. 1, 1925; Lettie R. Moore, assistant instructor in manual training, Nov. 4, 1924, one-half day, funeral.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence, under a suspension of the rules, was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Norcross District—Helen T. Noonan, assistant, from Nov. 1 to 30, 1924, without pay.

On the report of the Superintendent, leave of absence for rest was granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

The Teachers College of the City of Boston—Mary C. Shute, first assistant, head of department, from Feb. 2 to Aug. 31, 1925.

ASSIGNMENT ACTING DIRECTOR MEDICAL INSPECTION.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, reporting that subject to the approval of the Board, he has made the following reassignment:

Department of Medical Inspection—Joseph A. Cogan, M. D., school physician, as Acting Director of Medical Inspection, from Nov. 1, to Dec. 9, 1924.

Placed on file and the reassignment approved.

ASSIGNMENTS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned the following-named

teacher to a class attended exclusively by boys in a grade above the third in the district herein stated:

Sherwin District—Elizabeth A. Donahue, assistant, Sept. 1, 1924.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has assigned Helen R. Pengilly, assistant, Martin District, to the Model School, said assignment to take effect Oct. 20, 1924.

Placed on file, and the assignment approved.

DESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, reporting the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated, until such time as they shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations:

Charles Sumner District—Mary G. McCaffrey, assistant, kindergarten, as acting first assistant, kindergarten (vice Pauline F. Smith, absent on leave), Sept. 9, 1924; Mildred C. Phillips, assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), as acting first assistant, kindergarten (two sessions), (vice Katharine Macdonald, absent on leave), Sept. 9, 1924.

Sherwin District—Celia Bamber, assistant, as acting master's assistant (vice Delia L. Cunningham, absent on leave), Nov. 18, 1924.

Placed on file.

TERMINATION OF APPOINTMENT TO TWO-SESSION KINDERGARTEN.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, reporting that he has terminated the service of the following named teacher in the afternoon session of the kindergarten indicated, to take effect on the date stated:

John Winthrop District—Helen R. Dempsey, assistant, kindergarten, Aug. 31, 1924.

Placed on file.

On motion, it was ORDERED, That Helen R. Dempsey, assistant, kindergarten (one session), John Winthrop District, is hereby placed upon the second year of the salary of the rank, namely, eleven hundred and seventy-six dollars (\$1176) per annum, to take effect Sept. 1, 1924; that she be placed upon the third year of the salary of the rank, namely, twelve hundred and seventy-two dollars (\$1272) per annum, to take effect Oct. 30, 1924; and that she be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

DISCONTINUANCE OF SPECIAL CLASS, PHILLIPS BROOKS DISTRICT.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, reporting that, subject to the approval of the Board, he has discontinued the special class in the Phillips Brooks District, to take effect Nov. 14, 1924.

Approved, and placed on file.

AUTHORIZED LIST OF TEXT AND SUPPLEMENTARY BOOKS.

The Superintendent offered the following:

ORDERED, That the following-named books are hereby authorized for use as text books in Grades VII to XII inc.:

ITALIAN.

Dati, Nazareno. Nell Eta Preziosa. R. Bemporad & Figlio, Florence, Italy. Approximately	\$.50
Cherubini, Eugenio. A. Casa, A. Scuola, Nella Vita. R. Bemporad & Figlio, Florence, Italy. Approximately	.50
Piscopo, Francesco. Vita Di Bimbo. Professor Francesco Piscopo, Via Pietro Giannone No. 11, (All' Arenaccia), Napoli, Italy. Approximately	.50
Bertini, Emma. Italian Verbs Simplified. Felice Le Monier, Florence, Italy. Net	.54
Wilkins, Ernest H., and Marloni, Antonio. L'Italia. University of Chicago Press. Net	1.26
Wilkins, Ernest H. First Italian Book. University of Chicago Press. Net	1.17
Arbib-Costa. Italian Lessons. Italian Book Company, New York City. Net	.90
Laid over.	

EMPLOYMENT OF BOOKBINDER.

On motion of the Superintendent, it was

ORDERED, That the employment of a bookbinder, who shall work under the direction of the Business Agent, is hereby authorized for a period of six (6) months.

AMENDMENT TO LIST OF APPROVED TRADES, BOSTON TRADE SCHOOL.

On motion, it was
ORDERED, That Painting and Decorating and Upholstery are hereby added to the list of "Approved Trades" for the Boston Trade School, as adopted by this Board at the meeting of Jan. 6, 1919 (page 238), and amended Sept. 29, 1919, and Oct. 15, 1923.

ELIGIBLE LIST.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, reporting the amendment of School Document No. 13, 1924—Candidates Eligible for Appointment as Teachers—as follows:

Page 23—Elementary School, Class B Certificate.

777 Anna K. M. Coughlin. Name temporarily removed by request.

776. Catherine W. O'Connor. Name temporarily removed by request.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, reporting the insertion of the name of Ellen G. White in the Elementary School, Class B List, with the rating of 724 which Miss White carries on the Intermediate List, said insertion having been made on request of the teacher and under the provisions of section 84 of the rules.

Placed on file.

PERMANENT APPOINTMENT OF MESSENGER.

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, reporting that, with the approval of the Division of Civil Service, she has appointed Thomas F. Barry as messenger, Superintendent's and Secretary's offices, to take effect Nov. 21, 1924, from provisional messenger in those offices.

Placed on file, and the appointment approved, to take effect on the date stated.

On motion, it was

ORDERED, That the salary of Thomas F. Barry, messenger in the offices of the Superintendent and Secretary, is hereby established at the rate of fifteen dollars (\$15) per week, to take effect Nov. 21, 1924, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

AMENDMENT TO RULES

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Nov. 24, 1924, recommending the passage of an accompanying amendment to the rules, in order to make the requirements for those who qualify as teachers of physical training under the IV. High School certificate correspond with those established for certificate XI. Special: Physical Training.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rules are hereby amended as follows:

Section 80, paragraph IV. Strike out the paragraph which describes the special requirements for candidates who qualify for the certificate as teacher of physical training under this certificate, and substitute in place thereof the following:

A candidate who elects the group in which Principles of Physical Training is the major subject shall have completed an approved course of instruction in physical training and shall offer evidence of two years' successful experience in teaching physical training in a day school approved by the board of superintendents, which experience may count toward the three-year experience requirement.

Laid over.

RESIGNATION FROM PORTABLE.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, submitting the resignation of John J. Hoyer as custodian of Portable No. 91, located in the yard of the William Bacon Schoolhouse, to take effect Nov. 27, 1924.

Placed on file, and the resignation accepted, to take effect on the date stated.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, recommending that Thomas J. Foley, custodian, Robert Swan Schoolhouse, be granted leave of absence on one-half his net compensation for the period Nov. 17 (½ day) to and including Nov. 22, 1924, because of personal illness.

Placed on file, and leave of absence on one-half net compensation granted for the period specified.

TRANSFER OF A CUSTODIAN.

A communication was received from the Schoolhouse Custodian, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, transmitting a list of applicants desiring transfer to the custodianship of the Cudworth Schoolhouse and Portable No. 14, and recommending that Francis J. Powers, custodian of the Abby W. May and Old Thornton Street Schoolhouses, who stands at the head of the list, be appointed to the position, to take effect Nov. 28, 1924.

Placed on file, and the transfer of Francis J. Powers approved, to take effect on the date stated.

RETIREMENT OF AN ATTENDANCE OFFICER.

A communication was received from the Chief Attendance Officer, under date of Nov. 19, 1924, reporting the retirement of William B. Shea, attendance officer, a member of the Boston Retirement System, to take effect at the close of the day, Nov. 30, 1924.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF TRIAL BOARD.

A communication was received from the Trial Board, under date of Dec. 1, 1924, to whom was referred at the meeting of Nov. 17, 1924, a communication from the Schoolhouse Custodian preferring charges of neglect of duty against Charles V. Gillis, custodian, Fairmount Schoolhouse, reporting that a hearing was held on Nov. 28, 1924, which was attended by the custodian concerned, by the Schoolhouse Custodian, and by the master and sub-master, Elihu Greenwood District.

The Trial Board finds that the charges of the Schoolhouse Custodian are sustained, inasmuch as Mr. Gillis appears to have left the school building on several occasions without notifying the sub-master in charge of the building. However, the Trial Board is of the opinion that there were extenuating circumstances, at least on recent occasions, inasmuch as the custodian's mother is critically ill, and the custodian, because of his anxiety, returned to his home during school hours.

From the testimony before the Trial Board it appears that the Fairmount School is a building difficult to heat and the Trial Board believes that under existing conditions the custodian has done and is doing his best in this direction, though sometimes without success.

FINDING—That the custodian is guilty of the charges preferred against him in having left the building on several occasions without notifying the sub-master in charge.

RECOMMENDATION—That a letter be sent to the custodian from the School Committee reprimanding him for his failure to comply with the established regulations with reference to remaining in the building during school hours, and cautioning him against any further failure to comply with these and other regulations for custodians of school buildings; and that the Schoolhouse Custodian be asked to arrange for the custodian's transfer to another building as soon as may be possible, with the understanding that such transfer shall not result in any reduction in salary.

Placed on file, and the recommendation adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The order laid over at the meeting of Nov. 17, 1924, amending section 80, paragraph XI. of the rules, establishing the requirements for the military drill certificate, was taken up and passed.

The order laid over at the meeting of Nov. 17, 1924, amending section 320, paragraph 7 of the regulations, relative to adjusting salaries of teachers re-entering the service, was taken up and passed.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Board adjourned.

ELLEN M. CRONIN,
Secretary.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, December 15, 1924.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 p. m., President DONOGHUE in the chair and all the members present.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

Communications were received from the Mayor making the following appointments for the term ending April 30, 1925:

Isaac L. Wyzanski, 126 West Newton street, Boston; Richard W. Whipple, 1098 Washington street, Boston; Alfred A. Edwards, 791 Columbia road, Boston; Louis Ebb, 46 Fowler street, Boston; James Joseph Flanagan, 12 Lyman terrace, Boston, constables.

William J. Hagerty, 129 Hudson street, Somerville, as weigher of goods.

Edward E. Reardon, 8 Sewall street, Boston, as weigher of goods, weigher of coal, weigher of boilers and heavy machinery, measurer of wood and bark and gauger of liquid measures.

Appointments severally laid over under the law.

WIDENING OF TREMONT STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 15, 1924.
To the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I am this day in receipt of a communication from the Street Laying-Out Department, copy of which is here appended, directing my attention to the fact that the authorization for the widening of Tremont street provided by the Legislature of 1923 is insufficient in amount to cover the cost of widening as proposed.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Street Laying-Out Department,
December 9, 1924.

Hon. James M. Curley,

Mayor of Boston:

My dear Mr. Mayor,—The estimates for the proposed Tremont street improvement as provided for by the Legislature of 1923, are as follows:
Awards for property taken, approximately..... \$1,280,000
Construction..... 108,000
Plans, appraisals, etc..... 20,000

Making a total of..... \$1,408,000

As the total appropriation for this work is only \$1,320,000 it will be necessary to provide \$90,000 from some other source within the appropriating power of the city, and we respectfully request that this additional appropriation be granted.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN H. L. NOYES, Chairman.

Ordered, That the sum of \$90,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated from Special Fund, Civilian War Poll Tax Refund for Tremont Street Improvement.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

NEW TREMONT STREET BRIDGE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 10, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith a report received from the Commissioner of the Public Works Department with reference to the bridge on Tremont street at Arlington square.

The commissioner in his communication set forth that a new and wider bridge is necessary at this point as a consequence of the proposed widening of Tremont street, and believes that an amount in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) will be necessary for this purpose.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Boston, December 9, 1924.

To the Mayor of Boston.

In connection with the widening of Tremont street, from Stuart street to Arlington square, it will be necessary to widen the existing bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad and eliminate the overhead crossing of the 30-inch and 36-inch low service supply mains.

The estimated cost of providing the new bridge structure is \$100,000, which amount should be made available as soon as possible from an authorized loan for permanent improvements, in order that plans may be drawn and a contract awarded for this structure.

Respectfully yours,
J. A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Ordered, That the sum of one hundred thousand dollars be appropriated to be expended by the Commissioner of Public Works for the Tremont Street Bridge, and that the City Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BRIGHTON—VETO.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 15, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I beg to return herewith, without my approval, order adopted by the City Council under date of December 8, 1924, providing for the acceptance of chapter 399 of the Acts of 1924, making provision for the erection of a municipal building in the Brighton-Allston district by the City of Boston.

This bill authorizes the city to borrow money outside the debt limit for this purpose and in my opinion this action should only be taken in cases of extreme emergency. The most pressing need of the Brighton-Allston district at the present time is a courthouse and the city has made provision for the construction of the same.

It would be most pleasing for me to approve legislation of this character desired by so many persons of Brighton-Allston and I would gladly do so provided there was some way I could justify it. The necessity, however, of securing sufficient funds at an early date for erection of the Chronic Hospital at Parker Hill, the replacement of the main water line of the city which has been in use since 1860 and which will probably represent an expenditure in excess of a million dollars, the necessity for the appropriation outside the debt limit of sufficient funds to proceed with the establishment of a main traffic highway through the center of the business district of the city as recommended by the City Planning Board and approved by the business interests, which will represent an expenditure in excess of thirty millions of dollars, are, in my opinion, matters of primary importance that take precedence over the legislation as here proposed, and until such time as the necessities have been provided which are required for the protection of life and property of the people of the city we must forego demands of this character regardless of the number of persons that may be displeased or the pressure that is exerted to secure immediate action upon the improvement desired.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

Placed on file.

PAYMENT TO EDWARD J. C. POWERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 15, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I submit herewith for your consideration an order for the payment of the sum of \$2,500 to Edward J. C. Powers in reimbursement of a judgment found against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department. The facts are set forth in the accompanying communication from the Corporation Counsel and the Fire Commissioner.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Fire Department, December 10, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—I respectfully recommend and authorize that Ladderman Edward J. C. Powers of the Boston Fire Department be indemnified in the sum of twenty-five hundred (2,500) dollars, the amount of a judgment awarded to Frank P. Keating in the case of Frank P. Keating v. Edward J. C. Powers. This authorization is given in accordance with section 100, chapter 41 of the General Laws.

Ladderman Edward J. C. Powers, while in the faithful performance of his duty, and operating Ladder Truck No. 8 in response to an alarm of fire from Box 1471, on January 9, 1924, collided with an automobile of Frank P. Keating, resulting in damage to the automobile involved in the collision and other automobiles of the plaintiff.

Yours very truly,

THEODORE A. GLYNN,
Fire Commissioner.

Ordered, That the sum of \$2,500 as recommended by the Fire Commissioner be allowed and paid to Edward J. C. Powers for expense incurred by him in the settlement of an action brought against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department; said sum to be charged to Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

RESOLUTIONS ON DEATH OF SAMUEL GOMPERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 13, 1924.
To the City Council.

Gentlemen,—The world's foremost advocate and champion of the rights of the toiler, in answer to the summons of his Maker, has passed to the Great Beyond.

The people of America, regardless of station, race, creed or color, mourn the death of labor's leader and humanity's champion, Samuel Gompers.

His leadership both in peace and in war was dedicated to the welfare of his fellow man and the country of his adoption, the United States of America. When elevated to the position of president of the American Federation of Labor, nearly a quarter of a century ago, he found the creators of the nation's wealth, those who toiled with hands and brain, working long hours with insufficient return to provide for the actual need of their families. Under his leadership the twelve-hour day in industry was changed for the more humane eight-hour day, the Saturday half-holiday is today operative in substantially every state of the union, and protection for the toiler and the dependents of the toiler have been made possible through the Workingmen's Compensation Act and the Mothers' Aid Act, the saving wage has been substituted for the starvation wage, and the problem of part-time employment is receiving consideration from the thoughtful minds in America.

Through his leadership American labor has been prevented from accepting the tenets of communism and has been permitted to continue American. His contribution to the welfare of the toiler, to the happiness of his home, and to genuine Americanism is deserving of consideration and action by the city government of Boston, and I accordingly recommend the adoption by your honorable body of an order providing that the flags on all public buildings of the City of Boston be flown at half-mast upon the day of the funeral of Samuel Gompers, and further, the adoption of a resolution expressing the sorrow of the people of Boston at the great loss sustained by America in the death of Samuel Gompers.

Respectfully,
JAMES M. CURLEY, Mayor.

RESOLUTION.

Whereas, Almighty God in His Wisdom has seen fit to call from our midst America's foremost champion of human rights, Samuel Gompers, and

Whereas, During his entire life his splendid talents and great ability were devoted to the promotion of the progress and happiness of his fellow man, and

Whereas, His death is universally mourned and his passing represents an irreparable loss to the forces of labor whom he led with wisdom and courage, to humanity whom he served, to his family whom he loved, be it and it is hereby

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston in regular meeting assembled mourn the loss of Samuel Gompers, and be it further

Ordered, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the wife of Samuel Gompers, and the vice president of the American Federation of Labor, James Duncan, the expense to be charged to the Reserve Fund.

On motion of Coun. MORIARTY, the rule was suspended and the preambles, resolution and order were passed by a unanimous rising vote.

Later in the session, Coun. MORIARTY offered the following:

Ordered, That the late Samuel Gompers once being a resident of the City of Boston and later one of the leading figures of our country, His Honor the Mayor be requested to appoint a committee to represent the city at the funeral services.

The order was unanimously passed.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Horace Alden and Alden & White, Inc., for compensation for damage to automobile, caused by an alleged defect in Harvard bridge.

Eleanor Ansbro, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Nonantum street, Brighton.

Bent E. Benson, for compensation for loss or fowls killed by dogs.

Dennis L. Donovan, for compensation for damage to property at 317 Chelsea street, East Boston, caused by broken water pipe.

Richard J. Doyle, for compensation for clothes taken from room at Long Island Hospital.

Mabel W. Eames, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by fire apparatus.

Harry H. Engler, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by city car.

Martha Farwell, for compensation for damages caused by taking down trees on Lexington street, East Boston.

James W. Hayes, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by an alleged defect in Columbus avenue.

Holt-Fairchild Company, for refund on building permit.

Hudson Leatner Goods Company, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

Linden Turkish Bath Company, for refund on unused refuse tickets.

William McCann, for compensation for clothes taken from room at Long Island Hospital.

John McCarthy, for compensation for loss of clothes at Boston City Hospital.

John McFadden, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Telegraph street, South Boston.

Michael H. Murphy, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Warren street, Roxbury.

Samuel W. Myers, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 123 Court street.

Mary J. O'Connell, for compensation for collapse of boiler at 77 Claymoss road, Brighton, caused by shutting off of water.

Elsie L. O'Connor, for compensation for damage to coat caused by projection on gate of Lincoln School, South Boston.

Nora T. Patten, for compensation for death of husband caused by injuries received while in employ of city.

Anna L. Quigley, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 72 Boynton street, Jamaica Plain.

Clifford Roberts, for compensation for damage to automobile on Albany street, caused by city team.

Eli Rosenbloom, for compensation for damage to automobile on Cornhill street, caused by city wagon.

Ida Freeman Schmidt, for compensation for damage to property at 646 Huntington avenue caused by shutting off of water.

Hedley Vickers, for compensation for damage to automobile on East Boston Ferry.

John Zerga, for compensation for damage to automobile caused by negligent operation of gate on Charlestown Drawbridge.

Executive.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement:

M. Louise Graham, Mechanics Building, January 23, 1925.

Vivian Woodlock, Strand Ballroom, December 15, 1924.

F. Marie Pentz, Dorchester High School, December 13, 1924.

INCREASE OF LOCAL JITNEY FARES.

The following was received:

Boston Elevated Railway,
 Offices of the Public Trustees,
 31 St. James Avenue,
 Boston, December 15, 1924.

To the Honorable City Council.

Gentlemen,—In conformity with request made to me at the conference on December 10 to reduce to writing the reasons for request of increase of local fares, I am attaching a statement which covers the matter.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD DANA,
 General Manager.

MEMORANDUM FOR BOSTON CITY COUNCIL.

Reasons for increase from 5 cents to 6 cents for local fare on bus rides.

1. The trustees of the Boston Elevated Railway are directed to fix rates of fare which in their judgment will reasonably insure sufficient income to meet the cost of service. If the income is not sufficient any deficit caused thereby may be assessed upon the cities and towns served. The City of Boston pays over 70 per cent of any such deficit.

2. In the year ending July 1, 1923, the income no more than met the cost of service through the receipt of \$144,000 from settlement of claims for previous years.

During the months of July, August, September and October, the receipts were less than the corresponding period of the previous year by \$1,042,556.11.

In October a wage increase was granted by arbitration of about 3½ per cent. This increases expenses about \$500,000 per annum.

The foregoing shows the reason why it was necessary to take steps to increase the income for the succeeding year.

The trustees made the smallest possible increase, to wit: One cent on the local fares on street railway lines. The same increase should be made upon the bus rates because:

1. The added revenue is necessary in order to meet the cost of service.

2. It constitutes unreasonable discrimination to maintain these five-cent lines when it has been necessary to increase the fare upon street railway lines furnishing substantially similar service.

3. The bus lines in general are service lines, that is, they are not operated at a profit, but to fulfill the function of furnishing some service to the region in which they are operated.

Operated at the same rate of fare as the similar street car service they impose some burden upon the rest of the system and it is unreasonable for this burden to be increased by maintaining a lower fare.

4. It is the desire of the trustees to do away with the six-cent fare for local rides and restore the previous five-cent fare as early a day as possible. The maintenance of the five-cent fare on the bus lines to the amount that it decreases the revenue otherwise receivable, postpones the day when this can be done and is consequently favoring riders on the bus lines at the expense of the large body of the citizens of Boston.

Referred to the Committee on jitney licenses.

PAYMENT FOR COURT OFFICER'S SERVICES.

There was received from the Chelsea District Court, approved by Justice Bosson, bill for services rendered by John F. Sullivan, court officer, for December.

Approved and ordered paid.

CERTIFICATES OF EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

Certificates were received from Mayor Curley of the following appointments, the Mayor certifying that those appointed are in his opinion specially fitted by education, training or experience to perform the duties required:

John P. Englert, 306 Centre street, Ward 15, Superintendent of Public Buildings:

George S. Parker, 645 Beacon street, Ward 8, member of Board of Appeal.

Placed on file.

SANITARY INSPECTOR APPOINTED.

Notice was received from the Health Department that Francis X. Dolan of said department was appointed a sanitary inspector in said department October 17, 1924, at a salary of \$1,400 per year.

Placed on file.

STORAGE AND SALE OF GASOLENE.

Notice was received from the Street Laying-Out Department of hearings Monday, December 22 on the following petition:

M. Aline Holland, 59 Linden Park street, Ward 13, 1,000 gallons.

Abraham Finn, 100 School street, Ward 15, 1,000 gallons.

C. & R. Construction Company, 67 Harrison avenue extension, Ward 23, 50,000 gallons.

David Frank, 129 London street, Ward 2, 1,000 gallons.

Robert T. Gallagher, 587 Albany street, Ward 6, 1,000 gallons.

Edward F. Welsh, 4443 Washington street, etc., Ward 23, 1,000 gallons.

Placed on file.

PROMULGATION PROCLAMATIONS.

Proclamations were received from his Excellency Channing H. Cox to the effect that the Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth Articles of Amendment to the Constitution having been duly approved by a majority of those voting at election on November 4 last, are now a part of the State Constitution.

Placed on file.

CONFIRMATION OF EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

President DONOGHUE called up, under unfinished business, the following:

Action on appointments submitted by the Mayor December 8, 1924, viz.:

1. Benjamin Julius Tackeff, to be a constable.

2. John A. Donovan and Bernard F. Travers, to be weighers of goods, weighers of coal, and weighers of boilers and heavy machinery.

3. Martin J. Walsh, to be a weigher of coal and a measurer of wood and bark.

4. Thomas F. Downey, to be a weigher of coal, a weigher of goods and a measurer of wood and bark.

5. George H. Frost, Rose Wernon and Daniel F. Lanten, to be weighers of coal.

6. Percy L. Dame, Thomas Hazlett, Carlton W. Ellms, Philip C. Shute, Maynard S. Arnold, Otto W. Youngren, Henry W. Bokleman, Charles E. Goode, Albert J. Fitzpatrick and Edward R. McNeil, to be weighers of goods.

The question came on confirmation. Committee, Coun. Gilbody and Lane. Whole number of ballots 9, yeas 8, nays 1, and the appointments were confirmed.

PAYMENT OF SALARIES BEFORE DECEMBER 23.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:

Ordered, That the salaries of all city and county employees on monthly pay rolls be allowed and paid on or before December 23, 1924, and the heads of departments are hereby requested to submit their pay rolls to the City Auditor in season to permit such payment.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

EXPENSE OF REDISTRICTING BOSTON.

President DONOGHUE offered an order—That the City Auditor inform the City Council what expense, if any, has been paid by the City of Boston, on account of the legislative commission appointed to redistrict the wards of the city.

Coun. BRICKLEY in the chair.

Coun. DONOGHUE—Mr. Chairman, I introduce this order at this time because of the report which has recently been given to some of the newspaper reporters relative to the plans which are being mapped out by the committee which was appointed to redistrict Boston. Originally this committee was given authority by the Republican Legislature which in previous years has always been vested in the City Council of the City of Boston, but this year the Republican Legislature, in order to gerrymander our city, appointed a committee of Representatives and Senators, composed of seven Republicans and four Democrats, to redistrict Democratic Boston, it being known when they did so that they would make an absolutely biased report, and from what information has already been given to the press they are well living up to their reputation. This committee was supposed to have private quarters, as I understand it, in the City Hall, and an expense account of \$3,000 was to be at their disposal, to be paid for by the citizens of Boston. The City Council has refused to sanction the bill for \$2,000 and has also protested against the granting of any space in this hall to that committee, but I have been informed that space has been provided for them and that they have been working behind closed doors, the press not even being allowed to go into the room to attend any of the meetings of the committee. No one in the employ of the City of Boston up to the present time has been given any information by that committee as to what they expect to be able to accomplish. This committee, composed of seven Republicans and four Democrats, appointed a subcommittee to make a report to the committee of the whole, and they appointed on that subcommittee Senator Clark from Dorchester, Representative Keniston from the Back Bay, and Carrol Meins, Representative from Roxbury, who originally introduced the order to take the power away from the City Council, and they refused absolutely to give the Democratic Party any representative whatever on that subcommittee. Even though this is a Democratic city by over 70,000 votes, we find that this committee of gerrymanderers appointed a subcommittee without giving any representative whatever to the Democratic Party in our city, even though the chairman of the Democratic City Committee is a member of the committee of the whole. From what reports have been gleaned by the enterprise of newspaper reporters, we find certain things, and I believe the only reports the newspaper men have received have been through their own initiative and not through voluntary wish of that committee. They have so laid out this city of ours that they have eliminated practically in their entirety four Democratic wards. They have not disturbed a single Republican ward in the City of Boston. In fact, they have added to the districts which have been Republican in years gone by. They have segregated the people of the Jewish race so that they are now all thrown into a district by themselves in Dorchester, proving that they only tolerate the Jewish citizens of our city. They have done the same thing in so far as the negro in our city is concerned and, while at the present time Ward 13 is practically an even district between the Democrats and the Republicans, as represented by the negro people in the Republican part of the ward, they are denied representation and sent out to Jamaica Plain. They have made one ward of East Boston, composed of over 14,000 voters, one ward of Charlestown, one ward of the West End, bringing old Ward 5 all the way up through the South End to Waltham street, and they have brought Democratic Ward 12 from the

outline from the outskirts of Roxbury down to the other side of Waltham street, eliminating entirely the ward I come from, Ward 6. Of course, I personally did not expect any better treatment. But I notice that Mr. Keniston, who is a member of this gerrymandering committee, has recently been appointed as his reward to the job of chairmanship of the Metropolitan District Commission. Senator Clark, from Dorchester, has so manipulated the thing that he has eliminated the Jewish voters from his district, so that he can be a candidate for the incoming City Council. Martin Hays of Brighton has so manipulated the Brighton district that he comes all the way down through to Kenmore Station, jumping over from the Brookline line, the natural boundary line of Brighton at the Cottage Farm Bridge, and coming all the way down until he joins with Ward 8. No Republican ward is disturbed. If East Boston is a district by itself, and if Charlestown is a district by itself, then so is Brighton, and they are not entitled to come all the way from Brighton into Ward 8 to pick up the necessary 1,200 or 1,500 votes in order that they make two wards of Brighton. In fact, I personally think that this is about as raw a deal as has ever been inflicted upon the people of our city, and I think that the Democratic citizens of Boston are entitled under the present set-up of our political parties to a better representation in the incoming City Council than they will receive under this gerrymandering act. Under this act the Republican Party are positively assured of at least nine or ten city councilors out of a total of twenty-two, and they are not entitled to that number. This city of ours is Democratic by over 70,000 votes, and this state of ours is on the wavering line, as demonstrated by the vote for United States Senator as between Speaker of the House Gillette and the Hon. David I. Walsh, when in a presidential year there was a difference of less than 8,000 votes between the two candidates in our state. With Boston under this plan entitled to less than twenty-five Democratic representatives in the General Court, and with the City Council of Boston entitled to possibly eleven or twelve Democratic members at the most, a Council now composed of eight Democrats and one Republican, I say it is about time that some action was taken to prevent this iniquitous scheme of the Republican Party to divide and disrupt the Democratic Party in our city from going into effect. If they dare to file any such report as is now contemplated, I will predict that the courts of our Commonwealth will never stand for such an unfair gerrymandering scheme. I hope that the order will go upon its passage.

The order was passed.

SEWERS IN BRIGHTON.

Coun. WALSH offered the following:
Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested to construct a sewer in Everett street, Brighton, from Adams street to Hichborn street, and in Arthur street, Brighton, from Hichborn street to North Beacon street.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

SALE OF UNCLAIMED BAGGAGE.

Coun. PURCELL submitted the following:
Report on petition of the Boston & Maine Railroad, referred December 8, recommending the passage of the following:
Ordered, That the Boston & Maine Railroad be hereby authorized to sell at public auction on or before March 1, 1925, and after publication of the time and place of the sale, according to law, the articles left remaining unclaimed in the possession of said railroad in the City of Boston.

Report accepted; order passed.

RECESS TAKEN.

By direction of President DONOGHUE, the Council took a recess subject to the call of the Chair, at 3 p. m.

The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President Donoghue at 4.52 p. m.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on petitions (referred today) recommending that leave be granted for children to appear on the stage, as follows:
M. Louise Graham, Mechanics Building, January 23, 1925.
Vivian Woodcock, Strand Ballroom, December 15, 1924.
F. Marie Pentz, Dorchester High School, December 13, 1924.
Reports accepted; leave granted on the usual conditions.
2. Report on the order submitted by the Mayor (referred today) recommending the payment of \$2,500 to Edward J. C. Powers for expense incurred by him in settlement of an action brought against

him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed.

3. Report on notices received of hearings on petitions for storage and sale of gasoline, before the Street Laying-Out Department, received on September 17, October 6, and October 20—that the same be placed on file.

Reports accepted; said notices placed on file.

CHANGE OF CENTRE STREET BUS ROUTE.

Coun. PURCELL, for the Committee on Jitney Licenses, submitted a report on the order (referred December 8) changing the Boston Elevated Railway Company's motor vehicle line between the junction of Belgrade avenue and Centre street, West Roxbury district, and junction of Centre and Eliot streets, Jamaica Plain district, so that it will be as follows—via Centre street, May street, Pond street, Arborway and Centre street to the Monument; and return over the same route—that the same ought to pass.

Report accepted; said order passed.

SALARY OF PROBATION OFFICER McCOURT.

Coun. WATSON, for the Committee on County Accounts, submitted a report on the communication from Chief Justice Bolster of December 4 (referred December 8) stating that the justices of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston have appointed Oswald J. McCourt, probation officer, effective December 15, 1924, at an annual salary of \$2,800 subject as to said compensation to concurrence by the County Commissioners—that the same be not approved.

Report accepted.

DISAPPROVAL OF GASOLINE LICENSE.

Coun. LANE offered the following:
Ordered, That the City Council of Boston hereby disapproves the granting of a license for the storage and sale of 4,000 gallons of gasoline to Henry D. Vanderwyk, at 589 Commonwealth avenue, Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rule.

POWERS OF CITY COUNCIL IN COUNTY MATTERS.

President DONOGHUE—Gentlemen of the Council, the Chair at this time will make a statement with reference to the co-called investigation of the House of Correction at Deer Island in order to make his position as a member and President of the Council a matter of record. It is the opinion of the Chair that the committee of the City Council on Inspection of Prisons has the right at any time to visit, inspect, and inquire into conditions at the Jail or House of Correction, and that the City Council, as such, has the right and power, either as a body or by a duly authorized committee, to investigate the management of the county institutions or any other institutions or department for which they appropriate money. The right of the City Council, by itself or by a duly authorized committee, to investigate the county institutions by virtue of the powers conferred upon it and which are exercised in other counties by the county commissioners, has been established by precedent and confirmed by an opinion furnished to the City Council on February 24, 1914, by the then Corporation Counsel, Hon. John A. Sullivan, in the matter of the investigation of the County Jail. And in pursuance to that opinion the Council passed an order authorizing their Committee on Inspection of Prisons to make that investigation and the investigation was made, and the hearings were held, and the witnesses examined at City Hall. I might point out that the Council which obtained this opinion and concurred in it, contained four lawyers of high standing in the community, Messrs. Kenny, Collins, Coulthurst and Attridge. Acting apparently on the theory that there is a board of county commissioners for Suffolk County consisting of the nine members of the City Council and the Mayor, thereby making a board of ten members, five members of the Council have assumed that they are county commissioners, have called meetings, elected a chairman and a secretary, and propose to hold hearings and conduct an investigation of the House of Correction. Their proceedings are open to two objections, first, that if there is a board of ten county commissioners, five is not a majority; and second, that the county commissioners of Suffolk County, if such a body existed, would be a board consisting of the City Council of Boston, the City Council of Chelsea and the County Commissioners of Middlesex. However, neither of these objections are of particular moment, for the reason that the Supreme Court in a case reported in 114 Mass., page 417, decided, and made the bald statement, "that there are no county commissioners in Suffolk"; and there has been no substantive change in the law relating to county commissioners since that decision was made. No matter what the individual opinion of members of the Council may be, it has been settled by the highest tribunal that county commissioners do not exist for this county. The action so far taken by these self-constituted county commissioners, except in so far as it has been taken in their ca-

capacity as the Committee on Inspection of Prisons, is, in the Chair's opinion, illegal and unwarranted. Illegal, because there are no county commissioners, and unwarranted because it is not the action of a majority under their own contention. They now find themselves in an untenable position, and propose to ask for outside legal advice. The Chair sees no reason, when the proper course of procedure has been clearly established both by precedent and legal opinion, for splitting hairs and casting doubts on the powers which we have exercised as a City Council for more than fourteen years. Our powers have been curtailed enough by a hostile Legislature without any additional assistance from our own members. We can quibble all day about the exact meaning of this phrase or that phrase and at the end there will probably be nine different opinions, but why quibble when we have an established method of procedure, backed up by the opinion of the former Corporation Counsel which stands until it is reversed or overturned. The Chair makes this statement without intending to reflect in any way on any member of the Council, but believing it is time to return to an orderly and legal method of transacting the business of the Council, whether under the powers conferred on it which are exercised by county commissioners in other counties, or in any other capacity. Let me state, gentlemen, that that is my opinion, and I make that statement for the purposes of the record. I will recognize any other member of the Council on a question of personal privilege, to make any statement he desires. I simply wish to make it plain that my reason for nonparticipation in the farce was for the reasons that I have just stated to the Council.

GENERAL RECONSIDERATION.

On motion of Coun. WATSON a general reconsideration of all action taken today was refused.

Adjourned, at 5 p. m., on motion of Coun. WALSH, to meet on Monday, December 29, at 2 p. m.

UNDERGROUND RAPID TRANSIT IN BOSTON.

The Boston Transit Commission, consisting of five members, two appointed by the Governor and three by the Mayor, began its official existence, July 1, 1894, and ended it July 1, 1918, after seven extensions of the original term. It constructed, under the authority of Acts of the Legislature, the following subways and tunnels, the ownership of which is vested in the City of Boston, and all costs to be covered by revenue from same, not by taxation; Tremont Street Subway, from Broadway and Tremont street, South End, to North Station, and from Boylston street, near Charles, to Park street, 1.68 miles, open to Park street, September 1, 1897, and to North Station on Sept. 3, 1898, costing with subsequent alterations, \$4,416,000, the first transportation subway in the United States; East Boston Tunnel, from Maverick square, East Boston, under Boston Harbor and State street to Scollay square, Boston Proper, 1.42 miles, opened December 30, 1904, costing \$3,336,000, the first all-concrete under-water transportation tunnel in the world; Washington Street Tunnel, from Ash street, opposite Nassau, South End, to Traverse street, near North Station, 1.16 miles, opened November 30, 1908, costing \$8,496,700 (including \$2,850,000 land damages); Cambridge Connection Subway from under Park street station of Tremont Street Subway to Grove street near Cambridge Bridge, 0.47 miles, opened March 23, 1912, costing \$1,465,000; Boylston street subway, from Commonwealth avenue, near Kenmore street, Back Bay, to Tremont Street Subway, near Charles street, 1.5 miles opened October 13, 1914, costing \$5,485,639; East Boston Tunnel Extension, from Scollay square to North Russell street, 0.41 miles, opened March 18, 1916, approximate cost, \$2,450,000; Dorchester Tunnel, from Park street, Boston Proper, to Andrew square, South Boston, 2.26 miles, opened

December 3, 1916, as far as South Station; on December 15, 1917, to Broadway, South Boston, and on June 29, 1918, to the Andrew Square terminal. Trains of four or six cars are run in the Washington Street Tunnel, continuing on elevated track to Forest Hills, also in Dorchester Tunnel from Andrew square, South Boston, connecting with Cambridge Tunnel, to Harvard square, Cambridge, while only single or double street cars are run in the other tunnels and subways; amount borrowed to 1922 for the Dorchester Tunnel, \$10,750,000. Total gross debt for all subways and tunnels, \$37,558,700 (incl. loans of \$1,210,000 for new Arlington Station of Boylston Street Subway, opened on November 13, 1921), against which a sinking fund of \$6,369,630 has been accumulated from the revenue, payable mostly in 40 years from date of each loan (loans since 1911 payable in 45 years), annual interest averaging 3.8 per cent. These underground ways, about 8.9 miles in all with total of 19.27 miles of single track were leased to the Boston Elevated Railway Company (which furnished the equipment) for term of 25 years (except Tremont street, 20 years) at annual rental of $4\frac{1}{2}$ to $4\frac{3}{4}$ per cent of net cost (except East Boston Tunnel which was at $\frac{1}{8}$ of one per cent of all annual gross receipts of said company). In accordance with Chapter 741, Acts of 1911, the various leases were extended to July 1, 1936, the rental to be $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent of net cost after expiration of the first-term leases.

By Chap. 185, Special Acts of 1918, the powers of the Transit Commission, whose term expired that year, were transferred to the Mayor, Commissioner of Public Works and City Treasurer, or such person or persons, not exceeding three, as the Mayor might appoint. By Chap. 3, Ordinances of 1918, the Transit Dept. was established as a regular City department, to be in charge of three commissioners.

EXPENDITURES FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS PER CAPITA IN LEADING CITIES (RANKING FROM HIGHEST).

Los Angeles, \$20.62; Pittsburgh, \$15.51; Chicago, \$13.92; San Francisco, \$12.14; Philadelphia, \$8.68; New York, \$8.23; Boston, \$7.42 (as corrected according to approx. population). (See U. S. Census Bureau's Financial Statistics of Cities, 1920, Preliminary Reports.)

ABSENTEE VOTING AT STATE ELECTIONS.

By Chapter 289, General Acts of 1919, any registered voter absent from home at election time may vote by mailing an "official absent voting ballot" previously applied for and obtained from the Election Commissioners, to the latter so as to be received before the polls close. Said ballot must be marked by the voter privately but within the observation of an official authorized to administer oaths, and of no other person, in a municipality which is separated by at least two municipalities from that in which he is registered. The voter must make affidavit before said official, enclose ballot in official envelope and mail same on or before day of election.

Of 868 Absentee ballots mailed to Election Dept., on or before Nov. 2, 1920, 570 were counted, 10 were rejected and 288 were uncounted because not received until after closing of polls.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT

ESTABLISHING BUILDING LINES.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, December 18, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public convenience and necessity require that the order of the Board of Street Commissioners approved by the Mayor December 4, 1924, establishing building lines on Beacon street, Boston proper district, between Massachusetts avenue and Charlesgate East, be amended with reference to the condition contained therein as to future projections, so as to provide that said projections which are usually appurtenant to the front walls of buildings and the necessary foundations to support the same may extend over said lines for a distance not exceeding 5 feet; that it intends to so amend said order, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of December 31, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(Dec. 20-27.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, December 18, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land supposed to belong to Frank T. Horgan, about 1,190 square feet, and land supposed to belong to Ray C. Johnson, about 15,725 square feet, located on the southwesterly side of East Ninth street, between the properties numbered 263 and 299 on said street, and land and building on the northeasterly side of Vale street, about 18,530 square feet, located between the property numbered 52 on said street and a point about 368 feet northwesterly from Mercer street, South Boston district, for school purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of January 7, 1925, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(Dec. 20-27.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

REGISTRY DEPARTMENT, 103 CITY HALL ANNEX.

NOTICE TO PHYSICIANS, REGISTERED HOSPITAL MEDICAL OFFICERS AND HOUSEHOLDERS.

Physicians and registered hospital medical officers and householders can obtain blanks for return of births on application at this office or they will be mailed on request.

NOTICE TO PARENTS.

Parents can obtain blanks for return of births on application at this office, or they will be mailed on request.

GENERAL LAWS, CHAPTER 46.

(Extract from Section 6.)

SECT. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the city or town in which such child is born.

The parent who neglects to give notice of a birth for ten days after the time limited therefor shall forfeit not more than five dollars for each offence.

BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS. SUPERINTENDENT'S CIRCULAR No. 31.

"Pupils admitted for the first time must present a birth certificate, baptismal record, official government passport, containing proof of age, or evidence satisfactory to the principal that none of these is obtainable.

The importance of a birth record is shown in the above regulation.

E. W. MCGLENEN, Registrar.
December 10, 1924. (Dec. 20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, December 18, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and buildings on Waverly, Portsmouth and Lothrop streets, located between the property of the City of Boston (Auburn School) and Portsmouth street, Brighton district, for school purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of January 7, 1925, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest: JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
(Dec. 20-27.) Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MEAT.

The Supply Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing meats to various city departments during January, 1925, as per specifications to be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Proposals, with a certified check for \$200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, will be received at the above office until 12 m. Tuesday, December 30, 1924, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

(Dec. 20.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR HAY, GRAIN AND STRAW.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Supplies, Room 801, City Hall Annex, until 12 o'clock m. on Tuesday, December 30, 1924, when they will be publicly opened and read for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments during the month of January, 1925. The bidders must include the cost of delivery. The bidders are requested to bid on United States Old New York No. 2 timothy hay, United States Old New York No. 2 light grass mixed, and United States Old New York No. 2 light clover mixed, the straw to be rye straw in good condition. The grade of hay must comply with the federal hay grades and straw must comply with the National Hay Association, and shall be weighed and inspected by the federal hay inspector. The bidders are requested to bid on No. 2 white oats, clipped to test 36 to 38 pounds and No. 2 white oats to test 34 to 36 pounds, graded under the federal standards. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at Room 801, City Hall Annex. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for \$200. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one quarter the total amount of the bid with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Superintendent reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder. No reservations or stipulations will be considered by the Superintendent of Supplies.

(Dec. 20.) FRANK P. ROCK,
Superintendent of Supplies.

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GOODBYE OLD YEAR.

Goodbye Old Year. Here comes New.
 You've done wonders; now you're through;
 Adding wisdom to the ages,
 Making history's best pages.
 Rest and slumber with the sages.
 Goodbye Old Year. Welcome New.

Goodbye Old Year. Welcome New.
 Off with false hopes; on with true.
 Nations raise a mighty chorus,
 Rich intoning, grand, sonorous,
 Blithe and gladsome, sad, dolorous.
 Goodbye Old Year. Welcome New
 Off with false hopes, On with true.

Goodbye Old Year. Hail the New.
 Goodbye hatreds. Wrongs adieu.
 Down Life's lane, with high or lowly,
 Weak, or strong, sin-cursed or holy,
 Time is reaping — trudging slowly.
 Goodbye Old Year. Hail the New.
 Goodbye hatreds. Wrongs adieu.

Goodbye Old Year. Come in New.
 Stout hearts look for light to you.
 Rising hopes new scenes are staging;
 Brotherhood our thoughts engaging.
 Dreams of peace hide battles raging.
 Goodbye Old Year. Come in New.
 Stout hearts fondly look to you.

LOCATION OF STREETS.

The Mayor has approved the votes of the Board of Street Commissioners for the location of streets as follows:

The location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in the Dorchester district, designated as Donald road, from Blue Hill avenue to Harvard street.

The location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in the Dorchester dis-

trict, designated as Humes road, from Ashmont street to Newhall avenue.

The location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in the Dorchester district, designated as Glencoe street, leading southwesterly from Elmira street for a distance of about 175 feet.

The location, direction, width and grade of the private way, in the Dorchester district, designated as Duxbury road, from River street to Riverdale road.

MAYOR CURLEY ADDRESSES PRESIDENT IN PROTEST AGAINST PROPOSED INCREASE IN FOOD TRANSPORTATION COSTS.

The Mayor on December 19 addressed the following letter to President Coolidge on the proposed increase in transportation rates on food.

HON. CALVIN COOLIDGE, *President of the United States*, Washington, D. C.

MY DEAR MR. PRESIDENT,—I hereby inclose for the information of the President a copy of letter recently mailed to the Chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, which I submit, with all proper respect, is a protest whose subject matter deserves the attention and interest of the Chief Magistrate of the republic.

Since the mailing of this letter announcement has been made in the daily press that a 10 per cent reduction in the wages of the textile workers of the Merrimack Valley has been ordered by the mill owners, thereby producing economic conditions that render life and living more difficult and hazardous for dependents. In view of the high cost of living now obtaining in New England and the downward trend of wage scales the contemplated raise in transportation rates on the foods of the worker is essentially against the public weal and a move if permitted to materialize calculated to entail a needless hardship in this wintry season.

I respectfully ask that the President will intervene to prevent the precipitation of a situation dangerous to the peace and order of this Commonwealth and unjust to its people. Feeling that I can count on the sympathetic interest of the President and his prompt action, I have the honor to remain,

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

PRESIDENT ACTS ON MAYOR'S SUGGESTION.

Mayor Curley received the following communication December 23:

THE WHITE HOUSE,
WASHINGTON, December 22, 1924.

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR,—Your letter of December 19, with enclosure, has been received and by the President's direction the matter to which you refer is at once being brought to the attention of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Sincerely yours,

C. B. SLEMP,
Secretary to the President.



"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean,
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

[From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.]

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, December 29, at 2 p. m.

Meetings of the Transit Department are held on Monday and Thursday of each week at 11 a. m.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such officials to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

To THE BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS, Room 401, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways; the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments for streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped areas for streets and the opening of private ways; the granting of licenses for the storage or sale of merchandise in public streets; the regulation of street traffic; the making of specific repairs in public streets, the naming of public streets, the planting and removal of trees in public ways, the issuing of licenses for the storage of gasoline, oil and other inflammable substances or explosive compounds, the use of the pub-

lic ways for any permanent or temporary obstruction or projection in, under or over the same, including the location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railway or illuminating purposes, signs, marqueses, bay windows, coal holes and vaults.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of the ferries, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Room 1107, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughter houses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases of public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be

made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts; also information relative to Mt. Hope, Evergreen, Fairview and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE SCHOOLHOUSE COMMISSIONERS, Room 1007, City Hall Annex, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 1001, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings.

To THE WIRE DIVISION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, Fire Department Headquarters, 60 Bristol street, for all information relative to the erection of poles, the building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division. To Room 906, City Hall Annex, for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings in the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

REQUESTS FOR LAND TAKINGS.

The Mayor has approved the decision of the Schoolhouse Department to request the Board of Street Commissioners to take, for the purpose of erecting thereon an intermediate school, a certain piece or parcel of land in the Minot District, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Oak avenue 170 feet from the southeasterly corner of Oak avenue and Adams street, thence southeasterly by line of Oak avenue 340 feet to land of Minot; thence southeasterly by land of Minot 200 feet to land of Pike; thence southwesterly by land of Pike 234 feet to Delmont street; thence northwesterly across Delmont street 35 feet to land of Marca; thence southwesterly by northerly line of Delmont street 116 feet; thence northwesterly 114 feet; thence southwesterly 15 feet; thence northwesterly 110 feet to the point of beginning and contains 59,894 square feet of land. Be all said measurements more or less.

Also to request the Board of Street Commissioners to take, for the purpose of erecting thereon an elementary school, a certain piece or parcel of land in the Everett District, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southwesterly side of Rutland street 127 feet northwesterly from the corner of Newland and Rutland streets, thence southwesterly by South End Music School 90 feet to Newland place; thence northwesterly by said place 161 feet to land of Dowd; thence northeasterly by land of Dowd 90 feet to Rutland street; thence southeasterly by Rutland street 162 feet to the point of beginning; and contains 14,480 square feet of land. Be all said measurements more or less.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

Walter Curley & Son have been allowed to amend their contract for moving six portable buildings in various districts by striking out the words and figures, "September 2, 1924," on page 12, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "October 1, 1924," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 12, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about July 29, 1924, and is to be completed on or before October 1, 1924."

M. A. Dame & Son Company have been allowed to amend their contract for installing heating and ventilating work in the Dorchester High School in the Henry L. Pierce District, Dunbar avenue, Dorchester, by striking out the words and figures, "October 15, 1924," on page 24, Section 3, and substituting therefor the words and figures, "March 1, 1925," so that the beginning of the last paragraph of said Section 3 on page 24, shall read: "The work is to be commenced on or about March 15, 1923, and is to be completed on or before March 1, 1925."

Joseph Rugo has been allowed to amend his contract for erecting and completing elementary school in the John Marshall District by striking out the last clause under paragraph (C), Section 19, page 115, and substituting therefor the following: "For the above service the contractor for the heating and ventilating work is to be allowed and paid by the city an amount equal to the customary and prevailing charge for this type of service during the period of the service."

BOSTON HAS BEEN GENEROUS TO HER VETERANS FOR WAR SERVICES.

REPORT OF SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT AS PRESENTED TO MAYOR CURLEY SHOWS EFFICIENCY AND SUCCESS OF ORGANIZATION AND WORK ACCOMPLISHED — OVER \$14, 000,000 SPENT IN RELIEF SINCE ORGANIZATION.

Boston has spent more than \$14,254,289 in soldiers' relief work since the organization of the department and for the year 1922-23 has given relief to more than 10,000 veterans at an expense of \$337,366.31. This includes Civil War, Spanish-American War and World War veterans, according to the report of the Commissioner, General John H. Dunn, which he has this week presented to Mayor Curley for consideration. The total number of visits made during the year was 13,511, averaging more than 1,125 per month. In addition to this there were 3,162 who came to the offices in City Hall and made statements, thus saving trips by visitors. During 1921-22 \$1,061,797.06 was expended and in 1922-23 \$1,049,631.09. This year, however, to date there have been expended but \$337,366.31. Owing to unemployment in the past few months these figures will likely be raised.

The report of the Commissioner to his Honor, the Mayor follows:

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of the City of Boston:

SIR,— In compliance with the provisions of chapter 3, section 24, of the Revised Ordinances, I have the honor to present the annual report of the Soldiers' Relief Department for the year ending January 31, 1924.

The Soldiers' Relief Department under the various statutes as codified under chapter 115 of the General Laws disburses State Aid, Military Aid and Soldiers' Relief to honorably discharged veterans and their dependents of the Civil War, the war with Spain, the Philippine Insurrection and those who served on the Mexican Border and during the World War.

Such persons under the law in order to be eligible for State Aid and Military Aid must have served to the credit of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and to be eligible for Soldiers' Relief must have a legal settlement in Boston. They must be in such need as to require assistance, and it must be determined that they are worthy persons and that their necessity has not been caused by their misconduct.

The following tables will show the changes in the number of cases on the pay roll from February 1, 1923, to January 31, 1924, and also changes in the total monthly payments. The pay roll for the Civil War diminished from \$9,128 for the month of February, 1923, to \$7,556 for the month of January, 1924. The greatest changes, naturally, were in the pay roll for the World War, Spanish War, Philippine Insurrection and Mexican Border veterans.

DATES.	Civil and Spanish War, Philippine Insurrection and Mexican Border Service.	World War	Total Number on Pay Roll.
1923.			
February 1.....	1,080	802	1,882
March 1.....	1,066	747	1,813
April 1.....	1,037	737	1,774
May 1.....	1,001	442	1,443
June 1.....	984	276	1,260
July 1.....	960	243	1,203
August 9.....	932	210	1,142
September 1.....	900	200	1,100
October 1.....	886	214	1,100
November 1.....	880	270	1,150
December 1.....	871	310	1,181
1924.			
January 1.....	860	419	1,279
January 31.....	861	638	1,499

MONTHLY PAY ROLL FOR SPANISH WAR, PHILIPPINE INSURRECTION, MEXI- CAN BORDER AND WORLD WAR.

1923.	
February.....	\$28,657 50
March.....	27,001 61
April.....	15,481 00
May.....	11,607 50
June.....	10,124 40
July.....	10,151 00
August.....	9,647 73
September.....	10,008 61
October.....	11,032 00
November.....	11,475 03
December.....	16,461 50
1924.	
January.....	22,675 64
	\$184,623 52

\$112,428.28 of this amount was expended for World War veterans and their dependents.

The total number of visits made during the year was 13,511, this being an average of 1,125 visits monthly.

In addition to the visitors' reports as to the circumstances of the applicants and beneficiaries, the commissioner requires that all persons who are being aided report at the office from time to time, usually every alternate month, to make statements under oath as to their financial condition or other changes in circumstances. During the year the number of these statements made at the office totalled 3,162. This report of the beneficiary in conjunction with the information gained by the visit to his home, gave the commissioner, when

he reviewed the case, an intelligent understanding of the needs in each case and corresponding action on his part.

Practically all applications for aid whether original or for reinstatement go through the commissioner's hands after personal visit and other investigation has been made. In doubtful cases every effort is made to obtain all possible information in order that the commissioner may be conversant with all the circumstances and feel that his action is justified in all his allowances or his action in another direction.

The commissioner personally interviews a large majority of the applicants and advises them regarding their problems. In this way it is found that the confidence and co-operation of the beneficiaries is usually gained.

This work is still being continued, the aim being to aid as far as possible eligible veterans and their dependents in their claims for Federal compensation or pension. Since this work was begun, many pending claims have been settled with the result of a considerable saving to this department. One visitor from this office, who has been especially appointed for this work, makes daily calls at the Veterans' Bureau in order to keep in close touch with the claims of all persons who are on the pay roll of this department.

The commissioner takes this opportunity to express his appreciation for the assistance in various ways given by organizations of former service men which has been of material help toward the results obtained by this department.

The Municipal Employment Bureau has rendered valuable assistance in securing work for ex-service men, many of these being positions for skilled workers at good wages.

The State Employment Bureau and the Massachusetts Reference Association have also been helpful by their co-operation. In addition, the commissioner himself and the visitors and other officials of the department have frequently secured employment for applicants by their personal efforts.

During the period from March to November, 1923, 480 veterans were given employment on the East Boston Tunnel, and in addition to this particular work, during the period from September, 1923, to August, 1924, 804 veterans were placed in positions through the Municipal Employment Bureau established through his Honor Mayor Curley, and this naturally resulted in a great saving to the city.

Since 1922 there has been a large increase in the visiting and clerical staff in order that applications might be handled with greater expedition. Where it appears that the applicant is in extremely needy circumstances, an advance of aid is made pending the usual investigation. Also a policy of greater liberality has been adopted in view of the increase of the cost of living.

The office routine has been greatly improved with the result that decisions on applications may be quickly reached, and an information desk has been established where applicants may be fully informed as to all details of the office procedure.

Methods in the preparation of case histories have been improved, and all histories are now summarized up to date before the case is placed before the commissioner, who is thus enabled, by having a clear view of the situation, to act with greater expedition.

Where a veteran is homeless and unable to earn, it is always the endeavor

of the department to induce him to enter a National or State Soldiers' Home, as his condition is thereby greatly improved. During the past year 79 soldiers were sent to the National Soldiers' Home in Togus, Maine, and 17 to the Massachusetts Soldiers' Home in Chelsea. Eight of these latter were moved in ambulances of the Public Buildings Department.

By arrangement with the Law Department, suitable guardians or conservators are appointed for the minor children of veterans as well as for veterans themselves, where such need has been found to exist. A visitor of this department has been assigned to this branch of our work, and gratifying results have been obtained.

The City Council periodically votes from the appropriation for this department a certain sum to be given as temporary relief to soldiers and their dependents who cannot be considered cases for the pay roll. A moderate advance only in these instances is sufficient to tide over the immediate necessity. During the year 192 soldiers and their dependents were helped from this fund.

Provided that the total burial expense does not exceed \$160, the state allows, when the deceased does not leave sufficient to defray burial expenses, the sum of \$58, or such part thereof as may be necessary toward the funeral expense of veterans and certain of their dependents of the Civil, Spanish, Philippine, and World Wars and Mexican Border service.

During the year 52 applications were allowed by the Commissioner of State Aid at an expense to this department of \$2,461.75. The above deceased numbered 42 soldiers, 8 widows, 1 mother, and 1 army nurse. Twenty-six of these soldiers and the army nurse died overseas.

This expenditure for burials is refunded annually to the city by the state.

The Municipal Employment Bureau was established by his Honor Mayor James M. Curley March 1, 1922, and since that time it has been of the greatest assistance to this department in securing positions for a great number of ex-service men who have applied for Soldiers' Relief. By thus providing work for these applicants a large saving has been made to the city.

The Soldiers' Relief Committee of the City Council, consisting of Chairman David J. Brickley, George F. Gilbody, James T. Moriarty, John A. Donoghue, and James A. Watson are due thanks for courtesy and co-operation in their connection with the work of this department.

The Civil Service Commission has also rendered valuable co-operation in certifying and giving preference in the matter of employment to veterans who were on this pay roll.

The Superintendent of Public Buildings, by furnishing ambulances for the removal of disabled soldiers to the Soldiers' Home in Chelsea has rendered valuable service to this department.

into the service of the United States; but all contracts now subsisting between any town or city, and any member of the volunteer militia, as such, shall terminate in ninety days from the date of such contract or the date of enlistment if subsequent to such contract and previous to the passage of this act.

SECT. 3. No compensation, in addition to the regular pay of the army and navy of the United States, other than that mentioned in this act, shall be given by any town or city to any of their inhabitants, who, as volunteers, or otherwise, shall enlist in the service of the United States; but all contracts made with any members of the volunteer militia who have been mustered into the service of the United States for the term of three months, shall be valid during such term, and no pay shall hereafter be allowed by any town or city for the expense of drilling.

SECT. 4. Any city or town, when danger from attack by sea is apprehended, is authorized to organize an armed police to guard against such an attack, and may provide, by taxation, to maintain the same. Such force may, for this purpose, act in any part of the county within which such city or town may be situated.

SECT. 5. Of the sum so paid or applied by any city or town for the support of the family of any inhabitant, who may be actually engaged in the service of the United States, as provided in the first section, there shall be annually reimbursed from the state treasury to such town or city, a sum not exceeding one dollar per week for the wife and one dollar per week for each child or parent of such inhabitant, who at the time of his being called into the service of the United States, was dependent upon him for support; provided, that the whole sum so reimbursed shall not exceed twelve dollars per month for all the persons named in this section so dependent upon any such inhabitant.

SECT. 6. No reimbursement shall be allowed from the state treasury to any town or city, as provided in the previous section, until a full report, certified and sworn to by a majority of the board of selectmen of any town, or by the mayor and majority of the aldermen of any city, containing a statement of the inhabitants of such town or city, whose families have been assisted, as provided in the first section, and of the persons who have been assisted, and the relations which such persons severally bear to such inhabitant, and the sums paid to each person, has been made to the auditor of the Commonwealth, and carefully examined and approved by him.

SECT. 7. A statement certified and sworn to by a majority of the board of selectmen of any town or of the mayor and a majority of the aldermen of any city shall be made to the auditor of the Commonwealth, on or before the fifth day of January in each year, of the full amount due such city or town for aid furnished in accordance with this act.

SECT. 8. This act shall take effect upon its passage. Approved May 23, 1861.

In 1866, after the close of the Civil War, the law was modified so as to provide monthly payments for disabled veterans and to widows and minors, reimbursement to be made by the Commonwealth. The expenditures of this department were reduced in consequence.

All distribution of state and city aid to soldiers, sailors and their dependents was originally made by the direction of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen under different legislative acts until 1897. In

1923 AND 1924.		
Regular appropriation.....		\$562,362 40
Transferred.....		224,798 04
Total credits.....		<u>\$337,564 36</u>
EXPENSES.		
Chapter 151, Civil War, section 3.....	\$34,380 00	
Chapter 151, Civil War, section 9.....	814 00	
Chapter 151, Civil War, section 18.....	60,727 50	
		\$95,921 50
War with Spain, Mexican Border and World War.....		177,000 00
Chapter 79, General Laws, section 9, burials.....		2,461 75
Temporary relief (special draft).....		1,500 00
		<u>\$276,883 25</u>
SALARIES.		
Commissioner.....	\$6,000 00	
Clerks.....	51,462 71	
		<u>57,462 71</u>
OFFICE EXPENSES.		
Printing.....	\$498 74	
Stationery and postage.....	937 42	
Premiums on surety bonds.....	110 00	
Traveling.....	1,211 49	
Fee for commission, Justice of Peace.....	60 00	
Repairing typewriters and equipment.....	202 70	
		<u>\$3,020 35</u>
Total expenses.....		<u>\$337,366 31</u>
Balance.....		198 05
		<u>\$337,564 36</u>

There was received from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

RECEIPTS.	
State aid for 1922.....	\$44,311 00
Military aid for 1922.....	27,601 00
Burials.....	7,970 42
	<u>\$79,882 42</u>

Although the Soldiers' Relief Law was not enacted by the Legislature until 1888, we may consider that the Soldiers' Relief Department came into being as the result of chapter 222, Acts of 1861, which became operative May 23, 1861, about a month after the outbreak of the Civil War. This act is interesting as relating to conditions at that time and is here inserted:

Acts of 1861, chapter 222.

An Act in aid of the families of volunteers, and for other purposes.

SECTION 1. Any town or city may raise money by legislation, and, if necessary, apply the same, under the direction of their selectmen or mayor and aldermen or

city council, for the aid of the wife, and of the children under sixteen years of age, of any one of their inhabitants, who, as a member of the volunteer militia of this state may have been mustered into or enlisted in the service of the United States, and for each parent, brother or sister or child, who, at the time of his enlistment was dependent on him for support.

SECT. 2. Any city or town may by vote raise money to defray any expense already incurred, or to carry out and fulfill any contract heretofore made with, or in behalf of any of its inhabitants who may have enlisted as members of the volunteer militia, or who have been or may be called

that year the Legislature enacted chapter 441, effective the first Monday in January, 1898, creating the Soldiers' Relief Department of the City of Boston in charge of the Soldiers' Relief Commissioner. As the result of this act, the first Soldiers' Relief Commissioner was appointed by the Mayor, May 23, 1898. Previously all aid to soldiers and their dependents was paid by the paymaster of the state aid office as it was then known, who was under control of the City Treasurer. It is interesting to note the work of this office as shown in the auditor's report for the year 1864-65.

The payments from August, 1861, to the end of April, 1865, amounted to \$1,021,790.25, being an average of \$22,706.45 per month. Of this we have received back from the state \$628,897.40. Our payments generally include other dependents on the soldiers than what the state authorizes. Such payments are not refunded by the state.

The payments in 1864-65 have been the following:

May, June, July.....	\$48,818 00
August.....	26,462 00
September.....	23,500 00
October.....	22,663 00
November, December.....	51,213 00
January, 1865.....	24,680 00
February.....	23,260 00
March.....	22,000 00
April.....	44,000 00
	<u>\$286,596 00</u>

In addition to which there has been paid, viz.

Salaries to paymaster.....	\$1,325 00
Assistant paymaster and clerks, Relief Office.....	2,591 66
Extra services of the above.....	1,300 00
Other clerical services.....	79 33
Paid the Ladies' Industrial Aid Association by order of the Board of Aldermen of March 25, 1865, for the purpose of providing work for the wives and widows of Boston Volunteers in the army.....	1,000 00
Refreshments for the Relief Committees and for employees in Relief Office while at work in extra service.....	252 38
Blank books, check books and stationery.....	189 28
Advertisements and newspapers.....	50 50
Revenue stamps, postage.....	78 25
Printing.....	519 82
Expresses.....	5 45
	<u>\$293,987 67</u>

Per item No. 51 of treasurer's account.

Received from the Commonwealth in reimbursement in part of what the city has advanced to the families or other dependents of volunteers in the army in conformity with chapter 222 of the General Acts of 1861, May 23, 1861, \$310,759.87.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT EXPENDITURES.

Year.	Amount.
1861-62.....	\$129,309 00
1862-63.....	309,553 09
1863-64.....	297,328 33
1864-65.....	293,987 07
1865-66.....	117,469 30
1866-67.....	257,407 60
1867-68.....	109,179 79
1868-69.....	108,709 95
1869-70.....	102,845 29
1870-71.....	96,564 20
1871-72.....	89,942 41
1872-73.....	89,940 45
1873-74.....	83,435 12
1874-75.....	88,639 87
1875-76.....	84,219 50
1876-77.....	82,225 36
1877-78.....	81,629 51
1878-79.....	119,981 12
1879-80.....	91,445 66
1880-81.....	99,020 21
1881-82.....	100,310 55
1882-83.....	97,276 01
1883-84.....	92,475 79
1884-85.....	94,134 31
1885-86.....	97,052 74
1886-87.....	96,911 46
1887-88.....	99,516 82
1888-89.....	105,254 35
1889-90.....	117,498 75

Year.	Amount.
1890-91.....	\$139,343 06
1891-92.....	122,655 04
1892-93.....	181,488 01
1893-94.....	187,334 61
1894-95.....	202,344 27
1895-96.....	204,311 30
1896-97.....	206,214 22
1897-98.....	217,866 90
1898-99.....	223,874 03
1899-1900.....	224,265 54
1900-01.....	221,122 51
1901-02.....	234,296 89
1902-03.....	239,077 23
1903-04.....	245,853 24
1904-05.....	243,757 71
1905-06.....	248,941 94
1906-07.....	252,760 76
1907-08.....	254,184 10
1908-09.....	247,659 70
1909-10.....	236,297 49
1910-11.....	218,538 87
1911-12.....	207,334 78
1912-13.....	203,387 64
1913-14.....	201,295 86
1914-15.....	217,521 17
1915-16.....	227,736 74
1916-17.....	233,383 82
1917-18.....	464,197 99
1918-19.....	917,349 36
1919-20.....	500,196 69
1920-21.....	447,639 60
1921-22.....	1,061,797 06
1922-23.....	1,049,631 09
1923-24.....	337,366 31
Gross amount expended.....	\$14,254,289 14
Money refunded by the state.....	8,410,196 21
Net amount expended by the Soldiers' Relief Department up to the ending of January, 1924.....	<u>\$5,844,092 93</u>

Respectfully,

JOHN H. DUNN,
Soldiers' Relief Commissioner.

PROPOSALS ADVERTISED.

Bids have been asked for by advertisement in the *City Record* for the following departments. The attention of contractors and others is specially called to the closing time for the receipt of such proposals. This will be published weekly.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for the erection and completion of addition to the roof house of the Boston City Hospital. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the architects, Maginnis & Walsh, 100 Boylston street, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the office of the Superintendent, City Hospital, Harrison avenue. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 30, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Advertises for proposals for collecting and removing ashes, store dirt, house dirt, refuse and garbage in East Boston, Brighton, West Roxbury, Dorchester and Hyde Park. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of 5 per cent of the contract price for each district, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Wednesday, January 7, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing double and single teams and auto trucks. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works

Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of 5 per cent of the total bid for each district, to be filed with the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Thursday, January 8, at 12 m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Advertises for proposals for electrical equipment for pumping units, Calf Pasture pumping station. Surety bond will be required in the amount of \$15,000. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Department, Room 508, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$1,500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, January 6, at 12 m.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for erecting and completing an addition to the Washington Irving Intermediate School, Poplar and Hawthorne streets, Charles Sumner District. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 45 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Schoolhouse Department, Room 1009, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$20,000, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids.

Bids close Tuesday, January 13, at 12 m.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing cast-iron water pipes to the Public Works Department. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$500, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Monday, December 29, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing meats to the various city departments for the month of January, 1925. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 30, at 12 m.

Advertises for proposals for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments for the month of January, 1925. Surety bond will be required in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the contract price. Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the office of the Supply Department, Room 801, City Hall Annex, Boston. Bids, accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$200, to be filed at the same office. Duplicate bid, without check, to be filed with the City Auditor.

Bids close Tuesday, December 30, at 12 m.

MOVE BEGUN TO FORM ADVISORY PLANNING BOARD OF CITIZENS AND LEADING ORGANIZATIONS.

MAYOR CURLEY TAKES FAVORABLE ACTION ON SUGGESTIONS MADE BY CITY PLANNING BOARD LOOKING FORWARD TO MORE CONSISTENT BEAUTIFYING OF BOSTON.

Mayor Curley has sent the following communication to the chairman of the Planning Board:

MR. FREDERIC H. FAY, *Chairman, City Planning Board, Boston, Mass.*

DEAR MR. FAY,—I have carefully considered the report as submitted by the City Planning Board with reference to the creation of an advisory committee on public improvements for the City of Boston and am in accord with the views of the Boston Planning Board.

I have accordingly directed a communication to the following organizations, requesting that they submit the names of three members from each organization from which I shall select one name to serve for a period of three years, without salary, in an advisory capacity for the City Planning Board for the consideration of all public improvements for the City of Boston:

The United Improvement Association, Women's Municipal League, Boston Central Labor Union, Boston Society of Architects, Boston Society of Landscape Architects, Affiliated Technical Societies, Boston Real Estate Exchange, Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange, Boston Chamber of Commerce, Team Owner's Association, Fruit and Produce Exchange, Master Builders' Association, Retail Trade Board, Motor Truck Club of Massachusetts, Inc.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor.*

BOSTON, December 4, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Pursuant to our recent conference, the City Planning Board has voted to lay before your Honor in formal manner a report and recommendation relative to the creation of an advisory committee on public improvements for the City of Boston, this committee to act in an advisory capacity to the City Planning Board.

Some of the more obvious reasons underlying this recommendation are set forth in the accompanying communication. The proposition has been discussed with representatives of many of the leading civic organizations in the city that would unquestionably be involved in such a proceeding and the idea having met with unanimous approval, the City Planning Board has been strengthened in its belief that the plan as outlined is possessed of substantial merit.

The value of such a body in the consideration of plans such as the proposed intermediate thoroughfare, for instance, would be inestimable. Through its activity might be found a common meeting ground for the settlement of questions of necessity, the comparative merits of other plans, the apportionment of costs, and the assessment of betterments. The appointment of such a committee would be particularly opportune at this

time in that their assistance might be available in the presentation and consideration of legislative matters.

The City Planning Board accordingly recommends that immediate action be taken by your Honor looking toward the creation of an advisory committee on public improvements for the City of Boston in the manner outlined and for the purposes indicated in the accompanying communication.

Respectfully submitted,

THE CITY PLANNING BOARD,
FREDERIC H. FAY,
Chairman.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN BOSTON.

The results of the past year indicate strongly that a change is needed in the method by which public improvements in Boston are studied.

Owing to Boston's size and relative importance, both in the state and in the metropolitan district, its larger public improvement projects are of wide interest, far beyond its own corporate limits, and on a financial scale that makes it necessary in practically every case to secure legislative permission. Those projects which can be financed within the debt limit are the minor, routine projects and are not sufficiently important to be involved of necessity in the following proposal, but logically should come under the procedure to be outlined for the more important projects.

In securing legislative action on these matters it is necessary, in the natural order of things, first to present a draft of the desired legislation to the appropriate legislative committee and to present arguments substantiating the need of the relief sought and the wisdom of the steps proposed to that end. Such proposals can be and are made by whosoever sees fit, individual, civic body, municipal board or other authority. Following such presentation opponents may be heard in opposition, and generally are.

Under this procedure the legislative committeemen are forced to assume a function, as arbitrators of proposed city planning projects, which is as unreasonable a burden on their time as it is an unjustifiable presumption of their technical knowledge. In the interest of the appropriate use of the time of our legislators no such community project should be presented to them until it has passed through some local filter of public opinion, and when carefully studied projects are presented by the city authorities they should be accompanied by a thoroughly developed public sentiment that would relieve the legislative committee from the necessity of passing on the merits of the improvement, leaving it solely to consider its broader financial and administrative aspects.

Let us consider the history of the past session and see if a conclusion is not fairly obvious.

Nearly a score of bills, some involving very large expenditures and important readjustments in the city plan, were submitted by a single individual without prior conference with the city authorities appointed to advise on all such matters. It is an imposition on the legislators to force them to spend time on such projects and also on the city authorities to expect them to make hasty study and report either for or against proposals involving such important factors. What actually happened, all but one of these bills were "given leave to withdraw" and that one was referred to a duly appointed commission for study and report.

His Honor the Mayor presented through the City Planning Board a comprehensive thoroughfare development for the downtown district. In order to prove its conclusions in the matter the City Planning Board had for fully six months been in consultation with many civic bodies through their officers or specially appointed committees and in presenting the plan was able to present a very substantial body of carefully considered opinion in support of its proposal. These supporting opinions, however, were separately obtained and when at the hearings opposition was voiced by certain of the bodies interviewed, no rebuttal could be readily offered from the group of proponents, but only the single answer of the City Planning Board. The value of the community support presented was, however, fairly clear, although the size of the project made it not unreasonable to refer it to a special commission for further study and report.

His Honor the Mayor also presented a bill for the zoning of Boston, a measure of the very greatest importance, affecting every owner and user of property. This bill went successfully through both branches of the Legislature with only a few perfecting amendments offered by the proponents, and a few offered as a result of conference with them and with their entire agreement.

How was this legislation prepared? By the City Planning Board in co-operation with a Zoning Advisory Commission appointed by the Mayor, the appointees being representatives of some eleven civic organizations. These two bodies sitting jointly through a period of nearly two years developed every step in the undertaking, under skilled professional guidance. After its tentative conclusions had been reached the various organizations themselves gave them consideration, and the public, at a still later stage, had opportunity to appear at public hearings and discuss the many technical phases of the proposed legislation. That so few appeared at their hearings is probably explained by the fact that a very large proportion of the public was represented and already fully informed through the eleven co-operating organizations.

Many zoning bills have failed of passage at their first presentation. Does not the smooth progress of this important piece of constructive legislation suggest a method of procedure that should be followed in the development of all public improvement projects? The city has its official department equipped to do the technical work and to furnish professional guidance to all such studies. What it sadly lacks is an organized approach to public sentiment. This it attempted to secure piecemeal on the thoroughfare project

with not a little success. It arranged a more official method for joint public consideration and co-operation in connection with the zoning bill with very marked success, warranted by the high quality of public service that was rendered by a group of private though representative citizens in the interest of the community as a whole.

The City Planning Board believes these experiences and similar instances in the past indicate clearly that there should be created some officially and publicly recognized committee of citizens, available for regular contact with the City Planning Board for the purpose of considering and assisting in the development of all major public improvements to the end that such improvements when finally presented shall have secured the approval of all the elements of the community, technical, professional, financial, economic, business, commercial, social. Such a body need have no authority given to it except to advise; for with such a body in existence and recognized by the community, any proposal that was presented to the Legislature with its support would have all the presumptions in its favor, and proposals made by individuals would find an easy answer in reference to such a body for study and report. The proposals of such a body could be safely accepted as being the reasoned expression of local public opinion and individual opponents would find their special pleas answered by the logic of a united and carefully considered opinion based on a consistent study of the problem.

Such a body could be competent to consider all phases of the subject including its relation to the general condition of the city's finances, and being a continuing body would build up a background of sound financial and business policy of the very greatest value to the city.

It is accordingly recommended that steps be taken toward the creation of an "Advisory Committee on Public Improvements for the City of Boston," to act in an advisory capacity to the City Planning Board, the committee to consist of not more than fifteen members, appointed by the Mayor, from nominees from organizations within the city selected as representing the important business, professional and social factors of the community, each to serve for three years without pay. Such organizations might include.

The United Improvement Association, Women's Municipal League, Boston Central Labor Union, Boston Society of Architects, Boston Society of Landscape Architects, Affiliated Technical Societies, Boston Real Estate Exchange, Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange, Boston Chamber of Commerce, Team Owners' Association, Fruit and Produce Exchange, Master Builders' Association, Retail Trade Board, Motor Truck Club of Massachusetts, Inc.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner for the following construction work:

A sanitary sewer of 10-inch earthen pipe in Fairview street, between a point 80 feet southwest of Ainsley street and a point 45 feet southwesterly in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of \$360.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees have been made during the week ending Thursday, December 25:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The following promotions have been approved:

Edgar O. Haddock, clerk at \$1,900 a year, to special clerk and tax examiner at \$2,000 a year.

John F. Grant, special clerk and tax examiner at \$2,000 a year to special clerk and tax examiner at \$2,100 a year.

John P. Donoyan, special clerk and tax examiner at \$1,800 a year to clerk at \$1,900 a year.

John J. Chapman, clerk at \$1,700 a year to special clerk and tax examiner at \$1,800 a year.

Frank J. Williams, clerk at \$1,600 a year to clerk at \$1,700 a year.

Philip E. Conroy, clerk at \$1,500 a year to clerk at \$1,600 a year.

Thomas A. Collins, clerk at \$1,300 a year in the Health Department has been transferred to a similar position in this department at \$1,500 a year from February 1 to March 31, and from October 1 to January 31, and piece-work April 1 to September 30.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

John P. Brooker, Thomas L. Flynn and Thomas J. Gorham have been granted extension of provisional employment as draftsmen in the Building Department, Zoning Division, for three months from November 22.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

The following payments for services as acting tellers during the month of December have been approved: Daniel A. Grant, 4 days, \$12; Louis Needel, 9 days, \$27. Total, \$39.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Assistant Chief of Department Daniel F. Sennott has been promoted Chief of Department at an increase in pay from \$4,000 to \$5,500 a year.

Lieutenant Fred L. Sargent, of Water Tower Company No. 1, has been placed on the pension roll at the rate of \$1,150 a year.

Francis E. McNulty has been appointed temporary employee for a period of thirty days as a painter and grainer at \$5.50 a day.

The following promotions have been approved: Hoseman Patrick F. McDonough, of Engine Company 21 to Lieutenant; hoseman Thomas J. Kenneale, of Engine Company 26-35 to lieutenant; Hoseman William J. Nolan, Water Tower Company to lieutenant, and their salaries will be increased from \$1,900 to \$2,300 each a year.

The following promotions have been approved:

District Chief Henry J. Power, to deputy chief salary increased from \$3,500 to \$4,000 a year.
chief, salary increased from \$2,500 to \$3,500 per annum.

Lieut. Thomas E. Flanagan, to captain,
Capt. Michael F. Silva, to district salary increased from \$2,300 to \$2,500 per annum.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The following changes in compensation of employees have been approved: Stephen L. Maloney, secretary, \$2,700 to

\$3,000 a year; Daniel P. Ego, clerk, \$1,800 to \$2,000 a year.

Antonio Cherichello has been continued in further temporary employment as laborer in the new unit, at \$4.50 a day, from December 26, 1924, to January 18, 1925, inclusive.

Mary McCaffrey has been granted further temporary employment as cleaner in the Health Unit, for a period of thirty days additional at \$20 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, December 18:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Mary O'Neil, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Ruth Jackson, Theresa Thorne, ward assistants, \$11.50 a week; Emma Boettcher, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Catherine Naughtane, table girl, \$11 a week; Bessie Meade, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; John A. McGah, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Jennie Cowin, Gabrielle Klier, Anna Sheerin, ward helpers, \$11.50 a week; Mary Walsh, ward assistant, \$11.50 a week; Matthew Lawless, house cleaner, \$14 a week.

Temporary.—Beatrice Langford, Elizabeth Madore, Olive Ferguson, special nurses, \$35 a week; Arthur Connelly, telephone operator, \$22 a week; Harry Nissen, director massage, \$14 a week; Thomas Clancy, elevatorman, \$12 a week; Joseph Connelly, kitchenman, \$20 a week.

South Department.

Permanent.—Catherine Lydon, ward assistant, \$9.50 a week; Catherine Thorpe, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Alfred W. Howard, apothecary helper, \$8 a week.

Temporary.—Mary Langford, special nurse, \$35 a week.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

Dr. William Young, temporary assistant resident surgeon, \$2,100 a year; Margaret Donovan changed from ward maid to ward helper at Main Hospital.

The following persons have been employed at the Boston City Hospital during the week ending Thursday, December 25:

To Fill Vacancies.

Permanent.—Gladys Barchard, Rose E. Lipson, clerks, \$12 a week; Gordon Cummings, transfer porter, \$14.50 a week; Elizabeth Fallon, cleaner, \$11.50 a week; Margaret Haggerty, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Amelia Crawford, ward helper, \$11.50 a week; Margaret Riley, table girl, \$11 a week; Victoria Cook, cleaner, \$11.50 a week.

Temporary.—Edna Lane, special nurse, \$35 a week; Patrick Walsh, temporary engineer, \$40 a week; Nora Brown, special nurse, \$35 a week; Rosita Barker, special nurse, \$35 a week; Patrick McNally, temporary floor polisher, \$14 a week; Agnes Bassett, special nurse, \$35 a week.

The following changes in salary have occurred: Joseph W. Klien, from assistant supervisor at \$19.50 to male nurse at \$23.06; William Monahan, from house cleaner at \$14 to temporary porter at \$18.50 a week.

Change in position: Margaret Donovan from ward maid to ward helper.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Revision of the pension pay roll of the House of Correction, Deer Island, increasing the yearly allowance of the following persons who were retired without board has been approved:

Nancy B. Davis, cook, \$300 to \$450 a year; Nancy E. Collins, matron, \$180 to \$330 a year; Burt H. Candage, assistant engineer, \$390 to \$540 a year; Marville M. Lee, matron, \$180 to \$330 a year; Eldora Harriman, matron, \$210 to \$360 a year; Lena A. Acford, matron, \$250 to \$400 a year; Marion Hix, matron, \$250 to \$400 a year.

Boston Almshouse and Hospital.

The following appointments have been made for the week ending Thursday, December 18:

Iris M. Ede, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Annie E. Hall.

Christopher Cleary, attendant, \$600 a year, to succeed Maurice J. O'Connor.

John Greeley, fireman, \$30 a week, temporary.

Sadie C. Jose, pupil nurse, \$300 a year, to succeed Kathryn A. Flavin.

Daniel F. Kenney, institution employee, \$600 a year, to succeed Joseph Nutolli.

Edward Roberts, porter, \$600 a year, to succeed John J. Dineen.

Steamer "George A. Hibbard."

Lawrence O'Keefe, deckhand, \$1,000 a year, to succeed Fred Harrison.

Fred Harrison, watchman, \$900 a year, temporary.

Andrew Baker, assistant engineer, made permanent, \$1,600 a year, to succeed James J. Ahearn.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Mary Rosenthal, clerk, with a knowledge of stenography at \$1,100 a year has ceased work.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

John F. Barry has been appointed janitor in the Public Buildings Department at \$4.50 a day.

Frank H. Callahan has been appointed janitor at \$4.50 a day in the Public Buildings Department, County Buildings.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Bridge Service).

Edward Foley has been employed as temporary carpenter at \$5.50 a day for sixty days.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Central Office).

Richard N. Power, clerk in the Central Office, has been promoted from \$1,800 to \$1,900 a year.

John F. Lane, clerk in the Central Office, has been transferred from \$1,000 to \$1,300 a year, to fill the position of Edward F. Irwin, transferred to the Auditing Department.

George F. Leahy, clerk at \$1,300 a year, has been transferred from the Water Service to the Central Office as clerk at \$1,500 a year.

The following promotions in the Central Office have been approved:

Thomas F. O'Leary, clerk, from \$1,700 to \$1,800 a year.

Arthur J. Kiley, clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,700 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

Louis J. O'Hara, rodman in the Paving Service, has been granted an increase in pay from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year.

John J. Campbell has been continued in temporary employment as rodman at \$18 a week in the Paving Service for three months.

Dennis J. Sullivan has been transferred from clerk at \$1,900 a year in the Central Office to clerk at \$2,000 a year in the Paving Permit Office.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sanitary Service).

Christopher Murphy has been continued in temporary employment as clerk at \$1,000 a year, for thirty days, from December 22.

Frederick E. Dysart has been transferred from teamster-laborer at \$4.50 a day to mechanic's assistant at \$4.75 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

Walter P. Steele, rodman, has been granted an increase in pay from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year.

George L. Mitchell has been continued in temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,400 a year for three months.

Matthew Donovan has been continued in temporary employment as sewer inspector at \$1,600 a year for three months.

Michael J. Driscoll has been continued in temporary employment as rodman at \$18 a week for three months.

Thomas F. Galvin has been continued in temporary employment as draughtsman at \$30 a week for three months.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

John S. Mander has been promoted from laborer at \$4.50 a day to mechanic at \$5 a day.

John J. Gilmore has been promoted from mechanic at \$5.25 a day, to inspector at \$1,500 a year, to fill a permanent vacancy.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Charles Shea has been granted an extension for two months of provisional appointment as a rodman at \$1,000 a year.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DEPARTMENT.

Francis A. Trayers has been appointed deputy sealer of weights and measures at \$1,600 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The heads of the various departments whose employees have received payment for overtime state in connection therewith that if any laborer has been allowed to work more than eight hours per day it has been only in case of emergency under the law.

Assessing Department.

Thomas B. Kenney has been granted the following pay for overtime, 153 hours, \$153.

Hospital Department.

For the week ending Thursday, December 18:

Main Department.

E. F. Cochrane, laundry engineer, 34 hours, \$3.13; H. J. Brown, W. Thomp-

son, T. J. McNally, N. MacPherson, assistant engineers, 12 hours, \$10 each; J. J. Eisen, steamfitter, 12 hours, \$8.52; F. Creehan, electrician's helper, 12 hours, \$6.75; C. Clancy, elevatorman, 24 hours, \$6; J. Wood, jobber, 1 day, \$3; G. Roche, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84.

South Department.

J. Bean, ambulance driver, 4½ hours, \$2.84.

Haymarket Square Relief Station.

T. Clark, ambulance foreman, 12 hours, \$7.80; F. Glennon, P. Connors, ambulance drivers, 12 hours, \$7.56 each.

East Boston Relief Station.

F. Ruggiero, porter and tending furnace, 12 hours, \$6.75.

Total, \$102.75.

For the week ending, Thursday, December 25:

Main Department.

H. J. Brown, M. Crosson, J. Deery, N. MacPherson, T. J. McNally, assistant engineers, 12 hours, \$10 each; C. Skory, electrician, 12 hours, \$10; M. J. Lynch, plumber, 12 hours, \$8.28; D. Hurley, carpenter, 13½ hours, \$9.72; J. Wood, jobber, 11 hours, \$4.14; C. Clancy, elevator man, 12 hours, \$3; G. Roche, W. Somerville, ambulance drivers, 4½ hours, \$2.84 each. Total, \$90.82.

Park Department (Cemetery Division).

For the week ending Thursday, December 18:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, Edward F. Curley, Thomas J. Godvin, Bernard McCabe, Arthur J. Moore and Henry J. Moylan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

For the week ending Monday, December 22:

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Enrico Binda, Michael Conway, John J. Desmond, Thomas J. Godvin, Bernard McCabe, Henry J. Moylan, laborers, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Evergreen Cemetery.

Henry L. Dolan, cemetery keeper, 1 day, \$5.

Public Buildings Department.

For the week ending Thursday, December 18:

F. Twitchell, engineer, 4½ hours, \$3.75; J. Conlon, engineer, 3 hours, \$2.50; N. McSheffrey, fireman, 3 hours, \$2.25; J. J. Walsh, elevatorman, 3 hours, \$1.69.

For the week ending Thursday, December 25:

J. Conlon, engineer, 1 day and 6 hours, \$11.67; T. H. Joyce, engineer, 1 day, \$6.67; J. Campbell, T. J. Swift, M. F. Bricke, firemen, 1 day, \$6 each; H. McSheffrey, fireman, 4½ hours, \$3.38; Edward T. Roach, elevatorman, 4½ hours, \$2.53.

Public Works Department (Bridge Service).

For the week ending Tuesday, December 23:

P. J. McGonagle, assistant drawtender, 1 day, \$4.38; P. F. Murphy, machinist, 3¼ days, \$17.38.

Total, \$22.26; net cost to city, \$17.88.

Public Works Department (Ferry Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 22:

Captain.—Timothy A. Toohig, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.88.

Tollman.—Christopher T. Leonard, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Deckhand.—George M. Nagle, 1 day, \$4.75.

Total, \$15.88.

Net cost for the week ending December 22, 1924, \$6.45.

Public Works Department (Paving Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 22:

Laborers.—Timothy McCarthy, Patrick Callahan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.25 each; John Cady, William Curran, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; Martin Giovannella, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.03; Joseph Lamothe, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.34; Joseph Charbonnui, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53.

Auto Repairers.—John T. Curley, 1 day, \$5; Patrick Casey, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.72.

Paver.—George Doherty, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25.

Chauffeur-Teamster.—John H. McGrath, 1 day, \$4.50.

Chauffeur-Laborer.—Joseph Phipps, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.81.

Public Works Department (Sanitary Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 22:

Laborers-Teamsters.—W. J. McCarthy, M. S. Ryan, J. J. Spillane, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Feeders.—J. Gallagher, J. L. Hennessey, 1 day, \$4.75 each.

Blacksmith's Assistant.—C. J. Sullivan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.38.

Stablemen.—T. J. Lewis, D. F. O'Brien, C. J. Haley, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Stableman.—J. Sullivan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.50.

Chauffeur.—J. J. Fleming, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75.

Total, \$44.88.

Public Works Department (Sewer Service).

For the week ending, Tuesday December 23.

Sewer Cleaners.—Dennis Callaghan, John O'Connor, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.63 each; James Clancy, Michael Foley, Michael Brady, Thomas Flaherty, John Sweeney, Richard Connolly, George Casewell, 1 day, \$5 each; John Sullivan, 1 day, \$4.75.

Laborers.—Joseph Huber, Thomas Flaherty, John Keenan, Emilio Curcio, Thomas Duffy, Michael McMahon, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75 each; Thomas Casey, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.06; James McNabb, Cornelius Sullivan, John Donnelly, Michael Mullin, 1 day, \$4.50 each.

Fireman.—Garrett Connolly, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.

Mason.—James Duffy, 1 day, \$7.

Total, \$130.57.

Peter J. McDermott, part time clerk at \$12 per week in the Sewer Service, for two additional days at \$4 a day.

Public Works Department (Street Cleaning and Oiling Service).

Teamsters.—J. Dahill, P. Connolly, M. J. O'Connell, G. McColgan, J. J. Monahan, H. A. Bourdon, M. Allen, M. Cashman, N. Cesso, R. Della Russo, F. Di Matteo, J. F. Doherty, J. J. Glancy, E. J. Kelley, H. J. McCarron, M. T. McCarthy, L. Pace, D. Pertinello, J. A. Reddington, G. Schipani, J. F. Brown, R. M. Jennings, P. F. Joyce, W. T. Maloney, M. Morton, J. S. Plunkett,

J. Robertson, R. D. McGrath, B. F. Murphy, J. P. Barnes, 1 day, \$4 each.
Total \$135.00

Public Works Department (Water Service).

For the week ending Monday, December 22:

Chauffeurs.—J. Broderick, F. Bonang, J. Conlon, T. Kelleher, J. O'Brien, J. Supple, 1 day, \$5 each; J. F. Burke, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; H. McCauley, 1 day, \$4.75.

Repairers.—J. Moran, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.28;

T. Thureson, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$2.06; J. Casey, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.31; P. Linehan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.38;

A. LoPilato, 1 day, \$4.75; J. O'Hara, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; H. Campbell, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$11.34;

D. Hanlon, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.41; H. Hourihan, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.41; W. Scanlon, 1 day, \$5.50; M. Daley, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$18.70;

M. O'Day, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.44; E. Sullivan, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$13.44; A. Brennan, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.38; J. Leonard, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.50; G. Goodwin, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; S. Mariani, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.50; C. Driscoll, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$8.25;

C. Magee, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$19.69; D. Kirby, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$1.41; W. Shields, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.84;

P. Coleman, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; N. McPhee, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.75; G. Waters, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$12.91;

J. Williamson, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$3.56; H. Cassidy, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3; G. Greer, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.88; H. Cunningham, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; T. Byrnes, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$14.09; J. Blessington, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; J. Gallagher, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.50; W. Corbett, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; J. Reilly, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; A. McDougall, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.13; D. Shea, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$5.19; J. McLaughlin, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$1.69; M. Matthews, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.31; M. Rizzo, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$9.80; J. Cummings, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$5.16.

Laborers.—M. Connolly, B. Doherty, C. King, S. LoPilato, E. Pyne, J. M. O'Toole, P. Waters, F. Willhauck, 1 day, \$4.50 each; M. Barron, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$15.19; J. Curtin, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.97; W. Dolan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.84; J. Durand, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.84; C. Joyce, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$7.59; W. Kravets, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$6.75; P. Mulkern, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$14.34; J. O'Toole, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$10.97; J. T. Sullivan, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days, \$15.19; J. McLean, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.81; T. Rose, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$4.92; H. Pitrola, $\frac{3}{4}$ day, \$3.38; F. Caporizzo, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$0.84; C. Duffy, G. Gravellese, B. Austin, W. Gallagher, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, \$2.53 each.

Total, \$536.13.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Massachusetts Civil Service Commission announce examinations for desirable positions open in the Boston and Metropolitan districts as follows:

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR OF VOTERS, CITY OF BOSTON ELECTION DEPARTMENT, DECEMBER 29, 1924. REQUISITION IS FOR A MALE, BUT THE EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO BOTH MALES AND FEMALES.

The salary is \$1,500 a year.

It is desirable that applicants have a knowledge of the laws relating to naturalization and citizenship, and a knowledge of the election laws of the Commonwealth. The duties of the position include the following: Registration of voters, compilation of voting lists, certification of nomination papers, investigation in connection with and assisting in making up jury lists, tabulating of primary and election returns, canvassing of votes in connection with recounts, indexing, and proofreading.

To be eligible for appointment to this position, applicants are required by law to file with the Department of Civil

Service and Registration, Division of Civil Service, a certificate signed by a member of the Board of Election Commissioners of Boston of the same political party affiliation as the applicant, which shall certify to the applicant's enrollment in the said party for the three consecutive years next preceding the date of his application. This examination is open to both Republicans and Democrats, but the present vacancy is for a Republican.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 3; arithmetic, 2; report, 1; practical questions on the duties of the position, 4; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in training and experience, in practical questions, and in general average in order to become eligible.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER, BOSTON TRANSIT DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 2, 1924.

The salary is \$2,800 a year.

Applicants must have had considerable actual experience in the design of subways, with a thorough knowledge of the methods used in their construction, and be thoroughly familiar with the design of reinforced concrete and structural steel as applied to the same.

This position is in Grade D of the civil engineering classification.

Applicants must have at least eight years of practical experience in engineering work, at least one half of which shall have been appropriate to the particular branch covered by the position, and two years of which shall have been in an executive capacity; provided, that a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction by an engineering school of recognized standing shall be accepted as the equivalent of four years of practical experience.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 24; questions on materials and methods of construction, 5; engineering theory, 5; design, 6; total, 40.

Applicants will be required to obtain at least 65 per cent in training and experience and in general average in order to become eligible.

AGENT (MALE), DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, JANUARY 6, 1925.

The salary is \$7 per day. This position is for an agent in charge of standardization and special market reporting, and the duties are as follows: To inspect apples under the apple grading law, conduct grading and packing demonstrations at fairs, demonstrate and explain Massachusetts apple grading law at farmers' field meetings, prepare and issue special apple market report; inspect onions and issue certificates of inspection under Massachusetts onion grading law; develop special onion, asparagus and strawberry reports; address groups of farmers.

The subjects of examination with their respective weights will be as follows: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 3; personality and fitness, as determined by an oral interview, 3; total, 10.

Applicants will be required to obtain a mark of at least 65 per cent in each subject of examination in order to become eligible.

Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

City Auditor Rupert S. Carven announces the following transfers in appropriations in departments of the City of Boston, and County of Suffolk, indorsed by Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox and approved by his Honor the Mayor.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—We respectfully ask for the transfer of \$2,705.54 within our appropriation, as follows:

From the Appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Special Assessment Clerks, 2 at \$2,100 a year, \$479.43, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Assessors, 2 at \$4,500 a year, \$7.22; First Assistant Assessors, 47 at \$1,600 a year, \$97.14; Second Assistant Assessors, 7 (11) at \$1,300 a year, \$99.82; Special Clerk and Tax Examiner, 1 at \$1,900 a year, \$2.64; Clerks, piece work, 30, \$270.05.

From Deputies, 5 at \$4,000 a year, \$409.16, to Clerks, piece work, 30, \$409.16.
From Special Clerk and Tax Examiner, 9 (8) at \$2,100 a year, \$192.50, to Clerks, piece work, 30, \$192.50.

From Special Clerk and Tax Examiner, 1 at \$2,000 a year, \$100, to Clerks, piece work, 30, \$100.

From Clerks, 8 at \$1,600-\$1,700 a year, \$834.44, to Clerks, piece work, 30, \$834.44.
From Clerk, 1 at \$1,200 a year, \$12.79, to Clerks, piece work, 30, \$12.79.

From Stenographer, 1 at \$1,400 a year, \$19.14, to Clerks, piece work, 30, \$19.14.

From Clerks, 3 at \$1,500-\$1,600 a year, \$46.58, to Clerks, piece work, 30, \$4.08; A-3, Unassigned, \$42.50.

From B-3, Advertising, \$31.90, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$31.90.

From B-35, Fees, Service of Venires, etc., \$238, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$238.

From B-37, Photographic and Blueprinting, \$19.73, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$19.73.

From C-9, Office Equipment, \$21.87, to B-28, Expert and Architect, \$21.87.

From C-4, Motor Vehicle Equipment, \$200, to B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs and Care, \$90; D-11, Motor Vehicle Supplies, \$110.

From D-1, Office Supplies, \$100, to C-10, Library Equipment, \$100.

The transfer requested within the personal service group is occasioned as follows: Assessors, first and second assistant assessors, by error in estimating the available slack and requirements in the transfers made September 8.

Civil engineer, executive clerk, sales clerk, special clerk and tax examiner, adjustments due to deficit in original appropriation.

Clerks, piece work due to additional work required not estimated in appropriation.

The transfers requested outside the personal service are occasioned as follows: Expert and architect, additional service of real estate expert not included in original estimates.

Motor vehicle repairs and care, motor vehicle equipment and library supplies are for revised estimates of requirements.

Respectfully,
BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
by JOSEPH G. O'MALLEY,
Secretary.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 11, 1924.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

BOSTON, December 4, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—The trustees of the Boston Sanatorium have voted to make the following transfer within the budget appropriation for the year 1924-25. Your approval is respectfully requested.

From the appropriation for D-3, Fuel, \$633.33, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Pathologist, 1 at \$2,000 a year, \$633.33.

Yours very truly,

JAMES J. MINOT,
Secretary.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor December 4, 1924, with the approval of the Mayor.

CITY COUNCIL.

BOSTON, December 1, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—On May 19 the City Council passed a vote increasing the salaries of its officials, the same to take effect April 1 and 4, and approved by the Mayor May 20, 1924.

As no provisions have been made in the budget, it is now necessary to provide the following sums amounting to \$786.14.

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Secretary to City Council, 1 at \$2,800 (\$3,000) per year, \$212.19; Reserve Fund, \$786.14, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, City Messenger, 1 at \$4,000 (\$4,500) per year, \$416.67; Clerk of Committees, 1 at \$4,000 (\$4,500) per year, \$414.99; Assistant in Office of City Messenger, 1 at \$2,200 (\$2,400) per year, \$166.67.

Very truly yours,

JOHN A. DONOGHUE,
President of the City Council.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 11, 1924.

BOSTON, December 13, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—The following transfers within the City Council appropriation are requested.

From G-3, Election Returns, to G-1, Flags, Ropes, etc., \$250.

From G-3, Election Returns, to B-3, Advertising, etc., \$63.30.

From G-3, Election Returns, to B-2, Postage, \$20.

The transfer to G-1, Flags, Ropes, etc., is necessary because the flagstaff at Mt. Bowdoin was struck by lightning, is in a dangerous condition and would have been removed but for lack of funds. It will cost about \$225 to do this work.

The transfer of \$78.40 to advertising is caused by the numerous public hearings in connection with jitney licenses.

The \$15 will be needed for postage.

Very truly yours,

JOHN A. DONOGHUE,
President of the City Council.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 13, 1924.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 12, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—I respectfully request the following transfers in the appropriation of the Health Department (budget 1924-25).

From Item A-2, Temporary Employees, \$470.17, to Item A-1, Permanent Employees, 0 (1), Director of Nurses, \$2,500, \$301.40; 4 (5) Constables, \$1,400-\$1,500 a year, \$168.77.

From Item A-3, Unassigned, \$81.82, to Item A-1, Permanent Employees, 1 Secretary, \$2,700 (\$3,000) a year, \$50; 1 Clerk, \$1,800 (\$2,000) a year, \$31.82.

From Item B-39, General Plant, \$300, to Item E-1, Building Materials, \$300.

Yours respectfully,

F. X. MAHONEY, M. D.,
Health Commissioner.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 12, 1924.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 9, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—Your approval is respectfully asked for the following internal transfers in the appropriation for the Park Department:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, 331 Laborers, \$4-\$4.50 per day, \$2,416.21, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, 10 Zoo Attendants, \$4.50-\$5 per day, \$2,416.21.

From F-12, Parkway Resurfacing, \$5,000, to B-6, Hire of Teams, \$5,000.

From F-12, Parkway Resurfacing, \$20, to B-41, Horseshoeing, \$20.

From F-12, Parkway Resurfacing, \$900, to C-13, Tools, etc., \$900.

From F-12, Parkway Resurfacing, \$100, to D-2, Food and Ice, \$100.

From F-12, Parkway Resurfacing, \$40, to D-7, Veterinary, \$40.

From F-12, Parkway Resurfacing, \$250, to D-8, Laundry, etc., \$250.

From F-12, Parkway Resurfacing \$200, to D-10, Agricultural, \$200.

From F-12, Parkway Resurfacing, \$600, to D-11, Motor Vehicle, \$600.

From F-12, Parkway Resurfacing, \$500, to E-1, Building, \$500.

From F-12, Parkway Resurfacing, \$1,200, to E-12, Parks and Recreational, \$1,200.

From B-22, Medical, \$100, to E-12, Parks and Recreational, \$100.

From B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs, \$200, to E-12, Parks and Recreational, \$200.

From B-14, Motor Vehicle Repairs, \$200, to B-39, General Plant, \$200.

From B-37, Photographic, \$200, to B-39, General Plant, \$200.

From B-42, Music, \$200, to B-39, General Plant, \$200.

From C-5, Motorless Vehicle, \$2,200, to B-39, General Plant, \$2,200.

From C-6, Stable, \$500, to B-39, General Plant, \$500.

From C-7, Furniture, etc., \$1,500, to B-39, General Plant, \$1,500.

From C-8, Educational, \$1,200, to B-39, General Plant, \$1,200.

From C-14, Livestock, \$1,000, to B-39, General Plant, \$1,000.

From C-14, Livestock, \$300, to D-4, Forage and Animal, \$300.

From C-16, Wearing Apparel, \$200, to D-4, Forage and Animal, \$200.

From C-17, General Plant, \$200, to D-4, Forage and Animal, \$200.

From D-9, Educational, \$1,300, to D-4, Forage and Animal, \$1,300.

From D-16, General Plant, \$500, to D-4, Forage and Animal, \$500.

From F-7, Pensions and Annuities, \$500, to D-4, Forage and Animal, \$500.

From F-11, Workmen's Compensation, \$1,000, to D-4, Forage and Animal, \$1,000.

From B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs, \$1,000, to D-4, Forage and Animal, \$1,000.

From B-15, Motorless Vehicle Repairs, \$400, to B-8, Light and Power, \$400.

From B-22, Medical, \$17.95, to C-10, Library, \$17.95.

The reason for the foregoing transfers is explained as follows:

The sum of \$2,416.21 is asked for to provide money on the last line in the budget for ten zoo attendants, which appears to be this amount short. When making up the budget, this item was cut the amount that is now needed.

B-6, Hire of Teams: On account of this item being cut \$2,000 in the budget and the additional work that was required during the year, we find that it will be necessary to have \$5,000 for the needs of this item until the end of the fiscal year.

B-14, Horseshoeing: The sum of \$20 is needed to pay for bills for shoeing horses near where they are employed and thus save the time in being obliged to go back to the yard.

C-13, Tools and Instruments: The sum of \$900 is asked for to pay for two Champion snow plows, \$500, that are badly needed and the balance of \$400 will be required to supply the various articles charged to this item until the end of the year.

D-2, Food and Ice: The sum of \$100 is asked for on this item in order to have a balance above the \$40 on hand to pay for the ice bill for the summer, which is submitted in the closing days of the fiscal year.

D-7, Veterinary: The sum of \$40 is asked for to pay for bills for veterinary supplies needed at the zoo.

D-8, Laundry, etc.: The sum of \$250 will be needed, in addition to the balance on hand, to pay for soap needed to be sold in the various buildings throughout the department until the end of the year.

D-10, Agricultural: The sum of \$200 will be required to pay for material needed on this item until the end of the year.

D-11, Motor Vehicles: We believe that the sum of \$600 will be needed on this item for the balance of the fiscal year.

E-1, Building: We believe the sum of \$500 will be needed for various kinds of building material for the balance of the fiscal year.

E-12, Parks and Recreational: We asked for \$30,000 in the budget, but it was cut to \$28,000. We believe we will need \$1,500 on this item for the rest of the year.

B-39, General Plant: \$7,000 is asked for on this item. The reason for this request is on account of the unexpected requirements that prevail in the various parts of the department. We will be obliged to ask for \$7,000 to keep the department up to the standard.

D-4, Forage and Animal: We asked for \$23,000 on this item in the budget and were allowed \$21,000. We find on account of the increased number of ani-

mals in the Zoological Garden that the sum of \$5,000 will be needed to pay for the requirements of this item until the end of the year.

B-8, Light and Power: We believe the sum of \$500 will be needed on this item until the end of the year.

C-10, Library: The sum of \$17.95 will be required to pay for bills incurred on this item.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES B. SHEA,
Chairman.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 11, 1924.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Service.

BOSTON, December 3, 1924.

To the Honorable the Mayor.

I respectfully request that the following transfer be made in the appropriation for the Sanitary Service:

From the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Foremen, 4 at \$2,000 per year, \$800, to the appropriation for A-1, Permanent Employees, Foremen, 5 at \$2,000 per year, \$800.

This transfer is to provide for the promotion of an inspector to the grade of foreman.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

The above transfer was made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 3, 1924.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

Registry of Deeds.

BOSTON, December 13, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,

Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR.—To meet the requirements of this department for the balance of the year, it will be necessary to make some readjustment of the items of the budget appropriations. I therefore, respectfully request the transfer from A-1, "Item 10, Clerks," \$11,638.66, to items as follows: To A-1, item "Copying Plans," \$500; A-1, item "Copyists," \$1,000; A-3, "Unassigned," \$1,000.

Very truly yours,

W. T. A. FITZGERALD,
Register of Deeds.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 13, 1924.

Associate Medical Examiner.

BOSTON, December 11, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR,—I hereby request permission to transfer the following amounts, all to be within my appropriation:

From B-5, \$8, to A-2, \$8.

From B-28, \$25, to A-2, \$25.

From B-35, \$5, to A-2, \$5.

From B-37, \$5, to A-2, \$5.

From D-5, \$3, to A-2, \$3.

From D-5, \$0.56, to D-1, \$0.56.

I request these transfers because the appropriation for A-2 is exhausted and I already have a deficit in that item.

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM J. BRICKLEY, M. D.,
Associate Medical Examiner, Northern District.

The above transfers were made by the City Auditor with the approval of the Mayor December 11, 1924.

ASSISTANT CHIEF DANIEL F. SENNOTT PROMOTED TO CHIEF.

Mayor Curley on Friday, December 19, approved the following promotions in the Fire Department:

Assistant Chief Daniel F. Sennott to be chief of the department.

First Deputy Henry A. Fox to the position of assistant chief.

Second Deputy William M. McLean to the position of first deputy.

Third Deputy Edward J. Shallow to the position of second deputy.

Fourth Deputy Albert J. Caulfield to the position of third deputy.

Fifth Deputy Joseph A. Dolan to the position of fourth deputy.

Sixth Deputy Frank A. Sweeney to the position of fifth deputy.

District Chief Henry A. Powers to the position of sixth deputy.

Capt. Michael F. Silva to the position of district chief.

Lieut. Thomas E. Flanagan to the position of captain.

Private Patrick F. McDonough to the position of lieutenant.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

BOSTON SANATORIUM.

The Jarvis Engineering Company have been granted an extension of the time of completion of the contract for refrigerating machinery to December 1, 1924.

There has been delay of some months in this work occasioned by a defective ammonia engine, new parts for which had to be made.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John B. Dolan has been granted an extension of the contract for building new fire house for Engine Company 40, East Boston, dated October 6, 1923, to do extra work in connection with the contract for piling for which he will be allowed \$1,119.29. Remove old pile capping and old foundation walls encountered in driving piles, \$1,442.50; furnish and install conductor around roof, \$247.50; total additions, \$2,809.29. The following allowances will be deducted from your contract: Finished hardware for building, \$500; finished hardware for front doors, \$200; gasoline equipment, \$300; electric fixtures, \$250; total deductions, \$1,250; original contract, \$65,661; additions, \$2,809.29; total, \$68,470.29; less deductions, \$1,250; total contract, \$67,220.29.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Singarella has been granted an extension of time until April 1, 1925, for the completion of the contract for loaming and concrete bleachers at William N. Carter Playground, Roxbury, Mass.

Western Electric Company, Inc., have been granted an extension of time until December 15, 1924, for the completion of the contract for furnishing and installing an amplifying system at the Parkman Memorial Bandstand on Boston Common.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 18 TO DECEMBER 24.

DECEMBER 18.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
E. P. Murray	10 Billings lane	22	First-class garage	\$1,000
H. C. Lemire	120 Russett road	23	Second-class dwelling	7,500
H. C. Lemire	124 Russett road	23	Second-class dwelling	7,500
H. C. Lemire	132 Russett road	23	Second-class dwelling	7,500
Agnes E. Rowlands	5277 Washington street	23	Second-class garage	3,000
Francis Meletz	Rear of 31 Brookledge street	16	Second-class garage	2,000
Ralph Frasea	29 Rosecliff street	23	Third-class dwelling	9,000
Ralph F. Whitehead	498 Washington street	25	Third-class dwelling	15,000
Kathleen G. McNally	59 Dunboy street	26	Alterations, dwelling	500
Jacob Cohen	156 Callender street	21	Alterations, dwelling	250
Charles Trindall	101 Glenville avenue	25	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mrs. Grace P. Ordway	345 Metropolitan avenue	23	Alterations, dwelling	150
Thompson-Durkee Company	83 Braitree street	25	Alterations, storage	975
Lucian J. Fosdick	11A Everett avenue	17	Alterations, garage	200
B. M. Shea	35 Hampstead road	22	Alterations, garage	100
Dominic Stokes	5 Loring street	9	Alterations, dwelling	120
Mrs. Bessie MacLeod	260 Huntington avenue	24	Alterations, dwelling	120
David and Henry F. Sears	242 Washington street	5	Alterations, publishing	500
Berry & Tibbets	132-136 Hampden street	12	Install two elevators	7,000
Franklin Foundry Company	2-20 Glenwood Avenue East	24	Install elevator	2,000
Nicola Russo	29 Sheafe street	5	Erect fire escape	40
City Building Wrecking Company	4 Moss place	5	Take-down, dwelling	150

DECEMBER 19.

L. Goodman	Rear of 45 Holworthy st.	16	First-class garage	\$1,375
J. Levine	11 Flint street	21	Third-class dwelling	9,000
J. Levine	15 Flint street	21	Third-class dwelling	9,000
J. Levine	19 Flint street	21	Third-class dwelling	9,000
J. Levine	21 Flint street	21	Third-class dwelling	9,000
Alice M. Johnson	336 Metropolitan avenue	23	Third-class garage	500
Theresa O. Lang	2077 Centre street	23	Third-class garage	700
Anton K. Birch	24 Spring road	23	Third-class dwelling	3,800
J. Levine	8 Elizabeth street	21	Third-class dwelling	9,000
J. Levine	10 Elizabeth street	21	Third-class dwelling	9,000
J. Levine	14 Elizabeth street	21	Third-class dwelling	9,000
J. Levine	16 Elizabeth street	21	Third-class dwelling	9,000
Anna M. Brandenburg	81 Charles street	8	Alterations, store and dwelling	1,000
Crocker Building, Inc.	210-216 Lincoln street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	2,500
Picroni Brothers, lessees	597-601 Washington street	5	Alterations, stores and offices	3,000
Estate of A. Tomforde	687 Tremont street	7	Alterations, store and dwelling	450
Boston Safe Deposit Trust Company	671 Tremont street	7	Erect fire escapes	400
Charles W. Rowell, trustee	615 Washington street	5	Erect fire escapes	50
David Gallo	Rear of 86 and 88 Millet st.	19	Second-class garage	1,500
Morris Brown	162-172 South street	22	Second-class stores	12,000
M. Rosenfield	17 Courtland road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
M. Rosenfield	21 Courtland road	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000

DECEMBER 20.

Jamaicaway Realty Association Incorporation	20 Jamaicaaway	14	Second-class apartments	\$50,000
Jamaicaway Realty Association Incorporation	30 Jamaicaaway	14	Second-class apartments	50,000
H. C. Lemire	116 Russett road	23	Third-class dwelling	7,500
H. C. Lemire	128 Russett road	23	Third-class dwelling	7,500
Albert Ritter	98 Keith street	23	Third-class dwelling	5,000
Bessie E. Spector	7 and 9 Common street	5	Alterations, storage	1,500
Bessie Devlin	56 Nightingale street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Hutchinson Trust	239-245 Tremont street	8	Install two elevators	1,700
Park Square Building Trust	31 St. James avenue	7	Install dumbwaiter	1,000
William G. Greene Sons Company	221 North Beacon street	25	Take-down, dwelling	75

DECEMBER 22.

Goddard Estate	Rear of 93-97 Court street	5	First-class stores and offices	\$40,000
Katherine T. Daley	Rear of 101 Train street	20	First-class garage	1,200
J. Pritzky	218 Jamaicaaway	14	Second-class tenements	48,000
J. Pritzky	220 Jamaicaaway	14	Second-class tenements	36,000
Nathan Woolf	Rear of 15 Gilmer street	21	Second-class garage	1,000
M. Wolfson et al	111 Kilsyth road	25	Second-class apartments	28,000
M. Wolfson et al	113 Kilsyth road	25	Second-class apartments	28,000
M. Wolfson et al	115 Kilsyth road	25	Second-class apartments	25,000
Rose McLaughlin	41 Wallingford road	25	Third-class dwelling	9,800
Charles C. Ryder	115 Armandine street	21	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Patrick Connolly	25 Perkins street	23	Third-class dwelling	7,000
William A. Barry	535 La Grange street	23	Third-class garage	500
A. H. Rice	11 Agawam street	20	Third-class dwelling	8,000
A. H. Rice	15 Agawam street	20	Third-class dwelling	6,000
A. H. Rice	19 Agawam street	20	Third-class dwelling	6,000
Miss Lilla Hale	31 Fairview street	20	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Arthur L. Albee	14 Parley Vale	22	Third-class garage	1,900
Giggey & McDonald	611 River street	24	Third-class dwelling	10,000
Williams & Bangs	11 Water street	5	Alterations, offices and mercantile	1,250
Timothy Knoles	2 Monument place	4	Alterations, dwelling	300
Kathleen A. Seibolt	30 Eden street	3	Alterations, dwelling	400
John C. Kiley	168 Cambridge street	8	Alterations, stores and tenements	400
Abraham Kellum	51 Warner street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Annie Kofman	56 Charlotte street	19	Alterations, dwelling	300
Manning, Maxwell & Moore	5 Watson street	7	Erect fire escapes	165
American Building Wrecking Company	62 Station street	14	Take-down, dwelling	100
American Building Wrecking Company	25 Charles Street place	3	Take-down, stable	50
Central Building Wrecking Company	Rear of 8 and 10 City square	4	Take-down, club house	1,000

MAYOR CURLEY SENDS TART REPLY TO FINANCE COMMISSION.

ANSWERS CRITICISM AS TO CAMPAIGN FUND BY SHOWING CONTRIBUTIONS WERE RETURNED BY HIS COMMITTEE.

BOSTON, December 22, 1924.

HON. MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN, *Chairman, Finance Commission*, Boston, Mass.

MY DEAR JUDGE,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your communication dated December 22, 1924, relating to contributions made by tenants of Faneuil Hall Market.

The amount of contributions received by Mr. Feeney from the tenants was \$105. It did not, as you state, appear in the return of receipts filed by the People's Committee because it was decided by that committee not to use said money and accordingly it was returned to the donors prior to the filing of said statement of receipts. It seems to me that such a display of virtue on the part of any political committee should merit the commendation of both your commission and the public.

With every good wish for a most enjoyable Christmas and trusting that the year 1925 will continue productive of mutual understanding beneficial to the public whom we serve in common, I beg to remain,

Very truly yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor*.

The Finance Commission's letter of criticism was as follows:

BOSTON, December 22, 1924.

HON. JAMES M. CURLEY, *Mayor of Boston*.

SIR,—The Finance Commission has investigated the matter of city officials requesting the tenants of Faneuil Hall Market to contribute money for your Honor's recent campaign for governor. The commission reports as follows:

The Superintendent of Markets, Patrick H. Graham, testified that about ten days before election day, November 4, 1924, Mr. Francis J. Brennan, who was manager of your Honor's campaign, requested him to solicit campaign contributions from the market men in Faneuil Hall Market. Thereafter, Mr. Graham and Joseph F. Feeney met. Mr. Feeney is one of your Honor's appointees to the Overseers of the Public Welfare and treasurer of the William A. Doe Company, which occupies a stall in Faneuil Hall Market. As a result of the meeting, Mr. Feeney, with the consent of Mr. Graham, solicited and received contributions from the tenants in Faneuil Hall Market, which he delivered, with a list of the contributors, to Mr. Graham who testified that he delivered this money and the list of contributors to Mr. Brennan.

Mr. Feeney testified further that some of the contributors were opposed to your Honor's candidacy, but were contributing because he told them that he was soliciting the funds at the request of Mr. Graham, the Superintendent of Markets.

The William A. Doe Company has had noncompetitive contracts for furnishing supplies to the Overseers of the Public Welfare since Mr. Feeney became a member of that body.

The market men in Faneuil Hall and Quincy Markets are tenants of the City of Boston. Although they have written leases of their stalls, they are subject to

the rules and regulations of the superintendent in the conduct of their business. Solicitation of funds from these tenants, either at the request or with the consent of the Superintendent of Markets, for political purposes is unjust, if not actually coercive. Solicitation of funds to be used in a campaign of the Mayor of the city by Mr. Feeney, who is the treasurer of a corporation which has been enjoying noncompetitive contracts from the Overseers of the Public Welfare, of which he is a member, is not for the best interests of the city.

It does not appear from the records at the State House and at City Hall that the returns made by your Honor and the Peoples' Committee, of which Mr. Brennan is treasurer, of the moneys received and expended in your Honor's recent campaign contain the names of the market men who contributed the money to Mr. Feeney.

Respectfully submitted,

THE FINANCE COMMISSION,
by MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN.

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACTS.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners to the issuance of an order for the following additions to contracts:

An addition, in an amount of approximately \$6,500, to the contract of J. Slotnik Company for erection and completion of the Dorchester High School for Boys.

This amount is required to cover certain extra work found to be necessary during the process of construction. This consisted of furnishing and installing additional steel for the auditorium and gymnasium balcony, additional brick piers in assembly hall, installation of pressure ash hoist and certain changes in boiler room to take care of ash hoist discharge, etc.

An addition to the contract of Thomas O'Connor & Co. for the erection of the Roxbury High School for Girls, in the amount of \$25,879.50, subdivided as follows: extra concrete foundations, \$22,500; backfilling, \$3,379.50.

This amount is required to cover work made necessary by being obliged to blast more deeply than was anticipated, because of the formation of the rock (seamy, soft and rotten rock), to reach suitable bottom. The extra excavation necessitated extra concrete foundation. Backfilling must be paid for under the contract. The amounts of these items could not be arrived at until the rock excavation (blasting) had been completed, and all trenches prepared for the foundation walls.

An addition, in an amount of approximately \$7,500, to the contract of Alco Contracting Company, Incorporated, for erection and completion of the Mather District School.

This amount is required to cover certain additional work found to be necessary during the process of construction. This consisted mainly of additional excavation, concrete work, etc., caused by being obliged to dig more deeply than was anticipated in order to obtain proper bearing soil, and of change in sewer pipe to meet the grade of the main sewer in Charles street.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 18 TO DECEMBER 24.

DECEMBER 23.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Elizabeth M. White.....	Rear of 90 Forest Hills st....	22	First-class garage.....	\$1,000
William White.....	Rear of 94 Forest Hills at....	22	First-class garage.....	1,000
Nels Lofgren.....	Rear of 3 Dunlap street.....	19	First-class garage.....	1,000
Ella J. Langmead.....	20 Castleton street.....	14	Third-class dwelling.....	12,000
Emma Noonan.....	6 Bowdoin square.....	18	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
Emma Noonan.....	8 Bowdoin square.....	18	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
Sabrato Sarino.....	525 East Sixth street.....	10	Alterations, tenements.....	2,000
Sam Harris.....	238 Shawmut avenue.....	6	Alterations, store and dwelling.....	2,000
Mrs. Jennie M. Morrison....	63 and 65 Hancock street....	8	Alterations, lodging house...	400

DECEMBER 24.

Joseph Engel.....	972 and 974 Blue Hill avenue	21	First-class garage.....	\$30,000
Colonial Construction Company	12 Alhambra road.....	23	Third-class dwelling.....	13,000
Ralph E. Nowell.....	388 Amory street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	475
Ralph E. Nowell.....	390 Amory street.....	22	Alterations, dwelling.....	475
Wolf Partnoy.....	45 Coleman street.....	18	Alterations, dwelling.....	125
L. & E. Automotive Supply,	1395-1401 Columbus ave....	15	Alterations, gas station.....	2,000
Anastos Christo.....	635 and 637 Huntington ave.,	14	Alterations, stores and office,	1,000
J. A. Riddick.....	7 Holyoke street.....	7	Alterations, dwelling.....	50
W. H. Hayes.....	22 Huntington avenue.....	7	Alterations, apartments and stores.	250
Lloyd K. Allen.....	495 Commonwealth avenue..	8	Alterations, undertaking rooms.	1,800
J. S. Waterman Sons.....	497 Commonwealth avenue.	8	Alterations, dwelling and offices.	500
F. V. Carey.....	376-380 Washington st....	25	Alterations, retail store.....	2,000
City Building Wrecking	84 Court street.....	5	Take-down, stores and offices,	300
pany.				
Jenney Manufacturing Com-	348 Stuart street.....	7	Take-down, gas station.....	50
pany.				

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 18 TO DECEMBER 24.

DECEMBER 18.

PLUMBER	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Jacob Pilvin.....	2304 Washington street.....	13	New fixtures.....	\$600
Daniel H. O. Connell.....	1485 Washington street.....	6	New fixtures.....	1,800
Abraham Kelle.....	1039 Washington street.....	6	New fixtures.....	100
David Craig.....	32 Oliver street.....	5	New fixtures.....	400
David Craig.....	84 Batterymarch street.....	5	New fixtures.....	600
E. P. Fuller.....	4 McLean street.....	5	New fixtures.....	3,500
Wilford H. Gray.....	50 Wilmington avenue.....	21	New fixtures.....	575
Bernard T. Clancy.....	265 Stuart street.....	8	New fixtures.....	175
Bernard T. Clancy.....	80 Federal street.....	5	New fixtures.....	265
G. C. Watts Company.....	85 Village street.....	6	New fixtures.....	125
Willis E. Hunt.....	171 Chelsea street.....	4	New fixtures.....	180

DECEMBER 19.

M. S. Pann.....	461 Walnut avenue.....	22	New fixtures.....	\$1,200
D. J. Rull.....	574 East Eighth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	150
D. J. Rull.....	346 East street.....	10	New fixtures.....	325
D. J. Rull.....	841 Summer street.....	9	New fixtures.....	100
D. J. Rull.....	582 East Seventh street.....	10	New fixtures.....	150
William N. McKenna.....	805 Commonwealth avenue..	25	New fixtures.....	250
John J. Vogel.....	1790 Centre street.....	23	New fixtures.....	300
H. S. Tretheway.....	22 Brahms street.....	23	New fixtures.....	410
H. S. Tretheway.....	121 Redlands road.....	23	New fixtures.....	750
H. S. Tretheway.....	135 and 137 Willow street..	23	New fixtures.....	750
Victor Feinberg.....	27 Fessenden street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,200
Victor Feinberg.....	29 Fessenden street.....	21	New fixtures.....	1,200
T. A. Matthews.....	17 Larchmont street.....	19	New fixtures.....	900
A. T. Purdy.....	173 Brighton avenue.....	25	New fixtures.....	365
J. W. Foster.....	498 Washington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	2,500
William H. Browne.....	30 Castleton street.....	14	New fixtures.....	900
A. J. Hughes.....	157 Theodore Parker road...	23	New fixtures.....	500
A. J. Hughes.....	416 Weld street.....	23	New fixtures.....	575

DECEMBER 20.

C. H. Burnham.....	15 Princeton street.....	4	New fixtures.....	\$150
P. H. McCormack.....	61 Bunker Hill street.....	4	New fixtures.....	50
Louis F. Koufman.....	20A Colon street.....	25	New fixtures.....	750
J. Y. Gillespie.....	91 Willow court.....	11	New fixtures.....	185
D. W. Ross.....	23 Helena road.....	20	New fixtures.....	800
H. Weiss.....	535 Washington street.....	26	New fixtures.....	500
D. E. Walsh.....	226 East Eighth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	450
D. E. Walsh.....	44 LaGrange street.....	5	New fixtures.....	95
W. J. Walsh.....	24 Standish street.....	19	New fixtures.....	350
D. E. Walsh.....	45 Stuart street.....	5	New fixtures.....	108
M. S. Pann.....	604 Washington street.....	25	New fixtures.....	125

DECEMBER 22.

A. Gordon & Co.....	56 Charlotte street.....	19	New fixtures.....	\$300
H. J. Farrell.....	124 Melville street.....	20	New fixtures.....	300
F. D. Carr.....	294 Marginal street.....	2	New fixtures.....	1,700
F. C. Lewis.....	21 Elm street.....	5	New fixtures.....	100
Samuel Adams.....	552 East Eighth street.....	10	New fixtures.....	600
Joseph Seigel.....	11 Bristol street.....	6	New fixtures.....	2,500

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACTS.

Thomas O'Connor & Company have been allowed the following additions to contract for the Hugh O'Brien District School as per architect's letter of December 22, 1924. Additions.—Changing basement door, putting on new lock, painting, \$27.80; applying kindergarten lines in aniline colors, plus general contractor's 10 per cent, \$20.20; backing up limestone piers not shown on plans, \$142.08; changing two cap stones over main entrance, detail sheet No. 2, \$25; inserting steel rods and slanting dowells heat ducts, first floor, \$77.04; filling in kindergarten, \$52.98; concrete beams over heat ducts, first oor, \$77.04; filling in between wood mullion window and backing of limestone columns, \$187.19; brick up windows in back of stone mullions, \$169.45; repairing and removing lath and burning out angles over windows, \$205.33; taking out under floors at doors and putting in maple thresholds, plus contractor's profit plus contractor's 10 per cent, \$158.48; additional covering of vent hoods on roof, plus contractor's 10 per cent, \$122.80; furnishing and erecting iron doors and frames on vent hoods, plus general contractor's 10 per cent, \$58.30; additional water charge, \$53.56; excavating for water piping, \$82.36; furnishing and installing one Corbin lock set, plus general contractor's 10 per cent, \$19.25; installing one Donovan No. 10 G grease trap, \$89.70; changes in manual training room and kitchen, plus contractor's 10 per cent, \$120.66; furnishing and erecting galvanized-iron work over wood covering on pipe in yard, painting pipe covering, plus contractor's 10 per cent, \$135.18; extra excavation, backfilling, concrete work and stone excavation, old building, 707.3 cubic yards excavation at \$3, \$2,121.90; 485 cubic yards backfill at \$2, \$970; 221.2 cubic yards concrete at \$22, \$4,866.40; 125.3 cubic yards trench blasting at \$15, \$1,879.50—\$9,837.80. Heating.—Installing additional pipe covering and weather proofing, changing return pipe as directed and installing new 3-inch vacuum trap and fittings, plus contractor's 10 per cent, \$309.47; total additions, \$11,894.63. Deductions.—125.3 cubic yards excavation at \$3, \$375.9; allowance for two radiators omitted, \$60.50; total reduction, \$436.40; net addition, \$11,458.23. Contract price, \$179,470; total additions, \$57,389.23; total deductions, \$1,800; amount of contract, \$235,059.23.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Joseph Romeo has agreed to accept the sum of \$500 as full payment for all land taken from, all rights acquired in, and all damages occasioned to his estate on 53 Leyden street by the laying out of Boardman street under the Street Commissioners' order of October 8, 1900, and the laying out of Ashley street under the Street Commissioners' order of February 1, 1924.

DAMAGE CLAIM REFUSED.

The Mayor has approved the following vote of the Board of Street Commissioners:

Voted, That this Board determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the laying out and construction of Lorna road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Morton street to the westerly line of Tiverton road, under the order of the Board and awards no damages therefor.

PLUMBING PERMITS ISSUED DECEMBER 18 TO DECEMBER 24.

DECEMBER 23.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Charles King.....	86 Trenton street.....	1	New fixtures.....	\$200
P. F. Russo.....	8 Park street.....	24	New fixtures.....	150
E. H. Marchant.....	35 Court street.....	5	New fixtures.....	250
Clifford C. Best.....	94 West street.....	24	New fixtures.....	550

DECEMBER 24.

William L. Benoit.....	15 River street.....	21	New fixtures.....	\$100
E. W. Palmer.....	7 Wade street.....	25	New fixtures.....	1,400
Louis Moltedo.....	20 Water street.....	24	New fixtures.....	400
E. O. Hunt.....	10 Carter street.....	3	New fixtures.....	125
Samuel Segal.....	1315 Columbus avenue.....	15	New fixtures.....	100

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award contracts for work, materials and supplies, in accordance with recommendation of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 19 the Mayor approved a contract with the Warren Pipe and Foundry Company for furnishing cast-iron water pipes and special castings to the Water Service. Bids for the supply, opened December 16, were as follows:

Price Per Ton of 2,000 Pounds.

One Hundred Tons Six-inch Pipe.—United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$53.60; Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$53.50; B. Nicoll & Co., Inc., \$52.50; R. D. Wood Company, \$54.25.

Two Hundred Fifty Tons Eight-inch Pipe.—United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$53.60; Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$53.50; B. Nicoll & Co., Inc., \$52.50; R. D. Wood Company, \$54.25.

Two Hundred Tons Ten-inch Pipe.—United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$53.60; Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$53.50; B. Nicoll & Co., Inc., \$52.50; R. D. Wood Company, \$54.25.

Eight Hundred Tons Twelve-inch Pipe.—United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$53.60; Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$53.40; B. Nicoll & Co., Inc., \$52.00; R. D. Wood Company, \$54.25.

Two Hundred Tons Sixteen-inch Pipe.—United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$53.60; Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$53.40; B. Nicoll & Co., Inc., \$52.25; R. D. Wood Company, \$54.25.

Three Hundred Fifty Tons Twenty-four-inch Pipe.—United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$53.60; Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$53.40; B. Nicoll & Co., Inc., \$52.25; R. D. Wood Company, \$54.25.

Forty Tons Thirty-inch Pipe.—United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$53.60; Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$53.40; B. Nicoll & Co., Inc., \$52.25; R. D. Wood Company, \$54.25.

Thirty Tons Forty-inch Pipe.—United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$53.60; Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$53.40; B. Nicoll & Co., Inc., \$52.25; R. D. Wood Company, \$54.25.

Thirty Tons Forty-two inch Pipe.—United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$53.60; Warren Foundry

and Pipe Company, \$53.40; B. Nicoll & Co., Inc., \$52.25; R. D. Wood Company, \$54.25.

Three Hundred Tons Special Castings.—United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$125; Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$124; B. Nicoll & Co., Inc., \$119.50; R. D. Wood Company, \$125.

Total.—United States Cast-Iron Pipe and Foundry Company, \$144,700; Warren Foundry and Pipe Company, \$144,055; B. Nicoll & Co., Inc., \$140,287.50; R. D. Wood Company, \$146,000.

Prices Nov. 3, 1923, 8-inch, \$71.90; 12-inch, \$71.90; 16-inch, \$70.80.

Upon December 22 the Mayor approved a contract with Arthur E. Dorr & Co., Inc., for furnishing turkeys for the various city departments for Christmas. Bids for the supply, opened December 19, were as follows:

Long Island, Twelve Hundred Pounds.—Edward H. Gillis, 44 cents per pound; Batchelder & Snyder Company, 41 cents per pound; J. F. Glynn & Co., 45 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 48 cents per pound; John H. McCarthy Company, 45 cents per pound; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., 43 cents per pound.

Boston Sanatorium, Five Hundred Seventy-five Pounds.—Edward H. Gillis, 44 cents per pound; Batchelder & Snyder Company, 41 cents per pound; J. F. Glynn & Co., 45 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 48 cents per pound; John H. McCarthy Company, 45 cents per pound; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., 43 cents per pound.

Deer Island, One Hundred Pounds.—Edward H. Gillis, 44 cents per pound; Batchelder & Snyder Company, 41 cents per pound; J. F. Glynn & Co., 45 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 48 cents per pound; John H. McCarthy Company, 45 cents per pound; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., 43 cents per pound.

Hospital Department, Seventeen Hundred Pounds.—Edward H. Gillis, 44 cents per pound; Batchelder & Snyder Company, 41 cents per pound; J. F. Glynn & Co., 45 cents per pound; Mohawk Packing Company, 48 cents per pound; John H. McCarthy Company, 45 cents per pound; Arthur E. Dorr & Co., 43 cents per pound.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

The following additions to and deductions from contracts have been approved.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Ferry Service).

An addition, amounting to \$969, on

contract with The Atlantic Works, for repairing hull of ferryboat "Lieutenant Flaherty" on account of trucking dynamo, putting a new dynamo in place, removing old dynamo, plugging blow-off opening, making new opening above braces, cleaning and draining bilges, furnishing and fitting deck plate on end, guarding timber on end, repacking stuffing boxes, making and fitting hull bleeders, splitting out blocks for the same, repairing gates, and renewing blow-back nipples and valves. Original contract, \$2,208; total addition, \$969; contract as standing, \$3,177.

An addition, amounting to \$899, on contract with Richard T. Green Company, for repairing hull of ferryboat "John H. Sullivan," on account of furnishing new keys for wheels, removing wheels, removing stern sleeves, removing quadrant, jacking up rudders, rebabbitting skeg bearings, rebushing rudder port on Boston end, drilling new holes, installing top bolts to fasten the same, renewing blow-backs on two seacocks, packing stuffing boxes, removing one sponson brace, fairing up and riveting in place, renewing one disc in sea valve, and renewing one valve stem. Original contract, \$4,755; total addition, \$899; contract as standing, \$5,654.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Paving Service).

An addition, amounting to \$88, on contract with John McCourt Company, for granite block pavement in Border street, East Boston, on account of removing stumps not shown on plans and furnishing stone cutters to make entrances and closures at catch-basins. Original contract, \$35,927.50; total addition, \$88; contract as standing, \$36,015.50.

An addition, amounting to \$1,200, on contract with John McCourt Company, for recut granite block pavement in Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, on account of furnishing and placing concrete base as directed in front of St. John's Church. Prices to be paid: for each cubic yard of concrete base furnished and laid, the sum of \$10. Original contract, \$50,783; total addition, \$1,200; contract as standing, \$51,983.

An addition, amounting to \$200, on contract with Patrick J. Duffy, for artificial stone sidewalks in Evergreen street, Roxbury, St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, Morton street, Hyde Park avenue, Symmes street, Birch street and Landseer street, West Roxbury, and Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park, on account of removing tree as directed. Original contract, \$17,214.95; total addition, \$200; contract as standing, \$17,414.95.

An addition, amounting to \$2,182, on contract with B. E. Grant Company, for laying recut granite block pavement in Congress, Pearl and Water streets, City Proper, on account of furnishing and laying concrete base; and recutting and relaying granite block pavement with grout joints in Franklin street, between Congress and Federal streets. Prices to be paid the same as those bid for similar work in the contract. Original contract, \$26,181.85; total addition, \$2,182; contract as standing, \$28,363.85.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Sewer Service).

An addition, amounting to \$350, on contract with A. G. Tomasello & Son, for sewerage works in Bowman street, Dorchester, on account of reexcavating and resheathing about 50 feet of trench,

pumping water from the same, repairing manholes, cutting guttermouths and hauling iron work. Original contract, \$1,901.50; total addition, \$350; contract as standing, \$2,251.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Water Service).

An addition, amounting to \$395, on contract with V. Barletta, for laying and relaying water pipes in Humphreys street, Dorchester, on account of removing and sheathing bracing on sewer construction to lay water pipes to proper grade, etc. Original contract, \$3,500; total addition, \$395; contract as standing, \$3,895.

Additions, amounting to \$1,010, on contract with M. DeSisto Company, for laying and relaying water pipes on account of relocating 12-inch by 12-inch branch; laying 12-inch pipe under 48-inch main; establishing 12-inch gate; establishing two temporary 6-inch gates; setting two meter waterboxes, and laying about 500 feet of 12-inch pipe in Riverway, between Plymouth street and Longwood avenue, under the items of the contract. Original contract, \$5,951.75; total additions, \$1,010; contract as standing, \$6,961.75.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph Rugo has been allowed the following additions to his contract for the Portable Brighton High School as per engineer's letter of December 8, 1924. Additions: Furnish and erect new garage doors, \$100; furnish and set in place necessary hardware, \$40; furnish and set in place new screens, \$150; furnish new studding, \$70; furnish new boxing over steam pipe, \$12; additional painting, \$45—total, \$417. Contract price, \$4,444; total additions, \$417; amount of contract, \$4,861.

SALE OF JUNK.

Permission has been granted to sell junk, at the House of Correction, Deer Island, amounting to approximately \$500.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 659.

The resignation of Patrolman Norman J. Whitney of Division 14 having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, December 22, 1924, at 5.45 o'clock p. m., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

HERBERT A. WILSON,
Commissioner.

SEWER ASSESSMENTS.

In the matter of the applications for revision of assessments levied on account of the construction of sewerage works the Board of Street Commissioners, acting under the provisions of chapter 359 of the Acts of the year 1896, and deeming it just and proper that such action should be taken upon said applications,

Orders, That the amounts hereinafter specified, being the annual apportionments of said assessments for the years specified below, be and the same are hereby abated.

	Amount.
Elizabeth McKeon heirs, 1924 apportionment, Plan 8, 1915, lot 59, Lockwood street, February 7, 1917.....	\$7 83
Mary B. Curran, 1924 apportionment, Plan 1, 1921, lot 60, Itasca street, November 27, 1922.....	6 80
Mary B. Curran, 1924 apportionment, Plan 1, 1921, lot 61, Itasca street, November 27, 1922.....	6 80

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending December 20, 1924: Population estimated, July, 1924, United States census estimate, 776,783; Boston Statistics Department estimate, 853,029.

Number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 183; nonresidents, 32; total, 215.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.43; nonresidents deducted, 12.29.

Death rate per 1,000 of population. Last week, 16.11; corresponding week last year, 15.36.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 31; one year to five years, inclusive, 13; sixty years and over, 72; total deaths: male, 116; female, 99; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 100; deaths of colored, 9.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 20, 1924.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 23, 1923.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior poliomyelitis.....	—	—	1	—
Diphtheria.....	45	3	73	4
Encephalitis lethargica.....	3	—	—	—
Influenza.....	3	1	5	2
Measles.....	36	7	34	—
Meningitis epidemic.....	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar).....	38	12	27	9
Scarlet fever.....	104	—	76	1
Tuberculosis (pulmonary).....	42	13	26	22
Tuberculosis (other forms).....	5	—	6	2
Typhoid fever.....	1	—	4	—
Whooping cough.....	6	1	70	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

TAX RATES, 1923, IN OTHER MASS. CITIES.

Of the 38 cities in the State, 35 had a higher tax rate than Boston's, every city in the Metropolitan District outside of Boston exceeding Boston's rate (i. e., \$24.70) by from \$1.90 minimum to \$9.50 maximum. The highest of these was Medford's, \$32.20; (2) Revere's, \$34.00; (3) Lynn's, \$33.80; (4) Chelsea's, \$33.00; (5) Malden's, \$32.00 and Woburn's the same; (6) Melrose's, \$30.80; (7) Cambridge's, \$29.90; (8) Everett's, \$29.50; (9) Somerville's, \$29.20; (10) Waltham's, \$29.00; (11) Quincy's, \$28.40; (12) Newton's, \$26.60. The lowest rate of any city was Holyoke's, \$21.50. Net average decrease for the 36 cities that changed their rate, \$1.00 as compared with 1922. Average tax rate of the 13 cities of Metropolitan District other than Boston, \$30.95 or \$6.25 more than Boston's rate.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DOUBLE AND SINGLE TEAMS AND AUTO TRUCKS.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing double and single teams and auto trucks in Districts Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6-9, 7, 8, 10 and 11, between February 1, 1925, and December 31, 1925, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 50 per cent of the amount of the contract, for each district, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing Teams and Auto Trucks," and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Thursday, January 8, 1925, with a certified check for 5 per cent of the total amount bid for each district, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. The attention of all bidders is called to the fact that failure to bid on furnishing auto trucks and chauffeur may lead to the rejection of the entire bid. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price bid on any district appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low it may lead to the rejection of the proposal for said district. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposals should he deem it to be for the best interests of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, December 24, 1924. (Dec. 27-Jan. 3.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, December 24, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, a public improvement should be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Fan-euil street, Brighton district, as a highway, on the southerly side, easterly from Parsons street for about 600 feet, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order for making said improvements, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of January 7, 1925, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.
Jan. 3.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the City Council and approved by the Mayor May 27, 1924, I will sell at public auction, Wednesday, December 31, 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m., upon the premises a parcel of land and building located thereon at Commercial, Battery and Salutation streets, formerly occupied for police station purposes and containing 5,323 square feet of land, more or less, at an upset price of \$37,300, subject to restrictions of record if any there be. Terms: A deposit of \$1,000 at time of sale, balance in thirty days. For further particulars inquire of

EDWARD W. FOYE,
Municipal Auctioneer,
333 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
(Dec. 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, December 18, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land and buildings on Waverly, Portsmouth and Lothrop streets, located between the property of the City of Boston (Auburn School) and Portsmouth street, Brighton district, for school purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of January 7, 1925, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.
(Dec. 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF LAND-TAKING.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, December 18, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land supposed to belong to Frank T. Horgan, about 1,190 square feet, and land supposed to belong to Ray C. Johnson, about 15,725 square feet, located on the southwesterly side of East Ninth street, between the properties numbered 263 and 299 on said street, and land and building on the northeasterly side of Vale street, about 18,530 square feet, located between the property numbered 52 on said street and a point about 368 feet northwesterly from Mercer street, South Boston district, for school purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 12 o'clock m., of January 7, 1925, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.
(Dec. 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHING BUILDING LINES.

IN BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, December 18, 1924.

Ordered, That due notice be given, that this Board is of the opinion that, in said city, public convenience and necessity require that the order of the Board of Street Commissioners approved by the Mayor December 4, 1924, establishing building lines on Beacon street, Boston proper district, between Massachusetts avenue and Charlesgate East, be amended with reference to the condition contained therein as to future projections, so as to provide that said projections which are usually appurtenant to the front walls of buildings and the necessary foundations to support the same may extend over said lines for a distance not exceeding 5 feet; that it intends to so amend said order, and that it appoints 11 o'clock a. m. of December 31, 1924, and the office of this Board as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on said day.

Attest:

JOSEPH F. SULLIVAN,
Secretary.
(Dec. 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR COLLECTING AND REMOVING ASHES, STORE DIRT, HOUSE DIRT, REFUSE AND GARBAGE IN EAST BOSTON, BRIGHTON, WEST ROXBURY, DORCHESTER AND HYDE PARK.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, office 508 City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for collecting and removing ashes, store dirt, house dirt, refuse and garbage, between February 1, 1925, and December 31, 1925, including the removal of all household refuse, during the spring cleaning period between April 1, 1925, and May 15, 1925, and shall also remove grass, garden refuse and leaves during the entire term of the contract in the following districts: East Boston, Brighton, West Roxbury, Dorchester and Hyde Park, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 50 per cent of the amount of the contract to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 508, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Collecting and Removing Ashes," etc., and left at Room 508, fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 m. on Wednesday, January 7, 1925, with a certified check for 5 per cent of the total amount bid for each district, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. If the price bid on any district appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal for said district. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

JOSEPH A. ROURKE,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Boston, December 24, 1924. (Dec. 27-Jan. 3.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOLHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

The Schoolhouse Commissioners of the City of Boston invite sealed proposals to erect and complete an addition to the Washington Irving Intermediate School, Poplar and Hawthorne streets, Charles Sumner District, West Roxbury, Boston, Mass., giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Board therefor in the sum of 45 per cent of the entire contract price. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Commissioners, 1007 City Hall Annex, signed by the bidder and left before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, January 13, 1925, at said office, with a certified check for \$20,000, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. A deposit of \$25 in cash or by certified check will be required for a complete set of plans and specifications, said sum to be refunded on return of plans and specifications. Mutilation of the plans and specifications will be deemed sufficient cause for the forfeiture of the said deposit.

THOMAS P. GLYNN,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
CLARENCE H. BLACKALL,
Commissioners.
(Dec. 27.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COMMITTEES, CITY HALL, December 22, 1924.

The Committee on Ordinances will give a public hearing on Monday, December 29, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on the following:

"An Ordinance providing for the better safeguarding of passengers in elevators."

By order of the Committee.
JOHN E. BALDWIN,
Clerk of Committees.
(Dec. 27.)

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